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NIGHT LEAD SYRIAN

DAMASCUS, SYRIA, AUG.1-(AP)-LT.COL.MOHAMMAD NASSER, SYRIAN AIR FORCE COMMANDER WHO HELPED NEGOTIATE THE ARMISTICE WITH ISRAEL LAST YEAR, WAS WOUNDED FATALLY BY UNIDENTIFIED PERSONS LAST NIGHT.

NASSER AND A COMPANION WERE SHOT FROM AMBUSH AS THEY WERE DRIVING HOME FROM THE DAMASCUS AIRPORT. HIS COMPANION WAS KILLED. NASSER, BLEEDING FROM WOUNDS IN THE HEAD AND ABDOMEN, WAS DRAGGED FROM THE CAR, BEATEN AND LEFT BY THE ROADSIDE.

HE DIED IN A HOSPITAL TODAY.

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FIRST LEAD NASSER

DAMASCUS, SYRIA, AUG. 1-(AP)-LT.COL. MOHAMMAD NASSER, COMMANDER OF THE SYRIAN AIR FORCE, DIED THIS MORNING OF WOUNDS RECEIVED WHEN HE WAS SHOT BY UNIDENTIFIED PERSONS LAST NIGHT.

THE AIR CHIEF WAS HIT IN THE HEAD AND ABDOMEN, REPORTEDLY BY BULLETS FROM A MACHINEGUN, WHILE DRIVING HOME FROM THE AIRPORT. A FRIEND RIDING WITH HIM WAS KILLED.

NASSER WAS ONE OF SYRIA'S NEGOTIATORS OF THE ARMISTICE WITH ISRAEL LAST YEAR.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP

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TOKYO,WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2-(AP)-TANK-LED AMERICANS TODAY COUNTER-ATTACKED NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST TROOPS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WEST OF THE THREATENED PORT OF PUSAN. BUT ON THE NORTHERN FRONT UNITED NATIONS FORCES FELL BACK, APPARENTLY TO EASE RED PRESSURE UNTIL REINFORCEMENTS CAN GET INTO THE LINES.

ARMY TROOPS FRESH FROM THE UNITED STATES RUSHED TO THE FRONT WEST OF PUSAN WHERE THE COMMUNISTS HAD DRIVEN TO WITHIN 40 AIR MILES OF THE VITAL SUPPLY PORT. IT WAS IN THIS AREA THAT FIELD DISPATCHES SAID AN AMERICAN COUNTERATTACK HAD BEGUN.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE REDS WERE BUILDING UP IN THIS SOUTHERN SECTOR. AN OPERATIONAL SUMMARY ISSUED EARLY THIS AFTERNOON NOTED "CONSIDERABLE MOVEMENT" BY THE REDS ONTT

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AFTERNOON NOTED "CONSIDERABLE MOVEMENT" BY THE REDS ON THIS FRONT WHICH IT DESCRIBED AS OF "MAJOR IMPORTANCE."

ALLIED AIRCRAFT RAKED THE BATTLE AREA TUESDAY, FLYING MORE THAN 400 SORTIES--THE GREATEST NUMBER OF THE WAR IN A SINGLE DAY. STRIKING IN CLEAR WEATHER, PILOTS CLAIMED THEY DAMAGED ABOUT 100 VEHICLES, INCLUDING SOME TANKS, 129 RAILROAD CARS AND 13 LOCOMOTIVES. A FAR EAST AIR FORCE SUMMARY THIS AFTERNOON SAID BOMBERS ALSO ATTACKED BRIDGES, RAILWAY YARDS, POWER PLANTS AND DOCKS AT MOKPO, RED-HELD PORT IN THE SOUTHWEST BEHIND THE COMMUNIST THRUST TOWARD PUSAN.

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THERE WAS NO INDICATION AS TO WHAT UNITS PARTICIPATED IN THE COUNTERATTACK, OR THEIR STRENGTH. THE DISPATCH SAID ONLY THAT AMERICANS WITH ARMOR HAD BEGUN AN ATTEMPT TO RECAPTURE HIGH GROUND NORTHEAST OF CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN. THE HIGH GROUND OVERLOOKING THE PLAIN EXTENDING TO PUSAN WAS LOST TUESDAY.

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(THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON DISCLOSED THAT ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION HAVE ARRIVED IN KOREA ALONG WITH ELEMENTS OF THE ARMY'S SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION AND THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM. "ELEMENTS" MEANS NONE OF THE UNITS IS AT FULL STRENGTH, A SPOKESMAN SAID. A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID DESIGNATION OF THE MARINES STRENGTH AS A BRIGADE---NORMALLY ABOUT 6,000 MEN---WOULD NOT BE "TOO FAR OFF.")

ASSOCIATED PRESS CONRRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON AT U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS PINPOINTED THE GENERAL WITHDRAWAL ON THE NORTH WHICH WAS MENTIONED IN AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQYE TUESDAY AND BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS EARLY TODAY.

THE MAIN SOUTH KOREAN FORCE, HE SAID, APPEARED TO HAVE FALLEN BACK BEHIND THE NAKTONG RIVER SOUTH OF THE HAMCHANG-YECHON-ANDONG HIGHWAY. HAMCHANG HAS BEEN THE ANCHOR OF THE NORTH-SOUTH AMERICAN LINE ON THE WEST AND THE SOUTH KOREAN EAST-WEST LINE ON THE NORTH.

AS PART OF THIS PLANNED WITHDRAWAL, ERICKSON SAID, THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION PULLED BACK FROM SANGJU TO THE EAST. THIS WAS NECESSARY TO STRAIGHTEN THE LINK BETWEEN THE SOUTH KOREANS AND THE U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ON THE KUMCHON FRONT.

AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE THIS AFTERNOON CONFIRMED THE WITHDRAWAL FROM THE FOUR TOWNS. IT SAID ALL WERE NOW REPORTED OCCUPIED BY THE NORTH KOREANS ALONG WITH YECHON AND CHINJU WHICH PREVIOUSLY HAD FALLEN TO THE REDS.

THE FRONT HAS BEEN "GENERALLY QUIET," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID, WITH "REAL CONTACT" REPORTED AT ONLY THREE POINTS--THE HWANGGAN AREA NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE KOCHANG-HYOPCHON AREA SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, AND THE YONGDOK AREA ON THE EAST COAST. A FAR EAST NAVAL SUMMARY SAID THE YONGDOK AREA WAS SHELLED AGAIN TUESDAY.

SOUTH OF KUMCHON, THE EASTWARD-DRIVING REDS HAD PRESSED TO WITHIN 25 MILES OF TAEGU, KEY RAIL AND HIGHWAY CENTER CLOSE BEHIND THE FRONT 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

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IN THE AREA OF HYOPCHON, 32 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE RDDS FLANKED FIRST CAVALRY TROOPS HOLDING THE HYOPCHON-TAEGU ROADNEAR THE JUNCTION OF THE KOCHANG-TAEGU HIGHWAY. THIS, HOWEVER, DID NOT APPEAR TO HAVE TAKEN THE REDS ANY CLOSER TO TAEGU.

THE GENERAL WITHDRAWAL ON THE NORTH AND NORTHWESTERN CORNER OF THE FRONT WAS THE RESULT OF THE FALL OF YECHON TWO DAYS AGO. THE EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE NORTHERN FRONT APPARENTLY STILL HELD, HOWEVER, WITH SOUTH KOREANS REPORTED RETAKING YONGDOK.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY EARLY WEDNESDAY ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS WERE "MASSED FOR THE OFFENSIVE" TOWARD PUSAN. THE PRESSURE "CONTINUED HEAVY," HEADQUARTERS SAID.

A FIELD DISPATCH FROM CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD PLACED THE TIP OF THE RED SPEARHEAD FORCE 15 MILES WEST OF MASAN, THE SOUTH KOREAN PORT, RAIL AND HIGHWAY HUB WHICH IS ONLY 25 MILES BY AIR WEST OF PUSAN.

MAT A SOUTH KOREAN PORT (PRESUMED TO BE PUSAN) ADDITIONAL UNITS OF THE NEW U.S. SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION AND THE 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM STREAMED ASHORE BY DAY AND NIGHT UNDER DOCKSIDE FLARES.

AS FAST AS THEY COULD BE READIED INFANTRYMEN FORMED AT ADVANCE ASSEMBLY AREAS. CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED THAT ADVANCE ECHELONS OF INFANTRYMEN "HEADED TOWARD THE BATTLEFRONT ALONG WHICH THE REDS ARE SCORING CONTINUING GAINS."

THAT WAS AN OBVIOUS REFERENCE TO THE CHINJU FRONT WHERE VETERAN 24TH DIVISION UNITS WERE SPLIT IN HALF MONDAY BY A TORRID NORTH KOREAN TANK-INFANTRY ASSAULT.

THE REDS RAMPAGED TEN MILES BEYOND CHINJU AFTER SEIZING THAT GATEWAY CITY, 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN MONDAY.

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AN ADVANCE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION, FLOWN TO KOREA SEVERAL DAYS AGO, MADE PREPARATIONS FOR DEPLOYING THE DIVISION ONCE IT IS LANDED. THE DEVILDOGS WERE EXPECTED ASHORE SOON.

THE MARINES REPORTEDLY ARE EQUIPPED WITH HEAVIER ARMAMENT THAN THUS FAR USED BY THE ARMY. THEIR WEAPONS ALSO WERE SAID TO INCLUDE FLAME THROWERS, EFFECTIVE IN CLOSE CONTACT ACTIONS.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY NOTED THAT PRESSURE REMAINED STRONG AGAINST FIRST CAVALRY POSITIONS WHERE THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS ARE DRIVING FOR A BREAKTHROUGH TO TAEGU.

IT SAID THAT AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES MADE A "SLIGHT WITHDRAWAL" ON THE NORTHEAST RIM OF THE BOX-SHAPED DEFENSE LINE TO PLANNED POSITIONS.

AT YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST "FRIENDLY FORCES"--WHICH USUALLY MEANS SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS--MAY HAVE AGAIN TAKEN THE PORT CITY, ONLY 25 MILES NORTH OF THE U.S. BEACHHEAD AT POHANG.

AN AMERICAN OBSERVATION PILOT CRUISING OVER THE YONGDOK FRONT TUESDAY REPORTED THAT NORTH KOREANS HAD FALLEN BACK TO POSITIONS 1,500 YARDS NORTH OF THE RUINED PORT. TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WITHIN RANGE OF SHORE FIRE TOOK A HEAVY TOLL OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS.

YONGDOK HAS BEEN POUNDED REPEATEDLY BY ALLIED NAVAL FORCES CRUISING CLOSE OFFSHORE FOR DEADLY HIGH VELOCITY BOMBARDMENT RUNS.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS DID NOT SPECIFY WHERE THE "SLIGHT WITHDRAWAL" HAD TAKEN PLACE. FIELD DISPATCHES FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, HOWEVER, INDICATED THAT READJUSTMENT OF THE LINES WERE MADE IN THE VICINITY OF YECHON, 52 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

SOUTH KOREANSPLLAD OUT OF YECHON MONDAY AFTER A STRONG NORTH KOREAN FORCE HAMMERED INTO THE TOW

SOUTH KOREANS PULLED OUT OF YECHON MONDAY AFTER A STRONG NORTH KOREAN FORCE HAMMERED INTO THE TOWN OF ANDONG, 15 MILES SOUTHEAST OF YECHON, AND THREATENED TO FLANK THE DEFENDERS.

STREET FIGHTING WAS REPORTED IN ANDONG AT SUNSET MONDAY.

GENERAL MACARTHUR LOCATED THE BATTLE LINES TUESDAY AS ONE MILE SOUTH OF YONGDOK, SEVEN MILES NORTHWEST OF ANDONG, FIVE MILES SOUTHEAST OF YECHON, THENCE TO A POINT TEN MILES SOUTHWEST OF SANGJU WHERE AMERICAN TROOPS OF THE 25TH TROPIC LIGHTNING DIVISION HAVE DUG IN 20 MILES NORTH OF THE FIRST CAVALRY FRONT AROUND KUMCHON.

SIGNIFICANTLY, THE NEW LOCATION OF THE LINE BY HEADQUARTERS OMITTED REFERENCE TO HAMCHANG WHICH HAD BEEN A MAIN ANCHOR IN THWARTING THE COMMUNIST SOUTHERN PUSH DOWN THE RAIL AND ROAD NETWORK TO KUMCHON. HAMCHANG IS 30 AIR MILES NORTH OF KUMCHON.

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THIS APPARENTLY CONFIRMED EARLIER FIELD DISPATCHES THAT HAMCHANG HAD BEEN INFILTRATED BY THE REDS.

HEADQUARTERS SAID THE LINE FROM SANGJU CONTINUED ONE MILE SOUTHEAST OF KWANNI, WHICH IS SEVEN MILES NORTHWEST OF KUMCHON. IT THEN CURVES FOUR MILES NORTHEAST OF CHIRYE AND SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU IN THE EXTREME SOUTH.

NEXT TO THE CRITICAL PUSH AT PUSAN, THE MOST SERIOUS RED THREAT WAS TO TAEGU, PROVISIONAL SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL AND IMPORTANT IN THE OVERALL DEFENSE PICTURE AS HUB OF SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATION LINES.

THE NORTH KOREANS BUILT UP STRENGTH AT CAPTURED KOCHANG, 75 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN, FOR THEIR DOUBLE BARRELED PUNCH AT TAEGU.

ONE SPEARHEAD MOVED FROM HYPOCHON THROUGH MOUNTAINOUS COUNTRY AND JOINED A SECOND RED FORCE AT A HIGHWAY JUNCTION ABOUT 25 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

A THIN LINE OF U.S. 24TH DIVISION DEFENDERS STRUGGLING TO HOLD BACK THE RED MOVEMENT TOWARD TAEGU, CALLED FOR AIR STRIKES TO DISRUPT THE ADVANCE.

JET SHOOTING STARS AND MUSTANG FIGHTERS OF THE FIFTH AIRFORCE RESPONDED WITH HEAVY STRIKES ALONG THE FRONT.

HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED 180 SORTIES--132 OF THEM BY JETS--WERE FLOWN TUESDAY IN SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES. GOOD RESULTS FROM STRAFING AND ROCKET BOMBING OF RED VEHICLES, BRIDGE AND RAILROAD INSTALLATIONS. IN ADDITION B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS CARRIED OUT 23 SORTIES ON BOMBING AND INTRUDER MISSIONS. THEY HIT BRIDGES AND MARSHALLING YARDS AT HADONG ON THE SOUTH COAST.

WHILE A RELATIVE QUIET HUNG OVER THE CENTRAL FRONT AFTER INCESSANT ATTACKS A THIRD COMMUNIST ENVELOPMENT MOVE THROUGH CHIRYE, EIGHT MILES SOUTH OF KUMCHON, THREATENED FIRST CAVALRY POSITIONS TO THE NORTHEAST.

FIRST CAVALRY AND 25TH DIVISION LINES WERE SHORTENED SLIGHTLY TO STABILIZE THEIR POSITIONS AFTER THE FALL OF YECHON MONDAY.

IN A NEW STRATEGIC AIR ATTACK BEHIND ENEMY LINES, 50 B-29 SUPERFORTS LOOSED 400 TONS OF BOMBS ON HUNGNAM, NORTH KOREA'S CHEMICAL AND EXPLOSIVES CENTER FOR THE SECOND BOMBING IN THREE DAYS. THICK GREASY SMOKE BILLOWED FROM THE TARGET, A CHEMICAL INSTALLATION TWO MILES EAST OF THE PLANT STRUCK JULY 30.

GENERAL MACARTHUR RETURNED FROM TAIPEI, FORMOSA, TUESDAY NIGHT AFTER REJECTING THE OFFER OF 33,000 CHINESE NATIONALIST TROOPS OFFERED BY GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK. MACARTHUR ISSUED A STERN WARNING TO THE CHINESE REDS AGAINST ANY ATTEMPTED INVASION OF FORMOSA.

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TOKYO--SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP, FOURTH GRAF, STARTING "ALLIED AIRCRAFT X X X MAKE IT READ AT END X X X POWER PLANTS AND DOCKS AT MOKPO, SUNCHON AND CHINJU IN THE SOUTHWEST BEHIND THE COMMUNIST THRUST TOWARD PUSAN. (INSERTING SUNCHON AND CHINJU).

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THIRD LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG 2-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN RED FORCES, EXERTING HEAVY PRESSURE IN THE SOUTH, TODAY PUSHED TO WITHIN 40 MILES OF PUSAN, U.S. BASE IN SOUTHEASTERN KOREA.

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FRESH AMERICAN TROOPS WERE POURING ASHORE AND MOVING UP TO THE FRONT. ONE UNIT WAS THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII.

GENERAL MACARTHUR, IN HIS WEDNESDAY MORNING KOREAN SUMMARY, RELEASED AT 12:35 A.M. (9:35 A.M. EST TUESDAY) SAID THE HEAVY RED PRESSURE COVERED THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

BUT THE HARDEST BLOWS CAME IN THE KOCHANG AREA, WHERE THE COMMUNISTS WERE TRYING TO BREAK THROUGH TO TAEGU, SOUTH KOREAN EMERGENCY CAPITAL. THEY WERE ABOUT 32 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

A FRONTLINE DISPATCH FROM DON WHITEHEAD, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT IN KOREA, PLACED THE REDS SOUTHERN THRUST 15 MILES WEST OF MASAN, WHICH IS ON THE SOUTH COAST 25 MILES FROM PUSAN.

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THE MACARTHUR SUMMARY, ISSUED A FEW HOURS AFTER THE UNITED NATIONS COMMANDER RETURNED FROM FORMOSA TO TOKYO, SAID UN TROOPS WERE ATTACKING THE REDS AROUND YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST. U.S. PILOTS REPORTED THE COMMUNISTS IN POSITIONS 1,500 YARDS NORTH OF THE WRECKED CITY.

"IT IS POSSIBLE THAT FRIENDLY FORCES HAVE AGAIN FORCED ENTRY INTO THAT PORT CITY," MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY SAID.

THE MACARTHUR RELEASE DESCRIBED THE FRONT AS RUNNING ROUGHLY FROM ONE MILE SOUTH OF YONGDOK TO SEVEN MILES NORTHWEST OF ANDONG TO 10 MILES SOUTHWEST OF SANGJU, ONE MILE SOUTHEAST OF KWANNI, SEVEN MILES NORTHWEST OF KUMCHON, FOUR MILES NORTHEAST OF CHIRYE AND SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU.

THE SUMMARY SPOKE OF SLIGHT UN TROOPS WITHDRAWALS BUT SAID THEY WERE NOT FORCED AND WERE MADE TO PREPARED POSITIONS.

THE PUSH TO NEAR MASAN IN THE SOUTH REPRESENTED A GAIN OF ABOUT 10 MILES SINCE MONDAY.

OTHER RED THRUSTS WERE DEVELOPING AROUND KOCHANG AND FLAMING HYOPCHONG IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR AND AT ADONG IN THE NORTH. BUT NO SERIOUS GAINS HAD BEEN REPORTED MADE AT THESE THREE POINTS.

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THE REDS APPARENTLY HOPED TO PUSH UNITED NATIONS TROOPS OFF THE KOREAN PENINSULA BEFORE SUFFICIENT ARRIVING U.S. AID COULD REACH THEM.

BUT HOUR BY HOUR ANXIOUSLY AWAITED AMERICAN TROOPS STEPPED ASHORE AT A SOUTH KOREAN PORT. SOME RUSHED TO THE FRONT TO BRACE BATTERED AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREANS WHO HAVE BEEN SHOVED BACK FOR DAYS BY THE RED HORDES FROM THE NORTH.

THESE FRESH TROOPS INCLUDED ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION, WHICH LANDED MONDAY, AND TWO FOLLOWING ARMY UNITS NOT OTHERWISE IDENTIFIED.

IN ADDITION, THE MAIN FORCE OF THE U.S. FIRST MARINE DIVISION UNITS WAS LOOKED FOR BY DOUGHBOYS WEARY OF RETREATING.

AN ADVANCED ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT OF THE MARINES HAS ARRIVED IN KOREA FROM THE UNITED STATES TO PREPARE FOR THE ONCOMING LEATHERNECK FIGHTING FORCES. BUT THEY HAD NOT BEEN SIGHTED IN KOREA AT 10 P.M. (7 A.M. EST).

FRONTLINE TROOPS HAD BEEN GIVEN A BREATHER SINCE THE REDS BROKE THROUGH IN THE SOUTH MONDAY MORNING. THE AMERICANS HAD BRACED AND DUG INTO NEW POSITIONS.

THE RED THRUSTS AROUND KOCHANG AND HYOPCHONG HEADED TOWARD TAEGU, RAIL HUB ON THE MAIN CENTRAL FRONTLINE SUPPLY ROUTE FROM PUSAN. HYOPCHANG WAS SET ABLAZE TUESDAY MORNING BY AMERICAN FIRE BOMBS. U.S. PLANES SOUGHT OUT AND BOMBED RED TROOPS IN VILLAGES, HAMLETS AND RICE PADDIES.

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PLANE PILOTS REPORTED THE REDS KEPT STEADY PRESSURE ON THE NORTHERN FRONT WHERE SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ABANDONED YECHON MONDAY. YECHON IS AN IMPORTANT LINK ON THE EAST-WEST HIGHWAY ROUTE ACROSS THE HAMCHANG-ANDONG FRONT.

THERE WAS FIGHTING IN THE STREETS OF ANDONG AT SUNSET. BUT THE CITY WAS STILL REPORTED IN SOUTH KOREAN HANDS AT THAT TIME.

ON THE CENTRAL FRONT THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION REPORTED IT WAS UNDER HEAVY PREXTOV

ON THE CENTRAL FRONT THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION REPORTED IT WAS UNDER HEAVY PRESSURE ALL TUESDAY AND MADE A SHORT WITHDRAWAL ON ITS NORTH FLANK. IT CLAIMED THE DESTRUCTION OF 16 ENEMY TANKS DURING THE FIGHTING.

THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION ALSO MADE A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL TO STABILIZE ITS CENTRAL NORTH SECTOR LINES.

A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE ISSUED IN KOREA AT 8 P.M. TUESDAY (5 A.M. EST) SAID:

"THE SOUTH KOREANS COORDINATED UNITED STATES FORCES IN MAKING A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL TO STRONGER MORE EASILY DEFENDED TERRAIN. THE LINE HAS BEEN SMOOTHED AND CONSOLIDATED REDUCING THE DANGER OF HAVING SALIENTS AND OF PERMITTING PENETRATION. CONTACT HAS BEEN MADE WITH THE ENEMY AND THERE HAS BEEN NO PRESSURE FROM THE ENEMY."

THE EIGHTH ARMY REPORTED A BUILDUP OF COMMUNIST TWIN THRUSTS THROUGH NARROW VALLEYS TOWARD TAEGU FROM KOCHANG AND HYOPCHON.

IT SAID THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS GENERALLY FELL BACK ON THE NORTH AND CENTRAL FRONTS. THERE WAS NO MENTION IN THE TUESDAY NIGHT COMMUNIQUE OF THE SOUTHERN ADVANCE REPORTED 15 MILES WEST OF MASAN.

THE KOCHANG-HYOPCHON SPEARHEADS JOINED WITH A COMPANION MOVEMENT THROUGH RED-HELD CHIRYE, SOUTH OF KUMCHONG, WOULD IMPERIL THE FIRST CAVALRY FRONT NOW ESTABLISHED A FEW MILES WEST OF KUMCHON.

A GENERAL ADJUSTMENT OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN LINES IN AN ARC FROM KUMCHON THROUGH HAMCHANG AND ANDONG FOLLOWED THE RED CAPTURE OF YECHON, KEY HIGHWAY CITY ON THE NORTHERN FRONT.

CAPT. HOWARD L. REED OF SHERMAN, TEX., ONE OF THE PILOTS WHO FLEW OVER THE FRONTS, SAID THE COMMUNIST DRIVE ON ANDONG SEEMED TO HAVE BEEN STOPPED AFTER SOME FIGHTING IN THE STREETS.

PILOTS CLAIMED THE DESTRUCTION OF BETWEEN 20 AND 24 COMMUNIST VEHICLES. IN ADDITION B-26 PILOTS SAID THEY SET FOUR HANGARS AFIRE NEAR PUDAE, EIGHT MILES SOUTHWEST OF ANSONG, IN THE SOUTH.

ENEMY DEAD WERE REPORTED PILING UP IN FRONT OF AMERICAN POSITIONS ALONG THE 160 MILE LAND PERIMETER OF THE BOX-LIKE FRONT.

A MACARTHUR SPOKESMAN SAID RED LOSSES HAVE BEEN "FRIGHTFUL" AND ADDED "THEY ARE PROBABLY GREATER THAN WE REALIZE."

THE LAST OFFICIAL ESTIMATE OF ENEMY CASUALTIES GIVEN AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS MONDAY WAS 37,500 DEAD AND WOUNDED.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE NOT LOST THEIR ABILITY OR WILL TO KEEP DRIVING AND MAY KEEP THE OFFENSIVE EVEN WHEN THEIR LOSSES REACH 40 PERCENT OF THEIR ORIGINAL EFFECTIVES.

THE NEW AMERICAN ARRIVALS TODAY--STILL UNIDENTIFIED AS TO UNIT AND COMPOSITION--JOINED TROOPS OF THE ARMY'S SECOND DIVISION WHO HEADED FOR THE FRONT AFTER COMING ASHORE MONDAY.

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID THERE HAD BEEN A COMPARATIVE PAUSE IN THE FIGHTING. THIS WAS MENTIONED IN A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT 12:40 P.M. (9:40 A.M. EST MONDAY). WHICH SAID:

"THERE HAVE BEEN SOME LOCAL ATTACKS BUT NO CONCERTED DRIVES REPORTED."

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A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID AS OF TUESDAY AFTERNOON IT WOULD BE PREMATURE TO SAY THE "TIDE IS BEGINNING TO RUN IN THE OTHER DIRECTION." BUT HE ADDED THAT TIME IS NOT FAR AWAY.

RECALLING HIS STATEMENT OF LAST WEEK THAT "THE SITUATION WOULD GET WORSE BEFORE IT GETS BETTER, HE SAID THE WORSENING STAGE IS NEARLY PASSED. HE SAID THE OVERALL RED OFFENSIVE IS AT PEAK INTENSITY BUT THE SITUATION IS "NOT CRITICAL."

ONE OF THE AMERICAN UNITS THAT ARRIVED TODAY EMBARKED FROM A PORT OUTSIDE OF THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES. (PRESUMABLY THIS WAS THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF ABOUT 4,000 MEN WHICH WAS ALERTED IN HAWAII ON JULY 13. IT WAS THE LAST U.S. OCCUPATION FORCE TO LEAVE KOREA.)

IN TOKYO AN AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS DESCRIBED THE COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE IN KOREA AS BEING "ALL OUT."

HE SAID ALL IDENTIFIED RED DIVISIONS ARE IN THE BATTLE LINE OR MOVING INTO IT.

"HE IS EXERTING HIS LAST OUNCE OF STRENGTH IN AN ATTEMPT TO SMASH THROUGH AND DRIVE OUR FORCES INTO THE SEA," THE OFFICER SAID.

COMMUNIST LOSSES, HE SAID, "ARE THREE OR FOUR TO ONE," COMPARED TO AMERICAN CASUALTIES.

BOTH THE MARINES AND THE SECOND DIVISION SAILED DIRECT FROM THE UNITED STATES TO KOREA.

ALTHOUGH HIT HARD FROM THE AIR, THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS:

--ROLLED BEYOND THEIR BREAKTHROUGH AT KOCHANG AND THRUST 16 MILES SOUTHWEST INTO HYOPCHON, 33 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, A VITAL HUB ON THE MAIN RAIL AND HIGHWAY SUPPLY ROUTES LEADING TO THE CENTRAL FRONT FROM PUSAN.

--PUSHED INTO CHIRYE OVER AMERICAN TROOPS ON THE FRONT JUST NORTH OF KOCHANG, PUTTING THE INVADERS 32 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU AT THIS POINT.

--RECAPTURED YECHON FROM SOUTH KOREANS AT THE NORTHERMOST PART OF THE LINE. YECHON IS 52 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

--MOVED FIVE MILES BEYOND CHINJU, PLACING THIS COMMUNIST COLUMN 50 MILES WEST OF PUSAN AND POISING A FLANKING THREAT TO THE NORTH-SOUTH U.N. LINE.

GENERAL MACARTHUR BEFORE DEPARTING TUESDAY FROM FORMOSA FOR HIS TOKYO HEADQUARTERS TOLD GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK:

"KEEP YOUR CHIN UP--WE ARE GOING TO WIN."

ON HIS FLYING VISIT TO FORMOSA MACARTHUR TURNED DOWN CHIANG'S OFFER OF 33,000 GROUND TROOPS FOR KOREA, EXPLAINING IT WAS INADVISABLE IN THE FACE OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST THREAT TO INVADE THE NATIONALIST'S ISLAND.

U.S. SEVENTH FLEET WARSHIPS ARE PATROLLING THE FORMOSA STRAIT TO INTERCEPT ANY INVASION ATTEMPT.

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FINAL OUTCOME OF THE PRESENT PHASE OF THE KOREAN STRUGGLE WILL NOT BE APPARENT FOR THREE OR FOUR DAYS, A HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID.

TAKEN TOGETTHER THE VARIOUS STATEMENTS CONSTITUTED ONE OF THE MOST OPTIMISTIC APPRAISALS SINCE THE COMMUNISTS BEGAN THEIR POWER DRIVE LAST WEEK.

THE SPOKESMAN ASSERTED AMERICAN COMMANDERS NOW CAN "AFFORD TO SELL GROUND A LITTLE MORE CHEAPLY."

WITHDRAWALS MONDAY AND TUESDAY WERE NOT IMPORTANT, HE SAID.

THE PRIME CONCERN OF LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE EIGHTH ARMY, IS TO MAINTAIN A SPRINGBOARD FOR MOUNTING AN OFFENSIVE WHEN U.S. STRENGTH IS BUILT UP.

THE MAJOR WITHDRAWALS WERE AT CHINJU AND AT HYOPCHON BUT THE SPOKESMAN DESCRIBED THESE AS "NO GREAT GAINS" AND SAID "NO CRITICAL POINTS WERE GIVEN UP."

GOOD WEATHER BROUGHT AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN MUSTANGS SWARMING OVER KOREAN HILLS AND THROUGH NARROW PASSES AT FIRST LIGHT OF DAWN.

THEY HIT HARD AT ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE SOUTHERN COASTAL AREA BETWEEN HADONG AND CHINJU. PILOTS REPORTED SIGHTING COLUMNS OF NORTH KOREAN INFANTRY THERE AND RAKING THEM WITH FIRE.

THE HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THE RED'S SOUTHWARD THRUST PROBABLY WAS THE "MOST PROFITABLE" AT THE MOMENT SINCE IT PUT THE ENEMY AT HIS CLOSEST POINT TO PUSAN.

THE AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN PLANES RANGED FROM THE KOREAN BATTLE-FRONT TO THE MANCHURIAN BORDER, HITTING MEN AND MACHINES.

THEY FLEW THROUGH INCREASING COMMUNIST ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE.

THE AIRMEN CONCENTRATED ON AIDING GROUND TROOPS. THEY SHOT UP BRIDGES, BOXCARS AND DUMMY TANKS.

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WITH AMERICAN FORCES IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AU. 1-(AMERICAN TROOPS TODAY LAUNCHED A COUNTERATTACK WITH ARMOR IN AN EFFORT TO RETAKE HIGH GROUND NORTHEAST OF CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF THE MAIN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.

THE HIGH GROUND WAS LOST TO THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS IN FIGHTING YESTERDAY.

MEANWHILE A FLANKING FORCE OF RED TROOPS HAD MOVED AROUND THE AMERICANS HOLDING THE HYOPCHON-TAEGU ROAD. THIS ACTION WAS ON THE EASTERN FRONT ABOUT 25 MILES NORTH OF CHINJU.

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TEXT

TOKYO,WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 187, ISSUED AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 1:10 P.M. (10:10 P.M., TUESDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

THE SOUTH FLANK OF THE UNITED STATES-SOUTH KOREAN FORCES CONTINUES TO BE OF MAJOR IMPORTANCE. THE RED INVADERS HAVE TAKEN CHINJU, AND CONSIDERABLE MOVEMENT IS REPORTED INTO THE CHINJU AREA. PRESSURE ALSO WAS CONTINUED IN THE VICINITY OF KOCHANG, WHERE U. S. TROOPS GAVE SOME GROUND.

IN THE CENTRAL AREA, THE PRINCIPAL PRESSURE CONTINUED TO BE ON THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION. THE FLANKING MOVEMENT TOWARD CHIRYE WAS FORCING THE ACTION GENERALLY SOUTHWARD.

THREE NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS ARE REPORTED TO BE MASSING AGAINST THE 1ST AND 6TH KOREAN DIVISIONS IN THE HAMCHANG AREA. NO CHANGE HAS BEEN REPORTED IN THE YECHON OF YONGDOK AREAS.

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TEXT (160)

TOKYO,AUG 1 (AP)-THE TEXT OF AN EIGHTH U.S.ARMY IN KOREA COMMUNIQUE, NO.14, ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 8 P.M. (5 A.M., EST) TODAY:

PRESSURE IS DEVELOPING IN THE SOUTH SECTOR OF THE UNITED NATIONS LINE WHERE THE 24TH DIVISION IS IN POSITIONS. -UNITS-OF THIS DIVISION WERE FORCED OUT OF CHINJU TODAY, YIELDING GROUND TO NUMERICALLY

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SUPERIOR FORCES. THERE IS A BUILDING IN THE KOCHANG-HYOPCHON AREA ALSO, WHERE A DRIVE IS BEING MADE AGAINST THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENDERS. AT LAST REPORTS THERE HAVE BEEN NO BREAK THROUGH IN THIS AREA.

THE FIRST CAVALRY REPORTS THAT IT HAS BEEN UNDER HEAVY PRESSURE ALL DAY. IT MADE A SLIGHT WITHDRAWAL ON ITS NORTH FLANK IN LINE WITH THE PLANNED REESTABLISHMENT OF POSITIONS.

THE 25TH DIVISION EXECUTED A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL FOR CONSOLIDATION 0782)8,3. CONTACT

THE 25TH DIVISION EXECUTED A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL FOR CONSOLIDATION OF THE WHOLE LINE. CONTACT IS BEING KEPT WITH THE ENEMY.

THE SOUTH KOREANS COORDINATED U.S. FORCES IN MAKING A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL TO STRONGER, MORE EASILY DEFENDED TERRAIN. THE LINE HAS BEEN SMOOTHER AND CONSOLIDATED, REDUCING THE DANGER OF HAVING SALIENTS AND OF PERMITTING PENETRATION. CONTACT HAS BEEN MAINTAINED WITH THE ENEMY BUT THERE HAS BEEN NO PRESSURE FROM THE ENEMY.

NO REPORTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE YONGDOK AREA.

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TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,AUG.2-(AP)-KOREAN COMMUNIST SHORE GUNS ON THE ONGJIN PENINSULA FIRED ON AN AUSTRALIAN DESTROYER YESTERDAY AND WERE SHELLED INTO SILENCE, FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY.

A NAVAL OPERATIONS SUMMARY, ISSUED AT 12:45 P.M. (9:45 P.M., E.S.T., TUESDAY) SAID FOUR RED 120-MM. GUNS OPENED UP FROM AN EMPLACEMENT ON THE WEST COAST JUST SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THE AUSTRALIAN DESTROYER SILENCED THEM WITH 150 ROUNDS. A BRITISH CRUISER CAME TO THE AID OF THE DESTROYER AND FIRED 57 ROUNDS WITHOUT RECEIVING ANSWERING RED FIRE.

MONDAY NIGHT AND TUESDAY, A U.S. TASK GROUP CONTINUED TO BLAST MILITARY TARGETS IN THE VICINITY OF YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST, THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD AERIAL

TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG.2-(AP)-ALLIED FIGHTER PLANES RAKED RED GROUND TROOPS FROM END TO END OF THE 200 MILE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT TUESDAY WITH MORE THAN 400 SORTIES--A NEW HIGH FOR A SINGLE DAY.

THE FIGHTER PLANES FLEW IN SUPPORT OF HARD PRESSED AMERICAN INFANTRY, FAR EAST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED AT 1:25 P.M (10:25 P.M. EST TUESDAY).

B-29 SUPERFORTS AGAIN POUNDED NORTH KOREAN FACTORIES HITTING CHEMICAL AND METAL FACTORIES AT HUNGNAM, ON THE NORTH KOREA EAST COAST NEAR THE INDUSTRIAL CENTER OF HAMHUNG.

CLEAR SKIES GAVE JETS AND MUSTANG FITHER PLANES OPPORTUNITY TO PRESS INCESSANT ATTACKS AGAINST THE ADVANCING REDS BOTH DAY AND NIGHT.

BOMBERS STRUCK AT BRIDGES, MARSHALLING YARDS, POWER PLANTS AND DOCKS AT MOKPO, PORT ON THE SOUTHWEST COAST.

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THE MAIN AIR EFFORT, HOWEVER, WAS TO AUGMENT THE FIRE POWER OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FOOT SOLDIERS.

THE FIGHTERS ROARED UP AND DOWN THE BATTLE LINES AND SEARCHED AREAS IN THE IMMEDIATE REAR FOR RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.

COMMUNIST COLUMNS WERE SUBJECTED TO STEADY FIRE, PARTICULARLY IN THE SOUTH COASTAL AREAS WHERE THEIR MAIN DRIVE NOW APPEARS IN PROGRESS.

PILOTS REPORTED THEY ATTACKED AND DAMAGED APPROXIMATELY 100 VEHICLES, INCLUDING SOME TANKS, 129 RAILROAD CARS, 13 LOCOMOTIVES, NINE SUPPLY BOATS AND THREE ARTILLERY POSITIONS.

A MASS FLIGHT OF AMERICAN BOMBERS TUESDAY HIT AT NORTH KOREA'S POWDER-MAKING INDUSTRY WITH A SECOND BIG LOAD OF BOMBS.

OTHER B-29S UNLOADED HEAVY BOMBS ON NINE RAILWAY AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES FROM SUNCHON, ON THE SOUTH COAST, NORTH TO CHONJU. OBSERVERS REPORTED HEAVY DAMAGE.

RED TROOP COLUMNS ATTEMPTING TO MOVE UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS WERE ATTACKED BY B-26S. THE LIGHT BOMBERS DROPPED THEIR BOMBS THEN DIPPED LOW TO STRAFE WHEREVER POSSIBLE. THEY SPRAYED FIRE OVER HIGHWAYS AND ROAD JUNCTIONS AROUND SEOUL AND STRUCK STAGING AREAS THERE, AT YOJU, 40 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SEOUL, AND AT TAEJON.

SOME OF THE FIGHTERS FIRING ROCKETS BLASTED A POWER STATION AND SUPPLY DUMP AT CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF THE PORT OF PUSAN, AND OTHER POWER PLANTS AT YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST.

F-80S BLASTED MARSHALLING YARDS, A RAILROAD STATION AND FACTORY, STARTING FIRES AT YONGHAE, ON THE EAST COAST NORTH OF YONGDOK.

ABOUT 50 B-29S ATTACKED HUNGNAM, ON THE EAST COAST 95 MILES INSIDE NORTH KOREA, WITH MORE THAN 400 TONS OF BOMBS. A NEWS RELEASE SAID THE STRIKE SENT "THICK, GREASY SMOKE" BILLOWING 15,000 FEET INTO THE AIR.

THE BOMBERS BLASTED THE CHEMICALS AND EXPLOSIVES CENTER SUNDAY WITH ABOUT 500 TONS OF BOMBS. OFFICIAL REPORTS SAID THE SUNDAY ATTACK EFFECTIVELY DAMAGED 85 PER CENT OF THE CHOSEN NITROGEN COMPANY MUNITIONS PLANT.

TODAY'S TARGET WAS THE CHOSEN NITRO FERTILIZER COMPANY'S CHEMICAL AND NON-FERROUS METAL PLANT, TWO MILES EAST OF THE PLANT HIT SUNDAY.

ONE OF THE B-29 GROUP COMMANDERS, COL.CLAUDE E.PUTNAM OF JACKSBORO, TENN., SAID "TODAY'S MISSION WAS EVEN MORE SUCCESSFUL THAN OUR JULY 30 ATTACK, IF SUCH A THINK IS POSSIBLE." HE DESCRIBED IT AS "AN EXAMPLE OF PERFECT BOMBING."

THE RELEASE SAID "SMOKE AND FLAMES AROSE FROM THE TARGET AREA IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE INITIAL STRIKE AND BY THE TIME THE LAST AIRCRAFT HAD BOMBED, THICK, GRAY SMOKE HAD RISEN TO 15,000 FEET.

RETURNING AIRMEN REPORTED THREE SELECTED AIMING POINTS WERE HIT "HEAVILY AND ACCURATELY."

THEY SAID THEY FELT A CONSTANT SERIES OF EXPLOSIONS FROM THE BOMBED AREA, ALTHOUGH THEY WERE FLYING WELL ABOVE 15,000 FEET.

THE PLANT MANUFACTURED NITRIC ACID, NITRO-GLYCERIN, MAGNESIUM, ALUMINUM AND SOME COPPER.

THE FIRST PLANES OVER THE TARGETS DROPPED THEIR BOMBS VISUALLY. SMOKE AND FLAMES BECAME SO INTENSE THAT LATER CRAFT RESORTED TO RADAR SIGHTING.

LIGHT ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE WAS OBSERVED IN THE GENERAL AREA OF THE TARGETS, BUT NO ENEMY FIGHTER PLANES APPEARED.

MEANWHILE, AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN AIRMEN IN FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS STRUCK AT NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND MACHINES. THE PLANES RANGED FROM THE BATTLEFRONT TO THE MANCHURIAN BORDER IN CLEAR WEATHER.

THEY GAVE CLOSE-UP SUPPORT TO HARD-PRESSED INFANTRYMEN DEFENDING THE SHRINKING BEACHHEAD IN SOUTHEASTERN KOREA, AND RANGED NORTH IN ATTACKS ON RAILROAD INSTALLATIONS, BRIDGES AND CAMOUFLAGED VEHICLES.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS FLEW 170 SORTIES DURING THE DAY. THE LIGHT BOMBERS MADE 23 SORTIES AND DESTROYED BRIDGES AND MARSHALLING YARDS AT HADONG ON THE SOUTH COAST DURING THEIR DAY-NIGHT ATTACK.

TWO NAVY BOMBERS KNOCKED OUT THE LOCOMOTIVE AND EIGHT CARS OF A 15-CAR TRAIN SATURDAY NEAR CHONGJIN ON THE EAST COAST OF NORTH KOREA. A NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE ATTACK WAS THE NORTHERMOST OF THE WAR. CHONGJIN IS 45 MILES FROM MANCHURIA AND 260 AIR MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL DIVIDING NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.

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BULLETIN

SECOND LEAD AIR

TOKYO,AUG.1-(AP)-ABOUT 50 B-29 BOMBERS STRUCK WITH A NEW ATTACK TODAY ON HUNGNAM, CHEMICAL AND EXPLOSIVES CENTER ON NORTH KOREA'S EAST COAST. EXPLOSIONS ROCKED THE AREA, A KOREAN AIR RELEASE SAID, AND "THICK, GREASY SMOKE" BILLOWED UP TO 15,000 FEET.

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THE TARGET WAS THE CHEMICAL AND METAL PLANT OF THE CHOSEN (KOREAN) NITRO FERTILIZER CO., TWO MILES EAST OF THE PLANT HIT HARD BY B-29S TWO DAYS AGO. THE PLANES SHOWERED 400 TONS OF BOMBS ON THE PLANT ON TODAY'S RUN.

"SMOKE AND FLAMES AROSE FROM THE TARGET AREA IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE INITIAL STRIKE," THE RELEASE SAID. "BY THE TIME THE LAST AIRCRAFT HAD BOMBED, THICK, GREASY SMOKE HAD RISEN TO 15,000 FEET."

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THE THICK SMOKE AND FLAMES KICKED UP BY THE FIRST SQUADRONS FORCED LATER PLANES TO BOMB BY RADAR.

THE PLANES RAN INTO LIGHT ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE BUT SAW NO ENEMY FIGHTERS.

COL.CLAUDE E.PUTNAM OF JACKSBORO, TEX., COMMANDER OF ONE B-29 GROUP, SAID THE MISSION "WAS EVEN MORE SUCCESSFUL THAN OUR JULY 30 ATTACK, IF SUCH A THING IS POSSIBLE."

PUTNAM SAID "IT WAS AN EXAMPLE OF PERFECT BOMBING."

THE PLANT MANUFACTURED NITRIC ACID FOR EXPLOSIVES AND ALSO NITROGLYCERINE. IT ALSO PRODUCED MAGNESIUM, ALUMINUM AND SOME COPPER.

IN OTHER STRIKES FROM THE SOUTH KOREAN BATTLEFRONT TO THE MANCHURIAN BORDER, ALLIED AIRMEN HAMMERED HARD AT SURGING COMMUNIST INFANTRYMEN AND TRANSPORT.

UNDER CLEAR SKIES, ALLIED FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS FLEW THROUGH INCREASING COMMUNIST ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE IN PERSISTENT ATTACKS. THE AIR SUPPORT CAME WHEN HARD-PRESSED INFANTRYMEN NEEDED IT MOST.

GROUND SUPPORT WAS THE MAIN ASSIGNMENT. PILOTS SHOT UP EVERYTHING FROM BRIDGES AND BOXCARS TO DUMMY TANKS AND CAMOUFLAGED VEHICLES.

UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES MEANWHILE PATROLLED THE KOREAN COASTS WATCHING FOR ENEMY SUPPLY SHIPS AND BARGES. A SPOKESMAN SAID BRITISH SHIPS MOVED INTO TREACHEROUS WATERS OFF THE WEST KOREAN COAST IN THE YELLOW SEA HUNTING FOR SMALL CRAFT.

BOMBARDMENT OF RED INFANTRY BY AMERICAN SHIPS ON THE KOREAN EAST COAST PROVED MORE EFFECTIVE THAN HAD BEEN SUSPECTED, A REPORT SAID. COMMUNIST PRISONERS SAID THE NAVAL GUNFIRE HAD WIPED OUT TWO OF THREE BATTALIONS WHEN CALLED UPON FOR FIRE SUPPORT.

THE DUMMY RED TANKS WERE FIRST REPORTED BY LT. DUANE BETEMAN OF SEATTLE WHO SPOTTED THEM NEAR KUMCHON. "THEY DIDN'T CAST SHADOWS AND THERE WAS NO PROFILE SO WE PASSED THEM UP," HE SAID.

A DESCRIPTION OF THE JET ATTACKS ON TROOP CONCENTRATIONS BETWEEN CHONJU AND HADONG CAME FROM CAPT. RAY S. WHITE OF AUSTIN, TEX. "ALONG THE ROAD BETWEEN THE TWO TOWNS WE FOUND TROOPS AND STRAFED THEM. THEN WE HIT SOME CAMOUFLAGED VEHICLES AND MARSHALLING YARDS AT SUNCHON." HE SAID LOCOMOTIVES THERE WERE HIT WITH ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUNS.

LIGHT BOMBERS ALSO WENT AFTER MARSHALLING YARDS, BRIDGES AND REPAIR SHOPS IN THE UNREMITTING EFFORT TO HALT COMMUNIST SUPPLY TRAINS.

THE B-26S SET FIRE TO FOUR AIRPLANE HANGARS AND ANOTHER REPAIR SHOP NEAR PUDAERI. SECOND LT. MELVIN R. STAHL OF ADEL, IOWA, SAID "WE USED ALL OUR BOMBS TO GOOD ADVANTAGE."

ANOTHER PILOT, LT. HARRIS S. BOYCE, ALBION, N.Y., HAD A DAY OFF--BUT COULDN'T STAND THE INACTIVITY. HE TOOK OFF IN HIS F-80 AND WORKED OVER A RAILROAD TUNNEL AND BRIDGE NEAR TAEJON. "I DID SOME DAMAGE," HE SAID.

A SPECTACULAR STRIKE WAS PERFORMED BY TWO AMERICAN NAVY PATROL BOMBERS. RANGING OVER CHONGJIN NEAR THE MANCHURIAN BORDER THEY CAUGHT A SPEEDING TRAIN. USING ROCKETS AND 20 MM. AMMUNITION, THEY DESTROYED THE LOCOMOTIVE AND EIGHT CARS. THEN THEY BOMBED A RAILWAY-HIGHWAY BRIDGE SOUTH OF CHONGJIN.

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TOKYO, AUG. 1-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 182 (NAVAL-AIR) ISSUED AT 4:50 P.M. (1:50 A.M. EST):

TWO U.S. NAVY PATROL BOMBERS RANGING OVER THE FAR NORTHEAST COAST OF KOREA IN CONNECTION WITH THE EAST COAST BLOCKADE, DESTROYED A LOCOMOTIVE AND EIGHT CARS OF A 15 CAR TRAIN MOVING WEST AT HIGH SPEED NEAR CHONGJIN.

DESTRUCTION OF THE LOCOMOTIVE AND CARS WAS ACCOMPLISHED WITH ROCKETS AND 20 MM. AMMUNITION.

THE SAME TWO NAVY AIRPLANES BOMBED A TWIN RAILWAY-HIGHWAY BRIDGE SOUTH OF CHONGJIN EFFECTING SOME DAMAGE.

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TOKYO, AUG. 1-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 183 (AERIAL) ISSUED AT 6:35 P.M. (3:35 A.M., EST):

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS TOOK ADVANTAGE OF FAIR WEATHER TUESDAY TO CONTINUE THEIR SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS ALONG THE BATTLE LINES IN KOREA BY ATTACKING MEN, MACHINES AND INSTALLATIONS OF THE NORTH KOREANS.

FIRST LT. HARRIS S. BOYCE, ALBION, N.Y., WAS GIVEN A WELL-DESERVED OFF DAY BUT AFTER AN HOUR OR SO HE SAID HE COULDN'T STAND THE MONOTONY. HE TOOK OFF IN HIS F-80 AND WAS DIRECTED TO A RAILROAD TUNNEL AND BRIDGE NEAR TAEJON.

"I FIRED MY MACHINE GUNS AND ROCKETS AND INFLICTED SOME DAMAGE," HE SAID, ADDING THAT HE ALSO HIT A FEW BOX CARS. LIEUTENANT BOYCE SAID SOME ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE HAD ALMOST HIT HIS AIRPLANE.

CAPT. RAY S. WHITE, 4006 AVENUE C, AUSTIN, TEXAS, SAID: "I FLEW WITH SEVERAL JETS ALONG THE ROAD BETWEEN CHONJU AND HADONG. WE FOUND TROOPS AND STRAFED THEM. THEN WE HIT SOME CAMOUFLAGED VEHICLES AND MARSHALLING YARDS AT SUNCHON." HE SAID LOCOMOTIVES WERE DETECTED ON MANY TRACKS AT A ROUNDHOUSE AT SUNCHON AND THAT HE AND HIS FLYING MATES EMPTIED THEIR GUNS AND FIRED ROCKETS ON THEM.

BOTH HE AND 1ST LT. JAMES S. ALLEN, LOUISVILLE, KY., REPORTED SEEING REFUGEES AROUND KUMCHON FLEEING FROM THE BATTLE AREA.

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FIRST LT. DUANE E. BETEMAN, SEATTLE, REPORTED A NEW TRICK BY THE NORTH KOREANS, SERIES OF DUMMY TANKS NEAR KUMCHON. "SINCE THEY DIDN'T CAST SHADOWS AND THERE WAS NO PROFILE VIEW, WE PASSED THEM UP."

LIGHT BOMBERS OF THE THIRD BOMB GROUP STRUCK MARSHALLING YARDS, BRIDGES AND VEHICLE REPAIR SHOPS IN ONE OF THE MOST ACTIVE DAYS SINCE THE CONFLICT BEGAN, ACCORDING TO LATE REPORTS BY PILOTS TUESDAY. THE B-26S FLEW 22 SORTIES BY EARLY AFTERNOON. MANY WERE IN THE YOJU AND ANSONG AREA.

SECOND LT. MELVIN R. STAHL, ADEL, IOWA, HIT THE MARSHALLING YARD AT ANSONG AND STARTED FIRES AT YOJU. NEAR PUDAE, EIGHT MILES SOUTHWEST OF ANSONG, B-26S SET FIRE TO FOUR AIRPLANE HANGARS AND A VEHICLE REPAIR DEPOT.

SAID LT. STAHL: "WE USED UP ALL OUR BOMBS TO GOOD ADVANTAGE."

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TEXT (250)

TOKYO, AUG. 1-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 184 (AIR):

THE U.S. AIR FORCE B-29S AGAIN STRUCK HEAVILY TODAY AT THE NORTH KOREAN INDUSTRIAL COMPLEXES AT KONAN. MORE THAN 400 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVE BOMBS WERE DROPPED FROM ABOUT 50 SUPERFORTRESSES IN PERFECT BOMBING WEATHER. TODAY'S TARGET, THE CHEMICAL AND NON-FERROUS METAL PLANT OF THE CHOSEN NITRO FERTILIZER COMPANY, REACTED VIOLENTLY TO THE ATTACK. SMOKE AND FLAMES AROSE FROM THE TARGET AREA IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE INITIAL STRIKE AND BY THE TIME THE LAST AIRCRAFT HAD BOMBED, THICK, GREASY SMOKE HAD RISEN TO 15,000 FEET.

ALL THREE OF THE SELECTED AIMING POINTS WERE HIT HEAVILY AND ACCURATELY, RETURNING CREWS REPORTED.

THE FIRST SQUADRONS OVER THE TARGET RELEASED THEIR BOMBS VISUALLY BUT INTENSE SMOKE AND FLAMES WHICH SOON COVERED THE AREA NECESSITATED RADAR BOMBING BY LATER B-29 BOMBARDIERS. THERE WAS A CONSTANT SERIES OF EXPLOSIONS IN THE AREA THAT WERE FELT IN THE BOMBING AIRCRAFT WHICH WERE ABOVE 15,000 FEET.

LIGHT FLAK WAS OBSERVED IN THE GENERAL AREA BUT NO FIGHTER PLANES APPEARED. COL. CLAUDE E. PUTNAM OF JACKSBORO, TEX., COMMANDER OF ONE OF THE B-29 GROUPS, SAID "TODAY'S MISSION WAS EVEN MORE SUCCESSFUL THAN OUR JULY 30 ATTACK, IF SUCH A THING IS POSSIBLE." COLONEL PUTNAM, WHO REMAINED IN THE AREA TO OBSERVE THE ATTACK, SAID "IT WAS AN EXAMPLE OF PERFECT BOMBING."

TODAY'S TARGET IS LOCATED ABOUT TWO MILES EAST OF THE PLANT BOMBED SO EFFECTIVELY BY THE B-29 SUPERFORTS ON JULY 30.

IT MANUFACTURED NITRIC ACID FOR USE IN EXPLOSIVES AND ALSO NITRO-GLYCERINE. IT ALSO PRODUCED MAGNESIUM, ALUMINUM AND SOME COPPER.

(EDITORS: THIS ADD WAS ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 8:15 P.M. OR 5:15 A.M., EST).

TODAY'S TAKEOFF AT ONE OF THE B-29 BASES WAS MADE IN THE MIDST OF A DRIVING RAIN STORM THAT REDUCED VISIBILITY TO LESS THAN A MILE. NEVERTHELESS, THE HEAVILY LOADED BOMBERS RACED DOWN THE RUNWAY EXACTLY ON SCHEDULE.

THE EARLY AIRCRAFT RETURNING TO BASE AFOOGLOHE MISSION REPORTED NO BATTLE DAMAGE AS RESULT OF FLAK BUT THE REPORT WILL NOT BE COMPLETE UNTIL ALL AIRCRAFT HAVE LANDED.

LEAD BOMBARDIER FOR ONE OF THE UNITS ATTACKING THE CHEMICAL FACTORY WAS CAPTAIN METERIO MONTEZ OF GARDNER, COLORADO. HE WAS THE CENTER OF A GROUP OF THE RETURNING AIRMEN WHO CONGRATULATED HIM TIME AND TIME AGAIN ON THE PIN POINT ACCURACY OF HIS DROP.

ONLY A FEW OF THE B-29 AIRMEN HAD A CHANCE TO CATCH A GLIMPSE OF SUNDAY'S TARGET. ONE AIRMAN IN DESCRIBING IT SAID IT LOOKED PRETTY DESOLATE AND BURNED OUT.

COMPLETE PHOTOGRAPHS FOR THE OPERATIONS ANALYSISTS TO STUDY AND EVALUATE MAY HAVE TO BE MADE AFTER THE LARGE FIRES SET BY TODAY'S MISSIONS HAVE HAD A CHANCE TO BURN THEMSELVES OUT.

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MARINES EXPLANATORY (360)

TOKYO, AUG.1-(AP)-A GROUP OF MARINE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS WAS IN KOREA TODAY, BUT NOT THE MAIN FORCE THAT IS EXPECTED.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS LEARNED THAT ANOTHER AGENCY HAD SENT TO THE UNITED STATES A STORY THAT MARINES HAD LANDED IN KOREA.

ALL CORRESPONDENTS HERE KNEW THAT THE MARINES WERE ON THE WAY. IN THE ABSENCE OF MILITARY CENSORSHIP, THEY OPERATE ON AN HONOR SYSTEM IN MATTERS CONCERNING SECURITY.

THEY HAD BEEN TOLD SATURDAY BY COL. M.P.ECHOLS, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER, THAT THE MARINE ARRIVAL WOULD BE A MATTER OF SECURITY. NEWS WAS TO BE HELD UP PENDING AN OFFICIAL RELEASE HERE.

WHEN THE ASSOCIATED PRESS LEARNED THAT A NEWS AGENCY HAD PUT OUT A STORY ON THE MARINE ARRIVAL, IT ATTEMPTED TO GET THROUGH TO ITS FIELD CORRESPONDENTS. TELEPHONE LINES WERE JAMMED.

THE ARMY WAS ASKED TO GET CONFIRMATION OF THIS REPORT. A HEAD-QUARTERS OFFICER THEN PRODUCED WITHOUT ELABORATION OR DETAIL THE INFORMATION THAT A MARINE "ADVANCE UNIT" WAS IN KOREA.

THIS WAS THE BASIS FOR THE ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT THAT "FIRST UNITS OF THE MARINES" HAD REACHED A SOUTH KOREA PORT TODAY.

LATER, CORRESPONDENTS IN THE FIELD WERE REACHED. THEY SAID THERE WAS NO SIGN OF THE MARINES.

NOT UNTIL TONIGHT WAS ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD ABLE TO TRACK DOWN THE BASIS FOR THE ORIGINAL REPORT.

HE LEARNED THAT ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS OF THE MARINES WERE FLOWN INTO KOREA SEVERAL DAYS AGO. THEY WERE SENT ON AHEAD TO MAKE ARRANGE-MENTS FOR THE APPEARANCE OF THE MAIN BODY OF LEATHERNECKS.

THE ARRIVAL OF UNITS OF THE SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION IN KOREA MONDAY ALSO WAS BROKEN PREMATURELY BY A NEWS SERVICE OTHER THAN THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS HAD ADVANCE INFORMATION OF THE IMPENDING ARRIVAL AND REGARDED IT AS A MATTER OF SECURITY.

ECHOLS IN HIS BRIEFING SATURDAY TOLD CORRESPONDENTS THAT THE ARRIVAL OF THE MARINES AND THE SECOND DIVISION ELEMENTS DEFINITELY WAS IN THE "SECURITY" CATEGORY. HE SAID THE NEWS WAS TO BE WITHHELD UNTIL AN OFFICIAL RELEASE. HE SAID MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS STILL WILL NOT IMPOSE MILITARY CENSORSHIP.

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TOKYO, AUG 1-(AP)-THE TERM "FIRE FIGHT" APPEARS FREQUENTLY IN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ON THE KOREAN WAR.

ASKED TO DEFINE THE TERM, THE ARMY PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER, COL. M.P. ECHOLS, SAID IT MEANS:

CLOSE RANGE COMBAT BETWEEN UNITS OF ANY SIZE MEETING HEAD-ON AND WHEN NEITHER SIDE CAN WITHDRAW WITHOUT LOSS.

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TOKYO, AUG. 1-(AP)-TWO NAVY BOMBERS KNOCKED OUT THE ENGINE AND EIGHT CARS OF A 15 CAR TRAIN SATURDAY NEAR CHONGJIN ON NORTH KOREA'S EAST COAST.
A NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE STRIKE TODAY SAID IT WAS THE NORTHERN-MOST ATTACK OF THE WAR. CHONGJIN IS 45 MILES FROM MANCHURIA.
THE TWO PATROL BOMBERS ALSO HIT A RAIL-HIGHWAY BRIDGE NEAR CHONGJIN, THE NAVY SAID, CAUSING SOME DAMAGE.
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TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG 2-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES TUESDAY AFTERNOON MADE "A SLIGHT WITHDRAWAL TO PLANNED POSITIONS."
THE RELEASE, ISSUED AT 12:35 A.M. TODAY (9:35 A.M. TUESDAY EST) SAID "THIS WAS NOT A FORCED WITHDRAWAL BUT WAS PLANNED FOR REGROUPING AND EFFECTING BETTER DISPOSITION OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES."
THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS CONTINUED HEAVY PRESSURE IN THE CHINJU AREA IN THE DRIVE TOWARD THE MAIN AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE AT PUSAN, THE RELEASE SAID.
PRESSURE WAS SLIGHT ELSEWHERE.
THE REDS WERE UNDER ATTACK AT YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST. AMERICAN PILOTS REPORTED THE ENEMY OCCUPYING POSITIONS 1,500 YARDS NORTH OF THE BATTERED CITY.
"IT IS POSSIBLE THAT FRIENDLY FORCES HAVE AGAIN FORCED ENTRY INTO THE PORT CITY," THE RELEASE SAID.
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TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG 2-(AP)-THE TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 185, ISSUED AT 12:35 A.M. TODAY (9:35 A.M. TUESDAY, EST) FOLLOWS:
UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES THIS AFTERNOON (TUESDAY) AFFECTED A SLIGHT WITHDRAWAL TO PLANNED POSITIONS. HOWEVER, IT WAS POINTED OUT THAT THIS WAS NOT A FORCED WITHDRAWAL BUT WAS PLANNED FOR THE REGROUPING AND EFFECTING BETTER DISPOSITION OF UNITED NATION FORCES.
ENEMY PRESSURE CONTINUED HEAVY IN THE CHINJU AREA AS THE COMMUNISTS MASSED FOR THE OFFENSIVE TOWARD THE AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT AT PUSAN. IN OTHER AREAS PRESSURE WAS SLIGHT EXCEPT IN THE KOCHANG AREA WHERE THE ENEMY CONTINUED HIS EFFORT TO BREAK THROUGH TO TAEGU.
TONIGHT THE LINES RUN ROUGHLY ONE MILE SOUTH OF YONGDOK, SEVEN MILES NORTHWEST OF ANDONG, FIVE MILES SOUTHEAST OF YECHON, TEN MILES SOUTHWEST OF SANGJU, ONE MILE SOUTHEAST OF KWANNI, SEVEN MILES NORTH WEST OF KUMCON, FOUR MILES NORTHEAST OF CHIRYE, SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU.
AT YONGDOK UNITED NATION FORCES CONTINUED TO ATTACK. AN AMERICAN OBSERVATION PILOT OBSERVED THE ENEMY OCCUPYING POSITIONS 1500 YARDS NORTH OF THE BATTERED CITY. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT FRIENDLY FORCES HAVE AGAIN FORCED ENTRY INTO THE PORT CITY.
FAR EAST NAVAL FORCES CONTINUED PATROL MISSIONS AND CONDUCTED INTERDICTION FIRE THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT AND TODAY (TUESDAY). RESULTS OF THE BOMBARDMENTS WERE UNOBSERVED DUE TO THE WEATHER. SHORE BOMBARDMENTS WERE ALSO CONDUCTED IN CONNECTION WITH SHORE FIRE CONTROL PARTIES.
FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS FLEW 132 F-80 AND 48 F-51 SORTIES IN GROUND SUPPORT WITH GOOD RESULTS REPORTED INFLICTED BY STRAFING AND ROCKET BOMBING OF VEHICLES, BRIDGES AND RAILROAD INSTALLATIONS.
LIGHT BOMBERS CONDUCTED 23 SORTIES ON BOMBING AND NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS WITH DESTRUCTION OF BRIDGES AND MARSHALLING YARDS AT HADONG REPORTED.
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TEXT
TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 188, COVERING AERIAL OPERATIONS FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT MIDNIGHT TUESDAY, KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME (9 A.M. TUESDAY, EST) AND ISSUED AT 1:25 P.M. TODAY (10:25 P.M., TUESDAY, EST):
(THIS TEXT IS AN EXPANSION OF OPERATIONS REPORTED IN KOREAN RELEASE NO. 184, ISSUED EARLY TUESDAY).
U. S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES MEDIUM BOMBERS STAGED THEIR SECOND MAJOR STRIKE AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX AT THE EAST COAST CITY OF HAMHUNG-HUNGNAM ON AUG. 1.
THE PRIMARY TARGET, A LARGE CHEMICAL AND LIGHT METALS MANUFACTURING PLANT TWO MILES EAST OF THE EXPLOSIVES FACTORY HIT ON JULY 30, WAS HIT WITH MORE THAN 400 TONS OF BOMBS.
INTENSE FIRES WERE SEEN AND SHARP EXPLOSIONS ROCK

WITH MORE THAN 400 TONS OF BOMBS.
INTENSE FIRES WERE SEEN AND SHARP EXPLOSIONS ROCKED THE B-29S AT AN ALTITUDE OF MORE THAN 15,000 FEET AFTER THE FIRST BOMB DROPS, WHICH WERE GROUPED PERFECTLY IN THE TARGET A AREA.
FLAMES RISING TO AN ESTIMATED 2,000 FEET AND BLACK SMOKE WHICH MUSHROOMED UP TO 12,000 FEET CUT OFF ANY VIEW OF THE TARGET SHORTLY AFTER THE BEGINNING OF THE ATTACK. THE LAST SUPERFORTRESSES TO MAKE THEIR BOMB RUNS FOUND IT NECESSARY TO USE RADAR SIGHTING.

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OTHER B-29S ASSIGNED TO THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND CONTINUED THE PLANNED LONGRANGE INTERDICITION PROGRAM DESIGNED TO CUT OFF THE NORTH KOREAN INVADING FORCES FROM THEIR SOURCES OF SUPPLY.
NINE RAILROAD AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES, FROM SUNCHON NORTH TO CHONJU, WERE ATTACKED. TWO HIGHWAY BRIDGES SOUTH OF SUNCHANG AND ANOTHER NEAR YONGDAM, 20 MILES NORTHEAST OF CHONJU, WERE REPORTED AS SERIOUSLY DAMAGED BY THE SUPERFORTS.
NEARLY 500 COMBAT SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY FEAF AIRCRAFT DURING THE DAY STOP THE FIGURE TOPPED ALL PREVIOUS MARKS FOR A 24-HOUR PERIOD AND WAS AN INDICATION OF THE GROWING EFFECTIVENESS OF AIR OPERATIONS IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
FIFTH AIR FORCE B26S FLEW AN INCREASED NUMBER OF NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS AIMED AT NORTH KOREAN TROOP AND SUPPLY MOVEMENTS BEING CARRIED OUT UNDER THE COVER OF DARKNESS. NIGHT FLYING B26S BOMBED AND STRAFED BRIDGES AND HIGHWAYS IN THE SEOUL AREA AND SOUTH.

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A MARSHALLING YARD AT ANSONG WAS BOMBED AND VEHICULAR TARGETS WERE HIT AT SEOUL, YOJU AND TAEJON. POSSIBLE DAMAGE WAS INFLICTED ON A BRIDGE IN THE SEOUL AREA.
DAYLIGHT B-26 MISSIONS WERE FLOWN TO MOKPO, WHERE THE DOCK AREA WAS BOMBED AND LEFT BURNING , AS WELL AS TO SEOUL AND TAEJON. THE LIGHT BOMBERS ATTACKED FOUR HANGARS AT TAEJON NOW BELIEVED TO BE SERVING AS REPAIR SHOPS.

FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80 JETS AND F-51S WERE JOINED BY ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE MUSTANGS IN FLYING MORE THAN 400 ARMED RECONNAISSANCE AND CLOSE SUPPORT SORTIES BEHIND THE NORTH KOREAN LINES.

THE FIGHTERS KEPT UP A CONSTANT STREAM OF ATTACKS, INCLUDING SOME NIGHT OPERATIONS, AIMED AT TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS, VEHICLES AND OTHER MILITARY OBJECTIVES.

ASSIGNED TARGET AREAS RANGED FROM YONGDOK AND YONGHAE ON THE EAST COAST TO MOKPO IN THE SOUTHWEST. AT THE LATTER CITY, F-80S BROUGHT THEIR ROCKETS TO BEAR ON THE MARSHALLING YARD, RAILROAD STATION AND A FACTORY CAUSING FIRES AND EXTENSIVE DAMAGE.

F-80S ALSO CLAIMED A POWER PLANT AT KUNSAN AND AMMUNITION, FUEL AND SUPPLY DUMPS IN SEVERAL AREAS. TROOPSCOLUMNS WERE STRAGED AT MANY POINTS, PARTICULARLY ALONG THE SOUTH COAST.

FIFTH AIR FORCE F-51S FIRED A POWER STATION AND SUPPLY DUMP AT CHINJU AND A POWER PLANT AT YONGDOK. BRIDGES WERE BOMBED OR ROCKETED AT YONGHAE, KOCHANG AND CHINJU, AND THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT SUNCHON WERE STRAFED AND BOMBED. DOCK INSTALLATIONS AT YOSU WERE STRAFED AND LEFT BURNING. PILOTS CLAIMED TOTALS FOR NORTH KOREAN WAR MATERIAL BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK AND DAMAGED WERE: APPROXIMATELY 100 VEHICLES, INCLUDING A FEW TANKS, 129 RAILROAD CARS OF VARIOUS TYPES, 13 LOCOMOTIVES, NINE SMALL BOATS AND THREE ARTILLERY POSITIONS.

COMPLETE REPORTS WERE NOT AVAILABLE FOR RAF FIGHTER MISSIONS BUT A LATE TABULATION FOR JULY 31 INDICATED THAT THE MUSTANGS ARE FLYING 25 OR MORE DAILY GROUND SUPPORT OR RECONNAISSANCE SORTIES.

TROOPS CARRIER AIRCRAFT OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE CARRIED OVER 120,000 POUNDS OF MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO KOREAN BASES DURING THE DAY.

NO NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT WERE ENCOUNTERED AND NONE OF OUR AIRCRAFT WAS LOST TO ANTIAIRCRAFT OR GROUND FIRE DURING THE DAYS OPERATIONS.
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TEXT

TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 186 ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 12:45 P.M., (9:45P.M. EST) TUESDAY) FOLLOWS:

AN AUSTRALIAN DESTROYER WAS TAKEN UNDER FIRE YESTERDAY BY FOUR 120 MILLIMETER GUNS OF AN EMPLACEMENT ON THE ONGJIN PENINSULA. THE AUSTRALIAN DESTROYER REPLIED WITH 150 ROUNDS AND SILENCED THE BATTERY.

A BRITISH CRUISER MOVING IN TO SUPPORT THE DESTROYER FIRED 57 ROUNDS WITHOUT RECEIVING ANY REPLY. NEITHER THE DESTROYER NOR THE CRUISER SUSTAINED ANY PERSONNAL CASUALTIES OR MATERIAL DAMAGE. THE CRUISER FLIES THE FLAG OF REAR ADM. W. G. ANDREWS, R. N.

DURING THE DAY YESTERDAY AND THROUGHOUT THE PREVIOUS NIGHT AN AMERICAN TASK GROUP UNDER THE COMMAND OF REAR ADM. J . M. HIGGINS CONTINUED TO BLAST MILITARY TARGETS IN THE VICINITY OF YONGDOK.

THE EAST COAST SUPPORT AND BLOCKADE FORCE, WORKING CLOSELY WITH SHORE FIRE-CONTROL PARTIES, CONCENTRATED ITS FIRE ON GUN EMPLACEMENTS, ROAD JUNCTIONS AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.
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TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREANS ARE BUILDING UP THEIR SOUTHERN DRIVE, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY, DESCRIBING THIS FRONT AS OF "MAJOR IMPORTANCE."

A SUMMARY OF MILITARY OPERATIONS, ISSUED AT 1:10 P.M. (10:10 P.M. E. S. T.), TUESDAY) SAID "CONSIERABLE MOVEMENT" BY THE REDS WAS REPORTED INTO THE AREA OF CHINJU, 55 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, MAIN ALLIED SUPPLY PORT.

SOME COMMUNIST UNITS, IT SAID, WERE REPORTED TUESDAY ONLY 15 MILES FROM MASAN, 25 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

THE SUMMARY SAID RED PRESSURE CONTINUED ON THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HOLDING THE KUMCHON FRONT AND ON THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION IN THE KOCHANG AREA FARTHER TO THE SOUTH. BOTH ARE IN LINES DEFENDING THE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU.

THE REDS WERE REPORTED IN THE SUMMARY TO BE MASSING AGAINST SOUTH KOREANS IN THE HAMCHANG AREA.

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TEXT (230)

TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2-(AP)-TEXT OF GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS KOREAN RELEASE NO. 189, ISSUED AT 2:35 P.M. (11:35 P.M. EST TUESDAY):

THE COMMUNISTS CONTINUED THEIR ATTACK WITHOUT ABATEMENT ALL ALONG THE BATTLEFRONT. THEY HAVE THROWN CAUTION TO THE WINDS REALIZING THAT THEY MUST COMPLETE THEIR CONQUEST BEFORE THE UNITED STATES BUILD UP IS ADEQUATE TO INITIATE AN OFFENSIVE.

MOVEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN DAYLIGHT FOR THE FIRST TIME IN SEVERAL WEEKS. AS A CONSEQUENCE, THE AIR FORCE WAS PRESENTED WITH AND DID ATTACK MANY VERY LUCRATIVE TARGETS.

THE 7TH (REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM) OF THE 6TH ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) DIVISION REPULSED A STRONG ATTACK IN ITS SECTOR THE 6TH ROK DIVISION HAS FOUGHT MAGNIFICENTLY THROUGHOUT THE WAR AND HAS BUILT UP FOR ITSELF A DISTINGUISHED COMBAT RECORD.

A PATROL OF ROK ARTILLERYMEN ENGAGED A GROUP OF GUERRILLAS IN THE MOUNTAINS SOUTHEAST OF TAEGU AND CAPTURED TWO ENTIRE PLATOONS. THE ROK POLICE IN RECENT DAYS HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN TRACKING DOWN AND DESTROYING GUERRILLAS OPERATING IN REAR AREAS. THIS RELIEVES THE COMBAT ELEMENTS OF BOTH UNITED STATES AND ROK FORCES OF THE NECESSITY OF DIVERTING TROOPS FROM THE FRONT LINES FOR THIS PURPOSE.

THE U.S. GROUND FORCE BUILD UP CONTINUES STEADILY AND THE TIME FOR THE OFFENSIVE BY UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA GROWS NEARER. THAT THE ENEMY'S TIME IS GRADUALLY RUNNING OUT IS INDICATED BY HIS LAST DESPERATE ALL OUT EFFORT IN WHICH HE HAS SACRIFICED THOUSANDS OF LIVES IN A FUTILE STRUGGLE. MEANWHILE BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND ROK FORCES HAVE EXECUTED PLANNED WITHDRAWALS TO NEW DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.
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TOKYO, AUG 1 (AP)-SGT. WILBUR WHITE, ST. PAUL, MINN., HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO SIX MONTHS AT HARD LABOR AND FINED $300 FOR WRONGFULLY WEARING THE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR RIBBON.

ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY WHITE WAS CONVICTED BY A SPECIAL COURT MARTIAL. HE IS ATTACHED TO THE HEADQUARTERS AND SERVICE GROUP IN TOKYO.

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NY FOR ATLANTA
TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.2-(AP)-M/SGT. QUINTON JAY MIXON OF MOUNT OLIVE ROAD, ROUTE 1, ATLANTA, GA., HAS BEEN GIVEN A BATTLEFIELD PROMOTION TO THE RANK OF SECOND LIEUTENANT, GEN. MAC ARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
DURING THE KUM RIVER FIGHTING MIXON'S COMPANY COMMANDER WAS KILLED AND HE TOOK CHARGE.
IN A LETTER TO HIS WIFE, MIXON WROTE "OUR FIRE REALLY STACKED THEM UP. THEY OUTNUMBERED US 20 TO 1."
HEADQUARTERS SAID MIXON'S UNIT WAS ENCIRCLED BUT HE LED IT TO SAFETY OVER SEVEN MILES OF MOUNTAINS AND RICE PADDIES.
ALTHOUGH HIS LEGS WERE INJURED, MIXON HAS RETURNED TO DUTY AFTER SHORT TREATMENT.
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CHAPLAINS (300)
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TOKYO, AUG. 1-(AP)-ALONG THE KOREAN FRONT SEVERAL SCORE OF MEN-ALL UNARMED---ARE BRACING ENEMY FIRE EACH DAY TO MINISTER TO THE NEEDS OF AMERICAN TROOPS.
THEY BELONG TO THE CORPS OF CHAPLAINS WHICH CELEBRATES ITS 175TH ANNIVERSARY THIS YEAR.
THE CORPS HISTORY DATES FROM THE TIME WHEN LOCAL CLERGYMEN LEFT THEIR PULPITS TO ACCOMPANY MEN JOINING THE MILITIA DURING THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR.
TWO CHAPLAINS HAVE BEEN REPORTED KILLED OR MISSING IN ACTION THUS FAR IN THE KOREAN WAR, SAID COL. IVAN L. B ENNET, OF RALEIGH, N. C. HE IS CHIEF OF CHAPLAINS OF THE FAR EAST COMMAND.
ONE WAS CHAPLAIN HERMAN G. FELHOELTER OF 323 E. CHATERINE ST., LOUISVILLE, KY., WHEN LAST SEEN HE WAS ADMINISTERING TO THE WOUNDED OF THE 19TH INFANTRY REGIMENT OF THE 24TH DIVISION DURING THE BITTER KUM RIVER BATTLE.
FOR HIS "VALOROUS DEED THAT WAS AN INSPIRATION TO EVERY MEMBER OF HIS REGIMENT," FELHOELTER WAS AWARDED THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS.
THE SECOND CASUALTY, WHOSE NAME CANNOT BE DISCLOSED PENDING NOTIFICATION OF NEXT OF KIN, WAS KILLED BY A BULLET FROM A NORTH KOREAN PLANE.
THERE ARE OTHER STORIES OF CHAPLAINS STICKING WITH THE WOUNDED TO THE VERY LAST---AND RETURNING AFTER ALL HOPE FOR THEM HAD BEEN LOST.
CHAPLAINS CARROLL CHAPHE OF (33 SAUNDERS ST.) WHITEHALL, N. Y. AND EDWARD DORSEY OF (3212 7TH ST., N. E.) WASHINGTON, D. C., BOTH CAPTAINS, WERE CUT OFF FROM THEIR REGIMENT DURING THE TAEJON BATTLE. CHAPHE RETURNED THREE DAYS LATER TO FRIENDLY LINES WHILE DORSEY APPEARED THE FOLLOWING DAY.
THEN THERE IS THE STORY OF CHAPLAIIN KENNETH C. HYSLOP, A CAPTAIN AND FRANCIS C. BIEL OF (736 SO. CURLEY ST.) BALTIMORE, MD. THEY MADE AN EIGHT-HOUR ROUND TRIP OVER RUGGED MOUNTAIN ROADS IN A JEEP TO BRING BACK A SUPPLY OF BREAD FOR A HUNGRY BATTALION ON THE FRONTLINES.
CHAPLAIN (CAPTAIN) ARTHUR E. MILLS, OF SANTA ANA, CALIF., BROUGHT BACK SINGLE-HANDED A JEEP LOAD OF WOUNDED MEN OF A 1ST CAVARLY DIVISION REGIMENT WHO FOUGHT CLEAR AFTER BEING ISOLATED BY THE ENEMY.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD MOORE
U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERSS IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2-(AP)-ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM R. MOORE DISAPPEARED SUNDAY BETWEEN MASAN AND CHINJU EN ROUTE TO THE CHINJU BATTLEFRONT, 24TH DIVISION HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
MOORE DEPARTED BY JEEP SUNDAY FROM THE DIVISION'S FORWARD COMMAND POST FOR CHINJU IN SOUTHERN KOREA BUT A CHECK SHOWED HE NEVER REACHED THE DIVISION ELEMENTS FIGHTING IN THE CHINJU AREA.
MASAN IS ABOUT 27 AIR MILES FROM CHINJU FROM WHICH THE AMERICANS WITHDREW MONDAY MORNING.
MOORE JOINED THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AT DENVER IN 1937. HE SERVED IN THE ARMY FROM 1942 TO 1946 AND REJOINED THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN NEW YORK.
HE WAS IN KOREA IN 1946 AS A MAJOR WITH THE U. S. ARMY OF OCCUPATION. HE RETURNED THERE AS ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT IN APRIL, 1948.
WHEN THE KOREAN WAR BROKE OUT, MOORE WAS ON TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENT IN HONG KONG. HE WAS CALLED IMMEDIATELY TO TOKYO AND WAS AMONG THE FIRST CORRESPONDENTS TO BE SENT FROM TOKYO TO COVER THE FIGHTING IN KOREA.
MOORE, 40, WAS BORN AT NOWATA, OKLA. HE WORKED ON THE DAILY OKLAHOMAN AT OKLAHOMA CITY BEFORE HE JOINED THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.
NINE OTHER CORRESPONDENTS HAVE BEEN REPORTED KILLED, CAPTURED OR MISSING IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING.
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MOORE (280)
U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG.1-(AP)-ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM R.MOORE HAS NOT BEEN HEARD FROM SINCE SUNDAY AFTERNOON WHEN HE WENT TO THE CHINJU BATTLE FRONT.
HE LAST WAS REPORTED WITH AN ELEMENT OF THE 24TH DIVISION THAT WAS SPLIT IN TWO BY THE RED DRIVE. THE UNIT FLED MONDAY MORNING FROM CHINJU.
MOORE LEFT FOR THE CHINJU FRONT, ON THE SOUTHERNMOST FLANK, SUNDAY AFTERNOON BY JEEP.
MOORE, 40, WAS BORN AT NOWATA, OKLA., AND WORKED ON THE DAILY OKLAHOMAN AT OKLAHOMA CITY. HE JOINED THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AT DENVER IN 1937, SERVED IN THE ARMY FROM 1942 TO 1946, AND REJOINED THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN NEW YORK.
MOORE HAD SERVED AS A MAJOR WITH THE U.S. ARMY OF OCCUPATION IN KOREA. HE RETURNED THERE AS ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT IN APRIL, 1948. WHEN THE WAR BROKE OUT, HE WAS ON HIS WAY BACK TO KOREA FROM VACATION.
MOORE HAS FILED A NOTABLE SERIES OF DISPATCHES FROM THE FRONT.
NINE OTHER NEWSMEN HAVE BEEN REPORTED CAPTURED, MISSING OR KILLED IN THE KOREA WAR.
THEY INCLUDE WILSON FIELDER, TIME-LIFE, MISSING; MIKE GIGANTIS (PHILIP DEAN), REPORTED CAPTURED, AND RAY RICHARDS, REPORTED KILLED, BOTH OF INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE; ERNIE PEELER OF THE ARMY'S STARS AND STRIPES, REPORTED KILLED, AND A FRENCH CORRESPONDENT WHO HAS NOT BEEN HEARD FROM SINCE THE FALL OF SEOUL.
FOUR OTHER CORRESPONDENTS WERE REPORTED OFFICIALLY AS LOST IN THE C-47 TRANSPORT PLANE CRASH AT SEA LAST THURSDAY 80 MILES SOUTHEAST OF TOKYO. THEY WERE ALBERT L.HINTON, NORFOLK, VA., OF THE NEGRO NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHING ASSOCIATION; JAMES O.SUPPLE, CHICAGO SUN-TIMES; MAXIMILIAN PHILONENKO, AGENCE FRANCE PRESSE; STEPHEN SIMMONS, HUSTON PRESS, LONDON.
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TEXT
U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2-(AP)-TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQYE NO. 15 ISSUED AT 12:35 P'M. (9:35 P.M. EST, TUESDAY):

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AGAIN THE FRONT HAS BEEN GENERALLY QUIET WITH VERY LITTLE ENEMY ACTION REPORTED. THERE WERE THREE POINTS AT WHICH THERE WAS REAL CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY---THE POCHANG AREA, SOUTHEAST OF HWANGGAN AND THE YONGDOK AREA.

IN THE AREA NORTH OF HYOPCHON DETERMINED ENEMY PRESSURE FORCED A UNIT OF THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION TO WITHDRAW. SOME GROUND WAS LOST BEFORE A FIRM STAND COULD BE MADE.

THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION REPORTED SOME PRESSURE ON ITS SOUTHEAST FLANK YESTERDAY BUT THE REPORT INDICATED NO LOSS OF GROUND. IN THE FRONT OF THE DIVISION A LARGE FORCE OF THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY CASUALTIES WHEN IT WAS HIT BY BOTH ARTILLERY FIRE AND AIR STRIKES. AFTER YESTERDAY AFTERNOON THERE HAVE BEEN NO REPORTS OF ENEMY ACTION.

THE 25TH DIVISION HAS MADE NO REPORTS OF ENEMY ACTION IN ITS AREA. BASED ON REPORTS RECEIVED THE ENEMY FORCES HAVE OCCUPIED CHINJU, SANGJU , HAMCHANG, YECHON AND ANDONG.

ALL ELEMENTS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST AND SECOND CORPS HAVE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THEIR RETROGRADE MOVEMENT AND ARE NOW IN STRONG POSITIONS FACING THE NAKTONG RIVER.

THE SOUTH KOREAN 3D DIVISION IS CONTINUING ITS ATTACK IN THE YONGDOK AREA AGAINST HEAVY ENEMY POSITION.

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U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2-(AP)- AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQYE SAID TODAYTHE KOREAN FRONT HAS BEEN "GENERALLY QUIET" QITH "REAL CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY" ONLY AT THREE POINTS.

COMMUNIST FORCES HAVE OCCUPIED THREE CITIES ON THE NORTHERN FRONT WHICH UNITED NATIONS TROOPS ABANDONED MONDAY, IT REPORTED.

THE COMMUNIQYE ISSUED AT 12:35 P.M. (9:35 P.M., EST, TUESDAY) PLACED THE CONTACT POINTS IN THE KOCHANG AREA, 40 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU; SOUTHEAST OF HWANGGAN, WHICH IS NORTHWEST OF KOCHANG, AND IN THE YONGDOK AREA ON THE EAST COAST.

ENEMY FORCES WERE REPORTED TO HAVE OCCUPIED HAMCHANG, YECHON AND ANDONG ON THE NORTHERN FRONT, AND SANGJU, IN THE NORTHWEST AFTER SOUTH KOREAN AND AMERICAN FORCES WITHDREW TO "STRONG POSITIONS" SOUTH OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.

RED TROOPS ALSO HAVE OCCUPIED CHINJU, A KEY CITY ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION REPORTED PRESSURE ON ITS SOUTHEAST FLANK, GUARDING THE HIGHWAY FROM KOCHANG TO KUMCHON BUT SAID NO GROUND WAS LOST. TO THE SOUTH OF THE FIRST CAVALRY, U. S. 24TH DIVISION UNITS WERE PUSHED BACK SLIGHTLY.

THE COMMUNIQYE SAID THE 25TH DIVISION FARTHER NORTH MADE NO REPORTS OF ENEMY ACTION.

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BY HAL BOYLE

WITH U.S. TROOPS OUTSIDE KOCHANG, SOUTH KOREA,AUG.1-(AP)-AMERICAN FORCES BEAT BACK A RED NORTH KOREAN THRUST TOWARD THE RAIL AND ROAD CENTER OF TAEGU TODAY.

SOUTH KOREAN SOLDIERS FIGHTING ALONGSIDE THE AMERICANS THEN CHASED THE INVADERS BACK INTO THE HILLS.

THE ATTACK APPEARED TO BE THE SPEARHEADS OF AN ENEMY FORCE OF DIVISION SIZE OR LARGER PROBING AMERICAN DEFENSE LINES FOR AN ALL-OUT DRIVE TOWARD TAEGU. IT IS ONE OF THE TWO COMMUNIST COLUMNS SEEKING TO SWEEP IN FROM THE WEST AND ENVELOP THE BULK OF JNITED NATIONS TROOPS BEFORE THEY CAN GROW TOO POWERFUL.

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THE SECOND COMMUNIST COLUMN SEEKING TO BRING A QUICK NORTH KOREAN VICTORY TOOK CHINJU YESTERDAY ON THE SOUTH COAST SOME 50 MILES FROM THE VITAL SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN. THIS COLUMN RESTED AS THE REDS TRIED TO MASS AND REORGANIZE IN THIS SECTOR.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THE REDS HAVE REACHED WITHIN 40 MILES OF PUSAN IN A DRIVE EASTWARD FROM CHINJU.)

THE BLUNTED RED ATTACK MOVING EASTWARD FROM THE KOCHANG AREA ALONG THE ROAD TO TAEGU WAS A RELATIVELY SMALL-SIZE ENLARGEMENT.

BUT THE FACT IT WAS HALTED IN ITS TRACKS AND THROWN BACK SENT A THRILL OF PRIDE THROUGH THE 24TH AMERICAN DIVISION WHICH PREVIOUSLY HAD BEEN FORCED TO MAKE A SERIES OF NINE STRAIGHT WITHDRAWALS SINCE IT BEGAN A NECESSARILY PIECEMEAL DEFENSE OF KOREA AT THE OUTBREAK OF FIGHTING LATE IN JUNE.

THERE WAS A NEW FEELING OF ENTHUSIASM AND HOPE ALONG THE ENTIRE AMERICAN SECTOR BASED ON THE HOPE THAT THE FIRST MARINES, NOW ENROUTE, AND THE RECENTLY ARRIVED SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION SOON WOULD MAKE THEIR WEIGHT FELT IN THE BATTLELINE.

DESCRIBING THE PROBING RED ATTACK WEST OF KOCHANG, COLONEL RICHARD W.STEPHENS OF PIERRE, S.D., SAID:

"WE BROKE IT UP WITH OUR 60-MM. MORTARS. THEY TOOK OFF THROUGH THE HILLS AND OUR SOUTHERN KOREANS TOOK OFF RIGHT AFTER THEM.

"OUR TROUBLE IS WE CAN'T RUN UP THESE HILLS THE WAY THE KOREANS DO. WE AREN'T USED TO IT.

"THEY'VE SHOT MORE ARTILLERY IN THIS THING THAN I'VE SEEN TO DATE. BUT WE PUT SOME ARTILLERY ON THE AREA WHERE WE THINK THEY ARE BUILDING UP. AN OBSERVER SAID A LOT OF THE ENEMY CAME RUNNING OUT NAKED."

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AS THE RESULT OF STRONG AMERICAN ARTILLERY FIRE AND REPEATED AIR STRIKES ENEMY PRESSURE RELAXED DURING THE AFTERNOON AROUND KOCHANG.

COL.STEPHENS HAD HIGH PRAISE FOR THE SOUTH KOREANS PROTECTING HIS FLANKS.

"WE HAVE HAD A TENDENCY TO LOW-RATE THE FIGHTING ABILITY OF THE SOUTH KOREANS," HE SAID. "THE MORE I SEE OF THEM IN ACTION THE BETTER I LIKE THEM. THEY HAVEN'T GIVEN GROUND UNTIL WE FORCED THEM TO."

THE AMERICANS TOOK A NUMBER OF PRISONERS TODAY FROM RED PATROLS TRYING TO FEEL OUT THEIR POSITIONS. INSTEAD OF FIRING ON SIGHT AT THE INVADERS FROM 1,000 YARDS OR MORE THEY LET THEM GET TO WITHIN 50 YARDS. THEN THEY EITHER TOOK THEM PRISONER OR SHOT DOWN THOSE WHO TRIED TO RUN.

"SO THEY GOT DAMN LITTLE INFORMATION OUT OF THEIR FEELER TRIPS THIS MORNING," SAID ONE OFFICER.

"LAST NIGHT THREE CUSTOMERS CAME DOWN THE ROAD ON A MOTORCYCLE. WE KILLED TWO AND TOOK THE THIRD MAN ALIVE. WHEN WE ASKED HIM WHAT HE THOUGHT WE SHOULD DO WITH HIM HE REPLIED 'SHOOT ME.' HE APPEARED QUITE SURPRISED WHEN WE DIDN'T."

JUST BEFORE DAWN A BATTLEFRONT MIXUP CAUSED AMERICAN MCHINEGUNNERS TO OPEN

JUST BEFORE DAWN A BATTLEFRONT MIXUP CAUSED AMERICAN MACHINEGUNNERS TO OPEN FIRE ON SIX OR SEVEN TRUCKS FULL OF SOUTH KOREAN POLICE PULLING NORTHEAST OUT OF HYOPCHON. TWENTY WERE KILLED AND BETWEEN 20 AND 30 WOUNDED.

"WE HAD A TASK FORCE PROTECTING A ROAD BLOCK ON THE HIGHWAY," EXPLAINED A STAFF OFFICER. "HE SENT A SCOUT DOWN TO CHECK ON THE TRUCK CONVOY TO SEE IF THEY WERE ENEMY VEHICLES. TWO OF OUR MACHINEGUN POSTS THEN OPENED UP ON THE TRUCKS. WE WEREN'T SURE UNTIL THEY GOT DOWN THAT THEY WEREN'T NORTH KOREANS."
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A138FX
WITH MACARTHUR-FORMOSA (140)
HONG KONG, AUG.1-(AP)-A DISPATCH FROM CANTON SAID TODAY THAT TWO REORGANIZED ARMIES OF FORMER NATIONALIST CHINA TROOPS WILL "SUPPORT THE (RED CHINA) THIRD FIELD ARMY IN THE COMING INVASION OF TAIWAN" (FORMOSA).
THE DISPATCH WAS PRINTED IN THE WAH KIU YAT PAO, INDEPENDENT CHINESE LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER, AS GENERAL MACARTHUR WARNED IN FORMOSA THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL FIGHT ANY ATTEMPT TO INVADE FORMOSA.
THE REPORT SAID TWO ARMIES--THE 38TH AND 39TH--HAVE BEEN ORDERED TO THE EAST CHINA COAST. "THE 38TH ARMY HAS ALREADY REACHED ITS DESTINATION," THE DISPATCH SAID. "THE 39TH IS STILL ON THE WAY."
THERE WAS NO INDICATION OF THE NUMBER OF TROOPS INVOLVED. IN CHINA, "ARMY" IS A VAGUE MILITARY TERM.
FOR MONTHS CHINESE RED TROOPS HAVE BEEN REPORTED MASSED ALONG THE FUKIEN PROVINCE COAST FOR AN INVASION OF FORMOSA.
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WITH TAIPEI
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TOKYO, AUG. 1-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR RETURNED TO JAPAN TODAY FROM FORMOSA WHERE HE TALKED WITH CHIANG KAI-SHEK ON THE DEFENSE OF THAT NATIONALIST ISLAND FORTRESS.
MACARTHUR LEFT THE AIRFIELD IMMEDIATELY FOR HOME WITHOUT COMMENTING ON THE TALKS. THE FAR EAST COMMANDER SAID IN FORMOSA HE HAD TURNED DOWN A NEW OFFER BY CHIANG TO SUPPLY 33,000 TROOPS FOR THE KOREAN WAR.
HE ALSO WARNED THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL PROTECT FORMOSA FROM ANY INVASION ATTEMPT.
MACARTHUR'S PLANE, THE BATAAN, STOPPED BRIEFLY AT OKINAWA ON THE FLIGHT HOME. HE LANDED IN JAPAN AT 8:20 P.M. (5:20 A.M., EST). A SECOND PLANE CARRYING OTHER MEMBERS OF HIS PARTY ARRIVED AT 8:30 P.M. (5:30 A.M., EST).
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FIRST LEAD MACARTHUR-FORMOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, WEDNESDAY, AUG.2-(AP)-CHIANG KAI-SHEK DECLARED TODAY HE AND GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD REACHED AGREEMENT ON "A FOUNDATION FOR THE JOINT DEFENSE OF TAIWAN" (FORMOSA).
THE VETERAN CHINESE NATIONALIST LEADER ISSUED A BRIEF STATEMENT SHORTLY AFTER MACARTHUR RETURNED TO TOKYO FROM A FLYING VISIT TO THIS ISLAND THREATENED BY COMMUNIST INVASION.
CHIANG SAID A FOUNDATION ALSO HAD BEEN LAID FOR CHINESE-AMERICAN "MILITARY COOPERATION."
"OUR STRUGGLE AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION WILL CERTAINLY RESULT IN FINAL VICTORY," CHIANG DECLARED.
MACARTHUR FLEW BACK TO TOKYO YESTERDAY AFTER TALKS WITH THE GENERALISSIMO.
MACARTHUR TURNED DOWN CHIANG'S RENEWED OFFER OF 33,000 NATIONALIST TROOPS TO FIGHT ALONGSIDE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.
"SUCH ACTION AT THIS TIME MIGHT SO SERIOUSLY JEOPARDIZE THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA THAT IT WOULD BE INADVISABLE," MACARTHUR SAID IN A STATEMENT.
BUT MACARTHUR MADE A STERN WARNING TO COMMUNIST CHINA, REPORTED MASSED ON THE COAST 100 MILES WEST OF FORMOSA FOR AN ATTEMPTED INVASION OF FORMOSA.
"SUCH AN ATTACK WOULD, IN MY OPINION, STAND LITTLE CHANCE OF SUCCESS," THE FIVE-STAR GENERAL SAID.
MACARTHUR SAID PLANS HAVE BEEN MADE TO COORDINATE U.S. AND CHINESE FORCES "THE BETTER TO MEET ANY ATTACK WHICH A HOSTILE FORCE MIGHT BE FOOLISH ENOUGH TO ATTEMPT."
U.S. WARSHIPS, UNDER PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S JUNE 27 ORDER TO PROTECT FORMOSA, ARE PATROLING THE STRAIT BETWEEN THE ISLAND AND RED CHINA "IN FORCE."
MACARTHUR NOTED THAT "THE POLICY HAS BEEN ENUNCIATED THAT THIS ISLAND, INCLUDING THE PESCADORES, IS NOT UNDER PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES SUBJECT TO MILITARY INVASION.
"IT IS MY RESPONSIBILITY AND FIRM PURPOSE TO ENFORCE THIS DECISION."
MACARTHUR, WHO HAD PATTED CHIANG AFFECTIONATELY ON THE SHOULDER WHEN HE ARRIVED HERE, PRAISED THE GENERALISSIMO'S FIGHTING SPIRIT.
"IT HAS BEEN A GREAT PLEASURE FOR ME TO MEET MY OLD COMRADE-IN-ARMS OF THE LAST WAR," MACARTHUR SAID. HE ADDED:
"HIS INDOMITABLE DETERMINATION TO RESIST COMMUNIST DOMINATION AROUSES MY SINCERE ADMIRATION. HIS DETERMINATION PARALLELS THE COMMON INTEREST AND PURPOSE OF AMERICANS THAT ALL PEOPLES IN THE PACIFIC AREA SHALL BE FREE."
THEN, JUST BEFORE MACARTHUR BOARDED HIS PLANE, THE BATAAN, AT 11:15 A.M. TUESDAY (9:15 P.M., EST, MONDAY) FOR TOKYO, HE TOLD CHIANG:
"KEEP YOUR CHIN UP--WE ARE GOING TO WIN."
IN LESS THAN 24 HOURS, MACARTHUR AND HIS FAR EAST STAFF OF ADMIRALS AND AIR FORCE AND ARMY GENERALS HAD CONFERRED SEVERAL TIMES WITH NATIONALIST LEADERS.

A78FX
CHINESE CIRCLES MADE IT PLAIN THAT AS A RESULT OF THE TALKS THEY EXPECT U.S. ARMS AND EQUIPMENT TO STRENGTHEN THEIR DEFENSES.
A SPIRIT OF FRESH CONFIDENCE SPREAD OVER THE ISLAND.
THE SHIN SHENG PAO, NEWSPAPER WHICH REFLECTS THE VIEWS OF THE FORMOSAN PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT, SAID:
"GENERAL MACARTHUR'S VISIT HAS BROUGHT HOPE AND LIGHT TO FREE CHINA AND ALL PEOPLE ANXIOUS FOR ITS SURVIVAL. FORMOSA TODAY IS MORE IMPORTANT . . . THAN EVER BEFORE BUT AT THE SAME TIME HAS ADDITIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES."
A CARTOON IN THE CENTRAL DAILY NEWS, MOUTHPIECE OF THE KUOMINTANG (NATIONALIST PARTY) SHOWED MACARTHUR AND CHIANG ROWING TOGETHER IN A STORMY SEA OF COMMUNISM.
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AMS BUDGET (450)
NIGHT LEAD MACARTHUR-FORMOSA
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, WEDNESDAY, AUG 2-(AP)-CHIANG KAI-SHEK DECLARED TODAY HE AND GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD LAID THE BASIS FOR U.S.-CHINESE "MILITARY CO-OPERATION" AND "THE JOINT DEFENSE OF TAIWAN" (FORMOSA).
MACARTHUR HIMSELF DECLARED YESTERDAY AT THE END OF MOMENTOUS TALKS HERE THAT IT WAS "MY RESPONSIBILITY AND FIRM PURPOSE" TO DEFEND FORMOSA FROM THE COMMUNIST INVASION FORCES GATHERING ON THE MAINLAND.

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(MACARTHUR HAD NO FURTHER COMMENT UPON HIS ARRIVAL IN TOKYO TUESDAY. BUT THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO IN PEIPING WAS DEFIANT.

(IT BROADCAST A SPEECH BY GEN. CHU TEH, COMMUNIST COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CALLING FOR THE "LIBERATION" OF FORMOSA DESPITE "AMERICAN AGGRESSION."

(GENERAL CHU CLOSED A SPEECH TUESDAY TO A PEIPING CELEBRATION OF CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY DAY WITH THIS: "CELEBRATE THE GREAT VICTORY OF THE CHINESE PEOPLES LIBERATION WAR! LIBERATE TAIWAN!"

(A SECOND BROADCAST SAID VETERANS OF THE COMMUNIST THIRD FIELD WERE "TRAINING INTENSIVELY FOR THE BATTLE TO DEFEAT UNITED STATES AGGRESSION AND TO LIBERATE TAIWAN." ARTILLERYMEN SENT CHU THIS MESSAGE:

("WE ARE AWAITING YOUR ORDERS TO TURN OUR GUNS ON TAIWAN. IF THE UNITED STATES IMPERIALISTS DARE TO TRY AND PREVENT THE LIBERATION OF TAIWAN WE WILL DEFEAT THEM WITHOUT HESITATION.")

BETWEEN THE COMMUNIST FORCES, 100 MILES AWAY ACROSS FORMOSA STRAIT, AND THIS NATIONALIST ISLAND BASTION ARE UNITS OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET. THEY ARE UNDER ORDERS TO PREVENT A COMMUNIST INVASION.

CHIANG IN A BRIEF STATEMENT SAID THE TWO DAYS OF CONFERENCE WITH MACARTHUR HAD PRODUCED AGREEMENT "ON ALL PROBLEMS DISCUSSED."

"A FOUNDATION FOR THE JOINT DEFENSE OF TAIWAN AND FOR SINO-AMERICAN MILITARY COOPERATION HAS THUS BEEN LAID," HE CONTINUED.

"IT IS OUR CONVICTION THAT OUR STRUGGLE AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION WILL CERTAINLY RESULT IN FINAL VICTORY."

CHIANG SAID THE VISIT OF MACARTHUR AND HIS TOP-RANKING OFFICERS WAS "ENCOURAGING TO BOTH THE CHINESE PEOPLE AND THE ARMED FORCES."

THE GENERALISSIMO'S STATEMENT CONCLUDED:

"NOW THAT WE CAN AGAIN WORK CLOSELY TOGETHER WITH OUR OLD COMRADE-IN-ARMS, GENERAL MACARTHUR, I AM SURE THAT NOT ONLY WILL OUR DETERMINATION IN THE STRUGGLE FOR THE COMMON CAUSE BE STRENGTH

DETERMINATION IN THE STRUGGLE FOR THE COMMON CAUSE BE STRENGTHENED
BUT THE PEOPLES OF ALL ASIA WILL BE AROUSED TO FIGHT COMMUNIST AGGRESSION AND THEY WILL BE CONVINCED THAT DEMOCRACY AND FREEDOM WILL ULTIMATELY TRIUMPH."

BEFORE RETURNING TO TOKYO MACARTHUR TOLD CORRESPONDENTS PLANS HAD BEEN MADE TO COORDINATE U.S. AND CHINESE FORCES TO MEET "ANY ATTACK WHICH A HOSTILE FORCE MIGHT BE FOOLISH ENOUGH TO ATTEMPT."

HE NOTED THAT U.S. WARSHIPS WERE PATROLLING THE FORMOSA STRAIT "IN FORCE" IN ACCORDANCE WITH ORDERS FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN ISSUED JUNE 27. HE EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT ANY ATTACK ACROSS THE STRAIT WOULD "STAND LITTLE CHANCE OF SUCCESS."

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A141FX (LAMBERT-EXPAN)

KOREA PATROL (420)

BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH U.S. FORCES IN KOREA, JULY 28-(DELAYED)-'AP)-THE WHIR OF JEEP STARTERS JARRED THE DAWN QUIET. ENGINES SPUTTERED, THEN PURRED SMOOTHLY. SLEEPY MEN YAWNED AS THE JEEPS ROARED OUT OF A SCHOOLYARD COMPOUND AND HEADED SOUTH.

THE FIRST CAVALRY'S RECONNAISSANCE PLATOON WAS MOVING.

THE JEEPS SLOSHED THROUGH THE MUDDY STREETS, PAST HELMETED M.P.'S, BUMPED ACROSS RAILROAD TRACKS AND CHURNED OUT OF TOWN.

FOR SEVERAL HOURS THE PLATOON DROVE STEADILY SOUTH, THEN INTO A LONG VALLEY FLANKED BY TWO HIGH RIDGES.

"WE WERE LOOKING FOR ANY ENEMY OR FRIENDLY TROOPS," SAID SECOND LT. L.E.WOODSON OF JASPER, ALA., PLATOON LEADER.

"I'D PATROLED THROUGH THERE THE OTHER DAY ON A LONG MISSION. WHEN WE WERE ABOUT 29 MILES FROM BASE THEY OPENED UP ON US. THEY LET MY LEAD JEEP DRIVEN BY SGT.HYPOLITE ALEXANDER (NEW ORLEANS) THROUGH, THEN CUT DOWN ON THE SECOND JEEP AND MINE--THE THIRD.

"WE DREW BOTH RIFLE AND MACHINEGUN FIRE. WE RETURNED FIRE IMMEDIATELY.

"WE ENGAGED THEM FOR ABOUT 30 MINUTES IN THAT DRAW, ABOUT 60 OF THEM, AT A RANGE OF ABOUT 200 YARDS.

"FINALLY ONE BUNCH WITH A MACHINEGUN JUMPED UP AND TRIED TO RUN. WE GOT THEM. SOME RIFLEMEN JUMPED UP AND WE PUNCTURED THEM PRETTY BAD. WE KNOCKED OFF ALL WE COULD--I FIGURE ABOUT 25 OUT OF 60--THEN GOT OUT OF THERE."

THAT'S RECONNAISSANCE--PROBING FOR THE ENEMY, SEEKING CONTACT LIKE THE GROPING FINGERS OF A HAND, DRAWING ENEMY FIRE TO SPOT ENEMY POSITIONS, THEN RETURNING TO BASE WITH VITAL INFORMATION.

THE RECONNAISSANCE UNIT, A DEFT INSTRUMENT IN THE HANDS OF A WISE COMMANDER, IS MOBILE AND HIGHLY ARMED.

ACCORDING TO LT.SAMUEL T.RHODES OF WASHINGTON, GA., EACH MAN IN THE UNIT COMMANDED BY CAPT.CHARLES V.H.HARVEY OF TEXARKANA, TEX., CARRIES AND CAN USE TWO WEAPONS.

WHAT SORT OF SOLDIERS ARE RECON MEN AND WHY DO THEY PICK THIS JOB?

HARVEY CALLS THEM "THE ELITE OF THE ARMY, THE LAST REMNANTS OF THE OLD CAVALRY, RIDING JEEPS INSTEAD OF HORSES."

IF MORALE MEANS ELITE, THIS OUTFIT IS ELITE. IT'S LIKE THE CREW ON A "HAPPY" NAVY SHIP, LIKE A HIGH CLASS FOOTBALL TEAM WHOSE MEMBERS ARE GOOD AT THEIR JOBS AND RESPECT THE OTHERS FOR BEING GOOD AT THEIRS.

THE MEN HAVE A VARIETY OF REASONS FOR LIKING RECON WORK. RHODES SAYS HE'S A RECON MAN "BECAUSE THERE'S SOMETHING NEW DOING ALL THE TIME--WE'RE KINDA LIKE FIREMEN--AND BECAUSE IT'S BETTER'N STAYING IN A FOXHOLE ALL DAY."

HARVEY "KINDA LIKES EXCITEMENT, I GUESS."

BUT PFC. DON SORRELS, 23, OF GLENWOOD, ARK., PROVIDES THE KICKER.

SORRELS, A LITHE YOUNG BLONDE MACHINEGUNNER, IS AN EX-B-29 GUNNER WHO WAS SHOT DOWN OVER JAPAN AND SPENT SEVERAL MONTHS THERE AS A WAR PRISONER.

"WELL," HE REPLIED WHEN ASKED WHY HE WAS A RECON MAN, "THERE'S A LITTLE DANGER MIXED UP WITH IT. LIKE TOMORROW, WE'RE GOING UP FORWARD AGAIN. MAYBE WE'LL GET ANOTHER CRACK AT THESE GUYS."

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KOREAN

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TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG.2-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR SAID TODAY "THE TIME FOR AN OFFENSIVE BY UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA GROWS NEARER," AND ADDED:

"THE ENEMY'S TIME IS GRADUALLY RUNNING OUT X X X ".

IN A SUPPLEMENTARY STATEMENT, MACARTHUR NOTED THAT THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE IS GENERALLY CONTINUING AND THAT "THEY HAVE THROWN CAUTION TO THE WINDS, REALIZING THAT THEY MUST COMPLETE THEIR CONQUEST BEFORE THE UNITED STATES BUILDUP IS ADEQUATE TO INITIATE AN OFFENSIVE."

HE OBSERVED THAT AMERICAN GROUND FORCES ARE BUILDING UP STEADILY.

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BULLETIN

AT A SOUTH KOREAN PORT, AUG.1-(AP)-LATEST REPORTS REACHING HERE SAID TODAY THE NORTH KOREAN REDS HAVE DRIVEN TO A POINT 15 MILES WEST OF MASAN AND ONLY 40 AIR MILES FROM THE KEY PORT OF PUSAN.

MASAN IS A PORT CITY, THE NEXT LARGE OBJECTIVE OF THE COMMUNIST THREAT.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED YESTERDAY AFTER THE FALL OF CHINJU THAT THE REDS HAD PUSHED WITHIN LESS THAN 50 MILES OF PUSAN.

CC558APD NM

A62FX

BULLETIN

BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH U.S. FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA,AUG.1-(AP)-AN ADVANCE ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT OF AMERICAN MARINES HAS REACHED SOUTH KOREA TO PREPARE FOR THE ARRIVIAL OF LEATHERNECK FIGHTING FORCES.

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BULLETIN MATTER

WITH U.S. FORCES IN KOREA--FIRST ADD MARINES (BY LAMBERT) X X X FIGHTING FORCES.

THE ADVANCE PERSONNEL WERE FLOWN HERE FROM THE UNITED STATES.

FIRST MARINE DIVISION UNITS SAILED FROM SAN DIEGO FOR KOREA MORE THAN TWO WEEKS AGO.

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THE MAIN BODY OF MARINES ENROUTE IN TRANSPORTS REPORTEDLY IS EQUIPPED WITH HEAVIER ARMAMENT THAN THAT USED BY THE ARMY THUS FAR IN THE KOREAN WAR.

IT ALSO HAS THE 3.5-INCH SUPER-BAZOOKAS WHICH HAVE PROVED EFFECTIVE AGAINST NORTH KOREAN TANKS, AND FLAME-THROWERS.

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A37 (170)

LONDON, AUG.1-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S NORTH KOREAN ARMY COMMUNIQUES AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO:

MORNING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED FIERCE BATTLES WITH AMERICAN UNITS. UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ADVANCING IN THE DIRECTION OF YECHON IN NORTH KYONGSANG PROVINCE DESTROYED STUBBORNLY RESISTING AMERICAN TROOPS AND ON JULY 31 COMPLETELY LIBERATED YECHON.

IN FIGHTING FOR THE LIBERATION OF YECHON UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY TOOK PRISONERS AND CAPTURED LARGE AMOUNTS OF BOOTY.

EVENING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED BITTER FIGHTING WITH AMERICAN TROOPS. AMERICAN TROOPS BARBAROUSLY BOMBED AND FIRED ON PEACEFUL DISTRICTS, TOWNS AND VILLAGES.

ENEMY SHIPS, INCLUDING CRUISERS, ATTACKED THE WESTERN COAST AND INDISCRIMINATELY SHELLED THE POPULATED DISTRICTS OF CHODO (SETO) ISLAND.

ON JULY 31 ON THE EAST COAST THE ENEMY SUBJECTED TO INDISCRIMINATE ARTILLERY FIRE VILLAGES SITUATED NEAR YANGYANL (DZIOIO). AS A RESULT MANY HOUSES, HOSPITALS, SCHOOLS AND CULTURAL-EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS WERE DESTROYED. THERE WERE MANY KILLED AND WOUNDED AMONG THE PEACEFUL POPULATION.

ON JULY 31 UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY SHOT DOWN THREE AMERICAN AIRPLANES.

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A105 (720)

(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF MONDAY, JULY 31)

BY GLENN WILLIAMS

(ADVANCE) LONDON JULY 30-(AP)-BRITAIN'S NAVY IS SPEEDING ITS JOB OF FITTING COMPACT FLEETS FOR THE RIGORS OF ATOM WAR.

SPURRED BY WAR IN KOREA AND FEARS OF A GENERAL CONFLICT, DEFENSE MINISTER EMANUEL SHINWELL HAS ORDERED THE ADMIRALTY TO GET GOING WITH ITS PROGRAM OF NAVAL BUILDING AND MODERNIZATION.

DETAILS OF WHERE AND HOW THE SPEEDUP IS BEING APPLIED ARE SECRET.

BUT AVAILABLE FACTS--OPEN TO ANY POTENTIAL ENEMY--CLEARLY SHOW THAT EMPHASIS IN BRITISH NAVAL BUILDING IS FALLING HEAVILY ON AIRCRAFT CARRIERS AND FAST ANTI-SUBMARINE SHIPS. SUCH BUILDING REPRESENTS THE CHANGED NAVAL TACTICS BORN OF WORLD WAR TWO.

TWO BIG AIRCRAFT CARRIERS, THE 30,000-TON FORMIDABLE AND INDOMITABLE, ARE BEING MODERNIZED AS NESTS FOR ATOM BOMB PLANES.

THIS REFIT JOB HAD BEEN TENTATIVELY SET LAST SPRING TO BEING "SOMETIME IN 1950". IN LINE WITH SHINWELL'S ANNOUNCEMENT OF A SWIFTER MODERNIZATION PROGRAM IT PROBABLY NOW HAS HIGH PRIORITY.

EIGHT FAST "POCKET CRUISERS" ARE NEARING COMPLETION. OFFICIALLY THEY ARE DESIGNATED DESTROYERS--BUT THEY ARE ABOUT DOUBLE THE SIZE OF ORDINARY DESTROYERS AND MOUNT THEIR SIX 4.5 INCH NAVAL RIFLES IN CRUISER-TYPE TWIN TURRETS.

SOME RESERVES ARE BEING CALLED INTO THE NAVY. DEMOBILIZATION OF OTHERS WHOSE TERMS ARE ENDING HAS BEEN STOPPED. WHERE THEY WILL BE USED IS ANOTHER NAVAL SECRET. BEST GUESS IS THEY WILL BRING PEACETIME COMPLEMENTS OF FIGHTING SHIPS UP TO FULL WARTIME STRENGTH, AND TRAIN AS CREWS FOR NEW VESSELS.

EMPHASIS IS ON MODERN SHIPS. HARDLY A VESSEL IN HIS MAJESTY'S ROYAL NAVY WAS BUILT BEFORE WORLD WAR TWO. EVEN THOSE PICKLED IN THE RESERVE FLEET ARE OF MODERN BASIC CONSTRUCTION.

IMPROVED RADAR, INCLUX

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(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY JULY 31)

(ADVANCE)-LONDON---FIRST ADD BRITISH NAVY X X BASIC CONSTRUCTION.

IMPROVED RADAR, INCLUDING RADAR GUN CONTROL APPARATUS, BETTER SUBMARINE DETECTION DEVICES, AND STRONGER, HARDER-HITTING ARMS ARE THE MAIN FIXTURES OF MODERNIZATION.

UP TO THE MINUTE RESEARCH IS GOING INTO THE ARMS AND EQUIPMENT OF NEW VESSELS. SOME, BEGUN LATE DURING WORLD WAR TWO, HAVE HAD CONSTRUCTION SUSPENDED WHILE RESEARCH CONTINUES INTO SUCH THINGS AS GAS TURBINE ENGINES, NEW GUNS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT.

THE BRITISH FLEET IS NOT LARGE. BRITTANIA NO LONGER RULES THE WAVES. THE UNITED STATES NAVY FAR ECLIPSED BRITAIN'S IN SIZE IN WORLD WAR TWO.

BRITAIN HAS 114 SHIPS IN ACTIVE SERVICE NOW, INCLUDING SEVEN CARRIERS AND 14 CRUISERS. IN MOTHBALLS OR ASSIGNED TO TRAINING AND EXPERIMENTAL JOBS ARE 334 OTHERS, ABOUT 40 PERCENT OF WHICH ARE MOTHBALLED FRIGATES.

ONE BATTLESHIP IS IN COMMISSION, BUT ONLY AS A TRAINING VESSEL. SHE'S THE VANGUARD, COMPLETED IN 1946. HER ANTI-AIRCRAFT DEFENSES ARE REPORTED TO BE THE BEST EVER INSTALLED ON ANY BRITISH WARSHIP.

FOUR OTHER DREADNAUGHTS, FINISHED IN THE EARLY DAYS OF WORLD WAR TWO, ARE IN RESERVE. ALL PREWAR BATTLESHIPS HAVE BEEN SCRAPPED.

NINE NEW CARRIERS ARE UNDER CONSTRUCTION. TWO ARE BIG ONES--THE EAGLE, AND ARK ROYAL--OF 37,000 TONS. EAGLE IS DUE TO BE FINISHED BY THE END OF THIS YEAR, THE ARK ROYAL IN MID-1952. TWO MORE OF THIS CLASS AND THREE MUCH LARGER ONES HAD BEEN ORDERED LATE IN THE WAR BUT WERE QUICKLY CANCELLED.

FOUR MEDIUM CARRIERS OF ABOUT 18,000 TONS AND CAPABLE OF 30 KNOTS, ARE WELL ALONG. THE ALBION AND CENTAUR ARE SLATED TO BE READY BY THE END OF NEXT YEAR, THE BULWARK AND HERMES BY MID-1952.

THREE OTHER LIGHT CARRIERS OF ABOUT 14,000 TONS WERE BEGUN IN 1945 BUT WORK WAS STOPPED IN 1946. OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS SAY THEY WILL BE COMPLETED.

BRITAIN HAS 27 FRIGATES IN COMMISSION. THE FRIGATE CLASS LUMPS SMALL DESTROYERS, CORVETTES AND OTHER SUCH SUBCHASING AND GENERAL UTILITY FIGHTING SHIPS.

TWO FRIGATES ARE UNDERGOING MODERNIZATION AS PROTOTYPES FOR CONVERSION OF MUCH OF THE FRIGATE FLEET INTO SUB-KILLERS. BESIDES THOSE IN COMMISSION, 15 ARE ASSIGNED TO TRAINING AND EXPERIMENTAL SLOTS AND 123 ARE IN MOTHBALLS.

THE CONVERSION JOB IS BEING DONE ON THE RELENTLESS AND THE ROCKET, TO SPEED THEM UP TO 34 KNOTS BY TAKING OFF MUCH OF THE BULKY SUPERSTRUCTURE AND USING ALUMINUM INSTEAD OF STEEL TO BUILD UP THE NEW, LOWER SILHOUETTE.

BRITAIN HAS ONLY 66 SUBMARINES. THIRTY-TWO ARE IN ACTIVE SERVICE. MOST OF THESE 32 ARE MODERN A CLASS AND T CLASS VESSELS, ALL EQUIPPED WITH THE "SNORT" BREATHING APPARATUS.

POSTWAR TESTS HAVE SHOWN THEM CAPABLE OF ENDURING FOR 42 DAYS WITHOUT COMING TO THE SURFACE.

RESEARCH AND REARMAMENT CENTER ON THESE NEEDS:

GUIDED WEAPONS; FASTER, LONGER RANGE RADAR; FASTER FIRING ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS; PROXIMITY FUSES FOR SHELLS; HOMING TORPEDOES WHICH WILL TURN AND TWIST TO FOLLOW THEIR TARGETS; NEW LONGER-RANGE "THROW-AHEAD" PROJECTORS TO ATTACK SUBMARINES; AND LONGER-RANGE UNDERWATER DETECTION OF LURKING SUBS.

RESEARCH ALSO IS BEING DIRECTED TO PROTECT CREWMEN FROM ATOMIC RADIATION.

(END ADVANCE FOR AMS OF MONDAY, (CORRECT) JULY 31--SENT JULY 29)

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AUG 2 1950

A25 (100)

LONDON, AUG.1-(AP)-COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA CLAIMED TONIGHT ITS TROOPS HAVE "ANNIHILATED" THE 24TH DIVISION OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY PLUS 50,000 SOUTH KOREAN SOLDIERS.

IN A BROADCAST STORY DATED FROM PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL, THE COMMUNIST NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY SAID:

"WITH THE LOSS OF ONE ENTIRE DIVISION THE AMERICANS HAVE NOW ONLY THE 25TH DIVISION AND A FEW ARTILLERY UNITS LEFT, AMOUNTING TO 17,000 MEN IN ALL."

THE STORY DECLARED THAT "AT NO TIME SINCE THEIR ENGAGING IN THE WAR"HAVE THE AMERICAN "AIR AND GROUND FORCES MANIFESTED ANY WILL TO FIGHT."

IT SAID THE MORALE OF THE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IS HIGH "WHILE THE U.S. MERCENARIES ARE FIGHTING WITHOUT ANY CONVICTION."

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LONDON, AUG. 1-(AP)-A RUSSIAN CORRESPONDENT IN NORTH KOREA REPORTED TODAY THAT RESIDENTS OF THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL, PYONGYANG, ARE FRANTICALLY DIGGING AIR RAID SHELTERS TO PROTECT THEMSELVES FROM AMERICAN BOMBERS.

"WITH THE LAST FORTNIGHT AIR RAID SHELTERS HAVE BECOME PART AND PARCEL OF LIFE IN PYONGYANG," WROTE PRAVDA'S CORRESPONDENT KORNILOV.

"THE PEOPLE ARE DIGGING THEM RIGHT OUTSIDE THEIR HOUSES. HOLES ARE BEING BLASTED AND TUNNELS DUG."

SINCE JULY 23, HE SAID, PYONGYANG HAS BEEN BOMBED EVERY DAY.

HIS REPORT WAS BROADCAST TODAY BY MOSCOW RADIO.

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the hague,the netherlands,aug. 1-(ap)-dutch official and editorial co ment unanimously support the decision to bring home dutch troops who served in indonesia rather than send them to korea.

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the netherlands delegation at lake success explained to united nations secretary general trygve lie that of the 100,000 men in the far east, 90,000 were indonesians and no longer under netherlands ~~xxxx~~ jurisdiction. indonesia gained its independence last december.

the other 10,000, officials said,must be brought home to be reorganized,reequipped and re trained.

there had been speculation that the dutch troops might have been offered to the united nations to serve under general macarthur in korea.

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PHILIPPINES-KOREA (160)

MANILA, AUG. 1-(AP)-PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO MADE IT CLEAR TODAY THAT NO FILIPINO EXPEDITIONARY FORCE WOULD BE SENT TO KOREA UNLESS THE UNITED STATES OR UNITED NATIONS PAYS THE BILL.

IN HIS OPENING MESSAGE TO A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE PHILIPPINES CONGRESS, QUIRINO ASKED MONEY "FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE AND INTERNAL SECURITY."

THIS REQUEST, HE ADDED, IS "EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO SATISFY" BECAUSE OF THE COUNTRY'S FINANCIAL CONDITION.

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"OUR FRIENDS AND ALLIES WILL UNDERSTAND THAT A COUNTRY LIKE OURS, ITSELF BADLY IN NEED OF MILITARY ASSISTANCE AND ITS AVAILABLE TROOPS ACTUALLY ENGAGED IN PUTTING DOWN POLITICAL DISSIDENTS AT HOME, HAS NOT THE RESOURCES TO UNDERTAKE OVERSEAS A COMPLETE AND SELF-CONTAINED MILITARY EFFORT OF ITS OWN."

MANY GOVERNMENTAL, CIVIC AND VETERAN GROUPS HAVE URGED THAT THE PHILIPPINES SEND AT LEAST A TOKEN ARMED FORCE.

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CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, WED., AUG. 2-(AP)-AUSTRALIA PLANS TO SEND A BATTALION OF ABOUT 950 MEN IMMEDIATELY TO KOREA, A HIGH LEVEL SOURCE SAID TODAY.

OF THESE, 600 SOLDIERS WILL COME FROM THE AUSTRALIAN OCCUPATION FORCE IN JAPAN, WHILE THE REMAINDER WILL BE RECRUITED FROM THE PERMANENT ARMY IN AUSTRALIA AND PROBABLY WILL BE FLOWN TO JAPAN.

THE SOURCE SAID THE GOVERNMENT NOW WAS DISCUSSING ESTABLISHMENT OF A BRIGADE-STRENGTH GROUP--FROM 6,000 TO 8,000 MEN--TO BE AVAILABLE ON A LONG TERM BASIS FOR SERVICE IN WHATEVER PART OF THE WORLD THE UNITED NATIONS MIGHT REQUIRE THEM.

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QUITO, ECUADOR, AUG 1-(AP)-ECUADOR INFORMED THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY THAT IT CAN GIVE ECONOMIC SUPPORT TO THE FIGHT AGAINST THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE MESSAGE SAID ECUADOR CANNOT SUPPLY TROOPS BECAUSE ITS ARMED FORCES ARE SUFFICIENT ONLY TO MAINTAIN NATIONAL SECURITY. HOWEVER, ECUADOR PROMISED TO SUPPLY SOME TROOPS IF THE UNITED NATIONS DECIDED TO EQUIP AN ARMED FORCE FROM LATIN AMERICA.

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OPTIONAL NIGHT LEAD U.N.

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG 1-(AP)-RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK ENDED HIS SEVEN-MONTHS-LONG BOYCOTT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TODAY, TOOK A DECISIVE BEATING AGAIN ON THE CHINESE QUESTION, BUT AGREED QUICKLY TO ANOTHER MEETING TOMORROW.

AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT, MALIK FAILED IN MANEUVERS TO DECLARE THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS OUSTED FROM THE COUNCIL AND TO PUT OVER HIS PROGRAM. IT WAS FRAMED TO LINK A KOREAN PEACE SETTLEMENT WITH THE QUESTION OF SEATING A COMMUNIST CHINESE REPRESENTATIVE IN THE COUNCIL.

MALIK WOUND UP HIS FIRST SESSION WITH A BITTERLY-WORDED ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES, WHICH HE ACCUSED OF LEADING AGGRESSION AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF KOREA AND OTHER ASIATIC COUNTRIES.

HIS ATTACK FOLLOWED A U.S. PROTEST AT IGNORING THE U.S. RESOLUTION CALLING FOR NEW EFFORTS TO KEEP THE KOREAN WAR FROM SPREADING. DISPUTE OVER THE ORDER IN WHICH ITEMS SHOULD APPEAR ON THE AGENDA TOOK UP MOST OF THE DEBATE--WITH LONG TRANSLATIONS FOLLOWING EACH SPEECH--AFTER MALIK'S DEFEAT ON THE CHINESE ISSUE.

AT 5:15 P.M. (EST) AFTER THREE HOURS AND THREE MINUTES OF WRANGLING, A WEARY MALIK SUGGESTED THAT THE MEETING BE ADJOURNED. HE ASSENTED TO A U.S. SUGGESTION THAT THE DEBATE CONTINUE WEDNESDAY.

THE MEETING TOMORROW OPENS WITH A TRASLATION INTO FRENCH OF HIS SPEECH ATTACKING THE KOREAN ACTION.

HE DEMANDED THAT THE U.S. STOP "FLAGRANT AND UNJUSTIFIED AGGRESSION" AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF KOREA. HE SAID THE SOVIET UNION IS FOLLOWING A POLICY OF PEACE. IT WAS HIS FIRST SPEECH HERE SINCE HE BEGAN HIS BOYCOTT LAST JANUARY 13.

MALIK CHARGED THAT THE UNITED STATES IS TRYING "EVERY WAY TO BROADEN THE WARFARE, NOT ONLY AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF KOREA BUT ALSO AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF VIETNAM, CHINA AND INDOCHINA."

"THE UNITED STATES AIMS AT SEIZING KOREA," MALIK ARGUED. "THE RULING CIRCLES ARE NOT AT ALL CONCERNED WITH ENDING HOSTILITIES."

THE COUNCIL VOTED 8 TO 3 AGAINST MALIK'S RULING AS AUGUST PRESIDENT THAT T.F.TSIANG, OF NATIONALIST CHINA, IS AN "USURPER" AND "REPRESENTS NOBODY."

THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, NATIONALIST CHINA, CUBA, ECUADOR, EGYPT AND NORWAY VOTED AGAINST MALIK'S EXPECTED RULING THAT TSIANG WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL. BRITAIN AND NORWAY HAVE RECOGNIZED RED CHINA BUT SPOKESMEN FOR THOSE COUNTRIES HAVE SAID THEY WOULD NOT USE PARLIAMENTARY "TRICKS" TO SETTLE THE QUESTION.

THE SOVIET UNION, YUGOSLAVIA AND INDIA VOTED IN FAVOR OF MALIK'S RULING.

THE DECISION WAS TAKEN BEFORE THE LARGEST CROWD IN COUNCIL HISTORY, INCLUDING MISS MARGARET TRUMAN, DAUGHTER OF THE PRESIDENT. HIGH DELEGATES FOUND ONLY STANDING ROOM AS BITTER WORDS FLASHED BACK AND FORTH ACROSS THE TABLE, MAINLY BETWEEN MALIK AND WARREN R. AUSTIN, CHIEF UNITED STATES DELEGATE.

MALIK PROTESTED THAT THE COUNCIL ACTION ON CHINA WAS ILLEGAL BUT THE VOTE WAS AGAINST HIM. SEVERAL TIMES IT APPEARED HE WAS NEARING A SECOND BOYCOTT BUT HE SAT THROUGH THE AVALANCHE OF VOTES AGAINST HIM AND WENT ON TO ATTACK THE U.S. POLICY IN KOREA.

THE COUNCIL HAD BEFORE IT A THREE-POINT WORK-SHEET, CALLED THE AGENDA.

THE FIRST POINT WAS ADOPTION OF THAT AGENDA. THE SECOND WAS THE CHINESE QUESTION AND THE THIRD WAS ONE SUBMITTED BY MALIK--"PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION."

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AUSTIN DEMANDED THAT MALIK REARRANGE THE AGENDA TO PUT AT THE TOP AN AMERICAN PROPOSAL CONDEMNING NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES FOR CONTINUED DEFIANCE OF THE U.N. AND CALLING ON ALL COUNTRIES TO REFRAIN FROM ASSISTING OR ENCOURAGING THE NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES.

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REFRAIN FROM ASSISTING OR ENCOURAGING THE NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES.

AUSTIN SAID THE U.S. FELT IT IS HIGHLY INAPPROPRIATE FOR THE COUNCIL TO DEAL WITH THE CHINESE QUESTION NOW AND THAT THE COUNCIL SHOULD ESTABLISH THE FIRM PRINCIPLE THAT THE CHINESE ISSUE IS NOT LINKED WITH THE KOREAN CRISIS.

"TO CONSIDER AT THIS TIME THE SEATING OF A DECLARED OPPONENT TO UNITED NATIONS EFFORTS TO REPULSE AGGRESSION WOULD WEAKEN THE SUPPORT TO WHICH THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES AT THE FRONT ARE ENTITLED AND WOULD UNDERMINE OUR ENTIRE PEACE-MAKING ENDEAVOR," AUSTIN SAID.

MALIK CONTENDED PRESIDENT TRUMAN HIMSELF HAD LINKED THE CHINESE AND KOREAN QUESTIONS BY DECIDING TO "PUT FORMOSA INTO HIS POCKET." HE SAID THAT WAS WHAT MR. TRUMAN MEANT BY ORDERING THE SEVENTH U.S. FLEET TO PROTECT FORMOSA.

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TURNING TO AUSTIN, HE SAID THOSE WHO ATTEMPT TO PREVENT DISCUSSION OF THESE QUESTIONS DEMONSTRATE THAT THEY ARE "FOES OF A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT" AND PROCLAIM A DESIRE TO CONTINUE AGGRESSION AGAINST KOREAN PEOPLE AND TO EXTEND THE THEATER OFTMUCOH
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KOREAN PEOPLE AND TO EXTEND THE THEATER OF WARFARE.

"WE APPEAL TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL THAT IT SHOULD ADOPT PROMPT MEASURES TO END THE KOREAN AGGRESSION WHICH HANGS OVER THE HEADS OF THE PEOPLE LIKE A DAMOCLEAN SWORD BRANDISHED BY THE UNITED STATES," MALIK SAID.

ALTHOUGH A U.N. COMMISSION HAS REPORTED THAT THE NORTH KOREANS LAUNCHED AN UNPROVOKED INVASION OF THE U.N.-SPONSORED REPUBLIC OF KOREA IN THE SOUTH, MALIK ARGUED THAT THE UNITED STATES HAD "STOOGES" PROVOKE FRONTIER INCIDENTS AS AN EXCUSE FOR MILITARY ACTION.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE COUNCIL CONVENED AT 2:12 P.M. E.S.T., MALIK ANNOUNCED THAT AS PRESIDENT HE RULED THAT THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE "KUOMINTANG GROUP" WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL AND COULD NOT TAKE PART IN THE DELIBERATIONS OF THE COUNCIL.

AUSTIN CHALLENGED THE RULING AS AN "ARBITRARY FIAT."

SIR GLADWYN JEBB, OF BRITAIN, AND JEAN CHAUVEL, OF FRANCE, BACKED AUSTIN.

MALIK ANSWERED THE THREE WITH A SPEECH SAYING THE UNITED STATES IS FOLLOWING A COURSE OF WORLD DOMINATION WHILE THE SOVIET UNION STANDS FOR PEACE. HE SAID THE LEGITIMATE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC IS BEING PROHIBITED FROM TAKING PART IN THE COUNCIL.

SIR BENEGAL N. RAU, OF INDIA AND ALES BEBLER OF YUGOSLAVIA ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD APPROVE THE RULING. BOTH COUNTRIES HAVE RECOGNIZED RED CHINA.

ARNE SUNDE, OF NORWAY, CALLED FOR A QUICK VOTE. ANTONITO QUEVADA OF ECUADOR, ALBERTO I.ALVAREZ OF CUBA, MAHMOUD FAWZI BEY OF EGYPT ALL ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD VOTE AGAINST MALIK.

EIGHT HANDS WENT UP WHEN THE VOTE WAS TAKEN AGAINST THE RULING. MALIK ANNOUNCED THE VOTE AS SEVEN AGAINST HIS RULING.

AUSTIN SHOUTED AN IMMEDIATE CHALLENGE AND SAID IT WAS OBVIOUSLY EIGHT AGAINST.

MALIK REPLIED AUSTIN WAS TOO QUICK, THAT HE WAS GOING TO SAY SEVEN VOTED IN FAVOR PLUS THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE KUOMINTANG.

AUSTIN SAID THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL IS NOT A DICTATOR AND INSISTED THAT MALIK RECORD THE VOTE "TRUTHFULLY" AND NOT "FALSELY."

MALIK SAID HE OBJECTED TO SUCH WORDS FROM AUSTIN AND CALLED HIM TO ORDER. HE SAID HE HAD POINTED OUT THERE WERE EIGHT VOTES, INCLUDING THE REPRESENTATIVE OF "THE KUOMINTANG." AUSTIN REPLIED THAT SINCE MALIK HAD CORRECTED HIS STATEMENT TO EIGHT VOTES HE DID NOT REQUIRE A VOTE ON HIS CHALLENGE. THE EXCHANGE ENDED WITH THAT REPLY.

AFTER HEARING MALIK ON KOREA, THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED AT 5:15 P.M. UNTIL 2 P.M. TOMORROW. IT DID NOT SETTLE THE ORDER OF THE AGENDA AND THAT WILL BE THE FIRST BUSINESS TOMORROW.

MALIK OPENED HIS STATEMENT ON KOREA BY SAYING HE HAD NOT ATTENDED MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL DURING THE KOREAN AFFAIR BECAUSE OF "PARTICULAR CIRCUMSTANCES" WITH WHICH AUSTIN WAS ACQUAINTED, SINCE THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE U.S. HAD CONSISTENTLY "BOYCOTTED" THE SEATING OF THE PROPER REPRESENTATIVE OF CHINA.

MALIK SAID THE U.S. ITEM COULD BE PLACED AFTER THE SOVIET ITEM ON THE AGENDA. THIS WOULD BE THE MOST APPROPRIATE AND JUST DECISION, HE SAID, AS PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION WAS THE MOST IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL PROBLEM BEFORE THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND SHOULD BE CONSIDERED URGENTLY AND WITHOUT DELAY.

MALIK SAID THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HAD ALWAYS CONSIDERED THE U.N. AND THE SECURITY COUNCIL AS AN INSTRUMENT OF PEACE. THE U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, HE SAID, IS "AFRAID" OF THE WORDS "PEACE" AND "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT." THE FAVORITE AND THREADBARE ARGUMENT OF THE U.S. SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE U.N. WAS "PROPAGANDA", MALIK SAID. BUT, HE ASKED, WAS "PEACE PROPAGANDA" A CRIME.

WHEN A CONFLICT BROKE OUT, HE CONTINUED, THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT BELIEVED THE SECURITY COUNCIL WAS DUTY BOUND TO TAKE MEASURES TO PUT AN END TO THIS CONFLICT. HE SAID THE U.S. PROPOSAL SHOWED THAT THE U.S. WAS FOR CONTINUATION OF THE WAR OF "NAKED UNITED STATES AGGRESSION" AND NOT OF A U.N. ACTION AS AUSTIN HAD ATTEMPTED TO DESCRIBE.

THE SOVIET DELEGATE SAID THE SOVIET UNION UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF PREMIER JOSEPH STALIN WAS OPPOSED TO ALL AGGRESSION, INCLUDING THE "MONSTROUS AGGRESSION" AGAINST KOREA.

AUSTIN'S "FORMULA" ABOUT THE KOREAN AND CHINESE QUESTIONS BEING SEPARATE PROBLEMS HAD FIRST BEEN USED BY SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON IN REPLY TO THE "NOBLE INITIATIVE" OF PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA, MALIK CONTINUED. THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WAS IN FAVOR OF A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT AND, BECAUSE OF THIS, NEHRU'S APPEAL HAD FOUND A QUICK REPLY ON THE PART OF GENERALISSIMO STALIN.

MALIK READ THE TEXT OF STALIN'S REPLY TO NEHRU. THIS REPLY, MALIK SAID, FOUND A STRONG ECHO IN ALL PEOPLES AND FOUND SUPPORT AMONG ALL THOSE WHO HATED "WAR AND THE WARMONGERS."

A COMPLETELY OPPOSITE REPLY HAD BEEN GIVEN IN THE NAME OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BY ACHESON, WHO REFUSED TO CONSIDER THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL, HE CONTINUED. THIS SHOWED AGAIN CLEARLY THAT UNITED STATES POLICY WAS BASED ON WAR AND AGGRESSION AND NOT ON PEACE. THIS REPLY ALSO CLEARLY SHOWED WHY THE UNITED STATES WAS OPPOSED TO THE ADMISSION OF THE NEW CHINESE GOVERNMENT.

HE SAID THE "RULING CIRCLES" OF THE UNITED STATES WHO FOLLOWED "A POLICY OF UNLEASHING A NEW WAR

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"A POLICY OF UNLEASHING A NEW WAR," FEARED THAT THEY COULD NOT MAKE THE SECURITY COUNCIL A TOOL OF THEIR AGGRESSION.

MALIK ASKED AUSTIN WHO WAS TO BLAME FOR THE TRAGIC FATE OF THOUSANDS OF KOREAN WOMEN, CHILDREN AND AGED. HE CHARGED THE GUILTY ONES WERE THE "RULING CIRCLES OF THE UNITED STATES."

SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT THROUGH THE SECURITY COUNCIL WAS THE MOST APPROPRIATE METHOD, HE CONTINUED; BUT FOR THIS PURPOSE THE SECURITY COUNCIL HAD TO BE LEGALLY CONSTITUTED. WITHOUTA PERMANENT MEMBER -- CHINA -- "THE SECURITY COUNCIL WAS NOT A SECURITY COUNCIL" IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE U.N. CHARTER.

OPPOSITION TO THE TWO AGENDA ITEMS SHOWED THAT THE UNITED STATES AIMED AT "GRABBING" KOREA FOR ITSELF AND THAT THE UNITED STATES WAS INTENDING TO CONTINUE ITS AGGRESSION AGAINST THE KOREAN AND OTHER ASIAN PEOPLES, MALIK DECLARED.

THE SOVIET DELEGATION WOULD VOTE AGAINST THE CONSIDERATION OF THE UNITED STATES PROPOSAL AS THE FIRST AND ONLY ITEM, MALIK SAID. IT COULD AGREE TO THE PLACING OF THE US PROPOSAL AS THE THIRD ITEM ON THE AGENDA BUT WOULD INSIST ON THE PLACING OF THE TWO SOVIET ITEMS IN THE ORDER PROPOSED BY THE AGENDA.

THE DUTY OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL WAS TO ELIMINATE AGGRESSION FROM THE SHORES OF THE SEA OF JAPAN TO THE HILLS OF VIET-NAM AND TO TAKE URGENT MEASURES FOR THIS PURPOSE, HE CONCLUDED.

MALIK, SPEAKING AS PRESIDENT, SAID THE HOUR WAS LATE AND IF THE FRENCH REPRESENTATIVE WOULD AGREE, THE FRENCH INTERPRETATION COULD BE POSTPONED UNTIL THE NEXT MEETING OF THE COUNCIL. CHAUVEL AGREED.

MALIK ASKED FOR PROPOSALS FOR THE DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING.

AUSTIN SUGGESTED A MEETING TOMORROW. MALIK SAID THE COUNCIL WOULD MEET AGAIN AT 2 P.M. EST TOMORROW.

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SECOND LEAD DAY U.N.

LAKE SUCCESS,AUG.1-(AP)-RUSSIA ENDED HER SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT OF THE U.N. TODAY, LOST AN EFFORT TO UNSEAT THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS, AND THEN ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES OF AGGRESSION IN KOREA.

"IT IS HIGH TIME THIS AGGRESSION SHOULD BE ARRESTED," THE SOVIET UNION'S JAKOB A. MALIK TOLD THE SECURITY COUNCIL, WHERE HE TOOK OVER AS AUGUST PRESIDENT.

MALIK SAID THE UNITED STATES WAS TRYING TO DRAG AS MANY NATIONS AS POSSIBLE INTO THE KOREAN WARFARE, AND ADDED THE U.N. SHOULD TAKE UP THE QUESTION FORTHWITH BEFORE, AS HE PUT IT, "THE AREA OF WARFARE IS EXTENDED."

THE UNITED STATES DELEGATE, WARREN R. AUSTIN, SAID THE KOREAN QUESTION MUST BE SETTLED ASIDE FROM ANY QUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION IN THE U.N., AND SOUGHT CONSIDERATION OF AN AMERICAN RESOLUTION TO CONDEMN HELP TO NORTH KOREA.

MALIK ON TAKING THE CHAIR HAD RULED THAT THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WERE NOT THE PROPER U.N. REPRESENTATIVE OF CHINA, BUT IT WAS BEATEN DOWN 8-3 IN AN ATTEMPT TO UNSEAT THE NATIONALISTS AND PAVE THE WAY FOR RED CHINA TO COME IN.

MALIK DECLARED THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATION IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO BE "USURPERS," SITTING IN SEATS BELONGING TO THE COMMUNIST REGIME OF MAO TZE-TUNG. U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN IMMEDIATELY CHALLENGED MALIK'S RULING. THE COUNCIL'S 11 MEMBERS BACKED UP AUSTIN, 8-3.

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VOTING TO BACK MALIK'S RULING WERE RUSSIA, YUGOSLAVIA AND INDIA. VOTING TO OVERTHROW THE RULING WERE THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, NATIONALIST CHINA, CUBA, NORWAY, ECUADOR AND EGYPT.

MALIK ANNOUNCED THAT SEVEN "PLUS THE KUOMINTANG GROUP" HAD VOTED AGAINST HIS RULING.

THE RUSSIAN CONTENDED THE VOTE WAS ILLEGAL, BUT CALLED FOR "THE REGULAR ORDER" OF BUSINESS. AUSTIN CHALLENGED THE RUSSIAN'S MANNER OF ANNOUNCING THE VOTE. AUSTIN ASSERTED THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS NOT A DICTATOR AND MUST ABIDE BY THE RULES. HE INSISTED THAT THE VOTE BE RECORDED "TRUTHFULLY AND NOT FALSELY." MALIK OBJECTED TO THE "TERMINOLOGY" USED BY AUSTIN, AND CALLED THE FORMER VERMONT SEANTOR TO ORDER. MALIK THEN SAID THERE WERE EIGHT VOTES AGAINST THE PRESIDENT'S RULING "INCLUDING THE VOTE OF THE KUOMINTANG."

"SEVEN AND ONE HAVE ALWAYS MADE EIGHT," MALIK ASSERTED.

AUSTIN THEN OBSERVED THAT IF THE PRESIDENT HAD CORRECTED HIS "STATEMENT TO EIGHT VOTES," HE WANTED TO MAKE NO FURTHER CHALLENGE.

THE VOTE CAME AT 3:29 P.M. (EST).

MALIK RETURNED TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL AFTER A BOYCOTT OF ALMOST SEVEN MONTHS. UNDER THE REGULAR PROCEDURE, HE WAS COUNCIL PRESIDENT FOR AUGUST, AND CONTENDED HE HAD FULL AUTHORITY TO RULE AGAINST THE RIGHT OF NATIONALIST CHINA TO SIT IN THE SESSION.

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MALIK REACHED THE U.N. BUILDING AT 1:59 P.M. (EST) AND THE COUNCIL SESSION BEGAN 13 MINUTES LATER. HIS RULING ON CHINA CAME QUICKLY, AND THE COUNCIL PLUNGED INTO DEBATE ON HIS RIGHT TO MAKE IT.

MALIK CAME BACK TO PRESIDE OVER THE FIRST COUNCIL SESSION HE HAD ATTENDED SINCE LAST JANUARY 13 WHEN HE WALKED OUT IN PROTEST AGAINST THE PRESENCE OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATION.

BEFORE RETURNING MALIK MADE IT CLEAR THAT HE WOULD INSIST UPON ACTION ON THE CHINA RECOGNITION QUESTION BEFORE HE WOULD ENTER DISCUSSIONS ON KOREAN PEACE.

THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION WAS PREPARED TO OPPOSE THIS SOVIET PROPOSAL VIGOROUSLY. A SPOKESMAN SAID THE UNITED STATES FELT STRONGLY THAT THE BUSINESS BEFORE THE COUNCIL SHOULD CONTINUE TO BE THE QUESTION OF AGGRESSION AGAINST SOUTH KOREA AND NOT THE CHINA REPRESENTATION ISSUE. THE AMERICAN DELEGATION WORKED LATE LAST NIGHT PREPARING FOR CONTINGENCIES THAT MIGHT ARISE AT TODAY'S SESSION.

THE SESSION ATTRACTED ONE OF THE BIGGEST DEMANDS FOR SPECTATOR TICKETS IN U.N. HISTORY. OFFICIALS HAD TO SAY "SORRY" TO 20,000 APPLICANTS. MISS MARGARET TRUMAN GOT ONE OF THE 500 TICKETS FOR THE SPECTATORS' SECTION. A COMMITTEE ROOM WAS SET UP SO OVERFLOW SPECTATORS COULD HEAR THE PROCEEDINGS OVER A PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEM. OTHERS CROWDED THE CHAMBER OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL TO SEE THE MEETING ON TELEVISION.

IT WAS RAINING WHEN MALIK, WHO IS A DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER IN MOSCOW, ARRIVED AT THE DELEGATES' ENTRANCE. HE WENT DIRECTLY TO THE PACKED DELEGATES' LOUNGE WHERE HE WAS GREETED BY A SCORE OF NEWSPAPER REPORTERS AND PHOTOGRAPHERS.

"IT'S AN UNUSUAL RECEPTION," MALIK SAID.

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"ARE YOU WITH US TO STAY?" MALIK WAS ASKED.

"LET'S HOPE," HE REPLIED.

FRANK BEGLEY, HEAD OF THE U.N. SECURITY GUARD, HOVERED CLOSE TO THE GROUP. IT IS HIS RESPONSIBILITY TO SEE THAT U.N. DELEGATES GET ALL POSSIBLE PROTECTION.

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THE SESSION WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 2:12 P.M. (EST)

MALIK, AS AUGUST PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, RULED THAT NATIONALIST CHINA WAS THE ILLEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF CHINA IN THE COUNCIL. HE SAID THE CHINESE DELEGATE, T.F. TSIANG, COULD NOT TAKE PART IN COUNCIL DELIBERATIONS. WARREN R. AUSTIN, U.S. DELEGATE, IMMEDIATELY CHALLENGED THIS RULING. SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITISH DELEGATION, ALSO VOICED A CHALLENGE.

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BRITAIN AND FRANCE BOTH CALLED FOR A VOTE ON THE RULING.

AUSTIN CHALLENGED "THE AUTHORITY OF ANY CHAIRMAN" TO RULE ARBITRARILY ON THE STATUS OF A COUNTRY'S REPRESENTATION IN THE U.N.

MALIK WAS SEEKING TO SEAT COMMUNIST CHINA IN PLACE OF THE REGIME OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK. THIS WAS THE ISSUE OVER WHICH HE HAD WALKED OUT LAST JANUARY, TO RETURN ONLY TODAY.

MALIK SAID "ENEMIES OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE" WERE KEEPING LEGITIMATE REPRESENTATIVES OF CHINA FROM SITTING IN THE U.N.

THE RUSSIAN CONTENDED THE "REACTIONARY" GOVERNMENT OF CHIANG WAS NOW BEING RANKED BY THE UNITED STATES AMONG THE FREE PEOPLES. BUT HE SAID THE UNITED STATES, BY PRESIDENTIAL AUTHORITY, WAS CONSIDERING NATIONALIST CHINA AS UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT.

TSIANG AND FOUR CHINESE ADVISORS SAT IMPASSIVELY AS MALIK CONTINUED.

THE RUSSIAN DELEGATE SAID THE TSIANG DELEGATION WAS "A USURPER--A GROUP THAT REPRESENTS NO ONE BUT ITSELF." MALIK ARGUED HE HAD FULL AUTHORITY TO RULE ON THE LEGITIMACY OF CHINA'S REPRESENTATION. HIS RULING AGAINST THE NATIONALISTS WOULD STAND, HE ADDED, UNLESS THE COUNCIL DECIDED OTHERWISE.

THE PROCEEDINGS DRAGGED ON AS THE SPEAKERS' WORDS WERE TRANSLATED INTO BOTH ENGLISH AND FRENCH AFTER EACH HAD SPOKEN.

SIR BENEGAL N.RAU OF INDIA FOLLOWED MALIK. HE SAID THE COUNCIL MUST NOT BE SWAYED BY POINTS OF PROCEDURE. RIGID APPLICATION OF THE RULES MIGHT RESULT IN DISRUPTION OF THE U.N., HE SAID, ADDING:

"I WILL VOTE ON THE MERITS. I WILL VOTE FOR THE PRESIDENT'S RULING."

INDIA HAS RECOGNIZED THE RED CHINA REGIME, AS HAS BRITAIN.

EGYPT CONTENDED MALIK HAD GONE BEYOND HIS RIGHTS AS PRESIDENT IN RULING AGAINST NATIONALIST CHINA. CUBA AND ECUADOR ALSO ANNOUNCED THEIR OPPOSITION TO MALIK'S RULING.

ALES BEBLER OF YUGOSLAVIA SAID HIS GOVERNMENT CONSIDERED THE QUESTION OF THE RECOGNITION OF COMMUNIST CHINA TO BE OF THE GREATEST IMPORTANCE, AND ITS ADMISSION TO THE U.N. TO BE ESS

GREATEST IMPORTANCE, AND ITS ADMISSION TO THE U.N. TO BE ESSENTIAL. BEBLER THEN ANNOUNCED HIS SUPPORT OF THE MALIK RULING.

ON THE ACTUAL VOTE, ONLY YUGOSLAVIA AND INDIA SUPPORTED MALIK.

TSIANG, EXPLAINING HIS VOTE AGAINST THE RULING, ARGUED, AS HE HAS MANY TIMES IN THE LAST YEAR, THAT THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT IS THE ONLY RIGHTFUL GOVERNMENT REPRESENTING THE CHINESE PEOPLE.

"MY RIGHT TO BE HERE IS BEYOND DISPUTE," TSIANG SAID.

MALIK MERELY NODDED AND SAID "YES," WHEN TSIANG AROSE. THE USUAL RESPONSE WOULD BE "THE REPRESENTATIVE OF CHINA."

WHEN TSIANG CONCLUDED, MALIK AGAIN SPOKE AGAINST THE CHIANG REGIME, CALLING IT "NOT AN ELECTED GOVERNMENT BUT AN EXILED GOVERNMENT."

"THE CHINESE PEOPLE EXPELLED THIS GROUP," MALIK SAID.

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MALIK THEN OBSERVED THAT THE PROGRAM FOR THE DAY--AS PROPOSED BY HIM--WOULD BE ADOPTED IF THERE WERE NO COMMENTS. THIS AGENDA CALLED FOR THE COUNCIL TO TAKE UP FIRST THE QUESTION OF SEATING THE COMMUNIST REGIME OF CHINA, AND THEN TO CONSIDER THE KOREAN PROBLEM. AGAIN AUSTIN BROUGHT UP A CHALLENGE, CONTENDING A UNITED STATES RESOLUTION, INTRODUCED YESTERDAY WHEN MALIK WAS ABSENT, SHOULD BE THE FIRST ORDER OF THE BUSINESS.

THE AMERICAN RESOLUTION CALLED FOR CONSIDERATION FIRST OF THE KOREAN QUESTION. IT WOULD URGE ALL COUNTRIES TO REFRAIN FROM ASSISTING THE NORTH KOREANS.

"THE SOLE ITEM OF BUSINESS," AUSTIN SAID, "SHOULD BE THE QUESTION OF AGGRESSION UPON THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA."

"WE CANNOT AGREE THAT THERE IS CURRENTLY ANY ISSUE SO URGENT AS THE FACT THAT WAR IS BEING WAGED AGAINST THE UNITED NATIONS."

AUSTIN TOLD THE COUNCIL:

"THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD ESTABLISH FIRMLY THE CLEAR PRINCIPLE THAT THE QUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION IS NOT LINKED IN ANY WAY WITH THE KOREAN AGGRESSION. THE FIRM OPPOSITION OF THE UNITED NATIONS AGAINST THE BARBARIC USE OF FORCE HAS GIVEN STRENGTH AND ENCOURAGEMENT TO ALL FREE PEOPLES.

"WE CANNOT RISK THE DISILLUSIONMENT THAT WOULD FLOW FROM CONSIDERATION BY THE UNITED NATIONS UNDER THIS DURESS OF SUCH A MATTER AS REPRESENTATION."

MALIK SAID HE WAS READY TO PROCEED WITH CONSIDERATION OF "THE MOST IMPORTANT PROBLEM" BEFORE THE U.N.--THE PROBLEM OF A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT IN KOREA. HE THEN BEGAN A LONG STATEMENT OF RUSSIAN VIEWS.

"IT IS NOT THE UNITED NATIONS THAT IS CARRYING OUT THIS AGGRESSION," MALIK SAID. "THIS IS FLAGRANT AND UNJUSTIFIABLE AGGRESSION BY THE UNITED STATES AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF KOREA. THE UNITED STATES IS TRYING IN EVERY WAY TO BROADEN THIS WARFARE--NOT ONLY AGAINST THE KOREAN PEOPLE, BUT AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF VIETNAM, CHINA AND INDOCHINA."

WITH THE AGENDA QUESTION STILL NOT SETTLED FORMALLY, MALIK WENT ON TO SAY THE UNITED STATES HAD "STOOGES" IN KOREA PROVOKE INCIDENTS IN KOREA AS AN EXCUSE FOR MILITARY ACTION. THE QUESTIONS

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INCIDENTS IN KOREA AS AN EXCUSE FOR MILITARY ACTION. THE QUESTIONS OF KOREA AND CHINESE REPRESENTATION ARE CLOSELY CONNECTED, HE ASSERTED, SUGGESTING THAT THEY BE CONSIDERED TOGETHER.

"THE UNITED STATES AIMS AT SEIZING KOREA," MALIK ARGUED. "THE RULING CIRCLES ARE NOT AT ALL CONCERNED WITH ENDING HOSTILITIES."

"WE APPEAL TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL, THAT IT SHOULD ADOPT PROMPT MEASURES TO END THE KOREAN AGGRESSION WHICH HANGS OVER THE HEADS OF PEOPLES LIKE A DAMOCLEAN SWORD, BRANDISHED BY THE UNITED STATES."

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WITH U.N.-RUSSIAN (MP TRIBUNE ASKED) (450)

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.1-(AP)-BRIEFLY, THESE ARE THE OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS OF THE U.S. AND RUSSIA ON THE KOREAN SITUATION, DEVELOPED IN THE OPENING DEBATE OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TODAY.

WARREN AUSTIN, U.S. DELEGATE:

THE U.N. IS TRYING TO HALT THE NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION AND RESTORE PEACE IN KOREA.

THESE EFFORTS MUST GO FORWARD WITHOUT DELAY OR DIVERSION. IT IS IMPORTANT BOTH TO THE U.N. AND TO THE MAINTENANCE OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY.

THE U.S. RESOLUTION TABLED YESTERDAY SUGGESTS STEPS TO GETTING PEACE AND SHOULD HAVE PRIORITY OVER ALL OTHER MATTERS.

NO ISSUE IS MORE URGENT THAN THE FACT THAT WAR IS BEING WAGED AGAINST THE U.N.

THE U.N. MUST KEEP THE QUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION SEPARATE FROM KOREAN AGGRESSION.

RUSSIA WANTS TO SEAT THE COMMUNIST CHINESE REGIME, WHICH HAS DENOUNCED U.N. ACTION AS "ARMED AGGRESSION" AND "VIOLATION OF WORLD PEACE." THESE STATEMENTS AND OTHERS AMOUNT TO AIDING THE ENCOURAGING A REGIME AGAINST WHICH THE U.N. IS TAKING PREVENTIVE ACTION.

TO CONSIDER SEATING SUCH A U.N. OPPONENT WOULD "SUBVERT THE BRAVE MEN OF THE U.N. AT THE FRONT" AND WEAKEN PEACE-MAKING ENDEAVORS.

THE COUNCIL MUST REJECT ANY IMPLICATION THE RUSSIANS TRY TO GIVE IN WORDING THE AGENDA THAT THE SOVIET UNION IS THE ONLY NATION INTERESTED IN PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION. IT'S THE SAME OLD PROPAGANDA DEVICE.

JAKOB A.MALIK, SOVIET DELEGATE AND COUNCIL PRESIDENT:

THE U.S. RESOLUTION TABLED YESTERDAY COULD GO ON THE AGENDA BUT SHOULD NOT TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER RUSSIAN PROPOSALS TO CONSIDER SEATING THE COMMUNIST CHINESE REPRESENTATIVE AND PEACE SETTLEMENT IN KOREA.

PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION IS THE MOST IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL PROBLEM FACING THE COUNCIL TODAY.

THE SOVIET UNION IS FOR PEACE AND FOR PEACE SETTLEMENT, AND NOT FOR CONTINUATION OF MILITARY OPERATIONS AS THE U.S. REPRESENTATIVE PROPOSES.

THE KOREAN ACTION IS "A CLUMSY, UNDISGUISED, ILLEGAL AND COMPLETELY UNJUSTIFIED ATTACK LAUNCHED BY THE RULING CIRCLES OF THE UNITED STATES AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF KOREA" AND NOT A U.N. ACTION.

THE U.S. IS NOW TRYING TO EXTEND THE SCOPE OF THIS AGGRESSION BY DRAGGING IN OTHER ASIAN PEOPLES.

THE U.S. RESOLUTION IS A DIVERSIONIST TACTIC TO PREVENT A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT. MR.AUSTIN IS FRIGHTENED BY THE FACT THAT IT MIGHT LOOK AS THOUGH THE SOVIET UNION IS THE COUNTRY THAT FAVORS A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT.

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THE SOVIET UNION "AND ITS GOVERNMENT, UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF THE GREAT GENERALISSIMO STALIN, IS PURSUING A POLICY OF PEACE, A POLICY OF FRIENDSHIP AMONG NATIONS."

PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA PROPOSED LINKING THE KOREAN AND CHINESE COMMUNIST REPRESENTATION QUESTIONS AND STALIN ACCEPTED. ACHESON REJECTED IT. BUT PRESIDENT TRUMAN, BY LINKING THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA TO THE KOREAN ACTION, LINKED THE QUESTION.

THE U.S. PROVOKED AN ARMED ASSAULT BY THEIR SOUTH KOREAN "PUPPETS" JUNE 25 IN "GROSS AND OVERT AGGRESSION."

THE U.S. IS AFRAID TO HAVE THE WHOLE SECURITY COUNCIL, WHICH SHOULD INCLUDE THE COMMUNIST CHINESE REPRESENTATIVE, CONSIDER THE KOREAN ACTION.

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FIRST LEAD U.N.-KOREA (180)

BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 1-(AP)-RUSSIA ENDS HER SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT OF THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY TO DEMAND THE SEATING OF RED CHINA AS A PRELIMINARY TO ANY KOREAN PEACE TALKS.

THE WESTERN POWERS, HOWEVER, WERE READY WITH THEIR OWN COUNTER-PLAN AS THE SECURITY COUNCIL DELEGATES ASSEMBLED FOR THE 2 P.M. (EST) SESSION, EXPECTED TO BE ONE OF THE MOST DRAMATIC IN U.N. HISTORY.

THE WEST, LED BY THE UNITED STATES, WILL DEMAND:

1. THAT THE COUNCIL ACT FIRST ON A U.S. PROPOSAL DESIGNED TO PREVENT THE KOREAN CONFLICT FROM SPREADING TO OTHER AREAS.

2. THAT THE COUNCIL ADJOURN DEBATE ON THE CHINA REPRESENTATION QUESTION FOR THREE DAYS TO GIVE THEM TIME TO CONSULT THEIR GOVERNMENTS.

INFORMED QUARTERS SAID NATIONALIST CHINA'S CHIEF DELEGATE, T.F.TSIANG, ALSO WAS PREPARED TO ARGUE THAT ANY SOVIET EFFORT TO SEAT RED CHINA IS OUT OF ORDER SINCE THE COUNCIL ALREADY HAD CONSIDERED THAT QUESTION LAST JANUARY.

THE SOVIET MOVE TO GIVE THE CHINA ISSUE PRIORITY OVER THE KOREAN CONFLICT WAS DISCLOSED AS SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A. MALIK PREPARED TO ASSUME THE PRESIDENCY OF THE COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST. IT APPEARED CERTAIN, HOWEVER, THAT THE WEST WOULD BE ABLE TO WIN ANY TEST ON THIS QUESTION.

MALIK REVEALED THE LATEST SOVIET PLAN IN A PROPOSED AGENDA FOR TODAY'S MEETING, SUBMITTED LATE YESTERDAY AND LISTING THE CHINA RECOGNITION ISSUE AHEAD OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT. THIS DASHED THE HOPES OF THOSE WHO HAD LOOKED FOR RUSSIA'S RETURN TO SIGNAL AN IMPORTANT CHANGE IN SOVIET FOREIGN POLICY.

COUNCIL DELEGATES GENERALLY AGREED THAT A MAJOR PROCEDURAL BATTLE WOULD BE WAGED OVER ANY RUSSIAN ATTEMPT TO DELAY DEBATE ON THE KOREAN CONFLICT. MALIK AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT FOR AUGUST UNDER THE MONTHLY ROTATION SYSTEM, SUBMITS THE PEACE BODY'S PROVISIONAL AGENDA. BUT THE COUNCIL MAJORITY HAS THE POWER TO ADOPT ANY ORDER OF WORK IT DESIRES.

THE STAGE WAS SET FOR SUCH A FIGHT BY U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN'S SURPRISE PROPOSAL LATE YESTERDAY. THIS CALLED FOR A NEW CONDEMNATION OF THE NORTH KOREAN INVADERS AND A NEW APPEAL TO ALL COUNTRIES TO TRY TO STOP THE FIGHTING OR AT LEAST PREVENT IT FROM SPREADING.

AUSTIN ASKED THAT HIS RESOLUTION BE TAKEN UP AT THIS AFTERNOON'S COUNCIL MEETING.

BUT THE WORDING OF THE DRAFT AGENDA SUBMITTED BY MALIK WOULD BAR DISCUSSION OF THE AMERICAN PROPOSAL.

THE SOVIET WORK SHEET IS WORDED THIS WAY:

1. ADOPTION OF AGENDA.

2. RECOGNITION OF THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CENTRAL PEOPLE'S GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA AS THE REPRESENTATIVE OF CHINA.

3. PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION.

AUSTIN FILED HIS RESOLUTION UNDER THE ORIGINAL KOREAN ITEM, WHICH REFERS TO "AGGRESSION" IN KOREA. U.N. OFFICIALS APPEALED TO MALIK TO CHANGE HIS WORDING, OR AT LEAST TO ADD A NEW ITEM WHICH WOULD PERMIT DISCUSSION OF THE U.S. RESOLUTION. THE SOVIET DELEGATE REFUSED.

THE U.S., HOWEVER, WAS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE ENOUGH SUPPORT TO OVERRULE ANY SOVIET OBJECTIONS TO REVISING THE WORK SHEET.

EXPERTS WERE QUICK TO NOTE THAT, IN THE DRAFT SOVIET AGENDA, THE RUSSIANS NOW ARE DEMANDING RECOGNITION OF RED CHINA BY THE COUNCIL INSTEAD OF DEMANDING THE OUSTER OF THE NATIONALIST CHINESE REPRESENTATIVES, AS THEY DID LAST JANUARY.

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THE COUNCIL'S REJECTION OF THAT PREVIOUS DEMAND RESULTED IN THE RUSSIAN BOYCOTT. OBSERVERS BELIEVED THE NEW AGENDA PROPOSAL INDICATED THAT MALIK, AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT, MIGHT SIMPLY DECLARE THAT CHINA'S SEAT WAS VACANT.

THE NEW U.S. PROPOSAL CALLS UPON ALL GOVERNMENTS TO USE THEIR INFLUENCE TO PREVAIL UPON THE NORTH KOREANS TO CEASE THEIR DEFIANCE OF THE U.N. THIS, IN EFFECT, WAS A NEW APPEAL TO RUSSIA TO CALL OFF THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA.

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THE AMERICAN RESOLUTION ALSO URGED ALL COUNTRIES TO REFRAIN FROM ASSISTING OR ENCOURAGING THE NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES AND TO AVOID ACTION WHICH MIGHT LEAD TO THE SPREAD OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT TO OTHER AREAS.

THE SECURITY COUNCIL, AT ITS LAST MEETING UNDER THE PRESIDENCY OF NORWAY'S ARNE SUNDE, VOTED 9 TO 0 YESTERDAY TO GIVE GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS COMPLETE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ADMINISTERING RELIEF TO KOREA'S 750,000 TO 1,000,000 WAR REFUGEES. YUGOSLAVIA ABSTAINED AND RUSSIA WAS ABSENT.

THE COUNCIL'S ACTION PAVED THE WAY FOR QUICK IMPLEMENTATION OF RELIEF PLANS, WHICH SOME DELEGATES FELT MIGHT BE DELAYED IF THE COUNCIL WAITED UNTIL RUSSIA ASSUMED THE PRESIDENCY.

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U.N. COLOR SIDE BAR

BY A.I.GOLDBERG

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.1-(AP)-SEVEN HUNDRED PERSONS CROWDED THE GALLERIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL TODAY TO HEAR THE WORDS THAT MAY MEAN PEACE OR MORE WAR. THOUSANDS OF OTHERS GATHERED BEFORE TELEVISION SETS, LISTENED TO BROADCASTS, OR GATHERED UP THE LATEST NEWSPAPER--TO LEARN, IF POSSIBLE, HOW THOSE WORDS MIGHT AFFECT THE BOY DOWN THE STREET WHO IS SLOGGING THROUGH KOREA'S RICE PADDIES.

IT WAS RAINING, JUST AS IT RAINS IN KOREA, WHEN JAKOB A. MALIK OF RUSSIA, CENTRAL FIGURE IN THE AFTERNOON'S PROCEEDINGS, ENTERED THE U.N. BUILDING TO END THE LONG RUSSIAN BOYCOTT.

WITH ONLY 700 SEATS FOR SPECTATORS IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, THE U.N. LIMITED IT TO MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO HAD APPLIED FAR IN ADVANCE, AND TO SUCH LUMINARIES AS MRS. VIJAYALAKSHMI PANDIT, INDIAN AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON; MISS MARGARET TRUMAN AND MRS. WILLIAM O'DWYER, WIFE OF NEW YORK'S MAYOR.

THE U.N. SET UP A HUGE TELEVISION SCREEN IN A NEIGHBORING COUNCIL ROOM FOR VERY IMPORTANT PERSONS WHO COULDN'T BE SQUEEZED INTO THE SECURITY COUNCIL CHAMBER. THAT TOOK CARE OF ANOTHER 700 WHO WATCHED THE SCREEN AND LISTENED TO THE DEBATE OVER THE U.N. INTERNAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM.

OTHER PERSONS WERE ADMITTED TO A SECTION OF THE DELEGATES' LOUNGE WHERE THEY NOT ONLY WATCHED THE ACTION ON THE SCREEN AND HEARD THE BROADCAST DESCRIPTION AND DEBATE, BUT ALSO COULD SUMMON UP DRINKS FROM THE BAR, RIGHT BY.

ANNOUNCEMENTS LAST NIGHT THAT 20,000 TICKET APPLICATIONS HAD BEEN TURNED DOWN WERE CREDITED WITH KEEPING THE CROWD DOWN. GUARDS WHO HANDLED THE HALLS AND DOORS SAID THE CROWD GAVE THEM NO TROUBLE AT ALL. THE GUARDS HAD SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO WATCH THE CROWD CAREFULLY--TO AVERT ANY POSSIBLE INCIDENTS.

THESE ARE SOME OF THE THINGS YOU SAW IF YOU WERE A SPECTATOR:

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YOU WATCHED MALIK TWIRL HIS PENCIL AND PURSE HIS LIPS; SAW THE CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN IN ANGER AS HE ATTACKED MALIK'S TACTICS; SAW INDIA'S SIR BENEGAL NARSING RAU SIT, WITH EYES CLOSED AS IF IN RAPT CONTEMPLATION, BEFORE ANNOUNCING HE WOULD SUPPORT RUSSIAN MOVES TO SEAT RED CHINA.

YOU SAW SIR GLADWYN JEBB, NEW BRITISH DELEGATE, WALK OVER AND SHAKE HANDS WITH MALIK BEFORE THE MEETING BEGAN--THEIR FIRST ENCOUNTER IN A SECURITY COUNCIL SESSION.

YOU SAW T.F.TSIANG, THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATE, SIT STONILY SILENT AS MALIK RAKED THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT.

YOU MAY HAVE MISSED ONE BIT OF DRAMA.

IT CAME WHEN ALES BEBLER, YUGOSLAVIA'S ONE-TIME GUERRILLA LEADER AND NOW CHIEF YUGOSLAV DELEGATE, SIGNED TO MALIK THAT HE WANTED TO SPEAK.

"I RECOGNIZE THE REPRESENTATIVE OF YUGOSLAVIA," MALIK SAID. THAT WAS THE FIRST TIME THAT RUSSIA HAS GIVEN AN OFFICIAL U.N. NOD IN THE DIRECTION OF YUGOSLAVIA IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL. JUST NINE MONTHS AGO, RUSSIA VOWED DIRE CONSEQUENCES TO THE U.N. IF YUGOSLAVIA WAS ELECTED TO THE COUNCIL.

MALIK, WHO SUFFERS FROM HEART TROUBLE, WAS SLIGHTLY PALE. HE SPOKE IN A LOW, HUSKY VOICE. HE PUT HIS BLACK-RIMMED SPECTACLES ON EARLY IN THE SESSION, THEN TOOK THEM OFF AND KEPT THEM OFF.

MALIK LIFTED ONE VERBAL EYEBROW. WHEN TSIANG RAISED HIS HAND FOR RECOGNITION AFTER THE VOTE THAT KEPT HIM IN, MALIK STARED AT HIM AND SAID "YES?" HE DID NOT RECOGNIZE HIM BY NAME OR NATION.

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LAKE SUCCESS,AUG.1-(AP)-MARGARET TRUMAN GOT A SPECIAL TICKET TO ATTEND TODAY'S SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING AND SEE THE RUSSIANS WALK BACK, BUT THE UNITED NATIONS HASN'T BEEN ABLE TO FIND A TICKET FOR HER SECRET SERVICE GUARD.

"SOMEBODY IN THE U.S. DELEGATION IS GOING TO HAVE TO GIVE UP HIS TICKET FOR THAT GUARD," AN ADMISSIONS OFFICE EMPLOYE SAID.

BESIDES THE PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER, MRS.WILLIAM O'DWYER, WIFE OF NEW YORK'S MAYOR, WAS ON A SELECT LIST OF GUESTS.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 1--(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL ADJOURNED TONIGHT UNTIL TOMORROW AFTER HEARING JAKOB A. MALIK OF RUSSIA ATTACK THE UNITED STATES AS AN AGGRESSOR IN KOREA.

THE SESSION ENDED AT 5:15 P.M. (EST). THE COUNCIL WILL MEET AGAIN TOMORROW AT 2 P.M.

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NIGHT LEAD MENZIES

WASHINGTON,AUG 1-(AP)-CONGRESS WAS ASSURED BY AUSTRALIA'S PRIME MINISTER ROBERT GORDON MENZIES TODAY THAT HIS COUNTRY WILL CONTINUE TO DO EVERYTHING IT CAN TO HELP THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

HE PLEDGED HIS NATION'S SUPPORT IN TWO SPEECHES--ONE TO THE HOUSE, THE OTHER TO THE SENATE.

MENZIES SAID HIS GOVERNMENT, IN COOPERATION WITH NEW ZEALAND, HOPES TO MAKE UP A "FIRST CLASS COMBAT TROOP."

ALREADY, HE SAID, AUSTRALIA HAS TURNED ITS AIR AND NAVAL FORCES OVER TO THE UN FORCES.

MENZIES--THE FIRST AUSTRALIAN EVER TO ADDRESS CONGRESS--GOT PROLONGED CHEERS AS HE ANNOUNCED AUSTRALIA'S PLANS.

BUT THE PRIME MINISTER HAD A NOTE OF WARNING.

HE SAID THE FREE NATIONS SHOULD NOT DIVIDE THEMSELVES INTO "THE BENEFACTORS AND THE BENEFICIARIES."

THE U.S. IS GREAT, HE SAID, "BUT EVEN THE GREATEST NATION NEEDS FRIENDS."

"THE PROBLEMS OF THE WORLD CAN BE SOLVED ONLY BY A SENSE OF PARTNERSHIP." HERE, HE SAID, AUSTRALIA WAS PROUD TO CALL ITSELF "YOUR JUNIOR PARTNERS."

MENZIES' PLEDGE:

"SO FAR AS AUSTRALIA IS CONCERNED SHE HAS GIVEN AND IS CONTINUING TO GIVE EVERYTHING WE CAN TO THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN."

SHORTLY BEFORE MENZIES' TALKS, NEW ZEALAND AIR COMMODORE J.L.FINDLAY MET WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON. HE TOLD REPORTERS LATER HIS COUNTRY STILL IS UNDECIDED ABOUT THE NUMBER OF TROOPS IT WILL SEND TO KOREA.

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NIGHT LEAD KOREA-TROOPS

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WASHINGTON, AUG 1-(AP)-ARRIVAL OF ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION IN THE KOREAN AREA WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY BY THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE. IT ALSO SAID UNITS OF THE SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION AND THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM HAVE ARRIVED IN KOREA.

BY USE OF THE WORD "ELEMENTS," BRIEFING OFFICERS AT THE PENTAGON BUILDING SAID THEY WANTED TO EMPHASIZE THAT NONE OF THE UNITS INVOLVED ARE AT FULL STRENGTH.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT, MADE VERBALLY, WAS SOMEWHAT UNCLEAR AS TO THE STATUS OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION. OFFICERS SAID ONLY THAT ELEMENTS OF THE DIVISION HAD "REACHED" KOREA. THERE WAS NO POSITIVE WORD THAT ANY LARGE BODY HAD ACTUALLY LANDED.

(A MESSAGE RECEIVED IN SAN FRANCISCO FROM ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THAT AS OF 3:15 P.M. (EST) NO MARINES HAD YET LANDED IN KOREA. HE ADDED THAT NONE WERE SIGHTED.)

THERE WAS AN INDICATION IN WASHINGTON THAT THE REINFORCEMENTS WERE SIZEABLE, HOWEVER. A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID THAT USE OF THE WORD "BRIGADE" WOULDN'T BE "TOO FAR OFF" IN DESCRIBING THE SIZE OF THE MARINE OUTFIT WHICH HAS "REACHED" KOREA. A BRIGADE USUALLY HAS ABOUT 6,000 MEN.

THE SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION LEFT THE UNITED STATES THE WEEK OF JULY 17, AND UNITS OF THE FIRST MARINES EMBARKED ABOUT THE SAME TIME. THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WENT DIRECTLY FROM HAWAII TO KOREA.

A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THE MARINES' EQUIPMENT IS SIMILAR TO THAT OF ARMY UNITS.

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(250) NIGHT LEAD MILITARY

WASHINGTON, AUG. 1-(AP)-THE NATIONAL GUARD UNITS WHICH THE ARMY IS SUMMONING TO BRACE ITS RANKS WERE IDENTIFIED TODAY AS THE 28TH, 40TH, 43RD AND 45TH INFANTRY DIVISIONS AND THE 196TH AND 278TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS.

THE 28TH, A PENNSYLVANIA OUTFIT, WILL TRAIN AT CAMP ATTERBURY, NEAR EDINBURG, IND.

THE 40TH CALIFORNIA DIVISION GOES TO CAMP COOKE, NEAR LOMPOC, CALIF.

THE 43RD, MADE UP OF GUARDSMEN FROM CONNECTICUT, VERMONT AND RHODE ISLAND, IS ASSIGNED TO CAMP PICKETT NEAR BLACKSTONE, VA.

THE 45TH, FROM OKLAHOMA, IS HEADED FOR CAMP POLK, NEAR LEESVILLE, LA.

THE 196TH COMBAT TEAM IS FROM SOUTH DAKOTA. IT WILL TRAIN AT CAMP CARSON NEAR COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO. THE 278TH, FROM TENNESSEE, HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO FORT DEVENS, NEAR AYER, MASS.

THE GUARDSMEN WERE CALLED UP YESTERDAY BUT IDENTIFICATION OF THE UNITS INVOLVED WAS HELD UP SO THE MEN COULD GET THEIR SUMMONS THROUGH REGULAR MILITARY CHANNELS.

THE ARMY ALSO ANNOUNCED THAT CAMP CHAFFEE, NEAR FORT SMITH, ARK., AND FORT LEONARD WOOD, NEAR NEWBURG, MO., WILL BE REOPENED AS REPLACEMENT TRAINING CENTERS. THE PEAK TRAINING CAPACITY AT FORT LEONARD WOOD DURING THE LAST WAR WAS 30,000 MEN, THAT OF CAMP CHAFFEE ABOUT 14,000.

IN ALL, THE NATIONAL GUARD HAS 27 DIVISIONS AND 20 REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS. FEW IF ANY ARE BELIEVED NEAR THE WAR STRENGTH OF 18,000 MEN PER DIVISION, 5,000 PER COMBAT TEAM.

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RUSSIAN PLANES INTERPRETIVE

BY MAX BOYD

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 1-(AP)-AMERICAN AUTHORITIES SAY THEY BELIEVE THAT RUSSIAN FIGHTER STRENGTH SUPERIOR TO ANYTHING THE U.S. NOW HAS IN THE FAR EAST IS BASED IN ASIA NOT FAR FROM THE KOREAN CONFLICT.

THEY THINK THE RUSSIAN PLANES ARE IN EASTERN SIBERIA AND POSSIBLY ELSEWHERE.

SO FAR, THE TEMPTATION TO RUSSIA TO REINFORCE THE FEEBLE NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE HAS NOT BEEN GREAT. WITH THE ADVANTAGE OF INITIATIVE AND LARGE QUANTITIES OF RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS AND ARTILLERY, THE COMMUNIST ARMY HAS ACHIEVED VICTORY AFTER VICTORY ALMOST WITHOUT AIR SUPPORT.

NOW, HOWEVER, PENTAGON OFFICIALS SAY THEY ARE CONVINCED THAT AMERICAN REINFORCEMENTS WILL STOP THE DRIVE TO THROW THE U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS INTO THE SEA.

"WE ARE STILL THERE AND WE ARE GOING TO STAY THERE," ONE OF THEM PUTS IT.

ASSUMING THAT HE IS CORRECT, THE NORTH KOREANS ULTIMATELY SHOULD FACE A COUNTER OFFENSIVE BY BUILT-UP AMERICAN GROUND AND AIR FORCES. SUCH AN OFFENSIVE PROBABLY WOULD HAVE HARD SLEDDING AT THE OUTSET; MOUNTAINOUS COUNTRY IN WHICH THE FIGHTING IS NOW GOING ON WOULD GIVE THE COMMUNISTS STRONG DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.

BUT IF THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS EVER SUCCEED IN DRIVING THEM BACK OUT OF THE MOUNTAINS, THE CHANCES OF GETTING THE COMMUNISTS ON THE RUN WOULD BE INCREASED. AND AN ARMY ON THE RUN IS HIGHLY VULNERABLE TO AIR ATTACK.

UNDER SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES, THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS UNDOUBTEDLY WOULD CLAMOR INCREASINGLY FOR AIR PROTECTION.

IN SUCH A SITUATION, WOULD THE RUSSIANS MOVE TO BOLSTER THE NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE, WHOSE RUSSIAN AND JAPANESE-MADE PLANES HAVE BEEN ALMOST INOPERATIVE SINCE AMERICAN PLANES WENT INTO ACTION?

OFFICIALS HERE BELIEVE IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR THE RUSSIANS TO CHALLENGE AMERICAN AIR POWER IN KOREA SUCCESSFULLY BY TURNING OVER MODERN JET PLANES TO NORTH KOREAN PILOTS. AVAILABLE INFORMATION INDICATES THAT THE NECESSARY TRAINED PILOTS ARE NOT AVAILABLE AMONG THE NORTH KOREANS.

ANOTHER POSSIBLE SOURCE OF NON-RUSSIAN PILOTS IS RED CHINA. BUT AMERICAN AUTHORITIES ALSO DOUBT THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE TRAINED ENOUGH CHINESE JET PILOTS TO CHALLENGE THE U.S. FAR EASTERN AIR FORCE.

A THIRD POSSIBILITY IS THAT THE JET PLANES MIGHT BE FLOWN BY RUSSIAN "VOLUNTEERS," WHO WOULD STEP OUT OF THE REGULAR RUSSIAN AIR FORCE TO PERFORM THIS DUTY. ONE OFFICIAL SAID THAT TASS, RUSSIAN NEWS AGENCY, HAS CARRIED THE NEWS THAT RUSSIANS MAY VOLUNTEER FOR THE KOREAN FIGHTING.

STILL ANOTHER POSSIBLE RUSSIAN MOVE WOULD BE DIRECT INTERVENTION WITH RUSSIAN PILOTS OPERATING THE PLANES. SUCH A MOVE IS ANTICIPATED ONLY IN CASE THE KREMLIN WANTS A GENERAL WAR.

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NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS
BY WILLARD H.MOBLEY

WASHINGTON,AUG 1-(AP)-STANDBY POWERS FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO INVOKE PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS AND RATIONING IF HE SEES THE NEED BECAME A VIRTUAL CERTAINTY TODAY.

TWO DEVELOPMENTS CREATED THAT PROSPECT DESPITE THE STAND OF SOLID BLOCS IN BOTH HOUSES OF CONGRESS AGAINST EVEN THE LIMITED ECONOMIC CURBS THE PRESIDENT HAS PROPOSED:

1. THE HOUSE REPUBLICAN POLICY COMMITTEE AGREED TO IT.
2. THE PRESIDENT HIMSELF SENT THE LAWMAKERS WORD THAT HE HAS NO OBJECTIONS PROVIDED ADDITION OF THE EXTRA AUTHORITY DOES NOT SLOW UP ACTION ON THE ALLOCATION, PRIORITIES AND CREDIT CURB POWERS HE HAS ASKED.

THE PRESIDENT WROTE TO CHAIRMAN MAYBANK (D-SC) OF THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE AS THAT GROUP NEARED A DECISION ON EXPANSION OF THE TRUMAN PROPOSALS. A COPY WENT TO CHAIRMAN SPENCE (D-KY) OF THE HOUSE BANKING COMMITTEE.

THE GOP POLICY GROUP'S VIEWS WERE SET FORTH AT THE HOUSE END OF THE CAPITOL JUST BEFORE THE HOUSE ITSELF STARTED DEBATE ON THE PLAN.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ALREADY HAS APPROVED THE ADMINISTRATION BILL, WATERED DOWN IN SOME RESPECTS FROM THE WHITE HOUSE RECOMMENDATIONS. TENTATIVELY THE SENATE COMMITTEE HAS OKAYED IT TOO, IN ABOUT THE SAME FORM, BUT WITH THE WAY LEFT OPEN FOR PUTTING IN THE EXTRA POWERS.

IN BOTH THE SENATE COMMITTEE AND THE HOUSE PROPOSALS WERE READY FOR ADDITION OF THE PRICE, WAGE AND RATIONING AUTHORITY.

MR.TRUMAN WROTE MAYBANK THAT HE CONSIDERED THOSE IDEAS BEFORE HE SUBMITTED HIS OWN PROPOSALS TO CONGRESS BUT DECIDED AGAINST THEM "BECAUSE IT SEEMED MORE IMPORTANT TO OBTAIN QUICK ACTION ON THE POWERS CONTAINED IN THE DEFENSE PRODUCTION BILL"--THE MEASURE EMBODYING THE ADMINISTRATION CONTROL REQUESTS. HE SAID DELAY WOULD BE "DANGEROUS."

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CLAMOR FOR THE EXTRA AUTHORITY FOR THE PRESIDENT HAS BEEN GROWING IN CONGRESS SINCE LAST WEEK WHEN BERNARD BARUCH, MOBILIZATION ADVISER IN BOTH WORLD WARS, CALLED FOR FULL-SCALE ECONOMIC MOBILIZATION.

A222WX

THE HOUSE REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE HAS NO POWER TO BIND GOP MEMBERS TO ANY COURSE OF ACTION, BUT MOST OF THEM USUALLY FOLLOW THE LINES IT LAYS DOWN.

THE GROUP'S STAND WAS REPORTED AFTER A CLOSED-DOOR MEETING BY MINORITY LEADER MARTIN (MASS).

"THE CONSENSUS WAS THAT THE POWERS SHOULD BE ON A STANDBY BASIS, WITH THE PRESIDENT HAVING AUTHORITY TO PUT THEM INTO EFFECT WHEN HE THINKS THEY ARE NEEDED," MARTIN TOLD REPORTERS.

HE COMMENTED THAT THERE WAS STILL "SOME VERY STRONG OPPOSITION" EVEN TO THE CONTROLS IN THE PENDING BILL, AND ALSO "CONSIDERABLE SENTIMENT" FOR MAKING PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS MANDATORY.

THE TRUMAN LETTER TO MAYBANK WAS PASSED OUT TO NEWSMEN AS THE SENATE COMMITTEE WORKED IN SECRET TRYING TO GET OUT A BILL FOR ACTION THIS WEEK. MAYBANK CALLED THE GROUP TOGETHER AGAIN THIS AFTERNOON BUT HE SAID IT APPEARED UNLIKELY THE JOB COULD BE FINISHED TODAY.

MAYBANK SAID THE PRICE, WAGE AND RATIONING SUBJECTS HAD NOT BEEN REACHED AT THE MORNING SESSION, BUT PREDICTED THE POWERS WOULD BE IN THE FINISHED BILL.

THE WHITE HOUSE LETTER WAS IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST FROM MAYBANK FOR A STATEMENT OF THE PRESIDENT'S VIEWS ON THE POINTS.

MR.TRUMAN WROTE THAT IF HIS OWN MEASURE IS ENACTED PROMPTLY "WE CAN DO A GREAT DEAL TO EASE THE ECONOMIC ADJUSTMENTS WHICH OUR DEFENSE EFFORT WILL REQUIRE. AT THE SAME TIME WE CAN CONTINUE, ON AN EXPEDITED BUT CAREFUL BASIS, OUR PLANNING AND PREPARATION FOR OTHER ECONOMIC CONTROLS, IF AND WHEN NEEDED."

IN THAT SITUATION, THE PRESIDENT WENT ON, "OF COURSE, THERE IS NO OBJECTION" TO STANDBY POWERS BUT HE SAID HIS OWN IDEA WAS TO "MEET THE PROBLEMS IMMEDIATELY BEFORE US."

MR.TRUMAN STATED FOUR CONDITIONS FOR HIS AGREEMENT TO THE IDEA OF STANDBY AUTHORITY:

1. IT SHOULD BE "SUPPLEMENTARY TO, AND NOT IN LIEU OF" THE REQUESTED POWERS WHICH THE PRESIDENT CALLED "ESSENTIAL NOW."
2. IT SHOULD BE PUT IN ONLY IF IT DOES "NOT PROLONG CONSIDERATION OR DELAY ACTION."
3. PROVISIONS ON PRICES AND WAGES SHOULD BE FLEXIBLE, WITH "NO RIGID FORMULA OR FREEZE IN ADVANCE OF EXPERIENCE."
4. THE METHOD OF ADMINISTRATION SHOULD BE LEFT OPEN "BECAUSE IT CANNOT BE SEPARATED FROM THE QUESTION OF THE EXTENT TO WHICH PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS ACTUALLY MIGHT HAVE TO BE APPLIED."

IF THOSE CONDITIONS CANNOT BE MET, THE PRESIDENT URGED, CONGRESS SHOULD MOVE AT ONCE ON THE LEGISLATION WITHOUT THE EXTRAS.

AS MAYBANK HAD PREDICTED, THE SENATE COMMITTEE FINALLY QUIT FOR THE DAY WITHOUT FINISHING THE BILL.

IT DIDN'T EVEN GET TO THE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING ISSUE BUT THAT IS UP NEXT FOR TOMORROW.

THE FIRST PROPOSAL TO BE ACTED ON THEN IS A NEW ONE BY SENATOR CAPEHART (R-IND) FOR A SIX-MONTHS FREEZE ON ALL PRICES, WITH JUNE 30 LEVELS AS A CEILING. AFTER THE SIX MONTHS, CAPEHART TOLD REPORTERS, "WE CAN SEE WHAT OUR SITUATION IS AND WHAT MUST BE DONE."

THE CAPEHART PLAN, WHICH HE SAID IS A SIMPLE ONE WITH QUICK APPLICATION THROUGH PROSECUTIONS FOR OVERCHARGES AND NO COMPLICATED ADMINISTRATION SET-UP, IS EXPECTED TO BE DEFEATED.

NEXT UP WILL BE PROPOSALS BY SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) AND OTHERS WHICH SPARKMAN SAID ARE SQUARELY IN LINE WITH THE PRESIDENT'S LETTER.

THE COMMITTEE DIRECTED ITS LEGAL STAFF TO WORK OVERNIGHT ON AN OVER-ALL SYSTEM OF CREDIT CONTROLS FOR REAL ESTATE. THE COMMITTEE REVERSED TODAY A DECISION IT HAD REACHED YESTERDAY AND AGREED TO GIVE THE ADMINISTRATION CONTROL POWERS OVER PRIVATE AS WELL AS GOVERNMENT-BACKED REAL ESTATE FINANCING.

THE HOUSE DEBATE ON THE TRUMAN PROPOSALS BEGAN WITH A REPUBLICAN COMPLAINT THAT THE ADMINISTRATION PLAN "EITHER GOES TOO FAR OR IT DOES NOT GO FAR ENOUGH."

REP. BROWN (R-OHIO) SAID THAT IF THE KOREAN FIGHTING IS ONLY A POLICE ACTION THEN THE BILL WOULD GIVE THE PRESIDENT POWERS HE DOES NOT NEED. ON THE OTHER HAND, HE ADDED, "IF WE ARE ON THE BRINK OF WORLD WAR III, IT DOESN'T GO FAR ENOUGH."

REP. LYLE (D-TEX) OPPOSED GIVING THE PRESIDENT ANY MORE POWERS THAN HE SAYS HE NEEDS, BUT REP. COX (D-GA) COUNTERED: "LET US NOT GO JUST HALFWAY. LET US DO THE WHOLE JOB AND DO IT NOW."

REP. HALLECK (R-IND), ASSERTING THE ADMINISTRATION BILL "GOES FURTHER THAN IT NEEDS TO GO," DECLARED "THERE'S MORE HERE THAN MEETS THE EYE."

REP. SPENCE (D-KY), CHAIRMAN OF THE BANKING COMMITTEE AND THE BILL'S SPONSOR, IN TURN CALLED ON THE HOUSE TO GIVE MR.TRUMAN WHAT HE IS ASKING FOR.

"I EARNESTLY HOPE THE HOUSE WON'T BE STAMPEDED AND WILL VOTE FOR THE BILL AS IT COMES FROM COMMITTEE," SPENCE SAID.

A90WX

A POINT-BY-POINT ATTACK ON THE POWERS TO BE VESTED IN THE PRESIDENT WAS MADE BY REP. WOLCOTT (R-MICH), RANKING REPUBLICAN ON THE BANKING COMMITTEE.

HE SAID A "CONCERN FOR THE DOMESTIC ECONOMY" SHOULD PROMPT HOUSE REJECTION ON MANY OF THESE POWERS, PARTICULARLY THE CREDIT CONTROL POWERS REQUESTED BY THE PRESIDENT.

ARGUING FOR THE ADMINISTRATION BILL AND AGAINST IMMEDIATE CONSUMER CONTROLS, REP. BROWN (D-GA) SAID:

"WHEN YOU PUT CONTROLS ON EVERY COMMODITY IN THIS COUNTRY, IT WILL BE A GENERATION BEFORE YOU GET THEM OFF."

REP. KUNKEL (R-PA) TOLD THE HOUSE THAT TO POSTPONE ACTION ON CONSUMER CONTROLS AND RATIONING NOW, "WE WILL BE FACED WITH A SITUATION IN WHICH THE ONLY REMEDY WILL BE SELECTIVE CONTROLS AND IT WILL THEN BE TOO LATE TO STABILIZE THE ECONOMY."

KUNKEL SAID THAT WHILE HE WOULD PREFER IMMEDIATE CONTROLS ON WAGES, PRICES AND RATIONING, HE WOULD GO ALONG WITH A STAND-BY LAW.

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A202WX (600)

AMS BUDGET

NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN-APPROPRIATIONS

BY ARTHUR EDSON

WASHINGTON,AUG 1-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TODAY THAT THE BEST WAY TO PREVENT FUTURE OUTBREAKS AGAINST THE PEACE OF THE WORLD IS TO SEE THAT OUR ALLIES ARE PROPERLY ARMED. THAT'S WHY, HE SAID, HE'S ASKING FOR $4,000,000,000 (B) TO ARM ANTI-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

"IT IS NOW CLEAR," MR.TRUMAN SAID IN A LETTER TO CAPITOL HILL, "THAT THE FREE NATIONS MUST ACCELERATE THE EFFORTS THEY ARE MAKING TO STRENGTHEN THEIR COMMON SECURITY."

MR.TRUMAN SAID HE ISN'T SURE HOW MUCH EACH NATION WILL NEED. BUT HE GAVE THIS BREAKDOWN ON THE AREAS TO BE HELPED:

NORTH ATLANTIC	$3,504,000,000
GREECE, TURKEY, IRAN	$193,000,000
PHILIPPINES, ASIA	$303,000,000

MR.TRUMAN SCARCELY HAD FINISHED MAKING HIS REQUEST BEFORE CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE SAID $4,000,000,000 ISN'T ENOUGH.

HE SAID HE WISHES THE PRESIDENT WOULD ASK FOR MORE.

"ONE DOLLAR SPENT NOW IS WORTH 50 AFTER WAR BREAKS OUT," TYDINGS TOLD THE SENATE.

TYDINGS DID NOT SAY HOW MUCH HE THINKS MR.TRUMAN SHOULD ASK FOR.

THE $4,000,000,000 WOULD BE IN ADDITION TO A $1,222,500,000 ARMS AID PROGRAM WHICH ALREADY HAS BEEN AUTHORIZED.

MR.TRUMAN DISCLOSED YESTERDAY THAT HE INTENDED TO REQUEST THE ADDITIONAL BILLIONS. TODAY HIS LETTER TO HOUSE SPEAKER RAYBURN (D-TEX) GAVE SOME OF HIS REASONS FOR MAKING THE REQUEST.

THE PRESIDENT STARTED OUT BY SAYING THAT THE COMMUNIST ASSAULT ON KOREA HAS CHALLENGED THE AUTHORITY OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND JEOPARDIZED WORLD PEACE.

HE SAID THIS LEAVES THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WORLD IN THIS SITUATION:

"THEY NOW HAVE NO ALTERNATIVE BUT TO INCREASE RAPIDLY THEIR PREPAREDNESS TO DEFEND THE PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL LAW AND JUSTICE FOR WHICH THE UNITED NATIONS STANDS."

BUT HE HELD OUT A PROMISE IF THIS PATH IS FOLLOWED.

A203WX

"THIS COURSE," SAID MR.TRUMAN, "PROVIDES THE BEST HOPE OF DETERRING FUTURE CALCULATED OUTBREAKS AGAINST THE PEACE OF THE WORLD."

SOME CONGRESSMEN HAVE BEEN CRITICAL OF THE RESULTS OF THE FOREIGN AID PROGRAMS. THEY HAVE SAID WE HAVE SPENT BILLIONS, AND YET, WITH THE CHIPS DOWN IN KOREA, WE HAVE GOT VERY LITTLE HELP.

IT WAS THIS FEELING THAT LED THE SENATE YESTERDAY TO ADOPT THIS AMENDMENT TO AN APPROPRIATIONS BILL:

THE PRESIDENT SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO CUT OFF MARSHALL AID FUNDS FOR ANY NATION WHICH REFUSES TO AID THE UNITED NATIONS IN KOREA.

MR.TRUMAN MAY HAVE HAD THIS CRITICISM IN MIND WHEN HE WROTE THAT BY HELPING ITS ALLIES THE U.S. WILL BE HELPING ITSELF.

THE PRESIDENT SAID:

"THE INCREASED MILITARY AID PROGRAM I AM RECOMMENDING IS AS VITAL TO OUR NATIONAL SECURITY AS THE INCREASED MILITARY APPROPRIATIONS I HAVE PREVIOUSLY RECOMMENDED FOR OUR OWN ARMED FORCES. THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES IS INSEPARABLY BOUND UP WITH THE SURVIVAL OF THE FREE NATIONS ASSOCIATED WITH US IN THE COMMON DEFENSE."

MR.TRUMAN MADE THESE ADDITIONAL POINTS:

1. THAT THE FREE NATIONS WILL TAKE THE LEAD IN ARMING THEMSELVES.

"THE GREATER SHARE OF THIS EFFORT WILL, OF COURSE, BE ASSUMED BY THESE NATIONS THEMSELVES, OUT OF THEIR OWN RESOURCES," MR.TRUMAN SAID.

"HOWEVER, THE SERIOUS PROBLEMS WITH WHICH THEY ARE CONFRONTED MAKE IT NECESSARY FOR US TO INCREASE OUR MILITARY AID TO THEM IF THEY ARE TO MAKE THEIR MAXIMUM CONTRIBUTION TO THE COMMON DEFENSE."

2. THAT MUCH OF THE EQUIPMENT CAN BE MANUFACTURED BY THE COUNTRIES NEEDING IT. "A SIGNIFICANT PORTION," IS THE WAY MR.TRUMAN PUT IT.

3. THAT THE ARMS AID PROGRAM IS NOT TO BE SUBSTITUTED FOR MARSHALL PLAN AID.

"...IF THE FREE NATIONS ARE TO ACHIEVE THE ECONOMIC AND MILITARY STRENGTH WHICH ARE NECESSARY TO OUR COMMON DEFENSE," MR.TRUMAN SAID, "WE MUST CONTINUE TO GIVE FULL SUPPORT TO THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM."

AS IN SO MANY OF HIS LETTERS AND DOCUMENTS THESE DAYS, THE PRESIDENT ONCE AGAIN URGED SPEED.

MILITARY EQUIPMENT CAN'T BE BUILT IN A DAY, HE WARNED. IT TAKES 12, 18 OR 24 MONTHS.

HE SAID HE HOPES THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEES WILL CONSIDER HIS REQUEST IMMEDIATELY AND THAT CONGRESS WILL ACT QUICKLY.

MR.TRUMAN'S WARNING:

"SPEED IN GETTING THIS PRODUCTION UNDERWAY IS IMPERATIVE."

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A58WX

NIGHT LEAD CONGRESS ROUNDUP (400)

WASHINGTON,AUG 1-(AP)-SPAIN GOT THE SENATE'S APPROVAL FOR A $100,000,000 LOAN TODAY. CONGRESS GOT A FORMAL REQUEST FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR ANOTHER $4,000,000,000 FOREIGN ARMS AID. AND IT LOOKED VERY PROBABLE THAT MR.TRUMAN WOULD GET MORE ECONOMIC CONTROLS THAN HE ASKED.

THOSE CONTROLS, IT APPEARED, MAY INCLUDE STAND-BY POWER TO CLAMP CEILINGS ON PRICES AND WAGES, AND TO RATION SCARCE GOODS.

THE SENATE VOTED 65 TO 15 TO AUTHORIZE A $100,000,000 EXPORT-IMPORT BANK LOAN TO FRANCO'S SPAIN. THE PROVISION, SPONSORED BY SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV), REPRESENTED A DEFINITE BREAK IN THE ALOOF POLICY THIS NATION HAS OFFICIALLY FOLLOWED WITH REGARD TO THE SPANISH GOVERN-

MENT IN RECENT YEARS. THE SENATORS WHO VOTED FOR THE LOAN STRESSED SPAIN'S STRATEGIC POSITION IN A COMMUNIST-MENACED EUROPE. SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD), CHAIRMAN OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, SAID THAT SPAIN IS NECESSARY TO THE DEFENSE OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE LOAN AUTHORIZATION WAS WRITTEN INTO THE $35,000,000,000 GENERAL APPROPRIATION BILL, NOW NEARING A FINAL SENATE VOTE.

IN ASKING CONGRESS TO ADD $4,000,000,000 TO THE $1,222,500,000 IN FOREIGN ARMS AID IT ALREADY HAS AUTHORIZED THIS YEAR, MR.TRUMAN UNDERSCORED THE NEED FOR SPEED.

"IT IS NOW CLEAR THAT THE FREE NATIONS MUST ACCELERATE THE EFFORTS THEY ARE MAKING TO STRENGTHEN THEIR COMMON SECURITY," HE WROTE IN ASKING FOR THE FUNDS.

THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIES WOULD GET $3,504,000,000 OF THE ADDITIONAL SUM. GREECE, TURKEY AND IRAN WOULD SHARE $193,000,000, AND $303,000,000 WOULD GO TO THE PHILIPPINES AND STRATEGIC COUNTRIES IN EASTERN AND SOUTHERN ASIA.

SENATOR TYDINGS SAID HE WISHED MR.TRUMAN HAD ASKED FOR EVEN MORE, DECLARING "ONE DOLLAR SPENT NOW IS WORTH 50 AFTER WAR BREAKS OUT."

THE TREND TOWARD DRASTIC CONTROL POWER OVER THE NATION'S ECONOMY BECAME CLEAR WITH TWO DEVELOPMENTS. THE HOUSE REPUBLICAN POLICY COMMITTEE CAME OUT FOR THEM, AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID HE WOULD HAVE NO OBJECTION TO THE EXTRA PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING AUTHORITY PROVIDED IT DIDN'T SLOW DOWN ACTION ON THE OTHER THINGS HE ASKED--PRIORITIES AND ALLOCATION AUTHORITY OVER MATERIALS, AND STRICT CURBS ON CREDIT.

A SENATE-HOUE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE FORMALLY AGREED ON FINAL TERMS OF A BILL BROADENING AND LIBERALIZING THE SOCIAL SECURITY PROGRAM. AN ADDITIONAL 10,000,000 PERSONS WOULD BE BROUGHT UNDER OLD AGE INSURANCE COVERAGE, THE AMOUNT OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS WOULD BE SHARPLY INCREASED, AND SOCIAL SECURITY PAYROLL TAXES WOULD MORE THAN DOUBLE IN THE NEXT 20 YEARS.

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A175WX (NEWZEAL)

(150) FIRST LEAD NEW ZEALAND

WASHINGTON,AUG 1-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN AND POSSIBLY NEW ZEALAND GROUND TROOPS WILL BE SENT TO KOREA AS QUICKLY AS IT IS POSSIBLE TO ORGANIZE THEM, PRIME MINISTER ROBERT GORDON MENZIES OF AUSTRALIA ANNOUNCED TODAY.

ADDRESSING APPLAUDING MEMBERS OF THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, MENZIES SAID HIS GOVERNMENT WILL ORGANIZE "WITHIN AS FEW WEEKS AS POSSIBLE" ENOUGH GROUND TROOPS TO MAKE UP "A FIRST CLASS COMBAT GROUP."

MENZIES SAID HE HOPES THIS CONTRIBUTION OF TROOPS TO THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN WOULD BE MADE IN COOPERATION WITH NEW ZEALAND.

LATER, HE CONTINUED, THERE IS HOPE THAT A BRITISH COMMONWEALTH DIVISION WILL BE FORMED "TO SERVE ALONGSIDE YOUR YOUNG MEN."

SHORTLY BEFORE MENZIES ADDRESSED THE HOUSE, NEW ZEALAND AIR COMMODORE J.L.FINDLAY SAID HIS GOVERNMENT IS STILL UNDECIDED ABOUT THE NUMBER OF TROOPS IT WILL SEND TO AID UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA. FINDLAY ANNOUNCED THIS AFTER A TALK WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON AND OTHER U.S. MILITARY OFFICIALS.

(NO PICKUP)

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A140WX (AIR)

(170) KOREAN

WASHINGTON,AUG.1-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE SAID TODAY THAT GEN.MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS HAS CREDITED AIR ATTACKS WITH THE POSITIVE DESTRUCTION OF 111 KOREAN COMMUNIST TANKS.

CLAIMS OF PILOTS--BEFORE BEING CHECKED AND EVALUATED--TOTALED 302 TANKS.

AN AIR SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS AT A PENTAGON BRIEFING THAT THE FIGURE OF 111 DOES NOT INCLUDE ANY CLAIMS OF TANKS DAMAGED OR PROBABLY DESTROYED. IT COVERS TANKS BELIEVED DEFINITELY DESTROYED THROUGH JULY 29.

IN ADDITION TO THE 111 CREDITED TO AIR ATTACKS, MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS LISTED 93 OTHERS DESTROYED BY OTHER ACTION--A TOTAL OF 204 DESTROYED.

A SPOKESMAN SAID THE AIR FORCE HAS BEEN TRYING TO KEEP CLAIMS ON A CONSERVATIVE BASIS, BUT PILOTS ATTACKING TANKS DO NOT HAVE TIME TO MAKE LENGTHY-OBSERVATIONS.

IF A TANK APPEARS TO GO UP IN SMOKE, HE SAID, THE AVERAGE MAN WILL CLAIM IT AS DESTROYED.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME WEDNESDAY AUG. 2)

(ADVANCE)--WASHINGTON, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT'S KOREAN WAR CASUALTY LIST NO. 52, RELEASED TODAY, REPORTS THREE KILLED, ONE DEAD OF WOUNDS, 41 WOUNDED, 24 MISSING AND EIGHT INJURED IN ACCIDENTS.

INCLUDED ARE: (ALL ARMY EXCEPT WHERE AIR FORCE IS DESIGNATED.)

ARIZONA

MISSING IN ACTION

AIR FORCE: 1ST LT. JOHN M.NETTERBLAD, SON OF ALVIN T.NETTERBLAD, MIAMI.

CALIFORNIA

WOUNDED

1ST LT. GEORGE STANKO, HUSBAND OF MRS. HELEN STANKO, 9955 BUSH ST., SAN FRANCISCO.

MISSING IN ACTION

PFC. CHARLES R.RICHMOND, SON OF CECIL R.RICHMOND, 239 NORTH H ST., TULARE.

ILLINOIS

WOUNDED

PVT. JOHN PETER KRITZER, SON OF MRS. ANNA KRITZER, 4542 JOLIET AVE., LYONS, COOK COUNTY, ILL.

PVT. GEORGE F.TURNER, SON OF RAYMOND TURNER, 1457 WEST 55TH ST., CHICAGO.

MISS IN ACTION

AIR FORCE: S/SGT.LEWIS MCNEILL, HUSBAND OF MRS. GLYDS L.MCNEILL, 212 EAST JACKSON ST., CARBONDALE.

INDIANA

INJURED

PVT. FRANK B.PHILLIPS, SON OF MRS. MARY PHILLIPS, 837 BLAKE ST., INDIANAPOLIS.

KENTUCKY

WOUNDED

CPL. JOE B.MORRIS, BROTHER OF MRS. LUCY HALL, BOX 878, CUMBERLAND.

PFC. MARION THACKER, SON OF MRS. ROSA THACKER, MARTIN.

PFC.GEORGE E.TURNER, SON OF MRS.DELORA M.TURNER, ROUTE 1, MIDDLESBORO.

INJURED

PFC. JAMES L.GORE, SON OF MRS.BERTHA GORE, 116 SOUTH 5TH ST., CENTRAL CITY.

MARYLAND

WOUNDED

AUG 2 1950

PVT. ROBERT J.BALLENGER, SON OF MRS. BESSIE V.BALLENGER, RFD 5, ROCKVILLE.
PFC. CHARLES E.BENNETT, SON OF MRS. ANNA E.BENNETT, STANDSBURY MILL ROAD, MONKTON.
MISSING IN ACTION
PFC.WALTER J.MASON, SON OF MRS. MARY LOUISE MASON, TFC 2, WILLIAMS-PORT.
MICHIGAN
WOUNDED
PFC. GARY L.HOOT, SON OF JAMES HOOT, 5715 BELTON ST., GARDEN CITY.
M/SGT. ROBERT M.GILLESPIE, HUSBAND OF MRS.FLORENCE T.GILLESPIE, 506 PATTERSON AVE., BAY CITY.
INJURED
CPL. PETER J.BANCHOFF, SON OF MRS. ANNA BANCHOFF, SECOND ROUTE, GLADWIN.
MISS IN ACTION
SGT. FRANCIS POLKA, SON OF MRS.NELLIE POLKA, 19518 HARMAN AVE., MELVINDALE.
PVT.DONALD W.KNAPP, SON OF MRS.BLANCH H.KNAPP, RURAL FREE DELIVERY ONE, LAKE CITY.

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MINNESOTA
WOUNDED
PFC.JOHN E.CHRISTENSEN, SON OF MRS.ANDREW B.CHRISTENSEN, CAMDEN STATION, ROUTE 6, MINNEAPOLIS.
PFC. WARNER J.YOUNG, SON OF MRS.MARY NIETERS, ROCKVILLE.
MISSOURI
KILLED IN ACTION
CPL.CHARLES E.FARR, SON OF MRS. ANNIE FARR, 2615 WEST OLIVE ST., SPRINGFIELD.
DIED OF WOUNDS
PVT. LEE OTHIS ROBINSON, SON OF JAMES ROBINSON, 1640 LOVEJOY LANE, ST.LOUIS.
WOUNDED
SGT. LEON DOWDY, HUSBAND OF MRS.KATHERINE O.DOWDY, RT. 1, STELLA.
MISSING IN ACTION
PFC.LEONARD E.LAHM, SON OF PHILIP W.LAHM, JR., 2800 SALENA ST., ST.LOUIS.
SGT.PAUL G.MENTZOS, HUSBAND OF MRS.MARY E.MENTZOS RESIDING IN FAR EAST COMMAND. BROTHER-IN-LAW OF HARLEY E.SCHUMACHER, RURAL ROUTE 2, ST.CHARLES.
NEW MEXICO
MISSING IN ACTION
SGT.ERNEST MONTOYA, BROTHER OF ROSE DAVIS, 723 WEST TAFT AVE., ALBUQUERQUE.
OHIO
KILLED IN ACTION
PVT ELLIS HICKS, SON OF MR. AND MRS. DAN HICKS, RFD 2, ATTICA.
WOUNDED
PFC WALTER P.HABASH, EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE FRANCIS HABASH, 1009 HARDING AVENUE, STEUBENVILLE.
PFC.GEORGE J.LAVIGNE, SON OF MRS. MABEL LA VIGNE, 3002 MOOSEWOOD AVE.,CINCINNATI
CPL.JOSEPH PASERK, SON OF MRS.DOROTHY FORRO, RFC 1, KENT.
PENNSYLVANIA
WOUNDED
PVT.VINCENT NICK MOROCCO, SON OF MRS.ROSE MOROCCO, 220 FRANKLIN AVE., ALIQUIPPA.
CPL.ANTHONY PONDERENDOLPH, SON OF JOSEPH PONDERENDOLPH, NEW ALEXANDER.
PFC. EDWARD RONALD SEARFOSS, SON OF EDWARD FRANKLIN SEARFOSS, 411 HESHANNOCK AVE., NEW CASTLE.
PVT.STERLING E.SHUMAN, SON OF MRS.KATIE KAHLEY, FERN GLEN.
MISS IN ACTION
PVT. ROBERT MICHAEL EVANS, SON OF MRS.ELIZABETH A.EVANS, 622 NORTH FRONT ST., ALLENTOWN.
PVT. PAUL M.SCHRECENGOST, SON OF ORVIE O.SCHRECENGOST, RURAL DELIVERY NO. 1, MAYPORT.
PFC.WARFIELD ELLIS SHIPLET, SON OF WESLEY LUTHER SHIPLET, 404 HODGSON ST., OXFORD, CHESTER COUNTY.
PVT.ANDREW VAGANKA, SON OF MRS.ANNA VAGANKA, 2824 GAS ST., MCKEESPORT.

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AUG 2 1950
TEXAS
WOUNDED
PFC.KEITH DUREE, SON OF MRS.JOHN BURL PARKS, 742 EAST CAMPBELL ST. PAMPA.
PFC. JESSE WHITFIELD SUMNERS, SON OF MRS.SUDIE MARY SUMNERS, 1514 AVE. D, LUBBOCK.
MISSING IN ACTION
PFC.VICTOR P.JIMENEZ, GRANDSON OF MRS.CANDELARIA PERALES, 615 THELMA DRIVE, SAN ANTONIO.
WASHINGTON
KILLED IN ACTION
AIR FORCE: S/SGT. GEORGE HERR, HUSBAND OF MRS.HILDEGARDE S.HERR, GEORGE WRIGHT AIR FORCE BASE, SPOKANE.
WEST VIRGINIA
MISSING IN ACTION
PFC.LONNIE B.HYLTON, JR., SON OF LONNIE BRYANT HYLTON,SR., ROUTE NO. 1, BOX 107, PRINCETON.
PFC.CHARLES MARVIN PRICHARD, SON OF MR.AND MRS. ALBERT PRICHARD, 14 1/2 BRAXTON, WIDEN, CLAY COUNTY.
WISCONSIN
WOUNDED
CPL. CHARLES T.ZIMMERMAN SON OF MRS.CATHERINE ZIMMERMAN, 24 N. MAIN ST., FOND DU LAC.
MISSING IN ACTION
PVT. JOHN F.KELLEHER, SON OF MRS.ESTHER PERLEBERG KELLEHER, 914 PROSPECT AVE., JANESVILLE.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2.)
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B73 (560)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, THURSDAY, AUG.3--EDITORS: NOTE DATE)
CASUALTIES
(ADVANCE)..WASHINGTON, AUG 3-(AP)-THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE'S CASUALTY LIST NO.54, RELEASED TONIGHT, CARRIES THE NAMES OF ONE MAN KILLED IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING.
THIRTY WERE LISTED AS WOUNDED, FOUR AS HAVING BEEN INJURED (NOT IN COMBAT), 18 AS MISSING IN ACTION AND SEVEN AS HAVING RETURNED TO MILITARY CONTROL AFTER PREVIOUSLY BEING REPORTED MISSING.
THE LIST:
ARKANSAS:
MISSING IN ACTION:

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ARMY: SGT.FIRST CLASS JACKSON C.ELLIOTT, HUSBAND OF MRS.BOBBIE J.ELLIOTT, BOX 127, LEOLA.
CALIFORNIA:
WOUNDED:
ARMY: PVT.DENNIS P.LIMA, SON OF FRANK T.LIMA, BOX 120 DAUGHTERY ROAD, PLEASONTON.
MISSING IN ACTION:
ARMY: SGT.ARNOLD NALLEY, SON OF MRS.CHRISTINE RADENBAUGH, 1745 NORTH CALIFORNIA STREET, BURBANK.
PFC.ROBERTO SALDANA, SON OF MRS.SARAH SALDANA, 1518 ZUNIGA LANE, LOS ANGELES.
RETURNED TO MILITARY CONTROL:
AIR FORCE: 1ST LIEUT.HORACE G.CODLING, HUSBAND OF MRS.PAULINE O. CODLING, 230 EAST SECOND STREET, HUNTINGTON BEACH. (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
COLORADO:
WOUNDED:
ARMY: PFC.RONALD F.YOUNGER, SON OF ROLAND F.YOUNGER, BOX 365, LOVELAND.
MISSING IN ACTION:
ARMY: CAPT.NORMAN FREEMAN MARSHALL, HUSBAND OF MRS.VIRGINIA G. MARSHALL, 1660 OAKLAND STREET, AURORA.
ILLINOIS:
WOUNDED:
ARMY: PFC.DALE E.ROBBINS, SON OF HOWARD ROBBINS, R.R. 1, GLASSFORD.
MISSING IN ACTION:
ARMY: PVT.DANIEL E.LUEBBERS, SON OF MRS.MARGARETT B.LUEBBER, 190 FAIRFAX STREET, CARLYLE.
PFC.EDWIN E.MILLER, SON OF MRS.ETHEL C.COX, 2157 YALE BLVD., SPRINGFIELD.
RETURNED TO MILITARY CONTROL:
ARMY: PFC.HERBERT D.GARRISON, SON OF MRS.PEARL GARRISON, 1428 SOUTH 2ND STREET, PEKIN. ((PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
INDIANA:
WOUNDED:
ARMY: PFC.GERALD ALVIN POLLARD, SON OF AGENES POLLARD, BOX 328, CYNTHIANA, POSEY COUNTY.
MISSING IN ATION:
ARMY: PFC.LEONARD W.E.JINKS, GRANDSON OF CHARLEY CROWELL, 106 EASTER AVENUE, BATESVILLE.

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KENTUCKY:
MISSING IN ACTION:
ARMY: PFC.EARL RAYMOND LOGSTON, SON OF MRS.BESSIE LOGSTON, GENERAL DELIVERY, BEREA.
RETURNED TO MILITARY CONTROL:
AIR FORCE: SGT.ANCIL BROTHERTON, BROTHER OF MISS ELIZABETH BROTHERTON, SOMERSET, KENTUCKY. (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
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MISSING IN ACTION:
ARMY: PFC.MARVIN J.LASHLEY, SON OF MRS.IRENE LASHLEY, BOX 48, POINT PLEASANT.
PVT.MARVIN JACKSON WEBB, SON OF MRS.THELMA WEBB, ROUTE 2, EVERTON.
MICHIGAN:
WOUNDED:
ARMY: SGT.ARTHUR J.BLEDSOE, SON OF MRS.HATTIE BLEDSOE, 1333 BRADY, DETROIT.

PVT.ROBERT D.DICKSON, SON OF RAYMOND L.DICKSON, SR., 230 WILBUR STREET, S.E., GRAND RAPIDS.
PFC.DONALD H.HOIG, SON OF HARRY J.HOIG, BOX 43, CURTIS.
PVT.RAY J.HERSHA, SON OF MRS.ELMKA HERSHA, BOX 991, CLAWSON.
PFC.WILLIAM F.JOHNSON, SON OF WILLIAM JOHNSON, TROUT LAKE.
SGT.FIRST CLASS WILFRED N.SAVAGE SON OF MRS.ARMY RICHARDSON, 5727 MISSOURI AVENUE, DETROIT.
CORP.JOE R.VERNIER, SON OF GEORGIA VERNIER, 2006 GOLF COURS DRIVE, SANA SOUCI.
CAPT.HARRY L.SORENSEN, HUSBAND OF MRS.EDYTHE W.SORENSEN RESIDING IN FAR EAST COMMAND. SON OF MRS.EMMA MEA HOLLY, RFD NO.2, SPARTA.
INJURED:
ARMY:
1ST LIEUT.SCOTT W.COLE, SON OF MRS.JEAN EDNA COLE, 310 W.CADY ST., NORTHVILLE.
MISSING IN ACTION:
ARMY:
PVT.RICHARD L.FISHER, SON OF MRS.CLARA M.FISHER, 106 S.DWIGHT ST., JACKSON.
SGT.ROLAND S.STUDLEY, SON OF MRS.FAYE W.STUDLEY, 217 SOUTH SHERMAN ST., SHERIDAN.
OHIO:
RETURNED TO MILITARY CONTROL:
AIR FORCE:
CAPT.PAUL W.RIDENOUR, HUSBAND OF MRS.JUANITA A.RIDENOUGH, 810 EAST NORTH ST., MIAMI, OHIO. (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).

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OKLAHOMA:
MISSING IN ACTION:
ARMY:

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SGT.FIRST CLASS ARNETT LAMB, SON OF MRS.OLA LAMB, STAR ROUTE, DURANT.
PENNSYLVANIA:
INJURED:
ARMY: CORP.DONALD L.WILKIE, SON OF WILLIAM F.WILKIE, REAR 1546 FERNDALE AVE., JOHNSTOWN.
RETURNED TO MILITARY CONTROL:
ARMY: PFC.ROBERT P.D'ALESSANDRO, SON OF MRS.MARIE D'ALESSANDRO, 613 NINTH ST., READING. (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
TEXAS:
WOUNDED:
ARMY: PFC.REYNALDO PEREA, GRANDSON OF MRS.MARIANA RODRIQUEZ, 719 SOUTH BROWNLEE AVE., CORPUS CHRISTI.
PFC.CURLOUS M.PREAS, SON OF LEWIS H.PREAS, BOX 202, COLEMAN.
PFC.HUBERT A.RECTOR, SON OF MRS.FANNIE M.RECTOR, 804 HOUSTON ST., WACO.
RETURNED TO MILITARY CONTROL:
AIR FORCE: MASTER SGT.WILLIAM L.BRYANT, HUSBAND OF MRS.LOLA M. BRYANT, RFD 1, MERIDIAN. (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
WASHINGTON:
WOUNDED:
ARMY: SGT.SIDNEY PAFFORD, SON OF MRS.MABLE A.FLINT, X/O CHARLES PUGSLEY, ROUTE 1, WENATCHEE.

PFC.GENE W.TALKINGTON, SON OF MRS.JEAN TALKINGTON, 222 JOHN ST., SEATTLE.
WISCONSIN:
KILLED IN ACTION:
ARMY: CORP.RICHARD A.BELL, SON OF MR. & MRS.ARTLETT G.BELL, RFC 1, ROCKFIELD.
INJURED:
ARMY: PVT.GERALD KRUEGER, SON OF MRS.VIOLET CAROLINE HASS, ROUTE NO.4, MERRILL.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, THURSDAY, AUG.3--EDITORS: NOTE DATE--SENT AUG.1)
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A92WX
(200)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 PM EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, TUESDAY, AUG.1)
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG.1-(AP)-THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS HAVE BETTER ARTILLERY THAN THE GERMANS HAD IN WORLD WAR II, LT. COL. JOHN MICHAELIS OF LANCASTER, PA., SAID IN A BROADCAST TONIGHT.
COL. MICHAELIS COMMANDS A REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION IN KOREA. HIS REMARKS WERE RECORDED IN ADVANCE FOR BROADCAST BY THE ABC NETWORK.
"ONE OF THE FIELD ARTILLERY BATTERIES SUPPORTING ME RECEIVED 205 ROUNDS OF DIRECT COUNTER BATTERY FIRE IN A PERIOD OF FOUR HOURS," HE SAID.
"I BELIEVE THESE PEOPLE HAVE MORE ARTILLERY AND BETTER ARTILLERY THAN THE GERMANS HAD DURING THE EUROPEAN CAMPAIGN.
I ENCOUNTERED MUCH ARTILLERY IN EUROPE BUT HERE THE ARTILLERY IS LIKELY TO COME AT YOU FROM 360 DEGREES AND NOT FROM ONE PARTICULAR FRONT.
"I WOULD COMPARE THE NORTH KOREAN ABILITY TO FIGHT WITH THAT OF THE GERMANS AS BEING EQUAL. BUT IT IS MORE CUNNING, IT IS MORE FOX-LIKE, IT IS MORE ANIMAL."
COLONEL MICHAELIS SAID THE MEN OF HIS REGIMENT HAD WITHSTOOD THE ENEMY'S WORST ONSLAUGHT. WITH PROPER BACKING AND PROPER MEANS, HE SAID, SUCH TROOPS WILL LICK THE NORTH KOREANS.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 PM EST TONIGHT TUESDAY AUGUST 1)
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CENSORSHIP
WASHINGTON, AUG 1-(AP)-TWO REPUBLICAN LAWMAKERS TODAY DEMANDED CENSORSHIP OF NEWS FROM THE KOREAN WAR ZONE.
REP. SHAFER (R-MICH) SAID GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR OUGHT TO BE GIVEN AUTHORITY TO INVOKE CENSORSHIP AT ANY TIME ON NEWS AND RADIO DISPATCHES FROM KOREA.
IN A SEPARATE STATEMENT, SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) PROPOSED THAT THE UNITED NATIONS CLAMP CENSORSHIP ON TROOP MOVEMENTS IN THE FIGHTING AREA.
BOTH SAID THERE HAVE BEEN INSTANCES WHERE, BECAUSE OF LACK OF CENSORSHIP, THE NORTH KOREAN INVADERS HAVE RECEIVED INFORMATION OF VALUE.
MAJ. GEN. FLOYD PARKS, ARMY INFORMATION CHIEF, HAS SAID THAT MACARTHUR HAS AUTHORITY TO INSTITUTE CENSORSHIP ANY TIME HE CHOOSES.
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B62WX (LOWELL ADV) (Q)
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(ADVANCE FOR PMS OF MONDAY, JULY 31)
WESTERNERS
BY WILLIAM E.LOWELL
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, JULY 31-(AP)-THE KOREAN CRISIS IS DRAWING ATTENTION TO THE PLIGHT OF WESTERN METAL MINES.
SOMETIME SOON, IT IS EXPECTED, A PROPOSAL AIMED AT STABILIZING THE INDUSTRY--AT LEAST TO THE POINT WHERE IT CAN BE PREPARED TO PRODUCE QUICKLY, WILL BE SENT TO CONGRESS FROM "DOWNTOWN."
IN WASHINGTON, "DOWNTOWN" MEANS THE EXECUTIVE AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS AS CONTRASTED WITH "THE HILL," WHICH MEANS CONGRESS OR THE CAPITOL.
"DOWNTOWN," IN THIS INSTANCE, PROBABLY MEANS THE INTERIOR DEPARTMENT OR ITS BUREAU OF MINES; POSSIBLY THE RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION OR MAYBE THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.
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THE INDUSTRY ITSELF HAS NOT BEEN WHOLLY ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT FEDERAL AID. THERE HAS BEEN SOME FEAR THAT THE PRODUCTION INDUCED IN THIS MANNER MIGHT DEPRESS THE MARKET, DESPITE ATTEMPTED SAFEGUARDS.
IN ANY EVENT, ALL PROPOSED LEGISLATION HAS BEEN BLOCKED SOMEWHERE ALONG THE LINE.
A SENATE-PASSED BILL WAS DEFEATED IN THE HOUSE BY 22 VOTES.
SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO) LAST WEEK INTRODUCED A NEW MEASURE, ALONG MUCH THE SAME LINES AS THAT BILL. IT WOULD AUTHORIZE GRANTS OF $80,000,000 (M) A YEAR FOR THREE YEARS FOR CONSERVATION, EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT.
MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE HAVE SAID THIS IS TOO MUCH MONEY.
THE SENATE TACKED A REQUIREMENT ON THE OLD BILL THAT THE GRANT SHOULD BE REPAID FROM PRODUCTION BUT THE HOUSE MINING SUBCOMMITTEE KNOCKED THIS OUT WITH THE ARGUMENT IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE HOW MUCH PRODUCTION WAS TRACEABLE TO THE GRANT AND THUS THE MINE WOULD BE TIED UP IN GOVERNMENT RED TAPE FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD.
SOMETHING ALONG THE IDEA OF A REPAYMENT PROGRAM MAY, HOWEVER, BE AN ELEMENT OF THE NEXT PROPOSAL.
OR A LOAN PROGRAM BY THE RFC OR FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, ON PROJECTS RECOMMENDED BY THE BUREAU OF MINES, MAY BE OFFERED AS THE SOLUTION.
(END ADVANCE FOR PMS OF MONDAY, JULY 31--MOVED 7/29)
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CONCORD,N.H.,AUG.1-(AP)-GOV.SHERMAN ADAMS SAID TODAY HE WAS RELEASING MAJOR GENERAL FRANK D.MERRILL OF "MERRILL'S MARAUDERS" FAME FROM HIS POST AS NEW HAMPSHIRE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS SO THAT HIS SERVICES MIGHT BE MADE ABAILABLE TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.
MERRILL DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THE ANNOUNCEMENT.

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GENERAL MERRILL BECAME COMMANDER OF A REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM, WHICH CAME TO BEAR THE NAME "MERRILL'S MARAUDERS" IN EARLY 1944. THE "MARAUDERS" PROWLED MUCH OF THE BURMA COUNTRYSIDE.

FOR A TIME MERRILL WAS GEN. "VINEGAR JOE" STILWELL'S AIDE AT THE SOUTHEAST ASIA HEADQUARTERS OF ADM.LOUIS MOUNTBATTEN.

AFTER CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES MERRILL BECAME COMMANDER OF THE 10TH ARMY AT OKINAWA, AND RETIRED FROM ACTIVE SERVICE IN 1948.

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BOSTON,AUG.1-(AP)-ARCHBISHOP RICHARD J.CUSHING TOLD THE ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS TODAY:

"IT IS MY CANDID OPINION, FOR WHAT IT IS WORTH, THAT YOU AND I IN THIS GENERATION WILL NEVER LIVE AGAIN IN A PEACETIME ECONOMY."

THE ARCHBISHOP SPOKE TO 4,000 DELEGATES WHO MARCHED THROUGH A HEAVY RAIN INTO HOLY CROSS CATHEDRAL FOR A PONTIFICAL MASS OPENING THEIR 65TH BIENNIAL CONVENTION.

HE TOLD THE DELEGATES:

"ONLY TODAY I APPEALED TO THE PRIESTS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BOSTON TO VOLUNTEER AS CHAPLAINS. FROM NOW ON OUR PRIESTS WILL HAVE LESS FREEDOM AND MORE WORK. NO LONGER CAN WE AFFORD TO BE SPIRITUAL MILLIONAIRES WHILE OUR MEN ARE DYING IN KOREA."

A[illegible], NATIONAL CHAPLAIN OF THE HIBERNIANS, CELEBRATED

MILLIONAIRES WHILE OUR MEN ARE DYING IN KOREA."

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SPOKANE, WASH., AUG. 1-(AP)-THE SPOKANE AIR FORCE BASE ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT MORE OF ITS B-29 BOMBERS WILL BE LEAVING TO JOIN THE FAR EASTERN AIR FORCE "IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS."

ALREADY IN ACTION AGAINST THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS IS THE 92ND BOMB GROUP MADE UP OF THE B-29 SUPERFORTS. THE FIRST UNIT OF THAT GROUP LEFT THE SPOKANE BASE JULY 4.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY COL. LIFFORD REES, BASE COMMANDER, SAID: "A NUMBER OF B-29 AIRCRAFT WILL DEPART FROM HIS BASE IIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS FOR DUTY WITH THE FAR EASTERN AIR FORCES. THEY WILL SUPPLEMENT B-29 UNITS OF THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND AND THE 20TH AIR FORCE NOW IN OPERATION AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTIC FORCES."

M AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON SAID YESTERDAY ADDITIONAL BOMBERS WOULD BE SENT BUT DID NOT SPECIFY THE UNITS OR THE NUMBERS GOING.

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(350) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY TUESDAY AUG. 1)

(ADVANCE)-(WX)-NEW YORK,AUG.1-(AP)-AFL PRESIDENT WILLIAM GREEN SAID TODAY THAT AMERICAN LABOR IS "RESOLVED TO GIVE WHATEVER IT TAKES TO SAVE THE WORLD FROM BEING OVERRUN BY COMMUNIST AGGRESSION."

PROMPT REPEAL OF THE TAFT-HARTLEY ACT SHOULD STAND AS "THE NUMBER ONE ITEM ON OUR NATIONAL DEFENSE PROGRAM," HE SAID, ARGUING THAT THIS WOULD INSPIRE THE WORKERS TO "PITCH IN AND DO THE TREMENDOUS JOB THAT LIES AHEAD OF THEM."

GREEN'S REMARKS WERE IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT THE CONVENTION OF THE NEW YORK STATE FEDERATION OF LABOR.

HE BEGAN WITH A FORCEFUL EXPRESSION OF LABOR'S SUPPORT OF U.S. ACTION IN KOREA.

"AS MUCH AS WE HATE WAR," HE SAID, "WE HATE OPPRESSION MORE."

HE SAID LABOR IS CONVINCED THAT IF THERE IS ANY HOPE FOR WORLD PEACE IT LIES IN THE PROMPT ATTAINMENT OF OVERWHELMING MILITARY SUPERIORITY BY AMERICA AND HER ALLIES, BECAUSE FORCE IS THE ONLY LANGUAGE RUSSIA UNDERSTANDS.

GREEN DECLARED:

"MUCH AS WE WOULD PREFER TO UTILIZE OUR NATURAL RESOURCES AND INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION FOR PEACEFUL PURSUITS AND THE IMPROVEMENT OF ECONOMIC STANDARDS, WE REALIZE THAT FIRST THINGS COME FIRST, THAT PEACE MUST BE SAFEGUARDED AT ANY COST AND THAT THE DEFENSE PROGRAM MUST TAKE PRIORITY."

NEXT HE ASSAILED THE "TORYISM" THAT HE SAID HAS OPPOSED "THE SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC GAINS WON BY AMERICAN LABOR."

IT WAS AT THAT POINT THAT HE DEMANDED--AS LABOR LEADERS OFTEN HAVE--THE REPEAL OF THE TAFT-HARTLEY ACT. RELATING THIS DEMAND TO THE DEFENSE PROGRAM, GREEN SAID:

"I SAY WITH FULL CONFIDENCE THAT HALF THE PRODUCTION BATTLE WOULD BE WON IN ADVANCE WITH ACTION BY CONGRESS NOW TO REPEAL THE TAFT-HARTLEY ACT AND REPLACE IT WITH A FAIR AND JUST LAW. . . .."

GREEN CLOSED WITH AN OPTIMISTIC STATEMENT CONCERNING THE CURRENT AFL-CIO UNITY TALKS. HE SAID THE COMBINED IMPETUS OF THE NATIONAL DEFENSE EMERGENCY AND THE EFFECTS OF THE TAFT-HARTLEY ACT HAVE BROUGHT ABOUT "THE MOST ENCOURAGING PROGRESS TOWARD LABOR UNITY IN AMERICA SINCE THE SPLIT OCCURRED IN 1935."

(END ADVANCE FOR 10 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY TUESDAY, AUG. 1.)

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NIGHT LEAD PACT

BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

LONDON, AUG.1-(AP)-TOP CIVILIAN AND MILITARY PLANNERS OF THE 12 NORTH ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS MET TODAY TO DISCUSS WHAT INFORMED SOURCES SAID WAS CREATION OF A FULL TIME, LONDON-BASED HIGH COMMAND.

THE JOB OF THIS COMMAND WOULD BE TO KNIT TOGETHER THE SEVERAL DIFFERENT ACTIVITIES OF THE ALLIANCE'S MANY MILITARY AGENCIES.

AMONG THEM ARE:

THE SCANDINAVIAN, WEST EUROPEAN AND MEDITERRANEAN REGIONAL DEFENSE PLANNING GROUPS.

THE SUPPLY AND PRODUCTION BOARD.

THE AIR AND SHIPPING COMMITEES.

IN THE PAST THESE AGENCIES HAVE REPORTED DIRECTLY TO THE AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH STANDING GROUP OF THE PACT'S WASHINGTON-BASED MILITARY COMMITTEE.

AS A RESULT, THE INFORMANTS SAID, THERE HAS BEEN LITTLE DIRECT CONTACT OR COORDINATION BETWEEN THE VARIOUS REGIONAL BLOCS. FORMATION OF A PERMANENT 12-NATION MILITARY BOARD IS DESIGNED TO CORRECT THIS. THE BODY WOULD BE RESPONSIBLE TO THE COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES, WHO ARE BEGINNING THEIR SECOND WEEK'S WORK HERE ON THE WEST'S PROGRAM OF REARMAMENT.

THREE MEMBERS OF THE PACT'S STANDING GROUP-- WHICH LAYS DOWN THE WEST'S GRAND STRATEGY--ARRIVED BY PLANE FROM WASHINGTON FOR TWO-DAY TALKS WITH THE DEPUTIES.

THEY ARE LT. GEN. WILLIS CRITTENBERGER, U.S. ARMY; LORD TEDDER, MARSHAL OF BRITAIN'S RAF; AND LT. GEN. PAUL ELY, FRENCH ARMY.

THE DEPUTIES THEMSELVES LAST WEEK REVIEWED WHAT EACH PACT NATION INTENDS TO DO TO STEP UP REARMAMENT AND OVERALL MILITARY PREPAREDNESS.

NOW, WITH THEIR STRATEGIC PLANNERS TO HELP, THEY ARE TRYING TO MEASURE THE GAP BETWEEN WESTERN NEEDS AND WESTERN PERFORMANCE.
THEIR NEXT STEP WILL BE TO SEE HOW THE GAP CAN BE BRIDGED-- AT LEAST IN TERMS OF AIRCRAFT, GUNS, TANKS, STEEL AND OTHER WAR GOODS.
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A102 (230)
LONDON, AUG. 1-(AP)-THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS CALLED THE PACT'S FULLTIME MILITARY BOARD HERE FOR SPECIAL TALKS TODAY.
AMERICAN, FRENCH AND BRITISH MILITARY MEN FLEW HERE FROM WASHINGTON TO MEET WITH THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL DEPUTIES.
THE DEPUTIES ARE BEGINNING THEIR SECOND WEEK OF WORK ON PLANS TO SPEED REARMAMENT OF THE WEST AGAINST AGGRESSION.
THE MILITARY EXPERTS ARE KNOWN AS THE STANDING GROUP, SITTING PERMANENTLY IN WASHINGTON.
MEMBERS OF THE STANDING GROUP WHO CAME HERE ARE LIEUT. GEN. WILLIS D.CRITTENBERGER, U.S. ARMY, CHAIRMAN; LORD TEDDER, MARSHAL OF BRITAIN'S ROYAL AIR FORCE, AND LIEUT. GEN. PAUL ELY, FRENCH ARMY.
A BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENT ISSUED BY THE U.S. NAVY OFFICE HERE SAID THE MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY EXPERTS ARE "IN LONDON AT THE REQUEST OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION COUNCIL DEPUTIES TO MEET BRIEFLY WITH THAT BODY DURING THE CURRENT SESSION."
"THE STANDING GROUP IS THE FULL TIME MILITARY PLANNING AGENCY OF THE MILITARY COMMITTEE AND WILL CONFER WITH THE COUNCIL DEPUTIES ON MATTERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION PLANNING WITH WHICH THE STANDING GROUP IS CONCERNED," THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.
AFTER FOUR DAYS OF SECRET SESSIONS LAST WEEK, THE COUNCIL DEPUTIES ANNOUNCED THEY HAD DECIDED ON WAYS TO STEP UP DEFENSE PRODUCTION IN WESTERN EUROPE.
BUT AMERICAN CHAIRMAN CHARLES M.SPOFFORD DECLINED TO GIVE NEWSMEN ANY DETAILS. THE NATURE OF THE GROUP'S WORK, HE SAID, PREVENTED SUCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.
THE DEPUTIES ADJOURNED OVER THE WEEKEND UNTIL TODAY IN ORDER TO INFORM THEIR GOVERNMENTS OF THE DECISIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS THEY HAD REACHED.
ONE SOURCE SAID THE DEPUTIES' TALKS WITH THE MILITARY EXPERTS PROBABLY WILL BE THE FIRST OF MANY " MAN-TO-MAN TALKS WITH VARIOUS PACT GROUPS."
"THE BASIC PROBLEM IS THE SPEEDING UP OF DEFENSE AND REARMAMENT PROGRAMS," THE SOURCE SAID, "AND THE STANDING GROUP KNOWS MORE ABOUT WHAT IS INVOLVED THAN ANYONE ELSE."
CRITTENBERGER, U.S. CHAIRMAN OF THE STANDING GROUP, IS THE DEPUTY OF GENERAL OMAR BRADLEY, WHO HEADS THE U.S. CHIEFS OF STAFF.
MOSCOW'S PRAVDA, OFFICIAL COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER, DECLARED TODAY THAT ONE AIM OF THE PACT DEPUTIES WAS TO GIVE BRADLEY "DICTATORIAL RIGHTS."
"A NEW THING IN THE ORGANIZATIONAL SPHERE IS THAT THE MOST IMPORTANT MILITARY LEVERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC BLOC MUST BE FINALLY HANDED OVER TO THE AMERICAN MILITARY," SAID A TASS DISPATCH QUOTING PRAVDA.
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WITH LONDON (160)
PARIS, WEDNESDAY, AUG.2-(AP)-FRENCH DELEGATES TO THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT MEETING AT LONDON WERE REPORTED TODAY TO HAVE A PROPOSAL READY FOR PRESENTATION WHICH WOULD CALL FOR A POOL OF THE AREA'S MILITARY RESOURCES.
NO OFFICIAL INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE ON WHAT THE FRENCH MEMORANDUM CONTAINS. SOME FRENCH SOURCES SAID. HOWEVER, THAT AMERICAN TROOPS WOULD BE INCLUDED IN THE PROPOSED POOL.
OTHERS REPORTED THAT THE CHIEF CONCERN OF THE FRENCH WAS TO GET A POOLING OF THE ATLANTIC AREA'S FINANCIAL RESOURCES FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES.
THE FRENCH ARE ALSO SAID TO WANT TO COORDINATE, OR EVEN TO FUSE SOME OF THE ORGANIZATIONS ALREADY CONCERNED WITH WESTERN PROBLEMS LIKE THE FIVE-POWER BRUSSELS ORGANIZATION, THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF WHICH ENDED A MEETING YESTERDAY AT THE HAGUE.
AMERICAN OFFICIALS ARE KNOWN TO BE SYMPATHETIC TO ANY MILITARY PROJECT THAT WILL DRAW WESTERN POWERS CLOSER TOGETHER AND GIVE THEM JOBS THEY CAN BEST PERFORM IN THE COMMON TASK OF DEFENSE. THEY ARE WARY, HOWEVER, OF ANY SCHEME DESIGNED TO MAKE THE UNITED STATES SHOULDER ALL OR PRACTICALLY ALL OF THE BURDENS.
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AMS BUDGET (700)
NIGHT LEAD LEOPOLD
BY JOHN RODERICK

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.1-(AP)-MILITANT SOCIALIST LEADERS, FLUSHED WITH A CONDITIONAL VICTORY OVER KING LEOPOLD III, CALLED OFF ANTI-LEOPOLDIST STRIKES TONIGHT AND STARTED THE NEAR-PROSTRATE NATION BACK TOWARD NORMALCY.
THOUSANDS OF SOCIALIST WORKERS GATHERED AT PARTY HEADQUARTERS TO CHEER THE NEWS THAT THE KING WAS PREPARED TO HAND HIS RECENTLY RE-ASSUMED REGAL POWERS TO HIS 19-YEAR-OLD SON, CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN, WITH THE IMPLICATION THAT BAUDOUIN WOUL BECOME KING IN FACT WHEN HE REACHES THE AGE OF 21 SEPT.7, 1951.
PRESUMABLY SATISFIED WITH THE TERMS OF A COMPROMISE REACHED AFTER A CONFUSING 36 HOURS OF ON-AGAIN, OFF-AGAIN BARGAINING, THE SOCIALIST-LED BELGIAN TRADE UNION FEDERATION DIRECTED STRIKERS TO RETURN TO WORK TOMORROW AND END THEIR DEMONSTRATIONS. SOCIALIST LEADERS HAVE REPORTED 500,000 WORKERS--ABOUT ONE-FOURTH OF BELGIUM'S LABOR FORCE--WERE ON STRIKE AGAINST THE MONARCH, WHO RETURNED ONLY 10 DAYS AGO AFTER SIX YEARS IN EXILE.
LEOPOLD'S EXPECTED CAPITULATION--ABDICATION WAS IMPLIED ONLY IN THE KING'S PROMISSORY NOTE CONDITIONALLY DUE-DATED SEPT.7, 1951--WAS REGARDED AS A TRIUMPH FOR THE SOCIALIST-WORKER GROUP. IN ADDITION, THE SOCIALISTS JUBILANTLY CLAIMED THREE CONCESSIONS FROM THE PRO-LEOPOLD SOCIAL CHRISTIAN (CATHOLIC) GOVERNMENT. THESE WERE:
1--THE RELEASE OF ALL PERSONS ARRESTED IN THE DISORDERS OF THE PAST FEW DAYS.
2--NO PUNITIVE ACTION TO BE TAKEN AGAINST PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND CIVIL SERVANTS WHO REFUSED TO CARRY OUT ORDERS DETRIMENTAL TO THE STRIKERS.
3--A CALL FOR A NATIONAL LABOR CONFERENCE IN BRUSSELS AUG.7-8, DURING WHICH REPRESENTATIVES OF LABOR, EMPLOYERS, AND THE GOVERNMENT WILL DISCUSS WAGE AND HOUR DEMANDS.
THE PRICE TAG FOR THESE TERMS WAS RELATIVELY HIGH: A NATIONWIDE STRIKE, THE FATAL SHOOTING OF THREE ANTI-LEOPOLDISTS, SOME SABOTAGE, AND THE THREAT OF A MASS MARCH ON THE CAPITAL.
EXTREMISTS, NOTABLY THE COMMUNISTS, CRIED FOR PUSHING THEIR ADVANTAGE. THEY DEMANDED NOTHING LESS THAN THE KING'S UNCONDITIONAL ABDICATION AND HIS SWIFT EXILE. TO COMMUNIST HECKLERS SHOUTING "SELL OUT!" AND "ABDICATION" IN THE HISTORIC "SQUARE OF THE MARTYRS" IN DOWNTOWN BRUSSELS, SOCIALIST DEPUTY ISABELLE BLUM GAVE THE PARTY'S ANSWER:
"WE HAVE HAD A BLOODLESS VICTORY. HOW MANY HUNDRED MUST BE KILLED TO GET RID OF A KING?"

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SOCIALIST PARTY PRESIDENT MAX BUSET WAS SHOUTED INTO MOMENTARY SILENCE AS HE SOUGHT TO EXPLAIN HIS AGREEMENT TO THE COMPROMISE. THEN, ABOVE THE UPROAR OF "ABDICATION!", HE CRIED THAT HE, TOO, HAD PLEADED FOR ABDICATION IN HIS MEETINGS WITH THE MONARCH AND PREMIER JEAN DUVIEUSART, ADDING:

"I HEAR PEOPLE SHOUTING ABDICATION WITHOUT CONDITIONS. I AM IN AGREEMENT, BUT I WONDER IF THEY REALIZE THE GRAVITY OF WHAT THEY ARE ASKING. IF THERE WAS A WAY TO AVOID BLOODSHED, WE WANTED TO TAKE IT."

BUSET SAID THE STRONGEST OBJECTION TO COMPLETE AND IMMEDIATE ABDICATION WAS THAT IT WOULD APPEAR AS "A HUMILIATION, OUTRAGE, AND MISFORTUNE" TO THE KING'S AHDERENTS. (A REFERENDUM LAST SPRING SHOWED 57 PER CENT OF BELGIUM'S VOTERS WANTED LEOPOLD TO RETURN.)

"POLITICS ARE LIKE A GAME OF CHESS," EXPLAINED THE SOCIALIST LEADER. "WHEN YOU PLAY ALONE, IT'S VERY EASY. BUT YOUR OPPONENTS CAN MOVE PIECES ON THE BOARD JUST AS YOU CAN."

DURING THE LAST 48 HOURS, IT APPEARED AT TIMES THAT BELGIUM WAS PERILOUSLY CLOSE TO CIVIL WAR OVER HER KING--A TARGET OF CRITICISM SINCE HE SURRENDERED BELGIUM'S ARMY TO THE GERMANS AFTER ONLY 18 DAYS OF FIGHTING IN 1940.

FACED WITH THE PROSPECT OF ADDITIONAL VIOLENCE AND INTENSIFIED DEMANDS FOR HIS ABDICATION, LEOPOLD FINALLY NOTIFIED AN EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL OF MINISTERS IN THE NIGHT THAT HE WAS PREPARED TO YIELD.

FIRST, HE SAID, HE WOULD ASK THE GOVERNMENT AND THE PARLIAMENT TO PASS THE NECESSARY MEASURES DELEGATING HIS AUTHORITY TO THE CROWN PRINCE. THIS, HE SUGGESTED, WOULD CLEAR THE WAY FOR HIS OWN ABDICATION AND THE PRINCE'S ACCESSION ON BECOMING OF AGE, SEPT.7, 1951--PROVIDING THE GOVERNMENT REMAINED UNITED BEHIND THE YOUTH. WITH ALL THE MAJOR PARTIES APPARENTLY AGREED ON THE PRELIMINARIES, PARLIAMENTARY PASSAGE OF THE NECESSARY LEGISLATION SEEMED ASSURED. IT WAS POSSIBLE, HOWEVER, THAT LEGISLATIVE ACTION MIGHT DRAG FOR TWO WEEKS.

YET TO BE ANSWERED IS THE PROVOCATIVE QUESTION: WILL LEOPOLD REMAIN IN BELGIUM, A RULER IN NAME ONLY, WHILE HIS SON IS ACCREDITED WITH REGAL AUTHORITY? THE ONLY WORD FROM LOEPOLD'S HEAVILY GUARDED STONE PALACE AT LAEKEN WAS THAT "THERE IS NO QUESTION OF THE KING LEAVING AT PRESENT."

ALTHOUGH CALM WAS RETURNING TO BELGIUM, REINFORCED MOUNTED GENDARMES CONTINUED TONIGHT TO PATROL THE AREA AROUND THE PARLIAMENT AND GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS. BARBED-WIRE BARRICADES WERE UNROLLED AND TWO ARMORED CARS ROVED ABOUT.

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SECOND LEAD LEOPOLD

BY GODFREY ANDERSON

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 1-(AP)-THE SOCIALIST-CONTROLLED BELGIAN TRADE UNION FEDERATION ORDERED ALL STRIKING WORKERS TO RETURN TO THEIR JOBS TODAY AFTER KING LEOPOLD ASKED PARLIAMENT TO DELEGATE HIS POWERS TO HIS SON, PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

STHE KING OFFERED, IN EFFECT, A SLOW-MOTION ABDICATION. WITH HIS POWERS TRANSFERRED TO THE YOUNG PRINCE, LEOPOLD WOULD REMAIN KING IN NAME ONLY. THE PRINCE WOULD BECOME KING ON HIS 21ST BIRTHDAY NEXT YEAR IF THE SOLUTION PROPOSED BY LEOPOLD BROUGHT PEACE TO THE COUNTRY.

CROWDS OUTSIDE SOCIALIST HEADQUARTERS CHEERED A GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCEMENT THAT DECREED ALL PERSONS ARRESTED DURING THE PAST FEW DAYS OF DISORDERS WILL BE RELEASED.

THIS EASED THE CRITICAL TENSION THAT HAS PERVADED BELGIUM FOR WEEKS, BUT THE AREA OF BRUSSELS AROUND PARLIAMENT AND THE MINISTRIES WAS PUT INTO A STATE OF SIEGE THIS AFTERNOON, 12 HOURS AFTER LEOPOLD'S ANNOUNCEMENT. POLICE FROM ALL OVER BRUSSELS WERE CONCENTRATED THERE. THEY PUT UP BARBED WIRE FENCES AND STATIONED ARMORED CARS BETWEEN THE ROYAL PALACE AND PARLIAMENT.

MOST OF THE CITY WAS QUIET, HOWEVER. A SMALL NUMBER OF STRIKERS RODE AROUND IN TRUCKS DECORATED WITH THE YELLOW AND RED EMBLEM OF THE WALLOONS, LEOPOLD'S PRINCIPAL OPPONENTS.

COMMUNISTS AT A DEMONSTRATION CHARGED THE ANTI-LEOPOLD OPPOSITION HAD SOLD OUT. MAX BUSET, SOCIALIST LEADER, WAS HOWLED DOWN WITH CRIES OF "ABDICATION, WE WANT ABDICATION" AS HE TRIED TO SPEAK FROM A BALCONY.

THE SOCIALISTS,RBUSET SAID, HAD AGREED TO THE SETTLEMENT BECAUSE OTHERWISE HUNDREDS MIGHT HAVE BEEN KILLED.

SOME FEARED THE SOCIALIST LEADERS OF THE ANTI-LEOPOLD MOVEMENT MIGHT NOT BE ABLE TO CONTROL THEIR PARTY WHEN THE PROPOSED AGREEMENT COMES BEFORE PARLIAMENT.

THE KING IMPLIED A PROMISE OF ABDICATION WITH THESE WORDS:

"THIS ATTRIBUTION OF ROYAL POWERS TO PRINCE BAUDOUIN SEEMS TO ME A NECESSARY STEP TOWARDS THE SOLUTION WHICH OUGHT TO CLEAR THE WAY FOR ACCESSION OF THE CROWN PRINCE TO THE THRONE WHEN HE REACHES HIS CIVIL MAJORITY (AT 21) IF, AS I HOPE AND DESIRE, THE RECONCILIATION PROMISED ABOUT MY SON TAKES PLACE."

BAUDOUIN WILL BE 21 ON SEPT.7,1951.

SOME ANTI-LEOPOLD SOCIALIST LEADERS TERMED THE KING'S OFFER "SATISFACTORY." HOWEVER, THE TRADE UNION FEDERATION, WHICH HAD SPONSORED WIDESPREAD STRIKES DEMANDING ABDICATION, CALLED FOR ITS REGIONAL COMMITTEES TO MEET FOR A FRESH EVALUATION OF THE NEW SITUATION.

LEOPOLD HAD OFFERED YESTERDAY TO ABDICATE, THEN QUALIFIED HIS OFFER WITH CONDITIONS THE SOCIALISTS AND LIBERALS TERMED UNACCEPTABLE. HIS LATEST MOVE CAME AS BRUSSELS ALREADY WAITED BEHIND CLOSED SHUTTERS FOR A GREAT MOTORISED PROTEST MARCH ON THE CAPITAL TODAY BY THOUSANDS OF STRIKERS.

ORGANIZERS OF THE MARCH CALLED IT OFF IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE BROADCAST OF THE KING'S MESSAGE. BUT THE MARCHERS WERE ALREADY IN MOTION AND SOME HAD ARVIVED IN BRUSSELS.

LEOPOLD'S LATEST OFFER WAS THE SAME HE MADE APRIL 15 WHEN BELGIUM'S OPPOSING POLITICAL PARTIES WERE NEGOTIATING FOR A SOLUTION OF THE ROYAL CRISIS. IT WAS REJECTED THEN BY SOCIALISTS AND LIBERALS BECAUSE THE KING REFUSED TO PROMISE TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY WHILE BAUDOUIN HELD THE ROYAL AUTHORITY.

THE STATEMENT TODAY MADE NO MENTION OF WHAT THE KING PLANNED IN THIS RESPECT.

THE KING'S STATEMENT APPEALED TO ALL BELGIANS TO CLOSE RANKS AND FACE UP TO THE URGENT INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS CONFRONTING THE COUNTRY.

"I HOPE," THE KING SAID, "NOW THAT A SOLUTION OF APPEASEMENT HAS COME AFTER THE GRAVE DIFFICULTIES OF THE LAST DAYS, THE IMPORTANT SOCIAL, CULTURAL AND REGIONAL PROBLEMS WHICH ARE BEING POSED IN THE COUNTRY WILL SOON FIND THEIR SOLUTION IN THE NORMAL WAY OF OUR DEMOCRATIC REGIME."

THE 48-YEAR-OLD LEOPOLD, WHO WAS EXILED IN 1945 BECAUSE HE HAD SURRENDERED TO THE GERMANS DURING WORLD WAR II, RETURNED TO THE THRONE JULY 22.

HE HAD BEEN CALLED BACK BY THE SOCIAL CHRISTIAN (CATHOLIC) MAJORITY IN PARLIAMENT AT A SESSION BOYCOTTED BY THE SOCIALIST, LIBERAL AND COMMUNIST OPPOSITION.

SINCE HIS RETURN THE KING HAD REMAINED IN SECLUSION AT HIS HEAVILY GUARDED PALACE IN SUBURBAN LAEKEN WHILE DEMONSTRATIONS AND STRIKES PROTESTING HIS PRESENCE RAGED THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY.

THE NEGOTIATIONS WHICH CULMINATED IN TODAY'S STATEMENT WERE PRECIPITATED BY THE KILLING OF THREE ANTI-LEOPOLD METAL WORKERS SUNDAY BY GENDARMES WHO FIRED ON A DEMONSTRATION AT LIEGE.

THE SHOOTINGS FANNED THE AROUSED STRIKERS TO A FEVER PITCH AND LED TO FEARS OF ALL-OUT CIVIL WAR.

WHILE THE KING'S STATEMENT WAS BEING READ TO NEWSMEN IN PREMIER JEAN DUVIEUSART'S OFFICE THE CLATTER OF MOUNTED GENDARMES OUTSIDE DROVE HOME THE SERIOUSNESS OF THE SITUATION.

THEY WERE READY TO COMBAT THE THREATENED MARCH ON BRUSSELS WHICH WAS THE SOCIALISTS' BIGGEST WEAPON IN FORCING A QUICK ROYAL DECISION.

THE CRISIS REACHED ITS CLIMAX AND MOVED TOWARD A SOLUTION WHILE MOST OF BELGIUM'S 8,000,000 PEOPLE SLEPT. MONDAY NIGHT LEOPOLD AGREED TO BE KING IN NAME ONLY IN ORDER TO PREVENT A POSSIBLE NATIONAL BLOOD BATH.

A SHORT WHILE LATER HE MODIFIED HIS OFFER, REPORTEDLY REFUSING TO ET BAUDOUIN'S 21ST BIRTHDAY AS A HARD AND FAST ABDICATION DATE AND REFUSING TO LEAVE BELGIUM.

THE BELGIAN NATIONAL RADIO, WHICH GENERALLY GOES OFF THE AIR AT MIDNIGHT, STAYED ON TO BROADCAST THE EXPECTED NEWS OF THE TRANSFER OF AUTHORITY, BUT IT DID NOT COME.

"THIS IS A MAD STORY," SAID A LIBERAL SPOKESMAN.

THE SOCIAL CHRISTIAN CABINET MEANWHILE CONFERRED THROUGH THE NIGHT WITH THE MONARCH. HIS DECISION WAS REACHED AS DAWN BROKE.

VERY STRONG FORCES OF BELGIAN STATE POLICE, WITH RIFLES AND STEN GUNS, WERE MASSED AT STRATEGIC POINTS IN THE CITY. STORES, HOTELS, RESTAURANTS, CAFES AND MOVIES WERE CLOSED.

STRIKES CONTINUED THROUGHOUT MOST OF BELGIUM TODAY BUT THE TRADE UNION EXECUTIVE PRESUMABLY WAS CONSIDERING CALLING THEM OFF IN VIEW OF THE KING'S STATEMENT.

NEWSPAPERS ANNOUNCING THE STATEMENT SOLD OUT RAPIDLY AND LONG LINES STARTED FORMING IN FRONT OF NEWSSTANDS ALL OVER BRUSSELS.

THE TEXT OF THE MESSAGE WAS BROADCAST REPEATEDLY OVER THE NATIONAL RADIO.

THE NEXT MOVE IS UP TO PARLIAMENT. PREMIER DUVIEUSART'S GOVERNMENT WILL HAVE TO PRESENT A BILL TO BOTH HOUSES TO CARRY OUT THE KING'S OFFER.

THE BILL CAN BE PRESENTED FIRST IN EITHER HOUSE. IT WILL BE REFERRED TO A SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON WHICH THE MINISTERS OF THE INTERIOR AND JUSTICE WOULD PROBABLY SIT AND THEN WILL BE DEBATED AND VOTED IN OPEN SESSION.

THERE WERE REPORTS THE CABINET WOULD MEET FIRST TO DISCUSS THE TEXT OF THE BILL TO BE PRESENTED TO PARLIAMENT.

MEANWHILE, BARBED WIRE ANTI-RIOT BARRIERS WERE THROWN AROUND THE AREA OF PARLIAMENT AND THE GOVERNMENT OFFICES IN BRUSSELS.

ALTHOUGH THE MAIN BODY OF THE ANTI-LEOPOLD FORCES APPEARED WILLING TO LISTEN TO ITS SOCIALIST AND LIBERAL LEADERS, THE COMMUNISTS THREW IN A DISSENTING NOTE.

NOISY COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATORS GATHERED IN FRONT OF SOCIALIST HEADQUARTERS SHOUTING FOR UNCONDITIONAL ABDICATION.

WHEN BUSET APPEARED TO TRY TO EXPLAIN TO THEM THE COMPLICATIONS OF THE ISSUE AS IT STANDS NOW, THE COMMUNISTS SHOUTED HIM DOWN WITH BITTER CHARGES THAT THE ANTI-LEOPOLD FORCES HAD BEEN "SOLD OUT" BY THEIR LEADERS.

TWO GROUPS OF DEMONSTRATORS MARCHED TOWARD THE CENTER OF BRUSSELS WITHOUT INTERFERENCE BY THE POLICE. THE LARGER GROUP CARRIED A RED FLAG. THE SECOND GROUP CARRIED YELLOW FLAGS OF THE STRONGLY ANTI-LEOPOLD WALLOON AREA. ABOUT 20 PERSONS WERE GATHERED IN FRONT OF LAEKEN PALACE GATES.

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 1-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KING LEOPOLD'S MESSAGE:

THE KING HAVING RECEIVED THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THREE TRADITIONAL PARTIES, WHO TOLD HIM THAT THEY HOPED AN END COULD BE PUT TO THE CRISIS THAT THE COUNTRY IS GOING THROUGH, RESPECTING THE MONARCHY AND THE DYNASTY AND WITH THE DESIRE TO ASSURE THE UNION OF THE BELGIANS FOREMOST, THE KING REPLIED TO THEM:

"EVER SINCE THE ROYAL CRISIS IN BELGIUM HAS BEEN GOING ON, I HAVE ALWAYS BELIEVED THAT THE FIRST MEASURE TO BE TAKEN WAS TO RESTORE CONSTITUTIONAL ORDER.

"NOW THAT IS ACCOMPLISHED. I HAVE ALWAYS THOUGHT IT MY DUTY TO REPLY TO THE DESIRE WHICH WOULD BE EXPRESSED BY THE JOINT CHAMBERS OF PARLIAMENT TO SEE ME RESUME THE EXERCISE OF MY CONSTITUTIONAL PREROGATIVES.

"THAT IS WHAT I DID ON JULY 22.

"ON APRIL 15, 1950, IN MY MESSAGE TO THE NATION, I RECALLED THAT I CONSIDERED MY ROLE OF CHIEF OF STATE AS BEING APART FROM AND ABOVE PARTIES, SO AS TO PERMIT ME TO FULFILL THE ROLE OF ARBITRATOR IN A MOMENT OF CRISIS, WITH THE SINGLE THOUGHT OF THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE COUNTRY.

"SINCE MY RETURN TO BELGIUM, I HAVE NOTED WITH PAINFUL REGRET THAT THE PASSIONS DIVIDING BELGIANS ABOUT MY PERSON, INSTEAD OF DIMINISHING HAVE INCREASED AND THREATENED TO SUBJECT THE COUNTRY TO GRAVE PREJUDICE AT A MOMENT WHEN THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION CALLS MORE THAN EVER FOR STRENGTHENING OF THE COUNTRY'S SOLIDARITY.

"IN THESE CONDITIONS, I HAVE DECIDED TO ASK THE GOVERNMENT AND PARLIAMENT TO VOTE, AS I HAD SUGGESTED IN MY APRIL MESSAGE, A LAW ASSURING THE DELEGATION OF MY POWERS TO MY SON, PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

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"THIS ATTRIBUTION OF ROYAL POWERS TO PRINCE BAUDOUIN SEEMS TO ME A NECESSARY STEP TOWARDS THE SOLUTION WHICH OUGHT TO CLEAR THE WAY FOR ACCESSION OF THE CROWN PRINCE TO THE THRONE WHEN HE REACHES HIS CIVIL MAJORITY (AT 21) IF, AS I HOPE AND DESIRE, THE RECONCILIATION PROMISED ABOUT MY SON TAKES PLACE.

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"I TAKE THIS GRAVE DECISION AFTER HAVING BEEN ASSURED BY QUALIFIED PERSONALITIES THAT THE THREE NATIONAL PARTIES WILL GIVE MY SON THE MOST LOYAL POLITICAL COOPERATION AND WILL DO THEIR UTMOST TO REALIZE THE UNION OF BELGIANS ABOUT HIS PERSON.

"I HOPE, NOW THAT A SOLUTION OF APPEASEMENT HAS COME AFTER THE GRAVE DIFFICULTIES OF THE LAST DAYS, THAT THE IMPORTANT SOCIAL, CULTURAL AND REGIONAL PROBLEMS WHICH ARE BEING POSED IN THE COUNTRY WILL SOON FIND THEIR SOLUTION IN THE NORMAL WAY OF OUR DEMOCRATIC REGIME.

"TO ALL BELGIANS I MAKE AN URGENT APPEAL FOR UNION, ESPECIALLY TO THOSE WHO FOR MANY YEARS HAVE NEVER CEASED TO SHOW ME THEIR MOVING FIDELITY.

"MAY EVERYONE GIVE MY SON THEIR LOYAL COOPERATION AND HELP IN THE HEAVY TASKS WHICH WILL WEIGH ON HIS SHOULDERS."

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LONDON, AUG.1-(AP)-EXPERTS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE WILL SOON SUGGEST TO THEIR GOVERNMENTS THAT WEST GERMANY BE GIVEN MORE CONTROL OVER HER FOREIGN AFFAIRS, INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY.

A STUDY GROUP REPRESENTING THE THREE OCCUPYING POWERS WAS REPORTED TO HAVE AGREED IN PRINCIPLE TO RECOMMEND THAT THE BONN GOVERNMENT BE

EMPOWERED--AMONG OTHER THINGS--TO SET UP ITS OWN FOREIGN MINISTRY.
THE FINDINGS, SUMMING UP WEEKS OF STUDY, WILL BE DISCUSSED BY THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN NEW YORK IN SEPTEMBER. THE THREE-NATION ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION NOW HANDLES MOST OF WEST GERMANY'S FOREIGN RELATIONS.
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MANSTON, ENG., AUG 1-(AP)-BRITISH AIR SECRETARY ARTHUR HENDERSON TOLD AMERICAN AIRMEN TODAY THAT U.S. FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS WOULD REMAIN IN BRITAIN INDEFINITELY.
ON A TOUR OF U.S. AIR FORCE B-29 BOMBER AND F-84 JET FIGHTER UNITS IN EAST ANGLIA AND KENT, HENDERSON SAID AMERICAN WARPLANES WOULD STAY HERE AS LONG AS IT WAS DESIRABLE IN THE INTERESTS OF COMMON DEFENSE.
THERE ARE 100 B-29 BOMBERS AND ABOUT 75 F-84 JET FIGHTERS NOW OCCUPYING FOUR BASES IN BRITAIN.
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ROME, AUG. 1-(AP)-A SMALL BOMB EXPLODED IN THE ENTRANCE TO A LOCAL MOVIEHOUSE SHOWING AN ANTI-COMMUNIST FILM LAST NIGHT. TWO WOMEN WERE PAINFULLY INJURED IN THE WILD RUSH OF SPECTATORS FOR EXITS.
IT WAS THE SECOND TIME IN A WEEK THAT A BOMB HAD INTERRUPTED THE SHOWING OF AN ANTI-COMMUNIST FILM.
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NIGHT LEAD FIVE-POWER

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BY NEL SLIS
THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG.1-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN UNION NATIONS HAVE DECIDED TO INCREASE SUBSTANTIALLY THE DEFENSE EFFORT OF THE FIVE MEMBERS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY, A COMMUNIQUE SAID TONIGHT.
THE MEMBERS ARE BRITAIN, FRANCE, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS AND LUXEMBOURG. THE COMMUNIQUE, ISSUED AFTER A SIX-HOUR MEETING UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF DUTCH FOREIGN MINISTER DIRK U.STIKKER, SAID:
"THE COUNCIL PROCEEDED TO AN EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION, WITH PARTICULAR REGARD TO THE RECENT EVENTS IN THE FAR EAST.
"IN THE LIGHT OF THE NEW SITUATION RESULTING FROM THESE EVENTS, THE COUNCIL EXAMINED THE WORK DONE BY THE DEFENSE ORGANIZATION AND IN PARTICULAR THE CONCLUSIONS REACHED BY THE DEFENSE MINISTERS AT THEIR MEETING AT FONTAINEBLEAU ON JULY 20."
THE DEFENSE MINISTERS HAD AGREED THE UNION'S MEMBERS SHOULD SPEED REARMAMENT AGAINST POSSIBLE AGGRESSION.
STIKKER TOLD NEWSMEN BOTH THE BELGIAN AND DUTCH GOVERNMENTS WILL MAKE STATEMENTS ON DEFENSE CONTRIBUTIONS IN A FEW DAYS. BRITISH AND FRENCH OFFICIALS ALREADY HAVE ANNOUNCED EXTRA DEFENSE EXPENDITURES IN REPLY TO REQUESTS BY THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES NOW MEETING IN LONDON.
"WE HAD VERY FRANK DISCUSSIONS AND WE ARE DETERMINED TO STRENGTHEN THE POSITION OF THE WEST," STIKKER SAID. "A CONTRIBUTION FROM ALL OF US IS NECESSARY ALSO WITH A VIEW TO THE MORALE OF THE FAR EAST."
STIKKER SAID DETAILED PLANS FOR INCREASING WESTERN EUROPEAN MILITARY STRENGTH WERE SECRET. HE REFUSED TO COMMIT HIMSELF ON QUESTIONS WHETHER ANY POOLING OF RESOURCES HAD BEEN DECIDED UPON FINALLY. HE SAID HE PERSONALLY BELIEVED IN REARMAMENT OF WEST GERMANY, BUT REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER A UNANIMOUS OPINION PREVAILED AMONG THE MINISTERS ON THAT POINT.
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FIRST LEAD WESTERN ALLIANCE (A94)
THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG.1-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTERS OF FOUR OF THE BRUSSELS TREATY NATIONS ACTED TODAY TO SPEED ARMAMENT PRODUCTION AND MANPOWER TRAINING IN THEIR COUNTRIES.
THE MINISTERS OF BRITAIN, FRANCE, HOLLAND AND LUXEMBOURG DECIDED TO PRESS THEIR PARLIAMENTS FOR THE SPEED-UP AND TO URGE HIGHER DEFENSE EXPENDITURES. BELGIUM, ALSO A MEMBER OF THE ALLIANCE, WAS NOT REPRESENTED AT THE MEETING. HER FOREIGN MINISTER, PAUL VAN ZEELAND, WAS HELD AT HOME BY THE ROYAL CRISIS.
AFTER A THREE-AND-ONE-HALF-HOUR CLOSED MEETING IT WAS REPORTED THAT THE GENERAL CONCENSUS AMONG THE FOUR MINISTERS WAS THAT THE DEFENSE PROBLEMS OF THE BRUSSELS PACT COUNTRIES MUST BE INTEGRATED INTO THE OVERALL DECISIONS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS.
THE DECISIONS WERE MADE AS THE 12-NATION ATLANTIC PACT MILITARY BOARD WAS DISCUSSING SIMILAR DEFENSE PROBLEMS IN LONDON.
A HIGH DUTCH OFFICIAL SAID THE UNITED STATES HAD ASKED THE FIVE COUNTRIES TO INCREASE MILITARY EXPENDITURES AND ENLARGE THEIR ARMED FORCES. THIS SOURCE SAID THE UNITED STATES HAD ASKED FOR AN ANSWER TO ITS REQUEST BEFORE AUG. 5.
THE CLOSED ONE-DAY MEETING WILL BE MARKED WITH GREAT URGENCY, A DUTCH MILITARY SPOKESMAN SAID.
MAIN POINTS ON THE AGENDA, HE SAID, WERE:
1. PROBABLE APPROVAL OF REPORTS ON THE DISTRIBUTION OF DEFENSE TASKS IN THE WESTERN UNION AREA.
2. BUDGETARY EFFECTS INCLUDING EXPANSION AND CONVERSION OF INDUSTRIES FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES.
3. KOREA.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE MINISTERS WERE CERTAIN TO DISCUSS FURTHER AID TO UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA FOLLOWING YESTERDAY'S U.S. SENATE ACTION GIVING PRESIDENT TRUMAN POWER TO CUT OFF MARSHALL AID TO THOSE COUNTRIES WHICH FAIL TO SUPPORT KOREAN ACTION.
SENDING OF GROUND FORCES WILL BE DISCUSSED AND POSSIBLY DECIDED UPON, HE SAID.
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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 1-(AP)-THE WORLD ALLIANCE OF THE YMCA WILL MEET AT NYBORD STRAND, DENMARK, AUG. 15-25 AND WILL DISCUSS POSSIBLE ACTION AND RELIEF WORK IN THE EVENT OF A NEW WAR.
YMCA LEADERS HAVE JUST CONCLUDED A TWO-DAY MEETING HERE AT WHICH A PLAN OF ACTION WAS PREPARED FOR PRESENTATION TO THE MEETING IN DENMARK. PARTICIPATING IN THE MEETING WERE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE WORLD'S YMCA.
DURING THE LAST WAR, THE YMCA CARRIED OUT AN EXTENSIVE PROGRAM IN PRISON AND INTERNMENT CAMPS IN MANY WAR THEATERS. APPROXIMATELY 250 DELEGATES AND VISITORS WILL TAKE PART IN THE DISCUSSIONS AT NYBORG STRAND.
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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
BY RICHARD K. O'MALLEY
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG.1-(AP)-A COMMUNIST THREAT TO USE VIOLENCE IN WEST GERMANY DREW AN ABRUPT WARNING TODAY FROM THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION.
TOP COMMUNIST LEADERS IN EAST GERMANY HAVE CALLED FOR OPEN RESISTANCE AGAINST THE WESTERN ALLIES, AND PROMISED PROTECTION TO ANYBODY WHO GOT INTO TROUBLE FOR IT.

COUNTERING, THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION:
1. TOLD COMMUNIST CHIEFS IN THE AMERICAN ZONE THEY WILL BE HELD RESPONSIBLE PERSONALLY FOR DISTURBANCES CAUSED BY PARTY COMRADES.
2. DECLARED THAT THE THRSE-POWER ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION WILL TAKE "ENERGETIC MEASURES" TO SUPPRESS ANY COMMUNIST-INSPIRED VIOLENCE OR SUBVERSION.

NO PERSONAL WARNING WAS GIVEN TO COMMUNISTS CHIEFS BY THE BRITISH OR FRENCH. BUT A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID HIS COUNTRY HAS AGREED WITH THE UNITED STATES AND FRANCE ON SHARP ACTION IN CASE OF COMMUNIST-INSPIRED VIOLENCE.

"WE ARE CONFIDENT THAT IN SO DOING WE SHALL HAVE THE FULL SUPPORT OF THE GERMAN AUTHORITIES," HE SAID.

GERMAN POLICE ALREADY HAD COOPERATED IN THE GET-TOUGH POLICY OF THE AMERICAN COMMISSION. ON U.S. ORDERS THEY CONFISCATED PLACARDS READING "AMERICANS, GO HOME." THESE WERE TO HAVE BEEN SCATTERED THROUGH THE U.S. ZONE LAST NIGHT.

THE U.S. ACTION WAS BASED ON ALLIED LAW NO.5, GOVERNING THE GERMAN PRESS AND RADIO. IT FORBIDS PERSONS OR ENTERPRISES FROM PREPARING ACTIONS LIKELY TO HARM THE SECURITY OR PRESTIGE OF THE ALLIED OCCUPATION FORCES.

THE LAW PROVIDES FOR FINES UP TO 10,000 MARKS (ABOUT $2,400) AND FIVE YEARS IMPRISONMENT OF AN INDIVIDUAL. FOR AN ENTERPRISE, THE FINE MAY BE BOOSTED TO 100,000 MARKS AND PROPERTY USED IN THE OFFENSE MAY BE CONFISCATED.

RED LEADERS IN THE THREE STATES OF THE AMERICAN ZONE WHO WERE GIVEN THE U.S. WARNING INCLUDE 49-YEAR OLD ROBERT LEIBBRAND, WUERTEEMBERG-BADEN PARTY CHAIRMAN. HE IS A COMMUNIST DEPUTY IN THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT.

OSKAR MUELLER, 54-YEAR OLD HESSE PARTY LEADER AND ALSO A PARLIAMENT MEMBER, RECEIVED AHSIMILAR WARNING.

IN RURAL BAVARIA, HERMANN SCHIRMER LEADS THE RELATIVELY WEAK COMMUNIST MOVEMENT.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG 1-(AP)-THE AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSION TODAY TOLD COMMUNIST LEADERS THEY WOULD BE HELD PERSONALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY RED VIOLENCE OR SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES IN WEST GERMANY.

COMMISSION OFFICIALS CALLED WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST CHIEFS IN TO ADVISE THEM THAT THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION HAD DECIDED TO TAKE ENERGETIC MEASURES TO SUPPRESS THE NEWLY-PROCLAIMED COMMUNIST POLICY OF RESISTANCE.

THIS RED POLICY WAS LAUNCHED WITH FULL PROPAGANDA FANFARE AT THE COMMUNIST PARTY CONGRESS IN BERLIN LAST WEEK. IT OUTLINED A GENERAL PROGRAM DESIGNED TO GET GERMANS TO JOIN AN ALL-OUT RESISTANCE TO WESTERN OCCUPATION POWERS AND TO THE WEST GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC.

HIGH COMMISSION OFFICIALS TOLD THE RED LEADERS ALLIED OFFICIALS WERE WATCHING CAREFULLY ALL COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES IN THE WESTERN ZONES AND THAT THEY WOULD BE HELD PERSONALLY RESPONSIBLE "UNDER THE LAW" FOR ANY RESISTANCE ACTION.

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BERLIN, AUG 1-(AP)-ROMANIA PLACED 11 PERSONS ON TRIAL TODAY ON CHARGES OF SPYING FOR MARSHAL TITO'S ANTI-SOVIET COMMUNIST REGIME.

THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED ADN NEWS AGENCY WHICH REPORTED THE TRIAL IN BUCHAREST SAID A COMMUNIST-LED MILITARY COURT ACCUSED THE DEFENDANTS OF HIGH TREASON. NO OTHER DETAILS WERE GIVEN.

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NIGHT LEAD CZECH

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG.1-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S PURGE OF SUSPECTED SPIES AND TRAITORS HAS NEETED 45 MORE MEN IN INDUSTRIAL OSTRAVA, THE COMMUNIST PAPER NOVA SVOBODA SAID TODAY.

SENTENCES PASSED BY AN OSTRAVA COURT INCREASED TO 143 THE NUMBER OF MEN AND WOMEN CONDEMNED TO DEATH OR IMPRISONED ON CHARGES OF TRYING TO OVERTHROW THE COMMUNIST-LED CZECH GOVERNMENT. MORE THAN HALF OF THESE WERE IN OSTRAVA.

A ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST, THE REV.ZDEENEK SKRABAL, WAS ONE OF THE 45 CONVICTED AFTER A TRIAL THAT STARTED LAST FRIDAY. NOVA SVOBODA REPORTED HE WAS FINED $400 AND SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS IMPRISONMENT ON SPY CHARGES. PRISON TERMS RANGING FROM ONE TO 25 YEARS WERE IMPOSED ON HIS FELLOW DEFENDANTS.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG.1-(AP)-FORTY-FIVE MEN WERE REPORTED TODAY TO HAVE BEEN SENTENCED IN OSTRAVA FOR WORKING AGAINST CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT. ONE WAS A ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST.

NOVA SVOBODA, COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER IN THAT NORTH MORAVIAN MINING CENTER, SAID THEY DREW TERMS RANGING FROM ONE TO 25 YEARS THERE YESTERDAY. THEY HAD BEEN ON TRIAL SINCE FRIDAY.

THE PRIEST, THE REV.FATHER ZDEENEK SKRABAL, WAS CONVICTED OF SPYING. HE WAS SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS IN PRISON AND FINED 20,000 CROWNS ($400). THE PAPER GAVE NO DETAILS OF THE CHARGE AGAINST HIM.

THIRTY-TWO OTHER MEN WERE FOUND GUILTY OF HIGH TREASON, ONE OF PLOTTING AGAINST THE REPUBLIC AND 11 OF FAILING TO INFORM AUTHORITIES ABOUT THE ACTIVITIES OF THE OTHERS, THE PAPER SAID.

IT WAS THE SIXTH GROUP TO BE TRIED ON CHARGES OF TRYING TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT.

IN ALL, 143 MEN AND WOMEN HAVE BEEN SENTENCED, 10 OF THEM TO DEATH. EIGHTY-EIGHT OF THE SENTENCES, INCLUDING FOUR OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT, HAVE BEEN HANDED DOWN IN OSTRAVA.

NOVA SOVOBDA SAID THE LATEST COLLECTION OF DEFENDANTS WAS MADE UP PARTLY OF FORMER MEMBERS OF THE YOUTH ORGANIZATION OF THE NOW OUTLAWED NATIONAL SOCIALIST PARTY.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 1-(AP)-HERBERT LASS, OF NEW YORK, DIRECTOR OF THE AMERICAN RELIEF AGENCY CARE, WAS REPORTED BY THE PRAGUE RADIO TONIGHT TO HAVE QUIT HIS POST WITH A DENUNICATION OF U.S. FIGHTING IN KOREA.

THE GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED RADIO SAID LASS ISSUED A STATEMENT TO THE ZECH PRESS DECLARING "I CANNOT CONTINUE TO DELIVER AMERICAN PACKAGES WHILE THE AMERICANS ARE DROPPING BOMBS IN KOREA."

LASS CLOSED THE OFFICES OF THE AGENCY--THE COOPERATIVE FOR AMERICAN REMITTANCES TO EUROPE--LAST WEDNESDAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT'S ORDER ENDING CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S CONTRACT WITH THE ORGANIZATION.

THE GOVERNMENT HAD ORDERED THE OPERATIONS OF THE AGENCY STOPPED BY JULY 31. WHEN THE ORDER WAS ISSUED LAST MARCH, NO REASON WAS GIVEN. BUT IT WAS VIEWED AS PART OF A CAMPAIGN TO BE RID OF ALL WESTERN AGENCIES IN THE COUNTRY. WITH ITS CLOSE-DOWN HERE, THERE ARE NO CARE OPERATIONS IN ANY COMMUNIST COUNTRIES IN EUROPE.

LASS COULD NOT BE REACHED AT HIS HOME TO CONFIRM THE BROADCAST. A MAN SPEAKING CZECH ANSWERED HIS TELEPHONE AND SAID LASS WAS NOT THERE.

(IN NEW YORK, CARE'S EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR PAUL COMLY (CQ) FRENCH ISSUED THIS STATEMENT:

("THE PURPORTED STATEMENT SOUNDS FANTASTIC TO ME. I WAS IN PRAGUE MYSELF THREE MONTHS AGO AND TALKED TO LASS AT THAT TIME AND THEREFORE THIS SEEMS TO BE COMPLETELY OUT OF CHARACTER.

("HOWEVER, UNTIL WE CAN TALK TO MR. LASS AGAIN, I WOULD PREFER TO MAKE NO FURTHER COMMENT."

(LASS, 39, IS MARRIED AND HAS TWO CHILDREN. HIS FAMILY WAS IN PRAGUE WITH HIM. HE WAS BORN IN NEW YORK CITY AND WAS ONCE A SOCIAL INVESTIGATOR AND ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT FOR THE NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF WELFARE.

(LATER, HE SERVED WITH THE AMERICAN RED CROSS, AND WAS ASSISTANT TO THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED SEAMEN'S SERVICE, AN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION WHICH HELPS SEAMEN IN FOREIGN PORTS. HE WENT TO PRAGUE FOR CARE IN SEPT., 1948. HE WAS TO HAVE TAKEN A MONTH'S VACATION BEFORE GOING TO ISRAEL SEPT. 1 FOR CARE.)

THE PRAGUE RADIO QUOTED LASS AS SAYING THAT, ALTHOUGH CARE HAD OFFERED HIM AN EVEN BETTER POSITION IN ISRAEL, HE WAS LEAVING THE ORGANIZATION FOR GOOD.

"THE SHAMEFUL CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY," HE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING "ARE BEING COMMITTED IN THE NAME OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE BY ORDER OF A HANFUL OF ENEMIES OF THE PEACE.

"NOW I AM IN A COUNTRY WHERE I MAY RAISE MY VOICE AS AN HONEST AMERICAN CITIZEN WITHOUT FEAR OF PERSECUTION, IN A COUNTRY WHERE THE DEFENSE OF PEACE IS NOT SUPPOSED TO BE A CRIME BUT THE DUTY OF EVERYONE.

"THEREFORE, I JOIN MY VOICE TO THE PROTESTS OF HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS OF FIGHTERS FOR PEACE AGAINST THE CRIMINAL ATTACK OF AMERICAN WARMONGERS IN KOREA."

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NIGHT LEAD PRIESTS (170)

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, AUG 1-(AP)-A CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC PRIESTS ACCEPTED HERE TONIGHT A FIVE-POINT RESOLUTION CALLING FOR AN UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN CHURCH AND STATE.

JOZEF DARVAS, MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND RELIGION, HAD TOLD THE PRIESTS, NUMBERING MORE THAN 300, THAT THE COMMUNIST-LED HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT WANTED SUCH AN UNDERSTANDING.

HE SAID IT WAS "THE ONLY WAY FOR THE CATHOLIC CHURCH." HE EMPHASIZED THAT LOYALTY TO THE CHURCH HAD NEVER BEEN CONSIDERED BY THE GOVERNMENT AS DISLOYALTY TO THE STATE.

THE SENSE OF THE PRIESTS RESOLUTION WAS AS FOLLOWS:

1. THE CONFERENCE WANTS A QUICK UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN STATE AND CHURCH AND MUTUAL RESPECT FOR THE LAWS OF BOTH.
2. THE CONFERENCE EXPRESSES ITS LOYALTY TO THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLES DEMOCRACY AND PROMISES TO SUPPORT THE HUNGARIAN FIVE-YEAR PLAN AND ALL EFFORTS OF THE GOVERNMENT TO INCREASE THE STANDARD OF LIVING.
3--THE CONFERENCE DECLARES SUPPORT OF THE COMMUNIST-SPONSORED STOCKHOLM "PEACE RESOLUTION."
4. THE CONFERENCE PROTESTS AGAINST USE OF THE ATOM BOMB.
5. THE CONFERENCE REQUESTS THAT THE GOVERNMENT PROTECT ALL PRIESTS AND CLERGYMEN "WHO ARE STANDING ON THE SIDE OF THE PEOPLE."

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BUD HUNGARY, AUG.1-(AP)-MORE THAN 300 SELF-STYLED PROGRESSIVE PRIESTS OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH MET TODAY TO VOICE DEMANDS THAT THEIR BISHOPS DROP THEIR "RIGID" POLICY AND REACH A FINAL UNDERSTANDING WITH HUNGARY'S COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT.

THE GOVERNMENT WAS REPRESENTED AT THE MEETING--HELD IN THE GREAT HEALL OF BUDAPEST UNIVERSITY--BY MINISTER OF EDUCATION JOZSEF DARVAS.

NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE ROMAN CATHOLIC HIERARCHY AND THE GOVERNMENT HAVE BEEN STALEMATED FOR MONTHS OVER THE BISHOPS' REFUSAL TO TAKE AN OATH OF ALLEGIANCE TO HUNGARY'S CONSTITUTION AND THEIR REFUSAL TO SIGN THE SOVIET-SPONSORED WORLD PEACE PETITION.

THE KEYNOTE OF TODAY'S CONFERENCE WAS MADE BY ITS CHAIRMAN, DEAN ANTAL SZECSI, WHO DECLARED THAT THE POLICY OF THE BISHOPS TOWARD THE GOVERNMENT MUST BE CHANGED RADICALLY. HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT HUNGARIAN CATHOLICS SHOULD REMAIN FAITHFUL TO THEIR BISHOPS AND TO THE VATICAN IN ALL STRICTLY RELIGIOUS PROBLEMS.

OTHER SPEAKERS DEMANDED THAT THE BISHOPS REACH A COMPROMISE WITH THE GOVERNMENT QUICKLY, ENDORSE THE PEACE PETITION TO BAN THE ATOM BOMB, AND BEND THEIR EFFORTS TOWARD RAISING THE LIVING STANDARD IN THE COUNTRY.

THE BENCH OF BISHOPS, HIGHEST ECCLESIASTIC AUTHORITY OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN HUNGARY SINCE ITS PRIMATE JOSEF CARDINAL MINDSZENTY WAS SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT IN 1949, BEGAN NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE GOVERNMENT ON JUNE 22 IN ONCE-A-WEEK MEETINGS. A GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE BISHOPS REQUESTED THE NEGOTIATIONS. THE BISHOPS HAVE ADHERED TO THEIR POSITION NOT TO PLEDGE UNCONDITIONAL ALLEGIANCE TO THE COMMUNIST REGIME AND NOT TO SIGN THE SO-CALLED STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION.

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MOSCOW, AUG.1-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER STALIN STATED TODAY THAT AFTER A WORLD-SCALE VICTORY OF SOCIALISM THERE GRADUALLY WILL EVOLVE A GENERAL INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE.

HE SAID THIS WORLD LANGUAGE WHICH EVERYONE WILL SPEAK WILL "OF COURSE NOT BE GERMAN, NOR RUSSIAN, NOR ENGLISH BUT A LANGUAGE EMBODYING THE BEST ELEMENTS OF NATIONAL AND ZONAL LANGUAGES."

HIS STATEMENT WAS PUBLISHED IN THE MAGAZINE BOLSHEVIK AS PART OF DISCUSSIONS ON PHILOLOGY, OR THE SCIENCE OF LANGUAGE, IN WHICH HE RECENTLY ENGAGED. HIS LATEST REMARKS WERE IN ANSWER TO A LETTER FROM A.KHOLOPOV.

HIS ANSWER WENT BEYOND PURELY LINGUISTIC QUESTIONS AND INTO SOME IMPORTANT MARXIST THEORIES, TOO.

FOR INSTANCE, HE STRONGLY ATTACKED "DOGMATISM", DECLARING "MARXISM IS THE ENEMY OF DOGMATISM."

"MARXISM AS A SCIENCE CANNOT STAND STILL," HE SAID. "IT DEVELOPS AND IS PERFECTED. IN ITS DEVELOPMENT MARXISM CANNOT BUT BE ENRICHED BY NEW EXPERIENCE, NEW KNOWLEDGE--CONSEQUENTLY ITS INDIVIDUAL FORMULAS AND CONCLUSIONS CANNOT BUT CHANGE WITH TIME, CANNOT BUT BE REPLACED WITH NEW FORMULAS AND CONCLUSIONS CORRESPONDING TO NEW HISTORICAL PROBLEMS."

HE SAID THE CONCLUSION OF ENGELS, THE MARXIST PHILOSOPHER, THAT SOCIALISM COULD NOT BE VICTORIOUS IN ONE COUNTRY ALONE, WAS WRITTEN IN A PERIOD OF "PRE-MONOPOLISTIC CAPITALISM"; WHEREAS LENIN'S CONTRARY CONCLUSION WAS WRITTEN IN ANOTHER PERIOD. BOTH CONCLUSIONS, HE DECLARED, WERE TRUE BUT RELATED TO DIFFERENT EPOCHS.

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RANGOON, BURMA, AUG. 1-(AP)-THE WAR OFFICE SAID TODAY CHINESE NATIONALIST SOLDIERS ARE STUBBORNLY RESISTING BURMESE TROOPS ATTEMPTING TO OUST THEM FROM EASTERN BURMESE TERRITORY FRINGING THAILAND.

THE NATIONALISTS FLED CHINA FOLLOWING THE COMMUNIST VICTORY THERE.

A COMMUNIQUE SAID BURMESE TROOPS ENCOUNTERED "SERIOUS OPPOSITION" BEFORE THEY DROVE THE CHINESE FROM A POINT CALLED BUNGALOW HILL.
IT SAID MOPPING UP OPERATIONS TO LIQUIDATE OTHER NATIONALIST POCKETS ARE NOW PROGRESSING.
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MNIGHT LEAD SPAIN (350)
WASHINGTON,AUG 1-(AP)-THE SENATE TODAY VOTED TO LET SPAIN HAVE A $100,000,000 (M) LOAN.
IT WAS ONE OF THE FEW OFFICIAL FRIENDLY GESTURES THAT NATION HAS HAD FROM THE U.S. IN SEVERAL YEARS.
SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO) PROPOSED THE LOAN, AS AN AMENDMENT TO THE GIANT $35,000,000,000 (B) APPROPRIATIONS BILL. THE SENATE AGREED, 65 TO 15.
THE AMENDMENT STILL HAS TO GET THE APPROVAL OF THE HOUSE.
SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV) ORIGINALLY HAD PROPOSED THAT $100,000,000 IN MARSHALL AID FUNDS BE EARMARKED DIRECTLY FOR SPAIN.
FURTHERMORE, MCCARRAN SAID, A U.S. AMBASSADOR SHOULD BE SENT TO SPAIN IMMEDIATELY.
MCCARRAN'S STAND GOT CONSIDERABLE SUPPORT.
CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SENATE ARMED FORCES COMMITTEE SAID SPAIN IS NECESSARY TO THE DEFENSE OF THE U.S.
"IN SHEER REALISM, IN SHEER DEFENSE," TYDINGS SAID, "WE SHOULD BRING SPAIN INTO THE ORBIT OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES COMBINED WITH US."
SENATOR O'CONOR (D-MD) SAID WE POURED BILLIONS INTO RUSSIA DURING THE WAR, AND THAT WE ARE AIDING GREAT BRITAIN, A SOCIALIST NATION.
O'CONOR SAID:
"WE HAVE GONE AROUND THE WORLD GIVING FUNDS HERE, THERE AND EVERY-WHERE, AND YET WE REFUSE TO AID A COUNTRY THAT COULD BE OF REAL SERVICE TO US, WHOSE PEOPLE ARE FRIENDLY TO US AND WHOSE PRESENT NEEDS STEM DIRECTLY FROM THEIR VALIANT FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNISM."
SENATOR MORSE (R-ORE) SAID THE SENATE WAS BEING URGED TO SUPPORT A LOAN TO SPAIN BECAUSE THIS COUNTRY MIGHT WANT AIR BASES THERE.
HE SAID HE LOOKED UPON THIS AS AN ATTEMPTED BRIBE OF FRANCO.
"I DON'T FEEL THAT WE'RE GOING TO WIN THIS WAR AROUND THE WORLD IF WE SUPPORT TOTALITARIANISM, BE IT COMMUNISTIC OF FASCIST," MORSE SAID.
"THERE ARE THOUSANDS OF AMERICAN BOYS LYING DEAD ON THE CONTINENT OF EUROPE BECAUSE OF THE HELP FRANCO GAVE TO HITLER AND MUSSOLINI."
THE U.S. WITHDREW ITS AMBASSADOR FROM MADRID IN 1946 AS A SIGN OF DISAPPROVAL OF GEN. FRANCO.
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THE AMENDMENT XXX ETC., PICKING UP FOURTH GRAPH, AND INSERTING ADDITIONAL SENTENCE.
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WASHINGTON, AUG.1-(AP)-THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY THAT JOSEPH W. WEINBERG, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA PROFESSOR, HAS BEEN SUB-POENAED TO APPEAR BEFORE A FEDERAL GRAND JURY HERE ON THURSDAY.
IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES, THE DEPARTMENT SAID WEINBERG IS TO BE EXAMINED IN CONNECTION WITH TESTIMONY WHICH HE GAVE BEFORE THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IN 1948 AND 1949. THE COMMITTEE QUESTIONED HIM DURING ITS INQUIRY INTO COMMUNIST ACTIVITY IN THE UNITED STATES.
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WEINBERG, FORMERLY OF CALIFORNIA, IS A PHYSICS PROFESSOR.
IN A SERIES OF APPEARANCES BEFORE THE HOUSE COMMITTEE, HE DENIED ACQUAINTANCE WITH A NUMBER OF ALLEGED COMMUNISTS. HE ALSO DENIED THAT HE WAS A COMMUNIST HIMSELF.
ALTHOUGH OFFICIALS DECLINED ANY COMMENT, IT WAS LEARNED THAT THE SAME GRAND JURY IS CURRENTLY GOING OVER SOME OF THE TESTIMONY WHICH WILLIAM W. REMINGTON, FORMER COMMERCE DEPARTMENT ECONOMIST, GAVE BEFORE VARIOUS CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES DURING THE LAST SEVERAL YEARS.
REMINGTON VIGOROUSLY DENIED ANY COMMUNIST CONNECTIONS. HE WAS INDICTED FOR PERJURY BY A NEW YORK CITY GRAND JURY LAST JUNE, AFTER DENYING IN A GRAND JURY SESSION THAT HE HAD EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.
HE RESIGNED HIS GOVERNMENT POSITION DURING THE SAME MONTH.
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(100) GUAM
WASHINGTON,AUG.1-(AP)-GUAM, AMERICAN OUTPOST IN THE PACIFIC, GAINED CIVIL STATUS AT LONG LAST TODAY.
AFTER 50 YEARS OF MILITARY RULE, THE ISLAND PASSED AT MIDNIGHT FROM NAVY CONTROL TO ADMINISTRATION BY THE INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.
THIS TRANSFER, BY EXECUTIVE ORDER, CAME AFTER A MONTH'S POSTPONE-MENT. INITIALLY SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 30, THE TRANSFER REPORTEDLY WAS DELAYED BECAUSE OF THE CRITICAL MILITARY SITUATION.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN IS EXPECTED SOON TO SIGN LEGISLATION GIVING GUAM A PERMANENT CIVIL GOVERNMENT. THE HOUSE PASSED THE BILL AND SENT IT TO THE WHITE HOUSE YESTERDAY.
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(200) IRAN
WASHINGTON, AUG.1-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY NOTIFIED THE GOVERN-MENT OF IRAN IT IS WILLING TO LEND FUNDS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF PRODUCTIVE CAPACITY AND TO RAISE IRANIAN LIVING STANDARDS.
OIL-RICH IRAN, WHICH HAS A LAND BORDER WITH RUSSIA, HAS BEEN A SOURCE OF WORRY AS POSSIBLE TARGET FOR COMMUNIST ACTION.
THE GOVERNMENT'S EXPORT-IMPORT BANK SENT WORD TO THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT THROUGH HENRY GRADY, THIS COUNTRY'S NEW AMBASSADOR AT TEHRAN, OF U.S. WILLINGNESS TO SUPPLY DEVELOPMENT AND IMPROVEMENT FUNDS.
NO AMOUNT WAS MENTIONED AND OFFICIALS SAID STUDY OF PROJECTS ON WHICH IRAN SEEKS ASSISTANCE HAS NOT GONE FAR ENOUGH TO SHOW HOW MUCH MAY BE INVOLVED.
THE BANK SAID IT WILL DISPATCH THREE REPRESENTATIVES, ECONOMISTS OLIVER C. LOCKHART AND WILLIAM GATES, AND ENGINEER FRANK KIMBALL, TO IRAN THIS WEEK TO EXAMINE PROJECTS SUGGESTED BY THE IRANIAN GOVERN-MENT.
THESE PROJECTS ALREADY HAVE BEEN RECOMMENDED TO THE BANK BY AMBASSADOR GRADY'S ECONOMIC ADVISORY GROUP NOW IN IRAN.
WITH THE AID OF AMERICAN TECHNICAL ADVISERS, THE IRANIAN GOVERNMENT HAS WORKED OUT AN EXTENSIVE SEVEN-YEAR DEVELOPMENT PLAN.
THE MIDDLE EASTERN OIL COUNTRY HAS UNDERGONE AN ECONOMIC EMERGENCY LATELY DUE TO A CROP FAILURE.
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A188WX
(100) IRAN

WASHINGTON,AUG.1-(AP)-JOHN C.WILEY, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO IRAN, SAID AFTER A CALL ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY THAT THE IRANIAN ARMY LOOKS GOOD, BUT IT IS SHORT ON EQUIPMENT.

THE IRANIAN ARMY, HE SAID, HAS A VERY HIGH DEGREE OF DISCIPLINE AND LEADERSHIP.

UP UNTIL THE TIME HE LEFT A MONTH AGO, WILEY SAID, THE ONLY AID IT HAD RECEIVED FROM THE UNITED STATES WAS AN ORIGINAL $10,000,000 WORTH OF SURPLUS WORLD WAR II GOODS AND A $16,600,000 LOAN TO REPAIR THE EQUIPMENT AND TRANSFER IT TO IRAN.

WILEY HAS BEEN SUCCEEDED BY HENRY GRADY AND IS IN THIS COUNTRY AWAITING A NEW ASSIGNMENT. HE TALKED BRIEFLY WITH THE PRESIDENT AND EXPECTS TO SEE HIM AGAIN LATER.

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NIGHT LEAD GUAM

WASHINGTON, AUG.1-(AP)-GUAM, UNDER NAVAL RULE FOR 50 YEARS, GAINED CIVIL STATUS TODAY. PRESIDENT TRUMAN SIGNED AN ORGANIC ACT FOR THE FAR PACIFIC ISLAND, THIS NATION'S WESTERNMOST POSSESSION.

THE PEOPLE OF GUAM--THERE WERE 58,754 AT LAST COUNT--WERE GRANTED U.S. CITIZENSHIP BY THE ACT, WHICH ALSO SETS FORTH A BILL OF RIGHTS AND ESTABLISHES A REPRESENTATIVE FORM OF GOVERNMENT THROUGH AN ELECTED LEGISLATURE.

THE INTERIOR DEPARTMENT BECOMES RESPONSIBLE FOR FEDERAL RELATIONS WITH GUAM. THE NAVY HAD GOVERNED THE ISLAND SINCE 1898, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF TWO YEARS DURING WORLD WAR II WHEN THE JAPANESE WERE IN CONTROL.

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WITH TAIPEI BUDGET (230)

SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 1-(AP)-GEN. CHU TEH, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY, DECLARED TODAY "WE ARE DETERMINED" TO CONQUER NATIONALIST FORMOSA AND OPPOSE "U. S. AGGRESSION."

CHU MADE THE STATEMENT IN A SPEECH AT PEIPING ON THE 23RD ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE CHINESE RED ARMY. THE SPEECH WAS BROADCAST OVER THE PEIPING RADIO AND HEARD HERE BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

THE U. S. SEVENTH FLEET IS PATROLING THE STRAIT BETWEEN THE MAINLAND AND FORMOSA, GUARDING THE ISLAND AGAINST INVASION. GENERAL MACARTHUR HAS JUST RETURNED TO TOKYO AFTER DISCUSSING ON FORMOSA WITH CHIANG KAI-SHEK PLANS FOR REPULSING ANY COMMUNIST ATTEMPT TO INVADE FORMOSA.

"OUR WAR OF LIBERATION HAS NOT YET BEEN CONCLUDED," THE COMMANDER ASSERTED. "WE STILL HAVE TO LIBERATE TIBET AND TAIWAN (FORMOSA.)"

HE SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON JUNE 27 "ORDERED THE AMERICAN NAVY TO PREVENT US FROM LIBERATING TAIWAN."

"THIS, OF COURSE, IS AGGRESSION AGAINST CHINA BY THE UNITED STATES," HE SAID.

"THE U. S. GOVERNMENT ITSELF HAS NOT DISCOVERED ANY LEGAL GROUNDS FOR THIS ACT OF AGGRESSION."

CHU ASSERTED THAT "SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH THE INVASION OF TAIWAN, THE U. S. LAUNCHED A LARGE-SCALE ATTACK AGAINST OUR NEIGHBOR, KOREA."

THE UNITED STATES SENT FORCES TO KOREA WITH UNITED NATIONS BACKING WHEN THE COMMUNIST NORTH ATTACKED THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA.

"WE CHINESE PEOPLE HOLD THAT THE STRUGGLE OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE IS COMPLETELY JUST, AND WE RESOLUTELY SUPPORT THE KOREAN PEOPLE AND OPPOSE THE AGGRESSION IN KOREA BY THE U. S. GOVERNMENT," CHU SAID.

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NEW YORK, AUG 1-(AP)-FORMER BRITISH WAR MINISTER LESLIE HORE-BELISHA CALLED TODAY FOR A BRITISH-U.S. UNION INVOLVING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, "COMMON CITIZENSHIP AND COMMON CURRENCY."

HORE-BELISHA, LEAVING BY PLANE AFTER A TRIP TO THE WEST INDIES AND THE U.S., SAID THE WESTERN WORLD IS "BEING CHALLENGED BECAUSE IT IS DIVIDED."

HE URGED THE UNION--UNDER A "DECLARATION OF INTERDEPENDENCE"--TO COMBAT THE CHALLENGE.

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AUG 2 1950

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.1-(AP)-SYRIA HAS ASKED THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL TO TAKE ACTION TO PREVENT WHAT IT CALLED NEW ATTACKS ON ARAB COUNTRIES BY ISRAEL.

THE U.N. PUBLISHED A CABLE FROM SYRIAN PREMIER AND FOREIGN MINISTER NAZEM KOUDSI TO ARNE SUNDS, JULY PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL, YESTERDAY. IT CHARGED ISRAEL WITH BEING A THREAT TO THE PEACE.

THE CABLE CLAIMED "THE JEWS HAVE OF LATE MULTIPLIED ARMED ATTACKS AGAINST SYRIA, EGYPT, JORDAN, AND QUITE RECENTLY, AGAINST LEBANON WHERE A CIVIL AIRCRAFT WAS ATTACKED BY A JEWISH MILITARY PLANE."

IT SAID THESE ALLEGED ACTIONS "CONSTITUTE FLAGRANT VIOLATIONS OF THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENTS" AND DEMANDED THAT THE COUNCIL TAKE THE "NECESSARY MEASURES."

LEBANON PROTESTED TO THE U.N. JULY 25 THAT AN ISRAELI FIGHTER PLANE FIRED ON AN AIRLINER KILLING TWO OF THE 28 PASSENGERS AND ENDANGERING NINE AMERICANS WHO WERE RETURNING FROM A PILGRIMAGE TO JERUSALEM.

ISRAEL SAID THE PLANE WAS OVER HER TERRITORY AT THE TIME AND THAT WARNING SHOTS WERE FIRED WHEN THE PILOT REFUSED TO OBEY ORDERS TO LAND.

LEBANON SAID THE PLANE WAS THREE MILES INSIDE LEBANESE TERRITORY.

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A78 (380)
NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

NEW YORK, AUG. 1-(AP)-A FEDERAL APPEALS COURT TODAY UPHELD THE SMITH ACT AND THE CONVICTION UNDER IT OF THE NATION'S 11 TOP COMMUNIST LEADERS.

THE UNANIMOUS OPINION OF THREE JUDGES WAS TUNED TO THE TIMES, CITING THE KOREAN WAR AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S LATEST WARNING AGAINST SUBVERSIVES.

JUDGE HARRIE B.CHASE PRAISED CONGRESS FOR ITS FORESIGHT IN ENACTING THE SMITH ACT 10 YEARS AGO. HE CALLED AMERICAN COMMUNISTS ALLIES, IF NOT TOOLS OF SOVIET RUSSIA.

CHASE SAID THE ACT DOES NOT OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND DOES NOT OUTLAW REVOLUTIONARY THOUGHT. UNDER IT, HE ADDED, A PERSON MAY URGE THE ABOLITION OF CONGRESS AND THE COURTS, AN END TO FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND PRESS AND OTHER CHANGES IN BASIC AMERICAN RIGHTS.

"WHAT IT DOES PROHIBIT," JUDGE CHASE WROTE, "IS THE URGING OF ACTION TO ACCOMPLISH SUCH CHANGES AS THESE BY FORCIBLE MEANS."

THE 11 COMMUNIST LEADERS WERE CONVICTED LAST AUTUMN OF CONSPIRING TO ADVOCATE THE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. THAT IS A VIOLATION OF THE SMITH ACT.

THEY WERE NOT IN COURT TODAY WHEN THE APPEALS DECISION WAS MADE PUBLIC.

AT THE TIME OF THEIR CONVICTIONS, THEY PUBLICLY VOWED TO CARRY THEIR APPEALS TO THE U.S. SUPREME COURT. THE CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS IS THE LAST STOP BEFORE THE HIGH COURT.

THE CONVICTED LEADERS ARE EUGENE DENNIS, JOHN B.WILLIAMSON, JACOB STACHEL, ROBERT G.THOMPSON, BENJAMIN J.DAVIS, JR., HENRY WINSTON, JOHN GATES, IRVING POTASH, GILBERT GREEN, CARL WINTER AND GUS HALL.

THOMPSON, A DECORATED VTERAN OF WORLD WAR II, WAS SENTENCED TO THREE YEARS IN PRISON. THE OTHERS DREW FIVE YEAR TERMS. ALL WERE FINED $10,000 EACH.

ALL EXCEPT DENNIS ARE FREE ON BONDS RANGING FROM $20,000 TO $30,000. DENNIS IS IN JAIL ON ANOTHER CHARGE.

JUDGE LEARNED HAND WROTE THE MAIN OPINION--A 66--PAGE DECISION. JUSTICE THOMAS W.SWAN AGREED WITH IT. JUDGE CHASE WROTE HIS OWN OPINION OF SEVEN PAGES, REACHING THE SAME CONCLUSIONS AS THE OTHERS.

JUDGE HAND WROTE THAT "OBVIOUSLY ONE CANNOT TEACH OR ADVOCATE THE USE OF VIOLENCE WITHOUT SPECIFICALLY INTENDING TO BRING ABOUT ITS USE."

TRIAL JUDGE HAROLD R.MEDINA WAS ATTACKED BITTERLY BY THE DEFENDANTS FOR HIS CONDUCT OF THE LONG TRIAL. SAID JUDGE HAND:

"THE RECORD DISCLOSED A JUDGE SORELY TRIED FOR MANY MONTHS OF TURMOIL, CONSTANTLY PROVOKED BY USELESS BICKERING, EXPOSED TO OFFENSIVE SLIGHTS AND INSULTS, HARRIED WITH INTERMINABLE REPITITION, WHO X X X SHOWED CONSIDERABLY GREATER SELF CONTROL AND FOREBEARANCE THAN IT IS GIVEN TO MOST JUDGES TO POSSESS."

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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP (230)

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TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.3-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS FORCES CONSOLIDATED THEIR KOREAN WARFRONT TODAY GENERALLY BEHIND THE NAKTONG RIVER TO AWAIT THE ARRIVAL OF FRESH U.S. MARINE AND ARMY REINFORCEMENTS.

THE WITHDRAWAL WAS GENERAL ON THE NORTHERN AND WESTERN SIDES OF THE RECTANGULAR BEACHHEAD--WITH THREE NOTABLE EXCEPTIONS:

IN THE FAR SOUTH--AMERICANS STILL HELD IN FRONT OF THE COASTAL PLAIN THAT RUNS EASTWARD TO PUSAN, THE MAIN SUPPLY PORT OF THE SOUTHEASTERN TIP OF THE PENINSULA. FIGHTING RAGED 40 MILES WEST OF THIS ALL-IMPORTANT CITY.

IN THE NORTHEAST--THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION RECAPTURED YONGDOK, EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE NORTHERN LINE, IN THE MAJOR U.N. OFFENSIVE ACTION. AMERICAN NAVAL GUNFIRE SWEPT THE WAY FOR THE SOUTH KOREANS WHO PRESSED ON THREE MILES BEYOND THE SHELL-SHATTERED TOWN.

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IN THE WEST--THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION CLUNG TO POSITIONS WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER AFTER PULLING OUT LAST NIGHT FROM KUMCHON ON THE CENTRAL FRONT DEFENDING THE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU. THE FIRST CAVALARY WAS REPORTED HOLDING POSITIONS BEFORE WAEGWAN ABOUT 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

ALLIED AIRCRAFT, CONCENTRATING ON CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES IN THE BATTLE AREA WEST OF PUSAN, FLEW MORE THAN 400 SORTIES YESTERDAY. THEY REPORTED 76 COMMUNIST VEHICLES, 29 RAILROAD CARS AND SIX LOCOMOTIVES DAMAGED. SUPERFORTRESS BOMBERS ATTACKED NINE BRIDGES INCLUDING THE OFT-HIT RAILROAD BRIDGE WEST FROM SEOUL.

CAPTURE OF YONGDOK WAS ANNOUNCED IN OPERATIONAL SUMMARIES ISSUED EARLY THURSDAY AFTERNOON BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AND FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS.

LATEST FIELD REPORTS SAID ARMY TANKS AND TROOPS WERE ENGAGED IN BLOODY FIGHTING AFTER HALTING A POWERFUL KOREAN COMMUNIST THRUST 40 MILES WEST OF PUSAN WITH A COUNTERATTACK. THE AMERICANS DROVE WITHIN THREE TO FIVE MILES OF CHINJU BEFORE RETURNING TO THEIR POSITIONS, AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID TODAY.

THE GENERAL WITHDRAWAL---PLANNED AND ORDERLY---BEGAN TWO DAYS AGO. ITS AIM APPARENTLY WAS TO RELIEVE THE HEAVY PRESSURE OF 10 RED DIVISIONS---POSSIBLY 100,000 TROOPS---UNTIL FRESH ARMY AND NEWLY ARRIVED MARINE UNITS CAN GET INTO COMBAT.

THE REDS WERE PRESSING HARD ALL ALONG THE SHRUNKEN U. N. DEFENSE PERIMETER WHICH OUTNUMBERED AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES HAVE BEEN HOLDING. THE LINE WAS MARKED BY FLAMING TOWNS AND VILLAGES FROM CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN, ON THE SOUTH, TO YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST 80 MILES NORTH OF THE KEY PORT.

THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS HAD FOUGHT "TO THE TOWN" OF YONGDOK AND WERE PURSUING THE RETREATING REDS.

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FOR TWO DAYS, THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS HAVE BEEN PULLING BACK BEHIND THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE NORTH. THEY GAVE UP THEIR OLD LINE FROM HAMCHANG AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE BOX TO ANDONG, EASTWARD TOWARD YONGDOK. THE AMERICANS ON THE NORTH-SOUTH FRONT JUST BELOW HAMCHANG WITHDREW FROM SANGJU EASTWARD TO NEW POSITIONS BEHIND THE RIVER. WEDNESDAY, THEY DID THE SAME ON THE KUMCHON FRONT, ABANDONING THE TOWN 30 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

HOW FAR SOUTH THE WITHDRAWAL CARRIED WAS NOT CLEAR EITHER IN FIELD DISPATCHES OR THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE. THE COMMUNIQUE INDICATED, HOWEVER, IT MIGHT BE DOWN TO THE POINT WHERE THE NAKTONG BENDS EASTWARD TOWARD SAMNANGJIN NORTH OF PUSAN. IT SAID "HIGHWAY BRIDGES HAVE BEEN DESTROYED AT STRATEGIC POINTS ON THE ROADS LEADING INTO THE FRIENDLY AREAS NORTHEAST OF CHINJU."

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY EARLY TODAY IDENTIFIED 10 NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS IN ACTION ALONG THE FRONT. ELEMENTS OF THREE U.S. DIVISIONS AND SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS WERE TAKING THE SHOCK. (RESTORING DROPPED LINE)

MACARTHUR CONCEDED THE "MAIN ENEMY EFFORT CONTINUED" ON THE ~~CHINJU- 07'-, -/8', THE FRONT ABOUT 40 MILES WEST OF PUSAN~~

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CHINJU- PUSAN AXIS, THE FRONT ABOUT 40 MILES WEST OF PUSAN. FIELD DISPATCHES SAID CASUALTIES WERE HEAVY ON BOTH SIDES.

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MACARTHUR IDENTIFIED THE NORTH KOREANS ON THIS FRONT AS THE SIXTH DIVISION. THE SUMMARY LOCATED THE FIGHTING 13 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, BUT APPARENTLY LATER FIELD REPORTS PUT IT 10 MILES EAST OF THAT COASTAL CITY WEST OF PUSAN.

THE HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY BASED ON WEDNESDAY ACTION SAID "NO GAINS BY THE ENEMY HAVE BEEN MADE IN THIS FIGHTING IN THE LAST 12 HOURS."

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FRONT DISPATCHES SAID THE AMERICAN FORCES BUILT AROUND BATTERED FRAGMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION AND REINFORCEMENTS FROM OKINAWA LAUNCHED TWO COUNTERATTACKS LED BY SHERMAN TANKS.

ONE AMERICAN COUNTER-THRUST WAS HALTED ALONG THE CHINJU-PUSAN ROAD, BUT THE OTHER APPEARED FROM THE AIR TO BE MOVING AHEAD.

CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE, WHO WITNESSED THE FIGHTING FROM AN OBSERVATION PLANE, SAID "THE AMERICANS WERE GOING FORWARD--BUT AT A PRICE."

CORRESPONDENT O.H.P. KING WITH GROUND FORCES IN THE AREA SAID AIR STRIKES SET CHINJU ABLAZE AND FIRED THE NEIGHBORING VILLAGE OF SACHON IN A FIVE-HOUR RAID.

AS THE BATTLE LENGTHENED THE AMERICANS WON HIGH GROUND AT SAMGUN, 10 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, AND TOOK THE TOWN OF WONBUNG TO THE SOUTHWEST, KING SAID. RED TROOPS, HOWEVER, CLOSED IN BEHIND THE AMERICAN POSITIONS.

OUTCOME OF THE BATTLE STILL WAS UNDETERMINED HOURS LATER.

IF NORTH KOREAN FORCES SUCCEED IN OVERRUNNING AMERICAN DEFENSIVE POSITIONS ALONG THE CHINJU-PUSAN HIGHWAY THEY HAVE A CLEAR SWEEP DOWN

THE COASTAL PLAIN TO PUSAN -- BUT AMERICAN REINFORCEMENTS AT AN UNIDENTIFIED SOUTHEASTERN PORT (PRESUMED TO BE PUSAN) ARE INCREASING BY THE HOUR.

U.S. SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION TROOPS WHO LANDED MONDAY AND ADDITIONAL MEN FROM THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM HAVE BEEN HURRIED TO THE FORWARD AREAS DURING THE PAST THREE DAYS.

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BOYLE, WHO FLEW OVER THE ENTIRE BATTLEFIELD WEDNESDAY, SAID THE FRONT LINE IN AN 80-MILE ARC CURVING NORTH FROM CHINJU TO KUMCHON COULD BE FOLLOWED BY A STRING OF FLAMING VILLAGES.

THE NEW LINES SWING ABRUPTLY EAST, NORTH OF KUMCHON AND SOUTHEAST OF HWANGGAN AND NOW RUN SOUTH OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, ACROSS THE MOUNTAIN BARRIERS FRINGING THE EAST COAST TO EMBATTLED YONDOK.

BESIDES THE SIXTH DIVISION ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, THE REDS HAVE MASSED THEIR CRACK FOURTH AND THIRD DIVISIONS ON THE WEST, WITH THE SECOND STACKED ABOVE THEM WHERE THE LINE BENDS EASTWARD.

THREE NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS, THE 15TH, 13TH AND FIRST, ARE ON THE NORTHERN RIM OF THE PERIMETER IN THE SECTOR STRETCHING BETWEEN SANGJU AND HAMCHANG, A DISTANCE OF HARDLY TWELVE MILES.

MACARTHUR'S COMMUNIQUE SAID THESE WERE BEING "CONTAINED" BY TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS, THE FIRST AND SIXTH. FURTHER EAST THE RED EIGHTH DIVISION WAS AT YECHON, THE SEVENTH AT ANDONG AND THE 5TH AT YONGDOK.

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IT WAS THE MASSED PRESSURE OF THESE FORCES THAT CAUSED AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS ALIKE TO PULL BACK.

THE FALL OF YECHON, 55 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, TWO DAYS AGO TOUCHED OFF THIS GENERAL WITHDRAWAL. THIS LEFT A SALIENT NORTH OF HAMCHANG WHERE SOUTH KOREAN UNITS HAD BEEN HOLDING THE REDS NORTH OF THAT CITY. HAMCHANG IS 32 MILES NORTH OF ABANDONED KUMCHON.

THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION WITHDREW TO POSITIONS EAST OF SANGJU TO STRAIGHTEN THE LINE BETWEEN THE SOUTH KOREANS ON THEIR RIGHT FLANK AND THE FIRST CAVALRY ON THE KUMCHON FRONT. THE MAIN BODY OF SOUTH KOREANS MOVED SOUTH OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, A NATURAL BARRIER BROADER THAN THE KUM RIVER WHERE ONE U.S. BATTALION HELD FOR 3 DAYS.

BOYLE REPORTED THE WITHDRAWAL WAS "ORDERLY AND PLANNED."

"YOU CAN FLY OVER TRUCK CONVOYS," HE SAID, "AND SEE THAT THOSE GOING UP TO THE FRONT ARE EMPTY AND THOSE COMING BACK FROM THE FRONT ARE FULL OF SOLDIERS.

LESS THAN EIGHT MILES SOUTH OF KUMCHON, THE NORTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION CONTINUED "HEAVY PRESSURE" ON THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY AT CHIRYE, BUT MADE NO ACTUAL ATTACKS, THE HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY SAID.

FARTHER SOUTH THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION SLACKENED ITS EFFORTS TO OUTFLANK POSITIONS HELD BY OTHER UNITS OF THE 24TH DIVISION. THIS WAS IN THE VICINITY OF KOCHANG AND HYOPCHON WHERE A TWO-PRONGED ATTACK HAS MET AT A ROAD JUNCTION IN A THRUST 25 MILES WEST OF TAEGU.

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TAEGU CONTINUES TO BE THE SECOND MOST IMPORTANT GOAL OF THE REDS. THEIR MAIN EFFORT IS BEING HURLED IN THE DRIVE ON PUSAN.

(IN WASHINGTON A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT FOUND SOME ENCOURAGING SIGNS IN THE OVERALL KOREAN WAR SITUATION. "THEY HAVE FAILED SO FAR, BECAUSE THEY HAVE NOT SUCCEEDED IN PREVENTING THE ARRIVAL OF FRESH U.S. TROOPS AND EQUIPMENT," HE SAID, THE SPOKESMAN FELT HOWEVER THE SITUATION WAS "STILL SERIOUS.")

AIRCRAFT CONTINUED TO GIVE HEAVY CLOSE SUPPORT TO THE GROUND FORCES. THEY FLEW MORE THAN 500 TACTICAL SORTIES WEDNESDAY WITH THEIR MAJOR EFFORT THROWN INTO THE CHINJU SECTOR. THE SOUTHERN COASTAL TOWNS OF MOKPO AND YOSU WERE HARD HIT WITH NAVAL GUNFIRE AS WELL AS AERIAL ROCKETS AND CANNON FIRE. BRITISH AND SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL CRAFT SHELLED MOKPO. AMERICAN DESTROYERS HIT YOSU. THE REDS WERE SUPPORTING THEIR SOUTHERN THRUST AGAINST PUSAN BY SMALL SAMPANS LOADED WITH SUPPLIES AT BOTH PORTS.

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THIRD LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP

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TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG 3-(AP)-U.S. 24TH DIVISION TROOPS RECAPTURED HILL POSITIONS NORTHEAST OF CHINJU AND HELD ON TODAY IN A FLAMING BATTLE 40 MILES FROM THE MAIN PORT OF PUSAN.

THE ARCHING BATTLELINE WAS MARKED BY BURNING VILLAGES ALL THE WAY FROM THE SOUTHERN COAST TO ABANDONED KUMCHON, WHICH BLAZED, TOO.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID U.S.TROOPS AND THE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION WERE LOCKED IN A GRIM BATTLE EAST OF CHINJU AT THE WESTERN APPROACHES TO PUSAN.

"NO GAINS BY THE ENEMY HAVE BEEN MADE IN THIS FIGHTING IN THE LAST 12 HOURS," THE WAR SUMMARY SAID. IT WAS RELEASED AT 12:55 A.M. (9:55 A.M. EST WEDNESDAY.)

FOR 18 HOURS OR MORE THE BATTLE BETWEEN TANKS, ARTILLERY AND MEN RAGED ON THE HEIGHTS JUST EIGHT MILES NORTHEAST OF CHINJU.

ON THE CENTRAL FRONT KUMCHON, ABLAZE AND ABANDONED BY THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION, SCORCHED IN RUINS AS THE REDS MOVED INTO ITS OUTSKIRTS.

DISPUTED YONGDOK, EAST COAST ANCHOR TOWN WHICH HAS CHANGED HANDS FREQUENTLY, WAS A NO-MAN'S LAND.

BUT THE HARDEST FIGHTING WAS JUST NORTH OF CHINJU, ABOUT 40 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

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BATTLE WEARY U.S. 24TH DIVISION TROOPS WERE ALMOST SURROUNDED WHEN THEY COUNTERATTACKED. THEY SUFFERED MANY CASUALTIES AND LOST SOME TANKS.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE WHO FLEW OVER THE WHOLE FLAMING FRONT SAID THE BATTLELINE COULD BE FOLLOWED BY A STRING OF FLAMING VILLAGES. BOYLE FIRST REPORTED THE ABANDONMENT OF KUMCHON.

HELP FOR THE DOUGHBOYS WAR NEAR. FIGHTING MARINES IN FORCE WERE AT A SOUTHEASTERN PORT ONLY 40 MILES FROM THE BATTLEZONE. THE MARINES CAME EQUIPPED WITH 45-TON TANKS, TANK KILLER BAZOOKAS AND OTHER WEAPONS NEW TO THE KOREAN WAR.

AMERICAN PLANES SET FIRE TO KUMCHON AS THEY HAD DONE AT CHINJU AFTER IT FELL.

THE 24TH WAS ALMOST SURROUNDED BY STRONG RED FLANKING FORCES. THE AMERICANS HAD COUNTER-ATTACKED TO REGAIN HIGH GROUND THEY HAD LOST TUESDAY.

THE REDS SIDESTEPPED THEM AND ATTACKED.

THE AMERICAN HILL POSITIONS WERE DESCRIBED AS GOOD FOR DEFENSIVE FIGHTING.

RED PRESSURE MOUNTED ON ALMOST ALL FRONTS.

AT HWANGGAN, NEAR KUMCHON, FIRST CAVALRYMEN OFFERED STUBBORN RESISTANCE "TO EACH NORTH KOREAN ATTACK."

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID SOUTH KOREANS WERE BATTLING FOR YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST ANCHOR OF THE BATTLE LINE. BUT THE CITY. ONCE REPORTED IN

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SOUTHERN HANDS, BELONGED TO "NEITHER SIDE."
O.H.P.KING, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT IN THE HILLS NEAR CHINJU, REPORTED BOTH CHINJU AND THE NEARBY VILLAGE OF ~~SOCHAN~~ SANCHON WERE FIRED BY U.S. PLANES IN A FIVE-HOUR RAID.
AS THE BATTLE PROGRESSED THE AMERICANS SEIZED THE HEIGHTS AT SANGMUN, 10 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, KING SAID. THE REDS CLOSED BEHIND THEM. QUICKLY THE AMERICANS SEIZED POSITIONS AT WONBUNG, FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE VILLAGE OF CHUNGAM (CQ), KING REPORTED.
KING SAID 35-TON SHERMAN TANKS WENT INTO ACTION A FEW HOURS AFTER THE VITAL BATTLE IN THE CHINJU AREA STARTED.
IF THE AMERICANS LOSE THERE, THE REDS COULD MOVE EASTWARD TO A STEEP RIDGE WHERE AN AMERICAN TANK-SUPPORTED ELEMENT WAS TRYING TO HOLD THE TERRAIN THAT LEVELS OUT IN A FLAT COASTAL PLAIN ALMOST ALL THE REMAINING WAY TO PUSAN. THERE IS NO RIVER BARRIER BEYON THE REMAINING WAY TO PUSAN. THERE IS NO RIVER BARRIER BEYOND THE STEEP RIDGE.

"THIS FORCE IS HOLDING ITS OWN," SAID MAJ.GEN.JOHN CHURCH, NEW COMMANDER OF THE 24TH DIVISION.
CHURCH SAID THE U.S. TANKS MET FIRE FROM RED TANKS IN DUG-IN POSITIONS.

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AS THE BATTLE RAGED, HEAVILY ARMED MARINES, BROUGHT DIRECT FROM THE UNITED STATES BY SHIP, PULLED INTO A SOUTH KOREAN PORT, READY TO MOVE TO THE FRONT.
"WE WILL GIVE THEM THE BEST WE'VE GOT AND THAT'S A LOT," SAID A MARINE SERGEANT, VETERAN OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR AND A TYPICAL LEATHERNECK.
THE MARINES CAME LOADED FOR HEAVY COMBAT. THEY ARE GOING INTO BATTLE BEHIND HULKING M/26 TANKS WEIGHING 45 TONS AND CARRYING 90 MM. GUNS. THERE HAS BEEN NOTHING LIKE THAT FIGHTING ON THE AMERICAN SIDE THUS FAR.
THE MARINES ALSO CARRY FLAME-THROWERS AND THE NEW TANK-KILLER BAZOOKAS.

THE SITUATION WAS BOTH GRIM AND IN THE NICK-OF-TIME TRADITION OF MARINE LANDINGS.
THE THRUSTING AND ENVELOPING NORTH KOREANS ON THE CHINJU FRONT BROKE INTO FLAT GROUND THAT STRETCHES TO THE MAIN U.S. ROAD-RAIL SUPPLY LINES AND TO PUSAN ITSELF.
ON THEIR ARRIVAL, THE MARINES GOT ORDERS FOR A QUICK RUSH INTO BATTLE. THEY RANGED FROM TEEN-AGERS TO GRIZZLED VETERANS.
THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS WERE PUNCHING EASTWARD TOWARD PUSAN, THE MAIN U.S. SEAPORT BASE 55 MILES DUE EAST OF CHINJU.
AMERICAN CASUALTIES IN THE SOUTHEAST WERE HEAVY. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING REPORTED FROM THE BATTLEFRONT THAT NUMEROUS U.S. WOUNDED WERE EVACUATED TO THE REAR.
GENERAL MACARTHUR CALLED THE MOUNTING BATTLE THE MOST CRITICAL OF THE WAR.
A SPOKESMAN AT HIS HEADQUARTERS SAID THE ENEMY EFFORTS HAD BEEN CHECKED BUT NOT STOPPED.
THE REDS WERE EXPECTED TO HURL ALL OF THEIR REMAINING TANKS INTO THE BATTLE AIMED AT PUSHING THE AMERICANS OFF THE PENINSULA BEFORE THEIR REINFORCED DEFENSES CAN MAKE A DECISIVE STAND.
U.S. SHERMAN TANKS WITH 76 MM. GUNS SUPPORTED THE AMERICANS NEAR CHINJU.
PLANES WITH BOMBS, ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUNS HUNTED OUT ASSEMBLING COMMUNIST FORCES, INCLUDING MANY TANKS IN THE CHINJU AREA.
NAVAL AND AERIAL FORCES HIT THE TWO SOUTHERN PORTS OF MOKPO AND YOSU, SUPPLY BASES FOR THE COMMUNISTS BEHIND THE BIG PUSH IN THE SOUTHEAST.
BRITISH AND SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL UNITS DESTROYED WAREHOUSES AND SUPPLIES AT MOKPO.

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U.S. DESTROYERS SUPPORTED SMALLER SOUTH KOREAN CRAFT IN A SIMILAR ACTION AT YOSU.
THE REDS USED SAMPANS TO GET SUPPLIES ASHORE AT BOTH PLACES.
ENEMY EFFORTS TO CUT COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN TAEGU, PROVINCIAL CAPITAL 55 MILES NORTHEAST OF PUSAN, AND THE BIG SOUTHEASTERN PORT FAILED TO GAIN MOMENTUM DESPITE THE FULLEST COMMUNIST EFFORT IN THAT AREA.
IN 500 SORTIES--THE BIGGEST DAY YET FOR AIR POWER IN THE KOREAN WAR--U.S. PLANES HIT CHEMICAL AND METAL PLANTS IN NORTH KOREA AND DESTROYED SEVEN TANKS, 45 TRUCKS AND THREE ARTILLERY POSITIONS IN THE FORWARD BATTLE AREAS.
COMMUNIST PRESSURE FORCED WITHDRAWALS ALONG THE TWISTING FRONT. RED SHELLS FELL IN THE OUTSKIRTS OF KUMCHON, ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, FORCING BACK UNITS OF THE FIRST CAVALRY. THE FOOT TROOPERS OF THE CAVALRY DIVISION HELD A LINE WEDNESDAY ACROSS THE HIGHWAY WEST OF THE TOWN.
GENERAL MACARTHUR SAID THE REDS "HAVE THROWN CAUTION TO THE WINDS" AND HAVE SACRIFICED THOUSANDS OF MEN. HIS STATEMENT ADDED:
"THE U.S. GROUND FORCE BUILD-UP CONTINUES STEADILY AND THE TIME FOR THE OFFENSIVE BY UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA GROWS NEARER. THAT THE ENEMY'S TIME IS GRADUALLY RUNNING OUT IS INDICATED BY HIS LAST DESPARATE ALL OUT EFFORT X X X."
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THE BUILD-UP OF WHICH HE SPOKE INCLUDED THE MARINES, ARMY AND AIR REINFORCEMENTS, FRESH FROM THE UNITED STATES, ASSIGNED TO THE FRONT WEST OF PUSAN.

ABOUT THE TIME FIELD DISPATCHES REPORTED THE BEGINNING OF THE AMERICAN COUNTERATTACK NORTHEAST OF FALLEN CHINJU, MACARTHUR'S OPERATIONAL SUMMARY REPORTED CONSIDERABLE MOVEMENT OF COMMUNIST TROOPS THERE.
THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES REPORTED THAT DAY AND NIGHT STRIKES BY AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER PLANES WERE DOING EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO CHECK THE MOVEMENT.
THIRTY-FIVE MILES NORTH OF CHINJU, THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION WAS UNDER STRONG RED PRESSURE IN THE KOCHANG SECTOR. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED WEDNESDAY THE COMMUNIST DRIVE APPEARED AIMED AT THE JUNCTION OF KOCHANG-TAEGU AND HYOPCHON-TAEGU ROADS.
A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE PUSHING ON THE FIRST CAVALRY FLANK SOUTHEAST OF HWANGGAN. THIS WOULD INDICATE THE FRONT DESCRIBES AN ARC AROUND KUMCHON. THE NORTH KOREANS THUS APPEAR TRYING TO TURN THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION'S SOUTH FLANK.
STEADY AIR STRIKES AND ARTILLERY BARRAGES INFLICTED "HEAVY" CASUALTIES ON A LARGE ATTACKING FORCE IN THE KUMCHON AREA, EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS REPORTED.
FARTHER NORTH, THERE WAS A GENERAL ALLIED WITHDRAWAL IN THE HAMCHANG-YECHON-ANDONG SECTORS. ERICKSON REPORTED IT WAS A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL, WITH THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION PULLING BACK FROM SANGJU, A RAIL POINT 20 MILES NORTH OF KUMCHON.
NORTH OF THE 25TH'S NEW POSITIONS, THE MAIN ALLIED SOUTH KOREAN FORCE EVIDENTLY WITHDREW BEHIND THE NAKTONG RIVER SOUTH OF THE HAMCHANG-ANDONG HIGHWAY.
HAMCHANG HAD BEEN THE ANCHOR OF THE AMERICAN-SOUTH KOREAN LINE. THE EIGHTH ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT CONFIRMED THAT THE NORTH KOREANS HAD OCCUPIED HAMCHANG AND YECHON.

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YECHON HAD BEEN THE SOUTHERNMOST POINT OF THE FRONT--A RAIL AND HIGHWAY TOWN WHICH WAS CAPTURED BY A NEGRO COMBAT TEAM OF THE 25TH DIVISION JULY 21.
THE EASTERN SEA ANCHOR OF THE ARCHING FRONT APPARENTLY WAS HOLDING FIRM. UNITS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY REPORTED THEIR RECAPTURE OF YONGDOK, TARGET OF REPEATED NAVAL BOMBARDMENTS ON THE EAST COAST.
THE AIR STRIKES REPORTED BY THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE SEEMED MAINLY AIMED AT ADDING PUNCH TO ALLIED GROUND FORCES. FLYING NEW MUSTANGS--F-51S BROUGHT TO KOREA BY CARRIER RECENTLY--U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE PILOTS ALONE FLEW MORE THAN 300 SORTIES.
THEY WERE JOINED BY AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER PLANES, AMERICAN LIGHT AND MEDIUM BOMBERS. MARSHALLING YARDS AT SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA'S CAPTURED CAPITAL, WERE HAMMERED BY B-26 ATTACK BOMBERS.
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TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.3-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 192, ISSUED AT 12:55 A.M., TOKYO DAYLIGHT TIME (9:55 A.M., EST WEDNESDAY) FOLLOWS:
THE MAIN ENEMY EFFORT CONTINUED ALONG THE CHINJU-PUSAN AXIS WITH HEAVY FIGHTING BETWEEN THE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION AND AMERICAN FORCES THIRTEEN MILES EAST OF CHINJU, LATE REPORTS TONIGHT INDICATED.
NO GAINS BY THE ENEMY HAVE BEEN MADE IN THIS FIGHTING IN THE LAST TWELVE HOURS.
IN THE KOCHANG-HYOPCHON AREA, PRESSURE BY THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION HAS LESSENED AND ATTEMPTS TO OUTFLANK THE U.S.TWENTYFOURTH DIVISIONS POSITIONS HAVE BEEN DISCONTINUED.
AT CHIRYE, HEAVY PRESSURE BY THE NORTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION AGAINST ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION CONTINUED. HOWEVER, NO ACTUAL ATTACKS HAVE BEEN MADE.
IN THE REMAINING SECTORS, PRESSURE CONTINUED, BUT RESULTED IN NO APPRECIABLE CHANGE. THE NORTH KOREAN SECOND DIVISION IN THE TAOMDONG-SASANG SECTOR WAS IN CONTACT WITH AMERICAN ELEMENTS. THE NORTH KOREAN FIFTEENTH NEAR SANGJU, THE NORTH KOREAN THIRTEEN WEST OF HAMCHANG AND THE NORTH KOREAN FIRST ABOVE HAMCHANG WERE BEING CONTAINED BY THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA FIRST AND SIXTH DIVISIONS. IN THE EAST, THE NORTH KOREAN EIGHTH WAS BEING HELD ABOVE YECHON BY THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA CAPITAL DIVISION. THE NORTH KOREAN SEVENTH NEAR ANDONG WAS FACED BY THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA EIGHTH. THESE TWO REPUBLIC OF KOREA DIVISIONS WERE AGGRESSIVELY PATROLLING TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY WHO HAS SHOWN NO SIGNS OF ACTIVITY.
AT YONGDOK, FIERCE FIGHTING IS IN PROGRESS BETWEEN THE NORTH KOREAN FIFTH AND REPUBLIC OF KOREA THIRD DIVISIONS. HOWEVER NEITHER SIDE HAS BEEN ABLE TO ADVANCE.
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TOKYO--IN ELEVENTH GRAF SECOND LEAD KOREAN (A107) BEGINNING "AT HWANGGAN" READ AT START "ON THE FRONT NEAR KUMCHON, FIRST CAVALRYMEN, ETC. (DELETING REFERENCE TO HWANGGAN, WHICH REDS HOLD)
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THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AERIAL
TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-AMERICAN AIRMEN CONCENTRATED THEIR ATTAKCS WEDNESDAY ON THE VITAL SOUTHERN FRONT, THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED TODAY.
IT IS IN THIS SECTOR AROUND CHINJU THAT ONRUSHING NORTH KOREAN FORCES THREATEN THE MAIN AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN, 55 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.
ALTHOUGH THE MAIN EFFORT WAS IN THE CHINJU AREA, SUPERFORTS AND B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS RANGED NORTH TO STRIKE AT RAILROAD BRIDGES, SUPPLY CENTERS, TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, AND MOTOR COLUMNS.
IN ALL, MORE THAN 400 SORTIES WERE FLOWN WEDNESDAY.
PILOTS REPORTED THEY DAMAGED THIS ENEMY MATERIEL: 76 VEHICLES OF ALL TYPES, 29 RAILROAD CARS, SIX LOCOMOTIVES, FOUR FUEL AND SUPPLY DUMPS, 10 ARTILLERY POSITIONS OR FIELD PIECES, THREE BRIDGES AND EIGHT SMALL BOATS.
NO ESTIMATE WAS MADE OF ENEMY TROOP CASUALTIES, FEAF SAID, BUT THEY WERE BELIEVED TO BE "SIZEABLE."
HEAVY LOSSES WERE BELIEVED INFLICTED ON COMMUNIST UNITS BOTTLED UP IN A NARROW 10-MILE MOUNTAIN PASS EAST OF CHINJU. THE EASTERN END OF THE CORRIDOR WAS BLOCKED OFF BY AMERICAN GROUND FORCES AND MUSTANGS AND JET FIGHTERS ROARED IN FROM THE WEST TO RAKE THE ENEMY WITH MACHINE GUN AND ROCKET FIRE.
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ALLIED PLANES KNOCKED OUT A BRIDGE WEST OF CHINJU AND HIT TARGETS AS FAR WEST AS HADONG, ABOUT 20 MILES FROM CHINJU.
SUPERFORTS HIT NINE BRIDGES, INCLUDING THE WEST RAILROAD BRIDGE AT SEOUL. NONE WERE REPORTED KNOCKED OUT BUT ALL WERE BELIEVED DAMAGED.
NO AIRCRAFT WAS LOST OR DAMAGED DURING WEDNESDAY'S OPERATIONS BUT A DELAYED REPORT SAID ONE JET FIGHTER WAS DOWNED TUESDAY NEAR CHOCHIWON.
FIGHTER PILOTS MADE A QUICK S$_T$

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IKE AT KIMPO AIRFIELD, NORTHWEST OF SEOUL, AND REPORTED AN ENEMY PLANE IDENTIFIED AS A RUSSIAN-MADE LA-5 WAS DAMAGED BY STRAFING.
MUSTANGS DAMAGED A HYDROELECTRIC PLANT AT MOKPO, ON THE SOUTHWEST COAST, AND LIGHT BOMBERS REPORTED "EXCELLENT RESULTS" AFTER BOMBING A LARGE MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIR SHOP AT TAEJONG, ABOUT 10 MILES WEST OF SEOUL.

EARLIER REPORTS TOLD OF AMERICAN FIGHTERS RANGING UP AND DOWN THE BATTLEFRONT, HITTING COMMUNIST SUPPLY AND AMMUNITION DUMPS AND MOTOR VEHICLES.
FIRST LT. ROBERT K. BOBO, REED CITY, MICH., SAID THAT CHINJU, ON THE SOUTH FRONT, WAS BURNING WHEN HE REACHED THE TARGET. HE SAW RESIDENTS FLEEING THE BATTLEFRONT TOWN.
AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS REVEALED THAT A B-29 RAID ON HUNGNAM CAUSED 20 PER CENT DAMAGE TO AN IMPORTANT CHEMICAL AND METALS MANUFACTURING PLANT TUESDAY.
IT WAS THE SECOND BOMBER STRIKE AGAINST THAT COMMUNIST PORT CITY SOME 115 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.
A RELEASE BY THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES SAID THE SUPERFORTS SHOWERED 400 TONS OF BOMBS ON HUNGHAM, CAUSING 20 PER CENT DAMAGE TO THE PLANT. DIRECT HITS WERE REPORTED ON 40 PER CENT OF THE MAIN BUILDINGS.
JET AND MUSTANG PILOTS SAID THEY SAW RED KOREAN TROOPS POURING THROUGH CHINJU, ON THE SOUTHEAST FRONT, APPARENTLY BUILDING UP FOR A MAJOR ASSAULT ALONG THAT FLANK.
CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN, IS A FOCAL POINT FOR A RED THRUST DRIVING TOWARD THE U.S. SUPPLY PORT ON THE SOUTHEAST COAST.
NAVY CHIEF WALTER COE OF PARKERSBURG, WEST VA., SAID PLANES DESTROYED

20 TO 25 VEHICLES CAMOUFLAGED ON A SIDE ROAD.
TWO TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT 10 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, AIRMEN SAID.
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A81FX (AIR WAR)
KOREAN AIR (220)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, AUG. 2-(AP)-B29S THAT RAINED 400 TONS OF BOMBS ON HUNGNAM TUESDAY DESTROYED 20 PER CENT OF MAIN FACTORY AREA BUILDINGS, THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES SAID TODAY.
IT WAS THE SECOND BIG STRATEGIC AIR STRIKE AT THE NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST CITY, A CHEMICAL AND EXPLOSIVES CENTER 115 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. B-29S HIT THE CITY FIRST SUNDAY.
THE TUESDAY RAID WAS DIRECTED AGAINST CHEMICAL AND LIGHT METALS PLANTS.
FEAF SAID INCOMPLETE EVALUATION OF PHOTOGRAPHS SHOWED THAT 40 PER CENT OF THE MAIN BUILDINGS RECEIVED DIRECT HITS. ANOTHER 10 PER CENT OF THE TARGET AREA WAS DAMAGED.
THE PLANT IS CONSIDERED NORTH KOREA'S PRINCIPAL MANUFACTURER OF WAR MATERIAL.
AMERICAN FIGHTER PLANES HIT CHINJU ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT TODAY AND LEFT THE CITY IN FLAMES. RED KOREAN TROOPS WERE POURING THROUGH CHINJU IN THEIR BUILD-UP FOR A MAJOR ASSAULT ALONG THE SOUTHERN FLANK.
ONE PILOT REPORTED THAT RESIDENTS FLED FROM THE CITY AFTER THE ATTACK.
CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF THE SOUTHEAST PORT OF PUSAN, IS A FOCAL POINT FOR THE RED THRUST DRIVING TOWARD PUSAN.
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B29KX (Q)
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TOKYO, AUG. 2-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT ARE PLAYING AN INCREASINGLY ACTIVE ROLE IN THE KOREAN WAR.
RAAF MUSTANGS HELPED PUSH THE NUMBER OF COMBAT AIR SORTIES TO A NEW HIGH FOR A SINGLE DAY ON TUESDAY.
A RECENT TABULATION SHOWS THE LONE AUSTRALIAN SQUADRON IS FLYING 25 OR MORE GROUND SUPPORT OR RECONNAISSANCE MISSIONS DAILY.
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B42KX (TEXT) Q
TEXT (260)
TOKYO, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 190 ISSUED AT 6:50 P.M. (3:50 A.M., EST) BY THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES:
EIGHTY-TWO TWIN MUSTANGS, F-80 JET SHOOTING STARS AND F-51 MUSTANGS ATTACKED NORTH KOREAN FORCES AT CHINJU AGAIN WEDNESDAY, INFLICTING CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE ON SUPPLY STOCKS, AMMUNITION AND MOTOR VEHICLES.
FIRST LT. GEORGE B. BOUGHTON, GARDNER, KANSAS, REPORTED THAT THE TOWN WAS ON FIRE AFTER SEVERAL F-82S HAD EXPENDED ROCKETS AND BOMBS AGAINST THE COMMUNIST SUPPLY RESERVE. HE FLEW WITH SEVERAL OTHER F-82 PILOTS AND ON RETURN TO HIS BASE WEDNESDAY SAID:
"DAMAGED SEVERAL TRUCKS, A TANK AND A BRIDGE NEAR THE TOWN AFTER FIRING OUR ROCKETS AGAINST MILITARY TARGETS IN THE CITY PROPER."
ASSISTING LT. BOUGHTON ON THIS PARTICULAR MISSION WERE FIRST LT. RONALD P. ADAMS, MACON, AND FIRST LT. WILLIAM G. HUDSON, SELMA, ALA.
LT. HUDSON SAID: "I USED ROCKETS ON A TANK TWO MILES EAST OF CHINJU AND I DON'T BELIEVE THAT TANK WILL EVER RUN AGAIN."
A BRIDGE WAS DAMAGED AND SEVERAL BUILDINGS LEFT BURNING IN THE SAME PLACE BY TWO F-82 PILOTS, LIEUTENANTS GEORGE D. DEANS, JR., CLAREMONT, CALIF., AND CHARLES B. MORAN, HORSE CAVE, KY. SAID LIEUT. MORAN: "WE STRAFED TROOPS AND TRUCKS AT CHINJU, AND ADDED SOME TELLING BURSTS WITH ROCKETS."
FIRST LT. ROBERT K. BOBO, REED CITY, MICH., REPORTED THAT CHINJU WAS BURNING WHEN HE REACHED THE TARGET WEDNESDAY, AND THAT HE SPOTTED RESIDENTS EVACUATING THE TOWN. HE SAID HE SAW SEVERAL F-80 JETS AND F-51S MOVING AWAY FROM THE PLACE AFTER UNLOADING THEIR AMMUNITION.
THE B-26 LIGHT INVADERS THIS MORNING HIT AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR DEPOTS AT TAEJONG. HIGH EXPLOSIVES WERE DROPPED ON THE TARGETS. SOME B-26 PILOTS REPORTED FIRES AT CHOCHIWON ON RETURN TO BASE.
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B40KX (SEG) (TEXTS AHD)

B40KX (SCEG) (TEXTS AHD)
TEXT (340)
TOKYO, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 191, ISSUED AT 7:20 P.M. (4:20 A.M., EST) BY THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES:
FIRST PHASE AND INCOMPLETE PHOTO EVALUATION WAS COMPLETED LATE WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON ON THE DAMAGE DONE THE CHEMICAL AND LIGHT METALS MANUFACTERING PLANT AT KONAN (HUNGNAM), TARGET FOR THE TUESDAY B-29 MISSION, WHICH DROPPED MORE THAN 400 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES.
SMOKE WAS STILL OBSCURING PART OF THE TARGET AREA BUT U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES OPERATIONS ANALYSTS WERE ABLE TO DETERMINE FROM PICTURES TODAY THAT 20 PER CENT OF THE BUILDINGS IN THE MAIN FACTORY AREA HAS BEEN COMPLETELY DESTROYED. FORTY PER CENT OF THE MAIN BUILDINGS (ABOUT 120 IN NUMBER AND OF PERMANENT TYPE CONSTRUCTION) RECEIVED DIRECT HITS. ANOTHER 10 PER CENT OF THE TARGET AREA WAS DAMAGED.
THE RESULTS OF FIVE LARGE FIRES COULD BE SEEN IN THE PHOTOGRAPHS BY AIR FORCE OPERATIONS ANALYSTS.
TUESDAY'S TARGET FOR THE AIR FORCE B-29S WAS CONSIDERED A PRINCIPAL MANUFACTURER OF CRITICAL WAR MATERIEL USED BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES. DURING WORLD WAR TWO THIS SAME PLANT HAD BEEN A LARGE SUPPLIER FOR THE JAPANESE WAR MACHINE. MAGNITUDE OF THE PLANTS SIZE MAY BE INDICATED BY THE FACT THAT ITS FACILITIES INCLUDE A COMPLETE HARBOR WITH A 2,500 FOOT DOCK AND FOUR LARGE CANTILEVER-TYPE LOADING AND UNLOADING CRANES. THE DOCK EASILY ACCOMODATES OCEAN-GOING VESSELS.
TWO LARGE ELECTRIC TRANSFORMER YARDS ARE LOCATED IN THE PLANT AREA AND WERE USED IN THE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM OF THE TREMENDOUS AMOUNT OF ELECTRIC POWER USED IN THE MANUFACTURING PROCESS.
SOME OF THE MAIN BUILDINGS IN THE PLANT AREA WERE AS MUCH AS 1,200 FEET IN LENGTH. EIGHT RAILWAY SIDINGS FOR THE HANDLING OF CARGO AND FREIGHT OVER INLAND ROUTES ADJOINED THE FACTORY AREA.
CHEMICAL PRODUCTION OF THE FACTORY INCLUDED NITRIC ACID FOR EXPLOSIVES, NITROGLYCERINE AND A LARGE CAPACITY FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF GLYCERINE, PHOSPHORIC ACID AND HYDROCHLORIC ACID.
OTHER PRODUCTION OF THIS PARTICULAR COMPLEX INCLUDES MAGNESIUM, ALUMINUM AND COPPER. ITS RATE OF PRODUCTION HAD BEEN INCREASED FOLLOWING WORLD WAR TWO AND PRIOR TO TUESDAY'S BOMBING ATTACK.
THIS WAS THE SECOND MAJOR ATTACK AGAINST THE KONAN (HUNGNAM) INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX. TUESDAY'S TARGET WAS ABOUT TWO MILES EAST OF THE CHEMICAL FACTORY, WHICH WAS SEVERELY DAMAGED BY AIR FORCE B-29S ON JULY 30.
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TEXT (650)
TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE TEXT OF THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE NO. 195 ISSUED AT 1:30 P.M. (10:30 P.M. EST WEDNESDAY):
H UNITED STATES FAREAST AIR FORCES FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS MAINTAINED THEIR STEADY AIR ASSAULT ON NORTH KOREAN TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, BRIDGES, SUPPLY LINES AND OTHER MILITARY OBJECTIVES ON AUG. 2.
WORKING IN CLOSE COOPERATION WITH U.S. EIGHTH ARMY GROUND FORCES, FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80 JET FIGHTERS AND F-51S DESTROYED LARGE AMOUNTS OF NORTH KOREAN VEHICLES AND OTHER MATERIEL DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS IN THE CHINJU SECTOR WHWBE THE NORTH KOREANS WERE BEING FORCED TO WITHDRAW IN THE FACE OF COUNTERATTACKING U.S. GROUND FORCES.
ON ONE TEN MILE STRETCH OF ROAD BETWEEN PANSONG AND HOTAN, EASO OF CHINJU, AMERICAN GROUND FORCES BLOCKED ONE END OF A NATURAL CORRIDOR WHILE F-80S AND F-51S DROVE DOWN ON NORTH KOREAN UNITS FROM THE WEST. MACHINEGUN AND ROCKET FIRE COMBINED WITH INFANTRY AND ARTILLERY ACTION RESULTED IN HEAVY NORTH KOREAN LOSSES.
AT THE SAME TIME, HEAVY STRAFING AND BOMBING ATTACKS WERE MADE ON ROADS IN THE CHINJU AREA TO BOTTLE UP THE COMMUNIST TROOPS AND PREVENT REINFORCEMENTS FROM MOVING UP TO COUNTER AMERICAN GROUND ADVANCES. A SMALL BRIDGE WAS KNOCKED OUT ON THE ROAD WEST OF CHINJU AND OTHER TARGETS WERE HIT AS FAR WEST AS HADONG.
MORE THAN 400 CLOSE SUPPORT AND ARMED RECONNAISSANCE FIGHTER AND LIGHT BOMBERS STRIKES BY FIFTH AIR FORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE UNITS WERE AIMED AT TARGETS BEHIND THE BATTLE FRONT. A MAJORITY WERE CARRIED OUT UNDER THE DIRECTION OF AIR FORCE FORWARD CONTROLLERS STATIONED AT KEY POINTS NEAR THE LINES OF FLYING SPOTTING MISSIONS IN T-6 TRAINERS.
CHINJU AND OTHER FOCAL AREAS FOR NORTH KOREAN MILITARY OPERATIONS IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR RECEIVED THE HEAVIEST CONCENTRATION OF FIGHTER ATTACKS DURING THE DAY, BUT F-80S ALSO STRAFED GROUND TROOPS AND VEHICLES AT SONGJONG, ANDONG, KOCHANG, CHONJU, NAMWON, CHECHON AND TANYANG. A RADIO AND POWER STATION WAS HIT AND DAMAGED AT TAEJON.

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RAAF MUSTANGS AND FIFTH AIRFORCE F-51S, NOW INCREASED IN NUMBERS, THROUGH THE ADDITION OF AIRCRAFT AND FLYING PERSONNEL FRMM THE UNITED STATES, STRUCK TARGETS AT HADONG, MOKPO, YOSU, OKCHON, KUMCHON AND OTHER POINTS BELOW THE 37TH
PARALLEL. THE F-51S DAMAGED A HYDROELECTRIC PLANT AT MOKPO.
COMBINED PILOT CLAIMS FMR NORTH KOREAN GROUND MATERIEL BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK AND DAMAGED DURING THE DAY INCLUDED: 76 VEHICLES OF ALL TYPES, 29 RAILROAD CARS, SIX LOCOMOTIVES, FOUR FUEL AND SUPPLY DUMPS, 10 ARTILLERY POSITIONS OR FIELD PIECES, THREE BRIDGES AND EIGHT SMALL BOATS. NORTH KOREAN FOOT TROOP CASUALTIES WERE NOT ESTIMATED BUT THERE BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN SIZABLE.
ONE NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT, IDENTIFIED AS AN LA-7, WAS ATTACKED AND DAMAGED ON THE GROUND IN A SMALL FIGHTER STRIKE AT KIMPO AIRFIELD NEAR SEOUL.
FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS CONTINUED 24 HOUR BOMBING AND STRAFING ATTACKS ON TROOP AND SUPPLY MOVEMENTS, BRIDGES AND OTHER TARGETS. NIGHT INTRUDER SORTIES WERE FLOWN TO TAECHON AND HAEMI ON THE WESTERN COAST NORTH OF KUNSAN, AS WELL AS TO CHOCHIWON, CHONGJU AND CHINJU.
A DAYLIGHT B-26 MISSION BOMBED A LARGE MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIR SHOP AT TAEJONG ABOUT 10 MILES WEST OF SEOUL, WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS.
FAR EAST AIR FORCES BOMBER COMMAND B-29S ATTACKED NINE BRIDGES WHICH RECONNAISSANCE SHOWED WERE BEING USED TO MOVE NORTH KOREAN SUPPLIES AND PERSONNEL TO THE FRONT LINE. A MAJOR TARGET WAS THE WEST RAILROAD BRIDGE AT SEOUL WHICH TOOK AT LEAST SIX DIRECT HITS. NO SPANS WERE REPORTED OUT BUT THE BRIDGE WAS CONSIDERED TO HAVE RECEIVED CRIPPLING STRUCTURAL DAMAGE.
THREE OTHER BRIDGES, ONE NEAR KYONGAN, 17 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SEOUL, ANOTHER AT I-RI (CQ) 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF CHONJU, AND A THIRD AT CHUNCHON, WERE SERIOUSLY DAMAGED AND REPORTED AS BEING UNUSEABLE.
FLYING WEATHER WAS GENERALLY FAIR TO EXCELLENT IN MOST SECTORS THROUGHOUT THE DAY.
NONE OF OUR AIRCRAFT WAS LOST OR DAMAGED ON AUG. 2, ALTHOUGH A DELAYED REPORT INDICATED THAT ONE F-80 WAS DOWNED ON AUG. 1 IN THE CHOCHIWON AREA.
MORE THAN 109 TONS OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES FOR THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES WERE FLOWN TO KOREAN BASES BY FIFTH AIR FORCE CARGO PLANES DURING THE DAY.
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KOREAN NAVAL
TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-CAPTURE OF THE RED-HELD, MUCH BATTERED COASTAL TOWN OF YONGDOK BY THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION, UNDER COVER OF U.S. NAVAL BOMBARDMENT, WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
A NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT REPORTED THAT AN AMERICAN CRUISER AND AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF DESTROYERS SUPPORTED THE DRIVE, WITH THE SOUTH KOREANS PUSHING THREE MILES NORTH OF YONGDOK.
THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE ON THE OFFENSIVE IN THE AREA IN THE "FACE OF HEAVY ENEMY OPPOSITION AND HAS CONTINUED IN PURSUIT OF THE ENEMY RETREATING TO THE NORTH."
THE NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE U.S. SHIPS MOVED AHEAD OF THE ADVANCING TROOPS AND CLEARED OUT NORTH KOREAN CONCENTRATIONS.
YONGDOK IS ABOUT 25 MILES NORTH OF POHANG, WHERE THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION LANDED JULY 18. IT HAS BEEN REPEATEDLY SHELLED FROM THE SEA.

A TWO-HOUR BOMBARDMENT OF THE FORMER NAVAL BASE OF MOKPO, ON KOREA'S SOUTHWEST COAST, ALSO WAS REPORTED. THE NAVY SAID TWO BRITISH DESTROYERS, "OPERATING UNDER EXTREME NAVIGATIONAL HAZARDS," SHELLED INSTALLATIONS WEDNESDAY.
"AN AIRCRAFT SPOTTER'S BRIEF REPORT INDICATED CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE TO AN OIL REFINERY, WITH ONE LARGE FIRE AND A NUMBER OF SMALL FIRES STARTED IN AN OIL TANK STORAGE AREA," THE NAVY ADDED.
"WAREHOUSES, A FACTORY, RAILROAD SIDINGS AND DOCK INSTALLATIONS WERE BLASTED.
"MOKPO COULD BE A VITAL STAGING POINT FOR THE NORTH KOREANS IN CLOSE-IN WATER RE-SUPPLY OPERATIONS ALONG THE WEST AND SOUTH COASTS."
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TEXT (210)
TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 193, COVERING NAVAL OPERATIONS AND ISSUED AT 12:35 P.M., KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME (9:35 P.M., WEDNESDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):
OPERATING UNDER CONDITIONS OF EXTREME NAVIGATIONAL HAZARD TWO BRITISH DESTROYERS YESTERDAY CONDUCTED A TWO-HOUR BOMBARDMENT OF MILITARY TARGETS AT MOKPO.
AN AIRCRAFT SPOTTERS BRIEF REPORT ON RESULTS INDICATED CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE TO AN OIL REFINERY, WITH ONE LARGE FIRE AND A NUMBER OF SMALL

FIRES STARTED IN AN OIL TANK STORAGE AREA. W[illegible]HOUSES, [illegible]ACTORY, RAILROAD SIDINGS AND DOCK INSTALLATIONS WERE [illegible]TED.
MOKPO COULD BE A VITAL STAGING POINT FOR THE NORTH KOREANS IN CLOSE-IN WATER RESUPPLY OPERATIONS ALONG THE WEST AND SOUTH COASTS.
FIRE FROM A U.S. CRUISER AND DESTROYERS OVER A PERIOD OF MORE THAN AN HOUR AIDED MATERIALLY, ACCORDING TO GROUND FORCE SPOTTING GROUPS, IN THE ADVANCE OF SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS THAT RESULTED IN THE RECAPTURE OF THE TOWN OF YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST. THE TROOPS HAVE ADVANCED TO A POINT THREE MILES NORTH OF THE TOWN WITH THE U.S. SHIPS MOVING AHEAD OF THE ADVANCING TROOPS AND CLEARING OUT ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS.
UNITS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVY OPERATING CLOSE INSHORE IN THE VICINITY OF HAMHAE ISLAND ON THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA CONTINUED THEIR PATROL TO PREVENT INFILTRATION AND THE OPERATION OF RESUPPLY CRAFT FOR THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES NOW OCCUPYING THE WESTERN PART OF THE SOUTHERN SECTOR.
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TOKYO,AUG.2-(AP)-A UNITED STATES SPOKESMAN TODAY TOOK RUSSIA TO TASK FOR WHAT HE CALLED ANSWERING DIPLOMATIC NOTES WITH NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS.
WILLIAM J. SEBALD, U.S. MEMBER AND CHAIRMAN OF THE ALLIED COUNCIL FOR JAPAN, TOLD A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL THAT REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION ON 370,000 JAPANESE WAR PRISONERS STILL UNACCOUNTED FOR IN RUSSIA WERE ANSWERED WITH TEXTS OF STORIES BY TASS, RUSSIAN NEWS AGENCY.
HE SAID THE NEWS STORIES MERELY REFERRED TO A PREVIOUS SOVIET ANNOUNCEMENT, ISSUED IN MAY, 1949, THAT REPATRIATION OF JAPANESE WOULD BE COMPLETED BY THE END OF 1949, EXCEPT FOR WAR CRIMINALS.
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BULLETIN
TOKYO,AUG.2-(AP)-PEIPING RADIO SAID TODAY THAT COMMUNIST CHINA HAD OFFERED MILITARY AND NAVAL HELP TO THE NORTH KOREAN REDS BUT WAS TURNED DOWN. THE BROADCAST WAS HEARD HERE.
THE KOREAN REDS WERE QUOTED AS SAYING HELP WAS NOT NEEDED NOW.
MONITORS IN TOKYO QUOTED THE BROADCAST OVER THE OFFICIAL CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO AS SAYING:
"THE COMMUNIST REPUBLIC OF CHINA HAS OFFERED MILITARY AND NAVAL ASSISTANCE TO THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA. THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC REPLIED THAT ASSISTANCE WAS UNNECESSARY AT THIS TIME."
AN AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID THE BROADCAST WAS MADE IN THE TIBETAN LANGUAGE.
THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE THAT THE BROADCAST HAD BEEN MADE IN ANY OTHER LANGUAGE. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT IT WAS A PROPAGANDA BROADCAST DIRECTED TO TIBET ALONE. THE CHINESE REDS ALTERNATELY THREATEN AND CAJOLE TIBET.
APART FROM POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS, THERE IS ANOTHER LINK BETWEEN THE CHINESE AND KOREAN COMMUNISTS. LARGE NUMBERS OF KOREAN OFFICERS WERE TRAINED IN CHINA AND FOUGHT WITH THE CHINESE REDS AGAINST THE NATIONALISTS.
ALMOST SINCE THE START OF WAR IN KOREA THE BIG QUESTION HAS BEEN WHETHER THE CHINESE REDS WOULD PUT TROOPS IN THE LINE.
MILITARY OBSERVERS HAVE DOUBTED THAT ANY SUCH MOVE WOULD BE MADE AS LONG AS THE NORTH KOREANS RAM THEIR DRIVE INTO THE DEEP SOUTH.
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TEXT (180)
TOKYO, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE NO. 16 FROM HEADQUARTERS, EIGHTH U.S. ARMY IN KOREA, ISSUED HERE TONIGHT:
THERE WERE TWO AREAS TODAY WHERE THE ENEMY WAS EXERTING PRESSURE. THE SOUTH KOREAN 3RD DIVISION IS STILL ATTACKING AGAINST STUBBORN NORTH KOREAN RESISTANCE IN THE YONGDOK AREA BUT YONGDOK IS STILL IN DISPUTE. IT BELONGS TO NEITHER SIDE. THE ENEMY IS EXERTING HEAVY PRESSURES SOUTHEAST OF HWANGGAN AGAINST THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WHICH IS OFFERING STUBBORN RESISTANCE TO EACH NORTH KOREAN ATTACK.
LITTLE ACTIVITY HAS BEEN REPORTED BY THE SOUTH KOREAN FORCES EXCEPT ON THE EAST COAST. BOTH YECHON AND ANDONG WERE REPORTED BURNING.
LITTLE ACTIVITY WAS REPORTED IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR.
LITTLE ACTIVITY WAS REPORTED IN THE KOCHANG-HYOPCHON AREA. THERE WERE NO REPORTED MOVEMENTS OF ENEMY TROOPS WEST OF KOCHANG.
IN THE SOUTH, HOWEVER, UNITS IN THE 24TH DIVISION AREA LAUNCHED AN ATTACK. IT WAS SUCCESSFUL IN ACHIEVING THE OBJECTIVE OF SEIZING HIGH GROUND EAST OF CHINJU. THIS IS GOOD DEFENSIVE TERRAIN, GIVING THE DEFENDER THE ADVANTAGE.
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RED PRISONERS (480)
BY RELMAN MORIN
TOKYO, AUG. 2-(AP)-AN AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID TODAY THAT NO RED KOREAN OFFICERS ABOVE THE RANK OF SECOND LIEUTENANT HAD BEEN CAPTURED.
"THEY INVARIABLY KILL THEMSELVES BEFORE WE CAN GRAB THEM," HE EXPLAINED.
THIS WAS THE FIRST HIGH OFFICIAL EVIDENCE THAT KOREANS IN THE FACE OF CAPTURE ARE COMMITTING HARA-KIRI, A FORMER TRADITIONAL PRACTICE OF SUICIDE AMONG JAPANESE WHO CONSIDERED THEMSELVES DISGRACED.
THE BAG OF PRISONERS IS EXTREMELY SMALL, THE OFFICER SAID. ONLY 17 WERE CAPTURED YESTERDAY. HE DID NOT SAY HOW MANY REDS HAD BEEN CAPTURED SINCE THE WAR STARTED.
ABOUT FOUR SECOND LIEUTENANTS HAVE BEEN TAKEN AND "FIVE OR 10 NONCOMS."
THE FACT THAT ALLIED FORCES HAVE RETREATED ALMOST CONSTANTLY PROBABLY IS ONE REASON FOR THE SMALL TOTAL. THE OFFICER EXPRESSED THE BELIEF THAT THE SITUATION WOULD CHANGE WHEN UNITED NATIONS FORCES SWING TO THE OFFENSIVE.
"WE ARE ITCHING TO GET AN OFFICER COMMANDING A TANK," HE SAID. "BUT SO FAR WE HAVEN'T ANY LUCK. WHEN A TANK IS HIT BY 3.5 INCH ROCKETS OR THE BIGGER FIVE-INCHERS FROM THE AIR IT USUALLY IS DESTROYED AND THE WHOLE CREW KILLED."
THE OFFICER SAID THE ONLY RED TANKMEN CAPTURED CAME FROM DAMAGED MACHINES. IN SUCH CASES THE COMMANDER, IF UNABLE TO ESCAPE, SHOOTS HIMSELF.
HE SAID CAPTURED RED TANKMEN HAVE DISCLOSED THEY HAVE TWO GREAT FEARS--LAND MINES AND ROCKETS FROM AIRCRAFT.
"THEY ARE MORTALLY AFRAID OF OUR PLANES," THE OFFICER SAID.
HE GAVE THIS PICTURE OF NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS:
THE AVERAGE AGE IS 22. AGES RANGE BETWEEN 16 AND 30.
LARGE NUMBERS OF THOSE TAKEN PRISONER WERE CONSCRIPTED EARLY THIS YEAR. THIS INDICATES THE DATE FOR WAR PROBABLY HAD BEEN SELECTED THEN.
THESE MEN RECEIVED "ONLY BRIEF TRAINING" AND THE OFFICER SAID

"RESULTS CAN NOT BE REGARDED AS GOOD."
SUCH TROOPS CONTRAST SHARPLY WITH THE REDS' CRACK DIVISIONS, AT LEASE THOSE WHICH HAD FOUR YEARS OF TRAINING AND WERE OFFICERED BY KOREANS WHO FOUGHT FOR THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS. AMERICAN OFFICERS HAVE BEEN FRANKLY ADMIRING THE WORK OF THESE DIVISIONS.
FEAR, AND NOT POLITICAL INDOCTRINATION OR DEEP CONVICTION, MOTIVATES THE ACTIONS OF THOSE TAKEN PRISONER, THE OFFICER SAID. QUESTIONING BROUGHT OUT THAT THE MEN ARE TERRIBLY AFRAID OF THEIR OFFICERS "AND WHEN GIVEN AN ORDER THEY BEHAVE LIKE ROBOTS. THEY LACK THE ABILITY TO THINK AND ACT WITH INTELLIGENCE."
PRISONERS SAID THAT WHEN UNITS ARE DISORGANIZED BY SUCH THINGS AS STRAFING THEY AUTOMATICALLY BECOME GUERRILLAS. THEY DISCARD UNIFORMS AND PUT ON CIVILIAN CLOTHES.
"EVEN THEN," THE OFFICER SAID, "THEY DON'T QUIT FIGHTING. THEY GO ON AS GUERRILLAS OR UNTIL THEY ARE PUT IN NEW UNITS."
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(380)
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SOUTH KOREANS
TOKYO,THURSDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-FIVE SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS---NUMBERING PERHAPS 40,000 TO 50,000 MEN---WERE DUG IN ALONG NEW DEFENSE LINES ON THE NORTHERN BATTLEFRONT TODAY.
THEY WERE HOLDING BACK SIX NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS OF 60,000 MEN OR MORE ALONG A JAGGED 75-MILE LINE WHICH FORMS THE NORTHERN ROOF OF DEFENSES IN SOUTHEAST KOREA.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY LISTED THE SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS IN FULL FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF HOSTILITIES ON JUNE 25.
IN THE EARLY DAYS OF WAR THE AMERICAN-TRAINED SOUTH KOREAN ARMY OF 96,000 MEN WAS OVERWHELMED AND OVERRUN BY THE FAST-MOVING NORTHERN INVADERS, PACED BY RUSSIAN-BUILT TANKS. MOST OF ITS SUPPLIES AND MATERIEL WAS LOST.
WITHOUT DETAILING REORGANIZATION EFFORTS, MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS LOCATED THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST, SIXTH, EIGHTH, THIRD AND CAPITAL DIVISIONS ON THE FRONT. THERE WERE NO ANNOUNCED FIGURES ON THE STRENGTH OF EACH DIVISION. USUALLY KOREAN DIVISIONS RUN ABOUT 10,000 MEN, BUT SOME OF THE SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS MAY NOT BE AT FULL STRENGTH.
HEADQUARTERS INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS NOTED THIS WEEK THAT NORTH KOREANS THROUGH "FRANTIC MOBILIZATION" HAD BUILT UP THEIR OVERALL STRENGTH TO 200,000 MEN.
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IT WAS POSSIBLE THE ODDS AGAINST THE SOUTHERNERS WERE HIGHER THAN 6 TO 5, AS INDICATED BY DIVISIONS.
THE MAIN BODY OF SOUTH KOREANS, IN A GENERAL WITHDRAWAL WHICH STARTED MONDAY AFTER THE LOSS OF YECHON, FELL BACK TO THE SOUTH BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER---ONE OF THE LARGEST WATER BARRIERS IN KOREA. YECHON IS 55 AIR MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, SUPPLY POINT FOR DEFENDING FORCES ON THE MAIN RAIL AND HIGHWAY LINK FROM PUSAN, 55 MILES FARTHER SOUTHEAST.
AMONG THE RETIRING DIVISIONS WERE THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST AND SIXTH WHICH HAD FACED THE NORTH KOREAN FIRST, 13TH AND 15TH DIVISIONS NORTH AND WEST OF HAMCHANG AND NEAR SANJU ON THE NORTHERN FRONT.
AT YONGDOK ON THE EXTREME NORTH EASTERN END OF THE LINE THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION AND THE NORTH KOREAN FIFTH SLUGGED IT OUT IN FIERCE FIGHTING WITH NEITHER SIDE ABLE TO ADVANCE.
THE EIGHTH AND THE CAPITAL DIVISIONS OF THE REPUBLICAN ARMY SENT AGGRESSIVE PATROLS SCOUTING FOR COMMUNIST FORCES WHO SHOWED NO SIGNS OF IMMEDIATE ACTIVITY IN THE YECHON AND ANDONG SECTOR SOME 50 MILES BY AIR NORTH OF THE KEY STRONGPOINT OF TAEGU.
THIS PART OF THE FRONT IS BETWEEN YONGDOK AND THE HAMCHANG-SANGJU SECTOR.
MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS PRAISED THE FIGHTING OF THE SEVENTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION WHICH HAD BEEN NORTH OF HAMCHANG.
MACARTHUR IN A SPECIAL RELEASE SAID THE SIXTH DIVISION "HAS FOUGHT MAGNIFICENTLY THROUGHOUT THE WAR AND HAS BUILT UP FOR ITSELF A DISTINGUISHED COMBAT RECORD."
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A112FX
SECOND LEAD MARINES (650)
BY TOM LAMBERT AND DON WHITEHEAD
A SOUTH KOREAN PORT, AUG. 2-(AP)-U.S. MARINES ARRIVED IN FORCE TONIGHT AT THIS SOUTH KOREAN PORT. THEY CALLED FOR BEER, ASKED ABOUT SHORE LIBERTY AND PROMISED TO MAKE THINGS TOUGH FOR THE ENEMY.
"WE WILL GIVE THEM THE BEST WE GOT--AND THAT'S A LOT," SAID A MARINE SERGEANT.
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A VETERAN OF WORLD WAR II AND A TYPICAL LEATHERNECK, HE CALMLY SCANNED THE LOW HILLS AS THE BIG TRANSPORT EDGED INTO A DOCK. IT BROUGHT THE FIRST CONTINGENT OF MARINES FROM THE UNITED STATES TO A BEACHHEAD SHRINKING UNDER THE ARMORED BLOWS OF THE NORTH KOREANS.
"WE FIGURE THIS WILL BE TOUGHER THAN ANYTHING WE HAVE HAD BEFORE," THE SERGEANT SAID.
THE BRASS BAND ON THE DOCK PLAYED TWO STIRRING LEATHERNECK AIRS, "FROM THE HALLS OF MONTEZUMA" AND "SEMPER FIDELIS."
THE MARINES CAME LOADED FOR HEAVY COMBAT.
THEY WILL GO INTO BATTLE BEHIND HULKING PERSHING M-26 TANKS, WEIGHING 45 TONS AND MOUNTING A 90 MM. GUN. THERE'S BEEN NOTHING LIKE THAT ON THE AMERICAN SIDE SO FAR. RUSSIAN-MADE T-34S CONSISTENTLY HAVE OUTGUNNED THE AMERICAN MEDIUM TANKS.
FLAME THROWERS AND THE NEW TANK-KILLER SUPER-BAZOOKAS ALSO WERE IN THE MARINE EQUIPMENT.
"WE FEEL FINE AND HOT TO GO," SAID STAFF SGT. CLAUDE BRICKER OF KANSAS CITY.
"NO PAIN, NO STRAIN. WE JUST WANT TO GET THIS OVER," SAID STAFF SGT. LEONARD LIBBY OF GRANITE CITY, ILL.
THEY CAME FROM THE CAROLINA HILLS, THE STREETS OF NEW YORK AND THE PLAINS OF THE MIDWEST. THEY WERE A CROSS-SECTION OF AMERICA.
CORRESPONDENTS BOARDED A LAUNCH AND MET THE MARINE CONVOY AS IT NEARED THE HARBOR.
IT HAD BEEN 20 DAYS CROSSING THE PACIFIC AND HAD BEEN EXPECTED TWO DAYS EARLIER. THERE HAD BEEN SOME ANXIETY IN PORT BUT REQUIREMENTS OF RADIO SILENCE PREVENTED THE CONVOY FROM GIVING ITS POSITION.
THE MARINES SAID IT WAS A QUIET TRIP--"ONLY ONE CASE OF SEASICKNESS."
BUT 20 DAYS ABOARD A SHIP IS A LONG TIME.
"GOD HELP THE NAVY IF WE HAVE ANOTHER CONVOY LIKE THIS," SAID BOATSWAINS MATE THIRD CLASS ROY WISE OF 11 W. FOURTH ST., OSWEGO, N.Y. "THOSE GUYS HAVE BEEN BOTTLED UP SO LONG THEY WOULD FIGHT TIGERS TO GET OUT."
MT.MARK RINGER OF 4084 BERNICE DR., SAN DIEGO, AN ARTILLERY BATTERY OFFICER, ASKED A REPORTER:
"WHAT'S THE WAR NEWS. LET'S HEAR THE SITUATION AND WHAT WE ARE GOING INTO."
HE WAS TOLD THE SITUATION WAS BAD AND THAT THE MARINES PROBABLY WOULD BE RUSHED INTO COMBAT.
"WELL, WE CAME OVER TO FIGHT," THE LEATHERNECK SAID. "I THINK THE BOYS ARE READY."

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PFC. RICHARD SUTTON, 2786 FREDEEL DR., SAN DIEGO, WAS INTERESTED IN GUERRILLA TACTICS.
"WE HAVE GOOD INFANTRY AND I THINK WE CAN HANDLE THE GUERRILLAS," HE SAID. "ANYWAY, WE'LL MAKE A STAB AT IT."
THE MARINES IN GREEN COMBAT FATIGUES CROWDED THE SHIPS DECKS FOR FIRST GLIMPSES OF THE LAND WHERE THEY WILL FIGHT.
THEY WERE A BIT SOBER AND SUBDUED. BUT STILL, THE WISECRACKS FLEW.
"IF YOU KNEW WE WAS COMING," CROONED ONE MARINE, "WHERE IS THE CAKE?"
ANOTHER QUIPPED: "LOOK AT THOSE MOUNTAINS. AIN'T THAT A LOVELY PLACE TO FIGHT?"
SGT. HUBERT MOORE OF CHARLESTON, W.VA., STOOD TO ONE SIDE. A REPORTER ASKED HIM WHAT HE THOUGHT.
"I GUESS WE FELL ABOUT THIS ONE LIKE WE WOULD FEEL ABOUT ANY FIGHT," HE SAID, ALMOST SHYLY. "WE'LL DO ALL WE CAN."
THE MARINES EXUDED CONFIDENCE IN THEIR WEAPONS. "WE HAVE GOT THE BEST," SAID SGT. PHELBERT TANT OF TEMPLE, TEX.
THE MARINE INFANTRY IS WELL EQUIPPED WITH BROWNING AUTOMATIC RIFLES--BARS (CAPS)--WHICH WERE WELL KNOWN IN WORLD WAR II.
"THEY ARE THE BEST WEAPONS THE INFANTRY HAS," SAID PFC. JACK T.. STAREWALT OF CHINA GROVE, N.C.
"THE BAR IS A SWEET WEAPON," CPL. HARBERT POTZEK OF FLEMINGTON, W.VA., AGREED.
THIS MARINE OUTFIT HAS MANY WORLD WAR II VETERANS. AN EXAMPLE IS CAPT. ARNOLD HOSTETTER OF OCEANSIDE, CALIF.
HOSTETTER, AN ARTILLERY MAN IN THE LAST WAR, STOPPED A JAPANESE BANZAI CHARGE ON SAIPAN WITH HEAVY ARTILLERY AT CLOSE RANGE.
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FIRST LEAD MARINES
BY TOM LAMBERT
A SOUTH KOREAN PORT, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE FIRST TRANSPORT SHIP BRINGING MARINES TO THE KOREAN WAR DOCKED AT 6:30 P.M. TONIGHT (3:30 A.M., EST) AND LEATHERNECKS BEGAN DISEMBARKING IMMEDIATELY.
THEY WERE MET BY THEIR COMMANDING GENERAL.
THE MEN LOOKED FIT AND READY FOR ACTION. THEY RANGED IN AGE FROM YOUTHS IN THEIR TEENS TO GRIZZLED VETERANS.
"CAN YOU GET ANY BEER HERE?" SOME CALLED OVER THE SHIP'S RAIL. OTHERS YELLED, "HOW'S LIBERTY IN THIS JOINT?".
OTHER TRANSPORTS WERE COMING IN TOWARD PORT SHORTLY BEHIND THE FIRST TRANSPORT.

A BRASS BAND OF NEGRO SOLDIERS AND KOREANS SWUNG INTO THE MARINE HYMN, "FROM THE HALLS OF MONTEZUMA," AS THE SHIP EDGED AGAINST THE DOCK.
THEN IT PLAYED "SEMPER FIDELIS," THE MARINE MARCHING SONG.
LT.COL.E.BANORMAN OF KANSAS CITY WAS THE FIRST OFFICER TO GO ABOARD A MARINE TRANSPORT SHIP TO WELCOME THE REINFORCEMENTS.
LT.JOHN STRENGTH OF MARSHALL, TEX., WAS THE FIRST MARINE ASHORE. HE SUPERVISED THE TYING OF LINES. THE MAIN GROUPING ASHORE FOR MOVEMENT INTO BATTLE WAS SCHEDULED FOR EARLY THURSDAY.
TWO VETERANS OF THE PACIFIC WAR WERE AMONG THE MARINE ARRIVALS, STAFF.SGT.CCLAUDE BAKER OF 1742 HASKELL ST , KANSAS CITY

STAFF SGT.CLAUDE BAKER OF 1742 HASKELL ST.. KANSAS CITY, WHO WAS WOUNDED AT GUADALCANAL, SAID:
"THIS OUTFIT IS FEELING FINE AND HOT TO "

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ANOTHER STAFF SGT., LEONARD LIBBY OF GRANITE CITY, ILL., WHEN ASKED HOW THE MARINES FELT ABOUT GETTING INTO ACTION, SAID:
"NO PAIN, NO STRAIN. WE JUST WANT TO GET THIS OVER."
LIBBY WAS AT PEARL HARBOR WHEN THE JAPANESE ATTACKED AND LATER FOUGHT IN THE PHILIPPINES.
CPL.LOUIS WATTEAU, BICKNELL, IND., SAID, "IT'S JUST ANOTHER JOB, I GUESS."

AN ADVANCE PARTY OF LEATHERNECK ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL WAS FLOWN HERE FROM THE UNITED STATES SEVERAL DAYS AGO TO PREPARE FOR THE ARRIVAL OF THE FIGHTING FORCES.
THE FIGHTING MARINES' LANDING PORT IS SOME 40 MILES FROM THE SOUTHEAST KOREAN BATTLEFRONT.
PORT PILOTS WENT OUT TO GUIDE THE BIG TRANSPORT CARRYING THE HEAVILY ARMED MARINES INTO PORT.
THE LEATHERNECKS WERE EXPECTED TO BEGIN DISEMBARKING IMMEDIATELY WITH COMBAT EQUIPMENT INCLUDING FLAME THROWERS, HEAVY BAZOOKAS AND HEAVIER TANKS THAN THE U.S. HAS BEEN USING THUS FAR.
THEY ARE EXPECTED TO HEAD FOR THE BATTLEFRONT QUICKLY.
ONLY A COMPARATIVELY SMALL PORTION OF THEM HAVE HAD COMBAT EXPERIENCE, BUT MOST HAVE COMPLETED INTENSIVE FIELD TRAINING.
THEY PROBABLY WILL GO INTO ACTION ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, WHERE THE REDS HAVE GAINED APPRECIABLY IN THE PAST FEW DAYS SOME 40 MILES EAST OF PUSAN PORT.
ARRIVAL OF THE MARINES RAISED HOPES THAT U.S. FORCES MIGHT SOON GO ON THE OFFENSIVE. THE MARINES ARE PRIMARILY ASSAULT TROOPS. BUT A GENERAL OFFENSIVE HARDLY SEEMS LIKELY UNTIL THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS HAVE HALTED THE RED DRIVE AND STABILIZED THEIR OWN LINES.
NEVERTHELESS, THE MARINES' IMMINENT ENTRY INTO THE FIGHT--WHICH MAY PROVE ONE OF THE MARINES TOUGHEST--IS EXPECTED TO HEARTEN EVERYONE HERE.
MANY A WEARY FRONTLINE SOLDIER HAS BEEN ASKING FOR DAYS:
"WHEN ARE THOSE MARINES GOING TO GET HERE?"
THE MARINES ARE THE FOURTH SIZEABLE GROUP OF U.S. REINFORCEMENTS TO ARRIVE IN KOREA SINCE THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION FIRST BEGAN FIGHTING THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS A MONTH AGO.
THE OTHER REINFORCEMENTS FOR THE 24TH ARE THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION, THE 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION, THE SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION AND THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM. ADVANCED ECHELONS OF THE LATTER TWO--RECENTLY ARRIVED--ARE HEADING FOR THE BATTLEFRONT.
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A105FX
REFUGEES BACKGROUNDS (550)
BY DON WHITEHEAD
WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA-(DELAYED)-(AP)-THE AMERICAN SOLDIER MUST HARDEN HIS HEART AND COLDLY SHOOT DOWN ANYONE WEARING CIVILIAN CLOTHES IN THE COMBAT AREA--IF HE IS TO PROTECT HIS OWN LIFE IN THIS WAR.

THE AMERICANS HAVEN'T DONE IT YET. THE KIDS FROM NEW YORK AND OHIO AND TEXAS AND CALIFORNIA WITH SUNDAY SCHOOL BACKGROUND HAVE RESPECTED PEOPLE IN CIVILIAN GARB. AND TOO MANY OF THEM HAVE PAID FOR IT WITH THEIR OWN LIVES.

THIS ISN'T THE ORTHODOX WAR OF NORTH AFRICA, SICILY, ITALY AND EUROPE WHERE GENERALLY THE RECOGNIZED RULES OF WARFARE WERE FOLLOWED. THIS IS GUERRILLA WAR, A SNEAKING, DIRTY WAR WHERE THE ENEMY USES EVERY TRICK IN THE BOOK TO KILL AMERICANS.

"REFUGEES" ARE THE BIG PROBLEM. THEY HAVE BEENN COMING THROUGH THE AMERICAN LINES FOR DAYS IN DROVES.

SOME OF THEM ARE SOUTH KOREANS FLEEING BEFORE THE REDS. BUT AMONG THEM ARE THE GUERRILLAS WHO SPY OUT AMERICAN POSITIONS, WHO SLIP INTO THE HILLS AS SNIPERS, AND WHO HARRASS THE AMERICANS FROM THE REAR.

THE ARMY HAS BEEN TRYING TO SOLVE THIS PROBLEM BY CREATING A SO-CALLED "SECURITY BELT" FROM WHICH ALL NATIVES ARE EVACUATED IN THE COMBAT AREA. PRESUMABLY ANYONE FOUND IN THIS AREA WOULD BE AN ENEMY AND TREATED AS A GUERRILLA. BUT IT HASN'T WORKED THAT WAY.

THE REASON IS THAT THE AMERICANS DON'T HAVE THE FLINTY HEARTS OF KILLERS WHO HAVE NO CONSCIENCE TO PLAGUE THEM IN THE DARK HOURS.

HERE IS THE STORY IN BRIEF:

THE NATIVES TRUDGE INTO THE AMERICAN LINES ALONG THE ROADS AND THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS. THEY COME BY THE HUNDREDS. THEY CARRY THEIR BELONGINGS ON THEIR BACKS IN BUNDLES OR IN BOXES PILED ON WOODEN Y-SHAPED PACK SADDLES. THERE IS NO ONE TO SEARCH THE BUNDLES AND PACKS--BECAUSE THE ARMY HASN'T THE MANPOWER FOR THE JOB. THE MEN ARE NEEDED ON THE FIGHTING LINE.

AND OVER AGAIN THE STORY IS THE SAME IN EVERY AMERICAN UNIT:

A "REFUGEE" IS FOUND TO BE AN ARTILLERY OBSERVER FOR THE ENEMY--CALLING DOWN FIRE ON YANK POSITIONS. A GROUP SLIPS INTO THE HILLS AND SETS UP A ROAD BLOCK WITH MACHINEGUN FIRE. A MACHINEGUN SUDDENLY OPENS FIRE FROM A FLANK--AND IT IS MANNED BY MEN IN CIVILIAN CLOTHES. THE CIVILIANS WHO WANDERED BY AMERICAN INFANTRY POSITIONS IN THE HILLS ARE LATER ON HIGHER GROUND FIRING ON THE AMERICANS.

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THE STORY IS REPEATED ON EVERY UNIT OF THE ARMY BY ANGRY GIS, AND THEIR OFFICERS WHO KNOW HOW TO DEAL WITH THE PROBLEM BUT WHO SHRINK FROM THE STARK REALITIES.

SGT.JAMES HASKINS OF LA MESA, CALIF., SIZED UP THE SITUATION THIS WAY AS A VETERAN OF TWO WARS:

"WE WEREN'T TRAINED TO FIGHT THIS KIND OF WAR. WE WERE TRAINED TO FIGHT IN THE EUROPEAN STYLE OF POSITION AND MANEUVER. THE ENEMY FOUGHT THE SAME WAY AND USED PRETTY MUCH THE SAME TACTICS WE USED. BUT THIS IS A GUERRILLA WAR AND WE HAVEN'T BEEN TRAINED FOR IT."

MAJ.GEN.HOBART R.GAY OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TOLD REPORTERS THAT THE REFUGEE PROBLEM WAS THE BIGGEST HEADACHE, ADDING:

"THERE IS A WAY TO DEAL WITH IT BUT THANK GOD THE AMERICAN SOLDIER ISN'T CONSTITUTED TO DO IT."

THE AMERICAN SOLDIER DOESN'T HAVE THE BACKGROUND FOR IT--THAT'S TRUE. BUT THIS IS A WAR FOR SURVIVAL. AND I'D RATHER SEE AMERICANS SHOOT DOWN THE SO-CALLED REFUGEES THAN TO HAVE THE "REFUGEES" SLAUGHTER AMERICANS.

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WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA--DELETE SECOND AND NINTH GRAFS WHITE-HEAD REFUGEES (A105FX) BEGINNING "THIS IS COLD BLOODED MURDER X X X" AND "I BELIEVE THE TIME HAS COME X X "

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KUMCHON (450)

BY HAL BOYLE

IN A U.S. 5TH AIR FORCE PLANE OVER KUMCHON, KOREA, AUG. 2-(AP)-LEAPING TOWERS OF ORANGE FLAME ARE BURNING OUT THE HEART OF ANCIENT KUMCHON TONIGHT AS INVADING NORTH KOREAN REDS STORM INTO ONE END OF THE CITY AND AMERICAN TROOPS PULL OUT THE OTHER.

CAPTURE OF THIS VITAL RAIL AND ROAD CENTER PUTS THE SWARMING NORTH KOREANS WITHIN 30 MILES OF TAEGU, VITAL HIGHWAY AND RAIL JUNCTION, AND ONLY 90 AIR MILES FROM THE MAIN AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.

IT IS NOW 8:18 P.M. (5:18 A.M., EST) AND AMERICAN ENGINEERS HAVE JUST BLOWN UP BOTH SPANS OF A RAILWAY BRIDGE ON THE EASTERN SIDE OF THE KACHON (CORRECT) RIVER, A TRIBUTARY OF THE NAKTONG.

KUMCHON ITSELF LIES ON THE WESTERN SIDE OF THE STREAM AND IT IS LIKE HAVING A BLEACHER SEAT IN HELL TO SEE IT FROM A PLANE CIRCLING AT 500 FEET. THE ENTIRE WESTERN WATERFRONT IS BURNING--ABOUT 500 YARDS OR MORE OF SOLID FLAME AND BILLOWING BLACK SMOKE.

THE RED AND ORANGE TONGUES LICK SKYWARD AT LEAST 100 FEET. IN THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE CITY ANOTHER AREA ERUPTS LIKE A VAST FURNACE DOOR SUDDENL OPENED.

AS THE SPANS OF THE RAILWAY BRIDGE EXPLODE IN A CLOUD OF GRAY DUST AND DROP HEAVILY INTO THE WATER, AN AMERICAN VEHICLE SPEEDS OUT OF THE MURKY PILE OF THE CITY. IT ROLLS SWIFTLY ACROSS AN ADJOINING HIGHWAY BRIDGE TO SAFETY.

A COMBAT ENGINEER SQUAD IS COOLY WAITING TO THE LAST MINUTE BEFORE DESTROYING THE HIGHWAY BRIDGE. THEY DON'T WANT TO LEAVE ANY U.S. SOLDIERS TRAPPED ON THE OTHER SIDE.

BUT THEY CAN'T DELAY MUCH LONGER. ALREADY BRIGHT FLASHES THROUGH THE DEEPENING DUSK SHOW THAT THE INVADERS' GUNS ARE IN THE CITY AND DUWLLING WITH AMERICAN GUNS THAT WERE PULLED BACK TO NEW POSITIONS EARLIER.

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THE CITY ITSELF IS LOST AFTER A BITTER, DEADLY, HEARTBREAKING BATTLE TO HOLD IT BY THE AMERICAN FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION.

THERE IS DUST, DISCOMFORT, DANGER AND DEATH BELOW. BUT IF AN ARTIST COULD PAINT THE SCENE FROM THIS HEIGHT HE COULD MAKE WAR LOOK BEAUTIFUL--IF YOU THOUGHT ONLY IN TERMS OF COLOR AND NOT OF WASTED EFFORT AND BROKEN BODIES.

THE BATTLE IS BEING FOUGHT IN A GREEN AND FERTILE VALLEY BORDERED BY HIGH HILLS--YELLOW, ERODED AND WRINKLED LIKE THE FACE OF A TIRED OLD KOREAN. THE AMERICAN WITHDRAWAL IS A FIGHTING ONE. THEY ARE MAD BECAUSE GOOK GUERRILLAS EVEN DARED TO RAID THEIR COMMAND POST BEFORE DAWN.

ON THE HILLSIDE, PHOSPHOROUS ARTILLERY SHELLS BURST LIKE GIGANTIC POWDER PUFFS. THREE NEARBY VILLAGES HAVE JOINED IN THE CONCERT OF FLAME. THROUGH THE THICKENING SMOKE A BLOOD RED SUN SHINES A BLOODY FAREWELL TO A BLOODY DAY BEFORE DROPPING BEHIND THE MOUNTAINS.

IT SHINES LIKE A BEACON TO DANTE'S HADES--A RED SUN LIGHTING A RED VICTORY.

ON THE MAIN ROAD LEADING FROM THE CITY A FEW VEHICLES CAN BE SEEN. BUT MOST OF THE AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND OTHER EQUIPMENT MOVED OUT HOURS AGO. THE REDS ARE RUNNING A GANTLET OF AMERICAN SHELLS AS

THEY PUSH THROUGH THE CITY.
OUR PLANE--AN UNARMED C-45 (BEECHCRAFT) PILOTED BY MAJ. JAMES W. INGRAM OF FIELDON, ILL.--IS NOW PULLING AWAY FROM BURNING KUMCHON AFTER A FIFTH PASS OVER THIS HOTTEST SPOT SEEN DURING A 250-MILE FLIGHT OVER THE AMERICAN BATTLEFRONT.
IT IS NOW 8:35 P.M. (5:35 A.M., EST). NEW GUN FLASHES WINK FROM THE SMOKE PALL. A KNOT OF COMBAT ENGINEERS STILL WAIT GRIMLY AT THIS END OF THE ROAD BRIDGE. SOON THEY WILL HAVE TO BLOW IT UP--LEAVING KUMCHON TO THE ENEMY.
(AP CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED FROM 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA THAT THE BRIDGE WAS BLOWN.)

KUMCHON IS ONLY ANOTHER OF THE MANY CITIES THAT HAVE FALLEN TO THE COMMUNISTS IN THE LAST FEW DAYS AS THE BIG RED FIST HAS SQUEEZED TIGHTER IN A DESPERATE GRAB FOR AN IMMEDIATE VICTORY.
THE AIR TOUR OF OUR LINES SHOWED THAT UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ARE BEING CHOKED OR PUSHED BACK AROUND PRACTICALLY THE ENTIRE PERIMETER OF THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINES.
BUT THE WITHDRAWAL IS ORDERLY AND PLANNED. THIS CAN BE TOLD BY ONE OBSERVATION: YOU CAN FLY OVER TRUCK CONVOYS AND SEE THAT THOSE GOING UP TO THE FRONT ARE EMPTY AND THOSE COMING BACK FROM THE FRONT ARE FULL--OF SOLDIERS.
THEY WERE PULLING BACK FOR WHAT PERHAPS IS PHYSICALLY THE BEST DEFENSIVE BARRIER THEY HAVE YET HAD. THE WINDING NAKTONG IS DEEPER AND WIDER THAN THE KUM RIVER WHERE ONE AMERICAN BATTALION NORTH OF TAEJON ALONE HELD THE ENEMY FOR THREE DAYS ON A 10-MILE FRONT.
HIGH HILLS OFFER A COMMANDING ADVANTAGE OVER ANY ENEMY WHO MIGHT TRY TO FORD THE RIVER ALONG MOST OF ITS LENGTH. AND THOUSANDS OF NATIVE KOREANS COULD BE SEEN DIGGING GUN POSITIONS THAT WILL GIVE A HOT WELCOME TO INVADERS IF THEY CRACK AGAINST THE LINE REINFORCED BY FRESH MARINES AND THE NEWLY ARRIVED SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION.
FROM KUMCHON IN AN 80-MILE ARC SWEEPING SOUTHWARD TO CHINJU ON THE SOUTH COAST THE BATTLELINE COULD BE FOLLOWED BY A STRING OF FLAMING VILLAGES.
IT IS ALONG THIS ENTIRE ARC THAT THE REDS HAVE BEEN PROBING FOR A KNOCKOUT PUNCH THAT MIGHT WIN THEM ALL KOREA AND DRIVE THE AMERICANS INTO THE SEA BEFORE MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS CAN SEND OVER PROMISED TROOPS.
THE MOST HOPEFUL SIGHT WAS IN THE CHINJU AREA. THERE AMERICAN TROOPS BACKED UP TO WITHIN 45 MILES OF PUSAN, THE CHIEF RED GOAL, SUDDENLY LASHED OUT IN A DOUBLE PRONGED COUNTERATTACK. ONE ATTACK CONKED OUT ALONG THE CHINJU-PUSAN ROAD. THE OTHER APPEARED FROM THE AIR TO BE PROGRESSING.
THE AMERICANS WERE GOING FORWARD--BUT AT A PRICE. THE RED CROSS AMBULANCE MARK COULD BE SEEN ON AYE NUMBER OF VEHICLES COMING BACK FROM THE FRONT.
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BULLETIN
U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 2-(AP)-BURNING KUMCHON ON THE CENTRAL KOREAN FRONT WAS ABANDONED TONIGHT TO THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS.

THE WITHDRAWING AMERICAN FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION BLEW A RAILWAY BRIDGE EAST OF THE CITY.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE WITNESSED THE WITHDRAWAL DURING A FLIGHT OVER THE CITY.
KUMCHON IS ABOUT 30 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, KEY RAIL AND HIGHWAY CENTER.
THE BLOWN BRIDGE CROSSED THE KOCHAN RIVER, A TRIBUTARY OF THE NAKTONG.
THE KUMCHON-TAEGU HIGHWAY THREADS A FAIRLY STEEP MOUNTAIN PASS ABOUT 12 MILES SOUTHWEST OF KUMCHON. ABOUT 18 MILES EAST OF THE CITY, IT CROSSES THE NAKTONG.
THE NAKTONG IS ONE OF THE TWO LARGEST RIVERS IN SOUTH KOREA.
LW619APD NM

A33FX
BULLETIN
WITH THE AMERICANS OUTSIDE OF CHINGJU, KOREA, AUG. 2-(AP)-RED KOREANS TONIGHT SIDESTEPPED AN AMERICAN COUNTERATTACK IN THE HILLS EIGHT MILES NORTHEAST OF CHINJU AND BEGAN ENVELOPING THE ATTACKING FORCE.
CY115APD

A34FX
BULLETIN MATTER
WITH THE AMERICANS OUTSIDE OF CHINJU, KOREA,--FIRST ADD COUNTERATTACK THWARTED (BY O.H.P.KING X X X FORCE.
MANY AMERICAN CASUALTIES WERE BEING BROUGHT TO THE REAR.
THE ATTACK WAS STARTED SIX HOURS AGO AND ITS OUTCOME STILL WAS NOT CERTAIN.
U.S. SHERMAN TANKS WERE SUPPORTING THE ATTACK. BUT THEY HAD NOT YET GONE INTO ACTION.
CY116APD

A35FX
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WITH THE AMERICANS OUTSIDE CHINJU--2ND ADD COUNTERATTACK X X ACTION.
(THIS DISPATCH WAS FILED FROM THE FRONT AT 3:44 P.M. (12:44 A.M. EST).
THE GROUND THE AMERICANS WERE SEEKING TO REGAIN WAS LOST TO THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS TUESDAY NIGHT.
(IN TOKYO A HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN IN AN OVERALL ESTIMATE SAID THE "ENEMY OFFENSIVE HAS BEEN CHECKED BUT NOT STOPPED.")
THE ACTION WAS TAKING PLACE ABOUT 40 MILES WEST OF PUSAN, MAIN U.S. PORT IN SOUTHEAST KOREA.
CY119APD NM

39KX
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U. S. FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-AMERICAN FIGHTER PLANES HAMMERED A RETREATING GROUP OF KOREAN REDS IN A MOUNTAIN PASS EAST OF CHINJU WEDNESDAY IN SUPPORT OF ATTACKING U. S. INFANTRYMEN.
A FIFTH AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN PLACED THE ACTION IN A PASS BETWEEN PANSONG AND HOTANNI EAST OF CHINJU, RED-HELD GATEWAY CITY TO THE PLAINS

LEADING TO THE AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.
TANK SUPPORTED FOOT SOLDIERS WON HILL GROUND EAST OF CHIJU AND "FLUSHED" OUT HIDING REDS FROM THE HILLSIDE, THE SPOKESMAN SAID. AS THE RETREATING REDS TRIED TO FALL BACK TO THE WEST, MUSTANGS AND JETS STRAFED AND ROCKETED THEM FROM THE WESTERN SIDE OF THE PASS.
THIS REPORT INDICATED IT WAS THE MBST EFFECTIVE MISSION IN 333 GROUND SUPPORT SORTIES.
TWENTY-SEVEN BOMBER AND THREE NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS MADE A COMBAT TOTAL OF 362 SORTIES.
FJ919PCS

A133KX
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(TEXT) (220)
U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 17 ISSUED AT 12:20 P.M. (9:20 P.M., EST, WEDNESDAY):
THERE WAS A GENERAL MOVE MADE DURING AUG. 2 AND THE NIGHT OF AUG. 2 - 3 TO CONSOLIDATE THE UNITED NATIONS LINE.
RETROGRADE MOVEMENTS WERE MADE TOWARD THE GOOD DEFENSIVE TERRAIN NEAR THE NAKTONG RIVER. HIGHWAY BRIDGES HAVE BEEN DESTROYED AT STRATEGIC POINTS OF THE ROADS LEADING INTO THE FRIENDLY AREAS NORTH EAST OC HINJU.
IN THE SOUTH ONE OF THE AMERICAN UNITS MADE AN ATTACK TO WITHIN THREE TO FIVE MILES OF CHINJU AGAINST RATHER SPOTTY NORTH KOREAN RESISTANCE DURING AUG. 2. YESTERDAY EVENING IT RETURNED TO ITS FORMER POSITION.
THROUGHOUT THE WHOLE BATTLE LINE VERY FEW REPORTS OF REAL CONTACT WITH THE ENEMYY HAVE BEEN MADE, PRIMARILY BECAUSE OF THE NATURE OF THE CURRENT ACTION. EACH UNIT IS MAINTAINING CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY, HOWEVER, IN ORDER TO KEEP INFORMED OF THEIR LOCATION. ONE REPORT RECEIVED STATED THAT THE ENEMY CLOSELY FOLLOWED THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION WHEN IT MOVED TO THE REAR.
THE ONE SPOT WHERE THE OFFENSE IS BEING STUBBORNLY PURSUED IS IN THE YONGDOK AREA. THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION, SUPPORTED BY ARTILLERY, NAVAL FIRE AND AIR STRIKES, HAS ADVANCED TO THE TOWN IN THE FACE OF HEAVY ENEMY OPPOSITION AND HAS CONTINUED IN PURSUIT OF THE ENEMY RETREATING TO THE NORTH.
(END TEXT)
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A142FX
BY LEIF ERICKSON (200)
SOMEWHERE IN KOREA,AUG. 2-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER BEN C.LIMB OF SOUTH KOREA SAID TODAY THE ALLIED DRIVE AGAINST NORTH KOREAN REDS--WHEN IT STARTS--WILL NOT STOP SHORT OF THE MANCHURIAN BORDER.
THIS WAS THE FIRST DIRECT STATEMENT OF DETERMINATION TO FIGHT BEYOND THE 38TH PARALLEL THAT DIVIDES NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.
LIMB SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT THE UNITED NATIONS AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WERE RECEIVING REINFORCEMENTS "IN SUCH QUANTITIES" THEY "SOON WILL BEGIN TO PUSH BACK THE ENEMY."
"WHEN THIS STARTS THEY WILL NOT STOP UNTIL THEY REACH THE TUMEN AND UALU RIVERS, THE NATURAL AND HISTORIC BOUNDARIES OF KOREA."
LIMB SAID THE SOVIET UNION KNEW THESE FACTS "IN TRYING TO CONFUSE WORLD STATESMEN" BY BRINGING PEACE IN KOREA AND ADMISSION OF COMMUNIST CHINA BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS.
LIMB SAID THE SOVIET UNION WAS BEHIND THE "UNPROVOKED AGGRESSION" OF THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS. "WHEN A RUTHLESS AGGRESSOR FORESEES MILITARY REVERSES COMING TOWARD HIM HE TRIES X X X DIPLOMATIC MANEUVERS AND PROPAGANDA."
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A144FX (180)
WITH U.S. TROOPS IN KOREA, AUG 2-(AP)-ONE OF TWO PRISONERS-OF-WAR TAKEN ON THE KOCHANG FRONT TODAY SAID NORTH KOREANS STARTED A "POST EXCHANGE" WITH CAPTURED AMERICAN SUPPLIES.
THE PRISONER WAS WEARING GI SOCKS AND A GI UNDERSHIRT. ASKED WHERE HE GOT THEM, HE SAID:
"THEY WERE ISSUED TO US BY OUR OFFICER AT KOCHANG--ALONG WITH TWO PACKS OF AMERICAN CIGARETS EACH."
A 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION RIFLEMAN--PFC ERNEST WOOD OF WALTON, N.Y.--GUARDED THE TWO KNEELING PRISONERS WHILE THEY WERE INTERROGATED BY INTERPRETERS.
"THEY WERE RED SCOUTS OUT TRYING TO TAKE PRISONERS THEMSELVES" SAID WOOD. "THEY WORE NORTH KOREAN UNIFORMS AT NIGHT AND IN THE DAYTIME DRESSED AS ORDINARY VILLAGERS. THEY HAD TWO 38-CALIBER RUSSIAN PISTOLS AND EIGHT BULLET CLIPS ON THEM. THEY TOLD US THEY HAD A STOCKAGE FULL OF AMERICAN PRISONERS AT SEOUL."
THE CAPTURED REDS--ONE WAS 25 AND THE OTHER 26--SAID THEIR UNIT WAS RUNNING SHORT OF BOTH AMMUNITION AND RATIONS. BOTH, HOWEVER, LOOKED IN GOOD CONDITION.
JW836APD

A124KX
WITH MARINES
A SOUTH KOREAN PORT, AUG. 2-(AP)-ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD JUMPED FROM THE PILOT BOAT TO A ROPE LADDER AND CLIMBED TO THE DECK OF THE SHIP BRINGING U. S. MARINES TO KOREA.
HOURS LATER WHEN HE RETURNED ASHORE WITH HIS STORY HE WAS GREETED WITH THIS NEWS: HE HAD BECOME A GRANDFATHER.
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BULLETIN
A SOUTHERN PORT IN KOREA,THURSDAY,AUG.3-(AP)-THE U.S. MARINES BEGAN GOING ASHORE EARLY THIS MORNING AND STARTED MOVING IMMEDIATELY TOWARD THE CRITICAL KOREAN BATTLEFRONT.
UNLOADING OF MARINE EQUIPMENT CONTINUED THROUGH WEDNESDAY NIGHT FOLLOWING THE DOCKING YESTERDAY.
LOADED FOR COMBAT, THE MARINES ARRIVED VOWING TO "GIVE THEM THE BEST WE GOT--AND THAT'S A LOT."
THE MARINES WERE IN COMBAT FATIGUES AND WORE CANVAS LEGGINGS. BROWN AND GREEN CAMOUFLAGED CLOTH COVERS WERE ON THEIR HEADS AS THEY MOVED FROM THE SHIPS.
WHILE WAITING ON THE DOCK, SOME SNATCHED A FEW WINKS OF SLEEP. OTHERS POLISHED AND OILED THEIR WEAPONS.
TRUCKS WERE LINED UP AT THE PIER, READY TO ROLL TOWARD THE FRONT AS SOON AS THE TROOPS CLIMBED ABOARD.
THE VOW TO "GIVE THEM THE BEST WE GOT" WAS SPOKEN BY A SERGEANT VETERAN OF WORLD WAR II AS HE LOOKED OUT ACROSS THE RAIL OF A TRANSPORT YESTERDAY AT THE LOW HILLS OF KOREA. HE WASN'T COCKY, JUST CONFIDENT.
THAT'S A LOT.
THE WORDS WERE SPOKEN BY A SERGEANT VETERAN OF WORLD WAR II AS HE LOOKED OUT ACROSS THE RAIL AT THE LOW HILLS OF KOREA. HE WASN'T COCKY. JUST CONFIDENT.
BEHIND THE FIRST TRANSPORT STEAMED OTHER TRANSPORTS, BRINGING MORE LEATHERNECKS TO A STRANGE AND ALIEN LAND--MUCH THE SAME SORT OF LAND THEY HAVE FOUGHT OVER IN THEIR LONG, PROUD HISTORY.
THEY WERE BRINGING WITH THEM THE KIND OF FIGHTING TOOLS THAT HAVE

BEEN LACKING AS U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS BATTLED TO HOLD OFF A WELL-PREPARED ENEMY IN THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF KOREA.

IN THEIR BATTLE GEAR AND EQUIPMENT ARE PERSHING 45-TON TANKS, WITH A 90-MM GUN THAT WILL GIVE AMERICANS ARMORED FIREPOWER THEY HAVE NOT YET HAD. RUSSIAN TANKS HAVE BEEN SUPERIOR SO FAR.

THE MARINES BROUGHT MORE OF THE SUPERBAZOOKAS WHICH CAN STOP THE HEAVILY-ARMORED ENEMY TANKS.

AND THERE ARE THE FLAMETHROWERS, WHICH THE MARINES LEARNED TO USE WITH GOOD EFFECT IN MANY A BITTER BATTLE WITH THE JAPANESE IN THE LAST WAR.

THERE WAS A BAND WAITING AT THE DOCK. IT WAS MADE UP OF NEGROES AND KOREAN MUSICIANS WHO SOMEHOW HAD DONE A CREDITABLE JOB OF MASTERING "FROM THE HALLS OF MONTEZUMA TO THE SHORES OF TRIPOLI" AND "SEMPER FIDELIS".

"WE FIGURE THIS WILL BE TOUGHER THAN ANYTHING WE HAVE HAD BEFORE," THE SERGEANT SAID, EVEN AS THE MARINE SONG REMINDED HIM OF THE TOUGH PLACES MARINES HAD FOUGHT BEFORE.

THE MARINES LOOKED BIG AND TOUGH AS THEY CROWDED THE RAIL FOR THE FIRST LOOK AT KOREA. CORRESPONDENTS IN A LAUNCH HAD MET THE TRANSPORT AS IT HEADED IN FOR THE HARBOR.

THE MARINES HAD BEEN 20 DAYS ABOARD SHIP CROSSING THE PACIFIC. A SAILOR OBSERVED: "THOSE GUYS HAVE BEEN BOTTLED UP SO LONG THEY WOULD FIGHT LIKE TIGERS TO GET OUT."

THE MARINES IN THEIR GREEN COMBAT FATIGUES CAME WITH THE TOUGH CONFIDENCE OF THE PROFESSIONAL, AND WITH CURIOSITY ABOUT THE ENEMY.

THEY WERE TOLD THAT THE SITUATION WAS BAD AND THEY PROBABLY WOULD GO INTO BATTLE QUICKLY.

"WELL, WE CAME OVER TO FIGHT," A LIEUTENANT SAID. "I THINK THE BOYS ARE READY."

THERE WAS A FEELING THAT THESE MARINES, MANY OF THEM VETERANS OF THE HARDEST SORT OF GOING IN THE LAST WAR, WILL MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE IN THE FIGHTING THAT HAS BEEN DEFENSIVE SO FAR.

THE FEELING CAME FROM TALKS WITH MARINES LIKE SGT.FREDERICK L. WHITE, BRIDGEPORT, CONN., AND LONG BEACH, CALIF., AND ROBERT S.JOINER OF AVON PARK, FLA., AND SGT.ANGELO P.CIAMPA OF BOSTON.

ALL ARE VETERANS OF SUCH SOLOMONS ISLAND CAMPAIGNS AS BOUGAINVILLE, WHERE THE JUNGLE AND THE JAPANESE TEAMED TO BRING DEATH TO MANY A MARINE.

THE FEELING CAME FROM HEARING A WARRANT OFFICER TELL HIS LIEUTENANT: "SIR, DON'T WORRY, I'VE GOT JUST WHAT WE NEED."

THE FEELING CAME FROM HEARING THE MARINE'S COMMANDING GENERAL QUIETLY TELL A WELCOMING DELEGATION OF SOUTH KOREANS:

"MORE MARINES ARE TO FOLLOW US."

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BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,THURSDAY,AUG.3-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS ON THE CENTRAL FRONT WERE PULLING BACK TODAY IN WHAT IS EXPECTED TO BE THE LAST MAJOR WITHDRAWAL OF THE KOREAN WAR.

IT WAS PLANNED AND ORDERLY, FRONT LINE DISPATCHES REPORTED. THE LINE IS GENERALLY REGARDED AS THE BEST DEFENSIVE BARRIER THE AMERICANS HAVE HAD YET--THE WIDE NAKTONG RIVER.

SOURCES HERE REPORTED NO LARGE SCALE FIGHTING WITH THE REDS IN THAT SECTOR.

ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION BLEW THE MAIN BRIDGE LEADING OUT OF KUMCHON, AFTER WITHDRAWING FROM THAT BLAZING COMMUNICATIONS AND SUPPLY CENTER LAST NIGHT.

OTHER BRIDGES WERE BLOWN AT URIYONG, 15 MILES NORTHEAST OF CHINJU, IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR AND ON TRIBUTARIES OF THE NAKTONG FARTHER NORTH.

WITHDRAWAL OF SOME AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN UNITS FROM ANDONG, YECHON AND HAMCHANG WAS REPORTED PREVIOUSLY IN FIELD DISPATCHES. THOSE TOWNS ARE ONLY A FEW MILES NORTH OF THE NAKTONG.

THE NAKTONG IS ONE OF KOREA'S PRINCIPAL RIVERS.

FROM ITS HEADWATERS IN THE COASTAL MOUNTAINS OF EASTERN KOREA, TO ITS BROAD OUTLET ABOUT FIVE MILES WEST OF PUSAN ON THE SOUTHEAST TIP, IT IS ONLY 120 AIR MILES.

HOWEVER, THE STREAM---CURVING LIKE A LARIAT THROWN CARELESSLY ON THE GROUND---COURSES WESTWARD FROM THE MOUNTAINS TO THE INLAND TOWN OF HAMCHANG, SWINGS SOUTH TO A POINT ABOUT 30 MILES FROM THE SOUTH COAST AND TWISTS EASTWARD TOWARD PUSAN, THE VITAL U. S. SUPPLY PORT.

ONE OF ITS CURVES IS EIGHT MILES WEST OF TAEGU, APPARENT OBJECTIVE OF THE RED DRIVE IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR. TAEGU IS A SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATIONS HUB FOR AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES IN THE CENTRAL AND NORTHERN FRONTS.

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KOREAN (280)

BY LEIF ERICKSON

WITH U.S.EIGHTH ARMY IN KOREA, AUG.2-(AP)-IF KOREAN COMMUNIST PRESSURE CONTINUES TO PUSH U.S.TROOPS BACK, THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER WOULD BE THE NEXT MAJOR DEFENSE LINE FOR THE AMERICANS.

THE NAKTONG, ONE OF KOREA'S PRINCIPAL RIVERS, RUNS SOUTHWARD BEHIND THE FRONT IN U.S.-CONTROLLED TERRITORY FROM HAMCHANG IN THE NORTH TO PUSAN, ALLIED SUPPLY BASE ON THE SOUTHEAST COAST.

THE ADVANCING REDS ARE NOW AT THE RIVER AT SOME POINTS ON THE NORTHERN FRONT. ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT THE RIVER WINDS 25 MILES OR SO BEHIND THE BATTLE LINES.

EARLIER IN THE WAR, U.S.TROOPS USED THE HAN RIVER AS A DEFENSE LINE EAST OF SEOUL, THE FALLEN SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL, AND THE KUM RIVER IN THE DEFENSE OF TAEJON.

THE NAKTONG ALREADY IS A DEFENSE LINE FOR THE SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ACROSS THE NORTHERN FRONT. IN THAT AREA THE RIVER RUNS WESTWARD FROM ANDONG UNTIL IT MAKES A SHARP TURN BELOW HAMCHANG.

HAMCHANG IS ABOUT 120 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

AT HAMCHANG, THE RIVER TURNS SOUTH IN A WINDING COURSE-- ,-4492 WHEN

AT HAMCHANG, THE RIVER TURNS SOUTH IN A WINDING COURSE--NARROW WHEN CUTTING THROUGH THE HILLS AND WIDE AND FILLED WITH SANDBARS WHEN FLOWING THROUGH WIDER VALLEYS.

ONE OF THE NAKTONG'S BENDS IS EIGHT MILES WEST OF TAEGU, A PRIME RED TARGET IN THEIR DRIVE TOWARD PUSAN.

THE NAKTONG TURNS SHARPLY EAST ABOUT 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN, A SOUTH PORT CITY 25 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

IT CURVES SOUTH AGAIN AND RUNS THROUGH A DELTA FIVE MILES WEST OF PUSAN INTO THE SEA.

THE NAKTONG IS NAVIGABLE FOR LIGHT CRAFT FOR ABOUT 200 MILES. MOST KOREAN STREAMS ARE RELATIVELY SHALLOW. THEIR AVERAGE NORMAL DEPTH IS TWO TO THREE FEET IN THEIR UPPER REACHES AND SIX TO NINE FEET IN THEIR LOWER COURSES.

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LONDON, AUG.2-(AP)-TEXTS OF TODAY'S NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND COMMUNIQUES AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO:

MORNING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED THE OFFENSIVE.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, ON THE OFFENSIVE IN THE DIRECTION OF CHINJU, OVERCAME STUBBORN RESISTANCE OF AMERICAN TROOPS AND ON JULY 31 FULLY LIBERATED CHINJU--A MOST IMPORTANT DEFENSE CENTER OF THE ENEMY, A LARGE TOWN IN THE PROVINCE OF SOUTH KYONGSANG AND THE MOST IMPORTANT TRANSPORT CENTER ON THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA.

IN THE BATTLE FOR THE LIBERATION OF CHINJU LOSSES WERE INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY IN PERSONNEL AND EFFECTS AND MUCH BOOTY WAS CAPTURED.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH HAVE LIBERATED KOCHANG, OPERATING IN DIFFICULT MOUNTAIN TERRAIN, CONTINUED THE OFFENSIVE SOUTH OF KOCHANG AND INFLICTED A HEAVY BLOW ON AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.

IN THESE BATTLES THE ENEMY SUFFERED CONSIDERABLE LOSSES. MORTARS, 60 HEAVY AND LIGHT MACHINEGUNS AND A GREAT NUMBER OF SHELLS WERE CAPTURED.

EVENING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED THE OFFENSIVE.

AMERICAN AIRCRAFT AND NAVAL FORCES ARE MERCILESSLY BOMBING AND SHELLING TOWNS AND VILLAGES OF KOREA ON TERRITORY TO THE NORTH AND SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, KILLING THE PEACEFUL POPULATION IN A BARBAROUS MANNER AMONG THEM WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

ON AUG.1 ENEMY NAVAL UNITS SHELLED THE ISLAND OF PAKEN (HUKURE) ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA FIRING ABOUT 300 ARTILLERY SHELLS INTO THE NORTHERN PART OF THE ISLAND.

MANY DWELLINGS WERE DESTROYED. MANY PEACEFUL INHABITANTS WERE KILLED AND WOUNDED.

COASTAL ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY OPENED FIRE AS A RESULT OF WHICH THE ENEMY NAVAL UNIT, UNDER A SMOKE SCREEN, LEFT FOR THE SOUTH.

ON AUG.1 ABOUT 50 AMERICAN BOMBERS MADE A RAID ON THE TOWN OF KWYNON (KUMNANG) AND INHABITED POINTS NEARBY, SUBJECTING THEM TO BARBAROUS BOMBARDMENT.

AS A RESULT OF THE BOMBARDMENT HOSPITALS, HOUSES, CULTURAL AND EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS AND DWELLINGS WERE DESTROYED.

AMONG THE POPULATION THERE WERE DEAD AND WOUNDED.

(END TEXTS)

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PORTSMOUTH, ENG., AUG. 2-(AP)-BRITISH NAVAL RESERVES CALLED INTO ACTIVE SERVICE BECAUSE OF THE KOREAN CRISIS BEGAN STREAMING INTO PORTSMOUTH BARRACKS TODAY.

THE FIRST CONTINGENT, ALL ENLISTED SPECIALISTS, NUMBERED 120 MEN. OTHERS WILL REPORT HERE DURING THE NEXT SIX DAYS.

CALL-UP OF RESERVES WHO WILL REPORT TO THE PLYMOUTH AND CHATHAM DEPOTS WILL BEGIN NEXT WEEK. THE NAVY HAS SO FAR DECLINED TO DISCLOSE HOW MANY ARE INVOLVED IN ALL, BUT OBSERVERS HERE BELIEVE THE TOTAL WILL BE SEVERAL THOUSAND.

IN ANNOUNCING THE CALL-UP LAST WEEK, THE ADMIRALTY SAID THE PURPOSE WAS TO PUT ITS FAR EASTERN FLEET ON A "FULL SCALE WAR FOOTING." ELEMENTS OF THIS FLEET HAVE BEEN PLACED UNDER THE COMMAND OF GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR IN KOREAN WATERS.

THE ADMIRALTY SAID IT WOULD NEED ABOUT 50 PILOTS WITH CARRIER EXPERIENCE, PLUS A NUMBER OF SPECIALISTS.

THE ADMIRALTY ALSO HALTED THE RELEASE OF OFFICERS AND MEN IN THE FAR EASTERN FLEET WHOSE ENLISTMENTS ARE EXPIRING AND CANCELLED ALL HOME LEAVE.

MEANWHILE, CIVILIAN WORKERS ARE PUTTING IN OVERTIME AT THE PORTSMOUTH DOCKYARD TO GET THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER WARRIOR READY TO CARRY SAILORS AND TROOPS TO THE FAR EAST.

THE NAVY SAID THE CARRIER, WHICH HAS BEEN IN THE FLEET RESERVE, WILL SAID "AS SOON AS POSSIBLE."

BRITAIN HAS ANNOUNCED IT WILL SEND GROUND TROOPS TO SOUTH KOREA AS SOON AS A "SELF-CONTAINED UNIT" OF INFANTRY, TANKS, ARTILLERY AND ENGINEERS CAN BE WHIPPED TOGETHER.

IT IS BELIEVED THE FORCE WILL NUMBER AROUND 5,000. DEFENSE MINISTER EMANUEL SHINUEL SHINWELL HAS DECLINED ON SECURITY GROUNDS TO GIVE ANY DETAILS OF ITS MAKEUP OR STRENGTH.

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AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD ACHESON
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

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WASHINGTON,AUG 2-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TODAY ACCUSED RUSSIA OF VIOLATING ITS UNITED NATIONS OBLIGATIONS BY STALLING WHEN IT SHOULD BE WORKING FOR PEACE IN KOREA.

THE CHARGE, MADE INFORMALLY AND IN THE COURSE OF CHIDING RUSSIA'S UN DELEGATE, JAKOB A.MALIK, WAS ACHESON'S MAIN REACTION TO MALIK'S PERFORMANCE AT YESTERDAY'S SESSION OF THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL.

AIDES SAID THAT WHAT ACHESON HAD IN MIND WAS:

(1.) MALIK'S INSISTENCE ON PLACING THE ISSUE OF CHINA'S MEMBERSHIP IN THE UN AHEAD OF A PENDING RESOLUTION ON THE KOREAN CRISIS AND

(2.) MALIK'S CLAIMS THAT THE UNITED STATES IS THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA EVEN THOUGH THE UNITED NATIONS HAS ALREADY BRANDED THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS AS THE AGGRESSORS.

SPEAKING AT A NEWS CONFERENCE, ACHESON ALSO MADE CLEAR THAT THE UNITED STATES IS CONSIDERING SUPPLYING ARMS TO THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ON FORMOSA. THIS WOULD STRENGTHEN THE ISLAND AGAINST A POSSIBLE COMMUNIST ASSAULT.

IT WOULD COMPLETE THE REVERSAL OF LAST JANUARY'S HANDS-OFF-FORMOSA POLICY. BUT IT WOULD BE IN LINE WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S STATEMENT OF JUNE 27 THAT THE LOSS OF FORMOSA WOULD BE A DIRECT THREAT TO THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES.

ACHESON LEFT UNCHALLENGED A REPORT THAT ARMS AID IS UNDER STUDY. HE SAID THAT WHAT IS TO BE DONE WILL BE DISCUSSED IN DUE TIME THOUGH AT PRESENT IT IS TOO EARLY TO MAKE ANY STATEMENT.

ONE ACTION ALREADY TAKEN, ACCORDING TO OTHER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, IS THE ISSUANCE OF AN ORDER PERMITTING THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS TO BUY ARMS THROUGH THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT INSTEAD OF HAVING TO RELY ON THEIR OWN CONTACTS WITH MANUFACTURERS.

IN RESPONSE TO OTHER QUESTIONS ACHESON SAID THE U.S. HAS THE GREATEST POSSIBLE INTEREST IN THE DEFENSE OF TURKEY. BUT HE SAID HE HAS NOT HEARD OF ANY APPLICATION BY TURKEY FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY. A PUBLISHED REPORT FROM ISTANBUL SAID TURKEY HAS APPLIED.

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ACHESON FIRST APPROACHED THE QUESTION OF RUSSIA'S RETURN TO THE UNITED NATIONS--AND THE CONDUCT OF ITS DELEGATE--WITH CONSIDERABLE CAUTION.

BUT HE FINALLY SAID THAT ONE OF THE BEAUTIES OF MALIK'S SPEECHES IS THAT WHATEVER HIS SUBJECT, HE ALWAYS BRINGS OUT THE POSITION OF

HIS GOVERNMENT.
ACHESON STOPPED HIS REPLY AT THAT POINT. LATER, AFTER ANSWERING QUESTIONS ON A VARIETY OF OTHER SUBJECTS, HE TOOK IT UP AGAIN.
MALIK, HE SAID, SEEMS TO GET HIMSELF INTO THE UNIQUE POSITION OF HAVING HIS GOVERNMENT VIOLATE ITS OBLIGATION UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER IN EVERYTHING HE DOES.
MORE THAN SIX MONTHS AGO, ACHESON CONTINUED, MALIK WALKED OUT OF THE UNITED NATIONS (ON THE GROUND THAT CHINA WAS "ILLEGALLY" REPRESENTED BY THE NATIONALISTS INSTEAD OF THE COMMUNISTS). ACHESON SAID THAT WAS A VIOLATION OF RUSSIA'S OBLIGATIONS AS A UN MEMBER.
YESTERDAY, HE SAID, MALIK RETURNED TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL, BUT IMMEDIATELY VIOLATED RUSSIA'S OBLIGATIONS AGAIN BY THROWING IMPEDIMENTS IN THE WAY OF RESISTING AGGRESSION IN KOREA.
ACHESON DID NOT SAY WHAT "IMPEDIMENTS" HE HAD IN MIND BUT AIDES SAID HE WAS THINKING OF THE NO. 1 PRIORITY WHICH MALIK GAVE THE CHINESE QUESTION AND ALSO OF MALIK'S ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES AS THE REAL AGGRESSOR IN KOREA.
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A217WX (BJT)
(350) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN-SPAIN
BY ARTHUR EDSON
WASHINGTON,AUG 2-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TODAY CAME OUT STRONGLY AGAINST A SENATE PROPOSAL TO GIVE SPAIN A $100,000,000 (M) LOAN.
HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT IF ANY SUCH LOAN IS JUSTIFIED, THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK HAS THE MONEY ON HAND TO MAKE IT.
HERE ACHESON CAME INTO CONFLICT WITH THE SENATE.
IT PASSED AN AMENDMENT YESTERDAY WHICH WOULD, IN EFFECT, DEPRIVE THE BANK FROM USING ITS OWN JUDGMENT ON THE WISDOM OF SUCH A LOAN.
THE AMENDMENT--TO A $35,000,000,000 (B) APPROPRIATIONS BILL--SAID THE MARSHALL PLAN ADMINISTRATOR "IS AUTHORIZED AND DIRECTED" TO MAKE A LOAN TO SPAIN. THE AMENDMENT STILL MUST GET THE APPROVAL OF THE HOUSE.
FOR SEVERAL MONTHS SPAIN HAS BEEN TRYING TO TALK THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK INTO MAKING THE LOAN, BUT HASN'T HAD ANY SUCCESS.
ACHESON SAID HE ISN'T OPPOSED TO THE LOAN, IF IT'S A GOOD CREDIT RISK.
BUT HE RECALLED THAT IN JANUARY HE LISTED A NUMBER OF ECONOMIC BARRIERS TO ANY SUCH LOAN--BARRIERS WHICH HE SAID THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT COULD AND SHOULD TEAR DOWN.
IN HIS JANUARY ROUNDUP, ACHESON SAID SPAIN SHOULD:
1. AGREE TO A TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP, COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION WITH THE U.S.
2. SIMPLIFY ITS EXPORT AND IMPORT CONTROLS.
3. ESTABLISH A VALUE FOR SPANISH MONEY SO THAT IT CAN COMPETE IN THE WORLD DOLLAR MARKET.
4. LIFT RESTRICTS ON AMOUNTS FOREIGN INVESTORS CAN PUT INTO SPANISH PROJECTS.
OPPONENTS OF DEALING WITH SPAIN HAVE CRITICIZED THE GOVERNMENT OF GEN.FRANCO. SENATOR MORSE (R-ORE) TOLD THE SENATE YESTERDAY:
"WE ARE CONFRONTED, MR.PRESIDENT, WITH THE FACT THAT SPAIN IS A FASCIST NATION.

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"SO FAR AS I HAVE BEEN ABLE TO FIND, MR.PRESIDENT, THAT GREAT ESSENCE OF DEMOCRACY, WHICH IS THE EXERCISE OF A FREEDOM OF CHOICE AT A TRULY FREE BALLOT BOX, IS AS NONEXISTENT IN SPAIN AS IT IS IN COMMUNIST RUSSIA."
SENATOR LEHMAN (D-NY) SPOKE OF THE "HEAD OF THE SPANISH STATE AND HIS INTOLERANT REGIME" AND ADDED:
"THIS LEGISLATION WILL HELP KEEP THAT MAN AND THAT REGIME IN POWER."
THE ANSWERING ARGUMENT--AND THE ONE THE SENATE AGREED WITH--RAN ALONG THESE LINES: THAT SPAIN IS STRATEGICALLY IMPORTANT, THAT SPAIN IS AN UNCEASING FOE OF COMMUNISM.
SENATOR CHAVEZ (D-NM) SAID:
"HAS ANY COUNTRY IN WESTERN EUROPE OR ELSEWHERE DONE ANYTHING MORE AGAINST COMMUNISM THAN HAS SPAIN? I AM NOT TALKING NOW OF GOVERNMENTS. I AM TALKING ABOUT PEOPLES.
"IF THERE IS ANY ONE RACE OF PEOPLE THAT HAS FOUGHT AGAINST COMMUNISM IT IS THE PEOPLE OF SPAIN."
AND SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) TOLD A REPORTER TODAY HE THINKS THE U.S. SHOULD SEEK AN AGREEMENT TO USE SPANISH BASES IF WAR BREAKS OUT IN EUROPE.
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ARMS AID
WASHINGTON,AUG 2-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TOLD CONGRESS TODAY THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WORLD CAN HALT "THE THREATS WHICH CONFRONT US" IF THEY SPEEDILY BUILD UP THEIR DEFENSES.
ACHESON WAS BEFORE A HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE TO URGE PROMPT APPROVAL OF AN ADDITIONAL $4,000,000,000 (B) FOR FOREIGN ARMS AID.
"WE AND OUR FRIENDS HAVE A TREMENDOUS DEFENSE POTENTIAL--MORE THAN ENOUGH TO DEAL WITH THE THREATS WHICH CONFRONT US," HE SAID. "BUT WE MUST WITH THE GREATEST SPEED TRANSLATE THAT POTENTIAL INTO DEFENSE IN BEING.
"A TANK IN KOREA TODAY, IS WORTH MANY TANKS ON THE DRAWING BOARD."
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FIRST LEAD FORMOSA
BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, AUG.2-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES IS THINKING OF SENDING ARMS TO THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS IN ORDER TO STRENGTHEN THE DEFENSES OF FORMOSA.
HE DECLINED, HOWEVER, IN ANSWERING A SERIES OF NEWS CONFERENCE QUESTIONS TO SAY WHAT SPECIFIC STEPS THIS GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE. OTHER RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS EXPECT THAT SHORTLY THE UNITED STATES WILL RESUME SENDING MILITARY AID TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK ON A LIMITED BASIS, BEGINNING WITH SPARE PARTS AND AMMUNITION.
ACHESON WAS TOLD AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE THAT REPORTS WERE CURRENT THAT THE UNITED STATES WAS ALTERING ITS POLICY ON FORMOSA AND WAS ABOUT TO SUPPLY ARMS ONCE MORE TO THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS. WOULD THAT "INDICATE A CHANGE IN OUR ATTITUDE FROM LAST JANUARY?" HE WAS ASKED.
ACHESON REPLIED THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAD OUTLINED HIS POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA IN A STATEMENT ON JUNE 27. THIS STATEMENT SOUGHT TO NEUTRALIZE FORMOSA IN KEEPING WITH THE POLICY OF LOCALIZING THE KOREAN CONFLICT IF POSSIBLE. THE STATEMENT OF LAST JANUARY HAD DE-

CLARED A COMPLETE HANDS OFF POLICY TOWARDS FORMOSA.
ACHESON SAID ALL THAT THE ADMINISTRATION IS NOW DOING IS CONSISTENT WITH THE PRESIDENT'S JUNE 27 STATEMENT.

A FINAL DECISION BY THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS AND THE WHITE HOUSE IS UNDERSTOOD TO AWAIT RECOMMENDATIONS FROM GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, WHO CONFERRED MONDAY WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK AT TAIPEH, FORMOSAN CAPITAL.
THE GOVERNMENT HAS ALREADY TAKEN ONE STEP DESIGNED TO EASE THE FLOW OF AMERICAN ARMS TO THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS. AN ORDER ISSUED LAST WEEK PERMITS THEM TO BUY WEAPONS THROUGH THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT INSTEAD OF HAVING TO GO TO THE MANUFACTURERS DIRECTLY AS THEY HAD DONE FOR MANY MONTHS.
RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THAT CHIANG HAS AN ADEQUATE BASIC SUPPLY OF WEAPONS FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE ISLAND BUT THAT HE UNDOUBTEDLY NEEDS SPARE PARTS FOR REPAIRS AND ALSO ADDITIONAL AMMUNITION.
MACARTHUR AND HIS STAFF ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE EXAMINED THE CHINESE NEEDS. HIS RECOMMENDATIONS ARE EXPECTED TO COVER THE TYPES OF EQUIPMENT WHICH SHOULD BE SENT, IF U.S. AID IS RESUMED.
FOLLOWING HIS MEETINGS WITH THE CHINESE LEADER, MACARTHUR SAID PLANS HAD BEEN MADE TO COORDINATE AMERICAN AND CHINESE FORCES "THE BETTER TO MEET ANY ATTACK WHICH A HOSTILE FORCE MIGHT BE FOOLISH ENOUGH TO ATTEMPT." HE THUS PRESENTED THE UNITED STATES AND NATIONALIST CHINA AS BEING, IN EFFECT, ALLIES AGAINST A COMMON FOE.
CHIANG HIMSELF SUBSEQUENTLY ANNOUNCED THAT MACARTHUR AND HE HAD AGREED ON THE FOUNDATION OF THE DEFENSE OF THE ISLAND. CHIANG HAD OFFERED 33,000 TROOPS TO FIGHT WITH THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA, BUT MACARTHUR TURNED THAT DOWN AS POSSIBLY JEOPARDIZING THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED CONGRESS YESTERDAY FOR A SPECIAL APPROPRIATION OF $4,000,000,000 FOR ARMS AID TO EUROPEAN AND OTHER ALLIED OR FRIENDLY NATIONS IN ADDITION TO THE BILLION DOLLAR ASSISTANCE PROGRAM UNDERWAY. OF THE NEW SUM, $303,000,000 WOULD BE SPENT IN SPEEDING UP ARMS SHIPMENTS TO THE PHILIPPINES AND "OTHER NATIONS IN SOUTHERN AND EASTERN ASIA."

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LAST JANUARY MR.TRUMAN DECLARED A HANDS OFF POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA, ANNOUNCING THAT NO MILITARY AID OF ANY KIND WOULD BE FURNISHED. THE ANNOUNCEMENT FOLLOWED A DECISION BY THE ADMINISTRATION, THAT FROM A STRATEGIC POINT OF VIEW FORMOSA WAS NOT WORTH AMERICAN MILITARY INVOLVMENT TO SAVE IT FROM CONQUEST BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.
IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE SURPRISE RED ATTACK ON SOUTHERN KOREA, HOWEVER, THE PRESIDENT DRASTICALLY MODIFIED THIS POLICY. HE ORDERED THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET TO GUARD FORMOSA AGAINST A COMMUNIST ATTACK, ON THE GROUND THAT THE OUTRIGHT AGGRESSION IN KOREA MADE IT NECESSARY TO SAFEGUARD OTHER NON-COMMUNIST AREAS OF THE FAR EAST.
HE FURTHER ASKED CHIANG TO CEASE AIR ATTACKS ON THE MAINLAND IN ORDER TO AVOID INCIDENTS WHICH MIGHT CAUSE THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TO LAUNCH AN ASSAULT ON FORMOSA CURRENT WITH THE KOREAN FIGHTING. CHIANG COMPLIED, BUT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE CONTINUED TO ASSERT THEIR INTENTION TO TAKE OVER THE ISLAND AND ALSO HAVE BEEN REPORTED CONTINUING TO MASS CRAFT NECESSARY FOR THE 100 MILE SEA CROSSING.
ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS IN RECENT WEEKS HAVE ASSURED CHIANG THAT THE PRESIDENT'S POLICIES, WHICH WERE PRIMARILY DESIGNED TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF HEAVY FIGHTING IN THE FAR EAST, DID NOT IN ANY WAY MODIFY HIS RIGHTS OF DEFENSIVE ACTION. NOW MACARTHUR'S MEETING WITH THE GENERALISSIMO APPARENTLY HAS DEVELOPED THE POLICY OF AMERICAN INTEREST IN THE PROTECTION OF FORMOSA A STEP FARTHER TO THE POINT WHERE THE GOVERNMENT IS ACTIVELY CONSIDERING MEASURES TO INCREASE THE ISLAND'S DEFENSIVE POWER.
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FIRST LEAD KOREA-CONGRESS-GENERAL
BY WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST
WASHINGTON, AUG.2-(AP)-PRISON SENTENCES AND $10,000 FINES FOR HOARDERS AND BLACKMARKETEERS WERE VOTED BY A SENATE COMMITTEE TODAY AS CONGRESS PRESSED SWIFTLY TOWARD ACTION ON ECONOMIC MOBILIZATION LEGISLATION.
A HOUSE VOTE ON THE ADMINISTRATION'S REQUESTED CONTROL POWERS -- PLUS STANDBY WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS -- WAS POSSIBLE LATE IN THE DAY BUT MAY NOT COME UNTIL TOMORROW.
DEMOCRATIC LEADERS PUT BEFORE THE HOUSE A SUBSTITUTE FOR THE ADMINISTRATION'S ORIGINAL ALLOCATIONS AND CREDIT CONTROL MEASURE. THE NEW BILL WOULD GIVE MR.TRUMAN POWER TO SLAP CEILINGS ON WAGES AND ROLL PRICES BACK TO THE LEVELS OF THE MAY 24-JUNE 24 PERIOD.
THE NEW BILL ALSO WOULD ALLOW THE PRESIDENT TO ORDER RATIONING.
REPUBLICANS, RALLYING BEHIND A BILL OF THEIR OWN, PROTESTED THE LAST-MINUTE INTRODUCTION OF A NEW ADMINISTRATION MEASURE. THE GOP BILL ALSO WOULD PROVIDE FOR STANDBY WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS.
REP. HALLECK (R-IND), CALLED THE ADMINISTRATION MOVE "DEPLORABLE." HE SAID IT GAVE THE HOUSE "NO FAIR CHANCE" TO CONSIDER THE PROPOSALS AND WAS "A POOR WAY TO LEGISLATE."
THE PLAN FOR CRACKDOWN POWERS ON HOARDERS AND BLACK-MARKET OPERATORS WAS APPROVED TODAY BY THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE.

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THE COMMITTEE ALSO APPROVED A BROAD SYSTEM OF CREDIT CONTROLS THAT WOULD APPLY TO ALL REAL ESTATE CONSTRUCTION AFTER NOON, MERIDIAN TIME TOMORROW. THESE WOULD APPLY TO ALL PRIVATELY FINANCED CONSTRUCTION AND WOULD BE ADMINISTERED BY THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM.
THE COMMITTEE PUT OFF UNTIL LATER IN THE DAY A VOTE ON WHETHER MR.TRUMAN SHOULD HAVE PRICE-WAGE CONTROL POWERS, BUT MAJORITY SENTIMENT APPEARED TO BE IN FAVOR OF GIVING THEM TO HIM. CHAIRMAN MAYBANK (D-SC) SAID HE WAS FOR IT.
THE ANTI-HOARDING SECTION OF THE COMMITTEE'S BILL SAYS:
"NO PERSON SHALL ACCUMULATE (1) MATERIALS IN EXCESS OF REASONABLE AND NORMAL DEMANDS OF BUSINESS OR HOME CONSUMPTION, OR (2) MATERIALS IN SHORT SUPPLY FOR THE PURPOSE OF RESALE AT PRICES IN EXCESS OF PREVAILING MARKET PRICES WHICH HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED BY THE PRESIDENT AS SCARCE MATERIALS OR MATERIALS THE SUPPLY OF WHICH WOULD BE THREATENED BY SUCH ACCUMULATION."
VIOLATIONS COULD BRING PENALTIES OF UP TO $10,000 AND A YEAR IN PRISON.
NEITHER SENATE NOR HOUSE BILLS SAY ANYTHING AT THIS STAGE ABOUT RENT CONTROLS BUT THERE WERE REPORTS THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS CONSIDERING ASKING POWER TO RESTORE RENT CEILINGS WHEREVER ECONOMIC CONDITIONS WARRANTED SUCH ACTION.

REPUBLICANS GENERALLY ARE BACKING THE DRIVE TO GIVE THE PRESIDENT MORE THAN HE HAS REQUESTED. THEIR VIEWS ARE EMBODIED IN A SUBSTITUTE BILL INTRODUCED BY REP.KUNKEL (R-PA).
THE KUNKEL BILL WOULD PERMIT THE PRESIDENT TO PEG PRICES OF MOST ARTICLES AND SERVICES AT THE HIGHEST PRICE OF THE TWO-WEEKS PERIOD PRECEDING THE START OF THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA.
IT WOULD ALLOW HIM TO CURB CONSUMER CREDIT BUT NOT CREDIT EXTENDED FOR REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS, AND WOULD AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT TO REQUISITION COMMODITIES. BUT NOT FACILITIES, NEEDED FOR THE

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DEFENSE EFFORT.
IT ALSO WOULD PERMIT THE PRESIDENT TO PEG WAGES, GENERALLY AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL DURING THE TWO-WEEKS PRECEDING THE KOREAN WAR.
IT DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY AUTHORITY TO CONTROL COMMODITY EXCHANGES.
STILL A THIRD BILL, BY REP.DEANE (D-NC), WOULD GIVE THE PRESIDENT PRIORITIES AND ALLOCATION POWERS AND AUTHORITY TO CURB CREDIT AND TO FREEZE WAGES AND PRICES. IT CONTAINS NO RATIONING POWERS.
IN ALL THREE MEASURES, THE POWERS PROPOSED WOULD BE OPTIONAL. THE PRESIDENT WOULD HAVE TO DECIDE WHEN TO IMPOSE THEM.

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WHILE CONGRESS WRESTLED WITH THE CONTROLS PROBLEM, THERE WERE THESE OTHER WASHINGTON DEVELOPMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE KOREAN WAR:
1. THE ARMY IDENTIFIED THE FOUR NATIONAL GUARD DIVISIONS AND TWO REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS CALLED UP FOR ACTIVE DUTY. THEY ARE THE 28TH DIVISION (PENNSYLVANIA), 40TH (CALIFORNIA), 43RD (CONN., VERMONT AND RHODE ISLAND), AND THE 45TH (OKLAHOMA). THE COMBAT TEAMS ARE THE 196TH (SOUTH DAKOTA) AND THE 278TH (TENN.)
2. THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE CALLED A START TODAY OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S NEW $5,000,000,000 TAX BOOSTING BILL. CHAIRMAN GEORGE (D-GA) PREDICTED QUICK PASSAGE.
3. MORE THAN 30 SENATORS GOT BEHIND A MOVE TO CUT NON-DEFENSE SPENDING IN FAVOR OF MORE MONEY FOR THE FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.
4. SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) PROPOSED A DEAL WITH SPAIN FOR U.S. USE OF SPANISH BASES IN EVENT OF WAR IN EUROPE. HIS PROPOSAL FOLLOWED SENATE APPROVAL OF A $100,000,000 LOAN TO SPAIN.
5. OFFICIALS HANDLING THE FOREIGN ARMS AID PROGRAM REPORTED THAT NEARLY 200,000 TONS OF WEAPONS AND SUPPLIES WERE DELIVERED IN THE LAST FIVE MONTHS. THEY PREDICTED A DOUBLING OR TRIPLING OF THE TOTAL WITHIN A FEW MONTHS.
6. THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION PONDERED A POSSIBLE CHANGE OF ATTITUDE TOWARD CHIANG KAI SHEK, TO GIVE ARMS AID TO THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ON FORMOSA.

THE HOUSE VOTE ON PRESIDENTIAL CONTROLS WAS CONCEDED BY LEADERS ON ALL SIDES AS VERY LIKELY TO BE CLOSE. CHAIRMAN SPENCE (D-KY) OF THE HOUSE BANKING COMMITTEE, AS THE ADMINISTRATION'S HANDLER OF THE LEGISLATION, WAS READY TO OFFER AMENDMENTS TO BROADEN THE ORIGINAL TRUMAN BILL BY ADDING STANDBY WAGE AND PRICE CONTROL POWERS.
THE ADMINISTRATION THEORY APPARENTLY IS THAT IF ALL-OUT CONTROL AUTHORITY IS TO BE GIVEN, IT SHOULD BE SPONSORED BY ADMINISTRATION FORCES.
THE PRESIDENT HAS INFORMED CONGRESS, IN LETTERS TO SPENCE AND CHAIRMAN MAYBANK (D-SC) OF THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE, THAT HE HAS "NO OBJECTION" TO THE ADDITIONAL POWERS IF THE BROADER PROPOSAL DOESN'T SLOW DOWN HIS ORIGINAL BILL.
THE REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP OF THE HOUSE FAILED YESTERDAY TO REACH FIRM AGREEMENT ON WHAT IT WILL SUPPORT. REPUBLICAN LEADER MARTIN SAID THERE WAS GENERAL SENTIMENT FOR STANDBY POWERS TO CONTROL WAGES AND PRICES, TO INVOKE RATIONING AND TO GIVE THE PRESIDENT PRIORITIES AND ALLOCATION AUTHORITY.
FROM A PURELY POLITICAL VIEWPOINT, FEW HOUSE MEMBERS WANT CONGRESS TO ORDER THE CONTROLS PUT INTO EFFECT. THEY PREFER THAT THE PRESIDENT TAKE THE RESPONSIBILITY.
REPUBLICANS ESPECIALLY LIKE THE IDEA OF TOSSING THE POLITICAL "HOT POTATO" IN THE PRESIDENT'S LAP. THEY REASON THAT IF THE STANDBY POWERS AREN'T USED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE VOTERS ARE ANGRY IN NOVEMBER, THE GOP CAN BLAME HIGH PRICES ON THE PRESIDENT'S FAILURE TO ACT. IF HE DOES ACT AND THERE IS DISGRUNTLEMENT OVER RATIONING, THEY CAN BLAME THE TROUBLE ON POOR ADMINISTRATION.
THE SENATE, TOO, IS LEANING STRONGLY TOWARD THE "LET THE PRESIDENT DO IT" VIEW. MAYBANK PREDICTED YESTERDAY THAT THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE WILL VOTE TO GIVE THE PRESIDENT AUTHORITY TO CLAMP ON PRICE, WAGE, RENT AND RATIONING CONTROLS. THE COMMITTEE MEETS TODAY TO TRY TO FINISH WORK ON ITS OWN BILL.
SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ECONOMIC COMMITTEE, SAID HE PROBABLY WILL SUPPORT THE STANDBY CONSUMER CONTROLS AUTHORITY.
"WHEN CONTROLS GO IN THEY SHOULD APPLY CLEAR ACROSS THE BOARD," HE ADDED. "THEY SHOULD INCLUDE PRICES, WAGES AND EVERYTHING."
SOME SENATORS, INCLUDING SENATOR IVES (R-NY), WHO FAVOR THE CONTROLS ARE SEEKING A WAY TO TIE PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS TOGETHER, SO THAT IF ONE IS APPLIED THE OTHER IS ALSO.

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AIR WAR INTERPRETIVE

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WASHINGTON,AUG.2-(AP)-INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE AIR WAR IN KOREA WILL BE STEPPED UP IN SCOPE AND INTENSITY SOON.
THE TIP-OFF WAS THE DISPATCH OF TWO MORE MEDIUM BOMBER (PROBABLY B-29) GROUPS TO THE FAR EAST THIS WEEK. THEY SUPPLEMENT SEVERAL UNITS OF B-29'S ORDERED OUT NEARLY A MONTH AGO. AIR OFFICERS CONCEDE THAT MEANS STRATEGIC BOMBING OF A SUBSTANTIAL NATURE INSTEAD OF THE FLASHES OF ACTIVITY IN NORTH KOREA THUS FAR.
A FULL STRATEGIC AIR WAR IS NOT IN PROSPECT, HOWEVER, BECAUSE THE ULTIMATE SOURCE OF NORTH KOREAN ARMS LIES OUTSIDE ITS TERRITORY.
ARRIVAL OF MARINE AIR UNITS, SKILLED IN CLOSE GROUND SUPPORT TACTICS, WILL HELP ON THE UNITED NATIONS' SHORTENED BATTLEFRONT.
THOSE DEVELOPMENTS WILL PUT THE KOREAN AIR WAR IN BETTER PERSPECTIVE. A ROUNDING OUT OF AERIAL OPERATIONS HAS BEEN EVIDENT FOR MORE THAN A WEEK IN THE IMPROVED GROUND SUPPORT DUE TO ESTABLISHMENT OF FULL-SCALE AIR-GROUND COMMUNICATIONS FOR DIRECTING FIGHTER-BOMBER ATTACKS. THIS PERMITS MORE EFFECTIVE AND COORDINATED USE OF AVAILABLE AIR FORCE, NAVY AND AUSTRALIAN WARPLANES.
AN EQUALLY IMPORTANT FACTOR IS STABILIZATION OF BATTLE LINES. IT HAS BECOME POSSIBLE TO PLAN AIR OPERATIONS OVERNIGHT INSTEAD OF RESPONDING LIKE FIRE TRUCKS TO EMERGENCY CALLS.
THERE HAS BEEN WIDESPREAD CRITICISM OF AIR POWER RESULTS IN KOREA BECAUSE THE NORTH KOREANS, VIRTUALLY WITHOUT ANY AIRPLANES OF THEIR OWN, HAVE BEEN ABLE TO SURGE FORWARD STEADILY ON THE GROUND.
THE COMMUNIST ADVANCE HAS RAISED QUESTIONS IN SOME PEOPLE'S MINDS AS TO WHETHER GREAT NUMERICAL SUPERIORITY ON THE GROUND MAY NOT COUNTERBALANCE AIR STRENGTH. CRITICS SAY THAT THE AIR FORCE IS NOW SHOWN TO HAVE BEEN OVER CONFIDENT IN WHAT IT COULD ACHIEVE IN ACTUAL FIGHTING.
HOWEVER, REPORTS FROM BATTLEFRONT OBSERVERS HAVE BEEN GENERALLY FULL OF PRAISE FOR BOTH EQUIPMENT AND RESULTS.
SOME CRITICS HAVE NOT GIVEN WEIGHT TO THE CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH THE FIGHTING BEGAN, THE BAD WEATHER AND TO THE NEED OF HASTY MOBILIZATION AGAINST AN ENEMY THAT WAS NUMERICALLY SIX TO EIGHT TIMES STRONGER, FAR BETTER EQUIPPED ON THE GROUND AND FIGHTING IN FAMILIAR TERRITORY.
AIR FORCE PEOPLE SAY THAT WITHOUT AIR SUPPORT THERE WOULD BE NO AMERICANS FIGHTING IN KOREA TODAY. WITHOUT THE HASTILY ORGANIZED AIR DEFENSE THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES WOULD HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO WHATEVER NORTH KOREANS WISHED TO DO WITH RUSSIAN-BUILT WARPLANES.

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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE PLANES ARE CREDITED WITH 111 OF THE 204 RED TANKS ASSESSED AS POSITIVELY DESTROYED IN THE FIRST 34 DAYS OF FIGHTING. THE CREDIT FOR TANKS DAMAGED RUNS TO A STILL HIGHER PERCENTAGE.

WHY HASN'T THE AIR FORCE DONE MORE TO STOP THE ONRUSHING RED GROUND FORCES? THE ANSWER IN AVIATION CIRCLES IS: TOO LITTLE OF EVERYTHING ON HAND. IT GOES BACK TO 1947, WHEN THE UNITED STATES BEGAN WITHDRAWING MILITARY POWER FROM THE FAR EAST.

THERE WAS NO INTENTION, SO FAR AS THE MILITARY WAS CONCERNED, TO FIGHT IN KOREA AS LITTLE AS 24 HOURS BEFORE THE ORDER TO GIVE AIR SUPPORT TO THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY. THERE WERE NO TROOPS, PLANES OR AIRBASES CLOSER THAN JAPAN.

JUST THREE YEARS BEFORE THE ORDER TO FIGHT, IN MID-1947, THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE HAD 2,600 WARPLANES IN THE FAR EAST. THAT WAS CUT TO 2,100 IN MID-1948 AND IT WAS DOWN TO AROUND 600 PLANES WHEN THE ORDER CAME.

AIR OFFENSIVES, LIKE GROUND AND SEA OFFENSIVES, TAKE TIME IN PREPARATION. BEFORE WORLD WAR II, AMERICAN AIRCRAFT MANUFACTURERS BEGAN EXPANDING IN 1938 WITH ORDERS FROM FRANCE AND ENGLAND. WHEN THE JAPANESE HIT PEARL HARBOR THE UNITED STATES WAS BUILDING MORE THAN 4,000 PLANES A MONTH. (IT'S AVERAGE MONTLY OUTPUT TODAY IS 215 PLANES.)

WITH ALL THAT TIME TO BUILD UP AN AIR FORCE, SEA AND GROUND UNITS BEFORE PEARL HARBOR, IT TOOK ANOTHER YEAR TO GET READY TO LAND IN AFRICA. STILL ANOTHER YEAR (1943) PASSED BEFORE AMERICAN BOMBERS MADE ANY SIZEABLE RAIDS ON GERMANY.

COMPARE THAT, MILITARY MEN SUGGEST, WITH THE 24-HOUR NOTICE TO START FIGHTING IN KOREA WITH AN AIR FORCE INTENDED FOR OCCUPATION AND DEFENSE. ADD TO THAT BAD WEATHER, DIFFICULT AND UNFAMILIAR TERRAIN, A BATTLE LINE THAT CHANGED EVERY HOUR, AND THE NECESSITY TO OPERATE FROM BASES MORE THAN 400 MILES AWAY.

IN WORLD WAR II GROUND SUPPORT AIRBASES SELDOM WERE MORE THAN 50 MILES BEHIND THE LINES. ENORMOUS ENGINEERING FORCES AT HAND AND BETTER TERRAIN MADE IT POSSIBLE TO BUILD NEW BASES AS NEEDED.

THE KOREAN AIR WAR HAS BEEN FOUGHT WITH WHAT WAS ON HAND UNTIL REPLACEMENTS AND SUPPLIES COULD BE SHIPPED SOME 7,000 MILES.

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BY JACK BELL

WASHINGTON,AUG.2-(AP)-SENATE APPROVAL OF A $100,000,000 (M) LOAN TO SPAIN PROMPTED A PROPOSAL BY SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES SEEK AN AGREEMENT FOR USE OF SPANISH BASES IF WAR BREAKS OUT IN EUROPE.

THE SENATE WROTE THE SPANISH LOAN PROVISION INTO THE ONE-PACKAGE APPROPRIATION BILL BY A 65 TO 15 VOTE YESTERDAY. SPONSORS ARGUED FOR IT ON THE GROUNDS THAT SPAIN IS IMPORTANT STRATEGICALLY AND ALSO IS ANTI-COMMUNIST. HOWEVER, SENATOR MORSE (R-ORE) DESCRIBED IT AS AN ATTEMPT TO BRIBE THE FRANCO GOVERNMENT INTO FRIENDLY RELATIONS.

MORSE WAS ONE OF THE FOUR REPUBLICANS AND 11 DEMOCRATS WHO OPPOSED A DIRECTIVE TO THE GOVERNMENT'S EXPORT-IMPORT BANK TO MAKE THE FUNDS AVAILABLE.TO SPAIN. THE LOAN WOULD PERMIT THE PURCHASE IN THE UNITED STATES OF SUCH COMMODITIES AS WHEAT AND COTTON.

IF THE HOUSE, WHICH HAS NOT PASSED ON THE ISSUE, ALSO APPROVES, THE UNITED STATES IS EXPECTED TO GET SOME STRATEGIC METALS IN PAYMENT.

BRIDGES TOLD A REPORTER HE THINKS THE PROPOSED COMMERCIAL TRANSACTION MIGHT WELL BE BROADENED TO INCLUDE SPAIN IN THE MORE THAN $5,000,000,000 (B) IN FOREIGN MILITARY ASSISTANCE THAT CONGRESS IS EXPECTED TO MAKE AVAILABLE SOON.

"IF SPAIN WANTS TO BE INCLUDED IN ARMS AID, THERE IS NO REASON WHY WE SHOULDN'T NEGOTIATE FOR SOME BASES THERE WHICH WE COULD USE QUICKLY IF THERE IS A RUSSIAN ATTACK IN EUROPE," BRIDGES SAID.

THIS COINCIDED WITH A PROPOSAL BY CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE THAT OTHER NATIONS WHICH GET AMERICAN MILITARY SUPPLIES BE REQUIRED TO PRODUCE ON THEIR OWN A TANK--OR ITS EQUIVALENT--FOR EVERY TANK THEY GET FROM THE UNITED STATES.

TYDINGS TOLD THE SENATE YESTERDAY THAT HE THINKS PRESIDENT TRUMAN OUGHT TO ASK FOR MORE THAN THE $4,000,000,000 (B) ADDITIONAL ARMS FUNDS HE REQUESTED. CONGRESS PREVIOUSLY HAD APPROVED A $1,222,500,000 (B) FOREIGN ARMS OUTLAY.

ASSERTING THAT "ONE DOLLAR SPENT NOW IS WORTH 50 WHEN WAR BREAKS OUT," TYDINGS SAID MILITARY PRODUCTION AT HOME AND ABROAD FOR AMERICA'S ALLIES OUGHT TO BE STEPPED UP.

THE MARYLAND SENATOR SAID IT WOULD BE ONLY "SHEAR REALISM" TO BRING SPAIN INTO THE ORBIT OF WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES ASSOCIATED WITH THE UNITED STATES.

MORSE AND OTHER OPPONENTS CONCEDED SPAIN'S STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE BUT SAID THEY COULDN'T BRING THEMSELVES TO VOTE AID TO A COUNTRY WHERE, AS THEY PUT IT, THE GOVERNMENT IS FASCIST AND THERE ARE NO FREE ELECTIONS. MORSE ECHOED PREVIOUS CHARGES BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON THAT THE FRANCO GOVERNMENT WAS BORN WITH THE AID OF HITLER AND MUSSOLINI.

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SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV), CHIEF SPONSOR OF LOAN PROPOSAL, RETORTED THAT WINSTON CHURCHILL HAD SAID THAT SPAIN DID THE ALLIED CAUSE NO HARM IN THE WAR.

SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO) SUCCEEDED IN GETTING THE FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE THROUGH THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK, INSTEAD OF EARMARKING $100,000,000 (M) IN EUROPEAN RECOVERY OUTLAYS AS MCCARRAN FIRST HAD PROPOSED.

THIS WAS DONE WITH SUPPORT OF THE SENATE DEMOCRATIC POLICY COMMITTEE IN AN EFFORT TO PREVENT REJUGGLING OF THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY ADMINISTRATION'S ALLOCATIONS TO OTHER EUROPEAN NATIONS.

SENATOR LEHMAN (D-LIB-NY) PROTESTED THAT THE SPANISH LOAN PROVISION REVERSED THE PREVIOUS ATTITUDE OF THE UNITED STATES TOWARD THE FRANCO GOVERNMENT AND DID IT WITHOUT CONSULTATION WITH OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

O'MAHONEY REPLIED TARTLY THAT IF THIS WAS SO, IT WAS ABOUT TIME THIS GOVERNMENT'S ATTITUDE WAS REVERSED.

ALTHOUGH THE UNITED STATES WITHDREW ITS AMBASSADOR FROM MADRID IN COOPERATION WITH OTHER U.N. MEMBERS, THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS SAID IT WOULD FAVOR RESUMING FULL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE FRANCO GOVERNMENT.

ALTHOUGH ACHESON HAS OFTEN DESCRIBED SPAIN AS FASCIST, HE SAID SEVERAL MONTHS AGO THAT THERE WERE NO POLITICAL OBJECTIONS TO RECOVERY LOANS TO SPAIN IF THEY COULD BE JUSTIFIED. THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK THUS FAR HASN'T GRANTED ANY SUCH LOAN.

O'MAHONEY TOLD HIS COLLEAGUES IT WAS TIME THAT SOMETHING WAS DONE ABOUT THE MATTER.

FOR REPORTERS, HE LATER SUMMED UP THE ATTITUDE OF LOAN SPONSORS THIS WAY:

"THIS GAME IS GETTING TOUGH. THE RUSSIANS PLAY IT THAT WAY AND WE SHOULDN'T BE SOFTIES ANY MORE."

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(450) WAR LABOR

BY MAX HALL

WASHINGTON, AUG. 2-(AP)-MANY PEOPLE IN WASHINGTON ARE CONVINCED

THAT IN THE LABOR-MANAGEMENT FIELD THE EVENTS IMMEDIATELY AFTER PEARL HARBOR ARE ABOUT TO REPEAT THEMSELVES.

THAT MEANS:

1. A LABOR-MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE.
2. A NO-STRIKE PLEDGE, AT LEAST IN DEFENSE PRODUCTION.
3. CREATION OF SOME KIND OF WAR LABOR BOARD TO HANDLE DISPUTES.

THE LABOR-MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE IS ALREADY BEING TALKED ABOUT BY SOME LABOR LEADERS AND SOME GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. SECRETARY OF LABOR TOBIN IS REPORTED TO FAVOR THE IDEA. THE ATTITUDE OF BUSINESS LEADERS MIGHT DEPEND ON THE CIRCUMSTANCES AT THE TIME SUCH A CONFERENCE WAS CALLED.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN RAISED THE WHOLE QUESTION OF WAR LABOR DISPUTES IN HIS ECONOMIC MESSAGE TO CONGRESS LAST WEEK. HE SAID THAT LABOR SHOULD JOIN WITH MANAGEMENT IN THE "FURTHER CONSOLIDATION OF INDUSTRIAL PEACE," AND THAT "WORK STOPPAGES IN VITAL INDUSTRIES ARE SOMETHING WE SIMPLY CAN NOT AFFORD UNDER CURRENT CONDITIONS."

THE NO-STRIKE PLEDGE IS ALMOST SURE TO COME---AT LEAST FROM THE AFL AND CIO.

GEORGE MEANY, THE AFL SECRETARY-TREASURER, SAID MONDAY: "I HAVEN'T ANY DOUBT AT ALL THAT LABOR WILL GIVE A NO-STRIKE PLEDGE WHEN THE TIME COMES."

JAMES B.CAREY, THE CIO SECRETARY-TREASURER, SAID JULY 13 (IN HIS CAPACITY AS PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF ELECTRICAL WORKERS): "WE ACKNOWLEDGE . . . THAT THERE CAN NOT BE AND MUST NOT BE AN INTERRUPTION OF PRODUCTION DURING A PERIOD OF WAR EMERGENCY."

THE ATTITUDE OF JOHN L.LEWIS, WHOSE COAL MINERS STRUCK FOUR TIMES IN THE WAR YEAR 1943, IS NOT KNOWN. HIS UNION HAS ALREADY JOINED OTHER BRANCHES OF LABOR IN A JOINT PLEDGE OF "WHOLEHEARTED COOPERATION WITH THE GOVERNMENT IN THE PROSECUTION OF THE ANTI-AGGRESSION CAMPAIGN IN KOREA."

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THE COAL STRIKES WERE THE MOST IMPORTANT WALKOUTS DURING THE LAST WAR, ALTHOUGH THERE WERE THOUSANDS OF OTHER STRIKES, MOST OF THEM UNAUTHORIZED BY NATIONAL UNIONS.

MOST AFL AND CIO LEADERS, INSTEAD OF TALKING ABOUT NO-STRIKE PLEDGES AT PRESENT, ARE HAMMERING AGAINST PRICE RISES AND EXCESS PROFITS. THEY HAMMER ALL THE HARDER BECAUSE THEY REALIZE THAT THE TIME IS COMING WHEN UNIONS WILL VOLUNTARILY FORFEIT THE RIGHT TO STRIKE FOR HIGHER WAGES TO MATCH THE HIGHER PRICES.

THE LABOR LEADERS' MAIN THEME NOW IS "EQUALITY OF SACRIFICE". FOR EXAMPLE, WHEN GEORGE MEANY MENTIONED THE NO-STRIKE PLEDGE HE PROMPTLY COUPLED IT WITH A DEMAND FOR A "NO-PROFITEERING PLEDGE" ON THE PART OF BUSINESS.

AS FOR THE WAR LABOR BOARD---OR SOME EQUIVALENT AGENCY---THIS IS CONSIDERED ALMOST INEVITABLE IF WAGE CONTROLS ARE ENACTED BY CONGRESS. IF THERE ARE TO BE CONTROLS, THERE MUST BE SOME AGENCY TO ADMINISTER THEM.

ONE OF THE BEST-INFORMED FEDERAL OFFICIALS ON LABOR MATTERS HAS TOLD A REPORTER PRIVATELY THAT EVEN WITHOUT A WAGE CONTROL LAW, THE GOVERNMENT WOULD PROBABLY HAVE TO SET UP A NEW BOARD TO HANDLE TOUGH DISPUTES AFFECTING DEFENSE PLANTS.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD ECONOMIC

BY WILLARD H.MOBLEY

WASHINGTON, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE VOTED TODAY FOR AUTOMATIC PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS AND RATIONING IF THE COST OF LIVING RISES TO SOME POINT WHICH THE COMMITTEE WILL FIX LATER.

THE ALARM CLOCK METHOD OF INVOKING THE CURBS WAS APPROVED BY A VOICE VOTE. THIS REVERSED A 12-1 VOTE 45 MINUTES EARLIER FOR THE GENERAL IDEA OF STANDBY POWERS FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO PUT ON SUCH CONTROLS IF AND WHEN HE SEES THE NEED.

THE COMMITTEE ACTED AFTER SIGNS HAD APPEARED IN THE HOUSE THAT THE ADMINISTRATION WAS GRABBING UP THE STANDBY AUTHORITY BALL. IN THAT BRANCH A LAST-MINUTE SUBSTITUTE WAS INTRODUCED TO BROADEN THE LIMITED ECONOMIC CONTROL MEASURE ORIGINALLY SPONSORED BY THE WHITE HOUSE. BACKED BY ADMINISTRATION LEADERS, IT INCLUDED THE STANDBY POWERS.

THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE ROUNDED OUT A DAY OF RAPID-FIRE DEVELOPMENTS ON HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION WITH A VOTE FOR A 10 PER CENT TAX ON TELEVISION SETS AND HOME FREEZERS. THE TELEVISION LEVY WAS EXPECTED TO BRING IN $42,000,000(M) A YEAR AND THE FREEZER TAX ANOTHER $8,000,000(M).

THE COMMITTEE DID NOT GET TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROPOSAL TO BOOST INCOME TAXES, THOUGH SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY SNYDER URGED PROMPT ACTION.

IT DID GO THROUGH THE FORMALITY OF JUNKING PROVISIONS OF A HOUSE-PASSED BILL WHICH WOULD HAVE CUT EXCISE TAXES BY $1,010,000,000 (M) ON SUCH THINGS AS JEWELRY, MOVIE TICKETS, FURS, LUGGAGE AND COSMETICS. THE CUTS ALREADY HAD BEEN WRITTEN OFF AS A CASUALTY OF THE KOREAN WAR.

ANOTHER TAX BOOST VOTED BY THE COMMITTEE WOULD BRING IN $5,000,000 (M) BY RAISING THE LEVY ON OPERATING SLOT MACHINES FROM $100 TO $150.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO GET A TAX INCREASE FAILED. THIS WAS A PLAN TO TIE AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX ONTO A MEASURE FOR RENEGOTIATION OF DEFENSE CONTRACTS WHEN PRICES ARE CONSIDERED TOO HIGH.

SPONSORS OF THAT PROPOSAL, LOST IN THE HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE. SAID THE FIGHT WAS ONLY STARTING.

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BEFORE IT GOT INTO THE PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING ISSUE, THE SENATE COMMITTEE DEFINITELY WROTE INTO THE BILL AN AMENDMENT HITTING HARD AT HOARDERS AND BLACK MARKETEERS WITH A THREAT OF A YEAR IN JAIL AND FINES UP TO $10,000.

SENATOR BRICKER (R-OHIO), AN OPPONENT OF ALL-OUT CONTROLS, SPONSORED THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES PLAN. HE TOLD NEWSMEN HIS IDEA WAS THIS:

"ABOUT ONE PROSECUTION BY FEDERAL ATTORNEYS IN EACH AREA AND WE WOULD STOP HOARDING AND BLACK MARKETING."

SENATOR FULBRIGHT (D-ARK) ADVANCED THE AUTOMATIC PLAN FOR PAY AND CONSUMER CONTROLS, WHICH APPEARS IN SOME RESPECTS TO RUN COUNTER TO ADMINISTRATION DESIRES.

MR. TRUMAN ADVISED CONGRESS YESTERDAY THAT HE WOULD HAVE "NO OBJECTIONS" TO THE ADDITION OF STANDBY POWERS IF THEY WERE NOT ALLOWED TO GET IN THE WAY OF THE OTHER CONTROLS HE DID ASK. AND HE SPECIFIED HE DID NOT WANT THE AUTHORITY NOW UNLESS IT WAS FLEXIBLE BOTH IN THE TIGHTNESS AND TIMING OF CONTROLS AND THE METHOD OF ADMINISTRATION.

FULBRIGHT SAID THAT WHILE DETAILS HAVE NOT BEEN WORKED OUT, HE CONTEMPLATES GIVING THE PRESIDENT DISCRETION TO SLAP CONTROLS ON A SINGLE INDUSTRY, OR A SINGLE COMMODITY, IF PRICES IN A PARTICULAR FIELD APPEAR TO BE GETTING OUT OF HAND.

BUT, THE SENATOR ADDED, THE PRESIDENT WOULD HAVE NO DISCRETION AS TO OVER-ALL PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING CONTROLS IF GENERAL COSTS ROSE ABOVE A SPECIFIED POINT.

FULBRIGHT SAID THE COMMITTEE HAD SUMMONED EWAN CLAGUE, DIRECTOR OF THE LABOR DEPARTMENT'S BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS. TO A MEETING

TOMORROW TO WORK OUT A FORMULA FOR PICKING THE TIME WHEN THE CURBS SHOULD GO ON.

THE SENATOR SAID HIS OWAN IDEA WAS THAT THEY SHOULD APPLY IF THE BUREAU'S RETAIL PRICE INDEX CLIMBS 6 OR 7 PER CENT ABOVE THE LEVEL OF JUNE 1.

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HE SAID HE HAD BEEN TOLD THAT A 2 PER CENT INCREASE ALREADY HAS TAKEN PLACE.

IN THE EVENT OF CONTROLS, FULBRIGHT SAID, HIS PROPOSAL IS TO ROLL BACK ALL PRICES TO THE LEVEL OF SOME PREVIOUS DATE. HE MENTIONED JUNE 1 AS A POSSIBILITY.

"THE REAL PURPOSE IS TO GIVE US A CHANCE NOT TO HAVE THESE CONTROLS AT ALL," FULBRIGHT TOLD NEWSMEN.

HE SAID THE PLAN WOULD "GIVE INDUSTRY AND LABOR A CHANCE TO AVOID THESE CONTROLS BY POLICING THE SITUATION IN THEIR OWN INDUSTRIES."

BEFORE IT GOT ONTO THE GENERAL PRICE-PAY-RATIONING ISSUE, THE COMMITTEE REJECTED ON A VOICE VOTE A PROPOSAL BY SENATOR CAPEHART (R-IND) FOR A SIX-MONTHS FREEZE OF ALL PRICES AT THE LEVELS OF JUNE 30, FIVE DAYS AFTER THE KOREAN WAR BROKE OUT. CAPEHART URGED HIS PLAN AS SOMETHING THAT COULD BE DONE SIMPLY AND QUICKLY WHILE CONGRESS SEES WHAT LONG-RUN NEEDS ARE.

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WHILE THE HOUSE AND THE SENATE COMMITTEE LABORED OVER THE QUESTION OF HOW TIGHT TO DRAW THOSE REEFS IN THE NATION'S ECONOMIC SAILS, THERE WERE THESE RELATED MOVES IN THE HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION FOR WAR IN KOREA AND THREATS ELSEWHERE:

1. MR.TRUMAN WAS REPORTED CONSIDERING A CALL FOR BLANKET AUTHORITY TO PUT RENT CONTROLS BACK ON ANY AREA WHERE THE MOBILIZATION EFFORT REQUIRES THEM. CHAIRMAN SPENCE (D-KY) OF THE HOUSE BANKING COMMITTEE TOLD THE CHAMBER IT IS "OBVIOUS" THAT RENT ACTION MAY BE NEEDED.
2. THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT DID SPADEWORK TOWARD TIGHTENING OF EXPORT CONTROLS OVER MATERIALS ESSENTIAL TO ARMS MAKING.
3. SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE BRANNAN ACCUSED SPECULATORS OF TRYING TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE EMERGENCY FOR BIG PROFITS ON FARM AND FOOD PRODUCTS, AND CALLED FOR MEASURES TO STOP THEM.

THE HOUSE SUBSTITUTE FOR THE PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC CONTROL PLAN DID NOT BEAR AN ACTUAL WHITE HOUSE STAMP. IT WAS INTRODUCED, HOWEVER, BY SPENCE WHO IS SELDOM FAR AWAY FROM THE ADMINISTRATION LINE. AND THE HOUSE DEMOCRATIC LEADERSHIP LINED UP BEHIND IT. THERE HAD BEEN ADMINISTRATION HOPE FOR CONTROL ACTION IN THE HOUSE TODAY BUT THE NEW BUSINESS DELAYED IT. PLANS NOW CALL FOR ACTION ON THE SPENCE PROPOSAL TOMORROW AND A FINAL VOTE ON THE WHOLE BILL FRIDAY.

INTRODUCTION OF THE PLAN FOLLOWED NOTICE FROM THE PRESIDENT YESTERDAY THAT HE WOULD HAVE "NO OBJECTIONS" TO THE EXTRA DISCRETIONARY POWERS IF WRITING THEM IN DID NOT GET IN THE WAY OF WHAT HE DID ASK.

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THE ORIGINAL WHITE HOUSE BILL CALLED FOR ALLOCATION AND PRIORITIES POWER OVER MATERIALS, AUTHORITY TO REQUISITION GOODS AND FACILITIES FOR DEFENSE, CURBS ON CREDIT AND SPECULATION, AND PERMISSION TO MAKE LOANS FOR DEFENSE PRODUCTION. THAT HAS BEEN WATERED DOWN IN COMMITTEE AT BOTH ENDS OF THE CAPITOL.

THE NEW PLAN WAS PROPOSED SO LATE THAT IT BROUGHT PROTESTS FROM REPUBLICAN OPPONENTS THAT THEY HAD BEEN TAKEN UNAWARES.

MOST HOUSE REPUBLICANS WERE BACK OF AN EARLIER SUBSTITUTE, OFFERED BY REP.KUNKEL (R-PA) WHICH ALSO PROVIDED FOR STANDBY PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS BUT OMITTED MANY OF MR.TRUMAN'S OTHER PROPOSALS, ESPECIALLY THOSE RELATED TO CREDIT AND COMMODITY TRADING CONTROLS.

THE NEW BILL WOULD ALLOW THE PRESIDENT TO ORDER RATIONING UNDER HIS GENERAL ALLOCATION POWERS. THE ORIGINAL VERSION SPECIFICALLY PROHIBITED RATIONING.

CEILINGS ON PRICES AND WAGES COULD BE APPLIED WHENEVER THE PRESIDENT FINDS IT "NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE."

MAY 24-JUNE 24 WOULD BE THE BASE PERIOD FOR PRICE AND PAY ROLLBACKS.

RENT CONTROLS ARE SPECIFICALLY OMITTED FROM THE NEW PROPOSALS, INDICATING AN ADMINISTRATION PLAN TO DEAL WITH THEM SEPARATELY.

THE PROPOSALS UP IN THE SENATE COMMITTEE WERE ESSENTIALLY THE SAME.

BOTH INCLUDED A NEW SECTION AUTHORIZING THE PRESIDENT TO SET UP A PANEL SIMILAR TO THE WAR LABOR BOARD OF WORLD WAR II TO HANDLE LABOR DISPUTES GROWING OUT OF WAGE CONTROLS.

IN BOTH CASES, TOO, THE EXTENT TO WHICH CURBS WOULD BE APPLIED, AND THE METHOD OF ADMINISTRATION, WERE LEFT FLEXIBLE. IN HIS LETTER TO THE LAWMAKERS YESTERDAY MR.TRUMAN SPECIFIED HE DID NOT WANT THE AUTHORITY NOW WITH RIGID RULES.

SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA), A BACKER OF STANDBY PRICE-PAY-RATIONING POWERS, SAID THE PUNCH AT BLACK MARKETEERS AND HOARDERS WAS SPONSORED IN THE SENATE COMMITTEE BY SENATOR BRICKER (R-OHIO). HE TOLD NEWSMEN THE AIM WAS TO PREVENT SUCH OPERATIONS IN SCARCE PRODUCTS FOR EITHER BUSINESS OR HOME CONSUMPTION.

THE NEW SECTION WAS ATTACHED TO ONE GIVING THE PRESIDENT BROAD POWERS FOR ALLOCATION AND PRIORITIES TO SPEED DEFENSE OUTPUT.

IT STATED:

"NO PERSON SHALL ACCUMULATE (1) MATERIALS IN EXCESS OF REASONABLE AND NORMAL DEMANDS OF BUSINESS OR HOME CONSUMPTION, OR (2) MATERIALS IN SHORT SUPPLY FOR THE PURPOSE OF RESALE AT PRICES IN EXCESS OF PREVAILING MARKET PRICES WHICH HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED BY THE PRESIDENT AS SCARCE MATERIALS OR MATERIALS THE SUPPLY OF WHICH WOULD BE THREATENED BY SUCH ACCUMULATION."

THE PRESIDENT WOULD HAVE BROAD AUTHORITY TO NAME SUCH MATERIALS.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD TAXES

BY FRANCIS M. LEMAY

WASHINGTON, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE VOTED TODAY TO PUT A 10 PER CENT TAX ON TELEVISION SETS AND HOME FREEZERS.

THE TELEVISION MANUFACTURER'S TAX WOULD BRING IN $42,000,000 A YEAR, THE HOME FREEZERS ANOTHER $8,000,000.

THIS WAS THE FIRST ACTION ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S EMERGENCY TAX BILL, A PLAN TO INCREASE FEDERAL TAXES BY $5,000,000,000 TO HELP PAY FOR THE VAST ARMS PROGRAM.

THE COMMITTEE DID NOT GET AROUND TO MR. TRUMAN'S PROPOSAL TO BOOST INCOME TAXES, ALTHOUGH SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY URGED IT SHOULD ACT PROMPTLY.

BUT IT DID AGREE TO JUNK A BILL WHICH WOULD HAVE CUT $1,010,000,000 IN EXCISE CUTS. THIS, HOWEVER, WAS A MERE FORMALITY. THE DEATH OF THE EXCISE TAX BILL--WHICH WOULD HAVE CUT THE TAXES ON JEWELRY, MOVIE TICKETS, FURS LUGGAGE AND COSMETICS--HAD BEEN LONG PREDICTED.

IN ADDITION TO TAXING TELEVISION SETS AND HOME FREEZERS, THE COMMITTEE VOTED TO PICK UP AN ADDITIONAL $5,000,000 A YEAR BY INCREASING THE TAX ON SLOT MACHINES IN OPERATION. THE TAX WOULD GO UP FROM $100 TO $150. FOR EACH MACHINE.

BEFORE THE TAXES BECOME EFFECTIVE THEY MUST BE APPROVED BY THE FULL SENATE AND THE HOUSE.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO GET A TAX INCREASE FAILED. THIS WAS A DRIVE TO GET IMMEDIATE ACTION ON AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX, AIMED AT WAR "PROFITEERING." BUT ITS BACKERS SAID THE FIGHT HAD JUST BEGUN.

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THE FIRST TEST CAME ON A BILL DEALING WITH THE RENEGOTIATIONS OF DEFENSE CONTRACTS. REP.MILLS (D-ARK) PROPOSED THAT A STUDY OF EXCESSIVE PROFITS--AND THEIR TAXATION--BE MADE A PART OF THE RENEGOTIATION PROCEDURE.

THE HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE TURNED HIM DOWN, 15 TO 8.

"THE VOTE IS NOTHING BUT A TEMPORARY SETBACK," MILLS TOLD REPORTERS LATER.

"IT IS INCONSISTENT TO PLACE CONTROLS ON ALL PHASES OF THE ECONOMY, AS SOME ARE ADVOCATING, AND NOT PUT CONTROLS ON PROFITS."

THIS WAS A DAY IN WHICH INCREASED TAXES--A SUBJECT MANY CONGRESSMEN WOULD PREFER TO AVOID IN AN ELECTION YEAR--GOT A LOT OF ATTENTION ON CAPITOL HILL.

SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY SNYDER ASKED CONGRESS TO ACT PROMPTLY ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROPOSED $5,000,000,000 (B) TAX BOOST. HE WARNED THAT ANOTHER PROPOSAL--INCREASING TAXES BY MORE BILLIONS--MAY BE EXPECTED SOON.

CHAIRMAN GEORGE (D-GA) OF THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE PREDICTED THAT MR.TRUMAN'S TAX PROPOSAL WILL BE PASSED SPEEDILY AND "SUBSTANTIALLY AS SUBMITTED."

SNYDER STEERED CLEAR OF COMMITTING THE ADMINISTRATION TO AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX--MR.TRUMAN'S TAX PLAN DOES CALL FOR ONE--BUT HE HINTED THAT SUCH A RECOMMENDATION MIGHT BE ALONG LATER.

SENATOR GEORGE HAD ABOUT THE SAME IDEA. HE TOLD NEWSMEN HE EXPECTS AN EXCESS PROFITS LEVY TO BE PUT ON 1951 CORPORATION INCOME, BUT HE SAID ACTION ON THIS CAN WAIT UNTIL JANUARY.

MILLS ALSO WOULD APPLY THE TAX TO 1951 INCOME, BUT HE INSISTS THAT CONGRESS NOT WAIT UNTIL NEXT YEAR TO ACT.

SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO), A STRONG BELIEVER IN AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX, CONTINUED TO ARGUE THE TAX SHOULD BE SLAPPED ON IMMEDIATELY.

SNYDER SUBMITTED HIS STATEMENT TO THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

HE EMPHASIZED THAT THE $5,000,000,000 BILL IS ONLY "THE FIRST STEP" TO BRING TAXES INTO LINE "WITH CURRENT AND PROSPECTIVE OUTLAYS NEEDED FOR DEFENSE AGAINST UNPROVOKED AND UNLAWFUL ATTACK UPON THE RIGHTS AND TERRITORIES OF PEACEFUL PEOPLE."

CONGRESS AT A LATER DATE, HE SAID, CAN DEVISE "THE MOST APPROPRIATE METHODS FOR DEALING WITH THE COMPLEX PROBLEMS OF EXCESSIVE PROFITS."

GEORGE OPENED THE FIRST COMMITTEE SESSION BY PRESENTING THE JULY 25 LETTER FROM MR.TRUMAN IN WHICH HE PROPOSED THE TAX INCREASE AND GAVE HIS REASONS WHY.

NEWSMEN AT FIRST GOT REPORTS FROM INSIDE THE CLOSED DOOR SESSION THAT GEORGE WAS READING A NEW LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT, URGING SPEED ON THE TAX BILL. BUT GEORGE TOLD NEWSMEN LATER HE HAD RECEIVED NO TAX COMMUNICATION FROM THE WHITE HOUSE SINCE JULY 25, AND REPORTS ABOUT A NEW LETTER WERE IN ERROR.

MOST OF SNYDER'S STATEMENT MERELY EXPLAINED WHY MR.TRUMAN WANTS TO RAISE TAXES BY:

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1. ADDITIONAL LEVIES OF ABOUT $3,000,000,000 ON INDIVIDUAL INCOMES. SOME INDIVIDUALS WOULD HAVE THEIR INCOME TAXES BOOSTED 20 PER CENT.

2. ANOTHER $1,500,000,000 FROM CORPORATION INCOME, A BOOST IN THE TOP CORPORATION RATE FROM THE PRESENT 38 PERCENT TO 45 PERCENT.

3. RETAINING THE REVENUE RAISING PROVISIONS OF A $1,000,000,000 EXCISE TAX CUTTING BILL, WHICH HAS NOW BEEN SHELVED. MR.TRUMAN ALSO ASKED FOR A TAX ON THE INVESTMENT EARNINGS OF LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES AND A WITHHOLDING TAX ON CORPORATION DIVIDENDS.

UNDER THE ADMINISTRATION MEASURE, SNYDER SAID, THE INCREASED TAX ON INDIVIDUALS WOULD BE $700,000,000 THIS YEAR AND $2,900,000,000 NEXT YEAR. INDIVIDUALS NOW ARE PAYING THE U.S. TREASURY AT THE RATE OF $18,900,000,000 A YEAR.

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(330) RED RELIEF-PSYCHOLOGICAL WAR

WASHINGTON,AUG.2-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY THAT DRIVES FOR RELIEF FUNDS FOR NORTH KOREA ARE BEING CONDUCTED IN A NUMBER OF COMMUNIST-RUN COUNTRIES, AMONG THEM HUNGARY, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, POLAND AND ALBANIA.

A SPOKESMAN AT THE PENTAGON ALSO SAID THAT U.S.MONITORS HAVE PICKED UP A NORTH KOREAN RADIO ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE ARRIVAL IN KOREA OF A HUNGARIAN MEDICAL UNIT AND A GROUP OF BULGARIAN DOCTORS.

DISCUSSING AMERICAN ACTIVITIES IN THE FIELD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE, HE REPORTED THAT 24,000,000 COPIES OF NINE LEAFLETS HAVE BEEN DROPPED IN KOREA.

ONE OF THE LEAFLETS WAS GEN.MACARTHUR'S WARNING THAT PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MISTREATMENT OF PRISONERS OF WAR WOULD BE PUNISHED.

ANOTHER WAS PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENT OF U.S.MILITARY AID FOR THE SOUTH KOREANS. OTHER PAMPHLETS WERE DESIGNED TO STRENGTHEN THE MORALE OF SOUTH KOREAN FORCES AND WEAKEN THAT OF THE NORTH KOREANS.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE ARMY AND STATE DEPARTMENTS ARE SENDING GENERAL GUIDANCE REGARDING PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE ACTIVITIES TO MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS BUT THE DETAILED ACTIVITIES ARE WORKED OUT THERE.

THE ARMY ALSO GAVE THESE OTHER REPORTS ON THE SITUATION IN KOREA:

WOMEN BEING DRAFTED BY THE NORTH KOREANS ARE USED TO REPAIR ROADS AND PREPARE FOOD FOR THE COMMUNIST ARMY. SOUTH KOREAN MEN FORCED INTO COMMUNIST SERVICE ARE USED PRIMARILY TO HAUL SUPPLIES TO THE COMBAT AREAS.

THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED NEW PUBLIC SECURITY MEASURES ON JULY 29.

TO SUPPLEMENT POLICE, THESE MEASURES PROVIDE THAT ALL INHABITANTS OF A VILLAGE WILL BE ASSIGNED DEFENSE DUTIES IN THE AREA. LOCAL UNITS OF THE KOREA YOUTH CORPS ALSO WILL ORGANIZE DEFENSE UNITS.

HOME MINISTER PYONGOK'S OUTLINE OF THE NEW SECURITY MEASURES, AS REPORTED BY THE ARMY SPOKESMAN, CONTINUED:

"POLICE ARE TO BE REORGANIZED AND STRENGTHENED, PRIMARILY TO COPE WITH LOCAL GUERRILLA CONFLICT EXPECTED AFTER TERMINATION OF HOSTILITIES.

"THROUGH RE-EDUCATION A DEMOCRATIC POLICE SYSTEM IS TO BE CREATED, AND A POLICE CONSULTATIVE BODY IS TO BE FORMED TO ENFORCE OFFICIAL DISCIPLINE."

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NATIONAL GUARD

WASHINGTON, AUG 2-(AP)-FOUR NATIONAL GUARD DIVISIONS AND TWO REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS CALLED UP FOR ACTIVE DUTY WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE ARMY YESTERDAY.

THEY ARE THE 28TH, 40TH, 43RD AND 45TH INFANTRY DIVISIONS AND THE 196TH AND 278TH COMBAT TEAMS.

THE 28TH, FROM PENNSYLVANIA, WILL TRAIN AT CAMP ATTERBURY, NEAR EDINBURG, IND.; THE 40TH, FROM CALIFORNIA, AT CAMP COOK, CALIF.; THE 43RD, FROM CONNECTICUT, VERMONT AND RHODE ISLAND, AT CAMP PICKETT, VA., AND THE 45TH, FROM OKLAHOMA, AT CAMP POLK, LA.

THE 196TH COMBAT TEAM, FROM SOUTH DAKOTA, GOES TO CAMP CARSON, NEAR COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.; THE 278TH, FROM TENNESSEE, TO FORT DEVENS, NEAR AYER, MASS.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 2-(AP)-THE WASHINGTON POST SAID TODAY THAT THE ARMY WILL ATTAIN A STRENGTH OF 1,~~000,000~~ OR MORE BY THE END OF THIS YEAR. THAT WOULD BE NEARLY DOUBLE THE JUNE 30 STRENGTH OF 591,000--THE LAST DATE FOR WHICH FIGURES HAVE BEEN PUBLISHED.

THE POST QUOTED REP.VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE AS CONFIRMING THE FIGURE, WHICH IS SAID IT HAD ALSO OBTAINED FROM UNNAMED DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OFFICIALS.

"THE ARMY WILL REACH A STRENGTH OF 1,000,000 OFFICERS AND MEN OR MORE THIS YEAR UNDER THE EXPANSION OF ACTIVE LAND FORCES FROM 10 TO 14 DIVISIONS, BY THE CALL UP OF NATIONAL GUARD FORCES AND ROUNDING OUT OF OTHER UNITS," THE POST SAID.

"THE MARINE CORPS LIKEWISE IS GOING MUCH BEYOND ITS PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED GOAL OF 138,000 OFFICERS AND MEN THIS YEAR. BEST ESTIMATES ARE THAT IT WILL TOTAL OVER 170,000 BY NEXT SUMMER. THIS WILL RAISE THE TOTAL NUMBER OF MEN PLANNED TO BE UNDER ARMS BY THAT TIME TO ABOUT 2,300,000."

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SALT LAKE CITY,AUG.2-(AP)-FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER SAYS THE REPUBLICAN PARTY MUST KEEP ALIVE ITS RIGHT OF CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM DURING THE COURSE OF THE KOREAN WAR.

THE FORMER PRESIDENT SPOKE YESTERDAY AT A REGIONAL CONFERENCE OF WESTERN STATES REPUBLICANS.

"A STRONG REPUBLICAN PARTY IS MORE NEEDED NOW THAN EVER AS A CHECK AND A BALANCE ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THIS GOVERNMENT," HOOVER SAID.

"TODAY'S AMERICA HAS DRAWN ITS SWORD AGAINST AGGRESSION, AND ON BEHALF OF THE INDEPENDENCE OF NATIONS. WHEN AMERICA DRAWS ITS SWORD THERE IS ONLY ONE WAY OUT--AND THAT IS TO WIN OUR PURPOSE WHICH MUST BE LASTING PEACE.

"THE REPUBLICAN PARTY IS GIVING WHOLEHEARTED SUPPORT TO THE PROSECUTION OF THIS WAR. BUT THIS DOES NOT IMPLY THAT THE PARTY SURRENDERS ITS FREEDOM OF CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM NOR THE VITAL BENEFIT TO THE MILITARY AND POLITICAL CONDUCT OF THE WAR THROUGH CONSTRUCTIVE DEBATE. AS A MATTER OF FACT, HERE LIES THE VERY PRESERVATION OF FREEDOM ITSELF."

THE CONFERENCE ENDED LAST NIGHT WITH A CLOSED SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE PARTY'S NATIONAL COMMITTEE AND WESTERN STATES MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

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OAKLAND, CALIF., AUG. 2-(AP)-THE ARMY IS SENDING WAR DOGS TO KOREA. PRESUMABLY, THEY WILL BE USED AS THE MEANS OF STOPPING THE INFILTRATION OF NORTH KOREAN GUERRILLAS THROUGH AMERICAN LINES. THIS TACTIC HAS BEEN A SERIOUS THREAT TO AMERICAN POSITIONS.

THIRTY ONE "K-9" WARRIORS WILL BE SHIPPED FROM THE OAKLAND ARMY BASE WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS, ARMY SOURCES SAID.

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(WEST OUT)
SPOKANE,WASH.,AUG.2-(AP)-MORE B-29 BOMBERS WILL LEAVE THE SPOKANE AI FORCE BASE IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS FOR DUTY WITH THE FAR EASTERN AIR FORCE

THIS ANNOUNCEMENT CAME YESTERDAY FROM BASE COMMANDER COL.CLIFFORD REES. HE DID NOT SAY HOW MANY PLANES WOULD BE GOING NOR WHEN THEIR TAKEOFF WOULD BE.

SUPERFORTS OF THE 92ND BOMB GROUP LEFT THE SPOKANE BASE JULY 4.

COL.REES' STATEMENT SAID THE PLANES TO LEAVE SOON "WILL SUPPLEMENT B-29 UNITS OF THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND AND THE 20TH AIR FORCE NOW IN OPERATION AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST FORCES."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EST, TODAY, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2)
(ADVANCE) NEW ~~YORK~~, AUG. 2-(AP)-JEWISH, PROTESTANT AND ROMAN CATHOLIC LEADERS DECLARED JOINTLY TODAY THAT AGGRESSION SUCH AS HAS EMBROILED KOREA IN WAR CONSTITUTES THE "GREATEST MENACE TO WORLD PEACE."

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THEY WARNED AGAINST THE SO-CALLED STOCKHOLM APPEAL AS A "SPURIOUS PEACE PETITION" IN URGING SUPPORT OF A FIVE-POINT PROGRAM.

THE STATEMENT WAS ISSUED JOINTLY BY OFFICERS OF THE FEDERAL COUNCIL OF THE CHURCHES OF CHRIST IN AMERICA, THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC WELFARE CONFERENCE, AND THE SYNAGOGUE COUNCIL OF AMERICA.

IT WAS THE FIRST STATEMENT ON AN INTERNATIONAL ISSUE BEARING THE SIGNATURES OF LEADERS OF THE THREE MAJOR FAITHS IN THE UNITED STATES SINCE THE END OF WORLD WAR 2. A JOINT STATEMENT WAS ISSUED IN 1945 IN CONNECTION WITH THE SAN FRANCISCO CONFERENCE, BIRTHPLACE OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

THE STATEMENT SAID "PEACE REQUIRES OF EVERY PEOPLE" THE FOLLOWING:

"1. RENUNCIATION OF THE USE OF WAR OR THREATS OF FORCE AS AN INSTRUMENT OF NATIONAL POLICY.

"2. LOYAL ADHERENCE TO THE SOLEMN OBLIGATIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTE FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY AND THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES.

"3. RESPECT FOR AND OBSERVANCE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS FOR ALL.

"4. PARTICIPATION IN POSITIVE PROGRAMS OF THE UNITED NATIONS FOR THE COMMON WELFARE AND BETTER STANDARDS OF LIFE.

"5. ACCEPTANCE OF INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS FOR THE EFFECTIVE REDUCTION AND REGULATION OF ARMAMENTS, INCLUDING ATOMIC WEAPONS, BY ALL NATIONS, THROUGH A TRUSTWORTHY SYSTEM OF INTERNATIONAL INSPECTION AND CONTROL."

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THE CHURCH LEADERS ADDED:

"WE WARN THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA, HOWEVER, TO BE ON GUARD LEST THEY BE LED BY THE SO-CALLED 'STOCKHOLM APPEAL' NOW BEING CIRCULATED BY COMMUNIST AND PRO-COMMUNIST GROUPS. THIS SPURIOUS PEACE PETITION, WHICH ALREADY HAS DECEIVED MANY WELL-MEANING PEOPLE HERE AND ABROAD, IS A CAMOUFLAGE DESIGNED TO CONFUSE THE FREE SOCIETIES AND TO CONCEAL THE AGGRESSIVE POLICIES REVEALED IN THE INVASION OF KOREA."

THE STOCKHOLM APPEAL CALLED FOR OUTLAWRY OF THE ATOMIC BOMB AS "AN INSTRUMENT OF AGGRESSION AND MASS MURDER" WITHOUT CONDEMNING AGGRESSION ITSELF. ISSUED BY THE CONGRES OF PARTISANS OF PEACE LAST MARCH, IT CLOSELY PARALLELS SOVIET PROPOSALS IN THE UNITED NATIONS ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION AND HAS BEEN THE BASIS FOR THE PRESENT COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA DRIVE.

SIGNERS OF THE STATEMENT WERE RABBI BERNARD J.BAMBERGER, NEW YORK PRESIDENT OF THE SYNAGOGUE COUNCIL OF AMERICA; THE REV. SAMUEL MC CREA CAVERT, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE FEDERAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES; THE RT. REV. MSGR. FREDERICK G.HOCHWALT, WASHINGTON, D.C., DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION, NATIONAL CATHOLIC WELFARE CONFERENCE.

RABBI MORRIS KERTZER, NEW YORK CHAIRMAN, SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE, SYNAGOGUE COUNCIL OF AMERICA; THE REV. RAYMOND A. MC GOWAN,

WASHINGTON DIRECTOR, SOCIAL ACTION DEPARTMENT, NATIONAL CATHOLIC WELFARE CONFERENCE; BISHOP JOHN S. STAMM, HARRISBURG, PA., BISHOP OF THE EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH AND PRESIDENT OF THE FEDERAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES.

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FIRST LEAD RALLY

NEW YORK, AUG. 2-(AP)-LEFTIST "PEACE" MARCHERS--BANNED FROM HEAVILY-GUARDED UNION SQUARE--DEFIANTLY CLASHED WITH POLICE TODAY IN A TENSE, NOISY BRAWL.

AN ESTIMATED 2,000 MARCHERS FORMED RANKS AMID THOUSSANDS OF HOME-GOING WORKERS AT THE HEIGHT OF THE RUSH HOUR.

"WE WANT PEACE--OPEN UP THE SQUARE," THEY CRIED.

MOUNTED POLICE CHARGED THEIR RANKS AND SCATTERED THEM BUT THEY REFORMED AGAIN AND AGAIN AS THE BRAWL SWIRLED THROUGH THE STREETS OF DOWNTOWN MANHATTAN.

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A 1,000-MAN POLICE DETAIL--STATIONED LIKE AN ARMY AROUND THE SQUARE--SPENT AN HOUR BREAKING UP THE DEMONSTRATION.

FISTS FLEW AT TIMES AND SEVERAL INJURIES WERE REPORTED. AT LEAST ONE WINDOW WAS SMASHED.

THIRTEEN OF THE MARCHERS WERE ARRESTED, MOST OF THEM CHARGED WITH DISORDERLY CONDUCT OR ASSAULT.

DRIVEN AWAY FROM UNION SQUARE--TRADITIONAL CENTER OF NEW YORK SOAP BOX ORATORY--SOME OF THE MARCHERS STILL WERE SHOUTING SLOGANS AS THEY FELL BACK SOUTH AS FAR AS 11TH STREET, THREE BLOCKS AWAY.

ABOUT 500 OTHERS MOVED NORTH TO 23RD STREET AND MILLED ABOUT A PARK IN MADISON SQUARE. BUT POLICE PRESSED IN AND CHASED THEM OUT.

TWO SIGN-WAVING DEMONSTRATORS WERE PLUCKED BY POLICE FROM LIGHT POLES AFTER FIRE DEPARTMENT LADDERS WERE CALLED IN.

AN ESTIMATED 10,000 PERSONS MAKING THEIR WAY PEACEFULLY ALONG SIDEWALKS IN THE UNION SQUARE AREA WERE THROWN INTO A TURMOIL BY THE FIGHTING.

THE DEMONSTRATORS SHOUTED "COSSACK" AT THE MOUNTED POLICE WHO CHARGED DOWN ON THEM. COSSACKS WERE THE FIERCE HORSEMEN WHO SERVED THE RUSSIAN CZARS.

THE NEW YORK LABOR CONFERENCE FOR PEACE (CAPS), WHICH SPONSORED THE FORBIDDEN RALLY, LATER RELEASED THE TEXT OF A TELEGRAM IT SAID WAS SENT TO MAYOR WILLIAM O'DWYER.

IT ACCUSED MOUNTED POLICE OF TRAMPLING "ON THE ADVOCATES OF PEACE--MEN AND WOMEN, BYSTANDERS AND PARTICIPANTS."

IT CHARGED THAT POLICE CLUBBED THE MARCHERS, ADDING:

"MR. MAYOR, IT WAS QUITE A SPECTACLE OF BRUTALITY AND BLOOD."

THE MARCHERS WERE TO HAVE GATHERED TO HEAR SPEECHES BY NEGRO SINGER PAUL ROBESON AND DR. W.E.B. DUBOIS, CHAIRMAN OF THE PEACE INFORMATION CENTER.

THE CENTER HAS LED IN THE DISTRIBUTION OF PEACE PETITIONS CALLING FOR THE OUTLAWING OF THE ATOM BOMB. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS HAVE CALLED THE PETITIONS COMMUNIST INSPIRED.

THE NEW YORK LABOR CONFERENCE FOR PEACE (CAPS) ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED THE "PEACE RALLY" TO PROTEST THE ATOM BOMB AND TO CALL FOR MEDIATION IN KOREA. BUT THE POLICE REFUSED THEM A PERMIT FOR THE RALLY.

STATE SUPREME COURT JUSTICE EUGENE L. BRISACH EARLIER TODAY REFUSED TO REMOVE THE POLICE BAN.

THE DEMONSTRATORS THEN ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD RALLY ANYWAY.

POLICE ANSWERED THIS THREAT BY SENDING UNITS TO THE SQUARE AS EARLY AS MID-AFTERNOON. MOUNTED POLICE RINGED THE SQUARE, DOWNTOWN IN MANHATTAN WHERE BROADWAY AND FOURTH AVENUE CROSS 14TH STREET LESS THAN A BLOCK APART.

FOR HOURS, THE POLICE ARMY KEPT THE SQUARE CLEAR OF ALL EXCEPT HOMEWARD BOUND SUBWAY RIDERS WHO WERE HERDED FROM SUBWAY EXITS AND OUT OF THE SQUARE.

BUT AS THE SUBWAY EXITS GREW MORE CLOGGED, THE MARCHERS--SEVERAL HUNDRED STRONG--SUDDENLY APPEARED IN THEIR MIDST TO FORM RANKS. THE ALTERCATIONS ENSUED.

THE MOUNTED POLICE CHARGED THE DEMONSTRATORS SEVERAL TIMES, CHASING THEM ACROSS THE STREETS THAT SURROUND UNION SQUARE.

THE CONFERENCE DESCRIBES ITSELF AS MADE UP OF UNION AND OTHER GROUPS INTERESTED IN PEACE.

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KX FOR FRISCO (APW)

NEW YORK,AUG.2-(AP)-THE NEW YORK TIMES SAID TODAY THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL ACTION BLOCKING OUSTER OF THE NATIONALIST CHINESE REPRESENTATIVE "ENHANCED THE STATURE AND DIGNITY OF THIS WORLD ORGANIZATION."

A TIMES EDITORIAL NOTED THAT THE SOVIET DELEGATE DID NOT WALK OUT AFTER THE COUNCIL ADMINISTERED "AN IGNOMINIOUS DEFEAT TO ANOTHER EFFORT ON THE PART OF SOVIET RUSSIA TO IMPOSE ITS ARBITRARY WILL ON THE REST OF THE WORLD."

THE TIMES SAID:

"THIS MAY REPRESENT BOTH A SOVIET ADMISSION THAT ITS BOYCOTT WAS A BLUNDER AND A TRIBUTE TO THE IMPORTANCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS WHICH MAY YET OPEN UP AVENUES FOR REAL PEACE DISCUSSIONS. BUT THE SOVIET TACTICS LIKEWISE SHOWED THAT MOSCOW WILL TAKE ADVANTAGE OF EVERY TRICK AND STRATEGY TO IMPOSE 'PEACE' ON ITS OWN TERMS, WHICH CALL FOR ULTIMATE COMMUNIST WORLD DOMINATION. AND THIS COMPELS THE FREE WORLD TO OBSERVE CONSTANT VIGILANCE IF FREEDOM IS TO BE PRESERVED."

THE HERALD TRIBUNE SAID EDITORIALLY THAT THE ISSUE OF RECOGNIZING RED CHINA AS PRESENTED BY THE SOVIET DELEGATE "SO FAR FROM BEING A POSSIBLE AVENUE TOWARD SETTLEMENT IN KOREA AND ELSEWHERE--AS NEHRU WOULD SEEM TO BELIEVE--BECOMES AN INSUPERABLE BARRIER TO ANY SETTLEMENT WHATEVER X X X UNLESS IT CAN BE REMOVED BY SOME LATER INDICATION FROM THE SOVIET SIDE OF SOME REAL DESIRE FOR PACIFYING AND STABILIZING THE FAR EAST, IT WILL MAKE NEGOTIATION--IN U.N. OR OUT OF U.N.--SO DIFFICULT AS TO BE VIRTUALLY IMPOSSIBLE."

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NIGHT LEAD U.N. (300 UP)

BY FRANCIS W.CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 2-(AP)-AMERICAN CHIEF DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN HEATEDLY REJECTED TODAY ANY "DEALS" FOR A SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN WAR.

AUSTIN TURNED DOWN FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL A SOVIET MOVE TO LINK THE QUESTION OF RED CHINA'S ENTRANCE

INTO THE U.N. WITH THE KOREAN WAR. HE SAID THE UNITED STATES WILL NEVER AGREE THAT THE END OF NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION DEPENDS ON ANY OTHER ISSUE.

"SO LONG AS MEN ARE DYING ON THE BATTLEFIELD IN DEFENSE OF THE UNITED NATIONS," AUSTIN SAID, "THIS COUNCIL WILL NOT WISH TO CHEAPEN THEIR SUFFERING OR SULLY THEIR HEROISM BY SEEMING TO ENGAGE IN THE CONSIDERATION OF DEALS."

THE AMERICAN ALSO REJECTED AGAIN A SOVIET MOVE INTENDED TO WATER DOWN THE COUNCIL'S PREVIOUS DECISION THAT COMMUNIST-SUPPORTED NORTH KOREA IS THE AGGRESSOR AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, WHICH IS BACKED BY THE U.N.

SOVIET DELEGATE JAKOB A.MALIK, COUNCIL PRESIDENT, REPLIED THAT AUSTIN HAS PUT UP A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR "LOCALIZATION OF THE CONFLICT". HE SAID THAT WAS DIPLOMATIC LANGUAGE THAT REALLY MEANT: TO INCREASE AND EXPAND THE CONFLICT, INCREASE THE MUNITIONS, AND THE FLYING FORTRESSES.

THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED AT 5:15 P.M. E.S.T. UNTIL 2 P.M. TOMORROW WITHOUT ACTING ON ITS AGENDA. THE SOVIET UNION IS SEEKING TO HAVE THE COUNCIL TAKE UP THE QUESTION OF SEATING COMMUNIST CHINA BEFORE GOING ON TO THE KOREAN PROBLEM.

AUSTIN JOINED FIVE OTHER DELEGATES IN DEMANDING THE COUNCIL PUT EVERYTHING ASIDE EXCEPT THE ISSUE OF AGGRESSION UPON THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, A QUESTION THAT HAS BEEN BEFORE THE COUNCIL FIVE WEEKS. BACKING AUSTIN WERE SIR GLADWYN JEBB OF BRITAIN, JEAN CHAUVEL OF FRANCE, ARNE SUNDE OF NORWAY, ANTONIO QUEVEDO OF ECUADOR AND ALBERTO I. ALVAREZ OF CUBA.

QUEVEDO, A NEW DELEGATE, SAID THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS THE PROPER PLACE TO SETTLE THE CHINESE QUESTION. THIS WAS THE FIRST INDICATION THAT ECUADOR WANTED THE FULL 59-NATION ASSEMBLY TO DECIDE WHETHER NATIONALIST CHINA OR RED CHINA IS THE U.N. MEMBER.

JEBB TOLD SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A. MALIK, AUGUST PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, THAT KOREA AND CHINA ARE IN THE SAME PART OF THE WORLD BUT THAT IS ABOUT AS FAR AS HE COULD GO IN ADMITTING A LINK TO THE TWO QUESTIONS. HE SAID 52 OF THE 59 U.N. MEMBERS ARE BACKING THE COUNCIL'S EFFORTS TO END AGGRESSION IN KOREA AND THAT QUESTION MUST HAVE PRIORITY ABOVE ALL OTHERS.

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JEBB SAID MALIK COULD PUT IN ANY PROPOSALS FOR PEACE HE DESIRED UNDER THE KOREAN HEADING THAT HAS BEEN BEFORE THE COUNCIL SINCE THE WAR BEGAN JUNE 25. HE CONCLUDED WITH WELCOME BACK TO MALIK, WHO ENDED A LONG BOYCOTT OF THE COUNCIL YESTERDAY, AND A WISH FOR THE "SINCERE COLLABORATION" BY THE SOVIET UNION IN THE COUNCIL'S WORK.

MALIK CALLED THE COUNCIL TO ORDER AT 2:12 P.M. E.S.T. AND ORDERED THE FRENCH TRANSLATION OF HIS SPEECH YESTERDAY. IN THAT STATEMENT, HE ARGUED FOR APPROVAL OF A WORK-SHEET LISTING FIRST THE QUESTION OF ADMITTING RED CHINA TO THE U.N. AND SECOND THE "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION."

MALIK SAID YESTERDAY HE WAS WILLING TO LIST AUSTIN'S ITEM, THE "COMPLAINT OF AGGRESSION UPON THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA", BUT AFTER THOSE TWO ITEMS HE PROPOSED. AUSTIN COUNTERED THAT MALIK WAS TRYING TO WIPE OFF THE COUNCIL RECORDS ALL REFERENCE TO NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION.

IN HIS SHORT STATEMENT TODAY, AUSTIN SAID:

"THE ACT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA IS THE MOST URGENT BUSINESS BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS. UNDER THIS AGENDA ITEM, EVERY MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL IS COMPLETELY FREE TO MAKE PROPOSALS LEADING TOWARD THE TERMINATION OF THE BREACH OF THE PEACE. IF ANY DELEGATE HAS PROPOSALS TO MAKE OR RESOLUTIONS TO SUBMIT REGARDING THE BREACH OF THE PEACE IN KOREA THEY CAN BE MADE WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE AGENDA ITEM WHICH HAS BEEN BEFORE THIS COUNCIL FOR THE LAST FIVE WEEKS. IF THERE ARE PROPOSALS TO BE MADE, REFUSAL TO PRESENT THEM WITHIN THE COUNCIL'S REGULAR AGENDA INEVITABLY WILL CAST DOUBT ON THEIR SINCERITY.

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"AS I STATED YESTERDAY, THE UNITED STATES CANNOT AGREE THAT THE QUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION CAN TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER THE FACT OF ARMED AGGRESSION. NOR CAN THE UNITED STATES AGREE THAT THE TERMINATION OF AGGRESSION BE MADE CONTINGENT ON ANY OTHER ISSUE. SO LONG AS MEN ARE DYING ON THE BATTLEFIELD IN DEFENSE OF THE UNITED NATIONS, THIS COUNCIL WILL NOT WISH TO CHEAPEN THEIR SUFFERING OR SULLY THEIR HEROISM BY SEEMING TO ENGAGE IN THE CONSIDERATION OF DEALS."

THE TEXT OF AUSTIN'S STATEMENT, MADE AVAILABLE IN ADVANCE, ENDED THE LAST PASSAGE WITH "DEALS, BRIBERY OR BLACKMAIL." AUSTIN OMITTED "BRIBERY OR BLACKMAIL" IN HIS DELIVERY.

JEBB SAID THERE IS A SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE IN WORDING BETWEEN THE KOREAN ITEM ALREADY BEFORE THE COUNCIL, THAT OF AGGRESSION, AND THE ITEM PROPOSED BY MALIK, CALLING FOR A "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT."

"IF WE WERE TO ADOPT THE SOVIET FORMULA ALL REFERENCE TO AGGRESSION WOULD DISAPPEAR," JEBB SAID. "YET IT IS THE ACT OF AGGRESSION WHICH IS RESPONSIBLE FOR BRINGING THIS MATTER BEFORE THE COUNCIL AND IT IS THE MAIN FACTOR WITH WHICH WE HAVE TO DEAL."

JEBB RECALLED THAT MALIK HAD SAID YESTERDAY IT WAS "NOT BY CHANCE THAT HE (THE UNITED STATES DELEGATE) FEARS THE WORDS 'PEACE' AND 'PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT.'" JEBB ADDED:

"THE IMPLICATION OF THIS REMARK WAS, OF COURSE, THAT THE UNITED STATES AND THOSE NATIONS ASSOCIATED WITH HER WANTED A WARLIKE SETTLEMENT. THIS IS AN INSTANCE, IF I MAY SAY SO, OF THE QUEER UPSIDE-DOWN LANGUAGE WHICH ALWAYS SEEMS TO BE EMPLOYED BY SOVIET PROPAGANDA. IF THE SIDE FAVORED BY THAT GOVERNMENT ATTACKS ITS NEIGHBOR, AS IN THIS CASE IT HAS, THEN THAT IS NOT AN ACT OF WAR BUT AN ACT OF PEACE. IT WOULD FOLLOW THAT THE RIGHT SETTLEMENT, WHICH, OF COURSE, WOULD BE A 'PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT', WOULD BE THAT IT SHOULD DEFEAT ITS NEIGHBOR AND ATTAIN ALL ITS OBJECTIVES. PEACE WOULD THEN BE ESTABLISHED AND ANY ACTION ON THE PART OF ANYBODY ELSE TO INTERFERE WITH THE 'PEACEFUL' MOVES ON THE STATE OR AUTHORITIES CONCERNED WOULD BE A WARLIKE ACT INSPIRED BY CAPITALISTS AND IMPERIALISTS INTENT ON WORLD DOMINATION.

"MOREOVER, QUITE APART FROM THIS, THE VERY WORDS 'PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT' IN THE MOUTH OF THE SOVIET DELEGATE ARE SUFFICIENT TO CAUSE A CERTAIN ANXIETY. SO FAR AS I REMEMBER THERE WAS A 'PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT' IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN 1938 AND AGAIN IN 1948--'PEACEFUL' IN THE SENSE THAT ON THOSE OCCASIONS NOT A SHOT WAS FIRED. THE ONLY DOUBT IN THE MINDS OF OTHER COUNTRIES LAY IN THE SETTLEMENTS THEMSELVES, FOR IN THE COURSE OF BOTH THOSE 'SETTLEMENTS' FREEDOM DIED. THIS IS NOT THE SORT OF SETTLEMENT WHICH AT ANY RATE 52 MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS DESIRE TO SEE ESTABLISHED IN KOREA AND THE OVERRIDING POINT IS THAT IT IS A SETTLEMENT WHICH THEY ARE DETERMINED TO RESIST."

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THE ECUADOREAN DELEGATE SAID HE WAS PLEASED MALIK HAD RETURNED TO DISCUSS PROBLEMS VITAL TO THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE. PERHAPS IN THESE DISCUSSIONS, QUEVEDO SAID, A "RAY OF LIGHT" WOULD APPEAR, TO GUIDE THE WAY TO PEACE.

CHAUVEL CALLED ON THE SOVIET DELEGATION TO JOIN THE REST OF THE COUNCIL IN TRYING TO HALT AGGRESSION IN KOREA. HE SAID FRANCE WOULD BE HAPPY TO LEARN THE ELEMENTS OF ANY PEACE PLAN THE SOVIET UNION MAY HAVE. HE ADDED HE COULD NOT ADMIT ANY LINK BETWEEN THE CHINESE ISSUE AND THE KOREAN QUESTION.

ALVAREZ OF CUBA SAID THE CHINESE AND KOREAN QUESTIONS ARE NOT

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RELATED WHATSOEVER.
SUNDE SAID NORWAY HAS RECOGNIZED THE RED CHINESE AND BELIEVES THEY SHOULD BE SEATED HERE BY CONSTITUTIONAL MEANS. BUT HE SAID HIS GOVERNMENT DOES NOT BELIEVE THIS SHOULD BE LINKED WITH THE KOREAN QUESTION.
AUSTIN SPOKE AFTER SUNDE. THEN T.F.TSIANG OF NATIONALIST CHINA SAID THE COUNCIL DECIDED YESTERDAY ABOUT SEATING "SOME PUPPET REGIME IN CHINA." HE ASSERTED THIS "PUPPET REGIME" HAS GIVEN EVERY SUPPORT AND ENCOURAGEMENT TO NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION.
THE COUNCIL YESTERDAY REJECTED 8 TO 3 A SOVIET MOVE TO OUST TSIANG.
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PMS BUDGET (650)
U.N.-RUSSIAN
BY A.I.GOLDBERG
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 2-(AP)-BEATEN IN HIS FIRST ATTEMPT AS SECURITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT TO OUST NATIONALIST CHINA, SOVIET DELEGATE JAKOB A. MALIK COMES BACK FOR ANOTHER TRY TODAY.
HE WAS DEFEATED DECISIVELY, 8 VOTES TO 3, BUT HE DIDN'T WALK OUT YESTERDAY.
INSTEAD, HE REMAINED TO TRADE BITTER WORDS WITH U.S. AND CHINESE DELEGATES IN A LONG, WRANGLING COUNCIL SESSION, AND TO ACCUSE THE U.S. OF LEADING "NAKED AGGRESSION" AGAINST ASIAN PEOPLES IN KOREA, CHINA, INDOCHINA AND THE PHILIPPINES.
THE FACT THAT HE STAYED, INSTEAD OF WALKING OUT ON THE CHINESE QUESTION AS HE DID WHEN HE WAS BEATEN LAST JANUARY, STRENGTHENED A BELIEF THAT RUSSIA IS BACK IN THE U.N., AT LEAST FOR THE REST OF MALIK'S AUGUST TERM AS PRESIDENT.
HE CALLED ANOTHER MEETING TODAY (AT 2 P.M. EST) TO CONTINUE A WRANGLE OVER WHAT SHOULD BE ON THE AGENDA. YESTERDAY'S SESSION WAS DEVOTED ENTIRELY TO JOUSTING OVER THE UNSEATING OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS AND OVER WHAT SUBJECTS SHOULD BE DISCUSSED, AND IN WHAT ORDER.
SIR BENEGAL N.RAU OF INDIA, ONE OF THE THREE WHO VOTED TO OUST NATIONALIST CHINA, SAID AFTER YESTERDAY'S MEETING THAT HE REGARDED IT A "GOOD OMEN" THAT MALIK ANNOUNCED A MEETING FOR TODAY AND APPARENTLY WOULD ATTEND IT.
MALIK WOUND UP YESTERDAY'S THREE-HOUR COUNCIL MEETING, THAT MARKED THE END OF HIS SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT, BY ATTACKING THE U.N. KOREAN ACTION. HE ASSERTED THAT PEACE IN KOREA MUST BE CONSIDERED ALONG WITH THE QUESTION OF SEATING THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE COMMUNIST CHINESE REGIME.
THE RUSSIAN DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER, SOMEWHAT PALE AND SPEAKING IN A HUSKY VOICE, DENOUNCED THE KOREAN ACTION IN ANSWER TO INSISTENCE OF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN THAT THE AGENDA GIVE PRIORITY TO A U.S. RESOLUTION DESIGNED TO KEEP THE KOREAN CONFLICT FROM SPREADING.
THE RESOLUTION WAS PRESENTED MONDAY AT THE LAST COUNCIL MEETING BEFORE MALIK BECAME PRESIDENT.

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MALIK TRIED TO OUT-MANEUVER WESTERN POWERS ON THE COUNCIL: FIRST, BY FLATLY DECLARING THAT CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATE T.F.TSIANG REPRESENTED NO NATION AND WAS ILLEGALLY AT THE COUNCIL TABLE; AND SECOND, BY TRYING TO DECLARE ADOPTED HIS AGENDA WHICH CALLS FOR SEATING THE COMMUNIST CHINESE REPRESENTATIVE AND FOR A "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT" IN KOREA.
AUSTIN RAISED HIS VOICE IN SHARP. ANGRY CHALLENGE EACH TIME.
THE FIRST TIME, HE WAS JOINED QUICKLY BY BRITAIN AND FRANCE. INDIA'S RAU THEN SAID THAT THE CHINESE QUESTION HAD SPLIT THE U.N. SINCE LAST JANUARY AND THAT PROCEDURAL RULES SHOULD NOT STAND IN THE WAY OF THE U.N. FUTURE. THEREFORE, HE SAID, HE WOULD VOTE WITH RUSSIA.
EGYPT, ECUADOR, AND CUBA QUICKLY CHIMED IN WITH CRITICISM OF ANY ATTEMPT BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL TO DECIDE COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP BY HIS OWN RULING. NORWAY'S ARNE SUNDE, COUNCIL PRESIDENT IN JULY, CHALLENGED MALIK'S RIGHT TO MAKE SUCH A RULE.
ALES BEBLER, YUGOSLAVIA'S DELEGATE, SAID HIS COUNTRY WANTED RED CHINA IN AND WOULD VOTE WITH RUSSIA. IT WAS THE FIRST TIME MARSHAL TITO'S DELEGATE HAD BEEN RECOGNIZED BY RUSSIA, WHICH STRONGLY OPPOSED YUGOSLAVIA'S ELECTION TO THE COUNCIL LAST YEAR.
THAT WAS THE WAY THEY LINED UP--RUSSIA, INDIA, YUGOSLAVIA TO OUST THE NATIONALISTS; THE U.S. BRITAIN, FRANCE, ECUADOR, EGYPT, NORWAY, CUBA AND CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATE T.F.TSIANG RAISING THEIR HANDS AGAINST MALIK'S RULING.
MALIK ANNOUNCED FIRST THAT THE VOTE WAS SEVEN VOTES "PLUS THE VOTE OF THE KUOMINTANG GROUP" AGAINST THREE AND DREW ANOTHER ANGRY CHALLENGE FROM AUSTIN, WHO DEMANDED A "TRUTHFUL" ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE VOTE.
MALIK SPARRED WITH AUSTIN BRIEFLY ON A POINT OF ORDER, AND THEN SAID HIS ANNOUNCEMENT MEANT EIGHT VOTES AGAINST THE CHAIR. AUSTIN WITHDREW HIS CHALLENGE.
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THE RUSSIAN CHIEF DELEGATE REPEATED SEVERAL TIMES THAT THE ACTION IN KEEPING TSIANG SEATED WAS ILLEGAL. WHEN TSIANG ASKED FOR THE FLOOR, MALIK DID NOT ACKNOWLEDGE HIM BY NAME OR NATION. HE UTTERED A BRIEF, QUESTIONING "YES?", BUT ALLOWED TSIANG TO SAY THAT "MY RIGHT TO BE HERE AS A REPRESENTATIVE OF A GOVERNMENT ELECTED BY THE PEOPLE IS BEYOND DISPUTE."
MALIK EVEN REPLIED ACIDLY: "THE PRESIDENT IS ALLOWED TO HAVE HIS OPINION. THAT IS MY ANSWER TO IGNORANT THINGS FROM THE MOUTH OF THE SPEAKER."
BUT IT WAS IN THIS PASSAGE THAT HE GAVE HIS FIRST DEFINITE INDICATION HE WASN'T WALKING OUT WHEN HE ADDED:
"THE KUOMINTANG IS NOT AN ELECTED GOVERNMENT BUT AN EJECTED GOVERNMENT. WHEN THE SOVIET UNION RAISES--AND CONTINUES TO RAISE--THIS QUESTION, WE STATE WE DO NOT REGARD THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE KUOMINTANG AS THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE."

THE JIBING OF THE DELEGATES BROUGHT NERVOUS LAUGHTER FROM THE 700 SPECTATORS WHO JAMMED THE CHAMBER, LEAVING NOISILY DURING LONG TRANSLATIONS OF SPEECHES TO SMOKE IN THE CORRIDORS. TWICE MALIK HAD TO RAP FOR QUIET, BUT HE DID SO ONLY WHEN A SECRETARIAT MEMBER SUGGESTED IT.
AUSTIN WAS QUICK WITH A PREPARED STATEMENT WHEN MALIK TRIED TO PUT ACROSS HIS OWN AGENDA. IT CALLED FOR CONSIDERATION FIRST OF THE RECOGNITION OF THE COMMUNIST REGIME AS CHINA'S U.N. REPRESENTATIVE, THEN OF "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT" OF THE KOREAN QUESTION.
AUSTIN SAID THERE MUST BE NO DELAY IN THE U.N. ATTEMPT TO HALT THE NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION AND RESTORE PEACE THERE. STEPS TO PEACE, SUCH AS THOSE SUGGESTED IN THE U.S. RESOLUTION, SHOULD HAVE PRIORITY, HE SAID, AND THE QUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION MUST BE KEPT SEPARATE FROM THE KOREAN AGGRESSION.
RUSSIA, AUSTIN CONTINUED, IS TRYING TO SEAT THE COMMUNIST CHINESE REGIME WHICH HAS DENOUNCED U.N. ACTION AS "ARMED AGGRESSION AND VIOLATION OF WORLD PEACE." TO SEAT SUCH A REGIME WHICH IS AIDING AND ENCOURAGING THE NORTH KOREANS WOULD "SUBVERT THE BRAVE MEN OF THE U.N.

AT THE FRONT" AND WEAKEN PEACE ENDEAVORS, HE DECLARED.
RUSSIA, AUSTIN CHARGED, IS USING AN OLD PROPAGANDA DEVICE AGAIN TO MAKE IT LOOK AS IF THE SOVIET UNION IS THE ONLY NATION INTERESTED IN SETTLING KOREAN PEACE.
MALIK ANSWERED THAT THE SOVIET UNION IS FOR A PEACE SETTLEMENT AND NOT FOR CONTINUATION OF MILITARY OPERATIONS IN KOREA, AS PROPOSED BY THE U.S.

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HE CALLED THE KOREAN ACTION "A CLUMSY, UNDISGUISED, ILLEGAL AND COMPLETELY UNJUSTIFIED ATTACK LAUNCHED BY THE RULING CIRCLES OF THE UNITED STATES AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF KOREA." IT WAS NOT, MALIK INSISTED, A U.N. ACTION.
NOW, HE SAID, THE U.S. IS TRYING TO EXTEND THE SCOPE OF THIS AGGRESSION BY DRAGGING IN OTHER GOVERNMENTS TO WAGE WAR ON OTHER ASIAN PEOPLES -- THOSE OF CHINA, VIETNAM AND THE PHILIPPINES.
"MR. AUSTIN IS FRIGHTENED BY THE FACT THAT IT MIGHT LOOK AS THOUGH THE SOVIET UNION IS THE COUNTRY THAT FAVORS A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT," MALIK SAID. "THE SOVIET UNION AND ITS GOVERNMENT, UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF THE GREAT GENERALISSIMO STALIN, IS PURSUING A POLICY OF PEACE, A POLICY OF FRIENDSHIP AMONG NATIONS."
HE SAID THAT THE KOREAN SETTLEMENT HAS TO BE LINKED WITH THE QUESTION OF COMMUNIST CHINA'S REPRESENTATION. HE ACCUSED THE U.S. OF BEING AFRAID TO HAVE A SECURITY COUNCIL -- INCLUDING RED CHINA -- CONSIDER THE KOREAN QUESTION.
MALIK'S 3,000-WORD STATEMENT WAS TRANSLATED INTO ENGLISH, CARRYING THE COUNCIL SESSION PAST THE 5 P.M. MARK. MALIK HAD SAT CONTINUOUSLY FOR MORE THAN THREE HOURS. PERHAPS, HE SUGGESTED, THE FRENCH DELEGATE COULD WAIT FOR THE FRENCH TRANSLATION ANOTHER TIME AND THEY COULD HAVE ANOTHER MEETING.
HOW ABOUT WEDNESDAY, AUSTIN DEMANDED.
MALIK AGREED AND PREPARED THE WAY FOR ANOTHER WALK-IN AND STILL MORE WRANGLING OVER THE ORDER OF THE AGENDA.

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THE NATIONALIST CHINA DELEGATE, T.F. TSIANG, SAT STONILY QUIET THROUGHOUT THE DEBATE LEADING TO THE VOTE ON HIS OUSTER.
AFTER AUSTIN AND MALIK CLASHED, TSIANG GAINED THE FLOOR AND PROTESTED AGAINST THE LANGUAGE MALIK HAD USED AGAINST HIM.
"I FORGIVE THE PRESIDENT PARTLY BECAUSE HE PROBABLY USED THAT LANGUAGE AS A RESULT OF IGNORANCE," TSIANG SAID. "THE WORD 'KUOMINTANG' (MALIK HAD CALLED TSIANG A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE KUOMINTANG CLIQUE) IS THE NAME OF ONE OF THE POLITICAL PARTIES OF CHINA. THAT WORD MEANS 'THE PEOPLES' PARTY.' THAT WORD IS INAPPROPRIATE WHEN APPLIED TO ME BECAUSE I PERSONALLY AM NOT A MEMBER OF THAT PARTY. IT IS INACCURATE WHEN APPLIED TO MY GOVERNMENT BECAUSE MY GOVERNMENT TODAY IS A COALITION GOVERNMENT.
"I VOTED AGAINST THE RULING OF THE PRESIDENT THIS AFTERNOON ON TWO GROUNDS: IN THE FIRST PLACE, IT IS BEYOND THE POWER OF THE PRESIDENT TO MAKE A RULING OF THAT KIND. IN THE SECOND PLACE, EVEN IF ANY PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL HAS THE POWER TO MAKE A RULING ON SUCH A SUBJECT AS THIS, THE RULING WHICH THE PRESIDENT ACTUALLY MADE WAS BOTH UNJUST AND UNFAIR.
"I REPRESENT THE ONLY CHINESE GOVERNMENT WHICH IS BASED ON A CONSTITUTION DRAFTED AND PASSED BY THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CHINEXE PEOPLE. I REPRESENT THE ONLY CHINESE GOVERNMENT AT THE HEAD OF WHICH IS A PRESIDENT ELECTED BY THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE. THERE IS NO OTHER GOVERNMENT SET UP IN CHINA WITH THE CONSENT AND APPROVAL OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE. MY RIGHT TO BE HERE IS BEYOND ANY DISPUTE."

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MALIK ANSWERED TSIANG AND THEN SAID HE CONSIDERED THE AGENDA ADOPTED. AUSTIN CHALLENGED HIM IMMEDIATELY.
"IN THE FIRST PLACE, AUSTIN SAID, "I NOTE THAT THIS PROVISIONAL AGENDA DOES NOT CONTAIN THE AGENDA ITEM WHICH THE SECURITY COUNCIL WAS DISCUSSING AT ITS MEETING YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AND WHICH IS UNFINISHED BUSINESS REQUIRED BY THE RULES TO BE ON THE AGENDA, NAMELY 'AGGRESSION UPON THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.' IT IS THE ITEM WHICH HAS COMMANDED THE ATTENTION OF THECOUNCIL AT ALL THE MEETINGS DURING THE PAST FIVE WEEKS WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN GRACED BY THE PRESENCE OF THE PRESIDENT.
"AT THE END OF YESTERDAY'S MEETING, AFTER WE HAD ADOPTED MEASURES TO SPEED ASSISTANCE TO THE TRAGIC VICTIMS OF AGGRESSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, MY DELEGATIN INTRODUCED THE RESOLUTION CONTAINED IN DOCUMENT S/1653 (THE TEXT OF THE U.S. RESOLUTION DESIGNED TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT). NO ACTION WAS TAKEN BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL ON THAT RESOLUTION AND IT REMAINS THE UNFINISHED BUSINESS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL. IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT THIS QUESTION WOULD BE TAKEN UP AT THE COUNCIL'S MEETING TODAY."
"THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD ESTABLISH FIRMLY THE CLEAR PRINCIPLE THAT THE QUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION IS NOT LINKED IN ANY WAY WITH THE KOREAN AGGRESSION," AUSTIN SAID.
"THE FIRM OPPOSITION OF THE UNITED NATIONS AGAINST THE BARBARIC USE OF FORCE HAS GIVEN STRENGTH AND ENCOURAGEMENT TO ALL FREE PEOPLES. WE CANNOT RISK THE DISILLUSIONMENT THAT WOULD FLOW FROM CONSIDERATION BY THE UNITED NATIONS UNDER THIS DURESS OF SUCH A MATTER AS REPRESENTATION. WE ARE STRONGLY OPPOSED TO ANY ACTION OF THIS COUNCIL WHICH MIGHT LEAVE THE IMPRESSION THAT THE QUESTION OF THE TERMINATION OF THE AGGRESSION FROM NORTH KOREA CAN BE CONTINGENT IN ANYWAY UPON THE DETERMINATION OF THEQUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION.
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FOURTH GRAF READ X X X IN CONSIDERATION OF DEALS."
AUSTIN'S PREPARED TEXT REFERRED TO "DEALS, BRIBERY OR BLACKMAIL," BUT HE OMITTED THE LAST TWO TERMS IN DELIVERY.
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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES ENJOINED THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY TO SHUN "DEALS, BRIBERY OR BLACKMAIL" IN EFFORTS TO LINK THE QUESTIONS OF KOREA AND RECOGNITION OF RED CHINA, AS RUSSIA DEMANDS.
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DEMANDS.
CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN TOLD THE 11-NATION SECURITY COUNCIL, HEADED THIS MONTH BY RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK:
"THE UNITED STATES CANNOT AGREE THAT THE TERMINATION OF AGGRESSION BE MADE CONTINGENT ON ANY OTHER ISSUE.
"SO LONG AS MEN ARE DYING ON THE BATTLEFIELD IN DEFENSE OF THE UNITED NATIONS, THIS COUNCIL WILL NOT WISH TO CHEAPEN THEIR SUFFERING OR SULLY THEIR HEROISM BY SEEMING TO ENGAGE IN CONSIDERATION OF DEALS, BRIBERY OR BLACKMAIL."
AUSTIN INSISTED UPON IMMEDIATE CONSIDERATION OF THE AGGRESSION AGAINST SOUTH KOREA, "THE MOST URGENT BUSINESS BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS."

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AUSTIN SPOKE AFTER FIVE OTHER COUNTRIES--BRITAIN, FRANCE, NORWAY, ECUADOR AND CUBA--HAD TOLD THE COUNCIL THEY OPPOSED MALIK'S EFFORTS TO PLACE THE CHINESE RECOGNITION QUESTION ON THE AGENDA AHEAD OF THE KOREAN QUESTION, OR TO CONSIDER THEM TOGETHER.

BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB CALLED THE KOREAN QUESTION THE "GRAVEST AND MOST IMPORTANT EVER TO CONFRONT THE UNITED NATIONS."
JEBB SPOKE AS THE 11-NATION SECURITY COUNCIL RESUMED DEBATE ON WHETHER IT SHOULD ACT FIRST ON RUSSIA'S MOVE TO SEAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS OR ON THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
THE BRITISH DELEGATE SAID HE WELCOMED SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A. MALIK BACK TO THE COUNCIL AFTER HIS SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT. HE EXPRESSED HOPE THIS MEANT RUSSIA WAS NOW READY TO COOPERATE WITH THE OTHER NATIONS.

THE COUNCIL CONVENED AT 2:12 P.M., EST.
THE SPECIFIC ISSUE WAS ADOPTION OF AN AGENDA. RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK, AS AUGUST PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, WANTED KOREA CONSIDERED SECOND, UNDER THE HEADING "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION," AFTER DISPOSAL OF THE CHINESE ISSUE. WARREN R. AUSTIN, CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE, INSISTED THE AGENDA BE CONFINED TO A SINGLE ITEM, "COMPLAINT OF AGGRESSION UPON THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA." MALIK REFUSED YESTERDAY TO WITHDRAW OR REVISE HIS OWN DRAFT, BUT WAS WILLING TO MAKE THE U.S. VERSION AN ADDITIONAL ITEM.

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THAT WAS WHERE THE MATTER STOOD WHEN THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED LAST NIGHT, AFTER DEFEATING 8-3 MALIK'S ATTEMPT TO UNSEAT THE CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATION BY A PRESIDENTIAL RULING.
AT THE START OF TODAY'S SESSION, MALIK SAID HE BELIEVED IT WOULD BE "MORE PROFITABLE" TO CONSIDER FIRST THE QUESTION OF CHINESE RECOGNITION--BUT THAT IT WAS UP TO THE COUNCIL TO DECIDE WHETHER IT WANTED TO DECIDE THE CHINESE AND KOREAN QUESTIONS TOGETHER.
SIR GLADWYN JEBB OF BRITAIN SAID HIS GOVERNMENT COULD NOT AGREE THE QUESTIONS OF KOREA AND CHINA SHOULD BE LINKED.
KOREA, SIR GLADWYN SAID, WAS THE GRAVEST PROBLEM EVER BROUGHT BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS. HE SAID THIS PROBLEM MUST HAVE PRIORITY OVER ALL OTHERS.
THE BRITON SAID "WE ALL WELCOME" SOVIET RUSSIA'S RETURN TO THE COUNCIL AFTER ITS BOYCOTT OF NEARLY SEVEN MONTHS, AND EXPRESSED HOPE THE SOVIET DELEGATE HAS REGRETTED HIS ABSENCE AND WOULD NOW CO-OPERATE.

BRITAIN WOULD BE THE FIRST TO REJOICE, SIR GLADWYN ADDED, IF MALIK CAME FORWARD WITH SUGGESTIONS FOR SETTLING THE KOREAN QUESTION.
THE BRITISH DELEGATE NOTED THAT MALIK CONSIDERED THE UNITED STATES WANTS A WARLIKE SETTLEMENT IN KOREA.
"THIS IS A SAMPLE OF THE UPSIDE LANGUAGE USED BY SOVIET DELEGATES," HE OBSERVED.
IN CONCLUDING, SIR GLADWYN SAID HE WOULD CONTINUE TO INSIST THAT THE KOREAN AGGRESSION HAVE PRIORITY IN THE COUNCIL.

MALIK OBJECTED TO WHAT HE CALLED THE "SUBSTANTIVE" NATURE OF SOME OF JEBB'S REMARKS. MALIK SAID THE DISCUSSION WAS PURELY OF A PROCEDURAL CHARACTER AND ASKED THAT SUBSTANTIVE REMARKS BE SAVED UNTIL THE COUNCIL BEGAN DEBATING MERITS OF THE QUESTIONS.
MALIK'S ASSERTION THAT ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA WAS A PROCEDURAL QUESTION WAS SIGNIFICANT IN THAT IT RULED OUT A BIG POWER VETO AT THIS STAGE.

ANTONIO QUEVEDO OF ECUADOR ANNOUNCED HIS VOTE AS AGAINST THE AGENDA PROPOSED BY MALIK. HE SAID THE RUSSIAN WOULD BE FREE TO INTRODUCE PEACE MEASURES UNDER THE UNITED STATES PROPOSAL. AS FOR CHINESE RECOGNITION, QUEVEDO EXPRESSED BELIEF THIS SHOULD BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

JOINING THE OPPOSITION TO MALIK'S AGENDA, JEAN CHAUVEL OF FRANCE AND ALBERTO I. ALVAREZ OF CUBA SAID THEIR COUNTRIES CONSIDER THE CHINESE AND KOREAN QUESTIONS TO BE SEPARATE MATTERS. ALVAREZ SAID THE SOVIET UNION WAS TRYING TO DISTRACT ATTENTION FROM ACTION TAKEN BY 52 NATIONS OF THE U.N. TO END AGGRESSION IN KOREA.
SIR ARNE SUNDE OF NORWAY POINTED OUT HIS GOVERNMENT HAS RECOGNIZED RED CHINA AND FEELS IT SHOULD BE SEATED IN THE U.N. BUT HE, TOO, SAID THIS SHOULD NOT BE LINKED WITH THE KOREAN PROBLEM.

MALIK THEN ARGUED THE COUNCIL HAD NO POWER TO AMEND THE PRESIDENT'S AGENDA. HE SAID THE COUNCIL MUST EITHER ACCEPT IT OR REJECT IT. THE UNITED STATES, HE SAID, WAS TRYING TO USURP THE POWERS OF THE PRESIDENT BY PROPOSING TO CHANGE THE WORK SHEET.
REFERRING TO THE RESOLUTION WHICH THE UNITED STATES SUBMITTED TO THE COUNCIL MONDAY, URGING MEASURES TO LOCALIZE THE KOREAN CONFLICT, MALIK SAID "LOCALIZATION OF THE CONFLICT" WAS DIPLOMATIC LANGUAGE. WHAT THE WORDS REALLY MEAN, MALIK SAID, IS TO INCREASE AND EXPAND THE CONFLICT, INCREASE THE MUNITIONS, THE FLYING FORTRESSES.
"MY DELEGATION," HE SAID, "CALLED FOR PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT."
AT 5:15 P.M. EST, THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED UNTIL TOMORROW.
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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.2-(AP)-TEXT OF A STATEMENT BY AMBASSADOR WARREN R.AUSTIN, REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES TO THE UNITED NATIONS, BEFORE THE SECURITY COUNCIL:
THE UNITED STATES HAS PROPOSED THAT THE ITEM FOLLOWING "ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA" IN THE AGENDA OF THIS MEETING SHOULD BE "COMPLAINT OF AGGRESSION UPON THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA". I HAVE FORMALLY MADE A MOTION TO THAT EFFECT.
THE UNITED STATES HAS SUBMITTED A RESOLUTION FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE COUNCIL UNDER THAT ITEM ON THE AGENDA. IT IS THE ONLY RESOLUTION BEFORE THE COUNCIL. PROPER PROCEDURE SUGGESTS THAT WE SHOULD MAKE THAT RESOLUTION THE FIRST ORDER OF OUR BUSINESS. ITS IMPORTANCE IS APPARENT FROM THE TEXT.
THE ACT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA IS THE MOST URGENT BUSINESS BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS. UNDER THIS AGENDA ITEM, EVERY MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL IS COMPLETELY FREE TO MAKE PROPOSALS LEADING TOWARD THE TERMINATION OF THE BREACH OF THE PEACE. IF ANY DELEGATE HAS PROPOSALS TO MAKE OR RESOLUTIONS TO SUBMIT REGARDING THE BREACH OF THE PEACE IN KOREA THEY CAN BE MADE WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE AGENDA ITEM WHICH HAS BEEN BEFORE THIS COUNCIL FOR THE

LAST FIVE WEEKS. IF THERE ARE PROPOSALS TO BE MADE, REFUSAL TO PRESENT THEM WITHIN THE COUNCIL'S REGULAR AGENDA INEVITABLY WILL CAST DOUBT ON THEIR SINCERITY.

AS I STATED YESTERDAY, THE UNITED STATES CANNOT AGREE THAT THE QUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION CAN TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER THE FACT OF ARMED AGGRESSION. NOR CAN THE UNITED STATES AGREE THAT THE TERMINATION OF AGGRESSION BE MADE CONTINGENT ON ANY OTHER ISSUE. SO LONG AS MEN ARE DYING ON THE BATTLEFIELD IN DEFENSE OF THE UNITED NATIONS, THIS COUNCIL WILL NOT WISH TO CHEAPEN THEIR SUFFERING OR SULLY THEIR HEROISM BY SEEMING TO ENGAGE IN THE CONSIDERATION OF DEALS.

THE COUNCIL MAY WISH TO CONSIDER OTHER ISSUES AT LATER MEETINGS. BUT I FEEL IT IS CLEAR THAT TODAY'S MEETING SHOULD PROCEED FORTHWITH TO CONSIDER THE "COMPLAINT OF AGGRESSION UPON THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA". ONE RESOLUTION IS BEFORE YOU. IF THERE ARE ANY OTHER PROPOSALS TO BE MADE THAT WILL GENUINELY PROMOTE PEACE AND SECURITY IN THE AREA OF CONFLICT, THE WHOLE SPIRIT OF HUMANITY DEMANDS THAT THEY BE MADE WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY.

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MOSCOW, AUG.2-(AP)-THE SOVIET PRESS TODAY DESCRIBED U.S. DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN'S ACTIONS AT YESTERDAY'S UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING AS "UNWORTHY AND IMPERMISSIBLE."

NEWSPAPERS PRINTED A DISPATCH FROM NEW YORK WHICH REPEATED SOVIET DELEGATE JAKOB MALIK'S CHARGE THAT THE PRESENCE ON THE COUNCIL OF A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE NATIONALIST CHINESE GOVERNMENT WAS ILLEGAL.

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U.N. INTERPRETIVE (350)

BY BEN BASSETT
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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG 2-(AP)-SOVIET RUSSIA WAS TRYING TODAY TO LINE UP ALL ASIA WITH A SINGLE BATTLE CRY: ASIA AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.

THE UNITED STATES, SAID MOSCOW'S JAKOB A.MALIK, WAS MAKING EVERY EFFORT TO EXTEND THE KOREAN WAR -- TO DRAG IN THE PEOPLE OF CHINA, INDOCHINA AND THE PHILIPPINES.

HIS IMMEDIATE AUDIENCE WAS THE SECURITY COUNCIL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, BUT HIS WORDS WERE ADDRESSED, IN EFFECT, TO THE MILLIONS WHO LIVE BETWEEN VLADIVOSTOK AND JAKARTA, BETWEEN TOKYO AND TURKEY. HE WAS TRYING TO CONVINCE THEM THAT PEACE COULD BE ASSURED ONLY ALONG THE PATH BLAZED BY THE SOVIET UNION.

MALIK'S FIRST OBJECTIVE WAS TO OUST NATIONALIST CHINA FROM THE SECURITY COUNCIL, AND TO BRING IN THE PEIPING REGIIME OF MAO TZE-TUNG AS A VETO-WIELDING PERMANENT MEMBER. IN THAT HE ALREADY HAD THE BACKING OF A GREAT SEGMENT OF ASIA -- THE INDIA OF JAWAHARLAL NEHRU. MALIK WAS BEATEN IN HIS FIRST EFFORTS TO UNSEAT THE NATIONALISTS, BUT IT WAS CLEAR THE SOVIET UNION CONSIDERED THIS ONLY A TEMPORARY SETBACK.

TO MOSCOW, WHICH BOYCOTTED THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR ALMOST SEVEN MONTHS, ALL THAT THE U.N. HAS DONE IN KOREA IS ILLEGAL. TO MOSCOW, THE UNITED STATES IS THE AGGRESSOR. THIS WILL BE THE PARTY LINE FOR COMMUNIST LEADERS WORKING THROUGHOUT ASIA. IT WILL BE THEIR JOB TO PUT THIS MESSAGE OVER TO THE MASSES LEFT RESTIVE IN THE WAVE OF NATIONALISM THAT FOLLOWED WORLD WAR II. IF THEY CAN DO SO, THEN THE UNITED STATES, AND THE COUNTRIES SUPPORTING IT IN THE UNITED NATIONS, WILL HAVE THE JOB ONLY STARTED WHEN THEY HAVE DRIVEN TO THE 38TH PARALLEL IN KOREA.

BY THEIR LONG U.N. BOYCOTT, THE RUSSIANS GAINED THE ADVANTAGE OF BEING ABLE TO CHALLENGE BEFORE ASIANS THE LEGALITY OF SECURITY COUNCIL ACTIONS ON KOREA. THEY LOST THE ADVANTAGE OF BEING PRESENT, WITH THEIR VETO, WHEN THE SECURITY COUNCIL RULED THAT THE NORTH KOREANS WERE DEFYING THE PEACE -- AN ACTION THAT BROUGHT FORTH THE BACKING OF ALMOST EVERY COUNTRY OUTSIDE THE SOVIET SPHERE OF INFLUENCE.

TODAY, AS THE SECURITY COUNCIL WAS CALLED BACK INTO SESSION, THE WHOLE PROBLEM SEEMED NO NEARER A SETTLEMENT, SHORT OF THE FORCE OF ARMS, THAN IT WAS WHEN MALIK SAT ON THE SIDELINES. BUT THE UNITED STATES WAS TO BE HEARD AGAIN, AND THERE WAS STILL A CHANCE ITS WORDS, BACKED BY LIKE-MINDED NATIONS, COULD KEEP THE WAR FROM SPREADING. A BARE CHANCE, PERHAPS, BUT A CHANCE.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 2-(AP)-HISTORY WILL HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL TOMORROW FOR WHATEVER IT IS BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB WANTS TO SAY FOR ITS BENEFIT.

JUST AS THE SECURITY COUNCIL WAS ABOUT TO ADJOURN TODAY JEBB ASKED FOR THE FLOOR ON A POINT OF ORDER. COUNCIL PRESIDENT JAKOB A. MALIK OF RUSSIA ASKED IF IT WAS URGENT OR IF JEBB COULD WAIT UNTIL TOMORROW.

THE POINT INVOLVED A QUESTION OF HISTORICAL ACCURACY, JEBB SAID. HE INDICATED HE WAS WILLING TO WAIT.

"IF HISTORY WON'T SUFFER," MALIK SAID, "I'LL ADJOURN THE MEETING NOW."

HE BANGED THE GAVEL AMID THE LAUGHTER OF THE AUDIENCE.

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NOTE TO EDITORS (FOR PUBLICATION) (140)

A REFERENCE IN AN ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH FROM TOKYO, JULY 29, WAS ERRONEOUS IN SAYING A MILITARY SPOKESMAN HAD NAMED REUTERS, THE BRITISH NEWS AGENCY, AS A SOURCE OF REPORTS THAT U.S. TROOPS WERE GOING TO KOREA FROM OKINAWA, IN VIOLATION OF SECURITY INJUNCTIONS.

IN EXPLANATION OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES, WHICH THE ASSOCIATED PRESS BUREAU IN TOKYO NOW CONFIRMS, REUTERS ISSUED THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:

"IN CONNECTION WITH A STATEMENT BY COL. M.P.ECHOLS, MACARTHUR'S INFORMATION OFFICER, ON SATURDAY, JULY 29, ABOUT BREACHES OF SECURITY BY THE PRESS, COL. ECHOLS INFORMED REUTERS AUG. 1 THAT HE DID NOT SAY THAT REUTERS HAD NAMED OKINAWA IN ITS NEWS SERVICE AS THE JUMPING OFF BASE FOR UNITED STATES TROOPS FOR KOREA.

"REUTERS IN FACT HAS NOT AT ANY TIME MENTIONED OKINAWA IN REPORTS RELATING TO THE KOREAN OPERATIONS, THOUGH THE AGENCY SAID TROOPS CAME FROM A 'BASE OUTSIDE JAPAN' AND IT WAS TO THIS STATEMENT THAT COLONEL ECHOLS REFERRED IN HIS STATEMENT OF SATURDAY."

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NIGHT LEAD ATLANTIC PACT (380)

LONDON,AUG.2-(AP)-THE REPUBLIC OF TURKEY, WHICH LINKS SOUTHEASTERN EUROPE WITH ASIA, IS PLANNING TO APPLY FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC DEFENSE ALLIANCE, THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SAID TODAY.

THE TURKS' INTENTIONS WERE DISCLOSED ORALLY TO BRITISH AMBASSADOR SIR CHARLES NOEL IN ANKARA, A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID. THEY ARE UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE MADE SIMILAR APPROACHES TO THE UNITED STATES

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AND FRENCH AMBASSADORS.
TURKEY IS A NATION OF 19,500,000 PERSONS, WITH [illegible]
296,107 SQUARE MILES. SHE SHARES A COMMON FRONTIER WITH SOVIET [illegible]
ON THE EAST. SHE HAS BEEN RECEIVING MILITARY AID FROM THE UNITED STATES.
TWELVE NATIONS NOW MAKE UP THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION. THEY ARE THE UNITED STATES, CANADA, BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS, LUXEMBOURG, NORWAY, DENMARK, PORTUGAL AND ICELAND.
TURKEY'S APPLICATION PRESUMABLY WOULD RANK HIGH ON THE AGENDA OF THE MEETING OF ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTERS SCHEDULED FOR NEXT MONTH IN NEW YORK. THE FOREIGN OFFICE REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER BRITAIN WILL SUPPORT THE APPLICATION, BUT BRITAIN IS ALREADY COMMITTED BY A TREATY TO HELP TURKEY AGAINST ANY ARMED AGGRESSION.
THERE WAS SPECULATION HERE THAT GREECE ALSO MIGHT SEEK MEMBERSHIP IN THE PACT, BUT AN AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE IN ATHENS SAID THE GREEK CABINET HAS NOT DISCUSSED THE QUESTION.
THE ATLANTIC PACT'S CIVILIAN DIRECTORS--DEPUTIES TO THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE MEMBER NATIONS--ARE SETTING UP A PERMANENT HEADQUARTERS HERE TO SPEED THS BUILDING OF STRENGTH AGAINST AGGRESSION.
UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF CHARLES M.SPOFFORD OF THE UNITED STATES, THEY HAVE ALREADY AGREED ON PUTTING SOME IDLE PLANTS IN EUROPE INTO DEFENSX PRODUCTION. WEST GERMANY'S ROLE IS STILL A SUBJECT FOR CONSIDERATION.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ASKED CONGRESS FOR $4,000,000,000 TO HELP ARM THE UNITED STATES' PACT ALLIES.
AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES IN PARIS SAID TODAY THE FRENCH ARE PREPARING A PROPOSAL THAT THE UNITED STATES FINANCE THE BUILDING OF A MUNITIONS INDUSTRY IN WESTERN EUROPE TO EQUIP A UNITED NATIONS ARMY.
THIS WAS DESCRIBED AS THE KEY IN A FRENCH STATEMENT OF POLICY ON THE BEST MEANS TO STAVE OFF THE POSSIBILITY OF RUSSIA OVERRUNNING EUROPE. THE INFORMANTS SAID THE PROPOSAL WILL BE HANDED TO SPOFFORD TOMORROW OR FRIDAY FOR RELAY TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
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LONDON, AUG 2-(AP)-TURKEY PLANS TO APPLY FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION, THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE ANNOUNCED TODAY.
IF THE APPLICATION IS ACCEPTED, THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER ATLANTIC PACT MEMBERS WOULD BE COMMITTED TO DEFEND TURKEY IN CASE OF AN ATTACK FROM ANY QUARTER.
TURKEY BORDERS ON RUSSIA. THE TURKS HAVE BEEN UNEASY FOR YEARS BECAUSE OF RUSSIAN DEMANDS FOR TWO TURKISH PROVINCES AND FOR DUAL CONTROL OF THE VITAL DARDANELLES STRAITS, NOW CONTROLLED BY TURKEY ALONE.
TURKEY'S PLAN WAS ANNOUNCED AT THE FOREIGN OFFICE'S DAILY NEWS CONFERENCE. A SPOKESMAN SAID THE TURKS' INTENTIONS WERE DISCLOSED ORALLY IN ANKARA TO THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR THERE, SIR NOEL CHARLES.
TURKEY IS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE MADE SIMILAR APPROACHES TO THE AMERICAN AND FRENCH AMBASSADORS.
THE NEWS THAT TURKEY WILL SEEK MEMBERSHIP LED TO SPECULATION HERE THAT GREECE MAY FOLLOW SUIT.
THE ADMISSION OF THESE TWO COUNTRIES WOULD INCREASE TO FOURTEEN THE NUMBER OF FREE NATIONS BOUND TOGETHER FOR MUTUAL DEFENSE.
IT WOULD EXTEND DEEP INTO THE TURBULENT MIDDLE EAST THE GREAT AREA ALREADY COVERED BY THE TREATY.
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ALREADY COVERED BY THE TREATY.
THE TURKS' INTENTIONS ARE EXPECTED TO BE DISCUSSED AT STRASBOURG DURING THE NEXT FEW DAYS BY FOREIGN MINISTERS FAUD KOPRULU OF TURKEY, ERNEST BEVIN OF BRITAIN AND ROBERT SCHUMAN OF FRANCE. THEY WILL BE IN STRASBOURG FOR COUNCIL OF EUROPE MEETINGS OPENING TOMORROW.
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TWO RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN TURKEY HAVE INCREASED HER STATURE IN WESTERN EYES.
THE FIRST WAS THE TURKISH GENERAL ELECTION, IN WHICH THE OPPOSITION PARTY WON POWER FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TURKISH REPUBLIC ABOUT A QUARTER OF A CENTURY AGO. THIS WAS LOOKED UPON AS A SIGNIFICANT INDICATION OF TURKEY'S DEMOCRATIC DEVELOPMENT.
THE SECOND WAS THE TURKS' DECISION TO SEND 4,500 GROUND FORCES TO KOREA TO FIGHT UNDER GENERAL MACARTHUR AS UNITED NATIONS COMMANDER.
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LONDON, AUG.2-(AP)-THE 12 NORTH ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES ARE PLANNING TO SET UP A JOINT, LONDON-BASED MILITARY HIGH COMMAND, INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY.
THE MILITARY AGENCIES OF THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES NOW REPORT TO THE AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH STANDING GROUP IN WASHINGTON.
THE GROUP'S LEADERS--U.S. LT. GEN. WILLIS CRITTENBERGER, BRITAIN'S RAF MARSHAL LORD TEDDER AND LT. GEN. PAUL ELY OF THE FRENCH ARMY--ARRIVED YESTERDAY FOR A TWO-DAY TALK WITH THE PACT'S COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES, NOW MEETING HERE.
THE NEW COMMAND WOULD FURNISH ON-THE-SPOT COORDINATION OF SUCH PACT AGENCIES AS THE ALLIANCE'S SCANDINAVIAN, WEST EUROPEAN AND MEDITERRANEAN REGIONAL DEFENSE PLANNING GROUPS ITS SUPPLY AND PRODUCTION BOARD AND THE AIR AND SHIPPING COMMITTEES.
THE NEW COMMAND WOULD BE RESPONSIBLE TO THE COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES, WHOSE NEXT STEP IS REPORTED TO BE FIGURING OUT HOW THE WESTERN COUNTRIES CAN FILL THE GAP BETWEEN THE NEEDS OF THEIR DEFENSE AND WHAT THEY HAVE READY--AT LEAST IN TERMS OF AIRPLANES, GUNS, TANKS, STEEL AND OTHER WAR GOODS.
FRENCH DELEGATES WERE SAID IN PARIS TO FAVOR A POOL LUMPING ALL TROOPS--INCLUDING AMERICAN--IN ONE FORCE, OR AT LEAST A POOLING OF PACT FINANCIAL RESOURCES FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES.
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B119 (Q)
FOLLOW LONDON PACT (B62)
ATHENS, GREECE, AUG.2-(AP)-AN AUTHORIATIVE SOURCE SAID TODAY THE GREEK CABINET HAS NOT DISCUSSED THE QUESTION OF APPLYING FOR ADMISSION TO THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE.
IT WAS RECALLED THAT WHEN THE ATLANTIC PACT WAS SIGNED THE THEN FOREIGN MINISTER, CONSTANTIN TSALDARIS, APPLIED FOR ADMISSION BUT NO ACTION WAS TAKEN.
A SPOKESMAN SAID THE GOVERNMENT HAD NO STATEMENT TO MAKE ON LONDON SPECULATION THAT GREECE WOULD FOLLOW TURKEY IN APPLYING TO JOIN THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE.
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LONDON, AUG. 2-(AP)-DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS PREDICTED TODAY AN EARLY CHANGE IN THE CHIEFTAINSHIP OF THE EUROPEAN COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION'S UNITED KINGDOM OFFICES.

THE INFORMANTS SAID JOHN W.KENNEY, PRESENT CHIEF OF THE ECA IN BRITAIN, IS DUE TO GIVE UP HIS POST IN MID-SEPTEMBER. THEY SAID THE JOB HAS BEEN OFFERED TO WILLIAM L.BATT, WHO WAS VICE-CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. WAR PRODUCTION BOARD DURING WORLD WAR II AND IS PRESIDENT OF THE SKF BALL BEARING COMPANY.

BATT HAS NOT YET ACCEPTED THE OFFER, THE INFORMANTS SAID; BUT HE IS DUE TO COME TO LONDON IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS TO LOOK OVER THE SET-UP.

ANOTHER CHANGE IN THE ECA'S TOP LEVEL IN BRITAIN WAS ANNOUNCED RECENTLY WITH THE APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY-CHIEF ABBOT LOW AS HEAD OF A NEW AMERICAN MILITARY AND ECONOMIC MISSION TO BE SET UP IN BURMA SOON.

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B20 (Q)
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NIGHT LEAD FRENCH (380)
BY CARL HARTMAN
PARIS,AUG.2-(AP)-FRANCE MADE HERSELF A PRESENT TODAY OF 126,200,000,000 (B) FRANCS (ABOUT $360,000,000) AND DECIDED TO USE IT TO PAY OFF SOME DEBTS.
THE NEW MONEY WAS CREATED BY REVALUING THE NATION'S STOCK OF GOLD.
THE 486.6 TONS OF GOLD IN THE VAULTS HAVE BEEN CARRIED ON THE BOOKS AT THE RATE OF 119 FRANCS TO THE DOLLAR. THIS RATE HAS BEEN OUT OF DATE FOR MORE THAN TWO YEARS. THE OFFICIAL VALUE IS NOW ABOUT 350 FRANCS.
THE CABINET VOTED TODAY TO APPLY THIS VALUE TO THE GOLD ON HAND.

AFTER A DEBATE THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY APPROVED THE MEASURE 358 TO 232. THE VOTES AGAINST IT WERE CAST BY COMMUNISTS, SUPPORTERS OF GEN. DE GAULLE AND MEMBERS OF THE SMALL PEASANT PARTY.

THE NEW WEALTH IS TO BE USED, THE FINANCE MINISTRY SAID, IN THESE WAYS:
REDEMPTION OF BONDS ISSUED TO THE BANK OF FRANCE IN RETURN FOR GOLD TURNED OVER IN 1946 AND 1947--65,000,000,000 FRANCS.
PURCHASE OF DOLLARS FROM THE FRENCH STABILIZATION FUND TO REPAY DEBTS CONTRACTED IN THE UNITED STATES IN 1947 AND 1949--26,350,000,000 FRANCS.
PAYMENTS TO AN AMORTIZATION FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF BONDS HELD BY THE CENTRAL BANKS OF ITALY, BELGIUM AND SWITZERLAND--22,870,000,000 FRANCS.
AMORTIZATION OF BONDS ISSUED TO THE BANK OF FRANCE IN RETURN FOR THE GOLD NEEDED TO JOIN THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY ORGANIZATIONS FORMED AT BRETTON WOODS IN 1947--12,000,000,000 FRANCS.
THE BANK OF FRANCE IS A SEMI-GOVERNMENTAL INSTITUTION, BUT OWNED IN PART BY PRIVATE INVESTORS.
IN NOVEMBER, 1947, FRANCE SENT 92.6 TONS OF HER GOLD, THEN JUST RECOVERED FROM NAZI LOOTING, TO GUARANTEE A $100,000,000 LOAN ISSUED BY THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK. WHEN THE FIRST $25,000,000 OF THIS BECAME DUE IN MAY, 1949, FRANCE COULD NOT PAY, AND ABOUT 22 TONS OF GOLD HAD TO BE TURNED OVER TO THE AMERICANS.
IN OCTOBER, 1949, THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT NEGOTIATED A NEW LOAN FROM A GROUP OF PRIVATE AMERICAN BANKERS TO COVER THE REMAINING $75,000,000 OWED THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK. AN ADDITIONAL PLEDGE OF FRENCH GOLD WAS PUT UP.
"NOW," ACCORDING TO THE FINANCE MUNISTRY'S STATEMENT TODAY, "THE INCREASE IN OUR CURRENT DOLLAR RECEIPTS, PLUS A RECENT RECOVERY OF LOOTED GOLD, PERMITS US TO FREE THE GOLD PUT UP AS A PLEDGE WITH THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK BY REIMBURSING IN ADVANCE THE SUMS REMAINING ON BOTH THE 1947 AND 1949 LOANS."
A TOTAL OF 69 TONS OF GOLD IS TO BE FREED BY THIS PROCESS, THE MINISTRY ADDED. THESE TRANSACTIONS ARE NOT RELATED TO THE MARSHALL PLAN, UNDER WHICH HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF CREDITS HAVE BEEN SENT TO FRANCE IN FREE GIFTS.
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PMS BUDGET (320)
EUROPE DEFENSE
BY CARL HARTMAN
PARIS, AUG. 2-(AP)-AMERICA'S LEADERS HAVE NO HOPE OF DEFENDING WESTERN EUROPE FROM A RUSSIAN ATTACK IF IT COMES TOMORROW.
BUT IN "X" MONTHS--THERE'S A TOP SECRET LABEL ON THE VALUE OF "X"--THEY BELIEVE BRITAIN AND FRANCE CAN BE SO STRENGTHENED MORALLY AND MILITARILY THAT THEY COULD LEAD A SUCCESSFUL STAND.
AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES HERE WHO DESCRIBE THAT SITUATION SAY THE NUMBER OF MONTHS "X" REPRESENTS CAN BE SHORTENED IF MANY EUROPEANS ARE WON AWAY FROM THE CURRENTLY POPULAR ATTITUDE OF "WHAT'S THE USE?"
THAT'S THE VIEW BEING FORCEFULLY ARGUED TO THE EUROPEANS AT NORTH ATLANTIC PACT MEETINGS IN LONDON AND IN MAN-TO-MAN CONFERENCES WITH OFFICIALS THROUGHOUT WESTERN EUROPE. THE AMERICANS MAKE NO EFFORT TO HIDE IT, THOUGH THEY FIGHT SHY OF PUTTING THEIR NAMES TO IT PUBLICLY.
THE COMMUNIST ATTACK IN KOREA AND ITS SUCCESS HAVE PUT THE RAZOR EDGE ON AMERICAN AWARENESS OF HOW HELPLESS EUROPE WOULD BE IN THE FACE OF A FULL RUSSIAN ASSAULT. BEFORE, THIS WAS UNDERSTOOD IN A DULL AND DISTANT WAY, IF AT ALL.
THIS IS THE WAY THEY NOW PAINT THE PICTURE:
THE RUSSIANS, ACCORDING TO BRITISH DEFENSE MINISTER EMANUEL SHINWELL, COULD PUT 175 ARMY DIVISIONS INTO THE FIELD TOMORROW. WESTERN EUROPE PROBABLY COULD NOT SCRAPE TOGETHER 15. WHILE IT MIGHT NOT NECESSARILY TAKE 175 DIVISIONS TO STOP 175, IT WOULD TAKE A LOT MORE THAN 15.
AMERICAN REARMAMENT OF THE ATLANTIC WORLD IS GOING AHEAD ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT WORLD WAR III CAN BE AVOIDED. TOP AMERICAN POLICY MAKERS ARE SAID TO BELIEVE THERE IS LESS DANGER NOW OF A MAJOR CONFLICT THAN THERE WAS TWO MONTHS AGO.
THEY REASON THAT TWO MONTHS AGO THE RUSSIANS MIGHT HAVE THOUGHT THEY

COULD EDGE AHEAD WITHOUT RESISTANCE. THE KOREAN WAR HAS SHOWED THEY CAN EXPECT OPPOSITION.

THE FACT THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE NOT MOVED AGAINST WESTERN EUROPE SEEMS TO MEAN TO OBSERVERS HERE THAT THE SOVIETS DO NOT WANT A BIG WAR. IF THEY DID, THEY COULD HARDLY PICK A BETTER TIME THAN NOW.

THE AMERICANS ARE KNOWN TO BE TELLING THE BRITISH AND FRENCH--WHO MUST BE THE BACKBONE OF WESTERN EUROPE'S DEFENSE--THAT THERE'S NO USE BROODING ABOUT THE SCARCITY OF AVAILABLE OPPOSITION TO ANY RUSSIAN ATTACK THAT COMES SOON.

WHAT CAN BE DONE, THEY ARE SAYING, IS TO GET INTO SHAPE IN CASE THE RUSSIANS DECIDE TO ATTACK LATER.

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PARIS, AUG 2-(AP)-FRANCE IS ASKING THE UNITED STATES TO BUILD A MUNITIONS INDUSTRY IN EUROPE TO EQUIP A UNITED NATIONS ARMY.

THIS REQUEST IS THE KEY OF A PROPOSAL NOW BEING PREPARED TO SEND TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN THE FORM OF A FRENCH STATEMENT OF POLICY ON THE BEST MEANS TO STAVE OFF THE POSSIBILITY OF RUSSIA OVERRUNNING EUROPE.

FRENCH DEMANDS FOR A UNITED NATIONS ARMY ARE BEING PLACED BEFORE DEPUTIES OF THE 12-NATION ATLANTIC PACT, MEETING IN LONDON.

THE NEW PROPOSAL, WHICH ALSO IS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE DEPUTIES AFTER PRESIDENT TRUMAN SEES IT, CALLS FOR AMERICAN FINANCING OF EUROPEAN MUNITIONS WORKS, GEARING OF FINANCES AND POOLING OF ALL RESOURCES THAT COULD CONTRIBUTE TO A COMMON WAR EFFORT, AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID.

FRENCH PRESIDENT VINCENT AURIOL KEYNOTED THE FRENCH DEMAND FOR A PERMANENT UNITED NATIONS ARMY IN A SPEECY JULY 23. SPEAKING AT BAR LE DUC IN A MEMORIAL TO WORLD WAR ONE PRESIDENT RAYMOND POINCARE, AURIOL CALLED FOR AN INTERNATIONAL POLICE FORCE "TO GUARANTEE THE SECURITY AND ORDER OF ALL PEOPLES."

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NIGHT LEAD LEOPOLD (340)

BY GODFREY ANDERSON

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.2-(AP)-PRO-LEOPOLD FLANDERS SHOWED ITS IRE TODAY OVER THE SOLUTION OF BELGIUM'S ROYAL QUESTION AS A COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS STARTED WORK ON A BILL TO TRANSFER KING LEOPOLD'S POWERS TO HIS SON, CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

THE BELGIAN TRI-COLORED FLAG, WHICH HAD BEEN FLOWN AT HALF-STAFF IN FRENCH-SPEAKING WALLONIA IN PROTEST AGAINST LEOPOLD'S RETURN FROM EXILE JULY 22, WAS LOWERED TO HALF-STAFF IN DUTCH-SPEAKING FLANDERS BECAUSE LEOPOLD WAS STEPPING ASIDE.

FLEMISH WHOLESALERS REFUSED TO SELL VEGETABLES TO WALLOON BUYERS AT MALINES. A PRO-LEOPOLD ACTION COMMITTEE WAS FORMED AT TURNHOUT TO ORGANIZE RESISTANCE.

SMALL EXPLOSIVE CHARGES WERE SLIPPED INTO THE LETTER BOXES OF SEVERAL SOCIALIST ORGANIZATIONS IN ANTWERP AND DETONATED. THE SOCIALISTS SPEARHEADED THE DEMONSTRATIONS THAT LED LEOPOLD TO PROMISE HE WOULD TRANSFER THE ROYAL POWERS TO HIS SON.

ANOTHER SMALL BOMB BLEW IN A DOOR OF THE HOME OF FRANZ VAN CAUWELAERT, A MODERATE SOCIAL CHRISTIAN WHO IS PRESIDENT OF THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES. THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS ENGINEERED THE RETURN OF KING LEOPOLD, BUT GAVE GROUND IN THE FACE OF WIDESPREAD DISORDERS.

THE PRO-LEOPOLD NEWSPAPER LIBRE BELGIQUE RAILED AGAINST WHAT IT CALLED THE "CAPITULATION" OF THE SOCIAL CHRISTIAN GOVERNMENT. HEADLINE SPOKE OF "THE HUMILIATING DAY OF JULY 31," IN WHICH THE SHIFT WAS ARRANGED.

WITH SOCIALIST-LED STRIKES ENDED, MOST OF BELGIUM WAS BACK TO NORMAL TODAY. THE COMMUNISTS VAINLY CALLED FOR THE WORKERS TO CONTINUE THE FIGHT FOR A FULL AND IMMEDIATE ABDICATION.

THE COMMUNIST DAILY DRAPEAU ROUGE (RED FLAG) HEADLINED: "DOWN WITH THE MONARCH--LONG LIVE THE REPUBLIC." BUT NO ONE PAID MUCH ATTENTION.

LIEGE WAS STRIKE-BOUND FOR AN EXTRA DAY, IN MOURNING FOR THREE DEMONSTRATORS KILLED BY POLICE FIRE SUNDAY NIGHT.

THOUSANDS OF WORKERS FOLLOWED AN HONOR GUARD OF MINERS IN PIT CLOTHES IN THE FUNERAL PROCESSION. TRUCKLOADS OF FLOWERS ARRIVED FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.

THE GOVERNMENT BILL TO MAKE BAUDOUIN THE RULER IS EXPECTSD TO BE READY FOR PARLIAMENT FRIDAY. INTERIOR MINISTER ALBERT DE VLEESCHAUWER DENIED REPORTS THAT LEOPOLD WILL LEAVE THE COUNTRY IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE BILL BECOMES LAW.

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B108 (Q) (130)

FIRST LEAD LEOPOLD

BY ALFRED CHEVAL

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 2-(AP)-BOMB EXPLOSIONS MARKED UNREST IN PRO-LEOPOLD FLANDERS TODAY AS THE DUTCH-SPEAKING POPULATION SMARTED OVER A SOCIALIST VICTORY WHICH INDUCED KING LEOPOLD TO PROMISE TO LEAVE HIS THRONE.

SMALL EXPLOSIVES WERE SLIPPED IN THE LETTER-BOXES OF SEVERAL SOCIALIST ORGANIZATIONS IN ANTWERP. A BLAST BLEW IN THE DOOR OF THE HOME OF FRANZ VAN CAUWELAERT, MODERATE SOCIAL CHRISTIAN WHO IS PRESIDENT OF THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES. THE EXPLOSIONS CAUSED LITTLE DAMAGE.

AS THE LARGELY ANTI-LEOPOLD INDUSTRIAL SOUTH WENT BACK TO WORK A PRO-LEOPOLD ACTION COMMITTEE WAS FORMED AT TURNHOUT IN NORTHERN BELGIUM.

ONLY THE INDUSTRIAL CITY OF LIEGE WAS STRIKE BOUND TODAY--IN MOURNING FOR THREE STRIKERS KILLED BY POLICE FIRE DURING RIOTING SUNDAY. THOUSANDS OF WORKERS FOLLOWED AN HONOR GUARD OF MINERS IN PIT CLOTHES TO PAY A LAST TRIBUTE TO THE THREE VICTIMS.

IN OTHER AREAS THE GENERAL FEDERATION OF LABOR ASKED WORKERS TO HALT FOR AT LEAST FIVE MINUTES IN MOURNING FOR THE THREE DEAD.

LEOPOLD, MEANWHILE, STILL REMAINED OFFICIAL KING OF THE BELGIANS. HIS COUNTRY HAD BEEN PERILOUSLY CLOSE TO CIVIL WAR EARLY YESTERDAY WHEN HE ANNOUNCED HE WOULD ASK PARLIAMENT TO TRANSFER HIS ROYAL POWERS TO HIS SON, CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN. HIS STATEMENT IMPLIED THAT HE WOULD ABDICATE WHEN BAUDOUIN TURNED 21 IN SEPTEMBER, 1951, IF THE COUNTRY'S THREE PARTIES STILL WERE UNIFIED IN THEIR SUPPORT OF THE YOUNG PRINCE.

THE KING'S ANNOUNCEMENT WAS HAILED LAST NIGHT BY THE LEADER OF THE ANTI-LEOPOLD FORCES, SOCIALIST PAUL-HENRI SPAAK, AS A "COMPLETE VICTORY."

HE TOLD A SOCIALIST VICTORY DEMONSTRATION IN A BRUSSELS SUBURB:

"THE KING WILL CEASE TO REIGN AND WILL NEVER REIGN AGAIN. THIS WAS OUR OBJECTIVE."

SPAAK ADDED:

"WE COULD PROBABLY HAVE WON AN IMMEDIATE ABDICATION IN TWO MORE DAYS--BUT AT WHAT PRICE."

REFERRING TO THE WALLOON STRIKERS' MARCH ON BRUSSELS, PLANNED FOR YESTERDAY AND NARROWLY AVERTED BY THE KING'S ANNOUNCEMENT, SPAAK

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FOR YESTERDAY AND NARROWLY AVERTED BY THE KING'S ANNOUNCEMENT, SPAAK DECLARED:

"AUGUST FIRST WOULD HAVE BECOME A BLOODY DAY IN BELGIAN HISTORY. OUTRIGHT ABDICATION WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN WORTH THE LIVES OF SCORES OF OUR COMRADES."

MEANWHILE, THE CABINET, AT A MEETING LATE YESTERDAY, DECIDED TO FORM A SPECIAL MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE TO DRAFT THE BILL AUTHORIZING THE KING TO DELEGATE HIS POWERS TO BAUDOUIN. THEY EXPECTED THE DRAFT TO BE READY FRIDAY FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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B61 (Q)

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG 2-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS COMMITTEE REPORTED TODAY THAT ITS REPRESENTATIVE, JEAN COURVOISIER, HAS LEFT HONG KONG BOUND FOR NORTH KOREA.

COURVOISIER LEFT HERE TEN DAYS AGO, THE COMMITTEE SAID, ALTHOUGH HE HAS NOT YET BEEN GRANTED PERMISSION TO ENTER COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA. HE LEFT HONG KONG FOR TIENTSIN, IN COMMUNIST CHINA, A FEW DAYS AGO.

THE RED CROSS INVESTIGATES THE CONDITION AND TREATMENT OF PRISONERS OF WAR IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE GENEVA CONVENTIONS.

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MADRID, SPAIN, AUG. 2-(AP)-RELIABLE SOURCES HERE SAID TODAY THAT THE BULK OF THE PROPOSED $100,000,000 LOAN TO SPAIN APPROVED YESTERDAY BY THE U.S. SENATE WOULD BE USED TO BUY LOCOMOTIVES, SIGNAL EQUIPMENT AND OTHER NECESSITIES FOR ELECTRIFYING AND IMPROVING THE SPANISH NATIONAL RAILWAYS.

NEWS OF THE SENATE APPROVAL PRODUCED LITTLE REACTION AMONG HIGH OFFICIALS. SPOKESMEN RESERVED COMMENT UNTIL THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT ACT ON THE LOAN.

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B63 (Q)

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BERLIN, AUG 2-(AP)-THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN REPORTED TODAY THAT THE YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT HAD SMUGGLED WEAPONS INTO ROMANIA FOR AN UNDERMINING CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE ROMANIAN REGIME.

THE CHARGE WAS MADE BY THE PROSECUTION IN A BUCHAREST TRIAL OF 11 SO-CALLED "AGENTS" OF YUGOSLAVIA.

ADN SAID THAT MARSHAL TITO'S EMBASSY IN BUCHAREST HAD GIVEN PISTOLS AND MACHINE GUNS TO THE AGENTS IN ORDER "TO SABOTAGE SOCIALISM" WITHIN ROMANIAN BORDERS.

THE STATE CONTENDED IN ITS INDICTMENT THAT THE MEN ON TRIAL HAD BEEN IN CLOSE CONTACT WITH TITO SINCE 1945.

"THE SPY ACTIVITY HAD THE GOAL OF SABOTAGING SOCIALISM IN THE ROMANIAN PEOPLES' REPUBLIC", THE PROSECUTION DECLARED, ACCORDING TO ADN.

THE DISPATCH SAID THE WEAPONS HAD BEEN FOUND IN THE CELLER OF THE YUGOSLAV EMBASSY IN BUCHAREST, AND THAT THEY HAD BEEN BROUGHT INTO ROMANIA IN MAY, 1949, TO EQUIP "TERRITORISTS."

TITO'S EMBASSY WAS ALSO ACCUSED OF BEING THE DISTRIBUTING POINT FOR LEAFLETS AND OTHER LITERATURE ATTACKING THE SOVIET UNION.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG.2-(AP)-THE U.S. WILL USE TROOPS IF NECESSARY TO QUELL ANY COMMUNIST OUTBURSTS OF VIOLENCE OR SABOTAGE IN WEST GERMANY, A HIGH AMERICAN OFFICIAL SAID TODAY.

HE EMPHASIZED "WE ARE NOT THREATENING THE USE OF TROOPS, BUT WE ARE NOT EXCLUDING THEIR USE."

THE AMERICAN OFFICIAL, WHO DECLINED TO BE IDENTIFIED, WAS REPLYING TO RENEWED COMMUNIST THREATS TO RESIST OPENLY THE ALLIED WESTERN POWERS.

DESPITE A WARNING FROM THE ALLIES YESTERDAY THAT DISTURBANCES AND SUBVERSION WOULD NOT BE TOLERATED, BERLIN COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS TODAY DEFIANTLY REPEATED A CALL FOR OPEN REVOLT AGAINST THE OCCUPATION POWERS.

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HAMBURG, GERMANY, AUG.2-(AP)-POLICE REPORTED THAT SIX COMMUNISTS WERE INJURED HERE LAST NIGHT IN A STREET FIGHT BETWEEN COMMUNIST BLUE SHIRT YOUTHS AND YOUNG ANTI-REDS.

ABOUT 150 YOUNG REDS WERE PELTED WITH ROCKS AS THEY LEFT THE MAIN RAILWAY STATION WHERE THEY HAD WELCOMED A TRAINLOAD OF YOUTHS WHO HAD VACATIONED IN THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE.

POLICE SAID THEY ARRESTED 13.

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BREMERHAVEN, GERMANY, AUG 2-(AP)-THE DEFENSE OF CPL. RAYMOND M. DEAN TODAY ASKED A U.S. ARMY COURT MARTIAL TO DISMISS CHARGES OF MURDER AGAINST HIM, ON GROUNDS OF INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE.

THE 23-YEAR OLD SOLDIER FROM DAYTON, OHIO, HAS PLEADED INNOCENT TO THE CHARGE OF SLAYING MRS. ILSE JACHYMSKI, 36, A GERMAN WOMAN, WHOSE NUDE AND BATTERED BODY WAS FOUND IN A CORNFIELD NEAR HERE ON JUNE 7.

THE COURT DID NOT REJECT THE DEFENSE APPLICATION TODAY, RESERVING THE RIGHT TO RULE ON IT AT A FUTURE DATE.

THE PROSECUTION IN PRESENTING THE CASE SUBMITTED A WRITTEN CONFESSION. WITNESSES TESTIFIED THAT DEAN SIGNED THE STATEMENT OF HIS OWN FREE WILL.

THE OFFICIAL GERMAN POLICE REPORT ON THE CASE WAS ALSO PRESENTED THE COURT. A GERMAN POLICE DOCTOR WHO EXAMINED THE BODY SAID IN THE REPORT THAT MRS. JACHYSMSKI WAS THE VICTIM OF A SEX CRIME.

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B76 (Q)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG 2-(AP)-ALEX E. SQUADRILLI OF NEW YORK, EUROPEAN COORDINATOR FOR THE U.S. DISPLACED PERSONS COMMISSION, RESIGNED TODAY.

HE SAID THE COMMISSION'S ADMINISTRATIVE POLICIES "DO NOT GIVE THE COORDINATOR SUFFICIENT AUTHORITY TO MEET THE DAY TO DAY PROBLEMS THAT ARISE."

RICHARD DERVAN OF WASHINGTON, D.C. WHO HAS BEEN ASSOCIATE COORDINATOR, HAS BEEN NAMED ACTING COORDINATOR, SQUADRILLI SAID.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL RADIO SAID YESTERDAY HERBERT LASS OF NEW YORK HAS QUIT AS CHIEF OF THE CARE (ALL CAPS) RELIEF MISSION IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, SAYING HE COULD NOT "DELIVER AMERICAN PACKAGES WHILE THE AMERICANS ARE DROPPING BOMBS IN KOREA."
THE CZECH BRANCH OF CARE -- THE COOPERATIVE FOR AMERICAN REMITTANCES TO EUROPE -- WAS CLOSED BY THE COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT A WEEK AGO. NO REASON WAS GIVEN BUT THE ORDER WAS CONSIDERED PART OF A CAMPAIGN TO GET ALL WESTERN AGENCIES OUT OF THE COUNTRY.
WHEN REPORTERS CALLED LASS TO CONFIRM THE BROADCAST, A MAN SPEAKING CZECH ANSWERED THE PHONE AND SAID THE AMERICAN WAS NOT AT HOME.
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IN NEW YORK PAUL COMLY FRENCH, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF CARE [illegible]D:
"THE PURPORTED STATEMENT SOUNDS FANTASTIC TO ME. I WAS IN PRAGUE THREE MONTHS AGO AND TALKED TO LASS AT THAT TIME, AND THEREFORE THIS SEEMS TO BE COMPLETELY OUT OF CHARACTER.
"HOWEVER, UNTIL WE CAN TALK TO HIM AGAIN, I WOULD PREFER T[illegible] MAKE NO FURTHER COMMENT."
LASS, 39, A MARRIED MAN WHOSE WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN ARE I[illegible]PRAGUE WITH HIM, WAS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE FOR ISRAEL SEPT. 1 TO WORK [illegible] CARE THERE.
A NATIVE OF NEW YORK CITY, LASS WAS ONCE A SOCIAL INVESTIGATOR AND ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT FOR THE CITY WELFARE DEPARTMENT.
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 2-(AP)-SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI VYSHINSKY, WHOSE MOVEMENTS HAVE BEEN A MYSTERY IN RECENT MONTHS, WAS REPORTED BACK IN MOSCOW TODAY.
THE PRAGUE SOCIALIST NEWSPAPER SVOBODNE SLOVO SAID H[illegible]ATTENDED A RECEPTION THERE YESTERDAY "ON THE 23RD ANNIVERSARY OF [illegible]E FOUNDING OF THE CHINESE NATIONAL LIBERATION (COMMUNIST) ARMY."
HE WAS REPORTED TO HAVE SPENT TWO MONTHS IN THE WEST B[illegible]EMIAN SPA OF KARLOVY VARY.
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PRAGUE, AUG. 2-(AP)-PRAGUE RADIO ACCUSED AMERICIANS TOIGHT OF SPREADING POTATO BEETLES IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA FROM A DIPLOMATIC AUTO[illegible]OBILE.
A COMMENTATOR SAID THE INCIDENT HAPPENED JULY 2 IN WESTERN BOHEMIA. HE SAID TWO MEN AND TWO WOMEN GOT OUT OF AN "AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC CAR" AND WENT INTO ADJOINING FIELDS. WHEN POLICEMEN APPROACHED, HE RELATED, THEY HURRIED BACK TO THE CAR AND DROVE INTO THE UNITED STATES ZONE OF GERMANY. IN THE FIELDS, ACCORDING TO HIS STORY, POTATO BUGS WERE FOUND IN GLASS JARS.
THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY HERE HAS DENIED CHARGES AMERICAN PLANES HAVE SPREAD THE BUGS.
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A115
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 2-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA WILL CONTINUE TO GET TIN AND RUBBER UNDER A NEW TRADE AGREEMENT WITH THE NETHERLANDS AND THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA, IT WAS DISCLOSED TONIGHT.
BUT KLAAS WESTERHOFF, COMMERCIAL FIRST SECRETARY OF THE DUTCH LEGATION HERE, T LD A REPORTER CZECHOSLOVAKIA WOULD GET LESS OF BOTH UNDER A NE ONE-YEAR AGREEMENT TO RUN TO NEXT AUG. 1.
HE SAID HE COULD NOT GIVE THE SPECIFIC AMOUNTS UNTIL THE PACT HAD BEEN APPROVED BY THE THREE GOVERNMENTS AND FORMALLY SIGNED.
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B39 (SEG) (200)
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, AUG. 2-(AP)-ABOUT 300 ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIESTS WHO CALL THEMSELVES "PROGRESSIVES" ADOPTED A FIVE-POINT RESOLUTION YESTERDAY CALLING FOR AN UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE CHURCH AND THE COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT.
THE BENCH OF BISHOPS, HIGHEST ECCLESIASTIC AUTHORITY IN HUNGARY SINCE JOSEF CARDINAL MINDSZENTY WAS IMPRISONED, HAS REFUSED TO SIGN AN UNCONDITIONAL PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE STATE AND HAS REFUSED TO SIGN THE SO-CALLED STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION.
THE PETITION, DRAWN UP AT A MEETING OF THE COMMUNIST-LED PARTISANS OF PEACE IN STOCKHOLM LAST SPRING, WOULD OUTLAW THE ATOM BOMB.
THE RESOLUTION VOTED TODAY CALLS FOR:
1. A QUICK UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN CHURCH AND STATE AND MUTUAL RESPECT FOR THE LAWS OF BOTH.
2. LOYALTY TO THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACY AND SUPPORT FOR THE FIVE-YEAR PLAN.T
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3. SUPPORT OF THE STOCKHOLM "PEACE RESOLUTION."
4. PROTEST AGAINST USE OF THE ATOM BOMB.
5. A REQUEST THAT THE GOVERNMENT PROTECT ALL PRIESTS "WHO ARE STANDING ON THE SIDE OF THE PEOPLE."
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B123 (Q)
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NIGHT LEAD STALIN (450)
BY EDDY GILMORE
MOSCOW, AUG.2-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER STALIN HAS FOUND TIME TO ENGAGE IN CONSIDERABLE PUBLIC WRITING ON LANGUAGES AND MARXISM RECENTLY, HEAVY AS ARE HIS OTHER TASKS.
HE SAYS HE IS "OVERLOADED WITH WORK." HE MADE THAT EXPLAMATION IN THE MAGAZINE BOLSHEVIK IN APOLOGIZING FOR DELAY IN ANSWERING QUESTIONS ASKED BY COMRADE A.KHOLOPOV AS THE OUTGROWTH OF A DICUSSION OF LANGUAGES IN [illegible]HE PAGES OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER PRAVDA. THE 70-YEAR OLD [illegible] MINISTER SPENDS MANY HOURS DAILY [illegible] HIS DESK.
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STALIN SAID PRAVDA ACTED CORRECTLY IN INITIA[illegible]G AN OPEN DISCUSSION

AST SPRING ON QUESTIONS OF PHILOLOGY--THE SCIENCE OF LANGUAGES. HE ENIED THAT LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENTS TAKE PLACE IN A REVOLUTIONARY ASHION.

JUNE 28, THE PRIME MINISTER ANSWERED ANOTHER LETTER, THIS ONE FROM A YOUNG WOMAN, ON THE SAME GENERAL QUESTION OF MARXISM AND THE STUDY OF LANGUAGES.

HIS NEXT LETTER, WRITTEN JULY 11, WAS TO A COMRADE SANZHEV. HE ANSWERED A LETTER FROM TWO OTHER RUSSIANS JULY 22 AND ON JULY 28 HE FOUND TIME TO SEND STILL ANOTHER. HIS LATEST WRITINGS APPEARED IN BOLSHEVIK YESTERDAY AND IN PRAVDA TODAY.

HE PREDICTED THAT, AFTER A VICTORY OF SOCIALISM ON A WORLD SCALE, THERE WOULD GRADUALLY EVOLVE A GENERAL INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE, NEITHER GERMAN, RUSSIAN NOR ENGLISH BUT EMBODYING "THE BEST ELEMENTS OF NATIONAL AND ZONAL LANGUAGES."

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(THE SHIFT IN POLICY MAY MEAN THAT EFFORTS TO IMPOSE THE RUSSIAN LANGUAGE UPON SUBORDINATE PEOPLES HAVE NOT BEEN GOING WELL. DEVELOPMENT OF LANGUAGES AMONG THE U.S.S.R. PEOPLES WAS THE SUBJECT OF A CONFERENCE OF "THE N.Y. MARR INSTITUTE OF LANGUAGE AND THOUGHT" LAST NOVEMBER. THIS SESSION DWELT UPON PROBLEMS IN THE UKRAINE AND WHITE RUSSIA AND IT WAS STATED THAT, IN STANDARDIZING SPELLINGS IN THOSE REPUBLICS, IT WOULD BE BEST TO STRIVE FOR THE CLOSEST POSSIBLE APPROXIMATION TO THE RUSSIAN.)

"MARXISM IS THE ENEMY OF DOGMATISM," STALIN WROTE. "MARXISM, AS A SCIENCE, CANNOT STAND STILL IN ONE PLACE--IT DEVELOPS AND IS PERFECTED. MARXISM CANNOT BUT BE ENRICHED BY NEW EXPERIENCES AND NEW KNOWLEDGE."

HE CONDEMNED "DOGMATISTS AND PEDANTS "WHO LEARN THE INDIVIDUAL FORMULAS OF MARXISM BY HEART AND CITE THEM RIGHT AND LEFT ON THE ASSUMPTION THEY ARE VALID FOR ALL TIMES AND IN ALL CIRCUMSTANCES.

FROM THAT APPROACH, STALIN WENT ON TO SAY FRIEDRICH ENGELS, THE GERMAN SOCIALIST WHO WAS ASSOCIATED WITH KARL MARX, HAD CONCLUDED THAT AFTER THE VICTORY OF SOCIALISM THE STATE MUST DIE--PROCEEDING FROM THE THESIS THAT THE VIVTORY OF SOCIALISM WOULD BE WORLD WIDE AND SIMULTANEOUS.

RUSSIAN MARXISTS, STALIN SAID, HAVE CONCLUDED THIS FORMULA IS INAPPLICABLE WHEN SOCIALISM IS VICTORIOUS IN ONLY ONE COUNTRY AND NOT THE MAJORITY OF COUNTRIES. HE SAID THEY DECIDED THAT, ON THE CONTRARY, IN THIS CIRCUMSTANCE, THE STATE (I.E., RUSSIA) MUST BE STRENGTHENED IN EVERY WAY THROUGH ITS STATE ORGANS, INTELLIGENCE SERVICE AND ARMY.

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MOSCOW, AUG. 2-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT U.S. AMBASSADOR ALAN G. KIRK PLANS A FIVE-DAY TRIP TO WIESBADEN, GERMANY FOR PERSONAL REASONS. HE WILL LEAVE MOSCOW BY AIR AUGUST 12.

HE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. KIRK AND THEIR SON ROGER WHO IS RETURNING TO THE UNITED STATES TO COMPLETE HIS EDUCATION AT PRINCETON UNIVERSITY.

THE U.S. MILITARY ATTACHE, MAJ. GEN. JOHN O'DANIEL, IS LEAVING MOSCOW AT THE SAME TIME. HE IS BEING REPLACED BY MAJ. GEN. ROBERT GROW.

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A143FX (280)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG 2-(AP)-NATIONALIST BOMBER AND FIGHTER PLANES IN UNUSUAL NUMBERS ROARED OFF FORMOSA AIRFIELDS TODAY.

OFFICIAL QUARTERS DECLINED COMMENT. BUT SOME CIRCLES SAID THE PLANES MAY HAVE LAUNCHED AN ATTACK ON CHINESE COMMUNIST CRAFT MASSED ALONG THE RED CHINA COAST.

THE REDS HAVE THREATENED TO INVADE FORMOSA FOR MONTHS. BUT ON JUNE 27, AFTER THE OUTBREAK OF WAR IN KOREA, PRESIDENT TRUMAN ORDERED THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET TO PROTECT FORMOSA. AT THE SAME TIME HE TOLD THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS TO CEASE BOMBING THE REDS.

SOURCES SAID GENERAL MACARTHUR, ON HIS VISIT HERE EARLIER THIS WEEK, MAY HAVE OKAYED CERTAIN TYPES OF ATTACK SUCH AS STRIKES AGAINST RED CRAFT. THEY POINTED OUT THAT THIS COULD BE CONSIDERED A DEFENSIVE MEASURE AGAINST INVASION.

AS SUPPORT FOR THIS ARGUMENT, THE SOURCES CALLED ATTENTION TO THESE TWO DEVELOPMENTS:

1. CHIANG KAI-SHEK SAID AGREEMENT HAD BEEN REACHED ON ALL PROBLEMS HE DISCUSSED WITH MACARTHUR. IT IS VIRTUALLY CERTAIN THAT NATIONALIST ATTACKS ON POTENTIAL RED CHINA INVASION CRAFT WAS ONE OF THEM. NATIONALIST PLANES ATTACKED SMALL CRAFT ONLY MONDAY.

2. THE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE HAS BEEN PINCHED SEVERELY ON HIGH OCTANE GASOLINE. RENEWAL OF AIR ACTIVITY COULD MEAN THAT MACARTHUR HAD PROMISED AMPLE SUPPLIES OF AVIATION GAS.

REAR ADM. JOHN HOSKINS, COMMANDER OF THE SEVENTH FLEET'S CARRIER DIVISION THREE, VISITED TAIPEI BRIEFLY TODAY. HE CONFERRED WITH RE.ADM.HARRY B.JARRET, HEAD OF THE U.S.NAVAL ATTACHE'S OFFICE HERE.

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A122 (130)

MOSCOW, AUG 2-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER STALIN SAYS HE IS "OVER-LOADED WITH WORK."

HE MADE THIS EXPLANATION IN THE MAGAZINE BOLSHEVIK, IN APOLOGIZING FOR DELAY IN ANSWERING A QUESTION ABOUT HIS VIEW ON LANGUAGES. HE PREDICTED A GENERAL INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE WILL DEVELOP GRADUALLY AFTER SOCIALISM IS VICTORIOUS ON A WORLD SCALE.

STALIN BROADENED THIS TO DISCUSS MARXISM. HE SAID FRIEDRICH ENGELS, THE GERMAN SOCIALIST ASSOCIATED WITH KARL MARX, HAD CONCLUDED THAT AFTER THE VICTORY OF SOCIALISM THE STATE MUST DIE -- PROCEEDING FROM THE THESIS THAT THE VICTORY OF SOCIALISM WOULD BE WORLD-WIDE. STALIN SAID RUSSIAN MARXISTS HAD CONCLUDED ENGELS' FORMULA WAS NOT APPLICABLE WHEN SOCIALISM WAS VICTORIOUS ONLY IN ONE COUNTRY AND NOT THE MAJORITY OF COUNTRIES. THEY HAD CONCLUDED THAT IN THIS CIRCUMSTANCE THE STATE (I.E., RUSSIA) MUST BE STRENGTHENED IN EVERY WAY -- STATE ORGANS, THE INTELLIGENCE SERVICE AND THE ARMY.

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A159KX (SHORT, SLOOP, RED PAPER)

HONG KONG, THURSDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE PRO-COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER TA KUNG PAO TODAY DESCRIBED THE RECENT MEETING OF GENERAL MACARTHUR AND GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK AS "A REUNION OF THE DEFEATED GENERAL AND THE REMNANT BANDIT."

OTHER CHINESE-LANGUAGE NEWSPAPERS IN THE CROWN COLONY BRISTLED WITH DISRESPECT IN THEIR ARTICLES OF THE MEETING, BUT THEY STEERED CLEAR OF ANY DISCUSSION OF POLITICAL POLICY.

REPORTS FROM INSIDE RED CHINA INDICATED THAT BOTH OFFICIAL AND UNOFFICIAL NEWSPAPERS THERE HAVE THUS FAR IGNORED THE MEETING, AT WHICH THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA WAS DISCUSSED.

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HONG KONG, THURSDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-AN UNIDENTIFIED BRITISH SLOOP WAS REPORTED TODAY TO HAVE BEEN FIRED UPON BY SHORE BATTERIES ON COMMUNIST-HELD LINTIN ISLAND, BETWEEN HONG KONG AND MACAO.
NAVY AUTHORITIES HERE DECLINED TO CONFIRM OR DENY THE REPORT.
FOUR SHELLS WERE SAID TO HAVE STRUCK THE WATER CLOSE TO THE VESSEL.
LINTIN ISLAND IS FIVE MILES WEST OF HONG KONG.
RESIDENTS OF THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO WERE STARTED LAST NIGHT WHEN GUNS BOOMED AND TRACER BULLETS STREAKED THE SKY OVER THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ISLAND OF LAPPA. HOWEVER, INVESTIGATION DISCLOSED IT WAS A CELEBRATION OF "ARMY DAY."
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NIGHT LEAD IRAN (470)
BY ROBERT HEWETT
TEHRAN, IRAN, AUG. 2.---(AP)---A MULTI-MILLION DOLLAR FLOW OF U.S.-FINANCED MACHINERY WILL START SOON TO RUSSIAN-SHADOWED IRAN, AMBASSADOR HENRY F.GRADY INDICATED TODAY.
A SKEPTICAL "WE'VE-HEARD-THAT-BEFORE" ATTITUDE WAS EVIDENT IN SOME INFLUENTIAL IRANIAN QUARTERS. THIS WAS COUPLED WITH DECLARATIONS THAT ONLY IMMEDIATE HELP COULD SAVE THE ECONOMY OF THIS OIL-LADEN BUT IMPOVERISHED NATION.
EXPORT-IMPORT BANK LOANS IN THE WORKS, AS DISCLOSED OFFICIALLY IN WASHINGTON YESTERDAY, WILL BE USED IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS TO HELP RAISE IRANIAN LIVING STANDARDS, GRADY SAID.
NEWS THAT THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK IS SENDING THREE EXPERTS TO EXAMINE PROPOSED REHABILITATION PROJECTS WAS RECEIVED WITH ENTHUSIASM BY AMERICAN OFFICIALS HERE. IRANIAN AUTHORITIES HAVE BEEN PRESSING AMERICANS FOR ECONOMIC AND MILITARY AID FOR A CONSIDERABLE TIME. AS THE NEW AMERICAN ENVOY TO IRAN, GRADY ENCOURAGED EXPECTATIONS IN A STATEMENT JULY 6, IN WHICH HE SPOKE OF AN IMMEDIATE THREE-MONTH PROGRAM TO STIMULATE EMPLOYMENT AND IMPROVE HEALTH AND EDUCATION STANDARDS.
THE AMBASSADOR SAID TODAY THE FIRST PLANS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE BANK'S ECONOMISTS AND ENGINEERS WOULD INCLUDE FINANCING OF FARM AND ROAD-BUILDING MACHINERY, TRUCKS, BUSES, AND IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT. IT IS EXPECTED LOANS TO SMALL, PRIVATE INDUSTRIES ALSO WILL BE URGED TO PRIME THE JOB PUMP.
(A WASHINGTON DISPATCH NOTED THAT EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OFFICIALS DID NOT MENTION ANY AMOUNT OF THE CONTEMPLATED LOAN. THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS HAD REPORTS IN THE PAST THAT THE IRANIANS WANTED FROM $100,000,000 TO $500,000,000 IN ECONOMIC HELP, ASIDE FROM ANY MILITARY ASSISTANCE ALREADY VOTED OR CONTEMPLATED BY CONGRESS.)
CONTRASTED WITH THE ATTITUDE OF AMERICAN OFFICIALS HERE WAS THE PESSIMISM OF SOME IRANIANS.
"AMERICAN AID TO IRAN SO FAR HAS BEEN ONLY WORDS," COMMENTED THE INFLUENTIAL CONSERVATIVE NEWSPAPER TOLOU.
"AT PRESENT, THERE IS A WAVE OF DESPAIR AND PESSIMISM OVER THE MINDS OF ALL IRANIANS WITH RESPECT TO THE UNITED STATES AID TO IRAN."
U.S. AUTHORITIES HERE SEEK TO DISCOUNT SUCH EXPRESSIONS. THEY SAY BRISKLY THAT THE BANK'S SENDING OF THREE REPRESENTATIVES THIS WEEK REALLY MEANS THAT THE GO-AHEAD SIGNAL IS ON FOR COORDINATED ECONOMIC AID. EXPLAINING THE DELAYS SO FAR, OBSERVERS SAY THAT, AS IN THE CASE OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WHEN THEY STILL RULED CHINA, THE STATE DEPARTMENT WAS RELUCTANT TO SEND FUNDS TO IRAN FOR FEAR THE MONEY WOULD BE SQUANDERED.
ONE FACTOR THAT APPEARS TO OPERATE AGAINST RUSH ECONOMIC AID TO IRAN IS THAT BOTH IRANIAN AND AMERICAN OFFICIALS HERE ACKNOWLEDGE, PRIVATELY, THERE IS NOT MUCH CHANCE OF ANY OVERT RUSSIAN GRAB AT THE COUNTRY IN THE NEAR FUTURE. THEY TEMPER THIS OPINION, HOWEVER, BY ADDING "UNLESS THE SOVIET IS BENT ON STARTING A THIRD WORLD WAR."
NEVERTHELESS, IT IS RECOGNIZED THAT THE POOR LOWER CLASSES IN IRAN, PINCHED BY THE LATEST CROP FAILURE, ARE FERTILE FEEDING GROUNDS FOR COMMUNIST OPERATIVES.
SOMETHING, WELL-INFORMED PERSONS SAY, MUST BE DONE THIS YEAR TO RAISE THE COUNTRY'S LIVING STANDARDS.
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B72 (Q) (170)
TEHRAN, IRAN, AUG 2-(AP)-U.S.AMBASSADOR HENRY GRADY SAID TODAY THAT A PROJECTED AMERICAN LOAN TO IRAN WILL AIM AT RAISING THE STANDARD OF LIVING BY HELPING THE COUNTRY'S POVERTY-STRICKEN PEASANTS AND THE SMALL BUSINESSMEN.
GRADY SAID THE FIRST PROJECTS TO BE SUBMITTED TO A GROUP OF IMPORT-EXPORT BANK EXPERTS WHEN THEY ARRIVE FROM WASHINGTON WILL INCLUDE THE PURCHASE OF FARM MACHINERY, TOOLS, ROADBUILDING AND IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT. TRUCKS AND BUSES. BANK OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THEIR WILLINGNESS TO GIVE IRAN THE LOAN. THE EXPERTS ARE BEING DISPATCHED TO DETERMINE HOW MUCH IS NEEDED AND HOW THE MONEY IS TO BE SPENT.
SOME IRANIANS STILL WERE PESSIMISTIC ABOUT THE PROSPECTS OF GETTING FINANCIAL AID SOON ENOUGH TO BOLSTER THE POOR AND RESTLESS PEASANTRY AGAINST THE THREAT OF COMMUNIST INFILTRATION FROM THE NORTH.
THE INFLUENTIAL CONSERVATIVE NEWSPAPER TOLOU COMMENTED THAT "AMERICAN AID TO IRAN SO FAR HAS BEEN ONLY WORDS." THE NEWSPAPER DECLARED THAT ONLY IMMEDIATE HELP CAN SAVE THE TINY OIL-RICH NATION FROM THE THREATS OF ITS BIG NORTHERN NEIGHBOR.
"AT PRESENT," THE NEWSPAPER SAID, "THERE IS A WAVE OF DESPAIR AND PESSIMISM OVER THE MINDS OF ALL IRANIANS WITH RESPECT TO UNITED STATES AID TO IRAN."
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A102 (230)
BY SEYMOUR TOPPING
SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG. 2-(AP)-OFFICIAL FRENCH SOURCES SAID TODAY THREE CAMPS HAVE BEEN OPENED IN RED CHINA TO TRAIN TROOPS OF THE COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH ARMY, WHICH IS FIGHTING FRENCH FORCES IN INDOCHINA.
THE INFORMANTS GAVE THIS ACCOUNT:
THE TRAINING CENTERS, NEAR THE NORTHERN INDOCHINA FRONTIER, ARE LOCATED AT WENSHAN, TCHENNGAN AND TUNGHING.
AT LEAST 10,000 VIETMINH SOLDIERS ARE IN THE THREE CAMPS, SOME OF THEM HAVING BEEN SENT THERE LAST MAY. THE CAMPS ARE USED NOT ONLY TO DRILL AND EQUIP RAW RECRUITS BUT TO GIVE ADVANCED COMMANDO TRAINING FOR SOLDIERS OF COMMUNIST CHIEFTAIN HO CHI MINH.
THE INFORMANTS SAID THE TRAINING PROGRAM IS THE FIRST LARGE SCALE AID UNDERTAKEN BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS FOR THE VIETMINH. RED CHINA, RUSSIA AND THE REST OF THE COMMUNIST BLOC RECOGNIZED HO'S JUNGLE REGIME AS THE LEGAL INDOCHINESE GOVERNMENT SIX MONTHS AGO. HO'S FORCES ARE OPPOSING THE FRENCH-BACKED VIETNAM GOVERNMENT OF BAO DAI.
FRENCH MILITARY CIRCLES SAID THERE IS NO INDICATION OF CHINESE

COMMUNIST PREPARATIONS TO INVADE INDOCHINA TO SUPPORT ACTIVELY THE VIETMINH INSURRECTION WHICH HAS BEEN GOING ON FOR FIVE YEARS.

THE PRESENT CHINESE COMMUNIST STRENGTH ALONG THE INDOCHINESE BORDER IS ABOUT ONE DIVISION. HOWEVER, THERE ARE ENOUGH FORCES TO MOUNT AN INVASION WITHIN A NORMAL TWO WEEKS MARCH OF THE FRONTIER, THE INFORMANTS SAID.

MOST POLITICAL OBSERVERS HERE BELIEVE THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT WILL LIMIT ITS AID TO HO TO INDIRECT MEASURES SUCH AS TRAINING CAMPS.

MEMBERS OF A U.S. MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP TO BE PERMANENTLY STATIONED IN INDOCHINA BEGAN ARRIVING TODAY IN SAIGON. THE MISSION IS ACCREDITED IN AN ADVISORY CAPACITY TO THE FRENCH ADMINISTRATION AND THE THREE FRENCH-BACKED GOVERNMENTS OF VIETNAM, LAOS AND CAMBODIA.

THE ADVISORY GROUP IS EXPECTED TO CONSIST EVENTUALLY OF ABOUT 35 MEMBERS, INCLUDING OFFICERS OF ALL SERVICES. IT WILL BE COMMANDED BY A GENERAL OFFICER.

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B73 (Q)

RANGOON, BURMA, AUG 2-(AP)-A BURMESE GOVERNMENT REPORT SAID TODAY COMMUNISTS HAVE FORCED BUDDHIST MONKS INTO A REBEL ARMY THEY ARE RAISING AT WETLET, 35 MILES NORTH OF MANDALAY.

MONKS HAVE BEGUN MILITARY TRAINING ALONGSIDE LAYMEN ALSO CONSCRIPTED BY THE COMMUNISTS, THE REPORT SAID.

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CAIRO, EGYPT, AUG. 2-(AP)-FIRST HAND REPORTS REACHING HERE TODAY SAID ARMED PEASANTS BATTLED ETHIOPIAN TROOPS RECENTLY IN A BLOODY TAX REVOLT IN THE EAST AFRICAN KINGDOM.

BOTH SIDES SUFFERED CASUALTIES DURING FIGHTING IN GOJJAM, RESTLESS NORTHWEST PROVINCE OF EMPEROR HAILE SELAISSE'S STATE, ACCORDING TO THESE REPORTS.

THE GOVERNMENT NOW HAS THE SITUATION UNDER CONTROL BUT THE TENSION CONTINUES.

TRUCKLOADS OF ETHIOPIAN SOLDIERS WERE RUSHED TO THE REBELLIOUS PROVINCE.

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(140) (Q)

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, THURSDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-SYDNEY AFTERNOON NEWSPAPERS REPORTED TODAY THAT FOREIGN SUBMARINES HAVE BEEN OPERATING OFF THE AUSTRALIAN COAST DURING THE PAST FEW MONTHS.

NO SOURCE WAS GIVEN FOR THE REPORTS ALTHOUGH THE SYDNEY SUN SAID IT HAD BEEN DISCLOSED "OFFICIALLY."

THE SUN SAID SOME SUBMARINES WERE BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED BUT THAT AUSTRALIAN AUTHORITIES WERE MAINTAINING STRICTEST SECRECY AS TO THEIR NATIONALITY.

IT IS THOUGHT NOT UNLIKELY THAT THEY ARE RUSSIAN SUBS BASED ON VLADIVOSTOK, THE SUN ADDED.

THE FIRST REPORTS WERE SAID TO HAVE BEEN MADE BY FISHERMEN OPERATING OFF AUSTRALIA'S NORTHEAST COAST. THESE, SAID THE SUN, RESULTED IN AN INTENSIVE SEARCH BY THE NAVY AND AIR FORCE.

REPORTS OF THE SUBS PRESENCE, THE SUN SAID, WAS REPORTED TO HAVE HASTENED AUSTRALIA'S DECISION, ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY, TO BUILD SIX NEW 2,000-TON ANTI-SUBMARINE FRIGATES.

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CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, AUG. 2-(AP)-EXTERNAL AFFAIRS MINISTER PERCY SPENDER WILL HEAD AUSTRALIA'S DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY SCHEDULED TO OPEN SEPT. 19.

HE WILL LEAVE FOR LAKE SUCCESS VIA LONDON THIS WEEKEND. WHILE IN ENGLAND HE ILL ATTEND MEETINGS OF THE BRITISH CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE ON AID TO ASIA.

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NASSAU, BAHAMAS, AUG. (AP)-IT'S ALL RIGHT NOW FOR THE UNITED STATES TO GO AHEAD AND DEVELOP OBSERVATION STATIONS IN THE BAHAMAS FOR ITS $75,000,000 (M) GUIDED MISSILE BASE.

THE BAHAMIAN HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY YESTERDAY PASSED A BILL IMPLEMENTING A TREATY SIGNED BY THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN CALLING FOR JOINT DEVELOPMENT OF ROCKETS AND OTHER LONG RANGE GUIDED MISSILES.

THE MEASURE PROVIDES FOR THE ERECTION OF TELEMETERING STATIONS ON THE BAHAMA ISLANDS. THESE USE RADAR AND RADIO EQUIPMENT FOR RECORDING THE PASSAGE OF MISSILES AND MEASURING THEIR SPEED, ALTITUDE AND COURSE.

OTHER TECHNICAL OBSERVATION STATIONS WILL BE DEVELOPED TO GIVE THE UNITED STATES A RANGE EXTENDING ABOUT 5,000 MILES OVER THE ATLANTIC FROM THE GUIDED MISSILE BASE AT CAPE CANAVERAL, NEAR COCOA, FLA.

TWO ROCKETS WERE FIRED FROM CAPE CANAVERAL LAST WEEK, BUT NAVY AIR AND SURFACE CRAFT WERE USED TO TRACK THEM AT SEA.

YESTERDAY THE GUIDED MISSILE BASE WAS OFFICIALLY RE-NAMED PATRICK AIR FORCE BASE IN HONOR OF THE LATE MAJ. GEN. MASON M. PATRICK OF LEWISBURG, W.VA., FIRST CHIEF OF THE ARMY AIR SERVICE.

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WASHINGTON, AUG 2-(AP)-COMMUNISTS WOULD BE REQUIRED TO REGISTER AS AGENTS OF A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT UNDER A BILL INTRODUCED TODAY BY REP. WALTER (D-PA).

WALTER, A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE, SAID "HIS BILL IS INTENDED TO MEET OBJECTIONS OF OTHER PROPOSALS FOR DEALING WITH COMMUNISTS.

"MY BILL DOES NOT IN ANY SHAPE OR FORM INFRINGE UPON CIVIL RIGHTS OF ANY AMERICAN CITIZEN OR LAWFUL ALIEN RESIDENT," WALTER SAID IN A STATEMENT. "IT DOES NOT PROHIBIT, CURTAIL OR LIMIT THE ACTIVITIES OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND ITS AFFILIATES. INSTEAD OF DRIVING THE COMMUNISTS UNDERGROUND, IT ACTUALLY DRAGS THEM ABOVE GROUND, THROWS THE SPOTLIGHT ON THEM AND LABELS THEM PROPERLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH EXISTING FACTS."

WALTER TOLD REPORTERS THE BILL WAS HIS OWN IDEA. IT WAS REGARDED AS PROBABLE, HOWEVER, THAT IT MIGHT STIR UP LESS CONTROVERSY THAN THE COMMUNIST CONTROL MEASURE GENERALLY CALLED THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL.

WALTER SAID NONE OF THE VARIOUS PROPOSALS FOR CURBING COMMUNISTS HAD BEEN ENACTED INTO LAW AND ADDED:

"THE PRINCIPAL REASON FOR THIS DELAY SEEMS TO BE THE RELUCTANCE TO (1) INFRINGE UPON THE CIVIL RIGHTS OF INDIVIDUALS AND (2) TO DRIVE THE COMMUNISTS UNDERGROUND."

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(320) PMS BUDGET
FOREIGN ARMS

BY JOHN SCALI

WASHINGTON,AUG.2-(AP)-OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THAT NEARLY 200,000 TONS OF AMERICAN WEAPONS AND MILITARY SUPPLIES HAVE BEEN DELIVERED TO FRIENDLY FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS DURING THE PAST FIVE MONTHS.

THIS TOTAL PROBABLY WILL BE DOUBLED OR TRIPLED WITHIN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS, THEY SAID, ADDING THAT $1,314,000,000 PROVIDED BY CONGRESS IN 1949 ALREADY HAS BEEN ALLOCATED AND ORDERS HAVE BEEN MADE AGAINST THE $1,225,000,000 FOREIGN ARMS PROGRAM APPROVED LAST WEEK.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED CONGRESS YESTERDAY FOR AN ADDITIONAL $4,000,000,000 FOR ARMING NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

THE BULK OF DELIVERIES THUS FAR HAS GONE TO EIGHT KEY NORTH ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES--BRITAIN, FRANCE, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS, LUXEMBOURG, ITALY, DENMARK AND NORWAY.

OFFICIALS DECLINED TO GIVE A COUNTRY-BY-COUNTRY BREAKDOWN ON THE GROUNDS THAT SUCH INFORMATION IS OF VALUE TO A POTENTIAL AGGRESSOR. BUT THEY SAID FRANCE HAS RECEIVED THE BIGGEST SHARE IN LINE WITH WESTERN STRATEGY TO BUILD UP THE FRENCH INFANTRY FORCES.

SINCE THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA IS RECEIVING TOP PRIORITY, COMPARATIVELY LITTLE HAS GONE TO IRAN, GREECE AND THE PHILIPPINES, IT WAS SAID.

ABOUT 300 WAR PLANES, INCLUDING B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES, HAVE BEEN SHIPPED ABROAD SINCE LAST MARCH. IN ADDITION, 13,500 TONS OF NAVAL CRAFT UP TO THE SIZE OF DESTROYERS ALSO HAVE BEEN DELIVERED. MOST OF THIS WAS FROM SURPLUS STOCKS.

SINCE THE START OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING ARSENALS AND WEAPONS REHABILITATION CENTERS ARE BEING PUT ON A TWO AND THREE SHIFT BASIS AND STAND-BY FACILITIES ARE BEING CALLED ON TO HELP OUT.

ALSO, SOME NEW WEAPONS HAVE STARTED TO COME OFF OF AMERICAN PRODUCTION LINES FOR SHIPMENT OVERSEAS. BUT MOST OF THE MILITARY EQUIPMENT NEEDED IS HEAVY AND WILL TAKE MONTHS TO MANUFACTURE ONCE THE ORDERS HAVE BEEN GIVEN, AUTHORITIES POINT OUT.

THE ACCENT ON INITIAL SHIPMENTS HAS BEEN ON INFANTRY AND ARTILLERY EQUIPMENT. DURING THIS YEAR TACTICAL FIGHTER AND FIGHTER BOMBER AIRCRAFT WILL FORM THE BACKBONE OF SHIPMENTS.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 2-(AP)-SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) SUGGESTED TODAY THAT THE EXPANDED FOREIGN ARMS AID PROGRAM RECOMMENDED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN BE EXTENDED TO INCLUDE AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND.

HE TOLD THE SENATE HE THOUGHT THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS "SHOULD GIVE MORE ATTENTION TO OUR PACIFIC FLANK" IN CONNECTION WITH THE PRESIDENT'S REQUEST FOR AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION OF $4,000,000,000 FOR ARMING FRIENDLY NATIONS AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

"I HAVE IN MIND BRINGING AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND INTO THE PICTURE," HE SAID, ADDING THAT SO FAR AS HE WAS AWARE THEY WERE NOT INCLUDED IN THE NATIONS TO BE AIDED UNDER THE EXPANDED PROGRAM.

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WASHINGTON,AUG.2-(AP)-GOV.CARLTON SKINNER OF GUAM INVITED PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR CHAPMAN TODAY TO VISIT THE ISLAND AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN YESTERDAY SIGNED LEGISLATION MAKING GUAM A SELF-GOVERNING POSSESSION AFTER 50 YEARS OF NAVY RULE. GUAM NOW IS ADMINISTERED BY THE INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

IN A TELEGRAM TO CHAPMAN, SKINNER SAID:

"PLEASE ASSURE THE PRESIDENT OF THE FIRM DETERMINATION OF OUR PEOPLE TO ACCEPT THE DUTIES AS WELL AS PRIVILEGES OF CITIZENSHIP AND TO SUPPORT AND COOPERATE WITH THE ARMED FORCES IN THEIR VITAL WORK TODAY."

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(330) NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

WASHINGTON, AUG. 2-(AP)-A BILL WHICH WOULD OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY, AND ANOTHER WHICH WOULD REQUIRE ALL COMMUNISTS TO REGISTER AS AGENTS OF A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT WERE INTRODUCED IN THE HOUSE TODAY.

THE NEW MEASURES WERE OFFERED JUST AS A MOVE WAS STARTED TO BRING THE CONTROVERSIAL MUNDT-NIXON COMMUNIST CURBING BILL TO THE HOUSE FLOOR FOR ACTION.

REP.COX (D-GA) SUBMITTED THE PROPOSAL WHICH WOULD MAKE IT UNLAWFUL TO BELONG TO OR BE AFFILIATED WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY. VIOLATORS COULD BE IMPRISONED FOR 10 YEARS AND FINED $10,000.

"ALL COMMUNISTS--WHEREVER THEY CAN BE FOUND--HAVE BANDED THEMSELVES TOGETHER AS OUTLAWS AGAINST CIVILIZATION AND CHRISTIANITY," COX SAID IN A STATEMENT.

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"BY OUTLAWING THE COMMUNIST PARTY HERE, WE SERVE NOTICE ON THE FOES OF OUR WAY OF LIFE THAT WE RECOGNIZE THEM AS NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL CRIMINALS. OUTLAWS CAN NOT HIDE BEHIND THE CONSTITUTION--A RUSE WHICH HAS ALL TOO OFTEN BEEN THE LAST REFUGE OF THE REDS."

THE PROPOSAL TO REQUIRE COMMUNISTS TO REGISTER AS FOREIGN AGENTS CAME FROM REP.WALTER (D-PA). HE IS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE WHICH HAS BEEN CONSIDERING THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL.

WALTER DECLARED IN A STATEMENT THAT HIS BILL WOULD "DRIVE THE COMMUNISTS ABOVE GROUND".

REP.SAYLOR (R-PA) FILED A PETITION IN THE HOUSE TO BRING THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL UP FOR CONSIDERATION. IF 218 HOUSE MEMBERS SIGN SAYLOR'S PETITION, THE BILL WILL BE BROUGHT TO THE FLOOR AS IT NOW IS WRITTEN. IT COULD, HOWEVER, BE AMENDED.

MEANWHILE THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE APPROVED THREE BILLS DESIGNED TO MAKE IT EASIER TO RID THE COUNTRY OF UNDESIRABLE ALIENS, INCLUDING THOSE WHO CLAIM DIPLOMATIC IMMUNITY.

ONE OF THE MEASURES WOULD CUT OFF ALL IMMIGRATION FROM ANY NATION WHICH REFUSED OR UNDULY DELAYED TAKING BACK AN ALIEN THE UNITED STATES ORDERED DEPORTED.

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THE BILL ALSO WOULD DEPRIVE EMPLOYES OF FOREIGN EMBASSIES AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, OTHER THAN AMBASSADORS, MINISTERS AND CONSULS, OF THE IMMUNITY THEY NOW HAVE FROM EXCLUSION OR DEPORTATION. THE STATE DEPARTMENT IS STRONGLY OPPOSED TO THIS PROVISION.

ANOTHER BILL APPROVED WOULD PERMIT THE DETENTION OF ALIENS WHO HAVE BEEN ORDERED DEPORTED BUT WHO CANNOT BE SENT BACK BECAUSE THE COUNTRY FROM WHICH THEY CAME WILL NOT ACCEPT THEM.

THE THIRD BILL WOULD ESTABLISH A NEW BUREAU OF PASSPORTS AND VISAS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WITH A DIRECTOR WHO WOULD BE RESPONSIBLE DIRECTLY TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE. APPOINTMENT OF THE DIRECTOR WOULD BE SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION BY THE SENATE.

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(650) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD ATOMIC
BY FRANK CAREY
ASSOCIATED PRESS SCIENCE WRITER

WASHINGTON,AUG 2-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES APPEARED TODAY TO BE GEARING ITSELF TO PRODUCE A HYDROGEN BOMB WITHOUT SLACKENING--PERHAPS EVEN WHILE INCREASING--ITS PACE ON A-BOMBS.

A MAJOR SEGMENT OF THE JOB WAS ASSIGNED TO THE DU PONT COMPANY, ALREADY EXPERTS IN MAKING PLUTONIUM WHICH GOES INTO THE PRESENT ATOMIC WEAPONS.

THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION ANNOUNCED A MOVE WHICH--WHILE THE AEC DID NOT SAY SO--COULD MEAN THAT THE COMMISSION IS GOING TO MAKE LARGE QUANTITIES OF TRITIUM, A POSSIBLE INGREDIENT OF THE H BOMB, WITHOUT CURTAILING THE PRODUCTION OF PLUTONIUM.

TRITIUM IS A SUPER-HEAVY FORM OF HYDROGEN, HEAVIER EVEN THAN THE DEMTERIUM OF HEAVY WATER.

THEORETICALLY, YOU CAN MAKE EITHER PLUTONIUM OR TRITIUM IN A CERTAIN KIND OF ATOMIC ENERGY REACTION. BUT, THEORETICALLY ALSO, IF YOU MAKE ONE, IT IS AT THE SACRIFICE OF THE OTHER.

UNOFFICIAL COMMENT HAS BEEN THAT QUANTITY PRODUCTION OF TRITIUM MIGHT ENDANGER THE NATION'S A-BOMB PROGRAM, AND ALSO THE OBJECTIVE OF GETTING INDUSTRIAL POWER FROM THE ATOM.

TRITIUM, WHILE A POSSIBLE INGREDIENT OF A HYDROGEN BOMB, HAS NO APPLICATION AS A SOURCE OF PEACEFUL POWER, SO FAR AS IS KNOWN.

TODAY THE AEC ANNOUNCED IT HAD APPOINTED THE DUPONT COMPANY TO DESIGN, CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE SOME BRAND NEW PLANTS OF "ADVANCED DESIGN." THESE WOULD BE FOR THE PRODUCTION OF MATERIALS "WHICH CAN BE USED EITHER FOR WEAPONS OR FOR FUELS POTENTIALLY USEFUL FOR POWER PURPOSES."

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THE COMMISSION CAREFULLY REFRAINED FROM EXPLAINING WHETHER "MATERIALS" MEANS JUST ONE KIND OF PRODUCT, SUCH AS PLUTONIUM, OR TWO OR MORE DIFFERENT ONES.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT--WHICH WOULD APPEAR TO GIVE THE DELAWARE FIRM TOP RESPONSIBILITY FOR DEVELOPING THE H-BOMB--IS OPEN TO THESE TWO INTERPRETATIONS:

1. NEW RESEARCH MAY HAVE TURNED UP MEANS OF PRODUCING BOTH PLUTONIUM AND TRITIUM SIMULTANEOUSLY AND IN QUANTITIES SUFFICIENT TO MAKE THE OPERATION PRACTICAL. OR--

2. THE PROJECTED PLANTS MAY BE SO BIG OR SO EFFICIENT THAT THE TWO MATERIALS COULD BE MADE ALTERNATIVELY--AND STILL THERE WOULD BE A MAJOR TURNOUT OF PLUTONIUM FOR A-BOMBS AND OTHER USES.

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MEANWHILE, PLUTONIUM IS BEING MADE AT THE AEC'S PRESENT PLANT AT HANFORD, WASHINGTON, SO THAT ANY PLUTONIUM MADE AT THE PROPOSED NEW PLANTS WOULD BE ADDITIONAL.

THE COMMISSION, IN ITS ANNOUNCEMENT, SAID OPERATION OF THE PROPOSED NEW PLANTS "WILL PROVIDE NEW KNOWLEDGE THAT WILL SPEED THE PROGRESS OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY PROGRAM."

THIS CONCEIVABLY COULD MEAN AN OBJECTIVE OF SPEEDING UP THE PRODUCTION OF A-BOMBS WHILE DEVOTING ATTENTION ALSO TO DEVELOPING THE PROJECTED H-BOMB.

THE AEC MADE NO MENTION IN ITS STATEMENT OF THE H-BOMB.

BUT IT DECLARED IN A REPORT EARLIER THIS WEEK THAT PROPOSED "SUBSTANTIAL" EXPANSION OF EXISTING FACILITIES IS IN LINE WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S DIRECTIVE TO CONTINUE WORK ON "ALL FORMS" OF ATOMIC WEAPONS, INCLUDING THE H-BOMB.

MEANWHILE, SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN) TODAY CALLED FOR AN EVEN GREATER EXPANSION OF THE NATION'S ATOMIC AND HYDROGEN PROGRAM THAN RECOMMENDED BY MR.TRUMAN.

MCMAHON, CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC COMMITTEE, TOLD REPORTERS:

"THERE IS NO QUESTION IN MY MIND BUT WHAT OUR ATOMIC STOCKPILE IS THE CHIEF DETERRENT TO EXPANDED SOVIET AGGRESSION."

HE SAID HE FAVORED A "SUBSTANTIAL EXPANSION OF OUR ALREADY-EXPANDING PROGRAM."

A SITE FOR THE DU PONT ATOM PLANT IS YET TO BE SELECTED, BUT THE AEC SAID IT MAY TAKE AS MUCH AS 200,000 ACRES.

THE HUNT FOR A SITE IS ON, WITH TIGHT SPECIFICATIONS ON SUCH POINTS AS ITS VULNERABILITY TO ATTACK, PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY FACTORS; AND PROXIMITY TO A POPULATION CENTER SO THE GOVERNMENT WON'T HAVE TO BUILD A NEW COMMUNITY AS IT HAS DONE AT OTHER ATOMIC INSTALLATIONS.

DU PONT BUILT, AND WAS THE FIRST OPERATOR OF, THE HANFORD, WASH., PLUTONIUM PLANT. IT WITHDREW IN 1946 WITH THE STATEMENT THAT WITH THE COUNTRY AT PEACE IT WOULD RATHER GO BACK TO ITS OWN FIELD OF CHEMISTRY AND GET OUT OF NUCLEAR PHYSICS.

"THIS IS STILL THE COMPANY'S POSITION," OFFICIALS OF DU PONT SAID TODAY, "BUT IN THE INTEREST OF NATIONAL SECURITY, DU PONT AGAIN IS PREPARED TO PLACE ITS EXPERIENCE AND TECHNICAL RESOURCES AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE GOVERNMENT."

THE COMPANY WANTS THE GOVERNMENT TO PAY ALL EXPENSES, RECEIVE ALL PATENTS GROWING FROM THE WORK, AND PAY DU PONT A FEE OF $1. A FORMAL CONTRACT IS YET TO BE WORKED OUT.

THE PROJECT WILL BE FINANCED AT LEAST IN PART FROM THE SPECIAL $260,000,000 (M) APPROPRIATION PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED JULY 7 FOR ATOMIC EXPANSION.

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CHICAGO,AUG.2-(AP)-A JAPANESE LABOR LEADER SAID TODAY JAPAN FEARS A THIRD WORLD WAR BUT HAS "GREAT CONFIDENCE IN AMERICAN MILITARY SUPERIORITY--ESPECIALLY IN THE AIR."

MORIMITSU KITAMURA, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE OSAKA LABOR RELATIONS COMMISSION, SAID THE JAPANESE PEOPLE ARE "VERY APPREHENSIVE. BUT WE BELIEVE THE UNITED STATES HAS TAKEN THE RIGHTEOUS COURSE IN KOREA."

EVEN SOVIET ATOMIC BOMBS WILL NOT KEEP JAPAN FROM JOINING FORCES WITH THE U.S. IN RESISTING COMMUNISM, HE SAID.

KITAMURA IS ONE OF FOUR JAPANESE LABOR LEADERS ON A 90-DAY GOVERNMENT TOUR OF FACTORIES AND UNION OFFICES IN THE COUNTRY. HE SPOKE AT A NEWS CONFERENCE SPONSORED BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

HE SAID, "SINCE JAPAN IS STILL UNDER THE RULE OF THE ALLIED NATIONS WE ARE PLACED IN A STRANGE POSITION IN WHICH WE CANNOT OFFICIALLY SUPPORT THE ACTION OF THE UN IN KOREA. HOWEVER, WE EARNESTLY WISH TO DO SO."

KITAMURA SAID THE MAJORITY OF JAPANESE LABOR IS WILLING TO DO "ANYTHING TO ASSIST GENERAL MAC ARTHUR."

COMMUNISM POSES NO SERIOUS THREAT IN JAPAN WITH ONLY ABOUT 5 PER CENT REPRESENTATION IN ORGANIZED LABOR, HE SAID. HE WENT ON:

"THE COMMUNISTS HAVE LOST THEIR CHANCE IN JAPAN SINCE SOCIAL CONDITIONS HAVE IMPROVED. THEY NO LONGER CAN EXPLOIT MISERY AND HUNGER AS THEY CAN IN OTHER COUNTRIES."

HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE INFILTRATED "ALL THE KEY INDUSTRIES INCLUDING METAL, CHEMICAL, COMMUNICATIONS AND ELECTRIC FIELDS."

KITAMURA ESTIMATED THAT ABOUT HALF OF JAPAN'S 14,000,000 (M) INDUSTRIAL LABORERS ARE UNIONIZED, HE SAID ONLY ABOUT 400,000 WORKERS ARE UNEMPLOYED.

THE STANDARD OF LIVING IN JAPAN IS RAPIDLY IMPROVING, HE SAID, AND "THE BEST WAY TO FIGHT COMMUNISM IN ASIA IS TO RAISE THE STANDARD OF LIVING TO THE LEVEL OF HUMAN DIGNITY."

OTHER MEMBERS OF THE VISITING GROUP ARE TOTARO FUJITA, CHAIRMAN OF THE CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL FEDERATION OF PRIVATE RAILWAY WORKERS' UNIONS; ZENJI MORI, CHAIRMAN OF THE CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, JAPAN EXPRESS WORKERS' UNION, AND KANETO TANAKA, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE YAWATA SEITETSU LABOR UNION. ALL ARE FROM TOKYO.

THE GROUP WILL VISIT ST.LOUIS SUNDAY.

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MACKINAC ISLAND, MICH., AUG. 2-(AP)-A DELEGATION OF 44 JAPANESE LEADERS CAME HERE LAST NIGHT FOR A THREE-DAY VISIT TO THE NORTH AMERICAN ASSEMBLY FOR MORAL REARMAMENT.

MAYOR RALPH COULS OF MACKINAC ISLAND WELCOMED THE VISITING PUBLIC OFFICIALS, BUSINESS AND LABOR LEADERS.

REPLYING FOR THE JAPANESE, TOKUTARO KITAMURA, MEMBER OF THE DIET AND FORMER FIANCE MINISTER, SAID THE DELEGATES HAD HEARD ABOUT MACKINAC BUT THAT THEY FOUND ON THEIR ARRIVAL IT WAS "MORE WONDERFUL" THAN THEY HAD IMAGINED.

AMONG THOSE MEETING THE JAPANESE WERE GEORGE W. WELSH OF GRAND RAPIDS, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE U.S. CONFERENCE OF MAYORS; A.S.G. HOAR, WASHINGTON, ASSISTANT LOAN DIRECTOR OF THE WORLD BANK; MRS. F.F. POWELL OF SEATTLE, FOR 15 YEARS A MEMBER OF THE SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL, AND ANTON J. JOHNSON, FORMER CONGRESSMAN FROM ILLINOIS.

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PHILADELPHIA,AUG.2-(AP)-MOVIE-MAKER SAMUEL GOLDWYN SAID TODAY AMERICA MUST BE PREPARED TO SPEND $1,000,000,000 (B) ON WORLD PROPAGANDA.

HOLLYWOOD'S LEADING INDEPENDENT MAKER OF MOTION PICTURES WAS HERE AS THE GUEST OF ARTHUR C.KAUFMANN, EXECUTIVE HEAD OF GIMBEL BROTHERS AND ADDRESSED SOME 50 NEWSPAPER, MOTION PICTURE, RADIO AND TELEVISION REPRESENTATIVES AT A LUNCHEON.

"WE CAN AFFORD THE TRUTH IN OUR PUBLIC RELATIONS BECAUSE OUR PRIVATE RELATIONS ARE GOOD," SAID GOLDWYN. "RUSSIA CANNOT AFFORD IT (THE TRUTH IN PUBLIC RELATIONS) BECAUSE HER PRIVATE RELATIONS ARE DOWNRIGHT ROTTEN."

GOLDWYN, JUST RETURNED FROM A TOUR OF EUROPE, SAID HE WAS SADLY IMPRESSED WITH OUR FAILURE TO SELL THE AMERICAN STORY.

GETTING THE AMERICAN STORY ACROSS IN EUROPE IN THE FACE OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA, HE SAID, IS A MATTER OF SALESMANSHIP.

"GERMANS ARE GERMANS," GOLDWYN SAID. "YOU CAN GIVE THEM ALL THE FOOD AND MARSHALL PLAN AID YOU WISH. WHEN THEIR BELLIES ARE FULL THEY WANT TO FIGHT.

"BUT RIGHT NOW THE GERMANS ARE VERY NICE PEOPLE. WE NEED THEM. EVEN THE SPANIARDS -- FRANCO IS NOW A VERY NICE MAN. WE ARE LENDING HIM $100,000,000 (M).

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NIGHT LEAD ATOMIC (160)

NEW YORK, AUG. 2-(AP)-ABRAHAM BROTHMAN AND MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ PLEADED INNOCENT TODAY TO CHARGES OF CONSPIRING TO GIVE FALSE TESTIMONY ON A RUSSIAN ATOMIC SPY RING.

THE 36-YEAR-OLD CHEMICAL ENGINEER AND HIS 34-YEAR-OLD WOMAN BUSINESS ASSOCIATE FAILED TO GET THEIR $25,000 BAIL REDUCED DESPITE A LENGTHY PLEA BY THEIR ATTORNEY.

FEDERAL JUDGE T. HOYT DAVIS SET SEPT. 11 AS THE DAY FOR FIXING THE DATE OF THEIR TRIAL.

PERSONS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH AN ESPIONAGE RING

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DATE OF THEIR TRIAL.

"THEIR ARREST LAST WEEK-END BROUGHT TO SIX THE NUMBER OF PERSONS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH AN ESPIONAGE RING. THE RING ALLEGEDLY WORKED WITH ATOMIC SCIENTIST KLAUS FUCHS, CONVICTED OF SPYING IN ENGLAND.

BROTHMAN AND MISS MOSKOWITZ ARE SPECIFICALLY CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY TO OBSTRUCT JUSTICE. THEY ARE ACCUSED OF CONSPIRING TO GIVE FALSE TESTIMONY BEFORE A GRAND JURY.

BROTHMAN ALSO PLEADED INNOCENT TO A SECOND COUNT CHARGING HE ATTEMPTED TO INFLUENCE THE GRAND JURY TESTIMONY OF HARRY GOLD, CONFESSED ATOMIC SPY.

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TOKYO--FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP (A173FX) INSERT AFTER SECOND GRAF BEGINNING "THE WITHDRAWAL X X X THREE NOTABLE EXCEPTIONS

AT SOME POINTS DEFENSIVE TROOPS HAVE PULLED BACK AS MUCH AS 18 MILES, A BRIEFING OFFICER AT GENERAL MACARTHURS HEADQUARTERS

18 MILES, A BRIEFING OFFICER AT GENERAL MACARTHURS HEADQUARTERS REPORTED.

FOR THE LAST THREE DAYS, HE SAID, SOME AMERICANS HAVE WITHDRAWN FIVE TO SIX MILES A DAY IN THE WEST, AND SOUTH KOREANS TWO OR THREE MILES A DAY. THE WITHDRAWAL WAS WELL PLANNED, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, ALLOWS TIME FOR A BUILD UP AMERICAN STRENGTH.

THIS BUILD-UP, COMBINED WITH KOREAN LOSSES, HE SAID, HAS ALREADY COST THE COMMUNISTS "MOST OF THEIR PREPONDERANCE OF TANK STRENGTH."

THE WITHDRAWAL TOOK THE REDS BY SURPRISE, INDICATING "THE ENEMY INTELLIGENCE SOURCES HAVE DETERIORATED, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

EXCEPTIONS IN THE NEWEST WITHDRAWAL:

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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-HEAVY FIGHTING RAGED TODAY ON THE SOUTH-EASTERN KOREA FRONT AS THE REDS THREW A REINFORCING COLUMN LED BY 45 TANKS AGAINST THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION.
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BY 45 TANKS AGAINST THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION.
THE 25TH HAD BEEN HURRIEDLY SHIFTED FROM THE NORTH TO MEET THE BLOW.
BRIEFING OFFICERS IN TOKYO SAID BITTER FIGHTING WAS UNDERWAY AROUND WONGBUNG, ABOUT 10 MILES EAST OF CHINJU. THE BATTLE BEGAN THIS MORNING AFTER THE 25TH HAD HURLED BACK ONE RED ATTACK, AND CONTINUED THIS AFERNOON.

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THIS AFTERNOON.
THE BATTLE AREA IS BETWEEN 35 AND 40 MILES WEST OF PUSAN, VITAL U.S.SUPPLY PORT ON KOREA'S SOUTHEAST TIP.

FAST-MOVING NORTH KOREAN FORCES ELSEWHERE BEGAN SHELLING NEW RIVERFRONT POSITIONS ALONG A SHORTENED, 125-MILE FRONT IN THE SHRINKING BEACHHEAD OF SOUTHEAST KOREA.

TANK-EQUIPPED U. S. MARINE AND ARMY REINFORCEMENTS ALSO WERE RACING UP TO BULWARK THIS LINE, WHERE A DECISIVE BATTLE MAY BE BUILDING UP.

U. S. MARINE CARRIER-BASED PLANES ROARED INTO ACTION TODAY FOR THE FIRST TIME, BLASTING RED TARGETS BEHIND THE SOUTHRN FRONT, A NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT REPORTED.

NAVAL GUNS POUNDED FURIOUSLY AT COMMUNIST POSITIONS ON THE EAST COAST. THE SUPPLY CENTER OF CHUKSANDONG WAS SET AFIRE BY A U. S. DESTROYER, WHICH POURED 175 ROUNDS INTO THE TOWN. CHUKSANDONG IS 10 MILES NORTH OF RECAPTURED YONGDOK. SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS YESTERDAY SEIZED YONGDOK, ANCHOR CITY 80 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN.

THE SUDDEN SHIFT OF THE 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION FROM THE NORTH TO THE SOUTH FRONT WAS REPORTED IN A U. S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE. IT SAID THE COMMUNIST ATTACK ROLLED UP YESTERDAY AND WAS BEATEN BACK. AN ESTIMATED 600 NORTH KOREAN BODIES WERE STREWN ON THE BATTLEFIELD.

THE 25TH CAME TO THE RELIEF OF THE BATTERED 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION. THHE 24TH FOUGHT A DOGGED, DELAYING ACTION IN THE LONG RETREAT FROM POSITIONS SOUTH OF SEOUL, AND HAS BEEN BEARING THE BRUNT OF THE RED DRIVE TOWARD PUSAN.

THE COMMUNIST ASSAULT ON THE 25TH WAS BY AN ESTIMATED FOUR NORTH KOREAN BATTALIONS. THE COMMUNIQUE SAID ANOTHER COMMUNIST ATTACK IN COMPANY STRENGTH WAS BEATEN OFF NORTHEAST OF CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, APPARENTLY REPORTING THE 25TH ACTION, SAID A REGMUNTAL COMBAT TEAM DROVE THE COMMUNISTS BACK AFTER A SIX-HOUR BATTLE. FIGHTING BEGAN AT MIDNIGHT AND RAGED ON UNTIL 6 A.M., TODAY.
THIS WAS THE ONLY MAJOR FIGHTING ALONG THE FRONT, HEADQUARTERS SAID.
HOWEVER, THE STORM OF POSSIBLY THE BIGGEST BATTLE OF THE KOREAN WAR SEEMED ABOUT TO BREAK.
BEHIND THE WIDE NAKTONG RIVER, NOW THE NEW U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE LINE, AMERICAN ARMOR AND MEN WERE BUILDING UP IN GREAT QUANTITY, FIELD DISPATCHES SAID.
HEADQUARTERS SAID RECONNAISSANCE SHOWED THAT THE COMMUNISTS WERE BUILDING UP CONSIDERABLE STRENGTH IN THE TAEJON AREA NORTHWEST OF THE RIVER POSITIONS AROUND TAEGU.
TAEGU IS THE KEY RAIL AND HIGHWAY CITY 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN. SOME RED TROOPS WERE REPORTED ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER ONLY SEVEN MILES WEST OF TAEGU.
ENEMY PATROLS WERE TESTING OUT THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE. TWO SMALL PATROLS WERE REPORTED DISPERSED IN A CROSSING ATTEMPT SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.
THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID THAT ONLY PATROL CONTACTS WERE MADE ON THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION FRONT, WHERE THE NAKTONG WINDS NEAREST TO TAEGU. SOME ENEMY PATROLS APPROCHING THE RIVER WERE BROUGHT UNDER FIRE.
ENEMY PATROLS ALSO WERE ACTIVE ON THE SOUTH KOREAN PART OF THE FRONT ABOUT 35 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.
THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID ENEMY PATROLS HAD BEEN DISPERSED BY THE SOUTH KOREANS SOUTH OF THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THAT AREA.
THE SOUTH KOREANS ACTUALLY WERE NOT DEFENDING THE SOUTH BANK OF THE STREAM THERE. THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THEY HAD WITHDRAWN "SEVERAL MILES" EAST AND SOUTH OF THE RIVER TO PREPARED POSITIONS IN THE HILLS.

THE LAST AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN SOLDIERS CROSSED THE BROAD NAK-TONG RIVER TO THE EAST BANK THURSDAY AND BLEW ALL BRIDGES. WITHIN AN HOUR, SWIFTLY PURSUING RED PATROLS WHICH HAD MARCHED 20 MILES ON FOOT DURIN

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HOUR, SWIFTLY PURSUING RED PATROLS WHICH HAD MARCHED 20 MILES ON FOOT DURING THE NIGHT WERE SIGHTED ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG, SAID ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE.

A RELIABLE SOURCE AT U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID TWO SMALL RED PATROLS TRIED TO CROSS THE RIVER SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU AT 4A.M.TODAY, WERE FIRED UPON, AND HAD NOT BEEN OBSERVED SINCE.

RED ARTILLERY ALSO MOVED FORWARD HURRIEDLY AND BEGAN SHELLING THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG BY NOON THURSDAY AT A POINT 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. RED ARTILLERY HAD NOT YET RIG TAEGU, WHICH WAS WITHIN EASY EASY SHELLING RANGE.

THE SECOND BIG RED BUILDUP WAS AIMED AT PUSAN, THE SOUTHEASTERN PORT OF 250,000 PERSONS, NOW SWOLLEN BY REFUGEES. IT IS THROUGH PUSAN THAT THE AMERICAN ARMY FUNNELS ITS SUPPLIES TO THE FIGHTING FRONT.

FRONT DISPATCHES PREDICTED ACTION BY NIGHTFALL FRIDAY FOR ELEMENTS OF THE NEWLY-LANDED FIRST MARINE DIVISION--WITH THEIR 47 1/2 TON PERSHING TANKS, FLAMETHROWERS AND SUPER-BAZOOKAS--AND THE WELL-EQUIPPED SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION TROOPS WHO WERE HASTENING TO THE FRONT.

THERE WAS NO REFERENCE TO THE U.S. FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF APPROXIMATELY 6,000 MEN, ALSO LANDED THIS WEEK.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS OMITTED ITS USUAL WAR SUMMARY EARLY FRIDAY MORNING WITH THE STATEMENT, "THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE OVERALL SITUATION."

FRONT DISPATCHES, HOWEVER, REPORTED A RECONNAISSANCE IN FORCE BY A BATTALION OF U.S. 24TH DIVISION TROOPS EQUIPPED WITH SHERMAN TANKS, ARMORED CARS AND JEEPS. THIS FORCE PUNCHED 22 MILES THROUGH NORTH KOREAN LINES ON THE SOUTHERN SECTOR UNTIL IT MADE CONTACT WITH THE MAIN COMMUNIST RESERVES MASSING AT CHINJU FOR A KNOCKOUT ATTEMPT ON PUSAN.

LAST REPORTS PLACED THE AMERICAN LINES EIGHT MILES WEST OF MASAN IN THE VICINITY OF CHUNGAM--WHICH IS 20 MILES EAST OF CHINJU. THIS WOULD PLACE THEM ABOUT 35 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

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THE SITUATION SOUTH OF CHUNGAM WAS NOT CLEAR. THE REDS MAY HAVE SENT ADVANCE UNITS A FEW MILES FARTHER EAST IN AN ATTEMPT TO FLANK AMERICAN POSITIONS.

THE MAIN BODY OF REDS, HOWEVER, ESTIMATED AT TWO DIVISIONS--OR 20,000 MEN--WERE BUILDING UP STRENGTH AT CHINJU FOR THEIR DRIVE ON PUSAN.

THE TANK LED AMERICAN RECONNAISSANCE FORCE ROLLED WITHIN A FEW MILES OF CHINJU BEFORE PULLING BACK.

IT RETIRED TO 24TH DIVISION POSITIONS SOME 13 MILES EAST OF CHINJU AFTER DEMONSTRATING THAT COMMUNIST LINES COULD BE BREACHED BY A HARD-HITTING TANK-LED FORCE.

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IN THE ONLY OTHER MAJOR GROUND ACTION THURSDAY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS OF THE THIRD DIVISION RE-OCCUPIED THE BATTERED EAST COAST PORT OF YONGDOK, 30 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN, TO RE-ESTABLISH IT AS THE EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE DEFENDERS.

YONGDOK HAS BEEN HEAVILY SHELLED BY U.S. AND BRITISH CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS. THE WARSHIPS SENT SIX AND EIGHT INCH SHELLS PLUMMETING INTO THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION AS IT PULLED BACK THREE MILES ALONG THE COAST LINE WITH THE SOUTH KOREANS IN FULL PURSUIT.

FIFTH AIR FORCE JETS AND MUSTANG FIGHTERS DRUBBED NORTH KOREAN TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WITH ROCKET AND CANNON FIRE IN MORE THAN 400 SORTIES. THE REDS WERE FORCED TO GIVE UP THEIR DAYLIGHT MOVEMENTS ALONG ROADS AND RETURN TO THEIR MORE CAUTIOUS POLICY OF BUILDING UP CONCENTRATIONS BY NIGHT.

IN ONE ACTION EAST OF CHINJU, FIGHTERS TEAMED WITH AMERICAN GROUND TROOPS TO RIP TO SHREDS A NORTH KOREAN COLUMN SEALED UP AT ONE END OF A NARROW DEFILE. SHOOTING STARS AND MUSTANGS DOVE ON THE DEFILE WITH THEIR ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE TEARING THROUGH CLOSE PACKED RANKS OF RED INFANTRY WHO WERE UNABLE TO FIND COVER. THE NUMBER OF CASUALTIES WAS NOT ESTIMATED, BUT IT WAS BELIEVED TO BE UNUSUALLY HIGH.

AN EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE THURSDAY NIGHT SAID THE ONLY TWO PLACES IN THE ENTIRE LINE WHERE "REAL FIGHTING" WAS IN PROGRESS DURING THE DAY WERE IN THE VICINITY OF CHINJU ON THE SOUTH AND AT YONGDOK, THE NORTHEAST ANCHOR POSITION.

HEADQUARTERS OF LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER, EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER, SAID 24TH DIVISION TROOPS EAST OF CHINJU STOOD THEIR GROUND UNDER HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE. GROUPS OF RED INFILTRATORS ATTACKED A COMMAND POST AND SOME AMERICAN ARTILLERY POSITIONS, BUT WERE DRIVEN BACK.

FARTHER NORTH, AT ABANDONED KUMCHON, 40 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, NORTH KOREANS WERE SHOWING "CONSIDERABLE ACTIVITY." THEY PULLED UP TANKS AND OTHER VEHICLES TO SUPPORT THEIR DRIVE TOWARD THE PROVINCIAL CAPITAL OF TAEGU. ALLIED AIR STRIKES DESTROYED A NUMBER OF TANKS AND CARS IN THIS CONCENTRATION.

THE NORTH KOREANS ALSO SHOWED SIGNS OF RENEWED ACTIVITY ON THE NORTHERN ROOF OF THE ALLIED DEFENSE LINES IN THE VICINITY OF YECHON AND ANDONG. TWO RED DIVISIONS OCCUPY THOSE TOWNS AND ARE CONFRONTED ALONG THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER BY AT LEAST TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS.

THE NAKTONG RIVER BARRIER WAS PROVIDING BOTH AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WITH A GOOD NATURAL LINE. TO REACH IT HAD COST THE DEFENDERS SPACE VARYING FROM SIX TO 18 MILES.

THERE WERE STRONG INDICATIONS THAT AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN WITHDRAWALS DURING THE PAST THREE DAYS HAD CAUGHT THE NORTH KOREANS BY SURPRISE, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S BRIEFING OFFICER POINTED OUT.

IT UPSET THE RED STRATEGY OF HEAVY FRONTAL PRESSURE AND FLANKING STABS AT A TIME WHEN MOVEMENT OF AMERICAN REINFORCEMENTS TO THE FRONT WAS AT ITS MOST CRITICAL PERIOD.

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FROM THEIR NEW AND STABILIZED LINES, AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE IN POSITION TO LAUNCH COUNTER-OFFESNVIE ACTION OVER RELATIVELY SHORT SUPPLY LINES, WHILE THE REDS WERE EXTENDED ON LONG SUPPLY ROUTES SUBJECT TO HEAVY AIR ATTACKS.

IT APPEARED TOO EARLY TO SAY THAT THE NORTH KOREAN KNOCKOUT BLOW AIMED AT PUSAN WAS PERMANENTLY STOPPED. THERE WAS NO DOUBT ABOUT IT BEING CHECKED. THIS WAS PARTLY CREDITED TO THE 24TH DIVISION'S BATTALION-STRENGTH RECONNAISSANCE IN THE SOUTH.

SPEAKING OF THIS ACTION, MAJ.GEN.JOHN H.CHURCH, 24TH COMMANDER, TOLD AP CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING, "OUR TIMING WAS FORTUNATE. OUR ATTACK STOPPED THEIRS FROM GETTING UNDER WAY."

CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THE 24TH DIVISION ARMORED PATROL RAN A GANTLET OF MACHINEGUN FIRE THROUGHOUT ITS 22 MILE DASH.

FOUR SHERMAN TANKS AND FOUR ARMORED CARS WERE ABANDONED BUT TWO OTHER DAMAGED TANKS WERE BROUGHT BACK BY VOLUNTEERS AFTER THEIR CREWS WERE KILLED OR SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

THE TANK FORCE CAPTURED NORTH KOREAN DOCUMENTS, MAPS AND RUSSIAN MADE EQUIPMENT IN ADDITION TO LOCATING THE MAIN ENEMY FORCE.

AFTER RETURNING TO AMERICAN LINES SHORTLY AFTER MIDNIGHT THE RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION WAS ROUSED BY A STRONG FORCE OF REDS ATTEMPTING TO INFILTRATE AMERICAN ARTILLERY POSITIONS. THE COMBAT-WARY AMERICANS UNLIMBERED MACHINE GUNS TO COMMAND BOTH SIDES OF THE ROAD APPROACHING THEIR POSITIONS. REDS WALKED INTO THE FIRE TRAP.

THE INFILTRATION WAS REPULSED WITH 175 NORTH KOREANS DEAD OR WOUNDED.

IN STRATEGIC SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCE ACTION, B-29S OF THE FAR EAST BOMBED COMMAND MADE THEIR THIRD HEAVY STRIKE WITHIN FIVE DAYS AT THE HUNGNAM CHEMICAL CENTER, 90 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. MORE THAN 400 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON THE BOGUN CHEMICAL FACTORY, MAKING A TOTAL OF 1,300 TONS OF BOMBS DROPPED IN THIS AREA IN THE THREE ATTACKS.

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THIRD LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOKYO,FRIDAY,AUG 4 (AP)-STRONG AMERICAN REINFORCEMENTS ROLLED FORWARD WITH TANKS TODAY FOR THE SHOWDOWN FIGHT FOR SOUTH KOREA, AS THE AGGRESSIVE COMMUNIST INVADERS ALREADY HAD BROUGHT THE NEW NAKTONG RIVER DEFE LINE UNDER ARTILLERY FIRE.

AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED FROM THE CENTRAL FRONT NEAR TAEGU THURSDAY NIGHT THAT SWIFT-MARCHING NORTH KOREAN PATROLS REACHED THE WEST BANKS OF THE NAKTONG WITHIN AN HOUR AFTER AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS HAD CROSSED TO THE EAST BANK.

THE REDS HAD PURSUED 20 MILES ON FOOT AT AMAZING SPEED. SHORTLY AFTERWARD THEY STARTED SHELLING HYONPUNG, A HIGHWAY TOWN ON THE EAST BANK 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. AS THE RIVER MEANDERS, THEY WERE AT ONE PLACE WITHIN SEVEN MILES OF TAEGU, BUT THAT KEY ROAD-RAIL HUB WAS QUIET.

ELEMENTS OF TWO FRESH AMERICAN DIVISIONS--THE FIRST MARINES AND THE ARMY'S SECOND INFANTRY--JOINED THREE OTHER AMERICAN AND FIVE SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS ALONG THE SHRINKING FRONT.

FRONTLINE PREDICTIONS WERE THE MARINES AND SECOND INFANTRY TROOPS WOULD BE IN BATTLE BY NIGHTFALL.

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THE LINES STRETCHED FROM THE GENERAL SOUTH COAST AREA OF CHINJU NORTHWARD ALONG THE WINDING BANKS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. THE ALLIED TROOPS HAD QUIETLY WITHDRAWN FROM FORMER POSITIONS AS MUCH AS 18 MILES OVER A THREE DAY PERIOD.

A FIELD DISPATCH EARLY TODAY SAID THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HAD COMPLETED ITS ORDERLY WITHDRAWAL TO THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THE BRIDGE NEAR WAEGWAN WAS BLOWN AFTER THE LAST AMERICANS CROSSED.

A DARING U.S. 24TH INFANTRY BATTALION, ON A RECONNAISSANCE SWEEP WITH FIVE TANKS, PENETRATED 22 MILES BEHIND THE COMMUNIST LINES NEAR CHINJU THURSDAY.

IT DISCOVERED A BIG ENEMY BUILDUP FOR THE BATTLE FOR THE PLAINS LEADING TO PUSAN, THE JAMMED U.S. PORT 40 MILES EAST OF THE FRONT.

THE TASK FORCE THEN FOUGHT ITS WAY OUT OF THE ENEMY LINES, WITH SOME LOSSES, AND RESCUED A REGIMENTAL COMMAND POST FROM DESTRUCTION BY GUERRILLAS. THE ENEMY MARAUDERS HAD FILTERED EASTWARD IN SMALL NUMBERS TOWARDS MASAN, PORT CITY 25 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

DON WHITEHEAD, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT AT THE FRONT, SAID THE AMERICAN FORAY PROVED THE ENEMY LINES COULD BE BREACHED BY A HARD-HITTING TANK FORCE.

WHITEHEAD SAID THE BATTALION ALMOST REACHED BURNING CHINJU, PENETRATING REAR ELEMENTS OF THE REDS.

IT WAS THE DEEPEST PENETRATION MADE YET BY AN AMERICAN FORCE INTO THE RED LINES AND SURPRISED THE ENEMY IN A ROARING ROAD BATTLE.

THE TASK FORCE RAN THROUGH MACHINEGUN FIRE ALL THE WAY OUT BUT BROUGHT BACK CAPTURED ENEMY DOCUMENTS, MAPS AND RUSSIAN-MADE EQUIPMENT. THE LOOT WAS CONSIDERED IMPORTANT BY INTELLIGENCE, WHITEHEAD REPORTED.

FOUR SHERMAN TANKS AND FOUR ARMORED CARS WERE ABANDONED BY THE AMERICANS AS THEY WITHDREW TO ROAD POSITIONS FOUR MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHUNJAM, ABOUT 40 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

THE AMERICANS PULLED OUT AFTER THE REDS HAD GOT BEHIND THEM AND CUT OFF THE TANKS. THE RED KOREANS STOPPED THE FIRST TANK AND THE LAST ONE WITH IMMOBILIZING TACTICS. THE TANK CREWS AND MOST OF THE ARMORED CREWS ESCAPED.

THE AMERICANS THEN FANNED OUT TO THE NORTH AND SOUTH AND FOUGHT BACK TO THE MAIN U.S. DEFENSIVE POSITION NEAR WONBUNG VILLAGE, ABOUT 10 MILES NORTHEAST OF CHINJU.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING QUOTED MAJ.GEN.JOHN E. CHURCH, NEW 24TH DIVISION COMMANDER, AS SAYING THE DARING TANK FORAY WAS FORTUNATELY TIMED. "OUR ATTACK STOPPED THEIRS FROM GETTING UNDERWAY," CHURCH SAID.

LEIF ERICKSON, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT AT U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SAID THE BIG WITHDRAWAL OF ALLIED TROOPS IN THE WEST AND NORTH PUT THE DEFENDERS ON A LINE OF THEIR CHOICE, THE NAKTONG RIVER.

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THE FALL BACK, HE SAID, DISENGAGED HARD-PRESSED AMERICAN FORCES WHILE THE NEWLY ARRIVED SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION AND ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION WERE BEING DEPLOYED. THE NEW ARRIVALS IN THE BATTLE SECTORS HAVE THE HEAVIEST ARMS YET TO BE BROUGHT INTO COMBAT ON THE ALLIED SIDE.

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ON THE NEW CONSOLIDATED FRONT THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS FACE THE COMMUNISTS ON VIRTUALLY EQUAL TERMS IN DIVISION STRENGTH. THERE WERE FIVE AMERICAN DIVISIONS AND FIVE SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS FACING AN ESTIMATED NINE TO 10 NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS.

ERICKSON SAID, HOWEVER, THE UNITED NATIONS STILL LACKED ENOUGH POWER TO EMBARK ON ANY REAL COUNTER-OFFENSIVE. HE SAID THERE WOULD SOON BE MORE CARRIER-BASED PLANES TO HELP BREAK UP THE LONG SUPPLY LINES THE COMMUNISTS NOW MUST MAINTAIN.

THE CORRESPONDENT SAID THE ALLIED WITHDRAWALS WERE SKILLFUL. THEY CONSERVED MANPOWER AND DENIED THE COMMUNISTS AN OPPORTUNITY TO ATTACK DURING THE CRITICAL TIME WHEN THE REINFORCING SECOND INFANTRY AND FIRST MARINE DIVISION ELEMENTS MOVED UP.

THESE REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVED IN THE NICK OF TIME WHILE A DANGEROUS FIGHT WAS GOING ON ALONG THE PERIMETER AROUND CROWDED PUSAN.

THE HOLDING ACTIONS OF THE HARD-HIT 24TH, FIRST CAVALRY AND THE 25TH DIVISIONS IN THE KUMCHON-PUSAN CORRIDOR AND THE LONG THIN WESTERN FRONT BOUGHT THE NEEDED TIME FOR THE BUILDUP OF ALLIED FORCES. IT GAVE COMMANDERS TIME FOR A DELIBERATE CHOICE OF A STRONG NATURAL DEFENSE LINE.

THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS CAN NOT MOVE FASTER THAN THEIR INFANTRY CAN WALK. THEY ARE NOT EXPECTED TO HIT THE ALLIED LINES FOR AT LEAST 24 HOURS.

A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY KOREAN HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE AT 9:15 P.M. THURSDAY (6:15 A.M. THURSDAY EST) SAID STRONG RED INFANTRY ASSAULTS AND HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE HIT AT THE AMERICANS OUTSIDE OF CHINJU. DURING THE MORNING THE COMMUNISTS INFILTRATED A COMMAND POST AND SOME ARTILLERY POSITIONS BUT WERE DRIVEN BACK.

DUELS ARE IN THE MAKING BETWEEN THE 47 1/2-TON (CORRECT) GENERAL PERSHINGS AND THE 30-TON RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS THE REDS HAVE BEEN USING TO GREAT ADVANTAGE.

IF THEY FIGHT IN BOGGY LOWLANDS EAST OF CHINJU ON THE ROADS TO PUSAN THE MORE MANEUVERABLE RUSSIAN-BUILT MACHINES MIGHT HAVE SOME TACTICAL ADVANTAGE BUT WILL BE OUTGUNNED.

ON THE EAST COAST, SOUTH KOREANS REGAINED SHELL-FLATTENED YONGDOK UNDER A NEW ALLIED NAVAL BARRAGE COVER. THEY DROVE THE COMMUNISTS THREE MILES TO THE NORTH OF THE CITY. THE BARRAGE CONTINUED THURSDAY WITH EIGHT-INCH CRUISER GUNS HAMMERING THE REDS.

THE AMERICAN RETREAT IN THE WEST AND THE KOREAN REPUBLICAN WITHDRAWAL IN THE NORTH--WEST OF YONGDOK--WAS REPORTED ORDERLY. THE NORTHERN REDS APPARENTLY WERE SURPRISED BY THE WITHDRAWALS.

THE MEANDERING NAKTONG RIVER OFFERS THE ALLIES WHAT MAY BE THE BEST NATURAL BARRIER THEY HAVE HAD UP TO NOW IN THE UNEQUAL KOREAN WAR. IT IS DEEP AND BROAD IN SPOTS AND SOME BRIDGES ACROSS IT HAVE BEEN BLOWN.

A BRIEFING OFFICER AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO SAID AMERICAN AND KOREAN RETREATS ON THE CENTRAL AND NORTHERN ARCS, AVERAGING FROM TWO TO SIX MILES A DAY FOR THREE DAYS, GAINED TIME FOR A BUILDUP OF THE REINFORCEMENTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

THE MACARTHUR SPOKESMAN SAID THE MARINES WOULD THROW MORE POWERFUL ARMOR AT THE NORTH KOREANS THAN ANY THEY HAD ENCOUNTERED. THE MARINES' PERSHING TANKS CARRY 90 MM. GUNS. OTHER MARINE WEAPONS INCLUDE SUPER-BAZOOKAS AND FLAME THROWERS.

THE COMMUNISTS, MACARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN SAID, HAVE LOST MOST OF THEIR TANK STRENGTH. THEY WERE REPORTED REGROUPING AND GETTING READY FOR THE DRIVES TOWARD PUSAN AND TAEGU, WHICH IS SCARCELY SEVEN MILES FROM THE NAKTONG, 50 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

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AT LEAST HALF A DIVISION OF REDS HAD BEEN ADDED TO THE TWO DIVISIONS IN THE CHINJU AREA. THE BATTLE-TRIED 24TH DIVISION HALTED THE REDS IN THE HILLS THERE.

ONE COLUMN OF COMMUNISTS WAS FORCED INTO A DEFILE BY THE AMERICANS ON THE CHINJU FRONT. FIGHTER PLANES DIVED ON THEM, BLASTING THE REDS WITH ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUNS.

GENERAL MACARTHUR IN HIS WEDNESDAY NIGHT WAR SUMMARY SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAD RECKLESSLY THROWN AWAY THOUSANDS OF LIVES.

MACARTHUR'S REPORT SAID AMERICANS EAST OF CHINJU COUNTER-ATTACKED "FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECTIFYING THEIR LINES AND TO DISORGANIZE A THREATENED RED OFFENSIVE."

A FRONT DISPATCH FROM ASSOCIATED PRESS WAR CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE SAID COMMUNIST ARTILLERY SHELLED A RIVERSIDE HIGHWAY 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. HE SAID THE RED FIRE WAS AIMED TO CUT AMERICAN HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ALONG THE ROAD EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER TO TAEGU, PROVINCIAL CAPITAL. THIS WAS THE NEAREST ATTACK ON TAEGU UP TO THEN.

MACARTHUR REPORTED A REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION THREW BACK A COMMUNIST THRUST EAST OF KUMCHON IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR. KUMCHON WAS ABANDONED IN FLAMES BY THE FIRST CAVALRY WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

ALLIED WARPLANES CONTINUED HAMMERING ENEMY TROOPS AND SUPPLY. FLYING MORE THAN 400 SORTIES WEDNESDAY, THEY CONCENTRATED ON CLOSE TACTICAL GROUND SUPPORT IN THE BATTLE AREA WEST OF PUSAN.

B-29 BOMBERS RANGED TO NORTH KOREA FOR THEIR THIRD BIG BLOW IN FIVE DAYS. THEY HIT THE BOGUN CHEMICAL PLANT AT HUNGNAM, ON THE NORTHEAST COAST, WITH 400 TONS OF BOMBS. FIRES WERE STARTED AND PILOTS SAID RESULTS WERE GOOD GENERALLY. THE BOMBS THERE BOOSTED TO 1,300 TONS THE TOTAL DROPPED ON NORTH KOREAN PLANTS IN FIVE DAYS.

OTHER ALLIED PLANES CONCENTRATED ON RED GROUND TROOPS AND SUPPLIES IN MORE THAN 400 SORTIES WEDNESDAY, MOSTLY IN THE BATTLE AREA WEST OF PUSAN.

THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE REPORTED DAMAGING 76 NORTH KOREAN VEHICLES, 29 RAILROAD CARS AND SIX LOCOMOTIVES. U.S. B-29S BOMBED NINE BRIDGES, INCLUDING ONE OF THEIR MORE FAMILIAR TARGETS--THE RAILROAD BRIDGE WEST OF SEOUL, THE LONG-LOST SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

IN ADDITION TO COVERING THE SOUTH KOREANS' RECAPTURE OF YONGDOK, NAVAL GUNFIRE DAMAGED MILITARY INSTALLATIONS AT RED-HELD MOKPO, FORMER NAVAL BASE ON KOREA'S SOUTHWEST COAST.

AN AERIAL SPOTTER REPORTED A TWO-HOUR BOMBARDMENT BY TWO BRITISH DESTROYERS--"OPERATING UNDER EXTREME NAVIGATIONAL HAZARDS"--SET A LARGE FIRE IN AN OIL STORAGE AREA AND HIT WAREHOUSES, A FACTORY, RAILROAD SIDINGS AND DOCK INSTALLATIONS AT MOKPO.

THE FAR EAST NAVAL SUMMARY SAID MOKPO "COULD BE A VITAL STAGING POINT FOR THE NORTH KOREANS IN CLOSE-IN WATER RESUPPLY OPERATIONS ALONG THE WEST AND SOUTH COASTS."

A HYDROELECTRIC PLANT AT MOKPO WAS THE TARGET OF ROCKET-FIRING MUSTANGS.

AIRMEN GENERALLY REPORTED THEY HAD DIFFICULTY FINDING TARGETS ALONG THE KOREAN ROADS. TWO DAYS AGO THE COMMUNISTS PUSHED THEIR TANKS AND SUPPLIES DOWN HIGHWAYS IN DAYLIGHT. AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN PILOTS SHOT SOME OF THEM TO BITS. SUCH TARGETS WERE SCARCE THURSDAY UNDER TERRIFIC POUNDING AND STRAFING.

PRESSURE ON SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS IN THE NORTH CENTRAL SECTORS HAD EASED NOTICEABLY THURSDAY. ONLY MINOR ENGAGEMENTS WERE FOUGHT IN THE ANDONG-YECHON-HAMCHANG AREA.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE KOREAN REPUBLICANS HAD BEEN SUPPLIED WITH MORE ARTILLERY AND WERE WAITING FOR THE SIGNAL TO KICK OFF ON A GENERAL ATTACK.

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TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-U. S. MARINES' CARRIER-BASED PLANES WENT INTO ACTION TODAY FOR THE FIRST TIME ON THE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT, SUPPORTING AMERICAN GROUND TROOPS ON THE VITAL SOUTHERN SECTOR.

THE FAR EAST NAVAL COMMUNIQUE REPORTED THAT THE MARINE PLANES STRUCK AT TARGETS SOUTHWEST OF CHINJU. THEY POUNDED A KOREAN RED SPEARHEAD AIMED AT PUSAN, VITAL U.S. SUPPLY PORT 55 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

THE MARINE FLIERS WERE IN ACTION LESS THAN TWO DAYS AFTER LEATHERNECK GROUND FORCES LANDED AT A SOUTH KOREAN PORT AND BEGAN MOVING TO THE BATTLEFRONT.

THE COMMUNIQUE REPORTED A NAVAL BOMBARDMENT SET ABLAZE THE NORTH KOREAN SUPPLY CENTER OF CHUKSANDONG, ON THE EAST COAST. AN AMERICAN DESTROYER SLAMMED 175 SHELLS AT INSTALLATIONS THERE AND AN AERIAL OBSERVER REPORTED IT WAS "A BEAUTIFUL JOB."

U. S. FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS REPORTED FIGHTERS AND MEDIUM BOMBERS DESTROYED 12 LOCOMOTIVES AND DAMAGED SEVEN IN STRIKES AT RED SUPPLY LINES THURSDAY.

THE STRIKES AGAINST THE ENEMY CONTINUED THURSDAY NIGHT, WITH PILOTS REPORTING AN ADDITIONAL SEVEN LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED FOR A RECORD BAG OF 19.

THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE SUMMARY SAID U.S. BOMBERS BLASTED SEOUL, SUWON, SUNCHON, INCHON AND PYONGTAEK. THOSE CITIES, SCATTERED AS THEY ARE, INDICATED THE PLANES ROAMED THE LENGTH AND BREADTH OF SOUTH KOREA.

OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE'S 378 SORTIES THURSDAY, 291 WERE IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES.

A SPOKESMAN SAID B-26S GAVE PRIORITY TO SUPPLY TARGETS IN THE CRITICAL SOUTHWEST SECTOR, WHERE THE COMMUNISTS ARE TRYING TO BUILD UP FORCES FOR THE SPEARHEADS AIMED AT PUSAN.

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TWELVE ATTACK BOMBRS REPORTED HITS AT YOSU AND SUNCHON, ON THE SOUTH COAST SOUTHWEST OF CHINJU. DOCKS AND RAILYARDS WERE DAMAGED AT BOTH PLACES.

TWO B-26S FLYING NIGHT MISSIONS, STRAFED A NORTH KOREAN MOTOR COLUMN OF ABOUT 40 VEHICLES NEAR SUNCHON.

AT MOKPO, SOUTHWEST PORT, MUSTANGS AND JET FIGHTERS STRAFED A NUMBER OF SMALL VESSELS. THE REDS APPARENTLY ARE TRYING TO SUPPLY THEIR SOUTHERN FORCES THROUGH MOKPO, A FORMER NAVAL BASE.

ON THE EAST COAST, JUST NORTH OF RETAKEN YONGDOK, ALLIED NAVAL GUNS CONTINUED TO BOMBARD REDS IN FRONT OF ADVANCING KOREAN REPUBLICAN FORCES.

SHIPS HAMMERED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS AROUND EAST COAST TOWNS OF YANGYANG, SOKUSO, AND CHUMMUNJIN, NEAR THE 38TH PARALLEL.

A UNITED NATIONS DESTROYER, NATIONALITY UNSPECIFIED, KNOCKED OUT A SECOND GUN POSITION ON THE ONGJIN PENINSULOOU WEST COAST. SEVERAL DAYS AGOO, AN AUSTRALIAN DESTROYER REPORTED A SIMILAR SUCCESS.

PILOTS RETURNING TO THE FIFTH AIR FORCE BASE REPORTED "HUNDREDS" OF RED TROOPS WERE SEEN ENTERING KUMCHON THURSDAY. THEY SAID THEIR ROCKETS DESTROYED A TANK AND FOUR TRUCKS IN THE TOWN, WHICH IS 30 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

TWELVE B-26S HIT THE KUMCHON RAILWAY YARDS. HEAVY DAMAGE WAS REPORTED.

A PONTOON BRIDGE SOUTH OF SEOUL, CAPTURED SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL, WAS DESTROYED FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY AFTER IT HAD BEEN REBUILT BY THE REDS.

ATTACK BOMBERS ALSO KNOCKED OUT A RADIO STATION AND POWER PLANT IN THE SEOUL AREA AND BOMBED NEARBY KIMPO AIRFIELD.

THE FIFTH'S TANK SCORE ON ALL SECTORS THURSDAY WAS LISTED AS FOUR KNOCKED OUT AND SIX DAMAGED.

THOSE STRIKES FOLLOWED HEAVY ATTACKS BY B-29S FARTHER NORTH. THE SUPERFORTRESSES, IN THEIR THIRD MAJOR RAID IN FIVE DAYS, BOMBED THE BOGUN CHEMICAL PLANT AT HUNGNAM ON THE EAST COAST, 118 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

STRIKING SHORTLY BEFORE NOON THURSDAY, THE B-29S RAINED 400 TONS OF BOMBS ON THE FACTORY. THE BOGUN PLANT IS THREE MILES FROM THE EXPLOSIVES FACTORY DESCRIBED BY THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE AS "ALMOST TOTALLY DESTROYED" BY B-29S SUNDAY.

THE SUPERFORTS REPORTED SOME ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE.

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AERIAL TEXT (340)
TOKYO,AUG.3-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 196 (AERIAL), TIMED AT 7:10 P.M. (4 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

EARLY REPORTS RECEIVED THIS AFTERNOON (THURSDAY, AUG. 3) TELL OF FIGHTER AND LIGHT BOMBER AIRPLANES OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE AGAIN SUPPORTING THE GROUND TROOPS BY MAKING DIRECT STRIKES AGAINST THE COMMUNIST AND HIS SUPPLY CHAINS.

FLYING AN F-80 JET, MAJOR JOHN A.DUGGANE, 502 LINCOLN AVENUE, EAU CLAIRE, WIS., SAID: "THE CONTROLLER IN THE AREA DIRECTED ME TO A WELL-CAMOUFLAGED TANK ABOUT TWO MILES WEST OF KUMCHON. I HIT IT WITH A ROCKET ON THE SECOND PASS AND OBSERVED A BLAST OF FIRE SHOOTING UP ABOUT 100 FEET FROM IT."

CAPT.JOE E.KING, GARDNER, MASS., FLYING WITH MAJ.DUGGANE, SAID HE OBSERVED ENEMY TROOPS IN THE HILLS FIRING AT AIRPLANES WITH SMALL CALIBRE FLAK. THE TWO F-80 PILOTS STRAFED THE TROOPS BUT SUSTAINED NO DAMAGE THEMSELVES.

NEAR HAMCHANG THE AIRBORNE CONTROLLER DIRECTED F-80 PILOTS TO SEVEN ENEMY TRUCKS AND TWO TANKS. THE FLIGHT LEADER, CAPT.MILLARD W. HODGES, 2312 EAST FIFTH ST., TULSA, OKLA., SAID: "WE SHOT AT THE TWO TANKS WITH ROCKETS AND LEFT ONE BURNING AND THE OTHER DAMAGED. WE USED MACHINE GUNS ON THE TRUCKS, WITH FLAMES OBSERVED ON FIVE AND SOME DAMAGE INFLICTED ON THE OTHERS."

FIRST LT.ORVILLE J.NORDGREN, SANTA MARIA, CALIF., FLEW THE KUMCHON TO YONGDONG ROUTE IN HIS F-80 THURSDAY. "I HAD GOOD LUCK AGAINST A BUS AND TRUCKS," HE SAID.

THE CONTROLLERS SENT SECOND LT.HOWARD R.AUTEN, MARTINS FERRY, O., TO A CLUSTER OF TANKS AND VEHICLES NEAR HAMCHANG. THE JET PILOT SAID ON RETURN: "ALL OF THE VEHICLES WERE HIT BY MACHINEGUN FIRE AND ONE TANK WAS LEFT BURNING."

INTRUDER MISSIONS WERE FLOWN WEDNESDAY NIGHT AND THURSDAY BY B-26 CREWS BEHIND THE BATTLE LINES. ON A NIGHT MISSION FIRST LT.MONTO BALLEW, SHREVEPORT, LA., SAID: "AT TAEJONG WE SET AN AUTIMOTIVE REPAIR SHOP ON FIRE AND ALSO ATTACKED A TANK, TRUCK AND BOXCAR IN THE AREA. THEN WE DROPPED OUR BOMBS ON THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT PYONGGONG."

OTHER B-26S FLEW AGAINST COMMUNIST SUPPLY LINES, CONVOYS, RAILROADS AND VEHICLES IN THE SUNCHON, CHINJU, NANWON

OTHER B-26S FLEW AGAINST COMMUNIST SUPPLY LINES, CONVOYS, RAILROADS AND VEHICLES IN THE SUNCHON, CHINJU, NANWON, CHONAN, AND SUWON AREAS.

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AERIAL AERIAL TEXT (240)
TOKYO,AUG.3-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 197, TIMED AT 7:55 P.M. (4:55 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

THE THIRD MAJOR STRIKE WITHIN FIVE DAYS AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN CHEMICAL AND MUNITIONS MANUFACTURING COMPLEX WAS MADE TODAY WHEN U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES' B-29 SUPERFORTS AGAIN DROPPED MORE THAN 400 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVE BOMBS.

TODAYS TARGET WAS THE LARGE BOGUN CHEMICAL PLANT IN KONAN (HUNGNAM) ABOUT THREE MILES UP THE RIVER FROM THE EXPLOSIVES FACTORY ALMOST TOTALLY DESTROYED BY B-29S ON JULY 30.

ONE FOURTH OF TODAY'S BOMBS WAS DROPPED VISUALLY AND THREE-FOURTHS BY RADAR. SOME FLAK WAS ENCOUNTERED ACCORDING TO RETURNING CREWS. BOMBING RESULTS WERE GENERALLY GOOD, THEY REPORTED, AND FIRES WERE SEEN BY SOME AIRMEN THROUGH BREAKS IN THE CLOUDS.

THIS THIRD STRATEGIC TARGET IN THE INDUSTRIAL AREA WAS ENGAGED PRIMARILY IN THE PRODUCTION OF MATERIALS FROM WHICH MUNITIONS COULD BE PRODUCED.

THE B-29S ARRIVED OVER THE TARGET SHORTLY AFTER NOON, TWO HOURS LATER THAN PREVIOUS MASS PRECISION ATTACKS. CLOUDS OBSCURED THE CHEMICAL PLANT FROM MOST OF THE BOMBARDIERS REQUIRING RADAR BOMBING. AYE FEW WERE ABLE TO RELEASE THEIR BOMBS AFTER VISUAL SIGHTING.

TODAY'S TARGET WAS THE THIRD TO BE ATTACKED IN THE KONAN AREA FOLLOWS AYE RECAPITULATION TO DATE.

JULY 30 -- ABOUT 500 TONS ON THE CHOSEN NITROGEN EXPLOSIVES FACTORY AUG. 1 -- MORE THAN 400 TONS ON THE CHOSEN NITROGEN FERTILIZER FACTORY TODAY AUG. 3 -- ABOUT 400 TONS ON THE BOGUN CHEMICAL FACTORY.

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TOKYO,FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 198 ISSUED AT 12:10 P.M., (9:10 P.M., EST, THURSDAY):
CARRIER BASED AIRPLANES OF A MARINE AIR GROUP WENT INTO ACTION FOR

THE FIRST TIME YESTERDAY BLASTING TARGETS IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR OF CHINJU IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS OPPOSING THE EASTWARD THRUST OF THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY.

ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA, A LARGE NORTH KOREAN SUPPLY CENTER, THE TOWN OF CHUKSAN-DONG, WAS SET AFIRE BY NAVAL BOMBARDMENT IN WHAT AN AIR SPOTTER DESCRIBED AS "A BEAUTIFUL JOB."

AN AMERICAN DESTROYER POUNDED 175 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION INTO THE TOWN. ELSEWHERE ALONG THE EAST COAST NORTH OF YONGDOK, THE NAVAL SUPPORT FORCE CONCENTRATED ITS FIRE ON TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS. MILITARY TARGETS WERE HIT IN YANGYANG, SOKUSO-NI, AND CHUMMUNJIN.

ON THE SOUTH COAST, UNITS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVY, WORKING CLOSELY WITH U. S. NAVAL UNITS, CONTINUED WITH CLOSE-IN PATROLS.

NAVAL UNITS ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA INTENSIFIED CLOSE INSHORE BLOCKADE AGAINST ENEMY SHIPPING REPORTED MOVING SUPPLIES BY WATER. NO CRAFT OF THIS TYPE WAS UNCOVERED. A UNITED NATIONS DESTROYER ON THE PATROL TOOK UNDER FIRE AND SILENCED A BATTERY LOCATED ON THE ONGJIN PENINSULA.

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FIRST LEAD AERIAL (160)

TOKYO, AUG. 3-(AP)-B-29 BOMBERS MADE THEIR THIRD MAJOR STRIKE IN FIVE DAYS AGAINST NORTH KOREAN CHEMICAL AND MUNITIONS MANUFACTURING PLANTS TODAY, THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE REPORTED.

TODAY'S TARGET WAS THE BOGUN CHEMICAL PLANT AT HUNGNAM, ON THE EAST COAST 118 MILES ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL. FOUR HUNDRED TONS OF BOMBS WERE POURED DOWN ON THE FACTORY.

SOME BOMBS WERE DROPPED VISUALLY. BUT THREE-FOURTHS OF THE BOMB LOADS HAD TO BE SIGHTED BY RADAR.

THE B29S STRUCK SHORTLY AFTER NOON.

THE BOGUN PLANT IS ONLY THREE MILES FROM EXPLOSIVES FACTORY THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE SAID WAS "ALMOST TOTALLY DESTROYED" BY A B-29 STRIKE SUNDAY. THEY STRUCK AGAIN IN THE SAME AREA TUESDAY.

SOME FLAK WAS ENCOUNTERED OVER THE TARGET.

WHILE THE SUPERFORTS WERE RANGING INTO RED TERRITORY, FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS GAVE CLOSE SUPPORT TO GROUND TROOPS. AMONG OTHER TARGETS THEY HIT FIVE TANKS.

A BLAST OF FIRE SHOT 100 FEET INTO THE AIR FROM A TANK RAKED BY MAJ.JOHN A.DUGGANE OF (420 LINCOLN AVE.), EAU CLAIRE, WIS. HE WAS FLYING AN F-80 JET IN THE ATTACK ABOUT TWO MILES WEST OF ABANDONED KUMCHON.

ANOTHER FLIGHT OF JETS HIT TWO TANKS NEAR HAMCHANG ON THE RED SIDE OF THE NORTHERN FRONT. CAPT.MILLARD U.HODGES OF (2312 EAST FIFTH ST.) TULSA, OKLA., FLIGHT LEADER, SAID ONE TANK WAS LEFT BURNING AND THE OTHER DAMAGED.

A JET ATTACK BY LT.HOWARD R.AUTEN OF MARTINS FERRY, O., LEFT ANOTHER TANK BURNING NEAR HAMCHANG. A NIGHT INTRUDER ATTACK WEDNESDAY BY B-26S ACCOUNTED FOR THE FIFTH. LT.MONTE BALLEW OF SHREVEPORT, LA., SAID AN AUTO REPAIR SHOP WAS ALSO SET AFIRE IN THE SAME AREA.

NIGHT FLYING B-26S HIT COMMUNIST SUPPLY LINES AND CONVOYS.

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CHINJU-PUSAN SEPARATE (450)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST POWER DRIVE ALONG KOREA'S SOUTH COAST WILL HAVE TO WALLOW THROUGH MARSHES AND RAIN-SPLASHED LOWLANDS IF IT IS TO REACH FROM THE CHINJU FRONT TO PUSAN, ITS MAIN TARGET 40 MILES AWAY.

A MAP SHOWS THAT. THE MAP DOES NOT SHOW, HOWEVER, HOW MUCH REINFORCED STRENGTH AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES INTEND TO THROW AT THIS RED DRIVE.

TWO RED DIVISIONS, AND MAYBE ADDED ELEMENTS OF A THIRD, ARE IN THE SOUTHERN THRUST, WHICH IS LABELLED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR NOW AS OF "MAJOR IMPORTANCE." MUCH OF THE TANK-LED RED FORCE IS AIMED ALONG THE COASTLINE TOWARD MASAN. MASAN IS LESS THAN 30 MILES WEST OF PUSAN, KEY AMERICAN PORT.

REDS AND THEIR ARMOR ALREADY HAVE SPILLED THROUGH MOUNTAINS TO VERGE ON A COASTAL PLAIN LEADING TOWARD PUSAN. FLAT LANDS ARE GENERALLY ADVANTAGEOUS TO THE ATTACKING REDS. THERE ARE, HOWEVER, BOGGY LOW SPOTS WHICH AMERICAN EXPERTS SAY CAN SLOW DOWN COMMUNIST TANKS.

THE GOING IS FAIRLY FAVORABLE TO TANKS ALONG THE TWO HIGHWAYS LEADING FROM CHUNGAM TO MASAN, A MAIN HIGHWAY JUNCTION. CHUNGAM IS ABOUT EIGHT MILES EAST OF CHINJU. THE REDS HAVE BEEN PUSHING ALONG BOTH HIGHWAYS. AN AMERICAN COUNTER-ATTACK WEDNESDAY GAINED HIGH GROUND IN THIS REGION IN AN EFFORT TO SLOW DOWN THE COMMUNIST PUSH.

ANOTHER STRETCH OF HIGH GROUND FRONTS MASAN. IT'S IN THE VICINTY OF HAMAN, ABOUT NINE MILES WEST OF MASAN. THE DEFENDERS MAY TRY TO HOLD THIS STRETCH DOMINATING THE TWO HIGHWAY APPROACHES TO THE PORT TOWN.

EXPERTS CALL MASAN A HIGHWAY BOTTLENECK. IT LIES ON THE WEST SIDE OF A WIDE BAY OF THE SAME NAME. MAIN HIGHWAYS CONVERGE IN THE TOWN'S NORTHERN END AS ONE MAIN ROAD, SWINGING NORTHEASTWARD.

THIS ROUTE RUNS FOR 18 MILES THROUGH FLATLANDS. IF THE RED TANKS GET THAT FAR THEY MIGHT BE CONFINED TO THE HIGHWAY BY WATER-FILLED FLANKING GROUND.

IF THEIR DRIVE SHOULD CONTINUE BEYOND THIS STRETCH, THE NORTH KOREAN COMMAND WILL HAVE TWO CHOICES TO GETS ITS ARMOR TO THE EDGE OF PUSAN.

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ONE IS TO FOLLOW THE MAIN HIGHWAY SOUTHEASTWARD THROUGH KUMHAE, ABOUT 15 MILES AWAY. THIS ROUTE LEADS TO A BROAD DELTA WHICH MARKS THE SEA OUTLET OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. AMERICAN EXPERTS SAY THE DELTA FORMS AN IMPASSIBLE BARRIER FOR TANKS ONCE THE BRIDGES ARE CUT.

A WIDE STRETCH OF TIDAL FLATLANDS BORDERS THE DELTA. WITH THE RIVER OUTLETS, THEY COVER MORE THAN SIX MILES.

A SECONDARY ROAD CONTINUES NORTHEASTWARD, AGAIN THROUGH LOW GROUND, TOWARD A CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG AND THE SAMNANGJIN RIVERS, ABOUT 24 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

AT THIS POINT THE REDS WOULD MEET THE SAME KIND OF RIVER DEFENSE THAT AMERICAN COMMANDERS EXPECT TO USE ALONG THE REMAINDER OF THE WIDE WATER BARRIER. THE NAKTONG FORMS THEIR BEST NATURAL DEFENSE LINE.

THE TERRAIN ITSELF WOULD NOT HALT THE COMMUNIST'S SOUTHERN SWEEP. BUT EXPERTS HERE DO NOT EXPECT IT TO BE MUCH HELP TO TANKS WHICH HAVE BEEN SO IMPORTANT TO RED ADVANCES.

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WITHDRAWAL SEPARATE (240)

TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.3-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN FORCES WERE SURPRISED BY AMERICAN WITHDRAWALS UP TO 18 MILES IN THREE DAYS ALONG KOREAN BATTLE-FRONTS, A BRIEFING OFFICER AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY.

HE SAID THIS "INDICATED THE ENEMY INTELLIGENCE SOURCES APPEAR TO HAVE DETERIORATED."

THE COMMUNISTS HAVE "LOST MOST OF THEIR PREPONDERANCE OF TANK STRENGTH" THROUGH THEIR OWN LOSSES AND THE AMERICAN BUILD-UP, THE OFFICER SAID. HE REFUSED TO INDICATE WHAT THE PRESENT RATIO IS.

HOWEVER, THERE HAS BEEN NO INDICATION THAT COMMUNISTS ON THE

FRONT LINE HAVE RECEIVED TANK REPLACEMENTS.
AMERICAN ESTIMATES PLACED ORIGINAL COMMUNIST ARMORED STRENGTH AT AROUND 300 TANKS. THE SPOKESMAN SAID THIS "WOULD HAVE BEEN AMPLE" IF THE UNITED NATIONS HAD NOT ENTERED THE FIGHT.
BRIEFING OFFICERS REPORTED LITTLE ACTION SO FAR TODAY.
IN THE WEST, HE SAID, AMERICAN TROOPS HAVE WITHDRAWN BETWEEN FIVE AND SIX MILES DAILY FOR THE LAST THREE DAYS. IN THE NORTH, THE SOUTH KOREANS HAVE PULLED BACK TWO OR THREE MILES A DAY DURING THE SAME PERIOD.
THE REDS HAVE NO IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE RESERVES, THE OFFICER REPORTED. HE SAID THEY HAVE APPARENTLY SENT PART OF A THIRD DIVISION TO JOIN TWO DIVISIONS ALREADY PUSHING ALONG THE SOUTH COAST TOWARD THE AMERICAN PORT OF PUSAN.
IT'S POSSIBLE THEY MAY DIVERT SOME FORCES FROM THE CENTRAL FRONT TO THIS MAJOR DRIVE, HE STATED.
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TOKYO,FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY IN A PYONGYANG BROADCAST MONITORED HERE THAT COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS WERE INCREASING THEIR ACTIVITY AROUND TAEGU AND THE U. S. SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.
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SUB FOR COMMUNIST RADIO (A90FX)
TOKYO, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST RADIO AT PYONGYANG CLAIMED TODAY THAT RED FORCES KILLED 1,500 "ENEMY TROOPS" AND TOOK 1,200 PRISONERS WHEN THEY MOVED INTO ANDONG ON THE NORTHERN FRONT TUESDAY.
AMERICAN FIELD DISPATCHES PREVIOUSLY REPORTED U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WITHDREW FROM ANDONG IN ORDERLY FASHION TO NEW DEFENSIVE POSITIONS. FEW LOSSES WERE INDICATED.
THE RED BROADCAST, HEARD IN TOKYO, SAID COMMUNISTS FORCES ALSO CAPTURED HAMCHANG TUESDAY. HAMCHANG, AT THE WESTERN CORNER OF THE FORMER NORTHERN FRONT, IS ANOTHER TOWN FROM WHICH UNITED NATIONS FORCES WITHDREW TO THEIR NEW LINE.
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TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG.4-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER SAID THE USUAL EARLY-MORNING KOREAN WAR RELEASE WOULD NOT BE ISSUED TODAY BECAUSE "THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE SITUATION."
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TOKYO,AUG.3-(AP)-THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS TODAY WAS AWARDED AN ENLISTED MAN FROM MEXICO FOR EXTRAORDINARY HEROISM IN KOREA. FOUR OFFICERS RECEIVED THE SILVER STAR.
PFC.FLORENTINO GONZALES OF MORELIA, MICHOACAN, GOT THE DSC.
ORDERS ISSUED BY THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION AND EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS CITED THE MEXICAN'S BRAVERY IN VOLUNTARILY COVERING THE WITHDRAWAL OF HIS UNIT AND PROTECTING A SERIOUSLY WOUNDED SOLDIER.
GONZALES IS WITH COMPANY B OF THE 21ST INFANTRY REGIMENT.
OFFICERS RECEIVING THE SILVER STAR INCLUDED:
CAPT.EDGAR R.FENSTEMACHER, FORMERLY OF LEXINGTON, S.C., AND HUDSON, MICH., OF 19TH INFANTRY REGIMENTAL HEADQUARTERS, FOR BRINGING HIS WOUNDED REGIMENTAL COMMANDER TO AN AID STATION THROUGH ENEMY FIRE NEAR THE KUM RIVER JULY 16 AND EXTRACTING HIS UNIT "FROM ALMOST CERTAIN ANNIHILATION."
FIRST LT.RAYMOND E.ADAMS OF OWINGS MILLS, MD., A MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS OFFICER WITH THE 21ST REGIMENT, FOR SINGLEHANDEDLY DESTROYING WITH A HAND GRENADE AN ENEMY MACHINEGUN POSITION WHICH WAS HOLDING UP THE WITHDRAWAL OF 100 AMERICANS AT OSAN.
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TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION OF REPORTS THREE AMERICAN TANKS WERE LOST IN THE BATTLE OF CHINJU JULY 31 BECAUSE OF ALLEGED DEFECTS IN EQUIPMENT.
AN EIGHTH ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED HERE SAID WALKER INSTRUCTED HIS INSPECTOR GENERAL TO INVESTIGATE THE CASE AND SAID "APPROPRIATE ACTION" WOULD BE TAKEN WHEN ALL THE FACTS WERE KNOWN.
FRONT LINE REPORTS SAID THE TANKS WERE ABANDONED BECAUSE THEY HAD NO FAN BELTS.
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BY HAL BOYLE

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U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG.3-(AP)-COMMUNIST GUNS BEGAN SHELLING A RIVER HIGHWAY 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU TODAY.
THE FIRE WAS AIMED TO REDUCE AMERICAN TRAFFIC ALONG THE ROAD RUNNING EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER TO THAT COMMUNICATIONS CENTER. THE FIRE WAS CONCENTRATED NEAR THE TOWN OF HYONPUNG, ON THE MAIN NORTH-SOUTH ROAD EAST OF THE RIVER.
THIS WAS THE CLOSEST POINT TO TAEGU THAT HEAVY RED FIRE HAS REACHED.
THE NUMBER OF COMMUNIST GUNS INVOLVED COULD NOT BE DETERMINED IMMEDIATELY.
THE NORTH KOREANS QUICKLY FOLLOWED UP THE AMERICAN WITHDRAWAL FROM THE KOCHANG-HYOPCHON AREA. APPARENTLY PART OF THIS RED FORCE PUSHED EASTWARD TO A POSITION NEAR THE NAKTONG AS AMERICANS PULLED BACK TO THE EASTERN BANK.
UNITED NATIONS DEFENDERS HAVE BEEN WITHDRAWING FOR THREE DAYS. THEIR NEW DEFENSIVE POSITIONS GENERALLY LIE ON THE WIDE CURVING OF THE RIVER.
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U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 3-(AP)-REAL FIGHTING WAS REPORTED FROM ONLY TWO POINTS ON THE KOREAN FRONT TODAY, EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED.
THEY WERE IN THE CHINJU AND YONGDOK AREAS, ON OPPOSITE EXTREMES OF THE FRONT.
THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION WAS REPORTED STILL ATTACKING IN THE YONGDOK AREA ON THE EAST COAST AGAINST A STUBBORN RED ATTEMPT TO SEIZE HIGH GROUND.
EAST OF CHINJU, WHERE TWO OR MORE RED DIVISIONS WERE PUSHING AT PUSAN ON THE SOUTHERN SECTOR, THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY WAS SUBJECTED TO HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE, FOLLOWED BY STRONG INFANTRY ASSAULTS.
NO LARGE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS OR MOVEMENTS OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WAS NOTED BY AIR OBSERVERS AROUND CHINJU. HOWEVER, CONSIDERABLE RED ACTIVITY WAS REPORTED IN KUMCHON, ON THE CENTRAL FRONT WHERE THE REDS WERE PRESSING TOWARD TAEGU.
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BULLETIN

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG.4-(AP)-THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION HAS BEEN SHIFTED TO THE VITAL SOUTHERN KOREA SECTOR, OCCUPYING POSITIONS EAST AND NORTHEAST OF CHINJU, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION HAS BEEN IN ACTION IN THAT CRITICAL SECTOR, 40 TO 55 MILES WEST OF THE VITAL U.S. SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN. THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE MENTIONED THE 24TH ONLY AS BEING IN PATROL CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY.

THE DIVISION THREW BACK A COMMUNIST ATTACK ON ITS NEW POSITIONS THURSDAY NIGHT--KILLING AN ESTIMATED 600 REDS, THE ARMY REPORTED. EIGHTEEN COMMUNISTS WERE CAPTURED.

TWO RED DIVISIONS AND POSSIBLY ELEMENTS OF A THIRD ARE REPORTED THERE.

THE U. S. 25TH FORMERLY HELD POSITIONS NORTH OF KUMCHON, CENTRAL SECTOR SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATIONS CENTER ABANDONED IN FLAMES TO THE REDS WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

(IN TOKYO, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED AN UNIDENTIFIED AMERICAN REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM THREW BACK THE REDS IN A SIX-HOUR BATTLE EAST OF CHINJU. THAT ATTACK BEGAN AT MIDNIGHT, KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME (9 A. M., THURSDAY, EST). AND WAS REPULSED AT 6 A. M. FRIDAY)

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TEXT (200)

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U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE NO. 19 (RELAYED BY TOKYO AT 12:43 P.M., KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME---9:43 P.M., THURSDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

THE 25TH AMERICAN DIVISION NOW OCCUPIES POSITIONS EAST AND NORTHEAST OF CHINJU. YESTERDAY EVENING AN ATTACK WAS MADE IN THIS SECTOR BY AN ESTIMATED FOUR NORTH KOREAN BATTALIONS.

THEY WERE REPULSED WITH A LOSS ESTIMATED AT 600 DEAD. ABOUT 18 PRISONERS OF WAR WERE TAKEN. NORTHEAST OC HINJU A COMPANY OF NORTH KOREANS WAS SUCCESSFULLY DRIVEN OFF.IN THE 24TH DIVISION AREA CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY WAS LIMITED TO PATROL ACTION. SOME SMALL ENEMY PATROLS CROSSED THE RIVER INTO FRIENDLY TERRITORY BUT THEY WERE DISPERSED.

IN THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR LIKEWISE THE CONTACT WAS ON A PATROL LEVEL. PATROLS APPROACHING THE RIVER WERE TAKEN UNDER FIRE FROM THE WEST BANK OF THE RIVER INDICATING THAT THE ENEMY HAD ELEMENTS THAT FAR. THIS DIVISION REPORTS ALL BRIDGES IN ITS SECTOR ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER ARE NOW DESTROYED.

AFTER THEIR WITHDRAWAL TO PREAPRED POSITIONS SEVERAL MILES EAST AND SOUTH OF THE NAKTONG RIVER THE SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ARE IN PATROL CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY. NORTH KOREAN PATROLS HAVE BEEN REPORTED WEST AND SOUTH OF THE RIVER LINE BUT THEY WERE DISPERSED. NO CHANGE HAS BEEN REPORTED IN THE HONGDOK AREA WHERE THE ONLY ACTIVE CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY IS IN PROGRESS.

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KOREAN BACKGROUNDER (450)

BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE DAY OF THE GREATEST WITHDRAWAL BY UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA BROUGH THE STRONGEST EVIDENCE THAT THE KOREAN COMMUNIST ADVANCE MAY BE CHECKED AND HELD ON THE LINE OF THE DEFENDERS' CHOICE--THE NAKTONG RIVER.

THE ALLIED WITHDRAWAL TO THE NAKTONG DISENGAGED HARD-PRESSED AMERICAN FORCES WHILE THE NEWLY ARRIVED SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION AND THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION WERE BEING DEPLOYED INTO POSITION.

ON THE NEW CONSOLIDATED FRONT THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS FACE THE COMMUNISTS ON VIRTUALLY EQUAL TERMS IN DIVISION STRENGTH--FOR THE FIRST TIME.

THERE WERE ELEMENTS OF FIVE AMERICAN DIVISIONS AND FIVE SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS FACING AN ESTIMATED NINE OR TEN NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS.

THE NORTH KOREAN RED NO LONGER MAY BE WHOLLY FREE TO CONCENTRATED LOCALLY STRONGER ATTACK FORCES WITH POWER TO FLANK AND ENCIRCLE OUTNUMBERED AMERICANS.

THERE MAY EVEN BE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR AN AMERICAN ATTACK TO ISOLATE AND CUT UP THE COMMUNIST FORCES AT THE END OF THEIR LONG SUPPLY LINES. THE MOST VULNERABLE RED FORCE WOULD BE THE FOURTH DIVISION. IT IS IN

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BUT THERE IS FAR FROM ENOUGH STRENGTH YET FOR THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES TO EMBARK ON ANY REAL COUNTER-OFFENSIVE. THERE IS NOT ENOUGH MANPOWER TO EXPLOIT BREAK-THROUGHS. BUT THE TIME APPEARS NEAR WHEN

THE COMMUNIST STEAMROLLER MOMENTUM, WITH THE ADVANTAGE OF SURPRISE ASSAULT AGAINST ILL-PREPARED AND MEAGER OPPOSITION, WILL BE CHECKED.

THE PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECT ON THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES OF MISSING THE CHANCE FOR QUICK VICTORY WILL BE IMPORTANT.

ALREADY THERE IS EVIDENCE THAT SUPPLY AND ARMS SHORTAGES ARE HURTING THE REDS. THIS IS PARTICULARLY TRUE IN THE FAR SOUTH WHERE THEIR SUPPLY LINE IS MOST EXTENDED.

IN THIS AREA AN AMERICAN ATTACK DROVE A SMALL NORTH KOREAN FORCE INTO RETREAT WEDNESDAY. THAT WAS ONE OF THE FEW RED RETREATS OF THE WAR. SUPPORTING AMERICAN PLANES TOOK A BLOODY TOLL IN A HIGHWAY PASS EAST OF CHINJU.

THIS COMMUNIST THRUST FROM CHINJU TOWARD THE AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN WAS THE MOST DANGEROUS RED SPEARHEAD. ITS GREATEST ADVANCE WAS WITHIN 40 MILES OF PUSAN. THE OVERCROWDED PORT SUPPORTS THE WHOLE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE FORCE.

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WITH AMERICAN GROUND STRENGTH BUILDING UP INCREASING AMERICAN AIR SUPPORT SHOULD BE ABLE TO CUT THE REDS' LONG SUPPLY LINE AND ISOLATE THEIR SOUTHERN FORCE.

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THERE SHOULD SOON BE MORE CARRIER-BASED PLANES OPERATING OFF KOREA TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL GROUND SUPPORT IN THE STYLE EMPLOYED IN AMPHIBIOUS OPERATIONS OF THE PACIFIC WAR.

AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN "RETROGRADE MOVEMENTS" TO THE NAKTONG LINE WERE REALISTIC AND SKILLFUL. THEY CONSERVED MANPOWER. THEY PREVENTED ATTACK AND ATTRITION FROM CUTTING INTO THE ALLIED FORCES DURING THE CRITICAL TIME WHEN REINFORCEMENTS WERE BEING DEPLOYED.

THESE REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVED AT A TIME WHEN A DANGEROUS FIGHT WAS GOING ON TO HOLD THE NARROWING PERIMETER AROUND PUSAN.

THE TIME NECESSARY FOR THEIR ARRIVAL WAS BOUGHT BY THE HOLDING ACTIONS OF THE HARD-HIT TROOPS OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH, FIRST CALVARY, AND TWENTY-FIFTH DIVISIONS.

THERE HAS BEEN TIME FOR DELIBERATE CHOICE OF A STRONG NATURAL DEFENSE LINE. THERE HAS BEEN TIME TO MOVE THE STRENGTHENING REINFORCEMENTS INTO POSITION.

THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DISENGAGING WITHDRAWALS WERE TIMED TO THE BEST EFFECT. THE KOREAN REDS CANNOT MOVE FASTER THAN THEIR INFANTRY CAN WALK.

IT HAS TAKEN TWO TO MORE THAN THREE DAYS FOR THE COMMUNISTS TO BUILD UP NEW ASSAULT POWER WHENEVER THE AMERICANS HAVE FALLEN BACK TEN MILES OR MORE.

UNLESS UNEXPECTED STRONG NORTH KOREAN REINFORCEMENTS APPEAR, THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE ON THE WEST SHOULD HOLD. THE SOUTH KOREAN LINE ACROSS THE NORTHERN FRONT MAY HAVE TO BE SHORTENED SOMEWHAT BELOW THE RIVER.

IF THE RED'S CHINJU THRUST TOWARD PUSAN IS HALTED, THE COMMUNISTS MAY MOUNT THEIR NEXT POWER PUSH AGAINST TAEGU, IMPORTANT FORWARD BASE FOR UNITED NATIONS FORCES.

AFTER TAKING TAEJON ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, THE REDS SHIFTED PART OF THEIR MAIN STRIKING POWER TO A SWEEP DOWN THE WEST COAST IN A RACE TO CUT ACROSS THE SOUTH OF THE PENINSULA TO PUSAN BEFORE AMERICAN REINFORCEMENTS COULD ARRIVE.

NOW, THEY MAY RETURN THEIR POWER CONCENTRATION TO TRY TO PUSH DOWN THE RAILWAY AND HIGHWAY CORRIDOR THROUGH TAEGU. BUT THE NAKTONG BENDS TO WITHIN SEVEN MILES OF TAEGU. IF THE REDS COULD PUT ARTILLERY IN THAT SECTOR, LONG RANGE GUNS COULD SHELL TAEGU.

JL640APD NM

A109FX

BY DON WHITEHEAD (360)

WITH U.S.FORCES IN KOREA,AUG.3-(AP)-TROOPS OF THE AMERICAN 24TH DIVISION HELD THEIR LINE FIRMLY EAST OF CHINJU TODAY AFTER SENDING A TANK-LED BATTALION RECONNAISSANCE FORCE DEEP INTO ENEMY TERRITORY.

THE TANKS PROBED FOR MILES BEHIND ENEMY LINES WEDNESDAY IN THE DEEPEST PENETRATION AMERICAN FORCES HAVE MADE IN THIS WAR.

(MAJ.GEN.JOHN E.CHURCH, COMMANDING THE 24TH, TOLD ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING:"OUR TIMING WAS FORTUNATE. OUR ATTACK STOPPED THEIRS FROM GETTING UNDER WAY.")

THE TASK FORCE SMASHED THROUGH THE ENEMY AND CAUGHT REAR COMMUNIST ELEMENTS BY SURPRISE. THE AMERICANS ENGAGED THE REDS IN A ROARING ROAD BATTLE, AND ROLLED ALMOST INTO CHINJU.

THE TASK FORCE RAN A GANTLET OF MACHINE GUN FIRE ALL THE WAY. BUT IT CAPTURED ENEMY DOCUMENTS, MAPS AND RUSSIAN MADE EQUIPMENT. INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THESE WERE IMPORTANT FINDS.

FOUR SHERMAN TANKS AND FOUR ARMORED CARS WERE ABANDONED.

THE AMERICANS WITHDREW TO ROAD POSITIONS FOUR MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHUNJAMNI AND ABOUT 40 AIR MILES FROM PUSAN AFTER THE REDS CLOSED IN BEHIND THEM AND CUT OFF THE TANKS. THE NORTH KOREANS STOPPED THE FIRST TANK AND THE LAST ONE. THE TANK CREWS AND MOST OF THE ARMORED CAR CREWS ESCAPED.

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THE AMERICANS THEN FANNED OUT TO THE NORTH AND SOUTH AND FOUGHT THEIR WAY BACK TO THE MAIN U.S. DEFENSIVE POSITION NEAR WONGUNGNI.

THEY BROUGHT ALL THEIR WOUNDED AND DEAD BACK WITH THEM.

,THEY ALSO BROUGHT BACK TWO TANKS WHICH HAD BEEN HIT BY 75 MM. GUNS. CREWS OF BOTH THESE TANKS WERE EITHER KILLED OR WOUNDED.

SOME GIS VOLUNTEERED TO DRIVE THE TANKS BACK, ALTHOUGH THEY HAD NEVER OPERATED THEM BEFORE. ONE WAS A FARM BOY WHO SAID HE HAD DRIVEN TRACTORS. THE OTHER HAD EXPERIENCE IN BULLDOZERS. THEY CLIMBED INTO THE SHERMANS, TURNED THEM AROUND, AND BROUGHT THEM BACK.

THE BATTALION GOT BACK AROUND 12:30 A.M. (10:30 A.M. WEDNESDAY, ESTERN STANDARD TIME), DOG TIRED. AS SOON AS THEY GOT BACK THE MEN

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AT DAWN THEY WERE AWAKENED BY RIFLE FIRE. A STRONG FORCE OF REDS, APPARENTLY TRYING TO GET AT AMERICAN ARTILLERY POSITIONS, WAS COMING DOWN THE ROAD.

MACHINE GUNS WERE UNLIMBERED IN A RICE PADDY ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ROAD. THEY RAKED THE REDS AS THEY CAME. ABOUT 175 OF THE ATTACKERS WERE KILLED OR WOUNDED. THE OTHERS WITHDREW.

THE COMMUNISTS SPRINKLED LEAFLKTS INNTHE AREA TELLING KOREANS TO STAY IN THEIR HOMES AND DECLARING THE REDS WERE COMING SOON IN FORCE TO LIBERATE THEM FROM THE AMERICANS

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BY DON WHITEHEAD

WITH U.S. MARINES IN KOREA,AUG.3-(AP)-AMERICAN MARINES AND SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION REINFORCEMENT TROOPS MOVED SWIFTLY INTO THE KOREAN COMBAT AREA TONIGHT AND MAY SEE ACTION WITHIN 24 HOURS.

THEY ENTERED THE FORWARD AREAS AS RECONNAISSANCE REPORTS TOLD OF A STRONG RED NORTH KOREAN BUILDUP OF FORCE ON THE SOUTHERN SECTOR WITHIN 40 MILES OF PUSAN.

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NIGHT LEAD BATTALION RIAD (950)
BY DON WHITEHEAD
AN ADVANCED U.S.COMMAND POST IN KOREA,AU (AP)-A U.S.TANK-LED BATTALION HAS DASHED 22 MILES BEHIND ENEMY LINES, CAPTURED VALUABLE DOCUMENTS, MAPS AND RUSSIAN-MADE EQUIPMENT AND RETURNED SUCCESSFULLY TO ITS OWN LINES.
THE PENETRATION, CLASSED AS A DEFINITE U.S.VICTORY, WAS THE DEEPEST AND MOST DARING SO FAR IN THE KOREAN WAR. IT OCCURRED YESTERDAY AND LAST NIGHT IN THE CRUCIAL CHINJU AREA.
AFTER RETURNING TO A COMMAND POST, THE SAME SOLDIERS WERE AROUSED FROM SLEEP TO HELP SUCCESSFULLY DEFEND THE POST FROM AN ENEMY ATTACK.
THE RECONNAISSANCE TASK FORCE WAS UNDER CONSTANT ENEMY MACHINE-GUN AND SNIPER FIRE ALL THE WAY. THE AMERICANS, RIDING TANKS, ARMORED CARS, JEEPS AND TRUCKS, RETURNED THE FIRE AS THEY STABBED A HOLE IN THE ENEMY LINES. (ANOTHER DISPATCH IDENTIFIED THE BATTALION AS FROM THE 19TH REGIMENT OF THE 24TH DIVISION.)
OFFICERS CALLED THE U.S.PENETRATION A "RECONNAISSANCE IN FORCE." IT PROVED FOR THE HIGH COMMAND THAT (1) A HARD-HITTING TANK-LED FORCE CAN BREACH AN ENEMY LINE, AND (2) THAT THE ENEMY IS BUILDING UP STRONG FORCES AROUND CHINJU FOR A DRIVE EASTWARD TOWARD MASAN AND THE VITAL PUSAN PORT.
(FIELD REPORTS OF THE RAID VARIED AS TO THE NUMBER OF TANKS TAKING PART. ONE REPORT SAID FIVE U.S. TANKS WERE INVOLVED AND TWO OF THEM KNOCKED OUT. ANOTHER SAID AMERICANS LOST EIGHT TANKS AND ARMOED CARS.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED THE U.S. TANK-LED THRUST WENT TO WITHIN THREE MILES OF RED HELD-CHINJU, BREAKING UP A RED PUSH BEFORE IT COULD GAIN MOMENTUM.)
BESIDES THE TANKS, THE BATTALION HAD A BATTERY OF ARTILLERY, A PLATOON OF HEAVY MORTARS AND WELL-ARMED INFANTRY. THE SPEARHEAD INFANTRY UNIT WAS UNDER COMMAND OF LT.JOHN L.BUCKLEY (1117 GLENN AVE.) AUGUSTA, GA.
THE CREWS OF TWO U.S. TANKS WERE EITHER KILLED OR WOUNDED WHEN THE SHERMANS ROUNDED A BEND IN THE ROAD AND RAN HEADON INTO THREE RUSSIAN-MADE 75 MM ANTI-TANK GUNS. THE ENEMY GUNS WERE QUICKLY KNOCKED OUT.
THE AMERICAN DEAD AND WOUNDED WERE PLACED ON JEEPS AND TRUCKS IN THE CENTER OF THE COLUMN.

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AMERICAN LOSSES WERE LISTED AS LIGHT COMPARED WITH THOSE OF ENEMY.
AS THE AMERICANS PASSED, THE ENEMY CLOSED IN BEHIND THEM ON THE ROAD LEADING TO CHINJU, BUT THE TASK FORCE BLAZED ITS WAY DEEPER AND DEEPER INTO THE ENEMY COUNTRY.
THE ADVANCING TANK-LED U.S. FORCE REACHED THE MOUNTAIN PASSES EAST OF CHINJU, WHERE IT SMACKED INTO THE ENEMY FORCES BELIEVED TO BE THE MAIN RED RESERVE BUILDING UP FOR A MAJOR OFFENSIVE.
"THEY LET US GET INTO A MOUNTAIN PASS," SAID A LIEUTENANT COLONEL, "AND THEN THEY CLOSED IN AND LET US HAVE IT."
THE REDS, FIRING FROM THE HILLS, POURED A STEADY STREAM OF FIRE AT THE AMERICANS, WHO WENT RIGHT INTO THE HILLS AFTER THEM.
IT WAS NEAR THERE THAT THE U.S. TANKS AND ENEMY GUNS CLASHED.
THE RUSSIAN MADE GUNS KNOCKED HOLES IN TWO SHERMAN TANKS.
CAPT. DON R. HICKMAN EAST) SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, SAID THE ENEMY GUNS WERE NEW WEAPONS MOUNTED ON RUBBER-TIRED WHEELS.
THE ENEMY BEGAN RUSHING IN RESERVES TO MEET THE UNEXPECTED U.S. THRUST. AIR OBSERVERS SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE FRANTICALLY PULLING BACK TRUCKS AND VEHICLES TO GET THEM OUT OF THE WAY OF THE TASK FORCE'S FIRE POWER.
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"I HAD DRIVEN A CATERPILLAR TRACTOR," HORN SAID, "AND I THOUGHT I COULD DO IT. NOBODY SHOWED ME HOW. I JUST GOT IN AND DROVE OFF."
THE COLONEL PUT THE DEAD AND WOUNDED ONTO THE JEEPS AND TRUCKS IN THE CENTER OF THE COLUMN. THE TWO DAMAGED TANKS WERE PLACED IN THE LEAD, AND THE OTHERS IN THE REAR, AND THEY BEGAN FIGHTING THEIR WAY OUT.
IT WAS A FIGHT ALL THE WAY BACK.
WHEN THE DOUGHBOYS GOT BACK TO A REGIMENTAL COMMAND POST, THEY FLOPPED ON THE GROUND AND WENT TO SLEEP. AT 7 A.M., THEY WERE UP AND FIGHTING AGAIN. AN ENEMY FORCE WAS OPENING UP ON THE POSITION FROM THE HILLS.
SGT. WILLIAM M. HOWARD OF DELIA, TEXAS, WARNED THE OTHERS OF THE RED ATTACK. HE SAID HE HEARD SOME VOICES. "I WOKE UP THE BOYS AND GOT THEM ON THE LINE. THEN IT BUSTED LOOSE."

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SLEEPY GIS GRABBED THEIR GUNS AND BEGAN BLAZING AWAY AT CLOSE RANGE. BULLETS RIPPED THROUGH THE THIN WALLS OF THE SCHOOL BUILDING WHERE THE REGIMENTAL HEADQUARTERS WAS JUST STARTING THE DAY'S WORK AFTER BREAKFAST.
TWO U.S. OFFICERS WERE KILLED AND 40 AMERICAN SOLDIERS INJURED.
ENEMY DEAD LITTERED THE HILLSIDE RICE PADDIES.
HAROLD MARTIN, COLUMNIST FOR THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION, WAS AT THE COMMAND POST WHEN THE FIGHT STARTED.
"BULLETS WERE RIPPING THROUGH THE BUILDING," HE SAID. "THERE WAS SHOOTING ON ALL SIDES. I BARRELED THROUGH A WINDOW END OVER END AND LAY THERE WHILE THE HELL WAS GOING ON."
MARTIN STILL CARRIED A LOOK OF SURPRISE ON HIS BEARDED FACE FIVE HOURS LATER.
"I NEVER THOUGHT AT MY AGE I WOULD SAIL THROUGH A WINDOW IN ONE JUMP FROM A FLAT-FOOTED STAND," HE COMMENTED.
THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR HOURS BEFORE THE AMERICANS DROVE THE REDS BACK. THE COMMUNISTS SET UP TWO MACHINEGUNS IN A RICE PADDY ON THE SIDE OF THE COMMAND POST AND THE AMERICANS WERE CAUGHT IN CROSSFIRE.
THE INFANTRY WORKED THEIR WAY AROUND THE MACHINEGUN POSITIONS AND KNOCKED BOTH OF THEM OUT. THEY WERE HEAVY RUSSIAN-MADE WEAPONS.
THE LOOT BROUGHT BACK BY THE TASK FORCE WAS RUSHED TO THE ARMY INTELLIGENCE CENTER FOR STUDY. IT INCLUDED A RUSSIAN-MADE FIELD TELEPHONE, MACHINEGUNS AND OTHER RUSSIAN-MADE MATERIAL.
MAJ. ROBERT M.MILLER, 32, WHOSE MOTHER, MRS. KATHRYN DUKE LIVES AT 42 SECOND AVE., MARLEY GLENDURNIE, MD., SAID THE AMERICAN THRUST "FORCED THE REDS TO SHOW THEIR HAND AND OUR ARTILLERY HIT THEM HEAVILY. WE GAINED NO GROUND BUT LOST NONE EITHER, AND OUR LOSSES WERE LIGHT COMPARED WITH THEIRS."
THERE OBVIOUSLY WAS SATISFACTION IN THE BATTALION THAT THE ENEMY WAS HIT FOR A CHANGE.

LT.RALPH PONGBOHA OF STILLWATER,MINN., SAID "REVENGE IS UNBIBLICAL-- BUT IT'S SWEET."

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AN ADVANCED U.S. COMMAND POST, KOREA, AUG.3-(AP)-THIS IS THE AMAZING STORY OF A U.S. BATTALION THAT FOUGHT ITS WAY 22 MILES BEHIND THE ENEMY LINES, BATTLED AGAIN AND SAVED A REGIMENTAL COMMAND POST FROM DESTRUCTION IN A SAVAGE STRUGGLE THIS MORNING.

THERE HASN'T BEEN ANYTHING QUITE LIKE THIS DARING ADVENTURE IN ALL THE KOREAN WAR. THE OFFICERS CALLED IT "A RECONNAISSANCE IN FORCE" AND IT PROVED FOR THE HIGH COMMAND:

1.--THAT THE ENEMY LINE CAN BE BREACHED BY A HARD-HITTING TANK-LED FORCE.

2.--THAT THE ENEMY IS BUILDING UP STRONG FORCES AROUND CHINJU FOR THE DRIVE EASTWARD TOWARD MASAN AND THE VITAL PORT CITY OF PUSAN.

THE ENEMY DROPPED LEAFLETS BEHIND THE AMERICAN LINES NEAR MASAN THIS MORNING URGING NATIVES TO STAY IN THEIR HOUSES. THE LEAFLETS SAID THE RED FORCES WERE PREPARING TO ATTACK IN GREAT FORCE AND DRIVE THE AMERICANS OUT. "WE WILL LIBERATE YOU," THE REDS SAID.

THE BATTALION'S THRUST INTO THE ENEMY LINES LEFT NO DOUBT THE REDS HAVE A STRONG FORCE IN THE SOUTHERNMOST DRIVE HEADED TOWARD MASAN.

THIS BATTALION MADE A 36-HOUR FORCED MARCH SOUTH TO REACH THE JUMPING OFF PLACE FOR THE DASH TOWARD CHINJU. THE BOYS HAD A FEW HOURS' REST AND THEN AT 6 A.M. YESTERDAY THEY BEGAN THEIR PUSH.

TROOPS OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION HELD THEIR LINE FIRMLY EAST OF CHINJU TODAY AFTER SENDING THE TANK-LED BATTALION DEEP INTO ENEMY TERRITORY.

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IT WAS 4 P.M. NOW AND THE ENEMY WAS RUSHING IN RESERVES TO MEET THIS UNEXPECTED THREAT. AIR OBSERVERS SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE FRANTICALLY PULLING BACK TRUCKS AND VEHICLES TO GET THEM OUT OF THE WAY OF THE TASK FORCE'S FIRE POWER.

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MAJ. GEN. JOHN, ETC

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(WHITEHEAD'S FIRST DISPATCH MENTIONED THAT FOUR SHERMAN TANKS AND FOUR ARMORED CARS WERE ABANDONED, BUT HIS LATER REPORT, APPARENTLY BASED ON MORE ACCURATE INFORMATION, SAID THAT TWO TANKS WERE DAMAGED BUT WERE DRIVEN BACK SAFELY.)

THE AMERICANS FANNED OUT TO THE NORTH AND SOUTH AS THEY FOUGHT THEIR WAY BACK TO MAIN U.S. DEFENSE POSITIONS NEAR WONGUNGNI.

THE BATTALION RETURNED AT 12:30 A.M. THE TIRED SOLDIERS FELL ASLEEP IN FOXHOLES. BUT AT DAWN THEY WERE AWAKENED BY RIFLE FIRE. A STRONG FORCE OF REDS WAS ADVANCING. THE AMERICANS, MANNING MACHINE GUNS SET UP IN RICE PADDIES, HALTED THE DRIVE. ABOUT 175 REDS WERE KILLED OR WOUNDED. THE OTHERS WITHDREW.

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BY O. H. P. KING

WITH THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE BOYS IN THIS BATTLE-TESTED INFANTRY OUTFIT ARE SAYING "WE'VE BACKED AS FAR AS WE ARE GOING TO."

UNITS OF THE 24TH WERE THE FIRST AMERICAN TROOPS PITTED AGAINST THE KOREAN REDS. THE FIRST SMALL GROUPS WERE FLOWN TO THE BATTLE AREA AROUND SUWON, EARLY IN JULY. THEIRS WAS A HOLDING-WITHDRAWING ACTION FROM THE START.

(U. S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUES IN RECENT DAYS HAVE PLACED THE 24TH IN THE BATTLE EAST OC HINJU, GUARDING THE COASTAL PLAIN TO PUSAN ONLY 40 MILES TO THE SOUTHEAST.)

HIGH PRAISE FOR THE DIVISION'S REPLACEMENTS WAS SOUNDED BY LT. FREDINAND D. PIFER, 31, OF 1128 PONCE DE LEON AVENUE, N. E., ATLANTA, GA., VETERAN OF EUROPEAN FIGHTING IN WORLD WAR II.

HE SAID THEY WENT INTO COMBAT IMMEDIATELY UPON REACHING THE FRONT, AND ADDED:

"I NEVER SAY SUCH A PERFORMANCE. THEY DE-TRUCKED UNDER SNIPER AND...

MACHINEGUN FIRE---THEIR FIRST TIME UNDER FIRE FOR ALL OR ANY OF THE 200 OF THEM.

"THEY WENT RIGHT IN. ONE NEGRO LAD, ASSIGNED TO C COMPANY, HAD NO CHANCE TO LEARN WHAT WAS GOING ON BUT HE VOLUNTEERED TO WORK WITH THE SOUTH KOREANS TO SECURE OUR FLANKS. HE STOOD ALL KINDS OF FIRE UNTIL HE WAS KILLED 18 HOURS AFTER HE GOT THERE."

LIEUTENANT PIFER IS A COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER.

LT. JOHN N. KARWOSKI, 24, OF WINFIELD, ILL., LED THE 75 MM. RECOILLESS RIFLE PLATOON OF D COMPANY WHICH TOOK A POSITION OVERLOOKING THE PASS DURING THE HIGH CASUALTY BATTLE OF AUGUST 2.

(KING EVIDENTLY IS REFERRING TO THE AMERICAN COUNTERATTACK WHICH REGAINED STRATEGIC HIGH GROUND EAST OF CHINJU---A HILL DESCRIBED IN COMMUNIQUES AS OVERLOOKING THE COASTAL PLAIN BEFORE PUSAN.)

"OUR SEVENTY-FIVES KNOCKED OUT TWO MACHINEGUN NESTS AND TWO ANTITANK PIECES," KARWOSKI SAID. "ONE OF OUR ABANDONED TANKS HAD BEEN LEFT WITH ITS ENGINE RUNNING AND IT RAN ALL DAY LONG. AN ENEMY ANTITANK GUN WENT AFTER IT AND WE KNOCKED OUT THAT GUN.

"THE TANK SERGEANT SAID HE HAD LEFT THE ENGINE RUNNING TO USE UP THE GAS SO THE ENEMY COULDN'T DRIVE IT AWAY."

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WITHDRAWAL (420)

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BY HAL BOYLE

ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT, KOREA, AUG. 3-(AP)-ALONG THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER, AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS DUG INTO FRESH MOUNTAIN POSITIONS TODAY BEHIND THE STRONGEST NATURAL DEFENSE LINE THEY HAVE YET HAD.

THE TROOPS (APPARENTLY 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION) ARE DETERMINED TO HOLD IT.

"TWO MORE WITHDRAWALS AND WE WOULD ALL BE IN BOATS," QUIPPED ONE G. I.

THE WITHDRAWAL BEGAN BEFORE DUSK WEDNESDAY AND LASTED THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT. IT WAS SKILLFULLY DONE---AND IT IS NO EASY THING TO BREAK OFF CONTACT WITH AN ENEMY IN THIS WAY.

THE REAR LINE ELEMENTS WERE TRUCKED OUT FIRST, THEN THE FRONTLINE AMERICAN SOLDIERS. AFTER THEM CAME THE SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WHOSE REAR WAS PROTECTED BY LOCAL POLICE UNITS.

IT WAS UP TO THE POLICE---MANY OF WHOM FEARED DEATH AT THE HANDS OF THE REDS---TO GET OUT AS BEST THEY COULD. SOME CROSSED OVER AS REFUGEES, SOME REMOVED THEIR UNIFORMS AND PISTOLS AND PUT ON CIVILIAN CLOTHES.

ONE LONE NORTH KOREAN NIGHT RAIDING PLANE CIRCLED THE AREA AND STRAFED A COLUMN OF TRUCKS THAT HAD ENTERED KORYONG, 21 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, TO PICK UP 500 SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.

"HE MADE A SINGLE PASS AT US AND PUT A FEW HOLES IN ONE OF MY TRUCKS," SAID CAPT. JOHN G. STEELE OF DALLAS, TEX., "BUT MOST OF HIS BULLETS JUST CUT THE ROAD."

AS THE TROOPS CROSSED THE NAKTONG NEAR TUKSON-DONG ON THE KOCHANG-TAEGU HIGHWAY, A PLATOON OF ENGINEERS FINISHED PREPARING THE 200-YARD STEEL AND CONCRETE BRIDGE FOR DEMOLITION. THEY WERE COMMANDED BY LT. JOHN W. DAVIS OF ELLIJAY (CQ) GA., AND LT. WILLIAM T. MOORE, SPRINGFIELD, ILL.

"THIS IS THE FIRST BRIDGE WE'VE EVER BLOWN AND WE ARE PUTTING IN 7,000 POUNDS OF TNT," SAID DAVIS. "WE WANT TO DO A GOOD JOB."

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A REGIMENTAL COLONEL REACHED THE BRIDGE. WHEN HE WAS SURE ALL HIS MEN WERE OVER HE GAVE THE SIGNAL TO DESTROY IT. A MAJOR RAN OUT ON THE SPAN AND FIRED HIS PISTOL IN THE AIR TO WARN THE REFUGEES. HE DASHED BACK TO SAFETY.

THEN THE ENGINEERS BLEW THE BRIDGE. IT WAS A THOROUGH JOB.

"I WATCHED IT THROUGH FIELD GLASSES," SAID THE COLONEL'S DRIVER, CORP. RUDOLPH CIANNILLI, (2000 THIRD AVE.) NEW YORK CITY. "I SAW A LOT OF SMOKE AND THREE BIG PIECES OF STEEL FLYING THROUGH THE AIR.

"WHEN THE SMOKE SETTLED THERE WASN'T ANYTHING STANDING AT ALL. IT WAS DONE VERY CLEAN."

THE BRIDGE WAS DOWN AND AT THREE POINTS IN THE MOUNTAINS THE HIGHWAY LEADING TO IT HAD BEEN CRATERED BY EXPLOSIONS TO MAKE IT IMPASSABLE.

BUT AN HOUR LATER, NORTH KOREAN PATROLS NEARED THE RIVER.

THEY HAD MARCHED ON FOOT 20 MILES DURING THE NIGHT TO REACH A POINT WHERE THE NAKTONG BENDS TO WITHIN SEVEN MILES OF TAEGU, ITSELF.

NOW THE ENEMY IS BACK IN CONTACT AND THERE IS A BATTLE TO BE FOUGHT ON THE NAKTONG LINE.

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A78KX

BY HAL BOYLE

ON THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE, KOREA, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE AMERICANS HAD TROUBLE GETTING ONE SOUTH KOREAN BATTALION TO WITHDRAW BEHIND THE NATURAL BARRIER OF THE NAKTONG RIVER EARLY TODAY. THE SOUTH KOREANS WANTED TO STAY ON THE WEST SIDE AND FIGHT THE REDS.

THE SOUTH KOREAN BATTALION COMMANDER REFUSED TO MOVE AT ALL YESTERDAY UNLESS HE AND HIS MEN WERE PERMITTED TO ATTACK THE REDS FOR THREE HOURS. THE U. S. COLONEL WHO WAS TRYING TO MOVE HIM FINALLY HAD TO AGREE.

THE SOUTH KOREAN BATTALION THEN ATTACKED IN THE HILLS EAST OF KOCHANG.

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ABOUT 11 P.M. LT. WALTER BECK OF (445 S. COLLINGWOOD AVE.) SYRACUSE, N. Y., BROUGHT TRUCKS TO TAKE THE SOUTH KOREANS OUT. THEIR TIME WAS UP.

NEARLY AN HOUR LATER, THE TRUCKS WERE STILL EMPTY.

"OUR MEN DON'T WANT TO LOSE FACE BY RETREATING," AN INTERPRETER EXPLAINED.

AFTER A LONG ARGUMENT TO THE EFFECT THAT IT WOULD BE BETTER TO RIDE BACK AND FIGHT ANOTHER DAY, THE SOUTH KOREANS FINALLY BOARDED THE TRUCKS.

IT WAS PAST MIDNIGHT BEFORE WE GOT THEM LOADED," SAID BECK. "THEY STILL WANTED TO GET OUT AND START THE BATTLE ALL OVER."

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A SOUTH KOREA PORT, FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-M/SGT. ANDREW PREVUSNAK OF THE U.S. ARMY'S SECOND DIVISION CAME ASHORE HERE TODAY FOR THE SECOND TIME IN EIGHT YEARS.

BUT HIS ARRIVAL THIS TIME WAS VASTLY DIFFERENT FROM EIGHT YEARS AGO. THEN HE ARRIVED AS A PRISONER OF WAR OF THE JAPANESE, WHO CAPTURED HIM ON BATAAN IN THE PHILIPPINES.

PREVUSNAK, WHOSE HOME IS AT 1828 HENRY AVE., CANTON, O., SAID "EVERYTHING IS THE SAME -- SAME HEAT, SAME MOSQUITOES, SAME KOREANS."

THE ONE DIFFERENCE, HE ADDED, "IS THE CHOW."

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(180)

BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH THE MARINES IN SOUTH KOREA, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE MARINES MOVED UP TOWARD THE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT TODAY BY TRUCK AND RAIL.

THEIR TANKS---HEAVIER THAN ANY THE ARMY HAS BEEN USING---WENT WITH THEM. (THE MARINES HAVE 47 1/2 TON PERSHING TANKS MOUNTING A 90-MILLIMETER GUN. THE ARMY HAS BEEN USING THE LIGHTER, MORE MANEUVERABLE SHERMAN, ABOUT 29 TONS AND MOUNTING A 75-MILLIMETER GUN.)

SOME TANKS WENT BY RAIL UNDER THE WATCHFUL EYE OF A MARINE HELICOPTER

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WHICH SCOUTED THE TRACKS AND TERMINALS AHEAD.
THE TANKERS WERE NOT BOASTFUL ABOUT THEIR ARMOR, BUT SEEMED CONFIDENT THEY WOULD GIVE A GOOD ACCOUNT OF THEMSELVES.
STAFF SGT.JOHN GRIFFIN OF (425 ELM ST.,) HOLYOKE, MASS., A TANK COMMANDER, SAID "IT'S HARD TO TELL" WHEN ASKED HOW HIS TANK WOULD MAKE OUT AGAINST THE 33-TON RUSSIAN-MADE NORTH KOREAN TANKS.
HIS TANK DRIVER, SGT.FRANKLIN H.HOPKINS OF OCEANSIDE, CALIF., WAS A LITTLE MORE OPTIMISTIC. FROM THE TOP OF HIS TANK, HOPKINS ANNOUNCED TO ANOTHER MARINE SERGEANT: "I'M GOING TO DRIVE THIS BABY TO MANCHURIA."
OTHERS IN GRIFFIN'S CREW INCLUDED PFFCS HECTOR BELTORAN OF SAN BENITO, TEX., AND PETER DE SIMONE, (11906 GAY AVE.) CLEVELAND, O.
AS THE MARINES REACHED AN ASSEMBLY AREA THEY SENT PATROLS INTO THE HIGH GROUND AND BEGAN MAKING READY THEIR ARTILLERY.
THEY LOOKED READY---AND ACTED IT.
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BY MILTON MARMOR
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ABOARD U. S. HEAVY CRUISER IN FAR EASTERN WATERS, JULY 29-(DELAYED)-(AP)-FIFTEEN YOUNG ENSIGNS JUST OUT OF SCHOOL ARE SERVING THEIR FIRST TOUR OF SEA DUTY WITH A TASK FORCE THAT IS PLAYING FOR KEEPS.
ALL 15 ARE PLEASED THAT THEIR FIRST DUTY CRUISES IS THE REAL THING AND NOT JUST TRAINING. SEVEN ARE FROM ANNAPOLIS AND EIGHT ARE NAVAL RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS GRADUATES.
ENSIGN ADRIAN VINING, 23, ANNAPOLIS GRADUATE OF 625 SAGAMORE ST., LAKELAND, FLA., SUMS UP THEIR VIEWS LIKE THIS:
"IT'S A LOT MORE FUN TO DO THIS THAN GO ON A DAMNED TRAINING CRUISE. IT'S MORE INTERESTING NOW THAT WE ARE A LITTLE SCARED."
TO THIS, ENSIGN NED WICK, 22, OF MIAMI (OHIO) UNIVERSITY AND RAPID CITY, S. D., ADDED:
"I'D RATHER BE HERE GETTING MY FEET WET THAN BEING HOME NOT KNOWING WHAT TOMORROW WILL BRING."
THE BOOT OFFICERS PROVED, THOUGH, THAT THEY ARE NOT NEW TO POLITICS. THE MOST THANKLESS JOB IN THE WARDROOM (OFFICERS' MESS) IS THAT OF MESS OFFICER. SENIOR OFFICERS WANTED TO ELECT AN ENSIGN. THEY CHOSE AS THEIR CANDIDATE ENSIGN EVERETT HORTON, III. A YALE GRADUATE OF ENCINO, CALIF. HE'S A NEPHEW OF THE MOVIE COMEDIAN OF THE SAME NAME.
BUT THE ENSIGNS RUSHED TO HIS RESCUE AND SUCCEEDED IN ELECTING LT. WILLIAM MORGAN, 33, FIRE CONTROL OFFICER WITH 15 YEARS SERVICE. HE LIVES IN LONG BEACH, CALIF.
AMONG THOSE WHO WORKED TO DEFEAT HORTON WAS ENSIGN ALFRED WELLS, 21, OF YALE AND 155 MAIN ST., SOUTHBRIDGE, MASS.
SOME OF THOSE WHO "STUCK BEHIND" HORTON WERE HUGH HAYWARD, 22, OF ANNAPOLIS AND 805 RIDGE TERRACE, EVANSTON, ILL.; WILLIAM BLANC, 22, OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO AND SOUTHGATE, CALIF.; DANIE PRESTON, JR., 23, OF ANNAPOLIS AND 448 WEST LEICOSTER ST., WINCHESTER, VA., AND CLYDE L. JOHNSON, JR., 21, OF OKLTAHOMA UNIVERSITY AND CARTER, OKLA.
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BY MILTON MARMOR
ABOARD A U. S. HEAVY CRUISER IN THE FORMOSA STRAITS, AUG. 1. (DELAYED)-(AP)-A UNITED STATES FAR EAST NAVAL FORCE STEAMED UP AND DOWN THE FORMOSA STRAITS AND THE FEW SMALL VESSELS SIGHTED KEPT A HEALTHY DISTANCE FROM THE WARSHIPS.
MANY HANDS WONDERED WHAT JOB WAS IN STORE FOR THE WARSHIPS. THEY KNEW PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAD GIVEN THE SEVENTH FLEET THE TASK OF PROTECTING NATIOALIST FORMOSA FROM ANYCHINESE COMMUNIST INVASION FORCE.
BUT THE ORDERS TO MOVE TO THE STRAITS CAME WHEN THE CRUISER WAS ABOUT TO SHELL NORTH KOREAN INSTALLATIONS.
THEY HAD NOT BEEN TOLD JUST HOW TO CARRY OUT THIS NEW MISSION. IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT A RED INVASION WOULD TAKE SHAPE IN THE FORM OF HUNDREDS OF JUNKS AND OTHER VESSELS. IF SUCH A FORCE WERE MET, THE AMERICAN GUNS WOULD FIRE WARNING SHELLS AND IF UNHEEDED WOULD OPEN FIRE.
NO VESSELS WERE SIGHTED. SOME VETERANS DESCRIBED THE MANEUVER AS "BOW AND ARROW STUFF." THEY EXPRESSED THE BELIEF PLANES COULD DO THE JOB MORE EFFICIENTLY BUT THERE WERE NO CARRIERS PRESENT.
LATER IT WAS LEARNED THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD BEEN AT TAIPEI TO CONFER WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK. THIS CLEARED THE PICTURE FOR SOME AND THEY WERE HAPPY NOW TO STEAM TOWARD KOREA FOR IMMEDIATE ACTIVITY.
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U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG.3-(AP)-U.S. EIGHTH ARMY TONIGHT ISSUED COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 18. THE TEXT:
THERE WERE ONLY TWO SPOTS IN THE LINE WHERE REAL FIGHTING WAS REPORTED TODAY IN THE CHINJU AND YONGDOK AREAS.
THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION IS STILL ATTACKING AGAINST STUBBORN ENEMY RESISTANCE TO SEIZE HIGH GROUND TO THE NORTH OF YONGDOK.
IN THE AREA TO THE EAST OF CHINJU, UNITS IN THE TWENTY FOURTH DIVISION AREA HAVE BEEN RECEIVING HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE, FOLLOWED BY SOME STRONG INFANTRY ASSAULTS. AT LAST REPORTS THE FRIENDLY FORCES WERE STILL STANDING FIRM AND HAD GIVEN NO GROUND. DURING THE MORNING SOME INFILTRATING GROUPS OF NORTH KOREANS ATTACKED A COMMAND POST AND SOME ARTILLERY POSITIONS BUT WERE DRIVEN BACK IN EACH INSTANCE.
AIR RECONNAISSANCE REPORTED NO MOVEMENT OF TROOPS OR ANY LARGE CONCENTRATION NORTH AND NORTHWEST OF CHINJU. HOWEVER, THERE WAS CONSIDERABLE ENEMY ACTIVITY REPORTED IN KUMCHONG. AIR STRIKES THERE WERE REPORTED TO HAVE DESTROYED AND DAMAGED A NUMBER OF TANKS AND OTHER VEHICLES.
THERE WERE FURTHER INDICATIONS OF A CONCENTRATION OF ENEMY FORCES IN THE AREA BETWEEN YECHON AND ANDONG.
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TEXT (600)
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG 4-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 200 ISSUED AT 1:45 P.M., KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME (10:45 P.M., THURSDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):
U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE COMBAT AIRCRAFT CONTINUED TO MOUNT A DAILY AVERAGE OF MORE THAN 400 AIR STRIKES AGAINST NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST ARMIES ON AUGUST 3.
B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES OF THE FEAR BOMBER COMMAND AGAIN STRUCK HEAVILY AT A STRATEGIC TARGET IN THE NORTH KOREAN INDUSTRIAL AND PORT CITY OF KONAN (HAMHUNG) IN AN ATTACK WHICH WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE INFLICTED SERIOUS DAMAGE ON THE THIRD MAJOR TARGET IN THE AREA.
THE TARGET FOR YESTERDAY'S ATTACK WAS THE BOGUN CHEMICAL PLANT, ONE OF THREE CHIEF COGS IN THE KONAN CHEMICAL-EXPLOSIVE-NON-FERROUS METAL MANUFACTURING COMPLEX. KONAN IS ONE OF THE LARGEST INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATIONS IN THE ORIENT.

HEAVY CLOUD COVER OVER THE TARGET DURING THE FIRST PHASE OF THE ATTACK REQUIRED ONE GROUP OF THE MEDIUM BOMBERS TO DROP THEIR BOMBS BY RADAR SIGHTING. NO RESULTS WERE OBSERVED, BUT A SECOND GROUP OF B-29S WERE ABLE TO MAKE VISUAL BOMB RUNS THROUGH SCATTERED UNDERCAST. DIRECT HITS WERE MADE ON THE CHEMICAL PLANT FOLLOWED BY FIRES AND OTHER INDICATIONS OF DAMAGE IN THE TARGET AREA.

APPROXIMATELY 400 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES WERE DROPPED IN THIS STRIKE, WHICH WAS ONLY SLIGHTLY SMALLER THAN ATTACKS ON THE OTHER TWO LARGE PLANTS IN THE AREA ON JULY 30 AND AUGUST 1.

OTHER B-WOS ATTACKED SELECTED BRIDGES ESSENTIAL TO THE MOVEMENT OF NORTH KOREAN SUPPLIES AND MATERIAL SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

SPANS WERE REPORTED DOWN ON BRIDGES AT HADONG AND SUNCHON IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR AND AT NOSONG, 22 MILES NORTHEAST OF CHONJU. THE WEST RAILROAD BRIDGE AT SEOUL WAS BOMBED AND DIRECT HITS WERE SCORED ON ONE SPAN AND THE SOUTH APPROACHES.

IN AN ATTACK ON TARGETS 10 MILES NORTHWEST OF NAMWON, THE BOMBERS HIT WHAT WAS PROBABLY AN OIL AND GASOLINE STORAGE DUMP IN THE VILLAGE OF OSU. WIDESPREAD FIRES AND SMOKE RISING TO 10,000 FEET WERE SEEN BY CREWMEN FOLLOWING THE BOMB DROP.

NIGHT MISSIONS BY FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS WERE FLOWN TO SEOUL, SUWON, SUNCHON, INCHON AND PYONGTAEK. ROADS, VEHICLES, RAILROAD YARDS AND OTHER TARGETS WERE DAMAGED IN THESE NIGHT ATTACKS. LARGE FIRES WERE OBSERVED IN PYONGTAEK AFTER A SUCCESSFUL ATTACK ON AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE SHOPS.

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DAYLIGHT B-26 ATTACKS DAMAGED RAILROAD INSTALLATIONS AT SUNCHON AND DOCK FACILITIES AND RAILROAD YARDS AT YOSU.

FIFTH AIR FORCE B-80S AND F-81S FLEW MORE THAN 275 CLOSE-SUPPORT AND ARMED RECONNAISSANCE SORTIES, HITTING TARGETS IN MANY AREAS SOUTH OF THE 37TH PARALLEL.

THE FIGHTERS DAMAGED FOUR 150-FOOT BOATS IN YOSU HARBOR AND STRAFED AND BOMBED VEHICLES, TROOPS, AND OTHER MILITARY OBJECTIVES AT CHINJU, SACHON, KOSONG, HYOPCHON, KUMCHON, MOKPO AND OTHER POINTS.

SPECIAL EFFORTS WERE MADE TO CUT DOWN THE NUMBER OF LOCOMOTIVES AVAILABLE TO THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES, AND 19 WERE REPORTED AS BEING BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK AND DAMAGED DURING THE DAY. THIS WAS THE HIGHEST DAY'S TOTAL FOR THIS CATEGORY OF MATERIEL SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA.

INCOMPLETE REPORTS ON VEHICULAR AND GROUND MATERIEL DAMAGE SUFFERED BY THE NORTH KOREANS IN FIGHTER ATTACKS INCLUDED 49 VEHICLES AND TANKS, 38 BOXCARS AND 2 ARTILLERY PIECES.

TWO SUPPLY DUMPS WERE HIT, ONE AT CHINJU BY F-80 JETS AND THE OTHER AT ANDONG BY F-51S.

RAAF MUSTANGS FIRED A GASOLINE AND FUEL DUMP AT CHINJU. SECONDARY FIRES AND EXPLOSIONS WERE SEEN IN MANY SECTIONS OF THE TOWN AS THE RESULT OF THE STRIKE.

ONE F-51 WAS BELIEVED HIT BY SMALL ARMS GROUND FIRE AND CRASHED NEAR KUMCHON. NO OTHER LOSSES OR DAMAGE FROM ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE WERE REPORTED AND NO NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT WERE ENCOUNTERED IN THE COURSE OF THE DAY'S OPERATIONS.

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TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 199 ISSUED AT 12:40 P. M.. KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME (9:40 P.M., THURSDAY. EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

AN AMERICAN REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM REPULSED A NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST ATTACK LAST NIGHT EAST OF CHINJU IN THE ONLY MAJOR FIGHTING REPORTED DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS IN THE KOREAN WAR.

THE COMMUNISTS, UTILIZING FAMILIAR INFILTRATION TACTICS WITH LITTLE SUCCESS, BEGAN THE ATTACK ABOUT MIDNIGHT AND BY 6 A. M., TODAY WERE FORCED TO WITHDRAW AFTER A SIX HOUR BATTLE.

ELSEWHERE, ELEMENTS OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA'S CAPITAL DIVISION ENGAGED THE COMMUNISTS IN A MINOR SKIRMISH SOUTHEAST OF ANDONG.

THERE WAS LITTLE CHANGE IN THE POSITIONS OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) THIRD DIVISION AND SUPPORTING U. S. ARTILLERY FORCES IN THE YONGDOKAREA.

AMERICAN AND ROK UNITS CONTINUED MOVEMENTS TO CONSOLIDATE NEW DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.

RECONNAISSANCE SHOWED THAT THE COMMUNIST INVADERS APPARENTLY ARE BUILDING UP CONSIDERABLE STRENGTH IN THE TAEJON AREA. REPORTS ALSO INDICATE CONSIDERABLE RAIL AND CONVOY MOVEMENTS BY THE ENEMY IN THE TERRITORY HELD BY THE REDS.

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TOKYO, AUG. 3-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 194 ISSUED AT 12:45 P.M., KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME (9:45 P.M., WEDNESDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA'S THIRD DIVISION, SUPPORTED BY SUSTAINED U.S. ARTILLERY AND UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FIRE, RECAPTURED THE TOWN OF YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST LATE YESTERDAY IN THE ONLY MAJOR FIGHTING REPORTED IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT LAST NIGHT.

ELEMENTS OF THE ROK THIRD DIVISION CONTINUED TO PURSUE THE COMMUNISTS NORTH OF YONGDOK WHILE THE REMAINDER OF THE TROOPS IN THAT AREA OCCUPIED TEMPORARY POSITIONS IN SUPPORT.

IN OTHER SECTORS ALONG THE FRONT AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN UNITS CONTINUED TO MAKE SOME PLANNED WITHDRAWALS TO BETTER DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.

AMERICAN UNITS EAST OF CHINJU, IN THE SOUTH SECTOR, COUNTERATTACKED FOR THE PURPOSE OF RECTIFYING THEIR LINES AND TO DISORGANIZE A THREATENED RED OFFENSIVE.

A REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TURNED BACK A COMMUNIST THRUST EAST OF KUMCHON, IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR, WHILE ROK FORCES MADE A SUCCESSFUL LOCAL COUNTERATTACK IN THE VICINITY OF TOGAE.

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LONDON, AUG.3-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIQUE AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO:

MORNING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED BITTER FIGHTING AGAINST AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS. IN THE AREA OF CYIRYE UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, BEATING OFF SEVERAL COUNTERATTACKS BY AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, INFLICTED A SERIOUS DEFEAT ON THE ENEMY.

IN FIGHTING IN THE AREA OF CHIRYE UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY KILLED AND WOUNDED MANY ENEMY SOLDIERS AND OFFINERS. BOOTY HAS BEEN CAPTURED.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH LIBERATED CHINJU, OVERCOMING ENEMY RESISTANCE. CONTINUE THEIR OFFENSIVE.

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EVENING COMMUNIQUE:
ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, OVERCOMING THE RESISTANCE OF AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, CONTINUED THEIR OFFENSIVE.
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ATTACKING IN THE DIRECTION OF ANDONG ON AUG.1 COMPLETELY LIBERATED THIS TOWN, WHICH IS AN IMPORTANT POINT OF THE DEFENSE AND A MOST IMPORTANT TOWN OF THE PROVINCE OF NORTH KYONG-SANG. IN THE FIGHTING FOR THE LIBERATION OF ANDONG, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY TOOK PRISONER 1,200 ENEMY SOLDIERS AND OFFICERS AND SEIZED TROPHIES INCLUDING SIX 105 MM. GUNS.
ON AUG.1 UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY LIBERATED THE TOWN OF HAMCHANG. MANY PRISONERS WERE TAKEN. THE FOLLOWING TROPHIES WERE SEIZED: FOUR 105 MM. GUNS, 10 MORTARS, OVER 200 CARBINES, AND 10 HEAVY MACHINEGUNS.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, THURSDAY, AUG.3)

AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD BRITISH
BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

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(ADVANCE)...LONDON, FRIDAY, AUG.4-(AP)-BRITAIN ANNOUNCED TODAY SHE PLANS A $9,520,000,000, THREE-YEAR PROGRAM TO BUILD UP WESTERN DEFENSES AGAINST SOVIET RUSSIA, IF THE UNITED STATES WILL HELP PAY THE BILL.
IN RETURN FOR U.S. FINANCIAL AID, BRITAIN OFFERED TO SUPPLY HER NORTH ATLANTIC PACT PARTNERS WITH FREE MILITARY EQUIPMENT MADE IN BRITAIN.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE IN WASHINGTON HE WELCOMED THE DEVELOPMENT. HE SAID HE WAS VERY HAPPY ABOUT IT. HE EXPRESSED HOPE THAT OTHER NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS WILL TAKE SIMILAR STEPS. THE BRITISH HAVE MADE THE RIGHT APPROACH, MR.TRUMAN SAID.
THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT ISSUED THE DETAILS IN ADVANCE FOR RELEASE AT 12:30 A.M. BRITISH SUMMER TIME FRIDAY (6:30 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME THURSDAY). PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S COMMENT RELEASED THE NEWS ABOUT THREE HOURS AHEAD OF TIME. HE SPOKE IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION FROM A BRITISH CORRESPONDENT:
"WILL YOU COMMENT ON THE NEW $9,500,000,000 BRITISH REARMAMENT PROGRAM BEING ANNOUNCED IN LONDON TODAY?"

A STATEMENT FROM PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE'S OFFICE SAID THE PROGRAM WOULD INCREASE BRITAIN'; 595-) $313, 3 3/03,385743 149. ,3-4)6 38&E5 034 ;3,5 9! 5£3 ,-389,-) 8,:9.3 59 10 PER CENT.
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PER CENT OF THE NATIONAL INCOME TO 10 PER CENT.
BRITAIN'S LABOR GOVERNMENT IS READY IN PRINCIPLE TO MAKE THIS INCREASE, THE STATEMENT SAID, BUT FULFILLMENT WILL "DEPEND ON THE AMOUNT OF UNITED STATES ASSISTANCE FORTHCOMING."

"THIS BURDEN WOULD BE SO HEAVY THAT IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO CARRY OUT THE FULL PROGRAM WITHOUT SUBSTANTIAL UNITED STATES ASSISTANCE IN ADDITION TO COMPLETION OF THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM (DUE TO END IN 1952)," IT SAID. "EVEN SO IT WILL ENTAIL REAL AND SUBSTANTIAL SACRIFICES BY THE BRITISH PEOPLE. IT WILL DELAY THE RECOVERY AND POSTPONE THE IMPROVEMENT IN THEIR CIRCUMSTANCES FOR WHICH THEY HAD HOPED AS A RESULT OF THEIR EFFORTS SINCE THE END OF THE WAR."
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THE PROPOSED OUTLAY TOTALS £3,400,000,000 STERLING. THE NATION'S ENTIRE BUDGET FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR IS £3,455,000,000, OR $9,674,000,000.
THE STATEMENT WAS HANDED TO U.S. AMBASSADOR LEWIS DOUGLAS THURSDAY NIGHT.
THE STATEMENT SAID THE PROGRAM WILL INEVITABLY SLOW DOWN THE POSTWAR RECOVERY OF THE UNITED KINGDOM BUT THE GOVERNMENT IS ANXIOUS TO CONTRIBUTE "TO THE DEFENSE OF THE FREE WORLD IN THE PRESENT THREATENING SITUATION."
THESE WORDS FOLLOWED:
"IT IS THE LARGEST PROGRAM PRACTICABLE WITHIN THE PERIOD ENVISAGED AND WITHOUT RESTORING THE DIRECTION OF LABOR, THE REQUISITIONING OF FACTORIES, OR EMBARKING ON THE SLOW PROGRESS OF BUILDING AND EQUIPPING NEW INDUSTRIAL CAPACITY WHICH COULD NOT HAVE RAPID RESULTS."
BRITAIN, IT WENT ON, COULD NOT UNDERTAKE SO BIG A DEFENSE PROGRAM "UNLESS THE UNITED STATES CAN OFFER FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE," PART IN MATERIALS AND PART IN FREELY-CONVERTIBLE DOLLARS.
BRITAIN ANNOUNCED WILLINGNESS TO TRANSFER AN UNSPECIFIED QUANTITY OF BRITISH-MADE MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO HER ATLANTIC ALLIES WHO WERE IN NEED, TO HELP IN THE COMMON JOB OF BUILDING UP A BALANCED COLLECTIVE DEFENSE.
SHE PROPOSED A GENERAL ARRANGEMENT OF THIS KIND MIGHT WELL BE APPLIED ON A RECIPROCAL BASIS.
BRITAIN'S DEFENSE APPROPRIATION FOR 1950-1951 RAN TO £780,000,000 ($2,184,000,000). DEFENSE MINISTER EMMANUEL SHINWELL TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS LAST WEEK IMMEDIATE REARMAMENT MEASURES STEMMING FROM THE KOREAN WAR WOULD ACCOUNT FOR A FURTHER ANNUAL EXPENDITURE OF £100,000,000 ($280,000,000).
THE NEW PROGRAM WILL BE SUBMITTED TO PARLIAMENT FOR APPROVAL ONLY WHEN BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES HAVE WORKED OUT SOME KIND OF A DEAL ON THE WHOLE ISSUE, THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.
THE UNITED STATES LAST WEEK HAD ASKED ALL THE ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES WHAT THEY PROPOSED TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE WEST'S OVERALL DEFENSE PROGRAM. REPLIES WERE CALLED FOR BY AUG.5.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN, MEANTIME, ASKED CONGRESS TO SET ASIDE $3,504,000,000 TO HELP ARM THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS.

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CONGRESS PRESUMABLY WOULD WANT TO KNOW WHAT THESE COUNTRIES WERE DOING TO HELP THEMSELVES BEFORE APPROVING THE APPROPRIATIONS.
THAT WAS ONE REASON WHY THE BRITISH CUT ACROSS NORMAL DIPLOMATIC PROCEDURE BY PUBLICIZING THEIR DEFENSE PLANS BEFORE EVEN THEY HAD BEEN FINALLY SET.
ATTLEE SHOWED THE GOVERNMENT STATEMENT TO WINSTON CHURCHILL, LEADER OF THE CONSERVATIVE OPPOSITION, BEFORE PUBLISHING IT. THE TWO MEN DISCUSSED IT SECRETLY IN THE LAST 24 HOURS AT THE PRIME MINISTER'S RESIDENCE, NO. 10 DOWNING STREET.
THE STATEMENT STRESSED TWO ASPECTS OF BRITAIN'S PEACETIME MILITARY EFFORT:
ABOUT 1,000,000 YOUNG MEN HAVE RECEIVED COMPULSORY MILITARY TRAINING SINCE MID-1945.
MORE THAN 4,000,000 OLDER MEN WHO WERE TRAINED IN WORLD WAR II ARE IN RESERVE.
IF THE PROGRAM GOES THROUGH, TENS OF THOUSANDS OF BRITISH WORKERS MUST BE SWITCHED TO KEY INDUSTRIES, AN EXAMPLE IS THE ELECTRONICS INDUSTRY, WHICH PRODUCES RADAR EQUIPMENT.
BRITAIN WOULD HAVE TO BEAR SHORTAGES MORE SEVERE THAN EVER IN SUCH SCARCE THINGS AS MOTOR CARS AND REFRIGERATORS IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN HER DRIVE TO SELL GOODS ABROAD.
TWO FACTORS WHICH HELPED SHAPE THE BRITISH PROGRAM, ACCORDING TO GOVERNMENT INFORMANTS:
TO PUT AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE INTO THE WEST'S MILITARY POOL WITHOUT

SWITCHING TO A FULL SCALE WAR ECONOMY.
TO BALANCE MILITARY SECURITY AND ECONOMIC STABILITY--AND SO AVOID CONDITIONS OF POLITICAL AND LABOR UNREST WHICH COULD OPEN THE WAY TO NATIONAL DISUNITY.
IF THE UNITED STATES AGREES TO HELP WITH CONVERTIBLE DOLLARS, BRITAIN'S YEARS-OLD BALANCE OF PAYMENTS HEADACHE WILL BE OVER--AT LEAST FOR THE TIME BEING.
FOR A LONG TIME BRITAIN HAS BEEN PLAGUED BY AN INABILITY TO PAY FOR ALL THE DOLLAR GOODS SHE NEEDS WITH HER DOLLAR EARNINGS. AS A RESULT, HER GOLD AND DOLLAR RESERVES SAGGED TO A POINT WHICH CAUSED HER LAST YEAR TO CUT DOWN THE VALUE OF THE POUND STERLING BY 30 PER CENT TO INCREASE HER FOREIGN TRADE. WITH THE GUARANTEE OF DOLLAR HELP FROM AMERICA AND THE PROMISE THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL GO ON BUYING RAW MATERIALS FROM BRITISH COMMONWEALTH AREAS, BRITAIN WILL BE ABLE TO BUILD UP HER RESERVES AND STRENGTHEN HER CURRENCY.
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ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, THURSDAY, AUG 3)
BULLETIN
SECOND LEAD BRITISH ARMS

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(ADVANCE) LONDON, AUG 3-(AP)-BRITAIN ANNOUNCED TONIGHT SHE IS LAYING DOWN A $9.520.000.000 DEFENSE PROGRAM FOR THE NEXT THREE YEARS.

BUT SHE MADE CLEAR THAT HOW MUCH SHE WILL ACTUALLY SPEND WILL DEPEND ON HOW MUCH AID IS FORTHCOMING FROM THE UNITED STATES.

THE HUGE OUTLAY -- 3,400,000,000 IN POUNDS STERLING-- IS ALMOST AS LARGE AS THE NATION'S ENTIRE BUDGET OF £3,455,000,000 POUNDS, OR $9,674,000,000 FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR.

AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT FROM PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE'S OFFICE SAID THE PROGRAM WOULD INCREASE BRITAIN'S TOTAL DEFENSE EXPENDITURE FROM NEARLY EIGHT PER CENT OF THE NATIONAL INCOME TO TEN PER CENT.

THE LABOR GOVERNMENT, IT SAID, IS READY "IN PRINCIPLE" TO MAKE THIS INCREASE BUT ITS FULFILMENT WILL "DEPEND ON THE AMOUNT OF UNITED STATES ASSISTANCE FORTHCOMING."

THE ANNOUNCEMENT FOLLOWED TWO CONFERENCES IN THE PAST 24 HOURS BETWEEN ATTLEE AND U.S. AMBASSADOR LEWIS DOUGLAS.

THE UNITED STATES LAST WEEK ASKED BRITAIN--AND THE OTHER 10 PARTNERS IN THE ATLANTIC PACT--WHAT CONTRIBUTION SHE COULD MAKE TO THE WESTERN ALLIES' REARMAMENT DRIVE. A REPLY WAS ASKED BY AUG. 5.

ATTLEE REPORTEDLY HANDED DOUGLAS AN OUTLINE OF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT'S PLANS. THEY WERE UNDERSTOOD TO BE UNDER TWO BROAD HEADINGS--THE EXTRA DEFENSE BURDEN WHICH BRITAIN CAN SHOULDER HERSELF AND THOSE SHE CAN UNDERTAKE WITH AMERICAN HELP.

DEFENSE MINISTER EMANUEL SHINWELL TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS LAST WEEK THAT NEW REARMAMENT MEASURES WOULD COST ABOUT $280,000,000 A YEAR OVER AND ABOVE THE 1950-1951 MILITARY APPROPRIATION OF $1,184,000,000.

THE $280,000,000 WAS REPRESENTED AS BEING ONLY A SMALL PART OF THE TOTAL NECESSARY TO PUT THIS COUNTRY ON A FOOTING OF FULL MILITARY PREPAREDNESS.

THE BRITISH SAY SUBSTANTIAL AMERICAN HELP WILL BE NEEDED IF THEY ARE TO GET THEMSELVES ON A WAR FOOTING BECAUSE A FULLSCALE ARMS DRIVE WILL HAVE A BIG IMPACT ON THEIR ALREADY-SHAKY PEACETIME ECONOMY.

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LONDON, AUG.3-(AP)-U.S.AMBASSADOR LEWIS DOUGLAS HAD HIS SECOND TALK WITH PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE IN LESS THAN 24 HOURS TODAY.
THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL DISCLOSURE OF THE SUBJECT MATTER. THE LONDON PRESS GUESSED THAT THE CONFERENCES CONCERN AN EARLY ANNOUNCEMENT OF PLANS BY BRITAIN TO INCREASE ITS DEFENSE SPENDING SHARPLY.
DOUGLAS SAW ATTLEE LAST NIGHT AND AGAIN AT MIDDAY TODAY AT THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICIAL RESIDENCE, NO. 10 DOWNING STREET.
DEFENSE MINISTER EMANUEL SHINWELL ALREADY HAS TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS THAT THE NATION WILL SPEND £100,000,000 ($280,000,000) IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS FOR URGENTLY-NEEDED EQUIPMENT. THIS IS EXPECTED TO BE ONLY THE FIRST INSTALLMENT OF A HUGE BILL FOR BUILDING UP BRITAIN'S ARMED FORCES BECAUSE OF THE INTERNATIONAL CRISIS.
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LONDON, AUG 3-(AP)-THE BRITISH WAR OFFICE APPEALED TODAY FOR VOLUNTEERS TO SERVE A SPECIAL SHORT TERM OF 18 MONTHS IN THE REGULAR ARMY. PREVIOUSLY THE SHORTEST PERIOD PERMITTED WAS FOR FIVE YEARS.
"IT IS INTENDED THAT VOLUNTEERS SHALL SERVE IN THE KOREAN AREA, ALTHOUGH THIS MUST TO SOME EXTENT DEPEND ON EVENTS," THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.
BRITAIN HAS PROMISED TO SEND KOREA GROUND FORCES OF INFANTRY, ARTILLERY, TANKS AND ENGINEERS "AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE." STRENGTH OF THE CONTEMPLATED FORCE HAS NOT BEEN DISCLOSED, BUT IS EXPECTED TO BE ABOUT 5,000 MEN.
THE WAR OFFICE SAID THE VOLUNTEERS WILL BE EXPECTED TO GO INTO UNIFORM AT ONCE. THEY MUST HAVE AT LEAST 18 MONTHS OF PREVIOUS ARMY EXPERIENCE PRIOR TO JAN. 1, 1946, AND BE UNDER 30 YEARS OF AGE.
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WASHINGTON, AUG.3-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN DISCLOSED TODAY THAT HE HAD BEEN INFORMED OF A NEW $9,900,000,000(B) BRITISH REARMAMENT PROGRAM.
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WASHINGTON--1ST ADD BRITISH X X X PROGRAM.
THE PRESIDENT SAID HE WELCOMED THE DEVELOPMENT. HE EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT OTHER NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS WOULD TAKE SIMILAR STEPS.
THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT HAD PLANNED AN ANNOUNCEMENT FOR LATER TODAY. AT MR.TRUMAN'S NEWS CONFERENCE A BRITISH CORRESPONDENT AROSE AND ASKED THE PRESIDENT:

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"WILL YOU COMMENT ON THE NEW NINE AND ONE-HALF BILLION DOLLAR BRITISH REARMAMENT PROGRAM BEING ANNOUNCED IN LONDON TODAY?"
THE PRESIDENT SAID HE WAS VERY HAPPY ABOUT THIS. HE ADDED THAT HE HAD DISCUSSED A MESSAGE ON IT (PRESUMABLY A REPORT FROM LONDON TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT) WITH SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON JUST BEFORE LUNCH.

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THE BRITISH HAVE MADE THE PROPER APPROACH, MR.TRUMAN SAID, AND HE THEN EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT AMERICA'S OTHER ALLIES WILL DO LIKEWISE.
THE UNITED STATES HAS CALLED FOR A SPEED-UP IN THE DEFENSE PREPARA-

TIONS UNDER THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY AND MR.TRUMAN HIMSELF HAS REQUESTED CONGRESS FOR AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION OF $4,000,000,000 (B) OF WHICH THE LION'S SHARE WOULD GO TO INCREASE AMERICAN AID TO THE WESTERN EUROPEAN REARMAMENT DRIVE.

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MOSCOW, AUG 3-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL ARMY NEWSPAPER RED STAR SAID TODAY THAT RUSSIAN MILITARY CHIEFS HAVE RULED OUT BLITZKRIEG THEORIES AND SURPRISE ATTACK AS GIVING ONLY TEMPORARY ADVANTAGE.

INSPIRED BY PRIME MINISTER STALIN, THE NEWSPAPER SAID, SOVIET OFICERS, GENERALS AND ADMIRALS ARE DEVISING AN UNCONQUERABLE MILITARY SCIENCE, CONCENTRATING PARTICULARLY ON FRONT-LINE AND REAR-AREA MORALE.

NEW TIMES SAID THIS WAS IN CONTRAST WITH THE ANGLO-AMERICANS. THE PAPER SAID THEY ARE INDOCTRINATING THEIR SOLDIERS "IN THE SPIRIT OF BEASTLIKE IDEOLOGY" WHOSE FRUITS ARE BEING SEEN IN THE "REPULSIVE FACE OF AMERICAN WARRIORS--MARAUDERS IN KOREA."

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Night Lead Red Star

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Moscow, Aug. 3--(AP)---Blitzkrieg theories of warfare were condemned today by the soviet army newspaper Red Star, which said a surprise attack gives only temporary advantages.

In an article occupying nearly an entire page, Red star said Soviet military chiefs, inspired by prime Minister Stalin are constantly advancing and perfecting Soviet military science.

There is no place for dogmatism in Soviet military science, red star said. It described that science as inconquerable.

The factor of Morale in both front and rear areas is of tremendous importance, the newspaper went on, It said an army conducting an unjust war cannot be victorious for the injustice of its cause undermines its own morale.

Anglo-American soldiers were declared being indoctrinated "in the spirit of beastlike ideology" whose fruits are shown in "the repulsive faces of the American warrior-maurauders in Korea."

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Red Star's statement discounting the value of surprise attack might be intended to allay western fears of a swift, unannounced blow from the east.

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Linked, however, as it is with the Korean situation, the statement may be strictly propaganda. The Russians contend the South Koreans started the hostilities last June, and that the invasion by the communist north Koreans was a counter blow.

The Russians tended in world War II to use massed forces for attack rather than the blitzkrieg -- lightning war-- technique that got the Germans off to a flying start. This technique is marked

by the use of armor-tipped columns for deep thrusts [redacted]

[redacted] into opposing lines, capped by encircling movements.

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MANILA,AUG.3-(AP)-THE STAKE IN THE BATTLE FOR KOREA IS WHETHER THE FREE PEOPLES "ARE WILLING TO ALLOW ANY FURTHER ENCROACHMENT BY AGGRESSIVE TOTALITARIAN FORCES UPON THE FREE AREAS OF THE WORLD," FOREIGN SECRETARY CARLOS P.ROMULO SAID TODAY.
IN A STATEMENT DICTATED FROM HIS SICK BED IN A MANILA HOTEL, AND READ TO A JOINT SESSION OF THE PHILIPPINES SENATE COMMITTEES ON NATIONAL DEFENSE AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS, ROMULO, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY, SAID:
"WHAT WE DO TO HELP THE UNITED NATIONS EFFORT IN KOREA IS THE FIRST PREMIUM WE PAY ON THE INSURANCE WE NOW MUST TAKE AGAINST THE RISK OF AGGRESSION AND THE THREAT OF FORCE BY AN IMPLACABLE ENEMY."
ROMULO DID NOT COMMENT ON PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO'S DECISION THAT THE PHILIPPINES WOULD SEND TROOPS TO KOREA ONLY IF GENERAL MACARTHUR ASKED FOR THEM.
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NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG 3-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER NEHRU DECLARED TODAY THAT THE WAR IN KOREA SHOULD BE CONTAINED AND NO OTHER QUESTION SHOULD BE TIED UP WITH THE KOREAN ISSUE.
IN A STATEMENT TO PARLIAMENT OPENING DEBATE ON THE KOREAN ISSUE --WHICH IS ALSO NOW BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS--NEHRU REITERATED THAT COMMUNIST CHINA SHOULD BE ADMITTED TO THE U.N.
BUT HE SAID THAT ENLARGEMENT OF THE KOREAN ISSUE TO INCLUDE SUCH ITEMS AS FORMOSA AND INDOCHINA APPEARED "NOT ONLY NOT TO BE RIGHT BUT ALSO TO HAVE DANGEROUS CONSEQUENCES" FOR WORLD PEACE.
IN A SUMMATION OF HIS VIEWS ON KOREA THE INDIAN LEADER SAID THAT A WRONGFUL ACT OF AGGRESSION HAD TAKEN PLACE THERE AND IT MUST BE CONDEMNED. HE SAID THE WAR SHOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO SPREAD AND NO OTHER QUESTION SHOULD BE TIED UP WITH THE KOREAN ISSUE.
AS TO THE FUTURE OF KOREA, HE ADDED, IT MUST BE DECIDED BY THE KOREANS THEMSELVES.
NEHRU SAID HE WAS INCLINED TO BELIEVE THAT IF RED CHINA HAD BEEN ADMITTED TO THE U.N. "MANY OF THE SUBSEQUENT DANGEROUS DEVELOPMENTS, INCLUDING THE KOREAN DEVELOPMENT, MIGHT NOT HAVE TAKEN PLACE."

NEHRU DECLARED THAT THE WESTERN APPROACH TO ASIA'S PROBLEMS "LACKS ALL SUBTLETY" BECAUSE THE WEST DOES NOT UNDERSTAND THE HEART AND MI OF ASIA.
HE SAID THE STRONGEST URGE IN ASIA IS AN ANTI-COLONIAL, NATIONALIS URGE. ANOTHER IS THE SOCIAL URGE BROUGHT ON BY ASIA'S POVERTY.
THUS, HE SAID, TRYING TO SOLVE ASIA'S PROBLEMS WITHOUT TAKING THE ASI THEMSELVES INTO CONSIDERATION WILL EVENTUALLY COME UP AGAINST A BLANK WALL.

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NEHRU SAID HE HAD NO INTENTION OF JUMPING INTO THE AFFRAY AS MEDIATOR WHEN HE LAUNCHED HIS PEACE EFFORTS BETWEEN THE U.S. AND RUSSIA ON THE KOREAN ISSUE.
HE SAID HE FELT THAT ADMISSION OF COMMUNIST CHINA TO THE UNITED NATIONS WOULD HAVE BEEN AN INITIAL APPROACH TOWARD SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN PROBLEM. WITHOUT RUSSIA AND CHINA, HE DECLARED, THE UNITED NATIONS CEASES TO BE AN ORGAN OF PEACE AND DRIFTS TOWARD BECOMING AN ORGAN OF WAR OR OF PREPARATION FOR WAR.
NEHRU SAID INDIA WAS NOT TRYING TO BECOME A THIRD FORCE IN THE DIVIDED WORLD, BUT SHE HAS A SPECIAL KNOWLEDGE OF ASIA'S NEEDS AND IS IN A POSITION TO THROW LIGHT ON THEM.
FOR THIS REASON, HE SAID, INDIA SHOULD NOT BE PREPARED SIMPLY TO SAY "DITTO" TO ANY COUNTRY IN THE WORLD. IN THE LONG RUN INDIA'S STAND WOULD COUNT, "BECAUSE I AM CONVINCED THAT THE LINE WE ARE TAKING IS THE RIGHT LINE."
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RANGOON, BURMA, AUG. 3-(AP)-BURMA LIKELY WOULD REJECT ANY OFFICIAL PROPOSAL BY COMMUNIST CHINA TO END THE KOREAN WAR THROUGH ASIAN MEDIATION, A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID BURMA WAS WILLING TO DO "ALMOST ANYTHING" TO INSURE WORLD PEACE BUT WOULD NOT CONSIDER PARTICIPATING IN ANY MEDIATION WHICH LACKED UNITED NATIONS BACKING. HE POINTED OUT THAT THE U.N. HAS CALLED NORTH KOREA THE AGGRESSOR.
HE ADDED THAT BURMA CONSIDERED THE KOREAN ISSUE COULD NOT BE SETTLED REGIONALLY.
A BRITISH COMMONWEALTH SOURCE IN LONDON REPORTED MONDAY THAT RED CHINA HAD MADE KNOWN TO INDIA A SUGGESTION THAT ASIAN NATIONS, INCLUDING BURMA, INDIA, PAKISTAN AND COMMUNIST CHINA, ATTEMPT TO MEDIATE ON A BASIS OF A CEASE-FIRE AND AMERICAN WITHDRAWAL FROM KOREA.
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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG 3-(AP)-ISRAEL TONIGHT OFFERED TO SEND MEDICAL AID FOR UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.
FOREIGN MINISTER MOSHE SHARETT SENT A MESSAGE TO U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE THAT ISRAEL WILL REPORT TO HIM AND THE UNIFIED KOREAN COMMAND SOON THE "PRECISE NATURE OF THE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE WHICH ISRAEL IS IN A POSITION TO OFFER."
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PANAMA, PANAMA, AUG 3-(AP)-THE REPUBLIC OF PANAMA TONIGHT OFFERED THE UNITED NATIONS TRAINING BASES AND A CONTINGENT OF PANAMANIAN VOLUNTEERS FOR THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
THE GOVERNMENT ALSO OFFERED THE U.N. FREE TRANSIT OF ITS FORCES ACROSS THE COUNTRY, USE OF THE NATIONAL MERCHANT MARINE AND OF FARMING LANDS.

Panama's offer was announced by President Arnulfo Arias in a nation-wide radio broadcast. It is being communicated tonight by Foreign Minister Carlos N. Brin to U.N. Secretary-General Trygve Lie.

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A cabinet declaration, released jointly with the president's speech, cited among other reasons for the country's action its joint responsibi with the United States for the defense of the Panama [redacted] Canal.

President Arias told newsmen that Panama is ready to enter negotiat on its offer, which was made in response to a U.N. plea for effective a the Korean conflict.

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BY FRANCIS W. CARPENTER
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 3-(AP)-IN A BITTER SESSION SCARRED BY CHARGES OF BLACKMAIL AND SLANDER, THE SECURITY COUNCIL REJECTED TONIGHT A RUSSIAN ATTEMPT TO HAVE THE COUNCIL CONSIDER ADMISSION OF RED CHINA AHEAD OF THE KOREAN WAR.
INSTEAD, THE COUNCIL APPROVED A UNITED STATES MOTION TO KEEP ON DISCUSSING NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION AND TO TRY FOR A WAY TO CONFINE THE WAR TO KOREA ALONE.
THE VOTE TO SUBSTITUTE THE UNITED STATES PROPOSAL FOR THE RUSSIAN ITEM WAS 8 TO 1. THE SOVIET UNION VOTED ALONE AND THIS DID NOT COUNT AS A VETO SINCE AGENDA VOTES ARE CONSIDERED AS PROCEDURE AND NOT MAJOR IMPORTANCE. THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, NATIONALIST CHINA, NORWAY, CUBA, ECUADOR AND EGYPT VOTED FOR IT. INDIA AND YUGOSLAVIA ABSTAINED.

THE UNITED STATES PROPOSAL WAS TO CONSIDER IMMEDIATELY "AGGRESSION UPON THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA." THE RUSSIANS SOUGHT TO MAKE THE ITEM READ "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION." THEY WERE VOTED DOWN ON THIS ALSO. THE COUNCIL LIKEWISE REFUSED EVEN TO PUT THE CHINESE QUESTION ON ITS AGENDA.
MALIK CALLED ALL THE VOTES "ILLEGAL" BECAUSE THEY WERE TAKEN WITHOU THE PRESENCE OF RED CHINA, BUT HE SHOWED NO SIGN OF WALKING OUT AFTER THE SERIES OF DIPLOMATIC DEFEATS. HE CALLED ANOTHER COUNCIL MEETING FOR TOMORROW.

THE COUNCIL MEETING WAS ONE OF THE MOST HEATED IN U.N. HISTORY. UNITED STATES CHIEF DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN SWAPPED BLUNT LANGUAGE WITH SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A. MALIK, WHO IS PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL DURING AUGUST.
MALIK CHARGED THE UNITED STATES WITH "FLAGRANT, OPEN AND ACTIVE AGGRESSION" AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF KOREA. HE TOLD THE COUNCIL THE U.N. MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN THE MOSCOW BRAND OF PEACE OR FOLLOW THE UNITED STATES ALONG A PATH THE RUSSIAN CALLED AGGRESSION.
RED FACED AND ANGRY, AUSTIN SHOUTED BACK THAT MALIK HAD UTTERED "A NEW SLANDER, A NEW THREAT, A NEW PROVOCATION," AUSTIN SAID THE WORLD IS TIRED OF HEARING SUCH "SHAMELESS TRAVESTIES" WHILE SONS OF NATIONS ARE DYING IN KOREA.
MALIK COUNTERED THAT AUSTIN WAS TRYING TO BLACKMAIL HIM BUT THAT AUSTIN HAD "DIRECTED HIS REMARKS TO THE WRONG ADDRESS."
MALIK STARTED THE ACTION BY USING THE BLUNTEST TERMS HE HAS ADOPTED SINCE HE RETURNED TUESDAY. IN A 32-MINUTE SPEECH, HE CALLED THE KOREAN CONFLICT A CIVIL WAR AND DECLARED:
"THE SECURITY COUNCIL MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN COURSES THAT LEAD TO PEACE OR TO WAR. IT MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN THE COURSE THAT LEADSVRT VLAR,

"THE SECURITY COUNCIL MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN COURSES THAT LEAD TO PEACE OR TO WAR. IT MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN THE COURSE THAT LEADS TO WAR, BY DRAGGING IN MORE AND MORE COUNTRIES, OR IT MUST CHOOSE THE PATH OF PEACE FAVORED BY ALL PEACE-LOVING NATIONS OF THE WORLD, LED BY THE SOVIET UNION."
THE COUNCIL SAT SILENT AS MALIK RENEWED HIS DEMAND THAT IT TAKE UP THE QUESTION OF SEATING COMMUNIST CHINA AS A PERMANENT MEMBER BEFORE GOING FURTHER INTO THE KOREAN TROUBLE. TO SOME WESTERN DELEGATES, HIS SPEECH SEEMED LIKE A WARNING FROM THE SOVIET UNION TO TAKE MOSCOW'S PEACE TERMS-- OR LOOK OUT FOR TROUBLE.
THEN, AUSTIN, RED-FACED AND OBVIOUSLY ANGRY, ANSWERED MALIK.

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"I CAN'T REMAIN SILENT IN THE FACE OF A REPETITION OF THOSE ANCIENT CHARGES THAT WE HAVE HEARD FOR YEARS COMING FROM THE SOVIET UNION," AUSTIN SAID, RAISING HIS VOICE. "PERHAPS I WOULD HAVE REMAINED SILENT CONSIDERING ITS PECULIAR CHARACTER EXCEPT THAT THIS STATEMENT CONTAINS A NEW SLANDER, A NEW THREAT, A NEW PROVOCATION. THIS STATEMENT ATTACKS THE UNITED NATIONS."
AUSTIN SAID THE AMERICANS ARE IN KOREA BECAUSE THEY ARE N THE U.N., AND THAT OTHER NATIONS HAVE JOINED-- EXCEPT THE NATION VOICING THE CHARGES.
"WHILE THE SONS OF NATIONS ARE DYING IN KOREA, AND WE ARE TRYING TO GET SOMETHING DONE TO STOP THIS CONFLICT, WHAT HAVE WE?" AUSTIN ASKED. "THE PRESIDENT USES HIS OFFICE TO MAKE A SPEECH THAT IS ENTIRELY OUT OF ORDER."
AUSTIN POINTED TO THE U.N. COMMAND IN KOREA AND NOTED 53 U.N. MEMBERS WERE SUPPORTING THE EFFORT THERE.
"THE MATTERS WE ARE DEALING WITH NOW ARE TOO TRAGIC TO HAVE TO DEAL WITH THE TRAVESTIES OF PROPAGANDA SO WELL TERMED HERE YESTERDAY AS UPSIDE DOWN LANGUAGE," AUSTIN SAID. "WE ARE TIRED, AND I THINK THE WORLD IS TIRED, OF THESE OBVIOUS AND SHAMELESS TRAVESTIES OF THE REALITIES WITH WHICH WE IN THIS ROOM ARE SUPPOSED TO BE DEALING. SURELY THE TIME FOR THAT SORT OF THING HAS PASSED."
AUSTIN SAID THE UNITED STATES SAW NO NEED TO ATTEMPT TO FILL WITH ANY MORE WORDS OF ITS OWN THE "IMMENSE ABYSS WHICH LIES BETWEEN THE STATEMENT OF THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT AND THE FACTS OF THIS SITUATION AS WE ALL KNOW THEM."
"WE DOUBT IF THE SOVIET DELEGATE GENUINELY DESIRES AN EXAMINATION

BY THIS COUNCIL OF THE QUESTION OF WHOSE DESIGN AND WHOSE COMMAND BROUGHT ABOUT THE UNLEASHING OF THIS NEW WAVE OF TRAGEDY AND BLOODSHED WHICH HAS OVERTAKEN THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY," AUSTIN ADDED. "INADVERTENTLY HE MAY EXPOSE THE VILLAIN."

AUSTIN SAID MALIK'S "PROPAGANDA STATEMENT" LIKE MANY OTHERS HEARD IN THE PAST "RESTS ON A TOTAL AND UNABASHED PERVERSION OF THE FACTS." HE WAS REFERRING TO MALIK'S CONTENTION THE SOUTH KOREANS STARTED THE WAR.

"THIS HAS BEEN ATTESTED TO BY THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE SPORT AND THE VOLUNTARY SUPPORT TO THE ACTION OF THIS COUNCIL BY 53 MEMBER STATES." AUSTIN SAID.

MALIK, IN THE SPEECH TO WHICH AUSTIN REPLIED, REPEATED SOVIET CONTENTIONS THE SOUTH KOREANS LAUNCHED THE WAR. HE WAVED A NEWSPAPER PICTURE OF JOHN FOSTER DULLES AND U.S. AMBASSADOR JOHN J. MUCCIO IN SOUTH KOREAN TRENCHES BEFORE THE WAR AND ACCUSED THEM OF HAVING A HAND IN STARTING THE WAR, ALONG WITH SECRETARIES JOHNSON AND ACHESON.

"I DOUBT THAT ANY MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL BELIEVES THAT THEY (DULLES AND MUCCIO) WERE PICKING VIOLETS IN THE TRENCHES," MALIK SAID. "NO, THEY WERE CHECKING THE DEFENSES OF SOUTH KOREA. THE AGGRESSION WAS CARRIED OUT ACCORDING TO A LONG PLAN.

"EVERYBODY WILL REALIZE WE HAVE TO DO WITH A CIVIL WAR BETWEEN SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN KOREANS. THIS IS A CIVIL WAR AND THERE IS NO REASON TO CONSIDER THESE HOSTILITIES AS AGGRESSION, WHICH HAS TO DO WITH AN ATTACK OF ONE STATE ON ANOTHER."

MALIK SAID THE UNITED STATES WAS TRYING TO "TORPEDO" SOVIET MOVES FOR A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT, BY PUTTING UP A RESOLUTION WHICH CALLS FOR ALL COUNTRIES TO STOP AID TO NORTH KOREA.

"THE RESOLUTION OF THE UNITED STATES," MALIK SAID, "SHOWS QUITE CLEARLY THE DELEGATE OF THE UNITED STATES INSISTS ON THE CONTINUATION OF THE AGGRESSION AND INSISTS ON DELAYING AT ALL COSTS THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THIS PROBLEM."

MALIK TOLD THE COUNCIL THE AMERICANS AND BRITISH ACTUALLY MEANT, IN BACKING THE AMERICAN RESOLUTION, TO INCREASE THE "BARBAROUS ATTACKS OF UNITED STATES PLANES ON THE PEACEFUL CIVILIAN POPULATION OF KOREA" AND TO SEND OVER MORE TROOPS AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT.

THE RUSSIAN DELEGATE SAID THAT THE COMMITTEE OF A 1933 DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE AGREED ON A DEFINITION OF AGGRESSION AS PUT FORWARD BY THE SOVIET UNION-- AND THAT THE AMERICAN ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE WERE COMMITTING AGGRESSION UNDER TERMS OF THAT DEFINITION.

"WE HAVE ARMED AGGRESSION HERE WHICH IS IN BLACK AND WHITE UNDER THE GENEVA DECLARATION OF WHICH THE UNITED STATES WAS A PARTY," MALIK CONTINUED.

HE SAID THE UNITED STATES IN THE ABSENCE OF THE SOVIET UNION AND RED CHINA PUT OVER A SERIES OF "SCANDALOUS AND ILLEGAL RESOLUTIONS." HE WAS REFERRING TO COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS IN JUNE AND JULY NAMING THE NORTH KOREANS AS AGGRESSORS AND AUTHORIZING U.N. ACTION AGAINST THEM.

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THE COUNCIL VOTE ON THE SOVIET PROPOSAL TO PUT THE CHINA ITEM ON THE AGENDA WAS FIVE TO FIVE. NORWAY, INDIA, YUGOSLAVIA, BRITAIN AND THE SOVIET UNION SUPPORTED IT. THE UNITED STATES, FRANCE, CUBA, ECUADOR AND NATIONALIST CHINA VOTED NO. EGYPT ABSTAINED. SEVEN VOTES ARE REQUIRED TO APPROVE ANY PROPOSAL.

THE VOTE ON MALIK'S ITEM TAGGED AS THE "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT" OF THE KOREAN QUESTION WAS THREE IN FAVOR (EGYPT, INDIA AND SOVIET UNION) AND SEVEN AGAINST (UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, NATIONALIST CHINA, CUBA, ECUADOR, NORWAY AND FRANCE). YUGOSLAVIA ABSTAINED.

THE RUSSIANS SUFFERED A FOURTH DEFEAT TODAY WHEN THE COUNCIL UPHELD A BRITISH CHALLENGE TO A PROCEDURAL RULING ON THE ORDER OF VOTING. MALIK RULED HIS OWN DRAFT AGENDA SHOULD BE VOTED ON FIRST. THE DELEGATES OVERRODE HIM 7 TO 2. (INDIA AND RUSSIA). EGYPT AND YUGOSLAVIA ABSTAINED.

MEANWHILE THE RUSSIANS MAINTAINED A BOYCOTT OF THE U.N. MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE. MAJ. GEN. IVAN A. SKLIAROV, HEAD OF THE SOVIET MILITARY DELEGATION AT THE U.N. AND SCHEDULED CHAIRMAN THIS MONTH OF THE COMMITTEE, FAILED TO ATTEND TODAY'S FORTNIGHTLY MEETING.

IT WAS LEARNED, HOWEVER, THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE PLANNING TO ATTEND A MEETING OF THE U.N. COMMITTEE FOR INFORMATION ON NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES, WHICH MEETS LATER THIS MONTH. THIS GROUP STUDIES INFORMATION FROM COLONIES OF U.N. MEMBERS.

U.N. OBSERVERS SAID THIS INDICATED THE RUSSIANS ARE CHOOSING THEIR ORGANIZATIONS CAREFULLY AND WOULD END THEIR BOYCOTT ONLY AS IT SUITED THEIR PLANS.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 3-(AP)-AFTER A BITTER RUSSIAN-AMERICAN CLASH, THE SECURITY COUNCIL REJECTED TONIGHT A SOVIET DEMAND IT CONSIDER THE ADMISSION OF RED CHINA AHEAD OF THE KOREAN PROBLEM.

THE TEST CAME ON A U.S. MOTION TO PLACE THE ITEM "COMPLAINT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST KOREA" AHEAD OF A SOVIET ITEM CALLING FOR IMMEDIATE DISCUSSION OF THE CHINESE REPRESENTATION QUESTION. THE U.S. PROPOSAL WAS ADOPTED 8 TO 1 (RUSSIA) WITH YUGOSLAVIA AND INDIA ABSTAINING.

LEADING UP TO THE VOTE, RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK TOLD THE COUNCIL THE U.N. MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN TWO COURSES-- THE WAY OF RUSSIA OR "THE PATH OF AGGRESSION LED BY THE UNITED STATES." WARREN R. AUSTIN OF THE UNITED STATES REPLIED WITH A BITTER EXCORIATION OF MALIK, AND MALIK IN TURN ACCUSED AUSTIN OF ATTEMPTING "BLACKMAIL."

AUSTIN SAID MALIK HAD BROUGHT "A NEW SLANDER, A NEW THREAT, A NEW PROVOCATION" INTO DEBATE, AND ADDED:

"WE ARE TIRED-- AND I THINK THE WORLD IS TIRED-- OF THESE OBVIOUS AND SHAMELESS TRAVESTIES OF THE REALITIES. SURELY THE TIME FOR THAT SORT OF THING HAS PASSED AND THE MATTERS WE ARE DEALING WITH TODAY ARE TOO TRAGIC AND TOO REAL TO BE SERVED BY A PREOCC

ARE TOO TRAGIC AND TOO REAL TO BE SERVED BY ANY PREOCCUPATION WITH PROPAGANDISTIC DISTORTIONS.

"MY GOVERNMENT SEES NO NEED, AND FEELS NO DESIRE TO ATTEMPT TO FILL IN WITH ANY MORE WORDS THE IMMENSE ABYSS WHICH LIES BETWEEN THE STATEMENT OF THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT AND THE FACTS OF THIS SITUATION AS WE ALL KNOW THEM."

LITTLE MORE THAN AN HOUR EARLIER MALIK HAD TOLD THE COUNCIL:

"THE SECURITY COUNCIL MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN THE COURSE THAT LEADS TO WAR BY DRAGGING IN MORE AND MORE COUNTRIES, OR IT MUST CHOOSE THE PATH FAVORED BY ALL PEACE LOVING NATIONS OF THE WORLD, LED BY THE SOVIET UNION.

"THE UNITED STATES PREPARED FOR AGGRESSION, AND NOW THEY ARE EMBARKED ON ACTS OF DIRECT AGGRESSION. THE U.S.S.R. IS APPEALING TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO WITHDRAW ITS SUPPORT FROM THE AGGRESSION POLICY OF THE UNITED STATES AND TO TAKE THE PATH OF PEACE."

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AUSTIN, IN ONE OF THE MOST VIGOROUS STATEMENTS HE EVER HAS MADE TO THE COUNCIL, ALMOST SHOUTED HIS RESPONSE. HE CALLED THE MALIK SPEECH "A PROPAGANDA STATEMENT" AND SAID IT SHOWED "THAT PECULIAR PERVERSION WHICH STILL CAUSES PEOPLE TO CHARGE WITH THEIR OWN INIQUITIES ALL THOSE WHO HAPPEN TO STAND IN THE PATH OF THEIR PURPOSE."

"WE DO NOT HAVE TO DIGNIFY IT OR DISGUISE IT BEFORE THE WORLD PUBLIC BY TREATING IT AS THOUGH IT WERE A SERIOUS AND SINCERE CONTRIBUTION TO THE DISCUSSION AT THIS TABLE."

IN A BRIEF REBUTTAL, MALIK ACCUSED AUSTIN OF "HYSTERICAL ASSERTIONS."

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SECOND LEAD U.N.

BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 3-(AP)-RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK CONTENDED TODAY THE KOREAN CONFLICT IS ONLY A CIVIL WAR, AND SAID THE SECURITY COUNCIL MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN THE COURSES THAT LEAD TO PEACE OR WAR.

"IT MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN THE COURSE THAT LEADS TO WAR BY DRAGGING IN MORE AND MORE COUNTRIES, OR IT MUST CHOOSE THE PATH TO PEACE FAVORED BY ALL NATIONS OF THE WORLD HEADED BY THE SOVIET UNION," MALIK TOLD THE COUNCIL.

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"THE UNITED STATES PREPARED FOR AGGRESSION, AND NOW THEY ARE EMBARKED ON ACTS OF DIRECT AGGRESSION. THEY ARE NOW TRYING TO DRAG OTHERS INTO THE CONFLICT, AND RULING CIRCLES OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE AND HOLLAND ARE TRYING TO HELP THEM. THE U.S.S.R. IS APPEALING TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO WITHDRAW ITS SUPPORT FROM THE AGGRESSION POLICY OF THE UNITED STATES AND TO TAKE THE PATH TO PEACE."

IN A 32-MINUTE SPEECH URGING ACCEPTANCE OF A SECURITY COUNCIL AGENDA BASED ON RUSSIAN DESIRES, MALIK CHARACTERIZED THE KOREAN CONFLICT AS A "CIVIL WAR BETWEEN SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN KOREANS."

AS THE SESSION BEGAN RUSSIA WAS FACING DEFEAT ON THE QUESTION OF SEATING RED CHINA IN THE U.N., AND THERE WAS SPECULATION THIS MIGHT LEAD THE RUSSIANS TO A NEW WALKOUT.

THIS SPECULATION AROSE AFTER RUSSIA BOYCOTTED A MEETING OF THE U.N'S BIG FIVE MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE IN NEW YORK THIS FORENOON.

SOME DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES SAID THIS INDICATED RUSSIA IS NOT YET READY TO END HER GENERAL U.N. WALKOUT-STRIKE AND HAS ONLY RETURNED TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR A PROPAGANDA BLAST AT THE WEST.

SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A.MALIK RETURNED TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL TUESDAY TO ASSUME THE COUNCIL PRESIDENCY UNDER THE MONTHLY ROTATION SYSTEM. HE WAS DEFEATED 8 TO 3 THE SAME DAY ON A EFFORT TO RULE NATIONALIST CHINA WAS HOLDING THE CHINESE COUNCIL SEAT ILLEGALLY.

SOME DIPLOMATS HAD LOOKED FOR ANOTHER WALKOUT AFTER THIS DEFEAT, BUT MALIK STAYED ON. NOW SEVEN OF THE COUNCIL'S 11 MEMBERS HAVE DECLARED THEY WILL REJECT HIS PROPOSED AGENDA, WHICH WOULD GIVE THE CHINESE REPRESENTATION QUESTION PRECEDENCE OVER THE KOREAN PROBLEM.

THE QUESTION IS THIS: WILL MALIK IGNORE A DECISION WHICH WOULD NOT ONLY PUT KOREA AHEAD BUT MIGHT SIDETRACK THE CHINA ISSUE INDEFINITELY?

THE BIG FIVE MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE IS MADE UP OF MILITARY REPRESENTATIVES OF RUSSIA, THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE AND NATIONALIST CHINA.

UNDER THE NORMAL ROTATION SYSTEM, SOVIET MAJ. GEN. IVAN A. SKLIAROV WAS TO BE CHAIRMAN FOR AUGUST. BUT HE FAILED TO APPEAR FOR THE REGULAR FORTNIGHTLY SESSION. THE COMMITTEE'S FUNCTION IS TO ORGANIZE A WORLD POLICE FORCE AND TO ADVISE THE SECURITY COUNCIL WHEN MILITARY FORCE IS NEEDED TO PRESERVE OR RESTORE PEACE.

THE COUNCIL CONVENED AT 2:19 P.M. (EST).

BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB, ON A POINT OF ORDER, CALLED ATTENTION TO MALIK'S STATEMENT YESTERDAY THAT NO ONE IN SECURITY COUNCIL HISTORY HAD SUBMITTED AN AMENDMENT TO THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA SUBMITTED BY A COUNCIL PRESIDENT. HE RECALLED ALSO MALIK'S STATEMENT THAT TO DO THIS WOULD BE TO USURP THE POWERS OF THE PRESIDENT.

JEBB THEN CITED THE RECORDS SHOWING THAT ON AUG. 18, 1948, WITH MALIK IN THE CHAIR, FORMER U.S. DELEGATE PHILIP C. JESSUP HAD PROPOSED AN AMENDMENT TO THE AGENDA AND IT HAD BEEN ADOPTED 9 TO 0 WITH TWO ABSTENTIONS. THE AMENDMENT PROVIDED FOR TAKING UP THE PALESTINE QUESTION AHEAD OF TRIESTE.

"IF ANY PRECEDENT CAN BE QUOTED," JEBB SAID, "IT IS PRESUMABLY THE ONE I HAVE QUOTED."

JEBB CHARGED THAT MALIK'S ARGUMENT AGAINST AMENDING THE RUSSIAN'S PROPOSED AGENDA WAS "A PROCEDURAL DEVICE WHICH IS ONLY BEING RESORTED TO FOR PROPAGANDA PURPOSES."

MALIK SAID HE WOULD DEAL WITH JEBB'S POINT OF ORDER WHEN THE COUNCIL CAME TO THE VOTE.

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SPEAKING AS DELEGATE FOR RUSSIA, MALIK THEN RENEWED HIS ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES. HE AGAIN CHARGED THE UNITED STATES WITH AGGRESSION IN KOREA AND WITH TRYING TO DISRUPT U.N. DELIBERATIONS. HE SAID:

"THE RESOLUTION OF THE UNITED STATES (CALLING FOR LOCALIZATION OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT) SHOWS QUITE CLEARLY THE DELEGATE OF THE UNITED STATES INSISTS ON THE CONTINUATION OF THE AGGRESSION AND INSISTS ON DELAYING AT ALL COSTS THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THIS PROBLEM."

SIX COUNTRIES--BRITAIN, FRANCE, ECUADOR, CUBA, NORWAY AND NATIONALIST CHINA--FOLLOWED THE UNITED STATES' LEAD YESTERDAY IN INSISTING THAT THE COUNCIL DISCUSS THE KOREAN QUESTION BEFORE CONSIDERING ADMISSION OF COMMUNIST CHINA TO THE COUNCIL, AND THAT THE TWO QUESTIONS BE TREATED SEPARATELY.

AMERICAN CHIEF DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN LED THE FIGHT TO REJECT ANY "DEALS" FOR SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN WAR. HE DECLARED THE U.S. WILL NEVER AGREE THAT THE END OF NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION DEPENDS ON ANY OTHER ISSUE.

AS THE THIRD DAY OF DEBATE BEGAN TODAY ON THE PROCEDURAL TANGLE (AT 2 P.M. EST), COUNCIL DELEGATES WATCHED WITH PARTICULAR INTEREST TO SEE WHAT INDIA WOULD DO.

THE GREAT ASIATIC NATION HASN'T THE POWER TO ALTER THE OUTCOME, BUT HER STRATEGIC POSITION IN THE EAST GAVE ADDED SIGNIFICANCE TO WHATEVER STAND SHE TAKES WHEN HER DELEGATE, SIR BENEGAL N. RAU, SPEAKS TODAY ON THE AGENDA PROPOSED BY RUSSIAN DELEGATE, JAKOB A. MALIK, THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT FOR AUGUST.

THE COUNCIL IS STILL TANGLED IN DEBATE OVER WHAT IT SHOULD DISCUSS, AND IN WHAT ORDER. SOME DELEGATES HOPED TO GET A VOTE ON THE QUESTION TODAY.

MALIK HAS INSISTED ON THE PROGRAM HE PRESENTED:
1. TO CONSIDER SEATING THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.
2. TO CONSIDER A "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT" IN KOREA.
IN DEMANDING THIS AGENDA, HE HAS DENOUNCED U.S. MILITARY ACTION IN KOREA AS AN ACT OF AGGRESSION.
THE U.S. IS PUSHING FOR CONSIDERATION FIRST OF ITS PREVIOUSLY-SUBMITTED PROPOSAL DENOUNCING NORTH KOREAN'S DEFIANCE OF THE U.N. AND ASKING MEMBER NATIONS TO HELP LOCALIZE THE WAR.
INDIA IN RECENT WEEKS HAS FOUND HERSELF SIDING WITH BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA ON ONE ASPECT OR ANOTHER OF THE KOREAN QUESTION.
INDIA'S PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU HIMSELF INITIATED THE PROPOSL, IN NOTES TO MOSCOW AND WASHINGTON, TO SEAT COMMUNIST CHINA ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL AS A STEP TOWARD ENDING THE KOREAN WAR. THE KREMLIN APPROVED THE PLAN; THE UNITED STATES REJECTED IT.
TWO DAYS AGO, INDIA SUPPORTED MALIK'S ATTEMPT TO READ THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS OUT OF THE COUNCIL MERELY BY DECLARING THEIR DELEGATE WAS PRESENT ILLEGALLY AND REPRESENTED NO NATION. THE COUNCIL MAJORITY DEFEATED THE MOVE.
BUT INDIA HAS ALSO GONE ALONG WITH THE MAJORITY OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL--AND OF THE UNITED NATIONS--IN SUPPORTING THE STAND THAT NORTH KOREA IS AN AGGRESSOR AND THAT IT SHOULD PULL BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL.
NEHRU ANNOUNCED LAST WEEK THAT INDIA WANTED TO DO EVERYTHING SHE COULD TO HELP HALT THE AGGRESSION. HE SAID INDIA COULD NOT FURNISH TROOPS, BUT THAT SHE WAS SENDING AMBULANCE AND SURGICAL UNITS TO JOIN THE U.N. FORCES IN KOREA.

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MALIK WENT ON TO SAY THE UNITED STATES IS ATTEMPTING TO DELUDE THE PUBLIC BY ACCUSING THE NORTH KOREANS OF STARTING THE CONFLICT. HE CITED STATEMENTS BY A SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER, ANDREI A. GROMYKO, THAT THE KOREAN FIGHTING WAS PROVOKED WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF U.S. MILITARY ADVISERS AND WITH THE KNOWLEDGE OF DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON AND JOHN FOSTER DULLES, STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISOR.

MALIK HELD UP A NEWSPAPER CLIPPING AND SAID IT SHOWED A PHOTO OF DULLES AND U.S. AMBASSADOR JOHN MUCCIO IN TRENCHES SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

"I DOUBT THAT ANY MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL BELIEVES THEY WERE PICKING VIOLETS IN THE TRENCHES," MALIK SAID. "NO, THEY WERE CHECKING THE DEFENSES OF SOUTH KOREA." THE AGGRESSION WAS CARRIED OUT ACCORDING TO A LONG PLAN.

"EVERYBODY WILL REALIZE WE HAVE TO DO WITH A CIVIL WAR BETWEEN SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN KOREANS. THIS IS A CIVIL WAR AND THERE IS NO REASON TO CONSIDER THESE HOSTILITIES AS AGGRESSION, WHICH HAS TO DO WITH AN ATTACK OF ONE STATE ON ANOTHER."

MALIK SAID DEFINITIONS OF WAR AND AGGRESSION ADOPTED BY THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS SHOW THE UNITED STATES ENGAGED IN AGGRESSION BY INTERVENING IN A CIVIL WAR.
"IN PREPARING PREMEDITATED AGGRESSION, THE UNITED STATES HAS BLOCKED THE ENTRY OF THE RIGHTFUL CHINESE DELEGATE INTO THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND CHINA HAS BEEN DEPRIVED OF HER REPRESENTATION IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL," THE RUSSIAN CONTINUED.
"MY DELEGATION INSISTS UPON IMMEDIATE RECOGNITION OF THE PEOPLES' GOVERNMENT OF CHINA. IF THIS IS IGNORED, ANY DECISION ADOPTED BY ANY GROUP OF THE COUNCIL WILL BE ILLEGAL."

SIR BENEGAL N. RAU OF INDIA SAID HE FAVORED INCLUSION OF THE TWO AGENDA ITEMS PROPOSED BY RUSSIA AND THE ADDITION OF THE ITEM PROPOSED BY THE UNITED STATES. HE, THUS, TOOK ISSUE WITH THE COUNCIL MAJORITY WHICH ADVOCATED THE EXCLUSION OF THE TWO SOVIET ITEMS.
RAU SAID INDIA HAD FAVORED THE RECOGNITION OF RED CHINA IN THE U.N. FROM THE BEGINNING AND COULD NOT AGREE TO PUT THIS QUESTION ASIDE. AS FOR THE SOVIET ITEM ENTITLED "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION," HE SAID HE BELIEVED THE U.S. DELEGATE WAS JUST AS ANXIOUS AS ANY ONE FOR DISCUSSION OF PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT BUT THAT HE WANTS IT DISCUSSED UNDER THE AMERICAN-SUGGESTED TITLE AS "COMPLAINT OF AGGRESSION IN KOREA."
"MY DELEGATION REGARDS PEACEFUL AND HONORABLE SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT AS THE PARAMOUNT QUESTION OF THE HOUR," RAU SAID. "TO EXCLUDE ANY MENTION OF IT FROM OUR AGENDA MIGHT INDICATE THAT WE CONSIDER IT OF SUBORDINATE IMPORTANCE."
EGYPTIAN DELEGATE MAHMOUD FAWZI BEY SAID HE AGREED WITH INDIA. HE PROTESTED AGAINST THE LONG WRANGLING OVER THE AGENDA NOW IN ITS THIRD DAY. HE CALLED IT AN "UNEDIFYING SPECTACLE" AND SUGGESTED A LIMIT ON DEBATE.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE PHILIPPINE REPUBLIC INFORMED THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY IT HAS SENT 17 SHERMAN TANKS AND ONE TANK DESTROYER TO GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S COMMAND IN KOREA. THE PHILIPPINE TANKS ALREADY HAVE BEEN REPORTED AS HAVING BEEN USED IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING.

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OTTAWA, AUG 3-(AP)-CANADA'S CABINET TONIGHT ISSUED A CALL TO ALL ITS MINISTERS TO MEET MONDAY FOR A POSSIBLE FINAL DECISION ON DEFENSE PREPAREDNESS AND PARTICULARLY ON THE QUESTION OF SENDING CANADIAN TROOPS TO KOREA.
THE CALL WAS ISSUED BY PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST. LAURENT AMID INDICATIONS THAT THERE ALREADY IS BROAD MINISTERIAL AGREEMENT THAT A GROUND FORCE SHOULD BE SENT TO KOREA.
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OTTAWA, AUG. 3-(AP)-INTEGRATION OF CANADIAN INDUSTRY WITH THAT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE PRODUCTION OF TANKS, GUNS, SHIPS, AIRCRAFT AND OTHER WAR GOODS IN THE EVENT OF A "MAJOR CONFLICT" WILL BE

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DISCUSSED WITH THE UNITED STATES NEXT WEEK, THE CANADIAN INDUSTRIAL DEFENSE ORGANIZATION ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE ORGANIZATION, A GOVERNMENT AGENCY, SAID THE DISCUSSIONS WILL TAKE PLACE DURING THE ONE-DAY MEETING HERE AUG. 8 OF THE JOINT UNITED STATES-CANADA INDUSTRIAL MOBILIZATION PLANNING COMMITTEE.

TRADE MINISTER C.D.HOWE SAID PREVIOUSLY THE MEETING LIKELY WILL CREATE THE BASIS FOR JOINT CANADA-UNITED STATES POLICY ON THE EMPLOYMENT OF INDUSTRY FOR WAR PRODUCTION. IT WILL BE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC AND THE PRESS.

CANADIAN MEMBERS ATTENDING WILL BE H.J.CARMICHAEL, CHAIRMAN OF THE INDUSTRIAL DEFENSE BOARD, AND SYDNEY D.PIERCE, ASSOCIATE DEPUTY MINISTER OF TRADE. UNITED STATES MEMBERS WILL BE W.STUART SYMINGTON, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD; HUBERT E.HOWARD, CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. MUNITIONS BOARD.

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OTTAWA, AUG. 3-(AP)-ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT ANOTHER SIX NORTH STAR AIRCRAFT OF 426 SQUADRON HAS TAKEN OFF FROM MCCHORD FIELD NEAR TACOMA, WASH., TO JOIN THE TRANS-PACIFIC SHUTTLE SERVICE BRINGING WAR SUPPLIES TO TOKYO.

TIME OF TAKE-OFF WAS NOT GIVEN FOR SECURITY REASONS BUT IT WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN SOME TIME LAST NIGHT. FOUR OF THE AIRCRAFT--CANADA'S AIR CONTRIBUTION TO THE UNITED NATIONS BATTLE IN KOREA--ALREADY HAVE BEEN REPORTED AS HAVING MADE THE TRANS-PACIFIC FLIGHT. THE NORTH STAR IS SIMILAR TO THE U.S. C-54.

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MONTREAL, AUG 3-(AP)-U.S. TOURISTS TO CANADA ARE GETTING A SPECIAL BUT UNOFFICIAL "PEACE" WELCOME--BY THE COMMUNISTS.

AUTOISTS FROM ACROSS THE BORDER ARE FINDING BLUE AND WHITE STICKERS ON THEIR WINDSHIELDS READING: "WELCOME TO CANADA, AND TAKE THIS BACK TO TRUMAN--HANDS OFF KOREA."

POLICE HAVE BEEN ORDERED TO ARREST ANYONE SEEN PUTTING ON THE STICKERS.

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(650) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD MYSTERY-KOREA

BY ARTHUR EDSON

WASHINGTON, AUG. 3-(AP)-EDWIN W.PAULEY, ONE OF THE FEW AMERICANS TO VISIT NORTH KOREA AFTER THE COMMUNISTS TOOK OVER, SAID TODAY WE SHOULD HAVE GONE TO WAR WITH RUSSIA AS FAR BACK AS 1946 IF NECESSARY TO COMPEL THE SOVIETS TO ABIDE BY AGREEMENTS.

HE TOLD THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE THAT COMMUNISM IS "A MALIGNANCY THAT COULD SWEEP THE WORLD, DESTROYING DEMOCRACY AND THE HOPES OF FREE PEOPLE EVERYWHERE."

PAULEY'S WARNING:

"AS BLOODY AS THE KOREAN WAR IS, IT MAY BE ONLY THE BEGINNING."

PAULEY HEADED A U.S. COMMISSION ON REPARATIONS, SET UP TO STUDY THE EXTENT OF DAMAGES DONE BY THE WAR. IT WAS THIS JOB THAT GOT HIM INTO NORTH KOREA IN 1946. EVEN THEN, PAULEY SAID, THE RUSSIANS SHOWED THEY WERE THERE FOR KEEPS.

PAULEY'S APPEARANCE WAS PRECEDED BY AN UNUSUAL BUILD-UP.

THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD), HAD TOLD REPORTERS, PHOTOGRAPHERS AND RADIO MEN THAT HE HAD A WITNESS COMING TO DISCUSS THE KOREAN SITUATION. NO, SAID TYDINGS, HE COULDN'T GIVE THE WITNESS' NAME, BUT EVERYONE HAD BETTER BE READY.

THE GUESSING ON THE IDENTITY OF THIS MYSTERY MAN BEGAN AT ONCE. IT GREW UNTIL A REPORT CIRCULATED THAT GEN. MACARTHUR HIMSELF WAS WINGING HOME FROM TOKYO TO TALK TO THE COMMITTEE.

SO IT WAS HARDLY SURPRISING THAT THE APPEARANCE OF PAULEY, WHO HAS BEEN AROUND TOWN FOR A COUPLE OF WEEKS, WAS SOMETHING OF A LETDOWN.

TYDINGS BEGAN BY SAYING THAT THE WHITE HOUSE AND PENTAGON HAD ASKED FOR A PUBLIC HEARING FOR PAULEY, A LIFELONG FRIEND OF THE PRESIDENT.

BUT PAULEY, IN REPLY TO A QUESTION, SAID NO GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT HAD LOOKED OVER HIS STATEMENT, AND THAT WHAT HE SAID WAS STRICTLY HIS OWN.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE LATER IN THE DAY THAT TYDINGS WAS MISTAKEN IN SAYING THE WHITE HOUSE ASKED FOR A PAULEY HEARING. MR. TRUMAN THOUGHT THE REQUEST MAY HAVE COME FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT.

INFORMED OF WHAT THE PRESIDENT HAD SAID, TYDINGS TOLD A REPORTER HE HAD BEEN CALLED "BY SOMEONE FROM ONE OR THE OTHER DEPARTMENTS WHO WAS IN THE WHITE HOUSE."

TYDINGS WOULDN'T IDENTIFY THE PERSON OR DEPARTMENT, BUT HINTED IT WAS THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.

HE DENIED, HOWEVER, THAT IT WAS MAJ.GEN.HARRY VAUGHAN, WHO IS MR. TRUMAN'S MILITARY AIDE, OR SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON.

APPARENTLY THE AIR OF MYSTERY WHICH HUNG OVER THE HEARING TROUBLED EVEN THE SENATORS. FOR SENATOR LYNDON JOHNSON (D-TEX) BLUNTLY ASKED PAULEY:

"WHAT'S THE POINT OF YOUR STATEMENT?"

JOHNSON SAID HE HAD NOTICED THAT PAULEY HAD SAID IN 1946 THAT RUSSIA SHOULD HAVE BEEN COMPELLED TO COMPLY WITH HER AGREEMENTS ON KOREA.

SHOULD THE U.S. HAVE GONE TO WAR AND FORCED THE RUSSIANS TO COMPLY? JOHNSON ASKED.

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PAULEY REPLIED:

"IF YOU COULDN'T DO ANYTHING SHORT OF THAT, THAT WAS MY RECOMMENDATION THEN--AND IS NOW."

LATER SENATOR TYDINGS ASKED:

"WHEN RUSSIA REFUSED TO ALLOW THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION TO GO INTO NORTH KOREA (IN 1947), WOULD YOU HAVE DECLARED WAR ON RUSSIA?"

"YES," PAULEY SAID.

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BUT HE ADMITTED THAT PUBLIC OPINION WAS NOT AROUSED THEN. AND HE AGREED THAT THE CRISIS THEN DIFFERED CONSIDERABLY FROM THE ONE THE U.S. FACED IN NORTH KOREA WHEN THE COMMUNISTS CROSSED INTO THE SOUTHERN PART.

"WHEN THE BLOOD STARTED TO FLOW," TYDINGS SAID, "ALL BETS WERE OFF. FOR OUR PEOPLE HAD A CLEAR-CUT CASE OF BLOOD-LETTING."

TYDINGS SAID THIS WAS MUCH DIFFERENT THAN IN 1947.

PAULEY SAID, YES, IT WAS.

THE HUSKY PAULEY, CALIFORNIA OIL MAN AND ONETIME DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL TREASURER, LISTED IN DETAIL WHAT HE HAD FOUND IN NORTH KOREA AND WHAT HE HAD RECOMMENDED.

HE SAID THAT EVEN THOUGH HE AND HIS MEN REPRESENTED THE U.S., "WE WERE TREATED MORE LIKE PRISONERS THAN ANYTHING ELSE."

EVEN THAN, HE SAID, "THE USSR WAS ALREADY ARMING ITSELF FOR A STAY IN NORTH KOREA--EVEN IF IT WAS TO BE LATER PROPAGANDIZED THAT THEY HAD 'GONE HOME.'

"WHAT THIS COUNTRY HAS TO LEARN IS THAT THE SOVIETS NEVER GO HOME.

"THEY MAY GO ACROSS THE STREET OR DOWN THE ALLEY BUT THEY DON'T EVEN DO THAT UNTIL THEY'VE LEFT THEIR AGENTS SO FIRMLY PLANTED THAT IT

TAKES A BLOCK-BUSTER TO BUDGE THEM."

LATER, IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION, PAULEY SAID HE NEVER BELIEVED THE RUSSIANS WHEN THEY SAID THEY WERE WITHDRAWING THEIR TROOPS FROM NORTH KOREA.

SENATOR SALTONSTALL (R-MASS) ASKED IF HE EVER RECOMMENDED THAT AMERICAN OCCUPATION TROOPS STAY ON IN SOUTH KOREA. PAULEY SAID, YES, HE HAD, BUT THAT THE RECOMMENDATION WAS MADE INFORMALLY.

IN HIS 1946 RECOMMENDATIONS TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN, PAULEY WROTE:

"WHILE KOREA IS A SMALL COUNTRY AND IN TERMS OF OUR MILITARY STRENGTH IS A SMALL RESPONSIBILITY, IT IS AN IDEOLOGICAL BATTLE-GROUND UPON WHICH OUR ENTIRE SUCCESS IN ASIA MAY DEPEND.

"IT IS HERE WHERE A TEST WILL BE MADE ...."

PAULEY THEN SAID HE FELT RUSSIA SHOULD BE COMPELLED TO LIVE UP TO ITS END OF THE BARGAIN.

SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) ASKED:

"WOULDN'T YOU THINK THAT WITH THE PICTURE YOU GAVE THAT THE ADMINISTRATION WOULD HAVE ACTED DIFFERENTLY?"

PAULEY REPLIED:

"PERHAPS THEY TRIED AND FAILED. I DON'T KNOW."

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(480) KOREAN-UN
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, AUG. 3-(AP)-PROPOSALS FOR TWO NEW UNITED NATIONS ACTIONS IN THE KOREAN CRISIS ARE NOW BEING DEVELOPED BY THE UNITED STATES.

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THE PROPOSALS ARE:

1. CREATION OF A PERMANENT WATCHDOG COMMISSION TO KEEP CHECK ON TROUBLE SPOTS ALL OVER THE WORLD AND HAVE OFFICIAL UN OBSERVERS ON HAND WHEN AND IF SOME NEW COMMUNIST AGGRESSION OCCURS. PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND OTHER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS FELT THE FREE WORLD BENEFITED GREATLY AND UNITED NATIONS ACTION AGAINST AGGRESSION WAS SPEEDED UP CONSIDERABLY BY THE PRESENCE OF A UN COMMISSION IN KOREA WHEN THE RED ATTACK BROKE.

2. ORGANIZATION OF A UN GROUP, INCLUDING ASIAN MEMBERS PARTICULARLY, TO CONSIDER THE UN'S COURSE OF ACTION IN KOREA ONCE TROOPS HAVE DRIVEN THE REDS BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL.

TOP AUTHORITIES HERE SAY THIS DECISION CANNOT BE MADE BY THE UNITED STATES BUT MUST BE WORKED OUT BY THE UN.

BOTH OF THESE MEASURES IN EFFECT WOULD CARRY UNITED NATIONS PROCEDURES FOR DEALING WITH THE KOREAN CRISIS AND ITS GLOBAL REPERCUSSIONS SUBSTANTIALLY BEYOND THE POINT THEY HAVE SO FAR REACHED.

THE ORIGINAL UN CONDEMNATION OF AGGRESSION AND CEASE FIRE ORDER, THE SUBSEQUENT CALL TO ARMS FOR MEMBER NATIONS AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR AS SUPREME COMMANDER WERE ACCOMPLISHED PRIOR TO THE RETURN OF SOVIET DELEGATE JACOB A.MALIK TO THE SESSIONS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL. MALIK TOOK OVER THE COUNCIL PRESIDENCY TUESDAY FOR ONE MONTH AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON HAS ALREADY ACCUSED HIM OF USING OBSTRUCTIONIST TACTICS WITH RESPECT TO THE KOREAN SITUATION.

MALIK IS NOT IN POSITION TO REVERSE THE UN ACTIONS ALREADY TAKEN IN KOREA; TO DO THAT HE WOULD NEED A MAJORITY OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL'S 11 VOTES WHICH HE DOES NOT HAVE. WITH RUSSIA'S VETO, HOWEVER, HE IS IN POSITION TO BLOCK FURTHER ACTION BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL SO THAT THE NON-COMMUNIST POWERS WOULD HAVE TO TURN ONCE AGAIN AS THEY HAVE SOMETIMES IN THE PAST TO THE VETOLESS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR ACTION.

IN FACT, THERE IS SOME FEELING NOW THAT WITH MALIK PRESENT IT IS USELESS TO PUT FORWARD NEW PROPOSALS IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL. THE AMERICAN PLANS MAY BE HELD FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSION IN THE FALL. ALTERNATIVELY THE PROPOSITIONS MAY BE THROWN INTO THE SECURITY COUNCIL AS A MEANS OF FORCING MALIK TO MAKE CLEAR HIS COUNTRY'S POSITION.

DETAILS OF THE WATCHDOG COMMISSION IDEA HAVE YET TO BE WORKED OUT.

COMMISSIONS HAVE FUNCTIONED WITH CONSIDERABLE EFFECTIVENESS, IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S OPINION, IN BOTH THE BALKANS AND KOREA. THERE ARE OTHER POTENTIAL TROUBLE SPOTS, HOWEVER, WHERE NO COMMISSION EXISTS--INDOCHINA; FOR EXAMPLE. ANY OPEN COMMUNIST ATTACK THERE UNDOUBTEDLY WOULD BE PARALLELED, AS AMERICAN OFFICIALS SEE IT, BY THE USUAL SOVIET PROPAGANDA LINE CLAIMING THAT THE VICTIM WAS ACTUALLY THE AGGRESSOR. THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS IT TO BE A MATTER OF HIGH POLITICAL IMPORTANCE IN SUCH CASES TO HAVE THE TRUTH ESTABLISHED BY UN OBSERVERS AT ONCE.

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(350) NIGHT LEAD CONGRESS ROUNDUP
WASHINGTON, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE SENATE VOTED TODAY FOR A $525,000,000 CUT IN SPENDING, AND THE HOUSE FOR AUTOMATIC APPLICATION OF PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS IF THE COST OF LIVING RISES 5 PER CENT.

THE ADMINISTRATION DIDN'T FAVOR EITHER ACTION.

THE SENATE VOTED 55 TO 31 IN FAVOR OF THE ECONOMY AMENDMENT, WHICH WENT ON TO THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION BILL FOR THE OPERATING EXPENSES OF GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS. THE BILL STILL TOTALS MORE THAN $34,000,000,000.

UNDER THE PLAN, SPONSORED BY SENATORS BRIDGES (R-NH) AND BYRD (D-VA), MOST NON-MILITARY APPROPRIATIONS IN THE BIG BILL WOULD BE CUT 10 PER CENT. SENATOR SMITH (R-NJ) MANAGED TO SAVE THE FOREIGN ECONOMIC AID PROGRAM FROM THE SLASH. HIS AMENDMENT EXEMPTING MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS WAS ADOPTED, 45 TOVRPM

THE HOUSE APPROVED THE

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PLAN FUNDS WAS ADOPTED, 45 TO 40.

THE HOUSE APPROVED THE AUTOMATIC APPLICATION OF WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS BY A VOICE VOTE. THOSE CONTROLS WOULD BECOME EFFECTIVE, UNDER THE PLAN, IF LIVING COSTS ROSE 5 PER CENT ABOVE THE JUNE 15 LEVEL.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN MADE HIS OPPOSITION TO SUCH A SYSTEM CLEAR. HE TOLD HIS NEWS CONFERENCE THAT IT WOULD INVITE A 5 PER CENT RISE IN PRICES. THAT IN TURN WOULD LEAD TO NEED FOR WAGE INCREASES, HE SAID, AND AN UPWARD SPIRAL WOULD BE SET IN MOTION.

IF WE'RE GOING TO HAVE PRICE CONTROLS, LETS HAVE THEM, HE SAID.

THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE HAS A SIMILAR PROPOSAL UNDER CONSIDERATION.

THE HOUSE DECISION TODAY WAS TENTATIVE, AND LEADERS APPARENTLY HOPED TO KNOCK IT OUT WHEN THE ROLL CALL VOTING STARTS TOMORROW. THEY ARE AIMING FOR A SYSTEM OF LIMITED CONTROLS SUCH AS MR.TRUMAN ASKED, PROBABLY PLUS STAND-BY AUTHORITY FOR HIM TO INVOKE WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS AND RATIONING AT HIS DISCRETION.

THE SENATE HANDED THE ADMINISTRATION ANOTHER SETBACK, AT LEAST TEMPORARILY, WHEN IT REFUSED TO RECONSIDER A VOTE BY WHICH IT ORDERED A $100,000,000 LOAN TO FRANCO SPAIN. THE PRESIDENT OPPOSES ANY SUCH MANDATORY DIRECTIVE FROM CONGRESS. THE HOUSE HAS YET TO ACT ON IT.

THE WIDELY BALLYHOOED "MYSTERY WITNESS" AT A SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE HEARING TODAY TURNED OUT TO BE A FAMILIAR CAPITAL FIGURE--EDWIN W.PAULEY, CALIFORNIA OIL MAN WHO WENT TO ASIA IN CHARGE OF A REPARATIONS MISSION AFTER WORLD WAR II.

PAULEY SAID THAT AS EARLY AS 1946 RUSSIA WAS PREPARING FOR AGGRESSION IN KOREA. HE WARNED THAT THE KOREA WAR MAY BE "ONLY THE BEGINNING" OF BLOODIER CONFLICTS WITH THE SOVIETS.

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KEYSERLING (330)
BY STERLING F.GREEN

WASHINGTON,AUG 3-(AP)-LEON KEYSERLING, CHAIRMAN OF THE PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC ADVISERS, SAID TODAY IT WOULD BE "RIDICULOUS" TO FREEZE ALL PRICES, WAGES AND JOBS NOW TO SUPPORT THE ARMS PROGRAM.

TO DO THAT, KEYSERLING SAID IN AN INTERVIEW, WOULD BE TO WIPE OUT THE INCENTIVES ON WHICH THE COUNTRY "MUST RELY IN PART TO PRODUCE WAR GOODS AND DRAW WORKERS INTO WAR JOBS."

"WHEN THE MILITARY BUDGET IS ONLY 10 PERCENT OF OUR NATIONAL PRODUCTION, IT WOULD BE FANTASTIC TO FREEZE 100 PERCENT OF OUR ECONOMY," KEYSERLING SAID.

IT MAY BE NECESSARY, KEYSERLING SAID, TO USE SOME "SELECTIVE" PRICE CONTROLS LATER, AND HE SAID HE IS "FOUR-SQUARE" IN FAVOR OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROPOSAL FOR STANDBY POWERS TO BE INVOKED AT HIS DISCRETION.

BUT KEYSERLING SAID HE THINKS THAT MR.TRUMAN'S PROGRAM OF HIGHER TAXES, CREDIT CONTROL AND ALLOCATIONS, IF VIGOROUSLY ENFORCED, WOULD CHECK HOARDING AND THE PRESENT SPECULATIVE FLURRY OF PRICES.

HE SAID THERE WERE SEVERAL DEFECTS IN SUCH PROPOSALS AS THAT BY SENATOR FULBRIGHT (D-ARK). THIS WOULD ROLL PRICE BACK TO A SPECIFIED LEVEL AUTOMATICALLY IF THEY ROSE A CERTAIN PERCENTAGE ABOVE THAT LEVEL.

WHOLESALE PRICES ALWAYS RISE FASTER THAN RETAIL ONES, HE SAID; THEREFORE SUCH A ROLLBACK WOULD CATCH RETAILERS IN AN IMPOSSIBLE SQUEEZE.

IT ALSO WOULD FORCE WAGE ROLLBACKS EVEN WHERE WAGES HAD HAD NO INFLATIONARY EFFECT.

FURTHER, KEYSERLING SAID, IF A SINGLE MAJOR ITEM TOOK A PRICE WHIRL, IT COULD GO SKY-HIGH BEFORE IT HAD DRAGGED THE WHOLE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX UP TO THE POINT WHERE CONTROLS TOOK EFFECT.

"YOU SHOULD FREEZE THE ECONOMY ONLY IF YOU ARE IN A SITUATION WHERE MOST THINGS SHOULD BE FROZEN," HE SAID. "THE PRESENT ARMS BUDGET IS ONLY ONE-TENTH OF OUR PRODUCTION AND WHEN IT HITS FULL STRIDE WILL BE ONLY ONE-EIGHTH.

"YOU WOULD HAVE TO HAVE A $150,000,000,000 MILITARY BUDGET TODAY TO CREATE A SITUATION CALLING FOR CONTROLS COMPARABLE TO THOSE OF OUR PEAK WAR YEAR, 1944."

UNLESS THE COUNTRY PROPOSES TO CREATE "A SECRET POLICE FORCE AS BIG AS THE ARMY," KEYSERLING SAID, IT MUST RELY TO SOME EXTENT ON THE NORMAL INCENTIVES OF ENTERPRISE TO MEET THE WAR DEMANDS--"JUST AS WE DID IN WORLD WAR II."

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KEYSERLING'S CONCLUSION:

"I DO NOT BELIEVE THAT, EVEN IN WAR, THE ECONOMY CAN WORK WITHOUT THE INCENTIVES WHICH IN NORMAL TIMES MAKE OUR SYSTEM WORK SO WELL."

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AMS BUDGET (370)
UN GROUND FORCES (INTERPRETIVE)
BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON, AUG. 3-(AP)-THREE CONSIDERATIONS ARE HELPING TO DECIDE HOW LONG IT WILL BE BEFORE GROUND FORCES OF OTHER UNITED NATIONS ARE FIGHTING BESIDE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS IN KOREA.

THEY ARE:

1. PUBLIC OPINION. SOME HIGHLY-PLACED U.S. OFFICIALS SAY THAT SPEED IS URGENT. THEY FEEL THAT A RESURGENCE OF "ISOLATIONISM" WILL OCCUR IN THIS COUNTRY IF OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS DO NOT TAKE PART IN THE GROUND FIGHTING, WHERE CASUALTIES HAVE BEEN FAR HEAVIER THAN IN AIR AND SEA OPERATIONS.

2. SUPPLY. MILITARY MEN WANT TO BE SURE THAT ADEQUATE SUPPLY SYSTEMS ARE ASSURED FOR ANY TROOPS SENT TO KOREA. OTHERWISE, THEY THINK THE FORCES WOULD BE A LIABILITY RATHER THAN AN ASSET.

3. GLOBAL STRATEGY. THE HIGH COMMAND WANTS TO BE SURE THAT OTHER VITAL AREAS WHERE THE COMMUNISTS MIGHT ATTACK ARE NOT WEAKENED UNNECESSARILY BY THE TRANSFER OF TROOPS TO KOREA.

ALREADY, THE NAVY OPERATING AGAINST THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS IS TRULY A UNITED NATIONS FORCE, INCLUDING BRITISH, AUSTRALIAN, DUTCH AND CANADIAN UNITS AS WELL AS AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN. THE AIR OPERATIONS ARE ALSO INTERNATIONAL TO A SUBSTANTIAL EXTENT, WITH THE AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE AND CARRIER-BASED BRITISH PLANES WORKING WITH THE AMERICAN LAND-BASED AND CARRIER-BASED PLANES.

SO FAR, HOWEVER, THE ONLY GROUND UNITS FIGHTING AGAINST THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS ARE U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN, AND THEIR CASUALTIES HAVE BEEN MUCH HEAVIER THAN THOSE OF AIR AND NAVAL ELEMENTS.

GROUND TROOP OFFERS SENT TO THE UNITED NATIONS IN RESPONSE TO ITS RECENT APPEAL FOR SUCH ASSISTANCE ARE SCREENED HERE BY A JOINT COMMITTEE OF THE DEFENSE AND STATE DEPARTMENTS. THIS COMMITTEE THANKS THE COUNTRIES INVOLVED AND ASKS THEM TO DISCUSS THE DETAILS WITH MILITARY OFFICIALS THROUGH THEIR EMBASSIES AND LEGATIONS.

A FEW OF THE OFFERS CONTEMPLATE SELF-SUFFICIENT FORCES. OTHERS WOULD REQUIRE AMERICAN SUPPLIES AFTER AN INITIAL PERIOD OF SELF-SUPPORT. STILL OTHERS WOULD REQUIRE AMERICAN SUPPLIES FROM THE START.

BRITAIN HAS OFFERED A SELF-CONTAINED FORCE. BUT BRITISH SOURCES SAY IT WILL TAKE TWO OR THREE MONTHS TO GET A FORCE ESTIMATED AT 5,000 TO 6,000 MEN READY TO SAIL FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM. THEY ADD THAT THIS TIME WILL BE REQUIRED TO EQUIP THE TROOPS, INOCULATE THEM AGAINST DISEASES OF THE FAR EAST, AND HAND OVER THEIR PRESENT DUTIES TO OTHER SOLDIERS.

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THE BRITISH ARMY HAS ABOUT 40,000 MEN GUARDING THE BRITISH CROWN COLONY OF HONGKONG, NEXT DOOR TO COMMUNIST CHINA. BUT THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT CONTENDS THEY ARE ESSENTIAL AT THIS POST.

BRITISH REPRESENTATIVES HERE SAY THAT, OF THE BRITISH ARMY'S TOTAL STRENGTH OF 372,000, THERE ARE 265,000 ALREADY ON DUTY ABROAD. IN ADDITION TO THOSE AT HONGKONG, 175,000 ARE REPORTED IN GERMANY, 15,000 IN MALAYA, AND 35,000 IN THE MIDDLE EAST. ALL THREE OF THE LATTER POSTS ARE AREAS OF COMMUNIST PRESSURE, AND U.S. MILITARY OFFICIALS ARE NOT LIKELY TO FAVOR A REDUCTION OF BRITISH GARRISONS THERE.

THE BRITISH TROOPS IN THE MIDDLE EAST, FOR INSTANCE, ARE IN THE HEART OF A REGION OF STRATEGIC OIL RESOURCES AND AIR BASES.

AUSTRALIA HAS PROMISED TO DISPATCH A SMALL FORCE OF EXPERIENCED GROUND TROOPS TO KOREA WITHIN "AS FEW WEEKS AS POSSIBLE". THIS FORCE IS EXPECTED TO BE BUILT AROUND GROUND TROOPS NOW ON OCCUPATION DUTY IN JAPAN.

THE 2,300 AUSTRALIANS ALREADY IN JAPAN INCLUDE FLIERS AND SAILORS AS WELL AS GROUND TROOPS, HOWEVER. THE GROUND UNITS INCLUDE SIGNAL AND ENGINEER TROOPS AS WELL AS INFANTRYMEN. THE INFANTRY MEN ARE TO BE SUPPLEMENTED WITH AN UNDISCLOSED NUMBER OF COMBAT VETERANS RECRUITED AT HOME. THIS WILL TAKE TIME.

AT PRESENT CANADA HAS THREE DESTROYERS IN THE UNITED NATIONS NAVY AND SIX TRANSPORT PLANES SHUTTLING BETWEEN THE U.S. AND THE FAR EAST. AS LATE AS LAST JANUARY ITS ACTIVE ARMY NUMBERED ONLY 18,970 MEN. THE GOVERNMENT WAS INCLINED INITIALLY AGAINST SENDING ANY GROUND TROOPS TO KOREA. LITTLE IF ANY U.S. OBJECTION TO THIS COURSE APPEARED LIKELY, SINCE CANADA GUARDS THE NORTHERN APPROACHES TO THIS COUNTRY.

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NIGHT LEAD DEFERMENTS

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 3-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT NATIONAL GUARDSMEN AND RESERVISTS IN CRITICAL JOBS WILL BE DEFERRED TEMPORARILY FROM ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

HE SAID THE DELAY MAY NOT EXCEED SIX MONTHS, AND MAY BE CUT OFF AT ANY TIME "BECAUSE OF OVERRIDING MILITARY CONSIDERATIONS."

JOHNSON'S ANNOUNCEMENT WAS PART OF AN UNUSUAL GOVERNMENTAL TRIPLE PLAY INVOLVING THREE DEPARTMENTS: DEFENSE, LABOR AND COMMERCE.

THE LABOR DEPARTMENT LAID DOWN A LIST OF 48 CRITICAL OCCUPATIONS. THIS INCLUDED EVERYTHING FROM AN AGRONOMIST (A SPECIALIST IN FIELD CROP PRODUCTION) TO A VETERINARIAN.

THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT LISTED 72 IMPORTANT INDUSTRIES, SUCH AS ORDNANCE PLANTS, CHEMICAL PLANTS, LUMBERING, FARMING AND FOOD PROCESSING.

AND THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SAID THESE LISTS WOULD BE A GUIDE IN DETERMINING THE DEFERMENT OF OFFICERS AND MEN IN THE NATIONAL GUARD, ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE RESERVES.

BUT THE LIST WILL BE FOR GUIDING PURPOSES ONLY.

"THE ARMED SERVICES," SAID A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN, "WILL BE GUIDED BY THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT AND LABOR DEPARTMENT LISTS BUT WILL NOT BE BOUND BY THEM IF WE NEED THE MEN."

HE EMPHASIZED THAT THE LISTINGS WILL NOT AFFECT INDUCTIONS BY THE SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM. IT HAS ITS OWN DEFERMENT STANDARDS.

SECRETARY JOHNSON SAID THERE WILL BE NO DEFERMENTS FOR RESERVISTS SIMPLY BECAUSE THEY HAVE WIVES, CHILDREN OR OTHER DEPENDENTS BECAUSE RESERVISTS ARE "LIABLE TO CALL TO ACTIVE DUTY IN TIME OF NEED." HOWEVER, HE SAID, IT IS THE POLICY TO GIVE CONSIDERATION TO HARDSHIP CASES.

THE TEMPORARY SIX-MONTH DELAY MAY BE EXTENDED, BUT FOR NOT MORE THAN ANOTHER SIX-MONTH PERIOD.

THE DEFERMENT MAY BE FOR A SHORTER TIME, JOHNSON SAID, AND AT ITS EXPIRATION EACH CASE WILL BE REVIEWED TO DETERMINE WHETHER THERE IS CAUSE FOR FURTHER DELAY.

JOHNSON GAVE THIS SUMMARY OF HIS POLICY:

"FUNDAMENTALLY, THE RESERVIST DEFERRED MUST BE ENGAGED IN A CRITICAL OCCUPATION NECESSARY TO A HIGHLY ESSENTIAL ACTIVITY AND HE WILL BE DEFERRED ONLY UNTIL HE CAN BE SATISFACTORILY REPLACED IN THAT OCCUPATION."

THE DEFERMENT POLICY WILL BE ADMINISTERED WHOLLY BY THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE. IN NO CASE WILL GROUP, OR UNIT, DEFERMENTS BE GRANTED; ALL WILL BE MADE ON AN INDIVIDUAL BASIS.

IF A RESERVIST THINKS HE'S ENTITLED TO A DELAY, HE SHOULD SAY SO IN WRITING AS SOON AS HE RECEIVES HIS CALL TO ACTIVE DUTY.

THE LIST OF CRITICAL JOBS WAS BROKEN DOWN INTO TWO LISTS: PROFESSIONAL AND SKILLED OCCUPATIONS.

HERE ARE THE JOBS THE LABOR DEPARTMENT CONSIDERS CRITICAL:

PROFESSIONAL

AGRONOMIST
ARCHITECT, MARINE
BACTERIOLOGIST
BIOLOGIST
BOTANIST
CHEMIST
CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST
DENTIST
ENGINEER (CHEMICAL, CIVIL, ELECTRICAL, INDUSTRIAL, MECHANICAL, MINING, PETROLEUM, SANITARY, CHIEF, MARINE)
ENTOMOLOGIST
GEOLOGIST
MASTER, SHIP
MATHEMATICIAN
METALLURGIST
NURSE, PROFESSIONAL
OSTEOPATH
PARASITOLOGIST
PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS
PHYSICIST
PLANT PATHOLOGIST
TEACHER (CRITICAL OCCUPATIONS ONLY)
TOOL AND DIE DESIGNER
VETERINARIAN

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SKILLED OCCUPATIONS

AIRCRAFT AND ENGINE MECHANIC
APPRENTICE (CRITICAL OCCUPATIONS ONLY)
BOILERMAKER
BOILERMAKER, MARINE
BRICKLAYER, REFRACTORY
COREMARKER
DRILLER, PETROLEUM
DIE SETTER
ELECTRICIAN, AIRPLANE
FOREMAN (CRITICAL OCCUPATIONS ONLY)
GLASS BLOWER, LABORATORY APPARATUS
INSTRUMENT REPAIRMAN
LAY-OUT MAN, MARINE
LOFTSMAN
MACHINIST
MAINTENANCE, MECHANIC
MILLWRIGHT
MODEL MAKER
MOLDER
PATTERNMAKER
PRECISION-LENS GRINDER
ROLLER, IRON AND STEEL
SHIP RIGGER
STILLMAN, PETROLEUM PROCESSING
TOOL AND DIE MAKER

IN ADDITION TO THE JOBS LISTED, A LARGE NUMBER OF INDUSTRIES ARE CONSIDERED "ESSENTIAL" AND HENCE A RESERVIST IN A KEY POSITION THERE WOULD ALSO BE ENTITLED TO APPLY FOR A DEFERMENT.

SAMPLES FROM THE LONG LOST: TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS (EXCLUDING LACE GOODS), FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS, ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN PRINTING, PUBLISHING LITHOGRAPHIC AND SUCH ALLIED TRADES AS TYPESETTING AND PHOTO-ENGRAVING; RADIO BROADCASTING AND TELEVISION; PRESS ASSOCIATIONS AND NEWS SYNDICATES.

THE SECRETARIES OF THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE WERE INSTRUCTED TO CONSIDER DEFERMENT REQUESTS FROM RESERVISTS ENROLLED IN SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES OR ENGAGED IN RESEARCH AND SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES. THESE MAY BE DEFERRED UNTIL THE END OF THE SCHOOL TERM. THOSE DOING PROFESSIONAL GRADUATE WORK OR VITAL RESEARCH SHOULD BE GRANTED DELAYS BASED ON THE MERITS OF EACH CASE.

THE TENTATIVE LIST OF ESSENTIAL INDUSTRIES, AS ANNOUNCED BY THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT, FOLLOWS:

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

ORDNANCE AND ACCESSORIES, FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS, TOBACCO MANUFACTURES, TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS, EXCLUDING LACE GOODS; APPAREL AND OTHER FINISHED PRODUCTS MADE FROM FABRICS AND SIMILAR MATERIALS, EXCLUDING

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FUR GOODS, ROBES AND DRESSING GOWNS CURTAIN AND DRAPERS, PLEATING, STITCHING, AND TUCKING FOR THE TRADE EMBROIDERIES, EXCEPT SCHLIFFI-MACHINE; LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS (EXCEPT FURNITURE) EXCLUDING MIRROR AND PICTURE FRAMES.

FURNITURE AND FIXTURES, EXCLUDING REED AND RATTAN FURNITURE, PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS, PRINTING, PUBLISHING, AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES, EXCLUDING GREETING CARDS; CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS, PRODUCTS OF PETROLEUM AND COAL, RUBBER PRODUCTS, LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS, EXCLUDING HOUSE SLIPPERS, STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS, EXCLUDING CHINA DECORATING FOR THE TRADE, AND STATUARY AND ART GOODS, PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES, FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS (EXCEPT ORDNANCE, MACHINERY AND TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT, MACHINERY (EXCEPT ELECTRICAL).

ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES, TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT, PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC, AND CONTROLLING INSTRUMENTS; PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OPTICAL GOODS; WATCHES AND CLOCKS, MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, EXCLUDING GAMES AND TOYS, DOLLS, FEATHERS, PLUMES AND ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, (BUT INCLUDING DOWNS); LAMP SHADES, FURS, DRESSED AND DYED; SIGNS AND ADVERTISING DISPLAYS.

NON-MANUFACTURING

FARMS, EXCLUDING HORTICULTURAL SPECIALTIES AND NONCOMMERCIAL FARMS, INCLUDES COMMERCIAL FARMS;

AGRICULTURAL SERVICES AND HUNTING AND TRAPPING, EXCLUDING HORTICULTURAL SERVICES AND HUNTING AND TRAPPING, AND GAME PROPAGATION INCLUDES ESTABLISHMENTS PRIMARILY ENGAGED IN PERFORMING AGRICULTURAL HUSBANDRY, AND HORTICULTURAL SERVICES ON A FEE OR CONTRACT BASIS; FORESTRY, FISHERIES, METAL MINING, ANTHRACITE MINING, BITUMINOUS COAL AND LIGNITE MINING, CRUDE PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS EXTRACTION,

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MINING AND QUARRYING OF NONMETALLIC MINERALS, EXCEPT FUELS. BUILDING CONSTRUCTION - GENERAL CONTRACTORS; CONSTRUCTION OTHER THAN BUILDING CONSTRUCTION - GENERAL CONTRACTORS. INCLUDES GENERAL CONTRACTORS ENGAGED IN MISCELLANEOUS TYPES OF CONSTRUCTION WORK OTHER THAN BUILDINGS. CONSTRUCTION - SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS. INCLUDES ESTABLISHMENTS SPECIALIZING IN ACTIVITIES SUCH AS PLUMBING PAINTING, PLASTERING, AND CARPENTERING.

RAILROADS, LOCAL AND INTERURBAN RAILWAYS AND BUS LINES, TRUCKING AND WAREHOUSING. STREET AND HIGHWAY TRANSPORTATION, NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED. INCLUDES COMPANIES OR AGENCIES FURNISHING PASSENGER TRANSPORTATION BY MOTOR VEHICLES, SUCH AS INTERCITY BUS LINES, SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES, ETC.

WATER TRANSPORTATION, TRANSPORTATION BY AIR, PIPE LINE TRANSPORTATION, SERVICES INCIDENTAL TO TRANSPORTATION. INCLUDES COMPANIES FURNISHING SERVICES INCIDENTAL TO TRANSPORTATION SUCH AS FORWARDING AND PACKING SERVICES, ARRANGEMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND THE OPERATION OF STOCKYARDS; TELECOMMUNICATIONS; UTILITIES AND SANITARY SERVICES; WHOLESALE TRADE - MERCHANT WHOLESALERS, EXCLUDING BEER, WINE, AND DISTILLED ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; WHOLESALE TRA.., OTHER THAN MERCHANT WHOLESALERS.

RETAIL TRADE - BUILDING MATERIALS AND FARM EQUIPMENT, RETAIL TRADE - GENERAL MERCHANDISE; RETAIL TRADE - FOOD, INCLUDING CANDY, NUT AND CONFECTIONARY STORES; AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS AND GASOLINE SERVICE STATIONS; RETAIL TRADE - APPAREL AND ACCESSORIES, EXCLUDING FURRIERS AND FUR SHOPS.

RETAIL TRADE - FURNITURE, HOME FURNISHINGS AND EQUIPMENT; RETAIL TRADE - EATING AND DRINKING PLACES; RETAIL TRADE - MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL STORES, EXCLUDING LIQUOR STORES, ANTIQUE STORES, SPORTING GOODS STORES JEWELRY STORES, FLORISTS, GIFT NOVELTY AND SOUVENIR SHOPS.

BANKING, CREDIT AGENCIES OTHER THAN BANKS, SECURITY AND COMMODITY BROKERS, DEALERS, EXCHANGES, AND SERVICES, EXCLUDING SECURITY BROKERS AND DEALERS, SECURITY AND COMMODITY EXCHANGES, AND SERVICES ALLIED WITH THE EXCHANGES OF SECURITIES OR COMMODITIES. INCLUDES COMMODITY CONTRACT BROKERS AND DEALERS AND SECURITY FLOTATION COMPANIES.

INSURANCE CARRIERS, REAL ESTATE, EXCLUDING REAL ESTATE OPERATORS AND LESSORS, AGENTS, BROKERS AND MANAGERS, SUBDIVIDORS AND DEVELOPERS, OPERATIVE BUILDERS. INCLUDES TITLE ABSTRACT COMPANIES ONLY.

HOTELS, ROOMING HOUSES, CAMPS, AND OTHER LODGING PLACES, EXCLUDING SEASONAL HOTELS, SPORTING CAMPS AND RECREATIONAL CAMPS.

PERSONAL SERVICES, EXCLUDING PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIES, INCLUDING COMMERCIAL PHOTOGRAPH, AND BARBER AND BEAUTY SHOPS; MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS SERVICES - INCLUDES ESTABLISHMENTS RENDERING SERVICES NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED TO BUSINESS ENTERPRISES ON A FEE OR CONTRACT BASIS; AUTOMOBILE REPAIR SERVICES AND GARAGES.

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MISCELLANEOUS REPAIR SERVICES, RADIO BROADCASTING (INCLUDING FACSIMILE BROADCASTING) AND TELEVISION; MOTION PICTURES, MEDICAL AND OTHER HEALTH SERVICES, LEGAL SERVICES, EDUCATION SERVICES, MUSEUMS, ART GALLERIES, AND BOTANICAL AND ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS INCLUDES MUSEUMS, ART GALLERIES, AND BOTANICAL AND ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS.

NONPROFIT MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS, EXCLUDING CIVIC, SOCIAL, AND FRATERNAL ASSOCIATION, AND NONPROFIT MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED. INCLUDES ORGANIZATIONS OPERATING ON A NONPROFIT MEMBERSHIP BASIS FOR THE PROMOTION OF THE INTERESTS OF THE MEMBERS, SUCH AS TRADE ASSOCIATIONS; PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS; LABOR UNIONS AND SIMILAR LABOR ORGANIZATIONS; AND POLITICAL, CHARITABLE, AND RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS.

MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES, INCLUDES ESTABLISHMENTS ENGAGED IN RENDERING SERVICES, NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED, SUCH AS THOSE RENDERED BY ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS, ARTISTS, LECTURERS, ANDIWRITERS. THIS MAJOR GROUP ALSO INCLUDES NONPROFIT EDUCATIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AGENCIES.

GOVERNMENT INCLUDES FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.

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BY C.YATES MCDANIEL

WASHINGTON,AUG.3-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS WILL HAVE TO FIGHT THE HOLDING PHASE OF THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN WITH WORLD WAR II TANKS, SOME OF THEM IMPROVED SINCE 1945.

THEY MAY GET SOME REALLY NEW TANKS BY THE TIME THE EMBATTLED EIGHTH ARMY CAN SHIFT FROM THE DEFENSIVE AND START THE LONG WAY BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THIS IS THE SUBSTANCE OF WHAT CONGRESSIONAL WATCHDOG COMMITTEES WILL HEAR WHEN THE ARMY IS CALLED UP TO EXPLAIN HOW THE KOREAN CRISIS CAUGHT THE UNITED STATES IN THE TRANSITION PERIOD BETWEEN OLD AND GENUINELY NEW ARMOR.

GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, STATED IN A SPEECH ON FEB. 27 THAT "EXCEPT FOR PROTOTYPES WE HAVE NOT PURCHASED A SINGLE NEW TANK SINCE THE END OF THE WAR."

IN A REPORT FOR THE LAST HALF OF 1949, SECRETARY OF THE ARMY GRAY SAID THAT THREE LIGHT UNITS OF THE "POSTWAR TANK FAMILY" WERE IN THE FINAL STEPS OF COMPLETION PRIOR TO AN EXHAUSTIVE SERIES OF TESTS.

IN HIS FEBRUARY SPEECH, COLLINS SAID THAT THE ARMY HAD THE PROTOTYPE OF A NEW MEDIUM TANK AND "DESIGNS" FOR A HEAVY TANK.

COLLINS THEN EMPHASIZED THAT THE ARMY WOULD NOT BUILD ANY HEAVY TANKS UNTIL IT WAS "SURE THAT WE CANNOT KNOCK OUT THE HEAVIEST OF HEAVIES WITH THE IMPROVED GUNS AND AMMUNITION OF OUR NEW LIGHT AND

MEDIUM TANKS."
SINCE FEBRUARY, THE ARMY IS KNOWN TO HAVE PLACED AN ORDER FOR A LIMITED PRODUCTION OF THE NEW LIGHT TANK, KNOWN AS T-41. IT IS THESE TANKS THAT COULD BE PRODUCED IN SUFFICIENT NUMBERS TO PLAY A PART IN FUTURE PHASES OF THE KOREAN WAR.
IN THE MEANTIME, AMERICAN TROOPS BATTLING IN KOREA ARE GETTING MORE AND BETTER TANKS THAN THEY STARTED WITH ONE MONTH AGO. PICTURES HAVE BEEN PUBLISHED SHOWING GENERAL PERSHING TYPE TANKS MOVING TO THE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT. THE PERSHINGS ARE A CONSIDERABLE IMPROVEMENT OVER THE OLDER AND LESS MANEUVERABLE TANKS THAT ACCOMPANIED THE FIRST U.S. UNITS FROM JAPAN TO KOREA.

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THE PERSHING, A 47 1/2 TON VEHICLE MOUNTING A 90-MM RIFLE, FORMS THE BACKBONE OF U.S. ARMY ARMORED BATTALIONS. TWO YEARS AGO THE ARMY STARTED PRODUCING A BETTER PERSHING WHICH IT CHRISTENED THE GENERAL PATTON. A FEW OF THIS LATTER TYPE ARE BELIEVED TO BE IN KOREA OR ON THEIR WAY THERE. THE PATTON IS SO BUILT THAT IT CAN BE TURNED QUICKLY AND IS GENERALLY DESCRIBED AS A MORE USEFUL VEHICLE ON BAD GROUND.
EARLY IN THE KOREAN WAR, PRESS AND UNOFFICIAL REPORTS SAID THE NORTH KOREANS WERE USING 50 AND 60 TON RUSSIAN-TYPE TANKS. THE ARMY HAS NEVER BEEN ABLE TO CONFIRM THE APPEARANCE OF ANYTHING BIGGER OR NEWER THAN THE RUSSIAN T-34. THIS 30-TON TANK HAS SPEED AND BECAUSE OF ITS WIDE TRACKS SERVED THE RED KOREANS WELL IN THE RAINY COUNTRY THROUGH WHICH THEY HAVE ADVANCED. RECENT REPORTS FROM U.S. GROUND AND AIR UNITS AGREE THAT FEWER RED KOREAN TANKS ARE BEING SEEN AS THE CAMPAIGN PROGRESSES.
IMPROVED AMERICAN ANTI-TANK WEAPONS, THE PRESENCE OF BIGGER AND BETTER U.S. TANKS AND THE CONTINUING AERIAL POUNDING BY ALLIED AIRMEN ARE CREDITED WITH BLUNTING THE ARMORED SPEARHEAD OF THE NORTH KOREAN ASSAULT.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME SUNDAY, AUG.6 --CAUTION, NOTE DATE)
(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, AUG.6-(AP)-THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT TONIGHT RELEASED CASUALTY LIST NO. 56 FOR THE KOREAN FIGHTING. IT INCLUDED ONE MAN KILLED IN ACTION, 122 WOUNDED, 24 INJURED, 17 MISSING IN ACTION AND TWO WHO RETURNED TO SAFETY AFTER BEING MISSING.
ARKANSAS
WOUNDED
PVT.BOB H.HARRIS, SON OF MRS.ANNE HARRIS, RFD 1, BOX 154, MAYNARD. (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION)
CPL.STEVE L.HILL, SON OF MRS.CATHERINE HILL, 701 EAST 3D ST., PINZ BLUFF.
PFC.DOUGLAS EARL HOWARD,

PINE BLUFF.
PFC.DOUGLAS EARL HOWARD, HUSBAND OF MRS.MARY A.HOWARD, 400 CROSS ST., LITTLE ROCK.
PVT.JACK B.HUFFMAN, SON OF MRS.EVA HUFFMAN, BOX 241, LEPANTO.
PFC.MERVIN E.HUMPHREYS, SON OF MRS.R.M.HUMPHREYS, GENERAL DELIVERY, STORY.
M.SGT.HOLLIS P.INGRAM, HUSBAND OF MRS.CAROLA LINA INGRAM, RESIDING IN THE FAR EAST COMMAND. HE IS THE SON OF MRS.LEILA R.INGRAM, ROUTE 2, BOX 319, CAMDEN.
PVT.MAURICE W.STAATS, SON OF GILBERT ORVAL STAATS, RFD 3, GRAVITTE.
PFC.RUDOLPH V.STENNIS, SON OF MRS.CLARA STENNIS, 700 MULBERRY ST., PINE BLUFF.
CALIFORNIA
WOUNDED
PFC.ORVILLE W.CUMMINS, SON OF MRS.LETTIE CUMMINS, 5521 MARSHALL ST., OAKLAND.
PFC.EDWARD T.FAVA, SONE OF MRS.CARYLON A.FAVA, 57 MANCHESTER ST., SAN FRANCISCO.
CAPT.WALTER K.HOPKINS, HUSBAND OF MRS.LOUISE B.HOPKINS, 1323 PERALTA AVE., BERKELEY.
PFC.LYNN L.HUGHES, SON OF MRS.OPAL E.HUGHES, 2132 STOCKWELL ST., COMPTON.
SGT.1ST CLASS WILLIE F.SURVANT, HUSBAND OF MRS.SELMA R.SURVANT, 3530 WEST 7TH ST., LOS ANGELES.
SGT.ROBERT M.YOUNG, HUSBAND OF MRS.WILMA M.YOUNG, 2316 ISABELL AVE., MONTEREY PARK.
INJURED
PVT.STANLEY C.PERRYMAN, NEPHEW OF MRS.D.J.MELCHIORI, 301 NORTH ALIROS ST., SANTA BARBARA.
M.SGT.KENNETH N.ROBERTS, HUSBAND OF MRS.REBA F.ROBERTS, 935 SUTTER ST., SAN FRANCISCO.
PVT.JOHN URIBE, SON OF MRS.SEVERA URIBE, 2418 STANDARD AVE., SAN PABLO.
DELAWARE
WOUNDED
SGT.FRANCIS F.HAUG, SON OF MRS.ELIZABETH HAUG, 103 DELAMORE PL., WILMINGTON.

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IDAHO
WOUNDED
CPL.EARLE L.OBORNE, SON OF MRS.GUY A.SMITH, 837 3RD ST., COEUR D'ALENE.
ILLINOIS
WOUNDED
PFC.GRANT M.AKERS, SON OF MRS.EDNA GRANT, 2717 COYLE ST., CHICAGO.
CPL.CARL S.HAGLUND, HUSBAND OF MRS.MARY J.HAGLUND, TENNESSEE.
PFC.HAROLD U.MCDOUGAL, SON OF MRS.DEWEY MCDOUGAL, 412 JUNCTION ST., DANVILLE.
PFC.EARL J.ROWELL, SON OF MRS.EULAH ROWELL, 6076 SOUTH LAFAYETTE, CHICAGO.
SGT.1ST CLASS KENNETH D.WISE, HUSBAND OF MRS.BETTY WISE, RESIDING IN THE FAR EAST COMMAND. HE IS THE BROTHER OF MRS.FLORINE HEHR, 2504 SOUTH ELMWOOD AVE., BERWYN.
2ND LT.HAROLD E.WIRTH, HUSBAND OF MRS.DIAN H.WIRTH, RESIDING IN THE FAR EAST COMMAND. HE IS THE SON OF HAZEL G.WIRTH GROSSMAN, 11418 S. HOMEWOOD AVE., CHICAGO.
INJURED
PVT.CHARLES R.CUNNINGHAM, SON OF MRS.ESTHER R.CUNNINGHAM, 5042 NORTH WINTHROP AVE., CHICAGO.
PFC.DWIGHT L.HUSTON, SON OF MRS.LAVINE HUSTON, ROUTE 6, MOUNT VERNON.
PFC.ROBERT M.LEE, SON OF MRS.SARAH LEE, PULASKI.
MISSING IN ACTION
PVT.ROBERT G.GREEN, SON OF MRS.LILLIAN LOUISE GREEN, 4853 N.LEAVITT, CHICAGO.
PVT.NOLAN D.GULLEY, SON OF CLARENCE DENNIS GULLEY, VALIER.
CAPT.FREDERICK B.WIRT, HUSBAND OF MRS.ALMA J.WIRT, RESIDING IN THE FAR EAST COMMAND. HE IS THE SON-IN-LAW OF MRS.ALMA J.SIMPKINSON, 4607 MAGNOLIA AVE., CHICAGO.
INDIANA

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WOUNDED
PVT.CARL L.FISHER, SON OF MRS.MARIE H.FISHER, RFD 15, BOX 542, INDIANAPOLIS.
PVT.EARL C.GILES, SON OF MRS.MARIE GILES, 2014 SOUTH FRANKLIN ST., SOUTH BEND.

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PFC.LEE ROY MILLER, SON OF MRS.NOLA MILLER, 424 DIAMOND AVE., EVANSVILLE.
PFC.CLARENCE E.MYERS, SON OF MRS.ELIZABETH M.BUNCH, 1309 EAST 10TH ST., INDIANAPOLIS.
PFC.BOBBIE DEAN STEWART, SON OF MRS.MARY STEWART, 706 SOUTH UNION ST., ATTICA.
INJURED
CPL.CHARLES A.ECERTON, SON OF MRS.ROSE L.EGERTON, CORYDON.
PFC.KIRBY L.MCCREARY, SON OF MRS.LLOYD C.MCCREARY, RISING SUN.
IOWA
MISSING IN ACTION
PFC.DELBERT D.EMEHISER, SON OF MRS.MILDRED E.EMEHISER, ADEL.
KANSAS
MISSING IN ACTION
SGT.CLIFFORD M.REEVES, SON OF JESS E.REEVES, REPUBLIC.
KENTUCKY
WOUNDED
CPL.EDGAR C.HENRY, SON OF CLARENCE HENRY, WARSAW.
PVT.PAUL A.MALONEY, NEPHEW OF MRS.MAUDE S.CRAWFORD, 1026 BOONE ST., NEWPORT.
PFC.GEORGE B.TAYLOR, JR., SON OF MRS.OCIE TAYLOR, PINEVILLE.
CPL.SHERRILL J.TIMBERLAKE, SON OF MRS.ONIE TIMBERLAKE, WALSH.
INJURED
PVT.GEORGE R.PINSON, SON OF WILLIE PINSON, SIDNEY.
MICHIGAN
WOUNDED
PVT.SHERMAN L.ALLEN, SON OF MRS.AUDREY C.ALLEN, 1048 WALLEN AVE., GRAND RAPIDS.
PFC.FRANCIS J.CAMERON, JR., SON OF MRS.MARION CAMERON, 23518 GRAVE AVE., ST.CLARE SHORES.
PFC.WALTER DOWDY, JR., SON OF MRS.ORA LEE DOWDY, 242 WALNUT ST., BENTON HARBOR.
PFC.GEORGE O.INMAN, SON OF LEON E.INMAN, ROSE CITY.
CPL.RONALD D.MADERY, NEPHEW OF MRS.MARGARET KELLY, 843 HENRY AVE., S.E., GRAND RAPIDS.
PFC.JACKIE P.MILLER, SON OF MRS.ETHEL MARIE MILLER, 86 JEROME ST., YPSILANTI.
1ST LT.RAYMOND N.ROMANSKI, SON OF GEORGE A.RONANSKI, 829 WATSON ST., S.W., GRAND RAPIDS.
INJURED
PFC.GUSTAVUS BRAZWELL, SON OF MRS.IDELLA PULLEY, 63 OWEN ST., DETROIT.
MISSING IN ACTION
PVT.FRANK A.YOUNG, SON OF MRS.CLARIBELLE YOUNG, 620 CHEVROLET ST., FLINT.

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MINNESOTA
WOUNDED
CPL.WILLIAM D.FISKEWOLD, SON OF MRS.EDYTHE R.FISKEWOLD, BOX 107, PENGILLY.
SGT.1ST CLASS CLAYTON F.GORES, SON OF MRS.MARY C.GORES, 3429 CHICAGO AVENUE SOUTH, MINNEAPOLIS.
PFC.VERL V.HOLLINGSWORTH, BROTHER OF MRS.LARRY DOWLING, STAR ROUTE 1, PEQUOT LAKES.
PFC.JEROME ELTON RASMUSSEN, SON OF MRS.C.BRISTIAN RASMUSSEN, HOWARD LAKE.

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WOUNDED
2ND LT.JAMES T.EVITTS, JR., SON OF JAMES T.EVITTS, ROUTE 1, BOX 97, GORDONVILLE.
PVT.LLOYD W.WALLACE, SON OF MRS.ALTA WALLACE, ROUTE 2, HAMILTON.
INJURED
PFC.ROBERT LEE PENROD, SON OF LEE M.PENROD, GENERAL DELIVERY, JACKSON.
MISSING IN ACTION
CPL.EDWARD G.HAYS, BROTHER OF ROBERT L.HAYS, 903 WOODWARD ST., CHILLICOTHE.
MONTANA
WOUNDED
PFC.LORMAN BRUNO, SON OF MRS.VICTORIA BRUNO, GENERAL DELIVERY, CHOTEAU.
SGT.1ST CLASS DONALD R.RAWLINS, HUSBAND OF MRS.MARY RAWLINS, RESIDING IN FAR EAST COMMAND, SON OF ARTHUR A.RAWLINS, REX HOTEL, BILLINGS.
NEBRASKA
WOUNDED
PFC.DONALD CHARLES LUEDTKE, SON OF MRS.JENNIE LUEDTKE, ARCADIA.
INJURED
PFC.ALFRED W.LACEY, SON OF MRS.DELIA LACEY, 921 SECOND ST., FAIRBURY NEW JERSEY
WOUNDED
PFC.HARRY W.CARTER, SON OF MRS.ESTHER R.CARTER, RFD 5, BRIDGETON.
PFC.DAVID W.DOERR, SON OF MRS.LENA DOERR, 980 WHITE HORSE PIKE, ELWOOD.
PVT.THOMAS E.FARMER, SON OF JAMES FARMER, ST.MARYS HOSPITAL, HOBOKEN.
OHIO
WOUNDED
PVT.HAROLD BRUNNER, SON OF MRS.CLARA BRUNNER, 1463 ALLEN AVE., S.E., CANTON.
PFC. JACK N.CADARET, SON OF HARVEY L.CADARET, ROUTE 8, BOX 329 MCGREGOR LANE, TOLEDO.
PFC.WALLACE R.DENT, SON OF MRS.EITELLA DENT, 459 HAYZARD ST., HILLSBORO.
PFC.NORMAN M.ELLIS, SON OF MRS.IRENE HOLT, 630 EAST 107TH ST., CLEVELAND.
PFC.ROY JOHNSON, SON OF ELIHUE JOHNSON, 619 WEST 9TH AVE., MIDDLETOWN.

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PVT.NELSON L.KING, SON OF MRS.ELORA A.HARPHER, 435 JULIA ST., URBANA.
SGT.GEORGE A.LUTZ, HUSBAND OF MRS.CARMEN C.LUTZ, RESIDING IN FAR EAST COMMAND, SON OF MR.AND MRS.FRED G.LUTZ, 2537 DENNIS ST., CINCINNATI.
PVT.CALVIN LEROY MULL, SON OF MRS.ORPHIE E.MCCLELLAN, RFD 1, WOODVILLE.
PVT.ROBERT EUGENE NIEDERMIER, SON OF MRS.ROSALIN C.NIEDERMIER, 123 WEST GALEN ST., BUCYRUS.
PFC.JAMES A.NUHFER, SON OF MRS.MARY MAY NUHFER, ROUTE 2, BOX 60, ROLLAND.

PVT.ERNEST H.PARKS, JR., SON OF MRS.ERNEST RAYMOND PARKS, SR., ROUTE 4, DELAWARE.
PFC.HENRY J.RANDALL, GRANDSON OF MRS.LUCY LOWE, 614 SOUTH ERIE ST., TOLEDO.
PFC.MERLE T.STUTZMAN, SON OF MRS.ELMA STUTZMAN, RFD 1, AURORA.
PVT.ALBERT B.WEBB, SON OF ALFRED H.WEBB, 958 MAHONIG AVE., WARREN.
PFC.ROBERT A.YOUNG, SON OF MRS.FANNIE L.YOUNG, 906 SHORE AVE., SOUTHWEST, CANTON.
OKLAHOMA
WOUNDED
SGT.WAYNE C.ABERNATHY, HUSBAND OF MRS.COLLEEN ABERNATHY, 1110 EAST MAIN ST., SHAWNEE.
PVT.LAWRENCE O.BUSSEY, SON OF OLIVER L.BUSSEY, 11 HIGHLAND ST., SEMINOLS.
PVT.JACK V.CALHOUN, BROTHER OF MRS.JUANITA I.BERICK, RURAL ROUTE 2, ARAPAHO.
PVT.HENRY E.HOLT, SON OF MRS.MARY H.PRUITT, ROUTE 2, MANGUM.
CPL.VERNON C.THOMPSON, HUSBAND OF EVELYN THOMPSON, 1226 WEST ARKANSAS, DURANT.
MISSING IN ACTION
PFC.JAMES C.HARRIS, SON OF DORA LUVENIA HARRIS, ROUTE 3, CORDELL.
PENNSYLVANIA
WOUNDED
PFC.ANDREW BIGGINS, SON OF MRS.HELEN A.BIGGINS, BOX 105, WINBURNE.
M.SGT.CARL L.CLAWSON, BROTHER OF MRS.MARGARET SANDERSON, 744-7TH ST., PITCAIRN.
PVT.ERNEST R.DANIELS, GRANDSON OF MRS.BLANCH HOGARTH, 926 GARDEN ST., BRISTOL.
PFC.JOHN E.DEEMER, SON OF MRS.CLARETTA DEEMER, 1223 STOCK ST., PITTSBURGH.
SGT.JOHN M.EMMEL, NEPHEW OF MARY THERESA GOUDKOP, 2616 EMPHIS ST., PHILADELPHIA.
PVT.LESTER A.GREEN, SON OF MRS.MAMIE A.GREEN, RFD 2, WALNUT PORT.
PFC.RONALD J.HOYSON, SON OF MRS.JULIA HOYSON, 67 SIMON BLOCK, BUTTONWOOD WILKES BARRE.
PFC.JAMES W.JACKSON, SON OF MRS.ANNA GRANTHAM 644 BROAD ST., HARRISBURG.
PFC.J.J. E.KEPPEL, JR., SON OF JAMES E.KEPPEL, 421 SECOND AVE., CORRY.

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PVT.WILLIAM G.MOON, SON OF MRS.JENNIE M.T.MOON, 517 FRANKLIN ST., PHILADELPHIA.
PVT.HARRY F.ROTH, SON OF ELSIE SARAH ANNA ROTH, 242 SOUTH LEVAN ST., ALLENTOWN.
MISSING IN ACTION
PFC.PHILIP K.SESLER, SON OF THOMAS SESLER, RFD 1, SMOCK.
TEXAS
WOUNDED
PFC.LEONARD BARBER, JR., SON OF MRS.GENOEVA T.BARBER, GENERAL DELIVERY, STOCKDALE.
SGT.1ST CLASS FREDDIE V.BARDO, HUSBAND OF MRS.LILLIE MAY BARDO, 616 EAST AVE. F, ROBSTOWN.
PFC.J.L.BROWN, BROTHER OF NETTIE LAVERN BROWN, 1725 AVE. A, LUBBOCK.
PFC.DONALD F.EAGAN, NEPHEW OF CLAUDE RAWLINS EAGAN, 414 WEST 2ND ST., FT.WORTH.
1ST LT.CLIFTON F.VINCENT, SON OF JAMES W.VINCENT, SR., 2403 RUSSELL ST., HOUSTON.

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INJURED
PFC.FILOMENO D.FARIAS, SON OF FRANK A.FARIAS, 219 WEST AVE., NORTH SAN ANGELO.
PFC.JOHNNY M.MARTIN, SON OF MRS.NEALIE MARTIN, 118 JUAREZ ST., BEEVILLE.
PFC.WILLIAM TOQUINTO, BROTHER OF MRS.JOSIE CURZ, 112 NORTH HAMILTON, HOUSTON.
MISSING IN ACTION
PFC.ARTHUR Z.CLIFTON, SON OF MRS.AUDREY B.CLIFTON, RFD 1, BOX 553, SILSBEE.
PFC.LINO FARIAS, SON OF JESUS FARIAS, 824 SOUTH SEQUIN ST., NEW BRAUNSFELS.
PVT.TOMMY E.SHIVERS, SON OF EARLY A.SHIVERS, ROUTE 2, EMORY.
WASHINGTON
WOUNDED
PFC.THURMAN N.CLEMENT, HUSBAND OF MRS.BETTY M.CLEMENT, 231 TACOMA AVE., APARTMENT SIX, TACOMA.
M.SGT.DONALD LYNN PETTIT, HUSBAND OF MRS.MARGARET E.PETTIT, 8004 SOUTH TACOMA WAY, TACOMA.
INJURED
SGT.JAMES A.FOSDICK, GRANDSON OF MRS.BERT FOSDICK 6206 SOUTH WARNER ST., TACOMA.
MISSING IN ACTION
SGT.1ST CLASS EDWARD V.OWEN, SON OF MRS.LOUISE OWEN, POST OFFICE BOX 605, RENTON.

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WISCONSIN
WOUNDED
PFC.JOHN E.DODD, BROTHER OF MISS DORIS DODD, 1908 WISCONSIN AVE., SUPERIOR.
PFC.MARVIN D.JENSEN, SON OF NELS U.JENSEN, RURAL FREE DELIVERY TWO, WARRENS.
CPL.LYLE G.SWANTON, SON OF MR. & MRS.EARL G.SWANTON, 1313 TWENTY THIRD AVE., MONROE.
PFC.LEONARD F.ZAHORIK, SON OF MRS. ELEANOR SHAVLIK, ROUTE 1, WHITELAW.
MISSING IN ACTION
PVT.MUREL R.MOTT, SON OF MR. & MRS.MUREL ALLEN MOTT, RURAL FREE DELIVERY 1, NEILLSVILLE.
RETURNED TO MILITARY CONTROL
PFC.CHESTER A.STANCHIK, SON OF ADAM STANCHIK, ROUTE 3, BOX 274, STEVENS POINT. (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION.)
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME SUNDAY, AUG.6 --CAUTION, NOTE DATE--SENT AUG. 3)
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B12 CX (Q) (ASKT ONLY)
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CHICAGO, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE STORY OF HOW A "GREAT LITTLE GUY" FROM COLORADO SHIELDED WITH HIS OWN BODY A GROUP OF WOUNDED GI'S WAS TOLD TODAY BY THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.
A DISPATCH BY QUENTIN POPE FROM AN ADVANCED AMERICAN HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, DATED AUG. 2, SAID THE STORY WAS TOLD BY PVT. FRANK LOVORA OF MILWAUKEE.
LOVORA SAID: "MY AMBULANCE SECTION GOT A CALL TO PICK UP 200 WOUNDED MEN. I TOOK A JEEP AND A DRIVER, A 98-POUND BOY NAMED LORD MEDINA OF MONTE VISTA, COLO. WE DROVE FORWARD AND LOADED THE WOUNDED, THEN WE STARTED BACK.
"SUDDENLY WE CAME UNDER MACHINE GUN FIRE FROM A RICE FIELD. WE RAN

FOR IT. MEDINA GRABBED A CARBINE AND FIRED BACK.
"AS THE JEEP WHIZZED ALONG, BULLETS ZIPPED AROUND US. MEDINA WAS SHOT THROUGH THE BODY. BLOOD SPURTED OUT. HE JUMPED UP, YELLED 'KEEP GOING' TO ME, AND THREW HIMSELF ON TOP OF THE WOUNDED TO PROTECT THEM.
"THE REDS HIT A TIRE, AND THE JEEP TURNED OVER. A BURST HIT OUR GAS TANK. WE WERE PINNED IN A POOL OF GAS.
"I DUG MYSELF OUT AND FOUND BOTH MY LEGS WERE INJURED. I STARTED CRAWLING AND FINALLY REACHED A POINT WHERE I WAS ABLE TO SEND HELP.
"MEDINA WAS A GREAT LITTLE GUY. A FEW DAYS AGO HE GOT TWO WOUNDED MEN OUT OF THEIR FOX HOLES UNDER FIRE AND BROUGHT THEM BACK TO A LITTER SQUAD.
"THE LAST I SAW OF HIM HE WAS UNDER THE JEEP."
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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 3-(AP)-JOHN R. WILLIAMS, FIELD SUPERINTENDENT OF THE NEGRO NEWSPAPER CHICAGO DEFENDER, COMPLAINED TONIGHT THAT NEWSREELS OF AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA HAVE SLIGHTED NEGRO TROOPS FIGHTING THERE.
WILLIAMS, OF CHICAGO AND LOS ANGELES, SAID IN A STATEMENT "ON MOTION PICTURE SCREENS THROUGHOUT THE NATION X X X PICTURES OF WHITE U. S. A. FIGHTING MEN ARE SHOWN AND GLORIFIED ALMOST EXCLUSIVELY."
HE CALLED THIS A "BLUNDER ON THE PART OF U. S. A. NEWSREEL POWERS THAT BE."
"SUCH A CIRCUMSTANCE CERTAINLY SHOULD NOT BE AT A TIME LIKE THIS WHEN IT SHOULD BE 'UNITED WE AMERICANS STAND TO WIN; DIVIDED WE AMERICANS FALL TO JOE STALIN.'"
WILLIAMS SAID STALIN'S "STRATEGY OBVIOUSLY IS TO LET UNCLE SAM'S RACE PREJUDICE BECOME SO PERSISTENT AS TO HELP MAKE HIM (UNCLE SAM) VULNERABLE."
WILLIAMS CALLED ATTENTION TO THE HEROIC FIGHTING BY NEGRO TROOPS OF THE U. S. 24TH AND 25TH INFANTRY REGIMENTS IN KOREA, AND ALSO MENTIONED THE DEATH OF A NEGRO NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENT, ALBERT L. HINTON OF NORFOLK, VA.
HINTON, REPRESENTATIVE OF THE NEGRO NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHING ASSOCIATION DIED WITH THREE OTHER NEWSMEN IN A RECENT OCEAN CRASH OF A PLANE BOUND FOR KOREA.
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NEW YORK, AUG. 3-(AP)-FIVE OCEAN-GOING FREIGHTERS HAVE BEEN OFFERED FREE OF CHARGE BY THE JAPANESE MAIL LINE (NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA) TO THE UNITED NATIONS FOR USE IN THE KOREAN WAR.
OFFER OF THE SHIPS, NOW IN JAPANESE PORTS, WAS ANNOUNCED HERE YESTERDAY.
SHINSUKE ASAO, PRESIDENT OF THE SHIPPING LINE IN TOKYO, CABLED THE OFFER TO U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE.
U.N. OFFICIALS SAID INQUIRIES WERE BEING MADE TO DETERMINE THE TYPE AND CONDITION OF THE SHIPS.
THE OFFER WAS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN MADE WITH THE FINANCIAL BACKING OF SEVERAL NON-GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES IN JAPAN.
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AMS BUDGET (280)
NIGHT LEAD SALVATION ARMY
LONDON, AUG. 3-(AP)-COMMUNIST CZECHOSLOVAKIA WAS REPORTED TODAY TO HAVE HALTED THE WORK OF THE SALVATION ARMY IN THAT NATION, CONFISCATED ITS PROPERTY AND IMPRISONED AT LEAST TWO OFFICERS.
THE ARMY'S INTERNATIONAL HEADQUARTERS HDRE SAID IT HAS RECEIVED NO WORD DIRECTLY, BUT HEARD FROM OTHER SOURCES THAT THE ORGANIZATION WAS BANNED IN JUNE ON GROUNDS THAT ARMY WORKERS ENGAGED IN POLITICAL ACTIVITIES. THIS CHARGE WAS CHALLENGED IN A STATEMENT BY GEN. ALBERT ORSBORN, THE INTERNATIONAL CHIEF.
CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAS OUSTED A NUMBER OF FOREIGN MISSIONARIES--INCLUDING A SCORE OF AMERICAN MORMONS---IN RECENT MONTHS UNDER A LAW REQUIRING THAT ALL PRACTICING CLERGYMEN MUST BE CZECHS, SWEAR ALLEGIANCE TO THE GOVERNMENT AND RECEIVE THEIR PAY FROM THE STATE.
ALL THE SALVATION ARMY'S 30 OFFICERS AND 13 ASSISTANTS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA ARE CZECH CITIZENS. THEY SUPERVISED EIGHT EVANGELICAL BRANCHES AND THREE SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS. INTERNATIONAL HEADQUARTERS SAID "THERE MUST BE SOME HUNDREDS OF WORKERS."

"THEY WERE A SMALL GROUP, BUT EXCEPTIONALLY EFFICIENT AND ZEALOUS," COMMENTED LT. COL. HERBERT CLIPSON, THE LAST BRITISH SALVATION ARMY OFFICER TO SERVE IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.
THE NAMES OF THE IMPRISONED OFFICERS WERE NOT ANNOUNCED.
GEN. ORSBORN'S STATEMENT SAID:
"SPEAKING WITH FULL RESPONSIBILITY AS THE INTERNATIONAL LEADER OF THE SALVATION ARMY, I DENY THAT ANY SALVATION ARMY OFFICER IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAS BEEN ENGAGED IN ANY ACTION WHICH THE GOVERNMENT OF THAT COUNTRY COULD ACCURATELY DESCRIBE AS SUBVERSIVE.
"AS ALL INFORMED QUARTERS HAVE KNOWN FOR MANY YEARS, THE ARMY IS NON-POLITICAL AND ANY OFFICER SO MISGUIDED AS TO PARTICIPATE IN POLITICAL ACTIVITIES WOULD COME UNDER THE IMMEDIATE DISCIPLINE OF THE ARMY'S OWN REGULATIONS WITHOUT WAITING FOR ACTION BY ANY SECULAR AUTHORITY.
"THOUGH OUR PUBLIC WORK MUST CEASE FOR THE TIME BEING, THE SALVATION ARMY WILL NOT ACCEPT AS FINAL THE AUTHORITY OF A SECULAR GOVERNMENT TO FORBID SPIRITUAL WORK."
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PARIS, AUG 3-(AP)-DEFENSE MINISTER JULES MOCH SAID TONIGHT THERE WAS "NO QUESTION" OF FRANCE FURNISHING JUST INFANTRY AND NOTHING ELSE TO AN ATLANTIC DEFENSE FORCE.
MOCH, A SOCIALIST WHO TOOK THE POST ONLY LAST MONTH, SPOKE AT A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE REPUBLIC, SECOND HOUSE OF THE FRENCH PARLIAMENT. HE SAID:
"OUR ALLIES SHOULD UNDERSTAND THAT IF WE HAVE TO MAKE A MAXIMUM EFFORT THEY ARE NOT EXCUSED FROM A PARALLEL EFFORT. THERE IS NO QUESTION OF HAVING A FRENCH INFANTRY, A BRITISH NAVY AND AN AMERICAN AVIATION. EACH COUNTRY SHOULD PARTICIPATE IN EACH OF THESE ARMS."
MOCH DID NOT SPECIFICALLY ATTACK THE UNITED STATES' IDEA OF A "BALANCED FORCE" IN WHICH EACH NATION IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT WOULD CONTRIBUTE THE TYPE OF UNITS IT COULD BEST PROVIDE RATHER THAN TRY TO HAVE A ROUNDED MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT.
AMERICAN OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN PRESSING FOR ADOPTION OF THIS IDEA ON THE GROUNDS OF ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY. THEY SAY THAT IN THE COMMON INTEREST EACH WESTERN COUNTRY SHOULD SACRIFICE AS OUTMODED THE IDEA THAT IT MUST HAVE FORCES STRONG IN EVERY BRANCH OF THE SERVICE.
MOCH'S SPEECHAPPEARED TO INDICATE THAT THERE IS A DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE FRENCH AND AMERICAN IDEAS.
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Caux, Switzerland, Aug. 3--(AP)--Two former Communists told the annual assembly of the Moral Rearmament Movement today they had been expelled from the party because they had found an ideology superior to Communism.

John Reynolds, of Birmingham, Eng., recalled that he had stood on Lenin's tomb in Moscow with Stalin on the 10th anniversary of the Russian revolution and addressed a parade in Red Square.

"In moral rearmament I have found the true international," he declared.

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Reynolds, now a British trades union leader, told more than 1,000 persons attending the assembly that moral rearmament is "based on the deepest needs of the human heart."

Fritz Heske, chairman of the works council of the Zollverein Pit at Essen, Germany, said that moral rearment could unite men in this atomic age when class war must lead to world destruction." He said he had been a member of the Communist Party for 20 years, when he was converted to moral rearmament.

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NIGHT LEAD EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY (140)

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG 3-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTERS OR THEIR DEPUTIES FROM 13 COUNTRIES BEGAN DISCUSSIONS TODAY ON AN AGENDA FOR THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY'S SECOND SESSION WHICH OPENS HERE MONDAY.

THE MINISTERS' COMMITTEE AND THE ASSEMBLY FORM THE TWO HOUSES OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE--AN INTERNATIONAL BODY WHICH HAS SOME OF THE ATTRIBUTES OF A PARLIAMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONS OF THIS CONTINENT.

THE MINISTERS, UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF IRELAND'S SEIIO

THE ATTRIBUTES OF AQPARLIAMENO OF THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONS OF THIS CONTINENT.

THE MINISTERS, UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF IRELAND'S SEAN MACHRIDE, WILL WRITE THE KEYNOTE MESSAGE LISTING TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED IN THE ASSEMBLY'S FOUR-WEEK SESSION. RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY THE ASSEMBLY ARE RETURNED TO THE FOREIGN MINISTERS FOR TRANSMISSION TO THE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS.

TODAY THE MINISTERS ENDORSED AN ITALIAN PROPOSAL TO GUARANTEE THE CIVIL RIGHTS OF THE NATIONALS OF ONE COUNTRY RESIDENT IN ANOTHER. THE PROPOSAL WOULD BENEFIT NUMEROUS ITALIAN WORKERS IN FRANCE AND OTHER WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

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BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.3-(AP)-STATESMEN FROM THE FAR CORNERS OF DEMOCRATIC EUROPE MET HERE TODAY TO SET THE STAGE FOR THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY'S SECOND SESSION.

THE FOREIGN MINISTERS--OR THEIR DEPUTIES--FROM 13 COUNTRIES GATHERED TO DRAFT THE AGENDA FOR THE UNOFFICIAL EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT WHICH OPENS NEXT MONDAY.

THE MINISTERS, UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF IRELAND'S SEAN MACBRIDE, WILL WRITE THE KEYNOTE MESSAGE LISTING TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED IN THE ASSEMBLY'S FOUR-WEEK SESSION. RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY THE ASSEMBLY ARE RETURNED TO THE FOREIGN MINISTERS FOR TRANSMISSION TO THE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS.

THE ASSEMBLY IS SCHEDULED TO MEET IN A NEW HEADQUARTERS BUILDING CALLED THE PALACE OF EUROPE. HUNDREDS OF WORKMEN ARE RUSHING TO COMPLETE IT.

FRANCE'S REVOLUTIONARY PROPOSAL FOR A POOL OF WESTERN EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION--THE SCHUMAN PLAN--IS SURE OF A PLACE ON THE ASSEMBLY'S ORDER OF BUSINESS. THE ONLY QUESTION WAS WHETHER THE MINISTERS WOULD FORMALLY REQUEST THE ASSEMBLY'S ADVICE OR WAIT FOR THE ISSUE TO BE RAISED ON THE FLOOR.

FRANCE ALSO WANTS THE MINISTERS TO ASK THE ASSEMBLY'S VIEWS ON A PROPOSAL TO EXTEND THE IDEA TO OTHER BASIC INDUSTRIES.

ITALY'S COUNT CARLO SFORZA IS BACKING A MOVE TO GUARANTEE THE CIVIL RIGHTS OF THE NATIONALS OF ONE COUNTRY RESIDENT IN ANOTHER. THE STEP IS OBVIOUSLY INTENDED TO BENEFIT THE LARGE NUMBER OF ITALIANS LIVING AND WORKING IN FRANCE AND OTHER COUNTRIES.

IRELAND WANTS THE MINISTERS TO SUBMIT TWO PROPOSALS TO THE ASSEMBLY. ONE WOULD AVOID DOUBLE TAXATION OF EUROPEANS WORKING IN A COUNTRY OTHER THAN THEIR OWN. THE OTHER WOULD STANDARDIZE CIVIL COURT PROCEDURE.

THE MINISTERS WILL ALSO HAVE TO CONSIDER A THREE-POINT PROPOSAL FROM THE JOINT ASSEMBLY-MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE TO REINFORCE THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER:

1. EACH COUNTRY SHOULD APPOINT A MINISTER FOR EUROPEAN AFFAIRS.

2. ELIMINATION OF THE VETO IN THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS.
3. MACHINERY TO SUBMIT THE ASSEMBL'S RESOLUTIONS TO NATIONAL PARLIAMENTS REGARDLESS OF THE ATTITUDE OF THAT COUNTRY'S MINISTER.
THE MINISTERS WILL ALSO CONSIDER A NEW PROPOSAL FOR A PROJECTED EUROPEAN SUPREME COURT FOR POSSIBLE SUBMISSION TO THE ASSEMBLY.
MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS ARE BRITAIN, FRANCE, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS, LUXEMBOURG, NORWAY, SWEDEN, DENMARK, ITALY, IRELAND, TURKEY, GREECE AND ICELAND.
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PARIS, AUG.3-(AP)-HENRY PARKMAN, 56-YEAR-OLD BOSTON LAWYER, SOLDIER AND MILITARY GOVERNMENT EXPERT, TODAY BECAME THE MARSHALL PLAN'S BOSS FOR FRANCE.
PARKMAN, SUCCEEDING LOUISVILLE PUBLISHER BARRY BINGHAM AS CHIEF OF THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (ECA) MISSION TO FRANCE, WAS SWORN INTO OFFICE THIS MORNING. HE WILL HAVE THE DIPLOMATIC RANK OF MINISTER.
THE NEW CHIEF OF MISSION IS TO FLY TO WASHINGTON SATURDAY TO REPORT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON THE CONCLUSION OF [illegible]B AS UNITED STATES DELEGATE TO THE INTERNATIONAL RUHR AUTHOR. POSITION HE GAVE UP TO JOIN THE E.C.A. HE ALSO WILL CON[illegible]TH MARSHALL PLAN LEADERS IN WASHINGTON BEFORE RETURNING TO [illegible]S LATE IN AUGUST.
B.E.L.TIMMONS IS ACTING CHIEF OF MISSION IN FRANCE UNTIL PARKMAN RETURNS.
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ROME, AUG 3-(AP)-A SMALL HANDGRENADE WAS THROWN ON [illegible] ROOF OF A MOVIE THEATER TONIGHT WHILE THE FILM "KOREA IN FLAMES" WAS BEING SHOWN. NO CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED. IT WAS THE THI[illegible]ON ATTACK ON ROME MOVIE THEATERS IN THE LAST 10 DAYS.
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THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG.3-(AP)-THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TONIGHT PREPARATIONS FOR STAND-BY MOBILIZATION OF THREE DIVISIONS AND MEASURES TO SPEED UP DEFENSE PRODUCTION.
A COMMUNIQUE SAID THE GOVERNMENT DOES NOT INTEND TO CALL UP THESE DIVISIONS FOR ACTIVE SERVICE BUT "WOULD TAKE SUCH MEASURES SO AS TO BE ABLE TO MOBILIZE THEM ON SHORT NOTICE."
THE COMMUNIQUE SAID:
"THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT IS OF THE OPINION THAT THE NETHERLANDS, WITH THE OTHER COUNT
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ZTHE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT IS OF THE OPINION THAT THE NETHERLANDS, WITH THE OTHER COUNTRIES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY, WILL HAVE TO MAKE A GREATER EFFORT NOW THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION NECESSITATES A SPEEDIER BUILDING UP OF THE DEFENSE SYSTEM OF THE FREE WORLD."
FOR THIS REASON, IT ADEED, THE DUTCH BUDGET HAS BEEN REVISED.
MANPOWER FOR THE THREE DIVISIONS WILL BE OBTAINED FROM TROOPS WHO HAVE BEEN SUFFICIENTLY TRAINED DURING THE PAST FEW YEARS. ADDITIONAL ARMAMENTS REQUIRED WILL COME FROM THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT AGREEMENTS.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, THURSDAY, AUG. 3)
BY MICHAEL GOLDSMITH
(ADVANCE) GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 3-(AP)-WESTERN EUROPE'S DOLLAR DEFICIT IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1950 RAN 40 PER CENT BELOW THE RATE IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1949, THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE REPORTED TODAY.
THE COMMISSION'S QUARTERLY BULLETIN SAID THE IMPROVEMENT WAS DUE ALMOST ENTIRELY TO A DECLINE OF NEARLY ONE-THIRD IN EUROPEAN IMPORTATION OF GOODS FROM THE UNITED STATES.
THE DEFICIT OF WESTERN EUROPE'S BALANCE OF PAYMENT WITH THE UNITED STATES WAS RUNNING AT AN ANNUAL RATE OF $2,100,000,000 IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR.
THE VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES WAS DOWN TO $714,000,000 IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR, A REDUCTION OF $305,000,000 FROM THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1949.
SIMILAR CUTS WERE RECORDED IN WESTERN EUROPE'S IMPORTS FROM CANADA AND LATIN AMERICA. EUROPE'S IMPORTS FROM CANADA DROPPED BY NEARLY $100,000,000 TO A TOTAL OF $147,000,000 FROM THE LAST QUARTER OF 1949 TO THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1950. BUT EUROPE'S PURCHASES FROM LATIN AMERICA, ALTHOUGH CONSIDERABLY LOWER IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR THAN IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1949, WERE $25,000,000 ABOVE THE LOW LEVEL RECORDED IN THE LAST QUARTER OF 1949.
AT THE SAME TIME LATIN AMERICAN PURCHASES OF EUROPEAN GOODS, EXCEPT FROM GERMANY, WERE LOWER IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR THAN IN THE FOURTH QUARTER OF LAST YEAR.
"THE RESULT WAS," THE REPORT SAID, "THAT, EXCLUDING GERMANY, EUROPE'S TRADE POSITION WITH LATIN AMERICA, WHICH WAS IN APPROXIMATE BALANCE IN THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 1949, DETERIORATED GREATLY."
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 P.M. EST TODAY, THURSDAY, AUG. 3)
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STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, AUG.3-(AP)-PREMIER TAGE ERLANDER STATED FLATLY AGAIN TODAY THAT SWEDEN WILL NOT JOIN THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT.
THE PREMIER COMMENTED ON A LONDON REPORT THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL WAS CONSIDERING INVITING SWEDEN TO JOIN:
"I DO NOT BELIEVE WE WILL BE INVITED. BUT EVEN IF WE GET AN INVITATION, THIS WILL NOT CHANGE THE STAND WE HAVE TAKEN."
SOME OF SWEDEN'S LARGEST NEWSPAPERS NOW FAVOR PARTICIPATION IN THE PACT, CLAIMING THAT HER STRONG SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA HAD VIRTUALLY WIPED OUT THE LAST REMNANTS OF SWEDEN'S LONG-STANDING POLICY OF NEUTRALITY.
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B105 (Q IN) (320)
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COMMUNISTS
BY RICHARD KASISCHKE
BERLIN, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE GERMAN COMMUNIST "NATIONAL FRONT" ANNOUNCED PLANS TODAY FOR A NEW AND INTENSIFIED DRIVE TO FORCE THE WESTERN POWERS OUT OF BERLIN AND WEST GERMANY.
THE CAMPAIGN WAS PROCLAIMED IN THE COMMUNIST PRESS UNDER SUCH HEADLINES AS "OUT WITH THE WESTERN OCCUPIERS."

THE AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSION IN FRANKFURT TOLD WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST LEADERS TUESDAY THEY WOULD BE HELD PERSONALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY RED VIOLENCE OR SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES IN WEST GERMANY.

THE COMMUNISTS INDICATED THEIR HOPES OF DRIVING OUT THE WESTERN POWERS WERE BASED AT LEAST PARTLY ON WHAT THEY CALLED "THE COLLAPSE OF AMERICAN PRESTIGE IN KOREA."

THEY FIGURED THAT WEST BERLINERS, WHO STOOD UP THROUGH THE RUSSIAN BLOCKADE OF THIS CITY, NOW HAVE LOST FAITH IN THE WEST AND ARE RIPE FOR A COMMUNIST-INSPIRED REVOLT.

THE PARTY ORGAN, NEUES DEUTSCHLAND, SAID AMERICAN REVERSES IN KOREA HAD "OPENED THE EYES OF THE PEOPLE IN WEST BERLIN."

"THE TWILIGHT OF THE GODS FOR THE AMERICAN WAR MAKERS AND THEIR LACKEYS IS BEGINNING ALSO IN WEST BERLIN," IT SAID.

PLANS FOR THE ANTI-WEST DRIVE IN BERLIN WERE MADE AT A MEETING OF THE CITY COMMITTEE OF THE NATIONAL FRONT. THE MEMBERS WERE ORDERED TO CONDUCT MEMBERSHIP DRIVES IN ALL FACTORIES, IN THE STREETS AND HOMES.

"WE HAVE HAD SUCCESSES HERE IN BERLIN AND WE WILL MOVE ON TO GREATER SUCCESSES UNTIL WE ACHIEVE THE GOAL OF OUR NATIONAL RESISTANCE--THAT THE WESTERN OCCUPIERS VANISH FROM BERLIN," SAID HEINZ MAROHN, NATIONAL FRONT SECRETARY.

ERNST LANGUTH, ANOTHER FRONT OFFICIAL, CALLED FOR A SIMILAR REVOLT IN WEST GERMANY. HE URGED THE COMMUNIST "PEACE FIGHTERS" TO PRESS THE CAMPAIGN UNDER THIS SLOGAN:

"WE DON'T WANT TO SEE THE WESTERN OCCUPATION POWERS ON GERMAN SOIL ANY LONGER. WE WANT TO ESTABLISH REAL DEMOCRACY IN GERMANY."

THE COMMUNIST PRESS CONTINUED TO DRUM ON WHAT IT ALLEGED WERE ALLIED WAR PREPARATIONS IN WESTERN GERMANY. NEUES DEUTSCHLAND PUBLISHED A MAP WHICH PURPORTED TO DETAIL ROCKET-LAUNCHING SITES, MILITARY AIR BASES, TANK DEPOTS AND HUGE MUNITIONS CACHES IN THE WESTERN OCCUPIED ZONES.

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BERLIN, AUG 3-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST BOSS, WALTER ULBRICHT, THREATENED TONIGHT TO HAVE WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER TRIAL AS A TRAITOR IF THE COMMUNISTS TAKE OVER ALL OF GERMANY.

IN AN ADDRESS BEFORE A CONFERENCE OF BERLIN SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY OFFICIALS, ULBRICHT RIDICULED WEST GERMAN PROPOSALS TO MOVE THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT TO BERLIN FROM ITS PROVISIONAL SEAT AT BONN.

"WE ARE OF THE OPINION HERR ADENAUER WILL COME TO BERLIN ANYWAY," HE SAID. "BUT THE DURATION OF HIS STAY WILL BE DECIDED BY A GERMAN PEOPLE'S COURT--UNLESS AN AMERICAN PLANE TAKES HIM INTO EXILE IN SOUTH AMERICA IN TIME."

HE SAID THE COMMUNISTS WOULD "FIGHT WITH ALL THEIR STRENGTH" TO LIQUIDATE THE "NESTS OF WAR PROVOCATION (IN WEST GERMANY) AS IS HAPPENING NOW IN SOUTH KOREA." HE CALLED FOR:

1. "PEACE COMMITTEES" IN WEST BERLIN AND WEST GERMANY AS AN "ORGANIZED FORCE IN THE FIGHT FOR PEACE."
2. PARALYZING THROUGH STRIKES ALLEGED ARMS PRODUCTION IN WEST GERMANY.
3. A PLEDGE BY ALL "PEACE-LOVING" GERMANS "TO DEFEND THE (EAST) GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC AND TO FIGHT AT THE SIDE OF THE SOVIET UNION IN CASE OF AMERICAN IMPERIALIST AGGRESSION."

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BERLIN, AUG 3-(AP)-U.S. SENATOR HARRY P. CAIN (R-WASH) WILL VISIT BERLIN SUNDAY AND MONDAY AS PART OF A 30-DAY TOUR OF ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY, U.S. HEADQUARTERS HERE ANNOUNCED TODAY. SENATOR CAIN HOLDS THE RESERVE RANK OF COLONEL IN THE AIR FORCE.

AFTER CONFERENCES WITH U.S. MILITARY OFFICIALS HERE HE WILL DEPART FOR FRANKFURT IN THE U.S. OCCUPATION ZONE.

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A151 (260)
BY BRACK CURRY

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG 3-(AP)-THE U.S. ARMY HAS ORDERED 21,000 OF ITS GERMAN AND DISPLACED PERSONS' GUARDS TO RECEIVE SMALL ARMS TRAINING AND TO LIVE IN BARRACKS.

THIS WAS DISCLOSED TODAY BY ARMY OFFICIALS WHO SAID THAT MANY OF THE GUARDS ALREADY CARRY SMALL ARMS.

THE OFFICIALS SAID THE NEW ORDER HAS NO MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE AND RESULTED FROM THE MERGER OF THE ARMY'S "INDUSTRIAL POLICE" AND LABOR SERVICE COMPANIES. THIS TOOK PLACE ON AUG. 1 BUT NO OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE BY THE ARMY.

REPORTS OF THE MERGER APPEARED IN THE GERMAN PRESS' HOWEVER, AND TODAY THE COMMUNIST PRESS WAS IN FULL CRY ABOUT THE MERGER.

THE COMMUNISTS CHARGED THE GUARD GROUPS TOTAL 180,000 MEN BEING MOLDED INTO A WESTERN ARMY. THE COMMUNISTS MADE NO MENTION OF THE "PEOPLE POLICE" IN THE SOVIET ZONE, WHICH WESTERN AUTHORITIES SAY CONSTITUTES AN VLLEGAL ARMY OF UP TO 100,000.

TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU, IN BERLIN, ORGAN OF THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION, CALLED THE MERGER THE "REORGANIZATION OF THE AMERICAN ARMY OF MERCENARIES IN CONNECTION WITH THE GENERAL REORGANIZATION OF THE U.S. ARMY IN WESTERN EUROPE."

ARMY OFFICIALS SAID THE ARMY HAS PLANNED FOR ABOUT SIX MONTHS TO MERGE THE INDUSTRIAL POLICE AND LABOR SERVICE COMPANIES "IN THE INTEREST OF EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY."

THE INDUSTRIAL POLICE NUMBER ABOUT 8,000 MEN AND ARE 80 PER CENT GERMAN. THEY HAVE ALWAYS CARRIED SMALL ARMS AND LIVED IN THEIR HOMES. THE LABOR SERVICE COMPANIES CONSIST OF ABOUT 13,000 MEN. TWENTY PER CENT ARE GERMANS AND THE REMAINDER DISPLACED PERSONS. THEY HAVE LIVED IN BARRACKS AND MOST OF THEM HAVE NOT BEEN ARMED, ARMY OFFICIALS SAID.

BOTH UNITS HAVE BEEN USED BY THE ARMY TO GUARD SUPPLY DEPOTS AND FREIGHT YARDS AND TO PERFORM OTHER CHORES.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG. 3-(AP)-WESTERN GERMANY'S EXPORTS SET A POSTWAR RECORD DURING THE FIRST HALF OF 1950, AMERICAN OFFICIALS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

EXPORTS TOTALLED $778,400,000, OR 57.2 PER CENT ABOVE THE FIGURE FOR THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1949.

IMPORTS DURING THE FIRST HALF OF THIS YEAR TOTALED $1,118,000,000 -- ALMOST EXACTLY THE SAME AS FOR THE FIRST HALF OF 1949.

WESTERN GERMANY'S FOREIGN TRADE GAP DURING THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1950 AMOUNTED TO $339,600,000, COMPARED WITH $1,113,000,000 FOR THE FULL YEAR 1949.

THE "DOLLAR GAP" -- THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN WHAT THE GERMANS SELL TO AMERICA AND BUY THERE, TOTALED $185,400,000 DOLLARS DURING THE FIRST HALF OF 1950. THE AVERAGE MONTHLY "DOLLAR GAP" IS NOW 51 PER CENT

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UNDER THE 1949 FIGURE.
OFFICIALS SAID WEST GERMANY'S EXPORTS TO CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA AND TO EASTERN EUROPE WERE LARGER IN THE FIRST HALF OF 1950 THAN IN THE FULL 12 MONTHS OF 1949.
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FRANKFURT, AUG 3-(AP)-THE RESIGNATION OF RALPH NICHOLSON, DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS OF THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION, WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY. SHEPARD STONE, HIS DEPUTY, WAS APPOINTED TO SUCCEED HIM.
NICHOLSON WILL RESUME NEWSPAPER PUBLISHING IN THE UNITED STATES. HE IS A FORMER PUBLISHER OF THE NEW ORLEANS ITEM. STONE IS ON LEAVE OF ABSENCE FROM THE NEW YORK TIMES.
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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG 3-(AP)-AMERICAN OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES TODAY CLOSED DOWN A COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER HERE FOR PUBLISHING WHAT THEY CALLED "FALSE AND MALICIOUS MATERIAL" IN VIOLATION OF THE ALLIED PRESS LAW.
U.S. AUTHORITIES SAID THE PAPER, THE SOZIALISTISCHE VOLKSZEITUNG (SOCIALIST PEOPLE'S NEWSPAPER)--ONLY RED PAPER PUBLISHED IN THE STATE OF HESSE--HAD:
1. "MISREPRESENTED AN ALLIED WARNING TO COMMUNISTS NOT TO ATTEMPT TO CARRY OUT IN THE WESTERN ZONES (OF GERMANY) A POLICY OF ORGANIZED RESISTANCE FORMULATED AT A RECENT COMMUNIST CONGRESS IN BERLIN."
2. "PROMINENTLY CARRIED ON ITS FRONT PAGE A POSTER SPECIFICALLY PROHIBITED BY THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION JULY 31--THUS OPENLY FLUTING A DECISION OF THE (ALLIED) TRIPARTITE AUTHORITIES."
THE POSTER READS: "KOREA FOR THE KOREANS, GERMANY FOR THE GERMANS, AMI (AMERICANS) GO HOME."
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BREMERHAVEN, GERMANY, AUG.3-(AP)-BOTH THE PROSECUTION AND THE DEFENSE COMPLETED THEIR CASES TODAY IN THE TRIAL OF CPL. RAYMOND M. DEAN, 23, OF DAYTON, OHIO, CHARGED WITH THE PREMEDITATED MURDER OF A GERMAN WOMAN.
DEAN HAS PLEADED INNOCENT TO CHARGES HE KILLED MRS. ILSE JACHIMSKY, 36, WHOSE NUDE AND BATTERED BODY WAS FOUND IN A CORNFIELD NEAR HERE JUNE 7.
THE COURT IS EXPECTED TO GIVE A VERDICT IN THE CASE TOMORROW.
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MOSCOW, AUG.3-(AP)-TASS SAID TODAY THAT IF THE U.S. SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS THE CONVICTION OF 11 AMERICAN COMMUNIST LEADERS, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL WILL BEGIN "PERSECUTION" OF 12,000 COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERS AND SYMPATHIZERS IN AMERICA.
THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY SAID TUESDAY'S DECISION BY THE FEDERAL COURT OF APPEALS UPHOLDING THE CONVICTION OF THE 11 COMMUNISTS WAS EXPECTED IN VIEW OF "THE ATMOSPHERE OF WAR HYSTERIA AND GROWING FASCIST TENDENCIES IN THE U.S."
THE 11 COMMUNISTS WERE FOUND GUILTY IN OCTOBER, 1949, OF CONSPIRING TO ADVOCATE FORCIBLE OVERTHROW OF THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT.
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B19KX (SINO-MARINE STEWARDS) (Q)
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NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (240)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG.3-(AP)-THERE WAS SOME SPECULATION TODAY THAT THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS MIGHT DECIDE NOT TO DEFEND QUEMOY, TINY ISLAND JUST OFF THE MAINLAND OF RED CHINA.
NATIONALIST SPOKESMEN MADE NO COMMENT, BUT SOME QUARTERS REASONED THAT THE COST OF DEFENDING 50-SQUARE-MILE QUEMOY WOULD BE MORE THAN IT WAS WORTH.
ONE HUNDRED MILES WEST OF FORMOSA, QUEMOY HAS BEEN SHELLED REPEATEDLY BY THE REDS, AND THE NATIONALISTS HAVE FORECAST AN IMMINENT COMMUNIST ATTACK UPON IT. IF THE NATIONALISTS DO ABANDON IT, THEY ARE LIKELY TO SAY NOTHING ABOUT IT UNTIL IT IS OVER, AS THEY DID IN QUITTING THE CHUSAN ISLANDS LAST MAY.
THE QUESTION OF QUEMOY UNDOUBTEDLY WAS DISCUSSED WHEN GENERAL MACARTHUR VISITED FORMOSA JULY 31 TO TALK OVER FORMOSA DEFENSE PLANS WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK.
MACARTHUR'S VISIT ALSO GAVE RISE TO BELIEF THAT HE WOULD SEND U.S. PLANES TO THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA IF THE REDS START TO MOVE TOWARD AN INVASION.
THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET NOW IS PATROLLING THE FORMOSA STRAIT, WHICH SEPARATES THE CHINESE MAINLAND AND FORMOSA, TO DISCOURAGE A RED CROSSING.
IN THE MEANTIME, NATIONALIST PLANES WERE DISPATCHED TODAY FOR THE SECOND CONSECUTIVE DAY FOR UNANNOUNCED DESTINATIONS.
PRESUMABLY THEY LEFT TO BOMB CHINESE COMMUNIST SMALL CRAFT POISED ALONG THE MAINLAND FOR A POSSIBLE INVASION THRUST AT QUEMOY.
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FIRST LEAD (220)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 3-(AP)-THERE WAS SPECULATION TODAY THAT THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS MAY ABANDON THEIR PLANS TO DEFEND THE ISLAND OF QUEMOY FROM RED ATTACK.
THE STATUS OF QUEMOY WAS NO DOUBT DISCUSSED WHEN GENERAL MACARTHUR FLEW HERE JULY 31 FROM TOKYO TO DISCUSS DEFENSE PLANS WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-CHEK, BUT NATIONALIST AUTHORITIES ARE NOT VENTURING ANY COMMENT.
QUEMOY IS JUST OFF THE RED CHINA MAINLAND AND APPROXIMATELY 100 MILES WEST OF FORMOSA, NATIONALIST STRONGHOLD.
FOREIGN OBSERVERS HERE TAKE THE VIEW THAT THE STATUS OF QUEMOY AS A DEFENSE OUTPOST HAS CHANGED COMPLETELY SINCE PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASSIGNED THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET TO PROTECT FORMOSA.
UNLESS QUEMOY IS INTENDED AS A BASE FOR AN INVASION OF THE MAINLAND BY THE NATIONALISTS, THEY THINK IT WOULD BE UNWISE TO SACRIFICE THOUSAND OF CHIANG'S BEST TROOPS IN WHAT THEY BELIEVE WOULD BROBABLY BE A VAIN ATTEMPT TO HOLD THE ISLAND IF THE REDS LAUNCH AN ALL-OUT ASSAULT.
BEFORE MACARTHUR VISITED TAIPEI, THE NATIONALISTS WERE LOUD IN ASSERTIONS THEY WOULD BE ABLE TO SMASH ANY RED ATTEMPT TO TAKE QUEMOY. IN FACT, THEY TOOK REPORTERS ALONG LAST WEEK TO CONVINCE THE NEWSMEN THEY WERE READY AND EAGER FOR BATTLE.
HOWEVER, SINCE MACARTHUR'S VISIT, PRACTICALLY NOTHING HAS BEEN

SAID ABOUT QUEMOY.
THERE HAS BEEN NO EXPLANATION FOR INCREASED NATIONALIST AIR ACTIVITY YESTERDAY AND TODAY. THIS MIGHT SUGGEST THAT THE NATIONALISTS ARE ATTACKING CRAFT THAT MIGHT BE POISED FOR INVASION THRUSTS AT QUEMOY OR EVEN FORMOSA.

PRESUMABLY THEY ARE RAIDING CHINESE COMMUNIST CONCENTRATIONS ON THE MAINLAND WHICH THREATEN TO INVADE QUEMOY. QUEMOY IS A NATIONALIST ISLAND JUST OFF THE COMMUNIST PORT OF AMOY ON THE CHINA SIDE OF FORMOSA STRAIT.

NATIONALISTS RESUMED THEIR AIR ACTIVITY YESTERDAY, SHORTLY AFTER GENERAL MACARTHUR ENDED CONFERENCES WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK ON THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA. THE PLANES HAD BEEN IDLE SINCE THE START OF THE KOREAN WAR AT THE REQUEST OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

THERE WAS MUCH SPECULATION IN THIS NATIONALIST CAPITAL THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR WILL SEND AMERICAN PLANES TO FORMOSA TO HELP GUARD AGAINST THE POSSIBILITY OF A COMMUNIST INVASION. THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET IS PATROLING FORMOSA STRAIT TO PREVENT A RED CROSSING.

V.K. WELLINGTON KOO, NATIONALIST CHINA'S AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON WHO IS HERE FOR CONSULTATION, SAID MACARTHUR'S VISIT TO TAIPEI WAS A POSSIBLE STEP TOWARD ENDING THE NEUTRALIZATION OF FORMOSA WHICH PRESIDENT TRUMAN REQUESTED JUNE 27.

THE AMBASSADOR SAID THE GENERAL'S CONSULTATION WITH CHIANG WAS BOUND TO HAVE A STIMULATING EFFECT ON ALL ASIAN NATIONS THREATENED BY COMMUNISM.

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TOKYO, AUG. 3-(AP)-JAPANESE PUBLISHERS HAVE ACTED IN AGREEMENT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S VIEWS IN FIRING COMMUNISTS AND SUSPECTED COMMUNISTS FROM THEIR STAFFS, HIS TOP CIVIL INFORMATION OFFICER SAID TODAY.

LT.COL.D.R.NUGENT ISSUED A STATEMENT CALLING THE DISCHARGES TIMELY AND COURAGEOUS."

PUBLISHERS DISCHARGED 341 IN THE PURGE, THE JAPAN EDITORS AND PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION REPORTED. ANOTHER 106 EMPLOYES WERE DISMISSED BY JAPAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION.

NUGENT NOTED THE PUBLISHERS' ACTION FOLLOWED A MID-JULY WARNING FROM MACARTHUR TO PRIME MINISTER SIGERU YOSHIDA THAT THERE WAS "A DISTINCT" DANGER IN THE USE BY COMMUNISM OF THE MEDIA OF PUBLIC INFORMATION TO PROPAGATE ITS TENETS OF SUBVERSION AND VIOLENCE."

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NIGHT LEAD WESTERLING

SINGAPORE, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT'S REQUEST FOR THE EXTRADITION OF CAPT.R.P.P. (TURK) WESTERLING WAS DENIED TODAY BY THE SUPREME COURT.

THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA HAD SOUGHT WESTERLING FOR TRIAL ON CHARGES OF MURDER, ROBBERY AND ARSON DURING A SHORT-LIVED REBELLION HE LED LAST JANUARY AT BANDOENG.

WESTERLING, A FORMER COMMANDO OFFICER IN THE DUTCH ARMY, HAD LISTENED WITH A BORED EXPRESSION TO LEGAL PROCEDURE FOR TWO DAYS. HE GRINNED BROADLY WHEN THE COURT RULED HE COULD NOT BE RETURNED TO INDONESIA.

WHEN ASKED ABOUT HIS FUTURE PLANS, WESTERLING SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHERE HE WOULD GO--"PROBABLY TO HOLLAND."

WESTERLING FLED TO SINGAPORE WHEN HIS "ARMY OF THE HEAVENLY HOST" FAILED IN THE JAVA REVOLT. HE HAD NO PASSPORT OR VISA AND WAS CONVICTED OF ILLEGAL ENTRY. HE WAS ALSO CONVICTED LATER OF ASSAULING AN INDONESIAN CELLMATE.

HE SERVED A TOTAL OF 40 DAYS AND THEN WAS HELD BY THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT FOR ACTION ON THE EXTRADITION REQUEST.

POLICE SAID WESTERLING WILL NOT BE RELEASED IN SINGAPORE AND ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE MADE FOR HIS DEPORTATION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

WESTERLING WAS THE DUTCH ARMY'S TOUGH GUY IN INDONESIA FOR MONTHS UNTIL PROTESTS BY DUTCH CIVIL OFFICIALS LED TO HIS DISCHARGE FROM THE ARMY.

WESTERLING NEVER WOULD GIVE DETAILS OF HIS BACKGROUND. OFFICER FRIENDS SAID HE WAS HALF DUTCH, HALF TURKISH, AND THAT HE WAS A MOSLEM. HE USED TERRORISTIC METHODS AND WAS IN FREQUENT CONFLICTS WITH THE ARMY ABOUT THE WAY HE SUPPRESSED REPUBLICAN GUERRILLAS.

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SINGAPORE, AUG.3-(AP)-THE SUPREME COURT RULED TODAY THAT CAPT. R.P.P. "TURK" WESTERLING, JAVA REBEL LEADER, CANNOT BE EXTRADITED TO INDONESIA.

INDONESIA HAD CHARGED WESTERLING WITH MURDER, ROBBERY AND ARSON AND HAD ASKED SINGAPORE TO SEND HIM BACK FOR TRIAL IN CONNECTION WITH AN ABORTIVE REVOLT HE LED AGAINST THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT LAST JANUARY.

FOR TWO DAYS THE FORMER DUTCH ARMY OFFICER HAD LISTENED WITH A BORED EXPRESSION TO THE LEGAL ARGUMENTS. HE SMILED BROADLY WHEN THE COURT ANNOUNCED THE DECISION.

ASKED WHERE HE INTENDED TO GO WHEN FREED, WESTERLING SAID "I REALLY DON'T KNOW--PROBABLY TO HOLLAND."

WESTERLING WAS ARRESTED HERE IN FEBRUARY WHEN HE FLED INDONESIA AFTER A REVOLT BY HIS "ARMY OF THE HEAVENLY HOST" COLLAPSED. HE WAS CONVICTED OF ILLEGAL ENTRY AND LATER OF ASSAULT ON HIS INDONESIAN ROOM-MATE IN THE CELL WHERE HE WAS FIRST CONFINED.

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SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG. 3-(AP)-RED CHINA IS TRAINING AT LEAST 10,000 INDOCHINESE GUERRILLAS FOR HO CHI MINH'S COMMUNIST-LED ANTI-FRENCH FORCES, OFFICIAL FRENCH SOURCES REPORT.

THIS IS COMMUNIST CHINA'S FIRST LARGE-SCALE AID TO THE MOSCOW-RECOGNIZED VIET MINH REGIME, THE SOURCES SAID.

THEY REPORTED THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE SET UP TRAINING CAMPS AT WENSHAN, TCHENNGAN AND TUNGHING--ALL NEAR THE NORTH INDO-CHINESE FRONTIER. THE CAMPS ARE USED NOT ONLY TO DRILL AND EQUIP RAW RECRUITS, BUT TO GIVE ADVANCED COMMANDO TRAINING TO HO'S MEN.

HO'S TROOPS HAVE BEEN WAGING GUERRILLA WARFARE AGAINST FRENCH FORCES AND TROOPS OF THE FRENCH-BACKED BAO DAI GOVERNMENT FOR FIVE YEARS.

MOST OBSERVERS HERE BELIEVE THE CHINESE REDS WILL LIMIT THEIR AID TO SUCH TRAINING CAMPS AND TO THE SMUGGLING OF ARMS ACROSS THE FRONTIER. THEY DO NOT ANTICIPATE ANY INVASION BY COMMUNIST CHINESE TROOPS TO SUPPORT THE INDOCHINESE GUERRILLAS.

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FIRST LEAD SUB SIGHTING (A59)

CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, AUG.3-(AP)-NAVY MINISTER JOSIAH FRANCIS TODAY "EMPHATICALLY DENIED" REPORTS THAT FOREIGN SUBMARINES HAD BEEN SIGHTED OFF THE AUSTRALIAN COAST.

THE SYDNEY SUN PUBLISHED SUCH A REPORT, ATTRIBUTED TO "OFFICIAL" SOURCES, AND SAID IT WAS POSSIBLE THE SUBMARINES WERE RUSSIAN.

A STATEMENT FROM FRANCIS SAID NEW GUINEA CIVILIANS EARLY IN MAY REPORTED TWICE THEY SIGHTED WHAT THEY THOUGHT WERE SUBMARINES, "BUT AFTER INVESTIGATIONS THE CLAIM WAS NOT CONFIRMED."

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REPORTS OF THE SIGHTING OF AN UNIDENTIFIED SUBMARINE ALSO CROPPED UP IN NEW ZEALAND. THE NAVAL BOARD AT WELLINGTON SAID IT WAS INVESTIGATING REPORTS THAT A SUB HAD BEEN SEEN OFF NEW ZEALAND'S WEST COAST.

SIMILAR REPORTS OF POSSIBLE SOVIET SUBMARINE ACTIVITY CAME FROM CANADA ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO, BUT A CANADIAN NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID IN OTTAWA THAT AN INVESTIGATION UNCOVERED NO CONCLUSIVE PROOF A FOREIGN SUBMARINE WAS OPERATING OFF THAT COUNTRY'S EAST COAST.

(IN MOSCOW TODAY THE SOVIET FOREIGN AFFAIRS PUBLICATION NEW TIMES RIDICULED THE CANADIAN REPORTS, SAYING THE SUBMARINES "SHOULD BE SOUGHT NOT IN THE OCEAN BUT IN THE INKWELLS OF CANADIAN NEWSPAPER LIARS.")

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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA,AUG.3-(AP)-THE SYDNEY SUN SAID TODAY IT HAS BEEN DISCLOSED "OFFICIALLY" THAT FOREIGN SUBMARINES HAVE BEEN OPERATING OFF AUSTRALIA'S COAST IN RECENT MONTHS.

THE NEWSPAPER SAID AUSTRALIAN AUTHORITIES HAVE NOT DISCLOSED THEIR NATIONALITY, BUT ADDED IT IS POSSIBLE THEY ARE RUSSIAN SUBS BASED IN VLADIVOSTOK.

THE SUN SAID REPORTS OF THE SUBS' PRESENCE, FIRST DISCLOSED BY COASTAL FISHERMEN, HAD HASTENED AUSTRALIA'S DECISION TO BUILD SIX NEW 2,000-TON ANTI-SUBMARINES FRIGATES.

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HALIFAX, N.S., AUG 3-(AP)-THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY SID TODAY IT HAD RECEIVED ANOTHER REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED SUBMARINE--THIS TIME RUNNIN ON THE SURFACE WITHOUT LIGHTS OFF THE COAST OF NOVA SCOTIA.

THE REPORT CAME FROM THE SKIPPER OF A CANADIAN COASTAL VESSEL WHO SAID HE AND TWO CREWMEN HAD SEEN THE UB LAST TUESDAY NIGHT.

EARLIER TODAY A NAVAL OFFICIAL IN OTTAWA SAID THE NAVY IS CONVICED THAT AT LEAST ONE SOVIET SUBMARINE HAS BEEN OPERATING OFF CANADA'S ATLANTIC COAST.

NUMEROUS REPORTS OF SUB-SIGHTINGS HAVE COME IN FROM SEVERAL POINTS. SOME OF THEM HAVE BEEN DISCOUNTED. MOSCOW HAS RIDICULED THE IDEA THAT ANY OF HER SUBS MIGHT BE OPERATING IN THE AREA.

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NIGHT LEAD HARRIMAN (425)

WASHINGTON,AUG 3-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT HIS SPECIAL ASSISTANT ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, WILL LEAVE TOMORROW FOR THE FAR EAST TO CONFER WITH GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR.

MR.TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THEY WILL DISCUSS FAR EASTERN POLITICAL QUESTIONS BUT HE DECLINED TO BE SPECIFIC.

HE DID NOT RULE OUT DISCUSSION OF AN EARLY JAPANESE PEACE TREATY. IT ALSO APPEARED OBVIOUS THAT ALL ASPECTS OF THE KOREAN CRISIS WILL BE EXPLORED BY HARRIMAN WITH MACARTHUR.

HARRIMAN, THE PRESIDENT SAID, WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY LT.GEN.LAURIS NORSTAD, DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE AIR FORCE, AND MAJ.GEN.FRANK B. LOWE, RETIRED. LOWE WAS EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE TRUMAN WAR INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE DURING THE LAST WAR.

A FORMER AMBASSADOR OF THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM WITH HEADQUARTERS IN PARIS, HARRIMAN BECAME SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT LITTLE MORE THAN A MONTH AGO. HIS TASK IS TO AID MR.TRUMAN IN MAKING FINAL DECISIONS ON BROAD POLICY QUESTIONS EVOLVED JOINTLY BY THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS AND OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES WITH OVERLAPPING INTERESTS.

AS BACKGROUND FOR THIS WORK, HARRIMAN HAS SERVED IN EUROPE IN VARIOUS DIPLOMATIC POSTS INCLUDING THAT OF AMBASSADOR TO RUSSIA, BUT HE HAS HAD VIRTUALLY NO EXPERIENCE IN THE FAR EAST.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD, THEREFORE, THAT HIS PURPOSE IN VISITING MACARTHUR IS TO GET FIRST HAND INFORMATION ON CONDITIONS IN THAT TROUBLED SECTION OF THE WORLD AS WELL AS MACARTHUR'S IDEAS ON WHAT OUGHT TO BE DONE.

ASKED WHETHER HARRIMAN WOULD TAKE UP THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY WITH MACARTHUR, THE PRESIDENT REPLIED HE WOULD NOT GO INTO DETAIL AND COULD SAY ONLY THAT THEIR DISCUSSIONS WOULD COVER POLITICAL MATTERS THAT AFFECT THE FAR EAST.

THE PEACE TREATY IS ONE SUCH MATTER UNDER ACTIVE CONSIDERATION IN THE DEFENSE AND STATE DEPARTMENTS. BEFORE THE KOREAN WAR BROKE OUT IT WAS THE MAIN SUBJECT OF TOKYO CONFERENCES BETWEEN MACARTHUR AND SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON AND JOHN FOSTER DULLES, REPUBLICAN ADVISOR IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS NOW APPEAR CONFIDENT THAT SOMETIME SOON THE UNITED STATES WILL GO FORWARD WITH PLANS TO MAKE A PEACE SETTLEMENT BETWEEN JAPAN AND ALL THE WORLD WAR II ALLIES WILLING TO COOPERATE ON A "REASONABLE" BASIS. AUTHORITIES BELIEVE RUSSIA WILL NOT AGREE TO THE PLAN.

OTHER QUESTIONS OF GREAT INTEREST ARE WHAT FINAL POLICIES THE UNITED STATES SHOULD ADOPT TOWARD A SETTLEMENT IN KOREA--ASSUMING THE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IS OVERCOME--AND TOWARD FORMOSA, CHAING KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST CHINA STRONGHOLD.

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AT PRESENT THE UNITED STATES IS DETERMINED TO PREVENT FORMOSA FROM FALLING TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS BUT MR.TRUMAN HAS NEVER DECLARED WHAT THIS GOVERNMENT THINKS ITS FINAL STATUS SHOULD BE.

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NIGHT LEAD SPAIN

WASHINGTON,AUG 3-(AP)-THE SENATE REFUSED TONIGHT TO RECONSIDER ITS VOTE FOR A MANDATORY $100,000,000 LOAN TO FRANCO SPAIN, ALTHOUGH PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID HE DOESN'T APPROVE.

SENATOR KILGORE (D-WVA) TRIED TO GET THE SENATE TO REVERSE ITS EARLIER DECISION BUT INSTEAD THE SENATORS VOTED, 65 TO 15, TO TABLE HIS MOTION TO RECONSIDER.

THE LOAN WAS WRITTEN INTO THE HUGE $35,000,000,000 (B) APPROPRIATIONS BILL TUESDAY.

YESTERDAY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON SAID HE DIDN'T APPROVE OF IT.

TODAY MR.TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT PUTTING A LOAN PROVISION INTO AN APPROPRIATIONS BILL IS NO WAY TO HANDLE THE PROBLEM. HE SAID HE HOPED THE SENATE WOULD KNOCK IT OUT.

MR.TRUMAN'S OBJECTIONS WERE ALMOST IDENTICAL WITH THE ONES ACHESON EXPRESSED YESTERDAY. HE SAID THAT IF SPAIN WANTS A LOAN, IT SHOULD GO TO THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK. IF IT HAS THE COLLATERAL, SPAIN WILL GET THE LOAN, THE PRESIDENT SAID.

THE HOUSE STILL HAS TO ACT ON THE SPANISH LOAN AMENDMENT.

IN A BRISTLING SPEECH OBVIOUSLY DIRECTED AT PRESIDENT TRU CRITICISM OF THE SENATE'S APPROVAL OF THE LOAN PROVISION, SE LUCAS OF ILLINOIS, THE DEMOCRATIC LEADER, TOLD HIS COLLEAGUE ACTION SAVED THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) $1

000 (M) IN ITS FUNDS.
SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV) HAD MOVED TO EARMARK THAT AMOUNT OF ECA FUNDS FOR THE LOAN TO SPAIN. HOWEVER, THE SENATE ADOPTED AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO) DIRECTING THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK TO MAKE THE LOAN, FINANCED BY TREASURY NOTES.
"I KNEW EXACTLY WHAT I WAS DOING WHEN THAT COMPROMISE WAS MADE," LUCAS SHOUTED. "SENATOR MCCARRAN HAD THE VOTES TO TAKE $100,000,000 (M) AWAY FROM THE ECA.
"YOU FELLOWS WHO HAVE BEEN SO EXCITED ABOUT THIS SITUATION WOULD HAVE WOUND UP THE SAME WAY, WITH A LOAN TO SPAIN, EXCEPT THAT ECA WOULD HAVE BEEN $100,000,000 (M) SHORT."
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ASSERTING THAT THE SENATE DEMOCRATIC POLICY COMMITTEE HAD APPROVED THE COMPROMISE, LUCAS DECLARED:
"I THINK IT WAS A GOOD DEAL AND I DON'T CARE WHAT ANY SENATOR OR ANYBODY ELSE THINKS ABOUT IT. THAT MOVE SAVED THE ECA $100,000,000 AND I DON'T CARE WHAT THE ECA OR ANYBODY ELSE DOWNTOWN SAYS."
THIS LATTER WAS SO OBVIOUSLY A REFERENCE TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S STATEMENT THAT REPUBLICANS CHUCKLED IN GLEE.
LUCAS VOTED WITH THE MAJORITY AND AGAINST THE PRESIDENT.
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NIGHT LEAD APPROPRIATIONS (450)
BY FRANCIS J.KELLY
WASHINGTON,AUG 3-(AP)-THE SENATE VOTED TODAY TO HACK ABOUT $525,000,000 OFF THIS YEAR'S GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATION BILL, BUT IT EXEMPTED MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS AS WELL AS THE MILITARY BUDGET FROM THE 10 PERCENT CUT.
THE ECONOMY MOVE, WITH BROAD BACKING FROM MEMBERS OF BOTH PARTIES, WAS APPROVED 55 TO 31.
LARGE AS THE CUT IS, IT REPRESENTS ONLY ABOUT 1 1/2 PERCENT OF THE HUGE BILL, STILL TOTALLING MORE THAN $34,000,000,000.
THE HOUSE WILL HAVE TO PASS UPON THE PROPOSED REDUCTION, TOO, AFTER THE SENATE COMPLETES ACTION ON THE BILL.
MORE THAN 30 SENATORS, MEMBERS OF BOTH PARTIES, SPONSORED THE CUT. SENATORS BRIDGES (R-NH) AND BYRD (D-VA) LED THE DRIVE FOR ITS ADOPTION.
THE 10 PERCENT REDUCTION WOULD APPLY TO MOST ITEMS IN THE GOVERNMENT'S BUDGET, EXCEPT FUNDS FOR THE MILITARY AND FOR ECONOMIC AID FOR FOREIGN NATIONS.
THE MILITARY FUND EXEMPTION WAS WRITTEN INTO THE ORIGINAL DRAFT OF THE AMENDMENT. THE FOREIGN ECONOMIC AID FUNDS WERE KEPT INTACT BY A VOTE OF 45 TO 40. THE BILL CONTAINS $2,450,000,000 IN NEW MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS, PLUS A $276,761,473 CARRYOVER FROM LAST YEAR'S APPROPRIATION.
THE SENATE, HOWEVER, REJECTED BY A VOTE OF 46 TO 39 AN AMENDMENT WHICH WOULD HAVE GIVEN A SIMILAR EXEMPTION TO THE $26,000,000 SET UP FOR THE START OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "POINT FOUR" PROGRAM, AIMED AT HELPING ECONOMICALLY UNDEVELOPED AREAS OF THE WORLD.
ADVOCATES OF THE BIG ECONOMY CUT ARGUED THAT NON-ESSENTIAL FEDERAL SPENDING MUST BE CLIPPED SO THAT MORE MONEY, MEN AND MATERIAL CAN BE PROVIDED TO BEAT BACK COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN KOREA AND TO MEET

SIMILAR THREATS ELSEWHERE.
ON THE SHOWDOWN, 36 REPUBLICANS AND 19 DEMOCRATS LINED UP FOR THE CUT. AGAINST IT WERE 29 DEMOCRATS AND ONLY TWO REPUBLICANS--LANGER AND YOUNG, BOTH OF NORTH DAKOTA.
A LAST MOMENT ATTEMPT BY SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO) TO SIDETRACK THE BYRD-BRIDGES AMENDMENT FAILED, 60 TO 25.
O'MAHONEY PROPOSED AS A SUBSTITUTE THAT THE SENATE AND HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEES BE DIRECTED TO SCREEN THE FUNDS VOTED BY CONGRESS AND REPORT BY THE END OF THE MONTH WHERE SAVINGS COULD BE MADE WITHOUT IMPAIRING NATIONAL DEFENSE.
SENATOR LUCAS OF ILLINOIS, THE MAJORITY LEADER, CALLED THE PERCENTAGE CUT A "MEAT AX" REDUCTION AND VOTED AGAINST IT, ALONG WITH MANY ANOTHER ADMINISTRATION WHEELHORSE. LINED UP IN FAVOR OF THE AMENDMENT, HOWEVER, WERE A NUMBER OF SENATORS WHO USUALLY VOTE WITH THE ADMINISTRATION, INCLUDING CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE AND CHAIRMAN MCMAHON (D-CONN) OF THE JOINT ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE.
THE SENATE EARLIER HAD BEATEN A COUPLE OF AMENDMENTS WHICH WOULD HAVE ADDED $82,000,000 TO THE BILL. ONE OF THEM WOULD HAVE UPPED THE OUTLAY FOR HEALTH FIGHTS AGAINST CANCER, HEART DISEASE, MENTAL AND DENTAL DISEASES BY $64,000,000. THE OTHER WOULD HAVE GIVEN THE MARITIME COMMISSION $18,000,000 TO REPAIR LAID-UP SHIPS.
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NIGHT LEAD TRUMAN-ROUNDUP (580)
BY D.HAROLD OLIVER
WASHINGTON, AUG. 3-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN PUT KOREAN POLICY CRITICS EMPHATICALLY ON NOTICE TODAY THAT AS LONG AS HE IS PRESIDENT, SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON AND SECRETARY OF DEFENSE LOUIS JOHNSON WILL STAY IN THE CABINET.
HIS STERN COMMENT CAME IN REPLY TO A NEWS CONFERENCE QUESTION. A REPORTER STATED THAT REP.PRIEST, OF TENNESSEE, HOUSE DEMOCRATIC WHIP, HAD SAID ACHESON AND JOHNSON SHOULD RESIGN. THE REPORTER ASKED PRESIDENTIAL REACTION.
MR.TRUMAN, WHO WEEKS AGO HAD TARTLY REJECTED REPUBLICAN DEMANDS FOR ACHESON'S SCALP, SAID HE WAS SURPRISED THAT THE HOUSE WHIP OF HIS OWN PARTY HAD MADE SUCH A STATEMENT.
HE SAID PRIEST HAD NO BUSINESS DOING THAT. THEN, RAISING HIS VOICE, HE SAID HE WANTED TO MAKE IT PLAIN THAT ACHESON AND JOHNSON ARE NOT GOING TO RESIGN AS LONG AS HE IS IN THE WHITE HOUSE.
PRIEST COMMENTED TUESDAY IN TENNESSE THAT THE TWO CABINET OFFICERS SHOULD BE REPLACED AND SAID HE IS USING HIS INFLUENCE TOWARD THAT END. HE SAID THE CHANGE SHOULD BE MADE "IN THE INTEREST OF A COMPLETELY UNIFIED EFFORT IN THE TASK AHEAD OF US."
THE CONGRESSMAN COULD NOT BE REACHED IMMEDIATELY FOR COMMENT ON MR.TRUMAN'S REMARKS.

ASKED FOR COMMENT AT NASHVILLE WHERE HE IS WATCHING THE RESULTS OF TODAY'S STATE ELECTIONS, PRIEST SAID:
"MY COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF HAS SPOKEN. I HAVE NO FURTHER COMMENT EXCEPT TO SAY THAT REGARDLESS OF MY PERSONAL OPINION IN THIS MATTER, HE CAN BE ASSURED OF MY FULL SUPPORT IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE NATION'S AFFAIRS AND THE PROSECUTION OF THE WAR."

MR.TRUMAN, TURNING TO OTHER MATTERS, EXPRESSED DISAPPROVAL OF A PROPOSAL APPROVED TENTATIVELY TODAY BY THE HOUSE TO APPLY PRICE-WAGE CONTROLS AUTOMATICALLY WHEN PRICES RISE FIVE PERCENT ABOVE JUNE 15 LEVELS.
HE SAID THAT IS AN INVITATION FOR PRICES TO GO UP FIVE PERCENT; THEN THAT WOULD HAVE TO BE MET BY A WAGE INCREASE, AND A NEVER-ENDING

SPIRAL UPWARD WOULD START.

HE ADDED HE HAD NOT ASKED FOR PRICE-WAGE CONTROL POWER, BUT IF IT WAS TO BE FORCED ON HIM IT SHOULD BE AUTHORIZED WITHOUT ANY RESTRICTIONS ON HIM. HE PREFERRED STANDBY AUTHORITY, IF ANY AT ALL, WITH THE PRESIDENT HAVING THE RIGHT TO PUT ON THE BRAKES WHEN NEEDED, USING THE PRICE LEVEL BETWEEN MAY 24 AND JUNE 24 AS A BASE.

MR.TRUMAN ALSO OBJECTED TO ACTION BY THE SENATE IN APPROVING A $100,000,000 LOAN TO FRANCO SPAIN AS A RIDER TO THE ECA APPROPRIATION. HE SAID HE HOPES IT WILL BE ELIMINATED AS IT DOESN'T BELONG IN THE ECA BILL.

HE ADDED THERE IS NOTHING TO PREVENT SPAIN FROM APPLYING FOR A LOAN FROM THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK, AND IF SHE HAS THE COLLATERAL IT WOULD BE CONSIDERED. SIMILAR COMMENTS WERE MADE YESTERDAY BY SECRETARY ACHESON.

THE PRESIDENT SAID HE WILL SUPPORT FORMER U.S. REP.THOMAS C. HENNINGS,JR., OF ST.LOUIS FOR ELECTION IF HE IS FINALLY JUDGED TO BE THE WINNER OVER HIS CANDIDATE, STATE SENATOR EMERY W.ALLISON, FOR THE DEMOCRATIC SENATE NOMINATION IN MISSOURI.

ALLISON TRAILED HENNINGS BY MORE THAN 4,000 VOTES IN THE TUESDAY PRIMARY, BUT IN CONGRATULATING HENNINGS HE CLUNG TO THE FAINT HOPE THAT ABSENTEE BALLOTS MAY STILL WIN FOR HIM.

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RESPONDING TO ANOTHER POLITICAL QUESTION, HE SAID HE WAS VERY HAPPY OVER THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION OF PAUL AIKEN, FORMER ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL, FOR THE SENATE IN KANSAS TUESDAY. AIKEN DEFEATED CARL V.RICE, NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN.

RICE WAS AGAINST TRUMAN FOR THE VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION IN 1944 AND AGAIN EARLY IN 1948, BUT PLEDGED HIM SUPPORT IN THE KANSAS PRIMARY CAMPAIGN JUST CLOSED.

EXPRESSING GRATIFICATION OVER BRITAIN'S NEW THREE-YEAR DEFENSE BUDGET OF $9,500,000,000 ANNOUNCED TODAY, THE PRESIDENT SAID THIS IS THE PROPER APPROACH AND HE HOPES THE REST OF OUR ALLIES WILL DO LIKEWISE.

POSSIBLY PRESAGING NEW POLITICAL MOVES IN THE FAR EAST, HE ANNOUNCI HIS SPECIAL ASSISTANT, W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, AND LT.GEN.LAURIS NORSTAD AND MAJ.GEN.FRANK E.LOWE ARE LEAVING TOMORROW FOR JAPAN FOR A POLITICAL BRIEFING WITH GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR.

HE SAID FORMAL DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATION OF THE UNITED STATES AT THE VATICAN IS UNDER STUDY, BUT THE OFFICE OF SPECIAL AMBASSADOR WHICH MYRON C.TAYLOR RESIGNED SEVERAL MONTHS AGO HAS CEASED AND HE HAS NO PLANS TO RENAME TAYLOR TO THAT POST.

THE PRESIDENT SAID HE HAD NO INTENTION OF WITHDRAWING THE NOMINATIO OF MARTIN HUTCHINSON OF RICHMOND,VA., FOR THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION HUTCHINSON WANTS TO GO THROUGH WITH THE FIGHT, HE SAID, AND IN SUCH A SITUATION HE ALWAYS BACKS UP HIS NOMINEE. SENATORS BYRD AND ROBERTSON OF VIRGINIA ARE OPPOSING HUTCHINSON.

THE SAME GOES FOR CARROLL O.SWITZER, NOMINATED MONTHS AGO FOR A FEDERAL JUDGESHIP IN IOWA, THE PRESIDENT SAID. SENATOR GILLETTE (D-IA) IS FIGHTING SWITZER.

THE PRESIDENT WANTS STATEHOOD FOR ALASKA AND HAWAII ACTED ON THIS SESSION. HE BELIEVES THIS WOULD BE IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST AND VALUABL FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE. THIS WAS HIS REPLY TO A COMMENT ATTRIBUTED TO SENATOR LUCAS (D-ILL) THAT TIME WAS TOO SHORT AT THIS SESSION TO ACT ON THESE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATIONS.

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UNESCO

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,AUG.3-(AP)-STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS EXPECT THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF UNESCO TO HOLD AN EMERGENCY SESSION IN PARIS SOON AND EXPRESS STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE UNITED NATIONS MILITARY CAMPAIGN AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN KOREA. Educ., Scientific and Cultural - by Jurgatis.

UNESCO IS THE UNITED NATIONS ~~ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL~~.

THE PRACTICAL EFFECT OF THE EXPECTED PARIS ACTION, AUTHORITIES HERE SAID, WILL BE TO OPEN A NEW FRONT IN THE PROPAGANDA STRUGGLE WITH RUSSIA. THIS HAS BEEN WAGED WITH INCREASING INTENSITY SINCE THE FIRST DAYS OF THE KOREAN CRISIS.

RUSSIA'S PROPAGANDA LINE IS EXACTLY CONTRARY TO THE POSITION TAKEN BY THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL. THE COUNCIL HAS HELD THAT THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS LAUNCHED AN UNPROVOKED ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREA. RUSSIA CONTENDS THAT SOUTH KOREA, AT AMERICAN INSTIGATION, STARTED THE FIGHTING.

WHILE AMERICAN OFFICIALS SAY THAT NO WELL-INFORMED PERSONS--INCLUDING THE MEN IN THE KREMLIN--CAN HAVE ANY DOUBT AS TO THE CORRECT VERSION OF WHAT HAPPENED. THE PROBLEM FROM A PROPAGANDA VIEWPOINT IS TO GET THE TRUE FACTS ACROSS TO AS MANY MILLIONS OF PEOPLE AS POSSIBLE WHO ARE NOT WELL INFORMED.

IN TACKLING THIS PROBLEM THEY EXPECT UNESCO TO PLAY A MAJOR ROLE, SINCE IT IS COMPOSED OF EDUCATORS AND OTHER LEADERS OF THOUGHT IN 59 MEMBER COUNTRIES.

SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON PUT THIS EXPECTATION ON THE RECORD AT A NEWS CONFERENCE WITH THE STATEMENT THAT "THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC, AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION HAS THE IMPORTANT TASK OF INCREASING PUBLIC UNDERSTANDING OF UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN THE KOREAN CRISIS."

THE EMERGENCY MEETING OF UNESCO'S EXECUTIVE BOARD WAS CALLED FOR BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE U.S. NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR UNESCO, AN ORGANIZATION OF 100 AMERICAN LEADERS, AT A MEETING HERE JULY 22. THE ACTION WAS ANNOUNCED JULY 26 AND THE CALL WAS FORWARDED TO PARIS BY LUTHER H.EVANS, LIBRARIAN OF CONGRESS AND VICE CHAIRMAN OF UNESCO'S EXECUTIVE BOARD.

THE BOARD IS COMPOSED OF REPRESENTATIVES OF 18 NATIONS ELECTED BY THE UNESCO "GENERAL CONFERENCE" OF ALL 59 MEMBERS.

THE AMERICAN GROUP IN CALLING FOR THE EMERGENCY SESSION SAID THAT THE BOARD SHOULD ADOPT "A STRONG STATEMENT OF SUPPORT" FOR U.N. ACTION IN KOREA AND SHOULD DIRECT A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE GENERAL CONFERENCE TO ADOPT A SIMILAR STATEMENT.

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IN ADDITION THE AMERICAN GROUP CALLED ON UNESCO TO CONCENTRATE MONEY AND PERSONNEL "TO THE FULLEST EXTENT POSSIBLE" TO CARRY THROUGH AN EMERGENCY PROGRAM IN SUPPORT OF THE U.N. FURTHER, IT ASKED THE USE OF "ALL AVAILABLE MEANS FOR THE DISSEMINATION OF THE FACTS CONCERNING THE CAUSES OF THE PRESENT SITUATION IN KOREA AND OTHER ACTION WHICH MAY THREATEN THE PEACE IN OTHER AREAS OF THE WORLD."

OFFICIALS HERE SAID THEY WERE CONFIDENT THAT UNESCO HEADQUARTERS AT PARIS WOULD TAKE STEPS ALONG THESE LINES IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE.

REP.STEFAN (R-NEB), A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE HANDLING STATE DEPARTMENT FUNDS, SAID THE POSSIBILITIES FOR ACHIEVING WORLD UNDERSTANDING AND PEACE WERE "APPROPRIATELY SUMMED UP BY RAYMOND MCCONNELL,JR., EDITOR OF THE NEBRASKA STATE JOURNAL, IN A RECENT EDITORIAL ON UNESCO."

STEFAN PUT THE EDITORIAL IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD AND SAID HE HAS CALLED IT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

MCCONNELL POINTED OUT THAT THE SOVIETS HAVE NO VETO POWER IN UNESCO. THE VETO OPERATES ONLY IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL.

"NOW IS THE TIME FOR UNESCO TO BE RECAST IN ITS RIGHTFUL ROLE," MCCONNELL WROTE. "NOW IS THE TIME FOR A VOICE, NOT OF AMERICA ALONE,

BUT OF THE UNITED NATIONS."
RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA, MCCONNELL ADDED, MUST BE MET "ON A HIGHER LEVEL THAN THAT OF MERE NATIONAL COUNTERPROPAGANDA WHICH, BY ITS VERY NATURE AND ORIGIN, WOULD TEND TO CONFIRM THE COMMUNIST LIE THAT THIS IS AMERICA'S BATTLE ALONE."
HE URGED THAT "THE FREE WORLD'S BEST BRAINS" OUTLINE "AN ALL-OUT U.N. TRUTH OFFENSIVE AIMED AT COUNTERACTING THE IGNORANCE AND PREJUDICE" THAT MAKES POSSIBLE THE DENIAL OF DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES.
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A39WX (BJTS)
(400) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS
BY JOHN B.OWEN
WASHINGTON, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE HOUSE VOTED TODAY FOR AN "ALARM CLOCK" SYSTEM OF AUTOMATIC PRICE-WAGE CONTROLS, AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN PROMPTLY CONDEMNED IT AS AN INVITATION TO A PRICE RISE.
UNDER THE PLAN, AS TENTATIVELY APPROVED, PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS WOULD TAKE EFFECT IF THE COST OF LIVING ROSE FIVE PER CENT ABOVE JUNE 15 LEVELS.
THE PRESIDENT WOULD BE DIRECTED TO BRING UNDER CONTROL THOSE PRICES AND WAGES WHICH HE FINDS MATERIALLY AFFECT LIVING COSTS--BASING CEILINGS ON THE MAY 24--JUNE 24 LEVELS.
MR.TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT HE HAS NO OBJECTION TO BEING GIVEN AUTHORITY TO ROLL BACK PRICES TO A LEVEL PREVAILING BETWEEN MAY 24 AND JUNE 24.
BUT THE AUTOMATIC PLAN VOTED BY THE HOUSE WOULD INVITE A FIVE PER CENT RISE IN PRICES, THE PRESIDENT CONTENDED.
IF WE ARE GOING TO HAVE PRICE CONTROLS LET'S HAVE IT, HE SAID.
THE HOUSE PROPOSAL WOULD LEAVE THE PRESIDENT NO SAY ABOUT WHEN TO PUT THE CEILINGS ON. THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE ALSO IS TOYING WITH AN AUTOMATIC CONTROLS IDEA.
THE HOUSE ACTION IS SUBJECT TO A FINAL VOTE TOMORROW. THE DECISION TODAY WAS BY VOICE VOTE.
MEMBERS THEN VOTED TO KNOCK OUT A PROPOSAL OF VIRTUALLY UNLIMITED POWERS FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO HANDLE LABOR DISPUTES AFFECTING NATIONAL DEFENSE. THE VOTE WAS 166 TO 83.
THIS SECTION WAS NOT IN THE ORIGINAL CONTROLS BILL PROPOSED BY MR. TRUMAN BUT WAS INCLUDED IN A BROADER VERSION INTRODUCED YESTERDAY BY DEMOCRATIC LEADERS APPARENTLY TO DEFEAT A REPUBLICAN-SPONSORED CONTROL SET-UP.

LATER THE HOUSE BY A STANDING VOTE OF 159 TO 128 TENTATIVELY APPROVED THE WHOLE BILL AFTER TOSSING IN A NUMBER OF OTHER AMENDMENTS.
ONE OF THESE WOULD FIX MARCH 31,1951, AS THE TERMINATION DATE FOR THE BILL INSTEAD OF JUNE 30,1952.
MEMBERS ALSO VOTED TENTATIVELY TO EXEMPT COMMODITY EXCHANGE SPECULATION FROM EMERGENCY CREDIT CONTROL POWERS ASKED BY THE PRESIDENT.

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ADMINISTRATION LEADERS IN THE HOUSE DID NOT PUT UP ANY STRENUOUS FIGHT TODAY AGAINST THE AUTOMATIC WAGE-PRICE CONTROL AMENDMENT, WHICH WAS OFFERED BY REP.MCKINNON (D-CALIF). THEIR STRATEGY APPEARED TO BE TO LET AMENDMENTS PILE UP ON THE BILL, WITH THE IDEA OF CHOPPING THEM AWAY ON FINAL ROLL CALLS.
ON THE REAL SHOWDOWN THE LEADERS HOPE TO PASS A BILL IN SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME FORM IN WHICH MR.TRUMAN SUBMITTED IT, BEFORE CONGRESS BEGAN TO ROCK WITH DEMANDS FOR HANDING HIM DRASTIC ANTI-INFLATION POWERS WHICH HE DID NOT SEEK.
THE AUTHORITY MR.TRUMAN REQUESTED INCLUDES THE SAY-SO OVER ESSENTIAL MATERIALS AND DEFENSE FACILITIES. CURBS ON CREDIT AND SPECULATION, AND PERMISSION TO MAKE LOANS FOR WAR PRODUCTION. HE SAYS PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS AREN'T NEEDED NOW, BUT HE WILL ASK FOR THEM IF THEY BECOME NECESSARY.
A NUMBER OF CONGRESS MEMBERS, UNDER PRESSURE OF RISING PRICES IN THEIR HOME STATES AND WARNINGS OF INFLATION DANGER, HAVE INSISTED ON GIVING THE PRESIDENT SWEEPING POWERS.
FOOD PRICES ROSE 2 TO 3 PER CENT FOR THE MONTH ENDED JULY 15, ACCORDING TO A PRELIMINARY CHECK BY THE BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS. MEAT LED THE ADVANCE. THE INFORMATION WAS GIVEN THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE BY DIRECTOR EWAN CLAGUE.
CLAGUE SAID THAT THE NATION'S RETAILERS "HAVE MADE A MAGNIFICENT EFFORT TO HOLD THE PRICE LINE," BUT THAT PRICE RISES IN MANY LINES BESIDES FOOD CAN BE EXPECTED AS HIGHER COSTS OF RAW MATERIALS BEGIN TO TELL.
THE SENATE COMMITTEE CALLED CLAGUE TO GET THE CURRENT PRICE SITUATION IN ITS STUDY OF THE COST-OF-LIVING AMENDMENT OFFERED BY SENATOR FULBRIGHT (D-ARK).
THE FULBRIGHT PLAN IS BASICALLY LIKE THAT ADOPTED IN THE HOUSE TODAY, BUT THE EXACT FORMULA HAD NOT BEEN WORKED OUT.
THERE WAS DISAGREEMENT WITHIN THE BANKING COMMITTEE AS TO WHETHER THE FULBRIGHT IDEA HAD BEEN ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE YESTERDAY, BUT CHAIRMAN MAYBANK (D-SC) SAID HE HAD NOT MEAN TO CREATE THAT IMPRESSION.

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MAYBANK SAID YESTERDAY THAT THE COMMITTEE HAD VOTED TO ADOPT THE PLAN.
THE SENATE COMMITTEE RECESSED WITHOUT A FINAL DECISION.
THE HOUSE, WHICH IS CONSIDERING AMENDMENTS AS IT MOVES TOWARD A FINAL VOTE ON THE CONTROLS BILL, REFUSED TO ACCEPT AN AMENDMENT WHICH WOULD BAR WAGE CEILINGS UNTIL WAR PROFIT CURBS CAN BE IMPOSED ON CORPORATIONS.
THIS WAS THE FIRST REAL TEST DEALING WITH WAGE CEILINGS.
THE ACTION CAME ON A VOICE VOTE AFTER SPIRITED DEBATE ON A PROPOSAL BY REP.FLOOD (D-PA). MANY OPPONENTS AGREED THAT PROFIT-LIMITING STEPS SHOULD BE TAKEN RIGHT ALONG WITH OTHER CONTROLS BUT THEY ARGUED THAT IT MUST BE HANDLED SEPARATELY.
MEANWHILE, LEON KEYSERLING, CHAIRMAN OF THE PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC ADVISERS, SAID IN AN INTERVIEW THAT IT WOULD BE "FANTASTIC TO FREEZE 100 PER CENT OF OUR ECONOMY" WHEN THE MILITARY BUDGET "IS ONLY 10 PER CENT OF OUR NATIONAL PRODUCTION."

KEYSERLING SPOKE OUT FOR THE PARTIAL CONTROLS PROPOSED BY MR. TRUMAN, ACKNOWLEDGING THAT IT MIGHT BECOME NECESSARY TO LATER TO USE SOME PRICE CONTROLS.
OTHER ACTION TAKEN BY THE HOUSE INCLUDED:
1. TENTATIVE EXEMPTION OF NEWSPAPERS, INSURANCE FIRMS, MAGAZINES, BROADCASTERS, THEATERS, OUTDOOR ADVERTISING FIRMS, PROFESSIONAL PEOPLE, BOOKS, MOVIES, FROM PRICE CONTROLS. THE EXEMPTIONS WOULD NOT APPLY TO WAGE CONTROLS.
2. THE BASE PERIOD FOR FARM PRICE CONTROLS WOULD BE MADE MAY24-JUNE 24 INSTEAD OF JUNE 15, INTENDED TO CONFORM TO THE ROLLBACK PERIOD FOR WAGES.
3. DEFEAT OF AN ANTI-HOARDING AMENDMENT WHICH WOULD PROVIDE A HEAVY PENALTY, UP TO TWO YEARS IN JAIL AND $5,000 FINE, FOR ANYONE HOARDING FOODS AND OTHER NECESSITIES.
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WASHINGTON,AUG.3-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TONIGHT THAT PAUL ROBESON'S PASSPORT HAS BEEN DECLARED "NULL AND VOID."

THE ACTION WAS TAKEN, A DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID, BECAUSE IT FELT ROBESON'S ACTIONS ABROAD HAVE NOT ALWAYS BEEN IN THE AMERICAN INTEREST.

ROBESON, WELL KNOWN NEGRO BARITONE AND ACTOR, HAS MADE A NUMBER OF TRIPS ABROAD, PARTICULARLY TO THE SOVIET UNION.

IN ONE AMERICAN SPEECH, ROBESON SPOKE OF COMMUNISTS AS "PEOPLE WHO WILL FIGHT FOR THEIR RIGHTS" AND SAID "WE MIGHT AS WELL TRY TO GET ALONG WITH THEM BECAUSE THERE ARE MILLIONS OF THEM IN THIS WORLD."

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID THAT ROBESON HAD BEEN ASKED TO TURN IN HIS PASSPORT, NECESSARY FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BUT HAD REFUSED TO SURRENDER IT.

THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE AND U.S. EMBASSIES ABROAD HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED OF THE CANCELLATION OF THE PASSPORT.

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B45WX (Q)

WASHINGTON, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE WORLD BANK SAID TODAY IT IS DISCUSSING A LOAN TO AUSTRALIA FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF THAT COUNTRY.

OFFICIALS INDICATED THE LOAN NEGOTIATIONS PROBABLY WILL BE FINISHED IN A FEW WEKS. AUSTRALIA'S PRIME MINISTER ROBERT GORDON MENZIES DISCUSSED IT WITH EXECUTIVES OF THE 48-NATION BANK YESTERDAY. AUSTRALIA HAS NOT SOUGHT WORLD BANK AID BEFORE.

NO INFORMATION WAS GIVEN ON THE TYPES OF DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS CONTEMPLATED OR THE AMOUNT INVOLVED. REPORTS FROM AUSTRALIA MENTIONED $100,000,000 FIGURE.

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B46WX

(130) WASHINGTON, AUG. 3-(AP)-JOSEPH W.WEINBERG, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA PHYSICS PROFESSOR, SPENT AN HOUR AND A QUARTER BEFORE A FEDERAL GRAND JURY HERE TODAY.

WEINBERG APPEARED IN RESPONSE TO A SUBPOENA FROM THE JURY, WHICH GAVE HIM THE PRIVILEGE OF BEING ACCOMPANIED INTO THE JURY ROOM BY AN ATTORNEY. HOWEVER, THE MINNESOTA PROFESSOR ELECTED TO APPEAR ALONE.

GOVERNMENT ATTORNEYS DECLINED TO DISCUSS WHAT TOOK PLACE.

HOWEVER, THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID EARLIER THIS WEEK THAT WEINBERG HAD BEEN CALLED HERE IN CONNECTION WITH AN INQUIRY INTO TESTIMONY WHICH HE GAVE BEFORE THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IN 1948 AND 1949.

ON THOSE OCCASIONS, WEINBERG, FORMALLY OF CALIFORNIA, DENIED MEMBERSHIP IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND ALSO DISCLAIMED KNOWING A NUMBER OF ALLEGED COMMUNISTS ABOUT WHOM COMMITTEEMEN SOUGHT TO QUESTION HIM.

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B40WX (PROF) (Q)

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE (100)

WASHINGTON, AUG. 3-(AP)-STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID TONIGHT THAT AN INVESTIGATION IS BEING MADE INTO A REPORT THAT DR.J.PROCTOR KNOTT OF CENTRE COLLEGE, DANVILLE, KY., IS MISSING IN AUSTRIA.

DR.KNOTT, IT WAS REPORTED FROM KENTUCKY, DISAPPEARED FROM THE RAILROAD STATION IN BREGENN, AUSTRIA, WHILE TRAVELING WITH MARK ADAMS, A CENTRE COLLEGE SENIOR FROM STANFORD, KY.

ADAMS WAS SAID TO HAVE WRITTEN FROM SWITZERLAND THAT HE LEFT DR. KNOTT OUTSIDE THE STATION IN BREGENN WHILE HE WENT INSIDE FOR A FEW MINUTES. UPON HIS RETURN, ADAMS WAS QUOTED AS SAYING, DR.KNOTT AND THE PROFESSOR'S BAGGAGE HAD BOTH DISAPPEARED AND ADAMS COULD FIND NO TRACE OF THEM.

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B67WX (Q)

WASHINGTON, AUG. 3-(AP)-CHARLES A.LIVENGOOD, 63-YEAR-OLD CAREER DIPLOMAT, HAS BEEN APPOINTED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN AS UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE ON THE COUNCIL OF THE SIX-POWER AUTHORITY FOR THE RUHR.

LIVENGOOD, THE WHITE HOUSE ANNOUNCED TODAY, WAS NAMED TO SUCCEED HENRY PARKMAN OF BOSTON, WHO RESIGNED JULY 31.

THE NEW APPOINTEE IS A LEGAL RESIDENT OF DAYTON, WASH. HE HAS LONG BEEN WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT. IN HIS NEW POST HE WILL HAVE THE RANK OF MINISTER.

THE AUTHORITY FOR THE RUHR WAS SET UP UNDER AN AGREEMENT OF LAST YEAR WITH THE UNITED KINGDOM, BELGIUM, FRANCE, LUXEMBOURG AND THE NETHERLANDS.

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B112WX (Q IN)

WASHINGTON,AUG 3-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY THAT LT.COL.WILFRED JACKSON OF FARGO, N.D., HAS BEEN MISSING SINCE A C-47 TRANSPORT PLANE CRASHED NEAR TOKYO JULY 27.

COLONEL JACKSON WAS ON HIS WAY FROM JAPAN TO KOREA. HIS WIFE, MRS. MARVIN A.JACKSON NOW LIVES IN JAPAN.

A BROTHER, WAYNE JACKSON RESIDES IN ELKINS, W.VA.

THE WRECKED TRANSPORT CARRIED A CREW OF THREE AND 22 OTHER PASSENGERS, INCLUDING FOUR WAR CORRESPONDENTS. IT WAS EN ROUTE FROM TOKYO TO KYUSHU ISLAND IN SOUTH JAPAN.

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(200) WASHINGTON,AUG 3-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY "INSURMOUNTABLE DIFFICULTIES" BLOCK ANY EFFORT TO HOLD FREE ELECTIONS IN ALL CHINA TO DETERMINE IF THE CHINESE PEOPLE SUPPORT THE COMMUNIST REGIME.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID IN A PUBLISHED STATEMENT THAT THIS IS ITS ANSWER TO "NUMEROUS COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC" THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SUPERVISE ELECTIONS IN CHINA BEFORE DECIDING WHETHER THE COMMUNIST SHOULD BE RECOGNIZED BY THE UNITED STATES AND THE UN.

THE DEPARTMENT'S VIEWS WERE MADE PUBLIC IN A 400 WORD STATEMENT WHICH WAS SENT TO AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS ABROAD JULY 19. IT WAS MADE PUBLIC AFTER DISPATCHES REPORTEDLY BASED ON THIS TRIED TO PICTURE IT AS A CHANGE IN AMERICAN POLICY.

IN THE STATEMENT, THE DEPARTMENT REITERATED ITS STAND THAT IT OPPOSES SEATING COMMUNIST CHINA IN THE UNITED NATIONS BUT WILL NOT VETO ANY SUCH APPLICATION.

"THE UNITED STATES RECOGNIZED THE NATIONALISTS GOVERNMENT AS THE GOVERNMENT OF CHINA, AND, AS THIS DEPARTMENT HAS STATED MANY TIMES, IS NOT GIVING ACTIVE CONSIDERATION TO THE QUESTION OF RECOGNITION OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME.

THE STATEMENT HINTED THAT EVEN IF COMMUNIST CHINA IS ADMITTED INTO THE UN, THE UNITED STATES MAY STILL REFUSE TO GRANT IT FORMAL DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION.

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CHICAGO, AUG 3-(AP)-THREE ENGLISH WAR BRIDES--~~ALL FROM PLYMOUTH, ENGLAND,~~--APPEARED IN SUPERIOR COURT YESTERDAY, ONE GETTING A DIVORCE AND THE OTHERS APPEARING AS WITNESSES.

MRS. IRIS B. CHAPES, 25, AN OFFICE WORKER, WAS GRANTED A DIVORCE BY JUDGE RUDOLPH DESORT FROM JOHN E. CHAPES, 26, A SALESMAN. SHE CHARGED CRUELTY. THEY WERE MARRIED IN 1944 WHEN CHAPES WAS STATIONED AT PLYMOUTH AS AN ARMY PRIVATE.

HER WITNESSES WERE MRS. HILDA PETERSON, 24, AND MRS. ELAINE KELTNER, 24. ALL ARE MEMBERS OF THE NEGLISH WAR BRIDES ASSOCIA

KELTNER, 24. ALL ARE MEMBERS OF THE ENGLISH WAR BRIDES ASSOCIATION OF CHICAGO.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD STEWARDS

SEATTLE, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE ALASKA STEAMSHIP CO., LATE TODAY FIRED THE 65 STEWARD DEPARTMENT CREW MEMBERS OF THE STEAMER ALASKA WHO REFUSED TO COMPLY WITH PROVISIONS OF THE U. S. MARITIME SECURITY PROGRAM.

SAILING OF THE ALASKA FROM SEATTLE, SCHEDULED FOR 11 A. M., TODAY, WAS DELAYED FOR AN EXPECTED SHOWDOWN AT 10 A. M, (PDT) TOMORROW WHEN THE SHIP IS TENTATIVELY SLATED TO SAIL.

MEANWHILE THE 179 PASSENGERS, MOSTLY ROUND-TRIP TOURISTS, WERE TOLD THEY COULD SLEEP ABOARD SHIP TONIGHT.

ANOTHER PHASE OF TOMORROW'S SHOWDOWN WILL COME WHEN THE COMPANY'S STEAMER BARANOF IS SCHEDULED TO SIGN ON ITS CREW. IF THE BARANOF STEWARD PERSONNEL REFUSES TO TURN OVER SEAMEN'S PAPERS TO COAST GUARD SECURITY INBVESTIGATORS, THE BARANOF MAY JOIN THE ALASKA IN IDLENESS.

THE DISPUTE BROKE YESTERDAY WHEN THE STEWARDS, MEMBERS OF THE MARINE COOKS AND STEWARDS UNION (CIO) REFUSED TO SIGN ARTICLES IF ANY "THIRD PARTY" SCRUTINIZED THEIR PAPERS. BY "THIRD PARTY" THEY MEANT THE COAST GUARD SCREENING OFFICERS.

EARLIER TODAY, THE SAILORS' UNION OF THE PACIFIC (AFL) ADOPTED A NO-SAILING WITH "UNSCREENED DONKIES" POLICY.

THE SAILORS ADOPTED A NO-SAILING POLICY IN A SPECIAL MEETING TODAY. MAXIE WEISBARTH, SEATTLE S. U. P. PORT AGENT SAID THE "SAILORS' UNION IS 100 PER CENT ANTI-COMMUNIST."

"OUR MEMBERS HAVE NOTHING TO HIDE," HE SAID, "AND ARE WILLING TO HAVE LOYALTY CHECKS, BUT WE INSIST THAT OTHERS DO THE SAME."

"WE ARE NOT GOING TO RISK THE DANGER OF SABOTAGE, HOWEVER, BY SAILING WITH A FEW DONKIES WHO REFUSE TO BE SCREENED. THERE ARE PLENTY OF LOYAL STEWARDS AVAILABLE TO MAN THE SHIP."

THE CIO STEWARDS YESTERDAY REFUSED TO SIGN ABOARD THE STEAMSHIP ALASKA UNLESS ASSURED THEIR SEA PAPERS WOULD NOT BE TURNED OVER TO A "THIRD PARTY."

REPORTS TODAY SAID THE ALASKA STEAMSHIP COMPANY HAS DEMANDED THAT THE STEWARDS EITHER SIGN ON THE SHIP OR BE PAID OFF. COMPANY AND UNION OFFICIALS WERE IN CONFERENCE TODAY.

THE PACIFIC MARINE STEWARDS' UNION HAS ANNOUNCED IT WILL REPLACE STEWARDS CONSIDERED BAD SECURITY RISKS IF THE CIO UNION REFUSES TO REPLACE THE SECURITY RISKS. THE PACIFIC MARINE GROUP BROKE WITH THE CIO GROUP OVER THE LEFT-WING ISSUE.

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B44KX (BRIDGES)
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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 3-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT DEMANDED TODAY IN FEDERAL COURT THAT HARRY BRIDGES BE JAILED AS A "DANGEROUS ENEMY." THE LABOR LEADER'S ATTORNEY REPLIED THAT THE GOVERNMENT WANTED TO LOCK UP THE LABOR LEADER MERELY FOR EXPRESSING HIS OPINIONS.

SPECIAL PROSECUTOR F. JOSEPH DONOHUE BEGGED THE COURT TO REVOKE BRIDGES' $25,000 BAIL ON THE GROUND THAT "HARRY BRIDGES IS A DANGEROUS ENEMY TO OUR SOCIETY, A THREAT TO OUR NATIONAL SECURITY X X X ."

NORMAN LEONARD, BRIDGES' ATTORNEY, DENIED HE WAS A MENACE AND DECLARED "UNLESS THE BILL OF RIGHTS IS TO BE REGARDED AS NO LONGER THE LAW OF THE LAND, THE GOVERNMENT CANNOT X X X JAIL HIM FOR EXPRESSING HIS OPINIONS."

BRIDGES IS AT LIBERTY ON BAIL WHILE HE APPEALS HIS RECENT CONVICTION OF PERJURY FOR SAYING HE WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AT HIS 1945 NATURALIZATION HEARING.

BRIDGES RECENTLY EXPRESSED HIS OPPOSITION TO A MOTION OF HIS LONGSHORE LOCAL ENDORSING THE U. S. POLICY IN KOREA.

DONOHUE TERMED THE PROCEEDINGS BEFORE FEDERAL JUDGE GEORGE B. HARRIS A "COURTESTY" HEARING, WITH BRIDGES HAVING THE STATUS OF A CONVICTED FELON.

"WHY, HE IS OUR ENEMY!" DONOHUE THUNDERED IN HIS ARGUMENT FOR IMMEDIATE REVOCATION OF BAIL. "SURELY THIS GREAT NATION CAN PROTECT ITSELF AGAINST HIM. ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MILLION PEOPLE LOOK TO JUDGE HARRIS TO EXERCISE HIS DISCRETION FOR THEIR WELFARE, NOT FOR BRIDGES' WELFARE.

"I NOT ONLY ASK OF YOUR HONOR TO GRANT THIS MOTION---I BEG YOU TO DO IT."

LEONARD WAS UNUSUALLY COURTEOUS TO DONOHUE, IN CONTRAST TO THE LEGAL WRANGLING IN THE PERJURY TRIAL. AT THE DEFENDANT'S TABLE WERE VINCENT HALLINAN AND JAMES MACINNIS, WHO WERE ADJUDGED GUILTY OF CONTEMPT OF COURT
AT THE RECENT TRIAL.

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JUDGE HARRIS DENIED 10 MOTIONS BY LEONARD, WHO SOUGHT TO BAR INTRODUCTION OF EXHIBITS ON THE CONTENTION THEY HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THE DEFENDANT.

LEONARD SAID TWO QUESTIONS MUST BE SATISFIED IF BAIL IS REVOKED. HE SAID BRIDGES WAS ENTITLED TO REMAIN ON BAIL UNDER THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS: 1-A SUBSTANTIAL QUESTION REMAINS TO BE APPEALED, AND 2-THERE IS NO DANGER OF HIS FLEEING THE COURT'S JURISDICTION.

"THE ENTIRE CONTROVERSY SWIRLING AROUND THE HEAD OF THIS POOR UNFORTUNATE DEFENDANT FOR THE LAST 13 YEARS SHOWS HE IS NOT GOING TO RUN AWAY," LEONARD TOLD JUDGE HARRIS.

IN THE PRESENCE OF THESE CONDITIONS, LEONARD ARGUED, THE COURT HAS NO LEGAL JURISDICTION TO ENTERTAIN THE GOVERNMENT'S APPLICATION UNLESS THE GOVERNMENT WANTS TO JAIL BRIDGES FOR EXPRESSING HIS OPINIONS.

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NEW YORK, AUG.3-(AP)-THE LINER BATORY, ESCAPE SHIP OF COMMUNIST GERHART EISLER WHEN HE JUMPED BAIL HERE AND FLED TO EUROPE, MAY BE THE FIRST VESSEL TO BE EXAMINED HERE UNDER NEW ATOMIC SECURITY REGULATIONS.

THE BATORY IS DUE TO ARRIVE SATURDAY, AND IT IS EXPECTED THAT SHE WILL BE BOARDED IN LOWER NEW YORK BAY BY FEDERAL AGENTS FOR THE "TROJAN SHIP" SEARCH ANNOUNCED RECENTLY FOR ALL SHIPS FROM IRON CURTAIN PORTS.

HARRY M.DURNING, COLLECTOR OF THE PORT, DECLINED TO COMMENT ON PLANS TO RECEIVE THE POLISH LINER. HE SAID NO DECISION ON HER

RECEPTION WOULD BE MADE UNTIL FRIDAY AFTERNOON.
LAST WEEK DURNING ANNOUNCED THAT, UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM WASHINGTON, ALL SHIPS FROM RUSSIA AND SATELLITE COUNTRIES WOULD RECEIVE THOROUGH EXAMINATION BEFORE THEY REACHED THE UPPER BAY. THIS WILL INCLUDE EXAMINATION OF CARGO, PAPERS, CREW MEMBERS AND PASSENGERS AND ALL PACKAGES AND BAGGAGE.
THE BATORY IS ACCUSTOMED TO EXTRAORDINARY SCRUTINY IN NEW YORK. ON ALL HER RECENT VOYAGES EXTRA DETAILS OF CUSTOMS AND IMMIGRATION MEN HAVE KEPT A CLOSE WATCH ON THE SHIP AND HER PIER.
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WITH U.N. KOREAN (140)
NEW YORK, AUG 3-(AP)-RUSSIA CONTINUED HER BOYCOTT OF THE U.N.'S BIG FIVE MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE TODAY DESPITE HER RETURN TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL TUESDAY.
SOVIET MAJ. GEN. IVAN A. SKLIAROV IS CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE FOR AUGUST, UNDER THE NORMAL ROTATION SYSTEM, BUT HE FAILED TO SHOW UP WHEN THE OTHER FOUR MEMBERS MET FOR THEIR REGULAR FORTNIGHTLY SESSION.
THE MEETINGS ARE ALWAYS CLOSED TO THE PRESS AND THE PUBLIC. THEY ARE HELD AT THE COMMITTEE'S QUARTERS IN MIDTOWN MANHATTAN.
THE COMMITTEE WAS SET UP TO ORGANIZE A WORLD POLICE FORCE AND TO ASSIST THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN THE USE OF MILITARY FORCE TO PRESERVE OR RESTORE PEACE. THE COUNCIL, HOWEVER, MADE A SPECIAL CASE OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT AND PROVIDED FOR A UNIFIED COMMAND UNDER GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR.
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A163 (260)
PRECEDE LAKE SUCCESS
NEW YORK, AUG 3-(AP)-JAKOB A. MALIK OF THE SOVIET UNION, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL THIS MONTH, WAS SHAKEN UP TONIGHT IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT BUT A SOVIET SPOKESMAN REPORTED HE WAS NOT HURT.
"EVERYTHING IS ALL RIGHT," THE SPOKESMAN REPORTED.
THE REAR BUMPER OF MALIK'S CAR WAS TURN OFF BY A CAR GOING THE SAME WAY. IT STRUCK MALIK'S CAR FROM BEHIND AND LOCKED BUMPERS WITH IT. BOTH CARS TRAVELED AOUT 100 FEET AT 30 MILES AN HOUR BEFORE THE REAR CAR TORE LOOSE, POLICE SAID.
THE DRIVER OF THE LATTER CAR, HAROLD SNITOFESKY, 22, OF NEW YORK, LOST CONTROL AS THE LOCKED CARS PARTED. HIS CAR SWERVED ONTO THE CENTER MALL SEPARATING TWO LANES OF TRAFFIC AND KNOCKED DOWN A SMALL ELECTRIC LIGHT POLE.
SNITOFESKY WAS NOT INJURED.
MALIK WAS RETURNING TO HIS PARK AVENUE OFFICE FROM LAKE SUCCESS AFTER ONE OF THE MOST HEATED SESSIONS IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL'S HISTORY.
THE ACCIDENT TOOK PLACE ON GRAND CENTRAL PARKWAY AT 104TH STREET IN THE CORONA SECTION OF QUEENS.
WESTBOUND TRAFFIC ON THE PARKWAY, CUSTOMARILY USED BY U.N. DELEGATES TRAVELING BETWEEN LAKE SUCCESS AND MANHATTAN, WAS TIED UP 20 MINUTES BECAUSE OF THE ACCIDENT.
THE DRIVER OF THE SOVIET CAR, NIKOLAS SEMENOV, 38, GAVE HIS ADDRESS TO POLICE AS 680 PARK AVENUE, THE SOVIET U.N. OFFICE.
THERE WAS A DRIZZLING RAIN AT THE TIME.
POLICE SAID THERE WERE THREE PASSENGERS IN THE SOVIET CAR. THEY DID NOT KNOW THAT MALIK, WHO IS A SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER, WAS ONE OF THEM. POLICE COULD NOT IDENTIFY THE OTHER TWO PASSENGERS.
SNOTOFESKY WAS DRIVING ALONE.

SNITOFESKY WAS DRIVING ALONE.
POLICE SAID NEITHER DRIVER WAS GIVEN A TRAFFIC SUMMONS, THAT THERE WERE NO INJURES AND NO DAMAGE WORTH REPORTING.
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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 3-(AP)-SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A. MALIK, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL THIS MONTH, WAS SHAKEN UP TONIGHT IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT ON THE GRAND CENTRAL PARKWAY. A SOVIET SPOKESMAN SAID MALIK WAS NOT HURT AND "EVERYTHING IS ALL RIGHT."
MALIK'S CAR WAS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN DAMAGED.
HE WAS RETURNING TO HIS PARK AVENUE OFFICE FROM LAKE SUCCESS AFTER ONE OF THE MOST HEATED SESSIONS IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL'S HISTORY. THERE WAS A DRIZZLING RAIN AT THE TIME, AND FIRST REPORTS INDICATED THE ACCIDENT WAS CAUSED BY SLICK ROADS.
THE GRAND CENTRAL PARKWAY IS THE ROAD CUSTOMARILY USED BY U.N. DELEGATES TRAVELING BETWEEN LAKE SUCCESS AND MANHATTAN.

POLICE AT THE 114TH PRECINCT IN QUEENS, NEW YORK CITY, SAID TWO CARS LOCKED BUMPERS ABOUT 6P.M. (EST) ON THE PARKWAY AT 104TH STREET IN JACKSON HEIGHTS.
THEY SAID ONE OF THEE CARS WAS OWNED BY THE SOVIET U.N. DELEGATION BUT DID NOT KNOW WHETHER MALIK WAS A PASSENGER.
THERE WERE NO INJURIES, THE POLICE SAID, AND NO DAMAGE WORTH REPORTING. NEITHER OF THE DRIVERS WAS TICKETED, THEY ADDED.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 5-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN TROOPS TODAY WERE EXPECTED TO LOOSE AN ALL-OUT SMASH ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT AIMED AT PUSAN, THE BEACHHEAD PORT 35 MILES EAST OF THE QUIET BATTLE LINE.

THE U. S. EIGHTH ARMY, CHARGED WITH HOLDING THE SOUTHEAST KOREAN BEACHHEAD UNTIL A COUNTEROFFENSIVE CAN BE LAUNCHED, REPORTED THIS DEVELOPMENT IN A COMMUNIQUE.

IT SAID THEERE WERE "UNCONFIRMED REPORTS" THAT INDICATED "THE ENEMY MAY LAUNCH AN ATTACK EAST OF CHINJU TODAY." CHINJU IS 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

PATROLS FROM THE U. S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION MOVED OUT AGGRESSIVELY ON THIS FRONT, AND WERE IN CONTINUOUS CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS EARLIER SAID TWO MORE RED DIVISIONS WERE MOVING UP FOR THE ATTACK ON THESOUTHERN FRONT.

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NORTHWARD, THE NORTH KOREANS WERE MOVING UP TO THE LAST-DITCH NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE, WHICH CURLS TO WITHIN SEVEN MILES OF TAEGU. THIS IS THE FRONTLINE SUPPLY CITY 55 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID NEITHER THE 24TH INFANTRY NOR THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HAD MADE ANY IMPORTANT PATROL CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY ON THAT FRONT.

THIS INDICATED THAT THE NORTH KOREANS WERE SURPRISED BY THE ABRUPT U. S. AND SOUTH KOREAN WITHDRAWAL BEHIND THE RIVER, AND HAD NOT YET BROUGHT UP SIZABLE FORCES.

SOUTH KOREAN COVERING FORCES ON THE NORHTERN FRONT WERE BEING FORCED BACK STEADILY BY ENEMY PRESSURE, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

THE MAIN BODY OF THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE DIGGING IN ON STOUT POSITIONS IN THE HILLS BACK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER 35 MILES OR MORE NORTH AND NORTHEAST OF TAEGU.

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MARINE CARRIER-BASED PLANES FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY YESTERDAY LASHED AT ENEMY TROOPS AND TRANSPORTATION TARGETS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, A NAVAY RELEASE SAID.

FOUR TOWNS WERE BURNED OUT. TWO BRIDGES AND EIGHT ANTI-AIRCRAFT BATTERIES WERE BADLY DAMAGED IN THE CHINJU AREA. THE MARINE FIGHTERS RAINED BOMBS, ROCKETS AND BULLETS ON THE TARGETSS.

SOME OF THE MARINE PLANES WERE FLYING FROM SOUTH KOREAN BASES, HAVING LANDED FROM CARRIERS THURSDAY.

AN AFTERNOON WAR SUMMARY RELEASED BY MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID COMMUNIST CASUALTIES IN THE PAST 24 HOURS WERE HEAVY ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, AND NO ADVANCES HAD BEEN REPORTED.

IT SAID THE REDS YESTERDAY ALSO SUFFERED SEVERELY IN A FUTILE ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS NEAR YONGDOK, EAST COAST ANCHOR FOR UNITED NATIONS FORCES 80 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN.

HEADQUARTERS SAID AIR STRIKES YESTERDAY IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS ALL ALONG THE FRONT "TOOK A HEAVY TOLL OF COMMUNIST PERSONNEL."

A SHARP, U.S. COUNTERATTACK THURSDAY CHECKED THE RED DRIVE TEMPORARILY

TEMPORARILY ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT ABOUT 20 MILES EAST OF CHINJU. THE ENEMY WAS HURLED BACK, LEAVING A COUNTED 600 DEAD ON THE FIELD.

THERE WAS NO LETUP IN THE RED PRESSURE, HOWEVER, ON THAT DOORWAY TO PUSAN.

BRACING FOR THE MAIN BATTLE THAT WAS SURE TO COME, THE AMERICANS HURRIED UP REINFORCEMENTS OF ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST MARINE AND SECOND INFANTRY DIVISIONS TO UNDISCLOSED PLACES AT THE FRONT.

A FIELD DISPATCH FROM AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD SAID THE COUNTERATTACK WAS MADE BY THE 27TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION. IT MET THE ATTACKING REDS AND BESTED THEM IN A FURIOUS 4-HOUR FIGHT.

MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY SAID THE HEAVIEST FIGHTING WAS ALONG AN ARC EXTENDING FROM A POINT 20 MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU TO 11 MILES EAST AND TO 15 MILES NORTHEAST.

ACTION ELSEWHERE ALONG THE SOUTHERN FRONT CONSISTED OF PATROLS BY BOTH SIDES.

MACARTHUR SAID FIGHTING WAS "CONTINUOUS, WITH HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE FROM THE ENEMY" AT THE NORTHERN TIP OF THE U.N. BEACHHEAD--YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST. HE REPORTED THE DEFENDERS' POSITIONS AS "STABLE."

ELSEWHERE--IN THE MID-SECTION OF THE 125-MILE LONG ANGULAR LINE--THE FIGHTING WAS "DISENGAGED," THE U.N. SUPREME COMMANDER SAID.

THAT WAS ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER, WHERE THE SORELY-TRIED U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION DUG IN ON THE EAST BANKS.

THE 24TH COMMANDER, MAJ.GEN.JOHN H.CHURCH, SAID IT WAS THE BEST POSITION HIS MEN HAD YET HAD AND THEY INTENDED TO HOLD IT. THERE WAS A LITTLE SHELLING ACROSS THE RIVER, BUT AMERICAN TACTICAL PLANES KEPT THE ENEMY SHAKEN UP ON THE WEST BANK.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID 45 RED TANKS, WHICH IT REPORTED YESTERDAY AS MOVING TOWARD CHINJU FROM THE NORTH, "HAVE BEEN FOUND TO BE WRECKS OF TANKS PREVIOUSLY DESTROYED."

THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES SAID 1,300 TONS OF BOMBS DROPPED ON HUNGNAM IN THREE MASS ATTACKS BY B-29S HAVE "DEFINITELY HALTED" PRODUCTION OF AMMUNITION AND OTHER WAR MATERIAL IN THAT MAIN NORTH KOREAN INDUSTRIAL CENTER.

HUNGNAM "CAN NO LONGER BE CONSIDERED A MAJOR FACTOR IN THE KOREAN WAR," THE AIR FORCES SAID IN A RELEASE.

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A231KX

THE COUNTERATTACK THAT SLOWED DOWN THE REDS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT THURSDAY WIPED OUT AN ENTIRE ENEMY REGIMENT. THE COLONEL IN COMMAND OF THE RED FORCE WAS KILLED.

LT.COL. JOHN "MIKE" MICHAELIS OF LANCASTER,PA., LED THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM IN THE WILD ACTION.

THE U.S. PUNCH FORCED THE INVADERS TO WITHDRAW, AND DELAYED THEIR BUILDUP FOR THE PUSH TO MASAN ON THE HIGHWAY TO THE BIG PORT OF PUSAN.

A TOKYO HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID MANY RED TROOPS COMING INTO THE BATTLE ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WERE FROM KOREAN SETTLEMENTS IN SOVIET-DOMINATED MANCHURIA.

MANY ARE JAPANESE-TRAINED AND VETERANS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST WARS, HE SAID.

THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION MOVED TO THE SOUTHERN FRONT IN A QUICK SHIFT FROM THE KUMCHON AREA, TO THE NORTH. THE 25TH TOOK OVER FOR THE BATTERED 24TH DIVISION, WHICH WAS SENT TO THE CENTRAL RIVER FRONT.

ON THE BATTLEFRONT, BUT NOT YET OFFICIALLY REPORTED IN ACTION, WERE ELEMENTS OF THE SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION, THE FIRST MARINE

DIVISION, AND THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII.
THE MARINES ARE EQUIPPED WITH 45-TON PERSHING TANKS, SUPER-BAZOOKAS AND FLAME-THROWERS.
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A195KX
THIRD LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (450)
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.5-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN INVADERS, CHECKED BY A SHARP AMERICAN COUNTERATTACK AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT, WERE REPORTED BRINGING UP TWO NEW DIVISIONS TODAY FOR THEIR DETERMINED PUSH ON PUSAN, THE ALL-IMPORTANT PORT 35 MILES TO THE EAST.
THE AMERICANS, NEWLY REINFORCED BY ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST MARINE AND SECOND INFANTRY DIVISIONS, CONFRONTED CONTINUING HEAVY PRESSURE IN THEIR STRUGGLE TO MAINTAIN THEIR NARROWING FOOTHOLD IN KOREA.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY, ISSUED AT 12:10 A.M. TODAY (9:10 A.M. FRIDAY, EST), PLACED THE FIGHTING SCENE ALONG AN ARC RUNNING FROM 20 MILES SOUTHEAST TO 11 MILES EAST TO 15 MILES NORTHEAST OF CHINJU.
IT SAID IN THAT AREA ALONE 600 ENEMY DEAD HAD BEEN ESTIMATED AFTER THE HOT BATTLE OF THURSDAY.
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FRONT-LINE FIELD DISPATCHES, COVERING LATER INFORMATION, PLACED THE SCENE OF THE AMERICAN COUNTERATTACK EIGHT MILES WEST OF MASAN. THAT WOULD BE 20 MILES EAST OF CHINJU AND 35 AIR MILES FROM PUSAN.
IT WAS THERE, REPORTED AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD, THAT THE 600 ENEMY DEAD WERE COUNTED AFTER THE 27TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION MET A NORTH KOREAN ADVANCE HEADON AND HURLED IT BACK IN A WILD FOUR-HOUR BATTLE.
MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY SAID "THE FIGHTING CONTINUES" ALONG THAT FRONT. IT SAID THE UNDAUNTED REDS WERE MAINTAINING STEADY PRESSURE AND POSSIBLY SHIFTING TWO MORE DIVISIONS FROM OTHER SECTORS TO THAT KEY POSITION. THEY HAD NOT, HOWEVER, BEEN ABLE THUS FAR TO ADVANCE.
IN THE YONGDOK VICINITY, ON THE EAST COAST AT THE EXTREME OTHER END OF THE 125-MILE DEFENSE LINE, MACARTHUR'S RELEASE REPORTED HEAVY ENEMY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE. ELSEWHERE ALONG THE SQUARE-CORNERED EAST-WEST AND NORTH-SOUTH LINE, THE NORTH KOREANS WERE REPORTED "DISENGAGED."
IT WAS ALONG THE RELATIVELY QUIET CENTRAL SECTORS THAT THE AMERICANS WERE DUG IN BEHIND THE NAKTONG RIVER. OFFICERS FREELY DESCRIBED IT AS THE BEST DEFENSE LINE THEY HAD YET FOUND AND AT WHICH THEY INTENDED TO STAND.
THE VITAL POINT--KEY AT PRESENT TO THE WHOLE AMERICAN POSITION IN KOREA--WAS AT THE SOUTHERN END OF THE LINE. IT WAS THERE THAT THE REDS WERE BRINGING UP THEIR REINFORCEMENTS AND SHOVING STEADILY TO TRY TO SLASH OFF PUSAN.
BESIDES THE AMERICAN COUNTERATTACK THAT HAD ROCKED THE INVADERS MOMENTARILY BACK ON THEIR HEELS, THERE WAS ANOTHER ENCOURAGING FACTOR ON THAT FRONT:
MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THAT 45 ENEMY TANKS, WHICH IT PREVIOUSLY HAD REPORTED ADVANCING TOWARDS CHINJU FROM THE NORTH, HAD PROVED TO BE BURNED-OUT HULKS, ABANDONED AFTER EARLIER AMERICAN BLOWS.

AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN LINES ABOVE CHINJU NOW ARE EAST OF THE WINDING NAKTONG. BUT THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FORCES ARE SOUTH OF THE BIG STREAM AND WEST OF ITS DELTA, WHICH IS JUST OUTSIDE OF PUSAN.
A TOKYO HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN REPORTED THE NORTH KOREANS WERE POURING TANK AND INFANTRY REINFORCEMENTS TO THE SOUTHERN BATTLE SECTOR.
HE SAID RED SOLDIERS WERE COMING INTO BATTLE AS RECRUITS FROM KOREAN SETTLEMENTS IN SOVIET-DOMINATED MANCHURIA. MANY ARE JAPANESE-TRAINED AND VETERANS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST WARS.
ALLIED PLANES KEPT A SHARP WATCH FOR TROOP TRAINS BEARING DOWN FROM THE NORTH. SOME RAIL-BORNE REINFORCEMENTS SNEAKED OUT OF CHONGJIN, IN NORTH KOREA, UNDER A SMOKE-SCREEN COVERING THE MARSHALLING YARD.
[redacted]

A98FX
INTO THIS BATTLE THE 25TH PUT ALL IT HAD AFTER A QUICK SHIFT FROM THE KUMCHONG AREA, TO THE NORTH. THE BATTERED 24TH WAS SENT TO ANOTHER UNIDENTIFIED FRONT WHEN THE 25TH TOOK OVER WITH EXPECTED MARINE AND OTHER REINFORCEMENTS.
THE REINFORCEMENTS WERE TROOPS OF THE U.S. FIRST MARINES, THE SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION AND THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII. THE MARINES HAVE [redacted] TON PERSHING TANKS, SUPER-BAZOOKAS AND FLAME-THROWERS.
WHILE THE BATTLE RAGED IN THE SOUTH AGAINST THE HINTERLAND OF PUSAN, SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS PROTECTING THE NORTHERN FLANK PULLED BACK TO THE VILLAGE OF PIAN, SOME 18 MILES FROM HAMCHANG. THEY TOOK UP POSITIONS ALONG THE NAKTONG'S NEAR SIDE.
RED PATROLS PROBED WITHOUT LET-UP AT THE SOUTH KOREAN LINES AND KEPT AMERICAN OUTPOSTS FARTHER SOUTH BUSY ALONG THE RIVER FRONT.
U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID ALL RED PATROLS THAT HAD MANAGED TO CROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE INITIAL PROBING HAD BEEN WIPED OUT OR DISPERSED.
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A99FX
THE FIRST REPORTED COMBAT EFFORTS OF THE NEWLY ARRIVED U.S. MARINES IN KOREA WERE STRAFING STRIKES BY LEATHERNECK CARRIER-BORNE PLANES IN SUPPORT OF AMERICAN GROUND TROOPS IN THE SOUTH AROUND WONGBUN.
SHORTLY AFTER TAKING OVER THEIR NEW POSITIONS IN THE WONGBUN AREA, THE 25TH HURLED BACK A FIERCE RED INFANTRY ATTACK, KILLING 600 COMMUNISTS.
THE AMERICANS JABBED SHARPLY INTO THE COMMUNIST LINES, DISORGANIZING EARLY EFFORTS TO MOUNT A FULL-SCALE ATTACK.
A TOKYO HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THE BATTLE NOW WAS SHIFTING FROM THE DEFENSIVE TO THE OFFENSIVE FOR THE UNITED NATIONS TROOPS.
ON THE EAST COAST NAVAL UNITS POUNDED COMMUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATIONS 10 MILES NORTH OF REPUBLICAN-HELD YONGDOK, 80 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN. ONE UNITED NATIONS WARSHIP SLIPPED NEAR THE WESTERN SHORES OF THE PENINSULA IN THE YELLOW SEA TO KNOCK-OUT A GUN POSITION ON ONJIN PENINSULA, NORTHWEST OF SEOUL, THE LONG-ABANDONED SOUTHERN CAPITAL.

A100FX
ALLIED PLANES POURED ROCKETS, BOMBS AND MACHINEGUN BULLETS INTO ENEMY TROOPS WHEREVER THEY COULD FIND THEM. THEY MACHINE-GUNNED AND ROCKETED THE FAR SOUTH NAVAL BASE OF MOKPO AND THE COASTAL CITIES OF SUNCHON AND YOSU.
LT.-GEN. GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, FAR EAST AIR FORCE COMMANDER, SAID OKINAWA BASED B-29 BOMBERS BLASTED NORTH KOREA

SAID OKINAWA BASED B-29 BOMBERS BLASTED NORTH KOREAN CHEMICAL, METAL AND MUNITION PLANTS OUT OF THE WAR.
PLANES OF HIS COMMAND KNOCKED OUT 12 RED LOCOMOTIVES AND DAMAGED SEVEN OTHERS IN SCATTERED RAIDS. BUT THE MAIN EFFORTS OF THE FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS WERE CONCENTRATED ON COMMUNIST GROUND TROOPS--ESPECIALLY THOSE MOVING TOWARD THE FRONT IN DAYLIGHT HOURS.
(NO PICKUP).
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A139FX
BULLETIN
TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.5-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN REDS CONTINUED HEAVY PRESSURE IN THE CHINJU AREA OF THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT, BUT THEIR ADVANCE HAS BEEN CHECKED BY COUNTER-ATTACKING AMERICANS, GEN.MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY.

THE WAR SUMMARY RELEASED AT 12:10 A.M. (9:10 A.M. FRIDAY, EST) SAID THE FIGHTING CONTINUES ALONG AN ARC RUNNING FROM 20 MILES SOUTHEAST TO 11 MILES EAST AND 15 MILES NORTHEAST OF CHINJU.

NORTH KOREAN CASUALTIES WERE ESTIMATED AT 600 DEAD ON THE CHINJU AREA FRONT ALONE.

A141FX

THAT WAS THE TOLL TAKEN BY THE 27TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE 25TH DIVISION IN A FOUR-HOUR FIGHT AGAINST ATTACKING REDS ON THE APPROACHES TO MASAN.

THERE HAS BEEN NO CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY ALONG THE REMAINDER OF THE FRONT EXCEPT FOR RED AND ALLIED PATROLS, HEADQUARTERS SAID. IT ADDED:

"INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE COMMUNIST FORCES ARE REGROUPING WITH THE POSSIBLE SHIFTING OF TWO MORE DIVISIONS TO THE FIGHTING IN THE SOUTH."

FIGHTING IN THE YONGDOK AREA ON THE EAST COAST CONTINUED WITH HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE FROM NORTH KOREAN FORCES. BUT POSITIONS REMAINED "STABLE."

THE SUMMARY SAID A COLUMN OF 45 RED TANKS EARLIER REPORTED MOVING TOWARD THE SOUTHERN FRONT TURNED OUT TO BE WRECKS OF TANKS PREVIOUSLY DESTROYED.

THE ORIGINAL REPORT ON THE TANK COLUMN AS A THREAT IN THE SOUTH CAME FROM BRIEFING OFFICERS IN MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT THEIR FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

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A18FX

BULLETIN

TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-HEAVY FIGHTING BROKE OUT TODAY ON THE CHINJU FRONT IN SOUTHEAST KOREA. THE NEW OUTBREAK INVOLVING 45 RED TANKS SOME 40 MILES WEST OF PUSAN PORT WAS REPORTED BY A STAFF OFFICER AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS.

COMMUNISTS SENT A REINFORCING COLUMN LED BY 45 TANKS INTO THE SOUTHERN BATTLE ZONE, MACARTHUR'S BRIEFING OFFICER SAID.

HE REPORTED AMERICAN AND COMMUNIST FORCES WERE ENGAGED IN BITTER FIGHTING AROUND WONGBUN, ABOUT TEN MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

THE BATTLE STARTED FRIDAY MORNING AND WAS STILL RAGING IN THE AFTERNOON.

A20FX

BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID THEY LACKED DETAILS ON THE FIGHT. THEY SAID THEY DID NOT KNOW WHO STARTED IT.

WONGBUNG IS A HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD TOWN ON THE COMMUNIST HALTED DRIVE TOWARD PUSAN.

THE TANK COLUMN WAS THE FIRST FRESH REINFORCEMENTS OF RED ARMOR REPORTED SINCE AMERICAN AIR AND GROUND ASSAULTS BEGAN KNOCKING HOLES IN THE NORTH KOREAN TANK FORCES. THE COLUMN HAD BEEN SIGHTED MOVING SOUTH OF TAEJON TOWARD THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

ABOUT 45 TANKS WERE COUNTED IN THE COLUMN OF INFANTRY REINFORCEMENTS. THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID THEY PROBABLY CAME FROM SEOUL, LONG LOST CAPITAL OF THE (SOUTH) KOREAN REPUBLIC.

HEADQUARTERS OFFICERS SAID IT WAS POSSIBLE STILL MORE NORTH KOREAN REINFORCEMENTS WERE MOVING BY NIGHT DOWN THE WEST COAST WHERE NUMEROUS INLETS PROVIDE CLOSE INSHORE PROTECTION FROM THE ALLIED NAVAL BLOCKADE.

A30FX

THE BRIEFING OFFICER IN TOKYO SAID THE COMMUNISTS NOW HAVE ABOUT THREE DIVISIONS ENGAGED IN THEIR BIGGEST PUSH IN THE SOUTH.

TWO DIVISIONS PREVIOUSLY ON THIS FRONT WERE REINFORCED BY THE NORTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION, THE AMERICAN OFFICERS SAID. THE ADDED DIVISION, LAST REPORTED IN ACTION ON THE EXTREME NORTHERN FRONT IN THE MUNGYONG AREA 100 MILES NORTH OF CHINJU, MADE A WIDE SWEEP AROUND THE WESTERN FRONT TO JOIN THE RED DRIVE TOWARD PUSAN.

THE RED FOURTH AND SIXTH DIVISIONS PREVIOUSLY WERE IDENTIFIED IN ACTION IN THE SOUTH.

HEAVY TROOP MOVEMENTS WERE SPOTTED IN NORTH KOREA. AN INTELLIGENCE SPOKESMAN EXPRESSED BELIEF THEY MAY BE FRESH TROOPS DRAWN FROM THE LARGE KOREAN COLONY IN MANCHURIA. MANY MANCHURIAN KOREANS WERE TRAINED IN THE JAPANESE ARMY AND LATER SERVED WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

KOREANS WHO FOUGHT WITH THE CHINA REDS HELPED FORM THE CORE OF SOME OF THE REDS' BEST DIVISIONS.

A U.S.CAVALRY DIVISION REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM REPULSED A RED ATTACK THURSDAY NIGHT ABOUT 12 MILES EAST OF KUMCHON ALONG THE MAIN HIGHWAY ON THE WESTERN FRONT. RED LOSSES WERE REPORTED HEAVY.

OTHERWISE, BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID, PRESSURE WAS LESSENED IN THE WESTERN AND NORTHERN SECTORS.

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A126FX

MASAN DRIVE (550)

BY DON WHITEHEAD

ON THE SOUTHERN KOREAN FRONT,AUG.4-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS COUNTED MORE THAN 600 ENEMY DEAD TODAY AFTER A BATTLE THAT SHATTERED THE SPEARHEAD OF AN ENEMY DRIVE ON THE SOUTHERN PORT CITY OF MASAN.

THE BATTLE WAS YESTERDAY MORNING. BUT NOT UNTIL TODAY WAS THE MAGNITUDE OF THE VICTORY DISCOVERED.

THE FIGHT FORCED THE NORTH KOREANS TO WITHDRAW. IT DELAYED THEIR BUILD-UP FOR THE IMPORTANT PUSH TOWARD MASAN, ON THE HIGHWAY TO THE MAIN AMERICAN PORT OF PUSAN.

IN A BITTER FOUR-HOUR BATTLE, THE 27TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM, LED BY LT.COL.JOHN "MIKE" MICHAELIS OF LANCASTER, PA., VIRTUALLY WIPED OUT AN ENTIRE ENEMY REGIMENT.

THE RED COLONEL IN COMMAND OF THE OPERATION WAS KILLED.

THE ENEMY'S ATTACK WAS FIRST ASSESSED AS A RAID IN FORCE ON AN ARTILLERY BATTERY NEAR THE REGIMENTAL COMMAND POST. IT CAUGHT THE AMERICANS BY SURPRISE.

MICHAELIS' FIRST BATTALION HAD RETURNED ONLY THE NIGHT BEFORE FROM AN ARMORED RAID 22 MILES BEHIND ENEMY LINES. THE MEN, DOG-TIRED, WERE SLEEPING AROUND THE REGIMENTAL COMMAND POST.

THE ENEMY SLIPPED DOWN FROM THE HILLS AND THROUGH THE RICE PADDIES. THEY RAN INTO THE AMERICANS.

THE BATTLE RAGED THROUGH THE HILLS AND RICE PADDIES EIGHT MILES WEST OF MASAN, ABOUT 35 MILES FROM PUSAN.

THIS IS THE WAY IT HAPPENED, MICHAELIS SAID AFTER RECONSTRUCTING THE FIGHT FROM QUESTIONING PRISONERS AND FINDING ENEMY DEAD STREWN THROUGH RICE FIELDS, A BATTERED VILLAGE AND ON THE RIDGES:

ABOUT 250 REDS SLIPPED DOWN A DRAW. THEY BUMPED INTO THE ENTIRE AMERICAN BATTALION WHICH HAD FOUGHT ITS WAY FROM BEHIND ENEMY LINES ONLY A FEW HOURS BEFORE.

THAT WAS ABOUT 7 A.M. AMERICAN BAKERS, MECHANICS, DRIVERS, EVERYONE AROUND THE HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, GOT INTO THE FIGHT.

THE REDS BROUGHT UP ANOTHER 600 TROOPS AT 9 A.M. THEY CAME ALONG

A BACK ROAD ON TRUCKS AND PILED OUT NOT FAR FROM THE COMMAND POST.

THE ARTILLERY BATTERY NEAR THE COMMAND POST TURNED POINT-BLANK FIRE ON THE COMMUNISTS FROM ITS BIG 155S. THE AMERICANS HASTILY FORMED A DEFENSE LINE FROM WHICH THEY COULD POUR CARBINE AND MORTAR FIRE INTO THE ATTACKING REDS.

THE ARTILLERY FIRE WAS DIRECTED BY LT.COL.AUGUSTUS T.TERRY OF NEW ORLEANS.

A127FX

"I DON'T BELIEVE THAT THE 155S EVER WERE USED AT THAT CLOSE RANGE BEFORE," MICHAELIS SAID.

MANY OF THE ATTACKERS DASHED INTO A LITTLE MUD HUT VILLAGE. THE ARTILLERY BLASTED IT TO BITS. BODIES OF THE REDS WERE FOUND TODAY STREWN AMONG THE RUINS.

THE EXTENT OF THE AMERICAN SURPRISE AT THE VICTORY IS INDICATED BY FIRST ESTIMATES AFTER THE BATTLE--175 REDS KILLED, WHICH LATER TURNED OUT TO BE 600.

THE AMERICANS LOST 16 KILLED AND AND 44 WOUNDED, REGIMENTAL OFFICERS ESTIMATED.

THE RED COMMANDER WAS IDENTIFIED BY THE PAYBOOK HE CARRIED. THE BOOK SHOWED HIS RANK AND HIS RECORDS OF SERVICE IN THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY.

THE AMERICAN VICTORY APPEARED TO STRENGTHEN THE ENTIRE SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF THE DEFENSE LINES.

NEITHER THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION NOR THE SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION--THE LATEST U.S. DIVISIONS TO ARRIVE--HAS YET TASTED COMBAT. BUT A COMPANY OF FRESH REINFORCEMENTS GOT ITS FIRST BATTLE TEST LATE YESTERDAY.

A PLATOON OF COMPANY G--A UNIT OF THE NEW TROOPS--HELD A POSITION ON A HILL IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR. THE ENEMY ATTACKED AND DROVE THE PLATOON OFF THE HIGH GROUND. COMPANY G COUNTERATTACKED LAST NIGHT AND REGAINED THE HILL.

JL745APDP

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A140KX

SECOND NIGHT LEQD KOREAN AERIAL (270)

TOKYO,SATURDAY, AUG. 5-(AP)-ALLIED WARPLANES IN THEIR LARGEST NUMBER OF COMBAT SORTIES OF THE WAR FRIDAY SPREAD FLAMING HAVOC OVER ENEMY SUPPLY LINES BEHIND THE FRONT.

BOTH LAND AND CARRIER BASED U. S. MARINE FIGHTERS JOINED AIR FORCE JETS AND MUSTANGS AND AUSTRALIAN F-51'S IN WIDESPREAD ASSAULTS ON ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, COMMUNICATION LINES AND ARTILLERY INSTALLATION FOUR TOWNS WERE BURNED OUT.

A FIFTH AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID A RECORD 452 COMBAT SORTIES WERE FLOWN.

CHINJU, SPRINGBOARD FOR A COMMUNIST PUSH AT THE VITAL U. S. SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN, 55 AIR MILES TO THE EAST, WAS HIT BY A NAPALM (FIRE) BOMB STRIKE. PILOTS SOUGHT TO BURN UNDAMAGED SECTORS USED FOR COVER FOR RED TANKS AND GUNS.

FIFTEEN NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS WERE FLOWN. THESE NIGHT FLIGHTS RANGED FROM SUNCHON, ON THE SOUTHWEST COAST, NORTHWARD TO THE RED CAPTURED CAPITAL OF SEOUL. EIGHT B-26S, SIX F-82S AND ONE F-51 PARTICIPATED IN THE RAIDS.

FRIDAY'S SCORE INCLUDED SEVEN TANKS DESTROYED AND SEVEN DAMAGED, 34 TRUCKS DESTROYED. AND 29 DAMAGED.

ENEMY MATERIEL REPORTED HIT BY RETURNING PILOTS INCLUDED:

A 10,000-TON NORTH KOREAN SHIP AT THE PORT OF INCHON ON THE WEST COAST, SEVEN LOCOMOTIVES KNOCKED OUT, ONE SPAN OVER THE NAM RIVER KNOCKED OUT AND TWO OTHERS DAMAGED, BARGE TRAFFIC ON THE NAKTONG RIVER SHOT UP AND EIGHT ANTI-AIRCRAFT BATTERIES SILENCED.

IT WAS THE FIRST TIME MARINE PILOTS OPERATED FROM A BASE IN KOREA. THEY FLEW WITH FIFTH AIR FORCE MUSTANG PILOTS IN THE HYOPCHON AREA SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, 55 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

AIR CONTROL AND FIGHTER BOMBER PILOTS REPORTED THE REDS WERE BUILDING UP TROOPS AND SUPPLIES IN THE KOCHANG AND KUMCHON AREAS, BOTH WEST OF TAEGU. THIS INDICATED A PROBABLE IMPENDING OFFENSIVE AGAINST TAEGU, A KEY BASE CITY ONLY SEVEN MILES NORTHEAST OF THE NEAREST BEND IN THE NAKTONG RIVER.

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A141KX

UNITED NATIONS FORCES ARE USING THE RIVER AS A MAIN LINE OF DEFENSE.

EIGHT TANKS WERE SIGHTED IN THE KUMCHON AREA NORTHEAST OF TAEGU AND THE AIRMEN ALSO DETECTED REDS HIDING SUPPLIES UNDER TREES.

THE REDS WERE USING HORSE-DRAWN CARTS TO MKOVE THEIR EQUIPMENT.

EARLIER IT WAS ANNOUNCED THAT ROCKET AND MACHINE GUN STRAFING HAS SCATTERED COMMUNIST SOLDIERS MOVING TO THE NEW UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINE ON THE NAKTONG.

THE RIVER WINDS A FEW MILES WEST OF TAEGU. IT IS THE BEST LINE THE AMERICANS HAVE FOUND SO FAR IN THE KOREAN WAR. TAEGU IS 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN, OBJECTIVE OF THE RED DRIVE TO PUSH THE AMERICANS OFF THE KOREAN PENINSULA.

EIGHT NAVY CORSAIRS BOMBED AND ROCKETED VILLAGES WEST OF THE RIVER. THEY LEFT THEM IN FLAMES.

MEANWHILE, LAND-AND CARRIER-BASED U.S. PLANES CLAIMED DESTRUCTION OF TWO KEY NORTH KOREAN TARGETS--AN AMMUNITION PLANT AT HUNGNAM AND A GASOLINE REFINERY AT WONSAN.

HUNGNAM IS ON THE EAST COAST 118 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. WONSAN IS A PORT CITY ON THE SAME COASTLINE 10 MILES NORTH OF THE PARALLEL.

LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, COMMANDING THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE, SAID IN AN OPERATIONAL RELEASE THAT THE VITAL PLANT AT HUNGNAM "SUFFERED SUCH MORTAL DAMAGE IN THREE LARGE SCALE PRECISION BOMBING ATTACKS OF THE PAST FIVE DAYS THAT IT CAN NO LONGER BE CONSIDERED A MAJOR FACTOR IN THE KOREAN WAR."

MORE THAN 1,200 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON THE TARGETS IN THE THREE STRIKES BETWEEN JULY 30 AND AUG. 3 BY U.S. SUPERFORTS. THE PLANES FLEW FROM U.S. BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA.

THE GASOLINE REFINERY AT WONSAN, SAID MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, WAS "PRACTICALLY DESTROYED" BY FIGHTERS FROM A U.S.SEVENTH FLEET AIRCRAFT CARRIER AS LONG AGO AS JULY 18.

MACARTHUR SAID A RECENT AERIAL INSPECTION SHOWED THE RESULTS OF THAT RAID. OBSERVERS SAID THE PLANT, KEY SOURCE OF FUEL SUPPLIES FOR RED TANKS, WAS LEFT IN A TWISTED MASS OF STEEL.

THE PLANT HAD BURNED FOUR DAYS AFTER 21 RAIDERS SET IT ABLAZE WITH BOMBS AND ROCKETS.

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TOKYO,AUG.4-(AP)-AMERICAN B-29 BOMBING RAIDS ON HUNGNAM HAVE "DEFINITELY HALTED" PRODUCTION OF AMMUNITION AND OTHER WAR MATERIAL IN THAT NORTH KOREAN INDUSTRIAL CENTER, THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES SAID TODAY.

IN THREE BIG STRIKES THE B-29S DROPPED 1,300 TONS OF BOMBS ON

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HUNGNAM WAR PLANTS.
LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, FEAF COMMANDER, SAID IN AN OFFICIAL RELEASE THEY DAMAGED 85 PER CENT OF THE BUILDINGS, LABORATORIES, POWER PLANTS AND WAREHOUSES IN THE TARGET AREA.

HUNGNAM IS THE HEART OF THE NORTH KOREAN CHEMICAL AND MUNITIONS INDUSTRY, ON THE EAST COAST 118 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

B-29S HIT THE CHOSEN (KOREAN) NITROGEN EXPLOSIVES PLANT SUNDAY, THE CHOSEN NITROGEN FERTILIZER FACTORY TUESDAY, AND THE BOGUN CHEMICAL PLANT THURSDAY. ALL TARGETS WERE DESCRIBED AS "HIGHLY SENSITIVE."

THE PLANTS WERE INTERRELATED AND DEPENDENT ON EACH OTHER, FEAF SAID.

TOGETHER THEY PRODUCED ACIDS, NITROGEN, NITROGLYCERINE, HYDROGEN AND CHEMICALS NECESSARY TO PRODUCE EXPLOSIVES. THE COMBINE WAS THE LARGEST OF ITS TYPE IN THE ORIENT.

IT HAS BEEN EXPANDED AND PRODUCTION INCREASED CONSIDERABLY SINCE THE START OF THE KOREAN WAR.

THE AIR FORCE SAID PHOTOGRAPHS VERIFIED REPORTS OF RETURNING PILOTS THAT THEIR BOMBS HAD SET HUGE FIRES. AIRMEN HAD REPORTED BEING BOUNCEI AROUND BY SHOCK WAVES AT 15,000 FEET IN ONE RAID, INDICATING THE TREMENDOUS EXPLOSIONS THE RAIDERS HAD TOUCHED OFF.

PHOTOS SHOWED CRATERS AND BURNED OUT BUILDINGS WHERE STORAGE VATS, COKE OVENS AND OTHER PERMANENT STRUCTURES HAD BEEN.

"IT CAN NO LONGER BE CONSIDERED A FACTOR IN THE KOREAN WAR," GENERAL STRATEMEYER SAID.

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TOKYO, AUG 4-(AP)-A HUGE NORTH KOREAN REFINERY--ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL FUEL SOURCES FOR NORTH KOREAN TANKS--HAS BEEN BLASTED BY U.S. NAVAL PLANES INTO A TWISTED MASS OF STEEL, AMERICAN AIRMEN REPORTED TODAY.

U.S. B-29 SUPERFORTS FROM THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE HAD MADE A NUMBER OF EARLIER RAIDS ON WONSAN'S RAILWAY YARDS, INFLICTING HEAVY DAMAGE.

PILOTS ON A U.S. 7TH FLEET AIRCRAFT CARRIER MADE THE REPORT AFTER FLYING OVER WONSAN, EAST COAST INDUSTRIAL CITY ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL. NAVAL AIRCRAFT HIT THE WONSAN REFINERY JULY 18.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY PILOT OBSERVERS REPORTED THE PLANT "PRACTICALLY DESTROYED."

IT HAD BURNED FOR FOUR DAYS AFTER 21 RAIDERS SET IT ABLAZE WITH BOMBS AND HIGH VELOCITY ROCKETS.

THE ATTACKING FORCE CONSISTED OF 11 SKYRAIDERS AND TEN CORSAIRS. THEY ATTACKED OCCASIONAL TARGETS ON THEIR WAY TO WONSAN, AS A DIVERSIONARY TACTIC.

FOUR CORSAIRS LED THE ASSAULT ON THE REFINERY. THEY FIRED 28 FIVE-INCH ROCKETS INTO THE CENTER OF THE TARGET. LARGE FIRES BROKE OUT IMMEDIATELY.

THE SKYRAIDERS FOLLOWED, DROPPING TEN 1,000-POUND BOMBS, SEVERAL 500 POUNDERS AND SPRAYING THE AREA WITH ROCKETS. ONE OF THE LARGER BOME

500 POUNDERS AND SPRAYING THE AREA WITH ROCKETS. ONE OF THE LARGER BOMBS HIT A BIG STORAGE TANK SQUARELY. IT BURST INTO A BLANKET OF FLAME.

SIX ROCKETING CORSAIRS WOUND UP THE ATTACK. THEY FIRED MORE THAN 40 ROCKETS INTO OIL TANKS AND FACILITIES. BY THE TIME THE PLANES TURNED HOME, THE AREA WAS COVERED WITH BILLOWING BLACK SMOKE, DOTTED WITH LEAPING FLAMES.

ON THE RETURN TRIP THE RAIDERS STRAFED A NORTH KOREAN GUNBOAT. NO PLANES WERE REPORTED LOST IN THE OPERATION.

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG 5-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 201, ISSUED AT 12:10 A.M. (9 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME FRIDAY) FOLLOWS:

LATEST REPORTS TONIGHT AUGUST 4TH INDICATE NO LET UP IN THE HEAVY PRESSURE ALONG THE CHINJU-PUSAN AXIS.

THE ENEMY IS STILL UNABLE TO ADVANCE IN THIS AREA DUE TO COUNTER-ATTACKING AMERICAN FORCES. THE FIGHTING CONTINUES ALONG AN ARC RUNNING FROM 20 MILES SOUTHEAST TO ELEVEN MILES EAST TO 15 MILES NORTHEAST OF CHINJU. ENEMY DEAD WAS ESTIMATED AT 600 IN THIS AREA DURING FIGHTING ON AUGUST 3.

EXCEPT FOR BOTH FRIENDLY AND ENEMY PATROLS THE REMAINDER OF THE FRONT IS STILL DISENGAGED. INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE COMMUNIST FORCES ARE REGROUPING, WITH THE POSSIBLE SHIFTING OF TWO MORE DIVISIONS TO THE FIGHTING IN THE SOUTH.

THE FIGHTING IN THE YONGDOK VICINITY IS REPORTED AS CONTINUING WITH HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE FROM THE ENEMY. HOWEVER POSITIONS WERE REPORTED AS 'STABLE'.

THE COLUMN OF 45 TANKS REPORTED EARLIER (IN THE AUGUST 4 BRIEFING) AS MOVING SOUTHWARD FROM SUWON AND TAEJON HAVE BEEN FOUND TO BE WRECKS OF TANKS PREVIOUSLY DESTROYED.

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE TEXT OF GEN. MACARTHUR'S KOREAN RELEASE NO. 202 ISSUED AT 12:20 P.M. (9:20 P.M., EST, FRIDAY):

TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, BRIDGES, RAILROAD AND HIGHWAY JUNCTIONS AND ANTIAIRCRAFT INSTALLATIONS WERE FRIDAY'S TARGETS FOR THE CARRIER-BASED UNITED STATES MARINE FLYERS.

IN FOUR STRIKES ON THE CHINJU SECTOR THEY BADLY DAMAGED TWO BRIDGES, SILENCED EIGHT ANTIAIRCRAFT BATTERIES AND BURNED OUT FOUR TOWNS WHERE NORTH KOREAN FORCES HAD CONCENTRATED ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT.

ELEMENTS OF THE SQUADRON WHICH REMAINED ASHORE AFTER THURSDAY'S STRIKES TO CONFER WITH ARMY AND AIR FORCE RETURNED TO THE CARRIER AND REPORTED THEY HAD BOMBED AND ROCKETED SINKON, STARTING EIGHT LARGE FIRES, AND THEN STAFED BARGE TRAFFIC ON THE NAKTONG RIVER. SINKON WAS REVISITED FRIDAY BY OTHER UNITS OF THE SQUADRON WHO FOUND THIS RAIL AND HIGHWAY JUNCTION STILL BURNING SO THEY MOVED ON TO TWO TROOP CONCENTRATION CENTERS, DESTROYING ONE AND LEAVING THE OTHER BURNING VIGOROUSLY. A HEAVILY CAMOUFLAGED TRUCK OR TANK TRAIL WAS REPEATEDLY STRAFED AND ROCKETED.

AT UIRYONG OTHER UNITS OF THE SQUADRON KNOCKED OUT THE EAST SPAN OF A TRAFFIC BRIDGE OVER THE RIVER NAM AND SILENCED SEVEN OR EIGHT 20 MM AND 40 MM BATTERIES WITH ONLY SLIGHT FLAK DAMAGE TO ONE AIRPLANE. OTHER UNITS BOMBED, ROCKETED AND STRAFED THE TWO MAJOR RAIL AND HIGHWAY CENTERS OF ENEMY HELD SOUTH KOREA, SACHON AND CHINJU, SETTING "NUMEROUS FIRES."

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TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.5-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 203, ISSUED AT 1:15 P.M., KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME (10:15 P.M., FRIDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

ACTIVITY THROUGHOUT THE PAST 24-HOUR PERIOD HAS BEEN RELATIVELY

QUIET. THE U.N. FORCES IN KOREA CONTINUED TO CONSOLIDATE AND TO IMPROVE THEIR NEW DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.

ENEMY ATTACKS IN THE CHINJU SECTOR WERE REPULSED WITH HEAVY LOSSES TO THE ENEMY AND NO ADVANCES HAVE BEEN REPORTED.

IN THE YONGDOK AREA, THE 23RD REGIMENT OF THE 3RD ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) DIVISION WAS ATTACKED BY ENEMY FORCES ESTIMATED AT TWO BATTALIONS IN STRENGTH. THIS ATTACK WAS UNDOUBTEDLY AN EFFORT BY THE REDS TO RELIEVE THE PRESSURE CAUSED BY THE ADVANCES OF THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION. THE ATTACK WAS REPULSED WITH HEAVY COMMUNIST LOSSES AND RESULTED IN COMPLETE FAILURE.

PRELIMINARY REPORTS BY THE AIR FORCE OF STRIKE RESULTS INDICATE LARGE DAMAGE INFLICTED UPON THE ENEMY DURING YESTERDAY'S AIR OPERATIONS. ENEMY RAIL AND MOTOR TRANSPORTATION AS WELL AS TROOP CONCENTRATIONS CONTINUED TO BE A CHOICE TARGET FOR BOTH FIGHTER AND BOMBER PLANES. THE FIGHTER PLANES, IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF OUR OWN INFANTRY TROOPS, TOOK A HEAVY TOLL OF COMMUNIST PERSONNEL.
COORDINATION BETWEEN OUR AIR AND GROUND FORCES REMAINED EXCELLENT. MANY TARGETS WERE ATTACKED AND DESTROYED. MARINE FIGHTER AIRCRAFT YESTERDAY JOINED THE FORCES ALREADY ENGAGED BY ATTACKING TARGETS IN THE CHINJU AREA IN THEIR TRADITIONAL EFFECTIVE MANNER.

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TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.5-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 204, ISSUED AT 2:05 P.M., KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME (11:05 P.M., FRIDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

THE TEMPO OF THE AIR WAR OVER KOREA REACHED A NEW HIGH ON AUGUST 4 AS U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES FIGHTERS, BOMBERS AND TRANSPORTS AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE FIGHTERS LAUNCHED A RECORD NUMBER OF SORTIES FOR A SINGLE DAY SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT.

MORE THAN 550 SORTIES BY ALL TYPES OF AIRCRAFT WERE FLOWN DURING THE 24 HOUR PERIOD. (ENDING MIDNIGHT FRIDAY, KOREAN TIME).

FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS ON A DAYLIGHT MISSION TO THE INCHON HARBOR AREA SURPRISED AND SANK A FREIGHTER OR TRANSPORT ESTIMATED TO BE OF ABOUT 10,000 TONS. THE SHIP WAS UNLOADING CARGO INTO TUGS OR LIGHTERS APPROXIMATELY 3,000 YARDS OFFSHORE WHEN THE ATTACK OCCURRED AND WAS LEFT SINKING AFTER TWO BOMBING RUNS BY THE B-26S. TWO TUGS WERE ALSO BELIEVED SUNK IN THE SAME ATTACK.

FOUR SMALLER COASTAL SHIPS WERE DAMAGED BY F-80 JET FIGHTERS IN STRAFING AND ROCKET STRIKES AT SINCHON, SEVEN MILES EAST OF INCHON, AND TWO WOODEN SHIPS WERE HIT AND DAMAGED IN INCHON HARBOR. THE FIGHTERS CONFIRMED THE SINKING OF THE FREIGHTER BY THE B-26S IN THE SAME AREA.

B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES BOMBER COMMAND STAGED A SUCCESSFUL ATTACK ON THE SEOUL MARSHALLING YARDS, AN IMPORTANT CENTER FOR THE MOVEMENT OF MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT SOUTH TO THE BATTLE FRONT. APPROXIMATELY 80 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES WERE DROPPED IN NEAR-PERFECT PATTERNS CUTTING OFF THE NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN CHOKE-POINTS AND DAMAGING MACHINE SHOPS ON THE WESTERN SIDE.

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NUMEROUS FIRES WERE OBSERVED FOLLOWING THE SUPERFORTRESS ASSAULT.

EVIDENCE OF A POSSIBLE INCREASE IN NORTH KOREAN AIR ACTIVITY SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL WAS SEEN IN THREE AREAS. B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS BOMBED AND STRAFED EIGHT AIRCRAFT ON THE GROUND AT KUMCHON, 15 MILES FROM THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE, AND FOUR OTHERS AT OSAN, 10 MILES SOUTH OF SUWON. THE EXTENT OF DAMAGE WAS NOT KNOWN. FOUR SINGLE-ENGINE FIGHTERS WERE SEEN TAKING OFF FROM KIMPO AIRFIELD BY B-29S FLYING IN THE SEOUL AREA. THE FIGHTERS MADE NO ATTEMPT TO ATTACK THE BOMBERS.

OTHER B-26 BOMBER DAYLIGHT STRIKES WERE AIMED AT THE KUMCHON AND OSAN MARSHALLING YARDS AND AT DOCKSIDE WAREHOUSES IN THE INCHON AREA WHICH WERE BOMBED AND LEFT BURNING. A RAILROAD BRIDGE WAS HIT AND DAMAGED AT KUMCHON.

B-26 NIGHT INTRUDER SORTIES STRUCK AT TARGETS FROM SUNCHON NORTH TO SEOUL. JOINED BY FIFTH AIR FORCE F-82 NIGHT FIGHTERS AND F-51S, THE B-26S BOMBED AND STRAFED ROADS, TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND CONVOYS OVER A WIDE FRONT IN A SERIES OF NIGHT ATTACKS.

FLYING WEATHER FOR BOTH BOMBER AND FIGHTER OPERATIONS WAS EXCELLENT IN MOST LOCAL AREAS THROUGHOUT THE DAY.

FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80 JET FIGHTERS AND F-51S FLEW MORE THAN 375 ARMED RECONNAISSANCE AND GROUND SUPPORT SORTIES BEHIND THE NORTH KOREAN LINES. THE FIGHTERS WORKING UNDER THE DIRECTION OF AIR FORCE FORWARD GROUND CONTROLLERS, POUNDED STEADILY AT NORTH KOREAN TROOPS, VEHICLES, ROADS, BRIDGES, SUPPLY DEPOTS AND OTHER FACILITIES.

F-51S CLAIMED DAMAGE TO BRIDGES AT SANGJU, 20 MILES NORTH OF KUMCHON, AND CHINJU, AND F-80S HIT A BRIDGE AT HYOPCHON, 15 MILES SOUTHEAST OF KOCHANG. THE F-80S ALSO FIRED AN AMMUNITION DUMP AND KNOCKED OUT A GUN POSITION IN THE HYOPCHON AREA.

ON THE NORTHERN FRONT, F-80S STRAFED AND DAMAGED A MOTOR POOL AT ANDONG. TROOPS AND SUPPLIES WERE STRAFED AND CASUALTIES REPORTED IN AN ATTACK ON A SANDBAR IN THE HAN RIVER NEAR SEOUL. NUMEROUS TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE STRAFED IN BATTLEFRONT AREAS BY BOTH THE F-80S AND F-51S.

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VEHICULAR AND GROUND INSTALLATION DAMAGE TOTALS FOR THE DAY INCLUDED 90 VEHICLES OF ALL TYPES, 10 LOCOMOTIVES, 43 RAILROAD CARS AND SEVEN ARTILLERY PIECES.

RAAF MUSTANGS, ALSO FLYING A RECORD NUMBER OF SORTIES, DAMAGED TWO BRIDGES AT KUMCHON AND STRAFED NORTH KOREAN VEHICLES AND TROOPS IN 14 SMALL VILLAGES.

CARGO AIRCRAFT OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE AIRLIFTED MORE THAN 281 TONS OF ESSENTIAL MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO KOREA DURING THE DAY'S OPERATIONS. APPROXIMATELY 60 SORTIES WERE FLOWN TO ACHIEVE THIS VOLUME OF TRAFFIC, THE HIGHEST SINCE THE UNITED NATIONS BEGAN THE EFFORT TO STOP THE NORTH KOREAN INVASION.

NO NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION WAS MET AND NO DAMAGE TO OUR AIRCRAFT OR INJURY TO PERSONNEL RESULTED FROM ANTIAIRCRAFT OR GROUND FIRE DURING THE DAY.

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U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SATURDAY, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE TEXT OF THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 20 ISSUED AT 12:10 P.M. (9:10 P.M., EST, FRIDAY):

DURING THE LAST 24 HOURS THERE HAS BEEN NO REAL ATTACK BY EITHER SIDE. ACTION HAS BEEN ON A PATROL LEVEL, WITH EACH ARMY FEELING OUT THE POSITIONS OF ITS OPPOSITION.

THE 25TH DIVISION PATROLLING HAS BEEN QHITE ACTIVE WITH CONTINUOUS CONTACT WITH ENEMY ELEMENTS REPORTED. UNCONFIRMED REPORTS INDICATE THAT THE ENEMY MAY LAUNCH AN ATTACK EASY OF CHINJU TODAY. AS YET THERE HAVE BEEN NO REPORTS TO CONFIRM SUCH ACTION.

THE 24TH DIVISION REPPORTS THAT THE ENEMY IS MOVING UP TO THE NAKTONG RIVER. ITS PATROLS HAVE FOUND NO LARGE CONCENTRATIONS, HOWEVER.

THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION'S PATROLS HAVE RANGED FAR OUT IN FRONT OF ITS POSITIONS WITHOUT MAKING POSITIVE CONTACT WITH ENEMY UNITS.

IN THE SOUTH KOREAN SECTOR ENEMY PRESSURE IS FORCING BACK THE COVERING FORCES EAST OF SANGJU, SOUTHEAST OF HAMCHANG, AND SOUTH OF YECHON AND ANDONG. THESE COVERING FORCES ARE KEEPING CONTACT WITH

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THE ENEMY OUT IN FRONT OF THE NEWLY-ORGANIZED DEFENSIVE LINES TO WHICH THESE UNITS VOLUNTARILY WITHDREW.

IN THE YONGDOK AREA, THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION IS CONSOLIDATI-ING ITS POSITIONS AND REORGANIZING ITS PERSONNEL BEFORE RESUMING ITS OFFENSIVE.

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AIR TEXT (410)

TOKYO,AUG.4-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST AIR FORCE RELEASE ISSUED TODAY:

"THE CHEMICAL-INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX OF KONAN HAS SUFFERED SUCH MORTAL DAMAGE IN THE THREE LARGE-SCALE PRECISION BOMBING ATTACKS OF THE PAST FIVE DAYS THAT IT CAN NO LONGER BE CONSIDERED A MAJOR FACTOR IN THE KOREAN WAR," LT.GENERAL GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES, SAID LATE THIS AFTERNOON.

"THE PRODUCTION OF AMMUNITION, EXPLOSIVES, AND OTHER ESSENTIALS FOR WAGING WAR FORMERLY PRODUCED BY THIS COMPLEX HAS DEFINITELY BEEN HALTED," HE ADDED.

MORE THAN 1,200 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DELIVERED TO THE TARGET IN THREE AIR STRIKES DURING THE PERIOD JULY 30 TO AUG. 3 BY U.S. AIR FORCE SUPERFORTRESSES BASED IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA. THE THREE MISSIONS WERE CONDUCTED BY MAJ.GEN.EMMETT O'DONNELL'S FAR EAST AIR FORCES BOMBER COMMAND.

THE CHOSEN NITROGEN EXPLOSIVES COMPANY WAS HIT JULY 30. THE MATHE-MATICAL DETERMINATION OF THE RESULTS WAS THAT 85 PER CENT OF THE INDUSTRIAL TARGET HAD BEEN EFFECTIVELY DAMAGED, INCLUDING BUILDINGS, LABORATORIES, POWER-HOUSES, WAREHOUSES AND RAILROAD SPURS WIPED OUT.

THE CHOSEN NITROGEN FERTILIZER COMPANY WAS HIT AUG. 1. SIXTY PER CENT OF THE BUILDINGS IN THE AREA WERE DESTROYED OR DAMAGED, AND ANOTHER TEN PER CENT OF THE AREA CRIPPLED. MORE THAN 120 BUILDINGS OF PERMANENT TYPE CONSTRUCTION WERE AFFECTED.

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THE BOGUN CHEMICAL COMPANY WAS HIT AUG. 3. APPROXIMATELY 60 LARGE FACTORY BUILDINGS WERE DESTROYED, SIX HIT HEAVILY, AND TEN RECEIVED STRUCTURAL DAMAGE.

ON EACH MISSION MORE THAN 400 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES DESCENDED UPON THE HIGHLY SENSITIVE TARGETS.

THE THREE TARGETS, ALTHOUGH ATTACKED SEPARATELY, ARE INTER-RELATED AND DEPENDENT UPON EACH OTHER FOR THE EXPLOSIVES AND OTHER WAR-MAKING MATERIALS MANUFACTURED FOR THE NORTH KOREAN ARMED FORCES. THEY ARE LOCATED WITHIN FOUR MILES OF EACH OTHER ALONG A BAY AND RIVER ABOUT 110 MILES ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THE THIRD TARGET, THE BOGUN CHEMICAL COMPANY, DEPENDED UPON THE FIRST TWO FOR ITS EXISTENCE.

TOGETHER THE THREE PRODUCED SUCH WAR PRODUCTS AS SEVERAL KINDS OF ACIDS, NITROGEN, NITROGLYCERINE, HYDROGEN, CHEMICALS NECESSARY IN THE MANUFACTURE OF EXPLOSIVES, PHOSPHATE FERTILIZER, CHLORINE, CAUSTIC SODA, SOME ALUMINUM, MAGNESIUM, AND COPPER, AND BY-PRODUCTS USED IN CLEANING AND PURIFYING CHEMICALS FOR EXPLOSIVES.

A STUDY BY OPERATIONS ANALYSTS OF THE POST-STRIKE PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN BY RECONNAISSANCE B-29S REVEALED CRATED AND BURNED OUT BUILDINGS WHERE HUGE STORAGE VATS, COKE OVENS, WAREHOUSES AND OTHER PERMANENT TYPE CONSTRUCTIONS ONCE EXISTED.

PRIOR TO THE THREE MISSIONS THE COMBINE WAS THE LARGEST OF ITS TYPE IN THE FAR EAST. SINCE THE LAST WAR PARTS OF THE COMPLEX HAD BEEN EX-PANDED CONSIDERABLY AND PRODUCTIVITY STEPPED UP ACCORDINGLY.

ANALYSIS MADE FRIDAY VERIFIED PREVIOUS REPORTS OF PILOTS, BOMBARDIERS AND OTHER B-29 CREW MEMBERS WHO SAID THEY FELT EXPLOSIONS WELL ABOVE 15,000 FEET AFTER BOMBS WERE AWAY, INDICATING THAT THE CORE OF THE CHEMICAL PRODUCERS HAD BEEN HIT. THE PICTURES ALSO VERIFIED THE FIRES REPORTED SEEN IN THE AREA AFTER EACH OF THE MISSIONS.

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RED BROADCASTS (120)

TOKYO,AUG.4-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST PYONGYANG RADIO TODAY BROADCAST A NORTH KOREAN ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAYING RED FORCES "WITH CLOSE COOPERA-TION OF AIR UNITS, DESTROYED AMERICAN TANK AND ARTILLERY UNITS AND CAPTURED KUMCHON" WEDNESDAY.

AMERICANS ABANDONED KUMCHON IN MIDWEEK BUT THERE WERE NO INDICATIONS THAT THE REDS HAD EFFECTIVE AIR SUPPORT, IF ANY.

THE BROADCAST SAID "HUGE QUANTITIES OF WAR MATERIALS WERE CAPTURED AND THEY ARE AT PRESENT BEING SORTED OUT."

AMERICAN FRONT LINE DISPATCHES SAID KUMCHON, ON THE WESTERN SECTOR, WAS ABANDONED IN AN ORDERLY RETREAT WHEN AMERICAN FORCES WITHDREW TO THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.

THE BROADCAST SAID THE NORTH KOREANS GOT ANOTHER LARGE BATCH OF WAR MATERIAL WHEN THEY OCCUPIED HYOPCHON, ANOTHER TOWN ON THE WESTERN SECTOR.

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LONDON, AUG 4-(AP)-THE AUGUST 4 MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:

"ON ALL FRONTS THE PEOPLE'S ARMY UNITS, INFLICTING ENORMOUS LOSSES ON THE ENEMY, CONTINUED TO PUSH SOUTHWARDS.

"UNITS OF THE PEOPLES ARMY, ADVANCING FROM THE DIRECTION OF SANGJU ON AUGUST 2, FULLY LIBERATED THE CITY, WHICH IS AN IMPORTANT LINK IN THE ENEMY'S DEFENSES.

"IN THE FIGHTING FOR THE LIBERATION OF THE CITY THE UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY INFLICTED ENORMOUS LOSSES ON THE ENEMY BOTH IN MANPOWER AND MATERIALS. LARGE NUMBERS OF TROPHIES WERE CAPTURED.

"ON THE EAST COAST UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED FIERCE ENGAGEMENTS WITH THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS. SUPPORTING THE ADVANCE OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY THE PARTISANS HAVE INTENSIFIED THEIR ACTIVITIES OF KYONGJU, ULSAN, PUSAN, [redacted] AND ELSEWHERE."

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LONDON, AUG 4-(AP)-THE TEXT OF THE EVENING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES, AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:

THE SUPREME COMMAND OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC REPORTS THAT ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, OVERCOMING THE DEFENSE OF AMERICAN TROOPS, CONTINUED THEIR ADVANCE.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY BROKE THE FIERCE RESISTANCE OF AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS AND COMPLETELY LIBERATED THE TOWN OF KUMCHON, AN IMPORTANT BASE OF THE ENEMY'S DEFENSE COVERING THE APPROACHES TO TAEGU.

IN THE BATTLE FOR THE LIBERATION OF KUMCHON, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY INFLICTED TELLING BLOWS UPON THE MAIN FORCES OF THE FIRST CAVALRY MECHANIZED DIVISION OF THE AMERICAN TROOPS. MANY PRISONERS WERE TAKEN AND TROPHIES CAPTURED.

OTHER UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY LIBERATED THE TOWN OF HYOPCHON (KBOSEN). NEIGHBORING AREAS OF THE TOWN WERE ALSO LIBERATED.

IN THE FIGHTING FOR THE LIBERATION OF HYOPCHON. UNITS OF THE

PEOPLE'S ARMY DESTROYED A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF SOLDIERS AND OFFICERS OF THE ENEMY.
PRISONERS WERE TAKEN AND TROPHIES CAPTURED.
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NAKTONG LINE (260)
BY O.H.P. KING
WITH THE 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 4-(AP)-MAJ. GEN. JOHN E. CHURCH SAID TODAY HIS 24TH DIVISION MEN--OLDEST VETERANS OF THE KOREAN WAR--WOULD STAND ON THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.
THE LINE IS THE BEST DEFENSIVE POSITION THE AMERICANS HAVE FOUND. AND THE GENERAL'S ANNOUNCEMENT WAS THE BEST NEWS HIS MEN HAVE HAD AFTER A DISHEARTENING SERIES OF WITHDRAWALS.
"WE HAVE NO PLACE TO GO BUT TO THE HILLS," CHURCH SAID. "WE CAN DO BETTER HERE. SO WE'LL STAY HERE."
TWO NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST PATROLS TRIED TO CROSS THE RIVER BEFORE DAYLIGHT TODAY. AMERICAN RIFLEMEN FIRED ON THEM AND THEY DISAPPEARED.
IN DAYLIGHT A SMALL GROUP OF COMMUNISTS MOVED TO THE RIVER'S WEST BANK WITH CARTS. AIR STRIKES WERE CALLED FOR.
AS THE AMERICAN PLANES SWOOPED IN THE REDS RAN FROM THE CARTS. THE AIRMEN STRAFED THE RIVER BANKS AS WELL AS THE CARTS, AND FLUSHED SOME COMMUNISTS OUT INTO RUNNING UNDER THE STRAFING FIRE.
EIGHT NAVY CORSAIRS BOMBED AND ROCKETED VILLAGES WEST OF THE RIVER. SMOKE FROM THE BURNING VILLAGES COLUMNED INTO THE SUNSET.
THERE WAS WELCOME QUIET TODAY. NO INFANTRY ACTION WAS REPORTED FOR THE HEAVILY WORKED 24TH DIVISION.
THE 24TH WAS SHIFTED TO THE RIVER LINE AFTER IT WAS RELIEVED ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT BY THE 25TH, SHIFTED DOWN FROM THE WESTERN LINE NORTH OF KUMCHON.
THE 24TH GOT ITS EXPERIENCE IN HOLDING RIVER LINES DURING ITS DELAYING ACTION WHEN IT WAS THE ONLY U.S. DIVISION IN KOREA. ONE OF ITS BATTALIONS HELD A TEN-MILE FRONT ON THE KUM RIVER FOR THREE DAYS AGAINST HEAVY COMMUNIST ATTACK. IT HAD NO FLANKING SUPPORT THEN. THE SITUATION IS DIFFERENT NOW, WITH A SOLID LINE AND PROTECTED FLANKS.
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A216KX
(260)
BY O.H.P. KING
WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG.3-(DELAYD)-(AP)-A U.S. MEDICAL OFFICER REPORTED TODAY THAT NORTH KOREAN REDS MURDERED TWO WOUNDED AMERICAN PRISONERS ON THE BATTLEFIELD YESTERDAY.
HE SAID THE HANDS OF BOTH AMERICANS HAD BEEN TIED. ONE OF THEM HAD BEEN SHOT IN THE HEAD AND THE OTHER HAD BEEN BAYONETED.
(FRONTLINE REPORTS JULY 11 INDICATED AT LEAST 18 OTHER AMERICAN SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN BOUND AND SLAIN BY THEIR COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN CAPTORS.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM R.MOORE, HIMSELF NOW MISSING IN ACTION, REPORTED JULY 18 THAT 30 WOUNDED U.S.SOLDIERS WERE SHOT TO DEATH ON THEIR LITTERS BY THE NORTH KOREANS ON THE KUM RIVER."
LT.ROBERT G.BROWN, 27, (294 N. MAIN ST.) GREENVILLE, TENN., SAID THE TWO AMERICANS WERE BROUGHT IN TO SAFER GROUND FROM A RIDGE BETWEEN U.S. AND RED POSITIONS ABOUT 4:30 P.M. YESTERDAY. HE CONTINUED:
"ONE MAN HAD BEEN WOUNDED IN THE LEG. A CORPSMAN PUT A PRESSURE DRESSING ON IT AS SOON AS HE COULD. HE GAVE FIRST AID TO THE OTHERS AND WENT BACK LATER.
"THE WOUNDED MAN'S HANDS HAD BEEN TIED ABOVE HIS HEAD AND HE HAD BEEN BAYONETED."
THE OTHER MAN'S HANDS HAD BEEN TIED WITH A STRING AND HE HAD BEEN SHOT THROUGH THE BACK OF THE HEAD, BROWN ADDED.
THE BODIES WERE FOUND BY PFC SHAFTER WATTS, 28, WHOSE PARENTS, MR. AND MRS.C.W.WATTS, LIVE AT JACKSON, KY.
CPL. HENRY VANNADORE, 34 (PARKER ST.) BAXLEY, GA., SAID "ON JULY 26 ABOVE CHINJU, MY BUDDY AND I WERE TOTING A LITTER AND IT WAS KNOCKED CLEAN OUT OF OUR HANDS INTO A RICE PADDY."
CPL.KENNETH MILLS OF FALFURRIAS, TEXAS, WAS FIRED ON REPEATEDLY ON THE SAME DAY WHILE ATTEMPTING TO GIVE WOUNDED FIRST AID TREATMENT, HE SAID.
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A232KX
(200)
BY DON WHITEHEAD
ON THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT,AUG 4 (AP)-A U.S.SOLDIER, CAPTURED BY THE REDS, ELUDED HIS GUARD, DRESSED HIMSELF IN NATIVE CLOTHES AND RETURNED SAFELY TODAY.
A SIMILAR STUNT LAST WEEKEND SAVED THE LIFE OF PFC JAMES CANNON OF MEDFORD, MASS.
THE ONE WHO MADE IT TODAY WAS PFC.ROBERT L.YOUNG, 19, OF PULLMAN, MICH., WHO NOT ONLY ESCAPED DEATH AT THE HANDS OF THE REDS, BUT ALSO BROUGHT BACK AN ACCOUNT OF HOW THE COMMUNISTS GET MORTARS TO THE FRONT LINES.
"AN OLD WOMAN IN A BLACK SHIRT AND WHITE BLOUSE, AND WEARING A SORT OF BANDANNA, CAME UP TO WHERE I WAS BEING HELD," HE SAID. "SHE DROPPED A PACK WHICH LOOKED LIKE AN ORDINARY REFUGEE'S PACK. IT HAD A MORTAR TUBE IN IT."
"THEN AN OLD MAN DROPPED HIS PACK," SAID YOUNG, "AND IT HAD A MORTAR BASE PLATE IN IT. THE REDS TOOK THEM INTO THE HILLS WHERE THEY ALREADY HAD THREE MORTARS SET UP."
HE SAID SOME OF THE RED SOLDIERS "WORE LITTLE RED STARS," APPARENTLY INSIGNIA OF RANK.
YOUNG TOLD REPORTERS HE WAS CAPTURED WHEN HE WAS CUT OFF FROM HIS PLATOON AND WAS FORCED TO SURRENDER "WHEN THEY TICKLED ME IN THE BACK WITH A COUPLE OF BAYONETS."
YOUNG SAID HE RAN AWAY WHEN A NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS TOOK HIM INTO THE HILLS TO SHOOT HIM.
GG1PCS

B71KX (Q)
NY FOR NASHVILLE
U.S. 24TH DIVISION HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SATURDAY,AUG.5-(AP)-CAPT.LINTON J.BUTTREY OF 5900 CALIFORNIA AVE., NASHVILLE, TENN., HAS BEEN AWARDED THE SILVER STAR FOR GALLANTRY IN ACTION.
THE HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCEMENT TODAY SAID BUTTREY, A MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS OFFICER, REMAINED BEHIND AT AN ADVANCED AID STATION NEAR THE KUM RIVER ON JULY 16 TO CARE FOR THE SERIOUSLY WOUNDED WHEN A GENERAL WITHDRAWAL BECAME NECESSARY.
"IN COMPLETE DISREGARD OF HIS OWN SAFETY," THE CITATION SAID, HE STAYED BEHIND UNTIL ORDERED TO LEAVE.
PR814PCS NM

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SOUTH KOREANS (140)
BY LEIF ERICKSON
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE NORTHERN FRONT APPARENTLY HAS BEEN TAKEN OVER EXCLUSIVELY BY SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.
AN EIGHTH ARMY REPORT SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS MADE A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL TO NEW POSITIONS BEHIND THE NAKTONG RIVER. THE MOVE WAS DESIGNED TO STRAIGHTEN AND TIGHTEN THEIR FRONT.
SOME TROOPS PULLED BACK AS FAR AS 15 MILES.
THE GREATEST WITHDRAWAL WAS FROM THE SHARP ELBOW BEND WHERE THE NAKTONG TURNS ABRUPTLY SOUTH BELOW HAMCHANG.
A BROAD VALLEY RUNS TO THE SOUTHEAST FROM THE BEND AND ENDS IN A MOUNTAIN PASS NEAR PIAN, 22 MILES SOUTHEAST OF HAMCHANG. THE

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SOUTHERNERS HAVE TAKEN POSITIONS ON HEIGHTS COMMANDING THE VALLEY.
NORTH KOREAN PATROLS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE CROSSED THE RIVER BOTH IN THE NORTH AND IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTORS BUT THE EIGHTH ARMY REPORTED ALL ENEMY PATROLS DISPERSED.
CY222APD

A134FX
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BY TOM LAMBERT
WITH THE MARINES IN SOUTH KOREA, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE MARINES MADE THEIR FIRST COMBAT AREA CONTACT TODAY WITH WHAT MAY HAVE BEEN THE ENEMY--VISUAL CONTACT, THAT IS.
A SMALL PROBING PATROL LED BY CAPT. KENNETH HOUGHTON OF (37 DIVISADERO ST) SAN FRANCISCO, SPOTTED 11 ARMED KOREANS ON A HUGE HILL OVERLOOKING A MARINE POSITION. THE KOREANS HAD TWO RADIOS AND THEY WERE SCATTERED IN SEVEN DIFFERENT POSITIONS.
THE KOREANS MAY HAVE BEEN OBSERVERS DETAILED TO WATCH A MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE. IT IS VISIBLE FROM THEIR HILLTOP POSITION FROM WHICH FLASHING LIGHTS WERE OBSERVED AT NIGHT.
A LARGER GROUP OF MARINES ARRIVED SHORTLY AT SPOTS WHERE HOUGHTON'S PATROL HAD SIGHTED THE KOREANS ONLY TO FIND THEY HAD LEFT.
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BY BILL SHINN
TAEGU, KOREA, AUG 4-(AP)-KOREAN WOMEN FLEEING FROM THE WAR FRONTS ARE ABANDONING CHILDREN BY THE SCORES WITH HOPES THAT THEY WILL BE CARED FOR, SOUTH KOREAN POLICE REPORTED TODAY.
AUTHORITIES ESTIMATED THERE ARE ABOUT 3,000,000 HELPLESS REFUGEES IN SOUTH KOREA RANGING FROM ONE TO SEVEN YEARS OLD.
CHIEF MARIA RO OF THE WOMEN'S POLICE SAID MOTHERS LEAVE THEIR CHILDREN AT RAILWAY STATIONS WITH NOTES ASKING THE POLICE TO CARE FOR THEM UNTIL THE MOTHERS CAN AGAIN FIND FOOD AND A HOME.
THE CHIEF SHOWED ME WHAT HE SAID WAS A TYPICAL NOTE. IT WAS FROM A WOMAN WHO HAD FLED TAEJON, NOW IN THE HANDS OF NORTH KOREANS. THE NOTE WAS PINNED TO A YEAR-OLD BABY AT THE RAILWAY STATION. THE NOTE READ:
"DEAR WOMEN POLICE, PLEASE TAKE CARE OF THIS INFANT FOR ME. I SHALL RETURN YOUR KINDNESS IF I CAN SURVIVE AND SEE YOU."
LEE YOON YUNG, MINISTER OF SOCIAL AFFAIRS, SAID HIS MINISTRY OPERATES 301 REFUGEE CENTERS TRYING TO FEED AND CARE FOR TENS OF THOUSANDS OF REFUGEES CROWDING INSIDE THE ALLIED PERIMETER.
JW9APD

A109FX
TANKER-AT-SEA (200)
BY MILTON MARMOR
ABOARD A U.S.NAVY TANKER IN THE FAR EAST,AUG.2-(DELAYED)-(AP)-LIFE ABOARD A TANKER IS HARDLY ROMANTIC. THE REWARDS FOR ITS HARD-WORKING CREWS ARE DARKENED NIGHTS AND SUDDEN DANGER.
THERE'S LITTLE TIME FOR CHATTER OR READING. THE OFFICERS AND CREW HAVE TIME ONLY FOR THE DIFFICULT JOB OF REFUELING CRUISERS AND OTHER SHIPS IN POUNDING SEAS AND FOR STANDING WATCH. THEY CROWD THEIR SLEEP INTO THE FEW REMAINING HOURS.
AT NIGHTFALL, THERE'S LITTLE ELSE TO DO BUT SLEEP. LIGHTS ARE OUT. SMOKING IS GENERALLY FORBIDDEN, BECAUSE OF THE VOLATILE AVIATION GASOLINE AND THE OTHER FUEL ABOARD. A FEW ERRIE NIGHT RED LIGHTS MAKE MOVEMENT RISKY.
YET THE CREW, MOSTLY JUST OUT OF "BOOT" TRAINING, LIKES THE WORK. THEY DON'T SEEM TO SPEND MUCH TIME WORRYING ABOUT THE POLITICAL PROBLEMS INVOLVED IN THE KOREAN WAR.
"I KINDA LIKE THIS SORT OF WORK," SAID SEAMAN FRANK GRIBBLE, 24, OF ELDORADO, OKLA., AS HE RIGGED A FUELING STATION.
APPRENTICE FIREMAN CHARLES RAWLS, 20, OF ROUTE 1, SPRINGFIELD, TENN., SAID HE LIKES THE WORK, TOO, BUT ADDED: "I'D LIKE TO GO BACK TO THE FARM."
"SHOOTING DOESN'T BOTHER ME," SAID QUARTERMASTER SEAMAN RALPH H. SIEGFRIED, 19, OF BLYTHE, CALIF. "IT'S NOT A BAD LIFE. BUT I LIKE THE STATES, BECAUSE I'M SUPPOSED TO GET MARRIED ONCE I GET BACK."
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A79
(220)
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.4-(AP)-ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER CARLO SFORZA TODAY WON THE SUPPORT OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE FOR A STATEMENT WHICH IS CONSIDERED AN ENDORSEMENT OF UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA, A RELIABLE SOURCE SAID TONIGHT.

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THE STATEMENT WILL BE INCLUDED IN A POLICY MESSAGE TO THE COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY, WHICH WILL CONVENE HERE MONDAY.
BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN WAS SAID TO HAVE OPPOSED SENDING ANY MESSAGE AT ALL TO THE ASSEMBLY. SFORZA, IN A BITTER ARGUMENT WITH BEVIN, LED A SUCCESSFUL DRIVE TO OVERCOME BEVINS OBJECTIONS.
THE ITALIAN MINISTER WAS SUPPORTED BY FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN AND IRELAND'S EXTERNAL AFFAIRS MINISTER SEAN MACBRIDE, THE INFORMANT SAID.
REGARDING THE SPECIFIC PHRASING OF THE MESSAGE, SFORZA SUCCEEDED IN HAVING IT INCLUDE ENDORSEMENT OF U.N. ACTION TO HALT AGGRESSION, CALLING THIS A STEP TOWARD WORLD PEACE. HIS REMARKS WERE CONSIDERED A DIRECT REFERENCE TO THE KOREAN CONFLICT, ALTHOUGH THE WORD KOREA IS NOT MENTIONED IN THE MESSAGE.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE ARE SECRET, BUT DETAILS OF THE STORMY AFTERNOON SESSION SOON BEGAN SPREADING THROUGH STRASBOURG RESTAURANTS.
THE MINISTERS DISCUSSED A PROPOSAL FOR INVITING THE WEST GERMANS TO HAVE OBSERVERS AT THEIR SESSIONS. BOTH WEST GERMANY AND THE SAAR ARE NOW ASSOCIATE MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL, BEING REPRESENTED IN THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY BUT NOT ON THE MORE POWERFUL MINISTERIAL GROUP.
MACBRIDE TOLD NEWSMEN THE DECISION ON BRINGING GERMANY INTO THE 'NISTERS' GROUP HAD BEEN LEFT OVER UNTIL TOMORROW.
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B72 (Q)
(150)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY TODAY QUOTED A HIGH ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHMAN AS CONDEMNING UNITED STATES POLICY IN KOREA.
THE OFFICIAL ACCOUNT SAID VICAR GENERAL JOSEF BUCHTA OF THE CESKE BUDEJOVICE DIOCESE IN SOUTHERN BOHEMIA ADDRESSED A STATEMENT TO THE U.N. SAYING "I CONDEMN THE AMERICAN FIGHT AGAINST THE FREEDOM OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE. I CONDEMN THE GODLESS PLANS OF THE SO-CALLED WESTERN FALSE DEMOCRATS TO THROW MANKIND INTO A NEW WAR CATASTROPHE.
"I SEE CLEARLY HOW THE WESTERN IMPERIALISTS ARE AFRAID OF THE PEACE CRUSADE OF THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC STATES HEADED BY THE SOVIET UNION AND THEREFORE THEY DO NOT HESITATE TO COMMIT A GRAVE SIN IN KOREA."
THE VICAR GENERAL WAS APPOINTED TO HIS POST EARLIER THIS YEAR BY

THE COMMUNIST REGIME'S STATE OFFICE OF CHURCH AFFAIRS TO FILL A VACANCY CREATED BY DEATH. PARISH PRIESTS OF TABOR IN SOUTHERN BOHEMIA WERE SAID TO HAVE CONDEMNED THE WAR IN KOREA IN A PUBLIC STATEMENT LAST MONTH, BUT THIS IS THE FIRST CHURCHMAN ON HIGHER LEVEL REPORTED TO HAVE DONE SO.

-DASH-

IN WASHINGTON, THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC WELFARE CONFERENCE SAID BUCHTA WAS A COMMUNIST-APPOINTED PRIEST AND WAS NOT IN GOOD STANDING IN THE ROMAN CHURCH.

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B43 (110) Q

MOSCOW,AUG.4-(AP)-PRAVDA'S CORRESPONDENT IN THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG REPORTED TODAY THAT A MAP FOUND IN THE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE MINISTRY AT SEOUL SHOWED PLANS FOR AN ATTACK ON THE NORTH.

PRAVDA SAID THE MAP WAS IN ENGLISH AND SHOWED THAT THE SOUTH KOREAN'S HAD 10 DIVISIONS POISED TO STRIKE OVER THE 38TH PARALLEL ON JUNE 25.

THE STORY WAS HEADLINED HERE "MAP OF AMERICAN AGGRESSION. HOW ATTACK ON NORTHERN KOREA WAS PREPARED."

--DASH--

BOTH SOVIET RUSSIA AND THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE REPEATEDLY CHARGED THAT THE KOREAN WAR WAS STARTED WITH A SOUTH KOREAN ATTACK ACROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL WHICH DIVIDED THE KOREAN PENINSULA. THIS IS IN COMPLETE CONTRAST WITH REPORTS OF UNITED NATIONS OBSERVERS WHO REPORTED THE NORTH KOREANS LAUNCHED A CAREFULLY-PREPARED, TANK-LED ASSAULT ACROSS THE FRONTIER.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, FRIDAY, AUG. 4)

(ADVANCE) JOHANNESBURG, UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA, SATURDAY, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE SOUTH AFRICAN CABINET DECIDED TODAY TO RECRUIT A VOLUNTEER AIRFORCE FIGHTER SQUADRON WITH GROUND PERSONNEL TO JOIN UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

IT ALSO WAS ANNOUNCED THAT IN VIEW OF INTERNATIONAL TENSION IT WAS DECIDED TO EXPAND THE REGULAR SOUTH AFRICAN ARMED FORCES. NO FIGURES WERE GIVEN ON THE SIZE OF THE PROPOSED VOLUNTEER AIRFORCE OR EXPANSION OF THE REGULAR UNITS.

A STATEMENT SAID THAT "LIAISON HAS BEEN MAINTAINED WITH THE UNITED STATES TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER THERE IS ANY ASSISTANCE OTHER THAN OF MILITARY CHARACTER THE UNION COULD MAKE AVAILABLE. SINCE IT NOW APPEARS THERE IS NO ALTERNATIVE ASSISTANCE, THE GOVERNMENT HAS DECIDED SPECIAL EFFORTS SHOULD BE MADE TO RENDER MILITARY AID."

MEMBERS OF THE REGULAR SOUTH AFRICAN MILITARY UNITS ARE RESTRICTED TO SERVICE IN SOUTH AFRICA AND SO ANY KOREAN FORCES MUST BE VOLUNTEERS.

THE CABINET'S DECISION FOLLOWS WIDESPREAD CRITICISM THAT THE GOVERNMENT WAS PREPARED TO PAY LIPSERVICE ONLY TO FORCES FIGHTING COMMUNISM. THE GOVERNMENT HAS LONG MADE THE DANGER OF COMMUNISM ONE OF THE MAIN PLANKS IN ITS POLITICAL PLATFORM BUT UNTIL TODAY HAS CONTENDED IT WOULD BE IMPRACTICABLE TO SEND MILITARY AID TO SUCH A DISTANT PLACE AS KOREA.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8 P.M., E.S.T., TONIGHT, FRIDAY, AUG. 4)

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NIGHT LEAD INDIA (300)

NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG.4-(AP)-THE POLICY OF PRIME MINISTER NEHRU'S GOVERNMENT IN SUPPORTING UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA WAS APPROVED TODAY BY PARLIAMENT, FOLLOWING A TWO-DAY DEBATE.

NEHRU DENIED HE IS TRYING TO APPEASE RUSSIA AND CHINA BY HIS POSITION THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SHOULD BE SEATED IN THE U.N. HE DECLARED INDIA IS NOT FOLLOWING A POLICY OF NEUTRALITY, BUT ONE OF INDEPENDENCE OF ACTION.

REPLYING TO MEMBERS WHO URGED THAT INDIA SEND A TOKEN MILITARY FORCE TO SOUTH KOREA, NEHRU SAID NO SUCH FORCE IS BEING SENT BECAUSE IT WOULD DISRUPT INDIA'S MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT, WHICH HAS BEEN BUILT UP AS A DEFENSE ORGANIZATION. INDIA HAS OFFERED A MEDICAL UNIT TO THE U.N. FORCES.

BUT, SAID NEHRU, THE SENDING OF A MILITARY FORCE WOULD BE A GESTURE "WHICH MIGHT EMBARRASS OUR POSITION IN CASE OF THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE KOREAN WAR IN A FURTHER DIRECTION."

NEHRU SCOLDED CERTAIN MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WHO CONTENDED INDIA SHOULD ADVISE THE POWERS CONCERNED IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT WHAT TO DO. HE LECTURED MEMBERS ON THE PRACTICE OF FINDING FAULT WITH OTHER COUNTRIES AND SPOKE OF THE "AMAZING ACHIEVEMENTS" OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE PRIME MINISTER SAID HE IS NOT THE LEAST BIT AFRAID OF DOLLAR IMPERIALISM OR OF ANY ACTION BY BRITAIN.

"WHAT I AM AFRAID OF IS THAT WE WILL SIT COMPLACENTLY DOING NOTHING," HE SAID.

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NEHRU SAID THE VAST MAJORITY OF THE PEOPLE IN THE WORLD DO NOT WANT WAR AND THAT THERE WAS TOO MUCH TALK OF KOREA IN TERMS OF WORLD CONFLICT. SUCH TALK, HE CONTENDED, WOULD BRING ABOUT AN ATMOSPHERE WHICH MIGHT BRING A WORLD WAR.

"IT IS AMAZING HOW FEARS GRIPPED PEOPLE, PARTICULARLY POWERFUL NATIONS," NEHRU SAID.

HE REMARKED THAT SUCH NATIONS FEAR ENCIRCLEMENT.

"NO PROBLEM IS SOLVED BY BOMB, BAYONET AND TANKS," HE DECLARED.

A MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT ASKED NEHRU TO EXPLAIN WHY INDIA HAD NOT RECOGNIZED ISRAEL. THE MEMBER, H.V.KAMATH, OBSERVED THAT ISRAEL WAS IN EXISTENCE LONG BEFORE COMMUNST CHINA, WHICH INDIA HAS RECOGNIZED.

NEHRU SMILED, BUT DID NOT REPLY. DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER B.V. KESKAR TOLD PARLIAMENT THE QUESTION OF RECOGNIZING ISRAEL WAS UNDER CONSIDERATION.

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NEW DELHI, INDIA,AUG.4-(AP)-PARLIAMENT APPROVED TODAY THE POLICY OF PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU SUPPORTING UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA.

THE PARLIAMENTARY ACTION FOLLOWED A DEBATE ON FOREIGN POLICY IN WHICH NEHRU DEFENDED HIS SUPPORT OF THE U.N. ACTION AGAINST AGGRESSION IN KOREA, BUT CHIDED THE WESTERN NATIONS FOR FAILURE TO GIVE THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS A SEAT IN THE U.N.

HE CRITICIZED THE WESTERN NATIONS FOR FAILURE TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE STRONG ANTI-COLONIAL NATIONALIST MOVEMENT IN ASIA AND THE FIGHT AGAINST POVERTY.

DURING THE TWO-DAY DEBATE A NUMBER OF THE LAWMAKERS LAUDED UNITED STATES ACTION IN KOREA AND SEVERAL CALLED FOR SENDING OF A TOKEN MILITARY FORCE BY INDIA.

BUT NEHRU DECLARED TODAY THAT NO SUCH FORCE CAN BE SENT WITHOUT DISRUPTING THE COUNTRY'S MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT WHICH HAS BEEN BUILT

UP AS A DEFENSE ORGANIZATION. INDIA HAS OFFERED A FIELD AMBULANCE UNIT AND SMALL SURGICAL UNIT TO THE U. N. FORCES.
HE ADDED THAT INDIA IS NOT SURE HOW THE WAR WILL DEVELOP AND THAT SENDING A MILITARY FORCE WAS A GESTURE "WHICH MIGHT EMBARRASS OUR POSITION IN CASE OF THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE KOREAN WAR IN A FURTHER DIRECTION."
HE HAD A WORD OF PRAISE FOR THE "AMAZING ACHIEVEMENTS" OF THE UNITED STATES AND SAID HE DID NOT FEAR DOLLAR IMPERIALISM OR ANY ACTION BY THE UNITED KINGDOM.
"WHAT I AM AFRAID OF IS WE WILL SIT COMPLACENTLY DOING NOTHING," HE ADDED.
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A135KX
HONG KONG,SATURDAY,AUG.5-(AP)-RETIRED LT. GEN.JAMES H.DOOLITTLE SAID TODAY HE IS READY TO FIGHT IN KOREA "IF MY SERVICES ARE REQUIRED."
THE FAMOUS WORLD WAR II FLIER MADE HIS REMARK TO NEWSMEN UPON HIS ARRIVAL YESTERDAY IN HONG KONG. HE IS MAKING A WORLD-WIDE TOUR OF SHELL OIL CO. INSTALLATIONS. HE IS A VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE COMPANY.
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B70KX (Q)
(APW)
TOKYO, SATURDAY,AUG.5-(AP)-AIR VICE MARSHAL C. A. BOUCHIER IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE TONIGHT TO BECOME SENIOR UNITED KINGDOM LIAISON OFFICER WITH THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND. HE WILL BE BRITAIN'S CHIEF MILITARY LIAISON OFFICER WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR.
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B96KX Q
MANILA, SATURDAY, AUG. 5-(AP)-A PHILIPPINE SENATE COMMITTEE LAST NIGHT RECOMMENDED APPROVAL OF A JOONT RESOLUTION FOR SENDING ALL POSSIBLE AID TO SOUTH KOREA.
THE DECISION WAS REACHED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION BY THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, ARMY AND NAVY. IT WILL REPORT TO THE SENATE MONDAY.
SECRETARY OF NATIONAL DEFENSE RUPERTO KANGLEON TOLD THE COMMITTEE THE REPUBLIC IS READY TO SEND ONE REGIMENT OF TRAINED FILIPINO SOLDIERS TO KOREA IMMEDIATELY.
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A211
SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, AUG 4-(AP)-THE FIRST VOLUNTEERS FOR AUSTRALIA'S EXPEDITIONARY FORCE TO KOREA TODAY WERE ORDERED TO REPORT TUESDAY FOR MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS.
IN TWO OTHER MOVES TO SPEED AID TO SOUTH KOREA THE LINER YUNNAN WAS SENT RACING FROM HONG KONG TO SYDNEY TO LOAD MUSTANG FIGHTERS, ARMS AND HUNDREDS OF TONS OF AMMUNITION FOR AUSTRALIAN FORCES ALREADY IN KOREA. THE DESTROYER WARRAMUNGA WAS ORDERED TO SAIL FROM SYDNEY FOR KOREA ON NEXT SUNDAY.
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A202
OTTAWA, AUG 4-(AP)-EXTERNAL AFFAIRS MINISTER L.B. PEARSON MADE A SECRET TRIP TO WASHINGTON THIS WEEK TO GET BACKGROUND INFORMATION FOR CANADIAN CABINET MEETINGS ON KOREA, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.
THE CABINET MEETINGS ON WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY DISCUSSED THE QUESTION OF SENDING ARMY TROOPS TO KOREA. CANADA'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE UNITED NATIONS FORCE SO FAR HAS BEEN THREE DESTROYERS AND AN AIR TRANSPORT SQUADRON.
PEARSON FLEW TO WASHINGTON, ACCOMPANIED BY NORMAN ROBERTSON, SECRETARY TO THE CABINET, BEFORE WEDNESDAY'S MEETING. THE CABINET WILL MEET AGAIN MONDAY AND THE FEELING HERE IS THAT PARLIAMENT WILL BE RECALLED TO APPROVE SENDING A GROUND FORCE TO KOREA.

IN WASHINGTON, CANADIAN EMBASSY OFFICIALS SAID THAT AFTER DISCUSSIONS THERE PEARSON AND ROBERTSON WENT TO NEW YORK TO TALK WITH UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE.
THEY SAID PEARSON SPENT SATURDAY EVENING AND PART OF SUNDAY TALKING WITH AMERICAN OFFICIALS "PURELY FOR THE PURPOSE OF SEEKING INFORMATION AND EXCHANGING VIEWS SO THAT MR. PEARSON WOULD BE IN A BETTER POSITION TO REPORT TO HIS COLLEAGUES ON THE STATE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS."
PEARSON'S VISIT APPARENTLY WAS KEPT SECRET FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS ON THE CANADIAN DESK. THEY SAID THEY KNEW NOTHING ABOUT IT.
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OTTAWA, AUG.4-(AP)-CANADA WILL SEND A SPECIAL FORCE OF INFANTRY AND SUPPORTING GROUND TROOPS, POSSIBLY 3,000 TO 4,000 STRONG, TO FIGHT UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS FLAG IN KOREA, IT WAS INDICATED AUTHORITATIVELY TODAY.
ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE DECISION AND A SPECIAL SESSION OF PARLIAMENT TO APPROVE IT IS EXPECTED TO BE MADE BY PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST. LAURENT MONDAY AFTER THE THIRD IN A SERIES OF CABINET MEETINGS ON DEFENSE AND KOREA.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD U.N. (200)
BY FRANCIS W.CARPENTER
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.4-(AP)-WITH A THREAT TO USE THE VETO, THE SOVIET UNION DEMANDED TODAY THAT THE UNITED NATIONS ORDER AMERICAN TROOPS OUT OF KOREA AND SEAT THE NORTH KOREANS IN SECURITY COUNCIL DELIBERATIONS.
WARREN R.AUSTIN, CHIEF U.S.DELEGATE, ACCUSED RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK OF CONDUCTING A SHELL GAME, FULL OF "HYPOCRISY," IN HIS CONDUCT AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT. AUSTIN ASSERTED MALIK IS PLAYING THE COUNCIL "AROUND AND AROUND THE SQUIRREL CAGE," AND SAID THE DEMAND FOR WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS IS AGAINST ALL REASON.
MALIK INTRODUCED THE SOVIET UNION'S KOREAN PEACE PLAN AT THE START OF TODAY'S SECURITY COUNCIL SESSION. AUSTIN ATTACKED IT AS A DEVIATION FROM THE BUSINESS AT HAND. HE AND BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB SAID ONLY THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA--THE SOUTH KOREANS---BELONG AT THE COUNCIL TABLE. THEY MADE IT CLEAR THE RUSSIAN PROPOSALS WOULD BE REJECTED BY A MAJORITY WHEN THE COUNCIL RESUMES SESSIONS NEXT TUESDAY.
AUSTIN SOUNDED HIS "HYPOCRISY" CHARGE OUTSIDE THE COUNCIL, TELLING REPORTERS AFTER THE SESSION THERE IS A WAY--HE DID NOT NAME IT--TO END MALIK'S TACTICS. THE FORMER VERMONT SENATOR ADDED HE DID NOT SEE HOW THE COUNCIL COULD CONTINUE WITH "OBSTRUCTIONIST CUNNING TACTICS ---THE KIND OF UNDER-THIS-SHELL NOW, UNDER-THAT-SHELL THEN, GAME THAT IS BEING PLAYED."
THE PENDING BUSINESS AT THE START OF TODAY'S MEETING WAS AN AMERICAN RESOLUTION FOR THE COUNCIL TO CONDEMN THE NORTH KOREANS IN DEFYING A CEASE-FIRE. AND TO CALL UPON ALL NATIONS TO BOYCOTT THEM.
MALIK'S RESOLUTION WOULD COUNTER THE U.S. PROPOSAL. THE MALIK PLAN READ:
"THE SECURITY COUNCIL
"DECIDES
"(A) TO CONSIDER IT NECESSARY, IN THE COURSE OF THE DISCUSSION OF THE KOREAN QUESTION, TO INVITE THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PEOPLE'S

REPUBLIC OF CHINA AND ALSO TO HEAR REPRESENTATIVES OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE:

"(B) TO PUT AN END TO THE HOSTILITIES IN KOREA AND AT THE SAME TIME TO WITHDRAW FOREIGN TROOPS FROM KOREA."

BACKING THIS RESOLUTION, MALIK SAID THE SOVIET UNION REGARDS THE QUESTION OF INVITING REPRESENTATIVES OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE AS A MATTER OF SUBSTANCE.

THIS IS A WAY THE RUSSIANS HAVE OF INSISTING ON THE RIGHT TO USE THEIR VETO, WHICH THEY HAVE DONE 43 TIMES SINCE THE U.N. WAS FOUNDED. MALIK DID NOT EXPLAIN BUT THE IMPLICATION IN WESTERN DELEGATIONS WAS THAT HE WOULD USE THE VETO TO BAR HEARING ANYONE IF THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS WERE NOT INVITED TO THE COUNCIL TABLE.

MALIK TOLD THE COUNCIL:

"THE ISSUE IS: WILL THE COUNCIL TAKE UP AND ADOPT MEASURES FOR THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT OR WILL MILITARY ACTION IN KOREA CONTINUE AS A RESULT OF SECURITY COUNCIL ACTS OF COMMISSION OR OMISSION?"

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WARREN R.AUSTIN, UNITED STATES DELEGATE, COUNTERED IMMEDIATELY WITH AN ACCUSATION THAT MALIK AS USUAL WAS CONFRONTING THE COUNCIL WITH "SOME DEVIATION, SOME NOVELTY." HE DEMANDED THAT MALIK GET ON WITH BUSINESS AND PUT FIRST THINGS FIRST---TO BEGIN CONSIDERATION OF THE AMERICAN RESOLUTION INTENDED TO CONFINE THE CONFLICT TO KOREA.

SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITAIN, SAID "IT WOULD BE OUT OF ORDER TO HAVE THEM (THE NORTH KOREANS) COME HERE AND ARGUE THEY ARE THE VICTIMS OF AGGRESSION." JEBB SAID THE NORTH KOREANS FIRST MUST PUT THEMSELVES "RIGHT" WITH THE U.N.

MALIK DID NOT EXPLAIN HIS REASONS FOR WANTING THE RED CHINESE TO TAKE PART IN THE KOREAN PEACE MOVES. NO ONE AT THE COUNCIL TABLE TOUCHED ON THE COMMUNIST CHINESE PROBLEM TODAY. THE COUNCIL VOTED YESTERDAY AGAINST CONSIDERING THE QUESTION OF AT THIS TIME AND THE TIRED DELEGATES APPARENTLY DID NOT WANT TO OPEN THAT ARGUMENT AGAIN.

THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER WESTERN DELEGATES HAVE INSISTED THAT THE ISSUE OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH SETTLING THE KOREAN WAR. THE RUSSIANS REPEATEDLY HAVE SOUGHT TO LINK THE TWO PROBLEMS.

THE RESULT OF THE SOLID WEEK OF COUNCIL MEETINGS--IT HAS BEEN IN SESSION EVERY DAY SINCE MONDAY--IS THIS: MALIK HAS RETURNED TO THE COUNCIL, HAS NOT WALKED OUT AGAIN, THE COUNCIL HAS BARRED A RUSSIAN MOVE TO OUST NATIONALIST CHINA AND OPEN THE DOOR TO THE RED CHINESE, RUSSIA HAS CALLED THE UNITED STATES AGGRESSOR IN KOREA, AND THE U.S. HAS REPLIED THE CHARGE IS OLD PROPAGANDA.

SEVERAL DELEGATES EXPRESSED WONDER, OUTSIDE THE MEETING, WHY THE AMERICANS DID NOT NAME THE RUSSIANS AS THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA. BUT ONE WESTERN DELEGATE EXPLAINED THAT WHEN THE UNITED STATES NAMES THE RUSSIANS AS THE AGGRESSOR IN ANY AREA, IT MUST BE MILITARILY PREPARED TO BACK UP ITS WORDS. THIS DIPLOMAT INDICATED THE UNITED STATES IS NOT YET READY TO SUPPORT ITS WORDS FROM A MILITARY POINT AND MUST CHOOSE ITS COURSE WITH CARE.

THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED AT 4:38 P.M. E.S.T. UNTIL 2 P.M. TUESDAY. IT STILL MUST DECIDE ON HEARING THE NORTH KOREANS AND ON WHAT, IF ANYTHING, TO DO ABOUT ITS PREVIOUS INVITATION TO THE SOUTH KOREANS, WHO WERE SEATED AS COUNCIL OBSERVERS BEFORE MALIK TOOK OFFICE AS PRESIDENT.

ARNE SUNDE, NORWAY, AND SIR BENEGAL N.RAU, INDIA, TOLD MALIK THE COUNCIL HAD VOTED JUNE 25 TO HAVE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA ATTEND COUNCIL DEBATES. THEY SAID THAT INSTEAD OF DECIDING ON INVITING THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA THE QUESTION REALLY WAS WHETHER TO STAND BY THE JUNE 25 DECISION.

MALIK SAID SEVERAL TIMES THE SOVIET UNION WANTED TO HEAR REPRESENTATIVES OF BOTH SIDES OF WHAT HE CALLED THE KOREAN CIVIL WAR.

THE SOVIET UNION PICTURES THE KOREAN CONFLICT AS BETWEEN TWO GOVERNMENTAL CAMPS. MALIK SAID THAT IS WHY HIS RESOLUTION PROPOSED THAT THE COUNCIL HEAR REPRESENTATIVES OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE. HE DID NOT IDENTIFY THESE REPRESENTATIVES AND HE WAS ASKED DURING DEBATE WHO WOULD CHOOSE THEM.

MALIK NOTED THE AMERICAN RESOLUTION REFERRED TO "NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES.

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MALIK NOTED THE AMERICAN RESOLUTION REFERRED TO "NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES." HE ADDED:

"I THINK WE SHOULD NOT LET A SITUATION ARISE IN WHICH ARMIES ARE BEING SENT AND TOWNS ARE BEING BOMBED AND PEOPLE ARE BEING KILLED IN WHAT IS DESCRIBED, OR WHAT MAY BE DESCRIBED, AS A WAR AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES, AND, WHEN THE MATTER COMES UP IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SAID NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES ARE NOT PERMITTED TO BE HEARD TO EXPOUND THEIR SIDE OF THE CASE."

T.F.TSIANG, NATIONALIST CHINA, ASKED MALIK AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT TO CARRY OUT THE PREVIOUS COUNCIL DECISION AND INVITE THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA REPRESENTATIVE TO THE TABLE.

AUSTIN ALSO CALLED FOR THE REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS. HE CITED THE U.N RECORD TO SHOW THAT THE U.N. HAS RECOGNIZED THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA AS THE LEGAL GOVERNMENT OF THAT COUNTRY AND THAT THE NORTH KOREANS REFUSED TO ADMIT THE KOREAN COMMISSION TO THEIR TERRITORY.

JEBB SAID MALIK HAD LINKED THE QUESTIONS OF THE REPRESENTATION OF NORTH AND SOUTH KOREANS WITH A "RATHER SPECIOUS ARGUMENT."

JEBB SAID THERE SHOULD BE NO QUESTION ABOUT INVITING THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.

AS FOR THE NORTH KOREANS, JEBB SAID, BY THEIR REFUSAL TO OBEY THE INJUNCTIONS OF THE U.N. THEY HAVE PUT THEMSELVES "IN A STATE OF CONTUMACY" AND IN A STATE OF HOSTILITY WITH THE UNITED NATIONS ITSELF. HE CONTINUED:

"IT WOULD REALLY BE IMPOSSIBLE, THEREFORE, AFTER ALL THAT HAS HAPPENED, FOR THE NORTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVES TO BE ALLOWED TO COME TO THIS TABLE AND TO ARGUE, AS HE UNDOUBTEDLY WOULD, THAT HIS AUTHORITIES WERE QUITE IN ORDER TO RESIST THE INJUNCTION OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL--AS THEY WERE THE VICTIMS OF AGGRESSION AND SO ON. EVEN SO, I DO NOT SAY OR I WOULD NOT SAY MYSELF THAT THEY SHOULD BE EXCLUDED FOREVER OR FOR ALL TIME. CERTAINLY NOT. BUT, FIRST OF ALL, SURELY THEY MUST BY THEIR BEHAVIOR, AS IT WERE, PUT THEMSELVES RIGHT WITH THE UNITED NATIONS. THEN, IF NECESSARY, THEY CAN BE HEARD. THAT IS HOW I SEE IT AT PRESENT."

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JEAN CHAUVEL, FRANCE, RECALLED THAT THE COUNCIL ON JUNE 25 REJECTED A YUGOSLAV MOTION TO INVITE THE NORTH KOREANS.

IN ALL THE SPECULATION ABOUT THE VETO, COUNCIL EXPERTS AGREED THAT MALIK CAN ONLY VETO FUTURE DECISIONS. THEY SAID THAT THE JUNE 25 DECISION CALLING THE NORTH KOREANS AGGRESSORS AND THE JUNE 27 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING FULL U.N. ACTION AGAINST NORTH KOREA COULD NOT BE VETOED NOW BY THE RUSSIANS AND THAT MALIK COULD NOT NOW USE THE VETO TO FORCE THE U.N. TO PULL BACK FORCES ENGAGED IN THE BATTLE AGAINST NORTH KOREA.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.4-(AP)-RUSSIA TODAY DEMANDED THE IMMEDIATE WITHDRAWAL OF UNITED STATES AND ALL OTHER FOREIGN TROOPS FROM KOREAN SOIL AS PART OF A TWO-POINT SOVIET "PEACE" PROPOSAL. IT ASKED THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO HEAR BOTH THE NORTH AND SOUTH KOREANS, AND THREATENED TO EXERCISE ITS VETO POWER UNLESS THE COUNCIL HEARS THE NORTH KOREANS.

A SOVIET RESOLUTION WAS LAID BEFORE THE 11-NATION SECURITY COUNCIL BY JAKOB A.MALIK AS A COUNTER TO A UNITED STATES PROPOSAL DESIGNED TO PREVENT THE SPREAD TO THE FIGHTING TO OTHER AREAS.

"THE ISSUE," MALIK SAID, "IS WHETHER THE SECURITY COUNCIL WILL ADOPT A DECISION FOR PEACE OR FOR WAR."

THE BRIEF SOVIET RESOLUTION PROVIDED FOR:

1. IMMEDIATE CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES IN KOREA AND WITHDRAWAL OF ALL FOREIGN TROOPS.

2. INVITING REPRESENTATIVES OF RED CHINA AND THE KOREAN PEOPLE TO TAKE PART IN U.N. PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

MALIK MADE IT CLEAR HE WOULD VETO THE U.S. PROPOSAL BY POINTING OUT THAT HE REGARDED THE ISSUE AS A MATTER OF SUBSTANCE. (THIS MEANS IT CAN BE KILLED IF ANY ONE OF THE FIVE BIG POWERS VOTE AGAINST IT).

MALIK TOLD THE COUNCIL IT SHOULD INVITE "BOTH PARTIES PARTICIPATING IN THESE HOSTILITIES"---THAT IS, BOTH THE NORTH AND SOUTH KOREANS.

THE SOVIET UNION WILL INSIST, HE SAID, THAT THE NORTH KOREANS BE INVITED BEFORE THE COUNCIL. HE ASSERTED!

"THE UNITED STATES RESOLUTION IS DIRECTED AGAINST THE AUTHORITIES OF NORTH KOREA. OUR IDEA IS THAT IT WOULD BE UNFAIR AND INTOLERABLE, IF THE SECURITY COUNCIL DESIRES TO BE AN INTERNATIONAL BODY FOR THE SETTLEMENT OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS, FOR THE CONSOLIDATION OF PEACE--IT WOULD BE INTOLERABLE TO REFUSE TO HEAR THE PARTY AGAINST WHICH CHARGES ARE BEING LEVELED. SUBSTANCE

"THE SOVIET DELEGATION FURTHERMORE CONSIDERS THIS A MATTER OF SUBSTANCE AND NOT PROCEDURE. THE ISSUE IS WAR OR PEACE."

A MATTER OF [redacted] IS SUBJECT TO VETO BY RUSSIA AND THE OTHER BIG POWERS ON THE COUNCIL.

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MALIK MADE IT CLEAR HE WAS SPEAKING AS THE SOVIET DELEGATE, NOT AS PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL. HE SAID:

"THE SOVIET UNION BELIEVES BOTH PARTIES TO THE CONFLICT SHOULD BE INVITED TO THE COUNCIL TABLE---BOTH SOUTH KOREA AND NORTH KOREA, THE REPRESENTATIVES OF BOTH CAMPS NOW ENGAGED IN CIVIL WAR HOSTILITIES AGAINST EACH OTHER.

"ACCORDINGLY, THE SOVIET DELEGATION WILL INSIST ON INVITING THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE KOREAN PEOPLES' REPUBLIC TO ATTEND.

"A NUMBER OF COUNTRIES HAVE ESTABLISHED DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THIS REPUBLIC. EVEN IN THE RESOLUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, WHICH IS ENGAGED IN AN ARMED STRUGGLE AGAINST THIS REPUBLIC, THEY ARE DEFINED AS 'NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES'.

"WHEN NEW TROOPS ARE SENT, WHEN NEW BOMBING PLANES ARE SENT, IT WILL BE THESE NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES WHO ARE BOMBED AND THEY SHOULD BE HEARD.

"USUALLY, THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL INVITES ALL PARTIES CONCERNED, AS WELL AS PARTIES TO THE CONFLICT, WHICH IS THE OBJECT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL AT ISSUE.

"THE SOVIET DELEGATION, FURTHERMORE, CONSIDERS THIS A MATTER OF SUBSTANCE, NOT OF PROCEDURE. THE ISSUE IS WAR OR PEACE. THE ISSUE IS WHETHER THE SECURITY COUNCIL WILL ADOPT MEASURES CONDUCIVE TO PEACE OR BY WHETHER MILITARY ACTION WILL CONTINUE BY ACTS OF OMISSION OR COMMISSION OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL. TO SAY IT IS NOT OF SUBSTANCE IS INCORRECT."

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WARREN R.AUSTIN, U.S. DELEGATE, SAID THE RUSSIAN RESOLUTION WAS "ENTIRELY BEYOND THE AGENDA AND THE BUSINESS NOW CONFRONTING US."

"NOTE THAT THE RUSSIANS SAY THE 'REPRESENTATIVES OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE.'" AUSTIN SAID. "WE DECIDED THAT (KOREAN REPRESENTATION) IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND IN TWO MEETINGS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL. THAT BODY IS THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA--THE ONLY BODY THAT REPRESENTS THE KOREAN PEOPLE."

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THE NORTH KOREAN REGIME, AUSTIN DECLARED, WAS NOT ONLY IN CONTEMPT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL BUT WAS DEFYING IT WITH MILITARY HOSTILITIES. HE ADDED:

"IN THE VIEW OF MY GOVERNMENT THIS REGIME SHOULD NOT BE INVITED TO SIT AT THIS TABLE." NM

SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITAIN, SAID THE NORTH KOREANS, "BY THEIR BEHAVIOR, MUST PUT THEMSELVES RIGHT WITH THE UNITED NATIONS" BEFORE THEY CAN BE HEARD.

"IT WOULD BE OUT OF ORDER TO HAVE THEM COME HERE AND ARGUE THEY ARE THE VICTIMS OF AGGRESSION," JEBB COMMENTED.

JEBB SAID TWO VOTES WERE NECESSARY--WHETHER TO INVITE THE NORTH KOREANS, AND WHETHER TO INVITE THE SOUTH KOREANS TO ATTEND COUNCIL SESSIONS.

AFTER ANOTHER HOUR OF DEBATE ON PROCEDURE, THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED UNTIL TUESDAY.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.4-(AP)-AMERICAN DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN TONIGHT ACCUSED SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A.MALIK OF "HYPOCRISY" IN MALIK'S CONDUCT AS PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND SAID THE RUSSIAN DELEGATE IS PLAYING THE COUNCIL "AROUND AND AROUND THE SQUIRREL CAGE." AUSTIN MADE THIS COMMENT TO REPORTERS AFTER TODAY'S COUNCIL MEETING. HE SAID THE RUSSIAN DEMAND FOR WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN TROOPS FROM KOREA IS AGAINST ALL REASON.

HE COMMENTED THE COUNCIL SHOWED GREAT PATIENCE IN THE FACE OF MALIK'S TACTICS TODAY. HE SAID THERE IS A WAY TO PUT AN END TO THEM, BUT HE DECLINED TO DISCUSS WHAT THAT IS.

ATTACKING MALIK'S TACTICS, THE FORMER VERMONT SENATOR SAID "THIS IS AN EVIDENCE OF THE KIND OF GAME THE PEACE-LOVING COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD HAVE BEEN UP AGAINST."

"THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS UP AGAINST THE SOVIET DELEGATE HAVING THE OCCUPANCY OF THE PRESIDENCY, BEING A PERMANENT MEMBER OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL, AND OFFERING A RESOLUTION THAT PRETENDS TO SEEK PEACE AND HE KEEPS PUSHING IT AHEAD OF THE REGULAR AGENDA," AUSTIN SAID.

"THIS IS EXACTLY THE HYPOCRISY THE UNITED NATIONS HAS BEEN UP AGAINST EVER SINCE THE ATTACK BEGAN.

"YOU OBSERVED TODAY THAT THE COUNCIL SHOWED A GREAT DEAL OF PATIENCE AS IT OBSERVED THE OFFICE OF PRESIDENT AND REPRESENTATIVE BEING PLAYED AROUND AND AROUND THE SQUIRREL CAGE.

"HE MADE DECLARATIONS AS REPRESENTATIVE THAT HE OUGHT TO HAVE MADE AS PRESIDENT. THERE HAS TO BE A STOP TO THIS SOMETIME.

"HERE THE U.N. IS TRYING TO SAVE ITSELF AGAINST AGGRESSION, THE

USE OF THE FORCE OF ARMS AGAINST THE U.N.
"DO YOU SUPPOSE ANY OTHER MEMBER OF THE U.N. BESIDES THE SOVIET UNION AND ITS CAPTIVE STATES REGARD ITS MOVE AS A MOVE FOR PEACE?
"IT IS A PHARISAICAL EFFORT THAT THEY WOULD HAVE YOU BELIEVE IS IN INTEREST OF PEACE BUT ITS OBJECT IN KOREA CERTAINLY IS IN FAVOR OF COMMUNISM AND AGAINST FREEDOM.
"THEY KNEW WHEN THEY PUT IT FORWARD THAT IT CAN'T HAVE ANY RATIONAL STANDING WHILE FIGHTING IS GOING ON."
AUSTIN SAID HE DOESN'T SEE HOW "OBSTRUCTIONIST CUNNING DEVICES" CAN CONTINUE IN THE COUNCIL---"THE KIND OF UNDER-THIS-SHELL NOW, UNDER-THAT-SHELL THEN, GAME THAT IS BEING PLAYED."
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NEW YORK, AUG. 4-(AP)-JAKOB A. MALIK, SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER, WAS SHAKEN UP IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT LAST NIGHT, BUT A SOVIET SPOKESMAN SAID HE WAS NOT INJURED.
THE ACCIDENT OCCURRED AS MALIK WAS RETURNING TO HIS MANHATTAN OFFICE FROM LAKE SUCCESS ON LONG ISLAND AFTER PRESIDING AT A STORMY SESSION OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL.
ANOTHER CAR STRUCK MALIK'S FROM BEHIND, IN A DRIZZLING RAIN, AND THEY LOCKED BUMPERS ON A BUSY HIGHWAY. THE CARS CAME LOOSE AFTER THEY HAD GONE ABOUT 100 FEET AT 30 MILES AN HOUR.
THE BUMPER OF THE CAR IN WHICH MALIK WAS A PASSENGER WAS TORN OFF. THE OTHER CAR, OUT OF CONTROL, KNOCKED DOWN AN ELECTRIC LIGHT POLE.
NO ONE HURT -- DAMAGE TRIFLING -- NO ARRESTS.
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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE (170)
WASHINGTON, AUG. 4-(AP)-REP.DOUGLAS (D-CALIF) PROPOSED TODAY A PLAN SHE SAID WILL PERMIT THE UNITED NATIONS TO ACT AGAINST AGGRESSION, DESPITE "THE SOVIET ABUSEOF THE VETO" IN THE SE CURITY COUNCIL.
MR.DOUGLAS SUGGESTED IN A LETTER TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN THAT THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION MOVE THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CHANGE ITS RULES AND AUTHORIZE THE UN SECRETARY-GENERAL TO CONVENE THE ASSEMBLY WITHIN 48 HOURS AFTER THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS PREVENTED BY A VETO FROM CONSIDERING "ACTS OF APPARENT AGGRESSION."
THE CALIFORNIAN, A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, SAID THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER PERMITS THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON MATTERS THAT ARE NOT BEFORE THE SECURITY COUNCIL.
A VETO, SHE SAID, WOULD REMOVE AN ISSUE FROM THE SECURITY COUNCIL AGENDA.
SHE SUGGESTED THAT THE RULES CHANGE PROPOSAL BE BROUGHT UP AT THE SEPTEMBER MEETING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
"THE UNITED STATES, IN ITS LEADERSHIP WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS, MUST NOT PERMIT THE SOVIET ABUSE OF THE VETO TO THWART THE FUNDAMENTAL PURPOSE OF THE UNITED NATIONS: THE MAINTENANCE OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY," MRS.DOUGLAS WROTE.
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FAIRFIELD-SUISUN AIR FORCE BASE, CALIF., AUG. 4-(AP)-THIRTY-FIVE WOUNDED GIS FROM THE KOREAN BATTLEFIELDS ARRIVED TODAY BY MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT SERVICE.
IT WAS THE THIRD GROUP OF WOUNDED TO BE FLOWN HERE.
MOST OF THEM ARE SCHEDULED TO LEAVE TOMORROW NIGHT FOR LOWRY AIR FORCE BASE, DENVER, COLO., AND WESTOVER AIR BASE, MASS., FOR DISTRIBUTION TO GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS.
MOST OF THOSE ARRIVING HAD LEG AND ARM WOUNDS.
ONE OF THE SOLDIERS, SGT. 1/C ROY JOHNSON, AUGUSTA, GA., HAD HIS WRIST SHOT AWAY BY MACHINE GUN FIRE FROM A NORTH KOREAN TANK ON JULY 19 AT TAEJON.
JOHNSON SAID HE LUCKILY ESCAPED DEATH WHEN THE ENEMY TANK DRIVER STOOD OVER HIM AND FIRED THREE SHOTS FROM A PISTOL AT HIM.
THE SERGEANT, A MEDIC ATTACHED TO THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION, SAID:
"I PLAYED DEAD FOR AN HOUR. I DIDN'T MOVE WHEN THE TANK DRIVER KICKED ME IN THE FOOT TO SEE IF I WAS ALIVE."
JOHNSON SAID THE NORTHERNERS FINALLY DEPARTED AND U. S. TROOPS CAME ALONG AND TOOK HIM TO A FIRST AID STATION.
HE SAID THE REDS PAID NO HEED TO THE RED CROSS PAINTED ON THE HOOD OF THE LITTER JEEP IN WHICH HE WAS RIDING WHEN WOUNDED BY THE TANK FIRE.
TODAY'S GROUP ALSO INCLUDED 15 SERVICEMEN INVALIDED BY ILLNESS OR NON-COMBAT INJURIES.
THOSE SCHEDULED TO LEAVE TOMORROW NIGHT INCLUDE: (STREET ADDRESSES UNAVILABLE) SGT. 1/C ROY JOHNSON, 27, AUGUSTA, GA.; CPL. LEE W. WAYMAN, 20, NEW YORK; CPL. ANGELO D'ATTOMAX, 19, BROOKLYN; CPL. WILLIAM C. MORSE, 22, LAUDERDALE, MISS.; SGT. 1/C ELMER F. SMITH, 31, MALDEN, MASS.; PFC. RICHARD A. DAILEY, 19, MONTROSE, PA.; SGT. JAMES BRINK, 38, WEST NEW YORK, N. J.; PFC. LE ROY POWERS, 19, WILMINC 20, PINE

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JAMES BRINK, 38, WEST NEW YORK, N. J.; PFC. LE ROY POWERS, 19, WILMINGTON, N. C.; PFC. GEORGE B. TAYLOR, 20, PINEVILLE, KY.; M/SGT. WOODROW MATHEWS, JAMESTOWN, LA. PFC. JAMES W. GEYGAN, COLUMBUS, O.; SGT. LEONARD J. KAUFMAN, LOOMIS, WISC.; SGT. WILLIAM SANDERS, WINTERHAVEN, FLA.; CPL. CLAIRBORN J. FLANNIGAN, SPRINGVILLE, MISS.; CPL. ROBERT VAN NATTA, AMBROY, ILL.; PFC. LEONARD T. LARSEN, BALTIMORE, MD.; PFC. GEORGE MORSE, MIDDLEVILLE, ILL.; PFC. JOHN A. GALLOWAY, TARRANT, ALA.; PFC. WILLIAM F. JOHNSON, TROUT LAKE, MICH.; 1ST LT. SAUL RESNICK, BROOKLYN; PFC. WILLIAM A. WILLIAMS, MIDDILLA, PA.; M/SGT. CARL L. CLAUSON, PITCAIRN, PA.; PVT. RAYMOND DILLAMAN, ELIZABETH, N. J.; JEROME E. RASMUSSEN, HOWARD LAKE, MINN.; 2ND LT. DONALD P. BAZZURRO, NEW YORK; CPL. PETER J. BANCROFT, GLADWIN, MICH.
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WESTOVER AIRFORCE BASE, MASS., AUG. 4-(AP)-WOUNDED GI'S FROM KOREA WERE LANDED AT THIS BASE TODAY AFTER A FLIGHT FROM SAN FRANCISCO.
TWENTY-SIX CASUALTIES OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING WERE AMONG 49 HOSPITAL PATIENTS ABOARD A BIG C-74 AND WERE THE FIRST OF THE KOREAN WOUNDED TO BE BROUGHT INTO THIS AREA.
AN AIRFORCE SPOKESMAN SAID 39 OF THE GROUP WOULD STAY AT THE BASE HOSPITAL AND 10 WOULD BE FLOWN LATER TODAY TO BROOKLEY AIRFORCE BASE IN MOBILE, ALA.
THERE WERE 23 LITTER PATIENTS AMONG THE ARRIVALS.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHEN THE SOLDIERS LEFT KOREA.
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WOUNDED (230)
WESTOVER AIRFORCE BASE, MASS., AUG. 4-(AP)-A YOUNG PENNSYLVANIA SOLDIER, BROUGHT BACK HERE TODAY AFTER BEING WOUNDED IN ACTION, SAID HE BELIEVED HE HAD SEEN RUSSIAN SOLDIERS ON THE KOREAN FRONT.
PFC. DANIEL SHOFFSTALL OF (38 GONESTOGA ST) LANCASTER, PA., SAID HE SAW A BLOND ENEMY SOLDIER THROWN INTO THE AIR WHEN A KOREAN TANK WAS BLOWN UP.
SHOFFSTALL, INTERVIEWED FROM HIS BASE HOSPITAL BED, SAID HE

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SUFFERED A LEG INJURY AT TAEJON ON THE MORNING THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS BROKE THROUGH AND OVER-RAN AMERICAN RESISTANCE.

HE IS ONE OF 21 (CQ) CASUALTIES AMONG THE 49 PATIENTS ABOARD A BIG C-74 WHICH LANDED HERE-- THE FIRST OF KOREAN WOUNDED TO BE BROUGHT TO THIS AREA.

SHOFFSTALL SAID HE LANDED IN KOREA ON JULY 2, AND WAS HIT ON THE 20TH.

"WE GOT UP TO THE FRONT LINE ABOUT JULY 5," HE CONTINUED. "I GOT HIT AT TAEJON. A KOREAN RED THREW A HAND GRENADE, HITTING ME IN THE LEG, BUT I GOT HIM-- RIGHT IN THE HEAD AFTER HE THREW IT."

WEARING A LITTLE BLACK STUBBLE ON HIS CHIN, SHOFFSTALL SAID HE WAS IN THE 34TH INFANTRY REGIMENT OF THE 24TH DIVISION, THE FIRST ARMY DIVISION TO COME TO THE AID OF KOREANS. HE WAS IN A HEAVY WEAPONS COMPANY AND HIS JOB WAS TO FIRE THE .75 RECOIL-LESS RIFLE.

"THE .75-- THEY AIN'T WORTH A DARN AGAINST THOSE TANKS--" DECLARED SHOFFSTALL.

HE SAID HIS OUTFIT GOT ALL SPLIT UP AT TAEJON.

"WE WERE SUPPOSED TO MOVE OUT THE 19TH BUT WE DIDN'T AND WHEN WE WOKE UP IN THE MORNING WE WERE SURROUNDED," THE PRIVATE RELATED.

HE SAID HE WAS EVACUATED SPEEDILY AFTER BEING WOUNDED. A TRUCK TOOK HIM TO AN AID STATION AND LATER BROUGHT HIM BY TRAIN TO PUSAN WHERE HE BOARDED A SHIP TO JAPAN.

MOST OF THE WOUNDED HAD SUFFERED ARM OR LEG INJURIES.

THEY HAD COME ACROSS THE CONTINENT UNDER THE CARE OF TWO ARMY NURSES, CAPT.THERESA SIMS OF PEORIA, ILL., AND CAPT.KATHERINE THOMPSON, OF SAN ANTONIO, TEX.

PFC.RALPH TROY OF CATAWISSA, PA., A YOUNG, THIN-FACED MEDIC, SAID HE LOST ABOUT 20 POUNDS IN TAEJON.

"I GUESS I LOST A LOT OF WEIGHT," HE REMARKED, RUBBING A HEAVY PLASTER CAST COVERING HIS LEFT ARM, "I USED TO TIP THE SCALES AT ABOUT 135."

TROY AND SHOFFSTALL WERE THE ONLY TWO WOUNDED THAT ARMY OFFICIALS ALLOWED REPORTERS TO INTERVIEW.

TROY SAID HE WAS HURT DRIVING FIVE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT BUDDIES FROM BURNING TAEJON ON JULXGQ20. HE SWERVED TO AVOID A NORTH KOREAN MACHINE GUN NEST AND THE TRUCK OVERTURNED ON ITS PASSENGERS. THEY LAY THERE THREE AND A HALF HOURS UNDER ENEMY FIRE UNTIL FELLOW MEDICS RESCUED THEM AT NIGHT.

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TROY ENLISTED IN THE ARMY FOR THREE YEARS IN JANUARY, 1949 AND WAS WOUNDED AFTER ONLY 16 DAYS IN KOREA.

"I'VE HAD ENOUGH COMBAT TO HOLD ME FOR A LONG WHILE," HE SAID.

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HOT SPRINGS, ARK., AUG.4-(AP)-ARMY AND NAVY GENERAL HOSPITAL HERE ANNOUNCED ARRIVAL OF 14 MORE WOUNDED SOLDIERS FROM KOREA.

THIS BRINGS TO 24 THE NUMBER OF WOUNDED NOW UNDER TREATMENT AT THE INSTITUTION.

NONE OF THE MEN IS IN A SERIOUS CONDITION BUT ALL WILL BE HOSPITALIZED FOR SEVERAL MONTHS. MEDICAL OFFICERS REPORTED ALL HAVE BULLET WOUNDS.

THEY INCLUDE: PFC.JACK LAWYER, 22, ROUTE TWO, WESTFIELD, ILL., LEFT ARM WOUND; PFC.RICHARD F.GUSKE, 19, ROUTE ONE, CUSTER, MICH., RIGHT ARM WOUND; PFC.JAMES E.MILLER 20, CORYTON, IND., RIGHT ARM WOUND; PFC. CHARLES J.CAPPELLO, 21, 1542 NORTH WOOD, CHICAGO, ILL., RIGHT ARM WOUND; PFC.WILLIAM F.LAMBRECHT, 18, 802 FIFTH, NORTH WAFFAU, WIS., RIGHT LEG WOUND; SGT.JAMES J.CONNELLY, 28, 1105 HILLSIDE, KANNAPOLIS, N.C., LEFT ARM WOUND; CPL.VERNON LEANNA, 21, 1206 STEEL, ALGOMA, WIS., RIGHT HAND WOUND.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME MONDAY, AUG. 7--CAUTION, NOTE DATE)

(ADVANCE)..WASHINGTON, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT TODAY ANNOUNCED CASUALTY LIST NO. 57 FOR THE KOREAN CONFLICT. THE LIST INCLUDES 61 WOUNDED, NINE INJURED, THREE MISSING IN ACTION AND ONE MAN BACK WITH AMERICAN FORCES AFTER BEING MISSING.

ARKANSAS

WOUNDED

PVT.DOYLE R.HUMPHRIES, SON OF MRS.MABEL FERGUSON, GENERAL DELIVERY, WATSON.

CALIFORNIA

WOUNDED

PFC.ROBERT L.BAKER, SON OF MRS.VIOLET STILES, GENERAL DELIVERY, EAST HIGHLANDS.

CPL.RICHARD M.KIMBROUGH, SON OF MRS.GLADYS M.KIMBROUGH, 6028 SOUTHSIDE DRIVE, MONTEBELLO.

PVT.ROBERT WILLIAM MILDENBERGER, SON OF PHILLIP JOSEPH MILDENBERGER, 553 NORTH GARFIELD AVE., PASADENA.

PVT.LAWTON JAMES NUNNELEY, JR., SON OF MRS.VIVIAN A.NUNNELEY, ROUTE 2, BOX 2121, PARADISE.

PVT.CHARLES WESLEY SCHUMACHER, SON OF CHARLES A.SCHUMACHER, BOX 4, BEATRICE.

INJURED

PVT.HOWARD D.GOMEZ, SON OF MRS.CLAUDINE BOYCE, 830 6TH ST., RICHMOND.

INDIANA

WOUNDED

SGT.FREDRICK MARSHALL SLOVENSKI, SON OF JOHN A.SLOVENSKI, 973 LANE ST., GARY.

CPL.LLOYD F.TATLOCK, SON OF MR. & MRS.FRANK TATLOCK, JUDYVILLE.

IOWA

WOUNDED

PVT.WILLIAM L.BENSON, SON OF MRS.ROSE E.BENSON, WAUKON.

KANSAS

WOUNDED

PVT.ROBERT E.FORTH, SON OF THOMAS E.FORTH, RR NO. 3, CHETOPA.

INJURED

PFC.IVORY V.HERBERT, HUSBAND OF MRS.RUTH HERBERT, 1700 NORTH THIRD ST., KANSAS CITY.

CPL.CHARLES T.LEWIS, HUSBAND OF MRS.ESTER R.LEWIS, BOX 12, JAMESTOWN.

KENTUCKY

WOUNDED

PFC.HERBERT L.ABEL, SON OF MRS.FRANCIS BARNETT ABEL, RT 3, OWENSBORO.

PFC.EDWARD PEACH, SON OF MRS.LEVA PEACH, CANEYVILLE.

INJURED
CPL.JAMES C.CLINE, BROTHER OF MRS.VIRGIE K.SESTER, LANGLEY.

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MICHIGAN
WOUNDED
PFC.ANTHONY L.BELL, SON OF MRS.ALBERTA M.BELL, 44055 JUDD RD., BELLEVILLE.
PFC.MARVIN CAUDILL, BROTHER OF CHARLES CAUDILL, 2203 24TH ST., DETROIT.
PFC.GALE A.WEATHERWAX, SON OF ARTHUR J.WEATHERWAX, 4229 NORTH LINDEN RD., FLINT.
MISSOURI
WOUNDED
PVT.IRVIN W.JENKINS, JR., SON OF MRS.PAULINE MILLER, ROUTE 1, ROLLA.
PFC.FRANK R.WILDE, SON OF MRS.HENRY J.WILDE, ST.ELIZABETH.
NEW JERSEY
WOUNDED
CPL.MICHAEL VISAGGI, BROTHER OF MRS.D.MANASSARR, 305 WOODLAWN AVE., JERSEY CITY.
OHIO
WOUNDED
PVT.JOHN CHURGOVICH, JR., SON OF MRS.JULIA CHURGOVICH, 1619 LAKEWOOD AVE., LAKEWOOD.
PFC.ROBERT O.WHITMAN, SON OF MRS.THELMA L.SILER, ROUTE 1 WEST MAIN ST., RFD 1, RAVENNA.
MISSING IN ACTION
PVT.ARTHUR F.WISE, SON OF ARTHUR H.WISE, ROUTE 2, POMEROY.
MAJ.VINCENT C.CARDARELLA, SON OF MR.AND MRS.CARL C.CARDARELLA, 197 KING COURT, AKRON.
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AIR FORCE REVISION--
HOME ADDRESS OF CAPTAIN PAUL W.RIDENOUR, RETURNED TO ACTIVE DUTY AUGUST 3, SHOULD READ: HUSBAND OF MRS.JUANITA A.RIDENOUR, 810 EAST NORTH ST., LIMA.
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OKLAHOMA
WOUNDED
PVT.DALE E.WIGINTON, SON OF THOMAS E.WIGINTON, ROUTE 2, STRATFORD.
PENNSYLVANIA
WOUNDED
PFC.LOUIS A.CZARNIECKI, SON OF LOUIS J.CZARNIECKI, 32 KRESGE ST., WILKES-BARRE.
PFC.BERNARD T.GEDRICK, SON OF MRS.JOSEPHINE GEDRICK, 152 LAWRENCE ST., WILKES-BARRE.

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PFC.IRVIN B.MOYER, SON OF MRS.J.C.MOYER, RURAL DELIVERY 3, BELLEFONTE.
SGT.NELSON G.STEPHENS, SON OF MRS.LAURA E.STEPHENS, C/O POSTMASTER, STRONGSTOWN.
INJURED
PFC.RALPH A.TROY, SON OF JOHN TROY, 703 PHALER ST., CATAWISSA.
TEXAS
WOUNDED
2ND LT.ROBERT W.HILL, HUSBAND OF MRS.JOYCE HILL, RESIDING IN FAR EAST COMMAND, SON OF MR.AND MRS.WILLIAM B.HILL, 442 WATER ST., WEATHERFORD.
PVT.HOWARD D.MARTIN, SON OF MRS.JEAN SMITH, 1531 PASADENA ST., SAN ANTONIO.
WISCONSIN
WOUNDED
CPL.DOUGLAS D.HAGEMAN, SON OF MRS.EUGENE F.HAGEMAN, 509 SEMINARY ST., LODI.
OUTSIDE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES
WOUNDED
PVT.JUAN PAGAN, HUSBAND OF MRS.EMELINA M.PAGAN, BO MUCHUCAL, SABANA GRANDE, PUERTO RICO.
PFC.GUILLERMO SOTOMAYOR, SON OF MRS.VIRGINIA HIDALGO, COMERCIO ST., 58, AGUADILLA, PUERTO RICO.
PFC.TOSHIO YAMASAKI, SON OF MRS.MATSUYO YAMASAKI, 2440 10TH AVE., HONOLULU, HAWAII.
MISSING IN ACTION
CPL.GLICERIO VALDEZ, HUSBAND OF MRS.ESTER ESPEJO VALDEZ, ALCALA PANGASINAN, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.
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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG 4 (AP)-FORTY-NINE PERSONS CONNECTED WITH THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION'S MISSION TO SOUTH KOREA ARRIVED HERE YESTERDAY ABOARD THE LINER PRESIDENT CLEVELAND.
THE GROUP, WHICH HELPED SUPERVISE THE AMERICAN ECONOMIC AID PROGRAM TO THE REPUBLIC, WERE EVACUATED AFTER THE START OF HOSTILITIES.
MRS.MACKENZIE STEVENS, OF JERSEY CITY, N.J., WIFE OF THE TRADE AND FINANCE DIRECTOR FOR ECA, SAID THAT AS LONG AS A YEAR AGO THERE HAD BEEN PLANS FOR EMERGENCY EVACUATION OF SOUTH KOREA. BUT WHEN THE ATTACK DID COME, SHE EXPLAINED, THE AIRPORT WAS UNDER FIRE AND THE 635 WOMEN AND CHILDREN WERE SENT TO INCHON FOR A TRIP TO JAPAN ABOARD A NORWEGIAN SHIP EQUIPPED TO HOLD ONLY 12.
MRS.STEVENS SAID THE ECONOMY OF SOUTH KOREA WAS IN GOOD SHAPE WHEN THE ATTACK CAME.
"THAT IS ONE REASON WHY THE REDS ATTACKED" SHE ASSERTED.
AMU AMONG THE CLEVELAND'S PASSENGERS FELT THAT THE U.S. HAS BOOSTED ITS STOCK IN THE ORIENT BY ITS STAND IN KOREA.
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(500) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD KNOWLAND-KOREA
BY FRANCIS J.KELLY
WASHINGTON, AUG. 4-(AP)-SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) SAID TODAY THAT SEVEN MONTHS IN ADVANCE OF THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA, HE CARRIED TO U.S. OFFICIALS A PERSONAL PLEA FROM KOREAN PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE FOR MORE WEAPONS TO DEFEND HIS LITTLE REPUBLIC.
HE SAID HE TALKED WITH RHEE IN THE COURSE OF A GENERAL INSPECTION OF THE PACIFIC AREA AND DEFENSE BASES LAST FALL, AS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEES. KNOWLAND QUOTED RHEE AS HAVING ASSURED HIM THEN THAT "THERE WOULD BE NO AGGRESSION ON THE PART OF HIS GOVERNMENT BUT THEY DID NEED WEAPONS TO DEFEND THEIR FREEDOM."
THE SENATOR SAID THAT UPON HIS RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES, HE PASSED ALONG RHEE'S REQUEST "TO OFFICIALS." HE DID NOT IDENTIFY THEM, OR SAY WHETHER THEY WERE OFFICIALS OF THE STATE OR THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT.
KNOWLAND TOLD THESE THINGS TO REPORTERS AFTER THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE HAD RECEIVED TESTIMONY BEHIND CLOSED DOORS FROM BRIG. GEN. WILLIAM L.ROBERTS, WHO HEADED THE U.S. MILITARY MISSION TO SOUTH KOREA UNTIL JUST BEFORE THE INVASION OF THAT AREA LAST JUNE BY NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS. ROBERTS TESTIFIED TO THE COMMITTEE AT KNOWLAND'S

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SENATOR HAYDEN (D-ARIZ), A VETERAN MEMBER OF THE APPROPRIATIONS GROUP, CHARACTERIZED ROBERTS' TESTIMONY AS "JUST A POST MORTEM."

OTHER SENATORS SAID ROBERTS TOLD THEM, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE U.S. TURNED DOWN NUMEROUS SOUTH KOREAN REQUESTS FOR ADDITIONAL PLANES, TANKS AND HEAVY GUNS; THAT SOME PEOPLE BELIEVED THAT IF THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD SUCH EQUIPMENT THEY MIGHT ATTACK NORTH KOREA; THAT THE NORTH KOREANS EVACUATED ALL CIVILIANS FROM A 10-MILE STRIP NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL BEFORE THE INVASION; AND THAT ROBERTS HAD NO ASSIGNED MILITARY INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS

OF THE 38TH PARALLEL BEFORE THE INVASION; AND THAT ROBERTS HAD NO ASSIGNED MILITARY INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS AMONG HIS MISSION OF 300 OFFICERS AND 200 ENLISTED MEN.

AFTER THE SESSION, KNOWLAND PULLED SOME NOTES OUT OF HIS POCKET AND TOLD REPORTERS HE HAD MADE THEM AFTER TALKING WITH PRESIDENT RHEE LAST NOV. 18, AT A MEETING ARRANGED BY RHEE.

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HE READ FROM THE NOTES:

"HAVE ARMY OF 100,000 BUT DID NEED ARMS. IF CHINESE WAR TERMINATES IT IS BELIEF THAT SEVERAL WELL-ARMED DIVISIONS OF COMMUNIST TROOPS WILL BE SENT INTO NORTH KOREA. RHEE DOES NOT THINK THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WILL RISK AN AGGRESSIVE WAR UNTIL FAR EASTERN FLANK IS SECURE."

WHAT HE MEANT BY THAT, KNOWLAND EXPLAINED, WAS THAT LAST NOVEMBER THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAD NOT WON THEIR COMPLETE VICTORY ON THE CHINESE MAINLAND.

THE CALIFORNIA SENATOR SAID IT WAS NOT THE FAULT OF CONGRESS THAT WHEN WAR CAME, THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD NO TANKS AND ONLY ONE OR TWO FIGHTER PLANES. HE SAID CONGRESS HAD VOTED $75,000,000 LAST YEAR TO BE SPENT IN THE GENERAL AREA OF CHINA, AND THAT ANOTHER $27,600,000 APPROPRIATED FOR KOREA, IRAN AND THE PHILIPPINES COULD BE SPLIT ANY WAY THE ADMINISTRATION DESIRED.

SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) COMMENTED THAT EVIDENTLY SOMEONE IN WASHINGTON GAVE KOREA SUCH A LOW PRIORITY THAT IT GOT ONLY A TOKEN AMOUNT OF SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT.

THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE CURRENTLY IS CONSIDERING PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S REQUEST FOR AN ADDITIONAL $10,500,000,000 TO BUILD UP THIS NATION'S FIGHTING STRENGTH.

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HARRIMAN

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,AUG.4-(AP)-A FLYING TRIP TO TOKYO BY A MEMBER OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S EXECUTIVE STAFF INDICATED TODAY THAT MAJOR FAR EASTERN POLITICAL DECISIONS MAY BE IN THE MAKING.

W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, MR.TRUMAN'S SPECIAL ASSISTANT ON FOREIGN AFFIRS, LEFT BY PLANE AT 8 A.M.(EST) FOR CONFERENCES WITH GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR. HE IS DUE TO RETURN TO WASHINGTON NEXT WEDNESDAY.

THE PRESIDENT ANNOUNCED THE TRIP AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE YESTERDAY. HE SAID HARRIMAN WOULD BE ACCOMPANIED BY GEN.LAURIS NORSTAD, ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE AIR FORCE, AND MAJ.GEN.FRANK B.LOWE. THEY WILL RETURN NEXT WEEK AND HARRIMAN WILL REPORT PROMPTLY TO THE PRESIDENT.

THE PURPOSE OF THE TRIP, MR.TRUMAN SAID, IS FOR HARRIMAN TO DISCUSS FAR EASTERN POLITICAL QUESTIONS WITH MACARTHUR.

IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT HARRIMAN WANTS TO GET FIRST HAND INFORMATION ON FAR EASTERN CONDITIONS AND PROBLEMS ARISING OUT OF THE KOREAN CRISIS.

DIPLOMATIC AUTHORITIES SAID ISSUES WHICH APPEAR CERTAIN TO BE DISCUSSED AND WHICH ARE MOVING TOWARD THE POINT OF AMERICAN POLICY DECISIONS INCLUDE:

1. THE 38TH PARALLEL--FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING THERE HAS BEEN A QUESTION AS TO WHETHER THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES UNDER MACARTHUR'S COMMAND SHOULD STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL ONCE THEY HAVE GENERATED A SUCCESSFUL DRIVE AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS. THAT LINE DIVIDES NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN KOREA.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS REPORTEDLY FEEL THAT THE FINAL DECISION SHOULD BE WORKED OUT WITH OTHER UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS OPPOSING AGGRESSION IN KOREA. APART FROM THIS THE UNITED STATES WILL FIRST HAVE TO DETERMINE WHAT ACTION IT FEELS WOULD BE BEST TO TAKE.

2. A FINAL KOREAN SETTLEMENT--ONE OF THE BIG PROBLEMS IN THE KOREAN CRISIS IS WHAT KIND OF FINAL SETTLEMENT THE UNITED STATES AND ASSOCIATED MEMBERS OF THE U.N. SHOULD SEEK ONCE THEY HAVE ACHIEVED VICTORY OVER THE COMMUNIST INVADERS.

OFFICIALS ARE DETERMINED TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WHICH WILL EXCLUDE ANY RECURRENCE OF A COMMUNIST ATTACK AND THAT PROBABLY MEANS UNIFYING THE COUNTRY UNDER NON-COMMUNIST LEADERSHIP WITH U.N. SPONSORED ELECTIONS TO FOLLOW.

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3. THE FUTURE STATUS OF FORMOSA--AMERICAN MOVES TO PROTECT THE CHINESE NATIONALIST ISLAND FROM COMMUNIST INVASION HAVE LEFT THIS QUESTION WIDE OPEN EXCEPT THAT THERE IS NO LONGER ANY DISPOSITION HERE TO WRITE OFF FORMOSA TO THE CHINESE RED REGIME. THE ISLAND MAY CONTINUE UNDER GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK INDEFINITELY BUT MOST WASHINGTON AUTHORITIES BELIEVE ITS LEGAL STATUS MUST BE CLARIFIED EITHER IN A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY OR THROUGH UNITED NATIONS ACTION.

4. A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY--THE DOMINANT VIEW IN WASHINGTON NOW IS THAT THIS GOVERNMENT SHOULD TAKE THE LEAD IN GETTING AHEAD WITH A JAPANESE PEACE SETTLEMENT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. THAT INVOLVES CRITICAL QUESTIONS OF JAPAN'S FUTURE DEFENSES AND OF AMERICAN SECURITY INTERESTS IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC. MUCH WORK HAS ALREADY BEEN DONE ON THESE BY STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENT LEADERS BUT DETAILS OF AMERICAN POLICY ARE STILL TO BE FINALLY DECIDED.

HARRIMAN BECAME MR.TRUMAN'S RIGHT HAND MAN ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS LITTLE MORE THAN A MONTH AGO. HIS BIG TASK IS TO IRON OUT CONFLICTS OF VIEW ON POLICY QUESTIONS BETWEEN SUCH GOVERNMENT BRANCHES AS THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS.

HE BROUGHT TO HIS JOB WIDE EXPERIENCE IN EUROPE, WHERE FOR 10 YEARS HE HELD A SERIES OF TOP DIPLOMATIC ASSIGNMENTS CLIMAXED BY HIS WORK AS ROVING AMBASSADOR FOR THE MARSHALL PLAN.

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TACOMA, WASH., AUG. 4-(AP)-W. AVERELL HARRIMAN, PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ADVISER ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, STOPPED BRIEFLY AT NEARBY MC CHORD AIR FORCE BASE LATE TODAY EN ROUTE TO TOKYO CONFERENCES WITH GENERAL MAC ARTHUR.

HARRIMAN WAS ACCOMPANIED BY LT. GEN. LAURIS NORSTAD, AIR FORCE VICE CHIEF OF STAFF; LT. GEN. M. R. RIDGWAY, AIR FORCE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF, MAJ. GEN. C. P. CABELL, AIR FORCE INTELLIGENCE DIRECTOR, AND MAJ. GEN. ROGER RAMEY, OPERATIONS DIRECTOR.

"AS THE PRESIDENT ANNOUNCED, I AM GOING TO CONFER WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR ON POLITICAL AFFAIRS. THE PARTY EXPECTS TO RETURN TO THIS COUNTRY NEXT WEEK," HARRIMAN SAID.

KORSTAD SAID SAID HE PLANNED TO RETURN WITH HARRIMAN.

THEY LEFT WASHINGTON, D. C. THIS MORNING IN AIR FORCE GEN. HOYT VANDENBERG'S PERSONAL CONSTELLATION POTANE. THEY STOPPED OVER AT MCCHORD FOR AN HOUR AND A HALF TO REFUEL BEFORE CONTINUING TO TOKYO VIA THE ALEUTIANS.
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(550) PMS BUDGET
KOREAN INTERPRETIVE
BY ELTON C.FAY
ASSOCIATED PRESS MILITARY AFFAIRS REPORTER
WASHINGTON,AUG.4-(AP)-A WAR-TESTED RUSSIAN POLICY--ACCUMULATION OF A HUGE STOCKPILE OF ARMS BEFORE EMBARKING ON A CAMPAIGN--SEEMS TO BE PAYING OFF FOR THE NORTH KOREANS.
THAT EXPLANATION IS OFFERED IN SOME MILITARY QUARTERS HERE WHEN THE QUESTION IS ASKED:
HOW ARE THE RED KOREANS ABLE TO KEEP ON POURING IMMENSE AMOUNTS OF AMMUNITION AND EQUIPMENT INTO A BITTER WAR ALREADY FIVE WEEKS OLD?
SINCE RUSSIA GENERALLY IS SUPPOSED TO HAVE MAPPED THE PLANS FOR THE ATTACK ON THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA AND TO BE DIRECTING IT NOW BY REMOTE CONTROL, IT IS ASSUMED THAT ALL THE VITAL PLANNING OF SUPPLIES WAS DICTATED BY RUSSIAN ARMY EXPERTS.
DURING WORLD WAR II, RUSSIA SOMETIMES EXASPERATED HER WESTERN ALLIES BY DELAYING A NEEDED OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE GERMANS FOR WEEKS AND MONTHS. NOT UNTIL SHE HAD BUILT UP VAST SUPPLY DUMPS, FAR BEYOND ANY FORESEEABLE REQUIREMENTS, WOULD SHE LAUNCH THE OFFENSIVE.
THIS PRACTICE WAS APPLIED TO RUSSIA'S SATELLITE ARMY OF NORTH KOREANS. THE JUMP-OFF FOR THE INVASION WAS DELAYED UNTIL RED STRATEGISTS ESTIMATED THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY HAD MORE THAN ENOUGH MATERIAL FOR AN ASIATIC BLITZKRIEG AGAINST THE POORLY EQUIPPED SOUTH KOREAN ARMY.
THE ABILITY OF THE NORTH KOREANS TO MAINTAIN THEIR OFFENSIVE AT PEAK INTENSITY NOW RAISES A QUESTION ABOUT AN EARLIER ASSUMPTION THAT THE REDS' WAR PLAN WAS TO COMPLETE THEIR CONQUEST BEFORE AID COULD COME TO THE SOUTH KOREANS. THEY WOULDN'T HAVE NEEDED TO STOCKPILE MOUNTAINS OF AMMUNITION AND HUNDREDS OF TANKS TO BEAT DOWN AN OPPONENT ARMED WITH ONLY LIGHT DEFENSIVE WEAPONS INTENDED FOR INTERNAL SECURITY.
IT SEEMS NOW THEY RECKONED WITH THE DEFINITE POSSIBILITY THE UNITED STATES WOULD STEP INTO THE PICTURE.
THE NORTH KOREAN ARMAMENT STOCKPILE PROBABLY HAD ITS START WHEN THE LARGE RUSSIAN ARMY OF OCCUPATION WITHDREW FROM NORTH KOREA ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO IN A POLITICAL MOVE TO HURRY THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION FORCE INTO PULLING OUT. THE RUSSIAN FORCE APPARENTLY LEFT MUCH OF ITS AMMUNITION, LARGE QUANTITIES OF WEAPONS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT FOR THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY WHICH RUSSIA THEN WAS STARTING TO FORM, TRAIN AND EQUIP.

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TO THIS SUBSTANTIAL INITIAL STOCKPILE WAS ADDED QUANTITIES OF OTHER MATERIEL FROM SURPLUS STOCKS OF THE RUSSIAN MILITARY. THIS BUILD-UP PROBABLY CONTINUED UP TO THE MOMENT THE KOREAN WAR STARTED.
MILITARY MEN HERE ARE WARY ABOUT SAYING THAT ANY LARGE AMOUNTS OF WAR MATERIAL ARE COMING INTO NORTH KOREA FROM RUSSIA NOW, POINTING TO THE NAVAL BLOCKADE BY AMERICAN AND OTHER UNITED NATIONS SHIPS AND TO THE CONSTANT AIR BOMBARDMENT OF RAIL AND HIGHWAY LINES IN NORTH KOREA THROUGH WHICH SUPPLIES FROM THE OUTSIDE WOULD COME. BUT THEY SAY THE NORTH KOREANS HAD AMPLE SUPPLIES READY WHEN THE WAR STARTED AND GREAT QUANTITIES OF IT WERE MOVED SOUTHWARD WITH THE ATTACKING FORCE IN THE EARLY DAYS OF THE WAR.
AMERICAN MILITARY CHIEFS HAVE HAD TO MAKE SEVERAL REVISIONS OF EARLY ESTIMATES OF NORTH KOREAN POWER. THE ORIGINAL ESTIMATE WAS THAT THE RED ARMY HAD ABOUT 150 TANKS. HOWEVER, IN A REPORT BY THE UNITED STATES TO THE UNITED NATIONS ON JULY 20, THE ESTIMATE WAS THAT THE ENEMY HAD "APPROXIMATELY 300 SOVIET-MADE T34 AND T70 TANKS." SIMILARLY, THE ENEMY REPORTEDLY STARTED OUT WITH ABOUT 96,000 TROOPS. LAST WEEK INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS DECIDED THE NORTH KOREANS NOW HAVE ABOUT 200,000.
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AMS BUDGET
SECOND NIGHT LEAD RESERVES
BY ARTHUR EDSON
WASHINGTON,AUG 4-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY IT WILL CALL UP 62,000 RESERVES IN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, AND THE NAVY SAID IT IS ADDING ANOTHER 12 MONTHS TO THE ENLISTMENTS OF THOSE IN THE NAVY OR NAVAL RESERVES.
BOTH ORDERS DEAL WITH ENLISTED MEN.
THIS TOPPED A DAY OF MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS WHICH INCLUDED:
1. A REQUEST BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN THAT CONGRESS VOTE ANOTHER $950,000,000 (M) WORTH OF NAVAL PLANES. THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF ADDITIONAL MILITARY FUNDS ASKED FOR BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN SINCE THE KOREAN WAR HAS NOW PASSED THE $15,600,000,000 (B) MARK.
2. THE MILITARY SEA TRANSPORT SERVICE ANNOUNCED THAT TO DATE IT HAS CHARTERED 78 U.S. FLAG SHIPS AND 13 FOREIGN VESSELS TO MOVE TROOPS AND SUPPLIES. ANOTHER 105 VESSELS IN THE RESERVE FLEET HAVE BEEN REACTIVATED.
3. SENATOR MAGNUSON (D-WASH) PROPOSED THAT THE ARMED SERVICES OPEN THEIR RANKS TO VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENT OF JAPANESE.
"WE WOULD HAVE A POOL OF A HALF MILLION TRAINED MEN FROM WHICH TO DRAW ENLISTMENTS," MAGNUSON SAID. HE ADDED HE HAS ASKED GEN.MACARTHUR WHAT HE THINKS OF THE PLAN, BUT AS YET HAS HAD NO REPLY.
AS FOR THE NAVY ENLISTED MEN, THE NAVY SAID ITS ORDER WOULD APPLY TO REGULAR NAVY AND NAVAL RESERVE ENLISTED PERSONNEL.
THERE WAS ONLY ONE EXCEPTION: ONE YEAR ENLISTEES WHO CAME IN UNDER THE SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT.
A SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED THAT ALMOST ALL OF THESE ENLISTEES HAD COMPLETED THEIR SERVICE BEFORE THE ORDER WENT INTO EFFECT, BUT A FEW HAD BEEN ILL AND HAD NOT BEEN DISCHARGED. IT OBVIOUSLY WOULD BE UNFAIR, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, TO KEEP THESE MEN IN SERVICE.
THE NAVY ALSO SAID IT NOW WILL ACCEPT APPLICATIONS FOR RESERVE COMMISSIONS FROM DOCTORS, DENTISTS, NURSES, MEDICAL INTERNS, MEDICAL AND DENTAL STUDENTS AND ELECTRONICS SPECIALISTS.
AS FOR THE ARMY ENLISTED MEN, THE CALL WILL BE LIMITED TO MEN WHO ARE NOT IN REGULAR RESERVE UNITS.
FURTHERMORE, THE ARMY SAID, IT WILL SCREEN ALL RESERVISTS SO THAT IT CAN WEED OUT COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS.

THE PURPOSE OF THE CALL: TO FILL NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVE UNITS TO THEIR FULL STRENGTH.
THE ARMY HAS ABOUT 185,000 MEN WHO ARE NOT IN ORGANIZED RESERVE CORPS UNITS, AND MORE THAN A THIRD OF THESE WILL BE CALLED UP.
THE FIRST 32,000 WILL BE IN CAMP BY SEPT.15. A MONTH LATER, THEY ALL WILL BE THERE.
THOSE BETWEEN 19 AND 25 YEARS OLD WILL BE CALLED FIRST. MEN HAVING NO DEPENDENTS WILL BE FIRST IN LINE, FOLLOWED BY THOSE WITH ONE DEPENDENT, AND, FINALLY, BY THOSE HAVING MORE THAN ONE.
THE ARMY DIDN'T SAY, BUT PRESUMABLY THE RESERVES WILL GO WITH UNITS WHICH ALREADY HAVE BEEN CALLED UP.
THE ORDER CALLED FOR 21 MONTHS OF DUTY.

TWO GROUPS UNAFFECTED BY TODAY'S ORDER: OFFICERS AND THOSE WHO ARE IN ORGANIZED RESERVE CORPS UNITS. PRESUMABLY THE LATTER WILL BE CALLED UP BY UNITS.
THE ACTION WAS ONE MORE STEP IN A PLAN TO PUT AN ADDITIONAL 600,000

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MEN IN THE ARMED SERVICES.
IT WOLLOWED QUICKLY AN ANNOUNCEMENT MADE YESTERDAY ON THE POLICY THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT WOULD USE IN GRANTING DEFERMENTS TO THOSE IN THE RESERVES AND THE NATIONAL GUARD.
THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SAID DEFERMENTS COULD BE GRANTED TO THOSE HAVING CRITICAL JOBS. BUT IT MADE IT PLAIN THAT THE DEFERMENTS WOULD BE ONLY FOR SIX MONTHS, AND THAT THESE COULD BE CUT SHORT AT ANY MOMENT BY "OVERRIDING MILITARY CONSIDERATIONSM."
MOST OF THE ENLISTED MEN IN THE RESERVES ARE VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II.
HERE'S THE WAY THEY WILL BE CALLED TO DUTY:
THEY WILL BE CHOSEN TENTATIVELY, AND ORDERED UP FOR A PHYSICAL EXAMINATION. THEY THEN WILL RETURN HOME. IF THE PHYSICAL CONDITION IS SATISFACTORY, THEY WILL BE ORDERED TO ACTIVE DUTY.
THEY THEN WILL HAVE 21 DAYS TO GET THEIR PERSONAL AFFAIRS IN ORDER.
THE ARMY SAID THAT A FEW RESERVISTS WILL GO INTO THE REGULAR ARMY. THESE WILL BE "KEY SPECIALISTS," APPARENTLY THOSE WHO ARE RADAR AND RADIO TECHNICIANS.
THE AIR FORCE, IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION, SAID IT DOES NOT INTEND TO CALL UP ANY AIR NATIONAL GUARD UNITS AT THIS TIME.
THE QUESTION WAS ASKED AFTER REPORTS CIRCULATED THAT THE AIR FORCE PLANNED TO CALL UP IMMEDIATELY SOME OF ITS AIR GUARD UNITS.
THE AIR FORCE HAS CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY A LIMITED NUMBER OF ORGANIZED AIR RESERVE UNITS AND SOME INDIVIDUAL SPECIALISTS. IT GAVE NO INDICATION TODAY AS TO WHAT ITS FUTURE PLANS ARE FOR THE AIR FORCE RESERVES.
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NAVAL RESERVES
WASHINGTON, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE NAVY TODAY ANNOUNCED A 12-MONTH "FREEZE" OF REGULAR NAVY AND NAVAL RESERVE ENLISTED PERSONNEL.
THE NAVY SAID THE FREEZE APPLIES TO BOTH ACTIVE AND INACTIVE REGULAR NAVY AND NAVAL RESERVE ENLISTED PERSONNEL, EXCEPTING ONE-YEAR ENLISTEES WHO WERE ACCEPTED UNDER SELECTIVE SERVICE.
THE ORDER EXTENDS THE PERIOD OF ENLISTMENT OF THOSE AFFECTED FOR 12 MONTHS FROM THE EXPIRATION DATE OF THEIR CURRENT ENLISTMENT.
THE ACTION WAS TAKEN UNDER AUTHORITY VOTED RECENTLY BY CONGRESS.
AT THE SAME TIME, THE NAVY ANNOUNCED A PARTIAL LIFTING OF A TEMPORARY BAN ON ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FROM CIVILIANS FOR COMMISSIONS IN THE NAVAL RESERVE.
AS A RESULT THE NAVY IS NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR RESERVE COMMISSIONS FROM DOCTORS, DENTISTS, NURSES, MEDICAL INTERNS, MEDICAL AND DENTAL STUDENTS, AND ELECTRONICS SPECIALISTS.
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SUB INTRO SENATOR JOHNSON-DEFENSE COMMITTEE (B58WX)
WASHINGTON,AUG 4-(AP)-THE SPECIAL SENATE DEFENSE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE SPENT TWO HOURS TODAY BEHIND CLOSED DOORS WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON.
CHAIRMAN LYNDON B.JOHNSON (D-TEX) SAID AFTERWARDS:
"WE DISCUSSED THE PRESENT AND POTENTIAL NEEDS IN TERMS OF MEN, MATERIALS AND MONEY."
HE SAID THE GROUP TALKED OVER THE STOCKPILING OF MATERIALS NEEDED FOR THE KOREAN BATTLE AND DEFENSE EXPANSION "AND ONE OR TWO OTHER MATTERS."
CHAIRMAN JOHNSON HANDED REPORTERS A COPY OF HIS STATEMENT TO THE SECRETARY ON THE PLANS OF THE INVESTIGATING GROUP.
IN THIS THE SENATOR PROMISED THAT THE COMMITTEE WOULD AVOID "A DRAIN UPON THE TIME" OF TOP CIVILIAN DEFENSE AND MILITARY LEADERS "PROVIDED THE PERSON DESIGNATED BY YOU TO SPEAK FOR YOUR DEPARTMENT HAS THE AUTHORITY TO SPEAK, THE INFORMATION TO SPEAK, AND THE DEPARTMENT ACCEPTS FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR WHAT ITS AGENT SAYS."
THE SENATE CHAIRMAN ASKED A PROMPT AND DEFINITE ANSWER UPON ANY ISSUES THE GROUP RAISES EVEN IF DEFENSE OFFICIALS "THINK WE ARE WRONG IN OUR EVALUATION OF A SPECIFIC MATTER."
"IF WE ARE RIGHT, WE EXPECT A REPORT TELLING US WHAT HAS BEEN DONE TO CORRECT THE SITUATION," SENATOR JOHNSON ADDED.
THE SENATOR SAID HIS GROUP HAS "NO INTENTION OF TRYING TO SECOND-GUESS BATTLEFRONT STRATEGY" AND WOULD TRY "TO AVOID HEADLINES."
"IN FACT, ALREADY I AM APPREHENSIVE ABOUT THE AMOUNT OF MILITARY INFORMATION THAT IS AND HAS BEEN AVAILABLE TO OUR ENEMIES," CHAIRMAN JOHNSON TOLD SECRETARY JOHNSON.
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SEN.JOHNSON WAS ASKED TONIGHT IN AN INTERVIEW OVER THE COLUMBIA BROADCASTING SYSTEM WHETHER HE WAS IN FAVOR OF ENACTING FULL WARTIME CONTROLS NOW, SUCH AS EXISTED DURING WORLD WAR II.
"YES," HE SAID, "AND I THINK THE CLOCK IS TICKING AND WE'RE RUNNING LATE."
SEN.JOHNSON SAID "PIECEMEAL LEGISLATION" ON CONTROLS WAS "A WASTE OF CONGRESS' TIME AND THE PEOPLES' TIME."
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OF CONGRESS' TIME AND THE PEOPLES' TIME."
HE SAID THAT CONGRESS SHOULD ENACT "COMPLETE STANDBY CONTROLS" TO BE PUT INTO EFFECT "WHEN NECESSARY."
THE SENATOR ALSO SAID HE WAS IN FAVOR OF "A COMPLETE INDUSTRIAL MOBILIZATION PROGRAM" AND THAT HE WAS "VERY HOPEFUL" THAT THE NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVES WOULD BE CALLED UP.
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WASHINGTON, AUG. 4-(AP)-AN ANNOUNCEMENT INDICATING THAT THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE A NEW COMMANDING GENERAL HAS BEEN MADE BY THE RED RADIO AT SEOUL, A U.S. DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.
THE RADIO SAID ON JULY 31 THAT GENERAL KIM CHAEK HAD BECOME COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, ACCORDING TO INFORMATION RECEIVED BY DEFENSE OFFICIALS HERE.
BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID KIM HAD BEEN THE SECOND RANKING RED KOREAN GENERAL. APPARENTLY HE SUCCEEDED MARSHALL CHOE YONGGUN, WHO WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN THE TOP FIELD COMMANDER WHEN NORTH KOREA DROVE ACROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL JUNE 25.
THE REASON FOR THE SHIFT WAS NOT KNOWN HERE. MILITARY OFFICIALS WERE SEEKING TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT GEN. KIM.
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NEW YORK, AUG 4-(AP)-LORD MACINTOSH OF HALIFAX SAID TODAY WAR BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD IS "BOUND TO COME IN ONE WAY OR ANOTHER."

LORD MACKINTOSH, PRESIDENT OF THE WORLD COUNCIL OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION, FORMERLY THE WORLD SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION, TOLD REPORTERS HE "WOULD RATHER FACE A WAR THAN COME UNDER THE YOKE OF SOVIET RUSSIA."

"WE WOULD NOT JUST BE FIGHTING COMMUNISM," HE SAID, "BUT WHAT INTERPRETATION RUSSIA HAS GIVEN OF IT, TYRANNY OF THE WORST SORT."

LORD MACINTOSH ARRIVED ABOARD THE CUNARD LINER CARONIA EN ROUTE TO TORONTO WHERE THE COUNCIL WILL OPEN AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON AUG. 10.

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NEW YORK, AUG.4-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G.MENZIES INDICATED TODAY THE AUSTRALIAN ARMY AND NAVY SOON WOULD FIGHT ALONGSIDE THE AMERICANS IN THE KOREAN WAR.

"I BELIEVE BEFORE LONG MY OWN COUNTRY WILL HAVE THE DISTINCTION OF SERVING SIDE BY SIDE WITH YOURS IN KOREA IN EVERY ARM OF THE FIGHTING FORCES," MENZIES SAID IN A CITY HALL CEREMONY AT WHICH HE WAS GUEST OF HONOR.

AUSTRALIA ALREADY HAS SENT FIGHTING PLANES TO HELP TURN BACK THE COMMUNIST FORCES IN KOREA.

MAYOR WILLIAM O'DWYER PRESENTED A SCROLL FOR "DISTINGUISHED AND PUBLIC SERVICE" TO MENZIES BEFORE ABOUT 1,000 SPECTATORS.

LATER, IN AN ADDRESS TO A GROUP OF INDUSTRIAL AND BANKING REPRESENTATIVES, MENZIES DECLARED THAT THE FREE NATIONS MUST "PREPARE OURSELVES FOR WAR IN TERMS OF DEFENSE."

AT THE SAME TIME, HE SAID, THEY MUST "STRENGTHEN THEIR ARMED FORCES BY DIVERTING MANPOWER FROM CIVIL TO MILITARY NEEDS."

"AS WE LOOK ABOUT THE WORLD TODAY," THE PRIME MINISTER SAID, "WE MUST BE CONSCIOUS OF AN EVIL PRESSURE. WE NEVER KNOW, WHEN THIS PRESSURE COMES, IF IT IS LOCAL OR A REAL DANGER. WE ARE IN DANGER OF DISPERSING OUR FORCES WHILE SOMEONE ELSE CONCENTRATES HIS."

MENZIES SPOKE AT A LUNCHEON GIVEN BY THE AMERICAN AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATION AND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. WILLARD L.THORP, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE, WELCOMED HIM ON BEHALF OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 4-(AP)-GOVERNOR EARL WARREN SAID TONIGHT THE UNITED STATES "IS AT WAR, OSTENSIBLY WITH KOREA, BUT ACTUALLY WITH SOVIET RUSSIAM"

THE GOVERNOR'S REMARK WAS MADE DURING A RADIO DISCUSSION OF THE STATE'S CIVILIAN DEFENSE PROGRAM.

"THE FIRST FACT TO REMEMBER," HE SAID IN A PREPARED ADDRESS, "IS THAT OUR ARMED FORCES ARE NOT MERELY ON A MILITARY EXPEDITION FOR THE UNITED NATIONS. OUR COUNTRY IS AT WAR, OSTENSIBLY WITH NORTH KOREA, BUT ACTUALLY WITH SOVIET RUSSIA."

WARREN SAID HE DID NOT WISH TO CAUSE HYSTERIA, BUT "NEITHER DO I WANT YOU TO FEEL SECURE, BECAUSE WE ARE NOT SECURE, AND TO ASSUME WE ARE WOULD BE TO LIVE IN A FOOL'S PARADISE."

IF A GENERAL WAR DEVELOPS, WARREN SAID, IT ALMOST CERTAINLY WILL BRING USE OF ATOM BOMBS.

"IT IS FOOLHARDY TO BELIEVE THAT RUSSIA WOULD NOT USE (ATOMIC WARFARE) ON US IF SHE COULD," HE SAID. "THE ONLY QUESTION IS, CAN SHE DO IT? X X X X

"WE MUST PREPARE FOR THE WORST WHILE HOPING AND PRAYING FOR THE BEST."

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BLOOMINGTON, ILL., AUG. 4-(AP)-ELLSWORTH GREEN, JR., OF KANSAS CITY, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE C-B-I VETERANS ASSOCIATION, SAID TODAY THE KOREAN FIGHTING MIGHT NOT HAVE HAPPENED HAD WE KEPT TROOPS IN ASIA OUTSIDE JAPAN.

ADDRESSING THE OPENING SESSION OF THE NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE ASSOCIATION, GREEN SAID "WHY DIDN'T WE KEEP TROOPS OVER THERE IN JAVA, KOREA, INDIA, CHINA AND BURMA? THEN MAYBE THIS KOREAN SITUATION WOULDN'T HAVE EVOLVED."

THE ASSOCIATION IS MADE UP OF VETERANS OF THE CHINA-BURMA-INDIA THEATER IN WORLD WAR TWO.

GREEN, AN ARMY MAJOR DURING THE LAST WAR, SERVED IN BOMBAY, DELHI, KARACHI, SINGAPORE, SAIGON AND JAVA.

"WE FEEL THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAS TAKEN THE PROPER MOVES IN RECENT DAYS," HE STATED IN AN INTERVIEW, "BY RECALLING VETERANS AND SPEEDING UP ARMAMENT PRODUCTION. ONLY THE ACTION IS COMING TOO LATE. IT SHOULD HAVE BEEN DONE MONTHS--YEARS--AGO. KOREA AND GERMANY AREN'T OUR ONLY TROUBLE SPOTS. THERE ARE A LOT OF THEM. WE MUST PREPARE."

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NEW YORK, AUG.4-(AP)-FRANCIS CARDINAL SPELLMAN ISSUED A CALL TODAY FOR MORE CATHOLIC CHAPLAINS TO SERVE WITH AMERICA'S GROWING ARMED FORCES.

AS HEAD OF THE CHURCH'S MILITARY ORDINATE IN THIS COUNTRY, THE CARDINAL CALLED THE ATTENTION OF ALL U.S. BISHOPS TO THE NEED FOR "ADDITIONAL APPOINTMENTS TO THE CHAPLAINS CORPS FROM THEIR RESPECTIVE DIOCESES."

CARDINAL SPELLMAN CALLED FOR VOLUNTEERS FROM AMONG THE PRIESTS OF THE NEW YORK ARCHDIOCESE, ESPECIALLY THOSE ORDAINED BETWEEN 1940 AND 1947.

THE CHANCERY OFFICE SAID THE CARDINAL WAS CONFIDENT THAT AMERICAN PRIESTS WOULD COME FORWARD "AS IN WORLD WAR TWO, WHEN THERE WERE 3,137 FULL-TIME CATHOLIC CHAPLAINS AND 1,631 AUXILIARY CATHOLIC CHAPLAINS."

NO ESTIMATE WAS MADE OF THE NUMBER NOW NEEDED.

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TAMPA,FLA.,AUG.4-(AP)-A COLLEGE PRESIDENT, SAYING HE IS ALARMED AT WORLD CONDITIONS, RECOMMENDED TODAY THAT CHURCH MEMBERS FOLLOW THEIR PRAYERS WITH RIFLE PRACTICE.

DR.E.C.NANCE, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA, ADVISED LEADERS OF GROUPS INTERESTED IN PEACE, INCLUDING CHURCHES, TO "LAUNCH A CAMPAIGN OF INSTRUCTION IN THE USE OF FIREARMS, CIVIL DEFENSE, GUERILLA WARFARE AND SO FORTH TO EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD IN THE UNITED STATES."

DR.NANCE, 50-YEAR-OLD VETERAN OF TWO WORLD WARS AND FORMER PASTOR IN SEVERAL CHRISTIAN CHURCHES, SAID IF HE OCCUPIED A PULPIT TODAY HE WOULD TELL HIS CONGREGATION NOT TO BE TOO HIGH-MINDED EVEN IN THEIR PRAYERS.

"I WOULD TELL THEM THAT RELIGION IS NOT, AT LEAST IN OUR DAY, TO HELP THEM ESCAPE THE REALITIES OF LIFE, BUT TO HELP FACE THEM.

"I WOULD SAY IT'S BETTER TO BE A LIVE SINNER THAN A DEAD SAINT.

"AFTER LEADING MY CONGREGATION IN PRAYER SERVICES, I WOULD INVITE THEM TO THE RIFLE RANGE FOR PRACTICE IN FIREARMS."

"I BELIEVE WE SHOULD HAVE TOTAL PREPAREDNESS BASED ON THE LAWS OF THE JUNGLE--THAT WE SHOULD LEARN EVERY ART AND SCIENCE OF KILLING," HE CONTINUED. DR.NANCE SAID HE FAVORED USE OF ANY KIND OF BOMB OR OF BACTERIOLOGICAL WARFARE, AGAINST CIVILIANS AS WELL AS ARMIES, SO THAT

WAR WOULD BECOME SO HORRIBLE THE PEOPLE WOULD "REBEL AGAINST THE STUPID LEADERS WHO LEAD THEM INTO WAR."
HIS VIEWS WERE EXPRESSED IN A LETTER ASKING THAT HIS NAME BE WITHDRAWN FROM SUPPORTERS OF THE UNITED WORLD FEDERALISTS, A GROUP SEEKING TO SET UP A WORLD GOVERNMENT THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS.
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WAR-BASEBALL
WASHINGTON,AUG 4-(AP)-MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL IS READY TO DO ITS PART IN THE KOREAN WAR, BUT EXPECTS TO HAVE A WORLD SERIES THIS FALL AS USUAL.
BASEBALL COMMISSIONER A.B. "HAPPY" CHANDLER MADE THIS STATEMENT AFTER CALLING ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY.
HE SAID HE OFFERED THE PRESIDENT "SOMETHING HE ALREADY KNEW HE HAD--THE FULL SUPPORT OF AMERICAN BASEBALL."
CHANDLER SAID HE ALSO OFFERED HIS PERSONAL SERVICES IN WHATEVER CAPACITY HE MIGHT BE NEEDED. HE RECALLED THAT HE HAD SERVED ON THE SENATE MILITARY COMMITTEE WHEN HE WAS U.S. SENATOR FROM KENTUCKY.
THE COMMISSIONER SAID BASEBALL OFFICIALS HAVE ALWAYS TAKEN THE POSITION IN A WAR EMERGENCY THAT PLAYERS ARE AVAILABLE WHERE THEY CAN BEST SERVE THE COUNTRY, AND ARE READY TO GO INTO UNIFORM IF NEEDED.
HE SAID HE DID NOT ASK THE PRESIDENT FOR A "GREEN LIGHT" FOR BASEBALL DURING THE KOREAN CRISIS. IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION, HE SAID MR.TRUMAN GAVE NO INDICATION HE WANTED THE MAJOR LEAGUE RACES TO STOP.
ASKED IF THE WORLD SERIES WOULD BE HELD--AS THEY WERE THROUGHOUT THE LAST WAR--CHANDLER REPLIED:
"AS FAR AS I KNOW THERE IS GOING TO BE A WORLD SERIES."
CHANDLER RECALLED THAT THE LATE PRESIDENT FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT GAVE BASEBALL A GO-AHEAD IN WORLD WAR II BECAUSE HE FELT IT WAS BEST FOR THE COUNTRY.
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NIGHT LEAD BOXER
BY P. D. ELDRED
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER BOXER, SPEEDING HOME FROM AN EMERGENCY FIGHTER PLANE FERRYING TRIP TO THE FAR EAST, ARRIVED HERE TODAY, SETTING A SPECTACULAR PACIFIC CROSSING RECORD OF 7 DAYS, 18 HOURS, 36 MINUTES.
CAPT. CAMERON BRIGGS, WHO TOOK COMMAND OF THE 27,000-TON FLAT-TOP ONLY 30 HOURS BEFORE SHE SAILED FROM SAN FRANCISCO BAY FOR JAPAN JULY 14, WOULD NOT GIVE THE EXACT MILEAGE ON THE RETURN TRIP. HE SAID IT WAS "SLIGHTLY UNDER 5,000 MILES." HE MEANT NAUTICAL MILES. (TO CONVERT TO LAND MILES, ADD 15 PER CENT.)
THE BOXER CARRIED OUTBOUND A COMPOSITE NAVAL AIRCRAFT GROUP PLUS A TIGHTLY JAMMED HANGAR AND FLIGHT DECK, STACKED WITH MORE THAN 150 F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTERS FOR THE AIR FORCE.
IN ADDITION TO THE NAVY COMPOSITE GROUP, SHE CARRIED A NUMBER OF AIR FORCE "CASUALS," BOTH COMMISSIONED FLIERS AND ENLISTED MEN.
THE BOXER AVERAGED AROUND 23 KNOTS ON THE HOMEWARD TRIP.
ON HER RUSH VOYAGE FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO JAPAN THE BOXER HAD SET A MARK---NOT A RECORD, BECAUSE THERE WAS NO KNOWN RECORD TO SHOOT AT---OF 8 DAYS AND 7 HOURS. THE NAVY HAD GIVEN THE DISTANCE AS 4,546 NAUTICAL MILES.
CAPTAIN BRIGGS JOKINGLY PASSED OFF MOST QUESTIONS AT A NEWS CONFERENCE WHICH TOUCHED ON SUCH THINGS AS POSSIBLE CONTACT WITH UNFRIENDLY SUBMARINES, DANGERS FROM ENEMY AIRCRAFT, AND STRATEGIC PROBLEMS.
HE SAID THE BOXER EMPLOYED SAFETY PRECAUTIONS. SUCH AS ZIGZAGING AND NIGHTTIME BLACKOUTS. IN AREAS BELIEVED DANGEROUS, THERE WAS AIR AND SURFACE CRAFT ESCORT.
BUT, HE SAID, THE BOXER ACTUALLY HAD NO CONTACT WITH UNFRIENDLY PLANES OR SUBS.
"WE DID HAVE SOME SCARES," HE ADDED. "THOSE WATERS ARE FULL OF WHALES. I NEVER KNEW THERE WERE SO MANY WHALES IN THE NORTH PACIFIC."
WHEN THE BOXER WAS RUSHED TO SAN FRANCISCO IN JUNE TO TAKE CARE OF PLANE FERRY MISSIONS, SHE HAD JUST RETURNED FROM A 33,000-MILE, FIVE-MONTH VOYAGE IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC AND WAS DUE FOR ROUTINE OVERHAUL. BUT SHE WAS SENT OUT ANYHOW.
CAPTAIN BRIGGS SAID THAT IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, THE BOXER IS READY TO GO RIGHT NOW. BUT HE INDICATED SHE WILL BE GIVEN CONSIDERABLE SERVICING AT HUNTERS POINT NAVY SHIPYARD BEFORE SHE IS SENT ANYWHERE.
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WASHINGTON,AUG.4-(AP)-THE NAVY SAID TODAY THAT DUE TO THE KOREAN SITUATION ALL SUITABLE UNITED STATES SHIPS AVAILABLE IN THE PACIFIC HAVE BEEN PUT TO USE AND IT WAS ALSO NECESSARY TO UTILIZE SHIPS OF OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS.
THE PENTAGON MADE PUBLIC A TELEGRAM FROM DAN A.KIMBALL, UNDERSECRETARY OF THE NAVY, TO HARRY LUNDEBERG, PRESIDENT OF THE SEAFARERS INTERNATIONAL UNION (AFL), SAYING:
"IT IS NOT OUR POLICY TO CHARTER FOREIGN FLAG SHIPS EXCEPT WHEN SUITABLE UNITED STATES FLAG SHIPS ARE NOT AVAILABLE TO MEET URGENT REQUIREMENTS, AND THEN ONLY FOR THE SHORTEST POSSIBLE TIME."
KIMBALL SAID LUNDEBERG HAD TELEGRAPHED HIM AND SECRETARY OF THE NAVY MATTHEWS.
SENATOR MAGNUSON (D-WASH) ALSO RECEIVED A TELEGRAM FROM LUNDEBERG COMPLAINING THAT THE MILITARY SEA TRANSPORT SERVICE WAS CHARTERING FOREIGN SHIPS ON THE WEST COAST. LUNDEBERG SAID THIS WAS BEING DONE EVEN THOUGH AMERICAN SHIPS WERE AVAILABLE.
LUNDEBERG'S WIRE TO MAGNUSON SAID THE MILITARY SERVICE YESTERDAY CHARTERED FIVE GREEK, FOUR CANADIAN AND ONE IRANIAN SHIP.
IT ALSO SAID MANY OF THE FOREIGN SHIP CREW MEMBERS ARE COMMUNISTS, MAGNUSON SAID, AND THERE IS NO WAY TO SCREEN THE CREWS.
MAGNUSON SAID HE REPLIED TO LUDEBERG THAT HE AGREED THAT AMERICAN SHIPS SHOULD BE USED. HE SAID MILITARY AUTHORITIES GIVE CHEAPER RATES AS THE REASON FOR CHARTERING THE FOREIGN SHIPS.
THE SENATOR ADDED HE BELIEVED THE MILITARY AUTHORITIES ARE NOT LIVING UP TO THE MARITIME LAWS IN CHARTERING THE FOREIGN SHIPS. HE SAID LEGISLATION TO PROHIBIT THIS MAY BE ENACTED BY CONGRESS.
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DALLAS,AUG 4 (AP)-A DIRECTOR OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BROADCASTERS SAID TODAY THAT IN EVENT OF A NATIONAL EMERGENCY THE NATION'S RADIO STATIONS WILL TURN THEIR FACILITIES OVER TO THE GOVERNMENT.
THE STATEMENT CAME FROM CLYDE REMBERT, GENERAL MANAGER OF KRLD OF DALLAS, WHO REPRESENTS THE TEXAS RADIO INDUSTRY ON THE NAB BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
"IN CASE OF A NATIONAL EMERGENCY," HE TOLD THE TIMES-HERALD, "ALL STATIONS IN THE NATION WILL TURN OVER THEIR UNLIMITED COMMUNICATION

FACILITIES TO THE GOVERNMENT AS NEEDED OR TO OTHER OFFICIAL LOCAL AGENCIES IN THE EVENT OF A LOCAL MAJOR DISASTER."

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 4-(AP)-A WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL DENIED TODAY THERE IS ANY MOVE AFOOT TO ESTABLISH A FEDERAL CENSORSHIP AND INFORMATION AGENCY.

THE CHARLOTTE (N.C.) NEWS HAD SAID IT HAD INFORMATION FROM RESPONSIBLE SOURCES THAT CHARLES H.CRUTCHFIELD, CHARLOTTE RADIO EXECUTIVE, MIGHT HEAD SUCH A BUREAU.

THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL SAID THERE ARE NO PLANS TO SET UP SUCH AN OFFICE.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD ALSO SAID THERE IS NO SUCH THING UNDER CONSIDERATION AS A CENSORSHIP OFFICE, OR A WAR INFORMATION BUREAU, OR A COMBINATION OF THE TWO.

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NIGHT LEAD PACT

BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

LONDON, AUG.4-(AP)-THE CIVILIAN DIRECTORS OF THE 12-NATION NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE WOUND UP A 10-DAY MEETING HERE TODAY CONVINCED THE OVERALL DEFENSES OF THE WHOLE AREA MUST BE STRENGTHENED RAPIDLY.

A COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCED THAT FINDING. IT SAID THE GROUP, KNOWN AS THE COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES, IS ADJOURNING FOR 18 DAYS TO CONSULT THE HOME GOVERNMENTS "IN ORDER TO FURTHER LANS FOR THE INCREASE OF FORCES WHICH SHALL BE ACCOMPLISHED IN THE NEAR FUTURE."

INFORMANTS IN TOUCH WITH THE CONFEREES SAID THE GROUP AGREED THE WEST'S EXISTING DEFENSES WERE QUITE INADEQUATE IN LIGHT OF THE PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

THE DEPUTIES DISCUSSED THE WHOLE QUESTION WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH STANDING MILITARY GROUP, WHO HAD FLOWN TO LONDON FROM WASHINGTON. THEY ALSO REVIEWED REPORTS SUBMITTED TO THEM BY VARIOUS AGENCIES OF THE ALLIANCE.

THESE AGENCIES HAVE BEEN CHARGED BY THE COUNCIL WITH LAYING DOWN A PROGRAM FOR ACCELERATING PRODUCTION OF CERTAIN UNDISCLOSED HIGH PRIORITY ARMAMENTS.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FULFILLING THIS PROGRAM HAVE BEEN CALLED FOR BY THE END OF THIS MONTH, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

THE AGENCIES INCLUDE THE MILITARY PRODUCTION AND SUPPLY BOARD, THE DEFENSE FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC COMMITTEE AND THE NORTH ATLANTIC PLANNING BOARD FOR OCEAN SHIPPING.

THE AMERICAN CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL, CHARLES M. SPOFFORD, TOLD THE DEPUTIES ABOUT HIS COUNTRY'S TWIN PROGRAMS FOR REARMING ITSELF AND ITS FRIENDS. THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE DEPUTIES "EXPRESSED THEIR APPRECIATION OF THESE MEASURES."

INFORMANTS SAID LATER THE COUNCIL'S RECOMMENDATIONS FOR BOOSTING ARMED FORCES WOULD NOT NECESSARILY APPLY TO ALL THE PACT PARTNERS--THE UNITED STATES, CANADA, BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS, LUXEMBOURG, NORWAY, DENMARK, PORTUGAL AND ICELAND.

THEY REPORTED A DEFINITE TIME TABLE HAS BEEN LAID DOWN, BUT WOULD NOT DISCLOSE ITS DETAILS.

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THE TIME TABLE IS THE SAME WHICH HAD BEEN ADOPTED BY THE DEFENSE COUNCIL OF THE PACT IN THE HAGUE LAST APRIL.

THE DEFENSE COUNCIL'S PLANS FOR PREPARING THE ATLANTIC ALLIES AGAINST ANY AGGRESSION HAD ALREADY BEEN ACCEPTED IN PRINCIPLE BY THE 12 GOVERNMENTS.

THE ISSUE WHICH NOW FACES THOSE GOVERNMENTS IS HOW TO IMPLEMENT THE PROGRAM.

THE KOREAN CONFLICT IN NO WAY HAS CHANGED THE BROAD PLANS LAID DOWN BY THE PACT'S MILITARY GROUP, THE INFORMANTS SAID. IT HAS, HOWEVER, GIVEN NEW URGENCY TO PUTTING THOSE PLANS INTO EFFECT.

THE COMMUNIQUE STRESSED THAT THE OBJECTIVES OF THE ATLANTIC ALLIES STILL ARE TO MAINTAIN PEACE AND BACK THE UNITED NATIONS.

IT QUOTED THE DEPUTIES AS REAFFIRMING THEIR BELIEF THAT THESE GOALS CAN BE ACHIEVED BEST "BY STRENGTHENING AND MAINTENANCE OF ADEQUATE COLLECTIVE DEFENSE FORCES STRONG ENOUGH TO DETER ANY AGGRESSION."

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LONDON, AUG.4-(AP)-DEPUTIES OF THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS AGREED TODAY TO URGE THEIR GOVERNMENTS TO BOOST THEIR ARMED FORCES AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE.

AN OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCED THAT THE COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES, WHICH HAS BEEN IN SESSION SINCE JULY 25, IS ADJOURNING FOR 18 DAYS TO CONSULT THEIR GOVERNMENTS "IN ORDER TO FURTHER PLANS FOR THE INCREASE OF FORCES WHICH SHALL BE ACCOMPLISHED IN THE NEAR FUTURE."

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THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE DEPUTIES WERE CONVINCED THAT THE OVERALL DEFENSES OF THE WHOLE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA MUST BE STRENGTHENED RAPIDLY.

THEY DISCUSSED THE WHOLE QUESTION WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AMERICAN-BRITISH-FRENCH STANDING MILITARY GROUP WHO HAD FLOWN OVER FROM WASHINGTON.

THE DEPUTIES ALSO REVIEWED REPORTS SUBMITTED TO THEM BY VARIOUS AGENCIES OF THE ALLIANCE. THE 12 MEMBERS ARE THE U.S., BRITAIN, CANADA, FRANCE, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS, LUXEMBOURG, ITALY, DENMARK, NORWAY, PORTUGAL AND ICELAND.

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FOLO LONDON BUDGET

COPENHAGEN, DENMARK,AUG.4-(AP)-THE DANISH GOVERNMENT WILL COMPLETE AN AMERICAN-REQUESTED MEMORANDUM ON ITS REARMAMENT PLANS TODAY.

THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED THE MEMORANDUM WILL BE FORWARDED TO THE ATLANTIC PACT'S PERMANENT COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES NOW MEETING IN LONDON.

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PMS BUDGET (500)

BRITISH

LONDON, AUG. 4-(AP)-BRITAIN ANNOUNCED LAST NIGHT SHE IS READY TO BOOST HER DEFENSE SPENDING TO $9,520,000,000 OVER THE NEXT THREE YEARS IF AMERICA WILL HELP HER ECONOMY ABSORB THE SHOCK.

IF AGREEMENT WITH THE U.S. CAN BE WORKED OUT -- AND STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS INDICATED IT COULD BE -- BRITAIH WILL BE ADDING ABOUT $616,000,000 A YEAR TO HER CURRENT DEFENSE EXPENDITURE.

THE PROPOSED OUTLAY WOULD BE 43 PER CENT GREATER THAN MILITARY SPENDING ANNOUNCED BEFORE THE KOREAN WAR STARTED. IT WOULD INCREASE FROM EIGHT TO 10 PER CENT THE PORTION OF THE NATIONAL INCOME SPENT ON MILITARY PREPARATIONS AGAINST COMMUNISM.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT INDICATED THAT MOST OF THE INCREASE WOULD GO FOR PRODUCTION OF NEW ARMS AND EQUIPMENT FOR ATLANTIC PACT FORCES.

BRITAIN'S OFFER TO ENLARGE HER CONTRIBUTIONS TO WESTERN DEFENSE CAME IN THE FORM OF A MEMORANDUM TO THE UNITED STATES REPLYING TO AN AMERICAN REQUEST FOR SUCH INFORMATION.

THE U.S. HAD ASKED ALL ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES TO STATE BY AUG. 5

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WHAT THEY PROPOSE TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE WEST'S OVERALL DEFENSE PROGRAM. HOLLAND YESTERDAY ANNOUNCED PREPARATIONS FOR STAND-BY MOBILIZATION OF THREE DIVISIONS AND MEASURES TO SPEED UP DEFENSE PRODUCTION.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE IN WASHINGTON LAST NIGHT HE WAS VERY PLEASED WITH BRITAIN'S OFFER. HE SAID HE HOPED THE OTHER ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS WOULD FOLLOW SUIT.

THE STATEMENT SAID THE TOTAL COST OF THE PROJECT "WOULD BE SO HEAVY THAT IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO CARRY OUT THE FULL PROGRAM WITHOUT SUBSTANTIAL UNITED STATES ASSISTANCE IN ADDITION TO COMPLETION OF THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM."

IN RETURN BRITAIN OFFERED TO HELP MEET THE "DEFICIENCIES IN EQUIPMENT OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION FORCES OF OTHER NATIONS."

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IN HER MEMORANDUM, BRITAIN POINTED OUT THAT SHE HAS LARGE TRAINED MANPOWER RESERVES. SHE DECLARED THE "MOST URGENT NEED IS TO INCREASE PRODUCTION OF DEFENSE EQUIPMENT."

THE MEMORNADUM INDICATED THAT THE BRITISH RESIGNED TO A SLOWING DOWN OF EFFORTS AT ECONOMIC RECOVERY BUT "THEY ARE ANXIOUS TO MAKE THIS EFFORT AS THEIR CONTRIBUTION TO THE DEFENSE OF A FREE WORLD IN THE PRESENT THREATENING SITUATION."

THE STATEMENT INDICATED THE PROGRAM WOULD BE CARRIED OUT WITHOUT THE FULL CONTROLS USED DURING WORLD WAR II. IT SAID:

"IT IS THE LARGEST PROGRAM PRACTICABLE WITHIN THE PERIOD ENVISAGED AND WITHOUT RESTORING THE DIRECTION OF LABOR, THE REQUISITIONING OF FACTORIES, OR EMBARKING ON THE SLOW PROGRESS OF BUILDING AND EQUIPPING NEW INDUSTRIAL CAPACITY WHICH COULD NOT HAVE RAPID RESULTS."

BEFORE THE KOREAN WAR BRITAIN'S DEFENSE BUDGET AMOUNTED TO $2,184,000,000 A YEAR. THE ADDITION OF $280,000,000 WAS ANNOUNCED AFTER THE FIGHTING STARTED.

THE MEMORANDUM ENVISAGED A NEW AVERAGE COST OF MORE THAN $3,080,000,000 OVER EACH OF THE NEXT THREE YEARS.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS HAILED BY THE LONDON PRESS, ALTHOUGH SOME PAPERS THOUGHT IT DID NOT GO FAR ENOUGH.

THE INFLUENTIAL TIMES ASKED WHETHER "THE GOVERNMENT MAY NOT BE TAKING TOO CAREFUL A VIEW OF WHAT THIS COUNTRY'S ECONOMY CAN AFFORD?"

THE CONSERVATIVE DAILY MAIL EXPRESSED A SIMILAR THOUGHT.

BEAVERBROOK'S IMPERIALIST DAILY EXPRESS SAID "THE ONE THING THAT SHOULD NOT BE DONE IS TO MAKE THE DEFENSE OF BRITAIN AND THE EMPIRE CONDITIONAL UPON AMERICAN CHARITY."

THE LABORITE DAILY HERALD SAID THE BRITISH PEOPLE "CHOOSE SECURITY THROUGH STRENGTH IN PARTNERSHIP WITH ALL THE OTHER NATIONS THAT SHARE THEIR DETERMINATION TO KEEP THE PEACE."

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LONDON, AUG.4-(AP)-THE DAILY HERALD, NEWSPAPER OF THE GOVERNING LABOR PARTY, SAID TONIGHT THAT BRITAIN HAS PLACED ORDERS FOR 3,000 JET PLANES TO REINFORCE ITS FIGHTER COMMAND.

CONTRACTS FOR THE PLANES WERE SAID TO HAVE BEEN SENT OUT YESTERDAY TO THE DE HAVILAND AND GLOSTER AIRPLANE COMPANIES. THE NEW PLANES ARE EXPECTED TO COST [redacted] £50,000,000($140,000,000).

THE HERALD SAID THE JETS, METEORS AND VAMPIRES, WILL BE RESERVES FOR FRONTLINE FIGHTER SQUADRONS. THE CONTRACTS WERE PLACED BY THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY. EXISTING FACTORY FACILITIES ARE EXPECTED TO BE ADEQUATE FOR FILLING THE ORDER.

FOUR TYPES OF METEORS WILL BE BUILT, THE PAPER SAID. THEY WILL BE THE METEOR EIGHT, A STANDARD FIGHTER; A METEOR PHOTOGRAPHIC RECONNAISSANCE TYPE; A NIGHTER-RECONNAISSANCE TYPE; AND THE NEW RADAR-EQUIPPED NIGHT FIGHTER, WHICH WILL USE RADAR TO HELP IT SEEK OUT ITS TARGETS.

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LONDON, AUG.4-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN WOUND UP ITS FIFTH CONGRESS TODAY WITH A RESOLUTION REAFFIRMING ITS BELIEF IN "THE FUNDAMENTAL HUMAN RIGHTS OF ALL PEOPLE EVERYWHERE."

DELEGATES FROM 20 NATIONS, INCLUDING THE UNITED STATES, ALSO CAME OUT STRONGLY IN FAVOR OF EQUAL PAY FOR WOMEN WHO DO THE SAME JOBS AS MEN.

IN ITS "HUMAN RIGHTS" RESOLUTION, THE CONGRESS SAID:

"WE BELIEVE THAT EVERYONE SHOULD HAVE THE RIGHT TO AN EFFECTIVE REMEDY BY THE COMPETENT NATIONAL TRIBUNALS FOR ACTS VIOLATING THE FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS GRANTED HIM BY THE CONSTITUTION OR BY LAW.

"NO ONE SHOULD BE SUBJECTED TO ARBITRARY ARREST, DETENTION OR EXILE. EVERYONE IS ENTITLED IN FULL EQUALITY TO A FAIR AND PUBLIC HEARING BY AN INDEPENDENT AND IMPARTIAL TRIBUNAL, IN THE DETERMINATION OF ANY CRIMINAL CHARGE AGAINST HIM. EVERYONE CHARGED WITH A PENAL OFFENCE SHOULD BE PRESUMED INNOCENT UNTIL PROVED GUILTY ACCORDING TO LAW IN A PUBLIC TRIAL."

THE CONGRESS INSTRUCTED ITS BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO INVESTIGATE THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS, OR BY OTHER MEANS, ANY REPORTED INFRINGEMENT OF THE U.N. DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS.

IT URGED THE SETTING UP AT ONCE OF SOME SORT OF INTERNATIONAL MACHINERY TO DEAL WITH "EQUAL PAY FOR WOMEN." IT ASKED NATIONAL FEDERATIONS TO WORK FOR ITS RATIFICATION AND IMPLEMENTATION BY INDIVIDUAL GOVERNMENTS.

MISS SALLY BUTLER, THE RETIRING PRESIDENT, PRESENTED A LIBRARY OF 200 BOOKS AS A GIFT FROM THE MICHIGAN FEDERATION TO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, LONDON.

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ARMAMENT (550)

BY CARTER L.DAVIDSON

PARIS, AUG.4-(AP)-FRANCE IS PROPOSING, WITH AMERICAN HELP, TO PUMP A SIZEABLE FLOOD OF MONEY INTO MUNITIONS PLANTS MAKING EVERYTHING FROM PISTOLS TO TANKS, INFORMED SOURCES SAID TONIGHT.

SHE ALSO PLANS TO INCREASE HER 476,845-MAN ARMY BY AN UNSPECIFIED AMOUNT, LAUNCH A FIVE-YEAR PROGRAM OF BUILDING UP THE AIR FORCE AND IMPROVE MORALE BY INCREASING PAY OF THE ARMED SERVICES.

A FRENCH NOTE ON THE SUBJECT IS TO BE GIVEN THE UNITED STATES TOMORROW. IT ANSWERS A REQUEST BY THE UNITED STATES TO ALL ITS 11 NORTH ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES FOR INFORMATION ON CONTRIBUTIONS THEY ARE PREPARED TO MAKE TO BOLSETER THE WEST AGAINST THE THREAT OF COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY IT PROPOSED TO START A THREE-YEAR, $9,520,000,000 PROGRAM, PROVIDING THE UNITED STATES GAVE SUBSTANTIAL BACKING. PRESIDENT TRUMAN COMMENTED IN WASHINGTON THAT HE WAS PLEASED AND HOPED OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ALLIANCE WOULD TAKE SIMILAR STEPS.

AMBASSADOR HERVE ALPHAND, CHIEF FRENCH DELEGATE TO THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES NOW MEETING IN LONDON, IS TO HAND THE FRENCH MEMORANDUM TO U.S. DELEGATE CHARLES M.SPOFFORD TOMORROW. SPOFFORD, IT WAS LEARNED HERE, IS TO FLY TO WASHINGTON AT THE WEEKEND.

THE 1950 FRENCH BUDGET PROVIDES 420,000,000,000 FRANCS

($1,200,000,000) FOR DEFENSE. THAT'S ABOUT 18 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL BUDGET, THE LOWEST PERCENTAGE EARMARKED FOR DEFENSE IN 25 YEARS.

PREMIER RENE PLEVEN, A FORMER DEFENSE MINISTER, ALREADY HAS TOLD HIS PARLIAMENT HE WILL ASK FOR AT LEAST 80,000,000,000 FRANCS MORE THAN THAT FOR NEXT YEAR. SOME INFORMED SOURCES BELIEVE THE FRENCH NOTE TO THE UNITED STATES WILL PLEDGE EVEN MORE OF AN INCREASE.

THE NOTE WAS REPORTED COUCHED IN TERMS OF FLAT COMMITMENTS. FRENCH OFFICIALDOM IS SENSITIVE TO AMERICAN EDITORIAL CHARGES THAT FRANCE IS NOT CARRYING HER LOAD OF THE DEFENSE BURDEN. THE NOTE HAS BEEN PHRASED TO ALLAY THAT CRITICISM.

SOME FRENCH OFFICIALS ARE HOPING TO INCREASE THEIR RESERVE CUSHION OF TRAINED MANPOWER BY EXTENDING THE CONSCRIPTION TRAINING PERIOD FROM ONE YEAR TO 18 MONTHS. THIS WILL REQUIRE NEW LEGISLATION.

ABOUT 300,000 MEN OF THE FRENCH ARMY ARE STATIONED IN FRANCE, GERMANY AND AUSTRIA. THE REST ARE IN INDOCHINA, WHERE FRANCE IS FIGHTING COMMUNIST-LED GUERRILLAS, OR IN NORTH AFRICA ON POLICE DUTY.

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A MILITARY SOURCE SAID ABOUT 500,000 MEN WITH WORLD WAR II COMBAT EXPERIENCE COULD BE RECRUITED IMMEDIATELY AND ESTIMATED THAT A BACKLOG OF 4,000,000 TO 5,000,000 MEN COULD BE TRAINED IN TWO YEARS.

FRANCE'S MAIN PROBLEM IS EQUIPMENT. ARMS FACTORIES ARE PRODUCING AT A LOW RATE. MANY PLANTS HAVE BEEN CONVERTED TO PEACETIME PRODUCTS.

THE FRENCH MEMORANDUM IS EXPECTED TO STATE STRONGLY FRANCE'S INTENTION OF BUILDING UP HER OWN FORCES, WITH STRONG LAND, SEA AND AIR ARMS.

SOME AMERICAN OFFICIALS HAVE SUGGESTED THAT THE WESTERN ALLIES SHOULD BUILD MILITARY STRENGTH ON THE BASIS OF A "BALANCED FORCE" WITH EACH COUNTRY BEING STRONG IN A SINGLE PHASE OF WARFARE.

DEFENSE MINISTER JULES MOCH DISAGREES WITH THE THEORY. THE FRENCH PLAN, IT IS BELIEVED, CALLS FOR AN ATLANTIC ARMY OF SOME 40 DIVISIONS, MADE UP OF ELEMENTS OF BRITISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN FORCES.

TWO HUNDRED TOP MILITARY OFFICERS AND THE DEFENSE MINISTERS FROM BRITAIN, FRANCE, BELGIUM AND THE NETHERLANDS TODAY ENDED FOUR DAYS OF TACTICAL PAPER EXERCISES AT WESTERN EUROPEAN UNION MILITARY HEADQUARTERS AT FONTAINEBLEAU.

A SPOKESMAN SAID THE UNION'S COMMANDER IN CHIEF, FIELD MARSHAL VISCOUNT MONTGOMERY, STOOD BEFORE THE OFFICERS AND MINISTERS AND PUBLICLY PROCLAIMED THAT "MYSELF AND GEN.JEAN DE LATTRE DE TASSIGNY OF FRANCE, COMMANDER OF THE GROUND TROOPS, ARE IN COMPLETE AGREEMENT ON MATTERS OF DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE."

MONTGOMERY SAID THERE HAVE BEEN RUMORS OF DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN HIM AND THE F RENCH GENERAL AND, "WHILE THIS MAY HAVE BEEN TRUE ON DETAILS, IT HAS NEVER BEEN SO ON BROAD STRATEGY."

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PARIS,AUG.4-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER CE SOIR QUOTED HO CHI MINH TODAY AS SAHING AMERICAN "INTERVENTION" IN INDOCHINA IS "ANTI-DEMOCRATIC, BELLICOSE, UNAMERICAN AND CERTAINLY DESTINED FOR THE SAME FATE AS IN CHINA."

THE INTERVIEW WAS CREDITED TO LEO FIGUERES, WHO RETURNED RECENTLY FROM A TWO MONTHS TRIP TO INDOCHINA. HO, WHO IS SUPPORTED BY THE SOVIET UNION, IS LEADER OF THE VIETMINH FORCES OPPOSING THE FRENCH. HO MADE THE COMMENT WHEN ASKED WHAT HE THOUGHT ABOUT "THE OPEN INTERVENTION OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE AFFAIRS OF YOUR COUNTRY."

HO SAID HIS TERMS FOR PEACE ARE "TOTAL EVACUATION OF FRENCH TROOPS." THE U.S. IS SENDING MILITARY AID TO THE FRENCH FORCES FIGHTING HO'S GUERRILLAS.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG.4-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION SAID TODAY IT IS READY TO HELP KOREAN WAR REFUGEES WITH LARGE QUANTITIES OF SURPLUS SUPPLIES, TRAINED PERSONNEL AND A LOAN TO THE UNITED NATIONS OF A MILLION POUNDS STERLING ($2,800,000).

J.DONALD KINGSLEY, DIRECTOR GENERAL OF IRO, HAS INFORMED SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE THAT THE IRO IS "ANXIOUS TO ASSIST IN ALL WAYS POSSIBLE IN THE RELIEF OF KOREAN REFUGEES AND THE CIVILIAN POPULATION."

AMONG THE SURPLUS SUPPLIES OFFERED ARE $150,000 WORTH OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES, WOOL AND COTTON CLOTHING, KITCHEN EQUIPMENT, HAND TOOLS AND OTHER ITEMS. MOST OF THE SUPPLIES ARE IN EUROPE, BUT KINGSLEY SAID THE DRUGS AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES COULD BE FLOWN TO THE FAR EAST. THE STERLING LOAN, KINGSLEY SUGGESTED, MIGHT BE USED TO BUY URGENTLY NEEDED SUPPLIES IN AUSTRALIA.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG 4-(AP)-QUEEN MOTHER IOANNA OF BULGARIA, EXILED IN EGYPT SINCE HER COUNTRY WAS TAKEN OVER BY THE COMMUNISTS IN 1946, HAS ASKED THE U.N.'S INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION FOR HELP, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE MOTHER OF THE EXILED BOY-KING SIMEON II AND WIDOW OF KING BORIS III IS EXPECTED TO COME TO GENEVA THIS MONTH.

SINCE THERE IS NO IRO OFFICE IN EGYPT, HER TRIP HERE WILL BE FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISCUSSING HER SITUATION WITH IRO OFFICIALS AND POSSIBLY TO MAKE FORMAL APPLICATION FOR ASSISTANCE.

THE IRO COULD GIVE HER LEGAL ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING RESIDENCE PERMITS AND TRAVEL DOCUMENTS WHICH SHE PRESUMABLY COULD NOT GET FROM BULGARIA'S COMMUNIST REGIME.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE SAID YESTERDAY WESTERN EUROPE'S DOLLAR DEFICIT FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1950 WAS 40 PER CENT LESS THAN FOR THE SAME MONTHS OF 1949.

IT SAID THIS WAS ALMOST ENTIRELY DUE TO A ONE-THIRD SLASH IN EUROPEAN IMPORTS OF AMERICAN GOODS.

THE REPORT SAID THE DEFICIT WAS NOW RUNNING AT AN ANNUAL RATE OF $2,100,000,000.

EUROPE'S TOTAL IMPORTS DURING THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1950 WERE LISTED AT $714,000,000 FROM THE U.S. AND $147,000,000 FROM CANADA.

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CAUX, SWITZERLAND,AUG.4-(AP)-TWO FORMER COMMUNISTS TOLD THE ANNUAL ASSEMBLY OF THE MORAL REARMAMENT MOVEMENT YESTERDAY THAT THEY HAD BEEN EXPELLED FROM THE PARTY BECAUSE THEY HAD FOUND AN IDEOLOGY SUPERIOR TO COMMUNISM.

JOHN REYNOLDS, OF BIRMINGHAM, ENG., SAID HE HAD STOOD ON LENIN'S TOMB IN MOSCOW WITH STALIN ON THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE RUSSIAN REVOLUTION AND ADDRESSED A PARADE IN RED SQUARE.

"IN MORAL REARMAMENT I HAVE FOUND THE TRUE INTERNATIONAL," HE DECLARED.

REYNOLDS, NOW A BRITISH TRADES UNION LEADER, TOLD MORE THAN 1,000 PERSONS ATTENDING THE ASSEMBLY THAT MORAL REARMAMENT IS "BASED ON THE DEEPEST NEEDS OF THE HUMAN HEART."

FRITZ HESKE, CHAIRMAN OF THE WORKS COUNCIL OF THE ZOLLVEREIN PIT AT ESSEN, GERMANY SAID HE HAD BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY FOR 20 YEARS BEFORE HE WAS CONVERTED TO MORAL REARMAMENT.

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(200) FLEMISH
BRUSSELS, AUG 4-(AP)-~~FLEMISH~~ SUPPORTERS OF KING LEOPOLD ANNOUNCED TODAY THEY INTEND TO MARCH ON BRUSSELS IN A DEMONSTRATION OF LOYALTY TO THE OUTGOING MONARCH. THEY FIRST SET THE DATE FOR SUNDAY, THEN ANNOUNCED IT HAD BEEN POSTPONED TO AN UNDISCLOSED "LATER DATE."

THE SOCIALISTS IMMEDIATELY ACCUSED THE KING'S SUPPORTERS OF TRYING TO FOMENT A CIVIL WAR IN THE HOPE OF ACHIEVING A COUP D'ETAT. THE SOCIALISTS, WHOSE OWN THREATENED MARCH ON BRUSSELS LAST TUESDAY BROUGHT THE COUNTRY TO THE BRINK OF CIVIL WAR, WARNED THEIR SUPPORTERS TO BE ON THE ALERT.

THE SOCIALISTS CALLED OFF THEIR MARCH WHEN LEOPOLD AGREED TO STEP ASIDE TEMPORARILY IN FAVOR OF HIS SON, CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

MEANWHILE DISSENSION APPEARED TO BE SPREADING AMONG THE RANKS OF THE PRO-LEOPOLD SOCIAL CHRISTIANS, THE GOVERNMENT PARTY. PREMIER JEAN DUVIEUSART AND SEVERAL OF HIS MINISTERS WERE CALLED TO A PARTY MEETING TO EXPLAIN THEIR ACTIONS OF THE PAST FEW DAYS.

STONES WERE HURLED THROUGH WINDOWS IN THE HOMES OF SEVERAL SENATORS AND DEPUTIES. A POLICE GUARD WAS INCREASED ON THE HOUSE OF CHAMBER PRESIDENT FRANZ VAN CAUWELAERT AFTER THREATS WERE MADE UPON HIS LIFE.

THE BILL TO TRANSFER THE KING'S POWERS TO PRINCE BAUDOUIN WILL BE UP FOR DEBATE ON TUESDAY. THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED BY THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES APPROVED THE BILL BY A VOTE OF 22 TO 2. IT WAS HOPED THE PRINCE WOULD TAKE HIS OATH BEFORE A JOINT ASSEMBLY OF BOTH HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT ON THURSDAY.

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NIGHT LEAD DESERTERS (330)
BY THOMAS A. REEDY

BERLIN, AUG 4-(AP)-TWO ALLIED SOLDIERS WITH POOR SERVICE RECORDS WERE INTRODUCED TO THE GERMAN PRESS IN COMMUNIST-RULED EAST BERLIN TODAY AS RECRUITS IN THE COMMUNIST "FIGHT FOR PEACE."

GERHART EISLER, FUGITIVE FROM THE UNITED STATES WHO IS THE SOVIET ZONE PROPAGANDA CHIEF, PRESENTED THE SOLDIERS--ONE AN AMERICAN AND THE OTHER ENGLISH--AT A NEWS CONFERENCE TO WHICH HE HAD INVITED ONLY GERMAN NEWSMEN.

THE SOLDIERS--ROBERT NATSKAKULA, AMERICAN, AND JOHN KEITH WALLER, ENGLISH--READ PREPARED STATEMENTS ANNOUNCING THEIR DESIRE TO LIVE AND WORK IN THE SOVIET ZONE. EISLER SAID THEY HAVE BEEN GIVEN RESIDENCE AND WORK PERMITS. BOTH APPEARED IN UNIFORM.

U.S. ARMY OFFICIALS SAID A PRIVATE NAMED NATSKAKULA, OF 7 CHESTNUT ST., NATRONA, PA., HAS BEEN MISSING FROM HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 16TH INFANTRY, SINCE APRIL 17. HE HAD THREE COURT MARTIAL DEMERITS AND HAD BEEN CITED FOR A DISHONORABLE DISCHARGE WHEN HE VANISHED, OFFICIALS SAID.

A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID ROBERT K. WALLER, 20, A CORPORAL OF ESSEX, ENGLAND, HAS BEEN MISSING FROM THE 91ST BRITISH SUPPLY DEPOT IN BERLIN SINCE MAY 15. HE HAS A GERMAN GIRL FRIEND IN EAST BERLIN. BRITISH AUTHORITIES SAID HE IS "A BAD ACTOR WITH A BAD RECORD."

EISLER'S STAFF TURNED THE CONFERENCE INTO A PROPAGANDA BLAST AGAINST THE WEST. EISLER EXPLAINED THE ABSENCE OF WESTERN NEWS CORRESPONDENTS BY SAYING, "WE WANTED TO BE AMONG OURSELVES." HE SAID THE TWO WESTERNERS WERE ANXIOUS "TO JOIN OUR PEACE FRONT AGAINST THE WESTERN WARMONGERS."

WITH FLASH BULBS POPPING AND NEWSREEL CAMERAS GRINDING, THE TWO DESERTERS READ THEIR STATEMENTS IN ENGLISH. NATSKAKULA, A TALL, BLOND YOUTH, SAID:

"THE SPIRIT OF THE AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN BERLIN IS NOT GOOD. THEY RECKON ON BEING SENT TO KOREA ALMOST ANY MINUTE AND THEY ASK THEMSELVES, WHY?"

NATSKAKULA SAID HE LEFT HIS ARMY OUTFIT BECAUSE HE DID NOT WANT TO BE SENT TO KOREA. THE KOREAN WAR HAD NOT STARTED WHEN NATSKAKULA DISAPPEARED FROM HIS REGIMENT.

WALLER, SLIGHT AND NARROW-SHOULDERED, SAID THE DESTRUCTION HE SAW WHEN HE CAME TO GERMANY IN 1948 CAUSED HIM "TO HATE THE UNIFORM, THE ARMY AND WAR."

"MANY OF MY COMRADES FEEL THE SAME WAY," COMMENTED NATSKAKULA.

WALLER WAS QUOTED BY THE SOVIET-LICENSED ADN NEWS AGENCY AS SAYING HE REALIZED HE HAD BECOME "A VICTIM OF THEPROPAGANDA AGAINST THE

HE REALIZED HE HAD BECOME "A VICTIM OF THE PROPAGANDA AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION" AND HE WANTED TO BE IN EAST GERMANY "BECAUSE I AM FOR PEACE."

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BERLIN, AUG.4-(AP)-GERHART EISLER, EAST GERMAN CHIEF OF INFORMATION, CALLED A NEWS CONFERENCE OF EAST ZONE NEWSPAPERMEN TODAY AND ANNOUNCED THAT A BRITISH AND AN AMERICAN SOLDIER HAD DESERTED "TO JOIN OUR PEACE FRONT."

EISLER SAID THE SOLDIERS WERE ROBERT NATSKAKULA, AN AMERICAN, AND JOHN K.WALLER, A BRITISH CORPORAL. ADN, SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY, SAID NATSKAKULA WAS BORN IN PITTSBURGH AND HIS PARENTS LIVE THERE.

BOTH SOLDIERS APPEARED AT THE CONFERENCE IN THEIR UNIFORMS.

U.S. ARMY OFFICIALS SAID A PRIVATE BY THE NAME OF NATSKAKULA OF 7 CHESTNUT ST., NATRONA, PENNA., HAS BEEN MISSING FROM HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 16TH INFANTRY, SINCE APRIL 17. THEY SAID HE HAD THREE COURT MARTIAL DEMERITS AGAINST HIM AND WAS DISHONORABLY DISCHARGED AS "UNDESIRABLE" ABOUT THE TIME HE VANISHED.

A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID A ROBERT K.WALLER, 20, HAS BEEN MISSING FROM A BRITISH SUPPLY DEPOT SINCE MAY 15.

ADN QUOTED NATSKAKULA, BLONDE AND BLUE EYED, AS SAYING "I AM FOR PEACE. MANY OF MY COMRADES IN THE AMERICAN ARMY FEEL THE SAME WAY. THE SPIRIT OF THE AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN BERLIN IS NOT GOOD. THEY RECKON ON BEING SENT TO KOREA ALMOST ANY MINUTE AND ASK THEMSELVES WHY."

WALLER WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HE WANTED TO LIVE IN EAST GERMANY BECAUSE "I AM FOR PEACE."

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PITTSBURGH,AUG.4-(AP)-NATSKAKULA'S BROTHERS, ALL EX-SOLIDERS, DESCRIBED HIM AS "JUST A KID." SAID EDWARD, 27, WHO SERVED WITH AN ANTI-AIRCRAFT UNIT IN NEW GUINEA AND THE PHILLIPINES:

"WHY, HE DOESN'T EVEN KNOW WHAT THE WORD COMMUNIST MEANS."

HE SAID ROBERT ENLISTED IN THE ARMY IN 1948, AFTER HIS MOTHER DIED, ADDING:

"THE KID BROODED ABOUT MOM'S DEATH FOR A LONG TIME BEFORE HE ENLISTED. HE WAS NEVER QUITE THE SAME AFTER SHE DIED. WHY, HE USED TO BE A SMART KID."

EDWARD SAID THE LAT LETTER HE RECEIVED FROM HIS BROTHER CAME IN MARCH. AT THAT TIME, EDWARD SAID, ROBERT WAS PLANNING TO COME HOME ON A 30-DAY FURLOUGH.

"OUR WHOLE FAMILY IS LOYALLY AMERICAN," EDWARD, AN EMPLOYE OF ALLEGHENY LUDLUM STEEL CORPORATION, DECLARED.

"MY BROTHERS AND I SERVED IN THE LAST WAR. ALL OF US WERE IN MORE THAN THREE YEARS. WE'RE ALL READY TO GO BACK IF THEY NEED US."

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BERLIN, AUG. 4-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST BOSS, WALTER ULBRICHT THREATENED YESTERDAY THAT THE REDS WILL TAKE OVER WEST GERMANY AS THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE SWEPT THROUGH SOUTH KOREA.

HE DENOUNCED THE WEST GERMAN AND SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENTS AS AMERICAN "PUPPET REGIMES" AND SAID WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER WOULD BE TRIED AS A TRAITOR WHEN THE COMMUNISTS TAKE OVER THE WHOLE COUNTRY.

ULBRICHT, SPEAKING TO A CONFERENCE OF SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY OFFICIALS, APPEALED TO ALL GERMANS TO FIGHT "AT THE SIDE OF THE SOVIET UNION IN CASE OF AMERICAN IMPERIALIST AGGRESSION."

HE URGED ESTABLISHMENT OF "PEACE COMMITTEES" IN THE WEST, PARALYZING STRIKES AGAINST ALLEGED ARMS PRODUCTION IN WEST GERMANY, AND A BAN ON AMERICAN "WAR AND GANGSTER FILMS."

EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS BROUGHT THE ANNIVERSARIES O THE DROPPING OF THE FIRST ATOM BOMBS ON JAPAN IN WORLD WA II INTO THEIR CAMPAIGN. THEY URGED BERLINERS TO OBSERVE A MINUTE SILENCE ON AUG. 6 AND AGAIN ON AUG. 9--THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARIES OF THE ATOM BOMBING OF HIROSHIMA AND NAGASAKI--"IN MEMORY OF THESE INNOCENT VICTIMS OF THE AMERICAN BOMBERS."

A COMMUNIST BROCHURE TITLED "THE WARNING OF HIROSHIMA" TOLD GERMANS THAT BERLIN'S WORLD WAR II BOMB DAMAGE WOULD BE "MATCHED BY 40 ATOM BOMBS" IN THE EVENT OF A NEW WAR.

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BERLIN,AUG.4-(AP)-WEST BERLIN'S CITY PARLIAMENT TODAY ADOPTED A NEW CONSTITUTION TO DOVETAIL WITH THE BONN REPUBLIC'S BASIC LAW.

THE STEP WAS TAKEN TO CLEAR AWAY ANY OBSTACLES IN THE EVENT WEST BERLIN IS GIVEN THE STATUS OF A STATE WITHIN THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNEMTN. AN ELECTION WAS

GOVERNMENT. AN ELECTION WAS FIXED FOR DEC. 3 IN THE U.S., BRITISH AND FRENCH SECTORS OF THE CITY.

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BERLIN, AUG.4-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS ANNOUNCED TODAY THEIR AIRBORNE TROOPS WERE PRACTICING PARACHUTE DROPS IN THE VICINITY OF BRANDENBURG 30 MILES WEST OF BERLIN. U.S. INTELLIGENCE SOURCES SAID THE EXERCISES WERE "NOTHING UNUSUAL." THIS IS THE NORMAL MANEUVER SEASON FOR THE RED ARMY IN GERMANY.

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NIGHT LEAD DEAN

BREMERHAVEN, GERMANY, AUG. 4-(AP)-CPL. RAYMOND M. DEAN, 23, OF DAYTON, OHIO, WAS ACQUITTED BY A U.S. ARMY COURT TODAY OF CHARGES OF MURDERING A 36-YEAR-OLD GERMAN WIDOW.

THE WOMAN WAS ILSE JACHYMSKI, DAUGHTER OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE BREMERHAVEN ZOO. SHE WAS FOUND DEAD IN A CORNFIELD NEAR HERE JUNE 7. ARMY INVESTIGATORS SAID SHE HAD BEEN RAPED.

FOLLOWING HIS ARREST, DEAN TRIED TO KILL HIMSELF BY SLASHING HIS WRISTS AND ARM WITH A PIECE OF GLASS, ARMY AUTHORITIES SAID.

AT HIS TRIAL, DEAN PLEADED INNOCENT.

DR. FRITZ HERMANN JUNKER, A BROTHER OF THE VICTIM, TESTIFIED MRS. JACHYMSKI HAD WOUNDS ON HER FACE AND NECK AND A BRUISE ON HER HEAD WHICH MIGHT HAVE CAUSED HER DEATH.

A U.S. ARMY PSYCHIATRIST, LT. COL. HANS LOWENBERGH, TESTIFIED DEAN HAD ADMITTED HE HAD A CONFUSED MEMORY OF HITTING SOMEONE ON THE NIGHT HE WAS ACCUSED OF KILLING THE WOMAN. THE PSYCHIATRIST'S TESTIMONY WAS ACCEPTED OVER THE OBJECTIONS OF THE DEFENSE.

THE DEFENSE COUNSEL CONTENDED THROUGHOUT THE TRIAL THAT THE PROSECUTION HAD INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE FOR A CONVICTION. ARMY INVESTIGATORS INTRODUCED A PURPORTED CONFESSION BY DEAN, BUT DEAN'S COUNSEL DECLARED IT WAS NOT VOLUNTARILY GIVEN.

ARMY AUTHORITIES SAID DEAN WOULD BE FREED IMMEDIATELY. HE WAS IN BREMERHAVEN, EN ROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES FROM HIS POST IN A U.S. ARMY HOSPITAL NEAR SALZBURG, AUSTRIA, WHEN HE WAS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE WOMAN'S DEATH.

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BREMERHAVEN, GERMANY, AUG. 4-(AP)-A U.S. ARMY COURT MARTIAL ACQUITTED CPL. RAYMOND M. DEAN OF DAYTON, O., TODAY OF CHARGES OF MURDERING A GERMAN WOMAN.

DEAN HAD BEEN CHARGED WITH THE PREMEDITATED MURDER OF MRS. ILSE JACHYMSKI, 36, WHOSE NUDE BODY WAS FOUND IN A FIELD IN THE SUBURBS OF BREMERHAVEN ON JUNE 7.

ARMY AUTHORITIES SAID DEAN WOULD BE FREED FROM THE ARMY STOCKADE HERE IMMEDIATELY.

HE WAS EN ROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES ON LEAVE WHEN HE WAS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE GERMAN WOMAN'S DEATH.

FOLLOWING HIS ARREST, DEAN TRIED TO KILL HIMSELF BY CUTTING HIS WRIST AND SLASHING HIS ARM WITH A PIECE OF GLASS, ARMY AUTHORITIES SAID.

COUNSEL FOR THE 23-YEAR-OLD SOLDIER CONTENDED THROUGHOUT THE TRIAL THAT THE PROSECUTION HAD INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE FOR A CONVICTION. ARMY INVESTIGATORS INTRODUCED A CONFESSION BY DEAN BUT HIS COUNSEL CLAIMED THAT IT WAS NOT VOLUNTARILY GIVEN.

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BONN, GERMANY, AUG.4-(AP)-WEST GERMANY'S STRONG CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY DECLARED TODAY THAT IT IS AGAINST REARMING THE GERMANS BECAUSE IT WOULD "BRING INSURMOUNTABLE DANGERS FOR OUR PEOPLE."

A PARTY STATEMENT REJECTING THE IDEA OF REMILITARIZING WEST GERMANY TO BOLSTER WESTERN EUROPEAN DEFENSES AGAINST THE EAST SUGGESTED INSTEAD THAT GERMAN CONTRIBUTION TO EUROPEAN SECURITY SHOULD BE SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC.

"BUT WE MUST COOPERATE (WITH OTHER NATIONS) AS EQUAL PARTNERS," THE STATEMENT SAID. "IT IS NOT VANITY IF WE DEMAND THIS EQUALITY. IT IS RECOGNITION OF THE NECESSITY THAT IN THIS EUROPE THERE MUST BE NO WEAK POINT."

THIS DECLARATION BY CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S PARTY--LEADING ELEMENT IN THE RIGHT-WING COALITION GOVERNMENT--CAME ON THE EVE OF THE DEPARTURE OF THE GERMAN DELEGATION FOR THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY AT STRASBOURG, FRANCE. THE GERMANS WILL SIT IN AS ASSOCIATE MEMBERS.

THE PARTY STATEMENT REJECTING REARMAMENT APPARENTLY REFERRED TO UNCONFIRMED REPORTS THAT SOME ATLANTIC PACT PLANNERS WERE PROPOSING THE USE OF GERMAN MEN AND MACHINES IN THEIR DEFENSE AGAINST POSSIBLE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION FROM THE EAST.

THE STATEMENT ALSO "DEPLORED DEEPLY" THE ARMIING OF LABOR SERVICE UNITS PLANNED BY THE WESTERN ALLIES. AMERICAN ARMY OFFICIALS YESTERDAY SAID ALL MEMBERS OF THEIR LABOR SERVICE COMPANIES. WHICH

ARE COMPOSED OF GERMANS AND DISPLACED PERSONS, WILL BE ARMED FOLLOWING THEIR MERGER WITH "INDUSTRIAL POLICE." BRITISH OFFICIALS, HOWEVER, SAY NO GERMANS EMPLOYED BY THEM ALONG THE RHINE ARE BEING ARMED --ONLY THE DISPLACED PERSONS RECRUITED INTO THE WATCHMEN'S SERVICE.
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VIENNA, AUSTRIA, AUG.4-(AP)-FRIEDL FUERNBERG, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE AUSTRIAN COMMUNIST PARTY, ANNOUNCED TODAY THE PURGE OF THREE PROMINENT COMMUNISTS IN THE SOVIET ZONE TOWN OF BRUCK-AN-DER-MUR.
HE DECLARED THERE WAS NO ROOM FOR MEMBERS WITHOUT AN "UNBREAKABLE FAITH IN THE SOVIET UNION."
BRUCK-AN-DER-MUR IS IN SOUTHERN AUSTRIA. MANY COMMUNISTS IN THIS AREA FORMERLY FOUGHT WITH PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S YUGOSLAV PARTISANS AGAINST THE GERMANS.
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MOSCOW, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE MOSCOW PRESS REPORTED TODAY THAT 115,275,940 SOVIET CITIZENS -- 16 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER -- HAVE SIGNED THE STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION TO OUTLAW THE ATOM BOMB.
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MOSCOW, AUG.4-(AP)-U.S.AMBASSADOR ALAN G.KIRK DISCUSSED "ROUTINE MATTERS" IN A 15-MINUTE TALK TODAY WITH SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI GROMYKO, THE U.S. EMBASSY ANNOUNCED. KIRK PLANS TO LEAVE MOSCOW AUG.12 FOR A BRIEF TRIP TO WIESBADEN,GERMANY.
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PRECEDE TEL AVIV DAY
BY LARRY ALLEN
JERUSALEM, AUG. 4-(AP)-ISRAELI SHOPKEEPERS REBELLING AGAINST A GOVERNMENT ORDER RATIONING CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR THREATENED TODAY TO CLOSE EVERY STORE IN THE COUNTRY.
ALL SHOPS EXCEPT THOSE SELLING DRUGS AND GROCERIES JOINED A PROTEST STRIKE STARTED FOUR DAYS AGO BY CLOTHING AND SHOE MERCHANTS. THE MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION SAID IT WILL CALL OUT THE DRUGGISTS AND GROCERS UNLESS THE GOVERNMENT YIELDS TO ITS DEMANDS BY MONDAY.
THE ASSOCIATION WANTS PREMIER DAVID BEN-GURION TO REMOVE DR. DOV JOSEPH AS MINISTER OF SUPPLY AND RATIONING AND SAID IT WILL REFUSE TO NEGOTIATE SO LONG AS JOSEPH HOLDS THE POST.
THE RATIONING OF CLOTHES AND SHOES, ANNOUNCED BY JOSEPH IN A SURPRISE BROADCAST JULY 30, CAME ON TOP OF FOOD RATIONING THAT HAS REQUIRED A GENERAL BELT TIGHTENING.
MERCHANTS DECLARED THE NEW ORDERS, BASED ON THE BRITISH AUSTERITY PATTERN, WILL DESTROY TRADE AND INDUSTRY. THEY SAID INSUFFICIENT POINTS ARE ALLOCATED TO MEET THE BASIC NEEDS OF THE POPULATION. UNDER THE ORDERS, THE AVERAGE ISRAELI WILL GET ONLY ONE DRESS OR SUIT AND ONE PAIR OF SHOES ANNUALLY.
A GOVERNMENT AIM IS TO REDUCE THE DEFICIT IN ISRAEL'S FOREIGN TRADE BALANCE, CUTTING DOWN IMPORTS THAT STILL RUN FAR IN EXCESS OF EXPORTS. THE NATION'S ECONOMY DEPENDS LARGELY ON FOREIGN FINANCIAL AID, PARTICULARLY FROM JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES.
JOSEPH EXPLAINED THAT ISRAEL IS A "COUNTRY POOR IN NATURAL RESOURCES" AND IS NOT YET ABLE TO PRODUCE AN ADEQUATE QUANTITY OF ITS OWN FOOD, CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR.
"LACK OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE HAS BECOME INCREASINGLY SEVERE OF LATE, THE 50-YEAR OLD MINISTER SAID," ADDING THAT PRODUCTION MUST BE INCREASED TO OBTAIN ESSENTIAL RAW MATERIALS ABROAD. HE PREDICTED THAT, WITH WHOLE-HEARTED PUBLIC COOPERATION, THERE WOULD BE BETTER TIMES AHEAD.
BUT THE PUBLIC, TOO, IS GRUMBLING.
JOSEPH'S MINISTRY NOW IS ISSUING COUPON BOOKS FOR CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR, ON MUCH THE SAME BASIS AS FOR FOODSTUFFS.
IN CLOTHING, WOOLEN GOODS REQUIRE THE MOST POINTS. A WOOLEN OVERCOAT IS PEGGED AT 145 POINTS. THAT'S ABOUT AN 18-MONTH SUPPLY OF COUPONS. A WOLEN DRESS COSTS 100 POINTS.
DRESSES RANGE FROM EIGHT TO 100 POINTS, DEPENDING ON THE MATERIAL AND WHETHER THEY ARE MADE WITH OR WITHOUT SLEEVES. SHIRTS RUN FROM SEVEN TO 50 POINTS; BLOUSES FIVE TO 70.
NYLON STOCKINGS ARE FIVE POINTS; LONG COTTON TROUSERS FOR MEN 13; CHILDREN'S TROUSERS 11; COTTON SKIRTS FOR WOMEN SEVEN POINTS AND FOR GIRLS SIX POINTS.
SHOES OF FULL LEATHER REQUIRE 50 POINTS FOR MEN AND 40 FOR WOMEN. POINTS ALSO MUST BE GIVEN UP FOR SHOE REPAIRS.
PRICES, TOO, ARE HIGH.
IT'S NOT UNUSUAL FOR A MAN OR WOMAN TO PAY $140 FOR A TAILORED SUIT. A FAIR PAIR OF SHOES COSTS AROUND $14. A SINGLE DRESS OF FAIR MATERIAL RUNS FROM A MINIMUM OF $16.80 TO $40. A SKIRT COSTS $16.80 AND A BLOUSE $9.80.
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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG. 4-(AP)-TROUBLE POPPED UP TODAY ON BOTH THE DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN POLICY FRONTS FOR PRIME MINISTER DAVID BEN-GURION'S GOVERNMENT.
THE OPPOSITION MAPAM PARTY SAID IT WOULD SEEK A NO CONFIDENCE VOTE IN PARLIAMENT TUESDAY BECAUSE OF THE GOVERNMENT'S DECISION OFFERING MEDICAL AID TO U.N. FORCES IN KOREA.
ADDITIONAL SHOPKEEPERS, IN REBELLION AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT,S NEW AUSTERITY ORDER RATIONING CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR, JOINED A FOUR-DAY PROTEST STRIKE BY CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR SELLERS. ONLY SHOPS SELLING DRUGS AND FOOD REMAINED OPEN. THE MERCHANTS SAY THE NEW RATION ORDERS GIVING THE AVERAGE MAN OR WOMAN ONE DRESS OR SUIT AND ONE PAIR OF SHOES ANNUALLY WILL DESTROY TRADE AND INDUSTRY.
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CAIRO, EGYPT,AUG.4-(AP)-THE ARAB NEWS AGENCY REPORTED TODAY THAT THE JORDAN-ISRAEL ARMISTICE COMMISSION HAD APPROVED SETTING UP JOINT BORDER PATROLS TO PREVENT ANY FURTHER FRONTIER CLASHES BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.
THE PATROLS WILL BE SET UP AUG. 14, A DISPATCH FROM AMMAN, CAPITAL OF JORDAN, SAID.
ISRAELI AUTHORITIES RECENTLY ACCUSED JORDAN OF FAILING TO SET UP A CAOMMITTEE, CALLED FOR IN THE ARMISTICE, TO PATROL VITAL ROADS, INCLUDING THE ROUTE FROM JERUSALEM TO BETHLEHEM.
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BY ROBERT H.HEWETT
TEHRAN, IRAN, AUG.4-(AP)-WELL INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY THAT RUSSIA IS MAKING THE "MOST FRIENDLY ADVANCES TO IRAN, PROPOSING A BARTER AND TRADE DEAL BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.
WESTERN DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES VIEWED THE MOVE AS PART OF A CAMPAIGN

TO EASE TENSION BETWEEN THE SOVIETS AND THEIR SOUTHERN NEIGHBORS WHICH ROSE AT THE START OF THE KOREAN WAR.

THE BARTER DEAL, WHICH HAS BEEN TALKED OF BEFORE IN RUSSIA'S ALTERNATING HOT AND COLD RELATIONS WITH IRAN, WAS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN RAISED AGAIN THIS WEEK BY SOVIET AMBASSADOR IVAN SADCHIKOV IN A TALK WITH IRAN'S PREMIER GEN.ALI RAZMARA. A SOURCE IN A POSITION TO KNOW SAID SADCHIKOV TOLD RAZMARA MOSCOW IS MOST ENTHUSIASTIC TO CONCLUDE A TRADE DEAL.

THE NEW RUSSIAN ATTITUDE IS IN CONTRAST WITH THE TOUGH NOTES FROM MOSCOW EARLIER THIS YEAR RAPPING THE PRESENCE OF AMERICAN MILITARY ADVISORS IN IRAN AND PROTESTING IRANIAN AERIAL SURVEYS ALONG THE BORDER BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

RAZMARA, WHO HAS TAKEN PAINS NOT TO ANTAGONIZE THE RUSSIANS, REPORTEDLY INSISTED, NEVERTHELESS, THAT THE PROPOSED TRADE TALKS ARE NOT LIKELY TO BE FRUITFUL UNLESS THE RUSSIANS FIRST RELEASED A SMALL NUMBER OF IRANIAN SOLDIERS SEIZED ON THE BORDER IN RECENT MONTHS, AND RETURNED $21,000,000 IN IRANIAN GOLD RESERVES WHICH HAVE BEEN HELD IN MOSCOW BANKS SINCE THE WAR.

THE LATEST RUSSIAN OFFER REINFORCED THE OPINION OF AMERICAN AND OTHER WESTERN DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES THAT ANY DANGER OF POSSIBLE INVASION OF IRAN BY SOVIET TROOPS IS SLIGHT AT PRESENT.

INFORMED WESTERN SOURCES SAID THERE ARE NO REPORTS OF UNUSUAL TROOP MOVEMENTS ON THE RUSSIAN SIDE OF THE BORDER. THE "FREE AZERBAIJAN" RADIO HAS BEEN INCITING THE PEOPLE IN IRAN'S NORTHERN PROVINCE OF AZERBAIJAN ON THE SOVIET BORDER TO STRUGGLE AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT, BUT INFORMED SOURCES SAY THERE IS NO TANGIBLE PUPPET GOVERNMENT THE RUSSIAN COULD USE AS A LOGICAL PRETEXT TO INTERFERE IN IRAN.

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NEW DELHI, INDIA,AUG.4-(AP)-A MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT TODAY CHALLENGED PRIME MINISTER NEHRU TO EXPLAIN WHY INDIA HAS NOT RECOGNIZED ISRAEL WHEN IT HAS BEEN IN EXISTENCE MUCH LONGER THAN COMMUNIST CHINA, WHICH ENJOYS INDIAN RECOGNITION.

NEHRU SMILED WITHOUT REPLYING, BUT DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER B.V. KESKAR TOLD PARLIAMENT THAT THE QUESTION OF RECOGNIZING ISRAEL IS UNDER CONSIDERATION. ONE FACTOR BEING STUDIED, HE SAID, IS THE "GRAVE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION."

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B54 (Q)

SINGAPORE, AUG.4-(AP)-INDONESIA APPEALED TODAY THE SUPREME COURT DECISION NOT TO EXTRADITE CAPT.R.P.P. (TURK) WESTERLING, THE DUTCH COMMANDO WHO LED A WEST JAVA REVOLT, BACK TO THE U.S.I.

WESTERLING, WHO FLED HERE ILLEGALLY AFTER HIS ABORTIVE REVOLT, GRINNED YESTERDAY WHEN THE COURT RULED THAT HE NEED NOT BE SENT BACK TO BE TRIED IN INDONESIA ON THAT GOVERNMENT'S CHARGES OF MURDER, ROBBERY AND ARSON. THE COURT RULED HE WOULD NOT BE RELEASED HERE BUT WOULD BE DEPORTED. THIS ACTION WILL BE DELAYED PENDING A HEARING ON THE APPEAL. WESTERLING HOPES TO RETURN TO HOLLAND.

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BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG. 4-(AP)-INDOCHINA SEEMS ON THE VERGE OF BECOMING AN INTERNATIONAL BATTLEGROUND WITH THE UNITED STATSS AND COMMUNIST CHINA THROWING OPPOSING WEIGHT INTO THE STRUGGLE FOR CONTROL OF THIS KEY SOUTHEAST ASIA COUNTRY.

RED CHINA IS REPORTED EMBARKED ON A LARGE SCALE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR THE COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH FORCES FIGHTING FOR HO CHI-MINH'S JUNGLE REGIME WHICH IS RECOGNIZED BY MOSCOW AND PEIPING. THE U.S. STARTS THIS WEEK TO DELIVER ARMS TO THIS COUNTRY TO HELP THE FRENCH IN THEIR SUPPORT OF THE WEST-RECOGNIZED BAO DAI GOVERNMENT IN VIETNAM.

OFFICIAL FRENCH REPORTS SAY COMMUNIST HELP FROM ACROSS THE NORTHERN BORDER IN CHINA HAS TAKEN THE FORM OF THREE BIG CAMPS WHICH ARE TRAINING AT LEAST 10,000 VIETMINH FIGHTERS AND SENDING THEM BACK INTO THE COUNTRY ARMED AND UNIFORMED.

FRENCH MILITARY QUARTERS ESTIMATE THAT BETWEEN 15,000 AND 30,000 ADDITIONAL VIETMINH RECRUITS ARE AWAITING SUCH TRAINING.

THIS IS BELIEVED TO BE A BUILD-UP FOR MAJOR OPERATIONS AGAINST THE FRENCH. IN THE PAST THE REBELS HAVE CONFINED THEIR ATTACKS TO GUERRILLA FORAYS, ALTHOUGH THEY CONTROL LARGE SECTIONS OF VIETNAM INCLUDING WIDE STRETCHES BORDERING ON THE FRONTIER WITH CHINA. THEY HAVE BUILT ROADS ACROSS THE BORDER TO FACILITATE TRAFFIC WITH RED CHINA.

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE BUILDUP ARE INITIAL U.S. ARMS SHIPMENTS TO SUPPLY 12 VIETNAMESE BATTALIONS, NINE OF WHICH ARE ALREADY ORGANIZED. THE FIRST SHIPLOAD IS TO BE LANDED AT SAIGON THIS WEEK.

AN AMERICAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP EVENTUALLY TO NUMBER ABOUT 35 OFFICERS LED BY A GENERAL BEGAN ARRIVING YESTERDAY. THE FIRST DELIVERIES OF DRUGS AND MEDICAL EQUIPMENT UNDER THE U.S. $1,500,000 PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAM WERE MADE THIS WEEK.

O THE OPPOSING COMBAT FORCES BEING BUILT UP APPARENTLY FOR A MAJOR SHOW-DOWN LOOK THIS WAY:

HO CHI-MINH'S FRONT LINE FORCES NOW PROBABLY NUMBER ABOUT 100,000, INCLUDING AN INTERNATIONAL FORCE MADE UP OF FRENCH DESERTERS, FRENCH COMMUNISTS WHO CAME IIN THROUGH SIAM, AND SOME MORROCAN AND SENEGALESE AFRICAN TROOPS WHICH THE FRENCH BROUGHT OVER IN THEIR FOREIGN LEGION TO HELP IN THE FIGHTING.

FRENCHMEN WHO HAVE BEEN RELEASED OR HAVE ESCAPED FROM VIETMINH CAPTIVITY SAY THEY HAVE BEEN OFFERED AN OPPORTUNITY TO JOIN THESE FORCES.

THE FRENCH ARMY OF ABOUT 150,000 MEN IS MADE UP OF EQUAL THIRDS OF FRENCH SOLDIERS, FOREIGN LEGIONNAIRES -- MOSTLY GERMANS AND COLONIAL TROOPS -- AND INDOCHINESE AUXILIARIES.

POLITICAL OBSERVERS BELIEVE THAT THE SOVIET BLOC WILL TRY TO WIN CONTROL WITH THEIR VIETMINH FORCES RATHER THAN BY AN OUTRIGHT CHINESE COMMUNIST INVASION.

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BULLETIN

HONG KONG,SATURDAY, AUG. 5-(AP)-GEN. LIU PO-CHENG, COMMANDER OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST SECOND FIELD ARMY, HAS ANNOUNCED FLATLY THAT RED TROOPS SOON "WILL MARCH INTO TIBET." THE RED PRESS SAID TODAY.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT, CARRIED BY THE PRO-COMMUNIST CHINESE LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER WEN WEI PAO, WAS REPRESENTED AS PART OF A LENGTHY REPORT TO THE COMMUNISTS' SOUTHWEST MILITARY AND ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE WHICH ENDED A FIVE-DAY MEETING IN CHUNGKING JULY 31.

THE ONE-EYED CHINESE GENERAL WAS QUOTED AS SAYING THE MOVE AGAINST TIBET WOULD HAVE TWO OBJECTIVES:

1. TO DRIVE THE "AGGRESSIVE INFLUENCE OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" FROM THE MOUNTAIN NATION, AND
2. "TO CONSOLIDATE THE WESTERN LINE OF NATIONAL DEFENSE."

HERE'S THE NEWSPAPER'S ACCOUNT OF LIU'S REPORT:

THE MOVE WOULD ENABLE TIBETANS TO "RETURN TO THE MOTHERLAND'S (CHINA'S) BIG FAMILY."

POLITICAL AND MILITARY INSTITUTIONS AND OFFICIALS WOULD REMAIN UNCHANGED, BUT TIBETAN TROOPS "WILL BECOME A PART OF THE

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NATIONAL DEFENSE ARMED FORCES OF THE CHINESE PEOPLES (COMMUNIST) REPUBLIC."

TIBETANS WOULD BE ALLOWED "REGIONAL SELF-GOVERNMENT AND FREEDOM OF RELIGION."

THE GENERAL ASSERTED THAT IF TIBETAN OFFICIALS WOULD "SEVER THEIR TIES" WITH "PRO-IMPERIALIST" AND PRO-KUOMINTANG (NATIONALIST PARTY) FORCES THEY WOULD BE ALLOWED TO CONTINUE AT THEIR POSTS "AND NO QUESTIONS ASKED."

"ALL EXPENSES INCURRED BY THE LIBERATION ARMY AFTER ITS ENTRY INTO TIBET WILL BE WHOLELY BORNE BY THE CENTRAL PEOPLES' GOVERNMENT," THE GENERAL SAID.

ONE-EYED LIU IS ONE OF RED CHINA'S BEST FIELD GENERALS. HE ENGINEERED THE TRIUMPHANT COMMUNIST MARCH THROUGH CENTRAL CHINA.

THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ANNOUNCED LAST JAN. 20 THEIR REGIME WOULD CONSIDER "HOSTILE" ANY NATION WHICH CONDUCTED DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH AN INDEPENDENT GOVERNMENT IN TIBET, WHICH IS HIGH IN THE HIMALAYAS OF ASIA.

THE RED RADIO AT PEIPING ASSERTED THAT "TIBET IS THE TERRITORY OF THE CHINESE PEOPLES REPUBLIC AND THEREFORE HAS NO RIGHT TO SEND MISSIONS ABROAD." THE PROPAGANDA DRIVE FOR THE "LIBERATION OF TIBET" WAS STEPPED UP IN SUBSEQUENT MONTHS.

IN JUNE AN EIGHT-MEMBER TIBETAN DELEGATION TRIED TO REACH HONG KONG FOR NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE REDS.

A MONTH LATER, HONG KONG NEWSPAPERS REPORTED WITHOUT CONFIRMATION THAT 20,000 COMMUNIST TROOPS ENTERED TIBET.

TIBET, RULED BY LAMAS, HAS FOR CENTURIES BEEN ISOLATED FROM THE STREAM OF WORLD HISTORY. IT HAS A POPULATION OF ABOUT 3,000,000.

LAST JANUARY, BOTH OF RUSSIA'S BIGGEST NEWSPAPERS--PRAVDA AND IZVESTIA--DECLARED THAT THE LOFTY LAND WOULD BECOME COMMUNIST. PRAVDA SAID RED CHINA WAS "FULLY RESOLVED TO LIBERATE ALL CHINESE TERRITORY"--INCLUDING TIBET AND FORMOSA.

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HONG KONG, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE INDEPENDENT CHINESE PRESS REPORTED TODAY THAT CHINESE COMMUNIST GENERAL LIN PIAO, KNOWN AS THE "MANCHURIAN HAMMER", IS SLATED FOR "AN IMPORTANT ASSIGNMENT IN THE NORTHEAST" (MANCHURIA).

TROOPS OF LIN PIAO'S VETERAN FOURTH FIELD ARMY HAVE BEEN REPORTED MOVING NORTHWARD FOR THE LAST SIX WEEKS. THIS IS THE FIRST HINT LIN PIAO HIMSELF MIGHT BE HEADING THE EXPEDITION.

THE MANCHURIAN HAMMER IS CURRENTLY RED CHINA'S MOST POPUEMAMARLIZED MILITARY FIG

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THE MANCHURIAN HAMMER IS CURRENTLY RED CHINA'S MOST POPUARLIZED MILITARY FIGURE.

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NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (320)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG 4 (AP)-SIX U.S. JET FIGHTERS--VANGUARD OF AMERICAN AIR UNITS ASSIGNED TO DEFEND FORMOSA AGAINST CHINESE REDS--ANNOUNCED THEIR OWN ARRIVAL TODAY WITH THUNDERING LOW-LEVEL SWEEPS OVER THE NORTHERN PART OF THIS CHINESE NATIONALIST HEADQUARTERS ISLAND.

CROWDS CLAPPED THEIR HANDS AS THE ROARING JETS STREAKED OVERHEAD.

A COMMENT HEARD FREQUENTLY WAS: "MACARTHUR CERTAINLY WORKS FAST."

GENERAL MACARTHUR CONFERRED WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK MONDAY ON SUPPLYING U.S. MILITARY AID FOR THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA AGAINST A THREATENED COMMUNIST ATTACK.

A NATIONALIST CABINET SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED THE ARRIVAL OF THE JETS IN A WRITTEN STATEMENT, THOUGH IT WAS UNNECESSARY.

HE ALSO ANNOUNCED THE ARRIVAL OF MAJ.GEN.HOWARD M. (CORRECT) TURNER, COMMANDER OF THE 13TH U.S. AIR FORCE, FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

THE JETS (PRESUMABLY FROM THE 13TH AIR FORCE) LANDED AT AN AIRFIELD AT HSINCHU, ON THE COAST 30 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAIPEI.

THEIR PRESENCE, AND THE PROSPECTIVE ARRIVAL OF MORE U.S. AIR UNITS, WAS A BIG ADDITION TO THE NATIONALIST AIRFORCE.

UNTIL THEIR ARRIVAL, NATIONALIST AIRMEN FACED THE PROSPECT OF MEETING SOVIET-BUILT JETS WITH NOTHING CAPABLE OF MATCHING THEM.

ANOTHER NATIONALIST ANNOUNCEMENT SAID BRIG.GEN.ALONZO P.FOX AND A GROUP OF EXPERTS HAD ARRIVED FROM MACARTHUR'S TOKYO HEADQUARTERS TO SET UP A LIAISON OFFICE IN TAIPEI. FOX IS DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR THE FAR EAST COMMAND.

FOX AND HIS ASSISTANTS WILL MAKE AN ISLANDWIDE STUDY OF FORMOSA'S DEFENSES AND MILITARY NEEDS.

THERE WAS NO SIGN WHEN THE REDS MIGHT BEGIN THEIR LONG-EXPECTED ATTEMPT TO CONQUER FORMOSA.

DR.WELLINGTON KOO, NATIONALIST CHINA'S AMBASSADOR TO THE U.S. TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE IN TAIPEI YESTERDAY MACARTHUR'S VISIT TO FORMOSA WAS HIGHLY SIGNIFICANT TO U.S.-CHINA RELATIONS AND STIMULATING TO OTHER ASIATIC NATIONS, PARTICULARLY THOSE THREATENED BY COMMUNIST INVASION.

"THE UNITED STATES IS DETERMINED TO FACE AND TO OVERCOME THE DANGER IN THE CAUSE OF GENERAL WORLD PEACE AND FREEDOM," THE CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY QUOTED KOO. "IT ALSO SHOWS ITS WILLINGNESS AND READINESS TO EXTEND ITS COOPERATION TO OTHER PEACE-LOVING NATIONS."

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FIRST LEAD CHINESE (110)

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BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG 4-(AP)-SIX U.S. JET FIGHTERS ARRIVED IN FORMOSA TODAY, THE FIRST AMERICAN AIR UNITS ASSIGNED TO DEFENSE OF THIS CHINESE NATIONALIST ISLAND AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS.

CROWDS CHEERED AND CLAPPED HANDS AS THE AMERICAN PLANES STREAKED THROUGH THE SKIES AT LOW LEVEL.

A WRITTEN STATEMENT BY THE NATIONALIST CABINET SPOKESMAN, ANNOUNCING THE JETS' ARRIVAL, ALSO REPORTED MAJ. GEN. HOWARD E. TURNER, COMMANDING THE U.S. 13TH AIR FORCE, HAD ARRIVED.

AT THE SAME TIME A GROUP OF EXPERTS CAME FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TOKYO HEADQUARTERS TO SURVEY FORMOSAN DEFENSES AND NEEDS. BRIG. GEN. ALONZO (CORRECT) P.FOX HEADED THIS PARTY.

GENERAL MACARTHUR HAS PROMISED TO PREVENT A COMMUNIST INVASION OF FORMOSA.

ARRIVAL OF THE JETS--AND THE PROSPECT THAT MORE WILL FOLLOW--IS EXPECTED TO GIVE A BIG LIFT TO THE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE.

PREVIOUSLY, NATIONALIST AIRMEN FACED THE PROSPECT OF MEETING SOVIET-BUILT JET PLANES OF THE CHINESE RED AIR FORCE WITHOUT ANYTHING TO MATCH THEM.

THE AMERICAN JETS LANDED AT HSINCHU AIRFIELD, ON THE WESTERN SEA-COAST FACING THE COMMUNIST MAINLAND. HSINCHU IS 30 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAIPEI. AMONG NATIONALIST OFFICERS WATCHING THEM ARRIVE WAS GEN. CHOU CHIH-JOU, CHIEF OF THE JOINT GENERAL STAFF.

ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED IN TOKYO

THAT B-29S BOMBING NORTH KOREA ARE BASED NOW ON OKINAWA. AMERICAN AIR BASES ON OKINAWA ARE ABOUT 700 MILES FROM KOREA AND THE SAME DISTANCE FROM THE AMOY IN RED CHINA, LOGICAL STAGING AREA FOR A COMMUNIST ATTEMPT TO INVADE FORMOSA.

IT'S NO SECRET THAT MANY AIRFIELDS ON FORMOSA ARE BEING STRENGTHENED AND IMPROVED.

THE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE ITSELF RESUMED ACTIVITY THIS WEEK ON THE HEELS OF A FLYING VISIT FROM TOKYO BY GENERAL MACARTHUR, WHO CONFERRED AT LENGTH WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK ON THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA.

MACARTHUR PROMISED AVIATION GAS WOULD BE SUPPLIED. THE FIRST TANKER IS DUE TOMORROW UNDER U.S. NAVAL ESCORT.

CHINESE DISPATCHES REPORTED SPORADIC COMMUNIST SHELLING OF QUEMOY, A NATIONALIST-HELD ISLAND LYING OFF AMOY ON THE OTHER SIDE OF FORMOSA STRAIT. THERE WAS NO INDICATION WHEN THE CHINESE REDS WOULD ATTEMPT THE LONG EXPECTED CONQUEST OF QUEMOY.

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B133KX (Q)
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TOKYO,AUG.4-(AP)-PFC ROBERT E.HENRY OF [redacted] ATLANTIC, IOWA, TOOK TIME OUT DURING REGULAR DUTIES AT A U.S. AIR BASE IN SOUTHERN JAPAN TO RESCUE A SMALL JAPANESE BOY FROM DROWNING IN A STREAM.

JAPANESE POLICE DISCLOSED TODAY THAT HENRY, NOTICING A YOUNGSTER STRUGGLING IN THE WATER, RIPPED OFF HIS CLOTHES AND WENT IN AFTER HIM.

HE BROUGHT THE BOY ASHORE, GAVE HIM ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION AND TOOK HIM TO A DOCTOR.

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XZ109PCS NM

B132KX (Q)
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YOKOHAMA, JAPAN,AUG.4-(AP)-PVT.THEODORE O.JORDON (CORRECT), 19, OF RT. 2, OAKLAND, MAINE, HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO TEN YEARS IN PRISON AND DISHONORABLE DISCHARGE ON CONVICTION OF VOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER.

JORDON, A MEMBER OF THE 14TH COMBAT ENGINEER BATTALION, WAS CONVICTED BY A COURT MARTIAL OF STRANGLING A JAPANESE GIRL, MATSUKO KAWAJIRI, AT HER HOME IN KISARAZU CITY APRIL 6. HE HAD ACCUSED HER OF ROBBING HIM WHILE HE SLEPT.

XZ107PCS

A85

HALIFAX, N.S., AUG. 4-(AP)-THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY SAYS IT HAS BEEN TIPPED OFF ABOUT ANOTHER UNIDENTIFIED SUBMARINE--THIS TIME BY A COASTAL VESSEL SKIPPER WHO REPORTED SEEING ONE SURFACE WITHOUT LIGHTS OFF NOVA SCOTIA.

A NAVAL OFFICIAL IN OTTAWA SAID YESTERDAY THE NAVY IS CONVINCED AT LEAST ONE SOVIET SUBMARINE HAS BEEN OPERATING OFF CANADA'S COAST.

SUB-SIGHTINGS HAVE BEEN REPORTED RECENTLY FROM SEVERAL POINTS ON THE CANADIAN COAST. SOME OF THE REPORTS HAVE BEEN DISCOUNTED. MOSCOW HAS RIDICULED ALL OF THEM.

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B17DT (Q)

SAULT STE. MARIE, ONT., AUG. 4-(AP)-GEOLOGIST JOHN MCCOMB SAID TODAY HE HAD FOUND "ONE LARGE PIECE OF ALMOST PURE PITCHBLENDE" IN PROSPECTING ALONG THE MONTREAL RIVER, BUT ADDED HE HAD MADE "NO RICH STRIKE" OF THE URANIUM ORE.

MCCOMB HAS BEEN EMPLOYED AS A PROSPECTOR FOR A GROUP OF ENGINEERS WORKING FOR THE ALGOMA STEEL CORP. HERE.

WHILE CONFIRMING THE FIND OF AN UNUSUALLY LARGE AND RICH PIECE OF PITCHBLENDE, FROM WHICH URANIUM IS OBTAINED, MCCOMB DENIED IT WAS A RICH STRIKE.

THE MONTREAL RIVER RUNS NORTH OF THE CANADIAN SOO, EMPTYING INTO EASTERN SHORE LAKE SUPERIOR.

THE FIND WAS LOCATED ABOUT 20 MILES NORTH OF THE SCENE OF IMPORTANT URANIUM STRIKES OF 1948.

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A35WX (BJT)

(650) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS
BY JOHN B.OWEN

WASHINGTON,AUG 4-(AP)-THE HOUSE VOTED TODAY TO MAKE HOARDING A PRISON OFFENSE, BUT THEN BOGGED DOWN IN CONFUSION AND PUT OFF UNTIL NEXT WEEK A SHOWDOWN VOTE ON LEGISLATION TO PREVENT WAR INFLATION.

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE CAPITOL, SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) ANNOUNCED THAT THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE HAD APPROVED THE IDEA OF GIVING PRESIDENT TRUMAN DISCRETIONARY AUTHORITY IN INVOKING WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS.

HE SAID THE COMMITTEE REJECTED, 10 TO 3, A PLAN BY SENATOR FULBRIGHT (D-ARK) FOR AUTOMATIC WAGE, PRICE, RATIONING CONTROLS IF PRICES RISE TO A CERTAIN POINT, SAY 6 PER CENT ABOVE THE LEVEL OF JUNE 15.

THE PRESIDENT HAS COME OUT AGAINST SUCH MANDATORY LEGISLATION BUT HAS INDICATED HE HAS NO OBJECTION TO DISCRETIONARY AUTHORITY.

STILL VERY MUCH UP IN THE AIR TONIGHT WAS THE QUESTION WHAT KIND OF ECONOMIC CONTROL LEGISLATION CONGRESS WILL FINALLY ADOPT.

IN A DIZZY PARLIAMENTARY TANGLE, THE HOUSE TOSSED OVERBOARD A PREVIOUSLY APPROVED PLAN CALLING FOR MANDATORY PRICE-WAGE CEILINGS IF PRICES CONTINUE TO RISE; THEN IT VOTED TWICE AGAINST HANDING THE PRESIDENT DISCRETIONARY PRICE-WAGE CONTROL POWERS.

TOWARD THE END OF THE DAY, REP.SHORT (R-MO) SUMMED UP THE SITUATION BY TELLING A REPORTER:

"I'VE NEVER SEEN SO MUCH CONFUSION ON A BILL--REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS ALIKE."

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HOUSE MEMBERS STARTED OUT BY WIPING OUT YESTERDAY'S WORK. THEY REJECTED BY A STANDING VOTE OF 172 TO 161 A SYSTEM OF AUTOMATIC WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS WHICH THEY HAD ADOPTED PREVIOUSLY. THIS PLAN WOULD PROVIDE FOR CEILINGS TO BE INVOKED WHEN LIVING COSTS TOPPED THE JUNE 15 LEVEL BY 5 PER CENT. PRESIDENT TRUMAN OPPOSED IT, TERMING IT AN INVITATION TO A 5 PER CENT RISE.

THEN IT BEAT DOWN TWO EFFORTS TO GIVE THE PRESIDENT STANDBY POWERS OVER PRICES AND WAGES. THE PLANS WERE OFFERED BY REP.KUNKEL (R-PA) AND DEANE (D-NC). KUNKEL LOST 165 TO 130, DEANE 151 TO 140; BOTH DECISIONS BEING ON TELLER VOTES ON WHICH MEMBERS WERE NOT RECORDED BY NAME.

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WHEN THE HOUSE QUIT WORK FOR THE DAY, IT WAS CONSIDERING STILL ANOTHER WAGE-PRICE CONTROL AMENDMENT TIED TO THE COST-OF-LIVING INDEX.

THIS PROPOSAL, BY REP.MCKINNON (D-CALIF), WOULD GIVE THE PRESIDENT DISCRETIONARY POWER TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE CEILINGS. BUT IF THE COST OF LIVING ROSE 5 PERCENT ABOVE THE JUNE 15 LEVEL, THE CONTROLS WOULD BECOME MANDATORY AND PRICES AND WAGES WOULD BE ROLLED BACK TO THE JUNE 10-25 PERIOD.

ADMINISTRATION STRATEGY IN THE HOUSE APPARENTLY IS DIRECTED TOWARD ADOPTION OF THE TRUMAN BILL AS IT EMERGED FROM THE BANKING COMMITTEE. BRIEFLY IT PROVIDES STANDBY POWERS COVERING PRIORITIES AND ALLOCATIONS, CREDIT AND MARKET SPECULATION; THE RIGHT TO REQUISITION PLANTS FOR DEFENSE, AND TO GUARANTEE LOANS FOR PLANT EXPANSION.

THE TRUMAN BILL OMITS PROVISIONS FOR PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS AND SPECIFICALLY PROHIBITS RATIONING AT THE RETAIL LEVEL.

MR.TRUMAN CONTENDS THESE ARE THE ONLY CONTROL POWERS REQUIRED NOW;

THAT HE WILL ASK FOR OTHERS IF THE NEED ARISES.
HOWEVER, A LARGE SEGMENT OF CONGRESS INSISTS THAT PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING AUTHORITY SHOULD BE ON THE LAWBOOKS READY TO BE USED AGAINST INFLATION.
THE PULLING AND HAULING OVER THE BILL IN THE HOUSE APPEARED TO REFLECT LACK OF STRENGTH WITHIN EITHER ADMINISTRATION RANKS OR AMONG REPUBLICANS TO DEFEAT THE OTHER SIDE OUTRIGHT. SOUTHERN DEMOCRATS SEEMED TO BE TILTING THE BALANCE BACK AND FORTH.
BUT THE UPSHOT OF A HECTIC WEEK'S BATTLING OVER THE BILL FAVORED BACKERS OF THE TRUMAN BILL SINCE REPUBLICAN SUBSTITUTES HAD BEEN BATTED DOWN.
THE ANTI-HOARDING AMENDMENT--THE ONLY CHANGE WRITTEN INTO THE ADMINISTRATION BILL--PROVIDES STIFF PENALTIES FOR PERSONS HOARDING UNREASONABLE AMOUNTS OF FOOD, CLOTHING AND OTHER THINGS.
IT WAS ADOPTED BY A STANDING VOTE OF 112 TO 46. IT SET THE TOP PENALTY AT A YEAR IN PRISON AND $10,000 FINE.
INTRODUCED BY REP.ROGERS (D-FLA), THE AMENDMENT WAS REJECTED BY THE HOUSE YESTERDAY. IT IS SIMILAR TO A LAW OF THE FIRST WORLD WAR. IT EXEMPTS HOLDERS OF COMMODITY FUTURES, AND A FARMER'S OWN PRODUCTS.
THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE, ALSO WORKING ON A CONTROLS BILL, VOTED UNANIMOUSLY TO EXEMPT FROM PRICE CONTROL NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING AND SUBSCRIPTIONS, MOVIES, THEATERS, BROADCASTING, OUTDOOR ADVERTISING, MAGAZINES, NEWS SERVICES, REALTY DEALERS, PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, INSURANCE MEN AND PUBLIC UTILITIES (ALREADY UNDER PUBLIC REGULATION).
IT VOTED TO REQUIRE SENATE CONFIRMATION OF NATIONAL AND STATE DIRECTORS FOR ANY WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING ORGANIZATION WHICH THE LAW MAY REQUIRE.

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SENATOR SPARKMAN SAID THE COMMITTEE VOTED TO GIVE MR.TRUMAN COMPLETE DISCRETION AS TO WHETHER TO ROLL PRICES BACK IF HE DECIDED TO INVOKE CONTROLS.
THE PRESIDENT ALSO WOULD HAVE A FREE HAND TO DECIDE ON WHAT BASE PERIOD PRICE CEILINGS WOULD BE FIXED.
THE COMMITTEE'S NEW PLAN APPEARED TO BE IN LINE WITH THE KIND OF BILL MR.TRUMAN HAS SAID HE WOULD BE WILLING TO ACCEPT, IN THAT IT WOULD GIVE HIM FLEXIBILITY AS TO PUTTING CONTROLS INTO EFFECT.
BOTH SPARKMAN AND CHAIRMAN MAYBANK (D-SC) SAID THERE WAS NOTHING TENTATIVE ABOUT THE COMMITTEE'S GENERAL DECISIONS TODAY. IT WILL RESUME WORK MONDAY MORNING.
MAYBANK SAID THE BILL WOULD GO TO THE SENATE BY MONDAY NIGHT.
SENATOR LUCAS (D-ILL), THE MAJORITY LEADER, SAID HE HOPES TO GET SENATE DEBATE STARTED WEDNESDAY.
UNDER THE COMMITTEE AGREEMENT, SPARKMAN SAID, THE PRESIDENT WOULD HAVE TO PUT GENERAL WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS INTO EFFECT AT THE SAME TIME. SUCH ACTION, HOWEVER, WOULD NOT HAVE TO BE ACCOMPANIED IMMEDIATELY BY RATIONING.
THE COMMITTEE ALSO DECIDED, SPARKMAN SAID, TO LET THE PRESIDENT PUT PRICE CONTROLS INTO EFFECT ON A SELECTIVE BASIS, AT PRE-RETAIL LEVELS, IF HE FOUND THAT THE SITUATION WARRANTED SUCH ACTION.
FOR EXAMPLE, IF THE PRICE OF SOME PARTICULAR COMMODITY APPEARED TO BE GETTING OUT OF HAND, PRICE CEILINGS ON THAT ITEM COULD BE FIXED WITHOUT RESORTING TO A GENERAL PRICE CONTROL PROGRAM.
WAGE CEILINGS WOULD NOT BE REQUIRED, SPARKMAN SAID, IN CASES WHERE PRICE CONTROL WAS INVOKVED ON A SELECTIVE BASIS.
THE COMMITTEE ALSO AUTHORIZED THE PRESIDENT TO TRY VOLUNTARY CONTROL OF WAGES AND PRICES BEFORE RESORTING TO MANDATORY CONTROLS.
THE GROUP DECIDED, TOO, TO PERMIT USE OF EXISTING GOVERNMENT AGENCIES TO HANDLE ANY CONTROLS PROGRAM PUT INTO EFFECT. BUT IT VOTED THAT AN OVERALL AGENCY SHOULD BE CREATED TO SUPERVISE THE JOB IF CONTROLS WERE USED ON A GENERAL BASIS.

UNDER TERMS OF THE ANTI-HOARDING AMENDMENT VOTED BY THE HOUSE IT WOULD BE MADE "UNLAWFUL FOR ANY PERSON WILFULLY TO HOARD ANY NECESSARIES."
THESE WERE DEFINED TO MEAN FOODS, FEEDS, WEARING APPAREL, AUTOMOBILE TIRES, CONTAINERS PRIMARILY DESIGNED OR INTENDED FOR CONTAINING FOODS, FEEDS OR FERTILIZERS; FUEL, INCLUDING FUEL OIL AND NATURAL GAS; FERTILIZER AND FERTILIZER INGREDIENTS; TOOLS, UTENSILS, IMPLEMENTS, MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT REQUIRED FOR THE ACTUAL PRODUCTION OF THE LISTED ARTICLES AND MATERIALS.
THE AMENDMENT SAYS THAT NECESSARIES WOULD BE CONSIDERED HOARDED WHENEVER THEY EXCEEDED THE REASONABLE REQUIREMENTS OF THE CONSUMER, OR OF A MANUFACTURER, WHOLESALER OR RETAILER.

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BULLETIN
SECOND NIGHT LEAD APPROPRIATIONS
WASHINGTON,AUG 4-(AP)-THE SENATE APPROVED A HUGE $34,237,000,000 (B) APPROPRIATIONS BILL TODAY ON A VOICE VOTE.

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IT TOOK THE ACTION AFTER IT HAD REJECTED ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO TRIM THE AMOUNT OF MONEY THIS COUNTRY WOULD SPEND ON MARSHALL PLAN OPERATIONS.
THE RECOMMENDED APPROPRIATIONS WOULD FINANCE MOST FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDING NEXT JUNE 30.
THE AMOUNT IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE IN A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE WHICH WILL BE CALLED SHORTLY TO IRON OUT THE DIFFERENCES IN THE BILLS PASSED SEPARATELY BY BOTH HOUSES.
THE ATTEMPT, BY SENATOR MCCLELLAN (D-ARK), TO WHACK FIVE PERCENT OFF THE $2,726,761,473 MARSHALL PLAN FOR ECONOMIC AID FOR WESTERN EUROPE WAS DEFEATED 41 TO 38.
AS FINALLY APPROVED, THE BILL CARRIES $14,680,000,000 (B) IN CASH AND SPENDING AUTHORITY FOR THE ARMED SERVICES. THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE ABOUT $16,500,000,000 (B) RECENTLY REQUESTED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR MILITARY OUTLAYS IN CONNECTION WITH THE KOREAN WAR.
IN ADDITION TO THE REGULAR MILITARY FUNDS, THE BILL CARRIED $4,590,000,000 (B) IN CASH AND SPENDING AUTHORITY FOR ALL FOREIGN AID, INCLUDING $2,726,000,000 (B) FOR THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM.
THE PROPOSED MARSHALL PLAN CUT WOULD HAVE AMOUNTED TO $136,338,073.

A 10 PER CENT SLASH IN A NUMBER OF ITEMS IN THE BILL WAS ADOPTED BY THE SENATE YESTERDAY AND WAS THE ONLY MAJOR ECONOMY OPERATION PERFORMED ON THE BILL DURING THE FOUR WEEKS IT WAS BEFORE THE SENATE.
SPONSORS OF THIS CUT, SENATORS BRIDGES (R-NH) AND BYRD (D-VA), SAID THAT THE SAVINGS WOULD AMOUNT TO $525,000,000. THE CUT DID NOT INCLUDE DEFENSE OR FOREIGN ITEMS.
FIGURES MADE AVAILABLE BY THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE STAFF SHOWED THAT THE SENATE ADDED $72,389,556 IN CASH TO THE $32,504,972,672 ORIGINALLY RECOMMENDED TO THE SENATE.
THIS TOTAL THEN WAS REDUCED BY $525,000,000 THROUGH THE BRIDGES-BYRD AMENDMENT, TO $32,052,362,228.
THE SENATE ALSO ADDED $1,234,000 TO THE $2,183,336,000 APPROVED BY THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE IN SPENDING AUTHORITY.
CASH AND SPENDING AUTHORITY IN THE SENATE-APPROVED BILL TOTALED $34,236,932,228.
THIS REPRESENTED A NET REDUCTION OF $451,376,444 IN THE COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS.
IT IS $1,924,425,920 LESS THAN REQUESTED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN HIS

BUDGET MESSAGE.
THE HOUSE APPROVED $29,492,000,000 IN CASH AND SPENDING AUTHORITY, SUBJECT TO TWO ECONOMY AMENDMENTS WHICH SPONSORS SAID WOULD HAVE REDUCED THE TOTAL BY SOME $750,000,000. THE SENATE COMMITTEE KNOCKED BOTH OUT.
THE HOUSE BILL DID NOT INCLUDE APPROPRIATIONS FOR FOREIGN AID AND SEVERAL OTHER ITEMS THAT ARE IN THE SENATE BILL.
NEITHER THE SENATE NOR HOUSE BILLS CONTAIN MONEY FOR MORE THAN $7,500,000,000 OF FIXED FEDERAL EXPENSES, SUCH AS INTEREST ON THE PUBLIC DEBT.

DESPITE YESTERDAY'S ECONOMY AMENDMENT, THE BILL STILL CONTAINED MORE THAN $34,200,000,000. IT PROVIDES MONEY TO RUN SCORES OF GOVERNMENT BUREAUS AND DEPARTMENTS DURING THE FISCAL YEAR THAT STARTED JULY 1. INTEREST ON THE PUBLIC DEBT AND CERTAIN OTHER RECURRING, NON-DEFERRABLE OPERATING COSTS ARE EXCLUDED FROM THE ONE-PACKAGE BILL.
SENATOR MCCLELLAN (D-ARK) SPONSORED THE UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT TO REDUCE THE MARSHALL PLAN ALLOWANCE BY 5 PER CENT. HE SAID THAT IN TIMES LIKE THESE, COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE BEEN RECEIVING AMERICAN ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE SHOULD BE WILLING TO MAKE THE SAME SACRIFICES AS THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES.
OPPOSING THE CUT, CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE DECLARED:
"NO MILITARY MACHINE IS ANY STRONGER THAN THE ECONOMIC MACHINE THAT SUPPORTS IT. IF YOU CUT THIS APPROPRIATION YOU WILL HAVE TO ADD IT TO MILITARY FUNDS AND YOU WILL MEET YOURSELF COMING BACK."
DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS OF ILLINOIS DECLARED THAT SENATORS WHO ALWAYS HAD OPPOSED THE MARSHALL PLAN WERE HEADING THE EFFORT TO REDUCE THE APPROPRIATION.
SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) TRIED BUT FAILED TO BAR MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS FROM NATIONS ENGAGED IN DISMANTLEMENT OF GERMAN INDUSTRIAL PLANTS. HIS MOTION WAS RULED OUT OF ORDER, AS AN ATTEMPT TO LEGISLATE IN AN APPROPRIATION BILL.
IN OTHER ACTIONS ON THE BIG BILL, THE SENATE SPECIFICALLY EXEMPTED THE COAST GUARD FROM THE 10 PER CENT NON-MILITARY CUT APPROVED YESTERDAY, AND ADOPTED AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) TO PERMIT DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATIONS TO BE MADE, IF NECESSARY, FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF MAIL.

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(270) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY FRIDAY AUG. 4)

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,AUG.4-(AP)-REP.CLEVENGER (R-OHIO), IT WAS REVEALED TODAY, RECENTLY ASSAILED PROPOSED EXPENDITURE OF $82,000,000 TO EXPAND U.S. PROPAGANDA FACILITIES.
HE SAID HE'D RATHER SEE THE MONEY SPENT FOR TANK DESTROYERS.
CLEVENGER'S CRITICISM WAS CONTAINED IN TESTIMONY MADE PUBLIC BY A HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE OF WHICH HE IS A MEMBER.
"WE ARE PLAYING WITH FIRE HERE," CLEVENGER SAID DURING A COMMITTEE DISCUSSION AT A CLOSED DOOR HEARING. "WE HAVE NO BUSINESS SPENDING $82,000,000 IN ANY IDEOLOGICAL WARFARE WHEN WAR HAS ALREADY BROKEN OUT."
"I WOULD RATHER SPEND $84,000,000 FOR TANK DESTROYERS TO SAVE THE LIVES OF THOSE BOYS OVER THERE (IN KOREA) WHO FIND THEIR WEAPONS IMPOTENT AGAINST THE HEAVY RUSSIAN ARMOR THAT THOSE PEOPLE ARE BRINGING AGAINST US."
CLEVENGER TOLD THE SUBCOMMITTEE HE SUSPECTS THE COMMUNISTS ARE SPREADING THEIR IDEOLOGY IN THE UNITED STATES--POSSIBLY EVEN AMONG THE CLERGY--FASTER THAN THE UNITED STATES IS MAKING PROPAGANDA GAINS BEHIND THE IRONICURTAIN.
"I AM BEGINNING TO BELIEVE FROM WHAT I SEE WHEN I GO HOME AND WHEN I GO TO OTHER PARTS OF THE UNITED STATES," HE SAID, "THAT FOR ABOUT EVERY IDEOLOGICAL FOOT THAT WE GAIN, COMMUNISM IS MAKING A FIRST DOWN IN AMERICA WITH OUR LABOR UNIONS, WITH OUR EDUCATORS, WITH OUR YOUTH. AND I AM NOT SO SURE BUT WHAT WITH SOME OF OUR CLERGY, ESPECIALLY THE PROTESTANT CLERGY."
HE ASSERTED THAT "FOR A LONG TIME I HAVE HAD NO CONFIDENCE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT."
THE AMERICAN MILITARY ACTION IN KOREA, HE SAID, WAS "A COMPLETE REVERSAL" OF FOREIGN POLICY, ORDERED BY THE WHITE HOUSE.
"IF THIS SPREADS INTO A WORLD WAR," HE CONTINUED, "WE ARE GOING TO BE FIGHTING ALONE. EVEN NOW, IN EUROPE, THEY WANT US TO GET OUT FOR FEAR THAT THEY ARE GOING TO BE ON THE RECEIVING END OF SOME BOMBING. X X X IF THERE IS ANOTHER WAR, WE ARE GOING INTO IT WITHOUT ANY FAST FRIEND THAT I KNOW OF ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD."
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VOICE

WASHINGTON, AUG 4-(AP)-A HOUSE GROUP HAS APPROVED A PROPOSAL TO GIVE THE "VOICE OF AMERICA" [redacted] TO TRY BLASTING ITS WAY THROUGH THE IRON CURTAIN. ($4,000,000 IN ADDITIONAL FUNDS)
MEMBERS OF AN APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE SAID TODAY THEY HAD TAKEN SUCH ACTION AFTER HEARING SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON EMPHASIZE THAT THE TRUTH IS THE BEST AMMUNITION THIS COUNTRY HAS TO COUNTER RUSSIA'S MAJOR PROPAGANDA WEAPON: "THE LIE REPEATED AGAIN AND AGAIN."
ACHESON'S TESTIMONY--IN SUPPORT OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S REQUEST FOR $82,000,000 MORE FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S "SELL AMERICA ABROAD" PROGRAM--WAS MADE PUBLIC TODAY BY THE SUBCOMMITTEE.
MEMBERS SAID THEIR GROUP, WHICH NORMALLY IS SUSTAINED BY THE FULL COMMITTEE, APPROVED REQUESTS FOR EXTRA FUNDS FOR RADIO BROADCASTING, PRESS AND PUBLICATIONS DISTRIBUTION AND MOTION PICTURES.
THE NEW MONEY, THEY SAID, WOULD INCLUDE $41,288,000 TO BUILD SIX POWERFUL NEW RADIO STATIONS AND CASH TO BUY RADIO SETS FOR RECEPTIVE COMMUNISTS.
BUT THEY SAID THEY CUT "VERY SUBSTANTIALLY" THE FUNDS REQUESTED FOR FOREIGN LIBRARY WORK AND FOR BRINGING FOREIGNERS, INCLUDING YUGOSLAV COMMUNISTS, TO THIS COUNTRY TO STUDY AMERICAN LIFE.
OF THE $82,000,000 REQUESTED TO SUPPLEMENT $42,000,000 PREVIOUSLY VOTED BY THE HOUSE, $18,834,000 HAD BEEN EARMARKED FOR THE LIBRARY AND "EXCHANGE OF PERSONS" PROJECTS.
ACHESON ASKED THE COMMITTEE TO GRANT THE FULL AMOUNT FOR THE 12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING NEXT JUNE 30.
RECENT EVENTS, HE SAID, "HAVE BROUGHT HOME TO US WITH SHOCKING CLARITY THE FACT THAT, IN THE SOVIET ARSENAL, THE LIE--THE LIE REPEATED AGAIN AND AGAIN--IS A MAJOR WEAPON, AND THAT TRUTH IS A POWERFUL AND ESSENTIAL MEANS OF MEETING AND OVERCOMING AGGRESSION."
SOVIET PROPAGANDA AGAINST AMERICAN INTERVENTION IN KOREA, HE SAID, MAKES IT MORE URGENT THAT WE STRENGTHEN AND INTENSIFY "OUR CAMPAIGN OF TRUTH."
HE TOLD OF RUSSIA'S LONG AND CONTINUED EFFORTS TO CONVINCE MILLIONS OF PERSONS IN EUROPE, ASIA AND ELSEWHERE THAT THE UNITED STATES "IS A WARMONGERING, POWER-HUNGRY NATION, DETERMINED TO DOMINATE AND OPPRESS OTHERS."
AMERICA'S TASK, HE SAID, IS TO REFUTE SUCH PROPAGANDA AND TO CONVINCE THE PEOPLE OF RUSSIA ITSELF, OF SOVIET SATELLITES, AND OF THE WORLD GENERALLY, THAT AMERICA'S INTENTIONS ARE HONORABLE AND THE AMERICAN

WAY OF LIFE IS GOOD.
THE DEPARTMENT'S PLANS CONTEMPLATE THE PURCHASE OF 200,000 SMALL, CHEAP BUT EFFECTIVE RADIO RECEIVERS WHICH WOULD BE DISTRIBUTED TO KEY PEOPLE IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES WHO WOULD PASS AROUND [illegible] OTHERS THE BROADCAST "VOICE OF AMERICA."
COMMITTEE MEMBERS SAID THERE IS A STRONG POSSIBILITY THAT UP TO 50,000 OF THE SETS COULD BE PUT IN THE HANDS OF POTENTIAL LISTENERS BEHIND THE SOVIET IRON CURTAIN.
WHILE THE COMMITTEE TOOK KINDLY TO PLANS FOR STRENGTHENING "THE VOICE" IT TOOK A DIM VIEW OF SPENDING MONEY TO BRING CERTAIN FOREIGNERS TO THIS COUNTRY FOR A LOOK AT AMERICAN LIFE, UNDER A STUDENT EXCHANGE AGREEMENT.
REP. STEFAN (R-NEB), A COMMITTEE MEMBER, SAID HE FEARED THAT THE VISITORS MIGHT BE FOREIGN AGENTS "SENT OVER HERE FOR PURPOSES THAT WILL BE VALUABLE TO THEM, SO THAT THEY WILL BE ABLE TO STAB US IN THE BACK AT THE PSYCHOLOGICAL TIME."
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WASHINGTON, AUG 4-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT INTENDS TO RENEW ITS EFFORTS TO OBTAIN THE NEWS REPORTS OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AND THE UNITED PRESS FOR USE IN "VOICE OF AMERICA" OVERSEAS BROADCASTS, CONGRESSIONAL TESTIMONY DISCLOSED TODAY.
EDWARD W. BARRETT, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE, SO INFORMED THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE IN TESTIFYING JULY 20 IN SUPPORT OF AN ADMINISTRATION REQUEST FOR AN EXPANDED FOREIGN INFORMATION PROGRAM. BARRETT SAID HE PLANNED CONFERENCES WITH BOTH PRESS ASSOCIATIONS.
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IN JANUARY, 1946, THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AND UNITED PRESS TERMINATED WARTIME ARRANGEMENTS UNDER WHICH THEIR NEWS REPORTS WERE MADE AVAILABLE TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES FOR OVERSEAS BROADCASTS, LEST QUESTIONS OF PROPAGANDA AND OBJECTIVITY BE RAISED OVER GOVERNMENTAL USE OF NEWS IN PEACE TIMES.
(AT ASSOCIATED PRESS GENERAL OFFICES IN NEW YORK IT WAS STATED THE MATTER WOULD BE CONSIDERED FURTHER AT THE NEXT MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. THE UNITED PRESS SAID IN NEW YORK IT HAD NO COMMENT.)
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ATTENTION IS CALLED TO CERTAIN LANGUAGE IN THE FOLLOWING STORY. SOME PAPERS MAY WISH TO ALTER IT.
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(450) NIGHT LEAD LANHAM-PATTERSON
WASHINGTON,AUG 4-(AP)-REP.LANHAM (D-GA) CALLED THE NEGRO EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS A "BLACK SON OF A BITCH" TODAY, AND RUSHED AT HIM WITH DOUBLED FISTS.
TWO HUSKY CAPITOL POLICEMEN HELD LANHAM BACK AS HE STRUGGLED TO REACH THE TARGET OF HIS WRATH, WILLIAM J.PATTERSON, DURING A BITTER EXCHANGE AT WHICH THEY ACCUSED EACH OTHER OF TELLING A LIE.
LANHAM WAS PRESIDING, AT THE TIME, AT A HEARING OF THE HOUSE LOBBYING INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE ON AFFAIRS OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS, WHICH THE ATTORNEY GENERAL HAS LISTED AS A SUBVERSIVE COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATION.
THE COMMITTEE PROMPTLY ADJOURNED TO CONSIDER AT A CLOSED SESSION NEXT WEEK WHETHER TO CITE PATTERSON FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS FOR REFUSING TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT MEMBERSHIP AND FINANCING OF HIS ORGANIZATION.
BENEDICT F.FITZGERALD (CAP G), JR., COUNSEL TO THE COMMITTEE, SAID PATTERSON WOULD NOT BE QUESTIONED FURTHER.
THE CLASH BETWEEN PATTERSON AND LANHAM OCCURRED WHEN THE WITNESS INTERRUPTED HIS OWN TESTIMONY WITH A SHOUTED ACCUSATION:
"THE STATE OF GEORGIA TRIED TO LYNCH NINE MEN IN THE SCOTTSBORO CASE. GEORGIA IS A STATE OF LYNCHERS."
"IT'S A LIE," LANHAM FLUNG AT THE WITNESS. "IF ANY STATE IS FAIR TO NIGGERS IT'S GEORGIA."
"YOURS IS A LIE, TOO," PATTERSON SHOT BACK.
LANHAM RACED AROUND THE LONG COMMITTEE TABLE SEPARATING THEM, SNARLING "DAMNED SON OF A BITCH! BLACK SON OF A BITCH!"
PATTERSON ATTEMPTED TO CORRECT HIMSELF AND STATE THAT THE SCOTTSBORO TRIALS ACTUALLY WERE HELD IN ALABAMA, INSTEAD OF GEORGIA, BUT TO DENOUNCE THE MURDER TRIAL IN GEORGIA OF ROSA LEE INGRAM AND HER TWO CHILDREN.
EARLIER IN THE STORMY SESSION LANHAM HAD TOLD PATTERSON THAT THE WITNESS' REFUSAL TO GIVE NAMES OF MEMBERS OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS OR OF CONTRIBUTORS TO ITS TREASURY "BRANDS YOU AS A COMMUNIST IN MY OPINION." PATTERSON YESTERDAY REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER HE IS A COMMUNIST.
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"I PROPOSE TO FURNISH NO COMMITTEE WITH THE NAME OF INDIVIDUALS WHO CAN BE PURSUED BY REASON OF BEING MEMBERS OF AN ORGANIZATION LISTED AS SUBVERSIVE, WHICH WE ARE NOT," PATTERSON INSISTED.
FITZGERALD TOLD REPORTERS THE LOBBY INVESTIGATING GROUP IS RUNNING SHORT OF FUNDS, "AND I EXPECT IT WILL NOT CALL ANY MORE WITNESSES IN ANY CASE."
HE SAID HE EXPECTS IT MAY MEET TUESDAY OR SOON THEREAFTER TO CONSIDER HIS PROPOSALS THAT PATTERSON AND TWO WITNESSES IN OTHER CASES BE CHARGED WITH CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS. THE OFFENSE IS PUNISHABLE BY A YEAR'S IMPRISONMENT AND A FINE.
THE OTHER TWO, HE SAID, ARE EDWARD A.RUMELY, HEAD OF THE COMMITTEE FOR CONSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT, AND JOSEPH P.KAMP, HEAD OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL EDUCATIONAL LEAGUE, WHO ALSO REFUSED TO ANSWER CERTAIN QUESTIONS CONCERNING THEIR ORGANIZATIONS.
FITZGERALD SAID HE EXPECTS A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE COMMITTEE WILL VISIT PATTERSON'S NEW YORK OFFICE MONDAY TO PICK UP SOME DOCUMENTS THAT PATTERSON FIRST REFUSED TO SURRENDER, BUT LATER AGREED TO HAND OVER TO THE COMMITTEE.
PATTERSON ARGUED THAT THE COMMITTEE HAS NO RIGHT TO INVESTIGATE HIS ORGANIZATION. HE SAID IT IS NOT A GROUP ORGANIZED FOR LOBBYING PURPOSES, AND THAT THE COMMITTEE HAS NO AUTHORITY TO INQUIRE ABOUT ITS MEMBERSHIP AND FINANCES.
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B67KX (Q)
1ST LEAD BRIDGES (140)
SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.4-(AP)-HARRY BRIDGES MAY LEARN TOMORROW WHETHER HE WILL BE SENT TO JAIL AS A "DANGEROUS ENEMY" OF THE UNITED STATES.
FEDERAL JUDGE GEORGE B.HARRIS, WHO IS HEARING ARGUMENTS ON THE GOVERNMENT'S MOTION TO REVOKE THE LONGSHORE LEADER'S $25,000 BAIL, ORDERED A SATURDAY COURT SESSION IN ORDER TO COMPLETE THE HEARING.
THE JUDGE ALSO INDICATED HE WOULD RENDER AN EARLY DECISION, RAISING SPECULATION THAT HE MAY RULE FROM THE BENCH ON THE MOTION.
SPECIAL PROSECUTOR F.JOSEPH DONOHUE, WHO CALLED BRIDGES A "DANGEROUS ENEMY" AND A "MENACE TO THE NATION'S INTERNAL SECURITY," SAID HE WOULD PRESS FOR SPEED IN PLACING BRIDGES BEHIND BARS.
"I'M NOT A PACIFIST, I'M AGAINST AGGRESSION," BRIDGES TESTIFIED. "WHAT I AM FOR IS PEACE. X X X I WILL CONTINUE TO SPEAK OUT AGAINST WAR, AND IF I HAVEN'T GOT THAT RIGHT, I MAY AS WELL GET TO JAIL RIGHT NOW."
BRIDGES SAID, "I DON'T BELIEVE I AM DISLOYAL."

OUTSIDE OF COURT, SPECIAL PROSECUTOR F.JOSEPH DONOHUE, WHO RECENTLY OBTAINED BRIDGES CONVICTION ON A PERJURY CHARGE, REMARKED TO NEWSMEN THAT HE DID NOT BELIEVE HE WOULD HAVE TO CROSS-EXAMINE HIM VERY LONG.

BRIDGES HAS APPEALED HIS FIVE-YEAR SENTENCE ON A PERJURY CONVICTION FOR SAYING HE WAS NOT A COMMUNIST WHEN HE BECAME AN AMERICAN CITIZEN IN 1945. THE STORMY WATERFRONT LEADER WAS BORN IN AUSTRALIA.

FEDERAL JUDGE GEORGE B.HARRIS, WHO PRESIDED AT BRIDGES' RECENT TRIAL, INTERRUPTED HIM TO ASK QUESTIONS.

TALKING ABOUT SECURITY MEASURES UNDERTAKEN BY THE GOVERNMENT, JUDGE HARRIS ASKED: "WOULD YOU OPPOSE SCREENING COMMUNISTS?"

BRIDGES REPLIED "MY PERSONAL OPINION IS THAT UNTIL THE LAW OUTLAWS COMMUNISM THEY ARE ENTITLED TO WORK."

JUDGE HARRIS THEN ASKED IF BRIDGES BELIEVED THE NORTH KOREANS HAD COMMITTED AN ACT OF AGGRESSION.

BRIDGES SAID HIS INFORMATION WAS SECOND-HANDED AND IT WAS QUITE APPARENT THEY HAD CROSSED THE 38TH PARALLEL. BUT HE ADDED THERE WERE MANY DIFFERENT OPINIONS ON WHAT CONSTITUTED AN ACT OF AGGRESSION.

HE ADDED THAT HIS UNION HAD DECIDED IT WAS AGGRESSION "AND AS A MEMBER OF THE UNION I AM BOUND BY THAT."

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THEN ONE OF HIS ATTORNEYS, JAMES MAC INNIS, ASKED THE WITNESS IF HE WOULD OBEY IF HE WERE GIVEN A GOVERNMENT ORDER OR DIRECTIVE IN CONNECTION WITH THE WAR EFFORT.

"I WOULD OBEY," BRIDGES REPLIED, ADDING HE MIGHT NOT NECESSARILY AGREE. "I HAVE NO IDEAS ABOUT STARTING A REVOLUTION OR ANYTHING LIKE THAT.

BRIDGES SAID DISAGREEMENTS WITHIN HIS UNION HAD BEEN MAGNIFIED BY NEWSPAPERS. HE ACCUSED NEWSPAPERS OF CARRYING ON "A BRUTAL LYING, DISTORTED CAMPAIGN, THE WORST CAMPAIGN OF DISTORTION THAT I HAVE EVER EXPERIENCED."

REGARDING A SECURITY CHECK OF EMPLOYES ON THE WATERFRONT, BRIDGES SAID HE HAD ADVISED THE LABOR DEPARTMENT THE LONGSHORE UNION WOULD "GO ALONG ON A PROPER SECURITY CHECK."

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A73WX MCCARTHY, MAY, KOREAN)

MCCARTHY (310)

WASHINGTON,AUG 4-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) DEMANDED TODAY THAT SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) BE FORCED TO PLAY A PHONOGRAPH RECORD TO SHOW WHICH OF THEM IS "A LIAR."

THE RECORD IS ONE THAT TYDINGS OFFERED TO PLAY IN THE SENATE LAST JULY 20 IN A SEARING SPEECH BRANDING MCCARTHY'S COMMUNISM-IN-GOVERNMENT CHARGES A "FRAUD AND A HOAX."

MCCARTHY SAID TYDINGS CLAIMED THE RECORD WOULD SHOW THAT THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN SAID IN A SPEECH AT WHEELING, W.VA., LAST FEBRUARY THAT THERE WERE 205 COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHO WERE KNOWN TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.

THIS HAS BEEN DENIED BY MCCARTHY, AND HE REITERATED IN THE SENATE AGAIN TODAY THAT HE SAID HE KNEW OF 57 COMMUNISTS IN THE DEPARTMENT.

MCCARTHY SAID THAT THE DISPUTE OVER WHETHER HE HAD SAID 57 OR 205 MIGHT NOT BE CONSIDERED TOO IMPORTANT NORMALLY BUT THAT IT HAD BEEN USED IN AN EFFORT TO DISCREDIT THE VALUE OF HIS EVIDENCE.

OBVIOUSLY, HE SAID, EITHER HE OR TYDINGS WAS LYING AND HE WOULD "LIKE TO GET A DECISION ONCE AND FOR ALL SO THAT THE COUNTRY CAN BETTER EVALUATE" HIS CHARGES.

TYDINGS WAS CHAIRMAN OF A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH INVESTIGATED MCCARTHY'S CHARGES. TYDINGS AND TWO OTHER DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS SUBMITTED A MAJORITY REPORT LABELING THE CHARGES UNFOUNDED.

IN SUBMITTING THE REPORT TO THE SENATE LAST MONTH, TYDINGS OFFERED TO PLAY A RECORDING WHICH HE SAID WOULD SHOW THAT MCCARTHY'S VOICE WAS "NOT THE VOICE OF TRUTH."

HE NEVER PLAYED THE RECORD -- WHATEVER IT WAS -- BECAUSE HE WITHDREW THE REQUEST WHEN SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) PROTESTED THAT HE FELT IT OUGHT TO BE PLAYED ELSEWHERE THAN ON THE SENATE FLOOR.

TYDINGS SAID HE WOULD PLAY THE RECORD OFF THE SENATE FLOOR "IN DUE TIME, BUT ADMISSION WILL BE BY CARD ONLY."

MCCARTHY SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW HOW TYDINGS COULD BE FORCED TO PLAY THE RECORD, BUT HE WANTED "TO CALL HIS BLUFF."

"I CALL ON THE SENATE AND THE PRESS TO FORCE MR.TYDINGS TO PLAY THAT RECORDING," HE SAID, "SO WE CAN KNOW WHETHER THE SENATOR FROM MARYLAND OR THE SENATOR FROM WISCONSIN LIED."

MCCARTHY SAID HE WANTED TO ESTABLISH THIS BECAUSE HE INTENDED NEXT WEEK TO PRESENT "ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE" OF DISLOYALTY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

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PRECEDE WASHINGTON DAY (350)

NEW YORK, AUG.4-(AP)-PAUL ROBESON TODAY ASKED SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON FOR A CONFERENCE TO EXPLAIN WHY HIS PASSPORT HAS BEEN CANCELLED.

THE NEGRO SINGER'S ATTORNEY, NATHAN WITT OF NEW YORK, SAID THE REQUEST FOR A CONFERENCE WAS SENT BECAUSE HE AND ROBESON HAD RECEIVED NO RESPONSE TO A LETTER DRAFTED AUG.1 ASKING FOR AN EXPLANATION. WITT DID NOT SAY WHEN WORD OF THE CANCELLATION HAD BEEN RECEIVED.

WITT DENIED A STATE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCEMENT YESTERDAY THAT ROBESON HAD REFUSED TO SURRENDER HIS PASSPORT, SAYING THE SINGER ONLY WANTED AN EXPLANATION BECAUSE HIS "ABILITY TO EARN A LIVING IS CONDITIONED ON HIS RIGHT TO TRAVEL ABROAD."

IN THE LETTER TO ACHESON, WITT SAID THEY WROTE "SINCE THERE CAN BE NO QUESTION BUT THAT MR.ROBESON HAS COMPLIED WITH ALL REQUIREMENTS PERTAINING TO SECURING AND HOLDING A PASSPORT, HE IS AT A LOSS TO UNDERSTAND THE BASIS OF THE REQUEST AND BELIEVES THAT IT IS NO MORE THAN REASONABLE THAT THE BASIS SHOULD BE EXPLAINED TO HIM."

A STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN, IN DISCLOSING THE CANCELLATION, SAID THE DEPARTMENT FELT THAT ROBESON'S ACTIONS WERE NOT ALWAYS IN THE INTEREST OF THE UNITED STATES.

ROBESON HAS MADE A NUMBER OF TRIPS ABROAD, VISITING RUSSIA SEVERAL TIMES, AND HAS SPOKEN WITH APPROVAL OF COMMUNISTS AND THEIR AIMS.

A PASSPORT IS NECESSARY TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THAT WHEN ROBESON REFUSED TO YIELD HIS PASSPORT, IMMIGRATION AND DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS WERE NOTIFIED IT HAD BEEN CANCELLED.

THE COUNCIL ON AFRICAN AFFAIRS, OF WHICH ROBESON IS CHAIRMAN, SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT THE MOVE "REFLECTS THE ADMINISTRATION'S FEAR OF PAUL ROBESON'S WORLD-WIDE PRESTIGE AS A CHAMPION OF THE OPPRESSED AND ENEMY OF FASCISM AND IMPERIALISM."

THE COUNCIL HAS BEEN LISTED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE AS SUBVERSIVE AND COMMUNIST.

MEANWHILE, C.B.BALDWIN, SECRETARY OF THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY, SAID "THERE IS OBVIOUSLY NO LEGAL BASIS" FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT ACTION. HE ADDED IN A STATEMENT:

"PAUL ROBESON, SON OF A SLAVE, ONE OF AMERICA'S GREATEST MEN, CANNOT BE SILENCED. HIS VOICE TODAY IS MORE ELOQUENT THAN EVER BEFORE. THE FEARFUL AND COWARDLY IN WASHINGTON HAVE COMMITTED ONE OF THEIR GREATEST BLUNDERS, BUT OUR WHOLE NATION WILL SUFFER UNLESS PAUL ROBESON'S RIGHTS ARE FULLY RESTORED."

ROBESON WAS ACTIVE IN THE LAST PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN OF THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY, WHOSE CANDIDATE WAS HENRY A.WALLACE.

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(220)
MC KEESPORT,PA., AUG.4-(AP)-ONE MAN WAS ARRESTED AND ANOTHER ESCORTED FROM THIS WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA COMMUNITY YESTERDAY AFTER THEY PROTESTED THE PASSAGE OF AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING COMMUNISTS TO REGISTER WITH POLICE.
THE MAN ARRESTED WAS LISTED BY POLICE AS STEVE NELSON OF PITTSBURGH, CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA. HE WAS CHARGED WITH DISORDERLY CONDUCT AND RESISTING ARREST, SPENT SEVERAL HOURS IN JAIL AND THEN WAS RELEASED IN $35 (CQ) BAIL FOR A HEARING TODAY.
LATER, NELSON FAILED TO SHOW UP AT THE HEARING AND FORFEITED THE $35.

DAVE GRANT, ALSO OF PITTSBURGH, WAS ESCORTED BY POLICE TO THE CITY LIMITS. HE WAS NOT ARRESTED.
WHEN COUNCIL CALLED FOR THE THIRD AND FINAL READING OF THE ORDINANCE, GRANT PROTESTED IT "AS AN AMERICAN VETERAN AND ON BEHALF OF CIVIL LIBERTIES."
MAYOR CHARLES A.KINKAID, AUTHOR OF THE ORDINANCE, ASKED HIM IF HE WAS A COMMUNIST AND GRANT REPLIED:
"YES, I AM.
MAYOR KINKAID THEN DIRECTED POLICE TO ESCORT HIM OUT OF TOWN. GRANT DID NOT PROTEST.
HOWEVER, NELSON LEAPED TO HIS FEET AND STARTED TO SPEAK AGAINST THE ORDINANCE. MAYOR KINKAID ASKED NELSON IF HE WAS A COMMUNIST. NELSON REPLIED:
"YES, I AM."
WHEN NELSON CONTINUED TO TALK, KINKAID SAID: "WE ARE NOT GOING TO GIVE YOU AN OPPORTUNITY TO BROADCAST YOUR PROPAGANDA HERE." THE MAYOR THEN ORDERED POLICE TO "TAKE THIS COMMUNIST OUT."
NELSON REFUSED TO LEAVE AND WAS FORCIBLY EJECTED. POLICE TOOK HIM TO JAIL WHERE THE CHARGES WERE PREFERRED.
MAYOR KINKAID SAID THE ORDINANCE WOULD BECOME EFFECTIVE IN 10 DAYS. IT REQUIRES ALL COMMUNISTS TO REGISTER WITH POLICE. THE PENALTY IS A $100 FINE AND/OR 30 DAYS IN JAIL.
"WE ARE GOING TO TREAT COMMUNISTS IN MC KEESPORT JUST AS AMERICANS WOULD BE TREATED IN MOSCOW IF THEY VIOLATED RUSSIAN LAWS," SAID THE MAYOR.
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A221 WX
NIGHT LEAD H-BOMB
WASHINGTON,AUG 4-(AP)-THE HYDROGEN BOMB PROJECT IS INVOLVED IN THE GOVERNMENT'S NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE DU PONT COMPANY FOR THE CONSTRUCTIONS OF "ADVANCED DESIGN" ATOMIC INSTALLATIONS, SENATOR MCMAHON CONFIRMED TODAY.
MCMAHON, A CONNECTICUT DEMOCRAT, IS CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE. HE MADE THE DISCLOSURE AFTER THE COMMITTEE HAD CONFERRED BEHIND CLOSED DOORS WITH CRAWFORD GREENWALT, PRESIDENT OF THE DU PONT COMPANY, WHOSE HEADQUARTERS ARE AT WILMINGTON, DEL.
THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION ANNOUNCED WEDNESDAY THAT THE HUGE CHEMICAL CONCERN HAD BEEN SELECTED TO DESIGN, CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE SOME PLANTS OF ADVANCED DESIGN WHICH, THE COMMISSION SAID, "CAN BE USED EITHER FOR WEAPONS OR FOR FUELS POTENTIALLY USEFUL FOR POWER PURPOSES."
THIS GUARDED ANNOUNCEMENT WAS INTERPRETED AT THE TIME AS POSSIBLY INDICATING AN INTENSIFIED DRIVE FOR PERFECTION OF A HYDROGEN WEAPON.
THAT'S RIGHT, MCMAHON SAID; THE PURPOSE OF THE CONTRACT BEING NEGOTIATED WITH DU PONT IS "TO FURTHER PROGRESS OF THE HYDROGEN BOMB PROJECT."
HE SAID THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE APPROVED OF THE CONTRACT, WHICH HE SAID PROBABLY WILL BE INITIALED WITHIN TWO WEEKS. HE SAID IT PROVIDES THAT THE COMPANY WILL BE REIMBURSED FOR ITS COSTS AND PAID A NOMINAL FEE OF $1.
MCMAHON SAID IT HASN'T BEEN DECIDED WHERE THE PLANTS WILL BE BUILT. FACTORS WHICH WILL INFLUENCE THE SELECTION, HE SAID, ARE CLOSENESS TO A TOWN, LARGE SUPPLIES OF WATER AND INVULNERABILITY TO ATTACK.
PREVIOUSLY THE COMMITTEE HAD SAID THAT THE INSTALLATIONS MIGHT REQUIRE AS MUCH AS 200,000 ACRES--AN AREA MORE THAN 20 BY 15 MILES.

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(170)
NIGHT LEAD FLYING ARROW
NEW YORK, AUG 4-(AP)-CAPT. DAVID A. JONES, SKIPPER OF THE FREIGHTER FLYING ARROW, WAS ORDERED TODAY TO BE CAREFUL OF HIS CONDUCT AT SEA OR HAVE HIS MASTER'S LICENSE SUSPENDED.
A COAST GUARD HEARING FOUND HIM GUILTY OF TWO OF FOUR CHARGES BROUGHT BY CREW MEMBERS ASA RESULT OF INCIDENTS THAT O

BROUGHT BY CREW MEMBERS AS A RESULT OF INCIDENTS THAT OCCURRED SOME MONTHS AFTER THE ISBRANDTSEN LINE VESSEL WAS SHELLED BY CHINESE NATIONALIST GUNBOATS OFF SHANGHAI.
EXAMINER JULIUS J. ROSEN ORDERED JONES' LICENSE SUSPENDED FOR SIX MONTHS BUT SAID THE SUSPENSION WOULD NOT TAKE EFFECT UNLESS ADDITIONAL CHARGES WERE BROUGHT AGAINST JONES AND PROVED WITHIN A YEAR.
HE FOUND JONES GUILTY OF PERMITTING A LIFEBOAT TO BE IMPROPERLY EQUIPPED WHILE FLYING ARROW WAS AT SE-,$ 48'¢8

EQUIPPED WHILE FLYING ARROW WAS AT SEA, AND RISKING THE SAFETY OF TWO SEAMEN BY ORDERING THEM TO WORK ON A STACK NEAR A STEAM WHISTLE WHILE THE VESSEL WAS UNDERWAY.
ROSEN SAID THERE WAS INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE TO PROVE TWO OTHER CHARGES AGAINST JONES--THAT HE BEAT UP A TURKISH STOWAWAY AND USED BRUTAL LANGUAGE TO A CREW MEMBER INJURED AT SEA.
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B43 (200)
NEW YORK, AUG 4-(AP)-UNION OFFICIALS AND CONTRACTORS REACHED AGREEMENT TODAY ON TERMS AIMED AT SETTLING A FIVE-DAY PAINTERS STRIKE WHICH HAS DELAYED SOME WORK ON "MOTHBALL FLEET" VESSELS DESTINED FOR KOREAN WAR SHIPPING.
A WAGE INCREASE OF 7 1/2 CENTS AN HOUR OFFERED BY THE CONTRACTORS WAS ACCEPTED BY UNION OFFICIALS. THE AGREEMENT, HOWEVER, MUST BE RATIFIED BY MEMBERS OF THE STRIKING UNION, LOCAL 679 OF THE AFL BROTHERHOOD OF PAINTERS.
THE AGREEMENT WAS ANNOUNCED BY FEDERAL MEDIATOR J.R. MANDELBAUM.
THE STRIKE BEGAN MONDAY WHEN 700 MEMBERS OF THE UNION QUIT WORK AT PIERS IN HOBOKEN, N.J., AND NEW YORK CITY WHERE SHIPS ARE BEING REFITTED FOR USE IN KOREA.
THEY DEMANDED A 15 1/2-CENTS-PER-HOUR PAY BOOST.
MANDELBAUM SAID THE 7 1/2-CENTS RAISE WOULD ESTABLISH A NEW HOURLY BASE RATE OF $$1.72.
THE NEW ONE-YEAR CONTRACT OFFER ALSO CONTAINS OTHER BENEFITS, HE SAID, SUCH AS MORE UNION REPRESENTATION ON THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF A WELFARE FUND.
AGREEMENT, WAS REACHED AFTER AN ALL-DAY CONFERENCE BETWEEN REPRESENTATIVES OF LARGE CONTRACTORS IN THE MARINE PAINTERS ASSOCIATION AND UNION NEGOTIATORS.
MANDELBAUM SAID THE AGREEMENT IS EXPECTED TO BE RATIFIED BY THE UNION MEMBERSHIP AND THAT SOME PAINTERS MAY BE BACK AT THEIR JOBS TOMORROW. WITH THE REST RETURNING ON MONDAY.

THE NUMBER OF SHIPS INVOLVED IN THE WORK STOPPAGE HAS NOT BEEN DISCLOSED.
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B50KX (Q)
NIGHT LEAD (230)
SEATTLE,AUG.4-(AP)-SHORT FOUR MEN IN ITS STEWARD DEPARTMENT, THE STEAMSHIP ALASKA SAILED FROM SEATTLE TODAY AFTER A 24 HOUR DELAY OVER COAST GUARD SCREENING OF PERSONNEL FOR SECURITY REASONS.
THE SAILING FOLLOWED CAPITULATION OF THE CIO MARINE COOKS AND STEWARDS UNION TO ALASKA STEAMSHIP COMPANY DEMANDS THAT ITS MEMBERS SUBMIT TO THE SCREENING OR BE FIRED.
TODAY'S SETTLEMENT, TERMED TEMPORARY BY BOTH PARTIES, WAS REACHED IN LENGTHY PARLEYS BETWEEN COMPANY OFFICIALS AND UNION REPRESENTATIVES SENT FROM SAN FRANCISCO. IT WAS AGREED THAT FURTHER DISCUSSIONS OF THE MATTER WILL BE HELD MONDAY IN SAN FRANCISCO BETWEEN THE UNION OFFICIALS AND THE PACIFIC MARITIME ASSOCIATION DIRECTORS.
THE COMPANY YESTERDAY DISMISSED THE 65 STEWARDS SUPPOSED TO BE SIGNED ON ON THE ALASKA WHEN THEY OBJECTED TO SURRENDERING THEIR PAPERS TO THE COAST GUARD FOR THE SECURITY CHECK. THE ALASKA HAS BEEN HELD IN PORT WHILE THE MATTER WAS ARGUED.
ONLY 62 MEN REPORTED FOR WORK BEFORE THE VESSEL CAST OFF AT 2:05 P.M. ONE OF THESE WAS REJECTED BY THE COAST GUARD AS A POOR SECURITY RISK. THERE WAS INSUFFICIENT TIME TO ROUND UP THE FOUR MEN NEEDED, COMPANY OFFICIALS SAID.
THE LINE'S STEAMSHIP BARANOF IS SCHEDULED TO SAIL TOMORROW UNDER THE TRUCE. STEWARDS ARE BEING SIGNED UP TODAY FOR THE VOYAGE AND THEIR PAPERS TURNED OVER TO THE COAST GUARD FOR THE SECURITY CHECKS.
THE SECURITY PROGRAM WAS AGREED UPON LAST WEEK IN WASHINGTON, D.C., DURING A CONFERENCE ATTENDED BY A MAJORITY OF THE MARITIME UNIONS. THE CIO STEWARDS UNION DID NOT PARTICIPATE.
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B20WX (Q)
(170) AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, AUG. 4-(AP)-SENATOR CHAPMAN (D-KY) WAS TOLD TODAY THAT AUSTRIAN AND FRENCH AUTHORITIES SAY THEY HAVE FOUND NO TRACE OF DR. J. PROCTOR KNOTT OF CENTRE COLLEGE, DANVILLE, KY.
DR.KNOTT WAS REPORTED MISSING IN AUSTRIA BY A TRAVEL COMPANION, MARK ADAMS OF STANDFORD, KY. ADAMS, A CENTRE COLLEGE SENIOR, WAS QUOTED IN KENTUCKY AS HAVING WRITTEN FRIENDS THAT THE PROFESSOR DISAPPEARED IN BREGENN, AUSTRIA.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISED CHAPMAN, AN AIDE TO THE SENATOR TOLD A REPORTER, THAT IN RESPONSE TO ITS REQUEST THAT A CHECK BE MADE ON THE REPORT, WORD CAME BACK THAT DR. KNOTT COULD NOT BE LOCATED. THE AUSTRIAN AND FRENCH AUTHORITIES SAID THEY COULD NOT FIND THAT HE HAD BEEN RECORDED AS HAVING BEEN AT ANY PUBLIC PLACE.
A COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROFESSOR AND ALL OTHER AVAILABLE INFORMATION WHICH MIGHT AID IN THE SEARCH WAS ASKED BY THE FRENCH AND AUSTRIANS, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID, AND ADDED IT WAS CABLING WHAT IT HAD AT ONCE.
ADAMS WAS QUOTED IN KENTUCKY AS HAVING WRITTEN THAT HE LEFT DR. KNOTT OUTSIDE THE RAILROAD STATION AT BREGENN FOR A FEW MINUTES AND WHEN HE RETURNED COULD FIND NO TRACE OF HIM.
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(150)
DAYTON, O., AUG.4-(AP)-THE AIRFORCE'S NEWEST AND BIGGEST GLIDER IS NEARING THE END OF SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT TESTS AT WRIGHT-PATTERSON BASE.
MAJ.FLOYD SWEET, CHIEF OF THE AIR MATERIEL COMMAND'S GLIDER BRANCH, SAID TODAY THE MOTORLESS CRAFT CAN CARRY A FULLY-LOADED 2 1/2 TON TRUCK, OR 60 FULLY EQUIPPED COMBAT TROOPS.
IT TAKES A CREW OF THREE TO OPERATE, BUT IT IS NOT NECESSARY FOR THE PILOT TO SEE THE TOW PLANE IN FLIGHT. THAT'S BECAUSE THE GLIDER IS EQUIPPED WITH ALL-WEATHER INSTRUMENTS.
BORN THE XG20 FIVE YEARS AGO, THE HUGE CRAFT IS KNOWN OFFICIALLY AS A HEAVY ASSAULT CARGO GLIDER. SWEET SAID IT WAS DESIGNED TO MEET NEEDS OF THE ARMED SERVICES FOR A 16,000 POUND CARGO-CARRIER.
THE GLIDER HAS A 110-FOOT WING SPAN. THE CARGO COMPARTMENT IS 35 FEET LONG, MORE THAN NINE FEET WIDE AND EIGHT HIGH. REAR DOORS DROP DOWN TO FORM A LOADING RAMP. AS AN AIR AMBULANCE, ITS CAPACITY IS 50 LITTER PATIENTS AND SIX ATTENDANTS.
A FOUR-ENGINE C54 PLANE HAS BEEN TOWING THE GLIDER IN RECENT TESTS.
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WASHINGTON, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY GRANTED A $15,000,000 (M) CREDIT TO SAUDI ARABIA TO DEVELOP TRANSPORTATION, POWER, HEALTH, SANITATION FACILITIES AND AGRICULTURE.
THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK, WHICH WILL PAY OUT THE FUNDS, SAID THEY ARE TO BE REPAID IN 15 YEARS.
EARLIER THIS WEEK, THE U.S. PROMISED AN EXPORT-IMPORT BANK LOAN TO ANOTHER OIL-RICH MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRY, IRAN, WHICH HAS BEEN A SOURCE OF WORRY TO THE U.S. AS A POTENTIAL TARGET FOR RUSSIAN AGGRESSION.
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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 6--EIGHT HUNDRED ENEMY TROOPS TODAY FORCED A CROSSING OF THE VITAL NAKTONG RIVER LINE AND A BATTLE NOW IS RAGING ON THIS FRONT ABOUT 31 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THIS WAS REPORTED BY ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P. KING IN A FIELD DISPATCH. HE SAID MOST OF THE ENEMY CROSSED LAST NIGHT. THIS MORNING THEY WERE ENGAGED BY ABOUT AN EQUAL NUMBER OF TROOPS OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID FIGHTING ALSO BROKE OUT THIS MORNING AT CHINDONG, 30 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN. THE SIZE OF THE ATTACKERS WAS NOT GIVEN.

THE RIVER CROSSING RAISED A POTENTIAL FLANKING THREAT TO TAEGU, THE FRONTLINE SUPPLY BASE 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN, THE BEACHHEAD PORT. THE CROSSING POINT WAS AT CHIRHYON, 41 MILES NORTHWEST OF Pusan.

THE CROSSING AND THE FIGHTING AT CHINDONG BROKE AN OMINOUS LULL ON THE FRONT.

THE ONLY MAJOR ACTION YESTERDAY WAS ON THE SOUTH KOREAN PART OF THE FRONT NORTH OF TAEGU.

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AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID TWO (CORRECT) ENEMY BATTALIONS HAD CROSSED AT AN UNDEFENDED PART OF THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT ABOUT 35 OR 40 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

EACH TIME, THE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS IN THE HILLS LET THE ENEMY SLIP THROUGH, THEN CLOSED IN AND "ANNIHILATED" THEM, A COMMUNIQUE SAID.

LEIF ERICKSON, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, SAID POSSIBLY 1,600 OF THE ENEMY WERE KILLED.

THERE WAS AGGRESSIVE PATROLLING ELSEWHERE BY BOTH SIDES ON THE 140-MILE FRONT. THE BIG BLOW TO DRIVE THE AMERICANS FROM SOUTHEAST KOREA WAS EXPECTED HOURLY. AND FIGHTING IN THE SOUTH MAY BE IT.

AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID THE REDS WERE BUILDING UP STRENGTH ON THE NORTHWEST PART OF THZ FRONT OPPOSITE THE HINGE POSITION BETWEEN THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY DEFENDING THE NORTHERN LINE AND THE U.S. TROOPS HOLDING THE LONGER WESTERN LINE ALONG THE NAKTONG.

SO FAR AS IS KNOWN, THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO GET TANKS OR INFANTRY IN ANY STRENGTH ACROSS THE WIDE RIVER BARRIER.

BUT THE TWO MAJOR BLOWS ARE EXPECTED TO FALL FARTHER SOUTH ON REINFORCED U.S. POSITIONS IN THE SHRINKING BEACHHEAD OF SOUTHEAST KOREA. THE BEACHHEAD NOW IS 50 MILES WIDE BY ABOUT 100 MILES LONG.

NEVERTHELESS, THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID THE ENEMY WAS THROWING ELEMENTS ACROSS THE NAKTONG AT THE HINGE POSITION, WHICH IS ABOUT 35 OR 40 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THE LATTER IS THE FRONTLINE SUPPLY CITY 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF THE BEACHHEAD PORT OF PUSAN.

IT WAS IN THE HILLS TO THE NORTH OF TAEGU THAT THE ENEMY BATTALION, POSSIBLY 500 TO 1,000 MEN, WALKED INTO A SOUTH KOREAN TRAP, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

THE SOUTH KOREANS, WELL DUG INTO HILL POSITIONS, LET THE BATTALION THROUGH, THEN CLOSED IN AND "ANNIHILATED IT" IN THE WORDS OF THE COMMUNIQUE.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY SAID THE SOUTHERNERS HAD KILLED 1,000 OF THE ENEMY IN THE PAST 24 HOURS. THIS PRESUMABLY WAS ON ALL PARTS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT.

MAJOR PATROL ACTIVITY MARKED THE FRONT WHERE THE AMERICANS HOLD THE RIVER LINE FROM A POINT NORTH OF TAEGU SOUTHWARD NEARLY 100 MILES TO THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA.

A FIELD DISPATCH SAID ENEMY AND AMERICAN PATROLS WERE ACTIVE ALONG THE RIVER SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. ONE OF THE MAJOR ENEMY ATTACKS IS EXPECTED HERE.

THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION ON THIS SECTOR STILL HAS NO REPORT OF LARGE NORTH KOREAN FORCES REACHING THE RIVER'S WEST BANK, THE EIGHTH ARMY REPORTED.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P. KING WITH THE 24TH SAID TWO ENEMY PLATOONS OF FROM 50 TO 60 MEN CROSSED THE RIVER IN BOATS AND RAFTS NEAR CHIRHYON, 35 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. THEY VANISHED INTO THE HILLS BEFORE THEY COULD BE BROUGHT UNDER AERIAL ATTACK.

THREE OTHER ENEMY PATROLS WERE SEEN CROSSING THE RIVER ON THIS PART OF THE FRONT. THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID ONE COMPANY OF COMMUNISTS HAD "PENETRATED" THE AREA BUT WAS BEING REPULSED. THIS PRESUMABLY REFERRED TO AN ENEMY RIVER CROSSING.

THE OTHER BIG ENEMY ATTACK IS EXPECTED ALONG THE SOUTH COAST, WHERE THE 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION HOLDS POSITIONS ABOUT 35 MILES WEST OF PUSAN. FOUR ENEMY DIVISIONS ARE MASSING THERE.

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THE ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID ONE AMERICAN COMPANY ATTACKED A TOWN, FOUND IT UNOCCUPIED, AND IN RETURNING FOUND IT WAS CUT OFF. IT WAS FIGHTING ITS WAY OUT AND A RELIEVING UNIT WAS ALSO MOVING UP TO HELP IN EXTRICATING IT.

THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SWAPPED PATROL PUNCHES WITH THE NORTH KOREANS BEYOND THE NAKTONG, WEST AND NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE OF A SIZABLE ENEMY BUILDUP ON THIS SECTOR.

MACARTHUR'S RELEASE SAID THE WHOLE FRONT HAD REMAINED RELATIVELY STABILIZED DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS.

LIKE THE ENEMY, THE AMERICANS WERE TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THIS LONGEST LULL IN THE KOREAN WAR TO INCREASE THEIR STRENGTH FOR THE BIG BATTLE TO COME.

THE NORTH KOREANS, IN A DESPERATE BID TO WIN THE RACE AGAINST TIME, WERE MOVING DARINGLY IN THE DAYLIGHT DESPITE THE THREAT OF THE AERIAL WRATH THEY CAN EXPECT FROM SUPERIOR ALLIED AIR POWER. THE ENEMY EARLIER HAD BEEN FORCED TO MOVE MOSTLY BY NIGHT.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE ENEMY'S POTENTIAL FOR RENEWED BLOWS WAS BEING SAPPED SYSTEMATICALLY BY CONSTANT AIR AND NAVY ATTACKS.

THE NORTH KOREANS APPEARED TO BE MEETING BATTLE CASUALTIES BY FORCIBLE CONSCRIPTION, A MACARTHUR SPOKESMAN SAID. HE REFERRED TO A NORTH KOREAN BROADCAST BOASTING--PROBABLY WITH EXAGGERATION--THAT 1,300,000 MEN HAD BEEN ENROLLED IN THE ARMY SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE WAR AND WOMEN HAD "VOLUNTEERED" TO WORK IN MINES AND FACTORIES.

ALLIED WARPLANES TURNED THEIR ATTENTION YESTERDAY TO THE NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE, WHICH HAS BEEN UNABLE TO MAKE ITSELF FELT SO FAR IN THE WAR.

FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS SAID 14 ENEMY PLANES WERE DESTROYED OR DAMAGED ON THE GROUND. OTHER WARPLANES FLYING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS BLASTED AWAY AT TARGETS BEHIND THE LINES.

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A FOCAL POINT FOR AERIAL AND NAVAL ASSAULT WAS SEOUL, THE FALLEN SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL, AND ITS PORT OF INCHON. BOTH ARE MAJOR STAGING POINTS FOR THE MOVEMENT OF ENEMY TROOPS AND SUPPLIES FROM NORTH KOREA TO THE FIGHTING FRONT.

B-29 SUPERFORTS HAMMERED AWAY AT SEOUL'S RAILROAD YARDS YESTERDAY FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY, LEAVING THE TARGET IN FLAMES. FIGHTER PLANES STRAFED ENEMY PLANES ON SEOUL'S KIMPO AIRFIELD.

OFFSHORE, TWO BRITISH CRUISERS AND TWO DESTROYERS BLASTED INCHON

FOR TWO HOURS WITH WHAT SPOTTERS SAID WERE "EXCELLENT" RESULTS.
ON THE EAST COAST, U.S.WARSHIPS LAID DOWN A STEADY CURTAIN OF FIRE ON ENEMY LINES ABOUT A MILE IN FRONT OF SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS STATIONED NORTH OF YONGDOK IS THE ANCHOR CITY 80 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN.
THE SOUTH KOREAN AND AMERICAN FORCES WERE BRACED FOR THE MAJOR TEST ALONG THE BEST LINE THEY HAVE YET HELD.
THE SOUTH KOREANS MANNING THE 50-MILE-LONG NORTHERN LINE ARE IN STOUT HILL POSITIONS.
THE AMERICANS ON THE WEST GENERALLY HOLD A LINE BEHIND THE NAKTONG.
IN THE SOUTHERN CRISIS AREA, HOWEVER, THE RIVER CURVES SHARPLY EASTWARD, SO THE AMERICAN LINE LEAVES IT AND MARCHES SOUTH ACROSS THE MARSHY COASTAL PLAIN.
IT WAS IN THAT SOUTHERNMOST SPOT THAT THE REDS WERE MASSING THEIR GREATEST STRENGTH.
TAKING ADVANTAGE OF A RAINSTORM SATURDAY AFTERNOON, THEY ALSO MADE UNOPPOSED CROSSINGS OF THE NAKTONG IN THE MOUNTAINOUS NORTH. SOUTH KOREANS HAD MADE A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL TO RIDGES THERE, AND THE EMEMY CROSSINGS EAST AND SOUTHEAST OF SANGJU WERE NOT REGARDED AS AN IMMEDIATE THREAT.
THIS WAS NEAR THE HINGE OF THE DEFENSE LINES, WHERE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES JOIN.
MOST IMMEDIATE DANGER POINTS WERE IN THE SOUTH AND CENTER.
THE REDS HAD THREE DIVISIONS IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR AND FOUR OF THEIR FINEST IN THE SOUTH.
THESE COULD DEVELOP SIMULTANEOUS STRIKES AT TAEGU IN THE CENTER AND TOWARDS THE VITAL PORT OF PUSAN IN THE SOUTH.
TWIN ASSAULTS WERE EXPECTED AT ANY MOMENT. EXCEPT FOR THE VICIOUS GIVE AND TAKE OF LIMITED RAIDS, MAINLY IN THE SOUTH AND INVOLVING THE U.S. 27TH AND 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENTS, THE FRONT HAD BEEN RELATIVELY QUIET FOR THREE DAYS. AP CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON NOTED FROM EIGHTH U.S. ARMY FIELD HEADQUARTERS THAT THIS WAS ONE OF THE LONGEST LULLS SINCE THE RED INVASION BEGAN JUNE 25.
A TOKYO HEADQUARTERS RELEASE SAID, HOWEVER, THE ENEMY HAD SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN THE SOUTHERN FIGHTING A SCORE OF MILES EAST OF CHINJU. IGNORING THE CASUALTIES, THE REDS PRESSED THEIR BUILDUP THERE, AT POINTS WITHIN 35 AIR MILES OF PUSAN, THE U.S. SUPPLY PORT THAT IS THE KEY TO WHAT IS LEFT OF UNITED NATIONS-DEFENDED SOUTH KOREA.
THE NORTH KOREAN 15TH DIVISION WAS REPORTED MOVING UP ON THAT FRONT TO JOIN THE FIRST, FOURTH AND SIXTH DIVISIONS, ALREADY IN POSITION.

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IN THE CENTER, THE REDS WERE CONCENTRATING ALONG THE WEST BANKS OF THE NAKTONG NEAR WAEGWAN, 15 MILES FROM TAEGU.
DESPITE THE RAIN, U.S. TACTICAL PLANES AND ARTILLERY KNOCKED OUT FIVE RED TANKS SIGHTED IN THAT SECTOR, WHILE ARTILLERY POUNDED ACROSS THE RIVER AT RED TROOPS.
THE NORTH KOREANS STROVE TO REPAIR A BLASTED BRIDGE ACROSS THE NAKTONG AT HYOPCHON, 14 MILES SOUTHEAST OF TAEGU, BUT AN AIR STRIKE DISRUPTED THEIR EFFORTS.
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DISRUPTED THEIR EFFORTS.
MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS RELEASE RAISED THE POSSIBILITY THAT THOSE CENTRAL FORCES MIGHT SUDDENLY SHIFT TO THE SOUTH FOR THE BIG PUSH. IT WARNED, HOWEVER, THAT THE CENTRAL BUILDUP WAS CONTINUING UNDIMINISHED FOR A BLOW AT TAEGU, MAIN FORWARD U.S. BASE.

IN THE NORTH, THE COMMUNIST CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG WAS MADE IN AN UNDEFENDED AREA NEAR SANGJU, IN THE NORTHWESTERN CORNER OF THE BEACHHEAD.
A DISPATCH FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID THAT IF THE REDS ELECTED TO BUILD UP A STRIKING FORCE THERE, IT COULD LATER DEVELOP INTO A THREAT TO AMERICAN RIGHT AND SOUTH KOREAN LEFT FLANKS.
SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WERE PULLED BACK FROM THE AREA RECENTLY UNDER AMERICAN ORDERS. THE REPUBLICAN TROOPS NOW ARE BETTER SITUATED ALONG A RIDGE AND MOUNTAIN PASS.
THE EIGHTH ARMY DID NOT MENTION THE SIZE OF THE RED FORCE THAT CROSSED THE NAKTONG.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S RELEASE, IN AN APPARENT REFERENCE TO THE CROSSING, SAID HOWEVER "NO (NAKTONG RIVER) CROSSINGS HAVE BEEN MADE IN FORCE."
THE AIR FORCE FLEW A RECORD 550 SORTIES IN A 24-HOUR PERIOD THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, AND MOST OF THESE WERE AIMED AT THE COMMUNIST CONCENTRATIONS ON THE WESTERN AND SOUTHERN FRONTS.
FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS DESTROYED FOUR VILLAGES NEAR CHINJU ON THE SOUTH. THE VILLAGES WERE FIRED WITH NAPALM BOMBS, MADE OF JELLIED GASOLINE WHICH SCATTERS AND BURNS UPON CONTACT.
IN ADDITION TO THE FOUR TANKS DESTROYED ON THE WESTERN FRONT ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER FROM WAEGWAN, THE AIR FORCE KNOCKED OUT THREE OTHER TANKS AND DAMAGED SEVEN IN THE DAY-NIGHT OPERATIONS.
BIG B-29 BOMBERS SATURDAY PLASTERED THE RAILROAD YARDS AT SEOUL RED-HELD KOREAN CAPITAL, WITH 100 TONS OF BOMBS. THEY LEFT THE AREA IN FLAMES.
A U.S. B-26 LIGHT BOMBER SANK A 10,000-TON ENEMY FREIGHTER-TRANSPORT IN THE INCHON HARBOR WEST OF SEOUL IN ONE OF SEVERAL STRIKES AT COMMUNIST SHIPPING FACILITIES.
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FOURTH LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP
BY DON HUTH
TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 6-(AP)-MOVING DESPERATELY BY DAYLIGHT, THE RED INVADERS OF SOUTH KOREA MADE AN UNOPPOSED CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE NORTHERN SECTOR SATURDAY AND JAMMED FRESH MASSES OF MEN AGAINST AMERICAN POSITIONS IN THE CENTER AND SOUTH.
A KOREAN RELEASE BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TOKYO HEADQUARTERS AT 12:50 A.M. TODAY (9:50 A.M., SATURDAY, EST) SAID LIMITED COUNTER-ATTACKS AND PATROL ACTIONS BY U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE DEFENSE AREA SATURDAY NIGHT KEPT THE ENEMY "OFF BALANCE."
HOWEVER, THE RELEASE SAID, "THE ENEMY HAS CONTINUED TO SHUTTLE TROOPS AND MATERIEL DURING THE DAYLIGHT HOURS, THEREBY PROVIDING EXCELLENT TARGETS FOR ARTILLERY AND AIRCRAFT.
"THIS INDICATES THAT THE REDS ARE DESPERATELY STRIVING FOR A MAIN EFFORT AND AN ALL-OUT ATTEMPT TO BREAK THROUGH THE NEW DEFENSE LINES."
THE RELEASE ALSO REPORTED HEAVY LOSSES BY THE NORTH KOREAN INVADERS IN REPEATED ASSAULTS AGAINST THE U.S. 27TH AND 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENTS IN THE CHINJU SECTOR NEAR THE SOUTHERN TIP OF THE LINE. FIELD DISPATCHES AND BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID THESE OCCURRED FRIDAY AND FRIDAY NIGHT.
APPARENTLY REFERRING TO THE DEFENDED PART OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, TO WHICH THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS WITHDREW EARLIER IN THE

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WEEK, MACARTHUR'S RELEASE SAID "NO CROSSINGS HAVE BEEN MADE IN FORCE" BY THE REDS.

FIELD DISPATCHES DECLARED THAT SATURDAY THE ENEMY IN UNDISCLOSED NUMBERS HAD CROSSED THE UPPER NORTHERN REACHES OF THE NAKTONG IN THE RAIN WITHOUT OPPOSITION.

THIS WAS IN A SECTOR WHERE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE FORCES MADE A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL TO A PREARRANGED RIDGE AND MOUNTAIN PASS LINE. IT WAS EAST AND SOUTHEAST OF SANGJU, IN THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE KOREAN DEFENSE BOX.

A DISPATCH FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID THIS CROSSING WAS NOT CONSIDERED AN IMMEDIATE MATERIAL THREAT. IF A BUILDUP CONTINUED THERE, HOWEVER, IT COULD DEVELOP INTO A THREAT TO THE AMERICAN RIGHT AND SOUTH KOREAN LEFT FLANKS.

MACARTHUR'S RELEASE AND ALL FRONT REPORTS POINTED TO AN IMMINENT DOUBLE-BARRELED DRIVE BY THE REDS IN THE SOUTH AND CENTRAL SECTORS.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SPECULATED THAT THE MAIN RED EFFORT MIGHT COME IN THE SOUTH, IN AN EFFORT TO SLASH THE PUSAN-TAEGU COMMUNICATIONS LINES OF THE DEFENDERS.

PUSAN IS THE ALL-IMPORTANT AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT 35 MILES EAST OF THE REDS' SOUTHERNMOST POSITIONS. TAEGU IS A FORWARD BASE 55 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN AND SHIELDED BY THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.

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THE NORTH KOREANS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE THREE DIVISIONS MASSED FOR A STRIKE ACROSS THE NAKTONG NEAR WAEGWAN, ONLY 15 MILES FROM TAEGU.

IN THE SOUTH, THEY BUILT UP FOUR DIVISIONS FOR THE BIG DRIVE TOWARDS PUSAN.

IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR AMERICAN PLANES BLASTED A LARGE ENEMY ARMORED FORCE ONE-HALF MILE WEST OF THE NAKTONG. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON SAID THE U.S. PLANES KNOCKED OUT FOUR OF FIVE TANKS MOVING NORTHEAST TOWARD WAEGWAN AND POUNDED RED ARTILLERY, TRUCKS AND TROOPS.

AMERICAN ARTILLERY ALSO HURLED SHELLS INTO THE CONVOY.

THE BIG COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE, LIKELY TO HIT AT TWO OR MORE POINTS SIMULTANEOUSLY, APPEARED AT HAND.

A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THAT WHEN THE REDS BEGAN MOVING THEIR FORCES IN DAYLIGHT ON EXPOSED ROADS IT WOULD SIGNAL THE NEARNESS OF THEIR OFFENSIVE.

FOR THE PAST FEW DAYS THEY HAD CONCEALED THEIR MOVEMENTS. NOW THEY WERE COMING INTO THE OPEN.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED THE SINKING FRIDAY OF A 10,000 TON NORTH KOREAN TRANSPORT AT INCHON, THE PORT OF SEOUL. LT. KENNETH J. APPEL OF MILWAUKEE, PILOT OF A LIGHT BOMBER, WAS CREDITED WITH A DIRECT HIT.

B-29S LASHED SEOUL FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY, LEAVING THE RAILROAD YARDS FLAMING AND SHROUDED IN SMOKE. THE MEDIUM BOMBERS PLASTERED THE RAIL CENTER WITH 100 TONS OF BOMBS, 20 TONS MORE THAN WERE DROPPED FRIDAY.

THE NEXT BIG COMMUNIST DRIVE WAS EXPECTED IN THE CRITICAL SOUTHERN SECTOR EAST OF CHINJU. THERE THE REDS HURLED FOUR PROBING ASSUALTS THURSDAY AND FRIDAY BUT WERE REPULSED WITH "HEAVY LOSSES."

THE REDS WERE REPORTED MASSING FOUR CRACK DIVISIONS FOR THE BIG PUSH IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR. THEY WERE ONLY 35 MILES FROM PUSAN, VITAL U.S. SUPPLY PORT.

"THE ENEMY MAY LAUNCH AN ATTACK EAST OF CHINJU TODAY," THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY SAID IN A COMMUNIQUE.

THE COMMUNISTS, EVIDENTLY IN SOME STRENGTH, WERE CONTINUING TO FEEL OUT THE DEFENSES EAST OF CHINJU. ALTHOUGH THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE REPORTED A "QUIET" FRONT FRIDAY, A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID:

THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION HURLED BACK TWO ATTACKS BETWEEN CHINJU AND MASAN WITH "HEAVY LOSSES" FRIDAY NIGHT. THIS IS IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR, WHERE TWO PREVIOUS RED ATTACKS THURSDAY COST THE NORTHERN KOREANS AN ESTIMATED 1,200 CASUALTIES.

ELEMENTS OF THE 15TH RED DIVISION WERE MOVING TOWARD THE SOUTHERN FRONT TO JOINE THE FIRST, FOURTH AND SIXTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS, ALREADY IDENTIFIED THERE.

MACARTHUR'S BRIEFING OFFICERS ALSO REPORTED--AS HAD EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS--A CONSIDERABLE CONCENTRATION OF RED FORCES ON THE CENTRAL SECTOR, EAST OF KUMCHON. HOWEVER, MACARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN SAID THE ENEMY COULD BUNCH THREE DIVISIONS FOR A FRONTAL ATTACK AIMED AT TAEGU, U.S. SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATIONS CENTER.

HE SAID THE REDS "MAY CONSIDER THEMSELVES STRONG ENOUGH OR DESPERATE ENOUGH TO TRY BOTH (INCLUDING THE DRIVE TOWARD PUSAN IN THE SOUTH) ATTACKS AT ONCE."

THE LACK OF MAJOR GROUND ACTION CONTRASTED SHARPLY FRIDAY TO THE WIDESPREAD STRIKES OF ALLIED WARPLANES.

LIKE ANGRY HORNETS, THEY SWARMED OVER RED SUPPLY LINES AND TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS IN THE LARGEST NUMBER OF SORTIES OF THE WAR--MORE THAN 550.

A PRIME TARGET WAS CHINJU, SPRINGBOARD FOR THE REDS' SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE AND 55 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN. USING NAPALM--JELLIED GASOLINE--BOMBS, ALLIED PILOTS STRUCK UNDAMAGED SECTORS OF THE CITY, SUSPECTED HIDING PLACES FOR TANKS AND GUNS.

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UNCHALLENGED BY ENEMY AIRCRAFT, FIGHTER PLANES OF THE AIR FORCE, U.S. MARINES AND AUSTRALIANS FLEW 452 SORTIES IN ATTACKS ON TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, COMMUNICATION LINES AND GUN POSITIONS.

ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID PATROLS WERE IN CONTINUOUS CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED THE COMMUNISTS WERE OBSERVED MASSING IN THAT AREA FRIDAY. HE SAID THE FIRST OBJECTIVE OF A RED DRIVE PROBABLY WOULD BE HIGH GROUND NEAR MASAN, ONLY 27 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

"SHOULD THAT FALL, THE AMERICAN DEFENDERS WOULD BE PUSHED BACK TO A POINT WHERE PUSAN WOULD BECOME AN ADVANCE SUPPLY BASE," ERICKSON ADDED.

FRONT DISPATCHES STILL YIELDED NO HINT EARLY SATURDAY AS TO WHERE THE MARINES WERE ALONG THE DEFENSE LINE, BUT AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED THEY FOUGHT A CONFUSED ENGAGEMENT AMONG THEMSELVES IN THE PRE-DAWN DARKNESS SATURDAY.

"THERE WERE MUTTERED THREATS BY OFFICERS THIS MORNING ABOUT WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF THE ESTIMATED SIX-HOUR 'BATTLE' WAS REPEATED," LAMBERT WROTE.

HE REPORTED ONE MARINE WAS KILLED.

ELSEWHERE ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE, THE NORTH KOREANS WERE MOVING UP BUT NEITHER THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY NOR THE 24TH DIVISIONS REPORTED ANY IMPORTANT CONTACT FRIDAY.

A SMALL ENEMY FORCED REACHED THE NAKTONG SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, IN THE 24TH DIVISION'S SECTOR, THE EIGHTH ARMY REPORTED. IT WAS STRAFED. AT THAT TIME, NO LARGE ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS WERE SIGHTED IN THAT

SECTOR.
FARTHER NORTH ON THE RIVER--ON THE WEST AND NORTH SIDES OF THE BOX-SHAPED ALLIED FOOTHOLD--KOREAN REPUBLICAN FORCES DUG IN ON NEW POSITIONS.
THEY WERE IN THE HILLS BACK OF THE RIVER, 35 MILES OR MORE NORTH AND NORTHEAST OF TAEGU.
ON THE NORTHEASTERN ANCHOR OF THE FRONT, NEAR YONGDOK, THE NORTH KOREANS WERE DESCRIBED AS SUFFERING HEAVY CASUALTIES IN A FUTILE ATTACK ON KOREAN REPUBLICAN FORCES. YONGDOK IS ON THE EAST COAST, 80 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN.
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FIRST LEAD CROSSING (280)
BY LEIF ERICKSON
AMERICAN EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS,AUG.5-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS HAVE CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER AT SEVERAL POINTS ON THE NORTHERN FRONT WITHOUT OPPOSITION, U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
THE CROSSINGS WERE MADE IN A SECTOR DEFENDED BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WHO PREVIOUSLY MADE A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL FROM THE RIVER LINE.
THE REDS MOVED OVER THE RIVER IN THE SANGJU AREA, THE NORTHWESTERN CORNER OF THE UNITED NATIONS' BOX-LIKE PERIMETER. HERE THE SOUTH KOREANS HAVE SET UP A NEW FRONT EAST AND SOUTH OF THE RIVER WHERE IT BENDS AT A RIGHT ANGLE. THE SOUTH KOREANS' NEW LINE IS FIXED ALONG A RIDGE AND MOUNTAIN PASS.
NORTH KOREANS SENT PATROLS PROBING ACROSS THE RIVER AND THEN FOLLOWED UP IN GREATER STRENGTH. THEIR FORCES WERE BUILDING UP THIS AREA.
THIS COULD DEVELOP INTO A COMMUNIST EFFORT TO CUT THROUGH THE AMERICAN RIGHT AND SOUTH KOREAN LEFT FLANKS, ABOUT 25 MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN.
THE EIGHTH ARMY DID NOT SAY HOW HEAVY A FORCE THE ENEMY HAS MASSED AT THIS POINT.
AN EXPECTED COMMUNIST ATTACK AGAINST 25TH DIVISION POSITIONS AT THE SOUTHERN END OF THE LINE, WHERE FOUR RED DIVISIONS ARE MASSING, FAILED TO DEVELOP. AMERICAN ARTILLERY SHELLED ENEMY ARTILLERY POSITIONS WHILE U.S. PLANES WATCHED MOVEMENTS OF THE REDS PREPARING FOR THE PUSH TOWARD THE AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.
THE NORTHERNERS STILL WERE MOVING IN REINFORCEMENTS. THE 25TH DIVISION DUG IN TO MEET THE EXPECTED ASSAULT.
AT A THIRD SPOT WHERE THE COMMUNISTS MAY TRY TO DRIVE THROUGH THE ALLIED LINES, FIVE ENEMY TANKS ROLLED UP TO WITHIN A HALF MILE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER AT WAEGWAN. PLANES KNOCKED OUT FOUR OF THEM AND THE FIFTH WAS REPORTED UNDER ATTACK.
WAEGWAN IS ON THE HIGHWAY 12 MILES FROM TAEGU, AMERICAN SUPPLY CENTER. AMERICAN ARTILLERY COULD BE HEARD FAINTLY IN TAEGU FRIDAY NIGHT. SHELLING RED ROUTES TO THE FRONT.
THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE REPORTED UNIDENTIFIED PLANES STRAFED UNITED NATIONS INSTALLATIONS FRIDAY NIGHT.
ONE OF THE AIR ATTACKS WAS AGAINST AMERICAN POSITIONS AROUND MASAN ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. THE OTHER WAS AGAINST A SECTOR OF THE NORTHERN FRONT HELD BY SOUTH KOREANS.
AMERICAN AIRMEN DROPPED LEAFLETS TO KOREAN REFUGEES TELLING THEM NOT TO CROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER. (THIS WAS AN OBVIOUS PRECAUTION AGAINST THE FAMILIAR INFILTRATION, IN WHICH COMMUNISTS DRESSED AS REFUGEES HAVE SLIPPED THROUGH AMERICAN LINES AND ATTACKED FROM THE REAR.) LEAFLETS TOLD THE REFUGEES TO TAKE TO THE HILLS WHERE SUPPLIES WOULD BE DROPPED TO THEM.
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BULLETIN
TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.6-(AP)-SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ANNIHILATED A COMMUNIST BATTALION THAT CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE NORTHERN FRONT, [redacted] HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
HEADQUARTERS SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE BUILDING UP CONSIDERABLE STRENGTH SOUTHEAST OF HAMCHANG AND HAD SENT OTHER ELEMENTS ACROSS THE WINDING RIVER LINE AGAINST SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS IN THAT AREA.
A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT 12:45 P.M. (9:45 P.M., E.S.T. SATURDAY) REPORTED NO LARGE ATTACKS BUT CONSIDERABLE PATROL ACTION WITH BOTH AMERICANS AND COMMUNISTS PROBING ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER.
ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT ONE AMERICAN COMPANY WAS REPORTED FIGHTING ITS WAY OUT OF A RED ENCIRCLEMENT.
THE SOUTH KOREANS ON THE NORTHERN FRONT LET THE RED BATTALION -- PERHAPS AS MANY AS 1,000 MEN -- CROSS THE NAKTONG AND PENETRATE TOWARD THE SOUTH KOREAN LINES WHICH ARE SEVERAL MILES SOUTH OF THE RIVER IN SOME PLACE.
THEN THE SOUTH KOREANS CLOSED IN AND SLASHED THE RED UNIT TO PIECES.
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FIRST LEAD PATROLS (240)
BY O.H.P.KING
WITH THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, SUNDAY,AUG.6-(AP)-KOREAN RED PATROLS IN PLATOON STRENGTH CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE TODAY AND DISAPPEARED INTO THE HILLS SOUTHWEST OF TABGU.
AN ESTIMATED FIVE PATROLS WERE SEEN CROSSING THE WINDING STREAM AT WIDELY SCATTERED POINTS ALONG A 40-MILE FRONT, BETWEEN HYONPUNG ON THE NORTH AND CHIRHYON ON THE SOUTH.
THE LATEST AND LARGEST PATROL, TWO PLATOONS OF 50 TO 60 MEN, CROSSED THE RIVER IN THREE BOATS AND ABOUT 20 RAFTS NEAR CHIRHYON, 35 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE AMERICAN SUPPLY CENTER OF TAEGU.
THAT PATROL WAS SPOTTED BY AIR OBSERVERS AT 7:55A.M.(4:55P.M., SATURDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME). NO TANKS WERE SEEN. THE NORTH KOREANS STARTED MOVING EAST ON A FAIRLY GOOD ROAD AND THEN DISAPPEARED INTO THE HILLS, A DIVISION SPOKESMAN SAID.
THEY WERE OBSERVED CHANGING INTO WHITE CIVILIAN CLOTHES AFTER CROSSING THE RIVER.
"WE'RE LOOKING FOR THEM NOW," THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.
THE NORTHERNMOST CROSSING WAS MADE BY ABOUT 30 REDS, JUST SOUTH OF HYONPUNG, 14 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THREE SMALLER PATROLS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE CROSSED THE NAKTONG BETWEEN THAT POINT AND THE CHIRHYON CROSSING.
AFTER THE SOUTHERN CROSSING, THE COMMUNISTS MOVED ONE FIELD GUN UP TO THE RIVER ON THE WEST BANK AND BEGAN SHELLING AMERICAN POSITIONS BEHIND THE NAKTONG. THE RED GUN WAS UNDER U.S.ARTILLERY FIRE AND AIR ATTACK.
MAJOR GEN.JOHN H.CHURCH, THE 24TH'S COMMANDER, SAID "APPROPRIATE STEPS" WERE BEING TAKEN TO DEAL WITH EACH OF THE PATROLS.
OBJECTIVE OF THE TWO-PLATOON PATROL APPARENTLY WAS TO ENCIRCLE AMERICAN MORTAR POSITIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN POUNDING THE REDS ON THE WEST BANK.
AIR OBSERVERS SPOTTED TWO COMMUNIST TROOP COLUMNS WEST OF THE RIVER NEAR CHIRHYON. NAVY CORSAIR FIGHTERS WENT AFTR THEM.
THE CORSAIRS FLUSHED THE REDS OUT OF HAYSTACKS AND WOODS WITH 20-MM. CANNON FIRE AND EIGHT 500-POUND BOMBS.
TO THE NORTH OF THE 24TH, THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION FRONT WEST AND NORTHWEST OF TAEGU WAS REPORTED QUIET THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT. THE REDS MADE NO ATTEMPTS TO CROSS THE RIVER.
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BY LEIF ERICKSON
AN AMERICAN AIR BASE IN KOREA,AUG.5-(AP)-AMERICAN AIRMEN KNOCKED OUT FOUR RED TANKS WITHIN HALF A MILE OF THE NEW U.S. NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE, RETURNING PILOTS REPORTED TODAY.
THE NORTH KOREAN TANKS WERE CAUGHT AT WAEGWAN, WITHIN 15 MILES OF TAEGU, CENTRAL AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS CENTER.
AMERICAN PLANES ALSO HEAVILY HIT A COLUMN OF RED TROOPS, ARTILLERY AND TRUCKS MOVING NORTHEAST TOWARD WAEGWAN. THIS WAS THE LARGEST FORCE REPORTED SO CLOSE TO THE DEFENSE LINE IN THAT AREA. THE STRIKE WAS REPORTED BY LT.A.K.HUTCHINSON OF NEW ORLEANS.
A FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION PATROL CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER AND PROBED SEVERAL MILES IN AN UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT TO CONTACT THE REDS.
THREE RED PATROLS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE CROSSED THE NAKTONG IN THE VICINITY OF WAEGWAN, BUT THERE WAS NO CONFIRMATION.
(AIRMEN REPORTED SIGHTING THESE RED FORCES SHORTLY AFTER BRIEFING OFFICERS AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO SAID THE COMMUNISTS COULD ASSEMBLE THREE DIVISIONS IN THIS AREA FOR A FRONTAL DRIVE AIMED AT TAEGU.)
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TOKYO,AUG.5-(AP)-A COMMUNIST BROADCAST FROM PYONGYANG TODAY SAID "NORTH KOREANS ARE ENGAGED IN A DECISIVE BATTLE WITH THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES" ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER, NEW U.S. DEFENSE LINE.
IT SAID THE REDS ARE USING PLANES.
THE BROADCAST COVERED A SUMMARY MADE BY THE RED ARMY COMMAND. IT SAID:
"THE NORTH KOREANS, WITH THE REINFORCEMENT OF AIR FORCES IN SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES, HAVE STARTED BOMBING AND DOING ITS UTMOST TO SEVER AMERICAN SUPPLY LINES, AND WITH ADDITIONAL POWER ARE SEVERELY ATTACKING ENEMY POSITIONS AND ENEMY INSTALLATIONS."
ON THE SOUTHERN SECTORS OF THE WESTERN FRONT, THE RADIO SAID, AMERICANS "ARE HEAVILY ATTACKING THE NORTH KOREANS FROM HIGH GROUND ALONG THE NAKTONG."
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MKOREAN SITUATIONER (480)
BY LEIF ERICKSON
U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 5-(AP)-U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES STABILIZED THEIR FRONT MORE FIRMLY DURING THE LAST WEEK WITH ARRIVAL OF MUCH-NEEDED REINFORCEMENTS.
ALLIED DEFENSES WERE ALSO STRENGTHENED BY WITHDRAWALS TO THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE TO THE WEST, AND TO A MOUNTAIN PASS DEFENSE LINE ON THE NORTH.
SINCE THE WITHDRAWALS WEDNESDAY NIGHT AND THURSDAY MORNING, KOREAN COMMUNISTS APPEARED TO NEED TIME TO BRING UP FORCES FOR THE RIVER CROSSING ASSAULT AIMED AT THE KEY BASE CITY OF TAEGU, 15 MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE MAIN HIGHWAY CROSSING AT WAEGWAN.
SINCE THEIR FOUR-BATTALION ATTACK EAST OF CHINJU WAS REPULSED THURSDAY BY THE AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION, THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS ON THE DEEP SOUTH FRONT ALSO APPEARED TO NEED MORE TIME TO BUILD UP A SPEARHEAD DRIVE FOR PUSAN, 40 MILES EAST OF THE AMERICAN DEFENSE LINE.
IN THREE FULL DAYS WITHOUT AN ATTACK ON THE DEFENDED NAKTONG LINE, THE AMERICANS HAVE HAD TIME TO DEPLOY, ORGANIZE AND PREPARE THEIR POSITIONS.
THERE WAS EVIDENCE THAT THE COMMUNISTS ARE SHIFTING REINFORCEMENTS TO THE CHINJU SECTOR AND WOULD MAKE THEIR BIGGEST PUSH TO CLOSE ON PUSAN ON THE SOUTH COAST. THE 25TH DIVISION EXPECTED A RED ATTACK THERE SATURDAY, BUT IT FAILED TO DEVELOP. HOWEVER, THE REDS WERE COMMITTED FULLY AND THEIR NEXT ATTACK COULD COME AT ANY MOMENT.
THE FIRST SHOTS FIRED IN WHAT MAY DEVELOP INTO A MAJOR BATTLE FOR THE VITAL BASE CITY OF TAEGU WERE U.S. ARTILLERY SHELLS. AMERICAN GUNS STARTED FIRING INTERDICTION ROUNDS FRIDAY NIGHT TO SLOW THE NIGHT-MOVING RED ADVANCE EASTWARD FROM FALLEN KUMCHON, WHERE CONSIDERABLE RED BUILDUP WAS OBSERVED.
FIVE RED TANKS REACHED THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER SATURDAY, SOUTH OF WAEGWAN. BUT THEY WERE KNOCKED OUT BY AIR STRIKES AND ARTILLERY BEFORE THEY COULD FIRE A SHOT.

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THE FIRST RED ARTILLERY SHELLS HITTING ACROSS THE NAKTONG WERE AIMED THURSDAY AFTERNOON AT THE TAEGU - CHANGMYONG HIGHWAY ABOUT 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. THE HIGHWAY CLOSELY SKIRTS THE NAKTONG RIVER THERE AND SHELLING CLOSED THE IMPORTANT U.S. SUPPLY ROAD.
BUT THE REDS DID NOT KEEP UP SHELLING FRIDAY OR SATURDAY. APPARENTLY THEY WEREN'T WASTING AMMUNITION BECAUSE THEY OBVIOUSLY HAD GOOD OBSERVATION THAT THE HIGHWAY NO LONGER WAS CARRYING TRAFFIC.
THE FIRST RED CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG ON ITS SOUTHERLY COURSE WERE MADE SATURDAY EAST AND SOUTHEAST OF SANGJU AGAINST NO OPPOSITION. THESE CROSSINGS WERE MADE 25 MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN IN THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY'S FRONT AREA WHERE PLANNED WITHDRAWALS ALREADY WERE MADE TO HILL POSITIONS.
BUT IF THOSE CROSSINGS WERE BUILT UP BY THE COMMUNISTS THEY COULD ORGANIZE A NEW THREAT TO TAEGU FROM THE NORTH IN AN ATTACK TRYING TO DRIVE THROUGH THE AMERICAN NORTH FLANK AND THE SOUTH KOREANS LEFT FLANK. BUT THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD GOOD MOUNTAIN DEFENSE TERRAIN TO HOLD NORTH OF TAEGU WITH SOME STONE RIDGES RISING 2,000 FEET ABOVE THE VALLEY FLOOR.
THREE-DAYS IS ONE OF THE KOREAN WAR'S LONGEST BATTLE LULLS. WHEN THE NEXT BATTLE STARTS, THE AMERICANS WILL MEET THE REDS ON A CLOSE TO EVEN TERMS ON THE GROUND AND STILL HAVE COMPLETE AIR MASTERY AND INCREASING AIR SUPPORT FOR GROUND TROOPS.
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THIRD NIGHT LEAD AERIAL (200)
TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 6-(AP)-ALLIED AIRCRAFT DESTROYED OR DAMAGED 14 COMMUNIST AIRCRAFT SATURDAY, BLASTED SEOUL'S RAILWAY YARDS FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY AND SHOT UP 49 RED VEHICLES IN 465 SORTIES, FAR EAST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY.
A SUMMARY COVERING SATURDAY'S OPERATIONS SAID AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN PLANES "CONTINUED THEIR FULL SCALE GROUND SUPPORT AND SUPPLY INTERDICTION EFFORT."
BOTH FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS STRUCK HEAVY BLOWS AT THE SEOUL-INCHON AREA WHICH THE SUMMARY DESCRIBED AS "A MAJOR FOCAL POINT FOR SUPPLY AND TROOP MOVEMENT NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL TO THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE."

U.S. CARRIER PLANES FROM A TASK FORCE BLASTED AWAY AT THE KUNSAN AREA, A SUPPLY POINT FOR THE ENEMY ON THE WEST COAST ABOUT 100 MILES SOUTH OF INCHON.

MARINE PILOTS JOINED IN THE ATTACK ON INCHON ITSELF. IT WAS THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY THAT SEPARATE U.S. CARRIERS LAUNCHED NAVY AND MARINE PLANES FOR ATTACKS IN CONCERT WITH LAND-BASED PLANES.

ONE MUSTANG FIGHTER WAS HIT BY NORTH KOREAN GROUND FIRE. IT CRASHED BEHIND THE RED LINES.

THE FIGHTERS FLEW MORE THAN 330 SORTIES, HITTING RAIL, ROAD AND TROOP TARGETS BEHIND THE COMMUNIST LINES. THEIR CLAIMS INCLUDED 17 LOCOMOTIVES, 34 BOX CARS, 14 ARTILLERY PIECES AND FOUR WAREHOUSES AND A CHEMICAL PLANT DAMAGED.

U.S. B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS STEPPED UP THEIR NIGHT MISSIONS, ATTACKING TAEJON, SUWON, SEOUL AND INCHON.

THE BAG OF RED FIGHTERS BROUGHT THE TOTAL U.S.AIR FORCE CLAIM OF NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT SINCE THE WAR BEGAN TO 58 DESTROYED, 24 DAMAGED AND 17 PROBABLY DESTROYED.

U.S. MARINE FLIERS JOINED THE OPERATIONS IN THE SEOUL-INCHON-SUWON AREA YESTERDAY IN WHAT A NAVAL AIR SUMMARY CALLED "AN OLD FASHIONED SATURDAY HOUSE CLEANING."

THE MARINE PILOTS OF A CARRIER-BORNE AIR GROUP REPORTED DEMOLISHING A TANK AND TRUCK ASSEMBLY PLANT AT INCHON AND A LOADED TANKER AT A PIER, SETTING AFIRE THREE FREIGHT TRAINS, SHOOTING UP A RAILWAY BRIDGE AT SEOUL, FIRING AN OIL REFINERY AND CHEMICAL PLANT AT INCHON, STRAFING FOUR OTHER FACTORIES AND MACHINEGUNNING OVER 200 BOX CARS.

THE MARINE PILOTS ALSO FLEW COVER FOR U.S. NAVY NEPTUNES SPOTTING NAVAL GUNFIRE FOR BRITISH FLEET UNITS WHICH BOMBARDED INCHON, SEOUL'S SEAPORT.

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B-29 SUPERFORTS HAMMERED RAILROAD YARDS AT SEOUL, FALLEN SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL, YESTERDAY FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY, LEAVING THE TARGET IN FLAMES.

FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS SAID AMERICAN MUSTANGS DESTROYED NINE RED PLANES ON THE GROUND AT SEOUL'S KIMPO AIRFIELD AND DAMAGED FIVE OTHERS SATURDAY MORNING.

MUSTANG PILOTS ALSO CLAIMED NINE RED PLANES PROBABLY DESTROYED OR DAMAGED IN A SECOND STRIKE ON KIMPO SATURDAY AFTERNOON. AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID, HOWEVER, IT COULD NOT BE DETERMINED WHETHER THE PLANES HIT IN THE AFTERNOON WERE THE SAME AS THOSE SHOT UP ON THE MORNING STRIKE.

THE BIG SUPERFORTS DROPPED 100 TONS OF BOMBS ON THE YARDS IN THEIR SECOND CONSECUTIVE ASSAULT ON THE YARDS. EIGHTY TONS WERE DROPPED FRIDAY. BOTH DAYS THE YARDS WERE HEAVILY CHOKED WITH FREIGHT.

FIGHTER PILOTS REPORTED TODAY THEY KNOCKED OUT FIVE ENEMY TANKS AT WAEGWAN WITHIN A HALF MILE OF THE U.S. NAKTONG DEFENSE LINES. WAEGWAN IS 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, WHICH IS 55 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN, U.S. SUPPLY PORT.

THREE OTHER TANKS WERE REPORTED DESTROYED FRIDAY. SEVEN OTHER TANKS WERE DAMAGED, 34 TRUCKS DESTROYED AND 29 MORE VEHICLES DAMAGED.

A NEW U.S.AIR ATTACK RECORD WAS SET FRIDAY AS FIGHTERS SWEPT UP AND DOWN THE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT, HITTING RED TROOPS AND SUPPLIES MOVING TOWARD THE NAKTONG RIVER, MAIN ALLIED DEFENSE LINE.

A RECORD-BREAKING 550-FLIGHTS WERE FLOWN.

RAIN SLOWED SATURDAY'S TACTICAL AIR PROGRAM.

A RAID BY FOUR B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS RESULTED IN THE SINKING FRIDAY OF A 10,000-TON ENEMY FREIGHTER-TRANSPORT IN THE HARBOR OF INCHON, ON THE WEST COAST OF SOUTH KOREA.

ONE BOMB FELL FLUSH ON THE UNARMORED DECK OF THE VESSEL. CREDITED WITH THE BULL'S EYE HIT WAS FIRST LT.KENNETH J.APPEL OF MILWAUKEE, WIS.

THE MISSION WAS ONE OF SEVERAL AGAINST ENEMY SHIPPING FACILITIES BY THE LIGHT BOMBERS.

FOUR VILLAGES NEAR CHINJU WERE DESTROYED YESTERDAY BY U.S.NAPALM BOMBS. THE BOMBS ARE MADE OF JELLIED GASOLINE AND SCATTER INTENSE FLAMES WHEN EXPLODED.

AN AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER SQUADRON JOINED U.S. LAND-CARRIER-BASED PLANES IN THE SWEEPS FRIDAY OVER THE FRONT LINES.

THE AUSSIE FIGHTERS DAMAGED TWO BRIDGES AND HIT A CONCENTRATION OF ENEMY TROOPS HIDDEN IN AN ORCHARD. THEY ALSO HIT A NORTH KOREAN AMMUNITION TRUCK. THEY SAID THEY ENCOUNTERED NO ENEMY FLAK AND ALL THEIR PLANES RETURNED SAFELY.

FIGHTER PILOTS MAKING THE SATURDAY MORNING STRIKE AT SEOUL'S KIMPO AIRFIELD WERE LT. COL. JOHN L. MCGINN, LONG BEACH, CALIF.; LT. CHARLES W. CADWALLADER, PHILADELPHIA; LT. CHARLES B. MEYER, SAN ANTOHNIO, TEX.; LT. JAMES T. BARNES, INDIANAPOLIS; LT. CLARENCE T. VEATCH, DALLAS, TEX.; LT. HOWARD D. ROBERTS, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.; LT. WILLIAM T. BRISCOE, NASHVILLE, TENN., AND LT. EDWARD A. STINSON, PALM SPRINGS, CALIF.

PILOTS ON THE SATURDAY AFTERNOON STRIKE WERE MAJ. HARRIS F. KRAUSE, NOBLESVILLE, IND.; LT. JAMES D. HANNON, MINNEAPOLIS; LT. AUBREY GASKINS, NORFOLK, VA., AND MAJ. LELAND P. MOLLAND (ADDRESS UNAVAILABLE).

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FIRST LEAD AERIAL

TOKYO,AUG.5-(AP)-B-29S BOMBED THE SEOUL RAILROAD YARDS TODAY FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY, LEAVING THEM FLAMING AND SHROUDED IN SMOKE.

THE B-29S, FLYING FROM JAPAN, DROPPED 100 TONS OF BOMBS ON THE YARD. YESTERDAY IT WAS 80 TONS.

AIRMEN SUPPORTING FRONT LINE TROOPS REPORTED THEY CAUGHT FOUR RED TANKS WITHIN A HALF MILE OF THE U.S. NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE AND KNOCKED THEM OUT. THEY ALSO HEAVILY RAKED ARTILLERY, TROOPS AND TRUCKS IN THE SAME GENERAL VICINITY ALONG THE WESTERN FRONT.

FRIDAY SET A NEW RECORD FOR THE BUSY AIR FORCE--A TOTAL OF 550 FLIGHTS WITHIN 24 HOURS, MOSTLY AGAINST ENEMY SOLDIERS AND THEIR SUPPLY LINES.

FOUR VILLAGES WERE BURNED OUT AND PLANES PLASTERED NAPALM FIRE BOMBS ON THE PREVIOUSLY UNDAMAGED SECTIONS OF CHINJU, JUMPING OFF PLACE FOR THE RED'S PUSH FROM THE WEST AGAINST PUSAN, MAIN U.S. SUPPLY PORT.

NAPALM BOMBS, MADE OF JELLIED GASOLINE, SPREAD INTENSELY HOT FLAME OVER THE AREA WHERE THEY HIT.

CHINJU IS 55 MILES WEST OF THE PORT CITY. PILOTS REPORTED THE REDS WERE BUILDING UP A FORCE THERE.

LAND AND CARRIER-BASED U.S. MARINE FIGHTERS JOINED WITH LIGHT BOMBERS, F-80 JETS AND MUSTANGS IN SWEEPING UP AND DOWN THE FRONT HITTING AT TROOPS AND SUPPLIES AS THE REDS MOVED TOWARD THE MAIN ALLIED DEFENSE LINE ON THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER.

A FIFTH AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID THE PLANES FLEW 452 COMBAT SORTIES, A RECORD FOR A SINGLE DAY. STRATEGIC AND RECONNAISSANCE SORTIES RAISED THE TOTAL NUMBER OF INDIVIDUAL FLIGHTS FOR THE DAY TO 550.

FIFTEEN NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS WERE FLOWN BY FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS IN AN EFFORT TO IMPEDE THE NIGHT MOVEMENT OF RED SUPPLIES AND TROOPS. THE NIGHT FLYERS RANGED FROM SUNCHON, ON THE SOUTHWEST COAST, NORTHWARD TO THE RED-HELD CAPITAL OF SEOUL.

LIGHT BOMBERS SWEPT OVER THE WEST KOREAN PORT OF INCHON AND

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SANK A 10,000 NORTH KOREAN SHIP.
ONE SPAN OVER THE NAM RIVER WAS KNOCKED OUT AND TWO OTHERS DAMAGED. RIVER TRAFFIC ON THE NAKTON WAS STRAFED. EIGHT ANTI-AIRCRAFT BATTERIES WERE SILENCED.
THE DAY'S BAG INCLUDED SEVEN TANKS DESTROYED AND SEVEN DAMAGED, 34 TRUCKS DESTROYED AND 29 OTHERS DAMAGED.
BUT DESPITE THE HAMMERING FROM THE AIR, PILOTS REPORT THE REDS WERE MOVING UP BOTH SUPPLIES AND MEN FOR AN ASSAULT ON THE NEW NAKTONG RIVER LINE.
THERE WAS INDICATION THAT AN OFFENSIVE IS BUILDING UP AGAINST TAEGU, A KEY BASE CITY ONLY SEVEN MILES NORTHEAST OF THE NEAREST BEND IN THE RIVER.
PILOTS SAW RED POWER MASSING IN THE KOCHANG AND KUMCHON AREAS. KOCHANG IS WEST OF TAEGU AND KUMCHON NORTHWEST.
THERE ALSO WAS EVIDENCE OF INCREASING NORTH KOREAN AIR ACTIVITY. LIGHT BOMBERS RAINED EXPLOSIVES AND BULLETS ON EIGHT ENEMY AIRCRAFT AT KUMCHON AND FOUR OTHERS AT OSAN TO THE NORTH.
SUPERFORTRESS PILOTS, WHO SAID THEY LEFT NUMEROUS FIRES IN THE SEOUL YARDS, REPORTED FOUR ENEMY FIGHTERS TOOK OFF FROM SEOUL'S KIMPO AIRPORT BUT MADE NO ATTEMPT TO ATTACK.

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TOKYO,AUG 5 (AP)-A DIRECT HIT BY A LIGHT AMERICAN BOMBER SANK A 10,000 NORTH KOREAN TRANSPORT IN INCHON HARBOR FRIDAY, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY.
THE AIR FORCE SAID FIRST LT.KENNETH J.APPEL, 2842 N.SEVENTH LANE, MILWAUKEE, MADE THE SUCCESSFUL STRIKE IN A B-26 PILOTED BY FIRST LT. BILLY M.JONES OF EASTLAND, TEX.
FOUR B-26S WERE IN THE FLIGHT. PILOTS REPORTED SEVERAL SMALL BOATS AROUND THE TRANSPORT, LOADING CARGO FOR NORTH KOREAN FORCES ASHORE.
CAPT.FRANCIS B.CLARK, A JET PILOT FROM GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., REPORTED SEEING THE TRANSPORT LYING ON ITS SIDE AS HE FINISHED WORKING OVER THE AREA.
A FRIDAY FLIGHT OF F-80 JETS RAKED EIGHT VESSELS LOADING TROOPS FROM TENDERS AT INCHON. SOME OF THE SHIPS WERE LEFT SMOKING, SAID MAJ. WILLIAM J.O'DONNELL, FLIGHT LEADER, 5143 15TH ST., PHILADELPHIA.
MAJ.JAMES H.BUCKEY OF NEW PARIS, PA., LED ANOTHER FLIGHT OF JETS IN A RAID ON WAREHOUSES NORTH OF THE WEST COAST PORT CITY.
OTHER TARGETS IN FRIDAY'S AIR ACTION INCLUDED TRUCKS LOADED WITH RED TROOPS, LOCOMOTIVES, RAILROAD CARS, BRIDGES, ARTILLERY PIECES AND MISCELLANEOUS VEHICLES.

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TOKYO,SUNDAY,AUG.6-(AP)-FOUR BRITISH WARSHIPS -- TWO CRUISERS AND TWO DESTROYERS -- BOMBARDED INCHON ON KOREA'S WEST COAST FOR TWO HOURS WITH "EXCELLENT" RESULTS SATURDAY.
THIS WAS REPORTED IN TODAY'S FAR EAST NAVAL SUMMARY. IT SAID THE "ALL BRITISH" EFFORT WAS DIRECTED BY BRITISH AERIAL SPOTTERS.
INCHON IS THE PORT FOR SEOUL, CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA CAPTURED BY THE REDS EARLY IN THE WAR.
THIS WAS THE LARGEST BRITISH NAVAL ACTION SO FAR REPORTED IN THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN. THE BRITISH HAVE BEEN MAINTAINING A PATROL ALONG THE WESTERN KOREAN COAST.
THE U.S.AIR FORCE HAD REPORTED SINKING A 10,000-TON FREIGHTER AT INCHON FRIDAYAND THIS DIRECTED ATTENTION TO THE PORT.
BRITISH GUNS RAKED BARRACKS, OIL INSTALLATIONS, FACTORIES, WAREHOUSES, GUN EMPLACEMENTS, A RAILWAY STATION AND AN ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.
U.S.CARRIER-BASED MARINE PLANES PROVIDED FIGHTER COVER FOR THE ATTACK. THE ASSULT WAS DESIGNED TO REDUCE INCHON'S IMPORTANCE AS A STAGING BASE FOR COMMUNIST TROOP REINFORCEMENTS.
NEITHER THE WARSHIPS NOR THEIR SUPPORTING PLANES RAN INTO ANY ENEMY FIRE.
REAR ADM.W.G.ANDREWES, COMMANDER OF THE BRITISH BLOCKADE FORCES ALONG KOREA'S WEST COAST, FLEW HIS FLAG FROM ONE OF THE CRUISERS, THE NAVAL RELEASE SAID.
U.S.WARSHIPS ON THE EAST COAST FIRED AWAY AT ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SUPPLY LINES NORTH OF THE ANCHOR CITY OF YONGDOK, 80 MILES NORTH OF THE MAIN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.
THE RELEASE REPORTED GOOD WEATHER MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR THE WARSHIPS TO "MAINTAIN A STEADY CURTAIN OF FIRE" ABOUT A MILE IN FRONT OF THE SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS STATIONED AROUND YONGDOK.

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BY MILTON MARMOR

WITH CARRIER TASK FORCE 77 OFF KOREA, AUG. 5-(DELAYED)-(AP)-THIS ESSEX CLASS CARRIER--ONCE CALLED THE "SHOWBOAT" OF ATLANTIC WATERS--SENT OUT 62 SORTIES TODAY AGAINST KOREAN COMMUNIST TARGETS FOR ITS COMBAT BAPTISMAL.
ONE PLANE WAS LOST BUT THE PILOT, ENSIGN GLENN T. FARNWORTH, BIGGS, CALIF., WAS RESCUED DRAMATICALLY AS NIGHT FELL.
AN AIR RESCUE TEAM FROM A NEARBY U.S. TASK GROUP PICKED HIM UP OUT OF KOREAN WATERS AND FLEW HIM TO JAPAN.
THE FIRST TASK OF THIS CARRIER WAS TO HIT COMMUNICATIONS BEHIND ADVANCING NORTH KOREAN LINES. OTHER CARRIERS PLANES OF THE TASK FORCE GAVE CLOSE AIR SUPPORT TO GROUND FORCES.
MAJOR TARGETS STRUCK BY JETS, CORSAIR FIGHTERS AND ATTACK BOMBERS WERE HIGHWAY BRIDGES AND POWER PLANTS IN THE KUNSAN AREA ON THE WEST COAST.
GROUP AIR COMMANDER R.W. VOGEL OF (315 NORTH ASHELEY ST.) ANN ARBOR, MICH., FIRST TO COME BACK, REPORTED LITTLE MOVEMENT ON RAILS OR ROADS IN THIS AREA BACK OF THE FRONT.
VOGEL, WHO STILL IS SUFFERING FROM A BACK INJURY RECEIVED IN A CRASH RECENTLY, FLEW A JET. HE IS A VETERAN OF GUADALCANAL AND OF CARRIER ACTION IN THE LAST WAR.
AT 12:12 P.M., THE FIRST CORSAIR WAS LAUNCHED BY CATAPULT FROM THE CARRIER DECK. IT WAS WELL AFTER 7 P.M. WHEN THE LAST PLANE RETURNED.
PILOTS REPORTED LITTLE ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE AND SIGHTED NO ENEMY FIGHTERS. THE BAG INCLUDED TWO SAMPANS, TWO JUNKS, ONE POWER PLANT AND ONE BRIDGE DESTROYED, AND THREE BRIDGES AND NUMEROUS JUNKS DAMAGED.
THE ATTACKERS BLASTED TARGETS WITH 1,000 AND 500-POUND BOMBS, FIVE-INCH ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE.
CORSAIR GROUP COMMANDER JOHN O'NEIL OF (4716 INWOOD ROAD) DALLAS,

TEX., AND CORONADO, CALIF., SAID HE TALKED DOWN FARNWORTH.
THE BOTTOM OF FARNWORTH'S CORSAIR WAS TORN UP AND THE PLANE WAS VIBRATING BADLY. (THIS DISPATCH DID NOT SAY HOW THE PLANE HAD BEEN DAMAGED).
O'NEIL SAID FARNWORTH TOLD HIM: "MY VOICE ISN'T SHAKING. IT'S JUST THAT THE ENGINE WON'T LET ME TALK STRAIGHT."

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TOKYO, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE NAVY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT TWO 27,000 TON ESSEX CLASS CARRIERS NOW ARE OPERATING WITH TASK FORCE 77.
THE NEW CARRIER, FLYING THE FLAG OF REAR ADM. E.C. EWEN, JOINED THE TASK FORCE FOR GROUND SUPPORT ATTACKS SATURDAY ON SOUTHWESTERN KOREA.
THIS DOUBLED THE CARRIER STRENGTH OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET OF WHICH THE TASK FORCE IS A PART.
THE AIR GROUPS OF BOTH CARRIERS LASHED TARGETS FROM CHINJU NEAR THE BATTLE LINE TO KUNSAN AT THE MOUTH OF THE KUM RIVER. THEY FLEW PANTHER JETS, SKYRAIDER ATTACK BOMBERS AND CORSAIR FIGHTERS.
THE NAVY PILOTS HIT CHINJU WITH BOMBS AND ROCKETS, CAUSING AN UNDETERMINED AMOUNT OF DAMAGE, THE NAVY SUMMARY SAID. THEY ALSO HIT CAMOUFLAGED TARGETS AT A NEARBY VILLAGE.
BETWEEN 15 AND 20 JUNKS WERE STRAFED ALONG THE WEST COAST. TROOP AND SUPPLY CONCENTRATIONS AND BRIDGES WERE ATTACKED. FIVE HUNDRED POUND BOMBS KNOCKED OUT A BRIDGE SPAN. TWO OTHER BRIDGES WERE DAMAGED.
RETURNING PILOTS SAID LIGHT ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE WAS ENCOUNTERED OVER ONE BRIDGE POSITION.

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TOKYO,AUG 5 (AP)-THREE CANADIAN DESTROYERS OPERATING IN KOREAN WATERS HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED TO DUTY ESCORTING AMERICAN TROOPSHIPS TO A SOUTH KOREAN PORT.
THE CANADIAN DESTROYERS HAVE NOT STRUCK YET AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS.
THE CANADIAN ADDITION TO UNITED NATIONS SEA FORCES ARE THE DESTROYERS CAYUGA, SIOUX AND ATHABASKAN.

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SOMEWHERE IN KOREA, AUG. 5-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER BEN C.LIMB OF THE SOUTH KOREA REPUBLIC SAID TODAY THE UNITED NATIONS FORCE BEING FORMED FOR THE KOREAN WAR SHOULD BE MADE PERMANENT.
LIMB SAID IN A STATEMENT SUCH A PERMANENT FORCE SHOULD BE "STRONG ENOUGH SO THAT HEREAFTER NO INDIVIDUAL NATION ON EARTH, HOWEVER STRONG, WILL DARE TO DEFY THE WILL OF THE UNITED NATIONS."
HE DECLARED KOREAN SUFFERING IN THE CURRENT WAR WOULD BE MORE THAN REPAID IF A PERMANENT UNITED NATIONS MILITARY FORCE IS ESTABLISHED.
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FIRST U.S. AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 5-(AP)-PILOTS OF U.S. OBSERVER PLANES DIRECTING FIGHTER AND BOMBER ATTACKS ON GROUND TROOPS NOTED THAT THE REDS CAME OUT OF HIDING EACH TIME THE COMBAT PLANES LEFT.
CAPT. C.F. BROWN OF TAMPA, FLA., AND LT.WAYNE UPELL OF ST.CLAIR SHORES, MICH., DECIDED TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT. THEY TOOK THEIR TINY, UNARMED T-6 TRAINER DOWN OVER THE RED COLUMNS SIX TIMES, FIRING A .45 CALIBER PISTOL. THE REDS DIVED OFF THE ROAD.
HEARING OF THEIR SUCCESS, MAJ.GEN. EARL E.PARTRIDGE, FIFTH AIR FORCE COMMANDER, SAID THE OBSERVATION PLANES WOULD BE ARMED WITH MACHINEGUNS ADDING:
"IF .45S WILL STOP THE REDS, .30 CALIBER MACHINEGUNS SHOULD DO A LOT MORE GOOD."

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U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 5-(AP)-TO THE U.S. SOLDIERS IN KOREA, ALL NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS ARE "GOOKS."
IT ISN'T A NEW WORD TO THE SOLDIER. SOME ONE AMONG THEM COINED IT IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC FIGHTING OF WORLD WAR II.
IT WAS APPLIED TO THE NATIVES OF GUADALCANAL AND NEW GUINEA AND TO THE JAPANESE ENEMY. IT IS THE SOLDIER'S WORD FOR ANYONE RACIALLY DIFFERENT FROM HIMSELF.
MEN OF THE 24TH DIVISION REVIVED "GOOK" WHEN THEY WERE RUSHED TO KOREA TO FACE THE COMMUNIST INVADER.

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U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 5-(AP)-LT.GEN. WALTON H.WALKER TODAY COMMENDED THE "FIGHTING SPIRIT" OF THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY.
ITS "STEADFASTNESS UNDER FIRE HAS BEEN OUTSTANDING," SAID THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER IN A LETTER TO GEN. CHUNG IL KWUN, SOUTH KOREAN ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF.
WALKER WROTE:
"I HAVE BEEN IMPRESSED BY THE FIGHTING QUALITY OF YOUR TROOPS. I FIND THEY ARE READY AT ANY TIME TO CLOSE WITH THE ENEMY AND PRESS HOME AN ATTACK. DETERMINATION HAS NOT BEEN LESSENED BY DISCOURAGING CIRCUMSTANCES AND ADVERSE CONDITIONS.
"THEIR HIGH RESOLVE TO WIN THE ULTIMATE VICTORY IS EVIDENT. I AM PROUD TO HAVE SUCH SOLDIERS UNDER MY COMMAND."
REPLYING GEN. CHUNG SAID:
"ALL MY OFFICERS AND MEN HAVE PLEDGED THEMSELVES TO FIGHT TO DEATH UNDER YOUR COMMAND AND THEY WILL GO FORWARD WITH YOUR GUIDANCE UNTIL RECOVERY OF OUR LOST LAND HAS BEEN GLORIOUSLY ACHIEVED."

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KOREAN INTERPRETIVE (360)

BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 5-(AP)-KOREAN REDS WERE OBSERVED TODAY MASSING EAST OF CHINJU TO RESUME THEIR MAJOR THRUST OVER THE SOUTHERN MARSHLANDS TOWARD PUSAN, 35 MILES TO THE EAST.

THEIR FOUR-BATTALION ATTACK IN THAT AREAS WAS HURLED BACK THURSDAY NIGHT. THE BATTLEGROUND IS ON THE COASTAL AREA STRETCHING DIRECTLY TO THE VITAL U.S. SUPPLY PORT ON KOREA'S SOUTHEAST TIP.

THE FIRST OBJECTIVE OF A BIG COMMUNIST DRIVE LIKELY WOULD BE THE HIGH GROUND IN THE MASAN AREA, 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN. SHOULD THAT FALL, THE AMERICAN DEFENDERS WOULD BE PUSHED BACK TO A POINT WHERE PUSAN WOULD BECOME AN ADVANCE SUPPLY BASE.

THE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED IN THE CHINJU SECTOR. THERE HAS BEEN TIME ENOUGH FOR THAT DIVISION TO BE REINFORCED BY TROOPS MOVING SOUTH FROM TAEJON, IN SOUTH CENTRAL KOREA. IT COULD BE READY FOR AN ALL-OUT ATTACK TOWARD PUSAN.

HOWEVER, THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION, WITH ITS DASHING 27TH WOLFHOUNDS REGIMENT, HAS HAD TIME TO GET SET FOR SUCH AN ASSAULT.

NORTHWARD, ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE, U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION PATROLS RANGED FAR WEST OF THE RIVER IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR FRIDAY WITHOUT MAKING POSITIVE CONTACT WITH THE COMMUNISTS.

CONSIDERABLE RED TROOPS, TANKS AND VEHICULAR MOVEMENT HAS BEEN REPORTED IN THE KUMCHON SECTOR IN APPARENT PREPARATION FOR A DRIVE TOWARD TAEGU, IMPORTANT AMERICAN SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATIONS HUB.

KUMCHON, ABANDONED IN FLAMES TO THE COMMUNISTS WEDNESDAY NIGHT, IS 32 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. WAEGWAN, ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG, IS 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION -- UNITS OF WHICH SAW THE FIRST AMERICAN GROUND ACTION AGAINST THE NORTH KOREANS JULY 5 -- REPORTED THE REDS WERE MOVING UP TO THE NAKTONG. A SMALL ENEMY FORCE REACHED THE RIVER FRIDAY WITH SUPPLY CARTS, WHICH ALLIED FIGHTERS STRAFED.

HOWEVER, PATROLS OF THE 24TH REPORTED FINDING NO LARGE ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS CLOSE TO THE NAKTONG IN THE SECTOR FRIDAY.

EXCEPT FOR THE CHINJU FRONT, THE STEADIEST RED PRESSURE FRIDAY WAS AGAINST ELEMENTS OF THE KOREAN REPUBLICAN ARMY COVERING PLANNED WITHDRAWALS FROM SANGJU, HAMCHANG, YECHON AND ANDONG -- ON THE NORTHERN LINE. THOSE FORCES ALSO HAVE BEEN FALLING BACK TO POSITIONS SOUTH OF AND EAST OF THE NAKTONG.

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TOKYO, AUG. 5-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS ARE MOVING ELEMENTS OF A FOURTH DIVISION INTO THE CHINJU FRONT OF SOUTH KOREA FOR A NEW MAJOR THRUST, EXPECTED SOON, BRIEFING OFFICERS AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY.

THE REDS HAVE BEEN BEATEN BACK WITH HEAVY LOSSES IN FOUR ATTACKS ON THIS FRONT IN THE LAST TWO DAYS, THE OFFICERS SAID.

THEY REPORTED TWO COMMUNIST ATTACKS THURSDAY COST THE REDS AT LEAST 1,200 CASUALTIES. TWO MORE ATTACKS FRIDAY WERE REPULSED BY THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE 25TH DIVISION AT WONBUNG, ABOUT 10 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

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SUB INTRO MARINES

BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH U.S. MARINES IN KOREA, AUG. 5-(AP)-CONFUSED U.S. MARINES FIRED UPON EACH OTHER IN A SIX-HOUR EXCHANGE OF SMALL ARMS FIRED DURING EARLY MORNING DARKNESS TODAY. ONE MARINE WAS KILLED BY HIS COMRADES.

THE SHOOTING STARTED BEFORE MIDNIGHT.

A FURIOUS HAIL OF RIFLE AND CARBINE FIRE SWEPT RIDGES AND GULLIES ABOUT A COMMAND POST A CONSIDERABLE DISTANCE FROM THE FRONT.

THERE WERE MUTTERED THREATS BY OFFICERS THIS MORNING ABOUT WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF THE ESTIMATED SIX HOUR "BATTLE" WAS REPEATED.

THE FIRING WAS UNUSUAL IN THAT THE LEATHERNECKS BEHAVED QUIETLY DURING THE PREVIOUS NIGHT.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPLAY MIGHT HAVE RISEN FROM THE FACT A MARINE PATROL FRIDAY FLUSHED A SUSPICIOUS KOREAN FROM A RIDGETOP NEAR THE COMMAND POST. THE MARINES APPARENTLY WERE DETERMINED THERE WOULD BE A MINIMUM OF NIGHT MOVEMENT AND ACTIVITY.

IF THAT WAS THEIR AIM THEY CERTAINLY WERE SUCCESSFUL--AT LEAST AS FAR AS LIFE PHOTOGRAPHER DAVID DUNCAN AND THIS CORRESPONDENT WERE CONCERNED.

WE HAD ROLLED UP IN BLANKETS ON THE RIDGE ABOVE THE COMMAND POST BETWEEN TWO HIGH RIDGES. DURING THE FIRING, WHICH SEEMED TO COME FROM ALL DIRECTIONS, OUR ONLY MOVEMENT WAS TO TRY--WITHOUT RISING--TO DIG FARTHER INTO THE GROUND.

THE MARINES MUST HAVE FIRED THOUSANDS OF ROUNDS. THERE WAS SOME SHOOTING AT VERY SHORT NOTICE. WE ONCE HEARD A FAR OFF CHALLENGE "HALT." IT WAS FOLLOWED IMMEDIATELY BY FOUR QUICK SHOTS. MOST OF THE TIME THE CHALLENGE WAS NOT UTTERED.

AT ONE POINT A MARINE TURNED ON A JEEP'S LIGHTS. THE LIGHTS MOMENTARILY QUIETED THE FIRING. THEN THE LIGHTS WERE EXTINGUISHED AND THE MARINES OPENED HEAVY FIRING AGAIN.

ONE MARINE SAID THE FIRING WAS TOUCHED OFF BY A GROUP OF LEATHERNECKS OPENING UP ON A NIGHT-ROAMING GOAT.

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JOHANNESBURG, UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA, AUG.5-(AP)-SOUTH AFRICA HAS CALLED FOR AIRFORCE VOLUNTEERS TO MAKE UP A FIGHTER SQUADRON TO GO TO KOREA.

THE CABINET, WHICH DECIDED YESTERDAY TO RECRUIT THE SQUADRON TO JOIN UNITED NATIONS FORCES. ALSO VOTED TO EXPAND THE REGULAR SOUTH AFRICAN ARMED FORCES. NO FIGURES WERE GIVEN ON THE SIZE OF THE PROPOSED VOLUNTEER AIRFORCE OR EXPANSION OF THE REGULAR UNITS.

THE GOVERNMENT HAS MADE ANTI-COMMUNISM ONE OF ITS MAIN POLICY ISSUES, BUT HERETOFORE CONTENDED IT WOULD BE IMPRACTICABLE TO SEND MILITARY AID TO SUCH A DISTANT PLACE AS KOREA.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID: "LIAISON HAS BEEN MAINTAINED WITH THE UNITED STATES TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER THERE IS ANY ASSISTANCE OTHER THAN OF MILITARY CHARACTER THE UNION COULD MAKE AVAILABLE. SINCE IT NOW APPEARS THERE IS NO ALTERNATIVE ASSISTANCE, THE GOVERNMENT HAS DECIDED SPECIAL EFFORTS SHOULD BE MADE TO RENDER MILITARY AID."

MEMBERS OF THE REGULAR SOUTH AFRICAN MILITARY UNITS ARE RESTRICTED TO HOME DUTY. ANY KOREAN FORCES MUST BE VOLUNTEERS.

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MOSCOW, AUG.4-(AP)-THE LITERARY GAZETTE SAID TODAY THAT DESPITE A CONSTANT FLOW OF REINFORCEMENT THE AMERICANS ARE UNABLE TO HOLD ANY DEFENSE LINE LONG IN KOREA.

IT SAID FIVE AMERICAN DIVISIONS ARE NOW FIGHTING.

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TOKYO, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE TEXT OF U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 21 ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 7:30 P.M. (4:30 A.M. 3'5):

THE AIR FORCE IS DROPPING LEAFLETS WRITTEN IN KOREAN TO REFUGEES TELLING THEM NOT TO CROSS THE RIVER BUT TO TAKE TO THE HILLS, THAT SUPPLIES WILL BE DROPPED TO THEM.

THERE ARE TWO REPORTS OF UNIDENTIFIED PLANES HAVING STRAFED FRIENDLY INSTALLATIONS DURING THE NIGHT OF 4-5 AUGUST. ONE WAS IN MASAN, THE OTHER WAS IN THE SOUTH KOREAN SECTOR.

JOC THIS MORNING REPORTED FIVE TANKS ON THE WEST BANK OF THE RIVER IN THE VICINITY OF WAEGWAN. REPORTS STATED FOUR WERE DESTROYED BY AIR STRIKES AND ARTILLERY FIRE AND THAT THE OTHER ONE WAS UNDER ATTACK. NO SUBSEQUENT REPORTS ON THIS ACTION WAS RECEIVED.

THERE IS A BUILD-UP OF ENEMY FORCES ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER EAST AND SOUTHEAST OF SANGJU. AT SOME POINTS IN THIS AREA THE ENEMY WAS CROSSING THE RIVER THIS AFTERNOON.

AIR RECONNAISSANCE REPORTED THIS AFTERNOON THAT THE BRIDGE IN THE VICINITY OF HYOPCHON WAS BEING REBUILT. AN AIR STRIKE WAS CALLED FOR TO DISRUPT SUCH REPAIR WORK.

IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR THE ACTION WAS LIMITED TO FRIENDLY ARTILLERY FIRING AGAINST ENEMY ARTILLERY EMPLACEMENTS AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.

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TOKYO,SUNDAY, AUG.6--(AP)-TEXT OF U.S.EIGHTH ARMNCOMMUNIQUE NO.22 ISSUED AT 12:45P.M., (9:45P.M, EST SATURDAY):

DURING THE LAST 24 HOURS THERE HAVE BEEN NO LARGE ATTACKS. ACTION IN THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST SECTORS HAS BEEN LIMITED TO ARTILLERY AND PATROL ACTION. SOME PRESSURE HAS BEEN EXERTED IN THE SOUTH KOREAN SECTOR BUT NO LARGE ATTACKS HAVE BEEN REPORTED.

IN THE 25TH DIVISION AREA NO HEAVY ATTACKS WERE REPORTED, YESTERDAY OR LAST NIGHT. THERE WAS SOME PRESSURE PUT ON THE 27TH INFANTRY. ONE COMPANY FROM ANOTHER UNIT MADE AN ATTACK ON A TOWN IN ITS AREA ONLY TO FIND IT UNOCCUPIED. WHEN IT RETURNED TO ITS DIVISION IT WAS CUT OFF BY THE ENEMY. IT IS FIGHTING ITS WAY OUT AND A RELIEVING UNIT IS ON ITS WAY.

IN THE 24TH DIVISION AREA REPORTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED OF THE MOVEMENTS OF SMALL ENEMY UNITS UP TO THE WEST BANKS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. NO LARGE CONCENTRATIONS HAVE BEEN REPORTED. ONE ENEMY COMPANY PENETRATED INTO THE AREA BUT IT IS BEING CONTAINED AND REPULSED. ONE OF THE 24TH DIVISION PATROLS CROSSED THE RIVER AND PENETRATED 1,500 YARDS INTO ENEMY TERRITORY TO A SMALL VILLAGE. THERE WERE NO ENEMY TROOPS THERE SO THE PATROL TRIED TO BRING OUT THE LOCAL COMMUNIST PARTY LEADER. HE RESISTED AND WAS SHOT.

IN THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AREA AGGRESSIVE PATROLLING IS BEING CONDUCTED. REPORTS FROM THESE PATROLS ARE NOT COMPLETE. THERE IS NO ENEMY PRESSURE IN THIS AREA BUT THERE WERE ACTIVE ENEMY PATROLS.

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THERE WERE INDICATIONS OF A BUILDUP IN ENEMY STRENGTH SOUTHEAST OF HAMCHANG. ELEMENTS OF THESE FORCES ARE CROSSING THE NAKTONG RIVER TO FACE STRONG RESISTANCE FROM SOUTH KOREAN FORCES. ONE UNIT IN THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION HAS TWICE LE AT NORTH KOREAN BATTALION CROSS THE RIVER, THEN ANNIHILATED IT. UNITS OF THE SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION HAVE REPORTED ATTACKS WHICH ARE BEING HANDLED BY BATTALIONS. IN THE EIGHTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION ONE REGIMENT HAS REPORTED TWO ATTACKS BUT THAT IT IS SUCCESSFULLY REPULSING THEM. IN THE CAPITOL DIVISION AREA ONE REGIMENT WAS FORCED BACK 3,000 YARDS BUT IT ORGANIZED A COUNTERATTACK AND RETURNED TO ITS FORMER POSITION. A THREAT WHICH HAD DEVELOPED BETWEEN ANDONG AND YONGDOK HAS BEEN SUCCESSFULLY CONTAINED BY SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.

THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION IN THE YONGDOK AREA IS COMPLETING CONSOLIDATION. IT REPORTS NO HEAVY PRESSURE.

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AIR TEXT

TOKYO, AUG. 5-AP)- THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 205, TIMED AT 4:50 P.M. (1 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

U.S. AIR FORCE FIGHTER PILOTS HAVE CONFIRMED THE SINKING OF A 10,000 TON NORTH KOREAN FREIGHTER-TRANSPORT IN THE HARBOR AT INCHON ON THE WEST COAST OF SOUTHERN KOREA AFTER A STRIKE BY B-26 INVADER LIGHT BOMBERS OF THE THIRD BOMB GROUP LATE FRIDAY.

FOUR B-26S FLYING IN FORMATION SPOTTED THE TARGET AND BOMBS WERE DROPPED. ONE BOMB FELL FLUSH ON THE UNARMORED DECK OF THE TRANSPORT ON THE SECOND BOMB RUN.

AN F-80 PILOT, CAPT.FRANCIS B.CLARK, GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., WHILE FIRING ROCKETS AT SHIPS IN THE DOCK AREA AT INCHON, SAID:

"I SAW A LARGE TRANSPORT LAYING ON ITS SIDE WHEN WE FINISHED OUR MISSION AND LEFT THE AREA."

CREDITED WITH MAKING THE STRIKE WAS FIRST LT.KENNETH J.APPEL, (2842 NORTH SEVENTH LANE) MILWAUKEE, WIS. HE WAS FLOWN BY FIRST LT. BILLY M.JONES, EASTLAND, TEXAS, WITH S/SGT. AUSTIN G.ROBERSON, HOPE, ARK., RIDING THE LIGHT BOMBER AS GUNNER.

AFTER BOMBS WERE AWAY, CLOUDS OBSCURED THE HARBOR BUT FIGHTER PILOTS WHO OBSERVED THE MISSION FROM A LOWER ALTITUDE ADVISED THE B26S BY RADIO THAT THE LEAD PLANE APPARENTLY HAD MADE THE SUCCESSFUL STRIKE. LIEUTENANT JONES PILOTED THE LEAD SHIP.

FIRST LT.RICHARD E.SCHULTZ SAID SEVERAL SMALL BOATS WERE DETECTED AROUND THE TRANSPORT, APPARENTLY TAKING CARGO OFF FOR DELIVERY TO NORTH KOREAN FORCES ON SHORE.

THE TRANSPORT PROVED TO BE A LAST-MINUTE TARGET, AS THE B-26S WERE WARMING UP WHEN FLIGHT INSTRUCTIONS WERE CHANGED. BEFORE THEY RETURNED TO BASE THEY ALSO STARTED FIRES IN STORAGE WAREHOUSES AND

DOCKS ALONG THE INCHON WATERFRONT.
THIS MISSION WAS ONE OF SEVERAL DIRECTED AGAINST SHIPPING FACILITIES.
MAJ. WILLIAM J.ODONNELL, (5143 FIFTEENTH ST.) PHILADELPHIA, FRIDAY LED A FLIGHT OF F-80 JETS AGAINST EIGHT TRANSPORTS LOADING TROOPS FROM TENDERS AT INCHON.
"WE WENT IN AND LAUNCHED OUR ROCKETS ON THE SHIPS, LEAVING SOME OF THEM SMOKING," HE SAID ON RETURN TO BASE.
HE SAID THIS WAS FOLLOWED BY CANNON FIRE AGAINST TROOPS WITH MANY KILLED.
OTHER TARGETS INCLUDED TRUCKS LOADED WITH COMMUNIST TROOPS, LOCOMOTIVES AND RAILROAD CARS ENROUTE TO THE BATTLE AREES,
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LOCOMOTIVES AND RAILROAD CARS ENROUTE TO THE BATTLE AREAS, BRIDGES, ARTILLERY PIECES AND VEHICLES.
MAJ.MAJES H.BUCKEY, NEW PARIS, PENNSYLVANIA, LED AYE FLIGHT OF F-80 JETS ABOVE INCHON. HE FIRED ROCKETS AGAINST WAREHOUSE BUILDINGS. "LARGE OIL FIRES WERE VISIBLE AND EXTENDED UP TO ABOUT EIGHT THOUSAND FEET," HE SAID.
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TOKYO, SUNDAY,AUG.6-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.208, ISSUED AT 12:50 A.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME)9:50 A.M., EST, SATURDAY) FOLLOWS:
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AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES KEPT THE COMMUNIST INVADERS "OFF BALANCE" WITH LIMITED COUNTER ATTACKS AND PATROL ACTIONS THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE DEFENSE AREA TONIGHT. FIRE FIGHTS WERE REPORTED IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR WITH PRESSURE EXERTED AGAINST THE TWENTY SEVENTH AND THIRTY FIFTH U.S. INFANTRY REGIMENTS IN THE CHINJU AREA.
HOWEVER, REPEATED COMMUNIST ASSAULTS WERE DRIVE OFF WITH HEAVY LOSSES INFLICTED UPON THE RED TROOPS.
THE ENEMY HAS CONTINUED TO SHUTTLE TROOPS AND MATERIEL DURING THE DAYLIGHT HOURS, THEREBY PROVIDING EXCELLENT TARGETS FOR ARTILLERY AND AIRCRAFT. THIS INDICATES THAT THE REDS ARE DESPERATELY STRIVING FOR A MAIN EFFORT AND AN ALL-OUT ATTEMPT TO BREAK THROUGH THE NEW DEFENSE LINES.
FIRM CONTACT IS EXPECTED TO BE ESTABLISHED IN THE CENTRAL AND NORTHERN SECTORS AND EVIDENCE POINTS TO A REGROUPING AND CONCENTRATION OF ENEMY FORCES IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR. INDICATIONS ALSO SHOW THAT THE COMMUNISTS MIGHT SHIFT THE MAIN EFFORT OF THE ATTACK FROM THE CENTRAL TO THE SOUTHERN AREA TO DISRUPT THE TAEGU-PUSAN LINES OF COMMUNICATIONS.
HOWEVER BUILDUP OF ENEMY STRENGTH IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR DOES NOT DIMINISH THE CONCURRENT THREAT OF ATTEMPTED PENETRATIONS THROUGH THE TAEGU CORRIDOR.
THE ENEMY HAS MADE NO ADVANCES SINCE THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES WITHDREW TO THE MORE STABLE DEFENSE LINE AND NO CROSSINGS HAVE BEEN MADE IN FORCE ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER.
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TOKYO, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE TEXT OF A U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE NO. 206 ISSUED AT 6:45 P.M. (3:45 A.M. EST):
B-29 SUPERFORTS FROM JAPAN DROPPED APPROXIMATELY 100 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVE BOMBS ON RAILROAD MARSHALLING YARDS AT SEOUL TODAY WITH GOOD TO EXCELLENT RESULTS.
BOMBING WAS VISUAL WITH THE B-29S FLYING INFORMATION.
LEAD BOMBARDIER FOR ONE WAVE OF THE ATTACK WAS CAPT.ALBERT R. PANKO, SPOKANE, WASH. HE SAID: "SMOKE AND FIRE FROM THE SHOPS AND STORAGE BUILDINGS IN THE YARD WERE PLAINLY VISIBLE FROM THE HITS SCORED BY THE FIRST WAVE OF BOMBERS."
CAPT.JAMES L.SEFTON, OF EAST CHICAGO, IND., A BOMBARDIER IN PANKO'S FLIGHT, SAID: "OUR BOMBS DROPPED STRAIGHT ACROSS THE CHOKE POINT. SMOKE WAS UP TO 7,000 FEET WHEN WE LEFT THE TARGET."
THE GENERAL TRACKAGE AND RAIL SIDINGS WERE HEAVILY LADEN WITH BOX CARS, CONGESTED AND STATIONARY, AS A RESULT OF THE CONTINUING DAMAGING ATTACKS TO THE SEOUL BRIDGES LEADING SOUTHWARD TO THE FIGHTING AREAS. SMOKE ROSE HIGH FROM THE AREA AFTER THE SUPERFORTS HAD PASSED ALONG AND DROPPED THEIR BOMBS.
NO FIGHTER OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED DURING THE ATTACK.
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NAVAL TEXT
TOKYO,AUG 5 (AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 207, TIMED AT 11 P.M. (8 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME):
CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS OPERATING ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA HAVE A NEW SLOGAN OF "BIGGER FIRES, NO MORE TROOPS" THESE DAYS.
FOR THAT WAS THE MESSAGE SHORE FIRE-CONTROL PARTIES NORTHEAST OF YONGDOK SENT TO A U.S.CRUISER AFTER THE SHIP HAD COMPLETED A FIRING MISSION ON TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AT NOMUL-TONG. LARGE NUMBERS OF TROOPS AND HORSES WERE SPOTTED AT THE SOUTH KOREAN TOWN WITH THE RESULT THAT THE CRUISER OPENED FIRE DISPERSING THE TROOPS AND STARTING LARGE FIRES IN THE VILLAGE.
SEVERAL HOURS LATER OBSERVERS ABOARD THE CRUISER SPOTTED TROOPS IN THE TOWN FIGHTING FIRES. THE CRUISER OPENED UP HER FIRE AGAIN RESULTING IN THE MESSAGE FROM SHORE "BIGGER FIRES, NO MORE TROOPS."
THE FIRING WAS CONDUCTED IN CLOSE COORDINATION WITH FIRE CONTROL PARTIES ASHORE. NOMUL-TONG IS RIGHT ON THE COAST LINE.
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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.6-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.209, COVERING NAVAL OPERATIONS, ISSUED TODAY AT 12:15P.M(9:15P.M., EST., SATURDAY) BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:
TWO BRITISH CRUISERS, SUPPORTED BY TWO BRITISH DESTROYERS, BOMBARDED MILITARY TARGETS AT INCHON FOR TWO HOURS YESTERDAY. BRITISH SPOTTERS, EMBARKED IN U.S.NAVY P2V NEPTUNES, DESCRIBED THE FIRING AS ACCURATE

AND GAVE AN EVALUATION OF THE RESULTS AS "ECELLENT."
THE FLASH REPORT ON THE TWO-HOUR BOMBARDMENT INDICATED THAT BARRACKS, OIL INSTALLATIONS, FACTORIES, WAREHOUSES, GUN EMPLACEMENTS, A RAILWAY STATION, AN ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT AND A TRANSFORMER STATION BORE THE BRUNT OF THE BRITISH FIRE.
CARRIER-BASED U.S. MARINE FLIERS PROVIDED FIGHTER COVER FOR THE SHIPS AND FOR THE NAVY SPOTTING PLANES. NEITHER THE SHIPS NOR THE PLANES DREW ENEMY FIRE.
REAR ADMIRAL W.G.ANDREWES, R.N., IN COMMAND OF THE WEST COAST BLOCKADE AND SUPPORT FORCE, FLIES HIS FLAG ON ONE OF THE CRUISERS.
THE U.S.NAVAL BLOCKADE AND SUPPORT FORCE OPERATING ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA CONTINUED BLASTING ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, SUPPLY LINES, COMMUNICATIONS, ROAD JUNCTIONS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS NORTH OF YONGDOK THROUGHOUT THE DAY AND MAINTAINED A STEADY STREAM OF HARASSING FIRE THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT.
TAKING ADVANTAGE OF IMPROVING WEATHER AND CONSEQUENTLY MORE EFFECTIVE USE OF GROUND AND AIR SPOTS, NAVAL GUNS WENT TO WORK YESTERDAY MAINTAINPNG A BARRAGE 1300 YARDS AHEAD OF THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY FRONT LINE WITH RESULTS DESCRIBED BY ONE SHORE OBSERVER AS "PERFECT."
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TOKYO,SUNDAY,AUG. 6-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.210 ISSUED AT 1:30 P.M. (10:30 P.M., E.S.T., SATURDAY) BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS COVERING MILITARY OPERATIONS:
THE SITUATION IN KOREA REMAINED RELATIVELY STABLE DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS. NO MATERIAL CHANGES IN LINES WERE EFFECTIVED NOR WERE ANY SUBSTANTIAL ENEMY ADVANCES MADE. A CONTINUED BUILD-UP OF UNITED NATIONS STRENGTH IS IN PROGRESS. COUPLED WITH THE INCREASE OF STRENGTH OF U.N. FORCES IS THE SYSTEMATIC DESTRUCTION OF THE ENEMY POTENTIAL DUE TO THE CONSTANT ATTACKS BY THE AIR FORCE AND NAVY AND THE GREAT BATTLE LOSSES SUSTAINED BY HIM IN THE GROUND ACTION.
THE 21ST AND 10TH ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) REGIMENTS OF THE 8TH ROK DIVISION WERE ENGAGED IN HEAVY FIRE FIGHTS NORTH OF UISONG THROUGHOUT THE PERIOD. ELEMENTS OF THE 10TH REGIMENT OF THIS DIVISION ENGAGED COMMUNIST PARTOLS AND KILLED AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF ENEMY. AN ENEMY FORCE ESTIMATED AS A COMPANY WAS ENGAGED BY ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST ROK DIVISION FORWARD OF ITS GENERAL LINES. THE ROK ARMY REPORTED OVER 1,000 ENEMY KILLED IN ACTION DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS.
OTHER THAN NORTH OF UISONG, GROUND ACTION WAS CONFINED PRINCIPALLY TO PATROLLING.
THE MARINE AIR FORCE ATTACKED MILITARY TARGETS IN THE VICINITY OF UIRYONG, CHINJU, CHIRYE AND SINBAN. WHILE RESULTS OF OPERATIONS HAVE NOT YET BEEN REPORTED, INDIVIDUAL PILOT REPORTS INDICATE CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE INFLICTED.
ON THE WEST COAST OUR NAVAL SURFACE UNITS BOMBARDED THE PORT OF INCHON. TARGETS UNDER FIRE INCLUDED BARRACKS, FACTORIES, GUN POSITIONS, WAREHOUSES, OIL INSTALLATIONS, ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT, RAILWAY AND A TRANSFORMER STATION. THE SPOTTERS REPORTED THE FIRING RESULTS AS EXCELLENT.
THE AIR FORCE MAINTAINED ITS RELENTLESS ATTACKS AGAINST MILITARY TARGETS CLOSE IN TO THE BATTLE LINS AND IN THE REAR AREAS. NINE ENEMY AIRCRAFT WERE DESTROYED AND NINE WERE DAMAGED AT KIMPO AIRFIELD.
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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG 6-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 211 ISSUED AT 2 P.M., KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME (11 P.M., SATURDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):
IN SPITE OF LOW VISIBILITY AND POOR FLYING WEATHER IN SOUTHERN SECTORS ON AUGUST 5, U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE UNITS CONTINUED THEIR FULL-SCALE GROUND SUPPORT AND SUPPLY INTERDICTION EFFORT IN KOREA WITH SUCCESSFUL STRIKES ON TARGETS IN THE WEST AND NORTH.
PARTICULARLY HEAVY CONCENTRATIONS OF FIGHTER AND BOMBER ASSAULT WERE LAUNCHED AT OBJECTIVES IN THE SEOUL-INCHON AREA, A MAJOR FOCAL POINT FOR SUPPLY AND TROOP MOVEMENT FROM NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL TO THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.
MORE THAN 465 SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY FEAF AND RAAF AIRCRAFT DURING THE DAY. THE MARK WAS SLIGHTLY UNDER A RECORD TOTAL OF APPROXIMATELY 550 SORTIES FLOWN AUGUST 4 WHEN CLEAR SKIES IN ALL LOCAL AREAS PERMITTED MAXIMUM UTILIZATION OF AIR POWER IN SUPPORT OF U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONTS.
FIFTH AIR FORCE [redacted] FIGHTERS CLAIMED NINE LA-T OR YAK FIGHTERS DESTROYED IN A STRAFING ATTACK ON KIMPO AIRFIELD NEAR SEOUL. AN ADDITIONAL NINE NORTH KOREAN FIGHTERS WERE LISTED AS PROBABLY DESTROYED AND FIVE WERE DAMAGED.
THE STRIKE RAISED THE U.S. AIR FORCE CLAIM FOR NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT TO 58 DESTROYED, 24 DAMAGED AND 17 PROBABLY DESTROYED.
YESTERDAY'S ACTION FOLLOWED A B-26 LIGHT BOMBER STRIKE AT OSAN AND KUMCHON AIRFIELDS IN WHICH A NUMBER OF NORTH KOREAN FIGHTERS WERE PROBABLY DAMAGED OR DESTROYED IN MEDIUM ALTITUDE BOMB DROPS.

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FEAF B-29S ATTACKED THE SEOUL MARSHALLING YARDS FOR THE SECOND TIME IN TWO DAYS. DIRECT HITS SPLINTERED ROLLING STOCK AND TORE UP LARGE QUANTITIES OF TRACKAGE IN THE YARDS.
APPROXIMATELY 100 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES WERE DROPPED USING VISUAL SIGHTING. PRELIMINARY REPORTS INDICATED SUFFICIENT DAMAGE IN THE TWO STRIKES TO CRIPPLE THE KEY RAIL CENTER FOR A CONSIDERABLE TIME.
OTHER B-29S STRUCK AT RAILROAD AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES ALONG THE RAIL AND ROAD ARTERIES BEING USED TO CARRY COMMUNIST WAR MATERIAL SOUTH TO SEOUL.
A RAILROAD BRIDGE NEAR MUNSAN, 23 MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL, WAS HIT AND DAMAGED EXTENSIVELY AND GOOD RESULTS WERE OBTAINED IN AN ATTACK ON A HIGHWAY BRIDGE NEARBY. A SECOND HIGHWAY BRIDGE, 20 MILES NORTH OF SEOUL, WAS OBSERVED TO HAVE LOST ONE SPAN AFTER THE BOMB DROP, AND A RAILROAD BRIDGE FIVE MILES FARTHER NORTH WAS DAMAGED.
A SINGLE 1,000 POUND BOMB DROPPED ON A RAILROAD TRAIN NORTHWEST OF MUNSAN SET OFF A LARGE EXPLOSION AND FIRES. SMOKE CLOUDS ROSE TO 8,000 FEET OVER THE BURNING WRECKAGE.
B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE STEPPED UP THE NUMBER OF NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS AIMED AT SUPPLY AND VEHICULAR MOVEMENTS

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE STEPPED UP THE NUMBER OF NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS AIMED AT SUPPLY AND VEHICULAR MOVEMENTS BEING CARRIED OUT BY THE NORTH KOREANS UNDER THE COVER OF DARKNESS.
NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS WERE FLOWN TO TAEJON, SUWON, SEOUL, AND INCHON. SEVERAL FIRES AND OTHER EVIDENCE OF DESTRUCTION WERE REPORTED BY THE PILOTS MAKING BOMBING AND STRAFING RUNS ON MILITARY CONCENTRATION

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POINTS IN THE NORTHWEST SECTOR.
IN DAYLIGHT MISSIONS, THE B-26S DAMAGED A BRIDGE AT CHONGSAN, 20 MILES EAST OF TAEJON, AND TWO RAILROAD TUNNELS 10 MILES WEST OF YOSU. RAIL LINES WERE HIT AND TRACKAGE DESTROYED AT SEVERAL POINTS NEAR ANYANG, 10 MILES SOUTH OF SEOUL, AND ALSO ON THE SEOUL-INCHON LINK.

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A MAJORITY OF FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80 AND F-51 FIGHTER MISSIONS WERE FLOWN TO POINTS FROM CHONGJU NORTH AND WEST TO SEOUL AND INCHON. MORE THAN 330 FIGHTER SORTIES HIT RAIL, ROAD AND TROOP TARGETS BEHIND THE NORTH KOREAN LINES.
FIGHTERS ATTACKED AND DAMAGED A CHEMICAL PLANT AT HAEJU, 75 MILES WEST OF SEOUL, AS WELL AS WAREHOUSES AND RAIL TARGETS IN THE INCHON AREA.
F-82S FLYING DAYLIGHT MISSIONS CLOSE TO THE FIGHTING FRONTS ATTACKED VEHICLES, GUN POSITIONS AND OTHER GROUND OBJECTIVES WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS. A 22,000-GALLON GASOLINE SUPPLY DUMP AT KUMCHON WAS FIRED AND A ROAD BRIDGE AT ANDONG DAMAGED BY THE ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS.
RAAF MUSTANGS, ALSO WORKING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND ECHELONS, DESTROYED TWO FUEL DUMPS AT KOCHANG AND HYOPCHON. THE MUSTANGS ALSO KNOCKED OUT OR DAMAGED NUMEROUS VEHICLES AND STRAFED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE BATTLE ZONES.
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TARGETS BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK AND DAMAGED BY THE FIFTH AIR FORCE AND RAAF FIGHTERS INCLUDED 49 VEHICLES OF ALL TYPES, 17 LOCOMOTIVES, 34 BOXCARS, 14 ARTILLERY PIECES AND FOUR WAREHOUSES.
ONE F-51 WAS HIT BY NORTH KOREAN GROUND FIRE AND CRASHED BEHIND THE LINES.
FIFTH AIR FORCE CARGO PLANES CARRIED APPROXIMATELY 58 TONS OF URGENTLY NEEDED MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES DURING THE DAY.
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TOKYO, AUG. 6(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 212, ISSUED AT 3:50 P.M. (12:50 P.M. SUNDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME.)
ABOARD A U.S. NAVY AIRCRAFT CARRIER IN KOREAN WATERS--MARINE FLIERS OF A CARRIER BORNE AIR GROUP HAD AN OLD FASHIONED SATURDAY HOUSE CLEANING IN THE SUWON-INCHON-SEOUL AREA YESTERDAY.
COMPLETE DEMOLITION OF A LARGE TANK AND TRUCK ASSEMBLY PLANT AT INCHON AND THE SETTING IN FLAMES OF A FUEL LADEN TANKER BY A TRIO OF LEATHERNECK FIGHTER PILOTS HIGHLIGHTED A DAY WHOSE TALLY IN FIVE STRIKES INCLUDED THREE FREIGHT TRAINS FIRED, A RAILROAD BRIDGE AT SEOUL BLASTED, AN OIL REFINERY AND CHEMICAL PLANT AT INCHON LEFT BLAZING, FOUR OTHER FACTORIES ROCKETED AND STRAFED, A RAILROAD TUNNEL AND ROLLING STOCK HIDDEN INSIDE BLOWN UP, TWO LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED AND, AFTER BOMBARDMENT AMMUNITION WAS EXHAUSTED, OVER TWO HUNDRED BOXCARS WERE MACHINE GUNNED.
IN ADDITION TO THESE SATURDAY CLEANUP CHORES, THE MARINES FLEW COVER FOR U.S. NAVY P-2-V NEPTUNES SPOTTING NAVAL GUNFIRE FOR THE UNITED NATIONS SURFACE FLEET BOMBARDMENT OF INCHON, MAJOR SEAPORT AND INDUSTRIAL CITY WEST OF SEOUL. SMOKE FROM BLAZING TARGETS TOWERED FIVE HUNDRED FEET AND WAS VISIBLE FIFTY MILES AT SEA.
THE BIG-EVENT OF THE DAY WAS AMASSED BY MAJOR KENNETH L. REUSSER OF SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, SON OF REVEREND AND MRS. FRED C. REUSSER OF PORTLAND, OREGON. MAJOR REUSSER, A ONE TIME UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA FOOTBALL AND WRESTLING STAR, IS ENTITLED TO WEAR THE NAVY CROSS AND THE DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS FOR ACTION AT GUADALCANAL AND OKINAWA. AFTER FLYING COVER FOR THE NAVY P-2-V SPOTTERS, REUSSER DROPPED DOWN TO GIVE SOME PERSONAL ATTENTION. HE FLEW ROOF-HIGH TO INVESTIGATE A LARGE DOUBLE WINGED FACTORY WHOSE 300-FOOT EXPANSE ESCAPED DAMAGE IN THE BOMBARDMENT.
THROUGH THE WINDOWS HE SAW IT WAS A TANK AND TRUCK ASSEMBLY AND REPAIR CENTER. LEADING HIS FLIGHT BACK TO THE CARRIER TO REPORT AND REARM, HE WAS GIVEN PERMISSION TO RETURN TO INCHON. THE ENEMY, NOT ANTICIPATING A REVISIT, HAD FAILED TO EMPTY THE PLANT OF ITS MOVEABLE ROLLING STOCK AND SIX LARGE TANKS, SIGNIFICANTLY BEARING UNITED STATES ARMY IDENTIFICATION MARKING, AND A SCORE OF TRUCKS WERE IN THE COURTYARD.
THREE NAPALM BOMBS AND A BURST OF ROCKETS EFFECTED THE TOTAL DESTRUCTION OF THE TANKS, TRUCKS, FACTORY AND CONTENTS.
LEAVING THE AREA AT AN ALTITUDE OF FIFTY FEET, REUSSER SAW THAT WHAT HAD APPEARED FROM THE GREATER HEIGHT TO BE A PIER EXTENSION WAS IN REALITY A TANKER CLEVERLY CAMOUFLAGED, HIS ROCKETS AND BOMBS EXPENDED, REUSSER RAKED THE HULL OF THE VESSEL WITH HIS TWENTY MILLIMETER GUNS AND THE TANKER DISINTEGRATED WITH A BLAST THAT TOSSED THE NAVY CORSAIR ALMOST OUT OF CONTROL, DENTING THE WINGS AND FUSILAGE WITH DEBRIS.
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PARTICIPATING IN THE ATTACKS WERE CAPTAIN CHARLES D. GARBER, USMC, OF TACOMA PARK, MARYLAND, AND ORANGE, CALIFORNIA AND FIRST LIEUTENANT ROBERT MINNICK, USMC, OF BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.
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TOKYO, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE TEXT OF A NAVY COMMUNIQUE, NO. 213, ISSUED AT 5 P.M. (2 A.M., EST) TODAY:
TASK FORCE 77 DOUBLED THE SIZE OF ITS JETPROPELLED PUNCH WHEN TWO 20,000 TON ESSEX CLASS CARRIERS WENT INTO ACTION IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR OF SOUTH KOREA YESTERDAY. THE ONE U.S. NAVY CARRIER ON DUTY WITH THE SEVENTH FLEET WAS RECENTLY JOINED BY A SISTER SHIP FLYING THE FLAG OF REAR ADMIRAL E.C. EWEN.
THE AIR GROUPS OF THE TWO CARRIERS, CONSISTING OF PANTHER JET FIGHTERS, SKYRAIDER ATTACK BOMBERS AND CORSAIR FIGHTERS, BLASTED A WIDE VARIETY OF TARGETS IN CHINJU AND IN THE AREA WEST AND SOUTH OF THAT TOWN.
THE SPAN OF ONE BRIDGE WAS KNOCKED OUT, HITS WERE MADE ON ANOTHER WITH FOUR 500 POUND BOMBS AND ON A THIRD BRIDGE BY THREE 500 POUND BOMBS. CAMOUFLAGED TARGETS IN A VILLAGE NEAR CHINJU WERE HIT, STARTING LARGE FIRES. TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN SECHON WERE STRAFED AND CAMOUFLAGED STORES NEAR KURYONG WERE SET AFIRE.
CHINJU ITSELF WAS HIT BY BOMBS AND ROCKETS, CAUSING AN UNDETERMINED AMOUNT OF DAMAGE. AN AUTOMOTIVE SHOP IN KURYONG AND A LARGE BUILDING IN A VILLAGE TO THE SOUTH OF THAT TOWN WERE DESTROYED.
A POWER PLANT ONE MILE SOUTH OF IRI WAS BLOWN UP BY ROCKET FIRE AND A FACTORY TWO MILES NORTHWEST OF MANGYONG WAS DAMAGED.
TRUCKS AND BUILDINGS WEST OF KWANGJU WERE STRAFED, AS WAS AN

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING NORTH OF KUSAN. FIFTEEN TO 20 JUNKS IN THE YANGSAN RIVER AND ALONG THE WEST COAST WERE STRAFED. ONE JUNK AND ONE SAMPAN WEST OF KUMJEX WERE SUNK. RETURNING PILOTS REPORTED CONSIDERABLE SMALL BOAT TRAFFIC IN THIS GENERAL AREA.

IN THE ATTACK ON ONE OF THE BRIDGES LIGHT ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE WAS ENCOUNTERED, ACCORDING TO A PILOT. IN A SECOND RUN ON THE BRIDGE THE ANTIAIRCRAFT POSITIONS WERE STRAFED, RESULTING IN SEVERAL LARGE EXPLOSIONS.

TASK FORCE 77 IS PART OF THE SEVENTH FLEET, UNDER THE OVERALL COMMAND OF VICE ADMIRAL ARTHUR D. STRUBLE.

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LONDON, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE TEXTS OF TODAY'S NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIQUES, BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:

EVENING COMMUNIQUE--

ON ALL FRONTS, TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUE BITTER BATTLES WITH UNITS OF AMERICAN TROOPS.

THE ENEMY--HURLED BACK BY UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY FROM THE AREA OF CHINJU, HYOPCHON, KUMCHON, AND ANDONG--IS UTILIZING THE ADVANTAGEOUS CONDITIONS OF TERRAIN AND OFFERING RESISTANCE ON A RESTRICTED LINE SOUTHEAST OF THE RIVER NAKTONG.

AIRCRAFT OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, CONTINUING BITTER ENGAGEMENTS WITH THE NUMERICALLY SUPERIOR AMERICAN AIR FORCE, ARE COVERING THE OFFENSIVE OF GROUND UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY.

MORNING COMMUNIQUE--

ON ALL FRONTS, TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED BITTER, OFFENSIVE BATTLES, INFLICTING BLOWS ON INFANTRY AND MOTORIZED UNITS OF AMERICAN TROOPS AND SYNGMAN RHEE PUPPET TROOPS WHO OFFERED STUBBORN RESISTANCE ON PREVIOUSLY PREPARED DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.

THE ENEMY IS BARBAROUSLY BOMBING AND SHELLING FROM NAVAL VESSELS PEACEFUL TOWNS AND VILLAGES OF KOREA.

ON AUG. 2 AN AMERICAN DESTROYER OPENED ARTILLERY FIRE ON THE TOWN OF CHUNMUNCHIN (THUGUNRI). HOWEVER, A COASTAL BATTERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY PUT DOWN THE FIRE OF THE DESTROYER. RECEIVING FOUR DIRECT HITS, THE ENEMY DESTROYER BURST INTO FLAMES AND DEPARTED SOUTHWARDS.

ON AUG. 3 AMERICAN PLANS ONCE MORE RAIDED THE DISTRICT OF THE TOWN OF PYNONGYANG. ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY BROUGHT DOWN PLANES OF THE ENEMY.

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NIGHT LEAD ANTI-TANK

WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-SHAPED-CHARGE ANTI-TANK SHELLS FOR USE IN 105 MILLIMETER ARTILLERY ARE IN USE IN KOREA OR WILL SHORTLY ARRIVE THERE, AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID THAT EACH OF THE ARMY'S INFANTRY DIVISIONS HAS THREE BATTALIONS WITH 105 MILLIMETER GUNS. THE WEAPONS HAVE AN EFFECTIVE RANGE OF MORE THAN SEVEN MILES.

THE SHAPED CHARGE SHELLS INCORPORATE A CHARGE DESIGNED TO FOCUS ITS EFFECT SO AS TO PENETRATE TANK ARMOR. IT WAS DEVELOPED SINCE THE END OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE SHELL HAS PROPERTIES SIMILAR TO THE 3 1/2 INCH BAZOOKA, WHICH CAN PENETRATE HEAVY ARMOR. IN ADDITION, IT HAS A MUCH GREATER RANGE.

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KOREA-MILITARY(170)

WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-AN ARMY SPOKESMAN INDICATED TODAY THAT THE PENTAGON BELIEVES THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS WILL KEEP ON PRESSING THE FIGHT REGARDLESS OF LOSSES, AS LONG AS THEY CAN.

"WHEN YOU HAVE AN ENEMY UNDER COMMANDERS WITH AN UTTER DISREGARD FOR LOSSES, YOU CAN EXPECT THEM TO GO RIGHT TO THE LAST DITCH," A BRIEFING OFFICER TOLD NEWSMEN.

HE DREW A PARALLEL BETWEEN THE ACTION OF THE KOREAN REDS IN PUSHING ON DESPITE HEAVY CASUALTIES, AND THAT OF THE RUSSIANS IN WORLD WAR II WHEN THE SOVIETS LOST MILLIONS OF MEN BUT PAID NO ATTENTION TO THE SACRIFICE OF LIVES.

THAT INDICATES THE TYPE OF TRAINING THE NORTH KOREAN INVADERS HAVE HAD, THE OFFICER SAID.

THE OFFICER DECLINED TO SPECULATE THAT THE EXPECTED COMMUNIST ATTACK EAST OF CHINJU WILL BE THE FINAL EFFORT OF THE NORTH KOREANS.

HE SAID HIS IDEA IS THAT THEY WILL "CONTINUE RIGHT TO THE LAST INCH OF GROUND IF THEY CAN."

ASKED WHETHER HE THOUGHT THE EXPECTED BATTLE EAST OF CHINJU WOULD BE THE DECISIVE FIGHT OF THE WAR, HE SAID YOU CAN NEVER SAY WHICH IS THE DECISIVE BATTLE OF THE WAR UNTIL LONG AFTER IT HAS OCCURED.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-IF AND WHEN THE RED KOREANS ARE DRIVEN BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL, WILL THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES STOP THERE?

THERE'S BEEN NO TOPAILEVEL DECISION ON THAT QUESTION, BUT HERE'S THE OPINION SOME MILITARY AUTHORITIES EXPRESSED TODAY:

THE ONLY WAY TO END THE KOREAN WAR IS TO ANNIHILATE THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY AS A FIGHTING FORCE WHEREVER IT MAY BE, WHETHER IN SOUTH OR NORTH KOREA.

THE UNITED STATES IS NOT COMMITTED TO FIGHT ONLY SOUTH OF THE PARALLEL, THESE AUTHORITIES SAID.

HOWEVER, IT IS NOT COMMITTED TO GO ACROSS THE PARALLEL EITHER. PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS ASKED AT A NEWS CONFERENCE JULY 13 WHETHER THERE WOULD BE "POLICE ACTION" NORTH OF THE PARALLEL WHEN THE TIME CAME. HE REPLIED THAT THE DECISION WOULD BE MADE WHEN IT BECAME NECESSARY.

BEN C. LIMB, SOUTH KOREAN FOREIGN MINISTER, HAS SAID THAT WHEN THE U.N. COUNTER-OFFENSIVE STARTS IT WILL NOT STOP SHORT OF THE MANCHURIAN BORDER.

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(300) PAULEY-KOREAN BOMBING

WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-SENATE SOURCES TODAY CREDIT A BIG ASSIST ON AIR FORCE BOMBING OF NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST TARGETS TO EDWIN W. PAULEY, FORMER SPECIAL AMBASSADOR FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

THEY SAID THAT PHOTOGRAPHS AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA OBTAINED BY PAULEY IN 1946 DESPITE RUSSIAN PROTESTS HAVE HELPED GUIDE RECENT U.S. B-29 BOMBING STRIKES.

SENATORS STILL ARE TRYING TO LEARN THE BACKGROUND PURPOSE AND PERSONALITIES INVOLVED IN THE PUBLIC TESTIMONY HERE THURSDAY ON KOREA BY PAULEY. THE WEALTHY OIL MAN AND POLITICIAN WAS BILLED AS A MYSTERY WITNESS BY CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE.

DURING HIS TESTIMONY, PAULEY EXPRESSED THE PERSONAL OPINION THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD HAVE GONE TO WAR WITH RUSSIA IF NECESSARY TO

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COMPEL THE SOVIETS TO LIVE UP TO AGREEMENTS ON KOREA.
JUST WHO IN THE GOVERNMENT SUGGESTED THAT PAULEY BE BILLED AS A WITNESS HAS NOT YET BEEN DISCLOSED.
DISCUSSING PAULEY'S VISIT TO KOREA, SEVERAL SENATORS TOLD A REPORTER PRIVATELY TODAY THAT THE INFORMATION HE BROUGHT BACK HAS PROVED OF VALUE TO THE U.S. AIR FORCE. PAULEY HIMSELF TESTIFIED THAT AIR FORCE AND OTHER MILITARY LEADERS HAD BEEN USING THE DATA.
PAULEY IN 1946 WAS SERVING AS U.S. REPRESENTATIVE ON WAR REPARATIONS. HE AND HIS PARTY INSISTED ON MAKING A SPOT CHECK OF JAPANESE-BUILT PLANTS AND INDUSTRIES IN NORTH KOREA, THEN AS NOW IN COMMUNIST HANDS. THE SPOT CHECK WAS DESIRED BECAUSE RUSSIANS HAD LOOTED OTHER CAPTURED AREAS.
PAULEY SAID IT REQUIRED "EXTREME PRESSURE" BEFORE THE AMERICANS FINALLY WERE ADMITTED TO NORTH KOREA BY RUSSIAN OFFICERS AND THEN RUSSIANS RAN TRAINS AHEAD AND BEHIND THEM FILLED WITH ARMED GUARDS.
"NOT A PICTURE COULD BE TAKEN WITHOUT AN ARGUMENT BEFORE, AND DIRE THREAT AFTER," HE SAID. "BUT WE DID GET SOME PICTURES OF THE PLANTS WE WERE INSPECTING AND THE TYPE OF GUARDS WE WERE UNDER."
PAULEY SAID HIS STAFF CHECKED ON "CHEMICAL PLANTS, POWER INSTALLATIONS, VARIOUS MINES AND STEEL WORKS, A SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY, ETC."
ALTHOUGH PAULEY'S PHOTOGRAPHS AND DATA NOW ARE AIDING THE AIR FORCES ON BOMBING RAIDS THAT WAS NOT FORESEEN WHEN THE GROUP VISITED NORTH KOREA.
"WE WERE GOING THERE FOR JUST ONE REASON," HE TESTIFIED. "A SURVEY OF JAPANESE ASSETS IN NORTH KOREA BY QUALIFIED TECHNICIANS AND ENGINEERS WAS URGENTLY NEEDED TO GUIDE THE UNITED STATES POLICY TOWARD REPARATIONS IN THE FAR EAST."
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WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE NAVY SAID TODAY THAT BRITISH NAVAL UNITS HAVE BOMBARDED A BARRACKS, A RAILROAD STATION, GUN POSITIONS, AN ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT AND OTHER TARGETS AT A TOWN ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA.
THE REPORT RECEIVED HERE NAMED THE TOWN AS ICHON. HOWEVER, A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID THIS TOWN IS TOO FAR INALND FOR NAVAL BOMBARDMENT, AND THAT THE SCENE OF THE ATTACK MAY HAVE BEEN INCHON ON THE COAST.
HE TOLD NEWSMEN EXCELLENT RESULTS WERE REPORTED.
THE NAVY SAID LATER THAT THE PLACE BOMBARDED WAS INCH[illegible].
THE BRITISH SHIPS WERE PROTECTED BY U.S. MARINE CORPS PLANES OPERATING FROM A CARRIER.
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(650) WAR INTERPRETIVE
BY ELTON C. FAY
WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-NEW SUCCESSES BY THE KOREAN RED ARMY MAY COMPEL A REVISION IN AMERICAN MOBILIZATION PLANS TO BRING MORE COMBAT-READY TROOPS INTO ACTION FASTER.
HIGH MILITARY PLANNERS HAVE BEEN TALKING RECENTLY OF THE PROBABILITY THAT IT WOULD BE LATE FALL OR EARLY WINTER BEFORE ADDITIONAL NATIONAL GUARD DIVISION COULD BE BROUGHT INTO FEDERAL SERVICE UNDER THE PRESENT MOBILIZATION PLAN. THEY EXPLAINED THAT FACILITIES OF THE REGULAR ARMY ARE LIMITED AND THAT MEN MUST BE TRAINED TO BRING UP TO WARTIME STRENGTH THE FOUR GUARD DIVISIONS ALREADY SELECTED.
BUT THAT WAS BEFORE IT BEGAN TO APPEAR THE LAST WATER BARRIER ON THE PERIMETER OF THE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE LINE MIGHT NOT BE HELD AND THAT STILL MORE DESPERATE FIGHTING MIGHT HAVE TO BE DONE IN MOUNTAIN POSITIONS CLOSER TO THE KEY PORT OF PUSAN.
AT THE PENTAGON TODAY, SPOKESMEN STILL MAINTAINED, EMPHATICALLY, THAT THE SOUTH KOREAN BEACHHEAD WOULD BE HELD UNTIL THE TIME WHEN A BUILD-UP OF STRENGTH WOULD ALLOW A BREAK-OUT AND THE BEGINNING OF A COUNTEROFFENSIVE.
BUT THEY DID NOT INSIST THAT THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE WAS THE FINAL POSITION.
NOR DID ANYONE WANT TO REMEMBER THE DECLARATION A WEEK AGO BY LT. GEN. WALTON WALKER, 8TH ARMY COMMANDER, THAT THE LINE THEN (SOME MILES FARTHER OUT THAN TODAY) WAS WHERE THE STAND WOULD BE MADE, THAT NOT ANOTHER INCH OF GROUND WOULD BE GIVEN.
ESTIMATES OF THE TIME IT WILL TAKE TO GET THE FOUR NATIONAL GUARD DIVISIONS FILLED OUT TO FULL MANPOWER STRENGTH AND READY FOR DUTY IN THE FAR EAST RANGE UP TO SEVERAL MONTHS. BUT IN THE MEANTIME, THE REQUIREMENTS FOR DEFENSE OF THE KOREAN BEACHHEAD ARE MOUNTING.
KILLED AND WOUNDED MUST BE REPLACED. THE NUMBERS OF AMERICAN TROOPS MISSING IN ACTION (WHICH MEANS THEY HAVE BEEN CUT OFF AND CAPTURED) HAS BEEN INCREASING.
THE NEED NOW IS FOR MORE NEW UNITS OF GROUND FORCES, FOR INDIVIDUAL REPLACEMENTS AND FOR MORE MEN IN THE GENERAL PROGRAM FOR EXPANSION OF THE ARMY.
THE GOVERNMENT STARTED OUT BY "INVITING" RESERVISTS TO ENTER ACTIVE DUTY. YESTERDAY IT MOVED DEFINITELY BEYOND THIS BY ANNOUNCING A CALL-UP OF 62,000 ENLISTED RESERVISTS "WITH OR WITHOUT THEIR CONSENT."

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IN THE NATIONAL GUARD FIELD THE GOVERNMENT BEGAN BY ORDERING ONLY SUB-DIVISION UNITS INTO FEDERAL SERVICE, THEN EARLY THIS WEEK DECIDED TO CALL UP WHOLE DIVISIONS.
ANOTHER STEP EXPECTED TO BE TAKEN SOON IS THE CALLING IN OF COMPANY GRADE RESERVE OFFICERS (LIEUTENANTS AND CAPTAINS). THE POSSIBILITY OF AMENDMENT OF THE DRAFT LAW TO PROVIDE A GREATER POOL FOR INDUCTIONS ALSO INCREASES.
THE UNITED STATES IS BY NO MEANS DOWN TO THE BOTTOM OF THE BARREL OF REGULAR ARMY, NATIONAL GUARD AND MARINE DIVISIONS.
BUT IT NOW MUST DECIDE HOW MUCH CAN BE COMMITTED TO THE KOREAN WAR, HOW MUCH MUST BE KEPT IN RESERVE AT HOME. IT MUST WEIGH THE URGENT NEEDS FOR KOREA AGAINST THE DANGER THAT FORCES MAY BE NEEDED IN A HURRY TO DEAL WITH AN OUTBREAK SOMEWHERE ELSE.
LEFT IN THIS COUNTRY ARE FOUR ARMY DIVISIONS, A MARINE DIVISION, SOME SMALLER UNITS -- AND THE NATIONAL GUARD. OF THE GUARD, FOUR OF 27 DIVISIONS NOW ARE UNDER ORDERS FOR FEDERALIZATION.
ONE FACTOR THE AMERICAN MILITARY LEADERS ARE FORCED TO RECKON WITH IN FIGHTING THE KOREAN WAR IS THAT THE COMMUNIST ARMY, LIKE ITS RUSSIAN COUNTERPART, ISN'T STOPPED BY HEAVY LOSS OF LIFE. A PENTAGON BRIEFING OFFICER PUT IT THIS WAY:
"WHEN YOU HAVE AN ENEMY WITH UTTER DISREGARD FOR THE LIVES OF HIS TROOPS YOU CAN EXPECT HIM TO KEEP ON GOING TO THE LAST DITCH."
BEYOND THAT, THERE IS THE CONSTANT POSSIBILITY THAT THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY MAY, AT ANY TIME, BE REINFORCED BY SOME OF THE SEVERAL HUNDRED THOUSAND MANCHURIAN TROOPS CONCENTRATED NEAR THE MANCHURIA-NORTH KOREA BORDER.
THE CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG RIVER BY ELEMENTS OF THE RED ARMY TODAY

DISPATCHES FROM THE FRONT SAID THE CROSSING WAS NOT CONTESTED, THAT THE DEFENDERS OF THAT PARTICULAR PART OF THE RIVER LINE HAD PULLED BACK EARLIER TO A BETTER POSITION IN HILLS. AGAIN, THE FALL-BACK WAS DESCRIBED AS "PLANNED."

WHILE THE NAKTONG RIVER IS THE LAST WATER BARRIER LEFT, BRIEFING OFFICERS DECLARE IT IS NOT THE LAST GOOD LINE LEFT. THEY CLAIM SEVERAL POTENTIAL GOOD DEFENSE LINES ARE TO BE FOUND IN THE MAOUNTAINOUS ARC SURROUNDING PUSAN.

SOMEWHERE WITHIN THAT ARC THEY ARE SURE A FINAL LINE CAN BE ESTABLISHED, TO HOLD FIRM AGAINST NORTH KOREAN ASSAULT.

THEY TOINT TO THE WORLD WAR II BATTLE TO HOLD THE ITALIAN BEACHHEAD OF ANZIO. THERE AMERICAN TROOPS HELD FOR WEEKS A FEW SQUARE MILES OF LAND, MUCH SMALLER THAN THE PRESENT POSITION IN KOREA, AGAINST HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE, AIR AND ARMOR ATTACKS. EVENTUALLY THE DEFENDERS OF THE BEACHHEAD BROKE OUT AND THE BATTLE WAS WON.

HOWEVER, THERE ARE DIFFERENCES IN THE TWO CAMPAIGNS. THE GERMAN FORCES ATTACKING THE ANZIO BEACHHEAD HAD TO DIVERT PART OF THEIR STRENGTH TO MEET A DIVERSIONARY PUSH OF ALLIED FORCES FROM THE SOUTH TO RELIEVE ANZIO. THERE ARE NO DIVERSIONARY OPERATIONS FORESEEABLE IN THE KOREAN OPERATION.

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(470)
AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD U.N.
BY FRANCIS W.CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS,AUG.5-(AP)-DELEGATES IN THE UNITED NATIONS SAY A SOVIET VETO CANNOT STOP THE U.N. WAR EFFORT AGAINST INVADING COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS NOW, BUT COULD FRUSTRATE THE SECURITY COUNCIL IF THE COMMUNISTS START TROUBLE ANYWHERE ELSE.

IF A NEW COMMUNIST OUTBREAK OCCURS AND THE RUSSIANS BLOCK THE COUNCIL BY A VETO, THE WEST WILL GO PROMPTLY TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR COLLECTIVE ACTION.

MEANWHILE, U.N. SOURCES HERE SAID A LETTER HAD BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE RUSSIAN DELEGATION ASKING THE U.N. SECRETARIAT TO SPEED UP RUSSIAN TRANSLATIONS OF ALL IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS BEING ISSUED IN CONNECTION WITH THE AGENDA OF THE FALL MEETING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, TO CONVENE HERE SEPT.19. THIS WAS TAKEN AS AN INDICATION THE RUSSIANS DEFINITELY PLAN TO BE ON HAND FOR THE ASSEMBLY.

THERE HAS BEEN LITTLE DOUBT HERE THAT THE SOVIETS WILL ATTEND THE ASSEMBLY. THE MAIN QUESTION RAISED IS HOW LONG THEY WILL REMAIN. THEY HAVE NOT HAD A CHANCE YET TO BOYCOTT THE ASSEMBLY, WHICH ADJOURNED ITS MEETING LAST DECEMBER BEFORE THE RUSSIAN WALKOUT FROM VARIOUS U.N. BODIES STARTED IN JANUARY.

ANOTHER DEFINITE INDICATION OF RUSSIAN PLANS TO BE REPRESENTED AT THE ASSEMBLY WAS THE RECENT DISCLOSURE BY A RELIABLE SOURCE THAT THEY WERE NEGOTIATING TO RENT TWO LONG ISLAND ESTATES TO HOUSE THEIR EXPANDED DELEGATION IN SEPTEMBER.

U.N. DIPLOMATS HAVE WAITED VAINLY THIS WEEK FOR SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A.MALIK TO SHOW JUST WHY HE RETURNED TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL LAST TUESDAY AFTER A HALF-YEAR BOYCOTT. HE DID INTRODUCE YESTERDAY A TWO-POINT PEACE PROGRAM FOR KOREA, BUT THE VIEW OF SOME DIPLOMATS IS THAT HE CAME BACK REALLY TO ISOLATE THE UNITED STATES FROM ITS ALLIES IN THE U.N. HOWEVER, THEY STILL ARE WAITING TO BE SURE OF THE REAL REASON FOR INTERRUPTING THE BOYCOTT.

AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN GAVE THIS SIZEUP TODAY:

THIS COUNTRY WILL CONTINUE TO OPPOSE MALIK'S ATTEMPT TO INVITE THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS TO THE COUNCIL TABLE. MOST MEMBERS TAKE THE ATTITUDE THAT YOU CANNOT DISCUSS A SETTLEMENT WITH A FIREBUG AND THAT INVITING THE NORTH KOREANS HERE TO TALK ABOUT A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT WOULD BE LIKE ASKING TO TEA A MAN WHO HAD BURNED DOWN YOUR FRONT PORCH. THE ISSUE BEYOND ALL DOUBT IS THE REFUSAL OF THE NORTH KOREANS TO OBEY THE CEASE-FIRE AND WITHDRAWAL ORDER LAID DOWN BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL JUNE 25, THE DAY THE WAR STARTED. MALIK IS TRYING TO CLOSE HIS EYES AND SLEEP AWAY THE UNITY ON KOREA ESTABLISHED IN THE U.N. SINCE JUNE 25. MOST MEMBERS FEEL THE COUNCIL CANNOT LISTEN TO THE NORTH KOREANS UNTIL THEY COMPLY WITH COUNCIL ORDERS, THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

AMBASSADOR JOHN M.CHANG, OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, IN A STATEMENT CALLED THE COMMUNIST GROUP IN NORTH KOREA A "RUSSIAN-INSPIRED, RUSSIAN-FINANCED, RUSSIAN-ARMED AND RUSSIAN-DIRECTED EFFORT TO OVERTHROW THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA AND THUS EXTINGUISH THE LAST VESTIGE OF DEMOCRACY AND FREE GOVERNMENT IN NORTHEAST ASIA." HE SAID THERE IS NO NEED TO ASK ANYONE FROM THESE COMMUNISTS TO BE PRESENT AT THE COUNCIL "IF THE PUPPETEER ALREADY IS IN ATTENDANCE AT THE COUNCIL."

THE STATEMENT WAS ISSUED BY THE KOREAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON ON BEHALF OF CHANG WHO SAT AT THE COUNCIL TABLE HERE DURING THE KOREAN DEBATES UNTIL MALIK TOOK THE PRESIDENCY THIS MONTH.

THE SECURITY COUNCIL RECESSED FRIDAY UNTIL TUESDAY AFTER ONE OF THE MOST TEMPESTUOUS WEEKS IN ITS HISTORY. MALIK TOOK OVER THE COUNCIL PRESIDENCY LAST TUESDAY. SINCE THAT TIME THE COUNCIL HAS NOT SUCCEEDED IN FOUR DAYS IN DOING WHAT IT TOOK ABOUT FOUR MINUTES TO DO ON JUNE 25--THAT IS, TO DECIDE TO TALK ABOUT THE KOREAN WAR AND INVITE A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA TO TAKE PART IN THE DEBATE.

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AFTER LONG WRANGLING THE COUNCIL DID DECIDE ON THURSDAY TO TALK ABOUT THE "COMPLAINT OF AGGRESSION UPON THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA" AS DEMANDED BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND OTHERS. THAT CHARGE OF AGGRESSION HAS BEEN BEFORE THE COUNCIL SINCE THE U.S. LODGED IT ON JUNE 25. THE COUNCIL REFUSED TO SUBSTITUTE AN ITEM PUT UP BY MALIK TAGGED "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION." SO MALIK SIMPLY INTRODUCED HIS RESOLUTION THE NEXT DAY UNDER THE ITEM CALLED COMPLAINT OF AGGRESSION.

MALIK'S PEACE PLAN CALLED FOR THE COUNCIL TO INVITE THE RED CHINESE AND NORTH KOREANS TO THE TABE, FOR CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES AND FOR WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN TROOPS FROM KOREA.

MALIK MADE IT CLEAR HE IS READY TO USE THE VETO TO ENFORCE HIS DEMANDS. COUNCIL DELEGATES ARE FAMILIAR WITH THE SOVIET VETO, HAVING COUNTED 43 OF THEM SINCE 1946. THE MAJORITY IS NOT WORRIED ABOUT THAT FOR THE COUNCIL HAS GIVEN THE U.N. ENOUGH AUTHORITY TO OPERATE IN KOREA AND THE RUSSIANS CANNOT SLAP A VETO ON THAT.

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WITH LAKE SUCCESS

MOSCOW, AUG.5-(AP)-U.S. DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN WAS PICTURED IN THE SOVIET PRESS TODAY AS SEEKING TO PREVENT A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION IN THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL.

BRITISH AND FRENCH DELEGATES HAVE ALSO COME UNDER CRITICISM IN ACCOUNTS PUBLISHED HERE OF THE SESSIONS AT LAKE SUCCESS. THE NEWSPAPERS ARE CARRYING LENGTHY TASS DISPATCHES FROM NEW YORK COVERING COUNCIL DEVELOPMENTS, WHICH ARE FOLLOWED WITH KEEN INTEREST HERE.

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PMS BUDGET (500)
U.N.--KOREAN
BY A.I.GOLDBERG

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.5-(AP)-RUSSIA CLIMAXED MANEUVERS DESIGNED TO KEEP THE SECURITY COUNCIL FROM CONDEMNING NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION BY THREATENING YESTERDAY TO VETO ANY DECISION TAKEN WITHOUT COMMUNIST CHINA AND NORTH KOREA PRESENT.

SOVIET DELEGATE JAKOB A.MALIK, WHO ENDED A SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO TAKE OVER THE COUNCIL PRESIDENCY AUG.1, INTRODUCED A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR A CEASE-FIRE, THE WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN (AMERICAN) TROOPS, AND THE PRESENCE OF THE TWO ASIATIC COMMUNIST STATES AT THE COUNCIL'S DELIBERATIONS.

U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN ASSAILED MALIK'S MOVE AS "IRREGULAR CONDUCT."

MALIK HAS FOUGHT A DELAYING, PROCEDURAL ACTION SINCE HE RETURNED TO THE COUNCIL TUESDAY TO PREVENT A DEBATE AND VOTE ON A U.S. RESOLUTION CONDEMNING NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION AND ASKING MEMBERS TO HELP LOCALIZE THE CONFLICT.

AUSTIN WAS JOINED BY BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB IN MAINTAINING THAT ONLY THE U.N.-RECOGNIZED REPUBLIC OF KOREA (SOUTH OF KOREA) BELONGED AT THE COUNCIL TABLE.

THEY MADE IT CLEAR THE RUSSIAN PROPOSALS WOULD BE REJECTED BY A MAJORITY WHEN THE COUNCIL RESUMES ITS SESSIONS NEXT TUESDAY AFTERNOON AFTER A WEEK-END RECESS.

THE AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVE TOLD REPORTERS AFTER THE MEETING THAT THE COUNCIL "HAS A WAY TO PUT A STOP TO THESE CUNNING DEVICES OF OBSTRUCTION--THE KIND OF UNDER-THIS-SHELL NOW, UNDER-THAT-SHELL THEN, GAME THAT IS BEING PLAYED."

HE DID NOT SAY WHAT IT WAS.

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RUSSIA'S MALIK HAS MADE NO OVERT MOVE SO FAR, HOWEVER, TO SET ASIDE THE COUNCIL'S DECISIONS OF JUNE AND JULY--MADE WHILE HE WAS ABSENT--CALLING FOR A CEASE FIRE, LABELLING COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA THE AGGRESSOR AND SETTING UP A U.N. FIGHTING FORCE, FLYING THE INTERNATIONAL BODY'S FLAG, UNDER COMMAND OF GEN. MACARTHUR.

MALIK HAS SAID ONLY THAT THE ACTIONS WERE ILLEGAL, A TERM HE ALSO APPLIED TO THE DEFEATS THE COUNCIL HAS GIVEN HIM SINCE HE WAS PRESIDENT.

HE KEEPS COMING BACK TO ONE SUBJECT: SEATING RED CHINA SOME WAY IN THE COUNCIL.

HE WAS DEFEATED 8-3 HIS FIRST DAY BACK WHEN HE TRIED TO RULE THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS SHOULD LEAVE THE COUNCIL TABLE.

HE WAS ABLE TO GET ONLY FOUR VOTES TO SUPPORT HIM WHEN HE TRIED TO PUT THE QUESTION OF RED CHINA'S REPRESENTATION ON THE AGENDA.

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YESTERDAY MALIK SAID THAT ANY DECISIONS ON KOREA MUST BE MADE IN THE PRESENCE OF ALL FIVE PERMANENT POWERS--INCLUDING RUSSIA AND RED CHINA--AND THAT IT IS A QUESTION OF WHAT THE U.N. CALLS SUBSTANCE, MEANING IT IS SUBJECT TO A VETO.

MALIK HAS NOT YET SHOWN ANY DISPOSITION TO WALK OUT, HOWEVER, BECAUSE OF HIS DEFEAT ON THE QUESTION.

HE ALSO SAID THAT THE KOREAN CONFLICT IS A CIVIL WAR AND THAT BOTH SIDES TO THE DISPUTE--BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA--MUST BE REPRESENTED, AND THAT FOREIGN TROOPS, MEANING U.S. TROOPS, MUST BE PULLED OUT.

THAT, AUSTIN SAID OFF THE FLOOR, IS "BEYOND REASON WHEN THE U.N. IS TRYING TO SAVE ITSELF AGAINST AGGRESSION AND THE FORCE OF ARMS."

AS A PEACE PROPOSAL, AUSTIN SAID, "IT IS A PHARISAICAL EFFORT IN FAVOR OF COMMUNISM AND AGAINST FREEDOM" THAT ONLY "RUSSIA AND ITS CAPTIVE STATES" WOULD REALLY REGARD AS A MOVE FOR PEACE. SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITAIN, PROTESTED "IT WOULD BE OUT OF ORDER TO HAVE THE NORTH KOREANS COME HERE AND ARGUE THEY ARE THE VICTIMS OF AGGRESSION."

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE TEXT OF A STATEMENT ISSUED TODAY IN BEHALF OF AMBASSADOR JOHN M.CHANG OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA (SOUTH KOREA): (ABOUT 300)

"AS THE CHIEF REPRESENTATIVE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, I HAD BEEN INVITED TO AND PERMITTED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO SPEAK IN BEHALF OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE--THAT IS, FROM JUNE 25, THE DATE OF THE LAWLESS COMMUNIST AGGRESSION UP TO THE MOMENT OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE PRESIDENCY OF THE COUNCIL BY MR.JAKOB MALIK, THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE.

"PARADOXICALLY, TO SAY THE LEAST, MR.MALIK WOULD INVITE A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE COMMUNIST GROUP IN NORTH KOREA, A BODY THAT HAS NO LEGAL FORM OR SUBSTANCE IN THE U.N. OR ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD BEYOND THE SOVIET PERIPHERY AND CERTAINLY REGARDED WITHIN KOREA ITSELF AS A RUSSIAN-INSPIRED, RUSSIAN-FINANCED, RUSSIAN-ARMED, AND RUSSIAN-DIRECTED EFFORT TO OVERTHROW THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA AND THUS EXTINGUISH THE LAST VESTIGE OF DEMOCRACY AND FREE GOVERNMENT IN NORTHEAST ASIA.

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"THERE IS NO NEED TO ASK ANYONE FROM THIS COMMUNIST GROUP TO BE PRESENT AT THE SECURITY COUNCIL IF THE PUPPETEER ALREADY IS IN ATTENDANCE AT THE COUNCIL.

"REGARDING THAT PORTION OF THE SOVIET RESOLUTION CALLING FOR AN END TO HOSTILITIES INHKOREA AND THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE U.N. FORCES, MAY I STATE THAT EVEN CONSIDERATION OF THIS PREPOSTEROUS DEMAND WOULD ENCOURAGE THE SOVIET UNION IN THE AGGRESSION IT ALONE INSTIGATED. IN KOREA, AS THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE CIVILIZED WORLD WELL KNOWS, THE SOVIET UNION IS SEEKING TO ADD STILL ANOTHER NATION TO ITS LARGE BAG OF CAPTIVE STATES. THE SUBJUGATION OF MY COUNTRY BY COMMUNISTS WOULD BE MERELY ANOTHER MILEPOST IN RUSSIA'S WICKED DESIGN TO COMMUNIZE THE ENTIRE WORLD, EITHER BY STEALTH AND INFILTRATION AND, THESE FAILING, BY VIOLENCE AND WAR. THIS IS THE PATTERN OF COMMUNIST CONQUEST."

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A123 (700)
(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, AUG. 6)
BY A.I.GOLDBERG

(ADVANCE)..LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 5-(AP)-TOWERING SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITAIN'S NEW REPRESENTATIVE IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL, TURNED OUT TO BE THE COUNCIL'S MOST POLISHED PHRASE-MAKER IN THE WEARING DEBATES RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK FORCED ON THE COUNCIL THIS WEEK.

WHERE SOME DELEGATES TAKE ISSUE WITH MALIK'S RULINGS AS PRESIDENT IN PONDEROUS, SOMETIMES BUMBLING FASHION, JEBB PLACES HIS BARBS WITH THE SAME PRECISION THAT HE CASTS A FLY FOR TROUT OR AIMS A RIFLE WHEN HE HUNTS STAG IN SCOTLAND.

HE WAS A FAVORITE THIS WEEK WITH AUDIENCES WATCHING THE U.N.

SESSIONS ON TELEVISION. ONE SPECTATOR REMARKED SOLEMNLY:
"I'D RATHER WATCH HIM THAN THE WRESTLERS."

A 50-YEAR-OLD CAREER MAN IN BRITAIN'S FOREIGN OFFICE WITH A BRILLIANT UNIVERSITY RECORD BEHIND HIM, JEBB HAS HAD WHAT FOREIGN OFFICE PEOPLE THINK IS AN OUTSTANDING CAREER. BUT IT WAS AS HELPER, ADVISER AND GUIDE TO BRITAIN'S GREAT STATESMEN THAT HE HAS SHONE, NOT AS THE MAN IN THE SPOTLIGHT.

NOW HE IS CARRYING BRITAIN'S ORATORICAL BURDEN IN THE U.N.---A POST HE IS SAID TO HAVE WANTED MORE THAN ANYTHING ELSE NOW--AND MAKING A NEAT JOB OF IT. NEXT MONTH HE WILL BE COUNCIL PRESIDENT. HE SUCCEEDED SIR ALEXANDER CAGOGAN, WHO SPOKE WITH A LOGICAL, SPARSE DRY WIT AND A SAVING OF WORDS.

JEBB HAS A LITTLE MORE LIVELINESS THAN CADOGAN BUT HE DOESN'T HAVE THE FLAMBOYANCE OF THE SCOTSMAN HECTOR MCNEIL OR THE ROLLING PHRASES OF SIR HARTLEY SHAWCROSS, OTHER BRITISH SPOKESMEN HERE IN THE PAST.

A LIFETIME OF READING CLASSIC LITERATURE, STUDYING LANGUAGES, AND LEARNING HISTORY--HE TOOK A "FIRST" AT OXFORD IN HISTORY--HAS GIVEN HIM THE ABILITY TO DELIVER A SIMPLY PHRASED STRAIGHT ANSWER TO A QUESTION, TINGED AT TIMES WITH A CLASSIC BRITISH ACID.

HE IS CREDITED WITH A LOGICAL MIND THAT CUTS QUICKLY THROUGH VERBIAGE OF AN OPPONENT TO SPOT THE WEAKNESS OF THE ARGUMENT AND EXPOSE IT. HIS FLAIR FOR ORGANIZATION AND HIS ABILITY TO DIAGRAM A SITUATION QUICKLY ARE HIS MAIN STRENGTH, FRIENDS SAY.

HE HAS COME UP WITH JUST THE RIGHT WORD AT THE RIGHT TIME THIS WEEK. IT WAS JEBB WHO POINTED OUT--IN A MILD VOICE--THAT THE RUSSIANS USE "UPSIDE-DOWN LANGUAGE" THAT SAYS PEACE AND MEANS WAR, AND WHICH CALLS DEFENSE AGGRESSION.

IT WAS JEBB WHO SAID HE WISHED THERE HAD BEEN MORE TRENCHES AT KOREA'S 38TH PARALLEL, THUS DISPOSING OF MALIK'S COMPLAINT THAT THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT'S JOHN FOSTER DULLES HAD BEEN PHOTOGRAPHED WITH SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE UNITS IN THOSE TRENCHES.

BUT, JEBB ADMITS, "I'M NO GOOD AT CROSSWORD PUZZLES. I NEVER CAN THINK OF THE ANSWER."

HE PLAYED CRICKET AT SCHOOL BUT ISN'T TOO KEEN ABOUT IT. HE ROWED--"BUT THAT WAS A BIT TOO HARD WORK," HE SAID. HE ALSO PLAYED FOOTBALL--SOCCER, THAT IS.

HE HAS SEEN AMERICAN FOOTBALL AND LIKES IT, BUT DOESN'T UNDERSTAND BASEBALL.

SHOOTING STAG ON THE LANDS OF HIS WIFE'S FAMILY--SHE IS CYNTHIA, DAUGHTER OF SIR SAXTON NOBLE--OR FISHING FOR SALMON IN SCOTLAND AND TROUT IN LUXEMBOURG--THOSE ARE THE SPORTS HE ENJOYS NOW, ALONG WITH A LITTLE GOLF.

BUT HE IS KEEN--"FRIGHTFULLY KEEN," HIS FRIENDS SAY--ON GARDENING AT HIS OLD MANORIAL HOME, BRAMFIELD HALL, AT HALESWORTH, IN SUFFOLK, ENGLAND.

HE HAS A LOT OF ROSES, HE SAYS, "BUT REALLY, I'M A SHRUB MAN. I'VE PUT IN LOTS OF SHRUBS THERE." DURING THE WAR HE ALSO BRED PIGS FOR FOOD.

EVERY SUNDAY, WHEN HE'S HOME, HE READS THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND LESSON IN THE VILLAGE CHURCH AND SINGS HYMNS, SLIGHTLY OUT OF TUNEKVLVIT IS CLAIMED, BUT BLAMING THE ORGAN FOR THAT.

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HIS FULL NAME IS HUBERT MILES GLADWYN JEBB AND HIS ORDERS INCLUDE KNIGHT COMPANION OF ST.MICHAEL AND ST.GEORGE. HE IS A MEMBER OF LONDON'S VERY, VERY EXCLUSIVE BEEFSTEAK AND BOODLES CLUBS.

THE JEBBS HAVE TWO DAUGHTERS AND ONE SON, THE LATTER NOW AT OXFORD. LADY CYNTHIA AND THE YOUNGER DAUGHTER ARE COMING HERE FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY NEXT MONTH.

THE RUSSIANS AREN'T NEW TO HIM. HE WAS ONE OF CHURCHILL'S PRINCIPAL ADVISERS AT THE YALTA CONFERENCE. HE UNDERSTANDS A FEW WORDS OF RUSSIAN, BUT FRENCH, ITALIAN, AND GERMAN ARE HIS STRONGEST LANGUAGES. HE HAS FORGOTTEN MOST OF THE PERSIAN HE ONCE KNEW.

HIS CAREER MAY TAKE HIM TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE TOP, MANY OF HIS ADMIRERS FEEL.

ON THE WAY UP, HE HAS BEEN PRIVATE SECRETARY TO HUGH DALTON, TO ANTHONY EDEN, TO CADOGAN AND TO LORD VANSITTART.

ALL THIS TRAINING PREPARED HIM FOR THE JOBS FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN FOUND FOR HIM, INCLUDING A BIG PART IN THE PEACE CONFERENCE AT PARIS IN 1946. HE WAS BRITAIN'S REPRESENTATIVE IN PREPARATORY CONFERENCES FOR THE UNITED NATIONS AND WAS ACTING SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE U.N. IN LONDON IN 1946. ONE FRIEND SAID HE DOUBTS ANYONE IN THE U.N. NOW HAS THE COMPLETE KNOWLEDGE OF THE U.N. CHARTER THAT JEBB HAS.

JEBB HAS WANTED THE JOB HE NOW HAS FOR A LONG TIME BUT BEVIN DECIDED HE COULDN'T SPARE HIM. THE U.N. WANTED JEBB AS ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL TO LIE, REPRESENTING BRITAIN. BEVIN SAID NO.

(END ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY AUG.6, MOVED AUG.4).

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SATURDAY, AUG. 5)

(300) KOREAN-CHANG

(ADVANCE)...(WX)...BLOOMINGTON, ILL., AUG. 5-(AP)-DR.JOHN M. CHANG, KOREA'S AMBASSADOR, URGED TODAY THAT THE UNITED NATIONS MAKE CLEAR AT ONCE THAT WHEN FIGHTING ENDS KOREA WILL BE RE-UNITED AND THE NORTH WILL ELECT MEMBERS FOR THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.

NEXT, CHANG SAID, THE REPUBLIC SHOULD BE ADMITTED TO THE UN, WHICH HE CALLED A "GREAT WORLD AGENCY FOR PEACE."

"ONLY THE VETO OF THE SOVIET UNION HAS KEPT US OUT," HE SAID.

CHANG DESCRIBED KOREA AS "AN ALARM CLOCK TO WAKEN THE DEMOCRACIES FROM THEIR DANGEROUS DREAM OF SECURITY." HIS REMARKS WERE PREPARED FOR A REUNION OF THE CHINA-BURMA-INDIA VETERANS ASSOCIATION.

"THE PRICE WE ARE NOW HAVING TO PAY IS AT LEAST AROUSING THE FREE WORLD TO THE GRAVE DANGERS OF OUR COMMON MILITARY WEAKNESS," HE SAID, ADDING: "THE QUESTION OF WHETHER THE UNITED NATIONS DARED TO FACE A MAJOR ISSUE INVOLVING A GREAT POWER HAS BEEN SETTLED."

THE FREE WORLD "MUST BE PREPARED TO MEET THE WORST," CHANG SAID. HE DECLINED TO EXPRESS AN OPINION WHETHER THE KOREAN OUTBREAK IS A PRELUDE TO WORLD WAR III, THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF LOCAL WARS, AN INTERLUDE IN THE WAR OF NERVES PENDING ANOTHER AGGRESSIVE STRIKE--OR WHETHER THE PROMPT ACTION OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED NATIONS MAY PERSUADE MOSCOW TO "SETTLE DOWN TO A PROCESS OF MORE OR LESS PEACEFUL COMPETITION WITH DEMOCRACY FOR THE ALLEGIANCE OF THE WORLD'S PEOPLE."

CHANG SPOKE WITH REASSURANCE ABOUT THE OUTCOME IN KOREA DESPITE THE INITIAL SUCCESS OF THE COMMUNISTS.

"IN MODERN WAR, WHEN THE FORCES OF MECHANIZED DESTRUCTION ARE UN-

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LEASHED WITHOUT WARNING BY RUTHLESS DICTATORS UPON UNPREPARED PEOPLES, THE STORY OF THE FIRST BATTLE IS ALWAYS THE SAME. X X X FREEDOM, WHILE NOT FITTING US TO WIN THE FIRST BATTLES, GIVES US THE FORTITUDE TO WIN THE LAST ONES," HE SAID.

THE FACT THAT THE COMMUNISTS RESORTED TO ARMED ATTACK ILLUSTRATES THE SUCCESS OF THE KOREAN REPUBLIC AS A WORKING DEMOCRACY, CHANG OBSERVED.

"DOES ANY THINKING PERSON BELIEVE THAT IF THE COMMUNISTS COULD HAVE WON THE PEOPLE OF KOREA BY SUBVERSION THEY WOULD EVER HAVE TRIED THE DANGEROUS ADVENTURE OF AN ATTACK IN FORCE?" HE ASKED.

HSIUNG CHUNG TANG OF WASHINGTON, ACTING CONSUL GENERAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA, TOLD THE VETERANS AT A SESSION EARLIER TODAY THAT RUSSIA SITS "MOTIONLESS LIKE A SPIDER IN THE CENTER OF ITS WEB."

BUT, HE ADDED, "THAT WEB HAS THOUSANDS OF RADIATIONS, AND SHE KNOWS WELL EVERY QUIVER OF EACH OF THEM. SHE DOES LITTLE HERSELF. SHE ONLY PLANS AND DIRECTS.

"THE TIME HAS COME FOR THE FREE WORLD TO WAKE UP AND SHOW ITS DETERMINATION."

THE CONSUL GENERAL SAID "IT IS EVIDENT THAT COMMUNIST CHINA IS BEING USED AS A BASE OF OPERATION TO SEIZE CONTROL OF SOUTHEAST AND CENTRAL ASIA.")

AT A BUSINESS SESSION SATURDAY, WILLIAM F. BROWN OF SEDALIA, MO., WAS ELECTED COMMANDER, SUCCEEDING ELLSWORTH GREEN, JR., OF KANSAS CITY. BROWN WAS ELECTED IN ABSENTIA--HE STAYED HOME TO BE WITH HIS WIFE WHO WAS HOSPITALIZED AWAITING THE BIRTH OF A CHILD.

OTHER OFFICERS NAMED WERE ERNEST BROSE, LENA, ILL., VICE COMMANDER; FREDERICK MERRITT, SALEM, ILL., JUDGE ADVOCATE, AND WALTER KLUG, MILWAUKEE, PROVOST MARSHAL.

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LONDON, AUG.5-(AP)-BRITAIN HAS ORDERED $140,000,000 WORTH OF NEW JET PLANES TO REINFORCE THE FIGHTER COMMAND, THE DAILY HERALD SAID YESTERDAY.

THE HERALD, NEWSPAPER OF THE GOVERNING LABOR PARTY, SAID THE 3,000 PLANES WOULD BE BUILT BY THE DE HAVILLAND AND GLOSTER AIRCRAFT COMPANIES.

THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY CONFIRMED THAT IT HAD PLACED ORDERS, BUT REFUSED TO SAY FOR HOW MANY PLANES OR AT WHAT COST.

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LONDON, AUG.5-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES AND HER ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES MUST SPEED UP ARMAMENT PRODUCTION AND BOOST THE SIZE OF THEIR ARMED FORCES, THE PACT'S COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES SAID YESTERDAY.

THE DEPUTIES SAID THEY WERE ADJOURNING THEIR MEETING, WHICH BEGAN HERE JULY 25, TO SPEED HOME AND IMPRESS MEMBER GOVERNMENTS WITH THE URGENCY OF THE SITUATION. THEY WILL BE GONE 18 DAYS.

THE DEPUTIES, WHO ARE THE CIVILIAN DIRECTORS OF THE 12-NATION NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE, REVIEWED REPORTS OF THEIR SUBSIDIARY MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AGENCIES. THEY ORDERED THE AGENCIES TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM "FOR THE INCREASE AND ACCELERATION OF PRODUCTION OF CERTAIN HIGH PRIORITY ARMAMENT ITEMS." THEY DID NOT SAY WHAT THESE ITEMS WERE.

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LONDON, AUG.4-(AP)-THE BRITISH PLAN TO INCREASE DEFENCE EXPENDITURES STEADIED THE LONDON STOCK MARKET'S UNEASINESS OVER REPORTS THAT THE NORTH KOREANS HAD RECEIVED REINFORCEMENTS.

THE REPORTS LED TO EARLY SPECULATIVE SELLING, BUT DOMESTIC ISSUES REMAINED STEADY UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF THE DEFENCE ANNOUNCEMENT.

AMONG FOREIGN BONDS, JAPANESE ISSUES WERE DULL. RUBBER COMPANY SHARES MAINTAINED THEIR UPWARD SWING ON THE STRENGTH OF THE CONTINUED RISE IN THE COMMODITY'S PRICE.

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NIGHT LEAD PACT (ROUNDUP)

BY CARTER L.DAVIDSON

PARIS,AUG.5-(AP)-THE FRENCH CABINET APPROVED TONIGHT A NOTE TO THE UNITED STATES WHICH AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID COMMITS FRANCE TO POSSIBLY DOUBLE HER DEFENSE SPENDING NEXT YEAR. THE 1950 MILITARY BUDGET TOTALS 420,000,000,000 FRANCS (ABOUT $1,200,000,000).

THE FRENCH MEMORANDUM ANSWERS A REQUEST BY THE UNITED STATES TO ITS NORTH ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES FOR INFORMATION ON WHAT STEPS THEY CAN TAKE TO BOLSTER WESTERN DEFENSES AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION. IT IS BELIEVED TO CARRY A REQUEST FOR DOLLAR AID TO FOOT MOST OF THE BILL.

BRITAIN ANNOUNCED FRIDAY THAT SHE IS READY TO BOOST HER DEFENSE SPENDING TO A TOTAL OF $9,520,000,000 OVER THE NEXT THREE YEARS, PROVIDED SHE IS GIVEN SUBSTANTIAL ASSISTANCE BY THE UNITED STATES.

BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE THE MOST POWERFUL EUROPEAN MEMBERS OF THE 12-NATION ALLIANCE. ONE OF THE SMALLER MEMBERS, DENMARK, ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT SHE PROPOSES TO SPEND 400,000,000 KRONER (ABOUT $57,100,000) ON REARMAMENT AND CIVIL DEFENSE IN THE NEXT TWO YEARS.

THE UNITED STATES, WHICH IS PUTTING BILLIONS INTO WESTERN DEFENSES, HAD HOPED FOR REPLIES FROM ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE ALLIANCE TODAY, BUT SOME WHERE DELAYED. IN BELGIUM, FOR INSTANCE, THE CRISIS OVER KING LEOPOLD III INTERVENED.

THE CIVILIAN DIRECTORS OF THE ALLIANCE, CALLED THE COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES, ANNOUNCED AN 18-DAY ADJOURNMENT OF THEIR LONDON CONFERENCE LAST NIGHT SO THEY CAN CONSULT THEIR HOME GOVERNMENTS "TO FURTHER PLANS FOR THE INCREASE OF FORCES WHICH SHALL BE ACCOMPLISHED IN THE NEAR FUTURE."

THE FRENCH MEMORANDUM IS BEING RELAYED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN BY AMBASSADOR DAVID K.BRUCE. PLEDGING FRENCH SUPPORT TO THE WESTERN WORLD'S ANTI-COMMUNIST BULWARKS IN TERMS OF MEN AND MACHINES, IT IS

TO BE MADE PUBLIC HERE MONDAY.
THE CABINET APPROVED THE NOTE IN PRINCIPLE YESTERDAY, BUT SOME GOVERNMENT LEADERS OBJECTED TO THE PHRASING.
FRENCH OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN SENSITIVE TO AMERICAN CRITICISM OF FRANCE'S APPARENT SLUGGISHNESS IN STEPPING UP MILITARY PREPARATIONS IN VIEW OF THE CURRENT INTERNATIONAL TENSION. SOME LEADERS HERE BELIEVED THE NOTE SHOULD BE PHRASED TO QUIET SUCH CRITICISM.
PREMIER RENE PELVEN ALREADY HAS PUBLICLY COMMITTED FRANCE TO A MILITARY BUDGET OF AT LEAST 500,000,000,000 FRANCS NEXT YEAR. THIS WOULD BE AN INCREASE OF 80,000,000,000 FRANCS OVER THE MILITARY ALLOCATIONS FOR 1950, WHICH REPRESENT ABOUT 18 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL BUDGET.
FRANCE'S BIG NEEDS ARE DOLLARS AND MACHINE TOOLS TO BUILD AN ARMAMENT INDUSTRY. MOST OF THE NATION'S FACTORIES FOR MAKING TANKS AND GUNS WERE WRECKED IN THE WAR AND MOST OF THOSE THAT WEREN'T HAVE BEEN CONVERTED TO TURN OUT OTHER PRODUCTS.

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NIGHT LEAD COUNCIL
BY JOSEPH DYNAN
STRASBOURG,FRANCE,AUG.5-(AP)-WEST GERMANY AND THE SAAR MOVED CLOSER TODAY TO FULL PARTNERSHIP IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE.
PROMPTED BY FOREIGN MINISTER CARLO SFORZA OF ITALY, WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS VOTED TO GIVE WEST GERMANY AND THE SAAR ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP IN THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE, THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE. THEY ALREADY ARE ASSOCIATE MEMBERS IN THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY, THE LOWER HOUSE.
FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER R(ERT SCHUMAN TOLD NEWSMEN THE GERMANS WILL BE ELIGIBLE FOR FULL ME(ERSHIP IN THE COUNCIL--A SORT OF INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENT--AFTER T. UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE CHANGE THE OCCUPATION STATUT) IN THE FALL TO PERMIT THE GERMANS TO HANDLE THEIR OWN FOREIGN AFFA RS.
THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE, PREPARING FOR A MEETING OF THE ASSEMBLY HERE MONDAY, ALSO:
1--INDORSED THE UNITED NATIONS' STAND AGAINST AGGRESSION IN KOREA.
2--CALLED THE ASSEMBLY'S ATTENTION TO THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR POOLING EUROPEAN STEEL AND COAL PRODUCTION, WITH THE COMMENT "IT WILL BE FOR THE PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES, IN COOPERATION WITH YOUR ASSEMBLY, TO WORK FOR THE COMMON GOOD."
3--RECOMMENDED DISCUSSION OF A PROJECT FOR CHARTERING OF EUROPEAN COMPANIES IN BASIC INDUSTRIES--WORKED OUT BY THE ASSEMBLY'S ECONOMIC COMMITTEE.
4--PAID TRIBUTE TO THE WORK ACCOMPLISHED BY THE ASSEMBLY IN ITS FIRST SESSION LAST SUMMER.
SFORZA SPONSORED THE KOREAN DECLARATION. IN PRACTICE, THE STATEMENT MEANS THAT ITALY AND IRELAND, COUNCIL MEMBERS WHO HAVE BEEN BLOCKED FROM MEMBERSHIP IN THE U.N. BY SOVIET VETOES, ARE ASSOCIATING THEMSELVES WITH THE U.N. ACTION. OTHER COUNCIL NATIONS ARE MEMBERS OF THE U.N.
"OUR MAIN CONCERN IS THE PURSUIT OF PEACE BASED ON JUSTICE AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION," THE STATEMENT SAID. "THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS, MEETING A FEW WEEKS AFTER THE VIOLATION OF INTERNATIONAL LAW BY NORTHERN KOREA, IS ANXIOUS TO RESTATE THIS VITAL PRINCIPLE.
"THE COMMITTEE SUGGESTS THAT THE ASSEMBLY SHOULD, IN TURN, EXPRESS ITS DEVOTION TO THE CAUSE OF PEACE BY AFFIRMING EVEN MORE CATEGORICALLY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH A VITAL PROVISION OF THE STATUTE (OF THE COUNCIL), ITS COMPLETE SOLIDARITY WITH THE ACTION OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL OF THE UNITED NATIONS FOR THE DEFENSE OF PEACE-LOVING PEOPLES."
IN PROPOSING GREATER RECOGNITION IN THE COUNCIL FOR THE WEST GERMANS AND SAARLANDERS, SFORZA WAS REPORTED TO HAVE SAID THE TIME HAS COME FOR EUROPEANS TO FORGET THEIR QUARRELS AND WORK TOGETHER FOR A PEACEFUL FUTURE.
THE REPRESENTATIVE OF FRANCE AND BRITAIN AT FIRST OPPOSED SFORZA ON THE GROUND THAT THE COUNCIL SHOULD ACT ONLY AFTER THE OCCUPATION STATUTE IS CHANGED.
IRISH FOREIGN MINISTER SEAN MACBRIDE, CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE, SAID EITHER OR BOTH WEST GERMANY AND THE SAAR MAY BE INVITED TO SIT IN THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE SESSIONS, BUT NO INVITATION HAD BEEN EXTENDED AS YET.
A JOINT MINISTERIAL-ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE CONFERRED FOUR HOURS UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF BELGIUM'S PAUL-HENRI SPAAK, THE ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT, ON AN AGENDA FOR THE ASSEMBLY, BUT DIDN'T MAKE MUCH HEADWAY.

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SPAAK WAS SCHEDULED TO ANNOUNCE THE RESULTS TO CORRESPONDENTS. HE CANCELLED THE NEWS CONFERENCE AS THE MEETING ENDED. A COUNCIL INFORMATION OFFICER SAID THERE HAD BEEN "EXCHANGES OF VIEWS." OTHER SOURCES SAID THERE WAS DISAGREEMENT ON VIRTUALLY EVERY TOPIC DISCUSSED.
THE ASSEMBLYMEN WERE DISPLEASED BY WHAT THEY CONSIDER THE MINISTERS' CAVALIER ATTITUDE TOWARD VARIOUS RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY LAST YEAR. THE JOINT COMMITTEE ADJOURNED WITHOUT SETTING A DATE FOR ANOTHER MEETING. HOWEVER, THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE AND THE ASSEMBLY'S STEERING COMMITTEE WILL MEET MORE OR LESS SIMULTANEOUSLY MONDAY.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 12 NOON EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, SATURDAY, AUG.5.)
FIRST LEAD COUNCIL (A148)
(ADVANCE) STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 5-(AP)-WESTERN EUROPE'S FOREIGN MINISTERS, MEETING AS THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S UPPER HOUSE, OFFICIALLY ENDORSED TODAY THE UNITED NATIONS STAND AGAINST AGGRESSION IN KOREA.
THE MINISTERS IN A JOINT MESSAGE TO THE COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY, OR LOWER HOUSE, URGED THE ASSEMBLY TO EXPRESS ITS SUPPORT FOR THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS ON THE KOREAN WAR. THE ASSEMBLY WILL MEET HERE MONDAY.
THE MESSAGE STAMPED THE NORTHERN KOREAN REGIME BY NAME AS A VIOLATOR OF INTERNATIONAL LAW, AND CONDEMNED ITS AGGRESSION.
EARLIER THE MINISTERS OFFICIALLY VOTED TO GIVE WESTERN GERMANY AND THE SAAR ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S UPPER HOUSE.
IRISH FOREIGN MINISTER SEAN MACBRIDE, CHAIRMAN OF THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE, ANNOUNCED THIS DECISION TO A NEWS CONFERENCE FOLLOWING THE MINISTERS' MORNING SESSION.
THE MOVE WAS DESCRIBED AS A DELIBERATE STEP TOWARD FULL MEMBERSHIP IN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL--AN UNOFFICIALY PARLIAMENT OF WESTERN EUROPE--FOR THE GERMANS AND SAARLANDERS.
WESTERN GERMANY AND THE SAAR AS ASSOCIATE MEMBERS ARE REPRESENTED IN THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY BUT NOT ON THE MORE POWERFUL COMMITTEE OF

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MINISTERS.
FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN SAID THE THREE OCCUPYING POWERS--BRITAIN, FRANCE, AND THE U.S.--INTEND TO PERMIT THE GERMANS TO HAVE THEIR OWN FOREIGN MINISTRY. WHEN THAT HAPPENS, GERMANY WILL BE ELIGIBLE FOR COMPLETE MEMBERSHIP.
SCHUMAN SAID THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL AS SUCH WILL NOT REQUEST THE OCCUPYING POWERS TO GRANT THIS ADDITIONAL LEEWAY TO THE GERMANS.
"THE MINISTERS REALIZE," SAID SCHUMAN, "THAT THE THREE OCCUPYING POWERS ARE ALREADY WORKING IN CHANGES IN THE OCCUPATION STATUTE. THE ORIGINAL INTENTION WAS FOR THE STATUTE TO BE SUBJECT TO REVISION AFTER 18 MONTHS.
"ALL THIS IS WORKING OUT NORMALLY, AND THESE CHANGES WILL BE MADE WHEN THE THREE NATIONS MEET IN WASHINGTON IN OCTOBER."
MACBRIDE SAID THE DECISION ON WESTERN GERMANY AND THE SAAR IS EFFECTIVE AT ONCE. THIS MEANS THAT EITHER GERMANY OR THE SAAR OR BOTH MAY BE INVITED TO SIT IN ON THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE SESSION MONDAY OR WEDNESDAY.
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(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, AUG.6)
EDITOR'S NOTE:
HOW ARE EUROPEANS FACING UP TO THE WORLD CRISIS SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF WAR IN KOREA? WHAT ARE THEIR THOUGHTS ON SECURITY ON A CONTINENT WHICH HAS BEEN THE CENTER OF TWO WORLD WARS? HERE ARE THE FINDINGS OF DANIEL DE LUCE, A PULITZER PRIZE WINNER IN 1944. DE LUCE HAS JUST RETURNED TO HIS POST AS CHIEF ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT IN BERLIN AFTER A 3,000 MILE, MONTH-LONG TOUR OF FRANCE, ITALY, AUSTRIA AND GERMANY.
(DASH)
BY DANIEL DE LUCE
(ADVANCE) BERLIN, AUG.5-(AP)-WESTERN EUROPE DREADS THAT THE SOVIET ARMY WILL SEIZE THE WHOLE CONTINENT WHENEVER IT CHOOSES TO MARCH.
HOPELESSNESS IS THE COMMON REACTION AMONG THE WESTERN PEOPLES. WHILE THEIR GOVERNMENTAL LEADERS TALK GLIBLY OF REARMAMENT, EUROPEAN MORALE HAS EBBED LOWER WITH EACH AMERICAN RETREAT IN KOREA. OFFICIAL UNITED STATES BATTLEFRONT COMMUNIQUES HAVE SPREAD MORE DEFEATISM THAN THE MOST SKILFUL KREMLIN PROPAGANDA.
AMERICAN MILITARY STRENGTH IS RATED TERRIBLY DESTRUCTIVE IN THE AIR, BUT TRAGICALLY PUNY ON LAND.
UNTIL LAST MONTH, ANTI-COMMUNISTS REGARDED THE UNITED STATES AS EUROPE'S SHIELD. NOW MANY FEEL NAKEDLY UNPROTECTED.
THE PATTERN OF THE KOREAN WAR SEEMINGLY HAS CONFIRMED THE WORST FEARS AMONG EUROPEANS.
PEOPLE ASK WHAT TINY BEACHHEAD, IF ANY, THE AMERICANS WOULD TRY TO HOLD IF THE RUSSIAN TROOPS STRUCK WESTWARD. SPAIN? THE BRITISH ISLES?
THOSE ARE BLACK PROSPECTS FOR FRENCHMEN, GERMANS AND ITALIANS.
PEOPLE ALSO ASK--IN MILAN, MARSEILLE AND OTHER CITIES STILL SCARRED BY ALLIED BOMBING--HOW SOON THEY WOULD AGAIN BECOME THE TARGET OF AMERICAN AIR ATTACK IF THE RUSSIANS MOVED IN.
AT VERDUN, WHERE 400,000 FRENCHMEN DIED TO STOP THE KAISER'S ARMY, A YOUNG GARAGE MECHANIC SHRUGGED SKEPTICALLY AT THE IDEA HIS COUNTRYMEN WOULD EVER BE READY TO REPEAT SUCH A SACRIFICE.
"WHAT'S THE USE?" HE ASKED. "WHAT WOULD WE GAIN FROM COMMITTING NATIONAL SUICIDE?"
AT THE TOP OF BRENNER PASS--HISTORIC INVASION GATEWAY--AN ITALIAN CUSTOMS GUARD SHOOK HIS HEAD AS HE STUDIED THE KOREAN NEWS.
"IT'S VERY BAD--VERY BAD FOR ALL OF US," HE SAID.
A WEST GERMAN TAVERN OWNER IN A BATTERED HAMLET WITHIN 100 MILES OF THE SOVIET LINE EXPRESSED THIS OPINION:
"WE MIGHT SURVIVE A RUSSIAN OCCUPATION, BUT NEVER AN AMERICAN LIBERATION."
THE AVERAGE EUROPEAN SEEMS TO LISTEN APATHETICALLY THESE DAYS TO REPORTS OF BILLIONS OF AMERICAN DOLLARS FOR ARMING THE WESTERN POWERS.
HE APPEARS TO DOUBT THAT MONEY IS THE REMEDY FOR EUROPE'S ENDANGERED SECURITY.
HE QUESTIONS WHETHER RUSSIA WILL DEIGN TO WAIT TWO OR THREE YEARS FOR THE WEST TO GROW STRONGER.
CLAIMS IN THE UNITED STATES OF FURTHER STRIDES IN DEVELOPING ATOMIC EXPLOSIVES MAY STIR AMERICAN CONFIDENCE, BUT THEY HAVE A TERRIFYING IMPACT ON EUROPEANS.
MILLIONS ON THE CONTINENT HAVE PERSONALLY ENDURED BOMBING. IN MANY CITIES, WORKMEN ARE STILL CLEARING AWAY THE RUBBLE.
THE THOUGHT OF EVEN WORSE BOMBING IS ALMOST MORE THAN THEIR NERVES CAN BEAR.

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IT IS WELL KNOWN THAT THE TOTAL AMERICAN TROOP STRENGTH IN EUROPE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED AT ONLY 150,000 MEN. IF THERE WERE 10 TIMES THAT MANY ON THE CONTINENT--1,500,000 STRONGLY ARMED GI'S--EUROPEAN CONFIDENCE MIGHT GRADUALLY BE RESTORED.
BUT IT WILL TAKE A LONG TIME TO ERASE EUROPEAN DISILLUSIONMENT OVER THE U.S. ARMY'S SHOWING IN THE OPENING PHASE OF THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN.
SOME CURBSTONE CRITICS COMPARE THESE DEFEATS TO THE RED ARMY'S HUMILIATION BY FINLAND IN THE "WINTER WAR" OF 1939-40 AND EXPRESS HOPE THE AMERICANS WILL PROFIT FROM MISTAKES.
YET IT IS DOUBTFUL AN AMERICAN TRIUMPH IN KOREA IN ANOTHER SIX OR NINE MONTHS WOULD DISPEL THE FEAR, WIDESPREAD IN EUROPE, THAT UNITED STATES GROUND FORCES ARE DECISIVELY OUTMATCHED IN WEAPONS, TRAINING AND LEADERSHIP BY THE RED ARMY WHICH TUTORED NORTH KOREA.
EUROPEANS SHOW NO CONFIDENCE IN THEIR OWN POWER TO REPEL A RED INVASION.
A LARGE NON-COMMUNIST SECTION OF THE EUROPEAN PUBLIC APPEARS TO BE SWINGING TO A DESPERATE POLICY OF PEACE AT ANY PRICE.
ANOTHER SECTION SEEMS TO BE WILLING TO MAKE DRASTIC ECONOMIC SACRIFICES FOR THE SAKE OF GENERAL MILITARY SECURITY, BUT IS BECOMING SHRILLY INSISTENT THAT THIS BE BASED ON A HUGE AMERICAN STANDING ARMY ON THE CONTINENT.
THERE IS NO ENTHUSIASM FOR THE DOCTRINE THAT THE CONTINENTAL POWERS FURNISH MASSES OF INFANTRY FOR A POSSIBLE STRUGGLE WITH RUSSIA WHILE THE UNITED STATES MERELY CONTRIBUTES AIR COVER IN THE EARLY STAGES.
UNTIL THERE IS CREDIBLE EVIDENCE THE SOVIET ARMY CAN BE HELD AT THE ELBE--NOT AT THE ATLANTIC--EUROPEANS WILL SUFFER FROM A RED NIGHTMARE.
(END ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, AUG.6. MOVED AUG 4).
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BERLIN, AUG.5-(AP)-THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN SAID TONIGHT THAT AN EAST GERMAN TRADE DELEGATION HAD REACHED PEIPING, CAPITAL OF COMMUNIST CHINA, TO NEGOTIATE A TRADE PACT.
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BONN, GERMANY, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE WEST GERMAN SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH COUNCIL DECIDED TODAY TO SET UP A COMMISSION OF EXPERTS TO STUDY METHODS OF PROTECTING THE POPULATION AGAINST ATOMIC WEAPONS. THE COUNCIL'S CHAIRMAN IS ATOMIC SCIENTIST WERNER HEISENBERG OF GOETTINGEN.
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NIGHT LEAD DANISH

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BY BIRGIT MANGOR

COPENHAGEN,DENMARK,AUG.5-(AP)-THE KINGDOM OF DENMARK, ONE OF THE SMALLER MEMBERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE, ANNOUNCED PLANS TODAY TO SPEND 400,000,000 KRONER (ABOUT $57,100,000) ON REARMAMENT AND CIVIL DEFENSE IN THE NEXT TWO YEARS.

DEFENSIVE OUTLAYS BY THIS NATION OF 4,045,000 WILL BE BOOSTED TO 29.1 PER CENT OF THE NATIONAL BUDGET FOR THIS YEAR, OR 3.6 PER CENT OF THE NATIONAL INCOME.

AMEMORANDUM WAS ADDRESSED TO THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT IN ANSWER TO A REQUEST BY THE UNITED STATES TO ALL ITS 11 ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES FOR INFORMATION ON WHAT THEY COULD CONTRIBUTE TO TIGHTENING WESTERN DEFENSES AGAINST COMMUNISM AGGRESSION.

FOREIGN MINISTER GUSTAV RASMUSSEN DELIVERED THE DANISH NOTE TO THE U.S. CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, EDWARD J.SPARKS, FOR RELAY TO WASHINGTON.

"WE ARE VERY PLEASED THAT DENMARK HAS MADE THIS PROPOSAL TO INCREASE HER DEFENSE EFFORT," A KEY U.S. OFFICIAL COMMENTED IN WASHINGTON.

DENMARK SAID SHE IS WILLING TO DISCUSS IMMEDIATELY A PLAN TO PRODUCE LIGHT ARMS AND AMMUNITION FOR BOTH HERSELF AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE ALLIANCE.

THE NOTE SAID THE DANISH GOVERNMENT DEEPLY APPRECIATES U.S. MILITARY AID, WHICH ENABLES DENMARK TO FULFILL DEFENSE TASKS SHE COULD NOT OTHERWISE HAVE UNDERTAKEN.

THE GOVERNMENT OUTLINED THE PRESENT STATE OF DANISH DEFENSE, GIVING THE NUMBER OF MEN TRAINED SINCE THE END OF WORLD WAR II AS 100,000 FOR THE ARMY, ABOUT 20,000 FOR THE NAVY AND ABOUT 30,000 FOR THE HOME GUARD. THE NUMBER OF CONSCRIPTS HAS BEEN MORE THAN DOUBLED SINCE 1939 AND THE TRAINING PERIOD LENGTHENED.

THE DANISH GOVERNMENT "SHARES THE OPINION THAT THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE DEFENSE OF THE ATLANTIC NATIONS MUST BE ACCELERATED AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE," THE NOTE SAID.

"TO MEET THE CURRENT DEMAND, AN EXTRAORDINARY APPROPRIATION OF 300,000,000 DANISH KRONER (ABOUT $42,000,000) FOR THE CIVIL DEFENSE FOR THE NEXT TWO YEARS WILL BE PUT BEFORE AN EMERGENCY SESSION OF THE DANISH PARLIAMENT NEXT TUESDAY."

A RAPID IMPROVEMENT OF DENMARK'S DEFENSE MAKES IT IMPERATIVE THAT THE 100,000 MEN TRAINED FOR THE ARMY SINCE 1945 ARE QUICKLY SUPPLIED WITH MODERN AMERICAN ARMS, THE MEMORANDUM SAYS. IT ASKED FOR ANTI-AIRCRAFT, ARTILLERY AND RADAR EQUIPMENT FOR THE AIR FORCE WITHOUT DELAY.
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FIRST LEAD REARMAMENT (A88)

COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, AUG. 5-(AP)-DENMARK PROPOSED TODAY AN EXPENDITURE OF 400,000,000 KRONER (ABOUT $57,100,000) ON REARMAMENT AND CIVIL DEFENSE DURING THE NEXT TWO YEARS.

SUCH EXPENDITURE WILL BOOST THE NATION'S DEFENSE BUDGET TO 29.1 PER CENT OF THE NATIONAL BUDGET.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF DENMARK'S DEFENSE PLANS IS AN ANSWER TO A REQUEST OF THE UNITED STATES TO ALL ITS 11 NORTH ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES TO ADIVSE WHAT CONTRIBUTIONS THEY ARE PREPARED TO MAKE TO BOLSTER WESTERN DEFENSES AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

FRANCE IS PROPOSING WITH AMERICAN AID TO CONTRIBUTE A SIZEABLE AMOUNT OF MONEY TO MUNITION PLANTS, INFORMED SOURCES IN PARIS SAID LAST NIGHT. SHE ALSO PLANS TO INCREASE HER ARMY, BUILD UP HER AIR FORCE AND IMPROVE MORALE BY BOOSTING THE PAYROLL OF THE ARMED SERVICES.

BRITAIN HAS ANNOUNCED SHE WILL START A THREE-YEAR $9,520,000,000 (B) DEFENSE PROGRAM, PROVIDED SHE RECEIVES SUBSTANTIAL AMERICAN BACKING.

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THE DANISH ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE IN A MEMORANDUM TO THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT. IT WAS DELIVERED TODAY BY GUSTAV RASMUSSEN, DANISH FOREIGN MINISTER, TO THE AMERICAN CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, EDWARD J.SPARKS.

THE MEMORANDUM SAID THE DANISH GOVERNMENT IS WILLING TO DISCUSS IMMEDIATELY A PLAN FOR DENMARK TO PRODUCE LIGHT ARMS FOR THE COUNTRY'S OWN DEFENSE AND FOR THAT OF OTHER COUNTRIES. DENMARK ALSO PROPOSED TO PRODUCE AMMUNITION FOR OTHER MEMBER NATIONS OF THE PACT.

THE MEMORANDUM EXPRESSED DENMARK'S APPRECIATION FOR U.S. MILITARY AID. THE PROPOSED DEFENSE EXPENDITURE WILL BE PUT BEFORE AN EMERGENCY SESSION OF THE DANISH PARLIAMENT NEXT TUESDAY.
(NO PICKUP)
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WITH COPENHAGEN

PARIS, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE FRENCH CABINET TONIGHT GAVE FINAL APPROVAL TO A MEMORANDUM TO THE UNITED STATES COMMITTING FRANCE TO A HEAVY INCREASE IN DEFENSE EXPENDITURES. AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID IT CALLED FOR AN INCREASE IN THE MILITARY BUDGET FROM THIS YEAR'S 420,000,000,000 FRANCS (ABOUT $1,200,000,000) TO POSSIBLE TWICE THAT MUCH NEXT YEAR.

THE MEMORANDUM WILL BE DELIVERED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN VIA U.S. AMBASSADOR DAVID K.BRUCE. IT PLEDGES FRANCE'S SUPPORT TO THE WESTERN WORLD'S ANTI-COMMUNIST DEFENSES IN TERMS OF MEN AND MACHINES AS WELL AS WORDS AND PHRASES. IT WILL NOT BE MADE PUBLIC HERE UNTIL MONDAY. FRANCE, AN ATLANTIC PACT NATION, EXPECTS TO RECEIVE AID UNDER THE U.S. MILITARY AID PROGRAM.
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ANTWERP, BELGIUM, AUG.5-(AP)-THE MARITIME FEDERATION DECLARED A LOCKOUT TODAY AND ORDERED ALL SHIPS TO PROCEED TO OTHER PORTS.

THIS WAS IN ANSWER TO A DOCKERS' STRIKE WHICH ENTERED ITS SEVENTH DAY THIS MORNING. SOME 12,000 DOCKERS ARE OUT DEMANDING INCREASED PENSIONS, A PRODUCTION AND CLOTHING PREMIUM OF 20 FRANCS (40 CENTS) A DAY AND BETTER OLD AGE PROTECTION.

SINCE THE STRIKE BEGAN 25 SHIPS HAVE BEEN DIVERTED FROM ANTWERP. THE DOCKERS' WALK-OUT COINCIDED WITH POLITICAL STRIKES ALL OVER BELGIUM LAST WEEK DEMANDING THAT KING LEOPOLD III GIVE UP HIS THRONE.
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A121

FIRST LEAD RAID

ROME, SUNDAY, AUG.6-(AP)-HUNDREDS OF SECURITY POLICE, HEADED BY THE STEEL-HELMETED CARABINIERI, EARLY TODAY RAIDED THE ROME HEADQUARTERS AND SIX DISTRICT OFFICES OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

THEY SAID THEY WERE LOOKING FOR EVIDENCE CONERNING BOMBINGS LAST WEEK OF THREE NEIGHBORHOOD THEATERS SHOWING AN ANTI-COMMUNIST FILM, "FLAMES IN KOREA." THE SURPRISE RAID DISCLOSED THAT MOST OF THE BIG COMMUNIST LEADERS WERE OUT OF TOWN FOR THE WEEKEND, BUT MORE THAN 50 MINOR PARTY OFFICIALS WERE HAULED TO HEADQUARTERS FOR QUESTIONING.

RED DOCUMENTS WERE SEIZED, AND POLICE SAID SOME ARMS WERE FOUND.

THE RAIDS WERE IN LUDOVISI, APPIA AND TUSCOLANO, THE SAME WORKER DISTRICTS WHERE THE THEATERS WERE BOMBED.

THE POLICE ACTION CAME AS PALMIRO TOGLIATTI, ITALIAN COMMUNIST LEADER, WAS ON A VACATION IN THE ALPS AFTER ATTENDING A RECENT MEETING OF EUROPEAN COMMUNIST CHIEFS IN BERLIN. MOST OF THE OTHER ITALIAN RED LEADERS ALSO WERE OUT OF TOWN FOR THE WEEKEND.

THE RAID STARTED SHORTLY AFTER MIDNIGHT, WITH HUNDREDS OF SECURITY POLICE AND THE ARMY-TRAINED CARABINIERI IN FULL FIELD EQUIPMENT INCLUDING HELMETS AND SUBMACHINEGUNS TAKING PART. THE MOVE WAS ORDERED BY HARDHITTING INTERIOR MINISTER MARIO SCELBA. IT WAS STILL UNDER WAY AT 2 A.M., (8 P.M., SATURDAY EST), AND THERE WERE UNOFFICIAL REPORTS IT WOULD BE EXTENDED TO EVERY COMMUNIST DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS IN THE CITY.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE INTERFERENCE WITH COMMUNIST PUBLICATIONS. L'UNITA, THE PARTY NEWSPAPER, CAME OUT WITH ITS REGULAR MORNING EDITIONS.

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A103

VIENNA, AUSTRIA, AUG.5-(AP)-FIVE ARMED MEN ATTEMPTED LAST NIGHT TO MURDER A YUGOSLAV DIPLOMAT ON THE VIENNA-BELGRADE EXPRESS, THE AUSTRIAN INTERIOR MINISTRY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE MEN -- INDENTIFIED AS ANTI-TITO REFUGEES FROM YUGOSLAVIA -- BROKE INTO THE COMPARTMENT OF VLARA MOCNIK, A COMMERCIAL ATTACHE OF THE YUGOSLAV FOREIGN MINISTRY ENROUTE FROM VIENNA TO BELGRADE.

AS THEY ATTACKED MOCNIK WITH KNIVES NEAR WERNDORF IN SOUTHERN AUSTRIA, THE YUGOSLAV PULLED THE EMERGENCY CORD OF THE TRAIN. AN AUSTRIAN CUSTOMS OFFICIAL AND TWO CONDUCTORS FORCED THE ATTACKERS INTO A COMPARTMENT. THEY WERE ARRESTED BY POLICE AT THE NEXT STATION.

MICNIK CONTINUED ON TO BELGRADE.

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A91

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG.5-(AP)-AN ALBANIAN COMMUNIST LEADER ACCUSED YUGOSLAV PREMIER MARSHAL TITO TODAY OF SENDING SPIES, SABOTEURS AND ASSASSINS INTO ALBANIA IN AN EFFORT TO TAKE OVER THE COUNTRY.

MEHMET SHEHU, SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE ALBANIAN PARTY OF LABOUR (COMMUNIST) MADE THE CHARGES IN THE COMINFORM WEEKLY, PUBLISHED IN BUCHAREST YESTERDAY AND DISTRIBUTED HERE TODAY.

TITO'S ARMED AND TRAINED SPIES AND SABOTEURS HAVE BEEN RESPONSIBLE FOR "LARGE-SCALE SABOTAGE ON THE RAILWAYS" AND THE ASSASSINATION OF AT LEAST THREE LOCAL PARTY OR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, SHEHU SAID.

MD729AED

VIENNA, AUSTRIA, AUG. 5-(AP)-AN AMERICAN COLLEGE STUDENT AND HIS PROFESSOR GOT SEPARATED AT A RAILWAY STATION AT BREGENZ AND SET OFF AN INTERNATIONAL MANHUNT, IT WAS DISCLOSED HERE TODAY.

THE STUDENT, MARK ADAMS OF CENTRE COLLEGE, DANVILLE, KY., THOUGHT HIS PROFESSOR AND TRAVELLING COMPANION PROF.J.PROCTOR KNOTT OF THE SAME COLLEGE, WAS MISSING. HE CABLED THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT AT WASHINGTON THAT KNOTT HAD "DISAPPEARED."

AUTHORITIES OF THE UNITED STATES, AUSTRIA AND FRANCE BEGAN A MANHUNT.

KNOTT, IT SEEMS, MERELY TOOK THE TRAIN TO INNSBRUCK, THEIR JOINT DESTINATION, WHILE ADAMS WAS DELAYED HAVING LUNCH. ADAMS BECAME ALARMED, REPORTED HIS PROFESSOR LOST, AND RETURNED TO LUCERNE, SWITZERLAND.

MEANWHILE KNOTT WAITED FOR TWO DAYS IN INNSBRUCK, MEETING EVERY TRAIN FROM BREGENZ. ACCORDING TO POLICE THERE HE FINALLY LEFT SAYING HE WAS GOING BACK TO FIND ADAMS.

A U.S. LEGATION SPOKESMAN WHO PUT PVUOF THE STORY TOGETHER TODAY COMMENTED: "I WOULDN

A U.S. LEGATION SPOKESMAN WHO PUT PIECES OF THE STORY TOGETHER TODAY COMMENTED: "I WOULDN'T WANT TO BE ADAMS IF HE HAS ANY CLASSES UNDER KNOTT."

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BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, AUG.5-(AP)-GYORGY MAROSAN, HUNGARIAN MINISTER FOR LIGHT INDUSTRY, HAS RESIGNED AND BEEN REPLACED BY ARPAD KISS, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

MAROSAN, FORMER DEPUTY GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY, WAS ONE OF THE LEADERS OF THE MOVE TWO YEARS AGO TO MERGE THE PARTY WITH THE COMMUNISTS. HIS SUCCESSOR ALSO WAS A FORMER SOCIAL DEMOCRAT.

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A144

MOSCOW, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE SOVIET UNION ANNOUNCED TODAY THE CREATION OF A NEW MEDAL TO BE AWARDED FOR BRAVERY IN GUARDING THE FRONTIERS OF THE NATION.

ELIGIBLE FOR THE MEDAL ARE PERSONNEL OF THE BORDER ARMIES, THE MINISTRY OF STATE SECURITY AND CIVILIANS.

THE OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE MEDAL WOULD BE AWARDED FOR "BRAVERY AND SELF-SACRIFICE MANIFEST IN BATTLE ACTIONS IN THE ARREST OF VIOLATORS OF STATE FRONTIERS."

THE MEDAL SHOWS A FRONTIER GUARD WITH GUN IN HAND STANDING BESIDE A BOUNDARY MARKER.

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B49 (Q)

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NAIROBI, KENYA, WUG.5-(AP)-MICHAEL WILKIE, NINE, SON OF O.A. WILKIE OF SANTA BARBARA, CALIF., ON SAFARI WITH HIS PARENTS HERE, HAS KILLED SIX ZEBRAS AND A WILDEBEESTE. A WILDEBEESTE IS A BUFFALO-LIKE MEMBER OF THE GNU FAMILY.

MICHAEL CLAIMS TO BE THE YOUNGEST PERSON EVER TO SHOOT WITH A BIG GAME HUNTING LICENSE IN EAST AFRICA.

HIS PROUDEST POSSESSION IS A CERTIFICATE CONFIRMING THE KILLS.

THE WILKIES ARE NOW EN ROUTE TO INDIA WHERE MICHAEL HOPES TO GET MORE TROPHIES TO SHOW HIS PALS AT MONTECITO SCHOOL, SANTA BARBARA.

JB816AED

moscow, aug. 5-(ap)-john peet, former berlin correspondent for reuters news agency has written an article for the literary gazette entitled "i chose peace."

the introduction to the article said peet "mercilessly uses his own bitter experience to show up the 'kitchen' of the anglo-american press." it went on to state that peet's article "undeniable facts" to prove that the material appearing in this press is "customarily written in ink made of lies, blood and mud."

peet recently quit reuters and went over to the east german communists after making a declaration against the west.

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A16KX
NIGHT LEAD CHINESE (250)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG 5 (AP)-THE U.S.NAVY TANKER CIMARRON UNLOADED A FULL CARGO OF GASOLINE AT THE FORMOSAN PORT OF KEELUNG TODAY FOR WAR PLANES GUARDING THIS NATIONALIST HEADQUARTERS ISLAND AGAINST COMMUNIST ATTACK.

THE TANKER WAS ESCORTED BY THE U.S.CRUISER JUNEAU AND TWO DESTROYERS.

THERE WAS SPECULATION WHETHER THE GASOLINE IS FOR THE CHINESE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE OR FOR AMERICAN AIR UNITS ASSIGNED TO THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA. GENERAL MACARTHUR HAS SAID HE WOULD SUPPLY BOTH.

THE FIRST OF THE AMERICAN PLANES FOR THIS DUTY--SIX JET FIGHTERS--ARRIVED FRIDAY.

WHILE THE CIMARRON UNLOADED, WORK WAS SPEEDED ON EXTENDING FORMOSAN AIRFIELDS FOR AMERICAN USE.

THE NUMBER OF FIELDS BEING ENLARGED WAS SECRET. MOST OF THE WORK CONSISTS OF LENGTHENING RUNWAYS TO ACCOMMODATE JET FIGHTERS AND HEAVY BOMBERS.

THE NATIONALISTS ANNOUNCED THEY HAD TURNED BACK AN ATTEMPT JULY 28 BY SEVERAL HUNDRED REDS TO SEIZE TIEN-AO SHAN, TINY ISLAND ABOUT 180 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI.

THE DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID 17 COMMUNIST JUNKS WERE BEATEN OFF IN THE THREE-HOUR ATTACK AND RETURNED TO THEIR BASE AT HAIMEN ON THE RED-HELD MAINLAND.

GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SHEN CHANG-HUAN DECLARED IN A STATEMENT THAT THE NATIONALISTS DEFINITELY WILL FIGHT FOR QUEMOY IF COMMUNISTS SHOULD ATTACK THAT 50-SQUARE MILE ISLAND OFF THE MAINLAND OPPOSITE FORMOSA.

HE DENIED A REPORT THAT MACARTHUR HAD RECOMMENDED THE ISLAND BE ABANDONED AND THAT THIS WOULD BE DONE SHORTLY.

THE REDS HAVE REPEATEDLY SHELLED QUEMOY FROM THE MAINLAND RECENTLY.

ON ORDERS OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN, THE U.S.SEVENTH FLEET IS PATROLLING THE STRAIT OF FORMOSA, BETWEEN FORMOSA AND QUEMOY.

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A72FX
(120)
TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG.5-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALISTS SAID TODAY THEY WOULD FIGHT FOR QUEMOY IF THE CHINESE REDS TRY TO INVADE THE 50 SQUARE MILE ISLAND.

SHEN CHANG-HUAN, GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN, DENIED REPORTS THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD RECOMMENDED THE NATIONALISTS ABANDON THE ISLAND.

QUEMOY LIES ACROSS THE STRAIT FROM FORMOSA. THE STRAIT IS PATROLED BY THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET TO PREVENT AN INVASION OF FORMOSA. BUT QUEMOY, IN CHINESE RED TERRITORIAL WATERS, IS OUTSIDE THE U.S. NAVY PATROL ZONE.

THE NATIONALIST GARRISON HAS BEATEN OFF PREVIOUS RED INVASION ATTEMPTS.

THE DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID NATIONALIST TROOPS ROUTED AN ATTEMPT BY SEVERAL HUNDRED REDS TO SEIZE TIEN-AO SHAN ISLAND, 180 MILES SOUTH OF SHANGHAI. THIRTY COMMUNISTS WERE KILLED IN THE INVASION ATTEMPT, MADE JULY 28, THE MINISTRY SAID.

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A157FX
TAIPEI,FORMOSA, AUG.5-(AP)-THE U.S. NAVY TANKER CIMARRON ARRIVED AT THE FORMOSAN PORT OF KEELUNG TODAY, UNDER ESCORT OF THREE AMERICAN WARSHIPS, BRINGING A FULL LOAD OF FUEL FOR PLANES GUARDING AGAINST A COMMUNIST INVASION OF FORMOSA.

THERE WAS MUCH SPECULATION AS TO WHETHER THE GASOLINE WAS INTENDED FOR AMERICAN OR CHINESE NATIONALIST WAR PLANES. GENERAL MACARTHUR SAID HE WOULD SUPPLY FUEL FOR BOTH. SIX AMERICAN JET FIGHTERS ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

THE CRUISER JUNEAU ARRIVED AT KEELUNG WITH THE CIMARRON AND ANCHORED IN THE HARBOR. TWO U.S. DESTROYERS STOOD GUARD OUTSIDE.

WHILE THE CIMARRON BEGAN UNLOADING, WORK WENT AHEAD ON EXTENDING AIRFIELDS ON THIS NATIONALIST ISLAND FOR USE BY AMERICAN WAR PLANES.

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A158FX
WITH TAIPEI
MANILA, SUNDAY, AUG. 6-(AP)-MAJ.GEN.HOWARD K.TURNER, COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE U.S. 13TH AIR FORCE, HAS BEEN ON FORMOSA SINCE THURSDAY--PRESUMABLY CONFERRING ON DEFENSE PLANS FOR THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS' LAST-DITCH STAND.

AMERICAN JET FIGHTER PLANES WERE SENT THERE SEVERAL DAYS AGO. PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ORDERED THE U.S.SEVENTH FLEET TO DEFEND THE BIG ISLAND FROM CHINESE COMMUNIST ATTACK.

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B42KX
(APW) (130)
HONG KONG, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE RETIRING POLITICAL ADVISER TO THE HONG KONG GOVERNMENT BELIEVES THE SECURITY OF THIS BRITISH CROWN COLONY DEPENDS UPON "EXTERNAL FACTORS," INCLUDING THE WAR IN KOREA.

C.B.HEATHCOTE-SMITH MADE THE REMARK TO NEWSMEN BEFORE HE SAILED YESTERDAY FOR ENGLAND ON HOME LEAVE. HE DID NOT ELABORATE ON THE EFFECT HE THOUGHT THE KOREAN WAR WOULD HAVE ON HONG KONG.

HE SAID CHINA'S "TRAGEDY" WAS THAT SHE IS BEING PULLED INTO THE RUSSIAN ORBIT AND HER PEOPLE PLUNGED INTO THE SAME STATE AS THOSE OF THE SOVIET UNION. HE PREDICTED, HOWEVER, THAT THE CHINESE WILL BE SAVED "BY THEIR NATURAL COMMON SENSE."

HEATHCOTE-SMITH SAID BRITAIN DESIRES FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH CHINA ALTHOUGH NORMAL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE RED REGIME HAVE NOT YET BEEN ESTABLISHED.

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(WEST OUT)
HONG KONG,AUG 5 (AP)-AN INDEPENDENT CHINESE NEWSPAPER TODAY REPORTED AN UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE YEH CHIEN-YING, COMMUNIST GOVERNOR OF KWANGTUNG PROVINCE.

A CANTON DISPATCH TO THE KUNG SHEUNG EVENING NEWS SAID A MAN IN CIVILIAN DRESS FIRED THREE SHOTS AND YEH AND OTHER COMMUNIST OFFICIALS RETURNING BY AUTO TUESDAY FROM A MASS RALLY. THE SHOTS WENT WILD.

THE PAPER SAID MORE THAN 200 PEOPLE WERE ARRESTED.

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A33FX
TIBET (250)
HONG KONG, AUG. 5-(AP)-PLANS FOR A CHINESE RED INVASION OF ANCIENT TIBET, LOFTY LAND OF THE LAMAS, WERE REPORTED TODAY BY A PRO-COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER.

THE CHINESE LANGUAGE WEN WEI PAO PRINTED WHAT IT SAID WAS A REPORT BY ONE-EYED GEN.LIU PO-CHENG THAT COMMUNIST FORCES SOON "WILL MARCH INTO TIBET."

LIU, COMMANDER OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST SECOND FIELD ARMY, WAS QUOTED IN A REPORT TO THE COMMUNIST SOUTHWEST MILITARY AND ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE, WHICH ENDED A FIVE-DAY MEETING IN CHUNGKING JULY 31.

HE SAID SUCH A MOVE WOULD BE AIMED AT DRIVING OUT THE "AGGRESSIVE INFLUENCE OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" AND "TO CONSOLIDATE THE WESTERN LINE OF NATIONAL DEFENSE," THE NEWSPAPER REPORTED.

FOR MONTHS, THE RED PROPAGANDA LINE FROM PEIPING HAS PLUMPED FOR THE "LIBERATION" OF ALL CHINESE TERRITORY, INCLUDING TIBET AND FORMOSA. LAST JANUARY, RUSSIA'S TWO BIGGEST NEWSPAPERS, PRAVDA AND IZVESTIA, ANNOUNCED THAT AS RED CHINA'S AIM.

TIBET IS ON THE FRINGES OF CHINA, RUSSIA, INDIA AND KASHMIR. HIGH IN THE WINDY HIMALAYAS, IT HAS A POPULATION OF ABOUT 3,000,000. IT IS RULED BY LAMAS, OR BUDDHIST MONKS.

FOR CENTURIES IT HAS REMAINED ISOLATED FROM THE WORLD, ALOOF TOWARD FOREIGNERS. CHINA HAS CLAIMED SUZERAINITY OVER TIBET SINCE THE 17TH CENTURY, BUT THE COUNTRY -- FOR ALL PRACTICAL PURPOSES-- HAS BEEN SELF-GOVERNING.

MOST AMERICANS KNOW TIBET AS THE "SHANGRI-LA" OF A BEST-SELLING NOVEL, OR AS THE FAMOUS "HUMP" OVER WHICH SUPPLIES WERE FLOWN TO CHINA DURING THE WAR AGAINST JAPAN.

TIBET'S TOP RANKING MONK IS THE 18-YEAR-OLD DALAI LAMA WHO, AS EARLY AS AUGUST, 1948, CONDUCTED PRAYER MEETINGS TO PROTECT TIBET FROM COMMUNISM.

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A183 (240)
BY SEYMOUR TOPPING
SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG. 5-(AP)-THERE WAS WIDESPREAD SPECULATION IN RESPONSIBLE VIETNAMESE POLITICAL CIRCLES TONIGHT THAT FORMER EMPEROR BAO DAI WILL NOT RETURN FROM FRANCE TO REASSUME HIS DUTIES AS CHIEF OF VIETNAM, PRINCIPAL COUNTRY OF INDOCHINA.

(IN PARIS, AN OFFICIAL SPOKESMAN FOR THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID "WE HAVE NOT HEARD OF ANY SUCH REPORTS." PRIVATELY AUTHORITATIVE FRENCH GOVERNMENT SOURCES SAID THEY "DOUBT THAT THERE IS ANYTHING TO IT.")

(AN ATTACHE OF BAO DAI'S ENTOURAGE IN PARIS SAID "CERTAINLY HIS MAJESTY WILL RETURN TO VIETNAM AS SOON AS THE PRESENT CONFERENCE AT PAU IS ENDED." THAT CONFERENCE IS ATTENDED BY REPRESENTATIVES OF FRANCE AND THE THREE INDOCHINESE STATES OF VIETNAM, LAOS AND CAMBODIA. BAO DAI IS STAYING IN VICHY, ABOUT 300 MILES FROM PAU.)

BAO DAI, NOMINAL HEAD OF THE FRENCH-SPONSORED VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT, LEFT SAIGON JUNE 24 FOR FRANCE, AND IS NOW AT THE FRENCH RESORT OF VICHY. BAO DAI HAS GIVEN NO EXPLANATION FOR HIS PROLONGED STAY IN FRANCE, AND NO INDICATION OF WHEN HE INTENDS TO RETURN.

OFFICIAL CIRCLES HERE ARE SHOWING SHARP ANNOYANCE AT BAO DAI'S ABSENCE FROM HIS POST FOR PERSONAL REASONS AT THIS CRITICAL TIME. THE 35-YEAR-OLD FORMER EMPEROR HAS NOT TAKEN AN ACTIVE PART IN INDOCHINESE POLITICS SINCE HE WAS PLACED IN THE CHIEF OF STATE'S OFFICE BY FRANCE LAST YEAR. HE SPENT MOST OF HIS TIME IN DALAT, A PLEASANT MOUNTAIN RESORT CITY.

THE FRENCH PLACED BAO DAI AT THE HEAD OF THE VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT IN THE HOPE THAT HIS IMPERIAL BACKGROUND WOULD LEND PRESTIGE TO THE REGIME. SO FAR, POLITICAL INFORMANTS HERE BELIEVE, BAO DAI'S LUXURIOUS LIFE AT DALAT HAD ENDEARED HIM BUT LITTLE TO THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE BY COMPARISON WITH COMMUNIST-BACKED HO CHI MINH, WHO LIVES A SPARTAN EXISTENCE IN THE JUNGLES AND RICE PADDIES HIS GUERRILLAS CONTROL.

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A128
CALCUTTA, INDIA, AUG. 5-(AP)-FRANK BESSAC, LODI, CALIF., STUDENT WHO ACCOMPANIED AMERICAN VICE CONSUL DOUGLAS S.MACKIERNAN WHEN THE LATTER WAS KILLED IN APRIL BY TIBETAN BORDER GUARDS, IS RECUPERATING IN LHASA, SAID A REPORT RECEIVED HERE TODAY FROM THE TIBETAN CAPITAL.

MACKIERNAN AND BESSAC HAD BEEN EN ROUTE BY CAMEL CARAVAN FROM ISOLATED SINKIANG PROVINCE IN NORTHWEST CHINA. THEY HAD GONE 1,200 MILES WHEN THE BORDER SHOOTING OCCURRED ON APRIL 13.

TWO NATIVES, PRESUMABLY CHINESE, ALSO WERE KILLED WITH MACKIERNAN. ANOTHER NATIVE WAS WOUNDED. BESSAC ESCAPED INJURY.

THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT SAID THE TIBETANS MISTOOK THE PARTY FOR BANDITS OR COMMUNIST RAIDERS. TIBET HAS APOLOGIZED.

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A8
NEW DELHI,INDIA,AUG.5-(AP)-A NEWLY SIGNED TREATY CALLS FOR "EVERLASTING PEACE AND FRIENDSHIP" BETWEEN INDIA AND NEPAL--AND MAY BE TERMINATED ON ONE YEAR'S NOTICE.

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PRECEDE NEW YORK (A93)

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 6-(AP)-SOVIET VICE PREMIER V.M.MOLOTOV TODAY WAS REPORTED--WITHOUT CONFIRMATION--CONFERRING WITH CHINESE RED LEADERS ON AN INVASION OF FORMOSA, WHICH WAS DESCRIBED AS "IMMINENT."

A JAPANESE ANTI-COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION REPORTED THAT MOLOTOV HAD BEEN IN THE CHINESE COMMUNIST CAPITAL SEVERAL WEEKS.

REPORTS SENT TO THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN SAID THE AUSTRALIAN MISSION HERE HAD TRANSMITTED DOCUMENTS TO CANBERRA ON MOLOTOV'S TALKS. W.R. HODGSON, CHIEF OF THE MISSION, DENIED THESE REPORTS. HE SAID THE MISSION HAS NOT SEEN OR COMMUNICATED ANYTHING SUBSTANTIATING THE JAPANESE INFORMATION.

THE JAPANESE ORGANIZATION SAID ITS INFORMATION CAME FROM ITS AGENTS IN CHINA.

MOLOTOV WAS REPORTEDLY IN CONFERENCE WITH MAO TZE-TUNG, CHINESE COMMUNIST LEADER, AND KYUICHI TOKUDA, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE JAPANESE COMMUNIST PARTY WHO DISAPPEARED FROM TOKYO TWO MONTHS AGO.

THE THREE WERE SAID TO BE CONFERRING ON THREE MAIN ISSUES:

(1) THE INVASION OF FORMOSA.

(2) THE QUESTION OF CHINESE PARTICIPATION IN THE KOREAN WAR.

(3) A MASTER PLAN IN WHICH JAPANESE COMMUNISTS WOULD ATTEMPT WIDESPREAD SABOTAGE OF AMERICAN MILITARY INSTALLATIONS IN JAPAN.

THESE UNVERIFIED REPORTS ALSO SAID A "FAR EASTERN COMINFORM," HEADED BY MAO, HAD BEEN DESIGNATED TO DIRECT AND COORDINATE THE ENTIRE PLAN.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 5-(AP)-NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY CORRESPONDENT GEORGE THOMAS FOLSTER REPORTED TONIGHT FROM TOKYO THAT SOVIET VICE-PREMIER V. M. MOLOTOV HAS ARRIVED IN PEKING FOR CONFERENCES WITH CHINESE COMMUNIST LEADER MAO TZE TUNG.

FOLSTER ATTRIBUTED THE REPORT TO INTELLIGENCE RECEIVED BY THE AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY IN TOKYO. HE SAID THE EMBASSY REGARDS THE STORY AS "COMPLETELY TRUSTWORTHY."

FOLSTER'S REPORT TO HIS NEW YORK OFFICE SAID THAT MOLOTOV WAS ACCOMPANIED BY "TOP RANKING MILITARY AND POLITICAL ADVISERS" AND THAT "HIS APPEARANCE HAS AROUSED ALARM IN TOKYO OCCUPATION CIRCLES BECAUSE MOLOTOV IS REGARDED AS THE EVIL GENIUS OF THE KOREAN WAR."

FOLSTER'S REPORT ADDED:

"HIS PRESENCE IN THE CAPITAL OF COMMUNIST CHINA IS LINKED WITH GROWING ANTICIPATION OF A CHINESE INVASION OF FORMOSA AND POSSIBLE USE OF CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS IN KOREA AS 'ORIENTAL VOLUNTEERS.'"

FOLSTER ALSO REPORTED THAT "RECENT SWEEPS BY THE UNITED STATES SEVENTH FLEET AROUND FORMOSA DISCLOSED THAT COMMUNIST INVASION OF THE NATIONALISTS' ISLAND-STRONGHOLD HAD BEEN IMMINENT."

FOLSTER DID NOT INDICATE IN HIS REPORT HOW RECENTLY THAT SITUATION HELD, OR WHETHER IT STILL HOLDS.

FOLSTER SAID THAT "OFFICIAL CIRCLES IN BOTH TOKYO AND FORMOSA BELIE THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S VISIT TO FORMOSA ON THE EVE OF RUSSIA'S UNITED NATIONS ATTACK ON THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WAS DESIGNED TO BUTTRESS THE PRESTIGE OF THE NATIONALISTS AND COMMIT THE UNITED STATES OPENLY TO SUPPORT FORMOSA AGAINST THE REDS."

FOLSTER'S REPORT ADDED:

"INTELLIGENCE REPORTS REACHING MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS DESCRIBE HEAVY CONCENTRATION OF CHINESE TROOPS ALONG THE MANCHURIAN BORDER OF NORTH KOREA.

"BUT THERE'S NO EVIDENCE YET OF COMMUNIST CHINESE PARTICIPATION IN THE KOREAN WAR.

"WHETHER MOLOTOV'S ARRIVAL IN PEKING IS ONLY ANOTHER MOVE IN THE KREMLIN'S WAR OF NERVES OR ACTUALLY A DECISIVE STEP TOWARD CHINESE COMMUNIST COMMITMENT IN THE KOREAN WAR, IT DIRECTS ATTENTION TO THE TREMENDOUS ADVANTAGE WHICH THE RUSSIANS WOULD DERIVE FROM OPENING A STATE OF WAR BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND COMMUNIST CHINA.

"IT WOULD PUT A NEW STRAIN ON AMERICAN MILITARY RESOURCES, ALREADY HARD PRESS IN KOREA."

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A151FX

FIRST LEAD HARRIMAN (300)

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 6-(AP)-W. AVERELL HARRIMAN ARRIVED TODAY AND IMMEDIATELY CONFERRED WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR ON AMERICAN FAR EASTERN POLICY.

SOME SOURCES PREDICTED SOLIDIFICATION OF AMERICAN SUPPORT FOR ASIAN NATIONS OPPOSING COMMUNISM AS A POSSIBLE RESULT OF THE VISIT BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S NEW SPECIAL ASSISTANT ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

AN HOUR AFTER THE FORMER U.S. AMBASSADOR TO BRITAIN ARRIVED HE ATTENDED THE REGULAR BRIEFING BY MACARTHUR'S CHIEF OF STAFF ON THE KOREAN WAR.

BY NOON HARRIMAN WAS CLOSETED WITH MACARTHUR IN THE UNITED NATIONS COMMANDER'S OFFICE. HE AND HIS PARTY WERE LUNCHEON GUESTS OF THE GENERAL AND MRS. MACARTHUR.

RELIABLE SOURCES SAID MACARTHUR WOULD EMPHASIZE IN TALKS WITH HARRIMAN THAT THE KOREAN WAR IS BUT ONE ASPECT OF CONTINUAL COMMUNIST PRESSURE IN ASIA.

THEY SAID HE WOULD WARN HARRIMAN THAT A U.N. VICTORY IN KOREA WOULD ACCOMPLISH LITTLE UNLESS THE SAME SUPPORT WERE GIVEN OTHER THREATENED AREAS--NOTABLY FORMOSA AND SOUTHEAST ASIA.

THIS VIEWPOINT HAS BEEN STRESSED REPEATEDLY BY MACARTHUR DURING THE PAST FOUR YEARS. HE ADVOCATED STRONG ASSISTANCE FOR FORMOSA AND INDOCHINA LONG BEFORE THIS BECAME AMERICAN POLICY.

MACARTHUR BELIEVES, THE SOURCES SAID, THAT DEFEAT IN KOREA WOULD NOT ALTER THE COMMUNIST PROGRAM OF AGGRESSION OR REDUCE ITS CONSISTENT PROBING FOR WEAK SPOTS.

THE GENERAL HAS SAID OTHER OUTBREAKS CAN BE EXPECTED THROUGHOUT THE WORLD--AT SUCH PRESSURE POINTS AS IRAN AND GERMANY AS WELL AS ASIA.

IN THE FAR EAST, THE SOURCES CONTINUED, MACARTHUR BELIEVES THE U.N. AND THE U.S. MUST BE PREPARED TO BACK UP EACH THREATENED AREA AS STRONGLY AS THEY HAVE IN KOREA. THIS INCLUDES SUPPORT FOR FORMOSA, HONG KONG, INDOCHINA, THAILAND, BURMA, MALAYA AND INDONESIA.

MACARTHUR ALSO IS EXPECTED TO TELL HARRIMAN THAT U.N. FORCES MUST CROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL AND SECURE A FIRM VICTORY IN NORTH KOREA BEFORE THE CAMPAIGN CAN BE CONSIDERED WON.

THE VETERAN DIPLOMAT'S VISIT IS REGARDED IN JAPANESE CIRCLES AS AN EXTREMELY IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENT. IN IT THEY SEE STRONG PROSPECTS OF A PEACE SETTLEMENT BETWEEN WESTERN POWERS AND JAPAN, FORMALIZING THE END OF WORLD WAR II.

A PEACE SETTLEMENT IS THE PRIMARY AIM OF JAPANESE POLICY.

HARRIMAN IS EXPECTED TO COVER THE FULL RANGE OF THE ORIENT'S PROBLEMS IN HIS DISCUSSIONS WITH MACARTHUR. THESE WOULD INCLUDE THE MILITARY SITUATION IN KOREA AND THE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC PROBLEMS THAT FACE THE UNITED NATIONS THERE AFTER PEACE IS SECURED.

ALMOST CERTAIN TO BE ON THE AGENDA IS AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK AND THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT ON FORMOSA.

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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, AUG.5-(AP)-RECENT UNEXPLAINED EXPLOSIONS ON OR NEAR RUSSIAN-OWNED BIG DIOMEDE ISLAND IN THE BERING STRAIT WERE REPORTED HERE TODAY.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK MORGAN, OF ANCHORAGE, RETURNED YESTERDAY WITH THE REPORT FROM LITTLE DIOMEDE ISLAND, OWNED BY THE UNITED STATES AND ONLY THREE MILES FROM THE SOVIET FAR EAST ISLAND OUTPOST.

THE MORGANS SAID THAT SEVERAL TIMES DURING A FOUR-MONTH STAY ON LITTLE DIOMEDE THEY HEARD LOUD NOISES AT SEA. THEY BELIEVED THE NOISES MAY HAVE BEEN FROM A SURVEY SHIP TAKING SOUNDINGS OR FROM THE SIBERIAN MAINLAND. FOG PREVENTED THEM FROM LOCATING THE SOURCES.

THE MORGANS EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE BOLSTERING BIG DIOMEDE AS ESKIMOS REPORTED THAT ONLY ONE SOVIET PLANE WAS ON THE ISLAND LAST WINTER.

THE NATIVES ALSO REPORTED THAT THE RUSSIAN ISLAND WAS STRANGELY INACTIVE, MORGAN SAID. LAST SPRING, TOURISTS SAID THE ISLAND WAS BEING EVACUATED OF ITS RESIDENTS AS THE RUSSIANS PREPARED TO CONSTRUCT A LARGE BASE ON BIG DIOMEDE. NO LARGE CONSTRUCTION IS EVIDENT THERE, MORGAN SAID.

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A9WX
(580) PMS BUDGET
FAR EAST
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-A DESIRE TO CLARIFY U.S. RELATIONS WITH THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WAS REPORTED TODAY TO BE BEHIND THE TOKYO CONFERENCE OF GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR AND W.AVERELL HARRIMAN.

THAT IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE THE CHIEF REASON WHY PRESIDENT TRUMAN DISPATCHED HIS FOREIGN AFFAIRS COORDINATOR TO MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS FOR A DISCUSSION OF FAR EASTERN POLITICAL QUESTIONS. HARRIMAN LEFT HERE YESTERDAY AND IS DUE TO BE IN TOKYO UNTIL NEXT WEDNESDAY.

IN ANNOUNCING THE TRIP AT A NEWS CONFERENCE THIS WEEK, THE PRESIDENT EMPHASIZED THAT MACARTHUR AND HARRIMAN WOULD TALK ABOUT A NUMBER OF OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS ARISING OUT OF THE KOREAN CRISIS.

FOREMOST AMONG THESE PROBLEMS IN OFFICIAL THINKING HERE, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY, IS THAT OF FORMOSA, THE NATIONALIST STRONGHOLD.

THE FORMOSA ISSUE IS CONSIDERED URGENT FOR TWO REASONS ON WHICH HARRIMAN WAS FULLY BRIEFED BEFORE HE LEFT WASHINGTON.

1. THE UNITED STATES, BESIDES WANTING TO KEEP THE ISLAND FROM THE COMMUNISTS, DOES NOT WANT IT TO BECOME A NEW FOCUS OF CONFLICT IN THE FAR EAST. THEREFORE, IT DOES NOT WANT TO TIE UP TOO CLOSELY WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI SHEK, WHOSE AVOWED AIM IS TO RECONQUER THE MAINLAND OF CHINA AND WHO APPARENTLY REGARDS THE KOREAN CONFLICT SIMPLY AS A STAGE IN A DEVELOPING COMMUNIST WAR.

2. THE TIME OF YEAR IN WHICH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS COULD ASSAULT FORMOSA ACROSS 100 MILES OF OPEN WATER IS DRAWING TO A CLOSE. THAT MAKES THE REST OF THIS MONTH ESPECIALLY CRITICAL; IF THE COMMUNISTS INTEND TO STRIKE THEY MUST DO SO IN THE NEXT THREE WEEKS.

MACARTHUR VISITED CHIANG'S HEADQUARTERS AT TAIPEH, FORMOSA, LAST MONDAY TO TURN DOWN THE GENERALISSIMO'S OFFER OF TROOPS FOR KOREA AND TO CONFER WITH HIM ON THE DEFENSES OF THE ISLAND. THEIR CONFERENCE WAS FOLLOWED BY SEPARATE STATEMENTS FROM BOTH MEN SAYING THEY HAD AGREED ON THE BASIS FOR THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA.

AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES HERE SAY MACARTHUR DID NOT ADVISE WASHINGTON, OR AT LEAST THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND WHITE HOUSE, ABOUT HIS TRIP--LEAVING THEM IN THE DARK AS TO THE RESULTS HE ACHIEVED.

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POLICY MAKERS HERE ASSUME MACARTHUR ACTED UNDER PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROTECTION OF FORMOSA AND DISCUSSED ONLY DEFENSIVE MILITARY ARRANGEMENTS WITH CHIANG.

THE HARRIMAN TRIP IS SAID TO BE FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING CERTAIN THIS ASSUMPTION IS CORRECT, AS WELL AS TO CLARIFY BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND TOKYO PRECISELY WHAT AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA IS.

THIS POLICY HAS BEEN SPELLED OUT ALREADY IN GENERAL TERMS BY MR. TRUMAN. WHAT HE HAS SAID BOILS DOWN TO NEUTRALIZING FORMOSA IN RELATION TO THE KOREAN WAR, KEEPING IT OUT OF COMMUNIST HANDS AND LEAVING ITS FINAL DISPOSITION EITHER TO A JAPANESE PEACE SETTLEMENT OR TO THE UNITED NATIONS.

HIS MOVES, ACCORDING TO OFFICIAL INFORMANTS, ARE BASED ON A FIRM DESIRE TO KEEP THE COMMUNIST WAR BOTTLED UP IN KOREA--AND PARTICULARLY TO DENY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ANY EXCUSE, IN THE FORM OF AGGRESSIVE ACTION BY CHIANG, FOR GETTING INTO THE FIGHT.

THE AMERICAN POLICY OBVIOUSLY IS NOT ENTIRELY IN ACCORD WITH CHIANG'S DESIRE. HE WELCOMES AMERICAN HELP IN DEFENDING THE ISLAND BUT APPARENTLY DOES NOT THINK MUCH OF REMAINING NEUTRAL IN RELATION TO KOREA.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROPOSAL TO FIX THE STATUS OF FORMOSA AT SOME FUTURE DATE IMPLIES THAT ITS STATUS IS NOT CLEAR, WHEREAS THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS FIRMLY REGARD THE ISLAND AS UNQUESTIONABLY CHINESE TERRITORY UNDER CHIANG'S RULE.

HARRIMAN IS EXPECTED TO SEEK OUT MACARTHUR'S IDEAS ON HOW THE UNITED STATES SHOULD PROCEED IN ITS RELATIONS WITH CHIANG, AND ALSO TO MAKE CLEAR TO HIM WASHINGTON'S THINKING ON THAT SUBJECT.

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(700) AMS BUDGET
FOREIGN AID
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, AUG.5-(AP)-THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION IS BEGINNING TO RECAST ITS PLANS FOR FUTURE FOREIGN ECONOMIC AID AS A RESULT OF THE KOREAN CRISIS.

TOP OFFICIALS ARE ALREADY LARGELY CONVINCED THAT THE NEED TO EXPAND AND SPEED UP WESTERN EUROPEAN DEFENSE PROGRAMS WILL COMPEL THIS COUNTRY TO CONTINUE LARGE SCALE ASSISTANCE TO WESTERN EUROPE AFTER THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS.

WHAT SUCCESS THESE OFFICIALS WOULD HAVE IN GETTING SUCH A PROGRAM THROUGH CONGRESS REMAINS TO BE SEEN, HOWEVER. ALREADY THERE IS MUCH SENTIMENT ON CAPITOL HILL TO CUT THE MARSHALL PLAN IN VIEW OF INCREASED MILITARY SPENDING.

THIS WEEK MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS ESCAPED REDUCTION BY NARROW MARGINS IN THE SENATE, AND ANOTHER EFFORT IS TO BE MADE TO CUT THEM IN THE HOUSE.

OFFICIALS WHO FEEL THAT ECONOMIC AID PROBABLY WILL BE NECESSARY AFTER THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS BASE THEIR BELIEF PARTLY ON THE FOLLOWING GROUND:

THE ATMOSPHERE OF UNCERTAINTY IN THE WORLD AS TO THE PROSPECTS

FOR WAR OR PEACE APPEAR TO HAVE REDUCED DRASTICALLY THE CHANCES FOR PRIVATE INVESTMENTS IN THE SO-CALLED UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS. THE GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN COUNTING ON SUCH INVESTMENTS TO TAKE UP MUCH OF THE SLACK IN AMERICAN SPENDING ABROAD AFTER THE MARSHALL PLAN.

"WE HAVE A COMMITMENT TO CONGRESS TO END THE MARSHALL PLAN OPERATION IN 1952," ONE HIGHLY PLACED INFORMANT SAID TODAY, "AND WE WILL DO IT, OF COURSE. BUT AS A DATE FOR CUTTING OFF SUBSTANTIAL AID TO THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, 1952 JUST DOESN'T HAVE ANY MEANING ANY MORE."

THE PROBLEM OF WHAT SORT OF AID SHOULD BE GIVEN TO PROP UP EUROPE'S WAR STRAINED ECONOMIES--ASIDE FROM PURELY MILITARY ASSISTANCE--IS PRIMARILY THE CONCERN OF GORDON GRAY, SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN. GRAY HAD TO REWRITE HIS INITIAL REPORT AFTER THE KOREAN OUTBREAK BUT EXPECTS TO GIVE MR.TRUMAN A COMPREHENSIVE STUDY OF THE WHOLE FOREIGN AID QUESTION LATE NEXT MONTH.

IN ADDITION, W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, THE PRESIDENT'S TOP FOREIGN AFFAIRS COORDINATOR, HAS DEVOTED CONSIDERABLE ATTENTION TO THIS QUESTION AND SO HAVE RANKING OFFICIALS OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION.

THE REASONS WHY THE QUESTION ARISES AT THIS TIME ARE REFLECTED ON THE EUROPEAN SIDE TOO. BRITAIN'S DRAMATIC OFFER THURSDAY TO UNDERTAKE A THEE YEAR, $9,500,000,000 REARMAMENT PROGRAM WAS CONDITIONED ON ASS

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A THREE YEAR, $9,500,000,000 REARMAMENT PROGRAM WAS CONDITIONED ON ASSURANCES THAT THE UNITED STATES WOULD HELP MEET THE COST BY SUPPLYING TOOLS AND RAW MATERIALS TO MAKE THE WEAPONS. THE BRITISH THUS ARGUED IN EFFECT THEY COULD NOT UNDERTAKE A REARMAMENT EXPANSION PURELY OUT OF THEIR OWN RESOURCES WITHOUT REDUCING THEIR LIVING STANDARDS, WHICH THEY DO NOT WANT TO DO.

. OTHER WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, AT AMERICAN URGING, ARE UNDERSTOOD TO BE TAKING A SIMILAR ATTITUDE ALTHOUGH IT DID NOT SHOW UP TODAY IN DENMARK'S ANNOUNCEMENT OF A TWO YEAR $57,100,000 REARMAMENT PROGRAM. NO CONDITION ABOUT AMERICAN AID WAS MENTIONED IN REPORTS OF THE DANISH ANNOUNCEMENT.

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UNTIL THE KOREAN CRISIS DEVELOPED, ALL AMERICAN CIVILIAN AID PROGRAMS ABROAD WERE PLANNED ON A DECLINING BASIS. THIS WAS PARTICULARLY TRUE OF THE WORK WHICH HAD BEEN DONE BY GRAY AND THE STAFF UNDER HIM.

THEY HAD ASSUMED THAT EUROPEAN RECOVERY, THOUGH NOT COMPLETED, WOULD BE FAR ADVANCED BY THE END OF THE MARSHALL PLAN. THEY BELIEVED THAT SOME SMALL AMERICAN ASSISTANCE MIGHT HAVE TO BE GIVEN TO INDIVIDUAL EUROPEAN STATES BUT THAT MUCH OF THE DOLLARS NEEDED COULD BE EARNED AS A RESULT OF AMERICAN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE INVESTMENTS IN OTHER AREAS OF THE WORLD. THIS LATTER POINT TIED INTO PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S POINT FOUR PLAN.

THERE WAS CONSIDERABLE HOPE THAT RETURNING CONFIDENCE OF BUSINESSMEN EVERYWHERE WOULD ENCOURAGE A STEADY GROWTH OF PRIVATE CAPITAL ACTIVITY AND THAT THIS ALONG WITH WESTERN EUROPE'S ABILITY TO PRODUCE AND SELL EXPORTS IN THE AMERICAN MARKET WOULD SUPPLY THE DOLLARS EUROPE REQUIRES.

THE COMMUNIST ATTACK ON SOUTHERN KOREA--BY SHOWING THAT THE RUSSIAN BLOC COUNTRIES WERE CAPABLE OF SUCH OPENLY AGGRESSIVE ACTION--KNOCKED THE PROPS AWAY FROM MANY OF THESE ASSUMPTIONS. THE ATTACK WEAKENED CONFIDENCE IN WORLD PEACE AND IN THE SAFETY OF FOREIGN INVESTMENTS AND GAVE THE PRODUCTION OF ARMS AN URGENT NEW PRIORITY OVER CIVILIAN GOODS IN EUROPE AS WELL AS HERE.

THE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES IN THE LONG RUN STAND TO SUFFER CIVILIAN ECONOMIC REVERSES THROUGH REARMAMENT IN SEVERAL WAYS. OFFICIALS HERE SAY THAT THE DIVERSION OF PRODUCTIVE CAPACITY TO WEAPONS WILL REDUCE THEIR SALEABLE EXPORTS. THIS MEANS A LESS PROFITABLE USE OF THEIR FINANCIAL RESOURCES. ANOTHER ELEMENT IS THE TENDENCY OF THE PRICE LEVELS OF AN ECONOMY TO GO UP UNDER THE PRESSURE OF A REARMAMENT PROGRAM.

THESE ADVERSE EFFECTS, WIDENING THE GAP BETWEEN THE DOLLARS WESTERN EUROPE EARNS AND THE DOLLARS IT NEEDS, WILL BE SOMEWHAT OFFSET BY AMERICAN EXPENDITURES FOR ARMS PURCHASES IN EUROPE AND BY DIRECT AMERICAN AID TO EUROPEAN ARMS PRODUCTION--SUCH AS THE FINANCING OF FACTORIES AND THE SUPPLYING OF RAW MATERIALS.

HARRIMAN AMONG OTHERS IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE CONVINCED, HOWEVER, THAT THE OFFSET WILL NOT BE SUFFICIENT AND THAT A FURTHER OUTPOURING OF AMERICAN FUNDS WILL BE NECESSARY TO HELP KEEP EUROPE ECONOMICALLY STRONG AS WELL AS TO MAKE IT MILITARILY POWERFUL.

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GERMANS-JAPS

BY JACK BELL

WASHINGTON, AUG.5-(AP)-BIPARTISAN DEMANDS WERE BEING VOICED IN CONGRESS TODAY FOR ARMING GERMANS AND JAPANESE TO DEFEND THEMSELVES AGAINST POSSIBLE COMMUNIST ATTACK.

SENATOR MAGNUSON (D-WASH) CAME UP WITH A PROPOSAL FOR VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENT OF JAPANESE IN THE AMERICAN ARMED FORCES.

SENATORS RUSSELL (D-GA) AND LODGE (R-MASS) SUGGESTED, INSTEAD, THAT THE UNITED STATES ASK THE UNITED NATIONS TO BEGIN THE FORMATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL POLICE FORCE WITH GERMAN AND JAPANESE UNITS.

SENATOR GEORGE (D-GA) TOLD HIS COLLEAGUES THAT A STRONG GROUND ARMY SHOULD BE BUILT IN BOTH OCCUPIED COUNTRIES.

MAGNUSON ASKED GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR BY CABLE TO SAY WHETHER THE WASHINGTON SENATOR'S PROPOSAL FOR VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENT OF THE JAPANESE IN THE AMERICAN ARMED FORCES WOULD BE PRACTICAL.

MAGNUSON TOLD A REPORTER THAT HE THINKS SUCH A COURSE WOULD CIRCUMVENT THE PROVISION OF THE JAPANESE CONSTITUTION WHICH BARS THAT COUNTRY FROM FORMING AN ARMY.

WITH THE WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN OCCUPATION FORCES FROM JAPAN FOR THE FIGHTING IN KOREA, MAGNUSON SAID, HE THINKS STEPS SHOULD BE TAKEN AT ONCE TO PUT IN UNIFORM AS MANY JAPANESE AS WANT TO SERVE IN DEFENSE OF THEIR HOMELAND.

"WE WOULD HAVE A POOL OF AT LEAST A HALF MILLION TRAINED MEN TO DRAW FROM," HE OBSERVED.

UNDER THE MAGNUSON PROPOSAL, JAPANESE WHO ENLISTED WOULD BE PAID UP TO HALF THE RATE OF AMERICAN TROOPS. THEY WOULD NOT BE MADE ELIGIBLE EITHER FOR AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP OR FOR VETERANS BENEFITS.

THE WASHINGTON SENATOR SAID CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) HAD PROMISED AN EARLY HEARING BY THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE ON THE PROPOSAL, WITH THE OBSERVATION THAT THE GROUP WOULD EXPLORE AT THE SAME TIME THE POSSIBILITY OF MAKING THE SAME SORT OF OPPORTUNITY AVAILABLE TO GERMAN WAR VETERANS.

SENATOR LODGE, A FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE MEMBER, TOLD A REPORTER HE DOESN'T LIKE THE IDEA OF CREATING A FOREIGN LEGION WITHIN

THE AMERICAN ARMED FORCES.

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"THE COMMUNISTS WOULD SAY THAT WE WERE HIRING MERCENARIES TO FIGHT OUR BATTLES," HE SAID. "IT WOULD BE MUCH BETTER IF SOME WAY COULD BE FOUND TO FORM AN INTERNATIONAL POLICE FORCE INTO WHICH GERMAN AND JAPANESE UNITS COULD BE INTEGRATED."

LODGE WAS THE AUTHOR OF A LAW UNDER WHICH 2,500 FOREIGNERS CAN BE ENLISTED IN U.S. ARMED FORCES, WITH THE PRIVILEGE OF ATTAINING CITIZENSHIP WITHIN FIVE YEARS. HE POINTED OUT, HOWEVER, THAT IN THIS CASE ALL MUST BE POTENTIAL OFFICER MATERIAL WHO CAN BE USED TO TRAIN TROOPS OF THEIR NATIVE LANDS.

RUSSELL SAID THAT THE U.N. OUGHT TO BE WILLING TO START AT ONCE FORMING A POLICE FORCE WHICH WOULD BE AVAILABLE TO COUNTER ANY COMMUNIST AGGRESSION THAT DEVELOPS OUTSIDE KOREA.

"I THINK THE GERMANS MUST BE ARMED IN EUROPE IF THERE IS TO BE A SUCCESSFUL DEFENSE OF THE CONTINENT," HE SAID. "I'M IN FAVOR OF GOING ALL OUT IN THIS MATTER. EITHER THE FREE WORLD IS IN DANGER OR IT ISN'T."

RUSSELL SAID HE EXPECTS THE ISSUE TO COME UP WHEN CONGRESS BEGINS WORK ON A REQUEST OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR $4,000,000,000(B) ADDITIONAL FOREIGN MILITARY ASSISTANCE FUNDS.

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TANKS-RADAR (430)

WASHINGTON,AUG 5-(AP)-THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE HAS HUNG TOP PRIORITY SIGNS ON TWO PROJECTS IN THE MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR REARMAMENT PROGRAM. THEY ARE:

1. GETTING THIS COUNTRY'S FIRST NEW TYPE TANKS SINCE WORLD WAR II OFF THE ASSEMBLY LINE IN A HURRY.

2. SPEEDING THE HALF-COMPLETED $85,000,000 (M) RADAR WARNING SYSTEM TO A FINISH.

CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) TODAY SCHEDULED MEETINGS NEXT WEEK OF TWO OF HIS "EXPEDITING" SUBCOMMITTEES.

THE TANK EXPEDITING GROUP, HEADED BY REP.PHILBIN (D-MASS), MEETS MONDAY AND THAT DEALING WITH THE RADAR FENCE, OF WHICH REP.RIVERS (D-NC) IS CHAIRMAN, CONVENES TUESDAY.

GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF; MAJ.GEN.E.L.FORD, CHIEF OF ARMY ORDNANCE, AND TANK SPECIALISTS HAVE BEEN CALLED TO THE MONDAY MEETING.

VINSON PLANS TO ATTEND THE CLOSED EXPEDITING SESSIONS AND IT IS LIKELY THAT REP.SHORT OF MISSOURI, RANKING REPUBLICAN MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE, ALSO WILL SIT IN.

IN A BIPARTISAN MOVE VINSON AND SHORT SET UP NINE SUBCOMMITTEES OF FOUR MEMBERS EACH CONCERNED WITH SEPARATE PHASES OF THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM, TO SEE THAT "THE GREATEST POSSIBLE SPEED" IS BEING MADE.

THE DECISION TO NAME THEM WAS MADE AFTER THE FULL COMMITTEE HEARD TOP MILITARY LEADERS DETAIL PLANS IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING AND FOR STRENGTHENING THIS COUNTRY'S MILITARY MIGHT.

VINSON SAID AFTERWARD THAT THE COMMITTEE WAS "FAR FROM SATISFIED" WITH WHAT IT HEARD, AND WAS ESPECIALLY CONCERNED OVER TANK PRODUCTION.

IN DISCUSSING THE TANK SUBCOMMITTEE PLANS, PHILBIN SAID:

"OUR INQUIRY IS DESIGNED TO INSURE ADEQUATE, MODERN TANKS AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE MOMENT."

THE ARMY HAS PLACED ORDERS FOR A NEW LIGHT 28-TON "CROSS-COUNTRY" TANK, THE T-41, THAT WILL DO 35 MILES AN HOUR AND IS EASILY MANEUVERED. IT HAS HEAVY ARMOR PLATES AND MOUNTS A 90 MM RIFLE.

TWO YEARS AGO THE ARMY STARTED PRODUCTION ON AN IMPROVED VERSION OF THE WORLD WAR II GENERAL PERSHING 47 1/2 TON TANK. THE NEW MODEL WAS NAMED THE PATTON.

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IT HAS A 90 MM RIFLE. SOME OF THESE HAVE REACHED KOREA.

THE ARMY DECLINED TO SAY PUBLICLY HOW MUCH IT IS NOW SPENDING ON PRODUCTION OF NEW TANKS AND ITS MODERNIZATION PROGRAM.

IT HAS DISCLOSED THAT IT HAS PROTOTYPES (EXPERIMENTAL MODELS) FOR A NEW MEDIUM TANK AND DESIGNS FOR A NEW HEAVY.

A FEW WEEKS AGO THE AIR FORCE ASKED CONGRESS TO APPROPRIATE $31,152,000 (M), TO RUSH WORK ON THE VAST SYSTEM OF RADAR WARNING STATIONS THAT ARE BEING BUILT IN ALASKA, ALONG THE WEST AND EAST COAST OF THE UNITED STATES AND ACROSS THE COUNTRY.

CONGRESS LAST YEAR AUTHORIZED THE SYSTEM, ESTIMATED TO COST $85,500,000 (M). IT APPROPRIATED $54,348,000 (M) TO GET IT STARTED.

THE AIR FORCE SAID THAT ABOUT HALF THE JOB OF ACQUIRING STRATEGIC MOUNTAIN SITES AND ERECTING SPECIAL TYPE BUILDINGS HAS BEEN DONE. EQUIPMENT IS BEING ASSEMBLED READY FOR QUICK INSTALLATION.

MEANWHILE THE NATION IS NOT WITHOUT A WARNING SYSTEM, THE AIR FORCE SAID.

OFFICIALS SAID AN EMERGENCY SYSTEM, USING WORLD WAR II EQUIPMENT, IS OPERATING "ROUND-THE-CLOCK."

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(150) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SATURDAY, AUGUST 5).

ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE "VOICE OF AMERICA" WILL BEGIN BROADCASTING NEWS TO THE FAR EAST IN THE VIET NAMESE LANGUAGE BEGINNING AUG. 13.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID THE BROADCAST IS THE 25TH LANGUAGE TO BE USED BY THE VOICE IN BEAMING AMERICAN NEWS OVERSEAS.

A 15 MINUTE PROGRAM WILL BE RELAYED DAILY INCLUDING NEWS AND FEATURE EVENTS TO COUNTER THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA BROADCAST AIMED AT THE AREA BY MOSCOW AND COMMUNIST CHINESE STATIONS. FIVE SHORT WAVE TRANSMITTERS IN THE UNITED STATES AND TWO RELAY STATIONS AT HONOLULU AND FACILITIES AT MANILA WILL BE USED IN THE PROGRAM.

ELMER NEWTON, CHIEF OF THE VOICE OF AMERICA'S FAR EAST SECTION WILL DIRECT THE NEW PROGRAM.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SATURDAY, AUGUST 5)

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A62WX (TANKS, AIRFORCE)

WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-PROMOTIONS OF OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN IN THE AIR FORCE RESERVE HAVE BEEN TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED.

ANNOUNCING THIS TODAY, THE AIR FORCE SAID THE SUSPENSION WAS ORDERED PENDING A STUDY OF THE EFFECTS ON THE GRADE STRUCTURE OF THE AIR FORCE PROGRAM OF RECALLING RESERVES. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PROMOTION ARE BEING HELD IN ABEYANCE UNTIL THE STUDY IS COMPLETED.

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~~MILITARY~~ (A66)
BY JOSEPH C. GOODWIN
WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE ARMY IS CALLING 62,000 ENLISTED RESERVES TO ACTIVE DUTY IN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER.

THE NAVY IS ADDING 12 MONTHS TO THE ENLISTMENTS OF THOSE ON ACTIVE DUTY OR IN ITS RESERVES.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ASKED CONGRESS FOR ANOTHER $950,000,000 WORTH OF NAVAL PLANES.

AND SOME CONGRESSMEN ARE DEMANDING THAT JAPANESE AND GERMANS BE ARMED TO DEFEND THEMSELVES AGAINST POSSIBLE COMMUNIST ATTACKS.

THESE WERE AMONG YESTERDAY'S DEVELOPMENTS IN AMERICA'S PROGRAM OF REBUILDING ITS ARMED STRENGTH.

THE [redacted] ARMY CALL WAS LIMITED TO ENLISTED MEN WHO ARE NOT IN REGULAR RESERVE UNITS. THE ORDER CALLED FOR 21 MONTHS OF DUTY. THE ARMY DIDN'T SAY, BUT PRESUMABLY THE RESERVES WILL GO WITH UNITS WHICH ALREADY HAVE BEEN CALLED UP.

AND THE ARMY SAID ALL RESERVISTS WILL BE SCREENED TO WEED OUT COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS.

AS FOR THE NAVY ENLISTED MEN, THE NAVY SAID ITS ORDER APPLIES TO REGULAR NAVY MEN AND NAVAL RESERVES EXCEPT ONE-YEAR ENLISTEES WHO CAME IN UNDER THE SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT.

THE NAVY ALSO SAID IT NOW WILL ACCEPT APPLICATIONS FOR RESERVE COMMISSIONERS FROM DOCTORS, DENTISTS, NURSES, MEDICAL INTERNS, MEDICAL AND DENTAL STUDENTS AND ELECTRONICS SPECIALISTS.

IN ASKING CONGRESS FOR AN ADDITIONAL $950,000,000 WORTH OF NAVAL PLANES, MR.TRUMAN ALSO SOUGHT $170,930,000 FOR ARMY AND NAVY PUBLIC CONSTRUCTION AND $35,000,000 FOR THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT'S EMERGENCY FUND.

THIS BRINGS TO $16,500,000,000 THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF ADDITIONAL MILITARY FUNDS ASKED BY THE PRESIDENT SINCE THE START OF THE KOREAN WAR.

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DEMANDS FOR ARMING GERMANS AND JAPANESE CAME FROM BOTH DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN CONGRESSMEN.

SENATOR MAGNUSON (D-[redacted] PROPOSED VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENT OF JAPANESE IN THE AMERICAN ARMED FORCES. SENATORS RUSSELL (D-GA) AND LODGE (R-MASS) SUGGESTED, INSTEAD, THAT THIS COUNTRY ASK THE UNITED NATIONS TO FORM AN INTERNATIONAL POLICE FORCE CONTAINING GERMAN AND JAPANESE UNITS.

SENATOR GEORGE (D-GA) TOLD THE SENATE THAT A STRONG GROUND ARMY SHOULD BE BUILT IN BOTH OCCUPIED COUNTRIES.

IN ANOTHER DEVELOPMENT IN THIS COUNTRY'S MILITARY EFFORT IN KOREA, THE MILITARY SEA TRANSPORT SERVICE ANNOUNCED THAT TO DATE IT HAS CHARTERED 78 U.S. FLAG SHIPS AND 13 FOREIGN VESSELS TO MOVE TROOPS AND SUPPLIES. ANOTHER 105 VESSELS IN THE RESERVE FLEET HAVE BEEN REACTIVATED.

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A170WX (BJT)
AMS BUDGET
(400) DRAFT
BY DOUGLAS B.CORNELL
WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-WORRIED WHETHER THE DRAFT MIGHT YANK THE BOY OUT OF SCHOOL? OR WHETHER YOU YOURSELF CAN GET A DEFERMENT?

NOBODY CAN TELL YOU FOR SURE WHAT WILL HAPPEN. BUT SELECTIVE SERVICE OFFICIALS SAY THIS IS THE POLICY, LAID DOWN PARTLY IN LAWS AND PARTLY IN REGULATIONS:

ONLY PERSONS IN THE 19 THROUGH 25 AGE GROUP CAN BE DRAFTED NOW, ALTHOUGH 18-YEAR-OLDS MUST REGISTER.

IF YOU ARE IN THE RIGHT AGE BRACKET AND HAVE A JOB, IT'S UP TO YOUR LOCAL DRAFT BOARD TO DECIDE WHETHER YOUR TYPE OF WORK IS OF THE KIND AND IMPORTANCE TO WARRANT A DEFERMENT. THE BOARD IS SUPPOSED TO DEFER ANYONE WHOSE EMPLOYMENT OR OCCUPATION "IS FOUND TO BE NECESSARY TO THE MAINTENANCE OF NATIONAL HEALTH, SAFETY, OR INTERESTS."

NOBODY IS GIVING THE BOARD YET A DEFINITE LIST OF JOBS THE GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS VITAL. SO THE BOARD IS ON ITS OWN TO A LARGE EXTENT, AND IT HAS PRETTY WIDE DISCRETION.

THE COMMERCE AND LABOR DEPARTMENT HAVE GIVEN THE ARMED SERVICES LISTS OF CRITICAL OCCUPATIONS TO USE AS A GUIDE IN CALLING UP MEMBERS OF THE RESERVES AND NATIONAL GUARD. BUT SELECTIVE SERVICE SHOWS LITTLE INTEREST IN SUCH LISTS. AFTER ALL, ITS JOB ISN'T TO SEE THAT BUSINESS HAS ENOUGH MANPOWER, BUT THAT THE ARMED SERVICES DO.

STILL, SELECTIVE SERVICE MIGHT GET AROUND LATER ON TO USING JOB LISTS. IT HAD THEM DURING WORLD WAR II, ALTHOUGH ONLY FOR PURPOSES OF ADVISING DRAFT BOARDS.

EITHER YOU OR YOUR BOSS CAN ASK FOR A DEFERMENT BECAUSE OF THE NATURE OF YOUR JOB. AND THE BOARD HAS TO BE CONVINCED YOU CAN'T BE REPLACED AND THAT PUTTING YOU IN UNIFORM WOULD MEAN A "MATERIAL LOSS OF EFFECTIVENESS" IN THE ACTIVITY IN WHICH YOU ARE ENGAGED.

SUPPOSE YOUR BOY IS GOING TO SCHOOL AND IS ELIGIBLE FOR THE DRAFT. HE CAN STAY IN HIGH SCHOOL UNTIL HE GRADUATES, REACHES HIS 20TH BIRTHDAY OR FAILS TO DO SATISFACTORY WORK. IF THE DRAFT BOARD THINKS HE IS TRYING TO FLUNK SO HE CAN STAY IN SCHOOL LONGER, IT CAN DRAFT HIM.

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A LAD WHO GETS A DRAFT CALL WHILE IN COLLEGE CAN FINISH OUT THE ACADEMIC YEAR.

OR IF HE IS TAKING SENIOR R.O.T.C.--RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING--IN HIS LAST TWO YEARS, HE CAN STAY IN SCHOOL IF HE AGREES TO TAKE A COMMISSION WHEN HE IS THROUGH AND REMAIN ON ACTIVE DUTY AT LEAST TWO YEARS.

OR THE DRAFT BOARD CAN DEFER HIM IF IT DECIDES IT WOULD SERVE THE NATIONAL HEALTH, SAFETY OR INTEREST FOR HIM TO COMPLETE HIS COURSE. MEDICAL OR SCIENTIFIC STUDENTS, FOR INSTANCE, MIGHT GET DEFERMENTS.

WHAT IF THE ARMY GETS THE BOY BEFORE HE IS THROUGH COLLEGE? IS THE GOVERNMENT GOING TO FINANCE HIS SCHOOLING AFTER HE GETS OUT OF SERVICE?

IT DID FOR WORLD WAR II VETERANS. AND BILLS ARE PENDING IN CONGRESS TO EXTEND EDUCATIONAL AND OTHER BENEFITS OF THE GI BILL OF RIGHTS TO PERSONS CALLED INTO SERVICE BECAUSE OF THE KOREAN WAR AND TROUBLED WORLD CONDITIONS. SO FAR THE BILLS HAVEN'T GONE FAR.

PERHAPS THE BOY IS A MEMBER OF THE RESERVES OR NATIONAL GUARD AND IS NOW TAKING GI TRAINING AS A RESULT OF SERVICE IN THE LAST WAR. IF HE IS CALLED INTO SERVICE AGAIN, OR IF HE VOLUNTEERS, HE CAN COME BACK AND RESUME HIS SCHOOLING AT ANY TIME BEFORE JULY 25, 1956.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 5-(AP)-A CHART TO ENABLE EMPLOYERS TO ASCERTAIN THE EFFECT THE DRAFT MAY HAVE ON THEIR MANPOWER HAS BEEN PREPARED BY SELECTIVE SERVICE, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST, THE CHART PROVIDES FOR LISTING WORKERS IN THE 18 TO 26 YEARS OF AGE BRACKETS, WHO ARE SUBJECT TO DRAFT UNDER EXISTING LAW.

THE SUGGESTION IS ALSO MADE ON THE CHART THAT THE EMPLOYER MAY WISH TO LIST WORKERS UP TO 35 YEARS OF AGE, ON THE OFF-HAND POSSIBILITY THAT IF THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION WORSENS, THEY MIGHT BE SUBJECT TO CALLUP FOR MILITARY SERVICE AND HENCE WOULD HAVE TO BE REPLACED.

ANY SUCH EXTENSION OF THE AGE LIMIT WOULD REQUIRE AN ACT OF CONGRESS.

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EDUCATION (260)

WASHINGTON,AUG 5-(AP)-THE AME COUNCIL OF EDUCATION DECIDED TODAY NOT TO ASK FOR DEFERMENT OF COLLEGE STUDENTS AND INSTRUCTORS FROM THE DRAFT.

"WE ARE CONVINCED IT IS NOT NECESSARY," J.L.MORRILL, COUNCIL PRESIDENT, TOLD NEWSMEN, "BECAUSE OF POLICIES ALREADY UNDER SERIOUS CONSIDERATION BY THE GOVERNMENT AS A RESULT OF THEIR EXPERIENCE IN THE LAST WAR. THEY NEED SPECIALIZED WORK WHICH WE CAN PROVIDE."

MORRILL, WHO ALSO IS PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, SAID COUNCIL MEMBERS HAD DECIDED AGAINST A PROPOSED DEFERMENT REQUEST AFTER A CLOSED-DOOR SESSION ATTENDED BY MAJ.GEN.LEWIS B.HERSHEY, SELECTIVE SERVICE DIRECTOR.

THE COUNCIL IS AN ORGANIZATION OF COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS INTERESTED IN HIGHER EDUCATION.

MERRILL SAID OF HERSHEY'S REMARKS THAT "WE WERE GREATLY REASSURED BY EVIDENCES THAT DEFENSE LEADERS ARE PLANNING FOR FULL USE OF EDUCATION."

THE GROUP VOTED UNANIMOUSLY TO SEND A LETTER TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN OFFERING THE SERVICES OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS "IN THE CRITICAL INTERNATIONAL SITUATION."

ARTHUR S.ADAMS, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE AND PRESIDENT-ELECT OF THE COUNCIL, TOLD REPORTERS THE GROUP HAS LAUNCHED A SURVEY OF ALL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN THE COUNTRY TO LEARN JUST HOW THEIR PERSONNEL AND PROGRAMS CAN BE PUT TO THE BEST USE.

"IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE ADROIT MANIPULATIONS OF THE COMMUNISTS," ADAMS SAID, "WE ARE THREATENED IF NOT WITH IMMEDIATE LARGE-SCALE WAR, AT LEAST WITH A DECADE OF UNCERTAINTY AND TENSION. UNDER SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES THE CENTRAL PROBLEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION IS THAT THERE BE EFFECTIVE USE OF THE 100,000 STAFF, TWO AND A HALF MILLION STUDENTS AND THREE BILLION DOLLAR PHYSICAL PLANT OF OUR 1800 COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES."

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UNIFORM ALLOWANCES

WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-RESERVE AND NATIONAL GUARD OFFICERS WHO HAVE ONCE RECEIVED THE $250 GOVERNMENT ALLOWANCE FOR UNIFORM PURCHASES WILL GET NO MORE ON BEING CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY.

OFFICERS WHO HAVEN'T RECEIVED THE ALLOWANCE, HOWEVER, WILL BE ENTITLED TO IT; THOSE WHO HAVE RECEIVED ONLY PART WILL BE ENTITLED TO THE BALANCE WHEN THEY ARE CALLED UP.

THE UNIFORM ALLOWANCE IS PROVIDED BY LAW FOR NATIONAL GUARD OFFICERS IN FEDERAL SERVICE AND FOR RESERVE OFFICERS WHO ARE ON ACTIVE DUTY.

MOST OF THE GUARD AND RESERVE OFFICERS NOW BEING CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY COLLECTED THE ALLOWANCE DURING WORLD WAR II. IF SUCH OFFICERS FIND THEIR OLD UNIFORMS WORN OUT AND HAVE TO BUY NEW ONES, THEY WILL HAVE TO PAY FOR THEM OUT OF THEIR OWN POCKETS.

UNIFORMS WORN DURING THE WAR ARE STILL GENERALLY ACCEPTABLE. THE AIR FORCE HAS ADOPTED NEW BLUE UNIFORMS, BUT ITS OLD STYLE UNIFORMS MAY CONTINUE TO BE WORN UNTIL JULY 1, 1952.

ENLISTED MEN OF ALL THE ARMED SERVICES ARE OUTFITTED AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE. DURING SERVICE THEY WILL RECEIVE MONETARY ALLOWANCES TO REPLACE ITEMS THAT ARE WORN OUT. THIS SYSTEM OF MONETARY ALLOWANCES, RATHER THAN ISSUES OF REPLACEMENT CLOTHING, WAS ANNOUNCED BY THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT RECENTLY AS A MEANS OF ENCOURAGING ENLISTED PERSONNEL TO TAKE CARE OF THEIR CLOTHES.

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(370) MILITARY HOSPITALS

BY RUTH COWAN

WASHINGTON, AUG.5-(AP)-THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE IS CHECKING REPORTS THAT THE ARMY IS WORRIED ABOUT A SHORTAGE OF BEDS IN MILITARY HOSPITALS.

CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) SAID HE IS WRITING SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON TO ASK THE LATTER'S PLANS REGARDING PREVIOUSLY UNDISCLOSED TESTIMONY BY GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, CHIEF OF STAFF, THAT THE ARMY NEEDS TWO ADDITIONAL HOSPITALS.

THESE HOSPITALS WOULD HELP CARE FOR WOUNDED EXPECTED FROM KOREA AND FOR THOSE ILL AND INJURED IN THE EXPANDING FORCES AT HOME.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE ARMY WOULD LIKE TO SEE 6,000 BEDS ADDED TO THE 37,000 NOW AVAILABLE TO ALL THREE SERVICES IN MILITARY HOSPITALS ACROSS THE COUNTRY.

IT WAS OVER THE STIFF OPPOSITION OF VINSON AND AN ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE THAT JOHNSON LAST SPRING SHUT DOWN FIVE MILITARY GENERAL HOSPITALS AS AN ECONOMY MEASURE INTENDED TO SAVE $25,000,000(M).

TWO OF THESE HOSPITALS, THE NAVAL HOSPITAL AT LONG BEACH, CALIF., AND THE OLIVE GENERAL HOSPITAL AT AUGUSTA, GA., HAVE BEEN TAKEN OVER BY THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION AND ARE NO LONGER AVAILABLE TO THE ARMED FORCES.

THE OTHER THREE, THE MURPHY GENERAL HOSPITAL AT WALTHAM, MASS., THE PERCY JONES HOSPITAL AT BATTLECREEK, MICH., AND THE VALLEY FORGE HOSPITAL AT PHOENIXVILLE, PA., HAVE BEEN PLACED ON A "STANDBY" BASIS.

VINSON EARLIER THIS WEEK SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT PLANNED TO REACTIVATE ONE, AND POSSIBLY TWO, OF THESE STANDBY HOSPITALS.

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EFFORTS TO LEARN THE IDENTITY OF THESE HOSPITALS BROUGHT WORD FROM THE PENTAGON THAT THERE WERE NO IMMEDIATE PLANS TO OPEN ANY.

IT WAS SAID THAT THE HOSPITALS NOW IN OPERATION COULD BE EXPANDED TO 82,000 BEDS AND THAT NUMBER, EVEN IN VIEW OF THE KOREA WAR, WAS CONSIDERED ADEQUATE.

TOLD OF THIS, VINSON DISCLOSED HIS COMMITTEE WAS CHECKING ON THE MILITARY'S MEDICAL PLANS.

IT IS POSSIBLE THAT VINSON MAY CALL BEFORE HIS COMMITTEE IN CLOSED SESSION THE THREE SURGEONS GENERAL OF THE MILITARY FORCES AS HE DID THE ARMY AND AIR FORCE CHIEFS OF STAFF AND THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS LAST WEEK.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH LOOKED INTO THE MATTER LAST SPRING LEARNED THAT THE SURGEONS GENERAL OF THE ARMY, AIR FORCE AND NAVY OPPOSED CLOSING THE FIVE GENERAL HOSPITALS.

THE CUTBACK WAS PUT IN

CLOSING THE FIVE GENERAL HOSPITALS.

THE CUTBACK WAS PUT INTO EFFECT BY JOHNSON UPON RECOMMENDATION OF DR.RICHARD L.MEILING, DEFENSE DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES.

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(750) PMS BUDGET
CONGRESS-GENERAL

BY BARNEY LIVINGSTONE

WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-A CONFUSED UP-HILL-DOWN-DALE WRANGLE OVER HOME-FRONT MOBILIZATION SUBSIDED ON BOTH SIDES OF CONGRESS TODAY, LEAVING PROSPECTS THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN EVENTUALLY WILL GET STANDBY ECONOMIC CONTROLS.

THAT SEEMED TO BE INDICATED, EVEN THOUGH BOTH THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE AND THE FULL HOUSE, DURING A HECTIC WEEK OF DEBATE ON THE ISSUE, HAD REJECTED SUCH PROPOSALS TO GIVE MR.TRUMAN WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS AND RATIONING POWERS FOR USE WHEN HE SEES FIT.

YESTERDAY THE SENATE GROUP WENT FULL CIRCLE, THROWING OUT AN AUTOMATIC CONTROLS PLAN IT ONCE HAD OKAYED, AND ADOPTING THE STANDBY PROPOSAL IT HAD ONCE APPROVED, ONCE REJECTED. THEN--RIGHT BACK WHERE IT STARTED ON WEDNESDAY--IT QUIT UNTIL NEXT WEEK.

THE HOUSE ALSO QUIT IN A PARLIAMENTARY TANGLE, AFTER JUNKING A ONCE-APPROVED PROPOSAL SIMILAR TO THE AUTOMATIC PLAN CONSIDERED BY THE SENATE COMMITTEE.

THERE WERE SIGNS THE HOUSE ALSO MIGHT WIND UP BY VOTING FOR THE STANDBY IDEA.

THAT'S THE ONE MR.TRUMAN HAS SAID HE WILL ACCEPT. HE HAS EXPRESSED OPPOSITION TO THE OTHER PLAN, UNDER WHICH PRICE AND WAGE CEILINGS AND RATIONING WOULD GO INTO EFFECT AUTOMATICALLY IF PRICES ROSE TO A CERTAIN LEVEL.

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BOTH THE HOUSE AND THE SENATE COMMITTEE GOT INTO THE CONTROLS DEBATE WHEN THEY STARTED CONSIDERATION OF MR.TRUMAN'S REQUEST FOR LIMITED ECONOMIC POWERS, INCLUDING CURBS ON CREDIT AND COMMODITY SPECULATION.

THE ADMINISTRATION BILL DIDN'T EVEN MENTION PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING CONTROLS, WHICH THE PRESIDENT HAS SAID ARE NOT NECESSARY AT THIS TIME.

BUT PLENTY OF LAWMAKERS BROUGHT THE ISSUE UP, APPARENTLY SPURRED BY THE TESTIMONY OF ELDER STATESMAN BERNARD BARUCH THAT THE NATION WOULD SOON FIND ITSELF IN DANGEROUS CONDITION WITHOUT SUCH RESTRICTIONS AGAINST INFLATION.

IN THE HOUSE, THE ISSUE PRODUCED FOUR FULL DAYS OF CONFUSION AND UPROAR.

THE LEADERSHIP FINALLY CALLED A TEMPORARY HALT TO THE DEBATE, AND THE HOUSE BANKING COMMITTEE WAS EXPECTED TO MEET MONDAY IN SEARCH OF AN ACCEPTABLE COMPROMISE. THE HOUSE ITSELF IS SCHEDULED TO TAKE UP THE MATTER AGAIN TUESDAY.

THERE WAS SOME LIKELIHOOD THE DISPUTED CONTROLS AUTHORITY MIGHT BE BROUGHT TO THE HOUSE FLOOR IN TWO SEPARATE BILLS.

ONE WOULD EMBRACE ALL OF MR.TRUMAN'S REQUESTS FOR ALLOCATIONS AND PRIORITIES, BUT WITH CURBS ON CREDIT AND COMMODITY SPECULATION EITHER TAKEN OUT OF THE BILL OR CONSIDERABLY WATERED DOWN.

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A SEPARATE BILL COULD THEN BE INTRODUCED IMMEDIATELY TO PROVIDE FOR STAND-BY CONTROLS OVER PRICES AND WAGES.

SUCH A COMPROMISE REPORTEDLY WAS ACCEPTABLE TO SOUTHERN DEMOCRATS, WHO HAVE TEAMED UP WITH REPUBLICANS TO BATTLE FOR EXEMPTION OF COMMODITY EXCHANGES AND REAL ESTATE CREDIT FROM THE PRESIDENT'S CONTROL AUTHORITY.

IN ITS ONE AFFIRMATIVE ACTION YESTERDAY, THE HOUSE VOTED TO MAKE HOARDERS SUBJECT TO A YEAR IN JAIL AND A FINE OF $10,000.

WHILE SCATTERED REPORTS CONTINUED OF PANIC-BUYING AMONG AMERICANS, THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT SAID IT HAS BOUGHT UP SO MANY SURPLUS PERISHABLE FOODS THAT IT IS OFFERING SOME OF THEM FOR SALE AT "NOMINAL" PRICES TO MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION.

SENATOR DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS (ILL) SAID SENATE DEBATE ON THE EMERGENCY CONTROLS BILL PROBABLY WILL START WEDNESDAY.

BESIDES VOTING TO GIVE MR.TRUMAN THE FREE HAND HE WANTS REGARDING THE TIMING OF WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS, THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE DECIDED TO LEAVE IT UP TO THE PRESIDENT AS TO WHETHER THERE SHOULD BE A ROLLBACK OF PRICES UNDER ANY GENERAL CONTROL PROGRAM.

THE PRESIDENT ALSO COULD DECIDE WHAT BASE PERIOD TO USE IN THE EVENT OF A ROLLBACK.

ANOTHER FEATURE OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE'S PLAN WOULD LET. MR.TRUMAN PUT PRICE CONTROLS INTO EFFECT ON CERTAIN GOODS AT PRE-RETAIL LEVELS, IN ADVANCE OF ANY GENERAL PRICE CURB PROGRAM AT ALL LEVELS.

IN SUCH A CASE, WAGE CONTROLS COULD NOT BE LINKED TO THE PRICE CURBS. HOWEVER, IF THE PRESIDENT ORDERED GENERAL PRICE CONTROLS HE WOULD ALSO HAVE TO PUT GENERAL WAGE CURBS INTO EFFECT. THE PRESIDENT COULD DECIDE WHETHER TO ORDER RATIONING AT THE SAME TIME.

SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) SAID THE VOTE IN THE COMMITTEE ON THE PLAN ADOPTED WAS "ALMOST UNANIMOUS."

SENATOR FULBRIGHT (D-ARK) SAID, HOWEVER, THAT HE MIGHT OFFER HIS PLAN FOR AUTOMATIC CONTROLS ON THE SENATE FLOOR.

UNDER THAT PLAN, CONTROLS WOULD GO INTO EFFECT AUTOMATICALLY IF THE GOVERNMENT'S COST OF LIVING INDEX CLIMBED SIX PER CENT ABOVE THE LEVEL OF LAST JUNE 15.

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THE AGENCY WHICH COMPUTES THE INDEX, THE LABOR DEPARTMENT'S BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS, SAID YESTERDAY THAT AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICES ROSE NINE-TENTHS OF ONE PER CENT IN THE WEEK ENDING LAST TUESDAY, AUG. 1. WHOLESALE PRICES USUALLY ARE REFLECTED LATER ON THE RETAIL MARKETS.

SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) SAID, MEANWHILE, THAT ALTHOUGH HE IS AGAINST IT AT THIS TIME, "THE TENDENCY IS THAT THERE WILL BE POWER GIVEN TO THE PRESIDENT TO PUT IN THE COMPLETE OPA SYSTEM, ALL OF THE PRICE CONTROLS THAT WERE THERE DURING THE LAST WAR."

TAFT, CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE REPUBLICAN POLICY COMMITTEE, EXPRESSED THE VIEW DURING AN INTERVIEW TRANSCRIBED FOR OHIO RADIO STATIONS.

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NIGHT LEAD TAXES (500)

BY JOSEPH C. GOODWIN

WASHINGTON, AUG.5-(AP)-A HOUSE PLAN TO SPEED CORPORATION TAX COLLECTIONS BY SHORTENING THE TIME-TO-PAY PERIOD WAS ACCEPTED TODAY BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

THE TAX WRITING GROUP'S AGREEMENT ON THE SO-CALLED MILLS PLAN BROUGHT THE TWO CHAMBERS A LITTLE CLOSER TOGETHER IN THE DRIVE TO EXPEDITE PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S REQUEST FOR AN ADDITIONAL $5,000,000,000(B) OF REVENUE.

AT THE SAME TIME, HOWEVER, THE SENATE COMMITTEE TURNED DOWN ANOTHER HOUSE PLAN TO REQUIRE A 10 PER CENT WITHHOLDING TAX ON CORPORATION DIVIDENDS.

BOTH ACTIONS CAME DURING AN UNUSUAL SATURDAY SESSION CALLED TO ACCELERATE THE EFFORT TO MEET MORE OF THE MOUNTING COSTS OF THE

MILITARY EFFORT.
GOVERNMENT TAX EXPERTS ESTIMATE THE PAYMENT SPEED-UP PLAN, SPONSORED BY REP. MILLS (D-ARK) AND PASSED BY THE HOUSE, WOULD ADD ABOUT $800,000,000 OF REVENUE FOR EACH OF THE NEXT FIVE FISCAL YEARS. IT WOULD NOT, HOWEVER, RESULT IN ANY TAX INCREASES.
UNDER PRESENT LAW, CORPORATIONS MAY PAY A YEAR'S TAXES IN FOUR EQUAL QUARTERLY INSTALLMENTS DURING THE FOLLOWING YEAR. THE MILLS PLAN WOULD BRING THE CASH INTO THE TREASURY FASTER BY GRADUALLY REDUCING THE PAYMENT PERIOD TO SIX MONTHS.
A COMPLICATED PLAN, THE MILLS' SPEED-UP WOULD HAVE THE EFFECT OF CROWDING FIVE YEARS' CORPORATE INCOME TAX PAYMENTS INTO FOUR AND ONE HALF YEARS, THUS BRINGING THE CASH INTO THE TREASURY FASTER.
THE 10 PER CENT WITHHOLDING TAX WHICH THE SENATE COMMITTEE REJECTED CALLS FOR COLLECTION OF TAXES ON DIVIDENDS IN THE SAME WAY INCOME TAXES NOW ARE WITHHELD FROM WORKERS' PAY CHECKS.
TAX EXPERTS ESTIMATE THIS WOULD BRING IN $170,000,000 OF ADDITIONAL REVENUE NOW ESCAPING FEDERAL TAX COLLECTORS.
SENATOR MILLIKIN (R-COL), FORMER FINANCE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, SAID THE DIVIDEND WITHHOLDING TAX HAD BEEN TURNED DOWN BECAUSE THE ESTIMATED ADDITIONAL REVENUES WERE QUESTIONABLE AND THE PLAN WOULD HAVE INCONVENIENCED MANY SMALL CORPORATIONS NOT OWING THE TAXES WITHHELD.
BESIDES, HE SAID, GOVERNMENT TAX COLLECTORS CAN "FERRET OUT" ANY EVASION OF TAXES ON DIVIDENDS BY SIMPLY EXAMINING ALL DIVIDEND PAYMENTS BY CORPORATIONS.

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THE COMMITTEE NOW HAS APPROVED TAX LAW REVISIONS INTENDED TO BOOST FEDERAL REVENUES BY ABOUT $954,000,000. THIS INCLUDES THE $800,000,000 EXPECTED YEARLY UNDER THE MILLS PLAN.
IN OTHER TENTATIVE MOVES TODAY, THE COMMITTEE:
(1) CLOSED AN ASSERTED LOOPHOLE THAT ALLOWED SOME CORPORATIONS A CREDIT OF 85 PER CENT ON CERTAIN DIVIDENDS RECEIVED FROM OTHER CORPORATIONS. THIS HOUSE-APPROVED PROVISION IS EXPECTED TO YIELD $6,000,000 ANNUALLY.
(2) TURNED DOWN A HOUSE ITEM APPLYING TO DISTRIBUTION OF THE ASSETS OF A FOREIGN SUBSIDIARY OF A DOMESTIC CORPORATION.
THE COMMITTEE HAS YET TO ACT ON MR.TRUMAN'S BIGGEST REQUEST, A $3,000,000,000 HIKE IN INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAXES.
THE PRESIDENT ALSO ASKED AN ADDITIONAL $1,500,000,000 FROM CORPORATION TAXES AND $500,000,000 TO BE RAISED THROUGH OTHER REVENUE-RAISING PROVISIONS ALREADY APPROVED IN THE HOUSE.
THESE WERE A PART OF THE $1,010,000,000 EXCISE TAX CUT BILL PASSED BEFORE THE KOREAN WAR STARTED AND LATER JUNKED.

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(500) PMS BUDGET
APPROPRIATIONS
BY OLIVER W. DE WOLF

WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-SENATE PASSAGE OF A $34,236,932,228 MONEY BILL REVIVED THE CONGRESSIONAL ARGUMENT TODAY OVER THE VALUE OF CONSIDERING THE BULK OF FEDERAL APPROPRIATIONS IN A SINGLE MEASURE.
THE BILL WHICH THE SENATE APPROVED ON A VOICE VOTE LAST NIGHT--SENDING IT TO A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE TO BE MATCHED WITH A SMALLER HOUSE MEASURE--CONTAINED FUNDS FOR MOST GOVERNMENT AGENCIES FOR THE 12 MONTHS ENDING NEXT JUNE 30.
IT ALSO INCLUDED FOREIGN AID FUNDS--WHICH THE HOUSE ELECTED TO CONSIDER SEPARATELY.
THIS WAS THE FIRST EXPERIMENT WITH A BILL WRAPPING VIRTUALLY ALL GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES FOR A FISCAL YEAR INTO ONE PACKAGE; PREVIOUSLY FUNDS FOR EACH AGENCY HAD BEEN CONSIDERED IN A SEPARATE MEASURE.
FOLLOWING ITS PASSAGE, SOME DEMOCRATS COMMENTED THAT THE SYSTEM SHOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN CHANGED. A NUMBER OF REPUBLICANS DISPUTED THAT.
ONE OF THE ARGUMENTS WHICH RESULTED IN THE USE OF THE ONE-PACKAGE APPROACH HAD BEEN THAT IT WOULD SPEED CONSIDERATION OF APPROPRIATIONS, WHICH LAST YEAR DRAGGED ON FOR WEEKS PAST THE JULY 1 TARGET DATE.
THIS TIME, THE SENATE DIDN'T TAKE UP THE BILL UNTIL AFTER THAT DATE. THE MEASURE IT PASSED AFTER FOUR WEEKS OF DEBATE CARRIES $32,052,362,228 IN CASH AND $2,184,570,000 IN CONTRACT AUTHORITY.
THE TOTAL IS $1,924,425,920 LESS THAN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S BUDGET REQUEST, AND ABOUT HALF A BILLION MORE THAN WAS APPROVED BY THE HOUSE--NOT COUNTING THE $4,590,000,000 IN CASH AND CONTRACT AUTHORITY FOR FOREIGN PROGRAMS.
IN THE FINAL VOTING, SENATORS REJECTED, 41 TO 38, A PROPOSAL BY SENATOR MCCLELLAN (D-ARK) TO TRIM THE MARSHALL PLAN FIVE PER CENT FOR A CUTBACK OF $136,338,073.
THE DAY BEFORE, THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PLAN HAD BEEN EXEMPTED FROM A 10 PER CENT SLASH WHICH TRIMMED $525,000,000(M) OUT OF MOST DOMESTIC NON-DEFENSE SPENDING PROGRAMS.
AS FINALLY APPROVED, THE MARSHALL PLAN GOT $2,726,000,000(B) IN NEW AND CARRYOVER CASH; FOREIGN MILITARY AID $1,678,023,729, OF WHICH $1,222,500,000(B) WAS FOR THE SECOND YEAR OF THE PROGRAM, THE REMAINDER TO LIQUIDATE CONTRACT AUTHORITY VOTED LAST YEAR.
THE AMERICAN ARMED SERVICES GOT SENATE APPROVAL FOR $14,680,000,000 IN CASH AND CONTRACT AUTHORITY.

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SINCE SENDING HIS ORIGINAL BUDGET REQUESTS TO CONGRESS, MR.TRUMAN HAS ASKED SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS TOTALING SOME $16,500,000,000, MOST OF THEM RESULTING FROM THE KOREAN WAR. THAT INCLUDES AN ADDITIONAL $4,000,000,000 FOR FOREIGN ARMS AID; $10,500,000,000 FOR U.S. DEFENSE FORCES, AND YESTERDAY'S $950,000,000 REQUEST FOR NAVY PLANES.
THE ARGUMENT OVER THE ONE-PACKAGE APPROACH ECHOED A SIMILAR DEBATE WHICH OCCURRED IN THE HOUSE AFTER IT HAD COMPLETED ACTION ON ITS APPROPRIATION BILL.
THE ARGUMENT STARTED IN THE SENATE WHEN DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS OF ILLINOIS COMMENTED THAT THE IDEA HAD "FLOPPED" AND ADDED THAT HE HAD FOUND NO ONE WHO DISAGREED WITH THAT VIEW.
FIVE REPUBLICANS PROMPTLY DISAGREED.
SENATORS KNOWLAND (R-CALIF), WHERRY (R-NEB), FERGUSON (R

SENATORS KNOWLAND (R-CALIF), WHERRY (R-NEB), FERGUSON (R-MICH), SALTONSTALL (R-MASS) AND CORDON (R-ORE)--ALL MEMBERS OF THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE--SAID THEY THOUGHT THE SINGLE BILL WAS A GOOD THING.
KNOWLAND SAID IT WOULD BE A "GREAT MISTAKE TO CHANGE BACK TO THE OLD SYSTEM."
BUT THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, SENATOR MCKELLAR (D-TENN), BACKED LUCAS. HE CALLED THE BIG BILL A "TERRIBLE THING," AND DECLARED IT WOULD BE "BETTER FOR THE GOVERNMENT, BETTER FOR THE TAXPAYERS, BETTER FOR EVERYBODY" TO GO BACK TO THE FORMER PROCEDURE.

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A172WX BJT
AMS BUDGET
SPENDING (450)
BY JACK BELL
WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-SENATOR BYRD (D-VA) PREDICTED TODAY THAT MILITARY NEEDS WILL BOOST FEDERAL SPENDING TO THE 60-TO-70 BILLION DOLLAR BRACKET YEARLY, WITH TAXES FALLING 10 BILLION OR MORE SHORT OF THAT MARK.

BEFORE THE KOREAN OUTBREAK, FEDERAL COSTS WERE AT A RATE OF ROUGHLY $40,000,000,000 A YEAR.

BYRD, THE SENATE'S CHIEF ECONOMY ADVOCATE, TOLD A REPORTER HE FIGURES THAT THE SENATE CUT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S BUDGET FOR THIS FISCAL YEAR ENDING IN MID-1951 ABOUT $2,000,000,000. THIS WAS DONE IN APPROVING THE $34,237,000,000 ONE PACKAGE APPROPRIATIONS BILL YESTERDAY. THE MEASURE COVERS THE BULK OF GOVERNMENT COSTS. THE BALANCE CONSISTS PRINCIPALLY OF FIXED CHARGES, SUCH AS DEBT INTEREST.

THE HOUSE, WHICH HASN'T PASSED ON THE FOREIGN AID SECTION OF THE MEASURE, IS EXPECTED TO SEND THE ONE-PACKAGE APPROPRIATION TO A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE NEXT WEEK.

BYRD POINTED OUT THAT CUTS MADE BY THE SENATE IN NON-DEFENSE AND NON-FOREIGN AID SPENDING HAVE BEEN FAR OUT-WEIGHED BY MILITARY FUND INCREASES ASKED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO FIGHT THE KOREAN WAR AND TO DISCOURAGE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION ELSEWHERE.

THUS FAR, MR.TRUMAN HAS ASKED CONGRESS FOR ABOUT $16,500,000,000 IN MILITARY FUNDS INCLUDING $4,000,000,000 IN FOREIGN MILITARY AID. THIS IS OVER AND ABOVE THE $14,680,000,000 IN CASH AND CONTRACT AUTHORITY APPROVED FOR THE ARMED SERVICES IN THE ONE-PACKAGE BILL.

"I UNDERSTAND THERE MAY BE SOME ADDITIONAL REQUESTS FOR MILITARY FUNDS TO BE SPENT THIS YEAR," BYRD TOLD A REPORTER. "IN ANY EVENT, IT LOOKS AS THOUGH SPENDING IS GOING TO BE PUSHED P TO TH 60-TO-70 BILLION DOLLAR BRACK

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"I DON'T SEE HOW WE CAN PILE ON MUCH MORE THAN $10,000,000,000 A YEAR IN ADDITIONAL TAXES. THE BILL THAT THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE IS STUDYING NOW WILL BOOST TAXES ABOUT $5,000,000,000 AND EVEN IF WE PUT ON A STIFF EXCESS PROFITS TAX IT WON'T BRING IN MORE THAN ANOTHER $5,000,000,000."

SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO) TOLD A REPORTER AN EXCESS PROFITS PROPOSAL HE HAS DRAFTED WILL BE OFFERED IN THE COMMITTEE. HOWEVER, CHAIRMAN GEORGE (D-GA) HAS SAID IT NEEDS MORE STUDY AND PROBABLY CANT BE ACTED ON UNTIL LATER IN THE YEAR. O'MAHONEY PROMISED TO CARRY THE FIGHT FOR IMMEDIATE PASSAGE TO THE SENATE FLOOR IF NECESSARY.

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BYRD SAID THE GAP BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT'S INCOME AND OUTGO APPARENTLY IS GOING TO BE SO LARGE THAT IT WILL BE DIFFICULT FOR CONGRESS TO PUT WAR OUTLAY ON A PAY-AS-YOU-GO BASIS AS PRESIDENT TRUMAN SUGGESTED.

"THERE IS ROOM FOR SOME MORE ECONOMY IN NON-DEFENSE SPENDING," BYRD SAID. "THE SENATE HAS MADE ONLY A MODERATE CUT AND I HOPE THE CONFERENCE CAN TRIM OUT SOME MORE NON-ESSENTIAL EXPENDITURES."

PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ORDERED GOVERNMENT AGENCIES TO SURVEY THEIR BUDGETS WITH THE VIEW TO RETRENCHING ON NON-DEFENSE EXPENDITURES.

SOME OFFICIALS NOTED THAT WHILE THE SENATE TWICE REFUSED TO CUT THE $2,726,000,000 IN CASH AND CONTRACT AUTHORITY FOR THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM THE HOUSE HASN'T YET ACTED ON THIS ISSUE.

THE SENATE VOTES WERE CLOSE, 45 TO 40 AGAINST A 10 PER CENT SLASH IN THE FUND AND 41 TO 38 AGAINST A 5 PER CENT CUT. BACKERS OF A CUT BELIEVE THIS MIGHT ENCOURAGE HOUSE ECONOMIZERS TO SHUCK SOMETHING OFF THE TOTAL.

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(570) CONTROLS
BY MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH
WASHINGTON, AUG.5-(AP)-SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) TODAY URGED PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO CLAMP PRICE CEILINGS SPEEDILY ON SUCH ITEMS AS MEAT AND LUMBER IF CONGRESS GRANTS THE DISCRETIONARY AUTHORITY.

BOTH COMMODITIES, SPARKMAN SAID, ARE OUTSTANDING EXAMPLES OF A NEED FOR CONTROLS QUICKLY, IN ADVANCE OF ANY GENERAL PRICE CURB PROGRAM.

SPARKMAN TALKED TO REPORTERS AS CONGRESS GOT SET FOR A NEW EFFORT NEXT WEEK TO END CONFUSION AND SEND A HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION BILL TO THE WHITE HOUSE.

HOUSE MEMBERS WERE ATTEMPTING OVER THE WEEK END TO WORK OUT A COMPROMISE WHICH WOULD ADD WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING AUTHORITY TO THE PARTIAL CONTROLS PROGRAM SOUGHT BY MR.TRUMAN.

THE PRESIDENT HAS SAID HE WILL ACCEPT THE BROADER POWERS IF THEY COME TO HIM WITHOUT RESTRICTIVE STRINGS.

ON TUESDAY, THE HOUSE PLANS TO START VOTING AGAIN ON THE MATTER. IT GOT ALMOST NOWHERE IN FOUR DAYS WORK ON THE TRUMAN BILL THIS WEEK.

THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE WILL MEET MONDAY TO GO OVER A PROPOSED FINAL DRAFT OF A BILL WHICH WOULD GIVE MR.TRUMAN FULL DISCRETION TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS AND RATIONING. IN TENTATIVE FORM, THE BILL APPEARS TO BE PRETTY MUCH ALONG THE LINE THE PRESIDENT SPECIFIED IF CONGRESS INSISTS ON THE MORE DRASTIC CONTROL POWERS.

THE SENATE GROUP TURNED TO THAT PLAN AFTER REJECTING A FORMULA WHICH MR.TRUMAN HAD DENOUNCED. IT CALLED FOR PUTTING WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS INTO EFFECT AUTOMATICALLY IF THE GOVERNMENT'S COST OF LIVING INDEX CLIMBED SIX PER CENT ABOVE THE LEVEL OF LAST JUNE 15.

THE HOUSE ADOPTED AND THEN KILLED A SIMILAR PLAN WHICH PEGGED THE TRIGGER POINT AT FIVE PER CENT. HOWEVER IT IS STILL CONSIDERING ANOTHER FORM OF SUCH A BILL WHICH WOULD ALLOW THE PRESIDENT TO INVOKE CONTROLS BEFORE THE FIVE PERCENT POINT IS REACHED, IF HE DESIRED.

SPARKMAN, A MEMBER OF THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE, IS THE CHIEF SPONSOR OF THE PLAN THE COMMITTEE APPROVED YESTERDAY--GIVING THE PRESIDENT COMPLETE DISCRETION AS TO TIMING OF THE CONTROLS.

UNDER THAT PLAN, MR.TRUMAN COULD PUT PRICE CONTROLS INTO EFFECT ON A SELECTIVE BASIS IN ADVANCE OF A GENERAL PRICE PROGRAM.

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FOR EXAMPLE, IF THE PRESIDENT DECIDED MEAT PRICES WERE OUT OF HAND BUT THAT OTHER PRICES GENERALLY WERE REMAINING STEADY, HE COULD SLAP PRICE CEILINGS ON MEAT ALONE. OR HE COULD PUT A HALF DOZEN OR MORE COMMODITIES UNDER CONTROLS WITHOUT RESORTING TO ALL-OUT CURBS.

AT PRESENT, HOWEVER, THE COMMITTEE'S PLAN WOULD PERMIT SELECTIVE

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CONTROLS AT ONLY THE PRE-RETAIL LEVELS.
SPARKMAN SAID HE IS THINKING SERIOUSLY OF OFFERING AN AMENDMENT MONDAY WHICH WOULD COVER THE RETAIL LEVEL AS WELL.
IN URGING MR. TRUMAN TO PUT MEAT UNDER PRICE CEILINGS QUICKLY, PROVIDED CONGRESS GRANTS THE AUTHORITY, SPARKMAN CALLED ATTENTION TO A BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS (BLS) REPORT HANDED TO THE COMMITTEE THURSDAY.
BLS SAID A PRELIMINARY GOVERNMENT SURVEY INDICATED AN INCREASE OF TWO TO THREE PER CENT IN RETAIL FOOD PRICES DURING THE MONTH WHICH ENDED JULY 15. MEAT PRICE HIKES WERE MAINLY RESPONSIBLE, BLS ADDED.
"THAT'S A SITUATION WHERE IT WOULD SEEM THAT ACTION IN THE WAY OF PRICE CONTROLS IS NEEDED IMMEDIATELY," SPARKMAN DECLARED.
HE SAID THE RISE IN LUMBER PRICES HAS BEEN EVEN MORE PRONOUNCED.
"SURPRISINGLY, THE PEOPLE IN THE LUMBER INDUSTRY APPEAR TO BE THE MOST CONCERNED ABOUT THAT SITUATION," SPARKMAN SAID. "THEY REALIZE THE PRICE INCREASES WHICH HAVE OCCURRED FOR CERTAIN GRADES OF LUMBER ARE UNHEALTHY AND WON'T DO THE INDUSTRY ANY GOOD IN THE LONG RUN."
THE BLS REPORT SAID BUILDING MATERIALS GENERALLY ARE AT A NEW POSTWAR PRICE PEAK, AND THAT LUMBER PRICES "ARE SETTING NEW PEAKS EACH WEEK."
SPARKMAN SAID PRICES FOR RUBBER ALSO HAVE CLIMBED ALARMINGLY. HE SAID CONSIDERATION OUGHT TO BE GIVEN, TOO, TO PUTTING THAT COMMODITY UNDER PRICE CONTROL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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A136WX (ADVANCES) (GREEN)
(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY AUG. 6)
(1100) CONTROLS
BY STERLING F.GREEN
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION HAS PLANS READY FOR A JUNIOR-SIZE WPB BUT IS DEFINITELY UNPREPARED IF CONGRESS ORDERS A BABY OPA AS WELL.
(FOR THE BENEFIT OF THOSE WHO CAME IN LATE, THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD BOSSED AMERICA'S MAMMOTH INDUSTRIAL EFFORT DURING WORLD WAR II, SAYING WHAT INDUSTRIES SHOULD GET SCARCE MATERIALS, ETC. THE OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION, TARGET OF BRICKBATS AND DEAD CATS, HAD CHARGE OF PRICE CEILINGS AND RATIONING.)
THE BLUEPRINT OF A "DEFENSE PRODUCTION ADMINISTRATION" HAS BEEN DRAFTED AT THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT, ON LINES WHICH WOULD PERMIT IT TO EXPAND INTO A FULL-FLENDGER WAR PRODUCTION BOARD IF NECESSARY.
OFFICIAL AGREED TODAY, HOWEVER, THAT IF A GENERAL PRICE ROLLBACK AND A CEILING SYSTEM WERE VOTED BY CONGRESS, A SEPARATE NEW PRICE CONTROL AGENCY WOULD HAVE TO BE CREATED FROM SCRATCH.
IT MIGHT TAKE FOUR OR FIVE MONTHS, THEY ESTIMATED, TO SET UP SOMETHING LIKE THE OPA OF WORLD WAR II. LESS MACHINERY EXISTS THAN WE HAD WHEN FRANCE FELL IN 1940, 18 MONTHS BEFORE PEARL HARBOR.
THE ADMINISTRATION, WHICH DID NOT ASK FOR PRICE OR RATIONING POWERS, BELIEVES THAT NOTHING MORE DRASTIC THAN EVENTUAL "SELECTIVE" CONTROLS OVER A FEW RUNAWAY COMMODITIES MAY BE NECESSARY FOR A WAR OF KOREAN PROPORTIONS. IN THAT CASE, ELABORATE FEDERAL MACHINERY MIGHT NOT BE NEEDED.
BUT OFFICIALS OF EXISTING AGENCIES, WHEN ASKED IF THEY COULD ASSUME THE OPA ROLE IN A PINCH, REPLY IN EFFECT: "WHO, US?"
NOBODY WANTS THE JOB.
AS FOR THE OTHER CONTROLS SOUGHT BY MR.TRUMAN, UNOFFICIAL SOURCES INDICATE THAT THE TIME-TABLE MIGHT READ LIKE THIS AFTER CONGRESS VOTES THE POWER:
ALLOCATIONS: COULD BE OPERATING WITHIN THREE OR FOUR WEEKS, PROBABLY ON A VOLUNTARY BASIS STARTING WITH STEEL.
CREDIT CONTROL: MIGHT BE INVOKED BY SEPTEMBER 1, REQUIRING ONE-THIRD DOWN PAYMENT ON CARS AND POSSIBLY AN 18 OR 21 MONTH LIMIT ON PAYMENT. MORE LIBERAL TERMS ON OTHER CONSUMER ITEMS.
LIMITATION OF CIVILIAN GOODS: ACCORDING TO COMMERCE OFFICIALS, PERHAPS NOT FOR "A NUMBER OF MONTHS."
IF CONGRESS PASSES THE MOBILIZATION BILL ASKED BY THE ADMINISTRATION MR.TRUMAN IS EXPECTED TO ISSUE ORDERS DELEGATING HIS PRIORITY AND ALLOCATION POWERS TO AT LEAST FOUR CABINET OFFICERS, AS FOLLOWS:
SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER--PARCELING OUT INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, TO INDUSTRY AND LIMITING CIVILIAN GOODS OUTPUT.
SECRETARY OF INTERIOR CHAPMAN--ALLOCATING POWER, FUEL AND PETROLEUM.
SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE BRANNAN--CONTROLLING FOOD AND FARM PRODUCTS, IF THIS SHOULD BECOME NECESSARY.

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SECRETARY OF LABOR TOBIN--USING HIS LIMITED JOB-PLACEMENT MACHINERY TO SUPPLY THE MANPOWER NEEDS OF DEFENSE INDUSTRY.
THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD WOULD RETAIN ITS PRESENT ROLE AS A MOBILIZATION PLANNING AGENCY WITH ADVISORY POWERS ONLY. AN ACT OF CONGRESS WOULD BE NEEDED TO MAKE IT PART OF THE CONTROL MACHINERY.
COMMERCE SECRETARY SAWYER'S TENTATIVE CHART FOR A DEFENSE PRODUCTION ADMINISTRATION WOULD MAKE IT A PRIMARY UNIT OF HIS DEPARTMENT. IT PROBABLY WILL BE HEADED BY AN EXECUTIVE FROM PRIVATE INDUSTRY.
"DPA" WOULD ADD UP THE STEEL, COPPER AND OTHER NEEDS OF MUNITIONS PLANTS, THE FOREIGN ARMS PROGRAM, U.S. STOCKPILE, AND CIVILIAN INDUSTRIES. IT WOULD MEASURE THESE AGAINST THE ORDER OF DEFENSE ESSENTIALITY.
IN CASE OF FULL-SCALE WAR, DPA COULD BE DIVORCED FROM COMMERCE. IT COULD TAKE OVER THE PRIORITY POWERS HELD BY OTHER AGENCIES AND QUICKLY EXPAND INTO A WPB OF THE SORT WHICH MOBILIZED INDUSTRY IN 1941.
IT WOULD TAKE MORE TIME AND VASTLY GREATER EFFORT TO GET A PRICE CONTROL AGENCY ROLLING. THERE ARE NO BLUEPRINTS EXCEPT THE DUSTY RECORDS OF OPA. OFFICIALS WERE GOING OVER THESE THIS WEEK, BUT HOPED THEY COULD AVOID THE LONG AND PAINFUL PROCESS OF REBUILDING THE AGENCY WHICH BECAME THE WHIPPING-BOY OF WORLD WAR II.
OPA'S HISTORY BEGAN IN MAY, 1940, WHEN NAZI HORDES WERE OVERRUNNING EUROPE'S LOW COUNTRIES. A PRICE UNIT RUN BY LEON HENDERSON WAS SET UP AS PART OF THE NATIONAL DEFENSE ADVISORY COUNCIL.
IN JANUARY OF 1941, THE NDAC BECAME THE OPM (OFFICE OF PRODUCTION MANAGEMENT), AND IN APRIL HENDERSON'S OFFICE WAS SPLIT OFF TO BECOME THE "OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION AND CIVILIAN SUPPLY" WITH 85 WORKERS. IN AUGUST IT BECAME OPA.
THE SETUP WAS CALLED "JAWBONE PRICE CONTROL" BECAUSE IT WORKED BY PERSUASION, THREATS AND PRAYER. IT ENCOURAGED INDUSTRY-WIDE PRICE AGREEMENTS WHERE IT COULD GET THEM. WHERE IT COULDN'T IT ISSUED "PRICE SCHEDULES," OR LISTS OF WHAT IT CONSIDERED TO BE FAIR CEILINGS.
NOT UNTIL 54 DAYS AFTER PEARL HARBOR WAS A PRICE CONTROL ACT PASSED AND SIGNED. NOT UNTIL APRIL 28, 1942, OR 111 DAYS AFTER PEARL HARBOR, WAS OPA READY TO DECLARE A GENERAL PRICE FREEZE. THIS WAS THE GENERAL MAXIMUM PRICE REGULATION, KNOWN THROUGH INDUSTRY AS

"GENERAL MAX."
OPA DISCOVERED EARLY THAT TALK ABOUT CONTROLS AND RATIONING DID NOT REASSURE CONSUMERS BUT ALARMED THEM INTO PANIC BUYING AND HOARDING.

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THE FIRST BIG RUN WAS ON TIRES. SALES WERE FROZEN UNTIL RATIONING COULD BEGIN. SOON AFTER, IT WAS SHOES. THE STORES WERE ALMOST STRIPPED ON THE EVE OF SHOE RATIONING. MERCHANTS IN MANY CITIES STAYED OPEN LATE AT NIGHT, PEDDLING SHOES LIKE HOTCAKES WHEN THE REPORT OF RATIONING SEEPED OUT.

SOME ECONOMISTS ARE CONVINCED THAT TODAY'S INFLATIONARY BLAZE IS BEING FANNED BY THE CONTROL TALK ON CAPITOL HILL; THEY WISH CONGRESS WOULD ACT OR DROP THE SUBJECT. OPA'S OFFICIAL CHRONOLOGY SHOWS THIS ENTRY FOR JAN. 25, 1942:

"HENDERSON ANNOUNCES PLAN FOR SUGAR RATIONING; WARNS AGAINST HOARDING, WHICH BEGINS PROMPTLY."

CHESTER BOWLES, HENDERSON'S SUCCESSOR AT OPA AND NOW GOVERNOR OF CONNECTICUT, LAST WEEK RECALLED SIMILAR HISTORY. ARGUING AGAINST TODAY'S PLAN FOR "STANDBY" CONTROLS, HE SAID:

"IT MIGHT VERY WELL BE THAT SUCH A SITUATION WOULD BE AN OPEN INVITATION TO BUSINESSMEN, WORKERS AND HOUSEWIVES TO MAKE HAY WHILE THE SUN SHINES--TO GET WHATEVER PRICE INCREASES, WAGE BOOSTS OR 'SCARCE' ITEMS THEY COULD BEFORE CONTROLS WENT INTO EFFECT.

"ALREADY SOME BUSINESSMEN ARE PUSHING UP PRICES WITH THE CHIEF AIM OF GETTING 'FROZEN' AT A HIGH LEVEL."

THE PROBLEM OF ORGANIZING AN ENFORCEMENT SYSTEM IS ANOTHER REASON TO MAKE HASTE CAUTIOUSLY. IF YOUR CONTROLS ARE FLOUTED AND BECOME A PUBLIC LAUGHING-STOCK BEFORE YOU'RE STAFFED TO ENFORCE THEM, YOU ARE LOST.

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EACH SET OF CONTROLS OPENS A POTENTIAL NEW RACKET FOR CHISELERS. THE BLACK MARKETS IN TIRES, AUTOS, GASOLINE AND NYLONS ARE WELL REMEMBERED FROM OPA DAYS. UNSANITARY, UNLICENSED BEHIND-THE-BARN SLAUGHTERING BECAME A SCANDAL. LAWABIDING CONSUMERS OFTEN FOUND THEIR RATION BOOKS USELESS BECAUSE "UNDER-THE-COUNTER" SALES HAD DEPLETED STOCKS.

BUT, AT THE TIME, FEW CITIZENS REALIZED THE FULL SCOPE OF THE VIOLATIONS. LESS THAN SIX MONTHS AFTER THE "GENERAL MAX," OPA WAS INVESTIGATING 1,000 REPORTED CASES A MONTH--ON MEAT ALONE. ON A SINGLE DAY, OPA SUED 745 MEAT WHOLESALERS FOR OVER-PRICING.

FORTY LUMBER OPERATORS WERE SUED FOR $9,000,000. THIRTY-ONE AUTO CAR DEALERS, IN ONE INTERSTATE CIRCLE, WERE CAUGHT IN A $3,000,000 USED CAR RACKET.

THE REAL GANGSTERS GOT IN EARLY. MEMBERS OF DETROIT'S "PURPLE MOB" WERE CAPTURED TRYING TO DELIVER COUNTERFEIT GASOLINE COUPONS IN BOSTON. A GANG WAS CAUGHT IN NEW YORK BOSSING BALES OF 2,000,000 SUGAR STAMPS OUT OF OPA'S WINDOW.

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EQUIPMENT FOR PRINTING 5,000,000 PHONY GASOLINE STAMPS--WORTH $3,500,000--WAS SEIZED IN NEW YORK. A WEST COAST COUNTERFEITING GANG WAS CAUGHT AND SENT TO PRISON FOR SIX YEARS.

IF THE PUBLIC IS NOT CONVINCED OF THE NEED FOR CONTROLS, THE PROBLEM IS HARDER. AMERICANS DON'T SUBMIT MEEKLY TO UNNECESSARY LAWS. OPA FOUND IT HAD TO ORGANIZE A PROPAGANDA DRIVE TO SELL ITSELF TO THE PEOPLE.

THE AGENCY NEVER BECAME POPULAR. HALF A YEAR AFTER PASSING THE PRICE CONTROL ACT, CONGRESS CUT OPA'S APPROPRIATION REQUEST SO DEEPLY THAT THE AGENCY HAD TO THROW A TEMPORARY "FREEZE" ON ITS OWN HIRING. EVEN SO, IT HAD 40,000 EMPLOYES A YEAR AFTER PEARL HARBOR, AND SOON HAD HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF VOLUNTEER WORKERS AS WELL.

ITS OFFICIALS WERE OFTEN DERIDED AS "PROFESSORS AND ECONOMISTS," OR "SLIDE RULE BOYS." SOME QUIT IN RESENTMENT AT CONGRESSIONAL CRITICISM.

THOSE ARE ONLY SAMPLES OF THE PROBLEMS. IF PRICES ARE CONTROLLED, WAGES MUST ALSO BE TIED DOWN. OTHERWISE RISING LABOR COSTS WILL FORCE BREAKS IN THE PRICE LINE. IF WAGES ARE FROZEN, WORKERS SURGE INTO INDUSTRIES WHERE THE HOURLY RATE IS HIGHER. THEN MANPOWER CONTROLS ARE NEEDED TO PROTECT THE LABOR SUPPLY OF ESSENTIAL INDUSTRIES.

THAT'S WHY OFFICIALS ARE HOPING THAT THE INFLATIONARY FEVER-CHART WILL SUBSIDE. THERE'S A GOOD CHANCE THAT IT WILL, SAYS MR.TRUMAN'S COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC ADVISERS, IF CREDIT AND ALLOCATION CONTROLS ARE PROMPTLY USED AND VIGOROUSLY ENFORCED.

(END ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY AUG. 6)

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T(140) WASHINGTON, AUG. 4-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY OFFERED SOME OF ITS SURPLUS FOOD AT LOW PRICES TO MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION.

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THE FOODS INCLUDE DRIED MILK, DRIED EGGS, DRIED BEANS AND PEAS, BUTTER, CHEESE AND MEXICAN CANNED MEAT. EXCEPT IN THE CASE OF THE MEXICAN MEAT, THE FOODS WERE BOUGHT UNDER THE DOMESTIC FARM PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM.

THE MEXICAN MEAT WAS ACQUIRED UNDER A JOINT U.S.-MEXICAN PROGRAM FOR WIPING OUT FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE AMONG MEXICAN CATTLE.

THE DEPARTMENT WITHHELD THE OFFERING PRICES, BUT DESCRIBED THEM AS "NOMINAL," INDICATING THAT THEY ARE FAR BELOW GOVERNMENT COST AND BELOW CURRENT MARKET PRICES.

THE COMMODITIES ARE OF A PERISHABLE OR SEMI-PERISHABLE CHARACTER.

ONE CONDITION OF TODAY'S OFFER IS THAT SALES ARE RESTRICTED TO GOVERNMENTS NOT USING ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION DOLLARS OR OTHER FUNDS OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

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B21WX (GQ) WEEKLY OIL)
(420) OIL
BY CHARLES HASLET
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE OIL INDUSTRY, PREPARING TO MEET INCREASING DEMANDS FOR ITS PRODUCTS, IS CONCERNED WITH STORAGE FACILITIES AS WELL AS STEEL SUPPLIES.

AN INDUSTRY SPOKESMAN, WHO DECLINED USE OF HIS NAME, SAID HERE THIS WEEK THAT "ONE OF THE GREATEST NEEDS OF THE INDUSTRY" IS A RESURVEY OF THE OIL STORAGE SITUATION.

HE SAID THE LAST REPORT ON AVAILABLE STORAGE FACILITIES WAS MADE IN 1948. IT SHOWED TOTAL TANKAGE AT STORAGE TERMINALS WAS 416,-727,000 BARRELS.

"THE QUESTION," HE SAID, "IS WHAT HAS HAPPENED SINCE THAT REPORT. SOME OF THAT THANKAGE MAY HAVE BEEN MOVED OR ABANDONED AND SOME NEW TANKAGE HAS BEEN PROVIDED. THE DEFENSE ESTABLISHMENT IS VITALLY INTERESTED IN STORAGE."

TWO COMMITTEES ARE AT WORK TO DETERMINE THE INDUSTRY'S STEEL NEEDS IN PREPARATION FOR POSSIBLE GOVERNMENT CONTROLS AND ALLOCATION OF STEEL.

ONE OF THE COMMITTEES WAS NAMED BY THE NATIONAL PETROLEUM COUNCIL, AN INDUSTRY GROUP WHICH ADVISES WITH GOVERNMENT AGENCIES. THE OTHER WAS SET UP BY THE INDEPENDENT PETROLEUM ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA.

MOST OF THE OIL LEGISLATION NOW PENDING IN CONGRESS PROBABLY IS DEAD FOR THIS SESSION, ACCORDING TO INDUSTRY REPRESENTATIVES HERE.

THIS LEGISLATION INCLUDES BILLS TO CURB OIL IMPORTS, TO DIRECT THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE PRODUCTION, REFINING AND DISTRIBUTION, AND TO PROHIBIT PRODUCERS, REFINERS AND MARKETERS FROM OPERATING TANKERS AND BARGES.

THERE IS A POSSIBILITY, THEY SAY, THAT ACTION MAY BE TAKEN ON A BILL BY SENATOR MYERS (D-PA) FOR A FUELS POLICY STUDY. THE SENATE INTERIOR COMMITTEE APPROVED THE BILL AFTER CUTTING EXPENSE FUNDS FROM $100,000 TO $20,000. THE MEASURE NOW IS IN THE RULES COMMITTEE.

CHAIRMAN O'MAHONEY (D-WYO) OF THE INTERIOR COMMITTEE IS TRYING FOR EARLY ACTION ON HIS BILL TO GIVE THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR INTERIM JURISDICTION OVER SUBMERGED OIL LANDS OFF THE COASTS. THIS JURISDICTION WOULD HOLD UNTIL THE COURTS OR CONGRESS DECIDE THE CONTROVERSY BETWEEN THE STATES AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OVER THE SO-CALLED TIDELANDS.

COMMITTEE CLERKS SAID O'MAHONEY IS AWAITING VIEWS OF THE JUSTICE AND INTERIOR DEPARTMENTS BEFORE SETTING A DATE FOR A HEARING ON THE BILL.

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THE HOUSE BANKING COMMITTEE SAID IN A RECENT REPORT:

"TODAY THE DOMESTIC AND WESTERN HEMISPHERE RESERVE PRODUCING CAPACITY, TOGETHER WITH REFINING CAPACITY TO PROCESS THE OIL, IS ADEQUATE TO MEET FORESEEABLE NEEDS."

SENATOR MARTIN (R-PA) SAID IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE WEST VIRGINIA OIL AND NATURAL GAS ASSOCIATION TODAY AT WESTON, W.VA.:

"IT SHOULD BE REMEMBERED THAT THE OIL AND GAS INDUSTRY, OF WHICH YOU ARE AN IMPORTANT PART, CAME UP THE HARD WAY.

"YOU ARE FAMILIAR WITH THE DIFFICULTIES WHICH PRODUCED THE AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE. THEREFORE YOU APPRECIATE THE REWARDS OF AMERICAN ACHIEVEMENT."

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(ADVANCE FOR SUNDAY AMS, AUGUST 6).

WEEKLY OIL (340)

BY MAX B.SKELTON

(ADVANCE) (AN) HOUSTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-DOMESTIC CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION NOW IS 44 PERCENT ABOVE 1941 WHEN OIL-CONSUMING WORLD WAR II STRUCK THE UNITED STATES.

THIS PLACES OILMEN IN EXCELLENT POSITION TO ANSWER WITH A MINIMUM OF DELAY ANY GOVERNMENT ORDER FOR OIL INDUSTRY WAR MOBILIZATION.

THE GOVERNMENT ALREADY HAS ASKED THE INDUSTRY TO DEVELOP PLANS FOR RAPID APPLICATION SHOULD MOBILIZATION BECOME NECESSARY.

POSSIBLE STEEL SHORTAGES APPEAR TO BE THE PRIMARY THREATS TO THE INDUSTRY'S PLANS. SOME OPERATORS ALREADY ARE REPORTING DIFFICULTY IN OBTAINING ESSENTIAL SUPPLIES.

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STEEL SHORTAGES PARTICULARLY COULD HINDER CONTINUED DRILLING OPERATIONS AND EXPANSION OF REFINERY FACILITIES.

NEW PRODUCING WELLS WILL BE NEEDED TO MAINTAIN THE NOW STEADY INCREASE IN DOMESTIC PRODUCTION AND TO REPLACE DEPLETED AND ABANDONED WELLS.

INCREASED DEMAND FOR AVIATION GASOLINE ALREADY HAS SEEN SOME OIL COMPANIES ANNOUNCE REFINERY EXPANSION PLANS.

WASHINGTON OFFICIALS LAST WEEK SAID MILITARY DEMAND FOR AVIATION FUEL THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR WILL EXCEED JULY 1 CONTRACT TOTALS BY 2,600,000 (M) BARRELS.

THERE ALSO WAS AN ESTIMATE MILITARY DEMAND FOR REGULAR GASOLINE

AND FUELS FOR TRUCKS, TANKS AND OTHER VEHICLES WILL BE 25 PERCENT HIGHER.

DOMESTIC CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION IN 1941 AVERAGED 3,841,700 (M) BARRELS DAILY, COMPARED TO LAST WEEK'S DAILY AVERAGE OF 5,521,250 (M) THIS IS AN INCREASE OF 1,679,550 (M) BARRELS DAILY.

NEARLY 1,000,000 (M) BARRELS DAILY WERE ADDED TO UNITED STATES PRODUCTION DURING THE 1942-45 WAR YEARS.

THE U.S. BUREAU OF MINES THIS WEEK REPORTED DEMAND FOR PETROLEUM PRODUCTS THE FIRST FIVE MONTHS OF THE YEAR WAS 10 PERCENT ABOVE LAST YEAR.

LAST YEAR'S DEMAND SLUMP KNOCKED 1,018,300 (M) BARRELS OF DOMESTIC CRUDE PRODUCTION BETWEEN DECEMBER 1948 AND JULY 1949.

PRODUCERS HAVE RESTORED 817,750 BARRELS OF THIS CUTBACK AND SHOULD RECOVER A MAJOR PORTION OF THE REMAINING 200,550 THIS MONTH. A DAILY ALLOWABLE INCREASE OF 107,923 BARRELS BECAME EFFECTIVE LAST TUESDAY IN TEXAS.

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A NEW ALL-TIME DAILY OUTPUT RECORD CAN BE EXPECTED IN SEPTEMBER OR OCTOBER SHOULD THE UPWARD TREND OF RECENT MONTHS CONTINUE.

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B105WX (Q IN)
MEXICAN FLAGS
WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-A GROUP OF FLAGS AND OTHER EMBLEMS, CAPTURED MORE THAN 100 YEARS AGO IN THE MEXICAN WAR, WILL BE RETURNED TO THE REPUBLIC OF MEXICO UNDER A CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION SIGNED TODAY BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
THE RETURN "AS A GESTURE OF GOOD WILL TO THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT AND ITS PEOPLE" WON SPEEDY APPROVAL OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE AFTER IT WAS PROPOSED BY CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE.
THE FLAGS AND EMBLEMS WERE CAPTURED BY U.S. FORCES IN THE 1846-48 WAR AND NOW ARE IN CUSTODY OF THE ARMY AT ITS WEST POINT, N.Y., MILITARY ACADEMY.
CONGRESS WAS TOLD THERE ARE ABOUT 66 FLAGS, GUIDONS AND OTHER EMBLEMS INCLUDING 13 NATIONAL MEXICAN COLORS.
UNDER THE RESOLUTION THE PRESIDENT MAY PROVIDE FOR THE RETURN "WITH SUCH ESCORT AND SUCH APPROPRIATE CEREMONY AS HE SHALL DEEM PROPER.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., E.S.T. TODAY SATURDAY, AUG. 5)
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG 5-(AP)-THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION ANNOUNCED TODAY THE APPOINTMENT OF DAVID B.LANGMUIR, AN ELECTRONICS PHYSICIST, AS ITS LIAISON OFFICER AT THE CHALK RIVER, ONTARIO, CANADIAN ATOMIC INSTALLATION.
LANGMUIR, A NATIVE OF LOS ANGELES, SUCCEEDS CURTIS A.NELSON, RECENTLY NAMED MANAGER OF THE NEW AEC OPERATIONS OFFICE. LANGMUIR HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE AEC STAFF SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION. BEFORE THAT HE WORKED IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF ELECTRONICS, RADAR AND GUIDED MISSILES.
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B13WX (SCEG) (180)
MCCARTHY
WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) ASKED THE SENATE YESTERDAY TO "FORCE" SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) TO PLAY A PHONOGRAPH RECORD--TO SHOW WHICH OF THE TWO SENATORS HAS "LIED."
TYDINGS OFFERED TO PLAY THE RECORD IN THE SENATE LAST JULY 20. HE CLAIMED IT WOULD SHOW THAT MCCARTHY HAD CHARGED IN A PUBLIC SPEECH THAT THERE WERE 205 COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
MCCARTHY TOLD THE SENATE HE HAD SAID HE KNEW OF 57 COMMUNISTS IN THE DEPARTMENT.
OBVIOUSLY, HE SAID, EITHER HE OR TYDINGS WAS LYING AND HE WOULD "LIKE TO GET A DECISION ONCE AND FOR ALL SO THAT THE COUNTRY CAN BETTER EVALUATE" HIS CHARGES.
TYDINGS WAS CHAIRMAN OF A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH INVESTIGATED MCCARTHY'S CHARGES. HE AND TWO OTHER DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS SUBMITTED A MAJORITY REPORT CALLING MCCARTHY'S BITTER ATTACK ON THE STATE DEPARTMENT A "FRAUD AND A HOAX." THE TWO REPUBLICAN MEMBERS DISAGREED WITH THE REPORT, SAYING THE INQUIRY GROUP HADN'T DUG DEEPLY ENOUGH INTO MCCARTHY'S CHARGES.
IN CALLING FOR A SENATE AUDITION OF THE PHONOGRAPH RECORD, MCCARTHY SAID HE WANTED TO ESTABLISH WHO TOLD THE TRUTH BECAUSE HE INTENDED NEXT WEEK TO PRESENT "ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE OF DISLOYALTY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 5-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY VETOED A BILL WHICH WOULD HAVE PAID $31,612 WHICH THE MERIT CO., OF CHICAGO, ALLEGES IT LOST ON NAVY CONTRACTS DURING THE LAST WAR.

THE CONTRACTS INVOLVED TWO ORDERS IN 1943 AND 1944 FOR HAND WHEEL NUTS.

IN HIS VETO MESSAGE, THE PRESIDENT SAID THE COMPANY CLAIMED IT SUFFERED THE LOSS ON A FIRST CONTRACT AND WAS LED BY NAVY OFFICIALS TO BELIEVE IT WOULD BE MADE UP UNDER A SECOND CONTRACT.

THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE BEFORE THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE THAT THIS WAS THE CASE, THE PRESIDENT SAID, EXCEPT THAT GIVEN BY THE COMPANY. NAVY REPRESENTATIVES SHOULD HAVE BEEN CALLED ON THIS POINT, TOO, HE ASSERTED.

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THE PRESIDENT URGED THAT CONGRESS RECONSIDER THE CASE. HE SAID IT HAS BEEN THE CLEAR AND WISE POLICY OF THE GOVERNMENT NOT TO REIMBURSE WAR CONTRACTORS FOR LOSS ON A SINGLE CONTRACT WHERE IT CANNOT BE DEMONSTRATED THAT A NET LOSS WAS SUFFERED ON ALL OF THEIR WAR CONTRACTS.

"I AM RELUCTANT," HE SAID, "TO SET ASIDE THIS GENERAL RULE IN THE ABSENCE OF ANY CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE OF SUCH NET LOSS IN THE CASE OF THE MERIT COMPANY."

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NEW YORK, AUG. 5-(AP)-GEN. MARK W.CLARK, CHIEF OF THE U.S. ARMY FIELD FORCES, SAID TODAY THE ARMY IS ABOUT TO START "NEW, UNCONVENTIONAL METHODS OF TRAINING" WHICH WILL SHORTEN TO NINE MONTHS THE TIME NEEDED TO READY A NEW DIVISION OF TROOPS FOR COMBAT.

PREVIOUSLY IT HAS TAKEN ABOUT 15 MONTHS TO TRAIN A NEW DIVISION, ACCORDING TO ARMY OFFICERS AT THE THIRD ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE NATIONAL COUNTER INTELLIGENCE CORPS ASSOCIATION WHICH CLARK ADDRESSED.

UNDER THE NEW SYSTEM, NATIONAL GUARD DIVISIONS CAN COMPLETE NECESSARY TRAINING WITHIN FIVE TO SIX MONTHS, CLARK SAID.

"WE ARE CUTTING OUT A LOT OF TRAINING PREVIOUSLY GIVEN," SAID THE WORLD WAR II COMMANDER OF ALLIED FORCES IN ITALY. "WE ARE ABOUT TO PUT INTO EFFECT NEW, UNCONVENTIONAL METHODS OF TRAINING. WE'VE GOT TO DEVELOP IN A SHORT TIME THESE NEW METHODS FOR TRAINING TROOPS BECAUSE WE DO NOT HAVE THE TIME WE FORMERLY USED."

CLARK SAID DRAFTEES WILL BE TRAINED "SO THAT THEY WILL KNOW THE PART THEY ARE PLAYING."

"WE'LL MAKE THEM RUTHLESS, RUGGED SOLDIERS, AND TEACH THEM TO KILL THESE PEOPLE WHO ARE TRYING TO KILL THEM," HE ADDED.

CLARK SAID HE EXPECTS TO CONFER NEXT WEEK WITH NATIONAL GUARD COMMANDERS AND THEIR STAFFS PREPARATORY TO HAVING NATIONAL GUARD DIVISIONS READY FOR COMBAT WITHIN SIX MONTHS.

HE SAID HE WAS "BUSY AS A BIRD DOG" TRYING TO SUPPLY REPLACEMENT TROOPS FOR GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, COMMANDER OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

CLARK EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THE U.S. FORCES "ARE GOING TO HANG ONTO THAT BEACHHEAD IN KOREA."

HE COMPARED THE KOREAN WAR TO FIGHTING TO THE ANZIO BEACHHEAD IN ITALY IN WORLD WAR II.

"THE INFANTRY WILL ALWAYS DOMINATE ON THE FIELD OF BATTLE," CLARK SAID, BUT HE ADDED THAT TEAM PLAY BETWEEN GROUND AND AIR FORCES WOULD BE A VITAL FACTOR IN ALL ENGAGEMENTS.

THE FORCES OF THE REGULAR ARMY ARE SMALL, CLARK SAID, WITH ITS "FEW DIVISIONS SCATTERED ALL OVER THE WORLD."

THEREFORE, HE ADDED, IT IS NECESSARY TO CALL UP THE NATIONAL GUARD.

CLARK SAID A PRESSING NEED EXISTS TO HAVE A FIGHTING ARMY IN TRIM FOR ANY EVENTUALITY.

"WHEN REAL TROUBLE COMES, WE'LL GET NO ADVANCE WARNING TO GIVE US TIME TO TRAIN A LARGE ARMY, AS IN THE PAST," HE SAID.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 5-(AP)-AMERICAN MEDICINE IS READY TO CARE FOR THE CASUALTIES OF ANY GENERAL WAR, DR. W.R.LOVELACE 2ND, ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S TOP MILITARY DOCTORS, SAID TODAY.

"MEDICALLY AND SURGICALLY WE ARE IN AN EXCELLENT POSITION TO MEET ANY REQUIREMENT WHICH MAY DEVELOP," SAID DR. LOVELACE, A MEMBER OF THE SECURITY ADVISORY BOARD TO THE COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE AIR FORCE.

DR. LOVELACE, WHOSE HOME IS IN ALBUQUERQUE, N.M., SPOKE WITH REPORTERS BEFORE LEAVING BY PLANE FOR LISBON. HE SAID HE WOULD MAKE A FIVE-WEEK EUROPEAN TOUR "TO KEEP UP-TO-DATE ON AVIATION MEDICINE AND SURGERY THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."

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NEW YORK, AUG.5-(AP)-PLANNING COMMISSION CHAIRMAN JERRY FINKELSTEIN SAYS IT'S TIME FOR NEW YORK CITY TO BUILD SOME ATOM BOMB SHELTERS.

HE SUGGESTED YESTERDAY THAT THE SHELTERS BE CONSTRUCTED UNDER THE CITY'S PARKS, PLAYGROUNDS AND BUILDINGS. WHEN NOT NEEDED FOR PROTECTION AGAINST BOMBS, HE SAID, THE SHELTERS COULD BE USED FOR MUCH-NEEDED PARKING GARAGE SPACE.

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BUFFALO,N.Y.,AUG.5-(AP)-AN OFFICIAL OF THE CANADIAN LEGION DECLARED TONIGHT THAT CANADIAN ARMED FORCES SHOULD BE TAKING A MORE ACTIVE PART IN THE KOREAN WAR.

JOHN E. PAYNE, PRESIDENT OF TORONTO BRANCH 65 OF THE LEGION, DECLARED AT THE ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES COMMAND OF THE CANADIAN LEGION: "I HOPE AND TRUST THAT WHEN THE DOMINION CONVENTION OF THE CANADIAN LEGION MEETS NEXT MONTH AT WINNIPEG, DRASTIC RESOLUTIONS WILL BE PASSED URGING THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT TO TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION TO FULFILL OUR SHARE IN THE BATTLE FOR DEMOCRACY."

RONALD H. NEW OF NEW YORK CITY WAS ELECTED COMMANDER OF THE MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES COMMAND, WHICH REPRESENTS POSTS IN NEW YORK STATE, PENNSYLVANIA, NEW JERSEY, DELAWARE, MARYLAND AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

OTHER NEW OFFICERS:

EDWARD J. WILLIAMS, UTICA, VICE COMMANDER AND ZONE THREE COMMANDER; FRANCIS H. KANE, SYRACUSE, RECORD AND FINANCE OFFICER; A.E. ARCHIBALD, PITTSBURGH, ZONE ONE COMMANDER, AND JOHN YATES, JR., BUFFALO, ZONE TWO COMMANDER.

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LINDEN,N.J.,AUG 5-(AP)-TWO MEN WHO DISTRIBUTED LEAFLETS URGING THE U.S. TO KEEP "HANDS OFF KOREA" WERE CHARGED YESTERDAY WITH SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES UNDER A DUSTED-OFF SECTION OF NEW JERSEY STATE LAW.

THE LITTLE-USED LAW MAKES IT ILLEGAL TO ADVOCATE "THE SUBVERSION OR DESTRUCTION BY FORCE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES" AND BANS ALSO ANY ACTION URGING THAT "CITIZENS OF THIS STATE SHOULD NOT AID, ABET OR ASSIST THE UNITED STATES IN PROSECUTING OR CARRYING ON A WAR XXX"

THE CHARGES UNDER THE ANTI-SUBVERSIVE LAW WERE MADE IN A COMPLAINT FILED BY THREE CIO UNITED AUTO WORKERS, ADOLPH ZAJACK, HAROLD BROADBACK AND JOHN J.CARDAMONE--AGAINST TWO FELLOW-UNION MEMBERS, LOUIS FISCHER AND CALVIN DE FILIPPIS.

THE TWO DEFENDANTS HAD BEEN CARRIED BODILY OUT OF THE BIG GENERAL MOTORS ASSEMBLY PLANT HERE LAST MONDAY IN A FLAREUP OVER THE LEAFLETS. THE TWO MEN PRESSED CHARGES OF ASSAULT AND BATTERY AGAINST THE SAME THREE UNIONISTS WHO NOW FILED THE SUBVERSIVE COMPLAINT.

THE STATE STATUTE UNDER WHICH THE TWO LEAFLET-DISTRIBUTORS WERE CHARGED PROVIDES FOR PENALTIES OF NOT MORE THAN SEVEN YEARS IN PRISON AND FINES OF NOT LESS THAN $100 OR MORE THAN $2,000.

THE COMPLAINT WILL BE HEARD TUESDAY IN THE SAME COURT WHICH WILL HEAR THE ASSAULT AND BATTERY CHARGES. ALL THE MEN INVOLVED ARE MEMBERS OF UAW LOCAL 595.

THE TWO MEN NAMED IN THE SUBVERSIVE COMPLAINT ISSUED A STATEMENT LATER SAYING THE CHARGES WERE MERELY A RUSE BY "COMPANY STOOGES USING RED-BAITING TO SMASH OUR UNION."

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MEDFORD, WIS., AUG. 5-(AP)-THE "BARABOO PETITION" IS WILLIAM O. HART'S ANSWER TO THE COMMUNIST INSPIRED "STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION."

HART, OF BARABOO, WIS., THE SOCIALIST CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF WISCONSIN, REVEALED HIS PLAN TODAY AT A SOCIALIST RALLY HERE. HE'LL CIRCULATE A PETITION URGING THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE TO OVERTHROW JOSEF STALIN.

HART SAID IT WOULD SERVE AS COUNTER PROPAGANDATO THE "STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION", BEING CIRCULATED BY RED FRONT ORGANIZATIONS, WHICH ADVOCATES OUTLAWING OF THE ATOMIC BOMB AND WITHDRAWAL OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES FROM KOREA.

HE SAID HE WILL ASK THAT HIS "BARABOO PETITION" MESSAGE BE TAKEN INTO RUSSIA AND SATELLITE COUNTRIES BY THE VOICE OF AMERICA AND UN RADIO SYSTEMS AND BY UNDERGROUND AGENTS.

"THE SOVIET UNION RISES NOW IN THIS PERILOUS HOUR AS THE AGGRESSOR, THREATENING TO PLUNGE THE WORLD INTO A HOLOCAUST OF WAR. THEREFORE, WE THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES, WITH FREE PEOPLE EVERYWHERE, EARNESTLY APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE OF THE SOVIET UNION AND SOVIET DOMINATED COUNTRIES TO RISE UP AND THROW OFF THE YOKE OF STALIN AND THE WAR MONGERING COMMUNIST DICTATORSHIP."

THE "STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION" WAS DRAWN UP LAST MARCH IN SWEDEN AT THE SOVIET-DOMINATED WORLD CONGRESS OF PARTISANS FOR PEACE.

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OAK RIDGE,TENN., AUG. 5-(AP)-THREE PACIFISTS PICKETED THE ENTRANCE TO ATOMIC PLANTS HERE TODAY, DISTRIBUTING "PEACE" LEAFLETS.

WEARING BLACK ARMBANDS AND BEARING PLACARDS, THEY WERE LED BY A JAPANESE-AMERICAN WHO INFILTRATED THE HEAVILY GUARDED RESTRICTED AREA LAST MARCH 15 TO HAND OUT LEAFLETS.

HE WAS K.JAMES OTSUKA, 29-YEAR-OLD CONSTRUCTION WORKER OF RICHMOND, IND., WHO SAID TODAY'S DEMONSTRATION WAS IN "COMMEMORATION AND REPENTENNCE FOR THE DROPPING

REPENTANCE FOR THE DROPPING OF THE FIRST ATOMIC BOMB ON HIROSHIMA" FIVE YEARS AGO TOMORROW.

THE TRIO CARRIED A VARIETY OF POSTERS, CHANGING THEM PERIODICALLY DURING THE TWO-HOUR VIGIL. THEY STAYED 50 YARDS FROM THE GATE, AS INSTRUCTED BY SECURITY POLICE, AND WITHSTOOD COLD GLARES FROM AEC GUARDS AND PASSERSBY.

SOME OF THE SIGNS READ "WOULD JESUS USE THE A-BOMB?" "WAR IS HITLER'S AND STALIN'S WAY--LET AMERICANS USE CHRIST'S WAY." "WAR DESTROYS DEMOCRACY, BREEDS COMMUNISM."

OTSUKA WAS A CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR IN WORLD WAR II. SINCE THEN HE HAS SERVED FIVE MONTHS IN FEDERAL CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION AT ASHLAND, KY., FOR REFUSING TO PAY THE PART OF HIS INCOME TAX HE SAID WAS SPENT FOR MILITARY PURPOSES.

TODAY'S ACTIVITY, SAID OTSUKA, WAS PART OF SIMILAR DEMONSTRATIONS STAGED AT "ATOMIC BOMB PLANTS IN HANFORD, WASH., AND SOMEWHERE IN NEW JERSEY." HE EXPLAINED THAT THOSE IN THE GROUP HERE ARE MEMBERS OF PEACEMAKERS (CAP P), AN ORGANIZATION WHICH OBJECTS TO WAR OR THE PREPARATION FOR WAR.

HE ADDED THAT THE PICKETING PREFACES A CALL IN WASHINGTON TUESDAY BY A DOZEN PACIFICSTS WHO WILL LOBBY FOR AN END TO WAR IN KOREA.

OTSUKA'S COMPANIONS WERE MRS.MARJORIE SWANN OF CLOVERDALE.MICH..

A HOUSEWIFE AND MOTHER OF TWO CHILDREN, AND DR.RALPH TEMPLIN OF YELLOW SPRINGS, OHIO.

OTSUKA WAS SEIZED LAST MARCH BY RED-FACED SECURITY GUARDS WHO DISCOVERED HIM BUSILY PASSING OUT LEAFLETS WITHIN THE FENCED AREA ENCLOSING ATOMIC PLANTS. HE WAS RELEASED AFTER QUESTIONING BY THE FBI AND ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SECURITY OFFICIALS.

HE SAID HE EASILY CRASHED THE GATE BY BOARDING A BUS OF INBOUND WORKERS. GUARDS FAILED TO NOTICE HE WORE NO SPECIAL BADGE-TYPE PASS.

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NIGHT LEAD ANTI-HOARDING DRIVE

PORTLAND, ME., AUG.5-(AP)-A MODERN PAUL REVERE RODE ON HORSEBACK THROUGH PORTLAND STREETS TODAY AND CRIED OUT A 1950 WARNING: "HOARDING HELPS COMMUNISM."

GARBED IN THE UNIFORM OF A REVOLUTIONARY "MINUTE MAN," THE RIDER URGED HOUSEWIVES AND OTHERS TO ATTEND A SUNDAY NIGHT MUNICIPAL STADIUM MASS MEETING WHICH WILL OPEN A "WAR AGAINST HOARDING"HERE.

AS HE RODE, HE DISTRIBUTED PAMPHLETS. THEY CARRIED THE ANTI-HOARDING MESSAGE OF THE "HOME DEFENDERS OF FREEDOM," A GROUP OF PORTLAND BUSINESS AND CIVIC LEADERS WHO WILL SPONSOR THE WEEK-LONG CAMPAIGN.

OBJECT OF THE DRIVE IS TO COLLECT SIGNED CARDS ON WHICH GREATER PORTLAND'S 100,000 INHABITANTS WILL PLEDGE THEMSELVES TO CONFINE THEIR PURCHASES TO IMMEDIATE NEEDS.

PLEDGE SIGNERS WILL BE AWARDED BUTTONS AND STICKERS FOR WINDOWS AND CARS.

A COMMITTEE SPOKESMAN TODAY CALLED THE CAMPAIGN "A DRAMTIC EXPERIMENT IN PATRIOTISM, WHICH MAY GIVE A NEW ANFR7!
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A COMMITTEE SPOKESMAN ~~TODAY CALLED THE CAMPAIGN "A DRAMATIC~~ EXPERIMENT IN PATRIOTISM, WHICH MAY GIVE A NEW AND UNPOLITICAL MEANING TO THE OLD SLOGAN, 'AS MAINE GOES, SO GOES THE NATION.'"

THE SPOKESMAN ADDED THAT GREATER PORTLAND IS "THE FIRST COMMUNITY IN THE UNITED STATES TO INAUGURATE VOLUNTARY COOPERATIVE PLEDGING OF ITS CITIZENS TO BECOME 'HOME DEFENDERS OF FREEDOM.'"

THE PLAN HAS WON COMMENDATION FROM LEADERS OF POLITICS, BUSINESS AND LABOR. THE COMMITTEE SAID TODAY IT IS BEING BOMBARDED WITH REQUESTS FOR FURTHER INFORMATION FROM BUSINESS AND CIVIC GROUPS THROUGHOUT THE NATION.

LATEST TO ENDORSE THE IDEA WAS WW.STUART SYMINGTON, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL SECURITIES RESOURCES BOARD.

IN A TELEGRAM TO SPONSORS, SYMINGTON SAID TODAY:

"YOUR COMMUNITY EFFORT TO COMBAT HOARDING DESERVES THE HIGHEST COMMENDATION X X X."

NATIONAL, STATE AND LOCAL LEADERS WILL ADDRESS TOMORROW NIGHT'S MASS MEETING, WHICH WILL BE PRECEDED BY A COLORFUL PARADE HONORING MAINE SERVICEMEN RECENTLY CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY.

SCHEDULED SPEAKERS INCLUDE GOV.FREDERICK G.PAYNE, MAINE SENATORS OWEN BREWSTER AND MARGARET CHASE SMITH, HOLLYWOOD SCREEN STARS JOAN EVANS AND DIANNA BARRYMORE, AND CHARLES NICHOLS, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL RETAIL DRY GOODS ASSOCIATION.

RICHARD M.TYLER, PRESIDENT OF THE GREATER PORTLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, SAID "WE FEEL THAT WE ARE FIRING THE OPENING GUN IN A HOME FRONT WAR AGAIN T COMMU

GUN IN A HOME FRONT WAR AGAINST COMMUNISM. X X X HOARDING CAN HELP PRODUCE INFLATION. THAT'S WHY WE ADOPTED OUR SLOGAN-- HOARDING HELPS COMMUNISM. WE CAN NOT AFFORD TO FAIL."

TYLER SAID THE RALLY AUDIENCE WILL BE ASKED TO JOIN IN A MASS PLEDGE TO FIGHT INFLATION BY "LEVEL HEADED AND INTELLIGENT BUYING ON THE HOME FRONT."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SATURDAY, AUG. 5)

(ADVANCE)--DENVER,AUG 5 (AP)-JAMES G.PATTON, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL FARMERS UNION, TODAY PLEDGED THE FARM ORGANIZATION'S SUPPORT TO THE UNITED NATIONS IN FIGHTING "THE NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSORS, TRAINED AND AGITATED INTO WAGING WAR ON SOUTH KOREA BY RUSSIA."

HE MADE THE PLEDGE IN A STATEMENT OF POLICY TO THE LEFT-OF-CENTER FARM ORGANIZATION.

"WE HAVE OPENLY CRITICIZED OUR GOVERNMENT'S FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES WHEREVER THEY HAVE MADE COMMON CAUSE WITH ECONOMIC OR POLITICAL ROYALISTS AND WITH SUPPORTERS OF THE STATUS QUO," PATTON'S STATEMENT SAID.

"BUT IT IS QUITE ANOTHER THING TO WITHDRAW AND WITHHOLD SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS AT EVERY POINT OF DISAGREEMENT. AND IT IS AN EVIL THING TO FOLLOW SUCH WITHDRAWAL WITH THE FOMENTING OF ARMED AGGRESSION WHERE THE ONLY NEED WAS FOR FREE AND OPEN ELECTIONS BY THE PEOPLE."

PATTON TOLD A REPORTER HE ISSUED THE STATEMENT TO EXPLAIN THE FARMERS UNION'S STAND IN LIGHT OF ITS PAST CRITICISM OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S FOREIGN POLICY. THAT CRITICISM, HE ADDED, WAS BASED PRIMARILY ON ITS "BY-PASSING" OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

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CLEAR LAKE, IA., AUG. 5-(AP)-SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IA) ASSERTED TODAY THAT THERE ARE STILL A NUMBER OF PERSONS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHO HAVE BEEN "ADVOCATING A YIELDING ATTITUDE TOWARD RUSSIAN AMBITIONS."

"OUR WHOLE FOREIGN POLICY FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS HAS BEEN INFLUENCED BY A GROUP OF MEN WITHIN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHO ARE SYMPATHETIC TO RUSSIA'S AMBITIONS," HE SAID IN AN INTERVIEW.

HICKENLOOPER MENTIONED NO NAMES. HE SAID HE DOES NOT ACCUSE THESE MEN OF BEING COMMUNISTS.

"BUT THEY CERTAINLY ARE FAR, FAR TO THE LEFT," HE SAID.

THE SENATOR SAID SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) IS ONLY ONE OF MANY WHO HAVE CALLED THE ATTENTION OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO THIS GROUP OF PEOPLE.

HICKENLOOPER WAS HERE AS A GUEST OF THE ANNUAL "GOVERNOR'S DAYS" OBSERVANCE.

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A129 (LOCALS OUT) (160)

TARRYTOWN, N.Y., AUG. 5-(AP)-A GROUP OF TARRYTOWN WOMEN HAVE STARTED A CAMPAIGN TO MAKE TELEVISION SETS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC SO THAT EVERYBODY CAN SEE HOW THE RUSSIANS ACT IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

RED-HAIRED MRS.NEIL S.WATERMAN, WIFE OF A PLASTICS MANUFACTURER AND MOTHER OF A SMALL SON, LAUNCHED THE CAMPAIGN AFTER SHE AND SOME FRIENDS SAID A TELECAST OF A UN SECURITY COUNCIL SESSION WITH RUSSIA'S JAKOB MALIK TANGLING WITH WESTERN DELEGATES.

"I WAS FRIGHTENED," MRS.WATERMAN SAID. "MY FRIENDS FELT THE SAME WAY.

"WE DECIDED THAT IF ENOUGH PEOPLE COULD WATCH, THE PUBLIC WOULD REALIZE THE URGENCY OF A CONCRETE EFFORT TO GET READY TO DEFEND OURSELVES AGAINST RUSSIAN SAVAGERY."

THE WOMEN ARRANGED FOR THE SECURITY COUNCIL TELECASTS TO BE VIEWED BY THE PUBLIC AT THE TARRYTOWN CIVIC CENTER AND IN TWO LOCAL STORES. THEY PHONED FRIENDS IN OTHER WESTCHESTER COUNTY AND CONNECTICUT TOWNS AND ASKED THEM TO MAKE SIMILAR ARRANGEMENTS.

TARRYTOWN'S LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS AND LOCAL 664 OF THE CIO UNITED AUTO WORKERS HAVE ENDORSED THE MOVEMENT.

MRS.WATERMAN'S GROUP HOPES IT WILL SPREAD TO OTHER PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.

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TAMPA,FLA.,AUG 5-(AP)-IT'S "BETTER TO BE A LIVE SINNER THAN A DEAD SAINT," SAYS THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA, SO HE SUGGESTS THAT CHURCHGOERS SUPPLEMENT THEIR PRAYERS WITH A LITTLE RIFLE PRACTICE.

WORLD CONDITIONS ARE PRETTY BAD, ACCORDING TO DR.E.C.NANCE, AND HE THINKS EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD IN THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BE TAUGHT THE USE OF FIREARMS AND HOW TO ENGAGE IN CIVIL DEFENSE AND GUERILLA WARFARE.

THE 50-YZR-OLD VETERAN OF TWO WORLD WARS AND FORMER PAOOR IN SEVERAL CHRISTIAN CHURCHES SAYS THAT IF HE OCCUPIED A PULPIT TODAY HE'D TELL HIS CONGREGATION NOT TO BE TOO HIGH-MINDED IN THEIR PRAYERS, THAT RELIGION NOWADAYS IS NOT TO AID THEM ESCAPE THE REALITES OF LIFE BUT TO HELP FACE THEM.

HE EXPRESSED HIS VIEWS IN A LETTER ASKING THAT HIS NAME BE WITHDRAWN FROM SUPPORTERS OF THE UNITED WORLD FEDERALISTS, A GROUP WHICH SEEKS TO SET UP A WORLD GOVRNMENT THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS.

"I BELIEVE WE SHOULD HAVE TOTAL PRXEDNESS BASED ON THE LAWS OF THE JUNGLE--THAT WE SHOULD LEARN EVERY ART AND SCIENCE OF KILLING," STATES THE LETTER MADE PUBLIC YESTERDAY.

IF WAR IS MADE HORRIBLE ENOUGH, SAYS DR.NANCE, THE PEOPLE WOULD "REBEL AGAINST THE STUPID LEADERS WHO LEX THEM INTO WAR."

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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.5-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES IS AT WAR, "OSTENSIBLY WITH NORTH KOREA, BUT ACTUALLY WITH SOVIET RUSSIA," CALIFORNIA'S GOVERNOR EARL WARREN DECLARED LAST NIGHT.

DURING A RADIO DISCUSSION OF THE STATE'S CIVILIAN DEFENSE PROGRAM, WARREN SAID, "THE FIRST FACT TO REMEMBER IS THAT OUR ARMED FORCES ARE NOT MERELY ON A MILITARY EXPEDITION FOR THE UNITED NATIONS.

"OUR COUNTRY IS AT WAR, OSTENSIBLY WITH NORTH KOREA, BUT ACTUALLY WITH SOVIET RUSSIA."

ATOM BOMBS WILL BE DROPPED, WARREN PREDICTED, IF ALL-OUT WAR DEVELOPS. "IT IS FOOLHARDY TO BELIEVE THAT RUSSIA WOULD NOT USE (ATOMIC WARFARE) ON US IF SHE COULD," HE SAID. "THE ONLY QUESTION IS--CAN SHE DO IT? X X X"

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PITTSBURGH, AUG.5-(AP)-THE BROTHER OF AN AMERICAN SOLDIER WHO REPORTEDLY DESERTED THE ARMY IN GERMANY TO JOIN THE COMMUNISTS IN EAST BERLIN DESCRIBES HIM AS "JUST A KID."

THE SOLDIER WAS IDENTIFIED YESTERDAY AS ROBERT NATSKAKULA OF NATRONA,PA., BY GERHART EISLER, FUGITIVE FROM THE U.S. WHO IS THE PROPAGANDA CHIEF IN BERLIN'S SOVIET ZONE.

EISLER AT A NEWS CONFERENCE ATTENDED ONLY BY GERMAN NEWSMEN SAID NATSKAKULA AND A BRITISH SOLDIER HAD JOINED THE COMMUNISTS IN THEIR "FIGHT FOR PEACE" CAMPAIGN.

EDWARD NATSKAKULA, 27, ROBERT'S BROTHER WHO SERVED WITH AN ANTI-AIRCRAFT UNIT IN NEW GUINEA AND THE PHILIPPINES, SAID:

"WHY, HE DOESN'T EVEN KNOW WHAT THE WORD COMMUNIST MEANS.

"THE KID BROODED ABOUT MOM'S DEATH FOR A LONG TIME BEFORE HE ENLISTED. HE WAS NEVER QUITE THE SAME AFTER SHE DIED. WHY, HE USED TO BE A SMART KID.

"OUR WHOLE FAMILY IS LOYALLY AMERICAN."

"MY BROTHERS AND I SERVED IN THE LAST WAR. ALL OF US WERE IN MORE THAN THREE YEARS. WE'RE ALL READY TO GO BACK IF THEY NEED US."

THERE ARE TWO OTHER BROTHERS.

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DENVER, AUG.5-(AP)-CPL HERMAN SCONEHORN, 38, OF SPRING HARBOR, MICH., REMEMBERS THE BATTLEFIELDS OF KOREA AS "JUST PLAIN HELL."

SCONEHORN IS ONE OF 35 SOLDIERS FLOWN HERE FOR TREATMENT AT FITZSIMONS GENERAL HOSPITAL. HIS INJURIES ARE INTERNAL.

THE MICHIGAN SOLDIER'S JEEP WAS BLOWN OFF A HIGHWAY BY A COMMUNIST SHELL JUST OUTSIDE SEOUL.

HE SAID IN AN INTERVIEW THAT THE JEEP WAS CATAPULTED INTO A WATER-FILLED RICE PADDY, AND THAT HE WAS PINNED BENEATH THE WRECKAGE, BUT MANAGED TO KEEP HIS NOSE ABOVE THE WATER. TWO OF HIS BUDDIES WERE DROWNED BEFORE HELP ARRIVED.

ANOTHER MAN ABOARD THE TRANSPORT, WHICH STOPPED AT FAIRFIELD-SUISUN AIRFORCE BASE IN CALIFORNIA BEFORE COMING HERE, WAS 19-YEAR-OLD PVT. LEROY L.SCHULTZ OF ST.PAUL, MINN.

HIS PELVIS WAS SPLINTERED WHEN A TRUCK RAN OFF A COUNTRY ROAD ON THE KUM RIVER FRONT.

SCHULTZ SAID HE WAS IN AN ENGINEERS OUTFIT, AND "WE WERE ALL ROOKIES, NOT A VETERAN TO MY KNOWLEDGE. BUT MORALE WAS HIGH. I WANT TO GO BACK AND HELP FINISH THE JOB WHEN I'M WELL."

AT THE TIME OF HIS INJURY HE AND A GROUP OF FELLOW ENGINEERS WERE BLOWING UP ROADS AND BRIDGES IN THE FACE OF A NORTH KOREAN TANK ASSAULT.

"WE BLEW AT LEAST 25 BRIDGES. THEN WE WERE ORDERED TO PULL BACK," HE SAID. "OUR TRUCK WAS RUNNING WITHOUT LIGHTS FOR OBVIOUS REASONS. WE MET AN ONCOMING CONVOY AND WENT OFF THE ROAD."

OF THE 35 WHO ARRIVED HERE TODAY, ONLY FOUR WERE ACTUALLY WOUNDED BY ENEMY FIRE.

THESE WERE SGT.LEONARD PORTER OF POPLAR BLUFFS, MO.; ERNEST POHL, STAPLES, MINN.; DONALD SOBRACK OF CLAREMONT, MINN.; AND ALFORD LACEY OF FAIRBURY, NEBR.

DETAILS OF THE WOUNDS WERE NOT AVAILABLE.

FITZSIMMONS HOSPITAL AUTHORITIES SAID THE MAJORITY OF THOSE WHO WILL BE TREATED WERE HURT IN ACCIDENTS INVOLVING MILITARY VEHICLES OR SUFFERED EXTREME BATTLE FATIGUE.

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B63 (170)
STON, AUG 5-(AP)-THE FATHER OF THE FIRST WOMAN DOCTOR EVER ASSIGNED TO A NAVY SHIP--NOW EN ROUTE TO KOREA--IS PROUD OF HER.
WORD THAT LT.COM. BERNICE WALTERS IS ABOARD THE NAVY HOSPITAL SHIP CONSOLATION DREW FROM HER FATHER, MURRAY L.ROSENTHAL, THIS STATEMENT:
"I'M PROUD OF HER. SHE HAS ALWAYS BEEN A HUMANITARIAN AND THIS IS THE TYPE OF SERVICE I THINK SHE WOULD LIKE."
ROSENTHAL IS A WIDOWER. DR. WALTERS' HUSBAND, LT.HERBERT WALTERS, WAS KILLED IN A FLYING ACCIDENT ABOARD AN AIRCRAFT CARRIER LAST SPRING. THE COUPLE HAD BEEN MARRIED FOUR YEARS.
MRS.WALTERS WAS GRADUATED FROM THE WOMEN'S MEDICAL COLLEGE OF PENNSYLVANIA IN 1936. SHE SERVED HER INTERNSHIP AND TWO YEARS RESIDENCE AT ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL, LACROSSE, WIS.
AFTER PRIVATE PRACTICE IN MAINE FROM 1939 TO 1943, SHE JOINED THE NAVY AS A DOCTOR WITH A NAVAL RESERVE COMMISSION.
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ING WORLD WAR II SHE WAS ON DUTY AT THE BOSTON NAVAL SHIPYARD, THE NAVAL AIR STATION AT WEYMOUTH AND THE NAVAL HOSPITAL, BAINBRIDGE, MD. SHE WAS RELEASED IN 1946 AND RETURNED TO ACTIVE DUTY IN 1948 AT THE NAVAL HOSPITAL, PENSACOLA, FLA.
THE NAVY DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON DISCLOSED YESTERDAY SHE WAS EN ROUTE TO THE FAR EAST.
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PARKERSBURG,W.VA., AUG.5-(AP)-THE NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMVETS URGED TODAY A WARNING TO RUSSIA THAT ANOTHER INCIDENT LIKE THE KOREAN OUTBREAK WOULD LEAD TO FULL-SCALE WAR.
HAROLD RUSSELL, WHO HEADS THE VETERANS' ORGANIZATION, SPOKE AT A BANQUET OF THE STATE CONVENTION IN PARKERSBURG.
HE ASKED THAT CONGRESS AND THE PRESIDENT "MAKE IT CLEAR TO RUSSIA THAT ANOTHER MILITARY AGGRESSION BY A SATELLITE POWER WILL BE CONSIDERED AN ACT OF WAR.
"WE URGE THAT THE UNITED STATES REQUEST THE UNITED NATIONS TO MAKE THE SAME ISSUE CLEAR TO RUSSIA," HE ADDED.
"WE BELIEVE IT IS TIME TO STOP KIDDING OURSELVES. WE ARE NOW IN AN ALL-OUT STRUGGLE WITH THE FORCES OF COMMUNISM. WE AGREE WITH BERNARD BARUCH THAT IT IS TIME FOR TOTAL MOBILIZATION. WE CAN'T EXPECT OR AFFORD TO DO BUSINESS AS USUAL."
AT THE SAME TIME, RUSSELL SAID, "WE BELIEVE IT WOULD BE WRONG TO BAR RUSSIA FROM THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND THE UNITED NATIONS AS LONG AS THERE IS ANY HOPE FOR PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT."
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NIGHT LEAD 80TH DIVISION
HARRISONBURG, VA., AUG.5-(AP)-LOUIS KASPERIK, PHARMACIST FROM DERRY, PA., TODAY WAS ELECTED NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE 80TH (BLUE RIDGE) DIVISION AT THE CLOSING SESSION OF THE 31ST ANNUAL REUNION HERE.
THE FIRST WORLD WAR II VETERAN TO HEAD THE ORGANIZATION---WHICH HAD VALOROUS RECORDS IN BOTH WARS---KASPERIK SERVED WITH THE 305TH MEDICAL UNIT. HE SUCCEEDS JUDGE LEON M. BAZILE, OF ELMONT, VA.
OTHER OFFICERS CHOSEN WERE:
OTTO P.LEINHAUSER, OF PHILADELPHIA, FIRST VICE COMMANDER; DR. B. F. HOWARD, OF KINGSPORT, TENN., SECOND VICE COMMANDER; THOMAS WELCH. OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND., THIRD VICE COMMANDER; HUGH M. BELL, OF INDIANA, PA., SECRETARY; LT. COL. J. O. WOODS, OF TREVOSBURG, PA., CHAPLAIN; RODNEY T. BONSALL, OF PHILADELPHIA, JUDGE ADVOCATE; AND RUSSELL L. STULTZ, OF HARRISONBURG, HISTORIAN.
NAMED TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE WERE JOHN FOOTE, OF PITTSBURGH; THEODORE RYAN, OF LATROBE, PA.; FRANK CARATELLI, OF HOMER CITY, PA.; AND B. M. SHORTENCARRIER, OF ASHVILLE, PA. SELECTED AS COLOR SERGEANT WAS O.K. FRY, OF PITTSBURGH.
REGISTRATIONS TOPPED 750 VETERANS AND MEMBERS OF THE LADIES AUXILIARY FOR THE THREE-DAY REUNION, CLIMAXED TONIGHT BY THE ANNUAL BANQUET-AND DANCE. VETERANS WERE PRESENT FROM 15 STATES, THOSE FROM PENNSYLVANIA PREDOMINATING. IN WORLD WAR I, THE DIVISION---COMPOSED OF VIRGINIANS, WEST VIRGINIANS AND PENNSYLVANIANS---WON FAME IN THE MEUSE-ARGONNE OFFENSIVE.
SPEAKERS FOR TONIGHT'S BANQUET WERE MAJ. GEN. FRANK S. COCHEAU, USA (RET.), A REGIMENTAL COMMANDER OF THE 80TH IN WORLD WAR I, AND REP. BURR P. HARRISON (D-VA). TOASTMASTER WAS DR. WALTER A. FLICK, HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND PSYCHOLOGY AT WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY AND A BLUE RIDGE DIVISION VETERAN OF WORLD WAR I.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SATURDAY, AUGUST 5.)
MONTEREY (320)
BY FRANK O'BRIEN
(ADVANCE)..PHILADELPHIA, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE NAVY BEGAN TODAY RIPPING THE VEILS OFF ONE OF ITS LIGHTWEIGHT FIGHTING LADIES--THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER MONTEREY.
THE WORK OF STRIPPING MOTHBALL SWATHINGS OFF THE MONTEREY BEGAN WITHIN AN HOUR AFTER ORDERS CAME FROM WASHINGTON TO PUT HER BACK IN FIGHTING FORM. SHE IS ONE OF SEVERAL 15,000-TON CARRIERS LAID UP AT PHILADELPHIA NAVY BASE IN 1946.
HOW MANY MORE OF THE CARRIERS, CRUISERS AND OTHER WARSHIPS LYING IDLE HERE ARE TO BE REACTIVATED, THE NAVY DID NOT SAY. CONGRESSIONAL SOURCES SAID THIS WEEK SIX LIGHT CARRIERS WILL BE RETURNED TO DUTY. THE NAVY WOULD ONLY SAY THE MONTEREY IS BEING PUT BACK IN SHAPE TO "MEET ANTICIPATED NEEDS IN THE COMING YEAR."
PHILADELPHIA'S HUGE NAVY BASE, HEADQUARTERS OF THE FOURTH NAVAL DISTRICT, HAS A VAST ARMADA OF CAREFULLY MUMMIFIED FIGHTING POWER AFLOAT AT ITS PIERS. AT THE BASE ARE A NUMBER OF ACTIVATION INSTRUCTION TEAMS" TRAINED AS EXPERTS IN THE PROTECTIVE COVERINGS AND OPERATION OF THE MOTHBALLED SHIPS. AS A CREW OF BETWEEN TWELVE AND THIRTEEN HUNDRED MEN IS CALLED ABOARD THE MONTEREY, A-I TEAMS WILL SHOW THEM HOW TO STRIP HER FOR ACTION, AND OPERATE HER. A-I MEN WERE BUSY WITH THE PRELIMINARIES TODAY.
CAPTAIN WILLARD J.SUITS, OF GLOVERSVILLE, N.Y., COMMANDER OF THE PHILADELPHIA GROUP, ATLANTIC RESERVE FLEET, SAID THE MONTEREY SHOULD BE IN FIGHTING TRIM WITHIN TWO AND ONE-HALF MONTHS.
WHERE SHE WILL TAKE ABOARD HER WARPLANES, OR WHO WILL COMMAND HER ARE NOT YET KNOWN, CAPTAIN SUITS SAID.
IN A LITTLE LESS THAN TWO YEARS OF FIGHTING IN THE PACIFIC THE MONTEREY HUNG UP ONE OF THE NAVY'S PROUDEST AND MOST ACTIVE RECORDS. HER BATTLEBOARD--A RECORD OF HER ACHIEVEMENTS PAINTED ON THE SIDE OF

HER COMMAND TOWER--SHOWS FIVE ENEMY WARSHIPS AND 16 ENEMY MERCHANT SHIPS SUNK, STRIKES ON 60 ISLANDS, 121 PLANES SHOT DOWN IN THE AIR AND 376 DESTROYED AGROUND.

THE MONTEREY WAS LAID DOWN AS A CRUISER IN THE NEW YORK SHIPYARDS, AT CAMDEN, N.J., IN 1943. WITH EIGHT SISTER SHIPS SHE WAS CONVERTED WHILE ABUILDING INTO A MEDIUM CARRIER. ONE OF THESE, THE PRINCETON, WAS SUNK IN THE SECOND BATTLE OF THE PHILIPPINES. ANOTHER, THE INDEPENDENCE, WAS SUNK AFTER ATOM BOMB TESTS AT BIKINI.

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TRENTON, N.J., AUG 5-(AP)-GOVERNOR DRISCOLL SAID TODAY THE STATE IS SEEKING TO AVOID "LAVISH" CIVIL DEFENSE SPENDING THROUGH CAREFUL PLANNING AND VOLUNTEER SERVICES.

IN A LETTER TO CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR LEONARD DREYFUSS, MADE PUBLIC TODAY, DRISCOLL COMPARED NEW JERSEY'S CIVIL DEFENSE BUDGET OF LESS THAN $10,000 TO A $290,000 APPROPRIATION FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AND $2[illegible],000 FOR THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

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DRISCOLL SAID, "WE HAVE ENTERED A CONTEST THAT WILL UNDOUBTEDLY BE OF LONG DURATION," AND ADDED THAT WE CANNOT "AFFORD TO BE HYSTERICAL IN OUR ATTITUDE X X X (OR) OUR EXPENDITURES."

"DURING RECENT YEARS," THE GOVERNOR SAID, "WE HAVE SOUGHT TO SUBSTITUTE CAREFUL PLANNING, PRUDENT MANAGEMENT AND VOLUNTEER SERVICES ON THE PART OF ALL STATE AGENCIES AND LITERALLY THOUSANDS OF PATRIOTIC PRIVATE CITIZENS, FOR LAVISH EXPENDITURES OF PUBLIC FUNDS."

DRISCOLL SAID THE STATE MUST RECOGNIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF CIVIL DEFENSE BUT ALSO SHOULD AVOID WASTE SIMILAR TO THAT OF THE LAST WAR. AT THAT TIME, HE SAID, MUCH UNNEEDED EQUIPMENT WAS "DISTRIBUTED AROUND THE COUNTRY WITHOUT TOO MUCHTHOUGHT OR PLANNING, AND AT GREAT EXPENSE."

DRISCOLL'S LETTER WAS WRITTEN IN ANSWER TO ONE FROM DREYFUSS, WHO POINTED OUT THE COMPARATIVELY HIGH SUMS SPENT ON CIVIL DEFENSE IN OTHER STATES. "WHEN YOU CONTRAST THAT AMOUNT," DREYFUSS SAID, "WITH OUR $8,300 STATE APPROPRIATION AND A POSSIBLE TEN OR TWELVE HUNDRED MORE THAT WE WILL NEED THIS YEAR, WE ARE PERFORMING A MIRACLE."

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NEW YORK, AUG. 5-(AP)-THE 1951 ONE WORLD AWARD (CAPS) COMMITTEE LEFT BY PLANE TODAY FOR A CONFERENCE IN SAN REMO, ITALY, AUG. 22-27.

THE GROUP OF 15 WILL ATTEND AN INTERNATIONAL PEACE MEETING IN PARIS AND PARTICIPATE IN A CEREMONY THERE DEDICATING "RUE LA GUARDIA" IN HONOR OF THE LATE MAYOR FIORELLO H.LAGUARDIA OF NEW YORK.

LA GUARDIA RECEIVED THE ONE WORLD AWARD IN 1947. THE ANNUAL AWARDS WERE ESTABLISHED IN HONOR OF THE LATE WENDELL L.WILLKIE.

DR.MARGARET MEAD OF THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY DEPARTMEN OF ANTHROPOLOGY, WHO WILL BE AMONG THE CONFERENCE SPEAKERS, WAS ONE OF THE GROUP.

OTHER CONFERENCE DELEGATES INCLUDE: DR.NORMA ELZABETH BENTLEY, OF SYRACUSE,N.Y., A TEACHER OF ENGLISH AT EARLHAM COLLEGE, RICHMOND, IND., MISS VIRGINIA KRAFT, A COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY STUDENT AND WINNER OF A ONE WORLD SCHOLARSHIP AWARD: LOWELL LEHMAN OF THE CHATTANOOGA, TENN., NEWS-FREE PRESS; AND DR.RICHARD VAN DYKE, EDITOR OF AUFBAU, NEW YORK GERMAN LANGUAGE WEEKLY.

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NEW YORK, AUG.5-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAYS AMERICANS WOULD LOSE "EVERYTHING WE VALUE" IF WE TURNED OURSELVES INTO A TOTALITARIAN RIGHT-WING NATION TO MEET THE THREAT OF LEFT-WING TOTALITARIANISM."

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE WAS READ YESTERDAY AT THE OPENING SESSION OF THE THIRD ANNUAL NATIONAL COUNTER INTELLIGENCE CORPS CONVENTION.

"WE WANT AN ALERT AND VIGOROUS MILITARY SECURITY AND COUNTER INTELLIGENCE ORGANIZATION," THE MESSAGE SAID, "BUT WE WILL NOT TOLERATE AN AMERICAN MVD OR GESTAPO AT HOME OR ABROAD X X X."

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NEW YORK, AUG.5-(AP)-FRANCIS CARDINAL SPELLMAN HAS URGED MORE CATHOLIC PRIESTS TO BECOME CHAPLAINS IN OUR ARMED FORCES.

THE NEW YORK ARCHBISHOP, WHO HEADS THE CHURCH'S MILITARY ORDINATE IN THIS COUNTRY, YESTERDAY CALLED THE ATTENTION OF ALL U.S.BISHOPS TO THE NEED FOR "ADDITIONAL APPOINTMENTS TO THE CHAPLAINS CORPS FROM THEIR RESPECTIVE DIOCESES."

THE CHANCERY OFFICE SAID THE CARDINAL WAS CONFIDENT THAT AMERICAN PRIESTS WOULD VOLUNTEER "AS IN WORLD WAR TWO, WHEN THERE WERE 3,137 FULL-TIME CATHOLIC CHAPLAINS AND 1,631 AUXILIARY CATHOLIC CHAPLAINS."

WHILE NO ESTIMATE WAS MADE OF THE NUMBER NOW NEEDED, THE CARDINAL CALLED FOR VOLUNTEERS FROM AMONG THE PRIESTS OF THE NEW YORK ARCHDIOCESE--ESPECIALLY THOSE ORDAINED BETWEEN 1940 AND 1947.

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NEW YORK, AUG.5-(AP)-A PICKET LINE WAS THROWN ACROSS THE ENTRANCE TO THE DOCKS BERTHING THE FLYING ARROW TODAY BY THE CIO NATIONAL MARITIME UNION WHOSE MEMBERS REFUSED TO SAIL ABOARD THE VESSEL IN PROTEST AGAINST ITS SKIPPER, CAPT. DAVID JONES.

THE ROUGH AND READY CAPTAIN OF THE ISBRANDTSEN FREIGHTER THAT WAS SHELLED BY A NATIONALIST GUNBOAT OFF THE CHINESE COAST LAST JANUARY, HAD HIS MASTERS LICENSE TEMPORARILY REVOKED FRIDAY.

HE HAD BEEN FOUND GUILTY BY A COAST GUARD CIVILIAN EXAMINER OF PERMITTING NECESSARY EQUIPMENT TO REMAIN OUT OF A LIFEBOAT AND ORDERING SAILORS TO PAINT THE SHIP'S SMOKESTACK NEAR THE STEAM WHISTLE.

JONES WAS GIVEN A YEAR TO SAIL HIS SHIP ON PROBATION AFTER THE SENTENCE WAS SUSPENDED, BUT THE NMU REFUSED TO FURNISH A CREW.

THE PICKET LINE REMAINED ON THE BUSH DOCKS IN BROOKLYN THROUGHOUT THE DAY, BUT POLICEMEN ON DUTY REPORTED NO INCIDENTS.

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NEW YORK,AUG.5-(AP)-U.S. CUSTOMS AGENTS BOARDED THE POLISH LINER BATORY IN NEW YORK BAY TODAY IN THEIR FIRST SEARCH OF AN "IRON CURTAIN" VESSEL FOR POSSIBLE CONCEALED ATOMIC WEAPONS.

AS THEY STEPPED ASHORE WHEN THE VESSEL DOCKED, THE SHIP'S OCHESTRA PLAYED THE "STARS AND STRIPES FOREVER."

MORE THAN 20 AGENTS TOOK PART IN A FOUR HOUR SEARCH. NOTHING SUSPICIOUS WAS REPORTED.

A TIGHTENED SECURITY CHECK ON VESSELS ENTERING NEW YORK FROM RUSSIA OR HER SATELLITE COUNTRIES WAS ORDERED LAST WEEK BY PORT COLLECTOR HARRY M.DURNING.

THE BATORY IS THE SHIP ON WHICH GERHARD EISLER, COMMUNIST PROPAGANDIST, FLED FROM THE UNITED STATES.

THE VESSEL TODAY CARRIED 831 PASSENGERS FROM SOUTHAMPTON, COPENHAGEN AND GYDNIA.

NEWSMEN AND STEAMSHIP COMPANY OFFICIALS WERE NOT PERMITTED TO ACCOMPANY THE AGENTS ON THE CUTTER THAT MET THE SHIP.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 5-(AP)-PAUL ROBESON WANTS TO TALK TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TO FIND OUT WHY HIS PASSPORT HAS BEEN CANCELLED.

THE LEFT-WING NEGRO SINGER SAYS HE NEEDS TO TRAVEL ABROAD TO EARN A LIVING-- AND THAT HE CAN'T DO THAT WITHOUT A PASSPORT.

HIS ATTORNEY, NATHAN WITT, SENT A REQUEST TO ACHESON YESTERDAY, ASKING FOR A CONFERENCE TO EXPLAIN THE CANCELLATION.

WITT SAID THE APPEAL WAS MADE DIRECTLY TO ACHESON BECAUSE A PREVIOUS LETTER TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON THE MATTER WAS UNANSWERED.

IN DISCLOSING THE CANCELLATION, A STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THE DEPARTMENT FELT ROBESON'S ACTIONS WERE NOT ALWAYS IN THE INTEREST OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE SINGER HAS MADE SEVERAL TRIPS ABROAD, VISITING RUSSIA ON SOME OCCASIONS, AND APPEARING AT COMMUNIST-BACKED MEETINGS.

HE WAS SCHEDULED TO ATTEND MEETINGS ON THE COMMUNIST-SUPPORTED "STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION" IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND FRANCE LATER THIS MONTH. HE ALSO PLANNED CONCERTS THIS FALL IN AUSTRALIA, AFRICA AND EUROPE.

WITT DENIED A STATE DEPARTMENT CLAIM THAT ROBESON HAD REFUSED TO SURRENDER HIS PASSPORT, SAYING THE SINGER ONLY WANTED AN EXPLANATION BECAUSE HIS "ABILITY TO EARN A LIVING IS CONDITIONED ON HIS RIGHT TO TRAVEL."

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THAT WHEN ROBESON DECLINED TO YIELD HIS PASSPORT, IMMIGRATION AND DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS WERE NOTIFIED IT HAD BEEN CANCELLED, AND WERE TOLD TO PICK IT UP IF HE TRIED TO LEAVE.

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B26 (SEGQ)

WITH NEW YORK

MOSCOW, AUG. 5-(AP)-MOSCOW'S TWO LEADING NEWSPAPERS, PRAVDA AND IZVESTIA, TODAY CALLED CANCELLATION OF AMERICAN NEGRO SINGER PAUL ROBESON'S PASSPORT BY THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT "PERSECUTION."

THEY PRINTED BRIEF DISPATCHES FROM THE U.S. GIVING DETAILS OF THE AMERICAN DECISION.

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A117 (830)

THIS WEEK IN BUSINESS AND FINANCE

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BY RICHARD FISKE

NEW YORK, AUG. 5-(AP)-WAR ORDERS PILED UP THIS WEEK ON THE ALREADY WELL-FILLED BOOKS OF BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY. THE THREAT OF INFLATION STILL WAS STRONG.

CONGRESS SHOVED AND TUGGED AT AN ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL TO OFFSET INFLATION AND WOUND UP THE WEEK IN A STATE OF COMPLETE LEGISLATIVE CONFUSION.

PRODUCTION LINES IN MANY INDUSTRIES NEVER HAD A CHANCE TO COOL OFF AS THEY RAN 'ROUND THE CLOCK.

THERE WERE MORE WORKERS EMPLOYED THAN EVER BEFORE. INDUSTRY STILL WAS CALLING IDLE MEN BACK TO THEIR JOBS.

THE WORKERS HAD MORE MONEY IN THEIR POCKETS. THE FIRMS THEY WORKED FOR SHOWED LUSTY PROFITS.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS THIS WEEK COMPILED THE SECOND QUARTER EARNINGS OF 450 CORPORATIONS IN ALL FIELDS OF BUSINESS. THE TOTAL WAS 43 PER CENT HIGHER THAN THE JUNE QUARTER OF 1949.

THE CONSUMER PURCHASED MORE GOODS. PRICES CONTINUED THEIR ADVANCE. THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE SAID THAT WHILE MEAT MIGHT COST A LITTLE LESS THIS FALL, THE TAGS WOULD BE "GENERALLY HIGH."

HOARDING APPEARED TO BE DECLINING, BUT THE CONSUMER STILL SPENT MORE MONEY IN THE NATION'S STORES AND SHOPS THAN HE DID A YEAR AGO.

BUSINESS WAS BUYING TOO, IN MOST CASES TO BUILD INVENTORY. BANK LOANS TO BUSINESS HIT $13,911,000,000 (B). IT WAS THE EIGHTH SUCCESSIVE WEEKLY INCREASE.

MANY INDUSTRIES WERE EXPANDING. THE LINCOLN-MERCURY DIVISION OF FORD MOTOR COMPANY PLANNED A BIG NEW ASSEMBLY PLANT WEST OF DETROIT. GULF OIL CORPORATION AWARDED A CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT FOR A CRACKING UNIT AT PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS.

COLUMBIA STEEL COMPANY, A SUBSIDIARY OF UNITED STATES STEEL, LEASED FROM THE GOVERNMENT THE STEELMAKING FACILITIES OF A WARTIME FOUNDRY AT PITTSBURG, CALIF. EXCEPT FOR A BRIEF PERIOD THE PLANT HAS

BEEN IDLE SINCE WORLD WAR II.
TWO OTHER U.S. STEEL SUBSIDIARIES--PITTSBURGH STEAMSHIP COMPANY AND BRADLEY TRANSPORTATION COMPANY--PLANNED FOUR NEW SHIPS TO CARRY IRON ORE AND LIMESTONE ON THE GREAT LAKES.
MANY EXPANSION PLANS WERE IN ANTICIPATION OF DEFENSE NEEDS. SOME HAD BEEN STARTED IN AN EFFORT TO MEET A PEACETIME DEMAND THAT WAS INCREASING BEFORE THE KOREAN WAR BEGAN.
BUT BUSINESS AS USUAL WAS OVER. MILITARY ORDERS HAD TOP PRIORITY. PLANTS WHICH HAD NO SUBSTANTIAL WAR ORDERS WERE RE-ARRANGING PRODUCTION SCHEDULES TO MEET A DEMAND THEY KNEW WAS JUST AROUND THE CORNER.

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THE SITUATION BECAME MORE INFLATIONARY AS THE FIRST SUBSTANTIAL WAR ORDERS WERE ADDED TO ALREADY BUSY PLANTS.
THE AMOUNT OF WAR ORDERS WAS, IN MOST CASES, LITTLE MORE THAN A TRICKLE OF WHAT WOULD COME UNDER FULL SCALE OR PROLONGED WAR CONDITIONS.
BUT THE FIRST SUBSTANTIAL CONTRACTS BEGAN MAKING THEMSELVES FELT ALL THE WAY DOWN THE LINE THIS WEEK. THE INITIAL WAVE WENT TO THE AIRPLANE INDUSTRY.
AT SEATTLE, BOEING AIRPLANE COMPANY SAID SEVERAL THOUSAND ADDITIONAL EMPLOYES WOULD BE REQUIRED AT ITS PLANTS WITHIN THE NEXT SEVERAL MONTHS.
AT PLANTS IN THE SAN DIEGO, CALIF., AREA THE IMPACT OF GOVERNMENT EMERGENCY AIRCRAFT ORDERS GAVE INDICATIONS OF STARTING A NEW "WAR BOOM."
REO MOTORS AT LANSING, MICH., STARTED MASS PRODUCTION OF ITS NEW TWO AND ONE-HALF TON "EAGER BEAVER" TRUCK FOR THE ARMY.
TIMKEN ROLLER BEARING CO., AT CANTON, OHIO, AUTHORIZED A SEVEN-DAY WEEK IN ANY DEPARTMENT DEEMING IT NECESSARY AS IT GAVE TOP PREFERENCE TO MILITARY ORDERS.
THERE WAS A STEP-UP IN GOVERNMENT BUYING ALL ALONG THE LINE. THE ARMY CALLED FOR BIDS ON ALL MANNER OF GOODS FROM PEPPER TO SERGE.
SHIPYARDS BEGAN OVERHAULING THE CARGO VESSELS AND TROOP TRANSPORTS THAT WERE HAULED OUT OF MOTH BALLS. THE RAILROADS WERE ORDERING FREIGHT CARS AND DIESEL ENGINES TO HAUL THE GOODS THAT WERE BEING TURNED OUT.
MOST INDUSTRIES WERE PRODUCING WELL ABOVE THE MARKS OF A YEAR AGO AND THE PREVIOUS WEEK. PRACTICALLY ALL INDUSTRIES SAID THEY WERE READY TO TAKE ON ANY TASK THE GOVERNMENT MAY ASSIGN.
THE STEEL COMPANIES WERE TURNING OUT INGOTS AND CASTINGS AT 100.7 PER CENT OF RATES CAPACITY, AN IMPROVEMENT OVER THE PREVIOUS WEEK'S 99.3 AND WELL OVER A YEAR AGO'S 81.3.
THE TRADE WEEKLY, IRON AGE, SAID MILITARY STEEL NEEDS MAY NOT BE AS LARGE AS SOME PEOPLE EXPECTED--THEY MIGHT NOT EXCEED 10 PER CENT OF TOTAL PRODUCTION.
STEEL MAGAZINE, ANOTHER TRADE JOURNAL, SAID THE IMPACT OF NEW MILITARY DEMANDS WOULD NOT BE HEAVY UNTIL FALL.
AUTOMOBILE PRODUCTION SLIPPED TO 174,830 UNITS, COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS WEEK'S 191,978. BUT THE FIGURE WAS WAY ABOVE A YEAR AGO'S 142,718.
A PINCH IN STEEL SUPPLIES WAS ONE CAUSE OF THE DROP AFTER WEEKS OF PHENOMENAL HIGHS. BUT THE AUTOMOBILE FACTORIES HAVE SCHEDULED THE LARGEST NUMBER OF VEHICLES THEY EVER HAVE BUILT IN A SINGLE MONTH FOR PRODUCTION IN AUGUST.

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SCHEDULES AREN'T ALWAYS FILLED BUT IF THE FACTORIES COMPLETE THE ALMOST 850,000 CARS AND TRUCKS THEY SET THEY WILL BE WELL ON THE WAY TO A RECORD-BREAKING YEAR.
FOR THE SECOND WEEK IN A ROW, ELECTRIC POWER PRODUCTION HIT A NEW HIGH. THE INDUSTRY THAT SUPPLIES THE POWER FOR THE PRODUCTION LINES HIT 6,190,098,000 KILOWATTHOURS.
AWARDS OF ENGINEERING CONTRACTS EASED OFF TO $209,262,000, BELOW THE $252,489,000 OF THE PREVIOUS WEEK AND THE $239,245,000 OF A YEAR AGO.
CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY OBSERVERS SAID SOME SLOW DOWN IN AWARDS WAS SEASONAL. THEY ADDED SOME CONTRACTORS WERE OVERLOADED AND WERE DEFERRING THE SIGNING OF NEW CONTRACTS.
MOST SOURCES DOUBTED THE LOWER FIGURE INDICATED A TREND IN CONSTRUCTION, WHICH HAS BEEN AT A SPEEDY PACE.
THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE MADE A QUIET RECOVERY DURING THE WEEK AND REACHED A HIGH SINCE THE KOREAN WAR STARTED. TRADING WAS SLOW AND WAS AFFECTED BY THE INABILITY OF CONGRESS TO COME TO ANY DECISION ON SUCH MATTERS AS CONTROLS AND TAXES.
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DULUTH, MINN., AUG.5-(AP)-THE CANADIAN GRAIN SHIP HOWARD L.SHAW, IDLED HERE SINCE TUESDAY BECAUSE OF A LABOR DISPUTE, DEPARTED FOR LOWER LAKE PORTS TONIGHT WITH A FULL CARGO LOADED AFTER PICKETING CEASED.
THE SHIP WAS LOADED AFTER A PICKET WAS SERVED WITH A DISTRICT COURT ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY HE SHOULD NOT BE CITED FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT. THE ORDER FOLLOWED A TEMPORARY INJUNCTION ISSUED AGAINST THE AFL SEAFARERS INTERNATIONAL UNION WHEN PICKET LINES WERE SET UP TUESDAY. THE UNION CHARGED THE SHAW CARRIED "COMMUNIST CREW MEMBERS WHO WERE BAD SECURITY RISKS FOR THE U.S."
THE UPPER LAKES AND ST.LAWRENCE TRANSPORTATION CO., LIMITED, TORONTO, ONT., OPERATOR OF THE SHAW, DENIED THE CHARGE, CONTENDING THE PICKETING WAS TO FORCE SIGNING OF A UNION CONTRACT.
THOMAS M. MC CABE (CAP M-C), ATTORNEY HERE FOR THE CANADIAN FIRM, SAID IN A STATEMENT "WE REGRET EXCEEDINGLY ANY DIFFERENCES WITH OUR AMERICAN FRIENDS, PARTICULARLY LABOR. WE HAVE 33 MEN ABOARD OUR BOAT AND WE CAN ASSURE YOU NONE OF THEM ARE COMMUNISTS.
"ALL OF THEM ARE DEFINITELY OPPOSED TO THE SEAMENS INTERNATIONAL UNION OF CANADA AND THE AMERICAN SEAMENS UNION. THEY HAVE NEVER AT ANY TIME EVER SOLICITED THEIR MEMBERSHIP. X X X
"WE CAME TO DULUTH UNDER THE CANADIAN FLAG AND THE TRADE TREATY EXISTING BETWEEN THE U.S. AND CANADA. WE HAVE VIOLATED NO LAWS OF YOUR COUNTRY. WE ARE HAULING GRAIN AND ORE TO HELP IN THE WAR EFFORT. X X X."
THE SHAW TOWED THE BARGE BYRN, LOADED WITH IRON ORE.
A HEARING ON A PERMANENT INJUNCTION AGAINST THE PICKETING HAD BEEN SCHEDULED BEFORE DISTRICT JUDGE WILLIAM J.ARCHER MONDAY. AT THE SAME TIME, THE CONTEMPT CITATION WAS TO COME UP. ATTORNEYS INDICATED THE HEARING WILL BE HELD MONDAY AS PLANNED, BUT JUDGE ARCHER SAID THE SHAW'S LOADING AND DEPARTURE WOULD "POSSIBLY END THE CASE."
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD BRIDGES

SAN FRANCISCO, AUG.5-(AP)-A FEDERAL JUDGE ORDERED HARRY BRIDGES TO JAIL TODAY AS "DANGEROUS TO THE SECURITY OF THIS COUNTRY."

THE JUDGE, GEORGE B.HARRIS, THEN DENIED MOTIONS OF BRIDGES' ATTORNEYS FOR A STAY, TO PERMIT HIM HIS FREEDOM OVER THE WEEK-END.

A U.S. MARSHAL'S DEPUTY TOOK THE PRESIDENT OF THE BIG CIO LONGSHORE UNION TO JAIL.

JUDGE HARRIS REVOKED THE $25,000 BOND UNDER WHICH BRIDGES HAS BEEN FREE SINCE LAST APRIL WHEN HE WAS SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS IN PRISON FOR PERJURY. A FEDERAL JURY DECIDED HE SWORE FALSELY IN HIS 1945 CITIZENSHIP HEARING BY DENYING HE WAS A COMMUNIST.

SINCE THEN AN ORDER HAS BEEN SIGNED STRIPPING THE AUSTRALIAN-BORN BRIDGES OF U.S.CITIZENSHIP.

THE GOVERNMENT CHARGED THAT HIS ACTIVITIES SINCE THE KOREAN WAR BROKE OUT HAVE BEEN "INIMICAL TO THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES.

BRIDGES' ATTORNEYS ASKED FEDERAL JUDGE GEORGE B.HARRIS THAT THE LONGSHORE CHIEF BE PERMITTED TO SPEND THIS WEEKEND WITH HIS WIFE AND FAMILY AND THEN GO INTO THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS MONDAY.

JUDGE HARRIS SAID "NO," AND SPOKE ABOUT WIVES AND CHILDREN OF VARIOUS SOLDIERS FIGHTING IN KOREA.

"IT WAS NOT UNEXPECTED," BRIDGES SAID LATER AS A DEPUTY MARSHAL WAS WAITING TO TAKE HIM TO THE COUNTY JAIL. "I BELIEVE RIGHT NOW ANYONE WHO SPEAKS HIS PERSONAL OPINION ON THIS SUBJECT (KOREA) IS IN DANGER."

BRIDGES' WIFE, NANCY, AND THEIR TWO SMALL DAUGHTERS WERE WITH HIM UNTIL HE WAS LED OFF.

BRIDGES TOLD HER "NO TEARS, NOW." SHE DIDN'T WEEP. AUG 6 1950

MRS.BRIDGES TOLD REPORTERS "I'M SO PROUD OF HIM. I'M SO GLAD HE DIDN'T CRAWL. HIS CONVICTIONS AND BELIEFS MEAN SO MUCH THAT HE'D TAKE PRISON RATHER THAN RELINQUISH THEM"

A CROWD ASSEMBLED AT THE REAR OF THE FEDERAL BUILDING TO CATCH A LOOK AT BRIDGES AS DEPUTIES LED HIM TO A CAR FOR THE TRIP TO THE COUNTY JAIL. THERE WERE SHOUTS OF "WE'RE WITH YOU, WE'LL GET YOU OUT, HARRY."

AN UNIDENTIFIED MAN RAN UP TO THE CAR AND SHOUTED TO BRIDGES:

"YOU DESERVED THIS. YOU ARE A TRAITOR."

BRIDGES FLUSHED AND STARTED TOWARD THE MAN. BUT WAS RESTRAINED BY TWO MARSHAL'S DEPUTIES. HE GOT INTO THE CAR AND IT ROLLED AWAY.

AT THE JAIL, HE WAS GIVEN THE CUSTOMARY BOOKING FEDERAL PRISONERS RECEIVE. HE WAS LISTED AS A U.S.CITIZEN, ALTHOUGH HIS CITIZENSHIP HAS BEEN REVOKED BY JUDGE HARRIS.

HE WAS TAKEN TO THE PROCESSING ROOM, WHERE HE WAS GIVEN A SHOWER AND EXCHANGED HIS NATTY GREY SUIT FOR A GREEN PRISON OUTFIT.

JUDGE HARRIS DECLARED FROM THE BENCH:

"I'M SATISFIED TO A MORAL CERTAINTY THAT HARRY BRIDGES WAS AND IS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

"THE JURY IN THE PRINCIPAL CASE (THE PERJURY TRIAL) CAME TO THAT INEVITABLE CONCLUSION AFTER MONTHS OF EVIDENCE AND ARGUMENT.

"I'M ALSO LED TO BELIEVE HE IS PROBABLY ONE OF THE MOST COGENT FIGURES IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN AMERICA TODAY.

"AS SUCH, HE IS AN AGENT DEDICATED TO EXECUTE THE COMMUNIST PROGRAM NATIONALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY.

"AS SUCH, HIS ALLEGIANCE CANNOT BE TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. HIS CONDUCT SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE KOREAN CRISIS, AND HIS REMARKS AT THIS PROCEEDING, ARE OF SUCH A NATURE AS TO JUSTIFY THIS COURT [redacted]CLUDING THAT HIS LOYALTY AND ALLEGIANCE ARE AND MUST BE WITH THE COMMUNISTS."

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BRIDGES IS UNDER SENTENCE TO FIVE YEARS IN FEDERAL PRISON. HE WAS CONVICTED OF SWEARING FALSELY THAT HE WASN'T A COMMUNIST. THE OATH WAS TAKEN IN THE 1945 CITIZENSHIP HEARING FOR THE AUSTRALIAN-BORN LABOR LEADER.

THE SPECIAL PROSECUTOR FOR THE GOVERNMENT CHARGED AGAINST TODAY THAT "BRIDGES IS INIMICAL TO THE SECURITY OF THE COUNTRY," BECAUSE OF HIS OPPOSITION TO U.S. INTERVENTION IN KOREA.

AS THE HEARING ENDED TODAY JAMES MACINNIS, ONE OF BRIDGES' LAWYERS, ASKED HIM "DO YOU FLATLY AND UNEQUIVOCALLY DENY YOU HAVE ANYTHING DISLOYAL TO THE UNITED

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ASKED HIM "DO YOU FLATLY AND UNEQUIVOCALLY DENY YOU HAVE DONE ANYTHING DISLOYAL TO THE UNITED STATES?"

BRIDGES ANSWERED: "NOTHING--NOTHING AT ANY TIME."

THEN HE ADDED "I KNOW THE RUSSIANS ARE OPERATING BEHIND THE SCENES IN KOREA. I HAVE NO DOUBT THE RUSSIANS ARE HELPING ARM, AND MAY BE DIRECTING THE NORTH KOREANS. BOTH SIDES DOING IT."

MACINNIS TURNED TO JUDGE HARRIS: "WE CLAIM HE IS A LOYAL AMERICAN. THERE IS NOTHING IN THE RECORD TO SHOW CONTRARY."

THE LAWYER SAID BRIDGES HAD NOT DENOUNCED THE GOVERNMENT "AS HAVE SOME PEOPLE WHOSE LIBERTY IS NOT BEING THREATENED."

"AN AMERICAN NEED NOT BURY HIS HEAD IN THE SAND," MACINNIS CONTINUED. "LOYAL AMERICANS CAN CRITICIZE, EVEN IN THESE TIMES. BUT THAT IS NOT DISLOYALTY."

BRIDGES HAD OPPOSED INTERVENTION BY ARMS IN KOREA AND HAD RECOMMENDED RELIANCE ON A CEASE FIRE ORDER DIRECTED AT NORTHERN KOREA.

THE JUDGE SAID BRIDGES HAD SPEARHEADED COMMUNIST OPPOSITION TO THE AMERICAN POLICY, INCLUDING THE SECURITY PROGRAM MAPPED IN WASHINGTON FOR PROTECTION OF AMERICAN SHIPS, CARGOES AND WATERFRONTS. HE SAID SUCH OPPOSITION BY BRIDGES WAS SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROTECTING THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND HIS COHORTS IN THE UNION--NOT TO PROTECT THE COUNTRY AS A WHOLE.

JUDGE HARRIS SPOKE OF WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS BRIDGES' REFUSAL TO DISAVOW THE WORLD FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS (WFTU) WHICH, HARRIS SAID, BRIDGES "ADMITTED WAS CONTROLLED AND DOMINATED BY COMMUNISTS."

HARRIS DESCRIBED AS "WEAK AND VACILLATING," BRIDGES' EXPLANATION THAT FUTURE ECONOMIC COOPERATION JUSTIFIED CONTINUED AFFILIATION WITH THE WFTU.

THE COURT READ WHAT HE CALLED A JULY 12 RESOLUTION OF THE WFTU URGING ALL ITS AFFILIATES TO DO ALL POSSIBLE TO HINDER THE WAR EFFORT IN KOREA. HE ADDED "I SAY ADHERENCE TO THE PROGRAM OF THE WFTU AS

DELINEATED IN THE PROGRAM JUST READ IS TRAITOROUS."
THE JUDGE CONTINUED: "IT IS MANIFEST TO THIS COURT THAT SINCE HIS CONVICTION, BRIDGES HAS CONSISTENTLY AND VIGOROUSLY FOLLOWED THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE.
"HIS DENIALS WERE NOT CONVINCING TO THE COURT. THIS IS NOT A TIME FOR DIVIDED LOYALTIES. HE HAS DELIBERATELY AND DESIGNEDLY FORFEITED THE RIGHT TO BAIL AND HIS CONDUCT HAS BEEN DANGEROUS TO THE SECURITY OF THIS COUNTRY."
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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG. 5-(AP)-THE CARRIER BOXER IS HOME FROM A RECORD SPEED RUN FERRYING FIGHTER PLANES ACROSS THE PACIFIC AND IS RARIN' TO GO AGAIN.
THE SPEEDY, 27,000-TON SEAGOING AIRBASE SURGED INTO TOKYO BAY EIGHT DAYS AND SEVEN HOURS OUT OF SAN FRANCISCO WITH A FULL LOAD OF PLANES, INCLUDING 150 AIR FORCE F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTERS.
LEAVING EVERY FLYABLE PLANE IN JAPAN, THE BOXER SPED HOME IN SEVEN DAYS, 18 HOURS, 36 MINUTES, AN AVERAGE OF ABOUT 23 KNOTS FOR THE MORE THAN 5,000 NAUTICAL MILE VOYAGE.
THE BOXER CAME HOME YESTERDAY MORNING AND IMMEDIATELY BEGAN TAKING ON SUPPLIES FOR NEW DUTY.
CAPT.CAMERON BRIGGS, THE BOXER'S COMMANDER, SAID HE HAD NO IDEA WHAT THE NEW ASSIGNMENT MIGHT BE.
"BUT," HE DECLARED, "THE BOXER IS READY."
THE BIG CARRIER HAD BARELY RETURNED TO THE PACIFIC COAST FROM A FIVE MONTHS TOUR OF DUTY IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC WHEN THE KOREAN INVASION STARTED.
REFITTED, THE BOXER STARTED HER RECORD RUN WITH A FULL NAVY COMPOSITE SQUADRON, PLUS THE DECK LOAD OF AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND A GROUP OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS AND MEN.
THE PREVIOUS SPEED MARK BETWEEN SAN FRANCISCO AND JAPAN, SET BY THE JAPANESE LINER NITTA MARU IN 1941, LOOKED LIKE A FERRY BOAT TRIP IN COMPARISON TO THE BOXER'S CAREENING RUNS.
THE NITTA MARU MADE THE VOYAGE IN 11 DAYS, 18 HOURS, 42 MINUTES.
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BREMERTON, WASH., AUG. 5-(AP)-THE NAVY ESCORT CARRIER CAPE ESPERANCE WAS RE-COMMISSIONED HERE TODAY 20 DAYS AFTER ORDERS WERE RECEIVED TO REMOVE IT FROM "MOTHBALLS."
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SANTA BARBARA, CALIF., AUG. 5-(AP)-THE DIRECTOR OF THE NATIONAL REAL ESTATE BOARD SUGGESTED TODAY THAT THE GOVERNMENT SHOULD PUT PRICE CEILINGS ON REAL ESTATE.
CHARLES B.SHATTUCK, LOS ANGELES, SAID THE MOVE WOULD BE DESIRABLE TO PREVENT FURTHER PRICE RISES WHICH MIGHT BE INSPIRED BY THE KOREAN WAR. HERE FOR A WEEKEND BOARD OF DIRECTORS CONFERENCE OF THE CALIFORNIA REAL ESTATE ASSOCIATION, HE MADE HIS REMARKS IN AN INTERVIEW.
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PARIS, AUG. 6-(AP)-CHARLES SPOFFORD, U.S. DELEGATE TO THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL, ARRIVED HERE TODAY FOR CONFERENCES WITH TOP FRENCH OFFICIALS.
SPOFFORD REFUSED TO TELL REPORTERS ANYTHING ABOUT HIS VISIT EXCEPT TO SAY THAT HE WOULD "TALK ABOUT VERY GENERAL SUBJECTS." IT IS GENERALLY BELIEVED HERE THAT HIS PURPOSE IS TO SPUR FRANCE TO GREATER DEFENSE EFFORTS.
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A90
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE WEST GERMAN DELEGATION TO THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE ARRIVED HERE TODAY FOR THE ASSEMBLY MEETING TOMORROW. THEY ARE THE FIRST GERMANS TO SIT ON A EUROPEAN POLITICAL BODY SINCE BEFORE WORLD WAR II.
THE DELEGATION INCLUDES 18 MEMBERS AND 18 ALTERNATES. THEY HELD A TWO-HOUR CAUCUS AT THEIR HEADQUARTERS TONIGHT BUT DECLINED TO ISSUE ANY STATEMENT ON THEIR DISCUSSIONS.
THE OUTSTANDING POLITICAL FIGURE IN THE ASSEMBLY WILL BE WINSTON CHURCHILL. THE BRITISH CONSERVATIVE PARTY LEADER ARRIVED TODAY BY SPECIAL TRAIN.
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BY JOSEPH E DYNAN
WIESSEMBOURG, FRANCE, AUG 6-(AP)-A GROUP OF 300 COLLEGE STUDENTS OF VARIOUS NATIONALITIES ATTACKED THE FRONTIER BARRIERS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE FRENCH-GERMAN BORDER HERE TODAY IN A DEMONSTRATION FOR EUROPEAN FEDERATION.
IN A PRECISELY TIMED OPERATION TWO GROUPS OF ABOUT 150 STUDENTS EACH CONVERGED ON THE BORDER POSTS, BROKE THE BARRIERS FROM THEIR SOCKETS AND CEREMONIOUSLY BURNED THEM IN A FIELD NEAR THE CUSTOMS STATION ON THE GERMAN SIDE.
THE STUDENTS WERE ARMED WITH HATCHETS, METAL SAWS, BUNDLES OF KINDLING, AND CANS OF GASOLINE. AS THE FLAMES FROM THE BARRIERS CRACKLED, THE GREEN-AND-WHITE FLAG OF THE EUROPEAN MOVEMENT WAS HOISTED ABOVE THE BLAZE. THIS IS AN ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN UNITY.
PROF. MICHEL MOUSKHELY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF STRASBOURG, ONE OF THE OPERATION'S CHIEF PLANNERS, DECLARED IT WAS THE FIRST TIME IN HISTORY THAT EUROPEANS HAD MARCHED TO THEIR FRONTIERS NOT TO FIGHT BUT TO ABOLISH THE BARRIERS.
THE DEMONSTRATION WAS DESIGNED TO IMPRESS DELEGATES TO THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, WHICH IS MEETING IN STRASBOURG, ABOUT 35 MILES SOUTH OF HERE
ONLY THREE GUARDS WERE ON DUTY AT THE FRENCH SIDE WHEN THE YOUTHS SWARMED UPON THEIR STATION. NO RESISTANCE WAS OFFERED.
ON THE GERMAN SIDE, CUSTOMS CHIEF ERWIN HENNIGER WAS ALONE WITH ONE GUARD.
THE YOUTHS CARRIED THEIR FLAGS AND BANNERS READING, "WE DEMAND A EUROPEAN CITIZENSHIP," AND "WE DEMAND THE CREATION OF A EUROPEAN GOVERNMENT AND PARLIAMENT."
THERE WAS A HUGE ENTHUSIASTIC SHOUT AS THE TWO GROUPS SPIED ONE ANOTHER. MANY RAN FORWARD TO SHAKE HANDS WITH THOSE FROM THE OTHER SIDE, SMILING AND LAUGHING, AND REPEATING GREETINGS.
ANDRE PHILIP, FRENCH DELEGATE IN THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY, APPEARED AS THE FLAMES WERE STILL CRACKLING.
"YOU HAVE GIVEN AN APPROPRIATE BOOST TO EUROPE'S DETERMINATION TO FINISH WITH HALF-MEASURES," DECLARED PHILIP.
"ONLY A RAPID UNION UNDER A FEDERAL PACT CAN ASSURE OUR SAFETY AND SOLVE OUR POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND DEFENSE PROBLEMS," SAID PHILIP, ADDING THAT THE SCHUMAN PLAN MUST BE ONLY A START.
STUDENTS FROM THE FRENCH SIDE REPRESENTED EVERY WESTERN EUROPEAN NATION EXCEPT NORWAY AND SWEDEN. MOST OF THEM HAD BEEN ATTENDING A FEDERALIST YOUTH CONGRESS HERE THIS PAST WEEK.
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BERLIN, AUG. 6-(AP)-A PRO-SOVIET GERMAN SCIENTIST TACITLY CONFIRMED TODAY RUSSIA IS USING SAXONY'S URANIUM FOR ATOM BOMBS, BUT EXPRESSED HOPE THAT EVENTUALLY GERMANY MIGHT EMPLOY THE PRIZED ORE FOR HER OWN ECONOMIC ADVANCEMENT.
DR.ROBERT HAVEMANN, NOTED PHYSICIST, SAID IN THE COMMUNIST BERLINER ZEITUNG:
"THE RICH URANIUM DEPOSITS, WHICH ARE FOUND IN THE ERZGEBIRGE (SAXON MOUNTAIN CHAIN) COULD BECOME THE SOURCE OF GREAT NATIONAL RICHES FOR GERMANY IF THE ATOM BOMB WERE REMOVED FROM HUMAN LIFE AND THE FREE EXPANSION OF ATOMIC TECHNIQUE WAS MADE POSSIBLE IN THE WHOLE WORLD."
HE SAID THAT WHEN THE ATOM BOMB "IS FINALLY VANQUISHED" THE ERZGEBIRGE AND NOT THE RUHR WILL BECOME THE MOST VALUABLE NATURAL RESOURCE OF GERMANY.
SINCE 1946 SOVIET MILITARY ENGINEERS HAVE DIRECTED URANIUM MINING BY 100,000 EAST GERMANS IN THE HEAVILY GUARDED SOVIET ZONE MOUNTAINS BORDERING CZECHOSLOVAKIA. ALL THE ORE IS SHIPPED TO RUSSIA.
DR.HAVEMANN'S ARTICLE MADE NO MENTION OF ANY OTHER CURRENT USE OF ERZGEBIRGE URANIUM EXCEPT THE ATOM BOMB.
AT NOON TODAY WEST BERLIN POLICE ARRESTED DR.HAVEMANN FOR CALLING AN UNAUTHORIZED POLITICAL MEETING AT A PRIVATE HOME IN THE U.S. SECTOR. HE IS CHAIRMAN OF THE BERLIN COMMITTEE OF "PEACE FIGHTERS" CIRCULATING THE COMMUNIST-SPONSORED PETITION DEMANDING THE OUTLAWING OF THE ATOM BOMB. HE WAS ARRESTED THREE WEEKS AGO BUT LATER RELEASED.
DR.HAVEMANN'S ARTICLE WAS INCLUDED IN A WIDESPREAD ATTACK BY THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST PRESS ON THE U.S. FOR THE "CRIME OF HIROSHIMA." RED EDITORIALS CALLED ON ALL GERMANS TO OBSERVE A MINUTE OF SILENCE NEXT TUESDAY, TWO DAYS AFTER THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE HIROSHIMA ATOMIC EXPLOSION.
THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWSPAPER TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU ASSERTED THE BOMB WAS DROPPED ONLY BECAUSE "WASHINGTON IMPERIALISTS WANTED TO GIVE THEIR SOVIET ALLIES A PROVOCATIVE WARNING" AND TO DEMONSTRATE THAT POSTWAR DEVELOPMENTS IN THE FAR EAST WERE TO BE EXCLUSIVELY AN AMERICAN AFFAIR.
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BERLIN, AUG.6-(AP)-PROTESTANT BISHOP OTTO DIBELIUS TOLD A CONGREGATION IN COMMUNIST GOVERNED EAST BERLIN TODAY THAT "THE CHURCH IS THE ONLY POWER WHICH REALLY STANDS FOR PEACE."
THE BISHOP'S SERMON CAME AT THE CLIMAX OF A COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN TO CONVINCE GERMANS THAT THE SOVIET UNION IS THE "BULWARK OF WORLD PEACE" AND MUST BE SUPPORTED IN ALL ITS FOREIGN POLICIES.
UNDER ATTACK BY THE SOVIET ZONE GOVERNMENT FOR RESISTING CONSCRIPTION OF PROTESTANT PASTORS IN THE COMMUNIST "NATIONAL FRONT," DR. DIBELIUS SAID:
"FREEDOM OF FAITH IS INSEPARABLE FROM TRUE FREEDOM. THE CHURCH ALONE SPEAKS FOR THIS FREEDOM."

MEANWHILE THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN EASTERN GERMANY ANNOUNCED THAT IT HAS PEACE AT HEART BUT IS NOT GOING TO JOIN THE COMMUNIST "PEACE FRONT."

A STATEMENT READ FROM ALL RUSSIAN ZONE PULPITS DECLARED THAT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH "CANNOT JOIN COMMITTEES AND CAMPAIGNS WHICH USE THE NAME OF PEACE, BUT SERVE POLITICAL PURPOSES."

IT REJECTED AS "UNTRUE AND INSULTING" COMMUNIST CHARGES THAT IF THE CHURCH, ITS MEMBERS AND ESPECIALLY THE CLERGY REFUSE TO SUPPORT COMMUNIST-INSPIRED "PEACE APPEALS" THEY UNMASK THEMSELVES AS "ENEMIES OF PEACE AND FRIENDS OF WAR."

SAID THE STATEMENT: "THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST CANNOT BUT PROMULGATE PEACE AND STRIVE FOR IT ON THE BASIS OF JUSTICE AND LOVE... BUT IT CANNOT WORK FOR PEACE THROUGH MEANS AND INSTITUTIONS OF A POLITICAL NATURE."

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BY WES GALLAGHER

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG.6-(AP)-NEARLY ALL WESTERN MILITARY MEN AND MOST OFFICIALS HERE ARE AGREED, ON A "DON'T QUOTE ME BASIS," THAT EUROPE CANNOT BE DEFENDED AGAINST RUSSIA WITHOUT WESTERN GERMANY BEING REARMED--AND QUICKLY.

ALREADY IT MAY BE TOO LATE TO REARM THE GERMANS.

TO DO IT MIGHT PROVOKE THE RUSSIANS.

BUT THE SWIFT AGGRESSION IN KOREA CONVINCED MOST OF THE FEW REMAINING DOUBTERS THAT GERMANY COULD ONLY BE DEFENDED WITH THE AID OF GERMAN MANPOWER, AND GERMANY MUST BE DEFENDED OR THE REST OF EUROPE WOULD GO DOWN AS WELL.

YET, BOTH THE WESTERN ALLIES AND GERMAN OFFICIALS ARE DOING THEIR BEST TO AVOID FACING THESE CONCLUSIONS PUBLICLY.

GERMAN POLITICAL PARTIES ARE EVEN MORE RELUCTANT TO BRING THE SUBJECT INTO THE OPEN THAN ALLIED OFFICIALS.

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THE LARGEST PARTY, THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT, WHICH HEADS THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT COALITION AT BONN, UNRESERVEDLY REJECTED REARMAMENT IN A RECENT STATEMENT. IT DOES NOT LIKE TO OPEN ITSELF TO A CHARGE FROM ITS LARGEST OPPONENT, THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY, FALLING IN WITH ANY PLAN FOR A "CANNON FODDER" ARMY.

THE OCCUPATION POWERS, DURING THE WAR AND AT ITS CLOSE, COMMITTED THEMSELVES TO GERMAN DISARMAMENT SO THAT NO NEW GERMAN AGGRESSION EVER WOULD BE POSSIBLE. TO PROPOSE GERMAN REARMAMENT INVITES POLITICAL PROBLEMS WITH SOME OF THE VICTIMSHMF GERMAN AGGRESSION WHO STILL FEAR GERMAN POWER.

MEANWHILE, THE RUSSIANS ARE BUSILY BUILDING UP THEIR ARMY OF EAST GERMANS UNDER THE GUISE OF A POLICE FORCE, EQUIPPING IT WITH TANKS, ARTILLERY AND ALL INSTRUMENTS OF WAR.

THIS ARMY, REPORTED TO NUMBER 50,000 IN MAY, IS NOW ESTIMATED AT 70,000. MILITARY MEN BELIEVE THAT IN A YEAR IT MAY TOTAL 250,000.

WHEN IT REACHES THAT SIZE IT MIGHT BE TOO BIG FOR THE PRESENT WESTERN OCCUPATION FORCES TO HANDLE SHOULD THE COMMUNISTS START AN ATTACK IN THE KOREAN STYLE.

IF POWERFULLY SUPPORTED BY SOVIET AIRCRAFT AND TROOPS IT SEEMINGLY COULD SWEEP OVER WESTERN EUROPE IN ALMOST NO TIME.

THE MINIMUM NUMBER OF DIVISIONS NEEDED IN WESTERN EUROPE IS ESTIMATED BY MILITARY MEN AT 35, HEAVILY ARMED.

A FRENCH GENERAL A FEW DAYS AGO SAID THIS MINIMUM ESTIMATE WAS NONSENSE. HE SAID 75 DIVISIONS WERE NECESSARY.

THE RUSSIANS, WITH THEIR SATELLITES, COULB MOBILIZE 170 DIVISIONS FOR AN ALL-OUT ATTACK IN EUROPE, IT IS ESTIMATED. ALREADY THEY ARE CALCULATED TO HAVE 20 COMBAT DIVISIONS IN EAST GERMANY, WITH 40 MORE READY FOR ACTION IN POLAND, AUSTRIA AND SATELLITE STATES.

COUNTING ALL OCCUPATION TROOPS, THE WEST HAS LESS THAN A DOZEN.

UNDER UNITED STATES PRODDING, SEVERAL MEMBERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT ARE BUSY PROMISING INCREASED DEFENSE BUDGETS. BUT THE INCREASES PROPOSED ARE SO FAR BELOW WHAT IS NEEDED THAT MILITARY CHIEFS HERE SEE NO PROSPECT THAT 35 DIVISIONS, OR ANYTHING NEAR THAT FIGURE, WILL BE PROVIDED. ALONG WITH SUPPORTING ARMS.

FOR EXAMPLE, FRANCE IS PROMISING AN INCREASE OF 80,000,000,000 FRANCS (OR $250,000,000. TRANSLATED INTO TERMS OF MODERN ARMS THAT WOULD JUST ABOUT EQUIP A SINGLE ARMORED DIVISION.

BRITAIN IS MAKING PLANS FOR INCREASED DEFENSE EXPENDITURES, BUT IT IS NOT ENVISIONED THAT THESE WILL INCREASE THE NUMBER OF DIVISIONS IN BEING ON THE CONTINENT. MILITARY MEN SAY THESE DIVISIONS MUST BE ON THE CONTINENT AND GROUPED READY TO FIGHT TO BE EFFECTIVE AGAINST A SURPRISE ATTACK.

TO PUT DIVISIONS INTO BEING, MANPOWER AS WELL AS ARMS AND MONEY ARE NEEDED.

UNDER ATLANTIC PACT PLANS THE PRINCIPLE OF "COLLECTIVE DEFENSE" WAS ADOPTED BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS AT THEIR LONDON MEETING LAST MAY. BY THIS IT WAS MEANT THAT EACH NATION WOULD CONTRIBUTE WHAT IT WAS BEST ABLE. EACH NATION WOULD NOT TRY TO SUPPORT A LITTLE INDEPENDENT ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE, BUT WOULD CONCENTRATE ON ONE BRANCH.

IT IS NO SECRET THAT U[N]DER THIS PLAN FRANCE WAS LOOKED TO FOR THE BULK OF GROUND TROOPS. BU[T] THREE DAYS AGO FRENCH DEFENSE MINISTER JULES MOCH SAID THERE "WA[S] NO QUESTION" OF FRANCE JUST FURNISHING INFANTRY FOR THE DEFENSE [O]F EUROPE.

FRANCE PLANS TO BUILD [A]LL HER ARMS, PARTICULARLY THE AIRFORCE. THIS WILL CUT DOWN FURTHE[R] HER CONTRIBUTION TO THE GROUND FORCES.

FACING THESE FACTS, MO[ST] MILITARY MEN HERE SEE NO HOPE OF RAISING THE NECESSARY DIVISIONS A[T] ING THE PRESENT ATLANTIC PACT PARTNERS. THE BEST MANPOWER RESERVO[IR] LEFT IS WESTERN GERMANY, WITH A POPULATION OF 48,000,000.

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NO ONE KNOWS WHETHER [THE] GERMANS WOULD RESPOND TO AN INVITATION TO RAISE AN ARMY. CERTAIN[LY] MANY WESTERN GERMANS WOULD OPPOSE IT. THEY FEAR GERMAN REARM[AMENT] WOULD CAUSE RUSSIA TO ATTACK BEFORE HER SUPERIORITY IN MEN AND [ARMS] WAS OVERCOME. IT PROBABLY WOULD TAKE TWO YEARS, AT LEAST, TO CREATE AN EFFECTIVE FORCE.

ON THE OTHER HAND, MANY GERMANS THINK THAT IF GERMANY IS TO BE DEFENDED GERMANS MUST DO IT.

MANY MILITARY LEADERS CONSIDER THAT THE QUESTION OF PROVOKING RUSSIA IS A CALCULATED RISK THAT SHOULD BE TAKEN.

SEVERAL SUGGESTIONS HAVE BEEN OFFERED IN AN EFFORT TO HIT UPON A FORMULA WHICH MIGHT MAKE GERMAN REARMAMENT POLITICALLY ACCEPTABLE.

ONE IDEA WAS TO RAISE A COLLECTIVE UNITED NATIONS OR WESTERN EUROPE DEFENSE FORCE IN WHICH GERMANS COULD PARTICIPATE. ANOTHER IS TO RECRUIT GERMANS INTO THE AMERICAN ARMY, OFFERING THEM CITIZENSHIP. THIS METHOD PROBABLY WOULD GWT THE QUICKEST RESPONSE WITH AN IMMEDIATE INCREASE IN GROUND FORCES, BUT IT WOULD REQUIRE THE APPROVAL OF CONGRESS. PROBABLY NONE OF THESE SUGGESTIONS WOULD BE AS GOOD, FROM A MILITARY STANDPOINT, AS A SELF-CONTAINED GERMAN ARMY.

MEANWHILE, TIME SLIPS BY. IN THE LIGHT OF THE KOREAN ATTACK INTELLIGENCE SOURCES HAVE REVISED THEIR ESTIMATES OF SOVIET CAPABILITIES OF ATTACKING WESTERN EUROPE. THEY NOW BELIEVE THE

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RUSSIANS HAVE ENOUGH FORCES GATHERED IN AREAS WHERE THEY COULD JUMP OFF WITHOUT WARNING AND SWARM OVER EUROPE IN A MATTER OF WEEKS.
ONE HIGH MILITARY AUTHORITY SUMMED IT UP THIS WAY:
"WE CAN TRY TO DEFEND WESTERN EUROPE OR WE CAN PRAY THE RUSSIANS WILL NOT ATTACK. IF WE ARE TO DEFEND, 23 MUST USE THE GERMANS. IF WE DON'T WANT TO USE THEM WE HAD BETTER START PRAYING."
HE WOULD NOT PERMIT USE OF HIS NAME.
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A20
ROME, AUG.6-(AP)-COMMUNIST LEADERS TODAY THREATENED TO CALL A GENERAL STRIKE IN ROME IN PROTEST AGAINST POLICE RAIDS LAST NIGHT ON SEVEN SECTIONAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE PARTY.
THE RAIDS WERE STAGED BY SECURITY POLICE AND CARABINIERI IN BATTLE-DRESS FOLLOWING BOMB EXPLOSIONS IN THREE MOVIE THEATERS LAST WEEK DURING SHOWING OF ANTI-COMMUNIST FILMS. THIRTY PERSONS WERE TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BUT MOST OF THEM WERE RELEASED AFTER A CHECK OF THEIR IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENTS.
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VIENNA, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE NEWSPAPER WIENER ZEITUNG SAID TODAY HUNGARIAN COMMUNIST PRESSURE IS INCREASING AGAINST THE AIDES AND DEPUTIES OF THE IMPRISONED CARDINAL MINDSZENTY AND ARREST OF SEVERAL BISHOPS IS FEARED IN CATHOLIC CIRCLES.
THE NEWSPAPER, WHICH HAS CLOSE CONTACTS INSIDE RED HUNGARY, SAID THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAD PUBLICLY THREATENED BISHOPS JOSZEF BADALIK OF GYOR, JOSZEF PETERY OF VACZ AND ANDREAS HAMVAS OF CSANAD, AND HAD WARNED THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE AGAINST BISHOP SANDOR KOVACS OF SZOMBATHELY.
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A129
OSLO, NORWAY, AUG. 6-(AP)-NORWAY WILL PROPOSE AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION OF 250,000,000 (M) CROWNS ($35,125,000) FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES, PREMIER EINAR GERHARDSEN SAID LAST NIGHT.
THE GOVERNMENT PROPOSAL WILL BE READY FOR PRESENTATION TO KING HAAKON VII AUG. 25. AT THE SAME TIME, MEANS FOR COVERING THE ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION WILL BE SUGGESTED.
GERHARDSEN, WHO SPOKE AT THE TOWN OF BRYNE NEAR STAVANGER, SAID THE ADDITIONAL FUNDS WILL BE SPENT OVER A PERIOD OF TWO AND A HALF YEARS, DATING FROM JULY 1 OF THIS YEAR.
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A130
TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF GROCERS VOTED TONIGHT TO CLOSE ALL FOOD STORES IN ISRAEL FOR 24 HOURS TO PROTEST THE GOVERNMENT'S NEW RATIONING ORDERS.
THE GROCERS WILL BEGIN THEIR SYMPATHY WALKOUT TOMORROW TO BACK UP A WEEK-LONG NATIONAL STRIKE BY CLOTHING AND SHOE STORES. THESE ALREADY HAVE BEEN JOINED BY MOST OTHER TYPES OF SHOPS. TOMORROW ONLY PHARMACIES WILL BE OPEN.
THE MERCHANTS CONCEDE THAT SOME RATIONING IS NECESSARY BUT ARE DEMANDING THAT THE GOVERNMENT CANCEL THE PRESENT ORDER, CLAIMING IT IS UNWORKABLE AND STRANGLES TRADE AND INDUSTRY.
THE GOVERNMENT INSISTS THAT STRICT RATIONING IS NECESSARY TO SLASH IMPORTS AND SAVE FOREIGN EXCHANGE.
A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID RATIONING WILL BE ENFORCED, DESPITE THE STRIKES AND PROTESTS, AND THAT STEPS WILL BE TAKEN TO ASSURE THE FREE MOVEMENT OF FOOD SUPPLIES WHERE NEEDED. POLICE UNITS HAVE BEEN ALERTED TO GUARD STORES TOMORROW TO PREVENT ANY VIOLENCE AND TO PROTECT ANY SHOPKEEPERS WHO MAY DECIDE TO DO BUSINESS.
PARLIAMENT IS DEBATING THE RATIONING QUESTION FURTHER AND TRYING TO FIND MEANS FOR ENDING THE STRIKES AND SHUTDOWNS.
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A126
(130)
CAIRO, EGYPT, AUG. 6-(AP)-AN ARAB LEAGUE SOURCE SAID TONIGHT THAT BRITISH R.A.F. PLANES HAD BOMBED AND STRAFED YEMENI TRIBESMEN IN SEVERAL RAIDS LAST WEEK. THE SOURCE SAID THE RAIDS OCCURRED NEAR THE BORDER BETWEEN YEMEN AND BRITAIN'S ADEN PROTECTORATE, AT THE SOUTHERN END OF THE ARABIAN PENINSULA.
BRITISH OFFICIALS HERE WERE NOT AVAILABLE FOR COMMENT.
THE ARAB LEAGUE INFORMANT SAID ALY AL MOAYYED, YEMENI DELEGATE TO THE LEAGUE, HAD RECEIVED A REPORT TODAY TO THE EFFECT THAT ADEN-BASED BOMBERS HAD KILLED SEVERAL TRIBESMEN ENCAMPED IN AN AREA WHICH IS CURRENTLY DISPUTED BY BRITAIN AND YEMEN. DETAILS WERE NOT GIVEN.
IN SEPTEMBER, 1949, THE R.A.F. BOMBED YEMENI NOMADIC TRIBESMEN ON WHAT ADEN AUTHORITIES CONSIDERED THEIR TERRITORY AFTER THE TRIBESMEN ALLEGEDLY HAD RESISTED ORDERS TO CROSS THE BORDER INTO YEMEN.
ONE OF THE DISPUTED AREAS IS THE SHABWA REGION, BELIEVED TO BE RICH IN OIL.
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A111
KARACHI, PAKISTAN, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE MOSLEM LEAGUE'S CENTRAL COMMITTEE TONIGHT ENDORSED THE PAKISTANI GOVERNMENT'S SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE KOREAN CASE.
A RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE EXPRESSED THE ORGANIZATION'S SYMPATHY WITH THE PEOPLE OF KOREA IN THEIR STRUGGLE TO MAINTAIN THEIR FREEDOM.
"THE ACTION OF NORTH KOREA CONSTITUTES A DIRECT CHALLENGE TO THE AUTHORITY OF THE UNITED NATIONS, WHICH IS THE ORGANIZATION ON THE EFFECTIVE FUNCTIONS OF WHICH DEPENDS THE MAINTENANCE OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND THE SURVIVAL OF CIVILIZATION," THE RESOLUTION SAID.
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BASRA, IRAQ, AUG. 6-(AP)-A TRAVELER ARRIVING FROM CAIRO SAID THE EGYPTIAN NEWSPAPER AKBAR ELYOM ON SATURDAY REPORTED THAT KING FAROUK HAD SECRETLY STRIPPED QUEEN MOTHER NAZLI OF HER TITLE AND ROYAL PREROGATIVES FOR REFUSING TO RETURN HOME FROM AMERICA.
THE EGYPTIAN ROYAL COUNCIL ON JULY 31 PLACED THE ASSETS OF THE QUEEN MOTHER UNDER CUSTODY AND REMOVED HER AS CUSTODIAN OF FORMER PRINCESS FATHIA, KING FAROUK'S SISTER. THE COUNCIL ALSO VOIDED THE MARRIAGE OF THE PRINCESS AND RIAD GHALI, A COPTIC CHRISTIAN COMMONER.
THE PRINCESS AND GHALI WERE MARRIED IN A CIVIL CEREMONY IN SAN FRANCISCO LAST APRIL AND LATER WENT THROUGH A MOSLEM CEREMONY IN AN EFFORT TO OVERCOME FAROUK'S OPPOSITION. THE QUEEN MOTHER TOOK HER DAUGHTER'S SIDE IN THE CONTROVERSY.
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A29
AMS BUDGET
INDONESIAN (420)
JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG. 6-(AP)-FIGHTING FLARED BETWEEN INDONESIAN SOLDIERS AND NATIVE DUTCH ARMY TROOPS IN MACASSAR EARLY TODAY, CAUSING SOME DEATHS. URGENT PLEAS FROM BOTH DUTCH AND INDONESIAN MILITARY COMMANDERS ASKED AN END TO THE "SENSELESS BLOODSHED."
THE SITUATION IN THE SOUTHWESTERN CELEBES PORT IS CONFUSED, INDONESIAN DEFENSE MINISTER SULTAN HAMENGKU BUWONO SAID AFTER AN

EMERGENCY MEETING WITH DUTCH AUTHORITIES HERE TONIGHT.
THE LATEST OUTBREAK ADDED TO THE HEADACHES OF THE FLEDGLING UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA, WHOSE EMERGENCE AS A NEW INDEPENDENT NATION HAS BEEN ACCOMPANIED BY UNREST AND VIOLENCE IN PARTS OF THE RICH ISLAND TERRITORY. IT APPARENTLY WAS SUFFICIENTLY SERIOUS TO CAUSE FEDERAL AUTHORITIES TO SHFT ATTENTION, FOR THE MOMENT, FROM SPREADING REBEL OPERATIONS IN THE AMBOINA AREA, EAST OF THE CELEBES IN THE INDONESIAN ISLAND NECKLACE.
THE DUTCH MILITARY COMMANDER IN INDONESIA, MAJ. GEN. SCHEFFELAER, AND THE COMMANDER OF THE FEDERAL FORCES ENGAGED IN OPERATIONS AGAINST REBELS ON AMBOINA, COL. KAWILARANG, WERE TO FLY TO MACASSAR MONDAY FOR INTERVENTION. THIS DECISION FOLLOWED A CONFERENCE TONIGHT IN THE DEFENSE MINISTER'S HOME OF DUTCH AND INDONESIAN MILITARY AND CIVILIAN OFFICIALS, INCLUDING THE NETHERLANDS HIGH COMMISSIONER, DR. HANS M. HIRSCHFELD.
A PLEA TO BOTH SIDES TO "CEASE HOSTILITIES IN AND AROUND MACASSAR IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT FURTHER SENSELESS BLOODSHED", WAS BROADCAST BY SCHEFFELAAR AND COLONEL SIMATUPANG, CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE INDONESIAN ARMY.
THE CAUSE AND EXTENT OF THE OUTBREAK WAS NOT REPORTED HERE IMMEDIATELY. HAMENGKU BUWONO ACKNOWLEDGED, FOLLOWING THE SUNDAY NIGHT MEETING, THAT THERE HAD BEEN SOME DEATHS IN MACASSAR, BUT THAT DETAILS OR ACCURATE FIGURES WERE NOT YET AVAILABLE.
THOSE INVOLVED IN THE MACASSAR BATTLING, SCENE OF AN ABORTIVE REBELLION LAST APRIL, WERE REPORTED TO BE REGULAR INDONESIAN FEDERAL TROOPS AND MEMBERS OF THE FORMER ROYAL NETHERLANDS INDIES ARMY. THESE LATTER, WHICH NUMBER BETWEEN 2,000 AND 3,000, ARE AWAITING DISCHARGE FROM THE DUTCH ARMY. WITH THEIR FAMILIES, THEY HAD BEEN RESTRICTED TO A SIX CITY-BLOCK AREA IN A RESIDENTIAL AREA OF MACASSAR.
ABOUT 80 PERCENT OF THESE FORCES ARE AUBOINESE.
DURING THE PAST THREE MONTHS, FEDERAL FORCES HAVE BEEN OCCUPIED WITH A REBELLION THAT STARTED ON AUBOINA AND SPREAD TO ADJOINING ISLANDS, INCLUDING CERAM.
LAST APRIL FEDERAL TROOPS WERE LANDED TO PUT DOWN AN UPRISING AT MACASSAR. SURRENDER OF THE REBELS AND OCCUPATION OF THE COASTAL TOWN WITHOUT A FIGHT WAS REPORTED AT THE TIME, BUT MARTIAL LAW WAS IMPOSED WHEN DISTURBANCES CONTINUED.
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(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF MONDAY, AUG.7)
AUSTRALIA-KOREAN
BY BARBARA GORMLY
(ADVANCE)..SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, AUG.6-(AP)-TO MANY AUSTRALIANS, KOREA IS ONE TENTACLE OF A COMMUNIST OCTOPUS REACHING EVER CLOSER TO AUSTRALIAN TERRITORY.
PEOPLE WERE HEARTENED WHEN THEY LEARNED A FIGHTER SQUADRON OF THE AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE WENT INTO ACTION WITH UNITED STATES FORCES EARLY IN THE STRUGGLE.
ABOUT 1,000 YOUTHS A DAY ARE VOLUNTEERING FOR THE SUBSTANTIAL FIGHTING GROUND FORCE WHICH PRIME MINISTER ROBERT GORDON MENZIES TOLD THE AMERICAN CONGRESS LAST WEEK WILL BE SENT TO KOREA "WITHIN AS FEW WEEKS AS POSSIBLE."
FOR MANY MONTHS AUSTRALIANS HAVE BEEN CONCERNED OVER OTHER MOVES OF COMMUNIST EXPANSION, IN MALAYA AND INDOCHINA. AUSTRALIAN AIR MEN WERE DISPATCHED TO FIGHT SIDE BY SIDE WITH THE BRITISH ROYAL AIR FORCE TO STEM THE COMMUNIST THREAT IN MALAYA.
AUSTRALIA IS SENDING A GROUND FORCE NUMBERING 1,000 MEN TO KOREA ALMOST IMMEDIATELY. A LARGER FORCE WILL FOLLOW LATER.
THE AUSTRALIAN DESTROYER BATAAN AND THE FRIGATE SHOALHAVEN ARE IN ACTION WITH THE UNITED NATIONS FLEET IN KOREAN WATERS. ANOTHER DESTROYER, THE WARRAMUNGA, [redacted] SAILS TODAY TO JOIN THEM.
THE RECRUITING OF MEN--MOST OF THEM WORLD WAR II VETERANS--AND THE DISPATCHING OF SHIPS AND PLANES IS ALL HAPPENING WITHOUT MUCH FANFARE. THERE ARE NO PARADES, FLAG-WAVING OR HYSTERIA.
TO THE VAST MAJORITY OF AUSTRALIANS, THE KOREAN CONFLICT IS LIKE A PRELIMINARY BOUT BEFORE THE MAIN EVENT.
THIS CORRESPONDENT QUESTIONED 10 FORMER DIGGERS (AUSTRALIAN EX-SERVICEMEN), ALL OF WHOM HAD FOUGHT MORE THAN FOUR YEARS IN WORLD WAR II.
THEY WERE OF THE SAME OPINION. THEY WERE FED UP WITH WAR, BUT "THE SOONER EVERYONE COMES OUT FIGHTING NOW THE BETTER."
"THEN WE CAN CLEAR THE AIR," DECLARED A YOUNG SYDNEY LAWYER WHO IS ALSO AN OFFICER IN AUSTRALIA'S PART-TIME CITIZEN ARMY. "RIGHT NOW ITS LIKE TRYING TO SLEEP WITH ONE EYE OPEN."
THE PEOPLE OF THIS NATION OF 8,000,000 DO NOT WANT A WAR, BUT THEY ARE CONSCIOUS OF THE FACT THEY ARE SITTING PRACTICALLY ON ASIA'S TOE.
THAT FACT WAS BROUGHT HOME TO THEM BLUNTLY IN THE LAST WAR, WHEN THE JAPANESE THREATENED AUSTRALIA WITH INVASION.
AUSTRALIANS FOR THE MOST PART WENT ALONG WITH THEIR PRIME MINISTER, WHO HAS JUST CONFERRED WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND MILITARY LEADERS IN WASHINGTON OVER THE SIZE OF AUSTRALIAN FORCES IN KOREA. THEY APPROVED HIS WORDS TO THE AMERICAN CONGRESS, WIDELY PRINTED HERE: "WE OF AUSTRALIA ARE PROUD TO CALL OURSELVES YOUR JUNIOR PARTNER IN A GREAT AND CONTINUING ADVENTURE TOWARD HUMAN LIBERTY."

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BUT LIBERTY IS NOT WITHOUT COST. LAST YEAR AUSTRALIA SPENT £40,000,000 ($90,000,000) ON DEFENSE OUT OF A TOTAL BUDGET OF £580,000,000 ($1,305,000,000).
TREASURER ARTHUR FADDEN WILL ANNOUNCE A NEW BUDGET IN SEPTEMBER CALLING FOR HIGHER MILITARY EXPENDITURES.
(END ADVANCE FOR AMS OF MONDAY, AUG.7--MOVED AUG.5)
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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE AUSTRALIAN DESTROYER WARRAMUNGA SAILD FOR KOREAN WATERS TONIGHT WITH 250 OFFICERS AND MEN IN HER COMPANY. THE DESTROYER WILL JOIN THE AUSTRALIAN DESTROYERS BATAAN AND SHOALHAVEN OFF KOREA.
ACTING PRIME MINISTER ARTHUR FADDEN SAID TONIGHT THE DECISION TO SEND GROUND FORCES TO KOREA WAS MADE "LONG BEFORE PRIME MINISTER MENZIES HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS THE DOLLAR POSITION WITH AMERICAN AUTHORITIES."
HE DENIED A STATEMENT OF OPPOSITION LEADER JOSEPH CHIFLEY THAT AUSTRALIA WAS USING HER OFFER OF GROUND TROOPS AS A BARGAINING LEVER TO OBTAIN A DOLLAR LOAN FROM THE UNITED STATES. MENZIES IS IN THE UNITED STATES WHERE HE HAS CONFERRED WITH AMERICAN GOVERNMENT LEADERS.
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MANILA,AUG.6-(AP)-ATTEMPTS TO EXTRACT EXPLOSIVES FROM OLD WORLD WAR TWO ARTILLERY SHELLS AT SOLANO, NORTHEASTERN LUZON, TOUCHED OFF AN EXPLOSION YESTERDAY WHICH DAMAGED HOUSES AND BLEW A 23-YEAR OLD FISHERMAN TO BITS, THE PHILIPPINE CONSTABULARY REPORTED. THE FISHERMAN, APOLONIO PALMA, HAD ONE 155-MILLIMETER SHELL IN HIS HANDS WHEN IT EXPLODED AND CAUSED SEVERAL OTHER SHELLS NEARBY TO DETONATE.
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A35FX
CHINESE (210)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG.6-(AP)-DESTRUCTION OF 30 BIG JUNKS AND MORE THAN 100 SMALLER ONES IN RAIDS ON COMMUNIST SHIPPING NEAR QUEMOY ISLAND WAS ANNOUNCED TONIGHT BY THE CHINESE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE.
IT SAID THE ATTACKS, CARRIED OUT ALL DAY SUNDAY IN FINE WEATHER, WERE DIRECTED AGAINST 800 RED VESSELS ASSEMBLED NEAR QUEMOY, A NATIONALIST OUTPOST ISLAND JUST OFF THE COMMUNIST MAINLAND.
BOTH BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS WITH ROCKETS PARTICIPATED, ALL RETURNING SAFELY DESPITE ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.
THE ATTACKS PRESUMABLY ARE CONSIDERED BY THE UNITED STATES TO FALL WITHIN A DEFENSIVE CATEGORY, THUS ESCAPING PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S BAN ON NATIONALIST ACTION AGAINST THE COMMUNIST MAINLAND.
THE NATIONALISTS SAY QUEMOY IS IMMINENTLY THREATENED WITH RED INVASION. A NATIONALIST SPOKESMAN SATURDAY DENIED SPECULATION THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD RECOMMENDED A NATIONALIST WITHDRAWAL THERE.
MEANWHILE UNCONFIRMED RUMORS, OF UNDETERMINED SOURCE, SPREAD WILDLY THROUGH TAIPEI THAT 300,000 TROOPS OF GEN. CHEN YI'S COMMUNIST ARMY HAD REVOLTED.
CHEN COMMANDS THE RED THIRD FIELD, ARMY, LISTED BY THE COMMUNIST RADIO AS THE FORCE ASSIGNED TO CONQUER FORMOSA.
THE RUMORS GAVE NO DETAILS OF THE REPUTED REVOLT, AND NATIONALIST SOURCES SAID THEY KNEW NOTHING WHATEVERABOUT IT.
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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 6-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALIST WARPLANES TODAY ATTACKED COMMUNIST CRAFT ALONG THE CHINA COAST OPPOSITE FORMOSA IN DAYLONG STRIKES.
AIR HEADQUARTERS SAID MORE THAN 100 CRAFT WERE DESTROYED.
THE CRAFT WERE HIT NEAR QUEMOY, NATIONALIST HELD ISLAND NEAR THE RED PORT OF AMOY, 100 MILES WEST OF FORMOSA.
THERE WERE FRESH REPORTS THAT QUEMOY IS NEXT ON THE COMMUNIST INVASION TIMETABLE.
A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN YESTERDAY DENIED THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR HAI RECOMMENDED A WITHDRAWAL FROM QUEMOY.
JL653APD

AP40FX
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HONG KONG, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER STEEL ROVER WAS FIRED UPON TODAY NEAR THE ENTRANCE TO HONG KONG HARBOR.
GILMAN AND CO., THE AGENTS, SAID THE SHOTS POSSIBLY CAME FROM "SOMETHING A LITTLE BIGGER THAN A RIFLE." FIVE SHOTS WERE FIRED, THE AGENT SAID.
THERE WAS NO MAJOR DAMAGE BUT ONE SHELL DENTED A STEEL PLANE.
THE CAPTAIN REPORTED THE SHOTS CAME EITHER FROM ONE OF TWO JUNKS NEAR THE SHIP OF CHINESE COMMUNIST-HELD LAND ABOUT THREE MILES AWAY.
THE INCIDENT OCCURRED AT 11:30 A.M. (9:30 P.M. EST, SATURDAY) ABOUT EIGHT MILES SOUTH OF WAGLAN ISLAND. THE SHIP WAS ENROUTE TO SAIGON. IT RETURNED TO HONG KONG AND WILL RESUME THE VOYAGE TOMORROW, THE AGENTS SAID.
THE STEEL ROVER STARTED THE TRIP FROM NEW YORK.
JL628APD

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HONG KONG, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE WAH KIU YAT PO, INDEPENDENT CHINESE LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER, REPORTED TODAY WHAT IT CALLED A RUMOR IN TAIPEI, FORMOSA, THAT 300,000 TROOPS OF CHINESE COMMUNIST GENERAL CHEN-YI'S THIRD FIELD ARMY GROUP HAD REVOLTED.
THE NEWSPAPER SAID THERE WAS NO CONFIRMATION.
(IN TAIPEI, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT SPENCER MOOSA SAID THE RUMOR HAD SPREAD THROUGH THE CITY LIKE WILDFIRE, BUT OFFICIAL QUARTERS SAID THEY HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF THE REVOLT).
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HONG KONG, AUG.6-(AP)-FIVE SMALL SHELLS WERE FIRED AT THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER STEEL ROVER TODAY NEAR THE ENTRANCE TO HONG KONG HARBOR.
GILMAN AND CO., AGENTS FOR THE 8,089-TON ISTHMIAN LINE SHIP, SAID SOME SPLINTERS DAMAGED THE HULL SLIGHTLY ABOVE THE WATERLINE BUT REPAIRS WOULD BE UNNECESSARY.
THEY SAID THE SHELLS WERE BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN FIRED FROM TWO NEARBY JUNKS BUT COULD HAVE COME FROM THE CHINESE COMMUNIST MAINLAND ADJOINING THIS BRITISH COLONY.
THE STEEL ROVER, EN ROUTE TO SAIGON, INDOCHINA WITH A CARGO THAT INCLUDED JEEPS AND TRAILERS DESTINED FOR THE FRENCH, PUT BACK INTO HONG KONG BUT WILL RESUME THE VOYAGE MONDAY.
THE INCIDENT OCCURRED ABOUT 11:30 A.M. (9:30 P.M., SATURDAY, EST) EIGHT MILES SOUTH OF WAGLAN ISLAND.
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HIROSHIMA,JAPAN, AUG.6-(AP)-HIROSHIMA WITH SPECIAL RELIGIOUS SERVICES, TODAY MARKET THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF ITS ATOM BOMB BLASTING.
THE COMMEMORATION WAS NOT CALLED A "PEACE FESTIVAL," AS IN PAST YEARS.
CITY AUTHORITIES SAID THEY LEARNED IN ADVANCE THAT JAPANESE COMMUNISTS WERE PLANNING TO LINK THE PEACE FESTIVAL IDEA WITH THE COMMUNISTS' STOCKHOLM PEACE CAMPAIGN. THE OFFICIALS DECIDED TO CALL TODAY'S CEREMONIES SIMPLY MEMORIALS.
SIRENS SOUNDED AT 9:15 A.M., JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME, THE HOUR THE BOMB EXPLODED OVER THE CITY FIVE YEARS AGO.
PEOPLE BOWED THEIR HEADS IN SILENT PRAYER AT THE SOUND OF THE SIRENS. LATER, THEY ATTENDED RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES AND VISITED GRAVES OF ATOM BOMB VICTIMS.
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LOS ANGELES, AUG 6-(AP)-MAYOR SHINSO HAMAI OF HIROSHIMA--ON THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ATOMIC BOMBING OF HIS CITY--TODAY SAID:
"EVERY SANE PERSON HOPES WITH ALL HIS HEART THAT THE ATOM BOMB WILL NOT HAVE TO BE USED IN KOREA. BUT CONDITIONS BEING AS THEY ARE NO ONE CAN PREDICT THE FUTURE.
"THOSE WHO HOPE TO PREVENT WAR BY BANNING THIS OR THAT WEAPON DEAL AT TOO SUPERFICIAL A LEVEL. WE MUST CHANGE THE MOTIVES OF MEN AND NATIONS WHICH MAKE THEM HATE AND FEAR EACH OTHER."
MAYOR HAMAI AND CHOJIRO KURIYAMA, LIBERAL PARTY MEMBER OF THE JAPANESE DIET, TOLD A MORAL RE-ARMAMENT (CAPS M, R-A) GATHERING THAT THE JAPANESE PEOPLE "FULLY ENDORSE THE ACTIONS OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE KOREAN WAR."
THE PAIR HEADED A 52-MAN JAPANESE DELEGATION EN ROUTE HOME FROM THE MORAL RE-ARMAMENT WORLD ASSEMBLY IN CAUX, SWITZERLAND. BOTH PARTICIPATED IN A RADIO NETWORK BROADCAST (CBS) ON WHICH GOV. EARL WARREN SAID: "I AM CERTAIN THAT IN THE WORLDWIDE IDEOLOGICAL STRUGGLE JAPAN AND THE UNITED STATES CAN PLAY A VERY VITAL ROLE TOGETHER."
"THE MILLIONS IN THE FAR EAST," KURIYAMA STRESSED, "MUST BE PRESENTED WITH A PHILOSOPHY AND WAY OF LIFE SO APPEALING THAT TOTALITARIANISM OF RIGHT OR LEFT WILL NOT ATTRACT THEM."
"WE LOOK ESPECIALLY TO
RIGHT OR LEFT WILL NOT ATTRACT THEM.
"WE LOOK ESPECIALLY TO AMERICA, WHICH HAS GIVEN SO GENEROUSLY IN ECONOMIC AND MILITARY AID, TO GIVE US ALSO THE IDEOLOGY WHICH CAN LIBERATE OUR MINDS AND MAKE US STRONG AND FREE."
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A46
MOSCOW, AUG. 6-(AP)-SOVIET NEWSPAPERS OBSERVED "PHYSICAL CULTURE DAY" TODAY BY CALLING FOR MORE SKILL ON THE PART OF RUSSIAN ATHLETES.
PRAVDA, THE OFFICIAL COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER, SAID THAT SOVIET ATHLETES ARE DETERMINED TO GIVE "ALL THEIR STRENGTH TO THE GREAT CAUSE OF BUILDING COMMUNISM."
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Moscow, Aug. 6--(AP)--A major three-column editorial today was intervening in a civil war in Korea and therefore said the the United States was an aggressor in Korea under ~~the~~ international law.

The soviet government newspaper "there is no force in the world which can depict the struggle for liberation of the Korean people, fighting for their national unity, as aggression. Such are the facts. They indisputably constitute that from the point of view of international law the military actions of the united states government toward the korean people are armed aggression."

Going into United States history, Izvestia said the United States had demanded the withdrawal of troops of Napoleon III from Mexico on the ground they were intervening in a Civil war.

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The United States, the newspaper added, always had condemned the interference of foreign states in internal conflicts as "aggression", and even in the most recent history did not intervene openly in the Chinese civil civil war.

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LONDON, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE TEXTS OF TODAY'S NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIQUES, AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HSARD HERE:
MORNING COMMUNIQUE--
ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WAGED BITTER BATTLES WITH UNITS OF THE AMERICAN ARMY.
AMERICAN AIRCRAFT AND NAVAL VESSELS ARE SUBJECTING PEACEFUL TOWNS AND VILLAGES TO BARBAROUS BOMBARDMENT, AND ARTILLERY SHELLING IS DESTROYING SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS, CULTURAL AND EDUCATIONAL

INSTITUTIONS AND HOUSES.
ON AUG. 5 AN AMERICAN NAVAL VESSEL ATTEMPTED TO SHELL AN ISLAND OFF THE WESTERN COAST BUT WAS DRIVEN OFF BY THE FIRE OF COASTAL BATTERIES OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY.
ON AUG. 5 AMERICAN BOMBERS MADE A RAID ON THE TOWN OF NAMPHO. ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY FIRE OF THE PEOLPE'S ARMY SHOT DOWN THREE ENEMY PLANES.
ON THE SAME DAY, FOUR AMERICAN PLANES MADE A RAID ON THE TOWN OF HAEJU. THE ENEMY PLANES, HOWEVER, WERE DRIVEN OFF BY ANTIAIRCRAFT WITHOUT REACHING THEIR TARGET.
THE EVENING COMMUNIQUE--
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, OVERCOMING THE STUBBORN RESISTANCE OF AMERICAN TROOPS WHO TOOK ADVANTAGE OF A NATURAL BARRIER, BROKE THROUGH THE AMERICAN DEFENSE LINE ON THE NAKTONG RIVER AND, PURSUING THE RETREATING ANEMY, ARE CONTINUING THEIR OFFENSIVE.
ON THE EAST COAST, TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, BEATING OFF SEVERAL COUNTERATTACKS OF AMERICAN TANK AND INFANTRY UNITS, CONTINUE TO WAGE BITTER OFFENSIVE BATTLES.
IN THE FIGHTING ON THE EAST COAST, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY TOOK OVER 40 AMERICAN SOLDIERS PRISONER. BOOTY HAS BEEN CAPTURED.
(END TEXTS)
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TOKYO, AUG.6-(AP)-THE TEXT OF U.S.EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO.23, ISSUED TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:
THERE WERE ONLY TWO AREAS WHERE ACTION OF ANY CONSEQUENCE WAS REPORTED DURING THE DAY.
IN THE 24TH DIVISION AREA THERE WERE SOME REPORTED CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. ALL THESE PATROLS WERE BEING CONTAINED AND DRIVEN BACK TOWARD THE RIVER.
THE AREA SOUTHEAST OF HAMCHANG CONTINUES TO SHOW THAT THE ENEMY IS INCREASING HIS STRENGTH ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER. THERE HAS BEEN NO ATTACK REPORTED AS YET ALTHOUGH REPORTS SHOW THAT THE ENEMY IS MOVING INFANTRY AND VEHICLES INTO THE AREA WHERE THE NAKTONG RIVER BENDS TO THE EAST.
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TOKYO, AUG.6-(AP)-THE TEXT OF A NAVY RELEASE, NO.213, ISSUED AT 5 P.M. (2 A.M., EST) TODAY:
TASK FORCE 77 DOUBLED THE SIZE OF ITS JETPROPELLED PUNCH WHEN TWO 20,000 TON ESSEX CLASS CARRIERS WENT INTO ACTION IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR OF SOUTH KOREA YESTERDAY. THE ONE U.S.NAVY CARRIER ON DUTY WITH THE SEVENTH FLEET WAS RECENTLY JOINED BY A SISTER SHIP FLYING THE FLAG OF REAR ADM E.C.EWEN.
THE AIR GROUPS OF THE TWO CARRIERS, CONSISTING OF PANTHER JET FIGHTERS, SKYRAIDER ATTACK BOMBERS AND CORSAIR FIGHTERS, BLASTED A WIDE VARIETY OF TARGETS IN CHINJU AND IN THE AREA WEST AND SOUTH OF THAT TOWN.
THE SPAN OF ONE BRIDGE WAS KNOCKED OUT, HITS WERE MADE ON ANOTHER WITH FOUR 500 POUND BOMBS AND ON A THIRD BRIDGE BY THREE 500 POUND BOMBS. CAMOUFLAGED TARGETS IN A VILLAGE NEAR CHINJU WERE HIT, STARTING LARGE FIRES. TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN SECHON WERE STRAFED AND CAMOUFLAGED STORES NEAR KURYONG WERE SET AFIRE.
CHINJU ITSELF WAS HIT BY BOMBS AND ROCKETS, CAUSING AN UNDETERMINED AMOUNT OF DAMAGE. AN AUTOMOTIVE SHOP IN KURYONG AND A LARGE BUILDING IN A VILLAGE TO THE SOUTH OF THAT TOWN WERE DESTROYED.
A POWER PLANT ONE MILE SOUTH OF IRI WAS BLOWN UP BY ROCKET FIRE AND A FACTORY TWO MILES NORTHWEST OF MANGYONG WAS DAMAGED.
TRUCKS AND BUILDINGS WEST OF KWANGJU WERE STRAFED, AS WAS AN ADMINISTRATION BUILDING NORTH OF KUSAN. FIFTEEN TO 20 JUNKS IN THE YANGSAN RIVER AND ALONG THE WEST COAST WERE STRAFED. ONE JUNK AND ONE SAMPAN WEST OF KUMJEX WERE SUNK. RETURNING PILOTS REPORTED CONSIDERABLE SMALL BOAT TRAFFIC IN THIS GENERAL AREA.
IN THE ATTACK ON ONE OF THE BRIDGES LIGHT ANTIARCRAFT FIRE WAS ENCOUNTERED, ACCORDING TO A PILOT. IN A SECOND RUN ON THE BRIDGE THE ANTIAIRCRAFT POSITIONS WERE STRAFED, RESULTING IN SEVERAL LARGE EXPLOSIONS.
TASK FORCE 77 IS PART OF THE SEVENTH FLEET, UNDER THE OVERALL COMMAND OF VICE ADMIRAL ARTHUR D.STRUBLE.
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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG.7-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.214 ISSUED TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 12:20 A.M. (9:20 A.M. SUNDAY EST):
THE COMMUNIST FORCES CONTINUED AGGRESSIVE SMALL-UNITS ATTACKS AND INFILTRATION TACTICS OVER THE ENTIRE FRONT. THESE, COUPLED WITH AN INITIAL RIVER CROSSING FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG AND THE BUILDUP IN THE SOUTH AND CENTER SECTORS, ARE FURTHER INDICATIONS THAT ENEMY FORCES STILL ARE ATTEMPTING TO SEVER THE TAEGU-PUSAN LINES OF COMMUNICATION. THE POSSIBILITY OF PENETRATION FROM THE NORTH STILL EXISTS.
THE RIVER CROSSING FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG WAS MADE IN THE WEST BEND OF THE RIVER. THE ESTIMATED STRENGTH OF THIS CROSSING FORCE WAS ABOUT ONE BATTALION AND ARE NOW BEING ENGAGED BY FRIENDLY TROOPS.
THE FIGHTING IN THE CHINJU AREA WAS DESCRIBED AS "PROBING" ON THE PART OF THE ENEMY. ENEMY TROOPS ATTEMPTING TO INFILTRATE FRIENDLY LINES WERE REPUBLSED. THE BATTLE LINE WAS STILL LOCATED 11 MILES EAST AND 17 MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU.
ENEMY PRESSURE SOUTH OF ANDONG WAS REPORTED AS HEAVY. FIGHTING CONTINUED HEAVY AT YONGDOK AND POSITIONS REMAINED UNCHANGED.
(END TEXT)
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TOKYO,MONDAY,AUG.7-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 215, TIMED AT 1:55 P.M. (10:55 P.M. SUNDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):
JUMPING OFF AT 6:30 A.M. (3:30 P.M. SUNDAY, EST) U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES LAUNCHED AN OFFENSIVE TODAY ON THE EXTREME SOUTH OF THE LINE. MARINE ELEMENTS OF THE FORCE ARE MEETING THE ENEMY FOR THE FIRST TIME. AT NOON THE OFFENSIVE, HEAVILY SUPPORTED BY AIR, WAS REPORTED "PROGRESSING ON SCHEDULE" WEST OF CHUNGAN.
IN THE CENTER OF THE WESTERN PORTION OF THE LINE, THE RED INVADER

SUCCEEDED IN PUTTING A FORCE ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER SOUTH OF PUGONG. THIS FORCE WAS QUICKLY CONTAINED BY ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 34TH AND 19TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS. FURTHER NORTH, THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) 17TH REGIMENT WIPED OUT A POCKET OF 100 ENEMY WHO HAD SLIPPED ACROSS THE RIVER.

IN THE NORTHERN SECTOR ROK TROOPS WERE ENGAGED IN HEAVY PATROLLING ACTIONS THROUGHOUT THE DAY. ELEMENTS OF THE CAPITOL DIVISION, SURROUNDED BY THE ENEMY IN THE EARLY AFTERNOON, WERE RELIEVED BY THE SUCCESS OF A COUNTERATTACK LATER IN THE DAY WHICH RESTORED THE LINE TO ITS FORMER POSITION. THE ROK 8TH DIVISION REPULSED TWO PROBING ATTACKS WITH HEAVY LOSSES TO THE COMMUNISTS.

ON ANOTHER PORTION OF THE LINE, THE ROK 1ST DIVISION SUCCESSFULLY DEFENDED AGAINST AN ENEMY THRUST. ATTACKS AGAINST THE ROK 6TH DIVISION IN THE VICINITY OF YANGGI-DONG WERE FOLLOWED BY A SUCCESSFUL COUNTER-ATTACK. THE ROK 3RD DIVISION CONTINUED TO CONSOLIDATE ITS POSITION NORTH OF YONGDOK.

FIGHTER AIRCRAFT OF THE 5TH AIR FORCE REPORTED DESTROYING 6 AIRCRAFT ON THE GROUND AT PYONGYANG, A FREIGHTER IN YOSU HARBOR, 7 TRUCKS, AND 2 WAREHOUSES. RAAF MUSTANGS ALSO REPORTED DESTROYING AND DAMAGING A NUMBER OF TRUCKS AND BUILDINGS. B-26S BOMBED A KEY RAILROAD BRIDGE AT CHOCHINWON TO FURTHER HAMPER THE ENEMY'S SUPPLY SYSTEM.

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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 213, TIMED AT 2:15 P.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (11:15 P.M., EST, SUNDAY), COVERING THE PERIOD FROM MIDNIGHT SATURDAY TO MIDNIGHT SUNDAY), FOLLOWS:

UNITED STATES FAR EAST AIR FORCES FIGHTER AIRPLANES STRUCK NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL ON AUG. 6, DESTROYING NINE NORTH KOREAN COMBAT AIRCRAFT ON THE GROUND AT AIRFIELDS NEAR PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL, AND NAMCHON, 47 MILES TO THE SOUTHWEST.

F-51 FIGHTERS ASSIGNED TO THE FIFTH AIR FORCE CARRIED OUT THEIR SECOND SUCCESSFUL SERIES OF STRIKES AT NORTH KOREAN AIR TARGETS IN TWO DAYS. SEVEN SINGLE-ENGINE FIGHTERS OF TWO TYPES WERE DESTROYED AT PYONGYANG ALONG WITH A TWIN-ENGINE AIRCRAFT IDENTIFIED AS AN IL-4. ANOTHER SINGLE-ENGINE FIGHTER WAS DESTROYED AT NAMCHON.

FOUR NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT WERE REPORTED DAMAGED IN THE PYONGYANG ATTACK AND THREE MORE WERE HIT BUT NOT CLAIMED AS DESTROYED IN A STRAFING MISSION FLOWN TO KIMPO AIRFIELD NEAR SEOUL.

THE F-51S FIRED FUEL STORAGE FACILITIES AND DAMAGED A WAREHOUSE AND RAIL LINES AT PYONGYANG. THEY ALSO HIT AND DAMAGED A POWER STATION AT SARIWON, 33, MILES SOUTH OF PYONGYANG, AND A SUPPLY DUMP AT CHUKCHON, 18 MILES SOUTHWEST OF WONSAN.

FLYING WEATHER WAS REPORTED AS BEING GOOD TO EXCELLENT IN MOST SECTORS AND MORE THAN 530 SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY FAR EAST AIR FORCES AIRCRAFT DURING THE DAY.

FAR EAST AIR FORCES COMMAND SUPERFORTRESSES CONTINUED A PLANNED INTERDICTION PROGRAM AIMED AT CUTTING OFF NORTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES FROM THEIR SOURCES OF SUPPLY THROUGH THE SYSTEMATIC DESTRUCTION OF BRIDGES AND OTHER KEY INSTALLATIONS IN THE TRANSPORTATION NET.

THE SUPERFORTS DESTROYED TWO SPANS OF A RAILROAD BRIDGE 20 MILES NORTHWEST OF SUNCHON AND REPORTED PART OF ONE SPAN OF ANOTHER RAILROAD BRIDGE OUT AT MUNSAN, 20 MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL.

TWO ADDITIONAL RAILROAD BRIDGES WERE HIT AND DAMAGED, ONE NEAR MUNSAN AND THE OTHER 10 MILES NORTH OF SARIWON. HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD JUNCTIONS WERE BOMBED 12 MILES SOUTH OF CHORWON AND 11 MILES SOUTH OF SARIWON.

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS AND F-82 ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLYING NIGHT INTRUDER BOMBING AND STRAFING MISSIONS STRUCK AT SEVERAL MILITARY AND TRANSPORT OPERATIONS BEHIND NORTH KOREAN LINES.

KLIRES WERE STARTED BY B-26S IN TARGET AREAS AT CHINJU, SACHON, KUMSAN, TAEJON, CHONJU AND CHOCHIWON. THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT TAEJON WERE BOMBED AND STRAFED AND VEHICULAR CONVOYS HIT AT CHONAN, KANGJIN AND OTHER TOWNS ON ROUTES USED TO MOVE SUPPLIES TO THE BATTLE ZONES.

THE F-82'S CONCENTRATED THEIR ATTACKS IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR. TRUCKS WERE DAMAGED AND FIRES STARTED AT YOSU AND HADONG.

DAYLIGHT B-26 ATTACKS WERE MADE IN THE CHINJU-KWANGJU-KUMCHON-TAEJON-CHONGJU AND CHOCHIWON AREAS WITH GOOD RESULTS. THE LIGHT BOMBERS HIT AND DAMAGED BRIDGES AT CHOCHIWON AND 10 MILES NORTH OF TAEJON. FIRES WERE STARTED OR DAMAGE OBSERVED AFTER STRIKES AT OTHER TARGETS.

FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80 JETS AND F-51S FLEW NEARLY 400 SORTIES IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES FIGHTING ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.

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THE FIGHTERS WORKED IN CLOSE COOPERATION WITH GROUND UNITS UNDER THE DIRECTION OF AIRFORCE GROUND CONTROL TEAMS AT GROUND POSITIONS OR FLYING SPOTTING MISSIONS OVER THE BATTLEFRONT IN T-6 TRAINING AIRPLANES.

TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE STRAFED AT HAMCHANG, KUMCHON AND SANJU AND THREE AMMUNITION TRUCKS WERE DESTROYED AT POKSONG-DONG, 4 MILES NORTH OF KEGWAN. NUMEROUS TANKS, TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES WERE ATTACKED AND DAMAGED IN FRONT LINE POSITIONS WEST OF THE NAKTONG.

IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR, FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS CLAIMED THE DESTRUCTION OF A SMALL FREIGHTER, TWO WAREHOUSES AND A POWER STATION AT YOSU, A BRIDGE AT HADONG AND THREE 50-FOOT FISHING BOATS NEAR HADONG.

THREE BARGES ESTIMATED TO BE 100 FEET LONG WERE REPORTED DAMAGED NEAR CHINJU AND TWO OTHER SMALL BOATS WERE DESTROYED AT MARYANG-NI 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF KUNSAN.

RAAF MUSTANGS SCORED SUCCESSFULLY IN ATTACKS ON THE TAEJON, CHINJU AND ANDONG AREAS. THE AUSTRALIAN PILOTS REPORTED DAMAGE TO A TRANSFORMER STATION AT CHINJU AND TWO RAIL TUNNELS NEAR TAEJON, IN ADDITION TO TRUCKS, BUILDINGS, RAILROAD ROLLING STOCK AND TROOP COLUMNS IN SEVERAL DISTRICTS.

VEHICULAR AND GROUND TARGETS, BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK BY FIFTH AIR FORCE AND RAAF FIGHTERS DURING THE DAY, INCLUDED 52 VEHICLES OF ALL TYPES. 18 LOCOMOTIVES AND 18 RAILROAD CARS.

FIFTH AIR FORCE CARGO AIRPLANES TRANSPORTED MORE THAN 82 TONS OF MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT NEEDED BY AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES IN KOREA DURING THE DAY.

TWO F-51 FIGHTERS WERE LOST IN THE COURSE OF THE DAY'S OPERATIONS, BOTH CRASHING BEHIND NORTH KOREAN LINES. BOTH LOSSES WERE BELIEVED CAUSED BY GROUND FIRE.

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SECOND LEAD AIR NAVAL (WHICH MAKE KOREAN AERIAL) (300)

TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG 7-(AP)-AMERICAN F-51 MUSTANGS AND F-80 JETS STRAFED AND ROCKET-BOMBED COMMUNIST POSITIONS TODAY IN AIR SUPPORT OF THE BIG U.S. GROUND ATTACK IN THE SOUTHERN TIP OF KOREA.

THE AMERICAN PLANES DIVED OUT OF CLEAR SKIES AND BLASTED AWAY AT

ENEMY TARGETS ON THE BLAZING BATTLEFRONT.

IN A SURPRISE ATTACK SUNDAY IN NORTHERN KOREA, MUSTANGS DESTROYED NINE RED PLANES. TWO MUSTANGS WERE LOST IN THE DAY'S OPERATIONS. ONE WAS SHOT DOWN BY ENEMY GROUND FIRE. BOTH PILOTS WERE MISSING.

OTHER ALLIED AIR RAIDS SATURDAY AND SUNDAY INCLUDED CARRIER-BASED ATTACKS ON RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SUPPLY LINES IN SOUTH KOREA ANI ASSAULTS BY MARINE FIGHTERS AND BRITISH NAVAL GUNS ON TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA.

THE MUSTANGS DAMAGED SEVEN OTHER PLANES IN SUNDAY'S SURPRISE ATTACK. EIGHT OTHERS WERE PUT OUT OF ACTION SUNDAY AT A FIELD NEAR THE RED CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG. SIX OF THEM WERE LA-TYPE FIGHTERS, ONE WAS A YAK AND THE OTHER A TWIN-ENGINE BOMBER.

IT WAS THE SECOND CONSECUTIVE DAY THAT RED PLANES WERE CAUGHT ON THE GROUND. MUSTANGS SATURDAY DESTROYED NINE RED AIRCRAFT AND DAMAGED FIVE IN A STRIKE AT KIMPO, JUST SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL NEAR SEOUL, FALLEN SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

NINE OTHERS WERE LISTED AS "PROBABLY" HIT IN THE SATURDAY STRIKE.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW 521 SORTIES SUNDAY, AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID. ELEVEN LOCOMOTIVES WERE DESTROYED AND SIX DAMAGED. ONE TANK WAS REPORTED DESTROYED AND FOUR OTHERS DAMAGED.

THE MUSTANGS WERE CALLED TO STRAFE THE WOODS WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, SOUTHWEST OF CHONGYANG, WHERE THE REDS WERE MAKING A CROSSING WITH AN ESTIMATED 800 TROOPS.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE SAID ONE "WOOD CHOPPING" STRIKE FLUSHED 200 TROOPS AND ANOTHER BLEW UP A FUEL OR AMMUNITION DUMP CONCEALED IN THE WOODS.

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THE U.S.CARRIER-BASED PLANES THAT STRUCK TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS LINES IN SOUTH KOREA SUNDAY FLEW 212 SORTIES, GIVING AIR SUPPORT TO U.S.GROUND TROOPS.

YESTERDAY U.S. MARINE FIGHTER PILOTS AND BRITISH NAVAL GUNS BLASTED INCHON, ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA "WITH GOOD RESULTS."

IN TODAY'S ATTACKS, THE NAVY PLANES HIT RED TROOPS AT CHINJU, CHUNGAN, TANSONG, HAWON, SAJONG AND PASSANGDONG. THEY DAMAGED FIVE RAILROADS, FOUR HIGHWAY BRIDGES AND BLASTED AWAY AT 20 RAILROAD CARS.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT MILTON MARMOR WITH THE FLEET SAID OTHER TARGETS INCLUDED RAIL YARDS AND ROUNDHOUSES. FOUR JUNKS WERE SUNK AND 15 DAMAGED. TWO POWER STATIONS AND SEVEN TRANSFORMERS WERE REPORTED HIT.

TWO ENEMY TANKS WERE STRAFED ON HIGHWAYS.

THE ATTACK ON INCHON YESTERDAY LASTED TWO HOURS. THE GUNS OF FOUR BRITISH SHIPS--TWO CRUISERS AND TWO DESTROYERS--POUNDED BARRACKS, OIL STORAGE TANKS, FACTORIES, GUN EMPLACEMENTS, RAILWAY STATION, AN ELECTRI LIGHT PLANT AND A TRANSFORMER STATION.

IT WAS THE LARGEST SINGLE ALL-BRITISH NAVAL ACTION OF THE WAR. IN THE PAST, BRITISH WARSHIPS HAVE DUELLED WITH RED SHORE GUNS AND MAINTAINED A STEADY PATROL ALONG THE KOREAN COAST.

THE ASSAULT WAS DESIGNED TO REDUCE INCHON'S USE AS A STAGING AREA FOR COMMUNIST TROOP REINFORCEMENTS ALONG THE WEST COAST.

U.S.CARRIER-BASED MARINE PLANES FLEW COVER FOR THE ATTACK. NEITHER THE SHIPS NOR THE PLANES DREW ANY ENEMY FIRE.

AFTER FLYING COVER FOR THE BRITISH COMBARDMENT, THREE FAST MARINE CORSAIRS SWEPT LOW OVER THE COAST TOWN -WHICH SERVES AS PORT FOR THE FALLEN SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF SEOUL-AND SPOTTED SOME UNTOUCHED TARGETS THEY RETURNED TO THEIR SHIP FOR FUEL AND PERMISSION TO FLY BACK TO INCHON. THEY GOT BOTH. OVER INCHON AGAIN, THEY BOMBED A TANK AND TRUCK ASSEMBLY PLANT THAT HAD ESCAPED NAVAL SHELLFIRE.

THE PILOTS REPORTED LATER THEY DEMOLISHED THE PLANT AND KNOCKED OUT SIX LARGE TANKS THAT BORE AMERICAN MARKINGS, AND A SCORE OF TRUCKS.

ON ANOTHER RUN OVER THE TOWN, ONE OF THE PILOTS RAKED A CAMOUFLAGED TANKER WITH 20 MILLIMETER FIRE. IT EXPLODED WITH A BLAST THAT ALMOST TOSSED HIS CORSAIR OUT OF CONTROL. THE WINGS AND FUSELAGE OF THE PLANE WERE DENTED BY DEBRIS.

A RELEASE FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS CALLED THE MARINE AIR STRIKE "AN OLD-FASHIONED SATURDAY HOUSE CLEANING."

IN ADDITION TO THE SCORE OF THE LEATHERNECK TRIO WHICH PAID THE RETURN CALL TO INCHON, THE RELEASE LISTED THIS DAMAGE FOR OTHER MARINE FIGHTERS ACTIVE IN THE SUWON-INCHON-SEOUL AREA:

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BULLETIN:

TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG 7-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID AN AMERICAN DRIVE ON THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA TODAY IS "PROGRESSING ON SCHEDULE."

THEIR PROBING FORCES ARE JABBING INTO AMERICAN LINES IN STRENGTH NORTH OF THE CHUNGAM FIGHTING.

TWICE THEY CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE SOUTHEAST OF HYOPCHON AT PINGONG AND NINAM. THIS IS AT THE BIG BEND IN THE RIVER ABOUT TEN MILES ABOVE THE FIGHTING IN THE FAR SOUTH.

THE FIRST CROSSING WAS WIPED OUT BY AN AMERICAN COUNTER-ATTACK. THE SECOND PUT TWO BATTALIONS ON THE EAST (AMERICAN) BANK OF THE RIVER AND THESE HAVE BEEN "CONTAINED," BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID. THEY EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT THESE RED FORCES SUCCEEDED IN GETTING TANKS ACROSS.

NO INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE HERE ON A FURTHER INCREASE IN ENEMY INFANTRY STRENGTH.

THE 34TH AND 19TH AMERICAN REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS WERE ENGAGED IN THESE ACTIONS.

THE REDS WERE USING BIG POWER VESSELS ON THE NAKTONG, A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID. HE SAID FOUR 100-FOOT VESSELS WERE ATTACKED BY CARRIER BASED PLANES AND TWO LEFT BURNING. A LARGE NUMBER OF JUNKS WERE STRAFED.

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THE ENEMY WAS "ACTIVE EVERYWHERE" ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER AND ALONG THE SOUTH KOREAN-HELD FRONT EAST OF AMERICAN FORCES, INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID.

RADIO PYONGYANG ASSERTED IN A RED BROADCAST FROM THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL THAT THE COMMUNIST "OFFENSIVE" HAS BREACHED AMERICAN LINES AND TAKEN 40 PRISONERS AND SEIZED A LARGE AMOUNT OF WAR MATERIEL.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID IT HAD NO INFORMATION TO SUBSTANTIATE THESE CLAIMS, AND SAID THEY SHOULD BE REGARDED AS PROPAGANDA.

HEAVY ACTION ALSO WAS REPORTED 15 MILES EAST OF KUMCHON. KUMCHON IS ABOUT 30 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE BRIEFING OFFICER SAID THE "ENEMY IS TRYING HARD TO REGAIN THE INITIATIVE IN A PUSH TOWARD TAEGU."

FIVE MILES NORTHEAST OF SANGJU BARGES WERE SIGHTED ON THE NAKTONG RIVER AND AIR OBSERVERS SPOTTED COMMUNIST ARTILLERY GETTING INTO POSITION. SANGJU IS 20 MILES NORTH OF KUMCHON.

THE ENEMY WAS MOVING LARGE REINFORCEMENTS INTO THIS AREA.

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ALONG THE NORTHERN FRONT, THE EIGHTH AND FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS BEAT OFF PROBING ATTACKS. ONE UNIT OF THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION WAS SURROUNDED BY THE REDS. A QUICK COUNTERATTACK RELIEVED THE UNIT AND RESTORED THE LINE.

THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION WAS REPORTED CONSOLIDATING ITS POSITION NORTH OF YONGDOK, SHELL-FLATTENED NORTHEASTERN ANCHOR OF THE ALLIED LINE.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS WERE CREDITED WITH DESTROYING A FREIGHTER

OF UNSTATED SIZE. -29 SUPERFORTS WERE OUT "IN FORCE" MONDAY HITTI
UNSPECIFIED INDUSTRIAL TARGETS. AN AIR SPOKESMAN SAID THE MISSIONS
HAD NOT BEEN COMPLETED AT THE TIME HE SPOKE.
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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 7-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY REDS CROSSING THE NAKTONG RIVER AND THE BUILDING OF CONCENTRATIONS IN THE SOUTH AND CENTRAL SECTORS "ARE FURTHER INDICATIONS THAT ENEMY FORCES STILL ARE ATTEMPTING TO SEVER THE TAEGU-PUSAN LINES OF COMMUNICATION" IN SOUTHEAST KOREA.
THE HEADQUARTERS WAR SUMMARY ISSUED AT 12:20 A.M. MONDAY (9:20 A.M., SUNDAY, EST) ANNOUNCED THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS HAVE CONTINUED AGGRESSIVE SMALL-UNIT ATTACKS AND INFILTRATION TACTICS ALONG THE ENTIRE FRONT.
IT ADDED THAT "THE POSSIBILITY OF PENETRATION FROM THE NORTH STILL EXISTS."
THE RED CROSSINGS OF THE NAKTONG WERE PLACED IN THE SUMMARY AT FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGYONG, WHERE THE RIVER MAKES A BEND.
"THE ESTIMATED STRENGTH OF THIS CROSSING FORCE WAS ABOUT ONE BATTALION AND ARE NOW BEING ENGAGED BY FRIENDLY (PRESUMABLY SOUTH KOREAN) TROOPS," THE RELEASE SAID.
FIGHTING IN THE CHINJU AREA WAS DESCRIBED AS A PROBING EFFORT BY THE NORTH KOREANS. "ENEMY TROOPS ATTEMPTING TO INFILTRATE FRIENDLY LINES WERE REPULSED," IT SAID.
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KOREAN.
TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG 7-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO TODAY ASSERTED RED TROOPS HAVE CAPTURED KUNWI, ONLY 25 AIR MILES NORTH OF THE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU.
THERE WAS NO CONFIRMATION OF THIS CLAIM NOR OF THE RED PYONGYANG RADIO'S ASSERTION THAT CHONGSONG, 17 MILES WEST OF THE EAST COAST TOWN OF YONGDOK, ALSO HAD FALLEN.
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MARINE AIR SEPARATE
TOKYO, AUG.6-(AP)-MAJ.KENNETH L.REUSSER OF SANTA ANA, CALIF., LED TWO XLYING MARINE MATES SATURDAY IN LOW-LEVEL ASSAULTS THAT DESTROYED W KOREAN COMMUNIST TANK ASSEMBLY PLANT AND EXPLODED AN OIL TANKER.
THE ATTACKS WERE MADE ON INCHON, THE PORT FOR SEOUL, FALLEN CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA. MARINE CORSAIR FIGHTERS RAKED THE AREA AFTER A TWO-HOUR BOMBARDMENT BY TWO BRITISH CRUISERS AND TWO BRITISH DESTROYERS.
REUSSER, SON OF THE REV. AND MRS.FRED C.REUSSER OF PORTLAND, ORE., LED THE MARINES WHO HAD THE BIGGEST DAY. WITH HIM WERE CAPT.CHARLES D. GARBER, TACOMA PARK, MD., AND ORANGE, CALIF., AND FIRST LT.ROBERT MINNICK, BALTIMORE, MD.
AFTER FLYING COVER FOR THE BRITISH BOMBARDMENT, REUSSER DROPPED DOWN [illegible] ESCAPED THE TO TAKE A LOOK AT A LARGE DOUBLE-WINGED FACTORY WHICH HAD ESCAPED THE NAVAL GUNS.
REUSSER, FORMER UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA FOOTBALL AND WRESTLING STAR WHO WON THE NAVY CROSS AND DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS FOR ACTION AT GUADALCANAL AND OKINAWA, SAW THE FACTORY WAS A TANK AND TRUCK ASSEMBLY PLANT. A NAVAL HEADQUARTERS RELEASED CONTINUED:
"LEADING HIS FLIGHT BACK TO THE CARRIER TO REPORT AND REARM, HE WAS GIVEN PERMISSION TO RETURN TO INCHON. THE ENEMY, NOT ANTICIPATING A REVISIT, HAD FAILED TO EMPLY THE PLANT OF ITS MOVEABLE ROLLING STOCK AND SIX LARGE TANKS, SIGNIFICANTLY BEARING THE UNITED STATES ARMY IDENTIFICATION MARKING, AND A SCORE OF TRUCKS WERE IN THE COURTYARD.
"THREE NAPALM BOMBS AND A BURST OF ROCKETS AFFECTED THE TOTAL DESTRUCTION OF THE TANKS, TRUCKS, FACTORY AND CONTENTS.
"LEAVING THE AREA AT AN ALTITUDE OF 50 FEET, REUSSER SAW THAT WHAT HAD APPEARED FROM THE GREATER HEIGHT TO BE A PIER EXTENSION WAS IN REALITY A TANKER CLEVERLY CAMOUFLAGED.
HIS ROCKETS AND BOMBS EXPENDED, REUSSER RAKED THE HULL OF THE VESSEL WITH HIS 20-MILLIMETER GUNS AND THE TANKER DISINTEGRATED WITH A BLAST THAT TOSSED THE NAVY CORSAIR ALMOST OUT OF CONTROL, DENTING THE WINGS AND FUSELAGE WITH DEBRIS."
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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 7-(AP)-AMERICAN FORCES--MARINES AND ARMY--LOOSED THEIR FIRST OFFENSIVE OF THE KOREAN WAR TODAY. THEY DROVE A WEDGE INTO THE NORTH KOREAN LINES, BEATING THE REDS TO THE PUNCH ON THE CRUCIAL SOUTHERN FRONT.
WITH BIG GENERAL PERSHING TANKS AND COMBINED AIR FORCE-NAVY-MARINE AERIAL SUPPORT THE AMERICANS PUT THEIR BIGGEST ATTACK IN MOTION TOWARD CHINJU. CHINJU IS 55 AIR MILES WEST OF THE VITAL UNITED NATIONS SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD, WITH THE ATTACKERS, SAID THEY QUICKLY RAN INTO A COMMUNIST COUNTERATTACK. BUT A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE DRIVE WAS "PROGRESSING ON SCHEDULE."
FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE WAR HEADQUARTERS USED THE WORD "OFFENSIVE." THE SPOKESMAN EMPHASIZED:
"THERE IS NO MORE THOUGHT OF RESTORING A LINE. THIS IS AN OFFENSIVE."

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THE AMERICAN FORCE--WITH SOME SOUTH KOREAN "COMMANDO UNITS"--WAS PUSHING WEST ON A FRONT WHERE THE REDS HAD MASSED FOUR DIVISIONS FOR A POWER DRIVE EASTWARD TOWARD ALL-IMPORTANT PUSAN.
THE AMERICAN THRUST WAS PERHAPS IN THE STRENGTH OF 6,000 MEN--ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE, THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE ARMY'S 25TH DIVISION AND THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII.
EXCEPT IN THE FLAMING SOUTHWEST, WHICH HAS BEEN CALLED THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR, THE NORTH KOREANS WERE BUILDING UP ALL ALONG THE SHRUNKEN PERIMETER OF THE U.N.BEACHHEAD.
JUST TO THE NORTH OF THE WESTWARD DRIVING AMERICANS, THE REDS MADE TWO CROSSINGS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, THE DEFENSE BARRIER ALONG MUCH OF THE FRONT. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED ONE GROUP WAS WIPED OUT, THE OTHER "CONTAINED."
THE CROSSINGS WERE MADE IN 100-FOOT POWER BOATS.
HOW MANY MEN THE REDS GOT ACROSS IN THIS SECTOR. DEFENDED BY

THE U.S.24TH INFANTRY DIVISION, WAS NOT DISCLOSED. BUT ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING WITH THE 24TH SAID TWO POCKETS OF ABOUT 100 REDS EACH WERE ALL THAT REMAINED OF 800 WHO CROSSED EARLIER, AFTER AN ALL-DAY BATTLE SUNDAY.

STILL FARTHER NORTH ON THE WESTERN FRONT, AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WAS BEING HAMMERED BY COMMUNIST ARTILLER BUT NO RIVER CROSSINGS WERE REPORTED.

ON THE NORTHERN FRONT, THE REDS WERE PROBING POSITIONS HELD BY THE SOUTH KOREANS. THE SPOKESMAN AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE "TRYING HARD TO REGAIN THE INITIATIVE IN THEIR PUSH TOWARD TAEGU."

TAEGU IS THE COMMUNICATIONS HUB 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO AT PYONGYANG ASSERTED THE REDS HAD CAPTURE NWI, DEEP IN U.N.TERRITORY ONLY 25 AIR MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. BUT IS FOUND NO SUPPORT FROM ANY OTHER SOURCE.

THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT--THE FIRST NFANTRY COMBAT OF THE WAR FOR THE MARINES--WAS GETTING WHAT THE MACARTHUR HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN DESCRIBED AS POWERFUL AIR SUPPORT.

THIS FOLLOWED SUNDAY'S BIG DAY WHEN THE AIR FORCE THREW 530 SORTIES AT THE REDS AND CARRIER-BASED NAVY AND MARINE AIRCRAFT FLEW A RECORD 212 SORTIES OF THEIR OWN.

FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS WORKED OVER RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SUPPLY LINES ALONG THE BATTLEFRONT WHILE SUPERFORTRESS BOMBERS CONTINUED THEIR ASSAULTS ON BRIDGES AND KEY INSTALLATIONS IN THE NORTH KOREAN TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM.

A FAR EAST AIR FORCE OPERATIONAL SUMMARY SAID U.S.FIFTH AIR FORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE PLANES ATTACKED, AMONG OTHER TARGETS, 52 COMMUNIST VEHICLES, 18 LOCOMOTIVES AND 18 RAILWAY CARS. NINE NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT WERE DESTROYED ON THE GROUND AND 15 OTHERS WERE DAMAGED.

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CORRESPONDENT WHITEHEAD REPORTED THE MARINE-ARMY FORCE JUMPED OFF ON THE DRIVE TOWARD CHINJU AT 6:30 A.M. (3:30 P.M., E.S.T., SUNDAY) AFTER THE ARTILLERY OF BOTH BRANCHES HAD BLASTED THE REDS WITH A 20-MINUTE BARRAGE.

THEN MUSTANG AND JET FIGHTERS SWOOPED DOWN AND THE OFFENSIVE WAS UNDER WAY.

MARINE ELEMENTS ON THE LEFT FLANK, HE SAID, SHOVED AHEAD AGAINST LITTLE OPPOSITION BUT THE ARMY RAN INTO STRONG ENEMY POSITIONS.

THE REDS COUNTERED ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE AMERICAN FORCE.

APPARENTLY THIS WAS THE THREAT RAISED IN THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE WHICH SAID:

"AN ENEMY MOVE ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION IS CONSIDERED THE PRIMARY THREAT AT PRESENT, ESPECIALLY IF THE ENEMY IS BACKING THAT SECTION WITH A DIVISION OR MORE."

THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE WESTWARD-PUSHING AMERICAN FORCE WOULD BE ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE 24TH DIVISION JUST TO THE NORTH ON THE FRONT.

AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, AP CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON SAID MOST AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS LINES WERE CUT SUNDAY NIGHT. IN TOKYO, THIS WAS DESCRIBED AS PROVING THE NORTH KOREANS KNEW THE ATTACK WAS SET TO GO.

THE REDS, ERICKSON WAS TOLD, ALLOWED THE AMERICANS TO MOVE A CONSIDERABLE DISTANCE TO THE WEST. THEN THEY OPENED UP WITH ARTILLERY AND THREW IN THEIR COUNTERATTACKING INFANTRY.

IT WAS NOT CLEAR JUST HOW FAR THE OFFENSIVE HAD CARRIED. IT BEGAN NEAR THE VILLAGE OF KOGAN, ABOUT 35 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

IT WAS DESCRIBED AS "MOVING TOWARD" THE VILLAGE OF PANSONG ABOUT 12 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

THE ATTACK, WHITEEAD SAID, WAS DESIGNED TO THROW THE REDS OFF BALANCE JUST AS THEY WERE PREPARING AN EASTWARD DRIVE ON MASAN, 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

IT ALSO WAS AIMED AT JARRING THE REDS LOOSE FROM THEIR SOUTHERN ANCHOR, HE SAID.

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THIRD LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG 7-(AP)-U.S. MARINES AND ARMY FORCES TODAY LAUNCHED THE BIGGEST AMERICAN ATTACK OF THE KOREAN WAR. THIS LIMITED OFFENSIVE ACTION ON THE CRITICAL SOUTHERN FRONT IMMEDIATELY RAN INTO A COMMUNIST COUNTERATTACK.

THE AMERICANS--SOME 6,000 MEN--BEGAN THEIR ATTACK AT 6:30 A.M., (3:30 P.M., E.S.T., SUNDAY) NEAR THE VILLAGE OF KOGAN ABOUT 35 MILES WEST OF THE VITAL SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.

ARMY AND MARINE ARTILLERY BLASTED RED POSITIONS FOR 20 MINUTES BEFORE THE PUSH-OFF, THEN MUSTANG AND JET FIGHTERS RAKED THE REDS AS THE AMERICANS MOVED FORWARD.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD, WITH THE ATTACKERS, SAID THE FORCE WAS MADE UP OF MARINE ELEMENTS, THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE ARMY'S 25TH DIVISION.

THE ATTACK WAS POINTED AT COMMUNIST-HELD CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN. REPORTS FROM THE FRONT SAID THE THRUST WAS MOVING TOWARD THE VILLAGE OF PANSONG ABOUT 12 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

IT WAS THE FIRST OFFENSIVE ACTION FOR U.S.MARINES IN KOREA.

THEY WERE DRIVING INTO A FRONT WHERE THE REDS HAVE REPORTEDLY ASSEMBLED FOUR DIVISIONS FOR A PUSH TOWARD PUSAN, KEY AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT. PUSAN IS 55 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

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EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE "PRIMARY THREAT" OF THE COMMUNISTS WAS CONSIDERED FURTHER NORTH ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE AMERICAN 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION.

IN A DIFFERENT ACTION, AP CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, ATTACKING COMMUNIST TROOPS DROVE THE SECOND BATTALION OF THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM ITS POSITION SUNDAY. BUT A COUNTERATTACK BY ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST AND SECOND BATTALIONS REGAINED THE GROUND.

THE REDS MADE OTHER RIVER CROSSINGS OF THE NAKTONG LINE AND FORCED ONE REGIMENT OF THE 24TH DIVISION TO WITHDRAW, BUT A COUNTERATTACK "CONTAINED" THE ENEMY, THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID.

IN THE SOUTH, AS A PRELUDE TO MONDAY'S ACTION, MARINE ARTILLERY ROARED INTO ACTION SUNDAY IN THE CHINJU AREA. THE ACTUAL FRONT IS LESS THAN 35 MILES FROM PUSAN.

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ON THE WESTERN FRONT, NORTH OF THE NEWLY FLAMING BATTLEGROUND, U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION TROOPS BEGAN CLEANING OUT TWO POCKETS OF REDS WHO HAD CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER AND SURVIVED AN ALL-DAY BATTLE SUNDAY.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P. KING WITH THE 24TH SAID EACH

POCKET CONTAINED ABOUT 100 MEN--ALL THAT REMAINED OF ABOUT 800 WHO CROSSED THE RIVER SATURDAY NIGHT AND SUNDAY MORNING. THEY HAD BEEN POUNDED BY U.S. ARTILLERY AND FIGHTER AIRCRAFT.

A LARGE CONCENTRATION OF COMMUNIST TROOPS WAS SPOTTED WEST OF THE NAKTONG IN THIS AREA, KING REPORTED. SEVERAL TANKS WERE SEEN WITH THE RED FORCE ON THE WESTERN SIDE OF THE RIVER.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY EARLY MONDAY SAID THE COMMUNISTS CONTINUED THEIR AGGRESSIVE ATTACKS BY SMALL UNITS WHILE ATTEMPTING TO INFILTRATE THE ENTIRE 140 MILE-LONG BOX-SHAPED DEFENSE PERIMETER.

HEADQUARTERS SAID THE NORTH KOREAN PROBED ON THE SOUTH, ATTEMPTED TO CUT VITAL COMMUNICATION LINES ALONG THE CENTRAL WESTERN FRONT, AND THREW "HEAVY PRESSURE" ON SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ALONG THE NORHERN RIM.

INTELLIGENCE REPORTS SAID THE REDS HAVE RESORTED TO USING 12-YEAR OLD BOYS TO CARRY ARMS AND AMMUNITION TO THE FRONT. CHILDREN ALSO WERE BEING USED AS DECOYS. ONE CAPTURED LAD SAID HE WAS ONE OF HUNDREDS WHOM THE REDS MOVED ALONG HILLSIDES EQUIPPED WITH DUMMY GUNS TO MAKE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS BELIEVE THEY WERE BEING FLANKED BY HEAVY FORCES.

VIGOROUS COMMUNIST EFFORTS TO BREACH THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE SOME 43 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN WERE CAUGHT BY A STRONG AMERICAN FORCE WHICH TIGHTENED A NOOSE AROUND AN ESTIMATED 800 NORTH KOREANS.

THE REDS USED SMALL BOATS AND RAFTS TO CROSS THE NAKTONG AT A BEND FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG SATURDAY NIGHT AND EARLY SUNDAY.

A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED BY EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS LAST NIGHT SAID THIS PENETRATION WAS "BEING CONTAINED AND DRIVEN BACK TOWARD THE RIVER."

THE CROSSINGS APPARENTLY WERE AIMED AT SLICING THE AMERICAN SUPPLY LINE RUNNING 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN TO THE SOUTH KOREAN PROVISIONAL CAPITAL OF TAEGU.

TAEGU IS ONLY SEVEN MILES EAST OF THE NAKTONG AT THE RIVER'S CLOSEST POINT.

THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION, HOLDING HIGH GROUND ON A RIDGE EAST OF AN UNDEFENDED STRETCH OF THE NAKTONG ON THE NORTHERN FRONT, ALLOWED TWO RED BATTALIONS TOTALLING POSSIBLY 1,600 MEN TO WALK INTO A TRAP.

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THE REDS CROSSED THE STREAM AND MARCHED INTO DEADLY CROSS-FIRE FROM THE SOUTH KOREANS. FRONT DISPATCHES SAID THE INVADERS WERE "ANNIHILATED." THIS WAS NORTH OF WAEGWAN, WHICH IS 12 MILES NORTH-WEST OF TAEGU.

GENERAL MACARTHUR ALSO NOTED THAT ENEMY PRESSURE SOUTH OF COMMUNIST-HELD ANDONG WAS "HEAVY." MORE ATTACKS ALONG THIS FRONT COULD BE EXPECTED. ANDONG IS 50 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

AT THE EXTREME NORTHEAST ANCHOR OF THE LINE, BITTER FIGHTING RAGED AT YONGDOK, ON THE COAST 90 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN. THE SOUTH KOREANS, CARRYING THE BRUNT OF THE GROUND FIGHTING IN THIS SECTOR, HAVE THE POWERFUL SUPPORT OF AMERICAN AND BRITISH WARSHIPS WHICH ARE POUNDING RED POSITIONS WHICH SHELLFIRE. BATTLE LINES AT YONGDOK WERE UNCHANGED, MACARTHUR SAID.

A SECOND U.S.AIRCRAFT CARRIER OF THE 27,000-TON ESSEX CLASS JOINED THE GROWING SEVENTH FLEET OFF KOREA IN ITS FIRST COMBAT OPERATION. FROM ITS FLIGHT DECK ROARED A STREAM OF FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS FLYING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS.

TEAMING WITH OTHER CARRIER PLANES, THE NAVY FLYERS BLASTED TARGETS FROM CHINJU ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT TO KUNSAN, NEAR THE MOUTH OF THE KUM RIVER ON KOREA'S WEST COAST.

STEAMING BOLDLY UP THE WEST COAST OF KOREA SATURDAY BRITISH CRUISERS POUNDED INCHON, THE PORT OF SEOU", IN A DEVASTATING TWO HOUR BOMBARD-MENT.

THEY STRUCK OIL INSTALLATIONS, FACTORIES, WAREHOUSES, GUN EMPLACE-MENTS, A RAILWAY STATION AND AN ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.

AMERICAN MARINE PILOTS SUPPORTED THE BRITISH WITH COORDINATED AIR STRIKES ON INCHON'S TANK ASSEMBLY PLANT. A CAMOUFLAGED OIL TANKER WAS BLASTED INTO FLAMES.

THE ATTACK MARKED THE HEAVIEST BRITISH NAVAL ACTION THUS FAR IN THE KOREAN WAR. IT WAS DESIGNED TO NEUTRALIZE THE PORT AS A STAGING AREA FOR COMMUNIST TROOP REINFORCEMENTS ALONG THE WEST COAST.

SIMULTANEOUSLY FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS HIT KIMPO AIRFIELD, SEOUL'S AIRPORT, AND DESTROYED NINE RUSSIAN-BUILT YAKS, ON THE GROUND, PROBABLY DESTROYED NINE MORE, AND DAMAGED FIVE.

IN THE GROUND FIGHTING, DESPITE THE NAKTONG STABS, THE MAIN ENEMY THREAT STILL CENTERED IN THE SOUTH, WHERE 40,000 OR MORE REDS ARE SET TO PLUNGE AT THE SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.

THE SOUTHERN BATTLE LINE CURVED FROM A POINT 17 MILES SOUTHEAST OF RED-HELD CHINJU TO A POINT ELEVEN MILES EAST OF THAT DEVASTATED CITY.

FIGHTING ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT BROKE OUT EIGHT MILES SOUTHWEST OF MASAN NEAR THE COAST AT CHINDONG (CHINTORI).

ONE COMPANY OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION WAS TEMPORARILY ENCIRCLED THERE DURING A FORAY SATURDAY, BUT A RELIEVING UNIT WAS SENT.

FARTHER NORTH, CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING WITH VETERAN 24TH DIVISION TROOPS ON THE NAKTONG, REPORTED THAT THREE MORE BOATLOADS OF REDS CROSSED THE STREAM SUNDAY NIGHT AFTER 800 WHO CROSSED EARLIER WERE VIRTUALLY WIPED OUT.

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THE CROSSINGS AGAIN WERE DIRECTED AT A WESTWARD BEND OF THE RIVER, SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYON, ABOUT THIRTY MILES NORTH OF THE SOUTHERN COASTLINE.

DURING SUNDAY FIGHTING AGAINST THE FIRST GROUPS OF INVADERS, KING SAID AN ESTIMATED 220 NORTH KOREANS SURVIVED BUT WERE SPLIT INTO TWO GROUPS.

AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE AND STRONG AIR SUPPORT INCLUDING NAVY CORSAIRS HELPED THE 24TH DIVISION REPULSE CONTINUAL EFFORTS BY THE REDS TO PUT MORE MEN ACROSS THE RIVER.

SOME 5,000 SOUTH KOREAN REFUGEES, SCREENED BY SOUTH KOREAN POLICE WERE ALLOWED TO FORD THE NAKTONG NEAR TAEGU SUNDAY. AS THEY STEPPED INSIDE THE DEFENSE PERIMETER, EACH REFUGEE WAS EXAMINED WITH NINE DETECTORS TO DETERMINE IF THEIR PACKS CONTAINED WAR EQUIPMENT. NORTH KOREANS DID NOT INTERFERE WITH THE MOVEMENT.

IT WAS A SIGHT FAMILIAR NOW THROUGH WAR DEVASTATED SOUTH KOREA. THE REFUGEES MOSTLY WERE MOTHERS, SOME CARRYING BABIES ON THEIR HEADS, AGED WOMEN AND OLD MEN, CARRYING BUNDLES AND NUMEROUS CHILDREN.

THREE FREIGHT TRAINS FIRED, A RAILROAD BRIDGE AT SEOUL BLASTED, AN OIL REFINERY AND CHEMICAL PLANT AT INCHON LEFT BLAZING, FOUR OTHER FACTORIES ROCKETED AND STRAFED, A RAILROAD TUNNEL AND ROLLING STOCK HIDDEN INSIDE BLOWN UP, TWO LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED, AND MORE THAN 200 BOXCARS MACHINEGUNNED.

U.S.MUSTANG FIGHTERS FROM A KOREAN BASE JOINED IN THE AIR STRIKES ON THE SAME GENERAL AREA.

THEY DESTROYED NINE AND DAMAGED FOUR RUSSIAN-BUILT YAK PLANES ON THE GROUND IN A STRAFING ATTACK AT KIMPO, RED AIRPORT 18 MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW MORE THAN 400 SORTIES SATURDAY.

A FIFTH AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID THE RESULT WAS: 13 LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED AND SIX DAMAGED, TWO TANKS DESTROYED AND THREE DAMAGED, 18 TRUCKS DESTROYED AND 12 DAMAGED.

B-26 BOMBERS ON NIGHT MISSIONS STARTED FIRES AT SEOUL, INCHON, SUWON, KUMCHON AND TAEJON WITH NAPALM (JELLIED GASOLINE) BOMBS.

THE AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID TWO U.S.F-51 MUSTANGS WERE SHOT DOWN OVER SOUTHWEST KOREA BY RED GROUND FIRE AND BOTH PILOTS WERE LOST. HE SAID THEY WERE THE FIRST COMBAT LOSSES IN MORE THAN A WEEK.

A SECOND U.S.CARRIER OF THE 27,000-TON ESSEX CLASS JOINED U.S. TASK FORCE 77 OFF THE WEST COAST AND IMMEDIATELY SENT PLANES OFF ON GROUND SUPPORT ATTACKS ON SOUTHWESTERN KOREA.

THE NEW CARRIER, FLYING THE FLAG OF REAR ADM. E.C.EWEN, DOUBLED THE CARRIER STRENGTH OF THE U.S.SEVENTH FLEET, OF WHICH THE TASK FORCE IS A PART.

THE CARRIER, ONCE CALLED "THE SHOWBOAT OF ATLANTIC WATERS," LAUNCHED 52 SORTIES AGAINST KOREAN TARGETS ON ITS COMBAT BAPTISM. ONE PLANE WAS LOST, BUT ITS PILOT, ENS.GLENN T.FARNSWORTH OF BIGGS, CALIF., WAS RESCUED FROM THE WATER AS NIGHT FELL.

AIR GROUPS OF BOTH CARRIERS LASHED TARGETS FROM CHINJU NEAR THE SOUTHERN BATTLEFRONT TO KUNSAN ON THE WEST COAST, AT THE MOUTH OF THE KUM RIVER. THEY FLEW PANTHER JET FIGHTERS, SKYRAIDER ATTACK BOMBERS AND CORSAIR FIGHTERS.

ON THE EAST COAST AT THE NORTHERN TIP OF THE UNITED NATIONS DEFE UFRZ

AND CORSAIR FIGHTERS.

ON THE EAST COAST AT THE NORTHERN TIP OF THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE RECTANGLE, U.S.NAVAL UNITS CONTINUED BLASTING RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, SUPPLY LINES AND COMMUNICATIONS NORTH OF YONGDOK.

IMPROVED WEATHER PERMITTED THE FLEET UNITS TO MAINTAIN A STEADY CURTAIN OF FIRE 1,800 YARDS AHEAD OF THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY FRONT AROUND YONGDOK.

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WAR INTERPRETIVE (520)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, AUG.6-(AP)-FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN, HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMEN SPEAK OF A "CONTINUOUS" AND "COMPLETE" DEFENSE LINE IN DESCRIBING PRESENT ALLIED POSITIONS IN SOUTH KOREA.

THE LINE BEGINS IN THE SOUTH, SOMEWHERE EAST OF CHINJU, AND RUNS NORTH AND EAST TO YONGDOK ALONG AN ARC TOTALLING AN ESTIMATED 140 MILES ON THE PERIMETER.

MUCH BUT NOT ALL OF THE LINE LIES EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. THIS WINDING AND SOMETIMES DEEP RIVER HAS BEEN DESCRIBED AS THE BEST NATURAL DEFENSE BARRIER THE AMERICANS HAVE FOUND SINCE THEY ENTERED THE WAR.

BUT IT IS NOT A MAGINOT LINE, EVEN THOUGH THE TERM "CONTINUOUS" MIGHT GIVE THAT IMPRESSION. IN ROUGH AND BROKEN COUNTRY LIKE KOREA A SOLID LINE, AS DISTINCT FROM A CONNECTED LINE, WOULD BE DIFFICULT TO CREATE EVEN WITH ADEQUATE TROOPS.

MILITARY MEN SAY THAT A GOOD CLOSE FRONT FOR AN AMERICAN DIVISION IS ABOUT 7,000 YARDS, OR ABOUT FOUR MILES. WHEN POSSIBLE THEY TRY TO TIGHTEN THIS DOWN TO 2,000 OR 3,000 YARDS.

AT BEST THIS WOULD MEAN 31 DEFENSIVE DIVISIONS, OR OVER 300,000 MEN TO COVER THE PRESENT 140-MILE ARC. IT IS BEING HELD BY THREE AMERICAN AND FIVE SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS IDENTIFIED AS IN ACTION.

BUT THE DEFENDERS HAVE HAD TIME TO SELECT AND PREPARE ARTILLERY, MORTAR AND INFANTRY POSITIONS. THEY HAVE HAD TIME TO DEMOLISH BRIDGES ACROSS THE NAKTONG AND TO TAKE OTHER MEASURES TO IMPEDE COMMUNIST PROGRESS.

IN OTHER WORDS, THE DEFENDERS ARE SET FOR THE FIRST TIME, HAVING PULLED BACK FROM FOUR TO 18 MILES IN WHAT MILITARY MEN HERE DESCRIBED AS A PERFECTLY EXECUTED MANEUVER.

THE COMMUNISTS, HOWEVER, CAN CROSS THE NAKTONG AT MANY POINTS -- AS THEY ALREADY HAVE DONE. ON TWO SEPARATE OCCASIONS A RED BATTALION, NUMBERING ABOUT 800 MEN, FORDED THE RIVER AT SHALLOW POINTS IN THE AREA SOUTHEAST OF HAMCHANG, THE ABANDONED ROAD AND RAIL CENTER 50 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUES SAY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS PERMITTED THESE TWO CROSSINGS AND, IN EACH CASE, ANNIHILATED THE ADVANCING REDS AS THEY REACHED REPUBLICAN DEFENSES. THE DEFENSES ARE SOUTH INSTEAD OF ON THE RIVER.

ANOTHER COMMUNIST BATTALION PADDLED ACROSS THE RIVER DURING DARKNESS NEAR CHIRHYON, ABOUT 18 MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN WHICH COMMANDS THE APPROACHES TO PUSAN. THIS GROUP WAS CUT OFF AND ATTACKED BY ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION.

THE NAKTONG ITSELF CHANGES CHARACTER THROUGHOUT ITS LONG COURSE. IN THE NORTH IT IS FORDABLE AND IN THE WEST IT CAN BE CROSSED EASILY IN SMALL BOATS. AT OTHER POINTS IT RUNS DEEPLY BETWEEN CLIFFS, OR IN THE FAR SOUTH, FLATTENS LAZILY INTO A MUDDY DELTA.

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THE RIVER ALONE WILL NOT HOLD BACK THE COMMUNISTS. ITS USEFULNESS IS IN SLOWING DOWN THE ADVANCE AND MAKE THOUSANDS OF COMMUNIST INFANTRY OPENLY VULNERABLE TO RAKING ARTILLERY AND AERIAL ATTACK- AS IF THEY WERE ON A PARADE GROUND. ONCE A COLUMN IS CAUGHT CROSSING A RIVER THERE IS NO PLACE TO HIDE.

KNOWING THIS, THE REDS USE THE COVER OF DARKNESS WHEREVER POSSIBLE FOR THEIR CROSSINGS.

THE BIG QUESTION WILL BE WHETHER THE REDS CAN BUTT THEIR WAY ACROSS THE RIVER BARRIER AT HEAVILY DEFENDED POINTS WHERE MAIN ROADS ARE AVAILABLE. WITH BRIDGES BLOWN OUT, THE PROBLEM OF GETTING NEEDED TANKS, ARTILLERY AND SUPPLIES ACROSS THE WATER BECOMES AN INCREASINGLY DIFFICULT.

THE NAKTONG AND ITS RIDGED BACKBONE ARE NOT FORTRESSES. BUT THEY ARE VALUABLE ASSISTANTS TO THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS IN THIS HOLDING WAR.

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EDITORS:

TOKYO ADVISES THE DAILY HEADQUARTERS BRIEFINGS HAVE BEEN RESCHEDULED FOR ABOUT 1 P.M. (10 P.M., E.S.T., OF THE PREVIOUS DAY).

TOKYO SAYS IT ALSO UNDERSTANDS THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S OPERATIONAL SUMMARY NO LONGER WILL BE ISSUED AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME AS THE BRIEFING.

HOWEVER, FAR EAST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS WILL CONTINUE ISSUING SUMMARIES ABOUT MID-DAY TOKYO TIME.

A NEW LEAD ON THE KOREAN ROUNDUP IS PLANNED TO COVER THESE SUMMARIES.

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(340)
BY LEIF ERICKSON.
U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, MONDAY, AUG 8-(AP)-F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTER PLANES DESTROYED NINE COMMUNIST PLANES AND DAMAGED SEVEN OTHERS IN SURPRISE ATTACKS SUNDAY ON THREE AIR FIELDS IN NORTH KOREA.
TWO U.S. PILOTS WERE REPORTED MISSING IN THE DAY'S RAIDS.
IT WAS THE SECOND SUCCESSIVE DAY THAT RED PLANES WERE CAUGHT ON THE GROUND. MUSTANGS WERE CREDITED WITH DESTROYING NINE PLANES, DAMAGING FIVE AND PROBABLY HITTING NINE OTHER AIRCRAFT.
THE FIFTH AIR FORCE SAID THAT IN SUNDAY'S ACTION, EIGHT PLANES WERE KNOCKED OUT AT A FIELD NEAR PYONGYANG, CAPITAL OF COMMUNIST KOREA.
ONE PLANE WAS LISTED AS DESTROYED AT NAMCHON, A SMALL FIELD BETWEEN PYONGYANG AND SEOUL, FORMER CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA AND NOW IN RED HANDS THE SEVEN DAMAGED WERE CAUGHT AT PYONGYANG AND KIMPO AIR FIELDS.
ONE OF THE DESTROYED PLANES WAS A TWIN-ENGINE BOMBER, THE OTHERS FIGHTERS.
ONE OF THE TWO MUSTANGS WAS SHOT DOWN BY GROUND FIRE.
THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW 521 SORTIES SUNDAY, A SPOKESMAN SAID. THESE INCLUDED 397 GROUND SUPPORTING FLIGHTS AND 34 BOMBER MISSIONS.
ELEVEN LOCOMOTIVES WERE DESTROYED AND SIX DAMAGED. ONE TANK WAS DESTROYED, FOUR DAMAGED.
MUSTANGS WERE CALLED ON TO STRAFE THE WOODS WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER SOUTHWEST OF PONGYANG, WHERE THE REDS MADE A CROSSING WITH 800 TROOPS SATURDAY NIGHT AND EARLY SUNDAY. ONE "WOOD CHOPPING" STRIKE FLUSHED OUT 200 TROOPS. ANOTHER BLEW UP A FUEL OR AMMUNITION DUMP CONCEALED IN THE WOODS.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID MORE RED TARGETS WERE FOUND SUNDAY BECAUSE THE COMMUNISTS APPARENTLY WERE HURRYING TO MOVE SUPPLIES AND REINFORCEMENTS TO THE FRONT LINE TROOPS WHO HAD ADVANCED TO THE NEW ALLIED DEFENSE POSITIONS ON THE NAKTONG.
ELEVEN B-26 BOMBING SORTIES, SEEKING TO SLOW THE NORTH KOREANS NIGHT MOVEMENTS, STARTED FIRES IN NINE TOWNS AND STRAFED A MOTOR CONVOY. TOWNS SET ABLAZE WERE CHINJU, SACHON, KUMSAN, TAEJON, CHONGJU, CHOCHIWON, SEOUL, INCHON AND SUWON.
GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS CONCENTRATED ON CHOKING OFF SUPPLIES GOING TO THE REDS ON THE CHINJU FRONT.
THREE 100-FOOT BARGES WERE STRAFED AND TWO SMALL BOATS DESTROYED IN THE CHINJU AREA. A SMALL FREIGHTER WAS DESTROYED AT YOSU AND A BRIDGE KNOCKED OUT AT HADONG.
HF953PPD

A172FX (LA FW CQN)
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SECOND LEAD ATTACK
BY LEIF ERICKSON
U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, MONDAY, AUG.7-(AP)-U.S. INFANTRYMEN AND ELEMENTS OF THE MARINE CORPS TODAY STARTED THEIR BIGGEST ATTACK OF THE WAR ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.
A COMMUNIQUE DID NOT LOCATE THE SCENE OF THE ATTACK EXCEPT TO SAY IT IS "ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE 25TH'S SECTOR." HOWEVEVER, LATER FIELD REPORTS INDICATED THE U.S. FORCE WAS MOVING TOWARD THE VILLAGE OF PANSONG, ABOUT 12 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.
CHINJU IS 55 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, U.S. SUPPLY PORT ON THE EAST COAST.
THE AMERICANS WERE REPORTED PUSHING UP THE MAIN ROAD LEADING NORTHWESTWARD TO PANSONG FROM CHINJON MYON, 12 MILES SOUTHWEST OF MASAN. MASAN IS ABOUT HALF WAY BETWEEN CHINJU AND PUSAN.

A173FX
THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE COMMUNISTS' "PRIMARY THREAT" IS CONSIDERED FARTHER NORTH OF THE LEFT FLANK OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION.
THE ATTACK WAS MADE BY TROOPS OF "TASK FORCE KEAN."
THE COMMUNISTS YESTERDAY HIT THE SECOND BATTALION OF THE 35TH REGIMENTAL TEAM AND DROVE IT FROM ITS POSITION.
ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST AND SECOND BATTALIONS REGAINED GROUND IN A COUNTERATTACK THE SAME DAY.
THE REDS MADE OTHER RIVER CROSSINGS AND FORCED ONE REGIMENT OF THE 24TH WITHDRAW. ANOTHER U.S. REGIMENT COUNTERATTACKED AND "CONTAINED" THE ENEMY, A COMMUNIQUE SAID.
THE REDS KEPT THE FIRST CAVALRY UNDER FIRE, BUT THERE WAS NO OTHER ACTION IN THAT AREA.
EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, ETC., THIRD GRAF FIRST LEAD AS BEFORE.

A156KX
EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID "TASK FORCE KEAN" INCLUDED ELEMENTS OF THE 25TH DIVISION AND U.S. MARINES.
HEADQUARTERS ADDED THAT WHILE THEY HAD NO DETAILS OF THE ACTION, THEY ASSUMED THE ATTACK WAS "GOING GOOD."

A157KX
DEFINITELY KNOWN TO BE TAKING PART IN THE DRIVE WERE THE 27TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE 25TH DIVISION, AND THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM, AS WELL AS AT LEAST PART OF THE PROVISIONAL BRIGADE OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION.
THE ATTACK GOT UNDERWAY AT 6:30 A.M. (3:30 P.M. E.S.T. SUNDAY).

A158KX
FIVE HOURS LATER, HEADQUARTERS SAID IT HAD NOT RECEIVED A REPORT FROM THE ASSAULT FORCE.
THE TASK FORCE TOOK ITS NAME FROM MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM B.KEAN, COMMANDING THE 25TH DIVISION WHICH MOVED INTO THE SOUTHERN FRONT LAST WEEK.
MARINES ALSO ARE ON THE SOUTHERN LINES. YESTERDAY THEIR ARTILLERY BEGAN SHELLING ENEMY POSITIONS.
(NO PICKUP)
JM758PCS

AP29FX
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BY LEIF ERICKSON
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 6-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN PATROLS ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER, MAIN ALLIED DEFENSE LINE, ARE "BEING CONTAINED AND DRIVEN BACK TOWARD THE RIVER," THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID TONIGHT.
FRONTLINE DISPATCHES SAID U.S. 24TH DIVISION TROOPS WERE CLOSING A TRAP AROUND AN ESTIMATED 800 REDS WHO CROSSED THE NAKTONG BY RAFT AND BOAT SATURDAY NIGHT AND EARLY SUNDAY.
THE CROSSINGS WERE MADE NEAR CHIRHYON, 18 MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN, THE NEXT RED OBJECTIVE ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FRONT.
THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE REDS WERE MASSING TROOPS SOUTHEAST OF HAMCHANG, NEAR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE AMERICAN DEFENSE BOX.
IT SAID THE SITUATION ON OTHER FRONTS REMAINED RELATIVELY QUIET.
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A174FX (TEXT)
TEXT
U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, MONDAY, AUG.7-(AP)-TEXT OF AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO.24 ISSUED TODAY AT 10:30 A.M. (7:30 P.M., E.S.T., SUNDAY):

DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS THE ENEMY HAS CONTINUED ITS BUILDUP GENERALLY AND LAUNCHED TWO LOCAL OFFENSES. UNITED NATIONS FORCES ARE ENGAGED IN MINOR OFFENSIVE ACTION.

IN THE 25TH DIVISION AREA, THE SECOND BATTALION OF THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WAS ATTACKED AND DRIVEN FROM POSITION. ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST AND SECOND BATTALIONS WERE COMMITTED AND REGAINED POSITION ELEMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS AND 25TH DIVISION ATTACKED TO THE SOUTHWEST ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE 25TH'S SECTOR.

IN THE 24TH DIVISION AREA, NORTH KOREAN FORCES MADE CROSSINGS IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR AND FORCED ONE REGIMENT TO WITHDRAW. ANOTHER REGIMENT COUNTERATTACKED AND CONTAINED THE ENEMY.

IN THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AREA, THERE WAS NO ENEMY ACTION EXCEPT FIRE FROM FLAT TRAJECTORY WEAPONS. PATROLS OF TWO REGIMENTS CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER PENETRATING FIVE TO 10 MILES, REPORTING NEGLIGIBLE ENEMY FORCES.

IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) AREA, ONLY PATROL ACTION WAS REPORTED ON THE LEFT FLANK. ON THE RIGHT CENTRAL SECTOR OF THE ROK LINE ELEMENTS OF THE CAPITAL DIVISION WERE ATTACKED AND DRIVEN FROM POSITION. THE UNIT COUNTER-ATTACKED AND RETOOK THE POSITION. THE ENEMY FORCE WAS ESTIMATED AT TWO REGIMENTS MOVING SOUTH ON THE RIGHT OF THE CAPITAL DIVISION. AT PRESENT THIS NORTH KOREAN FORCE IS UNOPPOSED EXCEPT FOR MOUNTAINOUS TERRAIN WHICH ALLOWS SLOW PROGRESS.

NO ACTIVITY WAS REPORTED IN THE YONGDOK AREA.

AN ENEMY MOVE ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION IS CONSIDERED THE PRIMARY THREAT AT PRESENT, ESPECIALLY IF THE ENEMY IS BACKING THAT SECTION WITH A DIVISION OR MORE. THE OTHER ENEMY MOVE TO THE EAST OF THE CAPITAL DIVISION IS THE SECOND THREAT.

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BULLETIN

WITH AMERICAN TROOPS ATTACKING ON THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT, MONDAY, AUG.7-(AP)-AMERICAN MARINES AND INFANTRY DROVE A WEDGE INTO THE ENEMY LINES TODAY IN A HARD-HITTING ATTACK. BUT A COMMUNIST COUNTERATTACK SLOWED UP THE AMERICANS.

[illegible] ATTACK [illegible] BY [illegible]

THE ENEMY COUNTER BLOW HIT THE AMERICANS ON THEIR RIGHT FLANK SOON AFTER THE TROOPS HAD JUMPTED OFF IN A DAWN ATTACK TOWARD CHINJU.

A185FX
THE NORTH KOREANS SHELLED A COMMAND POST OF THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE. IT FORCED THE MARINE GENERAL AND HIS AIDES TO MOVE THEIR POS TO THE PROTECTIVE COVER OF A HILL.

A186FX
U.S. MARINE AND INFANTRY ARTILLERY LAID DOWN A BARRAGE ON COMMUNIST POSITIONS STARTING AT 6:10 A.M. (3:10 P.M. E.S.T. SUNDAY).
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THEY POURED HEAVY FIRE INTO THE ENEMY FOR 20 MINUT[illegible].

A187FX
THEN F-51 FIGHTERS AND JET PLANES DIVED OUT OF THE CLEAR SKY TO ROCKET, BOMB AND STRAFE THE REDS.

AT 6:30 A.M. (3:30 P.M. SUNDAY E.S.T.) THE INFANTRY CAME OUT OF HOLES AND BEGAN PUSHING FORWARD. THE LEADING BATTALION DROVE ACROSS A VALLEY AND INTO THE HILLS. A SECOND BATTALION WAS CLOSE BEHIND.

BUT THEN THE NORTH KOREANS THREW IN A COUNTERATTACK. IT HIT THE AMERICANS ON THE RIGHT FLANK, THREATENING THE SUPPLY LINE FOR THE ADVANCE.

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COL.JOHN "MIKE" MICHAELIS, WHO IS COMMANDING THE MAIN TASK FORCE, ORDERED THE TROOPS TO MOVE QUICKLY TO MEET THIS FLANKING THREAT.

THE ENEMY WAS SO CLOSE TO THE AMERICAN FLANKS THEY WERE LOBBING MORTAR SHELLS OVER A RIDGE INTO THE AMERICAN SUPPLY LINE AND COMMAND POST AREA.

IN THE AMERICAN ATTACK WERE THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM, 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION; AND ELEMENTS OF THE MARINES.

THE OVERALL COMMANDER OF THE OPERATION IS MAJ.GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN, COMMANDER OF THE 25TH DIVISION.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED FROM 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS THAT THE 35TH REGIMENT SPEARHEADED THE AMERICAN ATTACK. THE MARINES AND FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WERE NOT ABLE TO MOVE INTO ACTION ON SCHEDULE BECAUSE OF THE KOREAN COUNTERATTACK.

(A HEAVY RED ARTILLERY CONCENTRATION POURED SHELLS INTO TWO AMERICAN COMMAND POSTS, ERICKSON REPORTED. AN AMERICAN TANK FARM WAS UNDER CLOSE AND DIRECT COMMUNIST OBSERVATION.

(ERICKSON REPORTED THAT DURING THE NIGHT COMMUNISTS CUT MOST OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNICATION WIRES. SOURCES IN TOKYO SAID THIS SHOWED DEFINITE INTELLIGENCE OF AMERICAN ATTACK PLANS AND TIMING.)

MARINE ELEMENTS ON THE LEFT FLANK HAD LITTLE OPPOSITION AS THEY MOVED OUT.

BUT THE INFANTRY WAS BUMPING INTO STRONG ENEMY POSITIONS ON THE ROAD LEADING FROM CHINDONG TO CHINJU.

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A199FX
THE MAIN AMERICAN FORCE WAS UNABLE TO DRIVE FORWARD AND USE THEIR BIG NEW PERSHING TANKS UNTIL THE FLANK THREAT WAS WIPED OUT.

(ERICKSON REPORTED THE REDS ALLOWED AMERICAN ELEMENTS TO MOVE A CONSIDERABLE DISTANCE TO THE WEST. THEN THEY OPENED UP WITH ARTILLERY AND LAUNCHED AN INFANTRY COUNTERATTACK FROM THE NORTH. THE AMERICANS CALLED FOR AIR SUPPORT TO CUT DOWN THE RED ARTILLERY FIRE.

(THE NORTH KOREANS APPARENTLY HAD ROLLED GUNS INTO POSITION AND HELD THEIR FIRE UNTIL THE STRATEGIC TIME TO CHECK THE AMERICAN ATTACK.(

THE SUN WAS JUST CRAWLING OVER THE EASTERN HILLS WHEN AMERICAN PLANES ROARED OVER AND BEGAN DIVING ON THE ENEMY. AMERICAN ARTILLERY POURED HUNDREDS OF ROUNDS INTO THE CORRIDOR ALONG THE ROAD TO CHINJU.

BUT THE REDS HAD BROUGHT UP A STRONG FORCE AND DEPLOYED IT JUST NORTH OF CHINDONG, A SUPPLY BOTTLENECK AND STRATEGIC POINT ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

THIS SUDDEN FLANKING THREAT CAUSED A QUICK SHIFT IN ATTACK PLANS AS FORCES WERE DIVERTED TO MEET THE ENEMY.

THERE WERE INDICATIONS THE AMERICAN ATTACK WAS STARTED AS THE COMMUNISTS WERE PREPARING FOR AN ATTACK OF THEIR OWN TOWARD MASAN, ABOUT MIDWAY BETWEEN CHINJU AND THE AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.

THE U.S. ASSAULT WAS DESIGNED TO THROW THE COMMUNISTS OFF BALANCE, TO JAR THEM LOOSE FROM THE SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF THEIR LINE, AND TO PROTECT MASAN AND PUSAN.

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AP45FX
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BY DON WHITEHEAD
WITH U.S. TROOPS IN SOUTHERN KOREA, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE U.S. MARINES ROLLED THEIR ARTILLERY TO THE FRONT TODAY AND POURED 155 MM. FIRE INTO ENEMY POSITIONS ON THE SOUTHERN SECTOR.
THIS WAS THE FIRST OFFENSIVE ACTION BY THE GROUND-BASED MARINES OF THE FIRST DIVISION.
MARINE INFANTRY HAS NOT SEEN ACTION BUT IS IN POSITION.
JL7APD NM

A132FX
TFIRST LEAD NAKTONG BATTLE
BY O.H.P. KING.
WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA,MONDAY,AUG.7-(AP)-AMERICAN FORCES THIS MORNING BEGAN CLEANING OUT TWO POCKETS NORTH OF KOREAN COMMUNISTS WHO SURVIVED A DAY-LONG BATTLE ON THE U.S. SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.
ABOUT 100 REDS WERE IN EACH POCKET. THEY WERE ALL THAT WERE LEFT O ABOUT 800 NORTH KOREANS WHO CROSSED THE RIVER NEAR CHIRHYON SATURDAY NIGHT AND SUNDAY MORNING. ARTILLERY AND PLANES, INCLUDING NAVY CORSAIR FIGHTERS, JOINED 24TH DIVISION GROUND TROOPS IN A BATTLE THAT RAGED ALL DAY SUNDAY.
THREE MORE BOATLOADS OF NORTH KOREANS CROSSED THE NAKTONG SUNDAY NIGHT. THEY WERE BROUGHT UNDER ARTILLERY FIRE AND STRAFED BY FIGHTER PLANES.
NO FURTHER NIGHT-TIME CROSSINGS WERE REPORTED.

DURING THE DAY, AIR AND ARTILLERY HAMMERING BLOCKED CONTINUAL EFFORTS BY THE COMMUNISTS TO SHOVE MORE MEN ACROSS THE RIVER. THE CROSSINGS WERE PRINCIPALTY ABOUT FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYON, WHICH IS 43 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN AND 24 MILES SOUTH OF TAEGU.
AS THE SUN SET ALONG THE 20-MILE RIVER FRONT, THE SKY REMAINED GLOWING FROM FIRES SET DURING THE DAY BY AMERICAN WAR PLANES.
CONCENTRATIONS OF RED TROOPS HIDING IN VILLAGES ON THE WESTERN SIDE OF THE NAKTONG WERE ATTACKED WITH ACCURACY THROUGHOUT THE LONG DAY.
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THE REGIMENTAL COMMANDER OF TROOPS WHO HAD SEEN ACTION ALL DAY SAID, "SOMETHING INTERESTING MIGHT DEVELOP TONIGHT. FRANKLY, EVERYONE' GOT EVERYONE ELSE SURROUNDED.
"WE HAVE BEEN SYSTEMATICALLY REDUCING THE NUMBER OF KOREANS ON THIS SIDE OF THE RIVER."
THE COMMANDER SAID RED SHIPERS TOOK FOUR SHOTS AT HIS JEEP TONIGHT, "...SO WE STILL HAVE A JOB TO CLEAN UP MORE OF THEM."
THE COMMANDER DISCUSSED MEANS OF ILLUMINATING THE RIVER PERIODICALLY DURING THE NIGHT TO FORESTALL CROSSINGS SUCH AS WERE MADE IN DARKNESS LAST NIGHT.
THE OFFICER SAID FIVE CROSSINGS BY BOATS HAD BEEN MADE AFTER DAYLIGHT TODAY. PRESUMABLY THE OTHERS HAD BEEN MADE EARLIER.
A NUMBER OF BOATS AND 20 RAFTS WERE FOUND ALONG THE RIVER BANK AFTER DAWN.
THE RIVER BENDS TO THE WEST AT THIS POINT, ABOUT FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYON.
AT 7:30 P.M. TONIGHT AN AMERICAN MORTAR OUTFIT DROPPED 37 SHELLS ON THE CREST OF A HILL TOP SOME 800 YARDS DISTANT. THE SHELLS FELL IN THE MIDST OF SOME 30 NORTH KOREANS WHO WERE ATTEMPTING TO SET UP A HEAVY MORTAR, OBSERVERS SAID. DIRECT HITS DESTROYED THE RED MORTAR AND CAUSED HEAVY CASUALTIES AT THIS POINT.

A53FX
SMALL ARMS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE WAS FREQUENT AT ADVANCED POSITIONS BUT THERE WAS PRACTICALLY NO ENEMY ARTILLERY FIRE.
AT 8P.M. SEVEN NAVY PLANES APPEARED AND BOMBED AND STRAFED THE COMMUNIST RIVER POSITIONS.
A COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER AT A COMMAND POST - LOCATED TEMPORARILY ON A HILLSIDE ONLY A RIDGE AND A DALE AWAY FROM THE REDS - SAID THE NAVY FLYERS KNOCKED OUT AN ENEMY ARTILLERY BATTERY.
THE REGIMENTAL COMMANDER SAID "WE SUFFERED SOME LOSSES OF ARMS AND MEN. WE HAVE HAD NO CONTACT FOR SEVERAL HOURS WITH TWO OF OUR COMPANYS, BUT THEY ARE WELL SUPPLIED WITH AMMUNITION AND FOOD. HEAVY FIRING FROM THEIR POSITION INDICATES THEY ARE STICKING TO THEIR JOBS AND GIVING THE ENEMY HELL."
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BULLETIN
WITH THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 6-(AP)-AN ESTIMATED 800 COMMUNIST TROOPS CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER TODAY. FIGHTING STILL WAS RAGING THIS AFTERNOON, EIGHT HOURS LATER.
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BULLETIN MATTER
WITH THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA--FIRST ADD RED CROSSING (WHICH MAKE SECOND LEAD PATROLS BY O.H.P. KING) XXX THE PATROLS.
THE REDS CROSSED NEAR CHIRHYON, ON THE FRONT SOUTHWEST OF THE BIG SUPPLY BASE OF TAEGU.
THE BATTLE INVOLVED AT LEAST AN EQUAL NUMBER OF AMERICANS.
MOST OF THE ENEMY HAD CROSSED THE NAKTONG LAST NIGHT. A FORCE OF ABOUT TWO PLATOONS AND A COMPANY SPOTTED CROSSING IN BOATS THIS MORNING PROVED TO BE THE LAST OF THE FORCE.
FIVE PRISONERS WERE CAPTURED. THROUGH THEM THE AMERICANS LEARNED OF THE OTHERS WHO ALREADY HAD REACHED THE EAST BANK.
A SINGLE COMMUNIST GUN IN POSITION WEST OF THE RIVER FIRED PERIODIC ROUNDS INTO THE GENERAL AREA OF THE BATTLE.
ITS SHELLS PROBABLY WERE HITTING COMMUNIST AS WELL AS AMERICAN POSITIONS.
THE RIVER CROSSING TEMPORARILY DROVE AN AMERICAN MORTAR CREW FROM ITS POSITIONS EAST OF THE RIVER. BUT THE CREW LATER REGAINED THE POSITION AND THEIR WEAPONS.
LW1220APD NM

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A163FX

CARRIER PLANES (300)

BY MILTON MARMOR

ABOARD A U.S.AIRCRAFT CARRIER OFF KOREA, AUG. 6-(AP)-CARRIER PLANES STRAFED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND BOMBED COMMUNICATIONS LINES TODAY IN THE BUSIEST DAY OF THE WAR FOR THIS NAVAL TASK FORCE.

NAVAL PLANES FLEW 212 SORTIES. OF THESE 175 WERE OFFENSIVE. THE OTHERS WERE DESCRIBED AS DEFENSIVE. NAVAL PLANES CAVE CLOSE AIR SUPPORT TO UNITED NATIONS GROUND TROOPS.

CONCENTRATIONS OF NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS WERE STRAFED AT CHINJU, CHUNGAN, TANSONG, HAWONG, SAJON AND PASSANGDONG. SEVERAL TOWNS WHERE RED TROOPS WERE BELIEVED TO BE IN HIDING WERE SET AFIRE.

HARD STRIKING NAVAL PLANES OF TASK FORCE 77 ALSO DAMAGED FIVE RAILROA AND FOUR HIGHWAY BRIDGES, SHOT UP 20 RAILROAD CARS, HIT TWO TANKS, SANK TWO LARGE BOATS AND FOUR JUNKS, DAMAGED TWO BOATS AND 15 JUNKS. THEY SHOT UP RAILROAD YARDS, ROUND HOUSES, TWO POWER STATIONS, SEVEN TRANSFORMERS, TWO RAIL TUNNELS, FIVE BARGES AND NINE SAMPANS, A WAREHOUSE AND A FACTORY.

NAVAL PLANES RANGED ACROSS THE SOUTHERN FRONT, BLASTING AWAY AT ALL LIKELY TARGETS.

THE DAY'S FULLTIME ACTIVITIES MARKED THE CLOSEST THE CARRIER TASK FORCE HAS BEEN TO KOREAN SHORES.

ENSIGN RICHARD C.ADAMS, JET PILOT FROM NEWTOWN, OHIO, HIT THE AIRFIELD AND RAIL YARDS AT TAEJON. HE REPORTED BIG FIRES WERE 1950 BLAZING, PROBABLY STARTED BY F-51S OF THE AIR FORCE.

PILOTS REPORTED MEAGER ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE AND NO ENEMY FIGHTERS. THEY SAID GROUND MOVEMENT SEEMED COMPARATIVELY LIGHT.

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LT.CHARLES HIGGELS (ADDRESS GARBLED) WHO HAS BEEN FLYING DAYLIGHT RAIDS IN HIS NIGHT ATTACK BOMBER, REPORTED EVERYTHING RATHER QUIET IN THE CHONGJU AREA NEAR THE NORTHWESTERN CORNER OF THE FRONT. HE EXPRESSED BELIEVE THE ENEMY WAS MAKING MOST OF ITS MOVEMENTS AT NIGHT.

"THEY CERTAINLY ARE NOT MOVING IN DAYLIGHT," HIGGELS SAID.

ONE PILOT SWOOPED DOWN AND HIT A PILE OF HAY, A FAVORED HIDING SPOT FOR RED TANKS. HE FLUSHED A HORSE CART.

ANOTHER PILOT REPORTED HE THOUGHT HE WAS ATTACKING A TRUCK, BUT DISCOVERED HE WAS STRAFING A COW. FELLOW PILOTS JOSHED: "MILK RUN!"

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BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH THE U.S. MARINES IN KOREA, AUG.6-(AP)-A MARINE ARTILLERY SHOT OPENED THE LEATHERNECKS' WAR AGAINST NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS TODAY.

A BATTERY COMMANDED BY CAPT.ARNOLD HOFSTETTER OF SAN DIEGO, CALIF., FIRED THE FIRST MARINE SHOT ON RED POSITIONS ALONG THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT.

SGT. BETHEA MCMULLAN OF OCEANSIDE, CALIF., PULLED THE LANYARD THAT SENT THE FIRST ROUND SCREAMING FROM A 155-MILLIMETER GUN.

"IF IT HIT ANYWHERE NEAR WHERE IT SHOULD," REMARKED THE 41-YEAR-OLD MCMULLAN, "IT DID A LOT OF GOOD."

HOFSTETTER SAID HE FELT "GOOD" ABOUT GETTING OFF THE FIRST MARINE SHOT AGAINST THE ENEMY.

"I WISH WE COULD HAVE BEEN HERE SOONER," HE SAID. HE ADDED, REFLECTIVELY, "I WISH IT WAS THE LAST SHOT FIRED INSTEAD OF THE FIRST ONE."

HOFSTETTER, WHO DIDN'T KNOW HIS TARGET, SAID THE MARINES GUNS FIRED BOTH PHOSPHORUS AND HIGH EXPLOSIVE SHELLS WHICH COULD HAVE BEEN USED ON EITHER RED PERSONNEL OR POSITIONS.

THE FIRST GUN TO FIRE WAS SET UP IN A SCHOOLYARD AGAINST A BACKDROP OF GREEN MOUNTAINS. THE WEATHER-BEATEN SCHOOLHOUSE WITH UPSWEPT ROOF CORNERS WAS IN A YARD ENCLOSED BY AYE 7-FOOT ROCK WALL.

SGT. T.TANT OF TEMPLE, TEX., WAS SECTION CHIEF ON THE FIRST GUN TO FIRE.

OTHERS IN THE CREW WERE CPL. JAMES R. EVAN, WICHITA, KAS.; PFC J.H.ROSEFELD, (849 1/2 COAST AVE.) PITTSBURGH; PFC PHILLIP SMITH, SIDNEY,ARK.; PFC ALBERT WAGNER, ARCADE, N.Y.; PFC JOSEPH ZEOWAK (37 DEY ST.) JERSEY CITY, N.J.; PFC H.L.PHILLIPS (ROUTE THREE) CANTON, N.C.; PFC JOE MATIVERON, EL PASO, TEX.; PFC PASQUAL R.RASTELLO (712 12TH AVE.) NEW YORK.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EST, TODAY, SUNDAY, AUG.6)

(ADVANCE)..NEW YORK, AUG 6-(AP)-THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF FREEDOM HOUSE URGED TODAY THAT A REUNITED KOREA BE PLACED UNDER JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED NATIONS WHEN THE AGGRESSION OF "THE RUSSIAN-ASSISTED NORTH KOREANS" IS ENDED.

THE BOARD PRAISED PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ACTIONS ON KOREA AND SAID:

"A WORLD CONDITION WHICH WAS SHORT OF PEACE WAS TURNED BY THE COMMUNIST LUST FOR POWER INTO A STATE WHICH IS NOW ONLY SHORT OF TOTAL WAR."

A PROGRAM "TO MEET THIS THREAT TO OUR CIVILIZATION" WAS OFFERED BY FREEDOM HOUSE, A GROUP WHICH DEVOTES ITS ACTIVITIES TO THE CAUSE OF WORLD FREEDOM.

THE PROGRAM WAS INCLUDED IN A REPORT SUBMITTED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN THROUGH ROBERT P.PATTERSON, PRESIDENT OF FREEDOM HOUSE AND FORMER SECRETARY OF WAR.

THE BOARD PROPOSED THAT THE UNITED STATES PREPARE "ALL THE RESOURCES AT OUR COMMAND" TO CHALLENGE "AN ATTEMPT AT FURTHER VIOLATION OF ANY SOVEREIGNTY BY THE FORCES OF RUSSIAN IMPERIALIS."

THE BOARD URGED STEP

VIOLATION OF ANY SOVEREIGNTY BY THE FORCES OF RUSSIAN IMPERIALISM."

THE BOARD URGED STEPS "TO CONVERT THE UNITED NATIONS INTO A GENUINELY SOVEREIGN BODY ON ALL QUESTIONS INVOLVING THE PEACE, FREE FROM THE FRUSTRATING POWER OF THE VETO."

IT ALSO PROPOSED: FULL MILITARY AND ECONOMIC MOBILIZATION, INCLUDING CONTROLS OVER PRICES, WAGES AND PROFITS; THE ALLOCATION OF 20 TO 25 PER CENT OF UNITED STATES PRODUCTIVE CAPACITIES FOR REARMAMENT OF THE U.S. AND WESTERN NATIONS; AND LEGISLATION OUTLAWING THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND ALL OF ITS AFFILIATED AGENCIES AND PUBLICATIONS.

FREEDOM HOUSE PLEDGED THAT IT WILL JOIN WITH "ALL FREEDOM-LOVING AMERICANS TO DO ITS PART IN THE PRESENT EMERGENCY." IT EMPHASIZED EFFORTS "TO PLACE THE SEARCHLIGHT OF TRUTH ON THE FABRICATIONS OF OUR COMMUNIST ENEMY."

THE DOCUMENT PRAISED PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR "COURAGE AND FORESIGHT" WHEN HE "PROCLAIMED THE DETERMINATION OF THE UNITED STATES TO DEFEND THE PEACE WITH EVERYTHING AT OUR COMMAND."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EST TODAY, SUNDAY, AUG.6)

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 11 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SUNDAY, AUG.6)
BY MAX HARRELSON
(ADVANCE)..LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.6-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE SAID TODAY THAT NOTHING LESS THAN A BOLD AND ENLIGHTENED ACT OF STATESMANSHIP WILL HALT FURTHER DETERIORATION TOWARD ANOTHER WORLD WAR.
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL MADE HIS STATEMENT IN HIS FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT TO THE 59-NATION GENERAL ASSEMBLY. HE SAID THE 143-PAGE DOCUMENT WAS WRITTEN AT A TIME "OF SERIOUS DANGER TO THE PEACE OF THE WORLD AND TO THE CONTINUED EXISTENCE OF THE ORGANIZATION."
THE REPORT WAS CIRCULATED AS RUSSIA AND THE WESTERN POWERS GIRDED FOR A NEW ROUND IN THEIR SECURITY COUNCIL BATTLE OVER THE KOREAN CONFLICT. LIE REVIEWED THE KOREAN PROBLEM AT LENGTH. HE ALSO GAVE A FULL ACCOUNT OF THE SOVIET EFFORT TO SEAT RED CHINA, THE SOVIET BOYCOTT AND HIS OWN EFFORTS TO FIND A SOLUTION TO THESE AND OTHER COLD WAR ISSUES.
THE SECURITY COUNCIL WILL RESUME DEBATE TUESDAY AT 2 P.M. (EST) ON RUSSIA'S DEMAND THAT RED CHINA AND COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA BE INVITED TO TAKE PART IN U.N. KOREAN PEACE DISCUSSIONS.
THE COUNCIL ALSO HAS BEFORE IT A SOVIET DEMAND FOR A CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES IN KOREA AND THE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL UNITED STATES AND OTHER FOREIGN TROOPS.
THE UNITED STATES, ON THE OTHER HAND, WANTS THE COUNCIL TO MAKE A NEW APPEAL TO ALL COUNTRIES--INCLUDING RUSSIA--TO USE THEIR INFLUENCE TO HALT THE FIGHTING OR AT LEAST PREVENT IT FROM SPREADING.
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETS SEPT.19.
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL MADE IT CLEAR THAT HE STILL FELT AS HE DID BEFORE THE START OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING--THAT THE BEST APPROACH TO A SOLUTION OF OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS WOULD BE A MEETING OF TOP-RANKING OFFICIALS OF THE BIG POWERS.
LIE ALSO REPEATED HIS EARLIER SUGGESTION THAT THE CHINA REPRESENTATION QUESTION SHOULD BE SETTLED BY GIVING CHINA'S U.N. SEAT TO THE GOVERNMENT THAT ACTUALLY CONTROLS MOST OF CHINA. HE PROPOSED THAT THE U.N. START AN INQUIRY INTO THIS AT ONCE, DESPITE THE COOL RECEPTION GIVEN THE PROPOSAL BY THE WESTERN POWERS.
IT WAS GENERALLY AGREED THAT THE ACCEPTANCE OF LIE'S PLAN WOULD RESULT IN THE SEATING OF RED CHINA, WHICH CONTROLS ALL THE CHINA MAINLAND.
LIE SAID HE HAD HAD HIGH HOPES A YEAR AGO THAT THE BIG POWERS WOULD RESUME NEGOTIATIONS ON THE MANY ISSUES FACING THEM, BUT INSTEAD THE STALEMATE HAD BECOME WORSE.
"NOT ONLY HAS THERE BEEN NO PROGRESS WHATEVER IN ENLARGING THE AREA OF AGREEMENT," HE SAID, "BUT THE PARTIES HAVE NOT EVEN SAT DOWN TOGETHER AT THE CONFERENCE TABLE.

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"AS LONG AS THIS STATE OF AFFAIRS IS PERMITTED TO CONTINUE, THE WORLD WILL REMAIN COMMITTED TO AN INTENSIFICATION, MONTH BY MONTH, OF THE CONFLICT.
"ONCE PEACE IS RESTORED IN KOREA, IT WILL THEN BE MORE IMPORTANT THAN EVER THAT A NEW ATTEMPT SHOULD BE MADE TO RESUME THE PROCESSES OF NEGOTIATION, MEDIATION AND CONCILIATION FOR THE SETTLEMENTS OF CONFLICTS THAT DIVIDE THE WORLD AND THREATEN TO CONDEMN US ALL TO A THIRD WORLD WAR.
"AT THE TIME THAT THIS REPORT IS WRITTEN IT IS NOT POSSIBLE TO BE CONFIDENT ABOUT THE FUTURE OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE PROSPECTS OF WORLD PEACE. BUT IT IS EQUALLY IMPOSSIBLE TO BE HOPELESS.
"THERE IS TOO MUCH SUPPORT AMONG THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD FOR THE UNITED NATIONS AND TOO MUCH CONSTRUCTIVE WORK BEING CARRIED ON UNDER UNITED NATIONS AUSPICES TO PERMIT ANY OF THOSE WHO BEAR THE BURDEN OF AUTHORITY IN THE GOVERNMENTS OF MEMBERS OR IN THE SECRETARIAT OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO RELAX FOR AN INSTANT IN THE DETERMINATION TO DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO SAVE THE UNITED NATIONS AS A UNIVERSAL ORGANIZATION STANDING FIRMLY AGAINST WAR AND TO MAKE IT A STRONGER INSTRUMENT FOR PEACE AND PROGRESS."
SHORTLY AFTER THE RELEASE OF HIS REPORT, LIE SAID IN A RADIO BROADCAST THAT THE KOREAN CRISIS HAD BROUGHT WITH IT THE MOST SERIOUS DANGER TO PEACE SINCE THE U.N. WAS FOUNDED IN 1945.
SPEAKING OVER NBC ON THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO ROUNDTABLE, LIE SAID
"THE JOB OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS TO DO ALL IT CAN TO PREVENT A THIRD WORLD WAR, BY CONCILIATION WHENEVER POSSIBLE, BY FORCE WHEN NECESSARY.
"IN KOREA THERE HAS PLAINLY BEEN A WELL PREPARED ARMED ATTACK BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES UPON THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, WHICH WAS ESTABLISHED UNDER UNITED NATIONS AUSPICES.
"THAT ATTACK IS BEING MET, AS IT SHOULD BE, BY COLLECTIVE UNITED NATIONS ACTION TO REPEL IT AND TO RESTORE PEACE IN KOREA.
"IT IS MY DUTY AS SECRETARY-GENERAL, AS IT IS THE DUTY OF ALL MEMBER GOVERNMENTS, TO DO EVERYTHING TO BRING THIS UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA TO A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION.
"THAT IS THE FIRST PRIORITY NOW.
"THIS DOES NOT MEAN, HOWEVER, THAT EITHER THE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS, OR I AS SECRETARY-GENERAL, SHOULD ABANDON EFFORTS FOR PEACE BY NEGOTIATION, CONCILIATION AND MEDIATION."
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CHICAGO, AUG. 6-(AP)-A PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR TODAY URGED IMMEDIATE USE OF THE ATOMIC BOMB IN KOREA.
REV. DR. CLINTON C. COX, OF DREXEL PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, SAID IN A SERMON THERE CAN BE NO DUNKERQUE IN KOREA BECAUSE THERE IS NO PLACE TO GO; THAT OUR FIGHTING MEN "WILL BE SLAIN LIKE RATS."
"IF I HAD A SON IN KOREA I WOULD DEMAND THE USE OF THE ATOMIC BOMB RATHER THAN TO HAVE HIM CAPTURED, TORMENTED AND SLAIN AS A PRISONER," THE PREACHER SAID.
"BESIDES, THE ATOMIC BOMB IS THE MOST CINVINCING ARGUMENT THAT CAN BE USED ON THE REDS," REV. COX SAID. "THEY ARE FANATICAL COWARDS, JUST AS ALL FANATICS ARE. WHEN THEY SEE THEY ARE LOSING, OUR VICTORY WILL BE EASY." HE THEN ADDED:
"PRESIDENT TRUMAN SHOULD ADVISE KOREA THAT THE ATOMIC BOMB IS GOING TO BE USED. THERE IS NO ARGUING WITH AN ATOMIC BOMB."
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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 7-(AP)-THREE JAPANESE PRISONERS OF WAR--A LIEUTENANT GENERAL, A COLONEL AND A CIVILIAN EMPLOYE OF THE DEFUNCT NIPPON ARMY--TODAY WERE ORDERED PAROLED FROM SAGUMO PRISON, EFFECTIVE AUG. 17.

THE PAROLES WERE ANNOUNCED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S LEGAL SECTION. THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID A TOTAL OF 70 WAR PRISONERS HAVE BEEN PAROLED UNDER THE SUPREME COMMANDER'S PAROLE POLICY.

THOSE ORDERED FREED TODAY WERE LT.GEN.TAKAJI WACKI, 57, SERVING A SIX-YEAR TERM; COL.GENJI MATSUDA, 63, SERVING A SEVEN-YEAR TERM; AND NAOTARO NUNOMIYA, 31, CIVILIAN INSTRUCTOR ATTACHED TO THE JAPANESE ARMY, SERVING A SEVEN-YEAR TERM. ALL THREE ENTERED PRISON IN 1946.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EST, TODAY, SUNDAY, AUG. 6)

(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, AUG. 6-(AP)-NINE FORMER STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS TODAY MADE PUBLIC AN APPEAL TO SEN. TOM CONNALLY (D-TEX), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, IN BEHALF OF AN ATLANTIC UNION GOVERNMENT.

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A LETTER TO CONNALLY URGED HIM TO "TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION" TO MAKE POSSIBLE A CONVENTION OF NATIONS THAT INITIATED THE ATLANTIC TREATY TO EXPLORE MEANS OF ORGANIZING SUCH A GOVERNMENT.

THE LETTER SOUGHT ACTION ON THE ATLANTIC UNION RESOLUTION, PENDING IN CONGRESS, AS ONE MEANS OF BUILDING THE COLLECTIVE STRENGTH ESSENTIAL TO HALTING RUSSIAN AGGRESSION.

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THE ATLANTIC UNION COMMITTEE, WHOSE GOAL IS A FEDERAL CONVENTION OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONS, RELEASED THE TEXT OF THE APPEAL.

SIGNERS WERE:

ROBERT WOODS BLISS, FORMER ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE AND FORMER AMBASSADOR TO ARGENTINA; JOSEPH C.GREW, FORMER UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE AND FORMER AMBASSADOR TO JAPAN; GARRISON NORTON, FORMER ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE; ARTHUR BLISS LANE, FORMER AMBASADOR TO POLAND AND ITALY.

ALSO, LITHGOW OSBORNE, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO NORWAY; HERBERT PELL, FORMER MINISTER TO PORTUGAL AND HUNGARY; WILLIAM PHILLIPS, FORMER UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE AND FORMER AMBASSADOR TO INDIA AND BRITAIN; PAUL A.PORTER, FORMER CHIEF OF THE AMERICAN ECONOMIC MISSION TO GREECE, AND WILLIAM H.STANDLEY, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO RUSSIA.

THE APPEAL TO CONNALLY SAID IN PART:

"THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT, THE MARSHALL PLAN AND THE MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM, X X X EXTENSIVE AND SUCCESSFUL AS THEY HAVE BEEN, X X X ARE NOT ADEQUATE.

"THIS IS DUE TO THE FACT THAT THE PROBLEMS WHICH NOW CONFRONT THE NORTH ATLANTIC COMMUNITY APPEAR BEYOND SOLUTION BY MEANS OF NATIONAL FOREIGN POLICIES. X X X

"SOMETHING MORE IS NEEDED BEYOND THE COOPERATION OF NATIONAL GOVERNMENTS. X X X COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN ASIA OR IN ANY OTHER PART OF THE WORLD WOULD BE FAR LESS LIKELY IF COMMUNIST LEADERS WERE CONFRONTED BY AN ATLANTIC UNION INSTEAD OF BY SEPARATE ATLANTIC GOVERNMENTS. X X X

"AN ATLANTIC UNION X X X COULD INSURE PEACE BY AN UNCHALLENGEABLE PREDOMINANCE OF POWER. X X X CONSTITUTIONAL ACTION TOWARD THIS END BY THE NORTH ATLANTIC PEOPLES SHOULD BE EXPLORED NOW--AS THE BEST AVAILABLE MEANS OF SAFEGUARDING THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."

THE LETTER NOTED THAT "A RESOLUTION IS BEFORE CONGRESS REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT TO INVITE THE OTHER SIX SPONSORS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC PCT TO JOIN WITH US IN SENDING DELEGATES TO A FEDERAL CONVENTION TO EXPLORE HOW FAR OUR PEOPLES CAN APPLY AMONG THEM, WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS, THE PRINCIPLES OF FREE FEDERAL UNION."

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SUB-INTRO BELGIAN PLANE (B7)

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NEW YORK, AUG. 6-(AP)-A BELGIAN AIRLINER ARRIVED HERE TODAY EN ROUTE TO SAN FRANCISCO, REPORTEDLY TO DO PACIFIC AIRLIFT DUTY TO THE KOREAN WAR AREA.

THE PLANE, PREVIOUSLY OPERATED IN COMMERCIAL SERVICE BY THE SABENA BELGIAN AIRLINES, HAS BEEN TAKEN OVER BY THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT UNDER CONTRACT FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD.

A SABENA OFFICIAL SAID IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THE PLANE WOULD BE USED TO CARRY MILITARY PERSONNEL AND MATERIEL TO THE PACIFIC AREA.

HE SAID THE DC-4, WITH A DOUBLE CREW OF 10 MEN, IS EQUIPPED WITH REMOVABLE SEATS SO THAT IT CAN CARRY EITHER CARGO OR PERSONNEL.

THE SABENA SPOKESMAN SAID IT WAS EXPECTED THAT THE PLANE WOULD JOIN A GROUP OF PLANES BEING TURNED OVER BY UNITED STATES AIRLINES FOR THE PACIFIC AIRLIFT DUTY.

THE PLANE AND ITS DOUBLE SABENA CREW--TWO EACH OF CAPTAINS, FIRST OFFICERS, NAVIGATORS, RADIO OFFICERS AND FLIGHT ENGINEERS--IS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE FOR SAN FRANCISCO TOMORROW.

THE AIRLINE SAID THE SABENA CREWS WOULD OPERATE THE PLANE DURING ITS PACIFIC SERVICE.

THE OFFICIAL SAID IT WAS EXPECTED THAT LATER THE PLANE WOULD CARRY MILITARY PERSONNEL OF THE UNITED STATES OR OTHER NATIONS SENDING FORCES OR EQUIPMENT TO SUPPORT THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION ON KOREA.

HE SAID AN AIRLINE OFFICIAL WOULD GO TO WASHINGTON LATER THIS WEEK TO GET MORE DEFINITE INFORMATION ON PLANS FOR THE PLANE.

IN ADDITION TO SOUTH KOREAN AND AMERICAN GROUND FORCES, THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES NOW INCLUDE AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE UNITS, AND AMERICAN, BRITISH, FRENCH, BELGIAN AND DUTCH NAVAL FORCES.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION TONIGHT WARNED DRAFT DELINQUENTS TO COMPLY WITH THE SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT OR FACE POSSIBLE PRISON TERMS.

THE WARNING CAME AS DRAFT FIGURES SHOWED THAT ABOUT 24 PER CENT OF THE DRAFTEES CALLED UP IN THE NEW YORK CITY AREA FAILED TO APPEAR FOR PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS.

THE WARNING CAME FROM EDWARD SCHEIDT, SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE OF THE FBI NEW YORK OFFICE. HE SAID WILLFUL VIOLATORS MAY BE SUBJECTED TO FIVE YEARS IMPRISONMENT AND A $10,000 FINE. BUT HE SAID THOSE WHO HAD MADE "AN HONEST MISTAKE" SHOULD CONFER WITH THEIR LOCAL DRAFT BOARDS.

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ATOMIC-RUSSIAN-KOREA (320)

WASHINGTON,AUG 6-(AP)-SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) SAID TODAY THAT WITH THE "LARGE" U.S. STOCKPILE OF ATOMIC BOMBS THE WEST "OUGHT TO HAVE A GREAT PREDOMINANCE" OVER RUSSIA IN THE AIR.

BUT THE REVERSE IS TRUE IN GROUND FORCES, HE SAID, URGING AN IMMEDIATE BUILD-UP OF FIGHTING MANPOWER AND WEAPONS IN WESTERN EUROPE.

TYDINGS, A MEMBER OF THE JOINT ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION AND CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, SUMMED UP THE TWO IDEAS IN A BROADCAST INTERVIEW (WBAL, BALTIMORE):

"IF WE ALL (MEANING THE U.S. AND EUROPE) BECAME INVOLVED IN WAR WITH RUSSIA, IN MY JUDGMENT THE RUSSIANS WOULD CERTAINLY HAVE THE BEST OF IT ON THE GROUND FOR SOME TIME.

"I DON'T THINK WE OUGHT TO LET THIS SITUATION REMAIN THAT WAY.

"I THINK WE'VE GOT TO GET AFTER THOSE (WESTERN EUROPEAN) COUNTRIES AND MAKE THEM PUT ON MORE AND MORE SPEED IN THEIR REARMAMENT PROGRAM, AND WE'VE GOT TO HELP THEM FINANCIALLY. X X X

"WHEN YOU COME TO THE AIR, THE ALLIES FIND THEMSELVES IN A MORE FAVORABLE POSITION THAN THEY DO ON THE GROUND.

"THE AIR FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN AND CANADA AND AUSTRALIA AND SOME OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES MAKE UP A PRETTY GOOD MATCH FOR RUSSIA.

"THEN WHEN WE FIGURE THAT OUR COUNTRY HAS A LARGE STOCKPILE OF ATOMIC BOMBS, AS COMPARED WITH WHAT RUSSIA LIKELY HAS, IN THE AIR WE OUGHT TO HAVE A GREAT PREDOMINANCE."

IN A SUMMARY OF DEFENSE OBSERVATIONS THE SENATOR STRESSED THESE POINTS:

1. TOP U.S. MILITARY LEADERS ARE MORE CONFIDENT ABOUT KOREA SINCE THE COMMUNIST ADVANCES HAVE BEEN SLOWED DOWN BUT "THERE'S STILL A LONG WAY TO GO AND THERE'S BLOODY FIGHTING AHEAD."

2. RUSSIA HAS DEVELOPED A POWERFUL AND CRUSHING GROUND FORCE AVAILABLE FOR USE IN EUROPE INCLUDING 200 POTENTIAL DIVISIONS, 40,000 MODERN TANKS AND "MORE ARTILLERY THAN ANY OTHER COUNTRY."

TYDINGS INDICATED THAT THE ALLIES NEVER CANE HOPE TO MATCH RUSSIAN COMMUNIST GROUND FORCES, MAN FOR MAN, TANK FOR TANK OR GUN FOR GUN.

HE SAID RUSSIA PROBABLY HAS MORE FIGHTER PLANES NOW THAN THIS COUNTRY AND ALLIED NATIONS, WHILE THE REVERSE IS TRUE ABOUT BOMBERS, HEAVY AND MEDIUM.

"OUR BOMBING FLEET OF AIRPLANES IS ONE OF THE OFFSETS TO THIS GREAT RUSSIAN ARMY," HE ADDED.

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VETS-DEFENSE (260)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 6-(AP)-THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION SAID TODAY THE GI BILL HAS PRODUCED "A GOOD-SIZED RESERVOIR OF VETERANS TRAINED IN SKILLS AND TRADES THAT WOULD BE ESSENTIAL IN TIME OF WAR."

THE AGENCY SAID A SURVEY AT THE END OF LAST OCTOBER SHOWED 735,000 VETERANS ENROLLED IN COLLEGES, 808,000 IN TRADE, INDUSTRIAL AND OTHER SCHOOLS BELOW THE COLLEGE LEVEL, 304,000 IN INSTITUTIONAL ON-FARM TRAINING, AND 285,000 IN ON-THE-JOB TRAINING COURSES.

"FOR EVERY MAN THEN IN TRAINING, VA ESTIMATED AT LEAST TWO OTHERS HAD EITHER COMPLETED OR DISCONTINUED THEIR GI BILL COURSES," THE REPORT SAID.

OF THE COLLEGE STUDENTS, 13 PERCENT OR MORE THAN 100,000 WERE STUDYING ENGINEERING.

ANOTHER SIX PERCENT, OR ALMOST 46,000, WERE ENROLLED IN MEDICAL AND ELATED COURSES. ABOUT FIVE PERCENT, OR 42,000, WERE TAKING COURSES IN THE PHYSICAL AND NATURAL SCIENCES, SUCH AS PHYSICS, GEOLOGY AND METEOROLOGY.

IN THE BELOW-COLLEGE-LEVEL GROUP 111,000 VETERANS WERE TAKING MECHANICAL COURSES, INCLUDING 80,000 STUDYING AUTOMOBILE MECHANICS, 11,000 DIESEL AND GAS ENGINE MECHANICS, AND MORE THAN 7,000 AS AIRCRAFT MECHANICS.

SECOND TO MECHANICAL TRAINING WAS RADIO AND TELEVISION MECHANICS, AIRCRAFT RADIO, TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE MAINTENANCE AND SIMILAR INSTRUCTION, WITH 89,000 ENROLLEES.

ENGINEERING SUBJECTS OCCUPIED 45,000 VETERANS, FLIGHT TRAINING 21,000, AND ELECTRICITY AND METALWORK, 21,000 EACH.

OF THOSE TAKING ON-THE-JOB TRAINING, 53,000 WERE TRAINING TO BE MECHANICS AND REPAIRMEN, 33,000 WERE STUDYING THE CONSTRUCTION TRADES AND 26,000 WERE TRAINING AS METALWORKERS.

"IN ADDITION TO THIS RESERVOIR OF VETERANS TRAINED IN OCCUPATIONS DIRECTLY RELATED TO WAR AND DEFENSE," VA SAID, "THE BULK OF ALL GI BILL ENROLLEES HAVE TRAINED FOR JOBS WHICH WOULD BE USEFUL TO A NATION IN MOBILIZING ITS RESOURCES FOR EMERGENCY PURPOSES."

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MUNDT-COMMUNISTS (200)

WASHINGTON,AUG 6-(AP)-SENATOR MUNDT (R-SD) SAID TODAY HE WILL TRY TO ATTACH HIS ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL TO THE PENDING ECONOMIC CONTROLS LEGISLATION UNLESS PROMISED IT WILL OTHERWISE GET PROMPT CONSIDERATION.

HE CALLED UPON MAJORITY LEADER SCOTT LUCAS (D-ILL) TO MAKE SUCH A PROMISE.

ALREADY ADOPTED BY THE HOUSE, THE ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL WOULD REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF ALL COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERS AS WELL AS IDENTIFICATION OF COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS.

MUNDT AND SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) ARE JOINTLY SPONSORING THE

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MEASURE.
ASSERTING THAT HE COULD SEE "NO CONCEIVABLE SOUND REASON" WHY THE ADMINISTRATION IS OPPOSING THE BILL, MUNDT TOLD A TELEVISION AUDIENCE (NBC):
"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE ARE BECOMING INCREASINGLY DISSATISFIED WITH A POLICY OF DRAFTING MEN FOR FIGHTING COMMUNISTS ABROAD AND DOING NOTHING FOR FIGHTING COMMUNISTS AT HOME."
ADDING THE BILL AS AN AMENDMENT TO THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS LEGISLATION HE SAID, SHOULD NOT DELAY PASSAGE OF THAT MEASURE MORE THAN A DAY OR TWO.
MUNDT EXPRESSED THE OPINION THAT THE ADMINISTRATION IS AFRAID IT WOULD LOSE CIO VOTES IF THE BILL PASSES.
MUNDT SAID HE FEELS CIO OPPOSITION TO THE MEASURE IS BASED ON CONFUSION, AND ADDED:
"THEY HAVE BEEN TAKEN IN BY THE ARGUMENT THAT THE BILL ENDANGERS CIVIL LIBERTIES."
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, AUG. 6)
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CONGRESS GENERAL (750)
BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH
(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, AUG. 6-(AP)-SENATOR LYNDON JOHNSON (D-TEX) TONIGHT DEMANDED SPEEDY ENACTMENT OF WAGE-PRICE-MANPOWER CONTROLS AND A STIFF EXCESS PROFITS TAX TO COMBAT "OUR WORST ENEMY AT HOME"--INFLATION.
"INFLATION CAN DO WHAT COMMUNISM HOPES TO DO," JOHNSON DECLARED.
THE TEXAN CALLED FOR ALL-OUT ECONOMIC PREPAREDNESS AS CONGRESS MADE READY TO TACKLE AGAIN THE ISSUE OF JUST HOW FAR TO GO AND HOW THE JOB SHOULD BE HANDLED.
IN THE HOUSE, WHERE EFFORTS TO WORK OUT A SOLUTION WERE FRUITLESS LAST WEEK, DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN LEADERS JOINED IN PREDICTING A DECISION BY TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY.
THE HOUSE BANKING COMMITTEE MEETS TOMORROW MORNING TO CANVASS THE SITUATION, AND THERE WERE INDICATIONS IT MIGHT AGREE ON A PLAN GIVING PRESIDENT TRUMAN FULL DISCRETION TO INVOLKE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS IF AND WHEN HE SAW FIT.
THERE WAS A POSSIBILITY, HOWEVER, THAT THE COMMITTEE MIGHT DECIDE TO HANDLE THAT PHASE OF HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION IN A SEPARATE BILL--AFTER ACTION ON A PARTIAL CONTROLS PROGRAM WHICH MR. TRUMAN HAS SAID WOULD BE ENOUGH FOR NOW.
THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE ALREADY HAS APPROVED THE GENERAL IDEA OF GIVING THE PRESIDENT A FREE HAND TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE CURBS AND RATIONING. IT MEETS TOMORROW TO PUT IN FINAL SHAPE A BILL THE SENATE EXPECTS TO START DEBATING WEDNESDAY.
THAT BILL ALSO INCLUDES THE LESS SWEEPING CONTROLS MR. TRUMAN REQUESTED. THOSE DEAL WITH ALLOCATION OF SCARCE INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, PRIORITIES TO CHANNEL THEM TO ESSENTIAL JOBS, CREDIT CURBS, AND AUTHORITY TO TAKE OVER PRIVATELY OWNED PLANTS. THE BILL ALSO WOULD AUTHORIZE $2,000,000,000 IN GOVERNMENT LOANS AND LOAN GUARANTEES TO SPUR DEFENSE PRODUCTION.
SENATOR JOHNSON, IN A SPEECH TRANSCRIBED FOR BROADCAST (WBAP-FORT WORTH, TEX.,) SAID THE JOB OF ECONOMIC PREPAREDNESS IS "THE FORGOTTEN FRONT OF THE PRESENT STURGGLE." HE ADDED:
"UNFORTUNATELY, I AM AFRAID THAT SOME HAVE BEEN TOO TIMID, TOO HESITANT, TOO SLOW IN RECOGNIZING THE NEED FOR HOME FRONT, ECONOMIC PREPAREDNESS. X X X
"IN BOTH WORLD WAR I AND WORLD WAR II, WE BUMBLED AND BUNGLED OUR WAY THROUGH THE BATTLE OF THE HOME FRONT. X X X SURELY WE CAN PROFIT FROM THE ERRORS OF THE PAST.

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"I BELIEVE THAT WE MUST--AS PROMPTLY AS POSSIBLE--PASS LEGISLATION PROVIDING STAND-BY CONTROLS FOR PRICES, WAGES AND MANPOWER. I ALSO BELIEVE THAT WE MUST HAVE, ALONG WITH THIS, HIGH EXCESS PROFITS TAXES. YOU CAN'T CONTROL WAGES WITHOUT CONTROLLING PROFITS."
JOHNSON DID NOT ELABORATE ON THE MANPOWER CONTROLS HE HAS IN MIND.
HE CALLED FOR APPROVAL OF A PLAN WHICH WOULD LET WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS GO INTO EFFECT AUTOMATICALLY, APPARENTLY ALONG THE LINE OF THE FORMULA WHICH THE FULL HOUSE AND THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE APPROVED AND THEN REJECTED LAST WEEK.
WITHOUT THE AUTOMATIC FEATURE, JOHNSON SAID, "I AM AFRAID THAT CONTROLS MAY BECOME A POLITICAL FOOTBALL."
THE IDEAS ALREADY ADVANCED AND REJECTED CALLED FOR MAKING WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS EFFECTIVE AT ONCE IF THE GOVERNMENT'S COST OF LIVING INDEX CLIMBED TO FIVE OR SIX PER CENT ABOVE THE LEVEL OF LAST JUNE.
MR. TRUMAN DENOUNCED THAT PROCEDURE AS AN INVITATION TO A PRICE INCREASE OF THE STATED MARGIN. IT WAS AFTER HE SPOKE OUT THAT THOSE PLANS WERE KILLED IN CONGRESS. THE PRESIDENT HAS SAID HE WOULD NOT OBJECT TO THE LAWMAKERS GIVING HIM STAND-BY POWERS WITHOUT ANY STRINGS AS TO WHEN THEY COULD BE USED.
JOHNSON ALSO CALLED FOR AN END TO BLAMING THE NATION'S LEADERS FOR THE PRESENT SITUATION.
"JOE STALIN'S COMMUNISTS, NOT PRESIDENT TRUMAN, WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA," JOHNSON SAID. "THE QUICKER WE DIRECT OUR HOSTILITY TO THE ENEMY AND NOT AT OUR LEADERS, THE QUICKER WE WILL GET THE JOB DONE."
THE EXCESS PROFITS TAX WHICH JOHNSON WANTS ENACTED IS NOT GETTING TOO MUCH ATTENTION IN THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE, WHERE SEVERAL OF THE MEMBERS FEEL IT SHOULD BE SHELVED UNTIL LATE THIS YEAR OR EARLY IN 1951.
THE COMMITTEE WILL RESUME WORK TOMORROW, HOWEVER, ON A BILL WHICH WOULD BOOST OTHER TAXES GENERALLY ABOUT $5,000,000,000 (B), AS REQUESTED BY MR. TRUMAN. SENATOR GEORGE (D-GA), THE CHAIRMAN, SAID HE LOOKS FOR THE COMMITTEE TO SEND THE MEASURE TO THE SENATE THIS WEEK.
CONGRESS MAY COMPLETE WORK THIS WEEK OR NEXT ON THE $34,300,000,000 "SINGLE PACKAGE" APPROPRIATION BILL WHICH THE SENATE PASSED LAST FRIDAY. THE BILL, CARRYING FUNDS FOR OPERATION OF MOST GOVERNMENT AGENCIES DURING THE YEAR WHICH STARTED JULY 1, WILL GO TO A HOUSE-SENATE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE FOR IRONING OUT OF DIFFERENCES.
ON THE MILITARY MOBILIZATION FRONT, THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE GOES AHEAD TOMORROW WITH HEARINGS ON MR. TRUMAN'S REQUEST FOR AN ADDITIONAL $10,487,000,000 TO BOLSTER THE NATION'S MILITARY POWER.
THERE MAY BE FINAL CONGRESSIONAL ACTION BEFORE THE WEEK'S END ON ANOTHER MAJOR BILL ALREADY OUT OF CONFERENCE--THE MEASURE BROADENING THE SOCIAL SECURITY PROGRAM.
THE HOUSE IS SCHEDULED TO VOTE THURSDAY ON THE COMPROMISE VERSION. THE SENATE MAY ACT FRIDAY. THE BILL WOULD BRING ABOUT 10,000,000 MORE PERSONS UNDER THE PROGRAM, BOOST BENEFITS UP TO 100 PERCENT IN SOME CASES, AND MORE THAN DOUBLE THE PRESENT PAYROLL TAX OVER THE NEXT 20 YEARS.
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TAXES (400)
BY FRANCIS M. LEMAY
WASHINGTON, AUG.6-(AP)-CHAIRMAN GEORGE (D-GA) OF THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE SAID TODAY THAT THE PROPOSED $5,000,000,000 WAR TAX BILL ACTUALLY MAY PRODUCE TWICE THAT MUCH BECAUSE OF AMERICA'S MUSHROOMING ECONOMY.

GEORGE SAID HE EXPECTS THE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE SUCH A BILL THIS WEEK. PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED THE QUICK EMERGENCY EXPANSION TO MEET SOME OF THE ADDED COST OF FIGHTING COMMUNIST AGGRESSION. MR.TRUMAN ESTIMATED HIS RECOMMENDATIONS WOULD YIELD $5,000,000,000 A YEAR.

GEORGE TOLD NEWSMEN THE COMMITTEE PROBABLY WILL FOLLOW PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S OUTLINE FOR LARGER LEVIES ON INDIVIDUAL AND CORPORATION INCOME. THESE RAN AS HIGH AS 20 PER CENT IN INDIVIDUAL TAX PAYMENTS, AT THE SAME TIME RAISING THE TOP CORPORATION RATE FROM 38 PER CENT TO 45 PER CENT.

"I EXPECT WE WILL GO ALONG WITH THE PRESIDENT, ALTHOUGH WE MAY DIFFER SOMEWHAT IN THE METHOD OF RAISING NEW REVENUE," GEORGE SAID.

"I DON'T THINK WE WILL FALL SHY OF $5,000,000,000 (B). I THINK BY INCREASING THE RATES TO PICK UP $5,000,000,000 (B) ON THE BASIS OF THE PRESENT ECONOMY, WE ACTUALLY WILL GET $8,000,000,000 (B) TO $10,000,000,000 (B), BECAUSE OF THE FAST EXPANDING ECONOMY.

UNDER HIS ESTIMATES, THE PRESIDENT SUGGESTED THAT INDIVIDUAL TAXES BE INCREASED BY $3,000,000,000 (B). HE SAID THE INCREASED RATES SHOULD APPLY TO THREE MONTHS OF 1950 INCOME OF INDIVIDUALS. CONGRESS MAY GO ALONG WITH MAKING THE INDIVIDUAL INCREASES EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, IT WAS INDICATED.

FOR CORPORATIONS, MR.TRUMAN SUGGESTED A $1,500,000,000 (B) INCREASE. HE SAID THESE HIGHER RATES SHOULD BE ON ALL 1950 CORPORATION INCOME. CONGRESS IS NOT LIKELY TO FOLLOW THE RECOMMENDATION THAT THE CORPORATE HIGHER RATES BE MADE RETROACTIVE. IT MAY MAKE THE NEW RATES EFFECTIVE EITHER JULY 1, 1950, OR OCTOBER 1.

THE PRESIDENT PROPOSED ALSO THAT $500,000,000 (M) OF THE NEW REVENUE BE PICKED UP THROUGH VARIOUS HOUSE-APPROVED ACTIONS WHICH WOULD: (1) PLUG TAX LAW LOOPHOLES, (2) PUT A TAX ON THE INVESTMENT INCOME OF LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES, AND (3) IMPOSE A WITHHOLDING TAX ON CORPORATION DIVIDENDS.

THE SENATE COMMITTEE YESTERDAY REJECTED THE PLAN TO WITHHOLD DIVIDEND PAYMENTS.

THE TREASURY HAD ESTIMATED THIS TAX WOULD HAVE YIELDED $175,000,000 (M) A YEAR. BUT GEORGE TOLD NEWSMEN HE THOUGHT THE FIGURE WAS VASTLY EXAGGERATED AND THAT SUCH A TAX WOULD CAUSE "NOTHING BUT HEADACHES."

THE COMMITTEE TOMORROW PROBABLY WILL DEAL WITH THE TAXATION OF UNRELATED BUSINESS ACTIVITY OF TAX EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS, SUCH AS EDUCATIONAL AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS. IT THEN WILL TURN TO DECISIONS ON HOW MUCH MORE WILL BE TAKEN FROM INDIVIDUALS' POCKETBOOKS AND CORPORATIONS' TILLS.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY AUG.6)
WHERRY (300)
(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, AUG. 6-(AP)-SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) CALLED ON HIS PARTY TODAY TO ASSUME A WARTIME WATCHDOG ROLE AND REQUIRE THE ADMINISTRATION TO "JUSTIFY EVERY RECOMMENDATION MADE BY THE PRESIDENT."

"AFTER ALL, WE LIVE IN A REPUBLIC AND REPUBLICAN PROCESSES MUST PREVAIL, IN PEACE AND IN WAR," THE SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER SAID. HE WAS INTERVIEWED FOR BROADCAST BY THE GANNETT NEWS SERVICE.

REPUBLICANS IN CONGRESS "WILL COOPERATE WHOLEHEARTEDLY WITH THE ADMINISTRATION IN DOING WHATEVER IS NECESSARY TO BRING THE WAR IN KOREA TO A SUCCESSFUL, VICTORIOUS CONCLUSION," WHERRY SAID, BUT WENT ON:

"CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM IS MANDATORY WHEN FAILURES ARE SHOWN."

HE GAVE SPECIFIC MENTION TO WHAT HE TERMED "THE FAILURES TO ACT ON REPORTS OF OUR MILITARY INTELLIGENCE, THE FAILURE OF UNDERESTIMATING THE INVASION, BY LAUNCHING OUR AID WITH ONLY AIR FORCE AND NAVAL VESSELS, TO BE FOLLOWED AFTER LOSS OF PRECIOUS TIME BY SENDING GROUND TROOPS INTO THE WAR."

IN THAT CONNECTION WHERRY PROMISED THAT "IN DUE TIME WE SHALL FIX THAT RESPONSIBILITY."

CALLING ANEW FOR THE RESIGNATION OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, THE REPUBLICAN LEADER SAID THE "COURAGEOUS PART" OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S DECISION TO INTERVENE IN KOREA WAS "TO REPUDIATE THE POLICY OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON FOR APPEASEMENT OF SOVIET RUSSIA'S AMBITION TO CONQUER FREE PEOPLES."

ASKED TO EXPLAIN WHY AMERICANS ARE FIGHTING IN THE LITTLE ASIAN COUNTRY, WHERRY SAID THE REASONS "REACH BACK TO FAILURES BY THE ADMINISTRATION TO MAINTAIN A FORTHRIGHT UNITED STATES POLICY IN THE PACIFIC."

WHERRY SAID HE IS SURE CONGRESS IS WILLING TO APPROPRIATE EVERY DOLLAR NEEDED FOR DEFENSE BUT MUST GUARD AGAINST "FRITTERING AWAY" U.S. RESOURCES.

IN THAT CONNECTION HE COMPLAINED THAT WHILE MATERIALS VITAL TO WINNING THE WAR ARE BEING SHIPPED TO MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES, THOSE NATIONS ARE SENDING IDENTICAL GOODS TO RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES.

HE SAID THE GREATEST CONTRIBUTION THE PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS COULD MAKE TO LESSEN THE WARTIME PRESSURE ON PRICES "WOULD BE TO CUT THE PRESENT OUTRAGEOUSLY HIGH COST OF GOVERNMENT."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY AUG. 6)
NAVY AWARDS (100)
(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, AUG. 6-(AP)-TWO SUBMARINES, THE CHARR AND THE SEA ROBIN, HAVE BEEN CHOSEN THE OUTSTANDING SHIPS OF THE FLEET FOR THE 1950 FISCAL YEAR, THE NAVY SAID TODAY.

THE TWO WILL RECEIVE A TOTAL OF $1,400 PRIZE MONEY WHICH GOES INTO THEIR RECREATION FUNDS FOR ENLISTED MEN. IT COMES FROM THE MARJORIE STERRETT BATTLESHIP FUND WHICH HAS PROVIDED BATTLE EFFICIENCY COMPETITION PRICES FOR NAVY CREWS FOR 22 YEARS.

BATTLE EFFICIENCY PENNANTS WENT TO 62 SHIPS AND 12 NAVAL AIRCRAFT SQUADRONS AS LEADERS OF THEIR TYPES BASED ON OVERALL PERFORMANCE IN EXERCISES AND READINESS.

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M(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME SUNDAY, AUG. 6) (3B

(ADVANCE) CLEVELAND, AUG. 6-(AP)-STEEL MILLS ALREADY ARE REVAMPING SOME PRODUCTION SCHEDULES AS MILITARY ORDERS RISE, STEEL MAGAZINE SAID TODAY.

THIS IS CONTRIBUTING TO SHIPMENT DELAYS ON CIVILIAN ACCOUNT AND GIVING IMPETUS TO A CONSUMER'S SCRAMBLE FOR PROTECTIVE TONNAGE, THE WEEKLY ADDED.

"FOR THE NEAR FUTURE VOLUNTARY ALLOCATIONS WILL PROVE ADEQUATE TO CARE FOR ALL LIKELY ARMAMENT NEEDS," STEEL PREDICTED. "PRODUCTION CAPACITY TOPS THAT OF 10 YEARS AGO BY ABOUT 20 PER CENT, NOW STANDING AT OVER 100 MILLION TONS OF INGOTS, WITH ANOTHER 5 MILLIONS SCHEDULED FOR COMPLETION WITHIN TWO YEARS."

"AT THE OUTSIDE, MILITARY NEEDS WILL RUN TO NO MORE THAN 10 TO 12 MILLION TONS OF FINISHED STEEL ANNUALLY,

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LAVING ABOUT 65 MILLION TONS FOR CIVILIAN USE. THIS IS AS MUCH AS WAS SHIPPED IN 1948."

THE NATIONAL STEELMAKING RATE ROSE ONE POINT LAST WEEK TO 100.5 PER CENT OF RATED CAPACITY PRODUCTION, OR ABOUT 1,916,000 TONS.

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BLOOMINGTON, ILL., AUG. 6-(AP)-UNITED STATES FINANCIAL AID FOR BURMA WAS URGED TODAY IN A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE CHINA-BURMA-INDIA VETERANS ASSOCIATION AT THE GROUP'S ANNUAL CONVENTION.

"THE PRESENT BURMESE GOVERNMENT IS A DEMOCRACY NOW DEMONSTRATING ITS ABILITY TO HANDLE INTERNAL SECURITY" THE RESOLUTION STATES, "AND SHOULD BE HELPED WITH U.S. FINANCES."

THE RESOLUTION FURTHER URGES "THAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT ENCOURAGE PRIVATE INDUSTRY TO INVEST IN BURMESE CAPITAL ENTERPRISES." THIS COULD BE DONE, THE CONVENTION DELEGATES DECIDED, BY GUARANTEEING ANY APPROVED BUSINESS ENTERING BURMA A PROFIT OF 10 PER CENT.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 5 P.M., E.S.T., SUNDAY AUG. 6) NOTE DATE MCCARTHY-COMMUNISM (420)

(ADVANCE) (WX) MILWAUKEE,AUG 6-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) RENEWED HIS COMMUNISTS-IN-GOVERNMENT CHARGES TODAY AND CALLED SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION'S "WHIMPERING LAP DOG."

MCCARTHY ALSO SAID HE INTENDS TO CONTINUE A "BARE-KNUCKLE" FIGHT TO EXPOSE COMMUNISTS "AS LONG AS I REMAIN IN THE SENATE."

TYDINGS, REACHED AT HIS HOME AT HAVRE DE GRACE, MD., DECLINED TO COMMENT ON MCCARTHY'S STATEMENTS.

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TYDINGS HEADED THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH INVESTIGATED MCCARTHY'S CONTENTIONS THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT HARBORS COMMUNISTS AND RED SYMPATHIZERS.

THE DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE LABELLED THE MCCARTHY CHARGES "A FRAUD AND A HOAX."

SENATOR LODGE (R-MASS) ISSUED A MINORITY DOCUMENT CALLING THE INVESTIGATION SUPERFICIAL AND INCONCLUSIVE. SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (IOWA), THE OTHER REPUBLICAN MEMBER, IS PREPARING A SEPARATE REPORT. HE ALREADY HAS SAID HE IS IN GENERAL ACCORD WITH LODGE'S VIEWS.

IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR THE WISCONSIN RETAIL FOOD DEALERS ASSOCIATION, MCCARTHY ACCUSED TYDINGS AND SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN), WHO ALSO WAS ON THE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE, OF DOING "A DISHONEST JOB," AND OF BEING "INTERESTED IN PROTECTING COMMUNISTS FOR POLITICAL REASONS."

THEN, IN LEADING UP TO HIS SHARPEST CRITICISM OF TYDINGS, MCCARTHY ASKED:

"WHY DOES THE CONGRESS STAND IDLY BY WHILE A GROUP OF COMMUNISTS, FELLOW TRAVELERS AND THEIR DUPES (IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT) SABOTAGE THE EFFORTS OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TO HOLD BACK THE ATHEISTIC COMMUNIS HORDE BEFORE IT HITS OUR SHORES?

"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WANT TO KNOW WHERE AND HOW WAS SPENT THE $90,000,000,000 (CORRECT) WHICH THE AMERICAN PEOPLE GAVE TO MAKE THIS NATION STRONG. IF THAT MONEY WAS WASTED, THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WANT TO KNOW, WHERE, WHY AND BY WHOM.

"AS YOU KNOW, THE (SENATE) ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE IS CHARGED WITH THE RESPONSIBILITY OF MAKING SURE THAT THE MONEY WHICH WE APPROPRIATE FOR THE ARMING OF THIS NATION, AND ANY OTHER NATION, IS BEING PROPERLY

SPENT.
"WHO DO YOU THINK IS THE CHAIRMAN OF THAT COMMITTEE? NONE OTHER THAN MILLARD TYDINGS--THE SAME TYDINGS WHO HEADED THE WHITEWASH COMMITTEE.
"AS CHAIRMAN OF THAT COMMITTEE HE SHOULD BE THE WATCHDOG OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. X X X HE SHOULD KNOW WHERE THE $90,000,000,000 WE SPENT TO MAKE THIS NATION MILITARILY STRONG WENT.

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"AS CHAIRMAN OF THAT COMMITTEE HE SHOULD KNOW WHY ONLY $200 WAS SPENT TO ARM SOUTH KOREA, OUT OF A TOTAL OF $87,300,000 WHICH WAS APPROPRIATED FOR THAT AREA. X X X HE SHOULD BE THE POWERFUL, VIGILANT WATCHDOG OF 152,000,000 AMERICAN PEOPLE--TRULY A GREAT JOB.
"UNFORTUNATELY, THE MAN WHOM THE ADMINISTRATION PLACED IN CHARGE OF THAT COMMITTEE, INSTEAD OF BEING A BRISTLING, VIGILANT WATCHDOG IS THE ADMINISTRATION'S WHIMPERING LAP DOG. THIS IS TRULY A TRAGIC SITUATION.
MCCARTHY REPEATED HIS BITTER CRITICISM OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND SAID AGAIN THERE IS AN "URGENT NECESSITY OF GETTING RID OF HIM IF THIS NATION IS TO SURVIVE."
MCCARTHY ALSO RENEWED HIS "PRO-COMMUNIST" ACCUSATIONS AGAINST ALL OF THOSE NAMED PUBLICLY AT THE TIME OF THE SENATE INQUIRY.
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BRIDGES (360)
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG.6-(AP)-HARRY BRIDGES, PRESIDENT OF THE CIO LONGSHOREMEN'S UNION, IS IN JAIL.
IN AN UNUSUAL SATURDAY AFTERNOON COURT SESSION, FEDERAL JUDGE GEORGE HARRIS CANCELLED BRIDGES' $25,000. BAIL AND ORDERED HIM INTO CUSTODY. BRIDGES WAS TAKEN BY U.S.MARSHALS TO THE SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY JAIL.
THE LONGSHORE BOSS WAS CALLED A "MENACE TO THE NATION'S SECURITY" BY THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, WHICH ASKED THE COURT TO REVOKE BAIL.
BRIDGES WAS CONVICTED BEFORE JUDGE HARRIS LAST APRIL 4 FOR LYING AT HIS 1945 NATURALIZATION HEARING WHEN HE SAID UNDER OATH HE WAS NOT A COMMUNIST. HE WAS SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS IN PRISON AND PLACED ON BAIL WHILE HIS LAWYERS APPEALED THE CASE TO HIGHER COURTS.
IN ORDERING THE GAUNT DEFENDANT'S BAIL TERMINATED, JUDGE HARRIS CALLED BRIDGES "PROBABLY ONE OF THE MOST COGENT FIGURES IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN AMERICA TODAY."
"AS SUCH," SAID HARRIS, "HE IS AN AGENT DEDICATED TO EXECUTE THE COMMUNIST PROGRAM NATIONALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY."
"AS SUCH, HIS ALLEGIANCE CANNOT BE TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. HIS CONDUCT SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE KOREAN CRISIS AND HIS REMARKS AT THIS PROCEEDING, ARE OF SUCH A NATURE AS TO JUSTIFY THIS COURT IN CONCLUDING THAT HIS LOYALTY AND ALLEGIANCE ARE AND MUST BE WITH THE COMMUNISTS."
BRIDGES ATTORNEYS INTEND TO ASK THE U.S.COURT OF APPEALS TOMORROW FOR A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS. UNDER APPEALS PROCEDURE, THEY CAN ALSO ASK THE HIGHER COURT FOR BAIL.
"I BELIEVE RIGHT NOW THAT ANYBODY WHO SPEAKS HIS OPINION ON THE CURRENT WORLD SITUATION IS LIABLE FOR JAIL," BRIDGES TOLD NEWSMEN, AS HE WAS ESCORTED TO THE JAIL.
PROSECUTOR F.JOSEPH DONOHUE, WHO HANDLED THE GOVERNMENT'S CASE AT THE LONG PERJURY TRIAL AND AT THE FOUR-DAY BAIL HEARING HAD SOUGHT TO SHOW THAT BRIDGES OBSTRUCTED SUPPORT FOR U.S.KOREAN POLICY IN HIS UNION AND FOLLOWED THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE.
THE DEFENSE MAINTAINED THAT THE GOVERNMENT WANTED TO PUT BRIDGES IN JAIL FOR HIS OPINIONS, CONTENDING HE HAD VIOLATED NO OBLIGATIONS OF HIS BAIL.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE IN AMS OF MONDAY, AUG. 7)
(ADVANCE)...HOLLYWOOD, AUG. 6-(AP)-THE PIN-UP DERBY WAS OFF AND RUNNING TODAY, WITH FIRST CHEESECAKE REQUESTS FROM THE KOREAN WAR ZONE STREAMING INTO STUDIO PUBLICITY OFFICES.
HOSTILITIES IN ASIA STARTED SO SUDDENLY THAT GIS THERE DISCOVERED THAT THEY ALSO WERE UNDER EQUIPPED IN THE MORALE BOOSTING DEPARTMENT.
SO, WITH AN EYE TOWARD THE FUTURE, HOLLYWOOD'S CHEESECAKE MILLS ONCE AGAIN HURRIED TO THE RESCUE. SPECIAL DEPARTMENTS ARE BEING SET UP TO SHIP STUDIO PHOTOS OUT BY THE MILLIONS.
THE SERVICEMAN'S TASTE, IN WOMEN, IS ABOUT THE SAME AS IN THE LAST WAR, OR FOR THAT MATTER, ANY WAR. LANA TURNER, ESTHER WILLIAMS, BETTY GRABLE AND JANE RUSSELL ARE BACK; SO ARE ALL THE OTHER GI WARTIME FAVORITES.
AND THERE ARE SOME CURVACEOUS NEWCOMERS, TOO, NOTABLY SHELLEY WINTERS, AVA GARDNER, DEBRA PAGET, VERA ELLEN AND A SCORE OF GLAMOR GALS WHO ATTAINED SCREEN FAME AFTER THE LAST WAR.
THERE'S ONE CONSPICUOUS ABSENTEE IN THE BATCH OF PIN-UP QUEENS JUST RELEASED BY THE STUDIOS--RITA HAYWORTH. HER POSE IN A FILMY BLACK AND WHITE NIGHTTIE WAS IMMENSELY POPULAR. IN FACT, THE PUBLICISTS SWEAR SOLEMNLY THAT HER PHOTO EVEN ADORNED THE HIROSHIMA A-BOMB.
NOW, HOWEVER, A ROYAL MARRIAGE HAS RENDERED THE HAYWORTH CHASSIS UNAVAILABLE FOR WAR DUTY.
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FIRST LEAD OFFENSIVE (350)

BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 7-(AP)-AMERICAN MARINES AND DOUGHBOYS DROVE NEARLY TWO MILES ON "A BROAD FRONT" EAST OF CHINJU IN THE FIRST ALLIED OFFENSIVE OF THE KOREAN WAR.

REPORTS TO FIELD HEADQUARTERS SAID THE REDS SUFFERED PROBABLY THEIR HEAVIEST CASUALTIES OF THE WAR IN THE ATTACK ON THE 6TH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION.

THE REPORTS SAID THE AMERICAN INFANTRY DRIVE FORCED THE COMMUNIST INFANTRY TROOPS TO EXPOSE THEMSELVES AND THEIR POSITIONS TO THE U.S. 5TH AIR FORCE FIGHTER PLANES AND BOMBERS.

"THE AIR BOYS HAD MORE AND BETTER TARGETS TODAY THAN THEY HAVE HAD IN A LONG TIME," ONE STAFF OFFICER SAID.

BUT THE COMMUNISTS MADE THEIR OWN KIND OF TROUBLE FOR THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE WITH ACCURATE AND EFFECTIVE ARTILLERY FIRE ON A BOTTLENECK ROAD WEST OF CHINDGON.

ONE AMERICAN TANK WAS STOPPED AND SEVERAL VEHICLES WERE KNOCKED OUT ON THIS ROAD. THE ARTILLERY FIRE STOPPED THE ADVANCE OF AMERICAN TANKS TRYING TO SUPPORT THE INFANTRY ATTACK.

COMMUNIST ARTILLERY DIRECTED BY OBVIOUSLY CLOSE AND DIRECT OBSERVATION ALSO HIT INTO AMERICAN ARTILLERY POSITIONS.

BUT AMERICAN INFANTRY PUSHED AHEAD WITHOUT ARMOR SUPPORT.

BOTH PLANES AND GROUND PATROLS CONCENTRATED ON FINDING AND KNOCKING OUT RED FIELD GUNS.

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THE AMERICAN ATTACK WAS A BROAD ONE MANNED BY THREE REGIMENTS--THE 5TH MARINE REGIMENT (REINFORCED), THE 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII AND THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION.

MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN, COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE 25TH DIVISION, COMMANDS THE OPERATION WITH A TASK FORCE BEARING HIS NAME.

WHILE THE THREE-PRONGED ATTACK WAS MADE TOWARD CHINJU BY THE "KEAN TASK FORCE," 20 MILES TO THE WEST 25TH DIVISION ELEMENTS WERE DOING A STOPPING-UP JOB BETWEEN CHUNGI AND THE NAKTONG RIVER TO THE NORTH.

THE 5TH MARINE REGIMENT ASSIGNMENT WAS TO PUSH DOWN A SOUTHWEST ROAD TOWARDS WOSONG. THIS ROAD SKIRTS THE WEST SHORE OF CHINHAE GULF. IF PUSHED SUCCESSFULLY, THIS ATTACKING ARM COULD GO WESTWARD TO SUCHIN SOUTH OF CHINJU. RED-HELD CHINJU IS 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN PORT, THE MAIN AMERICAN BASE.

LATEST OFFICIAL REPORTS MONDAY ON THE OFFENSIVE WERE IN AN 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT 8:35 P.M. (5:35 A.M., EST). IT SAID: "THE ATTACK LAUNCHED THIS MORNING BY THE 25TH DIVISION AND THE MARINE BRIGADE ADVANCED ABOUT 3,000 YARDS TODAY ON A BROAD FRONT. STRONG RESISTANCE WAS MET WITH U.S. FORCES INFLICTING HEAVY CASUALTIES ON THE ENEMY."

THE FIFTH INFANTRY REGIMENT WAS ATTACKING NORTHWEST FROM KOGANNI ON A ROAD FORKING INTO THE MAIN CHINJU HIGHWAY AT A JUNCTION NEAR PANSONG. THE 35TH REGIMENT'S PUSH WAS ALONG THE MAIN CHINJU-MASAN HIGHWAY. IT JUMPED OFF FROM A POINT SOUTH OF CHUNGAMNI.

THE 5TH INFANTRY ADVANCED BY MIDAFTERNOON TO A SMALL RIVER AND A NORTH-SOUTH ROAD RUNNING DUE SOUTH OF CHUNGAMNI. ITS CONTINUED ADVANCE WOULD THREATEN THE REAR OF THE COMMUNISTS OPPOSING THE 35TH REGIMENT.

WHILE THE DEEP SOUTH OFFENSIVE WAS LAUNCHED, THERE WAS CONCERN AMONG OBSERVERS THAT THE COMMUNISTS MAY HAVE RENEWED THE NAKTONG RIVER CROSSING ATTEMPTS MONDAY NIGHT IN THE 24TH DIVISION AREA.

SOME OF THE 800-MAN FORCE THAT CROSSED EARLY SUNDAY STILL OCCUPIED ELEMENTS OF TWO REGIMENTS TRYING TO CLEAR OUT 150 RED SURVIVORS SCATTERED IN HILLS EAST OF THE RIVER.

THE COMMUNISTS WERE EXPECTED TO RENEW CROSSING ATTEMPTS DESPITE STEADY DAYLIGHT HARASSMENT BY 5TH AIR FORCE FIGHTER-BOMBERS AGAINST RED CONCENTRATIONS ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR WEST OF TAEGU WAS REPORTED LIMITED TO PATROLLING.

THE COMMUNISTS LAUNCHED A NEW OFFENSIVE TODAY SOUTH OF YECHON ON THE NORTHERN FRONT, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

SOUTH KOREAN FORCES REPORTED THEY WERE UNDER HEAVY RED PRESSURE.

THE SOUTH KOREANS SAID THEY WERE ENGAGING IN "FIRE FIGHTS" WITH THE NORTHERNERS MONDAY AFTERNOON.

KOREAN RED ARTILLERY, DESPITE REPEATED U.S. AIR ATTACKS, STALLED AN AMERICAN TANK COLUMN WEST OF CHINDONG ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN KOREA FRONT. THE COLUMN WAS RUSHING WEST TO JOIN THE BATTLE.

THE BIG GUNS, LOCATED ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ONLY ROAD LEADING WEST OUT OF CHINDONG, BLOCKED THE TANKS FROM JOINING "TASK FORCE KEAN," THE U.S. POWER DRIVE IN THE SOUTH.

ONE HEAVY TANK, PRESUMABLY A 45 TON PERSHING, WAS HIT, SAID LT. HERMAN C. MITCHELL, ROANOKE, VA. MITCHELL, A LIAISON PILOT, FLEW OVER THE BATTLE AREA FOR SIX HOURS.

OTHER HEAVY TANKS WERE BACKED UP BEHIND THE DISABLED TANK.

CHINDONG, ON THE SOUTH COAST, IS FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF MASAN.

MITCHELL SAID THE REDS HAD PLACED THEIR ARTILLERY BEFORE THE TANK COLUMN STARTED ROLLING, AND HAD "ZEROED IN" IN HIGHWAY. THE ROAD WAS UNDER DIRECT RED OBSERVATION, HE REPORTED. ANY MOVEMENT ON IT DREW IMMEDIATE FIRE.

U.S. PLANES WERE CALLED TO BLAST OUT THE ARTILLERY BUT IT STILL WAS FIRING IN LATE AFTERNOON DESPITE REPEATED ATTACKS.

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BULLETIN

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TOKYO,TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY THE AMERICAN DRIVE ALONG THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA "MADE SOME GAINS." ENEMY LOSSES WERE "ECTREMELY HEAVY." LARGE AMOUNTS OF EQUIPMENT WERE CAPTURED.

THE HEADQUARTERS RELEASE SAID THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE HIT THE NORTH KOREANS AS THEY WERE PREPARING TO ATTACK TOWARD MASAN.

THE RED THRUST WAS HALTED BUT AMERICAN PROGRESS HAS BEEN "SLOW."

THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD IN FRONT OF THE 24TH DIVISION, ON THE WESTERN FRONT NORTH OF THIS ACTION WAS COUNTERATTACKED DURING THE NIGHT, HEADQUARTERS SAID. THE REDS PUT ONE BATTALION ACROSS THE NAKTONG.

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BULLETIN
TOKYO,TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY THE AMERICAN DRIVE ALONG THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA REACHED SAGONG, 12 AIR LINE MILES EAST OF CHINJU AT NOON TODAY.
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TOKYO---FIRST ADD MACARTHUR NOON REPORT X X X NOON TODAY.
SAGONG IS ON THE MAIN ROAD TO COMMUNIST-HELD CHINJU.
A SPOKESMAN CAUTIONED AGAINST PREMATURE OPTIMISM.
"THE SITUATION IS BETTER THAN YESTERDAY," HE SAID, "BUT NOT MATERIALLY."
HE SAID COMMUNIST CASUALTIES WERE "TERRIFIC" AND AMERICAN LOSSES "RELATIVELY LIGHT."

BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID THE AMERICAN DRIVE APPARENTLY BEAT THE REDS' FULL SCALE OFFENSIVE TOWARD THE AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE OF PUSAN BY ONLY A FEW HOURS.
THE TWO FORCES GOING IN OPPOSITE DIRECTIONS CLASHED HEAD ON.
THE HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THE FIGHTING WAS HEAVIER TODAY AND PROGRESS MADE BY THE AMERICANS WAS SLOWER.
MUCH ENEMY MATERIEL WAS REPORTED CAPTURED. IT CONSISTED MOSTLY OF MORTARS AND MACHINE GUNS NONE OF IT WAS NEW.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID IT IS PROBABLE THE REDS HAVE DETERMINED THE LOCATION AND OBJECTIVES OF AMERICAN UNITS AND BROUGHT UP "VERY HEAVY FORCES" TO MEET THEM.
THE THREE AMERICAN UNITS COMPOSING "TASK FORCE KEAN" ARE STILL THE ONLY ONES IDENTIFIED BY AMERICAN SOURCES.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS ESTIMATED NORTH KOREAN LOSSES AT 44,500 SINCE THE START OF THE WAR. THIS IS 7,000 HIGHER THAN THEIR LAST PREVIOUS ESTIMATE.
AN INTELLIGENCE SPOKESMAN SAID IT WOULD BE A "GOOD GUESS" THAT THE REDS ARE LOSING AN AVERAGE OF 1,000 MEN DAILY.
BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID RED CROSSINGS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER FORMING THE AMERICAN DEFENSE LINE ALONG MOST OF THE WESTERN FRONT, MAY HERALD A STRONG THRUST AIMED DIRECTLY AT TAEGU. TAEGU IS THE U.S. CENTRAL SUPPLY POINT.
SO FAR ALL RED CROSSINGS HAVE BEEN CONTAINED, THE OFFICER SAID. TWO BEACHHEADS WERE REPORTED. HEADQUARTERS SAID THERE MIGHT BE A THIRD IN THE NORTH CENTRAL SECTOR.
OFFICERS SAID "THERE IS NO DOUBT THE NORTH KOREANS WERE ABLE TO INFILTRATE UNITED NATIONS LINES DURING DARKNESS. IT'S POSSIBLE A LARGER FORCE THAN TWO BATTALIONS WENT OVER."

HEAVY ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS HAVE BEEN SIGHTED EAST OF KUMCHON ON THE ROADS LEADING TO THE TAEGU FRONT.
"THEY CAN NOT BE DISREGARDED," A BRIEFING OFFICER SAID.
RED UNITS HAVE BEEN SPOTTED SLIPPING THROUGH A TWELVE MILE GAP ON THE EXTREME EASTERN FRONT BETWEEN SOUTH KOREAN FORCES AT YONGDOK AND OTHER DIVISIONS DUE WEST OF THERE.
IN AN APPARENTLY HEAVY BATTLE, THREE ENEMY REGIMENTS HIT THE SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION SOUTHWEST OF ANDONG IN THE CENTER OF THE NORTHERN FRONT.
IN SOME PLACES THESE RED FORCES DROVE NEARLY TWO MILES TO KYOCHON. SOUTH KOREANS REGROUPED AND HELD THAT TOWN.
A BRIEFING OFFICER SAID THE NORTH KOREANS PICKED POOR POSITIONS FOR THEIR BEACHHEADS. CROSSING THE RIVER WHERE IT MADE WIDE LOOPS AND WHERE THEY COULD BE EASILY PINCHED OFF.
AMERICANS ARE HOLDING HIGH GROUND OVERLOOKING THESE LOOPS AND CHOPPING THE BEACHHEADS DOWN AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE.
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A121KX
BULLETIN
WITH AMERICAN TROOPS ATTACKING IN SOUTH KOREA,TUESDAY,AUG.8-(AP)-THE AMERICAN 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM HAS DRIVEN TO WITHIN TEN MILES OF CHINJU ON THE NORTHERN FLANK OF THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE.
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A122KX
BULLETIN MATTER
WITH AMERICAN TROOPS ATTACKING IN SOUTH KOREA...1ST ADD OFFENSIVE (WHICH MAKE BY DON WHITEHEAD) X X X AMERICAN OFFENSIVE.
CHINJU IS THE STAGING BASE FOR THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST'S CONTEMPLATED DRIVE TOWARD PUSAN, AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE 55 MILES TO THE EAST.
THE ADVANCE MEANS THE AMERICANS HAVE COVERED ABOUT HALF THE DISTANCE FROM THEIR JUMPING OFF PLACE AT CHUNGNAM TO CHINJU.
THIS IS ABOUT SIX MILES FARTHER THAN THE LAST REPORTED ADVANCE OF THEIS NORTHERN ARM OF THE OFFENSIVE. (THAT WOULD BE A GAIN OF TEN MILES SINCE THE DRIVE STARTED).
THE SOUTHERN ARM OF THE AMERICAN ATTACK STILL WAS STALLED BY HEAVY COMMUNIST FLANKING ATTACKS AT A ROAD BOTTLENECK WEST OF CHINDONG.
THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT BOTH WERE HELD BACK BY RED ATTACKS WITH AUTOMATIC WEAPONS AND RIFLES FROM A FORM IN THE ROAD.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED THAT THE COMMUNISTS EARLY TODAY THREW A MORTAR AND MACHINE GUN ROADBLOCK ACROSS THE HIGHWAY BETWEEN MASAN AND CHINDONG---DEEP BEHIND THE AMERICAN ADVANCE.
U. S. TANKS AND ARTILLERY WENT TO WORK CLEARING OUT THE ROADBLOCK. BY NOON TODAY THEY HAD CUT IT DOWN TO SPORADIC MACHINE GUN FIRE.
AMERICAN SUPPLY VEHICLES WERE AGAIN USING THE ROAD.
LAMBERT IS WITH THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT WEST OF MASAN.

LAMBERT REPORTED THERE WAS HEAVY FIGHTING TUESDAY MORNING BETWEEN GROUND TROOPS AT THE HIGHWAY FORK WEST OF CHINDONG. HERE ONE ROAD TURNS NORTHWEST TO CHINJU AND A SECOND RUNS SOUTHWEST TO KOSONG, NEAR THE COAST.
THE REAR ROAD BLOCK AND THE FLANK PRESSURE NEAR THE FRONT SLOWED THE START OF THE SECOND DAY FOR THE FIFTH INFANTRY AND THE FIFTH MARINES.
"THE REDS HAVE SLOWED DOWN, BUT NOT COMPLETELY BOGGED DOWN, THE AMERICAN ATTACK," A MARINE OFFICER TOLD LAMBERT.
THE BOTTLENECK ROAD OUT OF CHINDONG STALLED MONDAY'S ATTACK BY THESE OUTFITS WHEN RED ARTILLERY KNOCKED OUT THE LEAD AMERICAN TANK. IT BLOCKED THE MOVEMENT OF OTHER TANKS AND HEAVY EQUIPMENT BEHIND IT.
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BULLETIN
FIRST LEAD KOREAN AIR-NAVAL
TOKYO, AUG. 7-(AP)-B-29S PLASTERED PYONGYANG AND WONSAN WITH MORE THAN 540 TONS OF BOMBS TODAY IN THEIR HEAVIEST STRIKE OF THE KOREAN WAR.

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THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES SAID B-29S THAT WERE IN THE UNITED STATES ONLY SIX DAYS AGO JOINED IN THE STRIKE.

THE PLANES DROPPED 460 TONS OF BOMBS ON RAIL YARDS AT PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL, "WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS."

THEY ENCOUNTERED SOME FLAK, A KOREAN WAR RELEASE SAID.

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OTHER B-29S STRUCK THE OIL REFINERY AT WONSAN, FIRST MAJOR TARGET OF THE BOMBER COMMAND WHEN ITS PLANES ROARED OVER NORTH KOREA JULY 13.

THICK CLOUDS OBSCURED THE TARGET. BOMBING WAS BY RADAR. OBSERVERS REPORTED BOMBS STRUCK THE TARGET.

ALL THE BOMBERS RETURNED TO THEIR BASE.

PYONGYANG IS A RAIL CENTER AND ARSENAL HANDLING MAJOR THROUGH TRAFFIC TO THE BATTLEFRONT.

OTHER AMERICAN WARPLANES STRAFED AND ROCKETED RED KOREAN POSITIONS ALONG THE SOUTHERN BATTLEFRONT IN SUPPORT OF THE BIG U.S. DRIVE.

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THIS CONTINUED THE UPSURGE OF AERIAL WARFARE MADE POSSIBLE OVER THE WEEKEND BY FAVORABLE WEATHER.

NAVY PILOTS JOINED SUNDAY IN THEIR SECOND STRAIGHT DAY OF CLOSE COOPERATION WITH LAND BASED PLANES. THEY FLEW FROM TWO ESSEX CLASS CARRIERS OF REINFORCED TASK FORCE 77. THE SECOND 27,000 TON CARRIER JOINED THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET SATURDAY.

THE NAVY FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS RAKED TARGETS THROUGHOUT SOUTHWESTERN KOREA.

LAND-BASED MUSTANGS AND JETS FLEW 530 SORTIES AGAINST TARGETS RANGING FROM BATTLEFRONT AREAS TO PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

MUSTANG FIGHTERS DESTROYED NINE GROUNDED COMMUNIST PLANES AND DAMAGED SEVEN IN THEIR ATTACKS NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL AT PYONGYANG, KIMPO AND NAMCHAN AIRFIELDS.

OTHER FIGHTERS STRAFED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, PARTICULARLY ACROSS FROM THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION DEFENSE LINE. THEY HIT A VARIETY OF OTHER TARGETS.

LIGHT AND MEDIUM BOMBERS IN DAY AND NIGHT STRIKES BLASTED NORTH KOREAN COMMUNICATIONS AND SUPPLY LINES.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AERIAL (200)

TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-AMERICAN AIR FORCE BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS AND ROCKET FIRING NAVY JETS PUNCHED AT COMMUNIST BATTLE LINES AND MILITARY TARGETS IN NORTH KOREAN CITIES MONDAY.

B-29'S DUMPED 540 TONS OF BOMBS---THE HEAVIEST ONE-DAY STRIKE---AT PYONGYANG, THE NORTHERNERS' CAPITAL, AND WONSAN, AN EAST COAST PORT.

NAVY JET FLIERS, OPERATING FROM CARRIERS, MADE THEIR THIRD SUCCESSIVE STRIKE. BUT IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THEY HAD USED ROCKETS. CORSAIRS, SKY RAIDERS AND PANTHERS FLEW 203 SORTIES---SOME SUPPORTING AMERICAN GROUND FORCES, OTHERS HITTING AT COMMUNICATIONS AND OTHER MILITARY TARGETS.

THE NAVY PILOTS REPORTED THEY RAN INTO "PROFESSIONAL" ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE AROUND KIMPO AIRFIELD, NORTHWEST OF THE RED-HELD CAPITAL OF SEOUL.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE REPORTED ITS PILOTS FLEW 419 SORTIES---366 OF THEM COMBAT MISSIONS.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE ALSO ANNOUNCED FIVE F-51 PILOTS HAD BEEN LOST IN THE PAST THREE DAYS.

THE COMMUNISTS, VOWING "REVENGE" FOR AMERICAN STRIKES AGAINST TARGETS IN NORTHERN CITIES, SAID IN A RADIO BROADCAST THE RED CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG WAS HIT FIVE TIMES MONDAY BY "MORE THAN 30" FOUR-ENGINE BOMBERS. THE RADIO SAID A NUMBER OF NORTH KOREANS WERE KILLED.

THE U. S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RAID ON THE RED CAPITAL SAID 460 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON RAILROAD YARDS WITH "EXCELLENT RESULTS."

PYONGYANG IS THE ARSENAL OF THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY AND THE MAIN RAIL CENTER FOR MAJOR THROUGH TRAFFIC TO THE FIGHTING FRONT.

OTHER B-29S DROPPED MORE THAN 80 TONS OF BOMBS ON AN OIL REFINERY AT WONSAN, EAST COAST PORT. WONSAN'S INDUSTRY WAS HIT HEAVILY JULY 13 IN THE FIRST MASS ATTACK BY THE FAR EAST BOMBER COMMAND.

SOME OF THE BOMBERS IN MONDAY'S ATTACKS WERE IN THE UNITED STATES ONLY SIX DAYS AGO.

ALL THE B-29S RETURNED TO THEIR BASE.

AIR GROUPS FROM THE TWO 27,000-TON U.S. ESSEX-CLASS CARRIERS IN TASK FORCE 77 STANDING OFF THE WEST COAST OF KOREA BOMBED SCATTERED TARGETS OVER SOUTHWESTERN KOREA SUNDAY.

IN THE SECOND CONSECUTIVE DAY OF SWEEPS OVER THE AREA, THE NAVAL ATTACK-BOMBERS, PANTHER JET FIGHTERS AND CORSAIR FIGHTERS DAMAGED TRANSFORMER STATIONS, POWER STATIONS, FACTORIES, BRIDGES, TRUCKS AND TANKS.

THEY ALSO BLASTED THE CITY OF CHINJU ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT AND THE RAIL YARD AND AIR FIELD AT TAEJON.

THE CARRIER-BASED AIRCRAFT STRAFED RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS ALL ALONG THE RIM OF THE UNITED NATIONS BEACHHEAD AND MACHINEGUNNED SMALL BOATS AT SEVERAL POINTS OFF THE SOUTHERN END OF KOREA.

THE PLANES MET "MEAGER" ANTI-AIRCRAFT FROM A REVETMENT NORTH OF TAEJON, A NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID, AND "THE EMPLACEMENT WAS STRAFED."

LAND-BASED PLANES OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE HAD A BUSY SUNDAY, TOO.

A FEAR SUMMARY SAID F-51 MUSTANGS DESTROYED EIGHT AND DAMAGED FOUR RUSSIAN-BUILT COMBAT PLANES ON THE GROUND AT PYONGYANG AND DESTROYED ANOTHER AT NAMCHON, 47 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

THREE OTHER PLANES WERE STRAFED ON THE GROUND AT KIMPO AIRFIELDGN 18 MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL. AND RED-OVERRUN CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA.

THE MUSTANGS ALSO FIRED FUEL STORAGE FACILITIES AND DAMAGED WAREHOUSES AND RAIL LINES AT PYONGYANG. POWER STATIONS AND SUPPLY DUMPS ELSEWHERE IN NORTH KOREA WERE DAMAGED.

TWO MUSTANGS CRASHED BEHIND NORTH KOREAN LINES, THE AIR FORCE STATEMENT SAID. BOTH WERE BELIEVED HIT BY GROUND FIRE.

B-29S NOT ENGAGED IN THE MASS STRIKES AT PYONGYANG AND WONSAN CONTINUED THE BOMBER COMMAND'S INTERDICTION PROGRAM WITH HITS ON RAILROAD BRIDGES AND HIGHWAY AND RAIL JUNCTIONS THROUGHOUT NORTH KOREA.

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS AND F-82 ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS RIPPED AT ENEMY CONVOYS MOVING SUPPLIES TO RED FRONTLINE TROOPS.

F-80 JETS AND F-51 MUSTANGS FLEW NEARLY 400 SORTIES SUNDAY IN SUPPORT OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS DEFENDING THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT.

AUSTRALIAN MUSTANGS DAMAGED A TRANSFORMER STATION AT CHINJU, TWO RAIL TUNNELS NEAR TAEJON, AND STRAFED TRUCKS, BRIDGES, RAILROAD ROLLING STOCK AND TROOPS ELSEWHERE.

FIFTH AIR FORCE CARGO PLANES FLEW 82 TONS OF MILITARY SUPPLIES TO KOREA SUNDAY.

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WITH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AIR-NAVAL
ABOARD A U. S. CARRIER OFF KOREA, AUG. 6-(DELAYED)-(AP)-ENS. RICHARD C. ADAMS OF NEWTOWN, OHIO, NAVY JET PILOT, SAID TODAY HE SAW BIG OIL FIRES FLAMING IN COMMUNIST-CAPTURED TAEJON.
HE SAID THEY APPARENTLY HAD BEEN STARTED BY U. S. AIR FORCE F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTER PILOTS.
THE FIRES WERE BURNING WHEN ADAMS AND OTHER CARRIER-BASED PILOTS OF TASK FORCE 77 ARRIVED TO BOMB THE RAIL YARD AND AIR FIELD AT TAEJON.
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A99FX
KOREA
TOKYO, AUG. 7-(AP)-UNITS OF THE U.S. FIRST MARINE BRIGADE WENT ON THE OFFENSIVE TODAY IN KOREA ON THE EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE LANDING OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION AT GUADALCANAL IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR.
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A93KX
BY TOM LAMBERT (900)
WITH THE U.S.MARINES IN SOUTH KOREA,AUG.7-(AP)-(DELAYED)-ARMY AND MARINE UNITS PUNCHED FOUR MILES THROUGH HEAVY ENEMY BARRAGES AND OVER ALMOST IMPASSABLE ROADS TODAY ON THE VITAL SOUTH KOREAN FRONT.
IT WAS A SLOW, DIFFICULT BATTLE, WHICH COST THE LEATHERNECKS THEIR FIRST CASUALTIES OF THE KOREAN WAR.
STRIKING FROM CHINDONG TOWARD RED-HELD CHINJU ON THE NAM RIVER, THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT AND THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM PUSHED AHEAD ABOUT FOUR MILES. CHINDONG IS ABOUT EIGHT MILES SOUTHWEST OF MASAN ON THE SOUTH COAST.
THE ARMY COMBAT TEAM JUMPED OFF FIRST. AFTER ONE ARMY BATTALION WAS SLOWED DOWN, THE MARINES WERE SENT INTO ACTION.
THE ATTACK IS AMERICA'S MOST AMBITIOUS IN THIS WAR BUT DOES NOT COMPARE IN SCOPE WITH SOME OF WORLD WAR TWO.
MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM B.KEAN, COMMANDER OF THE 25TH DIVISION AND THE ATTACK DESCRIBED IT AS "A LIMITED OBJECTIVE ATTACK."
THE AMERICAN ATTACK WAS THREE-PRONGED. MARINES WERE ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK, THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM IN THE CENTER, AND THE 35TH REGIMENT IN THE NORTH. ARMY AND MARINE AIRCRAFT SUPPORTED THE ADVANCE. U.S.WARSHIPS STOOD BY TO HELP, IF NEEDED.
THE ATTACK RAN INTO SOME TROUBLES--FAULTY COMMUNICATIONS, INTENSIVE RED ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE, A RED COUNTERATTACK, AND TRANSPORTATION PROBLEMS.
OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID THIS EVENING THAT EARLIER DIFFICULTIES WERE BEING SOLVED AND THE ATTACK WAS PROCEEDING IN BETTER FASHION. THESE SOURCES DID NOT KNOW THE OUTCOME OF THE 35TH REGIMENT'S PUSH.
THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM MOVED GENERALLY WEST FROM CHINDONG. ONE BATTALION ATTACKING HIGH GROUND TO THE NORTHWEST RAN INTO STIFF OPPOSITION AND A COMPANY WAS CUT OFF BY A FLANK ATTACK.
ONE BATTALION OF MARINES WAS SENT TO HELP EXTRICATE THIS COMPANY AND A C-47 WAS ORDERED TO DROP SUPPLIES IN THE LATE AFTERNOON.
THE ATTACK WAS DELAYED BY A RED ARTILLERY AND MORTAR BARRAGE.

THE NORTH KOREANS BEGAN FIRING ABOUT 10 P.M. SUNDAY (7 A.M. SUNDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME) AND STILL WERE FIRING ABOUT 4 P.M. MONDAY (1 A.M. EST).
AMERICANS REPLIED WITH AIRCRAFT FIRED ROCKETS, ARTILLERY, MORTARS AND RECOIL-LESS 75S.
ENEMY FIRE FELL ACCURATELY INTO THE FIFTH COMBAT TEAM'S COMMAND POST, TROOP AREAS AND SOME ARTILLERY BATTERIES.
THE NIGHT BEFORE THE ATTACK WAS EERIE. MYSTERIOUS SIGNAL LIGHTS FLASHED FROM THE SEACOAST. FLARES COMPETED WITH THE MOON FOR NIGHTTIME ILLUMINATION. ENEMY SHELLS WHISTLED INTO U.S.POSITIONS. AMERICAN ARTILLERY CRASHED OUT DEFIANT ANSWERS.
LIFE PHOTOGRAPHER DAVID DUNCAN AND I HEARD THE FIRST ENEMY SHOT WHILE WE CROUCHED IN A FOXHOLE ON THE SLOPE OF A HILL OVERLOOKING THE SEA. A SHELL THUNDERED INTO THE GROUND NEAR SEVERAL AMERICAN TANKS. U.S.GUNS ROARED AN IMMEDIATE REPLY.
BARRAGES CONTINUED SPASMODICALLY THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT.
WITH THE DAWN, RED SHELLFIRE INCREASED, TEMPORARILY DELAYING THE AMERICAN ATTACK PLAN. FOUR P-80S, WITH WING LIGHTS BLINKING, BEGAN HUNTING FOR THE COMMUNIST GUNS.
DUNCAN AND I HAD LEFT OUR FOXHOLES AND WERE TALKING IN A DRY RIVER BED WITH MARINE BRIG.GEN.EDWARD CRAIG, WHO HAD JUST ARRIVED BY HELICOPTER, WHEN THE REDS BEGAN SHELLING THE RIVERBED. SEVERAL TANKS AND BIG GUNS WERE EMPLACED THERE. WE DIVED INTO GUN POSITIONS AS THE COMMUNIST SHELLS RAKED THE AREA.
ONE TANKMAN WAS KNOCKED OFF HIS TANK BY A FLYING SHELL FRAGMENT.
THE NORTH KOREANS SHORTENED THEIR RANGE AND SHELLS BEGAN HITTING THE FOXHOLE AREA WE HAD JUST LEFT.
GREAT SPURTS OF DIRT AROSE, FOLLOWED BY THE CHILLING CRY FOR "CORPSMAN, CORPSMAN." NAVY MEDICAL MEN WHO TRAVEL WITH THE MARINES. TWO RED SHELLS SMASHED INTO AN ARMY ARTILLERY BATTERY AREA WHERE MANY MARINES HAD GATHERED. AGAIN THE CRY FOR "CORPSMAN, CORPSMAN."
ONE MAN RACED ACROSS THE AREA TO ANOTHER LYING STILL AND LIMP ON THE GROUND, RAISED HIM AND STRUGGLED TOWARD A BUILDING. A SECOND SHELL RAINED DIRT ON THEM BOTH.
ANOTHER SHELL WHACKED INTO A HILLSIDE. MARINES BEGAN DIGGING FRANTICALLY, THEIR SHOVELS CLATTERING ON THE ROCKY GROUND LIKE HORSES HOOVES ON COBBLESTONES.
WE RAN HEAVILY UP THE ROAD TOWARD THE MARINE COMMAND POST. JEEPS ROARED DOWN THE ROAD, TRAILING ROLLING FUNNELS OF DUST. A MARINE OFFICER ARRIVED AT THE COMMAND POST AND ASKED FOR COUNTER BATTERY FIRE.
"WE HAVE JUST HAD SOME COUNTER BATTERY FIRE OURSELVES," AN OFFICER REPLIED. "A DIRECT HIT ON A BATTERY. TWO MEN KILLED."
THE ARTILLERY DUEL CONTINUED THROUGHOUT THE MORNING. GULL-WINGED MARINE CORSAIRS DIVED WITH FLAMING ROCKETS ON THE NORTH KOREANS.
JUST BEFORE THE MARINES PUSHED OFF, WE MET GENERAL CRAIG AGAIN. HE WAS TALKING TO WOUNDED MARINES BEING TRANSFERRED FROM JEEPS TO AMBULANCES.
ONE WOUNDED LEATHERNECK ASSURED HIM, "I'LL BE BACK IN A FEW DAYS."
A YOUNG, GREEN, UNDERSHIRTED MARINE STEPPED UP TO CRAIG AND SAID, "GENERAL, I JUST HAD A LETTER FROM MY MOTHER. SHE SAID SHE IS PRAYING FOR US." THEN, HALF RAISING HIS RIFLE, HE SAID, "WE WILL STOP THEM FOR YOU, SIR."
CRAIG PATTED THE YOUNG MARINE'S SHOULDER.
IN MID-AFTERNOON WHEN MARINES SET OUT TO AID AN ARMY BATTALION, DUNCAN, BILL BLAIR OF THE BALTIMORE SUN, AND I ACCOMPANIED TWO RIFLE COMPANIES.
THE MARINES' JACKETS TURNED BLACK WITH SWEAT. THEY BEGAN DISCARDING THEIR EQUIPMENT. THE SUN GREW HOTTER.
SEVERAL YOUNGER MARINES COLLAPSED FROM HEAT PROSTRATION. AMBULANCE JEEPS PICKED THEM UP.
THE COLUMN MARCHED DOWN A ROAD WHICH ARMY TROOPS HAD CLEARED OF COMMUNISTS EARLIER.
THEN MACHINE GUNS OPENED UP ON US.
THE MARINES SLID INTO THE RICE PADDIES, AS IF SWEPT THERE BY A

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GIANT WIND AND WERE PINNED DOWN.
SOON A RED-MOUSTACHED MARINE, BRANDISHING A CARBINE, REARED UPRIGHT ALONG THE ROAD AND BELLOWED:
"GET UP, GODDAMIT! THEY'VE FIRED A HUNDRED ROUNDS AND HAVEN'T HIT ANYTHING YET. ARE YOU MARINES; GET UP AND GET GOING!"
SOLDIERS DUG IN ON A HILL WEST OF US, BLASTED MORTARS AND MACHINE-GUN FIRE INTO THE VILLAGE FROM WHICH THE REDS WERE SHOOTING. UNDER THAT UMBRELLA AND THE VERBAL LASHING, THE MARINES GOT UP AND PLUNGED FORWARD.
SD757PCS

A125FX
KOREAN (140)
BY WILLIAN SHINN
U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 7-(AP)-LIM KWANG WON, A WAR PRISONER, SAID TODAY THE NORTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR HAMCHANG AND WENT INTO ACTION WITH 6,000 GREEN TROOPS AND 3,000 VETERANS.
THE 20-YEAR-OLD SAID:
MOST OF THE 6,000 NEW SOLDIERS WERE PICKED UP IN THE SEOUL AREA OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC. HE WAS IMPRESSED INTO THE RED ARMY FIVE DAYS AFTER THE FALL OF SEOUL, THE RED-CAPTURED CAPITAL. ABOUT 5,000 OTHERS IN HIS DIVISION WERE FORCED INTO THE COMMUNIST ARMY.
THE DIVISION'S TROOPS MARCHED FOR 24 HOURS AND THEN WERE ORDERED TO ATTACK. THE FIRST DIVISION SUFFERED HEAVY CASUALTIES IN EARLY FIGHTING. LIM SAID IT HAD
THE DIVISION HAD ONLY THREE PIECES OF ARTILLERY, ONE JEEP AND ONE LIGHT MACHINEGUN TO A SQUAD.

LIM'S PLATOON AND SQUAD LEADERS WERE KILLED SATURDAY IN BATTLE WITH SOUTH KOREAN FORCES. HE AND OTHERS IN HIS OUTFIT DID NOT KNOW HOW TO FIGHT. HE HID UNTIL THE REDS RETREATED AND THEN SURRENDERED.
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U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE TODAY SAID KOREAN COMMUNISTS WERE ATTACKING ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE NORTHWESTERN FRONT IN "THE NEWEST THREAT TO UNITED NATIONS FORCES."
THREE REGIMENTS OF REDS MADE THE ASSAULT 25 MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN, THE COMMUNIQYE SAID.

THE SECOND PRONG OF A DOUBLE ATTACK FROM THE NORTHWEST WAS A TWO-BATTALION CROSSING OF THE AMERICANS' RIVER DEFENSE LINE THREE MILES NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN.
ONE TANK CROSS THE RIVER WITH TWO BATTALIONS OF INFANTRY. SEVEN MORE THANKS WERE ON THE WEST BANK READY TO CROSS OVER.
LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER, EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER, ORDERED FIGHTER-BOMBER CONCENTRATION ON COMMUNIST TANKS NORTH OF WAEGWAN AND ALSO ON THE THREE REGIMENT ATTACK FURTHER NORTH AT THE CORNER OF THE BOX-LIKE DEFENSE LINE.
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B72KX
U.S.FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,TUESDAY,AUG.8-(AP)-BRIGADIER GEN.DEL SPIVEY OF SUFFOLK, VA., HAS BEEN APPOINTED D DEPUTY COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCES REAR HEADQUARTERS IN NAGOYA, JAPAN.
SPIVEY FORMERLY WAS CHIEF OF THE WAR PLANS DIVISION AT AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON.
BRIG.GEN.EDWARD J.TIMBERLAKE, JR., CONTINUES AS THE DEPUTY COMMANDING GENERAL AT THE FIFTH'S ADVANCE HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA.
SD958PCS

A107FX
BY O.H.P. KING (110)
WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 7-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS FOUGHT DOGGEDLY BUT WITH LITTLE SUCCESS TODAY TO CLEAR OUT ABOUT 150 SURVIVORS OF AN 800-MAN COMMUNIST FORCE THAT CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER SUNDAY MORNING SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG.
CHANGNYONG IS 20 MILES NORTH OF KOGAN WHERE THE AMERICANS LAUNCHED THEIR FIRST OFFENSIVE OF THE WAR.
THE COMMUNISTS SCATTERED INTO THE HILLS AND DELIVERED CONSIDERABLE SNIPER FIRE.
ONE AMERICAN UNIT STILL WAS ISOLATED ALONG THE RIVER WITH RED KOREANS BETWEEN IT AND REINFORCING UNITS. U.S. PLANES DROPPED AMMUNITION AND FOOD. THEY ALSO KNOCKED OUT A RED GUN WHICH HAD BEEN LOBBING SHELLS DEEP BEHIND THE AMERICAN LINES NEAR CHANGNYONG.
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BY O.H.P.KING (210)
WITH THE 34TH REGIMENT ON THE NAKTONG FRONT,TUESDAY,AUG.8-(AP)-AN AMERICAN OFFICER PREDICTED TODAY HIS MEN WOULD WIPE OUT THE COMMUNIST BEACHHEAD NEAR THE SOUTHWESTERN CORNER OF THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE BY TONIGHT.
NORTH KOREANS STILL ALIVE ON THE AMERICAN SIDE OF THE RIVER IN THIS AREA, SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG, WERE DUG IN. THEY WERE UNDER STEADY AMERICAN ARTILLERY FIRE.
BUT IN SOME SPOTS THEY WERE PRESSING ELEMENTS OF THE 34TH INFANTRY OF THE 24TH DIVISION FROM TWO SIDES.
(THIS BATTLE IS BEING FOUGHT ROUGHLY 20 MILES NORTH OF HEAVY FIGHTING IN THE AMERICAN DRIVE ALONG THE SOUTHERN FRONT.)
"IT'S TODAY OR NEVER," SAID COL.CHARLES E.BEAUCHAMP, COMMANDING THE 34TH INFANTRY. "WE EXPECT TO HAVE THEM CLEANED UP BY TONIGHT.
"THAT WILL MEAN THE END OF THE FOURTH DIVISION AS AN ENEMY FIGHTING FORCE.
"ABOUT TWO REGIMENTS OF THE ENEMY'S FOURTH DIVISION CROSSED OVER TO OUR SIDE OF THE NAKTONG IN THE LAST COUPLE OF NIGHTS. THEY HAVE DUG IN.
"WE ARE HITTING THEM WITH ARTILLERY AND AIR STRIKES."
SEVERAL GUN BATTERIES OF THE 24TH DIVISION WERE SHELLING THE RED FORCE AT THE RATE OF SIX ROUNDS A MINUTE.
DOUGHBOYS OF THE 34TH INFANTRY, BEAUCHAMP SAID, "ARE FIGHTING MAGNIFICENTLY."
CK1042PPD

B71KX

BY MILTON MARMOR (350)

ABOARD A U.S.AIRCRAFT CARRIER OFF KOREA,AUG.7-(AP)-NAVAL CARRIER JET FIGHTERS UNLEASED ROCKETS IN COMBAT FOR THE FIRST TIME TODAY IN THE THIRD SUCCESSIVE DAY OF CARRIER STRIKES.

NAVAL AIRMEN RAN INTO ACCURATE ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE OVER SEOUL'S KIMPO AIR FIELD. PILOTS CALLED IT "PROFESSIONAL." SOME U.S.PLANES RETURNED WITH SLIGHT FLAK DAMAGE.

JET CORSAIR FIGHTERS AND BOMBING SKYRAIDERS FLEW 203 SORTIES.

AS ON PREVIOUS STRIKES, NAVAL PLANES HIT COMMUNICATION LINES WHILE OTHERS GAVE DIRECT SUPPORT TO GROUND FORCES IN SOUTHERN KOREA.

THREE ANTI-AIRCRAFT POSITIONS AND A CONCENTRATION OF TROOPS WITH SIX TANKS WERE STRAFED. A POWER TRANSFORMER AND RADIO STATION WERE DESTROYED. A VARIED ASSORTMENT OF VEHICLES, INCLUDING SHINY NEW BUSES, WERE HIT.

PILOTS SAID THEY DAMAGED FOUR BRIDGES, TWO FACTORIES, A NUMBER OF WAREHOUSES, FIVE CARBARNS, LOCOMOTIVES, ROUNDHOUSES, RAIL TANK CARS.

LT.SAMUEL DALZELL, 29, OF PASADENA AND CORONADO, CALIF., SCORED A DIRECT HIT WITH A 500 POUND BOMB ON A BRIDGE AT SEOUL.

"I DIVED FROM 10,000 FEET TO ABOUT 6,000 AND HIT IT SQUARELY, DALZELL SAID. "I LOOKED BACK AND COULD SEE THE BLAST."

DALZELL, A VETERAN OF THE PACIFIC CARRIER ACTION IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR, SAID THE KIMPO AIR PORT SEEMED ALL BURNT OUT BUT STILL SENT UP ACCURATE ACKACK.

LT.R.E. "DUSTY" RHODES, 32, OF FRESNO, CALIF., SAID FOUR OF HIS JET GROUP LAUNCHED ROCKETS AT THE KOCHANG BRIDGE WEST OF TAEGU ON THE CENTRAL FRONT. HE ALSO HIT FACTORIES AT NAMWON AND MOKPO. RHODES TOURED THE UNITED STATES WITH THE "BLUE ANGEL" SQUADRON OF JETS WHICH GAVE EXHIBITION.

ENSIGN RICHARD LEE JOHNSON, 22, OF MILWAUKEE, WISC., MAKING HIS FIRST FLIGHT UNDER FIRE, ASKED FELLOW AIRMEN WHAT FLAK LOOKED LIKE. THEY TOLD HIM TO LOOK AROUND HIM. HE FOUND A HOLE IN HIS WING WHEN HE RETURNED.

LT.WILLIAM MOFFIT, 26, OF SANTA MONICA, CALIF., A VETERAN CARRIER FIGHTER PILOT WHO IS FLYING A CAMERA PLANE, SAID THE YOUNG PILOTS ARE DOING ACCURATE BOMBING.

FROM THE BRIDGE OF THE CARRIER, OPERATING CLOSE IN SHORE, AMERICAN NAVAL MEN COUNTED 24 BODIES FLOATING BY. THEY WERE BELIEVED TO BE BODIES OF VICTIMS ABOARD SHIPS, SAMPANS, JUNKS, TUGS AND SAILBOATS THAT U.S.PILOTS HAVE WRECKED.

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GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE USUAL EARLY (TUES.) MORNING SUMMARY WILL NOT BE ISSUED BECAUSE "THERE HAS BEEN NO NEW INFORMATION RECEIVED BEYOND WHAT WAS RELEASED" IN THE EARLIER COMMUNIQUE FROM U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA.

DATELINE ON THAT COMMUNIQUE (B39FX) DATED TOKYO MAY CARRY DATELINE OF U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 7--IF DESIRED.

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SUB NOTE TO EDITORS (A121FX)

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE USUAL COMMUNIQUE WOULD NOT BE ISSUED TODAY BECAUSE "THERE HAS BEEN NO NEW INFORMATION BEY WHAT WAS RELEASED" IN THE 8:35 P.M. (5:35 A.M. EST) COMMUNIQUE TODAY. (B30KX).

THAT COMMUNIQUE, DATED TOKYO, MAY BE DATED U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 7, IF DESIRED.

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TOKYO ADVISES THAT COMMUNICATIONS FROM SOUTH KOREA ARE BADLY SNARLED FROM THE SOUTHERN FRONT WHERE THE AMERICANS HAVE LAUNCHED THEIR OFFENSIVE.

CORRESPONDENTS DON WHITEHEAD AND TOM LAMBERT, WHO ARE WITH THE ATTACKERS, ARE UNABLE TO TELEPHONE DISPATCHES TO TAEGU, TOKYO WAS INFORMED BY CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON AT U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS.

DISPATCHES FROM WHITEHEAD AND LAMBERT MUST BE TELETYPED FROM A DIVISION COMMAND POST TO PUSAN WHERE THERE IS A BOTTLENECK.

TOKYO IS MAKING REPRESENTATIONS TO THE SIGNAL CORPS.

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NAVAL AIR TEXT

TOKYO,AUG.7-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 217, TIMED AT 2:20 P.M. (11 P.M. SUNDAY EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

TASK FORCE 77, WITH THE AIR GROUPS OF TWO ESSEX-CLASS CARRIERS IN ACTION, WENT INTO THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY OF STRIKES IN CLOSE AND GENERAL SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR AUG. 6.

TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, COMMUNICATIONS, SUPPLY LINES, FACTORIES AND BRIDGES RECEIVED THE SPECIAL ATTENTION OF THE CARRIER-BASED PILOTS OF SKYRAIDER ATTACK BOMBERS, PANTHER JET FIGHTERS AND CORSAIR FIGHTERS.

A TRANSFORMER STATION SOUTH OF CHINJU WAS DAMAGED AND ANOTHER NEAR POLGYO WAS STRAFED. A TRANSFORMER STATION AT MANGJIN WAS DAMAGED AND ANOTHER AT KAKSABONG WAS SET AFIRE. A POWER STATION AT SAMCHON WAS DAMAGED. A FACTORY AT MAKPO WAS HIT BY ROCKETS AND 20 MM FIRE. TWO BRIDGES WEST OF CHINJU WERE HIT, ONE BY 1,000-POUND BOMBS AND THE OTHER BY 500-POUND BOMBS. AT TANSONG A BRIDGE REPAIR PARTY WAS STRAFED AND A SMALL FERRY BOAT WAS SUNK. UNDETERMINED DAMAGE WAS DONE TO A BRIDGE AT OSO. TWO SPANS OF THE SAME BRIDGE AT OSO HAD BEEN KNOCKED OUT ON A PREVIOUS STRIKE BUT HAD BEEN REPLACED.

AT CHINJU BUILDINGS WERE BOMBED AND TWO TRUCKS WERE STRAFED. TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN FIVE VILLAGES NORTHWEST OF CHINJU WERE BOMBED AND STRAFED. AT GAMCHONGPO ANOTHER TRUCK WAS STRAFED. THREE SAMPANS NEAR SACHON WERE STRAFED, AS WERE TWO CAMOUFLAGED TRUCKS SOUTH OF SAMCHON.

TWO LARGE JUNKS WEST OF YONGDONG, ONE LARGE JUNK AT TONGYANG, THREE JUNKS AT SUMCHANPO AND THREE MORE AT MIJO WERE ALL STRAFED. A 60-FOOT BOAT AT NAMYANG WAS SET ABLAZE. AT SANCHONG THE STRAFING OF TWO DONKEY CARS RESULTED IN LARGE FIRES, INDICATING A GASOLINE CARGO.

TROOPS WERE STRAFED IN CHINJU, ANDONG, POKSONG AND NORTH OF POKSONG, SANCHUN, HAWON, SAJONG AND AT SANGJU.

A LOCOMOTIVE AT KUMCHON WAS STRAFED WITH UNDETERMINED DAMAGE. ONE TRUCK AT YONGDAE, TWO TRUCKS AT NORYGAJIN, TWO TRUCKS AT SANGBU, TWO TRUCKS AT SANPORI, AND ONE TRUCK AT KUMCHON WERE STRAFED. AT SAJONG FIVE TRUCKS WERE BURNED AND FIVE OTHERS WERE DAMAGED. TWO TANKS JUST OFF THE ROAD RUNNING BETWEEN KUMCHON AND POSONG WERE BOMBED, ROCKETED AND STRAFED. AN ARTILLERY PIECE, APPROXIMATELY 75 MM IN SIZE, WAS STRAFED SOUTH OF NAKTONG. ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FOUR POWER VESSELS APPROXIMATELY 100 FEET IN LENGTH WERE STRAFED; TWO WERE LEFT BURNING. ABOUT 15 JUNKS ON THE RIVER WERE STRAFED AND DAMAGED.

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A CONCRETE BRIDGE AT HYOPCHON WAS HIT BY 500-POUN[illegible]MBS. A BRIDGE IN THE VICINITY OF SUNCHANG WAS HIT BY ON[illegible]-PO[illegible]OMB AND BADLY DAMAGED. AT TAEJON A RAILROAD YARD AND [illegible]OUSE[illegible] STRAFED, AS WERE BUILDINGS AT THE TAEJON AIRFIELD. TWENTY RAILROAD CARS AT KANGGYONG WERE STRAFED. NEAR MOKPO TWO JUNKS AND SIX SAMPANS WERE DAMAGED BY STRAFING. ROCKETS WERE FIRED INTO TWO RAILROAD TUNNELS NEAR MANGNAM.

A TRUCK WAS STRAFED NEAR YONGBONG, A MOTORCYCLE WAS DAMAGED AT SANGJU, A JEEP WAS BURNED AT SAJONG, AND UNDER A RAILROAD BRIDGE NEAR KUMCHON A VEHICLE WAS SET AFIRE.

RETURNING PILOTS REPORTED MEAGER ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE FROM A REVETMENT NORTH OF TAEJON AIRFIELD. THE EMPLACEMENT WAS STRAFED.

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TOKYO, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 218 (AIR) ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 8:05 P.M. (5:05 A.M., EST) TODAY:

THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES BOMBER COMMAND, AUGMENTED BY NEWLY ARRIVED B-29 SUPERFORTS OF THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND THAT WERE IN THE UNITED STATES ONLY SIX DAYS AGO, MADE ITS HEAVIEST B-29 STRIKE SINCE OPERATIONS BEGAN WITH MORE THAN 540 TONS OF BOMBS DROPPED ON TWO MAJOR NORTH KOREAN TARGETS MONDAY.

THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT PYONGYANG, NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL, WERE STRUCK WITH 460 TONS OF BOMBS WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS. SOME FLAK WAS REPORTED. THE NEWLY ARRIVED B-29S ACCOMPANIED THE VETERANS ON THIS MISSION. A RAIL CENTER, AN ARSENAL AND A RAILROAD YARD HANDLING THROUGH TRAFFIC TO THE BATTLE AREA WERE BOMBED.

OTHER SUPERFORTS STRUCK THE OIL REFINERY AT WONSAN, THE FIRST MAJOR TARGET FOR THE BOMBER COMMAND WHEN IT WENT INTO ACTION INITIALLY JULY 13. THICK CLOUDS BELOW THE AIRPLANES NECESSITATED BOMBING BY RADAR BUT OBSERVERS IN OTHER B-29S IN THE AREA REPORTED THAT THE BOMBS STRUCK THE TARGET.

ALL OF THE BOMBERS RETURNED TO THEIR BASE.

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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 219, TIMED 12:20 P.M. (9:20 P.M., MONDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

TASK FORCE KEAN, THE 25TH DIVISION, WITH THE FIFTH INFANTRY REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMAND THE MARINE BRIGADE ATTACHED, ATTACKED THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS AND MADE SOME GAINS.

AT THE TIME OF THE ATTACK, THE NORTH KOREANS WERE PREPARED TO DRIVE TO MASAN. THE HEAD-ON MEETING ENGAGEMENT HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN STOPPING THE ADVANCE OF THE NORTH KOREANS, ALTHOUGH FORWARD PROGRESS OF THE U. S. TROOPS HAS BEEN SLOW. ENEMY LOSSES HAVE BEEN EXTREMELY HEAVY, AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF EQUIPMENT HAVE BEEN CAPTURED BY THE AMERICANS.

ON THE TWENTY FOURTH DIVISION FRONT, THE BRIDGEHEAD HAS BEEN COUNTERATTACKED AND IS BEING CONTAINED.

THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION FRONT WAS RELATIVELY QUIET, THE ONLY ATTACK BEING AT THE JUNCTION OF THE UNITED STATES-SOUTH KOREAN LINES. WHERE A CROSSING OF ONE BATTALION SIZE WAS MADE.

THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION REPULSED ONE ATTACK. THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION WAS UNDER HEAVY ATTACK AND ITS RIGHT FLANK DRIVEN BACK ONE TO TWO MILES BEFORE THE SITUATION WAS STABILIZED. NO OTHER ACTION WAS REPORTED ON THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT.

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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE TEXT OF U. S. NAVY KOREAN RELEASE NO. 220 ISSUED AT 12:50 P.M. (9:50 P.M. EST, MONDAY):

RANGING FAR NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL U. S. NAVY BOMBARDMENT FORCES LAST NIGHT WITH THE AID OF AIRPLANE SPOTTING SHELLED THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT TANCHON, ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL NORTH KOREAN RAIL POINTS. THE BOMBARDMENT, WHICH LASTED OVER A PERIOD OF SEVERAL HOURS, WAS PARTICIPATED IN BY FIVE WAR SHIPS OPERATING UNDER THE DIRECTION OF REAR ADM. CHARLES C. HARTMAN, U. S. NAVY.

THE BOMBARDMENT, ACCORDING TO REPORTS OF AIR COVER, CREATED HAVOC IN THE RAILROAD YARDS. EXTENSIVE FIRES WERE ALSO REPORTED AS RAGING FOLLOWING THE BOMBARDMENT.

BOMBERS FROM TWO ESSEX-CLASS CARRIERS OPERATING UNDER THE COMMAND OF VICE ADM. ARTHUR D. STRUBLE, U. S. NAVY, COMMANDER SEVENTH FLEET, SCORED FOUR DIRECT HITS ON THE VITAL WEST SEOUL BRIDGE DURING ATTACKS YESTERDAY. THE AIRMEN REPOTED DIRECT HITS WITH THREE 1,000 POUND BOMBS AND ONE 500 POUND BOMB.

SPREADING A TRAIL OF DESTRUCTION THROUGHOUT THE SOUTH, SOUTHWEST AND CENTRAL PARTS OF SOUTH KOREA, SKYRAIDERS, PANTHERS AND CORSAIRS FROM THE GROUPS ON THE TWO CARRIERS MADE REPEATED SORTIES YESTERDAY. AMONG THE TARGETS ASSIGNED THE NAVAL AIRMEN WERE FIVE VILLAGES NORTHWEST OF CHINJU, REPORTED AS HARBORING ENEMY TROOPS. THESE VILLAGES WERE STRAFED AND BOMBED AS WERE THREE TRANSFORMER STATIONS AT SOUTH CHINJU, MANJIN AND KAKSABONG. OTHER TROOP CONCENTRATIONS ATTACKED WITH SUCCESS BY THE CARRIER PILOTS WERE LOCATED AT CHUNGAM, TANDONG, POKSONG AND HAWON. STILL OTHER TARGETS INCLUDED BRIDGES, TANKS, RAILROAD CARS, SAMPANS AND JUNKS.

HARASSING FIRE ON TARGETS DESIGNATED BY SHORE CONTROL PARTIES NORTH OF YONGDOK, AHEAD OF ADVANCING ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) TROOPS, WERE REPORTED BY U. S. NAVY BOMBARDMENT FORCES. THESE TARGETS CONSISTED OF SEVEN VILLAGES WHERE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS HAD BEEN REPORTED. THE BOMBARDING FORCES ALSO TOOK UNDER FIRE THE ROAD JUNCTION OF THE INDUSTRIAL CENTER OF CHONGSAN. THE POINT WAS REPORTED AS COMPLETELY DESTROYED. TWO TUNNELS IN THE AREA WERE COMPLETELY SEALED WHEN FIRE FROM THE BOMBARDMENT FORCES STARTED LANDSLIDES THAT STOPPED AT THE TUNNEL MOUTH.

ON THE WEST COAST BRITISH, SOUTH KOREAN AND NETHERLANDS SHIPS UNDER THE COMMAND OF REAR ADM. W. G. ANDREWS, ROYAL NAVY, DELIVERED DESTRUCTIVE FIRE ON ENEMY TARGETS IN THE VICINITY OF INCHON. FIRES WERE REPORTED AS BURNING HEAVILY IN THE WATERFRONT AREA OF INCHON FOLLOWING THE BOMBARDMENT.

MARINE FIGHTER AIRCRAFT OPERATING FROM CARRIERS UNDER THE DIRECTION OF REAR ADM. RICHARD W. RUBLE, U. S. NAVY, CONTINUED THEIR CLOSE SUPPORT WORK OF THE TROOPS TAKING PART IN OPERATION KEAN IN THE SOUTHERN SECTION OF KOREA. THEY REPORTED STRAFING AND DAMAGING BUILDINGS AND WAREHOUSES IN THE VICINITY OF CHOGYE, TANGDON AND

KOSONG.
RETURNING PILOTS REPORTED THAT SEVERAL OF THE BUILDINGS EXPLODED FOLLOWING THE ATTACK. OTHER PILOTS REPORTED UNCOVERING AND DESTROYING 40 VEHICLES AND A TANK, ALL HEAVILY CAMOUFLAGED WITH STRAW, NEAR PAMSONG, AND ATTACKS ON TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND VEHICLES IN VILLAGES WEST OC HINJU.
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TEXT (360)
TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG 8-(AP)-THE TEXT OF U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE NO. 221 COVERING MONDAY AIR OPERATIONS ISSUED AT 2 P.M., (11 P.M., E.S.T., MONDAY):
A CONSTANT STREAM OF LOW LEVEL FIGHTER ATTACKS ALONG THE BATTLE LINE AND HEAVY BLOWS BY BOMBERS ON THE NORTH KOREAN TRANSPORTATIONS LINES AND WAR MATERIEL BEHIND THE BATTLE FRONT WERE MADE YESTERDAY AS THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES AND RAAF CONTINUED THE RECENT INCREASED TEMPO OF THEIR OPERATIONS.
APPROXIMATELY 550 SORTIES WERE FLOWN, INCLUDING CARGO MISSIONS CARRYING NEARLY 107 TONS OF SUPPLIES TO A SOUTH KOREAN AIRFIELD AND OBSERVATION MISSIONS BY AT-6S IN CONTROL OF AIRCRAFT DIRECTION OF TARGETS.
HEAVY BLOWS WERE MADE BY B-29S ON THE PYONGYANG ARSENAL AND MARSHALLING YARDS WITH MORE THAN 450 TONS OF BOMBS IN A CONCENTRATED ATTACK. RESULTS WERE EXCELLENT ON BOTH TARGETS WHERE NUMEROUS FIRES WERE SEEN AFTER THE ASSAULT. FLAK WAS MODERATE AND FAIRLY ACCURATE IN THE AREA WHERE FOUR OR FIVE AIRCRAFT RECEIVED MINOR DAMAGE BUT NO CREW CASUALTIES. WONSAN OIL REFINERY WAS HIT BY OTHER B-29S WITH 80 TONS OF BOMBS.

B-26S NIGHT BOMBED HIGHWAYS, VEHICLES AND NORTH KOREAN TROOP MOVEMENTS, AND NINE CITIES INCLUDING CHINJU, SEOUL, KIMPO AIRPORT, TAEJON, AND KUMCHON.
IN DAYLIGHT MISSIONS, B-26S BOMBED THE CITY OF CHINJU WHERE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE CONCENTRATED. NAPALM BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON A SCHOOLHOUSE FILLED WITH NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS AND MANY COMMUNIST TROOPS WERE STRAFED IN THAT AREA.
OTHER STRIKES BY B-26S INCLUDED A BRIDGE AT YONGWOL AND ANOTHER 21 MILES EAST OF CHONGJU. BOTH BRIDGES WERE DAMAGED, THE LATTER BEING UNUSABLE. POSSIBLE DAMAGE WAS INFLICTED ON TWO OTHER BRIDGES.
IN LOW LEVEL FIGHTER STRIKES, F-80S CONTINUED TO CRIPPLE NORTH KOREAN BATTLE LINES AND EQUIPMENT. THIRTEEN BUILDINGS AND NINE TRUCKS WERE BADLY DAMAGED AT CHINJU. NUMEROUS OTHER VEHICLES AND BUILDINGS WERE STRAFED AT CHUNGAM, 13 MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN, KWANGJU, ANDONG AND KORYONG.
SUPPORTING GROUND TROOPS, F-51S ROCKETED AND STRAFED TOWNS AND NORTH KOREAN TROOP POSITIONS ALONG THE FRONT. TWO LARGE JUNKS BELIEVED TO BE CARRYING NORTH KOREAN SUPPLIES, WERE DAMAGED AT CHINJU WHERE THE CENTER OF THE CITY WAS LEFT BURNING. FUEL DUMPS AT CHINJU, SANGJU AND SONSAN WERE DESTROYED, INCLUDING 150 BARRELS OF FUEL AT SANGJU.
CONVOY MOVEMENTS, FOOT TROOPS, AND VEHICULAR TARGETS WERE STRAFED AND ROCKETED AT NUMEROUS TOWNS THROUGHOUT THE NORTHWEST SECTOR.
NO OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED FROM NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT DURING THE 24 HOUR PERIOD. ONE F-80 WAS LOST 21 MILES WEST OF TAEGU, THE CAUSE BEING UNKNOWN.
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TEXT (120)
TOKYO,AUG.7-(AP)-THE TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE NO.25 OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY IN KOREA, ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 8:35 P.M. (5:35 A.M., EST) TODAY:
THE ATTACK LAUNCHED THIS MORNING BY THE 25TH DIVISION AND THE MARINE BRIGADE ADVANCED ABOUT 3,000 YARDS TODAY ON A BROAD FRONT. STRONG RESISTANCE WAS MET WITH U.S. FORCES INFLICTING HEAVY CASUALTIES ON THE ENEMY.
A NEW NORTH KOREAN OFFENSIVE DEVELOPED SOUTH OF YECHON AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS REPORTED HEAVY PRESSURE. UNITS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY ENGAGED THE ENEMY IN A FIRE-FIGHT THIS AFTERNOON.
THE BEACHHEAD ESTABLISHED BY THE COMMUNISTS SOUTHWEST OF CHMMPHOVG (CORRECT) IN THE 24TH DIVISION SECTOR WAS FURTHER REDUCED.

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THE BEACHHEAD ESTABLISHED BY THE COMMUNISTS SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG (CORRECT) IN THE 24TH DIVISION SECTOR WAS FURTHER REDUCED.
THERE WAS NO REPORT ON THE TWO NORTH KOREAN REGIMENTS MOVING SOUTH 10 MIILES WEST OF YONGDOK.
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TEXT (320)
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,TUESDAY,AUG.8-(AP)-THE TEXT OF 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 26, TIMED AT 3 P.M. (MIDNIGHT EASTERN STANDARD TIME):
DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAVE CONTINUED THE ATTACK LAUNCHED YESTERDAY MORNING AND HAVE COUNTERATTACKED COMMUNIST PRESSURE SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG AND TWO POINTS NORTH OF WAEGWAN.
ON THE EXTREME SOUTH OF THE U.S. FORCES LINE, TASK FORCE KEAN (COMPOSED OF THE 35TH REGIMENT, THE 5TH REGIMENT AND MARINE REGIMENT) ADVANCED ABOUT ONE AND ONE-HALF MILES YESTERDAY ON A BROAD FRONT, INFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES ON THE ENEMY. THE ADVANCE WAS MADE AGAINST DETERMINED ENEMY RESISTANCE. DURING THE NIGHT, THE FORCE REGROUPED AND CONTINUED THE ATTACK THIS MORNING. THE TASK FORCE ESTIMATES ENEMY STRENGTH AGAINST IT AS 2,000 TROOPS.
A LIMITED ATTACK ON THE COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG LAST NIGHT AND THIS MORNING INDICATES THAT THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES HAVE BEEN BUILT UP TO APPROXIMATE REGIMENTAL STRENGTH.
THIS MORNING A BATTALION OF ENEMY WAS REPORTED ACROSS THE RIVER JUST NORTH OF THE ORIGINAL BRIDGEHEAD. THERE IS STILL NO INDICATION (FROM ACTIVITY WEST OF THE BRIDGEHEAD) THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE THE FORCES PRESENT TO EXPLOIT THEIR FOOTHOLD, ALTHOUGH NORTH KOREAN TANKS ARE REPORTED NEAR HYOPCHON.

IN ITS SECTOR, 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION PATROLS RANGED FIVE MILES TO THE WEST ACROSS THE RIVER, REPORTING ONLY NEGLIGIBLE ENEMY ACTIVITY. THE LEFT FLANK OF THIS DIVISION WAS EXTENDED SOUTH 8000 YARDS.
THE NEWEST THREAT TO THE U.N. FORCES IS A DOUBLE ATTACK ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) LINE. YESTERDAY THREE NORTH KOREAN REGIMENTS ATTACKED SOUTH FROM YANGGI (25 MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN), BUT WERE ENGAGED BY ROK FORCES WHICH ARE HOLDING, ACCORDING TO REPORTS THIS MORNING.
THE OTHER ENEMY THREAT IN THIS AREA IS JUST NORTH OF WAEGWAN WHERE TWO BATTALIONS AND ONE TANK ARE ACROSS THE RIVER WITH SEVEN MORE TANKS WAITING TO CROSS.
IN THE YONGDOK AREA THERE WAS A SMALL ATTACK MADE ON THE LEFT

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FLANK OF THE ROK FORCES HOLDING THE TOWN, BUT IT WAS CONTAINED.
THE THREATS NORTH OF WAEGWAN AND SOUTH OF YANGGI ARE OF PRIMARY CONCERN AT PRESENT.

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LONDON, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE TEXT OF THE NORTH KOREAN EVENING COMMUNIQUE, BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:

ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED FIERCE FIGHTING AGAINST AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY IN THE AREA OF UISONG ROUTED THE GREATER PART OF A FIERCELY RESISTING MOTIRIZED REGIMENT AND ON AUG. 5 LIBERATED UISONG, AN IMPORTANT DEFENSE STRONGHOLD OF THE ENEMY.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY IN THE AREA OF ANDONG INFLICTED HEAVY LOSSES ON THE ENEMY.

APPROXIMATELY 6,000 ENEMY OFFICERS AND MEN WERE KILLED AND OVER 600 TAKEN PRISONER. THE FOLLOWING TROPHIES WERE CAPTURED : FOUR TANKS, 17 ARMORED CARS, THREE 57 MM. GUNS, 25 60 MM. ROCKET GUNS, 10 MOTORCARS, 60 GUNS OF OTHER TYPES, 14 ANTIAIRCRAFT GUNS, 20 HEAVY MACHINE GUNS, 20 LIGHT MACHINE GUNS, 900 RIFLES, MANY CARBINES, AUTOMATIC GUNS AND OTHER ARMAMENT AMMUNITION.

CARS AND WIRELESS APPARATUS ALSO WERE CAPTURED.

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LONDON AUG.7-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, INFLICTING SMATTERING BLOWS UPON THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE PUPPET TROOPS, WHICH REISTED STUBBORNLY IN FAVORABLE TERRAIN, CONTINUED THEIR ADVANCE.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, ADVANCING IN THE AREA OF THE EAST COAST, DESTROYED THE STUBBORNLY RESISTING AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS IN THE MOUNTAINOUS AREA OF CHONGSHONG (KINDZIO) AND LIBERATED CHHONGSONG ON AUG.5.

OTHER UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY LIBERATED KUNWI (GUNJI), AN IMPORTANT ENEMY DEFENSE POINT AT THE APPROACHES TO TAEGU.

IN BATTLES FOR THE LIBERATION OF CHONGSONG AND KUNWI UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY DESTROYED A LARGE NUMBER OF ENEMY OFFICERS AND MEN, TOOK PRISONERS AND CAPTURED TROPHIES.

ON AUG.6 AMERICAN AIRCRAFT THREE TIMES RAIDED PYONGYANG AND SARIWON (SIARIIN), BOMBING AND MACHINE GUNNING INHABITED AREAS. AS A RESULT MANY DWELLING HOUSES WERE DESTROYED AND THERE WERE MANY VICTIMS AMONG THE POPULATION.

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TOKYO,TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-FIVE AMERICAN WARSHIPS BOMBARDED TANCHON, A RAIL CENTER 125 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL MONDAY NIGHT

IT WAS THE NORTHERNMOST BOMBARDMENT OF THE WAR FOR U. S. WARSHIPS.

THE NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE ASSAULT LASTED FOR SEVERAL HOURS AND "CREATED HAVOC IN THE RAILROAD YARDS" OF THE EAST COAST CITY. EXTENSIVE FIRES WERE STARTED.

THE NAVAL FORCE, UNDER THE COMMAND OF REAR ADM. CHARLES C. HARTMAN, U. S. NN., WAS AIDED BY AIRPLANE SPOTTING IN ITS STRIKE AGAINST RAILROAD MARSHALLING YARDS.

A NAVY PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER SAID AN AMERICAN HEAVY CRUISER TOOK PART IN THE ATTACK WHICH HE DESCRIBED AS THE FIRST MAJOR BOMBARDMENT NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

SMALLER CRAFT HAVE HIT YANGYANG, JUST NORTH OF THE BORDER BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.

SIMULTANEOUS WITH THE TANCHON RAID, UNITED NATIONS NAVAL UNITS CONDUCTED TWO OTHER ATTACKS.

BRITISH, NETHERLANDS AND SOUTH KOREAN SHIPS HAMMERED INCHON, THE PORT OF SEOUL ON THE WEST COAST. TWO BRITISH CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS POURED SHELLS INTO THE PORT FOR TWO HOURS.

AMERICAN NAVAL UNITS CONTINUED HARASSING FIRE ON THE EAST COAST AROUND YONGDOK, NORTHEASTERN ANCHOR OF THE UNITED NATIONS GROUND FIGHTING LINE.

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APWS (150)

TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-BLOCKADING THE WEST COAST OF KOREA IS A "TRICKY, VERY VALUABLE, AND INTENSELY DULL" TASK, SAYS BRITISH REAR ADMIRAL W.G.ANDREWS.

ANDREWS IS COMMANDING THE BRITISH, AUSTRALIAN, FRENCH AND NETHERLANDS WARSHIPS PATROLLING THE COAST ON THE YELLOW SEA.

UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAVE NOT SEEN ANY RUSSIAN SUBMARINES, HE SAID TODAY, AND THEN ADDED:

"THEY PROBABLY ARE SOMEWHERE AROUND THESE WATERS. I SHOULD THINK IT'S NATURAL FOR THEM TO COME AROUND AND HAVE A LOOK-SEE."

THE BRITISH NAVAL UNITS OPERATING IN KOREAN WATERS WERE LAUDED TODAY BY VICE ADM.CHARLES T.JOY, U.S. FAR EAST NAVAL COMMANDER. HE MESSAGED ANDREWS:

"AS COMMANDER OF THE UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES UNDER GENERAL MACARTHUR I CONGRATULATE AND COMMEND BRITISH UNITS UNDER COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL ANDREWS FOR THEIR CONSISTENT RECORD OF SHARP SHOOTING AT MOKPO AND INCHON. SINCE IT'S UNFORTUNATELY NECESSARY TO SHOOT TO STAY FREE, WE ARE INDEED GLAD TO HAVE THE SURE AND FAST FIRING BRITISH WITH US."

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TOKYO,AUG 7 (AP)-AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG PILOTS STRAFED A HAYSTACK IN ENEMY TERRITORY OVER KOREA TODAY--AND IT BLEW 3,000 FEET IN THE AIR.

THE AUSTRALIANS DID NOT EXPLAIN JUST WHY THEY TOOK A PASS AT THE DISGUISED AMMUNITION DUMP, BUT A SUMMARY RELEASED THROUGH GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS QUOTED AN UNIDENTIFIED SQUADRON LEADER AS SAYING:

"AS I PULLED OUT, I SAW FLAME, SMOKE AND BITS AND PIECES GO MUSHROOMING PAST MY TAIL. THE BLAST STARTED SOME LOCAL FIRES AND JUST ABOUT DEVASTATED THAT BIT OF TERRITORY."

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TOKYO,AUG 7 (AP)-A NORTH KOREAN ARMY COMMUNIQUE BROADCAST BY PYONGYANG RADIO TONIGHT SAID COMMUNIST TROOPS SATURDAY CAPTURED UISONG, ROAD JUNCTION 15 MILES SOUTH OF ANDONG ON THE NORTHERN FRONT.

IT ASSERTED THE RED TROOPS THERE DESTROYED THE GREATER PART OF AN AMERICAN ARMORED UNIT "WHICH HAS BEEN PUTTING UP STRONG RESISTANCE."

NO AMERICAN TROOPS HAVE BEEN REPORTED OPERATING IN THE ANDONG AREA. THAT PORTION OF THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINE IS MANNED BY SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.

THE BROADCAST FROM THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL SAID THE REDS CONTINUED

TO ADVANCE IN THE ANDONG AREA AND "INFLICTED HEAVY DAMAGE TO THE ENEMY, KILLING AND WOUNDING OVER 6,000 AND CAPTURING OVER 600, AS WELL AS (CAPTURING) LARGE QUANTITIES OF WAR BOOTY."

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TOKYO, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON KOREA YESTERDAY DENOUNCED NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION AND PROMISED PUNISHMENT.
"AGGRESSION IS AN INTERNATIONAL CRIME SUBJECT TO INTERNATIONAL REPRESSIVE ACTION AND PUNISHMENT," SAID B.A. RENBORG, SECRETARY OF THE 6-NATION GROUP. HE SPOKE AT A PUBLIC MEETING IN THE SOUTH KOREAN PORT OF PUSAN.
MORE THAN 1,000 SOUTH KOREANS JAMMED THE NATIONAL THEATER AND LINED THE STREET OUTSIDE. SPEECHES WERE TRANSLATED INTO KOREAN FROM ENGLISH, SPANISH, FRENCH, CHINESE AND TURKISH.
SPEAKERS INCLUDED HENRI BRIONVAL OF FRANCE, CURRENT CHAIRMAN; A.B. JAMIESON OF AUSTRALIA, T.T. SUTU OF NATIONALIST CHINA, GOCHEZ MARIN OF EL SALVADOR, ANUP SINGH OF INDIA, DR. BERNABE AFRICA OF THE PHILIPPINES, KAMIL IDIL OF TURKEY AND SHIN SUNG MO, ACTING KOREAN PRIME MINISTER.

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CORRESPONDENTS (140)
TOKYO, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE FAR EAST COMMAND SAID TODAY 271 ACCREDITED CORRESPONDENTS FROM 19 COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED TO REPORT THE KOREAN WAR.
COMPARED WITH THE 77 CORRESPONDENTS ACCREDITED TO THE
COMPARED WITH THE 77 CORRESPONDENTS ACCREDITED TO THE FAR EAST COMMAND ON JUNE 25, WHEN THE RED INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA STARTED, THE FIGURE REPRESENTS A 250 PER CENT INCREASE.
THE TOTAL INCLUDES 12 CORRESPONDENTS IN MANILA BUT DOES NOT INCLUDE ABOUT THE SAME NUMBER IN FORMOSA. THE REST ARE EITHER IN JAPAN OR KOREA.
THE UNITED STATES TOPS THE LIST WITH 156 NEWSPAPER, MAGAZINE AND RADIO CORRESPONDENTS. BRITAIN HAS 28, AUSTRALIA 15, CHINA 14, FRANCE 13 AND CANADA 5. OTHER COUNTRIES REPRESENTED ARE BELGIUM, DENMARK, EGYPT, GREECE, INDIA, INDONESIA, SOUTH KOREA, NORWAY, TURKEY, THE PHILIPPINES, SWEDEN AND SWITZERLAND.
AMONG THE LATEST ARRIVALS IS RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, SON OF WINSTON CHURCHILL. HE GOT HERE YESTERDAY.

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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-NORTH KOREANS ARE "DETERMINED TO GET REVENGE" FOR AMERICAN BOMBING OF THEIR CITIES, A COMMUNIST ARMY COMMUNIQUE BROADCAST BY THE PYONGYANG RADIO SAID TODAY.
THE RED ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID "MORE THAN 30" FOUR-ENGINE BOMBERS RAIDED PYONGYANG FIVE TIMES MONDAY, DROPPING "SEVERAL HUNDRED" BOMBS IN THREE HOURS. THE BROADCAST SAID A LARGE NUMBER OF NORTH KOREANS WERE KILLED IN THE RAID.
THE COMMUNIQUE ADDED:
"THE WRATH OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE AGAINST THE INDISCRIMINATE BOMBING OF THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE IS GREAT AND THE PEOPLE ARE DETERMINED TO GET REVENGE IN THE END."
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FIFTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP.
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.
TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG 8-(AP)-THE FIRST AMERICAN OFFENSIVE OF THE KOREAN WAR DROVE TO WITHIN 10 MILES OF THE COMMUNISTS' SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF CHINJU TODAY. BUT THE REDS HURLED A NEW THREAT AT THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES WITH AN DOUBLE-BITTED ATTACK AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE DEFENSE BOX.
THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE ARMY'S 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION MADE THE DEEPEST PENETRATION IN THE SOUTHERN DRIVE ON CHINJU, 55 AIR MILES WEST OF THE ALL-IMPORTANT BEACHHEAD SUPPLY FUNNEL OF PUSAN. FIELD DISPATCHES CREDITED THE DOUGHBOYS WITH A GAIN OF ABOUT 10 ROAD MILES IN THEIR PUSH ALONG THE CHINJU-PUSAN HIGHWAY ON THE NORTHERN FLANK OF THE OFFENSIVE.
A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS PLACED THE 35TH AT SAGONG, 12 AIR MILES EAST OF CHINJU, AT NOON TUESDAY. BUT THIS WAS AN HOUR LATER THAN THE 10-MILE DISTANCE REPORTED BY ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD WITH THE ADVANCING FORCES.
THE SPOKESMAN WARNED AGAINST PREMATURE OPTIMISM BUT DESCRIBED THE SITUATION AS BETTER--"BUT NOT MATERIALLY"--THAN YESTERDAY WHEN THE OFFENSIVE WAS LAUNCHED AT DAWN. HE SAID FIGHTING TODAY WAS HEAVIER AND PROGRESS SLOWER.

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THE NEW THREAT TO THE SHRUNKEN U.N. DEFENSE PERIMETER DEVELOPED IN THE NORTHWEST WHERE THE REDS THREW PERHAPS SOME 15,000 MEN ACROSS THE NAKTANG RIVER LINE.
AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE TUESDAY MORNING PLACED ONE ATTACK--BY THREE RED REGIMENTS--25 MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN AND DESCRIBED IT AS "THE NEWEST THREAT OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES." WAEGWAN IS 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, COMMUNICATIONS HUB NEAR THE FRONT.
THE OTHER PRONG OF THE RED THRUST FROM THE NORTHWEST WAS ONLY THREE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN. THERE THE REDS HAD PUT ONE TANK AND TWO BATTALIONS ACROSS THE RIVER. SEVEN MORE TANKS WERE ON THE WEST BANK READY TO CROSS, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE RED CROSSINGS "MAY HERALD A STRONG THRUST AIMED DIRECTLY AT TAEGU," 55 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN. HE SAID ALLIED FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS HAD BEEN ORDERED TO GIVE PRIORITY TO KNOCKING OUT THE TWO RED CONCENTRATIONS.
WHILE THE 35TH INFANTRY DIVISION WAS PACING THE SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE, THE OTHER UNITS OF THE ADVANCE WERE SLOWED BY HEAVY NORTH KOREAN ATTACKS. THE FIRST MARINE REGIMENT AND THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM APPARENTLY HAD NOT MADE MUCH HEADWAY AFTER SHOVING WESTWARD FOUR MILES MONDAY.
WHITEHEAD SAID THE 35TH HAD COVERED ABOUT HALF THE DISTANCE TOWARD CHINJU FROM IT'S SHOVING-OFF POINT, CHUNGAM.
THE SPOKESMAN AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE AMERICAN ATTACK TOWARD THE REDS' STAGING BASE APPARENTLY HAD BEATEN BY ONLY A FEW HOURS A FULL-SCALE NORTH KOREAN POWER-PUSH TOWARD PUSAN.

AP RORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT WITH THE MARINES SAID THE REDS THREW A ROADBLOCK EARLY TUESDAY ACROSS THE HIGHWAY BETWEEN MASAN AND CHINDONG---FAR BEHIND THE AMERICAN ADVANCE ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. CHINDONG, TAKE-OFF POINT FOR THE MARINE'S WESTWARD THRUST, IS ON THE SOUTH COAST. MASAN, SEVEN AIR MILES NORTHEAST OF CHINDONG, IS 27 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.
LAMBERT SAID AMERICAN TANKS AND ARTILLERY BEGAN POUNDING THE ROADBLOCK WHICH THE REDS HAD SET UP WITH MORTAR AND MACHINEGUN FIRE. BY NOON, HE SAID , THERE WAS ONLY SPORADIC CHATTERING BY RED MACHINEGUNS AND AMERICAN SUPPLIES AGAIN WERE ROLLING ALONG THE ROAD.

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AP CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID INDICATIONS WERE THAT SOME OF THE TROOPS, TANKS AND SUPPLIES STEAMING IN BEHIND THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE WERE COMING BY SEA IN AMPHIBIOUS OPERATIONS REMINISCENT OF WORLD WAR II.

UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES MEANWHILE HAMMERED BOTH COASTS OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA.

FIVE U. S. WARSHIPS, INCLUDING A HEAVY CRUISER, SHELLED THE NORTH KOREAN RAILWAY CENTER OF TANCHON ON THE EAST COAST IN WHAT FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS CALLED THE FIRST MAJOR BOMBARDMENT NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. TANCHON, 125 MILES NORTH OF THE PARALLEL, MARKS THE NORTHERNMOST ACTION BY AMERICAN NAVAL CRAFT.

AMERICAN WARSHIPS ALSO CONTINUED SHELLING RED POSITIONS AROUND YONGDOK, A TOWN REDUCED TO RUBBLE BY U. S. NAVAL GUNS AT THE EASTERN END OF THE U. N. DEFENSE LINE ON THE NORTH.

ON THE WEST COAST, WARSHIPS OF THE BRITISH, NETHERLANDS AND SOUTH KOREAN NAVIES POUNDED INCHON, PORT FOR THE FALLEN SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL OF SEOUL. TWO BRITISH CRUISERS AND TWO DESTROYERS PARTICIPATED IN THE BOMBARDMENT WHICH LASTED TWO HOURS.

ON THE WESTERN FRONT, NORTH OF THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE, THE COMMUNISTS GOT A FORCE OF PERHAPS 2,000 TROOPS ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE. THIS WAS ON THE FRONT DEFENDED BY THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION.

THIS NEW CROSSING, MADE BY AN ESTIMATED TWO BATTALIONS MONDAY NIGHT, WAS ABOUT 40 MILES NORTH OF THE COMMUNIST CROSSINGS MADE SUNDAY. THE SUNDAY OPERATIONS PUT 800 REDS ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG ON THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION FRONT-BETWEEN THE FIRST CAVALRY AND THE WESTWARD-THRUSTING MARINES AND ARMY TROOPS IN THE SOUTH. THE 24TH HAD THE 800 WHITTLED DOWN TO A BARE 100 TODAY AND WERE CONTINUING THE MOPPING UP.

FAR BEHIND FIELD REPORTS, TUESDAY'S MID-DAY SUMMARY FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED LAUNCHING OF THE ATTACK IN THE SOUTH AND SAID "SOME GAINS" HAD BEEN MADE. IT GAVE NO DETAILS.

THE SUMMARY NOTED THAT PROGRESS OF THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE "HAS BEEN SLOW" BUT COMMUNIST LOSSES IN MEN AND EQUIPMENT WERE HEAVY.

MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY CALLED THE RED CROSSING ON THE 24TH DIVISION FRONT A "BRIDGEHEAD," POSSIBLY INDICATING THE NORTH KOREANS HAD SUCCEEDED IN REINFORCING THE 800 WHO CROSSED SUNDAY. O THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION FRONT, THE SUMMARY MENTIONED ONLY A CROSSING BY ONE RED BATTALION.

ON THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT PROTECTING THE NORTHERN PERIMETER OF THE U. N. BEACHHEAD, THE MACARTHUR SUMMARY REPORTED THE SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION UNDER HEAVY ATTACK. IT WAS DRIVEN BACK ONE TO TWO MILES "BEFORE THE SITUATION WAS STABILIZED." THIS ACTION WAS NOT PINPOINTED.

IN THE SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE, THE AMERICANS WERE SLUGGING IT OUT WITH THE NORTH KOREANS ON THE ONLY THREE ROADS THAT LEAD TO CHINJU FROM THE EAST. CHINJU IS THE SPRINGBOARD FROM WHICH THE REDS MOUNTED THEIR DRIVE TOWARD PUSAN, VITAL U.N. SUPPLY PORT 55 AIR MILES TO THE EAST.

GAINS OF FOUR MILES WERE MADE BY THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT AND THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM MONDAY, FIRST DAY OF THE OFFENSIVE. THIS WAS REPORTED BY AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT, WITH THE FIFTH MARINES, IN A DISPATCH TIMED JUST BEFORE MIDNIGHT. HE SAID THE GAINS WERE SOUTHWEST AND NORTHWEST OF CHINDONG, 24 AIR MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU.

THERE WAS NO LATE WORD FROM LAMBERT ON THE PROGRESS OF THESE TWO UNITS OR OF THE 36TH REGIMENT OF THE ARMY'S 25TH DIVISION. THE OTHER OUTFIT IN THE THREE-PRONGED ATTACK.

THIS WAS THE DEPLOYMENT: THE MARINES WERE ON THE SOUTH, THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM IN THE CENTER, THE 35TH REGIMENT ON THE NORTH.

THE COMMUNISTS THREW A COUNTER-BLOW AT THE NORTH FLANK---AGAINST THE 35TH INFANTRY. TUESDAY DISPATCHES TO EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID THIS RED THREAT WAS "REDUCED" DURING THE NIGHT.

LAMBERT'S MONDAY NIGHT DISPATCH SAID THE MARINES AND THE FIFTH COMBAT TEAM HAD PUSHED AHEAD THROUGH HEAVY RED ARTILLERY BARRAGES AND OVER ALMOST IMPASSABLE ROADS. THE 35TH REGIMENT WAS MOVING ALONG THE MAIN PUSAN-CHINJU HIGHWAY.

WITH ABOUT 9,000 MEN IN ACTION, THIS WAS THE MOST AMBITIOUS AMERICAN DRIVE OF THE WAR. BUT MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN, 25TH DIVISION COMMANDER WHO IS DIRECTING THE ASSAULT , DESCRIBED IT AS "A LIMITED OBJECTIVE ATTACK."

IT WAS "A SLOW DIFFICULT BATTLE, WHICH COST THE LEATHERNECKS THEIR FIRST CASUALTIES OF THE KOREAN WAR," LAMBERT WROTE. THE ATTACK SENT THE MARINES INTO INFANTRY ACTION FOR THE FIRST TIME.

ONE COMPANY (CORRECT) OF THE FIFTH COMBAT TEAM WAS CUT OFF, LAMBERT REPORTED. A BATTALION OF MARINES WAS ORDERED TO THEIR RESCUE AND SUPPLIES WERE DROPPED FROM THE AIR.

THE OFFENSIVE RIGHT AT THE START RAN HEAD-ON INTO A COMMUNIST DRIVE AIMED EASTWARD TOWARD PUSAN. RED ARTILLERY KNOCKED OUT THE LEAD TANK OF A COLUMN OF 45-TON AMERICAN GENERAL PERSHING ON A NARROW ROAD.

THIS BOTTLED UP THE COURSE OF ADVANCE AND THE AMERICANS WENT AHEAD WITHOUT ARMOR.

LAMBERT'S MONDAY NIGHT REPORT SAID "EARLIER DIFFICULTIES WERE BEING SMOOTHED OUT AND THE ATTACK WAS PROCEEDING IN BETTER FASHION."

THE OFFENSIVE WAS GIVEN WALLOPING AIR SUPPORT ALL DAY MONDAY.

SUPPORTING THE AMERICAN GROUND FORCES ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WAS THE "BIG MISSION" OF THE DAY, U. S. FAITH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS SAID. MARINE AND NAVY PLANES FROM CARRIERS ALSO CONCENTRATED IN THAT AREA.

THE FIFTH REPORTED 419 SORTIES FLOWN MONDAY---366 OF THEM COMBAT MISSIONS WITH EVEN B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS TAKING PART IN LOW-LEVEL STRAFING ATTACKS ON THE REDS IN THE SOUTH. CARRIER-BASED PLANES FLEW 203 SORTIES.

CASUALTIES INFLICTED UPON STIFFLY RESISTING COMMUNIST TROOPS WERE REPORTED THE GREATEST OF THE YOUNG KOREAN WAR.

THE NORTH KOREANS, WITH FOUR DIVISIONS MASSED IN THE CHINJU AREA, 55 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, WERE KNOCKED OFF BALANCE BY THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE ACTION AS THEY WERE ABOUT TO STRIKE FOR THE KEY REAR BASE PORT.

AIR FORCE AND CARRIER BASED NAVY PLANES CHEWED INTO RED TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS IN HEAVY STRIKES WHEN THE OFFENSIVE OPENED AT FIRST LIGHT MONDAY.

BITTER FIGHTING WAS IN PROGRESS ELSEWHERE ON THE 140-MILE DEFENSE PERIMETER.

ON THE NORTHEAST RIM, THE COMMUNIST INVADERS ENGULFED FOR A TIME ELEMENTS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL DIVISION. THE REPUBLICAN TROOPS WERE RELIEVED LATE MONDAY BY A COUNTER-ATTACK.

MIDWAY ALONG THE WESTERN FRONT, WHERE THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER FORMS A NATURAL BARRIER, THE COMMUNISTS BUILT UP POCKETS OF TROOPS ON THE EAST BANKS. THEY CROSSED THE RIVER BY BARGE, RAFTS AND EVEN POWER BOATS, ONLY TO BE QUICKLY CONTAINED OR WIPED OUT BY DEFENDING U.S. 24TH DIVISION AND SOUTH KOREAN UNITS.

A FEW RED SURVIVORS REMAINED OF AN ORIGINAL FORCE OF 800 WHICH MADE

AT RED CONCENTRATIONS ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG, SOME 43 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN. BY NIGHT THE NORTH KOREANS HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO REINFORCE THEIR BRIDGEHEAD ON THE EAST BANK AT PUGONG. THIS WAS 28 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE HUB COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU, WHICH IS 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE INDICATION HOW LONG OR HOW FAR THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE THRUST AT THE SOUTHERN END OF THE LINE WOULD CONTINUE.

(IN WASHINGTON A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN CAUTIONED: "WE DO NOT THINK THE TIME HAS ARRIVED YET FOR THE U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES TO ROLL THE ENEMY BACK ALL ALONG THE LINE.")

A STEADY STREAM OF AMERICAN REPLACEMENTS WAS BEING SENT TO THE SOUTHERN AND OTHER FRONTS FROM PUSAN TO FILL GAPS IN THE RANKS LEFT BY CASUALTIES.

(CONFIRMED AMERICAN CASUALTIES THUS FAR IN THE KOREAN WAR ARE 153 KILLED, 873 MISSING AND 1,590 WOUNDED, THE ARMY ANNOUNCED IN WASHINGTON.)

NORTH KOREAN ODEAD AND WOUNDED HAVE MOUNTED RAPIDLY IN THE PAST WEEK SINCE AMERICAN DEFENSE LINES WERE STABILIZED.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ESTIMATED RED CASUALTIES AT 37,500 MORE THAN ONE WEEK AGO. BATTLEFIELD REPORTS DURING THE LAST WEEK INDICATED MORE THAN 2,500 ADDITIONAL CASUALTIES, MAKING AN ESTIMATED TOTAL OF MORE THAN 40,000 SINCE THE REDS INVADED THE SOUTH JUNE 25.

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE SOUTHERN AMERICAN OFFENSIVE HAD INFLICTED "HEAVY" CASUALTIES ON THE REDS, WHO WERE GEARED FOR A MASSIVE DRIVE ON MASAN.

GENERAL MACARTHUR OMITTED HIS WAR SUMMARY EARLY TUESDAY, SAYING THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE THAT ANNOUNCED THE AMERICAN PUSH COVERED THE SITUATION TO DATE.

THE AMERICAN ATTACK SHOVED OFF FROM THE VICINITY OF CHUNGAM, 40 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, AT 6:30 A.M. MONDAY-(3:30 P.M. SUNDAY, EST) THE REDS HAD TIMED THEIR THRUST FOR APPROXIMATELY THE SAME HOUR.

AT LEAST 7,500 REDS, BACKED BY AN ADDITIONAL DIVISION (USUALLY 10,000 MEN) BORE THE SHOCK OF THE AMERICAN ADVANCE.

HEAVY MARINE ARTILLERY FIRE AND A SWEEP BY NAVY AND AIRFORCE PLANES PREPARED THE WAY FOR THE U.S. GROUND FORCES.

A COLUMN OF 45-TON PERSHING TANKS WAS EXPECTED TO LEAD THE THRUST, BUT ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THE COLUMN WAS STALLED, AT LEAST FOR A TIME, BY FLANKING FIRE. THIS BOTTLENECK DEVELOPED NEAR CHINDONG, 30 MILES DUE WEST OF PUSAN ON THE SOUTHERN COAST. THERE RED ARTILLERY OPENED FIRE ON THE LEAD TANK WHILE OTHERS PILED UP BEHIND IT.

~~IT WAS NOT CLEAR BY NIGHTFALL MONDAY WHETHER THE AMERICAN ARMOR HAD BEEN FREED ON THE SINGLE ROAD LEADING WEST OF CHINDONG.~~

INFANTRY CONTINUED THEIR ADVANCE WITHOUT TANK SUPPORT. THE FIFTH INFANTRY REGIMENT ATTACKED NORTHWEST FROM KOGAN ON A ROAD FORKING INTO THE MAIN CHINJU HIGHWAY AT A JUNCTION NEAR PANSONG VILLAGE.

ON THE RIGHT FLANK THE 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION PUSHED ALONG THE MAIN CHINJU-MASAN HIGHWAY FROM A POINT SOUTH OF CHUNGAM.

THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT MOVED DOWN A ROAD TOWARD KUSONG, 21 MILES SOUTHWEST OF MASAN.

IT WAS A WIDE FLANKING MOVEMENT THAT COULD BRING THE MARINES TO SACHON, EIGHT MILES SOUTH OF THE DEVASTATED TOWN OF CHINJU, WHERE THE COMMUNISTS MASSED FOR THEIR DRIVE ON PUSAN.

THE TERRAIN WAS SUITED TO THE NORTH KOREANS. FROM MISTY RIDGES OVERHANGING THE VALLEY REDS POURED A HAIL OF FIRE ON THE ADVANCING AMERICANS.

BOTH THE MARINES AND THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII MOVED FORWARD A FULL FOUR MILES FROM THEIR JUMPOFF POINTS.

THERE WAS NO LATE REPORTS AVAILABLE ON PROGRESS OF THE THIRD PRONG OF THE ATTACK--THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION.

ONE BATTALION OF THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM GOT INTO TROUBLE WHEN IT WAS CUT OFF BUT SUPPLIES WERE DROPPED TO IT FROM THE AIR. ELEMENTS OF THE MARINE AND ARMY FORCE WERE SENT TO RELIEVE THE BATTALION.

FARTHER NORTH, THE RUMBLE OF AMERICAN ARTILLERY POURING SHELLS INTO RED POSITIONS ACROSS THE NAKTONG COULD BE HEARD MONDAY NIGHT IN TAEGU, 28 MILES TO THE NORTHEAST.

FIFTH AIRFORCE FIGHTER-BOMBERS CONTINUED TO SMASH AT RED TARGETS WHEREVER THEY COULD BE FOUND ALONG THE FRONT.

OTHER PLANES POUNDED THE NORTH KOREAN REAR BASE STAGING AREAS WITH ATTACKS AS FAR NORTH AS SEOUL'S AIRPORT WHERE SEVEN ENEMY PLANES WERE DESTROYED ON THE GROUND.

B-29S HIT AT PYONGYANG AND WONSAN IN NORTH KOREA WITH 340 TONS OF BOMBS LOOSED ON THE TWO TARGETS.

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BULLETIN

THIRD LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG 8 (AP)-AMERICAN MARINES AND DOUGHBOYS BLASTED FORWARD AN ESTIMATED FOUR MILES ON THE SOUTHERNMOST FRONT IN KOREA MONDAY IN THEIR FIRST OFFENSIVE OF THE SIX-WEEKS-OLD WAR.

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BULLETIN MATTER

TOKYO--FIRST ADD THIRD LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP XXX SIX-WEEKS-OLD WAR.

THE THREE-PRONGED AMERICAN ATTACK WHICH BEGAN MONDAY WAS CONTINUING TODAY IN A SLOW-DIFFICULT BATTLE AGAINST A WITHERING BARRAGE OF NORTH KOREAN ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE.

A BOTTLENECK THAT BLOCKED THE MARINES' 45-TON PERSHING TANKS AT THE OUTSET EARLY MONDAY JUST WEST OF CHINDONG APPARENTLY HAD BEEN BROKEN.

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OFFICIAL SOURCES AT THE FRONT TOLD AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT LAST NIGHT THAT EARLIER DIFFICULTIES IN THAT AREA NOW HAD BEEN SMOOTHED OUT AND THE AMERICAN ATTACK WAS PROCEEDING.

THE BLOCKADE HAD OCCURRED WHEN RED ARTILLERY KNOCKED OUT THE LEAD TANK, BLOCKADING THE ONLY ROAD.

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LAMBERT REPORTED THE MARINES HAD SUFFERED THEIR FIRST CASUALTIES OF THE WAR BUT GAVE NO DETAILS.

HE SAID BOTH THE MARINES' REINFORCED FIFTH-MARINE REGIMENT AND THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII HAD SCORED FOUR-MILE ADVANCES AT UNSPECIFIED PLACES.

ONE BATTALION OF THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WAS CUT OFF, LAMBERT SAID, BUT ARMY AND MARINE ELEMENTS WERE BEING SENT TO RELIEVE IT. THEY WERE SUPPLIED WITH AMMUNITION AND FOOD BY AIR DROPS.

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NO LATE REPORTS WERE AVAILABLE ON THE THIRD ELEMENT IN THE AMERICAN OFFENSICE: THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION.

ABOUT 9,000 AMERICANS AND SOME SOUTH KOREAN COMMANDO UNITS WERE THROWN INTO THE ATTACK.

THEY CLASHED HEAD-ON WITH THE CRACK NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION. IT IS BACKED BY THE RED FIRST DIVISION. THE TWO TOTAL AROUND 15,000 MEN.

AS THE BIG PUSH STARTED, W. AVERELL HARRIMAN. SPECIAL FOREIGN

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AFFAIRS ADVISER AND ASSISTANT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN, VISITED A FRONT LINE COMMAND POST IN KOREA.

ON HIS RETURN TO TOKYO, HARRIMAN SAID HE HAD FOUND AMERICAN MILITARY LEADERS AND SOUTH KOREAN OFFICIALS "VERY CHEERFUL AND OPTIMISTIC."

THE OFFENSIVE HAD BEEN UNDER WAY ONLY A SHORT TIME WHEN B-29S, SOME OF THEM LESS THAN SIX DAYS OUT OF THE UNITED STATES, PLASTERED PYONGYANG, NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL, AND THE INDUSTRIAL CITY OF WONSAN WITH 540 TONS OF BOMBS. THIS WAS THE BIGGEST SINGLE BLOW DEALT THUS FAR BY THE B29S.

IN THE LATEST OFFICIAL FIELD REPORT MONDAY ON THE NEW ALLIED OFFENSIVE A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE RELEASED AT 8:35 P.M. (5:35 A.M. EST) SAID:

"THE ATTACK LAUNCHED THIS MORNING BY THE 25TH DIVISION AND THE MARINE BRIGADE ADVANCED ABOUT 3,000 YARDS TODAY ON A BROAD FRONT. STRONG RESISTANCE WAS MET WITH U.S. FORCES INFLICTING HEAVY CASUALTIES ON THE ENEMY."

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID HE WOULD NOT ISSUE HIS USUAL EARLY MORNING KOREAN SUMMARY TUESDAY BECAUSE THERE WAS NO NEW INFORMATION BEYOND THE MONDAY NIGHT EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE.

FIELD REPORTS TO EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID THE REDS SUFFERED PROBABLY THEIR HEAVIEST CASUALTIES OF THE WAR.

THE REPORTS SAID THE U.S. ATTACK FORCED RED INFANTRYMEN TO EXPOSE THEMSELVES TO FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS.

ONE STAFF OFFICER SAID:

"THE AIR BOYS HAD MORE AND BETTER TARGETS TODAY THAN THEY HAVE HAD IN A LONG TIME."

COMMUNIST ARTILLERY FIRE, IN TURN, STOPPED AN ADVANCE OF SUPPORTING AMERICAN TANKS AT A ROAD BOTTLENECK AND HIT AMERICAN ARTILLERY POSITIONS, BUT THE AMERICANS PUSHED AHEAD WITHOUT ARMOR.

NORTH OF THE MAIN BATTLE AREA U.S. 24TH DIVISION TROOPS FOUGHT DOGGEDLY BUT WITHOUT SUCCESS TO CLEAR OUT ABOUT 150 SURVIVORS OF AN 800-MAN RED FORCE THAT CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER SUNDAY SOUTHAT

THEY STRUCK THESE BLOWS AFTER FIVE WEEKS OF BITTER AMERICAN DEFENSIVE RETREATS.

A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID THE AMERICANS SWEPT FORWARD ABOUT 3,000 YARDS WITH THE INITIAL THRUST.

U.S. TROOPS DEALT HEAVY CASUALTIES ON THE ENEMY, IT ADDED.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE ACTION COVERED A "BROAD FRONT".

THE REDS, GETTING READY FOR A THRUST OF THEIR OWN TOWARD PUSAN, 35 MILES EAST OF THE KICKOFF PLACE FOR THE UNITED NATIONS DRIVE, HIT THE AMERICAN RIGHT FLANK HARD.

ON THE NORTHERN FRONT THE COMMUNISTS BEGAN A NEW OFFENSIVE SOUTH OF YECHON, THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID. ALLIED SOUTH KOREANS WERE ENGAGED IN SEVERE FIGHTING THERE.

THE BIG AMERICAN PUSH PLOWED INTO TWO NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS IN THE RUGGED COASTAL COUNTRY OF THE SOUTHERN SECTOR. THE ATTACK WAS MADE FROM THE VILLAGE OF KOGAN, 35 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, THE MAIN U.S. SEAPORT ON THE SOUTHEASTERN TIP OF THE PENINSULA.

THE BLOW WAS PUNCHED OUT BY THE ARMY'S 35TH AND FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS, THE FIFTH MARINE REINFORCED REGIMENT OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION AND SOME SOUTH KOREAN COMMANDO UNITS. THE UNITED NATIONS OFFENSIVE FORCE HAD MORE THAN 6,000 MEN IN IT.

THE AMERICANS HIT THE REDS A TRIPLE BLOW TO START THE OFFENSIVE.

FIRST A CURTAIN OF STEEL WAS LAID DOWN BY ARTILLERY FOR 20 MINUTES.

NEXT FIGHTER PLANES STRAFED AND ROCKETED THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST LINES.

THEN THE INFANTRYMEN LEAPED OUT OF THEIR FOXHOLES AND TOOK OUT AT THE ENEMY.

CARRIER-BASED PLANES SUPPORTED LAND PLANES IN THE AIR ATTACK ON THE REDS, WHO WERE CAUGHT JUST BEFORE TRYING TO JUMP OFF ON A COUNTER-ATTACK OF THEIR OWN.

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THE OFFENSIVE BEGAN AT 6:30 A.M. (3:30 P.M. EST SUNDAY).

THE ATTACKING U.N. TROOPS LUNGED FROM THE EAST AND SOUTHEAST TOWARD THE MAIN ROAD BETWEEN CHINGAM AND RED-HELD CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN. CHINJU, NOW A RUBBLED CITY, HAS BEEN THE SPRINGBOARD FOR FREQUENT RED THRUSTS AT PUSAN.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO SAID THE ATTACK WAS PROGRESSING ON SCHEDULE. IT WAS CALLED AN OFFENSIVE--NOT A COUNTER-ATTACK. THE U.N. FORCES LATE MONDAY WERE ABOUT 15 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

DON WHITEHEAD, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WITH THE AMERICANS, REPORTED THEY MET A SWIFT AND HARD COUNTER-ATTACK FROM THE REDS ON THE RIGHT FLANK AFTER RAMMING A BIG DENT IN COMMUNIST LINES.

THE COUNTER-THRUST PREVENTED THE USE OF NEW 45-TON GENERAL PERSHING TANKS WHICH WERE READY TO ADD POWER TO THE AMERICAN PUNCH.

USE OF THE BIG TANKS BY THE ATTACKING AMERICANS WAS DELAYED FURTHER BY A ROAD BOTTLENECK. THE TANK TIEUP WAS REPORTED BY LT. HERMAN C. MITCHELL OF ROANOKE, VA., WHO FLEW OVER THE BATTLE AREA FOR SIX HOURS.

MITCHELL SAID THE TANKS WERE STALLED ON THE ROAD WEST OF CHINDONG, FIVE MILES EAST OF KOGAN. HE SAID RED ARTILLERY HAD STOPPED ONE BIG TANK AND THE OTHER TANKS WERE BACKED UP BEHIND IT.

THE COMMUNISTS HAD ARTILLERY MOUNTED SOUTHWEST AND NORTHWEST OF CHINDONG, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED FROM U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA.

NUMEROUS AMERICAN AIR BLOWS AT THE RED ARTILLERY HAD FAILED TO SILENCE THE GUNS LATE MONDAY AFTERNOON.

THE 35TH REGIMENT WAS PUSHING ALONG THE MAIN ROAD BETWEEN CHUNGAM AND CHINJU. THE FIFTH REGIMENT WAS PUSHING NORTHEASTWARD AGAINST HEAVY OPPOSITION ALONG A MAIN HIGHWAY LEADING FROM KOGAN TO THE CHUNGAM-CHINJU ROAD.

THE OFFENSIVE APPARENTLY HAD A TRIPLE PURPOSE: TO DRIVE THE COMMUNISTS FROM THEIR SOUTHERN ANCHOR, TO KEEP THEM OFF BALANCE AND TO OBTAIN FULL CONTROL OF SOUTHEASTERN KOREA.

TWO AMERICAN BATTALIONS--1,800 TO 2,000 MEN--PUSHED THROUGH AN ARTILLERY-SWEPT VALLEY AND INTO THE HILLS BEYOND WHEN THE REDS BEGAN THEIR COUNTER-ATTACK. THIS HIT THE U.S. RIGHT FLANK AND WAS AIMED AT SUPPLY LINES.

THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENTALS PUSHED SOUTHWESTWARD ALONG THE BAY HIGHWAY TOWARD KOSANG, 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF MASAN, PORT CITY 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

THE REDS GOT SO CLOSE TO THE AMERICAN FLANKS THEIR MORTARS LOBBED OVER A RIDGE INTO AN AMERICAN COMMAND POST. COL. JOHN (MIKE) MICHAELIS, COMMANDING THE MAIN TASK FORCE, ORDERED A QUICK COUNTER-THRUST TO WIPE OUT THIS THREAT.

ON THE EVE OF THE OFFENSIVE THE REDS SNEAKED THROUGH AND CUT AMERICAN COMMUNICATION WIRES. THIS LED EIGHTH ARMY OFFICERS TO CONCLUDE THE ENEMY HAD ADVANCE INFORMATION THAT THE BLOW WAS COMING.

THE REDS ALLOWED ADVANCE AMERICAN UNITS TO MOVE FORWARD BEFORE OPENING WITH THEIR ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY COUNTER-BLOWS.

MAIN ATTENTION WAS FOCUSED ON THIS LARGEST AMERICAN THRUST -- AND THE FIRST DEFINITE U.S. OFFENSIVE ACTION. IT INVOLVES TWICE THE NUMBER OF AMERICAN TROOPS USED BEFORE AT ANY TIME.

BUT THE EIGHTH ARMY WARNED IN ITS COMMUNUQUE THAT THE PRIMARY COMMUNIST THREAT LAY SOME 14 MILES NORTHWARD AT A BIG BEND OF THE NAKTONG RIVER WHERE THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION HOLDS DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.

TOKYO--FIRST ADD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP X X X DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.
THE REDS WERE PROBING STRONGLY IN THE NAKTONG BEND AREA AND BUILDING UP WHAT HEADQUARTERS SAID MIGHT BE THE STRENGTH OF A FULL DIVISION.

THE COMMUNISTS HAVE CROSSED THE NAKTONG TWICE IN STRENGTH SOUTHEAST OF HYOPCHON, A MACARTHUR HEADQUARTERS BRIEFING OFFICER IN TOKYO SAID. ONE FORCE AT PINGONG WAS WIPED OUT AFTER A FULL BATTALION OF REDS REACHED THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER SUNDAY.

A SECOND CROSSING NEAR SINAM PUT TWO NORTH KOREAN BATTALIONS --PROBABLY 1,600 MEN--ON THE AMERICAN SIDE OF THE RIVER. THESE FORCES HAVE BEEN "CONTAINED," THE SPOKESMAN CONTINUED. HE SAID IT WAS DOUBTFUL THAT RED TANKS HAD BEEN FERRIED ACROSS THE RIVER.

THE AMERICANS MAY HAVE THE RIVER-CROSSING ELEMENTS SURROUNDED.
THE CROSSING FORCED WITHDRAWAL OF AN AMERICAN UNIT -- AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID IT WAS A REGIMENT BUT FRONTLINE REPORTS SAID ONLY TWO COMPANIES WERE INVOLVED. AN AMERICAN COUNTER-ATTACK RELIEVED THE SITUATION.

THE 34TH AND 19TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION WERE INVOLVED IN THESE ACTIONS. BOTH OF THESE OUTFITS FOUGHT IN THE BITTER BATTLE FOR TAEJON.

TWO RED REGIMENTS HIT THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL (CAP C) DIVISION. THE COMMUNISTS CUT THROUGH MOUNTAINOUS COUNTRY WITH LITTLE OPPOSITION. OTHER RED UNITS HIT THE CAPITOL DIVISION ON ANOTHER TACK AND PUSHED IT BACK BUT THE SOUTH KOREANS REGAINED THE LOST GROUND WITH A COUNTER-ATTACK.

THIS ACTION WAS CENTERED ABOUT 12 MILES SOUTHEAST OF ANDONG. ON THE EXTREME NORTHEASTERN COASTAL FLANK, AROUND RUINED YONGDOK, LITTLE CHANGE WAS REPORTED.

THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WAS ASTRIDE THE KUMCHON-TAEGU ROAD-RAIL CORRIDOR LEADING TO PUSAN. IT HAD BEEN UNDER ARTILLERY FIRE. TWO REGIMENTAL PATROLS CROSSED THE NAKTONG AND DROVE FROM FIVE TO 10 MILES INTO RED TERRITORY BUT SIGHTED FEW ENEMY SOLDIERS.

ALLIED AERIAL ATTENTION WAS DEVOTED MOSTLY TO CLOSE GROUND SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS OFFENSIVE. THE WEATHER FAVORED AIR ATTACK.

NAVY PILOTS FROM TWO ESSEX CLASS 27,000-TON CARRIERS OF THE REIN-FORCED TASK FORCE 77, JOINED SUNDAY IN THEIR SECOND CONSECUTIVE DAY OF CLOSE COOPERATION WITH LAND-BASED PLANES. THE NAVY FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS RAKED TARGETS THROUGHOUT SOUTHWESTERN KOREA.

AT THE SAME TIME LAND-BASED MUSTANGS AND JETS FLEW 530 SORTIES AGAINST TARGETS RANGING FROM PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL ABOVE PARALLEL 38, TO BATTLEFRONT AREAS.

MUSTANG FIGHTERS DESTROYED NINE GROUNDED COMMUNIST PLANES AND DAMAGED SEVEN OTHERS IN THEIR SURPRISE THRUSTS NORTH OF PYONGYANG AND ALSO AT KIMPO AND MANCHAN AIRFIELDS NEAR SEOUL SUNDAY.

OTHER FIGHTERS STRAFED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, PARTICULARLY ACROSS FROM THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION DEFENSE LINE, AND HIT AN ASSORTMENT OF MILITARY TARGETS.

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS IN DAY AND NIGHT ASSAULTS SUNDAY AND B-29S CONTINUED HEAVY BOMBING ASSAULTS AGAINST REMOTE RED COMMUNICATION AND SUPPLY LINES.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.N.P. KING WITH THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION SAID TWO POCKETS OF SOME 100 REDS EACH WERE ALL THAT REMAINED OF 800 COMMUNISTS WHO CROSSED THE NAKTONG IN THAT CRITICAL AREA.

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD UNDATED KOREAN

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN AND MARINES SURGED FORWARD FROM FOUR TO 10 MILES TODAY (TUES) ON THE FLAMING SOUTHERN END OF THE KOREAN FRONT AGAINST BITTER COMMUNIST RESISTANCE.

TROOPS IN THE NORTHERN ARM OF THE THREE-PRONGED AMERICAN ATTACK PUNCHED TO WITHIN 10 MILES OF CHINJU, COMMUNIST ANCHOR ON THAT END OF THE LINE. DOUGHBOYS OF THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE ARMY'S 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION WERE IN THIS SPEARHEAD.

ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE OFFENSIVE, HOWEVER, THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT AND THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM HAD HAMMERED OUT FOUR-MILE GAINS BUT WERE STALLED BY HEAVY ATTACKS OF THE NORTH KOREAN REDS.

A SPOKESMAN FOR GEN. MACARTHUR WARNED AGAINST UNDUE OPTIMISM. HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE SITUATION WAS BETTER -- "BUT NOT MATERIALLY" -- THAN WHEN THE OFFENSIVE WAS LAUNCHED YESTERDAY.

MEANWHILE THE REDS HURLED A NEW THREAT TO THE SHRUNKEN U.N. DEFENSE AREA WITH A DOUBLE-PRONGED ATTACK IN THE NORTHWEST, WHERE THE REDS PUSHED AN ESTIMATED 15,000 MEN ACROSS THE NAKTANG RIVER LINE.

AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID ONE COMMUNIST THRUST BY THREE NORTH KOREAN REGIMENTS WAS 25 MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN. WAEGWAN IS 12 AIR MILES FROM TAEGU, AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS CENTER NEAR THE FRONT.

~~IT SAID THE OTHER RED ATTACK WAS ONLY THREE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN.~~ THE REDS GOT ONE TANK AND TWO BATTALIONS ACROSS THE RIVER.

THE RED DRIVE MAY HERALD A STRONG PUSH FOR TAEGU.

REINFORCEMENTS STREAMED IN BEHIND THE HARD FIGHTING DOUGHBOYS AND LEATHERNECKS ENGAGING IN THE FIRST AMERICAN OFFENSIVE OF THE KOREAN WAR. IT WAS A SLOW, DIFFICULT BATTLE.

IN A THREE-PRONGED ATTACK THE AMERICANS STRUCK FROM CHINDONG TOWARD COMMUNIST-HELD CHINJU ON THE NAM RIVER. THE MARINES WERE ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK, THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM IN THE CENTER AND THE 35TH REGIMENT IN THE NORTH. ARMY AND MARINE AIRCRAFT SUPPORTED THE ADVANCE.

THE DRIVE ALONG A 20-MILE FRONT SPOILED A WINDUP BY THE NORTH KOREAN REDS FOR A KNOCKOUT BLOW AT THE U.N. BEACHHEAD PORT OF PUSAN. CHINJU IS 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO SAID THE AMERICAN DRIVE HAD INFLICTED "EXTREMELY HEAVY" LOSSES ON THE ENEMY. LARGE AMOUNTS OF EQUIPMENT WERE CAPTURED.

DESPITE A NORTH KOREAN COUNTERATTACK AND HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE, THE MARINES AND INFANTRYMEN HAD THEIR TANKS ROLLING AGAIN ON THE FLAMING FRONT.

MORE TANKS, MORE TROOPS AND A FLOOD OF SUPPLIES WERE RUSHING INTO THE AREA. THERE ARE INDICATIONS SOME MEN AND SUPPLIES WERE COMING BY SEA--BEING PUT ASHORE IN THE AMPHIBIOUS TYPE OPERATIONS THE AMERICANS PERFECTED IN WORLD WAR II.

TO THE NORTH THE NORTH KOREANS MADE ANOTHER CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. PERHAPS AS MANY AS 2,000 TROOPS GOT ACROSS IN THE SECTION OF THE FRONT DEFENDED BY THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION.

THE NEW CROSSING WAS MADE ABOUT 40 MILES NORTH OF THE COMMUNIST CROSSINGS OF SUNDAY. U.S. 24TH DIVISION TROOPS HAD WHITTLED DOWN THE 800 REDS INVOLVED IN THE SUNDAY OPERATION TO A BARE 100 TODAY.

THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE BEEN MAINTAINING PRESSURE ALL ALONG THE 140-MILE LINE IN THE HOPE OF GRASPING A DECISION BEFORE MORE U.N. HELP ARRIVES.

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ALREADY, NORTH KOREAN RADIO DISPATCHES WERE REFERRING TO STIFF RESISTANCE BY THE U.N. FORCES. SUPERFORTRESS AIR FLEETS FRESHLY ARRIVED FROM THE UNITED STATES INCREASED THE BOMB FURY AGAINST NORTH KOREAN MILITARY TARGETS.

A NEW AMERICAN FLOTILLA OF FIVE WARSHIPS HOVE INTO THE INDIAN SEA EN ROUTE TO THE KOREAN AREA.

THE U.S. MARINE CORPS ANNOUNCED IN WASHINGTON THAT IT WOULD MOBILIZE ALL OF ITS 80,000 RESERVES---SOME 50,000 TO BE CALLED UP STARTING AUG. 15.

THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT, IN A SHARP CHANGE IN POLICY, OFFERED TO SEND IMMEDIATELY TO KOREA 5,000 TRAINED AND EQUIPPED INFANTRYMEN.

RELIABLE INFORMANTS IN OTTAWA REPORTED THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT DECIDED TO RECRUIT A SPECIAL BRIGADE OF SOME 5,000 MEN FOR ACTION IN KOREA.

THE ARMY ANNOUNCED IN WASHINGTON THAT U.S. KOREAN WAR CASUALTIES MADE PUBLIC THROUGH AUG. 6 TOTALLED 2,668. THERE ARE ADDITIONAL CASUALTY LISTS, AWAITING RELEASE.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE INDICATION HOW LONG OR HOW FAR THE U.S. OFFENSIVE ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WEST OF PUSAN WOULD CONTINUE. A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN IN WASHINGTON CAUTIONED: "WE DO NOT THINK THE TIME HAS ARRIVED YET FOR THE U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES TO ROLL THE ENEMY BACK ALL ALONG THE LINE."

HEAVY MARINE ARTILLERY FIRE AND A SWEEP BY NAVY AND AIR FORCE PLANES PREPARED THE WAY FOR THE FIRST COUNTERTHRUST OF THE CAMPAIGN. IT KICKED OFF WITH ABOUT 9,000 MARINES, TWO REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS OF THE 25TH DIVISION, AND SOME SOUTH KOREAN COMMANDOS IN THE PUSH, AT 6:30 A.M. MONDAY, KOREAN TIME (3:30 P.M. SUNDAY EST).

AT LEAST 17,500 REDS BORE THE SHOCK OF THE AMERICAN BLOW IN THE VICINITY OF CHUNGAM, 40 MILES WEST OF PUSAN. AT THE START, THE AMERICANS RAN HEAD ON INTO A COMMUNIST ATTACK GOING TOWARD PUSAN. RED ARTILLERY ZEROED IN THE AMERICANS AFTER THEY GAINED ALMOST TWO MILES. THE LEAD TANK WAS KNOCKED OUT IN A COLUMN OF 45-TON PERSHINGS, BLOCKING A NARROW ROAD. BUT THE AMERICANS PUSHED AHEAD WITHOUT ARMOR.

FIELD DISPATCHES QUOTED OFFICERS AS SAYING THAT THIS DIFFICULTY HAD BEEN CLEARED AND THAT THE THREE-PRONGED ATTACK WAS CONTINUING UNDER A HEAVY ENEMY BARRAGE.

AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED THAT FOUR-MILE GAINS WERE MADE BY BOTH THE MARINES AND THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM, SOUTHWEST AND NORTHWEST OF CHINDONG. HIS FRONT DISPATCH DESCRIBED A "SLOW, DIFFICULT BATTLE," IN WHICH THE MARINES WERE EXPERIENCING CASUALTIES. ONE BATTALION OF THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL TEAM WAS CUT OFF, AND SOLDIERS AND MARINES WERE BEING SENT TO ITS RESCUE, LAMBERT REPORTED.

WHILE THE AMERICANS WERE DEVELOPING THIS THRUST TO EASE THE SOUTHERN-MOST THREAT TO PUSAN, THE COMMUNISTS STILL WORKED ON OTHER APPROACHES. THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION AND SOUTH KOREANS SOUGHT TO RUB OUT REMAINING POCKETS OF RED TROOPS WHO CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER HALF-WAY UP THE WESTERN DEFENSE LINE, NEAR TAEGU.

ON THE NORTHEAST RIM, NEAR YECHON, COMMUNIST FORCES ENGULFED FOR A TIME UNITS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL DIVISION. A COUNTERATTACK RELIEVED THE DEFENDERS LAST (MON) NIGHT.

U.S. B-29 BOMBERS, SOME OF WHICH STILL WERE IN THE UNITED STATES LAST WEEK, WALLOPED THE NORTH KOREAN CITIES OF PYONGYANG AND WONSAN YESTERDAY WITH MORE THAN 540 TONS OF BOMBS. IT WAS THE HEAVIEST SINGLE DAY DELIVERY, SO FAR.

EXCELLENT RESULTS AT THE PYONGYANG RAILROAD YARDS WERE REPORTED, WITH ALL SUPERFORTRESSES RETURNING TO THEIR BASE.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SPECIAL FOREIGN AFFAIRS HELPER, W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, RETURNED TO TOKYO AFTER A QUICK LOOK AT A KOREAN FRONT SECTOR. HE SAID HE WAS "EXTREMELY IMPRESSED" BY THE ALLIED TEAMWORK. THE MORALE OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND OFFICERS IN KOREA IS VERY HIGH, HARRIMAN ADDED. IN WASHINGTON, PRESIDENT TRUMAN CALLED IN THE ENTIRE HIGH COMMAND TO GET THE LATEST WORD ON THE MILITARY SITUATION.

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FRANCE ASKED THAT MORE AMERICAN AND BRITISH TROOPS BE SENT TO EUROPE. THE FRENCH DECIDED TO START A $5,170,000,000 ARMAMENT PROGRAM, WITH U.S. AID.

AT LAKE SUCCESS, U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY COULD BE CALLED INTO SPECIAL SESSION ON 24 HOURS NOTICE IN CASE OF ANY NEW AGGRESSION. HE SAID HE WOULD NOT HESITATE TO CALL SUCH A MEETING IF HE THOUGHT IT NECESSARY. LIE ADDED: "I REALLY THINK STILL THAT THE SOVIET UNION WANTS PEACE."

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SECOND LEAD UNDATED KOREAN

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AMERICAN LEATHERNECKS AND DOUGHBOYS BLASTED OUT A FOUR-MILE ADVANCE WITH STRONG PLANE AND TANK SUPPORT TODAY ON THE SOUTHERN KOREAN BATTLEFRONT, IN THEIR FIRST OFFENSIVE ACTION OF THE KOREAN WAR.

STABBING OUT ALONG A 20-MILE FRONT, THE THREE-PRONGED AMERICAN ATTACK EDGED AHEAD IN THE FACE OF A HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR BARRAGE FROM THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS, WHO WERE KNOCKED OFF BALANCE BY THE STRONG AMERICAN COUNTER-THRUST.

THE RED ARTILLERY FOR A TIME BOTTLED UP A COLUMN OF AMERICAN PERSHING TANKS BY KNOCKING ONE OF THEM OUT OF ACTION, BUT THIS SEEMED TO HAVE BEEN BROKEN AND APPARENTLY THE 45-TON TANKS WERE FORCING AHEAD AGAIN IN THE AREA WEST OF CHINDONG, ASTRIDE A COASTAL ROAD LEADING TOWARD CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN, THE KEY AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE.

WHILE A BRIGADE OF MARINES AND TWO REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS OF THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION FORGED AHEAD ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT THERE WAS BITTER FIGHTING ELSEWHERE ALONG THE 140-MILE DEFENSE PERIMETER. ON THE NORTHEAST LINE THE COMMUNISTS ATTACKED THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL (CAP C) DIVISION BUT LATER WERE REPULSED. ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, COMMUNIST TROOPS CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER BY RAFT, BARGE AND POWER BOAT, BUT WERE WIPED OUT BY DEFENDING UNITS OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION.

U.S. PLANES STRUCK SAVAGELY ALONG THE SOUTHERN FRONT IN SUPPORT OF THE NEW OFFENSIVE.

THE BRUNT OF AN ATTACK BY ABOUT 9,000 MEN, INCLUDING LEATHERNECKS, DOUGHBOYS AND SOME SOUTH KOREAN COMMANDO UNITS, WAS HURLED AGAINST THE 6TH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION, WHO WERE FORCED TO EXPOSE THEIR POSITIONS TO FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS. A STAFF OFFICER SAID "THE AIR BOYS HAD MORE AND BETTER TARGETS TODAY THAN THEY HAVE HAD IN A LONG TIME."

THE ATTACK ROARED OUT SUNDAY AFTER U.S. ARTILLERY LAID DOWN A CURTAIN OF STEEL AND U.S. PLANES SPAT BOMBS, ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE AT THE ENEMY. THE REDS REPLIED WITH HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE DIRECTED AGAINST AMERICAN BIG GUN POSITIONS.

IN WASHINGTON THE U.S. ARMY ANNOUNCED THAT CONFIRMED AMERICAN CASUALTIES FOR THE KOREAN WAR THROUGH AUG. 6 TOTALED 2,616--INCLUDING 153 KILLED, 1,590 WOUNDED IN ACTION AND 873 MISSING.

THERE ARE ADDITIONAL CASUALTY LISTS AWAITING RELEASE AFTER NOTIFICATION OF FAMILIES, TODAY'S TOTAL COVERED ONLY ARMY PERSONNEL, BUT LOSSES IN THE OTHER SERVICES HAVE BEEN RELATIVELY LIGHT.

WHILE PRESIDENT TRUMAN GOT A COMPLETE BRIEFING ON THE MILITARY SITUATION FROM HIS JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT WARNED AGAINST CONSIDERING DEVELOPMENTS IN KOREA AS THE BEGINNING OF A GENERAL U.N. OFFENSIVE. A DEPARTMENT BRIEFING OFFICER SAID THE DEVELOPMENT SHOULD BE TERMED AN "OFFENSIVE ACTION," ADDING:

"WE DO NOT THINK THE TIME HAS ARRIVED YET FOR U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES TO ROLL THE ENEMY BACK ALL ALONG THE LINE."

THIS STATEMENT POINTED UP REPORTS FROM U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS OF CONCERN OVER THE PROBABILITY THAT COMMUNISTS WERE RENEWING THEIR ATTEMPTS TO CROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER IN AN AREA 20 MILES NORTH OF THE AMERICAN PUSH. THIS AREA IS GUARDED BY THE BATTERED U.S. 24TH DIVISION, TWO OF WHOSE REGIMENTS STILL ARE TRYING TO FERRET OUT THE 150 SURVIVORS OF AN 800-MAN FORCE WHICH CROSSED THE RIVER SUNDAY.

BUT REINFORCEMENTS WERE POURING IN STEADILY, FULLY EQUIPPED, BEHIND THE ADVANCING AMERICANS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. A DISPATCH REPORTING THIS DID NOT SAY WHERE THE REPLACEMENTS WERE COMING FROM. WHERE RED ARTILLERY FIRE STOPPED U.S. TANKS, THE AMERICANS PUSHED ON WITHOUT ARMOR SUPPORT.

GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO CALLED IT AN OFFENSIVE--THE FIRST OF THE UNITED NATIONS AFTER FIVE WEEKS OF FIGHTING RETREATS WHICH HAVE DRIVEN THE DEFENDERS INTO A BEACHHEAD OF ONLY ABOUT 4,000 SQUARE MILES.

PREVIDENT TRUMAN'S SPECIAL ASSISTANTION FOREIGN AFFAIRS, W. AVERELL HARRIMAN, SAW THE OFFENSIVE GET UNDER WAY. HE FLEW TO THE KOREAN WAR FRONT SUNDAY IN TIME TO VISIT A BATTALION COMMAND POST AND HEAR U.S. BIG GUNS PREPARING THE WAY FOR THE AMERICAN JUMPOFF. HE ALSO VISITED FIELD HEADQUARTERS AND TALKED WITH THE U.S. COMMANDER, LT. GEN. WALTON H.WALKER. ON HIS RETURN TO TOKYO, HARRIMAN SAID HE FOUND U.S. MILITARY MEN AND SOUTH KOREAN LEADERS "VERY CHEERFUL AND OPTIMISTIC."

U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE HAS INDICATED HE CONFIDENTLY EXPECTS A U.N. VICTORY IN KOREA. HE CALLED YESTERDAY FOR BOLD AND ENLIGHTENED STATESMANSHIP TO AVERT WORLD WAR III WHEN "UNITED NATIONS ACTION HAS SUCCEEDED IN RESTORING PEACE TO KOREA." THE SECRETARY-GENERAL MADE THE STATEMENT IN A REPORT PREPARED FOR THE U.N. ASSEMBLY, WHICH MEETS SEPT. 19 IN NEW YORK. HE SAID THAT WHILE MILITARY ACTION IN KOREA SHOULD GET TOP PRIORITY FROM U.N. MEMBERS, NONE SHOULD ABANDON EFFORTS FOR PEACE BY NEGOTIATION.

WHILE THE NEW U.N. OFFENSIVE GOT UNDER WAY IN THE SOUTHERNMOST PART OF KOREA, B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES MADE THEIR BIGGEST STRIKE OF THE WAR AGAINST COMMUNIST SUPPLIES. THE SUPERFORTS DROPPED 540 TONS OF BOMBS ON RAILYARDS AT PYONGYANG, THE RED CAPITAL, AND ON AN OIL REFINERY AT WONSAN. PYONGYANG GOT PRIORITY TREATMENT, ITS RAILYARDS GETTING 460 TONS OF THE BOMBS. ALL THE BOMBERS RETURNED TO THEIR BASES.

THE AMERICAN ATTACK WAS LAUNCHED SUNDAY EVEN AS THE COMMUNISTS WERE PREPARING AN ATTACK OF THEIR OWN. THE REDS STRUCK ON THE U.S. RIGHT FLANK. THE PRIMARY COMMUNIST THREAT STILL LAY SOME 14 MILES NORTH OF THE NEW AMERICAN THRUST. IN THE AREA OF THE BIG BEND IN THE NAKTONG RIVER, THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION HOLDS DEFENSIVE POSITIONS AGAINST STRONG PROBING THRUSTS BY THE REDS. THE COMMUNISTS HAVE CROSSED THE NAKTONG TWICE IN STRENGTH, BUT ONE FORCE WAS WIPED OUT SUNDAY AND ANOTHER WAS BEING CONTAINED, HEADQUARTERS SAID.

FARTHER TO THE NORTH, THE COMMUNISTS BEGAN A NEW OFFENSIVE SOUTH OF YECHON. TWO RED REGIMENTS HIT THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL (CAP C) DIVISION. BUT THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE SAID TO HAVE REGAINED LOST GROUND IN A COUNTERATTACK. THIS ACTION WAS IN THE ANDONG AREA EAST OF YECHON ALONG THE NORTHERN FRONT.

IN THE CENTER THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WAS ASTRIDE THE KUMCHON-TAEGU ROAD AND RAIL CORRIDOR TO PUSAN.

IN THE SOUTH THE U.S. OFFENSIVE APPARENTLY WAS AIMED AT KEEPING THE COMMUNISTS OFF BALANCE SO THAT THEY COULD BE DRIVEN FROM THEIR SOUTHERN ANCHOR AND THUS SAVE SOUTHEAST KOREA FOR THE U.N. DEFENDERS. THE SOUTHERN COMMUNIST COLUMNS HAD BEEN POSING A SERIOUS THREAT TO PUSAN, LOSS OF WHICH COULD MEAN ANOTHER DUNKERQUE. THE ATTACK PLUNGED TOWARD CHINJUN, RED-HELD RUBBLED TOWN 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN AND A SPRINGBOARD FOR MANY RED ATTACKS.

SOME SOUTH KOREAN COMMANDO UNITS WERE WITH THE MARINES AND DOUGHBOYS IN THE OFFENSIVE PUNCH.

"THE ATTACK LAUNCHED THIS MORNING BY THE 25TH DIVISION AND THE MARINE BRIGADE ADVANCED ABOUT 3,000 YARDS TODAY ON A BROAD FRONT," SAID A COMMUNIQUE OF U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS. "STRONG RESISTANCE WAS MET WITH U.S. FORCES INFLICTING HEAVY CASUALTIES ON THE ENEMY."

THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE WENT INTO ACTION ON THE EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE LANDING OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION AT GUADALCANAL IN WORLD WAR II.

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PHILIPPINES REPUBLIC OFFERED TO SEND TO KOREA IMMEDIATELY A FULLY EQUIPPED AND TRAINED REGIMENT OF 5,000 COMBAT INFANTRYMEN. PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO ANNOUNCED THIS TO GEN. MACARTHUR AFTER THE PHILIPPINES CONGRESS HAD APPROVED SENDING TROOPS AT ITS OWN EXPENSE. HOWEVER, THE PRESIDENT SAID OUTSIDE FUNDS WOULD BE NEEDED TO SUPPORT A PROGRAM OF TRAINING VOLUNTEERS IF SUCH ADDITIONAL TROOPS ARE NEEDED.

ELSEWHERE IN SOUTHEAST ASIA, JOHN MELBY, U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL HEADING THE AMERICAN MILITARY SURVEY MISSION, SAID HE HAS SENT HIS RECOMMENDATIONS TO WASHINGTON ON MILITARY AID TO COMMUNIST-THREATENED INDOCHINA. HE WOULD NOT ANNOUNCE HOW MUCH AID HE HAD RECOMMENDED FOR VIETNAM AND FRENCH FORCES TO BATTLE COMMUNIST HO CHI MINH'S REBELS.

FROM JAKARTA, CAPITAL OF THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA, TOP DUTCH AND INDONESIAN COMMANDERS HASTENED TO MAKASSAR IN AN EFFORT TO STOP BLOODY FIGHTING BETWEEN FEDERAL TROOPS AND INDONESIAN SOLDIERS WHO ARE AWAITING DISCHARGES FROM THE DUTCH ARMY. THE CAUSE OF THE OUTBREAK HAS NOT BEEN ANNOUNCED, BUT THE AREA WAS THE SCENE LAST APRIL OF AN ABORTIVE REBELLION BY INDONESIANS IN THE DUTCH ARMY WHO HAD SEIZED THE CITY WHEN THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT HAD SENT TROOPS FOR ITS GARRISON. THAT REVOLT COLLAPSED SOON AFTERWARD.

THERE WERE REPORTS OF NEW TROUBLE IN SOUTH CENTRAL JAVA, WHERE A BAND OF 1,000 MOSLEM EXTREMISTS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE CLASHED WITH FEDERAL TROOPS.

IN EUROPE, FRANCE PLEDGED HERSELF TO A THREE-YEAR REARMAMENT PROGRAM TO HELP GUARD AGAINST RED AGGRESSION. THE FRENCH CALLED ON BRITAIN AND THE U.S. TO STATION A "SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF DIVISIONS" IN CONTINENTAL EUROPE TO MEET THE THREAT. THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED FRANCE WOULD SPEND THE EQUIVALENT OF $5,710,000,000 ON REARMAMENT. PLANS FOR NEXT YEAR ENVISION DIVERSION OF 8.2 PER CENT OF THE NATIONAL INCOME TO DEFENSE PURPOSES, AND THE THREE-YEAR PROGRAM IS EXPECTED TO TAKE 10 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL NATIONAL INCOME. THE PROGRAM WILL GIVE THE FRENCH ARMY 15 NEW DIVISIONS.

FRANCE PROPOSED A UNIFIED COMMAND OF ALL ARMIES OF THE WESTERN WORLD NOW ON THE ALERT AGAINST COMMUNIST ATTACK, AND SUGGESTED POOLING FINANCES AND RESOURCES FOR DEFENSE.

BRITAIN, DENMARK AND NORWAY HAVE MADE SIMILAR ANNOUNCEMENTS OF

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INTENTIONS TO BOOST DEFENSE SPENDING. THE BRITISH ARE READY TO SPEND $9,520,000,000 ON DEFENSES IN THREE YEARS; THE DANES, $57,100,000 IN THE NEXT TWO YEARS AND THE NORWEGIANS SAID THEY WOULD ADD $35,125,000 TO A 1950 MILITARY BUDGET NOW TOTALLING $1,200,000,000.

IN THE MIDDLE EAST, AN ARAB LEAGUE INFORMANT CHARGED THAT BRITISH PLANES KILLED SEVERAL TRIBESMEN IN YEMEN LAST WEEK IN RAIDS NEAR THE BORDER BETWEEN YEMEN AND BRITAIN'S ADEN PROTECTORATE. THE BORDER AREA IS DISPUTED BY BRITAIN AND YEMEN.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD HARRIMAN (110)

TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG 8-(AP)-W. AVERELL HARRIMAN, SPECIAL ASSISTANT ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN, HELD HIS SECOND LENGTHY CONFERENCE TODAY WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR.

AMONG PROBLEMS BELIEVED TO BE UNDER DISCUSSION WAS WHETHER UNITED NATIONS FORCES SHOULD CROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL--DIVIDING LINE BETWEEN COMMUNIST NORTH AND REPUBLICAN SOUTH KOREA--ONCE THE ALLIED OFFENSIVE GETS ROLLING.

A RELIABLE SOURCE SAID MACARTHUR WOULD TELL THE SPECIAL ENVOY THAT VICTORY COULD NOT BE SECURED WITHOUT PUSHING THE DRIVE ACROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL INTO NORTH KOREA.

HARRIMAN SPENT MONDAY IN KOREA WHERE HE TOOK A CLOSE-UP LOOK AT THE FIGHTING. HE RETURNED TO TOKYO "EXTREMELY IMPRESSED" BY ALLIED TEAMWORK.

THE SUPPORT WHICH AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER PILOTS ARE GIVING U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS IMPRESSED HIM THE MOST, HARRIMAN SAID ON HIS RETURN TO TOKYO AFTER A FLIGHT TO THE FRONT.

HARRIMAN VISITED A FORWARD BATTALION COMMAND POST IN KOREA WHILE IT WAS LAYING DOWN AN INTENSE BARRAGE.

"NOBODY SHOT AT ME," HE REPORTED.

HE ALSO TALKED WITH SYNGMAN RHEE, PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA; LT.GEN.WALTON H. WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE EIGHTH ARMY, AND JOHN J. MUCCIO, AMERICAN AMBASSADOR.

THE MORALE OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND OFFICERS IN KOREA WAS "VERY HIGH," HARRIMAN SAID. "THEY SEEM VERY CHEERFUL."

HARRIMAN ARRIVED IN TOKYO SUNDAY AND CONFERRED WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR. DETAILS OF THEIR TALKS WERE NOT DISCLOSED.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ENVOY WAS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE TOKYO TUESDAY BUT HIS DESTINATION WAS NOT ANNOUNCED.

REPORTS THAT HE WOULD VISIT CHIANG KAI-SHEK ON FORMOSA WERE DISCOUNTED BY OFFICIAL NATIONALIST QUARTERS IN TAIPEI. THEY SAID NO INVITATION TO VISIT FORMOSA HAD BEEN EXTENDED TO HARRIMAN.

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FIRST LEAD HARRIMAN (190)

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, AUG. 7-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SPECIAL ASSISTANT ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, W. AVERELL HARRIMAN, FLEW TO THE KOREAN WAR FRONT TODAY AS AMERICAN TROOPS KICKED OFF ON THEIR FIRST OFFENSIVE.

ON HIS RETURN TO JAPAN HARRIMAN SAID HE FOUND AMERICAN MILITARY LEADERS AND SOUTH KOREAN OFFICIALS "VERY CHEERFUL AND OPTIMISTIC."

HARRIMAN VISITED A BATTALION COMMAND POST CLOSE TO THE FRONT LINES WHILE AMERICAN ARTILLERY ROARED AN INTENSE BARRAGE.

"NOBODY SHOT AT ME," HE SAID.

HARRIMAN ALSO VISITED U.S. EIGHTH ARMY FIELD HEADQUARTERS AND CONFERRED WITH THE COMMANDER, LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER.

THE HARRIMAN PARTY RETURNED TO TOKYO'S HANEDA AIRPORT AT 8:35 P. M. (5:35 A.M., EST), IN GENERAL MACARTHURS PLANE, THE BATAAN.

THE PLANE TOOK HARRIMAN TO KOREA EARLY TODAY. NEWS OF THE FLIGHT TO THE WAR FRONT WAS WITHHELD FOR SECURITY REASONS UNTIL AFTER THE PRESIDENTIAL ENVOY HAD RETURNED TO TOKYO.

HARRIMAN WENT TO THE AMERICAN EMBASSY. HE SAID HE WOULD LEAVE TOKYO TOMORROW BUT DID NOT DISCLOSE HIS NEXT DESTINATION.

(IN FORMOSA, INFORMED QUARTERS DISCOUNTED REPORTS THAT HARRIMAN WOULD VISIT TAIPEI, SEAT OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT).

IN ADDITION TO WALKER, HARRIMAN SAID HE TALKED IN KOREA WITH PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE AND JOHN MUCCIO, U.S. AMBASSADOR TO KOREA.

"MORALE IS HIGH AMONG GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND OFFICERS," HARRIMAN SAID. "THEY SEEM VERY CHEERFUL."

HE SAID RHEE HAD EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT "HIS COUNTRY WILL BE LIBERATED."

HARRIMAN SAID HE WAS "EXTREMELY IMPRESSED" BY THE TEAMWORK OF THE ALLIED SERVICES. HE MENTIONED PARTICULARLY THE CLOSE GROUND SUPPORT GIVEN BY ALLIED FIGHTER PILOTS.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ENVOY SAID WALKER HAD BEEN "VERY COMPLIMENTARY" ABOUT THE MORALE AND FIGHTING QUALITIES OF THE SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.

THE PARTY REPORTED NO SIGN OF RED KOREAN AIRCRAFT DURING THE FLIGHT. ACCOMPANYING HARRIMAN WERE LT. GEN. LAURIS NORSTAD, AIR FORCE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF, AND MAJ. GEN. FRANK B. LOWE, RETIRED.

THE KOREAN TRIP OCCUPIED THE SECOND DAY OF HARRIMAN'S VISIT HERE FOR A BROAD REVIEW OF AMERICAN POLICY IN THE FAR EAST. HE CONFERRED AT LENGTH SUNDAY WITH MACARTHUR AFTER ATTENDING A MILITARY BRIEFING ON THE WAR.

DETAILS OF HIS CONVERSATIONS HAVE NOT BEEN DISCLOSED.

HARRIMAN SAID HE WOULD REPORT THE RESULTS OF HIS TRIP TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN. HE ADDED:

"THAT IS WHAT I CAME OUT HERE FOR."

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TOKYO, AUG. 7-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SPECIAL ASSISTANT ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, W. AVERELL HARRIMAN, GOT A GLIMPSE OF THE KOREAN WAR TODAY. HE MADE A FLYING VISIT TO FIELD HEADQUARTERS OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY IN KOREA.

HARRIMAN AND HIS PARTY RETURNED TONIGHT. AT 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS HE CONFERRED WITH ITS COMMANDER, LT.-GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, AND OTHER AMERICAN MILITARY OFFICIALS.

THE PARTY LEFT TOKYO EARLY TODAY IN STRICT SECRECY ABOARD A SPECIAL PLANE. NEWS OF THE VISIT TO THE WAR WAS WITHHELD FOR SECURITY REASONS UNTIL AFTER THE RETURN.

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YOKOHAMA,JAPAN,AUG 7 (AP)-IF U.S.TROOPS FIGHTING IN KOREA EVER GET TIME TO READ, THERE'LL BE READING MATERIAL HANDY.

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES IN KITS OF 15 TO 20 EACH ARE BEING FLOWN DAILY FROM JAPAN TO DIVISION HEADQUARTERS, UNATTACHED UNITS AND EVACUATION HOSPITALS IN KOREA.

ACTING LIBRARIAN SHIRLEY WELSHINGER OF THE EIGHTH ARMY SPECIAL SERVICES ORGANIZATION SAID 9,540 BOOKS AND 69,090 MAGAZINES HAVE BEEN AIR-LIFTED TO THE KOREA BEACHHEAD.

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WARWICK, ENGLAND, AUG.7-(AP)-ANTHONY EDEN DECLARED TODAY "THE DANGER TO PEACE IS VERY GREAT INDEED."

THE FORMER FOREIGN SECRETARY, WHO ONCE RESIGNED HIS CABINET POST AS A PROTEST AGAINST APPEASING HITLER, ASSERTED IN A SPEECH HERE THAT "TIME IS NOT ON OUR SIDE" IN THE DEVELOPING TENSION BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE WEST.

REFERRING TO BRITAIN'S PLAN TO BOOST MILITARY SPENDING FROM THE PRESENT £780,000,000 ($2,184,000,000) A YEAR TO £1,100,000,000 ($3,080,000,000) A YEAR FOR THE NEXT THREE YEARS, [redacted] EDEN, A CONSERVATIVE PARTY LEADER, SAID,

"WE MUST REMEMBER THAT WHATEVER OUR REARMAMENT PLANS, MONEY IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR MANPOWER," HE SAID THE IMMEDIATE DEFENSE TASK "IS TO INCREASE THE STRENGTH IN REGULARS OF THE ARMY AND THE RAF."

HE CALLED FOR INCREASED PAY FOR REGULARS, SAYING "THERE IS NO OTHER MEANS BY WHICH WE CAN CREATE AT AN EARLY DATE THAT RESERVE OF TRAINED FORMATIONS WHICH IS ESSENTIAL IF WE ARE TO FULFILL OUR OBLIGATIONS."

DEFENSE MINISTER EMANUEL SHINWELL, SPEAKING TO HIS CONSTITUENTS NEAR DURHAM, SAID BRITAIN WAS FORCED TO BEGIN ARMING TO THE TEETH BECAUSE OF RUSSIA'S UNFRIENDLY ATTITUDE IN WORLD AFFAIRS.

"NOBODY IN THE LABOR GOVERNMENT LIKES REARMAMENT AND THE COST IT MEANS IN MEN AND EQUIPMENT," SHINWELL SAID. "BUT I CAN SEE NO PRESENT ALTERNATIVE UNLESS SOVIET RUSSIA SHOWS A MORE FRIENDLY DISPOSITION."

HE MADE IT CLEAR, HOWEVER, THAT HE COULD "FIND NO EVIDENCE THAT SOVIET RUSSIA WISHES TO PROVOKE A GENERAL WAR AND THAT IS CERTAINLY NOT THE INTENTION OF ANY OTHER COUNTRY."

HE TOLD HIS AUDIENCE IT IS BETTER TO BEAR THE BURDEN OF REARMAMENT NOW "THAN TO FIND OURSELVES UNPREPARED AND OVERWHELMED SHOULD, UNFORTUNATELY, A CONFLICT OCCUR."

"UNDER THE PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES," SAID SHINWELL, "IT WOULD BE A FATAL BLUNDER TO NEGLECT PREPARATIONS FOR OUR DEFENSE."

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LONDON, AUG.7-(AP)-CHARLES M.SPOFFORD, AMERICAN CHAIRMAN OF THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL, RETURNED BY PLANE TO LONDON TONIGHT AFTER A 24-HOUR VISIT IN PARIS. HE LEAVES FOR WASHINGTON TOMORROW.

SPOFFORD SAID "I REALLY WENT OVER TO SEE AMBASSADOR (DAVID) BRUCE, BUT I DID HAVE LUNCH WITH MEMBERS OF THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT, INCLUDING RENE PLEVEN, THE PRIME MINISTER. WE DISCUSSED DEFENSE AND HAD A USEFUL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS."

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LONDON, AUG.7-(AP)-A TASS DISPATCH SAID TONIGHT THAT THREE MEN ACCUSED OF SPYING FOR YUGOSLAV PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S REGIME HAD BEEN SENTENCED TO DEATH BY A MILITARY TRIBUNAL AT BUCHAREST, ROMANIA.

THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY'S DISPATCH, DISTRIBUTED HERE, SAID THREE OTHER DEFENDANTS HAD BEEN SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT, THREE TO 25 YEARS, AND THREE MORE TO TERMS RANGING FROM THREE TO 15 YEARS.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 3:30 P.M. EST TODAY, MON. AUG 7)

(ADVANCE) LONDON, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE PILOT OF A U.S. A IR FORCE F-84 THUNDERJET, KILLED SATURDAY IN THE EXPLOSION OF HIS PLANE, WAS IDENTIFIED TODAY AS 2ND LT.LEVIS R.STRIEGLE OF TWIN LAKE, MICH.

HIS NAME HAD BEEN WITHHELD PENDING NOTIFICATION OF NEXT OF KIN.

STRIEGLE'S PLANE EXPLODED AT AN ALTITUDE OF ABOUT 1,000 FEET AND PLUNGED FLAMING INTO THE ENGLISH CHANNEL NEAR DEAL. HE WAS ON A TRAINING FLIGHT WITH THREE OTHER THUNDERJETS FROM MANSTON AIRDROME.

RECENTLY OPENED U.S. JET FIGHTER BASE NEAR THE CHANNEL COAST.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 3:30 P.M. EST, TODAY, MON, AUG. 7)
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WISSEMBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 7-(AP)-AN INTERNATIONAL GROUP OF 300 COLLEGE STUDENTS, CALLING FOR EUROPEAN UNITY, SMASHED FRONTIER BARRIERS AT THE FRENCH-GERMAN BORDER HERE YESTERDAY.

ARMED WITH HATCHETS, SAWS AND CANS OF GASOLINE, THE STUDENTS SPLIT INTO TWO GROUPS AND CONVERGED AT THE BORDER POINT, UPROOTING THE BARRIERS AND BURNING THEM IN A NEARBY FIELD.

AS THE FLAMES ROSE, THE GREEN AND WHITE FLAG OF THE EUROPEAN MOVEMENT--DEDICATED TO EUROPEAN UNITY--WAS RUN UP ABOVE THE BLAZE.

THE DEMONSTRATION WAS HELD TO IMPRESS DELEGATES TO THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, WHICH IS MEETING IN STRASBOURG, SOME 35 MILES SOUTH OF HERE.

THE COUNCIL NOW IS CONSIDERING TAKING WEST GERMANY AND THE SAAR INTO FULL PRTNERSHIP. WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS HAVE VOTED TO GIVE THEM FULL MEMBERSHIP IN THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE, THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS.

DELEGATES FROM THE SAAR AND WEST GERMANY WILL SIT AS ASSOCIATE MEMBERS IN THE COUNCIL'S LOWER HOUSE, THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY, FOR THE FIRST TIME TODAY WHEN THE ASSEMBLY SESSION OPENS IN STRASBOURG.

PROF. MICHEL MOUSKHELY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF STRASBOURG WAS ONE OF THE CHIEF PLANNERS OF YESTERDAY'S DEMONSTRATION. HE DECLARED IT WAS THE FIRST TIME IN HISTORY THAT EUROPEANS HAD MARCHED TO THEIR FRONTIERS NOT TO FIGHT BUT TO ABOLISH THE BARRIERS.

NO OPPOSITION WAS OFFERED BY GUARDS ON EITHER SIDE OF THE BARRIER.

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FIRST LEAD ARMS (A88) (470)

BY CARTER L.DAVIDSON

PARIS, AUG 7-(AP)-FRANCE PLEDGED HERSELF TO A THREE-YEAR REARMAMENT PROGRAM TODAY TO HELP GUARD AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION AND CALLED ON BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES TO STATION "A SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF DIVISIONS" IN CONTINENTAL EUROPE.

THUS SHE JOINED THE VANGUARD OF EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, WHO HAVE ANNOUNCED THEIR DETERMINATION TO STEP UP SPENDING FOR DEFENSE, WITH THE AID OF AMERICAN ARMS AND MONEY.

THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCEMENT SAID FRANCE WILL SPEND THE EQUIVALENT OF $5,710,000,000 ON REARMAMENT. IT PROMISED AN IMMEDIATE INCREASE IN MILITARY SPENDING FROM 420,000,000,000 FRANCS ($1,200,000,000) TO 500,000,000,000 FRANCS ($1,428,500,000) NEXT YEAR. THIS WOULD DIVERT AN ESTIMATED 8.2 PER CENT OF THE NATIONAL INCOME TO DEFENSE COSTS, AND THE THREE-YEAR PROGRAM IS EXPECTED TO TAKE AT LEAST 10 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL INCOME. BRITAIN'S STEPPED UP PROGRAM WILL COST THAT MUCH, TOO.

THE STATEMENT SAID THE PROGRAM WILL GIVE THE FRENCH ARMY 15 NEW DIVISIONS. IT ALSO PROPOSED A UNIFIED COMMAND OF ALL ARMIES OF THE WESTERN WORLD NOW DEPLOYING AGAINST POSSIBLE COMMUNIST ATTACK, AND SUGGESTED A POOL OF FINANCES AND RESOURCES TO MAKE IT RUN EFFICIENTLY.

FRANCE WAS THE FOURTH TO REPLY TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S RECENT REQUEST TO ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS AS TO WHAT THEY WOULD DO ABOUT REARMING IN VIEW OF THE PRESENT WORLD SITUATION.

BRITAIN, DENMARK AND NORWAY HAVE MADE SIMILAR ANNOUNCEMENTS. THE BRITISH ARE READY TO SPEND $9,520,000,000 ON DEFENSES OVER THE NEXT THREE YEARS WITH AMERICAN HELP.

DENMARK PLANS TO SPEND 400,000,000 KRONER (ABOUT $57,100,000) IN THE

NEXT TWO YEARS.
NORWAY TODAY PROPOSED TO SPEND THE EQUIVALENT OF $35,125,000 MORE FOR DEFENSE. HER 1950 MILITARY BUDGET EQUALS SOME $1,200,000,000.
CALLING FOR UNIFIED DEFENSE, THE FRENCH STATEMENT SAID:
"THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT POINTS OUT THAT THIS CONSIDERABLE EFFORT ON THE HUMAN, INDUSTRIAL AND FINANCIAL PLANE WOULD BE USELESS IF THERE WERE NOT STATIONED ON THE CONTINENT OF EUROPE SUFFICIENT LAND AND AERIAL FORCES TO ASSURE THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE.
"THESE FORCES, TO BE CONSTITUTED RAPIDLY, CANNOT RESULT FROM A SINGLE EFFORT BY THE CONTINENTAL POWERS. THIS SENTIMENT IS PARTICULARLY LIVELY IN THE MINDS OF THE FRENCH, WHO HAVE UNHAPPY MEMORIES OF THE UNHAPPY EVENTS OF 1940 (WHEN GERMANY INVADED FRANCE), AND WHO TODAY NOTE THE CONSEQUENCES OF INITIAL INSUFFICIENCE OF FORCES READY TO OPPOSE AGGRESSION."

THE FRENCH ANNOUNCEMENT, WHICH WAS HANDED TO AMERICAN OFFICIALS HERE, SAID THE PLAN FOR MORE MILITARY SPENDING WOULD MEAN "CONSIDERABLE SACRIFICES" FOR FRENCHMEN. IT SAID THE PROGRAM WOULD ENABLE FRANCE TO KEEP IN GERMANY AND IN FRENCH UNION TROUBLE AREAS "TROOPS PROPORTIONALLY GREATER THAN MANY OTHER NATIONS" OF THE ATLANTIC PACT.
A SPOKESMAN MADE IT CLEAR FRANCE WANTS MORE BRITISH AND AMERICAN OCCUPATION TROOPS IN GERMANY. HERVE ALPHAND, FRENCH DELEGATE TO THE ATLANTIC PACT JOINT COMMAND, SAID FRANCE STILL WILL NOT ACCEPT REARMAMENT OF GERMANY OR ANY CHANGE IN THE LIMITS SET ON GERMAN INDUSTRY, SUCH AS THE PRESENT CEILING ON STEEL PRODUCTION.
THE FRENCH PLAN PRESUMABLY CAME UP FOR QUICK FRANCO-AMERICAN DISCUSSION. CHARLES SPOFFORD, U.S. DELEGATE TO THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL, U.S. AMBASSADOR DAVID K.BRUCE AND FRENCH PREMIER RENE PLEVEN LUNCHED TOGETHER AN HOUR AFTER THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE.
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PARIS, AUG. 7-(AP)-FRANCE TODAY ANNOUNCED SHE WILL SPEND THE EQUIVALENT OF $5,710,000,000 ON REARMAMENT IN THE NEXT THREE YEARS.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE PLAIN THAT THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT EXPECTS BRITISH AND AMERICAN TROOPS TO JOIN IN FORMING EUROPE'S MAIN GROUND FORCE.
"IT IS NECESSARY," A GOVERNMENT STATEMENT SAID, "THAT THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN TAKE PART IN THE COMMON DEFENSE WITH SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF DIVISIONS STATIONED IN EUROPE."
THE PLAN, SUBMITTED TO AMERICAN OFFICIALS OVER THE WEEKEND, ANSWERED PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S RECENT REQUEST TO ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS, ASKING WHAT THEY INTENDED TO DO ABOUT REARMING IN VIEW OF THE PRESENT WORLD SITUATION.
FRENCH SOURCES ESTIMATED THAT THE 500,000,000,000 FRANCS ($1,200,000,000) ORIGINALLY CONTEMPLTED FOR NEXT YEAR'S MILITARY SPENDING REPRESENTED 8.2 PER CENT OF FRANCE'S TOTAL REVENUE. THE INCREASED EXPENDITURE, THEY SAY, WOULD BRING THIS TO 10 PER CENT.
THAT IS ALSO THE FIGURE FOR GREAT BRITAIN, WHO ANNOUNCED FRIDAY SHE IS READY TO BOOST HER DEFENSE SPENDING TO A TOTAL OF $9,520,000,000 OVER THE NEXT THREE YEARS.
THE FRENCH STATEMENT OF POLICY ALSO ASKED A UNIFIED MILITARY COMMAND FOR WESTERN EUROPE AND SOME SORT OF CENTRAL FINANCING SCHEME FOR EARMAMENT.
A COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCING FRANCE'S PLANS PUT THE TOTAL OF HER ARMED STRENGTH, INCLUDING MILITARIZED POLICE, AT 695,000 MEN.
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OSLO, NORWAY, AUG.7-(AP)-A GOVERNMENT PROPOSAL THAT NORWAY APPROPRIATE THE EQUIVALENT OF $35,125,000 MORE FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES WILL BE PRESENTED TO KING HAAKON VII ON AUG. 25, PREMIER EINAR GEHARDSEN HAS DISCLOSED.
GEHARDSEN SAID THE ADDITIONAL FUNDS WILL BE SPENT OVER THE NEXT 30 MONTHS.
THE PROPOSAL FOLLOWS A REQUEST BY THE UNITED STATES THAT ITS NORTH ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES INDICATE WHAT STEPS THEY CAN TAKE TO BOLSTER WESTERN DEFENSES AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.
MEANWHILE THE FRENCH CABINET HAS APPROVED A NOTE TO THE U.S. WHICH REPORTEDLY COMMITS FRANCE TO DOUBLE HER DEFENSE SPENDING NEXT YEAR. THE 1950 MILITARY BUDGET EQUALS SOME $1,200,000,000.
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NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY (350)
BY PHILIP CLARKE
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 7-(AP)-A BITTER CLASH OVER BELGIAN POLITICS AND KING LEOPOLD MARRED THE OPENING OF THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY SESSION TODAY.
IT FLARED OVER THE REELECTION OF ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT PAUL-HENRI SPAAK, BELGIAN SOCIALIST LEADER, WHO WAS ATTACKED FOR HIS ROLE IN ATTEMPTING TO FORCE KING LEOPOLD'S ABDICATION.
SPAAK FINALLY WAS ELECTED WITH 90 VOTES. THERE WAS NO OPPOSITION NOMINATION BUT 23 VOTES WERE CAST AGAINST HIM. ONE VOTE WAS INVALID AND 11 MEMBERS WERE ABSENT.
A DUTCH RIGHT-WING PROTESTANT, J.A.H.BRUINS SLOT, AND THE IRISH ASSEMBLYMAN SEAN MACENTEE LED THE UNSUCCESSFUL FIGHT TO PREVENT SPAAK'S REELECTION AS PRESIDENT OF THE ASSEMBLY, AN UNOFFICIAL EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT WHICH SEEKS TO UNITE EUROPE.
BRUINS SLOT ANGRILY CHARGED THAT SPAAK'S LEADERSHIP OF "MOB ACTION" FORCED LEOPOLD TO PROMISE TO TURN OVER HIS POWERS TO THE CROWN PRINCE. HE SAID THIS DISQUALIFIED THE FORMER BELGIAN PREMIER FOR LEADERSHIP IN EFFORTS TO UNITE EUROPE.
MACENTEE SAID SPAAK WAS "UNFIT."
WINSTON KHURCHILL OF BRITAIN CAME TO SPAAK'S SUPPORT WITH A RINGING PLEA FOR THE ASSEMBLY TO KEEP OUT OF INTERNAL DOMESTIC POLITICS.
"WE SHOULD NOT TRY TO WANDER OFF IN EVERY DIRECTION IN EVERY COUNTRY TO CONSIDER THE ACTIONS OF INDIVIDUAL ASSEMBLY MEMBERS DURING THE INTERVALS BETWEEN OUR MEETINGS," HE DECLARED.
"WE SHOULD JUDGE OUR MEMBERS BY THE PART THEY HAVE PLAYED IN OUR ASSEMBLY," HE SAID.
THE DUTCH SOCIALIST, VAN DER GOES VAN NATERS, ANDRE PHILIP OF FRANCE, AND BRITAIN'S HUGH DALTON ALSO DEFENDED SPAAK.
SPAAK HIMSELF, AFTER HIS ELECTION, ACCUSED HIS ATTACKERS OF SPEAKING AGAINST DEMOCRACY BUT REFUSED TO DEFEND HIS RECENT ANTI-LEOPOLD ACTIVITIES.
"I DO NOT OWE THEM ANY ACCOUNT WHATSOEVER," HE SAID. "A TERRIBLE DRAMA HAS TORN MY COUNTRY BUT LUCKILY IT MAY SOON BE OVER."
THE ASSEMBLY MOVED INTO ITS HANDSOME NEW $900,000 HOME HERE FOR ITS SECOND ANNUAL SESSION. PRESENT WERE DELEGATES FROM WESTERN GERMANY, THE SAAR AND ICELAND, THE ASSEMBLY'S NEWEST MEMBERS. THERE WERE 18 GERMAN DELEGATES AND THREE EACH FROM ICELAND AND THE SAAR.
EARLIER, MINISTERS FROM EACH COUNTRY, SITTING AS A MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE OR UPPER HOUSE, AUTHORIZED FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT

SCHUMAN TO SPEAK DURING THE ASSEMBLY ON HIS PLAN FOR POOLING EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION.

THE COMMITTEE ADOPTED A REVISED CONVENTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND SENT IT TO THE ASSEMBLY. THE ASSEMBLY ADOPTED THE CONVENTION A YEAR AGO.

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FIRST LEAD EUROPEAN COUNCIL (140)

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE RE-ELECTED PAUL-HENRI SPAAK OF BELGIUM AS ITS PRESIDENT TODAY OVER OPPOSITION OF CATHOLIC MEMBERS FROM THE NETHERLANDS.

THE DUTCH DEPUTIES ASSAILED THE ROLE OF SPAAK IN THE RECENT BELGIAN ROYAL CRISIS IN WHICH SPAAK LED THE SOCIALIST OPPOSITION TO KING LEOPOLD'S RETURN.

WINSTON CHURCHILL AND HUGH DALTON, ON OPPOSITE SIDES OF THE POLITICAL FENCE IN BRITAIN, JOINED TO SUPPORT SPAAK. CHURCHILL DEMANDED THAT THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT BE JUDGED ONLY ON THE BASIS OF THE CANDIDATE'S ACTIONS IN THE ASSEMBLY. SPAAK WAS THE ASSEMBLY'S FIRST PRESIDENT AND HIS TERM EXPIRED TODAY.

THERE WAS NO OTHER NOMINATION TO HEAD THE ASSEMBLY-- AN UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT OF WESTERN EUROPE.

THE COUNCIL'S MINISTERIAL COUNCIL, MEANWHILE, AUTHORIZED FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN TO ADDRESS THE ASSEMBLY ON HIS PLAN FOR POOLING EUROPEAN STEEL AND COAL PRODUCTION.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT TODAY SAID THE AUTHORIZATION IS SUBJECT TO AN INVITATION FROM THE ASSEMBLY ITSELF.

IRISH FOREIGN MINISTER SEAN MACBRIDE MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT. HE ALSO DISCLOSED THAT HE HAS BEEN DESIGNATED AS THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE TEMPORARY SPOKESMAN IN THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY, THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE. THE MINISTERS MET FOR MORE THAN THREE HOURS IN STRASBOURG CITY HALL.

THE SECOND SESSION OF THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY OPENED IN THE AFTERNOON AT THE COUNCIL'S NEW HEADQUARTERS BUILDING HERE, WITH ITALY'S ANTONIO BOGGIANI PICO AS TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN. HE IS THE SENIOR MEMBER OF THE ASSEMBLY. THE TERM OF BELGIUM'S PAUL-HENRI SPAAK AS PRESIDENT OF THE ASSEMBLY EXPIRED TODAY.

NEW ASSEMBLYMEN FROM WEST GERMANY, THE SAAR AND ICELAND TOOK THEIR SEATS.

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AMS BUDGET (750)

NIGHT LEAD DEFENSE

BY ROBERT C. WILSON

PARIS, AUG. 7-(AP)-FRANCE TODAY ASKED THAT MORE AMERICAN AND BRITISH TROOPS BE SENT TO EUROPE AND PLEDGED TO START A TWO TRILLION FRANC ($5,710,000,000) THREE-YEAR REARMAMENT PROGRAM WITH U.S. AID.

THE HUGE THREE-YEAR PROGRAM WOULD BE IN ADDITION TO THE 1950 MILITARY BUDGET OF 420,000,000,000 (B) FRANCS ($1,200,000,000).

IT INCLUDES THE CREATION OF 15 NEW FRENCH DIVISIONS, OR ABOUT HALF THE 30 WESTERN DIVISIONS WHICH EXPERTS HAVE ESTIMATED AS THE MINIMUM NECESSARY TO MEET ANY COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN EUROPE.

THIS WOULD INVOLVE PUTTING 250,000 MORE FRENCHMEN IN UNIFORM AND BRINGING HER ARMED FORCES TO ABOUT 900,000 MEN.

IN ANNOUNCING THE PLAN, FRANCE ALSO ASKED FOR A UNIFIED COMMAND OF ALL WESTERN ARMIES IN EUROPE, "CENTRAL ORGANS" TO PLAN AND DIRECT POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC POLICY, AND CENTRALIZED MANAGEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL RESOURCES DEVOTED TO DEFENSE. THE FRENCH SAID THEY WOULD OUTLINE MORE DETAILED PROPOSALS ALONG THESE LINES LATER.

THE FRENCH PROGRAM WAS COMMUNICATED TO THE UNITED STATES JUST A WEEK AFTER PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED CONGRESS FOR $4,000,000,000 TO HELP REARM THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD.

UNDER AMERICAN PRESSURE TO INCREASE THEIR DEFENSE BUDGETS IN KEEPING WITH THE ACCELERATED $10,000,000,000 PROGRAM OF THE UNITED STATES, FOUR ATLANTIC PACT PARTNERS NOW HAVE ANNOUNCED PLANS FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF $14,782,225,000 IN THREE YEARS OR SOONER.

THE PLEDGES INCLUDE:

BRITAIN, $9,520,000,000 IN THREE YEARS.

FRANCE, $5,710,000,000 IN THREE YEARS.

DENMARK, $57,100,000, TWO YEARS.

NORWAY, $35,125,000, IN TWO AND A HALF YEARS.

ALL THE PLANS CALL FOR AMERICAN AID IN ARMS, RAW MATERIALS AND MONEY. THE $4,000,000,000 ASKED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR SUCH PURPOSES IS ON TOP OF $1,222,500,000 ALREADY AUTHORIZED BY CONGRESS FOR THIS YEAR. THE PRESIDENT SAID $3,504,000,000 OF THE NEW AMOUNT WOULD BE FOR NORTH ATLANTIC COUNTRIES.

FRANCE DID NOT SAY HOW MUCH AMERICAN HELP SHE EXPECTS TO PUT THE PROGRAM INTO EFFECT.

HERVE ALPHAND, FRENCH DELEGATE TO THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL, DECLARED FRANCE STILL WAS DETERMINED THAT GERMANY SHOULD NOT BE REARMED TO STRENGTHEN THE WEST, NOR THE PRESENT CEILING ON GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION RAISED.

THE FRENCH NOTE MADE IT CLEAR THAT FRANCE DOES NOT REGARD A POWERFUL UNITED STATES ARMY ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE ATLANTIC SUFFICIENT PROTECTION.

RECALLING THE "UNHAPPY MEMORIES" OF 1940, WHEN NAZI DIVISIONS RAN OVER FRANCE IN THREE WEEKS, THE NOTE SAID THE LARGE DEFENSE PROGRAMS NOW BEING SHAPED WOULD BE "USELESS IF THERE WERE NOT STATIONED ON THE CONTINENT OF EUROPE SUFFICIENT LAND AND AERIAL FORCES TO ASSURE THE MAINTENANCE OF PEACE."

"IT IS NECESSARY," IT ADDED, "THAT THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN, NOTABLY, SHOULD PARTICIPATE IN THE DEFENSE WITH A SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF DIVISIONS STATIONED IN CONTINENTAL EUROPE."

A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID HE THOUGHT "AMERICA WON'T NECESSARILY SAY NO" TO THE IDEA OF SENDING MORE TROOPS TO EUROPE.

CHARLES M.SPOFFORD, U.S. MEMBER OF THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL WHO SAW FRENCH OFFICIALS HERE TODAY, IS GOING TO WASHINGTON TOMORROW.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID FRANCE IS THINKING OF A PLAN FOR POOLING MONEY, WEAPONS AND MATERIALS AMONG WESTERN NATIONS UNDER A SUPRA-NATIONAL BODY-- A SORT OF MILITARY SCHUMAN PLAN OR PEACE-TIME "SHAEF." SHAEF WAS THE NAME OF GEN.EISENHOWER'S WAR HEADQUARTERS.

HE SAID FRANCE'S EFFORT WILL MEAN INCREASED TAXES AND A LONGER WORK WEEK.

THE U.S. NOW HAS ONE COMBAT DIVISION IN GERMANY, PLUS THE CONSTABULARY, ABOUT EQUAL TO A COMBAT DIVISION.

FRANCE NOW HAS FIVE FULL STRENGTH DIVISIONS OF BETWEEN 15,000 AND 17,000 MEN, PLUS ONE MOUNTAIN DIVISION AND ONE AIRBORNE DIVISION, BOTH UNDERSTRENGTH, ON DUTY IN FRANCE, GERMANY AND AUSTRIA. TWO OF THESE DIVISIONS ARE ARMORED. SHE HAS TWO INFANTRY DIVISIONS IN NORTH AFRICA, SCATTERED BATTALIONS AND REGIMENTS ELSEWHERE AND AN ARMY OF ABOUT 150,000 FRENCHMEN, FOREIGN LEGIONNAIRES AND VIETNAMESE IN INDO-CHINA.

HER ARMED FORCES NOW CONSIST OF 476,000 IN THE ARMY, 66,000 IN THE AIR FORCE, 53,000 IN THE NAVY AND ABOUT 60,000 IN THE GENDARMERIE (STATE POLICE)--A TOTAL OF 659,000.

SHE HAS UNIVERSAL MILITARY CONSCRIPTION FOR ONE YEAR FOR YOUTHS AT THE AGE OF 21. ABOUT 500 TANKS OF WORLD WAR II VINTAGE, AND ABOUT 500

PLANES. SHE HAS ABOUT 57 NAVAL VESSELS IN SERVICE, COMPARED WITH 175 IN 1939.

FRANCE ALLOTTED 420,000,000,000(B) FRANCS ($1,200,000,000) FOR DEFENSE IN 1950, MOST OF IT GOING TO FIGHT COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS IN INDOCHINA. RECENTLY PREMIER RENE PLEVEN SAID THE 1951 DEFENSE BUDGET WOULD BE INCREASED TO 500,000,000,000 FRANCS.

FRENCH SOURCES SAID THIS WAS ABOUT 8.2 PER CENT OF THE NATIONAL INCOME, WHILE THE NEW THREE-YEAR 2,000,000,000,000(T) PROGRAM WOULD TAKE 10 PER CENT, OR ABOUT THE SAME PERCENTAGE AS IS BEING PLANNED BY BRITAIN THE NEXT THREE YEARS.

ONLY TWO OF PARIS' FOUR AFTERNOON PAPERS CARRIED THE FRENCH ANNOUNCEMENT ON THE FRONT PAGE.

A LARGE SLICE OF THE INCREASED BUDGET WOULD GO TO PAY RAISES FOR SOLDIERS, WHO NOW GET LESS THAN TWO CENTS A DAY.

THE FRENCH PROGRAM WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN DISCUSSED AT A LUNCHEON TODAY BY CHARLES SPOFFORD, U.S. DELEGATE TO THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL, U.S. AMBASSADOR DAVID K. BRUCE AND PREMIER PLEVEN. SPOFFORD ARRIVED HERE FROM LONDON JUST BEFORE THE PLAN WAS DISCLOSED.

AT WARWICK, ENGLAND, TODAY CONSERVATIVE ANTHONY EDEN CRITICIZED BRITAIN'S BOOST IN MILITARY SPENDING AS NOT ADEQUATE IN ITSELF.

"WE MUST REMEMBER THAT WHATEVER OUR REARMAMENT PLANS, MONEY IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR MANPOWER," HE DECLARED.

THE IMMEDIATE TASK, HE ADDED, "IS TO INCREASE THE STRENGTH IN REGULARS OF THE ARMY AND THE RAF."

THE BRITISH PLAN DOES NOT CONTEMPLATE INCREASED MANPOWER UNDER ARMS, BUT THE PROVISION OF MORE AND BETTER ARMS FOR THE NEARLY 5,000,000 RESERVES.

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B86 (Q)

BERLIN, AUG.7-(AP)-SENATOR HARRY P.CAIN (R-WASH) SAID TODAY HE IS READY "TO SUPPORT ANY MEASURES THAT WILL INSURE OUR REMAINING IN BERLIN."

CAIN MADE THE STATEMENT AFTER A TOUR OF ARMY INSTALLATIONS HERE. AN AIRBORNE VETERAN OF WORLD WAR TWO, CAIN HAS BEEN INSPECTING EUROPEAN DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS AS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE.

HE SAID RECOVERY IN WEST BERLIN HAS MADE THE CITY "ONE OF THE FINEST ADVERTISEMENTS" FOR THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AID PROGRAM. "IF ERP HAD ACCOMPLISHED NOTHING IN BERLIN EXCEPT TO FORTIFY THE COURAGE OF THESE PEOPLE IT WOULD HAVE BEEN MONEY WELL SPENT," HE ADDED.

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BERLIN, AUG. 7-(AP)-WEST BERLIN TODAY INVITED GEN. GEORGE C. MARSHALL TO DEDICATE A NEW INDUSTRIAL EXHIBIT BUILDING NAMED IN HIS HONOR AS ORIGINATOR OF THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PLAN. THE CEREMONY IS SET FOR OCT. 1.

THE INVITATION WAS SENT TO THE FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE BY THE OFFICE OF MAYOR ERNST REUTER. THE "GEORGE C. MARSHALL HOUSE," UNDER CONSTRUCTION NOW, WILL HOUSE EXHIBITS OF GERMAN INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT MADE POSSIBLE BY MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS.

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BERLIN, AUG. 7-(AP)-A WEST BERLIN JUDGE TODAY SET FREE DR.ROBERT HAVEMANN, DEAN OF THE SOVIET SECTOR UNIVERSITY AND CITY CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMUNIST "PEACE FIGHTERS."

HAVEMANN WAS ARRESTED AT HIS AMERICAN SECTOR HOME YESTERDAY BY WEST BERLIN POLICE WHO CLAIMED HE WAS HOLDING AN ILLEGAL MEETING OF 16 "PEACE FIGHTERS." THE JUDGE REMINDED POLICE THAT A BERLINER CAN LEGALLY INVITE UP TO 25 PERSONS TO HIS HOME WITHOUT IT BECOMING A PUBLIC MEETING.

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BERLIN, AUG.7-(AP)-THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED NEWS AGENDY ADN CHARGED TONIGHT THAT AN AMERICAN AIRPLANE HAD DROPPED TWO INCENDIARY BOMBS JULY 27 ON A GERMAN VILLAGE IN THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE.

ADN SAID THE AMERICAN PLANE WAS ONE OF THE "S-45" TYPE AND WAS FLYING FROM FRANKFURT, IN WEST GERMANY, TO BERLIN. THE NEWS AGENCY SAID THE BOMBS WERE DROPPED OVER ORANIENBAUM, A VILLAGE NEAR THE SAXON TOWN OF DESSAUR.

(AN OFFICIAL AT THE PENTAGON IN WASHINGTON SAID NO AMERICAN PLANES USE THE LETTER "S" IN THEIR DESIGNATION. THIS OFFICIAL ADDED HE HAD NOT HEARD OF ANY SUCH INCIDENT AS ADN DESCRIBED.)

"AFTER HITTING THE GROUND," ADN SAID, "ONE BOMB IGNITED AND PRODUCED A FLAME FOUR METERS (13 FEET) HIGH, DEVELOPING MASSES OF GRAY-WHITISH SMOKE."

BOTH BOMBS REPORTEDLY WERE FILLED WITH THERMITE, AN INCENDIARY CHEMICAL MIXTURE. THE BOMBS WERE DESCRIBED AS BEING MADE OF "LIGHT, WHITE METAL."

ANOTHER UNIGNITED INCENDIARY BOMB WAS REPORTED FOUND IN A SAXON CORNFIELD JULY 19 "IMMEDIATELY AFTER AN AMERICAN AIRPLANE HAD FLOWN OVER THE AREA."

THE COMMUNIST NEWS AGENCY DID NOT EXPLAIN WHY IT HAD TAKEN SO LONG TO REPORT THE ALLEGED FINDS. NEITHER DID IT NAME THE AUTHORITY FOR ITS ASSERTIONS.

WESTERN OBSERVERS HERE IMMEDIATELY DREW A PARALLEL BETWEEN THIS CHARGE AND SIMILAR UNATTRIBUTED REPORTS BY ADN THREE MONTHS AGO WHICH CLAIMED THAT AMERICAN PLANES HAD DROPPED COLORADO POTATO BEETLES OVER THE RUSSIAN ZONE IN AN ATTEMPT TO DESTROY THE POTATO CROP.

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B28 (BSEG)

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STUTTGART, GERMANY, AUG.7-(AP)-SOME 70,000 GERMAN REFUGEES FROM THE EAST MASSED HERE YESTERDAY TO DEMAND MORE AID FROM THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT AS LONG AS THEY CANNOT RETURN TO THEIR HOMES.

THEY WERE EXPELLED FROM THE POLISH-OCCUPIED ODER-NEISSE AREA, SOVIET-HELD EAST PRUSSIA AND THE SUDETENLAND OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

SIMILAR MEETINGS WERE HELD IN SEVERAL OTHER WEST GERMAN CITIES.

THE REFUGEES HERE FORMALLY ADOPTED A CHARTER IN WHICH THEY MADE CLEAR THAT THEY STILL CLAIM THEIR FORMER HOMES, BUT "AS LONG AS THIS CLAIM CANNOT BE REALIZED, WE DO NOT WANT TO BE CONDEMNED TO INACTIVITY."

THERE ARE ABOUT 10,000,000 OF THESE REFUGEES IN WEST GERMANY NOW. IN SOME STATES AS MANY AS 50 PER CENT OF THEM ARE UNEMPLOYED.

IN SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN, BRITISH ZONE STATE ON THE NORTH SEA COAST, THEY HAVE FORMED THEIR OWN POLITICAL PARTY, WHICH RAN THIRD IN THE RECENT PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS IN THE STATE. SINCE THEN SIMILAR

PARTIES HAVE BEEN STARTED IN NEARLY ALL WEST GERMAN STATES AND MAY DEVELOP INTO A POWERFUL FACTOR IN THE AREA'S POLITICAL LIFE.

IN THEIR NEW CHARTER, THE REFUGEES "RENOUNCED REVENGE AND RETALIATION" FOR THE LOSSES THEY HAVE SUFFERED.

BUT FRANZ BLUECHER, ACTING WEST GERMAN PRIME MINISTER, ATTACKED POSTWAR ALLIED AGREEMENTS HE SAID HAD CAUSED THE EXPULSION OF THE GERMANS FROM THE EAST.

"WE KNOW THAT FOR MILLIONS OF YOU, THE POLITICAL ERRORS OF OTHERS HAVE CAUSED GREAT MISERY," BLUECHER SAID.

"THE DISTRESS OF OUR COUNTRY CAN ONLY BE RELIEVED WITH THE HELP OF THOSE WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED IN CREATING IT," HE DECLARED.

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VATICAN CITY, AUG. 7-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS NOW ENGAGING AMERICAN FORCES INCLUDE SOME WHO FOUGHT WITH THE RUSSIANS AT STALINGRAD, SAYS A LETTER RECEIVED FROM KOREA BY THE VATICAN'S CONGREGATION OF PROPAGANDA FIDE (PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH).

THE LETTER TO THE CONGREGATION, WHICH IS IN CHARGE OF MISSIONARY WORK, SAID PREPARATIONS FOR THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK "WERE CAREFULLY MADE BY THE RUSSIANS, USING SOLDIERS OF KOREAN ORIGIN WHO HAVE BEEN IN RUSSIAN TERRITORY FOR DECADES. X X MANY OF THESE WERE WAR-TOUGHENED AT STALINGRAD AND IN OTHER WORLD WAR BATTLES."

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG.7-(AP)-THE CENTRAL PRISONER OF WAR AGENCY, WHICH PROTECTED THE INTERESTS OF MILLIONS OF PRISONERS IN WORLD WAR TWO, TODAY ANNOUNCED RECEIPT OF THE FIRST CAPTURE CARDS FOR NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS IN AMERICAN HANDS.

THE AGENCY, WHICH IS OPERATED BY THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS COMMITTEE, SAID DETAILS OF 31 NORTH KOREAN WAR PRISONERS HAD BEEN RECEIVED ON SPECIAL CAPTURE CARDS BY AIRMAIL FROM SOUTH KOREA.

EACH CARD IS FILLED IN KOREAN BY THE PRISONER HIMSELF TO INFORM HIS RELATIVES OF HIS STATE OF HEALTH AND HIS PRISON CAMP ADDRESS. FOURTEEN OF THE CARDS RECEIVED THUS FAR REFER TO CIVILIAN PRISONERS AND 17 TO SOLDIERS.

THE AGENCY'S SERVICES ARE OPEN TO BOTH SIDES, BUT NO CARDS HAVE YET BEEN RECEIVED FROM NORTH KOREA.

THE LEAGUE OF RED CROSS SOCIETIES TODAY NAMED MORTIMER COOKE, FORMER REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS IN JAPAN, AS THE LEAGUE'S COORDINATOR FOR RED CROSS CIVILIAN RELIEF IN SOUTHERN KOREA.

THE LEAGUE SAID "EVERY EFFORT IS BEING MADE TO CONTACT RED CROSS UNITS IN NORTHERN KOREA IN ORDER TO OFFER SERVICES OF THE LEAGUE FOR RELIEF TO THE CIVILIAN POPULATION IN THAT AREA AS WELL." THE LEAGUE SAID EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES VALUED AT SEVERAL HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS HAVE BEEN OFFERED FOR AID TO CIVILIANS IN KOREA AND ARE AWAITING CLEARANCE BY THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND.

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GENEVA, AUG.7-(AP)-THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT GAVE FORMAL ASSURANCE TO THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY THAT FOREIGN CAPITAL INVESTMENT IN ARGENTINA WOULD BE SAFEGUARDED BY LAW AND WOULD RECEIVE FAIR PROFITS AND EQUITABLE TREATMENT.

ARGENTINE DELEGATE JULIO C.RODRIGUEZ-ARIAS TOLD THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL THAT ARGENTINA OFFERED "A VERY WIDE SCOPE IN THE FIELD OF CAPITAL INVESTMENTS, IN INDUSTRIAL, COMMERCIAL AND AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES."

"I CAN ASSURE YOU," RODRIGUEZ-ARIAS TOLD THE DELEGATES OF 18 NATIONS ON THE COUNCIL, "THAT SUCH CAPITAL WOULD BE SAFEGUARDED BY THE MOST FAVORABLE CONDITIONS OF A LEGISLATIVE AND ECONOMIC CHARACTER."

IN ADDITION TO THE AGREEMENTS REMOVING DOUBLE TAXATION, RODRIGUEZ-ARIAS DECLARED, ARGENTINA INTENDED TO "ASSURE (FOREIGN) INVESTORS FAIR PROFITS AND EQUITABLE TREATMENT."

ARGENTINA IS NOT AT PRESENT A MEMBER OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL. RODRIGUEZ-ARIAS WAS INVITED TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL AS ARGENTINE OBSERVER DURING A DEBATE ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR LATIN AMERICA.

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MOSCOW, AUG.7-(AP)-MAJ.GEN.ROBERT W.GROW ARRIVED TODAY TO TAKE UP HIS NEW DUTIES AS U.S.MILITARY ATTACHE TO RUSSIA. HE CAME BY TRAIN FROM LENINGRAD.

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B34 (Q) (250)

MOSCOW, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER PRAVDA TODAY ACCUSED HUNGARY'S CATHOLIC HIERARCHY OF BEING AN ENEMY OF THE STATE.

"MOST RECENT EVENTS HAVE SHOWN," PRAVDA SAID, "THAT THE HIGHER HUNGARIAN CLERGY REMAINS THE ENEMY OF ITS COUNTRY AND THE ENEMY OF PEACE.

"CARRYING OUT THE WILL OF THE VATICAN," THE ARTICLE CONTINUED, "IT CONSPICUOUSLY DIRECTS ITS ACTIVITY AGAINST THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACY AND HELPS IMPERIALIST REACTIONARIES, ABUSING FOR THE ATTAINMENT OF THIS PURPOSE THE FESLINGS OF BELIEVERS."

PRAVDA CONTINUED:

"WHEN IN HUNGARY THERE DEVELOPED A MOVEMENT FOR PEACE, EVERY PEACE-LOVING PERSON, INDEPENDENTLY OF HIS POLITICAL VIEWS OR RELIGIOUS CONVICTIONS, USED THE OPPORTUNITY TO COME OUT OPENLY AGAINST THE WAR BEING PREPARED BY AMERICAN AND BRITISH IMPERIALISTS."

ABOUT 6,000,000 BELIEVING CATHOLICS PLACED THEIR SIGNATURES UNDER THE STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL. A HANDFUL OF THE HIGHER CLERGY DID

OTHERWISE IN ORDER TO PURSUE THEIR DARK POLITICAL AIMS.
"PERSECUTED BY REACTIONARY BISHOPS," PRAVDA DECLARED, "CERTAIN PRIESTS DID NOT DARE SIGN THE STOCKHOLM CALL. AT THE SAME TIME HUNDREDS OF EMPLOYES OF THE CHURCH, AGAINST ORDERS OF THE HIGHER CLERGY, TOOK AN ACTIVE PART IN THE MOVEMENT OF THE PEACE PARTISANS."
PRAVDA DECLARED THAT A MEETING OF CATHOLIC PRIESTS AT BUDAPEST UNIVERSITY ON AUG. 1 INDICATED A SUPPORT FOR THE PEACE MOVEMENT AMONG THE LOWER CLERGY.
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PRAVDA REFERRED TO A MEETING IN BUDAPEST AT WHICH 300 SELF-STYLE PROGRESSIVE PRIESTS OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH VOICED DEMANDS TH THEIR BISHOPS DROP THEIR "RIGID" POLICY AND REACH A FINAL UNDERSTANDING WITH HUNGARY'S COMMUNIST-LED GOVERNMENT.
THE HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT, LONG AT ODDS WITH THE CATHOLIC C HAS BEEN BRINGING MORE AND MORE PRESSURE TO BEAR ON THE BENCH O BISHOPS, HIGHEST ECCLESIASTICAL AUTHORITY OF THE CATHOLIC CHURC HUNGARY SINCE ITS PRIMATE JOSEF CARDINAL MINDSZENTY WAS SENTENCED T LIFE IMPRISONMENT ON TREASON CHARGES IN 1949.
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B59 (Q)
KARACHI, PAKISTAN, AUG. 7-(AP)-A RESPONSIBLE INFORMANT WHO HAS ARRIVED HERE FROM CAIRO REPORTED TODAY A SECRET INVESTIGATION UNDERWAY IN EGYPT UNCOVERED EVIDENCE THAT SENIOR OFFICERS WERE INVOLVED IN SCANDALS CONNECTED WITH THE PURCHASE OF AMMUNITION DURING THE PALESTINE WAR. INVESTIGATORS ARE SAID TO HAVE REPORTED THAT MUCH EXPENSIVE MATERIAL PROVED USELESS. SEVERAL ARRESTS HAVE BEEN MADE. CENSORSRIP APPARENTLY HAS KEPT THIS NEWS FROM COMING DIRECT FROM EGYPT.
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B31 (Q) (160)
NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 7-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER NEHRU DECLARED TODAY THAT HIS PACT OF LAST APRIL WITH PAKISTAN PREMIER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN HAD DONE A GREAT DEAL TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF RELIGIOUS MINORITIES IN DIVIDED BENGAL.
NEHRU TOLD PARLIAMENT THAT SINCE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PACT, "A CERTAIN FEELING OF NORMALITY" HAD RETURNED TO THE HINDUS OF PAKISTAN'S EAST BENGAL AND THE MOSLEMS OF INDIA'S WEST BENGAL.
THE INDIAN LEADER ACKNOWLEDGED THAT MANY PROBLEMS STILL EXIST BUT SAID HE FELT THE AGREEMENT HAD IN GENERAL BEEN SUCCESSFUL.
OPENING A DEBATE ON THE AGREEMENT, NEHRU EMPHASIZED THAT IT HAD BEEN MADE TO DEAL WITH ONE PARTICULAR SITUATION--TO END COMMUNAL RIOTING IN THE BENGALS AND TO RESTORE CONFIDENCE AMONG THE MINORITIES LIVING THERE.
"NO ONE THOUGHT IT WAS GOING TO SOLVE ALL INDO-PAKISTAN PROBLEMS," HE SAID. "IT WAS MEANT TO STOP A CERTAIN DRIFT TOWARDS CATASTROPHE AND BRING RELIEF TO MINORITIES."
THE PACT, DESIGNED TO HALT HINDU-MOSLEM CLASHES THAT HAVE CLAIMED HUNDREDS OF LIVES, PROVIDED FOR
1. THE SECURITY OF MINORITIES IN PAKISTAN AND INDIA.
2. UNHAMPERED MIGRATION ACROSS THE BORDERS OF INDIA AND PAKISTAN FOR HINDUS AND MOSLEMS.
3. SPECIAL COMMISSIONS ON BOTH SIDES TO INVESTIGATE ANY VIOLATIONS OF THE AGREEMENT.
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B53 (Q)
NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 7-(AP)-INDIA, GRIPPED BY A SUGAR SHORTAGE, IS NEGOTIATING FOR IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES, CUBA, ITALY AND OTHER COUNTRIES, FOOD MINISTER K.M.MUNSHI TOLD PARLIAMENT TODAY.
HE ADDED THAT IN VIEW OF THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION, INDIA MAY HAVE TROUBLE GETTING ENOUGH SUGAR, EVEN FROM THESE COUNTRIES.
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B57 (Q)
BOMBAY, INDIA, AUG.7-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT TODAY REFUSED TO GIVE A PASSPORT TO S.A.DANGE, INDIAN VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE COMMUNIST-LED WORLD FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS (WFTU) AND A FOUNDING MEMBER OF THE INDIAN COMMUNIST PARTY, ON THE GROUNDS HE WOULD SPREAD ANTI-GOVERNMENT PROPAGANDA ABROAD.
DANGE HAD APPLIED FOR A PASSPORT TO ATTEND THE WFTU MEETING IN PARIS AND LATER TO VISIT RUSSIA "TO INVOGORATE WFTU ACTIVITIES."
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CAIRO, EGYPT, AUG.7-(AP)-AN ARAB LEAGUE INFORMANT SAYS BRITISH WAR PLANES KILLED SEVERAL YEMENI TRIBESMEN LAST WEEK IN RAIDS NEAR THE BORDER BETWEEN YEMEN AND BRITAIN'S ADEN PROTECTORATE. BRITISH OFFICIALS WERE NOT AVAILABLE FOR COMMENT.
THE INFORMANT SAID ALY AL MOAYYED, YEMENI DELEGATE TO THE LEAGUE, HAD HEARD THAT ADEN-BASED R.A.F. BOMBERS HAD KILLED TRIBESMEN ENCAMPED IN THE BORDER AREA DISPUTED BY BRITAIN AND YEMEN. DETAILS WERE NOT GIVEN.
A SIMILAR INCIDENT OCCURRED LAST SEPTEMBER WHEN BRITISH PLANES BOMBED YEMENI TRIBESMEN ALLEGED ENCROACHING ON WHAT ADEN AUTHORITIES CONSIDERED THEIR TERRITORY.
BRITISH AND YEMENI REPRESENTATIVES MEET AUG. 28 IN LONDON FOR TALKS TO TRY TO DETERMINE THE BORDERLINE AND SETTLE OTHER TERRITORIAL CLAIMS
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A68 (120)
JERUSALEM, AUG. 7-(AP)-THOUSANDS OF ISRAELIS WENT HUNGRY OR ATE ONLY SANDWICHES TODAY AS STRIKES PROTESTING NEW RATION RESTRICTIONS SPREAD TO RESTAURANTS AND CAFES.
THE EATING HOUSE WALKOUT, IN SYMPATHY WITH STRIKING SHOPKEEPERS, WAS CALLED FOR TODAY ONLY BUT MANY MERCHANTS MAY KEEP THEIR SHOPS CLOSED. THE SHUTDOWN WAS NOT COMPLETELY EFFECTIVE, HOWEVER, AS A NUMBER OF SHOPS REMAINED OPEN, SERVING MEALS FOR AT LEAST A PAST OF THE DAY.
THE STRIKERS ARE PROTESTING THE RECENTLY INSTITUTED RATIONING OF CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR, WHICH THE GOVERNMENT SAID WAS NEEDED TO SAVE FOREIGN CURRENCY.
ISRAEL'S PARLIAMENT MEANWHILE CONVENED TO DISCUSS THE NEW DISTRIBUTION RESTRICTIONS.
TA637AED

B57 (Q)
TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG. 7-(AP)-AN ARMY SPOKESMAN REPORTED TODAY THAT ONE ISRAELI SOLDIER AND ABOUT SEVEN ARABS WERE KILLED IN A BORDER CLASH YESTERDAY AFTER ARAB SHEPHERDS, PROTECTED BY JORDAN ARMORED UNITS, DROVE THEIR FLOCKS INTO ISRAELI TERRITORY EAST OF BEERSHEBA.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID ARMORED CARS OF JORDAN'S ARAB LEGION OPENED FIRE ON THEISRAELI PATROL WHEN IT DROVE THE SHPHERDS BACK ACROSS THE BORDER. ISRAEL IS PROTESTING THE INCIDENT TO THE U.N. MIXED ARMISTICE COMMITTEE, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.
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A74
ADDIS ABABA, ETHIOPIA, AUG.7-(AP)-THE ETHIOPIAN GOVERNMENT SAID TODAY IT IS PREPARED TO SEND TROOPS TO KOREA BUT FINDS SUCH PRACTICAL DIFFICULTIES AS SHIPPING AND SUPPLY INSURMOUNTABLE.
THE GOVERNMENT IS STUDYING POSSIBILITIES FOR SENDING FOODSTUFFS INSTEAD. EMPEROR HAILE SELASSIE TODAY ORDERED $40,000 USED TO PROVIDE MEDICAL SUPPLIES.
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A108
COLOMBO, CEYLON, AUG 7-(AP)-A U.S. FLOTILLA OF FOUR DESTROYERS AND ONE LIGHT CRUISER ARRIVED HERE TODAY EN ROUTE TO THE KOREAN AREA. THEY WERE THE DESTROYERS FRED T.BERRY, KEPPLER, NORRIS AND MACAFFERY AND THE LIGHT CRUISER WORCESTER.
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sydney, australia, aug. 7--(ap)--lieut. gen. h. gordon bennett today praised the australian government's decision to form a militia battalion in new guinea.

bennett commanded the australian eighth division in malaya during world war two. he said a militia battalion in new guinea would be of immense value to australia in the event of trouble on the island.

the decision to form the battalion was announced aug. 5 by army and navy minister j. francis. newspapers said the

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reports of indonesian infiltration into dutch new guinea, the western half of the big island, but there has been NO official confirmation of

announcing formation of the militia, francis said a battalion of native "fuzzy wuzzies" also would be raised, as would a "fuzzy wuzzy" navy group of fast patrol boats.

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A69 (250)
JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG. 7-(AP)-TOP DUTCH AND INDONESIAN COMMANDERS HASTENED TO STRIFE-TORN MACASSAR TODAY IN AN EFFORT TO CHECK BLOODY FIGHTING WHICH HAS BROKEN OUT THERE BETWEEN FEDERAL TROOPS AND INDONESIAN SOLDERS AWAITING DISCHARGE FROM THE DUTCH ARMY.
THE DUTCH MILITARY COMMANDER IN INDONESIA, MAJ. GEN. SCHEFFELAAR, AND THE COMMANDER OF FEDERAL FORCES FIGHTING REBELS IN AMBOINA, COL. KAWILARANG, FLEW TO THE TROUBLED EAST INDONESIAN CAPITAL THIS MORNING TO TRY TO RESTORE PEACE.
THE CAUSE OF THE OUTBREAK WAS NOT ANNOUNCED, BUT MACASSAR WAS THE SCENE LAST APRIL OF AN ABORTIVE REBELLION BY INDONESIANS IN T DUTCH ARMY. THEY SEIZED THE CITY WHEN THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT SENT TROOPS TO GARRISON THE CITY. THAT REVOLT COLLAPSED AFTER ITS LEADERS SURRENDERED TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.
INDONESIAN DEFENSE MINISTER SULTAN HAMENGKU BUWONO CONFERRED ON THE CRISIS WITH PRESIDENT SOEKARNO AND PREMIER MOHAMED HATTA.
THE SULTAN TOLD REPORTERS LATER THAT THE SITUATION IN MACASSAR IS CONFUSED AND THAT ARMY COMMUNICATIONS WITH THE SOUTHWESTERN CELEBES PORT ARE STILL CUT OFF. HE SAID THERE HAD BEEN SOME DEATHS, BUT THAT ACCURATE FIGURES WERE NOT AVAILABLE.
RADIO MACASSAR SUDDENLY WENT OFF THE AIR YESTERDAY AFTER THE FIGHTING HAD BEGUN. TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS WENT DOWN AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME.
IT IS BELIEVED HERE COMMUNICATIONS WERE STOPPED WHEN WORKERS ABANDONED THE TRANSMITTING STATIONS IN MACASSAR TO GET OUT THE LINE OF FIRE.
IN VIEW OF THE TURN OF EVENTS, THE JAKARTA GOVERNMENT HAS SUSPENDED COMMERCIAL AIR TRAVEL TO MACASSAR.
THIS LATEST OUTBREAK CAME AS FEDERAL AUTHORITIES WERE STRIVING TO CHECK SPREADING REBEL OPERATIONS IN THE AMBOINA AREA, EAST OF THE CELEBES.
SCHEFFELAAR AND COLONEL SIMATUPANG, CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE INDONESIAN ARMY, BROADCAST A PLEA TO BOTH SIDES TO "CEASE HOSTILITIES IN AND AROUND MACASSAR IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT FURTHER SENSELESS BLOODSHED."

REPORTS OF ADDITIONAL TROUBLE CAME FROM SOUTH CENTRAL JAVA, WHERE ANTARA, THE INDONESIAN NEWS AGENCY, SAID A BAND OF AT LEAST 1,000 MOSLEM EXTREMISTS HAD CLASHED WITH FEDERAL TROOPS NEAR SUMOLANGU VILLAGE ON FRIDAY (CQ).

ANTARA SAID 30 MOSLEMS AND TWO SOLDIERS WERE KILLED AND THAT THE FORMER WERE REGROUPING IN THE MOUNTAINS. THE MOSLEMS, SAID TO BE ARMED MOSTLY WITH KNIVES, WERE RECRUITED BY THE REBEL MOSLEM ORGANIZATION ANGKATAN UMMAT ISLAM.

WAHID HASJIM, MINISTER OF RELIGION, LEFT FOR KEBUMEN IN THE SAME AREA IN AN ATTEMPT TO SETTLE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN FEDERAL TROOPS AND MOSLEM GROUPS. ONE BATTALION OF FEDERAL TROOPS DESERTED AT KEBUMEN LAST WEEK AND JOINED THE MOSLEM REBELS.

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A200KX
NIGHT LEAD PHILIPPINES (220)

MANILA, AUG 7-(AP)-THE PHILIPPINES OFFERED TODAY TO SEND, AT ITS OWN EXPENSE, 5,000 FULLY-EQUIPPED COMBAT INFANTRYMEN TO FIGHT UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS BANNER IN KOREA OR WHEREVER NEEDED.

PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO ANNOUNCED THE OFFER AFTER THE PHILIPPINES CONGRESS APPROVED DISPATCH AT PHILIPPINES EXPENSE TO KOREA. OF TROOPS

AMPLIFYING THIS, QUIRINO SAID THE TROOPS COULD BE USED ANYWHERE THERE WAS DANGER OF AGRESSION AGAINST FREE PEOPLES. THIS WAS IN A RESPONSE TO A CORRESPONDENT'S QUESTION WHETHER THE FILIPINO SOLDIERS MIGHT AID THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA, CHINESE NATIONALIST ISLAND.

QUIRINO SAID ALSO THAT IF MORE THAN 5,000 MEN WERE WANTED, HIS GOVERNMENT WAS PREPARED TO ENLIST AND TRAIN VOLUNTEERS, BUT THAT TO DO THIS WOULD REQUIRE AMERICAN FINANCIAL AID.

THE PRESIDENT SAID HE HAD ASKED MAJ. GEN. LELAND HOBBS TO TRANSMIT THE OFFER TO GENERAL MACARTHUR AFTER HAVING DECIDED FOR SECURITY REASONS NOT TO TELEPHONE MACARTHUR PERSONALLY. HOBBS HEADS THE AMERICAN MILITARY MISSION IN THE PHILIPPINES.

QUIRINO ALSO TOLD HIS NEWS CONFERENCE HE HAD ORDERED SEIZURE OF ALL MILITARY EQUIPMENT THAT MIGHT BE IN PRIVATE HANDS. THIS WOULD BE MOSTLY OLD WORLD WAR II SURPLUS.

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PHILIPPINES TROOPS (ABOUT 250)
BY FRANK L. WHITE

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MANILA, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE PHILIPPINES GOVERNMENT OFFERED TODAY TO SEND IMMEDIATELY TO KOREA A FULLY-TRAINED, FULLY-EQUIPPED REGIMENT OF 5,000 COMBAT INFANTRY.

THIS MARKED A SHARP CHANGE IN POLICY.

PRESIDENT QUIRINO ANNOUNCED THE OFFER TO GENERAL MACARTHUR SHORTLY AFTER THE PHILIPPINES CONGRESS HAD APPROVED DISPATCHING THE TROOPS AT ITS OWN EXPENSE.

IF ADDITIONAL TROOPS ARE NEEDED, QUIRINO SAID, THE GOVERNMENT WILL BEGIN TRAINING VOLUNTEERS. HOWEVER, HE SAID, OUTSIDE MONEY WOULD BE NEEDED TO SUPPORT SUCH A PROGRAM.

QUIRINO SAID THE 5,000 TROOPS COULD SERVE WHEREVER THEY MIGHT BE NEEDED. THAT WAS IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION ON WHETHER THE TROOPS MIGHT AID IN THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA.

SENATE PRESIDENT MARIANO JESUS CUENCO SPONSORED THE RESOLUTION IN THE UPPER HOUSE.

"WE ARE CALLED TO THE SIDE OF THE UNITED STATES NOT ONLY BY THE DUTY OF GRATITUDE BUT ALSO BECAUSE AS A MEMBER OF THE UNITED NATIONS WE ARE OBLIGED TO MAKE OUR CONTRIBUTION TO THE RESCUE OF KOREAN SOVEREIGNTY FROM COMMUNIST AGGRESSION," CUENCO SAID.

"IN THIS PART OF THE WORLD THE PHILIPPINES, FORMOSA AND JAPAN ARE THE LAST STRONGHOLDS OF DEMOCRACY. KOREA IN COMMUNIST HANDS CONSTITUTES A DANGEROUS BASE FOR CONQUEST OF THESE LAST DEMOCRATIC

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REDOUBTS. ONCE WE HAVE FALLEN, AUSTRALIA, INDONESIA, NEW ZEALAND, INDIA AND PAKISTAN CAN NOT LONG ESCAPE DOMINION OF THE KREMLIN."

QUIRINO ORDERED ALL PRIVATELY OWNED MILITARY EQUIPMENT IMPOUNDED.

CY525APD NM

B82KX (Q)

MANILA, TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-PRESIDENT QUIRINO AND THE CENTRAL BANK OF THE PHILIPPINES CONFIRMED TODAY THAT U. S. GOVERNMENT AGENCIES SOON WILL BEGIN MAKING PESO PAYMENTS TO BENEFICIARIES IN THE ISLANDS.

SINCE EXCHANGE CONTROLS HERE LAST DECEMBER, APPROXIMATELY $5,000,000 HAS BEEN PAID TO WAR VETERANS ALONE EACH MONTH. THE U. S. TREASURY CHECKS ARE PAYABLE IN DOLLARS. IT IS UNOFFICIALLY ESTIMATED V 2,000,000 WENT INTO THE BLACK MARKET.

SOURCES SAID PERSONS DESIRING TO OBTAIN FOREIGN EXCHANGE OUTSIDE REGULAR CHANNELS HAVE PAID AS HIGH AS 2.80 IN PESOS TO A DOLLAR. THE PESO IS PEGGED AT TWO TO $1 BY TREATY BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE PHILIPPINES. IT CAN BE ALTERED ONLY BY MUTUAL CONSENT.

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A182KX

MANILA, AUG 7 (AP)-THE U.S.13TH AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THAT TWO OF ITS F-80 JET FIGHTERS WERE MISSING. THEY TOOK OFF FROM CLARK FIELD AT NOON TODAY AND WERE BELIEVED DOWN SOMEWHERE IN NORTHERN LUZON.

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A8KX
NIGHT LEAD SHIP (150)

HONG KONG, AUG.7-(AP)-CHINESE COMMUNIST SHORE GUNS SCORED TWO HITS ON THE BRITISH STEAMER HANGSANG TODAY, WOUNDING TWO BRITISH OFFICERS AND SLIGHTLY DAMAGING THE SHIP.

ONE FIVE-INCH SHELL THAT FAILED TO EXPLODE WAS REMOVED FROM A SHIP'S WINDLASS BY BRITISH ORDNANCE EXPERTS AFTER THE HANGSANG ARRIVED IN HONG KONG.

CHIEF ENGINEER ALEXANDER BROWN OF PITLOCHRY, SCOTLAND, AND THIRD OFFICER A.A.NELSON OF HONG KONG, THE WOUNDED OFFICERS,WERE RELEASED FROM THE HOSPITAL AFTER TREATMENT FOR "PAINFUL BUT SUPERFICIAL BURNS."

L.W.HARRISON, CAPTAIN OF THE 5,000-TON MERCHANTMAN, SAID THE REDS FIRED A DOZEN ROUNDS WITHOUT WARNING AS THE SHIP STEAMED NEAR LEMA ISLAND, ABOUT 15 MILES FROM THIS BRITISH COLONY, ON A VOYAGE FROM SANDAKAN, BORNEO, TO HONG KONG.

THE AMERICAN ISTHMIAN LINE FREIGHTER STEEL ROVER WAS HIT BY SPLINTERS FROM FIVE SMALLER SHELLS IN THE SAME GENERAL AREA SUNDAY.

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FIRST LEAD SHIP ATTACKED (A101FX)

HONG KONG, AUG. 7-(AP)-CHINESE COMMUNIST SHORE BATTERIES FIRED TODAY ON THE 5,000-TON BRITISH FREIGHTER HANGSANG. TWO SHIP'S OFFICERS WERE WOUNDED BY FRAGMENTATION.

THE SHELLING WAS ABOUT 15 MILES SOUTH OF HONG KONG IN THE SAME GENERAL AREA WHERE FIVE SMALL SHELLS WERE FIRED YESTERDAY AT THE

AMERICAN FREIGHTER STEEL ROVER.

THE TWO WOUNDED BRITISH OFFICERS WERE RUSHED BY AMBULANCE TO A HOSPITAL LATE TODAY AFTER THE HANGSANG RETURNED TO HONG KONG. DOCTORS SAID THEY WERE IN FAIR CONDITION.

THE MEN ARE CHIEF ENGINEER ALEXANDER BROWN OF PITLOCHRY, SCOTLAND, AND THIRD OFFICER A. NELSON OF HONG KONG.

SECOND OFFICER RALPH GRIEVE OF GLASGOW SAID CHINESE RED[illegible]ON LEMA ISLAND FIRED 12 SHELLS IN 15 MINUTES STARTING AT 1:30 P.M. (12:30 A.M., EST) AS THE HANGSANG WAS STEAMING TOWARD HONG KONG FROM SANDAKAN, BORNEO.

BRITISH ORDNANCE EXPERTS BOARDED THE SHIP HER TO REMOVE A FIVE-INCH UNEXPLODED ARTILLERY SHELL FROM THE HANGSANG'S WINDLASS.[illegible]

THIS WAS ONE OF TWO HITS SCORED ON THE VESSEL.

THE SECOND RIPPED A JAGGED EIGHT-INCH HOLE IN THE STEEL PLATES.

CAPT. L.W. HARRISON (HOMETOWN NOT REPORTED) SAID THE ATTACK WAS "UNWARRANTED AND A FLAGRANT BREACH OF INTERNATIONAL LAW."

THE SHIP, OWNED BY THE INDOCHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., WAS REPORTED READY TO LEAVE HONG KONG ON ITS SCHEDULED FAR EASTERN RUN.

THE STEEL ROVER, ITS PLATES DENTED BY ONE SMALL SHELL, SAILED FOR SAIGON, INDOCHINA. THE CAPTAIN SAID FIVE SMALL SHOTS CAME EITHER FROM ONE OF TWO NEARBY JUNKS OR THE RED CHINA MAINLAND.

(NO PICKUP)

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A100FX

KOREA (100)

HONG KONG, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL CHINESE COMMUNIST NEWS AGENCY, QUOTING A NORTH KOREAN RADIO DISPATCH, SAID TODAY "ENEMY (UNITED NATIONS) FORCES. . . ARE UTILIZING THE FAVORABLE TERRAIN EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER TO PUT UP STIFF RESISTANCE AGAINST THE ADVANCING KOREAN PEOPLE'S (COMMUNIST) ARMY."

THE DISPATCH SAID THE NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE WAS "FIGHTING AGAINST ODDS" BUT ITS PILOTS WERE "BOLDLY BLASTING MILITARY INSTALLATIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS LINES IN THE ENEMY'S REAR."

U.S. HEADQUARTERS RELEASES AND FRONT LINE DISPATCHES HAVE REPORTED VERY LITTLE RED KOREAN AIR ACTIVITY.

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A101FX

HONG KONG, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER STEEL ROVER SAILED TODAY FOR SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AFTER BEING SUBJECTED TO A MYSTERIOUS ATTACK OF GUNSHOTS YESTERDAY NEAR HONG KONG HARBOR'S SOUTHERN EXIT.

THE CAPTAIN SAID FIVE SMALL SHOTS CAME EITHER FROM ONE OF TWO NEARBY JUNKS OR THE CHINESE RED MAINLAND. HE THEN RETURNED TO HARBOR TO STAY OVERNIGHT.

CY552APD NM

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A113 (130)

SINGAPORE, AUG 7-(AP)-BRITAIN'S COMMISSIONER GENERAL MALCOLM MACDONALD SAID TONIGHT THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE LOST GROUND IN INDO-CHINA AND BURMA, THE TWO MAIN GATEWAYS TO SOUTHEAST ASIA.

MACDONALD ACCUSED RUSSIA OF MASTERMINDING RED REVOLTS IN EVERY COUNTRY IN ASIA AND OF PRODDING COMMUNIST CHINA TO HELP RED GUERRILLAS ACROSS HER BORDERS TO THE SOUTH.

BUT HE SAID THAT MILITARY AND POLITICAL SUCCESSES OVER COMMUNIST REBELS IN INDOCHINA AND BURMA IN RECENT MONTHS HAD MADE THOSE TWO GATEWAY COUNTRIES "MORE FIRMLY HELD THAN EVER BEFORE."

HE SAID THE MAIN THREAT TO THESE TWO COUNTRIES COMES FROM RED CHINA AND IF THE TWO FELL THE WAY WOULD THEN BE OPEN FOR A COMMUNIST MARCH THROUGH THE REST OF SOUTHEAST ASIA -- THAILAND, MALAYA AND INDONESIA.

MACDONALD, WHO RECENTLY VISITED INDOCHINA AND BURMA, SAID: "I CAN TELL YOU THAT IN EACH, DURING THE LAST FEW MONTHS, LOCAL COMMUNISTS HAVE GRADUALLY LOST GROUND IN SUPPORTERS AND PRESTIGE."

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SINGAPORE, AUG. 7-(AP)-JOHN MELBY, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL HEADING THE AMERICAN MILITARY SURVEY MISSION TO SOUTHEAST ASIA, SAID TODAY HE HAS CABLED RECOMMENDATIONS TO WASHINGTON FOR MILITARY AID TO INDOCHINA.

MELBY AND HIS 18-MAN GROUP ARRIVED TODAY FROM SAIGON. THEY WILL STAY A WEEK, THEN GO TO RANGOON.

MELBY DECLINED TO SAY HOW MUCH AMERICAN MILITARY AID HE HAD RECOMMENDED FOR THE VIETNAMESE AND FRENCH TO HELP THEM IN THEIR FIGHT WITH COMMUNIST HO CHI MINH'S REBEL FORCES.

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B29 (Q)

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SINGAPORE, AUG.7-(AP)-AUSTRALIA'S MINISTER FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, PERCY C.SPENDER, INDICATED TODAY HE WOULD TRY TO INTEREST OTHER NATIONS IN A PACIFIC PACT DURING HIS COMING VISIT TO ENGLAND AND THE UNITED STATES.

HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT THE "NECESSITY" CONTINUES FOR SUCH A PACT "NOT DISSIMILAR TO THE ATLANTIC PACT."

SPENDER ARRIVED HERE TODAY ENROUTE TO LONDON AND NEW YORK. HE SAID THE TWO MAIN PURPOSES OF HIS TRIP WERE TO DISCUSS THE COMMONWEALTH PROGRAM OF AID TO SOUTHEAST ASIA AND TO ATTEND THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING IN NEW YORK.

THE FOREIGN MINISTER SAID AUSTRALIA EXPECTS TO HAVE A FIGHTING FORCE ASSEMBLED IN JAPAN TO HELP IN THE KOREAN WAR IN "THREE OR FOUR WEEKS."

HE EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT "EVERY NATION THAT CAN WILL COME TO THE AID OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCE IN KOREA."

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A183KX

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG 7 (AP)-AN OFFICIAL CHINESE NATIONALIST DISPATCH TONIGHT SAID 22 SOLDIERS AND CREWMEN OF A COMMUNIST MOTORIZED JUNK SURRENDERED TODAY NEAR QUEMOY AFTER THEIR CAPTAIN WAS KILLED IN A FIGHT WITH A NATIONALIST GUNBOAT.

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A77FX

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 7-(AP)-MAJ. GEN. HOWARD TURNER, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. 13TH AIR FORCE, HAS SET UP A LIAISON OFFICE IN THE CHINESE NATIONALIST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS BUILDING HERE.

TURNER FLEW HERE SEVERAL DAYS AGO FROM CLARK FIELD IN THE PHILIPPINES.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, MONDAY, AUG.7)
NIGHT LEAD CANADIAN
OTTAWA, AUG.7-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST. LAURENT ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THAT CANADA WILL RECRUIT A SPECIAL BRIGADE OF INFANTRY AND SUPPORTING ARMS FOR USE IN KOREA OR ANYWHERE ELSE IT MAY BE NEEDED.
RECRUITING WILL BEGIN WEDNESDAY. AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID THE BRIGADE WOULD NUMBER BETWEEN 4,000 AND 5,000 MEN AND WOULD TAKE AT LEAST SIX MONTHS TO TRAIN. USE OF THE BRIGADE IN KOREA WOULD BE SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF PARLIAMENT.
IN A BROADCAST TO THE NATION, ST.LAURENT SAID THE BRIGADE WILL BE "AVAILABLE FOR SERVICE IN KOREA AS PART OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IF IT CAN BE MOST EFFECTIVELY USED IN THAT WAY WHEN IT IS READY FOR SERVICE."
"IT WILL BE SPECIALLY TRAINED AND EQUIPPED TO BE AVAILABLE FOR USE IN CARRYING OUT CANADA'S OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER OR THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT," HE EXPLAINED.
THE CABINET DECIDED NOT TO SEND CANADA'S EXISTING FIRST-LINE REGULAR UNITS OUTOF THE COUNTRY, ST. LAURENT SAID, BECAUSE SUCH A STEP WOULD "DANGEROUSLY WEAKEN OUR OWN IMMEDIATE DEFENSES."
THE PRIME MINISTER ALSO ANNOUNCED THAT PARLIAMENT WILL BE RECALLED AS SOON AS HIS GOVERNMENT HAS TIME TO GATHER MORE INFORMATION AND TO FORMULATE SPECIFIC PLANS IN CONNECTION WITH THE EXPANSION OF CANADA'S DEFENSE PROGRAM.
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IT IS FELT THAT PARLIAMENT WILL MEET WITHIN SIX OR SEVEN WEEKS. THIS DATE COULD BE MOVED UP, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID, IF IT APPEARS AN EARLIER MEETING IS REQUIRED BY THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.
ST. LAURENT SAID CANADA WAS "PRESSING ON WITH EVERYTHING USEFUL THAT CAN BE DONE TO INCREASE" HER EFFECTIVE MILITARY STRENGTH. HE DECLARED THAT PARLIAMENT, WHICH WILL HAVE TO APPROVE THE STEPPED-UP ARMS PROGRAM, WILL BE GIVEN AS COMPLETE A PICTURE AS POSSIBLE OF THE ENTIRE WORLD SITUATION.
"THERE IS A REAL CHANCE THAT THE FINAL DEFEAT OF THE COMMUNIST AGGRESSORS IN KOREA WILL DISCOURAGE AGGRESSION IN OTHER PLACES BECAUSE THE RISKS WILL APPEAR TOO GREAT," HE SAID.
"IF WE ARE TO AVERT THE DANGER WHICH THREATENS THE FREE WORLD, WE MUST MARSHALL AND INCREASE THE RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO RESIST AGGRESSION; WE MUST BUILD UP MILITARY STRENGTH BACKED BY INDUSTRIAL STRENGTH; WE MUST ACCEPT THE ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL POLICIES WHICH WILL ENABLE US TO MAINTAIN OUR STRENGTH."
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8 P.M. EST TONIGHT, MONDAY, AUG.7)
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B26 (Q)
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OTTAWA, AUG. 7-(AP)-A BASIS FOR POOLING AMERICAN AND CANADIAN INDUSTRIAL POTENTIAL IN THE EVENT OF TOTAL WAR WILL BE DISCUSSED AT A CONFERENCE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TWO COUNTRIES HERE TOMORROW.
PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST.LAURENT TODAY TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT HE WOULD NOT TRY TO ANTICIPATE WHAT AGREEMENT WILL BE REACHED BUT ADDED THERE IS "GOING TO BE PRETTY CLOSE COLLABORATION" BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.
ANY AGREEMENT ON PRINCIPLES WILL BE ANNOUNCED AFTER THE CONFERENCE BY THE PRIME MINISTER AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
WHILE SPECIFIC TERMS OF ANY AGREEMENT REACHED WILL BE SECRET, THEY ARE EXPECTED TO INCLUDE:
1. ELIMINATION OF RESTRICTIVE LEGISLATION WHICH COULD IMPEDE THE FLOW OF DEFENSE ORDERS ACROSS THE U.S.-CANADIAN BORDER.
2. BILATERAL ACTION ON ECONOMIC CONTROLS TO GET WAR MATERIAL ORDERS PRODUCED AND SHIPPED TO ACTION POINTS.
3. NON-DISCRIMINATION IN THE ALLOCATION OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS. CANADA WILL GET AS MUCH STEEL FROM THE U.S. AS IS NEEDED TO COMPLETE DEFENSE ORDERS, AND THE U.S. WILL GET ALL THE NICKEL FROM CANADA IT REQUIRES.
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A20
NEW YORK, AUG 7-(AP)-NEW YORK CITY SET OUT TODAY TO RECRUIT 40,000 AUXILIARY POLICEMEN FOR EMERGENCY WORK IN CASE OF WAR.
"THESE MEN AND WOMEN WILL BE TRAINED FOR EMERGENCY WORK," SAID CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR ARTHUR W.WALLANDER.
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B12 (250)
NEW YORK, AUG. 7-(AP)-ROBERT G.MENZIES, AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER, SAID TODAY HE PROBABLY WOULD GO TO JAPAN TO VISIT AUSTRALIAN FORCES THERE AND TO CONFER WITH GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR.
HE MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT AT LA GUARDIA FIELD AS HE BOARDED AN AIRPLANE FOR OTTAWA.
ASKED WHETHER HE INTENDED ALSO TO VISIT KOREA WHERE MACARTHUR'S FORCES HAVE LAUNCHED AN OFFENSIVE AGAINST COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS, MENZIES REPLIED:
"I'LL DO WHAT I CAN. I DON'T KNOW; I HOPE SO."
HE SAID THE AUSTRALIAN CABINET KNEW OF HIS INTENTION TO VISIT JAPAN AND THAT THE MEMBERS WERE "ACTUALLY VERY KEEN ON IT."
REPLYING TO A QUESTION WHETHER HE HAD MADE ANY AGREEMENT WITH THE UNITED STATES ON THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA, MENZIES SAID:
"I HAVE MADE NO PRIVATE AGREEMENTS OF ANY KIND. EVERYTHING THERE HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED PUBLICLY. THERE HAS BEEN A LOT OF SPECULATION ON FORMOSA. I HAVE NO AGREEMENT OF ANY KIND WITH THE UNITED STATES OR ANYONE ELSE."
MENZIES COMMENTED CRITICALLY ON JACOB MALIK, CHIEF SOVIET DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS.
"ALL THIS PROPAGANDA ABOUT THE UNITED STATES BEING THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA WOULDN'T DECEIVE A CHILD," SAID MENZIES. "MR. MALIK VASTLY UNDERESTIMATES THE INTELLIGENCE OF THE WORLD AUDIENCE HE IS TALKING TO."
MENZIES SAID HIS OWN RECEPTION IN THIS COUNTRY HAD BEEN "ABSOLUTELY SUPERB."
"I AM QUITE SATISFIED," HE SAID, "THAT THE FEELING OF THE UNITED STATES FOR AUSTRALIA IS AS DEEP AS ANYTHING COULD BE, AND THIS IS WARMLY RECIPROCATED BY US."
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KX FOR FRISCO
NEW YORK, AUG.7-(AP)-THE NEW YORK TIMES CONDEMNED SOVIET DELEGATE JACOB MALIK FOR CHARGING BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL THAT THE UNITED STATES HAD COMMITTED "AGGRESSION" IN THE PHILIPPINES.
A TIMES EDITORIAL TERMED THE CHARGE A "MONSTROUS FALSIFICATION."
THE TIMES SAID:
"WHAT IS MOST IMPORTANT, AND DOUBTLESS MOST DISAGREEABLE TO MR. MALIK, IS THAT IN FIFTY YEARS' ASSOCIATION WITH THE UNITED STATES THE FILIPINOS HAVE DEVELOPED A ROBUST DEMOCRACY. THEY ARE TRULY SELF-GOVERNING AND SET A HIGH STORE UPON THEIR POLITICAL AND INDIVIDUAL

LIBERTY. THEY HAVE FOUGHT FOR IT VALIANTLY AND HAVE MADE IT PLAIN THAT THEY ARE READY TO DO SO AGAIN.

"THIS, THEN, IS WHAT ADDS UP TO 'AGGRESSION' IN THE WEIRD FARRAGO OF THE SOVIET VOCABULARY."

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EDITORS:

U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE HAS SCHEDULED A NEWS CONFERENCE 1 11 A.M. EST. THIS PROBABLY WILL PROVIDE MATERIAL FOR A NEW TOP ON THE EARLY STORY FROM LAKE SUCCESS (A28).

THE KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP, UPCOMING SHORTLY FROM TOKYO, WILL BE SUPPLMENTED BY A SEPARATE ON AERIAL OPERATIONS.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE KOREAN WAR COVERAGE, ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO RUSSELL BRINES' TOKYO INTERPRETIVE ON THE NEW ALLIED DEFENSE LINE ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER, WHICH MOVED AS A30-31 IN THE SUNDAY NIGHT REPORT.

ATTENTION ALSO IS DIRECTED TO WES GALLAGHER'S FRANKFURT BYLINER IN THE SUNDAY NIGHT REPORT (A21-22) REFLECTING THE VIEW OF WESTERN MILITARY MEN THAT EUROPE CANNOT BE DEFENDED AGAINST RUSSIA UNLESS WESTERN GERMANY IS RE-ARMED.

WE PLAN TO MOVE WHEN WIRE CONDITIONS PERMIT A 900-WORD ADVANCE FOR PMS OF MONDAY, AUG. 14, SUMMARIZING A GOVERNMENT REPORT TELLING CIVILIANS WHAT TO DO IN EVENT OF AN ATOMIC ATTACK.

THE FOLLOWING ARE ON FILE:

WASHINGTON--SENATORS BRIDGES AND BYRD SUGGEST CHANGES IN MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SETUP (380).

SAN FRANCISCO--BRIDGES, BRANDED LOYAL TO COMMUNISTS, SEEKS RELEASE FROM JAIL TODAY ON HABEAS CORPUS WRIT (200).

SACRAMENTO--JAMES ROOSEVELT URGES "SHADOW CITIES" TO ACCOMMODATE REFUGEES IN EVENT OF ATOMIC ATTACK (200).

THERE ALSO WILL BE A TOKYO STORY ON W.AVERELL HARRIMAN'S CONSULTATIONS WITH GEN.MACARTHUR.

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NIGHT LEAD U.N.

BY FRANCIS W. CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.8-(AP)-U.N. SRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID TODAY THE 59-NATION GENERAL ASSEMBLY COULD BE CALLED INTO EXTRAORDINARY SESSION ON 24 HOURS NOTICE IN EVENT OF ANY NEW AGGRESSION. HE SAID HE WOULD NOT HESITATE TO CALL SUCH A MEETING IF HE CONSIDERED IT NECESSARY.

AT THE SAME TIME, IT WAS DISCLOSED THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC HAS PUT THE QUESTION OF RANCO SPAIN ON THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF THE FIFTH REGULAR SESSION OPENING SEPT.19. THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC WANTS TO REMOVE THE BAN AGAINST SENDING AMBASSADORS AND CHIEFS OF MISSION TO MADRID. THIS BAN WAS VOTED IN DECEMBER, 1946.

LIE INDICATED AT HIS WEEKLY NEWS CONFERENCE THAT NEW AGGRESSION ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD WOULD BE SUFFICIENT REASON TO CONVENE THE ASSEMBLY, PROVIDED THE SECURITY COUNCIL COULD NOT ACT. SOME DELEGATES HAVE SUGGESTED THE ASSEMBLY MEET IF SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A. MALIK OBSTRUCTS THE COUNCIL BY USING THE VETO. BUT LIE DID NOT MENTION THAT POINT. HE SAID MERELY IT IS PREMATURE TO TALK ABOUT RESULTS GAINED BY MALIK'S RETURN TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL A WEEK AGO.

THE COUNCIL WILL MEET TOMORROW AT 2 P.M. (E.S.T.) TO CONTINUE DEBATE ON WHETHER TO INVITE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA TO THE COUNCIL TABLE FOR DISCUSSIONS ON THE KOREAN WAR. THE MAJORITY OF THE COUNCIL IS AGAINST SUCH AN INVITATION AND MALIK HAS MADE IT CLEAR HE WILL VETO AN INVITATION TO AMBASSADOR JOHN M. CHANG, OF THE U.N.-SPONSORED SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC.

SOME DELEGATES HAVE EXPRESSED FEAR THAT MALIK CAME BACK TO VETO ACTION IN CASE OF SOME NEW AGGRESSION BY A COMMUNIST SATELLITE. IN THAT CASE, DELEGATES SAY, IT WOULD BE NECESSARY TO GO TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY PROMPTLY FOR COLLECTIVE U.N. ACTION.

LIE WAS ASKED IF IT STILL WOULD BE NECESSARY TO WAIT 14 DAYS BETWEEN THE TIME OF THE CALL AND A SPECIAL SESSION, AS PROVIDED NOW IN THE ASSEMBLY RULES.

"THERE IS A POSSIBILITY THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CAN BE CALLED IN 24 HOURS IF NECESSARY," LIE REPLIED. "THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS MASTER OF ITS OWN RULES. IF I AS SECRETARY-GENERAL FELT IT NECESSARY, I WOULD NOT HESITATE TO CALL THEM (THE DELEGATES). A SIMPLE MAJORITY WOULD BE SUFFICIENT TO MAKE IT A LEGAL ASSEMBLY."

LIE WAS ASKED WHY THE U.N. DOES NOT BRAND THE SOVIET UNION AS THE AGGRESSOR IN SOUTH KOREA, AND IF HE STILL STOOD BY HIS PREVIOUS STATEMENT, AFTER HIS RETURN FROM MOSCOW LAST SPRING, THAT SOVIET LEADERS WANT PEACE.

"I REALLY THINK STILL THAT THE SOVIET UNION WANTS PEACE," LIE SAID. "I WILL NOT GO FURTHER INTO DETAILS ON CONDITIONS. I STILL BELIEVE ALL LEADERS OF THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD TODAY WANT PEACE. AS FOR AGGRESSION AGAINST THE KOREAN REPUBLIC, MY INFORMATION IS THAT THE KOREAN REPUBLIC WAS ATTACKED BY NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS."

A REPORTER REMINDED LIE THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE USED SOVIET TANKS AND OTHER WEAPONS. LIE SAID THE U.N. DOES NOT KNOW WHEN THESE WERE DELIVERED TO THE NORTH KOREANS AND THIS WOULD BE A POINT FOR THE U.N. COMMISSION ON KOREA TO INVESTIGATE.

THE KOREAN COMMISSION IS FUNCTIONING IN SOUTH KOREA. IT NEVER HAS BEEN ABLE TO GO TO NORTH KOREA.

LIE WAS ASKED WHETHER THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES WOULD STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL OR GO ON INTO NORTH KOREA. HE SAID THAT WOULD BE UP TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO DECIDE.

OTHER POINTS IN LIE'S CONFERENCE:

1. THE QUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION IN THE U.N. AND THE KOREAN WAR ARE SEPARATE, WITH THE WAR TAKING PRIORITY.

2. FORTY-ONE OUT OF 52 NATIONS TO WHICH LIE SENT AN APPEAL FOR AID ON JULY 14 HAVE REPLIED. THERE ARE SEVERAL OFFERS OF TROOP ASSISTANCE, ALREADY MADE PUBLIC, AND OFFERS OF ECONOMIC AID ARE IMPORTANT TOO.

3. THE SECRETARIAT HAS NOT BEEN ASKED TO PREPARE PLANS FOR KOREA AFTER THE FIGHTING ENDS. THAT WILL BE UP TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

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FIRST LEAD U.N. (160)

BY FRANCES W. CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 7-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE SAID TODAY THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY COULD MEET ON 24 HOURS NOTICE IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY SUCH AS A NEW AGGRESSION.

THE SECRETARY GENERAL TOLD A WEEKLY NEWS CONFERENCE HE WOULD NOT HESITATE TO CALL THE 59-NATION ASSEMBLY AT SUCH TIME.

HE SAID THE PRESENT RULES PROVIDE FOR A 14-DAY PERIOD OF NOTICE TO THE ASSEMBLY MEMBERS, BUT THAT HE BELIEVED HE HAD THE AUTHORITY TO SET ASIDE THE RULES IN AN EMERGENCY.

SOME DELEGATES HAVE SUGGESTED THE ASSEMBLY MEET IN SPECIAL SESSION IF THE SOVIET UNION TIES UP THE SECURITY COUNCIL BY USING ITS VETO POWERS.

SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A. MALIK, PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL THIS MONTH, THREATENED LAST WEEK TO USE THE VETO IF THE COUNCIL REFUSED TO INVITE THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS TO TAKE PART IN DEBATE ON THE KOREAN WAR. HE CANNOT USE THE VETO, HOWEVER, TO HALT U.N. MILITARY DECISIONS ALREADY TAKEN.

EARLIER, LIE SAID A BOLD AND ENLIGHTENED ACT OF STATESMANSHIP IS NEEDED TO REVIVE NEGOTIATIONS ON WORLD PROBLEMS AND TO HALT FURTHER

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DETERIORATION TOWARD A THIRD WORLD WAR.
HE GAVE THESE VIEWS IN HIS 143-PAGE ANNUAL REPORT TO THE ASSEMBLY WHICH MEETS IN REGULAR SESSION AT FLUSHING MEADOWS, NEW YORK CITY, SEPT. 19.

LIE WAS ASKED ABOUT DEMANDS IN SOME QUARTERS THAT THE U.N. DECLARE THE SOVIET UNION THE AGGRESSOR IN THE KOREAN WAR.
"I REALLY THINK STILL THAT THE SOVIET UNION WANTS PEACE," LIE REPLIED. "I WILL NOT GO FURTHER INTO DETAILS ON CONDITIONS. I STILL BELIEVE ALL LEADERS OF THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD TODAY WANT PEACE. AS FOR AGGRESSION AGAINST THE KOREAN REPUBLIC, MY INFORMATION IS THAT THE KOREAN REPUBLIC WAS ATTACKED BY NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS."
LIE WAS ASKED ABOUT THE USE OF SOVIET MATERIAL BY THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS. HE REPLIED THAT THE U.N. DOES NOT KNOW WHEN IT WAS DELIVERED TO THE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND THAT IS A POINT FOR THE U.N. COMMISSION ON KOREA TO INVESTIGATE.
LIE REPEATED STATEMENTS THAT THE KOREAN WAR HAS PRIORITY OVER ALL OTHER PROBLEMS. HE RECALLED THAT HE SAID ONCE BEFORE THE FIRST ROUND IN HIS EFFORTS TO SETTLE THE EAST-WEST PROBLEM WAS A VICTORY FOR HIS ATTEMPTS TO CONTACT GOVERNMENTS. HE SAID THE SECOND ROUND WAS INTERRUPTED BY THE KOREAN WAR AND THAT THE U.N. NOW HAS FIRST TO SETTLE THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
LIE WAS ASKED ABOUT THE QUESTION OF CHINESE REPRESENTATION, WHICH THE SOVIET UNION HAS ATTEMPTED TO LINK TO THE KOREAN WAR. HE SAID THE CHINESE QUESTION CAN BE SETTLED SEPARATELY BUT NOT AS A CONDITION. HE THUS RULED OUT AS FAR AS HE IS CONCERNED ANY MOVE TO MAKE THE CHINESE SETTLEMENT A CONDITION OF THE KOREAN PEACE.
ASKED WHETHER THE RETURN OF MALIK TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL WOULD BE FOR THE BETTER, LIE SAID HE LIKED TO THINK THAT IT WOULD BE BUT THAT IT IS PREMATURE TO SAY ANYTHING ABOUT RESULTS TO BE GAINED.
LIE OPENED HIS CONFERENCE WITH A STATEMENT ON ASSISTANCE OFFERED IN RESPONSE TO HIS PLEA OF JULY 14 TO 52 U.N. MEMBERS. HE SAID HE HAD RECEIVED REPLIES FROM 41 COUNTRIES AND THAT THE OFFER OF FORCES IS INCREASING. HE ALSO CALLED ATTENTION TO OFFERS OF ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE AND SAID THEY ARE IMPORTANT.
LIE WAS ASKED IF A LETTER FROM MALIK ASKING FOR FASTER TRANSLATION INTO RUSSIAN OF DOCUMENTS FOR THE COMING GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEANT THE RUSSIANS WOULD ATTEND THE ASSEMBLY. HE SAID IT MIGHT BE AN INDICATION BUT ADDED THAT FRENCH AND SPANISH TRANSLATIONS ALSO ARE BEING REQUESTED BY DELEGATES USING THOSE LANGUAGES AND OBSERVED IT SEEMED EVERYONE WANTED FASTER DOCUMENTS.

IN THE REPORT, WRITTEN JULY 12, LIE SAID THERE WAS NO WAY OF FORESEEING THE OUTCOME OF THE WAR IN KOREA. HE SAID THE BREACH OF PEACE IN KOREA INTERRUPTED HIS EFFORTS TO GET HIGH-LEVEL OFFICIALS OF THE BIG POWERS TO RESUME NEGOTIATIONS.

NEED FOR NEGOTIATIONS, HOWEVER, WILL BE GREATER THAN EVER "WHEN UNITED NATIONS ACTION HAS SUCCEEDED IN RESTORING PEACE TO KOREA," LIE WROTE.

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"I DO NOT BELIEVE THAT MEMBER STATES ADHERING TO THE CHARTER CAN EVER ACCEPT THE DOCTRINE OF IRRECONCILABLE AND IRREVOCABLE DIVISION OF THE WORLD INTO WARRING CAMPS, NOT SO LONG AS THE LEAST POSSIBILITY EXISTS OF PREVENTING A THIRD WORLD WAR BY PEACEFUL SETTLEMENTS BASED ON THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER.

SETTLEMENTS BASED ON THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER.

"BUT I ALSO BELIEVE IT WILL TAKE NOTHING LESS THAN A BOLD AND ENLIGHTENED ACT OF STATESMANSHIP TO BRING ABOUT A RESUMPTION OF NEGOTIATIONS AND TO HALT FURTHER DETERIORATION TOWARDS ANOTHER WORLD WAR."

THE REPORT TERMED A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION TO THE U.N. MILITARY ACTION IN KOREA "FIRST PRIORITY" FOR MEMBER NATIONS BUT ADDED:

"THIS DOES NOT MEAN, HOWEVER, THAT EITHER THE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS, OR I AS SECRETARY-GENERAL, SHOULD ABANDON EFFORTS FOR PEACE BY NEGOTIATION, CONCILIATION AND MEDIATION."

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LIE'S REPORT WAS DISTRIBUTED AMONG THE 59 MEMBER DELEGATIONS AS THE SECURITY COUNCIL PREPARED TO TAKE UP AGAIN TOMORROW (2 P.M. EST) THE SOVIET UNION'S DEMAND TO SEAT COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA AND RED CHINA AT THE COUNCIL TABLE DURING DEBATE ON THE KOREAN ISSUE.

AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN SAID SATURDAY THAT THIS WOULD BE LIKE INVITING TO TEA A MAN WHO HAS BURNED DOWN YOUR FRONT PORCH. HE SAID THE UNITED STATES WOULD OPPOSE THE RUSSIAN MOVE.

SHORTLY AFTER HIS REPORT WAS MADE PUBLIC YESTERDAY, LIE SAID IN A RADIO BROADCAST THAT THE KOREAN CRISIS HAS BROUGHT WITH IT THE MOST SERIOUS DANGER TO PEACE SINCE THE U.N. WAS FOUNDED IN 1945. HE SAID NORTH KOREAN FORCES HAD MADE A WELL-PREPARED ATTACK ON THE U.N.-BACKED REPUBLIC OF KOREA, AND THAT ALL MEMBER GOVERNMENTS HAVE A DUTY TO BRING

THE U.N. ACTION IN KOREA TO A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION.

HIGH POINTS IN LIE'S REPORT WERE:

1. THE BEST APPROACH TO A SOLUTION OF OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS WOULD BE A MEETING OF TOP-RANKING OFFICIALS OF THE BIG POWERS.

2. CHINA'S SEAT IN THE U.N. SHOULD BE GIVEN TO THE GOVERNMENT WHICH ACTUALLY CONTROLS MOST OF CHINA, IN EFFECT, TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SINCE THEY CONTROL THE MAINLAND.

3. WITH SUCH A NEED FOR MANKIND TO POOL RESOURCES FOR HIGHER STANDARDS OF LIFE AND GREATER SOCIAL PROGRAMS, IT WOULD BE TRAGIC FOR POLITICAL STRIFE TO DESTROY THE GROUNDWORK LAID BY THE U.N. IN ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL FIELDS.

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4. EVERY REASONABLE STEP SHOULD BE TAKEN TO ENABLE ALL NATIONS OF THE WORLD TO BELONG TO THE U.N. FOURTEEN COUNTRIES NOW ARE SEEKING ADMISSION. THE SOVIET UNION HAS VETOED NINE OF THEM.

5. U.N. SPECIALIZED AGENCIES HAVE DEMONSTRATED POTENTIALITIES FOR PROMOTING PEACE AND PROSPERITY BUT THESE POTENTIALITIES REMAIN UNREALIZED BECAUSE OF NON-PARTICIPATION BY SOME COUNTRIES AND THE SMALL AMOUNT OF AID GIVEN BY MOST PARTICIPATING GOVERNMENTS.

6. THE EXPANDED U.N. PROGRAM OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IS A GOOD BEGINNING BUT ONLY A BEGINNING. A VAST PROGRAM OF SELF-HELP AND MUTUAL AID IS NEEDED.

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U.N.--KOREAN

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 7-(AP)-MICHAEL STRAIGHT, NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF THE AMERICAN VETERANS COMMITTEE (AVC), URGED THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY TO CREATE A U.N. VOLUNTEER MILITARY FORCE.

STRAIGHT PRESENTED TO SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE A COPY OF A RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE NATIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE OF THE AVC, OFFERING TO AID IN RECRUITING SUCH A FORCE.

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U.N.--FRANCO

BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE ISSUE OF FRANCO SPAIN WAS ASSURED OF ANOTHER AIRING IN THE UNITSD NATIONS ASSEMBLY WHEN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC ASKED TODAY FOR INCLUSION OF THE QUESTION ON THE AGENDA.

THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC IS ONE OF THE COUNTRIES WHICH ALREADY HAS DENOUNCED THE U.N.'S DECISION BANNING TOP-RANKING DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATION OF MEMBER NATIONS WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF FRANCISCO FRANCO.

THIS DECISION WAS TAKEN BY THE ASSEMBLY IN 1946. SINCE THEN THERE HAS BEEN GROWING SENTIMENT AMONG THE 59 U.N. COUNTRIES TO SCUTTLE THE BAN AND OPEN THE WAY FOR NORMAL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE FRANCO REGIME.

THE UNITED STATES ANNOUNCED SOME TIME AGO THAT IT WOULD VOTE FOR SUCH A PROPOSAL IF ANY OTHER COUNTRY LAID ONE BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY THIS YEAR. IT HAD BEEN EXPECTED THAT ANY ONE OF SEVERAL LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES WOULD BRING THE ISSUE BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY.

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PHILADELPHIA, AUG 7-(AP)-A FINNISH FREIGHTER, SEARCHED BY U.S. CUSTOMS AGENTS TO GUARD AGAINST PORT SABOTAGE, TODAY WAS ORDERED UNEXPECTEDLY TO UNLOAD ITS CARGO AT AN ANCHORAGE 55 MILES BELOW PHILADELPHIA.

COLLECTOR OF THE PORT MICHAEL J.BRADLEY DIRECTED THE FREIGHTER HAMINA BE UNLOADED OFF BOMBAY HOOK POINT, 30 MILES DOWN THE DELAWARE RIVER FROM WILMINGTON, DEL.

THE SHIP'S CARGO OF WOOD PULP WILL BE PLACED ABOARD LIGHTERS FOR TRANSHIPMENT TO PHILADELPHIA PIERS, BRADLEY SAID.

THE PORT COLLECTOR TOLD NEWSMEN HE REGARDED THE ACTION "ADVISABLE" BUT DECLINED TO DISCLOSE WHETHER THE SEARCH OF THE VESSEL TURNED UP ANYTHING SUSPICIOUS.

THE HAMINA WAS THE FIRST SHIP TO DOCK AT PHILADELPHIA TO UNDERGO A SEARCH UNDER GOVERNMENT ORDERS TO CHECK ALL VESSELS FROM RUSSIA AND OTHER NATIONS BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN.

THE VESSEL IS OPERATED BY FINNLINES. IT HAS BEEN BRINGING WOOD PULP CARGO TO U.S. PORTS FOR THE PAST SEVERAL YEARS.

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BALTIMORE, AUG.7-(AP)-GOVERNOR LANE ORDERED THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND TODAY TO BAN A SCHEDULED DEBATE ON ITS COLLEGE PARK CAMPUS WHEN HE LEARNED THAT PHILIP FRANKFELD, CHAIRMAN OF THE MARYLAND-DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COMMUNIST PARTY, WAS LISTED AS A SPEAKER.

HE SAID IN A STATEMENT:

"WITH AMERICANS BEING SHOT DOWN ON THE BATTLEFIELDS OF KOREA IN DEFENSE OF OUR WAY OF LIFE AGAINST THE INSIDIOUS FORCES OF COMMUNISM, I CANNOT AND WILL NOT PERMIT THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THIS MALEVOLENT CONSPIRACY THE FREEDOM OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND CAMPUS."

THE DEBATE HAD BEEN ARRANGED FOR TOMORROW NIGHT. A SPOKESMAN IN THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE SAID THAT S.C.SCHWARTZ, AN AUSTRALIAN ANTI-COMMUNIST, WAS TO HAVE BEEN FRANKFELD'S OPPONENT IN THE DEBATE.

THE SUBJECT WAS TO HAVE BEEN "IS COMMUNISM A FRIEND OF AMERICA?"

"I AM NOT NOW, AND NEVER HAVE BEEN AN ADVOCATE OF THE ABRIDGEMENT

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OF FREEDOM OF SPEECH," THE GOVERNOR SAID, ADDING:
"THERE IS NO OBLIGATION, HOWEVER, ON THE STATE OF MARYLAND OR ANY OF ITS AGENCIES TO PROVIDE THE FORUM FOR THE EXPOSITION OF THE TOTALITARIAN DOCTRINE OF COMMUNISM. X X X X"
THE DEBATE WAS TO HAVE BEEN SPONSORED BY A WASHINGTON CHURCH GROUP.

SCHWARTZ SAID IN A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW FROM BEACH HAVEN,N.J., THAT HE THOUGHT THE ACTION WAS "VERY FOOLISH."
HE SAID HE COULD HAVE ANSWERED FRANKFELD'S ARGUMENTS EASILY -- COULD HAVE "WIPED UP THE FLOOR WITH HIM."
THE AUSTRALIAN LECTURER SAID THE DEBATE WOULD HAVE LAID BARE "THE STUPIDITY AND WEAKNESS OF THE COMMUNIST PROGRAM."
FRANKFELD TOLD NEWSMEN HE HAD NOT BEEN INFORMED OFFICIALLY THAT THE DEBATE COULD NOT BE HELD ON THE MARYLAND CAMPUS.
"TODAY," HE SAID, "WHEN THE WORLD IS FACED WITH A CRISIS; WHEN THE GREATEST DANGER OF THE WORLD ATOMIC WAR HANGS OVER OUR HEADS, DEBATE AND PUBLIC DISCUSSION OF ISSUES AND IDEAS ARE AS IMPERATIVE AS THE AIR WE BREATHE.
"WITHOUT FREE DISCUSSION, WE WILL STAGNATE AND DECAY. WHAT IS NEEDED TODAY IS MORE LIGHT AND LESS HEAT GENERATED BY BIGOTS."

IN WASHINGTON THE REV.KENNETH WOODRING, ACTING CHAIRMAN OF THE WASHINGTON COUNCIL OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES, SAID HE WILL TRY TO PERSUADE GOVERNOR LANE TOMORROW AT LEAST TO PERMIT SCHWARTZ TO GIVE HIS LECTURE "EXPOSING COMMUNISM."
REV.WOODRING TOLD A REPORTER THAT SCHWARTZ IS ON A TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES AND "HAS SPOKEN IN MANY PLACES TO EXPOSE THE TECHNIQUES, AIMS AND PROGRAMS OF COMMUNISM."
HE SAID SCHWARTZ SPOKE IN WASHINGTON RECENTLY UNDER AUSPICES OF THE CHRISTIAN BUSINESS MEN'S GROUP AND SUBSEQUENTLY WAS CHALLENGED BY COMMUNIST GROUPS TO A DEBATE.
"WE THOUGHT IT WOULDBE A GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR PEOPLE IN THIS AREA TO BE INFORMED," WOODRING SAID.
HE SAID HE UNDERSTOOD A GROUP OF WOMEN, MISUNDERSTANDING THE PURPOSE OF THE DEBATE, HAD PROTESTED TO THE GOVERNOR.
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(150) GUAM-KOREAN
WASHINGTON,AUG.7-(AP)-GOVERNOR CARLTON SKINNER OF GUAM SAID TODAY SEVERAL HUNDRED YOUNG GUAMANIANS WANT TO HELP FIGHT THE REDS IN KOREA.

SKINNER TOLD A REPORTER THAT JUST BEFORE HE LEFT GUAM LAST WEEK THE ISLAND LEGISLATURE VOTED TO ASK PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO LET GUAMANIANS ENLIST.
UNDER CURRENT REGULATIONS, SKINNER SAID, THE NAVY WILL NOT ACCEPT GUAMANIANS AS VOLUNTEERS.
THE ARMY AND AIR FORCE WILL TAKE THEM IN THE UNITED STATES BUT NOT IN GUAM, HE ADDED.
SKINNER SAID THAT IF PRESIDENT TRUMAN ORDERS THE ARMED FORCES REGULATIONS CHANGED, SEVERAL HUNDRED GUAMANIANS PROBABLY WILL VOLUNTEER.
THE GUAM GOVERNOR FLEW TO WASHINGTON AT THE REQUEST OF SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR CHAPMAN, HE SAID, FOR CONFERENCES HAVING TO DO WITH THE AUG. 1 TRANSFER OF GUAM FROM NAVY TO INTERIOR DEPARTMENT CONTROL.
ALSO TO BE DISCUSSED DURING HIS WEEK-LONG VISIT WILL BE THE DETAILS OF THE ORGANIC ACT SIGNED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN LAST WEEK TO GIVE GUAM FULL SELF GOVERNMENT AFTER 50 YEARS OF MILITARY RULE.
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KOREA-MILITARY (240)
WASHINGTON, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT CAUTIONED TODAY AGAINST CONSIDERING THE DAY'S FRONT-LINE DEVELOPMENTS IN KOREA AS THE OPENING OF ANY GENERAL AMERICAN OFFENSIVE.
"PROBABLY WHAT IS GOING ON NOW SHOULD BE CALLED OFFENSIVE ACTION RATHER THAN A GENERAL OFFENSIVE," BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID.
"WE DO NOT THINK THE TIME HAS ARRIVED YET FOR U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES TO ROLL THE ENEMY BACK ALL ALONG THE LINE."
THE OFFICERS SAID AMERICAN ABILITY TO STAGE FORAYS BEHIND THE RED LINES IS "A VERY HEALTHY SIGN."
"WE ARE GOING TO STAY IN SOUTH KOREA AND HOLD OUR BEACHHEAD THERE, AND BREAK OUT OF IT WHEN WE HAVE THE MEANS TO DO IT," THEY ADDED.
BRIEFING OFFICERS NOTED THAT THE UNITED NATIONS HAS ACHIEVED DOMINATION OF BOTH THE AIR AND THE SEA IN THE KOREAN THEATER AND THAT THE BUILD-UP OF TROOPS AND EQUIPMENT IS PROCEEDING WITHOUT INTERRUPTION FROM THE ENEMY.
THEY TOOK NOTE OF AN INCREASE IN ALLIED ATTACKS ON ENEMY BARGES, BOATS AND SMALL SHIPS.
"OBVIOUSLY, THE REDS ARE TRYING TO USE ANY AND EVERY MEANS TO GET THEIR MEN AND SUPPLIES TO THE FRONT," OFFICERS COMMENTED.
THEY PARTICULARILY NOTED CARRIER PLANE STRIKES ON TROOP MOVEMENTS BETWEEN SEOUL AND INCHON. THE ROAD WESTWARD FROM SEOUL LEADS ONLY TO THE PORT, SIGNIFYING TO MILITARY SPOKESMEN THAT THE REDS ARE STEPPING UP THEIR EFFORTS TO "SNEAK SMALL BOATS AROUND THE ISLANDS" THAT DOT THE WEST COAST OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA.
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FIRST LEAD MARINE RESERVES
WASHINGTON,AUG 7-(AP)-THE MARINE CORPS IS MOBILIZING NEARLY ALL ITS AVAILABLE MANPOWER.
AN ANNOUNCEMENT TODAY THAT IT WILL PUT ITS 80,000 VOLUNTEER RESERVES IN UNIFORM TAPPED THE LAST BIG RESERVOIR. THIS WILL BOOST THE STRENGTH OF THE FIGHTING MARINES TO AROUND 200,000.
A MARINE SPOKESMAN SAID THE INITIAL CALL IS GOING OUT TO APPROXIMATELY 30,000 OFFICERS AND MEN WHO WILL REPORT FOR ACTIVE DUTY BETWEEN AUG. 15 AND OCT. 31.
THE MARINE CORPS SAID THAT IT ALSO IS CALLING UP ADDITIONAL ORGANIZED UNITS OF ITS AIR RESERVE. SOME AIR RESERVE UNITS WERE SUMMONED TO ACTIVE DUTY ABOUT THREE WEEKS AGO.
THE CORPS ALREADY HAS CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY ALL ITS ORGANIZED GROUND RESERVE UNITS.

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A MARINE SPOKESMAN SAID NO DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR THE CALL TO APPROXIMATELY 30,000 VOLUNTEER RESERVES WHO WILL NOT BE INCLUDED IN THE FIRST SUMMONS.

MOBILIZATION OF THE VOLUNTEER RESERVES WILL BRING THE STRENGTH OF THE MARINE CORPS TO SOME 200,000.
IN THE VOLUNTEER STATUS ARE MEN--AND SOME WOMEN--WHO ONCE SERVED IN THE MARINES BUT ARE NOT NOW MEMBERS OF ANY ORGANIZED RESERVE UNIT.
MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZED RESERVES ENGAGE IN REGULAR DRILLS AND GET PAID FOR THE TIME THEY PUT IN. THE VOLUNTEER RESERVES GET NO REGULAR

TRAINING AND NO PAY.
MARINE REGULARS NUMBER ABOUT 72,000, AND THE ORGANIZED GROUND RESERVE TOTALS 44,000. MARINE RESERVE ORGANIZED AIR UNITS INCLUDE 6,685 OFFICERS AND MEN.
THE COAST GUARD MEANWHILE STARTED A CAMPAIGN TO REENLIST FORMER GUARDSMEN AND RESERVISTS, WOMEN INCLUDED, IN ITS VOLUNTEER RESERVE.
COAST GUARD OFFICIALS SAID THOSE GOING INTO THE RESERVES WILL NOT BE CALLED TO FULL-TIME ACTIVE DUTY UNLESS THEY CONSENT.
BUT LATER ON THEY MIGHT BE GIVEN SOME ACTIVE DUTY TRAINING, PERHAPS A WEEK OR TWO, WITH PAY. FOR THE FIRST TIME, THE COAST GUARD SAID, IT HAS SOME MONEY FOR ITS RESERVE--$1,000,000 (M) EARMARKED FROM THIS YEAR'S APPROPRIATION.
FORMER GUARDSMEN AND RESERVISTS, BETWEEN 17 AND 45, MAY REENLIST AT THE RATINGS, OR COMPARABLE RATINGS, THEY HELD AT THE TIME OF DISCHARGE.

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(300) NIGHT LEAD CASUALTIES

WASHINGTON, AUG. 7-(AP)-A COMPILTATION OF PUBLICLY-ANNOUNCED KOREAN WAR CASUALTIES TODAY DISCLOSED 2,668 AMERICANS KILLED, WOUNDED OR MISSING IN ACTION. THE TOTAL COVERS ONLY CASUALTIES REPORTED TO FAMILIES AND RELEASED FOR PUBLICATION THROUGH AUG. 6.
OF THAT NUMBER, 168 WERE LISTED AS KILLED.
THE TOTAL DOES NOT COVER ALL CASUALTIES OF THE WAR. THERE ARE AN UNSTATED NUMBER AWAITING RELEASE FOR PUBLICATION AFTER FAMILIES OF THE SERVICEMEN ARE NOTIFIED, AS WELL AS THOSE AWAITING POSITIVE VERIFICATION.
ANY ARMY OFFICIAL TOLD REPORTERS THERE HAS BEEN AN APPRECIABLE TIME LAG IN REPORTING CASUALTIES BECAUSE OF THE RAPID CHANGES IN FIGHTING CONDITIONS. BUT, HE PREDICTED THIS LAG WILL DECREASE NOW THAT THE FRONT IN KOREA IS "MORE OR LESS STABILIZED."
BECAUSE IT HAS A FAR LARGER NUMBER OF PERSONNEL INVOLVED, THE ARMY CASUALTIES HAVE BEEN MUCH GREATER THAN FOR THE OTHER SERVICES, WHICH HAVE BEEN RELATIVELY LIGHT.
A BREAKDOWN OF THE 2668 CASUALTIES FOR THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED THROUGH AUG. 6 SHOWS: KILLED 168, WOUNDED 1,592, MISSING IN ACTION 908. BY SERVICES A BREAKDOWN DISCLOSES:
ARMY--TOTAL CASUALTIES 2,616; KILLED 153, WOUNDED 1,590, MISSING IN ACTION 873;
AIR FORCE--TOTAL CASUALTIES 50; KILLED 14, WOUNDED NONE, MISSING 34.
NAVY--TOTAL CASUALTIES 2; KILLED 1, WOUNDED NONE, MISSING 1.
ALL OF THE SERVICES SAID THEY ALWAYS WAIT TO INFORM FAMILIES UNTIL THEY ARE "POSITIVE." AN ARMY SPOKESMAN ADDED THAT "WE FEEL VERY STRONGLY ABOUT CASUALTY REPORTS BECAUSE THIS IS SO CLOSE TO THE HEARTS OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."
DISCUSSION OF THE CASUALTY COUNT CAME UP AT THE DAILY BRIEFING OF REPORTERS ON THE MILITARY SITUATION BECAUSE OF A REPORT BY COLUMNIST DREW PEARSON THAT THE CASUALTY TOTAL TO AUG. 1 WAS 660 KILLED, 2,975 WOUNDED AND 3,000 "ACTUALLY MISSING IN ACTION."
PEARSON SAID HE HAD SEEN "THE SECRET CASUALTY LIST KEPT BY THE ARMY SURGEON GENERAL'S OFFICE."
ANY ARMY OFFICIAL SAID PEARSON'S TOTALS "DO NOT AGREE WITH CASUALTY LISTS I HAVE SEEN." HE SAID THE ARMY'S ADJUTANT GENERAL HANDLES CASUALTY REPORTS.

PEARSON ISSUED A STATEMENT TONIGHT SAYING THE FIGURES PUBLISHED IN HIS COLUMN CORRESPONDED TO FIGURES GIVEN IN TESTIMONY TO THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE BY MAJ.GEN.G.E.ARMSTRONG, DEPUTY SURGEON GENERAL OF THE ARMY. PEARSON IMPLIED THEY COVERED THE SAME PERIOD.
HE SAID ARMSTRONG GAVE THEM TO THE SENATORS BEHIND CLOSED DOORS AUG. 2 IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION.
ARMSTRONG SAID HE HAD NO COMMENT CONCERNING PEARSON'S STATEMENT OR HIS OWN TESTIMONY.

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FIRST LEAD CASUALTIES

WASHINGTON, AUG. 7-(AP)-THE ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT ITS KOREAN WAR CASUALTIES REPORTED TO FAMILIES AND RELEASED FOR PUBLICATION THROUGH AUGUST 6 TOTALED 2,616.
THERE ARE ADDITIONAL CASUALTY LISTS, AWAITING RELEASE AFTER NOTIFICATION OF FAMILIES.
TODAY'S TOTAL COVERED ONLY ARMY PERSONNEL. LOSSES WITH OTHER SERVICES HAVE BEEN RELATIVELY LIGHT.
THE BREAKDOWN OF THOSE CASUALTIES RELEASED FOR USE SHOWS 153 KILLED, 1,590 WOUNDED AND 873 MISSING, SPOKESMEN SAID.

"THE ARMY FEELS VERY STRONGLY ABOUT CASUALTY REPORTS," THE SPOKESMAN SAID, "BECAUSE IT IS SO CLOSE TO THE HEARTS OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."

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IT WAS ADDED THAT THE ARMY ALWAYS WAITS TO INFORM FAMILIES UNTIL "WE ARE POSITIVE." A BRIEFING OFFICER ADDED THAT THE TOTAL FOR MISSING IN ACTION CHANGES FROM DAY TO DAY.
THE TOTAL TODAY, FOR INSTANCE, IS 65 LESS THAN THE NUMBER OF MISSING REPORTED FROM THE FAR EAST YESTERDAY.
THE ARMY SAID IT WAS NOT "TRYING TO HIDE ANYTHING. WE ARE TRYING TO HANDLE CASUALTY NOTIFICATIONS IN A DIGNIFIED AND CONSIDERATE WAY."

AN OFFICER SAID THAT THE TIME LAG IN REPORTING CASUALTIES WILL DECREASE NOW THAT THE FRONT IN KOREA IS "MORE OR LESS STABILIZED."
THE SUBJECT OF THE CASUALTY COUNT CAME UP AT THE BRIEFING BECAUSE OF A REPORT BY COLUMNIST DREW PEARSON THAT THE CASUALTY TOTAL UP TO AUGUST 1 WAS 660 KILLED, 2975 WOUNDED AND 3,000 "ACTUALLY MISSING IN ACTION."
PEARSON WROTE THAT HE HAD SEEN "THE SECRET CASUALTY LIST KEPT BY THE ARMY SURGEON GENERAL'S OFFICE."
THE ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID IN ANSWER TO QUESTIONS, THAT THE TOTALS GIVEN BY PEARSON "DO NOT AGREE WITH CASUALTY LISTS I HAVE SEEN."
REPLYING TO A SPECIFIC QUESTION ABOUT A "SECRET LIST," THE SPOKESMAN ADDED THAT IT IS THE ARMY'S ADJUTANT GENERAL THAT HANDLES CASUALTY REPORTS.

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KOREAN INTERPRETIVE

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BY ELTON C.FAY
ASSOCIATED PRESS MILITARY AFFAIRS REPORTER

WASHINGTON, AUG. 7-(AP)-LACK OF MANPOWER AND, TO SOME DEGREE, TRANSPORTATION APPARENTLY PRECLUDES ANY EARLY, LARGE-SCALE EFFORT TO UPSET THE KOREAN RED ARMY BY AMPHIBIOUS OR AIRBORNE INVASION BEHIND THE LINES.
NEVERTHELESS, MILITARY MEN HERE ARE NOT DISPOSED TO RULE OUT THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE TIME WILL COME FOR USE IN KOREA OF THE SEA-AIR INVASION TECHNIQUE THAT HELPED WIN WORLD WAR II CAMPAIGNS IN BOTH EUROPE AND THE PACIFIC ISLANDS.
NOR DOES IT MEAN THERE WON'T BE MORE FORAYS BY SMALL GROUPS LANDING FROM SHIPS FOR DEMOLITION AND SCOUNTING PURPOSES ALONG THE ENEMY-HELD COASTLINES OF KOREA.

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THE DEPARTURE FROM AMERICAN WEST COAST PORTS OF UNITS OF THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION LED TO A WIDESPREAD EXPECTATION ON THE HOME FRONT THAT A SPECTACULAR LANDING WAS IMMINENT. THE MARINES' REPUTATION AS AMPHIBIOUS LANDING SPECIALISTS PRESUMABLY GAVE RISE TO THE EXPECTATION. INSTEAD, THE BRIGADE LANDED QUIETLY AT A SOUTH KOREAN PORT, THEN MOVED TO THE FRONT TO TAKE UP POSITIONS WITH TROOPS ALREADY IN BATTLE.

WHATEVER THE MILITARY OR PSYCHOLOGICAL VALUE OF PUTTING A BIG FORCE BEHIND THE ENEMY NOW--TO DIVERT SOME OF HIS ATTACK FORCE TO BEACHHEAD DEFENSES--THE ODDS ARE WEIGHTED HEAVILY AGAINST IT.

EVERY MAN WITH A GUN IN THE FAR EAST ZONE SEEMS TO BE NEEDED BADLY TO HOLD THE DEFENSE LINE. THERE ARE NO TROOPS TO SPARE OR WITHDRAW FROM THE FRONT.

BECAUSE THE PACIFIC WAR WAS WAGED ALMOST ENTIRELY BY A SERIES OF AMPHIBIOUS LANDINGS, THERE ARE PRESUMED TO BE A FAIR SUPPLY OF LANDING SHIPS AND CRAFT IN GEN.MACARTHUR'S COMMAND. BUT IT IS DOUBTFUL THAT NUMBERS AND SPECIALIZED TYPES NEEDED FOR A SUBSTANTIAL EFFORT--A DIVISION OR MORE--ARE IMMEDIATELY AT HAND AND READY FOR SERVICE.

ON THE OTHER HAND, THE AMOUNT OF AVAILABLE NAVAL AND AIR UNITS NEEDED TO PROVIDE GUNFIRE AND AIR COVER FOR A LANDING ALREADY IS COMPARATIVELY LARGE.

THE U.S. NAVY, TOGETHER WITH SHIPS OF THE BRITISH FLEET ASSIGNED TO THE KOREAN WAR, DAILY DUMP HUGE TONNAGES OF SHELLFIRE ON ENEMY TARGETS, IN ADDITION TO BOMBS DROPPED BY CARRIER AVIATION. THE AMERICAN NAVAL FORCE ALONE NOW EVIDENTLY NUMBERS SEVERAL SCORE SHIPS RANGING FROM CARRIERS THROUGH CRUISERS TO DESTROYERS AND SUBMARINES.

SOME SPECULATION OVER THE POSSIBLE USE OF AIRBORNE INVASION HAS ARISEN OUT OF THE FACT THE UNITED STATES HAS TWO AIRBORNE DIVISIONS IN THIS COUNTRY, THE 82ND AND THE 11TH. THE 82ND WAS DESCRIBED BEFORE THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR AS FAR NEARER WARTIME STRENGTH AND GENERAL READINESS FOR ACTION THAN ANY OF THE FIVE ARMY DIVISIONS THEN IN THE UNITED STATES.

HOWEVER, HERE THERE IS THE PROBLEM OF TRANSPORTATION. IT TAKES A GREAT FLEET OF PLANES TO MOVE AN AIRBORNE DIVISION OF 12,000 TO 16,000 MEN.

FOR THE ASSAULT PHASE ALONE (THE BUSINESS OF GETTING COMBAT TROOPS TO THE AREA WHERE THEY WILL DROP) IT IS ESTIMATED THAT ABOUT 800 C-82 "FLYING BOXCARS" OR THEIR EQUIVALENT ARE NEEDED. FOR THE ASSAULT PHASE AND THE CONTINUING REQUIREMENT FOR RESUPPLYING THE "AIRHEAD" WITH FOOD, AMMUNITION AND REPLACEMENTS MORE THAN 2,000 PLANES ARE REQUIRED. THE NUMBER OF PLANES ESPECIALLY BUILT FOR AIRBORNE OPERATIONS NOW IN USE BY THE AIR FORCE IS CONSIDERABLY SMALLER THAN THAT TOTAL.

IN ADDITION TO MENACING AN ENEMY FROM THE REAR OF HIS ATTACKING FORCE, ONE OF THE MAJOR VALUES OF AN AMPHIBIOUS OR AIRBORNE INVASION IS TO STOP THE FLOW OF SUPPLIES TO THE ENEMY FRONT (THE MILITARY CALLS IT "INTERDICTION.") AT THIS STAGE, THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES ARE RELYING ON TACTICAL AND STRATEGIC AIR ATTACKS BY BOTH LAND AND CARRIER BASED PLANES TO CARRY OUT THE EFFORT TO CUT SUPPLY LINES.

AMPHIBIOUS EXPERTS LOOK UPON KOREA AS NEITHER TOO GOOD, NOR TOO BAD FOR LANDINGS.

THE WEST COAST HAS SEVERAL LOGICAL AREAS FOR LANDINGS, WITH FLAT COUNTRY AND FAIR BEACHES OR HARBORS. HOWEVER, YELLOW SEA TIDES HAVE WIDE RANGES, ADDING DIFFICULTIES IN TIMING AND SELECTION OF BEACH AREAS FOR GOING ASHORE.

THE EAST COAST TIDAL RANGE IS MUCH MORE MODERATE. BUT THERE THE BEACHES AND REEFS WOULD BE MORE OF A PROBLEM THAN ON WEST. THERE IS AN ANOTHER DISADVANTAGE IN AN EAST COAST LANDING: THE NORTH-SOUTH RIDGE OF MOUNTAINS RISES SHARPLY FROM THE SEA, MEANING THAT AN AMPHIBIOUS INVASION FORCE WOULD BE CONFRONTED WITH NATURAL ENEMY FORTIFICATIONS AND WOULD HAVE TO WORK ITS WAY WESTWARD, LATERALLY, ACROSS THE RIDGE LINES.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 7-(AP)-REP. LEONARD W. HALL (R-NY), CHAIRMAN OF THE REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE, SAID TODAY THE DEMOCRATS, NOT THE REPUBLICANS, ARE TO BLAME FOR THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA.

HALL MADE THE STATEMENT IN A LETTER TO DEMOCRATIC (CORRECT) NOMINEES FOR THE HOUSE AND IN REPLY TO A RECENT LETTER SENT TO THE SAME NOMINEES BY REP. KIRWAN (D-OHIO), CHAIRMAN OF THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE.

HALL SAID HE SENT THE LETTER TO DEMOCRATS IN ORDER TO CORRECT "OUTRIGHT ERRORS OF FACT, PADDED FIGURES, AND DISTORTIONS OF THE ACTUAL RECORD" IN THE DEMOCRATIC LETTER.

KIRWAN HAD CLAIMED THAT "ISOLATIONISTS" IN CONGRESS AND HE SAID MOST OF THE REPUBLICANS BELONGED IN THAT CATEGORY-"MUST SHOULDER THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE COMMUNIST ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREA."

IN SUPPORT OF THAT CLAIM HE CITED ALMOST SOLID OPPOSITION IN THE HOUSE TO A BILL FOR ECONOMIC AID IN KOREA. THE BILL WAS DEFEATED LAST JANUARY BY A ONE-VOTE MARGIN BUT WAS PASSED LATER.

HALL SAID A SPEECH LAST JANUARY 12 BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON "WAS AN OPEN INVITATION FOR THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TO COMPLETE THE CONQUEST OF CHINA BY TAKING FORMOSA AND SOUTH KOREA." IN THAT SPEECH, HE SAID, ACHESON TOLD THE WORLD THAT THE UNITED STATES WOULD NOT INTERVENE IN CHINA, FORMOSA OR KOREA.

HALL SAID THE DEMOCRAT LETTER HAD CLAIMED THAT MORE THAN $310,000,000(M) WAS PROVIDED KOREA IN ARMS AND EQUIPMENT FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES. HALL CALLED THIS A "COMPLETE MISSTATEMENT OF FACT AND AN ERROR AS TO FIGURES." THE ACTUAL MILITARY ASSISTANCE, HE SAID, WAS $57,000,000(M).

HE ACCUSED THE DEMOCRATS OF HAVING PADDED FIGURES ON THE AMOUNT OF ARMS PURCHASED BY KOREA FROM THIS COUNTRY. THE ACTUAL AMOUNT, HE SAID, WAS $253,000 BASED ON OFFICIAL RECORDS BUT THE DEMOCRATS REPRESENTED IT AS $253,000,000.

"IT IS TO BE PRESUMED," HE SAID, "YOU WOULD NOT WANT TO BE A PARTY TO ANY SUCH BALD DECEPTION BY THE DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE TO PROMOTE POLITICAL ENDS."

HALL SAID THE WAR IN KOREA WAS A CULMINATION OF "THE TRAGIC POLICY PURSUED BY THE ADMINISTRATION FOR FIVE YEARS."

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WASHINGTON, AUG.7-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS HAVE RESPONDED VIGOROUSLY TO A UNITED STATES MEMORANDUM ASKING THEM HOW THEY COULD SPEED UP REARMAMENT.

PRESS OFFICER MICHAEL MCDERMOTT SAID REPLIES HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM FRANCE, BELGIUM, DENMARK, THE NETHERLANDS, AND NORWAY.

THE ANSWERS ARE BEING STUDIED AND MCDERMOTT WOULD MAKE NO COMMENT ON THEIR CONTENTS. BUT HE DID TELL REPORTERS:

"THE GOVERNMENT APPRECIATES THE EFFORTS WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES HAVE MADE TO REACH A DECISION PROMPTLY. IT IS FINE THAT THEY MADE THEIR SURVEYS AND DECISIONS SO VIGOROUSLY."

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 7-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN CALLED IN THE ENTIRE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF TODAY TO GIVE HIM A MILITARY BRIEFING.

USUALLY THE DAILY PRESIDENTIAL BRIEFING IS DONE BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS, GEN. OMAR N. BRADLEY.

TODAY, GEN. J.LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, GEN. HOYT S. VANDENBERG, CHIEF OF THE AIR FORCE, AND ADM. FORREST P.SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, ACCOMPANIED BRADLEY TO THE WHITE HOUSE.

THEY BROUGHT ALONG CHARTS AND MATERIAL TO GIVE MR.TRUMAN A "GENERAL SURVEY" OF THE SITUATION, PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY CHARLES G. ROSS TOLD REPORTERS.

ROSS SAID THE PRESIDENT WANTED A MORE THOROUGH BRIEFING THAN USUAL ON THE WHOLE MILITARY SITUATION. HE SAID THE CONFERENCE LASTED ABOUT 30 MINUTES.

MR.TRUMAN WILL MEET WITH CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS TOMORROW. ORDINARILY HE SEES THEM EVERY MONDAY.

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A40WX (SPOT)

(330) INTELLIGENCE-ATOMIC

WASHINGTON, AUG. 7-(AP)-TWO SENATORS WHO CITED EVIDENCE OF WHAT THEY CALLED FAULTY MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SAID TODAY THERE MAY BE A NEED FOR SOME BROAD CHANGES IN THE INTELLIGENCE SETUP.

SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) TOLD A REPORTER HE THINKS ALL THE AVAILABLE INFORMATION SHOWS THAT THIS COUNTRY WAS CAUGHT NAPPING BY THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA. HE SAID HE WILL SUGGEST THAT A SENATE ARMED SERVICES INVESTIGATING SUBCOMMITTEE OF WHICH HE IS A MEMBER LOOK INTO INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS WITH A VIEW TO SUGGESTING CHANGES.

SENATOR BYRD (D-VA), LIKE BRIDGES A MEMBER OF THE FULL ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, SAID EVENTS OF THE LAST FEW WEEKS HAVE INDICATED TO HIM THAT SOME DRASTIC REVISIONS IN MILITARY ESPIONAGE OPERATIONS OUGHT TO BE UNDERTAKEN.

"THE WHOLE INTELLIGENCE SETUP PROBABLY OUGHT TO BE REORGANIZED ON A WAR BASIS," HE SAID IN A SEPARATE INTERVIEW.

BRIDGES SAID HE HOPES INTELLIGENCE REPORTS FROM OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD ARE EVALUATED MORE EFFECTIVELY THAN WERE THOSE FROM KOREA.

THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE INQUIRED BRIEFLY INTO THE NATURE OF INTELLIGENCE REPORTS FROM KOREA A FEW DAYS AFTER THE COMMUNIST INVASION. REAR ADMIRAL R.H. HILLENKOETTER, DIRECTOR OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, SAID THEN HIS AGENCY HAS REPORTS DATING BACK A FULL YEAR TO SHOW THAT NORTH KOREA WAS MASSING TROOPS AND EQUIPMENT ALONG THE BORDER.

BUT HILLENKOETTER SAID HIS AGENCY MERELY PASSED THESE REPORTS ON TO OTHER GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS WITHOUT EVALUATING THEM.

BYRD SAID HE IS PARTICULARLY DISTURBED BECAUSE AMERICAN MILITARY LEADERS APPARENTLY THOUGHT THE NORTH KOREANS HAD COMMITTED MOST OF THEIR TROOPS TO THE FIGHTING 10 DAYS AGO BUT NOW FIND THAT ADDITIONAL COMMUNIST RESERVES HAVE BEEN POURED INTO THE BATTLE.

WITHOUT REFERRING TO INTELLIGENCE REPORTS, SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) SAID IN A WEEK-END RADIO BROADCAST THAT TOP MILITARY LEADERS ARE CONFIDENT, DESPITE THE EVIDENT ABILITY OF THE NORTH KOREANS TO CONCENTRATE MORE AND MORE TROOPS, THAT COMMUNIST ADVANCES IN KOREA HAVE BEEN SLOWED DOWN.

BUT TYDINGS, CHAIRMAN OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, ADDED THAT "THERE'S STILL A LONG WAY TO GO AND THERE'S BLOODY FIGHTING AHEAD."

TYDINGS ALSO SAID THAT THE WESTERN POWERS, WITH "A LARGE (U.S.) STOCKPILE OF ATOMIC BOMBS AS COMPARED WITH WHAT RUSSIA LIKELY HAS," PROBABLY ENJOY "GREAT PREDOMINANCE" OVER THE SOVIETS IN AIRPOWER.

BUT HE SAID THE REVERSE IS TRUE OF GROUND FORCES, AND THAT THIS COUNTRY SHOULD DO ALL IT CAN TO BUILD UP ITS MILITARY MANPOWER. HE SAID THE U.S. SHOULD PERSUADE FRIENDLY WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS TO "PUT ON MORE AND MORE SPEED IN THEIR REARMAMENT PROGRAM" AND HELP THEM WITH MONEY.

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NIGHT LEAD MILITARY (400)

BY ARTHUR EDSON

WASHINGTON,AUG.7-(AP)-THE MARINES TODAY ANNOUNCED PLANS TO CALL UP ALL THEIR 80,000 VOLUNTEER RESERVES.

THIS WILL GIVE THEM AN ACTIVE STRENGTH OF 200,000. THEY WILL BE MOBILIZED DOWN TO JUST ABOUT THEIR LAST MAN.

THIS WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED BY:

ORDERING 50,000 VOLUNTEER RESERVES TO REPORT FOR ACTIVE DUTY BETWEEN AUG. 15 AND OCT. 31.

MOBILIZING THE REMAINING 30,000 MARINE VOLUNTEER RESERVES. FOR THESE NO MOBILIZATION DATE WAS SET.

THE PLANS WILL CALL FOR THE MOBILIZATION OF SOME WOMEN RESERVES, BUT THE MARINES AREN'T EXACTLY SURE HOW MANY.

ADDITIONAL ORGANIZED UNITS OF THE MARINE AIR RESERVES ALSO WILL BE CALLED UP. SOME AIR RESERVE UNITS WENT ON ACTIVE DUTY ABOUT THREE WEEKS AGO.

THE MARINE CORPS ALREADY HAS SUMMONED ITS ORGANIZED GROUND RESERVE UNITS TO ACTIVE DUTY.

THERE ARE 72,000 MARINE REGULARS, 44,000 IN THE ORGANIZED GROUND RESERVE, ANOTHER 7,000 IN THE ORGANIZED RESERVE AIR UNITS AND 80,000 IN THE VOLUNTEER RESERVES.

THE VOLUNTEER RESERVIST DOES NOT TAKE ANY REGULAR TRAINING, NOR IS HE PAID.

THE ORGANIZED RESERVIST TRAINS REGULARLY AND IS PAID.

BY A COINCIDENCE, AT ALMOST THE SAME TIME THE MARINES WERE MAKING THEIR ANNOUNCEMENT, REP.MANSFIELD (D-MONT) WAS TELLING THE HOUSE THAT THE MARINES SHOULD BE KEPT PERMANENTLY AT A MINIMUM OF 300,000 MEN.

"THE ATTEMPTS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE TO WHITTLE THE CORPS DOWN TO A GUARD OUTFIT, THROUGH APPROPRIATIONS," MANSFIELD SAID, "MUST BE STOPPED ONCE AND FOR ALL."

CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE SAID YESTERDAY HE EXPECTS A REQUEST FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT IN JANUARY FOR ANOTHER MILITARY APPROPRIATION INCLUDING $500,000,000 TO INCREASE MARINE CORPS STRENGTH.

OTHER MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS TODAY:

1. THE COAST GUARD SAID IT IS TRYING TO RE-ENLIST FORMER GUARDSMEN AND RESERVISTS, BETWEEN THE AGES OF 17 AND 45, IN THE VOLUNTEER RESERVES. THE COAST GUARD SAID THOSE GOING INTO THE RESERVES CAN NOT BE CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY WITHOUT THEIR CONSENT.

2. GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, GAVE A HOUSE MILITARY SUBCOMMITTEE A PROGRESS REPORT ON THE ARMY'S TANK PROGRAM. THE SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, REP.PHILBIN (D-MASS), REFUSED TO COMMENT ON THE NATURE OF THE TESTIMONY.

3. PRESIDENT TRUMAN TALKED WITH GEN.OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF; GEN.HOYT VANDENBERG, CHIEF OF THE AIR FORCE; ADM.FORREST P.SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, AND COLLINS.

NORMALLY MR.TRUMAN GETS HIS FILL-IN FROM BRADLEY. TODAY HE GOT A THOROUGH, 30-MINUTE BRIEFING FROM THE FULL STAFF.

4. SENATOR BYRD (D-VA) SAID HE UNDERSTANDS THAT A "STAGGERING FURTHER INCREASE IN DEFENSE EXPENDITURES" HAS BEEN PLANNED. HE CALLED ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO LET CONGRESS IN ON WHAT HE HAS IN MIND.

BYRD SAID HE THINKS $9,000,000,000 COULD BE WHACKED FROM GOVERNMENT OPERATING COSTS WITHOUT HURTING ANYTHING VITAL.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, AUG. 7)

(200) DEFENSE-NPA

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, AUG. 7-(AP)-A NATIONAL PLANNING ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE SAID TODAY THAT THE U. S. IS IN GREATER PERIL THAN EVER BEFORE "YET IT DOES NOT APPEAR THAT EVEN NOW WE ARE FULLY AWAKE."

IT URGED A QUICK INCREASE IN WAR PRODUCTION, HIGHER TAXES, ECONOMIC CONTROLS AND A MORE DETERMINED EFFORT TO DEFEAT THE COMMUNISTS IN THE WAR OF WORDS.

THE NATIONAL PLANNING ASSOCIATION IS A NONPROFIT, NONPOLITICAL ORGANIZATION SET UP IN 1934. THE STATEMENT TODAY WAS SIGNED BY MEMBERS OF ITS COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL POLICY.

OF THE WAR OF WORDS, THE COMMITTEE SAID:

"IN THIS CONTEST IT IS PERFECTLY EVIDENT THAT WE HAVE BEEN LOSING GROUND....THE BIG LIE XXX HAS PROVED TO BE AN UNEXPECTEDLY POWERFUL WEAPON."

IT SAID THE AMERICAN STORY, AND AMERICAN BELIEFS, SHOULD BE STRESSED:

"NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE, PERSONAL FREEDOM, THE RULE OF LAW AND JUSTICE AN EVER-WIDENING OPPORTUNITY, AN EVER-IMPROVING STANDARD OF LIVING IN A WORLD AT PEACE."

THE GROUP WARNED:

"WE SEEM QUITE UNAWARE THAT GREAT CIVILIZATIONS IN THE PAST HAVE DISINTEGRATED UNDER THE HAMMER BLOWS OF A CONQUERING ADVERSARY. IT NEVER SEEMS TO OCCUR TO US THAT SUCH A FATE MIGHT OVERTAKE OUR OWN."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EST, TODAY, AUG. 7)

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(500) PMS BUDGET

CONGRESS-GENERAL

BY WILLIAM F.ARBOGAST

WASHINGTON, AUG. 7-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN APPEARED CERTAIN TODAY TO GET BROAD POWERS TO COPE WITH CRISIS-BORN INFLATION TRENDS, BUT CONGRESS WAS FRETTING OVER HOW TO GIVE THEM TO HIM.

THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE MET TODAY TO TRY TO UNTANGLE A LEGISLATIVE KNOT THAT BLOCKED ACTION LAST WEEK.

THE HOUSE BANKING COMMITTEE WAITED TO SEE WHAT THE SENATE COMMITTEE WOULD DO. IT HAD CALLED A MEETING BUT POSTPONED IT UNTIL TOMORROW. BUT IT STILL WILL HAVE TIME TO ACT IN ADVANCE OF TOMORROW'S HOUSE SESSION.

TO GIVE ITS COMMITTEE TIME TO WORK OUT A COMPROMISE, THE HOUSE TOSSED ASIDE THE CONTROVERSIAL CONTROLS BILL UNTIL TOMORROW, AFTER HAVING SPENT ALMOST ALL OF LAST WEEK GETTING NOWHERE.

ITS LEADERS SAID THEY WERE CONFIDENT NOW THAT A COMPROMISE WOULD BE FORTHCOMING IN TIME FOR HOUSE PASSAGE WEDNESDAY. SPOKESMEN FOR THE DISPUTING GROUPS WHICH HAVE HELD UP ACTION SAID THEY WERE READY TO COME TO TERMS.

THE TERMS ON WHICH THEY SEEMED LIKELY TO AGREE WOULD GIVE THE PRESIDENT STAND-BY AUTHORITY TO: (1) ALLOCATE MATERIALS AND SAY WHO HAS FIRST CALL ON THEM, (2) INVOKE WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS, (3) ORDER RATIONING OF SCARCE MATERIALS, (4) MAKE GOVERNMENT LOANS TO SPUR PRODUCTION AND (5) CONTROL THE EXTENSION OF CREDIT.

THIS IS MORE THAN MR.TRUMAN ASKED BUT HE HAS INDICATED WILLINGNESS TO ACCEPT IT ALL IF CONGRESS DOESN'T MAKE THE LEGISLATION TOO RIGID FOR HIS TASTE. SPECIFICALLY, HE SAYS HE DOESN'T WANT A BILL WHICH WOULD AUTHOMATICALLY IMPOSE WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS ONCE THE COST OF LIVING HAS REACHED 5 PER CENT OR SO ABOVE THE JUNE 15 LEVEL. HE HOLDS THAT WOULD BE AN INVITATION TO A 5 PER CENT RISE.

THE HOUSE, WHICH VOTED FOR A MANDATORY AUTOMATIC CONTROL PROVISION AND THEN REVERSED ITSELF, APPEARED READY TO LET THE PRESIDENT HAVE HIS WAY ON THAT SUBJECT. THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE HAS VOTED TO GIVE THE PRESIDENT THE FREE HAND HE ASKED ON THIS.

HOWEVER, SENATOR LYNDON JOHNSON (D-TEX) SAID YESTERDAY THAT WITHOUT THE AUTOMATIC FEATURE TIED TO LIVING COSTS, "I AM AFRAID THAT CONTROLS MAY BECOME A POLITICAL FOOTBALL."

IN RELATED PREPAREDNESS AND ANTI-INFLATION STEPS OVER THE WEEK-END, THERE WERE THESE DEVELOPMENTS:

1. REP. VINSON (D-GA), CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, SAID HE EXPECTS THE SERVICES TO ASK FOR CONSIDERABLY MORE MONEY IN JANUARY, INCLUDING $500,000,000 FOR A FURTHER EXPANSION OF THE MARINE CORPS. VINSON ALSO SAID HIS COMMITTEE IS NOW PRESSING FOR A SPEED-UP IN PRODUCTION OF THE FIRST NEW TYPE TANKS SINCE WORLD WAR II, AND FOR EARLIER COMPLETION OF THE HALF-FINISHED SYSTEM OF RADAR WARNING AGAINST AIRCRAFT APPROACHING THE U.S.

2. SENATORS BRIDGES (R-NH) AND BYRD (D-VA) SUGGESTED THAT THE COUNTRY'S INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS NEED IMPROVEMENT. THEY SAID THEY BELIEVED KOREAN WAR DEVELOPMENTS HAD DEMONSTRATED FAULTS IN THE PRESENT SYSTEM.

3. THE FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD AND OTHER AGENCIES APPEALED TO BANKS AND OTHER LENDERS TO AVOID MAKING LOANS THAT WOULD ADD TO INFLATION. "THE NEED FOR EXERCISE OF RESTRAINT IS ALL-EMBRACING," THEY SAID IN A JOINT STATEMENT.

4. SENATOR GEORGE (D-GA) SAID HE EXPECTS HIS SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE TO FINISH WORK THIS WEEK ON A TAX BILL THE PRESIDENT ASKED TO INCREASE REVENUE SOME $5,000,000,000 A YEAR. GEORGE SAID: "I THINK THAT BY INCREASING THE RATES TO PICK UP $5,000,000,000 ON THE BASIS OF THE PRESENT ECONOMY, WE ACTUALLY WILL GET $8,000,000,000 TO $10,000,000,000, BECAUSE OF THE FAST EXPANDING ECONOMY."

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS

WASHINGTON,AUG.7-(AP)-THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE TONIGHT UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED A HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION BILL WHICH WOULD GIVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN VIRTUALLY FULL DISCRETION TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE RATIONING CONTROLS.

CHAIRMAN MAYBANK (D-SC), SAID, HOWEVER, THAT SOME OF THE 13 MEMBERS RESERVED THE RIGHT TO OPPOSE IN THE SENATE PROVISIONS DEALING WITH WAGE-PRICE CURBS AND MACHINERY TO HANDLE LABOR DISPUTES.

SENATOR CAPEHART (R-IND) SAID HE AND SENATORS BRICKER (R-OHIO) AND TOBEY (R-NH) CHOSE SUCH A RIGHT.

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THE BILL, IN ADDITION TO PROVIDING BROAD WAGE-PRICE RATIONING POWERS, WOULD AUTHORIZE THE MORE LIMITED ECONOMIC CONTROLS WHICH MR. TRUMAN ASKED FROM CONGRESS LAST MONTH.

THOSE LESS SWEEPING CURBS INCLUDE AUTHORITY TO:

1. ALLOCATE SCARCE INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS.
2. ASSIGN PRIORITIES TO PUT DEFENSE PRODUCTION WORK AT THE HEAD OF ANY FACTORIES' JOB SHEET.
3. LET THE GOVERNMENT TAKE PRIVATELY OWNED PLANTS, IF NECESSARY.
4. CURB CONSUMER CREDIT AND REAL ESTATE CONSTRUCTION CREDIT.
5. GRANT $2,000,000,000 IN GOVERNMENT LOANS AND LOAN GUARANTEES TO SPUR DEFENSE PRODUCTION.

THE COMMITTEE COMPLETED WORK ON THE BILL AT AN EXTRAORDINARY NIGHT SESSION AFTER SPENDING NEARLY EIGHT HOURS ON THE EMERGENCY MEASURE DURING THE DAY.

MAYBANK SAID THE COMMITTEE WROTE INTO THE MEASURE "HUNDREDS OF AMENDMENTS," MANY OF THEM TECHNICAL AND MOST OF THEM OF A MINOR NATURE, HE ADDED.

THE JOB OF PUTTING THOSE AMENDMENTS INTO FINAL SHAPE AND PREPARING A COMMITTEE REPORT ON THE MEASURE PROBABLY WILL DELAY THE OPENING OF SENATE DEBATE ON THE BILL UNTIL THURSDAY, MAYBANK SAID.

THE EARLIER PLAN HAD BEEN TO BRING THE BILL UP ON WEDNESDAY.

THE HOUSE MEANWHILE WILL MAKE ANOTHER EFFORT TOMORROW TO AGREE ON SOME SORT OF AN ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL, POSSIBLY ONE PATTERNED PRINCIPALLY AFTER THE SENATE COMMITTEE MEASURE.

IN VOTING TO GIVE MR.TRUMAN PRACTICALLY A FREE HAND TO IMPOSE OVERALL WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS IF AND WHEN HE SAW FIT, THE SENATE COMMITTEE APPEARED TO HAVE APPROVED SUBSTANTIALLY THE KIND OF BILL MR. TRUMAN HAS SAID HE WOULD ACCEPT.

UNDER THE MEASURE THE PRESIDENT COULD INVOKE GENERAL PRICE CONTROL AND RATIONING ANYTIME HE DECIDED SUCH A STEP WAS WARRANTED. HE COULD INVOKE GENERAL WAGE CONTROL AT THE SAME TIME.

THE ONLY APPARENT RESTRICTION ON FULL DISCRETION FOR THE PRESIDENT IS A PROVISION SAYING HE WOULD BE COMPELLED TO PUT WAGE CURBS INTO EFFECT IF PRICE CEILINGS PREVIOUSLY HAD BEEN ESTABLISHED "ON MATERIALS, SERVICES, AND PROPERTY COMPRISING A SUBSTANTIAL PART OF ALL SALES AT RETAIL AND MATERIALLY AFFECTING THE COST OF LIVING."

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THAT PROVISION, COMMITTEE MEMBERS SAID, IS DESIGNED TO PREVENT THE PRESIDENT FROM PUTTING A SUBSTANTIAL PART OF THE ECONOMY UNDER PRICE CONTROL WITHOUT ALSO IMPOSING GENERAL WAGE CONTROLS.

IF HE CARED TO THE PRESIDENT COULD PUT PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS INTO EFFECT ON A SELECTIVE BASIS SIMULTANEOUSLY.

THE BILL ALSO AUTHORIZES THE PRESIDENT TO TRY TO WORK OUT VOLUNTARY AGREEMENTS WITH RESPECT TO WAGES, PRICES AND SUPPLIES BEFORE RESORTING TO MANDATORY CONTROLS. THERES NOTHING IN THE MEASURE, HOWEVER, WHICH WOULD REQUIRE THE VOLUNTARY STEPS TO BE TAKEN BEFORE USE OF MANDATORY CURBS.

THE COMMITTEE APPROVED A PROVISION WHICH WOULD KEEP THE PROPOSED NEW LAW IN EFFECT THROUGH JUNE 30, 1952.

THE COMMITTEE HAD WORKED ALL AFTERNOON, TAKEN TIME OUT FOR A MEAL AND THEN RESUMED WORK ON THE BILL IN ORDER TO TRY TO FINISH IT TONIGHT.

BEFORE THE NIGHT SESSION BEGAN, THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN TALKED WITH REPORTERS. [illegible] TO COMPLETE THE BILL TONIGHT.

MAYBANK SAID THE COMMITTEE HAD APPROVED A SECTION AUTHORIZING CREATION OF MACHINERY TO HANDLE LABOR DISPUTES IN INDUSTRIES WHICH MIGHT BE COVERED BY WAGE CONTROL. PRESUMABLY AN AGENCY SIMILAR TO THE OLD WAR LABOR BOARD IS CONTEMPLATED.

HOWEVER, THE COMMITTEE MADE IT CLEAR THAT ANY DISPUTES-SETTLING AGENCY CREATED WOULD HAVE TO OPERATE IN COMPLETE CONSISTENCY WITH THE TAFT-HARTLEY LAW.

THE HOUSE LAST WEEK REJECTED THE LABOR DISPUTES SECTION ON THE GROUND THAT IT WOULD NULLIFY, AT LEAST IN PART, THE TAFT-HARTLEY ACT.

THE COMMITTEE ELIMINATED A PROVISION AUTHORIZING THE PRESIDENT TO REQUIRE MERCHANTS TO OBTAIN LICENSES TO DEAL IN COMMODITIES SUBJECT TO CONTROLS.

MR.TRUMAN, WHO ASKED ETC, SIXTH GRAF.

(EDITORS: IN 9TH GRAF BEGINNING WITH "2. SELECTIVE USE" SUB FOLLOWING FOR SECOND SENTENCE: X X X MEAT OR LUMBER. PRICE CONTROLS IN SUCH CASES COULD BE APPLIED AT ALL SALES LEVELS, INCLUDING RETAIL.

MR.TRUMAN, WHO ASKED FOR PARTIAL CONTROLS COVERING PRODUCTION AND CREDIT, HAS SAID HE WOULD ACCEPT A BILL GIVING HIM STANDBY AUTHORITY TO PUT WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS AND RATIONING INTO EFFECT WHEN HE THINKS THEY ARE NEEDED. LAST FRIDAY THE SENATORS APPROVED THAT IDEA AS A GENERAL PRINCIPLE.

SPARKMAN INDICATED TO NEWSMEN THE COMMITTEE STUCK TO THAT POLICY IN MAKING TENTATIVE DECISIONS TODAY WHICH PROVIDE FOR:

1. ENCOURAGING VOLUNTARY ACTION BY BUSINESS, LABOR, AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMERS DESIGNED TO KEEP THE WAGE, PRICE AND SUPPLY SITUATIONS IN HAND WITHOUT MANDATORY CONTROLS.
2. SELECTIVE USE OF WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS IN THE CASE OF SPECIFIC COMMODITIES--FOR EXAMPLE, MEAT OR LUMBER. A DECISION STILL WAS TO BE MADE WHETHER PRICE CONTROLS IN SUCH CASES WOULD BE AT THE RETAIL OR PRE-RETAIL LEVELS.
3. GENERAL WAGE, PRICE AND RATIONING CONTROLS. THE SECTION DEALING WITH THOSE POWERS SAYS WAGE CONTROLS WOULD HAVE TO BE PUT INTO EFFECT GENERALLY WHENEVER PRICE CEILINGS HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED ON A SELECTIVE BASIS "ON MATERIALS, SERVICES AND PROPERTY COMPRISING A SUBSTANTIAL PART OF ALL SALES AT RETAIL AND MATERIALLY AFFECTING THE COST OF LIVING."

UNDER THE PLAN, MR.TRUMAN COULD PUT BROAD CONTROLS INTO EFFECT AT ONCE, IF HE WANTED TO. HE WOULDN'T HAVE TO RESORT TO THE VOLUNTARY AND SELECTIVE STEPS FIRST.

HOW TO GIVE THE PRESIDENT WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING AUTHORITY HAS BEEN THE BIG QUESTION THAT HAS TANGLED LAWMAKERS IN KNOTS. MANY CONGRESSMEN HAVE FAVORED A DEVICE TO PUT CONTROLS INTO EFFECT AUTOMATICALLY WHEN THE COST OF LIVING GOES 5 PERCENT OR SO ABOVE THE JUNE 15 LEVEL.

BUT MR.TRUMAN CONDEMNED THIS IDEA AS AN INVITATION TO RAISE PRICES 5 PERCENT.

THE HOUSE, WHICH DEBATED AN ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL FOR FOUR DAYS LAST WEEK, QUIT FRIDAY FOR THE WEEK-END WITH THE MEASURE UP IN THE AIR. ON THURSDAY IT HAD VOTED TENTATIVELY FOR THE MANDATORY CONTROLS TIED TO LIVING COSTS. IT REVERSED THAT ACTION FRIDAY AND RECESSED JUST WHEN IT APPEARED READY TO GIVE MR. TRUMAN A FREE HAND.

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WHAT IT WILL DO TOMORROW MAY DEPEND ON WHAT ITS BANKING COMMITTEE DECIDES BEFORE THE HOUSE MEETS. THE COMMITTEE HAS HOPES OF WORKING OUT AN ACCEPTABLE COMPROMISE.

CONGRESS HAS FLOUNDERED ALONG ALMOST THREE WEEKS TRYING TO WRITE AND ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL. MR. TRUMAN ASKED JULY 19 FOR POWERS TO ALLOCATE SCARCE MATERIALS AND SAY WHO HAS FIRST CALL ON THEM, TO MAKE GOVERNMENT LOANS TO SPUR PRODUCTION, AND CONTROL EXTENSION OF CREDIT.

CONGRESSMEN THEMSELVES BROUGHT THE IDEA OF WRITING WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS INTO THE SAME BILL. BUT, THEY STILL HAVEN'T AGREED HOW, AND THAT HAS HELD UP ACTION ON ALL OF THE PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC LEGISLATION REQUESTS.

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MCCARTHY (800)

WASHINGTON, AUG.7-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) SAYS HE'S HAVING TROUBLE GETTING INTO PRINT THE STORY OF HIS CAMPAIGN TO RID THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF THE COMMUNISTS HE INSISTS ARE THERE.

MCCARTHY LAST WEEK SENT A LETTER AND SEVERAL EXHIBITS TO THE EDITOR OF EACH DAILY NEWSPAPER IN THE COUNTRY. HE GAVE A COPY OF THE LETTER AND EXHIBITS TO A REPORTER TODAY.

SEVERAL OF THE EXHIBITS CONCERNED AN AFFIDAVIT WHICH MCCARTHY READ TO THE SENATE ON AUGUST 1 PURPORTING TO LINK OWEN LATTIMORE WITH A PRE-WAR RUSSIAN SPY RING.

LATTIMORE IS THE ONE-TIME STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISER ON FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS WHOM MCCARTHY HAS ACCUSED OF BEING RUSSIA'S TOP ESPIONAGE AGENT IN THIS COUNTRY. LATTIMORE DENIED THE CHARGE, AND FOUR OF THE FIVE SENATORS WHO INVESTIGATED MCCARTHY'S GENERAL CHARGES OF COMMUNISM-IN-THE-STATE DEPARTMENT AGREED THE ESPIONAGE ACCUSATION WAS NOT PROVED. THE FIFTH SENATOR HAS NOT YET SUBMITTED HIS REPORT.

MCCARTHY'S LETTER TO THE EDITORS NOTED THE ASSOCIATED PRESS DID NOT CARRY A STORY ON THE AFFIDAVIT.

(IN NEW YORK, THE ASSOCIATED PRESS STATED: "THE AP HAS REPORTED IN GREAT DETAIL ALL NEWSWORTHY ASPECTS OF SEN. MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF COMMUNISM-IN-GOVERNMENT AND RESPONSES THERETO. IN THIS CASE, IT WAS CONCLUDED THE SENATOR'S STATEMENT LACKED NEWS VALUE.)

MCCARTHY TOLD THE EDITORS THAT UP TO THE TIME THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF NEWSPAPER EDITORS (ASNE) MET IN WASHINGTON LAST APRIL "THE PRESS COVERAGE OF OUR FIGHT TO RID THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNISTS LEFT MUCH TO BE DESIRED." HE ADDED:

"FORTUNATELY, MANY OF THE EDITORS, DURING THE DAYS THEY WERE IN WASHINGTON, PERSONALLY SAW THE NEWS BEING MADE IN THIS CASE, AND ALSO WITNESSED THE PRESS COVERAGE OUT OF WASHINGTON. X X X

"APPARENTLY THE SITUATION WAS RATHER FORCEFULLY CALLED TO THE ATTENTION OF THE WIRE SERVICES AND SOME OF THE WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENTS. THE RESULT WAS THAT THE COVERAGE GREATLY IMPROVED. UNFORTUNATELY, HOWEVER, THE IMPROVEMENT WAS ONLY TEMPORARY."

MCCARTHY THEN RECITED THE LACK OF AP DISTRIBUTION OF THE AFFIDAVIT HE READ TO THE SENATE AUGUST 1. IN HIS SENATE SPEECH MCCARTHY SAID THE AFFIDAVIT WAS MADE IN SWITZERLAND LAST MAY 15 BY WILLY RUDOLF FOERSTER, A GERMAN-BORN ENGINEER WHO SAID HE LIVED IN JAPAN FROM 1932 TO 1947.

IN THE AFFIDAVIT, FOERSTER SAID THAT IN 1938 A MAN NAMED MAX CLAUSEN, LATER CONVICTED BY THE JAPANESE AS A SOVIET SPY, HAD PREVAILED ON FOERSTER'S WIFE TO TAKE A LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES FOR HIM.

FOERSTER SAID CLAUSEN TOLD HIM THE LETTER CONTAINED "DELICATE FAMILY MATTERS" AND HE DID NOT WANT IT TO PASS THROUGH JAPANESE CENSORSHIP.

FOERSTER SAID HIS WIFE OPENED THE LETTER, "FEARING THAT SHE MIGHT BE BRINGING MONEY OR OTHER MATTER ILLEGALLY INTO THE UNITED STATES," AND DISCOVERED IT WAS SIGNED BY DR. RICHARD SORGE. HE SAID HIS WIFE COULD NOT READ ENGLISH AND HENCE DID NOT KNOW WHAT THE LETTER SAID.

MCCARTHY NOTED THAT A REPORT OF GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S INTELLIGENCE STAFF LISTED SORGE AS THE DIRECTOR OF A PRE-WAR SOVIET SPY RING IN JAPAN AND CLAUSEN AS HIS ASSISTANT.

BOTH WERE CONVICTED BY THE JAPANESE IN 1943. SORGE WAS HANGED AND CLAUSEN WAS SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT BUT LATER WAS RELEASED.

FOERSTER SAID HE HAD BEEN ASSOCIATED IN BUSINESS IN JAPAN WITH CLAUSEN AND KNEW HIM INTIMATELY.

THE AFFIDAVIT CONTINUED:

"I REMEMBER DISTINCTLY, AS MY CLAUSEN BUSINESS FILE AND MY FORMER WIFE'S DIARY WILL PROVE, THAT THE ADDRESS ON THIS LETTER WAS OWEN LATTIMORE (WHICH I BELIEVED AT THAT TIME WAS A FEMININE NAME) AND I BELIEVE THE ADDRESS WAS SOMEWHERE IN CALIFORNIA."

MCCARTHY BROKE INTO HIS READING OF THE AFFIDAVIT AT THAT POINT TO REMARK, "INCIDENTALLY LATTIMORE WAS THE HEAD OF THE OWI (OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION) IN CALIFORNIA AT THAT TIME."

LATER, REPORTERS POINTED OUT TO MCCARTHY THAT THE AFFIDAVIT SAID THE LETTER INCIDENT OCCURRED IN 1938, AND MCCARTHY REPLIED: "OBVIOUSLY THE OWI WAS NOT IN EXISTENCE THEN."

MCCARTHY TOLD THE SENATE THAT DURING THE WAR FOERSTER WAS PICKED UP BY THE JAPANESE AS A SPY FOR THE ALLIES, AND IN HIS AFFIDAVIT FOERSTER REFERRED TO A CONVERSATION HE HAD IN 1944 IN A TOKYO PRISON WITH SORGE.

FOERSTER SAID HE ASKED SORGE ABOUT THE MEANING OF THE LETTER HIS WIFE HAD CARRIED.

HE SAID SORGE "VERY EXCITEDLY ASKED ME NOT TO DIVULGE TO THE JAPANESE POLICE THAT MY WIFE HAD TAKEN THE LETTER. HE SAID IT WOULD NOT HELP ME TO DO SO AND IT WOULD ONLY 'ENDANGER HIS INNOCENT SISTER'."

THE AFFIDAVIT CARRIED A PARENTHETICAL NOTATION THAT "A GERMAN EXPRESSION WAS USED WHICH COULD MEAN NOT ONLY 'SISTER' BUT ALSO COMRADE."

ATTACHED TO MCCARTHY'S LETTER TO THE EDITORS WERE PHOTOGRPHIC COPIES OF THE AFFIDAVIT, STORIES WHICH APPEARED IN THE AUGUST 2 EDITIONS OF THE NEW YORK HERALD TRIBUNE AND THE WASHINGTON TIMES-HERALD, A REPRINT OF MCCARTHY'S SENATE ADDRESS AUGUST 1. AND AN 11-PAGE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "BRIEF REVIEW OF PUBLIC INFORMATION ON OWEN LATTIMORE IN WHOSE CASE THE COMMITTEE FOUND 'NO EVIDENCE OF COMMUNISM, PRO-COMMUNISM OR THAT HE EVER KNOWINGLY ASSOCIATED WITH COMMUNIST.'"

THE COMMITTEE REFERRED TO WAS A FIVE-MAN SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE. THE THREE DEMOCRATS ON THAT GROUP REPORTED ON JULY 17 THAT MCCARTHY HAD PERPETRATED A "FRAUD AND A HOAX" ON THE SENATE IN BRINGING HIS CHARGES.

SENATOR LODGE (R-MASS) ISSUED A MINORITY REPORT WHICH TERMED THE COMMITTEE'S INVESTIGATION "SUPERFICIAL AND INCONCLUSIVE."

THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD FOR AUGUST 1 DOES NOT SHOW MCCARTHY'S INTERPOLATION TO THE EFFECT THAT LATTIMORE WAS HEAD OF THE CALIFORNIA OWI OFFICE AT THE TIME OF THE ALLEGED LETTER INCIDENT. CONGRESSVEN HAVE THE PRIVILEGE OF EDITING STENOGRAPHIC TRANSCRIPTS OF THEIR REMARKS BEFORE THEY ARE PRINTED IN THE RECORD.

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WASHINGTON,AUG.7-(AP)-A ONCE-DEFIANT WITNESS RETURNED VOLUNTARILY TO THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE TODAY TO TESTIFY ABOUT HIS KNOWLEDGE OF COMMUNISM IN THE CINCINNATI AREA.

REP.WALTER (D-PA), ACTING CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE, SAID DAVID H.LEVISON, A CINCINNATI BUSINESSMAN, GAVE THE COMMITTEE HIS FULL COOPERATION DURING A CLOSED-DOOR SESSION TODAY.

JOHN J.EDMISTON, A DAYTON,O., NEWSPAPER REPORTER AND FORMER FBI-UNDER-COVER AGENT, IDENTIFIED LEVISON AS ONE-TIME ACTING SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN CINCINNATI. LEVISION, CALLED TO THE WITNESS STAND JULY 14, REFUSED TO TELL THE COMMITTEE WHETHER HE HAD EVER BEEN A COMMUNIST. HE ALSO REFUSED TO ANSWER MOST OTHER QUESTIONS.

LEVISON'S TESTIMONY TODAY WAS NOT MADE PUBLIC, BUT WALTER TOLD REPORTERS:

"HE NOW REALIZES THAT COMMUNISM IS A POLITICAL CONSPIRACY AND HE DOESN'T WANT ANY PART OF IT."

REP.MCSWEENEY (D-OHIO), ANOTHER COMMITTEE MEMBER, SAID LEVISON PROBABLY WILL BE CALLED FOR A PUBLIC HEARING LATER. BOTH WALTER AND MCSWEENEY INDICATED THE COMMITTEE WILL DROP CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS PROCEEDINGS AGAINST LEVISON.

"I THINK HE HAS DONE A VERY FINE THING," WALTER TOLD NEWSMEN.

WALTER ADDED THAT LEVISON HAS BECOME "DISILLUSIONED AND REALIZES COMMUNISM IS NOT IN THE INTEREST OF AMERICAN WORKERS AND IS NOT AMERICAN. HE FOUND OUT THAT COMMUNISM DOESNT MEAN WHAT HE THOUGHT IT MEANT WHEN HE JOINED THE PARTY IN 1937."

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WASHINGTON,AUG 7-(AP)-THE HOUSE TODAY PASSED A BILL TO ALLOW AN ESTIMATED 760 ALIEN WIVES AND CHILDREN OF UNITED STATES SERVICEMEN TO ENTER THIS COUNTRY.

THE MEASURE GOES BACK TO THE SENATE WHICH HAD PASSED A SIMILAR BILL, FOR ACTION ON MINOR HOUSE CHANGES.

MOST OF THE ALIENS ARE JAPANESE. THEY ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR ADMISSION UNDER PREVIOUS "G-I BRIDES" BILLS BECAUSE THE MARRIAGES OCCURRED AFTER AUGUST 22, 1947, THE CUT-OFF DATE FIXED IN A 1947 LAW.

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PETERBORBOROUGH, N.H.,AUG.7-(AP)-OWEN LATTIMORE SAID TONIGHT A COMMUNIST CHINA DELEGATION SHOULD BE SEATED IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

THIS SHOULD BE THE FIRST STEP TAKEN BY THE UNITED STATES IN MAKING ASIATIC COUNTRIES "OUR WILLING ASSOCIATES," THE FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS EXPERT SAID.

LATTIMORE URGED THE UNITED STATES FOLLOW THE SUGGESTION OF PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA THAT COMMUNIST CHINA BE ADMITTED TO THE U.N. IN AN EFFORT TO BRING ABOUT A PEACEFUL SOLUTION OF THE KOREAN WAR.

HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT WE SHOULD FOLLOW NEHRU'S PROPOSAL "AS A CONCESSION TO OUR FRIEND AND NOT AS APPEASEMENT FOR SOVIET RUSSIA."

LATTIMORE SPOKE TO SOME 700 PERSONS AT THE SCHOOL OF ADVANCED INTERNATIONAL STUDIES AT THE UNITARIAN CHURCH HERE.

HE SAID IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT "THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM BE CHECKED IN ASIA" BUT ADDED:

"WE MUST REMEMBER WE CAN'T HOLD THE LINE AGAINST COMMUNISM WITHOUT ASIATIC ALLIES."

ACCUSED BY SEN.MCCARTHY (R-WIS) OF BEING RUSSIA'S TOP AGENT IN THIS COUNTRY, LATTIMORE WAS CLEARED BY THE DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY OF A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING THE CHARGES.

HE ADDED THE NUMBER ONE CONCERN OF ASIATIC PEOPLES IS IMPERIALISM--THAT ONCE THEY HAVE ATTAINED THEIR FREEDOM "THEY HAVE SOLVED THEIR INTERNAL PROBLEM OF COMMUNISM."

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CINCINNATI,AUG.7-(AP)-A WOMAN ACCUSED OF BEING A COMMUNIST IN RECENT WASHINGTON HEARINGS WAS FORCED FROM HER JOB TODAY BY HER FELLOW WORKERS, FORMICA CO. PLANT OFFICIALS REPORTED.

ESTHER TICE, NAMED IN RECENT HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE HEARING BY A FORMER UNITED ELECTRICAL WORKERS UNION OFFICIAL AS A COMMUNIST "PLANT" WHO ENTERED FORMICA TO FOSTER A STRIKE, IMMEDIATELY FILED CHARGES WITH THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD. SHE CLAIMED "DISCRIMINATORY DISCHARGE." MISS TICE WAS QUOTED BY EMPLOYES AS SAYING FORMICA HAD FIRED HER FOR "UNION AND COMMUNISTIC ACTIVITY."

COMPANY OFFICIALS DECLINED TO COMMENT EXCEPT TO CONFIRM MISS TICE HAD LEFT THE PLANT.

A FORMER ORGANIZER FOR THE INDEPENDENT UNITED ELECTRICAL WORKERS UNION, MISS TICE IS TO LEARN THURSDAY IF CONGRESS WILL CITE HER FOR CONTEMPT FOR REFUSING TO SAY WHETHER SHE WAS A COMMUNIST.

MISS TICE WAS DESCRIBED AS A FORMER COMMUNIST DURING A HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE HEARING BY VICTOR DECAVITCH, FORMER PRESIDENT OF UE DISTRICT 7, COVERING OHIO AND KENTUCKY.

EMPLOYES AT FORMICA GAVE THIS ACCOUNT:

THE FORMICA PLANT OPENED TODAY AFTER A TWO-WEEK VACATION PERIOD. MISS TICE WAS DUE BACK TO WORK FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE WASHINGTON HEARING JULY 15. WITHIN AN HOUR AFTER SHE RESUMED HER JOB IN THE INSPECTION DEPARTMENT, THE ENTIRE DEPARTMENT HAD STOPPED WORK AND GATHERED AROUND HER. SEVERAL EMPLOYES SAID THEY REFUSED TO WORK WITH HER IN THE DEPARTMENT. MISS TICE REFUSED TO LEAVE HER JOB.

A COMPANY OFFICIAL WAS SUMMONED AND HE ASKED THE ASSEMBLED WORKERS IF THEY "ABSOLUTELY REFUSED" TO WORK WITH MISS TICE. THEY CHORUSED "YES" AND REPEATED THEIR REFUSAL WHEN HE ASKED THEM A SECOND TIME.

SHE THEN WAS REPORTEDLY ASKED TO LEAVE THE PLANT BECAUSE THE EMPLOYES WOULD NOT WORK WITH HER.

MISS TICE IMMEDIATELY FILED HER COMPLAINT WITH JACK G.EVANS, REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF THE NLRB. EVANS SAID THE COMPLAINT WOULD BE INVESTIGATED.

AT THE WASHINGTON HEARING, MISS TICE WAS SHOWN A COPY OF A LETTER ALLEGEDLY ORDERING HER INTO THE FORMICA PLANT LAST SEPTEMBER TO FORMENT A STRIKE THERE THIS SPRING. SHE DENIED SHE HAD EVER SEEN THE LETTER AND DECLINED TO ANSWER WHETHER SHE WAS A COMMUNIST.

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MCCONNELSVILLE,O.,AUG.7-(AP)-U.S.SEN.ROBERT A.TAFT (R-OHIO) SAID TODAY THAT ALL-OUT REARMING BY THE UNITED STATES "WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY LEAD TO WORLD WAR III."

THE SENATOR SPOKE AT THE SECOND ANNUAL MORGAN COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION FIELD DAY AT A NEARBY FARM.

"THE REAL PROBLEM FOR US," SAID TAFT, IS 'ARE WE TO OUTFIT THE ARMED FORCES TO HANDLE THE KOREAN WAR, OR ARE WE GOING TO BUILD UP OUR MILITARY FORCES IN ANTICIPATION OF AN ALL-OUT WAR WITH RUSSIA IN PERHAPS TWO YEARS?'

"IF IT IS THE LATTER, THE COST WOULD AMOUNT TO ABOUT FIFTY BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR. IF THE FORMER, THE COST WOULD BE ABOUT FIFTEEN

BILLION A YEAR.
/I AM OPPOSED TO WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS AT PRESENT. I BELIEVE WE CAN PAY AS WE GO IF WE CONTROL CONSUMER CREDIT AND REDUCE DOMESTIC EXPENDITURES.
"ON THE OTHER HAND, IF WE ARE GOING TO BUILD UP AGAINST AN ALL-OUT WAR WITH RUSSIA, WE'LL HAVE TO SPEND FIFTY BILLIONS PER YEAR AND WILL HAVE TO HAVE ALL-OUT CONTROLS.
"I BELIEVE," THE OHIO SENIOR SENATOR SAID, "IF AN ALL-OUT MOBILIZATION AND PREPARATION FOR WAR IS ANNOUNCED, IT WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY LEAD TO WORLD WAR III."
SENATOR TAFT SAID "WE INVITED THE ATTACK IN KOREA."
"SECRETARY ACHESON ANNOUNCED LAST WINTER THAT WE WOULD NOT DEFEND KOREA AND FORMOSA," TAFT CONTINUED. "RUSSIA HAS EXPANDED BY PUSHING INTO THE SOFT SPOT.
"IF WE DRIVE THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES TO THE 38TH PARALLEL, IT WILL BE UP TO THE UNITED NATIONS TO DECIDE IF WE PUSH FURTHER. MY PERSONAL FEELING IS THAT WE SHOULD GO BEYOND THE 38TH PARALLEL INTO KOREA AND TAKE, AT LEAST, THE PRINCIPAL CAPITAL CITY."
IN AN INTERVIEW LATER, TAFT TOLD NEWSMEN "WE WOULD HAVE A HARD TIME MAINTAINING BASES IN EUROPE IN A WAR WITH RUSSIA, ALTHOUGH WE ARE SUPERIOR TO THE RUSSIANS ON THE SEA AND IN THE AIR."
AUTHOR-FARMER LOUIS BROMFIELD SPOKE JUST BEFORE TAFT FROM A PLATFORM AT THE FARM OF WILBUR D.MATSON, PUBLISHER OF THE MORGAN COUNTY HERALD.
BROMFIELD CALLED TAFT AN "AMERICAN LIBERAL" AND "ONE OF OHIO'S GREATEST CITIZENS."
"I REGRET," HE SAID "THAT THE SECOND GREAT OHIO CITIZEN COULD NOT BE PRESENT."
BROMFIELD SAID HE REFERRED TO GOVERNOR FRANK J.LAUSCHE, A DEMOCRAT.
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TULSA, OKLA., AUG. 7-(AP)-ALL-OUT AID TO THE NATION'S WAR EFFORT HAS BEEN RECOMMENDED BY THE DIRECTORS OF THE UNITED STATES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.
CONCLUDING THEIR ANNUAL DIRECTORS' MEETING HERE YESTERDAY, THE ORGANIZATION ADOPTED A RESOLUTION APPROVING MILITARY AID TO FREE NATIONS, LEGISLATION FOR MOBILIZATION OF MILITARY AND CIVILIAN MANPOWER, GOODS AND MATERIAL.
IN ANOTHER RESOLUTION THE GROUP ASKED FOR CURTAILMENT OF UNESSENTIAL CIVILIAN EXPENDITURES AND SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN ALL RESPECTS.
SUPPORT OF ALL BACKWARD NATIONS, LED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S FOUR-POINT PLAN, AND STRENGTHENING OF THE UNITED NATIONS ALSO WAS RECOMMENDED IN ANOTHER RESOLUTION.
THE GROUP PLEDGED SUPPORT TO CONGRESSIONAL PROTECTION OF PROPERTY RIGHTS OF MEN CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY IN THE ARMED FORCES DURING THE PRESENT KOREAN CRISIS.
THE DIRECTORS ALSO URGED RE-ENACTMENT OF THE SOLDIERS AND SAILORS REHABILITATION ACT OF 1942 TO INCLUDE MILITARY PERSONNEL NOT COVERED IN PRESENT LAWS.
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A72PX
ROOSEVELT-DEFENSE (220)
SACRAMENTO, CALIF., AUG. 7-(AP)-JAMES ROOSEVELT, DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR GOVERNOR, PROPOSES IMMEDIATE EVACUATION OF 4,000,000 (M) OR MORE CALIFORNIANS FROM KEY CITIES IN CASE OF ATTACK.
THE LATE PRESIDENT'S ELDEST SON, ADDRESSING THE DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION YESTERDAY, CHARGED HIS NOVEMBER OPPONENT, REPUBLICAN GOV. EARL WARREN, HAS FAILED TO PRESENT A DEFINITE PLAN FOR CIVILIAN DEFENSE.
THEN ROOSEVELT OUTLINED HIS OWN PROGRAM:
BUILD EVACUATION AREAS ON SOME OF THE 23,000,000 (M) ACRES OF FEDERAL AND STATE LAND IN CALIFORNIA.
AT THE FIRST WARNING OF DANGER, EVACUATE 2,500,000 FROM LOS ANGELES' MEANDERING METROPOLITAN AREA; 1,500,000 FROM THE SAN FRANCISCO-OAKLAND BAY REGION, AND 500,000 FROM SAN DIEGO.
THESE EVACUEES WOULD BE CHILDREN, OLDSTERS AND OTHER NON-ESSENTIAL RESIDENTS. FIRST THEY WOULD ASSEMBLE IN THEATERS AND OTHER LARGE, DESIGNATED BUILDINGS, THEN MAKE AN ORDERLY TRIP TO THE EVACUATION CENTERS.
VETERANS GROUPS, SERVICE CLUBS, THE RED CROSS, DOCTORS, NURSES AND OTHER NEEDED PERSONS WOULD BE MOBILIZED FOR EMERGENCY SERVICE.
WARREN TOLD HIS OWN PARTY--ALSO HOLDING ITS STATE CONVENTION HERE--"WE HAVE GONE JUST AS FAR (ON CIVILIAN DEFENSE) AS THE FEDERAL PLANNING ALLOWS." AN OVERALL FEDERAL PROGRAM IS EXPECTED SEPT. 1.
A PERMANENT CIVILIAN DEFENSE PLANNING BOARD, APPOINTED BY GOVERNOR WARREN, IS SCHEDULED TO MEET HERE TODAY.
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NIGHT LEAD BRIDGES
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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.7-(AP)-FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE DAL M.LEMMON TODAY DENIED A PETITION BY HARRY BRIDGES FOR A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS WHICH WOULD HAVE FREED THE LONGSHORE UNION PRESIDENT FROM JAIL.
DENIAL OF THE PETITION WAS MADE WITHOUT COMMENT.
BRIDGES ARGUED HE WAS BEING HELD IN VIOLATION OF HIS CONSTITUTIONAL LIBERTIES. HE ADVANCED THE SAME ARGUMENT IN HIS APPLICATION TO THE U. S.CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS FOR BAIL.
THE OSTENSIBLE PURPOSE OF THE APPEAL FOR THE WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS WAS TO EXHAUST BRIDGES' REMEDIES IN THE LOWER COURTS SO THAT WHEN HE PETITIONS FOR BAIL IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TOMORROW, THE COURT WILL HAVE MORE GROUNDS UPON WHICH TO CONSIDER THE PETITION. THE COURT WILL HEAR ARGUMENTS ON THE BAIL PETITION AT 10 A.M. TOMORROW.
BRIDGES WAS JAILED SATURDAY AFTER FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE GEORGE HARRIS REVOKED HIS $25,000 BAIL. HE UPHELD THE GOVERNMENT CONTENTION THAT THE LONGSHORE LEADER IS A THREAT TO NATIONAL SECURITY AND SHOULD BE IN CUSTODY PENDING APPEAL OF HIS PERJURY CONVICTION.
NORMAN LEONARD, THE ATTORNEY WHO SIGNED THE CIRCUIT COURT APPEAL, SAID THE GOVERNMENT HAS MADE NO CLAIM THAT BRIDGES IS NOT A GOOD RISK NOR THAT THERE IS NO GROUNDS FOR APPEAL. THE PETITION ARGUED [redacted] THAT TO DENY BAIL "BECAUSE IN MEETINGS OF HIS OWN LABOR UNION BRIDGES SAID THINGS WHICH NOT ONLY EVERY CITIZEN BUT EVERY PERSON IN OUR NATION HAS THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO SAY" WOULD VIOLATE BRIDGES' CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS.
IN REVOKING BAIL, DISTRICT JUDGE HARRIS TERMED BRIDGES "PROBABLY ONE OF THE MOST COGENT FIGURES IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN AMERICA TODAY."
JUDGE HARRIS DECLARED THE LONGSHORE PRESIDENT IS A SECURITY RISK WHOSE "LOYALTY AND ALLEGIANCE ARE AND MUST BE WITH THE COMMUNISTS."
BRIDGES IS ATTEMPTING TO REMAIN AT LIBERTY PENDING APPEAL OF HIS CONVICTION OF LYING WHEN HE TOLD 1945 CITIZENSHIP HEARING HE HAD NEVER BEEN A COMMUNIST.
MEANWHILE, BRIDGES WAS REPORTED LIVING THE SAME LIFE AND EATING THE SAME FOOD AS OTHER PRISONERS IN FEDERAL PRISON HERE. DEPUTIES SAID HE ASKED NO SPECIAL FAVORS.
FJ 456PCS

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LOS ANGELES, AUG 7-(AP)-ON THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ATOM BOMBING OF HIS CITY, HIROSHIMA'S MAYOR SHINSO HAMAI WARNED:
"EVERY SANE PERSON HOPES WITH ALL HIS HEART THAT THE ATOM BOMB WILL NOT HAVE TO BE USED IN KOREA, BUT CONDITIONS BEING AS THEY ARE NO ONE CAN PREDICT THE FUTURE."
MAYOR HAMAI, RETURNING FROM THE INTERNATIONAL MORAL RE-ARMAMENT CONFERENCE IN SWITZERLAND, SAID THE PEOPLE OF HIROSHIMA HOLD NO BITTERNESS, BUT THAT EVERYBODY MUST BE MADE AWARE OF WHAT HAPPENED THERE.
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SEATTLE,AUG.7-(AP)-THE NAMES OF TWO SOLDIERS KILLED IN KOREAN FIGHTING, WHOSE BODIES WERE THE FIRST TO BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES, WERE ANNOUNCED TODAY BY THE SEATTLE PORT OF EMBARKATION.
THEY WERE SGT.Q/CL ARTHUR J.MCMILLIAN (CAPS M, M), SON OF MRS.IDA HARVILL, RT.7, BOX 271, LITTLE ROCK, ARK., AND PVT.JOHN I.MARRUSO, SON OF MRS.LENA MARRUSO, 5943 ELWOOD ST., DETROIT, MICH.
THE BODIES WERE RETURNED HERE JULY 30 ON THE GENERAL E.T.COLLINS BUT NAMES WERE WITHHELD PENDING NOTIFICATION OF THE PARENTS.
SERGEANT MCMILLIAN AND PVT.MARRUSO WERE MORTALLY WOUNDED BY SHELL FIRE NEAR TAEJON AND DIED LATER IN A HOSPITAL IN JAPAN.
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THIRD NIGHT LEAD HARRIMAN
TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.8-(AP)-PRESIDENTIAL ENVOY W. AVERELL HARRIMAN EMPLANED FOR THE UNITED STATES AFTER AN INTENSIVE SERIES OF CONFERENCES IN KOREA AND TOKYO ON AMERICA'S POSITION IN THE ORIENT.
HARRIMAN AND HIS PARTY LEFT TOKYO IN A MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT PLANE AT 3:30 P.M. (12:30 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME). GENERAL MACARTHUR, WITH WHOM HARRIMAN HAD A SECOOND LENGTHY CONFERENCE TODAY, WAS AT THE AIRPORT TO SEE HIM OFF.
AS HARRIMAN BOARDED THE PLANE MACARTHUR SAID:
"TELL THE PRESIDENT NOT TO WORRY. WE ARE CONFIDENT ABOUT THE SITUATION OVER HERE."
AMONG PROBLEMS ETC 2ND GRAF 2ND NIGHT LEAD.
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PRECEDE WITH U. S. EIGHTH ARMY
BY LEIF ERICKSONU. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. (AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS TODAY OPENED A GENERAL ATTACK ON A NORTH KOREAN NAKTONG RIVER BRIDGEHEAD SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU BUT THE REDS GOT 10 TANKS ACROSS THE RIVER ONLY 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF THE COMMUNICATIONS HUB.
FIVE OF THE TANKS WERE REPORTED KNOCKED OUT.
THE AMERICANS' GENERAL ATTACK WAS ON COMMUNIST TROOPS ABOUT 28 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE SOUTH KOREAN PROVISIONAL CAPITAL. THESE REDS HAD CROSSED THE RIVER IN THE VICINITY OF CHANGNYONG.

A78KX
IT WAS NEAR WAEGWAN, RAIL AND HIGHWAY TOWN, NORTHWEST OF TAEGU THAT THE REDS GOT THE 10 TANKS ACROSS. IT WAS NOT KNOWN AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS WHETHER THE FIVE TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT BY PLANES OR GROUND TROOPS.
STILL FARTHER NORTH, SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS CARRIED OUT A SPIRITED COUNTERATTACK WHICH DROVE BACK OTHER RED FORCES WHICH HAD CROSSED THE RIVER. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD FORCED THE ENEMY BACK AS MUCH AS THREE AND ONE-HALF MILES.
THE SOUTH KOREAN ATTACK, WHICH CARRIED TO THE BANKS OF THE NAKTONG AT SOME PLACES, WAS ON THE FRONT MORE THAN 30 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O. H. P. KING WITH THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION SAID REINFORCEMENTS RENEWED THE ATTACK ON THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU AT 5:45 A. M.
OTHER AMERICAN ELEMENTS WHICH HAD BEEN CONTAINING THE BRIDGEHEAD THEN JOINED IN A GENERAL ATTACK AT 7 A. M. THE ATTACK WAS SUPPORTED BY SHARP ARTILLERY FIRE AND EARLY MORNING AIR STRIKES.
ON THE NORTHERN FRONT, THE HEADQUARTERS SOURCES SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE CLEANING UP POCKETS OF THE ENEMY ALONG THE RIVER.
FJ435PCS

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BULLETIN
U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,WEDNESDAY, AUG.9-(AP)-AMERICAN FORCES HAMMERED OUT GAINS OF TWO TO THREE MILES AGAINST STIFF NORTH KOREAN RESISTANCE IN THE SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE, AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID.
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BULLETIN MATTER
U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA--FIRST ADD AMERICANS ADVANCE X X X COMMUNIQUE SAID.
THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE U.S.FORCES WERE FIGHTING 8,000 TROOPS OF THE NORTH KOREA'S SIXTH DIVISION.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT PINPOINTED THE AMERICAN GAINS IN THE CHINJU AREA. IT SAID THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES "CONTINUED TO ADVANCE" AGAINST DETERMINED NORTH KOREAN OPPOSITION.
THREE TO FOUR ENEMY TANKS WERE KAYOED, THE COMMUNIQUE STATED, AND THE AMERICAN GROUND DRIVE WAS SUPPORTED BY ARTILLERY AND AIR STRIKES.
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A48FX
BULLETIN
BY LEIF ERICKSON
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 8-(AP)-AMERICAN ATTACKS ON THE FLAMING SOUTHERN KOREA OFFENSIVE FRONT WERE RESUMED TONIGHT "WITH SOME ADVANCE" AFTER HAVING BEEN STALLED DURING THE DAY, THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY SAID IN A COMMUNIQUE.
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BULLETIN MATTER
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS--FIRST ADD ATTACK X X X A COMMUNIQUE.
IT ATTRIBUTED THE DELAY TO ENEMY ACTION IN THE REAR OF THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND U.S. MARINES, SAID "THIS HAS BEEN REDUCED.
THE 19TH AND 34TH REGIMENTS WERE IN CONTINUOUS ATTACK ON A RED BRIDGEHEAD SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG.
TOM LAMBERT, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WITH THE MARINES, REPORTED THE LEATHERNECKS RELIEVED A TRAPPED COMPANY OF THE FIFTH COMBAT TEAM. HE SAID THE COMPANY HAD REJOINED ITS BATTALION.

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THE COMMUNIQUE, ISSUED AT 6:15 P.M. (3:15 A.M. EST) SAID NORTH KOREAN PRESSURE IN THE WAEGWAN-YONGGI SECTOR HAS LESSENED.
HOWEVER, SOUTH KOREAN ARMY SOURCES SAID 5,000 RED INFANTRYMEN HAD CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER FIVE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN AND WERE TWO MILES EAST OF THE RIVER ON A FRONT 2,000 YARDS WIDE.
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TEXT
U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 9-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 29 RELEASED TODAY BY 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS:
A REINFORCED COMPANY OF NORTH KOREAN FORCES CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER INTO THE FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR AT 0540 HOURS YESTERDAY, SOUTH OF WAEGWAN.
THE ENEMY WAS FIRED ON BY ARTILLERY WHICH WAS LIFTED TO ENABLE TROOPS TO ENGAGE THE CROSSING FORCE IN CLOSE COMBAT. REPORTS FROM THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ARE THAT THE ENEMY WILL BE CONTAINED AND PUSHED BACK ACROSS THE RIVER TODAY.
IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) SECTOR JUST NORTH OF WAEGWAN THE ENEMY HAS RETAKEN GROUND WHICH IT TOOK AND LOST YESTERDAY.
(END TEXT)
FJ909PCS

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FIRST LEAD COMMUNIQUE
BY LEIF ERICKSON
U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 9-(AP)-AMERICAN FORCES CONTINUED TO CARVE OUT SMALL GAINS TODAY ALONG THE

FLAMING CHINJU FRONT IN SOUTH KOREA.
BUT OFFICIAL REPORTS TOLD OF NEW CROSSINGS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE BY RED TROOPS.
U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, IN TWO COMMUNIQUES, TOLD OF THE LATEST DEVELOPMENTS.
THE FIRST COMMUNIQUE AT 11:20 A.M. (8 P.M., EST, TUESDAY) REPORTED THE AMERICAN GAINS. THIS ANNOUNCEMENT WAS FOLLOWED BY A SSECOND COMMUNIQUE 40 MINUTES LATER WHICH SAID A REINFORCED COMPANY OF NORTH KOREANS HAD CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER.

THE RED TROOPS---WHICH PROBABLY NUMBERED ABOUT 200 MEN---MADE THEIR CROSSING IN THE U. S. FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR AT DAWN TUESDAY. THE SECOND COMMUNIQUE PINPOINTED THE ACTION IN THE AREA SOUTH OF WAEGWAN 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.
"REPORTS FROM THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ARE THAT THE ENEMY WILL BE CONTAINED AND PUSHED BACK ACROSS THE RIVER TODAY," THE HEADQUARTERS SAID.
THE COMMUNIQUE ALSO REPORTED THAT SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS IN THE WAEGWAN ZONE AGAIN HAD FALLEN BACK. THE ENEMY RECAPTURED GROUND, THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID, WHICH IT TOOK AND LOST YESTERDAY.

THE FIRST OF THE TWO OFFICIAL BULLETINS CALLED THE AMERICAN ADVANCES IN THE SOUTH "SMALL GAINS" BUT SAID THEY AMOUNTED TO BETWEEN TWO AND THREE MILES.
"THREE TO FOUR" ENEMY TANKS WERE KNOCKED-OUT DURING OPERATIONS IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS, HEADQUARTERS SAID.
THE FIRST COMMUNIQUE PINPOINTED THE MAJOR AMERICAN EFFORTS IN THE CHINJU FIGHTING AND AROUND CHANGNYONG WHERE THE NORTH KOREANS HOLD A BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG.
"PRESSURE ON THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD HAS BEEN STRONGLY REINFORCED BY UNITS WHICH MADE THE ATTACK WITH GREAT SPIRIT AND VIGOR," THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.
IN ADDITION TO THE WITHDRAWAL OF SOUTH KOREAN UNITS AROUND WAEGWAN, REPORTED IN THE SECOND COMMUNIQUE, THE FIRST REPORT ALSO TOLD OF A "SHORT WITHDRAWAL" BY THE SOUTH KOREANS IN THE YANGGIDONG AREA.
WHILE THE NEW CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG APPEARED TO BE SMALL IN NUMBER. THE COMMUNIQUE REPORTED THAT U.S.ARTILLERY FIRE WAS LIFTED

NUMBER, THE COMMUNIQUE REPORTED THAT U.S.ARTILLERY FIRE WAS LIFTED TO ENABLE FIRST CAVALRY TROOPS "TO ENGAGE THE CROSSING FORCE IN CLOSE COMBAT."
(NO PICKUP)
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A121FX
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(110)
U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG.8-(AP)-SOUTH KOREAN ARMY REPORTS SAID TODAY A RED KOREAN FORCE OF POSSIBLY 1,000 TROOPS OR GUERRILLAS HAD SLIPPED WITHIN FIVE MILES OF POHANG.
POHANG, EAST COAST PORT WHERE THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION LANDED, IS ABOUT 70 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN. IT IS 25 MILES SOUTH OF YONGDOK ON THE SEA OF JAPAN.
THE REPORT, IF TRUE, PUTS THE COMMUNISTS FAR BEHIND ALLIED LINES.
OTHER REPORTS SAID A LARGE RED KOREAN FORCE WAS SLIPPING THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS BETWEEN YONGDOK AND SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS INLAND.
ALLIED PATROLS WERE SENT OUT TO CHECK ON THE REPORTED INFILTRATION.
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B69KX (Q)
DECORATIONS (380)
U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG 8 (AP)-TWO LIEUTENANTS AND A SERGEANT OF THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION HAVE BEEN AWARDED DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSSES FOR EXTRAORDINARY HEROISM UNDER FIRE.
HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED THE DECORATIONS TODAY FOR SGT.RUSSELL P. TYLER, 65 ORCHARD ST., CRANSTON, R.I.; LT.JAMES C.LITTLE, 826 AYLETT ST., FAYETTE, ALA., AND SECOND LT.WARREN G.LEWIS, 126 LEAKE ST., CARTERSVILLE, GA.
IT SAID:
TYLER, IGNORING A WOUND SUFFERED DURING A COUNTERATTACK BY HIS PLATOON NORTH OF TAEJON ON JULY 10, RESCUED A WOUNDED COMRADE IN THE FACE OF ENEMY SNIPER AND MACHINEGUN FIRE.
HE THEN DIRECTED ACCURATE MORTAR FIRE ON ENEMY POSITIONS AND REFUSED TO BE EVACUATED FOR TREATMENT UNTIL HIS PLATOON'S POSITION WAS

CONSOLIDATED.
THE NEXT DAY HE LEFT THE FIELD HOSPITAL ON HEARING THAT HIS COMPANY WAS BEING OVERRUN. HE GATHERED A GROUP OF STRAGGLERS, ORGANIZED A ROAD BLOCK TO HALT THE ENEMY ADVANCE AND STAYED IN POSITION UNTIL OVERRUN AND FINALLY ORDERED TO WITHDRAW.
LITTLE VOLUNTARILY TOOK COMMAND OF A 2.36-INCH BAZOOKA TEAM AND A RIFLE GRENADE LAUNCHER AND DESTROYED TWO ENEMY TANKS WHEN SURROUNDED BY SUPERIOR ENEMY FORCES AT CHONAN ON JULY 8.
HE THEN ASSUMED COMMAND OF A PLATOON OPERATING WITHOUT AN OFFICER AND PREPARING TO WITHDRAW. UNDER HIS LEADERSHIP THE PLATOON INFLICTED HEAVY CASUALTIES ON THE INVADERS
LATER LITTLE PICKED UP A RIFLE AND PERSONALLY DESTROYED A MACHINEGUN NEST WHICH WAS HOLDING UP THE BATTALION'S WITHDRAWAL. THE CITATION SAID: "BY HIS GALLANT ACTIONS, CASUALTIES WERE HELD TO A MINIMUM AND THE BATTALION WAS ABLE TO RETAIN ITS EFFECTIVENESS AS A FIGHTING UNIT."
LEWIS BRAVED ENEMY FIRE IN AN EXPOSED POSITION DURING THE 21ST REGIMENT'S FIGHT NORTH OF CHOCHIWON ON JULY 9 IN ORDER TO ADJUST MORTAR FIRE ON ENEMY MACHINEGUN POSITIONS. HIS ACTION ENABLED HIS BATTALION TO REPULSE AN ENEMY ATTACK.
THE FOLLOWING DAY HE CARRIED TWO OF HIS WOUNDED MACHINEGUNNERS TO SAFETY FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT, WITH COMPLETE DISREGARD FOR HIS OWN SAFETY. THEN WITH ONE OF HIS MACHINEGUNS DESTROYED HE SHIFTED HIS REMAINING GUN TO PROTECT BOTH THE UNIT'S OBSERVATION POST AND FLANK.
HE REDISTRIBUTED THE REMAINING AMMUNITION AND CONTINUED TO DIRECT FIRE. WHEN THEIR POSITION WAS OVERRUN HE FIRED THE MACHINEGUN TO COVER THE WITHDRAWAL OF HIS MEN.
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WITH U. S. TROOPS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 9-(AP)-AN AMERICAN FENERAL IS TRYING TO CATCH UP WITH HIS LIEUTENANT SON IN THE FIGHTING ON THIS FRONT.
MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN, COMMANDER OF THE U. S. TASK FORCE CHARGED WITH TAKING CHINJU FROM THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS, CAME TO THE FRONT LINES TODAY. HE WAS TRYING TO GET HIS SOUTHERN FLANK TROOPS TO MOVE AS FAST AS HIS NORTHERN FLANK FORCES.
HE SAID ONE OF THE LEADING PLATOONS IN THE NORTH IS COMMANDED BY HIS SON, LT. WILLIAM MADISON KEAN.
"THE BOY SEEMS TO BE DOING ALL RIGHT," THE GENERAL SAID. "I HOPE I CAN CATCH UP WITH HIM SOON."
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A70FX
SEOUL CITY SUE (200)
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 8-(AP)-A RED KOREAN "TOKYO ROSE" BEGAN PROPAGANDA BROADCASTS IN GOOD AMERICAN ENGLISH LAST NIGHT FROM SEOUL, COMMUNIST-HELD CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA.
LIKE THE TOKYO ROSE BROADCASTS OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR, THE AIM IS

TO UNDERMINE SOLDIER MORALE.
SEOUL'S WOMAN PROPAGANDIST CHIDED U.S. AIRMEN FOR WHAT SHE CALLED "PROMISCUOUS BOMBING OF SCHOOLS AND STRAFING OF FARMERS." IN HONEYED TONES SHE URGED AMERICAN SOLDIERS TO "RETURN TO YOUR CORNER ICE CREAM STORES IN THE STATES."
A 558TH MILITARY POLICE COMPANY RADIO PICKED UP THE BROADCAST. ENLISTED MEN IMMEDIATELY NICKNAMED HER "SEOUL CITY SUE."
THE IDENTITY OF THE WOMAN WAS NOT KNOWN HERE. SHE SPOKE WITH A SLIGHT ACCENT THAT M.P. LISTENERS COULD NOT IDENTIFY.
TOKYO ROSE -- IVA TOGURI D'AQUINO -- WAS ONE OF SIX ENGLISH-SPEAKING JAPANESE WOMEN WHO BROADCAST OVER RADIO TOKYO BETWEEN 1943 AND 1945. SHE WAS BORN IN LOS ANGELES JULY 4, 1916. LAST FALL IN SAN FRANCISCO SHE WAS CONVICTED OF TREASON AND SENTENCED TO 10 YEARS IN PRISON AND FINED $10,000. SUPREME COURT JUSTICE WILLIAM O. DOUGLAS SIGNED AN ORDER FEB. 7 PERMITTING TOKYO ROSE'S RELEASE ON $50,000 BAIL PENDING APPEAL ACTION.
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B83KX (Q)
EATING WAR (260)
BY O.H.P.KING
WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA,AUG.9-(AP)-G.I'S STILL LIKE TO EAT. A GOOD MEAL MAKES A WHALE OF A DIFFERENCE WHEN EVERYTHING ELSE IS LOUSED UP.
SGT.VIRGIL BURGAN WILL TELL YOU THIS. BURGAN, 33, OF ST.CHARLES, VA., IS MESS SERGEANT FOR HEADQUARTERS COMPANY OF THE 24TH DIVISION'S 19TH INFANTRY REGIMENT.
HE WOULD RATHER COOK THAN FLY -- AND HE HAS DONE PLENTY OF BOTH.
BURGAN WENT RIGHT INTO THE MESS WHEN HE JOINED THE ARMY IN 1939. WHEN WAR BROKE OUT, HE VOLUNTEERED FOR THE AIR CORPS AND EARLY IN 1942 BECAME TAIL GUNNER ON A FLYING FORTRESS IN EUROPE. AFTER 25 MISSIONS HE RETURNED TO THE STATES AND BECAME A MESS SERGEANT AGAIN. HE LEFT THE ARMY IN 1945 BUT REENLISTED LAST YEAR.
BURGAN'S MAIN JOB NOW IS TO KEEP FIGHTING MEN WELL FED.
"HOT CHOW MEANS WE GOTTA PITCH RIGHT IN WHEN WE REACH A PLACE TO HAVE STUFF READY WHEN THE BOYS WANT TO EAT," HE SAID.
THE MANY MOVES OF THE 24TH -- NINE BLOODY NOSES AND RETREATS SINCE ITS ARRIVAL IN KOREA -- "HAS KEPT US BUSY SETTING UP AND TAKING DOWN AND SETTING UP AGAIN."
"WE SERVE THREE MEALS A DAY TO AN AVERAGE OF 225 MEN--BUT WE NEVER HAVE THE AVERAGE," HE CONTINUED.
"OUR TOUGHEST TIME WAS ON SUNDAY, JULY 16, ON THE KUM RIVER AT TAEJON. FOUR COOKS WERE KILLED AND ONE WOUNDED AND WE LOST LOTS OF MESS EQUIPMENT IN THE RETREAT. I AND THREE COOKS WORKED NIGHT AND DAY FEEDING 600 TO 700 MEN DAILY -- MOST OF THEM STRAGGLERS.
"ONE NIGHT WE WERE CLEANED OUT COMPLETELY AND WE HAD TO BORROW SUPPLIES FOR THE NEXT DAY'S MEALS. WE SERVED 75 GALLONS OF COFFEE TO STRAGGLERS THAT NIGHT."
BURGAN RUBBED HIS CHIN REFLECTIVELY.
"MY MAIN INTEREST IS TO SEE THE BOYS FED WELL AND SATISFIED. MY NEXT INTEREST IS TO GET BACK TO JAPAN AND SEE MY LITTLE WIFE."
BURGAN'S WIFE ARRIVED IN JAPAN FOUR DAYS AFTER HE HAD LEFT FOR KOREA.
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A45FX
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FIRST LEAD MARINES (110)
BY TOM LAMBERT
WITH U.S. MARINES IN KOREA, AUG. 8-(AP)-U.S. MARINES TODAY RELIEVED A COMPANY OF THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM THAT HAD BEEN TRAPPED BY NORTH KOREAN TROOPS.
THE MARINES HAD TO SCALE VALLEY WALLS AND FIGHT OVER RUGGED HILLTOPS TO COMPLETE THEIR RESCUE MISSION.

THE MARINE ACTION WAS ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FRONT EAST OF CHINJU NEAR WHERE THE AMERICANS KICKED OFF YESTERDAY ON THEIR FIRST OFFENSIVE OF THE WAR.
THE ARMY INFANTRY COMPANY, CUT OFF BY A SLASHING RED DRIVE ON THE FLANK, WAS SUPPLIED FOR A TIME BY AIRDROPS. IT HAS REJOINED ITS BATTALION.
THE FIGHTING WAS INTENSE. AMERICAN FIELD VEHICLES FOUGHT THROUGH A RED ROADBLOCK UNDER FIRE NEAR CHINDONG.

MARINES THEN MOVED INTO THE HILLS TO CLEAN OUT THE REDS TRYING TO MAINTAIN THE ROADBLOCK.
NORTH KOREAN MACHINE-GUN AND RIFLE FIRE HARASSED BUT WAS UNABLE TO HALT THE FLOW OF MILITARY TRAFFIC WESTWARD ALONG THE VITAL SOUTHERN FRONT ROAD ON THE MARINES' FIGHTING SECTOR.

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CHINDONG IS SEVEN MILES SOUTH OF MASAN AND 16 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, GOAL OF THE AMERICAN ATTACK.
THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WAS STALLED THROUGHOUT THE DAY AT THE SOUTHWEST-NORTHWEST FORK IN THE ROAD. AMERICANS MET HEAVY PRESSURE IN THIS AREA.
MARINE ELEMENTS THAT RELIEVED A COMPANY OF THE FIFTH COMBAT TEAM SUFFERED SOME CASUALTIES. ONE MARINE COMPANY HAD 40 CASUALTIES BUT 30 OF THEM WERE FROM HEAT PROSTRATION.
LEATHERNECKS FOUGHT ALL DAY UNDER A BROILING SUN. THEY CROSSED HILLTOPS AND SCALED VALLEY WALLS. DESPITE THESE OBSTACLES, THEY RELIEVED THE ARMY COMPANY, WHICH HAS REJOINED ITS BATTALION.
CY158APD

B1KX (PILOT)
U (220)
U. S. FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, TUESDAY, AUG. 8-(AP)-FIVE AMERICAN F-51 PILOTS HAVE BEEN LOST IN THE LAST THREE DAYS OF OPERATIONS IN KOREA. A FIFTH AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.

ONE OF THEM WAS LOST YESTERDAY DURING AN ATTACK ON NORTH KOREA POSITIONS.

THE AIR FORCE'S BIG MISSION YESTERDAY WAS TO SUPPORT GROUND FORCES PUSHING SLOWLY FORWARD ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

EVEN B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS TOOK PART IN LOW LEVEL STRAFING ATTACKS ON THE NORTH KOREANS.
FIFTH AIR FORCE PILOTS FLEW 419 SORTIES MONDAY. OF THESE 366 WERE COMBAT MISSIONS.
ONE PILOT SAID HE SAW LARGE ENEMY TANKS WITH "VERY LARGE TREADS" IN THE HAMCHANG AREA NORTHWEST OF THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINE. THERE WAS NO FURTHER IDENTIFICATION.
PILOTS SAID THEY DESTROYED TWO TANKS AND DAMAGED THREE; KNOCKED OUT NINE TRUCKS AND ONE FIELD GUN; DAMAGED SEVEN TRUCKS AND SIX RAILROAD CARS.
A SOUTH KOREAN ARMY REPORT SAID AMERICAN PILOTS DESTROYED 35 RED VEHICLES IN A STRIKE NEAR YONGDONG, NORTHWEST OF THE AMERICAN SUPPLY CENTER OF TAEGU. AIR FORCE PILOTS SAID NOTHING ABOUT THIS
B-26S MADE NIGHT ATTACKS ON CHINJU AND SUNCHON, COMMUNIST TOWNS IN THE SOUTH. THEY ALSO REPORTED STARTING FIRES IN A STRIKE AT KIMPO AIRFIELD NEAR SEOUL, FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL. OTHER NIGHT SORTIES

HIT TAEJON, RED COMMUNICATIONS HUB, BOMBING ENEMY VEHICLES. NIGHT RAIDERS ALSO STRAFED KUMCHON, YONGDONG AND INCHON, TOWNS BACK OF THE FRONT.

RA1211ACS NM

A68FX
WITH BJT
NAVAL (170)

TOKYO,AUG.8-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES SMASHED AT RED COASTAL INSTALLATIONS WITH THREE SEPARATE LONG-GUN BOMBARDMENTS YESTERDAY. THEY HIT TWICE ON KOREA'S EAST COAST FROM THE SEA OF JAPAN AND ONCE IN THE WEST FROM THE YELLOW SEA.

FIVE AMERICAN WARSHIPS, INCLUDING A HEAVY CRUISER, MADE THE NAVY'S DEEPEST PENETRATION OF COMMUNIST WATERS IN A STRIKE AT TANCHON, IMPORTANT EAST COAST RAIL CENTER 125 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, THE BORDER BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.

A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID IT WAS THE FIRST MAJOR BOMBARDMENT NORTH OF 38. PREVIOUSLY SMALLER CRAFT HAD HIT YANGYANG, JUST OVER THE BORDER.

AT THE SAME TIME THE U.S. SHIPS WERE CREATING "HAVOC IN RAILROAD YARDS" AT TANCHON, BRITISH, DUTCH AND SOUTH KOREAN WARSHIPS GAVE INCHON ON THE WEST COAST A TWO-HOUR SHELLING.

INCHON IS THE PORT FOR RED-CAPTURED SEOUL, FORMER CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA.

ANOTHER AMERICAN FORCE POUNDED ENEMY FORCES AND INSTALLATIONS AROUND YONGDOK, THE EASTERN SEA ANCHOR OF THE U.N. GROUND FORCES' LINE.

THE NAVAL FORCE THAT HAMMERED TANCHON WAS AIDED BY AIRPLANE TARGET SPOTTING. MAIN TARGET OF THE NAVAL GUNS WAS A RAIL YARD.

THE AMERICAN UNITS WERE UNDER COMMAND OF REAR ADM.CHARLES C.HARTMAN.

PY357APD

A91FX
-95-
FIRST LEAD NAKTONG RIVER
BY O.H.P. KING

WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 8-(AP)-FRESH AMERICAN REINFORCEMENTS, COUNTER-ATTACKING A NORTH KOREAN BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG, HAD FOUGHT HALFWAY UP AN IMPORTANT RIDGE BY 6:20 P.M. (3:20 A.M., EST) TODAY.

THEY WERE MEETING STIFF RED RESISTANCE.

MAJ. GEN. JOHN E. CHURCH, 24TH DIVISION COMMANDER, HAD ORDERED THE BRIDGEHEAD CLEANED OUT BY DARK.

BUT AT 8:45 P.M. (5:45 A.M., EST) HE ACKNOWLEDGED THE BRIDGEHEAD COULD NOT BE CLEANED OUT TONIGHT.

REMNANTS OF TWO RED KOREAN DIVISIONS WERE FIGHTING IN THIS AREA. CHURCH INSISTED THEY WOULD BE WIPED OUT TOMORROW. HE SAID AMERICAN TROOPS WOULD KEEP A CLOSE WATCH ON THE RIVER TO PREVENT RED REINFORCEMENTS FROM CROSSING.

THE AMERICANS ADVANCED MORE THAN ONE MILE FROM THEIR JUMPING OFF POINT. RED MORTAR AND SMALL ARMS FIRE WAS INTENSE.

THE ATTACK WAS FOUR MILES WEST OF CHANGNYONG. THE REINFORCEMENTS MADE CONTACT WITH A COMPANY OF THE 34TH REGIMENT ALREADY IN POSITION ON THE HILL.

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AS THE DOUGHBOYS SWEPT FORWARD, TWO AMERICAN F-51 MUSTANGS STRAFED THEM BY MISTAKE.

MEDICAL OFFICERS SAID THE STRAFING CAUSED 19 AMERICAN CASUALTIES.

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THE KOREAN REDS, SEIZING THE OPPORTUNITY, DROVE BACK THE AMERICAN ASSAULT AND GAINED SOME GROUND. THE AMERICANS REFORMED QUICKLY AND RETURNED TO THE BATTLE AREA.

THE COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD WAS HELD BY AN ESTIMATED TWO RED REGIMENTS [redacted]

FOR NEARLY THREE DAYS AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND FIFTH AIR FORCE PLANES POURED A STEADY HAIL OF SHELLS, ROCKETS AND BOMBS INTO THE RED POSITION EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.

BEFORE THE U.S. INFANTRY ATTACK AT 3 P.M. (MIDNIGHT, EST, MONDAY) FOUR PLANES HIT THE REDS THREE TIMES EVERY HOUR WHILE ARTILLERY POURED SHELLS AT THEM AT A RATE OF THREE A MINUTE.

A6FX
DESPITE THE STRAFING BY THEIR OWN PLANES, U.S. INFANTRYMEN AGREED THE FIGHTER-BOMBERS HAD DONE "A TREMENDOUS JOB" ALL DAY IN THE TARGET AREA.

AMERICANS WHO HAD BEEN IN THE FIGHT FOR THREE FULL DAYS WERE SUFFERING FROM HEAT EXHAUSTION. EIGHTEEN OF 20 MEN I SAW AT ONE MEDICAL STATION WERE HEAT PROSTRATION CASES.

THE COMMUNISTS STEPPED UP THEIR ARTILLERY FIRE FROM THE WEST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG DURING THE DAY. FOUR OR FIVE RED GUNS TRIED TO SUPPORT THE BRIDGEHEAD.

BUT THE AMERICAN HEAVY ARTILLERY WAS HURLING SHELLS BACK AT THE RATE OF 50 TO 1.

CY151APD

A151FX
BULLETIN
BY O.H.P.KING

WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA,WEDNESDAY,AUG.9-(AP)-AMERICAN ASSAULTS AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN CHONGNYANG BEACHHEAD, SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, WERE HALTED TODAY AT 2 P.M. (11 P... EST TUESDAY) BY REINFORCED RED TROOPS.

CK1006PPD

A152FX
BULLETIN MATTER
WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA--FIRST ADD CHONGNYANG X X X RED TROOPS.

THAT THE REDS CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER IN GREAT NUMBERS WAS EVIDENCED BY LARGE NUMBERS OF BOATS LITTERING THE RIVER'S EAST BANK.

THE BEACHHEAD IS IN THE VICINITY OF CHONGNYANG, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE IMPORTANT U.S. SUPPLY CITY OF TAEGU.

THE 24TH DIVISION HEADQUARTERS ESTIMATED THE RED FORCE AT FROM 2,000 TO 4,000.

COMMUNIST HILL POSITIONS WERE UNDER STEADY AIR AND ARTILLERY ATTACKS.

CK1008PPD NM

A23FX
-95-
BY BILL SHINN

SOMEWHERE IN KOREA,AUG.8-(AP)-A KOREAN REFUGEE FROM SEOUL SAID TODAY RUSSIA HAS PROMISED TO GIVE RED KOREA TWO MANCHURIAN PROVINCES AFTER THE WAR.

CAPT. KENNETH R. CORNELL, AMERICAN LIAISON OFFICER WITH THE SOUTH KOREAN FORCES, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THIS INFORMATION CAME FROM A KOREAN SCHOOL TEACHER WHO ESCAPED FROM SEOUL JULY 27.

CORNELL SAID HE CONSIDERED THE SOURCE AND THE INFORMATION RELIABLE.

THE REFUGEE ESTIMATED 3,000 PERSONS HAD BEEN KILLED IN AIR BOMBINGS OF SEOUL UP TO JULY 27.

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A37FX
(120)
SOMEWHERE IN KOREA--FIRST ADD REFUGEE-MANCHURIA (A23FX) X X JULY 27.
TWO 18-YEAR-OLD NORTH KOREAN GIRL REFUGEES SAID THEY HAD BEEN FORCED INTO THE RED ARMY AND GIVEN FIFTH COLUMN SPY ASSIGNMENTS. THEY SAID THEY WERE ORDERED TO POSE AS REFUGEES IN YECHON AND GATHER INFORMATION ON SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS, ARMS AND EQUIPMENT.
THE TWO GIRLS ENTERED YECHON, ON THE NORTHERN FRONT, JULY 29 AND WERE TO REPORT TO A SUPERIOR THE NEXT DAY IN FRONT OF THE POLICE STATION. BUT SOUTH KOREAN POLICE INVESTIGATED AND JAILED THEM.
THE GIRLS SAID THE KOREAN REDS WERE IMPRESSING ALL CHILDLESS WOMEN BETWEEN 18 AND 30. SOME WERE TRAINED FOR COMBAT AND OTHERS WERE ASSIGNED TO ESPIONAGE.
THEY SAID AT LEAST ONE-THIRD OF THE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE GREEN YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN.
CY154APD

A200KX (WHITEHEAD)
(775)
ATTACK
BY DON WHITEHEAD
WITH U.S. TROOPS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG.9 -(AP)-THE COMMANDER OF THE BOGGED AMERICAN TASK FORCE STRIKING AT CHINJU WENT TO THE FRONT LINE YESTERDAY AND ISSUED ORDERS TO ATTACK.
MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN ORDERED REGIMENTAL AND BATTALION COMMANDERS TO MAKE THE AMERICANS' FIRST NIGHT ASSAULT.
(THIS DISPATCH DID NOT SAY WHETHER A NIGHT ATTACK HAD YET BEEN MADE.)
KEAN MADE HIS BATTLELINE VISIT AFTER A CONFERENCE WITH LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER, AT KEAN'S SOUTHERN COMMAND POST.
THE MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE TO THE U.S. FRONT WAS BLOCKED BY THE ENEMY FOR MORE THAN FOUR HOURS YESTERDAY--THE MOST CONFUSED DAY OF THE KOREAN WAR FOR THE AMERICAN ARMY.
THE SOUTHERN SPEARHEAD OF THE THREE-PRONGED AMERICAN DRIVE TO THE WEST HALTED BEFORE RED ARTILLERY FIRE AT A POINT WEST OF CHINDONG, WHERE THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM HAD TURNED NORTHWESTWARD TOWARD CHINJU. CHINDONG IS 25 MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU, MAJOR COMMUNIST BASE FOR THE REDS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.
U.S. MARINES WERE CALLED ON TO HELP THE FIFTH GET ROLLING AGAIN.
THE 35TH REGIMENT CARRIED THE NORTHERN SPEARHEAD TO WITHIN 12 MILES OF CHINJU, BUT WAS ORDERED TO HOLD UP ITS ADVANCE UNTIL THE SOUTHERN DRIVE WAS AGAIN UNDERWAY.
THE 35TH CAPTURED MUCH ENEMY EQUIPMENT AND GUNS IN ITS PUSH, AND CONTINUED TO MOP UP COMMUNISTS IN ITS SECTOR.
TWO ENEMY ROADBLOCKS THAT HAD BEEN THROWN UP EARLIER IN THE DAY HAD BEEN CLEARED UP. ONE WAS EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN, WHICH IS 28 AIR MILES EAST OF CHINJU. THE OTHER WAS NEAR CHINDONG.
THE MARINES WERE DIVERTED FROM THE MAIN ATTACK AND SENT INTO 3,000-FOOT HIGH PEAKS UNDER A BURNING SUN TO DRIVE OUT THE RED RAIDERS AND PROTECT THE FLANK OF THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM.
THE FIFTH HAD BEEN REPORTED OFFICIALLY TO HAVE ADVANCED WELL BEYOND CHINDONG IN THE FIRST WAFE OF THE ATTACK. BUT KEAN'S PERSONAL CHECK OF THE AMERICAN POSITIONS SHOWED THAT THE SOUTHERN FLANK HAD BARELY MOVED BEYOND THE ORIGINAL JUMPOFF POINT TEN MILES WEST OF MASAN.
BEFORE KEAN VISITED THE FRONT, THE REDS HAD SLIPPED DOWN FROM THE HILLS AND CUT THE MAIN AMERICAN SUPPLY ROUTE WITH MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE.
FOR FOUR HOURS THE REDS BLOCKED THE ROAD FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF MASAN ON THE ROAD TO CHINDONG. THEY HAD SLIPPED IN BEHIND AN AMERICAN SECURITY BATTALION WHICH HAD HELD HILL POSITIONS OVERLOOKING THE SUPPLY ROUTE BUT HAD BEEN CALLED AWAY ON ANOTHER MISSION.

CORP. WALLACE LEACH OF WICHITA, KANS., SAID THE REDS SUDDENLY OPENED FIRE ON AMERICAN TROOPS WHO WERE ASSEMBLING ON THE VALLEY ROAD AND GETTING INTO THEIR VEHICLES.
THE AMERICANS SUFFERED 11 CASUALTIES IN THE FIRST FEW MINUTES OF THE ATTACK.
U.S. TANKS THEN PLASTERED THE HILLSIDE WITH 75-MILLIMETER SHELLS. PLANES CAME IN ROCKETING AND BOMBING THE REDS. THEN THE INFANTRY BEGAN MOVING ACROSS THE VALLEY AND INTO THE HILLS AND THE MARINES WERE SENT CLIMBING THE PEAKS TO FLUSH THE ENEMY.
"GET THEM," A MARINE COLONEL SAID. "THE ENEMY IS NOT GOING TO LIVE IF HE STAYS THERE. THIS IS A BATTLE AGAINST THE HEAT AS MUCH AS AGAINST THE ENEMY. OUR BOYS ARE GOING UNTIL THEY DROP. THAT'S ALL YOU CAN ASK OF ANYBODY."
THIRTY OF THE FIRST 40 MARINE CASUALTIES WERE VICTIMS OF HEAT PROSTRATION.
BY NOON THE ENEMY WAS DRIVEN BACK AND THERE WAS ONLY OCCASIONAL FIRE ACROSS THE SUPPLY ROAD. TRAFFIC BEGAN TO FLOW TO THE FRONT AGAIN AND WE WERE ABLE TO PUSH DOWN THE VALLEY TO FRONT LINE POSITIONS.
I RODE IN KEAN'S CONVOY AS HE WENT FORWARD TO CHECK PERSONALLY ON HIS TROOPS' POSITIONS. THE TWO-STAR GENERAL KEPT PUSHING UP UNTIL HE HAD REACHED THE MOST ADVANCED OBSERVATION POST OF THE LEADING COMPANY.
FAR IN THE REAR OUR ARTILLERY BOOMED AND SHELLS CAME WHISTLING OVER. WE WATCHED THEM SEND UP THEIR PLUMES OF SMOKE IN ENEMY POSITIONS. LATER WE COULD HEAR THE CRUMP OF THE EXPLOSIONS.
CAPT. FREDERICK GRIFFITH, (1568 ANSEL ROAD) CLEVELAND, OHIO, SAT BY HIS FOXHOLE. HE COMMANDED K COMPANY OF THE FIFTH REGIMENT.
"IT'S ALL SCREWED UP," HE GROWLED. GRIFFITH WAS A COMPANY COMMANDER IN THE 88TH DIVISION IN ITALY IN THE LAST WAR.
"IT WOULD HELP," HE SAID, "IF THEY WOULD GIVE US MAPS OR TELL US WHO IS ON OUR RIGHT AND LEFT. I COULD USE MORE INFORMATION, BUT THEY DON'T TELL ME ANYTHING."
GRIFFITH SAID THE LEAD BATTALION HAD BEEN CUT OFF FROM THE MAIN BODY OF TROOPS MONDAY. THEN HE GRINNED. "BUT WE USUALLY ARE CUT OFF EVERY DAY."
KEAN SCRAMBLED BACK DOWN THE HILLSIDE AND HIS LITTLE CONVOY RACED BACK THROUGH THE HEAVY DUST TO A COMMAND POST. HE GATHERED THE OFFICERS ABOUT HIM AND ORDERED THEM TO ATTACK UNTIL THEY HAD CLOSED THE GAP BETWEEN THEM AND THE 35TH REGIMENT.
JHGG1223PCS NM

A137KX (LAMBERT)
ROADBLOCK(260)
BY TOM LAMBERT
WITH U.S. FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA, AUG.8-(AP)-THE ABILITY OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS TO INFILTRATE AND COMMAND HIGH GROUND IS COSTING AMERICA'S COUNTEROFFENSIVE VALUEBLE TIME AND MEN.
AS AN EXAMPLE, A RELATIVELY LIGHTLY ARMED BAND OF REDS--PROBABLY NO MORE THAN 50--SLOWED UP THE U.S. ATTACK WHICH BEGAN WEDNESDAY.
THEY HANDLED THEIR MISSION SIMPLY. THEY SAT ON A MOUNTAIN TOP AND PUMPED FIRE ON THE AMERICAN SUPPLY ROAD TO THE FRONT.
WHEN THE ROAD CAME TO LIFE WITH VEHICLES SO DID THE COMMUNISTS. THEIR GUNFIRE DENIED THE AMERICANS USE OF THE VITAL ROAD.

THROUGHOUT MOST OF THE DAY THE NORTHERNERS HELD THE ROAD BLOCK BETWEEN MASAN AND CHINDONG ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. IT WAS FROM CHINDONG THE AMERICANS LIMITED ATTACK WAS STARTED.

STUNG BY THIS HANDFUL OF ENEMY, AMERICAN TANKS CLATTERED TO THE SITE AND DRILLED SHELLS INTO THE MOUNTAIN. THE COMMUNIST MACHINEGUNS CHATTERED BACK. AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND MORTARS BEGAN PUMPING SHELLS INTO THE AREA.

FIGHTER PLANES ROARED IN ROCKETING AND MACHINEGUNNING THE COMMUNISTS' POSITIONS. BUT STILL THE SMALL BAND OF REDS THUMBED THEIR MACHINEGUNS AT AMERICAN TROOPS AND VEHICLES.

AMERICAN VEHICLES BEGAN SPEEDING THROUGH THE PASS IN GROUPS OR SINGLY.

BY LATER AFTERNOON THE UNITED STATES CALLED ON ITS INFIGHTING SPECIALISTS--THE MARINES--TO HUNT OUT THE INTRUDERS.

IT WAS A TOUGH JOB. THE SUN WAS BROILING. MORE THAN A FEW MARINES COLLAPSED FROM HEAT FATIGUE WHILE CLIMBING THE MOUNTAINS.

AND HAVING TO CALL ON THE MARINES MEANT THAT THE DEVIL DOGS COULD NOT BE USED IN THE LARGE SCALE ATTACK AT THE FRONT.

EVEN AS THE HUNT WENT ON AT DUSK, SOME OF THE REDS CONTINUED TO POUR OUT DEADLY FIRE.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AERIAL (360)

TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,AUG.9-(AP)-AMERICAN BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS HAVE SMASHED ANEW AT NORTH KOREAN SUPPLIES, COMMUNICATIONS AND TROOPS IN SUPPORT OF AMERICAN GROUND TROOPS.

A FAR EAST AIR FORCE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES TUESDAY DUMPED BOMB LOADS ON KEY RAILROAD MARSHALLING YARDS AT PYONGYANG, A PRIMARY TARGET OF A HEAVY STRIKE MONDAY.

PILOTS REPORTED DIRECT HITS ON THE YARD AND A BRIDGE.

TWO OTHER BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL--GEOGRAPHICAL DIVIDING LINE BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA--ALSO WERE HIT. BOTH BRIDGES WERE NEAR YONGHUNG, 28 MILES NORTHWEST OF THE EAST COAST INDUSTRIAL CITY OF WONSAN.

B-29S MAKING THE TUESDAY RAIDS INCLUDED A GROUP WHICH LEFT THE UNITED STATES AUG. 1.

THESE NEW PLANES, THE FEAF SAID, "WILL INCREASE THE FREQUENCY AND EFFECTIVENESS OF THE LONGER TERM STRATEGIC MISSIONS."

FIFTH AIR FORCE LIGHT B-26 BOMBERS MADE ONE OF THEIR LARGEST ATTACKS OF THE WAR IN A STRIKE AT INCHON AND ITS HARBOR. INCHON, PORT CITY FOR SEOUL, FALLEN CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA, IS A "CRITICAL POINT FOR THE FLOW OF SUPPLIES FROM THE NORTHERN AREAS SOUTH TO THE BATTLEFRONTS."

THE LIGHT BOMBERS DROPPED 30 1,000-POUND GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS. PILOTS SAID LARGE FIRES WERE STARTED IN THE INDUSTRIAL AND DOCK INSTALLATIONS.

B-26S ALSO RANGED OUT AND DAMAGED A RAILROAD BRIDGE AT NAJU, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF KWANGJU.

COMBAT SORTIES BY THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS NEARED THE 500 MARK. NEARLY 350 WERE FIGHTER SORTIES IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS.

U.S. F-80 JETS AND F-51S JOINED AUSTRALIAN MUSTANGS OVER THE SOUTHWESTERN SECTOR BATTLELINES. THEY TOOK A HEAVY TOLL OF NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL AND TROOP STRENGTH, THE FEAF SAID. U.S. PILOTS REPORTED THEY DAMAGED 41 VEHICLES OF ALL TYPES, FOUR LOCOMOTIVES, SEVEN BOXCARS AND TWO GUN POSITIONS.

FIVE FUEL AND TWO AMMUNITION DUMPS WERE DESTROYED.

RAAF PILOTS REPORTED THEY HIT AN ARTILLERY POSITION, SIX TANKS AND 16 TRUCKS.

ONE F-82 TWIN MUSTANG FAILED TO RETURN FROM A MISSION ALONG THE SOUTHERN COAST AND WAS PRESUMED LOST.

ON MONDAY F-80 JETS HIT THE BIG RAILROAD MARSHALLING YARDS AT SEOUL WITH ROCKETS.

A FAR EAST AIR FORCE SUMMARY SAID THE JETS ALSO MADE A ROCKET RUN ON A PONTOON BRIDGE ACROSS THE HAN RIVER NEAR SEOUL AND HIT IT "IN SEVERAL PLACES."

RED ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE FROM SEOUL WAS HEAVIER AND MORE ACCURATE THAN EVER BEFORE, THE SUMMARY SAID. THE JETS LOCATED THE FLAK SOURCES AND STRAFED THEM.

FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS IN RECORD STRENGTH POUNDED NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND SUPPLY LINES FROM DAWN TO DARK MONDAY.

THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE SAID ITS PLANES FLEW 550 SORTIES OF WHICH 366 WERE COMBAT MISSIONS BY FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER PILOTS.

NAVY PLANES MADE 203 SORTIES IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS.

B-29S SMASHED SUPPLY DEPOTS AND MARSHALLING YARDS AT THE NORTHERN KOREAN CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG WITH MORE THAN 450 TONS OF BOMBS AND MADE A LIGHTER RAID ON MILITARY TARGETS IN THE EAST COAST INDUSTRIAL CENTER OF WONSAN.

THE PYONGYANG RADIO BROADCAST A NORTH KOREAN ARMY STATEMENT THAT THE "WRATH OF THE PEOPLE" IS "GREAT" OVER THE CEASELESS BOMBING ATTACKS DEEP IN THEIR TERRITORY.

THREE AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG PILOTS DESTROYED THREE RED TANKS, SIX TRUCKS AND TWO UNIDENTIFIED CAMOUFLAGED VEHICLES IN SORTIES OVER THE SOUTHERN BATTLEFRONT MONDAY AND TUESDAY, A ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE SUMMARY SAID.

NAVY CARRIER PILOTS FLEW TO AN AIR FORCE BASE IN SOUTH KOREA TO SET UP ARRANGEMENTS FOR CLOSER LIAISON WITH LAND-BASED AIRMEN IN GROUND SUPPORT OPERATIONS.

THEY EXCHANGED INFORMATION ON THE BEST WAY THE NAVY PILOTS COULD PINPOINT TARGETS.

THE NAVY HAS BEEN USING AIR FORCE TARGET SPOTTERS. THE NAVY PLANS TO BRING ITS OWN TYPE OF TARGET SPOTTING INTO PLAY--SENDING SPOTTERS ON A LOW-LEVEL HUNT FOR TARGETS. THE SPOTTERS, BY RADIO AND BY SMOKE ROCKETS, LOCATE THE TARGET FOR CARRIER-BASED AIRCRAFT.

GG243PCS

A69FX

WITH BJT

KOREAN AIR (360)

TOKYO,AUG.3-(AP)-AMERICAN F-80 JETS ROARED DOWN OVER SEOUL TODAY AND SHOT UP RAIL YARDS AT THE KEY TRANSPORTATION HUB.

ONE SQUADRON SCORED SEVERAL HITS ON A PONTOON BRIDGE ACROSS THE HAN RIVER, THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES SUMMARY SAID. IT ALSO STRAFED ANTI-AIRCRAFT POSITIONS.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE RED KOREAN FLAK WAS THE HEAVIEST AND MOST ACCURATE OF THE WAR.

SEOUL WAS HIT YESTERDAY BY B-29S. FIGHTER PLANES SMASHED RED KOREAN BATTLE LINES AND COMMUNICATIONS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT IN SUPPORT OF THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE.

THE BIGGEST B-29 STRIKE WAS A 450-TON BOMB LOAD DUMPED ON THE ARSENAL AND RAIL YARDS AT PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

A SMALLER B-29 FORCE PUNISHED WONSAN, EAST COAST INDUSTRIAL AREA, WITH 80 TONS OF BOMBS.

A FAR EAST AIR FORCES SUMMARY SAID A TOTAL OF 550 SORTIES WERE MADE BY ALL TYPES OF PLANES, INCLUDING CARGO CARRIERS. THE FIFTH AIR FORCE SAID ITS PILOTS CONTRIBUTED 419 OF THE SORTIES, 366 OF THEM COMBAT MISSIONS.

NAVY CORSAIRS, PANTHERS AND SKYRAIDERS FLEW 203 SORTIES. SUPPORTING GROUND TROOPS, THEY ROCKETED AND MACHINEGUNNED ENEMY COMMUNICATIONS AND OTHER TARGETS.

MARINE FIGHTER PILOTS OPERATED IN THE CHINJU AREA ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. THEY REPORTED DESTROYING 40 VEHICLES AND A TANK NEAR PANSONG, A ROAD JUNCTION EAST OF CHINJU.

THE LEATHERNECK FLIERS ALSO STRAFED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN NEARBY

VILLAGES.
BOMBERS FROM TWO ESSEX-CLASS CARRIERS REPORTED FOUR DIRECT HITS ON THE VITAL WEST SEOUL BRIDGE.
NAVY FIGHTERS RAKED FIVE VILLAGES NORTHWEST OF CHINJU HARBORING ENEMY TROOPS. THEIR OTHER TARGETS WERE THREE ELECTRIC TRANSFORMER STATIONS, BRIDGES, TANKS, RAILROAD CARS, SAMPANS AND JUNKS.
AROUND KIMPO AIRFIELD, NORTHWEST OF SEOUL, THE NAVY PILOTS SAID THEY RAN INTO "PROFESSIONAL ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE."
IN THE PAST THREE DAYS, THE FIFTH AIR FORCE SAID, FIVE F-51 MUSTANG PILOTS WERE LOST. ONE WAS LOST MONDAY IN AN ATTACK ON A NORTH KOREAN POSITION.
AUSTRALIAN MUSTANGS DAMAGED TWO RAIL TUNNELS NEAR TAEJON AMONG OTHER TARGETS.
THE LIGHT B-26 BOMBERS DID DOUBLE DUTY. THEY BOMBED BRIDGES AND THEN SOARED IN LOW TO STRAFE FRONTLINE ENEMY FORCES.
U.S. AIR FORCE JET F-80S BADLY DAMAGED 13 BUILDINGS AND NINE TRUCKS AT CHINJU. THE JETS ALSO SMASHED AT TARGETS AS FAR NORTH AS ANDONG ON THE NORTHERN FRONT.
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A138KX
BULLETIN
TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG.9-(AP)-A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY THAT THE AMERICAN DRIVE ON THE CHINJU FRONT IN THE SOUTH KOREA IS "ACHIEVING ITS OBJECTIVES."
HE SAID THE U.S. FORCES ARE INFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES ON THE ENEMY AS WELL AS HAMMERING OUT GROUND GAINS.

THE BRIEFING OFFICER SAID THE AMERICANS WERE ADVANCING IN A THREE-PRONGED DRIVE ON THE FLAMING SOUTHERN FRONT.
THE NORTH PRONG OF THE ASSAULT IS MOVING MORE RAPIDLY THAN THE CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN SPEARHEADS, HE REPORTED.
THE AMERICAN STAB POINTED FARTHEST NORTH "ENCOUNTERED AND OVERRAN" ENEMY FORCES BUT THE OTHER TWO U.S. DRIVES MET HEAVY RESISTANCE AND ARE PROGRESSING MORE SLOWLY.

THE GREATEST AMERICAN PENETRATION TOWARD CHINJU IS NOW BETWEEN 11 AND 12 MILES FROM THE CITY, THE OFFICER SAID.
HE TOLD REPORTERS THAT THE NORTHERN PRONG OF THE THREE-WWAY PUSH GAINED ANOTHER THOUSAND YARDS AS OF 9 A. M. TOKYO TIME (6 P.M., EST, TUESDAY), MAKING A TOTAL OF FOUR THOUSAND YARDS ADVANCED SINCE THE FORCES MOVED INTO THE ASSAULT.
NO SPECIFIC GAINS WERE MENTIONED FOR THE OTHER UNITS.
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TOKYO, AUG. 8-(AP)-REPORTS THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD ASKED CARLOS P. ROMULO OF THE PHILIPPINES TO JOIN HIS WAR STAFF WERE RECEIVED WITH OFFICIAL SILENCE HERE TODAY.
ROMULO, FOREIGN SECRETARY OF THE PHILIPPINES AND PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY, WAS A BRIGADIER GENERAL ON MACARTHUR'S STAFF IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR BUT DID NOT HANDLE COMBAT ASSIGNMENTS.
IN MANILA, ROMULO WAS CONFINED TO BED WITH LARYNGITIS. "NO COMMENT," HE WHISPERED IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS ON A PUBLISHED (DREW PEARSON COLUMN) REPORT IN THE UNITED STATES THAT MACARTHUR HAD ASKED HIM TO SERVE IN THE ALLIED KOREAN WAR COMMAND.
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TOKYO,AUG.8-(AP)-THE BRITISH COMMANDER OF UNITED NATIONS WARSHIPS SHELLING THE MAIN WEST KOREA PORT OF INCHON ON THE YELLOW SEA YESTERDAY DESCRIBED IT AS A "VERY LEISURELY SHOOT."
REAR ADM.W.G.ANDREWS, COMMANDER OF THE BRITISH, AUSTRALIAN, FRENCH AND DUTCH FORCES, SAID THE SHIPS HAD TO GO UP A MILE-WIDE RIVER CHANNEL TO A POINT NEAR INCHON, ADDING:
"IT WAS RATHER A TRICKY OPERATION. IT WAS JUST POSSIBLE IN THAT CHANNEL TO SWING SHIPS AROUND AND BRING GUNS TO BEAR. REMEMBERING EXPERIENCES OF THE AMETHYST ON THE YANGTZE, WE THOUGHT WE MIGHT BE IN ON A SOMEWHAT POOR PICKET. BUT IF THERE WERE ANY COMMUNISTS NEARBY, THEY HAD THE GOOD SENSE NOT TO FIRE ON US."
THE BRITISH FRIGATE AMETHYST IN APRIL, 1949, WAS BOMBARDED BY CHINESE RED ARTILLERY ON A TRIP UP THE YANGTZE. THE SLOOP SUFFERED HEAVY PERSONNEL CASUALTIES AND HAD TO BE BEACHED. WARSHIPS COMING TO HER ASSISTANCE ALSO SUFFERED PERSONNEL LOSSES. IT WAS SEVERAL MONTHS BEFORE THE AMETHYST FINALLY ESCAPED TO THE OPEN SEA.
THE BRITISH ADMIRAL PRAISED SOUTH KOREAN SMALL CRAFT THAT HUNT OUT ENEMY JUNKS CLOSE INSHORE AMONG "THOUSANDS OF ISLANDS."
"THEY (SOUTH KOREANS) ARE JUST LIKE FERRETS AND VERY GOOD FERRETS, TOO," HE ADDED.
TWO ENEMY FIGHTERS DROPPED BOMBS AT SEA. ONE MADE TWO STRAFING RUNS AT A WARSHIP WHICH RETURNED THE FIRE, THE ADMIRAL SAID, BUT "I DON'T THINK EITHER OF US DID ANY DAMAGE."
AN AUSTRALIAN DESTROYER, THE ADMIRAL RELATED, HAD A "SPLENDID FIGHT" WITH SEVEN ENEMY 120 MM. GUNS.
"WE WERE LUCKY TO GET IN AT THE FINISH BUT THE AUSTRALIANS APPARENTLY PUT THE POSITION OUT OF ACTION FIRST," HE SAID.
"THAT'S THE WAY IT HAS BEEN--PERIODS OF SOME EXCITEMENT FOLLOWED BY PERIODS OF INTENSE DULLNESS. IT'S VERY VALUABLE WORK, OF COURSE."
VICE ADM. CHARLES T.JOY, U.S. FAR EAST NAVAL COMMANDER, LAUDED THIS U.N. FORCE BLOCKADING THE WEST COAST. HE MESSAGED ANDREWES:
"AS COMMANDER OF U.N. NAVAL FORCES UNDER GENERAL MACARTHUR, I CONGRATULATE AND COMMEND BRITISH UNITS UNDER COMMAND OF REAR ADMIRAL ANDREWES FOR THEIR CONSISTENT RECORD OF SHARP SHOOTING AT MOKPO AND INCHON. SINCE IT'S UNFORTUNATELY NECESSARY TO SHOOT TO STAY FREE, WE ARE INDEED GLAD TO HAVE THE SURE AND FAST FIRING BRITISH WITH US."
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TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,AUG.9-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID IN A BROADCAST OVER PYONGYANG RADIO THAT ITS FORCES HAD DESTROYED THE SOUTH KOREAN 18TH REGIMENT IN FIGHTING SOUTH OF CHONGSONG, ABOUT 16 MILES WEST OF YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA.
THE TUESDAY NIGHT BROADCAST, MONITORED HERE, DID NOT SAY WHEN THE COMMUNISTS REPORTEDLY DESTROYED THE REPUBLICAN REGIMENT.
THE RED ARMY ALSO SAID IT SURROUNDED ANOTHER LARGE SOUTH KOREAN UNIT IN THE AREA AND HAD BEGUN "MOPPING UP OPERATIONS."
~~THE BROADCAST SAID FOUR 105 MILLIMETER CANNONS, SOME MOTOR VEHICLES AND OTHER BOOTY WERE CAPTURE~~
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THE BROADCAST SAID FOUR 105 MILLIMETER CANNONS, SOME MOTOR VEHICLES AND OTHER BOOTY WERE CAPTURED.
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TOKYO,AUG.8-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TONIGHT THE
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AMERICAN DRIVE ON THE FLAMING SOUTH KOREAN FRONT "HAS RESUMED IN THE DIRECTION OF CHINJU."

THE RELEASE AT 11:30 P.M. (8:30 A.M., EST) SAID AMERICAN TROOPS STILL WERE CLEANING OUT ISOLATED POCKETS OF THE ENEMY.

AMERICAN CASUALTIES FOR THE 24 HOURS STARTING AT 5 A.M. MONDAY WERE LISTED AS 10 KILLED, 50 WOUNDED AND SEVEN MISSING.

THESE FIGURES INCLUDED THE NAVY, MARINES AND AIR FORCE BUT NOT THE 24TH ARMY DIVISION WHICH HAD NOT REPORTED.

ENEMY CASUALTIES CONTINUED HIGH, THE RELEASE SAID. ABOUT 300 RED KOREANS WERE REPORTED KILLED OR CAPTURED IN MOP-UP OPERATIONS. THEY HAD BEEN SURROUNDED AS THE AMERICANS DROVE TOWARD CHINJU, SPRINGBOARD OF THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK 55 MILES EAST OF PUSAN.

"THE POSSIBLE THREAT FROM THE SMALL BRIDGEHEADS THROWN ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER HAS NEITHER INCREASED NOR DECREASED," THE RELEASE SAID.

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HARRIMAN (100)

TOKYO, AUG. 8-(AP)-W. AVERELL HARRIMAN IS FLYING TO WASHINGTON WITH AN OPTIMISTIC REPORT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON THE KOREAN WAR.

THE PRESIDENT'S SPECIAL ASSISTANT AND ADVISER ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS CARRIED THIS LAST-MINUTE MESSAGE FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR:

"TELL THE PRESIDENT NOT TO WORRY. WE ARE CONFIDENT."

MACARTHUR GAVE HIS REASSURING WORDS AS HARRIMAN AND HIS PARTY BOARDED A MILITARY TRANSPORT PLANE.

ON A THREE DAY VISIT, HARRIMAN CONFERRED AT LENGTH WITH MACARTHUR AND VISITED THE KOREAN WAR FRONT. HE ALSO TALKED WITH PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE OF SOUTH KOREA AND LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER IN KOREA.

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AIR SUPPORT (525)

BY HAL BOYLE

ON THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE IN KOREA, AUG. 8-(AP)-AMERICAN AIR AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND UNITS TEAMED TODAY IN NEAR-PERFECT SUPPORT TO BLAST A STRONG FORCE OF REDS HOLDING KEY HILL-TOP POSITIONS IN THE SEE-SAW FIGHTING NORTH OF WAEGWAN.

THE ENEMY STRONGHOLDS WERE PINPOINTED BY SOUTH KOREANS WHO SENT U.S. AIR POWER TO THE TARGETS BY WAVING WHITE CLOTHS AND USING SMOKE BOMBS.

THE SOUTH KOREANS -- UNTIL HELP CAME -- HAD CONTAINED THE REDS WITH A THIN LINE OF INFANTRY STRUNG AROUND THE STRATEGIC HEIGHTS WHICH OVERLOOK THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR WAEGWAN.

THE NORTH KOREANS THEMSELVES SET THE STAGE FOR THE FIGHT FOR THE PLACE KNOWN ON MILITARY MAPS AS "HILL 348." THE REDS MONDAY NIGHT HAD SLIPPED ACROSS THE NAKTONG DEFENSE LINE IN AN APPARENT ATTEMPT TO BUILD-UP FORCES FOR A HEAVY DRIVE ON THE COMMUNICATIONS HUB AT TAEGU.

THE ENEMY SUCCEEDED IN BOLSTERING HIS INFANTRY WITH TWO TANKS FERRIED ACROSS THE STREAM AT NIGHT. THE ARMORED POWER WAS KNOCKED-OUT BY AIR STRIKES IN THE MORNING.

BUT THE RED TROOPS TOOK TO THE HILLS AND ESTABLISHED POSITIONS WHICH, THE SOUTH KOREANS FOUND, WERE CONCENTRATED ON THE HILL SOME 400 YARDS FROM THE RIVER.

(REPORTS FROM 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD LOST SOME GROUND IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR SINCE BOYLE'S DISPATCH WAS FILED. IT WAS UNCLEAR, HOWEVER, WHETHER THE REDS STILL HELD THE POSITIONS MENTIONED BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT.)

SOUTH KOREAN ESTIMATES PLACED THE NUMBER OF ENEMY AT BETWEEN 200 AND 2,000 (CORRECT) MEN. THE NUMBER WAS NOT DETERMINED BUT THE SOUTH KOREANS KNEW THEY DIDN'T HAVE ENOUGH TROOPS OR FIREPOWER TO HANDLE AN ATTACK.

SO THEY ASKED A U.S. FIRST CAVALRY COMMAND POST TO CALL IN AMERICAN AIR SUPPORT. THE SOUTH KOREANS SAID THEY WOULD OUTLINE THE TARGET AREA -- AND THEIR OWN LINES -- WITH SMOKE SHELLS AND WHITE CLOTHS.

LT.COL. GLENN F.ROGERS, OF MORRISON, TENN., WARNED THE SOUTH KOREANS THAT THEIR TROOPS MIGHT GET HURT WHEN THE CLOSE-CIRCLING AMERICAN PLANES CAME IN ON STRAFING AND BOMBING RUNS.

BUT THE SOUTH KOREANS SAID THEY WOULD TAKE THAT RISK -- OR ANY RISK -- TO CUT DOWN ENEMY POWER IN THE AREA.

ROGERS TURNED TO HIS AIR CONTROL OFFICER, LT. HOWARD J.LANDRY (ROUTE FOUR, BOX 28), OF WISCONSIN RAPIDS, WISC., AND SAID:

"OKAY, TELL YOUR BOYS TO GIVE THAT MOUNTAIN A HAIRCUT."

"ROGER," SAID LANDRY AND RAN TO HIS JEEP RADIO TO CONTACT EIGHT MUSTANGS AND JETS WHICH WERE OVER THE AREA.

"THEY'LL BE HERE IN FIVE MINUTES," LANDRY REPORTED. AND THEY CAME ON SECHEDULE.

OFFICERS AND MEN RAN FROM THE AMERICAN COMMAND POST TO WATCH. INTERVENING HILLS BLOCKED THE VIEW OF THE MOUNTAIN ON WHICH THE REDS WERE ISOLATED. BUT THEY COULD SEE THE PLANES SWOOP DOWN TIME AFTER TIME AND HEAR THE CLATTER OF THEIR 50-CALIBER MACHINEGUNS FEELING THE CRAGS FOR THE HIDDEN ENEMY.

SHORTLY AFTER THE PLANES SWUNG AWAY TO ATTACK SEVEN RED ARTILLERY PIECES ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE RIVER, LANDRY CAME IN TO REPORT THE AIR ATTACK HAD BEEN SUCCESSFUL.

"THEY REALLY CLOBBERED THAT HILL," HE SAID.

AND IT WASN'T LONG AFTER THAT THAT A MESSAGE CAME TO THE COMMAND POST FROM THE COMMANDER OF THE SOUTH KOREAN FORCES GROUPED AROUND THE MOUNTAIN. IT SAID:

"THE FORCES OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA THANK THE AMERICAN AIRFORCE FOR ITS GENEROUS COOPERATION".

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TOKYO, AUG. 8-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ROBERT MENZIES OF AUSTRALIA IS DUE HERE SUNDAY ON HIS WAY HOME FROM THE UNITED STATES.

COL. W.R. HODGSON, HEAD OF THE AUSTRALIAN MISSION, SAID THE PRIME MINISTER WOULD INSPECT AUSSIE UNITS IN JAPAN, INCLUDING A FIGHTER SQUADRON.

IT WAS NOT REPORTED WHETHER HE WOULD VISIT THE KOREAN WAR FRONT. MENZIES ANNOUNCED RECENTLY AUSTRALIAN GROUND TROOPS WOULD BE SENT TO KOREA.

AUSTRALIAN NAVAL AND AIR UNITS ALREADY ARE IN THE FIGHTING.

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TEXT (150)

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG. 8-(AP)-TEXT OF THE 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 27 ISSUED AT 6:15 P.M. TODAY (3:15 A.M., EST):

THERE HAS BEEN NO MAJOR CHANGE IN ACTION ON THE KOREAN FRONT SINCE ISSUANCE OF 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 26 TIMED 10:30 A.M.

THE ADVANCE OF THE UNITED STATES ATTACK ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE UNITED NATIONS LINE HAS BEEN HETD UP TODAY BY ENEMY ACTION IN THE REAR OF THE FIFTH REGIMENT AND MARINE REGIMENT. THIS HAS BEEN REDUCED AND THE ATTACK RESUMED WITH SOME ADVANCE.

THE 19TH AND 34TH REGIMENTS WERE IN CONTINUOUS ATTACK TODAY AGAINST THE COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHONGNYONG. UNITED STATES FORCES HAVE EMPLOYED ARTILLERY, MORTAR AND AIR SUPPORT TODAY AND MADE SMALL GAINS.

IN THE WAEGWAN AND YONGGIDONG SECTOR ENEMY PRESSURE HAS LESSENED AND NO FURTHER ADVANCE BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES HAS BEEN REPORTED.

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TEXT (240)
U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,WEDNESDAY,AUG.9-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 28 RELEASED TODAY BY 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS:
DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAVE MADE SMALL GAINS ON THE DRIVE TOWARD CHINJU, AND IN REDUCING THE CHANGYONG BRIDGEHEAD THEY HAVE ALSO SUCCEEDED IN HOLDING NORTH KOREAN ATTACKS IN THE WAEGWAN AND YANGGIDONG AREAS.
TASK FORCE KEAN CONTINUED TO ADVANCE TOWARD CHINJU, GAINING TWO TO THREE MILES AGAINST DETERMINED NORTH KOREAN TROOPS NOW ESTIMATED AT 8,000 6TH DIVISION. TROOPS.
PRESSURE ON THE CHANGNYONG (CORRECT) BRIDGEHEAD HAS BEEN STRONGLY REINFORCED BY UNITS WHICH MADE THE ATTACK WITH GREAT SPIRIT AND VIGOR. THESE UNITS ARE APPROACHING THE LAST HIGH GROUND HELD BY THE COMMUNISTS IN THE BRIDGEHEAD. THERE IS STILL NO INDICATION OF A BUILDUP TO EXPLOIT THE FOOTHOLD BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES.
CROSSINGS AND ATTACKS JUST NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY CONTAINED AND THE GROUND LOST YESTERDAY RETAKEN. THREE TO FOUR TANKS WERE DESTROYED BY THE ACTION WHICH WAS SUPPORTED BY AIRCRAFT AND FIRST CAVALRY ARTILLERY.
IN THE YANGGIDONG AREA AND TO THE EAST, ENEMY PRESSURE CAUSED A SHORT WITHDRAWAL BY ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FORCES. THE FIRST AND SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS HAVE COUNTER-ATTACKED WITH THE FIRST HAVING GAINED ITS POSITION AND THE ADVANCE OF THE SIXTH PROGRESSING SATISFACTORILY. THE TWO ENEMY REGIMENTS REPORTED ADVANCING SOUTH TWO DAYS AGO AND BETWEEN THE CAPITAL AND THIRD DIVISIONS ARE AS YET UNOPPOSED.
IN THE YONGDOK AREA THERE WAS A DETERMINED TANK-SUPPORTED ATTACK ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE THIRD ROK DIVISION. AT LAST REPORTS THE SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WERE HOLDING.
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TEXT (250)
TOKYO,AUG.8-(AP)-TEXT OF A TOYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE SUMMARY ISSUED AT 6:45 P.M. (3:45 A.M., EST) TODAY:
THREE AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG PILOTS FEEL MORE THAN A LITTLE PLEASED ABOUT THEIR BAG IN OPERATIONS LAST NIGHT AND TODAY.
THE TRIO TOOK OFF LATE YESTERDAY AND BEGAN THEIR FIRST OPERATION AT DUSK. DIRECTED TO A TARGET EAST OF CHINJU, THEY FOUND TWO CAMOUFLAGED VEHICLES PARKED IN A YARD. THE FLIGHT LEADER WENT IN WITH 500-POUND BOMBS AND FLATTENED BOTH OF THEM.
HE SAID, "IT WAS A PLEASANT SIGHT, AND I WAS ENJOYING A BIT OF A GLOAT OVER THE WRECKAGE WHEN I HEARD SOMEBODY COME IN ON THE R.T. WITH THE CRACK, 'NOT BAD, MATE, BUT YOU COULD HAVE LOBBED THEM ABOUT 3 FEET CLOSER.'"
WITH THE TWO ALREADY ON THE BOARD, THE THREE TURNED AWAY TO DIRECT THEIR ATTENTIONS ON A TANK WHICH HAD BEEN LOCATED BY THE GROUND CONTROL. DUSK WAS CLOSING IN, BUT THERE WAS STILL PLENTY OF LIGHT FOR THE THREE TO SPOT THEIR QUARRY. THEY ROCKETED AND STRAFED THE TANK AND HAD THE SATISFACTION OF WATCHING IT BLOW UP BEFORE THEY HEADED SOUTHWARD TO AN AMERICAN BASE FOR THE NIGHT.
THIS MORNING, REARMED AND REFUELED, THE FLIGHT HEADED TO A POINT WEST OF SANGJU, WHERE, IN A SERIES OF GROUND-DIRECTED SWOOPS, THE FOLLOWING SCORES WERE CHALKED UP: FLIGHT-LEADER, ONE TANK AND ONE TRUCK; NUMBER 2, THREE TRUCKS; NUMBER 3, ONE TANK AND TWO TRUCKS.
"WE DIDN'T HAVE ANY DOUBTS ABOUT THEM," REMARKED THE FLIGHT LEADER. "THEY ALL BURNED UP PRETTY FAST, AND WE LEFT A LOT OF SMOKE BEHIND TO SHOW WHERE WE'D BEEN."
DURING TODAY OTHER AIRCRAFT OF THE SQUADRON WERE ENGAGED IN CLOSE-SUPPORT ACTIVITIES OVER THE FRONT.
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TEXT (270)
TOKYO,AUG. 8-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.222 (AIR) ISSUED AT 6:25 P.M. (3:25 A.M., EST) TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:
U.S. AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS PROVIDED NO LETUP IN THEIR CONSISTENT POUNDING OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND INSTALLATIONS TODAY, AGAIN THEY FLEW FROM EARLY MORNING UNTIL LATE IN THE EVENING IN SUPPORT OF THE OFFENSIVE MINDED GROUND FORCES.
F-80 JETS OPERATED IN THE SEOUL AREA IN A CLEANUP ROLE TO THE BOMBARDMENT OF THE MARSHALLING YARDS MONDAY BY B-29 SUPERFORTS OF THE FEAR (FAR EAST AIR FORCES) BOMBER COMMAND. A SQUADRON MADE A HIGH SPEED ROCKET RUN ON THE PONTOON BRIDGE ACROSS THE HAN RIVER.
FLYING WING MAN WITH THE F-80S, CAPT.OWEN E.RADCLIFF, 3502 SAN JOSE, TAMPA, FLA., SAID HITS WERE MADE ON THE BRIDGE IN SEVERAL PLACES. "WE FLEW ON FLAK POSITIONS WHICH WE WERE ABLE TO LOCATE," HE SAID.
BEFORE HE RETURNED TO BASE, CAPTAIN RADCLIFF SAID THE JET PILOTS IN HIS FLIGHT EXPENDED THEIR AMMUNITION ON TWO TRUCKS NEAR CHUNGJU (CORRECT) LEAVING THEM BURNING.
FLYING HIS 62ND COMBAT MISSION AGAINST THE NORTH KOREANS, LT.ALVIN L.WIMER, MEDFORD, ORE., STRAFED THE POKSONG-DONG MARSHALLING YARDS THIS AFTERNOON. HE SAID: "I HIT A SCHOOLHOUSE WITH THREE ROCKET HITS AND LEFT IT BURNING." AS TROOPS CAME OUT OF THE SCHOOLHOUSE, LIEUTENANT WIMER AND THE OTHER F-80 PILOTS IN HIS FLIGHT STRAFED THEM WITH GOOD RESULTS. THEY ALSO LEFT TRUCKS IN A RIVER BURNING AFTER MACHINEGUN BURSTS. THEY HIT APPROXIMATELY 25 BOXCARS IN THE MARSHALLING YARDS AND FINISHED UP ON ARTILLERY PIECES ON A NEARBY HILL.
A CONTROLLER DIRECTED SECOND LT.WILLIS M.JONES, 606 S.GERMANTOWN ROAD, CHATTANOOGA, TENN., TO A TANK ON THE NAKTONG RIVER. THE NO. TWO MAN IN HIS ELEMENT TOLD JONES THAT HIS ROCKET MADE A DIRECT HIT ON THE TANK MIDWAY IN THE RIVER. "WE STRAFED THE RIVER BANKS AND ENCOUNTERED SOME FLAK," SAID JONES.
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TEXT (170)
TOKYO,AUG.8-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.223 ISSUED AT 11:30 P.M. (8:30 A.M., EST) TONIGHT BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:
THERE CONTINUED TO BE LITTLE CHANGE IN THE SITUATION ALONG THE FIGHTING FRONT IN KOREA.
OPERATION KEAN--(THE U.S.OFFENSIVE IN THE SOUTH)--WAS HELD UP TODAY WHILE ISOLATED POCKETS OF COMMUNISTS WERE CLEANED OUT. THIS HOLD-UP WAS TEMPORARY AND THE OFFENSIVE HAS RESUMED IN THE DIRECTION OF CHINJU. INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATE THE ENEMY ARE RUSHING REINFORCEMENTS TO THIS FRONT, WITH POSSIBLY THE NORTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION BEING BROUGHT SOUTH FROM THE VICINITY OF KUMCHON.
ENEMY CASUALTIES CONTINUED TO BE HIGH. APPROXIMATELY 300 COMMUNISTS WERE KILLED OR CAPTURED IN THE ABOVE POCKETS SURROUNDED IN THE ADVANCE BY OPERATION KEAN. AMERICAN CASUALTIES FROM 5 A.M. 7 AUGUST TO 5 A.M. 8 AUGUST WERE 10 KILLED, 50 WOUNDED AND SEVEN MISSING IN ACTION. THIS INCLUDES THE NAVY, MARINES AND AIR FORCE, BUT NOT THE 24TH DIVISION WHICH HAS NOT REPORTED ITS CASUALTIES FOR THE ABOVE PERIOD.
THE POSSIBLE THREAT FROM THE SMALL BRIDGEHEADS THROWN ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER HAS NEITHER INCREASED NOR DECREASED.
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LONDON, AUG.8-(AP)-THE TEXT OF AUG.8 MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:

ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE AMERICAN TROOPS. AIRCRAFT OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ARE COURAGEOUSLY ENGAGING AMERICAN PLANES AND ARE CONTINUING TO BOMB CONCENTRATIONS OF ENEMY TROOPS, LINES OF COMMUNICATION IN THE REAR OF THE ENEMY AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS, INFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES ON THE ENEMY.

SUPPORTING THE OFFENSIVE OF THE UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, GUERRILLA DETACHMENTS IN THE PROVINCES OF SOUTH AND NORTH KYONGSANG HAVE BECOME MORE ACTIVE IN THEIR OPERATIONS AND ARE CONTINUING TO DISORGANIZE THE REAR OF THE ENEMY.

AMERICAN PLANES ARE BARBAROUSLY BOMBING TOWNS IN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA INCLUDING THE PYONGYANG AREA. ON AUG.7, AFTER MIDDAY, OVER 30 FOUR ENGINED AMERICAN PLANES DROPPED SEVERAL HUNDRED BOMBS ON PYONGYANG AND ITS SUBURBS DURING A PERIOD OF THREE HOURS.

AS A RESULT THE EDITORIAL OFFICES OF NEWSPAPERS, INSTITUTES, HOSPITALS, CULTURAL AND EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS AND MANY RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS WERE DESTROYED.

THERE ARE CASUALTIES AMONG THE POPULATION INCLUDING SICK PEOPLE AND SCHOOL CHILDREN.

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EVENING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLES ARMY CONTINUE TO ENGAGE IN FIERCE FIGHTING AGAINST AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ADVANCING ON THE EASTERN COAST SOUTH OF CHONGSONG COMPLETELY DESTROYED AN ENEMY ~~REGIMENT, THUME~~ REGIMENT IN THE SAME DIRECTION ADVANCING TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY SURROUNDED A LARGE ENEMY GROUPING AND HAVE BEGUN FIGHTING TO DESTROY IT.

AS A RESULT OF THESE ENGAGEMENTS THE 18TH BRIGADE, A MOTORIZED BRIGADE, AN ARTILLERY DIVISION AND OTHER ENEMY UNITS HAVE BEEN SMASHED.

WAR MATERIALS WERE CAPTURED INCLUDING FOUR 105 MM GUNS AND 70 LORRIES.

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SIXTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN RONDUP (250)

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TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.8-(AP)-ARMY INFANTRYMEN, CRASHING WESTWARD IN A GAIN OF ABOUT 10 MILES, BORED TO WITHIN 10 MILES OF CHINJU TODAY IN THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. BUT TO THE NORTH AT LEAST 20,000 KOREAN COMMUNISTS CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER IN A SERIES OF NEW THREATS.

SPEARHEAD OF THE WAR'S FIRST U.S. OFFENSIVE WAS THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE ARMY'S 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION. THE DOUGHBOYS HAD PUSHED ALONG THE CURVING HIGHWAY FROM THE VITAL SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN ABOUT 10 MILES TOWARD CHINJU, SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF THE NORTH KOREAN LINE.

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ALL ALONG THE REST OF THE WESTERN SIDE OF THE UNITED NATIONS BEACHHEAD THE REDS WERE BUILDING UP NEW THREATS TO THE NAKTONG DEFENSE LINE.

THE BIGGEST THREAT WAS NEAR THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE U.N. BOX WHERE PERHAPS 15,000 MEN WERE STRIKING SOUTH FROM YANGGIDONG ABOUT 20 MILES SOUTHEAST OF HAMCHANG.

A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE CALLED THIS "THE NEWEST THREAT OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES" AND APPEARED TO BE THE BEGINNING OF THE LONG-EXPECTED ALL-OUT PUSH ON THE COMMUNICATIONS HUB OF TAEGU, JUST BEHIND THE U.N. FRONT.

A COMPANION THRUST WAS THREE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN, ONLY 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THERE THE REDS ALREADY HAD PUT TWO BATTALIONS OF MEN AND ONE TANK ACROSS THE RIVER. SEVEN MORE TANKS WERE ON THE WEST BANK AND TROOPS WERE BUILDING UP THERE.

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FARTHER SOUTH, THE KOREAN REDS HAVE BUILT UP TO AT LEAST A REGIMENT--PERHAPS 5,000 MEN--ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG. THIS CONCENTRATION WAS IN THE VICINITY OF CHANGNYONG, ABOUT 25 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE CHANGNYONG AREA MOVES WERE AGAINST A WEAKENED U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION WHICH HAS DIVERTED ITS NEGRO 24TH REGIMENT TO SUPPORT OF THE SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE.

THIS FORCED THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TO EXTEND ITS LINE SOUTHWARD 8,000 YARDS ALONG THE NAKTONG.

COMMUNIST INFANTRY WITH TANK SUPPORT CROSSED THE NAKTONG NEAR WAEGWAN AND DROVE AGAINST THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WHICH DEFENDS THE MAIN HIGHWAY AND RAILWAY ROUTES INTO TAEGU.

ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY, AMERICANS ON THE 24TH DIVISION FRONT OPENED A GENERAL ATTACK TO END THE THREATENING RED BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG NEAR CHONGNYANG, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

BUT ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING SAID THIS ATTACK HAD BEEN BROUGHT TO A STANDSTILL AT 2 P.M.--ABOUT EIGHT HOURS AFTER IT BEGAN IN THE DAWN. JUDGING FROM THE LARGE NUMBER OF BOATS LITTERING THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER, HE SAID, THE REDS HAD SUCCEEDED IN GETTING "CONSIDERABLE" REINFORCEMENTS ACROSS DURING THE NIGHT.

KING SAID 24TH DIVISION HEADQUARTERS ESTIMATED THE COMMUNIST FORCE EAST OF THE RIVER IN THIS AREA AT BETWEEN 2,000 AND 4,000.

ON THE NORTH END OF THE NAKTONG DEFENSE LINE, HOWEVER, THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD COUNTERATTACKED AND SHOVED THE REDS BACK TO THE EAST BANK IN SOME PLACES. THIS ACTION WAS SOME 25 MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN.

ON THE KOREAN SOUTH COAST, BEYOND THE FLAMING NAKTONG RIVER LINE, U.S.MARINES AND ARMY INFANTRY GOT THEIR OFFENSIVE ROLLING AGAIN TOWARD CHINJU.

AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE WEDNESDAY MORNING SAID THESE WESTWARD-THRUSTING AMERICANS HAD GAINED TWO TO THREE MILES AGAINST DETERMINED RED RESISTANCE.

CORRESPONDENT O.H.P. KING ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT SAID THAT FRESH AMERICAN REINFORCEMENTS JUMPED OFF AT 5:45 A.M. ON THE COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD WEST OF CHANGNYONG, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

OTHER AMERICAN ELEMENTS WHICH HAD BEEN CONTAINING AN ESTIMATED 2,500 TO 3,000 NORTH KOREANS JOINED IN THE GENERAL ATTACK.

SHARP ARTILLERY FIRE AND HEAVY AIR STRIKES SUPPORTED THE AMERICAN DRIVE TO PUSH THE REDS BACK TO THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG.

ABOUT 40 MILES FARTHER NORTH, THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION SLAMMED A STRONG COUNTERATTACK LAST NIGHT AT THREE RED REGIMENTS THREATENING TAEGU FROM THE NORTHWEST.

THE REDS WERE HURLED BACK 2.3 TO 3.4 MILES, AMERICAN ADVISORY SOURCES SAID, WITH THE SOUTH KOREAN DRIVE REACHING BANKS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.

THE REPUBLICAN ARMY MOPPED UP POCKETS OF COMMUNISTS STILL CLINGING TO THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER.

ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, FIELD DISPATCHES RELAYED BY TELEPHONE CREDITED A BATTALION OF THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM

HAWAII WITH A FOUR-MILE ADVANCE.
THE GAIN, NOT YET CONFIRMED BY OTHER SOURCES, WAS MADE TUESDAY NIGHT AGAINST OPPOSITION DESCRIBED AS LIGHT.
THE ADVANCE PLACED THIS UNIT FOUR MILES BEYOND A ROAD JUNCTION ABOUT THREE MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHINDONG.
AN ENEMY ROAD BLOCK WHICH STALLED THE FLOW OF SUPPLIES TO SUPPORT THE AMERICAN THRUST AGAINST CHINJU VIRTUALLY WAS BROKEN, WITH TRAFFIC MOVING THROUGH LIGHT MACHINEGUN FIRE.
THE NUMBER OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS INSIDE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE LINES WAS NOT OFFICIALLY ESTIMATED. NOR WAS THERE ANY GUESS ON THE NUMBER OF RED GUERRILLAS ACTIVE IN THE AREA.
EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS TUESDAY PLACED FIVE NORTH KOREAN REGIMENTS AND TWO BATTALIONS INSIDE THE LINES. THE COMMUNIST REGIMENT RANGES FROM 2,000 TO 3,000 MEN AND ITS BATTALIONS RUN 800 TO 1,000.

THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE IN THE SOUTH--AFTER GAINS RANGING FOUR TO TEN MILES--GROUND TO A HALT SOME 10 TO 12 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, SPRINGBOARD FOR NORTH KOREAN THRUSTS AT THE AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN. ROAD-BLOCKS, FLANKING ATTACKS, INFILTRATION AND A BROILING AUGUST SUN ALL SAPPED THE AMERICAN DRIVE OF THE STRENGTH IT NEEDED TO PRESS ON TO CHINJU. BATTERED CHINJU IS 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.
THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID IN A COMMUNIQUE THAT A TUESDAY NIGHT ATTACK HAD MADE "SOME ADVANCE."
WHILE GROUND FORCES WERE BITTERLY ENGAGED ALONG THE WHOLE 140-MILE FRONT AIR FORCE, MARINE AND CARRIER-BASED NAVY PLANES TEAMED TUESDAY FOR A RECORD OF 550 SORTIES BY LANDBASED PLANES AND 203 SORTIES BY CARRIER PLANES.
MOST OF THE ATTACKS WERE IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS. OTHER FIGHTER-BOMBERS STABBED AT COMMUNICATION LINES FAR BEHIND THE FRONT.
MIGHTY B-29S DELIVERED ANOTHER HEAVY PUNCH ON THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL AT PYONGYANG, WHERE 450 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON AN ARSENAL AND RAILROAD YARDS.
A SMALLER B-29 FORCE HIT WONSAN, EAST COAST INDUSTRIAL TARGET NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, WITH 80 TONS OF BOMBS.
ALLIED WARSHIPS BOMBARDED BOTH WEST AND EAST COAST TARGETS, DEEP INSIDE COMMUNIST-HELD TERRITORY.

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DESPITE PUNISHMENT FROM THE AIR AND SEA THE NORTH KOREANS WERE MAINTAINING HEAVY PRESSURE ON THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.
CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD WITH U.S. TROOPS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT SAID THE MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE, FEEDING THE FIRST AMERICAN OFFENSIVE OF THE WAR, WAS BLOCKED MORE THAN FOUR HOURS ON TUESDAY. HE DESCRIBED IT AS "THE MOST CONFUSED DAY OF THE KOREAN WAR FOR THE AMERICAN ARMY."
MARINES ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN END OF THE AMERICAN DRIVE WERE HALTED BY RED ARTILLERY FIRE, WHITEHEAD SAID. RED INFILTRATORS ADDED TO THE SLOWUP BY CLAMPING A ROAD BLOCK ONLY FIVE MILES WEST OF MASAN, SUPPLY PORT WHICH IS 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

THE SITUATION GREW SUFFICIENTLY SERIOUS FOR LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE EIGHTH ARMY, TO FLY FROM HIS HEADQUARTERS TO A SOUTHERN COMMAND POST. THERE IS CONFERRED WITH MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN, COMMANDING THE AMERICAN DRIVE.
AFTER THE TALKS KEAN ORDERED HIS REGIMENTAL AND BATTALION COMMANDERS TO RESUME THEIR ATTACK WITH THE FIRST AMERICAN NIGHT ASSAULT--THE TIME WHEN NORTH KOREANS USUALLY ATTEMPT INFILTRATION.
GENERAL MAC ARTHUR IN A LATE TUESDAY NIGHT WAR SUMMARY SAID THE AMERICAN DRIVE "HAS RESUMED IN THE DIRECTION OF CHINJU."
THE MARINES, INSTEAD OF PARTICIPATING IN THE MAIN ATTACK, WERE PROBING THROUGH 3,000-FOOT HIGH PEAKS. DRIVING OUT RED FLANKING THREATS TO THE 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM. THE LATTER IS ADVANCING IN THE CENTER OF THE 20-MILE WIDE LINE.
MAC ARTHUR SAID ENEMY CASUALTIES CONTINUED TO BE HIGH. ABOUT 300 WERE KILLED OR CAPTURED IN SMALL POCKETS. THE AMERICAN CASUALTIES IN THE FIRST 24-HOURS OF THE THREE-DAY OFFENSIVE WERE OFFICIALLY REPORTED AS 10 KILLED, 50 WOUNDED AND SEVEN MISSING IN ACTION.
ADDITIONAL REINFORCEMENTS WERE THROWN INTO THE SOUTHERN PUSH. ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENT -- A NEGRO OUTFIT OF THE 25TH DIVISION -- WERE SHIFTED TO HAMAN, EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN WITH ORDERS TO WIPE OUT A RED INFILTRATION THREAT.
THE SHIFTING OF MORE 25TH DIVISION UNITS FROM THE WESTERN FRONT ALONG THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER CAME AT A TIME WHEN THE REDS WERE BUILDING UP A BRIDGEHEAD SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG TO A REGIMENT IN STRENGTH. CHANGNYONG IS 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.
THE BUILDUP IN THIS SECTOR WAS RAPID AFTER AN ORIGINAL CROSSING OF 800 MEN LAST SATURDAY WAS EARLIER REPORTED SEVEN-EIGHTHS DESTROYED.
EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID A SECOND NORTH KOREAN FORCE OF POSSIBLY 800 MEN CROSSED IMMEDIATELY NORTH OF THE FIRST ONE.
MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY SAID THE POSSIBLE THREAT OF THESE BRIDGEHEADS "HAS NEITHER INCREASED NOR DECREASED."
RED TANKS WERE OBSERVED SEVERAL MILES WEST OF THE NAKTONG, WAITING FOR A CHANCE TO CROSS THE RIVER.
THE NEAREST THREAT, HOWEVER, CAME FROM NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. JUST NORTH OF WAEGWAN, WHICH IS 13 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE REDS SUCCEEDED IN SLIPPING TWO BATTALIONS TOTALING 1,600 MEN AND ONE TANK ACROSS THE RIVER.

THEY DROVE ABOUT TWO MILES DEEP ALONG A 2,000-YARD FRONT. SEVEN OTHER TANKS WERE AWAITING TO BE FERRIED WHEN AMERICAN AIR STRIKES WERE CALLED TO ATTACK THEM.
THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE INDICATION HOW MANY RUSSIAN-BUILT TANKS REMAINED IN THIS SECTOR. THE REDS HAVE BEEN CLEVER IN CONCEALING THEIR ARMOR BY DAY AND MOVING IT BY NIGHT.
A STILL MORE POWERFUL COMMUNIST THRUST BORE DOWN ON TAEGU FROM THE NORTH. ABOUT 20 MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN THREE NORTH KOREAN REGIMENTS HURLED A DOUBLE ATTACK ON THE LEFT FLANK OF SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.
THE REPUBLICANS WERE LAST REPORTED HOLDING THEIR GROUND.
GEN. WALKER, 8TH ARMY COMMANDER, SPOKE OF THIS ATTACK AS THE "NEWEST THREAT" TO UNITED NATIONS FORCES.
FARTHER EAST ALONG THE NORTHERN RIM OF THE DEFENSE LINE TWO NORTH KOREAN REGIMENTS, POSSIBLY 5,000 STRONG, MOVED UNOPPOSED IN A GAP 12 MILES WIDE BETWEEN SOUTH KOREAN LINES. THEIR SPEED SOUTHWARD WAS BEING HELD BACK ONLY BY DIFFICULT TRAILS OVER THE RUGGED EAST COAST MOUNTAIN RANGE.
IT MAY HAVE BEEN AN ADVANCE ELEMENT OF THIS FORCE WHICH WAS REPORTED BY SOUTH KOREAN ARMY OBSERVERS TO HAVE PROBED WITHIN FIVE MILES OF POHANG, THE BEACHHEAD WHERE FIRST CAVALRY TROOPS LANDED UNOPPOSED ALMOST A MONTH AGO.
POHANG IS 25 MILES SOUTH OF YONGDOK, THE EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE FRONT. IT IS HELD BY SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLICAN TROOPS WHO FOUGHT OFF A SMALL SCALE FLANK ATTACK TUESDAY.
THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACKS ALONG THE ENTIRE FRONT WERE MARKED BY RECKLESS BRAVADO, DISPATCHES SAID, AND CASUALTIES WERE MOUNTING PROPORTIONATELY. GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ESTIMATED MORE THAN 44,500 NORTH KOREANS HAVE BEEN KILLED OR WOUNDED THUS FAR IN THE SIX-WEEKS-OLD WAR.

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SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (260)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,AUG.9-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN TROOPS POURED ACROSS THE ALLIED NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE BARRIER IN KOREA AND BULGED OUT TWO MILES EASTWARD ON A 2,000-YARD FRONT TUESDAY.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY, RELEASED AT 11:30 P.M. TUESDAY (8:30 A.M., EST) SAID THE "POSSIBLE THREAT FROM THE SMALL BRIDGEHEADS" ACROSS THE RIVER "HAS NEITHER INCREASED NOR DECREASED."

UPWARDS OF 9,000 REDS WERE REPORTED OVER IN TWO RIVER CROSSINGS.

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID THE TWO COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEADS WERE OF "PRIMARY CONCERN AT PRESENT."

THE TWO-DAY OLD AMERICAN MARINE AND INFANTRY OFFENSIVE IN THE EXTREME SOUTH MADE SMALL AND BLOODY GAINS IN DAY-LONG ATTACKS. EARLIER IT WAS BOGGED BY COMMUNIST FLANKING THAT POCKETED ONE ARMY UNIT FOR A WHILE. U.S. MARINES BROKE THAT UP AND FREED ARMY MEN FRON THE TRAP.

THE AMERICANS THERE UNCORKED THEIR FIRST NIGHT ATTACK OF THE WAR. MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN, COMMANDER OF THE SOUTHERN DRIVE, PERSONALLY ORDERED THE NIGHT ATTACK IN ORDER TO GET HIS FORCES ROLLING AGAIN.

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THE OFFENSIVE HAD GAINED 10 MILES AND WAS 10 OR 12 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, RED-HELD RUBBLED CITY IN THE SOUTH.

THE RED BRIDGEHEADS POSED THREATS TO ALLIED FORCES AT TWO PLACES.

ONE WAS FIVE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN, 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE PROVISIONAL SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL. THE OTHER WAS SIX MILES SOUTH OF CHANGNYONG, WHICH IS SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

AT LEAST THREE RED REGIMENTS--9,000 MEN WITH PROBABLY MORE SLIPPING ACROSS BEHIND THEM IN DARKNESS--WERE OVER THE RIVER IN THE TWO SPOTS. FRONTLINE REPORTS SAID ONE OF EIGHT TANKS SIGHTED HAD BEEN FERRIED ACROSS THE RIVER BY THE COMMUNISTS.

GENERAL MACARTHUR IS SENDING WORDS OF CONFIDENCE TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

"TELL THE PRESIDENT NOT TO WORRY. WE ARE CONFIDENT ABOUT THE SITUATION OVER HERE," HE TOLD W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, THE PRESIDENT'S SPECIAL ASSISTANT AND ADVISER ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, AS HARRIMAN LEFT FOR WASHINGTON AFTER A THREE-DAY VISIT THAT TOOK HIM TO THE WARFRONT.

THE FRONT HAD EXPLODED INTO THREE MAJOR BATTLES.

THE BIG ONE WAS NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

ANOTHER FLAMED IN THE EXTREME SOUTH.

THE THIRD WAS AT A RED BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG NEAR CHANGNYONG WHERE FRESH U.S. TROOPS WERE ORDERED TO DESTROY THE RIVER-CROSSERS BY TUESDAY NIGHTFALL.

BUT AFTER FIGHTING PART OF THE WAY UP A RIDGE, THE FRESH COUNTER-ATTACKING U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION TROOPS WERE STOPPED BY STIFF RED RESISTANCE.

AT 8:45 P.M. TUESDAY (5:45 A.M., EST) MAJ.GEN.JOHN E.CHURCH TOLD ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING THE BRIDGEHEAD COULD NOT BE CLEANED OUT THAT NIGHT. THE GENERAL INSISTED THE NORTH KOREANS THERE WOULD BE WIPED OUT WEDNESDAY, HOWEVER.

HE SAID CLOSE WATCH WOULD BE KEPT ON THE CHANGNYONG AREA TO PREVENT FURTHER COMMUNIST CROSSINGS OF THE RIVER.

IN THE AREA NORTHWEST OF TAEGU THE COMMUNISTS FLUNG THEIR LINES TWO OR MORE MILES BEYOND THE RIVER LINE. SEVEN RED TANKS, WAITING TO CROSS THE STREAM, WERE UNDER ATTACK BY ALLIED PLANES.

THE COMMUNISTS HAD ADVANCED TWO MILES OR MORE IN SOME SECTORS ACROSS THE RIVER IN THE YANGGI SECTOR. SEVEN RED TANKS, WAITING TO MOVE OVER THE RIVER, WERE UNDER TOP-PRIORITY AMERICAN AIR ATTACK.

ONE OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS ESTIMATED NORTH KOREAN LOSSES IN SIX WEEKS WERE 44,500 MEN--AN AVERAGE OF MORE THAN 1,000 A DAY IN THE SIX-WEEKS-OLD WAR.

WHEN THE FRESH ARMY TROOPS WERE THROWN AT THE REMNANTS OF TWO REGIMENTS NEAR CHANGNYONG TWO AMERICAN MUSTANGS JOINED THE ATTACK AND STRAFED THE U.S. DOUGHBOYS HITTING 19 OF THEM

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COL.CHARLES E.BEAUCHAMP, COMMANDING THE 34TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, ORDERED THE REDS CLEANED OUT AND SAID THEIR DESTRUCTION WOULD MEAN THE "END OF THE FOURTH DIVISION AS AN ENEMY FORCE."

THE CHANGNYONG MOVE HAD BEEN AGAINST THE WEAKENED U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION. ITS 24TH REGIMENT OF NEGRO TROOPS HAD BEEN DIVERTED TO SUPPORT THE SOUTHERN THRUST BY MARINES AND THE U.S. FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM. THIS FORCED THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TO EXTEND ITS LINE SOUTHWARD 4 1/2 MILES ALONG THE NAKTONG.

IN THE EXTREME SOUTH THE MARINES SCALED VALLEY WALLS AND FOUGHT OVER RUGGED HILLTOPS TO RESCUE THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL UNIT FROM THE FLANKING ATTACK.

THE ACTION AT CHINDONG, 12 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, WHERE THE SOUTHERN ALLIED FORCES PULLED UP MONDAY AFTER KICKING OFF ON THEIR FIRST OFFENSIVE OF THE WAR.

THE OFFENSIVE FIGHTING WAS INTENSE. AMERICAN FIELD VEHICLES ROLLED OVER A RED ROADBLOCK THAT HAD STALLED 45-TON GENERAL PERSHING TANKS AFTER ONE HAD BEEN KNOCKED OUT.

THE RESCUED MEN WERE ABLE TO REJOIN THEIR BATTALION AFTER THE MARINES STRUCK AND THE SOUTHERN ATTACK ROLLED ON OVER NEW GROUND TUESDAY.

ACROSS THE KOREAN PENINSULA AMERICAN NAVAL FIREPOWER GREW BIGGER AND BOLDER. FIVE AMERICAN WARSHIPS LED BY A HEAVY CRUISER MADE THEIR NORTHERNMOST THRUST MONDAY NIGHT TO BOMBARD TANCHON, A RAIL CENTER 125 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THIS THRUST FAR INTO ENEMY WATERS BROUGHT BIG NAVAL GUNS INTO A BATTLE ZONE PREVIOUSLY HARASSED AND POUNDED BY AMERICAN BOMBERS.

ALONG THE WEST COAST BRITISH, AMERICAN, DUTCH AND SOUTH KOREAN WARSHIPS TURNED THEIR GUNS ON INCHON, THE WEST COAST PORT FOR SEOUL.

MARINE AND NAVY PILOTS FROM THREE AMERICAN CARRIERS ROARED OVER THE BATTLE LINES MONDAY IN GROUND SUPPORT ATTACKS INTEGRATED WITH LAND-BASED FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS.

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PILOTS OVER SEOUL'S KIMPO AIRFIELD REPORTED NEW ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS, EXPERTLY MANNED, WERE ENCOUNTERED AT THE LONG ABANDONED SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

NAVY PILOTS FROM TWO 27,000-TON CARRIERS FLEW 203 SORTIES IN THEIR THIRD CONSECUTIVE ATTACK DAY WHILE LAND BASED PLANES HIT A NEAR RECORD PEAK OF 550 SORTIES.

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THIRD CONSECUTIVE ATTACK DAY WHILE LAND BASED PLANES HIT A NEAR RECORD PEAK OF 550 SORTIES.

BUT TO THE AMERICAN MARINES AND DOUGHBOYS ON THE GROUND IT WAS STILL A HARD, BITTER WAR.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENTS DON WHITEHEAD AND TOM LAMBERT REPORTED HEAVY RAKING ARTILLERY AND MORTAR ATTACKS BY RED FORCES IN THE SOUTH.

RED GUNS DOMINATED THE CHOKED AND DUSTY ROADS WEST OF CHIDONG AT A JUNCTION WHERE THE FIFTH INFANTRY TURNED NORTHWESTWARD TOWARD CHINJU. THE MARINES HEADED SOUTHWARD TOWARD KOSANG.

INFILTRATORS CUT BACK OF THE AMERICAN POSITIONS MONDAY NIGHT AND

SET UP TWO ROADBLOCKS BETWEEN CHIDONG AND MASAN.

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ONE RED ATTACK HIT A UNIT OF THE 24TH REGIMENT AS THE NEGRO COMBAT MEN CLIMBED INTO TRUCKS UNDER ORDERS TO CLEAN OUT ANOTHER POCKET AT HAMAN, NORTHWEST OF MASAN. THE REDS CAME OVER A HILL AND OPENED FIRE, CORRESPONDENT WHITEHEAD REPORTED, BUT WERE MET BY COUNTER-ATTACKING AMERICAN SMALL ARMS FIRE AND AERIAL AND TANK ATTACKS.
BRIEFING OFFICERS AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TOKYO HEADQUARTERS SAID THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE EVIDENTLY BEAT THE REDS BY A FEW HOURS BEFORE THEY TRIED TO JUMP OFF ON A NEW DRIVE TOWARD PUSAN, THE MAIN U.S. SUPPLY FUNNEL. THIS MEANT THE TWO FORCES HIT HEADON.
THE FIGHTING ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WAS HEAVY AND PROGRESS WAS SLOW TUESDAY.
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FIRST LEAD ATOM PAPERS
LONDON, WED., AUG. 9-(AP)-THE LABORITE DAILY HERALD SAID TODAY A SUITCASE CONTAINING SECRET PAPERS ON ATOMIC RESEARCH DISAPPEARED FROM A TRAIN LEAVING LONDON FOR THE NORTH OF ENGLAND YESTERDAY.
THE NEWSPAPER IDENTIFIED THE OWNER OF THE CASE AS AN AMERICAN SCIENTIST, F.W. GREENTREES, AND SAID HE HAD BEEN WORKING IN THE UNITED STATES ON JOINT BRITISH-AMERICAN ATOMIC RESEARCH.
THE STORY SAID GREENTREES HAD THE CASE WHEN HE BOARDED THE TRAIN TO VISIT THE BRITISH ATOMIC RESEARCH STATION, BUT COULD NOT FIND IT A FEW MINUTES AFTER THE TRAIN GOT UNDER WAY.
SCOTLAND YARD DECLINED TO DISCUSS THE CASE EXCEPT TO SAY, "WE HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED OF THE LOSS OF A SUITCASE, BUT WE DO NOT KNOW WHAT'S IN IT, OR WHO IS THE OWNER."

IN WASHINGTON, THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION SAID IT HAD NO INFORMATION ON THE INCIDENT.
A SPOKESMAN FOR THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SAID HE HAD HEARD NOTHING ABOUT IT.
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LONDON, AUG.8-(AP)-BRITAIN HAS ASKED THE UNITED STATES FOR ABOUT $1,344,000,000 IN MONEY AND MATERIAL TO HELP REARM BY 1954.
THIS MEANS AMERICA IS BEING ASKED TO PITCH IN ABOUT HALF THE AMOUNT BY WHICH BRITAIN PROPOSES TO BOOST HER MILITARY BUDGET IN THE NEXT THREE YEARS, QUALIFIED GOVERNMENT INFORMANTS SAID TODAY.
PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE HANDED THE BRITISH REQUEST TO AMBASSADOR LEWIS DOUGLAS LAST WEEK.
SIMULTANEOUSLY HE MADE PUBLIC A STATEMENT ANNOUNCING THE GOVERNMENT'S READINESS TO INCREASE BRITAIN'S DEFENSE BILL BY $2,688,000,000 IN THE NEXT THREE YEARS.
THIS WOULD BRING THE TOTAL COST OF BRITAIN'S PROGRAM OF DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNISM TO $9,520,000,000 OVER THE NEXT THREE YEARS.
ATTLEE'S STATEMENT AT THE TIME MADE IT CLEAR THAT FULFILMENT OF THE BRITISH PROGRAM WOULD DEPEND "ON THE AMOUNT OF UNITED STATES ASSISTANCE FORTHCOMING."
WITHOUT AMERICAN AID, THE STATEMENT SAID, THE BURDEN OF THAT DEFENSE PROGRAM WOULD BE TOO GREAT FOR THE BRITISH ECONOMY TO BEAR.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ALREADY ASKED CONGRESS FOR $3,504,000,000 TO SPEED THE REARMING OF THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS.
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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, AUG.9-(AP)-THE MOSCOW RADIO ANNOUNCED A NEW INVENTION TO THE WORLD TODAY.
PROF.NIKOLAI VEKHOV TOLD A MOSCOW RADIO REPORTER ABOUT THE DEVELOPMENT OF TREES WHICH GROW TWICE AS FAST AS USUAL AND EACH TREE YIELDS FOUR TIMES AS MUCH WOOD AS USUAL. AMONG THE HYPED-UP TREES, HE SAID, WERE POPLARS, WALNUTS, LARCHES AND ACACIAS.
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LONDON, AUG.8-(AP)-CHARLES SPOFFORD, AMERICAN CHAIRMAN OF THE ATLANTIC PACT DEPUTIES, LEFT FOR THE UNITED STATES BY PLANE TONIGHT TO REPORT ON THE DEPUTIES' FIRST MEETING.
HE TOLD NEWSMEN HE WOULD SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON IN WASHINGTON BEFORE RETURNING HERE ON AUG.22 FOR THE SECOND MEETING OF THE DEPUTIES.
"THERE WAS A HIGH DEGREE OF UNDERSTANDING AND COOPERATION AT OUR FIRST MEETING LAST WEEK," HE SAID.
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LONDON,AUG.8-(AP)-RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, WINSTON CHURCHILL'S 39-YEAR OLD SON, JOINED THE STAFF OF THE LONDON DAILY TELEGRAPH TODAY AS A FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT IN TOKYO.
THE TELEGRAPH SAID HE STOPPED OFF THERE BRIEFLY ON THE WAY TO KOREA TO COVER THE WAR.
THE YOUNGER CHURCHILL, AN EXPERIENCED FREE-LANCE JOURNALIST, FOLLOWS IN HIS FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS AS A WAR REPORTER. THE ELDER CHURCHILL AS A YOUNG MAN WAS CAPTURED AND ESCAPED WHILE COVERING BRITISH TROOPS IN THE BOER WAR.
RANDOLPH CHURCHILL'S FIRST DISPATCH FROM TOKYO SAID W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SPECIAL ASSISTANT ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, WAS BELIEVED TO BE DISCUSSING JAPANESE PEACE TREATY PROBLEMS DURING HIS CONFERENCES THERE WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR.
THE TELEGRAPH COLUMNIST, PETERBOROUGH, NOTED THAT CHURCHILL HAS A GOOD BACKGROUND FOR WAR REPORTING.
"AS A COMMANDO PARTICULARLY (IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR) HE DISPLAYED NOTABLE QUALITIES OF COURAGE, ENERGY AND RESOURCEFULNESS WHICH WILL STAND HIM IN GOOD STEAD IN THIS NEW ASSIGNEMTN," PETERBOROUGH WROTE.
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CAMBRIDGE, ENG., AUG 8-(AP)-A BRITISH ATOM SCIENTIST SAID TODAY AN INVISIBLE FILM OF RADIOACTIVE MATTER CAN BE USED TO MAKE A LAND AREA UNINHABITABLE "FOR SEVERAL MONTHS."
PROF. E.S. SHIRE, AN ATOMIC RESEARCHER AT KING'S COLLEGE, DECLARED:
"DETAILS ARE STILL SECRET ABOUT QUANTITIES, BUT I THINK THAT THE RADIOACTIVE POISONS FROM A 1,000,000 KILOWATT PILE COULD COVER 1,000 SQUARE MILES, SAY THE SIZE OF GREATER LONDON.
"I SHOULD BE SURPRISED IF THE U.S.A. HAS NOT NOW ATOMIC PILES TOTALING MUCH MORE THAN 1,000,000 KILOWATTS."
A PILE IS A DEVICE FOR "BURNING" FISSIONABLE MATTER SUCH AS PLUTONIUM TO PRODUCE POWER.
PROF. SHIRE, WHO SPOKE AT A LIBERAL PARTY SUMMER SCHOOL, SAID BOMBARDMENT OF AN AREA BY RADIOACTIVE DUST MIGHT BE "AN EVEN MORE DANGEROUS POSSIBILITY."
"IF REASONABLE ASSUMPTIONS ARE MADE ABOUT GETTING THE DUST INTO

THE AIR, IT LOOKS AS IF IT WOULD BE SOMETHING LIKE 100 TIMES MORE EFFECTIVE THAN LAYING THE GROUND CARPET."
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CAMBRIDGE, ENG., AUG.8-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES HAS ONLY A 50-50 CHANCE OF VICTORY IN KOREA, A DISTINGUISHED BRITISH MILITARY COMMENTATOR SAID TODAY.
HE IS CAPT.B.H.LIDDELL HART, MILITARY EDITOR OF THE ENCYCLOPEDIA BRITANICA, AND AUTHOR OF MANY BOOKS ON WAR STRATEGY.
HART, SPEAKING AT THE LIBERAL PARTY'S SUMMER SCHOOL, SAID THE DANGER OF DEFEAT AROSE BECAUSE THE U.S. HAD FOLLOWED TWO CONFLICTING POLICIES.
FIRST, HE SAID, PRESIDENT TRUMAN DECIDED TO EVACUATE KOREA IN JUNE, 1949, DECLARING IT TO BE INDEFENSIBLE.
THEN, HE ADDED, BECAUSE "THE AMERICANS COULD NOT BEAR TO WATCH IT HAPPEN, MR.TRUMAN TOOK THE STEPS WHICH STAKED U.S. PRESTIGE ON WHAT WAS PREVIOUSLY JUDGED 'A FORLORN HOPE'.
"THE DANGER OF WORLD WAR HAS BECOME ACUTE THROUGH TWO CONTRARY AMERICAN DECISIONS--TO WITHDRAW AND THEN RETURN."

"UNITED STATES MILITARY CHIEFS CAME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT SOUTH KOREA WAS INDEFENSIBLE AND MR.TRUMAN DECIDED TO EVACUATE IT IN JUNE, 1949.
"STALIN, TOO, MAY HAVE SEEN THAT AS A GREEN LIGHT AND THAT THERE WAS NO RISK OF A NORTH KOREAN MOVE BRINGING ON A CLASH WITH THE UNITED STATES.
"BUT EMOTIONS PROVED TOO STRONG. ALTHOUGH THE LOSS OF KOREA WAS REGARDED AS INEVITABLE BEFOREHAND, AMERICANS COULD NOT BEAR TO WATCH IT HAPPEN.
"TRUMAN THEN TOOK THE STEPS WHICH STAKED U.S. PRESTIGE ON WHAT WAS PREVIOUSLY JUDGED A FORLORN HOPE."
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PARIS, AUG. 8-(AP)-U.S. ADM. RICHARD L. CONOLLY TODAY MET TOP OFFICERS FROM BRITAIN, FRANCE AND ITALY AND APPROVED PLANS FOR THE DEFENSE OF SOUTHERN EUROPE AND THE MEDITERRANEAN.
"PLANS FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE REGION WERE EXAMINED AND APPROVED," THE FRENCH DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID IN A BRIEF COMMUNIQUE.
THE OFFICERS MET AS THE COMMITTEE OF CHIEFS OF STAFF FOR THEIR REGION UNDER THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT.
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B51 (170) Q
PARIS,AUG.8-(AP)-FRANCE HAS REPEATED A REQUEST TO THE RUSSIANS THAT FRENCH COUNSUL GEORGES PERRUCHE BE REPATRIATED FROM SEOUL, THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID TODAY.
FRENCH AMBASSADOR YVES CHATAIGNEAU CALLED ON RUSSIAN OFFICIALS IN MOSCOW YESTERDAY TO MAKE THE DEMAND.
THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID, "WE ASKED THE RUSSIANS ABOUT THAT 15 DAYS AGO AND GOT ONLY A VAGUE ANSWER THAT THEY WOULD STUDY THE MATTER."
THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID "THREE OR FOUR" OTHER FRENCH CITIZENS, INCLUDING A CORRESPONDENT FOR THE FRENCH NEWS AGENCY, WERE CAUGHT IN THE KOREAN CAPITAL DURING THE FIGHTING AND HAVE NOT BEEN HEARD FROM SINCE.
THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID THERE WAS NO QUESTION OF RAISING THE ISSUE OF A FORMAL REPATRIATION COMMITTEE, BUT SAID THERE STILL ARE A NUMBER OF ALSATIANS UNACCOUNTED FOR FROM WORLD WAR TWO IN EUROPE AND BELIEVED IN RUSSIA.
FRANCE AND RUSSIA SET UP REPATRIATION COMMISSIONS IN 1945 TO SPEED THE RETURN HOME OF EACH COUNTRY'S NATIONALS WHO HAD BEEN DISLOCATED BY THE WAR.
IN 1947 FRANCE CHARGED RUSSIA WITH MISUSING THE COMMISSION'S FACILITIES. RUSSIA MADE COUNTERCHARGES, AND THE OFFFICES WERE CLOSED SOON AFTER.
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NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY (360)
BY PHILIP CLARKE
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.8-(AP)-POLITICAL FIGURES OF BRITAIN, FRANCE AND ITALY URGED BEFORE THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TODAY A SPEEDUP IN THE WEST'S COMMON DEFENSE EFFORTS AGAINST THE THREAT OF A RUSSIAN ATTACK.
AT THE SAME TIME THEY CHARGED THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS--THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE--HAS FAILED TO PUSH EUROPEAN UNITY. THEY IGNORED A COUNCIL STATUTE PLACING NATIONAL DEFENSE MATTERS OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF THE COUNCIL, WHICH IS A SORT OF INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENT.
ANDRE PHILIP, A FRENCH SOCIALIST LEADER, CALLED FOR SETTING UP A MASSIVE WEST EUROPEAN ARMY. HE SAID THE COMMUNIST ATTACK ON SOUTHERN KOREA MAY BE FOLLOWED BY AN ATTACK ON WESTERN EUROPE, "PERHAPS IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS, OR EVEN WEEKS."
MAURICE EDELMAN, A BRITISH LABORITE, SAID WESTERN EUROPE SHOULD GO ON A VIRTUAL WAR FOOTING IN MOBILIZING ALL ITS MILITARY AND ECONOMIC RESOURCES.
"WHILE IN THE LAST YEAR WE HAVE BEEN ENGAGED IN A CEASELESS WRANGLE, THE RUSSIANS HAVE GONE AHEAD ASSEMBLING AND ENLARGING THEIR FORCES. THE THEME OF THIS ASSEMBLY MUST BE DEFENSE," HE SAID.
ENZO GIACCHERO, ITALIAN ASSEMBLYMAN, APPEALED ALSO FOR SPEED IN BOLSTERING DEFENSES. HE SAID "THE GREATEST TRIBUTE WE CAN MAKE TO THOSE WHO ARE NOW FIGHTING AND DYING IN KOREA IS TO GIVE UP PART OF OUR SOVEREIGNTY."
JAMES CALLAGHAN, YOUTHFUL BRITISH LABOR PARTY SPOKESMAN, TOLD THE ASSEMBLY HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF BRITISH MEN ARE READY TO O TAKE UP ARMS IN
THE DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE AND THAT "MILLIONS OF RESERVES STAND BEHIND THEM."
MEANTIME, BRITISH CONSERVATIVES IN THE ASSEMBLY ANNOUNCED A COUNTER-PROPOSAL FOR POOLING EUROPE'S STEEL AND COAL PRODUCTION.
IT DIFFERS FROM FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN'S PLAN IN THIS RESPECT:
THE SCHUMAN PLAN CALLS FOR SETTING UP A SUPRANATIONAL AUTHORITY OUTSIDE THE INDIVIDUAL GOVERNMENTS TO CONTROL OUTPUT. THE BRITISH PLAN PROPOSES THAT THE POOL BE UNDER A COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS WITH A MODIFIED VETO RIGHT OVER IMPORTANT DECISIONS.
THE BRITISH PLAN WAS ANNOUNCED IN A NEWS CONFERENCE AND LATER SUBMITTED FOR INCLUSION ON THE ASSEMBLY AGENDA. SCHUMAN IS EXPECTED TO ADDRESS THE ASSEMBLY THURSDAY ON HIS PLAN, WHICH ALSO WILL GO ON THE AGENDA.
CONSERVATIVE LEADER WINSTON CHURCHILL DID NOT INDORSE THE BRITISH PLAN. CONSERVATIVE SPOKESMEN SAID HE DID NOT WANT FORMALLY TO COMMIT HIS PARTY.
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B64 (350) Q
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BY JOSEPH DYNAN
STRASBOURG, FRANCE,AUG.8-(AP)-BRITISH CONSERVATIVE DELEGATES IN THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TODAY PRESENTED A NEW PROJECT FOR POOLING EUROPE'S STEEL AND COAL PRODUCTION AS AN ALTERNATIVE TO THE SCHUMAN PLAN.
THE BRITISH OUTLINE DRAFTED BY DAVID ECCLES AND HAROLD MACMILLAN,

IS SAID TO REPRESENT THE LIMIT TO WHICH BRITAIN WOULD GO IN JOINING SUCH A POOL.

BRITISH LABOR PARTY DELEGATES IN THE ASSEMBLY SAID THEY WOULD REMAIN NEUTRAL IN DISCUSSIONS. SUPPORT FOR THE NEW PLAN, THEY EXPLAINED, MIGHT EMBARRASS THEIR OWN GOVERNMENT. ON THE OTHER HAND, THEY WILL NOT OPPOSE IT.

UNDER THE ECCLES-MACMILLAN PROPOSALS, THE KEY CONTROL OVER THE INTERNATIONAL STEEL-COAL AUTHORITY WOULD BE A COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE MEMBER COUNTRIES WITH THE VETO RIGHT OVER AUTHORITY DECISIONS.

THE PROJECT WAS CONTAINED IN A 21-POINT RESOLUTION FOR THE ASSEMBLY'S CONSIDERATION WHEN IT DEBATES THE SCHUMAN PLAN. IT OUTLINES A TREATY WHICH MEMBER NATIONS WOULD SUBMIT TO THEIR RESPECTIVE PARLIAMENTS.

LIKE THE SCHUMAN PLAN, THE BRITISH CONSERVATIVE PROPOSAL CALLS UPON EUROPEAN NATIONS TO MERGE THEIR STEEL AND COAL PRODUCTION AND TO CREATE A SINGLE MARKET FOR THESE TWO BASIC INDUSTRIES.

UNLIKE THE SCHUMAN PLAN, THE PROPOSED AUTHORITY WOULD NOT BE RESPONSIBLE TO A COMMON PARLIAMENT, BUT TO THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL AS A WHOLE. THE AUTHORITY'S RECORD WOULD, HOWEVER, BE SUBMITTED EVERY YEAR TO THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR REVIEW.

IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS WIELDS THE REAL POWER. THE ASSEMBLY DOES NOT HAVE THE RIGHT TO ACT, BUT ONLY TO ADVISE. THIS SETUP WOULD BE RETAINED IN THE ECCLES-MACMILLAN POOL PROJECT.

MINISTERS FROM NATIONS WHICH ADOPT THE TREATY WOULD FORM AN ECONOMIC SUBCOMMITTEE WITHIN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE. THIS SUBCOMMITTEE WOULD SUPERVISE THE AUTHORITY, WITH POWER TO DISMISS ITS PERSONNEL. THE AUTHORITY WOULD BE COMPOSED OF TECHNICAL EXPERTS REPRESENTING INDUSTRY, LABOR AND CONSUMERS.

THE MINISTERS' GROUP WOULD MAKE ITS DECISION BY A TWO-THIRDS VOTE, WITH ONE EXCEPTION. THIS CONCERNS APPEALS FROM THE AUTHORITY'S DECISIONS WHERE THEY "ADVERSELY AFFECT THE BASIC ECONOMIC, SOCIAL OR STRATEGIC POLICY" OF A MEMBER STATE.

IN SUCH CASES, WHERE THE QUESTION UNDER REVIEW CONCERNS ONLY ONE COUNTRY, THAT COUNTRY MAY VETO THE DECISION.

IN A NEWS CONFERENCE EXPLAINING HIS PROJECT, ECCLES DEFENDED THIS PROVISION AS BEING NECESSARY TO STRATEGIC DEFENSE, PARTICULARLY IN THE LOCATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF STEEL MILLS AND COAL FIELDS.

ALL THE BRITISH CONSERVATIVES WHO ARE DELEGATES TO THE ASSEMBLY, EXCEPT CONSERVATIVE LEADER WINSTON CHURCHILL HIMSELF, HAVE ENDORSED THE NEW PLAN. IT WAS EXPLAINED THAT HIS NAME WAS OMITTED SO AS NOT TO COMMIT THE PARTY AS SUCH TO THE PROJECT.

MACMILLAN, EXPLAINING THE PLAN TO HIS NEWS CONFERENCE, SAID THE RIGHT OF APPEAL WOULD EXIST ONLY DURING AN INITIAL FIVE-YEAR TRIAL PERIOD. THE VETO POWER WOULD BE REVIEWED IN THE LIGHT OF EXPERIENCE. THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE WOULD BE EMPOWERED TO EXPEL ANY MEMBER NATION BY A TWO-THIRDS VOTE, AND A MEMBER COULD RESIGN FROM THE AUTHORITY ON 12 MONTHS' NOTICE.

THE AUTHORITY, CHARGED WITH CONTRIBUTING TO EFFICIENT PRODUCTION, EXPANSION OF MARKETS AND FULL EMPLOYMENT OF WORKERS, WOULD BE REQUIRED TO SUPPLY STEEL AND COAL IN EQUAL TERMS TO ALL CONSUMERS, MAINTAIN STABLE PRICES, MODERNIZE PRODUCTION AND PRESERVE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING.

IT WOULD BE FINANCED BY A LEVY ON STEEL AND COAL PRODUCTION AND SOME OF THESE FUNDS WOULD BE USED TO PROVIDE NEW HOMES AND WORK FOR EMPLOYES DISLOCATED BY ITS ACTIONS.

ONE ARTICLE WOULD FORBID THE AUTHORITY TO INTERFERE WITH NATIONALIZATION SCHEMES OF MEMBER COUNTRIES. IT WOULD ALSO BE FORBIDDEN TO REDUCE LIVING STANDARDS IN ANY ONE COUNTRY TO ACHIEVE A UNIFORM LEVEL.

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NIGHT LEAD BELGIAN

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BY GODFREY ANDERSON

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.8-(AP)-THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT JOINED THE ATLANTIC PACT REARMAMENT DRIVE TODAY WITH A PROPOSAL TO RAISE ITS DEFENSE BUDGET BY 5,000,000,000 (B) FRANCS ($100,000,000).

PREMIER JEAN DUVIEUSART TOLD A GRAVE AND SILENT CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES THE GOVERNMENT HAS DECIDED TO RAISE TOTAL DEFENSE SPENDING BY THAT MUCH FOR THE PERIOD EXPIRING AT THE END OF 1951.

THE DEFENSE BUDGET FOR 1950 IS 8,500,000,000 FRANCS ($170,000,000).

THE PLANS TO FACE MOUNTING WORLD TENSION DROVE THE CRISIS OVER KING LEOPOLD OUT OF PARLIAMENT FOR THE DAY. DUVIEUSART'S STATEMENT WAS MADE AT THE OPENING OF A SESSION THAT HAD BEEN CALLED TO CONSIDER A BILL LEGALIZING THE TRANSFER OF KING LEOPOLD'S CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS TO HIS SON, CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

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THE CHAMBER POSTPONED THE DEBATE ON LEOPOLD UNTIL TOMORROW IN ORDER TO HEAR THE PREMIER'S STATEMENT.

FIVE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS, PRESSED BY THE UNITED STATES, HAVE NOW PROPOSED A TOTAL EMERGENCY DEFENSE SPENDING PROGRAM OF $15,432,225,000 ~~$14,882,225,000~~.

YESTERDAY FRANCE OFFERED TO CARRY OUT A $5,710,000,000 DEFENSE PROGRAM OVER THREE YEARS WITH AMERICAN AID. BRITAIN SIMILARLY HAS

PROMISED A THREE-YEAR $9,520,000,000 PLAN, AND NORWAY AND DENMARK HAVE PLEDGED TO INCREASE THEIR ARMS BUDGETS BY $35,125,000 AND $57,100,000 RESPECTIVELY IN THE NEXT TWO OR TWO AND A HALF YEARS.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN, ON TOP OF A $10,000,000,000 PROGRAM FOR THE UNITED STATES, HAS ASKED CONGRESS FOR $4,000,000,000 TO ASSIST NON-COMMUNIST NATIONS IN CARRYING OUT THEIR DEFENSE BUILDUPS. CONGRESS RECENTLY APPROVED A SECOND-YEAR $1,222,500,000 EUROPEAN ARMS AID PROGRAM AS A FOLLOWUP TO AN EARLIER $1,000,000,000 FUND.

DIVIEUSART TOLD THE CHAMBER THAT THE DEMOCRACIES, TO SAFEGUARD THEMSELVES, WOULD HAVE TO MOBILIZE "ALL THEIR AVAILABLE ECONOMIC RESOURCES TOWARDS AN EFFORT OF COMMON PRODUCTION."

THE ONLY LIMITS ON ARMAMENT PRODUCTION, HE DECLARED, SHOULD BE THE MANPOWER LIMIT IMPOSED BY THE POSSIBLE RECRUITING AND TRAINING OF TROOPS, AND THE ECONOMIC LIMIT IMPOSED BY THE NEED OF KEEPING A REASONABLE LEVEL OF CIVILIAN CONSUMPTION.

BELGIUM'S PUBLIC WORKS SCHEMES WILL HAVE TO BE CURTAILED AND MODIFIED TO FIT INTO THE PATTERN OF DEFENSE NECESSITIES, HE WARNED.

IN LINE WITH MOBILIZING ALL RESOURCES, HE SAID BELGIUM COULD INCREASE HER PRODUCTION CAPACITY BY 20,000,000,000 FRANCS A YEAR ($400,000,000), NOT COUNTING THE BELGIAN CONGO, WHERE URANIUM IS MINED.

HE ANOUNCED THAT BELGIUM WAS WILLING TO PLACE THIS INCREASED PRODUCTION AT THE DISPOSAL OF MEMBERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT AND THE FIVE-POWER BRUSSELS PACT "PROVIDED A PROPER SYSTEM OF INTERNATIONAL PAYMENTS IS ORGANIZED."

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BERLIN, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN SAYS AN AMERICAN PLANE DROPPED TWO INCENDIARY BOMBS ON A RUSSIAN-OCCUPIED GERMAN VILLAGE JULY 27.

THE REPORT, RELEASED YESTERDAY, IDENTIFIED THE AMERICAN PLANE AS AN "S-45" AND SAID THE INCIDENT OCCURED AT ORANIENBAUM IN SAXONY.

(AN OFFICIAL AT THE PENTAGON IN WASHINGTON SAID NO AMERICAN PLANES USE AN "S" DESIGNATION. HE SAID HE HAD NOT HEARD OF SUCH AN INCIDENT.)

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A123

BERLIN, AUG. 8-(AP)-EIGHT GERMAN POLICEMEN FROM THE SOVIET ZONE, FRIGHTENED BY RECURRING RUMORS THEY WOULD BE SENT TO NORTH KOREA, FLED TO WEST BERLIN EARLY TODAY FOR ASYLUM. LAST MONTH 167 MEMBERS OF THE EASTERN MILITARIZED POLICE FORCE DESERTED.

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BERLIN, AUG. 8-(AP)-THREE MEN WERE CONDEMNED TO DEATH AND EIGHT TO PRISON TERMS RANGING FROM THREE YEARS TO LIFE IN THE BUCHAREST TRIAL OF 11 ALLEGED AGENTS FOR MARSHAL TITO'S YUGOSLAV ARMY, THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN REPORTED TODAY.

THE PROSECUTION INTRODUCED CONFESSIONS IN WHICH SOME DEFENDANTS OF YUGOSLAV NATIONALITY WERE QUOTED AS ADMITTING THEY BEGAN SPYING FOR TITO IMMEDIATELY AFTER ROMANIA WAS OCCUPIED BY THE RED ARMY IN 1944-- FOUR YEARS BEFORE HIS OFFICIAL BREAK WITH MOSCOW.

THE YUGOSLAV EMBASSY IN BUCHAREST WAS ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN THE COLLECTION CENTER FOR ESPIONAGE REPORTS. THE PROSECUTION ALSO ASSERTED A LARGE STOCK OF WEAPONS, INCLUDING MACHINEGUNS, HAD BEEN HIDDEN IN THE EMBASSY.

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A177

BERLIN,AUG.8-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST PEOPLES' POLICE HAS DEVISED A NEW HARRYING TACTIC TO PLAGUE VACATION-BOUND WEST BERLINERS.

THE VOLKSPOLIZEI ARE HOLDING UP PRIVATE GERMAN AUTOMOBILES AT THE SOVIET ZONAL BORDER IN HALMSTEDT FOR AS LONG AS EIGHT HOURS WITH THE ATTITUDE THAT "CAPITALISTS CAN WAIT."

AMONG THE FIRST VICTIMS OF THE NEW DODGE WAS MAYOR ERNST REUTER OF WEST BERLIN WHO GOT THROUGH THE RUSSIAN CHECKPOINT ONLY AFTER A FIVE-HOUR DELAY THE OTHER NIGHT.

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B5 Q (200)

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BERLIN, AUG.8-(AP)-EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS ONCE THOUGHT THE ATOM BOMBING OF JAPAN WAS A GOOD IDEA; BUT TODAY THEY HAVE TURNED IT INTO A SHRILL PROPAGANDA BLAST AGAINST THE WEST -- AMERICA PARTICULARLY.

THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED PRESS AND RADIO TODAY REACHED A CLIMAX IN ITS ANTI-WEST CAMPAIGN, USING THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ATOMIC ATTACKS TO WHIP UP NEW FERVOR AMONG SUPPORTERS.

THE WEST BERLIN ANTI-COMMUNIST PRESS DUG UP OLD FILES TO SHOW THE KREMLIN-INSPIRED REDS DIDN'T ALWAYS FEEL THE WAY THEY DO NOW ABOUT THE ATOM BOMBING BY THE "AMERICAN WARMONGERS."

IN 1945 THE RED PRESS CALLED THE ATOMIC ATTACK A "UNITED NATIONS" ACTION, HAILING IT AS "THE BEGINNING OF THE END OF JAPAN UNDER THE CONCENTRATED BLOWS OF THE UNITED NATIONS."

AT THAT TIME THE [illegible] LICENSED COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER DEUTSCHE VOLKSZEITUNG COMMENTED: "THE JAPANESE IMPERIALISTS DID NOT WANT TO GIVE UP THEIR [illegible]EY. THEN THE FIRST ATOM BOMB FELL AND

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF JAPANESE HAD TO PAY WITH THEIR LIVES FOR THE BLINDNESS OF THEIR GOVERNMENT."

TODAY THE BOMBING IS LAID SOLELY TO THE AMERICANS. WORKERS IN FACTORIES WERE ORDERED TO OBSERVE A MINUTE OF SILENCE TO COMMEMORATE THE DEAD AT HIROSHIMA AND NAGASAKI, BOMBED AUG.6 AND AUG.9, 1945. PARTY AGENTS WHIPPED UP A NEW DRIVE FOR SIGNATURES TO THE COMMUNISTS' WORLD-WIDE "PEACE PETITION" TO OUTLAW THE ATOM BOMB.

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B23 (Q)

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BERLIN, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE AMERICAN CORRESPONDENTS ASSOCIATION OF BERLIN ASKED THE COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT TONIGHT TO SAY WHAT HAPPENED TO TWO GERMAN CORRESPONDENTS WHO LEFT BERLIN FOR THE WESTERN ZONE SIX WEEKS AGO.

THE TWO REPORTERS ARE BELIEVED TO BE IN THE HANDS OF THE SOVIET ZONE PEOPLE'S POLICE.

A REQUEST BY MAJ.GEN.MAXWELL D.TAYLOR FOR SIMILAR INFORMATION HAS BEEN IGNORED BY THE RUSSIANS.

THE AMERICAN REPORTERS ALSO ASKED U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY TO PURSUE THE MATTER, COMMENTING:

"WE FEEL THIS WILL BE THE FIRST OF A LONG AND UNPLEASANT SERIES OF INCIDENTS UNLESS THE U.S. AUTHIRITIES MAKE VERY PLAIN THAT THEY MEAN WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT A FREE PRESS."

THE MISSING MEN, HEINZ TOCHTERMANN AND SIEGFRIED ROGGE, ARE EMPLOYMED BY THE AMERICAN PATHE NEWS REEL.

THEY LEFT WEST BERLIN IN AN AMERICAN LICENSED AUTOMOBILE JUNE 30 EN ROUTE TO AN ASSIGNMENT AT BREMMERHAVEN. THERE IS NO RECORD THAT THEY REACHED THE RUSSIAN BORDER ZONE AT HELMSTEDT.

DAVID M.NICHOL OF THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS, ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT, WHO WROTE MCCLOY:

"BECAUSE OF THE INTERNATIONAL CHARACTER OF THE HIGHWAY AND THE AMERICAN PROPERTY INVOLVED, IT SEEMS LIKELY THAT THE MEN ARE PRISONERS OF THE SOVIETS.

"OUR ASSOCIATION ALREADY HAS EXPRESSED ITS FEARS TO YOU THAT ATTEMPTS WOULD BE MADE TO INTERFERE WITH THE NORMAL ACTIVITIES OF AMERICAN APPROVED NEWSPAPER REPORTERS AND PHOTOGRAPHERS IN BERLIN, THESE FEARS APPEAR NOW TO HAVE BEEN MORE THAN JUSTIFIED.

"WE WOULD URGE YOU TO USE EVERY MEANS AT YOUR COMMAND TO DISCOVER WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO THESE TWO UNFORTUNATE MEN AND THEIR EQUIPMENT, TO BRING ABOUT THEIR SPEEDY RELEASE AND TO AFFIRM THAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WILL GIVE EVERY PROTECTION TO LEGITIMATE NEWSGATHERING ACTIVITIES IN BERLIN."

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BY BRACK CURRY

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG.8-(AP)-THE WESTERN ALLIES ARE CONSIDERING THE INDUSTRIAL REARMAMENT OF WESTERN GERMANY TO HELP STRENGTHEN EUROPE AGAINST POSSIBLE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID TODAY THAT AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH EXPERTS ARE HOLDING SECRET MEETINGS ON HOW THE RUHR'S VAST PRODUCTION FACILITIES COULD BE THROWN BEHIND THE EFFORT TO DEVELOP EUROPE'S DEFENSE SYSTEM.

THEY ARE EXPECTED TO PROPOSE BROAD RELAXATION OF MANY OF THE SECURITY CONTROLS CLAMPED ON GERMAN INDUSTRY AFTER THE WAR.

THESE SOURCES SAID THE FRENCH AND BRITISH ARE LESS STRONGLY OPPOSED TO DEVELOPMENT OF WEST GERMANY'S INDUSTRIAL POTENTIAL AS A RESULT OF THE KOREAN WAR AND THE PROSPECT OF A EUROPEAN STEEL SHORTAGE.

NO DECISIONS HAVE BEEN REACHED ON HOW WEST GERMANY COULD BE INCLUDED AS A PRODUCER FOR THE EUROPEAN ARMAMENTS INDUSTRY, THESE SOURCES SAID. BUT ALLIED OFFICIALS IN GERMANY SOON WILL SEND RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE WASHINGTON, LONDON AND PARIS GOVERNMENTS.

THE FORTHCOMING FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE THEN WILL MAKE A FINAL DECISION ON THE MATTER.

AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES HERE EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT BEFORE THE END OF THE YEAR WESTERN GERMANY'S SPRAWLING INDUSTRY WILL BE HELPING DEVELOP THE WESTERN DEFENSES.

THEY STRESSED THAT THIS WOULD NOT MEAN GERMAN REARMAMENT. INSTEAD THE GERMANS WOULD DELIVER COAL, STEEL, MACHINERY AND ARMAMENT ACCESSORIES TO HELP BUILD UP THE DEFENSE MACHINES OF EUROPE. THERE IS NO THOUGHT NOW OF PERMITTING THE GERMANS TO TURN OUT GUNS.

"GERMANY CAN CONTRIBUTE TRUCKS, ELECTRICAL AND OPTICAL EQUIPMENT, CARGO SHIPS AND MANY OTHER ITEMS NEEDED BY THE WEST EUROPEAN ARMIES," ONE OFFICIAL SAID." AN ARMY NEEDS TRUCKS JUST AS MUCH AS IT NEEDS TANKS. THERE IS NO NEED FOR THE GERMANS TO BUILD TANKS OR GUNS FOR THEY CAN MAKE A GREAT CONTRIBUTION TO WESTERN DEFENSE WITH WHAT THEY ARE MAKING NOW."

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THE ALLIES LIMIT WEST GERMANY'S ANNUAL STEEL PRODUCTION TO 11,100,000 TONS. THIS LIMIT WAS IMPOSED FOR SECURITY REASONS AFTER THE WAR, GERMANS CLAIM THIS PRODUCTION IS TOO SMALL TO COVER INTERNAL NEEDS AND EXPORT ORDERS.

OFFICIALS HERE SAID EUROPE MAY FACE A STEEL SHORTAGE WITHIN A YEAR. ALREADY THERE IS TALK OF AN AMERICAN STEEL SHORTAGE. AMERICAN FIRMS ARE PLACING LARGE ORDERS FOR RAW STEEL IN WEST GERMANY-- AND SOME ARE BEING TURNED DOWN.

THESE OFFICIALS SAY THE GERMANS COULD PRODUCE ABOUT 14,500,000 TONS OF STEEL A YEAR IF THE WRAPS WERE REMOVED BY THE ALLIES. THIS STEEL COULD BE SHIPPED TO FRANCE AND BRITAIN TO HELP BUILD TANKS, GUNS AND SHIPS. OR IT COULD BE KEPT IN GERMANY AND MADE INTO TRUCKS AND RAILWAY ENGINES AND THE LIKE FOR USE BY THE FRENCH AND BRITISH ARMIES.

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B30 (SEG) (150)

BONN, GERMANY, AUG. 8-(AP)-WEST GERMANY'S VICE CHANCELLOR FRANZ BLUECHR SAID YESTERDAY THAT THE GERMAN PEOPLE ARE NOT WILLING TO BE REARMED.

ANY ALLIED MOVE TO REBUILD THE GERMAN ARMY, HE SAID IN A STATEMENT, WOULD BE AGAINST THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE.

MOREOVER, HE DECLARED, "TALK OF REBUILDING THE GERMAN ARMY WOULD GIVE THE RUSSIANS A GOOD REASON FOR MAKING A PREVENTIVE MOVE."

BLUECHER SAID HE WAS OPPOSED TO A AMERICAN ORDER TO 21,000 GERMAN AND DISPLACED PERSON GUARDS TO RECEIVE SMALL ARMS TRAINING AND LIVE IN BARRACKS.

ARMY AUTHORITIES SAID AT THE TIME THE ORDER HAD NO MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE, BUT IT CAUSED A SENSATION IN THE COMMUNIST PRESS HERE.

THE VICE CHANCELLOR SAID, HOWEVER, THAT HE DID FAVOR CREATION OF A STRONG FEDERAL POLICE FORCE. THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT HAS ASKED THE OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES FOR PERMISSION TO CREATE A FEDERAL POLICE FORCE OF 25,000 MEN TO GUARD INTERNAL SECURITY.

BLUECHER TURNED DOWN THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE GERMANS MIGHT TAKE

THE INITIATIVE TO CREATE A NEW ARMY AND WARNED THAT SUCH TALK ENDANGERED THE PEACEFUL DEVELOPMENT OF THE COUNTRY.

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B103 (Q)

VIENNA, AUG.8-(AP)-TWO AMERICAN WOMEN TOURISTS WERE ARRESTED AND DETAINED BRIEFLY BY RUSSIAN POLICE IN VIENNA TODAY.

ONE OF THE WOMEN WAS TENTATIVELY IDENTIFIED AS DOROTHY LARSON, BELIEVED TO BE FROM BISMARCK, N.D. THE NAME OF THE OTHER WAS NOT IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE.

THE AMERICAN PROVOST MARSHAL SAID THE WOMEN WERE ARRESTED AS THEY WERE PHOTOGRAPHING VIENNA STREET SCENES. ONE PICTURE THEY TOOK INCLUDED A RUSSIAN MILITARY VEHICLE. AMERICANS IN VIENNA ARE FORBIDDEN TO TAKE PICTURES OF RUSSIANS OR SOVIET INSTALLATIONS.

THE WOMEN WERE TAKEN TO RUSSIAN MILITARY POLICE HEADQUARTERS. THEIR FILM WAS CONFISCATED AND AFTER BRIEF QUESTIONING, THEY WERE RELEASED, AMERICAN POLICE SAID.

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A22

ROME, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED ITALIAN GENERAL CONFEDERATION OF LABOR (CGIL) WARNED TODAY THAT IT WOULD LOOSE A "SEPTEMBER OFFENSIVE" IN WHICH ITALY WOULD HAVE SOME OF ITS WORST LABOR TROUBLES SINCE THE WAR.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT, MADE BY GIUSEPPE DI VITTORIO, COMMUNIST DEPUTY AND SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE CGIL, SAID MAJOR ITALIAN INDUSTRIES HAVE FAILED TO ACCEPT NEW TERMS AND CONTRACTS ASKED BY THE UNIONS.

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A67

BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, AUG.8-(AP)-PREMIER MARSHAL TITO ENTERTAINED PHILIP NOEL BAKER, BRITISH MINISTER OF FUEL, AND HIS WIFE AT LUNCH TODAY.

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A66

JERUSALEM, AUG.8-(AP)-THE ISRAELI PARLIAMENT TONIGHT APPROVED A CABINET DECISION TO SEND MEDICAL MISSIONS BUT NO GROUND FORCES TO AID UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

MOTIONS BY THE LEFTIST OPPOSITION CALLING FOR DEBATE ON THE CABINET'S ACTION WERE OVERWHELMINGLY DEFEATED AFTER FOREIGN MINISTER MOSHE SHARETT SAID ISRAEL WAS ACTING IN ACCORDANCE WITH HER OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE U.N. CHARTER.

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B10 Q (340)

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NIGHT LEAD INDONESIAN

BY KENNETH LIKES

JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S.I., AUG.8-(AP)-A REVOLT IN MAKASSAR, CHIEF EAST INDONESIAN CITY ON CELEBES ISLAND, ENDED IN A TRUCE TODAY, THE INDONESIAN DEFENSE MINISTRY ANNOUNCED.

A CONFERENCE BETWEEN DUTCH AND INDONESIAN MILITARY CHIEFS AND U.N. MILITARY OBSERVERS WAS REPORTED TO HAVE ENDED BITTER FIGHTING BETWEEN REBEL INDONESIAN SOLDIERS -- MOSTLY AMBOINESE WHO ARE VETERANS OF DUTCH ARMY SERVICE - - AND U.S.I. GOVERNMENT TROOPS.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE PARTIES HAD REACHED FULL AGREEMENT ON STOPPING THE FIGHTING. BY 4:00 P.M. LOCAL TIME, THE REPORT SAID, PEACE HAD BEEN ALMOST COMPLETELY RESTORED, WITH ONLY SPORADIC SHOOTING HEARD IN THE PORT CITY.

MAJ.GEN.SCHEFFELAAR, DUTCH MILITARY COMMANDER IN INDONESIA, AND COL.KAWILARANG, INDONESIAN COMMANDER OF GOVERNMENT FORCES, FLEW TO MAKASSAR YESTERDAY TO MEET WITH U.N. MILITARY OBSERVERS ON THE SPOT IN AN ATTEMPT TO END THE FIGHTING.

THE GOVERNMENT SAID PART OF THE TRUCE AGREEMENT THREATENS THOSE WHO DISOBEY THE ORDERS OF GEN.SCHEFFELAAR WITH LOSS OF THEIR STATUS AS MEMBERS OF THE DUTCH ARMY. MOST OF THE REBEL INDONESIANS BELONGED TO THE NETHERLANDS ARMY AND WERE AWAITING DEMOBILIZATION WITH THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE DUTCH FROM THEIR FORMER COLONY.

EARLIER TODAY THE REBELS HAD ANNOUNCED BY RADIO THEY WERE THROWING IN THEIR LOT WITH THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS REGIME WHICH HAS PROCLAIMED ITS INDEPENDENCE FROM INDONESIA. THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT IS STILL FIGHTING TO REGAIN FULL CONTROL OF THE AMBOINESE, WHO MAKE UP THE GREATER PART OF THE PEOPLE OF THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS.

THE FIGHTING IN MAKASSAR STARTED SUNDAY. BETWEEN 2,000 AND 3,000 INDONESIANS IN THE DUTCH ARMY CLASHED WITH FEDERAL TROOPS. THEY APPARENTLY HAD FOUGHT SLOWLY TOWARD THE CENTER OF THE CITY AND SEIZED THE RADIO STATION. THE JAKARTA GOVERNMENT IS BELIEVED TO HAVE ABOUT 15,000 TROOPS IN OR NEAR MAKASSAR. MOST OF THEM ARE JAVANESE.

INDONESIANS IN THE DUTCH ARMY FOUGHT AGAINST THE REPUBLIC IN ITS WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE. THEY OBJECT TO BEING INCORPORATED INTO THE FEDERAL ARMY OFFICERED BY FORMER ENEMIES. THE DUTCH, IN THE PROCESS OF DEMOBILIZING THEIR EAST INDIES ARMY, HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO SEND THE AMBOINESE HOME BECAUSE OF THE REVOLT THAT BROKE OUT ON AMBOINA IN THE SOUTH MALUCCA ISLANDS MORE THAN THREE MONTHS AGO.

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JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG. 8-(AP)-REBELLIOUS AMBOINESE SOLDIERS IN THE EAST INDONESIA CAPITAL OF MACASSAR BROADCAST DEFIANCE TODAY OF THE CENTRAL INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT AND SAID THEY WERE SUPPORTING THE REBEL SOUTH MOLUCCAS REGIME ON THEIR HOME ISLAND OF AMBOINA.

THE SOLDIERS, AWAITING REPATRIATION AFTER SERVICE WITH THE DUTCH ARMY, CLASHED SUNDAY WITH TROOPS OF THE FEDERAL INDONESIAN ARMY.

MOST COMMUNICATION LINES WITH MACASSAR REMAINED OUT TODAY BUT FRAGMENTARY REPORTS REACHING HERE INDICATED FIGHTING WAS STILL GOING ON. THE REBEL TROOPS, FIGHTING OUT FROM THEIR BARRACKS AREA, APPEARED TO BE ADVANCING SLOWLY INTO THE CITY. -

DUTCH AUTHORITIES ORDERED THE DESTROYER KTRTENAER TO MACASSAR TO CONTACT THE NETHERLANDS COMMAND WHICH HAS BEEN ISOLATED BY THE BATTLE.

THE DUTCH HIGH COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE SAID THE DESTROYER WAS SENT BECAUSE NO DIRECT CONTACT HAD BEEN ESTABLISHED WITH MAJ.GEN. SCHEFFELAAR, DUTCH MILITARY COMMANDER IN INDONESIA, SINCE HE FLEW WITH THE INDONESIAN COMMANDER, COL.KAWILARANG, TO MACASSAR YESTERDAY IN AN EFFORT TO END THE REVOLT.

THE DUTCH OFFICE SAID THERE WAS NO GUARANTEE SUCH CONTACT "WILL BE ESTABLISHED WITHOUT DISTURBANCE."

THE MESSAGE OF SUPPORT FOR THE REBELLIOUS AMBOINESE GOVERNMENT CAME VIA THE MACASSAR RADIO, WHICH EVIDENTLY WAS IN REBEL HANDS. THE BROADCAST TODAY WAS THE FIRST SINCE FIGHTING STARTED.

THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALLY DENIED TODAY LOCAL NEWSPAPER REPORT THAT THE REBELS CONTROLLED ALL OF MACASSAR. IT WAS THE FIRST OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT STATEMENT ON THE REVOLT SINCE ITS OUTBREAK.

THE RADIO ALSO BROADCAST AN APPEAL BY THE SENIOR DUTCH OFFICER WITH THE REBEL TROOPS, ASKING U.S.I. FEDERAL FORCES FOR A TRUCE "TO PREVENT FURTHER BLOODSHED" AND FOR DEMARCATION LINES AROUND HIS FORCES' BARRACKS AREA.

ALSO BROADCAST WAS A MESSAGE FROM THREE UNITED NATIONS MILITARY

OBSERVERS STATIONED IN MACASSAR, ASKING FOR A MEETING AT A HOTEL THERE WITH TOP DUTCH AND U.S.I. MILITARY LEADERS WHO FLEW THERE YESTERDAY IN AN EFFORT TO HALT THE FIGHTING.

THE THREE OBSERVERS ARE U.S. LT. COL. P. MARSH OF (651 VIRGINIA SQUARE) SAN BERNARDINO, CALIF.; AUSTRALIAN ARMY MAJ. C.P.DOLAN AND BELGIAN ARMY CAPT. A.J.PERNOT.

AS FAR AS IS KNOWN, THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT HAD MADE NO REQUEST TO THE U.N. COMMISSION FOR INDONESIA FOR ASSISTANCE IN HALTING THE REVOLT. THE GOVERNMENT'S PAST POLICY HAS BEEN TO CONSIDER SUCH OUTBREAKS AS INTERNAL AFFAIRS. OUTSIDE THE COMMISSION'S JURISDICTION.

AS MONITORED HERE, THE BROADCAST BY THE REBEL AMBOINESE SOLDIERS SAID:

"WE AMBOINESE IN MACASSAR AT FIRST FULLY ACCEPTED THE UNITARY STATE, BUT RECENT ACTIONS OF FEDERAL TROOPS HERE CHANGED OUR MINDS."

THE BROADCAST VOICED SUPPORT OF THE "REPUBLIC OF SOUTH MOLUCCAS" AND APPEALED TO AMBOINESE EVERYWHERE TO SUPPORT IT.

THE U.S.I. GOVERNMENT ALREADY IS FIGHTING TO QUELL THE REVOLT ON AMBOINA, WHERE SEPARATISTS IN APRIL PROCLAIMED AN INDEPENDENT GOVERNMENT. EARLIER IN APRIL AMBOINESE TROOPS IN MACASSAR HAD REVOLTED IN PROTEST AGAINST THE GARRISONING OF THE CITY OF INDONESIAN TROOPS OF THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT BUT ABANDONED THEIR REBELLION WHEN THEIR LEADERS SURRENDERED.

BETWEEN 2,000 AND 3,000 FORMER DUTCH ARMY TROOPS--80 PER CENT OF THEM AMBOINESE--ARE CAMPED IN MACASSAR. ABOUT 12 DUTCH OFFICERS ARE IN CHARGE OF THEM. THE GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN UNABLE TO REPATRIATE THEM BECAUSE OF THE REVOLT ON AMBOINA.

FIVE OTHER SENIOR U.N. MILITARY OBSERVERS ARE EXPECTED TO JOIN THE U.N. MISSION IN MACASSAR AS SOON AS TRANSPORTATION IS AVAILABLE, ACCORDING TO THE U.N. COMMISSION HEADQUARTERS HERE.

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SAIGON, INDOCHINA,AUG.8-(AP)-UNITED STATES LEGATIONS ARE TO BE OPENED IN THE FRENCH-CONTROLLED INDOCHINESE STATES OF LAOS AND CAMBODIA, AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCED TODAY. SMALL DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS WILL BE MAINTAINED IN THE LAOTIAN CAPITAL OF VIENTIANE AND THE CAMBODIAN CAPITAL OF PNOMPENH.

A U.S. INFORMATION AND EDUCATION OFFICE ALREADY IS WORKING AT PNOMPENH. ANOTHER IS TO BE INSTALLED SHORTLY AT VEINTAINE AND IN OTHER PARTS OF INDOCHINA AS PART OF A PROGRAM THAT WILL MAKE THE AMERICAN MISSION IN THIS COUNTRY THE LARGEST IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.

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TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG.8-(AP)-A REFUGEE CHINESE FROM KOREA SAID TODAY THE RED KOREANS HAVE A FIGHTING FORCE OF 340,000 MEN--AND A RESERVE OF POSSIBLY 200,000 CHINESE REDS WHO WILL BE THROWN INTO BATTLE IF THE TIDE TURNS.

WANG KUNG-WEN, FORMERLY HEAD OF THE CHINESE OVERSEAS ASSOCIATION AT SEOUL, SAID THE NORTH KOREAN FORCE CONSISTS OF 200,000 NORTH KOREANS, 80,000 KOREANS TRAINED BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND 60,000 JAPANESE.

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TAIEPI,FORMOSA, AUG. 8-(AP)-DR. RAYMOND T. MOYER, CHIEF OF THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION IN FORMOSA, SAID TODAY MARSHALL AID SPENDING ON THE CHINESE NATIONALIST HEADQUARTERS ISLAND WILL TOTAL MORE THAN $8,000,000 IN THE JULY-SEPTEMBER QUARTER.

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 9-(AP)-PRESS REPORTS SAID TODAY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SHELLED QUEMOY FOR AN HOUR TUESDAY.

NO DETAILS WERE GIVEN.

QUEMOY IS THE NATIONALIST HELD ISLAND A FEW MILES OFF THE MAINLAND PORT OF AMOY. IT IS ABOUT 100 MILES WEST OF THIS CHINESE NATIONALIST FORTRESS.

THE NATIONALIST USE QUEMOY AS A MAIN BASE IN THE NAVAL BLOCKADE OF THE CHINESE MAINLAND.

THE NATIONALISTS HAVE SAID THE COMMUNISTS WOULD TRY TO TAKE THE ISLAND IN ANY THRUST AT FORMOSA.

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HONG KONG, AUG. 8-(AP)-PRICES OF IMPORTED MEDICINES AND DRUGS HAVE RISEN STEADILY HERE THE PAST TWO MONTHS. THE COST OF PENICILLIN HAS DOUBLED. SULPHA DRUGS ARE UP 20 PER CENT.

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HONG KONG, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE ANNOUNCED A NEW RATE OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE REDUCING THE PREMIUM ON FOREIGN CURRENCIES.

REPORTS REACHING HERE FROM RED CHINA SAID THE BRITISH POUND WHICH WAS LISTED AT 97,600 "PEOPLE'S CURRENCY" UNITS IS VALUED NOW AT 81,220.

OTHER CHANGES:

U. S. DOLLAR---FROM 35,200 TO 32,200.
HONG KONG DOLLAR---5,700 TO 4,950.
AUSTRALIAN POUND---78,500 TO 65,370.
STRAITS DOLLAR---11,500 TO 8,950.
CANADIAN DOLLAR---32,600 TO 26,940.
SWISS FRANC---8,000 TO 6,670.
INDIAN RUPEE---7,300 TO 6,070.

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HONG KONG, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE HONG KONG STANDARD SAID TODAY A "DECREASE IN THE COLONY'S POPULATION IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE FOR SOME TIME DUE TO THE PRECARIOUS WORLD SITUATION AND HIGH COST OF LIVING IN HONG KONG."

THE NEWSPAPER REPORTED HONG KONG'S POPULATION DECREASED 55,000 IN JULY BUT THERE STILL WERE MORE THAN 2,000,000 PEOPLE HERE. IN PREWAR DAYS THERE WERE LESS THAN 1,000,000.

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NIGHT LEAD SHIP (250)

HONG KONG,AUG.8-(AP)-CHINESE COMMUNIST GUNS ON AN ISLAND SOUTH OF HONG KONG TODAY FIRED FIVE SHELLS AT A NORWEGIAN FREIGHTER BUT MISSED.

IT WAS THE THIRD SHIP IN THREE DAYS TO RUN AFOUL OF COMMUNIST BATTERIES HARASSING SHIPPING ON THE SEA APPROACHES TO HONG KONG.

THE FREIGHTER IS THE 4,951-TON PLEASANTVILLE. IT HAS 3,000 TONS OF CARGO FOR JAPAN.

HONG KONG'S MARINE DEPARTMENT IMMEDIATELY ISSUED A WARNING TO ALL

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SHIPPING TO STAY CLEAR OF COMMUNIST-HELD ISLANDS AROUND HONG KONG "IN THE INTEREST OF SAFETY."

THE PLEASANTVILLE WAS ABOUT 15 MILES SOUTH OF HONG KONG WHEN THE FIRST SHELL FROM AN ISLAND BATTERY SCREAMED OUT AT 6:30 A.M.

LOCAL AGENTS DID NOT SAY HOW CLOSE THE SHELLS CAME. THEY REPORTED ONLY THAT NO HITS WERE SCORED.

AN AMERICAN AND A BRITISH SHIP WERE NOT SO FORTUNATE IN THE OTHER ATTACK. THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER STEEL ROVER, A 10,000-TONNER, SUFFERED SLIGHT DAMAGE, APPARENTLY FROM COMMUNIST SHORE BATTERIES, IN THE SAME GENERAL AREA SUNDAY.

THE 3,500-TON BRITISH HANGSANG WAS HIT TWICE BY RED SHELLS MONDAY. TWO BRITISH OFFICERS WERE WOUNDED.

THE STEEL ROVER LATER RESUMED ITS VOYAGE TO SAIGON, FRENCH INDO-CHINA. THE HANGSANG WAS INBOUND FROM BORNEO.

THE FIRE DIRECTED AT THE HANGSANG CAME FROM THE LEMA ISLANDS, ONLY THREE AND A HALF MILES FROM THE ENTRANCE TO HONG KONG HARBOR.

NO REASON HAS BEEN ASSIGNED FOR THE ATTACKS. SHIPPERS HERE SAID WIDE DETOURS WOULD BE NECESSARY IN ORDER TO AVOID ALL THE COMMUNIST ISLANDS SOUTH AND WEST OF HONG KONG.

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FIRST LEAD SHIPS (120)

HONG KONG,AUG.8-(AP)-RED CHINA SHORE BATTERIES EARLY TODAY FIRED ON BUT MISSED A NORWEGIAN FREIGHTER CARRYING CARGO TO JAPAN, MAIN ALLIED BASE FOR THE KOREAN WAR.

IT WAS THE THIRD STRAIGHT DAY SHIPS HAVE BEEN SHELLED IN THE SEA APPROACHES TO HONG KONG HARBOR. THE OTHERS WERE AMERICAN AND BRITISH.

HONG KONG REPORTS SAID THE CHINESE REDS ARE BUILDING UP "DEFENSE OUTPOSTS" ON THE LEMAS AND WANSHAN ISLANDS NEAR HONG KONG.

THE BRITISH CROWN COLONY IS A KEY HARBOR FOR FUNNELING SUPPLIES INTO ALL OF SOUTHEAST ASIA.

FIVE SHELLS WERE FIRED AT THE 4,951-TON NORWEGIAN FREIGHTER PLEASANTVILLE. THE SHIP WAS 15 MILES SOUTH OF HONG KONG, IN THE SAME AREA WHERE THE OTHER VESSELS WERE SHELLED.

THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER STEEL ROVER WAS FIRED UPON SUNDAY. A STEEL PLATE WAS DENTED. RED ARTILLERY SCORED TWO HITS YESTERDAY ON THE BRITISH FREIGHTER HANGSANG. SHELL FRAGMENTS WOUNDED TWO BRITISH OFFICERS.

THE BRITISH OFFICERS SUFFERED SUPERFICIAL BUT PAINFUL BURNS.

THE HONG KONG MARINE DEPARTMENT WARNED SHIPPING FIRMS TO DETOUR THE CHINESE RED-HELD ISLANDS NEAR HONG KONG "IN THE INTERESTS OF SAFETY."

THE PLEASANTVILLE WAS CARRYING 3,000 TONS OF CARGO FROM MANILA TO JAPAN.

NEWS OF THE THIRD SHELLING SPREAD QUICKLY THROUGHOUT THIS BRITISH CROWN COLONY WHICH DEPENDS FOR ITS LIVELIHOOD ON OCEAN COMMERCE.

AN AMERICAN SHIPPER EXPLODED: "ARE WE GOING TO HAVE TO RUN A DAMNED BLOCKADE EVERY TIME WE TAKE A SHIP OUT OF THE COLONY?"

THE CHINESE PRESS REPORTED THE CHINESE REDS ARE PLANNING TO BUILD UP THE WANSHAN (LADRONE) ISLANDS AS "OUTPOSTS OF THE SOUTH CHINA DEFENSE LINE." THE WANSHANS ARE JUST SOUTH OF THE LEMAS ISLANDS, SITE OF THE RED SHORE BATTERIES.

TO AVOID THESE ISLANDS, SHIPS TRADING WITH SOUTHEAST ASIA, AUSTRALIA OR THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO WOULD HAVE TO STEER AN ERRATIC COURSE ON THE HONG KONG APPROACHES.

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MOSCOW, AUG 8-(AP)-THE MILITARY OBSERVER FOR THE SOVIET NEWSPAPER LITERARY GAZETTE REPORTED TODAY THAT THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS HAD BROKEN THROUGH AMERICAN DFFENSE LINES AND IN OTHER SECTORS HAD SYSTEMATICALLY THROWN BACK AMERICAN COUNTERATTACKS.

THE REPORT SAID THE NORTH KOREANS CONTINUE TO PUSH RELENTLESSLY FORWARD IN THE CRUCIAL SECTORS.

QUOTING WASHINGTON COLUMNIST DREW PEARSON AS HAVING EXPOSED "FAKED" FIGURES, THE ARTICLE ACCUSED GEN. MACARTHUR OF UNDERSTATING THE AMERICAN LOSSES OF MEN AND EQUIPMENT.

(COLUMNIST PEARSON WROTE YESTERDAY THAT HE HAD SEEN "THE SECRET CASUALTY LIST KEPT BY THE ARMY SURGEON GENERAL'S OFFICE" AND THAT IT PRESENTE A MUCH HIGHER FIGURE THAN THE ARMY HAD PUBLISHED. THE ARMY ANNOUNCED THAT 2,616 KOREAN WAR CASUALTIES HAD BEEN REPORTED TO FAMILIES AND PUBLISHED, BUT THAT THERE WERE ADDITIONAL LISTS AWAITING RELEASE AFTER NOTIFICATION OF THE VICTIMS' FAMILIES.)

THE GAZETTE ALSO CARRIED A REPORT BY THE CORRESPONDENT FOR THE FRENCH COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER L'HUMANITE CHARGING THAT AMERICAN DEFENDERS OF TAEJON PUT KOREAN WOMEN, OLD MEN AND CHILDREN IN THE FORWARD LINE TO PROTECT THEMSELVES FROM NORTH KOREAN FIRE.

THE REPORT SAID THE AMERICANS MURDERED 7,000 KOREANS IN GROUPS OF 50 TO 100 BEFORE GIVING UP TAEJON TO THE NORTH KOREANS.

L'HUMANITE'S CORRESPONDENT ALSO WAS QUOTED AS SAYING THE AMERICANS MURDERED 800 KOREANS AT SUWON, 700 AT WONJU AND 1,000 AT INCHON BEFORE LEAVING THOSE CITIES. THE REPORT SAID AN AMERICAN OFFICER SHOT A THREE-YEAR-OLD GIRL CRYING FOR HER MOTHER IN ONE VILLAGE.

MANY CITIES AND VILLAGES THROUGHOUT KOREA WERE SAID IN THE REPORT TO HAVE BEEN COMPLETELY DESTROYED BY AMERICAN BOMBERS.

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MOSCOW,AUG.8-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER PRAVDA SAID TODAY SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A.MALIK'S RETURN TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL PRODUCED "A COMPLETE STATE OF CONFUSION IN THE WARMONGERS' CAMP."

UNDER A LAKE SUCCESS DATELINE THE DISPATCH SAID: "THE ENEMIES OF PEACE WERE SEIZED BY OBVIOUS DISMAY. THEY WELL UNDERSTOOD THAT WITH THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE U.S.S.R. PRESENT IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO CONTINUE UNPUNISHED THE ARBITRARY ACTIONS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL."

(MALIK RETURNED TO THE COUNCIL A WEEK AGO ENDING A SIX-MONTHS SOVIET BOYCOTT OVER THE NON-ADMISSION OF RED CHINA. WESTERN REPRESENTATIVES HAVE CHARGED RUSSIA CAME BACK TO USE THE COUNCIL AS A SOUNDING BOARD FOR PORPAGANDA.)

THE DISPATCH SAID THE SOVIET DELEGATION INTRODUCED A PROPOSAL THAT WOULD HAVE PERMITTED THE UNITED NATIONS TO GET OUT OF THE "SHAMEFUL SITUATION INTO WHICH UNITED STATES AGGRESSIVE CIRCLES LED IT AND ALLOW THE UNITED NATIONS TO ENTER UPON THE RIGHT ROAD."

PRAVDA RIDICULED BRITISH AND NORWEGIAN DELEGATES WHOSE GOVERNMENTS HAVE RECOGNIZED COMMUNIST CHINA, FOR SUPPORTING THE NATIONALIST CHINESE DELEGATE IN THE U.N.

IT SAID THE INDIAN DELEGATE HAD BEEN SUBJECTED "TO THE MOST INTENSIVE ANGLO-AMERICAN GOING OVER BEHIND THE SCENES" BUT NEVERTHELESS CAME OUT FOR EXCLUSION OF NATIONALIST CHINA.

THE NEWSPAPER CALLED THE VOTES AGAINST RUSSIAN PROPOSALS A "MECHANICAL MAJORITY" AND DECLARED THAT U.S. CHIEF DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN "SUFFERED A SHAMEFUL FAILURE BEFORE WORLD PUBLIC OPINION."

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BOGOTA, COLOMBIA, AUG. 8-(AP)-INCOMING PRESIDENT LAUREANO GOMEZ CASTRO CALLED YESTERDAY FOR AN END TO POLITICAL STRIFE IN HIS COUNTRY SO COLOMBIA CAN JOIN THE WORLD-WIDE BATTLE AGAINST COMMUNISM.
IN HIS INAUGURAL SPEECH, THE 61-YEAR-OLD LEADER OF THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY PRAISED THE "HEROIC EFFORT" OF THE UNITED STATES IN KOREA.
HE PLEDGED THAT, ONCE HIS COUNTRY HAS BEEN REBUILT ON FIRM FOUNDATIONS, COLOMBIANS WOULD "PLACE OURSELVES WITHOUT HESITATION ON THE SIDE OF THE DEFENDERS OF THE SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE OF THE PEOPLES, AND OF THE FREEDOM AND DIGNITY OF MAN WHICH IS BEING DESTROYED BY THE COMMMUNIST TYRANNY."
GOMEZ TOOK OFFICE IN AN ATMOSPHERE OF INTENSE BITTERNESS WHICH, HE SAID, HAS BLED COLOMBIA "TO THE EXHAUSTION POINT." HUNDREDS HAVE BEEN KILLED IN CLASHES BETWEEN CONSERVATIVES AND LIBERALS.
THE LIBERALS, WHO HOLD A CONGRESSIONAL MAJORITY, REFUSE TO RECOGNIZE THE LEGALITY OF THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS LAST NOVEMBER. THEY CHARGED FRAUD, VIOLENCE AND COERCION, AND REFUSED TO PARTICIPATE. THE ELECTION WAS HELD UNDER A STATE OF SIEGE DECLARED BY OUTGOING CONSERVATIVEPRESIDENT MARIANO OSPINA PEREZ.
GOMEZ WAS SWORN IN BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT OF JUSTICE INSTEAD OF FOLLOWING THE USUAL CUSTOM OF TAKING THE OATH IN FRONT OF CONGRESS. TROOPS AND POLICE PATROLLED THE CAPITAL.
AS HIS FIRST OFFICIAL ACT HE APPOINTED A NEW CABINET MADE UP ENTIRELY OF CONSERVATIVES.
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NIGHT LEAD MOBILIZATION (360)
OTTAWA, AUG.8-(AP)-HUBERT E.HOWARD, CHAIRMAN OF THE UNITED STATES MUNITIONS BOARD, SAID TONIGHT THE UNITED STATES INTENDS TO BUY A "HUGE QUANTITY" OF 3.5-INCH NAVAL GUNS FROM CANADA.
THE U.S. MUNITIONS PLANNER ALSO DISCLOSED IN AN INTERVIEW THAT THE U.S. IS CONSIDERING BUYING MILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF AIRCRAFT AND AIRCRAFT PARTS IN CANADA.
HE SAID IT WAS NOT YET DECIDED WHAT KINDS OF CANADIAN AIRCRAFT THE U.S. WILL PURCHASE.
HOWARD SAID THE U.S. IS CONSIDERING BUYING CANADIAN SHIPS AND VEHICLES AND "SOME CLOTHING," BUT THIS WAS NOT DEFINITE.
THE NAVAL GUNS, HE ADDED, WAS THE MOST DEFINITE COMMITMENT SO FAR. IT WOULD FORM PART OF THE $25,000,000 CANADA-U.S. ARMS RECIPROCITY ARRANGEMENT, WHICH SOON IS EXPECTED TO BE EXTENDED WELL BEYOND THAT FIGURE.
IN LONG-RANGE PLANNING, HE ADDED, THE UNITED STATES IS CONSIDERING THE PLACEMENT IN CANADA OF HEAVY ORDERS FOR RAW MATERIALS AND MANAFACTURED GOODS.
HOWARD TALKED TO REPORTERS AFTER THE TWO COUNTRIES MOVED QUICKLY TO REACH AGREEMENT MN A JOINT INDUSTRIAL MOBILIZATION BLUEPRINT TO BE USED DURING TOTAL EMERGENCY.
WHEN THE COMPLETE BLUEPRINT OF MOBILIZATION IS PLACED IN OPERATION, IT WAS INDICATED OFFICIALLY THAT CANADA WOULD GET ABOUT 10 PER CENT OF ALL UNITED STATES ARMAMENTS ORDERS. THIS WOULD GIVE CANADA ORDERS FOR ABOUT $1,000,000,000 (B) WORTH OF AMERICAN CONTRACTS A YEAR.
THE PLAN ITSELF WAS COMPLETED AT A SESSION OF THE JOINT UNITED STATES-CANADA INDUSTRIAL MOBILIZATION PLANNING COMMITTEE IN THE PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS.
ATTENDING WERE HARRY J.CARMICHAEL, CHAIRMAN OF THE INDUSTRIAL DEFENSE BOARD AND WARTIME CO-ORDINATOR OF MUNITIONS PRODUCTION; SYDNEY D.PIERCE, ASSOCIATED DEPUTY MINISTER OF TRADE; HOWARD, AND FREDERICK WINANT OF THE U.S. NATIONAL RESOURCES BOARD.
A STATEMENT AFTER THE SESSION SAID THE PLANNERS AGREED TO RECOMMEND TO THEIR GOVERNMENTS "CERTAIN PRINCIPLES TO GUIDE THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES IN THE FIELD OF INDUSTRIAL MOBILIZATION."

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THESE PRINCIPLES, NOT DISCLOSED, WOULD BE IMPLEMENTED AT THE "APPROPRIATE TIME AND WITHIN THE CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS" OF THE GOVERNMENTS.
AMONG THE PRINCIPLES, IT WAS LEARNED, WERE:
1. THE UNITED STATES WOULD AGREE TO WITHDRAW THE BUY AMERICAN ACT OF 1934 WHICH RESTRICTS PURCHASES BY THE U.S. FORCES TO U.S. SHORES.
2. ELIMINATE HIGH TARIFFS ON CANADIAN ARMAMENTS.
3. AVOID DISCRIMINATION IN ALLOCATION OF MATERIALS AMONG WAR FACTORIES IN BOTH COUNTRIES.
4. CREATE BI-LATERAL ECONOMIC CONTROLS ON PRIORITIES AND ALLOCATIONS OF STRATEGIC RAW MATERIALS.
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NIGHT LEAD MENZIES (370)
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OTTAWA, AUG. 8-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ROBERT MENZIES OF AUSTRALIA SAID TODAY THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WORLD MUST CONTINUE TO BUILD THEIR ECONOMIC STRENGTH AS WELL AS PREPARE AGAINST THE THREAT OF WAR.
"WE MUST WORK FOR GUNS AS WELL AS BUTTER," HE TOLD A LUNCHEON MEETING OF THE OTTAWA CANADIAN CLUB. "TO ATTEMPT ONE AND LEAVE THE OTHER WOULD BE TO SACRIFICE THE FUTURE OF MANKIND."
PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST. LAURENT, SITTING BESIDE HIM AT THE HEAD TABLE, LISTENED GRAVELY AS MENZIES SAID:
"WHATEVER THE STRAIN ON OUR RESOURCES WE MUST EXPAND AND GROW STRONG--AND TO DEVELOP AN EXPANDING ECONOMY AT SUCH A TIME AS THIS IS IN ITSELF A TASK OF THE FIRST MAGNITUDE."
MENZIES DECLARED RUSSIA IS TRYING TO BRING ABOUT THE ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL BREAKDOWN OF CAPITALIST DEMOCRACY AS OPPOSED TO "COMMUNIST DEMOCRACY."
SHE AIMED AT THIS RESULT BY "DISPERSING OUR STRENGTH, USING UP OUR NERVOUS ENERGY THROUGH ONE CRISIS AFTER ANOTHER AND SUBJECTING US TO CONSTANT STRAIN BY KEEPING UP A CONTINUAL WAR OF NERVES."
SIMULTANEOUSLY, SHE HOPED TO FORCE DOWN THE LIVING STANDARDS OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONS BY COMPELLING THEM TO SPEND MORE ON GUNS AND MUNITIONS FOR DEFENSE, HE SAID.
MENZIES LISTED THREE THINGS WHICH BOTH HE AND ST. LAURENT AND OTHER LEADERS OF DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES MUST DO TO MEET THE PRESENT SITUATION:
1. PREPARE AGAINST AND FOR WAR; 2. BUILD UP ECONOMIC STRENGTH AND VIGOR; 3 MAINTAIN FINANCIAL STABILITY AGAINST THE THREAT OF INFLATION.
"THE GENTLEMEN OF THE KREMLIN ARE HOPING DAY BY DAY," HE SAID, "THAT WE SHALL LOSE THE BATTLE AGAINST INFLATION AND THAT IT WILL BE FOLLOWED BY SLUMPS AND DEPRESSIONS AFTER THE OLD PRE-WAR PATTERN."
MENZIES DESCRIBED AS "CHILDISH PROPAGANDA" THE RUSSIANS' CLAIM THAT THE UNITED STATES, CANADA AND OTHER DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES HAD COMMITTED AN ACT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST NORTH KOREA.
"IT SEEMS WE COMMITTED AN ACT OF AGGRESSION IN THE WAY THAT JOE LOUIS'S OPPONENTS COMMITTED AGGRESSION--BY HITTING HIM ON THE FIST WITH THEIR SOLAR PLEXUS."
HE SAID THE FREE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD HAD TO FACE UP TO THE FACT

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THAT "WE ARE LIVING IN THE SHADOW OF THE THREAT OF WAR AND WE MUST COMMIT OUR POLICIES AND ACTIONS TO THE CHARACTER OF THIS THREAT."

TONIGHT MENZIES WAS ENTERTAINED TO DINNER AT THE OTTAWA COUNTRY CLUB BY ST.LAURENT.

TOMORROW HE WILL HOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE AND WILL MEET BRIEFLY WITH THE CANADIAN CABINET.

AFTER CALLING ON DEFENSE MINISTER BROOKE CLAXTON IN THE AFTERNOON HE LEAVES FOR A ONE-DAY VISIT TO VANCOUVER, B.C.

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OTTAWA, AUG. 8-(AP)-CANADIAN AND AMERICAN EXPERTS MET TODAY TO PLAN POOLING THE TWO NEIGHBORS' WAR PRODUCTION AS CANADA PREPARED TO RAISE A SPECIAL ARMY BRIGADE FOR UNITED NATIONS SERVICE WHEREVER NEEDED.

THE CONFERENCE IS EXPECTED TO RESULT IN ORDERS MESHING THE GEARS OF CANADIAN AND AMERICAN WAR OUTPUT. PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST.LAURENT FORECAST "PRETTY CLOSE COLLABORATION" BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

THE ARMY BRIGADE, HE SAID IN A BROADCAST LAST NIGHT, WOULD BE "AVAILABLE FOR SERVICE IN KOREA AS PART OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IF IT CAN BE MOST EFFECTIVELY USED IN THAT WAY WHEN IT IS READY FOR SERVICE."

AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE TROOPS WOULD TAKE SIX MONTHS TO TRAIN. USE OF THE FORCE IN KOREA WOULD HAVE TO BE AUTHORIZED BY PARLIAMENT.

CANADA HAS ALREADY MADE THREE DESTROYERS AND A LONG RANGE AIR TRANSPORT SQUADRON WITH GROUND CREWS AVAILABLE TO GEN. MACARTHUR.

RECRUITING FOR THE NEW UNIT--EXPECTED TO NUMBER 4,000 OR 5,000 MEN--WILL START WEDNESDAY. ST.LAURENT SAID IT "WILL BE ESPECIALLY TRAINED AND EQUIPPED TO BE AVAILABLE FOR USE IN CARRYING OUT CANADA'S OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER OR THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT."

THE PRIME MINISTER SAID THE CABINET HAD DECIDED NOT TO SEND EXISTING FIRST-LINE REGULAR ARMY UNITS OUT OF THE COUNTRY BECAUSE SUCH A STEP WOULD "DANGEROUSLY WEAKEN OUR OWN IMMEDIATE DEFENSE."

"IF WE ARE TO AVERT THE DANGER WHICH THREATENS THE FREE WORLD," HE DECLARED, "WE MUST MARSHALL AND INCREASE THE RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO RESIST AGGRESSION; WE MUST BUILD UP MILITARY STRENGTH BACKED BY INDUSTRIAL STRENGTH."

TODAY'S CONFERENCE IS AN EFFORT TO BUILD UP JOINT CANADIAN-AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL STRENGTH.

ALTHOUGH RESULTS WILL BE SECRET, IT IS EXPECTED THAT THE FOLLOWING DECISION WILL BE MADE:

1. ELIMINATION OF RESTRICTIVE LEGISLATION IMPEDING THE FLOW OF DEFENSE ORDERS ACROSS THE U.S.-CANADIAN BORDER.
2. BILATERAL ACTION ON ECONOMIC CONTROLS.
3. NON-DISCRIMINATION IN ALLOCATION OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 8-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS FOOD EXPERT SAID TODAY THE FOOD SUPPLY IN THE FAR EAST IS IN DANGER FROM POTENTIAL DESTRUCTION OF THE KOREAN RICE FIELDS.

VISCOUNT BRUCE, CHAIRMAN OF THE U. N. FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION COUNCIL, DISCUSSED THE RICE SITUATION BEFORE HE SAILED ON THE LINER QUEEN ELIZABETH FOR ENGLAND.

HE SAID KOREA NORMALLY WAS "A PRETTY BIG PRODUCER" OF RICE, EXPORTED PRINCIPALLY TO JAPAN.

"THERE ISN'T TOO MUCH SURPLUS RICE AROUND TO MEET THE NEEDS OF THE FAR EAST," HE SAID.

HE ADDED THAT THE KOREAN WAR WAS "THROWING OUT OF BALANCE THE SYSTEM THAT WAS DEVISED TO GET RICE TO THE COUNTRIES THAT NEED RICE."

THIS SYSTEM, HE SAID, HAS BEEN OPERATING SINCE THE RICE COUNCIL S FORMED BY FAR EASTERN NATIONS TWO YEARS AGO.

THE BRITISHER ALSO PREDICTED THAT IF THE NORTH KOREANS RETREATED, EY WOULD TAKE WITH THEM WHATEVER RICE THEY FOUND OR PURSUE A SCORCHED EARTH" POLICY.

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NEW YORK, AUG.8-(AP)-NEW YORK CITY WILL ENROLL AN AUXILIARY POLICE FORCE OF 40,000--INCLUDING 500 WOMEN--TO SERVE AS POLICEMEN IN EVENT OF A WAR EMERGENCY.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT CAME YESTERDAY FROM MAYOR WILLIAM O'DWYER AND CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR ARTHUR W.WALLANDER.

POLICE COMMISSIONER WILLIAM P. O'BRIEN ALREADY HAS ORDERED POLICE COMMAND HEADS TO RECOMMEND "WITHOUT DELAY" AUXILIARY COMMANDING OFFICERS.

THE EMERGENCY FORCE WILL WORK CLOSELY WITH THE POLICE DEPARTMENT IN A CHAIN OF COMMAND THAT WILL PARALLEL THE REGULAR POLICE SET-UP.

DURING WORLD WAR TWO, NEARLY 10,000 MEN AND WOMEN SERVED IN THE NEW YORK CITY PATROL CORPS. MEMBERS OF THE CORPS WORE KHAKI UNIFORMS AND CARRIED NIGHTSTICKS AND REVOLVERS.

THE WOMEN PATROL CORPS MEMBERS WORKED WITH THE JUVENILE AID BUREAU AND PERFORMED CLERICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES.

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NEW YORK, AUG.8-(AP)-THE POLISH MOTORSHIP BATORY SAILED FOR HOME TODAY, AS CLOSELY WATCHED ON DEPARTURE AS ON ARRIVAL.

CUSTOMS OFFICERS AND FBI AGENTS BARRED EVERYONE FROM THE SHIP EXCEPT THOSE WITH OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

THE BATORY WAS THE FIRST IRON CURTAIN COUNTRY VESSEL SUBJECTED TO THE NEW GIMLET EYE SECURITY CHECK IN NEW YORK HARBOR.

EVER SINCE GERHARD EISLER, GERMAN COMMUNIST, JUMPED BAIL AND ESCAPED ON THE BATORY IN MAY, 1949, SHE HAS BEEN UNDER CLOSE SURVEILLANCE WHILE IN PORT HERE.

BUT THIS TIME THE SURVEILLANCE WAS EVEN STRICTER. ALL VISITORS TO THE VESSEL DURING HER THREE-DAY PAUSE HERE WERE CHECKED BY CUSTOMS AGENTS.

THE MASTER OF THE SHIP, CAPTAIN JAN CWIKLINSKI, HAD NO COMENT ON THE RESTRICTIONS.

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NEW YORK, AUG.8-(AP)-DEFENSE COUNSEL TODAY DROPPED A MOVE TO WIN OWER BAIL FOR A NEW YORK ENGINEER AND WOMAN LINKED IN A SOVIET ATOM SPY RING AFTER THE ENGINEER'S WIFE REFUSED TO SAY IF SHE WAS A COMMUNIST.

THE SUDDEN MOVE CAME DURING A BITTER CLASH BETWEEN ATTORNEYS AT A FEDERAL COURT HEARING ON A PETITION CHALLENGING THE DETENTION OF ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, THE ENGINEER, AND MISS MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ.

THEY ARE CHARGED WITH PLOTTING TO CAUSE FALSE TESTIMONY BEFORE A 1947 FEDERAL GRAND JURY INVESTIGATING ESPIONAGE.

DEFENSE ATTORNEY WILLIAM L.MESSING HAD CHALLENGED THEIR DETENTION, CLAIMING THE $25,000 BAIL UNDER WHICH THEY ARE HELD IS TOO HIGH.

ON MESSING'S ADFICE, BROTHMAN'S WIFE, NAOMI, ANSWER AT THE REFUSED TO HEARING WHETHER SHE WAS A COMMUNIST, AND WHETHER HER HUSBAND HAD BEEN A MEMBER OF THE YOUNG COMMUNIST LEAGUE.

"ARE YOU REFUSING TO ANSWER BECAUSE YOU ARE AFRAID YOUR ANSWER MIGHT INCRIMINATE YOU?" ASKED FEDERAL JUDGE T.HOYT DAVIS.

"YES," SAID MRS.BROTHMAN.

MESSING STRONGLY OBJECTED TO THE QUESTIONS, CONTENDING THAT THE

GOVERNMENT'S QUERIES SHOULD BE CONFINED TO BROTHMAN'S FINANCIAL ABILITY TO POST THE BAIL. THE JUDGE OVERRULED THIS CONTENTION, AFTER A WRANGLE BETWEEN ATTORNEYS.

MESSING SAID HE WAS "SHOCKED AT THE TURN OF EVENTS." HE CLAIMED THE GOVERNMENT WAS SEEKING TO TURN A CIVIL PROCEEDING INTO A PRE-TRIAL EXAMINATION THAT COULD BE USED FOR CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS.

AFTER A SHORT RECESS, HE THEN WITHDREW HIS PETITION.

BROTHMAN AND MISS MOSKOWITZ, HIS LONG-TIME BUSINESS ASSOCIATE IN ENGINEERING FIRMS HERE AND IN NEW JERSEY, WERE REMANDED TO CUSTODY. THEY ARE ACCUSED OF CONSPIRING TO FRAME A FALSE STORY FOR HARRY GOLD, ADMITTED GO-BETWEEN FOR BRITISH SCIENTIST KLAUS FUCHS AND SOVIET AGENTS, TO TELL A GRAND JURY.

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BY FRANCIS W. CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TONIGHT ACCUSED THE SOVIET UNION OF OBSTRUCTING THE MAJORITY'S WILL ON THE KOREAN QUESTION, AND SAID THE SECURITY COUNCIL WILL BE STALLED ALL THIS MONTH -- UNTIL JAKOB A. MALIK GIVES UP THE PRESIDENCY SEPT. 1-- IF THESE TACTICS CONTINUE.

THE POSSIBILITY AROSE THAT MALIK MAY FACE SUSPENSION AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT. ERNEST A. GROSS, U.S. DELEGATE, TOLD REPORTERS THIS IS ONE OF SEVERAL THINGS THAT MIGHT BE DISCUSSED IN CONSULTATIONS BEFORE THE COUNCIL MEETS AGAIN THURSDAY. GROSS SAID THE COUNCIL BY MAJORITY VOTE, WITH THE VETO NOT APPLYING, COULD CHANGE ITS RULES WITH THE EFFECT MALIK WOULD BE UNSEATED.

WARREN R. AUSTIN, CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE, TOLD THE COUNCIL:

"IT MUST BE APPARENT TO ALL OF US AND TO THE WORLD THAT THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE, WHO UNDER OUR RULES OF PROCEDURE IS ACTING AS PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL THIS MONTH, WILL NOT ABIDE BY OUR RULES OF PROCEDURE OR BY THE EXPRESSED WILL OF THIS COUNCIL.

"THE RECORD SHOWS THAT HE HAS MADE EVERY EFFORT TO STOP OUR WORK AND KEEP US FROM OUR BUSINESS. IF HIS CAMPAIGN OF OBSTRUCTION GOES ON, IT CAN LEAD TO ONLY ONE CONSEQUENCE. THE SECURITY COUNCIL WILL BE STALLED ON DEAD CENTER FOR THE REMAINDER OF THIS MONTH UNABLE TO DISCHARGE ITS RESPONSIBILITY UNDER THE CHARTER OF KEEPING THE PEACE. THIS IS THE CHALLENGE WE MUST MEET.

"I AM RELUCTANT TO CONCLUDE THAT THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO ACHIEVE THIS RESULT."

AUSTIN SUGGESTED THE COUNCIL ADJOURN 48 HOURS "IN ORDER TO ALLOW THE SOVIET DELEGATION TO COMMUNICATE WITH MOSCOW AND OBTAIN INSTRUCTIONS FROM THEIR GOVERNMENT, INSTRUCTIONS WHICH WILL ENABLE THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO FUNCTION."

MALIK RESPONDED THAT THE SOVIET DELEGATION HAD ALL THE INSTRUCTIONS IT NEEDED, AND SUGGESTED THE UNITED STATES WANTED TIME TO CONSULT ITS "SATELLITES."

MALIK THREW BACK AN AUSTIN CHARGE OF "OBSTRUCTION," ARGUING THE UNITED STATES HAS DELAYED THE COUNCIL'S PROCEEDINGS IN A WEEK-LONG WRANGLE, EVER SINCE MALIK TOOK THE PRESIDENCY, OVER PROCEDURE ON THE KOREAN QUESTION.

THE COUNCIL ACCEPTED AUSTIN'S RECOMMENDATION, AND ADJOURNED UNTIL 2 P.M. (EST), THURSDAY.

AUSTIN TOLD THE COUNCIL:

"IT IS NOT EDIFYING TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET UNION TO USE HIS POSITION AS PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO MAKE THESE CHARGES THERE, THAT THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IS THE AGGRESSOR, THAT THE SOUTH KOREANS PROVOKED THE NORTH KOREANS BY INVADING NORTH KOREA, AND DOING THIS ON THE TIME OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND ON THE TIME OF THOSE POOR BOYS OVER THERE WHO ARE UNDER FIRE WHILE WE MONKEY AND TWIST THE RULES AND THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSE OF PREVENTING PROGRESS TOWARD PEACE AND TOWARD THE CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION FIRST ON THE TABLE THAT HAS A TENDENCY AT LEAST TO NARROW THE AREA OF CONFLICT AND TO CLARIFY THE PICTURE BEFORE THE WORLD."

"WHEN THE PRESIDENT, AS SUCH OR AS THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET UNION-- IT MAKES NO DIFFERENCE WHICH HAT HE WEARS WHILE HE IS DOING IT-- BUT, WHEN HE UNDERTAKES TO PERSUADE THIS GREAT AUDIENCE HERE PRESENT AND IN ALL THE WORLD OUTSIDE THAT THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IS AN AGGRESSOR IN KOREA, I WOULD LIKE TO ASK:

"WHOSE TROOPS ARE ATTACKING DEEP IN THE COUNTRY OF SOMBODY ELSE? THE NORTH KOREANS.

"WHOSE COUNTRY IS BEING OVERRUN BY AN INVADING ARMY? THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.

"WHO IS ASSISTING THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA TO DEFEND ITSELF? THE UNITED NATIONS, WITH THE SUPPORT OF 53 OUT OF 59 MEMBERS.

"WHO HAS THE INFLUENCE AND THE POWER TO CALL OFF THE INVADING NORTHERN KOREAN ARMY? THE SOVIET UNION.

"WHO THEN IS SUPPORTING THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER AND WORKING FOR PEACE? THE FIFTY THREE MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS WHO ARE ASSISTIN THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.

"IS THE SOVIET UNION ONE OF THE 53? NO.

"WHAT MEMBER OF THIS SECURITY COUNCIL IS ASSISTING IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL THE INVADERS? THE SOVIET UNION."

THE AMERICAN DELEGATE WAS LOUDLY APPLAUDED BY THE PUBLIC SECTION OF THE AUDIENCE AND MALIK GAVELLED FOR ORDER WITH AN ADMONITION TO THE PUBLIC TO REMAIN ORDERLY.

AUSTIN FIRED HIS BROADSIDE AT MALIK DIRECTLY AFTER MALIK ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES OF USING "GANGSTER" METHODS IN TRYING TO FORCE DECISIONS ON THE COUNCIL. MALIK ALSO PUT UP A RESOLUTION PROPOSING THAT THE COUNCIL ORDER THE AMERICANS TO CEASE BOMB ATTACKS ON KOREA'S PEOPLE AND TOWNS.

THE RUSSIANS POPPED THEIR RESOLUTION INTO THE COUNCIL AFTE SPEECH BY MALIK TAGGED BY SEVERAL WESTERN DELEGATES AS PART O OBVIOUS FILIBUSTER. WESTERN SOURCES SAID APPROVAL OF THIS RE WOULD GIVE A BIG BOOST TO NORTH KOREAN TROOPS SINCE THE NORTH PLANES HAVE BEEN SWEPT OUT OF THE AIR BY THE AMERICANS AND N LONGER PRESENT A SERIOUS THREAT TO THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES KOREA.

IT HAS BEEN A FULL WEEK SINCE MALIK ENDED HIS HALF-YEAR BOY OF THE COUNCIL AND TOOK OVER AS THIS MONTH'S PRESIDENT. IN THA DELEGATES HAVE NOT GOT BEYOND PROCEDURAL ARGUMENTS ON KOREA.

MALIK SAID THE UNITED STATES IS AFRAID FOR THE NORTH KOREANS TO COME HERE AND TELL THE TRUTH ABOUT KOREA. HE DEMANDED THAT THE COUNCIL INVITE THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS AS WELL AS THE SOUTH KOREANS TO THE TABLE FOR THE DEBATE ON THE CRISIS. THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN OPPOSE INVITING THE NORTH KOREANS BECAUSE THEY HAVE BEEN NAMED AS AGGRESSORS BY THE U.N. ITSELF.

HIS VOICE RISING, MALIK SAID THE AMERICANS ARE AFRAID OF AN OPEN INTERNATIONAL DISCUSSION WITH BOTH SIDES PRESENT. "THIS IS NOT A

DEMOCRATIC METHOD BUT THE METHOD OF GANGSTERS," HE ASSERTED. "THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND ITS FOLLOWERS ARE AFRAID OF TRUTH AS THEY ARE AFRAID OF FIRE."

IN THE RESOLUTION, MALIK SAID BOMBING BY THE AMERICAN FORCES OF KOREAN TOWNS AND VILLAGES IS A GROSS VIOLATION OF UNIVERSALLY ACCEPTED RULES OF INTERNATIONAL LAW. HE THEN ASKED THE COUNCIL TO DECIDE:

"TO CALL UPON THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO CEASE AND NOT PERMIT IN FUTURE THE BOMBING BY THE AIR FORCE OR BY OTHER MEANS OF TOWNS AND POPULATED AREAS AND ALSO THE SHOOTING UP FROM THE AIR OF PEACEFUL POPULATION IN KOREA;

"TO INSTRUCT THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO BRING THIS DECISION OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO THE VERY URGENT NOTICE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA."

MALIK READ A TELEGRAM FROM NORTH KOREA ACCUSING THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE OF INHUMAN BOMBING OF CIVILIANS, AND SAID THE UNITED STATES DID NOT WANT REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NORTH KOREANS TO COME TO THE COUNCIL AND TELL THE TRUTH ABOUT WHAT IS HAPPENING IN KOREA. HE CHARGED THE U.S. WITH BRINGING PRESSURE TO BEAR ON THE COUNCIL AND SAID AMERICAN DISAGREEMENT WITH THE SOVIET PROPOSAL TO INVITE BOTH SIDES SHOWED A LACK OF DESIRE TO COOPERATE ON A SETTLEMENT.

THE REPUBLIC OF (SOUTH) KOREA IS SPONSORED BY THE UNITED NATIONS AS THE ONLY LEGAL GOVERNMENT OF KOREA. LAST WEEK THE COUNCIL BEGAN ARGUING ABOUT INVITING TO THE TABLE JOHN M. CHANG, KOREAN AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON, WHO HAD SAT IN ON EVERY SESSION SINCE THE INVASION BEGAN JUNE 25-- UNTIL MALIK APPEARED.

WARREN R. AUSTIN OF THE UNITED STATES, T.F.TSIANG OF NATIONALIST CHINA, AND OTHER DELEGATES CONTENDED THAT THE COUNCIL ON JUNE 25 ISSUED A STANDING INVITATION TO CHANG TO TAKE PART IN EVERY SESSION ON KOREA. MALIK SAID ANY INVITATION MUST BE ISSUED AT EVERY COUNCIL MEETING.

MALIK OPENED TODAY'S MEETING BY READING THE PROTEST FROM THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN REGIME TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL (MALIK) AGAINST AMERICAN BOMBINGS OF NORTH KOREA. THE MESSAGE CHARGED THE AMERICANS WITH WAGING BARBAROUS WAR AGAINST PEACEFUL INHABITANTS, OLD PEOPLE, WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

MALIK THEN ASKED ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL CONSTANTIN E. ZINCHENKO, RANKING RUSSIAN IN THE U.N. SECRETARIAT, TO READ A COMMUNICATION FROM THE U.N. COMMISSION ON KOREA. THE COMMISSION SAID IT CONTINUED TO RECEIVE REPORTS THAT THE NORTH KOREANS WERE COMMITTING UNCIVILIZED AND UNHUMAN PRACTICES AGAINST THE WOUNDED. IT SAID THAT THE SOUTH KOREANS HAVE SHOWN THEIR INTENTION TO ABIDE BY GENEVA CONVENTIONS ON WAR BUT NOTHING HAS BEEN HEARD FROM THE NORTH KOREANS ABOUT MEASURES TO PUT THESE RULES INTO EFFECT.

BUT ZINCHENKO DID NOT READ THE DOCUMENT. TSIANG INSISTED REPEATEDLY THAT THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT MAKE A DECISION ON INVITING THE SOUTH KOREAN TO THE TABLE. MALIK REPLIED THAT SEVERAL DELEGATES WANTED TO DISCUSS THAT QUESTION AND HE AS PRESIDENT WOULD MAKE NO RULING UNTIL THE DISCUSSION ENDED. AFTER AUSTIN JUMPED INTO THE SCRAP WITH A DEMAND FOR A RULING, MALIK OPENED A FOLDER ON HIS DESK AND READ HIS SPEECH BLASTING THE AMERICANS AS AGGRESSORS IN KOREA AND INSISTING ON AN INVITATION TO THE NORTH KOREANS AS WELL AS THE SOUTH KOREANS.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 8-(AP)-U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN SAID TONIGHT THE SOVIET UNION HAS THE INFLUENCE TO CALL OFF THE NORTH KOREANS FROM WAR. HE ACCUSED RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK OF OBSTRUCTING THE WORK OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN DEALING WITH THE KOREAN PROBLEM.

AUSTIN URGED THE SECURITY COUNCIL, AFTER A WEEK OF FRUITLESS DEBATE ON PROCEDURE, TO ADJOURN UNTIL THURSDAY. IN THE MEANTIME, HE SAID, THE SOVIET DELEGATION COULD CONFER WITH MOSCOW AND OTHER DELEGATIONS COULD DECIDE WHAT THEY WILL DO "IN CASE RUSSIA DECIDES TO CONTINUE TO OBSTRUCT THE WORK OF THE COUNCIL."

AUSTIN SPOKE AFTER MALIK ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES OF USING "THE METHODS OF GANGSTERS" AND TRYING TO IMPOSE ITS WILL ON THE COUNCIL.

RESPONDING TO AUSTIN, MALIK ARGUED IT WAS THE UNITED STATES THAT HAS "ENGAGED FOR A WEEK" IN OBSTRUCTING WORK OF THE COUNCIL. MALIK SAID THE SOVIET DELEGATION HAD ALL THE INSTRUCTIONS IT REQUIRED, BUT WAS WILLING TO AGREE TO THE 48-HOUR ADJOURNMENT IF THE UNITED STATES, AS HE PUT IT, NEEDED TO CONSULT WITH ITS "SATELLITES."

MALIK MADE THE CHARGE IN A LONG PROCEDURAL WRANGLE OVER WHETHER REPRESENTATIVES OF SOUTH KOREA AND COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA SHOULD BE INVITED TO TAKE PART IN U.N. DEBATES.

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES IS AFRAID OF OPEN INTERNATIONAL DISCUSSION OF THE PROBLEM WITH BOTH SIDES PRESENT, MALIK SAID, ADDING:

"THIS IS NOT A DEMOCRATIC METHOD, BUT THE METHOD OF GANGSTERS."

"THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND ITS FOLLOWERS ARE AFRAID OF TRUTH AS THEY ARE AFRAID OF FIRE."

BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN HAVE OPPOSED ANY SEATING OF NORTH KOREA IN THE COUNCIL, ON THE GROUND THAT THE RUSSIAN-SUPPORTED REGIME HAS BEEN NAMED AS AN AGGRESSOR BY THE U.N. COMMISSION IN KOREA.

THE CLASH DEVELOPED AFTER MALIK HAD OPENED THE COUNCIL SESSION BY PRESENTING A LONG TELEGRAM FROM THE NORTH KOREANS CHARGING THE U.S. WITH INHUMAN ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS.

MALIK SUBMITTED A RESOLUTION CALLING UPON THE UNITED STATES TO CEASE BOMBING TOWNS AND POPULATED AREAS IN KOREA AND TO STOP "THE SHOOTING UP FROM THE AIR OF THE PEACEFUL POPULATION." THE RESOLUTION PROVIDED THAT SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE BRING THIS DECISION URGENTLY TO THE ATTENTION OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

THE TELEGRAM WAS FROM PAK HEN NEN, MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF NORTH KOREA, IT SAID:

"THE AMERICAN AIR FORCE ARE ENGAGING IN BARBAROUS ATTACKS ON UNDEFENDED KOREAN TOWNS AND INDUSTRIAL CENTERS WHERE THERE NEVER WERE AND ARE NOT NOW ANY MILITARY OBJECTIVES, DESTROYING HOUSES AND LEAVING PEOPLE WITHOUT A ROOF OVER THEIR HEADS; ARE DESTROYING SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS AND OTHER CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS; THEY ARE SLAUGHTERING PEACEFUL INHABITANTS, OLD PEOPLE, WOMEN AND CHILDREN AND DESTROYING THEIR PROPERTY."

THE TELEGRAM SAID MORE THAN 4,000 PERSONS HAD BEEN KILLED OR INJURED AT WONSAN AND THAT SEOUL HAD ABOUT 7,000 CASUALTIES.

ABOUT 30 MINUTES WERE REQUIRED FOR READING AND TRANSLATION OF THE TELEGRAM.

RUSSIA WAS FACING ANOTHER REBUFF AS THE SESSION BEGAN, AND SOME WESTERN DELEGATIONS EXPECTED HER TO STRIKE BACK WITH HER 44TH VETO.

AFTER THE NORTH KOREAN TELEGRAM WAS READ, MALIK ANNOUNCED A COMMUNICATION FROM THE U.N. COMMISSION ON KOREA. THE COMMISSION REPORTED IT WAS RECEIVING FURTHER REPORTS OF COMMUNIST ATROCITIES AGAINST WOUNDED AND CAPTURED AMERICAN SOLDIERS.

T.F.TSIANG OF CHINA RAISED A POINT OF ORDER, ASKING WHETHER MALIK AS PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL DID NOT FEEL IT OBLIGATORY TO CARRY OUT A COUNCIL DECISION OF JUNE 25-- TO INVITE A REPRESENTATIVE OF SOUTH KOREA TO TAKE PART IN DISCUSSIONS.

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MALIK SAID THERE WAS NO NEED TO BE HASTY. HE RECALLED THAT SPEAKERS AT THE LAST COUNCIL MEETING HAD RAISED THE QUESTION OF INVITING BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVES. MALIK INSISTED HE WAS GUIDED STRICTLY BY THE U.N. CHARTER AND THE RULES OF PROCEDURE. THE RUSSIAN ARGUED THAT PROVISIONS OF THE CHARTER HAD BEEN VIOLATED AT JUNE AND JULY MEETINGS BECAUSE ONLY ONE PARTY TO THE KOREAN DISPUTE WAS INVITED TO SIT IN. MALIK SAID HE COULD NOT RULE ON THE POINT OF ORDER PENDING DISCUSSION.

WARREN R. AUSTIN OF THE UNITED STATES CHALLENGED MALIK, AND UPHELD TSIANG'S POINT OF ORDER.

TSIANG SAID MALIK, WHILE TECHNICALLY NOT RULING ON THE POINT OF ORDER, ACTUALLY HAD MADE A RULING BECAUSE HE WAS PROCEEDING TO CONDUCT COUNCIL BUSINESS WITHOUT INVITING SOUTH KOREA TO THE TABLE.

MALIK THEN SPOKE MORE THAN 20 MINUTES AS SOVIET DELEGATE, REPEATING MANY OF HIS STATEMENTS LAST WEEK, INCLUDING AN ASSERTION THAT JUNE AND JULY ACTIONS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL ON THE KOREAN QUESTION WERE ILLEGAL. HE SAID THESE ACTIONS WERE TAKEN AT UNITED STATES DICTATION AT A TIME RUSSIA WAS NOT REPRESENTED IN THE COUNCIL.

MALIK CONTENDED THE UNITED STATES, "IMPOSING UPON THE SECURITY COUNCIL ITS ONE-SIDED, MENDACIOUS VERSION" OF KOREAN AFFAIRS, WAS AFRAID OF AN OPEN, INTERNATIONAL DISCUSSION WITH BOTH SIDES PRESENT.

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WHETHER THE COUNCIL WOULD VOTE TODAY OR LATER IN THE WEEK REMAINED TO BE SEEN. IF RUSSIA FOLLOWED LAST WEEK'S PATTERN, HOWEVER, A LOT MORE PROCEDURAL WRANGLING APPEARED TO BE IN PROSPECT.

THE DELEGATES HAD BEFORE THEM TWO PROPOSALS, ONE OFFERED BY THE UNITED STATES AND ONE BY THE SOVIETS. WHEN THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED FRIDAY FOR THE WEEKEND, IT ALREADY HAD BECOME CLEAR THAT A MAJORITY VOTE WOULD KILL THE SOVIET RESOLUTION AND A RUSSIAN VETO WAS WAITING FOR THE U.S. PROPOSAL.

THE ACTUAL CONDUCT OF THE MILITARY CAMPAIGN IN KOREA, HOWEVER, WILL NOT BE AFFECTED BY THE COUNCIL STALEMATE.

THE SOVIET PROPOSAL PROVIDES: (1) THAT THE COUNCIL INVITE RED CHINA AND RED KOREA TO TAKE PART IN U.N. KOREAN DISCUSSIONS AND (2) THAT THE COUNCIL CALL FOR AN IMMEDIATE END OF HOSTILITIES IN KOREA AND ORDER THE WITHDRAWAL OF UNITED STATES AND OTHER FOREIGN TROOPS.

THE U.S. PROPOSAL CONDEMNS NORTH KOREA FOR IGNORING THE COUNCIL'S PREVIOUS CEASE-FIRE ORDERS AND CALLS UPON ALL COUNTRIES TO USE THEIR INFLUENCE TO END THE FIGHTING OR AT LEAST TO KEEP IT FROM SPREADING.

THE AMERICAN RESOLUTION OBVIOUSLY WAS AIMED DIRECTLY AT RUSSIA, SINCE MOST OF THE WORLD'S NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES ALREADY ARE DOING EVERYTHING THEY CAN TO STOP THE NORTH KOREAN INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA.

THE SOVIET RESOLUTION, ON THE OTHER HAND, WAS NOT EVEN CONSIDERED SERIOUSLY BY THE COUNCIL MAJORITY, EVEN THOUGH SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB MALIK, THIS MONTH'S COUNCIL PRESIDENT, FILED IT UNDER THE HEADING OF PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION.

THE SOVIET PROPOSAL IN EFFECT WOULD HAVE THE COUNCIL CALL OFF ITS EFFORTS TO DRIVE THE NORTH KOREANS BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL AND LEAVE THE COMMUNISTS IN CONTROL OF ALL BUT THE SOUTHERN TIP OF KOREA. THEN, UNDER THE SOVIET PLAN, PEACE TALKS WOULD BEGIN.

THE BATTLE AT LAKE SUCCESS THUS CONTINUED TO BE PRIMARILY A WAR OF PROPAGANDA. DELEGATES ARE MOST CONCERNED WITH THE POSSIBILITY OF NEW AGGRESSIONS BY THE COMMUNISTS ELSEWHERE. SOME STILL BELIEVE THAT RUSSIA ENDED HER SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL SO SHE COULD USE THE VETO TO FORESTALL FUTURE ACTION SUCH AS THAT TAKEN BY THE COUNCIL ON THE KOREAN PROBLEM.

SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE MADE IT CLEAR AT HIS WEEKLY NEWS CONFERENCE YESTERDAY THAT IF ANY SUCH EMERGENCY AROSE, HE WAS PREPARED TO CALL, ON 24 HOURS NOTICE, A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE 59-NATIONAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY. IN THE ASSEMBLY NEITHER RUSSIA NOR ANY OTHER NATION HAS A VETO WITH WHICH TO BLOCK ACTION.

LIE INDICATED THAT, IF HE FELT THE SITUATION WARRANTED, HE WOULD NOT HESITATE TO IGNORE U.N. RULES WHICH PROVIDE FOR A MINIMUM 14-DAY NOTICE OF ASSEMBLY MEETINGS.

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BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.8-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER SECURITY COUNCIL MEMBERS WILL DISCUSS TOMORROW WHAT STEPS THEY MAY TAKE TO END WHAT THEY REGARD AS RUSSIA'S OBSTRUCTIONISM ON THE KOREAN QUESTION.

U.S. DELEGATE ERNEST A.GROSS TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE ONE POSSIBILITY WAS TRANSFER OF THE ENTIRE KOREAN PROBLEM TO A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE 59-NATION GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

GROSS SAID IT HAD BEEN CLEAR FOR SOME DAYS THE COUNCIL WOULD HAVE TO DEVISE WAYS TO MEET OBSTRUCTIONISM ON THE PART OF RUSSIA'S JAKOB MALIK, PRESIDENT FOR AUGUST UNDER THE MONTHLY ROTATION SYSTEM. WHAT MALIK HAS BEEN DOING, HE SAID, WAS FORESEEN.

THE UNITED STATES AND THE OTHERS, GROSS SAID, AGREED THAT IF MALIK EVADED HIS OBLIGATIONS TO MAKE RULINGS AND CARRY OUT OTHER FUNCTIONS OF THE PRESIDENCY IT WOULD AMOUNT TO A CONSTITUTIONAL CRISIS.

IF THE COUNCIL WANTED TO REMOVE MALIK AS PRESIDENT, GROSS INDICATED, IT COULD DO IT BY REVISING ITS RULES TO PROVIDE A NEW WAY TO SELECT ITS PRESIDENT INSTEAD OF THE ROTATION SYSTEM. THIS MIGHT BE DONE BY ELECTION, AS IT IS DONE IN MOST OTHER BODIES SUCH AS THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL, AND IT COULD BE MADE EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 8-(AP)-FORTY-ONE OF THE 59 UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS HAVE REPLIED TO SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE'S REQUEST OF JULY 14 FOR ASSISTANCE IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT. IN BRIEF, THE COUNTRIES AND THEIR REPLIES FOLLOW:

AFGHANISTAN--ASKED TO BE EXCUSED.

ARGENTINA--READY TO DISCUSS QUESTION WITH UNIFIED COMMAND.

AUSTRALIA--APROVIDED A DESTROYER AND A SQUADRON OF FIGHTER PLANES, ALSO OFFERED GROUND FORCES IN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER. (CANBERRA REPORTS SAID THE GROUND FORCE WOULD BE ABOUT 4,000 OR 5,000 MEN.)

BELGIUM--READY TO TAKE PART IN AIR TRANSPORT OPERATIONS.

BOLIVIA--OFFERED 30 ARMY OFFICERS.

BRAZIL--READY TO CONSULT.

CANADA--SENDING LONG RANGE AIR TVNPOVT SQUADRON WITH GROUND CREWS. HAS SENT THREE DESTROYERS. (ANNOUNCED PLANS LAST NIGHT TO RECRUIT SPECIAL INFANTRY BRIGADE OF 4,000 TO 5,000 MEN WHICH COULD BE USED IN KOREA AFTER TRAINING IF PARLIAMENT AUTHORIZES.)

CHILE--ANSWER NOT YET MADE PUBLIC.

COLOMBIA--READY TO DISCUSS ANY MEASURES OF ECONOMIC OR MILITARY

AID PROPOSED BY UNIFIED COMMAND.
COSTA RICA--OFFERED SITES FOR AIR AND SEA BASES, ALSO VOLUNTEERS FOR PRELIMINARY TRAINING IN U.S.
CUBA--PREPARED TO OFFER "ESSENTIAL ARTICLES," ALSO TO ENTER INTO CONSULTATIONS.
DENMARK--AMBULANCE DETACHMENT.
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC--READY TO OPEN DISCUSSIONS WITH UNIFIED COMMAND.
ECUADOR--OFFERED STRATEGIC MATERIALS AND MEDICINAL SUBSTANCES.
ETHIOPIA--OFFERED BOTH MILITARY AND ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE.
FRANCE--PLACED SLOOP LA GRANDIERE AT DISPOSAL OF UNIFIED COMMAND.
GREECE--OFFERED SIX TRANSPORT DAKOTA AIRCRAFT WITH CREWS.
GUATEMALA--HAS TAKEN NOTE OF SECRETARY-GENERAL'S CABLE.
GREAT BRITAIN--SENDING A "SELF-CONTAINED FORCE" OF UNSPECIFIED SIZE. HAS ALREADY FURNISHEDNAVAL UNITS INCLUDINV CARRIER AVIATION.
INDIA--SENDING FIELD AMBULANCE UNIT AND SMALL SURGICAL UNIT.
IRAN--UNABLE TO HELP.
IRAQ--EXPRESSED REGRETS.
ISRAEL--READY TO OFFER MEDICAL AID.
LEBANON--CONTRIBUTED $50,000 FOR RELIEF OF WAR VICTIMS.
LIBERIA--OFFERED $10,000 WORTH OF NATURAL RUBBER.
MEXICO--READY TO EXCHANGE VIEWS WITH U.S. GOVERNMENT.
THE NETHERLANDS--SENDING NAVAL UNITS.
NEW ZEALAND--OFFERED SPECIAL COMBAT UNIT--PROBABLY ARTILLERY--FOR SERVICE WITH GROUND FORCES.
NICARAGUA--STUDYING THE QUESTION.
NORWAY--OFFERED TO SUPPLY TRANSPORT VESSELS.
PANAMA--REPLY NOT YET MADE PUBLIC.
PARAGUAY--OFFERED TO ASSIST "WITHIN LIMITS OF RESOURCES."
PERU--READY TO CONSULT WITH UNIFIED COMMAND.
THE PHILIPPINES--SENT 17 SHERMAN TANKS AND A TANK DESTROYER. (ALSO REPORTED FROM MANILA UNOFFICIALLY TO HAVE OFFERED 5,000 TROOPS.)
SWEDEN--OFFERED TO EQUIP AND MAN A FIELD HOSPITAL.
SYRIA--UNABLE TO FURNISH ASSISTANCE.
THAILAND--COMBAT TEAM OF 4,000 OFFICERS AND MEN.
TURKEY--OFFERED 4,500 MEN. OFFERED ONE FIGHTER SQUADRON WITH AIR & GROUND CREWS
UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA--~~ALREADY INITIATED DISCUSSIONS WITH UNIFIED HIGH COMMAND.~~
URUGUAY--READY TO CONSULT WITH UNIFIED COMMAND.
VENEZUELA--READY TO CONSULT ON ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE.

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BALTIMORE,AUG.8-(AP)-MARYLAND WILL NOT ALLOW ITS STATE UNIVERSITY CAMPUS TO BE USED AS A "FORUM FOR THE EXPOSITION OF THE TOTALITARIAN DOCTRINE OF COMMUNISM."
GOVERNOR LANE MADE THAT STATEMENT HERE LAST NIGHT IN ORDERING THE UNIVERSITY TO BAN A SCHEDULED DEBATE IN ONE OF ITS COLLEGE PARK HALLS WHEN HE LEARNED THAT PHILIP FRANKFELD, CHAIRMAN OF THE MARYLAND-DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COMMUNIST PARTY, WAS TO HAVE TAKEN PART IN IT.
S.C.SCHWARTZ, AN AUSTRALIAN ANTI-COMMUNIST LECTURER WAS TO HAVE BEEN THE OTHER SPEAKER. THE DEBATE, ON THE SUBJECT "IS COMMUNISM A FRIEND OF AMERICA?" WAS SCHEDULED FOR TONIGHT.
IN BANNING THE USE OF UNIVERSITY FACILITIES, THE GOVERNOR INDICATED THE SAME ACTION WOULD BE TAKEN IN ANY FUTURE SIMILAR CASE INVOLVING STATE PROPERTY.
HIS STATEMENT SAID:
"I AM NOT NOW, AND HAVE NEVER BEEN, AN ADVOCATE OF THE BRIDGEMENT OF FREEDOM OF SPEECH.
"THERE IS NO OBLIGATION, HOWEVER, ON THE STATE OF MARYLAND OF ANY OF ITS AGENCIES TO PROVIDE THE FORUM FOR THE EXPOSITION OF THE TOTALITARIAN DOCTRINE OF COMMUNISM.
"WITH AMERICANS BEING SHOT DOWN ON THE BATTLEFIELDS OF KOREA IN DEFENSE OF OUR WAY OF LIFE AGAINST THE INSIDIOUS FORCES OF COMMUNISM, I CANNOT AND WILL NOT PERMIT THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THIS MALEVOLENT CONSPIRACY THE FREEDOM OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND CAMPUS. X X X"
SCHWARTZ SAID IN A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW FROM BEACH HAVEN, N.J., THAT HE THOUGHT THE GOVERNOR'S ACTION WAS "VERY FOOLISH."
HE SAID THAT HE COULD HAVE "WIPED THE FLOOR WITH" FRANKFELD AND THAT THE DEBATE WOULD HAVE LAID BARE "THE STUPIDITY AND WEAKNESS OF THE COMMUNIST PROGRAM."
THE AFFAIR WAS TO HAVE BEEN SPONSORED BY THE WASHINGTON COUNCIL OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES.
THE REV.KENNETH WOODRING, ACTING CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL, SAID HERE, HE WOULD TRY TO PURSUADE THE GOVERNOR TO AT LEAST ALLOW SCHWARTZ TO GIVE HIS TALK.
PHILIP FRANKFELD TOLD A REPORTER THAT "WHEN THE WORLD IS FACED WITH A CRISIS X X X DEBATE AND PUBLIC DISCUSSION OF ISSUES AND IDEAS ARE AS IMPERATIVE AS THE AIR WE BREATHE.
"WITHOUT FREE DISCUSSION, WE WILL STAGNATE AND DECAY. WHAT IS NEEDED TODAY IS MORE LIGHT AND LESS HEAT GENERATED BY BIGOTS."
DR.H.C.BYRD, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, SAID HE HAD RESCINDED PERMISSION FOR USE OF THE AUDITORIUM BEFORE HE HEARD FROM GOVERNOR LANE.
HE TOOK ACTION, HE SAID, AFTER HE SAW A NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENT LISTING THE SUBJECT OF THE DEBATE.
"'IS COMMUNISM A FRIEND OF AMERICA?'--THAT SUBJECT IS NOT DEBATABLE," HE ASSERTED.

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B97BA (O'CONOR) Q
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BALTIMORE,AUG.8-(AP)-SENATOR O'CONOR (D-MD) SAID TONIGHT THIS COUNTRY SHOULD LEAD IN A MOVEMENT TO HAVE THE UNITED NATIONS DECLARE RUSSIA THE AGGRESSOR NATION IN KOREA.
"THE DICTATOR UNDERSTANDS NOTHING BUT FORTHRIGHT LANGUAGE AND ACTION," O'CONOR SAID IN A SPEECH BEFORE A MASS MEETING OF BALTIMORE CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS.
HE DECLARED:
"THE DAY IS APPROACHING WHEN THE UNITED STATES SHOULD INITIATE EFFORTS TO HAVE THE U.N. PLACE RESPONSIBILITY FOR AGGRESSION IN THE FAR EAST WHERE IT BELONGS -- UPON THE SOVIET UNION.
"IT IS MANIFEST THAT THE INCENTIVE TO NORTH KOREA TO STRIKE X X X WAS FURNISHED BY MOSCOW.
"TANKS, AMMUNITION, TRAINED OFFICERS AND SUPPLIES WERE FURNISHED BY THE KREMLIN.
"OUR SECRETARY OF STATE SHOULD LEAD IN A MOVEMENT TO HAVE THE U.N. PRONOUNCE SUCH A FINDING BY WHICH RUSSIA WOULD STAND BEFORE THE WORLD AS THE AGGRESSOR NATION."
SENATOR O'CONOR ALSO SAID THE UNITED STATES COULD USE ITS VETO POWER TO KEEP COMMUNIST CHINA OFF THE SECURITY COUNCIL -- AND WOULD BE JUSTIFIED IN USING IT, IF NECESSARY.

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NIGHT LEAD ANTI-SABOTAGE
BY ARTHUR EDSON
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY ASKED CONGRESS FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION ON STRICTER LAWS TO DEAL WITH SPIES AND DEPORTABLE ALIENS, BUT EVEN AS HE MADE THE REQUEST HE WARNED:
"WE MUST NOT BE SWEPT AWAY BY A WAVE OF HYSTERIA."
IN A 3,500-WORD MESSAGE, MR.TRUMAN REMINDED CONGRESS THAT, IN ADDITION TO ARMED AGGRESSION, "COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM ALSO SEEKS TO WEAKEN AND OVERTHROW FREE NATIONS BY WORKING WITHIN THEIR BORDERS."

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THEREFORE, HE SAID, CONGRESS SHOULD PASS THESE LAWS BEFORE THE CLOSE OF THE PRESENT SESSION:

1. EXTEND THE STATUE OF LIMITATIONS FOR PEACETIME ESPIONAGE. AT PRESENT, A VIOLATER OF THIS LAW MUST BE PROSECUTED WITHIN THREE YEARS. MR.TRUMAN THINKS THAT IS NOT LONG ENOUGH, AND SHOULD BE EXTENDED.

2. REQUIRE PERSONS WHO HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS ON SPYING OR SUBVERSIVE TACTICS FROM A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT OR POLITICAL PARTY TO REGISTER UNDER THE FOREIGN AGENTS REGISTRATION ACT.

3. GIVE THE PRESIDENT ADDITIONAL POWER TO SET UP SECURITY RULES FOR THE PROTECTION OF MILITARY BASES AND OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS.

4. PERMIT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO SUPERVISE ALIENS SUBJECT TO DEPORTATION, AND MAKE THEM REPORT WHERE THEY ARE AND WHAT THEY ARE DOING.

MR.TRUMAN'S MESSAGE WAS READ TO THE SENATE JUST BEFORE IT WAS SCHEDULED TO ACT ON AN ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL AND ANOTHER MEASURE RELATING TO INTERNAL SECURITY.

THE BILLS WERE AMONG THE 222 ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR. UNDER SENATE RULES, ONE OBJECTION CAN BLOCK CONSIDERATION OF A CALENDAR BILL.

SENATOR LUCAS (D-ILL), THE ADMINISTRATION LEADER IN THE SENATE, PROMPTLY OBJECTED TO BOTH BILLS--AND SET OFF A MINOR FLURRY.

LUCAS SAID HE THOUGHT THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE SHOULD FIRST EXAMINE THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE AND SEE HOW IT WAS RELATED TO THE PENDING BILLS.

CHAIRMAN MCCARRAN (D-NEV) OF THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE SAID HE HAD HEARD "NOTHING IN THE MESSAGE THAT WAS NEW."

SENATOR MUNDT (R-SD), WHO ALONG WITH SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH), IS SPONSORING THE BILL REQUIRING REGISTRATION OF COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST-FRONT ORGANIZATIONS, CALLED PRESIDENT TRUMAN A "JOHNNY-COME-LATELY" TO THE RANKS OF THOSE FIGHTING COMMUNISM.

"I WELCOME THIS SUPPORT ON THE PART OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN, BELATED THOUGH IT COMES," MUNDT SAID.

LUCAS' SHOUTED REPLY:

"THERE IS NO MAN IN THE COUNTRY WHO DETESTS COMMUNISTS MORE THAN THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES."

AND SENATOR LEHMAN (D-LIB-NY) SAID THAT INSTEAD OF ACCEPTING THE MUNDT BILL, HE THOUGHT MR.TRUMAN REJECTED THE GREATER PART OF IT.

SAMPLE COMMENTS FROM THE HOUSE:

REP.HELEN GAHAGAN DOUGLAS (D-CALIF): "A GREAT STATE PAPER."

REP.LAWRENCE H.SMITH (R-WIS): "THE PRESIDENT'S REMARKS COME JUST FIVE YEARS TOO LATE. BUT THANK GOD'S HE FINALLY SEEN THE LIGHT."

IN MANY WAYS MR.TRUMAN WROTE AN UNUSUAL MESSAGE.

FOR ALTHOUGH HE EXPLAINED THE LAWS WHICH HE WANTED, HE SPENT CONSIDERABLY MORE TIME EXPLAINING WHAT HE DID NOT WANT.

IN HIS FIRST PARAGRAPH, MR.TRUMAN SAID:

"WE FACE TODAY, AS WE HAVE ALWAYS FACED IN TIME OF INTERNATIONAL TENSION, THE QUESTION OF HOW TO KEEP OUR FREEDOM SECURE AGAINST INTERNAL AS WELL AS EXTERNAL ATTACK, WITHOUT AT THE SAME TIME UNDULY LIMITING INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES."

IT WAS THIS LAST CLAUSE--"WITHOUT AT THE SAME TIME UNDULY LIMITING INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES"--THAT MR.TRUMAN STRESSED MOST.

"LAWS FORBIDDING DISSENT," MR.TRUMAN SAID, "DO NOT PREVENT SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES; THEY MERELY DRIVE THEM INTO MORE SECRET AND MORE DANGEROUS CHANNELS.

"POLICE STATES ARE NOT SECURE; THEIR HISTORY IS MARKED BY SUCCESSIVE PURGES, AND GROWING CONCENTRATION CAMPS, AS THEIR GOVERNMENTS STRIKE OUT BLINDLY IN FEAR OF VIOLENT REVOLT."

THEN CAME THIS WARNING:

"WE MUST, THEREFORE, BE ON OUR GUARD AGAINST EXTREMISTS WHO URGE US TO ADOPT POLICE STATE MEASURES. SUCH PERSONS ADVOCATE BREAKING DOWN THE GUARANTEES OF THE BILL OF RIGHTS IN ORDER TO GET AT THE COMMUNISTS.

"THEY FORGET THAT IF THE BILL OF RIGHTS WERE TO BE BROKEN DOWN, ALL GROUPS, EVEN THE MOST CONSERVATIVE, WOULD BE IN DANGER FROM THE ARBITRARY POWER OF GOVERNMENT."

WHEREUPON MR.TRUMAN SAID WHAT HE DID NOT WANT.

"LEGISLATION IS NOW PENDING BEFORE THE CONGRESS," HE SAID, "WHICH IS SO BROAD AND VAGUE IN ITS TERMS AS TO ENDANGER THE FREEDOMS OF SPEECH, PRESS, AND ASSEMBLY PROTECTED BY THE FIRST AMENDMENT."

THIS KIND OF LEGISLATION, THE PRESIDENT SAID, IS UNNECESSARY, INEFFECTIVE AND DANGEROUS.

UNNECESSARY, BECAUSE COMMUNISTS NEVER WORK IN THE WAY ORDINARY POLITICAL PARTIES DO.

INEFFECTIVE, BECAUSE "IT DOES NOT GET AT THE REAL DANGERS FROM THE COMMUNISTS IN THIS COUNTRY." THESE DANGERS, HE SAID, COME FROM "ESPIONAGE, SABOTAGE, AND THE BUILDING UP OF AN ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO THE DESTRUCTION OF OUR GOVERNMENT BY VIOLENT MEANS--AGAINST ALL OF WHICH WE ALREADY HAVE LAWS."

DANGEROUS, BECAUSE IN ATTEMPTING TO CATCH A COMMUNIST WE WOULD "SPREAD A LEGAL DRAGNET SUFFICIENTLY BROAD TO PERMIT THE PROSECUTION OF PEOPLE WHO ARE ENTIRELY INNOCENT OR MERELY MISGUIDED."

MR.TRUMAN DIDN'T NAME THE LEGISLATION HE SPECIFICALLY OBJECTED TO.

BUT IN THE PAST--AS IT DID TODAY IN THE SENATE--THE ADMINISTRATION HAS OPPOSED THE MUNDT BILL.

THIS BILL IS DIRECTED AGAINST THOSE WHO CONSPIRE "TO PERFORM ANY ACT WHICH WOULD SUBSTANTIALLY CONTRIBUTE TO THE ESTABLISHMENT WITHIN THE UNITED STATES OF A TOTALITARIAN DICTATORSHIP UNDER FOREIGN CONTROL."

THE MUNDT BILL HAS BEEN REPORTED FAVORABLY BY THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE. (THE VOTE WAS 12 TO 1, WITH SENATOR LANGER (R-ND) DISSENTING).

THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE HAS HELD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON A SIMILAR BILL, AND IS NOW DRAFTING IT IN ITS FINAL FORM.

NOR IS THAT ALL THE LEGISLATION MR.TRUMAN IS AGAINST.

AGAIN HE MENTIONED NO NAMES, BUT HE APPARENTLY HAD IN MIND A BILL INTRODUCED BY REP.HOBBS (D-ALA) WHEN HE WROTE:

"A BILL PENDING BEFORE THE CONGRESS WOULD PERMIT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL IN CERTAIN CASES TO DETAIN SUCH (DEPORTABLE) ALIENS IN HIS CUSTODY FOR INDEFINITE PERIODS OF TIME--NOT PURSUANT TO A CONVICTION FOR CRIME BUT ON THE BASIS OF AN ADMINISTRATIVE DETERMINATION.

"SUCH ACTION WOULD BE REPUGNANT TO OUR TRADITIONS, AND IT SHOULD NOT BE AUTHORIZED."

(REP.HOBBS LATER TOLD A REPORTER THAT MR.TRUMAN APPARENTLY HAD BEEN MISINFORMED ABOUT HIS BILL.

(HE SAID IT WAS "AN ADMINISTRATION BILL DRAWN BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND STRONGLY URGED BY THE DISTINGUISHED GENTLEMAN WHO WROTE IT.")

THE TWO-FOLD POINT OF MR.TRUMAN'S MESSAGE, WHAT HE WANTS AND WHAT HE DOESN'T WANT, WAS SUMMED UP NEAR THE END WHEN HE SAID:

"I AM DETERMINED THAT THE UNITED STATES SHALL BE SECURE. I AM EQUALLY DETERMINED THAT WE SHALL KEEP OUR HISTORIC LIBERTIES."

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ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED SOME TIME THIS AFTERNOON TUESDAY AUG.8)

SECOND LEAD ANTI-SABOTAGE

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON.AUG.8-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED CONGRESS

TODAY FOR A TIGHTER ESPIONAGE LAW
AND A NEW LAW REQUIRING ALIENS TO REPORT WHERE THEY ARE AND WHAT THEY ARE DOING. DEPORTABLE
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ARE DOING.

MR.TRUMAN SAID ADDITIONAL ANTI-SABOTAGE AND SECURITY LEGISLATION IS NEEDED BECAUSE COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM SEEKS TO "WEAKEN AND OVERTHROW FREE NATIONS BY WORKING WITHIN THEIR BORDERS."
SO HE RECOMMENDED THAT CONGREESS:
1. REMEDY "DEFECTS" IN PRESENT LAWS GOVERNING "ESPIONAGE, THE REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN AGENTS AND THE SECURITY OF NATIONAL DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS."

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2. GIVE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL POWER TO REQUIRE ALIENS TO REPORT "THEIR WHEREABOUTS AND ACTIVITIES AT REGULAR INTERVALS."
IN A 3500 WORD MESSAGE TO THE LAWMAKERS, MR.TRUMAN ASKED THEM TO BE WARY OF ANY ACTION LIMITING PERSONAL LIBERTY. BUT HE SAID THE BILL OF RIGHTS IS NOT INTENDED "TO PREVENT THE GOVERNMENT FROM MAINTAINING OUR NATION'S INTEGRITY AGAINST SUBVERSION OR ATTACK."
EXPLAINING WHY HE THINKS STIFFER LAWS AND A NEW LAW ARE NEEDED NOW, THE PRESIDENT SAID THE PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION HAS BEEN CREATED "BY THE RISE OF TOTALITARIANISM--FIRST THE TOTALITARIANISM OF THE RIGHT, AND NOW THAT OF THE LEFT."
"TODAY, WE FACE MOST ACUTELY THE THREAT OF THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT, INTERNATIONAL IN SCOPE, DIRECTED FROM A CENTRAL SOURCE, AND COMMITTED TO THE OVERTHROW OF DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTIONS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."

MR.TRUMAN'S MESSAGE APPEARED TO BE AN ATTEMPT TO BLOCK ANY SECURITY BILL BEARING A REPUBLICAN LABEL AND PUSH THROUGH ONE WITH AN ADMINISTRATION TAG.
SEVERAL MEASURES TO COMBAT COMMUNISM AND SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES ARE PENDING IN CONGRESS. THOSE MOST WIDELY KNOWN ARE BACKED BY REP. NIXON (R-CALIF) AND SENATOR MUNDT (R-SD).
NIXON IS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE AND MUNDT USED TO BE BEFORE MOVING FROM HOUSE TO SENATE. IN 1948 THE GOP-CONTROLLED HOUSE PASSED THEIR MUNDT-NIXON BILL BUT THE SENATE FAILED TO GO ALONG.
THIS BILL REQUIRED, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST FRONTS REGISTER WITH THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.
IT LOOKED FOR A WHILE AS THOUGH SIMILA

FRONTS REGISTER WITH THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.
IT LOOKED FOR A WHILE AS THOUGH SIMILAR LEGISKALATION WOULD GET NOWHERE IN THIS CONGRESS.
BUT THE KOREAN WAR GENERATED STEAM FOR SOME SORT OF LEGISLATION.

MR.TRUMAN ADDED A BIT OF PRESSURE OF HIS OWN.
BUT IT WASN'T FOR THE KIND OF BILLS NOW BEFORE CONGRESS.
"LEGISLATION IS NOW PENDING BEFORE THE CONGRESS," HE SAID, "WHICH IS SO BROAD AND VAGUE IN ITS TERMS AS TO ENDANGER THE FREEDOMS OF SPEECH, PRESS, AND ASSEMBLY PROTECTED BY THE FIRST AMENDMENT. SOME OF THE PROPOSED MEASURES WOULD, IN EFFECT, IMPOSE SEVERE PENALTIES FOR NORMAL POLITICAL ACTIVITIES ON THE PART OF CERTAIN GROUPS, INCLUDING COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST PARTY-LINE FOLLOWERS.
"THIS KIND OF LEGISLATION IS UNNECESSARY, INEFFECTIVE, AND DANGEROUS.
"IT IS UNNECESSARY BECAUSE GROUPS SUCH AS THE COMMUNISTS CANNOT ACCOMPLISH THEIR EVIL PURPOSES IN THIS COUNTRY THROUGH NORMAL POLITICAL ACTIVITY. THEY WILL BE REPUDIATED BY THE PEOPLE AS THEY HAVE ALWAYS BEEN.
"IT IS INEFFECTIVE BECAUSE IT DOES NOT GET AT THE REAL DANGERS FROM THE COMMUNISTS IN THIS COUNTRY. THESE DANGERS COME, NOT FROM NORMAL POLITICAL ACTIVITY, BUT FROM ESPIONAGE, SABOTAGE, AND THE BUILDING UP OF AN ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO THE DESTRUCTION OF OUR GOVERNMENT BY VIOLENT MEANS--AGAINST ALL OF WHICH WE ALREADY HAVE LAWS.
"THIS KIND OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION IS DANGEROUS BECAUSE, IN ATTEMPTING TO PROSBRIBE, FOR GROUPS SUCH AS THE COMMUNISTS, CERTAIN ACTIVITIES THAT ARE PERFECTLY PROPER FOR EVERYONE ELSE, SUCH LEGISLATION WOULD SPREAD A LEGAL DRAGNET SUFFICIENTLY BROAD TO PERMIT THE PROSECUTION OF PEOPLE WHO ARE ENTIRELY INNOCENT OR MERELY MISGUIDED.
"AS FAR AS THE REAL CONSPIRATORS AGAINST OUR INSTITUTIONS ARE CONCERNED, SUCH LEGISLATION WOULD MERELY HAVE THE EFFECT OF DRIVING THEM FURTHER UNDERGROUND AND MAKING IT MORE DIFFICULT TO REACH THEM."
WHAT MR.TRUMAN SPECIFICALLY RECOMMENDED TO STRENGTHEN THE GOVERNMENT'S HAND WAS THAT CONGRESS:
REMEDY WHAT HE CALLED DEFECTS IN PRESENT LAWS BY LENGTHENING THE PRESENT THREE-YEAR LIMIT IN WHICH PEACETIME ESPIONAGE CAN BE PROSECUTED.
REQUIRE PERSONS WHO HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTION FROM A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT OR FOREIGN POLITICAL PARTY, IN ESPIONAGE OR SUBVERSIVE TACTICS, TO REGISTER UNDER THE FOREIGN AGENTS ACT.

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GIVE BROADER AUTHORITY THAN NOW EXISTS FOR THE PRESIDENT TO ESTABLISH SECURITY REGULATIONS FOR PROTECTING MILITARY BASES AND OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS.

ENACT LEGISLATION PERMITTING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO SUPERVISE "ALIENS SUBJECT TO DEPORTATION AND TO REQUIRE THEM, UNDER THE SANCTION OF CRIMINAL PENALTIES, TO REPORT THEIR WHEREABOUTS AND ACTIVITIES AT REGULAR INTERVALS."
IN MANY CASES, ALIENS UNDER DEPORTATION ORDERS CANNOT BE DEPORTED BECAUSE NO OTHER COUNTRY WILL ACCEPT THEM.
ONE BILL PENDING IN CONGRESS, MR. TRUMAN SAID, WOULD PERMIT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL IN CERTAIN CASES TO DETAIN THESE ALIENS INDEFINITELY--"NOT PURSUANT TO A CONVICTION FOR CRIME BUT ON THE BASIS OF AN ADMINISTRATIVE DETERMINATION."
"SUCH ACTION," HE SAID, "WOULD BE REPUGNANT TO OUR TRADITIONS, AND IT SHOULD NOT BE AUTHORIZED."
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FIRST LEAD ANTI-SABOTAGE
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN COMPLETED TODAY A MESSAGE TO CONGRESS CALLING FOR LEGISLATION TO COMBAT SABOTAGE AND COPE WITH COMMUNISTS.
WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS SAID IT WOULD BE SENT SOME TIME THIS AFTERNOON. THEY SAID IT CARRIED A WARNING TO THE COUNTRY AGAINST BEING SWEPT BY HYSTERIA.
RUNNING 3500 WORDS, THE MESSAGE EMBRACES THE PRESIDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PROTECTING THE NATION'S INTERNAL SECURITY DURING TIMES OF INTERNATIONAL CRISIS.
WHITE HOUSE SOURCES SAID IT CONTAINS RECOMMENDATIONS FOR STRENGTHENING EXISTING SECURITY LAWS.
HOWEVER, THEY SAID, THE PRESIDENT CAUTIONS AGAINST "LETTING OURSELVES BE SWEPT AWAY BY ANY HYSTERIA."
THE MESSAGE WAS SAID TO OUTLINE A PRESIDENTIAL DETERMINATION THAT THE UNITED STATES BE SECURE FROM SUBVERSION AND SABOTAGE WITHOUT SACRIFICING HISTORIC LIBERTIES.
THE MESSAGE CARRIES A WARNING AGAINST "EXTREMISTS" DESCRIBED AS URGING POLICE STATE MEASURES," AS WELL AS AGAINST LEGISLATION WHICH

WOULD NOT STRONGLY UPHOLD THE BILL OF RIGHTS. MR.TRUMAN EMPHASIZES NON-INTERFERENCE WITH FREE SPEECH.

LARGELY, THE PRESIDENT CALLS FOR TIGHTENING AND STRENGTHENING EXISTING SECURITY LAWS TO DEAL WITH COMMUNISTS AND OTHER SUBVERSIVES.

HE POINTS TO WHAT HE CALLS "IMPORTANT DEFECTS" IN PRESENT LAWS AND ASKS THEIR CORRECTION BEFORE ADJOURNMENT OF THE PRESENT SESSION OF CONGRESS.

NO REFERENCE IS MADE, APPARENTLY, TO OUTLAWING THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

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VARIOUS BILLS TO DEAL WITH COMMUNISTS AND SUBVERSION ARE PENDING IN CONGRESS, SEVERAL SPONSORED BY REPUBLICANS.

MR.TRUMAN'S DECISION TO SEND A MESSAGE TO THE LEGISLATORS ON THE SUBJECT AT THIS TIME APPARENTLY INDICATED HE WANTED LEGISLATION OF HIS OWN CHOOSING.

FIRST WORD THAT THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE HAD DRAFTED AN ANTI-SABOTAGE MESSAGE CAME FROM SPEAKER RAYBURN.

RAYBURN MADE HIS ANNOUNCEMENT SHORTLY AFTER HE AND VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY CONFERRED WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN ALONG WITH SENATE MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS AND HOUSE MAJORITY LEADER MCCORMACK.

RAYBURN WOULD NOT DISCUSS DETAILS OF THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

"IT DEALS WITH SECURITY, SABOTAGE AND COMMUNISTS," THE SPEAKER TOLD REPORTERS.

HE SAID THE PRESIDENT PROBABLY WILL ASK FOR ADDITIONAL LEGISLATION.

"WILL IT LOOK LIKE THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL?" A REPORTER ASKED.

"I WOULDN'T THINK SO," RAYBURN REPLIED, ADDING: "NOT IN ITS ENTIRETY."

THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL, AMONG OTHER THINGS, WOULD REQUIRE COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST FRONTS TO REGISTER WITH THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT. REP. NIXON (R-CALIF), A MEMBER OF THE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE, IS SPONSORING IT IN THE HOUSE.

THE MEASURE IS SIMILAR TO THE MUNDT-FERGUSON-JOHNSTON BILL PENDING IN THE SENATE.

THE TRUMAN MESSAGE APPARENTLY WAS TO FOLLOW THROUGH O STEPS ALREADY TAKEN TO GUARD AGAINST SABOTAGE.

THE PRESIDENT ON JULY 24 ASKED THE AMERICAN PUBLIC TO TURN OVER TO THE FBI ANY INFORMATION ON SPYING, SABOTAGE OR OTHER SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES.

FOUR DAYS LATER, FBI DIRECTOR J.EDGAR HOOVER LISTED WAYS THE PEOPLE COULD HELP. THE FIRST THING, HE SAID, WAS TO CALL THE FBI QUICKLY WITH ANY FACTS--NOT JUST GOSSIP OR RUMOR.

IN ADDITION, THE COAST GUARD NOW IS CHECKING FOREIGN VESSELS WELL OFFSHORE TO MAKE SURE THEY ARE BRINGING NO ATOM BOMBS OR OTHER EXPLOSIVES INTO AMERICAN HARBORS.

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A PRESIDENTIAL TEXT WILL FOLLOW ON THIS CIRCUIT IMMEDIATELY. BUREAUS NEEDING EXTRA COPIES PLEASE ARRANGE.

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WASHINGTON, AUG.8-(AP)-THE TEXT OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S MESSAGE TO CONGRESS TODAY ASKING FOR ADDITIONAL SAFEGUARDS ON NATIONAL SECURITY FOLLOWS: (ABOUT 3500)

TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES:

I AM PRESENTING TO THE CONGRESS CERTAIN CONSIDERATIONS CONCERNING THE STEPS WE NEED TO TAKE TO PRESERVE OUR BASIC LIBERTIES AND TO PROTECT THE INTERNAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES IN THIS PERIOD OF INCREASING INTERNATIONAL DIFFICULTY AND DANGER. WE FACE TODAY, AS WE HAVE ALWAYS FACED IN TIME OF INTERNATIONAL TENSION, THE QUESTION OF HOW TO KEEP OUR FREEDOM SECURE AGAINST INTERNAL AS WELL AS EXTERNAL ATTACK, WITHOUT AT THE SAME TIME UNDULY LIMITING INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES.

THROUGHOUT OUR HISTORY AS A NATION, OUR PEOPLE HAVE ALWAYS -- AND PROPERLY -- BEEN WARY OF GOVERNMENT ACTION WHICH LIMITED PERSONAL LIBERTY. AT THE TIME OUR CONSTITUTION WAS BEING DEBATED, THERE WAS CONSIDERABLE FEAR THAT IT DID NOT PROPERLY SAFEGUARD THE EXERCISE OF INDIVIDUAL FREEDOM. AS A RESULT, THE FIRST TEN AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION -- THE BILL OF RIGHTS -- WERE ADOPTED, IN ORDER TO MAKE SURE THAT THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WOULD NOT INFRINGE UPON THE FREE EXERCISE OF RELIGION, FREEDOM OF SPEECH, FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, THE RIGHT OF PEACEABLE ASSEMBLY, AND THE OTHER BASIC RIGHTS WHICH ARE ESSENTIAL IN A FREE SOCIETY. THE BILL OF RIGHTS WAS THEN, AND REMAINS TODAY, A STIRRING EMBODIMENT OF OUR DEMOCRATIC IDEALS -- AN INSPIRATION TO FREE MEN EVERYWHERE AND TO THOSE WHO WOULD BE FREE.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE BILL OF RIGHTS WAS NOT INTENDED TO PREVENT THE GOVERNMENT FROM MAINTAINING OUR NATION'S INTEGRITY AGAINST SUBVERSION OR ATTACK. FOR EXAMPLE, THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO KEEP AND BEAR ARMS, WHICH IS GUARANTEED IN THE BILL OF RIGHTS, OBVIOUSLY GIVES NO LICENSE FOR THE BUILDING UP OF AN ARMED REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT WITHIN OUR BORDERS.

ACCORDINGLY, THE GOVERNMENT HAS ENACTED LAWS, FROM TIME TO TIME, AGAINST ESPIONAGE, SABOTAGE, AND OTHER INTERNAL THREATS TO OUR NATIONAL SAFETY. EACH OF THESE LAWS NECESSARILY PLACES SOME RESTRICTIONS ON INDIVIDUAL LIBERTY, FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE NATION.

IT HAS ALWAYS BEEN DIFFICULT TO DRAW THE LINE BETWEEN RESTRICTIONS WHICH ARE PROPER BECAUSE THEY ARE NECESSARY FOR INTERNAL SECURITY, AND RESTRICTIONS WHICH ARE IMPROPER BECAUSE THEY VIOLATE THE SPIRIT OR THE LETTER OF THE CONSTITUTION. IT IS CLEAR THAT ON CERTAIN OCCASIONS, THAT LINE HAS BEEN OVER-STEPPED.

SOON AFTER OUR GOVERNMENT BEGAN FUNCTIONING UNDER THE CONSTITUTION, THERE WAS ENACTED, IN 1798, THE GROUP OF LEGISLATIVE ACTS KNOWN AS THE ALIEN AND SEDITION LAWS. THESE LAWS WERE OSTENSIBLY DESIGNED TO PREVENT ACTIVITIES WHICH WOULD UNDERMINE THE NATION'S SAFETY AND INDEPENDENCE. BUT IN FACT THEY WERE BROAD ENOUGH -- AND WERE USED -- TO IMPRISON MANY LEADING CITIZENS, INCLUDING A MEMBER OF CONGRESS, WHO EXPRESSED DISAGREEMENT WITH THE POLICIES OF THE ADMINISTRATION THEN IN OFFICE.

THE ALIEN AND SEDITION LAWS WERE SO REPUGNANT TO THE FREE SPIRIT OF OUR PEOPLE THAT THEY PLAYED AN IMPORTANT PART IN THE DISAPPEARANCE OF THE FEDERALIST PARTY, WHICH SPONSORED THEM, AND THE OBJECTIONABLE FEATURES OF THESE LAWS WERE SHORTLY REPEALED OR ALLOWED TO EXPIRE. THAT EXPERIENCE TAUGHT US A GREAT LESSON: THAT EXTREME AND ARBITRARY SECURITY MEASURES STRIKE AT THE VERY HEART OF OUR FREE SOCIETY, AND THAT WE MUST BE ETERNALLY VIGILANT AGAINST THOSE WHO WOULD UNDERMINE FREEDOM IN THE NAME OF SECURITY.

SINCE THE TIME OF THE ALIEN AND SEDITION LAWS, THERE HAVE BEEN RECURRENT PERIODS -- ESPECIALLY IN WARTIME -- WHEN THE SAFETY OF OUR NATION HAS BEEN IN DANGER. EACH OF THESE OCCASIONS HAS CONFRONTED US WITH A NEW SET OF CONDITIONS, TO WHICH WE HAVE HAD TO ADJUST OUR INTERNAL SECURITY LAWS AND PROCEDURES.

AT THE SAME TIME, EACH OF THESE PERIODS OF DANGER HAS BEEN SEIZED ON BY THOSE WHO, IN GOOD FAITH OR BAD, WOULD SEVERELY LIMIT THE FREEDOM OF OUR PEOPLE IN A MISGUIDED ATTEMPT TO GAIN GREATER SECURITY. AS WE LOOK BACK NOW, WE CAN SEE THAT THERE HAVE BEEN CERTAIN TIMES WHEN WE HAVE, TO SOME EXTENT, REPUDIATED OUR OWN IDEALS OF FREEDOM IN AN EXCESS OF ZEAL FOR OUR SAFETY. NEVERTHELESS, IT IS A TRIBUTE

TO THE STRONG FAITH AND COMMON SENSE OF OUR PEOPLE THAT WE HAVE NEVER FOR LONG BEEN MISLED BY THE HYSTERICAL CRIES OF THOSE WHO WOULD SUPPRESS OUR CONSTITUTIONAL FREEDOMS.

THE PRESENT PERIOD IS ONE OF THE TIMES IN WHICH IT HAS BEEN NECESSARY TO ADJUST OUR SECURITY MEASURES TO NEW CIRCUMSTANCES. THE PARTICULAR DANGER WHICH WE HAVE HAD TO MEET HAS BEEN CREATED BY THE RISE OF TOTALITARIANISM -- FIRST THE TOTALITARIANISM OF THE RIGHT, AND NOW THAT OF THE LEFT.

TODAY, WE FACE MOST ACUTELY THE THREAT OF THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT, INTERNATIONAL IN SCOPE, DIRECTED FROM A CENTRAL SOURCE, AND COMMITTED TO THE OVERTHROW OF DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTIONS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

THE MAJOR DANGER FROM THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT LIES IN ITS USE OF ARMED FORCE AND THE THREAT OF AGGRESSION THROUGH WHICH IT IS TRYING TO ESTABLISH ITS CONTROL OVER FREE NATIONS. TO MEET THIS DANGER, WE ARE WORKING VIGOROUSLY WITH OTHER FREE NATIONS TO BUILD A STRONG AND EFFECTIVE COMMON DEFENSE.

COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM ALSO SEEKS TO WEAKEN AND OVERTHROW FREE NATIONS BY WORKING WITHIN THEIR BORDERS.

THROUGH THEIR OWN POLITICAL PARTIES, AND BY TRYING TO MAKE ALLIANCES WITH NON-COMMUNIST POLITICAL GROUPS, THE COMMUNISTS ATTEMPT TO GAIN POLITICAL POWER. THE BEST DEFENSE AGAINST THIS ASPECT OF THE COMMUNIST THREAT IS A VIGOROUS, FUNCTIONING DEMOCRACY WHICH SUCCEEDS IN MEETING THE NEEDS OF ITS PEOPLE. A VIGILANT PEOPLE, WHO EXERCISE THEIR DEMOCRATIC RIGHTS TO KEEP THEIR GOVERNMENT ACTIVE IN THE INTERESTS OF ALL, CAN DEFEAT THE EFFORTS OF COMMUNISTS TO ATTAIN ELECTORAL POWER.

IN THE UNITED STATES, THE COMMUNIST PARTY HAS NEVER RECEIVED MORE THAN A MINUTE PORTION OF THE NATIONAL VOTE. THE GOOD SENSE OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, AND THEIR FAITH IN DEMOCRACY, HAVE UTTERLY REJECTED THE FALSE POLITICAL APPEAL OF COMMUNISM.

AS A PART OF THEIR CAMPAIGN TO WEAKEN FREE NATIONS FROM WITHIN, THE COMMUNISTS TRY TO INFILTRATE AND GAIN CONTROL OF THE MOST VITAL CITIZENS' ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS UNIONS, ASSOCIATIONS OF VETERANS, BUSINESS GROUPS, AND CHARITABLE, EDUCATIONAL, AND POLITICAL SOCIETIES. IN THIS COUNTRY, THESE ATTEMPTS HAVE -- WITH FEW EXCEPTIONS -- BEEN SUCCESSFULLY THWARTED BY THE COMMON SENSE AND HARD WORK OF THE MEMBERS OF THOSE ORGANIZATIONS, WHO HAVE DEFEATED THE COMMUNISTS THROUGH DEMOCRATIC PROCESSES, OR FORCED THEM INTO ISOLATED GROUPS WHICH ARE CLEARLY AND DEFINITELY IDENTIFIED AS COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED.

THE SUCCESS OF OUR LABOR UNION MEMBERS AND LEADERS IN EXPOSING AND ELIMINATING COMMUNISTS WHO HAVE MANAGED TO GAIN POSITIONS OF AUTHORITY IN THE LABOR MOVEMENT IS PARTICULARLY NOTEWORTHY. THIS DEMONSTRATES THAT OPEN AND PUBLIC DEMOCRATIC PROCESSES PROVIDE THE MOST EFFECTIVE WAY TO PREVENT COMMUNISTS FROM DOMINATING THE ACTIVITIES AND POLICIES OF PRIVATE GROUPS IN OUR COUNTRY.

IF THE COMMUNISTS CONFINED THEIR ACTIVITIES IN THIS COUNTRY TO THE OPEN AND PUBLIC CHANNELS OF THE DEMOCRATIC PROCESS, WE WOULD HAVE LITTLE CONCERN ABOUT THEM. BUT THEY DO NOT SO LIMIT THEIR ACTIVITIES. INSTEAD, TO SERVE THE ENDS OF A FOREIGN POWER, THEY ENGAGE IN ESPIONAGE, SABOTAGE, AND OTHER ACTS SUBVERSIVE OF OUR NATIONAL SAFETY.

TO PROTECT US AGAINST ACTIVITIES SUCH AS THESE, WE MUST RELY PRIMARILY UPON GOVERNMENT ACTION. WE MUST HAVE EFFECTIVE INTERNAL SECURITY MEASURES TO PREVENT ACTS WHICH THREATEN OUR NATIONAL SAFETY.

THESE MEASURES MUST BE ACCURATELY DEVISED TO MEET REAL DANGERS. THEY MUST NOT BE SO BROAD AS TO RESTRICT OUR LIBERTY UNNECESSARILY, FOR THAT WOULD DEFEAT OUR OWN ENDS. UNWISE OR EXCESSIVE SECURITY MEASURES CAN STRIKE AT THE FREEDOM AND DIGNITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL WHICH ARE THE VERY FOUNDATION OF OUR SOCIETY -- AND THE DEFENSE OF WHICH IS THE WHOLE PURPOSE OF OUR SECURITY MEASURES.

IN CONSIDERING THE LAWS THAT ARE NEEDED TO PROTECT OUR INTERNAL SECURITY AGAINST COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES, WE SHOULD REMEMBER THAT WE ALREADY HAVE TESTED LEGAL DEFENSES AGAINST TREASON, ESPIONAGE, SABOTAGE, AND OTHER ACTS LOOKING TOWARD THE OVERTHROW OF OUR GOVERNMENT BY FORCE OR VIOLENCE. STRONG LAWS EXIST ON THE STATUTE BOOKS -- A NUMBER OF THEM ENACTED OR STRENGTHENED IN RECENT YEARS -- UNDER WHICH WE HAVE PROCEEDED AND ARE PROCEEDING VIGOROUSLY AGAINST SUCH CRIMES.

THE TREASON LAWS MAKE IT A CRIME FOR ANYONE OWING ALLEGIANCE TO THE UNITED STATES TO LEVY WAR AGAINST HIS COUNTRY, TO GIVE AID AND COMFORT TO ITS ENEMIES, OR TO CONCEAL KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING TREASONABLE ACTIVITIES.

THE ESPIONAGE LAWS MAKE IT A CRIME TO GATHER, GIVE, RECEIVE, OR TRANSMIT DOCUMENTS OR SIMILAR MATERIALS CONCERNING THE NATIONAL DEFENSE OF THE UNITED STATES WITH INTENT OR REASON TO BELIEVE THAT THEY ARE TO BE USED AGAINST THE INTEREST OF THE UNITED STATES. FURTHERMORE, THESE LAWS MAKE IT A CRIME FOR ANYONE WHO HAS NATIONAL DEFENSE INFORMATION TO COMMUNICATE IT TO ANY PERSON NOT ENTITLED TO RECEIVE IT.

THE SABOTAGE LAWS MAKE IT A CRIME FOR ANYONE, WITH INTENT TO INTERFERE WITH THE NATIONAL DEFENSE, TO ATTEMPT TO INJURE OR DESTROY ANY MATERIAL, PREMISES, OR UTILITIES WHICH ARE IMPORTANT TO THE NATIONAL DEFENSE.

THERE ARE OTHER LAWS WHICH MAKE IT A CRIME FOR TWO OR MORE PERSONS TO "CONSPIRE TO OVERTHROW, PUT DOWN, OR TO DESTROY BY FORCE THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES ... OR BY FORCE TO PREVENT, HINDER OR DELAY THE EXECUTION OF ANY LAW OF THE UNITED STATES." THERE ARE ALSO LAWS WHICH MAKE IT A CRIME TO ADVOCATE OR TEACH THE OVERTHROW OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT, OR ANY STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT, BY FORCE OR VIOLENCE, TO ORGANIZE ANY GROUP FOR THAT PURPOSE, OR TO BE A MEMBER OF SUCH A GROUP, KNOWING ITS PURPOSE. IN 1948, ELEVEN OF THE MOST IMPORTANT LEADERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THIS COUNTRY WERE INDICTED UNDER THESE LAWS. AFTER A LONG TRIAL, ALL WERE CONVICTED, AND THEIR CONVICTION WAS AFFIRMED BY AN APPELLATE COURT ON AUGUST 1, 1950.

IN ADDITION TO THE CRIMINAL LAWS OUTLINED ABOVE, THERE IS A SET OF LAWS GOVERNING IMMIGRATION, NATURALIZATION, AND TRAVEL BETWEEN OUR COUNTRY AND OTHERS. THESE LAWS PERMIT THE GOVERNMENT TO EXCLUDE OR DEPORT ANY ALIEN FROM THIS COUNTRY WHO MAY BE DANGEROUS TO OUR INTERNAL SECURITY, AND TO FORBID OR TO REGULATE THE TRAVEL ABROAD OF UNITED STATES CITIZENS WHO MAY BE ENGAGED IN SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY.

THE LAWS I HAVE BEEN DESCRIBING APPLY TO PRIVATE CITIZENS AND GROUPS. A SPECIAL SET OF LAWS AND PROCEDURES APPLIES TO GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES. HERE OUR PURPOSE IS TO EXCLUDE OR REMOVE FROM GOVERNMENT SERVICE PERSONS WHO MAY BE DISLOYAL, EVEN THOUGH THEY HAVE COMMITTED NO CRIME, AND TO KEEP FROM POSITIONS OF IMPORTANCE PERSONS WHO CANNOT BE TRUSTED TO MAINTAIN SECURITY REGULATIONS, EVEN THOUGH THEY MAY BE LOYAL CITIZENS AND SATISFACTORY EMPLOYEES IN ALL OTHER RESPECTS.

MORE THAN THREE YEARS AGO, THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH REVISED AND IMPROVED ITS PROCEDURES FOR DEALING WITH QUESTIONS OF EMPLOYEE LOYALTY AND SECURITY. THESE NEW PROCEDURES HAVE PROVED EFFECTIVE IN PROTECTING THE GOVERNMENT AGAINST DISLOYAL PERSONS AND PERSONS WHOSE EMPLOYMENT CONSTITUTES A SECURITY RISK.

THE VARIOUS LAWS AND PROCEDURES I HAVE OUTLINED MAKE UP A STRONG SET OF LEGAL SAFEGUARDS AGAINST ACTS BY INDIVIDUALS AND GROUPS WHICH STRIKE AT THE INTERNAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES.

OVER THE LAST FEW YEARS, WE HAVE SUCIESSFULLY PROSECUTED SEVERAL HUNDRED CASES IN THE COURTS UNDER EXISTING INTERNAL SECURITY LAWS. IN THIS PROCESS WE HAVE OBTAINED A GREAT DEAL OF EXPERIENCE IN THE APPLICATION OF THESE LAWS. WE HAVE DISCOVERED A FEW DEFECTS, SOME OF THEM MINOR AND OTHERS OF GREATER IMPORTANCE, IN SOME OF THE EXISTING STATUTES. IN VIEW OF THE SITUATION WHICH CONFRONTS US, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THESE DEFECTS BE REMEDIED. AT THIS TIME, THEREFORE, I WISH TO RECOMMEND THAT THE CONGRESS ENACT CERTAIN LEGISLATION BEFORE THE CLOSE OF THE PRESENT SESSION.

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FIRST, I RECOMMEND THAT THE CONGRESS REMEDY CERTAIN DEFECTS IN THE PRESENT LAWS CONCERNING ESPIONAGE, THE REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN AGENTS, AND THE SECURITY OF NATIONAL DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS, BY CLARIFYING AND MAKING MORE DEFINITE CERTAIN LANGUAGE IN THE ESPIONAGE LAWS, BY PROVIDING AN EXTENDED STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS (PLACE OF THE PRESENT 3-YEAR STATUTE) FOR PEACETIME ESPIONAGE, BY REQUIRING PERSONS WHO HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTION FROM A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT OR POLITICAL PARTY IN ESPIONAGE OR SUBVERSIVE TACTICS TO REGISTER UNDER THE FOREIGN AGENTS REGISTRATION ACT, AND BY GIVING BROADER AUTHORITY THAN NOW EXISTS FOR THE PRESIDENT TO ESTABLISH SECURITY REGULATIONS CONCERNING THE PROTECTION OF MILITARY BASES AND OTHER NATIONAL DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS.

SECOND, I RECOMMEND THAT THE CONGRESS ENACT LEGISLATION PERMITTING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO EXERCISE SUPERVISION OVER ALIENS SUBJECT TO DEPORTATION AND TO REQUIRE THEM, UNDER THE SANCTION OF CRIMINAL PENALTIES, TO REPORT THEIR WHEREABOUTS AND ACTIVITIES AT REGULAR INTERVALS. IN A NUMBER OF CASES, LAIENS UNDER DEPORTATION ORDERS CANNOT BE DEPORTED BECAUSE NO OTHER COUNTRY WILL ACCEPT THEM. A BILL PENDING BEFORE THE CONGRESS WOULD PERMIT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL IN CERTAIN CASES TO DETAIN SUCH ALIENS IN HIS CUSTODY FOR INDEFINITE PERIODS OF TIME--NOT PURSUANT TO A CONVICTION FOR CRIME BUT ON THE BASIS OF AN ADMINISTRATIVE DETERMINATION. SUCH ACTION WOULD BE REPUGNANT TO OUR TRADITIONS, AND IT SHOULD NOT BE AUTHORIZED. PRESENT LAW, HOWEVER, IS INADEQUATE TO PERMIT PROPER SUPERVISION OF DEPORTABLE ALIENS, AND SHOULD BE STRENGTHENED AS I HAVE INDICATED.

UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL, THE AGENCIES OF THE GOVERNMENT WHICH ADMINISTER OUR INTERNAL SECURITY LAWS ARE KEEPING THESE LAWS UNDER CONSTANT STUDY TO DETERMINE WHETHER FURTHER CHANGES ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE PROTECTION. IF IT DOES APPEAR THAT FURTHER IMPROVEMENTS IN THESE LAWS ARE NEEDED, I SHALL RECOMMEND THEM TO CONGRESS.

BY BUILDING UPON THE FRAMEWORK NOW PROVIDED BY OUR BASIC LAWS AGAINST SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES, WE CAN PROVIDE EFFECTIVE PROTECTION AGAINST ACTS WHICH THREATEN VIOLENCE TO OUR GOVERNMENT OR TO OUR INSTITUTIONS, AND WE CAN DO THIS WITHOUT VIOLATING THE FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES OF OUR CONSTITUTION.

NEVERTHELESS, THERE ARE SOME PEOPLE WHO WISH US TO ENACT LAWS WHICH WOULD SERIOUSLY DAMAGE THE RIGHT OF FREE SPEECH AND WHICH COULD BE USED NOT ONLY AGAINST SUBVERSIVE GROUPS BUT AGAINST OTHER GROUPS ENGAGED IN POLITICAL OR OTHER ACTIVITIES WHICH WERE NOT GENERALLY POPULAR. SUCH MEASURES WOULD NOT ONLY INFRINGE ON THE BILL OF RIGHTS AND THE BASIC LIBERTIES OF OUR PEOPLE; THEY WOULD ALSO UNDERMINE THE VERY INTERNAL SECURITY THEY SEEK TO PROTECT.

LAWS FORBIDDING DISSENT DO NOT PREVENT SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES; THEY MERELY DRIVE THEM INTO MORE SECRET AND MORE DANGEROUS CHANNELS. POLICE STATES ARE NOT SECURE; THEIR HISTORY IS MARKED BY SUCCESSIVE PURGES, AND GROWING CONCENTRATION CAMPS, AS THEIR GOVERNMENTS STRIKE OUT BLINDLY IN FEAR OF VIOLENT REVOLT. ONCE A GOVERNMENT IS COMMITTED TO THE PRINCIPLE OF SILENCING THE VOICE OF OPPOSITION, IT HAS ONLY ONE WAY TO GO, AND THAT IS DOWN THE PATH OF INCREASINGLY REPRESSIVE MEASURES, UNTIL IT BECOMES A SOURCE OF TERROR TO ALL ITS CITIZENS AND CREATES A COUNTRY WHERE EVERYONE LIVES IN FEAR.

WE MUST, THEREFORE, BE ON OUR GUARD AGAINST EXTREMISTS WHO URGE US TO ADOPT POLICE STATE MEASURES. SUCH PERSONS ADVOCATE BREAKING DOWN THE GUARANTEES OF THE BILL OF RIGHTS IN ORDER TO GET AT THE COMMUNISTS. THEY FORGET THAT IF THE BILL OF RIGHTS WERE TO BE BROKEN DOWN, ALL GROUPS, EVEN THE MOST CONSERVATIVE, WOULD BE IN DANGER FROM THE ARBITRARY POWER OF GOVERNMENT.

LEGISLATION IS NOW PENDING BEFORE THE CONGRESS WHICH IS SO BROAD AND VAGUE IN ITS TERMS AS TO ENDANGER THE FREEDOMS OF SPEECH, PRESS, AND ASSEMBLY PROTECTED BY THE FIRST AMENDMENT. SOME OF THE PROPOSED MEASURES WOULD, IN EFFECT, IMPOSE SEVERE PENALTIES FOR NORMAL POLITICAL ACTIVITIES ON THE PART OF CERTAIN GROUPS, INCLUDING COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST PARTY-LINE FOLLOWERS. THIS KIND OF LEGISLATION IS UNNECESSARY, INEFFECTIVE, AND DANGEROUS.

IT IS UNNECESSARY BECAUSE GROUPS SUCH AS THE COMMUNISTS CANNOT ACCOMPLISH THEIR EVIL PURPOSES IN THIS COUNTRY THROUGH NORMAL POLITICAL ACTIVITY. THEY WILL BE REPUDIATED BY THE PEOPLE AS THEY HAVE ALWAYS BEEN.

IT IS INEFFECTIVE BECAUSE IT DOES NOT GET AT THE REAL DANGERS FROM THE COMMUNISTS IN THIS COUNTRY. THESE DANGERS COME, NOT FROM NORMAL POLITICAL ACTIVITY, BUT FROM ESPIONAGE, SABOTAGE, AND THE BUILDING UP OF AN ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO THE DESTRUCTION OF OUR GOVERNMENT BY VIOLENT MEANS--AGAINST ALL OF WHICH WE ALREADY HAVE LAWS.

THIS KIND OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION IS DANGEROUS BECAUSE, IN ATTEMPTING TO PROSCRIBE, FOR GROUPS SUCH AS THE COMMUNISTS, CERTAIN ACTIVITIES THAT ARE PERFECTLY PROPER FOR EVERYONE ELSE, SUCH LEGISLATION WOULD SPREAD A LEGAL DRAGNET SUFFICIENTLY BROAD TO PERMIT THE PROSECUTION OF PEOPLE WHO ARE ENTIRELY INNOCENT OR MERELY MISGUIDED. AS FAR AS THE REAL CONSPIRATORS AGAINST OUR INSTITUTIONS ARE CONCERNED, SUCH LEGISLATION WOULD MERELY HAVE THE EFFECT OF DRIVING THEM FURTHER UNDERGROUND AND MAKING IT MORE DIFFICULT TO REACH THEM. FURTHERMORE, IF SUCH LEGISLATION WERE HELD UNCONSTITUTIONAL, AS IT WELL MIGHT BE, IT WOULD MAKE MARTYRS OUT OF OUR WORST ENEMIES AND CREATE PUBLIC SYMPATHY FOR THEM.

EXTREME PROPOSALS OF THIS TYPE REFLECT THE WIDESPREAD PUBLIC CONCERN ABOUT COMMUNISM WHICH MOST OF OUR PEOPLE FEEL TODAY. IN SOME COMMUNITIES, THIS CONCERN HAS RESULTED IN THE ENACTMENT OF UNNECESSARY OR UNCONSTITUTIONAL LAWS OR ORDINANCES DESIGNED TO SUPPRESS SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY.

WE MUST NOT BE SWEPT AWAY BY A WAVE OF HYSTERIA.

IT IS NATURAL, PERHAPS, TO THINK THAT WE CAN WIPE OUT THE DANGERS WHICH CONFRONT US BY PASSING A LAW. BUT WE CANNOT GET RID OF COMMUNISM JUST BY PASSING A LAW. WE MUST, OF COURSE, HAVE EFFECTIVE LEGAL DEFENSES, BUT THE PRINCIPAL PROTECTION OF A FREE SOCIETY AGAINST SUBVERSION IS AN ALERT AND RESPONSIBLE CITIZENRY DEDICATED TO THE ADVANCEMENT OF FREEDOM THROUGH DEMOCRATIC MEANS.

THIS IS THE WAY TO BUILD REAL SECURITY FOR OUR COUNTRY--AND EVERY CITIZEN CAN HELP. EVERYONE IN PUBLIC LIFE HAS A RESPONSIBILITY TO CONDUCT HIMSELF SO AS TO REINFORCE AND NOT UNDERMINE OUR INTERNAL SECURITY AND OUR BASIC FREEDOMS. OUR PRESS AND RADIO HAVE THE SAME RESPONSIBILITY. PRIVATE GROUPS OF ALL KINDS, AND CITIZENS IN THEIR DAILY WORK AND IN THEIR HOMES, ARE EQUALLY CONCERNED WITH THE QUESTION OF PROTECTING OUR LITERTIESAND OUR NATIONAL SECURITY. WE MUST ALL ACT SOBERLY AND CAREFULLY, IN KEEPING WITH OUR GREAT TRADITIONS. THIS IS IMPORTANT NOT ONLY TO OUR OWN COUNTRY, BUT TO THE SUCCESS OF THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM IN THE WORLD.

THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, COMMUNISM IS SEEKING TO DISCREDIT OUR SYSTEM OF CONSTITUTIONAL LIBERTIES. THE COMMUNISTS KNOW THAT THE LEADERSHIP AND GOOD WILL WHICH OUR NATION ENJOYS ARISE IN GREAT MEASURE FROM THE FACT THAT MEN HERE HAVE THE BLESSINGS OF LIBERTY. CONSEQUENTLY, THE PROPAGANDA OF COMMUNISM IS DEVOTED TO A BITTER AND UNCEASING ATTEMPT TO BLACKEN AND DISTORT OUR NATIONAL CHARACTER AND OUR WAY OF LIFE.

THIS PROPAGANDA IS A FORMIDABLE THREAT TO THE UNITY OF THE FREE NATIONS IN WORKING FOR PEACE. THE BEST ANSWER TO IT IS NOT WORDS, BUT DEEDS. WE MUST DEMONSTRATE THAT WE ARE A COUNTRY IN WHICH MEN CAN LIVE TOGETHER AND ADVANCE TOGETHER AS A FREE SOCIETY. THIS ALONE CAN PROVE THE FALSENESS OF THE COMMUNIST ATTACK. IT WOULD BE TRAGIC

IN THE HIGHEST DEGREE IF WE WERE TO FRIGHTEN OURSELVES INTO DESTROYING THOSE VERY LIBERTIES WHICH ARE THE BASIS OF OUR MORAL LEADERSHIP IN THE STRUGGLE FOR PEACE.

I AM DETERMINED THAT THE UNITED STATES SHALL BE SECURE. I AM EQUALLY DETERMINED THAT WE SHALL KEEP OUR HISTORIC LIBERTIES.

SUCCESS IN ACHIEVING BOTH THESE OBJECTIVES IS OF EXCEPTIONAL IMPORTANCE IN THE PRESENT PERIOD OF INTERNATIONAL TENSION. FOR BY OUR ACTIONS, WE MUST MAINTAIN THE UNITED STATES AS A STRONG, FREE PEOPLE, CONFIDENT IN OUR LIBERTIES, AND MOVING FORWARD WITH OTHER FREE PEOPLES TO OPPOSE AGGRESSION AND TO BUILD A JUST PEACE FOR ALL MANKIND.

HARRY S.TRUMAN

THE WHITE HOUSE,
AUGUST 8, 1950.

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FIRST LEAD SHIP HALTED (100)

PHILADELPHIA,AUG.8-(AP)-A SECOND FINNISH SHIP BOUND FOR PHILADELPHIA WAS HALTED TODAY AT DELAWARE BREAKWATER FOR EXAMINATION BY CUSTOMS MEN.

COLLECTOR OF THE PORT MICHAEL J.BRADLEY, WHO YESTERDAY ORDERED THE FINNISH FREIGHTER HAMINA NOT TO DOCK HERE, DISCLOSED THE SECOND SHIP HAD BEEN HALTED. HE IDENTIFIED THE SHIP AS THE SIRIUS, OWNED BY THE FINLAND STEAMSHIP CO., AND SCHEDULED TO LOAD GENERAL CARGO FOR HELSINKI.

THE SIRIUS WAS DIRECTED TO ANCHOR IN THE LOWER DELAWARE BAY, WHERE THE HAMINA PREVIOUSLY UNDERWENT AN INTENSIVE 18-HOUR SEARCH. BRADLEY DECLINED ANY FURTHER INFORMATION ON THE SIRIUS. HE SAID YESTERDAY AFTER THE HAMINA WAS ORDERED TO DISCHARGE A CARGO OF WOOD PULP ONTO LIGHTERS:

"AFTER INVESTIGATION IT WAS FOUND POSSIBLE TO DISCHARGE THE HAMINA'S CARGO AT THAT POINT (BOMBAY POINT ANCHORAGE), AND TRANSFER IT TO PHILADELPHIA BY LIGHTER. IN MY JUDGMENT, I FEEL THIS PROCEDURE WAS ADVISABLE."

THE HAMINA ARRIVED AT DELAWARE BREAKWATER AT 6:30 P.M., EST, SUNDAY, REPORTEDLY CARRYING A CARGO OF ABOUT 6,000 TONS OF WOODPULP. THE CUSTOMS INSPECTORS BOARDED THE SHIP SHORTLY AFTER THAT.

THE VESSEL, SAILING FROM HELSINKI, HAD BEEN SCHEDULED TO DOCK AT A PHILADELPHIA PIER.

FOLLOWING THE INSPECTION, HOWEVER, THE FREIGHTER WAS FORBIDDEN TO MOVE AS FAR AS PHILADELPHIA.

THE GOVERNMENT AGENTS INSTRUCTED HER MASTER TO MOVE UP THE DELAWARE RIVER TO BOMBAY POINT ANCHORAGE, ABOUT 55 MILES SOUTH OF THE PORT, AND THERE UNLOAD HER CARGO INTO LIGHTERS.

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FINNISH SHIPS (WITH PHILADELPHIA DAY)

WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-THE FINNISH LEGATION ASKED THE STATE DEPARTMENT TODAY FOR INFORMATION ON THE REASON WHY TWO FINNISH SHIPS WERE HALTED FOR PROLONGED CUSTOMS EXAMINATION OUTSIDE THE PORT OF PHILADELPHIA.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THE LEGATION COUNSELOR, OTSO WARTIOVAARA, WAS TOLD THE STATE DEPARTMENT WOULD LOOK INTO THE MATTER.

CUSTOMS OFFICIALS IN PHILADELPHIA WERE NON-COMMITTAL CONCERNING HALTING OF THE TWO SHIPS.

THE FINNISH FREIGHTER HAMINA WAS NOT PERMITTED TO DOCK AND WAS INSTRUCTED TO UNLOAD A CARGO OF WOOD PULP ONTO LIGHTERS AT BOMBAY POINT ANCHORAGE, 55 MILES SOUTH OF THE PORT.

A SECOND SHIP, THE SIRIUS, WAS HALTED TODAY FOR EXTENDED EXAMINATION. SHE WAS SCHEDULED TO LOAD GENERAL CARGO FOR HELSINKI.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-A LONG BARRELED ANTI-TANK RIFLE BELIEVED TO HAVE KILLED THE CREWS OF A NUMBER OF AMERICAN TANKS IN KOREA HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED BY THE U.S. ARMY AS A RUSSIAN-MADE 1941 MODEL.

THE ARMY HAS HAD A SAMPLE OF THIS GUN SINCE WORLD WAR II. IT CONTENDS THE RIFLE IS OUTMODED AND THE U.S. IS PRODUCING NO SIMILAR WEAPON FOR AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN.

INSTEAD, THE ARMY IS CONCENTRATING IN THIS FIELD ON THREE PROJECTS:

1. PRODUCING THE 3.5-INCH BAZOOKA AND ITS AMMUNITION, NOW IN USE BY AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA. THIS IMPROVED BAZOOKA HAS A RANGE OF 100 YARDS OR SO. ITS ROCKET AMMUNITION CARRIES A HIGH EXPLOSIVE CHARGE SHAPED TO FOCUS ITS EFFECT AND PENETRATE EXTREMELY HEAVY ARMOR.
2. PRODUCING RECOILLESS RIFLES WHICH CAN BE CARRIED BY TWO INFANTRYMEN YET CAN FIRE A HIGH EXPLOSIVE SHELL MORE THAN 4,000 YARDS.
3. SOLVING TECHNICAL PROBLEMS INVOLVED IN STARTING PRODUCTION OF SHAPED CHARGE AMMUNITION FOR RECOILLESS RIFLES.

THE LATTER PROJECT INVOLVES THE "MARRIAGE" OF THE BAZOOKA AND THE RECOILLESS GUN. THIS IS THE DEVELOPMENT WHICH DR.VANNEVAR BUSH, LEADER OF U.S.RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT DURING WORLD WAR II, HAS PREDICTED WOULD ULTIMATELY ENABLE RELATIVELY SMALL LAND FORCES TO HOLD OFF ANY TANK-LED SOVIET INVASION OF WESTERN EUROPE UNTIL AMERICAN FORCES COULD ARRIVE. BUSH FORECAST LAST MONTH THAT THE POWERFUL NEW WEAPON COULD BE IN PRODUCTION IN SIX MONTHS. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT IT MIGHT NOT BE USED IN KOREA BECAUSE OF THE DANGER OF ITS FALLING INTO RUSSIAN HANDS.

ONE OF THE LONG-BARRELED ANTI-TANK RIFLES BEING USED BY THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS APPEARS EXACTLY LIKE A 1941 RUSSIAN ANTI-TANK RIFLE WHICH HAS BEEN ON EXHIBIT SINCE THE WAR AT THE ARMY'S ABERDEEN,MD., PROVING GROUND. IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES, AN ARMY ORDNANCE EXPERT SAID TODAY THAT THERE IS NOTHING NEW ABOUT THE RUSSIAN RIFLE AND THAT IT IS "A VERY OUTMODED" WEAPON.

THE EXPERT SAID IT IS SIMPLY A GUN WITH A FAIRLY LARGE POWDER CHAMBER AND A BARREL LONGER THAN MOST SO THE POWDER HAS MORE TIME TO BURN BEFORE THE BULLET TAKES OFF.

AMERICAN TESTS INDICATE THAT THE RIFLE WILL PENETRATE NO MORE THAN ABOUT ONE AND ONE-HALF INCHES OF ARMOR PLATE AT 100 YARDS. THE ORDNANCE EXPERT SAID ITS PENETRATING POWER DECREASED WITH GREATER RANGE AND WOULD BE VERY LOW AT 300 TO 600 YARDS.

THE RUSSIAN RIFLE HAS A 14.5 MILLIMETER BULLET, ROUGHLY 60 CALIBER, A COMPARATIVELY SMALL PROJECTILE FOR ANTI-TANK PURPOSES. THE MAGAZINE HOLDS AMMUNITION FOR FIVE SHOTS. A MUZZLE BRAKE MAY REDUCE ITS KICK SLIGHTLY AND ALSO MAY TEND TO HIDE THE FLASH OF ITS FIRE SOMEWHAT.

THE ORDNANCE OFFICIAL SAID THE WEAPON WEIGHS ABOUT 45 POUNDS, COMPARED TO ABOUT 15 POUNDS FOR THE IMPROVED U. S. BAZOOKA.

LIKE THE U.S. RECOILLESS RIFLE, IT IS CARRIED BY TWO MEN.

THE ORDNANCE EXPERT SAID THAT FIGHTING TANKS WITH THE COMPARATIVELY SMALL CALIBER RUSSIAN RIFLE IS LIKE HUNTING BEAR WITH A .22 RIFLE.

"IF YOU HIT THE BEAR IN JUST THE RIGHT PLACE, YOU KILL HIM," HE SAID. "BUT I WOULDN'T WANT TO HUNT BEAR WITH A GUN LIKE THAT."

WITH THE LARGER, SHAPED-CHARGE ROCKETS OF THE BAZOOKA, AND THE LARGER HIGH EXPLOSIVE SHELLS NOW AVAILABLE FOR RECOILLESS RIFLES, THE OFFICIAL SAID:

"WE PROPOSE TO KNOCK THE TANK OUT SO IT WILL NEVER RUN AGAIN."

THE BAZOOKA ROCKETS, AND THE PROPOSED BAZOOKA-TYPE AMMUNITION FOR RECOILLESS RIFLES, EMPLOYY A PRINCIPLE REPORTED BY THE LATE AMERICAN PROFESSOR, CHARLES E. MUNROE, 50 YEARS AGO. DR. MUNROE FOUND THAT, BY LEAVING A CAVITY IN AN EXPLOSIVE AT THE SPOT WHERE MAXIMUM FORCE WAS DESIRED, MUCH OF THE FORCE OF THE EXPLOSION COULD BE CONCENTRATED ON THAT PARTICULAR SPOT. EXPERTS REPORT THAT TEN POUNDS OF TNT, PROPERLY SHAPED ACCORDING TO THE MUNROE PRINCIPLE, CAN BLOW A HOLE ONE AND ONE-FOURTH INCHES WIDE THROUGH EIGHT INCHES OF STEEL ARMOR PLATE.

REPORTS FROM KOREA INDICATE THAT THE LONG-BARRELED RUSSIAN RIFLE IS AIMED AT THE TURRETS OF U.S. TANKS, SOMETIMES PIERCING THEIR ARMOR AND FLYING AROUND INSIDE, THUS KILLING OR WOUNDING THE CREWMEN. SOME AMERICAN TANKS APPARENTLY STOPPED BY THE RIFLE HAVE BEEN RESCUED BY AMERICAN DOUGHBOYS TAKING THE PLACES OF THE SLAIN TANK CREWMEN.

THE U.S. ORDINANCE EXPERTS CONTEND THAT THE SHAPED CHARGE WOULD DISABLE TANKS SO BADLY THAT THEY COULD NOT BE RESCUED IN THIS MANNER.

IN ADDITION TO ITS BAZOOKAS OF LIMITED RANGE, THE U.S. NOW HAS

57 MM AND 75 MM RECOILNESS RIFLES BEING USED IN KOREA.

THE ORDANCE OFFICIAL SAID A SOLDIER FIRING THE RUSSIAN ANTI-TANK RIFLE MUST EXPOSE HIMSELF TO ENEMY FIRE JUST AS MUCH AS AN INFANTRYMAN FIRING AN AMERICAN BAZOOKA OR RECOILESS RIFLE.

HE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE RIFLE AMMUNITION IS MUCH LIGHTER THAN THAT OF THE BAZOOKA OR RECOILESS RIFLE, AND THAT IT WOULD BE EASY TO CARRY A LARGE NUMBER OF ROUNDS FOR THE RUSSIAN GUN. BUT HE SAID THIS IS OFFSET BY THE FACT THAT THE RIFLE WEIGHS THREE TIMES AS MUCH AS THE 3.5-INCH BAZOOKA.

THE OFFICIAL EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT BULLETS FROM THE RIFLE WOULD PENETRATE THE THINNEST ARMOR AT 600 YARDS.

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ACKNOWLEDGING THAT THE RANGE OF BAZOOKAS IS ALSO LIMITED TO 100 OR 200 YARDS, DEPENDING ON THE ACCURACY OF THE USER, HE SAID BAZOOKA ROCKETS ARE FAR MORE DESTRUCTIVE THAN THE SMALL CALIBER BULLETS OF THE ANTI-TANK RIFLE. AND HE CONTENDED THAT THE RECOILESS IFLES OF THE U.S., EVEN WITH THEIR PRESENT AMMUNITION, ARE MORE DESTRUCTIVE AT FAR GREATER RANGES THAN THE RUSSIAN GUN.

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BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-FRANCE HAS CHALLENGED THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN TO PROVE THAT THEY INTEND TO HELP WESTERN EUROPE AGAINST CONQUEST, RATHER THAN LIBERATE IT AFTER CONQUEST.

THAT APPEARS TO BE THE EFFECT, AS SEEN HERE, OF AN OFFICIAL FRENCH REQUEST FOR AMERICAN AND BRITISH TROOP REINFORCEMENTS ON THE CONTINENT AS PART OF THE DEFENSIVE PREPARATIONS AGAINST RUSSIA UNDER THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY.

IT IS AN EMBARRASSING CHALLENGE TO WASHINGTON AT THIS TIME BECAUSE THE UNITED STATES HAS NO DIVISIONS TO RUSH OVER TO EUROPE. NEW COMBAT UNITS IN THE NEAR FUTURE WILL HAVE TO BE DISPATCHED INTO THE FIGHT TO LIBERATE KOREA.

THE TEDIOUS, BLOODY AND DESTRUCTIVE CAMPAIGN IT APPARENTLY IS GOING TO TAKE TO PUSH THE NORTH KOREANS BACK MILE BY MILE HAPPENS TO BE THE TYPE OF MILITARY ACTION MOST DISTASTEFUL TO THE FRENCH, IF WAR SHOULD BREAK IN THE WEST. IT IS EXACTLY WHAT FRANCE IS TRYING TO GUARD AGAINST WITH ITS REQUEST FOR MORE BRITISH AND AMERICAN TROOPS.

THE DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE BY HOLDING THE RUSSIANS BACK RATHER THAN BY THE STRATEGY OF RETREAT-AND-RETURN IS THE FIXED POLICY OF THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE. IT IS THE OBJECTIVE OF EXTENSIVE PLANNING UNDER WAY HERE AND IN LONDON. BUT, AS THE FRENCH HAVE NOW BROUGHT OUT, IT IS AN OBJECTIVE STILL FAR FROM ATTAINMENT.

AMBASSADOR CHARLES M.SPOFFORD, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S REPRESENTATIVE ON THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY COUNCIL, IS DUE BACK HERE TOMORROW FROM A COUNCIL MEETING IN LONDON AND A VISIT TO PARIS. HIS TASK IS TO SPEED AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN DEFENSE PREPARATIONS UNDER THE PACT.

THE FRENCH NOTE, DISCLOSED MONDAY, ALONG WITH NEW REARMAMENT PROPOSALS FROM BRITAIN, NORWAY AND OTHER COUNTRIES, WILL BE PUT UNDER INTENSIVE STUDY IN CONFERENCES AMONG ACHESON, SPOFFORD AND OTHER OFFICIALS LATER THIS WEEK.

THE ATLANTIC ALLIES, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF FRANCE, GENERALLY ASKED AMERICAN DOLLARS, WEAPONS AND MATERIALS TO ASSIST EXPANSION OF THEIR MILITARY PREPARATIONS.

KOREA

THE FRENCH SAID THEY WOULD NEED ALL THOSE AIDS, TOO, BUT THEY BLUNTLY DECLARED THAT NO REARMAMENT PROGRAM WOULD DO ANY GOOD UNLESS THERE ARE SUFFICIENT GROUND AND AIR FORCES IN EUROPE TO MAINTAIN PEACE. THEY SAID THE CONTINENTAL COUNTRIES ALONE COULD NOT DO THE JOB, AND REQUESTED THAT THE NEEDED FORCES BE "SET UP RAPIDLY."

IN OTHER WORDS, THE FRENCH PEOPLE DON'T WANT THEIR COUNTRY TO BECOME ANOTHER SOUTH KOREA.

INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE EVENTUAL AMERICAN RESPONSE WILL NOT CLOSE THE DOOR ON AMERICAN TROOP INCREASES IN EUROPE, BUT MEANWHILE WILL SUGGEST ALTERNATIVE PROTECTIONS IN THE FORM OF EXPANSION OF THE TOTAL MILITARY POWER OF THE FREE WORLD, AND POSSIBLY A BOOST IN AMERICAN AIR POWER IN EUROPE.

ONE OF THE SIDE ISSUES ARISING OUT OF THE PARIS GOVERNMENT'S REQUEST IS WHETHER THE FRENCH PEOPLE HAVE LOST FAITH IN THE AMERICAN ATOMIC BOMB AS A DETERRENT OF RED AGGRESSION IN EUROPE.

SOME OFFICIALS THINK THERE IS EVIDENCE OF A TREND IN THAT DIRECTION. THEY SEE IT AS A TREND EMPHASIZED BY THE RED WILLINGNESS TO UNDERWRITE AGGRESSION IN KOREA, PLUS THE INITIAL SETBACKS OF THE OUTNUMBERED AMERICAN FORCES IN THAT MOUNTAIN STUDDED PENINSULA.

ONE EFFECT OF ALL THESE THINGS HAS BEEN TO STRESS THE TRICKY NATURE OF THE SHIFT FROM SLOW TO HIGH SPEED PREPAREDNESS, WITH OFFICIALS AND PLAIN CITIZENS ALIKE WONDERING HOW MUCH TIME THERE IS TO ACT.

THE QUESTION APPEARS TO SEEM ESPECIALLY ACUTE TO THE FRENCH. THEY ARE UNDER NO ILLUSIONS ABOUT THE SPEED WITH WHICH RUSSIA MIGHT OVERRUN WESTERN EUROPE, AND UNDERSTAND HOW LITTLE THE UNITED STATES COULD DO ABOUT IT AT THE START EXCEPT BOMB RUSSIA.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M. EST, TUESDAY, AUG.8)

(NY) (ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG.8-(AP)-THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE TODAY ANNOUNCED ADDITIONAL CASUALTIES IN THE KOREAN AREA, IN LIST NO.38. THEY INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING, ALL ARMY PERSONNEL:

--ARIZONA--

WOUNDED

PRIVATE JOHNNIE E.HILBISH, SON OF ELMER D.HILBISH, 804 WEST ASPEN, FLAGSTAFF.

--CALIFORNIA--
WOUNDED
PRIVATE BOBBY JUNIOR BLACK, SON OF MRS.BEATRICE BLACK, ROUTE 5, BOX 296, BAKERSFIELD.
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS RICHARD W.CUNNINGHAM, SON OF MRS.BERTHA L. CUNNINGHAM, 120 WEST 30TH ST., LOS ANGELES.
CORPORAL IGNACIO P.DIAZ, SON OF MRS.HILARIA PACHECO DIAZ, 10819 RALSTON ST., PACOIMA.
PRIVATE ALFRED M.DUSSEAU, SON OF MRS.MABLE E.HERNDON, 1313 7TH ST., SANTA MONICA.
PRIVATE EUFEMIO ROSADO, JR., SON OF MRS.AMELIA ROSADO, 145 SOUTH DACOTAH ST., LOS ANGELES.
PRIVATE VIRGIL C.SPIRES, SON OF MRS.DOROTHY M.SPIRES, BOX 263, ARLINGTON.
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS RODOLFO VARELA,, SON OF RALPH VARELA, 353 WEST AVENUE 26, LOS ANGELES.
INJURED
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS EDDIE L.SMITH, SON OF MRS.RUBY JEFFERSON, 129 SOTELLO ST., LOS ANGELES.
CORPORAL GEORGE J.WILSON, SON OF MRS.DELIA F.WILSON, 2107 35TH AVE., SAN FRANCISCO.
--COLORADO--
INJURED
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS EMILIO MEDINA, SON OF LOUIS MEDINA, 21 56 1/2 WELTON ST., DENVER.
--MONTANA--
WOUNDED
PRIVATE DONALD W.GOSSETT, SON OF FRANK N.GOSSETT, ROUTE 1, WORDEN.
CORPORAL RHINE LICH, SON OF MRS.CATHERINE LICH, 211 SOUTH 29TH STREET, BILLINGS.
--NEW MEXICO--
WOUNDED
PRIVATE WALLACE N.KANTEENA, NEPHEW OF MRS.LOUISE W.GAISTHIA, BOX 84, NEW LAGUNA.
--OKLAHOMA--
INJURED
PRIVATE LEROY L.JOHNSON, SON OF MRS.SEDONIA JOHNSON, 1125 EAST KENNEDY STREET, OKMULGEE.
MISSING IN ACTION
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS ROBERT A.STARK, SON OF MRS.ANNA J.STARK, 1204 NORTH WAYNDOTT, DEWEY.
--TEXAS--
WOUNDED
SECOND LIEUTENANT FORREST E.ASHER, HUSBAND OF MRS.BETTIE JEAN ASHER, 2301 BOULEVARD, TEXARKANA.
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS EUGENE A.LATSCHA, SON OF MRS.GENEVA LATSCHA, 3901 TULAROSA ST., EL PASO.
SERGEANT FIRST CLASS JOSE LOPEZ, JR., HUSBAND OF MRS.JUSTINA A. LOPEZ, 118 CALLES ST., SAN ANTONIO.
SECOND LIEUTENANT ALONZO O.C. SARGENT, SON OK MCS.SENORA SARGENT,,210 WEST GRAY ST., HOSTON.
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS LEROY WHITT, SON OF RAYMOND O.WHITT, GENERAL DELIVERY, BAIRD.

--UTAH--
WOUNDED
PRIVATE O'NEILL BENSON RICHARDSON, SON OF MRS.AMYMGRACE RICHARDSON, 2153 JACKSON AVENUE, OGDEN.O
--WASHINGTON--
WOUNED

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS RAYMOND MITCHELL, SON OF MRS.LULA P.MARTZINGER, ASOTIN.
PRIVATE FRED H.SWEREN, SON OF MRS.MARY SWEREN, 343 COLORADO ST., LONGVIEW.
INJURED
SERGEANT ALLEN T.LONG, HUSBAND OF MRS.ROWENA LONG, 910 SOUTH 6TH ST., YAKIMA.
SECOND LIEUTENANT DEAN J.SCHMITT, HUSBAND OF MRS.D.J.SCHMITT, 906 BATES, OLYMPIA.
--WYOMING--
INJURED
FIRST LIEUTENANT ROBERT B.GRAHAM, HUSBAND OF MRS.BEATRICE N. GRAHAM, RESIDING IN FAR EAST COMMAND., SON OF OWEN C.GRAHAM, CHEYENNE.
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FRENCH SHIPS
BY C.YATES MCDANIEL
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY TUESDAY AUG. 8)
(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,AUG.8-(AP)-FRANCE WILL GET ITS FIRST TWO U.S. WARSHIPS UNDER THE FOREIGN MILITARY AID PROGRAM AUGUST 12 AT PHILADELPHIA.
THE TWO VESSELS ARE THE 1,240-TON DESTROYER ESCORTS SAMUEL F. MILLS AND RIDDLE, BOTH IN SERVICE IN WORLD WAR II.
FRENCH AMBASSADOR HENRI BONNET WILL ACCEPT THE SHIPS FROM REAR ADMIRAL R.E.SCHUIRMANN, COMMANDANT OF THE FOURTH NAVAL DISTRICT.
IN ANNOUNCING THE TRANSFER TODAY THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SAID THE SHIPS WILL BE RENAMED THE ARABE AND KABYLE.
FRANCE IS THE SECOND COUNTRY TO GET WARSHIPS FROM THE UNITED STATES UNDER THE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM. TWO DESTROYER ESCORTS WERE TRANSFERRED TO THE NETHERLANDS ON JUNE 1. EIGHT MORE SHIPS OF THE SAME CLASS ARE NOW BEING READIED IN AMERICAN SHIPYARDS FOR EARLY DELIVERY TO WESTERN EUROPEAN ALLIES.
INDOCHINA HAS RECEIVED SIX SUPPORT LANDING SHIPS AND EIGHT C-47 TRANSPORT AIRPLANES FROM THIS COUNTRY.
TURKEY WILL TAKE DELIVERY OF A SUBMARINE RESCUE SHIP ON AUGUST 15. TWO SUBMARINES NOW BEING REFITTED BY THE NAVY ALSO ARE EXPECTED TO GO TO TURKEY.
BURMAN IS EXPECTED TO GET A NUMBER OF SMALL PATROL CRAFT IN THE NEAR FUTURE.
THE TEMPO OF ARMS AID TO THE SMALLER NATIONS OF SOUTHEAST ASIA IS LIKELY TO BE STEPPED UP SOON, DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS INDICATED, FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF THE PRELIMINARY REPORT OF THE U.S. SURVEY MISSION NOW IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.
NO IMMEDIATE INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE HERE AS TO THE SPECIFIC RECOMMENDATIONS IN THE REPORT, BUT DEFENSE OFFICIALS SAID THAT THE VIETNAM ARMY OF INDOCHINA NEEDS SMALL ARMS, LIGHT ARTILLERY AND SOME HEAVIER WEAPONS. NEEDS OF THE FORMER FRENCH COLONIAL STATE ARE BEING CONSIDERED IN ADDITION TO REQUIREMENTS OF THE FRENCH ARMY NOW OPPOSING COMMUNIST LED REBELS IN INDOCHINA.
FRANCE HAS ALREADY RECIVED ABOUT 100 U.S. NAVY AIRPLANES. THEY WERE FERRIED ACROSS THE ATLANTIC BY THE FRENCH ESCORT CARRIER DIXMUDE. THIS SHIP IS EXPECTED TO MAKE AT LEAST ONE MORE FERRYING TRIP BEFORE THE END OF THE SUMMER.
GREAT BRITAIN HAS TAKEN DELIVERY OF A SUBSTANTIAL NUMBER OF B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES IN THE LAST FEW MONTHS. THE TOTAL NUMBER OF THESE BOMBERS TO BE GIVEN THE UNITED KINGDOM HAS NOT BEEN ANNOUNCED BUT

IT IS GENERALLY UNDERSTOOD HERE THAT IT WILL RUN TO ABOUT 70 SUPERFORTRESSES.

ALTHOUGH DEFENSE OFFICIALS HAVE DECLINED TO GIVE OUT THE EXACT NUMBER OF GUNS, TANKS AND OTHER HEAVY GROUND EQUIPMENT INCLUDED IN THE CURRENT ARMS AID PROGRAM, SPOKESMEN SAID TODAY THAT THE MOVEMENT OF ARMAMENT FROM THE UNITED STATES TO WESTERN EUROPE IS PROCEEDING STEADILY.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY SIGNED A $350,000,000 (M) NAVY SHIPBUILDING BILL, WHICH INCLUDES AUTHORITY TO BUILD THIS COUNTRY'S FIRST ATOMIC-POWERED SUBMARINE.

THE ACT ALSO AUTHORIZES THE BUILDING OF RADICALLY NEW SMALL COMBAT CRAFT, INCLUDING SEVERAL EXPERIMENTAL TYPE SUBMARINES, AS WELL AS THE CONVERSION OF A CRUISER INTO A GUIDED MISSILE VESSEL.

ALL TOLD THE BILL CALLS FOR CONSTRUCTION, MODERNIZATION OR CONVERSION OF 112 VESSELS OF DIFFERENT TYPES.

THE OBJECTIVE IS TO STRENGTHEN THE NAVY'S ANTI-SUBMARINE STRIKING POWER, AND IN THE CASE OF NEW-TYPE MINE-SWEEPERS TO IMPROVE PROTECTION OF HARBORS AND COASTLINES.

ABOUT $130,000,000 (M) WILL GO INTO NEW CONSTRUCTION. THE SUM OF $40,000,000 WILL BE USED FOR THE ATTEMPT TO BUILD A 2500-TON ATOMIC SUBMARINE AND $37,000,000 FOR ANOTHER HIGHLY SECRET SUBMARINE.

THE BALANCE OF THE FUNDS WOULD GO INTO RECONVERSION, INCLUDING MODERNIZATION OF 11 SUBMARINES WITH THE UNDERWATER 'SNORKEL' BREATHING DEVICE.

MEANTIME IT WAS REPORTED THAT OVERTIME WORK OR EXTRA SHIFTS MAY BE ORDERED TO RUSH COMPLETION OF THE NATION'S $85,000,000 (M) RADAR WARNING SYSTEM.

A SPECIAL HOUSE ARMED SERVICES "EXPEDITING" SUBCOMMITTEE MET BEHIND CLOSED DOORS WITH AIR FORCE EXPERTS TO DISCUSS PROGRESS BEING MADE.

THIS SYSTEM, WHICH THE AIR FORCE SAYS IS HALF FINISHED, SET UP PERMANENT RADAR WARNING STATIONS IN ALASKA, ALONG THE UNITED STATES COAST LINES AND IN OTHER STRATEGIC LOCATIONS IN THE COUNTRY.

AN EMERGENCY SYSTEM, USING WORLD WAR II EQUIPMENT, IS NOW OPERATING "ROUND-THE-CLOCK," THE AIR FORCE SAID. PRIOR TO THE OUTBREAK OF WAR IN KOREA IT WAS MANNED ONLY ABOUT 40 HOURS A [redacted] week.

CONGRESS AUTHORIZED THE PERMANENT SYSTEM LAST YEAR, AND APPROPRIATED $54,348,000 TO GET IT STARTED. A FEW WEEKS AGO THE AIR FORCE ASKED FOR AN ADDITIONAL $31,152,000 TO SPEED THE WORK ALONG.

ALL BUT ONE OF THE SITES, WHICH GENERALLY ARE LOCATED HIGH IN MOUNTAINS, HAVE BEEN SELECTED, IT IS UNDERSTOOD. THE BUILDINGS, HOUSING THE VALUABLE EQUIPMENT, WILL BE CLOSELY GUARDED.

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(500) MARINES

WASHINGTON, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE MARINE CORPS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT ITS CALL-UP OF VOLUNTEER RESERVES WILL BE PACED TO MEET EXPANSION REQUIREMENTS.

A MARINE CORPS STATEMENT ISSUED TODAY SAID THAT RESERVISTS TO RECEIV ORDERS TO REPORT BETWEEN AUGUST 15 AND OCTOBER 31 WILL BE MAINLY OFFICERS OF CAPTAIN'S RANK AND BELOW AND ENLISTED MEN OF SERGEANT'S GRADE AND BELOW, WITH COMBAT TYPE SPECIALTIES.

THE STATEMENT WAS DESCRIBED AS "AN AMPLIFICATION" OF YESTERDAY'S ANNOUNCEMENT ON CALLING UP RESERVES. IT SAID THE "VERY FEW SENIOR OFFICERS AND SENIOR ENLISTED MEN" WILL BE CALLED IN THE FIRST PHASE.

ONLY A FEW WOMEN MARINES WILL BE SUMMONED TO ACTIVE DUTY INITIALLY, THE CORPS STATED. THEY WILL BE CALLED AS REQUIRED TO MEET THE GENERAL EXPANSION OF THE CORPS AND TO RELEASE MALES FOR THE OPERATING FORCES.

THE CORPS SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE RESULTS OBTAINED FROM THE FIRST CALL FOR 50,000 VOLUNTEER RESERVISTS WOULD GOVERN, TO AN EXTENT, THE MOBILIZATION SCHEDULE FOR THE APPROXIMATELY 30,000 REMAINING RESERVISTS.

"WE DON'T KNOW HOW MANY MEN WE WILL ACTUALLY GET ON THIS FIRST CALL," A SPOKESMAN SAID, "BUT WE NEED 50,000." HE ADDED THAT THE CALL TO ACTIVE DUTY WOULD EVENTUALLY GO TO ALL OF THE VOLUNTEER RESERVES.

MARINE RESERVISTS CALLED UP WILL SERVE FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD, THE SPOKESMAN ADDED. "THERE IS NO TIME LIMIT ON THEIR TERMS OF ACTIVE DUTY," THE SPOKESMAN STATED.

VOLUNTEER RESERVISTS ANSWERING THE ACTIVE DUTY CALL WILL BE GIVEN A MINIMUM OF 10 DAYS TO SETTLE THEIR PRIVATE AFFAIRS. THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS WILL BE GIVEN AS MUCH DELAY AS MILITARY REQUIREMENTS PERMIT.

THE CORPS SAID THAT FURTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS WOULD BE MADE ABOUT MOBILIZING ITS VOLUNTEER RESERVE AS THE "CALL-UP MACHINERY GETS INTO ACTION."

THE COAST GUARD ALSO IS TRYING TO BUILD UP ITS RESERVE, BUT OFFICERS CHANGED THE CAMPAIGN TUNE TODAY.

YESTERDAY IT APPEALED TO ITS MEN AND WOMEN OF THE LAST WAR--OFFICERS AND ENLISTED PERSONNEL--TO JOIN ITS REVIVED RESERVE. OFFICERS SAID THE FORMER GUARDSMEN WOULD GO INTO A VOLUNTEER RESERVE AND COULD NOT BE CALLED TO FULL ACTIVE DUTY WITHOUT THEIR CONSENT.

TODAY OFFICIALS SAID IF COAST GUARD VETERANS DO RE-ENLIST IN THE RESERVE THEY CAN BE CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY WHETHER THEY AGREE OR NOT. BUT THERE IS NO LAW THAT SAYS THEY HAVE TO JOIN THE RESERVES--THAT PART STILL IS PURELY VOLUNTARY.

IF THEY DO GO IN, GUARD OFFICERS SAID, ENLISTMENTS WILL BE FOR INACTIVE DUTY AT FIRST. LATER, UNITS WILL BE ORGANIZED FOR TRAINING WITH PAY.

RESERVE TRAINING SO FAR HAS BEEN ON A VOLUNTARY BASIS. BUT NOW THE GUARD HAS SOME MONEY FROM CONGRESS THAT FOR THE FIRST TIME WILL LET IT PAY RESERVES FOR TRAINING PERIODS.

COAST GUARD RESERVES WILL GET THE SAME BENEFITS, LIKE PENSIONS, THAT ARMY AND NAVY RESERVES RECEIVE.

IN ORDER TO RE-ENLIST IN THE RESERVE, FORMER GUARDSMEN MUST HOLD HONORABLE DISCHARGES AND BE 17 TO 45 YEARS OLD. THEY CAN COME BACK IN AT THE SAME, OR COMPARABLE, RATINGS THEY ORIGINALLY HELD.

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(375) NIGHT LEAD MILITARY MANPOWER

WASHINGTON, AUG.8-(AP)-THE FIRST OF THE 80,000 MARINE VOLUNTEER RESERVES TO BE CALLED UP, THE MARINES SAID TODAY, WILL BE THOSE WHO HAVE COMBAT SPECIALITIES.

THE EMPHASIS WILL BE ON OFFICERS OF CAPTAIN'S RANK AND BELOW, AND ENLISTED MEN OF SERGEANT'S GRADE AND BELOW.

THE MARINE CALLED TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENT "AN AMPLIFICATION" OF THE STATEMENT ISSUED YESTERDAY: THAT 50,000 WILL BE CALLED UP BETWEEN AUG. 15 AND OCT. 31, AND THE OTHER 30,000 WILL BE MOBILIZED LATER.

ACTUALLY, THE MARINES SAID TODAY, THEY AREN'T SURE THE FIRST GO-AROUND WILL BRING IN THE FULL 50,000 THEY WANT. THEY DID NOT SAY HOW SOON THEY EXPECT THE REMAINING 30,000 TO BE CALLED.

A MARINE SPOKESMAN SAID NO TIME LIMIT HAS BEEN SET ON THE PERIOD THE RESERVISTS MUST SERVE.

ONLY A FEW WOMEN WILL BE MOBILIZED AT FIRST, HE SAID, BUT MORE WILL BE BROUGHT IN LATER TO ENABLE THE MEN TO GO INTO THE OPERATING FORCES.

OTHER MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS:

1. IN CALLING UP INDIVIDUAL RESERVES, THE ARMY STILL HAS THIS POLICY: TAKE THOSE WHO HAVE NO DEPENDENTS FIRST.

BUT IT WAS LEARNED TODAY THAT IT'S HAVING DIFFICULTY FOLLOWING THAT POLICY BECAUSE ONLY A COMPARATIVELY FEW RESERVISTS HAVE NO DEPENDENTS.

THEREFORE, TO FILL OUT NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVE UNITS, AND TO PROVIDE KEY SPECIALISTS FOR EXPANSION OF THE REGULAR ARMY, THE ARMY IS STARTING TO CALL MEN REGARDLESS OF THE NUMBER OF THEIR DEPENDENTS.

2. THE NAVY HALTED VOLUNTARY RESIGNATION AND RETIREMENT OF COMMISSIONED OFFICERS WITH LESS THAN 30 YEARS SERVICE.

IT SAID ABOUT 1,700 OFFICERS WILL BE AFFECTED IN THE NEXT YEAR.

3. THE NAVY CONFIRMED EARLIER ORDERS "FREEZING" NAVAL RESERVE COMMISSIONS. IT SAID THESE WOULD REMAIN IN EFFECT UNTIL IT IS LEARNED WHETHER THE SERVICES OF THE INDIVIDUAL ARE REQUIRED IN THIS EMERGENCY.

4. THE COAST GUARD ANNOUNCED THAT IT HAD BEEN WRONG IN A STATEMENT GIVEN OUT YESTERDAY.

IT SAID THEN THAT ANYONE COMING INTO ITS VOLUNTEER RESERVE WOULD NOT BE CALLED TO DUTY WITHOUT HIS CONSENT.

TODAEY IT SAID THAT ISN'T SO, THAT IF FORMER COAST GUARDSMEN DO RE-ENLIST IN THE RESERVES THEY CAN BE CALLED UP, WHETHER THEY CONSENT OR NOT.

BUT THE COAST GUARD ALSO HAD A CHEERFUL WORD. IT HAS MONEY FROM CONGRESS, IT SAID, AND NOW FOR THE FIRST TIME IT WILL PAY RESERVES FOR TRAINING PERIODS.

FURTHERMORE, COAST GUARD RESERVES WILL GET THE SAME BENEFITS, SUCH AS PENSIONS, THAT ARMY AND NAVY RESERVES RECEIVE.

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A15WX
(380) PMS BUDGET
MILITARY

BY JOSEPH C.GOODWIN

WASHINGTON,AUG.8-(AP)-THE FIGHTING MARINES ARE DIGGING DEEP INTO THEIR EXISTING MANPOWER RESOURCES AND MAY CALL SOON FOR AUTHORITY TO EXPAND.

THE CORPS ANNOUNCED PLANS YESTERDAY TO CALL UP ALL THEIR 80,000 VOLUNTEER RESERVES. THIS WILL GIVE THEM AN ACTIVE STRENGTH OF 200,000--AND MOBILIZATION DOWN TO JUST ABOUT AS FAR AS THEY CAN GO NOW.

HOWEVER, CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICE COMMITTEE SAID SUNDAY HE EXPECTS A REQUEST FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT IN JANUARY FOR ANOTHER MILITARY APPROPRIATION INCLUDING $500,000,000 TO INCREASE MARINE CORPS STRENGTH.

AND REP.MANSFIELD (D-MONT) TOLD THE HOUSE YESTERDAY THAT THE CORPS SHOULD BE KEPT PERMANENTLY AT A MINIMUM OF 300,000 MEN.

"THE ATTEMPTS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE TO WHITTLE THE CORPS DOWN TO A GUARD OUTFIT, THROUGH APPROPRIATIONS, MUST BE STOPPED ONCE AND FOR ALL," MANSFIELD SAID.

THE FIRST 50,000 OF THE MARINE VOLUNTEER RESERVES ARE TO BE ORDERED TO ACTIVE DUTY BETWEEN AUG. 15 AND OCT. 31. NO MOBILIZATION DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR THE REMAINING 30,000.

ORGANIZED GROUND RESERVE UNITS ALREADY HAVE BEEN SUMMONED TO ACTIVE DUTY. SOME AIR RESERVE UNITS WENT ON ACTIVE DUTY ABOUT THREE WEEKS AGO AND ADDITIONAL UNITS ARE TO BE CALLED UP.

SOME WOMEN RESERVES ALSO ARE TO BE CALLED BUT THE MARINES AREN'T SURE HOW MANY.

THERE ARE 72.000 MARINE REGULARS. 44.000 IN THE ORGANIZED GROUND RESERVE, 7,000 ORGANIZED RESERVE AIR UNITS AND 80,000 VOLUNTEER RESERVES.

THE VOLUNTEER RESERVIST IS NOT TRAINED NOR PAID UNTIL CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY. THE ORGANIZED RESERVIST TRAINS REGULARLY AND IS PAID.

THERE WERE THESE OTHER MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS:

1. THE COAST GUARD SAID IT IS TRYING TO RE-ENLIST FORMER GUARDSMEN AND RESERVISTS, BETWEEN THE AGES OF 17 AND 45, IN THE VOLUNTEER RESERVES. THESE CAN NOT BE CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY WITHOUT THEIR CONSENT, THE COAST GUARD SAID.

2. GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, GAVE A HOUSE MILITARY SUBCOMMITTEE A PROGRESS REPORT ON THE ARMY'S TANK PROGRAM. THE SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, REP.PHILBIN (D-MASS), REFUSED TO COMMENT ON WHAT COLLINS SAID.

3. PRESIDENT TRUMAN GOT A 30-MINUTE BRIEFING FROM THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF ON THE MILITARY SITUATION. NORMALLY MR.TRUMAN CALLS ONLY ON GEN.OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS, FOR HIS FILL-IN ON DEVELOPMENTS.

4. SENATOR BYRD (D-VA) SAID HE UNDERSTANDS THAT "'TAGGERING FURTHER INCREASE" IN DEFENSE SPENDING HAS BEEN PLANNED. HE CALLED ON MR.TRUMAN TO LET CONGRESS IN ON WHAT HE HAS IN MIND.

5. THE NAVY TODAY HALTSD THE VOLUNTARY RESIGNATION AND RETIREMENTS OF COMMISSIONED OFFICERS WITH LESS THAN 30 YEARS SERVICE. UNDER THIS POLICY, DESCRIBED AS TEMPORARY, AN ESTIMATED 1700 OFFICERS WOULD BE AFFECTED IN THE NEXT 12 MONTHS.

THE NAVY ALSO CONFIRMED EARLIER ORDERS "FREEZING" NAVAL RESERVE COMMISSIONS. IT SAID THAT ALL REQUESTS FOR RESIGNATION BY BOTH ACTIVE AND INACTIVE RESERVE OFFICERS WILL BE HELD IN ABEYANCE UNLESS IT IS FOUND THAT THE SERVICES OF AN INDIVIDUAL ARE NOT REQUIRED IN THE PRESENT EMERGENCY.

THE NAVY SAID THIS POLICY WILL AFFECT ALL WOMEN RESERVE OFFICERS INCLUDING NURSES.

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A106WX (FAMILY PLAN)
MILITARY ALLOTMENTS (200)

WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-A HOUSE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE TODAY ASKED THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT TO SUBMIT A NEW FAMILY ALLOTMENT BILL AIMED AT HELPING CONGRESS HOLD DOWN COSTS DURING THE PRESENT LIMITED MOBILIZATION.

CHAIRMAN BROOKS (D-LA) STRESSED THAT THE SUBCOMMITTEE HAD REACHED NO DECISION ON THE QUESTION OF ALLOWANCES.

HE SAID THE NEW LEGISLATION ASKED OF THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT WOULD BE BASED ON RAISING THE AMOUNT FOR QUARTERS AND A MORE LENIENT INTERPRETATION OF "HARDSHIP" CASES.

BROOKS SAID THE COMMITTEE MEMBERS HAD VARYING OPINIONS ON HOW FAMILY ALLOTMENTS SHOULD BE WORKED OUT. ANOTHER BILL UNDER CONSIDERATION IS VERY SIMILAR IN PRINCIPLE TO THE FAMILY ALLOTMENTS ACT OF WORLD WAR II. THIS WOULD PROVIDE AID TO MEN CALLED INTO SERVICE BASED ON THEIR NUMBER OF DEPENDENTS.

THE COST OF THIS BILL WOULD BE VERY HIGH, BROOKS TOLD REPORTERS. HE SAID THE COMMITTEE FAVORS FAMILY ALLOTMENTS BUT WANTS TO HOLD DOWN COSTS DURING THE "LIMITED MOBILIZATION."

HE SAID THE COMMITTEE WANTED THE TWO TYPES OF LEGISLATION.

UNDER THE PRESENT LAW ENLISTED MEN IN THE THREE HIGHEST GRADES GET $45 QUARTERS ALLOWANCE WITH ONE DEPENDENT OR $67.50 WITH WIFE AND CHILDREN. THE THREE LOWER GRADES--PRIVATE, PRIVATE FIRST CLASS, AND CORPORATE--DO NOT GET THE ALLOWANCE.

IT WAS LEARNED THE SUBCOMMITTEE DISCUSSED RAISING THE QUARTERS ALLOWANCE TO $75 FOR MARRIED MEN WITH CHILDREN.

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A11WX (RESERVES)
RESERVES (180)
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-THE ARMY IS HAVING TROUBLE WITH ITS POLICY OF ASSIGNING PRIORITY TO MEN WITH NO DEPENDENTS IN CALLING UP INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.

WHILE THERE HAS BEEN NO OFFICIAL CHANGE OF THE OVERALL POLICY ANNOUNCED ONLY LAST FRIDAY, INDIVIDUAL ARMY AREA COMMANDERS ARE DISCOVERING THEY MUST SET ASIDE THE PRIORITY PROGRAM AND BRING IN RESERVISTS PURELY ON THE BASIS OF REQUIREMENTS.

THE DIFFICULTY IS THAT ONLY A SMALL PERCENTAGE OF RESERVISTS FALL IN THE NO-DEPENDENT CATEGORY. TO FILL OUT NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVE UNITS AND PROVIDE KEY SPECIALISTS FOR EXPANSION OF THE REGULAR ARMY, THE ARMY IS BEGINNING TO CALL IN MEN REGARDLESS OF THEIR DEPENDENCY STATUS.

IN ANNOUNCING LAST WEEK ITS INTENTION TO SUMMON 62,000 INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS DURING SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, THE ARMY HAD SAID THAT:

"PRIORITY WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE NUMBER OF DEPENDENTS OF THE INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS. THOSE WITH NO DEPENDENTS WILL BE CALLED UP FIRST, THOSE WITH ONE DEPENDENT, SECOND, AND THOSE WITH MORE THAN ONE DEPENDENT, LAST."

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B8WX (ALSO ADD [redacted])
(280) SULLIVANS
WASHINGTON, AUG8-(AP)-THE ONLY PARENTS WHO LOST FIVE SONS IN WORLD WAR II NOW ARE GETTING THE $4,200 ANNUAL GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS THEY DIDN' KNOW THEY WERE ENTITLED TO.

SENATOR GILLETTE (D-IA) SAID TODAY THE PAYMENTS ARE BEING MADE TO MR. AND MRS. THOMAS F.SULLIVAN OF WATERLOO, IA. THEIR FIVE SONS DIED TOGETHER NOVEMBER 13, 1942, WHEN THE U.S.S. JUNEAU WAS TORPEDOED.

GILLETTE TOLD A REPORTER HE DISCOVERED BY A COINCIDENCE THAT THE PARENTS WERE NOT RECEIVING DEPENDENCY BENEFITS DUE THEM FOR THE BOYS. THE SENATOR FOUND OUT ABOUT IT IN PUSHING A CLAIM BASED ON AN INJURY TO THEIR ONLY SURVIVING CHILD, A DAUGHTER WHO JOINED THE WAVES, NAVY WOMEN'S SERVICE.

THE DAUGHTER, MRS.GENEVIEVE M.DONALDSON OF WATERLOO, WAS PERMANENTLY INJURED, THE SENATOR SAID, WHILE ON A TREASURY BOND SELLING TOUR WITH HER PARENTS. THEY WERE IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT BUT ONLY THE DAUGHTER, THEN IN THE WAVES, WAS INJURED.

GILLETTE SAID HE WAS PUSHING THE DAUGHTER'S CLAIM FOR DISABILITY BENEFITS FOR THE SULLIVANS WHEN HE LEARNED THEY WERE RECEIVING ONLY $65 A MONTH INSURANCE FROM DEATH OF THEIR FIVE SONS.

THE FIVE SULLIVAN BOYS HAD TAKEN OUT ONLY A SMALL AMOUNT OF GOVERNMENT INSURANCE, THE SENATOR SAID, ALTHOUGH EACH COULD HAVE CARRIED $10,000 OR A TOTAL OF $50,000.

A CHECK SHOWED THE PARENTS WERE ENTITLED TO $350 A MONTH MORE, EFFECTIVE BACK TO APRIL. THE DECISION WAS MADE BY THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION OFFICE IN ST.PAUL, MINN.

(UNDER THE LAW, DEATH COMPENSATION IS PAID ONLY IF APPLICATION IS MADE FOR IT. IN THE CASE OF PARENTS, DEPENDENCY MUST BE PROVED. A WIDOW RECEIVES DEATH COMPENSATION WHETHER DEPENDENT OR NOT).

THE FATHER IS A RETIRED RAILROAD WORKER, GILLETTE SAID, AND NOW RECEIVES $35 MONTHLY EACH FOR THE DEATH OF HIS FIVE SONS OR A TOTAL OF $175. AN IDENTICAL AMOUNT WAS AWARDED TO THE MOTHER.

GILLETTE SAID GOVERNMENT RECORDS INDICATE THAT THE SULLIVAN FAMILY IS THE ONLY ONE EVER TO LOSE FIVE SONS AT ONCE IN COMBAT.

THE IOWA SENATOR IS SPONSORING A BILL TO ESTABLISH A NATIONAL MEMORIAL TO THE FIVE SULLIVAN BROTHERS, ALL OF WHOM SERVED IN THE NAVY.

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B65WX (140)
(NY RELAY SOUTH)
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-FOUR U.S. AIR FORCE OFFICERS WERE DECORATED BY THE BRAZILIAN GOVERNMENT TODAY FOR THEIR COOPERATION WITH THE BRAZILIAN ARMED FORCES DURING THE LAST WAR.

BRAZILIAN AMBASSADOR MAURICIO NABUCO DECORATED THE MEN IN A CEREMONY AT THE EMBASSY HERE. THE DECORATION - THE ORDER OF MERIT - CONSISTS OF A DIPLOMA AND MEDAL.

COL.FRED M.DEAN OF ST.PETERSBURG, FLA., AND MAJ.BRUCE BAUMGARDNER OF LE GRANDE, IOWA, WERE GRANTED THE ORDER IN THE RANK OF COMENDADOR.

LT.WILLIAM EMERSON FINE OF MISSION, TEXAS, AND CAPT.JOSEPH MACFARLAND OF PUEBLO, COLO., RECEIVED IT IN THE RANK OF CAVALLIERO. MACFARLAND WAS NOT PRESENT AT THE CEREMONY.

DEAN SERVED WITH THE JOINT BRAZIL-UNITED STATES MILITARY COMMISSION DURING THE WAR. HE NOW IS ASSIGNED TO THE OPERATIONS AIR STAFF AT THE PENTAGON HERE.

BAUMGARDNER WAS STATIONED IN MATTO GROSSO, BRAZIL, FOR A TIME AND HELPED TRAIN BRAZILIAN FIGHTER PILOTS WHO FOUGHT IN ITALY WITH THE ALLIED FORCES.

FINE WAS IN BRAZIL FOR THREE YEARS AS LIAISON WEATHER OFFICER TO THE BRAZILIAN AIR FORCE. MACFARLAND SERVED WITH THE JOINT COMMISSION AND WAS STATIONED FOR A TIME IN SAO PAULO.

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B63WX
(120) AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT TODAY PRESENTED THE CROIX DE GUERRE WITH PALMS TO 293 FORMER OFFICERS OF THE 15TH AIR FORCE FOR THEIR HELP IN LIBERATING SOUTHERN FRANCE IN WORLD WAR TWO.

BRIG.GEN.JACQUES LOUIS MURTIN, FRENCH AIR ATTACHE, MADE THE PRESENTATION IN A CEREMONY AT THE FRENCH EMBASSY. THIRTY-SIX OF THE AMERICAN OFFICERS WERE PRESENT TO RECEIVE THE DECORATION. AMONG THEM WERE:

LT.GEN.NATHAN F.TWINING, FORMER COMMANDER OF THE 15TH AIR FORCE, NOW HEAD OF THE AIR FORCE'S ALASKA COMMAND WITH HEADQUARTERS AT S[redacted], [redacted] ANCHORAGE.

MAJ.GEN.CHARLES W.LAWRENCE, LACKLAND AIR FORCE BASE, TEX.

MAJ.GEN.HUGO P.RUSH, HAMILTON AIR FORCE BASE, CALIF.

BRIG.GEN.GEORGE H.BEVERLEY, RETIRED, 307 RIDGEMONT AVE., SAN ANTONIO, TEX.

COL.SALVATORE E.MANZO, OFFUT AIR FORCE BASE, NEBR.

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B17WX (290)
BY G.MILTON KELLY
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON,AUG.8-(AP)-REP.ELSTON (R-OHIO) TODAY ACCUSED THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HAVING BLOCKED WITH "EVASIVE AND INCONCLUSIVE REPLIES" HIS EFFORTS TO "SMOKE OUT THE STORY BEHIND OUR BERLIN FIASCO.

ELSTON ON JUNE 16 DEMANDED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT TELL HIM WHO GUIDED UNITED STATES POLICY-MAKERS IN ALLOWING RUSSIA TO CONTROL ALL LAND APPROACHES TO THE AMERICAN ZONE OF BERLIN.

HE TOLD A REPORTER, "I HAVE JUST GOT THE REPLY, AND IT'S NO ANSWER AT ALL. THE STATE DEPARTMENT WROTE ME A LETTER THAT WAS EVASIVE AND INCONCLUSIVE, SUPPLIED ME WITH SOME DOCUMENTS THAT GIVE ONLY A SKETCHY ACCOUNT OF WHAT HAPPENED, AND MARKED THE WHOLE THING 'RESTRICTED'--THUS STAMPING IT AS SECRET INFORMATION THAT I AM

BOUND NOT TO DISCLOSE TO ANYBODY.
"EVEN THE LETTER WITH WHICH THE DOCUMENTS WERE ENCLOSED WAS MARKED 'RESTRICTED.' THAT IS SOMETHING NOVEL IN MY EXPERIENCE.
"IT'S QUITE EVIDENT THE DEPARTMENT DOES NOT INTEND THAT THE PUBLIC SHOULD BE ADVISED OF THE INCIDENTS THAT LED TO THE PARTITIONING OF BERLIN, AND THE COSTLY BLUNDER THAT MAKES THE AMERICAN SECTION OF BERLIN A LITTLE ISLAND SHUT OFF FROM WESTERN GERMANY.
"OF COURSE I AM REPLYING THAT THE INFORMATION IS NOT WHAT I REQUESTED."
ELSTON HAD REQUESTED A LIST OF ALL THE ADVISERS WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE BERLIN PARTITIONING DISCUSSIONS, EXPLAINING HE WAS CURIOUS WHETHER ANY OF THESE PERSONS OR THEIR FRIENDS STILL IS INVOLVED IN POLICY MAKING.
"I CAN'T DISCLOSE WHAT THE LETTER SAID, BUT I CAN SAY THAT IT DIDN'T GIVE ME THE REQUESTED NAMES," HE DECLARED.
"NEITHER DID I GET REQUESTED INFORMATION CONCERNING THE STORY THAT BRITISH AND AMERICAN TROOPS WERE REQUIRED TO SLOW THEIR WORLD WAR II VICTORY DRIVE ON BERLIN SO THAT THEY WOULD NOT GET TO BERLIN AHEAD OF THE RUSSIANS."

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B15WX
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-REP.LATHAM (R-NY), WORLD WAR II NAVAL VETERAN, IS ON ACTIVE RESERVE DUTY AS A LIEUTENANT COMMANDER IN THE PACIFIC, HIS OFFICE SAID TODAY. HE EXPECTS TO BE ON TEMPORARY DUTY FOR TWO WEEKS OR A LITTLE LONGER.
HIS OFFICE SAID LATHAM WAS CONVINCED THAT "THE BEST WAY TO FIND OUT WHAT WAS GOING ON IN THE KOREAN FIGHT WAS TO GET INTO IT."
LATHAM WAS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE AT PEARL HARBOR TODAY AFTER LEAVING LA GUARDIA FIELD,N.Y., SUNDAY FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
HE IS SERVING HIS THIRD TERM IN CONGRESS. HE LEARNED OF HIS FIRST ELECTION WHEN HE PICKED UP A NEWSPAPER IN HAWAII AFTER ELECTION DAY IN 1944.
DURING THE LAST WAR LATHAM WAS NAVIGATOR ON AN ATTACK TRANSPORT AND LATER WAS SKIPPER OF TWO ANTI-SUBMARINE SHIPS. HE TOOK PART IN SEVERAL MAJOR PACIFIC ENGAGEMENTS.

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B16WX (440)
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-CHAIRMAN WAYNE COY OF THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION SAID TODAY HE FORESEES NO NEED FOR CURTAILMENT OF RADIO AND TELEVISION BROADCASTING IN A MILITARY EMERGENCY.
SHOULD THE NEED ARISE, COY ASSERTED HIS BELIEF THAT NOTHING BEYOND THE SELF-IMPOSED CONTROLS OF WORLD WAR 2 WOULD BE REQUIRED. HE SAID HE HAD NO PLANS FOR RECOMMENDING ANYTHING MORE STRINGENT THAN THOSE.
THE FCC CHAIRMAN MADE HIS STATEMENTS BEFORE A CLOSED MEETING OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BROADCASTERS BOARD OF DIRECTORS, WHICH LATER GAVE REPORTERS AN ABSTRACT OF HIS REMARKS.
IN THE LAST WAR, CONSTRUCTION OF NEW BROADCASTING STATIONS WAS FROZEN AND ALL OVERSEAS BROADCASTING WAS SUBJECTED TO STRICT GOVERNMENT SUPERVISION, BUT DOMESTIC RADIO CONTINUED ON A NEARLY-NORMAL BASIS, SUBJECT ONLY TO THE VOLUNTARY CENSORSHIP OF NEWS RELATING TO MILITARY MATTERS WHICH APPLIED ALSO TO NEWSPAPERS.
ON ORDERS FROM MILITARY DISTRICT COMMANDERS, BROADCASTING STATIONS WERE SOMETIMES REQUIRED TO GO OFF THE AIR DURING BLACKOUT PERIODS FOR AIR RAID PRACTICE.
COY'S ASSURANCES TO THE INDUSTRY APPARENTLY WERE INTENDED TO ANSWER UNOFFICIAL REPORTS THAT BROADCASTING MIGHT HAVE TO BE CUT DOWN IN ORDER TO AVOID THE USE OF RADIO STATION BEAMS FOR ENEMY GUIDED MISSILES OR OTHER AIR-DIRECTED ATTACK.
GILMORE N.NUNN, PRESIDENT OF THE NUNN STATIONS AT LEXINGTON,KY., ASKED COY THE DIRECT QUESTION IF HE WOULD BE INCLINED TO RECOMMEND ANY MORE STRINGENT CONTROLS IN ANY FORESEEABLE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CURRENT CRISIS.
THE NAB SAID COY REPLIED THAT HE SAW "NO NEEDS FOR CONTROLS BEYOND THOSE EMPLOYED IN THE LAST CONFLICT AND DID NOT PLAN TO RECOMMEND ANY MORE STRINGENT ONES."
THE NAB BOARD MEMBERS, LED BY ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT JUSTIN MILLER, CALLED AT THE WHITE HOUSE AFTER THEIR CLOSED SESSION TO ADVISE DR. JOHN R.STEELMAN, PRESIDENTIAL ADVISER, OF A RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE DIRECTORS PLEDGING THE ASSOCIATION TO ADOPT "ALL MEASURES NECESSARY TO INSURE THE NATIONAL SECURITY."
IT WAS ANNOUNCED AFTER THE BOARD MEETING THAT THE BROADCAST ADVERTISING BUREAU (CAPS) WHICH HAS LONG FUNCTIONED WITHIN NAB AS AN ADVERTISING SALES ORGANIZATION, WILL NEXT YEAR SPLIT OFF IN TO AN INDEPENDENT ORGANIZATION DEVOTED TO PROMOTING ADVERTISING ON AURAL RADIO. BAB SPOKESMEN, NOTING THE GROWING COMPETITION OF TELEVISION FOR BROADCASTING ADVERTISING, SAID THE BUREAU FELT THAT STANDARD AND FM RADIO REQUIRES A SPECIAL SALES EFFORT AT THIS TIME.
THE NAB BOARD ANNOUNCED THAT IF TELEVISION INTERESTS SHOULD FEEL IT NECESSARY TO HAVE A SPECIAL ADVERTISING SERVICE, THE ASSOCIATION "WILL CONSIDER SPECIAL PROMOTION" IN THIS FIELD.

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A38WX
AMS BUDGET (200)
NIGHT LEAD JOHNSON-ALASKA
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON SAID TODAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN AGREES WITH HIM THAT A HOUSING CONSTRUCTION STRIKE IN ALASKA IS "JEOPARDIZING THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES."
DETAILS OF THE STRIKE AS GIVEN BY JOHNSON TO REPORTERS DID NOT JIBE WITH INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM THE FEDERAL MEDIATION AND CONCILIATION SERVICE AND FROM THE OFFICE OF ALASKAN DELEGATE E.L.BARTLETT. JOHNSON DENOUNCED THE WORK STOPPAGE, HOWEVER, IN NO UNCERTAIN TERMS.
HE SAID THE STRIKE IS HOLDING BACK THE CONSTRUCTION OF DEFENSE HOUSING; THAT THE DEFENSE OF ALASKA IS DEPENDENT UPON EXPANSION OF HOUSING, AND THAT CONSEQUENTLY THE SECURITY OF THE WHOLE COUNTRY IS AFFECTED.
"I SAY THAT AFTER CONSULTING WITH THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES," JOHNSON TOLD REPORTERS AT THE WHITE HOUSE. A REPORTER ASKED WHETHER HE MEANT THAT THE PRESIDENT APPROVED HIS STATEMENT. "YES," SAID THE SECRETARY.
JOHNSON SAID THAT THE AFL STEAMFITTERS AND PLUMBERS UNION IS STRIKING AT DEFENSE HOUSING PROJECTS AT FAIRBANKS AND ANCHORAGE, SEEKING A RAISE OF $2.50 AN HOUR IN PAY, DOUBLE PAY FOR OVERTIME, AND ROOM AND BOARD OUTSIDE THE CITIES.
OFFICIALS OF THE CONCILIATION SERVICE SAID JOHNSON APPARENTLY WAS MISTAKEN ABOUT DETAILS OF THE LABOR TROUBLES.
THE CONCILIATION SERVICE SAID ONLY FOUR PROJECTS AT ANCHORAGE ARE CURRENTLY AFFECTED; THAT A DISPUTE AT FAIRBANKS HAD BEEN SETTLED. THE SERVICE SAID THE STRIKERS, WHO HAD BEEN GETTING $3 AN HOUR AND TIME AND A HALF FOR OVERTIME, WANT $3.50 AN HOUR AND DOUBLE TIME FOR EXTRA HOURS. ON JOBS OUTSIDE THE CITIES, WHERE THE WAGE HAS BEEN $2.50 AN HOUR PLUS ROOM AND BOARD, THEY SEEK $3 PLUS KEEP.

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BULLETIN
ALASKAN
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN JOINED WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON TODAY IN DENOUNCING A HOUSING CONSTRUCTION STRIKE IN ALASKA AS ONE THAT JEOPARDIZES "THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES."

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JOHNSON EMERGED FROM A WHITE HOUSE TALK WITH THE PRESIDENT TO SAY THAT THE STRIKE OF AFL STEAMFITTERS AND PLUMBERS ON DEFENSE HOUSING IN ALASKA IS "JEOPARDIZING THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES."

AND, HE ADDED, "I SAY THAT AFTER CONSULTING WITH THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES."

"THEN, THE PRESIDENT APPROVES YOUR STATEMENT?" A REPORTER ASKED.

"YES."

JOHNSON SAID THAT DEFENSE HOUSING PROJECTS IN FAIRBANKS AND ANCHORAGE PRIMARILY WERE AFFECTED.

HE SAID THE STEAMFITTERS AND PLUMBERS HAVE BEEN OUT SINCE JULY 26 AFTER DEMANDING A RAISE OF $2.50 AN HOUR IN PAY, PLUS DOUBLE PAY FOR OVERTIME AND ROOM AND BOARD OUTSIDE THE CITIES.

HE SAID THE PROJECTS WERE HELD UP RECENTLY BY A STRIKE OF CARPENTERS, BUT THAT THAT STRIKE WAS SETTLED.

THE FEDERAL MEDIATION AND CONCILIATION SERVICE SAID THAT SECRETARY JOHNSON EVIDENTLY WAS MISTAKEN ABOUT THE BASIC DEMANDS INVOLVED IN THE LABOR CONTROVERSY.

A CONCILIATION SERVICE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE STRIKING UNION IS DEMANDING A RAISE FROM ITS PRESENT $3.00 AN HOUR TO $3.50 AN HOUR AND DOUBLE TIME FOR OVERTIME, INSTEAD OF TIME AND A HALF AS AT PRESENT. THE UNION ALSO IS ASKING FOR ROOM AND BOARD FOR WORKERS ON JOBS OUTSIDE THE CITIES.

JOHNSON MADE HIS STATEMENT AFTER HIS REGULAR TUESDAY CALL ON THE PRESIDENT FOR A CONFERENCE IN WHICH HE WAS JOINED BY SECRETARY OF THE ARMY PACE.

HE SAID THAT THE "DEFENSE OF ALASKA IS DEPENDENT UPON EXPANDING OF THE HOUSING THERE AND THESE STRIKES IN ALASKA AGAINST DEFENSE HOUSING" ARE JEOPARDIZING THE VERY SECURITY OF THE WHOLE COUNTRY.

JOHNSON CARRIED TO HIS WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE A REPORT HE HAD RECEIVED FROM AN INVESTIGATIVE STAFF IN ANCHORAGE.

STEPHEN T.EARLY, DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF DEFENSE, SAID FEDERAL MEDIATION SERVICE OFFICIALS ARE IN ALASKA BUT HAVE BEEN UNABLE SO FAR TO HALT THE STRIKE.

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, AUG. 8-(AP)-STRIKING ANCHORAGE PLUMBERS HIT BACK TODAY AT DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON'S CHARGES THEIR STRIKE WAS "JEOPARDIZING" U. S. SECURITY.

THEY POSED THE QUESTION: WHEN IS A DEFENSE PROJECT NOT A DEFENSE PROJECT? THEN THEY GAVE THEIR OWN DEFINITION.

CLAYTON BILDERBACK, INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AFL PLUMBERS AND STEAMFITTERS UNION, LOCAL 367, PUT IT THIS WAY:

"FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE STRIKE, ALL PROJECTS ARE NOT DEFENSE PROJECTS. IF CORPS OF ENGINEERS MONEY IS USED IN CONXTRUCTION OF A HOUSING PROJECT, WE TERM THAT DEFENSE HOUSING. A JOB THAT INVOLVES DIRECT MILITARY AUTHORIZATION, PLANNING AND FUNDS, IS A DEFENSE PROJECT.

"IF GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND PRIVATE SPONORS DEVELOP HOUSING, AS IS BEING DONE BY THE FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION ON A LOAN BASIS, THEN WE DO NOT CONSIDER IT TO BE DEFENSE HOUSING IN THE STRIKE PICTURE."

PLUMBERS' BUSINESS AGENT SAM ODLE SAID:

"WE HAVEN'T PULLED ANYBODY OFF DEFENSE PROJECTS AND DON'T INTEND TO. FOUR ADDITIONAL PLUMBERS WERE DISPATCHED TO ONE MILITARY INSTALLATION YESTERDAY."

THE UNION HAS AGREED TO MAN HIGHLY IMPORTANT DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS AT $3 PER HOUR PENDING SETTLEMENT OF THE STRIKE, BUT INSISTS ON ITS OWN DEFINITION OF WHAT CONSTITUTES A DEFENSE PROJECT, ODLE SAID.

ABOUT 300 PLUMBERS ARE INVOLVED IN THE STRIKE, CALLED JULY 26 WHEN MASTER PLUMBERS REFUSED TO BOOST WAGES FROM $3 TO $3.50 PER HOUR AND OFFERED A COMPROMISE OF $3.15, WITH DOUBLE PAY FOR OVERTIME AND SATURDAYS AND ROOM AND BOARD OUTSIDE THE ANCHORAGE AREA.

PEACE TALKS RESUMED TODAY UNDER FEDERAL MEDIATOR WILLIAM HOSIE, WHO REPORTED "SOME SLIGHT PROGRESS."

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THE FAIRBANKS LOCAL SETTLED A SIMILAR STRIKE EARLIER IN JULY AT $3.50 PER HOUR.

THE ANCHORAGE LOCAL CONTROLS NOT ONLY ANCHORAGE'S $100,000,000 (M) CONSTRUCTION, BUT ADDITIONAL PROJECTS IN CENTRAL AND WESTERN ALASKA AT REMOTE LOCATIONS.

MEANWHILE AT FAIRBANKS, AFL UNION LEADERS WERE SURPRISED TO HEAR OF JOHNSON'S BLAST THAT THEIR STRIKE WAS A THREAT TO NATIONAL SECURITY.

THERE ISN'T ANY STRIKE THERE; IT WAS SETTLED JULY 12.

FAIRBANKS UNION BUSINESS AGENT CARL SLATSBURG SAID PLUMBERS THERE ARE READY TO GO TO WORK, BUT HAVE NOT BEEN CALLED FOR JOBS. HE SAID MANY MEN ARE IDLE BECAUSE CONSTRUCTION JOBS ARE NOT GETTING STARTED, AS THEY WERE SUPPOSED TO. HE SAID DOZENS OF MEN COULD GO TO WORK AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE.

VARIOUS FACTORS, INCLUDING RED TAPE, ARE BLAMED FOR THE DELAY.

UNION LEADERS AT FAIRBANKS EXPRESSED THE OPINION THERE WAS TOO MUCH DELAY IN LETTING BIDS FOR MILITARY PROJECTS, INCLUDING HOUSING; THAT THEY CAME SO LATE THAT IT HAS BEEN IMPOSSIBLE TO GET MATERIALS IN TIME FOR THE SHORT FAR NORTHERN CONSTRUCTION SEASON.

CONTRACTORS' SPOKESMEN SAID THE HOLD-BACK HAS BEEN DUE TO LABOR STRIKES AT THE CRITICAL SEASON (A CARPENTERS' STRIKE ENDED THE FIRST WEEK IN JULY AFTER SECRETARY JOHNSON DENOUNCED IT), TO GOVERNMENT RED TAPE AND NOW TO LACK OF MATERIALS.

THEY SAID THEY NOW ARE WAITING FOR SUPPLIES AND HOPE TO BE BACK ON SCHEDULE BEFORE THE END OF THE SEASON IF IT BECOMES AVAILABLE.

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FOLO WASHN TRUMAN

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE PLUMBERS STRIKE HERE IS THE SECOND WORK STOPPAGE WITHIN TWO MONTHS TO DRAW FIRE FROM SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON.

IT IS THE FIRST TIME THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS BEEN QUOTED AS ADDING HIS WARNING TO JOHNSON'S ON AN ALASKA STRIKE JEOPARDIZING NATIONAL SECURITY.

THE PREVIOUS INSTANCE WAS A CARPENTERS' STRIKE FOR A PAY INCREASE. THE AFL CARPENTERS ENDED THAT STRIKE AFTER JOHNSON'S DENUNCIATION OF IT. THEY SAID JULY 1 THEY WERE ENDING IT "DUE TO A WAR THREAT."

THE STRIKING ANCHORAGE AFL PLUMBERS HAVE CONTENDED THEY ARE ENTITLED TO A RIASE TO $3.50 AN HOUR FROM THEIR PRESENT $3 BECAUSE PLUMBERS AT FAIRBANKS, THE OTHER BIG ALASKA DEFENSE CENTER, GOT SUCH A RAISE. THE STRIKE OF FAIRBANKS PLUMBERS ENDED SEVERAL WEEKS AGO. THE ANCHORAGE PLUMBERS HAVE BEEN OFFERED A RIASE TO $3.15.

UNION SPOKESMEN HAVE DENIED THAT THE ANCHORAGE PLUMBERS' STRIKE HAS IMPAIRED MILITARY PROJECTS. THE CONTRACTORS AND THE ALASKA MILITARY COMMAND HAVE DECLARED THAT IT HAS.

THE STRIKE STARTED JULY 26. OTHER DEMANDS ARE FOR DOUBLE PAY FOR OVERTIME AND BOARD AND ROOM ON ALL PROJECTS OUTSIDE THE CITY.

WILLIAM HOSIE OF THE FEDERAL MEDIATION AND CONCILIATION SERVICE'S SEATTLE OFFICE HAS BEEN HERE MORE THAN A WEEK IN A VAIN ATTEMPT TO SETTLE THE DISPUTE.

ANCHORAGE IS THE KEY ALASKA MILITARY CENTER. LARGE SCALE MILITARY CONSTRUCTION, ESTIMATED GENERALLY TO TOTAL $100,000,000 IN CONTRACTS IS UNDER WAY. MILITARY HOUSING IS A MAJOR PART OF THE PROGRAM.

THE ANCHORAGE AREA HAS FORT RICHARDSON AND THE ELMENDORF AIR BASE. THE FORT IS THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE ALASKA MILITARY COMMAND.

COMMENT ON THE STATEMENTS OF SECRETARY JOHNSON AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS NOT AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY FROM UNION LEADERS.

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NIGHT LEAD TAXES (450)

WASHINGTON, AUG. 8-(AP)-SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY SNYDER SAID TODAY THERE WILL BE "A TYPE OF TAX TO PREVENT UNDUE WAR PROFITS" IN THE GENERAL TAX REVISIONS WHICH PRESIDENT TRUMAN WILL PROPOSE LATER.

BUT ACTION ON THOSE PROPOSALS IS NOT SCHEDULED BY THE LEADERSHIP UNTIL PROBABLY JANUARY.

BOTH SNYDER AND CHAIRMAN GEORGE (D-GA) OF THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE THREW COLD WATER ON THE IDEA OF WRITING AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX ON BUSINESS INTO THE "FIRST INSTALLMENT" $5,000,000,000 (B) TAX INCREASE BILL RECOMMENDED BY THE PRESIDENT FOR ACTION NOW.

THE SECRETARY TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE HAS NO PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF ANY IMMEDIATE ADMINISTRATION PLAN TO BACK AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX.

GEORGE TOLD REPORTERS THAT EITHER THE INTERIM TAX BILL WILL PASS WITHOUT AN EXCESS PROFITS SECTION "OR THERE WILL BE NO BILL AT ALL."

BOTH STATEMENTS FOLLOWED ON THE HEELS OF A REPORT FROM CLOSE ASSOCIATES OF THE PRESIDENT THAT HE HAS MADE UP HIS MIND TO ASK FOR A MULTI-MILLION DOLLAR EXCESS PROFITS LEVY.

THEY CAME AS SOME MEMBERS OF THE PRESIDENT'S OWN PARTY THREATENED TO GO BEYOND HIS RECOMMENDATIONS AND PUT IN SUCH A TAX NOW.

MR.TRUMAN'S TAX MESSAGE TO CONGRESS AT THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR DID NOT MENTION EXCESS PROFITS TAXES, AND SNYDER'S STATEMENT WAS THE NEAREST THE ADMINISTRATION HAS COME SO FAR TO SAYING SUCH A THING IS PLANNED.

MR.TRUMAN DID SAY MORE COMPREHENSIVE TAX BOOSTING PLANS ARE COMING LATER.

EVEN SNYDER, HOWEVER, WOULD NOT SAY FLATLY THAT THE SAME SORT OF EXCESS PROFITS TAX AS WAS APPLIED IN WORLD WAR II, IS IN THE OFFING.

HE SAID THE METHOD OF PREVENTING UNDUE PROFITS IS UNDER STUDY AND HAS NOT YET BEEN DECIDED, ADDING:

"SOME DEVICE OF THAT SORT WILL BE ADOPTED THROUGH A TAX BILL OR THE RENEGOTIATION PROCESS."

BILLIONS WERE RECOVERED BY THE GOVERNMENT IN THE LAST WAR BY LATER REVISION OF CONTRACTS UNDER WHICH PROFITS WERE CONSIDERED TOO HIGH.

THE IDEA RIGHT NOW, SNYDER SAID, IS TO GET THE $5,000,000,000 (B) INTERIM MEASURE THROUGH CONGRESS.

GEORGE TOLD NEWSMEN THAT THE CURRENT DRIVE IN CONGRESS "IS NOT FOR A WAR EXCESS PROFITS TAX, BUT TO FASTEN A PEACETIME, PERMANENT EXCESS PROFITS TAX ON THE ECONOMY."

HE SAID WAR CONDITIONS MAY JUSTIFY AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX, BUT IT CAN'T BE EFFECTIVE BEFORE 1951 EVEN IF PASSED NOW--"UNLESS WE WANT TO THROW A MONKEY WRENCH INTO THE ECONOMY."

"YOU CAN DESTROY YOUR ECONOMY IN A WAR PERIOD JUST AS IN TIME OF PEACE," HE SAID.

GEORGE SAID HE IS NOT OPPOSED TO A WAR EXCESS PROFITS TAX "BUT I WANT IT TO BE A FAIR TAX." HE ADDED: "IF THERE IS SUCH A TAX LATER, I WANT ONE THAT I CAN DEFEND."

GEORGE VOICED ESPECIAL DISTASTE FOR AN EXCESS PROFITS BILL OFFERED BY SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO). HE SAID IT WOULD PUT A SUPER-TAX ON NORMAL PROFITS AS WELL AS EXCESS PROFITS.

GEORGE'S COMMITTEE IS NOW CONSIDERING MR.TRUMAN'S $5,000,000,000 TAX BOOST PROPOSAL, AND GEORGE SAID HE THINKS THE GROUP WILL GIVE THE PRESIDENT SUBSTANTIALLY WHAT HE ASKED.

THE BILL WOULD PICK UP $3,000,000,000 EXTRA FROM INDIVIDUAL INCOMES, $1,500,000,000 FROM CORPORATIONS, AND ABOUT $500,000,000 BY LOOPHOLE PLUGGING AND FROM VARIED OTHER SOURCES.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS

WASHINGTON, AUG 8-(AP)-THE HOUSE BANKING COMMITTEE AGREED TODAY TO GIVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN STANDBY WAGE AND PRICE CONTROL POWERS AND THEN RECESSED OVERNIGHT WITHOUT GETTING AROUND TO A VOTE ON SIMILAR RATIONING AUTHORITY.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PREDICTED QUICK APPROVAL OF THE STANDBY RATIONING PROVISION TOMORROW IN ITS DRIVE FOR A FORMULA TO GET CONGRESS OFF THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS MERRY-GO-ROUND IT RODE LAST WEEK.

THE SECTIONS APPROVED TODAY WENT INTO THE ECONOMIC LEGISLATION ON A 21 TO 1 VOTE. REP.KUNKEL (R-PA) CAST THE ONLY OPPOSING BALLOT.

THE COMMITTEE HOPES TO GET OUT A COMPLETED BILL IN TIME FOR A FINAL HOUSE VOTE PERHAPS TOMORROW NIGHT. THE GROUP WILL MEET AGAIN BEFORE THE HOUSE CONVENES.

THE CHAMBER ITSELF, AFTER GOING FULL CIRCLE ON THE QUESTION OF PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING POWERS LAST WEEK, HAD GIVEN UP TEMPORARILY AND LEFT THE COMMITTEE THE TASK OF FINDING A COMPROMISE.

IN ADDITION TO THE RATIONING ISSUE, OTHER QUESTIONS LEFT FOR COMMITTEE DECISION TOMORROW INCLUDE THE EXTENT OF AUTHORITY TO BE GIVEN THE PRESIDENT FOR CURBS ON REAL ESTATE CREDIT AND COMMODITY MARKET SPECULATION.

AS FAR AS IT GOES, THE WAGE-PRICE AGREEMENT BY THE HOUSE COMMITTEE IS GENERALLY IN LINE WITH PURELY PERMISSIVE AUTHORITY AGREED ON BY THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE. THE SENATE GROUP, HOWEVER, PUT IN STANDBY RATIONING POWERS, TOO, IN ITS ADDITIONS TO THE LIMITED ECONOMIC CONTROLS MR.TRUMAN HAS ASKED.

THE SENATE'S BILL WOULD EXTEND CREDIT CURBS INTO REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS AS WELL AS OTHER FIELDS OF FINANCE. NUMEROUS REPUBLICANS AND SOUTHERN DEMOCRATS IN THE HOUSE DON'T LIKE THAT. AND MUCH THE SAME GROUP OPPOSES THE PRESIDENT'S CALL FOR POWERS TO CURB SPECULATION IN COMMODITIES FUTURES THROUGH CONTROL OF THE AMOUNT OF MARGIN TRADERS MUST PUT UP.

THE SENATE, WITH THE HEAD-START OF COMMITTEE AGREEMENT, STILL MIGHT BE FIRST TO GET OUT AN ECONOMIC CONTROL BILL TO HELP GEAR THE HOME FRONT FOR WAR IN KOREA AND A WORLDWIDE GUARD AGAINST COMMUNIST OUTBREAKS ELSEWHERE.

CHAIRMAN MAYBANK (D-SC) OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE SAID THE MEASURE IN THAT BRANCH WILL BE READY FOR DEBATE THURSDAY IF THE SENATE WANTS TO GO WITH IT.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE AGREED TODAY ON ALLOCATION AND PRIORITIES AUTHORITY FOR THE PRESIDENT MUCH IN LINE WITH THE SENATE BILL PROVISIONS.

THE SENATE MEASURE, MUCH AS THE PRESIDENT ASKED, WOULD GIVE HIM AUTHORITY TO ALLOCATE SCARCE INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, ASSIGN PRIORITIES FOR DEFENSE PRODUCTION, SEIZE PRIVATELY OWNED PLANTS WHEN NECESSARY, MAKE LOANS AND FINANCIAL GUARANTEES TO SPEED PRODUCTION, AND CURB CREDIT.

THE WHOLLY PERMISSIVE AUTHORITY IN THAT MEASURE FOR PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING CONTROLS IS ABOUT WHAT MR.TRUMAN HAS SAID HE WOULD ACCEPT. HE HAS SAID HE DOES NOT WANT AT THIS TIME ANYTHING MORE RIGID.

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NIGHT LEAD JAPANESE

WASHINGTON, AUG. 8-(AP)-GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR EXPRESSED DOUBT TODAY THAT THERE IS ANY WAY TO ENLIST JAPANESE IN THE U.S. ARMED FORCES WITHOUT FIRST MAKING A PEACE TREATY WITH THEIR COUNTRY.

WHETHER HE WOULD FAVOR SUCH A MOVE AFTER A FORMAL PEACE SETTLEMENT

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THE GENERAL DID NOT SAY.
JAPAN IS "UNDER INTERNATIONAL CONTROL," MACARTHUR POINTED OUT IN A CABLE TO SENATOR MAGNUSON (D-WASH) WHO HAD PROPOSED THAT JAPANESE VETERANS BE ACCEPTED AS VOLUNTEERS. IN SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES, HE SAID, SUCH ACTION BY THE UNITED STATES ALONE WOULD BE "OF DOUBTFUL FEASIBILITY."
NOT STATED IN MACARTHUR'S MESSAGE, BUT OBVIOUS BY INFERENCE, WAS THE IDEA OF RUSSIAN REACTION IN PROPAGANDA AND OTHERWISE. CRITICS OF THE MAGNUSON PROPOSAL HAVE ARGUED THAT IT WOULD LAY THIS COUNTRY OPEN TO CHARGES OF EXPLOITING JAPAN AND RESORTING TO MERCENARY ARMIES.
MAGNUSON HAD ASKED MACARTHUR FOR HIS VIEWS ON THE PLAN, WHICH THE SENATOR ADVANCED WITH THE AIM OF PROVIDING ADDITIONAL MANPOWER FOR THE FIGHTING IN KOREA AND RELEASING SOME AMERICANS FROM OCCUPATION DUTY.
IN A BILL INTRODUCED LAST WEEK THE SENATOR PROPOSED PAY FOR JAPANESE VOLUNTEERS AT HALF THE AMERICAN RATES, WITH NO CITIZENSHIP OR VETERANS' BENEFITS.
MACARTHUR'S MESSAGE, MADE PUBLIC BY MAGNUSON, SAID THAT "THE UNDERLYING PURPOSE THAT YOU HAVE IN MIND OF BOLSTERING THE SECURITY OF JAPAN AND THEREBY STRENGTHENING RESISTANCE TO TOTALITARIAN COMMUNISM THROUGHOUT THE WORLD HAS MY HEARTIEST UNDERSTANDING AND SYMPATHY," BUT ADDED:
"WHETHER YOUR ACTUAL PROPOSAL IS FEASIBLE AT THIS TIME, HOWEVER, IS MORE DOUBTFUL. THIS LARGELY DUE TO THE FACT THAT NO PEACE TREATY HAS YET BEEN CONSUMMATED FOR JAPAN AND CONSEQUENTLY IT IS UNDER INTERNATIONAL CONTROL.
"IT WOULD SEEM TO ME THAT THE FIRST AND LOGICAL STEP IN THIS MATTER WOULD LIE IN THE CONSUMMATION OF A PEACE TREATY WHEREIN THE SECURITY OF JAPAN COULD BE FULLY PROVIDED.
"UNTIL SUCH ACTION IS ACCOMPLISHED, A UNILATERIAL APPROACH TO THE PROBLEM BY THE UNITED STATES SUCH AS YOU SUGGEST WOULD BE OF DOUBTFUL FEASIBILITY."
MACARTHUR TOLD THE SENATOR HE HAS TAKEN STEPS TO ADD A RESERVE OF 75,000 MEN TO THE JAPANESE POLICE FORCE AND SAID HE WILL "PROGRESSIVELY ADD ADDITIONAL INCREMENTS IF THE SITUATION REQUIRES."
MAGNUSON EXPRESSED AGREEMENT WITH MACARHUR'S IDEA THAT ACTION ON A JAPANESE TREATY SHOULD BE SPEEDED UP. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT HE BELIEVES THE U.S.COULD GO AHEAD ALONE ON THE MATTER OF ENLISTMENTS.
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JAPANESE
WASHINGTON,AUG.8-(AP)-GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR SAID TODAY IT IS DOUBTFUL THAT THE U.S.ARMED FORCES COULD ACCEPT JAPANESE VOLUNTEERS, AS PROPOSED BY SENATOR MAGNUSON (D-WASH).
IN A CABLE TO MAGNUSON, MACARTHUR SAID THE FIRST AND LOGICAL STEP IN PROVIDING FOR THE SECURITY OF JAPAN LIES IN "THE EARLY CONSIDERATION AND CONSUMMATION OF A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY."
MAGNUSON PROPOSED IN A BILL INTRODUCED LAST WEEK TO PERMIT THE ENLISTMENT OF JAPANESE WAR VETERANS IN THE AMERICAN ARMED FORCES, AT HALF PAY AND WITH NO CITIZENSHIP OR VETERANS BENEFITS.
THE WASHINGTON SENATOR SAID THIS WOULD PROVIDE ADDITIONAL MANPOWER FOR THE KOREAN FIGHTING, RELEASING SOME AMERICAN TROOPS NOW ON OCCUPATION DUTIES. HE ASKED MACARTHUR'S OPINION OF THE MOVE.
MACARTHUR REPLIED IN A MESSAGE MADE PUBLIC BY MAGNUSON THAT "THE EVIDENT UNDERLYING PURPOSE THAT YOU HAVE IN MIND OF BOLSTERING THE SECURITY OF JAPAN AND THEREBY STRENGTHENING RESISTANCE TO TOTALITARIAN COMMUNISM THROUGHOUT THE WORLD HAS MY HEARTIEST UNDERSTANDING AND SYMPATHY."
"WHETHER YOUR ACTUAL PROPOSAL IS FEASIBLE AT THIS TIME, HOWEVER, IS MORE DOUBTFUL," THE GENERAL SAID. "THIS IS LARGELY DUE TO THE FACT THAT NO PEACE TREATY HAS YET BEEN CONSUMMATED FOR JAPAN AND CONSEQUENTLY IT IS UNDER INTERNATIONAL CONTROL.
"IT WOULD SEEM TO ME THAT THE FIRST AND LOGICAL STEP IN THIS MATTER WOULD LIE IN THE CONSUMMATION OF A PEACE TREATY WHEREIN THE SECURITY OF JAPAN COULD BE FULLY PROVIDED.
"UNTIL SUCH ACTION IS ACCOMPLISHED, A UNILATERAL APPROACH TO THE PROBLEM BY THE UNITED STATES SUCH AS YOU SUGGEST WOULD BE OF DOUBTFUL FEASIBILITY."
MACARTHUR NOTED THAT HE ALREADY HAS TAKEN STEPS TO EXPAND THE JAPANESE POLICE FORCE BY 75,000 MEN, ADDING THAT HE WILL "PROGRESSIVELY ADD ADDITIONAL INCREMENTS IF THE SITUATION REQUIRES."
MAGNUSON TOLD A REPORTER HE AGREES WITH MACARTHUR THAT THERE OUGHT TO BE SPEEDY ACTION ON A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.
THE WASHINGTON SENATOR SAID, HOWEVER, THAT HE THINKS THE ENLISTMENT OF JAPANESE IN AMERICAN MILITARY FORCES COULD BE APPROACHED AS AN INDIVIDUAL MATTER AND NEED NOT AFFECT THE INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF JAPAN, IN WHICH THE RUSSIANS SHARE.
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WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-CHAIRMAN W.STUART SYMINGTON OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD TODAY ANNOUNCED THE MEMBERSHIP OF A COMMITTEE ON MOBILIZATION POLICY.
THE 12-MEMBER GROUP, CHOSEN AFTER CONFERENCES WITH GROUPS REPRESENTING INDUSTRY, LABOR, AGRICULTURE, AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY, WILL ADVISE SYMINGTON ON ALL PHASES OF CIVIL MOBILIZATION AND DEFENSE.
THE DECISION TO SET IT UP HAD BEEN ANNOUNCED PREVIOUSLY.
THE MEMBERS:
INDUSTRY--
MARION B.FOLSOM, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF THE COMMITTEE FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TREASURER OF THE EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY.
OTTO A.SEYFERTH, PRESIDENT OF THE U.S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND PRESIDENT AND DIRECTOR OF THE WEST MICHIGAN STEEL FOUNDRY COMPANY AND AUSTIN TRAILER EQUIPMENT COMPANY, MUSKEGON, MICHIGAN.
CLAUDE ADAMS PUTNAM, KEENE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MANUFACTURERS AND PRESIDENT OF THE MARKEM MACHINE COMPANY.
LABOR
WILLIAM GREEN, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR.
ALBERT J.HAYES, PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINISTS.
PHILIP MURRAY, PRESIDENT OF THE CONGRESS OF INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATIONS.
AGRICULTURE
ALBERT S.GOSS, MASTER OF THE NATIONAL GRANGE.
MURRAY D.LINCOLN, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR YEARS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE AMERICAN FARM BUREAU FEDERATION AND NOW PRESIDENT OF THE FARM BUREAU MUTUAL AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
JAMES G.PATTON, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL FARMERS EDUCATIONAL AND COOPERATIVE UNION.
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SENATOR FRANK P.GRAHAM (D-NC), PAST PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF

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NORTH CAROLINA.
GEORGE H.MEAD, DAYTON, OHIO, FORMER MEMBER OF THE WAR LABOR BOARD, PAST PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN PULP AND PAPER ASSOCIATION AND A MEMBER OF THE HOOVER COMMISSION ON REORGANIZATION OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF THE GOVERNMENT.
MRS.ANNA M.ROSENBERG, NEW YORK, LABOR RELATIONS AUTHORITY, MEMBER OF THE U.S. NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL.
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NIGHT LEAD PEACE GROUPS (500)
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT TOLD TWO SELF-STYLED "PEACE" GROUPS TODAY THAT PROGRESS TOWARD REAL PEACE COULD BE MADE IF THE NORTH KOREANS WOULD COMPLY WITH UN ANTI-AGGRESSION ORDERS AND IF RUSSIA WOULD ACCEPT U.S. ATOMIC BOMB CONTROL PLANS.
NON-VIOLENT RESISTANCE TO MILITARISM AND TYRANNY, AS FAVORED BY SOME IN BOTH GROUPS, WOULD LEAD ONLY TO SLAVERY, THE DEPARTMENT SAID.
THE GROUPS CALLED THEMSELVES THE "AMERICAN WOMEN FOR PEACE" AND "WORLD CITIZENS."
THE FIRST SAID IT CAME INTO BEING WHEN U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE REFUSED TO MEET A DELEGATION WHICH TRIED TO PLEAD FOR AN END TO THE KOREAN WAR.
THE "WORLD CITIZENS" SAID THEY ARE SPONSORED BY THE EMERGENCY ACTION CONFERENCE COMMITTEE OF NEW YORK, COMPRISING PACIFIST ORGANIZATIONS LIKE THE FELLOWSHIP OF RECONCILIATION, WAR RESISTERS LEAGUE, AND PEACEMAKERS.
ALTHOUGH SEVERAL HUNDRED WOMEN IN THE FIRST GROUP PARADED QUIETLY IN FRONT OF THE WHITE HOUSE, ONLY SIX OF THEM WERE RECEIVED AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
THEY CALLED TO ASK THE U. S. TO OUTLAW THE ATOM AND HYDROGEN BOMBS AS WEAPONS OF WAR. IN A STATEMENT READ BY MRS.DOROTHY COLE OF CHICAGO, THEY ALSO ASKED THAT THE U.S. RETURN TO WHAT THEY CALLED THE PRE-KOREAN POLICY REGARDING FORMOSA, RECALL THE SEVENTH FLEET FROM CHINESE WATERS, AND RECOGNIZE THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT.
THESE STEPS, THEY SAID, WOULD HELP PREVENT A THIRD WORLD WAR.
JOHN D.HICKERSON, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR U.N. AFFAIRS, RECEIVED THE GROUP.
IN A FORMAL REPLY, HE SAID THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL HAS SET CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE BLOODSHED IN KOREA CAN BE STOPPED. UNTIL THE "NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSORS AND THOSE WHO CONTROL THEIR DESTINY" COMPLY, HE SAID, THE U.N. HAS NO OTHER COURSE BUT TO "PUT DOWN THIS AGGRESSION."
HE SAID U.N. EFFORTS IN THE PAST TO MAINTAIN PEACE WITHOUT RESORT TO FORCE "HAVE BEEN BLOCKED BY ONLY ONE COUNTRY AND ITS SATELLITES."
"IN THIS CONNECTION," HE ADDED, "IT IS WORTH REMEMBERING THAT THERE WOULD PROBABLY NOT BE AN ATOMIC WEAPON IN EXISTENCE TODAY IF THE USSR AND THE USSR ALONE HAD NOT REFUSED TO ACCEPT THE CONTROL PLAN ADOPTED BY AN OVERWHELMING MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE UN."
WHEN MRS.MINNA SOBEL, OF NEW YORK, MENTIONED NON-VIOLENCE, HICKERSON ASKED:
"DID NON-VIOLENCE WORK IN KOREA?"
HE SAID THE FREE WORLD HAS FINALLY LEARNED THAT "NON-VIOLENCE DOES NOT PRESERVE FREEDOM IN THE FACE OF AGGRESSION AND THAT THE ALTERNATIV IS SLAVERY."
THE "WORLD CITIZENS" COMPRISED 28 MEN AND WOMEN FROM TEN STATES. THEY WERE LED BY BAYARD RUSTIN, A NEW YORK NEGRO WHO TOLD NEWSMEN HE WAS A CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR IN WORLD WAR II, AND MRS.GRACE RHOADS, OF MOORESTOWN,N.J.
THEY TOLD DAVID H.POPPER, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICER IN CHARGE OF UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY AFFAIRS, THAT THEY ARE CALLING FOR "NON-VIOLENT RESISTANCE TO THE MILITARISM OF THE SOVIET UNION, THE UNITED STATES, AND OTHER COUNTRIES."
THEY SAID THEY CONSIDER THEIR PRIMARY LOYALTY TO THE WORLD RATHER THAN TO ANY NATION.
POPPER TOLD THEM "FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE OF ALL PEOPLES DEPEND ON ARMED RESISTANCE TO AGGRESSION AND TO TYRANNY."
RUSTIN AND THREE ASSOCIATES LATER WERE RECEIVED AT THE SOVIET EMBASSY BY THIRD SECRETARY V.G.MAKAROV. THEY SAID THEY ASKED THEIR "FELLOW CITIZENS" OF RUSSIA TO JOIN IN "RESISTING ALL WAR" AND THAT THEIR MESSAGE BE TRANSMITTED TO THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE. RUSTIN SAID MAKAROV PROMISED TO GET THE MESSAGE TO THEM.
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WASHINGTON, AUG. 8-(AP)-A GROUP 28 MEN AND WOMEN CALLING THEMSELVES "WORLD CITIZENS" TOLD THE STATE DEPARTMENT TODAY THEY WOULD NOT SUPPORT OR TAKE PART IN ANY WAR.
THEY SAID THEY FAVOR NON-VIOLENT RESISTANCE TO ALL TYRANNY.
DAVID H.POPPER, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICER IN CHARGE OF UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY AFFAIRS, TOLD THE GROUP THAT IF THE UNITED STATES WERE INVADED OR CONQUERED BECAUSE OF LACK OF RESISTANCE THEIR MOVEMENT FOR PEACE "WOULD HAVE COMPLETELY VANISHED."
THE GROUP WAS HEADED BY BAYARD RUSTIN, A NEW YORK CITY NEGRO, AND MRS. GRACE RHOADS OF MOORESTOWN,N.J. THEY SAID OTHERS IN THE DELEGATION CAME FROM CALIFORNIA, IOWA, CONNECTICUT, MINNESOTA, OHIO, MASSACHUSETTS, AND INDIANA.
THE GROUP WAS SPONSORED BY THE EMERGENCY ACTION CONFERENCE COMMITTEE. THIS WAS SET UP AT A RECENT CONFERENCE OF PACIFIST ORGANIZATIONS ON THE KOREAN SITUATION.
THE DELEGATION PLANNED TO CALL AT THE SOVIET EMBASSY LATER IN THE DAY TO URGE RUSSIANS TO "NO LONGER SUPPORT THE STALINIST MILITARY MACHINE."
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(320) MCCARTHY
WASHINGTON,AUG.8-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) SAID TODAY THAT A RECENT ARTICLE BY COLUMNISTS JOSEPH AND STEWART ALSOP IN THE SATURDAY EVENING POST FOLLOWS THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE "ALMOST 100 PER CENT."
JOSEPH ALSOP IS IN KOREA; STEWART ALSOP CALLED THE CHARGES "THE WEARILY FAMILIAR NONSENSE FROM A MAN WHOSE TOTAL DISREGARD FOR THE TRUTH AND SIMPLE AMERICAN STANDARDS OF DECENCY HAS ALREADY BEEN THOROUGHLY EXPOSED."
MCCARTHY READ TO THE SENATE A LETTER HE HAD WRITTEN TO THE EDITORS OF THE POST.
THE ARTICLE REFERRED TO MCCARTHY'S CHARGES OF DISLOYALTY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, AND THE SENATE INVESTIGATION ORDERED AT THE SUGGESTION OF SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) INTO SEXUAL PERVERSION AMONG GOVERNMENT WORKERS.
MCCARTHY SAID THE ARTICLE REFERRED TO WHERRY'S CHARGES OF PERVERSION AMONG FEDERAL WORKERS AS "VULGAR" AND "NAUSEATING."
HE SAID IT ALSO ATTEMPTED TO "SMEAR" HIS OWN OFFICE STAFF BY DESCRIBING HIS AIDES AS "FURTIVE LOOKING CHARACTERS."
MCCARTHY WROTE THAT IT WAS "DISTURBING TO FIND THAT THIS ARTICLE IS ALMOST 100 PERCENT IN LINE WITH THE OFFICIAL INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED TO ALL COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELING MEMBERS OF THE PRESS AND RADIO BY GUS HALL, NATIONAL SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY."
HE SAID HALL HAD URGED "ALL COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERS AND ALL ANTI-FASCISTS, TO YIELD SECOND PLACE TO NONE IN THE FIGHT TO RID OUR COUNTRY OF THE FASCIST POISON OF MCCARTHYISM."
MCCARTHY SAID HE ASSUMED THE POST EDITORS WERE AWARE OF THE "LESSON WHICH HISTORY HAS WRITTEN WITH AN INDELIBLE HAND, NAMELY THAT ONCE

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THE PEOPLE OF A NATION BECOME COMPLACENT ABOUT MORAL DEGENERACY IN ITS LEADERSHIP, THEN THAT NATION HAS NOT LONG TO LIVE."

MCCARTHY DESCRIBED HIS AIDES AS ONE OF THE FINEST AND MOST LOYAL STAFFS ON CAPITOL HILL AND SAID IF IT HAD NOT BEEN FOR THEIR LONG HOURS AND UNDERSTANDING WORK "THE TASK OF EXPOSING COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS IN GOVERNMENT WOULD HAVE BEEN TEN TIMES MORE DIFFICULT."

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NIGHT LEAD WILSON

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BY WILLARD H.MOBLEY

WASHINGTON, AUG. 8-(AP)-CARROLL WILSON, GENERAL MANAGER FOR THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION EVER SINCE THAT CIVILIAN AGENCY TOOK OVER FROM THE ARMY, QUIT TODAY IN AN EXPLOSIVE SPLIT WITH AEC CHAIRMAN GORDON DEAN.

WILSON ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING HE LACKED THE "CONFIDENCE" IN DEAN NECESSARY TO DO THE JOB PROPERLY. HE QUESTIONED THE CHAIRMAN'S EXPERIENCE AND QUALIFICATIONS TO HEAD THE HUGE TASK OF DEVELOPING ATOMIC ENERGY FOR WAR AND PEACE.

WILSON'S INTENTION TO QUIT, EFFECTIVE NEXT TUESDAY, FIRST BECAME KNOWN WHEN THE WHITE HOUSE RELEASED AN EXCHANGE OF LETTERS BETWEEN HIM AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN. THIS CORRESPONDENCE DID NOT DISCLOSE THE REASONS FOR THE RESIGNATION, WHICH MR. TRUMAN SAID HE HAD "NO ALTERNATIVE" BUT TO ACCEPT.

WILSON THEN ISSUED THE STATEMENT OUTLINING HIS REASONS.

DEAN TOLD A REPORTER HE HAD SEEN THE STATEMENT AND ADDED THAT "WHILE I'M SORELY TEMPTED TO, I DON'T CARE TO COMMENT ON IT."

THE COMMISSION REFERRED QUESTIONERS TO AN AEC STATEMENT, ISSUED AHEAD OF ~~DEAN'S~~ WILSON'S BLAST, SAYING THE AEC "DEEPLY REGRETS THE LOSS OF MR. WILSON'S SERVICES" AND ASSERTING:

"THE ORGANIZATION IS FULLY PREPARED FOR THE DEMANDS OF ITS EXPANDING PROGRAM."

THE COMMISSION ANNOUNCED THAT CARLETON SHUGG, WHO HAS BEEN WILSON'S DEPUTY, WILL BE ACTING GENERAL MANAGER. THE JOB CONSISTS OF CARRYING OUT POLICIES AND ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES ON INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE COMMISSION.

WILSON'S BLAST AT DEAN FOUND LITTLE SUPPORT ON CAPITOL HILL, AT LEAST IMMEDIATELY. SENATOR MC MAHON (D-CONN), CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC COMMITTEE, ANNOUNCED THAT THE COMMITTEE HAD UNANIMOUSLY AUTHORIZED HIM TO "EXPRESS ITS CONFIDENCE" IN DEAN.

SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO), A COMMITTEE MEMBER, SAID HE IS GLAD WILSON IS LEAVING.

"I COULD NEVER SEE THAT HE HAD WHAT IT TOOK TO BE GENERAL MANAGER," JOHNSON SAID. "IN MY OPINION HE WAS A COMPLETE FLOP IN THE JOB AND ALREADY HAD BEEN THERE TOO LONG."

JOHNSON PRAISED THE ABILITY OF SHUGG, WILSON'S TEMPORARY SUCCESSOR, OBSERVING: "I HOPE HIS APPOINTMENT BECOMES PERMANENT."

SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA), ANOTHER COMMITTEE MEMBER, SAID:

"I HAVE BEEN FAVORABLY IMPRESSED WITH THE VIGOROUS, REALISTIC ACTIVITIES OF GORDON DEAN, THE NEW CHAIRMAN, AND I HAVE A HIGH REGARD FOR THE INTEGRITY AND ABILITY OF CARLETON SHUGG, NOW ACTING GENERAL MANAGER."

SENATOR MILLIKIN (R-COLO) SAID HE HAS "MUCH CONFIDENCE" IN DEAN AND COMMENTED:

"ONE OF THE PAST CRITICISMS OF THE COMMISSION IS THAT IT DID NOT KNOW ENOUGH ABOUT WHAT WAS GOING ON. IT IS REGRETTABLE THAT MR. WILSON IS CRITICIZING THE COMMISSION'S EFFORTS TO BETTER THE ADMINISTRATION OF ITS OWN AFFAIRS."

IT WAS LARGELY ON THE LOCATION OF THE LINE BETWEEN DUTIES OF THE GENERAL MANAGER AND OF THE COMMISSION THAT THE WILSON-DEAN SPLIT OCCURRED.

WILSON'S STATEMENT COMPLAINED OF A TREND TOWARD ASSUMPTION BY THE COMMISSION ITSELF OF A MORE DIRECT ROLE IN ADMINISTRATION.

HE SAID HE FEARED THE RESULT WOULD BE A "CUMBERSOME, SLOW-MOVING ADMINISTRATIVE MACHINE WHICH IS INCAPABLE OF GIVING THE COUNTRY THE KIND OF DIRECTION NEEDED TO MAINTAIN AND INCREASE OUR LEADERSHIP IN THE ATOMIC FIELD."

WITH REFERENCE TO CHAIRMAN DEAN, WHO TOOK OVER AS TOP MAN IN THE AEC ONLY LAST MONTH AFTER SERVING AS A MEMBER SINCE MAY, 1949, WILSON SAID THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CHAIRMAN AND GENERAL MANAGER "IS AN INTIMATE AND PERSONAL ONE."

IT MUST BE MARKED BY "A VERY HIGH DEGREE OF CONFIDENCE" IF THE TASK IS TO GO FORWARD AS IT SHOULD, ADDING:

"I REGRET THAT I DO NOT HAVE THE DEGREE OF CONFIDENCE IN THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMISSION WHICH I BELIEVE IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT I SHOULD HAVE IN ORDER TO SERVE HIM AND THE COMMISSION EFFECTIVELY IN ADMINISTERING THE PROGRAM."

WILSON MENTIONED "DIFFICULT OPERATING AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROBLEMS" WHICH HE SAID WOULD ARISE EVEN UNDER THE BEST CONDITIONS AND WENT INDIRECTLY INTO THE QUESTION OF THE QUALIFICATIONS OF HIS NEW CHIEF:

"TO MAKE IT WORKABLE REQUIRES IN THE CHAIRMAN EXCEPTIONAL EXPERIENCE AND UNDERSTANDING OF ADMINISTRATION OF LARGE UNDERTAKINGS AS WELL AS A KEEN APPRECIATION ON THE PART OF THE OTHER COMMISSIONERS OF THE UNDESIRABLE CONSEQUENCES OF MANAGEMENT BY COMMITTEE."

WILSON ASSUMED THE $15,000-A-YEAR GENERAL MANAGERSHIP AT THE END OF 1946 WHEN THE ORIGINAL COMMISSION UNDER CHAIRMAN DAVID E.LILIENTHAL TOOK OVER THE ATOMIC PROGRAM FROM THE ARMY'S MANHATTAN DISTRICT WHICH BUILT THE ATOMIC BOMB.

HE IS A 39-YEAR-OLD ENGINEER AND SCIENTIST. HE FIRST CAME TO THE GOVERNMENT FROM MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY TO SERVE DURING THE WAR IN THE OFFICE OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT.

DEAN, A LAWYER WHO CALLS VISTA, CALIF., HIS HOME, IS A FORMER LAW PARTNER OF SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE.

HE BECAME CHAIRMAN IN JULY, SUCCEEDING SUMNER T.PIKE WHO HAD SERVED AS ACTING CHAIRMAN SINCE THE RESIGNATION OF LILIENTHAL FEB. 15.

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(350) NIGHT LEAD OHIO REDS

WASHINGTON, AUG.8-(AP)-A CINCINNATI BUSINESSMAN ADMITTED TODAY TO SEVEN YEARS MEMBERSHIP IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND NAMED 36 MEN AND WOMEN AS FELLOW REDS.

DAVID H. LEVISON, 40, GAVE THAT TESTIMONY TO THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE WHICH HAD THREATENED HIM WITH A CONTEMPT CITATION FOR HIS REFUSAL TO ANSWER QUESTIONS AT A PREVIOUS HEARING JULY 14.

AFTER HEARING HIM, THE COMMITTEE VOTED TO DROP ITS RECOMMENDATION THAT HE BE CITED FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.

LEVISION SAID HE JOINED THE PARTY IN 1935 AND QUIT IT IN 1942. HE SAID THERE WERE SEVERAL REASONS WHY HE GOT OUT: HE WAS "DISGUSTED WITH THE ANTICS OF SOME WHO TALKED CONSTANTLY OF FIGHTING HITLERISM WHILE TRYING TO KEEP FROM BEING DRAFTED"; HE DECIDED THAT THE PARTY DID NOT REPRESENT THE WORKING CLASSES; AND HE DETERMINED THAT THE BEST WAY TO COMBAT HITLERISM WAS IN A DIRECT MANNER.

ALSO, HE SAID, HIS WIFE WAS AFTER HIM CONSTANTLY TO SEVER HIS

CONNECTIONS WITH THE COMMUNISTS.

LEVISON APPEARED TODAY AT HIS OWN REQUEST. THE COMMITTEE COUNSEL ASKED HIM FOR WHAT PURPOSE HE APPEARED.

"TO MAKE A FULL AND COMPLETE STATEMENT OF THE FACTS TO THE COMMITTEE," THE RECANTED RED REPLIED.

LEVISON SAID HE WAS RECRUITED AS A COMMUNIST BY ROBERT GUNKEL, A FELLOW MEMBER OF THE PEN AND HAMMER CLUB IN CINCINNATI. OTHER MEMBERS OF THE CLUB LATER BECAME COMMUNISTS, HE TESTIFIED.

THE WITNESS SAID HE BECAME A MEMBER OF THE HAMILTON COUNTY (CINCINNATI) COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, AND, BEFORE HIS FINAL BREAK, WAS ACTING SECRETARY OF THE PARTY IN HAMILTON COUNTY.

HE TESTIFIED THAT HE WAS DRAFTED INTO THE ARMY IN AUGUST, 1942 AND WAS DISCHARGED AS A FIRST LIEUTENANT IN FEBRUARY, 1946. HE SAID HE SPENT 20 MONTHS IN THE GROUND FORCES REPLACEMENT CENTER IN THE EUROPEAN THEATER.

AFTER HE GOT OUT OF THE ARMY, HE SAID, GUNKEL TRIED TO GET HIM TO REJOIN THE PARTY. HE SAID HE TOLD GUNKEL "NOTHING DOING." OTHER COMMUNISTS LATER RENEWED THE ATTEMPT, HE SAID, "IT SEEMED TO ME," HE ADDED, "THAT THE PARTY WAS MAKING A SPECIAL EFFORT TO GET BACK FORMER MEMBERS WHO HAD BEEN IN ARMY SERVICE."

AT CINCINNATI, A CHECK OF THE 36 PERSONS NAMED BY LEVISON SHOWED THAT ALL BUT FIVE HAD BEEN NAMED IN PREVIOUS RECENT TESTIMONY BEFORE THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.

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FIRST LEAD OHIO REDS

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 8-(AP)-AN OHIOAN TESTIFIED TODAY HE QUIT THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN DISGUST BECAUSE MEMBERS TALKED MUCH OF FIGHTING HITLERISM WHILE TRYING TO KEEP FROM BEING DRAFTED.

THE WITNESS, DAVIS H.LEVISON, 40, A CINCINNATI BUSINESSMAN, TOLD THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE HE JOINED THE PARTY IN 1935 AND LEFT IN 1942 AFTER BECOMING "INCREASINGLY UNHAPPY."

LEVISON, WHO REFUSED TO ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS WHEN HE TESTIFIED JULY 14 UNDER SUBPOENA, RETURNED TO THE WITNESS STAND AT HIS OWN REQUEST. THIS TIME HE WILLINGLY ANSWERED ALL QUESTIONS, INCLUDING HIS ASSOCIATION WITH THE PARTY AND "FRONT" ORGANIZATIONS.

AFTER HEARING LEVISON TODAY, THE COMMITTEE VOTED TO DROP CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS PROCEEDINGS AGAINST HIM. THE COMMITTEE HAD RECOMMENDED HE BE CITED BY THE HOUSE FOLLOWING HIS EARLIER TESTIMONY.

IN ADDITION TO BEING "DISGUSTED WITH THE ANTICS OF SOME WHO TALKED CONSTANTLY OF FIGHTING HITLERISM WHILE TRYING TO KEEP FROM BEING DRAFTED," LEVISON GAVE THE COMMITTEE THESE OTHER REASONS FOR QUITTING THE COMMUNIST PARTY:

HE DECIDED THAT THE PARTY "WAS NOT WHAT IT WAS REPRESENTED TO BE AND DID NOT REPRESENT THE WORKING CLASS."

HIS WIFE WAS "CONSTANTLY AFTER ME TO SEVER MY CONNECTIONS WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY."

LEVISON WAS DRAFTED INTO THE ARMY AS A PRIVATE IN AUGUST, 1942 AND WAS DISCHARGED AS A FIRST LIEUTENANT IN FEBRUARY, 1946. HE SAID HIS SERVICE INCLUDED 20 MONTHS IN THE GROUND FORCES REPLACEMENT CENTER IN THE EUROPEAN THEATER.

WHEN LEVISON TOOK THE STAND, FRANK C.TAVENNER, JR., COMMITTEE COUNSEL, REMARKED THAT HE HAD REFUSED TO ANSWER CERTAIN QUESTIONS WHEN HE TESTIFIED JULY 14. HE ADDED THAT LEVISON HAD GOT IN TOUCH WITH HIM AND ASKED TO BE HEARD AGAIN.

"WHAT IS YOUR PURPOSE?" TAVENNER ASKED.

"MY PURPOSE IS TO MAKE A FULL AND COMPLETE STATEMENT OF THE FACTS TO THE COMMITTEE," LEVISON RESPONDED.

"ARE YOU NOW A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY?" TAVENNER ASKED.

"NO, SIR," LEVISON ANSWERED.

"WERE YOU EVER A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY?"

"YES, SIR."

WITH THESE PRELIMINARIES OUT OF THE WAY, LEVISON READILY TRACED FOR THE COMMITTEE HIS CONNECTION WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND "FRONT" ORGANIZATIONS. AND HE PROVIDED NAMES OF PERSONS HE SAID WERE KNOWN TO HIM AS COMMUNISTS.

LEVISON SAID HE JOINED THE PEN AND HAMMER CLUB IN CINCINNATI "ROUGHLY A YEAR," BEFORE HE WAS RECRUITED INTO THE COMMUNIST PARTY BY ROBERT GUNKEL, THEN HAMILTON COUNTY SECRETARY.

HE SAID GUNKEL WAS A MEMBER OF THE CLUB, THE ONLY PERSON HE KNEW AS A COMMUNIST WHEN HE JOINED. SUBSEQUENTLY, HE ADDED, OTHER MEMBERS OF THE CLUB JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

LEVISON SAID HE JOINED THE PEN AND HAMMER CLUB ON THE ADVICE OF MITCHELL GREENFIELD THAT IT WAS AN ANTI-FASCIST ORGANIZATION OF INTELLECTUALS. GREENFIELD, HE WENT ON, SUBSEQUENTLY JOINED THE ABRAHAM LINCOLN BRIGADE IN THE SPANISH CIVIL WAR AND DIED THERE.

TAVENNER ASKED WHETHER THE PEN AND HAMMER CLUB WAS INFILTERED WITH MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

"THE COMMUNIST PARTY RECRUITED MEMBERS OUT OF THE PEN AND HAMMER CLUB," HE REPLIED. "IT DIDN'T WORK THE OTHER WAY."

LEVISON SAID HE BECAME A MEMBER OF THE HAMILTON COUNTY COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, COMPOSED OF SEVEN OR EIGHT MEMBERS. AMONG THE COMMITTEE'S FUNCTIONS, HE RELATED, WERE BUILDING UP THE PARTY IN THE COUNTY, TRYING TO KEEP DUES PAID UP, AND CIRCULATING THE DAILY WORKER AND SUNDAY WORKER, COMMUNIST PARTY PAPERS.

ASKED TO NAME OTHERS WHO SERVED ON THE COUNTY COMMITTEE WITH HIM, LEVISON LISTED:

GUNKEL, HIMSELF, MARGARET KRAMER, WHO MARRIED GUNKEL; MARGE DOWERS, JOHN KACKMAR, RALPH MARCUS AND ABE BIEDERMANN, ALSO KNOWN AS ED JUSTICE.

LEVISON TESTIFIED THAT AFTER JOINING UP HE WAS ASSIGNED TO THE AVONDALE CELL IN CINCINNATI. SUBSEQUENTLY, HE SAID, HE BECAME "A MEMBER AT LARGE," NOT ASSIGNED TO ANY BRANCH OR CELL.

LEVISON TESTIFIED THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF THE PEN AND HAMMER CLUB BECAME COMMUNISTS: VICTOR KELLAR, ELI AND JOANNE HARRIS, JULIAN FALK, MARTIN SIEGEL AND GREENFIELD. HE SAID SOME OF THEM DID NOT STAY IN THE PARTY FOR LONG, BUT MENTIONED KELLAR AND SIEGEL AS BECOMING ACTIVE IN ONE OF MORE "FRONTS."

FOR A TIME BEFORE MAKING HIS FINAL BREAK, LEVISON TOLD THE COMMITTEE, HE WAS ACTING SECRETARY OF THE PARTY IN HAMILTON COUNTY. THIS CAME ABOUT, HE RELATED, WHEN JOE BRANDT, A STATE OFFICIAL, "SPRANG A SURPRISE" BY ANNOUNCING GUNKEL WAS BEING TRANSFERRED TO CLEVELAND TO DRUM UP STATE CIRCULATION FOR THE DAILY WORKER.

BUT LEVISON SAID HE NEVER WAS "A PAID FUNCTIONARY," OF THE PARTY.

HE RECALLED PAYING PARTY DUES OF ABOUT $2 A MONTH TO TWO PERSONS--VERA BART, WIFE OF PHILIP BART, NOW GENERAL MANAGER OF THE DAILY WORKER, AND MARGARET KRAMER, WHO BECAME GUNKEL'S WIFE.

LEVISON CALLED THE AVONDALE CELL "A FAIRLY SMALL GROUP."

LEVISON SAID MEMBERS OF THE AVONDALE CELL INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING: CARL AND ROBERT LEVY, BROTHERS; MORRIS AND ROSE FENSTER, MAN AND WIFE; MYER AND LILLY BLAINE (HE WAS UNCERTAIN ON THE SPELLING OF THE NAME, BUT SAID THE COUPLE LIVED ON HUTCHINS AVENUE AND BOTH WORKED IN A CLOTHING SHOP).

LEVISON TOLD THE COMMITTEE HE BELONGED TO THE AMERICAN LEAGUE FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY, THE NORTH AMERICAN COMMITTEE TO AID SPANISH DEMOCRACY, AND THE INTERNATIONAL WORKERS' ORDER. HE SAID HE WAS ACTIVE ONLY IN THE I.W.O.. SERVING AS CHAIRMAN OF THE ENGLISH SPEAKING BRANCH.

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HE SAID MRS. ROSE ARONDOFF WAS SECRETARY OF THE BRANCH. HE SAID SHE WAS A COMMUNIST.

LEVISON TESTIFIED THAT FOLLOWING HIS RETURN FROM THE ARMY, HE WAS APPROACHED BY GUNKEL TO REJOIN THE PARTY. LEVISON SAID HE TOLD GUNKEL "NOTHING DOING."

ONE OF THE MAIN REASONS THAT HE SAID INFLUENCED HIM IN HIS DECISION NOT TO REJOIN THE COMMUNISTS WAS BECAUSE THE PARTY "SEEMED TO BE WILLING TO DO ANYTHING THAT UNCLE JOE SAID."

LEVISON SAID GUNKEL MADE NO FURTHER EFFORTS TO GET HIM TO REJOIN BUT THAT SOMETIME LATER, HE WAS VISITED AT HIS HOME BY BIEDERMAN AND A MAN HE IDENTIFIED AS FRANK HASHMALL. HASHMALL WAS ONE OF THOSE WHO TESTIFIED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON JULY 14--THE SAME DATE ON WHICH LEVISON APPEARED. THE COMMITTEE HAS STARTED CONTEMPT PROCEEDINGS AGAINST HASHMALL FOR REFUSAL TO ANSWER QUESTIONS PUT TO HIM.

"BIEDERMAN," LEVISON SAID, "AFTER SOME SMALL TALK, ASKED ME TO REJOIN. I SAID: 'NO, I WANT NO PART OF IT.'

"HASHMALL THEN DIRECTED A DIATRIBE AT ME TO THE EFFECT THAT I, WHO HAD BEEN A PROMINENT MEMBER OF THE PARTY, WAS A TRAITOR TO THE WORKING CLASS.

"I LET HIM TALK HIMSELF OUT AND MADE NO EFFORT TO ANSWER HIM. I DIDN'T WANT TO GET INTO AN ARGUMENT.

"IT SEEMED TO ME THAT THE PARTY WAS MAKING A SPECIAL EFFORT TO GET BACK FORMER MEMBERS WHO HAD BEEN IN ARMY SERVICE."

LEVISON WAS THEN ASKED BY TAVENNER IF HE COULD IDENTIFY OTHER PERSONS FROM OHIO WHOM HE KNEW TO BE MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY DURING THE TIME HE, HIMSELF, WAS A MEMBER. LEVISON GAVE THESE NAMES AND DESCRIPTIONS:

WILLIAM ADLER, CINCINNATI, HEAD OF A STEEL UNION LOCAL; JACOB ARANOFF, THE HUSBAND OF ROSE, WHO WAS "NOT PARTICULARLY ACTIVE;" FANNY BIEDERMAN, ABE'S WIFE; THOMAS DOWERS, HUSBAND OF MARGIE; WILLIAM ENGLE, IN CHARGE OF CINCINNATI CIRCULATION OF THE SUNDAY WORKER; ED HAMILTON, DURING 1936 AND 1937 A MEMBER OF THE HAMILTON COUNTY COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

LOUIS LINOWITZ, A MEMBER OF THE AVONDALE CELL; CHARLES MOSCHEL, "AN OLDER MAN" WHO WORKED FOR THE J.H. DAY CO.; MAX SIEN, A REPORTER ON THE CINCINNATI POST; WALDO STAGER, AN ORGANIZER FOR THE UNITED ELECTRICAL WORKERS UNION; PETE STARK, WHOSE "PRIMARY AIM" WAS TO SELL THE YIDDISH EDITION OF THE DAILY WORKER.

JOHN GROSSMAN, OF THE AVONDALE BRANCH AND "ACTIVE" IN THE AMERICAN LEAGUE FOR PEACE AND DEMOCRACY AND THE NORTH AMERICAN SPANISH AID COMMITTEE; LEE LORCH, A STUDENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI, "BEST KNOWN FOR HIS INACTIVITY IN THE PARTY," AND E.S. (STEVE) GRATTAN, AN ORGANIZER FOR THE PARTY IN FRANKLIN COUNTY, AND HIS WIFE, NELRENE (CORRECT).

"ALL THESE PERSONS YOU HAVE NAMED," HAVENNER ASKED, "ARE KNOWN BY YOU TO HAVE BEEN MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY?"

"YES, SIR," LEVISON REPLIED.

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CHAIRMAN WOOD (D-GA) THEN ASKED LEVISON WHETHER HE HAD ANYTHING FURTHER HE WISHED TO SAY.

"WELL," LEVISON SAID, "I DEEPLY REGRET SOME OF THE THINGS I'VE DONE IN THE PAST. I'M SORRY I TOOK THE POSITION I DID ON JULY 14 IN REFUSING TO ANSWER QUESTIONS." HE ADDED THAT HE THOUGHT THE COMMITTEE HAD BEEN "VERY FAIR."

LEVISON'S ABOUT-FACE IS EXPECTED TO PROMPT THE COMMITTEE TO DROP CONTEMPT PROCEEDINGS AGAINST HIM. HE IS AMONG 59 WITNESSES THE COMMITTEE HAS VOTED TO PROCEED AGAINST IN RECENT WEEKS.

JOHN J.EDMISTON, A DAYTON NEWSPAPER REPORTER AND FORMER FBI UNDERCOVER AGENT, TOLD THE COMMITTEE LAST MONTH THAT LEVISON ONCE WAS ACTING SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN CINCINNATI.

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B107 (110)

WESTOVER AIRFORCE BASE, MASS.,AUG.8-(AP)-SGT. ROY R.JOHNSON SAID TODAY HE WAS SHOT THREE TIMES BY A NORTH KOREAN AS HE LAY WOUNDED ON THE GROUND.

SGT.JOHNSON, A NEGRO MEDIC, FROM AUGUSTA, GA., WAS ONE OF 15 CASUALTIES FLOWN FROM WESTOVER TO WALTER REED HOSPITAL IN WASHINGTON TODAY, ON THE LAST LEG OF THEIR EVACUATION FROM KOREA.

JOHNSON SAID HE WAS FIRST INJURED BY A BOMB BLAST WHICH BLEW OFF HIS LEF HAND, AND HURLED HIM FROM THE STRETCHER-JEEP HE WAS DRIVING AT THE FRONT. THEN A NORTH KOREAN GOT OUT OF A NEARBY TANK, JOHNSON SAID, "CAME OVER TO ME HOLDING A PISTOL IN HIS HAND. HE FIRED THREE SHOTS AND HIT ME IN THE OTHER HAND AND THE CHEST. I PLAYED DEAD FOR AN HOUR. EVEN WHEN HE KICKED ME I DIDN'T MOVE."

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PETERBOROUGH,N.H.,AUG 8-(AP)-OWEN LATTIMORE SAYS A COMMUNIST CHINA DELEGATION SHOULD BE SEATED IN THE UNITED NATIONS AS THE FIRST STEP IN MAKING ASIATIC COUNTRIES "OUR WILLING ASSOCIATES."

LATTIMORE TOLD A GROUP HERE LAST NIGHT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD FOLLOW THE SUGGESTION OF PRIME MINISTER NEHRU OF INDIA THAT COMMUNIST CHINA SHOULD BE ADMITTED TO THE U.N. IN AN EFFORT TO HALT THE KOREAN WAR.

THE FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS EXPERT SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN "AS A CONCESSION TO OUR FRIEND AND NOT AS APPEASEMENT FOR SOVIET RUSSIA."

HE DECLARED IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT "THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM BE CHECKED IN ASIA," BUT ADDED:

"WE MUST REMEMBER WE CAN'T HOLD THE LINE AGAINST COMMUNISM WITHOUT ASIATIC ALLIES."

LATTIMORE WAS ACCUSED BY SEN.MCCARTHY (R-WIS) OF BEING RUSSIA'S TOP AGENT IN THIS COUNTRY. HE LATER WAS CLEARED BY THE DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY OF A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE INVESTIGATING THE CHARGES.

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B75CX (240)

CHICAGO, AUG 8-(AP)-NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY FACULTY MEMBERS WERE GOVERNMENT WITNESSES TODAY AT A DEPORTATION HEARING AGAINST A FORMER COLLEAGUE WHO ONCE MADE WARTIME BROADCASTS FROM GERMANY FOR THE NAZIS.

THE GOVERNMENT IS SEEKING TO DEPORT EDWARD V. SITTLER, 34, WHO WENT TO BERLIN AS A STUDENT BEFORE THE WAR AND RENOUNCED HIS AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP TO BECOME A GERMAN CITIZEN AND A NAZI PARTY MEMBER.

SITTLER RETURNED TO AMERICA IN 1946 AS A WITNESS IN GERMAN SPY TRIALS. HE TAUGHT GERMAN AT NORTHWESTERN IN 1947 AND 1948, WAS DISMISSED, AND THEN WENT TO THE MICHIGAN COLLEGE OF MINING AND TECHNOLOGY AT HOUGHTON, AS A GERMAN LECTURER. HE LATER WAS DISMISSED BY MICHIGAN TECH.

TODAY HUBERT JANNACH, AN ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN NORTHWESTERN'S GERMAN DEPARTMENT, TESTIFIED BEFORE IMMIGRATION EXAMINER FRANK J. GILLESPIE THAT HE HEARD SITTLER SAY IN 1948 THAT AMERICAN TROOPS IN GERMANY LOOTED, RAPED AND COMMITTED INJUSTICES.

HE QUOTED SITTLER AS SAYING THAT GERMAN SOLDIERS WERE TOO MORAL AND WELL DISCIPLINED TO DO SUCH THINGS.

SITTLER, WHO SAYS HE BECAME A NAZI PARTY MEMBER ONLY TO GET AN APARTMENT, AND HIS GERMAN-BORN WIFE AND THEIR SIX CHILDREN ARE IN THE UNITED STATES ON AN IMMIGRATION PERMIT GRANTED BY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AFTER HE CAME HERE TO TESTIFY AT THE TREASON TRIALS OF

SEVERAL NAZI PROPAGANDISTS.

GERHARDT KOHN, A FORMER FACULTY MEMBER AT NORTHWESTERN, TESTIFIED THAT HE HAD HEARD SITTLER SAY AT A FACULTY PARTY THAT THE CONDUCT OF AMERICAN OCCUPATION TROOPS IN GERMANY WAS "STUPID AND BLUNDERING," AND THAT THE ROOSEVELT ADMINISTRATION HAD DUPED THE AMERICAN PUBLIC INTO WAR.

DR. JOSEPH HEIGHT, OF EVANSTON, A PROFESSOR IN NORTHWESTERN'S GERMAN DEPARTMENT, ALSO TOLD OF THE FACULTY PARTY AND OF HEARING SITTLER'S REMARKS.

GILLESPIE SAID HE EXPECTS THE HEARING WILL BE CONCLUDED TOMORROW. THEN HE WILL MAKE HIS RECOMMENDATION TO THE IMMIGRATION COMMISSIONER IN WASHINGTON.

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FAIRFIELD-SUISUN AIR FORCE BASE, CALIF., AUG. 8-(AP)-CPL. WILLIAM H. GILHOOLEY OF BROOKLYN, N. Y., CAME HOME FROM KOREA TODAY WITH MACHINEGUN AND SCHRAPNEL WOUNDS AND A GRIM TALE OF CAPTURE BY THE REDS.

"I WAS PART OF A FOUR-MAN TANK CREW WITH THE 24TH DIVISION. NOW I'M IT," THE 22-YEAR-OLD SOLDIER SAID.

HIS TANK RAN INTO HEAVY ENEMY FIRE IN THE NORTH KOREAN OFFENSIVE JULY 23-24 IN THE OKCHON-TAEJON-YONGDONG AREA.

"THEY GOT MY DRIVER AS HE POPPED OUT OF THE TANK AND THEN ENCIRCLED US AS WE DUCKED INTO A DITCH," GILHOOLEY SAID. "I HIT ONE SNIPER WITH A GRENADE BUT HE WAS SO CLOSE A PIECE OF THE GRENADE WENT INTO MY BACK.

"MY BUDDIES AND I FINALLY HAD TO THROW UP OUR HANDS---WE WERE FLUSHED LIKE QUAIL OUT OF THE BUSHES.

"THEY TIED TELEPHONE WIRE AROUND OUR WRISTS, TOOK OUR DOG TAGS AND SHOES AND MARCHED US ALL NIGHT."

A DAY LATER THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION MADE AN ATTACK "THAT REALLY BROKE THEIR BACKS," GILHOOLEY WENT ON. "BUT BEFORE THEY SCATTERED THEY MACHINEGUNNED US---ME, MY TWO SURVIVING BUDDIES FROM THE TANK AND A COUPLE OF INFANTRYMEN PRISONERS.

"I ONLY GOT IT IN THE SHOULDER. ONE OF THE INFANTRYMEN LOOSENED MY WRIST BINDINGS WITH HIS TEETH. I FOUND AN ABANDONED AMERICAN TANK WITH ITS MOTOR STILL RUNNING, JUMPED IN AND HEADED FOR THE AMERICAN LINES.

"THEY PULLED ME OUT UNCONSCIOUS, THOUGHT I WAS DEAD. FOR A WHILE, I DID TOO."

GILHOOLEY WAS ONE OF 33 WOUNDED FROM THE KOREAN WAR FRONT FLOWN TO THE UNITED STATES TODAY FOR CONVALESCENCE.

HE SAID THAT WHILE HE WAS A RED PRISONER HE WAS THROWN IN WITH MIKE GIGANTES, AN INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE WAR CORRESPONDENT (WHO WRITES UNDER THE NAME OF PHILIP DEAN). GIGANTES IS LISTED AS MISSING.

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MCCONNELSVILLE, O., AUG. 8-(AP)-U.S.SEN.ROBERT A.TAFT (R-OHIO) SAID YESTERDAY THE UNITED STATES "INVITED THE ATTACK IN KOREA."

THE SENATOR TOLD 5,000 TO 6,000 PERSONS ATTENDING MORGAN COUNTY'S ANNUAL SOIL CONSERVATION FIELD DAY:

"SECRETARY (OF STATE) ACHESON ANNOUNCED LAST WINTER THAT WE WOULD NOT DEFEND KOREA AND FORMOSA. RUSSIA HAS EXPANDED BY PUSHING INTO THE SOFT SPOT."

TAFT ALSO ASSERTED THAT ALL-OUT REARMING BY THE UNITED STATES "WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY LEAD TO WORLD WAR III."

"THE REAL PROBLEM," TAFT SAID, "IS 'ARE WE TO OUTFIT THE ARMED FORCES TO HANDLE THE KOREAN WAR, OR ARE WE GOING TO BUILD UP OUR MILITARY FORCES IN ANTICIPATION OF AN ALL-OUT WAR WITH RUSSIA IN PERHAPS TWO YEARS?'

"IF IT IS THE LATTER, THE COST WOULD AMOUNT TO ABOUT FIFTY BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR. IF THE FORMER, THE COST WOULD BE ABOUT FIFTEEN BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR.

"I AM OPPOSED TO WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS AT PRESENT. I BELIEVE WE CAN PAY AS WE GO IF WE CONTROL CONSUMER CREDIT AND REDUCE DOMESTIC EXPENDITURES.

"ON THE OTHER HAND, IF WE ARE GOING TO BUILD UP AGAINST AN ALL-OUT WAR WITH RUSSIA, WE'LL HAVE TO SPEND FIFTY BILLIONS PER YEAR AND WILL HAV TO HAVE ALL-OUT CONTROLS."

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 8-(AP)-A DEPORTATION HEARING FOR DR. BERTHA BARKAN LUTHY, 38, RESEARCH WORKER, HAS BEEN CONTINUED TO AUG. 14.

IT WAS TO HAVE RESUMED YESTERDAY BUT BRUCE BARBER, DISTRICT IMMIGRATION DIRECTOR, SAID IT WAS CONTINUED TO ALLOW MORE TIME TO STIPULATE TESTIMONY ABOUT THE NATURE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

WHEN THE HEARING STARTED JULY 13 TWO ADMITTED EX-COMMUNISTS TESTIFIED THE FORMER STANFORD UNIVERSITY SCIENTIST WAS, IN THE EARLY 1930S, A MEMBER OF THE YOUNG COMMUNIST LEAGUE AND THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

DR. LUTHY IS UNDER INDICTMENT ON A CHARGE SHE FALSELY TOLD AN IMMIGRATION OFFICER SHE WAS BORN IN CHICAGO. THE GOVERNMENT SAYS SHE IS A NATIVE OF RUSSIA.

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 8-(AP)-BURMA'S AMXASSADOR TO COMMUNIST CHINA TODAY PRESENTED HIS CREDENTIALS IN PEIPING AND WAS WARMLY GREETED BY RED LEADER MAO TZE-TUNG, A PEIPING BROADCAST SAID.

THE AMBASSADOR, U MYINT THEIN, WILL REMAIN IN PEIPING FOR ABOUT THREE MONTHS. HE THEN WILL GO TO THE UNITED STATES WHERE HE WILL HEAD BURMA'S DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS.

A BROADCAST HEARD BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS HERE QUOTED U MYINT THEIN AS SAYING "CLOSER COOPERATION" AMONG ASIAN PEOPLES "ARE FACTORS WHICH MUST BE ESTABLISHED TO PRESERVE THEIR HARD-EARNED AND NEWLY-REGAINED LIBERTIES" AT A TIME "WHEN THE PEACE OF THE WORLD IS CONTINUOUSLY THREATENED."

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FIRST LEAD

SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 8-(AP)-NINE MEMBERS OF THE CIO MARINE COOKS AND STEWARDS UNION WERE BARRED FROM THE CREW OF THE LINER PRESIDENT CLEVELAND TODAY BY THE COAST GUARD.

THEY WERE AMONG 150 COOKS AND STEWARDS WHO, IN A REVERSAL OF THEIR ATTITUDE MONDAY, RETURNED TO THE SHIP TO SIGN ON FOR THE VOYAGE.

PREVIOUSLY THEY HAD STALLED IN PROTEST AGAINST MEASURES BEING TAKEN TO KEEP MEN REGARDED AS POOR SECURITY RISKS OFF SUCH SHIPS.

SIGNING SHIP'S ARTICLES USED TO BE MERELY A ROUTINE CEREMONY. NOW, WITH THE NEW LOYALTY CHECK, THE PROCEDURE INVOLVES CHECKING EACH MAN'S PAPERS AGAINST A COAST GUARD LIST OF PERSONS BELIEVED TO BE POOR SECURITY RISKS.

THE NINE CULINARY WORKERS WERE CALLED OUT BECAUSE THEIR NAMES WERE ON THE LIST, ACCORDING TO THE COAST GUARD.

THE COAST GUARD SAID AN APPEAL BOARD IS BEING SET UP TO HEAR SEAMEN REJECTED I N THE SECURITY SCREENING. IT WILL BE MADE UP OF A UNION OFFICIAL, A STEAMSHIP COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE AND A COAST GUARD OFFICER.

MEN ARE SCREENED ONLY ON SHIPS SAILING TO FOREIGN PORTS.

(NO PICKUP)

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NIGHT LEAD BRIDGES

SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 8-(AP)-HARRY BRIDGES' PLEA FOR FREEDOM FROM JAIL ON BAIL WAS TAKEN UNDER SUBMISSION BY THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS LATE TODAY.

THE ACTION APPARENTLY MEANT THAT THE CIO LONGSHORE LABOR LEADER WOULD REMAIN IMPRISONED AT LEAST UNTIL THE END OF THE WEEK.

THE CASE ADMITTEDLY WAS WITHOUT PRECEDENT. BRIDGES HAD BEEN AT LIBERTY ON $25,000 BAIL PENDING APPEAL ON A PERJURY CONVICTION FOR SAYING HE WAS NOT A COMMUNIST WHEN HE BECAME AN AMERICAN CITIZEN IN 1945.

FEDERAL JUDGE GEORGE B. HARRIS REVOKED THIS BAIL AND DECLARED BRIDGES WAS A DANGEROUS MENACE TO THE INTERNAL SECURITY OF THE COUNTRY AT THE TIME OF THE KOREAN WAR.

TODAY THREE JUDGES OF THE APPEALS COURT---CLIFTON MATHEWS, WILLIAM HALY AND WILLIAM ORR---HEARD ARGUMENTS BY BRIDGES' ATTORNEY, NORMAN LEONARD, FOR RENEWAL OF HIS BAIL.

LEONARD RECALLED THAT SUPREME COURT JUSTICE JACKSON IN 1943 DECLARED IN AN OPINION THAT "BECAUSE THE COUNTRY WAS AT WAR, IT DID NOT CONSTITUTE A REASON FOR SCRAPPING THE BILL OF RIGHTS."

THE ATTORNEY ADDED THAT HE "FEARED THIS ACTION AGAINST BRIDGES WAS INDICATIVE OF A TENDENCY ON THE PART OF THE GOVERNMENT TO ELIMINATE DISSENTERS."

AT THE SUGGESTION OF THE COURT, LEONARD AGREED TO FILE A SUPPLEMENTAL MOTION TO VACATE AND SET ASIDE JUDGE HARRIS' ORDER REVOKING BAIL.

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THE COURT GAVE SPECIAL PROSECUTOR F. JOSEPH DONOHUE UNTIL THURSDAY TO ANSWER LEONARD'S MOTION. LEONARD THEN SAID HE WOULD NEED 24 HOURS IN WHICH TO REPLY.

JUDGE AND LAWYERS, AGREEING THE MATTER WAS WITHOUT PRECEDENT, SAID THEY DID NOT KNOW WHERE THE SITUATION STOOD REGARDING THE MATTER OF JURISDICTION.

LEONARD ARGUED IT WAS THE RIGHT OF DEFENDANT BRIDGES TO BE FREE ON BAIL, INASMUCH AS THERE WAS A SUBSTANTIAL QUESTION ON APPEAL, AND NO DISPOSITION ON BRIDGES PART TO FLEE THE COURT'S JURISDICTION.

AT CONCLUSION OF THE HEARING, THE COURT OF APPEALS GRANTED PERMISSION TO WAYNE COLLINS TO SUBMIT A BRIEF SEEKING TO ENTER THE CASE AS A FRIEND OF THE COURT. HE MAY DO SO, THE COURT HELD, AS AN INDIVIDUAL ATTORNEY BUT NOT AS A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION. COLLINS IS THE UNION'S ATTORNEY.

MEANWHILE, IN THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS, 4,400 SUGAR WORKERS AND LONGSHOREMEN---MEMBERS OF BRIDGES' UNION---STAGED BRIEF STRIKES PROTESTING JAILING OF THE ILWU PRESIDENT.

THE STEVEDORES APPROVED A RESOLUTION TO TELEGRAPH A PROTEST TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN. THEY SAID THE STRIKE WAS BRIEF "SO AS NOT TO INTERFERE WITH THE MOVEMENT OF CARGO THROUGH HONOLULU."

THE 4,000 SUGAR WORKERS WHO WALKED OFF TEN PLANTATIONS YESTERDAY STARTED TO RETURN TO WORK TODAY. BUT THEY WERE TURNED AWAY FROM THE GATES BY COMPANY REPRESENTATIVES AND INFORMED THEY WERE SUSPENDED FOR 24 HOURS IN RETALIATION FOR THE WALKOUTS.

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LONDON, AUG. 8-(AP)-THE KOREAN WAR HAS BROUGHT A SURGE IN SUGAR BUYING WHICH MAY RESULT IN A WORLD SUGAR SHORTAGE, THE FINANCIAL TIMES SAID EDITORIALLY TODAY.

"KOREA HAS BROUGHT A COMPLETE CHANGE IN THE WORLD SUGAR MARKET," THE BRITISH PAPER SAID.

"A MONTH AGO, THE PROSPECT OF A CARRY-OVER STOCK IN CUBA OF AT LEAST 750,000 TONS OVERHUNG THE MARKET. NOW WITH STOCKS RAPIDLY DISAPPEARING IT IS DOUBTFUL, ACCORDING TO THE EXPERTS, WHETHER THE NORMAL DEMANDS OF SOME COUNTRIES CAN BE FULLY MET.

"THE SURGE OF BUYING WHICH HAS TRANSFERRED THESE 750,000 TONS OF CUBAN SUGAR INTO DISTRIBUTIVE CHANNELS HAS BEEN ACCOMPANIED BY AN

EQUALLY MARKED ADVANCE IN PRICES.

"THE UNITED STATES IS TO MAKE AVAILABLE TO OTHER COUNTRIES ANY EXCESS OF ITS CUBAN PURCHASES OVER ITS OWN NEEDS. THIS IS WELCOME NEWS.

"CROPS OF CANE SUGAR AND OF BEET IN EUROPE PROMISE TO SHOW SUBSTANTIAL INCREASES IN THE COMING SEASON. THIS SHOULD HELP TO MEET THE DEMAND OF IMPORTING COUNTRIES FOR LARGER STOCKS AGAINST ANY EMERGENCY.

--DASH--

IN NEW YORK, TRADE SOURCES POINTED OUT THAT THE WAVE OF SCARE BUYING THAT FOLLOWED THE KOREAN WAR LED THE U.S. GOVERNMENT:

1. TO RAISE THE SUGAR CONSUMPTION QUOTA FOR THE UNITED STATES FROM 7,500,000 TONS TO 7,650,000 TONS.

2. TO BUY THE ENTIRE REMAINING CUBAN SURPLUS OF 600,000 TONS. THIS WOULD PROVIDE AMERICANS WITH MORE SUGAR THAN THEY EVER CONSUMED IN ANY YEAR. LAST YEAR CONSUMPTION WAS AROUND 7,500,000 TONS.

THE U.S. GOVERNMENT HAS SAID THE CUBAN SURPLUS IT BOUGHT WILL BE HELD THERE FOR THE TIME BEING. IT COULD BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR WORLD USE, TRADE SOURCES SAID, IF DEMAND IN THE UNITED STATES DROPPED BACK TO THE NORMAL RATE.

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WASHINGTON,AUG.8-(AP)-TWO GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TOLD A CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES REMAINS ALMOST WHOLLY DEPENDENT ON OTHER COUNTRIES FOR TIN.

DR.JAMES BOYD, DIRECTOR OF THE BUREAU OF MINES IN THE INTERIOR DEPARTMENT, SAID ONLY NEGLIGIBLE QUANTITIES OF THE STRATEGIC METAL ARE PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES.

"WHAT WE DO HAVE IS OF ABSYMALLY LOW GRADE," HE TOLD THE HOUSE PUBLIC LANDS COMMITTEE.

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ALL KNOWN ECONOMICALLY RECOVERABLE TIN DEPOSITS IN THE UNITED STATES WOULD AMOUNT TO ONLY A FEW DAYS SUPPLY, HE SAID, AND PRODUCTION IN ALASKA PROVIDES ONLY A SMALL PORTION OOF THE NATION'S REQUIREMENTS.

BOYD APPEARED AT A HEARING ON A BILL BY REP.PETERSON (D-FLA), COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, DESIGNED TO ENCOURAGE THE EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF TIN ORE RESOURCES IN THE UNITED STATES.

PETERSON EMPHASIZED THAT THE BILL HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THE OPERATION OF THE TEXAS CITY,TEX.,TIN PLANT, A GOVERNMENT OWNED DEVELOPMENT OPERATED UNDER CONTRACT BY A DUTCH COMPANY.

ERWIN VOGELSANG, COMMERCE DEPARTMENT TIN OFFICIAL WHO HEADED THE WORLD WAR TWO PRODUCTION BOARD'S TIN DIVISION, GAVE TESTIMONY SIMILAR TO THAT OF BOYD.

HE TOLD OF EXPLORATIONS THAT HAD BEEN MADE OVER THE PAST 40 YEARS IN NUMEROUS STATES, INCLUDING ALABAMA AND THROUGHOUT THE WEST. THE MOST LIKELY DEPOSITS ARE IN SOUTH DAKOTA, BUT THESE TOO ARE INSUFFICIENT TO MAKE THEIR DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICALLY JUSTIFIABLE, HE ADDED.

VOGELSANG SAID THE U.S.GOVERNMENT IS ACTIVELY ENCOURAGING THE IMPORTATION OF CONCENTRATED TIN ORES FROM THE DUTCH EAST INDIES AS WELL AS FROM BOLIVIA AND IS CONTINUALLY ADDING TO THE NATIONAL DEFENSE STOCKPILE.

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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 10-(AP)-AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN STABBED WITHIN FIVE MILES OF CHINJU TODAY. GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE KOREAN COMMUNIST RETREAT BEFORE THE U.S.OFFENSIVE IN THE SOUTH IS "IN THE NATURE OF A ROUT."

THE HARD-PUNCHED REDS WERE REPORTED READY TO ABANDON THEIR SOUTHERN ANCHOR CITY. INTELLIGENCE REPORTS TO MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE FALLING BACK TOO FAST TO GET INTO PREPARED POSITIONS TO BATTLE THE AMERICAN ONSLAUGHT.

THE PROGRESS REPORT FROM MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS CAME SHORTLY AFTER FIELD REPORTS TOLD OF THE LINK-UP OF TWO SPEARHEADS OF THE OFFENSIVE.

REPORTS TO U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID DOUGHBOYS OF THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND THE 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION'S 35TH REGIMENT JOINED ON HIGH GROUND THAT LEADS TO WITHIN TWO MILES OF THE BURNED-OUT CITY. THE REDS HAD HOPED TO DRIVE FROM THERE EASTWARD 55 AIR MILES TO PUSAN, THE ALL-IMPORTANT UNITED NATIONS SUPPLY PORT.

TO THE NORTH, THE ARMY'S FIRST CAVALRY AND 24TH DIVISIONS ALSO WERE ATTACKING, SMASHING BRIDGEHEADS THE REDS HAD PUT ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER BEFORE THE KEY COMMUNICATIONS HUB OF TAEGU.

NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE REDS WERE RETREATING BACK ACROSS THE RIVER AND "PULLING BACK THEIR FRONT LINE." AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID. "THE THURSDAY NOON COMMUNIQUE SAID THE REDS HAD BEEN CHASED WEDNESDAY FROM THE LAST HIGH GROUND THEY HELD EAST OF THE RIVER.

THE FIRST CAVALRY LAUNCHED AN ATTACK THURSDAY MORNING TO CLEAN UP THE COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD AROUND WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE REDS HAD BEEN SURROUNDED.

ONLY ON THE EAST COAST OF THE U. N. BEACHHEAD WAS THE TURN OFBATTLE GOING AGAINST THE DEFENDERS. THE NORTH KOREANS RECAPTURED YONGDOK FROM THE SOUTH KOREANS AND SHOVED ALMOST ONE MILE SOUTH OF THE SHELL-SMASHED TOWN. YONGDOK IS 80 AIR MILES NORTH OF PUSAN.

THE REDS CRASHED INTO YONGDOK DESPITE A HEAVY POUNDING OF THEIR POSITIONS AND ROAD JUNCTIONS NORTH OF THE TOWN BY U.S. WARSHIPS WEDNESDAY. THE SHELLING WAS REPORTED BY FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS THURSDAY.

THE LINKING OF PATROLS FROM THE FIFTH AND 35TH INFANTRY EAST OF CHINJU WAS MADE AGAINST LIGHT COMMUNIST OPPOSITION, SAID REPORTS TO EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS.

HOW MANY RED TROOPS WERE CAUGHT IN THIS ENCIRCULING MOVEMENT WAS NOT KNOWN. REMNANTS OF ONE OF THE CRACK NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS HAD BEEN THREATENED BY THIS PINCER. THE BIG QUESTION: DID THE AMERICANS CLOSE IN FAST ENOUGH TO TRAP THEM--AND IF SO, WERE THE AMERICANS IN SUFFICIENT STRENGTH TO HOLD THE TRAP SHUT?

THE LINK-UP OF THE FIFTH WITH THE 35TH MERGED THE TWO NORTHERN PRONGS OF THE THREE-WAY OFFENSIVE ON CHINJU. THERE WAS NO LATE WORD FROM THE FIFTH REGIMENT OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION ON THE SOUTH.

THE 35TH REGIMENT HAD REACHED A POINT 12 MILES EAST OF CHINJU EARLY THURSDAY WITH PATROLS REACHING TO WITHIN SEVEN MILES OF THE TOWN.

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ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE TO THE NORTH, AMERICANS LAUNCHED A NEW ATTACK. APPARENTLY THEY ALREADY HAD STALLED A MAJOR RED OFFENSIVE AIMED AT PUNCHING THROUGH TO THE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU. NO NEW CROSSINGS WERE REPORTED DURING WEDNESDAY NIGHT AND EARLY THURSDAY MORNING.

BUT ON THE EASTERN END OF THE UNITED NATIONS NORTHERN FRONT, THE REDS RECAPTURED THE RUBBLED TOWN OF YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST. THEY SURGED ALMOST A MILE SOUTHWARD PAST THE TOWN WHICH IS THE NORTHERN ANCHOR OF THE ALLIED LINE AND WAS DEFENDED BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.

IN THE SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE, U.S.PATROLS WERE ONLY SEVEN MILES EAST OF CHINJU, RED SPRINGBOARD FOR A DRIVE ON PUSAN, VITAL U.N. SUPPLY PORT 55 AIR MILES TO THE EAST.

THESE PATROLS WERE FROM THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE ARMY'S 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION WHICH WAS PUSHING WESTWARD ONLY 12 MILES FROM THE BURNED-OUT CITY.

STRIKING OUT TO LINK UP WITH THE 35TH, THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM ATTACKED AT MIDNIGHT WEDNESDAY IN THE SECOND MAJOR AMERICAN NIGHT ASSAULT OF THE WAR.

EIGHT HOURS LATER, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED FROM THE FRONT THAT THE FIFTH WAS WITHIN FOUR MILES OF A LINK-UP WITH THE 35TH. HE SAID THE NORTH KOREANS WERE FALLING BACK HURRIEDLY TO ESCAPE THE TRAP AMERICANS WERE TRYING TO CLAMP SHUT.

WHITEHEAD SAID THE THREE-DAY AMERICAN ASSAULT "BROKE THE BACK OF ENEMY RESISTANCE" 10 MILES WEST OF MASAN, MIDWAY BETWEEN CHINJU AND PUSAN. TWO REGIMENTS OF THE TOUTED NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION HAD BEEN CHEWED TO BITS.

ALLIED FIGHTER PLANES AND LIGHT BOMBERS ADDED TO THE CONFUSION IN THE COMMUNIST REAR BY POUNDING CHINJU DURING THE NIGHT AND SHOOTING UP COMMUNICATIONS POINTS AND RETREATING RED COLUMNS.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING REPORTED FROM THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT THAT AMERICANS OPENED A NEW ATTACK ABOUT DAWN THURSDAY AGAINST THE RED CHANGNYONG AREA BRIDGEHEAD.

IN THIS ACTION ABOUT 29 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU ON THE U.S.24TH DIVISION FRONT, KING SAID, SMALL NUMBERS OF REDS WERE BEING FORCED BACK ACROSS THE RIVER. THE ATTACK ENABLED AMERICAN TANKS TO GET INTO ACTION.

THE NEW ATTACK, FOLLOWING UP WEDNESDAY'S PUSH ON THE BRIDGEHEAD, WAS TEMPORARILY SLOWED BY A RED COUNTERATTACK. BUT KING SAID THE AMERICANS FOUGHT IT OFF AND CONTINUED THEIR SQUEEZE ON THE EAST BANK COMMUNIST POCKET.

BRIG.GEN.PEARSON MENOHER, DEPUTY COMMANDER OF THE 24TH, SAID THE SITUATION WAS "PROMISING."

THERE WAS NO LATE REPORTS FROM THE FRONT ALONG THE NAKTONG FARTHER NORTH WHERE THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HAMMERED AT A RED BRIDGEHEAD IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS THAT CAPTURED DOCUMENTS INDICATED THE COMMUNISTS HAD PLANNED A MAJOR PUSH ACROSS THE NAKTONG.

FIRST CAVALRY UNITS, HE SAID, FOUND BATTLE ORDERS--DATED WEDNESDAY-ORDERING THE REDS TO HOLD THEIR BRIDGEHEADS "AT ALL COSTS." THE ORDER SAID REINFORCEMENTS WERE ARRIVING AND AN EFFORT TO BREACH THE AMERICAN DEFENSES WOULD BE MADE IMMEDIATELY.

THE NORTH KOREAN RECAPTURE OF YONGDOK, 80 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN ON THE EAST COAST, WAS REPORTED AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS AND ALSO

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BY FIFTH AIR FORCE PILOTS.

THE TOWN, FLATTENED BY NAVAL BOMBARDMENT, HAS CHANGED HANDS SEVERAL TIMES.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS EARLIER HAD REPORTED THE COMMUNISTS ADVANCING ON THE NORTHERN RIM OF THE 140-MILES FRONT.

A FRONT DISPATCH FROM ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD SAID THE THREE-DAY ASSAULT HAD BROKEN THE BACK OF THE ENEMY RESISTANCE, 10 MILES WEST OF MASAN, AN IMPORTANT SUPPLY POINT ONLY 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN. HE SAID THE REDS WERE RETREATING HASTILY.

TWO FULL REGIMENTS OF THE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION WERE REPORTED WIPED OUT. AMERICAN OFFICERS ESTIMATED COMMUNIST DEAD ON THIS FRONT ALONE AT MORE THAN 1,200 IN THE PAST WEEK WITH HALF OF THEM KILLED IN THE THREE DAYS OF THE ATTACK NOW MOVING TOWARD CHINJU.

A HEADQUARTERS OFFICER EARLIER HAD CREDITED THE SOUTHERN PUSH AND COUNTERATTACKS FARTHER NORTH WITH WRECKING WELL-LAID ENEMY PLANS FOR A SUPREME PUSH TO DRIVE THE ALLIES FROM KOREA.

AMERICAN COUNTERATTACKS 29 MILES SOUTHWEST AND 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU WERE HAMMERING ENEMY CROSSING FORCES BACK STEADILY TOWARD THE NAKTONG RIVER. THIS EASED THE PRESSURE ON TAEGU, FRONTLINE SUPPLY CITY AND REFUGEE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

WHILE RETREATING OR CHECKED IN THE SOUTH AND WEST, THE NORTH KOREANS WERE ADVANCING ON THE NORTHERN RIM OF THE 140-MILE FRONT.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS - THE 6TH AND 8TH - HAD FALLEN BACK TWO MILES ON THE NORTHERN SECTOR SOUTH OF ANDONG. THIS IS ON THE FRONT ABOUT 30 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

ANOTHER NORTH KOREAN FORCE FILTERED SOUTH OVER RUGGED MOUNTAIN GOAT TRAILS TOWARD POHANG, ON THE EAST COAST ABOUT 75 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN. THIS SPEARHEAD, ESTIMATED ABOUT 5,000 STRONG, KNIFED THROUGH AN UNDEFENDED GAP IN SOUTH KOREAN LINES AND WAS BEING SLOWED DOWN ONLY BY DIFFICULT TERRAIN.

HEAVY FIGHTING WAS IN PROGRESS NEAR REPUBLICAN-HELD YONGDOK, THE EASTERN ANCHOR POSITION 90 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN. HERE THE COMMUNIST FIFTH DIVISION WAS BUILDING UP STRENGTH, APPARENTLY WITH REINFORCEMENTS COMING FROM THE NORTH. AMERICAN AND BRITISH NAVAL GUNFIRE BACKED UP SOUTH KOREANS WHO WERE HOLDING FIRM.

AS THE TIDE BEGAN TO TURN IN THE KOREAN WAR, MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID DOUBT WAS SPREADING AMONG RED SYMPATHIZERS AND CONVERTS THAT THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY COULD DRIVE THE AMERICANS OFF THE PENINSULA.

KOREANS PARTIAL TO THE REDS SO LONG AS THEY WERE ADVANCING WERE REPORTED "DEMORALIZED" BY CONSTANT ALLIED BOMBING AND THE AMERICAN SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE.

MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY SAID PROGRESS WAS "SATISFACTORY" IN THE SOUTH DRIVE BY "TASK FORCE KEAN" -- HEADED BY MAJ.GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN. IT CONTINUED:

"PILOTS REPORTED THAT THE RED FORCES WERE PREPARING TO EVACUATE CHINJU BUT VIOLENT OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED ALONG THE SOUTHERN PRONG OF THE ADVANCE."

THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT AND THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM ON THE LEATHERNECKS RIGHT FLANK MAKE UP THE PRONG.

THEY WERE STRIKING NORTHWEST IN AN ATTEMPT TO CLOSE A SEVEN-MILE GAP BETWEEN THEM AND THE ADVANCING 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM EAST OF CHINJU.

IF THE GAP IS CLOSED AT A POINT ABOUT 10 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, A LARGE GROUP OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WILL BE BOTTLED UP INSIDE THE AMERICAN LINES.

CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD SAID THE REDS WERE RETREATING WEDNESDAY TOWARD CHINJU AS THE AMERICAN ATTACK PICKED UP MOMENTUM.

THE FIFTH COMBAT TEAM WITH FIXED BAYONETS BROKE OUT OF A BOTTLENECK POSITION WEST OF CHINDONG AND ADVANCED THREE MILES. CHINDONG IS 25 MILES EAST OF CHINJU. THEY CONTINUED THEIR PUSH WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

NORTH KOREANS WERE SURPRISED BY THE ASSAULT WHEN THEY RAN HEADON INTO THE BAYONET CHARGE.

LAND MINES COST THE AMERICANS ONE TANK. ANOTHER WAS TEMPORARILY DISABLED. THE LAND MINES APPARENTLY HAD BEEN LAID BY ANOTHER AMERICAN FORCE WHICH HAD FOUGHT OVER THIS AREA EARLIER.

WHITEHEAD SAID THE "ENTIRE ATMOSPHERE ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WAS MORE OPTIMISTIC WITH THE BREAK IN THE STALEMATE."

ABOUT 20 MILES FARTHER NORTH, ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT, U.S. SECOND DIVISION INFANTRYMEN, IN COMBAT FOR THE FIRST TIME, HELPED VETERAN 24TH DIVISION TROOPS WEAR DOWN A COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD ON THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER.

THE REDS WERE DRIVEN FROM COMMANDING HIGH GROUND POSITIONS, ABOUT SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG, WHICH IS 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

ABOUT 100 NORTH KOREANS TRIED TO FALL BACK ACROSS THE RIVER, WHICH BENDS IN A FIGURE S (CAPITAL) AT THIS POINT. RED MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE FROM THE WEST BANK OF THE RIVER CAUGHT THEIR OWN TROOPS AND MOWED THEM DOWN.

HEAVY AERIAL STRIKES AND ARTILLERY PREPARATION SOFTENED UP THE REDS BEFORE THE INFANTRY ATTACKED. CORRESPONDENT O.H.P. KING REPORTED "SURPRISING PROGRESS" WAS MADE. A FEW MILES NORTH ANOTHER POCKET OF 300 REDS WAS DRIVEN TO THE RIVER BANK.

LAST ESTIMATES PLACED THE RED STRENGTH ON THE EASTERN BULGE OF THE RIVER AT 2,500 OR MORE.

THE REDS ALSO RETREATED FROM THREATENING POSITIONS NORTH AND SOUTH OF WAEGWAN, 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

TWO COMMUNIST BATTALIONS - PERHAPS 1,600 MEN -- SUPPORTED BY TANKS WERE "ELIMINATED" FROM ONE POCKET AT NOSOK, TWO MILES SOUTH OF WAEGWAN BY FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPERS, HEADQUARTERS SAID.

THE THREAT WAS SO EFFECTIVELY ELIMINATED THAT HEADQUARTERS ASSERTED "THE NORTH KOREANS WILL BE UNABLE TO REINFORCE THEIR UNITS DURING THE NIGHT."

JUST NORTH OF WAEGWAN, TWO BATTALIONS OF NORTH KOREANS WERE DRIVEN BACK ACROSS THE RIVER FRONT BY A FIERCE ATTACK BY THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION, SUPPORTED BY STRONG AMERICAN AIRPOWER.

CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE SAID ENEMY STRONGPOINTS WERE PINPOINTED BY SOUTH KOREANS WHO SENT U.S. PLANES ROCKETING TO THE ATTACK BY WAVING WHITE CLOTHS AND USING SMOKE BOMBS.

UNTIL AIR SUPPORT CAME THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD CONTAINED THE REDS WITH A THIN LINE OF INFANTRY THROWN AROUND STRATEGIC HEIGHTS OVERLOOKING THE RIVER FRONT.

THE ENEMY HAD BEEN ABLE TO FERRY AT LEAST TWO TANKS ACROSS THE STREAM AT NIGHT TO BOLSTER HIS BRIDGEHEAD. AIR POWER KNOCKED THEM OUT.

ALL ALONG THE NAKTONG, HOWEVER, THE REDS CONTINUED "SPORADIC" EFFORTS TO BREACH THE RIVER LINE, HEADQUARTERS NOTED.

THE SOUTH KOREAN WITHDRAWAL OF TWO DIVISIONS ALONG THE NORTHERN SECTOR WAS TO NEW DEFENSIVE POSITIONS. THE COMMUNISTS BORE DOWN IN THIS SECTOR WITH AT LEAST THREE DIVISIONS-PERHAPS 30,000 MEN.

THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES REPORTED THAT PYONGYANG HAD BEEN SCRATCHED OFF ITS TARGET LIST AS THE RESULT OF HEAVY B-29 STRIKES. AN ARSENAL AND RAILROAD YARDS WERE 80 PER CENT DESTROYED.

FIFTH AIRFORCE FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS FLEW 347 SORTIES ON WEDNESDAY. THEY BAGGED SIX TANKS AND EIGHT VEHICLES AND DESTROYED GUN POSITIONS AND TWO LOCOMOTIVES. SIX OTHER TANKS WERE DAMAGED, TRUCKS, SUPPLY DUMPS AND INSTALLATIONS SMASHED AND HEAVILY DAMAGED IN RAIDS ON RED REAR AREA POSITIONS. #

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THIRD LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP
BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.10-(AP)-NORTH KOREANS TODAY RETREATED BEFORE U.S. ONSLAUGHTS ON THE SOUTHERN AND WESTERN FRONTS AND PILOTS SAID THE ENEMY WAS PREPARING TO FLEE HIS SOUTHERN BASE AT CHINJU.

U.S. PATROLS WERE ONLY SEVEN MILES EAST OF THAT BOMB-WRECKED CITY 55 MILES WEST OF THE MAIN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN. CHINJU IS THE APPARENT OBJECTIVE OF A U.S. COUNTEROFFENSIVE ON THE SOUTH COAST.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY SAID AMERICAN FORCES FARTHER SOUTH HAD RUN INTO HEAVY OPPOSITION IN THEIR ATTEMPT TO TRAP NORTH KOREAN TROOPS BY LINKING UP WITH THE MAIN BODY EAST OF CHINJU.

THIS PINCERS SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU LAST WAS REPORTED WITHIN SEVEN MILES OF CLOSING.

GAINS AVERAGING ABOUT THREE MILES WERE REPORTED ALONG THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

THE SUMMARY, COVERING FIGHTING OF THE PAST 24 HOURS, SAID TWO ENEMY BATTALIONS--POSSIBLY 1,600 MEN--SUPPORTED BY TANKS WERE "ELIMINATED" FROM ONE BRIDGEHEAD ON THE NAKTONG RIVER.

BUT THE ENEMY STILL WAS TRYING TO BREACH THE RIVER LINE, WHICH PROTECTS TAEGU, FRONT LINE CITY AND REFUGEE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

THE ENEMY WAS PUTTING THE PRESSURE ALONG THE NORTHERN FRONT--THE ROOF OF THE SHRUNKEN ALLIED POSITION IN SOUTHEAST KOREA.

SOUTH KOREANS WERE FORCED TO MAKE A TWO-MILE WITHDRAWAL AT UNSPECIFIED POINTS ON THE NORTHERN SECTOR, THE HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY REPORTED.

THE NORTH KOREANS ALSO WERE BUILDING UP THEIR FORCES IN THE YONGDOK CENTER, ON THE EAST COAST END OF THE FRONT.

IN COMBAT RANGING FROM BAYONET ATTACKS TO TANK-BUSTING, AMERICAN DOUGHBOYS FORCED THE REDS TO RETREAT IN THE DEEP SOUTH.

SOUTH KOREANS SLAMMED INVADERS BACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE CENTRAL FRONT.

AMERICAN ATTACKS IN THE SOUTH PICKED UP MOMENTUM AND REELED THE REDS BACKWARD TOWARD RUINED CHINJU, COMMUNIST BASE.

THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WAS ONLY SEVEN MILES FROM A LINK-UP WITH THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM.

THE JUNCTURE MAY TRAP MANY RED TROOPS. THE AMERICANS HAD BEEN BOGGED DOWN FOR TWO DAYS NEAR CHINDONG. THEY JUMPED OFF BEFORE DAWN WEDNESDAY ON THE NEW ATTACK. MARINES WERE ROLLING AHEAD WITH THEM

DEFENDERS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE TO THE NORTH SHOVED THE REDS OUT OF TWO RIVER CROSSING BRIDGEHEADS. THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION HERDED OTHERS INTO AN OPEN SPOT FROM THE HILLS AND POURED ARTILLERY SHELLS INTO THEM.

SERIOUS THREATS TO THE IMPORTANT TAEGU AREA ON THE CENTRAL FRONT WERE EASED BY THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN SUCCESSES. THE CHEERING NEWS WAS GIVEN IN A U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT 6:30 P.M. (3:30 A.M. EST) WEDNESDAY.

THE CLOSE FIGHTING TOOK PLACE IN THE SOUTH. U.S. SOLDIERS, CLASPING HANDS BEFORE CHARGING WITH FIXED BAYONETS, KILLED 40 NORTH KOREANS IN A SHARP ENGAGEMENT.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE REDS APPARENTLY WERE WITHDRAWING TOWARD CHINJU. THE U.S. 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM PUT PATROLS TO WITHIN SEVEN MILES OF THE BURNED-OUT CITY.

THE COMMUNIQUE REPORTED "AGGRESSIVE-MINDED UNITED NATIONS TROOPS CARRIED OUT SUCCESSFUL ACTION IN EVERY ENGAGEMENT WITH THE ENEMY" ALONG THE ENTIRE 140-MILE FRONT.

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CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED U.S. FIRST CAVALRYMEN CHASED AFTER A BATTALION OF REDS IN THE HILLS TWO MILES BELOW WAEGWAN, 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC'S EMERGENCY CAPITAL.

THE COMMUNISTS HAD WADED THE RIVER IN THE NIGHT AND COMMANDED THE ROAD TO TAEGU WITH MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE FROM A 1,200-FOOT RIDGE.

NORTH OF WAEGWAN, SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS, DROVE THE INVADERS BACK TO THE NAKTONG RIVER. ONE HUNDRED FLEEING REDS WERE MOWED DOWN BY THEIR OWN PANICKY COMRADES WHEN THEY TRIED TO GET BACK ACROSS THE RIVER FROM THE ALLIED EAST BANKS.

SOME OF THE RIVER CROSSING REDS ON THE ALLIED SIDE OF THE NAKTONG SIX MILES BELOW CHANGNYONG, WERE DRIVEN OUT OF HIGH GROUND BY THE AMERICANS. CHANGNYONG IS 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

LATE FRONTLINE DISPATCHES FROM THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD SAID THE BULGE THERE HAD BEEN REDUCED BY U.S. TROOPS WHO DROVE THE COMMUNISTS OUT OF HIGH GROUND. THESE DISPATCHES SAID THE REDS WERE BEING HERDED IN EXPOSED POSITIONS ON A SLOPE NEAR THE RIVER.

LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER, HAD ORDERED THE INVADERS AT THIS POINT WIPED OUT BY NIGHTFALL.

THE ALLIED CENTRAL FRONT IS MANNED BY THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION, REINFORCED BY NEWLY ARRIVED SECOND DIVISION ELEMENTS FROM FT.LEWIS, WASH., THE FIRST CAVALRY AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.

THE FOREMOST RED THREAT REACHED TO A DOZEN MILES FROM TAEGU, MAIN SUPPLY TERMINAL ON THE ROAD-RAIL CORRIDOR LEADING NORTHWEST OUT OF PUSAN PORT, THE BIG U.S. BASE.

IN THE EXTREME SOUTH, WHERE THE FIRST U.S. OFFENSIVE EFFORT BOGGED DOWN TWO DAYS AGO, TANK-LED MARINES AND DOUGHBOYS GOT TO ROLLING AGAIN--BUT LABORIOUSLY. THEY DROVE PAST NORTH KOREAN DEAD FOR GAINS MEASURED IN YARDS, PUSHING TOWARD BURNED-OUT CHINJU, A DOZEN MILES AHEAD.

A DISPATCH TELEPHONED BY AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD FROM THE SOUTHERN WARFRONT AT 7:55 P.M., WEDNESDAY (4:55 A.M., EST) REPORTED THE AMERICAN DRIVE FORCED THE NORTH KOREANS TO BEGIN RETREATING TOWARD CHINJU.

WHITEHEAD'S SINGLE-SENTENCE REPORT WAS NOT AMPLIFIED IMMEDIATELY.

ON THE CENTRAL FRONT OUTSIDE TAEGU, TWO AMERICAN UNITS ATTACKED THE REDS AT THEIR RIVER BRIDGEHEADS.

THE AMERICAN 24TH DIVISION, REINFORCED BY FRESH ELEMENTS OF THE SECOND DIVISION, STALLED BEFORE COMMUNIST TROOPS HOLDING HIGH POINTS SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG. THE TOWN IS 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

TWENTY MILES NORTHWARD A FIRST CAVALRY BATTALION DROVE AGAINST ANOTHER RED FORCE THAT CROSSED THE NAKTONG NEAR KAEPON.

ALLIED SOUTH KOREAN FORCES REPORTED WEDNESDAY NIGHT THEY HAD JUST ABOUT CLEANED OUT A RED KOREAN BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG FIVE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN, 15 MILES FROM TAEGU.

THE REPORT WAS RECEIVED BY AMERICAN OFFICIALS OF THE KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP IN KOREA.

THE SOUTH KOREANS SAID THEY DROVE THE COMMUNISTS BACK ACROSS THE RIVER IN A COUNTER-ATTACK. ABOUT 100 NORTH KOREANS WERE STRAFED WHILE SCRAMBLING FOR THE NAKTONG'S WEST BANK.

AMERICAN WARPLANES AND ARTILLERY KNOCKED OUT ALL TANKS WHICH THE COMMUNISTS HAD PUT ACROSS THE RIVER, THE REPORT SAID.

AN AMERICAN PILOT SAID HE SAW FIVE COMMUNIST TANKS WEDNESDAY MORNING ON THE EAST BANK.

IN THE FAR NORTH OF THE ALLIED DEFENSE BOX THE COMMUNISTS MADE FRESH GAINS WITH SHARPENED THRUSTS AGAINST SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.

A TANK-LED ATTACK DROVE THE SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION BACK SEVERAL MILES AT A POINT WEST OF UISONG AND SOUTHEAST OF HAMCHANG, 45 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU.

A BRIEFING OFFICER AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID OTHER RED ASSAULTS WITHOUT ARMOR MADE LESSER GAINS THROUGH THE SOUTH KOREAN EIGHTH AND CAPITOL DIVISIONS ON THE DEFENSE LINE EASTWARD.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE DEFENDERS WERE STILL NORTH OF UISONG, A TOWN THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO HAS CLAIMED CAPTURED BY THE REDS. THE BATTLE IN THIS AREA WAS CONSIDERABLY SOUTH OF THE NAKTONG'S SHALLOW UPPER REACHES, WHICH THE SOUTH KOREANS GAVE UP LAST WEEK.

TO THE WEST THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION WAS STILL FIGHTING TO HOLD POSITIONS NEAR THE RIVER. ONE UNIT MET A RED ATTACK FIVE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN, WHICH IS 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THE BATTLEGROUND CHANGED HANDS TWICE IN TWO DAYS.

FOURTEEN MILES TO THE NORTH OF THIS BATTLE, THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION THRUST TWO MILES INTO RED TERRITORY IN A COUNTER-ATTACK TUESDAY AT SINCHON, ABOUT 13 MILES SOUTHEAST OF SANGJU.

BRIEFING OFFICERS AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE AMERICAN GROUND OFFENSIVE IN THE SOUTH HAD WRECKED COMMUNIST PLANS TO START A WIDESPREAD CLIMACTIC OFFENSIVE OF THEIR OWN.

THE REDS' ELITE DIVISIONS HAD BEEN POISED TO STRIKE SIMULTANEOUSLY AT TAEGU ON THE CENTRAL FRONT AND AT PUSAN ACROSS THE SOUTH COAST IN AN EFFORT TO DRIVE THE AMERICANS OFF THE KOREAN PENINSULA.

INSTEAD, ONE OF THESE -- THE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH -- IS MEETING THE AMERICAN THRUST HEAD-ON. THE SIXTH IS BACKED BY THE FIRST DIVISION, WHICH LED THE DRIVE SOUTHWARD FROM SEOUL SIX WEEKS AGO. THERE WERE INDICATIONS THE RED THIRD DIVISION WAS BEING PULLED OUT OF ITS SUPPORTING POSITIONS BEHIND THE NAKTONG THRUSTS TO MEET THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE IN THE SOUTH.

THE BREAK-THROUGH IN THE SOUTH BY THE MARINES AND INFANTRYMEN WAS THE SECOND ATTACK ORDERED PERSONALLY BY AN AMERICAN GENERAL IN KOREA WITHIN A 24-HOUR PERIOD.

MAJ.GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN, DISTURBED BY FAILURE OF HIS EXTREME SOUTHERN ARM TO KEEP UP WITH HIS NORTHERN FLANK, ADVANCING ON CHINJU, WENT TO THE FRONT TO FIND OUT WHY.

HE ORDERED A NIGHT ATTACK--THE FIRST ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. THE MARINES AND FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM BROKE OUT OF THE BOTTLENECK WITH THE ORDERED NIGHT ATTACK AND CAUGHT THE COMMUNISTS OFF GUARD.

THE SOUTHERN ARM OF THE AMERICAN DRIVE STARTED A PINCER SWING THAT MAY TRAP THOUSANDS OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THE MARINES SURGED THROUGH A GAP ON THE FLANKS OF THE U.S. FIFTH INFANTRY AND BOTH UNITS PUSHED ALONG THE ROAD TOWARD CHINJU FROM POSITIONS JUST WEST OF CHINDONG.

THEIR AIM WAS TO JOIN THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM IN PLOWING ALONG THE MAIN HIGHWAY TO CHINJU. THE 35TH GAINED 1,000 YARDS AND KILLED 400 ENEMEY TROOPS IN 24 HOURS. BUT ITS DRIVE HAD BEEN SLOWED TO AVOID OUTCHARGING THE SOUTHERN UNITS, DELAYED WHILE FIGHTING THEIR WAY THROUGH THE CHINDONG BOTTLENECK.

THE AMERICAN THRUST WAS DESCRIBED OFFICIALLY AS A "LIMITED OFFENSIVE, NOT THE START OF AN OVERALL OFFENSIVE." AT THE OUTSET IT HAD BEEN CALLED AN OFFENSIVE---AND NOT A COUNTERATTACK.

A BRIEFING OFFICER SAID THE PURPOSE OF SUCH OFFENSIVES WAS TO ELIMINATE THE ENEMY AND THROW HIS ASSAULT PLANS OFF BALANCE.

"YOU DON'T ATTACK JUST TO GAIN GROUND," HE SAID.

FROM THIS VIEWPOINT, HE SAID THE AMERICAN DRIVE HAS "SUCCEEDED NICELY AND IS NOT TO BE UNDERRATED."

A LARGE BUT UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF PRISONERS WAS TAKEN BY THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM. THE U.S. SOLDIERS ALSO GRABBED A TRUCK LOADED WITH RIFLES AND 82-MM. MORTARS.

CORRESPONDENT WHITEHEAD REPORTED FROM THE FRONT THAT A LINK BETWEEN THE 35TH REGIMENT -- PUSHING ALONG THE NORTHERN PART OF THE OFFENSIVE -- AND THE MARINES AND DOUGHBOYS FROM THE SOUTH WOULD CUT OFF THE RED FORCES NORTHWEST OF MASAN, PORT CITY 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

HE SAID INDICATIONS WERE THE ENEMY HAD "RUSHED REINFORCEMENTS FROM THE NORTH AND IS THROWING THEM PIECEMEAL INTO THE CHINJU AREA IN A DESPERATE EFFORT" TO PREVENT THIS AMERICAN JUNCTION AT PANSANG, ABOUT EIGHT MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED THE FIFTH REGIMENT WAS ABOUT FOUR MILES ALONG THIS ROAD FROM A JUNCTURE. THE ROAD ONCE WAS DOMINATED BY RED ARTILLERY AT A POINT WEST OF CHINDONG, WHERE ANOTHER ROAD LEADS SOUTHWARD ALONG THE BAY TO KOSONG, THE GOAL OF SOME MARINE UNITS. ELEMENTS OF THE FIFTH HAD REACHED THIS POINT EARLIER. BUT REAR UNITS WERE HELD UP BY RED GUNS.

RED TROOPS ASSEMBLED IN THIS AREA HAD BEEN POISED FOR THE THRUST AT PUSAN.

BRIDGEHEADS THROWN ACROSS THE NAKTONG FARTHER NORTH WERE TO BE THE MAIN THRUST BASES AGAINST TAEGU AS PART OF THE MASTER RED PLAN NOW THROWN PARTIALLY, IF NOT COMPLETELY, OFF BALANCE.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS HERE SAID THEY REGARDED THE REDS' NAKTONG CROSSING SOUTH OF CHANGNYONG AS A "MAJOR THRUST." IT IS BACKED BY THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION, A WELL-TRAINED OUTFIT. EIGHTH ARMY REPORTS IN KOREA HAVE SAID THE BUILDUP WEST OF THE RIVER DID NOT APPEAR SUFFICIENT FOR SUCH AN INTERPRETATION.

NEVERTHELESS, 24TH DIVISION UNITS FOUGHT FOR THREE DAYS TRYING TO THROW BACK REMNANTS OF THE FIRST REDS TO CROSS THE RIVER. THE REDS AT THIS POINT MAY HAVE ONE OF TWO TANKS ACROSS.

EIGHT RED TANKS HAD BEEN REPORTED SUPPORTING THE BRIDGEHEAD NORTH OF WAEGWAN. TWO WERE KNOWN TO HAVE CROSSED THE RIVER AGAINST THE SOUTH KOREANS. BUT THE DISPOSITION OF THE OTHER SIX WAS NOT KNOWN HERE.

THE GROUND BATTLES POSED A MAJOR PROBLEM FOR GENERAL WALKER. THE QUESTION WAS WHETHER TO THROW HIS AVAILABLE RESERVES INTO THE SOUTHERN DRIVE TOWARD CHINJU -- WHERE FRONTLINE REPORTS SAY THEY ARE NEEDED -- OR WHETHER TO USE THEM NOW AGAINST THE OTHER TWO MAIN RED FORCES.

ANOTHER THREAT HAS BEEN GROWING FOR DAYS IN THE NORTHEAST. A RED FORCE ONCE ESTIMATED AT TWO REGIMENTS HAS BEEN DRIFTING THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS BETWEEN THE EAST COAST AND THE EASTERN END OF THE SOUTH KOREAN LINES ON THE SEA OF JAPAN.

THE BITTER, BLOODY GROUND BATTLES WERE FOUGHT AGAINST A BACKDROP OF CONTINUING FIRE AND STEEL FROM SUPPORTING WARPLANES, COMBING THE FRONTLINES AND SMASHING THE NORTH KOREAN REAR.

FIGHTERS OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW NEARLY 500 SORTIES TUESDAY ON THEIR 44TH CONSECUTIVE DAY OF COMBAT. THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES REPORTED THE RAIL YARDS DESTROYED AT THE COMMUNIST CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG IN A 450-TON ATTACK MONDAY.

THE UNITED NATIONS NAVY REPORTED ITS CRUISER AND DESTROYER BOMBARDMENT THE SAM DAY AT TANCHON, 125 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, WHICH DIVIDES NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA, HAD DESTROYED A 60-CAR TRAIN AND MOST OF THE TRACKS IN THAT KEY RAIL POINT.

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WASHINGTON,AUG.9-(AP)-THE PENTAGON HIGH COMMAND WAS KEEPING A WATCHFUL EYE TODAY ON THE NORTH KOREAN PINCER MOVE AIMED AT THE IMPORTANT UNITED NATIONS COMMUNICATIONS AND SUPPLY CENTER OF TAEGU.

IT WAS VIEWED HERE AS POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS, BUT NOT NECESSARILY DISASTROUS.

ON THE BASIS OF REPORTS UP TO MID MORNING, A PENTAGON BRIEFING OFFICER SAID THERE WAS OPTIMISM HERE AND AT 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ABOUT THE ABILITY TO HOLD TAEGU.

HE SAID FIELD HEADQUARTERS WAS "NOT ALARMED ABOUT THE SITUATION."

THROUGH TAEGU'S RAIL AND HIGHWAY CENTER FLOW THE AMMUNITION, SUPPLIES AND REINFORCEMENTS NEEDED BY AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS MANNING THE CENTRAL NORTHERN FRONT, ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE ON WHICH A FIRM FOOTHOLD IS BEING ATTEMPTED. THE FALL OF TAEGU THUS WOULD BE MORE THAN A LOSS OF TERRITORY AND ANOTHER DENT IN THE NOW CONTRACTED DEFENSE PERIMETER. THE PROBLEM OF SUPPLY FROM THE REAR AREA OF PUSAN WOULD BECOME EVEN WORSE.

BUT, IT WAS POINTED OUT, EVEN IF THE DEFENSE LINE AT TAEGU SHOULD BI PUSHED BACK THERE ARE A NUMBER OF GOOD POSITIONS IN MOUNTAINOUS COUNTRY BEHIND THE CITY ALONG WHICH A NEW DEFENSE SECTOR COULD BE ESTABLISHED.

THE PENTAGON HAS INSISTED THAT THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE AND THE AREA NEAR IT SHOULD NOT BE CONSIDERED AS DEFINITELY THE FINAL LINE, THAT A FALL-BACK TO A STILL SHORTER INNER POSITION IN THE HILLY COUNTRY TO THE SOUTHEAST MIGHT BECOME NECESSARY.

WHILE AN ESTIMATED 12,000 KOREAN REDS PUSHED ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THREE PRONGS, ONE OF WHICH HAD MOVED UP TO A DOZEN MILES FROM TAEGU LAST NIGHT, AMERICAN INFANTRY AND MARINES ON THE SOUTH FLANK WERE MAKING PROGRESS WITH THEIR OWN ATTACK THERE, THE FIRST LARGE OFFENSIVE ACTION AGAINST THE ENEMY.

VETERAN MILITARY MEN HERE SAW NOTHING UNPRECEDENTED IN THE FACT THAT EACH SIDE SHOULD HAVE MOUNTED AN OFFENSIVE ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY. THEY REMARKED THAT WAS A COMMON TACTICAL PRACTICE AND A RISK ARMIES MUST TAKE. WHEN ONE SIDE COMMITS LARGE FORCES TO AN ATTACK AT A CERTAIN POINT, THE OTHER SIDE MAKES ITS OWN STRIKE ELSEWHERE FOR THE TWO-FOLD PURPOSE OF GAINING GROUND AND ATTEMPTING TO DIVERT SOME STRENGTH FROM THE OPPOSITION'S ATTACK TO HIS OWN MENACED AREA.

HANDICAPS FOR THE AMERICAN TROOPS WHICH HAVE EXISTED ALL THROUGH THE KOREAN RETREAT PHASE WILL CONTINUE EVEN DURING OFFENSIVE ACTIONS, IT IS POINTED OUT.

AMONG THEM ARE THESE:

1. LANGUAGE DIFFICULTIES. THIS DIFFICULTY EXISTS NOT ONLY BETWEEN AMERICANS AND THEIR SOUTH KOREAN ALLIES, BUT CAUSES COMPLICATIONS IN OTHER WAYS. PATROLS SENT OUT TO SCOUT AHEAD IN ADVANCE OFTEN NEED GUIDES FROM AMONG NATIVES LIVING IN THE AREA OR FIND THEY MUST TALK WITH VILLAGERS FOR INFORMATION.

2. THE LACK OF ADEQUATE HIGHWAYS FOR MOVING SUPPLY TRUCKS AND WEAPONS. MANY KOREAN ROADS ARE SINGLE-LANE AFFAIRS--A TRAFFIC HEADACHE WHEN CONVOYS MUST MOVE UP WITH SUPPLIES WHILE OTHERS MUST HEAD BACK EMPTY FOR RELOADING AT THE REAR. RAIN TURNS THESE COUNTRY LANES INTO RIBBONS OF BOTTOMLESS MUD. BRIDGES, BUILT FOR ANIMAL-DRAWN VEHICLES, CAN'T CARRY THE WEIGHT OF TRUCKS AND TANKS WITHOUT VIRTUAL REBUILDING.

3. THE KIND OF COUNTRY IN WHICH THE KOREAN WAR IS BEING FOUGHT IS STRANGE TO A LARGE PERCENTAGE OF THE AMERICANS FIGHTING IT. ALMOST ALL OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN WHO ARE VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II AND WHO ARE NOW FIGHTING IN KOREA DID THEIR WARTIME CAMPAIGNING IN EUROPE. MANY OF THE TACTICS OF CLOSE-IN FIGHTING USED BY THE ENEMY ARE DIFFERENT FROM THOSE ENCOUNTERED IN ENCOUNTERS WITH GERMAN AND ITALIAN TROOPS IN EUROPE.

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(NY) (ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 9-(AP)-THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE TONIGHT ANNOUNCED THE NAMES OF ADDITIONAL CASUALTIES IN THE KOREAN AREA (LIST NO. 59. THEY INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING, ALL ARMY PERSONNEL:

--ARKANSAS--

KILLED IN ACTION

PRIVATE CARMON C.HAYWOOD, SON OF WILL L.HAYWOOD, ROVER.

WOUNDED

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS LEADO GRAY, SON OF MRS.LILY GRAY, BOX 216, BISCOE.

PRIVATE ANDREW J.MOREN, SON OF JAMES W.MOREN, ROUTE 2, BENTONVILLE.

--CALIFORNIA--

WOUNDED

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS DONALD G.DAILEY, BROTHER OF MRS.VIRGINIA L. RAMOS, 1240 143RD AVENUE, OAKLAND.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS HENRY FIELD, SON OF NORMAN FIELD, 444 TAAFFE STREET, SUNNYVALE.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS BILLIE FIELDS, SON OF MRS.OPAL FIELDS, 858 SOUTH "D" STREET, OXNARD.

PRIVATE WALTER W.GELARDI, SON OF MRS.MARGARETHA M.GELARDI, P.M. BOX 263, LIVE OAK.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS CHARLES W.HANSEN, SON OF MRS.LILLIA H.HANSEN, P.O. BOX 32, CHESTER.

MASTER SERGEANT PAUL W.LEGG, SON OF NOLAN C.LEGG, 229 N. GRAND AVENUE, SAN PEDRO.

SECOND LIEUTENANT GEORGE E.LONGENECKER, JR., HUSBAND OF MRS. HESTER J.LONGENECKER, RESIDING IN FAR EAST COMMAND. EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE MRS.HARRIET RITCHEY, 4021 LOUISIANA AVENUE, SAN DIEGO.

PRIVATE LEROY F.NICKELL, SON OF MRS.MAUDE A.NICKELL, OLD POTTERY ROAD, NILES.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS MARTIN E.NOLAN, SON OF MRS.MARGARET DIXON, 141456 GARVEY, BALDWIN PARK.

CORPORAL JACK PEARSALL, JR., SON OF MRS.ADA PEARSALL, 230 E. 60TH STREET, LOS ANGELES.

CORPORAL EDMOND ROBERT SMITH, JR., BROTHER OF MRS.NELLIE L. SPENCER, ROUTE 2 BOX 4070, RIO LINDA.

PRIVATE JESSIE SMITH, SON OF MRS.MAY SMITH, GENERAL DELIVERY, ALPAUGH.

CORPORAL WILFORD DUDLEY SMITH, SON OF MRS.LYDIA B.VARTANIAN, 1343 FOUNTAIN WAY, FRESNO.

MISSING IN ACTION

SECOND LIEUTENANT FRED ADDISON OSTERHOUT, JR., HUSBAND OF EDITH RUTH OSTERHOUT, RESIDING IN THE FAR EAST COMMAND. SON OF MR. & MRS. FRED A.OSTERHOUT, 388 LOMA DRIVE, LOS ANGELES.

--IDAHO--

WOUNDED

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS RICHARD M.BAILEY, SON OF BEN J.BAILEY, P.O. BOX 424, WENDELL.

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INJURED

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS EUGENE P.GIBBONS, SON OF PATRICK J.GIBBONS, 1610 RAYMOND STREET, BOISE.

CORPORAL DAY GREEN, JR., SON OF MRS.DAY B.GREEN, 2301 ILLINOIS ST., BOISE.

--NEW MEXICO--

WOUNDED

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS GILBERT SENA, SON OF GRECIANO SENA, P.O. BOX 12-A, SAPELLO.

--OKLAHOMA--

WOUNDED

PRIVATE JOE B.IRVIN, SON OF MR. AND MRS.CLAUD C.IRVIN, BOX 314, HEAVENER.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS THEODORE SCOTT, BROTHER OF MRS.SYLVIA KELLEY, 444 E. KINSLEY ST., CHECOTAH.

CORPORAL EDWARD A.THORPE, SON OF MRS.BETSEY THORPE, 611 W. 9TH ST. HUGO.

SERGEANT LEON LAFAYETTE TUCKER, HUSBAND OF MRS.WILMA F.TUCKER, RESIDING IN THE FAR EAST COMMAND, SON OF MRS.GERTRUDE RULE, BOX 266, HANNA.

MISSING IN ACTION

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS LYLE H.CARMAN, SON OF MRS.MINNIE M.CARMAN, HOTEL CHOWDER, VINITA.

-OREGON-

WOUNDED

CORPORAL CLETUS BIEDERSTADT, SON OF MRS.MARIE BIEDERSTADT, 4528 NORTH EAST GARFIELD, PORTLAND.

PRIVATE RICHARD L.HODGE, SON OF MRS.LILLIAN F.ALDEN, 3108 N.E. AINSWORTH ST., PORTLAND.

--TEXAS--

KILLED IN ACTION

SERGEANT FIRST CLASS PHOM BOWIE, HUSBAND OF ESTELLA G.BOWIE, GENERAL DELIVERY, BISHOP.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS PRESILIANO GALBON, SON OF MR. AND MRS.REYES GALBON, BOX 14, MOUNT CALM.

CAPTAIN LYNDELL M.SOUTHERLAND, HUSBAND OF MRS.JUDY V. SOUTHERLAND, RESIDING IN FAR EAST COMMAND, BROTHER OF MRS.EDGAR H. HEARNE, 1002 NORTH FRANKLIN, MARSHALL.

WOUNDED

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS FRANCISCO ALMEDIA, SON OF MRS.LEONOR E. ALMEDIA, 7150 DALE ROAD, EL PASO.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS WILLIE J.BATY, SON OF MRS.WILLIE MAE BATY, ROUTE 1, BOX 406, MEXIA.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD CHINJU

BY DON WHITEHEAD

WITH U. S. TROOPS IN KOREA---THURSDAY, AUG. 10-(AP)-THE U. S. FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM MOVED THREE MILES CLOSER TO CHINJU BEFORE DAWN TODAY.

JUMPING OFF AT MIDNIGHT THE FIFTH MOVED UP A ROAD LEADING NORTHWEST TOWARD A JUNCTION WITH THE ARMY'S 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM. BY 7 A. M. IT WAS ONLY FOUR MILES SHORT OF LINKING UP WITH THE 35TH.

THE 35TH MAIN BODY WAS 12 MILES EAST OF CHINJU WHILE PATROLS HAD PROBED WITHIN SEVEN AIR MILES OF THAT BOMB-SHATTERED OBJECTIVE.

THE MARINE DRIVE TOWARD KOSONG, TO THE SOUTHWEST, SLOWED WHEN A TANK CRASHED THROUGH A BRIDGE ON THE MAIN ROAD. REPAIRS WERE EXPECTED TO BE HURRIED SO THE COLUMN COULD ROLL SMOOTHLY AGAIN.

A THREE-DAY ASSAULT BY THE AMERICANS BROKE THE BACK OF ENEMY RESISTANCE 10 MILES WEST OF MASAN, WHICH IS 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN. THE DRIVE ALMOST WIPED OUT TWO FULL REGIMENTS OF THE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION.

AMERICAN OFFICERS ESTIMATED THE ENEMY LOST MORE THAN 1,200 DEAD IN THE PAST WEEK---HALF OF THEM KILLED IN THE THREE DAYS OF THE ATTACK NOW MOVING TOWARD CHINJU.

(GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY EARLY TODAY SAID ARMY PATROLS WE E WITHIN SEVEN AIR MILES OF CHINJU.)

TWO HEAVILY ARMED MARINE AND INFANTRY PLATOONS SPEARHEADED THE

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NEW PUSH AND PRESSED CLOSE BEHIND THE REDS.
CIVILIANS AND PRISONERS OF WAR TOLD OF THE RED WITHDRAWAL TOWARD CHINJU.
THE AMERICANS OVERRAN GUN POSITIONS AND COMMAND POSTS WHICH SHOWED EVIDENCE THAT THEY HAD BEEN ABANDONED HASTILY.
THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM STRUCK OUT FROM THE CHINDONG AREA, 10 MILES WEST OF THE IMPORTANT PORT CITY OF MASAN, ABOUT 27 MILES DUE EAST OF CHINJU. MASAN HAS BEEN THE GOAL OF RECENT AND UNSUCCESSFUL RED ATTACKS.
THE FIFTH WAS LESS THAN SEVEN MILES FROM A LINKUP WITH THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH TROPIC LIGHTNING DIVISION, ON THE NORTH FLANK OF THE ATTACK.
THE 35TH REGIMENT DROVE WITHIN 12 MILES OF CHINJU TWO DAYS AGO AND SMASHED AN ENEMY REGIMENT IN ITS PUSH. OFFICERS ESTIMATED 600 ENEMY DEAD WERE STREWN THROUGH THE HILLS AND WALLEYS.
MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN, COMMANDING THE ATTACKING FORCES, MADE HIS DECISION TO PUSH NORTH AGAINST THE ENEMY AFTER HE RECEIVED REPORTS THE REDS WERE IN RETREAT.
THE MARINES WERE ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE FIFTH REGIMENT AND LATE WEDNESDAY WERE PUSHING FORWARD STEADILY AGAINST LIGHT RESISTANCE.
THE BURNING HEAT WAS AS TOUGH A FOE FOR THE LEATHERNECKS AND DOUGHBOYS AS THE ENEMY. THERE WERE MANY HEAT PROSTRATIONS AMONG AMERICAN FORCES CLIMBING THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS.

IN THIS NEW ADVANCE THE ARMY CALLED ON THE AIR FORCE TO SEND B-26S ON NIGHT BOMBING RAIDS ON CHINJU AND SACHON, SOUTH OF CHINJU. THESE TWO POINTS WERE BELIEVED ASSEMBLY AREAS FOR RETREATING REDS.
GEN.KEAN ALSO ANNOUNCED THE AIR FORCE HAD STARTED DROPPING LEAFLETS BEHIND THE RED LINES GUARANTEEING SAFE CONDUCT AND GOOD TREATMENT TO ANY REDS SURRENDERING TO AMERICAN TROOPS.
THE LEAFLETS WERE "SURRENDER PASSES" SIGNED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR AS SUPREME COMMANDER OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.
KEAN TOLD REPORTERS THERE HAD BEEN TWO INCIDENTS MRECENTLY WHICH LED HIM TO BELIEVE SOME RED TROOPS ARE READY TO THROW DOWN THEIR ARMS AND SURRENDER. HE DID NOT DESCRIBE THE INCIDENTS.
THE ADVANCING AMERICANS OVERRAN RED GUN POSITIONS, COMMAND POSTS, TRUCKS, GUNS AND EQUIPMENT---MOST OF IT RUSSIAN MADE.
THE FLEEING TROOPS LEFT BEHIND DOCUMENTS AND FIELD ORDERS, ONE OF WHICH ORDERED ELEMENTS OF THE SIXTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION TO FALL BACK ON CHINJU.
AMMUNITION STACKS WERE SEIZED AND SUPPLY DUMPS DESTROYED BY SHELL FIRE.
PERHAPS THE MOST SPECTACULAR ACHIEVEMENT IN THE AMERICAN ATTACK WAS BY THE 35TH REGIMENT COMMAND BY COL. HENRY G. FISHER OF LOS ANGELES. HE WAS A REGIMENTAL COMMANDER IN GEN. GEORGE S. PATTON'S THIRD ARMY IN WORLD WAR II.
THE 35TH LEFT A TRAIL OF DEAD COMMUNISTS IN ITS WAKE. UNDER THE HOT SUN THE BODIES DETERIORATED RAPIDLY TO SPREAD THE HEAVY STENCH OF DEATH ACROSS THE HILLS AND VALLEYS.
AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS BURIED DEAD AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE.
ONE OF THE TRUCKS CAPTURED BY THE 35TH WAS A RUSSIAN-MADE COPY OF A STUDEBAKER. IT WAS HASTILY GIVEN A COAT OF GREEN PAINT WITH A WHITE STAR.

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"IT WAS BRAND SPANKING NEW," SAID CAPT. CARLTON JOHNSON, OF (926 CHESTER ST.) CHESTER, PA.
ARTILLERY FIRE LATE YESTERDAY DROVE TWO RED TANKS FROM HIDING PLACES IN MUDWALLED HUTS AND THEN F-51S ROARED IN TO KNOCK BOTH OUT WITH ROCKETS.
"IT WAS WONDERFUL TEAMWORK BETWEEN ARTILLERY AND AIR," THE COLONEL CHORTLED.
REGIMENTAL OFFICERS SAID THE REASON FOR SUCCESS OF THEIR ATTACK WAS THAT INFANTRY WENT INTO THE HILLS AFTER THE REDS---AND DID NOT TRY TO FIGHT THEM FROM THE ROADS WITH THE REDS LOOKING DOWN FROM THE HILLS.
COL. FISHER SAID:
"I'LL SEND MY BOYS INTO THE HILLS AND THEN USE THE ROADS AFTER WE TAKE OUR OBJECTIVE."
HE SAID MANY OF HIS MENWERE FELLED IN THE HILLS BY HEAT AND EXHAUSTION BUT THAT CASUALTIES HAD BEEN LESS BY THIS TYPE OF FIGHTING.
AT AN ADVANCE ARTILLERY POSITION, CAPTAIN SAM F. BERNHAUSER OF BOONEVILLE, MO., SAID:
"TELL THE PEOPLE AT HOME ALL WE NEED IS MORE TROOPS---AND WE'LL WHIP HELL OUT OF THE REDS."
BERNHAUSER SAID TROOP MORALE HAD BEEN LIFTED BY THE ADVANCE.
CPL. RUSSELL COMMINS OF GEORGETOWN, KY., CONFIRMED THE VIEW:
"WE WERE AWFULLY TIRED OF PULLING BACK. IT SURE FEELS GOOD TO BE ADVANCING."
BOTH BERNHAUSER AND COMMINS ARE IN BATTERY A OF THE 64TH FIELD ARTILLERY.
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BY DON WHITEHEAD (240)

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ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT IN KOREA, AUG. 9-(AP)-U.S. INFANTRYMEN CAUGHT KOREAN REDS BY SURPRISE IN A NIGHT ATTACK AND SLOWLY HACKED OUT NEW GAINS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.
THE PUSH WESTWARD TOWARD THE COMMUNIST-HELD COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF CHINJU PICKED UP MOMENTUM AS THE SOUTHERNMOST COLUMN OF THE THREE-HEADED ALLIED ASSAULT WAS ABLE TO DRIVE FORWARD.
THIS THRUST BY TROOPS OF THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM GAVE MARINES ELBOW ROOM TO SWING OUT AT THE ENEMY. THE MARINES HAD BEEN BOTTLED UP NEAR CHINDONG FOR ALMOST 48 HOURS WHEN THE SOUTHERN COLUMN OF U.S. INFANTRY FORCES FAILED TO ADVANCE.
AS THE SOUTH STAB SLASHED OUT, THE LEATHERNECKS WENT ACROSS THE SAW-TOOTHED HILLS ON THE FLANKS OF THE NIGHT-PROWLING FIFTH REGIMENT.
THE ARMY-MARINE ADVANCE WAS SLOW BUT IS THREATENING TO CLOSE THE GAP BETWEEN CHINDONG AND TROOPS OF THE U.S. 35TH REGIMENT TO THE NORTH.
UNITS OF THE 35TH ARE WITHIN 12 MILES OF CHINJU. SHOULD THE SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN COLUMNS OF THE U.S. DRIVE SNAP SHUT, THEY WILL CLOSE OFF ESCAPE ROUTES AND BOTTLEUP NUMBERS OF RED TROOPS.
IT WAS UNCLEAR HOW MANY NORTH KOREAN FORCES ARE ENGAGED. BUT INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE ENEMY HAS THROWN REINFORCEMENT INTO THE BATTLE AFTER A FAST SHIFT FROM THE NORTH.
SIGNS MOUNTED THAT THE RED TACTICS WERE TO COMMIT THEIR FORCES PIECEMEAL IN A DESPERATE EFFORT TO KEEP MARINES AND THE FIFTH REGIMENT FROM JOINING FORCES WITH THE 35TH REGIMENT HOLDING THE NORTHERN FRONT.
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MVBULLETIN
FIRST LEAD RED RETREAT
BY DON WHITEHEAD
WITH U.S. FORCES IN KOREA, AUG. 9-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN RED TROOPS BEGAN RETREATING TOWARD CHINJU TODAY AS AMERICAN ATTACKS PICKED UP MOMENTUM ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK.
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BULLETIN MATTER
WITH U.S. FORCES--FIRST ADD FIRST LEAD RED RETREAT X X X FLANK.
THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AFTER BEING STALLED FOR TWO DAYS ADVANCED THREE MILES AND STILL WAS PUSHING AHEAD TONIGHT.
IT HAS ONLY SEVEN MILES TO GO TO LINK UP WITH THE 35TH REGIMENT ON THE NORTHERN FLANK AND THUS CLOSE ONE ESCAPE ROUTE FOR THE COMMUNISTS.
CAPTURED PRISONERS AND CIVILIANS ON BOTH THE FIFTH AND 35TH REGIMENTAL FRONTS SAID THE REDS HAD BEGUN RETREATING EARLY TODAY, APPARENTLY DRAWING BACK TO DEFEND CHINJU.
THE ENTIRE ATMOSPHERE ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WAS MORE OPTIMISTIC WITH THE BREAK IN THE CHINDONG STALEMATE.
(NO PICKUP)
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BULLETIN
WITH U.S. FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA, AUG. 9-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN REDS BEGAN A RETREAT TOWARD CHINJU TODAY.
(EDITORS: THE ABOVE DISPATCH CAME FROM ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD. ANYTHING FURTHER WILL BE EXPEDITED.)
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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.9-(AP)-IT TOOK DON WHITEHEAD, VETERAN ASSOCIATED PRESS WAR CORRESPONDENT, JUST EIGHT MINUTES TO GET TO THE WIRES IN THE UNITED STATES TODAY WITH THE FIRST NEWS OF THE NORTH KOREAN RETREAT ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.
IT WAS ONLY A SEVEN-WORD MESSAGE, BUT IT TOLD THE STORY. IT SAID: "REDS BEGAN A RETREAT TOWARD CHINJU TODAY."
WHITEHEAD GOT A CALL THROUGH FROM THE FRONT TO EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA. APPARENTLY THAT WAS ALL HE HAD TIME TO SAY ON THE JAMMED FRONT-LINE TELEPHONE.
LEIF ERICKSON, AP CORRESPONDENT AT HEADQUARTERS, GOT THE CALL AT 7:55 P.M., JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME, OR 4:55 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME.
ERICKSON RELAYED THE BRIEF DISPATCH PROMPTLY TO TOKYO, WHICH RADIOED IT TO THE CABLE DESK AT SAN FRANCISCO. THE DISPATCH HIT THE ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRES HERE AT 5:03 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME.
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FIRST LEAD CHINJU (400)
BY TOM LAMBERT
WITH U.S. FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA, AUG. 9-(AP)-AMERICAN DOUGHBOYS, DRIVING TOWARD CHINJU, SILENTLY CLASPED HANDS ON A HILL FIVE MILES WEST OF CHINDONG AT DAWN TODAY.
THEN THEY STORMED OUT OF THEIR FOXHOLES WITH FIXED BAYONETS AND BROKE UP A WILD KOREAN RED "VICTORY" CHARGE IN HAND-TO-HAND COMBAT.
IT WAS ONE OF MANY SKIRMISHES AS THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM BROKE OUT OF THE CHINDONG BOTTLENECK DURING THE NIGHT AND DROVE FIVE MILES WEST TOWARD CHINJU.
"WWENT UP THE HILL IN PITCH DARKNESS3
"WE WENT UP THE HILL IN PITCH DARKNESS," SAID CAPT. FREDERICK GRIFFITH, 1568 ANSEL RD., CLEVELAND, OHIO, COMMANDER OF COMPANY K.
"ONE MACHINEGUN OPENED UP ON US FROM OUR LEFT FLANK AND HIT TWO OF OUR MEN. BUT WE DIDN'T EVEN BOTHER WITH THE MACHINEGUN. WE KEPT GOING. THE HILL WAS OUR OBJECTIVE.
"WE GOT UP ON THE HILL AND STARTED TO DIG IN. JUST THEN WE HEARD A BUNCH OF GOOKS HOLLERING "VICTORY, VICTORY" IN ENGLISH FROM A HIGHER HILL IN FRONT OF US. THEY STARTED TO COME DOWN.
"I GAVE THE ORDER TO FIX BAYONETS. THEN WE ALL CLASPED HANDS BEFORE WE TOOK OFF LIKE A TEAM. IN OTHER WORDS, EACH GUY WAS TELLING THE OTHER HE WOULDNOJT LET THEM DOWN. AND THEY DIDN'T.
"AFTER 'FIX BAYONETS' I DIDN'T HAVE TO TELL THE MEN TO MOVE AHEAD. THEY JUST STARTED.
"IT WAS DAYLIGHT BY THEN AND THE GOOKS WERE ON US. THEY LOOKED SORT OF SURPRISED. ONE OF MY LIEUTENANTS MADE BAYONET CONTACT WITH THEM. THE REST OF US WERE SHOOTING AND THROWING GRENADES.
"THE FIRST LINE OF KOREANS WE SHOT RIGHT THERE. WE COUNTED ABOUT 25 BODIES ON THE HILL LATER. THE SECOND LINE BROKE EXCEPT FOR THEIR COMPANY COMMANDER, THE LAST MAN ON THE HILL. WE BLEW PART OF HIS HEAD OFF.
"THE REST OF THEM RAN DOWN THE HILL. WE COUNTED ABOUT 15 BODIES. THEN WE FOUND ONE OF THEIR AMMO DUMPS. I BROKE IT UP WITH MY 57 MM. WEAPON AND WE BLEW UP THE DUMP.
"SOME OF THE GOOKS RAN INTO A LITTLE VILLAGE UNDER OUR HILL, IN GOOD M-1 RIFLE RANGE. WE SNIPED AT THEM AND I SAW ABOUT EIGHT OF THEM FALL."
ACROSS A VALLEY FROM ANOTHER HILL INTO WHICH AMERICAN MACHINEGUNNERS WERE SPRAYING BULLETS, THE AMERICAN ADVANCE WAS CONTINUING.
TWO ARMY COMPANIES PUSHED DEEPER INTO RED TERRITORY. U.S. AIRPLANES AND ARTILLERY LASHED THE COMMUNIST-HELD HILLS WITH SHELLS, ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN BULLETS.
MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN, COMMANDER OF THE 25TH DIVISION WHO IS DIRECTING THIS LIMITED ATTACK, TOLD ONE OF HIS COMMANDERS:
"I WANT YOU TO MAKE SPEED BY AGGRESSIVE ACTION BUT MAKE SPEED BY SOUND MEANS; GAMBLE BUT TAKE A SOUND GAMBLE."
HE WARNED HIS COMMANDERS AGAINST RED ATTACKS FROM THE FLANKS AND HIGH GROUND.
ON THE MARINE FRONT SOUTHWEST OF CHINDONG, LEATHERNECKS PUSHED WARILY AHEAD. THEY HAD MOVED UP IN DARKNESS LAST NIGHT TO THEIR JUMPOFF POINT AND ADVANCED AGAIN THIS MORNING.
SGT. A.W. KELLER, OF 2314 N.W. 16TH ST., OKLAHOMA CITY, A SCOUT FOR THE FIRST BATTALION OFTHE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT, SAID: "WE DREW FIRE FROM A COUPLE OF SNIPERS AND GOT FOUR ARTILLERY SHELLS BUT THEY DIDN'T HIT ANYBODY."
THE MARINES STUCK TO HIGH GROUND. KELLER LEFT HIS SCOUT JOB TO

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WARN MARINE LT. G.G. SWEET OF GLENWOOD, ILL., COMMANDER OF A PERSHING TANK PLATOON, THAT THE ROAD TO THE FRONT WAS MINED.

NOBODY KNEW THAT BETTER THAN SWEET. HE WAS DIGGING ONE OF THE DEADLY CHARGES OUT OF THE ROAD WITH A KNIFE WHEN KELLER ARRIVED.

M (U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID WEDNESDAY NIGHT THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM SLIGHTLY TO THE NORTH HAD PUNCHED PATROLS TO WITHIN SEVEN MILES OF CHINJU.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD, WITH THE 35TH, REPORTED THE NORTH KOREANS WERE IN RETREAT TOWARD CHINJU AT DUSK WEDNESDAY. THE 35TH HAD STALLED WHILE WAITING FOR SOLDIERS AND MARIN TO THE SOUTH TO BREAK OUT OF THE CHINJU BOTTLENECK.)

IN THE MIDDLE SECTOR OF THE CHINJU DRIVE, AN ARMOR-LED BATTALION OF THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM DROVE FIVE MILES WEST OF CHINDONG.

FIFTH REGIMENT MARINES FOUGHT SEVERAL MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHINDONG.

NORTH KOREANS FOR TWO DAYS HAD BLOCKED THIS SOUTHERN ARM OF THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE. MARINES FOUGHT UP 3,000-FOOT PEAKS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE HIGHWAY OUT OF CHINDONG TO CLEAN OUT RED ARTILLERY.

THE AMERICANS KICKED OFF THEIR ATTACK AT 9 P.M. TUESDAY NIGHT (6 A.M., EST).

BY DAWN THE ARMY BATTALION HAD REACHED ITS OBJECTIVE, A 500-FOOT HILL ALONGSIDE THE ROAD WEST FROM CHINDONG TO CHINJU.

JUST AS THE UPCOMING SUN BURNISHED THE HILLTOPS, NORTH KOREANS ON HIGHER HILLS RIPPED INTO THE DOUGHBOYS WITH A VICIOUS CROSSFIRE. THE SOLDIERS REPULSED A LIGHT COUNTERATTACK AND KILLED ABOUT 40 REDS.

THE MARINES UP TO NOON (9 P.M., EST, TUESDAY) HAD MET LITTLE OPPOSITION. OFFICERS WERE WARY OF A NORTH KOREAN TRAP.

TWO AMERICAN TANKS IN THE ARMY PUSH STRUCK MINES. ONE WAS KNOCKED OUT, THE OTHER DISABLED TEMPORARILY. AN OFFICER SAID THE MINES APPARENTLY HAD BEEN LAID BY U.S. TROOPS DURING THEIR RETREAT LAST WEEK, THEN WERE DUG UP AND REPLANTED BY NORTH KOREANS.

TWO NORTH KOREANS IN THREE-QUARTER TON TRUCKS DROVE BLITHELY INTO THE DOUGHBOY LINES. THEY WERE KILLED.

THE TRUCKS CARRIED AMERICAN-MADE SOAP AND TOOTHPASTE, TWO NAVY BLANKETS AND GREEN-DYED UNIFORM TROUSERS. SOLDIERS' PACKS IN THE TRUCKS CONTAINED KOREAN CIGARETTES AND PACKAGES OF WHAT APPEARED TO BE A MEDICAL POWDER. THE BRAND NAME AND DIRECTIONS FOR USE WERE IN RUSSIAN.

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BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 9-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN TROOPS SHOT DOWN SOME OF THEIR OWN COMRADES TODAY IN A MAD SCRAMBLE BACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER.

AN EIGHTH ARMY SOURCE SAID ABOUT 100 COMMUNIST SOLDIERS TRIED TO CROSS WITH VEHICLES. THEY WERE MOWED DOWN BY FIRE FROM THE RED-HELD WEST BANK.

AMERICAN PLANES ALSO POURED FIRE ON THE RETREATING REDS ABOUT FIVE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN. THERE SOUTH KOREAN FORCES AFTER TWO DAYS OF FIGHTING IN 90-DEGREE HEAT SMASHED TWO NORTH KOREAN BATTALIONS.

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BULLETIN
BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,THURSDAY,AUG.10-(AP)-FRONT REPORTS SAID TODAY THAT PATROLS OF THE AMERICAN 35TH REGIMENT AND THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM HAVE MADE CONTACT IN FRONT OF CHINJU.

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BULLETIN MATTER
U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA...1ST ADD CHINJU FRONT (ERICKSON) XXX OF CHINJU.

THIS MEANS THE AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN, IN THEIR SLUGGING OFFENSIVE, ARE MOVING TOWARD CLOSING A TRAP AROUND RED NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IN THIS FLAMING SECTOR.

DISPATCHES FROM THE FORWARD AREAS SAID THE CONTACT WAS BELIEVED MADE BEFORE NOON TODAY WHEN PATROLS OF THE TWO HARD-FIGHTING OUTFITS REACHED HIGH GROUND EAST OF CHINJU.

THE AMERICAN FORCES REPORTEDLY JOINED SOME SIX OR SEVEN MILES FROM THE COMMUNIST-HELD COMMUNICATIONS HUB ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. THEY ARE SAID TO HAVE MADE CONTACT WITHOUT ENCOUNTERING HEAVY ENEMY OPPOSITION.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE REPORT OF HOW MANY COMMUUNIST GROUND TROOPS MIGHT BE CAUGHT IN THE U. S. TRAP SHOULD THE AMERICAN TROOPS BE REINFORCED BY SUFFICIENT POWER TO SLAM SHUT THE GATE.

THE HIGH GROUND NOW HELD BY THE DOUGHBOYS EXTENDS TO WITHIN TWO MILES OF CHINJU. HOWEVER, IT WAS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THE AMERICANS MAINTAINED A FIRM HAND OVER THIS TERRITORY.

WORD REACHING HERE WAS THAT THE REDS MAY HAVE STRONG POSITIONS IN THESE SAME HILLS FARTHER WEST OF WHERE THE AMERICAN UNITS MADE CONTACT IN THE THREE-DAY OLD BATTLE.

BUT AS THE AMERICANS CARVED OUT FRESH GAINS, SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WERE HAVING DIFFICULTIES ON THE EAST COAST AROUND POHANG AND YONGDOK.

PREVIOUS REPORTS FROM U. S. AIRMEN SAID SOUTH KOREAN FORCES HAD BEEN FORCED TO FALL BACK ONE THOUSAND YARDS FROM YONGDOK EASTERN TERMINAL OF THE FIGHTING LINE.

IN THE AREA AROUND POHANG, DEEP WITHIN UNITED NATIONS LINES ALONG THE EAST COAST, COMMUNISTS TROOPS TOOK HIGH GROUND AND CAPTURED THE TOWN OF KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG.

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE ENEMY UNITS WHICH TOOK KIGYE IS "FAR FROM SUPPLIES AND ISOLATED." IT ALSO ESTIMATED THAT THE FORCE---WHICH CAME THROUGH A GAP IN THE SOUTH KOREAN LINES---WAS SMALL IN NUMBER.

THE RED TROOPS APPARENTLY MADE THEIR GAINS BY BACK-BREAKING WORK UP AND OVER MOUNTAINOUS TERRITORY IN SOUTH KOREA'S MOST RUGGED TERRAIN. THE ENTIRE AREA AROUND KIGYE HAD BEEN LIGHTLY HELD BY THE SOUTH KOREANS WHO HAD DEPENDED ON THE MOUNTAINS TO SERVE AS A DEFENSE.

U. S. OFFICIALS SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS HAVE SUFFICIENT FORCES IN THE AREA TO MEET THE SITUATION.

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ISSUED A COMMUNIQUE COVERING THE ACTION ON A THIRD FRONT---THE FLAMING SECTOR AROUND CHANGNYONG ON THE NAKTONG RIVER.

HERE, THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT SAID, REINFORCED ELEMENTS OF THE ARMY'S 24TH DIVISION SWARMED OVER THE LAST REMAINING HIGH GROUND HELD BY THE REDS EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. PREVIOUS FRONT REPORTS SAID THE AMERICANS WERE DRIVING AHEAD IN THIS AREA AND THAT THE REDS WERE FALLING BACK.

THE COMMUNIQUE ALSO STATED THAT THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WAS REPORTED TO HAVE COMPLETELY SURROUNDED RED FORCES EAST OF THE NAKTONG IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

U. S. UNITS BATTLING ALONG THE NAKTONG WERE DRIVING AHEAD TO WIPE OUT ENEMY TROOPS WHICH MIGHT BE TRAPPED BY THE AMERICAN'S CAPTURE OF STRATEGIC POSITIONS AT THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD.

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BULLETIN

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 9-(AP)-THE U.S. 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM PUNCHED TO WITHIN SEVEN MILES OF CHINJU ON THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT TODAY, A HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE SAID.

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BULLETIN MATTER

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS--FIRST ADD CHINJU XXX COMMUNIQUE SAID.

"REFUGEE REPORTS INDICATE THE ENEMY IS WITHDRAWING," THE COMMUNIQUE ADDED.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED FROM THE SOUTHERN FRONT THAT THE NORTH KOREANS WERE IN RETREAT TOWARD CHINJU.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID "THE PROGRESS WAS VERY SATISFACTORY AND MUCH ENEMY MATERIAL WAS CAPTURED."

"AGGRESSIVE-MINDED UNITED NATIONS TROOPS TODAY CARRIED OUT SUCCESSFUL ACTION IN EVERY ENGAGEMENT WITH THE ENEMY," THE COMMUNIQUE ADDED.

ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, HEADQUARTERS REPORTED ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION ARE "STILL APPLYING HEAVY PRESSURE AGAINST SEVERAL NORTH KOREAN BATTALIONS IN THE BRIDGEHEADS SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG."

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"THE TWIN CROSSINGS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER JUST SOUTH AND NORTH OF WAEGWAN HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY COUNTERATTACKED BY U.N. FORCES."

UFIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPS DROVE THE REDS BACK TO THE RIVER AT THE SOUTHERN WAEGWAN CROSSING.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID NORTH KOREANS WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO REINFORCE THEIR UNITS DURING THE NIGHT.

THE ALLIED SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION DROVE THE REDS BACK ACROSS THE RIVER NORTH OF WAEGWAN.

SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ALSO REPULSED NORTH KOREAN ATTACKS IN THE YANGGI SECTOR.

LWR415APD

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BULLETIN

U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG. 10-(AP)-FIFTH AIR FORCE PILOTS REPORTED TODAY NORTH KOREAN TROOPS HAD RECAPTURED YONGDOK AND DRIVEN A THOUSAND YARDS SOUTH OF THE CITY, THE EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE AMERICAN-SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE LINE.

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BULLETIN MATTER

U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA---FIRST ADD YONGDOK X X X DEFENSE LINE.

AIRMEN'S REPORTS COIN IDED WITH INFORMATION AT THE EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS.

YONGDOK, ON THE EAST COAST, IS ABOUT 80 MILES NORTH OF THE MAIN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.

THE CITY, OFTEN THE TARGET OF ALLIED NAVAL GUNS, HAS CHANGED HANDS SEVERAL TIMES. THE SOUTH KOREANS HAVE TAKEN OVER THIS PART OF THE ALLIED LINE.

FJ703PCS

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BULLETIN

TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 10-(AP)-AMERICAN PATROLS HAVE REACHED THE BANKS OF THE NAM RIVER, LESS THAN FIVE MILES FROM CHINJU , AND THE ENEMY RETREAT IS NOW "IN NATURE OF A ROUT," GEN MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY

FJ1028PCS

A130KX

BULLETIN MATTER

TOKYO--FIRST ADD REDS IN ROUT X X X SAID TODDAY.

ARMY INTELLIGENCE REPORTED THAT THE ENEMY WAS ABANDONING EQUIPJMENT AND FALLING BACK SO FAST THEY WERE UNABLE TO GO INTO PREPARED POSITIONS.

A131KX

THE ENEMY IS UNABLE TO DIENGAGE FROM PURSUING AMERICAN FORCES, A BRIEFING OFFICER ADDED.

THE ELITE SIXTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION HAS HAD "HEAVY LOSSES," HE DECLARED, AND IS "IN A SERIOUS SITUATION."

FEW PRISONERS HAVE BEEN TAKEN. BUT THE ADVANCING AMERICANS ARE COLLECTING LARGE QUANTITIES OF RIFLES, MACHINEGUNS AND MORTARS, THE OFFICER SAID.

NORTH OF CHINJU, WHERE COMMUNIST FORCES CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER AND ARE NOW BEING PRESSED BACK, RED ARTILLERY LAID DOWN A HEAVY BARRAGE BEHIND THEIR OWN TROOPS TO PREVENT THEIR RETREATING TO THE RIVER'S WEST BANK.

THIS "PERSUASION BOMBARDMENT" WAS DELIBERATE, HEADQUARTERS REPORTED.

COMBINED WITH THE FIRST CAVALRY ATTACK, THE RETREATING REDS' LOSSES AMOUNTED TO 900 IN THIS SECTOR BETWEEN WEDNESDAY MORNING AND 6 A.M. THURSDAY (3 P.M. EST WEDNESDAY), BY ACTUAL COUNT, THE OFFICER SAID.

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THE STRUGGLE GREW IN INTENSITY IN THE MILE-WIDE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG NEAR CHONGNYONG. DESPITE LOSS OF HEIGHTS TO COUNTER-ATTACKING AMERICANS, THE REDS HAVE POURED MORE MEN INTO THE SALIENT, HEADQUARTERS REPORTED.

THE ENEMY FORCE IS NOW ESTIMATED AT ABOUT 2,000 MEN. THERE HAS BEEN NO REPORT OF ARMOR.

ARMY INTELLIGENCE HAS CONFIRMED AN EARLIER REPORT THAT CAPTURED NORTH KOREAN BATTLE ORDERS TOLD COMMUNISTS TO HOLD THE BRIDGEHEADS "AT ALL COSTS" UNTIL REINFORCEMENTS COULD ARRIVE. OBJECTIVE OF THE REDS WAS TAEGU, A MAIN U.S. SUPPLY POINT 23 MILES NORTHEAST OF CHONGYONG.

THERE WERE INDICATIONS THE NORTH KOREAN'S FIRST DIVISION, ORIGINALLY PLACED IN RESERVE AT CHINJU, HAS BEEN PULLED NORTH TO BOLSTER THE RED EFFORT TO BREAK THROUGH OVER THE NAKTONG.

INTELLIGENCE REPORTS SAID A MAJOR ATTACK CAN STILL BE EXPECTED IN THE CHONGNYONG SECTOR, WHICH PROBABLY NOW HAS BECOME THE INVADERS MAIN OBJECTIVE.

THERE WAS NO CHANGE IN THE NORTHERN END OF THE FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR OPPOSITE KAEPO WHERE THE AMERICAN LINE LINKED WITH THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION.

THE SOUTH KOREANS THREW THE COMMUNISTS BACK TO THE RIVER LINE AT OPYONG, ABOUT SIX MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN WHERE THE REDS MADE ANOTHER CROSSING. IT WAS IN THIS SECTOR THAT THE REDS SHELLED THEIR OWN RETREATING TROOPS.

CK1015PPD NM

A146FX

BULLETIN

TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG 10-(AP)-U.S. PILOTS SAID TODAY THAT NORTH KOREAN FORCES WERE PREPARING TO FLEE CHINJU, TARGET OF A THREE-PRONGED OFFENSIVE BY AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN AND MARINES IN SOUTH KOREA.

JW858APD

A147FX

BULLETIN MATTER

TOKYO--FIRST ADD CHINJU EVACUATION X X X SOUTH KOREA.

THE REPORT WAS INCLUDED IN GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY OF THE DAY'S ACTION.

THE SUMMARY VERIFIED FRONT LINE REPORTS THAT AMERICAN FORCES HAD MADE GAINS AVERAGING ABOUT THREE MILES IN THE DRIVE TOWARD CHINJU, MAJOR RED BASE 55 MILES WEST OF THE SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.

JW859APD

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NIGHT LEAD KOREAN NAVAL

TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 10-(AP)-AMERICAN WAR SHIPS AGAIN PUMPED SHELLS INTO NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND ROAD JUNCTIONS NORTH OF YONGDOK ON THE NORTHEASTERN FRINGE OF THE KOREA BATTLEFRONT.

A HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY OF NAVAL ACTION SAID THE U.SM CRAFT DROPPED BIG GUN FIRE-POWER INTO COMMUNIST CONCENTRATIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS FOR MORE THAN AN HOUR WEDNESDAY.

MOST RESULTS WERE NOT OBSERVED, THE ANNOUNCEMENT REPORTED, BECAUSE THE TARGETS WERE INLAND.

A CLIFF ROAD SKIRTING THE EAST COAST WAS REPORTED TEMPORARILY IMPASSABLE BECAUSE OF LANDSLIDES WHICH FOLLOWED THE BOMBARDMENT.

NAVAL BLOCKADE FORCES OFF THE KOREAN WEST COAST DESTROYED A JUNK CARRYING FOOD AND FUEL SUPPLIES TO REDS IN THAT AREA, THE SUMMARY SAID.

GM1032PCS

A99FX

KOREAN NAVAL (150)

TOKYO,AUG.9-(AP)-AMERICAN WARSHIPS DESTROYED 75 PER CENT OF THE TRACKS IN THE MARSHALLING YARD AT TANCHON, IMPORTANT NORTH KOREA EAST COAST RAIL CENTER, THE NAVY SAID TODAY.

COMPLETE REPORTS OF THE MONDAY BOMBARDMENT BY CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS WERE RECEIVED BY VICE ADM. CHARLES T. JOY, COMMANDER U.S. FAR EAST NAVAL FORCES.

THE SHIP'S GUNS ALSO DESTROYED A COMPLETE TRAIN--A LOCOMOTIVE AND 60 CARS. IT WAS PASSING THROUGH THE YARDS.

TANCHON IS 125 MILES NORTH OF THE BORDER BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.

ALSO HIT BY THE INTENSIVE NAVAL FIRE, DIRECTED BY A SPOTTING PLANE, WERE A HEAVILY CAMOUFLAGED POWER PLANT AND THREE WAREHOUSES, TWO OF WHICH WERE DESTROYED.

AFTER LEAVING TANCHON, THE AMERICAN FORCE SCORED DIRECT HITS ON A RAILROAD BRIDGE AT TAEPORI.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD AERIAL

TOKYO,THURSDAY, AUG. 10-(AP)-MARINE AIRMEN TEAMED WITH LEATHERNECK GROUND FORCES TO KAYO COMMUNIST MACHINE GUN AND ARTILLERY POINTS ALONG THE BLAZING SOUTH KOREAN FRONT BEFORE EMBATTLED CHINJU.

THIS WAS REPORTED TODAY BY AN OFFICIAL RELEASE FROM UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO. IT SAID THE CARRIER BASED FLIERS SWEPT IN SO LOW AT TIMES THEY WERE UNDER FIRE FROM ENEMY INFANTRY ON HILLTOPS ABOVE (CORRECT) THE DIVING PLANES.

THE MARINE PILOTS, FLYING WORLD WAR II DEVELOPED CORSAIR FIGHTERS, KNOCKED OUT TWO 50-TON RUSSIAN-BUILT TANKS, HEADQUARTERS SAID.

THE GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS ALSO UTILIZED NAPALM JELLIED GASOLINE BOMBS.

CREDITED WITH DESTROYING THE RED TANKS WAS THE FAMED MARINE "BLACK SHEEP" FIGHTER-BOMBER SQUADRON WHICH FLEW AT GUADALCANAL UNDER COMMAND OF COL. GREGORY "PAPPY" BOYINGTON, CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR WINNER.

NOT ONLY WERE THE MARINE AIRMEN UNDER INFANTRY FIRE, THE RELEASE SAID, BUT THE "CORSAIRS REPEATEDLY FLEW UNDER THE ARC OF ENEMY MORTAR FIRE."

HEADQUARTERS SAID THE MARINES NOW HAVE THEIR OWN AIR CONTROL OFFICERS, A JOB FORMERLY HANDLED BY THE AIR FORCE.

WHILE THE MARINES STRUCK OUT IN SUPPORT OF GROUND FIGHTING, AIR FORCE BOMBERS LASHED AT KOREAN BUILD-UP AND REINFORCEMENT CENTERS BEHIND THE NORTHERN AND SOUTHWESTERN FRONTS.

A FIFTH AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID U. S. BOMBERS FLEW 20 NIGHT SORTIES AGAINST ENEMY TARGETS. THESE INCLUDED ENEMY TROOP CONVOYS BETWEEN TANGYANG AND YONGJU WHICH WERE HIT BY B26 LIGHT BOMBERS.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE ALSO SAID ITS BOMBERS USED INCENDIARIES IN ITS STRIKES AGAINST THE ENEMY. A TOTAL OF THREE TANKS WERE DESTROYED AND EIGHT OTHERS DAMAGED IN THE B26 ATTACKS. ONE LOCOMOTIVE ALSO WAS DESTROYED AND THREE FUEL DUMPS BLOWN UP.

EARLIER REPORTS SAID OTHER MARINE PILOTS HAD REFUSED TO BOMB SOME COMMUUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATIONS BECAUSE RED SOLDIERS WERE USING WOMEN AND CHILDREN AS SHIELDS.

THE LEATHERNECKS, FLYING FROM U.S. AIRCRAFT CARRIERS, SAID THEY WENT OVER VILLAGES WHERE ENMY FORCES WERE KNOWN TO BE ASSEMBLYING.

THE STREETS WERE TEEMING WITH WOMEN AND CHILDREN. NOT A SOLDIER COULD BE SEEN. THE MARINES SAID THE RED TROOPS APPARENTLY WERE HIDING IN HOUSES IN AND NEAR THE VILLAGE.

THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES MEANWHILE REPORTED THAT U.S. B-29 SUPERFORTS BLASTED THE RAILYARDS AT PYONGYANG, NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL, MONDAY.

MAJ.GEN. EMMETT O'DONNELL, FAR EAST AIR FORCE BOMBER COMMANDER, DECLARED:

"IT WILL NOT BE NECESSARY TO GO BACK TO PYONGYANG MARSHALLING YARD OR ARSENAL FOR SOME TIME TO COME."

FEAF HEADQUARTERS SAID THE B-29 STRIKE "HAS PROVEN EVEN MORE DEVASTATING THAN EARLY REPORTS INDICATE."

LT.GEN. GEORGE E. STRATEMEYER, FEAF COMMANDER, SAID PYONGYANG "IS THE SECOND MILITARY TARGET WE CAN SCRATCH FROM OUR CURRENT LIST. THE FIRST WAS THE INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX AT KONAN (HUNGNAM)."

ONE OF THE BIGGEST AMMUNITION PLANTS IN THE ORIENT WAS LOCATED AT HUNGNAM, ON THE NORTHEAST COAST OF KOREA.

OIL REFINERIES AT WONSAN WERE REPORTED BOMBED WEDNESDAY WITH GOOD RESULTS. THAT IMPORTANT NORTH KOREAN SEAPORT IS ON THE EAST COAST 80 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW 347 SORTIES. PILOTS REPORTED DESTROYING SIX TANKS, EIGHT VEHICLES, BUILDINGS, GUN POSITIONS AND TWO LOCOMOTIVES.

SIX TANKS WERE REPORTED DAMAGED. TANKS, TRUCKS, SUPPLY DUMPS AND OTHER SUPPLY INSTALLATIONS WERE ATTACKED.

LIGHT B-26 BOMBERS FLEW 17 MISSIONS, HITTING KUMCHON WITH FRAGMENTATION BOMBS. RETURNING PILOTS SAID THE CITY, 30 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, WAS LEFT IN FLAMES.

OTHER TOWNS AND VILLAGES IN THE KUMCHON AREA WERE ATTACKED AS THE LIGHT BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS KEPT UP AN ALMOST UNINTERRUPTED SCHEDULE OF MISSIONS IN SUPPORT OF U.S.GROUND FORCES.

CONTROLLERS, SPOTTERS FLYING IN OBSERVATION PLANES, PICKED TARGETS FOR JETS AND THE B-26S.

FIRST LT.WILLIAM F.MCCRISTAL (1564 WAKEFIELD), NEW ORLEANS, SAID A CONTROLLER FLYING IN THE AREA DIRECTED HIM TO A TRUCK NEAR A RIVER.

MCCRISTAL, FLYING A JET PLANE, SAID HE "LEFT THE TRUCK BURNING" AND THEN SPOTTED A TANK 10 MILES FROM WAEGAN. HE SAID HE HIT IT TWICE WITH ROCKETS.

"THE MEN IN THE TANKS JUMPED OUT AND RAN FOR COVER IN THE BUSHES," HE SAID. "SO I MACHINEGUNNED THEM."

SECOND LT.GLENN PAYNE, HILLSBORO, TEXAS, SAID HE AND HIS ELEMENT LEADER ON A JET MISSION, FIRST LT.DONALD L.LOEGERING (CQ), ROUTE TEN, MINNEAPOLIS, DESTROYED A MACHINEGUN NEST.

B-SD334PCS

A70FX (SPOT)
AERIAL (260)

TOKYO, AUG. 9-(AP)-U.S. MARINE PILOTS REPORTED TODAY THAT NORTH KOREANS ARE USING WOMEN AND CHILDREN TO PREVENT BOMBING OF SOME COMMUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.

LEATHERNECK AIRMEN SAID WHEN THEY FLEW OVER SOME VILLAGES WHERE THE ENEMY IS KNOWN TO BE ASSEMBLING, THE STREETS WERE TEEMING WITH WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

NO MEN OR TROOPS COULD BE SEEN. THEY PRESUMABLY WERE CONCEALED IN HOUSES.

THE MARINES SAID THEY REFRAINED FROM BOMBING THESE AREAS FOR FEAR OF INFLICTING HEAVY CASUALTIES ON NON-COMBATANTS.

THE CARRIER-BASED LEATHERNECKS' FIRST STRIKES THIS WEEK WERE ALONG THE FLAMING SOUTHERN FRONT. THEY WERE SUPPORTING GROUND TROOPS ATTACKING TO STOP THE RED DRIVE ON PUSAN, LAST-DITCH SUPPLY PORT.

THEY HIT MACHINEGUN POSITIONS, ARTILLERY AND MORTAR EMPLACEMENT AND TROOPS, AS WELL AS TANKS AND TRANSPORT. FLIERS ESTIMATED THAT IN ONE ATTACK MONDAY THEY KNOCKED OUT 40 TRUCKS, TWO TANKS AND STARTED LARGE FIRES AT CHINJU AND TANDONG.

STRATEGIC RAILWAY AND HIGHWAY TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA WERE BLASTED YESTERDAY IN WIDESPREAD STRIKES BY AIR FORCE BOMBERS.

AN AIR WAR SUMMARY RELEASED BY GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID B-29S STRUCK KEY RAIL YARDS AT PYONGYANG AS WELL AS IMPORTANT BRIDGES ON RAIL LINES AND HIGHWAYS CHANELING WAR MATERIAL TO THE REDS ON THE FIGHTING FRONTS.

TWIN-ENGINE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS LASHED OUT IN A HEAVY FORAY AGAINST THE COMMUNIST-HELD SEAPORT OF INCHON. THEY DROPPED 32 HALF-TON BOMBS ON INDUSTRIAL AND DOCK INSTALLATIONS IN A DAYLIGHT ASSAULT.

SURVEYS REPORTED EXCELLENT RESULTS IN ALL OPERATIONS.

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334KX (SEG)
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TOKYO, AUG.9-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST AIR FORCES HEADQUARTERS RELEASE ISSUED TODAY:

THE MAJOR U.S. AIR FORCE B-29 STRIKE AGAINST THE PYONGYANG MARSHALLING YARD AND ARSENAL ON MONDAY, AUGUST 7, HAS PROVEN EVEN MORE DEVASTATING THAN EARLY REPORTS INDICATE. EVALUATION MADE THIS MORNING OF CLEAR POST-STRIKE PHOTOS INDICATE THAT DAMAGE TO THE AREA WAS SO EXTENSIVE THAT IT MAY BE IMPOSSIBLE TO ITEMIZE OR EVALUATE THE PERCENTAGE OF DESTRUCTION WROUGHT.

THE HEART OF THE ARSENAL WAS HIT BY THE B-29S WITH ALMOST COMPLETE DESTRUCTION OF THE ENTIRE INSTALLATION. THIS WAS A VITAL SUPPLY SOURCE FOR AMMUNITION AND OTHER FINISHED WEAPONS USED BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES.

PRACTICALLY ALL OF THE RAIL TRACKAGE IN THE MAJOR MARSHALLING YARD HAS BEEN DESTROYED. DAMAGE WAS SO COMPLETE THAT OPERATIONS ANALYSTS FEAR THEY WILL NEVER BE ABLE TO TABULATE THE NUMBER OF FREIGHT CARS DESTROYED IN THE MAJOR U.S. AIR FORCE B-29 STRIKE.

MIDWAY BETWEEN THE RAILWAY ROUNDHOUSE AND THE ARSENAL WAS THE ARMY SUPPLY CENTER WHICH RECEIVED MORTAL DAMAGE. "EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE ARMY SUPPLY CENTER HAS DISAPPEARED," OPERATIONS ANALYSTS STATE. IN ONE SECTION OF THE SUPPLY CENTER A TRAIN ESTIMATED AT 25 TO 30 CARS WAS LOADING AT THE TIME OF THE B-29 ASSAULT. THE TRAIN HAS DISAPPEARED COMPLETELY, THE BUILDINGS HAVE BEEN FLATTENED AND THE TRACKS DESTROYED.

TODAY'S EVALUATION BY THE OPERATIONS ANALYSTS SUPPLEMENTS EARLIER PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION AND INDICATES THAT PRELIMINARY ESTIMATES

OF THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE B-29 BOMBING ATTACK HAD BEEN UNDERESTIMATED.
AFTER A DETAILED STUDY OF THE PHOTOGRAPHS AND ANALYSTS REPORT, MAJ. GEN. EMMETT 9'DONNELL, FEAF BOMBER COMMANDER, DECLARED: "IT WILL NOT BE NECESSARY TO GO BACK TO PYONGYANG MARSHALLING YARD OR ARSENAL FOR SOME TIME TO COME."
EVIDENCE POINTS TO LARGE FIRES AND EXPLOSIONS FURTHER DEVASTATING THE MILITARY OBJECTIVES FOLLOWING THE B-29 BOMBING.
LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, FAR EAST AIR FORCES COMMANDER, WHEN HE RECEIVED GENERAL O'DONNELL'S REPORT THIS MORNING, COMMENTED: "THIS IS THE SECOND MILITARY TARGET THAT WE CAN SCRATCH FROM OUR CURRENT LIST. THE FIRST WAS THE INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX AT KONAN."
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B62KX (SEG)
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TEXT (180)
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 9-(AP)-TEXT OF COMMUNIQUX NO. 30 ISSUED HERE AT 6:30 P.M. (3:30 A.M. EST) TODAY:
AGGRESSIVE-MINDED U.N. TROOPS TODAY CARRIED OUT SUCCESSFUL ACTION IN EVERY ENGAGEMENT WITH THE ENEMY ON THE KOREA FRONT.
THE 35TH RCT (REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM) HAS PATROLLED WITHIN SEVEN AIRLINE MILES OF CHINJU TODAY. THE PROGRESS WAS VERY SATISFACTORY FOR ALL ELEMENTS OF THE TASK FORCE AND MUCH ENEMY MATERIAL WAS CAPTURED. REFUGEE REPORTS INDICATE THAT THE ENEMY IS WITHDRAWING.
ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION ARE STILL APPLYING HEAVY PRESSURE AGAINST SEVERAL NORTH KOREAN BATTALIONS IN THE BRIDGEHEADS SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG.
THE TWIN CROSSINGS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER JUST SOUTH AND NORTH OF WAEGWAN HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY COUNTERATTACKED BY U.N. FORCES. THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HAS DRIVEN THE FORCES OF THE SOUTHERN CROSSING BACK TO THE WATER'S EDGE AND REPORTS THAT THE NORTH KOREANS WILL BE UNABLE TO REINFORCE THEIR UNITS DURING THE NIGHT. THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION HAS DRIVEN THE NORTHERN CROSSING FORCE BACK ACROSS THE RIVER.
PRESSURE BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES IN THE YANGGI SECTOR HAAS BEEN SUCCESSFULLY REPULSED TODAY BY ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) TROOPS.
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TEXT (270)
U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,THURSDAY,AUG.10-(AP)-TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 31, ISSUED TODAY AT 12:52 P.M., (9:52 P.M., E.S.T., WEDNESDAY):
FORCES OF THE UNITED NATIONS THIS MORNING CONTINUED SUCCESSFUL ATTACK AND COUNTERATTACK ACTION ON ALL SECTORS OF THE FRONT.
TASK FORCE KEAN CONTINUED ITS OFFENSE EARLY TODAY WITH SATISFACTORY PROGRESS. THE ENEMY HAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE HIGH GROUND EAST OF CHINJU AND OPPOSITION ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE ADVANCE HAS LESSENED. RESERVE UNITS OF THE FORCE ARE MOPPING UP NORTH KOREAN TROOPS BEHIND THE FIFTH INFANTRY REGIMENT AND MARINE REGIMENT WHICH FOR THE PAST TWO DAYS SLOWED THE ADVANCE OF THOSE UNITS.
AN ATTACK BY REINFORCED ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION YESTERDAY AFTERNOON TOOK THE LAST HIGH GROUND REMAINING TO THE ENEMY IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD AND RESUMED THE ATTACK AT DAWN. AT 0900 NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE WITHDRAWING ACROSS THE RIVER AND PULLING BACK THEIR FRONT LINE.
THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HAS COMPLETELY SURROUNDED THE COMMUNIST FORCES WHICH CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER JUST SOUTH OF WAEGWAN YESTERDAY MORNING AND LODGED AN ATTACK THIS MORNING TO ELIMINATE THEM.
THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION MADE A SIGNIFICANT SUCCESSFUL COUNTER-ATTACK YESTERDAY AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES WHICH CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER NORTH OF WAEGWAN YESTERDAY MORNING. THE ROK TROOPS FORCED THE ENEMY INTO A DISORDERLY WITHDRAWAL RESULTING IN NORTH KOREAN FORCES WEST OF THE RIVER FIRING INTO THEIR OWN RETREATING TROOPS. A SMALL UNIT OF THE FIRST DIVISION CAPTURED A NORTH KOREAN TANK INTACT DURING THIS ENGAGEMENT BY DROPPING GRENADES THROUGH THE TURRET. IN THE YONGGIDONG AND SECHONDONG SECTOR NORTH KOREAN ATTACKS WERE SUCCESSFULLY COUNTERED BY ROK FORCES.
NEAR YONGDOK THE ROK THIRD DIVISION WITHDREW ABOUT HALF A MILE UNDER IMMEDIATE PRESSURE BUT COUNTERATTACKED WITH GOOD RESULTS.
ENEMY FORCES WHICH HAVE BEEN ADVANCING SOUTH ON ROK'S RIGHT FLANK ARE NOW ENGAGED BY ROK UNITS IN KIGYE.
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B17KX (SCEG)
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AIR TEXT (600)
TOKYO, AUG. 9-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE (AERIAL) NUMBER 224:
UNITED STATES AIRFORCE B-29S OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES BOMBER COMMAND MAINTAINED THEIR STEADY POUNDING AT STRATEGIC RAIL AND HIGHWAY TARGETS ALONG COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN SUPPLY ROUTES AUG. 8.
THE SUPERFORTRESSES STRUCK AGAIN AT THE KEY MARSHALLING YARDS AT PYONGYANG, A PRIMARY TARGET IN HEAVY STRIKES AUG. 7. DIRECT HITS ON THE YARDS AND A BRIDGE WERE REGISTERED.
PARTIAL EVALUATION OF RECONNAISSANCE PHOTOS TAKEN DURING AND AFTER THE AUG. 7 ATTACK SHOWED LARGE SECTIONS OF THE PYONGYANG ARSENAL AND MARSHALLING YARDS COMPLETELY DEVASTATED. THE ARSENAL, ONE OF THE MAJOR IMMEDIATE SOURCES OF NORTH KOREAN MILITARY SUPPLIES, WAS PARTICULARLY HARD HIT IN THE ATTACKS.
TWO OTHER BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL WERE BOMBED IN TUESDAY'S CONTINUANCE OF THE PLANNED INTERDICTION PROGRAM BEING CARRIED OUT BY FAR EAST AIR FORCES B-29S. BOTH WERE NEAR YONGHUNG, 28 MILES NORTHWEST OF WONSAN, ON THE IMPORTANT NORTHERN SECTOR OF THE EAST COAST RAIL AND HIGHWAY ROUTE.
ONE SPAN WAS REPORTED DOWN ON THE RAILROAD BRIDGE AT YONGHUNG ITSELF AND DAMAGE WAS INFLICTED ON A HIGHWAY BRIDGE NEAR CHOWON, 10 MILES TO THE NORTH.
B-29S OF A GROUP WHICH LEFT THE UNITED STATES ON AUG. 1 PARTICIPATED IN TUESDAY'S OPERATION FLYING THEIR NORMAL EFFORT. THE ADDITIONAL AIRCRAFT WILL INCREASE THE FREQUENCY AND EFFECTIVENESS OF THE LONGER TERM STRATEGIC MISSIONS NOW BEING CONDUCTED BY THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND.
INCHON AND ITS HARBOR, ANOTHER CRITICAL POINT FOR THE FLOW OF SUPPLIES FROM THE NORTHERN AREAS SOUTH TO THE BATTLE FRONTS, WAS HIT BY FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26S IN ONE OF THE LARGEST ATTACKS CONDUCTED BY

LIGHT BOMBERS THUS FAR IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
THIRTY 1000-POUND GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON INDUSTRIAL AND DOCK INSTALLATIONS IN THE PORT CITY DURING A DAYLIGHT ASSAULT. LARGE FIRES AND EXTENSIVE DAMAGE WERE OBSERVED FOLLOWING THE BOMB DROP.
INCHON PORT IS BEING USED AS A WATERBORNE SUPPLY POINT BY THE GOMM-UNISTS.
FIFTH AIR FORCE B26 LIGHT BOMBERS ALSO DAMAGED RAILROAD BRIDGES AT NAJU, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF KWANGJU, AND 5 MILES SOUTHWEST OF NAMWON. B-26S AND F-82S, ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS, BOMBED AND STRAFED MILITARY TARGETS AT SUNCHON, CHINJU, HADONG, KWANGJU AND NAMWON IN NIGHT INTRUDER STRIKES.
PHOTO RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHTS FLOWN ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY CONFIRMED THAT STRENUOUS EFFORTS ARE BEING MADE TO REPAIR SEOUL'S WEST RAILROAD BRIDGE, SERIOUSLY DAMAGED IN PREVIOUS STRIKES BY UNITED STATES AIR FORCE LIGHT AND MEDIUM BOMBERS.
A POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT THE BRIDGE WILL BE REPAIRED ONLY TO THE EXTENT THAT IT CAN BE USED TO CARRY HIGHWAY TRAFFIC, BUT THE DESTRUCTION OF THE ONLY OTHER RAIL BRIDGES ACROSS THE HAN AT THIS CRITICAL POINT MAKES IT LIKELY THAT AN ATTEMPT WILL BE MADE TO RESUME ITS USE FOR RAIL TRAFFIC.
COMBAT SORTIES FLOWN BY THE FIFTH AIR FORCE AGAIN NEARED THE 500 MARK. NEARLY 350 WERE FIGHTER STRIKES IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES.
THE F-80 JETS AND F-51S JOINED ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE MUSTANGS IN CONCENTRATING THEIR EFFORTS ON GROUND SUPPORT AND ARMED RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHTS OVER THE BATTLE LINES IN THE SOUTHWESTERN SECTOR, TAKING A HEAVY TOLL OF NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL AND TROOP STRENGTH.
GROUND AND AIR SPOTTERS ALONG THE LINES AND FLYING T-6 TRAINERS UNCOVERED TARGETS FOR THE MACHINE GUNS AND ROCKETS CARRIED BY THE FIGHTERS. CLAIMS FOR DAMAGED ITEMS OF NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL INCLUDED 41 VEHICLES OF ALL TYPES, 4 LOCOMOTIVES, 7 BOXCARS AND 2 GUN POSITIONS.
FIVE FUEL DUMPS AND TWO AMMUNITION DUMPS WERE ATTACKED AND BURNED BY FIGHTER AIRCRAFT DURING THE DAY.
RAAF MUSTANGS FLEW A NEAR-RECORD NUMBER OF SORTIES ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE, HITTING TARGETS IN CHINJU, WAEGWAN AND HYOPCHON. LISTED AMONG RAAF CLAIMS WERE AN ARTILLERY POSITION, 6 TANKS AND 16 TRUCKS.
ONE FIFTH AIR FORCE F-82 FAILED TO RETURN FROM A MISSION ALONG THE SOUTHERN COAST AND WAS PRESUMED LOST.
CARGO AIRCRAFT SCORED A NEW RECORD BY CARRYING MORE THAN 152 TONS OF ESSENTIAL MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO THE KOREAN BATTLE ZONES DURING THE DAY.
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TOKYO,AUG.9-(AP)-THE TEXT OF THE U.S.NAVY'S KOREAN RELEASE NO.225 ISSUED AT 1:55 P.M. (10:55 P.M. EST TUESDAY):
U.S.CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS THAT BOMBARDED THE NORTH KOREAN RAIL CENTER OF TANCHON BROUGHT HAVOC AND DESTRUCTION TO THAT POINT ACCORDING TO COMPLETE REPORTS OF THE BOMBARDMENT RECEIVED BY VICE ADMIRAL CHARLES T.JOY, COMMANDER, U.S.NAVAL FORCES, FAR EAST, TODAY.
THE RAIDING WARSHIPS IN THEIR ATTACK DESTROYED 75 PERCENT OF THE TRACKS IN THE MARSHALLING YARD AND IN ADDITION DESTROYED ONE COMPLETE TRAIN CONSISTING OF A LOCOMOTIVE AND 60 CARS THAT WAS PASSING THROUGH THE YARDS.
IN ADDITION THE INTENSIVE GUNFIRE DESTROYED OTHER LOCOMOTIVES AND BOX CARS STANDING IN THE YARDS, SET FIRE TO A HEAVILY CAMOUFLAGED POWER PLANT THAT HAD BEEN SPOTTED BY COVERING AIRCRAFT; DESTROYED A WAREHOUSE AND LEFT TWO OTHERS IN FLAMES.
AFTER LEAVING THE TANCHON AREA THE BOMBARDMENT GROUP FIRED ON A RAILROAD BRIDGE NORTH OR TAEPORI. USING A HELICOPTER FOR SPOTTING PURPOSES THE FORCES SCORED DIRECT HITS ON A RAILROAD BRIDGE. WHEN THE FORCE STEAMED AWAY FOLLOWING THE ATTACK ONE TRESTLE OF THE BRIDGE WAS SEEN TO HAVE BEEN KNOCKED FROM THE ABUTMENT AND RESTING ON THE RIVER BOTTOM.
OTHER BOMBARDMENT FORCES WORKING ALONG THE COAST LINE BETWEEN YONGDOK AND SAMCHOK FIRED ON BRIDGES, ROAD JUNCTIONS, INDUSTRIAL CENTERS AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS. IN ADDITION THEIR FIRE DESTROYED A BRIDGE AT KANSONG AND GUN EMPLACEMENT AND ROAD BLOCKS IN THE SAME VICINITY.
MARINE FIGHTERS OPERATING FROM CARRIERS CUT A PATY OF DESTRUCTION THROUGH SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST KOREA IN ATTACKING THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES. THE MARINE FIGHTER PILOTS FROM ONE CARRIER REPORTED THE DESTRUCTION OF SIX MORTAR POSITIONS, BUILDINGS HARBORING ENEMY TROOPS AND SEVERAL WAREHOUSES AT KOSONG. THEY ALSO REPORTED THE DESTRUCTION OF A FUEL DUMP AT TANGDONG.
PILOTS FROM THE OTHER CARRIER GIVING GROUND SUPPORT REPORTED THE DESTRUCTION OF 40 VEHICLES AND TANKS AT PANSONG AND HEAVY DAMAGE TO A CONCENTRATION OF VEHICLES AND TROOPS NEAR CHINJU.
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TOKYO, AUG. 9-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 226 ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS TODAY:
TEST REPORTS RECEIVED AT HEADQUARTERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND INDICATE THAT AMERICAN FORCES ATTACKING IN THE DIRECTION OF CHINJU ARE MAKING SLOW BUT SURE PROGRESS IN CONTINUOUS FIGHTING DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS.
MOST PROGRESS IS BEING MADE BY THE U.S. COMBAT ELEMENTS WHICH ARE DRIVING WESTWARD GENERALLY ALONG THE HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD LEADING TO CHINJU IN THE NORTHERN SECTOR. OTHER UNITS INCLUDING U.S. MARINES ARE ADVANCING SLOWLY AGAINST VERY HEAVY OPPOSITION IN THE SOUTH.
THE NORTHERN COMBAT ELEMENTS ESTIMATED THAT THEY KILLED OR WOUNDED 400 OF THE OPPOSING RED ENEMY DURING THE 24-HOUR PERIOD ENDING ABOUT 3 A.M. TODAY (NOON, EST, MONDAY) THESE UNITS ALSO CAPTURED A CONSIDER-ABLE AMOUNT OF WEAPONS AND EQUIPMENT. TUESDAY
THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION IS MAKING SOME PROGRESS IN REDUCING THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER WEST OF YONGSAN.

THE COMMUNISTS ARE EXERTING CONSIDERABLE PRESSURE ON THE 24TH'S FRONT AND APPARENTLY ARE BUILDING UP STRENGTH TO THEIR IMMEDIATE REAR IN THIS AREA.
THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AND THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION CONTINUED THEIR EFFORTS TO REDUCE SMALL BRIDGEHEADS IN THEIR SECTORS.
LATE YESTERDAY AND LAST NIGHT THE REDS STRONGLY ATTACKED THE ROK 6TH AND 8TH DIVISIONS. ONE UNIT OF THE 8TH MADE A SLIGHT WITHDRAWAL SOUTH OF ANDONG UNDER HEAVY ENEMY FIRE.
THERE WAS LITTLE CHANGE IN THE DISPOSITION OF FORCES IN THE YONGDOK AREA.
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TOKYO, AUG. 9-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.227 (AERIAL) ISSUED AT 6 P.M. (3 A.M., EST) TODAY:
U.S. AIR FORCE LIGHT BOMBERS AND FIGHTER AIRCRAFT ASSIGNED TO THE FIFTH AIR FORCE CONTINUED TO SUPPORT U.S. GROUND TROOPS WEDNESDAY AUGUST 9 IN MISSIONS SPECIFICALLY DIRECTED BY CONTROLLERS AND ALSO AGAINST TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN THE SOUTHERN PART OF KOREA CLOSE TO THE BATTLE LINE.
AN ALMOST UNINTERRUPTED SCHEDULE OF MISSIONS, WHICH BEGAN TUESDAY NIGHT AND CONTINUED WEDNESDAY, FOUND THE THIRD BOMB GROUP'S B-26 INVADERS ATTACKING MILITARY TARGETS AT TAEJON, KUNSAN, TASANG AND OTHER COMMUNIST-HELD TOWNS.
THE LIGHT BOMBERS STALKED TROOP MOVEMENTS ON THE HIGHWAYS AND RAILROADS, BOMBING AND STRAFING VEHICLES AND RAIL CARS. THE B-26S ALSO HIT HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD BRIDGES AT KUMCHON AND KWANGGANG, ONE PILOT REPORTING HE HAD STRAFED A TRAIN AT NAGEN, PUTTING 1200 ROUNDS OF 50-CALIBRE AMMUNITION INTO THE TARGET.
AN F-80 JET PILOT, 1ST LT. WILLIAM F. MCCRISTAL, 1546 WAKEFIELD, NEW ORLEANS, LA., LOCATED A NORTH KOREAN TANK ABOUT 10 MILES ALONG THE RIVER FROM WAEGWAN WEDNESDAY AND MADE TWO HITS ON IT WITH ROCKETS. "THE MEN IN THE TANK JUMPED OUT AND RAN FOR COVER IN THE BUSHES, SO I MACHINE-GUNNED THE BUSHES," HE SAID.
LT. MCCRISTAL SAID THE CONTROLLER FLYING IN THE AREA DIRECTED HIM TO A TRUCK NEAR THE RIVER. "I LEFT THE TRUCK BURNING," HE SAID.
SECOND LT. GLENN PAYNE, HILLSBORO, TEX., FLEW JET MISSION WEDNESDAY TO KORYONG, SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. HE SAID HE AND HIS ELEMENT LEADER FIRST LT. DONALD L. LEEGERING, ROUTE 10, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., LOCATED A MACHINEGUN NEST. " WE DESTROYED IT," HE SAID. THEY ALSO STRAFED TRUCKS AND TROOPS.
MOST OF THE F-80 PILOTS WHO FLEW WEDNESDAY SAID THEY EXPERIENCED SOME ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE BUT THERE WERE NO SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES.
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TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.10-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 228, ISSUED AT 1:20 A.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (10:20 A.M., EST, WEDNESDAY) FOLLOWS:
THE SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE "TASK FORCE KEAN KEAN" CONTINUED THROUGHOUT THE DAY AGAINST HEAVY AND FIERCE ENEMY OPPOSITION. GAINS WERE MADE AND PROGRESS WAS REPORTED AS SATISFACTORY, AVERAGING ABOUT THREE MILES.
PILOTS REPORTED THAT THE RED FORCES WERE PREPARING TO EVACUATE CHINJU, BUT VIOLENT OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED ALONG THE SOUTHERN PRONG OF THE ADVANCE.
MEANWHILE, IN THE NORTHERN SECTOR OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING, THE SOUTH KOREAN 6TH AND 8TH DIVISIONS WITHDREW TO NEW POSITIONS TWO MILES SOUTH.
IN THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE AREA, AN ENEMY FORCE ESTIMATED AT TWO BATTALIONS SUPPORTED BY TANKS WERE ELIMINATED FROM THE BRIDGEHEAD IN THE VICINITY OF NOSOK. FIGHTING CONTINUED ALONG THE ENTIRE RIVER FRONT, WITH SPORADIC ATTEMPTS BY THE COMMUNISTS TO BREACH THE RIVER LINE.
INCREASING ENEMY BUILDUP IS REPORTED IN THE YONGDOK AREA WITH INDICATIONS THAT THE 5TH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION IS RECEIVING REINFORCEMENTS FROM THE NORTH. HEAVY FIGHTING IS REPORTED NEAR THE TOWN.
REPUBLIC OF KOREA SYMPATHIZERS REPORT ENTHUSIASM OVER THE CONSTANT BOMBINGS AND THE AMERICAN OFFENSE AND THAT THE LEFTIST CONVERTS ARE DEMORLIZED. THESE LEFTISTS ARE SHOWING DOUBTS OF A NORTH KOREAN VICTORY AND THEREFORE ARE MODIFYING THEIR PREVIOUS BEHAVIORS.
FAR EAST NAVAL FORCES CONDUCTED FIRE MISSIONS AT THE REQUEST OF SHORE FIRE CONTROL PARTIES ON TARGETS WEST AND NORTH OF YONGDOK. TROOPS, GUN, O POSITIONS AND ROADS WERE BOMBED WITH REPORTED GOOD RESULTS.
THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES REPORTED THAT B-29S BOMBED THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT PYONGYANG AND OIL REFINERIES AT WONSAN WITH GOOD RESULTS. THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW 347 SORTIES, WITH 6 TANKS, 8 VEHICLES, BUILDINGS, GUN POSITIONS AND 2 LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED. DAMAGE WAS REPORTED TO 6 TANKSGN TRUCKS, SUPPLY DUMPS AND OTHER SUPPLY INSTALLATIONS.
LIGHT BOMBERS, B-26S FLEW 17 MISSIONS, HITTING KUMCHON WITH FRAGMENTATION BOMBS AND REPORTED THE TOWN AFIRE. SUNCHON, KWANGJU, CHONGJU, TOGAMDASHNI AND NAMWON WERE HIT WITH UNKNOWN RESULTS.
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TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 10-(AP)-THE TEXT OF A KOREAN RELEASE (NUMBER UNAVAILABLE BECAUSE OF TRANSMISSION DIFFICULTIES) TIMED AT 10:40 A.M., (7 P.M., EST):
FLYING SO LOW INTO THE KOREAN VALLEYS THAT THEY WERE BROUGHT UNDER ENEMY INFANTRY FIRE FROM HILLTOPS ABOVE, MARINE FIGHTER PILOTS ATTACHED TO A CARRIER-BORNE CLOSE SUPPORT GROUP YESTERDAY CONTINUED THEIR MISSIONS OF LITERALLY BLAZING TRAILS WESTWARD FOR FELLOW LEATHERNECKS ON THE GROUND.
USING NAPALM INCENDIARIES TO DESTROY COMMUNIST MACHINE GUN AND ARTILLERY EMPLACEMENTS IN THE CHINJU SECTOR, THE MARINE CORSAIRS REPEATEDLY FLEW UNDER THE ARC OF ENEMY MORTAR FIRE.
TWO 50-TON TANKS WERE WIPED OUT BY ELEMENTS OF THE FAMOUS BLACK SHEEP SQUADRON ORGANIZED ON GUADALCANAL SEVEN YEARS AGO BY COL. GREGORY "PAPPY" BOYINGTON, USMC, CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR WINNER.
MARINE SPOTTERS HAVE NOW RELIEVED AIR FORCE CONTROL AIRPLANES OVER THEIR SECTOR TO SELECT TARGETS FOR THE INCOMING STRIKES FROM THE CLOSE-IN CARRIER TASK GROUP SUPPLYING THE DAWN TO DUSK AIR COVER FOR THE GROUND TROOPS.
TWO SUCH SPOTTERS SAW TWO HEAVY TANKS DRAW INTO POSITION FOR A NIGHT ASSAULT AND IMMEDIATELY CAMOUFLAGED SO CLEVERLY THEY WERE RENDERED UNSEEN FROM THE AIR, BUT NOT BEFORE THEIR POSITIONS WERE CLEARLY NOTED AND PLOTTED. THE SPOTTERS WERE THEN ABLE TO LEAD TWO CORSAIRS TO THE INVISIBLE TARGETS AND SEE THEM DEFINITELY DESTROYED BY DIVE-BOMBING AND 20 MM CANNON FIRE.
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TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.10-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 230 ISSUED BY FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS TODAY AT 12:55 P.M. (9:55 P.M., E.S.T., WEDNESDAY):

ROAD JUNCTIONS AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE THE TARGETS FOR U.S. NAVY BOMBARDMENT FORCES NORTH OF THE YONGDOK AREA LATE YESTERDAY. THE HARRASSMENT FIRE WAS CONTINUED FOR MORE THAN AN HOUR BUT RESULTS WERE NOT OBSERVED BECAUSE THE TARGETS WERE INLAND FROM SHORE. WORD WAS RECEIVED, HOWEVER, THAT ONE CLIFF ROAD SKIRTING THE SHORE WAS TEMPORARILY RENDERED IMPASSABLE DUE TO LANDSLIDES.

MARINE FIGHTER AIRCRAFT OPERATING FROM CARRIERS CONTINUED THEIR CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA, BOMBING WITH NAPALM AND HIGH VELOCITY ROCKETS. CARRIER PILOTS NEUTRALIZED ENEMY OPPOSITION THAT HAD BEEN ENTRENCHED ON A HILLTOP IN THE PATH OF ADVANCING TROOPS. TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE CHINJU AREA WERE ALSO ATTACKED AS WERE MACHINEGUN NESTS, TANKS AND ARTILLERY EMPLACEMENTS. THE CARRIER PLANE SORTIES WERE CARRIED OUT CONTINUOUSLY FROM SEVEN IN THE MORNING UNTIL JUST BEFORE DARKNESS.

BLOCKADING FORCES ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA REPORTED DESTROYING A JUNK LADEN WITH FOOD AND FUEL SUPPLIES.

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LONDON, AUG. 9-(AP)-A NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND COMMUNIQUE AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO:

MORNING COMMUNIQUE:

TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO ADVANCE ALONG THE WHOLE FRONT BREAKING DOWN THE RESISTANCE OF THE INFANTRY, ARTILLERY AND ARMORED AND MOTORIZED UNITS OF THE AMERICAN AND PUPPET SYNGMAN RHEE FORCES.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, WHICH LIBERATED KUNWI (GUNI) AND WHICH CONTINUE TO DRIVE SOUTHWARD, ROUTED THE STUBBORNLY RESISTING ENEMY SOUTH OF KUNWI. IN THIS BATTLE UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CAPTURED MANY ENEMY OFFICERS AND MEN. THIRTY-FIVE MOTOR VEHICLES AND OTHER TROPHIES WERE CAPTURED. ENEMY RAILWAY TRAINS LOADED WITH FOOD, FUEL, SHELLS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT WERE DESTROYED.

ON ANOTHER SECTOR OF THE FRONT PLANES AND ANTIAIRCRAFT GUNS OF PEOPLE'S ARMY SHOT DOWN 14 AMERICAN BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS WHICH WERE HINDERING THE OFFENSIVE OF TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY.

CONTINUING THEIR ADVANCE, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, WHICH SMASHED THE 18TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, A MOTORIZED REGIMENT, AN ARTILLERY DIVISION AND OTHER ENEMY UNITS IN THE EAST COAST AREA, HAVE WIPED OUT AND CAPTURED THE FIRST AND 16TH REGIMENTS OF THE SO-CALLED SEOUL DIVISION OF THE SYNGMAN RHEE PUPPET ARMY. LARGE TROPHIES HAVE BEEN CAPTURED.

EVENING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, OVERCOMING FIERCE RESISTANCE OF THE ENEMY, CONTINUED FIGHTING.

IN THE SOUTH COAST AREA, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY REPULSED SEVERAL COUNTERATTACKS OF AMERICAN INFANTRY UNITS UNDERTAKEN UNDER COVER OF MORE THAN TEN TANKS.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ADVANCING IN THIS AREA BY CONCENTRATED FIRE REPELLED A LANDING ATTEMPT MADE BY SYNGMAN RHEE'S PUPPET TROOPS. ONE ENEMY VESSEL WAS SUNK AND ANOTHER VESSEL SLIPPED AWAY.

ON AUG. 8, 11 FOUR-ENGINED AMERICAN BOMBERS AGAIN BARBAROUSLY RAIDED PYONGYANG. AS A RESULT MANY DWELLING HOUSES WERE DESTROYED. THERE WERE CASUALTIES AMONG THE CIVILIAN POPULATION.

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BY HAL BOYLE

NAKTONG RIVER FRONT IN KOREA,AUG.9-(AP)-U.S. TROOPS WENT UP INTO THE HILLS TODAY CHASING AFTER A BATTALION OF NORTH KOREAN REDS WHO HAD SLIPPED ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER TO THE ALLIED EAST SIDE. BY NIGHTFALL THE DOUGHBOYS HAD DRIVEN THE REDS BACK TO THE WATER'S EDGE.

THE REDS WADED THROUGH THE RIVER SHALLOWS LAST NIGHT TWO MILES BELOW WAEGWAN AND PENETRATED THREE MILES. THEY WERE THEN ISOLATED ON A RIDGE SOME NINE MILES FROM THE VITAL CITY OF TAEGU BY A BATTALION OF THE FIRST U.S. CAVALRY DIVISION. IT HAD BEEN HELD IN RESERVE FOR JUST SUCH A COUNTERATTACK.

FOR ABOUT FOUR HOURS THE INVADERS' FIRE BLOCKED THE ROAD FROM WAEGWAN TO TAEGU. THEY HAD GOOD OBSERVATION POSTS ATOP A 1,200-FOOT RIDGE AND THEY COULD REACH THE HIGHWAY WITH MACHINEGUN, MORTAR AND HOWITZER FIRE.

BUT THE POINT BLANK FIRE OF 10 AMERICAN LIGHT TANKS AND A CONTINUOUS SHELLING BY TANK ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY MORTARS FORCED THE ENEMY TO FALL BACK AS DOUGHBOYS WORKED METHODICALLY UP THE RIDGE TOWARD THEM. BY 1:30 P.M. (10:30 P.M., EST, TUESDAY) THE ROAD WAS OPEN AND THE AMERICANS WERE PUSHING THE REDS STEADILY BACK TOWARD THE NAKTONG RIVER.

THE BATTLE WAS A DAYLONG UPHILL STRUGGLE FOUGHT ON ONE OF THE HOTTEST DAYS OF THE YEAR. IT SHOWED THAT TRAINED AMERICAN INFANTRY HAS THE STAMINA TO FIGHT NORTH KOREANS IN THIS MOUNTAIN-GOAT COUNTRY.

PRAISING THE FIGHTING SPIRIT OF HIS MEN, MAJ.GEN. HOBART R. GAY, FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION COMMANDER, SAID HE WOULD WELCOME MORE SUCH ENEMY ATTACKS.

"WE WERE READY FOR THEM," HE SAID, "AND HOPED TO FLUSH THEM OUT LIKE PHEASANTS. I DON'T KNOW HOW MANY WE KILLED BUT WE WILL (KNOW) TOMORROW MORNING.

"THERE PROBABLY WILL BE MORE TRYING TO COME ACROSS THE RIVER--AND I HOPE THEY DO. I DON'T WANT TO DISCOURAGE THEM FROM FIGHTING THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION."

LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER, DROVE OVER A MORTAR-SWEPT ROAD TO SEE FOR HIMSELF HOW THE BATTLE WAS GOING.

A JEEP KNOCKED OUT BY A MORTAR SHELL FLAMED SOME 50 YARDS DOWN THE ROAD.

AFTER VISITING THE ATTACKING BATTALION'S COMMAND POST, WALKER LEFT LOOKING SATISFIED.

GAY PRAISED LT. HARRY C. BUCKLEY, YOUNG WEST POINT GRADUATE WHOSE OBSERVATION HELPED PINPOINT THE LOCATION OF THE ENEMY BATTALION AND SPEED ARTILLERY FIRE ON IT.

"HE IS A SMART LAD WHO JUST RETURNED TO ACTION AFTER BEING WOUNDED," SAID THE GENERAL. "AND HE WAS CAREFUL TO NOTE THAT EVERY FIFTH ONE OF THE ENEMY SOLDIERS CARRIED AN AUTOMATIC. HE GAVE US A LOT OF HELPFUL INFORMATION."

TO FLUSH OUT THE RED KOREAN BATTLELINE, AMERICAN INFANTRY THREW IN--AS ONE OFFICER SAID--EVEN COOKS AND BOTTLEWASHERS. ATTACKING ON A 2,500-YARD FRONT THE SOLDIERS SPREAD OUT SEARCHING EACH GULLY AND TREE CLUMP FOR HIDDEN REDS. WHENEVER THEY DREW FIRE THEY WITHDREW, REORGANIZED AND KNOCKED OUT THE ENEMY POSITIONS. IT WAS GOOD TRADITIONAL INFANTRY FIGHTING--UPHILL UNDER A HOT SUN.

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I RODE UP TO THE BATTALION COMMAND POST IN MIDAFTERNOON WITH LT. EDWARD WALKER OF 1186 SENECA ST., BUFFALO, N.Y., WHOSE JEEP DRIVER HAD JUST BEEN DRIVEN FROM A RAVINE BY A SHELL BURST WITHIN TEN FEET OF HIM. THE DRIVER WAS STARTLED BUT UNHURT.

ACHINEGUN AND SMALL ARMS FIRE CRACKLED IN THE HILLS AND THE ECHOES MADE IT SEEM LIKE A REGIMENTAL SCALE ATTACK. BIG 4.2-INCH MORTAR SHELLS WERE LOBBING UP FROM A FIELD TO THE RIGHT AND BURSTING IN GRAY SHOWERS ON THE RIDGE.

IN THE COMMAND POST--A CONCRETE RAILWAY CULVERT--CAPT. WILLIAM J.GILLESPIE, BINGHAMTON, N.Y., WAS CALLING FOR ARTILLERY ON A CORNER OF THE HILL.

"WE'VE JUST LOCATED SOME ENEMY TROOPS THERE," HE SAID. "THEY HAVE GOOD OBSERVATION ON US AND SEEM TO KNOW WHERE WE ARE. THEY'VE BEEN POUNDING US EVERY FEW MINUTES."

THE RIPPING CRACK OF A MORTAR SOUNDED JUST AHEAD. BUT THE CONCRETE SHELTER COULD HAVE TAKEN A DIRECT OVERHEAD HIT WITHOUT HARM.

WALKING UP THE BIG HILL FORWARD AND DIRECTING HIS MEN PERSONALLY WAS THE BATTALION COMMANDER, PETER CLAINOS, A SLENDER WIRY LIEUTENANT-COLONEL FROM MANCHESTER, N.H.

WITH HIM WRE A RADIO OPERATOR AND A VETERAN WARRANT OFFICER ACTING AS HIS RUNNER. IN A FEW MOMENTS THE WARRANT OFFICER, W.L. HAMBLIN OF FONTANA, CALIF., CAME INTO THE COMMAND POST.

"WE ARE ON A HUMP LOOKING DIRECTLY AT THE REDS ON ANOTHER HILL ABOUT 1,000 YARDS AWAY," HE SAID. "YOU CAN SEE SMALL GROUPS OF THEM. WHEVER A MORTAR SHELL BURSTS ONE OF THEM RUNS AND JUMPS INTO THE HOLE. THEY SEEM TO BE GAMBLING THAT TWO SHELLS NEVER HIT IN THE SAME PLACE."

HE TURNED TO THE CAPTAIN.

"THE COLONEL WANTS THE TANKS TO GET OUT WHERE THEY OPEN UP POINT BLANK FIRE. THOSE GUYS ARE SITTING UP THERE LOOKING DOWN ON US. THE COLONEL WANTS THE TANKS TO BEGIN FIRING HALFWAY UP THE HILL AND WALK THEIR FIRE RIGHT UP TO THE TOP."

THE TANKS CAME OUT AND DID IT. THE SWEATING DOUGHBOYS KEPT CLOGGING UP THE HILL. AND THE REDS FINALLY STARTED BACK TOWARD THE RIVER.

TONIGHT A WEARY BUT VICTORIOUS AMERICAN INFANTRY BATTALION WAITS IN THE HEIGHTS FOR THE ENEMY TO TRY FRESH RIVER CROSSINGS.

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TOKYO, AUG.9-(AP)-AAMERICAN COMBAT ENGINEERS IN KOREA WERE ORDERED TO DESTROY A STRANDED TRAINLOAD OF EXPLOSIVES "AT ALL COSTS."

BUT THEY DECIDED THE AMMUNITION AND GASOLINE WAS TOO VALUABLE TO DESTROY. SO---

THEY SEIZED A RAILWAY STATION IN "NO MAN'S" LAND, HOOKED AN ENGINE TO THE STRANDED TRAIN, AND BROUGHT IT OUT. THEY BLEW UP RAIL CROSSINGS, SWITCHES, BRIDGES AND COMMUNICATION LINES AS THEY RETREATED WITHOUT MISHAP.

THE STORY WAS TOLD TODAY IN AN OFFICIAL RELEASE.

FOR TWO DAYS AND TWO NIGHTS THE FIGHTING ENDINEERS HAD WORKED BLOWING UP BRIDGES AT KUMCHON. AFTER BURNING THE TOWN AND LAYING MINE FIELDS THEY HAD REGROUPED IN THEIR COMPANY AREA.

THEN ABOUT MIDNIGHT ORDERS ARRIVED BY TELEPHONE TO BATTALION COMMANDER, LT. COL. WILLIAM C. HOLLEY OF CORVALLIS, ORE.

FIFTEEN FREIGHT CARS HEAVY WITH AMMUNITION, GASOLINE AND HIGH EXPLOSIVES WERE STRANDED JUST OUTSIDE THE FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR. FOUR MILES NORTH OF THE TRAIN NORTH KOREAN GURERRILLAS HAD TAKEN A TOWN AND MIGHT CAPTURE THE VALUABLE TRAIN AND CARGO.

THE PROBLEM WAS TO BLOW UP THE TRAIN BEFORE THE GUERRILLAS ARRIVED. TWENTY TIRED RIFLEMEN LOADED DEMOLITION FOR BLASTING INTO JEEPS AND SET OUT.

HOLLEY ACCOMPANIED THE ADVANCE GROUP WHICH WAS COMMANDED BY LT. JOHN T.KENNEDY, EL MONTE, CALIF. THE MAIN BODY OF ENGINEERS WAS TO FOLLOW IN TRUCKS MOUNTED WITH 50 CALIBRE MACHINEGUNS. THEY WERE UNDER CAPT. LEWIS HARVEY, SEYMOUR, IND.

HOLLEY TOLD HOW HIS 20 MAN DAREDEVIL SQUAD RACED THROUGH POKSONG AND REACHED KUMI. THERE THEY SEIZED THE RAIL STATION AND FORMED A PERIMETER AROUND IT.

HOLLEY FOUND A TELEPHONE AND CALLED POKSONG FOR AN ENGINE TO PULL THE TRAIN BACK TO SAFE TERRITORY. THE ENGINEERS MARKED TIME FROM 2 UNTIL 4 A.M. THE ENGINE CHUGGED IN BEFORE THE GUERRILLAS.

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U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 9-(AP)-FOUR SILVER STARS AND FOUR BRONZE STARS WERE AWARDED TO MEN OF THE 34TH INFANTRY REGIMENT OF THE 24TH DIVISION, HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

ONE OF THE ENLISTED MEN, MORGAN L.DOWNS OF ONALASKA, LEWIS COUNTY, WASH., WAS AWARDED A SILVER STAR POSTHUMOUSLY. DOWNS LOST HIS LIFE DURING AN ENEMY ATTACK ON CHONAN JULY 8 AFTER SCORING THREE DIRECT ROCKET HITS ON ENEMY TANKS WITH A 2.36-INCH BAZOOKA. HE WAS KILLED BY FIRE FROM A TANK HE HAD HIT BUT NOT DESTROYED BECAUSE OF HEAVY ARMOR PLATE.

THOSE AWARDED THE SILVER STAR FOR GALLANTRY IN ACTION INCLUDED PVT.JOHN R.STOVALL OF 3318 MARKET AVE., EAST ST.LOUIS, ILL., AND CORP. AUBREY H.BREWER OF 266 KING AVE., ATHENS, GA.

THOSE AWARDED BRONZE STAR MEDALS FOR HEROIC ACHIEVEMENT IN COMBAT INCLUDED PFC JAMES D.BATTEN, ROUTE 2, BALDENBORO, N.C., AND PFC [redacted]

ALEXANDER C.HENDERSON OF 4445 CHESTER ST., PHILADELPHIA.

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TOKYO,AUG.9-(AP)-TWO ENLISTED MEN ATTACHED TO GENERAL HEAD-QUARTERS HERE WERE PRESENTED WITH BRONZE STARS TODAY BY MAJ.GEN. WALTER L. WEIBLE, COMMANDING GENERAL QUARTERS AND SERVICE GROUP.

MAJ.FRED O. CHRISTWELL OF GUTHRIE, OKLA., MEMBER OF THE 96TH MACHINE RECORDS UNIT, WAS AWARDED THE BRONZE MEDAL IN THE SAME GENERAL ORDER.

THE ENLISTED MEN WERE CPL. WILLIAM H. STRICKLAND, WHITEVILLE, N.C., AND LOUIS K. FULLER, GRINNELL, IOWA, BOTH OF HEADQUARTERS AND SERVICE GROUP COMPANY.

THE ORDER SAID THE MEN ACCOMPANIED MAJ.GEN. JOHN H. CHURCH TO KOREA FROM JUNE 27 TO JULY 12 AND "WORKED UNDER EXTREMELY DIFFICULT CONDITIONS WITHOUT REGARD FOR THEIR OWN SAFETY AS DRIVER AND BODYGUARD FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL GHQS ADVANCE COMMAND."

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TOKYO,AUG.9-(AP)-ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE MUSTANGS HAVE HAD THEIR BIGGEST DAY OF THE KOREAN WAR -- AND ALSO ONE OF THEIR MOST SUCCESSFUL.

THE RAAF SQUADRON WHICH HAS BEEN HITTING RED TARGETS SINCE EARLY JULY, FLEW 34 SORTIES YESTERDAY ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.

MOST OF THE FLIGHTS WERE IN SUPPORT OF THE SURGING GROUND ACTION. BUT THE AUSTRALIANS ALSO SAID THEY HIT SIX TANKS AND 16 TRUCKS IN ADDITION TO AN ARTILLERY POSITION NEAR CHINJU, WAEGWAN AND HXOPCHON.

WHILE THE AUSSIES STRUCK, AMERICANS IN MUSTANGS AND F-80 JETS FLEW GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS AND RANGED BEHIND NORTH KOREAN LINES HITTING COMMUNICATIONS AND OTHER INSTALLATIONS.

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WITH HARRIMAN
MACARTHUR-FORMOSA (400)

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TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.10-(AP)-GEN.MACARTHUR SAID TODAY THAT HIS RECENT CONFERENCES WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK ON FORMOSA WERE "LIMITED ENTIRELY TO MILITARY MATTERS" AND "HAD NO CONNECTION WITH POLITICAL AFFAIRS."

THE UNITED NATIONS MILITARY CHIEFTAIN IN THE FAR EAST ISSUED A 300-WORD RELEASE WHICH STATED:

"THERE HAVE BEEN SO MANY MISSTATEMENTS MADE WITH REFERENCE TO MY RECENT TRIP TO FORMOSA THAT IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST AT THIS CRITICAL TIME I FEEL CONSTRAINED TO CORRECT THEM."

MACARTHUR WAS EMPHATIC THAT THE TRIP "DEALT SOLELY WITH THE PROBLEM OF PREVENTING MILITARY VIOLENCE TO FORMOSA AS DIRECTED BY THE PRESIDENT."

HE CONTINUED:

"IMPLEMENTATION OF THAT DIRECTIVE IS MY RESPONSIBILITY. IT HAD NO CONNECTION WITH POLITICAL AFFAIRS AND THEREFORE NO SUGGESTION OR THOUGHT WAS EVER MADE FROM ANY SOURCE WHATSOEVER THAT A POLITICAL REPRESENTATIVE ACCOMPANY ME."

(W.AVERELL HARRIMAN REPORTED EARLIER IN WASHINGTON THAT THE TALKS BETWEEN MACARTHUR AND CHIANG INDICATED "NO SIGN OF CHANGE WHATSOEVER" IN U.S. POLICY TOWARD THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT. HARRIMAN, NOW PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S FOREIGN AFFAIRS CO-ORDINATOR, RETURNED WEDNESDAY TO WASHINGTON FROM CONFERENCES WITH MACARTHUR).

ON THE MATTER OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT, MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT SAID:

"THE SUBJECT OF THE FUTURE OF THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT OR DEVELOPMENTS ON THE CHINESE MAINLAND OR ANYTHING ELSE OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF MY OWN MILITARY RESPONSIBILITY WAS NOT DISCUSSED OR EVEN MENTIONED."

(BOTH HARRIMAN'S AND MACARTHUR'S STATEMENTS APPARENTLY WERE DESIGNED TO CLEAR UP THE OFFICIAL U.S. ATTITUDE ON CHIANG'S GOVERNMENT. THE TWO SAID AMERICAN POLICY, ANNOUNCED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON JUNE 27, REMAINS UNCHANGED REGARDING FORMOSA.)

"THIS VISIT HAS BEEN MALICIOUSLY MISREPRESENTED TO THE PUBLIC BY THOSE WHO INVARIABLY IN THE PAST HAVE PROPAGANDIZED A POLICY OF DEFEATISM AND APPEASEMENT IN THE FAR EAST," MACARTHUR WENT ON.

"I HOPE THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WILL NOT BE MISLED BY SLY INSINUTATIONS, BRASH SPECULATIONS AND BOLD MISSTATEMENTS INVARIABLE ATTRIBUTED TO ANONYMOUS SOURCES SO INSIDIOUSLY FED THEM BOTH NATIONALL AND INTERNATIONALLY BY PERSONS 10,000 MILES AWAY FROM THE ACTUAL EVENTS WHICH TEND. IF THEY ARE NOT INDEED DESIGNED, TO PROMOTE DISUNITY AND DESTROY FAITH AND CONFIDENCE IN AMERICAN PURPOSES AND INSTITUTIONS AND AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES AT THE TIME OF GREAT WORLD PERIL."

THE GENERAL CONCLUDED:

"CONTRARY TO THESE PROPAGANDA EFFORTS CALCULATED TO CREATE THE IMPRESSION OF FRICTION AND DISUNITY BETWEEN THIS HEADQUARTERS AND VARIOUS EXECUTIVE AGENCIES IN WASHINGTON, THERE COULD BE NO GREATER UNITY OF PURPOSE AND COMPLETE COORDINATION AND COOPERATION THAN NOW EXISTS. I HAVE NEVER KNOWN SO HIGH A DEGREE OF MUTUAL SUPPORT WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST FRICTION OR MISUNDERSTANDING."

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NIGHT LEAD HARRIMAN

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BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, AUG. 9-(AP)-W. AVERELL HARRIMAN, WHITE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS CO-ORDINATOR, RETURNED TODAY FROM CONFERENCES WITH GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR IN TOKYO TO ASSURE THE WORLD THERE IS "NO SIGN OF CHANGE WHATSOEVER" IN UNITED STATES POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA.

HIS FLYING MISSION, CAPPED OFF BY THIS DECLARATION AT A NEWS CONFERENCE, WAS SUMMED UP BY SOME AUTHORITIES AS AN ATTEMPT TO END NEEDLESS CONFUSION ON THIS POINT. TO OTHERS IT APPEARED AS ONE OF THE ODDEST DIPLOMATIC MANEUVERS ON RECORD.

AT ANY RATE, HARRIMAN BROUGHT BACK A NOTE OF OPTIMISM. HE TOLD REPORTERS AT THE WHITE HOUSE THAT MACARTHUR AND THE AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA "ARE CONFIDENT THEY CAN HOLD AND BE ABLE TO CLEAN THOSE FELLOWS (NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS) OUT IN TIME WHEN THEY GET THE BUILDUP."

HARRIMAN'S VISIT TO THE WHITE HOUSE GAVE HIM AN OPPORTUNITY TO PROVIDE THE PRESIDENT WITH A FILL-IN ON THE SITUATION WITH REGARD TO FORMOSA, PARTICULARLY THE POLITICAL ASPECTS, AS HARRIMAN FOUND THEM ON HIS TRIP.

IT REPORTEDLY INVOLVED AN EFFORT BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO MAKE SURE THAT MACARTHUR HAD IMPLIED NO SECRET COMMITMENTS OF AMERICAN POLITICAL SUPPORT TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK WHEN MACARTHUR VISITED HIM ON FORMOSA LAST WEEK. HARRIMAN SAID MACARTHUR AND CHIANG DISCUSSED "ENTIRELY MILITARY MATTERS."

WHAT HE THUS DECLARED PUBLICLY, AFTER REPORTING TO MR. TRUMAN, CLEARLY INDICATED THAT NO POLITICAL COMMITMENTS WERE MADE. THE FACT THAT HE SAID IT PUBLICLY WAS EXPLAINED BY OFFICIALS AS A MOVE TO REASSURE ALLIED NATIONS, NOTABLY BRITAIN AND INDIA, THAT THERE ARE STILL STRICT LIMITS ON AMERICAN ASSOCIATION WITH CHIANG.

THE UNITED STATES POLICY, HARRIMAN SAID, STANDS JUST WHERE IT WAS WHEN PRESIDENT TRUMAN ANNOUNCED JUNE 27 THAT FORMOSA MUST NOT BE ALLOWED TO FALL TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS. IN OTHER WORDS, IT IS STRICTLY DEFENSIVE AND NEITHER RECOGNIZES CHIANG'S HOLD ON THE ISLAND AS NECESSARILY PERMANENT NOR CONTEMPLATES DEVELOPMENT OF THE ISLAND AS A BASE FOR CHINESE NATIONALIST ATTACK ON THE COMMUNIST MAINLAND.

WHETHER MACARTHUR AGREES WITH THIS POLICY IS AN OPEN QUESTION ON THE RECORD. WHEN ASKED ABOUT THAT, HARRIMAN SAID THAT HE HAD REPORTED FULLY ON ALL THE GENERAL'S VIEWS TO MR. TRUMAN AND THE PRESIDENT WOULD HAVE TO MAKE ANY COMMENTS ON THEM. HE ADDED THAT "MACARTHUR IS A SOLDIER AND WILL CARRY OUT ANY INSTRUCTIONS THE PRESIDENT GIVES HIM."

SOME OFFICIALS IN POSITION TO KNOW MACARTHUR'S VIEWS BELIEVE THAT

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HE REGARDS CHIANG AS AN ALLY IN THE FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNISM. THEY BELIEVE HIS PERSONAL VISIT TO CHIANG'S HEADQUARTERS -- INSTEAD OF SENDING A MISSION TO DISCUSS FORMOSAN DEFENSES, WAS A REFLECTION OF THIS ATTITUDE.

MACARTHUR HIMSELF HAS MADE A LENGTHY REPORT ON FORMOSA TO THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT AND IT IS NOW UNDER STUDY. PRESUMABLY IT SETS FORTH THE AMERICAN FAR EAST COMMANDER'S ESTIMATE OF THE STRENGTH OF FORMOSA-S DEFENSES AND WHAT, IF ANY, AMERICAN MILITARY AID CHIANG NEEDS TO STRENGTHEN THOSE DEFENSES.

ONE OF THE FAR EASTERN QUESTIONS UNRELATED TO FORMOSA WHICH CAME UP AT THE HARRIMAN CONFERENCE WAS WHETHER THE JAPANESE SHOULD BE REARMED. HARRIMAN DECLINED TO DISCUSS THIS DIRECTLY, MERELY SAYING THAT HE HAD REPORTED TO THE PRESIDENT AS FULLY AS POSSIBLE ON HIS TALKS WITH MACARTHUR.

ANOTHER QUESTION CONCERNED HIS VISIT TO THE KOREAN FIGHTING FRONT AND THE EFFECTS OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA THERE. HE SAID THE EVIDENCE HE GATHERED INDICATED THAT IT WAS NOT HAVING ANY ADVERSE EFFECT.

HARRIMAN WAS ALSO ASKED WHETHER HE THOUGHT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS WOULD ATTEMPT AN INVASION OF FORMOSA. HE COULD NOT GUESS WHAT WAS IN THEIR MINDS, HE REPLIED, BUT COULD SAY THAT GEN.MACARTHUR'S FORCES "WILL STOP ANY INVASION."

HARRIMAN MADE HIS SUDDEN TRIP TO TOKYO LAST FRIDAY. THAT WAS TWO DAYS AFTER MACARTHUR AND CHIANG HAD ENDED THEIR CONFERENCES WITH STATEMENTS THAT THEY HAD REACHED FULL AGREEMENT ON THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA.

ONE OF THE QUESTIONS WHICH PROMPTLY AROSE HERE WAS WHETHER MACARTHUR'S PLAN TO VISIT CHIANG HAD BEEN KNOWN BEFORE HAND IN WASHINGTON.

HARRIMAN TOLD THE NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY THAT IT HAD BEEN KNOWN TO MR.TRUMAN, DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND HIMSELF.

"IT SEEMED PERFECTLY NATURAL," HE SAID, "FOR MACARTHUR TO CARRY OUT THE INSTRUCTIONS (TO DEFEND FORMOSA FROM COMMUNIST ATTACK) WHICH EVERYONE KNEW HE HAD."

THE TRIP, HE INDICATED, WAS MADE ON MACARTHUR'S INITIATIVE AND THE GENERAL SENT A FULL REPORT TO WASHINGTON WHICH REACHED HERE AFTER HARRIMAN HAD LEFT.

AT THIS POINT IN THE NEWS CONFERENCE, A REPORTER SAID THAT THE REASON FOR HARRIMAN'S GOING TO TOKYO WAS UNCLEAR--"DID YOU ASSUME MACARTHUR HAD CHANGED SOMETHING?"

"I WENT AT THE PRESIDENT'S DIRECTION," HARRIMAN REPLIED. "THE PRESIDENT WANTED SOMEONE TO TALK WITH HIM AND ASCERTAIN HIS VIEWS."

AS TO THE SUBJECTS DISCUSSED, HARRIMAN SAID, THEY "COVERED THE WATERFRONT." IN REPLY TO ANOTHER QUERY ABOUT WHY HE WENT, HE DECLARED THAT "THE VISIT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR TO FORMOSA HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH MY VISIT TO TOKYO."

HE THUS COUNTERED INFORMATION WHICH HAD BEEN CURRENT IN OFFICIAL QUARTERS HERE SINCE THE DAY HE LEFT THAT HIS PRIMARY PURPOSES IN GOING WERE (1) TO FIND OUT WHETHER MACARTHUR MADE OR IMPLIED ANY PROMISES OF AMERICAN SUPPORT TO CHIANG AND (2) TO REVIEW WITH MACARTHUR THE LIMITATIONS ON AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA SO THE GENERAL WOULD FULLY UNDERSTAND WASHINGTON'S ATTITUDE.

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(200) SECOND LEAD HARRIMAN-CHINA

WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-PRESIDENTIAL ADVISER W.AVERELL HARRIMAN FLEW BACK FROM TOKYO TODAY AND REPORTED THERE HAS BEEN "ABSOLUTELY NO CHANGE" IN AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA.

THAT POLICY IS TO DEFEND FORMOSA AGAINST INVASION BY CHINESE REDS WHILE TRYING TO KEEP THE FORMOSAN SITUATION WALLED OFF FROM THE KOREAN WAR AND PERHAPS TOUCHING OFF A BIGGER ONE.

GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S FLYING VISIT LAST WEEK TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S HEADQUARTERS ON THE ISLAND STRONGHOLD HAD STIRRED UP CONJECTURES THAT U.S. POLICH HAD TAKEN SOME NEW TWIST, OR THAT MACARTHUR, HIMSELF HAD GIVEN IT ONE.

HARRIMAN THE PRESIDENT'S FOREIGN POLICY COORDINATOR TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE:

1. "THE VISIT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR TO FORMOSA HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH MY VISIT TO TOKYO."

2. THE MACARTHUR-CHIANG CONFERENCE CONCERNED "ENTIRELY MILITARY MATTERS."

3. THE PRESIDENT, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND OTHER TOP OFFICIALS KNEW OF THE MACARTHUR VISIT TO CHIANG IN ADVANCE.

4. "THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO CHANGE OF POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA IN ANY WAY FROM THE STATEMENT OF THAT POLICY AS SET FORTH BY THE PRESIDENT."

THE PRESIDENT'S FOREIGN AFFAIRS ADVISOR WENT TO THE WHITE HOUSE ABOUT THREE HOURS AFTER HIS ARRIVAL BY PLANE AND SPENT 30 MINUTES WITH MR. TRUMAN.

HE TOLD REPORTERS AFTERWARDS THAT HE INFORMED THE PRESIDENT ABOUT "MY CONVERSATIONS WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR AND MY OBSERVATIONS" ON A BATTLEFRONT VISIT TO KOREA.

WHILE HARRIMAN DID NOT SAY SO, PRESUMABLY HIS TALK WITH MR. TRUMAN DEALT IN PART WITH THE COMPLEX U.S. MILITARY AND POLITICAL SITUATION IN RELATION TO NATIONALIST CHINA.

MACARTHUR ALREADY HAS SENT IN A REPORT ON THE MILITARY PICTURE AS HE SIZED IT UP AFTER HIS CONTROVERSIAL VISIT TO FORMSA, NATIONALIST CHINA BASE.

HARRIMAN'S VISIT TO THE WHITE HOUSE GAVE HIM AN OPPORTUNITY TO PROVIDE THE PRESIDENT WITH A FURTHER FILL-IN ON THE SITUATION, PARTICULARLY THE POLITICAL ASPECTS.

HARRIMAN ARRANGED TO MEET REPORTERS IN A FORMAL NEWS CONFERENCE LATER IN THE DAY (12 NOON EST).

AT THE WHITE HOUSE, HE SAID THAT BOTH MACARTHUR AND THE TROOPS IN KOREA "ARE CONFIDENT THEY CAN HOLD AND BE ABLE TO CLEAN THOSE FELLOWS OUT IN TIME WHEN THEY GET BUILDUP."

HE PREVIOUSLY HAD EXPRESSED THE SAME SORT OF OPTIMISM IN TALKING WITH REPORTERS AT THE AIRPORT.

"I HAVE GREAT CONFIDENCE THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR KNOWS WHAT HE'S DOING," HARRIMAN SAID, "AND HE HAS SAID WE WILL HOLD."

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LITTLE IS KNOWN YET ABOUT THE MACARTHUR DOCUMENT, EXCEPT THAT IT IS UNDER STUDY BY TOP LEVEL MILITARY MEN. THEY ARE SAYING LITTLE EXCEPT THAT IT IS LONG AND DETAILED AND GIVES EVIDENCE OF INTENSIVE WORK BY THE GENERAL AND HIS STAFF.

PENTAGON OFFICIALS SAID ALSO THAT THE MACARTHUR REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS ARE PRIMARILY MILITARY IN CHARACTER. THEY ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT IT WOULD BE VIRTUALLY IMPOSSIBLE TO DRAW UP AN ANALYSIS OF THE FORMOSA SITUATION WITHOUT BRINGING IN SOME POLITICAL OVERTONES.

HIGHLY-PLACED OFFICIALS SAID THAT MACARTHUR ORIGINATED THE IDEA OF HIS TRIP TO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S ISLAND HEADQUARTERS. THEY SAID ALSO THAT THE GENERAL DID NOT LEAVE TOKYO UNTIL AFTER HE HAD RECEIVED A GO-AHEAD FROM WASHINGTON.

THE MACARTHUR TRIP TO FORMOSA TOOK MANY GOVERNMENT LEADERS BY SURPRISE. INFORMED OFFICIALS HAVE SINCE GIVEN ASSURANCES, HOWEVER, THAT THE TRIP DID NOT SURPRISE A HANDFUL OF TOP-LEVEL MEN IN THE DEFENSE AND STATE DEPARTMENTS.

THESE INFORMANTS SAID THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT RAISED OBJECTIONS TO THE TRIP AT FIRST. AFTER DISCUSSING THE PROBLEM FROM ALL ANGLES, THEY CONTINUED, THE STATE DEPARTMENT WENT ALONG WITH THE MILITARY ARGUMENT THAT A SENIOR COMMANDER SHOULD HAVE THE CHANCE TO MAKE THE PERSONAL RECONNAISSANCE OF AN AREA FOR WHICH HE HAD BEEN GIVEN HEAVY MILITARY RESPONSIBILITIES.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN SENT HARRIMAN, HIS FOREIGN AFFAIRS COORDINATOR, TO TOKYO HARD ON THE HEELS OF MACARTHUR'S RETURN THERE FROM FORMOSA.

IN ANNOUNCING THE DEPARTURE OF HARRIMAN, THE PRESIDENT EMPHASIZED THAT THE TOKYO DISCUSSIONS WOULD COVER MAJOR PROBLEMS ARISING FROM THE KOREAN CRISIS. THE FORMOSA ISSUE WAS CONSIDERED FOREMOST, IN HIGH GOVERNMENT QUARTERS.

HARRIMAN WAS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE BEEN BRIEFED THOROUGHLY ON THE IMPORTANCE OF A RE-STRESSING, IF NECESSARY, THE UNITED STATES DETERMINATION TO KEEP CHINA OUT OF A KOREAN WAR PICTURE THAT IS ALREADY HEAVILY COLORED BY DANGEROUS INTERNATIONAL IMPLICATIONS.

FROM THE OUTSET OF THE KOREAN WAR THE MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT HAS SUPPORTED THIS POLICY OF KEEPING CHINA, BOTH THE NATIONALIST AND THE COMMUNIST REGIMES, OUT OF THE KOREAN WAR. THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT HAS ALSO SUPPORTED THE COROLLARY POLICY OF UTILIZING FORMOSA, WITH ARMED AMERICAN FORCE, IF IT IS REQUIRED.

MILITARY LEADERS HERE SEE IN GENERAL MACARTHUR'S FORMAL STATEMENT IN FORMOSA LAST WEEK THAT HE UNDERSTANDS THE ADMINISTRATION ATTITUDE TOWARD FORMOSA.

HE STATED THAT "THE POLICY HAS BEEN ENUNCIATED THAT THIS ISLAND (FORMOSA) IS NOT UNDER PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES SUBJECT TO MILITARY INVASION. IT IS MY RESPONSIBILITY AND SOLEMN PURPOS

(FORMOSA) IS NOT UNDER PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES SUBJECT TO MILITARY INVASION. IT IS MY RESPONSIBILITY AND SOLEMN PURPOSE TO ENFORCE THIS DECISION."

THE PREVAILING DEFENSE DEPARTMENT VIEW OF THIS MACARTHUR STATEMENT WAS SUMMED UP TODAY BY ONE OFFICER WHEN HE SAID "MACARTHUR TALKS LIKE A SOLDIER WHO KNOWS HE HAS A HARD JOB TO DO."

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(EDITORS: A LEAD HARRIMAN-CHINA MAY BE AVAILABLE SHORTLY AFTER 6 A.M. EST)

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NEW YORK, AUG.9-(AP)-A FOUR-ENGINED DC-4 TRANSPORT PLANE, GIFT OF BELGIUM TO THE UNITED NATIONS FOR THE WAR IN KOREA, LEFT HERE TODAY FOR WESTOVER, MASS., ENROUTE TO FAIRFIELD-SUISUN FIELD, CALIF.

THE PLANE, CARRYING A DOUBLE CREW OF BELGIANS, WILL BE USED IN THE PACIFIC AIRLIFT. BARON ROBERT SILVERCRYS, BELGIAN AMBASSADOR TO THE U.S., TOLD THE CREW IN A TELEGRAM THEY WERE "CONFIRMING THE SUPPORT BY OUR COUNTRY OF COLLECTIVE ACTION TO REESTABLISH PEACE."

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NEW YORK, AUG.9-(AP)-A SPECIAL EDITION OF 50,000 COPIES OF KOREAN SCRIPTURES HAS BEEN PRINTED FOR SOUTH KOREAN ARMED FORCES, THE AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY SAID TODAY.

THE BOOKS CONTAIN THE FOUR GOSPELS AND THE BOOK OF ACTS AND ALONG WITH 100,000 COPIES OF THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT THEY WILL BE SENT TO KOREA WHEN SHIPPING ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE.

THE REV.YOUNG BIN IM, SECRETARY OF THE KOREAN BIBLE SOCIETY, REMAINED IN SEOUL WHEN RED FORCES CAPTURED THE CITY, THE AMERICAN SOCIETY SAID.

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GRIFFITH-LEGION (260)

PHILADELPHIA,AUG.9-(AP)-A TOP DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL SERVED NOTICE TODAY THAT AMERICAN MILITARY SETBACKS IN KOREA ARE NOT A SIGN THE U.S. CANNOT DEFEND ITSELF.

ON THE CONTRARY, SAID PAUL H.GRIFFITH, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, KOREA "HAS CLEARLY DEMONSTRATED THE ABSOLUTE SOUNDNESS" OF U.S. MILITARY POLICY. IT HAS BEEN NECESSARY, GRIFFITH SAID, TO FIGHT A DELAYING ACTION THERE UNTIL REINFORCEMENTS COULD ARRIVE.

"NOTHING ABOUT THE KOREAN INCIDENT HAS MADE IT NECESSARY FOR US TO DEMONSTRATE OUR STATE OF READINESS TO DELIVER A PARALYZING RETAILIATORY BLOW AT ANY WHO ATTACK THIS COUNTRY.

"IT SHOULD BE STRONGLY EMPHASIZED, HOWEVER, THAT THERE IS NOTHING ABOUT THE KOREAN AFFAIR THAT SUGGESTS WE CANNOT DELIVER SUCH A BLOW."

GRIFFITH, FORMER STATE AND NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, MADE THE STATEMENT IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR THE 32ND ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE LEGION'S PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT.

HE TOLD REPORTERS PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAD READ AND APPROVED HIS SPEECH IN ADVANCE.

"THE HIGHLY SKILLFUL FASHION IN WHICH OUR GARRISON TROOPS, WITH NO PRIOR RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, WERE ABLE TO FIGHT THIS DELAYING ACTION, MUST BE REGARDED AS FURTHER TRIBUTE TO THEIR HIGH STATE OF READINESS," GRIFFITH SAID.

"IT IS FORTUNATE THAT WE HAD TROOPS AT NOT TOO GREAT A DISTANCE FROM THE KOREAN OUTBREAK. BUT IT MUST BE REMEMBERED THAT WHETHER WE HAD MAINTAINED 10 OR A 100 TRAINED DIVISIONS IN THE UNITED STATES, OUR FIRST UNITS WOULD HAVE FACED THE SAME NECESSITY OF FIGHTING A DELAYING ACTION UNTIL REINFORCEMENTS COULD ARRIVE."

GRIFFITH URGED THAT CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES UNITE BEHIND THE PRESIDENT IN THE PRESENT PROGRAM OF DEFENSE.

"IT ACTUALLY IS OUR GREATEST BID TO MAINTAIN THE PEACE," HE ADDED.

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BALTIMORE,AUG.9-(AP)-SENATOR O'CONOR (D-MD) WANTS THIS COUNTRY TO LEAD IN A MOVEMENT TO HAVE THE UNITED NATIONS BRAND RUSSIA AS THE REAL AGGRESSOR IN KOREA.
HE ALSO WANTS THE UNITED STATES TO USE ITS U.N.SECURITY COUNCIL VETO POWER, IF NECESSARY, TO KEEP COMMUNIST CHINA OFF THE COUNCIL.
"THE DICTATOR UNDERSTANDS NOTHING BUT FORTHRIGHT LANGUAGE AND ACTION." THE SENATOR TOLD AN AUDIENCE OF 1.500 AT A MASS MEETING SPONSORED BY 30 BALTIMORE CIVIC, VETERAN, RELIGIOUS, LABOR, BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATIONS LAST NIGHT.
THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO PROTEST RUSSIAN PROPOSALS TO SEAT DELEGATES OF RED CHINA ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL.
O'CONOR DECLARED "THE DAY IS APPROACHING WHEN THE UNITED STATES SHOULD INITIATE EFFORTS TO HAVE THE U.N.PLACE RESPONSIBILITY FOR AGGRESSION IN THE FAR EAST WHERE IT BELONGS--UPON THE SOVIET UNION.
"IT IS MANIFEST THAT THE INCENTIVE TO NORTH KOREA TO STRIKE X X X WAS FURNISHED BY MOSCOW. X X X
"OUR SECRETARY OF STATE SHOULD LEAD IN A MOVEMENT TO HAVE THE U.N. PRONOUNCE SUCH A FINDING BY WHICH RUSSIA WOULD STAND BEFORE THE WORLD AS THE AGGRESSOR NATION."
HE SAID THE UNITED STATES WOULD HAVE A RIGHT TO USE ITS VETO POWER IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO KEEP COMMUNIST CHINA OFF.
"I AM FORCED TO DISAGREE ENTIRELY WITH THE TECHNICAL VIEWPOINT OF SECRETARY (OF STATE) ACHESON OR ANY OTHERS WHO CONSIDER THE QUESTION OF ADMITTING THE COMMUNIST DELEGATION X X X A PROCEDURAL MATTER, AND THUS NOT SUBJECT TO VETO," HE ADDED.
ANY OF THE FIVE PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL--THE UNITED STATES, RUSSIA, ENGLAND, FRANCE AND CHINA--MAY VETO ANY SUBSTANTIVE--POLICY--MATTER.
THE VOTE OF ANY SEVEN COUNCIL MEMBERS IS ALL THAT IS NECESSARY TO ADOPT ANY PROCEDURAL MATTER.
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PEARL HARBOR, AUG 9-(AP)-TWO CONGRESSMEN ARRIVED IN PEARL HARBOR TODAY TO BEGIN TWO WEEKS ACTIVE DUTY WITH THE STAFF OF ADM.ARTHUR W. RADFORD, PACIFIC FLEET COMMANDER.
THEY ARE REP.HUGH D.SCOTT, JR. (R-PA), A COMMANDER IN THE NAVAL RESERVE, AND REP.HENRY J.LATHAM (R-NY), LIEUTENANT-COMMANDER IN THE NAVAL RESERVE.
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MZMPHIS, TENN., AUG. 9-(AP)-ASSOCIATED PRESS STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER GENE E.HERRICK PACKED HIS BAGS TODAY FOR THE LONG TRIP TO THE FIGHTING FRONT IN KOREA.
HERRICK, 24, OF COLUMBUS, O., WILL JOIN THE ASSOCIATED PRESS STAFF ALREADY AT THE SCENE. A SEVEN-YEAR NEWS VETERAN WHO HAS SERVED IN INDIANAPOLIS, COLUMBUS, CLEVELAND, AND CINCINNATI, HE EXPECTS TO LEAVE HERE FOR SEATTLE, WASH., IN A FEW DAYS.
HE COMPLETED SHOTS FOR IMMUNIZATION AGAINST CHOLERA, TYPHUS, TYPHOID-PARATYPHOID AND SMALLPOX TODAY.
HIS WIFE, SHIRLEY, WILL STAY WITH HER PARENTS IN INDIANAPOLIS.
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NIGHT LEAD ATOMIC
LONDON, AUG 9-(AP)-TIGHT SECRECY SURROUNDED A HUNT TONIGHT FOR A BRIEFCASE FULL OF ATOMIC SECRETS STOLEN FROM A BRITISH SCIENTIST.
A LARGE BROWN SUITCASE, WHOSE CONTENTS INCLUDED THE BRIEFCASE, WAS TAKEN FROM A FIRST CLASS COMPARTMENT OF THE LONDON-BLACKPOOL TRAIN YESTERDAY.
IT BELONGED TO FRANK MILLER GREENLESS, A MEMBER OF THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY'S ATOMIC ENERGY PRODUCTION DIVISION AT RISLEY.
GREENLEES FIRST WAS REPORTED TO BE AN AMERICAN, BUT THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY HAD NEVER HEARD OF HIM. THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY, WHICH HEADS UP BRITAIN'S ATOMIC PROGRAM, CONFIRMED THAT GREENLEES (CQ) IS BRITISH.
SCOTLAND YARD JOINED IN THE HUNT.
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FIRST LEAD SUITCASE (A50) (190)
LONDON, AUG 9-(AP)-SCOTLAND YARD HUNTED TODAY A LARGE BROWN SUITCASE CONTAINING ATOMIC SECRETS WHICH REPORTEDLY WAS STOLEN FROM AN AMERICAN SCIENTIST ABOARD A TRAIN YESTERDAY.
SCOTLAND YARD WAS MUM, OTHER THAN TO SAY IT WAS LOOKING FOR THE SUITCASE. THE BRITISH PRESS SAID THE SUITCASE CONTAINED A BRIEFCASE WHICH WAS FILLED WITH ATOMIC INFORMATION.
THE OWNER OF THE CASE WAS VARIOUSLY REPORTED TO BE AN AMERICAN NAMED FRANK GREENLEAF, F.W.GREENTREES AND FRANK MILLER GREENLEES.
"WE'VE NEVER HEARD OF HIM," SAID A SPOKESMAN AT THE AMERICAN EMBASSY.

(IN WASHINGTON THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SAID TODAY THERE WAS NOTHING TO INDICATE THAT ANY OF ITS SECRET DOCUMENTS HAD BEEN LOST ON A TRAIN IN ENGLAND.
(THE COMMISSION SAID NOBODY WITH THE NAMES OF GREENTREES, GREENLEAF OR GREENLEES EVER WORKED FOR THE AEC OR ITS PREDECESSOR, THE MANHATTAN ENGINEER DISTRICT)

THE SUITCASE WAS TAKEN FROM A FIRST CLASS COMPARTMENT ON THE LONDON TO BLACKPOOL TRAIN. THE OWNER STEPPED OUT OF THE COMPARTMENT FOR A FEW MINUTES. WHEN HE RETURNED, IT WAS GONE.
AT FIRST HE SAID THE SUITCASE CONTAINED ONLY CLOTHING. LATER, HE REMEMBERED IT ALSO CONTAINED THE BRIEFCASE OF ATOMIC INFORMATION.
AT THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY, WHICH HEADS UP BRITAIN'S ATOMIC ENERGY PROGRAM, A SPOKESMAN DECLINED ALL INFORMATION, SAYING:
"IF SOMEBODY LOST SOME ATOMIC INFORMATION OF YOURS, YOU CERTAINLY WOULDN'T SAY ANYTHING THAT MIGHT HELP SOME ONE ELSE FIND IT WOULD YOU?"
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BY ARTHUR GAVSHON (330)

LONDON, AUG.9-(AP)-A BRITISH MOVE TO BRING YUGOSLAVIA CLOSER TO THE WEST IS UNDER WAY, IN THE VIEW OF QUALIFIED DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS.

THEY SAID TODAY THE IDEA SEEMS TO BE TO GIVE MARSHAL TITO'S JITTERY REGIME GREATER CONFIDENCE IN THE FORM OF MORE ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL BACKING--AT A TIME WHEN COMINFORM PRESSURE IS MOUNTING IN EUROPE.

YUGOSLAVIA HAS BEEN IN THE DOGHOUSE OF THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM SINCE 1947. HER NERVOUSNESS AT POSSIBLE COMINFORM ACTION AGAINST HER INCREASED AFTER THE KOREAN BLOW-UP TOOK PLACE.

TWO BRITISH MINISTERS ARE IN YUGOSLAVIA NOW. THEY ARE PHILIP NOEL-BAKER, MINISTER OF FUEL AND POWER, AND A.G.BOTTOMLEY, SECRETARY OF OVERSEAS TRADE. BELGRADE RADIO ANNOUNCED THEY LUNCHED WITH TITO YESTERDAY IN COMPANY WITH THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR SIR CHARLES PEAKE.

ERNEST DAVIES, WHO IS BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN'S DEPUTY, IS DUE TO VISIT YUGOSLAVIA LATER THIS MONTH.

SPOKESMEN FOR EACH OF THE MINISTERS EXPLAINED THEIR VISITS ARE MERELY VACATIONS.

THE BELGRADE RADIO BROADCAST A DIFFERENT REASON FOR BOTTOMLEY'S VISIT. IT SAID HE HAD BEEN INVITED TO YUGOSLAVIA FOR TRADE TALKS.

YUGOSLAVIA BADLY NEEDS MILITARY MATERIALS OF ALL KINDS FROM THE WEST. SHE HAS NOT BEEN GETTING MUCH, BECAUSE THE WESTERN COUNTRIES CONTROL THE EXPORT OF POTENTIAL WAR GOODS TO MAKE SURE THEY DON'T HELP TO BUILD UP THE MILITARY POWER OF COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

THE EXPORT OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS TO YUGOSLAVIA IS MORE LIBERAL NOW THAN IT IS TO RUSSIA AND HER FRIENDS. BUT YUGOSLAVIA WOULD LIKE IT RELAXED STILL FURTHER.

SHE HOPES TO PERSUADE THE BRITISH, ACCORDING TO THE INFORMANTS, TO LOOSEN UP CONTROLS SO THAT SHE CAN BEGIN BUILDING UP HER DEFENSES MORE EFFECTIVELY.

A YUGOSLAV TRADE MISSION IS COMING TO LONDON IN A MONTH OR TWO TO DISCUSS THE PROBLEM WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE TWO COUNTRIES' FIVE-YEAR, $616,000,000 TRADE PACT. THE AGREEMENT PROVIDES FOR A REVIEW AT THE END OF EACH YEAR.

BUT THE INFORMANTS SAID YUGOSLAV LEADERS PROBABLY ARE PUTTING THEIR CASE TO BOTTOMLEY IN ADVANCE IN THE HOPE OF SPEEDING UP THE ACCOMPANYING POLITICAL DECISIONS WHICH ARE INVOLVED.

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LONDON, AUG. 9-(AP)-SEVEN BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES MEET HERE NEXT MONTH TO MAP OUT A SIX YEAR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM TO STAVE OFF COMMUNISM.

THE CONFERENCE WILL BE A CONTINUATION OF TALKS WHICH HAVE BEEN TAKING PLACE IN SYDNEY AUSTRALIA, AND IN COLOMBO, CEYLON, AIMED AT LAYING DOWN A GENERAL AID-ASIA PROGRAM.

TAKING PART WILL BE BRITAIN, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, INDIA, PAKISTAN, CEYLON AND MALAYA.

THE TALKS WILL BEGIN AFTER THE FOUR-DAY SESSION OF THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND (IMF) WHICH ENDS SEPT 20 IN PARIS.

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LONDON, AUG 9-(AP)-PATRIARCHS OF THE ORTHODOX CHURCHES IN THE SOVIET UNION HAVE APPEALED TO CHRISTIANS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD TO SUPPORT THE COMMUNIST-INSPIRED WORLD "PEACE PETITION," ACCORDING TO RADIO MOSCOW.

THE APPEAL WAS MADE BY PATRIARCH ALEXEI OF MOSCOW AND ALL RUSSIA, CATHOLICOS-PATRIARCH KALISTRAT OF ALL GEORGIA AND CATHOLICOS-PATRIARCH GEORGIUS VI OF ALL ARMENIA. THEY ASKED BACKING FOR THE COMMUNIST-LED WORLD PEACE CONGRESS' APPEAL TO BAN THE ATOM BOMB.

THEIR STATEMENT ATTACKED "THE ENEMIES OF PEACE" WHO "ENDEAVOR TO CLOACK THEIR DESIGNS WITH SIDE PLANS FOR 'AID' TO OTHER PEOPLES AND TO MASK THEIR EVIL WILL FOR WAR BY SO-CALLED DEFENSIVE UNIONS."

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LONDON, AUG.9-(AP)-THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION ANNOUNCED TODAY THE PURCHASE OF 34,000 TROY OUNCES OF PLATINUM FROM BRITAIN FOR THE U.S. RAW MATERIALS STOCKPILE.

THE PRICE PAID FOR THE PLATINUM WAS NOT DISCLOSED. THE ECA SAID, HOWEVER, IT HAS SPENT THE EQUIVALENT OF ABOUT $3,000,000 IN UNITED KINGDOM COUNTERPART FUNDS IN BUYING PLATINUM SINCE LAST SUMMER.

ABOUT 10,000 OUNCES WERE PURCHASED FROM BRITAIN LAST YEAR BEFORE DEVALUATION OF THE POUND.

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LONDON, AUG.9-(AP)-A NEW 12-MONTH TRADE AGREEMENT IS EXPECTED TO BE REACHED THIS WEEK BETWEEN JAPAN AND STERLING AREA COUNTRIES, THE BOARD OF TRADE SAID TODAY.

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A SPOKESMAN SAID TRADE TALKS NOW ARE NEARING COMPLETION IN TOKYO. THE NEW AGREEMENT, THE THIRD SINCE THE END OF THE WAR, WOULD SET UP TERMS OF TRADE BETWEEN JAPAN AND BRITAIN, THE BRITISH COLONIES, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH AFRICA, INDIA AND

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CEYLON.

THE NEW PACT WOULD REPLACE ONE WHICH EXPIRED LAST JUNE 30. THE OLD AGREEMENT CALLED FOR ABOUT £59,000,000 IN PURCHASES BY JAPAN FROM THE STERLING COUNTRIES, AND SALES TO THEM OF ABOUT £45,500,000.

THE NEW AGREEMENT PROBABLY WILL CALL FOR SOMEWHAT HIGHER TRADE BOTH WAYS.

JAPAN BUYS RAW MATERIALS, SUCH AS WOOL AND RUBBER, AND FOOD FROM THE STERLING COUNTRIES AND SELLS THEM TEXTILES, RAW SILK AND A WIDE RANGE OF MANUFACTURED GOODS.

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SOUTHAMPTON, ENG., AUG.9-(AP)-A SCOTTISH WARBRIDE CLEARED BY A CONNECTICUT COURT OF BLAME FOR FATALLY STABBING HER HUSBAND ARRIVED TODAY ON THE LINER AMERICA ENROUTE HOME.

MRS.GRACE MCNEILL, 30, TOLD REPORTERS "THREE AND A HALF YEARS OF HELL" PRECEDED THE AFFRAY WHICH LED TO THE DEATH OF HER HUSBAND, DONALD, IN MERIDEN, CONN.

"THE PEOPLE IN CONNECTICUT WERE WONDERFUL TO ME," SHE SAID. "I SHALL NEVER FORGET THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. I HOPE TIME WILL MELLOW THINGS A LITTLE AND PERHAPS SOME DAY I WILL VISIT THE UNITED STATES AGAIN."

MRS.MCNEILL SAID SHE WAS "PARTICULARLY GRATEFUL" TO JACK WESTERMAN, 56-YEAR OLD MERIDEN BUSINESSMAN WHO WENT HER BAIL WHEN SHE WAS HELD ON CHARGES CONNECTED WITH THE STABBING.

"HE WAS REALLY WONDERFUL," SHE SAID, "BUT IT IS NOT TRUE THAT THERE IS ANY ROMANCE BETWEEN US."

MRS.MCNEIL WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HER FATHER, JACK TRAIN, WHO FLEW TO AMERICA WHEN SHE WAS ARRESTED. THEIR HOME IS IN GLASGOW.

"I WORKED IN AN ARMS FACTORY THERE BEFORE I GOT MARRIED," MRS. MCNEILL SAID, "AND I WANT TO START AGAIN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

"THEY MAY WANT ME BACK TO MAKE ARMS AGAIN IN THE PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION."

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NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY (580)

BY PHILIP CLARKE

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 9-(AP)-THE FIRST GERMAN LEADER TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY SAID TODAY WEST GERMANY WILL FULLY SUPPORT THE COMMON MILITARY DEFENSE OF EUROPE.

THE PROMISE WAS MADE BY EUGEN GERSTENMAIER, 44, A CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT WHO IS VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE BONN PARLIAMENT'S FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE.

WHILE ASSURING FRANCE AND OTHER VICTIMS OF NAZI AGGRESSION THAT THE MAJORITY OF GERMANS HATE WAR AND "REFUSE AND REJECT REARMAMENT," GERSTENMAIER DECLARED:

"IT IS CLEAR THAT WE SHALL NOT HESITATE TO DEFEND EUROPE ALONG WITH THE OTHER FREE NATIONS. WE DO NOT EXPECT OTHERS TO DEFEND US WITHOUT CONTRIBUTING TO THE COMMON DEFENSE."

THERE WAS LOUD APPLAUSE FROM THE 125-MEMBER ASSEMBLY, WHICH HAS HEARD REPEATED CALLS THIS WEEK FOR SPEED IN BUILDING UP WEST EUROPE'S DEFENSES AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION AND CRITICISM OF THE ASSEMBLY'S IMPOTENCY IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS.

A SECOND GERMAN SPEAKER, SOCIAL DEMOCRAT WILLI EICHLER, PROPOSED THE IMMEDIATE CREATION OF A EUROPEAN GOVERNMENT AND PARLIAMENT TO PLAN A COMMON DEFENSE. THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE IS A SORT OF INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENT, BUT IT HAS PRACTICALLY NO POWERS.

VARIOUS WESTERN MILITARY LEADERS HAVE EXPRESSED HOPE OF EASING ALLIED RESTRICTIONS TO PERMIT USE OF GERMAN PRODUCTION FACILITIES TO BOOST THE WEST'S ARMAMENT OUTPUT AND RECRUITING OF GERMAN MANPOWER FOR MILITARY SERVICE.

ROBERT BOOTHBY, A BRITISH CONSERVATIVE, CALLED FOR WEST GERMANY'S PARTICIPATION ON EQUAL TERMS WITH OTHER NATIONS. HE DECLARED THAT IF SHE REMAINS OUT "THEN I BELIEVE WESTERN EUROPE TO BE INDEFENSIBLE."

"AT THE MOMENT," HE SAID, "ONLY THE ATOMIC BOMB STANDS BETWEEN US AND ALMOST CERTAIN DESTRUCTION."

BOOTHBY'S ADDRESS WAS REGARDED AS A PRELUDE TO A MAJOR SPEECH TOMORROW FROM HIS PARTY'S CHIEFTAIN, WINSTON CHURCHILL. CHURCHILL IS EXPECTED TO DEMAND CREATION OF GERMAN ARMED FORCES IN THE OCCUPATION ZONES OF BRITAIN. THE UNITED STATES AND FRANCE. -

A FORMER PREMIER OF FRANCE, PAUL REYNAUD, ASSERTED THAT WHAT EUROPE NEEDS IS A SINGLE DEFENSE MINISTER. POINTING TO CHURCHILL, A FEW SEATS AWAY, REYNAUD ADDED:

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FEW SEATS AWAY, REYNAUD ADDED:

"IT WOULD NOT BE NECESSARY TO LOOK BEYOND THIS ASSEMBLY TO FIND HIM."

A GROWING DISPUTE WITHIN THE YEAR-OLD COUNCIL OVER HOW MUCH AUTHORITY SHOULD BE GIVEN THE ASSEMBLY WAS TAKEN UP BY [redacted] PAUL REYNAUD ON THE FLOOR. HE HINTED AT AN OPEN REVOLT AGAINST THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE, THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS, UNLESS THE MINISTERS GRANT THE ASSEMBLY MORE AUTHORITY.

"IF THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS REJECTS OUR REFORMS," REYNAUD SAID, "THEN WE MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN EUROPE AND THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, AND I THINK MOST OF US HERE WILL CHOOSE TO LEAVE THE COUNCIL BY THE WAYSIDE AND GO OUR WAY ALONE."

HE SAID THE MINISTERS' VETO RIGHTS AND SECRET SESSIONS ARE "THE MOST REACTIONARY INSTITUTIONS IN EUROPE." HE CRITICIZED BRITAIN FOR HER RELUCTANCE TO PART WITH SOME OF HER NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY.

THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE TODAY REFUSED ASSEMBLY DEMANDS FOR A FREER HAND IN FORGING WESTERN EUROPEAN UNITY. THE DEMANDS WERE RELAYEI BY BELGIAN SOCIALIST PAUL-HENRI SPAAK, THE ASSEMBLY'S PRESIDENT.

A SOURCE CLOSE TO THE COUNCIL DECLARED BRITAIN'S ERNEST BEVIN ALONE BLOCKED THE DEMANDS, OPPOSING EVERY ATTEMPT AT COMPROMISE, AND IN EFFECT VETOED THE WISHES OF ALL THE OTHER 12 MINISTERS. THE MINISTERS OPERATE UNDER A RULE OF UNANIMITY.

MOST OF THE ASSEMBLYMEN FAVOR MORE RAPID AND COMPLETE UNITY THAN DO THEIR GOVERNMENTS. SOME EVEN DEMAND FEDERATION OR A UNITED STATES OF EUROPE.

THE BRITISH OBJECTION TO THIS WAS SUMMARIZED BY BOOTHBY, WHO SAID THE BRITISH LIKE TO SEE HOW THINGS WORK BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO FORMULATE PRINCIPLES.

"SECOND," HE CONTINUED, "WE DO NOT BELIEVE IN WRITTEN CONSTITUTIONS AND HAVE NOT OURSELVES GOT ONE. THIRD, WE HAVE CLOSEST TIES WITH OUR DOMINIONS AND COLONIES OVERSEAS WHICH IMPOSE UPON US THE ABSOLUTE NECESSITY OF CARRYING THEM WITH US IN ANY POSITIVE ACTION WE MAY TAKE."

IRELAND'S DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER, WILLIAM NORTON, SAID "WAR ONLY BREEDS NEW WARS," BUT IRELAND IS DETERMINED TO RESIST AGGRESSION.

"IF WAR IS FORCED UPON THE WORLD BY MEN FILLED WITH THE LUSTS FOR POWER AND DOMINION," HE SAID, "THEN THE FREE PEOPLES MUST FIGHT AGAINST ANY EFFORT TO IMPOSE A DETESTABLE DICTATORSHIP."

NORTON LATER DENIED A RUMOR THAT IRELAND MIGHT GRANT THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN NAVAL BASES IN THE EVENT OF WAR. HE SAID HE HAD DELIBERATELY OMITTED THE WORD "TOGETHER" FROM HIS STATEMENT.

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BY JOSEPH DYNAN

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.9-(AP)-BRITISH CONSERVATIVE ROBERT BOOTHBY CALLED TODAY FOR GERMANY'S PARTICIPATION IN WESTERN DEFENSE ON EQUAL TERMS WITH OTHER NATIONS.

IN THE FIRST MAJOR STATEMENT IN THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY FROM A MEMBER OF HIS PARTY, BOOTHBY ASSERTED THAT WESTERN EUROPE'S DEFENSES ARE "FOR ALL PRACTICAL PURPOSES STILL NON-EXISTENT," AND URGED IMMEDIATE ACTION TO MEET THE THREAT OF TOTALITARIAN COMMUNISM.

RELIABLE SOURCES HERE PREVIOUSLY HAD PREDICTED THAT CONSERVATIVE PARTY LEADER WINSTON CHURCHILL, WHEN HE SPEAKS TO THE ASSEMBLY TOMORROW, WOULD PROPOSE THE GERMANS BE ARMED TO HELP IN WESTERN EUROPE'S DEFENSE.

CHURCHILL'S FOLLOWERS SAID HE WOULD MAKE A SPEECH OF WORLD IMPORTANCE TOMORROW.

"EITHER GERMANY IS IN OUR WESTERN EUROPEAN UNION ON EQUAL TERMS, OR SHE REMAINS OUT AND OCCUPIED," SAID BOOTHBY. "WE HAVE TO MAKE OUR CHOICE AND WE HAVE TO MAKE IT NOW."

BOOTHBY ASSERTED THAT UNLESS GERMANY IS BROUGHT WITHIN THIS DEFENSE FRAMEWORK, THE WESTERN NATIONS ARE NOT DEFENSIBLE.

"IF GERMANY COMES IN, THEN SHE WILL HAVE TO MAKE HER FULL CONTRIBUTION TO OUR JOINT DEFENSE ON THE SAME TERMS AS EVERYONE ELSE," SAID BOOTHBY.

HE DID NOT ELABORATE WHETHER HE MEANT A GERMAN ARMY, OR ONLY GERMAN CONTINGENTS IN A EUROPEAN FORCE.

BOOTHBY SAID THAT GERMANY, TOO, HAS A CHOICE TO MAKE, AND HE ADDED:

"MY MOST FERVENT HOPE IS THAT SHE WILL CHOOSE TO COME WITH US."

IN THIS EVENT, HE SAID, "SHE WILL BE ENTITLED TO POINT OUT THAT SHE IS CLOSEST TO THE POTENTIAL AGGRESSOR, AND TO ASK FOR ASSURANCES THAT WE ARE ALL IN IT TOGETHER FROM THE START, IF THERE SHOULD BE A START.

"WE SHALL BE EQUALLY ENTITLED TO REPLY THAT, WITH MODERN WEAPONS, 100 MILES ONE WAY OR THE OTHER MAKES LITTLE DIFFERENCE, THAT IT IS BETTER TO FIGHT FOR FREEDOM THAN TO SUBMIT TO SLAVERY, AND THAT, IF SHE IS ATTACKED, WE WILL FIGHT BY HER SIDE."

BOOTHBY TERMED DEFENSE THE "MOST VITAL TOPIC OF ALL," AND ASSERTED, "WHETHER WE LIKE IT OR NOT, WE ARE INEXTRICABLY INVOLVED IN THE MOST DESPERATE STRUGGLE FOR WORLD POWER THAT HAS EVER TAKEN PLACE IN HUMAN HISTORY. WE ARE ALL IN THE SAME BOAT, AND THAT BOAT IS AT THIS MOMENT IN GREAT PERIL."

HE REFERRED BITTERLY TO THE BRUSSELS TREATY AND ATLANTIC PACT, SAYING, "THE ONLY VISIBLE RESULT OF THOSE PACTS TO DATE IS A NUMBER OF COMMITTEES AND IN A STRAIGHT FIGHT BETWEEN TANKS AND COMMITTEES, TANKS ARE APT TO WIN."

SOURCES CLOSE TO CHURCHILL CONFIRMED HE WILL SPEAK ON WESTERN EUROPEAN DEFENSE, BUT THEY WOULD GIVE NO DETAILS. THEY SAID BRITAIN'S WARTIME LEADER WILL WRITE THE FINAL DRAFT OF HIS SPEECH TONIGHT.

OTHER RELIABLE SOURCES, HOWEVER, SAID HE WOULD PROPOSE THE FORMATION OF GERMAN DIVISIONS, WITHIN THE ALLIED OCCUPATION FORCES IN GERMANY.

NEARLY ALL THE SPEAKERS IN THE ASSEMBLY DEBATE SO FAR HAVE URGED AN INCREASE IN, AND A COMBINATION OF, EUROPE'S DEFENSE POTENTIAL AGAINST THE THREAT OF A SOVIET ATTACK.

BY DOING SO THEY IGNORED A COUNCIL STATUTE PLACING NATIONAL DEFENSE MATTERS OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF THE ASSEMBLY, WHICH IS AN UNOFFICIAL INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENT.

"THEY'VE CERTAINLY GIVEN THE 'OLD MAN' AN OPENING," SAID ONE OF CHURCHILL'S ADVISORS. "THE DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE IS THE THING THAT LOOMS LARGEST IN HIS MIND NOW AND HE WILL SURELY SPEAK ABOUT IT."

AFTER YESTERDAY'S ASSEMBLY SESSION CHURCHILL WAS HOST AT TEA TO A GROUP OF EIGHT GERMAN DELEGATES AT HIS TEMPORARY RESIDENCE ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF STRASBOURG.

MOST OF THOSE INVITED WERE MEMBERS OF GERMANY'S DOMINANT CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY. PRESUMABLY HE SOUGHT THEIR REACTION TO THE IDEAS HE PLANS TO GIVE THE ASSEMBLY.

THIS, SO FAR AS IS KNOWN, IS THE FIRST TIME CHURCHILL HAS CONTACTED THE GERMANS SINCE THE ASSEMBLY OPENED.

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STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUGUST 9-(AP)-BRITAIN'S LABOR PARTY CALLED ON WESTERN EUROPE TODAY UNITE IN A FULL EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM AIMED AT CHECKING COMMUNISM AMONG WORKERS.

A LABORITE RESOLUTION, PREPARED FOR THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY, SAID "IT IS THE DUTY OF ALL GOVERNMENTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE COUNCIL TO TAKE NECESSARY MEASURES TO INSURE FULL EMPLOYMENT, X X X A NECESSARY PREREQUISITE OF THE MAINTENANCE AND SMOOTH WORKING OF A HEALTHY INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM."

THE RESOLUTION URGED MEMBER GOVERNMENTS TO SUBMIT FULL EMPLOYMENT TARGETS TO THE COUNIL'S SECRETARY GENERAL BY NEXT SEPT. 30. THESE WOULD STATE THE LEVELS OF EMPLOYMENT EACH COUNTRY CAN REASONABLY MAINTAIN.

THE GOVERNMENTS WERE ASKED ALSO TO SUBMIT REPORTS BY NEXT NOV.1 LISTING STEPS BEING TAKEN TO ATTAIN FULL EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC STABILITY.

THE RESOLUTION RECOMMENDED THAT THE GOVERNMENTS ASSIST ONE ANOTHER IN REDUCING "UNDESIRABLE FLUCTUATIONS IN INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND PAYMENTS."

IT URGED "A STEADY FLOW OF CAPITAL BETWEEN VARIOUS COUNTRIES, PARTICULARLY IN ORDER TO STIMULATE FULL USE OF UN-

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PARTICULARLY IN ORDER TO STIMULATE THX FULL USE OF UNDEVELOPED RESOURCES."

THE RESOLUTION ADDED THAT THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL SHOULD HELP GIVE EUROPE'S WORKERS" AN ASSURED LIVELIHOOD, A RISING STANDARD OF COMFORT AND A JUST SHARE IN THE EVER-NCRASING PR-

AND A JUST SHARE IN THE EVER-INCREASING PRODUCTION TO WHICH EVERY CITIZEN IS ENTITLED AND MUST BE ENABLED TO CONTRIBUTE."

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PMS BUDGET (400)
EUROPEAN DEFENSE
BY PRESTON GROVER

PARIS, AUG. 9-(AP)-A HIGH FRENCH OFFICIAL SAID TODAY THAT SIX AMERICAN AND SIX BRITISH DIVISIONS STATIONED IN GERMANY WOULD KEEP A RUSSIAN ATTACK AWAY FROM WESTERN EUROPE FOR AT LEAST A YEAR, AND PERHAPS PERMANENTLY.

IN THAT YEAR, HE SAID, EUROPE COULD GO A LONG WAY TOWARD ESTABLISHING ITS OWN ADEQUATE DEFENSE FORCE--PROVIDING ALL-OUT AMERICAN AID WAS GIVEN.

THE OFFICIAL, WHO ASKED THAT HIS NAME BE WITHHELD, SAID THE ACTUAL PRESENCE OF MORE AMERICAN TROOPS WOULD REMOVE ONE GREAT EUROPEAN FEAR--THE BELIEF THAT RUSSIAN ATTACK WOULD RESULT IN QUICK OCCUPATION OF ALL OF EUROPE BEFORE AMERICA CMAE TO THE RESCUE.

THE PRESENCE OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS, HE CONTINUED, WOULD CONVINCE THE RUSSIANS EVEN MORE THAN U.S. ACTION IN KOREA THAT AGGRESSION IN EUROPE WOULD MEAN IMMEDIATE WAR WITH THE UNITED STATES.

QUICK AMERICAN ASSISTANCE IN KOREA HAS HELPED TO CONVINCE THE FRENCH THE UNITED STATES WOULD COME QUICKLY TO EUROPE'S RESCUE IN THE CASE OF A RUSSIAN ATTACK.

BUT THE CONVICTION IS NOT DEEP-ROOTED. THE FRENCH REMEMBER THAT AMERICAN AID CAME IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR ONLY AFTER FRANCE WAS NEARLY BEATEN, AND IN THE SECOND WAR ONLY AFTER THE COUNTRY HAD BEEN THOROUGHLY BEATEN AND LONG OCCUPIED.

WHAT FRANCE WANTS THIS TIME IS CASH IN ADVANCE--IN THE FORM OF AMERICAN TROOPS ALREADY ON THE SPOT. EVIDENTLY THIS WAS EMPHASIZED AT THE RECENT MEETING OF ATLANTIC PACT DEPUTIES IN LONDON.

IN RETURN FOR THIS COMMITMENT OF AMERICAN TROOPS TO EUROPEAN SOIL, FRANCE EVIDENTLY WOULD ACCEPT AN AMERICAN COMMANDER OVER ALL FORCES IN GERMANY. THESE PROBABLY WOULD INCLUDE MANY OF THE 15 NEW DIVISIONS FRANCE HAS AGREED TO FORM. IF AN ATTACK COMES, THIS COUNTRY WANTS THE INITIAL MAJOR BLOW TO COME BETWEEN THE ELBE AND THE RHONE, NOT BETWEEN THE RHINE AND THE SEINE.

AS AN IMMEDIATE DEFENSE MEASURE, FRANCE WANTS TO GO AHEAD WITH DEVELOPMENT OF ITS LIGHT TANK AND ITS NEW BAZOOKA. THE FRENCH BELIEVE BOTH ARE BETTER THAN AMERICAN WEAPONS OF A LIKE TYPE. THEY WANT AMERICAN MONEY TO START PRODUCTION IN FRENCH FACTORIES.

PRODUCTION, AS ONE HIGH OFFICIAL EXPLAINED IT, CAN GET UNDERWAY FASTER IN FRENCH PLANTS THAN IN AMERICAN FACTORIES. THE LATTER TAKE LONGER TOOLING UP, THEN PRODUCE LARGE NUMBERS OF TANKS PER DAY. FRENCH MILLS START PRODUCTION QUICKLY, WITH MUCH OF THE WORK DONE BY HAND, AND SPEED IS WHAT IS NEEDED NOW.

FRENCH OFFICIALS STILL HAVE MUCH CONFIDENCE IN THE SECURITY OFFERED BY AMERICAN POSSESSION OF THE ATOM BOMB. BUT THEY BELIEVE IT IS ONLY ONE OF THE FACTORS WHICH WILL KEEP RUSSIA QUIET. FRANCE'S IMMEDIATE YEARNING IS FOR MORE AMERICAN TROOPS IN EUROPE.

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PARIS, AUG 9-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST LED PEACE PARTISANS, HEADED BY FRENCH SCIENTIST FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT 273,470,566 PERSONS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD HAD SIGNED THE "STOCKHOLM APPEAL"FOR OUTLAWING THE ATOM BOMB. HE CLAIMED 11,350,000 SIGNERS IN THE UNITED STATES.

THE COMMUNIQUE WAS PUBLISHED IN THE COMMUNIST ORGAN, L'HUMANITE OVER THE NAME OF JOLIOT-CURIE. IT SAID THE SIGNATURES INCLUDED PEOPLE OF ALL OPINIONS, BELIEFS AND ALL CONDITIONS.

THE COMMUNIQUE GAVE THE FOLLOWING FIGURES FOR VARIOUS COUNTRIES:

ALBANIA 620,000, ALGERIA 266,000, WEST GERMANY 2,000,000, EAST GERMANY 17,046,000, ARGENTINA 1,000,000, AUSTRALIA 50,000, AUSTRIA 578,578, BELGIUM 153,060, BURMA 1,000,000, BOLIVIA 20,000, BRAZIL 600,000, BULGARIA 5,801,346, CANADA, 300,000 CHILE 50,000, CHINA 44,000,000 COLOMBIA, 50,000, KOREA 5,680,000, COSTA RICA 4,000, CUBA 400,000, DENMARK 100,000, EGYPT 12,000, IRELAND 1,200, ECUADOR, 20,000, SPANISH REFUGEES 284,995, UNITED STATES 11,350,000, FINLAND 616,248, FRANCE 12,000,000 GREAT BRITAIN 790,277, HOLLAND 229,067, HUNGARY 7,500,000 INDIA 127,389, IRAN 25,000, ICELAND 5,000, ISRAEL 261,750, ITALY 14,631,523, JAPAN 1,345,000, LUXEMBOURG 7,000, MOROCCO 19,581, MONGOLIA 686,782, NORWAY 50,000, PHILIPPINES 50,000.

POLAND 18,000,000, ROMANIA 10,046,670, SAAR 2,600, SWEDEN 250,000, SWITZERLAND 150,000, SYRIA 60,500, CZECHOSLOVAKIA 9,500,000, TRIESTE 50,000, RUSSIA 115,275,000, URUGUAY, 50,000 VENEZUELA 12,000.

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BERLIN, AUG 9-(AP)-A NEW COMMUNIST ANTI-AMERICAN PRESS CAMPAIGN RAISED FEARS TODAY THAT THE RUSSIANS MAY BE GETTING READY TO TRY AGAIN TO FORCE THE ALLIES FROM BERLIN.
THEY FAILED WITH THEIR BLOCKADE OF THE CITY LAST YEAR.
THE NEW PROPAGANDA DRIVE CENTERS AROUND CHARGES THAT AN AMERICAN PLANE, WITH THE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER "S-45", DROPPED FIREBOMBS OVER A TOWN NEAR THE ELBE JULY 27.
(IN WASHINGTON AN OFFICIAL AT THE PENTAGON SAID AMERICAN PLANES DO NOT BEAR "S" IDENTIFICATIONS AND HE HAD NOT HEARD OF THE ALLEGED INCIDENT.)
THE DRIVE IS FASHIONED ON THE SAME LINES AS THE POTATO BUG CAMPAIGN THREE MONTHS AGO IN WHICH AMERICAN PLANES WERE ACCUSED OF DROPPING COLORADO BEETLES ON EAST GERMAN POTATO FIELDS.
RUSSIA'S OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER IN GERMANY, THE TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU, PUBLISHED AN INTERVIEW WITH AN EAST BERLIN COMMUNIST WORKER TODAY. IT QUOTED HIM AS SAYING "THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT SHOULD BE ASKED TO CLOSE THE AIR SPACE OVER THE (EAST) GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC TO AMERICAN PLANES. IT CAN NOT BE ALLOWED THAT SOME DAY OUR WHOLE CROP GOES UP IN FLAMES."
WESTERN OBSERVERS REGARDED THE TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU'S ARTICLE AS A CALCULATED THREAT BY THE RUSSIANS.
NO GERMAN OPINIONS ARE EVER PRINTED IN THE PAPER EXCEPT THOSE PLEASING TO THE KREMLIN.
BY LENDING CREDENCE TO INVENTED "WAR PROVOCATIONS" BY AMERICAN PLANES, THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HAS PROVIDED ITSELF WITH ALIBI MATERIAL FOR AGGRESSIVE ACTIONS IT MAY ORDER IN GERMANY IN THE FUTURE.
BERLIN'S ONLY RELIABLE LIFELINES ARE THREE AIR CORRIDORS--EACH 20 MILES WIDE--CONNECTING THE CITY WITH WEST GERMANY. THEY WERE SET UP UNDER THE OLD FOUR-POWER AGREEMENT.
BECAUSE THE SOVIET UNION REFRAINED FROM CLOSING THOSE CORRIDORS, THE ALLIED AIRLIFT ENABLED 2,000,000 BERLINERS TO SURVIVE THE 11-MONTH RUSSIAN BLOCKADE.
WESTERN AUTHORITIES HAVE CONTINUED TO HOPE THAT RUSSIA WOULD NOT INTERFERE WITH THE AIR TRAFFIC SINCE THIS WOULD BE A DIRECT CLASH OF INTERESTS BETWEEN THE WESTERN POWERS AND THE SOVIET UNION AND MIGHT QUICKLY LEAD TO WAR.
U.S. AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS AT WIESBADEN DECLINED TO COMMENT TODAY ON THE SOVIET NEWSPAPER'S HINT OF A FUTURE AIR BLOCKADE. BUT A SPOKESMAN SAID THE CHARGE ABOUT FIRE BOMBS WAS "RIDICULOUS" AND THAT "NO AMERICAN BOMBER-TYPE AIRCRAFT WERE IN OR NEAR THE BERLIN CORRIDORS ON THE DATES MENTIONED."
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B159 (Q)
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NIGHT LEAD GERMAN (220)
BERLIN, AUG.9-(AP)-THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY INDICATED TODAY COMMUNIST PEACE PROPAGANDA IS CONFUSING A LOT OF PEOPLE IN SOVIET-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY.
"IT IS NECESSARY TO CONDUCT A RUNNING FIGHT AGAINST FALSE PRINCIPLES, FOR EXAMPLE, PACIFISM," THE PARTY LEADERSHIP DECLARED IN A DIRECTIVE TO PARTY NEWSPAPERS.
SOME RECENT EAST GERMAN EDITORIALS WHICH OPPOSED WAR IN ANY FORM, "REGARDLESS OF HOW AND BY WHOM IT IS BEGUN," WERE CONDEMNED.
"WE MUST NOT DIMINISH THE TEMPO OF COLLECTING A GREAT PEACE ARMY, BUT INCREASE IT," THE DIRECTIVE SAID. "THE HEEDLESSNESS OF OUR PRESS IN IDEOLOGICAL QUESTIONS HAS NOT YET BEEN OVERCOME. THOUSANDS AND TENS OF THOUSANDS OF CONFUSED PEACE FIGHTERS MUST BE HELPED THROUGH GOOD PROPAGANDA ARTICLES TO BE EDUCATED IN THEIR TASK AS FIGHTERS AGAINST THE (WESTERN) WARMONGERS."
THE COMMUNISTS' SO-CALLED "STOCKHOLM PETITION" FOR WORLD PEACE AND OUTLAWING OF THE ATOM BOMB HAS RECEIVED WIDE ATTENTION IN EAST GERMANY.
THE FRENCH COMMUNIST ORGAN L'HUMANITE PUBLISHED A DECLARATION TODAY THAT 273,470,566 PERSONS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD HAD SIGNED THE APPEAL. OF THESE, 17,046,000 WERE DECLARED TO BE EAST GERMANS--WHICH WOULD MEAN ALMOST 90 PER CENT OF THE EAST GERMANS HAD SIGNED. THAT'S EVEN BETTER THAN THE FIGURE ATTRIBUTED TO THE SOVIET UNION--115,275,000 FROM A POPULATION OF PERHAPS 200,000,000. L'HUMANITE DECLARED 11,350,000 HAVE SIGNED IN THE UNITED STATES.
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B93
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BERLIN, AUG 9-(AP)-RUSSIA'S CHOSEN POLITICAL INSTRUMENT IN EAST GERMANY -- THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY -- CALLED ON "PEACE FIGHTERS" TODAY TTO "COMBAT THE FALSE PRINCIPLE OF PACIFISM."
IN A DIRECTIVE TO PARTY NEWSPAPERS, THE COMMUNIST LEADERSHIP CONDEMNED SOME RECENT EDITORIALS IN THE SOVIET ZONE WHICH OPPOSED "WAR IN ANY FORM, REGARDLESS OF HOW AND BY WHOM IT IS BEGGUN."
"WE MUST NOT DIMINISH THE TEMPO OF COLLECTING A GREAT PEACE ARMY, BUT INCREASE IT," THE DIRECTIVE SAID.
"THE HEEDLESSNESS OF OUR PRESS IN IDEOLOGICAL QUESTIONS HAS NOT YET BEEN OVERCOME. THOUSANDS AND TENS OF THOUSANDS OF CONFUSED PEACE FIGHTERS MUST BE HELPED THROUGH GOOD PROPAGANDA ARTICLES TO BE EDUCATED IN THEIR TASK AS FIGHTERS AGAINST THE (WESTERN) WARMONGERS.
"IT IS NECESSARY TO CONDUCT A RUNNING FIGHT AGAINST FALSE PRINCIPLES, FOR EXAMPLE, PACIFISM."
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A153
(160)
BERLIN,AUG.9-(AP)-EAST GERMANY OFFERED TODAY TO TRADE WITH THE WEST ZONES IN AN AMOUNT UP TO A BILLION MARKS A YEAR. AN EAST MARK IS WORTH ABOUT FOUR CENTS, A WEST MARK, 23.8 CENTS.
THE OFFER WAS MADE BY PRIME MINISTER OTTO GROTEWOHL IN A SPEECH TO THE PEOPLES' CHAMBER, THE LEGISLATIVE BODY ERECTED BY THE EAST COMMUNISTS TO APPROVE THEIR ACTS USUALLY AFTER THEY COMMIT THEM.
THE OLD TRADE AGREEMENT WAS FOR 300,000,000 (M) MARKS. IT EXPIRED JUNE 30 BUT WAS CONTINUED PROVISIONALLY FOR THREE MONTHS.
EAST-WEST CONFERENCES HAVE FAULED TO REACH AGREEMENT ON A NEW PACT IN A SERIES OF MEETINGS WHICH STARTED IN JULY.
GROTEWOHL TOLD THE PEOPLES' CHAMBER THE FAULT LAY WITH THE WESTERN HIGH COMMISSIONERS. HE CONTENDED THEY HAVE INJECTED "IMPOSSIBLE TERMS" FOR A NEW AGREEMENT BUT DID NOT ELABORATE. WESTERN ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID THE "IMPOSSIBLE TERMS" PROBABLY WERE DEMANDS THAT THE EAST MEET ITS COMMITMENTS WHICH IT FAILED TO DO UNDER THE OLD TRADE TREATY. THE SOVIET ZONE WAS UNABLE TO DELIVER SUGAR AND GRAIN IN THE AMOUNTS PROMISED.
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A13
VATICAN CITY, AUG. 9-(AP)-POPE PIUS XII SAID TODAY THAT THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH HAS ALWAYS OPPOSED WAR AND DEFENDED PEACE.
THE PONTIFF MADE HIS STATEMENT TO MORE THAN 30,000 HOLY YEAR PILGRIMS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD, INCLUDING 110 OFFICERS, ENLISTED MEN AND CIVILIAN EMPLOYES OF THE U.S. OCCUPATION FORCES IN EUROPE.
THE POPE HAD COME FROM HIS SUMMER RESIDENCE AT CASTEL GANDOLFO TO RECEIVE THE PILGRIMS AT HIS WEEKLY GENERAL AUDIENCE AT ST. PETER'S BASILICA IN ROME.
HE URGED THE PILGRIMS TO PRAY FOR PEACE SO THAT GOD MIGHT KEEP THE WAR AWAY FROM ROME AND FROM THE WORLD.
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B75 (Q)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG 9-(AP)-JAMES MILLER ROBINSON, AN AMERICAN NEGRO, HAS BECOME A CITIZEN OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, THE OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY ANNOUNCED TODAY.
ROBINSON, THE AGENCY SAID, GAVE UP HIS U.S. CITIZENSHIP JUNE 3, 1949, AND ASKED TO BE ALLOWED TO STAY IN THIS COUNTRY.
HE WROTE THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE THEN, IT RECALLED, THAT HE WAS DOING SO BECAUSE THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WAS PLANNING A NEW WORLD WAR AND COUNTENANCING RACIAL DISCRIMINATION.
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B27 (Q)
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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 9-(WP)-THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL GAVE UP EFFORTS TODAY TO REDRAFT THE PROPOSED UNITED NATIONS COVENANT ON HUMAN RIGHTS.
THE COVENANT IS TO FORM A LEGALLY-BINDING BACKBONE FOR THE DECLARATION ON HUMAN RIGHTS ADOPTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN 1948. THE COVENANT HAS BEEN HANDED FROM ONE U.N. ORGAN TO ANOTHER FOR OVER TWO YEARS. THE PRESENT VERSION HAS BEEN DESCRIBED BY DELEGATES AT THE CURRENT SESSION OF THE COUNCIL AS "MEDIOCRE" AND "ILL-CONSIDERED."
SEVERAL DELEGATIONS, PARTICULARLY THAT OF FRANCE, OBJECTED TO THE FAILURE OF THE DRAFT COVENANT TO PROVIDE FOR "SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC RIGHTS" OR TO PERMIT PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS TO PETITION THE UNITED NATIONS DIRECTLY ON ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF HUMAN RIGHTS.
A FRENCH PROPOSAL AT THE BEGINNING OF THE PRESENT SESSION OF THE COUNCIL TO REFER THE DRAFT BACK TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR REVISION WAS NARROWLY TURNED DOWN.
AFTER FOUR WEEKS OF TALKS., THE COUNCIL FINALLY DECIDED TODAY WITHOUT ANY DISSENTING VOTE TO SEND THE DRAFT BACK TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND TO THE UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION.
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B166 (Q)
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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG.9-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL URGED GOVERNMENTS TODAY TO AVOID RESTRICTING THE SALE AND PURCHASE OF NEWSPRINT OR JAMMING FOREIGN RADIO BROADCASTS.
A RESOLUTION SAID CERTAIN GOVERNMENTS HAVE "INTERVENED OFFICIALLY IN THE SALE AND PURCHASE OF NEWSPRINT, EITHER BY RESTRICTING THE AMOUNT OF FOREIGN CURRENCY ALLOCATED FOR ITS IMPORTATION OR BY RATIONING IT AMONG THE VARIOUS ORGANS OF THE PRESS, OR BY REGULATING THE USE BY PRESS ENTERPRISES OF THE NEWSPRINT PLACED AT THEIR DISPOSAL."
THE RESOLUTION, URGING AN END TO SUCH PRACTICES, WAS ADOPTED 13-0, WITH TWO ABSTENTIONS. THE DELEGATES OF MEXICO AND PERU SAID THEY WERE ABSTAINING ON THE GROUND THE RESOLUTION RAISED POLITICAL ISSUES.
A SECOND RESOLUTION CONDEMNED THE JAMMING OF RADIO BROADCASTS. THIS IS BEING DONE IN EUROPE BY THE SOVIET UNION. THE COUNCIL ASKED THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO REQUEST MEMBER GOVERNMENTS "TO REFRAIN FROM SUCH INTERFERENCE WITH THE RIGHT OF THEIR PEOPLES TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION."
WALTER KOTSCHNIG, U.S. ALTERNATE, UNSUCCESSFULLY SOUGHT TO HAVE THE SOVIET UNION NAMED IN THE RESOLUTION. HE SAID: "THE ONE GREAT OVER-RIDING EXAMPLE OF JAMMING WAS BY THE RUSSIANS."
JM347PED

A212
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, AUG. 9-(AP)-BISHOP JOZSEF PETERI OF VAC WAS CALLED AN "ENEMY OF PEACE" TONIGHT BY A MEMBER OF THE HUNGARIAN CABINET.
MINISTER OF EDUCATION JOZSEF DARVAS CHARGED IN A STATEMENT THAT THE BISHOP HAD PREVENTED PRIESTS FROM TAKING PART IN A RECENT MEETING INTENDED TO SMOOTH DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT AND THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.
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NIGHT LEAD BELGIAN
BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.9-(AP)-THE BELGIAN CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES TONIGHT APPROVED THE TRANSFER OF KING LEOPOLD'S CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS TO HIS 19- YEAR-OLD SON, PRINCE BAUDOUIN.
THE COUNT WAS 165 IN FAVOR OF THE TRANSFER, 27 AGAINST AND SEVEN ABSTENTIONS.
THE CHAMBER'S VOTE CONSTITUTED THE FIRST STAGE IN THE TRANSFER OF THE POWERS OF LEOPOLD III. TOMORROW THE SENATE WILL VOTE ON THE MEASURE AND ON FRIDAY IT WILL BE VOTED BY A JOINT ASSEMBLY OF BOTH HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT.
BAUDOUIN, A QUIET BESPECTACLES YOUTH, THEN IS EXPECTED TO TAKE THE OATH AS PRINCE ROYAL, OR REGENT, ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON.
TONIGHT'S VOTE CLIMAXED A SEVEN AND A HALF HOUR SESSION WHICH TWICE WAS THREATENED WITH SUSPENSION WHEN VIOLENT SCENES BROUGHT DEPUTIES TO THEIR FEET ON BOTH SIDES OF THE HOUSE.
MANY OF THOSE VOTING FOR THE BILL SAID THEY DID SO UNWILLINGLY AND ONLY AS A RESULT OF LEOPOLD'S APPEAL TO ALL PARTIES TO RALLY AROUND HIS SON. THE ARDENT PRO-LEOPOLD MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR, ALBERT DE VLEESCHAUWER, DECLARED:
"I WILL VOTE FOR THE BILL BUT ONLY UNDER PRESSURE."
THIS WAS A REFERENCE TO THE RIOTING AND DISORDERS WHICH ERUOPTED IN BELGIUM AFTER LEOPOLD RETURNED TO THE THRONE FROM EXILE IN SWITZERLAND ON JULY 22. THE CLASHES BECAME SO BITTER AND WIDESPREAD THAT BELGIUM FOR A TIME TOTTERED ON THE BRINK OF CIVIL WAR.

AT THE PEAK OF THE DISORDERS LEOPOLD AGREED TO HAND OVER HIS RECENTLY-ASSUMED REGAL POWERS TO HIS SON AND IMPLIED THAT BAUDOUIN WOULD BECOME KING IN FACT WHEN HE REACHES THE AGE OF 21 ON SEPT. 7, 1951.

TO CARRY OUT LEOPOLD'S AGREEMENT, THE SOCIAL CHRISTIAN GOVERNMENT WHICH BROUGHT HIM BACK TO THE THRONE INTRODUCED THE BILL CALLING FOR THE TRANSFER OF ROYAL POWER.

THE SOCIALIST PARTY SPEARHEADED THE OPPOSITION TO LEOPOLD. THE OPPOSITION TO THE KING WAS GREATEST IN THE FRENCH-SPEAKING WALLOON AREA, WHILE HIS SUPPORT CAME PREDOMINANTLY FROM THE FLEMISH-SPEAKING DISTRICTS.

THE DISPUTE OVER THE KING DATES BACK TO WORLD WAR II. LEOPOLD'S OPPONENTS CRITICZED HIS SURRENDER TO THE NAZIS AND HIS REFUSAL TO FLEE WITH HIS MINISTERS IN 1940 AND ESTABLISH A BELGIAN GOVERNMENT IN EXILE.

TWENTY-SIX SOCIAL CHRISTIANS AND ONE PRO-LEOPOLD LIBERAL CAST VOTES TONIGHT AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT'S BILL. TWO SOCIAL CHRISTIANS AND FIVE COMMUNISTS ABSTAINED.

THE COMMUNISTS DECIDED THAT A VOTE AGAINST THE MEASURE MIGHT BE INTERPRETED AS MEANING THEY WANTED LEOPOLD TO CONTINUE TO REIGN WHILE A VOTE IN FAVOR WOULD INDICATE THAT THEY APPROVED OF THE MONARCHY. A COMMUNIST SPEAKER SHOUTED: "DOWN WITH THE MONARCHY, LONG LIVE THE REPUBLIC!"

THE COMMUNISTS ATTACKED THE INSTITUTION OF THE MONARCHY ITSELF. THE SOCIALISTS AND THE LIBERALS, ON THE OTHER HAND, DID NOT ATTACK THE MONARCHY AS SUCH BUT CONFINED THEMSELVES TO DEMANDING THAT LEOPOLD STEP DOWN FROM THE THRONE.

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BRUSSELS, AUG.9-(AP)-BELGIUM'S PARLIAMENT WAS THROWN INTO NEW UPROAR TODAY WHEN THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES MET TO VOTE THE GOVERNMENT'S BILL TRANSFERRING KING LEOPOLD'S ROYAL POWERS TO CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN, HIS SON.

BOTH THE SOCIAL-CHRISTIAN MAJORITY AND THE ANTI-LEOPOLD SOCIALISTS, LIBERALS AND COMMUNISTS SHOWED EXTREME TOUCHINESS AT ANY REFERENCE TO RECENT EVENTS WHEN THE COUNTRY TREMBLED ON THE BRINK OF CIVIL WAR OVER ITS KING.

A SOCIAL-CHRISTIAN SPEAKER MADE A REFERENCE TO "ANTI-LEOPOLD AGITATORS WITH BLOOD ON THEIR HANDS," AND THE UPROAR BEGAN.

YELLS OF "ASSASSIN" WERE HURLED ACROSS THE FLOOR BY THE SOCIALISTS. POINTING FINGERS WERE LEVELLED AT INTERIOR MINISTER ALBERT DE VLEESCHAUWER, WHO SAT PALE BUT CALM, WITH FOLDED ARMS, ON THE GOVERNMENT FRONT BENCH. DE VLEESCHAUWER CONTROLS THE NATIONAL GENDARMERIE, WHICH CAUSED FOUR DEATHS BY FIRING ON ANTI-LEOPOLD STRIKERS AT LIEGE.

WHITE BEARDED PRESIDENT FRANZ VAN CAUWELAERT VAINLY POUNDED WITH HIS GAVEL FOR ORDER. AT ONE TIME HIS VOICE ROSE, WITH THE AID OF A MICROPHONE, ABOVE THE DEAFENING DIN.

NOBODY HEEDED HIM. WHEN HE THREATENED TO TOUCH OFF THE ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM SUSPENDING THE SESSION, SOME OF THE DEPUTIES SHOUTED: "GO ON, SUSPEND."

UNITED STATES AMBASSADOR ROBERT MURPHY WAS A WITNESS OF THE SCENE FROM THE CROWDED DIPLOMATIC GALLERY.

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B69 (Q)

ANTWERP, BELGIUM, AUG.9-(AP)-PHILIP JOHANN SCHMITT, FORMER GERMAN COMMANDER OF THE BREENDONCK CONCENTRATION CAMP NEAR ANTWERP, WAS EXECUTED BY A FIRING SQUAD AT DAWN TODAY.

THE 48-YEAR-OLD NAZI WAS CONDEMNED TO DEATH LAST NOV.25, AFTER BEING FOUND GUILTY BY A BELGIAN COURT MARTIAL OF BEING RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DEATHS OF 52 INMATES OF THE CAMP. TWO APPEALS WERE REJECTED.

SCHMITT STOOD ARROGANTLY AT THE FIRING POST, REFUSING TO BE BLINDFOLDED OR HAVE HIS HANDS TIED.

THE OFFICER IN CHARGE OF THE FIRING SQUAD HAD TO ADMINISTER A "COUP DE GRACE" SHOT WITH HIS REVOLVER.

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B160 (Q)

APW

MADRAS, INDIA, AUG.9-(AP)-INDONESIAN AMBASSADOR DR.SOEDARSANO SAID TODAY A DELEGATION FROM HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD GO TO THE HAGUE IN SEPTEMBER TO DISCUSS WITH THE DUTCH THE SETTLEMENT OF THE NEW GUINEA QUESTION.

THE INDONESIANS CLAIM THE WESTERN PROTION OF THAT SOUTHWEST PACIFIC ISLAND NOW HELD BY THE DUTCH SHOULD BE JOINED TO THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA.

WHEN THE ISLAND FEDERATION WAS FORMED LAST DECEMBER, GIVING THE INDONESIANS FREEDOM FROM A 300-YEAR-OLD DUTCH COLONIAL RULE, IT WAS AGREED THAT NEW GUINEA WOULD REMAIN UNDER DUTCH CONTROL FOR ONE YEAR. AT THE END OF THAT PERIOD, THE DUTCH AND INDONESIANS WERE TO DISCUSS THE QUESTION.

DR.SOEDARSANO VOICED HIS GOVERNMENT'S ATTITUDE TODAY, SAYING: "NEW GUINEA BELONGS TO US, AND SHOULD BE RETURNED TO INDONESIA."

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B28 (Q)
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THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG. 9-(AP)-DUTCH MEMBERS OF A MIXED NETHERLANDS-INDONESIAN COMMISSION MAINTAINED TODAY THAT THE TRASFER OF AUTHORITY OVER HALF OF NEW GUINEA TO THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA WOULD BE "CONTRARY TO THE INTERESTS OF THE NEW GUINEA PEOPLE."

THE 5,000-WORD REPORT OF THE THREE DUTCH MEMBERS BROUGHT INTO THE OPEN A NETHERLANDS-INDONESIAN DEADLOCK OVER THE FUTURE STATUS OF ONE HALF OF THE ISLAND. THE OTHER HALF IS ADMINISTERED BY AUSTRALIA.

WHEN THE DUTCH GRANTED INDONESIA SOVEREIGNTY AT THE END OF LAST YEAR, THE NEW GUINEA PROBLEM WAS SHELVED FOR FUTURE DISCUSSIONS AND THE TERRITORY REMAINED UNDER DUTCH ADMINISTRATION. SINCE THEN THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA REPEATEDLY HAS AFFIRMED HER CLAIMS WHICH HAVE BEEN OPPOSED BY THE DUTCH AND THE AUSTRALIANS.

THE DUTCH REPORT SAID "NEW GUINEA'S RIGHT OF SELF DETERMINATION WOULD BE VIRTUALLY ANNULLED" IN THE EVENT THE TERRITORY WAS ANNEXED BY INDONESIA.

THE REPORT WAS WRITTEN AFTER THE DRAFTING OF ONE COMMON DOCUMENT HAD PROVED TO BE IMPOSSIBLE BECAUSE OF THE DIFFERING VIEWS OF THE DUTCH AND INDONESIAN MEMBERS.

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B41 (Q) (250)
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JAKARTA, JAVA, U.SMI., AUG. 9-(AP)-A TRUCE ENDING THE FIFTH REVOLT AGAINST THE YOUNG UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA WAS SCHEDULED TO BECOME EFFECTIVE EARLY TODAY IN MAKASSAR BUT AUTHORITIES HERE SAID THEY HAD NO WORD FROM THE EAST INDONESIA CENTER IT WAS BEING OBSERVED.
A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NETHERLANDS HIGH COMMISSIONER SAID FIGHTING CONTINUED THROUGHOUT YESTERDAY BETWEEN FEDERAL INDONESIAN SOLDIERS AND AMBOINESE TROOPS AWAITING DISCHARGE FROM THE DUTCH ARMY.
THE AMBOINESE, MORE THAN 2,000 STRONG, REBELLED SUNDAY AND LATER ANNOUNCED THEY WERE THROWING IN THEIR LOT WITH REBELS STILL DEFYING THE CENTRAL REGIME FROM ON THEIR HOME ISLAND OF AMBOINA, SEPARATISTS THERE IN APRIL PROCLAIMED AN INDEPENDENT GOVERNMENT OF THE SOUTH MOLUCCA ISLAND CHAIN.
THE TRUCE WAS NEGOTIATED BY MAJ. GEN. SCHEFFELAAR, DUTCH MILITARY COMMANDER IN INDONESIA, AND COL. KAWILARANG, COMMANDER OF INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT FORCES FIGHTING TO QUELL THE REBELLION ON AMBOINA. THEY FLEW TO MAKASSAR MONDAY AND CONFERRED WITH U.N. MILITARY OBSERVERS ALREADY ON THE SPOT.
THE DUTCH SPOKESMAN HERE SAID SCHEFFELAAR AND KAWILARANG APPARENTLY STILL WERE IN TOUCH WITH BOTH THE REBELS AND THE GOVERNMENT TROOPS.
THE DUTCH YESTERDAY ANNOUNCED THEY HAD SENT THE DESTROYER KORTENAER TO MAKE CONTACT WITH GENERAL SCHEFFELAAR. THE INDONESIANS, CLAIMING THE DUTCH HAD PREVIOUSLY TURNED CONTROL OF THE SHIP OVER TO THEM, OFFICIALLY EXPRESSED DISPLEASURE WITH THE ACT.
PREVIOUS REVOLTS AGAINST THE U.S.I. GOVERNMENT, IN ADDITION TO THE STILL-CONTINUING MOVEMENT ON AMBOINA, INCLUDED A FLARE-UP IN WEST JAVA LED BY CAPT. R.R.P. "TURK" WESTERLING, ANOTHER SHORT-LIVED OUTBREAK ON AMBOINA AND THE SEIZURE FOR TWO WEEKS OF MAKASSAR LAST MAY BY THE AMBOINESE SCHEDULED FOR DISCHARGE FROM THE DUTCH ARMY.
THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE INDONESIAN MINISTRY OF INFORMATION SAID HIS GOVERNMENT WAS PROTESTING DISPATCH OF THE SHIP AS "COMPARABLE TO AN ACT OF WAR."
HE SAID THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME INDONESIA HAD ACCUSED HOLLAND OF VIOLATING THE AGREEMENTS SETTING UP AN INDEPENDENT EAST ASIATIC STATE LAST DECEMBER.
THE MINISTRY SAID HIS GOVERNMENT HAD ASKED THE DUTCH TO SEND THE KORTENAER BACK TO ITS BASE AT SOERABAYA, BUT THAT IT WAS LAST REPORTED STILL LYING OFF MAKASSAR.
MK805AED

B43 (Q) (200)
SINGAPORE, AUG. 9-(AP)-UNITED STATES DIPLOMAT JOHN MELBY CALLED TODAY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS A "REAL THREAT" TO THE CONTINUED INDEPENDENCE OF INDOCHINA.
MELBY IS THE HEAD OF A U.S. MISSION SURVEYING HOW MUCH AND WHAT KIND OF U.S. MILITARY AID IS NEEDED IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.
HE SAID INDOCHINA, WHERE FRENCH AND FRENCH-SUPPORTED VIETNAMESE TROOPS HAVE BEEN FIGHTING COMMUNIST-BACKED HO CHI MINH, WOULD GET PRIORITY FOR U.S. AID.
INDOCHINA, HE SAID, OBVIOUSLY NEEDS A GREAT DEAL MORE HELP THAN OTHER NATIONS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.
MELBY SAID COMMUNIST FORCES ARE GETTING HELP FROM OUTSIDE AND IT "MAKES NO DIFFERENCE WHETHER IT IS COMING FROM COMMUNIST CHINA OR RUSSIA."
HE SAID THE UNITED STATES STATE DEPARTMENT SEES NO SIGNS OF CHINESE COMMUNIST CHIEF MAO TZE-TUNG BECOMING ANOTHER TITO BY MAKING HIS COMMUNIST REGIME INDEPENDENT OF MOSCOW.
"IF RUSSIA WANTED THEM TO," HE SAID, "THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS UNDOUBTEDLY WOULD GO TO THE AID OF THE NORTH KOREANS."
JT602AED

B46KX (Q)
APW
HONG KONG, AUG. 9-(AP)-A COMBINED AIR AND SEA EXERCISE WAS HELD YESTERDAY BY BRITISH FORCES AT WAGLON ISLAND, ONE OF THE OUTLYING ISLANDS OF THIS BRITISH COLONY.
WAGLAN IS A FEW MILES NORTH OF SOME CHINESE ISLANDS FROM WHERE COMMUNIST SHORE BATTERIES HAVE FIRED ON SHIPPING IN THE LAST THREE DAYS.
TWO BRITISH FRIGATES, THE WHITE SAND BAY AND THE SAINT BRIDGES BAY, AND TWO ROYAL AIR FORCE FIGHTERS TOOK PART.
A NAVAL SPOKESMAN SAID THE ROUTINE EXERCISE WAS ARRANGED BY BOTH AIR AND NAVAL AUTHORITIES A WEEK AGO.
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A107
(120)
BY EDDY GILMORE
MOSCOW, AUG 9-(AP)-THE SOVIET PRESS TOLD TODAY OF TWO PARACHUTISTS WHO JUMPED UP INSTEAD OF DOWN.
THREE JUMPERS WENT UP IN A PLANE NEAR MINSK. THEY LEAPED WHEN THE PLANE WAS AT 2,500 FEET.
ONE SAILED SLOWLY DOWN FOR A NORMAL LANDING. THE OTHER TWO SHOT STRAIGHT UP -- CAUGHT IN A HUGE, UPWARD-MOVING AIR CURRENT.
THE PLANE FOLLOWED THEM INTO THE CLOUDS AS THEY ROSE TO AN ALTITUDE OF 4,300 FEET. ONE CHUTIST FINALLY CAME DOWN AFTER 40 MINUTES ALOFT. THER WAS UP TWO HOURS AND LANDED ALMOST NINE MILES FROM HIS STARTING POINT.
HIS GREATEST DANGER, HE TOLD THE GOVERNMENT ORGAN IZVESTIA, CAME FROM HIS CHUTE ICING UP. HE HAD TO KEEP SHAKING THE STRAPS TO GET RID OF THE ICE.
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(Q) (140)
OTTAWA, AUG.9--(AP)-BRIGADIER JOHN ROCKINGHAM, 38, HAS BEEN APPOINTED TO COMMAND CANADA'S NEW SPECIAL BRIGADE FOR UNITED NATIONS SERVICE, DEFENSE MINISTER BROOKE CLAXTON ANNOUNCED TODAY.
BRIG.ROCKINGHAM, A NATIVE OF AUSTRALIA, WON HIS PRESENT RANK IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR WHEN HE WAS GIVEN COMMAND OF THE 9TH INFANTRY BRIGADE--THE FAMOUS CANADIAN HIGHLAND BRIGADE--DURING THE NORMANDY CAMPAIGN.
RECRUITING BEGINS OFFICIALLY TODAY FOR THE 5,000-MAN CANADIAN ARMY SPECIAL SERVICE FORCE. SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF A FORTHCOMING SPECIAL SESSION OF PARLIAMENT, THE BRIGADE--AFTER A TRAINING PERIOD OF SIX TO EIGHT MONTHS--WILL BE SENT INTO ACTION WHEREVER DICTATED AT THE TIME BY CANADA'S COMMITMENTS TO THE UNITED NATIONS OR THE ATLANTIC PACT.
PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST.LAURENT SAID IT WOULD BE "AVAILABLE" FOR KOREAN FIGHTING IF IT WAS STILL NEEDED THERE WHEN READY FOR ACTION.
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NIGHT LEAD RECRUITS

OTTAWA, AUG.9-(AP)-A TOTAL OF 2,800 VOLUNTEERS APPLIED AT RECRUITING STATIONS ACROSS CANADA UP TO NOON TODAY FOR THE SPECIAL, 5,000-MAN UNITED NATIONS FIGHTING FORCE, ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TONIGHT.

THE TOTAL INCLUDED THOSE WHO MADE THEIR APPLICATIONS YESTERDAY. IN ADDITION 148 OFFICERS "WITH BATTLE EXPERIENCE" APPLIED TO DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS TO JOIN THE NEW FORCE.

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B57 (SEG) (170)

OTTAWA, AUG. 9-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES WILL SPEND ABOUT TEN PER CENT OF ITS MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR ARMAMENT BUDGET IN CANADA, IT WAS INDICATED OFFICIALLY YESTERDAY.

UNDER CURRENT ESTIMATES THIS WOULD GIVE CANADA $1,000,000,000 A YEAR IN AMERICAN WAR MATERIEL CONTRACTS.

THE JOINT UNITED STATES-CANADA INDUSTRIAL MOBILIZATION PLANNING COMMITTEE MET HERE IN CLOSED SESSION TO PLAN JOINT INDUSTRIAL MOBILIZATION OF THE TWO NEIGHBORS' ECONOMIES FOR WAR PURPOSES.

HUBERT E.HOWARD, CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. MUNITION'S BOARD, TOLD REPORTERS THE U.S. PLANS TO BUY A "HUGE QUANTITY" OF 3.5 INCH NAVAL GUNS FROM CANADA.

AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID THESE GUNS WOULD BE MANUFACTURED AT SOREL, QUE., FOR USE ON NAVAL ESCORT VESSELS.

HOWARD ALSO SAID THE U.S. IS CONSIDERING LETTING HEAVY ORDERS IN CANADA FOR RAW MATERIALS AND MANUFACTURED GOODS, INCLUDING AIRCRAFT, AIRCRAFT PARTS, CLOTHING, VEHICLES AND SHIPS.

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AMS BUDGET (320)

NIGHT LEAD BATORY

NEW YORK, AUG 9-(AP)-THE POLISH LINER BATORY PLOWED TOWARD EUROPE TODAY WITH AN AIRMAN WHO LANDED HIS RENTED SEAPLANE NEAR THE VESSEL MORE THAN 100 MILES OUT IN THE ATLANTIC.

WHETHER IT WAS BY ACCIDENT OR DESIGN NO ONE COULD IMMEDIATELY DETERMINE.

INVESTIGATING JUSTICE AND STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS WERE PUZZLED.

THE SEAPLANE PILOT, AFTER GIVING ANOTHER NAME TO THE SKIPPER OF THE BATORY, FINALLY SAID HIS NAME WAS WILLIAM JESSE NEWTON OF NEW YORK. THE SKIPPER, CAPT. JAN CWIKLINSKI, MESSAGED THE GDYNIA-AMERICAN LINE THAT NEWTON HAD U.S.CITIZEN'S PASSPORT NO. 357 ISSUED BY THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN MEXICO JAN. 7, 1947.

THE BATORY ASKED THE COAST GUARD TO TAKE HIM OFF THE VESSEL AFTER IT PICKED HIM UP YESTERDAY. THE COAST GUARD DECLINED, AND PILOT AND SEA-PLANE WENT ON WITH THE BATORY, WHICH PAUSES AT SOUTHAMPTON, ENGLAND, NEXT WEDNESDAY ON ITS WAY TO POLAND.

EVER SINCE GERMAN COMMUNIST GERHARD EISLER JUMPED BAIL AND ESCAPED FROM THIS COUNTRY ABOARD THE BATORY IN MAY, 1949, THE VESSEL HAS BEEN CLOSELY WATCHED BY U.S. OFFICIALS.

WHEN IT ARRIVED HERE LAST FRIDAY IT WAS THE FIRST IRON CURTAIN COUNTRY VESSEL TO UNDERGO RIGOROUS INSPECTION FOR POSSIBLE HIDDEN ATOMIC BOMBS. DURING ITS THREE DAYS IN PORT CUSTOMS OFFICIALS TOOK THE NAMES OF EVERYONE GOING ABOARD.

GREATLY ANNOYED BY THE WHOLE AFFAIR WAS GEORGE LAMBROS, JR., OPERATOR OF THE LAMBROS SEAPLANE BASE IN RIDGEFIELD PARK, N.J., WHO RENTED THE $2,600 CUB PIPER SEAPLANE TO NEWTON. HE SAID HE'D SUE IF NECESSARY TO RECOVER HIS PLANE.

LAMBROS SAID NEWTON HAD A COMMERCIAL PILOT'S LICENSE AND RENTED THE PLANE YESTERDAY TO FLY FOR A FEW MINUTES. HE DESCRIBED HIM AS 24 YEARS OLD, SLIGHTLY BUILT, WITH BLOND HAIR.

THE ONLY CURIOUS REQUEST NEWTON MADE, SAID LAMBROS, WAS FOR A LIFE-JACKET. THEN HE TOOK OFF AND DISAPPEARED OVER THE HORIZON. LAMBROS PHONED RIDGEFIELD PARK POLICE THAT ONE OF HIS PLANES HAD BEEN STOLEN.

THE PLANE CARRIED ENOUGH FUEL FOR 285 MILES, LAMBROS SAID, BUT NEWTON TOLD THE BATORY SKIPPER THAT HE WAS ALMOST OUT OF FUEL WHEN HE LANDED NEAR THE VESSEL. NEWTON CLAIMED HE THOUGHT THE BATORY WAS HEADED FOR NEW YORK.

IMMIGRATION SERVICE OFFICIALS SAID THEY COULD NOT UNDERSTAND WHY HE LANDED NEAR THE OUTBOUND BATORY WHEN THERE WERE OTHER SHIPS IN THE VICINITY.

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A40 (190)

NEW YORK, AUG. 9-(AP)-GEN. LUCIUS D.CLAY WARNED TODAY THAT THE THREAT OF ATOMIC WARFARE WILL MEAN "A NEW WAY OF LIFE FOR ALL OF US."

CLAY, CHAIRMAN OF THE NEW YORK STATE CIVIL DEFENSE COMMISSION, MADE PUBLIC A DIRECTIVE FOR LOCAL DEFENSE AUTHORITIES AND SAID THEY MUST MAKE PLANS ON THE ASSUMPTION "THAT AN ENEMY WILL USE AN ATOMIC BOMB."

"TELL THE PUBLIC THE TRUTH AND THEY WILL FACE UP TO IT," HE SAID. "WE HAVE DEFINITELY SET FOR OURSELVES A DIFFERENT WAY OF LIFE TO PREPARE FOR ANY POSSIBLE ATOMIC ATTACK. WE MUST TELL THE PUBLIC THE TRUTH CONCERNING THE PROBABILITY OF AN ATOMIC ATTACK."

HE SAID NEW YORK CITY WAS "AS LIKELY A TARGET AS ANY OTHER, IF NOT THE MOST LIKELY."

HE ADDED:

"CIVIL DEFENSE IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS. NO ONE WOULD BE IMMUNE FROM THE EFFECTS OF DISASTER--NO ONE, NO MATTER WHERE THEY LIVE, CAN SHIRK THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES.

"IN FACT, THE GRAVES RESPONSIBILITIES OF ALL, PERHAPS, REST WITH YOU WHO RESIDE IN THE SO-CALLED 'SAFE' AREAS."

THESE AREAS, HE SAID, "MUST RECEIVED AND CARE FOR THE WOUNDED AND THE HOMELESS IN TIME OF DISASTER AND X X X MUST BE READY WITH WELL ORGANIZED LOCAL UNITS TO MOVE INTO DEVASTATED AREAS, NO MATTER WHERE THEY MIGHT BE, AND RENDER MAXIMUM AID AND SUPPORT."

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NEW YORK, AUG. 9-(AP)-AN OFFICER OF THE FEDERAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES OF CHRIST IN AMERICA SAID TODAY A PROPOSED GOVERNMENT-SPONSORED LOAN TO SPAIN IS "A SERIOUS DIPLOMATIC BLUNDER."

DR.WALTER W.VAN KIRK, AN EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE COUNCIL, SAID IN A LETTER TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN THAT SUCH A LOAN IMPLIES POLITICAL ENDORSEMENT OF THE FRANCO REGIME. HE ADDED THAT THE REGIME DENIES BASIC CIVIL AND RELIGIOUS RIGHTS.

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NEW YORK, AUG.9-(AP)-CAPT.DAVID JONES, MASTER OF THE FREIGHTER FLYING ARROW SHELLED BY CHINESE NATIONALISTS OFF SHANGHAI LAST JANUARY, WAS FREED TODAY OF A CHARGE OF ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF PISTOLS.

CAPT.JONES WAS ARRESTED YESTERDAY WHEN THE PISTOLS AND 12 BOTTLES OF LIQUOR WERE FOUND IN HIS LUGGAGE WHILE HE WAS MOVING HIS PERSONAL POSSESSIONS FROM THE FLYING ARROW IN BROOKLYN. CUSTOMS OFFICIALS FINED HIM $75 FOR BRINGING THE LIQUOR ASHORE WITHOUT PROPER CLEARANCE.

HE HAD BEEN REMOVED AS MASTER OF THE ISBRANDTSEN SHIP AFTER CIO NATIONAL MARITIME UNION SEAMEN REFUSED TO BOARD THE FLYING ARROW WHILE JONES WAS IN COMMAND.

PREVIOUSLY A COAST GUARD CIVILIAN EXAMINER PLACED JONES ON PROBATION AFTER HE WAS CONVICTED OF CHARGES OF UNFAIR TREATMENT BROUGHT AGAINST HIM BY MEMBERS OF HIS CREW.

A.V.CHERBONNIER, ATTORNEY FOR THE ISBRANDTSEN LINE, TODAY TOLD MAGISTRATE THOMAS H.CULLEN IN BROOKLYN FELONY COURT THAT CAPT.JONES, 31, HAD BEEN ASSIGNED TO THE S.S. CLOUD IN HOBOKEN, N.J., AND "HE WAS SIMPLY GOING FROM ONE SHIP TO ANOTHER. HE WAS NOT TRYING TO BRING GUNS INTO THE STATE."

MAGISTRATE CULLEN DISMISSED THE COMPLAINT, WITH THE CONSENT OF ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY LOUIS JOSEPH.

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BY RICHARD FISKE

(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, AUG. 9-(AP)-RUSSIA IS REPORTED ASSEMBLING DRYDOCKS, MERCHANT VESSELS AND SUPPLIES AT VLADIVOSTOK, RIGHT ON KOREA'S DOORSTEP.

A STUDY RELEASED TODAY BY AMERICAN SHIP OWNERS REPORTS A LARGE NUMBER OF SOVIET VESSELS OF ALL TYPES HAVE BEEN SAILING OUT OF BALTIC AND BLACK SEA PORTS TO THE SOVIET'S CHIEF SIBERIAN SEAPORT, ~~OVER~~ less than 500 MILES FROM KOREA.

THE AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE INSTITUTE, A TRADE ORGANIZATION OF SHIP OWNERS WHOSE VESSELS FLY THE AMERICAN FLAG, DREW THE FOLLOWING PICTURE AFTER STUDYING AVAILABLE RECORDS:

RUSSIAN TANKERS WITH FULL CARGOES HAVE SAILED TO THE FAR EASTERN HARBOR OF VLADIVOSTOK RECENTLY FROM THE BLACK SEA OIL PORTS OF CONSTANZA AND BATUM.

WITHIN THE PAST TWO MONTHS THREE DRYDOCKS HAVE BEEN TOWED FROM LATVIA, ON THE BALTIC, AND FROM ODESSA ON THE BLACK SEA, TO VLADIVOSTOK.

MANY OF THE MERCHANTMEN BOUND FOR THE FAR EAST WERE LOADED WITH GRAIN. OTHERS CARRIED GENERAL CARGO. EVEN TRAWLERS WERE REPORTED IN THE MOVEMENT TO THE PACIFIC.

MEANWHILE, IN THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED SHIPYARDS OF EASTERN GERMANY REPAIR WORK HAS BEEN GOING AT FULL TILT ON RUSSIAN VESSELS. SEVEN SOVIET VESSELS WERE AT ANTWERP RECENTLY WAITING REPAIRS.

"WHAT BEARING ALL THIS MAY HAVE ON THE KOREAN SITUATION REMAINS TO BE SEEN," THE INSTITUTE SAID.

"THIS HEAVY MOVEMENT BY WATER COULD MEAN THE TRANS-SIBERIAN RAILROAD IS FULLY OCCUPIED WITH THE TRANSPORTATIION OF MILITARY MATERIAL

IT ATTACHED "SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE" TO THE TRANSFER OF DRYDOCKS, ALL OF WHICH PUT IN AT SINGAPORE FOR FUEL AND STORES.

THE STOP AT SINGAPORE OF THE TUG-TOWED DRYDOCKS IS AN EXAMPLE OF THE MANNER IN WHICH THE MOVEMENT OF SOVIET VESSELS MAY BE TRACED.

THE INSTITUTE EXPLAINED THE "IRON CURTAIN" WHICH SURROUNDS ALL RUSSIA EXTENDS TO SHIPPING.

WHILE FULL MOVEMENTS OF SHIPS OF OTHER MARITIME NATIONS ARE REPORTED TO SUCH INTERNATIONAL SERVICES AS LLOYD'S, RUSSIAN SHIPS ARE LISTED ONLY WHEN THEY ARE REPORTED BY SOURCES IN OTHER COUNTRIES.

THE INSTITUTE SAID THAT OF 510 RUSSIAN OCEAN-GOING VESSELS KNOWN TO AMERICAN AUTHORITIES, LESS THAN 30 PER CENT CAN BE LOCATED.

THERE ARE NO OFFICIAL REPORTS, THE INSTITUTE ADDED, ON THE WHEREABOUTS OF 83 AMERICAN MERCHANT SHIPS THE OSVIET OBTAINED UNDER LEND-LEASE BUT HAS NOT RETURNED.

THERE'S A CLUE TO SEVERAL OF THESE LIBERTY SHIPS, HOWEVER. THE ~~INSTITUTE SAID A GREEK VESSEL REPORTED SEVERAL LIB~~

INSTITUE SAID A GREEK VESSEL REPORTEDSEVERAL LIBERTY SHIPS FLYING THE "HAMMER AND SICKLE" IN THE NORTH KOREAN PORT OF CHINNAMPO AS RECENTLY AS MAY 28.

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BY FRANCIS W.CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 9-(AP)-RUSSIA'S JACOB A.MALIK AGREED TENTATIVELY TODAY TO MEET OTHER MEMBERS OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL IN A SECRET SESSION HERE TOMORROW TO DISCUSS THE COUNCIL'S STALEMATE ON THE KOREAN ISSUE.

THIS WAS DISCLOSED TONIGHT AFTER A TWO-HOUR MEETING OF NON-COMMUNIST MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN THE BRITISH DELEGATION OFFICE.

A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID MALIK HAD AGREED "IN PRINCIPLE" TO ATTEND THE MEETING BEHIND CLOSED DOORS TOMORROW BUT HE WOULD NOT SAY THAT MALIK DEFINITELY WOULD BE THERE.

THE SESSION TOMORROW WILL BE HELD IN ADVANCE OF AN OPEN MEETING SCHEDULED FOR 2 P.M. (E.S.T.) THE BRITISH SPOKESMAN WOULD NOT SAY WHAT TIME THE CLOSED MEETING WILL BE HELD.

BEFORE THE SECRET MEETING THIS AFTERNOON IT WAS DISCLOSED THAT THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN HAVE DECIDED AGAINST ANY MOVE TO EJECT MALIK FROM THE PRESIDENCY OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL AT THIS TIME.

A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID THAT HIS DELEGATION DOES NOT BELIEVE IT IS LEGALLY POSSIBLE TO MAKE SUCH A MOVE NOW. OTHER SOURCES SAID TI AMERICANS DID NOT BELIEVE IT WAS NECESSARY TO TAKE SUCH STRONG

MEASURES AT THIS TIME.
ERNEST A.GROSS, NUMBER TWO U.S.DELEGATE ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL, ATTENDED THE CLOSED SESSION TODAY WITH JOHN C.ROSS, ANOTHER DELEGATE, AND JAMES N.HYDE, AN ADVISOR TO THE U.S. DELEGATION. ALL OTHER COUNCIL DELEGATES WERE PRESENT EXCEPT MALIK, THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL FOR AUGUST, AND THE YUGOSLAV DELEGATE.
SIR GLADWYN JEBB OF BRITAIN PRESIDED OVER THE INFORMAL SESSION. AFTER THE MEETING, A BRIEF COMMUNIQUE SAID THAT THE MEETING WAS HELD TO CONSIDER DIFFICULTIES AS A RESULT OF RECENT SESSIONS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL. THIS COMMUNIQUE SAID THAT MALIK HAD BEEN ASKED IF HE WOULD ATTEND A CLOSED SESSION TOMORROW WITH THE OTHER DELEGATES TO DISCUSS THE PROCEDURAL WRANGLE AND THAT HE HAD AGREED IN PRINCIPLE TO DO SO.
ARNE SUNDE OF NORWAY CALLED MALIK FROM THE BRITISH OFFICES WHILE THE SESSION WAS BEING HELD AND OBTAINED HIS TENTATIVE AGREEMENT TO MEET THE OTHERS AT LAKE SUCCESS TOMORROW.
ALES BEBLER, DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER OF COMMUNIST YUGOSLAVIA, WAS INVITED TO ATTEND TODAY'S MEETING BUT DECLINED THE BID. A SPOKESMAN SAID BEBLER'S DECISION WAS IN ACCORDANCE WITH HIS COUNTRY'S POLICY ON THE KOREAN CASE. YUGOSLAVIA VOTED AGAINST THE MAJORITY VERDICT THAT THE NORTH KOREANS ARE AGGRESSORS AND PROPOSED IN JUNE THAT THE COUNCIL INVITE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NORTH KOREANS TO EXPLAIN THEIR CASE.

THE COUNCIL HAS NOT EMERGED FROM A PROCEDURAL WRANGLE SINCE MALIK BECAME PRESIDENT AUG. 1. WARREN R.AUSTIN, U.DMMV DELEGATE, CHARGED MALIK YESTERDAY WITH OBSTRUCTING THE WORK OF THE COUNCIL BY STALLING TACTICS. HE APPEALED TO MALIK TO ASK MOSCOW FOR NEW ORDERS AND URGED OTHER COUNCIL DELEGATES TO CONSULT ON THE SITUATION.
THE DELEGATES DISCUSSED SEVERAL COURSES OF ACTION WITH THEIR STAFFS THIS MORNING. INFORMANTS SAID ONE POSSIBILITY, THAT THE COUNCIL COULD CHANGE ITS RULES AND SUSPEND MALIK AS PRESIDENT, WAS DROPPED FOR THE TIME BEING BECAUSE IT WOULD BE TOO SEVERE FOR THE SITUATION AS IT NOW EXISTS.
ONE SOURCE SAID THE BRITISH DEFINITELY WOULD OPPOSE THAT COURSE AND THEY HAVE ABOUT RECONCILED THEMSELVES TO LISTENING TO MALIK TALK ALL MONTH, IF HE CHOOSES TO DO SO.
ANOTHER INFORMANT SAID THE AMERICANS WOULD NOT AT THIS TIME GO SO FAR AS MOVE TO SUSPEND MALIK, BUT SOME AMERICAN QUARTERS FEEL THE UNITED STATES MUST START SLUGGING IT OUT WITH MALIK IN THE VERBA BATTLE.
T.F. TSIANG, NATIONALIST CHINA'S DELEGATE WHO TRIED VAINLY YESTERDAY TO MAKE MALIK INVITE THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOUTH KOREANS TO THE COUNCIL TABLE, SAID TODAY MALIK IS FORCING THE WORLD TO MAKE A DECISION ON THE UNITED NATIONS.
"WE ARE FACING THE CHOICE OF A UNIVERSAL BUT IMPOTENT UNITED NATIONS ON THE ONE SIDE (THIS MEANS WITH THE RUSSIANS IN THE U.N.) AND A NON-UNIVERSAL BUT EFFECTIVE UNITED NATIONS (WITHOUT THE RUSSIANS) ON THE OTHER SIDE," TSIANG SAID IN A STATEMENT. "THAT IS THE CHOICE BEFORE THE WORLD. IT IS A HARD CHOICE. EVERYBODY WISHES TO HAVE A UNIVERSAL AND EFFECTIVE UNITED NATIONS BUT THAT EVIDENTLY IS OUT OF THE QUESTION. MALIK BY HIS PERFORMANCE DURING THE LAST WEEK IS FORCING US TO MAKE THE CHOICE."
MALIK FOUGHT FOR THREE DAYS TO HAVE THE COUNCIL APPROVE A WORK SHEET, CALLED AN AGENDA, WHICH LINKED THE QUESTION OF COMMUNIST CHINA WITH THE KOREAN WAR AND LISTED AN ITEM ON THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN CRISIS.
THE WEST REJECTED THIS, CONTENDING IT WOULD WIPE OFF THE SLATE COUNCIL VERDICTS THAT THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS ARE AGGRESSORS AGAINST SOUTH KOREA AND AUTHORIZING U.N. ACTION AGAINST THEM. THE COUNCIL FINALLY KEPT THE QUESTION OF AGGRESSION ON THE WORK SHEET.
MALIK STARTED LAST FRIDAY TO DO BUSINESS WITHOUT INVITING A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOUTH KOREANS TO THE TABLE, AS THE COUNCIL HAD DONE JUNE 25. THE COUNCIL STILL IS STALLED ON WHETHER TO BRING THE SOUTH KOREAN TO THE TABLE. MALIK DEMANDS THE COUNCIL INVITE TH NORTH KOREANS ALSO, BUT THE WEST CONTENDS THAT WOULD BE LIKE ASKING A MAN INTO THE HOUSE TO HAVE TEA AFTER HE HAS BURNED DOWN THE FRONT PORCH.
MALIK YESTERDAY PUT UP A RESOLUTION CALLING ON THE AMERICANS TO STOP BOMBING KOREAN PEOPLE AND TOWNS, BUT THIS IS CERTAIN TO BE REJECTED--IF IT EVER COMES TO A VOTE.

ONE TOP DELEGATE IN THE UNITED NATIONS, WHO WOULD NOT BE IDENTIFIED, CALLED ATTENTION TO COMMENTS IN THE AMERICAN PRESS THAT MALIK OBVIOUSLY IS MAKING HIS LONG SPEECHES AGAINST THE UNITED STATES WITH AN EYE TO ITS PROPAGANDA VALUE IN ASIA.
HE SAID MALIK IS TRYING TO SHOW ASIA THAT THE SOVIET UNION HAS THE POWER TO TAKE OVER KOREA DESPITE THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED NATIONS, AND THAT HE HAS THE POWER TO STOP THE SECURITY COUNCIL DEAD IN ITS TRACKS.
THIS DELEGATE SAID HE DID NOT BELIEVE THE PROPAGANDA WOULD GET ACROSS TO THE AVERAGE ASIAN. HE SAID WHAT COUNTS MOST IS A DECISION AND NOT THE PROPAGANDA AND THAT A UNITED NATIONS DECISION IN KOREA AND IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL WOULD OFFSET THE RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA.
HE SAID HE BELIEVED MALIK IS STALLING FOR TIME IN THE COUNCIL IN THE HOPE THAT THE NORTH KOREANS WILL WIN A MILITARY VICTORY.
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Lake success, Aug. 9 a(ap)- Delegates to the united nations security council agreed today to a united states suggestion to meet privately without russia to consider what to do about soviet delegate Jakob a. malik's tactics.

The meeting was called for 2. p.m. e.s.t. at the british delegation's offices in the empire state building.

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THE AMERICANS HAVE SOME SUGGESTIONS THEY WANT TO MAKE AT THIS INFORMAL COUNCIL MEETING BUT THEY DID NOT TIP THEIR HAND IN ADVANCE. THE CONSULTATIONS FOLLOWED WHAT THE AMERICANS CALLED MALIK'S

30.24- 13917

OBSTRUCTIONIST ACTIVITIES YESTERDAY AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT FOR AUGUST.

THE DELEGATES WANT TO KNOW WHAT TO DO WHEN THE COUNCIL MEETS TOMORROW

AT 2 P.M. E.S.T. FOR ANOTHER ROUND WITH MALIK.

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WHO HASN'T COOPERATED WITH 53 OTHER U.N. MEMBERS IN THE KOREAN ACTION? WHO COULD CALL OFF THE NORTH KOREA INVADERS? WHAT MEMBER OF THIS SECURITY COUNCIL IS ASSITING THE INVADERS IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL?

IN EACH CASE, AUSTIN ANSWERED HIMSELF: "THE SOVIET UNION."

BUT MALIK REFUSED TO ALLOW AUSTIN'S RESOLUTION OF JULY 31, DENOUNCING THE NORTH KOREANS AND DEMANDING THAT AID FOR THEM BE OUTLAWED, TO COME UP FOR A DISCUSSION. HE REFUSED TO SEAT THE SOUTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVE UNLESS THE COUNCIL AGREED TO HEAR A NORTH KOREAN.

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AFTER THE MEETING, ERNEST GROSS, A U.S. DELEGATE, SAID A NUMBER OF COURSES ARE POSSIBLE TO MEET MALIK'S OBSTRUCTION.

THE MOST EXTREME, HE SAID, WOULD BE TO CHANGE THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL OF ELECTING A PRESIDENT AND MAKE THEM EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY--VIRTUALLY THROWING MALIK OUT OF THE CHAIR.

ANOTHER EXTREME MOVE--HE STRESSED THESE ARE POSSIBLE BUT NOT PROBABLE--WOULD BE TO HAVE NO MORE MEETINGS THIS MONTH.

ANOTHER WOULD BE TO TRANSFER THE PROBLEMS TO A SPECIALLY-CALLED SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID MONDAY SUCH A SESSION COULD CONVENE IN 24 HOURS IF CONDITIONS WARRANTED IT.

BUT GROSS ADDED THE COURSE TO BE TAKEN TO THWART MALIK'S OBSTRUCTION WILL BE DECIDED AFTER CONSULTATIONS THAT MAY LAST THROUGH TOMORROW MORNING. BY THAT TIME OTHER DELEGATIONS CAN HAVE INSTRUCTIONS FROM THEIR CAPITALS.

GROSS SAID THERE HAS BEEN NO QUESTION OF TRYING TO EXPEL RUSSIA FROM THE U.N. FOR NOT CARRYING OUT ITS OBLIGATIONS.

BUT HE SAID THE COUNCIL NOW FACES A CONSTITUTIONAL CRISIS BECAUSE THE PRESIDENT CANNOT OR WILL NOT PERFORM HIS FUNCTIONS. IF THE U.N. CAN'T DO BUSINESS IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL, THEN IT MUST DO IT IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHERE RUSSIA DOESN'T HAVE A VETO, HE ADDED.

AUSTIN CALLED FOR THE DAY'S RECESS, HE SAID, TO ALLOW MALIK TO GET INSTRUCTIONS FROM MOSCOW SO HE CAN GIVE A RULING AND LET THE COUNCIL GO AHEAD WITH ITS BUSINESS.

MALIK SAID HE HAD INSTRUCTIONS AND THEY WERE "TO UPHOLD PEACE."

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UNITED NATIONS

BY A.I.GOLDBERG

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.9-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL MEMBERS MAPPED STRATEGY TODAY TO BREAK RUSSIAN PRESIDENT JAKOB A.MALIK'S ONE-MAN STRANGLEHOLD AND FILIBUSTER WHICH HAS STOPPED THE COUNCIL IN ITS TRACKS.

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UP FOR A DISCUSSION. HE REFUSED TO SEAT THE SOUTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVE UNLESS THE COUNCIL AGREED TO HEAR A NORTH KOREAN.

THE MEETING WAS STILL BOGGED DOWN IN A WELTER OF PROCEDURE WHEN IT GAVE UP UNTIL TOMORROW. MALIK WANTED IT TO MEET TODAY AND TALK ABOUT THE BOMBING OF NORTH KOREA BUT WAS VOTED DOWN 9 TO 1, WITH ONE ABSTENTION--YUGOSLAVIA.

AFTER THE MEETING, ERNEST GROSS, A U.S. DELEGATE, SAID A NUMBER OF COURSES ARE POSSIBLE TO MEET MALIK'S OBSTRUCTION.

THE MOST EXTREME, HE SAID, WOULD BE TO CHANGE THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL OF ELECTING A PRESIDENT AND MAKE THEM EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY--VIRTUALLY THROWING MALIK OUT OF THE CHAIR.

ANOTHER EXTREME MOVE--HE STRESSED THESE ARE POSSIBLE BUT NOT PROBABLE--WOULD BE TO HAVE NO MORE MEETINGS THIS MONTH.

ANOTHER WOULD BE TO TRANSFER THE PROBLEMS TO A SPECIALLY-CALLED SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID MONDAY SUCH A SESSION COULD CONVENE IN 24 HOURS IF CONDITIOMS WARRANTED IT.

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BUT GROSS ADDED THE COURSE TO BE TAKEN TO THWART MALIK'S OBSTRUCTION WILL BE DECIDED AFTER CONSULTATIONS THAT MAY LAST THROUGH TOMORROW MORNING. BY THAT TIME OTHER DELEGATIONS CAN HAVE INSTRUCTIONS FROM THEIR CAPITALS.

GROSS SAID THERE HAS BEEN NO QUESTION OF TRYING TO EXPEL RUSSIA FROM THE U.N. FOR NOT CARRYING OUT ITS OBLIGATIONS.

BUT HE SAID THE COUNCIL NOW FACES A CONSTITUTIONAL CRISIS BECAUSE THE PRESIDENT CANNOT OR WILL NOT PERFORM HIS FUNCTIONS. IF THE U.N. CAN'T DO BUSINESS IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL, THEN IT MUST DO IT IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHERE RUSSIA DOESN'T HAVE A VETO, HE ADDED.

AUSTIN CALLED FOR THE DAY'S RECESS, HE SAID, TO ALLOW MALIK TO GET INSTRUCTIONS FROM MOSCOW SO HE CAN GIVE A RULING AND LET THE COUNCIL GO AHEAD WITH ITS BUSINESS.9

MALIK SAID HE HAD INSTRUCTIONS AND THEY WERE "TO UPHOLD PEACE."

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 9-(AP)-SIR GLADWYN JEBB OF BRITAIN WILL BE THE SEPTEMBER PRESIDENT OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL.
THE POST ROTATES AMONG THE 11 MEMBERS AND EACH MONTH SEES A NEW PRESIDENT. JAKOB A. MALIK OF RUSSIA IS PRESIDENT THIS MONTH.
WARREN R. AUSTIN OF THE U.S. WILL PRESIDE IN OCTOBER.
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PHILADELPHIA,AUG.9-(AP)-COLLECTOR OF THE PORT MICHAEL J.BRADLEY TODAY REVOKED ORDERS UNDER WHICH TWO FINNISH FREIGHTERS WERE REFUSED ENTRY TO THE PORT OF PHILADELPHIA.
BRADLEY SAID HE HAS AUTHORIZED THE FINNISH STEAMERS HAMINA AND SIRIUS "TO PROCEED TO THEIR BERTHS IN PHILADELPHIA FOR DISCHARGE AND LOADING OF THEIR CARGOES."
BRADLEY REFUSED TO EXPAND THE STATEMENT.
EARLIER THIS WEEK BRADBEY, A FORMER DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSMAN, TOLD NEWSMEN HE WAS BANNING ENTRY OF THE SHIPS FOR SECURITY REASONS. HE HAD ORDERED THE HAMINA TO UNLOAD ITS CARGOES ONTO LIGHTERS 35 MILES DOWN THE RIVER FROM THE PORT.
THE REVOCATION ORDER CAME SOON AFTER A STATE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCEMENT THAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WOULD NOT INTERFERE WITH BRADLEY'S ORIGINAL RULING.
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(420) PMS BUDGET
NAVY-RADAR
BY JOSEPH C.GOODWIN
WASHINGTON,AUG.9-(AP)-THE NAVY NOW HAS AUTHORITY TO BUILD THIS COUNTRY'S FIRST ATOMIC-POWERED SUBMARINE.
ALSO, REP.ROBESON (D-VA) TOLD A REPORTER THAT WORK WILL BE RESUMED SOON ON THE 65,000-TON SUPERCARRIER UNITED STATES.
AND WORD CAME OUT OF A SPECIAL HOUSE ARMED SERVICES "EXPEDITING" SUBCOMMITTEE THAT OVERTIME WORK OR EXTRA SHIFTS MAY BE ORDERED TO RUSH COMPLETION OF THE NATION'S $85,000,000 (M) RADAR WARNING SYSTEM.
AUTHORITY FOR THE ATOMIC SUBMARINE WAS INCLUDED IN A $350,000,000 (M) NAVY SHIPBUILDING BILL SIGNED YESTERDAY BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
THE ACT ALSO AUTHORIZES THE BUILDING OF RADICALLY NEW SMALL COMBAT

CRAFT, SOME OF THEM FOR UNDERWATER OPERATIONS, AS WELL AS THE CONVERSION OF A CRUISER INTO A GUIDED MISSILE VESSEL. ALL TOLD THE BILL CALLS FOR CONSTRUCTION, MODERNIZATION OR CONVERSION OF 112 VESSELS OF DIFFERENT TYPES.

THE OBJECTIVE IS TO STRENGTHEN THE NAVY'S ANTI-SUBMARINE STRIKING POWER, AND IMPROVE PROTECTION OF HARBORS AND COASTLINE.

ROBESON DID NOT ELABORATE ON HIS STATEMENT THAT WORK IS TO BE RESUMED AT NEWPORT NEWS,VA., ON THE UNITED STATES. HOWEVER, THE BIG SHIP FOR WHICH CONGRESS AUTHORIZED $189,000,000, HAS BEEN GENERALLY CITED IN NAVAL CIRCLES AS A POTENTIALLY VALUABLE ARM FOR DEFENSE AGAINST POSSIBLE SUBMARINE ATTACKS ON AMERICAN SHIPPING.

WORK ON THE CARRIER, STILL IN THE KEEL-LAYING STAGE, WAS HALTED MORE THAN A YEAR AGO ON ORDERS OF SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON. JOHNSON SAID HIS ORDER WAS MADE FOR ECONOMY REASONS.

JOHNSON'S ACTION STIRRED A STORM OF PROTEST BY NAVY OFFICIALS AND EVENTUALLY LED TO THE RESIGNATION OF SECRETARY OF THE NAVY JOHN L. SULLIVAN.

ROBESON IS A FORMER OFFICIAL OF THE NEWPORT NEWS SHIP BUILDING AND DRY DOCK CO., WHICH HAD HELD THE CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE HUGE SHIP. THAT CONNECTION AND THE FACT THAT CONGRESSMEN FREQUENTLY ARE GIVEN ADVANCE TIPS ON DEFENSE WORK TO BE DONE IN THEIR STATES PUTS ROBESON IN A POSITION TO HAVE INSIDE INFORMATION ON THE CARRIER PROJECT.

WHEN SIMILAR REPORTS ABOUT WORK ON A NEW, BIG CARRIER CIRCULATED A COUPLE OF MONTHS AGO, THE NAVY ACKNOWLEDGED IT WAS CONSIDERING PLANS BUT HAD SET NO DATE FOR THE START OF CONSTRUCTION.

A BIG HITCH IS A LACK OF FUNDS AND THE FACT THAT THE NAVY IS NOW CONCENTRATING ON MODERNIZING EXISTING WARSHIPS.

ADMIRAL FORREST SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS AND A STRONG ADVOCATE OF PREPAREDNESS AGAINST SUBMARINE WARFARE PUT IN A PLUG FOR THE SUPERCARRIER LAST APRIL. HE TOLD THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE HE BELIEVED SHIPS OF THIS TYPE WOULD HAVE TO BE BUILT "IN THE LONG RUN" TO HANDLE JET FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS BEING ACQUIRED BY THE NAVY.

SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF FIGHTING IN KOREA, THERE HAS BEEN INCREASING TALK AMONG CONGRESSMEN THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BE COMPLETED.

THE RADAR NETWORK PROJECTED TO THROW A PROTECTING LOOP AROUND NORTH AMERICA WAS DISCUSSED BY AIR FORCE EXPERTS CALLED TO A CLOSED-DOOR MEETING YESTERDAY OF ONE OF THE SPECIAL HOUSE EXPEDITING GROUPS.

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THE AIR FORCE REPORTED THAT THE SYSTEM IS HALF COMPLETED AND IS NOW OPERATING "ROUND-THE-CLOCK." PRIOR TO THE KOREAN WAR IT WAS MANNED ONLY 40 HOURS A WEEK.

CONGRESS AUTHORIZED THE SYSTEM LAST YEAR AND APPROPRIATED $54,348,000 TO GET IT STARTED. A FEW WEEKS AGO THE AIR FORCE ASKED FOR AN ADDITIONAL $31,152,000 TO SPEED THE WORK ALONG.

IT CALLS FOR PERMANENT RADAR WARNING STATIONS IN ALASKA, ALONG THE UNITED STATES COAST LINES AND IN OTHER STRATEGIC LOCATIONS IN NORTH AMERICA.

ALL BUT ONE OF THE SITES, WHICH GENERALLY ARE LOCATED HIGH IN MOUNTAINS, HAVE BEEN SELECTED, IT IS UNDERSTOOD. THE BUILDINGS, HOUSING THE VALUABLE EQUIPMENT, WILL BE CLOSELY GUARDED.

ROBESON'S PREDICTION RUNS COUNTER TO THINKING IN HIGH NAVAL CIRCLES WHICH HAS VEERED AWAY FROM THE OLD IDEA OF BUILDING A REALLY HUGE, OUTSIZE CARRIER OF THE DESIGN OF THE PROJECTED "UNITED STATES."

THE KEEL FOR THAT SHIP, LAID AND THEN ABANDONED FOLLOWING THE CANCELLATION ORDER OF DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON, WOULD HAVE PROVIDED A TRUE FLATTOP.

LACKING THE CONVENTIONAL "ISLAND" STRUCTURE, THE CARRIER WOULD HAVE HAD A "FLUSH DECK" TYPE--IN GENERAL APPEARANCE LOOKING LIKE SOME OF THE CARRIERS USED BY THE JPANESE DURING WORLD WAR II. THIS WOULD ALLOW PLANES OF ALMOST ANY WING SPAN TO OPERATE FROM THE UNOBSTRUCTED FLIGHT DECK. AIR FORCE OPPONENTS COMPLAINED THAT THE NAVY INTENDED TO ENTER THE LONG RANGE, STRATEGIC BOMBING FIELD WITH BIG PLAUNES LAUNCHED FROM SUPERCARRIERS.

BLUEPRINTS FOR THE UNITED STATES CALLED FOR A FLIGHT DECK 1030 FEET LONG AND 130 FEET WIDE.

CURRENTLY, THE THOUGHT IN TOP LEVEL NAVY CIRCLES IS THAT SHOULD A "BIG" CARRIER BE BUILT SOME DAY IT WOULD BE SHORTER THAN THE UNITED STATES' INTENDED 1,030-FOOT OVERALL, BUT CONSIDERABLY FASTER.

ACTUALLY, ULTRA LONG FLIGHT DECKS ARE NOT NEEDED IN MODERN CARRIER PLANE OPERATION. SINCE THE WAR, TECHNIQUE OF LAUNCHING BY CATAPAULT AND LANDING THE PLANES IN A SHORT SPACE THROUGH USE OF ARRESTING GEAR HAS PROGRESSED CONSIDERABLY.

THE ADVENT OF JET FIGHTERS AND FIGHTER-BOMBERS HAS PRODUCED NEW PROBLEMS IN CARRIER DESIGN. THESE PLANES, BECAUSE OF THE LOCATION OF THEIR JET TAILPIPES, HAVE UNUSUALLY HIGH TAILS. THE HANGAR DECKS OF VIRTUALLY ALL CARRIERS BUILT DURING THE WAR MAKE DIFFICULT OR IMPOSSIBLE THE STOWING BELOW DECKS OF SOME NEW TYPE JETS.

FOR THIS REASON, THE DESIGN OF THE UNITED STATES INCLUDED A HANGAR DECK WITH EXTREMELY HIGH "OVERHEAD." ALSO, CARRIER-BASED PLANES NOW ARE FAR HEAVIER THAN WORLD WAR II TYPES, REQUIRING BIGGER AND MORE POWERFUL ELEVATORS TO HANDLE THEM FROM THE HANGAR TO THE FLIGHT DECK.

THE RAISING OF A FLIGHT DECK IS COSTLY AND TIME-CONSUMING. THE SHIP'S RIBS MUST BE "BEEFED" UP ALL THE WAY FROM THE KEEL TO CARRY NEW AND HEAVIER DECKS.

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(500) ATOMIC

WASHINGTON,AUG.9-(AP)-THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC COMMITTEE GAVE SOLID BACKING TODAY TO CHAIRMAN GORDON DEAN IN AN APPARENT POLICY SHAKEUP WITHIN THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

A ROUND-ROBIN SIGNED BY THE NINE SENATORS AND NINE REPRESENTATIVES ON THE COMMITTEE EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE IN DEAN AFTER CARROLL L.WILSON QUIT AS AEC GENERAL MANAGER WITH A BLAST AT THE COMMISSION CHAIRMAN.

WILSON, WHOSE RESIGNATION WAS ACCEPTED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN, CHARGED IN A STATEMENT YESTERDAY THAT DEAN AND THE COMMISSION ARE TAKING OVER CONTROL OF THE ATOMIC PROGRAM FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER.

HE SAID THIS IS LIKELY TO RESULT IN "A CUMBERSOME, SLOW MOVING ADMINISTRATIVE MACHINE WHICH IS INCAPABLE OF GIVING THE COUNTRY THE KIND OF DIRECTION NEEDED TO MAINTAIN AND INCREASE OUR LEADERSHIP IN THE ATOMIC FIELD."

DEAN TOLD A REPORTER HE HAD SEEN WILSON'S STATEMENT, AND ADDED THAT "WHILE I'M SORELY TEMPTED TO, I DON'T CARE TO COMMENT ON IT."

SENATE-HOUSE COMMITTEE MEMBERS LEFT NO DOUBT THEY ARE BACK OF DEAN

IN TAKING A STRONG HAND TO BRING ABOUT WHAT SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA), ONE OF THE GROUP, CALLED "A MORE REALISTIC PROGRAM."

CHAIRMAN MCMAHON (D-CONN) OF THE SENATE-HOUSE GROUP, A FORMER LAW PARTNER OF DEAN, CIRCULATED THE ROUND-ROBIN WHICH HE SAID ALL 18 MEMBERS SIGNED.

IT MADE NO DIRECT REFERENCE TO WILSON AND HIS CHARGES, BUT SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) SEEMED TO BE SPEAKING FOR SOME OF HIS OTHER COMMITTEE COLLEAGUES WHEN HE SAID HE WAS GLAD TO SEE WILSON REPLACED.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN NAMED CARLETON SHUGG, WILSON'S FORMER ASSISTANT, AS ACTING MANAGER. JOHNSON SAID HE HOPES THE APPOINTMENT IS MADE PERMANENT.

OBSERVING THAT HE NEVER COULD SEE THAT WILSON "HAD WHAT IT TOOK TO BE GENERAL MANAGER," JOHNSON SAID THAT "IN MY OPINION HE WAS A COMPLETE FLOP IN THE JOB AND ALREADY HAD BEEN THERE TOO LONG."

HICKENLOOPER WENT FURTHER TO SAY THAT WILSON'S REPLACEMENT "MARKS ANOTHER MILESTONE IN THE REVAMPING OF OUR ATOMIC ENERGY PROGRAM. THE IOWA SENATOR CHARGED FORMER CHAIRMAN DAVID E.LILIENTHAL LAST YEAR WITH "INCREDIBLE MISMANAGEMENT" OF THE COMMISSION'S AFFAIRS--AN ACCUSATION THE COMMITTEE MAJORITY SAID WAS NOT SUPPORTED BY THE FACTS.

LINKING WILSON WITH LILIENTHAL, HICKENLOOPER SAID:

"I FEEL THAT MR.WILSON'S RESIGNATION AND THAT OF MR.LILIENTHAL LAST FALL MARK A DEFINITE CHANGE FOR A MORE REALISTIC PROGRAM. THE JOB IS NOT FINISHED BUT A GOOD START HAS BEEN MADE."

IT HASN'T BEEN MUCH OF A SECRET IN CONGRESS THAT WILSON HAS NOT GOTTEN ALONG WELL WITH SENATE-HOUSE COMMITTEE MEMBERS. HOWEVER, UNDER THE LAW HIS JOB WAS CONTINUOUS AND DID NOT REQUIRE NEW SENATE CONFIRMATION AT THE EXPIRATION OF A TERM IN OFFICE, AS DO THOSE OF COMMISSIONERS.

DEAN, ON THE OTHER HAND, HAS MADE A FAVORABLE IMPRESSION ON THE COMMITTEE SINCE HE TOOK OVER THE CHAIRMANSHIP FROM SUMNER PIKE, REPUBLICAN WHO WAS ACTING AEC HEAD AFTER LILIEHTNAL LEFT THE POST.

WILSON APPARENTLY QUESTIONED DEAN'S EXPERIENCE AND UNDERSTANDING OF AEC ADMINISTRATIVE PROBLEMS.

HOWEVER, COMMITTEE MEMBERS SAID THE CHAIRMAN HAS ANSWERED MOST OF THEIR QUESTIONS ABOUT DETAILED OPERATIONS OF THE AEC AT RECENT CLOSED HEARINGS, WITHOUT MUCH HELP FROM HIS STAFF.

ONE DEMOCRATIC MEMBER SAID DEAN APPEARED TO HAVE "PUT MORE PUSH" INTO THE COMMISSION'S PROGRAM THAN HAD BEEN THERE BEFORE.

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MANPOWER-DEFENSE

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BY EDWIN B.HAAKINSON

WASHINGTON,AUG.9-(AP)-FIGHTING MANPOWER WAS LISTED BY SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) TODAY AS AMERICA'S FIRST PROBABLE SHORTAGE IN MOBILIZING FOR THE FUTURE.

TYDINGS, CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, AT THE SAME TIME QUESTIONED PROPOSALS FOR ENLISTING JAPANESE VOLUNTEERS OR RE-ARMING WESTERN GERMANS.

"I THINK OUR BIGGEST NEED IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE WILL BE TRAINED MANPOWER," TYDINGS TOLD A REPORTER. "WE WILL NEED MORE GROUND FIGHTING FORCES."

TYDINGS SAID HE THOUGHT CONGRESS WOULD GIVE QUICK APPROVAL TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S REQUESTS FOR ABOUT $15,000,000,000 (B) ADDITIONAL FOR DEFENSE SPENDING AND FOREIGN MILITARY ARMS AID. IT WAS ASKED SINCE U.S. FORCES WENT INTO KOREA TO HALT COMMUNIST AGGRESSION THERE.

"UNLESS THERE ARE UNEXPECTED DEVELOPMENTS OUTSIDE OF KOREA, I THINK WE WILL HAVE PLENTY OF FUNDS AND EQUIPMENT IN THE NEAR FUTURE," TYDINGS CONTINUED. "THE SQUEEZE, IF ANY, WILL BE ON FIGHTING MANPOWER."

A REPORTER SUGGESTED THAT THESE COMMENTS MIGHT INDICATE A NEW DRIVE IN CONGRESS FOR THE UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING (UMT) PROGRAMS ASKED SEVERAL TIMES BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

TYDINGS SAID HE WAS NOT TUB THUMPING FOR UMT BUT AS USUAL WOULD PRESENT ANY RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT AND ARMY, NAVY OR AIR FORCE TO THE SENATE AND HIS COMMITTEE.

HE SAID A BILL BY SENATOR MAGNUSON (D-WASH), PROPOSING THAT U.S. ARMED FORCES OPEN THEIR RANKS TO VOLUNTARY JAPANESE ENLISTMENTS, HAD BEEN SENT TO THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT FOR ITS RECOMMENDATIONS.

GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR PRETTY WELL SQUELCHED THE IDEA YESTERDAY. HE TERMED THE PROPOSAL "OF DOUBTFUL FEASIBILITY" IN A CABLE TO MAGNUSON.

THE GENERAL POINTED OUT THAT BEFORE SUCH A MOVE PEACE TREATIES SHOULD BE CONCLUDED WITH JAPAN. LACKING THESE IT REMAINS UNDER INTERNATIONAL CONTROL.

MACARTHUR SAID HE APPROVED THE "EVIDENT UNDERLYING PURPOSE" OF "BOLSTERING THE SECURITY OF JAPAN AND THEREBY STRENGTHENING RESISTANCE TO TOTALITARIAN COMMUNISM THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."

MAGNUSON, AFTER MACARTHUR'S CABLE, SAID HE STILL BELIEVED THAT HIS PLAN FOR JAPANESE ENLISTMENTS SHOULD BE CARRIED THROUGH.

SENATOR GURNEY (R-SD), FORMER ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, CAME OUT FLATLY AGAINST ENROLLING JAPANESE, SAYING:

"I WOULD NOT WANT TO PUT OUR UNIFORM ON THEM."

GURNEY SAID HE MIGHT BE WILLING TO ACCEPT A PROPOSAL FOR "SOMETHING SIMILAR TO A FOREIGN LEGION" IF DEFENSE OFFICIALS ASKED THIS.

ELSEWHERE ON THE MILITARY MANPOWER FRONT, THE MARINE CORPS ISSUED "AN AMPLIFICATION" OF ITS ANNOUNCEMENT THAT IT IS CALLING UP 50,000 OF ITS VOLUNTEER RESERVES BY OCT. 31 AND THE OTHER 30,000 LATER.

THE AMPLIFICATION EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT THE FIRST CALL WILL BRING IN 50,000. NO TIME LIMIT HAS BEEN SET ON THE PERIOD THE RESERVISTS MUST SERVE. ONLY A FEW WOMEN MARINE RESERVISTS WILL BE MOBILIZED AT FIRST.

THE COAST GUARD CORRECTED AN EARLIER STATEMENT THAT ANYONE COMING INTO ITS VOLUNTEER RESERVE WOULD NOT BE CALLED WITHOUT HIS CONSENT. IT SAID THAT ACTUALLY ANY FORMER COAST GUARDSMEN RE-ENLISTING IN THE RESERVES CAN BE CALLED UP WITH OR WITHOUT HIS CONSENT.

THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE CALLED FOR PUBLIC TESTIMONY TODAY ON A HOUSE-PASSED BILL THAT WOULD AUTHORIZE THE ARMY TO ACCEPT WOMAN DOCTORS.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-HERE IS THE TEXT OF AN ADVISORY BULLETIN SENT BY SELECTIVE SERVICE TO LOCAL BOARD TODAY WITH REGARD TO POSSIBLE DEFERMENT OF COLLEGE STUDENTS: (ABOUT 260)

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A. PENDING THE DEVELOPMENT AND ADOPTION OF SUCH OTHER POLICIES AS MIGHT BE NECESSARY WITH RESPECT TO COLLEGE STUDENTS, LOCAL BOARDS MAY CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS WHEN ALL THREE EXIST IN THE CASE OF ANY REGISTRANT AS WARRANTING CONSIDERATION FOR OCCUPATIONAL DEFERMENT:

(1) THE REGISTRANT HAS COMPLETED AT LEAST ONE ACADEMIC YEAR OF A FULL-TIME COURSE OF INSTRUCTION AT A COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OR SIMILAR INSTITUTION OF LEARNING.

(2) THE COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY AT WHICH THE REGISTRANT LAST COMPLETED AN ACADEMIC YEAR OF A FULL-TIME COURSE OF INSTRUCTION CERTIFIES THAT THE REGISTRANT'S SCHOLASTIC STANDING PLACED HIM AMONG THE UPPER HALF OF HIS CLASS.

(3) THE LOCAL BOARD IS SATISFIED BY THE RECORD OF THE REGISTRANT'S ACTIONS IN MAKING NORMALLY REQUIRED ARRANGEMENTS THAT HE HAD FULLY INTENDED PRIOR TO AUGUST 1,1950, TO ENROLL IN A FULL-TIME COURSE OF INSTRUCTION AT A COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OR SIMILAR INSTITUTION OF LEARNING FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR ENDING IN THE SPRING OF 1951.

B. A FULL-TIME-GRADUATE STUDENT MAY BE CONSIDERED AS HAVING MET CONDITIONS (1) AND (2) ABOVE IF IT IS CERTIFIED BY THE COLLEGE THAT IN HIS LAST UNDERGRADUATE YEAR OF A FULL-TIME COURSE OF INSTRUCTION THE REGISTRANT'S STANDING PLACED HIM AMONG THE UPPER HALF OF HIS CLASS. GRADUATE STUDENTS FREQUENTLY HOLD PART-TIME ASSISTANTSHIPS IN TEACHING OR RESEARCH AS A NORMAL REQUIREMENT IN THE GRADUATE EDUCATIONAL PROCESS. WHEN AN ASSISTANTSHIP IN TEACHING OR RESEARCH IS A REQUIREMENT IN THE COURSE BEING TAKEN, THE GRADUATE STUDENT QUALIFIES AS A FULL-TIME STUDENT.

C. IN THE CASE OF A REGISTRANT MEETING THE ABOVE CONDITIONS TO WHOM AN ORDER TO REPORT FOR INDUCTION HAS BEEN ISSUED, THE LOCAL BOARD IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED BY THE DIRECTOR UNDER THAT POWER GRANTED HIM IN SECTION 1625.2 OF THE REGULATIONS TO REOPEN THE CASE FOR RECONSIDERATION.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, WEDNESDAY, AUG 9)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-SELECTIVE SERVICE HEADQUARTERS TODAY AUTHORIZED DRAFT BOARDS TO DEFER BRAINY STUDENTS WHO HAVE COMPLETED AT LEAST A YEAR OF COLLEGE AND ARE PLANNING TO CONTINUE THEIR EDUCATION THIS FALL.

THE POLICY APPLIES TO STUDENTS WHO WERE IN THE UPPER HALF OF THEIR CLASSES, SCHOLASTICALLY, DURING THE LAST YEAR IN WHICH THEY ATTENDED COLLEGE.

THE REGULATIONS ARE TEMPORARY ONES, DESIGNED TO CLARIFY THE SITUATION FOR STUDENTS WHO HAVE BEEN PLANNING TO GO ON WITH THEIR EDUCATION THIS FALL. NEW AND MORE PERMANENT POLICIES MAY BE ADOPTED LATER.

EXISTING REGULATIONS ALREADY PROVIDE THAT A STUDENT WHO IS ACTUALLY ATTENDING SCHOOL MAY BE DEFERRED UNTIL THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR.

TODAY'S AUTHORIZATION TO DRAFT BOARDS IS NOT MANDATORY. IT MERELY PERMITS THEM TO CONSIDER GRANTING DEFERMENTS IF THEY DEEM IT ADVISABLE.

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A181WX (160)

WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-THE ARMY ISSUED A CALL TODAY FOR 825 WOMEN NURSES, DIETICIANS AND THERAPISTS TO VOLUNTEER FOR THE ARMY NURSE CORPS AND WOMEN'S MEDICAL SPECIALIST CORPS.

THE ARMY SAID NO WOMEN RESERVISTS WILL BE CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY WITHOUT THEIR CONSENT AT PRESENT. AN ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT EMPHASIZED, HOWEVER, THAT VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO BRING THE NURSE AND SPECIALIST CORPS UP TO THE STRENGTH INDICATED BY THE EXPANSION OF THE ARMY.

ARMY RECORDS SHOW THAT RESERVE COMMISSIONS ARE HELD BY 6,382 NURSES AND 560 WOMEN'S MEDICAL SPECIALISTS.

THE ARMY'S PRESENT NEED IS FOR RESERVE OFFICERS UP THROUGH THE RANK OF CAPTAIN ONLY.

THE NURSE AND SPECIALIST CORPS ALSO WILL BE OPEN TO VOLUNTEERS WHO HAVE HAD NO PREVIOUS MILITARY SERVICE. THEY MUST BE REGISTERED NURSES, GRADUATE DIETICIANS, PHYSICAL OR OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS BETWEEN THE AGES OF 21 AND 25.

THE ARMY SAID IT WILL NOT ACCEPT WOMEN VOLUNTEERS WHO ARE MARRIED OR WHO HAVE DEPENDENTS UNDER 18 YEARS OLD.

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(130) WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-BRIG.GEN.ROSCOE C.WILSON HAS BEEN NOMINATED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO BE A TEMPORARY MAJOR GENERAL IN THE AIR FORCE. WILSON'S NAME WAS INCLUDED ON A LIST SENT TO THE SENATE JULY 26 RECOMMENDING 48 AIR FORCE OFFICERS FOR PROMOTION.

SINCE LAST FEBRUARY WILSON, A NATIVE OF CENTRALIA,PA., HAS BEEN ASSISTANT DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR OPERATIONS. HE IS A MEMBER OF THE MILITARY LIAISON COMMITTEE WITH THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

WILSON, 45, WAS GRADUATED FROM THE U.S. MILITARY ACADEMY IN 1928. HE WAS COMMISSIONED IN THE FIELD ARTILLERY BUT LATER TOOK FLYING TRAINING AND WAS GRADUATED FROM KELLY AIR FORCE BASE ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOL. DURING WORLD WAR II AND SINCE HE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED NUMEROUS DUTIES DEALING WITH RESEARCH AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF SPECIAL WEAPONS.

HIS PERMANENT RANK IS THAT OF COLONEL. HE BECAME A TEMPORARY BRIGADIER GENERAL APRIL 10, 1948. HE IS MARRIED AND HAS TWO SONS.

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A3WX (MARINE)

(140) WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-THE MARINE CORPS SAID TODAY THAT JAMES ROOSEVELT WILL BE TREATED LIKE ANY OTHER COLONEL IN THE MARINES' VOLUNTEER RESERVE IN BEING CONSIDERED FOR ACTIVE DUTY.

ROOSEVELT IS THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA. HE PLANS A VISIT TO WASHINGTON TOMORROW TO DISCUSS HIS STATUS WITH THE MARINE CORPS.

IN RESPONSE TO A REPORTER'S QUESTION, A MARINE CORP SPOKESMAN SAID HE HAD JUST DISCUSSED THE MATTER WITH THE MARINE COMMANDANT, GEN.C.B. CATES. THE SPOKESMAN ADDED:

"HIS CASE WILL BE TREATED JUST AS ANY OTHER COLONEL IN THE VOLUNTEER RESERVE WHEN THAT GROUP COMES UP FOR CONSIDERATION."

ASKED WHETHER COLONELS OF JAMES ROOSEVELT'S QUALIFICATIONS ARE NEEDED NOW, THE SPOKESMAN DECLINED A DIRECT REPLY. HE RECALLED THAT HE HAD STATED YESTERDAY, HOWEVER THAT ONLY A FEW MARINE CORP OFFICERS ABOVE THE RANK OF CAPTAIN ARE BEING CALLED NOW.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY WEDNESDAY AUG. 9)

(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,AUG.9-(AP)-THE NAVY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE SUBMARINE RESCUE SHIP BLUEBIRD WILL BE TURNED OVER TO THE TURKISH GOVERNMENT AUGUST 15 AT THE NEW LONDON,CONN., NAVAL BASE.

TWO SUBMARINES NOW BEING REFITTED BY THE NAVY ALSO ARE EXPECTED TO GO TO TURKEY SOON UNDER THE MUTUAL DEFENSE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

THE 1,280-TON BLUEBIRD HAS BEEN ATTACHED TO THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET SINCE ITS CONSTRUCTION IN 1946. IT WILL BE RENAMED THE KURTARAN.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 9-(AP)-THE 13-NATION FAR EASTERN COMMISSION REPORTED TODAY THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT HAS PURCHASED AND RESOLD 5,300,000 (M) ACRES OF FARM LAND "AT REASONABLE PRICES" IN A LAND REFORM PROGRAM.

THIS WAS DISCLOSED BY NELSON T.JOHNSON, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE COMMISSION WHICH MAKES FAR EASTERN POLICY, IN A SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF THIS YEAR.

JOHNSON SAID THE COMMISSION WILL CONTINUE TO PRESS THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT TO CARRY OUT "LARGE SCALE TRANSFER OF THE OWNERSHIP OF LAND FROM THE LANDLORD CLASS TO THE TENANTRY AND THE CREATION THEREBY OF A NUMEROUS CLASS OF INDEPENDENT OWNER FARMERS."

JOHNSON NOTED THAT THE RUSSIAN DELEGATE BOYCOTTED COMMISSION MEETINGS SINCE LAST JANUARY 19 WHEN HE TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY TO REPLACE THE CHINESE NATIONALIST REPRESENTATIVE WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNIST DELEGATE.

"THE COMMISSION HAS CONTINUED TO HOLD REGULAR SESSIONS AND TO TRANSACT BUSINESS," THE REPORT NOTED.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD SUBVERSIVES

BY FRANCIS J.KELLY

WASHINGTON, AUG. 9-(AP)-CONGRESS MOVED FAST TODAY TO STACK UP MORE LAWBOOK DEFENSES AGAINST SPIES, PLOTTERS AND LOOSE-TONGUED GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES.

THE SENATE PASSED THREE SUCH BILLS, AMONG THEM ONE WHICH WOULD MAKE IT POSSIBLE FOR THE GOVERNMENT TO KEEP ANY SUSPECTED SUBVERSIVE ALIEN--EVEN A DIPLOMAT--FROM ENTERING THE UNITED STATES.

THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE MOVED BEYOND PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S RECOMMENDATIONS IN LAYING ITS PLANS FOR A SECURITY CRACKDOWN ON COMMUNISTS AND SEDITIONISTS.

THE SENATE PASSED ITS THREE ANTI-SUBVERSION BILLS WITHOUT A SINGLE OBJECTING VOTE.

ONE OF THEM WOULD AUTHORIZE THE DEATH PENALTY FOR PEACETIME SPYING ON BEHALF OF A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT.

ANOTHER WOULD GIVE THE HEADS OF SO-CALLED SENSITIVE GOVERNMENT AGENCIES POWER TO FIRE OR SUSPEND EMPLOYES REGARDED AS "BAD SECURITY RISKS."

THE THIRD, APPROVED LATE IN THE DAY, WOULD INSERT DRASTIC NEW EXCLUSION POWERS IN THE IMMIGRATION LAWS. ADMISSION COULD BE REFUSED COMMUNISTS, FASCISTS, ANARCHISTS, AND ANYBODY ELSE WHO MIGHT SEEK TO COME INTO THE COUNTRY FOR SUBVERSIVE PURPOSES. THE MEASURE

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ALSO WOULD MAKE IT EASIER TO DEPORT SUSPECTED ALIENS ALREADY HERE.
THE PRESIDENT WOULD BE AUTHORIZED TO LAY DOWN THE REGULATIONS AS THEY AFFECT AMBASSADORS AND OTHER DIPLOMATS, THEIR FAMILIES AND CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THEIR STAFFS. TOP REPRESENTATIVES OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS WOULD BE INCLUDED IN THIS CATEGORY.
THE BILL NOW GOES TO THE HOUSE.

THE PRESIDENT SIGNED DURING THE DAY A BILL AUTHORIZING HIM TO PROTECT U.S. PORTS AGAINST ATOMIC ATTACK. UNDER IT HE CAN CONTROL THE MOVEMENT OF FOREIGN SHIPS IN AMERICAN WATERS AND TAKE OTHER MEASURES TO SAFEGUARD HARBORS AND WATERFRONTS.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S MESSAGE TO CONGRESS YESTERDAY REGARDING THE STEPS HE'D LIKE TO SEE TAKEN TO GUARD AGAINST INTERNAL SUBVERSION STIRRED UP A LOT OF ACTIVITY. NOT ALL OF IT, HOWEVER, WAS IN TUNE WITH HIS WISHES. HE HAD EXPRESSED THE BELIEF THAT AMERICA'S FREEDOM CAN BE KEPT SECURE "WITHOUT X X X UNDULY LIMITING INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES." BY DESCRIPTION IF NOT BY NAME HE HAD MADE CLEAR HIS DISTASTE FOR SEVERAL OF THE ANTI-SUBVERSIVE BILLS PENDING IN CONGRESS.
NEVERTHELESS, THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE, MEETING BEHIND CLOSED DOORS, AGREED TO INCORPORATE SOME OF THE PRINCIPAL FEATURES OF THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL IN A COMMUNIST CONTROL MEASURE IT EXPECTS TO SEND TO THE HOUSE WITHIN A FEW DAYS.
THE HEART OF THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL IS A PROVISION REQUIRING THAT COMMUNIST AND COMMUNIST-FRONT ORGANIZATIONS REGISTER WITH THE GOVERNMENT, ALONG WITH ANY INDIVIDUALS WHO CONSPIRE "TO PERFORM ANY ACT WHICH WOULD SUBSTANTIALLY CONTRIBUTE TO THE ESTABLISHMENT WITHIN THE UNITED STATES OF A TOTALITARIAN DICTATORSHIP UNDER FOREIGN CONTROL."
ALTHOUGH MR.TRUMAN DIDN'T NAME THE LEGISLATION SPECIFICALLY IN HIS MESSAGE, HE CAUTIONED AGAINST ENACTMENT OF A MEASURE "SO BROAD AND VAGUE IN ITS TERMS AS TO ENDANGER THE FREEDOMS OF SPEECH, PRESS AND ASSEMBLY."

REP.WALTER (D-PA) REPORTED THAT HE AND ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE AGREED ON THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENT. HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT IT WAS NOT DECIDED HOW IT SHOULD BE DETERMINED WHETHER AN ORGANIZATION IS A COMMUNIST FRONT. HE SAID THAT SOME MEMBERS BELIEVED THE DETERMINATION SHOULD BE MADE BY A BOARD, RATHER THAN THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, AND THAT THE BOARD'S DECISIONS SHOULD BE SUBJECT TO COURT REVIEW.
REP.KEARNEY (R-NY) SAID THE COMMITTEE MEMBERS WERE UNITED IN WANTING A "STRONG BILL."
THE PRESIDENT WAS WILLING TO SETTLE FOR A LOT LESS THAN WHAT IT LOOKED LIKE HE MIGHT GET. THE PRINCIPAL THINGS HE WANTED WERE: AN EXTENSION OF THE PRESENT THREE-YEAR STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS ON PEACETIME ESPIONAGE; A REQUIREMENT THAT FOREIGN TRAINED SPIES AND SABOTEURS MUST REGISTER WITH THE GOVERNMENT; WIDENED PRESIDENTIAL AUTHORITY TO FIX SECURITY REGULATIONS ON MILITARY BASES AND AT DEFENSE ESTABLISHMENTS, AND AUTHORITY FOR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO SUPERVISE ALIENS SUBJECT TO DEPORTATION.
ON THE SENATE SIDE, THE DEMOCRATIC POLICY COMMITTEE ORDERED A BILL DRAWN UP INCORPORATING PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SUGGESTIONS ON THE HANDLING OF SUBVERSIVES. MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS SAID THE BILL PROBABLY WOULD CONTAIN SOME PROVISIONS FROM PENDING REPUBLICAN-SPONSORED BILLS ON THE SUBJECT.
EACH PARTY WAS JOCKEYING FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF HAVING THE FINAL MEASURE BEAR THE STAMP OF ITS AUTHORSHIP.
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WITH SUBVERSIVES
WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-THE SENATE TODAY APPROVED WITHOUT DISSENT A BILL MAKING ESPIONAGE FOR A FOREIGN POWER PUNISHABLE BY DEATH OR UP TO 30 YEARS IMPRISONMENT IN TIME OF PEACE.
THE BILL, WHICH NOW GOES TO THE HOUSE, WAS INTRODUCED BY SENATOR EASTLAND (D-MISS).
PEACETIME ESPIONAGE NOW IS PUNISHABLE ONLY BY UP TO 20 YEARS IMPRISONMENT. THE DEATH SENTENCE AND 30 YEARS IMPRISONMENT ARE APPLICABLE ONLY IN TIME OF WAR.
THE SEVERER PENALTIES WOULD BE APPLICABLE FOR TWO YEARS DATING FROM THE TIME THE BILL IS ENACTED INTO LAW.
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WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY SIGNED INTO LAW A BILL GIVING HIM AUTHORITY TO TAKE IMMEDIATE STEPS TO SAFEGUARD U.S. PORTS AGAINST A POSSIBLE SNEAK ATOMIC ATTACK.
THE BILL GIVES MR.TRUMAN POWER TO (A) CONTROL THE ANCHORAGE AND MOVEMENT OF FOREIGN-FLAG VESSELS IN U.S. WATERS AND (B) TAKE PROTECTIVE MEASURES FOR U.S. HARBORS, PORTS AND OTHER WATER-FRONT FACILITIES. HE MUST FIRST DETERMINE THAT THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES IS ENDANGERED BY WAR, OR THREAT OF WAR.
LAWMAKERS ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS HAVE EXPRESSED FEAR THAT A FOREIGN POWER MIGHT TRY TO DEVASTATE KEY PORT CITIES BY ATOMIC WEAPONS CONCEALED IN VISITING MERCHANT SHIPS.
THE BILL ALSO APPLIES TO THE CANAL ZONE AND ALL OTHER TERRITORY AND WATER UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED STATES.
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ALIENS
WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-THE SENATE TODAY APPROVED DRASTIC CHANGES IN THE NATION'S IMMIGRATION LAW TO MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO EXCLUDE FROM THE COUNTRY ANY ALIEN, INCLUDING DIPLOMATS, ON GROUNDS OF PUBLIC SAFETY.
THE MEASURE IS AIMED PRIMARILY AT SETTING UP NEW IMMIGRATION BARRIERS AGAINST COMMUNISTS AND MAKING IT EASIER TO DEPORT SUSPECTED ALIEN SUBVERSIVES NOW IN THIS COUNTRY. IT NOW GOES TO THE HOUSE.
IT ALSO WOULD APPLY TO FASCISTS, ANARCHISTS AND ANY OTHERS WHO MIGHT SEEK TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES FOR SUBVERSIVE PURPOSES.
THE BILL WOULD AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT TO PRESCRIBE REGULATIONS TO DEAL WITH AMBASSADORS AND OTHER DIPLOMATS INCLUDING TOP REPRESENTATIVES TO INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, THEIR FAMILIES AND CERTAIN ACCREDITED MEMBERS OF THEIR STAFF.
THEY WOULD BE SUBJECT TO EXCLUSION UNDER ANY REGULATIONS DEEMED NECESSARY BY THE PRESIDENT "WHERE THEY SEEK TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES TO ENGAGE IN ACTIVITIES WHICH WILL BE PREJUDICIAL TO THE PUBLIC INTEREST OR WILL ENDANGER THE PUBLIC WELFARE OR SAFETY."
"BY LIMITING THE EXCEPTIONS PREVIOUSLY ENJOYED BY SUCH ALIENS, IT IS BELIEVED THAT THE OPPORTUNITY OF SUBVERSIVE ALIENS TO ENTER UNDER THE CLOAK OF DIPLOMATIC IMMUNITY WILL BE ELIMINATED," THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE SAID IN A REPORT.
THE BILL WAS PASSED BY VOICE VOTE WITHOUT OBJECTION FROM ANY OF THE SENATORS PRESENT.
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CHICAGO,AUG.9-(AP)-EDWARD V.SITTLER, 34, FORMER AMERICAN-BORN NAZI WHOM THE GOVERNMENT SEEKS TO DEPORT, SAID TODAY FOUR WITNESSES HE WANTED TO CALL ARE "NOT AVAILABLE."

SITTLER'S HEARING BEFORE IMMIGRATION EXAMINER FRANK J.GILLESPIE ENDED YESTERDAY. BUT BE OBTAINED PERMISSION TO PRESENT FOUR PROFESSORS AT NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, WHERE HE ONCE TAUGHT GERMAN, IN HIS BEHALF TODAY.

HOWEVER, SITTLER REPORTED TO GILLESPIE TODAY THAT THE PROFESSORS ARE "NOT AVAILABLE."

GILLESPIE SAID HE WILL SEND A TRANSCRIPT OF EVIDENCE WITH HIS RECOMMENDATION TO THE BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION IN WASHINGTON. THE BUREAU THEN WILL RULE IN THE CASE. GILLESPIE REFUSED TO SAY WHAT HE WILL RECOMMEND.

SITTLER TAUGHT GERMAN AT NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY OF EVANSTON, ILL., IN 1947 AND 1948, AND LATER AT THE MICHIGAN COLLEGE OF MINING AND TECHNOLOGY AT HOUGHTON. HE WAS DISMISSED BY BOTH SCHOOLS.

YESTERDAY, THREE NORTHWESTERN FACULTY MEMBERS TESTIFIED FOR THE GOVERNMENT THAT SITTLER HAD MADE REMARKS AT A NORTHWESTERN FACULTY PARTY CRITICIZING AMERICAN OCCUPATION TROOPS IN GERMANY AND STATING THE ROOSEVELT ADMINISTRATION HAD DUPED THE AMERICAN PUBLIC INTO WAR. TODAY SITTLER DENIED MAKING SUCH STATEMENTS.

SITTLER WENT TO BERLIN AS A STUDENT BEFORE THE WAR AND RENOUNCED HIS AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF GERMANY, JOIN THE NAZI PARTY, AND MAKE RADIO BROADCASTS WHICH THE GOVERNMENT SAYS WERE NAZI PROPAGANDA.

SITTLER, HOWEVER, CONTENDED HE HAD CRITICIZED THE NAZIS AND UTTERED "MUCH PRAISE" FOR THE UNITED STATES.

THE AMERICAN-BORN SITTLER REETURNED TO THIS COUNTRY IN 1946 AS A WITNESS IN GERMAN SPY TRIALS. WITH HIM HE BROUGHT HIS GERMAN WIFE AND SIX CHILDREN.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD TAXES (ORIGINAL ON MKT WIRE)

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WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) SAID TONIGHT A $5,000,000,000 TAX INCREASE IS ADEQUATE NOW. BUT HE PROPOSED THAT TAXES BE BOOSTED LATER TO ABOUT $50,000,000,000 A YEAR TO PUT THE TASK OF ARMING AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION ON A PAY-AS-YOU-GO BASIS.

A $50,000,000,000 FIGURE WOULD MEAN AN INCREASE OF ALMOST $14,000,000,000 OVER THE PRESENT RATE OF TAX COLLECTIONS.

"I AM PERFECTLY SATISFIED WITH $5,000,000,000 NOW," HE SAID.

MOREOVER, HE TOLD NEWSMEN HE THINKS CONSIDERATION OF AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX ON CORPORATIONS SHOULD BE PUT OFF UNTIL NEXT YEAR. "A 20 PERCENT INCREASE ON CORPORATIONS IS ENOUGH NOW," HE SAID.

BUT FOR THE LONG PULL, HE SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S $5,000,000,000 TAX-BOOSTING MEASURE, NOW BEFORE CONGRESS, IS "MERELY A STOP GAP."

TAFT SAID THE OUTLOOK IS FOR ANNUAL EXPENDITURES OF $50,000,000,000 "WHEN WE GET GOING," AND HE DECLARED:

"THERE IS NO REASON AT ALL WHY A TAX SYSTEM SHOULD NOT BE DEVISED TO MEET OUR PRESENT EXPENSES AS WE SEE THEM NOW. IT WILL BE UNPLEASANT. IT WILL DELAY THE DEVELOPMENT OF CIVILIAN PROGRESS. IT WILL POSTPONED MANY IMPROVEMENTS I SHOULD LIKE TO SEE MADE IN WELFARE SERVICES. BUT THAT IS THE COST OF RUSSIAN AGGRESSION AND OUR FOREIGN POLICY."

REP.POAGE (D-TEXAS) TOLD THE HOUSE TAXES MUST BE INCREASED $15,000,000,000 TO $20,000,000,000 IN ORDER TO STOP INFLATION.

POAGE SAID WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS ARE NOT ENOUGH. HE URGED THAT TAXES BE INCREASED SUFFICIENTLY TO PAY ALL EXPENSES OF GOVERNMENT, INCLUDING INCREASING DEFENSE COSTS.

THIS WOULD PUT TAXES AT A NEW RECORD LEVEL OF $50,000,000,000. THE PREVIOUS HIGH WAS $44,200,000,000 IN THE LAST WAR YEAR, 1945. TAFT SAID $50,000,000,000 SHOULD COVER THE COSTS OF THE NORMAL FUNCTIONS OF GOVERNMENT AND THE DEFENSE DRIVE AS NOW OUTLINED.

SENATOR BYRD (D-VA) TOLD NEWSMEN HE IS READY TO VOTE FOR "A CAREFULLY THOUGHT OUT EXCESS PROFITS TAX AT THE PROPER TIME." SUCH A TAX, HE SAID, WOULD YIELD ABOUT $5,000,000,000, TO GO ALONG WITH A SIMILAR AMOUNT IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "FIRST INSTALLMENT" TAX BOOSTING MEASURE NOW BEFORE CONGRESS.

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"THE $10,000,000,000 WOULD MEAN AN INCREASE OF ABOUT 30 PERCENT IN THE TAXES ON INDIVIDUALS AND CORPORATIONS," THE VIRGINIAN SAID. "I DON'T SEE WHERE WE CAN GET MUCH MORE UNLESS WE IMPOSE A SALES TAX. A 10 PER CENT SALES TAX, WITH FOOD EXEMPTED, WOULD YIELD $7,000,000,000 OR $8,000,000,000."

ACTION ON AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX MAY NOT COME UNTIL JANUARY.

TAFT EMPHASIZED THAT HIS PAY-AS-YOU-GO PROPOSAL IS BASED ON OVERALL EXPENDITURES OF $50,000,000,000, WHICH INCLUDES PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S REQUEST FOR SOME $10,000,000,000 ADDITIONAL MILITARY FUNDS AND $4,000,000,000 TO HELP ARM FRIENDLY NATIONS.

"BUT I KEEP HEARING THE FIGURE $45,000,000,000 IN APPROPRIATIONS THIS YEAR FOR THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT ALONE," TAFT SAID. "IF THE FIGURES REACH ANYTHING LIKE THAT, OF COURSE WE CAN'T PAY IT ALL OUT OF CURRENT TAXES."

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A $45,000,000,000 OUTLAY FOR DEFENSE WOULD PUSH THE OVERALL BUDGET TO AROUND $70,000,000,000. AS ORIGINALLY SUBMITTED TO CONGRESS, BEFORE THE KOREAN WAR, THE BUDGET OUTLINED EXPENDITURES OF $42,400,000,000.

TAFT DESCRIBED MR.TRUMAN'S $5,000,000,000 TAX-BOOSTING MEASURE AS "MERELY A STOPGAP," WITH HEAVIER TAXES TO COME LATER.

HE EMPHASIZED THAT NOT ALL THE LARGER INCREASES HE SUGGESTED WOULD COME BY BOOSTING RATES. HE SAID A LARGE PART WOULD FLOW FROM A BROAD EXPANSION OF THE ECONOMY IN THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM.

THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE CONTINUED TO WORK BEHIND CLOSED DOORS ON THE PRESIDENT'S "FIRST INSTALLMENT" TAX INCREASE BILL.

TODAY IT REJECTED A HOUSE PLAN FOR TAXING THE UNDISTRIBUTED INVESTMENT INCOME OF CHARITABLE TRUSTS AND SOME OTHER TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS. IT DECIDED INSTEAD TO REQUIRE FULL PUBLICITY ON THE OPERATIONS OF SUCH ORGANIZATIONS.

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THE HOUSE VOTED TO APPLY THE INCOME TAX RATES TO CERTAIN ACCUMULATED FUNDS. THE HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE HAD REPORTED SOME CHARITABLE AND SIMILAR ORGANIZATIONS WERE USING THEIR TAX EXEMPTION TO BUILD UP LARGE FUNDS FROM INVESTMENTS, AND WERE NOT DISTRIBUTING ANY SUBSTANTIAL PORTION TO THE CHARITY OR OTHER PURPOSE FOR WHICH THEY WERE CREATED.

BUT THE SENATE COMMITTEE APPARENTLY FELT THAT THE HOUSE TAX APPROACH TO GET AT ABUSES OF THE TAX-EXEMPTION PRIVILEGE MIGHT INJURE SOME TRUSTS THAT OPERATE PROPERLY.

IT WROTE INTO THE TAX BILL A PROVISION REQUIRING FULL PUBLICITY FROM SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, WITH RESPECT TO THEIR RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND ACCUMULATIONS. THE IDEA IS THAT PUBLICITY WILL CAUSE MANY TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS TO MAKE LARGER DISTRIBUTION OF THEIR INVESTMENT INCOME, INSTEAD OF HOARDING IT.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS

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BY WILLARD H.MOBLEY

WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-THE HOUSE OVERWHELMINGLY VOTED STANDBY PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING POWERS FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN INTO THE ADMINISTRATION'S MORE LIMITED ECONOMIC CONTROL BILLS TODAY.

THE VOICE VOTE ON THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT THE LAST WORD BUT IT WAS STRONG ENOUGH TO MAKE THE CHANCES OF SUCCESS LOOK MIGHTY THIN FOR ANY OPPONENT WHO INSISTS ON A ROLL CALL ON THE POINT LATER.

ACTION ON THE NEW SECTION OF THE MEASURE CAME AS THE HOUSE PRESSED FORWARD IN AN ATTEMPT TO DISPOSE OF THE WHOLE BILL TONIG[redacted] TOMORROW AT THE LATEST.

THE DECISION CAME AFTER ADVOCATES OF A "TRIGGER" SYSTEM FOR AUTOMATIC CONSUMER CONTROLS GAVE UP AND HELPED PUSH FOR PASSAGE OF A WHOLLY DISCRETIONARY PLAN WORKED OUT BY THE BANKING COMMITTEE.

THE COMMITTEE GOT THE JOB OF FINDING A COMPROMISE AFTER THE HOUSE WORKED FOR A WEEK AND GOT NOWHERE ON THE PRESIDENT'S REQUEST FOR AUTHORITY TO FIGHT INFLATION AND GIVE PRIORITY TO DEFENSE NEEDS.

THE ONLY CURBS ON THE PRESIDENT'S DISCRETION FOR PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING RULES UNDER THE SECTION ADOPTED TODAY ARE THESE:

1. A RECOMMENDATION--BUT NOT A DIRECTION--THAT HE FIRST TRY TO HOLD DOWN INFLATION THROUGH VOLUNTARY AGREEMENTS.

2. A PROVISION THAT IF A "SUBSTANTIAL" PART OF RETAIL PRICES HAVE GONE UNDER CONTROL, WAGES MUST BE CURBED.

IN THE DRIVE TO MAKE THE CONTROL POWERS WHOLLY DISCRETIONARY WITH THE PRESIDENT, THE HOUSE TOOK OUT OF THE BILL A SECTION SPECIFICALLY SUGGESTING--THOUGH NOT DIRECTING--THAT THE PRESIDENT TRY LIMITED PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS BEFORE ORDERING THEM GENERALLY.

UNDER OTHER LANGUAGE IN THE MEASURE, HOWEVER, THE PRESIDENT STILL COULD PUT ON CONTROLS ON A SELECTIVE BASIS.

THE HOUSE QUIT SOON AFTER THE DECISION ON PRICES, WAGES AND RATIONING, LEAVING PARTS OF THE BILL TO BE FINISHED UP TOMORROW.

IT DID, HOWEVER, TENTATIVELY VOTE IN CONTROL POWERS OVER REAL ESTATE FINANCING, A POINT THAT HAD BEEN IN SHARP CONTROVERSY.

THE CREDIT POWERS ASKED BY THE PRESIDENT WERE SOMEWHAT LIMITED BY THE HOUSE, EXTENDING ONLY TO REAL ESTATE AND CONSUMER BUYING. THE ADMINISTRATION TRIED TO GET IN POWERS OVER BUSINESS LOANS TOO.

THERE IS A POSSIBILITY OF A ROLL CALL ON THAT POINT TOMORROW.

OTHER AMENDMENTS ACCEPTED TODAY:

1. MAKE IT CLEAR THAT NEWSPRINT PRICES SHALL BE SUBJECT TO CONTROLS.

2. EXPRESS THE SENTIMENT OF THE HOUSE THAT CONTROLS SHOULD BE PUT ON WAGES AND PRICES AT THE SAME TIME; THIS IS NOT A MANDATORY REQUIREMENT, HOWEVER.

THE SENATE AGREED AS IT SHUT UP SHOP FOR THE DAY TO GO INTO THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS ISSUE TOMORROW TOO. A SENATE BILL MUCH IN LINE WITH THE ONE IN THE HOUSE WAS MADE THE PENDING BUSINESS.

THE TREND TOWARD PERMISSIVE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING POWERS APPEARED AS SOON AS THE HOUSE GOT UNDER WAY TODAY.

...THE LEADERSHIP HOPED FOR A FINAL VOTE TOMORROW.

REP.MCKINNON (D-CALIF) AUTHOR OF A ONCE-ADOPTED-THEN-RECALLED AMENDMENT FOR APPLICATION OF THE CURBS WHENEVER PRICES RISE 5 PER CENT ABOVE PRE-KOREAN WAR LEVELS, SIGNALLED THE SHIFT.

HIS PROPOSAL, SLIGHTLY REVISED TO LET PRESIDENT TRUMAN PUT ON THE BRAKES AHEAD OF A 5 PER CENT COST RISE IF HE CHOSE, WAS THE PENDING BUSINESS AS THE HOUSE MET TODAY.

MCKINNON'S NEW PLAN AMOUNTED TO A COMBINATION OF HIS ORIGINAL PROPOSAL AND THE WHOLLY PERMISSIVE SYSTEM INCORPORATED IN A REVISION OF THE BILL AGREED ON BY THE HOUSE BANKING COMMITTEE. AS IN THE COMMITTEE PROPOSALS, IT WOULD HAVE LET MR.TRUMAN PUT ON THE CURBS WHENEVER AND IF HE SAW THE NEED, AS LONG AS COSTS DID NOT RISE 5 PER CENT. AFTER THE 5 PER CENT LEVEL WAS REACHED, HE WOULD HAVE HAD NO CHOICE.

THE COMMITTEE PLAN IS PERMISSIVE ALL THE WAY, WITHOUT SPELLED-OUT CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH CONTROLS MUST OR MUST NOT BE APPLIED.

BUT INSTEAD OF PLUGGING HARD FOR HIS PLAN, MCKINNON VIRTUALLY INVITED ITS DEFEAT BY TELLING THE HOUSE THE BANKING GROUP HAD WORKED OUT "A VERY GOOD BILL." THIS WOULD PUT WHOLLY PERMISSIVE AUTHORITY IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S HANDS.

THE HOUSE RESPONDED TO MCKINNON'S REMARK BY KILLING HIS AMENDMENT ON AN OVERWHELMING VOICE VOTE.

THAT LEFT DISCRETIONARY POWERS FOR THE PRESIDENT TO APPLY THE CONSUMER CONTROLS WHEN AND IF HE SEES THE NEED, AS THE ONLY PROPOSAL IN THAT FIELD BEFORE CONGRESS WITH ANY MAJOR BACKING.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE'S MEASURE, JUST BEING COMPLETED AS THE HOUSE WENT TO WORK, IS MUCH IN LINE WITH THE ONE APPROVED MONDAY NIGHT BY THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE. THE LATTER MEASURE AWAITS ACTION IN THE SENATE, PERHAPS TOMORROW.

BOTH BILLS ALSO COVER MR.TRUMAN'S REQUEST FOR AUTHORITY TO APPLY ALLOCATION AND PRIORITIES CONTROLS TO SPEED DEFENSE OUTPUT, TO SEIZE GOODS AND PLANTS IF NEEDED FOR DEFENSE, TO CURB CREDIT, AND TO MAKE PRODUCTION LOANS UP TO A LIMIT OF $2,000,000,000 (B).

THE PRESIDENT MADE NO REQUEST FOR PRICE-PAY-RATIONING CURBS, WHETHER MANDATORY OR DISCRETIONARY. HE DID CONCEDE, AFTER PRESSURE FOR THE EXTRA AUTHORITY BUILT UP AT THE CAPITOL, THAT HE WOULD HAVE "NO OBJECTION" TO FLEXIBLE AND STRICTLY PERMISSIVE POWERS OF THE SORT IF THEY WERE NOT ALLOWED TO GET IN THE WAY OF WHAT HE DID ASK.

THE PRINCIPAL DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE PRICES, PAY AND RATIONING SECTIONS IN THE BILLS BEFORE THE TWO HOUSES IS IN THEIR CUT-OFF DATES. THE SENATE MEASURE WOULD KEEP THE AUTHORITY IN EFFECT UNTIL JUNE 30, 1952. ON THE HOUSE SIDE THE PROPOSAL IS TO END IT A YEAR EARLIER.

WITH THE QUESTION OF A "TRIGGER" POINT FOR CONSUMER CONTROLS APPARENTLY DISPOSED OF, THE MAIN REMAINING CONTROVERSY IN BOTH BRANCHES WAS OVER EXTENSION OF CREDIT CONTROLS INTO THE FINANCING OF REAL ESTATE

A STRONG GROUP OF REPUBLICANS AND SOUTHERN DEMOCRATS IN EACH HOUSE OPPOSED THAT PLAN, WHICH MR.TRUMAN ADVANCED. THERE WAS LITTLE VOCAL OPPOSITION TO GIVING HIM AUTHORITY TO SPELL OUT CREDIT RULES FOR CONSUMER BUYING.

BOTH HOUSES EXPECTED A FIGHT, TOO, ON THE PRESIDENTIAL PROPOSAL FOR CURBS ON SPECULATION IN COMMODITY MARKETS.

THE HOUSE DROPPED THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS MEASURE YESTERDAY AND GAVE ITS BANKING COMMITTEE THE JOB OF FINDING SOMETHING THAT WOULD STICK, AFTER GOING AROUND IN CIRCLES WITH THE BILL FOR A WEEK.

IT ONCE ADOPTED THE MCKINNON "TRIGGER" PLAN BUT BACKED AWAY FROM IT AFTER THE PRESIDENT VOICED STRONG OBJECTIONS. THE PERMISSIVE FEATURE FOR CURBS AT A POINT BELOW A 5 PER CENT COST RISE WAS WRITTEN IN AFTER MR.TRUMAN SAID THE 5 PER CENT FORMULA WOULD BE AN INVITATION TO A RISE OF THAT AMOUNT.

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THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE HAD SIMILAR TROUBLES, ONCE APPROVING A SIMILAR AUTOMATIC PLAN THEN REVERSING ITSELF.

UNDER THE HOUSE COMMITTEE'S BILL THE MAY 24-JUNE 24 PERIOD WOULD BE A YARDSTICK--BUT NOT A MANDATORY ONE--FOR A ROLLBACK OF PRICES IF THE PRESIDENT PUT ON CONTROLS. NO WAGES COULD BE PEGGED AT A FIGURE LOWER THAN WAS PAID IN THAT PERIOD.

ONE MANDATORY PROVISION IN THAT SECTION WOULD REQUIRE WAGE CONTROLS IF PRICES HAVE BEEN CONTROLLED IN "A SUBSTANTIAL PART OF ALL SALES AT RETAIL AND MATERIALLY AFFECTING THE COST OF LIVING."

THERE IS A SPECIFIC BAN AGAINST CEILINGS ON RENTS, BUT A HOUSE MINORITY IS URGING RENT CONTROL POWERS FOR THE PRESIDENT. THAT IS LIKELY TO COME UP IN SEPARATE LEGISLATION.

AS IN THE SENATE COMMITTEE'S BILL, THERE IS A STIFF SECTION AGAINST HOARDING. WITH PENALTIES UP TO A YEAR IN JAIL AND A FINE OF $10,000.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE SETTLED ON STANDBY WAGE AND PRICE POWERS LAST NIGHT BUT DID NOT GET TOGETHER ON PERMISSIVE RATIONING AUTHORITY UNTIL ITS MEETING TODAY.

ANOTHER VOTE BY THE GROUP TODAY ALLOWED A PRICE CURB EXEMPTION FOR PRESS ASSOCIATIONS, BOOKS, MAGAZINES, FEATURE SERVICES, PERIODICALS, MOTION PICTURES, RADIO AND TELEVISION STATIONS, AND NEWSPAPERS. THERE WAS NO EXEMPTION IN THOSE FIELDS FROM WAGE CONTROLS. THE SENATE BILL HAS A SIMILAR SECTION.

IN BOTH HOUSES THERE WAS STILL A CONSIDERABLE BLOC WHICH WANTED TO GIVE MR.TRUMAN NO MORE AUTHORITY THAN HE ASKED, AS WELL AS A GROUP WHICH DIDN'T WANT EVEN THAT MUCH.

REP.CELLER (D-NY) TOLD THE HOUSE HE WAS UNABLE TO UNDERSTAND WHY NEWSPAPERS SHOULD HAVE CEILINGS LIFTED FROM THE PRICE THEY CAN CHARGE FOR ADVERTISING BUT SHOULD HAVE THE WAGES OF THEIR EMPLOYES PUT UNDER CONTROLS.

"AS A RESULT OF THE POWER OF THE PRESS," HE SAID, "EVERYTHING A NEWSPAPER BUYS IS CONTROLLED, BUT WHAT IT SELLS IS UNCONTROLLED."

"WE CANNOT WORSHIP NEWSPAPERS AS SACRED COWS," HE SAID.

HE SAID HE COULD SEE NO REASON FOR EXEMPTING ADVERTISING RATES, THEATER TICKETS OR OUTDOOR ADVERTISING FROM CONTROLS.

REP.BROWN (R-OHIO), A NEWSPAPER PUBLISHER, REPLIED THAT THERE WILL BE "VERY LITTLE ADVERTISING" ON WHICH TO BOOST RATES IF THERE IS A SCARCITY OF THINGS TO SELL. NEWSPAPERS, BROWN SAID, MAY HAVE TO ADJUST THEIR ADVERTISING RATES TO MEET PAYROLLS, INCLUDING THOSE FOR REPORTERS "FOR WHOM THESE TEARS ARE BEING SHED."

"NO ONE IS COMPELLED TO BUY ADVERTISING OR A NEWSPAPER OR A MAGAZINE," BROWN SAID. "THANK GOD THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES STILL WANTS A FREE PRESS."

DEMOCRATIC LEADER MCCORMACK OF MASSACHUSETTS SAID EVERYONE WANTS A FREE PRESS "AND IT WILL NEVER BE IMPERILED EXCEPT BY THE PRESS ITSELF." HE ADDED THAT "I CANNOT SEE THAT THAT WILL EVER HAPPEN."

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NIGHT LEAD TRUMAN-HANDICAPPED

WASHINGTON,AUG 9-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES NEEDS ALL ITS PRODUCERS--THE HANDICAPPED AS WELL AS THE PHYSICALLY PERFECT--TO "OVERCOME THE FORCES OF TYRANNY AND OPPRESSION."

IT IS VERY IMPORTANT, HE SAID, THAT ALL EMPLOYERS AND ALL GROUPS CONCERNED WITH EMPLOYMENT REALIZE THAT THE PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CAN AND SHOULD BE EMPLOYED.

ADDRESSING THE SIXTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE

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ON NATIONAL EMPLOY THE PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED WEEK (CAPITALIZED), MR. TRUMAN SAID:

"TODAY, WE ARE CONFRONTED BY FORCES WHICH HAVE LITTLE OR NO REGARD FOR THE VALUE OF HUMAN LIFE. WE ARE CONFRONTED BY THOSE WHO THINK OF HUMAN LIVES ONLY IN TERMS OF POWER. FOR THEM THE INDIVIDUAL IS OF NO CONSEQUENCE. THEY THINK OF THE PEOPLE ONLY AS AN INSTRUMENT FOR ACHIEVING THEIR OWN LAWLESS AMBITIONS.

"IN OUR SOCIETY, ON THE OTHER HAND, HUMAN LIFE IS INFINITELY PRECIOUS. HUMAN LIFE IS SOMETHING THAT COMES TO US FROM BEYOND THIS WORLD, AND THE PURPOSE OF OUR SOCIETY IS TO CHERISH IT AND TO ENABLE THE INDIVIDUAL TO ATTAIN THE HIGHEST ACHIEVEMENT OF WHICH HE IS CAPABLE."

HE DESIGNATED THE WEEK BEGINNING OCTOBER 1 FOR A SPECIAL APPEAL FOR THE EMPLOYMENT OF PERSONS WITH PHYSICAL DEFECTS. THE WORK IS SO IMPORTANT, HE OBSERVED, THAT IT SHOULD GO ON ALL THE YEAR ROUND.

MR.TRUMAN PRESENTED AWARDS TO FOUR YOUNG WOMEN, WINNERS OF HIGH SCHOOL ESSAY CONTESTS, WHO WERE BROUGHT TO WASHINGTON BY THE DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS AND THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINISTS.

THE PRESIDENT WARMLY GREETED THE PRIZE WINNERS, INCLUDING JOAN WELSH, AN ATTRACTIVE RED-HEAD FROM NAMPA, IDAHO, WHO CELEBRATED HER SEVENTEENTH BIRTHDAY TODAY, AND FELICIE KENOWER, A BEAUTIFUL KANSAS CITY, MO., POLIO VICTIM WHO WAS WHEELED BEFORE THE PRESIDENT IN A CHAIR. MISS WELSH RECEIVED A $300 PRIZE, MISS KENOWER $200.

PEGGY LORD OF CUERO, TEX., GOT THE $1,000 FIRST PRIZE, AND ANNE MANNING OF PROVIDENCE, R.I., SECOND PRIZE OF $400.

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BATON ROUGE, LA., AUG. 9-(AP)-A STATES RIGHTS DEMOCRATIC LEADER CALLED PRESIDENT TRUMAN "INCOMPETENT" AND SUGGESTED THAT HE BE IMPEACHED.

IN A FIERY SPEECH YESTERDAY BEFORE THE LOUISIANA DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, LEANDER H. PEREZ DECLARED:

"WHAT ARE WE AFRAID OF? THE INCOMPETENT IN WASHINGTON WHO PRACTICALLY DISBANDED OUR MARINES, WHO PUT HIS CAMPAIGN COLLECTOR AT THE HEAD OF OUR SO-CALLED UNIFIED FORCES, WHO ADMITTED SUBVERSIVES TO THE COUNCILS OF GOVERNMENT, WHO CALLED THE ALGER HISS CASE A RED HERRING, AND WHO HAS THE MOST CORRUPT ADMINISTRATION WITH WHICH THIS COUNTRY HAS EVER BEEN DISGRACED?"

THE STATE COMMITTEE OUSTED STATES RIGHTER W. H. TALBOT OF NEW ORLEANS AS SOME DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEEMAN AND REPLACED HIM WITH GOV. EARL K. LONG.

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NIGHT LEAD TRADE FAIR (140)

(ADVANCE) CHICAGO, AUG.9-(AP)-HEINZ L. KREKELER, GERMAN CONSUL GENERAL TO THE UNITED STATES, TODAY URGED CONCLUSION OF A TRADE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND GERMANY.

"IT SHOULD NCLUDE X X X THE RIGHT TO ESTABLISH BRANCH OFFICES FOR GERMAN COMPANIES AND IT SHOULD CLARIFY ALSO THE STATUS OF GERMAN-OWNED TRADEMARKS AND PATENTS," HE ADDED.

IN A TALK PREPARED FOR A RECEPTION AND DINNER IN HIS HONOR GIVEN BY THE GERMAN COMMITTEE FOR THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR, HE SAID WORLD TRADE SHOULD BE ENCOURAGED.

KREKELER, THE FIRST GERMAN OFFICIAL TO BE ACCREDITED SINCE THE WAR, SAID THE GERMAN PRODUCTION INDEX IS 107 PER CENT OF THE 1936 LEVEL. BECAUSE OF THE POPULATION INCREASE AND THE INFLUX OF 9,000,000 REFUGEES, HOWEVER, THE PRODUCTIVITY PER CAPITA IS ONLY 85 PER CENT OF 1936, HE ADDED.

HE SAID GERMANY'S FIRST GOAL IS TO REACH A BETTER STANDARD OF LIVING. COMPETITION IN THE OPEN MARKET PLACES OF THE WORLD IS A FUNDAMENTAL WAY OF OBTAINING THIS, HE ADDED.

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FIRST LEAD GRAIN

BY WILLIAM FERRIS

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CHICAGO,AUG.9-(AP)-MORE FAVORABLE NEWS FROM THE KOREAN WAR FRONT AND A VERY OPTIMISTIC PRIVATE REPORT ON CANADIAN GRAIN PRODUCTION RESTRICTED BUYING IN CEREALS ON THE BOARD OF TRADE TODAY.

THE MARKET GENERALLY SOLD OFF, ALTHOUGH HERE AND THERE A FEW CONTRACTS TEMPORARILY RESISTED THE DOWNWARD DRIFT. IN EARLY DEALINGS THIS WAS PARTICULARLY TRUE OF SOYBEANS, WHICH WOULD NOT BE DIRECTLY INFLUENCED BY UNOPPING PRODUCTION OF MAJOR CEREALS IN CANADA.

WHEAT NEAR THE END OF THE FIRST HOUR WAS ONE TO 1 1/4 CENTS LOWER,

SEPTEMBER $2.23 1/2; CORN WAS ONE TO 1 3/8 LOWER, SEPTEMBER $1.51 1/2, AND OATS WERE 1/4-3/4 LOWER, SEPTEMBER 77. SOYBEANS WERE 1 3/4-2 3/4 CENTS LOWER, NOVEMBER $3.45 1/4, AND LARD WAS FIVE TO 15 CENTS A HUNDRED POUNDS LOWER, SEPTEMBER $14.50.

THE SEARLE GRAIN COMPANY OF CANADA ESTIMATED WHEAT PRODUCTION IN THE PRAIRIE PROVINCES 454,000,000 (M) BUSHELS, WHICH WOULD COMPARE WITH LAST YEAR'S OUTPUT OF 337,000,000 BUSHELS. THIS WAS CONSIDERABLY HIGHER THAN THE GRAIN TRADE HAD EXPECTED.

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GRAIN MEN SAW THIS KIND OF CROP INCREASING THE COMPETITION WITH OTHER EXPORTING COUNTRIES IN THE DWINDLING WORLD GRAIN MARKET. IT ALSO INDICATED THAT THE SPRING WHEAT OUTTURN IN THE AMERICAN NORTHWEST MIGHT BE HIGHER THAN EXPECTED, THEY SAID.

THE CANADIAN OATS CROP WAS PLACED BY THE SEARLE COMPANY AT 372,000,000 (M) BUSHELS AGAINST 191,000,000 BUSHELS HARVESTED LAST YEAR. TO THE GRAIN TRADE THAT MEANT SEVERE COMPETITION WITH THE DOMESTIC VARIETY IN THE NEW ENGLAND TERRITORY.

MEANWHILE, BOTH THE HOUSE AND SENATE BANKING COMMITTEES HAD VIRTUALLY COMPLETED WRITING ECONOMICS CONTROL BILLS. NEITHER BILL WOULD REQUIRE MANDATORY PRICE CEILINGS OR WAGE CONTROLS, LEAVING THE MATTER UP TO THE DISCRETION OF THE PRESIDENT.

GOVERNMENT CONTROL OVER COMMODITY EXCHANGE SPECULATION EXISTS IN THE HOUSE BILL, BUT NOT IN THAT OF THE SENATE. NEITHER BILL WOULD SET CEILINGS ON AGRICULTURE PRODUCTS BELOW PARITY LEVELS, OR BELOW AVERAGE PRICES PREVAILING FROM MAY 24 TO JUNE 24.

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(350) NIGHT LEAD BRIDGES

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG.9-(AP)-ATTORNEY WAYNE COLLINS, COUNSEL FOR THE AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA, TODAY FILED A PETITION WITH THE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS DEMANDING RELEASE OF HARRY BRIDGES. THE PETITION DECLARED THAT HOLDING THE CIO LONGSHORE LEADER IN JAIL "SERVES NO PURPOSE EXCEPT TO GIVE STALIN AND HIS STOOGES FODDER FOR THE PROPAGANDA MACHINE OF THE SOVIET UNION."

COLLINS ADDED THAT THE REDS' PROPAGANDA MACHINE WOULD GIVE PUBLICITY TO THE JAILING OF BRIDGES "THAT WILL TEND TO ALIENATE MORE ASIATICS FROM OUR CAUSE AND THAT OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN KOREA AND THE WORLD."

THE PETITION SAID BRIDGES $25,000 BAIL WAS REVOKED "SIMPLY BECAUSE HE VENTURED TO EXPRESS POLITICAL OPINIONS NOT INCONSISTENT OF THE VIEW OF A CONSIDERABLE SEGMENT OF OUR POPULATION. X X X OUR COURTS HAVE NEITHER THE JURISDICTION NOR THE AUTHORITY TO DECLARE THAT WE ARE AT WAR WITH THE NORTH KOREANS OR TO TAKE JUDICIAL NOTICE THAT WE ARE."

BRIDGES OUT OF JAIL, IT CONTINUED, WOULD BE NO SYMBOL ABOUT WHICH THE DISSIDENTS COULD RALLY.

BRIDGES, AUSTRALIAN-BORN, BECAME AN AMERICAN CITIZEN IN 1945, SWEARING HE WAS NOT A COMMUNIST. A FEDERAL JURY LAST APRIL CONVICTE HIM OF PERJURY BY SWEARING TO A FALSEHOOD.

FEDERAL JUDGE GEORGE B.HARRIS, THE TRIAL JUDGE, LAST SATURDAY REVOKED BRIDGES' $25,000 BAIL AND SENT HIM TO JAIL AS A "DANGEROUS MENACE" DURING THE KOREAN WAR.

EARLIER TODAY FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE DAL M.LEMMON FOR THE SECOND TIME DENIED A BRIDGES DEFENSE PETITION FOR A WRITE OF HABEAS CORPUS.

COLLINS' PETITION PRESUMABLY WILL BE ADDED TO THE EXISTING RECORD AND THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS MAY CONSIDER IT ALONG WITH ARGUMENTS HEARD YESTERDAY.

"QUICKIE" STRIKES PROTESTING THE JAILING OF BRIDGES CONTINUED IN THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

MORE THAN 2,100 SUGAR WORKERS ON OAHU WALKED OUT TODAY, FORCING FOUR SUGAR PLANTS TO SHUT DOWN. ABOUT 4,000 WORKERS RETURNED TO THEIR JOBS AT 10 PLANTATIONS ON THE ISLAND OF HAWAII.

"CONTINUING PROTESTS AGAINST THE JAILINGOF BRIDGES ARE TO BE EXPECTED," JACK HALL, REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF BRIDGES' INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S AND WAREHOUSEMEN'S UNION, TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AT HONOLULU.

"THE WORK HOLIDAYS ARE ABOUT THE ONLY WAY IN WHICH THE WORKERS CAN FORCIBLY LET THE COMMUNITY AND THE NATION KNOW THAT THEY ARE PLENTY ANGRY ABOUT THE ILLEGAL IMPRISONMENT OF THEIR UNION PRESIDENT, ON A PHONY SECURITY THREAT BASIS."

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BRIDGES PROTEST STRIKES (230)

HONOLULU,AUG.9-(AP)-A WAVE OF QUICKIE STRIKES PROTESTING THE JAILING OF HARRY BRIDGES SPREAD AMONG HAWAII MEMBERS OF HIS CIO LONGSHORE UNION TODAY.

THERE WERE UNOFFICIAL RUMBLINGS AT UNION HEADQUARTERS HERE THAT THE WALKOUTS WOULD CONTINUE AS LONG AS BRIDGES REMAINED BEHIND BARS.

ABOUT 4,500 OF BRIDGES' UNION MEN HAVE STAGED HALF-HOUR TO 24-HOUR PROTEST WALKOUTS IN THE TERRITORY SINCE MONDAY. THE AUSTRALIAN-BORN LONGSHORE LEADER'S BOND WAS REVOKED AND HE WAS JAILED IN SAN FRANCISCO SATURDAY AS "AN AGENT DEDICATED TO X X X THE COMMUNIST PROGRAM." HE IS APPEALING CONVICTION OF PERJURY; OF HAVING LIED WHEN HE DENIED HE WAS A COMMUNIST TO GAIN CITIZENSHIP IN 1945.

BRIDGES' INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S AND WAREHOUSEMEN'S UNION HAS ABOUT 25,000 MEMBERS EMPLOYED IN SUGAR, PINEAPPLE, LONGSHORE AND MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIES IN HAWAII.

THE WALKOUTS ARE LABELLED PROTEST DEMONSTRATIONS BY UNION SPOKESMEN.

ABOUT 4,000 ILWU SUGAR WORKERS WALKED OFF THEIR JOBS MONDAY. UNOFFICIALLY, THEY PLANNED TO RETURN TO WORK TUESDAY. BUT THE STRUCK PLANTATIONS HIT BACK WITH 24-HOUR SUSPENSIONS.

ABOUT 145 REFINERY WORKERS A

ABOUT 145 REFINERY WORKERS AT THE CALIFORNIA AND HAWAIIAN SUGAR REFINERY HERE DID NOT TURN UP FOR THREE SHIFTS TUESDAY, SHUTTING DOWN THE REFINERY.

SUGAR READY FOR REFINING MUST BE WORKED WITHIN 48 HOURS TO AVOID SPOILAGE.

ABOUT 400 STEVEDORES QUIT WORK FOR HALF AN HOUR ON HONOLULU DOCKS TUESDAY. THEY SAID THEY WANTED TO PUT THEIR PROTEST ON RECORD "WITHOUT INTERFERING WITH THE MOVEMENT OF CARGO THROUGH THE PORT."

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FIFTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP
BY RELMAN MORIN
TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 10-(AP)-AMERICAN FORCES RAMMED THEIR SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE WITHIN FIVE MILES OF CHINJU TODAY. BUT ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT TO THE NORTH THE REDS WERE REPORTED COCKING ANOTHER PUNCH AT TAEGU.
THIS WAS THE KEY ACTION IN THE RAPIDLY SHIFTING TURN OF BATTLE ALONG THE RECTANGULAR UNITED NATIONS BEACHHEAD:
SOUTHERN FRONT--ARMY INFANTRYMEN WERE LESS THAN FIVE MILES FROM CHINJU, SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF THE COMMUNIST NORTH-SOUTH LINE ON THE WEST OF THE BEACHHEAD. THE REDS WERE RETREATING IN WHAT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS CALLED "THE NATURE OF A RO

WEST OF THE BEACHHEAD. THE REDS WERE RETREATING IN WHAT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS CALLED "THE NATURE OF A ROUT."
PATROLS OF THE U.S.FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND THE 35TH INFANTRY DIVISION LINKED UP ON HIGH GROUND THAT EXTENDS WITHIN TWO MILES OF CHINJU, WHICH IS 55 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN.
WESTERN FRONT--REINFORCED RED TROOPS HALTED A NEW AMERICAN ATTACK AIMED AT WIPING OUT A COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE KEY COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING WITH THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION SAID THE AMERICANS HAD BEEN PUSHED FROM A RIDGE THEY WON EAST OF THE RIVER WEDNESDAY NIGHT.
KING SAID THE REDS APPARENTLY HAD REGROUPED EFFECTIVELY AND GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID A MAJOR ATTACK STILL COULD BE MADE BY THE REDS. A HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THE RED FIRST DIVISION HAD BEEN DIVERTED TO THIS AREA AND A BREAKTHROUGH HERE PROBABLY HAD BECOME THE MAIN COMMUNIST OBJECTIVE.
NORTH OF CHANGNYONG ON THE NAKTONG LINE, THE FIRST CAVALRY OPENED A NEW ATTACK THURSDAY MORNING TO CLEAN UP ANOTHER RED BRIDGEHEAD THREATENING TAEGU. THIS WAS NEAR WAEGWAN, 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.
SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS THREW THE REDS BACK TO THE RIVER AT ANOTHER CROSSING POINT SIX MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN.
NORTHERN FRONT--NORTH KOREAN FORCES CRASHED INTO YONGDOK, U.N. ANCHOR ON THE EAST COAST, AND CARRIED ALMOST A MILE FARTHER SOUTH. THE SHELL-FLATTENED TOWN WAS DEFENDED BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WHO GOT BOMBARDMENT SUPPORT WEDNESDAY FROM U.S.WARSHIPS PATROLLING THE COAST. FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS SAID THE SHIPS POUNDED RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND ROAD JUNCTIONS NORTH OF THE TOWN, WHICH IS 80 AIR MILES NORTH OF PUSAN.

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MTHIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 11-(AP)-TWO FAST-MOVING NORTH KOREAN REGIMENTS TODAY SMASHED TO WITHIN THREE AND ONE-HALF MILES OF THE VITAL U. S. FIGHTER STRIP AT POHANG ON KOREA'S EAST COAST. ENEMY PATROLS JABBED TO WITHIN THREE MILES OF THE STRIP.
AT THE OTHER END OF THE 140-MILE BATTLE LINE, AMERICAN FORCES CONTINUED TO GRIND FORWARD TOWARD THE FLAMING RUINS OF CHINJU IN SOUTHWESTERN KOREA. IN THIS SECTOR 1,000 COMMUNISTS WERE REPORTED TRAPPED AS THE U. S. INFANTRYMEN COUNTED AN ADVANCE UP TO 13 MILES.

TOKYO---THIRD NITE LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP A115KX) INSERT AFTER SECOND GRAF EAT THE WAR 1-11 MILES.

THE POHANG BATTLE RAGED DEEP INSIDE ALLIED LINES.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S BRIEFING OFFICER INDICATED THE RED'S NEXT MAJOR THRUST WILL BE IN THE CENTRAL WESTERN FRONT. HERE THE COMMUNISTS HOLD A MILE-WIDE BRIDGEHEAD AND THE OFFICER SAID FOUR, POSSIBLY FIVE, DIVISIONS ARE MASSING WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.
THE OFFICER DESCRIBED THE GATHERING RED FORCES AS THE "GREATEST MASS PER MILE OF FRONTAGE ON THE ENTIRE FRONT."
HEADQUARTERS ADDED THAT IT EXPECTED A THRUST FROM THE NORTHWEST TOWARD MASAN, THE TOWN FROM WHICH THE U.S. BEGAN ITS COUNTERATTACK IN THE SOUTH.

ALONG THE BOXLIKE DEFENSE LINE THIS WAS THE PICTURE:
NORTH---A RED COLUMN PUSHED FOUR MILES SOUTH OF YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST AS RED PRESSURE MOUNTED ALL ALONG THE NORTHERN FRONT DEFENDED BY SOUTH KOREANS.
NORTHWEST---ALLIED TROOPS ISOLATED TWO SEPARATE RED FORCES WHICH CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.
WEST CENTRAL---NORTH KOREANS BATTLED FURIOUSLY TO HOLD A MILE-WIDE BRIDGEHEAD NEAR CHANGNYONG, ABOUT 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.
SOUTHWEST---AMERICAN DOUGHBOYS AND MARINES PUSHED TOWARD THE FLAMING COMMUNIST SUPPLY BASE OF CHINJU WITH THE ENEMY RETREATING ALMOST IN ROUT.

AMERICAN TANK-LED REINFORCEMENTS WERE RUSHED INTO THE POHANG BATTLE TO BOLSTER SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS WHO WERE SURPRISED IN A COMMUNIST NIGHT ATTACK.
AT THE FRONT, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED THAT POHANG, EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF THE AIRPORT, WAS IN FLAMES. EARLIER DISPATCHES TOLD OF FIERCE FIGHTING IN THE CITY AROUND THE RAILROAD STATION.
THE COMMUNIST ATTACK APPEARED WELL PLANNED. SOME AMERICAN UNITS MOVING TO THE FRONT WERE AMBUSHED AND CUT OFF BUT REPORTEDLY FOUGHT THEIR WAY BACK TO THE MAIN U. S. FORCES.
U. S. WARPLANES ROARED INTO THE BATTLE RAKING THE ENEMY WITH ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUNS WHILE AMERICN ARTILLERY POUNDED THE ADVANCING FORCE.
THE RED COLUMN, WHICH THRUST DEEP INTO ALLIED TERRITORY, THURSDAY PUSHED SOUTH KOREAN FORCES OUT OF KIGYE, EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG.
POHANG, WHERE THE FIRST U. S. AMPHIBIOUS LANDINGS WERE MADE LAST MONTH, IS 65 AIR MILES NORTH OF THE MAIN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.
TO THE NORTH OF THE BITTER FIGHTING, ANOTHER RED COLUMN STABBED DOWN THE EAST COAST. THESE RED FORCES RECAPTURED THE TOWN OF YONGDOK. EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE BATTLELINE.
WEST OF YONGDOK, THE ENEMY BUILT UP STRONG PRESSURE ON THE SOUTH KOREANS DEFENDING THE NORTHERN RIM OF THE BOXLIKE DEFENSE LINE.
ON THE WESTERN 5TH GRAF NIGHT LEAD (A120KX) COUNTING INSERT.

ON THE WESTERN FRONT ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER, THREE AMERICAN DIVISIONS AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES BATTLED TO CONTAIN COMMUNIST FORCES STRUGGLING DESPERATELY TO MAINTAIN AT LEAST THREE FOOTHOLDS ON THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER.
GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN A WAR SUMMARY EARLY FRIDAY SAID COMMUNIST FORCES WERE REPORTED PREPARING DEFENSE POSITIONS

ON HIGH GROUND JUST EAST OF CHINJU. THE BOMB-WRECKED ENEMY BASE IS 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN. U.S. PATROLS WERE OPERATING VIRTUALLY AT THE OUTSKIRTS TWO MILES EAST OF CHINJU PROPER.

VICTORY HUNGRY INFANTRYMEN OF THE ARMY'S 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND 5TH INFANTRY REGIMENT SHOVED FORWARD UNDER RELATIVELY LIGHT OPPOSITION. THE MAIN BODY WAS ABOUT SIX MILES EAST OF CHINJU, HEADQUARTERS SAID.

THE ADVANCE MEASURED MORE THAN 13 MILES AND WAS THE BIGGEST SINGLE GAIN OF THE WAR FOR AMERICAN TROOPS.

TO THE SOUTHEAST, LEATHERNECKS OF THE 5TH MARINE REGIMENT BEGAN MOPPING UP AN ESTIMATED 1,000 OR MORE REDS WHO HAD BEEN CUT OFF BEHIND THE AMERICAN LINES.

THE MARINES WERE CLEANING OUT SMALL BANDS NORTH OF KOSONG. OCCUPATION OF KOSONG, 20 AIR MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU, SECURED THE SHORES OF CHINAHE GULF FOR THE AMERICAN DEFENDERS.

ONE U.S. GENERAL OFFICER SAID THE RED WITHDRAWAL TOWARD CHINJU WAS "IN THE NATURE OF A ROUT."

ELEMENTS OF THE BATTERED NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION PULLED BACK SO RAPIDLY THEY ABANDONED QUANTITIES OF ARMS AND EQUIPMENT.

THE NORTH KOREAN COMMANDERS SEEMED INTENT ON LETTING THE SIXTH DIVISION TAKE THE BRUNT OF THE AMERICAN SOUTH COAST OFFENSIVE, WHICH KICKED OFF FIVE DAYS AGO.

DURING THE WEEK THE REDS SHIFTED THEIR VETERAN FIRST DIVISION ABOUT 20 MILES NORTH TO THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT. HERE ELEMENTS OF THE FOURTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION HAD FORCED A CROSSING DURING THE NIGHT ALMOST SIX DAYS AGO.

ATTACKED REPEATEDLY, THE REDS CLUNG DESPERATELY TO THEIR BRIDGEHEAD SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG, ABOUT 23 MILES SOUTH OF MAJOR AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE AT TAEGU.

IF THE COMMUNISTS CAN BREAK FROM THIS BRIDGEHEAD THEY WILL SNAP THE SUPPLY LINES FROM TAEGU TO PUSAN, 55 MILES TO THE SOUTHEAST.

HEADQUARTERS SAID THAT THE REDS, FIGHTING IN A MILE-WIDE BRIDGEHEAD, HAD BEEN "UNABLE TO BUILD UP THIS FORCE, PARTLY BECAUSE OF HEAVY LOSSES AND PARTLY BECAUSE OF EXTREME DIFFICULTY IN CROSSING THE RIVER."

THE REDS HAVE RUSSIAN-MADE SELF-PROPELLED ARTILLERY AND TANKS, FIRING FROM THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG INTO AMERICAN LINES ACROSS THE RIVER.

NEAR WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPS CONTAINED A SECOND BAND OF NORTH KOREANS WHO PENETRATED THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE, MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY SAID. PREVIOUS FIELD REPORTS, POSSIBLY LATER THAN THE HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY, SAID THIS ENEMY FORCE WAS WIPED OUT THURSDAY NIGHT.

FIVE MILES FARTHER NORTH SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ISOLATED A THIRD COMMUNIST FORCE INSIDE THEIR DEFENSE LINES.

THE NEW THREAT FROM THE FAR NORTHEAST END OF THE DEFENSE LINE APPEARED TO BE A SERIOUS ONE.

APPARENTLY IT WAS MADE UP OF TWO PRONGS. ONE DROVE ABOUT FOUR MILES SOUTH OF YONGDOK AFTER RECAPTURING THAT RUBBLED PORT CITY FROM SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS. IT WAS THE THIRD TIME THE CITY HAD CHANGED HANDS IN HEAVY FIGHTING.

THE OTHER RED SPEARHEAD, CALCULATED BY FLYERS TO BE APPROXIMATELY 10,000 STRONG, SPED SOUTH THROUGH A GAP IN SOUTH KOREAN LINES WEST OF YONGDOK. IT CAPTURED KIGYE, 10 MILES WEST OF POHANG WHERE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPS MADE AN UNOPPOSED LANDING IN THE EARLY WEEKS OF THE KOREAN WAR. KIGYE IS 30 MILES SOUTHWEST OF YONGDOK.

HEADQUARTERS SAID THIS ENEMY FORCE HAD BEEN HALTED BY SOUTH KOREANS SOUTH OF KIGYE AT A POINT EIGHT MILES WEST OF POHANG.

AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE, IN A DISPATCH FROM AN EXPOSED AMERICAN FIGHTER BASE EIGHT MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG, REPORTED FLYERS WERE STRAFING THE ENEMY ALMOST AS SOON AS THEIR PLANES TOOK OFF FROM THE STRIP.

BOYLE ESTIMATED THAT REDS WERE ONLY 5 1/2 MILES FROM THE AIRBASE. THESE UNDOUBTEDLY WERE GUERRILLAS LONG ACTIVE IN THE AREA, SINCE THE MAIN NORTH KOREAN FORCE APPEARED TO BE STILL 16 MILES TO THE NORTHWEST.

HE QUOTED ONE AMERICAN FLYER AS SAYING "WE BEGIN STRAFING BEFORE WE GET OUR WHEELS UP."

FOUR MUSTANG PLANES WERE LOST WEDNESDAY IN DEFENDING THE AIRSTRIP. THREE WERE DOWN BY COMMUNIST GROUND FIRE. THREE PILOTS WERE RESCUED BUT ONE WAS MISSING.

BOYLE SAID THE REDS HAD PUT A SMALL ADVANCE PATROL OF ABOUT 30 MEN ON THE MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE WEST OF POHANG AND WERE IN POSITION TO PUT MACHINEGUN FIRE ACROSS RAILROAD AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES.

THE RED ADVANCE TOWARD POHANG HAS BEEN BUILDING UP FOR SEVERAL DAYS IN KNIFING THROUGH THE GAP IN SOUTH KOREAN LINES IT HAD MARCHED OVER MOUNTAIN GOAT TRAILS. IT HAD NOT BEEN OPPOSED.

HIGH MOUNTAIN RANGES PUT THE REDS OUT OF REACH OF AMERICAN AND BRITISH WARSHIPS WHICH HAVE BEEN HOLDING UP THE RED PUSH AROUND YONGDOK BY HEAVY BOMBARDMENT OF THE SHORELINE.

ALONG THE NORTH RIM OF THE DEFENSE PERIMETER, THE REDS WERE MUSTERING TWO DIVISIONS--THE COMMUNIST SEVENTH AND EIGHTH ABOUT 33 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

THEY HAVE ADVANCED 15 MILES SOUTH OF ANDONG TO THE VICINITY OF UISONG WHERE REPUBLICAN TROOPS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY COUNTER-ATTACKED AND DROVE THE COMMUNISTS BACK. HEADQUARTERS SAID PRESSURE IN THIS AREA CONTINUED.

IN THE AERIAL WAR, 70 B-29'S IN THEIR HEAVIEST STRIKES TO DATE DUMPED 625 TONS OF BOMBS ON REAR BASES IN NORTH KOREA. THE HEAVIEST ASSAULT WAS AT WONSAN, EAST COAST RAIL AND OIL CENTER.

ABOUT 425 TONS OF BOMBS RAINED ON WONSAN'S RAILROAD YARDS AT A TIME WHEN IT WAS JAMMED WITH AMMUNITION, FUEL, FOOD AND OTHER SUPPLIES HEADED FOR THE RED FRONT LINES. HUGE FIRES WERE LEFT IN THE WAKE OF THE RAIDS.

ONCE AGAIN FIFTH AIRFORCE FIGHTERS TEAMED WITH MARINES, AND NAVY PILOTS IN CLOSE SUPPORT MISSIONS FOR GROUND TROOPS. AT ONE POINT NEAR CHINJU, MARINE PILOTS IN CORSAIRS FLEW SO LOW THEY WERE UNDER THE ARC OF RED MORTAR FIRE. PILOTS REPORTED THEY DESTROYED TWO HEAVY RUSSIAN BUILT TANKS.

OTHER FIGHTERS TEAMED WITH GROUND TROOPS IN KNOCKING OUT A HALF DOZEN RED TANKS ON THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE NORTH OF WAEGWAN. HERE SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES WERE ABLE TO CAPTURE THREE RUSSIAN BUILT TANKS.

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THIRD LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO,FRIDAY,AUG 11 (AP)-U.S.TROOPS YESTERDAY DROVE 13 MILES ALMOST TO THE OUTSKIRTS OF CHINJU AND SNAPPED SHUT BEHIND THEM AN ARMORED [redacted] ENEMY TR

ARMORED TRAP ON POSSIBLY 1,000 ENEMY TROOPS.

IT WAS THE BIGGEST SINGLE DAY'S GAIN OF THE WAR FOR AMERICAN FORCES.

AS CHINJU, MAJOR ENEMY BASE IN SOUTH KOREA, TOTTERED, NORTH KOREANS AT THE OTHER END OF THE 140-MILE FRONT ROLLED TO WITHIN EIGHT MILES OF A U.S.EAST COAST FIGHTER BASE BEFORE BEING HALTED.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY SAID SOUTH KOREANS CHECKED THE ENEMY DRIVE EIGHT MILES WEST OF POHANG. THE FIGHTER BASE IS NEAR

THIS CITY 63 MILES NORTH OF THE PORT OF PUSAN.
THE ENEMY ALSO LOOSED NEW ATTACKS ALONG THE NORTHERN FRONT, PUTTING RENEWED PRESSURE ON THE IMPORTANT SUPPLY CITY OF TAEGU, 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.
THEY WERE ADVANCING AGAINST RESISTING SOUTH KOREANS ON A FRONT ABOUT 30 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. THE ENEMY STILL HELD A NAKTONG RIVER BRIDGEHEAD 29 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU AGAINST FIERCE AMERICAN ATTACKS. ANOTHER BRIDGEHEAD 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU WAS REPORTED WIPED OUT.

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY LEADERS TOOK HASTY STEPS TO PROTECT THE FIGHTER PLANE BASE. IT IS EIGHT MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG ON THE SEA OF JAPAN 55 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN.
TWO RED FORCES ROLLED BACK CRUMBLING SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS THERE. AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE AT POHANG SAID THE REDS WERE PROTECTED FROM AMERICAN NAVAL GUNS BY LOFTY MOUNTAINS IN SOME OF KOREA'S MOST RUGGED COUNTRY.
THE POHANG-BOUND COMMUNISTS HAMMERED DOWN FROM YONGDOK, WHICH THEY RETOOK THURSDAY, AND DROVE ON FOUR MILES TO THE SOUTH.
THE MAIN THREAT TO THE FIGHTER BASE CAME FROM ANOTHER RED FORCE ROLLING TOWARD IT FROM THE MOUNTAIN VILLAGE OF KIGYE, EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG. A NORTH KOREAN PATROL OF 30 MEN COMMANDED THE YONGCHON-POHANG SUPPLY ROAD WITH MACHINEGUNS.
FOUR U.S. MUSTANG FIGHTERS WERE SHOT DOWN BY GROUND FIRE AFTER TAKING OFF TO MACHINEGUN THE INVADERS. ONE PILOT WAS LOST AND THREE WERE RESCUED, BOYLE REPORTED.

TWENTY-NINE MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE MAIN U.S. BASE ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, A BATTALION OF REDS HELD OFF ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH AND SECOND DIVISIONS ON THE BANKS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.
AMERICAN PLANES, INCLUDING 70 B-29S FROM JAPAN AND OKINAWA, PLASTERED THE NORTH KOREANS. THE AIR FORCE SAID THE B-29S BADLY CRIPPLED NORTHERN RAIL LINES WITH THE BIGGEST RAID OF THE WAR ON WONSAN, EAST COAST RAIL CENTER NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. THE BIG PLANES CAUGHT THE 25 TRACK-WIDE RAIL YARD JAMMED WITH TRAFFIC, AMMUNITION, FUEL, FOOD AND OTHER SUPPLIES WENT UP IN A GIGANTIC FIRE.
THE U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN A COMMUNIQUE AT 9:45 P.M. (6:45 A.M. EST) THURSDAY SAID UNITED NATIONS TROOPS BATTLED AGGRESSIVELY ON ALL FRONTS TO EXPAND GAINS IN THE SOUTH.
ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION TRIED TO DISLODGE RIVER-CROSSING COMMUNISTS DUG IN SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU BUT WERE UNSUCCESSFUL.
THE FIRST U.S. CAVALRY DIVISION ANNIHILATED ANOTHER ENEMY FORCE NORTHWEST OF TAEGU ABOUT 7 P.M. (4 A.M. EST) THURSDAY, KILLING 300 REDS AND CAPTURING 20, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.
FARTHER NORTH ON THE 140-MILE FRONT, SOUTH KOREANS CAPTURED THREE RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS IN CLOSE FIGHTING. PLANES KNOCKED OUT SIX MORE.
THE ALLIED GAINS ON THE SOUTH COAST WERE THE BIGGEST OF THE UNITED NATIONS OFFENSIVE WHICH JUMPED OFF MONDAY WESTWARD FROM NEAR MASAN, SOUTH COAST PORT.

HUNDREDS OF NORTH KOREANS WERE FORCED TO RETREAT TOWARD CHINJU BASE SO FAST THEY LEFT QUANTITIES OF ARMS AND EQUIPMENT BEHIND. THEY WERE OF THE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION.
THE RED HIGH COMMAND SEEMED DETERMINED TO MAKE THE SIXTH STAND TO THE DEATH IN THE SOUTH.
IN APPARENTLY SACRIFICING THE SIXTH DIVISION, THE RED COMMAND DIVERTED THE NORTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION TOWARD THE NAKTONG RIVER BARRIER BATTLE 20 MILES NORTH OF CHINJU. THE FIRST DIVISION HAD BEEN SUPPORTING THE SIXTH DIVISION AROUND CHINJU.
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE SIXTH MAY TRY TO MAKE A STAND IN HIGH GROUND WEST OF CHINJU.
AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED FROM THE FRONT THAT U.S. RESERVE UNITS DESTROYED POCKETS OF REDS WHOSE GUNS HAD STALLED THE SOUTHERN THRUST FROM MONDAY UNTIL WEDNESDAY.
RESISTANCE ON THE ROAD TO CHINJU WAS DESCRIBED AS "LIGHT" BY A GENERAL OFFICER. THE AMERICANS CAPTURED HIGH GROUND SIX MILES EAST OF CHINJU AFTER A SHARP SKIRMISH.
U.S. PATROLS OF THE FIFTH AND 35TH ARMY REGIMENTAL TEAMS WERE WITHIN TWO MILES OF CHINJU.
AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED ADVANCED UNITS SPURTED 13 MILES TO JOIN FORCES WITH THE 35TH COMBAT TEAM 12 MILES EAST OF CHINJU. THAT SNAPPED THE STEEL TRAP.
THE LINK UP CUT OFF AN ESTIMATED 100 SQUARE MILES OF RUGGED LAND AND POCKETED REMNANTS OF TWO RED BATTALIONS. IN THE FIGHTING FOR CHINJU THE BATTALIONS ARE ESTIMATED TO HAVE BEEN REDUCED FROM 2,000 MEN TO 1,000.
U.S. FIFTH REGIMENT MARINES ENTERED KOSONG, A SOUTH COAST VILLAGE. CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT REPORTED THE SPIRITS OF THE LEATHERNECKS AND OF THE DOUGHBOYS JUST TO THE NORTH OF THEM WERE HIGH.

AN AMERICAN GENERAL STAFF OFFICER SAID THE TREAT OF THE NORTH KOREANS TOWARD CHINJU WAS MADE "IN THE NATURE OF A ROUTE." THE MAIN BODY OF U.S. ARMY TROOPS WAS FIVE MILES OUT OF CHINJU THURSDAY NIGHT.
MARINE FLIERS SUPPORTING THE CHINJU DRIVE REPORTED KNOCKING OUT TWO 50-TON RUSSIAN TANKS. THE MARINES SAID THEY FLEW SO LOW THAT NORTH KOREAN MORTARS FIRED AT THEM FROM HEIGHTS OF RIDGES ABOVE THEM.
TWENTY MILES NORTH OF CHINJU THE COMMUNISTS HAD FOUGHT INTO THE ALLIED EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG AND ESTABLISHED A MILE-LONG BATTLE LINE. A BREAKTHROUGH BY THE ESTIMATED 3,000 REDS COULD IMPERIAL TAEGU, 29 MILES NORTHWEST OF THE BRIDGEHEAD.
FORCES OF THE 24TH DIVISION, THE VETERAN AMERICANS OUTFIT OF THE KOREAN WAR, WERE REPULSED IN ATTACKS ON THE REDS, AP CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING REPORTED.
THE CAVALRYMEN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS DISPOSED OF TWO SMALLER RED FORCES THAT CROSSED THE NAKTONG ABOUT 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. IN ADDITION TO THE 300 REDS THE CAVALRYMEN KILLED, THE SOUTH KOREANS COUNTED 900 COMMUNIST BODIES ON THEIR RIVERSIDE BATTLEFIELD OF WEDNESDAY.
THE LARGER OF THESE TWO RIVER-CROSSING FORCES WAS AT NOSOK VILLAGE, ABOUT TWO MILES SOUTH OF WAEGWAN. AT OPYONG, THE REDS TURNED THEIR OWN ARTILLERY ON THEIR OWN MEN TO MAKE THEM STAND AND FIGHT. OPYONG IS SEVEN MILES NORTH OF NOSOK.
A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THIS TYPE OF "PERSUASION BOMBARDMENT" HAS BEEN USED BEFORE BY THE REDS IN EFFORTS TO DRIVE THEIR TROOPS FORWARD INTO BATTLE.
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FIRST LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (300)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, AUG. 10-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS SURGED 13 MILES FORWARD AND SNAPPED AN ARMORED TRAP AROUND AT LEAST 1,000 RED SOLDIERS ON THE CHINJU WARFRONT IN DEEP SOUTH KOREA TODAY.
THE GAINS IN THE SOUTH WERE THE BIGGEST OF THE ALLIED OFFENSIVE THAT STARTED MONDAY.
HUNDREDS OF NORTH KOREANS WERE FORCED TO RETREAT TOWARD CHINJU BASE SO FAST THEY LEFT QUANTITIES OF ARMS AND EQUIPMENT BEHIND.
U.S. PATROLS WERE REPORTED WITHIN TWO MILES OF CHINJU ITSELF.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED ADVANCED UNITS

OF THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM SPURTED 13 MILES TO JOIN FORCES WITH THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM 12 MILES EAST OF BATTERED CHINJU. THAT CLOSED THE STEEL TRAP.

THE LINK-UP CUT OFF AN ESTIMATED 100 SQUARE MILES OF RUGGED LAND AND POCKETED REMNANTS OF TWO RED BATTALIONS.

VIN THE FIGHTING FOR CHINJU, THE TRAPPED BATTALIONS ARE ESTIMATED TO HAVE BEEN HALVED DOWN TO 1,000 FROM THEIR ORIGINAL STRENGTH OF ABOUT 2,000.

AMERICAN MARINES PLUNGED SOUTHWESTWARD 13 MILES TO ENTER KOSONG AND SECURE THE SHORES OF CHINHAE BAY.

CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT REPORTED THE SPIRITS OF BOTH DOUGHBOYS AND LEATHERNECKS SOARED.

THE FIFTH REGIMENT RAN INTO SOME OPPOSITION BUT THE 35TH AND THE MARINES WERE VIRTUALLY UNOPPOSED.

AN AMERICAN GENERAL STAFF OFFICER SAID THE RETREAT OF NORTH KOREANS TOWARD CHINJU WAS SOMETHING "IN THE NATURE OF A ROUT." THE MAIN BODY OF U.S. TROOPS WAS FIVE MILES SHORT OF CHINJU [redacted], JUST BEHIND THE FORWARD PATROLS.

THURSDAY

[redacted] FIVE MILES FROM THE TOWN.

BUT ON THE CENTRAL AND NORTHEASTERN WARFRONTS THE COMMUNISTS WERE FIGHTING HARD TO HOLD THEIR RIVER-CROSSING GAINS OUTSIDE OF TAEGU. YONGDOK, EAST COAST PORT TO THE NORTH, WAS RECAPTURED BY THE REDS.

BEFORE CHINJU, THE U.S.FIFTH AND 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS WERE TEARING INTO REMNANTS ON THE CRACK NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION. AN ESTIMATED 1,200 WERE KILLED. FEW PRISONERS WERE TAKEN.

HUNDREDS OF REDS THREW AWAY RIFLES AND ABANDONED MACHINEGUNS, MORTARS AND EVEN TRUCKS IN THEIR FRENZY TO GET AWAY, REPORTS TO HEADQUARTERS SAID.

THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND SEEMED DETERMINED TO MAKE THE SIXTH DIVISION STAND TO THE DEATH. FIRST DIVISINN, WHICH HAD BEEN SUPPORTING IT, WAS REPORTED BEING DIVERTED TO BOLSTER RIVER CROSSING REDS ON THE BANKS OF THE NAKTONG SIX MILES FROM CHANGNYONG.

THERE, 20 MILES NORTH OF CHINJU, THE REDS BEAT OFF AN ATTACK BY THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION REINFORCED BY ELEMENTS OF THE SECOND DIVISION.

A MILE-LONG BATTLELINE STRETCHED ALONG THE RIVERFRONT. A BREAK THROUGH THERE WOULD IMPERIL TAEGU, THE U.S.SUPPLY BASE 29 MILES TO THE NORTHEAST.

TANK-LED NORTH KOREANS ON THURSDAY RECAPTURED YONGDOK ON THE EAST COAST, 80 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN, THE U.S.SEAPORT AT THE TIP OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA. GUERRILLAS AND TURNCOATS CAPTURED THE MOUNTAIN TOWN OF KIGYE, ONLY NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, THE IMPORTANT U.S.AIR AND SEABASE 25 MILES SOUTH OF YONGDOK.

B-29S DUMPED A RECORD TOTAL OF 625 TONS OF BOMBS ON RED TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA THURSDAY. AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID RED TRANSPORTATION LINES WERE CRIPPLED BADLY. FIGHTERS FROM CARRIERS AND THE AIR FORCE POUNDED FRONTLINES.

PATROLS OF THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON REACHED THE NAM RIVER FIVE MILES EAST OF CHINJU. THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TROOPS JOINED THE 35TH TWELVE MILES EAST OF THE TOWN.

RESISTANCE ON THE ROAD TO CHINJU WAS DESCRIBED AS LIGHT BY A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS.

THE AMERICANS CAPTURED STRATEGIC HIGH GROUND ABOUT SIX MILES EAST OF CHINJU AFTER A SHARP SKIRMISH. A RIDGE THERE RUNS TO WITHIN TWO MILES OF CHINJU. THE NAM RIVER, WHERE AMERICAN PATROLS WERE WORKING, SLIPS TO THE CITY'S EDGE.

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID THE COMMUNISTS MAY TRY TO MAKE A STAND IN HIGH GROUND WEST OF CHINJU. BUT INTELLIGENCE REPORTS SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE UNABLE TO WITHDRAW TO PREPARED POSITIONS BECAUSE THEY COULD NOT BREAK OFF THE FIGHT.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD AT THE FRONT REPORTED POCKETS OF COMMUNISTS, WHOSE GUNS STALLED THE AMERICAN COASTAL DRIVE UNTIL WEDNESDAY, WERE BEING DESTROYED BY AMERICAN RESERVE UNITS FROM REAR AREASM

AMERICAN MARINES ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE SOUTHERN DRIVE TOOK THE COASTAL TOWN OF KOSONG. THEY MET LIGHT RESISTANCE.

BUT MARINE FLIERS, WHO ZIPPED IN AMONG THE HILLS, SAID THEY DESTROYED TWO 50-TON RUSSIAN BUILT TANKS. THE CARRIER-BASED MARINE FLIERS SAID THEY FLEW SO LOW THE INVADERS SHOT AT THEM WITH MORTARS FROM HEIGHTS ABOVE THEIR SPEEDING PLANES.

THE MAIN RED EFFORT THURSDAY NIGHT WAS AGAINST THE REINFORCED 24TH DIVISION AT THE NAKTONG RIVER BRIDGEHEAD NEAR CHANGNYONG.

THE COMMUNISTS THREW ANOTHER BATTALION INTO THE BATTLE THERE, BRINGING THEIR KNOWN FORCE ON THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER TO A REGIMENT--3,000 MEN MINUS THOSE KILLED IN HEAVY FIGHTING.

AMERICAN FORCES CAPTURED A DOMINATING HEIGHT WEDNESDAY AND PINCHED THE NORTH KOREANS BETWEEN IT AND THE RIVER. BUT ON THURSDAY A RED COUNTER-ATTACK DROVE THE AMERICANS OFF THE RIDGE, AP CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING REPORTED.

U.S.PLANES POUNDED THE INVADERS WITH ROCKETS AND STRAFED WITH MACHINEGUNS.

TO THE NORTH, TWO ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION REPORTED THEY HAD CONTAINED OR ISOLATED TWO SMALL RED BRIDGEHEADS ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG.

THE LARGER OF THESE WAS AT NOSOK VILLAGE, ABOUT TWO MILES SOUTH OF WAEGWAN. CAVALRY GUNS THERE HACKED AT TWO TANKS AND A REINFORCED RED COMPANY THAT HAD CROSSED THE RIVER.

CAVALRYMEN THREW A NOOSE AROUND THE INVADERS WEDNESDAY NIGHT AFTER KILLING 100 MEN, A MACARTHUR SPOKESMAN SAID.

SEVEN MILES FARTHER NORTH, AT OPYONG, 900 ENEMY DEAD WERE COUNTED AFTER THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION ON WEDNESDAY DROVE ANOTHER RED FORCE BACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG. HEADQUARTERS SAID NORTH KOREANS TURNED ARTILLERY ON THEIR MEN TO MAKE THEM FIGHT THE SOUTH KOREANS.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN SAID THIS TYPE OF "PERSUASION BOMBARDMENT" HAS BEEN USED BEFORE BY THE REDS IN EFFORTS TO DRIVE THEIR TROOPS FORWARD.

AMERICAN OFFICERS FOR DAYS HAVE BEEN WATCHING THE UNOPPOSED MOVEMENT ON KIGYE, OUTSIDE POHANG PORT. SOUTH KOREAN UNITS HAVE BEEN SENT INTO THIS LOFTY AREA--SOME OF KOREAN'S ROUGHEST COUNTRY ALONG THE EASTERN COAST--TO CONTAIN WHAT MAY BE A FLANKING THRUST TOWARD POHANG.

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BULLETIN

BY DON WHITEHEAD

AMERICAN COMMAND POST ON CHINJU F RONT, FRIDAY, AUG. 11-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN FORCES TODAY LAUNCHED A DESPERATION ATTACK AGAINST AMERICAN GROUND UNITS SURROUNDING AN ESTIMATED 1,000 RED TROOPS IN THE BLAZING CHINJU FIGHTING.

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BULLETIN MATTER

AMERICAN COMMAND POST CHINJU--FIRST ADD CHINJU (BY WHITEHEAD)

X X CHINJU FIGHTING.

THE COMMUNISTS HIT THE U.S. LINE NEAR CHINGDONG ABOUT 11 MILES EAST OF CHINJU. FIGHTING RAGED BEHIND THE AMERICAN LINES ABOUT FIVE MILES TO THE REAR OF THE FARTHEST U9.S. PENETRATION IN THE MOUNTING SEE-SAW BATTLE.

THREE BATTALIONS OF THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WERE CUT OFF FROM EACH OTHER BY WITHERING MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE. THE NORTH KOREANS ATTACKED SAVAGELY TO FIGHT OUT OF THE TRAP CLOSED BY THE JUNCTION WEDNESDAY OF UNITS OF THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION.

THE ENEMY JUMPED OFF IN THE NEW ATTACK AT DAWN. BY MIDMORNING THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM HAD SENT AN URGENT RADIO CALL FOR MORE MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR AMMUNITION.

THE S-O-S WAS ANSWERED BY AMERICAN TWIN-ENGINE C-47 TRANSPORT PLANES WHICH PARACHUTED THE DESPERATELY-NEEDED SUPPLIES. AMONG THE MUNITIONS WERE MACHINEGUN BARRELS. THE AMERICANS HAD BEEN FIRING SO FEVERISHLY AT THE ONRUSHING REDS THAT THE BARRELS OF SOME OF THEIR GUNS BURNED OUT.

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CHINJU (ABOUT 300)

BY TOM LAMBERT

ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, KOREA. AUG. 10-(AP)-AMERICAN ARMY UNITS JOINED FORCES EAST OF CHINJU TODAY, DRAWING A NOOSE AROUND AT LEAST 1,000 TRAPPED COMMUNISTS.

MARINE PATROLS MEANWHILE ENTERED THE TOWN OF KOSONG ON THEIR SOUTHWARD DRIVE.

THESE REPRESENTED THE GREATEST GAINS SINCE THE AMERICAN SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE STARTED.

KOSONG IS 20 MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU. IT REPRESENTS AN ADVANCE OF ABOUT 14 MILES ON THE MARINE DRIVE DOWN ONE OF THE MANY SMALL PENINSULAS ON THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA.

THE JUNCTION WAS MADE BETWEEN THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM PUSHING WESTWARD TOWARD CHINJU AND THE 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM DRIVING NORTHWESTWARD ALONG ANOTHER HIGHWAY.

THE ROADS THE TWO COMBAT TEAMS ARE FOLLOWING JOIN AT A POINT ABOUT 12 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

THE JUNCTION EMBRACED AN AREA ESTIMATED AT 100 SQUARE MILES. IN THIS AREA ARE AT LEAST TWO COMMUNIST BATTALIONS.

THE FIFTH REGIMENT AND THE MARINES, ALSO FROM THE FIFTH REGIMENT OF THAT SERVICE, BEGAN TO ROLL FORWARD WEDNESDAY AFTER SMASHING A BOTTLENECK ON THE HIGHWAY WEST OF CHINDONG.

(IN TOKYO GENERAL MACARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN SAID PATROLS OF THE 35TH REGIMENT HAD REACHED THE NAM RIVER, ABOUT FIVE MILES EAST OF CHINJU.)

THE ADVANCES BY THE 5TH AND THE 35TH TEAMS CAPTURED DOMINATING HIGH GROUND WHICH RUNS TO A POINT ABOUT TWO MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

THE JUNCTION WAS MADE BY ELEMENTS OF THE 5TH AND 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENTS AT 3 P.M. (MIDNIGHT WEDNESDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME).

THE FIFTH HAD ROLLED ABOUT 13 MILES FROM THE SMASHED BOTTLENECK TO THE SOUTHEAST. THESE TROOPS RAN INTO SOME RED RESISTANCE.

ON THE SOUTHERN SECTOR OF THE AMERICAN DRIVE, THE MARINES PUSHED AN EQUAL DISTANCE--AS MEASURED BY ROAD MILES--TO REACH KOSONG AT 2 P.M. BOTH THE MARINES AND THE 35TH WERE VIRTUALLY UNOPPOSED TODAY.

THE SPEED OF THE DRIVE BOOSTED THE SPIRITS OF MARINES AND TROOPS TREMENDOUSLY.

THE MARINE ADVANCE HAD BEEN HELD UP YESTERDAY WHEN ONE OF THEIR HEAVY TANKS TOPPLED THROUGH A BRIDGE. BUT THE LEATHERNECKS PILED ROCKS AND DIRT ON THE AMERICAN GIANT AND USED IT AS A BRIDGE. THE REST OF THE COLUMN ADVANCED ACROSS IT.

THE 35TH HAD PUSHED AHEAD MORE RAPIDLY THAN THE OTHER TWO PRONGS AND WAITED TODAY FOR THE 5TH TO MAKE THE JUNCTION. THE 35TH HAD REACHED THE JUNCTION POINT IN THE FIRST 24 HOURS OF THE ASSAULT.

THE TWO ARMY UNITS NOW HAVE TO PUSH THROUGH HIGH GROUND THAT RUNS TO THE EDGE OF CHINJU. THE REST OF THE WAY THE MAIN HIGHWAY RUNS THROUGH A RIDGED PLATEAU.

HOW MUCH RESISTANCE THE RETREATING REDS WILL PUT UP IS NOT KNOWN.

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NIGHT LEAD CHINJU STRATEGIC

AUG 11 1950

BY LEIF ERICKSON

WIH THE U. S. EIGHTH ARMY IN KOREA, AUG. 10-(AP)-PUSAN WAS SAVED FROM RED CAPTURE BY A "HISTORY-MAKING MANEUVER," LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER, SAID TONIGHT.

THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS CAME WITHIN 35 MILES OF THE EAST COAST ALLIED SUPPLY PORT BEFORE A SUDDEN U. S. TACTICAL STUNT PUT THE AMERICANS ON THE OFFENSIVE AND SET THE ENEMY ON ITS HEELS.

WALKER SAID THE MANEUVER WAS "A MIRACLE," ADDING:

"IF THE REDS HAD TAKEN PUSAN WE WOULD HAVE BEEN DESTROYED. IT WOULD HAVE BEEN THE FINISH."

THE "HISTORY-MAKING MANEUVER" TO SAVE PUSAN WAS THE SHIFTING OF THE 25TH DKIVISION IN TWO NIGHTS FROM THE JUMCHON FRONT TO THE NORTH INTO FIGHTING POSITIONS IN THE SOUTH, EAST OC HINJU.

THE TROOPS MADE THE 150-MILE MOVE BY MOTOR AND RAIL.

WALKER SAID TONIGHT THAT HE FELT FREE TO REVEAL HOW DANGEROUS WAS THE CRISIS AND HOW SUCCESSFULLY IT WAS MET. DURING THE DAY HE LED HIS FORCES IN A 13-MILE THRUST AGAINST THE ENEMY.

WALKER SAID THE 25TH DIVISION WAS PULLED OUT OF ITS BATTLELINE NORTH OF KUMCHON THROUGH A SINGLE ROAD EXIT THROUGH KUMCHON.

"IF THE REDS HAD HIT US HARD ON THEKUMCHON FRONT THEN WE COULDN'T HAVE DONE IT," WALKER SAID.

WHEN MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B.KEAN'S 25TH DIVISION STARTED MOVING FROM THE NORTH TO THE SOUTH END OF THE BATTLE LINE---ACROSS THE REAR OF THE ENTIRE FIGHTING FRONT---THERE WAS ONLY THE BATTERED 19TH REGIMENT BETWEEN THE SIXTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION AND PUSAN, WALKER SAID.

WHILE THE 25TH WAS ON THE MOVE, WALKER FOLLOWED UP WITH A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL TO THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT. THE WITHDRAWAL THREW THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY THERE OFF BALANCE.

WALKER SAID HE SHORTENED THE DEFENSE FRONT TO CLOSE THE GAP LEFT BY PULLING OUT THE 25TH DIVISION NORTH OF KUMCHON.

ALL OF THIS WAS IN PROGRESS WHILE THE REINFORCING FIFTH INFANTRY REGIMENT AND THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT WERE LANDING AT PUSAN, THE GENERAL SAID.

WALKER SAID HE HAD BEEN SURPRISED THAT THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS HAD NOT SHIFTED MORE TROOPS INTO THE SOUTH COAST DRIVE FROM CHINJU TO EXPLOIT THEIR OWN OPPORTUNITY.

"THEY COULD HAVE SHIFTED MORE DIVISIONS INTO THE DRIVE EASILY," WALKER DECLARED. "THEY KNOW I AM IN NO POSITION FOR ANY COUNTER OFFENSIVE EXCEPT WHERE WE HAVE TO ATTACK TO MAKE MORE ROOM WEST OF PUSAN.

"THEY OPERATE IN RUSSIAN STYLE. WHEN THEY ARE COMMITTED TO A PLAN THEY STICK TO IT NO MATTER WHAT. THEIR PLAN FROM THE BEGINNING WAS TO DRIVE DOWN THE SEOUL-TAEJON-PUSAN CORRIDOR, AND THAT'S WHAT THEY STUCK TO."

WALKER SAID, HOWEVER, THE COMMUNISTS HAD BEEN HAVING A HARD TIME STICKING TO THEIR PLAN

SINCE YONGDONG FELL ON JULY 25TH. THE AMERICANS HAVE NOT BEEN

DRIVEN BACK, HE SAID. EVERY WITHDRAWAL WAS DELIBERATE AND PLANNED FOR SUCH PURPOSE AS MOVING THE 25TH FROM THE NORTH TO THE SOUTH.

"THEY'VE TAKEN VERY HEAVY LOSSES. THEIR NOSES HAVE REALLY BEEN BLOODIED," THE GENERAL SAID.

WHEN THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AND THE 25TH DIVISION BECAME AVAILABLE IN KOREA, WALKER SAID THE AMERICANS FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE WAR HAD A CHANCE TO MAKE AN ORGANIZED DEFENSE.

"BEFORE THAT, POOR GENERAL DEAN BATTERED HIS BRAINS OUT THROWING IN PIECES OF HIS 24TH DIVISION PIECEMEAL. HE DID THE BEST HE COULD, THE BEST ANYONE COULD, BUT HE DIDN'T HAVE ENOUGH TO DO WITH," WALKER SAID.

WITH THE PUSAN THREAT ERASED AND THE SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE BEACHHEAD STABILIZED, GENERAL WALKER SAID HE WAS "CONFIDENT THE NAKTONG LINE ON THE WEST CAN BE HELD.

"THE FIGHT IS NOT FINISHED. BUT I AM PRETTY SURE NOW WE WILL HOLD THE BEACHHEAD WE NEED."

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FIRST LEAD CHINJU STRATEGIC (120)

BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG.10-(AP)-LT.GEN.WALTON H. WALKER, 8TH ARMY COMMANDER, SAID TONIGHT "A HISTORY-MAKING MANEUVER" SAVED PUSAN, ALLIED SUPPLY PORT ON THE EAST COAST.

"IT WAS A MIRACLE," HE SAID. "IF THE REDS HAD TAKEN PUSAN WE WOULD HAVE BEEN DESTROYED. IT WOULD HAVE BEEN THE FINISH."

THE REDS HAD ADVANCED WITHIN 35 MILES OF PUSAN AT A POINT EAST OF CHINJU IN DEEP SOUTH KOREA. THERE, AN AMERICAN OFFENSIVE TURNED THE TIDE.

AFTER A DAY IN WHICH THE U.S. DRIVE TOWARD CHINJU ROLLED AS MUCH AS 13 MILES IN PUSHING THE REDS BACK, WALKER SAID HE FELT FREE TONIGHT TO TELL HOW DANGEROUS WAS THE GAMBLE.

IT LOOKED TODAY AS THOUGH THE GAMBLE HAD PAID OFF.

IT WAS MAKING PUSAN, AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT, SECURE.

IF THE NORTH KOREANS HAD REACHED PUSAN, MAIN OBJECTIVE OF THEIR SOUTHERN DRIVE, THE AMERICAN DEFENSE BOX WOULD HAVE COLLAPSED.

"THE WAR WOULD HAVE BEEN OVER," A STAFF OFFICER SAID.

THE GAMBLE WAS IN THINNING THE AMERICAN DEFENSE LINE ALONG 40 AIR-LINE MILES OF THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER ON THE WEST AND SPREADING FIVE SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS ACROSS THE NORTHERN FRONT.

THE DEFENSE LINES HAD TO BE STRETCHED TO CONCENTRATE POWER FOR THE ATTACK THAT DROVE THE NORTH KOREANS RETREATING TOWARD CHINJU.

WALKER PULLED THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION FROM THE PUSAN CORRIDOR AND THREW IT WITH THE NEWLY ARRIVED FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT AND FIFTH INFANTRY REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII INTO THE SOUTHERN ATTACK.

THE DRIVE BOGGED DOWN ITS FIRST TWO DAYS. SIMULTANEOUSLY THE COMMUNISTS CROSSED THE NAKTONG, AND SET UP THREE BRIDGEHEADS ON THE ALLIED EASTERN BANK.

BUT THE NORTH KOREANS DID NOT HAVE THE POWER AND THE BUILDUP READY TO EXPLOIT THESE CROSSINGS INTO BREAK-THROUGH OPERATIONS.

BUT THE NORTH KOREANS DID NOT HAVE THE POWER AND BUILDUP READY TO EXPLOIT THESE CROSSINGS INTO BREAK-THROUGH OPERATIONS.

THE REDS USUALLY REINFORCE THEIR MEN ACROSS THE NAKTONG AT NIGHT... ONLY TO LOSE HEAVILY IN DAYLIGHT BATTLE WHEN HAMMERED BY AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND ROCKETING AND STRAFING FROM THE AIR.

IN THE BRIDGEHEAD BATTLE THE AMERICANS ARE FLANKING AND ENCIRCLING THE COMMUNISTS WITH SUPERIOR NUMBERS AND FIREPOWER. THIS REVERSES THE STORY OF THE BITTER RETREATS EARLIER, WHEN AMERICANS WERE REPEATEDLY ENCIRCLED AND OUTFLANKED.

ONLY TWO AMERICAN DIVISIONS ARE WATCHING THAT 40 AIRLINE MILE FRONT IN THE WEST. IT MUST COVER AT LEAST 70 MILES AS THE RIVER WINDS. THE ONLY WAY TO HOLD SUCH A LINE IS FROM OBSERVATION POSITIONS WITH TROOPS SET TO STRIKE QUICKLY AT ANY CROSSING FORCE. THAT'S JUST WHAT THE AMERICANS HAVE BEEN DOING.

IF THE NORTH KOREANS HAD BEEN ABLE TO BUILD UP ANY OF THEIR BRIDGE-HEADS AND BREAK THROUGH IN FORCE, THE KEY U.S. BASE, TAEGU, WOULD HAVE FALLEN.

THERE WERE CRITICAL COMMENTS WHEN GENERAL WALKER GAMBLED ON SO THIN A LINE TO HOLD SUCH AN IMPORTANT BASE AS TAEGU.

BUT, MEASURED AGAINST PUSAN, TAEGU RANKS ONLY AS AN EFFECTIVE OUTPOST SUPPLY AND AIR BASE. PUSAN SUPPORTS THE ENTIRE UNITED NATIONS CAMPAIGN IN KOREA. THERE WAS LITTLE CHOICE FOR WALKER BUT TO GAMBLE.

THE GAMBLE ISN'T FINISHED YET.

ON THE NORTHERN FRONT THE COMMUNISTS ARE STEADILY BUILDING UP THEIR MOST DIRECT AND SHORTEST SUPPLY ROUTES. FOR THE LAST THREE DAYS SOUTH KOREANS HAVE BEEN UNDER STEADY ATTACK PRESSURE NORTH OF TAEGU.

DRIVEN BACK ON CHINJU IN THE SOUTH, AND REPULSED ON THE NAKTONG IN THE WEST, THE COMMUNISTS MAY TRY THEIR NEXT POWER ASSAULT FROM THE NORTHWEST WITH SCANT RESERVE ALLIED POWER TO MEET SUCH A THREAT.

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BULLETIN

U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, FRIDAY AUG. 11-(AP)-FRONT LINE REPORTS TODAY SAID THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS, IN A SURPRISE NIGHT ATTACK, DROVE INTO THE EAST COAST PORT OF POHANG.

THERE WAS FIGHTING IN THE RAILROAD STATION AT 3 A. M., THE REPORTS SAID.

AN AMERICAN FIGHTER BASE SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF PPOHANG HAD NOT BEEN ATTACKED AND WAS STILL OPERATING, DISPATCHES SAID.

THE COMMUNIST ATTACK SURPRISED REINFORCING ELEMENTS MOVING UP TO AID SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WHO RETREATED THURSDAY FROM RED-HELD KIGYE, SOME 8 MILES WEST OF POHANG.

POHANG IS ABOUT 65 MILES NORTH OF THE BIG U. S. SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN AND WAS THE SCENE OF THE FIRST CAVALRY AMPHIBIOUS LANDING EARLY LAST MONTH.

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U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,FRIDAY,AUG.10-(AP)-AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE TODAY REPORTED A "NEW THREAT" ON THE CENTRAL WESTERN FRONT WHERE THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE ESTABLISHED A BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE.

RED FORCES HELD A MILE-WIDE AREA IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR ABOUT 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE IMPORTANT FRONT-LINE SUPPLY CITY OF TAEGU.

(GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED THE COMMUNISTS WERE MASSING FOUR, POSSIBLY FIVE, DIVISIONS TO EXPLOIT THE BRIDGEHEAD WITH A PUSH AT TAEGU.)

THE EIGHTH ARMY REPORT SAID THE THREAT DEVELOPED AT CHANGNYONG LATE THURSDAY. THE ENEMY COUNTERATTACKED TO THE SOUTHEAST AND U.S. UNITS QUICKLY ENGAGED THEM "JUST SOUTHEAST OF THE BRIDGEHEAD."

SOUTH OF THIS MOUNTING COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE, AMERICAN FORCES ADVANCED ON FLAMING CHINJU. THE COMMUNIQUE SAID "THERE ARE INDICATIONS THAT ENEMY STRENGTH IN THIS AREA HAS BEEN GREATLY REDUCED."

BEHIND THE AMERICAN COMBAT LINES, "RESERVE ELEMENTS" WERE MOPPING UP ENEMY POCKETS CAUGHT IN THE U.S. PUSH.

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THE COMMUNIQUE, ISSUED AT 12 NOON (9 P.M. EST THURSDAY) PLACED LEADING ELEMENTS OF THE 35TH REGIMENT AT CHUNGCHOM, ABOUT EIGHT MILES EAST OF CHINJU. THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT IS AT KOSONG, 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHINJU.

OF OTHER SECTORS IT SAID:

THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION THURSDAY SMASHED AN ENEMY FORCE THAT CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER. ABOUT 300 REDS WERE KILLED AND "SOME PRISONERS TAKEN."

THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION REDUCED ANOTHER ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD BY KILLING 150 REDS, TAKING PRISONERS AND THREE TANKS.

THESE BRIDGEHEADS WERE ABOVE WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

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A95FNAKTONG

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 10-(AP)-U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPS FINISHED WIPING OUT A COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD IN THEIR SECTOR OF THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT TONIGHT, HEADQUARTERS REPORTED.

THREE HUNDRED COMMUNIST DEAD WERE COUNTED ON THE HIGHWAY IN FRONT OF CAVALRY POSITIONS. ANOTHER 20[illegible] REDS WERE CAPTURED.

HEADQUARTERS SAID THE CAVALRY, HOLDING THE NORTHERN PART OF THE AMERICAN LINE, FINISHED CLEANING UP ENEMY FORCES ON THE ALLIED EASTERN BANK OF THE RIVER AT 7 P.M. (4 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME).

BUT THE 8TH ARMY REPORTED COMMUNIST PRESSURE WAS BUILDING UP FARTHER NORTH.

(THE COMMUNIQUE DID NOT MENTION RED ADVANCES IN THE EASTERN FRONT REPORTED BY ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLEFROM POHANG PORT LATE THURSDAY.)

THE ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID UNITED NATIONS FORCES "BATTLED AGGRESSIVELY TODAY ON ALL SECTORS OF THE FRONT TO MAINTAIN AND EXPAND THEIR BEACHHEAD."

HOWEVER, ON THE 24TH DIVISION'S SECTOR OF THE NAKTONG LINE, AMERICANS WERE UNABLE TO WIPE OUT A RED BRIDGEHEAD. ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH MADE REPEATED ATTACKS, BUT THE COMMUNISTS WERE SECURELY DUG IN ALONG A RIDGE OVERLOOKING THE RIVER SOUTH OF CHANGNYONG. PREVIOUSLY REPORTED COMMUNIST WITHDRAWALS HERE, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID, APPEAR NOW TO HAVE BEEN TACTICAL MOVEMENTS FOR A COUNTER-ATTACK, WHICH THE REDS MADE DURING THE AFTERNOON.

ALONG THE NORTHERN FRONT, THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION CAPTURED THREE TANKS IN CLOSE FIGHTING WITH THE REDS.

AIR FORCE, ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY COMBINED TO KNOCK OUT SIX OTHER TANKS IN THE AREA.

THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID THE COMMUNISTS APPEARED TO BE BUILDING UP THEIR FORCES FACING THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS IN THE YANGGI AND SECHON SECTORS OF THE NORTHERN FRONT.

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BULLETIN

TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 11-(AP)-GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY THAT NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS ARE MASSING FOUR---POSSIBLY FIVE---DIVISIONS ALONG THE FLAMING NAKTONG RIVER LINE ON THE CENTRAL KOREAN FRONT.

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BULLETIN MATTER

TOKYO---FIRST ADD MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS X X X FRONT.

IT WAS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THE REDS PLANNED AN IMMEDIATE ATTACK TO RELIEVE AN ESTIMATED 1,000 NORTH KOREANS TRAPPED EAST OF THE RIVER DEFENSE LINE.

ARMY BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID, HOWEVER, THEY EXPECTED A NEW COMMUNIST THRUST FROM THE NORTHWEST, TOWARD MASAN.

REDS INSIDE THE U.S. TRAP NEAR CHINJU WERE REPORTED "STRUGGLING FRANTICALLY" TO BLAST OUT OF ENCIRCLEMENT CLOSED AROUND THEM WHEN UNITS OF THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND THE 25TH DIVISION JOINED FORCES WEDNESDAY.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THE ENEMY IN THE CHINJU AREA HAS TAKEN A SEVERE BEATING AND SUFFERED HEAVY CASUALTIES.

BUT THE BRIEFING OFFICER ADDED:

"THE ENEMY HAS NOT LOST HIS OFFENSIVE SPIRIT."

IT WAS A SEE-SAW BATTLE ALONG THE CENTRAL FRONT, THE OFFICER REPORTED WITH THE REDS PRESSING HEAVIEST AROUND WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF THE KEY AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU.

AMERICAN FIRST CAVALRY UNITS AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WERE MEETING THE OPPOSITION IN THIS AREA.

"THE WHOLE FRONT IS STILL UNDER HEAVY PRESSURE," INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID. THEY ADDED THAT THE COMMUNISTS APPARENTLY ARE AIMING FOR A RENEWED ATTACK ON TAEGU.

HEADQUARTERS REPORTS SAID THE ENEMY STILL POURED TROOPS INTO THE EMBATTLED CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD WHERE SEVERE FIGHTING HAS RAGED ALL WEEK.

THE BRIEFING OFFICER ALSO SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE BOLSTERED THEIR ORIGINAL FORCE OF ONE REGIMENT AT CHANGNYONG WITH ANOTHER REGIMENT. IT WAS BELIEVED THAT A SUPPORTING TANK COLUMN WAS MASSED WEST OF THE RIVER TO ADD FIRE POWER TO THE RED THRUST SHOULD A BREAK-THROUGH BE MADE.

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THE MASS OF RED TROOPS FORMING ALONG THE NAKTONG, OFFICERS SAID, IS THE "GREATEST MASS PER MILE OF FRONTAGE ON THE ENTIRE FRONT."

LINED UP AGAINST AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS IN THIS AREA WERE BELIEVED TO BE THE RED'S SECOND, THIRD, 13TH AND 14TH DIVISIONS. ELEMENTS OF THE NORTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION MAY ALSO BE IN THE AREA, OFFICERS SAID.

REPORTS SAID THE ENEMY TANK FORCES BEHIND COMMUNIST LINES ON THE CENTRAL NAKTONG FRONT MAY HAVE REGIMENTAL STRENGTH. A NORTH KOREAN TANK REGIMENT AT FULL STRENGTH WOULD NUMBER 52 TANKS.

BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID, HOWEVER, THEY DOUBTED THAT THE REDS HAD CONCENTRATED THAT MUCH ARMOR IN ONE AREA.

THE AMERICANS ADMITTED THEY DO NOT KNOW HOW REDS ARE PUTTING TANKS ACROSS THE NAKTONG. NOR WAS THERE ANY DEFINITE INFORMATION AS TO HOW MANY TANKS MAY HAVE MOVED EASTWARD ACROSS THE STREAM.

INTELLIGENCE SAID THERE IS MOUNTING EVIDENCE THE REDS ARE USING PNEUMATIC BRIDGING EQUIPMENT AND PERHAPS FLOATING THEIR ARMOR ACROSS THE MUDDY WATER. HOWEVER, NO PONTOON BRIDGES HAVE BEEN SPOTTED AND SHALLOW FORDS BOLSTERED BY ROCK CAUSEWAYS ARE MORE LIKELY THE MEANS USED TO BUILD UP THE MECHANICAL FIREPOWER.

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B90KX (MACARTHUR (Q)
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TOKYO,AUG.10-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR TODAY HAS HIGH PRAISE FOR CANADIAN TROOPS.
"I AM DELIGHTED AT THE PROSPECT OF CANADIAN TROOPS JOINING THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND IN KOREA," THE SUPREME COMMANDER FOR UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA TOLD ROSS MUNRO CORRESPONDENT FOR THE SOUTHAM NEWSPAPERS OF CANADA. "THEIR VALOR AND EFFICIENCY ARE WELL KNOWN THROUGHOUT THE WORLD".

CANADA PRIME MINISTER LOUIS ST.LAURENT HAS ANNOUNCED THAT HIS COUNTRY WOULD RECRUIT A SPECIALLY TRAINED BRIGADE OF INFANTRY FOR USE IN KOREA.
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TOKYO, FIRDAY, AUG.11-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY TODAY SAID A COMMUNIST DRIVE ON A U.S.AIR BAS NEAR POHANG ON THE EAST COAST SEEMED TO HAVE BEEN HALTED.
THE SUMMARY SAID A GUERRILLA-SUPPORTED ENEMY FORCE RAN INTO SOUTH KOREAN OPPOSITION AND WAS REPORTED HELD UP ABOUT EIGHT MILES WEST OF POHANG.
THE ENEMY HAD TWO TANKS AND ARTILLERY IN SUPPORT.
THE NORTH KOREANS WERE EXERTING HEAVY PRESSURE ON SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ON THE FRONT ABOUT 30 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, THE SUMMARY SAID.
IT REPORTED THE REDS WERE CONTINUING THEIR PUSH IN THE VICINITY OF UISONG, WHICH IS ABOUT 12 MILES SOUTH OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, DESPITE SOUTH KOREAN COUNTERATTACKS.
BP842APD NM

A90FX
MACARTHUR (170)
TOKYO, AUG. 10-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR EMPHASIZED TODAY THAT HIS CONSULTATIONS WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK AT TAIPEI COVERED ONLY MILITARY DEFENSE OF FORMOSA.
MACARTHUR ISSUED A SPECIAL STATEMENT TO DENY "MANY MISSTATEMENTS" WHICH "MALICIOUSLY MISREPRESENTED" HIS RECENT VISIT TO THE CHINESE NATIONALIST ISLAND CAPITAL. HE DID NOT SAY WHO CRITICIZED HIS MISSION.
THE CONFERENCE, HE SAID, WAS FORMALLY ARRANGED BY THE U.S. AND CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENTS. POLITICAL SUBJECTS WERE NOT DISCUSSED. HIS STATEMENT CONTINUED:
"THE SUBJECT OF THE FUTURE OF THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT, OF DEVELOPMENTS ON THE CHINESE MAINLAND OR ANYTHING ELSE OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF MY OWN MILITARY RESPONSIBILITY WAS NOT DISCUSSED OR EVEN MENTIONED."
HIS "MILITARY RESPONSIBILITY," IN THIS CASE, IS PREVENTING A CHINESE COMMUNIST INVASION OF FORMOSA AS ORDERED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN HIS JUNE 27 STATEMENT ON FORMOSA, INDOCHINA AND THE PHILIPPINES.
MACARTHUR INSISTED THERE WAS NO FRICTION BETWEEN HIS HEADQUARTERS AND WASHINGTON AS HINTED BY SOME "SLY INSINUATIONS, BRASH SPECULATIONS AND BOLD MISSTATEMENTS INVARIABLY ATTRIBUTED TO ANONYMOUS SOURCES."
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AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD AERIAL (500)
TOKYO, AUG.10-(AP)-B-29 SUPERFORTS TODAY POUNDED KEY OIL AND RAIL TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA, DROPPING 625 TONS OF BOMBS IN THE BIGGEST U.S. AIR STRIKE OF THE WAR.
ROARING FIRES AND TOWERING SMOKE COLUMNS ROSE OVER WONSAN, THE MAIN TARGET, AS THE LAST BOMBERS THUNDERED AWAY.
SOME 70 SUPERFORTS, FLYING FROM JAPAN AND OKINAWA, WENT OVER THE TARGETS IN CLEAR WEATHER. LITTLE ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE WAS ENCOUNTERED. THE RECORD LOAD OF BOMBS WOULD HAVE REQUIRED 250 WORLD WAR II B-17'S.
ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL TARGETS WAS THE CHOSEN OIL REFINERY AT WONSAN, WHICH IS ON THE EAST COAST 80 MILES DEEP IN NORTH KOREA.
IT WAS THE SECOND AIR ASSAULT ON THE REFINERY. A PREVIOUS STRIKE DID ONLY SLIGHT DAMAGE.
THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE SAID EARLY REPORTS INDICATED TODAY'S RAID CAUSED "EXTENSIVE DAMAGE TO THE COMMUNIST WAR POTENTIAL."
THE REFINERY WAS CAPABLE OF PRODUCING LARGE QUANTITIES OF MOTOR FUEL AND AVIATION GAS AS WELL AS LUBRICATING OILS AND OTHER PETROLEUM PRODUCTS FOR THE COMMUNIST WAR MACHINE.
THE 625 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES DROPPED SET A NEW RECORD FOR THE KOREA WAR. THE PREVIOUS ONE-DAY HIGH WAS 500 TONS.
OTHER TARGERS IN THE WONSAN AREA INCLUDED THE HUGE RAILROAD SWITCHING CENTER. IT WAS FILLED WITH LOADED TRAINS WHEN THE B-29'S STRUCK. RETURNING CREW MEMBERS SAID FLAMES SUDDENLY SURGED ACROSS THE RAIL YARDS, POSSIBLY FROM EXPLODING AMMUNITION TRAINS.
THE SWITCHING CENTER IS 25 TRACKS WIDE. IT HANDLES ALL RAIL TRAFFIC MOVING ALONG THE EAST COAST.
MANY OF THE TRAINS BACKED UP IN WONSAN WERE FROM PYONGYANG, NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL AND RAIL HUB, WHICH HAS BEEN THE TARGET OF EARLIER B-29 RAIDS.
LOCOMOTIVE AND CAR REPAIR SHOS AT WONSAN WERE BLASTED. NORTH KOREA'S ALREADY BADLY CRIPPLED TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM LEANED HEAVILY ON THEM FOR REPAIRS.
STAFF SGT. RICHARD F.YORK OF WHITING, IND., A TAIL GUNNER ON ONE OF THE SUPERFORTS THAT POUNDED THE REFINERY, SAID COLUMNS OF SMOKE "PUSHED UP EVEN ABOVE OUT ALTITUDE OF MORE THAN 15,000 FEET" OVER THE BURNING TARGET.
LIGHT BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES FLEW ALMOST 500 SORTIES. (A SORTIE IS ONE STRIKE BY ONE PLANE.) MOST OF THESE WERE ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE WAEGWAN AREA AND NEAR CHINJU ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

THREE RUSSIAN-MADE YAK FIGHTER PLANES WERE DESTROYED BY U. S. MUSTANGS AT KIMPO AIRFIELD, 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL."
ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE PENINSULA IN SOUTHWEST KOREA, A MUSTANG CRASH-LANDED IN THE SEA. THE PILOT WAS RESCUED.
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AA TROOP CONVOY WAS STRAFED BY JETS AND FIRES WERE STARTED IN A WAREHOUSE AT MAKPO ON THE SOUTHWESTERN COAST. OTHER STRAFING ATTACKS HIT YONGJU AND TAYANG.

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THIRTY-NINE VEHICLES WERE DAMAGED IN THE CHINJU AREA. IN THE SAME AREA, A FUEL DUMP, TWO LARGE BUILDINGS AND A GUN POSITION WERE HIT.
NABAL TASK FORCE 77 IS USING THREE TYPES OF CARRIER PLANES FOR ATTACKS ON KOREA, SAID VICE ADM. CHARLES T.JOY.
THEY ARE THE CORSAIR FIGHTER, CARRYING THREE 1,600-POUND BOMBS AND EIGHT FIVE-INCH ROCKETS; THE SKY RAIDER ATTACK BOMBER, CARRYING THREE 2,000-POUND BOMBS AND 12 FIVE-INCH ROCKETS, AND THE F-9-F PANTHER JETS, CARRYING TWO 1,000-POUND BOMBS AND SIX FIVE-INCH ROCKETS.
ALL THREE PLANES MOUNT 20 MM. GUNS IN THEIR WINGS.
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FIRST LEAD KOREAN AERIAL (180)
BY MILTON MARMOR
TOKYO, AUG. 10-(AP)-SEVENTY B-29 BOMBERS FROM JAPAN AND OKINAWA BASES POUNDED NORTH KOREA'S RAIL AND OIL CENTER OF WONSAN TODAY

WITH THE WAR'S MOST POWERFUL AIR STRIKE.
WAVES OF B-29S BOMBED VISUALLY IN THEIR MASS RAIDS ON THE WONSAN RAILROAD CENTER AND SWITCHING YARD, THE RAILROAD REPAIR SHOPS AND THE BIG CHOSEN (KOREAN) OIL REFINERY.
THE MOST SPECTACULAR DAMAGE WAS AT CHOSEN. A TAIL GUNNER ON THE LAST B-29 IN THE SECOND WAVE THAT HIT WONSAN, STAFF SGT. RICHARD F. YORK OF WHITING, IND., SAID THE SMOKE COLUMN "PUSHED UP EVEN ABOVE OUR ALTITUDE WHICH WAS MORE THAN 15,000 FEET."
AND WHEN HIS PLANE WAS WELL OVER 100 MILES FROM THE TARGET, YORK SAID, HE COULD STILL SEE THE COLUMN OF BLACK SMOKE.
THE THIRD WAVE HAD TROUBLE LOCATING THEIR AIMING POINTS BECAUSE OF THE GREASY BLACK PALL OF SMOKE OVER THE TARGET.
MORE THAN 400 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON THREE SEPARATE WONSAN TARGETS AND MORE THAN 200 TONS WERE UNLEASHED AGAINST OTHER STRATEGIC TARGETS IN THE COMMUNIST TRANSPORTATION NETWORK NORTH OF PARALLEL 38.
EARLY REPORTS ON THE RECORD TOTAL OF 625 TONS POINT TO "EXTENSIVE DAMAGE DONE TO THE COMMUNIST WAR POTENTIAL," THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES COMMAND ANNOUNCED.

THE CENTER OF THE HUGE WONSON RAILWAY SWITCHING CENTER WAS FILLED WITH LOADED TRAINS WHEN THE B-29S STRUCK. FEAF SAID THEIR AIM WAS ACCURATE.
THE SWITCHING CENTER IS 25 TRACKS WIDE. IT HANDLES ALL RAIL TRAFFIC MOVING DOWN THE EAST COAST. MANY TRAINS WERE BACKED UP INTO WONSON BY PREVIOUS B-29 BLOWS AT PYONGYANG, HUB OF KOREA'S RAIL SYSTEM.
THE CHOSEN OIL REFINERY HAD AN ANNUAL PRODUCTION CAPACITY OF WELL OVER 1,500,000 BARRELS OF CRUDE OIL. ITS STORAGE CAPACITY WAS ESTIMATED AT 20,000 BARRELS. BOMBS HIT THE HEART OF THE REFINERY. IT IS THE LARGEST SUCH PLANT THE JAPANESE BUILT OUTSIDE THEIR HOME ISLAND WHEN THEY RAN KOREA. THE PLANT PRODUCED AVIATION GASOLINE, MOTOR FUELS, LUBRICATING OILS, GLYCERINE AND POTASH.
THE NORTH KOREAN'S ALREADY BADLY CRIPPLED TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM WAS LARGELY DEPENDENT ON THE WOSAN LOCOMOTIVE AND CAR REPAIR SHOPS TO PATCH UP ITS ROLLING STOCK.

THE B-29S RETURNED TO THE REFINERY TARGET BECAUSE PREVIOUS STRIKES HAD FAILED TO KNOCK IT OUT. THE INSTALLATION IS 80 MILES NORTH OF 38.
THE PREVIOUS HIGH B-29 BOMB DROP ON NORTH KOREAN TARGETS WAS 500 TONS IN ONE DAY.
REPORTS OF THE B-29 OPERATIONS CAME FROM FAR EAST AIR FORCES HEADQUARTERS. THE LATEST STRIKES BROUGHT TO 46 THE NUMBER OF CONSECUTIVE DAYS DURING WHICH AMERICAN AIR POWER HAS HIT COMMUNIST OBJECTIVES.
ALLIED BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS HIT A WIDE RANGE OF MILITARY OBJECTIVES INCLUDING RAIL YARDS, BRIDGES AND COMMUNICATIONS.
AMERICAN STRIKES ALSO WERE MADE IN SUPPORT OF GROUND ACTION ALONG THE 140-MILE FIGHTING FRONT.
ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE PLANES FLEW INFANTRY SUPPORT MISSIONS CENTERED IN THE FIGHT ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER.
FEAF GAVE THIS PICTURE OF THE AIR ACTION:
B-29 BOMBERS CONCENTRATED EFFORTS LARGELY AGAINST EAST COAST COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES AND ESPECIALLY IN THE KONAN-YONGHUNG SECTOR WITH MORE THAN 100 TONS OF BOMBS.
THESE STRIKES WERE A CONTINUATION OF A FIVE-DAY SERIES WHICH HAS ACCOUNTED FOR 14 KEY BRIDGES, TWO LARGE INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATIONS AND OTHER SUPPLY SOURCES.
ONE B-29 MISSION SWUNG AWAY FROM ITS ORIGINAL OBJECTIVE TO PUMMEL A CONCENTRATION OF EIGHT LOCOMOTIVES AND 240 CARS IN YARDS AT KOWON, ABOUT 70 MILES NORTH OF PARALLEL 38.
ABOUT 12 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DUMPED "WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS" ON THE MASSED TRAIN EQUIPMENT. THE B-29 MISSION FIRST HAD STARTED FOR A STRIKE ON BRIDGES AT YONGHUNG.
OTHER BRIDGES AND RAILWAY ARTERIES WERE POUNDED AT SONGJIN ON NORTH KOREA'S EAST COAST AND HWANGGAN AND KUMCHON IN SOUTH KOREA.
SORTIES FLOWN IN GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS NEARED THE 500 MARK -- THE DAILY AVERAGE OF THE PAST WEEK. MOST OF THESE WERE ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE WAEGWAN AREA AND NEAR CHINJU ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.
JETS STRAFED A TROOP CONVOY AND STARTED FIRES IN A LARGE WAREHOUSE AT MOKPO ON THE SOUTHWESTERN COAST. OTHER STRAFING ATTACKS HIT YONGJU AND TAYANG.
IN THE CHINJU AREA, 39 VEHICLES WERE REPORTED DAMAGED.
A FUEL DUMP, TWO LARGE BUILDINGS AND A GUN POSITION WERE HIT IN STRIKES AT KORYONG AND CHINJU.
TROOP CARRIER AIRCRAFT OF THE 5TH AIR FORCE CARRIED 62 TONS ON URGENTLY NEEDED MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO KOREAN AIRFIELDS.
JL430APD

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TOKYO, AUG. 10-(AP)-AMERICAN B-29S BLASTED THE WONSAN AREA OF NORTH KOREA WITH A RECORD 625 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES TODAY, THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES ANNOUNCED.
TARGETS BLASTED INCLUDED THE CHOSEN (KOREAN) OIL REFINERY, AND RAILWAY AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES NORTH OF PARALLEL 38.
THE B-29S STRUCK AT THE REFINERY AGAIN BECAUSE PREVIOUS STRIKES HAD DONE ONLY SLIGHT DAMAGE. THE REFINERY IS AT WONSAN, 80 MILES NORTH OF 38.
THE PREVIOUS HIGH TOTAL DELIVERY FOR B-29S IN A SINGLE DAY WAS 500 TONS.
ALL RETURNED SAFELY FROM TODAY'S RAIDS.
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NAVAL AIR
TOKYO, AUG. 10-(AP)-NAVAL TASK FORCE 77 IS USING THREE HARD-HITTING TYPES OF CARRIER PLANES TO SUPPORT THE AMERICAN DRIVE ON CHINJU, VICE ADM. CHARLES T. JOY REPORTED TODAY.
THE COMMANDER OF NAVAL FORCES IN THE FAR EAST SAID:
THE CORSAIR FIGHTER IS CARRYING THREE 1,600-POUND BOMBS AND EIGHT FIVE-INCH ROCKETS.
SKY RAIDER ATTACK BOMBERS ARE GOING OUT WITH THREE 2,000 POUND BOMBS AND 12 FIVE-INCH ROCKETS.
F-9-F PANTHER JETS CARRY TWO 1,000 POUND BOMBS AND SIX FIVE-INCH ROCKETS.
ALL THREE MOUNT 20-MM. GUNS IN THEIR WINGS.
JL605APD

A100KX
(750)
BY TOM LAMBERT
WITH U.S.FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA, AUG.10-(AP)-THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT THE MASTERY OF THE PASS WAS DISPUTED.
THE REDS HELD IT FIRST. THEY WERE DUG IN ON A HOLL FLANKING THE NARROW YELLOW ROAD WHICH LED WEST TO CHINJU AND THEY WERE TENACIOUF TENANTS, EMPHASIZING THEIR TANANCY WITH STEEL AND FIRE.
ABOUT ONE HOUR BEFORE MIDNIGHT THE AMERICANS ROLLED UP IN TANKS TO CHALLENGE OWNERSHIP OF THE PASS. THE TURRETS SLOWLY TRAVERSED THE BLACKNESS. GUNNERS PEERED INTO THE SILENT DARK.

THE REDS STRUCK FIRST AS A TANK COMMANDED BY SGT. FIRST CLASS ERVIN VEILLON OF EUNICE, LA., CLATTERED DUSTILY INTO THE PASS.

"WE HAD JUST ROLLED AROUND A CURVE IN THE ROAD WHEN THEY HIT US," VEILLON SAID TODAY. "THEY SHOT US TWICE. I DON'T KNOW WHAT KIND OF GUN THEY WERE USING, MAYBE AN ANTI-TANK GUN, MAYBE A ROCKET LAUNCHER. THEY HIT US IN THE FRONT, ON THE LEFT SIDE. THE SHELLS DIDN'T PENETRATE BUT THEY SHOOK US PLENTY."

VEILLON AND HIS CREW ABANDONED THE TANK AND WAITED FOR THE OTHERS IN THE PLATOON COMMANDED BY CAPT. ROBERT KENNEDY OF WICHITA, KAS.

THE BIG CLEATED MACHINES MOVED SLOWLY FORWARD, TRYING TO SKIRT AROUND THE KNOCKED OUT TANK.

TWO OF THE TANKS ROLLED CLUMSILY OFF THE ROAD, BOUNDING HEAVILY DOWN A ROCKY SLOPE. THE CREWMEN, SHAKEN, PILED OUT INTO THE DARK.

BACK DOWN THE ROAD THEY RAN -- TOWARD OTHER AMERICANS WHO WERE FOLLOWING THE TANKS. AS THE AMERICANS RAN THE NORTH KOREANS SHOUTED FROM THE DARKNESS, "HEY JOE, HE JOE," AND PUNCTUATED THEIR CRIES WITH BULLETS. SAID LT.KEITH WHITHAM OF COOK, NEB.

THE TANKERS MADE IT BACK TO A SMALL VILLAGE AT THE FOOT OF THE PASS. THERE THEY FACED A NIGHT OF FIRE AND INFILTRATION.

~~WE WERE BUSY ALL NIGHT LONG WITH THEM, [illegible]~~

WE WERE BUSY ALL NIGHT LONG WITH THEM, SNIPERS AND SOME WITH MACHINEGUNS, DEEP IN AMERICAN TERRITORY, SHOOTING UP THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM COMMAND POST.

BUT THE AMERICANS HELD OFF THE REDS, EVEN THOSE WHO CHARGED DIRECTLY INTO OUR MACHINEGUNS SHRIEKING, "BANZAI, BANZAI."

THROUGHOUT THE MORNING THE PASS LAY FRESH AND GREEN IN THE SUNLIGHT. THE ROAD STRETCHED EMPTILY BETWEEN THE TWO FLANKING HILLS. BUT BY THIS TIME AN AMERICAN BATTALION HAD CLAWED ITS WAY UP THE EAST FLANKING HILL AND TAKEN POSSESSION OF IT.

THEN THE AMERICANS UNLEASHED THEIR WRATH ON THE RED HELD SIDE OF THE PASS.

MORTARS TORE UP HUGE CHUNKS OF DIRT, OR EXPLODED IN THE STARTINGLY WHITE SMOKE OF WHITE PHOSPHOROUS. ARTILLERY SHELLS SMASHED THE HILL. GULL-WINGED MARINE CORSAIRS SNARLED LOW PUMPING ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN BULLETS INTO THE HILL.

AT 1:15 P.M. THE RECONNAISSANCE PATROL ROLLED OUT 11 JEEPLOADS OF HEAVILY ARMED, TENSE-EYED SOLDIERS COMMANDED BY LT.JAMES J.WALSH OF NEW YORK CITY.

THE JEEPS ROLLED PAST SEVERAL BURNING VILLAGES. THE SMELL OF SCORCHING THATCHED ROOFS LAY FOUL IN THE STILL AIR UNDER A MOLTEN SUN. THE JEEPS ROLLED THROUGH THE DUST INTO THE VILLAGE AT THE FOOT OF THE PASS WHERE KENNEDY'S TANKS HAD DUG IN AND WERE FIRING VENGEFUL ROUNDS INTO THE RED HELD SIDE OF THE PASS.

THE JEEPS ROLLED ON UP THE GRADE, UNDER THUNDEROUS 76 MILLIMETER TANK GUN BLASTS FIRED BY SGT. FLEM KAMAHELE OF HONOLULU AND A SPRAY OF RED TRACERED FIFTY CALIBER MACHINEGUN BULLETS FROM THE TANK GUN OF SGT. CARLTON KYZAR OF LOUISVILLE, KY.

THE ARTILLERY STILL POURED IN AND THE MORTARS PASSED OVERHEAD WITH A SOFT FLUTTERING WHISTLE.

THE JEEPS ROLLED UPWARD, PAST THE KNOCKED OUT TANK, THROUGH A CLEARING WHERE THEY COULD BE COUNTED...NINE....10....11. THEN THEY WERE LOST TO SIGHT.

THE TANKS BLASTED AWAY. CONCUSSION RUSTLED THE THATCHED ROOTS.

THEN A COMBAT PATROL, ON FOOT, TRUDGED WEARILY INTO THE HOT PASS.

THE PATROL, LED BY CAPT. ALEXANDER KAHAPEA OF HONOLULU, FILED PAST IN LONG, SWEATY, STRAGGLING LINES ON BOTH SIDES OF THE SILENT ROAD. THEIR FEET THREW UP LITTLE SUPPORTS OF DUST AT EVERY STEP.

FOR A HANDFUL OF ENDLESS MINUTES THERE WAS UNEASY SILENCE IN THE VILLAGE AT THE FOOT OF THE PASS. A RADIO CACKLED GIBBERISH.

MEANINGLESS TO THE MEN CONCERNED ONLY WITH THE JEEPS AND FOOT SOLDIERS WHO HAD GONE INTO THE PASS AND INTO THE UNKNOWN.

THEN A BEMUSTACHED HELMETED COLONEL CAME UP, GRINNING.

"THE PATROL HAS JUST MADE CONTACT WITH FRIENDLY TROOPS," HE SHOUTED.

HITTING THE CLINCHED FIST OF ONE HAND INTO THE PALM OF THE OTHER HE CRIED: "WE'RE IN!"

AND THEN HIGH UP IN THE PASS, ALONG THE BARE SPOT WHERE THE JEEPS HAD BEEN VISIBLE, THE FOOT PATROL TRUDGED INTO VIEW. THEY WERE WALKING AS SLOWLY AS WHEN THEY LEFT THE VILLAGE, BUT UPRIGHT, NOT IN THE HALF CROUCH OF MEN BEING FIRED UPON.

NOW THE PASS WAS OURS.

FJ821PCS OU

A76KX

BY DON WHITEHEAD (390)

WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG.11-(AP)-FAY KINNEY AND HIS SOUTH KOREAN "MARAUDERS" SOUNDS LIKE THE NAME OF A BAND BILLED FOR A WEEK ON BROADWAY.

BUT ACTUALLY "KINNEY'S MARAUDERS" ARE A ROOTIN', TOOTIN', SHOOTIN' BAND OF FIGHTERS THE LIKES OF WHICH THIS ARMY HAS NOT SEEN BEFORE.

FAY KINNEY IS A LANKY, BESPECTACLED SECOND LIEUTENANT FROM (29 LANE ST.) OWEGO, N.Y. HE'S FAST BECOMING A FABULOUS FIGURE ON THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT.

IT CAME ABOUT THIS WAY:

THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION NEEDED SOME SOUTH KOREAN POLICE TOHELP THEM PATROL UNGUARDED FLANKS AND TO HUNT DOWN ENEMY POSITIONS IN THE MOUNTAINS. ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY OF THE NATIVES REPORTED FOR DUTY UNDER COMMAND OF A SOUTH KOREAN CAPTAIN. SOMETIMES THESE SOUTH KOREAN POLICE MAKE EXCELLENT SOLDIERS. THAT DEPENDS ON THEIR LEADERSHIP.

THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE TURNED OVER TO AN AMERICAN CAPTAIN TO COMMAND. THE CAPTAIN WASN'T VERY ENTHUSIASTIC. BUT KINNEY BEGAN TAKING AN INTEREST IN THEM AND BEFORE LONG THE KOREAN CAPTAIN WAS GOING TO KINNEY FOR ORDERS.

AND KINNEY WAS GOING WITH THE SOUTH KOREANS ON PATROLS INTO THE ENEMY LINES AND ACROSS RED-INFESTED MOUNTAINS.

SO KINNEY TOOK OVER THE COMMAND OF THE GROUP--AND THEN THEY BECAME KNOWN AS "KINNEY'S MARAUDERS."

THEY ROAMED THE MOUNTAINS ON PATROLS WITH KINNEY IN THE LEAD. THEY FOUGHT THE ENEMY AND WHIPPED HIM. THEY PERFORMED A VALUABLE JOB FOR THE REGIMENT---AND KINNEY WAS LEFT PRETTY MUCH ON HIS OWN.

COL.HENRY G.FISHER, REGIMENT COMMANDER FROM LOS ANGELES, CHUCKLED WHEN HE TALKED ABOUT KINNEY.

"THEY TREAT HIM LIKE THE KING OF SIAM," HE SAID. "THE KOREAN CAPTAIN COMES RUNNING LIKE AN ORDERLY WHEN KINNEY WHISTLES. AND KINNEY HAS FOUR PERSONAL BODYGUARDS TO TAKE CARE OF HIM WHEREVER HE GOES.

"KINNEY LIVES BETTER THAN ANY OF THE REST OF US. THOSE PEOPLE ALWAYS BRING HIM MELONS AND FRUIT."

KINNEY AND HIS MARAUDERS HAVE BEEN MADE A PART OF THE REGIMENT. WHENEVER THERE IS AN OPERATION, COL.FISHER CALLS THEM IN AND GIVES THEM THE SAME BRIEFING AS HIS OTHER OFFICERS.

"I EXPLAINED TO THEM THEY ARE A PART OF OUR UNIT AND KINNEY SEES TO IT THEY ARE FED AND DON'T GET PUSHED AROUND," THE COLONEL SAID.

THE COLONEL BELIVES THAT KINNEY HAS FOUND THE ANSWER TO THE PROBLEM OF HOW THE U.S. ARMY SHOULD USE SOUTH KOREANS TO HELP THEM FIGHT THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS.

"THOSE KOREANS CAN GO PLACES IN THESE MOUNTAINS THAT WE CAN'T GO," HE SAID. "WHY, KINNEY HAS ONE MAN WHO CARRIED A MESSAGE TO US BY RUNNING DOWN ONE MOUNTAIN AND ACROSS ANOTHER. IF I HAD TO DO THAT I'D STILL BE MISSING THIS TIME NEXT WEEK."

I WENT HUNTING FOR KINNEY FOR AN INTERVIEW. BUT NO LUCK. KINNEY WAS ACROSS THE MOUNTAINS ON PATROL WITH THE MARAUDERS.

EW652PCS

B43KX (Q)
(190)
WITH U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 10-(AP)-MAJ.GEN. WILLIAM B.KEAN TODAY PERSONALLY COMMISSIONED THREE SERGEANTS AS SECOND LIEUTENANTS AND DECORATED 11 OTHER MEN IN HIS 25TH DIVISION FOR HEROISM IN ACTION.

BATTLEFIELD COMMISSIONS AS SECOND LIEUTENANTS WERE PRESENTED AT A SPECIAL FORMATION TO:

MASTER SGT.IRA CONNERS OF BRENHAM, TEX.; SGT.FIRST CLASS WILBUR R.SELLERS OF BOONE, IA., AND SGT.FIRST CLASS ROBERT E.CLARK OF MEMPHIS, TENN.

GENERAL KEAN SAID THEY DISPLAYED SUPERIOR LEADERSHIP, IN THE ABSENCE OF OFFICERS, IN KEEPING THEIR PLATOONS IN ACTION UNDER FIRE FROM ENEMY TANKS 75 YARDS AWAY.

SILVER STARS FOR GALLANTRY IN ACTION WENT TO:

LT.COL.A.T.TERRY, JR., NEW ORLEANS, COMMANDING A FIELD ARTILLERY BATTALION FOR BREAKING AN ENEMY ATTACK BY INSPIRING HIS MEN TO REMAIN IN POSITION.

CPL.G.E.BINION OF AULT, KY., FOR REMAINING AT HIS POST FOR 95 HOURS WITHOUT RELIEF AND CALLING FOR A MORTAR BARRAGE ON HIS OWN POSITION AREA TO DRIVE OUT THE ENEMY.

THOSE RECEIVING BRONZE STAR MEDALS INCLUDED:

LT.COL.GILBERT CHECK OF WILLISTON, N.D.; MASTER SGT.CHARLES E. ADAMS OF ATLANTA; MASTER SGT.PAUL L.SAWYER OF PANAMA CITY, FLA.; CPL.JOHN E.MORRIS OF BATH, N.Y.; PFC CHARLES C.VUNETICH, OF 1119 LAKE AVE., EAST ST.LOUIS; PFC ARTHUR K.PRATER OF MEADOWVIEW, VA.

ALL ARE MEMBERS OF THE 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT.

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A47KX
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BY O. H. P. KING
WITH THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 11-(AP)-A SMALL GROUP OF NORTH KOREANS SLIPPED OUT OF THEIR NAKTONG RIVER BRIDGEHEAD LATE THURSDAY AND SET UP TWO ROADBLOCKS ON A MAIN HIGHWAY SUPPLY ROUTE ON THE WESTERN FRONT.

AMERICAN TANKS AND INFANTRY CLEARED OUT THE ROADBLOCKS DURING THE NIGHT AFTER PLANES AND ARTILLERY WORKED OVER THE POSITIONS WITH ROCKETS
AND SHELLS.

BEFORE THE SIZE OF THE RED GROUP WAS LEARNED, THERE WAS CONCERN THAT THE NORTH KOREAN MOVEMENT WAS A FLANKING THEAT, AIMED AT CUTTING OFF AMERICAN UNITS TRYING TO DRIVE THE COMMUNISTS BULGE BACK TO THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.

THE BROADBLOCKS WERE NINE MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHANGNYONG, WHICH IS 23 MILES SOUTH OF THE HUB AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE AT TAEGU.

FJ511PCS

A123KX (~~NETWORK~~ RED RADIO)
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE RED RADIO AT PYONGYANG SAID TODAY COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS WERE "EXPANDING THEIR SPHERE OF INFLUENCE" AROUND AMERICAN HELD PUSAN AND TAEGU.

PUSAN IS THE MAIN U. S. SUPPLY PORT. TAEGU IS A MAIN SUPPLY POINT NEAR THE FRONT.

THE BROADCAST, MONITORED IN TOKYO, SAID RED GUERRILLAS OPERATING BEHIND AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN BATTLE LINE WERE "SMASHING IMPORTANT ENEMY REAR FACILITIES AND TRANSPORT LINES."

THE BROADCAST MENTIONED GUERRILLA ACTIVITY AT MIRYANG, ULSAN AND KYONGJU. EACH IS DEEP IN UNITED NATIONS TERRITORY---MIRYANG 24 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN, ULSAN 26 MILES NORTH OF THE PORT CITY AND KYONGJU, 20 MILES NORTHWEST OF ULSAN.

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A101FX
TOKYO, AUG. 10-(AP)-A NORTH KOREAN ARMY COMMUNIQUE TODAY INISTED RED FORCES WERE ADVANCING ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT DESPITE AMERICAN TANK AND INFANTRY ATTACKS.

THE COMMUNIQUE WAS BROADCAST BY PYONGYANG RADIO AS AMERICAN FRONT-LINE DISPATCHES REPORTED ADVANCING U.S. FORCES WERE CLOSING A TRAP ON REMNANTS OF A CRACK COMMUNIST DIVISION IN THE SOUTH.

THE PYONGYANG BROADCAST SAID:

"NORTH KOREAN FORCES WITH CLOSE COOPERATION OF VARIOUS UNITS ARE SMASHING AMERICAN TANKS, ARMORED AND INFANTRY UNITS, MARINES AND SOUTH KOREAN REMNANTS."

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A187KX
TOKYO,AUG 10 (AP)-THE U.S. IS GOING TO RUSH A LOT OF DDT TO UNITED NATIONS BATTLE FORCES IN KOREA. AND DO THEY NEED IT!

KOREA IS BETTER KNOWN FOR ITS ODOR AND INSECTS THAN FOR ITS CLEANLINESS.

HAMILTON MORTON OF FORT WORTH, TEX., FEDERAL SUPPLY OFFICER, SAID TODAY 500 POUNDS OF DDT POWDER AND 500,000 GALLONS OF MIXED DDT LIQUID HAVE BEEN ORDERED TO KOREA IMMEDIATELY.

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A34KX
TOKYO, AUG. 10-(AP)-JAPAN'S TOP BUSINESSMEN TODAY PLEDGED "FULL SUPPORT" TO THE UNITED NATIONS CAMPAIGN IN KOREA AND OFFERED ALL POSSIBLE HELP.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE JAPAN MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION ADOPTED A RESOLUTION URGING AN EARLY PEACE TREATY FOR JAPAN AND TRANSFER OF DOMESTIC AUTHORITY TO THE JAPANESE.

THE ASSOCIATION CORRESPONDS SOMEWHAT TO THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MANUFACTURERS IN THE UNITED STATES.

FJ426PCS

A101KX
BULLETIN
BY HAL BOYLE
WITH AMERICAN FORCES AT POHANG, KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG.11-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN FORCES DRIVE TODAY TO WITHIN THREE MILES OF THE VITAL AMERICAN AIRBASE AT POHANG ON THE KOREA EAST COAST.

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A102KX
BULLETIN MATTER
WITH AMERICAN FORCES AT POHANG--FIRST ADD SECOND NIGHT LEAD (BOYLE) X X X EAST COAST.

POHANG ITSELF WAS IN FLAMES AS THE FIGHTING MOUNTED FOR THE AIRSTRIP SOUTH OF THE TOWN. FORWARD ELEMENTS OF THE ENEMY FORCES WERE WITHIN THREE MILES OF THE FIELD WHERE U.S.FIGHTERS HAVE BEEN OPERATING. EAST

THE BULK OF THE RED GROUND TROOPS, HOWEVER, WERE STILL THREE AND ONE HALF MILES FROM THE FIELD.

AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND PLANES PLASTERED THE REDS WITH HEAVY SHELLS AND ROCKETS AS WELL AS STRAFING ATTACKS.

U. S. TANKS SPEARHEADED THE DEFENSE BEING PUT UP BY AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES. FRONT REPORTS SAID ABOUT TWO REGIMENTS OF

ENEMY TROOPS WERE INVOLVED IN THE BLAZING ACTION.

THE INTENSITY OF THE FIGHTING WAS POINTED UP BY THE FACT THAT TWO AMERICAN UNITS HAD BEEN CUT OFF IN THE MOUNTING COMBAT.

ONE OUTFIT ENROUTE TO REINFORCE DEFENDING FORCES WAS AMBUSHED TEN MILES SOUTH OF POHANG LAST NIGHT. THE UNIT WAS SPLIT IN TWO AT ONE TIME WITH ONE COMPANY OF NEGRO INFANTRYMEN SEPARATED FROM THE REST OF THE TROOPS. THEY REGROUPED, HOWEVER, AND LATER RE-JOINED THE MAIN AMERICAN FIGHTING FORCES.

ANOTHER U. S. GROUP GUARDING THE SOUTHWESTERN APPROACHES TO POHANG WAS ALSO CUT OFF. BUT THE UNIT WAS LEFT INTACT AND, AT LAST REPORTS, WAS FIGHTING ITS WAY BACK TO THE MAIN ELEMENTS OF THE DEFENSE.

CASUALTIES APPEARED LIGHT AMONG THE AMERICAN TROOPS.

(REPORTS IN TOKYO INDICATED THE REDS HERE WERE GUERRILLAS. A HEAD-QUARTERS SUMMARY HAD THE MAIN ENEMY FORCE HALTED ABOUT 16 MILES FROM THE FIELD.)

DURING THE DAY FOUR F-51'S WERE LOST---THREE BY GROUND FIRE AND ONE BY WING FIRE THAT BROKE OUT IN THE AIR--DEFENDING THE BASE. ONE FLIER WAS MISSING IN ACTION AND THREE WERE RESCUED.

"WE STARTED STRAFING THE ENEMY BEFORE WE HAD OUR WHEELS UP AFTER TAKING OFF," SAID ONE PILOT.

THE 8TH ARMY IMMEDIATELY THREW IN STRONG AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN INFANTRY SUPPORT BACKED BY TANKS TO CHECK THE DESPERATE COASTAL DRIVE. BY MID-AFTERNOON, ONE ENEMY FORCE WAS ONLY 60 AIR MILES FROM THE VITAL SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN, 65 MILES SOUTH OF HERE.

THE IMMEDIATE AIM OF THE RED DRIVE APPEARED TO BE POHANG'S AIRPORT ITSELF AND THE RAIL AND HIGHWAY APPROACHES TO POHANG, A SECONDARY PORT AT WHICH THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WAS PUT ASHORE IN A DRYFOOTED AMPHIBIOUS LANDING ABOUT THREE WEEKS AGO.

PIT APPEARED THE FAST FOOTWORK OF THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMAND WOULD QUICKL SEAL OFF THE LAST-GASP EFFORT OF THE ENEMY THAT HAS TESTED THE WHOLE PERIMETER OF THE UNITED NATONS LINE BEFORE TRYING TO BREAK THROUGH HERE.

THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK FROM YONGDOK WAS MASKED BY DECEPTION, CAMOUFLAGE AND AN ATTEMPT TO CAPITALIZE ON THE FEAR OF COMMUNIST TANKS BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS, WHO ARE ALONE ON THE YONGDOK SECTOR EXCEPT FOR VIGOROUS AIR AND SEA SUPPORT. YONGDOK IS A RED-HELD PORT 25 MILES NORTH OF HERE.

DOWN THE COASTAL ROAD FROM YONGDOK, THE REDS BROKE THROUGH FOR FOUR MILES IN AN AREA UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF BOTH BRITISH AND AMERICAN NAVAL GUNS. THE RED DRIVE ROLLED THROUGH PARTLY BECAUSE OF SUPERIOR NUMBERS AND PARTLY THROUGH THE TACTIS OF TERROR.

EXPLOITING THE FEAR OF TANKS AMONG THE LIGHTLY ARMED REPUBLIC OF KOREA TROOPS, THE COMMUNISTS MOVED LINES OF DUMMY TANKS ACROSS A RIDGE. THEN THEY BROUGHT DOWN A GULLY FOUR REAL TANKS WHOSE SCREAMING SIRENS FRIGHTENED THE SOUTH KOREANS INTO BELIEVING THEY WERE FACING A MASSED ARMOR ATTACK.

THE NERVE-TEARING SIREN AND THE SOUND OF TANK TREADS HAD THEIR EFFECT.

IT WAS THE SAME SYSTEM OF PANIC USED BY THE GERMANS IN THE LAST WORLD WAR WHEN THEY PUT SHRILL NOISE DEVICES IN THEIR STUKA DIVE BOMBERS. BUT THE REDS DID NOT COMMIT THEIR TANKS TO COMBAT. ONE WAS DEMOBILIZED BY A THROWN TREAD.

THE SECOND RED PUSH INLAND FROM YONGDOK APPARENTLY WAS MADE WITHOUT ARMOR. IT CAME DOWN NARROW INLAND VALLEY CORRIDORS PROTECTED BY MOUNTAINS FROM SEA OR AIR BOMBARDMENT.

JUST HOW MANY TROOPS THE REDS HAVE IN THIS DEEPLY PENETRATING FORCE NO ONE COULD SAY.

CAPT. PERCY F. AUSTIN OF MAYSVILLE, KY., A KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP LIAISON OFFICER WITH THE SOUTH KOREANS, ESTIMATED THE INVADERS HAD ABOUT 10,000 MEN ALONG A LINE STRETCHING FROM YONGDOK WESTWARD TO ANDONG ALONG THE NORTHEAST FRONT. THIS WAS IN ADDITION TO THE ENEMY'S VETERAN FIFTH DIVISION PUSHING THROUGH YONGDOK.

AUSTIN WAS THE FIRST TO CONFIRM THE RED APPROACH SIFTING DOWN THE INLAND VALLEY. BU NIGHTFALL THURSDAY, THE REDS HAD PENETRATED IN FORCE THROUGH KIGYE, NORTHWEST OF POHANG, AND GONE FOUR MILES FARTHER SOUTHWARD AGAINST CRUMBLING OPPOSITION.

ONE 30-MAN PATROL WAS THROWING RIFLE AND MACHINEGUN FIRE ACROSS THE KEY SUPPLY ROAD BETWEEN YONGCHON AND POHANG. THIS ROAD BLOCK WAS ABOUT 1,000 YARDS EAST OF ANGANG.

THIS WAS THE DEEPEST PENETRATION AND DOUBLY DANGEROUS BECAUSE IT PUT THE REDS IN POSITION TO CUT THE ROAD OF REINFORCEMENT AND SWING EASTWARD THROUGH THE HILLS TO BRING THE AMERICAN FIGHTER BASE ITSELF UNDER MORTAR OR ARTILLERY FIRE.

A BARBED WIERE BARRIER PROTECTS THE FIGHTER STRIP. MEN WERE UNDER ALERT.

LONG LINES OF REFUGEES WERE SCREENED TO KEEP GUERRILLAS FROM FILTERING THROUGH.

AUSTIN FIRST SIGHTED THE INLAND ATTACK FORCE TUESDAY A FEW MILES WEST OF KIGYE. HE MADE AN OBSERVATION FLIGHT AFTER CIVILIANS REPORTED THE ENEMY WAS SIFTING THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS OPPOSED ONLY BY THE DIFFICULT TERRAIN.

"FIRST I SAW SOME VEHICLES THAT I THOUGHT WERE OURS," HE SAID. "THEN IN THE NEXT DRAW I SAW A LONG LINE OF TROOPS SITTING ELBOW TO ELBOW ALONG THE ROAD. THEY WERE RESTING---BUT THEY WERE ALSO CAMOUFLAGED BY LEAVES AND SHRUBS.

"WE DIVED DOWN TO 150 FEET TO LOOK THEM OVER AND SUDDENLY A MOUNTAIN MACHINEGUN OPENED UP ON US. THEY SWEPT THE PLANE. THREE BULLETS WENT THROUGH BETWEEN ME AND THE PILOT AND I COULD FEEL BITS OF METAL HIT MY LEG. SOME STUCK IN MY PANTS."

AUSTIN ESTIMATED THE ENEMY STRENGTH OF THE INLAND FORCE AT ABOUT 3,000---A REINFORCED REGIMENT.

"I SAW NO TANKS," HE SAID.

THAT WAS A BIGGER FORCE THAN THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD TO THROW AGAINST THEM.

TOMORROW THERE WILL BE MORE TO THROW. IT WON'T BE METAL SIRENS OR WOODEN PROPAGANDA PULLED BY OXEN.

MUSTANG PILOTS TAKING OFF FROM THE BASE SAID THE ENEMY WAS ONLY 5 1/2 MILES FROM THE END OF THEIR STRIP. ONE FLIER SAID" WE BEGAN STRAFING BEFORE WE GOT OUR WHEELS UP."

(REPORTS IN TOKYO INDICATED THE ENEMY REFERRED TO MUST HAVE BEEN COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS WHO HAVE BEEN OPERATING IN THAT AREA FOR SOME TIME. LATEST OFFICIAL INFORMATION PUT THE MAIN ENEMY FORCE EIGHT MILES WEST OF POHANG OR ABOUT 16 MILES FROM THE FIELD.)

FOUR MUSTANG [redacted] THIRD GRAF.

FOUR MUSTANG PLANES WERE LOST DURING THE DAY IN DEFENDING THE AIRSTRIP. THREE WERE SHOT DOWN BY ENEMY GROUND FIRE. ONE PILOT IS MISSING, THREE WERE RESCUED.

A93FX

VIGOROUS COUNTER-MEASURES WERE PUT UNDER WAY IMMEDIATELY BY THE U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMAND AND THE RED DRIVE WAS EXPECTED TO BE CONTAINED.

THE FIRST NORTH KOREAN THRUST BEGAN THURSDAY MORNING 1,000 YARDS BELOW THE EAST COAST CITY OF YONGDOK. IT LUNGED STRAIGHT SOUTH FOR FOUR MILES BY MIDAFTERNOON.

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THE SECOND THRUST CAME FROM A STRONG FORCE THAT FILTERED INLAND BY NIGHT THROUGH MOUNTAIN VALLEYS. IT SEIZED KIGYE, ABOUT EIGHT MILE NORTHWEST OF POHANG.

IN A DAYLIGHT FIGHT AGAINST THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION THE REDS PUSHED FOUR MILES SOUTH OF KIGYE IN FORCE. THEY PUT AN ADVANCE PATROL OF 30 MEN ASTRIDE THE YONGCHON-POHANG SUPPLY ROUTE ABOUT 1000 YARDS EAST OF ANGANG.

THEY WERE IN POSITION TO PUT MACHINEGUNE FIRE ACROSS VITAL RAIL AND HIGHWAY ROADS TO POHANG.

THE INLAND RED DRIVE IS PROTECTED BY HIGH MOUNTAIN RANGES FROM BEING MOLESTED BY UNITED STATES NAVAL VESSELS WHICH HAVE BEEN POUNDING THE SHORE AND HAVE BEEN HOLDING UP THE RED PUSH FROM YONGDOK.

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(450) KOREAN-INDOCTRINATION

WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-EVIDENCE THAT THE RED INVADERS OF SOUTH KOREA ARE PRESSING THE COMMUNIZATION OF CONQUERED AREAS AT TOP SPEED IS BEING STUDIED CAREFULLY HERE BY STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS.

INFORMATION GATHERED DIRECTLY IN KOREA AND ALSO COLLECTED FROM COMMUNIST CLAIMS IN RADIO BROADCASTS INDICATES THAT THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS DROVE INTO THE SOUTH WITH HIGHLY DETAILED PLANS FOR CREATING A NEW POLITICAL ORDER.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS BELIEVE THAT THE COMMUNIST PLAN ASSUMES A QUICK RED MILITARY VICTORY TO BE FOLLOWED UP BY "ELECTIONS" AND OTHER MEASURES TO UNIFY THE WHOLE COUNTRY UNDER RED RULE IN SHORT ORDER.

THE STAND OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN THE SOUTH IS ASSUMED TO HAVE THROWN A BLOCK IN THE WAY OF THESE PLANS ALTHOUGH IN THE AREAS THEY CONTROL THE COMMUNISTS ARE WORKING HARD ON THEIR POLITICAL AIMS.

THE LATEST RED RADIO SUMMARY, A MIXTURE OF REPORTS AND ANTI-AMERICAN PROPAGANDA, IS A MOSCOW BROADCAST OF AUGUST 7 RECORDED BY U.S. GOVERNMENT MONITORS.

"WITH THE ARRIVAL OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY IN SOUTHERN KOREA A DEMOCRATIC LIFE WAS RESUMED," THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID.

"PROVISIONAL PEOPLE'S COMMITTEES WERE FORMED WHICH HAD BEEN LIQUIDATED BY THE U.S. OCCUPIERS AND THEIR LACKEYS IN THE AUTUMN OF 1945. VOTING HAS ALREADY TAKEN PLACE IN VARIOUS PROVINCES. THE MAJORITY OF THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN ELECTED TO THE PEOPLE'S COMMITTEES IN THE LIBERATED AREAS ARE WORKERS, PEASANTS, AND EMPLOYES, AS WELL AS IN PART MERCHANTS AND INDUSTRIALISTS."

DIPLOMATS SAID THAT IN THE FIRST STAGE OF COMMUNIZATION OF A COUNTRY THE SOVIET PATTERN PERMITS DEALINGS WITH "MERCHANTS AND INDUSTRIALISTS" BECAUSE AT THAT STAGE THEY ARE NECESSARY TO THE WORKING OF THE ECONOMY; LATER THEIR POWER IS BROKEN OR THEY ARE LIQUIDATED.

THE MOSCOW BROADCASTS CLAIM THAT SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS AND INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES ARE BEING REHABILITATED. ONE SPECIFICALLY MENTIONED AN ELECTRICAL POWER STATION AT ENVOR AS BEING IN OPERATION ALREADY AND ANOTHER AT KANIN AS "ALMOST IN RUNNING ORDER."

"THE WORKERS OF THE SOUTHERN PART OF THE REPUBLIC KNOW THAT UNDER THE PEOPLE'S AUTHORITY WORK WILL BE ASSURED TO ALL CITIZENS AND THAT THE PEASANTS WILL RECEIVE PLOTS OF LAND XXZ," ONE BROADCAST SAID.

"THE PEASANTS THEMSELVES ALLOCATE LAND TO THOSE WHO HAVE LITTLE OR NO LAND AND DECIDE WHAT LAND SHOULD BE SEIZED. THE COMMITTEES FOR THE REALLOCATION OF LAND ARE FORMED LOCALLY. THE LAND OF THE LARGE KOREAN LANDOWNERS X X X IS CONFISCATED WITHOUT COMPENSATION AND DIVIDED BETWEEN MEDIUM AND POOR PEASANTS."

SEVERAL MONTHS AGO THE COMMUNIST REGIME IN NORTH KOREA ANNOUNCED ITS INTENTION TO HOLD ELECTIONS ALL OVER KOREA IN MID-AUGUST. EXPERTS SAID THE USUAL COMMUNIST PATTERN IS TO ESTABLISH COMPLETE CONTROL OF CONQUERED AREAS AND WIPE OUT ALL DISSIDENT ELEMENTS IN ADVANCE OF AN ELECTION, THE RESULTS OF WHICH ARE THEREBY ASSURED.

WHETHER THE REDS ACTUALLY WILL TRY TO GO THROUGH WITH THEIR VOTING PLANS ON A NATIONAL SCALE IN THE NEXT WEEK OR SO IS QUESTIONED HERE IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT THE FIGHTING CONTINUES AND THEY CAN NO LONGER HAVE THE CONFIDENT ASSURANCE OF A QUICK VICTORY THEY MAY ONCE HAVE HELD.

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(260) WAR DEAD

WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-AMERICANS KILLED IN THE FIGHTING IN KOREA ARE BEING BROUGHT BACK TO THE UNITED STATES FOR BURIAL IN PRIVATE OR NATIONAL CEMETERIES.

THE REMAINS OF SOME MEN KILLED IN ACTION IN KOREA HAVE ALREADY ARRIVED IN THIS COUNTRY, AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY. IN EACH CASE THE COFFINED BODIES ARE BEING SENT TO THE NEXT OF KIN OR TO AN ADDRESS DESIGNATED BY THE FAMILIES.

DURING WORLD WAR II, MOST AMERICAN DEAD WERE GIVEN TEMPORARY BURIAL NEAR WHERE THEY FELL OVERSEAS. LATER THEY WERE TRANSFERRED TO PERMANENT U.S. CEMETERIES ABROAD OR RETURNED TO THIS COUNTRY FOR RE-BURIAL, ACCORDING TO THE WISHES OF THEIR FAMILIES.

THE ARMY SAID IT WOULD MAKE NO GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENT FROM WASHINGTON OF THE ARRIVAL OF U.S. DEAD FROM KOREA. SUCH ANNOUNCEMENTS ARE MADE AT WEST COAST PORTS AFTER THE FAMILIES CONCERNED HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED.

ARMY FIGURES THROUGH JUNE OF THIS YEAR SHOW THAT THE REMAINS OF 280,388 WORLD WAR II DEAD HAVE BEEN RECOVERED IN ALL OVERSEAS BATTLE THEATERS.

OF THIS NUMBER 168,547 HAVE BEEN RETURNED TO THE U.S. FOR REBURIAL. ONLY 2,597 BODIES ARE BEING HELD BY THE ARMY PENDING FINAL DISPOSITION. THE REMAINING 109,244 DEAD WILL REMAIN IN U.S. CEMETERIES OVERSEAS. THE FIGURES COVER ALL BRANCHES OF THE ARMED SERVICES.

THE ARMY, ACTING AS AGENT FOR ALL THE ARMED SERVICES, HAS ON ITS BOOKS THE NAMES OF 78,579 MEN WHOSE REMAINS HAVE NOT BEEN RECOVERED. THIS TOTAL INCLUDES A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER LOST AT SEA.

ALL BUT 8,398 OF THE RECOVERED WORLD WAR II DEAD HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED. THE ARMY BELIEVES THERE IS SOME POSSIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING THE IDENTIFICATION OF 2,544 OF THESE.

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YONGDOK (160)

WASHINGTON,AUG 10-(AP)-AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT THERE IS NO GREAT DANGER IN THE YONGDOK AREA ON THE KOREAN EAST COAST, WHERE COMMUNIST TROOPS ARE REPORTED DRIVING TOWARD A MAIN AMERICAN FIGHER PLANE BASE.

THE NORTH KOREANS RETOOK YONGDOK FROM SOUTH KOREAN FORCES THURSDAY AND DROVE FOUR MILES SOUTHWARD TOWARD THE PORT OF POHANG. FOUR AMERICAN MUSTANG FIGHTERS OPERATING FROM A BASE IN THIS GENERAL AREA WERE REPORTED SHOT DOWN BY GROUND FIRE.

ASKED ABOUT THIS SITUATION AT A PENTAGON BRIEFING FOR REPORTERS

TODAY, THE ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID:
"I DON'T THINK THERE'S ANY GREAT DANGER THERE. AS LONG AS WE HOLD SOMEWHERE IN THAT GENERAL AREA ITS PERFECTLY SAFE. WE WOULDN'T WANT TO DRAW TROOPS FROM THE AREA OF THE MAIN ATTACK."
HIS REFERENCE TO THE "MAIN ATTACK" APPARENTLY APPLIED TO THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, THOUGH HE DID NOT ELABORATE.
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B72KX (TEXTS) (Q)
TEXT (270)
U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AU.10-(AP)-TEXT OF U.S.8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO.32, TIMED AT 9:45P.M. (6:45A.M. EST) TODAY:
ELEMENTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA BATTLED AGGRESSIVELY TODAY ON ALL SECTORS OF THE FRONT TO MAINTAIN AND EXPAND THEIR BEACHHEAD.
TASK FORCE KEAN CONTINUED ITS ADVANCE TODAY WITH PATROLS OF THE FIFTH REGIMENT LINKING WITH THOSE OF THE 35TH REGIMENT AT TAESHON, SIX MILES EAST OF THE ENEMY HELD HIGH GROUND PROTECTING CHINJU.
ENEMY RESISTANCE IN THIS AREA IS COMPOSED MAINLY OF SMALL SCATTERED UNITS WHICH HAVE HARASSED TASK FORCE KEAN WITH DELAYING ACTION.
THE 5TH MARINE REGIMENT HAS LEADING ELEMENTS IN KOSONG WHICH IS AN ADVANCE OF TWELVE MILES.
ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION MADE SEVERAL ATTACKS TODAY ON THE COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD BUT WERE UNABLE TO DISLODGE THE ENEMY FROM DUG IN POSITIONS ALONG THE RIDGE NEAR THE RIVER.
THE WITHDRAWALS REPORTED THIS MORNING APPEAR NOW TO HAVE BEEN TACTICAL MOVEMENTS BY THE ENEMY FOR A COUNTER-ATTACK WHICH WAS MADE THIS AFTERNOON TO THE SOUTHEAST.
THE ENEMY FORCE IN THE 1ST CAVALRY SECTOR WAS ANNIHILATED ABOUT 1900 HOURS (7PM KOREA TIME; 4 A.M. E.S.T.) TODAY.
TROOPS COUNTED 300 DEAD ON THE HIGH-GROUND AND CAPTURED 20 PRISONERS.
THE HILL WAS TAKEN BY THE 7TH CAVALRY REGIMENT SUPPORTED BY 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION ARTILLERY.
ELEMENTS OF ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIGHTING 1ST DIVISION WERE ENGAGED IN CLOSE COMBAT WITH THE ENEMY TODAY AND SUCCEEDED IN CAPTURING THREE TANKS INTACT AND WERE TRYING TO RETRIVE THEM.
ENEMY INFANTRY, HOWEVER, WERE STILL IN THE AREA AND A COUNTER-ATTACK WAS POSSIBLE.
SIX OTHER TANKS IN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY WERE KNOCKED OUT BY COMBINED AIR FORCE, ARTILLERY AND 1ST ROK DIVISION INFANTRY.
HEAVY PRESSURE AND INDICATIONS OF A GENERAL BUILDUP OPPOSITE THE 6TH AND 8TH ROK DIVISIONS IN THE YANGGI AND SECHON SECTORS WERE EVIDENT.
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AERIAL TEXT (700)
TOKYO, AUG. 10-(AP)-TEXT OF FAR EAST AIR FORCES COMMUNIQUE NO. 47 RELEASED AT 12:45 P.M., (9:45 P.M., EST, WEDNESDAY)(DELAYED BY TRANSMISSION DIFFICULTIES):
FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES FAR EAST AIR FORCES AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCES FIGHTERS CONTINUED THEIR SUSTAINED ASSAULT ON NORTH KOREAN MILITARY OBJECTIVES ON AUGUST 9.
SUPERFORTRESSES OF THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND HAMMERED AT THE EAST COAST TRANSPORTATION NETWORK IN THE KONAN-YONGHUNG SECTOR. MORE THAN 100 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES WERE DROPPED.
THE OPERATION WAS A CONTINUATION OF THE PLANNED STRATEGIC INTERDICTION PROGRAM WHICH IN THE PAST FIVE DAYS HAS HAD SUPER-FORTRESS STRIKES ON MORE THAN 14 KEY BRIDGES. TWO LARGE INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATIONS AND OTHER SUPPLY SOURCES ON TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES AVAILABLE TO THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES.
ONE B-29 MISSION ENROUTE TO ATTACK BRIDGES IN THE YONGHUNG AREA OBSERVED A CONCENTRATION OF RAILROAD ROLLING STOCK ESTIMATED TO CONTAIN EIGHT LOCOMOTIVES AND 240 CARS IN A MARSHALLING YARD AT KOWON, 7 MILES SOUTH OF YONGHUNG. THE B-29S MADE AN UNSCHEDULED ATTACK AND APPROXIMATELY 12 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS.
THE SOUTHERN CHOKE POINT WAS HIT SQUARELY AND OTHER BURSTS DID EXTENSIVE DAMAGE IN THE YARDS. PREVIOUS ATTACKS ON THE EAST COAST RAIL SYSTEM ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE RESULTED IN THIS CONCENTRATION OF ROLLING STOCK.
A BRIDGE NEAR SONGJIN 100 MILES UP THE EAST COAST FROM KONAN WAS DAMAGED BY THE B-29S AND ONE SPAN WAS DOWN AT THE NORTH END OF A RAILROAD BRIDGE AT YONGHUNG. TWO OTHER BRIDGES WERE DAMAGED AT POINTS 33 MILES WEST AND 10 MILES NORTHWEST OF KONAN.
ATTACKS ON THE EAST COAST RAIL AND HIGHWAY ARTERIES FOLLOWED RECONNAISSANCE WHICH INDICATED LARGE NUMBERS OF RAIL AND ROAD VEHICLES ALONG THE ROUTES SOUTH OF CHONGJIN. IT WAS NOT KNOWN IF THE TRAFFIC WAS THE RESULT OF LARGE-SCALE SUPPLY MOVEMENTS OR THE STOPPING UP OF THE NORMAL TRAFFIC FLOW BY PREVIOUS MEDIUM BOMBER ATTACKS.
AUGUST 9TH WAS THE FORTY-FIFTH CONSECUTIVE DAY OF FULL-SCALE WAR OPERATIONS BY MOST ELEMENTS OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES. THE DAY WAS MARKED BY GOOD FLYING WEATHER IN MOST SECTORS AND NO LOSSES OR DAMAGE TO OUR AIRCRAFT THROUGH NORTH KOREAN AIR OR GROUND ACTION.
SORTIES FLOWN IN SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES CONTINUED CLOSE TO THE 500 DAILY AVERAGE ESTABLISHED OVER THE PAST WEEK.

FIFTY AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS STAGED DAYLIGHT INTERDICTION STRIKES ON BRIDGES CLOSE TO THE BATTLE LINES FOUR BRIDGES WERE BOMBED AND SERIOUS DAMAGE WAS INFLICTED ON A HIGHWAY BRIDGE AT KUMCHON AND A RAILWAY BRIDGE NEAR HWANGGAN.
B-26S AND F-82S FLYING NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS BOMBED AND STRAFED MILITARY OBJECTIVES AT TAEJON, KUMSAN, ANDONG, CHECHON, KUMCHON, YOSU, KWANGJU AND OTHER POINTS ON THE OUTSIDE PERIMETER OF THE BATTLE FRONT.
A B-26 NIGHT BOMB DROP 15 MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHENGJU WAS FOLLOWED BY VIOLENT EXPLOSIONS AND WHAT APPEARED TO BE MAGNESIUM FIRES.
F-82S STRAFED A TROOP CONVOY AND STARTED FIRES IN A LARGE WAREHOUSE AT MOKPO ON THE SOUTH-WESTERN COAST.
TROOP COLUMNS WERE ALSO STRAFED IN NIGHT ATTACKS IN THE YONGJU AND TAYANG SECTORS AND FIRES WERE STARTED IN SEVERAL TOWNS AND VILLAGES HOUSING NORTH KOREAN MILITARY UNITS.
F-80 AND F-51 FIGHTERS OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE AND RAAF MUSTANGS CONCENTRATED THEIR ROCKET AND MACHINE GUN ATTACKS IN THE SOUTHEAST SECTOR BACKING UP AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS IN THE FIGHT TO HOLD THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.
THE FIGHTERS WERE PARTICULARLY ACTIVE IN THE WAEGWAN AREA WHERE EFFORTS WERE MADE TO HELP THE GROUND ECHELONS DRIVE BACK NORTH KOREAN PENETRATIONS ACROSS THE NAKTONG AND AT OTHER CRITICAL POINTS TO THE SOUTH.
MORE THAN 300 EFFECTIVE SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY FIGHTER AIRCRAFT IN MANY LOCAL AREAS OF THE MOUNTAINOUS SOUTHERN DISTRICT.
TROOPS WERE STRAFED AND NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK AT WAEGWAN, HYOPCHONG, KORYONG AND CHINJU. A TOTAL OF 39 VEHICLES INCLUDING TANKS, 12 RAILROAD CARS AND 3 LOCOMOTIVES WERE ATTACKED AND CLAIMED AS DAMAGED BY THE FIGHTERS.
A FUEL DUMP, TWO LARGE BUILDINGS AND A GUN POSITION WERE HIT AT KORYONG AND TWO BARGES WERE CLAIMED AS DESTROYED OFF THE SOUTH COAST. TROOP CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED IN STRIKES ON KORYONG AND

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CHINJU AS WELL AS IN OTHER LOCATIONS CLOSE TO THE FRONT LINES.
TROOP CARRIER AIRCRAFT OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE AIRLIGHTED MORE THAN 62 TONS OF URGENTLY NEEDED MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO KOREAN AIRFIELDS DURING THE DAY.
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TOKYO, AUG. 10-(AP)-TEXT OF GEN.MACARTHUR'S KOREAN RELEASE NO. 231 ISSUED AT 1:50 P.M. (10:50 P.M.EST WEDNESDAY):
UN FORCES ATTACKING TOWARD CHINJU HAVE SUCCEEDED IN BREAKING THROUGH THE ENEMY DEFENSIVE POSITION AND THE ENEMY IS RETREATING.
U.S.PATROLS HAVE REACHED THE NAM (RIVER) CAPTURING MUCH ENEMY EQUIPMENT ENROUTE. SMALL POCKETS OF ENEMY FORCES SCATTERED THROUGHOUT THE AREA ARE BEING SYSTEMATICALLY REDUCED.
THE FIRST ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) DIVISION SUCCEEDED IN DRIVING THE RED INVADER WEST OF THE RIVER OPPOSITE OPYONG DESPITE THE ENEMY ARTILLERY BARRAGE WHICH WAS FIRED BY THE COMMUNISTS AT THE REAR OF THEIR OWN TROOPS IN ORDER TO PREVENT THEIR RETREAT.
THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION RENEWED ITS ASSAULT ON THE ENEMY SALIENT ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG. DESPITE THE RECAPTURE OF THE COMMANDING HIGH GROUND IN THIS AREA BY U.S.TROOPS, THE ENEMY CONTINUED TO REINFORCE HIS POSITION EAST OF THE RIVER. THE THIRD ROK DIVISION WITHDREW UNDER HEAVY TANK AND INFANTRY ATTACK TO NEW DEFENSIVE POSITIONS ABOUT 1,000 YARDS SOUTH OF YONGDOK. ELSEWHERE ALONG THE FRONT HEAVY ENEMY PRESSURE CONTINUED TO BE EXERTED AGAINST THE CAPITAL AND EIGHTH ROK DIVISIONS NORTH OF UISONG. A NAVAL BOMBARDMENT WAS CONDUCTED BY ELEMENTS OF TASK FORCE 96 IN THE AREA NORTH OF YONGDOK IN SUPPORT OF GROUND ACTION. ACTION REPORTS INDICATE THAT ENEMY TROOPS GUN EMPLACEMENTS, ROADS AND BRIDGES WERE BOMBARDED WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS.
PRELIMINARY STRIKE REPORTS BY THE FIFTH AIR FORCE INDICATE THAT THREE TRUCKS, TWO BUILDINGS, ONE GUN POSITION AND TWO BOXCARS WERE DESTROYED. B-26 BOMBERS REPORTED HITTING A TROOP CONVOY ON THE YECHON ROAD AND REPORTED VIOLENT EXPLOSIONS FOLLOWING THE BOMBARDMENT OF WANPUNG.
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TEXT (800)
TOKYO,AUG 10 (AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.233 (AERIAL) ISSUED AT 7:45 P.M. (4:45 A.M. EST) TODAY:
THE HEAVIEST STRIKE TO DATE WAS MADE THURSDAY, AUG.10 BY B-29 SUPERFORTS OF THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES WHEN APPROXIMATELY 625 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES WERE DROPPED ON MAJOR NORTH KOREAN TARGETS. BOMBING WAS VISUAL AND EARLY REPORTS POINT TO EXTENSIVE DAMAGE DONE TO THE COMMUNIST WAR POTENTIAL.
MORE THAN 400 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON THREE SEPARATE TARGETS IN THE WONSAN INDUSTRIAL AREA, AND MORE THAN 200 TONS AGAINST STRATEGIC INTERDICTION TARGETS IN THE TRANSPORTATION NETWORK NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.
TODAY'S HEAVY ASSAULT WAS CARRIED OUT BY ABOUT 70 B-29S. THE TONNAGE DELIVERED ON THE TARGETS TODAY (625 TONS) WOULD HAVE REQUIRED 250 WORLD WAR TWO B-17S.
STRIKES IN THE WONSAN AREA WERE MADE AGAINST THE RAILROAD RAIL CENTER AND SWITCHING YARD, THE RAILROAD REPAIR SHOPS AND THE CHOSEN OIL REFINERY.
THE 25-TRACK-WIDE SWITCHING CENTER, LOCATED SOUTHWEST OF THE OIL REFINERY, HANDLED ALL SUPPLY TRAIN TRAFFIC MOVING THROUGH WONSAN FROM THE NORTH AND SOUTH, IN ADDITION TO CARGO UNLOADED FROM SHIPS IN THE HARBOR FOR LATER RAIL MOVEMENT. THE CENTER WAS FILLED WITH LOADED TRAINS THURSDAY AS THE B-29S MADE THEIR MASSED ACCURATE FORMATION

THE LOCOMOTIVE AND CAR REPAIR SHOPS COVERED AN AREA OF 2,200 BY 1,300 FEET. IT WAS USED CHIEFLY FOR REPAIR OF NORTH KOREA'S CRIPPLED TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM. IT IS LOCATED TWO MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE OIL REFINERY AND WAS BUILT BY THE JAPANESE DURING THEIR OCCUPATION OF KOREA. HEAVY FORCE EQUIPMENT, MACHINE SHOPS AND WAREHOUSES WERE IN THE AREA.
THE FINAL TARGET ON THE TRIPLE ATTACK AGAINST WONSAN WAS THE CHOSEN (KOREAN) OIL REFINERY, PART OF WHICH WENT UP IN GASOLINE AND OIL FED FLAMES SEEN TO RISE AS HIGH AS 3,000 FEET, ACCORDING TO THE RETURNING CREWS. THEY SAID THEY SAW THE FLAMES AS THEY TURNED AWAY FROM THE TARGET, AND ALSO SAW FOR A LONG DISTANCE (75 TO 100 MILES) SMOKE IN THE AREA RISING TO AN ESTIMATED 10,000 FEET.
BOMBS WERE SEEN TO STRIKE THE HEART OF THE REFINERY WHICH WAS SELECTED AS A TARGET AFTER RECONNAISSANCE PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN AUG. 6 REVEALED THAT ONLY A SMALL PORTION OF THE IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATION HAD BEEN DAMAGED IN THE PREVIOUS SMALL AIR STRIKES.
THE REFINERY INCLUDED THE IMPORTANT CRACKING AND DISTILLATION PLANT, A RESEARCH LABORATORY AND GLYCERINE AND POTASH PRODUCTION UNIT.
MAJOR PETE SIANIS OF WASHINGTON, D.C., RIDING ONE OF THE B-29S AS AN OFFICIAL OBSERVER, SAID: "THE BLACK SMOKE ROSE FROM THE CENTER OF THE REFINERY. WE COULD STILL SEE THE COLUMN RISING 10,000 FEET IN THE SKY AFTER LEAVING THE TARGET MILES BEHIND."

S/SGT.RICHARD F.YORK OF WHITING, IND., A TAIL GUNNER IN THE LAST B-29 IN THE SECOND WAVE TO BOMB WONAN, SAID:
"AS WE WERE GOING AWAY FROM THE TARGET I SAW SMOKE AND FLAMES POURING UP FROM THE REFINERY. THEN IT SUDDENLY SEEMED TO EXPLODE AND A SMOKE COLUMN WAS PUSHED UP EVEN ABOVE OUR ALTITUDE WHICH WAS MORE THAN 15,000 FEET."
SGT.YORK STILL HAD THE SMOKE COLUMN IN SIGHT WHEN HIS AIRCRAFT WAS WELL OVER 100 MILES FROM THE TARGET.
CAPT.HERBERT R. WHITE OF TEMPE, ARIZ., PILOT OF THE LAST PLANE IN THE SECOND WAVE, SAID:
"I COULD SEE THE BOMBS OF THE PRECEDING WAVE STRIKE IN THE BIG RAIL CENTER. THERE SEEMED TO BE A SMALL EXPLOSION AND THEN FLAMES RACED ACROSS THE ENTIRE MARSHALLING YARDS. IT PROBABLY WAS CAUSED BY LOADED AMMUNITION CARS GOING UP."
FEAF BOMBER COMMAND PLANNERS INTENTIONALLY PLACED THE PYONGYANG MARSHALLING YARDS ON THE TARGET LIST AHEAD OF TWONSAN ENROUTE TO PYONGYANG. THE DESTRUCTION OF PYONGYANG MARSHALLING YARDS ON AUG. 7 UNDOUBTEDLY CAUSED RAIL TRANSPORTATION TO BACK UP INTO THE WONSAN YARD WHICH WAS ONE OF TODAY'S TARGETS.
THE THIRD WAVE OF B-29S EXPERIENCED CONSIDERABLE DIFFICULTY IN LOCATING THEIR AIMING POINTS IN THE WONSAN AREA BECAUSE OF THE PALL OF GREASY BLACK SMOKE WHICH RAPIDLY SPREAD OVER THE TARGET AREA.
"WONSAN WAS ANOTHER TARGET IN OUR PLANNED STRATEGIC BOMBING SYSTEM DESIGNED FOR COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA," MAJOR GEN. EMMETT O'DONNELL JR, FEAF BOMBER COMMANDER, SAID THIS AFTERNOON. "THE MEN DID A GRAND JOB IN DELIVERING A RECORD BOMB TONNAGE IN PRECISION FASHION."
THE WONSAN OIL REFINERY, THE LARGEST IN KOREA, AND PROBABLY THE LARGEST OIL AND GASOLINE REFINERY BUILT BY THE JAPANESE OUTSIDE THEIR HOME ISLANDS, WAS RATED AS HAVING AN ANNUAL CAPACITY WELL IN EXCESS OF 1,900,000 BARRELS OF CRUDE OIL.
THE PLANT WAS CAPABLE OF PRODUCING LARGE QUANTITIES OF MOTOR FUELS AND AVIATION GASOLINE AS WELL AS LUBRICATING OILS AND OTHER PETROLEUM PRODUCTS.
STORAGE CAPACITY OF THE PLANT ESTIMATED FROM PHOTOGRAPHS MADE ON

AUG. 8 WAS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF 20,000 BARRELS AT ALL TIMES.
THE PLANT WAS WELL SITUATED FOR HANDLING MARINE OIL SHIPMENTS AND HAS ITS OWN PIER AND OTHER DOCK-SIDE INSTALLATIONS. IT LIES ON THE SOUTHEASTERN SIDE OF WONSAN, WELL OUT OF THE HEAVILY POPULATED AREAS OF THE CITY.
THE OTHER SUPERFORTS WERE SENT AGAINST NORTH KOREAN MAIN TRANSPORTATION ROUTES, RAILROAD LINES AND BRIDGES WHICH ARE THE LINKS JOINING SUPPLY AND DEMAND OF THE ENEMY IN THE BATTLE AREA.
ALL ATTACKS WERE MADE UNDER GOOD WEATHER CONDITIONS. VERY LITTLE FLAK WAS ENCOUNTERED. THE B-29S FLEW FROM JAPAN AND OKINAWA BASES.
COMPLETE RESULTS OF THE MISSIONS WILL BE ANNOUNCED AS SOON AS POST-STRIKE PHOTOS CAN BE STUDIED.
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B73KX (TEXT) (Q)
TEXT (310)
TOKYO, AUG. 10-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 234 (AERIAL) TIMED AT 8:10 P.M. (5:10 A.M. EST) TODAY:
U.S. AIR FORCE LIGHT BOMBERS AND FIGHTER AIRPLANES THREW THE FULL POWER OF THEIR BOMBS, ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE IN SUPPORT OF THE ACTIONS BY U.S. GROUND TROOPS IN SOUTHERN KOREA THURSDAY, AUG. 10.
THE B-29S FLEW CHIEFLY AGAINST CONVOYS AND VEHICLES TRANSPORTING NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND SUPPLIES TO THE BATTLE LINES. IN SOME INSTANCES THE LIGHT INVADERS FLEW BEHIND THE ENEMY TROOPS, BOMBING HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD BRIDGES WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS.
CAPT. JOE STEIN, 185 FINLEY STREET, ATHENS, GA., FLEW A B-26 AGAINST COMMUNICATION SUPPLY LINES BACK OF THE COMMUNISTS FRONT WEDNESDAY NIGHT AND SPOTTED A BUILDING SURROUNDED BY VEHICLES. HE BOMBED IT. INSTEAD OF A NORMAL EXPLOSION, THERE WERE A SERIES OF EXPLOSIONS MINGLED WITH LARGE FIRES.
"THE FIRES COULD BE SEEN WHEN WE WERE 40 MILES FROM THE TARGET," SAID CAPTAIN STEIN. "I BELIEVE IT WAS AN AMMUNITION DUMP SINCE THE EXPLOSIONS RESEMBLED WHITE PHOSPHOROUS OR MAGNESIUM."
FLYING WITH CAPTAIN STEIN WERE CPT. JULIUS E. STIVERS, BLANCHESTER, O., AND TECH. SGT. FORSTER V. POWELL, JASPER, TENN. ENGINEER AND GUNNER, RESPECTIVELY. THEY CONFIRMED THE RESULTS OF THE SUCCESSFUL MISSION.
CAPT. HAROLD M. EVERETT, NAPA, CALIF., FLEW SUCCESSIVE MISSIONS WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY IN AN F-80 JET. HE HIT A RAILROAD TUNNEL AT ANDONG WITH A ROCKET THURSDAY AND LEFT SOME OIL CARS BURNING SOUTH OF SUWON WEDNESDAY. HE ALSO HIT TWO LOCOMOTIVES AND REPORTED THEY BLEW UP. "IN THE SUWON RAILROAD YARD THERE WERE ONLY WRECKS FROM PREVIOUS MISSIONS," HE SAID.
FIRST LT. JOHN A. MARTIN, (205 EAST 69TH ST), NEW YORK, LED AN ELEMENT OF F-80S THURSDAY TO MASAN. HE SAID THE JETS FOUND TRUCKS ON A ROAD AND IN THE VALLEY, STRAFING AND FIRING ROCKETS AT THEM. HE SAID THEY WERE DAMAGED PRETTY BADLY. "THEN WE STRAFED SOME TROOPS RUNNING OUT OF A COAL MINE AND THEN FIRED THREE ROCKETS INTO A RAILROAD TUNNEL," HE SAID.
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TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 235, ISSUED AT 12:45 A.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (9:45 A.M., EST, THURSDAY) FOLLOWS:
COMMUNIST TROOPS IN THE NKTONG RIVER BRIDGEHEAD SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG BATTLED DESPERATELY TO HOLD THEIR GROUND EAST OF THE RIVER AGAINST INCREASING ATTACKS AND ARTILLERY FIRE. ALTHOUGH SUPPORTED BY SELF-PROPELLED ARTILLERY AND TANKS ON THE WEST BANK, THE ENEMY HAS BEEN UNABLE TO BUILD UP THIS FORCE, PARTLY BECAUSE OF HEAVY LOSSES AND PARTLY BECAUSE OF EXTREME DIFFICULTY IN CROSSING THE RIVER.
REGARDING THE TWO REMAINING BRIDGEHEADS FARTHER NORTH: THE ONE AT WAEGWAN IS CONTAINED AND UNDER ATTACK, AND THE ONE FIVE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN IS SAID TO BE ISOLATED BY ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FORCES.
"OPERATION KEAN" CONTINUED TO ADVANCE UNDER AIR AND ARTILLERY SUPPORT. LATEST REPORTS PLACE THE MAIN ADVANCE SOME SIX MILES EAST OF CHINJU. THIS FORCE INCLUDES THE 35TH AND 5TH INFANTRY REGIMENTS. THE MARINES ARE MOPPING UP TO THE SOUTHEAST, NORTH OF UISONG.
THE COMMUNISTS ARE REPORTED TO BE PREPARING DEFENSE POSITIONS ON THE HIGH GROUND JUST EAST OF CHINJU.
THE ENEMY FORCE MOVING SOUTH FROM YONGDOK IN THE VICINITY OF KIGYE SUPPORTED BY GUERRILLAS, ARTILLERY AND TWO TANKS HAVE BEEN HALTED JUST SOUTH OF KIGYE AND AT A POINT EIGHT MILES WEST OF KIGYE BY ROK FORCES. YONGDOK STILL REMAINS IN THE HANDS OF THE ENEMY.
THE NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS ARE PRESSING HEAVILY AGAINST REPUBLIC OF KOREA FORCES IN THE VICINITY OF YISONG, SOUTH OF ANDONG. REPUBLIC OF KOREAN TROOPS COUNTER-ATTACKED AND DROVE THE ENEMY BACK, BUT PRESSURE IN THIS AREA BY THE ENEMY CONTINUED, ACCORDING TO LATE REPORTS.
THE FRONT LINES ARE GENERALLY FROM KOSONG NORTHWESTWARD TO SIX MILES EAST OF CHINJU, NORTHWARD TO THE NAM RIVER, DOWN (NORTHWARD) THE NAM TO THE NAKTONG RIVER.
~~TOKYO--MACARTHUR RELEASE NO. 235 MAKE LAST GRAF READ [illegible] UP THE~~ NAKTONG TO THE VICINITY OF SONSAN, EASTWARD TO UISONG [illegible]
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LONDON, AUG. 10-(AP)-TEXT OF THE NORTH KOREAN BROADCAST TODAY, AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE: (ABOUT 160)
MORNING COMMUNIQUE:
ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE BITTER BATTLES AGAINST AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.
AMERICAN TROOPS HAVING CONCENTRATED ALL THEIR FORCES ALONG THE MIDDLE REACHES OF THE NAKTONG RIVER CONTINUED TO OFFER FURIOUS RESISTANCE.
ALL SERVICES OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY IN CLOSE COORDINATION ARE INFLICTING BLOWS ON TANK, ARTILLERY, INFANTRY AND OTHER UNITS OF THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.
IN THE SOUTH COAST AREA, THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUES TO WAGE OFFENSIVE BATTLES, BEATING OFF COUNTERATTACKS OF AMERICAN TANK UNITS AND REPULSING ATTEMPTS OF THE AMERICAN COMMAND TO MAKE LANDINGS UNDER THE COVER OF NAVAL ARTILLERY FIRE.
AIRCRAFT OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, INFLICTING BLOWS ON CONCENTRATIONS OF ENEMY TROOPS AND ON HIS MILITARY TRANSPORT AND ARTILLERY UNITS, ARE SUPPORTING TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHO ARE ADVANCING SOUTHWARD.
ON THE EAST COAST, TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, HAVING ROUTED THE SO-CALLED SEOUL DIVISION OF THE ENEMY, ARE CONTINUING THE OFFENSIVE.

THE EVENING COMMUNIQUE:
ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE BITTER BATTLES AGAINST AMERICAN AND PUPPET SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH LIBERATED YISONG (HIDZIO) AND HUNI (GUL) ARE CONTINUING THE OFFENSIVE, INFLICTING BLOWS ON THE ENEMY WHO ARE ATTEMPTING TO GO OVER TO THE COUNTEROFFENSIVE.
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LONDON, AUG. 10-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY SAID TONIGHT THAT PHILIP DEANE, WAR CORRESPONDENT OF INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE AND OF THE LONDON OBSERVER, IS A PRISONER OF THE NORTH KOREANS IN PYONGYANG.

THE AGENCY'S BROADCAST FROM PEIPING WAS MONITORED IN LONDON BY TELERADIO. IT SAID DEANE WAS CAPTURED WITH C. KIMBALL, JR., OF BAYTOWN TEX., A PRIVATE OF THE 8054TH MEDICAL HOSPITAL BASED AT FUSAN. KIMBALL NOW IS A PRISONER IN SEOUL.

DEANE, WHOSE REAL NAME IS GERASSIMOS (MIKE) GIGANTES, IS 27. HE WAS HIRED BY INS WHEN HOSTILITIES STARTED IN KOREA.

THE INS OFFICE IN NEW YORK SAID IT ALSO HAD RECEIVED A DISPATCH TELLING OF THE COMMUNIST BROADCAST BUT HAD RECEIVED NO DIRECT WORD FROM DEANE HIMSELF. THE INS IS TRYING TO CONTACT HIM THROUGH THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS.

ON JULY 26 A WOUNDED AMERICAN TANK GUNNER WHO ESCAPED HIS RED CAPTORS REPORTED THAT DEANE HAD BEEN TAKEN PRISONER BY THE NORTH KOREANS IN THE YONGDONG AREA.

THE YOUNG TANK CORPORAL SAID DEANE'S JEEP HAD BEEN AMBUSHED BY MACHINEGUNNERS AND THAT THE CORRESPONDENT HAD BEEN SHOT ONCE IN THE HAND AND TWICE IN THE THIGH. NONE OF THE WOUNDS APPEARED SERIOUS. THE SOLDIER SAID HE HAD SEEN DEANE AND THE CORRESPONDENT "WAS VERY COOL AND CALM."

TWELVE NEWSMEN HAVE BEEN REPORTED CAPTURED, MISSING, KILLED OR WOUNDED IN THE KOREAN WAR. AMONG THEM IS ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM R.MOORE WHO HAS NOT BEEN HEARD FROM SINCE JULY 30 WHEN HE WENT TO THE CHINJU BATTLE FRONT.

THE LONDON OBSERVER SAID ON JULY 30 THAT DEANE WAS A "YOUNG MAN OF A DISTINGUISHED ATHENIAN FAMILY WHO SERVED AS AN OFFICER IN THE ROYAL NAVY THROUGHOUT THE LAST WAR." IT ADDED:

"HE CAME TO US AFTER THE END OF THE WAR AND HAS BEEN ONE OF OUR MOST ADVENTUROUS CORRESPONDENTS.

"HIS REPORTS OF GUERRILLA WAR IN GREECE WERE WRITTEN WITH REAL UNDERSTANDING OF JUST HOW THE GUERRILLAS OPERATED WHICH HE PICKED UP BY OBSERVING THEM FROM VERY CLOSE QUARTERS. X X X

"SINCE HE ARRIVED IN KOREA HE SPENT NEARLY ALL HIS TIME IN A FORWARD AREA AND HAD ALREADY BEEN WOUNDED ONCE WHEN THE AMERICAN 39TH REGIMENT TO WHICH HE WAS ATTACHED WAS CUT OFF."

THE COMMUNIST BROADCAST QUOTED KIMBALL AS MAKING A BITTER ATTACK ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE U.S. AIR FORCE IN KOREA. THE ATTACK WAS SIMILAR IN TONE TO THAT ATTRIBUTED BY THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO AT PYONG-YANG YESTERDAY TO LT. WADEW A. TOMASZEWSKI WHO WAS SKETCHILY IDENTIFIED AS COMING FROM THE EAST DETROIT AREA.

BOTH BROADCASTS FOLLOWED THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA LINE WHICH SEEKS TO PICTURE AMERICAN PLANES AS CONDUCTING INDISCRIMINATE BOMBING ATTACKS IN KOREA.

THERE WAS NO WAY TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER KIMBALL AND TOMASZEWSKI ACTUALLY MADE THE STATEMENTS ATTRIBUTED TO THEM OR WHETHER THEY WERE SUBJECTED TO DURESS.

THE NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY QUOTED KIMBALL AS SAYING:

"I HAVE ONLY ONE COMPLAINT, AND THAT IS AGAINST UNCLE SAM'S AIR FORCE. HAVE YOU SEEN WHAT THOSE LOUSY BASTARDS ARE DOING? HAVE YOU SEEN VILLAGES--MILES FROM ANYTHING LIKE A MILITARY OBJECTIVE--FLAT AS A FIELD? HAVE YOU SEEN THEM SHOOTING PEASANTS WORKING IN FIELDS, STRAFING LITTLE COTTAGES NOT BIG ENOUGH TO HOLD A COW?"

KIMBALL REPORTEDLY TOLD HOW U.S. PLANES STRAFED SIX AMERICAN PRISONERS OF WAR WALKING ALONG A ROAD, KILLING THREE. HE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING:

"THERE WAS A GUARD IN FRONT AND ONE AT THE BACK, SIX OF US GI'S IN THE MIDDLE AND OVER COMES AN F-80. WE STICK OUR HANDS UP HIGH AS THEY WOULD GO AND WIDE APART--NO HELMETS, NOR GUNS--GUARD BACK AND FRONT, COULDN'T BE ANYTHING BUT PRISONERS AND THAT X X X (MEANING PILOT--UNPRINTABLE. PARENTHETICAL MATERIAL WAS AGENCY'S) CAME IN AT 300 FEET AND KILLED THE MIDDLE THREE."

KIMBALL FURTHER WAS QUOTED AS SAYING AMERICAN PILOTS HAD ORDERS THAT "ANYTHING THAT'S MOVING--STOP IT; ANYTHING THAT'S STOPPED--MOVE IT."

"I GUESS THE AIR FORCE IS JUST TRIGGER HAPPY," THE ACCOUNT ADDED.

AT KIMBALL'S HOME IN BAYTOWN, HIS FATHER, REUBEN K. MIMBALL SR., DISCOUNTED THE BROADCAST AS "MERE RED PROPAGANDA."

"I HAVE HEARD OF THAT DODGE BEFORE," HE SAID. "IT WAS COMMON PRACTICE IN WORLD WAR II AND THE KOREDS JUST CUT THEIRS TO THE SAME PATTERN."

THE FATHER APPEARED MORE WORRIED OVER NOT RECEIVING INFORMATION OF HIS SON'S CAPTURE THAN OVER THE TREATMENT HE MIGHT BE RECEIVING IN A PRISON CAMP.

"THE LAST WE HEARD FROM HIM WAS A LETTER WRITTEN JULY 14," HE SAID. "AT THAT TIME HE WAS ON DUTY AT A HOSPITAL AT PUSAN. X X X LOOKS LIKE WE WOULD HAVE HEARD FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT THAT HE WAS MISSING BEFORE THIS TIME."

YOUNG KIMBALL BROKE INTO THE NEWS JULY 20 WHEN HE SHOT A KOREAN SNIPER WITH A .45 CALIBER PISTOL AND AIDED A GROUP OF CORRESPONDENTS IN ESCAPING AN ENCIRCLING BODY OF NORTH KOREANS NEAR TAEJON. THE STORY OF THE ESCAPE WAS TOLD ON JULY 22 BY AP PHOTOGRAPHER MAX DESFORS.

THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO QUOTED TOMASZEWSKI AS SAYING:

"IT HAS BEEN EVIDENT THAT OUR AIRCRAFT HAS NOT CONCENTRATED ITS BOMBING AND STRAFING ON TARGETS OR A STRATEGIC OR TACTICAL NATURE. WHILE QUARTERED IN A SCHOOLHOUSE IN CHUNAN, A TOWN IN SOUTH KOREA, A GROUP OF AMERICAN PRISONERS THAT WE WERE WITH WAS STRAFED BY OUR AIRCRAFT AND TWO OF THEM WERE KILLED AND 28 WOUNDED."

"DURING OUR STAY AS PRISONERS OF WAR IN KOREA WE HAVE BEEN VERY WELL TREATED AND HAVE SUFFERED NO ABUSES," THE BROADCAST CONTINUED. "WE HAVE WITH US A FEW MEN WHO WERE PRISONERS OF EITHER THE JAPS OR THE GERMANS DURING THE LAST WAR. ALL SAY THAT THEY ARE RECEIVING FAR SUPERIOR TREATMENT FROM THE KOREANS."

THE PYONGYANG RADIO DID NOT IDENTIFY TOMASZEWSKI EXCEPT TO SAY THAT HE WAS TAKEN PRISONER "WHEN THE 24TH DIVISION WAS SMASHED." AT THE CLOSE OF THE BROADCAST THE LIEUTENANT WAS QUOTED AS SAYING "X X X HOPING TO SEE EAST DETROIT AGAIN. AND SOON."

IN DETROIT, TOMASZEWSKI'S PARENTS SCOFFED AT THE REPORT THEIR SON WAS MAKING COMMUNIST BROADCASTS.

HIS PARENTS, MR. AND MRS. ANTHONY J. TOMASZEWSKI, SAID THEY BELIEVED HE WAS FORCED TO DO IT OR DID IT TO LET THEM KNOW HE IS ALIVE.

"HE COULDN'T HAVE MADE THE BROADCAST (PRAISING COMMUNISM) ON HIS OWN FREE WILL," HIS MOTHER SAID. "HE HATED COMMUNISM."

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LONDON, AUG.10-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER'S CORRESPONDENT IN NORTH KOREA REPORTED TODAY MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM F.DEAN, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION, WAS BELIEVED SERIOUSLY WOUNDED AND POSSIBLY DEAD.

DEAN WAS REPORTED OFFICIALLY MISSING JULY 22.

THE WORKER'S ALAN WINNINGTON IN A DISPATCH FROM ADVANCE HEADQUARTERS, NORTH KOREA, WROTE:

"THE GENERAL WAS WOUNDED, SERIOUSLY IT IS BELIEVED, AT THE BATTLE OF TAEJON. AND HE ATTEMPTED TO FLEE WITH FIVE AMERICAN SOLDIERS

IN A CAR.
"FINDING THEIR ESCAPE ROUTE CUT, THE SIX LEFT THE CAR. DEAN ABANDONED HIS CAP AND INSIGNIA AND FLED INTO THE MOUNTAINS SOMEWHERE IN THIS AREA.
"THE PLACE WHERE HE LEFT THE ROAD IS KNOWN AND THE DIRECTION WHICH THE GROUP TOOK. IT IS NOT REGARDED AS POSSIBLE FOR DEAN TO ESCAPE ALIVE; A SEARCH IS BEING MADE FOR HIM OR HIS BODY."
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LONDON, AUG.10-(AP)-THE INDEPENDENT, PRO-LABOR MAGAZINE NEW STATESMAN AND NATION SAID TODAY THAT IF A GENERAL WAR BREAKS OUT OVER FORMOSA, THE BLAME WILL REST SQUARELY ON GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR.
"SUCH A WAR, WHICH COULD SCARCELY BE CONFINED TO ASIA, WOULD BE THE DOING OF GEN.MACARTHUR, WHO IS APPARENTLY MAKING SOMETHING LIKE A PRIVATE ALLIANCE WITH CHIANG KAI-SHEK AND THE GROUP OF RACKETEERS WHO SURROUND HIM," THE MAGAZINE SAID.
IT ADDED THAT "IN SEEMING TO COOUNTENANCE CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NAVAL AND AIR BLOCKADE OF CHINA, IN FLAT DEFIANCE OF MR.TRUMAN'S INSTRUCTIONS, GEN.MACARTHUR CONFIRMS THE VIEW THAT HE IS NOT A FIT AND PROPER PERSON TO BE IN CHARGE OF RESPONSIBLE MILITARY OPERATIONS."
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london, aug. 10-(ap)-it turned out to be a briton--not an american--w

was robbed of a satchel full of atomic secrets aboard the london-blackpool

train ~~yesterday~~ tuesday.

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the briefcase belonged to frank miller greenlees, a member of the

ministry of supply's atomic energy production division at risley. it

disappeared from a first class compartment.

greenlees was first reported to be an american, but the supply minist

which heads ~~his~~ britain's atomic program, later confirmed that he is

british.

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scotland yard is trying to find the ~~missing~~ briefcase.

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NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY (450)
BY PHILIP CLARKE
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.10--(AP)-A GROUP OF FRENCH, GERMAN AND ITALIAN POLITICAL LEADERS BEGAN A DRIVE TODAY TO UNITE WESTERN EUROPE UNDER A DEMOCRATICALLY-ELECTED PARLIAMENT AND A COMMON GOVERNMENT.
BITTER OVER DELAYS IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, 58 OF THE 125 MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY DEMANDED IN A RESOLUTION THE IMMEDIATE CREATION OF A FEDERAL PACT TO THAT END. THE PACT WOULD BE OPEN TO ALL 15 NATIONS REPRESENTED IN THE ASSEMBLY.
THE RESOLUTION WON TENTATIVE SUPPORT FROM FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, WHO DESCRIBES HIS OWN PROJECT FOR POOLING OF WEST EUROPE'S STEEL AND COAL INDUSTRIES AS A STEP THAT "WOULD RAPIDLY DEVELOP INTO THE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC UNIFICATION OF EUROPE."
"THE RESOLUTION HAS MY SYMPATHY," SCHUMAN TOLD NEWSMEN. "I SHALL STUDY IT CAREFULLY. ALTHOUGH THE TIME MAY NOT SEEM RIPE FOR COMPLETE UNITY NOW, EVENTS MAY PUSH US INTO SUCH A COURSE."
NINETEEN ITALIAN POLITICAL LEADERS SIGNED THE RESOLUTION, KNOWN TO HAVE THE SUPPORT OF ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER CARLO SFORZA. FIFTEEN FRENCHMEN AND 14 GERMANS SIGNED, ALONG WITH FIVE SAARLANDERS, THREE DUTCHMEN AND TWO BELGIANS.
THE RESOLUTION ASKS MEMBER STATES TO "CONCLUDE WITHOUT DELAY A SOLEMN AGREEMENT INSTITUTING A POLITICAL AUTHORITY" TO ENABLE THE NATIONS TO "DECIDE TOGETHER, AND BY A MAJORITY, ON A COMMON POLICY WITH REGARD TO THE PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS, EXTERNAL RELATIONS, ECONOMIC AFFAIRS AND EUROPEAN SECURITY."
CARLO SCHMID, FOREIGN AFFAIRS LEADER OF THE WEST GERMAN HOUSE, SAID IN EFFECT THAT FEDERATION WOULD BE THE PRICE FOR GERMAN MILITARY AID TO WEST EUROPE'S DEFENSES.
SCHMID, A SOCIAL DEMOCRAT, DECLARED WEST GERMANY WOULD CONTRIBUTE TROOPS ONLY TO A "TRUE EUROPEAN ARMY UNDER A SUPRA-NATIONAL EUROPEAN AUTHORITY," AND WOULD NEVER BUILD UP AN ARMY OUTSIDE SUCH AN AUTHORITY.
SWEDISH LIBERAL BERTIL OHLIN AND BRITISH LABORITE RONALD MACKAY PROPOSED IMMEDIATE FEDERATION OF THOSE EUROPEAN NATIONS FAVORING SUCH A STEP, BUT POINTED OUT SWEDEN AND BRITAIN ARE IN THE "GO SLOW" CATEGORY.
THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, FORMED A YEAR AGO, IS A SORT OF INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENT WITH HIGHLY LIMITED POWERS. THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS, WHICH IS THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE, HAS VETO POWER OVER ASSEMBLY PROPOSALS AND USES THE POWER FREQUENTLY.

SCHUMAN OUTLINED HIS COAL-STEEL POOL PLAN BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY TODAY AND WON SPIRITED APPLAUSE. HE WAS THE FIRST FOREIGN MINISTER TO ADDRESS THE ASSEMBLY.
HE STRESSED TWO FUNDAMENTALS OF THE PLAN -- THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SUPRA-NATIONAL AUTHORITY AND THE CREATION OF A SINGLE MARKET FOR COAL AND STEEL.
"IT WILL ENTAIL AN ABANDONMENT OF SOVEREIGNTY, A FUSION OF POWERS," HE SAID. "I, FOR ONE, ACCEPT THE PRINCIPLE OF THE RENUNCIATION OF SOVEREIGNTY, NOT AS AN END ITSELF BUT AS A NECESSITY IMPOSED BY MODERN CONDITIONS."
WINSTON CHURCHILL, BRITISH CONSERVATIVE LEADER WHO WAS TO HAVE ADDRESSED THE ASSEMBLY TODAY ON WORLD AFFAIRS, POSTPONED THE ADDRESS UNTIL TOMORROW. NO REASON WAS GIVEN FOR THE POSTPONEMENT.
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FIRST LEAD ASSEMBLY
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.10-(AP)-RONALD MACKAY, BRITISH LABORITE, TODAY TERMED THE OPERATING STATUTE FOR THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE A "HOPELESS MACHINERY" FOR UNITING EUROPE AND URGED THAT THE UNOFFICIAL

PARLIAMENT SHOULD EITHER BE STRENGTHENED OR DISSOLVED.
MACKAY ADDRESSED THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY IN THE SPOT RESERVED FOR WINSTON CHURCHILL AFTER BRITAIN'S WARTIME LEADER SUDDENLY POSTPONED UNTIL TOMORROW A MAJOR SPEECH SCHEDULED FOR TODAY.
CHURCHILL, IT WAS LEARNED RELIABLY, INTENDS TO CALL FOR THE CREATION OF A EUROPEAN ARMY, INCLUDING GERMAN COMPONENTS AS A SHIELD AGAINST SOVIET AGGRESSION.

MACKAY ASSAILED THE "GO-SLOW" ELEMENTS IN HIS OWN GOVERNMENT FOR THEIR NEGATIVE ATTITUDE TOWARD EUROPEAN UNITY. "THERE IS NO REASON," HE SAID, "WHY WE CAN'T WORK OUT A EUROPEAN ELECTORAL LAW AND HAVE MEMBERS OF THIS ASSEMBLY ELECTED."
MAJ.GEN. WILLIAM J. DONOVAN, HERE AS CHAIRMAN OF THE AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR UNITED EUROPE, TOLD AN INTERVIEWER THE ONLY WAY FOR THE ASSEMBLY TO BREAK OUT OF THE STATUTE'S CONFINES IS TO DECLARE AN IMMEDIATE EMERGENCY.

FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN WAS APPLAUDED BY ASSEMBLYMEN WHEN HE PRESENTED HIS PLAN FOR MERGING THE COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES OF WESTERN EUROPE. HE SAID THE PLAN WOULD ELIMINATE THE RISKS OF CONFLICT BETWEEN FRANCE AND GERMANY.
"IF THIS PROJECT IS ACCEPTED," SAID SCHUMAN, THE FIRST FOREIGN MINISTER TO ADDRESS THE ASSEMBLY," IT WOULD RAPIDLY DEVELOP INTO THE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC UNIFICATION OF EUROPE."
HE STRESSED TWO FUNDAMENTALS OF HIS PLAN--THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SUPRANATIONAL AUTHORITY AND THE CREATION OF A SINGLE MARKET FOR COAL AND STEEL.
MEANWHILE, BRITISH CONSERVATIVE LEADERS GAVE NO EXPLANATION WHY CHURCHILL'S SPEECH WAS POSTPONED BUT INDICATED THERE WAS SOME DEFINITE REASON.

IT WILL DEAL WITH THE QUESTION OF GERMAN MILITARY PARTICIPATION IN WESTERN EUROPEAN DEFENSE, THE KOREAN WAR AND THREATS TO WORLD PEACE.
THE POSTPONEMENT DISAPPOINTED DIPLOMATS AND SPECTATORS WHO HAD CROWDED INTO THE ASSEMBLY HALL EARLY TO HEAR THE BRITISH LEADER.
CHURCHILL ALSO MAY HAVE PUT OFF HIS SPEECH AS A GESTURE OF COURTESY TO FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, WHO IS SCHEDULED TO ADDRESS THE ASSEMBLY LATER TODAY. SCHUMAN WILL EXPLAIN HIS PLAN TO POOL FRENCH AND GERMAN COAL AND STEEL OUTPUT AND MAY SEEK TO EXTEND THE PROPOSAL ON A WIDER EUROPEAN SCALE.

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NIGHT LEAD OEEC (340)
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PARIS, AUG.10-(AP)-MARSHALL PLAN ECONOMISTS TODAY CAUTIONED WESTERN EUROPE THAT IT WOULD INVITE AN ECONOMIC RELAPSE BY PLUNGING TOO HEAVILY ON MILITARY REARMAMENT.
URGING WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS TO BALANCE THEIR MUNITIONS EXPENDITURES WITH NATIONAL INCOMES, A REPORT OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC) ADVISED:
"THE LEVEL OF GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE DEVOTED TO THE REINFORCEMENT OF DEFENSE MIGHT COMPROMISE THE PROGRESS ACHIEVED IN THE LAST YEARS, IF GREAT CARE IS NOT TAKEN TO COMBINE ECONOMIC POLICY AS A WHOLE WITH THE NORMAL INPLICATIONS OF SUCH EXPENDITURES."
THE OEEC IS THE EUROPEAN DISTRIBUTINGNAGENCY OF THE MARSHALL PLAN.
THE REPORT NOTED THAT "INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION IS NOW, IN MOST COUNTRIES, CONSIDERABLY ABOVE THE PREWAR LEVEL, AND AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION IS APPROACHING IT." IT WARNED, HOWEVER, OF A SLACKENING OF INCREASE IN OUTPUTS AND RECOMMENDED THAT EFFORTS BE MADE TO ADVANCE THE PACE.
PRAISING AMERICAN AID, THE REPORT COMMENTED:
"IT IS DIFFICULT TO FORECAST WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN TO THE BALANCE BETWEEN SUPPLY AND DEMAND (WHEN THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN 1952.) IN A FEW COUNTRIES, THE EXTRAORDINARY AID IS RELATIVELY SO LARGE THAT ITS DISAPPEARANCE COULD HARDLY BE BALANCED BY ANY PROBABLE INCREASE IN DOMESTIC PRODUCTION OR SAVING."
SURVEYING PRESENT CONDITIONS, THE ECONOMISTS FOUND:
1--WITH MARSHALL PLAN DOLLARS STILL COMING IN, "MOST COUNTRIES IN WESTERN EUROPE HAVE ACHIEVED A REASONABLE BALANCE BETWEEN INFLATION AND DEFLATION.
2--"PART OF THE DEFERRED DEMAND FROM THE PERIOD OF WARTIME SCARCITY HAS BEEN SATISFIED," ALTHOUGH THERE STILL IS LESS BUYING OF CONSUMER GOODS IN SOME COUNTRIES THAN BEFORE THE WAR.
3--PERSONAL SAVINGS HAVE INCREASED CONSIDERABLY IN SOME COUNTRIES, ALTHOUGH THE COST OF LIVING IS UP IN ALL BUT A FEW.
THE REPORT OBSERVED THAT ONLY IN BELGIUM, WESTERN GERMANY, ITALY, AND SWITZERLAND HAS THE COST OF LIVING GONE DOWN SINCE 1948. LIVING COSTS HAVE RISEN MARKEDLY IN GREECE, AUSTRIA AND FRANCE. TURKEY, PORTUGAL, AND THE NETHERLANDS HAVE EXPERIENCED INCREASES OF ABOUT 10 PER CENT. ADVANCES WERE REPORTED SOMEWHAT LESS IN BRITAIN, SWEDEN, IRELAND, DENMARK, NORWAY AND ICELAND.
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PARIS,AUG.10-(AP)-MARSHALL PLAN ECONOMISTS WARNED TODAY THAT REARMING EUROPE FOR A POSSIBLE WORLD WAR III MAY RUIN THE PROGRESS MADE IN PUTTING THE CONTINENT BACK ON ITS FEET AFTER THE LAST WAR.
THIS WARNING LED OFF A VOLUMINOUS REPORT ON EUROPE'S FINANCIAL STABILITY, PREPARED BY ECONOMISTS OF THE 18-MEMBER ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC), THE MARSHALL PLAN'S OVERSEAS PARTNER.
"THE LEVEL OF GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE DEVOTED TO THE REINFORCEMENT OF DEFENSE MIGHT COMPROMISE THE PROGRESS ACHIEVED IN THE LAST YEARS, IF GREAT CARE IS NOT TAKEN TO COMBINE ECONOMIC POLICY AS A WHOLE WITH THE NORMAL IMPLICATIONS OF SUCH EXPENDITURE," THE REPORT SAID.
THE ECONOMISTS THUS WARNED WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS TO KEEP THEIR REARMING COSTS WITHIN A REASONABLE PROPORTION OF NATIONAL INCOMES, INSTEAD OF GOING ALL-OUT INTO A "GUNS INSTEAD OF BUTTER" SPENDING SPREE.

ANOTHER SECTION OF THE REPORT BROUGHT UP THE PROBLEM OF EUROPEAN ECONOMICS AFTER THE MARSHALL PLAN ENDS IN MID-1952. THAT SECTION, TOO, WAS AN OMINOUS WARNING.
"IT IS DIFFICULT," SAID THE REPORT, "TO FORECAST WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN TO THE BALANCE BETWEEN SUPPLY AND DEMAND (WHEN MARSHALL PLAN ENDS). IN A FEW COUNTRIES THE EXTRAORDINARY AID IS RELATIVELY SO LARGE THAT ITS DISAPPEARANCE COULD HARDLY BE BALANCED BY ANY PROBABLE INCREASE IN DOMESTIC PRODUCTION OR SAVING."
TO SUCH COUNTRIES, THE OEEC ECONOMISTS GAVE ONLY THIS SUGGESTED SOLUTION: CUT COSTS AND RAISE PRODUCTION.
AT THE MOMENT, BEFORE ARMS SPENDING GETS INTO HIGH GEAR, AND WHILE MARSHALL PLAN DOLLARS STILL FLOW, "MOST COUNTRIES IN WESTERN EUROPE HAVE ACHIEVED A REASONABLE BALANCE BETWEEN INFLATION AND DEFLATION."
THIS MEANS THAT THE INCREASES IN BOTH LIVING COSTS AND EMPLOYMENT

HAVE BEEN KEPT FAIRLY IN SIGHT OF EACH OTHER.
PRICES OF FOOD, RENTS, SHIRTS, COAL AND OTHER COMMODITIES EUROPEAN NEED HAVE RISEN ONLY SLIGHTLY SINCE MOST CURRENCIES WERE DEVALUED LAST SEPTEMBER. IN THE FIRST SIX MONTHS AFTER DEVALUATION, THE ECONOMISTS DISCOVERED, WHOLESALE PRICES ROSE AS MUCH AS 10 PER CENT IN ONLY ONE COUNTRY, AUSTRIA. IN ONLY FOUR WAS THE RISE MORE THAN FIVE PER CENT.
"RETAIL PRICES ROSE NOWHERE MORE THAN 10 PER CENT," SAID THE REPORT, ADDING"SOME FURTHER PRICE INCREASES MAY, HOWEVER, STILL FOLLOW FROM DEVALUATION."
FINANCIAL EXPERTS HAD WARNED EUROPEANS THAT PRICES WOULD GO UP SHARPLY WHEN DEVALUATION MADE EUROPEAN CURRENCIES WORTH LESS IN TERMS OF DOLLARS AND CENTS.
INVESTIGATING THE RATE OF CONSUMER-BUYING IN EUROPE, THE ECONOMISTS REPORTED THEY FOUND THAT "PART OF THE DEFERRED DEMAND FROM THE PERIOD OF WARTIME SCARCITY HAS BEEN SATISFIED," ALTHOUGH THERE STILL IS LESS BUYING OF CONSUMER GOODS IN SOME COUNTRIES THEN THERE WAS BEFORE THE WAR.
PERSONAL SAVINGS HAVE INCREASED CONSIDERABLY IN SOME COUNTRIES, ALTHOUGH THE COST OF LIVING HAS INCREASED IN ALL BUT A FEW COUNTRIES.
GREECE, AUSTRIA AND FRANCE HAVE SHOWN MARKED RISES IN THE COST OF LIVING, BASED ON RETAIL PRICES, SINCE 1948. TURKEY, PORTUGAL AND THE NETHERLANDS HAVE SHOWN INCREASES OF ABOUT 10 PER CENT SINCE 1948. BRITAIN, SWEDEN, IRELAND, DENMARK, NORWAY AND ICELAND HAVE SHOWN SMALLER RISES.
DECREASES OF THE COST OF LIVING SINCE 1948 WERE REPORTED ONLY IN BELGIUM, ITALY, SWITZERLAND AND WESTERN GERMANY.

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, THE REPORT SAID, "HAS PROBABLY IN RECENT YEARS BEEN THE MOST POTENT FACTOR IN THE CURBING OF INFLATION. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION IS NOW, IN MOST COUNTRIES CONSIDERABLY ABOVE THE PREWAR LEVEL, AND AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION IS APPROACHING IT."
THE REPORT WARNED OF A SLACKENING OF THE INCREASE OF INDUSTRIAL AND FARM PRODUCTION AND RECOMMENDED UNSPECIFIED "SPECIAL MEASURES" TO PROMOTE FURTHER IMPROVEMENT IN PRODUCTIVITY.
THE REPORT CONCLUDED WITH A WORD OF PRAISE FOR AMERICAN AID AND A WORD OF WARNING TO EUROPEAN NATIONS TO ATTAIN ECONOMIC STABILITY, WHICH IT DESCRIBED AS "A SATISFACTORY LEVEL OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY WITHOUT EXTRAORDINARY OUTSIDE ASSISTANCE."
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AMS BUDGET (540)
NIGHT LEAD GERMAN
BY THOMAS A.REEDY
BERLIN, AUG.10-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST RULERS BIT INTO WHAT LOOKED LIKE A JUICY PROPAGANDA APPLE TODAY AND FOUND IT SOUR.
THE EASTERN GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED ABOUT NOON IT HAD ASKED THE RUSSIANS FOR PROTECTION AGAINST THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE. IT CHARGED THAT AMERICAN PLANES RECENTLY DROPPED TWO FIRE BOMBS ON SOVIET ZONE TERRITORY AND THE ZONE'S AIR SOVEREIGNTY HAS BEEN VIOLATED 22 TIMES SINCE MAY.
OBSERVERS SPECULATED THAT THE REACTION SOUGHT FROM RUSSIA MIGHT MEAN CLOSING OF THE AMERICAN AIR CORRIDORS INTO BERLIN AND THE IMPOSITION OF A NEW BLOCKADE ON THE FOUR-POWER CITY.
BUT THREE HOURS AND 45 MINUTES LATER THE OFFICIAL SOVIET ZONE NEWS AGENCY, ADN, KILLED THE STORY. SO DID THE OFFICE OF GERHART EISLER, INFORMATION CHIEF FOR THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT. EISLER'S OFFICE HAD RELEASED THE ANNOUNCEMENT TO ADN.
NO EXPLANATION WAS GIVEN FOR THE REVERSAL.
WESTERN CIRCLES SURMISED, HOWEVER, THAT THE RUSSIANS HAD RAPPED SOMEBODY'S KNUCKLES FOR GOING TOO FAR -- AT LEAST AT THIS TIME.
FOR THE RUSSIANS HAVE NEVER ATTEMPTED TO CLOSE THE AIR CORRIDORS TO BERLIN. EVEN DURING THEIR 1948-49 LAND BLOCKADE OF THE CITY, THEY NEVER SERIOUSLY CHALLENGED THE ALLIED AIRLIFT WHICH KEPT WEST BERLINERS ALIVE.
WHAT HAPPENED BEHIND THE SCENES BETWEEN THE MIDDAY ANNOUNCEMENT AND THE AFTERNOON "KILL" REMAINED ANYBODY'S GUESS.
EISLER PUT OUT THE STORY AS A FORMAL DECISION OF THE CABINET HEADED BY CHANCELLOR OTTO GROTEWOHL, A FORMER SOCIALIST. GROTEWOHL HAS BEEN LEADING A "HATTE THE WEST" CAMPAIGN.
IN THE WITHDRAWAL, ADN ASKED ITS SUBSCRIBERS, WHICH INCLUDE WESTERN NEWSPAPERS HERE, TO CONSIDER THAT THE ORIGINAL ANNOUNCEMENT "HAD NEVER BEEN [illegible]. CANCELED."
EISLER AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE GROTEWOHL GOVERNMENT TEAMED UP IN JUNE AND EARLY JULY TO BROADCAST A CHARGE THAT AMERICAN PLANES HAD DROPPED POTATO BUGS IN AN EFFORT TO RUIN THE EAST GERMAN CROPS. OTHER SOVIET SATELLITES TOOK UP THE CHARGE.
U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY PUT THE FIRE BOMB AND POTATO BUG CHARGES IN THE SAME CATEGORY AS "THE HITLERIAN TECHNIQUE OF THE BIG LIE." HERE FOR AN ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION MEETING, MCCLOY SAID:
"IF ANY INCENDIARY BOMBS WERE ACTUALLY FOUND IN THE SOVIET ZONE, THE COMMUNISTS MUST HAVE PUT THEM THERE. THE MOTIVATION BEHIND THIS LATEST CHARGE, AS WITH THE POTATO BUG STORY, IS SOMEWHAT DIFFICULT TO APPRAISE, BUT THE PATTERN IS THE SAME. IT IS THE HITLERIAN TECHNIQUE IN THE USE OF THE BIG LIE."

THE RUSSIANS TOOK THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS SERIOUSLY ON THE POTATO BUG STORY. THEY PROTESTED OFFICIALLY TO WASHINGTON, DESPITE AMERICAN STATEMENTS THAT THE CONTENTION WAS TOO RIDICULOUS TO IMAGINE, MUCH LESS ANSWER.
THE FIRE BOMB STORY STARTED THE SAME WAY SEVERAL DAYS AGO. THE CONTROLLED EAST GERMAN PRESS PUT OUT "EYE WITNESS" REPORTS THAT AN "S-45" AMERICAN PLANE HAD DROPPED A FIRE BOMB ON A RICH GRAIN CROP. LATER THE IDENTITY WAS CHANGED TO A "BEACHCRAFT C-54". BOTH IDENTIFICATIONS FAIL TO FIT ANY AMERICAN CRAFT.
THE SOVIET ZONE CABINET SNAPPED UP THE ISSUE.
THE ADN AGENCY ALSO DISSIMINATED A LIST OF ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF SOVIET ZONE TERRITORY BY AMERICAN PLANES FLYING OUTSIDE THE PRESCRIBED AIR CORRIDORS. ONE CASE LISTED SAID A PLANE DROPPED A BALE OF HAY.
U.S. AIRFORCE OFFICIALS IN BERLIN SAID THE RUSSIANS, NOW ENGAGING IN HEIGHTENED AIR MANEUVERS WITH GOOD SUMMER WEATHER, SLIP INTO THE AIR CORRIDORS ALMOST DAILY.
"BUT WE NEVER SAY ANYTHING ABOUT IT," A COLONEL COMMENTED. "THEY ARE PRETTY CAREFUL AND IF THEY GET A COUPLE MILES INTO OUR LANE, WE LET IT PASS."
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SECOND LEAD BOMB PROTEST (190)
BY DANIEL DE LUCE
BERLIN, AUG.10-(AP)-COMMUNISTS ANNOUNCED TODAY A PROTEST TO SOVIET RUSSIA AGAINST ALLEGED "INCENDIARY BOMBING" IN EAST GERMANY BY U.S. PLANES--BUT LATER WITHDREW THE ANNOUNCEMENT.
GERHART EISLER, EAST GERMAN PROPAGANDA CHIEF, ISSUED THE ORIGINAL ANNOUNCEMENT, AND THE OFFICIAL SOVIET ZONE NEWS AGENCY ADN DISTRIBUTED IT. THE STATEMENT WAS TO THE EFFECT THAT THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT WAS ASKING MOSCOW TO PROTECT THE SOVIET ZONE AGAINST U.S. PLANES. NEARLY FOUR HOURS LATER, THE NEWS AGENCY ISSUED A "KILL" ON THE STORY, WITHOUT EXPLANATION. AN EDITOR AT ADN SAID THE WITHDRAWAL MEANT "IT IS THE SAME AS THOUGH WE HAD

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NEVER CARRIED IT."
THE ORIGINAL ANNOUNCEMENT STARTED WESTERN AUTHORITIES TO SPECULATING WHETHER THE RUSSIANS WOULD ATTEMPT TO BLOCKADE AMERICAN PLANES FROM BERLIN, WHICH IS 100 MILES WITHIN THE SOVIET ZONE OF GERMANY. SUCH ACTION COULD SET OFF THE EAST-WEST POWDERKEG HERE AGAIN.
ADN IN ITS ORIGNAL ACCOUNT SAID THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT FORWARDED TO MOSCOW A REPORT BY KARL STENHOFF, MINISTER OF INTERIOR IN EAST GERMANY, SAYING INCENDIARIES WERE LOOSED ON FARM CENTERS IN THAT AREA BY AMERICAN AIRCRAFT TWICE LAST MONTH. (THE U.S. AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS AT WIESBADEN HAS DENIED AMERICAN PLANES WERE INVOLVED).
YESTERDAY THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION'S OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER HINTED A SOVIET AIR BLOCKADE OF BERLIN MIGHT BE IN THE OFFING.

TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU PUBLISHED AN INTERVIEW WITH A COMMUNIST WORKER WHO DEMANDED THAT THE SOVIET UNION BAR AMERICAN PLANES FROM FLYING OVER EAST GERMANY TO PREVENT "OUR ENTIRE CROP FROM GOING UP IN FLAMES."
SOVIET ZONE PROPAGANDA CHIEF GERHART EISLER, A FUGITIVE FROM U.S. PROSECUTION, SAID THIS RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED TODAY BY THE EAST GERMAN CABINET:
"THE GOVERNMENT HAS RECEIVED WITH INDIGNATION THE REPORT OF DR. STEINHOFF, MINISTER OF INTERIOR, REGARDING DROPPING OF INCENDIARIES ON THE TERRITORY OF THE (EAST) GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC. THE GOVERNMENT IS TRANSMITTING THE REPORT ON THE INVESTIGATION TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE U.S.S.R. WITH A REQUEST FOR INVESTIGATION OF MEASURES TO PROTECT THE POPULATION AGAINST SUCH CRIMINAL ATTACKS."
THIS LATEST ACCUSATION FOLLOWED A CHARGE THREE MONTHS AGO BY COMMUNIST OFFICIALS THAT AMERICAN FLYERS HAD DROPPED COLORADO BEETLES ON EAST GERMAN POTATO FIELDS.
THE COMMUNISTS GAVE THE BEETLE CHARGES THE FULL PROPAGANDA TREATMENT. IT WAS AIRED IN THE COMMUNIST GERMAN PRESS AND RE-ECHOED IN THE PRESS OF THE SOVIET SATELLITES. IT WAS RIDICULED BY AMERICAN AUTHORITIES.
BUT ALLIED OFFICIALS VIEW SERIOUSLY THE OBVIOUS IMPLICATIONS IF MOSCOW UNDERTAKES TO USE TODAY'S EAST GERMAN COMPLAINT FOR ANYTHING MORE THAN PROPAGANDA.

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ANY ATTEMPT BY THE RUSSIANS TO BLOCK AMERICAN PLANES FROM THE THREE ALLIED AIR CORRIDORS LINKING BERLIN AND WESTERN GERMANY WOULD RISK THE CHANCE OF EAST-WEST CONFLICT.
DURING THEIR 11-MONTH BLOCKADE OF BERLIN IN 1948-49 THE RUSSIANS AVOIDED THE CHALLENGING OF AMERICAN AIR RIGHTS.
THE RUSSIANS STILL PARTICIPATE FULLY IN THE FOUR-POWER AIR SAFETY CENTER MAINTAINED IN BERLIN TO SUPERVISE EAST-WEST TRAFFIC. THIS CENTER CONTROLS ALL FLIGHTS BETWEEN HERE AND WEST GERMANY, 100 MILES AWAY. THE RUSSIANS HAVE COMPLETE REPORTS ON ALL OPERATIONS OF USE PLANES OVER THE EAST ZONE.

COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES HERE HAVE ALLEGED THAT THE INCENDIARIES WERE AIMED AT FIELDS OF RIPENED GRAIN NEAR THE ELBE RIVER TOWNS OF DESSAU, WHERE U.S. AND SOVIET SOLDIERS MET IN APRIL, 1945. THEY CHARGED THAT VILLAGERS SAW AN AMERICAN-TYPE PLANE CRUISING AT 4,500-FOOT ALTITUDE IN THE VICINITY. A REPORT BY THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN IDENTIFIED THE PLANE AS AN "S-45." LAST NIGHT ADN ASSERTED IT WAS A TWIN-ENGINE TRANSPORT OF THE TYPE "BEACHCRAFT C-54." C-54S IN THE U.S. MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT SERVICE HAVE FOUR ENGINES AND ARE MADE BY DOUGLAS AIRCRAFT. THE PENTAGON SAID PREVIOUSLY IT HAD NEVER HEARD OF AN "S-54."
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BERLIN, AUG. 10-(AP)-DR.EMIL FUCHS, FATHER OF BRITAIN'S CONVICTED ATOMIC SPY, APPEALED TODAY TO THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL TO SETTLE THE KOREAN WAR ON TERMS ALREADY OFFERED BY RUSSIA.
A 73-YEAR-OLD THEOLOGY PROFESSOR, DR.FUCHS SIGNED THE TELEGRAPHIC APPEAL AS CHAIRMAN OF THE "CENTRAL PEACE COMMITTEE" AT LEIPZIG UNIVERSITY IN THE SOVIET ZONE.
HIS SON, KLAUS, IS SERVING A 14-YEAR PRISON TERM IN ENGLAND FOR BETRAYING ATOMIC RESEARCH SECRETS TO RUSSIA.
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FRANKFURT, GERMANY,AUG.10-(AP)-A PANAMERICAN WORLD AIRWAYS STRATOCRUISER ARRIVED HERE TODAY WITH 93 PERSONS ABOARD, BELIEVED TO BE THE LARGEST NUMBER EVER CARRIED ACROSS THE OCEAN ON A REGULAR FLIGHT.
"LOOKS LIKE NOAH'S ARK," SAID ONE BYSTANDER WHEN THE 84 PASSENGERS AND THE CREW OF NINE DISEMBARKED. ALL PASSENGERS WERE U.S. ARMY PERSONNEL OR THEIR DEPENDENTS, COMING TO GERMANY FOR ROUTINE ASSIGNMENT.
THE LOAD INCLUDED 44 CHILDREN 11 YEARS OF AGE OR YOUNGER, INCLUDING NINE INFANTS.
THE BIGGEST FAMILY ABOARD WAS HEADED BY SGT.CLYDE R.KING OF FORT HAMILTON, N.Y., WHO CROSSED THE OCEAN WITH HIS WIFE AND FOUR CHILDREN.
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BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD
BONN, GERMANY, AUG.10-(AP)-INTERIOR MINISTERS OF 11 WEST GERMAN STATES DECIDED TODAY TO CRACK DOWN HARD ON COMMUNIST ACTIVITY IN WEST GERMANY.
THEY MET HERE IN CONFERENCE WITH HIGH OFFICIALS OF THE WEST GERMAN FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO FIND MEANS OF OUTLAWING COMMUNISM IN WEST GERMANY. THEY FELL SHORT OF THAT OBJECTIVE, HOWEVER, BECAUSE OF LEGAL DIFFICULTIES.
FEDERAL INTERIOR MINISTER GUSTAV HEINEMANN TOLD A REPORTER AFTER THE CONFERENCE THAT IT HAD BEEN DECIDED THAT ONLY A FEDERAL CONSTITUTIONAL COURT WOULD BE COMPETENT TO DECLARE A PARTY ILLEGAL BECAUSE OF ACTIVITIES AGAINST THE STATE. THE COURT, ONE OF THE INSTITUTIONS BEING SET UP BY THE YOUNG BONN REGIME, IS NOT EXPECTED TO BEGIN FUNCTIONING UNTIL NOVEMBER, HEINEMANN EXPLAINED.
THE STATE INTERIOR MINISTERS DECIDED TO:
1--REFUSE INTERZONAL TRAVEL PERMITS FOR THE 1,500 WEST GERMAN DELEGATES TO THE SOVIET-BACKED "NATIONAL FRONT" CONGRESS IN BERLIN ON AUG.25.
2--PROHIBIT THE MASS RALLY TO BE STAGED BY THE COMMUNIST YOUTH (FDJ) IN DORTMUND ON SEPT.30. THE COMMUNISTS RECENTLY CLAIMED THEY WOULD STAGE A TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION OF 100,000 BOYS AND GIRLS THROUGH DORTMUND IN THE COURSE OF THEIR YOUTH RALLY THERE.
3--BAN A SO-CALLED "PEACE CONGRESS" IN MAINZ NEXT SUNDAY. ALSO TO BE BARRED WAS A RELAY RACE THROUGH THE STATE OF RHINELAND PFALZ IN CONNECTION WITH THE SAME EVENT.
HEINEMANN SAID THE MINISTERS ALSO AGREED TO JOINT COUNTER MEASURES AGAINST COMMUNIST INFILTRATION INTO THE WESTERN STATES.
THE MINISTERS DISCUSSED MEANS OF FINANCING A PROPOSED 10,000 STRONG POLICE FORCE, TO BE PLACED UNDER THE DIRECT COMMAND OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IN CASE OF EMERGENCY.
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B23 (Q)
PRECEDE HAMBURG DAY (B55Q)
DUESSELDORF, GERMANY, AUG. 10-(AP)-WESTERN ALLIED AUTHORITIES TONIGHT BANNED THE BIGGEST COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER IN WESTERN GERMANY, THE DUESSELDORF FREIES VOLK.
THE PAPER WAS CHARGED WITH "PRINTING MATTER PREJUDICIAL TO THE PRESTIGE AND SECURITY OF THE ALLIED FORCES."
IT WAS THE THIRD COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER IN WESTERN GERMANY TO BE SUSPENDED WITHIN THE LAST WEEK AS A RESULT OF A CRACKDOWN ON COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA AND SUBVERSION. EARLIER TODAY THE HAMBURG VOLKSZEITUNG WAS BANNED AND ON AUG.3
THE FRANKFURT SOZIALISTISCHE VOLKSZEITUNG WAS SUSPENDED. ALL SUSPENSIONS WERE FOR 90 DAYS.
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HAMBURG, GERMANY, AUG. 10-(AP)-ALLIED AUTHORITIES TODAY BANNED THE COMMUNIST VOLKSZEITUNG IN HAMBURG FOR THREE MONTHS AND LOCKED UP ITS PRINTSHOP FOR "PRINTING MATTER PREJUDICIAL TO THE PRESTIGE AND SECURITY OF THE ALLIED FORCES."
IT WAS THE SECOND COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER IN WEST GERMANY TO BE SUSPENDED WITHIN THE LAST WEEK. A WEEK AGO THE FRANKFURT SOZIALISTISCHE VOLKSZEITUNG (SOCIALIST PEOPLE'S PAPER) WAS BANNED FOR 90 DAYS.
BOTH PAPERS WERE PROHIBITED UNDER THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION LAW WHICH FORBIDS PERSONS OR ENTERPRISES FROM TAKING ACTIONS LIKELY TO HARM THE SECURITY OR PRESTIGE OF THE ALLIED OCCUPATION FORCES.
THE BAN WAS THE LATEST OF A SERIES OF ALLIED ACTIONS TAKEN AFTER A SHARP WARNING TO THE COMMUNISTS THAT ANY COMMUNIST-INSPIRED VIOLENCE OR SUBVERSION IN WEST GERMANY WOULD BE SUPPRESSED.
AMERICAN AUTHORITIES CALLED IN COMMUNIST LEADERS IN THE U.S. ZONE TEN DAYS AGO AND TOLD THEM OF THE NEW POLICY. ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID THEY HAD ISSUED THE WARNING AS A RESULT OF THE POLICY OF ORGANIZED RESISTANCE PROCLAIMED AT THE COMMUNIST PARTY CONGRESS IN EAST BERLIN ON JULY 20-24.
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VIENNA, AUSTRIA, AUG.10-(AP)-MRS. ROBERT A. VOGELER SAID TODAY SHE WILL RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES IN SEPTEMBER TO MAKE A PERSONAL APPEAL TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR HELP IN OBTAINING HER HUSBAND'S RELEASE FROM A HUNGARIAN PRISON.
VOGELER, 39, AN EXECUTIVE OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO., WAS SENTENCED BY A HUNGARIAN COURT LAST FEBRUARY TO 15 YEARS' IMPRISONMENT ON CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE AND SABOTAGE. NEGOTIATIONS FOR HIS RELEASE WERE STARTED MANY WEEKS AGO BY THE AMERICAN LEGATION IN BUDAPEST AND THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT. HOWEVER, THESE TALKS ARE NOW AT A STANDSTILL.
"IF BOB IS NOT SET FREE BY THE HUNGARIANS BY SEPTEMBER, THEN I AM GOING TO ASK THE PRESIDENT WHY," PRETTY, BLONDE MRS. VOGELER SAID.
BELGIAN-BORN MRS.VOGELER HAD HOPED HER HUSBAND WOULD BE FREED AS A RESULT OF HER TALK IN LONDON WITH U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON MAY 12.
"BUT NOTHING HAS HAPPENED," SHE SAID. "THE AMERICAN LEGATION HERE HAS ADVISED ME THAT NEGOTIATIONS WITH HUNGARY ARE AT A STANDSTILL."
SHE WAS REFERRING TO NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND HUNGARY WHICH WERE UNDER WAY IN JUNE. THESE APPARENTLY COLLAPSED WHEN IT WAS DISCLOSED THAT HUNGARY WAS DEMANDING THE RETURN OF THE 1,000-YEAR-OLD CROWN OF ST.STEPHEN, FOUNDER OF THE HUNGARIAN KINGDOM AND PATRON SAINT OF THE COUNTRY. THE CROWN, WHICH IS THE SYMBOL OF HUNGARY'S NATIONHOOD, HAS BEEN HELD BY THE U.S. ARMY IN GERMANY SINCE THE WAR.
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LISBON, PORTUGAL, AUG.10-(AP)-PORTUGAL'S PREMIER ANTONIO DE OLIVEIRA SALAZAR SAID TODAY HE BELIEVES MILITARY OPERATIONS IN THE FAR EAST WILL PREVENT THE KOREAN CONFLICT FROM BLAZING INTO WORLD WAR.
IN ONE OF HIS RARE NEWSPAPER INTERVIEWS, WITH THE NEWSPAPER OSECULO, SALAZAR DECLARED:
"IT IS MY FIRM CONVICTION THE KOREAN WAR WILL NOT DEVELOP INTO A WORLDWIDE CONFLICT IMMEDIATELY. INDEED, I THINK MILITARY OPERATIONS IN THE FAR EAST SHOULD BAR WORLDWIDE CONFLICT."
"COMMUNISM," SALAZAR ADDED, "CAN ONLY LIVE WITHIN CLOSED DOORS IN AN ARTIFICIAL ATMOSPHERE THAT ANY CURRENT OF FRESH AIR COULD DESTROY."
THE PORTUGUESE PREMIER SAID THE ANTI-COMMUNIST FORCES SHOULD COUNTER RED PROPAGANDA WITH TEACHINGS OF THEIR OWN "AND NOT WITH GUNS, AIRCRAFT AND BOMBS ONLY."
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THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG 10-(AP)-WELL-INFORMED CIRCLES SAID TONIGHT THE DUTCH GOVERNMENT IS CONSIDERING SENDING ONE BATTALION TO AID THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.
NO DETAILS WERE AVAILABLE. A MILITARY SPOKESMAN DECLINED TO CONFIRM OR DENY THE REPORT. A BATTALION MAY RUN FROM 500 TO 1,000 MEN.
AT THE SAME TIME, THE AMSTERDAM CATHOLIC NEWSPAPER DE TIJD CARRIED AN ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE FORMATION OF A PRIVATE GROUP SEEKING TO FORM A VOLUNTEER CORPS TO FIGHT IN KOREA.
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B53 Q (180)
BY L.S.CHAKALES
ATHENS, GREECE, AUG. 10-(;-0)-STALEMATED GREEK-YUGOSLAV NEGOTIATIONS ARE EXPECTED TO REVIVE WITH THE ARRIVAL HERE MONDAY OF BRITISH FOREIGN UNDERSECRETARY ERNEST DAVIES, DIPLOMATIC SOURCES SAID TODAY.
THE NEGOTIATIONS WHICH STARTED WITH MUCH FANFANE LAST MARCH HAVE BEEN BOGGED DOWN COMPLETELY FOR TWO MONTHS. THEY WERE INTENDED TO END BAD FEELING BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES RESULTING FROM YUGOSLAVIA'S SUPPORT OF THE REBELS IN THE GREEK CIVIL WAR.
THE SOURCES SAID DAVIES WAS COMING HERE FOR A "HOLIDAY" AND TO DISCUSS GREEK-YUGOSLAV RAPPROCHEMENT.
THE GREEKS ENDED THE PARLEYS WHEN MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT REFUSED TO GIVE WHAT THEY CONSIDERED SATISFACTORY ASSURANCES FOR THE RETURN OF GREEK CHILDREN TAKEN TO YUGOSLAVIA DURING THE CIVIL WAR. THE YUGOSLAVS ALSO INSISTED IN REOPENING THE MACEDONIAN QUESTION.
GREECE NAMED DIMITRIOS PAPPAS MINISTER TO BELGRADE, BUT HE HAS NEVER TAKEN UP HIS STATION BECAUSE OF THE BREAKDOWN IN NEGOTIATIONS.
DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS INTERPRETED DAVIES' TRIP AS MEANING BRITAIN WAS NOW TAKING THE INITIATIVE IN BRINGING ABOUT A GREEK-YUGOSLAV RAPPROCHEMENT AFTER THE FAILURE OF AMERICAN EFFORTS.
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ATHENS, AUG 10-(AP)-A GREEK MILITARY COURT TODAY SENTENCED 12 MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST UNDERGROUND TO DEATH ON CHARGES OF HAVING COMMITTED ASSASSINATION, TREASON, SABOTAGE AND SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES BETWEEN 1947 AND 1949.
BESIDES THE 12 SENTENCED TO DIE, TWO OTHER DEFENDANTS WERE SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT, EIGHT OTHERS TO PRISON TERMS RANGING FROM 10 TO 20 YEARS AND 17 OTHERS WERE ACQUITTED.
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NIGHT LEAD LEOPOLD

BY GODFREY ANDERSON

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.10-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT'S BILL TRANSFERRING THE ROYAL POWERS OF KING LEOPOLD 111 TO HIS SON, PRINCE BAUDOUIN, PASED THE BELGIAN SENATE TODAY 121 TO 22.

BAUDOUIN, A QUIET, BE-SPECTACLED YOUTH OF 19, IS EXPECTED TO TAKE HIS OATH AS PRINCE ROYAL (OR REGENT) IN PARLIAMENT AT 3 P.M. (9 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME) TOMORROW.

ONLY TWO FORMALITIES REMAIN TO BE COMPLETED. THE BILL MUST RECEIVE ROYAL ASSENT AND BE APPROVED BY A JOINT ASSEMBLY OF BOTH HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT IN ITS FINAL FORM AS LAW.

THE LOWER HOUSE PASSED THE BILL LAST NIGHT 165 TO 27. THERE WERE SEVEN ABSTENTIONS IN THE HOUSE; 23 IN THE SENATE.

WHEN BAUDOUIN TAKES THE OATH, LEOPOLD WILL STEP FROM A THRONE HE HAS HELD IN THE TURBULENT DAYS SINCE JULY 22, WHEN HE RETURNED FROM SWITZERLAND AFTER SIX YEARS IN EXILE.

UNDER THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN LEOPOLD AND THE GOVERNMENT, BELGIUM WILL EMBARK ON A SECOND REGENCY WHICH WILL END WHEN PRINCE BAUDOUIN REACHES THE AGE OF 21 ON SEPT.7, 1951, AND BECOMES THE FIFTH KING OF THE BELGIANS.

UNTIL HIS DEFERRED ABDICATION BECOMES EFFECTIVE 13 MONTHS HENCE, LEOPOLD WILL REMAIN KING IN TITLE, BUT NOTHING ELSE.

THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE LONG CRISIS WAS LIKED BY FEW BELGIANS, ALTHOUGH MOST WERE PREPARED TO RALLY AROUND THE INEXPERIENCED YOUNG PRINCE IN ANSWER TO THE KING'S APPEAL. MOST OF THE FLEMISH SUPPORTERS OF LEOPOLD WOULD HAVE LIKED HIM TO STAY; MOST OF HIS FRENCH-SPEAKING WALLOON OPPONENTS WOULD HAVE LIKED HIM TO GO MORE QUICKLY.

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FIRST LEAD BELGIAN

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.10-(AP)-THE BELGIAN SENATE TONIGHT APPROVED THE GOVERNMENT'S ROYAL POWERS BILL AND CLEARED THE WAY FOR KING LEOPOLD III TO END HIS REIGN TOMORROW.

THE VOTE IN FAVOR OF TRANSFERRING THE KING'S POWERS TO HIS OLDEST SON, CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN, WAS 121 FOR AND 22 AGAINST. THERE WERE 23 ABSTENTIONS.

THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES APPROVED THE BILL YESTERDAY. BOTH HOUSES ARE SCHEDULED TO GIVE FINAL APPROVAL AT A JOINT SESSION TOMORROW AND PRINCE BAUDOUIN IS EXPECTED TO TAKE THE OATH AS PRINCE ROYAL, OR REGENT, SOON AFTER.

OBSERVERS HOPE THE TRANSFER OF POWER WILL END THE VIOLENT PRO-- AND ANTI-LEOPOLD SPLIT WHICH BROUGHT BELGIUM TO THE BRINK OF CIVIL WAR.

BITTER WRANGLING DELAYED YESTERDAY'S VOTE, WITH DEPUTIES SPRINGING TO THEIR FEET, SHOUTING, ON BOTH SIDES OF THE HOUSE. IT ENDED IN PASSAGE BY A VOTE OF 165 TO 27 OF THE SOCIAL CHRISTIAN GOVERNMENT'S BILL.

FIVE COMMUNISTS AND TWO SOCIAL CHRISTIANS ABSTAINED. DISSENTING VOTES WERE CAST BY 26 SOCIAL CHRISTIANS AND ONE PRO-LEOPOLD LIBERAL.

SOCIALIST-LED OPPOSITION TO LEOPOLD'S RESUMPTION OF HIS THRONE CULMINATED IN RIOTING AFTER HIS RETURN FROM EXILE IN SWITZERLAND JULY 22.

AT THE PEAK OF THE DISORDERS, THE KING AGREED TO HAND OVER HIS REGAL POWERS AND ASSURED, BY IMPLICATION, THAT BAUDOUIN WOULD BECOME KING IN NAME AS WELL AS FACT WHEN HE REACHES THE AGE OF 21 ON SEPT.7, 1951.

THE BILL BEING VOTED ON TODAY WAS INTRODUCED TO CARRY OUT THE AGREEMENT.

THE DISPUTE OVER LEOPOLD DATES TO WORLD WAR II, WHEN THE KING'S OPPONENTS CRITICIZED HIS EARLY SURRENDER TO THE GERMANS AND HIS REFUSAL TO FOLLOW HIS MINISTERS INTO EXILE.

OPPOSITION TO THE KING WAS SPEARHEADED BY THE SOCIALISTS; THE (CATHOLIC) SOCIAL CHRISTIANS WERE HIS SUPPORTERS. THE COUNTRY SPLIT GEOGRAPHICALLY AS WELL AS POLITICALLY, WITH THE FRENCH-SPEAKING WALLOON DISTRICTS LARGELY ANTI-LEOPOLD AND THE FLEMISH NORTH SUPPORTING THE KING.

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B45 (Q)

ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT, AUG.10-(AP)-THE ARAB LEAGUE SECRETARIAT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT HASHEMITE JORDAN WILL ATTEND THE LEAGUE'S POLITICAL COMMITTEE MEETING HERE AUG.15.

JORDAN BOYCOTTED THE JUNE MEETING BECAUSE OF A DISPUTE OVER HER ANNEXATION OF ARAB PALESTINE IN MAY.

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BEIRUT, LEBANON, AUG. 10-(AP)-SIX VESSELS OF THE U.S. FLEET, HEADED BY THE HEAVY CRUISER SALEM, WERE WELCOMED INTO PORT HERE TODAY. THEY WILL REMAIN UNTIL MONDAY ON A GOODWILL VISIT.

VICE ADM. JOHN DALENTINE COMMANDS THE VISITING GROUP.

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B126 Q

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NIGHT LEAD RIOT

NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG.10-(AP)-RIOTING SAID TO BE LED BY COMMUNISTS PLAGUED GWALIOR, ANCIENT CITY OF CENTRAL INDIA, TONIGHT. OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID FIVE PERSONS, INCLUDING A POLICEMAN HAVE BEEN KILLED AND 27 INJURED IN THE PAST TWO DAYS.

AT A LATE HOUR ARSON AND LOOTING WERE REPORTED IN VARIOUS PARTS OF THE CITY, WHOSE POPULATION IS OVER 100,000.

POLICE PATROLS WERE INCREASED. THE RIOTING STARTED YESTERDAY AFTER POLICE FIRED ON A PARADE OF STUDENTS WHO MARCHED IN DEFIANCE OF A POLICE BAN.

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B80 Q

NEW DELHI, AUG.10-(AP)-AUTHORITIES RUSHED POLICE REINFORCEMENTS AND A TEAR GAS SQUAD TODAY TO GWALIOR IN CENTRAL INDIA, WHERE RIOTING REPORTEDLY LED BY COMMUNISTS HAS KILLED THREE PERSONS AND WOUNDED 27 OTHERS.

CROWDS RIOTED YESTERDAY AFTER POLICE FIRED ON A PROCESSION OF STUDENTS WHO MARCHED IN DEFIANCE OF A POLICE BAN. THE POLICE WERE ATTACKED AND IN THE RESULTANT GUN FIRE THREE PERSONS, INCLUDING A POLICEMAN, WERE KILLED, OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID. LOOTING AND ARSON FLARED IN SEVERAL PLACES IN THE CITY.

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NIGHT LEAD INDONESIAN (240)

JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG.10-(AP)-THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT TONIGHT IN A STATEMENT BLAMED "TROOPS UNDER DUTCH RESPONSIBILITY" FOR THE RECENT DISORDERS IN MAKASSAR AND ASKED AID OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION TO PREVENT FURTHER TROUBLE.

MAKASSAR WAS COMPARATIVELY QUIET UNDER AN UNEASY TRUCE ARRANGED YESTERDAY BY UNITED NATIONS, DUTCH AND INDONESIAN OFFICIALS. THERE WAS AN OCCASIONAL BURST OF FIRE FROM REBEL OR INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT TROOPS.

THE REBELS ARE NATIVE SOLDIERS IN KNIL (ROYAL NETHERLANDS ARMY) NOW BEING DISBANDED.

THE INDONESIAN STATEMENT SAID THE FLARE-UP OCCURRED BECAUSE KNIL TROOPS REFUSED TO TURN IN THEIR ARMS AFTER THE FORMAL LIQUIDATION OF THE UNIT. IT ALSO CHARGED THAT 15 ARMORED CARS WERE DISPATCHED FROM THE KNIL ENCAMPMENT TO MEET WHAT THE GOVERNMENT CALLED A "SUPPOSED" ATTACK BY INDONESIAN GUERRILLA TROOPS.

THE STATEMENT EXPRESSED CONCERN ABOUT THE IMPRESSION MADE ON FOREIGN INVESTORS BY THESE AND LIKE INCIDENTS. IT SAID SUCH INCIDENTS SHOW "THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT IS NOT QUITE ABLE" TO CONTROL THE TROOPS UNDER ITS RESPONSIBILITY.

AUTHORITATIVE DUTCH SOURCES COMMENTED THAT THE INDONESIAN MILITARY COMMAND HAD BEEN WARNED THREE WEEKS AGO THAT KNIL TROOPS AT MAKASSAR "MIGHT GET OUT OF HAND" OF THE FEW DUTCH OFFICERS IN CHARGE. THEY SAID THE REASON WHY THE KNIL TROOPS REFUSED TO HAND IN THEIR ARMS WAS BECAUSE THEY FEARED AN ATTACK BY PRO-REPUBLICAN GUERRILLA FORCES NUMBERING ABOUT 20,000 IN SOUTH CELEBES.

THE DUTCH DESTROYER KORTENAER, DISPATCHED WHEN THE TROUBLE BEGAN, WAS STILL AT MAKASSAR, ACCORDING TO BEST AVAILABLE REPORTS. THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT HAS DEMANDED THAT THE DUTCH RECALL THE DESTROYER TO ITS BASE AT SOERABAYA.

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JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S.I., AUG. 10-(AP)-AN UNEASY TRUCE, BROKEN BY SCATTERED FIRING, PREVAILED TODAY IN THE TENSE EAST INDONESIA CITY OF MAKASSAR, WHERE A REBELLION AGAINST THE CENTRAL INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT STARTED SUNDAY.

THE REBEL TROOPS ARE NATIVE SOLDIERS IN THE DUTCH EAST INDIES ARMY NOW BEING DISBANDED. REPORTS INDICATED THEY STILL HOLD THEIR OWN BARRACKS AND PART OF THE CITY.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NETHERLANDS HIGH COMMISSIONER HERE SAID THE CITY WAS MUCH QUIETER SINCE THE TRUCE, ARRANGED BY UNITED NATIONS, DUTCH AND INDONESIAN OFFICIALS, BECAME EFFECTIVE YESTERDAY.

FIVE SENIOR MILITARY OFFICERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION FOR INDONESIA FLEW TO MAKASSAR TODAY TO SURVEY THE SITUATION, BUT THE COMMISSION DID NOT SAY IF IT PLANS TO TAKE ANY ACTION ON THE INCIDENT.

THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT WOULD NOT CONFIRM OR DENY DUTCH REPORTS THAT AN INDONESIAN PLANE STRAFED THE REBEL CAMP ON THREE SUCCESSIVE DAYS..

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B42 (Q)

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SAIGTN, INDOCHINA, AUGUST 10-(AP)-THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER STEEL ROVER, CARRYING THE FIRST SHIPMENT OF UNITED STATES MILITARY AID FOR INDOCHINA, ARRIVED HERE TODAY AFTER A 60-MILE RUN UP THE SAIGON RIVER WITHOUT INCIDENT.

A DETACHMENT OF FRENCH TROOPS WAS PUT ABOARD THE 10,000-TON VESSEL FOR THE TRIP TO SAIGON'S IVER PORT FROM THE SOUTH CHINA SEA. VESSELS SOMETIMES COME UNDER FIRE FROM ANTI-FRENCH GUERRILLAS ALONG THE RIVER BANK.

AMERICAN CREW MEMBERS SAID THEY WERE ORDERED TO STAY OFF THE EXPOSED DECKS DURING THE RIVER VOYAGE IN ANTICIPATION OF POSSIBLE TROUBLE. THE SHIP LAST WEEK WAS FORCED TO TURN BACK TO HONG KONG SHORTLY AFTER LEAVING THE BRITISH CROWN COLONY WHEN IT WAS FIRED UPON, APPARENTLY BY A CHINESE JUNK.

THE STEEL ROVER WILL BEGIN UNLOADING ITS MILITARY AND COMMERCIAL CARGO THIS AFTERNOON. MILITARY VEHICLES OF ALL TYPES WERE LASHED ON TO THE SHIP DECKS.

THE DOCK AREA WHERE THE STEEL ROVER TIED UP WAS CORDONED OFF BY FRENCH COLONIAL TROOPS. THERE WAS NO INDICATION OF ANY COMMUNIST-INSPIRED DEMONSTRATION AS HAD BEEN THREATENED EARLIER.

A SECOND AMERICAN VESSEL CARRYING ARMS FOR FRENCH AND VIETNAMESE FORCES FIGHTING THE COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE VERY SHORTLY.

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MOLOTOV (160)

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG.10-(AP)-ACHINESE NATIONALIST NEWSPAPER TODAY REPORTED SOVIET VICE-PREMIER V.M.MOLOTOV HAS ARRIVED IN PEIPING, CAPITAL OF COMMUNIST CHINA.

THERE WAS NO CONFIRMATION.

CHINESE NATIONALISTS AND OTHERS HAVE LONG CONTENDED THAT MOLOTOV IS DIRECTING EXPANSION OF COMMUNISM IN THE ORIENT ON ORDERS FROM PRIME MINISTER JOSEPH STALIN.

TODAY'S STORY, ATTRIBUTED TO ARRIVALS FROM HONG KONG, SAID MOLOTOV REACHED PEIPING JULY 31. THE ACCOUNT CONTINUED:

HEAVY DETACHMENTS OF TROOPS AND POLICE GUARDED HIS ROUTE FROM THE AIRFIELD TO THE FORMER IMPERIAL HUNTING PARK, NOW THE RESIDENCE OF RED CHAIRMAN MAO TZE-TUNG. NO ONE WAS ALLOWED NEAR THE PARK WITHOUT SPECIAL PERMIT.

DESPITE THESE PRECAUTIONS, THE ACCOUNT SAID, IT SOON BECAME COMMOND KNOWLEDGE IN PEIPING THAT MOLOTOV WAS CONFERRING WITH MAO.

MAO MADE AN EXTENDED VISIT TO MOSCOW SEVEN MONTHS AGO AND CAME AWAY WITH TREATIES. BEARING ON RUSSIAN-CHINESE AGREEMENTS FOR MUTUAL AID AND DISPOSITIONS OF THEIR BORDER TERRITORIES.

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG.10-(AP)-PRO-NATIONALIST PRESS REPORTS SAID TODAY 20,000 CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS HAVE SLIPPED INTO INDOCHINA TO JOIN FORCES OF MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI-MINH AGAINST THE FRENCH-SPONSORED VIETNAM GOVERNMENT.

THE UNCONFIRMED CHINESE REPORTS SAID THE REDS WERE SHIFTED IN SMA GROUPS BY JUNK AT NIGHT FROM CHINESE HAINAN ISLAND, INTO NEARBY INDOCHINA.

THE UNITED STATES IS INCREASING MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID TO THE FRENCH AND THE VIETNAM GOVERNMENT OF BAO DAI, BOTH OF WHOM ARE FIGHTING HO.

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TAIPEI, AUG.10-(AP)-WHITE-HATTED U.S.NAVY SAILORS ON SHORE LEAVE IN FORMOSA ATTRACT CROWDS WHO GAPE WITH UNABASHED CURIOSITY.

THE SAILORS, FROM THE CRUISER JUNEAU, ARRIVED AT THE NORTH COAST PORT OF KEELUNG SATURDAY.

THEIR WARSHIP WAS ONE OF THREE ESCORTING THE NAVY TANKER CIMMARRON WHICH BROUGHT AVIATION GASOLINE TO THIS CHINESE NATIONALIST ISLAND.

KEELUNG BUSINESSMEN REPORTED THE AMERICANS' ARRIVAL STIMULATED BUSINESS. SO KEELUNG CIVIC BODIES JOINED TOGETHER AND SENT THE JUNEAU CREW A PRESENT: BANANAS AND PINEAPPLES.

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 11-(AP)-TWO PERSONS, MEMBERS OF AN ABORTIVE COMMUNIST-INSPIRED PLOT TO OVERTHROW THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ON FORMOSA, WERE EXECUTED TODAY.
THEY WERE WANG CHENG-CHIH, 27, AND LT. COL. LIN CHIH SEN, 31. BOTH SERVED UNDER LT. GEN. WU SHIH, WHO WAS PUT TO DEATH JUNE 10 ON CHARGES OF PLOTTING TO DELIVER FORMOSA TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS BY STAGING A REVOLT.
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A52FX (SHORTS)
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HONG KONG, AUG.10-(AP)-BRITISH WATERFRONT REPORTS SAID TODAY RED CHINA SHORE BATTERIES HAVE ORDERS TO FIRE ON ANY FOREIGN SHIPS COMING WITHIN TWO MILES OF THE MANY COMMUNIST-HELD ISLANDS IN THE WEST ENTRANCE TO HONG KONG HARBOR.
THE REPORTS WERE NOT CONFIRMED.
EARLIER THIS WEEK THREE CARGO SHIPS--BRITISH, AMERICAN AND NORWEGIAN-WERE FIRED ON WITHIN THREE DAYS IN THE LEMA ISLAND AREA.
SPECIFIC MENTION WAS MADE OF THE WANSHAN ISLAND (LADRONES) AS A DANGEROUS AREA FOR FOREIGN SHIPPING.
RED FORCES THERE REPORTED BUILDING UP AS "OUTPOSTS OF A SOUTH CHINA DEFENSE LINE."
BRITAIN YESTERDAY ADVISED SHIPPERS IN THE CROWN COLONY TO SKIRT CERTAIN ISLANDS BY AT LEAST FIVE MILES.
SINGLED OUT WERE THE LEMAS, WHICH LIE 15 MILES SOUTH OF HONG KONG AND 3 1/2 MILES FROM THE HARBOR ENTRANCE.
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SINGAPORE, AUG.10-(AP)-BRITAIN'S COMMISSIONER GENERAL MALCOLM MACDONALD REPEATED HIS CHARGE TODAY THAT RUSSIA HAD INSPIRED AGGRESSION IN ASIA, AND DECLARED THAT THE NORTH KOREANS "WOULD NOT HAVE DARED" TO LAUNCH THEIR ATTACK WITHOUT MOSCOW'S DECISION.
"THE MEN WHO DECIDED ON THIS (KOREAN) ASSAULT "ARE NOT KOREANS AT ALL," HE SAID. "THEY ARE RUSSIAN."
THREE DAYS AGO MACDONALD ACCUSED MOSCOW OF MASTERMINDING RED REVOLTS IN EVERY COUNTRY IN ASIA. RETURNING TO THE SAME THEME TODAY, HE SAID THAT THE COMMUNISTS IN MALAYA COULD ONLY SUCCEED IN AVOIDING DEFEAT AT THE HANDS OF THE BRITISH IF THEY "COULD GET MATERIAL HELP FROM THEIR FRIENDS OUTSIDE MALAYA."
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OTTAWA, AUG.10-(AP)-THE TRADES AND LABOR CONGRESS OF CANADA AND THE CANADIAN LABOR CONGRESS JOINED TODAY IN DENOUNCING COMMUNIST ATTEMPTS TO DIVIDE UNION SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA. THE TWO LABOR ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENT APPROXIMATELY 900,000 WORKERS.
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B36 (SEG)
(550)
NEW YORK, AUG. 10-(AP)-JUST WHO IS THE MYSTERIOUS SEAPLANE PILOT UNDER GUARD ABOARD THE POLISH LINER BATORY?
AND JUST EXACTLY WHY IS HE THERE?
THE FBI, THE STATE DEPARTMENT, AND THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE SETTLED DOWN TODAY TO FIND THE ANSWERS.
THEY ALL WANT TO TALK TO THE RESCUED AVIATOR - -
THEY ALL WANT TO TALK TO THE RESCUED AVIATOR - - WHO SOMETIMES CALLS HIMSELF WILLIAM JESSE NEWTON OF NEW YORK CITY, OTHER GIMES GUILLERMO SAN SEBASTIAN OF MEXICO CITY, AND AT STILL OTHER TIMES SAYS HE IS BOTH.

MICHAEL J.MCDERMOTT, STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER, TOLD WASHINGTON REPORTERS THAT THE MAN'S IDENTITY WILL BE "CAREFULLY CHECKED" WHEN THE BATORY REACHES SOUTHAMPTON. THE CHECK WILL BE MADE, HE SAID. BY EITHER BRITISH OR AMERICAN OFFICIALS.
FOURTH GRAF.
A FOURTH PARTY, GEORGE LAMBROS, JR., OWNER OF THE FLYER'S RENTED SEAPLANE, WOULD ALSO LIKE A FEW WORDS WITH NEWTON-SAN SEBASTIAN.
THE FLIER LANDED HIS PLANE ON THE CALM ATLANTIC TUESDAY NEAR THE OUTWARD-BOUND BATORY, ABOUT 75 MILES FROM NEW YORK. HE CLAIMED HE WAS LOST AND OUT OF GAS, AND WAS HOISTED ABOARD WITH THE UNDAMAGED PLANE.
HE IDENTIFIED HIMSELF TO CAPT. JAN CWIKLINSKI AS SAN SEBASTIAN, 26, AND THE SKIPPER RADIOED TH COAST GUARD TO COME AND TAKE HIM HOME.
BUT THE COAST GUARD SAID THAT ITS BUSINESS WAS SAVING LIVES, AND THAT SINCE THE FLIER'S LIFE WAS ALREADY SAVED IT COULD NOT ACT. SO THE AVIATOR CONTINUED ON TO SOUTHAMPTON, ENGLAND, WITH THE BIG SHIP.
AT THIS POINT LAMBROS IDENTIFIED SAN SEBASTIAN AS A CLIENT WHO HAD GIVEN THE NAME OF NEWTON. QUERIED BY CWIKLINSKI, SAN SEBASTIAN SAID YES, HE WAS ALSO KNOWN UNDER THE OTHER NAME.
IN A RADIO-TELEPHONE INTERVIEW WITH THE NEW YORK HERALD TRIBUNE, NEWTON-SAN SEBASTIAN MAINTAINED THE MYSTERY.
"I DID NOT KNOW WHAT THE CONSEQUENCES MIGHT BE OR HOW THE LAW LOOKS ON THESE INCIDENTS," HE SAID. "I WAS ANTICIPATING REPERCUSSIONS OF AN UNKNOWN NATURE."
THE FACT THAT THE BATORY WAS INVOLVED STIMULATED THE GOVERNMENT'S INTEREST. THE SHIP HAS BEEN UNDER STRICT WATCH WHILE IN HARBOR EVER SINCE THE COMMUNIST GERHART EISLER JUMPED BAIL AND FLED A CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS PRISON SENTENCE BY STOWING AWAY ON HER IN MAY, 1949. ON HER LATEST TRIP HERE, SHE WAS UNDER AN EXTRAORDINARILY STRICT SURVEILLANCE.
IN ANOTHER TELEPHONE INTERVIEW WITH THE NEW YORK DAILY NEWS, THE FLYER SAID "IF YOU SPEAK SPANISH MY NAME'S SAN SEBASTIAN. IF YOU WANT TO SPEAK ENGLISH CALL ME NEWTON."
THE NEWS SAID HE SPOKE ENGLISH WITHOUT AN ACCENT.
CAPT. CWIKLINSKI THEN HAD A LONG TALK WITH HIS PASSENGER AND REPORTED TO HIS NEW YORK OFFICE THAT THE FLYER SAID HIS FATHER WAS MEXICAN AND HIS MOTHER AMERICAN. HE SAID HE WAS BROUGHT UP IN MEXICO CITY, AND APPLIED FOR A PASSPORT AT THE AMERICAN EMBASSY THERE IN 1947 -- USING HIS MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME OF NEWTON.
THE STAATE DEPARTMENT CONFIRMED ISSUING A PASSPORT TO A MR. NEWTON ON JAN. 7, 1947, BUT SAID IT HAD EXPIRED LAST YEAR AND THERE WAS NO RECORD OF IT BEING RENEWED.
AFTER THE MYSTERY DEEPENED, CAPT. CWIKLINSKI CONFINED NEWTON-SAN SEBASTIAN TO HIS QUARTERS AND PLACED HIM UNDER GUARD.
TO THE NEWS, THE FLIER ALSO SAID HE HAD NO MONEY AND COULD NOT PAY NEITHER FOR THE BOAT RIDE NOR THE EXTENDED AIRPLANE RENTAL.
LAMBROS CALLED THE INCIDENT A THEFT AND REPORTED IT AS SUCH TO POLICE FROM HIS BASE AT RIDGEFIELD PARK, N.J. HE SAID NEWTON-SAN SEBASTIAN FLEW PERFECTLY IN A TEST HOP, BUT ASKED FOR A LIFE JACKET BEFORE TAKING OFF ALONE.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID AMERICAN OFFICIALS WOULD MEET NEWTON-SAN SEBASTIAN AT SOUTHAMPTON, WHERE HE WOULD BE UNDER BRITISH JURISDICTION.
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A24WX (BATORY)
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BATORY
WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-A SECOND UNSCHEDULED PASSENGER HAS TURNED UP BOARD THE EUROPE-BOUND POLISH MOTORSHIP BATORY, THE GOVERNMENT DISCLOSED LATE TODAY.
THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID THE GYNDIA-AMERICAN LINE IDENTIFIED THE MAN AS HOWARD E.CAMPBELL, AND LISTED HIM AS AN AMERICAN CITIZEN OF 91

THE MAN AS HOWARD E. CAMPBELL, AND LISTED HIM AS AN AMERICAN CITIZEN 91 525 41 STREET, DES MOINES.
THE DEPARTMENT SAID CAMPBELL EVIDENTLY BOARDED THE BATORY AS A STOWAWAY BEFORE THE SHIP LEFT THE UNITED STATES.
ANOTHER MAN, WITH A PASSPORT BEARING THE NAME OF WILLIAM JESSE NEWTON, WAS REPORTED BY THE BATORY YESTERDAY TO HAVE LANDED A RENTED SEAPLANE ALONGSIDE THE SHIP 100 MILES OUT IN THE ATLANTIC. HE WAS TAKEN ABOARD.
THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID BOTH MEN WILL BE DETAINED AND QUESTIONED BY AMERICAN AND BRITISH AUTHORITIES WHEN THE BATORY DOCKS AT SOUTHAMPTON, ENGLAND, NEXT TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY. AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT RELATED:
THE MAN WHO GAVE HIS NAME AS CAMPBELL TOLD THE BATORY MASTER HE HAD NO PASSPORT AND WAS A STOWAWAY.
FBI FILES SHOW A RECORD OF NUMEROUS ARRESTS FOR HOWARD E. CAMPBELL OF THE DES MOINES ADDRESS.
THE FILES SHOW THAT CAMPBELL WAS PICKED UP JUNE 14, 1949, IN ALBERTA, CANADA, ON A CHARGE OF VAGRANCY; THAT HE WAS DETAINED ON AUG. 1, 1949, IN ALASKA AND THEN RELEASED ON AUGUST 11 AFTER A LUNACY JURY FOUND HIM SANE; AND THAT HE WAS A STOWAWAY ON THE QUEEN ELIZABETH IN LATE APRIL THIS YEAR.
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B35 (SEG)
(B50)
NEW YORK, AUG. 10-(AP)-MYSTERIOUS LARGE-SCALE MOVEMENTS OF THE RUSSIAN MERCHANT MARINE NEAR KOREA ARE REPORTED BY U.S. SHIP OWNERS.
ASSEMBLING FLOATING DRY DOCKS, VESSELS AND SUPPLIES AT VLADIVOSTOK--THE CHIEF SIBERIAN PORT AND ONLY 500 MILES FROM KOREA -- WAS REPORTED BY THE AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE INSTITUTE LAST NIGHT AFTER A STUDY OF MARITIME MOVEMENTS IN THE PACIFIC.
"WHAT BEARING ALL THIS MAY HAVE ON THE KOREAN SITUATION REMAINS TO BE SEEN," THE INSTITUTE SAID.
"MANY OF THE SHIPS ARE KNOWN TO BE CARRYING GRAIN, WHILE OTHERS ARE LADEN WITH GENERAL CARGO," THE REPORT SAID.
"THIS HEAVY MOVEMENT BY WATER COULD MEAN THAT THE TRANS-SIBERIAN RAILROAD IS FULLY OCCUPIED WITH THE TRANSPORTATION OF MILITARY MATERIALS."
THE INSTITUTE, A TRADE ORGANIZATION OF SHIP OWNERS WHOSE VESSELS FLY THE AMERICAN FLAG, SAID STUDY OF AVAILABLE RECORDS INDICATED THE STEPPED-UP RUSSIAN ACTIVITY IN THE PACIFIC HAS EXTENDED OVER SEVERAL WEEKS.
THE REPORT SAID "A SIZABLE PORTION" OF THE RED MERCHANT FLEET HAS BEEN REPORTED BOUND FOR VLADIVOSTOK.
MANY RUSSIAN VESSELS HAVE BEEN MAKING THE 9,000-MILE VOYAGE FROM THE BLACK SEA PORT OF ODESSA TO VLADIVOSTOK, AND SOME OTHERS HAVE SAILED 12,500 MILES OUT OF THE BALTIC AREA, HEADING FOR THE PACIFIC VIA THE MEDITERRANEAN.
AMERICAN AUTHORITIES KNOW OF 510 RUSSIAN OCEAN-GOING VESSELS, BUT LESS THAN 30 PER CENT CAN BE LOCATED, THE INSTITUTE SAID.
THE REPORT SAID "RUSSIAN TANKERS WITH FULL CARGOES HAVE SAILED FROM THE BLACK SEA OIL PORTS OF CONSTANZA AND BATUM VIA SUEZ FOR VLADIVOSTOK."
"OF SPECIAL MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE WAS THE TRANSFER OF THREE DRYDOCKS FROM THE BLACK SEA AND THE BALTIC TO VLADIVOSTOK IN THE LAST TWO MONTHS," IT CONTINUED.
THE INSTITUTE SAID THE IRON CURTAIN, HIDING THE MOVEMENTS OF THE RUSSIAN MERCHANT MARINE, HAS ALMOST COMPLETELY COVERED THE WHEREABOUTS OF 83 AMERICAN MERCHANT SHIPS WHICH THE REDS OBTAINED BY LEND-LEASE IN 1942-45. RUSSIA HAS RESISTED AMERICAN EFFORTS TO GET THEM BACK.
SEVERAL AMERICAN LIBERTY-TYPE SHIPS HAVE BEEN AMONG THE SHIPS REPORTED MOVING TOWARD VLADIVOSTOK. A GREEK SHIP THAT VISITED CHINNAMPO IN NORTH KOREA LAST MAY REPORTED THE PRESENCE THERE OF SEVERAL LIBERTY SHIPS FLYING THE SOVIET HAMMER AND SICKLE.
THE INSTITUTE'S REPORT SAID SOVIET-CONTROLLED SHIPYARDS IN EASTERN GERMANY HAVE BEEN BUSY REPAIRING RED VESSELS. AND SEVEN SOVIET SHIPS RECENTLY WERE AT ANTWERP, BELGIUM, AWAITING REPAIRS.
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FIRST LEAD WALLACE
NEW YORK, AUG.10-(AP)-A DISILLUSIONED HENRY A.WALLACE SAID TONIGHT "RUSSIA IS CLEARLY THE AGGRESSOR" IN KOREA.
THE FORMER VICE PRESIDENT SAID IN A RADIO INTERVIEW OVER THE MUTUAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM THAT RUSSIA ACTUALLY IS AT WAR WITH THE UNITED STATES IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING.
WALLACE SAID THAT UP UNTIL SIX MONTHS AGO HE BELIEVED RUSSIA WANTED TO END ITS CONFLICT WITH THE WESTERN WORLD, AND ADDED:
"I NOW BELIEVE RUSSIA WANTS TO CONTINUE THE COLD WAR FOR ITS OWN REASONS."
WALLACE'S STATEMENT ABOUT THIS COUNTRY BEING AT WAR WITH RUSSIA CAME AFTER ONE OF THE REPORTERS INTERVIEWING HIM, IN DISCUSSING THE KOREAN SITUATION, REMARKED THAT "OF COURSE WE'RE NOT REALLY AT WAR WITH RUSSIA THERE."
"ACTUALLY, WE ARE," WALLACE PUT IN.
THE 1948 PROGRESSIVE PARTY PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE, WHO RECENTLY RESIGNED THE PARTY AFTER IT REFUSED TO SUPPORT THE U.S. STAND IN KOREA, SAID HE WAS UNCERTAIN WHETHER COMMUNISTS NOW CONTROL THE PARTY.
"I JUST DON'T KNOW," HE SAID. "I CERTAINLY DIDN'T THINK THEY WERE RUNNING THE PARTY DURING THE TWO YEARS I WAS IN IT."
WALLACE SAID HE NEVER "WENT ALONG WITH THE COMMUNISTS ON ANYTHING" AND THAT IF THEY AGREED WITH "MY LINE" THEN THEY WERE "FOLLOWING MY LEADERSHIP" AND NOT VICE-VERSA.
HE SAID HE HAD BEEN CONSIDERING QUITTING THE PARTY "FOR SOME TIME" BEFORE HIS CLASH WITH IT OVER THE KOREAN WAR.
THE ACTION OF THE PARTY'S STATE COMMITTEES IN CONDEMNING U.S. ACTION IN KOREA, HE SAID, "MAKES ME VERY DOUBTFUL ABOUT THE USEFULLNESS OF THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY."
BUT HE DEFENDED HIS BID AS THE PARTY'S PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE AND SAID HE "WOULD DO IT ALL OVER AGAIN" IF THING WERE THE SAME AS IN
1948.
"BOTH MAJOR PARTIES STOOD FOR WAR IN 1948," HE SAID.
WALLACE SAID HE STILL BELIEVES "WE CAN ARRIVE AT A PEACEFUL UNDERSTANDING WITH RUSSIA," BUT THAT THE "INITIATIVE" FOR OBTAINING SUCH AN UNDERSTANDING HAS NOW "PASSED TO RUSSIA."
"WE'VE LOST THE INITIATIVE WE HAD IN 1946, '47 AND '48," HE SAID.
HE ADDED HE DOES NOT THINK THE SOVIET UNION NOW WANTS AN

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UNDERSTANDING.
WALLACE SAID HE WILL CONTINUE TO WORK FOR PEACE, BUT NOT IN ANY POLITICAL ROLE AT THE PRESENT, BUT THAT FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES MAY ARISE.
ASKED IF HE THOUGH THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THIS COUNTRY IS A A "CLEAR AND PRESENT DANGER", HE SAID:
"I THINK IT POSSIBLE SOON MIGHT BE. BUT THERE ARE SO FEW MEMBERS IN THIS COUNTRY, I DOUBT IF IT IS A VERY CLEAR AND PRESENT DANGER AT THIS MOMENT."
WALLACE SAID THE START OF HIS BREAK WITH THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY CAME WHEN THE PARTY REFUSED TO ADOPT HIS THREE-POINT PROGRAM CALLING FOR STRENGTHENING THE UNITED NATIONS, EXPANSION OF WORLD TRADE WITHOUT IRON CURTAINS AND FORTHRIGHT SUPPORT OF PROGRESSIVE CAPITALISM.
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NEW YORK, AUG 10-(AP)-GEN. LUCIUS D. CLAY SAYS NEW YORK CITY MUST EXPECT AN ATOMIC BOMB ATTACK IN THE EVENT OF A NEW WAR -- AND MAKE PLANS TO LIVE THROUGH IT.
HE ALSO SAYS OTHER NEW YORK STATE CITIES MAY BE HIT,AND NAMES BUFFALO, ROCHESTER, BINGHAMTON, SYRACUSE, UTICA AND ALBANY.
BUT HE TOLD NEW YORK CITY YESTERDAY THAT IT IS THE STATE'S -- AND POSSIBLY THE NATION'S -- BEST A- BOMB TARGET.
CLAY, FORMER AMERICAN COMMANDER IN GERMANY, IS CHAIRMAN OF NEW YORK STATE'S NEW CIVIL DEFENSE COMMISSION.
IN A 29-PAGE CIRCULAR TO LOCAL DEFENSE DIRECTORS, HE TOLD THEM TO "ASSUME THAT THE ENEMY WILL USE AN ATOM BOMB," WHAT THE DAMAGE WILL LIKELY BE, AND WHAT HELP WILL BE NEEDED.
MOST AREAS IN THE STATE WILL BE SAFE, HE SAID, AND THESE MAY HAVE THE "GRAVEST RESPONSIBILITIES OF ALL" TO "RECEIVE AND CARE FOR THE WOUNDED AND THE HOMELESS IN TIME OF DISASTER."
THE "SAFE AREAS" MUST ALSO BE READY TO MOVE INTO DEVASTATED AREAS NO MATTER WHERE THEY MIGHT BE AND BRING HELP.
AS FOR THE TARGET ITSELF, HE POINTED A GRIM PICTURE.
"THE RADIOACTIVE RAYS WILL, IN THEMSELVES, CAUSE THE DEATH OF NEARLY EVERYONE FULLY EXPOSED TO THEM UP TO A DISTANCE OF ONE-HALF MILE FROM THE SPOT OVER WHICH THE BOMB EXPLODES.
IT IS ESTIMATED THAT 50 PER CENT OF THE PEOPLE IN THE OPEN THREE-QUARTERS OF A MILE AWAY WILL FAIL TO SURVIVE.
"THIS ILLUSTRATES THE IMPORTANCE OF SHELTER AND ADVANCE WARNING OF A RAID.
"BEYOND THIS POINT, RADIATION CAN BE EXPECTED TO CAUSE EXTENSIVE INJURIES UP TO A DISTANCE OF 1 1/4 MILES."
CLAY SAID THE OVERHEAD BLAST OF A BOMB OF THE HIROSHIMA TYPE WOULD DESTROY ALL BUT THE MOST MODERN BUILDINGS THREE QUARTERS OF A MILE FROM THE EXPLOSION, WITH DAMAGES SHADING OFF FROM THERE ON.
CLAY SAID FIREFIGHTERS WOULD HAVE TO CONCENTRATE THEIR WORK ON THE EDGE OF A 1 1/2 MILE RING--ABANDONING THE BOMBED CENTER TO DESTRUCTION.
RESCUE TEAMS WOULD BE NEEDED TO DIG OUT THE TRAPPED AND WOUNDED, RADIOLOGICAL EXPERTS WOULD HAVE TO SURVEY CONTAMINATED AREAS, AND BIG MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND ACCOMMODATIONS WOULD HAVE TO BE READY.
TERRIBLE AS SUCH A DISASTER MIGHT BE,CLAY SAID, COURAGEOUS PREPARATIONS PROBABLY WOULD CUT THE POSSIBLE DEATH AND INJURY TOLL IN HALF.
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NIGHT LEAD U.N.
BY FRANCIS W. CARPENTER
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 10-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY CALLED THE NORTH KOREAN REGIME A RUSSIAN ZOMBIE SPEARHEADING A NEW IMPERIALISM ORGANIZED TO WIPE OUT THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA WITH RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS AND GUNS.
THE AMERICAN DELEGATE, WARREN R. AUSTIN, TOLD THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL THE SOVIET UNION COULD CALL OFF THE NORTH KOREANS TODAY-- IF THEY CHOSE-- AND KEEP THE WAR FROM SPREADING.
THE SOVIET UNION REPLIED WITH CHARGES OF "SLANDER," BUT ACKNOWLEDGED THE RUSSIAN FORCES SOLD WAR MATERIEL TO THE NORTH KOREANS IN 1948, WHEN MOSCOW ANNOUNCED WITHDRAWAL OF ITS OCCUPATION TROOPS.
THAT WAS THE NUB OF A BATTLE OF WORDS IN WHICH THE COUNCIL AGAIN GOT VIRTUALLY NOWHERE IN THE IMMEDIATE BUSINESS AT HAND-- DISCUSSION OF A UNITED STATES RESOLUTION TO CALL ON ALL NATIONS TO AVOID SUPPORTING THE NORTH KOREANS.
EARLIER TODAY THE NINE NON-COMMUNIST MEMBERS FAILED IN A CONCERTED ATTEMPT TO STOP WHAT THE AMERICANS CALL "OBSTRUCTION" OF THE WORK OF THE COUNCIL BY RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK. THE COUNCIL BOGGED DOWN ONCE MORE IN PROCEDURE, WITH NO END IN SIGHT BEFORE SEPT. 1, WHEN SIR GLADWYN JEBB, OF BRITAIN, RELIEVES MALIK AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT.
IN A 3,000-WORD SPEECH OUTLINING THE AMERICAN STAND, AUSTIN MADE IT CLEAR THAT WASHINGTON:
1. CONSIDERS THE SOVIET UNION RESPONSIBLE FOR THE "UNPROVOKED" ATTACK OF THE NORTH KOREANS ON THE SOUTH.
2. KNOWS THAT THE RUSSIANS AND INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM COULD LIFT THE FEAR OF WAR FROM THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD IF THEY WISHED TO DO SO.
AUSTIN TOOK THE FLOOR AFTER GETTING THE NOD FROM WASHINGTON TO OPEN A FULL-FLEDGED CAMPAIGN AGAINST RUSSIAN TACTICS AND SPEECHES IN THE COUNCIL. THE AMERICANS WERE SAID TO FEEL THE TIME HAS COME TO SLAP BACK VIGOROUSLY IN THE VERBAL BATTLE, NO MATTER WHAT THE STATE OF PROCEDURE IN THE COUNCIL.
THE U.S. DELEGATE ACCUSED THE SOVIET UNION OF SETTING UP IN NORTH KOREA AND OTHER COUNTRIES "SUBSERVIENT PUPPET GOVERNMENTS-- ZOMBIE GOVERNMENTS THAT BREATHE AND SPEAK AND ACT, BUT HAVE NO SOUL."
AUSTIN REPEATED HIS QUESTION AND ANSWER TACTICS OF LAST TUESDAY IN INSISTING THAT THE RUSSIANS COULD HALT THE NORTH KOREAN WAR NOW. HE SAID:
"WHAT MEMBER OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS SUPPORTING THE NORTH KOREAN REGIME IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL? THE SOVIET UNION.
"WHAT KIND OF A 'PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT' HAS THE SOVIET UNION PROPOSED? THE KIND OF SETTLEMENT THAT WOULD SEND THE UNITED NATIONS POLICE AWAY AND LEAVE THE BANDITS TO PLUNDER KOREA AT WILL.

"WHO, THEN, IS SUPPORTING THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER AND REALLY WORKING FOR PEACE? THE 53 MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS WHO ARE SUPPORTING THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.
"IS THE SOVIET UNION ONE OF THE 53? NO!"
"THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE IN HIS REMARKS AND HIS PROPOSALS, SUGGESTS, IN EFFECT, THAT THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES SHOULD LEAVE KOREA AND LEAVE THE DEFENCELESS KOREAN REPUBLIC TO BE SLAUGHTERED AT LEISURE AND WITHOUT DANGER BY THE AGGRESSOR.
"NO, SIR. THE UNITED NATIONS WILL NEVER DO THAT. NO NATION, GREAT OR SMALL COULD EVER AGAIN FEEL SAFE OR HOLD ANY CONFIDENCE IN THIS BODY, IF WE FOLLOWED SUCH SHAMELESS ADVICE."
SPEAKING SLOWLY AND EMPHATICALLY, AUSTIN SAID THE AGENTS OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM WORKED IN THE DARKNESS ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL DIVIDING NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA. HE SAID THE UNITED NATIONS NEVER HAD RECEIVED INFORMATION THAT INSTRUMENTS OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM IN NORTH KOREA WERE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE, AND ADDED:
"TO CALL THEM THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE MUST BE ONLY A TRAGIC WITTICISM WHEN ADDRESSED TO THOSE WHO KNOW HOW QUICKLY

NATIONALISM, PATRIOTISM, AND INDEPENDENCE IN OTHER COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN CRUSHED TO PRODUCE SUBSERVIENT PUPPET GOVERNMENTS-- ZOMBIE GOVERNMENTS THAT BREATHE AND SPEAK AND ACT-- BUT HAVE NO SOUL."

AUSTIN SAID THE RECORD SHOWS THE NORTH KOREANS ROLLED OUT OF THE MIST AND ATTACKED THE SOUTH KOREANS WITH A "MIGHTY MILITARY MACHINE."

"THIS WAS THE SPEARHEAD OF THE NEW IMPERIALISM-- FOR THE TANKS AND GUNS THAT HURTLED OUT OF THE DARKNESS WERE ORGANIZED FOR ONLY ONE PURPOSE-- TO CRUSH THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE AND WIPE OUT THE ONLY REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT OF THAT COUNTRY FROM THE EARTH," HE CONTINUED.

AUSTIN DID NOT IN HIS TEXT MAKE THE SPECIFIC CHARGE THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE AT THIS TIME SUPPLYING NORTH KOREANS WITH TANKS AND GUNS, BUT THE UNITED STATES HAS REPORTED TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL THAT THE INVASION WAS LAUNCHED JUNE 25 WITH RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS AND GUNS. AUSTIN SAID THE U.N. NEVER HAS BEEN ABLE TO VERIFY RUSSIAN TROOPS ACTUALLY WITHDREW FROM NORTH KOREA.

MALIK SLAMMED BACK THAT THE SOVIET UNION TWICE HAS SHOWN THAT THE UNITED STATES IS THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA.

"THE SLANDEROUS HINTS OF THE UNITED STATES THAT THE SOVIET UNION AS A GREAT POWER PROVIDES ARMS TO NORTH KOREA ARE BASED ON NOTHING," MALIK SAID. HE ADDED HE WOULD MAKE A LONGER STATEMENT LATER.

BEFORE THE COUNCIL MET HERE, PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN HIS REGULAR NEWS CONFERENCE ACCUSED RUSSIA OF FILIBUSTERING U.N. ACTION IN KOREA. ALSO PRECEDING THE SESSION WAS A SECRET, 90-MINUTE MEETING. IN THIS CONFERENCE THE NINE NON-COMMUNIST MEMBERS TRIED TO GET MALIK TO "STOP STALLING," AS SOME DELEGATES PUT IT.

THE TALK WITH MALIK RESULTED FROM TWO CLOSED SESSIONS OF THE NINE DELEGATIONS IN NEW YORK. YUGOSLAVIA DID NOT ATTEND THESE TALKS BUT SAT IN AT THE MEETING WITH MALIK HERE.

THE WORD AFTER THIS CONFERENCE WAS THAT THE NINE DELEGATIONS HAD BEEN UNSUCCESSFUL AND THAT MALIK WAS AS ADAMANT AS EVER AGAINST MAKING A RULING ON THE SEATING OF AN AMBASSADOR FROM SOUTH KOREA AT THE COUNCIL TABLE-- AS DEMANDED BY NON-COMMUNIST DELEGATIONS. WHEN MALIK CALLED THE PUBLIC COUNCIL SESSION TO ORDER HE READ THIS STATEMENT:

"THERE TOOK PLACE AN UNOFFICIAL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS OF MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL ON THE QUESTIONS WHICH AROSE AT THE LAST MEETING OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL.

"AS A RESULT OF THIS UNOFFICIAL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS, IT HAS BEEN FOUND THAT THE OPINIONS OF THE PARTIES REMAINED UNCHANGED.

"THERE WAS AGREEMENT THAT, AS APPROPRIATE, FURTHER UNOFFICIAL EXCHANGES OF VIEWS WOULD TAKE PLACE."

BRITAIN'S JEBB SAID HE DID NOT AGREE WITH MALIK'S INFERENCE THAT THE NON-COMMUNIST DELEGATES REALIZED THE PRESIDENT COULD NOT MAKE A RULING. JEBB SAID HE WOULD HAVE FURTHER ARGUMENTS FOR TOMORROW'S MEETING.

AUSTIN IN HIS SPEECH COMPARED THE UNITED NATIONS EFFORT TO BEAT BACK THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS TO CALLING THE POLICE IN AN ORDINARY VILLAGE.

"A MAN'S HOUSE HAS BEEN ATTACKED BY A BAND OF BANDITS, WHO HAVE OCCUPIED MOST OF ITS ROOMS AND DRIVEN HIM AND HIS FAMILY INTO ONE CORNER OF IT," AUSTIN SAID. "HE HAS CALLED THE POLICE, WHO HAVE ARRIVED TO HELP HIM HOLD THE CORNER WHILE REINFORCEMENTS, WHO WILL DRIVE THE INVADING BAND OUT OF THE HOUSE, ARE ON THE WAY. AT THIS POINT, A POWERFUL PATRON OF THE INVADERS SUGGEST 'PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE QUESTION': HE SAYS THE SHOOTING SHOULD STOP, AND THAT THE POLICE SHOULD GO BACK TO HEADQUARTERS. THE INVADERS WOULD REMAIN IN POSSESSION OF MOST OF THE HOUSE. THEY WOULD HOLD ONTO THEIR WEAPONS. THE HOUSEHOLDER AND HIS FAMILY ARE LEFT IN THEIR CORNER, NEARLY DISARMED AND WOUNDED, BARRED FROM THE KITCHEN AND THE LARDER. DOES THIS PROPOSAL APPEAL TO THE HOUSEHOLDER AS 'PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT?' AND WHAT WILL THE COMMUNITY THINK OF A POLICE FORCE WHICH ACCEPTS SUCH A PROPOSAL?"

AUSTIN SAID THE SOVIET UNION IS THE ONLY GREAT POWER ALOOF FROM COUNCIL CONDEMNATION OFIAGGRESSIVE WARFARE IN KOREA.

"REFUSAL TO CONDEMN SUCH AGGRESSION WILL MAKE IT CLEAR WHO IS FOR PEACE AND WHO IS NOT FOR PEACE," AUSTIN ADDED.

AFTER THAT MALIK TRIED TO TAKE UP A SOVIET RESOLUTION TO CONDEMN WHAT HE CALLS BARBAROUS AMERICAN AIR ATTACKS ON KOREAN PEOPLE AND VILLAGES. T.F. TSIANG, NATIONALIST CHINA, AND AUSTIN DEMANDED THAT MALIK MAKE HIS RULING. MALIK REFUSED AND SAID THAT WHETHER THE UNITED STATES LIKED IT OR NOT HE WAS NOT IN A POSITION TO MAKE A RULING.

AN OUTBURST OF APPLAUSE SWEPT THE CROWDED CHAMBER WHEN ALBERTO I. ALVAREZ, OF CUBA, ACCUSED MALIK OF TRYING TO LEAD THE COUNCIL "ASTRAY AND DIGRESS BY READING TELEGRAMS FROM NORTH KOREA-- WHICH ERE INSPIRED BY MOSCOW." MALIK LAST TUESDAY READ A NORTH KOREAN PROTEST AGAINST AMERICAN BOMBING. ALVAREZ INSISTED MALIK END HIS "DILATORY TACTICS" AND GIVE A RULING BEFORE THE MEETING ADJOURNED-- BUT MALIK REFUSED TO DO SO.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.10-(AP)-THE NINE NON-COMMUNIST MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL MET PRIVATELY AGAIN TODAY TO CONSIDER FURTHER THEIR PLANS TO END THE PROCEDURAL BLOCKADE OF THEIR RUSSIAN PRESIDENT, JAKOB A.MALIK.

THEY WERE SCHEDULED TO MEET PRIVATELY WITH MALIK THIS AFTERNOON TO MAKE A DIRECT APPEAL TO HIM. THIS MORNING'S SESSION WAS HELD AT THE BRITISH DELEGATION OFFICES IN THE EMPIRE STATE BUILDING IN NEW YORK, WHERE YESTERDAY'S MEETING WAS HELD.

DIPLOMATIC QUARTERS SAID THE NEW MEETING WAS CALLED TO FINALIZE MEASURES DISCUSSED YESTERDAY TO BREAK THE COUNCIL STALEMATE.

THE MORNING MEETING ENDED AT 11:20 A.M., E.S.T. INFORMED SOURCES SAID THE PURPOSE WAS TO DISCUSS PROCEDURE FOR THE PRIVATE TALK WITH MALIK AND TO MAKE SURE ALL WERE AGREED ON A COMMON LINE TO PRESENT TO HIM. IT WAS SAID THEY WOULD TRY TO SEE IF MALIK WOULD AGREE IN PRIVATE TO WHAT HE DID NOT AGREE TO PUBLICLY--TO GET ON WITH THE COUNCIL BUSINESS.

IF THEY FAIL, THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED COUNCIL MEETING THIS AFTERNOON (2 P.M. EST) IS LIKELY TO SET OFF A FLOOD OF ANTI-COMMUNIST ORATORY FOR THE REST OF AUGUST TO MATCH MALIK'S PROPAGANDA BLASTS.

MANY COUNCIL SOURCES AGREED THERE WAS LITTLE CHANCE OF WINNING CONCESSIONS FROM MALIK. IN THAT EVENT, THE WESTERN DELEGATES PLANNED TO MATCH THE RUSSIAN, SPEECH FOR SPEECH.

ALL DELEGATIONS EXCEPT RUSSIA AND YUGOSLAVIA--THE FORMER WASN'T INVITED, THE LATTER REFUSED TO ATTEND--CONFERRED IN NEW YORK YESTERDAY ON THE DEADLOCK PROBLEM. SIR GLADWYN JEBB OF BRITAIN, WHO WILL BE COUNCIL PRESIDENT NEXT MONTH, WAS CHAIRMAN.

AFTER THE CLOSED SESSION, THEY REVEALED THAT ARNE SUNDE OF NORWAY, COUNCIL PRESIDENT IN JULY, HAD TELEPHONED MALIK ASKING HIM TO MEET THE OTHER DELEGATES FOR A DISCUSSION ON PROCEDURE IN ADVANCE OF THE REGULAR MEETING.

MALIK AGREED--"IN PRINCIPLE", THE GROUP'S STATEMENT SAID. DELEGATES PROMISED TO KEEP SECRET WHATEVER PLAN THEY AGREED TO OFFER TO BREAK THE DEADLOCK. IT WAS NOT KNOWN IF THEY WOULD PRESENT MALIK

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A U.S. SOURCE SAID THE MOOD OF YESTERDAY'S MEETING WAS DETERMINED AND THAT THE DISCUSSION WITH MALIK WOULD BE MORE THAN JUST AN APPEAL TO HIM TO PLAY BALL.
THE DELEGATES GAVE LITTLE ATTENTION TO SUCH DRASTIC ACTION AS CHANGING THE RULES AND THROWING MALIK OUT OF THE PRESIDENTIAL CHAIRM.
IF THE CLOSED MEETING FAILS TO MOVE MALIK, THERE MAY BE OTHER CONSULTATIONS ON A NEW PROCEDURAL STEP--BUT THE SPEECH-MAKING IS CERTAIN, THE U.S. SOURCE SAID.
SOME DELEGATES WERE RESIGNED TO A CONTINUOUS VERBAL EXCHANGE UNTIL SEPT.1, WHEN THE BRITISH DELEGATE TAKES OVER THE COUNCIL PRESIDENCY.
"WE HAVE LOTS MORE TO SAY," THE U.S. SOURCE ASSERTED. "IF MALIK IS GOING TO KEEP ON MAKING PROPAGANDA SPEECHES, HE IS GOING TO HAVE TO LISTEN TO A LOT OF AMERICAN SPEECHES, TOO."
OTHER DELEGATES, WHO HAVE CHAFED UNDER MALIK'S TACTIC OF GIVING HIMSELF THE FLOOR AS SOVIET DELEGATE WHENEVER HE WANTS TO ATTACK U.N. AID FOR SOUTH KOREA, ARE READY TO SWELL THE CHORUS.
OPENING THE ORATORY FLOODGATES CANNOT HALT U.N. MILITARY ACTION UNDERWAY SINCE JUNE. SPEECHMAKING WILL HOLD UP ATTEMPTS TO FORCE MALIK TO ALLOW SOUTH KOREA'S REPRESENTATIVE TO TAKE PART IN COUNCIL SESSIONS' AND A VOTE ON A PENDING U.S. PROPOSAL CONDEMNING NORTH KOREA FOR ITS CONTINUED DISOBEDIENCE OF THE U.N. RULINGS, WHICH MALIK CONTENDS IS ILLEGAL.
MORE VERBAL EXCHANGES ALSO WILL HOLD UP FURTHER ACTION ON MALIK'S INSISTENCE ON SEATING RED CHINA OR HIS RESOLUTION TO CONDEMN U.N. BOMBINGS OF NORTH KOREAN TOWNS.
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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 10-(AP)- THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL WENT INTO SESSION LATE TODAY AFTER A 90-MINUTE SECRET CAUCUS WHICH LEFT UNCHANGED THE SITUATION REVOLVING ABOUT CHARGES OF RUSSIAN STALLING ON THE KOREAN QUESTION. ONE INFORMANT SAID: "APPEALS HAVE FAILED-- NO RESULTS."
RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK SAT IN ON THE SECRET SESSION PRECEDING THE FORMAL COUNCIL MEETING. PERSONS WHO WERE PRESENT SAID MALIK HAD TOLD THE ANTI-COMMUNIST NATIONS HE COULD NOT RULE ON A POINT OF ORDER, RAISED BY CHINA, SEEKING TO HAVE SOUTH KOREA SEATED AT THE COUNCIL TABLE.
AT THE START OF THE OPEN MEETING, MALIK AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT SAID THERE HAD BEEN "AN UNOFFICIAL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS."
"THE OPINIONS OF THE PARTIES HAVE REMAINED UNCHANGED," MALIK OBSERVED.
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LEAD DAY U.N.
BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 10-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TOLD THE STILL-STALEMATED SECURITY COUNCIL TODAY THE SOVIET UNION WANTS A SETTLEMENT IN KOREA THAT "WOULD SEND THE UNITED NATIONS POLICE AWAY AND LEAVE THE BANDITS TO PLUNDER KOREA AT WILL."
"PEOPLE ALL OVER THE WORLD KNOW THAT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM COULD HALT THE CONFLICT IN KOREA TOMORROW," DECLARED WARREN R. AUSTIN, CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE. "THE WHOLE WORLD KNOWS IN WHICH DIRECTION TO LOOK FOR THE SIGNAL THAT WILL HALT THE EVIL OF WAR."

BEFORE TODAY'S COUNCIL SESSION, THE 11 DELEGATES HELD A 90-MINUTE SECRET CAUCUS. SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITAIN AND OTHERS PUT THE ISSUE OF "OBSTRUCTIONISM" TO MALIK. MALIK INSISTED HE COULD NOT AS PRESIDENT RULE ON THE IMMEDIATE ISSUE-- A POINT OF ORDER RAISED BY CHINA, SEEKING TO HAVE SOUTH KOREA REPRESENTED AT THE COUNCIL TABLE.
MALIK, AT THE START OF THE PUBLIC SESSION, SAID "THE OPINIONS OF THE PARTIES REMAIN UNCHANGED." RUSSIA'S
A FEW MINUTES LATER AUSTIN TOOK THE FLOOR FOR A FULL-DRESS REVIEW OF THE CONFLICT FROM THE AMERICAN VIEWPOINT. HE SAID.
"THE SOVIET UNION IS THE ONLY ONE OF THE GREAT POWERS ON THIS EARTH THAT HAS HELD ALOOF FROM THE CONDEMNATION OF AGGRESSIVE WARFARE IN KOREA. REFUSAL TO CONDEMN SUCH AGGRESSION WILL MAKE IT CLEAR WHO IS FOR PEACE AND WHO IS NOT.
"WHAT MEMBER OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS SUPPORTING THE NORTH KOREAN REGIME IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL?"
"WHAT KIND OF A 'PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT' HAS THE SOVIET UNION PROPOSED? THE KIND OF SETTLEMENT THAT WOULD SEND THE UNITED NATIONS POLICE AWAY AND LEAVE THE BANDITS TO PLUNDER KOREA AT WILL."
AUSTIN SAID THE UNITED NATIONS HAD NEVER BEEN ABLE TO VERIFY THAT RUSSIAN TROOPS HAD LEFT NORTH KOREA AT THE TIME AMERICAN OCCUPATION TROOPS GOT OUT OF SOUTH KOREA.

THE SECRET SESSION WAS CALLED AT 1 P.M. (EST), AN HOUR BEFORE THE REGULAR CONVENING TIME OF THE COUNCIL, SO THAT NON-COMMUNIST NATIONS COULD APPEAL TO RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK TO STOP FILIBUSTERING TACTICS. PREVIOUSLY, THE NON-COMMUNIST NATIONS HAD MET WITHOUT RUSSIA AND YUGOSLAVIA, TO DISCUSS POSSIBLE WAYS TO CONVINCE THE RUSSIANS THE COUNCIL SHOULD GET ON WITH BUSINESS AT HAND WITHOUT ANY STALLING.
ONE SOURCE SAID THE MAIN PURPOSE OF THE SECRET MEETING WAS TO GIVE MALIK A "FILL IN."
SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE ENTERED THE CAUCUS A FEW MINUTES AFTER IT GOT UNDERWAY. REPORTERS ASKED HIM HOW THE SITUATION LOOKED. HE MADE A MOTION WITH HIS HANDS AS IF TO INDICATE THAT MATTERS WERE TOUCH AND GO.

THE CAUCUS STILL WAS GOING ON AT 2 P.M. AN OBSERVER WHO CAME OUT OF THE MEETING SAID SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITISH DELEGATE, HAD PUT THE ISSUE OF "OBSTRUCTIONISM" UP TO MALIK. AT THAT TIME THE RUSSIAN WAS REPORTED TO BE "MORE STIFF THAN EVER" IN HIS ATTITUDE.

[redacted] REMAINED UNCHANGED. IT WAS AGREED THAT FUTURE MEETINGS WOULD BE HELD AS APPROPRIATE."
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(EDITORS: THERE WERE TWO VERSIONS IN THE INTERPRETATION. THIS IS THE OFFICIAL VERSION).
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MALIK, AS AUGUST PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, CONFIRMED THIS WHEN THE FORMAL COUNCIL SESSION GOT UNDERWAY AT 2:35 P.M. HE SAID:
"BEFORE GOING OVER TO WORK, THE PRESIDENT WILL MAKE A BRIEF STATEMENT. AN INFORMAL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS HAS TAKEN PLACE BETWEEN THE MEMBERS. AS A RESULT OF THIS INFORMAL EXCHANGE IT WAS DECIDED THE OPINIONS OF THE PARTIES
THE SECRET MEETING ENDED AT 2:30 P.M.
INDICATIONS WERE THAT THE SITUATION HAD NOT CHANGED.

THE IMMEDIATE ISSUE BEFORE THE COUNCIL WAS A POINT OF ORDER RAISED BY T.F.TSIANG, CHINA. TSIANG SOUGHT TO HAVE MALIK AUTHORIZE THE SEATING OF A SOUTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVE AT THE COUNCIL TABLE. THIS WAS DONE IN JUNE AND JULY, WHILE RUSSIA WAS BOYCOTTING THE COUNCIL.

TSIANG PRESSED HIS POINT OF ORDER AFTER MALIK'S OPENING REMARKS. THE CHINESE DELEGATE SAID MALIK'S ACTIONS HAD NULLIFIED DECISIONS OF THE COUNCIL.

"IF ONE PRESIDENT COULD NULLIFY A DECISION, ANOTHER PRESIDENT COULD," TSIANG ASSERTED. "IT WOULD MAKE THIS COUNCIL AN ORGAN OF ANARCHY."

WARREN R.AUSTIN OF THE UNITED STATES THEN BEGAN A 3,000-WORD SPEECH REGARDED AS THE OPENING BLAST OF AN EXPECTED WESTERN COUNTER-ATTACK AGAINST RUSSIAN TALK.

HE SAID:

"EVERY REPRESENTATIVE SEATED AT THIS COUNCIL IS AWARE THAT THE BLOODSHED IN KOREA COULD BE HALTED THIS VERY DAY IF CERTAIN MEMBER STATES WERE PREPARED TO FULFILL THEIR CHARTER OBLIGATIONS. HUNDREDS OF LIVES AND THOUSANDS OF CASUALTIES COULD HAVE BEEN SPARED LONG SINCE, IF THOSE MEMBER STATES HAD RESPONDED TO THE ACTION OF THIS COUNCIL AS WE HAVE EVERY RIGHT TO EXPECT THEM TO RESPOND.

"THE FEAR OF WAR COULD BE LIFTED FROM THE PEOPLE OF THIS EARTH IF ONE CERTAIN MEMBER OF HIS COUNCIL WOULD ENDORSE WITHOUT QUALIFICATION THE SECOND PARAGRAPH OF THE UNITED STATES DRAFT RESOLUTION."

THIS WAS A REFERENCE TO THE PROPOSED APPEAL TO ALL COUNTRIES TO USE THEIR INFLUENCE TO PERSUADE THE NORTH KOREANS TO HALT THE WAR.

AUSTIN WENT ON:

"THE UNITED NATIONS HAS UNDERTAKEN TO PROTECT THE KOREAN PEOPLE FROM AGGRESSION AND TO HELP THE KOREAN PEOPLE ATTAIN FREEDOM, UNITY AND PEACE; THE 'PEACE' PROPOSED BY THE SOVIET RESOLUTION IS THE KIND OF PEACE THAT ENSUES WHEN THE INNOCENT VICTIM LIED DEAD AND STILL."

REFERRING TO RUSSIA'S DEMAND THAT THE COUNCIL INVITE REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH KOREA TO TAKE PART IN THE U.N. DISCUSSIONS, AUSTIN ASKED HOW THE COUNCIL COULD KNOW THAT "ANY PERSON THE SOVIET DELEGATE MAY HAVE IN MIND WOULD REPRESENT THE NORTH KOREANS."

"TO REPRESENT A PEOPLE," HE ASKED, "SHOULD WE HEAR THE SLAVE-DRIVER, THE SECRET POLICEMAN, OR THE PUPPET GOVERNMENT WHO GOVERNS BECAUSE HIS MASTER HAS GIVEN HIM TANKS AND GUNS TO MAKE HIS COUNTRYMEN TREMBLE AND OBEY?

"THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION TRIED FOR YEARS TO GET THE NORTH KOREANS TO STATE THEIR CASE. THE OFFERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS WERE REJECTED.

"IT IS NOT A DISPUTE BETWEEN KOREANS THAT WE ARE CONSIDERING. IT IS THE FLAT REFUSAL OF THIS ZOMBIE REGIME OF NORTH KOREA TO OBEY THE ORDERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL."

MALIK CALLED AUSTIN'S REMARKS "SLANDEROUS CONTENTIOUS, BASED ON NOTHING." HE SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAD SUPPLIES SOLD TO THEM BY THE SOVIET UNION "WHEN IT WITHDREW FROM NORTH KOREA."

ALBERTO I.ALVAREZ OF CUBA SAID HE WISHED TO MAKE A "VERY FORMAL PROTEST" AGAINST MALIK'S REFUSAL TO RULE ON TSIANG'S POINT OF ORDER. HE SUGGESTED THAT THE COUNCIL REMAIN IN SESSION UNTIL IT SETTLED THE QUESTION.

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ALVAREZ ACCUSED MALIK OF USING "DILATORY TACTICS" AND LEADING THE COUNCIL ASTRAY BY READING TELEGRAMS FROM NORTH KOREA "WHICH WERE INSPIRED IN MOSCOW."

AT 4:15 P.M., THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED UNTIL 2 P.M. TOMORROW. SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITAIN, SAID HE WOULD SPEAK THEN.

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GRIFFITH (200)

PHILADELPHIA, AUG.10-(AP)-THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE SAYS THE SUCCESS OF THE U.S. DELAYING ACTION IN KOREA "CLEARLY DEMONSTRATED THE ABSOLUTE SOUNDNESS" OF AMERICA'S MILITARY POLICY.

BY THE SAME TOKEN, SAID PAUL H.GRIFFITH, AMERICAN MILITARY SETBACKS IN KOREA MUST NOT BE DEEMED AN INDICATION THIS COUNTRY IS UNABLE TO DEFEND ITSELF.

GRIFFITH SPOKE LAST NIGHT AT THE OPENING SESSION OF THE 32ND ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF THE AMERICAN LEGION. HIS ADDRESS, WHICH HE TOLD REPORTERS HAD BEEN READ AND APPROVED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN ADVANCE, WAS THE FIRST BY A TOP DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF HOSTILITIES IN KOREA.

"THE HIGHLY SKILLFUL FASHION IN WHICH OUR GARRISON TROOPS, WITH NO PRIOR RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, WERE ABLE TO FIGHT THIS DELAYING ACTION, MUST BE REGARDED AS FURTHER TRIBUTE TO THEIR HIGH STATE OF READINESS," SAID GRIFFITH, A FORMER NATIONAL AMERICAN LEGION COMMANDER. HE ADDED:

"IT IS FORTUNATE THAT WE HAD TROOPS AT NOT TOO GREAT A DISTANCE FROM THE KOREAN OUTBREAK. BUT IT MUST BE REMEMBERED THAT WHETHER WE HAD MAINTAINED 10 OR 100 TRAINED DIVISIONS IN THE UNITED STATES, OUR FIRST UNITS WOULD HAVE FACED THE SAME NECESSITY OF FIGHTING A DELAYING ACTION UNTIL REENFORCEMENTS COULD ARRIVE."

GRIFFITH SAID IT SHOULD BE STRONGLY EMPHASIZED THAT NOTHING ABOUT THE FIGHTING IN KOREA "HAS MADE IT NECESSARY TO DEMONSTRATE OUR STATE OF READINESS TO DELIVER A PARALYZING RETALIATORY BLOW AT ANY WHO ATTACK THIS COUNTRY."

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BY ARTHUR EDSON

WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-CONGRESS SOON WILL CONSIDER A STEP THIS COUNTRY NEVER HAS TAKEN BEFORE: MILITARY TRAINING FOR EVERY YOUNG MAN.

REAR ADM. H.A.HOUSER, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, TOLD THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE TODAY THAT A BILL FOR UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING IS BEING DRAFTED AND SHOULD REACH CONGRESS SOON.

NO DETAILS WERE GIVEN. BUT PRESUMABLY THE BILL WOULD BE SO DRAFTED THAT, IF IT WERE PASSED, IT WOULD NOT TAKE EFFECT UNTIL AFTER THE KOREAN WAR.

THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT HAS ESTIMATED THAT ABOUT 200,000 MILITARY MEN WOULD BE NEEDED TO TRAIN THE 900,000 YOUTHS WHO WOULD COME INTO THE TRAINING PROGRAM EACH YEAR.

TO PUT SUCH A LARGE NUMBER OF MEN ON A TRAINING PROGRAM NOW, A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN POINTED OUT, WOULD BE DISASTROUS WHEN EVERY AVAILABLE MAN IS NEEDED IN THE WAR EFFORT.

EVEN IN TIMES OF PEACE, IT WAS ESTIMATED THAT IT WOULD TAKE A YEAR TO GET A UNIVERSAL MILITARY PROGRAM WORKING. ITS COST WAS ESTIMATED AT $600,000,000(M) FOR THE FIRST YEAR, RISING TO A POSSIBLE $2,000,000,000(B) A YEAR LATER.

THE DISCLOSURE THAT SUCH A PROGRAM IS BEING CONSIDERED CAME IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION BY CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD).

TYDINGS SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THAT A TRAINING PROGRAM, PROBABLY APPLYING TO ALL YOUTHS 18 AND 19 YEARS OF AGE, WAS UNDER STUDY.

IS THAT TRUE? TYDINGS ASKED.

HOUSER SAID YES, IT IS TRUE.

UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING DIFFERS FROM THE DRAFT IN THIS WAY:

THE DRAFT IS USED NORMALLY ONLY WHEN THIS NATION IS IN A PINCH. IT THEN CALLS UP MEN FOR THE ARMED SERVICES, TRAINS THEM AND EQUIPS

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THEM FOR WAR.
UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING WOULD PRECEDE THE DRAFT. ALL YOUNG MEN WOULD BE TRAINED, AND WOULD FORM A "CITIZENS' RESERVE." THEN, IN TIME OF EMERGENCIES, THEY COULD BE TAPPED FOR ACTIVE SERVICE.
THE TRAINING WOULD NOT BE JUST MILITARY, IT WOULD AIM TO HELP EDUCATE THE YOUTHS MENTALLY AND PHYSICALLY, FOR PEACE AND WAR.
A COMPULSORY TRAINING PROGRAM LONG HAS BEEN URGED, BUT CONGRESS ALWAYS HAS SHIED AWAY FROM IT. THREE YEARS AGO A SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF CIVILIANS MADE A LONG STUDY OF THE PROBLEM, AND SAID SUCH A PROGRAM SHOULD BE ADOPTED. PRESIDENT TRUMAN AGREED, PASSED THE SUGGESTION ON TO CONGRESS, BUT NOTHING HAPPENED.

SAMPLE COMMENTS AT THAT TIME:
REP. SHORT (R-MO)--"I AM AGAINST IT. COMPULSION IN PEACETIME IS REPUGNANT TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."
SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO)--"IN THIS AGE, GOOSE-STEPPING AND THE MANUAL OF ARMS ARE PURE POPPYCOCK WHICH ADD NOTHING TO OUR NATIONAL DEFENSE. ONE CHEMIST OR ONE PHYSICIST IS MORE VALUABLE TO OUR DEFENSES THAN ARE 10,000 FOOT SOLDIERS."
UNDOUBTEDLY THE SENTIMENT IN CONGRESS HAS CHANGED SINCE. NOT UNTIL THE BILL ACTUALLY IS PRESENTED WILL THERE BE MUCH OF A CHANCE TO SIZE UP HOW GREAT THAT CHANGE HAS BEEN.
OTHER MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS TODAY:
1. SENATOR TYDINGS SAID THAT WITHIN 10 DAYS, OR POSSIBLY SOONER, HIS COMMITTEE WILL REPORT OUT A BILL TO RESTORE SPECIAL FAMILY AND DEPENDENCY PAYMENTS FOR ALL ENLISTED PERSONNEL IN THE ARMED SERVICES.
MAJ. GEN. E.A.WALSH, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL GUARD ASSOCIATION, URGED THE COMMITTEE TO HURRY.
"ALREADY 70,000 OF OUR PEOPLE (NATIONAL GUARDSMEN) HAVE BEEN CALLED UP AND MORE THOUSANDS WILL BE CALLED SHORTLY," HE SAID.
UNDER ONE PROPOSED PLAN, DEPENDENTS WOULD BE PAID LIKE THIS:
WIFE WITH NO CHILD, $75 A MONTH.
WIFE WITH ONE CHILD, $100 A MONTH; $25 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL CHILD.
ONE DEPENDENT PARENT, $75
TWO DEPENDENT PARENTS, $90.
2. THE AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED IT WILL INCREASE ITS WOMAN-POWER BY SEVERAL THOUSANDS.
AFTER TRAINING, IT SAID, THE WOMEN WILL BE USED AT RECEPTION CENTERS AND AS COMMUNICATION SPECIALISTS, ELECTRONICS SPECIALISTS, WEATHER ANALYSTS AND OBSERVERS, AND MEDICAL AND SURGICAL TECHNICIANS.
THE AIR FORCE SAID IT HAD ORDERED ALL RECRUITING STATIONS TO DOUBLE THEIR ENLISTMENT QUOTAS.
3. THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE VOTED TO SUSPEND PROVISIONS OF THE DRAFT ACT THAT DIRECTED THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE TO ALLOW 18-YEAR-OLDS TO VOLUNTEER FOR ONE YEAR OF SERVICE AND THUS AVOID BEING DRAFTED FOR 21 MONTHS OF SERVICE WHEN THEY REACHED 19.
UNDER THE LAW NO, NO 18-YEAR-OLD CAN BE SENT OVERSEAS.
ACTUALLY NO ONE YEAR ENLISTMENTS HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED RECENTLY BECAUSE THE ARMED SERVICES SAID THE PROGRAM WAS UNSUCCESSFUL.
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WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-THE ARMY IS PLANNING IMMEDIATE REOPENING OF FIVE MORE TRAINING CAMPS WITH A TOTAL CAPACITY OF 101,800 MEN. BUT BRAINY COLLEGE STUDENTS WHO WANT TO CONTINUE IN SCHOOL APPARENTLY WON'T HAVE TO HELP FILL THEM FOR AT LEAST ANOTHER YEAR.
SELECTIVE SERVICE HEADQUARTERS YESTERDAY AUTHORIZED DEFERMENT OF SUCH STUDENTS WHOSE GRADES PUT THEM IN THE UPPER HALF OF THEIR CLASSES DURING THE LAST YEAR THEY ATTENDED COLLEGE.
THE REGULATIONS, HOWEVER, ARE TEMPORARY ONES, DESIGNED TO CLARIFY THE SITUATION FOR STUDENTS PLANNING TO CONTINUE THEIR EDUCATION THIS FALL. ALSO, THEY ARE NOT MANDATORY. THEY MERELY PERMIT DRAFT BOARDS TO CONSIDER GRANTING DEFERMENTS IF THEY THINK IT ADVISABLE.
NEW AND MORE PERMANENT POLICIES MAY BE ADOPTED LATER..
EXISTING REGULATIONS ALREADY PROVIDE THAT A STUDENT WHO IS ACTUALLY ATTENDING SCHOOL MAY BE DEFERRED UNTIL THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR.
THE ARMY'S EXPANDED TRAINING PROGRAM, ALSO ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY, CALLS FOR REOPENING CAMPS RUCKER AT DALEVILLE,ALA.; STEWART AT HINESVILLE,GA.; ROBERTS AT SAN MIGUEL, CALIF.; MCCOY AT SPARTA,WIS.; AND EDWARDS AT NORTH FALMOUTH,MASS.
THE CAMPS HAVE BEEN INACTIVE FOR SOME TIME.
THEIR CAPACITIES ARE: RUCKER, 25,000 MEN; STEWART 3,800; ROBERTS 26,000; MCCOY 27,000, AND EDWARDS 20,000.
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BALTIMORE, AUG.10-(AP)-THE SUN SAID TONIGHT THAT THE ARMY'S FIRST CALL OF INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS ON A NON-VOLUNTEER BASIS "IS SCHEDULED FOR THE NEAR FUTURE."

IN A STORY FROM WASHINGTON BY MARK WATSON, ITS MILITARY CORRESPONDENT, THE NEWSPAPER SAID:

"THE ARMY'S LONG AWAITED 'INVOLUNTARY' CALL WILL BE ON AN EXTREMELY SELECTIVE BASIS, FOR WHAT THE ARMY NOW REQUIRES WITHOUT DELAY IS EXPERIENCED YOUNG OFFICERS IN SEVERAL CATEGORIES.

"PRESUMABLY THE CALL WILL BE FOR CAPTAINS AND LIEUTENANTS, CHIEFLY, IN INFANTRY, COMBAT ENGINEERS, TANKERS, MEDICAL AND DENTAL CORPS, AND ELECTRONICS EXPERTS OF THE SIGNAL CORPS."

WATSON SAID VOLUNTEERS HAVE BEEN TOO FEW, AND 'THE ARMY CAN WAIT NO LONGER."

"IT HAS DECIDED TO SUMMON ENOUGH FROM THE RESERVE TOO MEET IMMEDIATE REQUIREMENTS ON MUCH THE SAME BASIS THAT SOME 70,000 NATIONAL GUARDSMEN AND RESERVISTS IN VARIOUS ORGANIZED UNITS HAVE

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ALREADY BEEN CALLED OUT, INVOLUNTARILY.'

A SIMILAR CALL IS ALREADY SCHEDULED BY THE AIR FORCE FOR SOME OF ITS INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS.

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AIR ACTION(300)

WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-MILITARY BRIEFING OFFICERS TODAY DESCRIBED AS "COMPLETELY INACCURATE AND ERRONEOUS" A (UNITED PRESS) FIELD DISPATCH FROM KOREA WHICH SAID U.S.AIR STAFING HAD OPENED A HOLE IN AMERICAN LINES FOR RED TROOPS.

THE AIR FORCE SAID IT HAD REPORTS FROM BOTH THE AIR AND GROUND COMMANDS IN KOREA AND "BOTH STATED EMPHATICALLY" THAT:(1) THE AIR ACTION WAS REQUESTED BY THE 19TH REGIMENT OF THE 24TH DIVISION AND DIRECTED BY FORWARD AIR CONTROLLERS;(2) THE AIR ATTACKS WERE "ON TARGET EXACTLY AS REQUESTED"; (3) "NO WITHDRAWAL WAS MADE ON AUGUST 8 DUE TO UNITED STATES AIR ACTION"; AND (4) A "SLIGHT" WITHDRAWAL DID RESULT, BUT IT WAS DUE TO "INTENSE ENEMY GROUND ACTION."

BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, FAR EAST COMMANDER, REPORTED THAT "DUE TO THE INTENSITY OF THE GROUND ACTION, THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT THE AIR ACTION MAY HAVE BEEN RESPONSIBLE FOR THREE CASUALTIES, BUT THIS FACT DEFINITELY IS NOT DETERMINED."

STRATEMEYER SAID HE HAD RECEIVED A LETTER FROM LT.GEN.WALTON WALKER, EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER, EMPHASIZING WALKER'S "HIGH REGARD FOR AIR SUPPORT AND REQUESTING THAT FUTURE CLOSE AIR-GROUND ACTION NOT BE JEOPARDIZED."

THE BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID THE ARMY IS INVESTIGATING FURTHER AS TO HOW "SUCH COMPLETELY ERRONEOUS AND INACCURATE INFORMATION" COULD HAVE REACHED THE REPORTER WHO WROTE THIS PORTION OF THE UNITED PRESS DISPATCH DATED AUG.8 FROM KOREA:

"JUST THEN A FORMATION OF AMERICAN PLANES CAME OVER. THE FIGHTING WAS AT SUCH CLOSE RANGE THAT THE PLANES MISTOOK THE AMERICANS FOR NORTH KOREANS AND OPENED UP A STRAFING ATTACK ON THEM AS THEY MOVED UP A HILLSIDE.

"A GAP WAS OPENED IN THE AMERICAN LINE. ENEMY TROOPS RUSHED THROUGH THE GAP. THE ENEMY SCORED A CONSIDERABLE ADVANCE."

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID THE OCCASIONAL LOSS OF A FEW OF OUR MEN "IS THE PRICE WE ALWAYS HAVE TO PAY FOR CLOSE SUPPORT, WHETHER FROM THE AIR OR OUR OWN ARTILLERY."

HE ADDED THAT THE INFANTRY WOULD RATHER "RUN THE RISK OF A FEW SHORTS THAN TO DO WITHOUT CLOSE SUPPORT FROM THE AIR."

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ACCOUNT OF THE SAME INCIDENT ON AUG.8, BY STAFF WRITER O.H.P. KING IN KOREA SAID:

"AS THE DOUGHBOYS SWEPT FORWARD, TWO AMERICAN F-51 MUSTANGS STRAFED THEM BY MISTAKE.

"MEDICAL OFFICERS SAID THE STRAFING CAUSED 19 AMERICAN CASUALTIES.

"THE KOREAN REDS, SEIZING THE OPPORTUNITY, DROVE BACK THE AMERICAN ASSAULT AND GAINED SOME GROUND. THE AMERICANS REFORMED QUICKLY AND RETURNED TO THE BATTLE AREA. X X X

"DESPITE THE STRAFING BY THEIR OWN PLANES, U.S. INFANTRYMEN AGREED THE FIGHTER-BOMBERS HAD DONE 'A TREMENDOUS JOB' ALL DAY IN THE TARGET AREA."

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AIR GUARD (600)

BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON,AUG 10-(AP)-THE CALLING OF FOUR NATIONAL GUARD DIVISIONS AND TWO REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS INTO FEDERAL SERVICE FORESHADOWS A SIMILAR SUMMONS TO A LIMITED NUMBER OF UNITS OF THE AIR NATIONAL GUARD.

THE AIR GUARD APPEALS TO BE THE ONLY POOL THAT THE AIR FORCE CAN DIP INTO FOR SUFFICIENT EXISTING UNITS TO SUPPORT THE MOBILIZED GUARD TROOPS.

ONLY TWO OF THE REGULAR AIR FORCE FIGHTER GROUPS NOW STATIONED IN THE UNITED STATES ARE CONSIDERED AVAILABLE FOR CONTINUING OPERATIONS WITH TROOPS. THE OTHERS ARE ASSIGNED TO THE DEFENSE OF U.S. CITIES, ATOMIC PLANTS AND OTHER STRATEGIC TARGETS AGAINST ANY AIR ATTACK. THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COUNTRY'S AIR DEFENSE MAY BE EXPECTED TO OPPOSE ANY EFFORT TO REDUCE THIS FORCE OR DIVERT IT TO OTHER DUTIES.

IN ITS ORGANIZED RESERVE, THE AIR FORCE HAS A RESERVOIR ON WHICH IT CAN CALL FOR ONLY ONE TYPE OF GROUND SUPPORT UNIT. THE 25 WINGS OF THE RESERVE INCLUDE FIVE WINGS OF LIGHT BOMBERS SUITABLE FOR ATTACKS ON LARGE TARGETS SOME DISTANCE BACK OF THE NEMY'S LINES, AND FOR HORIZONTAL BOMBING FROM MEDIUM ALTITUDES WHERE CONCENTRATIONS OF SHORT RANGE FLAK MAKE IT HOTTER THAN USUAL FOR LOW LEVEL FIGHTER-BOMBERS.

BUT THE RESERVE UNITS INCLUDE NO FIGHTER-BOMBERS, THE AIR WEAPON MOST USED FOR BOMBING AND STRAFING GUN POSITIONS, TANKS AND ROAD TRAFFIC AHEAD OF GROUND TROOPS.

ON THE OTHER HAND, THE AIR NATIONAL GUARD IS COMPOSED PREDOMINANTLY OF FIGHTER UNITS, ALL NORMALLY EQUIPPED WITH PLANES THAT CAN DO FIGHTER-BOMBING AND SOME OF THEM TRAINED ESPECIALLY FOR GROUND SUPPORT.

THE AIR GUARD IS COMPOSED OF 84 GROUPS, INCLUDING UNITS IN ALL THE STATES, HAWAII AND PUERTO RICO.

OF THESE GROUPS, 72 ARE FIGHTER OUTFITS. MOST OF THEM ARE EQUIPPED WITH PISTON-ENGINED FIGHTERS OF WORLD WAR II, WHICH ARE EXCELLENT FOR GROUND SUPPORT BUT MIGHT HAVE A TOUGH TIME SURVIVING IF OPPOSED BY FASTER JET PLANES. SOME OF THE GROUPS ALSO ARE EQUIPPED WITH MODERN JET FIGHTERS.

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EACH FIGHTER GROUP IS SUPPOSED TO HAVE 75 PLANES. AN UNDISCLOSED NUMBER OF THE AIR GUARD'S PISTON-ENGINED FIGHTERS HAVE BEEN SENT TO THE FAR EAST FOR THE KOREAN FIGHTING, HOWEVER. WHAT UNITS GAVE UP THESE FIGHTERS, AND THE EXTENT TO WHICH THEY WERE STRIPPED, HAVE NOT BEEN REVEALED.

IN ADDITION TO THE FIGHTER GROUPS, THE AIR GUARD INCLUDES 12 GROUPS OF LIGHT PISTON-ENGINED BOMBERS.

THE AIR FORCE HAS CALLED SOME RESERVE UNITS TO ACTIVE DUTY. IT HAS NOT DISCLOSED THE IDENTITY OF THESE UNITS NOR THE TOTAL NUMBER OF MEN THEY INCLUDE.

THE AIR FORCE ALSO IS ORDERING A NUMBER OF INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS TO DUTY. AIR FORCE OFFICIALS SAY THESE MEN HAVE BADLY NEEDED SKILLS, SUCH AS EXPERIENCE IN ELECTRONICS.

ALTHOUGH THE AIR FORCE HAS NOT REVEALED THE NUMBER OF RESERVISTS BEING CALLED UP, IT APPEARS TO BE LESS THAN THE NUMBER BEING SUMMONED BY THE ARMY AND THE MARINE CORPS.

THIS MAY BE DUE IN PART TO YOUNG MEN ENLISTING IN THE AIR FORCE TO AVOID BEING DRAFTED INTO THE ARMY. ANOTHER FACTOR IS THAT THE AIR FORCE, ALTHOUGH NOW BEGINNING TO GET THE MONEY TO BUILD EQUIPMENT TOWARD THE 69 GROUP AIR FORCE IT CONSIDERS ESSENTIAL, DOES NOT FACE AS GREAT AN EXPANSION OF MANPOWER DURING THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR AS THE ARMY AND NAVY.

IN ANY CALL-UP OF AIR GUARD UNITS, DEFENSE LEADERS ARE EXPECTED TO AVOID, IF POSSIBLE, SUMMONING THEM FROM STATES WHICH HAVE ALREADY SUPPLIED NATIONAL GUARD GROUND TROOPS.

THE FOUR NATIONAL GUARD INFANTRY DIVISIONS AND TWO REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS ALREADY CALLED INTO FEDERAL SERVICE ARE BEING DRAWN FROM

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EIGHT STATES: PENNSYLVANIA, CALIFORNIA, VERMONT, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH DAKOTA AND TENNESSEE.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THAT IT NEEDS RESERVE COMBAT PILOTS.

IT ADDED PILOTS OF MOST TYPES OF COMBAT PLANES TO THE LIST OF RESERVISTS WHO, IT SAID, WILL BE CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY ON BOTH A VOLUNTARY AND INVOLUNTARY BASIS.

MAKING PUBLIC A REVISED LIST OF MILITARY OCCUPATION SPECIALTIES NEEDED IN THE CURRENT CALL-UP OF RESERVE OFFICERS AND AIRMEN, THE AIR FORCE SAID:

"GREATEST NEED FOR OFFICERS IS STILL IN THE NAVIGATOR, BOMBARDIER, AND RADAR SPECIALIST FIELDS, ALTHOUGH REQUIREMENTS NOW EXIST FOR PILOTS OF MOST COMBAT AIRCRAFT.

"PRINCIPAL AIRMEN (ENLISTED MEN) REQUIREMENTS ARE STILL IN THE FIELD OF AIRPLANE AND ENGINE MECHANICS, RADAR AND RADIO SPECIALISTS, ARMAMENT SPECIALISTS, AND PERSONNEL OF THE MEDICAL FIELDS."

THE AIR FORCE IS IN THE PROCESS OF INCREASING ITS MANPOWER BY 136,000 TO A TOTAL OF 548,000 AT THE END OF THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR.

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AIRPOWER-KOREA (240)

WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-HOUSE MEMBERS INQUIRING INTO THE ROLE OF AIRPOWER IN THE KOREAN STRUGGLE TODAY CALLED IN ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S TOP CHAMPIONS OF STRATEGIC BOMBING, RETIRED GENERAL CARL SPAATZ.

THE FORMER AIR FORCE CHIEF OF STAFF WAS BILLED AS THE OPENING WITNESS AT A CLOSED SESSION (9 A.M., EST) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES TACTICAL AVIATION SUBCOMMITTEE.

THIS GROUP, HEADED BY REP. BROOKS (D-LA), IS ONE OF NINE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEES NAMED TO PUT PRESSURE ON THE NATIONAL MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT TO SPEED UP THE MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR REARMAMENT PROGRAM.

SPAATZ, WHO SINCE HIS RETIREMENT HAS BEEN WRITING A COLUMN ON MILITARY AFFAIRS FOR A WEEKLY NEWSMAGAZINE (NEWSWEEK), APPEARED BEFORE THE FULL HOUSE COMMITTEE A YEAR AGO AS A CHAMPION OF THE AIR FORCE'S GIANT B-36 BOMBER.

SPAATZ, WARTIME COMMANDER OF STRATEGIC AIR FORCES IN THE EUROPEAN THEATER AND LATER IN THE PACIFIC, WAS A KEY AIR FORCE WITNESS IN LAST AUGUST'S INVESTIGATION INTO THE NAVY'S FLARE-UP AGAINST PENTAGON POLICIES.

UNDERLYING NAVY AND MARINE RESENTMENT WAS THE FEELING THAT TOO MUCH EMPHASIS WAS BEING PLACED ON STRATEGIC BOMBING--AND ESPECIALLY ON THE INTERCONTINENTAL B-36. THE NAVY ALSO OBJECTED TO THE OTHER SERVICES PASSING ON THE TYPES OF WEAPONS IT FELT IT NEEDED.

THE B-36 HAS NOT BEEN IN ACTION IN KOREA BECAUSE, AIR FORCE OFFICIALS SAY, THERE ARE NO SUITABLE TARGETS FOR IT. THE NEXT SMALLER SIZE BOMBER, THE B-29, HOWEVER, IS IN ACTION ON STRATEGIC RAIDS AND OTHER PLANES ARE FLYING IN TACTICAL SUPPORT OF TROOPS.

THE THEORY OF STRATEGIC BOMBING IS THE USE OF PLANES TO ATTACK TARGETS ON THEIR OWN, MORE OR LESS INDEPENDENT OF GROUND ACTION. TACTICAL BOMBING IS THE EMPLOYMENT OF PLANES AS COVER OR SUPPORT OF TROOPS.

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NIGHT LEAD TRUMAN-FOREIGN(530)

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY ACCUSED RUSSIA OF FILIBUSTERING UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA.

BY IMPLICATION HE SUGGESTED THAT THE SOVIETS ARE HURTING THEMSELVES MORE THAN ANYBODY ELSE BY SUCH TACTICS.

MR.TRUMAN COMMENTED ON THE RUSSIAN U.N.TACTICS AT A NEWS CONFERENCE, IN THE COURSE OF WHICH HE EXPRESSED OPTIMISM REGARDING THE ACTUAL PROGRESS OF FIGHTING IN KOREA.

ON OTHER FOREIGN AFFAIRS MATTERS, THE PRESIDENT:

1. DECLINED TO DISCUSS THE REPORT ON FAR EAST POLITICAL QUESTIONS, INCLUDING FORMOSA, WHICH WAS GIVEN HIM YESTERDAY BY FOREIGN AFFAIRS COORDINATOR W.AVERELL HARRIMAN.

2. SAID HE IS SATISFIED WITH GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S CONDUCT OF OPERATIONS IN THE FAR EAST. THIS STATEMENT GREW OUT OF A BLAST MACARTHUR LOOSED IN TOKYO AGAINST CRITICS OF HIS RECENT TRIP TO CONFER WITH GENERALLISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK ON FORMOSA. MACARTHUR SAID HIS CRITICS WERE THE USUAL ADVOCATES OF APPEASEMENT IN THE PACIFIC--A CHARGE SOMETIMES LEVELED AGAINST THE STATE DEPARTMENT. THE PRESIDENT SAID HE HAD NOT MET ANYBODY OF THAT SORT (APPEASERS) AROUND HERE BUT WENT ON TO COMMENT THAT HE HAD PUT MACARTHUR IN HIS PRESENT COMMAND POSITION AND WAS SATISFIED WITH WHAT HE IS DOING.

3. REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER THE UNITED STATES WOULD USE AIR AND GROUND FORCES TO TURN BACK ANY CHINESE COMMUNISTS INVASION ATTEMPT AGAINST FORMOSA. QUESTIONED, HE SAID SIMPLY HE COULD NOT ANSWER THAT NOW.

4. DECLARED IT WAS UNNECESSARY TO RAISE QUERIES ABOUT ANOTHER MEETING OF THE HEADS OF STATES, MEANING HIMSELF AND PREMIER STALIN OF RUSSIA, BECAUSE THERE IS NOT GOING TO BE ONE.

HE MADE THAT FLAT ASSERTION AFTER BEING ASKED WHETHER HE FAVORED A SUGGESTION OF U.N.SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE THAT THERE SHOULD BE "HIGH LEVEL MEETINGS" OF EAST AND WEST AFTER THE KOREAN WAR. ABOUT THIS THE PRESIDENT SAID HE FAVORED ANYTHING THAT WILL CONTRIBUTE TO WORLD PEACE, BUT HE WOULD NOT ENDORSE ANY LIE PROPOSAL NOW, IN ADVANCE.

RUSSIA'S BEHAVOIR AT THEU.N.SECURITY COUNCIL, TO WHICH SOVIET DELEGATE JACOB MALIK RETURNED TEN DAYS AGO, WAS THE SUBJECT THAT OPENED THE PRESIDENTIAL SESSION WITH NEWSMEN. THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE WAS ASKED WHAT HE THOUGHT OF THE WAY THE RUSSIANS WERE ACTING. HE SAID THAT HE WAS HIGHLY PLEASED WITH THE PERFORMANCE OF THE AMERICAN DELEGATION, THAT IT WAS ONE OF THE FINEST PERFORMANCES HE HAD EVER SEEN, AND THAT THE SAME THING CAN BE SAID FOR THE BRITISH DELEGATION. HE EXPLAINED THAT HE WANTED TO ANSWER THE QUESTION BY TURNING IT AROUND BECAUSE THIS, AFTER ALL, IS THE AMERICAN SIDE.

MOREOVER, THE PRESIDENT SAID, HE DOESN'T LIKE FILIBUSTERING. A REPORTER WANTED TO KNOW WHETHER THE PRESIDENT WAS TALKING ABOUT THE SOVIETS AND MR.TRUMAN REPLIED THERE IS NO DOUBT THAT THEY'RE FILIBUSTERING. ASKED WHETHER THAT WAS A GOOD SIGN OR A BAD SIGN, THE PRESIDENT SAID HE COULD NOT ANSWER.

AT ALATER POINT HE WAS ASKED WHAT THE SOVIETS WERE FILIBUSTERING AGAINST AND REPLIED: AGAINST THEMSELVES, PRINCIPALLY, IN THE PRESIDENT'S OPINION. THAT SUGGESTED A BELIEF ON HIS PART THAT THEY ARE HURTING THEMSELVES, WHICH IS A VIEW ALSO HELD BY MANY STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS.

THE CHARGE OF FILIBUSTERING AND THE ACTUAL RECORD OF MALIK COINCIDE WITH THE VIEW NOW PRIVATELY EXPRESSED BY MANY OFFICIALS THAT THE SOVIETS HAVE BEEN STALLING TO SEE HOW THE ACTUAL FIGHTING GOES IN KOREA.

ON THE PROGRESS OF THE CAMPAIGN IN THAT FARAWAY PENINSULA MR.TRUMAN EXPRESSED OPTIMISM. HE SAID THAT HE TAKES HIS MILITARY ADVICE FROM THE NATION'S MILITARY LEADERS AND HE IS AS OPTIMISTIC AS THEY ARE ABOUT THE KOREAN OUTLOOK.

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WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN ACCUSED SOVIET RUSSIA TODAY OF FILIBUSTERING IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL.

HE SAID THE RUSSIANS WERE FILIBUSTERING, NO DOUBT ABOUT.

IN A NEWS CONFERENCE DISCUSSION MR.TRUMAN LAUDED WARREN AUSTIN, U.S. REPRESENTATIVE ON THE COUNCIL, FOR DOING WHAT HE SAID WAS A GOOD JOB.

ONCE AGAIN THE PRESIDENT REJECTED THE IDEA OF A MEETING WITH PREMIER STALIN AND OTHER HEADS OF STATE. BUT HE SAID HE WOULD DECIDE LATER, IF SUCH A SUGGESTION WERE MADE, ON WHETHER THERE SHOULD BE A MEETING OF HIGH LEVEL LEADERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS AFTER SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN CRISIS.

IN HITTING AT RUSSIAN FILIBUSTERING, MR.TRUMAN OBVIOUSLY WAS REFERRING TO OBSTRUCTIONIST TACTICS BY THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND CHIEF SOVIET DELEGATE, JACOB MALIK.

MALIK HAS BEEN USING COUNCIL MEETINGS FOR ORATORICAL PROPAGANDA BLASTS TO SUCH AN EXTENT THAT NOT MUCH BUSINESS CAN BE DONE.

AT LAKE SUCCESS, COUNCIL MEMBERS PLANNED TO MEET INFORMALLY WITH MALIK TODAY TO TRY TO GET HIM TO STOP HIS DELAYING OPERATIONS. THEY HELD IN RESERVE A THREAT TO MEET SPEECH WITH SPEECH.

MR.TRUMAN WAS ASKED WHAT HE THINKS OF THE TACTICS OF MALIK AND THE RUSSIAN DELEGATION.

HE SAID HE WASN'T INTERESTED IN THEIR TACTICS BUT WAS HIGHLY PLEASED WITH THE PERFORMANCE OF THE UNITED STATES AND BRITISH DELEGATION.

HE ADDED THAT HE DOESN'T LIKE FILIBUSTERS AND THE RUSSIANS ARE FILIBUSTERING--NO DOUBT ABOUT THAT.

HE WAS ASKED IF HE THOUGHT THE RUSSIAN FILIBUSTER WAS GOOD OR BAD WITH REFERENCE TO THE POSSIBILITY OF EVENTUAL PERMANENT PEACE.

THE PRESIDENT REPLIED THAT HE COULDNT ANSWER A HYPOTHETICAL QUESTION LIKE THAT. THAT HE DIDN'T KNOW.

THE PRESIDENT WAS ASKED WHOM THE RUSSIANS ARE "FILIBUSTERING AGAINST?" HE GRINNED AND QUIPPED THAT HE THOUGHT THEY WERE FILIBUSTERING PRINCIPALLY AGAINST THEMSELVES--BY WHICH HE APPARENTLY MEANT THEIR OWN INTERESTS.

"DO YOU THINK AN EAST-WEST MEETING NOW WOULD DO ANY GOOD?" ONE REPORTER WANTED TO KNOW.

REPLYING BY INDIRECTION, MR.TRUMAN SAID THE UNITED NATIONS IS WORKING FOR A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT.

STILL, HE SAID HE FAVORS DOING ANYTHING THAT WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO PEACE.

QUESTIONING ON THE POSSIBILITY OF HIGH LEVEL MEETINGS WAS BASED ON A REPORTER'S STATEMENT THAT TRYGVE LIE, U.N.SECRETARY GENERAL, WAS THINKING OF CALLING ON THE BIG POWERS TO ARRANGE MEETINGS LOOKING TO SECURING THE PEACE AFTER THE CRISIS IN KOREA IS SETTLED.

ASKED IF HE WOULD FAVOR SUCH A MEETING, THE PRESIDENT SAID HE WOULD ANSWER THAT QUESTION WHEN AND IF IT CAME TO HIM.

THEN A REPORTER WANTED TO KNOW IF HE HAD IN MIND ANOTHER "BIG THREE" MEETING OF HEADS OF STATE OF BRITAIN, RUSSIA AND THE UNITED STATES.

HE SAID THERE IS NOT GOING TO BE ONE.

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NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS

BY JOHN B.OWEN

WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-THE HOUSE BY A SMASHING 383 TO 12 VOTE TODAY PASSED A BILL TO GIVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN A FREE HAND TO CLAMP ON SWEEPING PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING CONTROLS IF HE DEEMS NECESSARY.

THE SENATE OPENED DEBATE ON A SIMILAR BILL.

THE HOUSE ACTION WENT FAR BEYOND POWERS MR. TRUMAN HAD REQUESTED TO CONTROL PRODUCTION AND CREDIT IN VIEW OF THE NATION'S PREPAREDNESS DRIVE. THE LEGISLATORS VOTED THE EXTRA STANDBY AUTHORITY AS INSURANCE AGAINST WAR INFLATION.

BUT SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) APPEALED TO CONGRESS TO KEEP FOR ITSELF THE RIGHT TO INVOKE SUCH DRASTIC POWERS, AND NOT GIVE THE CHOICE TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

CONGRESS, TAFT SAID, WOULD BE "COMPLETELY ABDICATING ITS AUTHORITY AND ITS DUTY" IF IT GAVE MR. TRUMAN SUCH A FREE HAND. NO INDIVIDUAL SHOULD HAVE IT, HE SAID, AND ARGUED THAT CONGRESS COULD IMPOSE CONTROLS BY JOINT RESOLUTION IF NECESSARY.

IN THIS, HE TOOK DIRECT ISSUE WITH THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE WHICH SAID IN A REPORT TODAY THAT CONGRESS WOULD BE REMISS IN ITS DUTIES IF IT DID NOT PROVIDE THE PRESIDENT ENOUGH POWER TO MEET POTENTIALLY SERIOUS INFLATION DANGERS.

THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC), TOLD THE SENATE THAT THE NATION'S ECONOMY IS SO INTRICATE THAT CONGRESS CANNOT DRAW INFLEXIBLE PLANS TO COVER ALL SITUATIONS.

THE HOUSE, REACHING ITS DECISION AFTER SIX DAYS OF SQUABBLING, WITHHELD FROM MR. TRUMAN TWO ITEMS OF CONTROL:

1. IT REJECTED 198-194 A PROVISION GIVING HIM AUTHORITY TO REGULATE SPECULATION ON COMMODITY MARKETS.

THERE WAS A QUESTION, HOWEVER, WHETHER OTHER CREDIT CONTROL POWERS IN THE BILL MIGHT NOT PERMIT HIM TO MOVE IN AND CONTROL SPECULATION ANYHOW. IT IS A POINT TO BE SETTLED IN CONFERENCE BETWEEN THE SENATE AND HOUSE.

2. IT VOTED 202 TO 188 TO LIMIT CURBS ON REAL ESTATE CREDITS TO NEW CONSTRUCTION OR MAJOR REMODELING STARTED AFTER NOON ON AUG. 3.

THUS THE HOUSE BILL WOULD FORBID THE PRESIDENT TO CONTROL CREDIT ON EXISTING HOMES OR THOSE UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

POWERS WHICH THE HOUSE BILL CARRY INCLUDE THE RIGHT FOR THE PRESIDENT TO IMPOSE, IF HE THINKS NECESSARY:

1. CEILINGS ON WAGES AND PRICES, SEPARATELY OR JOINTLY, STABILIZING WAGES AT THE MAY 24-JUNE 24 LEVELS. AS TO PRICES, HE IS DIRECTED TO GIVE "DUE CONSIDERATION" TO LEVELS OF THAT PERIOD.
2. RATIONING AS THE NEEDS REQUIRE, AT WHOLESALE OR RETAIL LEVELS.
3. ALLOCATIONS OF SCARCE MATERIALS FOR ESSENTIAL USES.
4. TOP PRIORITIES FOR DEFENSE PRODUCTION.
5. REQUISITION OF PLANTS, MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES IF NECESSARY FOR THE NATION'S DEFENSE. OWNERS WOULD BE ENTITLED TO COMPENSATION AND FIRST CHOICE IN REGAINING THEIR PROPERTY WHEN IT IS NO LONGER NEEDED.
6. PRODUCTION LOANS UP TO A TOTAL OF $2,000,000,000 TO INCREASE DEFENSE SUPPLIES.
7. CONTROLS ON GRANTING OF CREDIT, WITH SOME RESTRICTIONS.

WHILE BOTH HOUSE AND SENATE BILLS WOULD GIVE MR. TRUMAN BROAD DISCRETION TO INVOKE CONTROL AUTHORITY, EACH PUTS A TIME LIMIT ON USING IT. THE HOUSE BILL WOULD EXPIRE NEXT JUNE 30, AND THE SENATE BILL A YEAR LATER.

RENT CONTROLS IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE LEGISLATION. MR. TRUMAN DID NOT REQUEST THIS POWER.

NEITHER DID HE ASK FOR PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING CONTROLS. HE AGREED TO ACCEPT THEM IF HE WERE ALLOWED WIDE LATITUDE IN THEIR USE.

THE PRESIDENT CONTENDS THEY ARE NOT NEEDED AT THIS TIME TO KEEP INFLATIONARY DANGERS IN HAND.

THE HOUSE BILL CARRIES A STIFF ANTI-HOARDING PROVISION AIMED AT PERSONS WHO HAVE MORE THAN A NORMAL STOCK OF NECESSITIES. THE TOP

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PENALTY COULD BE A YEAR IN PRISON AND $10,000 FINE.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN TOLD REPORTERS THAT HE PLANS NO REVIVAL OF THE OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION -- THE CONTROVERSIAL WARTIME OPA-TO HANDLE THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS.
REGULAR FEDERAL AGENCIES ARE CAPABLE OF DOING THE JOB, MR. TRUMAN SAID.
A GOVERNMENT REPORT TODAY THAT FOOD PRICES AT RETAIL TOOK A SLIGHT AVERAGE DROP IN THE LAST HALF OF JULY PROBABLY WILL FIGURE IN SENATE DEBATE ON CONTROLS.
THE BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS SAID THAT A SPECIAL SURVEY OF 25 FOODS IN 13 LARGE CITIES SHOWED THAT 18 ADVANCED, INCLUDING BREAD, ~~EGGS, HAMBURGER, BACON, COFFEE AND SUGAR. BUT SHARP SEASONAL DECLINES IN FRESH PRODUCTS~~ AND A DROP IN

EGGS, HAMBURGER, BACON, COFFEE AND SUGAR. BUT SHARP SEASONAL DECLINES IN FRESH VEGETABLES AND A DROP IN FRESH PORK PULLED THE LIST DOWN ABOUT TWO-TENTHS OF ONE PERCENT COMPARED WITH JULY 15.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 10-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE VOTE BY WHICH THE HOUSE TODAY PASSED A BILL GIVING PRESIDENT TRUMAN BROAD DISCRETIONARY POWERS TO CONTROL INFLATION:
DEMOCRATS FOR ~~(245)~~ (242)
ABBITT, ABERNETHY, ADDONIZIO, ALBERT, ALLEN,LA.,
ANDREWS, ASPINALL, BAILEY, BARDEN, BARING,
BARRETT,PA., BATES, KY., BATTLE, BECKWORTH, BENNETT,FLA.,
BENTSEN, BIEMILLER, BLATNIK, BOGGS,LA., BOLLING,
BOLTON,MD., BONNER, BOSONE, BOYKIN, BREEN,
BROOKS, BROWN,GA., BRYSON, BUCHANAN, BUCKLEY,ILL.,
BUCKLEY,NY., BURKE, BURLESON, BURNSIDE, BURTON,
BYRNE,NY., CAMP, CANNON, CARLYLE, CARNAHAN,
CARROLL, CAVALCANTE, CELLER, CHATHAM, CHELF,
CHESNEY, CHRISTOPHER, CHUDOFF, CLEMENTE, COLMER,
COBS, COOLEY, COOPER, COX, CROOK,
CROSSER, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, DAVIS,GA., DAVIS, TENN.,
DAWSON, ILL., DEANE, DEGRAFFENRIED, DELANEY, DOLLINGER,
DONOHUE, DOUGHTON, DOUGLAS, DOYLE, DURHAM,
EBERHARTER, ELLIOTT, ENGLE,CALIF., EVINS, FALLON,
FEIGHAN, FERNANDEZ, FISHER, FLOOD, FOGARTY,
FORAND, FRAZIER, FUGATE, FURCOLO, GARMATZ,
GARY, GATHINGS, GILMER, GORDON, GORE,
GORSKI, [redacted], GRANAHAN, GRANGER, GRANT,
GREEN, GREGORY, HARDY, HARRIS, HARRISON,
HART, HAVENNER, HAYS,OHIO, HAYS, ARK., HEBERT,
HEDRICK, HEFFERNAN, HELLER, HERLONG, HOBBS,
HOLIFIELD, HOWELL, HUBER, IRVING, JACKSON,WASH.,
JACOBS, JONES,ALA., JONES, MO., JONES,NC., KARST,
KARSTEN OF MO., KEE, KELLEY,PA., KELLY,NY., KEOGH,
KERR, KILDAY, KING, KIRWAN, KLEIN,
KRUSE, LANE, LANHAM, LARCADE, LIND,
LINEHAN, LUCAS, LYLE, LYNCH, MCCARTHY,
MCCORMACK, MCGRATH, MCGUIRE, MCKINNON, MCMILLAN, SC.,
MCSWEENEY, MACK,ILL., MADDEN, MAHON, MANSFIELD,
MARSALIS, MARSHALL, MILES, MILLER,CALIF., MILLS,
MITCHELL, MONRONEY, MORGAN, MORRIS, MORRISON,
MOULDER, MULTER, MURDOCK, MURRAY,TENN., NOLAND,
NORRELL, NORTON, O'BRIEN,ILL., O'BRIEN OF MICH., O'HARA,ILL.,
O'NEILL, O'SULLIVAN, O'TOOLE, PACE, PASSMAN,
PATMAN, PATTEN, PERKINS, PETERSON, JOSEPH L.PFEIFER,
PHILBIN, PICKETT, POAGE, POLK, POWELL,
PRESTON, PRICE, PRIEST, RABAUT, RAINS,
RAMSAY, REDDEN, RHODES, RIBICOFF, RICHARDS,
ROBESON, RODINO, ROGERS,FLA., ROONEY, ROOSEVELT,
SASSCER, SECREST, SHELLY, SHEPPARD, SIKES,
SIMS, SMATHERS, SMITH,VA., SPENCE, STANLEY,
STAGGERS, STEED, STIGLER, SULLIVAN, SUTTON,
TACKETT, TAURIELLO, TEAGUE, THOMAS, THOMPSON,
THORNBERRY, TRIMBLE, UNDERWOOD, VINSON, WAGNER,
WALSH, WALTER, WELCH,MO., WHEELER, WHITAKER,
WHITE,CALIF., WHITTEN, WHITTINGTON, WICKERSHAM, WIER,
WILLIS, WILSON,OKLA., WILSON,TEX., WOOD, WOODHOUSE,
YATES, YOUNG, ZABLOCKI.

REPUBLICANS FOR (141)
ALLEN,CALIF., ANDERSEN,MINN., ANDERSON,CAL., ANDRESEN,MINN., ANGELL,
ARENDS, AUCHINCLOSS, BATES,MASS., BEALL, BENNETT,MICH.,
BISHOP, BLACKNEY,BOGGS,DEL., BOLTON OF OHIO, BRAMBLETT,
BREHM,BROWN,OHIO, BURDICK, BYRNES,WISC., CANFIELD,
CASE,NJ., CASE,SD., CHIPERFIELD,COLE,KANS., CORBETT,
COTTON, COUDERT, CUNNINGHAM, CURTIS, DAVIS,WISC.,
D'EWART, DOLLIVER, DONDERO, ELLSWORTH, ELSTON,
ENGEL,MICH., FELLOWS, FENTON, FORD, FULTON,
GAMBLE, GAVIN, GOLDEN, GOODWIN, GRAHAM, GROSS, GUILL,
HAGEN, HALE, EDWIN A.HALL, LEONARD W.HALL, HALLECK,
HAND, HARDEN, HARVEY, HERTER, HESELTON,
HILL, HOEVEN, HOFFMAN,ILL., HOLMES, HOPE,
HORAN, HULL, JACKSON,CALIF., JAMES, JAVITS,
JENKINS, JENNINGS, JENSEN, JONAS, JUDD,
KEAN, KEARNEY, KEARNS, KEATING, KILBURN,
KUNKEL, LECOMPTE, LEFEVRE, LICHTENWALTER, LODGE,
LOVRE, MCCONNEL, MCCULLOCH, MCDONOUGH, MCGREGOR,
MACK,WASH., MACY, MARTIN,IOWA, MARTIN,MASS., MERROW,
MEYER, MICHENER, MILLER,MD., MILLER,NEB., MORTON,
NELSON, NIXON, NORBLAD, O'HARA OF MINN., O'KONSKY,
PATTERSON, PHILLIPS,TENN., PLUMLEY, POTTER, POULSON,
REED,ILL., REED,NY., REES, RIEHLMAN, ROGERS,MASS.,
SADLAK, ST.GEORGE, SAYLOR, HARDIE SCOTT, SCRIVNER,
SCUDDER, SHAFER, SHORT, SIMPSON OF PA., SMITH,WISC.,
STEFAN, STOCKMAN, TABER, TAYLOR, TOLLEFSON,
TOWE, VANZANDT, VELDE, VORYS, VURSELL,
WADSWORTH, WEICHEL, WIDNALL, WIGGLESWORTH, WILSON,IND.,
WITHROW, WOLCOTT, WOLVERTON, WOODRUFF.

REPUBLICANS AGAINST (11)
ALLEN,ILL., CRAWFORD, GWINN, HOFFMAN,MICH., JENISON,
NICHOLSON, PHILLIPS,CALIF., RICH, SANBORN, SIMPSON,ILL., WERDEL.
AMERICAN LABOR AGAINST (1)
MARCANTONIO
DEMOCRATS FOR 243
REPUBLICANS FOR 140
AMERICAN LABOR FOR 0
TOTAL VOTING FOR 383
DEMOCRATS AGAINST 0

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REPUBLICANS AGAINST 11
AMERICAN LABOR AGAINST 1
TOTAL VOTING AGAINST 12
TOTAL VOTING 395
VACANCIES 4
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING 32
PAIRED FOR (2) HUGH D.SCOTT AND WILLIAM L.PFEIFFER, REPUBLICANS.
PAIRED AGAINST (2) MASON AND SMITH OF OHIO (REPUBLICANS)
TOTAL MEMBERSHIP 435.
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NIGHT LEAD TAXES (440)

BY FRANCIS M.LEMAY
WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROGRAM FOR A $1,500,000,000 A YEAR BOOST IN CORPORATION TAXES WAS APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY TODAY BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE. IT WOULD RAISE THE TOP LEVY ON CORPORATE INCOME FROM 38 PER CENT TO 45, EFFECTIVE AS OF JULY 1, 1950.

THE COMMITTEE MAY ACT TOMORROW ON A $3,000,000,000 INCREASE IN INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAXES, HIKING SOME TAXPAYERS' BURDENS AS MUCH AS 20 PER CENT.

MR. TRUMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT IF CONGRESS WANTS TO TACK ON, IN ADDITION, AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX AIMED AT PROFITEERING, HE WILL SANCTION IT.

BUT THE PRESIDENT ADVISED IT WOULD BE BETTER FOR CONGRESS TO CONSIDER THIS VERY CONTROVERSIAL SUBJECT AFTER NOVEMBER WHEN IT WON'T HAVE ELECTION JITTERS. EVENTUALLY THERE WILL BE AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX, THE PRESIDENT SAID.

REPUBLICANS JOINED WITH DEMOCRATS IN A SOLID BLOC BEHIND THE BIG CORPORATE ITEM IN MR. TRUMAN'S PROPOSAL FOR A FIRST INSTALLMENT $5,000,000,000 TAX HIKE NOW. MONEY IS NEEDED AT ONCE TO HELP FINANCE THE KOREAN WAR AND ARM THE UNITED STATES AND ITS ASSOCIATES AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

WHILE UNANIMOUSLY APPROVING THE RATE HIKE, THE COMMITTEE REBELLED AT THE PRESIDENT'S SUGGESTION THAT THE HIGHER RATES BE MADE RETROACTIVE TO APPLY TO ALL OF 1950 CORPORATION INCOME. IT SAID THE HIGHER RATES SHALL APPLY TO ONLY ONE-HALF OF THIS YEARS EARNINGS.

THE NEW CORPORATION TAX RATE SCHEDULE WILL BE 25 PER CENT OF THE FIRST $25,000 OF CORPORATION EARNINGS, AND 45 PER CENT OF ALL EARNINGS OVER $25,000.

THE PRESENT RATES ARE 21 PER CENT ON THE FIRST $5,000; 23 PER CENT OF THE NEXT $15,000; 25 PER CENT ON THE NEXT $5,000; 53 (CORRECT) PER CENT ON INCOME BETWEEN $25,000 AND $50,000, AND 38 PER CENT ON ALL EARNINGS ABOVE $50,000.

UNDER THE NEW RATES, CORPORATIONS EARNING BETWEEN $31,250 AND $71,428 ACTUALLY WILL GET A REDUCTION IN TAXES, WHILE THOSE EARNING LESS THAN $31.250 AND MORE THAN $71.428 WILL PAY MORE.

BY APPLYING THE HIGHER RATES TO ONE-HALF OF 1950 INCOME, THE TOP EFFECTIVE RATE THIS YEAR WILL BE ABOUT 41 1/2 PER CENT, AND THE INCREASED COLLECTIONS ABOUT $750,000,000. THE FULL FORCE OF THE HIGHER RATES WOULD APPLY TO ALL OF 1951 INCOME AND YEARS THEREAFTER.

THE COMMITTEE TOOK NO ACTION ON AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX. HOWEVER, SENATOR O'MAHONEY HAS PROMISED A FLOOR FIGHT FOR SUCH A LEVY WHEN THE BILL REACHES THE SENATE. HE SAID HIS PROFITS TAX PLAN WOULD COLLECT ABOUT $4,000,000,000 A YEAR. THE SENATE VOTE MAY BE CLOSE. BUT FINANCE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN GEORGE (D-GA) HAS SAID THE BILL WILL WIND UP WITHOUT AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX OR THERE WILL BE NO BILL AT ALL.

GEORGE WANTS TIME TO STUDY THE BASE AND RATES FOR SUCH A TAX, BEFORE CONGRESS ACTS. MR.TRUMAN APPARENTLY AGREES THAT IS THE BEST WAY.

MR. TRUMAN TOLD HIS NEWS CONFERENCE THAT ARGUMENTS OVER AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX SHOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO DELAY ACTION ON HIS $5,000,000,000 INTERIM BILL. IT IS BETTER TO ACT QUICKLY TO DETER INFLATION INSTEAD OF GETTING INTO CONTROVERSY, HE SAID.

THE BILL MAY BE ON THE PRESIDENT'S DESK BY SEPTEMBER 1.
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(300) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD TRUMAN ROUNDUP

BY D.HAROLD OLIVER
WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY RULED OUT ANOTHER OPA TO ADMINISTER PRICE CONTROLS WHEN AND IF THEY ARE NEEDED.

HE SAID EXISTING GOVERNMENT AGENCIES WHICH HE HAD BEEN WORKING TO IMPROVE FOR FIVE YEARS ARE EFFICIENT ENOUGH TO HANDLE ANY ANTI-INFLATION CONTROLS IN THE KOREAN EMERGENCY.

MR.TRUMAN ALSO TOLD HIS WEEKLY NEWS CONFERENCE THAT:

1--HE WOULD APPROVE AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX AND ONE WILL BE ADOPTED EVENTUALLY, BUT HE PREFERRED THIS AND OTHER CONTROVERSIAL MEASURES TO GO OVER UNTIL CONGRESS IS FREE OF ELECTION JITTERS.

2--HE HAS FULL CONFIDENCE IN GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR IN HIS HANDLING OF THE KOREAN WAR AND IS OPTIMISTIC OVER THE MILITARY SITUATION THERE.

3--JACOB A.MALIK, SOVIET DELEGATE, IS CONDUCTING A FILIBUSTER ON THE KOREAN QUESTION IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL.

4--THE PRESIDENT WILL CONSIDER THE QUESTION OF "HIGH LEVEL" CONFERENCES ON PEACE WHEN AND IF THAT QUESTION ARISES. BUT HE REPEATED THERE WILL BE NO MEETING OF HEADS OF STATE.

ON TAXES, THE PRESIDENT SAID THE $5,000,000,000 IN CREASE HE ASKED FOR WAS ONE HE BELIEVED CONGRESS COULD ENACT QUICKLY. CONTROVERSIAL PROPOSALS LIKE THE EXCESS PROFITS LEVY SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED TO DELAY ACTION. OF COURSE, HE WOULD APPROVE AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX IF VOTED,HE ADDED.

THE PRESIDENT SAID HE IS WATCHING THE THREAT OF A RAILROAD STRIKE BY THE CONDUCTORS AND TRAINMEN OVER THEIR DEMAND FOR A 40-HOUR WEEK. BEYOND THAT HE WOULD NOT TALK ABOUT CONFERENCES THE TWO SIDES ARE HAVING WITH HIS ASSISTANT, JOHN R.STEELMAN.

THE SENATE'S REJECTION OF FOUR OF HIS NOMINATIONS IN ONE SITTING YESTERDAY BROUGHT ONLY THE COMMENT THAT SENATE COURTESY STILL RULES.

HE SAID HE HAS NO OTHER JOB IN MIND FOR ONE OF THOSE TURNED DOWN, MARTIN HUTCHINSON OF RICHMOND, FOR THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION.
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(250) NIGHT LEAD CONGRESS ROUNDUP

WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-THE HOUSE VOTED TODAY TO ALLOW PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO CLAMP ON WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS AND RATIONING WHENEVER HE WISHED. THE SENATE OPENED DEBATE ON ITS OWN VERSION OF ECONOMIC CONTROL LEGISLATION WITH SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) ARGUING AGAINST GIVING THE PRESIDENT SUCH A FREE HAND.

THE HOUSE PASSED ITS BILL 383 TO 12. THE MEASURE GAVE MR.TRUMAN ALMOST EVERYTHING HE ASKED FOR, PLUS THE STANDBY WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING AUTHORITY. THE HOUSE REFUSED THE PRESIDENT POWER TO REGULATE SPECULATION ON THE COMMODITY MARKETS, AND ALSO SPECIFIED THAT AUTHORITY TO CURB REAL ESTATE CREDIT WOULD APPLY ONLY TO NEW CONSTRUCTION OR MAJOR REMODELING STARTED AFTER AUG. 3.

THE SENATE IS POINTING FOR A VOTE ON ITS BILL NEXT WEEK. THEN ADJUSTMENTS WILL HAVE TO BE MADE BETWEEN THE TWO VERSIONS BEFORE THE BILL GOES TO THE WHITE HOUSE.

OTHER CONGRESSIONAL DEVELOPMENTS INCLUDED:

TAXES--THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE VOTED FOR A $1,500,000,000

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INCREASE IN CORPORATION INCOME TAXES AND MADE READY TO ACT ON A $3,-000,000,000 BOOST IN INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAXES.

CONTEMPT--THE HOUSE VOTED CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CITATIONS AGAINST UNION LEADER JULIUS EMSPAK AND COMMUNIST LEADER STEVE NELSON, WHO REFUSED TO ANSWER CERTAIN QUESTIONS OF THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE CONCERNING COMMUNISM.

UMT--THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE LEARNED THAT THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT PLANS TO SEND UP A DRAFT OF LEGISLATION FOR UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING (UMT). IT WOULD PROVIDE THAT EVERY FIT YOUNG MAN WOULD GET BASIC MILITARY TRAINING.

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ANTI-HOARDING (410)

BY EARL ARONSON

PORTLAND,ME.,AUG 10-(AP)-THE HOME DEFENDERS OF FREEDOM (CAPS) CLAIMED VICTORY TODAY IN THEIR ANTI-HOARDING FIGHT. AND COMMUNITIES ACROSS THE NATION ARE SHOWING INCREASED INTEREST IN THE PORTLAND PLAN.

"THERE'S PRACTICALLY NO HOARDING IN GREATER PORTLAND NOW," SAID EDWARD H.KESSLER,JR., A LEADER OF THE DEFENDERS.

IN FACT, SAID KESSLER, HOARDING JUST ABOUT ENDED WITH THE BUILDUP FOR LAST SUNDAY'S START OF THE CAMPAIGN.

KESSLER SAID A CHECK OF 25 FOOD STORES SHOWED THERE HAVE BEEN NO RUNS THIS WEEK ON SUGAR, COFFEE, BACON OR CANNED MEAT. CLOTHING AND DRY GOODS STORES SAID SALES OF NYLON STOCKINGS, SHEETS AND MEN'S SHIRTS ARE NORMAL.

"WE'RE PRETTY CONFIDENT THAT HOARDING HAD JUST ABOUT STOPPED BEFORE SUNDAY," SAID KESSLER, WHO IS EXECUTIVE MANAGER OF THE PORTLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

THE PORTLAND PLAN AGAINST STOCKING ITEMS THAT BECAME SCARCE IN WARTIME BEGAN WITH A FLOOD-LIGHTED RALLY AT WHICH 4,000 PERSONS TOOK A PLEDGE TO BE "HOME DEFENDERS OF FREEDOM." THIS IS WHAT THEY PROMISED:

"I WILL NOT BUY MORE THAN MY NORMAL NEEDS DURING THIS WAR EMERGENCY. I KNOW THAT IN SO DOING I AM MAKING A VERY REAL CONTRIBUTION TO THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM AND THE SECURITY OF MY COUNTRY."

THE GOAL OF THIS WEEK'S CAMPAIGN WAS 10,000 ANTI-HOARDERS SIGNATURES.

STORES AND OTHER OUTLETS ARE DISTRIBUTING PLEDGE CARDS AND RED, WHITE AND BLUE LAPEL BUTTONS.

"WE DON'T KNOW HOW MANY CARDS HAVE BEEN SIGNED," KESSLER SAID. BUT HE SAYS THE GOAL IS NEAR. GREATER PORTLAND'S POPULATION IS OVER 100-000.

FIFTY THOUSAND BUTTONS--ALL THAT WERE ON HAND--WERE EXHAUSTED BY TUESDAY. FIFTEEN THOUSAND MORE ARRIVED BY AIR EXPRESS WEDNESDAY AND 35 THOUSAND MORE ARE ON ORDER.

"EVERYBODY IS CLAMORING FOR THEM," SAID DEFENDER KESSLER.

ABOUT 15 PERCENT OF THOSE WHO HAVE SIGNED CARDS ARE SUMMER VISITORS. THEY'RE FROM ALMOST EVERY STATE AND FROM AS FAR AWAY AS DALLAS,TEX., PORTLAND,ORE., AND LONDON,ONTARIO.

THE VISITORS TELL SHOPKEEPERS THEY WISH THEIR HOME TOWNS WOULD ADOPT THE PORTLAND PLAN.

SOME COMMUNITIES ARE LOOKING INTO IT. REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION ALREADY HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM TUSCON,ARIZ., SYRACUSE,N.Y., YOUNGSTOWN,O., WHEELING,W.VA., AND CAMBRIDGE,MASS.

THERE HAVE BEEN NO INQUIRIES ABOUT THE PORTLAND PLAN FROM FEDERAL OFFICIALS. MAINE'S TWO SENATORS, HOWEVER, TALKED ABOUT IT ON THE SENATE FLOOR.

ARE THE DEFENDERS GOING TO SIT BACK AFTER THIS WEEK'S DRIVE; NOT ON YOUR LIFE!

"WE PLAN TO CONTINUE THE CAMPAIGN FOR SOME TIME," KESSLER SAID. "WE'LL KEEP REASONS FOR NOT HOARDING BEFORE THE PUBLIC. THERE WILL BE OTHER DEMONSTRATIONS."

THE PORTLAND PLAN WAS ORGANIZED BY A GROUP OF BUSINESS AND CIVIC LEADERS. THEY CHOSE THE NAME DEFENDERS OF FREEDOM AND THE SLOGAN, "HOARDING HELPS COMMUNISM."

THE SPONSORS SAY THEY HOPE THEY FIRED "THE OPENING GUN IN A NATION-WIDE HOME-FRONT WAR AGAINST COMMUNISM."

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF THE ANTI-HOARDING AMENDMENT IN THE HOUSE BILL ON ECONOMIC CONTROLS: (250)

"SEC. 103. IT IS HEREBY MADE UNLAWFUL FOR ANY PERSON WILLFULLY TO HOARD ANY NECESSARIES. THE TERM 'NECESSARIES' AS USED IN THIS SECTION MEANS FOODS; FEEDS, WEARING APPAREL; AUTOMOBILE TIRES; CONTAINERS PRIMARILY DESIGNED OR INTENDED FOR CONTAINING FOODS, FEEDS, OR FERTILIZERS; FUEL, INCLUDING FUEL OIL AND NATURAL GAS; FERTILIZER AND FERTILIZER INGREDIENTS; TOOLS, UTENSILS, IMPLEMENTS, MACHINERY, AND EQUIPMENT REQUIRED FOR THE ACTUAL PRODUCTION OF THE ABOVE-NAMED ARTICLES AND MATERIALS; AND ANY OTHER ARTICLES AND MATERIALS THE EQUITABLE DISTRIBUTION OF WHICH THE PRESIDENT SHALL FIND, AND SHALL BY PROCLAMATION DECLARE, TO BE ESSSENTIAL TO CARRY OUT THE PURPOSES OF THIS ACT. NECESSARIES SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE HOARDED WITHIN THE MEANING OF THIS SECTION WHEN EITHER (A) HELD, CONTRACTED FOR, OR ARRANGED FOR BY ANY PERSON IN A QUANTITY IN EXCESS OF HIS REASONABLE REQUIREMENTS FOR USE OR CONSUMPTION BY HIMSELF AND DEPENDENTS FOR A REASONABLE TIME; (B) HELD, CONTRACTED FOR, OR ARRANGED FOR BY ANY MANUFACTURER, WHOLESALER, RETAILER, OR OTHER DEALER IN A QUANTITY IN EXCESS OF THE REASONABLE REQUIREMENTS OF HIS BUSINESS FOR USE OR SALE BY HIM FOR A REASONABLE TIME OR REASONABLY REQUIRED TO FURNISH NECESSARIES PRODUCED IN SURPLUS QUANTITIES SEASONABLY THROUGHOUT THE PERIOD OF SCANT OR NO PRODUCTION, OR (C) WITHHELD WHETHER BY POSSESSION OR UNDER ANY CONTRACT OR ARRANGEMENT FROM THE MARKET BY ANY PERSON FOR THE PURPOSE OF UNREASONABLY INCREASING OR DIMINISHING THE PRICE: PROVIDED, THAT THIS SECTION SHALL NOT APPLY TO FUTURES TRADING TRANSACTIONS ON ANY COMMODITY EXCHANGE OR BOARD OF TRADE OR TO ANY PERSON WITH RESPECT TO FARM PRODUCTS PRODUCED OR RAISED UPON LAND OWNED, LEASED, OR CULTIVATED BY HIM."

THE MAXIMUM PENALTY FOR VIOLATIONS WOULD BE ONE YEAR IN PRISON, A $10,000 FINE, OR BOTH.

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(300) NIGHT LEAD UNAMERICAN

WASHINGTON, AUG.10-(AP)-THE HOUSE TODAY CITED FOR CONTEMPT STEVE NELSON, COMMUNIST ORGANIZER, AND JULIUS EMSPAK, ELECTRICAL UNION OFFICIAL--THE FIRST OF 58 WITNESSES ACCUSED BY THE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE OF FLOUTING ITS AUTHORITY.

MORE CASES WILL COME UP TOMORROW. CITATIONS VOTED BY THE HOUSE GO TO THE FEDERAL DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR PROSECUTION. THE MAXIMUM PENALTY FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS IS A YEAR IN JAIL AND $1,000 FINE.

IN GENERAL WITNESSES NAMED REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS CONCERNING COMMUNISM ON THE GROUNDS THEIR ANSWER MIGHT TEND TO INCRIMINATE THEM.

NELSON, WHO SERVES THE COMMUNISTS IN INDUSTRIAL WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA, WAS CITED BY A VOICE VOTE WITHOUT DISSENT OR DEBATE.

EMSPAK, NATIONAL SECRETARY-TREASURER OF THE UNITED ELECTRICAL

WORKERS, WAS THE FIRST NAME BROUGHT OUT. THE 372-1 ROLLCALL VOTE FOUND REP. MARCANTONIO (AMN-LAB.NY) AGAINST CITING HIM.

THE NEW YORKER ARGUED THAT THE COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING THE 58 WITNESSES WAS A RESULT OF HYSTERIA. HE SAID THE WITNESSES WERE WITHIN THEIR RIGHTS; THAT "YOU CAN'T TALK ABOUT DEMOCRACY AND DESTROY THE BILL OF RIGHTS."

REP.WALTER (D-PA) REPLIED THAT THE ISSUE WAS SIMPLE: WHETHER THE COMMITTEE CAN COMPEL WITNESSES TO ANSWER QUESTIONS RELEVANT TO ITS WORK OF INVESTIGATING UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES.

EMSPAK, TESTIFYING ON DEC. 5, REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS WHICH THE COMMITTEE CALLED PERTINENT. ONE QUESTION CONCERNED WHETHER HE HAD EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

EMSPAK'S UNION WAS TOSSED OUT OF THE CIO FOR FOLLOWING THE COMMUNIST LINE. SOME OTHER LEADERS OF EMSPAK'S UNION ARE ON THE COMMITTEE'S CITATION LIST.

THIRTY-NINE OF THE 58 WERE AMONG WITNESSES WHO APPEARED DURING THE COMMITTEE'S INVESTIGATION OF COMMUNISM IN HAWAII LAST APRIL.

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A27WX (200)

PRECEDE HAMPTON BEACH BRIDGES DAY

WASHINGTON,AUG 10-(AP)-DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS REITERATED TODAY THAT THE ARMY IS NOT CONCEALING ANY CONFIRMED KOREAN WAR CASUALTIES WHOSE NEXT OF KIN HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED.

THE PENTAGON SPOKESMEN MADE THE ASSERTION WHEN ASKED FOR COMMENT ON A DECLARATION BY SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) THAT CASUALTIES "ARE BEING CONCEALED," AND THAT THE NATION WILL BE SHOCKED WHEN "THE WHOLE TRUTH" ABOUT THE LOSSES BECOMES KNOWN.

THE DEFENSE OFFICIALS EXPLAINED THAT THERE HAS BEEN A LAG OF TWO OR THREE WEEKS BETWEEN THE TIME A CASUALTY OCCURRED IN KOREA AND PUBLICATION OF THE INFORMATION IN THE UNITED STATES. THEY SAID IT TAKES ABOUT ONE WEEK FOR A CASUALTY REPORT FROM A FRONT-LINE OUTFIT TO REACH TOKYO AND BE CONFIRMED, AND THAT ANOTHER WEEK IS NEEDED TO TRANSMIT THE REPORTS TO WASHINGTON, RECHECK PERSONNEL FILES, AND NOTIFY NEXT OF KIN.

THEY PREDICTED THE TIME LAG WILL BE SHORTENED THROUGH BETTER ORGANIZATION AFTER THE MEN OPERATING THE REPORTING MACHINERY GAIN EXPERIENCE.

BRIDGES TOLD THE ROCKINGHAM COUNTY, NEW HAMPSHIRE, REPUBLICAN CLUB YESTERDAY THAT "OUR CASUALTIES ARE TERRIFICALLY HEAVY, AND THE TRUTH OF OUR AFFAIRS IN KOREA IN THE PAST FEW WEEKS WILL BECOME APPALLING, ONCE IT IS MADE KNOWN TO US."

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HAMPTON BEACH, N.H., AUG.10-(AP)-"WE WILL BE SHOCKED WHEN WE LEARN THE WHOLE TRUTH" OF OUR CASUALTIES IN THE KOREAN WAR, "WHICH ARE BEING CONCEALED," U.S. SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) TOLD THE ROCKINGHAM COUNTY REPUBLICAN CLUB YESTERDAY.

"OUR CASUALTIES ARE TERRIFICALLY HEAVY, AND THE TRUTH OF OUR AFFAIRS IN KOREA OF THE PAST FEW WEEKS WILL BECOME APPALING, ONCE IT IS MADE KNOWN TO US," THE SENATOR DECLARED.

WARNING IT WAS TIME TO FACE THE ISSUE "DIRECTLY AND SQUARELY," THE THREE-TERM SENATOR ASSERTED "WE CAN NO LONGER BURY OUR HEADS IN THE SAND AND HOPE SOMETHING, SOMEHOW, WILL SAVE US FRT A DREADFUL FATE.

"THE REPUBLICAN PARTY," HE ADDED, "HAS GOT TO MEASURE UP TO THIS UNDESIRED CHALLENGE."

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SUBVERSIVES

BY OLIVER W.DE WOLF

WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-SENATE DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN LEADERS TROD SEPARATE PATHS TODAY TOWARD THE COMMON OBJECTIVE OF TIGHTENING UP HOME FRONT SECURITY AGAINST COMMUNIST AND SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY.

THEIR COURSES WERE OFFICIALLY CHARTED IN TWO POLICY COMMITTEE MEETINGS YESTERDAY. A HEAD-ON CLASH ON THE FLOOR WAS IN PROSPECT.

WHILE THIS MANEUVERING WAS GOING ON, THE SENATE SHOWED A COMPLETE READINESS TO VOTE TOUGHER HOME DEFENSE CONTROLS ONCE AGREEMENT IS REACHED ON THEIR FORM.

WITHOUT A DISSENT IT PASSED THREE STIFF INTERNAL SECURITY MEASURES, INCLUDING ONE WHICH WOULD PERMIT THE GOVERNMENT TO BAR FROM THE UNITED STATES ANY SUSPECTED SUBVERSIVE ALIEN. NOT EVEN TOP-DRAWER DIPLOMATS NOW UNTOUCHABLE UNDER IMMIGRATION LAWS, WOULD BE EXEMPT.

AT THE CORE OF THE INTER-PARTY DISPUTE OVER NEW SECURITY MEASURES IS A BILL SPONSORED BY SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD), FERGUSON (R-MICH) AND JOHNSTON (D-SC) WHICH THE REPUBLICANS WANT APPROVED. IT WOULD REQUIRE THAT COMMUNIST AND COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS REGISTER WITH THE GOVERNMENT, ALONG WITH INDIVIDUALS WHO CONSPIRE TO SET UP IN THIS COUNTRY A FOREIGN-CONTROLLED DICTATORSHIP.

DEMOCRATS WANT TO SIDETRACK THAT BILL IN FAVOR OF A MILDER ONE NOW BEING DRAWN UP BY JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AND OTHER ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS ALONG THE LINES OF A MESSAGE PRESIDENT TRUMAN SENT TO CONGRESS TUESDAY.

MR.TRUMAN ASKED FOR REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN TRAINED SPIES AND SABOTEURS, EXTENSION OF THE PERIOD IN WHICH ACTS OF PEACE TIME ESPIONAGE MAY BE PROSECUTED, AND BROADER AUTHORITY TO WRITE SECURITY REGULATIONS FOR DEFENSE AREAS.

THE PRESIDENT SAID THE MUNDT-FERGUSON-JOHNSTON BILL GOES FURTHER THAN NECESSARY AND MIGHT DO MORE HARM THAN GOOD.

WHILE THE TWO SENATE POLICY COMMITTEES MARKED OFF THEIR BATTLE LINES, THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE AGREED TO RECOMMEND SUBVERSIVE LEGISLATION STRONGER THAN THAT SOUGHT BY THE PRESIDENT.

THE SECURITY BILLS APPROVED BY THE SENATE YESTERDAY WOULD:

1. REVISE THE IMMIGRATION LAWS TO ALLOW THE GOVERNMENT TO BAR OR OUST ANY ALIEN, INCLUDING DIPLOMATS, ON GROUNDS OF PUBLIC SAFETY. IT WOULD COVER COMMUNISTS, ANARCHISTS AND FASCISTS.

2. MAKE PEACETIME ESPIONAGE FOR A FOREIGN POWER PUNISHABLE BY DEATH OR UP TO 30 YEARS' IMPRISONMENT. PEACETIME ESPIONAGE NOW IS PUNISHABLE BY UP TO 20 YEARS' IMPRISONMENT AND WARTIME ESPIONAGE BY DEATH OR 30 YEARS.

3. GIVE HEADS OF AGENCIES DESIGNATED AS "SENSITIVE" PERMANENT AUTHORITY TO SUSPEND OR FIRE EMPLOYEES CONSIDERED TO BE BAD SECURITY RISKS. THE AGENCIES WOULD INCLUDE THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS AND THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

THE FIRST TWO BILLS WERE INITIATED IN THE SENATE AND NOW GO TO THE HOUSE FOR ACTION. THE THIRD WAS A HOUSE-APPROVED BILL WHICH NOW RETURNS THERE FOR ACTION ON SENATE CHANGES.

IN ANOTHER SECURITY MOVE, PRESIDENT TRUMAN SIGNED INTO LAW A BILL GIVING HIM POWER TO TAKE IMMEDIATE STEPS TO SAFEGUARD U.S. PORTS AGAINST A POSSIBLE SNEAK ATOMIC OR SUBVERSIVE ATTACK.

SHOULD THE PRESIDENT DECIDE THAT THE NATION'S SECURITY IS ENDANGERED BY WAR, OR THREAT OF WAR, THE NEW LAW GIVES HIM AUTHORITY TO (A) CONTROL THE ANCHORAGE AND MOVEMENT OF FOREIGN-FLAG VESSELS IN U.S. WATERS, AND (B) TAKE PROTECTIVE MEASURES FOR U.S. HARBORS, PORTS AND OTHER WATER-FRONT FACILITIES.

THE SENATE DEMOCRATIC POLICY DECISION TO OFFER A BILL ALONG THE LINES OF MR.TRUMAN'S MESSAGE WAS ANNOUNCED BY FLOOR LEADER LUCAS

OF ILLINOIS.
IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE BILL IS BEING DRAFTED BY ADMINISTRATION LIEUTENANTS OFF CAPITOL HILL AND WHEN FINISHED WILL BE SENT TO LUCAS AND THE POLICY COMMITTEE. WHAT ACTION LUCAS PLANS THEN WAS NOT DISCLOSED.
SEVERAL HOURS LATER THE REPUBLICAN POLICY COMMITTEE WENT INTO A POLICY HUDDLE AND SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) TOLD REPORTERS AFTERWARD THAT THE MEETING REAFFIRMED ITS SUPPORT OF THE MUNDT-FERGUSON-JOHNSTON BILL.
TAFT SAID REPUBLICANS TOOK THE POSITION THAT THE PROGRAM THE PRESIDENT SUGGESTED WAS NOT ADEQUATE TO DEAL WITH THE CURRENT SITUATION.
TAFT SAID NO DECISION WAS REACHED ON HOW TO TRY FOR SENATE ACTION ON THE BILL. IT HAS JUDICIARY COMMITTEE APPROVAL BUT LUCAS HAS BLOCKED EFFORTS TO PASS IT BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT OR TO LET IT COME UP FOR DEBATE.

IN A REPORT ON THE BILL BROADENING GOVERNMENT POWERS TO OUST ALIENS THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE MADE CLEAR AN INTENT TO MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO EXCLUDE ANY AND ALL ALIENS ON GROUNDS OF PUBLIC SAFETY, INCLUDING FOREIGN AMBASSADORS AND OTHER TOP DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS.
BECAUSE ARTICLE II, SECTION 4 OF THE CONSTITUTION EMPOWERS THE PRESIDENT TO RECEIVE AMBASSADORS AND OTHER PUBLIC MINISTERS, THE BILL DID NOT PLACE THE TOP DIPLOMATS IN THE NEW CATEGORIES OF EXCLUDABLE ALIENS.
BUT THE COMMITTEE DID SAY THAT THEY "ARE TO BE SUBJECT TO EXCLUSION UNDER SUCH RULES AND REGULATIONS AS THE PRESIDENT MAY DEEM TO BE NECESSARY WHERE THEY SEEK TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES TO ENGAGE IN ACTIVITIES WHICH WILL BE PREJUDICIAL TO THE PUBLIC INTEREST OR WILL ENDANGER THE PUBLIC WELFARE OR SAFETY."
WHETHER THE PRESIDENT WOULD FIND IT NECESSARY TO PRESCRIBE SUCH REGULATIONS IS AN OPEN QUESTION.
UNDER DIPLOMATIC PROCEDURE, A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT USUALLY ASCERTAINS IN ADVANCE IF THE PERSON TO BE DESIGNATED AS AMBASSADOR IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE GOVERNMENT TO WHICH HE IS TO BE SENT.
THE COMMITTEE SAID THAT LESSER DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR OFFICIALS WHO DO NOT COME WITHIN THE PURVIEW OF THE PRESIDENT'S CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS ARE SUBJECT TO EXCLUSION UNDER THE GENERAL PROVISION OF THE BILL IF THEY SEEK TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES TO ENGAGE IN ACTIVITIES WHICH WILL ENDANGER THE PUBLIC SAFETY.
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WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-AMERICANS CONVICTED OF TREASON OR OTHER ACTS OF DISLOYALTY SHOULD BE EXILED ON SOME FAR PACIFIC OUTPOST, SAYS REP.BURLESON (D-TEX).
HE TOLD A REPORTER HE IS PREPARING A RESOLUTION AHICH WOULD CALL ON THE GOVERNMENT TO SEND SUCH PERSONS TO SOME LONELY ISLAND WHERE THEY COULD REFLECT LONG AND WELL ON THEIR SINS.
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A22WX
(200)
NIGHT LEAD ATOMIC
WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-A FURTHER EXPANSION OF ATOMIC ENERGY FACILITIES, OVER AND ABOVE THE $260,000,000 RECENTLY PROGRAMMED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR DEVELOPMENT OF THE HYDROGEN BOMB, WAS PREDICTED TODAY BY SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN).
MCMAHON, CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE, TOLD REPORTERS HE COULD NOT SAY WHETHER THE ADDITIONAL EXPANSION WOULD BE REQUESTED BEFORE THE END OF THE YEAR.
ASKED THE SIZE OF THE NEW PROGRAM MEASURED IN DOLLARS, MCMAHON SAID THAT WAS UNIMPORTANT. WHAT IS IMPORTANT, HE SAID, IS THAT "WE ARE IN AN ARMAMENT RACE AND WE HAD BETTER STAY AHEAD IN WHAT IS NOW ACKNOWLEDGED AS THE WEAPON THAT HOLDS SOVIET AGGRESSION IN CHECK." HE SAID THE UNITED STATES HAD BETTER BUILD ALL THE ATOMIC WEAPONS THAT THE SUPPLY OF RAW MATERIAL WILL PERMIT.
HE SAID THE UNITED STATES IS NOW GETTING MORE OF THAT RAW MATERIAL--URANIUM--FROM DEPOSITS IN THIS COUNTRY THAN IT IS GETTING FROM CANADA. CANADA USED TO BE THE SECOND MOST IMPORTANT SOURCE OF SUPPLY FOR U.S. ATOMIC WORKS, RANKING ONLY BEHIND THE BELGIAN CONGO. THE CONGO STILL IS THE BIGGEST SOURCE, MCMAHON SAID, ALTHOUGH HE SAID THERE HAVE BEEN SOME "PROMISING" DISCOVERIES OF URANIUM ORE ON THE GOLD COAST OF AFRICA AS WELL AS IN THE UNITED STATES.
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ATOMIC (240)
WASHINGTON, AUG.10-(AP)-CHAIRMAN MCMAHON (D-CONN) OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE SAID TODAY THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION NOW IS GETTING MORE URANIUM FROM THIS COUNTRY THAN FROM CANADA.
CANADA ALONG WITH THE BELGIAN CONGO HAS HERETOFORE BEEN ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL SUPPLIERS OF URANIUM FOR THE UNITED STATES. THE CONGO, MCMAHON SAID, STILL IS THE BIGGEST SOURCE OF U.S. SUPPLIES.
URANIUM IS PROCESSED BY THE AEC INTO URANIUM-235 AND PLUTONIUM WHICH PROVIDES THE TREMENDOUS EXPLOSIVE POWER FOR ATOMIC BOMBS. THE SAME INGREDIENTS ARE REQUIRED TO "TRIGGER" THE MUCH MORE POWERFUL HYDROGEN BOMB WHICH THE PRESIDENT HAS ORDERED THE AEC TO DEVELOP.
MCMAHON'S STATEMENT MEANS THAT URANIUM PRODUCTION FROM THE LOW GRADE ORES FOUND ON THE COLORADO PLATEAU HAS MADE MARKED STRIDES IN RECENT MONTHS.
HE MADE THE DISCLOSURE TO REPORTERS WHILE CALLING FOR MAXIMUM PRODUCTION OF ATOMIC WEAPONS TO THE EXTENT "THAT THE RAW MATERIALS SUPPLY WILL AFFORD."
HE NOTED THAT THE PRESIDENT HAS ASKED CONGRESS FOR AN ADDITIONAL $260,000,000 FOR DEVELOPMENT OF FACILITIES FOR THE H-BOMB, AND ADDED:
"I ANTICIPATE FURTHER EXPANSION BUT I CANNOT SAY AT THIS TIME WHETHER IT WILL OCCUR DURING THIS CALENDAR YEAR."
MCMAHON WAS ASKED IF HE HAD ANY DOLLAR FIGURE IN MIND FOR THE EXPANSION. HE REPLIED THAT DOLLARS "WERE UNIMPORTANT IN THE MATTER."
"WE ARE IN AN ARMAMENTS RACE AND WE HAD BETTER STAY AHEAD IN WHAT IS NOW ACKNOWLEDGED AS THE WEAPON THAT HOLDS SOVIET AGGRESSION IN CHECK," HE SAID.
MCMAHON FLATLY DENIED PUBLISHED REPORTS THAT THE JOINT COMMITTEE HAD ORDERED THE AEC TO STEP UP PRODUCTION AND THAT, AS A RESULT, THE AEC HAD GONE TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN WITH A REQUEST FOR AN ADDITIONAL $500,000,000(M).
"THE COMMITTEE HAS ISSUED NO ORDER OF THAT KIND TO THE COMMISSION," MCMAHON SAID.
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B34WX (Q)
WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-AN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SCIENTIST SAID TONIGHT THAT CATTLE INADVERTENTLY EXPOSED TO THE RADIATION FROM THE FIRST A-BOMB TEST HAD DEVELOPED SKIN DEFECTS BUT THAT THEY WERE "NOT NECESSARILY" A PRELUDE TO CANCER.
BRIGADIER GENERAL JAMES COONEY SAID A NUMBER OF CATTLE EXPOSED TO SUCH RADIATION FIVE YEARS AGO AT ALAMAGORDO, NEW MEXICO, HAD DEVELOPED A CONDITION CALLED "HYPERKERATOSIS". HE DESCRIBED THIS AS A

SCALY-LIKE CONDITION OF THE SKIN AT THE SITE OF THE RADIATION BURN.
HE SAID THAT WHILE SUCH A CONDITION CAN LEAD TO CANCER, IT WILL.. "NOT NECESSARILY" DO SO.
AND HE SAID THERE DEFINITELY WAS NO EVIDENCE OF CANCER AMONG THE CATTLE AT THIS TIME.
THE CATTLE ARE UNDER OBSERVATION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE UNDER A CONTRACT WITH THE AEC. THEY ARE BEING STUDIED AS PART OF A PROJECT DESIGNED TO DETERMINE THE EFFECTS OF RADIATION UPON DOMESTIC AND LABORATORY ANIMALS.

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WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-FIVE SENATORS AND 10 HOUSE MEMBERS ASKED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TODAY TO CALL AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE TO EXPLORE WAYS OF PROMOTING GREATER UNITY AMONG THE PEOPLES OF THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES AND OTHER WESTERN NATIONS.
SENATOR KEFAUVER (D-TENN), LEADER OF THE GROUP, TOLD REPORTERS AFTER THE TALK WITH ACHESON THAT THEY HAD RECEIVED "SOME ENCOURAGEMENT" FROM ACHESON.
"BUT THERE ARE SOME DIFFERENT IDEAS ABOUT HOW TO GET THERE," HE ADDED.
SIX REPUBLICANS WERE AMONG THE GROUP THAT URGED THE CONFERENCE AS A MEANS OF "SUPPLEMENTING AND STRENGTHENING" THE WORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE ATLANTIC PACT GOVERNMENTS.
SENATOR THYE, (R-MINN) SAID THE UNITED STATES MUST TAKE THE LEAD "TO GALVANIZE THE MASSES" OF DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES IN SUPPORT OF SUCH MEASURES AS THE NORTH ATLANTIC DEFENSE TREATY.
KEFAUVER PROPOSED THESE NATIONS BE ASKED TO BEGIN WITH: CANADA, BRITAIN, FRANCE, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS, AND LUXEMBOURG, PLUS "SUCH DEMOCRATIC NATIONS AS MAY BE INVITED."
KEFAUVER SAID THE GROUP'S VIEWS HAS THE BACKING OF 23 SENATORS AND 50 REPRESENTATIVES.
SENATORS WHO ACCOMPANIED KEFAUVER, IN ADDITION TO THYE, WERE HENDRICKSON (R-NJ), FULBRIGHT (D-ARK) AND SPARKMAN (D-ALA). REPRESENTATIVES INCLUDED WADSWORTH (R-NY), HALE (R-ME), JUDD (R-MINN), HERTER (R-MASS), BOGGS (D-LA), BURKE (D-OHIO), WALTER (D-PA), MANSFIELD (D-MONT), MONRONEY (D-OKLA) AND SIKES (D-FLA).

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A97WX
(250) WAR SURPLUSES
WASHINGTON, AUG.10-(AP)-A SENATE WAR INVESTIGATING GROUP TODAY ASKED THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCES TO HALT ALL SALES OF SURPLUS WORLD WAR II MATERIALS AND TO TRY TO RECOVER SOME THINGS ALREADY SOLD.
SENATOR LYNDON JOHNSON (D-TEX) SAID THE FORMAL REQUEST WENT FROM THE SENATE DEFENSE INVESTIGATING SUBCOMMITTEE HE HEADS TO SECRETARY OF DEFENSE LOUIS JUHNSON.
BILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF GOODS LEFT OVER FROM THE LAST WAR WERE SOLD, OFTEN AT A SMALL FRACTION OF THEIR COST. SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) RECENTLY SAID SUCH SALES WERE STILL GOING ON, AT A TIME WHEN A NEW PREPAREDNESS DRIVE IS STARTING.
JOHNSON TOLD REPORTERS THE REQUEST TO HALT SALES APPLIED TO SUCH THINGS AS GOVERNMENT PLANTS FOR PRODUCTION OF SYNTHETIC RUBBER AND ALCOHOL AND CERTAIN SURPLUS WEAPONS.
"WE ARE NOT CERTAIN THAT OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN CAUTIOUS ENOUGH IN DECLARING PLANTS AND MATERIALS SURPLUS," JOHNSON SAID.
HIS ANNOUNCEMENT CAME AFTER A TWO AND A HALF HOUR CLOSED-DOOR SESSION WITH THE SECRETARIES OF ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE.
THE SENATOR SAID THE THREE SECRETARIES HAD TOLD THE SUBCOMMITTEE THAT RECENT SHARP PRICE INCREASES ON FOOD, CLOTHING AND SUPPLIES NEEDED BY THE MILITARY SERVICE WERE CAUSING DIFFICULTY WITH THE DEFENSE EXPANSION.
THEY WERE QUOTED AS SAYING PRICES OF CRUDE RUBBER HAD SOARED NEARLY 300 PERCENT, SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS 30 PER CENT AND CERTAIN ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT 25 PER CENT.

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320WX (Q)
SPANISH LOAN (500)
WASHINGTON,AUG 10-(AP)-THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT HAS SUBMITTED DETAILED REQUESTS FOR AMERICAN GOVERNMENT LOANS TOTALING ABOUT $70,000,000 (M), INFORMED OFFICIALS REPORTED TODAY.
THERE APPEARS LITTLE CHANCE, HOWEVER, THAT SPAIN WILL GET ANYWHERE NEAR THAT MUCH UNLESS CONGRESS ORDERS THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK TO MAKE THE LOANS.
DESPITE THIS, IT WAS LEARNED THAT THE FRANCH GOVERNMENT WITHIN THE PAST FEW WEEKS HAS HANDED IN ABOUT 10 SEPARATE APPLICATIONS FOR SMALL LOANS SOUGHT TO IMPROVE TRANSPORTATION, FERTILIZER PRODUCTION, AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT AND THE PRODUCTION OF NON-FERROUS METALS.
THE ADMINISTRATION TAKES THE OFFICIAL POSITION THAT SPAIN IS A POOR CREDIT RISK FOR A LARGE LOAN UNTIL IT ADOPTS SOME OF THE ECONOMIC REFORMS SUGGESTED BY THE UNITED STATES.
OFFICIALS ACKNOWLEDGED, OF COURSE, THAT IF CONGRESS ORDERS THE BANK TO GRANT A LOAN TO SPAIN THEY WILL HAVE NO ALTERNATIVE BUT TO COMPLY.
THE SENATE LAST WEEK TOOK THE FIRST STEP TOWARD WRITING SUCH AN ORDER WHEN IT PASSED LEGISLATION DIRECTING THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK TO EXTEND A $100,000,000 (M) LOAN TO THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON BOTH TRIED TO BLOCK THE ACTION. MR.TRUMAN SAID THAT IF SPAIN HAD SOUND COLLATERAL HE WAS SURE THE BANK WOULD GRANT A LOAN WITHOUT ANY ORDERS FROM CONGRESS.
OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN USED THE WORD "COLLATERAL" LOOSELY, THAT WHAT HE MEANT WAS SPAIN'S OVERALL ECONOMIC CONDITION AND ITS ABILITY TO REPAY.
A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT NEED NOT PUT UP COLLATERAL, SUCH AS GOLD OR SECURITIES, IN ORDER TO GET AN AMERICAN LOAN. SOMETIMES A NATION WITH LITTLE IN THE WAY OF ACTUAL GOLD RESERVES GETS A LOAN BECAUSE, OFFICIALS SAY, IT CAN DEMONSTRATE THE ABILITY TO EARN THE MONEY NEEDED TO REPAY.
GOVERNMENT EXPERTS MET TODAY TO CONSIDER THE SPANISH LOAN PROBLEM, BUT REACHED NO DECISION. UNTIL THE HOUSE HAS ACTED ONE WAY OR ANOTHER ON THE SENATE'S MOVE, THEY FELT THE BANK SHOULD MARK TIME.

THE NEWEST SPANISH APPLICATIONS COME AS A FOLLOW-UP TO A SINGLE REQUEST SUBMITTED ABOUT SIX MONTHS AGO. THE INITIAL APPLICATION WAS FOR ONLY $700,000. THIS WAS SOUGHT TO EXPAND AN EXISTING FERTILIZER PLANT.

IN DISCUSSING SPAIN'S FINANCIAL OUTLOOK, OFFICIALS SAID IT IS POSSIBLE SPAIN COULD BE CONSIDERED A "GOOD CREDIT RISK" FOR SMALL LOANS OF "A FEW MILLION DOLLARS."
BUT, THEY ADDED, UNTIL SPAIN TAKES SOME OF THE "CONSTRUCTIVE STEPS" SUGGESTED BY SECRETARY ACHESON LAST JANUARY IN HIS LETTER TO FOREIGN RELATIONS CHAIRMAN TOM CONNALLY, SPAIN'S ABILITY TO REPAY ANY SIZABLE LOAN WILL REMAIN DOUBTFUL. THESE STEPS INCLUDED:
1. A REVISION OF THE VALUE OF SPANISH MONEY IN RELATION TO THE DOLLAR.
2. LIBERALIZATION OF SPANISH EXPORT AND IMPORT CONTROLS TO ALLOW AMERICAN GOODS TO ENTER SPAIN MORE EASILY.
3. EASING THE PRESENT 25 PER CENT LIMITATION ON FOREIGN PARTICIPATION IN ANY SPANISH ENTERPRISE.
4. NEGOTIATION OF A STANDARD TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP, COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION WITH THE UNITED STATES.
AMERICAN OFFICIALS PARTICULARILY ARE INTERESTED IN THE PLIGHT OF PRIVATE AMERICAN COMPANIES IN SPAIN. THESE COMPANIES ARE REPORTED

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TO HAVE DIFFICULTY EXCHANGING SPANISH MONEY PROFITS INTO DOLLARS. AT THE SAME TIME, OFFICIALS SAID, THESE COMPANIES ARE NOT PERMITTED TO SPEND SPANISH MONEY TO EXPAND THEIR PLANTS IN SPAIN BECAUSE OF THE LIMITATION ON FOREIGN INVESTMENT AND THUS MUST ACCUMULATE IDLE SPANISH MONEY IN THEIR BANK ACCOUNTS.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 10-(AP)-RADIO MOSCOW IS TELLING RUSSIAN LISTERNERS THAT AMERICAN FOOTBALL IS SO "MURDEROUS" THAT PLAYERS IN ANN ARBOR, MICH., "ARE OFTEN CARRIED FROM THE FOOTBALL FIELD STRAIGHT TO THE CEMETERY."

ANN ARBOR IS THE HOME OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, WHICH TURNS OUT TOP FOOTBALL TEAMS BUT SCARCELY AS TOUGH AS THE MOSCOW COMMENTATOR PICTURES THEM.

THE BROADCAST, PICKED UP BY AMERICAN MONITORS MONDAY, BLAMED PROFIT-HUNGRY PROMOTERS FOR THE "MURDEROUS" PLAY. IT SAID THEY ARE TRYING TO BUILD UP BIG CROWDS BY "TURNING EVERY FOOTBALL MATCH INTO A FIGHT."

THE BROADCAST ALSO PUT A "BARBAROUS" LABEL ON OTHER AMERICAN SPORTS CONTESTS AND CONCLUDED THAT ITS ALL PART OF A DARK PLOT.

THE AIM, THE BROADCAST SAID, IS TO STIR UP THE "BESTIAL INSTINCTS" IN AMERICAN YOUTHS AND GET THEM READY FOR THE NEW WORLD WAR "ABOUT WHICH THE WALL STREET BOSSES ARE DREAMING."

ON FOOTBALL, THE BROADCAST HAD THIS TO SAY:

"FOOTBALL PLAYERS ARE FORCED OBEDIENTLY TO CARRY OUT THE ORDERS OF THEIR BOSSES UNDER THE THREAT OF UNEMPLOYMENT. FOR THE MEN WHO TREAT SPORT AS A MONEY-MAKING PROPOSITION, PEOPLES HEALTH AND LIVES ARE OF NO CONCERN."

THE BROADCAST ALSO SPOKE OF "THE SAD FATE" OF PRIMO CARNERA, FORMER HEAVY WEIGHT BOXING CHAMPION, AT THE HANDS OF "THE DIRTY MONEY MAKERS." EVERYONE KNOWS, THE BROADCAST CONTINUED, CARNERA RETURNED TO ITALY "A CRIPPLE AND A BEGGAR, WHILE A HANDFUL OF ROUGUES MADE MONEY FOR SEVERAL YEARS RUNNING BY TRADING ON HIS HEALTH AND STRENGTH."

RADIO MOSCOW SAID NOTHING ABOUT CARNERA'S RECENT WRESTLING MATCHES IN THE UNITED STATES WHICH ARE EARNING HIM THE TOP PURSES IN THE GAME AT PRESENT.

WOMEN'S WRESTLING MATCHES IN THE UNITED STATES WERE PICTURED LIKE THIS:

"TWO WOMEN ENTER THE RING AND START PUMMELING EACH OTHER. THIS LAST UNTIL ONE OF THEM FAINTS. THE SPECTATORS OF THIS BARBAROUS AFFAIR ARE FEW, BUT THEY PAY WELL, AND THIS IS JUST WHAT THE PROFITEERS WANT."

BY CONTRAST, IT SAID SPORTS AND PHYSICAL CULTURE IN THE SOVIET UNION ARE "ONE OF THE IMPORTANT MEANS OF THE COMMUNIST EDUCATION OF WORKERS, THE IMPROVEMENT OF THEIR HEALTH, AND A METHOD OF TRAINING THE SOVIET PEOPLE FOR WORK AND DEFENSE OF THEIR SOCIALIST COUNTRY."

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WASHINGTON,AUG 10-(AP)-THE FINNISH CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, OTSO WARTIOVARRA, CALLED AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT TODAY TO EXPRESS APPRECIATION FOR THE QUICK RELEASE OF TWO FINNISH MERCHANT SHIPS WHICH HAD BEEN KEPT FROM DOCKING AT THE PORT OF PHILADELPHIA.

THE SHIPS, LOADED WITH WOOD PULP, WERE SEARCHED THIS WEEK, FORCED TO DOCK 40 MILES FROM PHILADELPHIA AND TO BEGIN UNLOADING THEIR CARGO BY LIGHTERS. THEY WERE RELEASED YESTERDAY.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S PRESS OFFICER, MICHAEL J.MCDERMOTT TOLD REPORTERS ABOUT WARTIOVARRA'S CALL ON UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE WEBB. HE SAID WEBB EXPLAINED THE REASONS FOR RELEASE OF THE SHIPS BUT HE REFUSED TO TELL REPORTERS WHAT THE EXPLANATION WAS.

ASKED IF WEBB'S EXPLANATION MEANT FINNISH SHIPS NO LONGER WOULD BE HELD UP AT AMERICAN PORTS, MCDERMOTT REPLIED:

"I WON'T LOOK INTO THE FUTURE."

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FIRST LEAD FAR EAST

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BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TODAY HE IS SATISFIED WITH WHAT GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR IS DOING AS AMERICAN AND UNITED NATIONS COMMANDER IN THE FAR EAST.

HE ALSO TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT HE HAD NOT MET ANYBODY OF THE SORT DESCRIBED BY MACARTHUR IN A STATEMENT LAST NIGHT IN WHICH MACARTHUR SAID APPEASERS IN WASHINGTON WERE CRITICIZING HIS RECENT TRIP TO FORMOSA.

MR.TRUMAN STEERED CLEAR OF COMMENT ON MACARTHUR'S TRIP AND THE CONTROVERSY WHICH HAS GROWN AROUND IT.

ASKED FOR INFORMATION ON THE REPORT WHICH HE RECEIVED YESTERDAY FROM W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, HIS FOREIGN AFFAIRS COORDINATOR, WHO IS JUST BACK FROM TOKYO, MR.TRUMAN REPLIED:

HARRIMAN HAD EXPRESSED ALL THAT COULD BE SAID ON THE SUBJECT AT HIS MEETING WITH REPORTERS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON. WHAT HARRIMAN TOLD NEWSMEN THEN, THE PRESIDENT ADDED, IS SUBSTANTIALLY WHAT HE HAD EARLIER REPORTED TO THE PRESIDENT.

LATER THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE WAS ASKED WHAT HE THOUGHT ABOUT MACARTHUR'S CHARGE THAT CRITICS OF THE LATTER'S MEETING WITH GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK IN FORMOSA EARLY LAST WEEK WERE PERSONS WHO HAVE ALWAYS FAVORED APPEASEMENT IN ASIA.

MR.TRUMAN SAID HE HAD NOT MET ANYBODY OF THAT SORT YET. HE WENT ON TO COMMENT THAT MACARTHUR AND HE WERE IN PERFECT AGREEMENT. HE RECALLED THAT HE APPOINTED MACARTHUR TO THE POSTS WHICH HE NOW HOLDS, MOST RECENTLY NAMING HIM UNITED NATIONS COMMANDER FOR THE KOREAN FIGHTING. HE SAID HE IS SATISFIED WITH WHAT GENERAL MACARTHUR IS DOING.

ANOTHER QUESTION INVOLVING FORMOSA WAS: UNDER ITS POLICY OF NEUTRALIZING THAT ISLAND WOULD THE UNITED STATES BE PREPARED TO USE ITS AIR FORCE AND GROUND TROOPS AGAINST A COMMUNIST ATTACKER. MR. TRUMAN SAID HE COULD NOT ANSWER THAT.

DIPLOMATIC AUTHORITIES EXPRESSED HOPE THAT INTERNATIONAL CONFUSION OVER AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA HAD BEEN CLEARED UP AS A RESULT OF HARRIMAN'S RUSH TRIP TO TOKYO.

THE MATTER IS CONSIDERED HIGHLY IMPORTANT BECAUSE IT INVOLVES AMERICAN RELATIONS WITH BRITAIN, INDIA AND OTHER NATIONS WHICH RECOGNIZE COMMUNIST CHINA. ALSO INVOLVED IS THE PRESTIGE OF THE UNITED STATES AMONG THE INDEPENDENCE-MINDED PEOPLE OF ASIA GENERALLY.

HARRIMAN, PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S FOREIGN AFFAIRS CO-ORDINATOR, RETURNED YESTERDAY FROM JAPAN WHERE HE DISCUSSED FORMOSA AND OTHER FAR EASTERN POLITICAL ISSUES WITH GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR. HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THERE WAS "NO SIGN OF ANY CHANGE WHATSOEVER" IN AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD THE ISLAND STRONGHOLD OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS.

THE FACT THAT HE SAW FIT TO MAKE THIS AND SIMILAR STATEMENTS PUBLICLY INDICATED THE CONCERN WHICH THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND WHITE HOUSE HAVE FELT PRIVATELY OVER THE UNEXPECTED REACTIONS ABROAD TO MACARTHUR'S VISIT TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK ON FORMOSA LAST WEEK.

MACARTHUR AND CHIANG BOTH ISSUED STATEMENTS ABOUT THE PROSPECTS

FOR ULTIMATE VICTORY IN THE FAR EAST. BOTH SAID ALSO THEY HAD AGREED ON BASIC PLANS FOR THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA AGAINST ANY ATTEMPT AT CONQUEST BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

THE TONE OF THESE STATEMENTS CAUSED SOME SPECULATION THAT AMERICAN POLICY WAS MOVING BEYOND THE DETERMINATION TO DEFEND FORMOSA AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS AND INTO A NEW STAGE OF CLOSE COLLABORATION WITH CHIANG IN THE FAR EAST.

THE ENTHUSIASM OF CHIANG'S STATEMENT PARTICULARLY RAISED APPREHENSION IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT THAT MACARTHUR MIGHT HAVE IMPLIED AMERICAN POLITICAL SUPPORT FOR HIM--SOMETHING WHICH PRESENT U.S. POLICY AS LAID DOWN BY MR.TRUMAN EVIDENTLY DOES NOT CALL FOR.

A MAJOR PURPOSE OF HARRIMAN'S TRIP, IT WAS UNDERSTOOD, WAS TO TALK DIRECTLY WITH MACARTHUR ABOUT WHAT HAD OCCURRED AND TO REAFFIRM TO HIM THE STRICT LIMITS WHICH THE PRESIDENT DESIRES TO MAINTAIN ON AMERICAN POLICY WHERE CHIANG IS CONCERNED. IN GENERAL, THIS POLICY IS AIMED AT PREVENTING THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS FROM TAKING FORMOSA BY CONQUEST AND AT ISOLATING THE LONG-TERM CHINESE CONFLICT FROM THE KOREAN WAR.

WHILE HARRIMAN, WHO LEFT HERE FRIDAY, WAS EN ROUTE TO TOKYO, MACARTHUR SENT A LONG REPORT ON HIS CONFERENCE WITH CHIANG TO THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT. HE PLACED THIS BEFORE HARRIMAN IN TOKYO AND ALSO DISCUSSED THE MEETING WITH HIM.

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AS A RESULT OF THE INFORMATION THUS GAINED, HARRIMAN SAID YESTERDAY THAT THE CHIANG-MACARTHUR TALKS DEALT ENTIRELY WITH MILITARY MATTERS AND THAT AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA STANDS EXACTLY WHERE MR.TRUMAN PUT IT IN HIS FIRST STATEMENT ON THE KOREAN CRISIS ON JUNE 27; THAT IS, IT REMAINS A PURELY DEFENSIVE POLICY.

IN A STATEMENT ISSUED AT HIS TOKYO HEADQUARTERS, MACATRHUR SAID TODAY THAT THE TALKS WITH CHIANG WERE "LIMITED ENTIRELY TO MILITARY MATTERS" AND "HAD NO CONNECTION WITH POLITICAL AFFAIRS."

MACARTHUR ADDED THAT "THE SUBJECT OF THE FUTURE OF THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT OR DEVELOPMENTS ON THE CHINESE MAINLAND OR ANYTHING ELSE OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF MY OWN MILITARY RESPONSIBILITY WAS NOT DISCUSSED OR EVEN MENTIONED."

THE IMPORTANCE OF KEEPING THIS COUNTRY'S FORMOSAN POLICY PURELY DEFENSIVE, IN THE OPINION OF GOVERNMENT FOREIGN POLICY MAKERS, STEMS FROM THE VARIETY OF INTERESTS OF NATIONS PARTICIPATING IN OR SUPPORTING THE U.N. FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN KOREA. INDIA AND BRITAIN, FOR EXAMPLE, HAVE ALREADY RECOGNIZED THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT AND THUS BY IMPLICATION, CONSIDERING FORMOSA AS CHINESE TERRITORY, RECOGNIZE THE COMMUNIST CLAIM TO CONTROL OF THAT ISLAND.

CHIANG, WHO WANTED TO SEND TROOPS TO KOREA TO FIGHT THE COMMUNISTS BUT WAS DISCOURAGED BY THE U.S. FROM DOING SO, REGARDS FORMOSA AS CHINESE TERRITORY AND THE SEAT OF THE ONLY LEGAL GOVERNMENT OF CHINA. HE WOULD LIKE THE ISLAND TO BECOME, WITH AMERICAN HELP, A BASE FOR NATIONALIST RECONQUEST OF THE MAINLAND.

THE U.S., WHILE SEEKING TO STEM COMMUNISM THROUGHOUT ASIA, ALSO WANTS TO KEEP THE KOREAN WAR BOTTLED UP IN KOREA. IT NOW TAKES THE POSITION THAT THE FINAL STATUS OF FORMOSA SHOULD NOT BE DETERMINED UNTIL IT CAN BE WORKED OUT BY PEACEFUL MEANS--IN THE U.N. OR IN A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS FEARED IN CONNECTION WITH MACARTHUR'S VISIT TO CHIANG THAT FORMOSAN POLITICAL QUESTIONS WHICH THEY HAVE THUS FAR TRIED TO SHELVE WOULD BECOME URGENT ISSUES AGAIN AND TEND TO SPLIT THE NATIONS COOPERATING IN KOREA. THEY ALSO FEARED THAT TOO CLOSE AN IDENTIFICATION OF THE AMERICAN AND CHINESE REGIMES WOULD LOSE GOOD WILL FOR THIS COUNTRY IN NON-COMMUNIST ASIA.

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BULLETIN

KOREA

WASHINGTON,AUG.10-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN DECLARED TODAY THAT THERE IS COMPLETE AGREEMENT BETWEEN HIM AND GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR AND THAT HE IS OPTIMISTIC OVER PROGRESS OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

HE SAID HIS FEELING OVER THE PROGRESS OF THE FIGHTING IN KOREA IS BASED ON THE OPTIMISM OF HIS MILITARY LEADERS.

THE PRESIDENT, IN CAREFULLY CHOSEN WORDS, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE AND THE COMMANDER OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN THE FAR EAST ARE IN PERFECT AGREEMENT AND HAVE BEEN EVER SINCE MACARTHUR HAS BEEN ON THE JOB IN TOKYO.

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MR.TRUMAN REMINDED CORRESPONDENTS THAT HE APPOINTED MACARTHUR TO HIS POST AND THAT HE HAS BEEN SATISFIED WITH WHAT THE GENERAL IS DOING.

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(200) FAR EAST

WASHINGTON,AUG 10-(AP)-SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) URGED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES PROCEED IMMEDIATELY TO ARM CHINESE NATIONALIST TROOPS ON FORMOSA FOR DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNIST INVASION.

"IT WAS THE LACK OF SUCH EQUIPMENT IN THE HANDS OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA WHICH ENCOURAGED THE AGGRESSION BY THE COMMUNIST FORCES," KNOWLAND SAID IN THE SENATE. "THE MISTAKE OF 'TOO LITTLE AND TOO LATE' SHOULD NOT BE REPEATED."

KNOWLAND MADE HIS RECOMMENDATION DURING A LENGTHY REVIEW OF U.S. FAR EASTERN FOREIGN POLICY.

HE ALSO CALLED ON THE ADMINISTRATION TO:

1. MAKE IT CLEAR TO THE WORLD THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS NO INTENTION OF RECOGNIZING COMMUNIST CHINA.

2. TAKE ACTIVE STEPS TO PREVENT THE SEATING OF THE CHINESE RED DELEGATE IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL.

3. TAKE STEPS TO OUST THE RUSSIAN REPRESENTATIVE, JACOB A.MALIK, AS PRESIDING OFFICER OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL.

4. MAKE IT CLEAR THAT THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES WILL NOT ONLY CLEAR THE COMMUNISTS OUT OF ALL KOREA, BUT WILL OCCUPY THAT ENTIRE NATION UNTIL FREE ELECTIONS CAN BE HELD AND INTERNAL SECURITY PROVIDED.

5. RENOUNCE THE AGREEMENTS MADE AT YALTA IN 1945. THIS WAS THE CONFERENCE OF THE CHIEFS OF THE UNITED STATES, GREAT BRITAIN AND RUSSIA AT WHICH COMMITMENTS WERE MADE TO RUSSIA PRIOR TO HER ENTRANCE INTO THE PACIFIC WAR.

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BOSTON, AUG.10-(AP)-MAJ.GEN.SAMUEL L.HOWARD, INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF THE U.S.MARINE CORPS, SAYS "WE ARE DEFINITELY IN A WAR WITH RUSSIA."

HOWARD TOLD THE 60TH REUNION OF THE ARMY AND NAVY LEGION OF VALOR LAST NIGHT:

"AFTER SEEING THE WELL-ORGANIZED ATTACK, EQUIPMENT AND FIRE-POWER USED (IN KOREA), IT IS QUITE OBVIOUS WE ARE ACTUALLY AT WAR WITH RUSSIA."

DEMING BRONSON OF ROEBURG, ORE., HOLDER OF THE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR, WAS ELECTED NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE LEGION, SUCCEEDING JAMES G.WALSH, OF BOSTON.

OTHER OFFICERS CHOSEN INCLUDED RAY EASTMAN OF BUFFALO, N.Y., SENIOR VICE-COMMANDER: DR.HARRY H.STONE OF ASHLAND. KY.. JUNIOR

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VICE-COMMANDER, AND EDGAR H.BAIN OF GOLDSBORO, N.C., CHAPLAIN.
EASTMAN HOLDS THE NAVY CROSS; DR.STONE AND BAIN THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS.
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NIGHT LEAD TRADE FAIR

CHICAGO,AUG.10-(AP)-THE OLD, OLD HOPE THAT WORLD TRADE COULD SAFEGUARD WORLD PEACE HAS FAILED, A CANADIAN LEADER TOLD BUSINESS LEADERS AT THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR TODAY.

PAUL MARTIN, CANADIAN HEALTH AND WELFARE MINISTER, SAID OPTIMISM FOR PEACE RAN HIGH WHEN A WORLD TRADE EXHIBITION WAS HELD A CENTURY AGO IN LONDON.

"THAT HOPE SO FAR HAS FAILED," HE STATED, "BUT IN THE PAST 100 YEARS WE HAVE COME TO REALIZE HOW VITAL IT IS TO PEACE TO DEAL WITH THE ECONOMIC FACTORS THAT CONTRIBUTE TO INTERNATIONAL CONFLICT.

"IN THE ELIMINATION OF WANT OR OF WAR, THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD ARE INTERDEPENDENT AND MUST WORK TOGETHER. IT IS NOT THE FAULT OF THOSE OPPOSED TO THE MARXIAN IDEOLOGY THAT WE ARE NOT NOW ALL WORKING TOGETHER."

TODAY WAS CANADA DAY AT THE FAIR. FORTY-SEVEN NATIONS ARE REPRESENTED AT THE TWO-WEEK EXPOSITION WHICH OPENED MONDAY.
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CHICAGO,AUG.10-(AP)-THE AFL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL VOTED ITS UNANIMOUS OPPOSITION TODAY TO ANY WAGE FREEZE AT PRESENT LEVELS.

BUT IT URGED IMMEDIATE PRICE CONTROLS, AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX, HIGHER INCOME TAXES BASED ON "ABILITY TO PAY," AND STANDBY RATIONING POWERS FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

"INEVITABLY, WAGE CONTROLS MAY BECOME NECESSARY," SAID THE POWERFUL AFL POLICY DECIDING GROUP.

"HOWEVER, WE SHOULD POINT OUT THAT ANY ATTEMPT TO FREEZE WAGES AT PRESENT RATES WOULD DO AN IRREPARABLE INJURY TO THE ECONOMY AND DEAL UNFAIRLY AND UNJUSTLY WITH THE WAGE EARNERS OF OUR LAND. WAGES ALREADY HAVE FALLEN FAR BEHIND THE RISING COST OF LIVING. WAGES, THEREFORE, MUST BE PERMITTED TO RISE THROUGH THE PROCESS OF COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AND OTHERWISE, TO MEET THESE HIGHER LIVING COSTS AND TO ESTABLISH A BASIS OF PARITY."

INDISTRIAL MANPOWER NEEDS, THE COUNCIL SAID, "CAN BEST BE SOLVED BY THE VOLUNTARY COOPERATION OF LABOR, MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES. THERE IS NO NEED FOR COMPULSORY AND RIGID MANPOWER CONTROLS."

THE COUNCIL CALLED THE KOREAN WAR "AN UNWARRANTABLE AND UNJUSTIFIED INVASION X X X BY SOVIET RUSSIA. IT SAID "COMMUNIST AGGRESSORS" ARE THREATENING WORLD PEACE AND MAY STRIKE ELSEWHERE. IT ADDED:

"WE CAN NO LONGER SAFELY CONTINUE ON A 'BUSINESS AS USUAL' BASIS. WE MUST MOBILIZE FOR DEFENSE."

IT OFFERED THIS PROGRAM FOR MEETING "ANY AND ALL CONTINGENCIES" IN THE TROUBLED WORLD SITUATION:

1-PRICE CONTROLS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AT JUNE LEVELS PRECEDING THE START OF THE KOREAN WAR.

2-TAX INCREASES REFLECTING A "GENUINE EQUALITY OF SACRIFICE." AN EFFECTIVE EXCESS PROFITS TAX " TO TAKE THE PROFITS OUT OF PROFITEERING." A CLOSING OF TAX LOOPHOLES AND STRENGTHENING OF ESTATE AND GIFT TAXES. A PROGRESSIVE SCHEDULE OF INCOME TAX BOOSTS BASED ON ABILITY TO PAY.

3-IN ADDITION TO WAGE INCREASES, ADJUSTMENTS MUST EMBRACE "COMPENSATION FOR INCREASED PRODUCTIVITY AND IN ADDITION MACHINERY MUST BE PROVIDED FOR THE ADJUSTMENT OF LABOR DISPUTES AND ADJUSTMENT OF GRIEVANCES, AND LABOR MUST BE ADEQUATELY REPRESENTED ON SUCH BOARDS OR COMMISSIONS."

4-THE PRESIDENT SHOULD BE AUTHORIZED TO RATION CONSUMER GOODS WHENEVER SHORTAGES DEVELOP AND TO ALLOCATE SCARCE MATERIALS AND REGULATE HEAVY INDUSTRIES.

5-ANY EFFORT TO DRAFT WORKERS FOR JOBS IN PRIVATE INDUSTRY, OPERATING FOR PRIVATE PROFIT WILL XXX PROVE DISASTROUS TO THE WAR EFFORT.

THE COUNCIL SAID ITS PROGRAM "IS NOT AN EASY ONE FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TO TAKE" BUT ADDED THAT THE ONLY WAY TO AVERT ANOTHER WORLD WAR IS "TO ACHIEVE AN OVERWHELMING SUPERIORITY IN ARMED STRENGTH ON THE PART OF THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONS OF THE WORLD."

IT ALSO CALLED FOR ANNULMENT OF THE TAFT-HARTLEY LAW "TO FURTHER REAL AND EFFECTIVE LABOR-MANAGEMENT COOPERATION IN THIS EMERGENCY."
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CINCINNATI, AUG.10-(AP)-THE BISHOP-ELECT OF TOLEDO DECLARED TONIGHT, "NEITHER THE A-BOMB NOR THE H-BOMB, NOR ANY OTHER WEAPON INVENTED OR TO BE INVENTED BY MAN WILL BRING PEACE TO A WAR WEARY WORLD. ATHEISTIC COMMUNISM DOES NOT POSSESS THE MEANS TO PEACE."

THE SPEAKER WAS THE MOST REV.GEORGE J.REHRING, PRESENT AUXILIARY BISHOP OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF CINCINNATI. HE SPOKE AT A NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA.

BISHOP-ELECT REHRING SAID THE FIGHTING IN KOREA HAS INSTILLED FEAR AND ANXIETY CONCERNING THE POSSIBILITIES OF A THIRD WORLD WAR.

"LET IT BE CLEARLY UNDERSTOOD THAT THE LONGING FOR PEACE, TO BE SINCERE, MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY PERSERVERING PRAYER, PENANCE AND THE OBSERVANCE OF THE PRECEPTS OF GOD," HE CONCLUDED, "THE MEANS MUST ALWAYS BE ADAPTED TO THE END."
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 12 NOON EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, AUG. 10)

(ADVANCE) FRENCH LICK, IND., AUG. 10-(AP)-NATIONAL COMMANDER GEORGE N. CRAIG OF THE AMERICAN LEGION SAID TODAY THAT "WE SHOULD HAVE A FEDERAL LAW MAKING COMMUNISM IN THE UNITED STATES A CRIME."

THE ADDRESS WAS PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT A LUNCHEON OF THE ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ORDER OF THE BLUE GOOSE INTERNATIONAL, AN ORGANIZATION OF FIRE INSURANCE MEN.

"WE MUST SEE THAT COMMUNISM IS CONTAINED ABROAD," CRAIG SAID. "BUT AT THE SAME TIME WE SHOULD BE ALERT TO THE IMMINENT DANGER OF THE FILTHY FIFTH COLUMN IN OUR MIDST. WE MUST NOT ONLY CONTAIN IT, BUT EMASCULATE IT. X X X

"WE SHOULD HAVE A FEDERAL LAW MAKING COMMUNISM IN THE UNITED STATES A CRIME! ALL COMMUNISTS IN THIS COUNTRY SHOULD BE DEALT WITH AS THE TRAITOROUS CRIMINALS THEY ARE.

"PARTICULARLY SHOULD THERE BE AN IMMEDIATE HOUSE-CLEANING OF ALL COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS FROM OUR GOVERNMENT OFFICES!"

CRAIG APPROVED PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S RECENT REQUEST FOR MORE THAN TEN BILLION DOLLARS TO COMBAT COMMUNIST AGGRESSION AND TO DEFEND DEMOCRACY, BUT ADDED:

"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE MUST DEMAND--AND SEE TO IT--THAT NONE OF THIS TEN BILLIONS IS DIVERTED FROM THE EXPLICIT PURPOSES FOR WHICH THE PRESIDENT SAID IT WAS ASKED X X X."

CRAIG REITERATED THE LEGION'S SUPPORT OF UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING AND SAID:

"YOU AND I SINCERELY HOPE WE SHALL NEVER AGAIN HAVE TO SEND

THE FLOWER OF OUR AMERICAN YOUTH INTO BATTLE IN AN ALL-OUT WAR. BUT IF WE DO, WE WANT OUR SONS TO HAVE THE ADVANCE TRAINING--THE MILITARY KNOW--HOW THAT WILL SEE THEM THROUGH. X X X

"CONGRESS MUST PASS UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING LEGISLATION--NOW--IF WE ARE TO SURVIVE."

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 10-(AP)-THE ARMED FORCES PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE SAID TODAY THE ARMED FORCES JOINTLY HAVE ESTABLISHED A SECURITY CLEARANCE OFFICE TO SCREEN BAY AREA MARITIME WORKERS FOR WORK ON ARMY AND NAVY DOCKS.

IDENTIFICATION CARDS WILL BE ISSUED TO ALL STEVEDORES, SHIPS CLERKS AND WAREHOUSEMEN CLEARED FOR SECURITY. IT WAS ESTIMATED 6,600 WHO NOW WORK ON ARMY-NAVY DOCKS WOULD BE SCREENED.

THE SCREENING WILL BEGIN IN A FEW DAYS AND IT IS EXPECTED THE CARDS WILL BE ISSUED IN ABOUT A MONTH.

IT WILL BE "A STRAIGHT SECURITY CHECK," A SPOKESMAN SAID.

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SPECULATION

WASHINGTON,AUG 10-(AP)-SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE BRANNAN SAID TODAY TRADERS WITH "CHINESE NAMES" HAVE BEEN "HEAVY SPECULATORS" IN THE RECENT RUNAWAY SOYBEAN FUTURES MARKET IN THIS COUNTRY.

THEIR TRADING, TOGETHER WITH THAT OF OTHER TRADERS, HE SAID, HAS BEEN "IRRESPONSIBLE SPECULATION."

BRANNAN DID NOT DISCLOSE NAMES OF THE CHINESE TRADERS, SOME OF WHOM WERE SAID TO BE LOCATED IN HONG KONG. BUT AIDES SAID HE WOULD GLADLY DO SO IF ASKED BY A CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE.

THE SECRETARY MAY DISCLOSE NAMES OF TRADERS IN FUTURES MARKETS IF THEY ARE REQUESTED BY CONGRESS.

IN RELEASING A DETAILED REPORT ON TRADING IN SOYBEANS DURING THE LAST FIVE MONTHS, BRANNAN SAID THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE OF ANY VIOLATION OF LAWS OR REGULATIONS COVERING COMMODITY TRADING.

RATHER, HE SAID, THE TRADING WAS "ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF THE CLASSICAL SPECULATIVE SPLURGE" IN WHICH A LARGE NUMBER OF SPECULATIVE ACCOUNTS ENTER THE MARKET, AND BY THEIR FEVERISH ACTIVITY AGGRAVATE AND ACCENTUATE THE BASIC PRICE TREND."

"CONSPICUOUS AMONG THE CHINESE ACCOUNTS WERE 14 CARRIED BY A HONG KONG COMMISSION FIRM UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES POINTING TO COMMON CONTROL AND POSSIBLE COMMON OWNERSHIP," HE SAID. "THESE 14 ACCOUNTS TOOK DELIVERY OF MORE THAN 2,000,000 BUSHELS OF ACTUAL SOYBEANS UNDER THEIR JULY FUTURES CONTRACTS."

HE SAID THAT DURING THE MARCH-JUNE TRADING PERIOD, THE CHINESE TRADERS ACCUMULATED 47.3 PERCENT OF THE TOTAL HOLDINGS IN THE JULY SOYBEAN FUTURES. DURING THIS PERIOD PRICES SHOT UP FROM $2.3175 A BUSHEL TO $3.455, AN INCREASE OF 49 PERCENT.

BRANNAN'S REPORT WAS RELEASED A FEW HOURS AFTER THE HOUSE HAD DEFEATED A PROPOSAL THAT THE GOVERNMENT BE GIVEN AUTHORITY TO CONTROL MARGINS IN FUTURES MARKETS.

THE MARGIN IS THE AMOUNT A TRADER MUST PUT DOWN TO HOLD FUTURES CONTRACTS. THE MARKETS THEMSELVES NOW FIX THE MARGINS, BRANNAN HAS CONTENDED THAT THE MARGINS ARE TOO LOW--A FACT WHICH, HE SAYS, ENCOURAGES EXCESSIVE SPECULATION.

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IN ASKING FOR MARGIN AUTHORITY IN CONNECTION WITH ECONOMIC CONTROLS SOUGHT TO DEAL WITH THE KOREAN WAR SITUATION PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID IT WAS NEEDED, TO HELP KEEP SPECULATION FROM INFLATING COMMODITY PRICES.

"IT IS A SAD COMMENTARY ON THE CONDUCT OF THE FUTURES MARKET," BRANNAN SAID, "WHEN SPECULATIVE CUSTOMERS SUCH AS THESE HONG KONG TRADERS ARE PERMITTED TO ENTER THE FUTURES MARKET AT BARGAIN RATES GIVING MOMENTUM TO A HIGHLY SPECULATIVE SITUATION."

THE REPORT ON TRADING ITSELF SAID IT IS NOT UNUSUAL FOR FOREIGN

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ACCOUNTS TO APPEAR IN THE COMMODITY FUTURES MARKETS OF THIS COUNTRY. THE SURVEY SHOWED SOY BEAN TRADERS ALSO IN CANADA, GREAT BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY, MEXICO, SWITZERLAND AND VENEZUELA.

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(ADVANCE)..(NY)..CHARLOTTE, N.C., AUG. 10-(AP)-A MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE HAS BEEN FORMED IN THE COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY TO EASE THE TRANSITION FROM A PEACETIME TO AN EMERGENCY ECONOMY.

GEORGE P.SWIFT, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN COTTON MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION, SAID THE PURPOSE OF THE COMMITTEE WOULD BE TO CLEAR THE WAY FOR SPEEDY, ORDERLY AND EFFICIENT ADJUSTMENT OF OPERATIONS.

THE COMMITTEE IS HEADED BY CHARLES A.CANNON, PRESIDENT OF CANNON MILLS CO., KANNAPOLIS, N.C., AND FORMER HEAD OF THE QUARTERMASTER ASSOCIATION.

SWIFT SAID ALL THE MAJOR GEOGRAPHICAL AND PRODUCT DIVISIONS OF THE INDUSTRY ARE REPRESENTED ON THE COMMITTEE. HE POINTED OUT THE INSTITUTE IS A NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF THE INDUSTRY, WHICH STRETCHES FROM MAINE TO TEXAS AND EMPLOYS MORE THAN 500,000 WORKERS.

COTTON TEXTILES, NEXT TO STEEL, CONSTITUTE THE MOST IMPORTANT MILITARY MATERIEL, SWIFT SAID.

THE MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE WILL ASSIST GOVERNMENT AGENCIES IN HANDLING ANY INDUSTRY PROBLEMS.

SWIFT SAID THE CHIEF PURPOSE OF THE COMMITTEE IS TO MAKE CERTAIN THE ARMED FORCES OBTAIN ALL OF THE COTTON MATERIEL THEY REQUIRE SPEEDILY AND EFFICIENTLY.

AN EQUALLY IMPORTANT TASK IS TO INTERPRET TO THE INDUSTRY GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS AND POLICIES DEVISED TO MEET THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. (EST) TODAY, THURSDAY, AUG. 10).

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PARIS, AUG. 10-(AP)-SIX EUROPEAN NATIONS TODAY RECESSED THEIR SIX WEEKS OLD CONFERENCE TO TAKE HOME TO THEIR GOVERNMENTS A DRAFT OF A PLAN TO POOL THEIR COAL AND STEEL.

THE DRAFT PROVIDES A COMPLETE SUPRA-NATIONAL GOVERNMENT IN MINIATURE TO ADMINISTER THE PRODUCTION AND MARKETING OF COAL AND STEEL. THE DELEGATES REPRESENTING FRANCE, GERMANY, ITALY, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG AND THE NETHERLANDS, WILL RECONVENE AUG. 31.

THE DRAFT STRESSES FINANCIAL MEASURES WHICH WILL FACILITATE PRIVATE AND PUBLIC INVESTMENT IN THE COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES. IT ALSO EMPHASIZES THE CONVERSION OF SOME MINES AND MILLS TO ADAPT THEM TO THE INTERNATIONAL POOL.

OTHER MEASURES HAVE BEEN DRAFTED TO CREATE A UNIFIED COAL AND STEEL MARKET AND TO ABOLISH CUSTOMS DUTIES AMONG THE SIX NATIONS FOR THESE PRODUCTS. A SPECIAL COMMISSION, INCLUDING TRADE UNION LEADERS, HAS BEEN WORKING IN PARIS ON THE PROBLEMS OF MANPOWER AND WAGES IN THE COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES. ITS REPORT IS INCLUDED IN THE DRAFT, EMPHASIZING PARTICULARLY

MEANS TO RAISE STANDARDS OF LIVING.

THE DRAFT PROVIDES THAT THE COAL AND STEEL POOL WILL BE ADMINISTERED BY:

1. A SUPRANATIONAL AUTHORITY AS EXECUTIVE
2. A JOINT ASSEMBLY AS A PARLIAMENT
3. A COURT OF JUSTICE TO WHICH RULINGS CAN BE APPEALED
4. A COUNCIL OF CABINET MINISTERS WHICH WILL FORM A LIAISON BETWEEN THE POOL AND THE INDIVIDUAL GOVERNMENTS.

THE DRAFT MAY BE CLOSE TO THE FINAL FORM OF THE POOL AGREEMENT.

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AMERICAN COMMAND POST ON CHINJU FRONT--THIRD ADD CHINJU (BY WHITEHEAD) X X BURNED OUT.

HEAVY FIGHTING STILL RAGED THROUGH THE HILLY COUNTRY AT NOON. BUT U.S.TROOPS WERE DRIVING THE ENEMY BACK FROM THE COMMAND POST AREA.

AMERICAN ARTILLERY BLAZED AWAY AT POINT-BLANK TARGETS ONLY 800 YARDS FROM THEIR 155 MM.GUNS.

MARINE CORSAIR FIGHTERS ADDED THEIR FIREPOWER TO THE AMERICAN DEFENSE, PUMPING MACHINEGUN BULLETS AND ROCKETS INTO THE ENEMY FOR MORE THAN TWO HOURS.

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AMERICAN COMMAND POST ON CHINJU FRONT--FOURTH ADD CHINJU (BY WHITEHEAD) X X X TWO HOURS.

HELICOPTERS WERE BROUGHT IN ON MERCY MISSIONS TO EVACUATE WOUNDED CUTOFF BY THE SWIFT-MOVING REDS.

THE POINT-BLANK ARTILLERY FIRE WAS DIRECTED BY LT. E. J. WILSON OF 823 ST. ANDREWS ST., NEW ORLEANS. HIS GUNS LAID DOWN A POUNDING BARRAGE TO DRIVE THE ENEMY FROM THE COMMAND POST AREA.

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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 12-(AP)-AMERICANAND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS LAUNCHED A COUNTERATTACK ON THE NEWLY-FALLEN EAST COAST PORT OF POHANG TODAY AS THE COMMUNISTS STABBED ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER TOWARD TAEGU ON THE WESTERN SIDE OF THE UNITED NATIONS KOREAN BEACHHEAD.

THE COUNTERBLOW AT POHANG, SECOND MOST IMPORTANT U. N. PORT IN KOREA, WAS ANNOUNCED IN AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT NOON. IT SAID THE TOWN, WHICH FELL FRIDAY NIGHT, WAS HELD BY 3,000 REDS.

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DURING THE NIGHT A COLUMN OF AMERICAN TANKS MOVED IN TO HELP THE EMBATTLED AMERICAN DEFENDERS TO CLING TO POHANG'S AIRFIELD AND PORT FACILITIES , OUTSIDE THE TOWN PROPER. DESTROYERS CAME INTO THE HARBOR AND SWUNG THEIR GUNS SHOREWARD. BATTLE-TESTED SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS RUSHED TO THE AREA IN PREPARATION FOR THE COUNTERATTACK.

ACROSS THE BEACHHEAD 50 MILES WESTWARD, THE KOREAN REDS THREW TWO PUNCHES AT THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS OF THE NAKTONG LINE PROTECTING THE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU. IT MIGHT BE THE START OF THE LONG-AWAITED ALL-OUT PUSH ON THE CITY BUT IT WAS TOO EARLY TO SAY FOR SURE.

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THE REDS SENT ABOUT 300 MEN ACROSS THE RIVER INTO THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION FRONT AND THE AMERICANS MET THEM WITH FIXED BAYONETS IN FIERCE HAND-TO-HAND BATTLE. TO THE NORTH THE REDS PUSHED AGAINST THE SOUTH KPOREAN FIRST DIVISION WITH 10 TANKS WHICH THEY GOT ACROSS THE NAKTONG FRIDAY NIGHT. THE REDS WERE REPORTED HALTED BUT FIVE TANKS STILL WERE ROAMING EAST OF THE NAKTONG.

ON KOREA'S SOUTH COAST, U. S. MARINES CHOPPED OFF A FOUR-MILE ADVANCE FROM CAPTURED KOSONG TOWARD CHINJU, THE RED SOUTHERN ANCHOR. THE MARINES WERE MOVING TO THROW ANOTHER ARM AROUND RED FORCES TRAPPED EAST OF THE RED BASE.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE "HAS ATTAINED ITS OBJECTIVE." THE OBJECTIVE, A SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED, WAS TO SPLINTER A RED ATTACK TOWARD PUSAN AND TO REGAIN THE HIGH GROUND EAST OF CHINJU.

THE SATURDAY AFTERNOON SUMMARY ISSUED BY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE MARINES WERE CONTINUING THEIR ADVANCE AGAINST STUBBORN RED RESISTANCE. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED FROM THE FRONT THAT SOME 1,000 TRAPPED REDS EAST OF CHINJU WERE BATTLING DESPERATELY TO BREAK FREE.

FAR EAST AIR FORCES SAID A MASS FORMATION OF SUPERFORTRESSES MADE A CONCENTRATED ATTACK SATURDAY ON MILITARY OBJECTIVES IN THE EXTREME NORTHEASTERN PART OF NORTH KOREA.

A NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID NEPTUNE PATROL BOMBERS FRIDAY SET AFIRE 10 COASTAL VESSELS ALONG THE NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST. AIR FORCE AND CARRIER-BASED FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS AGAIN FLEW HEAVY BLOWS IN SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES ALONG THE FRONT AND HAMMERED RED COMMUNICATION LINES.

THIS WAS THE PICTURE ALONG THE 140-MILE BATTLEFRONT FROM SOUTH TO NORTH AROUND THE BEACHHEAD:

SOUTHWESTERN FRONT---THE U. S. ARMY'S 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION AND THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WERE COMING ABREAST ON HIGH GROUND JUST EAST OC HINJU, 55 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, THE MAIN U. N. SUPPLY PORT. THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT TOOK THE SOUTH COAST PORT OF KOSONG, 20 MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU, AND ADVANCED FOUR MILES BEYOND IN A FRIDAY NIGHT ATTACK. HE MARINES, ON THEIR WAY TO A JUNCTION WITH THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM, WERE THROWING ANOTHER THREAT ATP RED TROOPS NOT ALREADY TRAPPED BY THE ARMY. THE REDS CONTINUED TO WITHDRAW FROM CHINJU.

WESTERN FRONT---THE COMMUNISTS HEAVILY REINFORCED THEIR BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, PUTTING ANOTHER REGIMENT ACROSS FRIDAY NIGHT. THIS GAVE THEM ABOUT A FULL DIVISION ON THE EAST SIDE OF A TWO-MILE SECTOR FACING THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION. A BATTERY OF 14 HEAVY RED FIELD GUNS APPARENTLY SURVIVED A NIGHT ATTACK BY AMERICAN PLANES.

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JUST TO THE NORTH , ABOUT 300 REDS MADE A NEW CROSSING OF THE RIVER WEST OF TAEGU SATURDAY MORNING AND RAN INTO HAND-TO-HAND COMBAT WITH MEN OF THE U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION. RED TANKS AND ARTILLERY ON THE WEST BANK POUNDED AMERICAN POSITIONS.

FARTHER NORTH AROUND WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE COMMUNIST BUILDUP CONTINUED WEST OF THE NAKTONG. IN THE HEAVIEST CONCENTRATION ANYWHERE ALONG THE LINE, THEY HAD FOUR---POSSIBLY FIVE---DIVISIONS, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID. A REPORT NOT FULLY CONFIRMED SAID THE REDS HAD MASSED 30 TANKS IN THE WAEGWAN AREA.

NORTH OF WAEGWAN, THE REDS LAUNCHED THEIR SECOND SATURDAY MORNING PUSH AGAINST THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION. TEN TANKS SUPPORTED THE PUSH. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS REPORTS SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD KNOCKED OUT FIVE TANKS AND STALLED THE REDS. BUT FIVE TANKS STILL WERE ON THE LOOSE. A SOUTH KOREAN COMMANDER SAID THE REDS WERE GETTING TANKS ACROSS ON A ROCK AND GRAVEL CAUSEWAY SUBMERGED IN SHALLOW WATER.

IN ALL, THE COMMUNISTS APPEARED TO HAVE ABOUT 50,000 TROOPS READY--OR ALMOST READY--FOR AN ALL-OUT SMASH OVER THE NAKTONG TOWARD TAEGU. AMERICAN REINFORCEMENTS MOVED INTO THE RIVER LINE FRIDAY NIGHT.

NORTHERN FRONT--SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS REPULSED RED ATTACKS IN THE MOUNTAINS ABOUT 30 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU ON THE WESTERN SIDE OF THE NORTH U.N.LINE.

ON THE EASTERN SIDE, RED TROOPS PUSHED SOUTHWARD FROM CAPTURED YONGDOK, 90 AIR MILES NORTH OF PUSAN TOWARD POHANG AGAINST STRONG SOUTH KOREAN RESISTANCE.

SOUTH KOREAN REINFORCEMENTS FOR THE POHANG BATTLE WERE PLACED NORTHWEST OF THE TOWN TO BLOCK A MAJOR RED THRUST EXPECTED ALONG THE 23-MILE STRETCH FROM YONGDOK.

THE FRESH SOUTH KOREANS MOVED UP FROM THE SOUTH TO MEET THE MAIN RED FORCE, ESTIMATED AT TWO REGIMENTS. THEY TRAVELED NORTHWARD BY ROAD, SKIRTING POHANG ITSELF.

RED GUERRILLAS WERE ONLY A MILE AND A HALF FROM THE POHANG AIR FIELD WHEN ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE FILED A FRIDAY NIGHT DISPATCH. HE SAID RED ARTILLERY WAS WITHIN RANGE. THE FIELD IS SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF FLAMING POHANG.

U.S. TANKS AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS SPED TO REINFORCE THE GREATLY OUTNUMBERED AMERICANS FIGHTING FOR THE STRIP.

SO SMALL WAS THE NUMBER OF U.S. SOLDIERS DEFENDING THE FIELD THAT SUCH NON-COMBATANTS AS COOKS AND CLERKS DUG IN WITH THEIR FIGHTING

BUDDIES.
U.S. MUSTANGS HELPED FIGHT FOR POHANG AND THE AIRSTRIP FRIDAY. ENEMY FIRE GOT SO CLOSE TO THE FIELD BY DARK, HOWEVER, THAT THE FIGHTERS FLEW TO SAFETY ELSEWHERE FOR THE NIGHT.
RED GULARS WERE ONLY 3 1/2 MILES FROM THE STRIP WHEN THE MUSTANGS WERE FORCED TO QUIT.
THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID POHANG, NO.2 U.S. SUPPLY PORT, WAS LEFT IN FLAMES AS U.S. TROOPS WITHDREW AFTER SAVAGE CLOSE-QUARTER FIGHTING DURING THE NIGHT.

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IT WAS AT POHANG THAT THE FIRST AMERICAN AMPHIBIOUS LANDING WAS MADE IN THE KOREAN WAR. THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY MADE ITS DRY-FOOT LANDING THERE LAST MONTH AND MOVED TO THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.
THE FALL OF POHANG, 65 AIR MILES NORTH OF PUSAN, CAME AS U.S. TROOPS WERE FORCING THE REDS TO ABANDON THEIR BASE AT CHINJU NEAR THE SOUTH COAST.
REPORTS OF THE RED PULL-BACK CAME AS THE U.S. 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OCCUPIED HIGH GROUND EAST OF THE CITY FRIDAY.
SOME 1,000 RED TROOPS WERE TRYING DESPERATELY TO FIGHT THEIR WAY OUT OF A TIGHT ALLIED TRAP THAT CLOSED ON THEM SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU IN AN AMERICAN OFFENSIVE THAT STARTED SUNDAY.
U.S. MARINES COMPLETED THE OCCUPATION OF KOSONG, A PORT OF 50,000 POPULATION, AFTER FIGHTING "AGAINST STRONG ENEMY RESISTANCE," A FIELD DISPATCH SAID. THE CITY WAS IN FLAMES FROM U.S. ARTILLERY BOMBARDMENT AND AIR ATTACKS.
WHILE GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED THAT U.S. TROOPS HAD ERASED ALL BUT ONE COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD ON THE NAKTONG RIVER, THAT ONE IS IMPORTANT.
IT IS THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD 29 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. IF THE REDS BREAK THROUGH THERE THEY WILL CUT OFF TAEGU FROM PUSAN, 55 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.
HEAVY FIGHTING CONTINUED THERE. ABOUT 6,000 RED TROOPS, AIDED BY ARTILLERY FIRE FROM ACROSS THE NAKTONG, WERE MAKING A BIG EFFORT

HEAVY FIGHTING CONTINUED THERE. ABOUT 6,000 RED TROOPS, AIDED BY ARTILLERY FIRE FROM ACROSS THE NAKTONG, WERE MAKING A BIG EFFORT TO BREAK EASTWARD.
THE BIGGEST CONCENTRATION OF COMMUNIST TROOPS WAS POISED ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG 20 MILES NORTHWEST OF THE ALLIED COMMUNICATION CENTER OF TAEGU.
FOUR AND POSSIBLY FIVE RED DIVISIONS--PERHAPS 40,000 MEN--WERE ASSEMBLYING FOR THE TAEGU STRIKE IF THEY CAN GET ENOUGH MEN ACROSS THE NAKTONG.
MOST OF THE RED CROSSINGS ARE MADE AT NIGHT.
THE COMMUNIST BUILD-UP AT THE NAKTONG WAS DESCRIBED BY ONE U.S. OFFICER AS THE GREATEST MASSED CONCENTRATION PER SQUARE MILE ON THE WHOLE 140-MILE PERIMETER.
THE ATTACK ON POHANG, 55 MILES DUE EAST OF THE WAEGWAN BUILD-UP, WAS STARTED FRIDAY. RUGGED COMMUNIST INVADERS, CARRYING HAND WEAPONS, MOVED ACROSS MOUNTAIN TRAILS ON THE PORT.
U.S. ARMY LEADERS APPARENTLY UNDER-ESTIMATED THE SPEED WITH WHICH RED TROOPS COULD MOVE INLAND OFF THE COASTAL AREA IN STRENGTH ENOUGH TO SEIZE POHANG.
THE ATTACKERS NUMBERED POSSIBLY 3,000 MEN, INCLUDING GUERRILLAS.

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THE RED TROOPS IN POHANG WERE WELL AHEAD OF THEIR SUPPLIES. BUT UNLESS THEY ARE DISLODGED SOON THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS, 25 MILES UP THE COAST. WILL BE TRAPPED.

APPARENTLY THE PREPARATIONS TO REINFORCE POHANG'S DEFENSES DIDN'T MATERIALIZE FAST ENOUGH. (ELIMINATING REFERENCE TO ERICKSON QUOTING ARMY LEADERS.)

BOYLE, ON THE VITAL POHANG FIGHTER STRIP, TOLD HOW A TASK FORCE PUSHING TO THE AID OF THE AMERICAN DEFENDERS WAS AMBUSHED ON A HIGHWAY LEADING TO THE FIELD.
MORE THAN 100 MEN GOT THROUGH, HE SAID. BOYLE DID NOT SAY HOW MANY WERE CAUGHT IN THE RED AMBUSH.
BOYLE SAID THERE WAS NO WAY OF KNOWING HOW LONG THE BATTLE MIGHT CONTINUE.
U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE PLANES FLEW 273 SORTIES FRIDAY IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS ALL ALONG THE FRONT.
U.S. MUSTANGS FRIDAY HIT A SCHOOL HOUSE WHERE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE HIDING, AROUND YONGDOK AND RAKED 10 VEHICLES AND TWO AMMUNITION CARTS.
THE MUSTANGS ALSO STRAFED RED TROOPS AND CONVOYS MOVING ON POHANG FROM YONGDOK. A FUEL DUMP NORTH OF POHANG WAS BLASTED.
CARRIER-BASED PLANES DESTROYED BUILDINGS AND FACTORIES FRIDAY IN THE INCHON AREA AND THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT SEOUL, THE FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.
INCHON IS 20 MILES WEST OF SEOUL ON THE SEA COAST.
OTHER TARGETS WERE HIT IN ENEMY-HELD TERRITORY.
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BULLETIN
THIRD LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG 12-(AP)-RED TROOPS LAST NIGHT SEIZED THE IMPORTANT PORT OF POHANG ON THE EAST COAST AND FOUGHT VIRTUALLY TO THE EDGE OF THE U.S. AIRBASE TO THE SOUTHEAST.

THE EIGHTH ARMY, ANNOUNCING THE FALL OF POHANG, SAID THE CITY WAS IN FLAMES AS AMERICANS WITHDREW AFTER A SAVAGE NIGHT BATTLE. POHANG IS 65 AIR MILES NORTH OF THE MAIN U.S. SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.
SMALL U.S. FORCES BATTLED IN THE EARLY MORNING DARKNESS TO SAVE THE AIR FIELD, WHICH IS ON A SPIT ABOUT SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG.
U.S. TANKS AND MORE INFANTRY WERE RUSHING UP TO THE RESCUE OF THE AIR FIELD.

POHANG, SECOND ONLY TO PUSAN ITSELF AS A SUPPLY PORT, FELL TO A SURPRISE RED DRIVE THROUGH UNDEFENDED MOUNTAINS WHILE THE AMERICANS WERE ROLLING BACK THE ENEMY ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN END OF THE KOREAN FRONT.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS MEANWHILE ANNOUNCED THAT ALL COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEADS BUT ONE ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE WESTERN FRONT HAD BEEN ERASED BY AMERICAN UNITS.
BUT THIS ONE IS IMPORTANT. IT IS A BIG ONE IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA, 29 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE FRONTLINE SUPPLY BASE OF TAEGU.

HERE ABOUT 6,000 OF THE ENEMY, WITH ARTILLERY FIRE SUPPORT FROM ACROSS THE RIVER, ARE TRYING TO BREAK OUT EASTWARD. IF THEY MAKE IT THEY WILL CUT OFF TAEGU FROM PUSAN, 55 MILES TO THE SOUTHWEST.
THE HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY SAID HEAVY FIGHTING WAS CONTINUING IN THIS AREA.
THE NAKTONG BRIDGEHEADS WIPED OUT APPARENTLY WERE THOSE ON THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION FRONT ABOUT 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.
ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, APPROXIMATELY 1,000 ENEMY TROOPS BATTLED IN A DESPERATE ATTEMPT TO BREAK OUT OF A TRAP IN THE COASTAL HILLS SOUTHWEST OF CHINJU AND ABOUT 45 MILES OR SO WEST OF PUSAN.
MARINES COMPLETED THE CAPTURE OF KOSONG, SOUTH COAST PORT OF 50,000

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POPULATION 20 MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU.
THE SITUATION WAS DRAVE ON THE EASTERN PART OF THE FRONT IN THE POHANG AREA.

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A SPOKESMAN AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA ANNOUNCED THE FALL OF POHANG. HE SAID THAT BY 10 P.M. FRIDAY (7 A.M. FRIDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME) THERE WERE NO FRIENDLY TROOPS INSIDE THE CITY.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE AT THE FRONT SAID THE AIR STRIP TO THE SOUTHEAST WAS FIGHTING FOR ITS LIFE. THE COMMUNISTS BROUGHT UP ARTILLERY WITHIN RANGE.
FIGHTER PLANES BLASTED THE ATTACKING ENEMY WITH ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE. THE FIGHTERS LEFT THE AIR FIELD FOR SAFETY ELSEWHERE THROUGH THE NIGHT.
BOYLE SAID RED GUERRILLAS WERE ONLY A MILE AND A HALF FROM THE FIELD.

A REINFORCING COLUMN OF U.S. TANKS AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WAS REPORTED NEARING THE FIELD AND READY TO JOIN THE DEFENSE.
THE REDS HELD A RIDGE ONLY 3 1/2 MILES FROM THE RUNWAY WHEN THE MUSTANGS HAD TO GIVE UP THE BATTLE BECAUSE OF DARKNESS. THE PLANES WENT TO OTHER AIRFIELDS IN KOREA FOR THE NIGHT.

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AS DARKNESS SET IN, TWO AMERICAN COLONELS WITH COOKS, CLERKS AND OTHER NORMALLY NONCOMBATANT AIR FORCE GROUND PERSONNEL DUG IN FOR NIGHT BATTLE ON THE FIELD.
AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE AT THE AIRFIELD REPORTED THERE WAS NO WAY OF KNOWING HOW LONG THE BATTLE MIGHT CONTINUE.
EARLIER FRIDAY AFTERNOON BOYLE HAD REPORTED LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMANDER, AND MAJ. GEN. EARLE PARTRIDGE, FIFTH AIR FORCE COMMANDER, VISITED THE POHANG FIELD AND FLEW OVER THE BATTLES IN A LIGHT OBSERVATION PLANE.
INSIDE THE FLAMING PORT A BLOODY STREET BATTLE RAGED. A TOUGH MOUNTAIN-CLIMBING NORTH KOREAN FORCE STRUCK POHANG AFTER SCALING THE LOFTY PEAKS TO THE WEST OF THE TOWN.
BEFORE FRIDAY DUSK AMERICAN PLANES FLEW OFF THE FIELD ON 10-MINUTE SORTIES TO MAKE ROCKET AND MACHINE-GUN ATTACKS ON THE REDS. COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS WERE CLOSE ENOUGH TO FIRE ON THE FIELD WITH SMALL ARMS.
AT THE OTHER EXTREME OF THE ALLIED BATTLELINE, THE EIGHTH ARMY REPORTED NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE ABANDONING THEIR CHINJU BASE NEAR THE SOUTH COAST BEFORE THE ALLIED OFFENSIVE THAT BEGAN SUNDAY.

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REPORTS OF THE REDS' CHINJU PULLBACK CAME AS THE U.S. 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OCCUPIED HIGH GROUND IMMEDIATELY EAST OF THE CITY FRIDAY AFTERNOON.
THE 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE RELEASED IN MID-EVENING FRIDAY SAID THIS "SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED" THE 35TH'S "PHASE OF THE FIRST MAJOR U.N. COUNTER-OFFENSIVE IN THE KOREAN WAR."
ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE OFFENSIVE, THE 5TH MARINE REGIMENT OCCUPIED THE TOWN OF KOSONG "AGAINST STRONG ENEMY RESISTANCE." MARINE PATROLS HAD MOVED INTO THE TOWN THURSDAY.
BUT INLAND ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, THE COMMUNISTS PUT THOUSANDS OF TROOPS OVER THE NAKTONG RIVER.
THEY WERE REPORTED BUILDING UP FOUR OR FIVE DIVISIONS---PERHAPS 40,000 MEN---FOR A NEW BLOW AIMED AT TAEGU IF THEY CAN KEEP CROSSING THE RIVER IN STRENGTH.
MOST OF THE CROSSINGS HAVE BEEN BY NIGHT.
POINT-BLANK FIGHTING SEETHED IN THE EXTREME SOUTH BETWEEN AMERICAN FORCES AND NORTH KOREANS THEY TRAPPED IN THE SLOWED-DOWN ALLIED OFFENSIVE ON CHINJU.
AN AMERICAN GENERAL STAFF OFFICER CALLED THE REDS' NAKTONG RIVER BUILDUP THE GREATEST MASSED CONCENTRATION PER MILE ON THE WHOLE 140-MILE BATTLE PERIMETER.
A TOUGH RED SPEARHEAD WON ITS WAY INTO POHANG AFTER A DAYLONG BATTLE.
BUT AT NIGHTFALL FRIDAY ALLIED FORCES CLUNG ONTO THEIR HALF OF THE PORT. IT IS THE NO.2 UNITED NATIONS SUPPLY FUNNEL ON THE EAST COAST AND IS 55 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN, THE NO.1 BASE.
THE THREATENED AIRFIELD IS SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG ON A COASTAL SPUR THAT STICKS OUT INTO THE SEA OF JAPAN.
POHANG WAS THE SCENE OF THE FIRST AMERICAN AMPHIBIOUS LANDING IN THE KOREAN WAR. THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION MADE ITS DRY-FOOT LANDING THERE LAST MONTH AND MOVED WESTWARD TO THE CURVING NAKTONG RIVER LINE, NOW A BLAZING BATTLEFRONT.
A.P. CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED AT 5:15 P.M. (2:15 A.M. EST) FRIDAY THAT AMERICAN REINFORCEMENTS CUT THEIR WAY THROUGH COMMUNIST AMBUSHES TO REACH DEFENSE POSITIONS AROUND THE VITAL POHANG AIRSTRIP. PLANES TOOK OFF WITH GUNS FIRING AT INVADERS IN THE WILD COASTAL BATTLE.
THE ATTACK WAS STARTED BY MOUNTAIN-SCALING REDS SUPPORTED BY GUERRILLAS--MAYBE 3,000 IN ALL. THEY WERE FIGHTING WITH THE WEAPONS THEY COULD HAND-CARRY IN A DESPERATE EFFORT TO KNOCK OUT THE FIELD.
ON THE DEEP SOUTHERN FRONT, MAULED RED TROOPS, JERKED OUT OF RETREAT, STRUCK BACK AT THE STILL ADVANCING AMERICANS BEFORE RUINED CHINJU ON THE SOUTH COAST. THE INLAND FORCE OF THE AMERICAN ADVANCE THERE PUSHED AHEAD FROM MAIN POSITIONS ABOUT SIX MILES EAST OF THE TOWN, IN THE FACE OF FRESH COMMUNIST ARTILLERY AND AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE.

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THE SOUTH COASTAL FORCE OF AMERICANS BEFORE CHINJU FOUGHT OFF TWO COORDINATED COMMUNIST ATTACKS THAT WERE BACKED BY HEAVY ARTILLERY. ONE WAS AT THE TOWN OF KOSONG, WHICH U.S. MARINES TOOK THURSDAY, AND THE SECOND WAS ABOUT SIX MILES NORTHWARD.
AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED FROM THE SOUTHERN FRONT THAT TWO TRAPPED RED BATTALIONS--CUT BY U.S. GUNFIRE FROM 2,000 TO ABOUT 1,000 MEN--FOUGHT DESPERATELY TO ESCAPE THE IRON NOOSE DRAWN BY THE THURSDAY JUNCTION OF THE FIFTH ARMY REGIMENT AND THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION.
AMERICAN MACHINEGUNNERS BURNED OUT THE BARRELS OF THEIR WEAPONS IN RAPID-FIRING ON THE REDS. THEY CALLED FOR AIR-DROPPED BARRELS--AND GOT THEM. U.S. ARTILLERY PROTECTED THE U.S. REGIMENTAL COMMAND POST BY POINTBLANK FIRING ON ATTACKERS 800 YARDS AWAY.
THE THREE BATTALIONS OF THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WERE SEPARATED FROM EACH OTHER BY COMMUNIST MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE, WHITEHEAD REPORTED. THE RED ATTACK, STARTING AT DAWN, THREATENED THE COMMAND POST. BUT SEVERAL HOURS LATER U.S. DOUGHBOYS HAD PUSHED THE REDS BACK.
A GENERAL OFFICER AT HEADQUARTERS SAID 240 RED DEAD--"A GOOD DAY'S BAG"--WERE COUNTED DURING THE 24 HOURS ENDED FRIDAY MORNING. THIS WAS FOR THE ENTIRE CHINJU BATTLE.
THE REDS ABANDONED MANY GUNS AND MUCH HEAVY EQUIPMENT IN THEIR RETREAT ON THE SOURTHERN FRONT THURSDAY BUT SALVAGED ENOUGH TO OPEN UP ON THE ADVANCING AMERICANS WITH HEAVY ARTILLERY FRIDAY.
THE COMMUNISTS DUG INTO DEFENSIVE POSITIONS WEST OF CHINJU ALONG THE RIDGE WHICH IS BEING PRODDED BY ADVANCE ELEMENTS OF THE FIFTH AND 36TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS.
A MACARTHUR HEADQUARTERS INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID THE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH INFANTRY DIVISION APPARENTLY WAS IN THE FIGHT ALONE ON THE SOUTH. HE SAID "FANATICAL COMMUNIST OFFICERS" HAD HALTED THE RETREAT AND THE

DIVISION, ALTHOUGH "HURTING BADLY" HAD NOT LOST ITS "OFFENSIVE SPIRIT."
ANOTHER RED DIVISION, THE FOURTH, POUNDED DESPERATELY TO ENLARGE ITS BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER AT A POINT ABOUT 20 MILES NORTH OF CHINJU.

AT LEAST TWO RED REGIMENTS--PERHAPS 6,000 MEN--HAD CROSSED THE RIVER FRIDAY. THEY WERE SUPPORTED BY SOME TANKS AND HEAVY ARTILLERY.

AP CORRESPONDENT O.H.P.KING ON THE NAKTONG REPORTED ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION OPENED A NEW ATTACK FRIDAY NOON AGAINST THE RED BRIDGEHEAD ABOUT SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG. KING REPORTED "GOOD PROGRESS" AT 2:30 P.M. FRIDAY (11:30 P.M., EST THURSDAY).

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THE AMERICANS HAVE BEEN TRYING TO WIPE OUT THE RED FOOTHOLDS ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG SINCE SUNDAY.

BEHIND THE BATTLE ZONE, ON THE REDS' WEST BANK OF THE RIVER, THE INVADERS WERE REPORTED HAVING IN RESERVE PART OF THE FOURTH INFANTRY DIVISION AND A TANK REGIMENT. THE USUAL STRENGTH OF A TANK REGIMENT IS 52 OF THE ARMORED VEHICLES. BUT THERE WAS NO CONFIRMATION OF THE NUMBER THE REDS ACTUALLY WERE READY TO HURL INTO THE NAKTONG BATTLE.

A MACARTHUR INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID IT WAS NOT KNOWN HOW THE REDS GOT THEIR TANKS ACROSS THE DEEP RIVER NOR HOW MANY THEY HAD ON THE ALLIED SIDE.

FROM THE CHANGNYONG AREA, A RED COLUMN WAS PUSHING TOWARD MASAN, SOUTH COAST PORT ONLY 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN. THIS COLUMN APPARENTLY WAS TRYING TO CUT THE SUPPLY LINE OF U.S. FORCES FIGHTING BEFORE CHINJU. THE COLUMN LATE FRIDAY WAS STILL FAR AWAY FROM MASAN. BUT OTHER REDS SLIPPED SOUTH OF THE BATTLE AREA AND SET UP THREE ROADBLOCKS ON IMPORTANT HIGHWAYS, ONE OF WHICH STILL CONTINUED TO DOMINATE THE ROAD AFTER ATTACKS BY AMERICANS ALL THROUGH FRIDAY.

THE HEADQUARTERS OFFICER EXPRESSED MORE CONCERN OVER WHAT HE CALLED AN OMINOUS GROUPING OF RED FORCES ALONG A STRETCH OF THE NAKTONG RIVER AROUND WAEGWAN, 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE REFUGEE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT'S EMERGENCY CAPITAL.

THE AMERICAN FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AND THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION REPORTED THEY HAVE ELIMINATED ALL ENEMY POCKETS IN THEIR AREA. BUT THE BUILDUP ACROSS THE RIVER CONTINUES.

A MACARTHUR INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID THE NORTH KOREAN SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION, WHICH HAS SPEARHEADED THAT PART OF THE NAKTONG ATTACK, HAS BEEN JOINED IN THE RIVER LINE BY THE NORTH KOREAN THIRD INFANTRY DIVISION.

RECENTLY CAPTURED PRISONERS CAME FROM ONE REGIMENT OF THE REDS' CRACK FIRST DIVISION, WHICH APPARENTLY HAS BEEN MOVED NORTH FROM ITS SUPPORTING POSITION AT CHINJU. THE U.S. OFFICER SAID THE NORTH KOREAN 13TH AND 15TH INFANTRY DIVISIONS ALSO ARE IN THE NAKTONG AREA NOW. THAT WOULD MEAN 40,000 OR MORE MEN ARE POISED FOR A RIVER-LEAPING PUSH TOWARD TAEGU.

THE OFFICER EXPRESSED THE OPINION THE ATTACK MAY ALREADY BE UNDER WAY WITH INCREASED PRESSURE ALL ALONG THE LINE AND ISOLATED RIVER CROSSINGS.

FRIDAY NIGHT THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AND THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION WERE THE ONLY UNITED NATIONS TROOPS IDENTIFIED IN THE IMMEDIATELY MENACED NAKTONG AREA AROUND WAEGWAN.

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ON THE CURVING FRONT EASTWARD FROM WAEGWAN, A COMMUNIST ATTACK EARLY FRIDAY WAS MET BY ONE OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL SOUTH KOREAN COUNTER BLOWS YET REPORTED IN THE RUGGED GIVE AND TAKE FIGHTING NORTH AND WEST OF THE MAIN BATTLE AREAS.

A SPOKESMAN SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH AND EIGHTH INFANTRY DIVISIONS HURLED A RED ASSAULT BACK SEVERAL MILES.

THE SOUTH KOREANS FRIDAY NIGHT HELD POSITIONS ABOUT FOUR MILES NORTH OF UISONG ON THIS FRONT EAST OF WAEGWAN.

ELEMENTS OF TWO RED DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN THRUSTING AND PROBING FOR DAYS IN THE UISONG AREA. THERE WAS NO INDICATION OF THE STRENGTH IN WHICH THE UISONG SECTOR INVADERS ATTACKED, BUT ONE ELEMENT INCLUDED MORE THAN 1,000 MEN SUPPORTED BY ARTILLERY AND LED BY EIGHT TANKS BOUND FOR BATTLES FARTHER SOUTH.

THE SERIOUSNESS OF THE SITUATION AT POHANG ON THE SEA OF JAPAN COAST WAS SHOWN FRIDAY AFTERNOON BY THE ARRIVAL THERE OF LT.GEN. WALTON H.WALKER, U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMANDER, AND MAJ.GEN.EARLE PARTRIDGE, U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE COMMANDER. THEY FLEW OVER THE FIGHTING AREA IN A SMALL OBSERVATION PLANE.

THE RED THRUST INTO POHANG WAS SPARKED BY A HARDY FORCE THAT SPENT DAYS CLIMBING LOFTY MOUNTAINS WEST OF POHANG TO GET INTO POSITION. THE REDS TOOK KIGYE, ABOUT NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, THEN PEELED OFF A FORCE TO HURL AT THE PORT CITY.

A SOUTH KOREAN FORCE SENT TO HOLD KIGYE WAS DRIVEN OUT. BUT A COUNTER-ATTACK TO THE WEST OF KIGYE GAINED GROUND FOR THE SOUTHERNERS IN AN APPARENT FLANKING DRIVE.

WHILE THIS ACTION TOOK PLACE AROUND POHANG THE MAIN FORCE OF THE NORTH KOREAN FIFTH DIVISION HIT YONGDOK, A BLEEDING TOWN 25 MILES NORTH OF POHANG THAT HAS EXCHANGED HANDS AT LEAST THREE TIMES. A SHARP BATTLE WAS IN PROGRESS FRIDAY NIGHT SOUTH OF YONGDOK AFTER SOUTHERN DEFENDERS WITHDREW FROM THE CITY.

WITHOUT CONTROL OF THE MAIN HIGHWAY LINKING YONGDOK AND POHANG, AMERICAN OFFICERS SAY THE RED FORCE AT POHANG WILL HAVE TROUBLE GETTING SUPPLIES.

NEVERTHELESS, THE LIGHT TRAVELLING UNITS BATTLED IN SAVAGE STREET FIGHTING THAT SET POHANG AFIRE. THE REDS USED DUMMY TANKS WITH SCREAMING SIRENS TO FRIGHTEN OFF SOUTH KOREANS DEFENDING POHANG'S FLANKS, THEN BURST IN UPON THE PORT CITY ITSELF.

AMERICAN REINFORCEMENTS RUSHED TO THE DEFENSE OF THE CITY AND AIR-BASE.

RED GUERRILLAS, WITH DEADLY AUTOMATIC WEAPONS, AMBUSHED U.S. UNITS FORCING THEM TO FIGHT THEIR WAY TO THEIR AIRBASE POSITIONS. ONE U.S. COMPANY WAS CUT OFF TWICE. OTHER UNITS WERE ENCIRCLED.

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AMERICAN PILOTS JOINED IN THE AIRBASE DEFENSE. AS THEY TOOK OFF FROM THE NEWLY BUILT STRIP THEY SPAT MACHINEGUN BULLETS ALMOST BEFORE THEY GOT THEIR WHEELS UP.

THE OVERALL AIR WAR CONTINUED ON ALL FRONTS. THE U.S. NAVY REPORTED ITS CARRIER PILOTS ON WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY STRAGED 20 ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, DESTROYED TANKS AND BLEW UP FIVE BRIDGES.

THE NAVY ATTACKS RANGED FROM INCHON, THE PORT FOR SEOUL, LONG-ABANDONED SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL, TO KAESONG IN THE NORTH AND YOSU ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN COAST. TARGETS INCLUDED FACTORIES, WARE-HOUSES AND OIL STORAGE TANKS.

LAND-BASED PLANES CONTINUED ATTACKS ON FRONTLINE TROOPS. THE AIR FORCE SAID THE 70 B-29S FROM JAPAN AND OKINAWA THAT HIT WONSAN ON THE NORTHERN EAST COAST THURSDAY LEFT FLAMES CONSUMING MUCH EQUIPMENT NEEDED BY THE REDS ATTACKING POHANG.

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NIGHT LEAD POHANG
BY HAL BOYLE

POHANG, SOUTH KOREA, SATURDAY, AUG. 12-(AP)-AMERICAN TANKS AND INFANTRY RINGED POHANG AIRPORT THIS MORNING AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS BEGAN PUSHING TOWARD THE CITY.

THE ATTACK BEGAN FROM ANGANG, 10 MLES WEST OF POHANG ON THE

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ROAD TO TAEGU.
POHANG ITSELF IS A "NO MAN'S LLAND." THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS HOLD THE DOCKS. THE COMMUNISTS ARE CONCEALED IN THE NORTHERN SECTION OF THE CITY. THE AREA BETWEEN THE TWO FORCES IS EMPTY.
AMERICANS ALSO WERE HOLDING A BRIDGE ONE AND A HALF MILES OUTSIDE THE CITY. THEY CONTROLLED FOUR AND ONQQ

THE CITY. THE CONTROLLED FOUR AND ONE-HALF MILES OF ROAD FROM THE AIRPORT TO THE BRIDGE.
THE AIRPORT WAS OPERATING THIS MORNING WITH PLANES LANDING AND TAKING OFF REGULARLY.
TANKS WENT INTO POSITION AFTER A NIGHT OF WILD FIGHTING, ATTEMPTED AMBUSH AND AN UNSCHEDULED TRIP THROUGH THE BURNING STREETS OF POHANG.

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AMERICAN ARMOR WAS AMBUSHED AT THE SAME POINT WHERE TROOPS HAD BEEN ATTACKED ON THE PREVIOUS NIGHT. THEY FOUGHT THEIR WAY THROUGH AND ALSO CLEARED THE ROAD OF TEN WRECKED AMERICAN TROOP CARRYING VEHICLES.
BETWEEN 10 AND 20 AMERICAN DEAD WERE FOUND BY THESE TANKMEN.
ONE TANK SPOTTED BETWEEN 60 AND 70 REDS IN A TREE COVERED GULLY.
"WE SLAUGHTERED THEM WITH MACHINEGUNS," A GUNNER SAID.
WHEN THEY FINALLY GOT PAST THE AMBUSH POINT, THE TANKS LOST THEIR WAY AND ROLLED RIGHT INTO POHANG.
THE STREETS WERE SO NARROW AND THE FIRE FROM BURNING BUILDINGS SO CLOSE THAT THE CREWMEN WERE "SINGED," THEY SAID. BAGGAGE CARRIED IN THE REAR OF THE TANKS WAS BURNED.
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BULLETIN
NIGHT LEAD POHANG
U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IIN KOREA, SATURDAY, AUG. 12-(AP)-HEADQUARTERS REPORTED AT NOON THAT AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS JUMPED OFF TODAY IN A COUNTER-ATTACK AGAINST 3,000 NORTH KOREAN REDS HOLDING POHANG ON THE EAST COAST.

BLAZING POHANG WAS TAKEN BY THE REDS FRIDAY. UNITED NATIONS REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVED ON THE SCENE LAST NIGHT IN A LAST-DITCH ATTEMPT TO HOLD A KEY U. S. AIRBASE SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE TOWN ITSELF.

APPARENTLY A SEE-SAW BATTLE STILL RAGED FOR IMPORTANT INSTALLATIONS NEAR POHANG, IN ADDITION TO THE FIGHTER STRIP.
HEADQUARTERS FRIDAY SAID THE TOWN HAD FALLEN TO THE ON-RUSHING REDS WHO MOVED INTO POSITION FOR THEIR NEW ASSAULT OVER RUGGED MOUNTAIN TERRAIN. TODAY'S COMMUNIQUE, HOWEVER, SAID "UNCONFIRMED AND VARYING REPORTS INDICATE" POHANG IS IN RED CONTROL.
AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE AT POHANG SAID THE COMMUNIST ATTACK HAD THREE IMMEDIATE GOALS: TO SLAM SHUT A VISE ON ALL TROOPS IN THIS AREA; TO SEIZE THE ROAD-RAIL NETWORK OUT OF POHANG; AND TO SEIZE THE NEARBY AIRSTRIP FROM WHICH A LARGE SEGMENT OF U.S.FIGHTER PLANE POWER HAS BEEN OPERATING ALONG THE EAST COAST.
AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN AS WELL AS SOUTH KOREAN REINFORCEMENTS WERE RUSHED TO POHANG FRIDAY NIGHT. THEY WERE REPORTED IN POSITION THIS MORNING AND THEIR COUNTERATTACK APPARENTLY WAS GEARED AS AN ALL-OUT DEFENSE OF THE AIRSTRIP.
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BULLETIN BY LEIF ERICKSON
U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SATURDAY, AUG 12 (AP)-AMERICAN TANKS AND BATTLE-TESTED SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS REACHED THE POHANG AIRSTRIP DURING FRIDAY NIGHT.

THEIR ARRIVAL MATERIALLY STRENGTHENED DEFENSE OF THE VITAL FIGHTER AIRSTRIP, HEADQUARTERS REPORTS SAID.
IT WAS EXPECTED THAT A UNITED NATIONS ATTACK TO RETAKE THE CITY OF POHANG, SIX MILES NORTHWEST OF THE AIRSTRIP, WOULD DEVELOP TODAY.
POHANG FELL TO RED TROOPS LATE LAST NIGHT.
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FIRST LEAD POHANG
BY HAL BOYLE
POHANG AIR BASE, KOREA, AUG 11-(AP)-THIS AMERICAN AIR BASE FOUGHT FOR ITS LIFE TONIGHT AGAINST A SURPRISE RED KOREAN ENVELOPMENT SWEEPING AROUND FLAMING POHANG PORT TO THE SEA.
THE COMMUNISTS BROUGHT THEIR ARTILLERY WITHIN RANGE OF THE FIELD.
RISING LIKE ANGRY HORNETS DEFENDING THEIR NESTS, U.S. FIGHTER PLANES BLASTED WITH ROCKETS AND STRAFING FIRE IN DAYLIGHT FIGHTING FRIDAY AGAINST RED GUERRILLAS 1 1/2 MILES FROM END END OF THE AIRSTRIP.
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BY MIDAFTERNOON COMMUNIST MORTAR BURSTS WERE CREEPING ACROSS THE RICE PADDIES TOWARD A ROAD LEADING NORTHWEST TO POHANG, SIX MILES AWAY. AND A LINE OF MUD-STAINED NEGRO DOUGHBOYS THROWN AROUND THE PERIMETER OF THE BASE WAS COMBING THE MOUNTAI S WITH COUNTER-FIRE.

AMONG THEM WERE 100 OR MORE MEN WHO HAD CRAWLED THREE MILES ACROSS DANK PADDIES AFTER A TASK FORCE WHICH WAS RIDING TO THE DEFENSE OF THE AIRFIELD TWICE WAS AMBUSHED LAST NIGHT ON THE HIGHWAY FROM KYONGJU TO POHANG.
A 30-MILE BATTLEFRONT ERUPTED IN ACTION AS THE REDS TRIED TO CLOSE A TRAP AROUND UNITED NATIONS FORCES FIGHTING DESPERATELY FROM THE POHANG AREA NORTHWARD ALONG THE EAST COAST TO RED-CAPTURED YONGDOK.

THE ENEMY PUSH HAD THREE IMMEDIATE GOALS: TO BOTTLE UP AND DESTROY ALL TROOPS IN THIS COASTAL CORRIDOR, TO SEIZE THE VITAL ROAD AND RAIL NETWORK OF POHANG AND TO CAPTURE THE NEARBY KEY AIRBASE, A CHIEF SEAT OF AMERICAN AIRPOWER IN SOUTH KOREA.
IT WAS A BATTLEFRONT SET IN A SCENE OF PICTURE POSTCARD GRANDEUR. THE AIR-BASE ITSELF--BUILT BY JAPANESE DURING THE SECOND WORLD WAR BUT NICKNAMED THE CLEVELAND MUNICIPAL AIRPORT BECAUSE SO MANY OF ITS STAFF NOW ON IT CAME FROM CLEVELAND--LIES IN A LUSH VALLEY BORDERED BY THE LIGHT BLUE SEA OF JAPAN AND GREEN ROLLING HILLS.

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IT WAS THROUGH THOSE GENTLE-LOOKING HILLS THAT ABOUT TWO REGIMENTS OF NORTH KOREANS LASHED OUT SUDDENLY THURSDAY FROM KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG. DEFENSE LINES MANNED BY STARTLED AND OUTNUMBERED SOUTH KOREANS WILTED AS THE ENEMY TROOPS POURED THROUGH.
AIRMEN STATIONED HERE--THE ONLY AMERICAN FORCE OF ANY SIZE IN THE AREA--WENT TO BED UNEASY THURSDAY NIGHT. THEY WOKE UP FRIDAY MORNING GRIMLY AWARE THEY THEMSELVES NOW WERE THE TARGET OF GROUND TROOPS THEY HAVE BEEN BOMBING AND STRAFING FOR WEEKS.
THEY KEPT THE AIR ALIVE WITH WINGS AS THEY FLEW SORTIES IN CONTINUOUS SHUTTLE. ON SOME MISSIONS THEY TOOK OFF AND UNLOADED THEIR ROCKETS ON ENEMY VEHICLES AND TROOPS, RETURNED AND LANDED--WITHIN TEN TO FIFTEEN MINUTES.
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BLACK COLUMNS OF SMOKE POURED FROM POHANG ACROSS THE PADDIES AS THE NORTH KOREANS FOUGHT THROUGH THE CITY.
"THEY HAD FOUR MACHINE-GUNS ON A RIDGE AND OPENED THEIR ATTACK BY SHOOTING UP A HOSPITAL NEAR THE RAILROAD STATION AT THE NORTH END OF THE CITY," SAID CAPT. PERCY AUSTIN OF MAYSVILLE, KY., A KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP LIAISON OFFICER. "THEN THEY RAIDED AND SHOT UP THE RAILROAD STATION ITSELF. THE RAID WAS MADE BY 150 GUERRILLAS IN NATIVE CLOTHES AND TWO PLATOONS OF UNIFORMED SOLDIERS."
THE AMERICAN TASK FORCE DISPATCHED BY NIGHT TO CORDON THE AIRSTRIP WAS FIRST CUT BY MACHINEGUN FIRE AT ABOUT 1:30 A.M., WHEN LESS THAN TEN MILES FROM POHANG. THE COMMANDER THEN SENT BACK A COMPANY OF INFANTRY FROM POHANG TO MAKE CONTACT WITH HIS REAR FORCE.

"IT HAD MARCHED ONLY ABOUT TWO MILES WHEN IT RAN INTO ANOTHER AMBUSH ITSELF," SAID LT. LUCIEN TRUSCOTT III, SON OF THE RETIRED LIEUTENANT GENERAL WHO WON FAME IN THE LAST WORLD WAR FOR ENGINEERING AND ANZIO BRIDGEHEAD BREAKOUT.
IT WAS FEARED AT FIRST THAT MOST OF THE COMPANY HAD BEEN LOST BUT SEVERAL HOURS LATER MORE THAN 100 OF THE MISSING MEN STRAGGLED BACK. THEIR FACES WERE MUDCAKED AND SLACKED WITH FATIGUE, THEIR TROUSERS WERE IN SHREDS AND THEIR KNEES WORN RAW FROM CRAWLING.
CPL. RICHARD HOFFMAN OF JERSEY CITY, N.J., CAME BACK SHIRTLESS AND CARRYING A DAGGER IN HIS HAND. TEARS OF WEARINESS AND ANGER WELLED FROM HIS RED-RIMMED EYES AS HE TOLD OF THE AMBUSH:
"THEY CAUGHT US BETWEEN TWO HILLS. THEN THEY SHOT UP THE WHOLE COLUMN. ALL WE COULD DO WAS TO GET INTO A DITCH AND WAIT UNTIL MORNING. THEN THEY BEGAN OPENING UP ON US WITH MORTARS--AND THEY COULD HIT A DOGTAG WITH THEM. WE MESSED UP OUR OWN WEAPONS--THEY WERE SO CLOGGED WITH MUD WE COULDN'T USE THEM--AND WE PULLED OUT."
HOFFMAN SAID HE THOUGHT THE ENEMY HAD CAPTURED FOUR JEEPS IN USEFUL CONDITION.
"WE TOOK WITH US ALL THE WOUNDED WE COULD," SAID CPL. CLYDE GASKIN OF OAKLAND, CALIF., "BUT THERE ARE PLENTY MORE OUT THERE."
A PATROL LATER REACHED AND BROUGHT BACK A NUMBER OF SERIOUSLY WOUNDED. AS THEY WERE LOADED INTO HOSPITAL EVACUATION PLANES ONE SOLDIER GRUMBLED: "I HAVE BEEN IN COMBAT FOUR TIMES BEFORE BUT THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I GOT HURT IN COMBAT BEFORE I EVEN COULD SEE WHERE I WAS. THIS IS A HELL OF A WAR."
THE TASK FORCE COMMANDER PRAISED THE PERFORMANCE OF HIS ALL-NEGRO COMPANY AND SAID: "I AM PROUD OF THE WAY THEY STUCK TOGETHER. THEY PERFORMED MANY ACTS OF GALLANTRY."
AFTER A SHORT REST THE COMPANY WAS RETURNED TO DUTY MANNING DEFENSE POSTS AROUND THE AIRSTRIP.
DURING THE AFTERNOON EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER AND FIFTH AIR FORCE COMMANDER MAJ.GEN. EARLE E.PARTRIDGE FLEW OVER THE BATTLEZONE IN A T-6 OBSERVATION PLANE PILOTED BY PARTRIDGE.
REFUGEES STREAMING BY THE HUNDREDS OUT OF BURNING POHANG WERE SCREENED AND FUNNELLED PAST THE AIRPORT TO THE BEACHES. BUT DURING THE DAY A SUSPECTED GUERRILLA WAS CAPTURED IN THE BOMB DUMP AND TAKEN AWAY FROM QUESTIONING.
"BOY IF HE EVER TOUCHED THAT PLACE OFF WE ALL WOULD BE BLOWN EIGHT MILES FROM HERE," SAID ONE FLIER.
AT LAST LIGHT THE PILOTS REFUELED THEIR PLANES AND GUNS AND TOOK OFF FOR A SAFER FIELD TO BE SURE THAT NO SUDDEN ATTACK AGAINST THE FIELD WOULD LET THEM FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS. BUT THEY PLANNED TO FLY BACK AT FIRST LIGHT TOMORROW TO OPERATE FROM THEIR USUAL RUNWAY.
TONIGHT EVERY AIR AND GROUND SOLDIER ON THE FIELD WAS ALERTED. EVEN FULL COLONELS WERE CARRYING RIFLES--AND READY TO USE THEM. THIS AIRPORT IS TOO VALUABLE TO BE LOST.
FIGHTER PILOTS AT FIRST IGNORED RIFLE FIRE FROM REDS HIDING IN THE HEIGHTS SURROUNDING THE AIRPORT. BUT FINALLY THE GUERRAILLAS BEGAN HITTING SOME PLANES AS THEY TOOK OFF OR LANDED.
"THAT'S WHEN WE DECIDED TO PUT AN END TO THAT," SAID LT.COL. JACK DALE OF CLEVELAND, O.

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THE PLANES SPENT THE NEXT FEW HOURS SPRAYING THE HILLS WITH BULLETS. GUERRILLA FIRE SLACKENED ALMOST TO NOTHING.
SO MANY CLEVELANDERS ARE BASED AT POHANG THAT THE FIELD HAS BEEN DUBBED "CLEVELAND MUNICIPAL AIRPORT."
DURING THE AFTERNOON LT. GEN. WALTON WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE 8TH ARMY, AND MAJ. GEN. EARLE PARTRIDGE, COMMANDER OF THE 5TH AIR FORCE, ARRIVED BY PLANE AND SURVEYED THE SITUATION.
THEY TOOK OFF IN A LIGHT OBSERVATION PLANE AND SWEPT LOW OVER THE HILLS LOOKING FOR RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.
THE WHOLE BASE HAD A CLOSE ESCAPE.
GUARDS CAUGHT A NORTH KOREAN GUERRILLA NEAR THE DUMP WHERE BOMBS ARE STORED. ONE SAID:
"IF HE HAD SET OFF THAT DUMP, WE WOULD ALL HAVE BEEN EIGHT MILES FROM HERE."
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BULLETIN
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 11-(AP)-AMERICAN MUSTANG FIGHTER PLANES FLEW OFF RED THREATENED POHANG AIRSTRIP TONIGHT TO ESCAPE GUERRILLAS THREATENING THE FIELD, U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED.

UNTIL DUSK THE MUSTANGS FLEW OFF THE STRIP, STRAFING AND ROCKETING REDS AROUND THE FIELD. THE COMMUNISTS HELD A RIDGE ONLY 3 1/2 MILES FROM THE RUNWAY.
AS THE MUSTANGS TOOK OFF FOR THE NIGHT TO A SAFER AIR BASE IN KOREA, TWO COLONELS DUG IN WITH AMERICAN DOUGHBOYS IN THE PE
AS THE MUSTANGS TOOK OFF FOR THE NIGHT TO A SAFER AIR BASE IN KOREA, TWO COLONELS DUG IN WITH AMERICAN DOUGHBOYS IN THE PERIMETER DEFENCE. THEY EXPECTED A NIGHT-TIME BATTLE TO HOLD THE FIELD.

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THE PILOTS PLANNED TO BE BACK OVER THEIR TARFETS AT DAYBREAK SATURDAY. THEY WILL AGAIN OPERATE FROM POHANG AIR FIELD IF IT IS STILL IN AMERICAN HANDS.
A REINFORCING COLUMN OF AMERICAN TANKS AND SOUTH KOREANS WAS REPORTED WITHIN A FEW MILES OF POHANG AIRSTRIP AND READY TO JOIN THE DEFENSE.
IT MAY BE A RACE AGAINST TIME FOR THE REINFORCEMENTS TO REACH THE AIRSTRIP'S DEFENSE LINE IN TIME TO HELP FIGHT OFF THE EXPECTED ASSAULT BY COMMUNISTS IN FRIDAY NIGHTS DARKNESS.
WHILE STILL OPERATING OFF THE STRIP, THE MUSTANGS MADE STEEP TURNS IMMEDIATELY AFTER TAKEOFF AND THEN SHOT UP THE REDS. THEY

WERE BACK ON THE RUNWAY WITHIN TEN MINUTES AND THE RUSH JOB OF TAKING ON AMMUNITION FOR A NEW HURRIED TAKEOFF WAS STARTED.
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BULLETIN
BY LEIF ERICKSON
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SATURDAY, AUG.12-(AP)-AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN CLASHED IN HAND-TO-HAND COMBAT WITH NORTH KOREAN SHOCK TROOPS SATURDAY MORNING AS THE REDS MADE A NEW CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG RIVER WEST OF TAEGU.

THIS WAS NO IMMEDIATE INDICATION WHETHER THIS WAS THE RED'S EXPECTED ALL-OUT OFFENSIVE TO TAKE THE VITAL AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS CENTER ON THE CENTRAL FRONT.

THE NEW COMMUNIST CROSSING WAS MADE DURING THE NIGHT AND THE REDS JUMPED-OFF IN THEIR NEW ATTACK AGAINST U.S. FIRST CAVALRY POSITIONS SHORTLY AFTER DAWN.
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BULLETIN MATTER
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS KOREA -- SECOND ADD HAND-TO-HAND COMBAT TAEGU X X X AFTER DAWN.

THE RED STAB WAS SUPPORTED BY COMMUNIST TANKS STATIONED ON THE WEST BANK OF THE MUDDY STREAM. THE ARMORED UNITS LOBBED SHELL-FIRE INTO THE AMERICAN POSITIONS AND ARTILLERY ALSO WAS FALLING AMONG THE U.S. INFANTRYMEN.

THE COMBAT WAS FIERCE BUT THE ATTACKING FORCE WAS ESTIMATED TO NUMBER ONLY ABOUT 300 TROOPS.

THE HARD-FIGHTING AMERICAN TROOPS FIXED BAYONETS AND MET THE ENEMY IN HAND-TO-HAND COMBAT. THE CLOSE-IN SAVAGE FIGHT RAGED NEAR THE WATER'S EDGE AS THE GI'S BATTLED TO KEEP THE REDS FROM EXPANDING A BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE STREAM.

(REPORTS YESTERDAY SAID THE ENEMY HAD MASSED FOUR, POSSIBLY, FIVE, DIVISIONS IN A BUILD-UP FOR WHAT MIGHT BECOME AN ALL-OUT ATTEMPT TO TAKE TAEGU. PREVIOUS DISPATCHES ALSO MENTIONED HEAVY TANK SUPPORT FOR RED FORCES IN THE AREA.)

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, IN REPORTING THE BAYONET FIGHTING, SAID ANOTHER COMMUNIST PUSH WAS MAKING A HEAVY ATTACK AGAINST THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION.

THE COMMUNISTS WERE SUPPORTED BY TANKS AS THEY HIT THE SOUTH KOREANS BUT FRONT REPORTS SAY THE ENEMY WAS FOUGHT TO A STAND-STILL.

FIVE OF AN ORIGINAL FORCE OF TEN RED TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT BY THE SOUTH KOREANS, HEADQUARTERS SAID, BUT THE REST OF THE ENEMY ARMORED POWER STILL WAS ACTIVE EAST OF THE RIVER THIS MORNING.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE REPORT OF CASUALTIES AMONG THE AMERICAN TROOPS, THE SOUTH KOREANS OR THE REDS.

HEADQUARTERS SAID, HOWEVER, THE COMMUNISTS MADE NO GAINS IN THEIR ASSAULT AGAINST THE AMERICANS. THE ONLY INFORMATION CONCERNING THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREAN POSITIONS WAS THAT THE ENEMY HAD BEEN FOUGHT TO A STAND-STILL.
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A75FX (KING)
TAEGU FRONT (200)
BY O.H.P. KING
A FORWARD COMMAND POST, KOREA., AUG. 11-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS ATTACKED A HEAVILY MASSED COMMUNIST RIVER-CROSSING FORCE AT NOON FRIDAY IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA NEAR THE SOUTH END OF THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.

THE AMERICANS MADE GOOD PROGRESS IN THE FIRST 2 1/2 HOURS, SAID MAJ.-GEN. JOHN CHURCH. COMMANDING THE 24TH DIVISION. (THIS DISPATCH WAS SENT AT 6:05 P.M. KOREAN TIME--3:05 A.M., EST).

THE REDS HAVE A TWO-MILE BRIDGEHEAD FRONT ON THE AMERICAN SIDE OF THE NAKTONG. IN THAT AREA THEY HAVE CONCENTRATED ABOUT 6,000 NORTH KOREANS IN BRIGADE STRENGTH.

AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND FIGHTER PLANES HAVE BEEN POUNDING THEM STEADILY.

BUT WHATEVER LOSSES THE REDS SUFFER IN DAYLIGHT, THEY APPARENTLY REPLACE BY POURING REINFORCEMENTS ACROSS THE RIVER UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS.

THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE BEEN ABLE TO BRING ONLY ONE PIECE OF ARTILLERY OVER TO THE EAST BANK. BUT THEIR BRIDGEHEAD IS SUPPORTED BY A HEAVY BOMBARDMENT OF FIELD PIECES AND MORTARS FROM THE RED WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

DESPITE THE CONTINUED STREAM OF COMMUNIST REINFORCEMENTS, GENERAL CHURCH SAID DURING TODAY'S ATTACK BY HIS TROOPS HE WAS "QUITE PLEASED" WITH THEIR WORK IN CUTTING INTO THE ENEMY'S MAIN SALIENT ACROSS THE NAKTONG.

FOURTEEN NORTH KOREAN FIELD GUNS WERE SPOTTED TONIGHT BETWEEN THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION AND OTHER AMERICAN UNITS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. FOUR AIR STRIKES WERE CALLED TO KNOCK THEM OUT.

THE RED ARTILLERY WAS REPORTED SOUTH OF YONGSAN, SIX AIR MILES SOUTH OF CHANGNYONG ON THE ROAD TO MASAN, SUPPLY BASE FOR THE SUCCESS-FUL U.S. OFFENSIVE IN THE SOUTH.

THE GUNS WERE REPORTED IN A POSITION DANGEROUS TO 24TH DIVISION ELEMENTS TRYING TO REDUCE THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD.

IT WAS NOT REPORTED WHETHER THE ARTILLERY WAS NORTH OF THE RIVER (IN THE 24TH'S AREA) OR SOUTH OF THE NAKTONG. THE POSITION GIVEN WOULD PUT THEM SIX MILES EAST OF THE NAKTONG WHERE IT BENDS ALMOST AT RIGHT ANGLES.
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BULLETIN
TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG 12-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY ALL COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEADS ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER, EXCEPT IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA, HAD BEEN ERASED BY AMERICAN UNITS.

HEAVY FIGHTING CONTINUED IN BREACHES OF THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE WITH ENEMY STRENGTH AT CHANGNYONG ESTIMATED AT TWO REGIMENTS SUPPORTED BY ARTILLERY, SAID A RELEASE ISSUED BY MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 12:50 A.M. (9:50 A.M. EST FRIDAY).

THE COMMUNIQUES ONLY MENTION OF THE POHANG AREA FIGHTING WAS THE STATEMENT THAT UNITED NATIONS TROOPS WERE "COUNTERATTACKING THE PLUNGE OF NORTH KOREANS DOWN THE CORRIDOR SEPARATING THE EAST COAST AND THE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE POSITIONS" IN THE KIGYE SECTOR.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LIEF ERICKSON REPORTED EARLIER FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA THAT POHANG HAD FALLEN.
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(390)
BY O. H. P. KING
WITH THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 11-(AP)-EVERY DAY FOR SIX DAYS THE DEPLETED AMERICAN 24TH DIVISION HAS COUNTER-ATTACKED NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IN AN EFFORT TO SHOVE THEM BACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE CENTRAL FRONT.

EVERY NIGHT THE DIVISION CONCEDED ANOTHER HALF DAY WOULD BE NECESSARY.

BUT THE REDS KEPT GAINING GROUND. THEY HAVE ROLLED TWO OR THREE MILES SINCE SPANNING THE RIVER WHICH IS DEEP AND WIDE IN THIS AREA.

TODAY THE AMERICAN PROGRAM WAS CHANGED FROM THE USUAL 5:45 A. M. TAKEOFF TO NOON. AT ABOUT 10:00 A. M. THE ENEMY LAUNCHED A MORTAR AND ARTILLERY ATTACK THAT SURPRISED OFFICERS IN REGIMENTAL HEADQUARTERS.

WINDOWS WERE BROKEN AND A SHELL FRAGMENT LANDED ON A MAP ON THE TABLE IN THE "WAR ROOM."

SEVERAL DOZEN ROUNDS FELL IN THE VICINITY DURING A THREE-HOUR PERIOD. REGIMENTAL OPERATIONS ALL BUT STOPPED. COMMUNICATIONS WERE DISRUPTED BY BROKEN TELEPHONE LINES.

BUT AT NOON THE AMERICANS COUNTER-ATTACKED AGAIN---AS SCHEDULED. A HEAVY ARTILLERY BOMBARDMENT PRECEDED THE PUSH-OFF.

SEVERAL HOURS LATER, MAJ. GEN. JOHN H. CHURCH, DIVISION COMMANDER, SAID GOOD PROGRESS WAS BEING MADE.

CLAIMING EQUAL ATTENTION WAS A MOVE BY AMERICANS FROM ANOTHER DIVISION TO JOIN THE 24TH AND SOLIDIFY THE LINE AGAINST THE REDS.

THIS COULD ELIMINATE ONE OF THE GREATEST CAUSES OF WORRY FOR THE 24TH---ENCIRCLEMENT.

THE REDS PUT AN ANTI-TANK WEAPON ACROSS THE RIVER TODAY BY MEANS OF A PONTOON BRIDGE WHICH WAS QUICKLY DESTROYED. THE WEAPON REPORTEDLY KNOCKED OUT ONE AMERICAN TANK WHICH WAS HELPING A RECONNAISSANCE PARTY ELIMINATE COMMUNIST ROADBLOCKS ON THE ROUTE TO MASAN, TO THE SOUTH. THIS ROAD WAS BELIEVED OPEN TO TRAFFIC AS OF TONIGHT.

THE SEESAW BATTLE OF THE RIDGES IN THE BULGE EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, SOUTH OF PUGONG AND WEST OF YONGSAN, HAS GIVEN NEW U. S. TROOPS A STARK EXAMPLE OF THE DIFFERENCE IN MILITARY THEORIES OF COMMUNIST AND DEMOCRATIC FORCES.

THE COMMUNIST ENEMY CHARGES AND KEEPS COMING IN THE FACE OF DEVASTATING FIRE.

AS A RESULT, THE ENEMY IS EXPENDING TROOPS AT A RATE THAT SHOULD FIND HIS RESOURCES EXHAUSTED, SAY MILITARY OBSERVERS. MEANWHILE, AMERICAN FORCES ARE BEING BUILT UP.

THE ALLIES EXPECT RAPID PROGRESS ONCE THEY GET STARTED.

ALMOST EVERY ENEMY ADVANCE HAS BEEN PATTERNED ON INFILTRATION AND ENCIRCLEMENT TACTICS, PLUS SEIZURE OF ARTILLERY POSITIONS AS IMMEDIATE OBJECTIVES.

OFFICERS OF THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION ARE HOPEFUL THAT THEIR OLD ENEMY, THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION, WILL BE ELIMINATED AT THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT.

THESE ENEMY TROOPS HAVE MOVED OUT FROM ONE SECTOR OF THE BATTLE FRONT TO ANOTHER AS THE AMERICAN 24TH DIVISION SHIFTED.

RECORDS SHOW EACH CONTACT RESULTED IN A REBUFF FOR THE AMERICANS. ONE OFFICER SAID THERE HAVE BEEN NINE SUCH CONSECUTIVE DEFEATS.

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VBULLETIN

TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.12-(AP)-A HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT AMERICAN FORCES HAVE ATTAINED THEIR OBJECTIVE IN THE CHINJU FIGHTING.

A BRIEFING OFFICER SAID THE OBJECTIVE WAS THE HIGH GROUND IN FRONT OF THE TOWN -- NOT THE TOWN ITSELF.

THE CHINJU OPERATION WAS ASSIGNED TO A JOINT ARMY-MARINE GROUND FORCE AND WAS CALLED "TASK FORCE KEAN" FOR ITS COMMANDER.

THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL WORD, HOWEVER, WHETHER THE AMERICANS PLANNED A LET-UP IN THE HEAVY ACTION THAT HAS RAGED NEARLY A WEEK.

ON THE CONTRARY, THE HEADQUARTER SUMMARY SAID U.S. GROUND UNITS STILL WERE DRIVING AHEAD. THE BRIEFING OFFICER GAVE THIS PICTURE OF THE CHINJU FIGHTING:

AMERICANS HAVE OCCUPIED THE VILLAGE OF SANGMUN, ROUGHLY FIVE TO SIX MILES FROM THE CENTER OF CHINJU.

THE GOALS OF THE MARINE-ARMY DRIVE IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR WAS TO SPLINTER THE RED ATTACK POINTED TOWARD MASAN AND PUSAN, VITAL SUPPLY PORT OF U.N. FORCES OPERATING IN KOREA, AND TO SEIZE STRONG DEFENSIVE POSITIONS IN FRONT OF CHINJU ON THE EAST.

A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED BY MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ALSO SAID THE U.S. CHINJU OPERATION HAS ATTAINED ITS OBJECTIVE--"CAPTURE OF HIGH GROUND EAST OF THE CITY."

THE OFFICIAL WAR SUMMARY SAID MARINES MOVING SOUTH OF THE MAIN U.S. THRUST ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WERE MEETING STUBBORN ENEMY RESISTANCE AROUND KOSONG, A TOWN 15 MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU.

THE COMMUNIQUE, WHICH COVERED THE SAME DEVELOPMENTS OUTLINED BY THE BRIEFING OFFICER, SAID ELEMENTS OF THE 35TH ARMY DIVISION AND THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENT COMBAT TEAM WERE MOPPING UP ISOLATED NORTH KOREAN GROUPS CUT-OFF BY THE DOUBLE-HEADED AMERICAN ADVANCE OF THE TWO U.S. UNITS.

(FRONT LINE REPORTS THIS MORNING SAID THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL TEAM WAS FIGHTING SAVAGE ENEMY ATTEMPTS TO ESCAPE THE U.S. TRAP. THE REDS HAD PUT THE AMERICANS' SUPPLY LINE UNDER MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE AND FRONT LINE COMMANDERS REGARDED THE SITUATION AS "SERIOUS," AP WAR CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD SAID).

THE HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THIS SITUATION STILL EXISTED AND THAT THE ENEMY IS HOPING FOR REINFORCEMENTS "OR FOR ATTACKS IN THE REAR OF TASK FORCE KEAN."

MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN HAS HELD OVERALL COMMAND OF THE OFFENSIVE THROUGHOUT THE FIGHTING.

NORTHWARD ALONG THE NAKTING ROVER, THE AMERICAN 24TH DIVISION HIT OUT WITH A ONE-TWO PUNCH AIMED AT REDUCING RED STRENGTH IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD ZONE.

OFFICERS REPORTED THAT IN THE INITIAL ASSAULT, THE 24TH'S DOUGHBOYS SWEPT AHEAD MORE THAN A MILE AND REACHED THE RIVER BANK AT THE NORTHERN ELBOW OF THE BRIDGEHEAD. THE SECOND STAB WAS SLIGHTLY SOUTH, GAINED 1,500 YARDS AND SQUEEZED THE NORTH KOREANS BACK TOWARD THE RIVER.

IN BOTH ATTACKS, THE ARMY SAID, IMPORTANT HIGH GROUND WAS TAKEN BY THE AMERICANS.

NORTH OF CHANGNYONG, FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPS REPULSED A RED EFFORT TO ESTABLISH A SECTOR ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG. THIS WAS SOUTH OF WAEGWAN.

NORTH OF WAEGWAN, THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION BEAT BACK A RED PUSH, A SPOKESMAN CONTINUED.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID TWO NEW ENEMY DIVISIONS MAY BE APPROACHING THE WAEGWAN AND CHANGYONG AREAS. THEY WERE IDENTIFIED AS THE NINTH AND 14TH NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS.

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AT POHANG--IN WHAT PERHAPS WAS THE MOST CRUCIAL FIGHTING ALONG THE 140-MILE FRONT--THE SUMMARY SAID THE SITUATION WAS "BOILING AND CONFUSED."

HEADQUARTERS SAID IT HAS NOT CONFIRMED THAT THE REDS HOLD FIRM CONTROL OF POHANG ITSELF. BUT THE SPOKESMAN SAID REPORTS WERE RECEIVED OF STREET FIGHTING DURING THE NIGHT AS AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREANS HIT THE REDS FROM SOUTH AND WEST OF THE IMPORTANT PORT TOWN SOME 65 AIRMILES NORTH OF PUSAN.

ARMY OFFICERS SAID SOME RED TROOPS APPARENTLY CAME SOUTH INTO THE POHANG FIGHTING BY WATERM THEY ALSO SAID EVIDENCE IS MOUNTING THAT "GUERRILLAS FIGHTING AROUND POHANG HAVE BEEN WELL-TRAINED AND ARMED AND MAY EMERGE AS UNITS OF THE NORTH KOREAN REGULAR ARMY."

OFFICIAL ESTIMATES PLACED THE RED FORCES AT POHANG AT BETWEEN 2,000 AND 4,000 MEN "AND THIS FIGURE MAY BE LOW," OFFICERS STATED.

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NIGHT LEAD CHINJU FRONT
BY DON WHITEHEAD

WITH U. S. FORCES ON SOUTHERN FRONT IN KOREA, SATURDAY, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM TODAYFOUGHT OFF STIFF ATTACKS FROM COMMUNIST TROOPS BATTLING DESPERATELY TO BREAK OUT OF A TRAP SEPARATING THEM FROM THEIR SUPPLY BASE TO THE WEST

NORTH KOREANS WERE HITTING THE AMERICANS FROM THE REAR OF THE U. S. POSITIONS. THE ENEMY WAS USING MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE IN THEIR ALL-OUT ATTEMPT TO ACHIEVE A BREAKTHROUGH AND ESCAPE ANNIHILATION.

RED MACHINEGUNS CLATTERED AND MORTARS FELL ON THE U. S. SUPPLY LINE BETWEEN PONGAM AND PANSONG, ABOUT 15 MILES FROM THE COMMUNIST-HELD COMMUNICATIONS HUB OF CHINJU.

IT WAS A GIVE-AND-TAKE BATTLE WHICH AMERICAN COMMANDERS REGARD AS "SERIOUS" UNTIL RED POCKET CAN BE WIPED OUT. AN ESTIMATED TWO REGIMENTS OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS ARE BATTLING IN THE SECTOR.

THE STAGE FOR THE FIGHT WAS SET WHEN THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND ELEMENTS OF THE 35TH DIVISION JOINED TO CUT OFF THE REDS' ESCAPE ROUTE WESTWARD TOWARD CHINJU.

TO THE NORTH OF THE AMERICAN PUSH TOWARD CHINJU, A TANK-LED COMMUNIST COLUMN WAS REPORTED DRIVING EAST BELOW THE NAKTONG RIVER. ELEMENTS OF THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION WERE SENT TO DEAL WITH THIS LATEST THREAT.

THE NAKTONG RIVER SWINGS EASTWARD ABOVE THE CHINJU AREA AND IT IS NOT NECESSARY FOR THE REDS TO CROSS THE STREAM HERE TO CONTACT THE AMERICAN DEFENSE LINE.

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FIRST LEAD CHINJU (120)
BY DON WHITEHEAD

AN ADVANCED COMMAND POST,KOREA,AUG.11-(AP)-AMERICAN FORCES BROKE UP A DESPERATE ATTEMPT BY RED TROOPS TO FIGHT THEIR WAY OUT OF A TRAP IN THE CHINJU AREA ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FRONT TODAY.

THE REDS MADE A FIERCE BUT VAIN ATTEMPT TO BREAK THROUGH ENCIRCLING FORCES OF THE FIFTH AND 35TH REGIMENTS WHICH HAD LINKED UP IN THE FIRST MAJOR U.S. OFFENSIVE OF THE KOREAN WAR.

THE ENEMY WAS DRIVEN BACK INTO THE HILLS AFTER A FUTILE FIGHT TO BREACH THE AMERICAN LINE. THE REDS ARE STILL IN A TRAP.

NORTH KOREAN CASUALTIES WERE BELIEVED TO BE HEAVY IN THE SLAM-BANG BATTLE.

AMERICAN ARTILLERYMEN OPENED UP AT POINT BLANK RANGE ON COMMUNISTS IN RICE PADDIES ONLY 80 OR 90 YARDS FROM THEIR BATTERIES. THE GIS FIRED MACHINEGUNS SO STEADILY THEY BURNED OUT THREE BARRELS.

PLANES DROPPED AMMUNITION AND ARMS TO ISOLATED AMERICAN TROOPS.

AMERICANS BURNED OUT MACHINEGUN BARRELS.

HELICOPTERS PICKED UP AND FERRIED U.S. WOUNDED FROM THE BATTLE-FIELD.

THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM CLOSED THE GAP YESTERDAY AFTERNOON. THE TRAP WAS SPRUNG ON THIS SOUTHERN FRONT WHEN THESE INFANTRYMEN, COMING UP THE ROAD FROM CHINDONG, LINKED UP WITH THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION. THEIR MEETING, ELEVEN MILES EAST OF THE REDS' CHINJU BASE, CAUGHT AT LEAST A BATTALION (1000 MEN) OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IN A POCKET.

THIS MORNING THE REDS TRIED TO FIGHT THEIR WAY OUT.

THEY CAME ACROSS THE HILLS WITH MORTARS, MACHINEGUNS AND AUTOMATIC WEAPONS TO SWEEP THE ROADS WITH FIRE.

THREE BATTALIONS OF THE 35TH REGIMENT WERE SEPARATED.

EVEN THE REGIMENTAL COMMAND POST WAS UNDER ATTACK.

AS THIS IS WRITTEN, THE REDS ARE BEING DRIVEN BACK FROM THE COMMAND POST AREA. TANKS ARE GOING INTO ACTION TO OPEN THE SUPPLY ROAD.

(THIS DISPATCH FROM THE CHINJU FRONT WAS SENT AT 2:30 P.M., FRIDAY, KOREAN TIME (11:30 P.M. THURSDAY, EST).

BRIG. GEN. GEORGE BARTH OF LEAVENWORTH, KAS., RACED DOWN A ROAD UNDER MACHINEGUN FIRE TO CHECK ON ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY POSITIONS. HE IS THE 25TH DIVISION'S ARTILLERY COMMANDER.

THE COMMAND POST IS IN A CLUMP OF TREES THAT QUIVER FROM THE BLAST OF AMERICAN ARTILLERY. BIG 105S WERE HURLING SHELLS AT THE ENEMY NOT MORE THAN 800 YARDS AWAY. MACHINE GUNS WERE RATTLING NEARBY.

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MARINES (740)
BY TOM LAMBERT

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WITH U.S.MARINES IN KOSONG,KOREA,AUG 11 (AP)-THE U.S.MARINES TODAY CAPTURED KOSONG, LARGEST CITY TO FALL TO THE AMERICANS IN THEIR CURRENT ATTACK ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE KOREAN FRONT.

THE MARINES DROVE OUT THE NORTH KOREAN REDS AND TOOK OVER THE CITY AT ABOUT NOON. THE LEATHERNECKS HAD FOUGHT THROUGH THE NIGHT AGAINST STIFF RED OPPOSITION WHICH CRUMBLED JUST BEFORE KOSONG WAS OCCUPIED.

KOSONG WAS A BATTERED, FLAMING HULK OF A CITY AS THE MARINES DROVE IN. LEATHERNECK FIGHTER-BOMBERS AND ARTILLERY HAD RIDDLED KOSONG AND SET LARGE SECTIONS AFIRE. (KOSONG'S NORMAL POPULATION IS 50,000.)

IN THEIR ADVANCE AGAINST THE REDS--WHOSE WITHDRAWAL WAS A NEAR ROUT--THE MARINES CAPTURED ENEMY ARMS AND EQUIPMENT INCLUDING AT LEAST 10 RUSSIAN-MADE THREE-PASSENGER MOTORCYCLES AND A HALF DOZEN SOVIET-MADE JEEPS. THEY ALSO BAGGED SIZABLE QUANTITIES OF AMMUNITION, CLOTHING AND SMALL ARMS.

AS THE MARINES EDGED INTO KOSONG THE REDS LEFT BY THE BACK DOOR. LEATHERNECK CORSAIR PILOTS, HOWEVER, CAUGHT ONE COLUMN ESTIMATED AT 800 MEN AND STRAFED IT SAVAGELY AND REPEATEDLY.

THE ADVANCE INTO KOSONG WAS MADE EASIER FOR THE MARINES BY A LEATHERNECK RECONNAISSANCE PATROL COMMANDED BY LT.DONALD SHARON OF BAKERSFIELD, CALIF., WHICH YESTERDAY AFTERNOON SPOTTED A RED AMBUSH AND KILLED 32 OF THE ENEMY WHO WERE HOPING TO WAYLAY THE MAIN MARINE COLUMN.

SHARON, WHO WAS RIDING IN THE LEAD JEEP OF THE PATROL, SAID ABOUT FOUR MILES NORTH OF KOSONG "I HAD A FEELING SOMETHING WAS WRONG." HE WAS SCANNING THE SURROUNDING HILLS "WHEN ABOUT 50 FEET AWAY SOMEONE SUDDENLY POPPED HIS HEAD UP."

THE MARINES STARTED SHOOTING FROM THEIR JEEPS, THEN ABANDONED THE MACHINES AS THEY WENT AFTER THE REDS.

SHARON, COVERED BY THREE RIFLEMEN, KNOCKED OUT TWO RED MACHINEGUNS AND A MORTAR WITH HAND GRENADES.

FOUR MARINES WERE WOUNDED SLIGHTLY IN THE SKIRMISH. ONE OF THEM REFUSED TO BE LOADED ON AN AMBULANCE WITHOUT HIS BROWNING AUTOMATIC RIFLE.

THE MAIN COLUMN OF MARINES JUMPED OFF AGAINST KOSONG EARLY THIS MORNING. UNDER A BARRAGE OF ARTILLERY AND A RAIN OF ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE FROM GULL-WINGED CORSAIR FIGHTERS, THEY ENTERED THE CITY ABOUT NOON.

ONLY A FEW SNIPERS REMAINED IN THE BURNING PORT, FIRING QUICK SNAP SHOTS DOWN THE DIRT ROADS AND NARROW ALLEYS. THE MARINES SLIPPED WARILY ALONGSIDE PRIMITIVE MUD HUTS AND THE FEW BRICK BUILDINGS, RETURNING THE FIRE.

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MORE MARINES POURED INTO THE SMOULDERING CITY. THICK WHITE SMOKE

ROSE AND SPREAD OVER THE SURROUNDING COUNTRYSIDE, GLARING IN THE MERCILESS SUNLIGHT.

FOUR OF THE LEATHERNECKS RODE GRANDLY INTO KOSONG IN A RUSSIAN-MADE JEEP.

THE DRIVER, LT. WILLIAM LUTNICK OF (3941 WEST 61ST PLACE) CHICAGO, DECLARED THE SOVIET CREATION WAS "NOT WORTH A DAMN."

SGT.JOHN ALTERMATT OF NEW HAVEN, CONN., GRINNED AGREEMENT FROM THE SHADE OF A NORTH KOREAN UMBRELLA. WITH HIM WERE CPL. ROBERT CRAIL OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND., AND PFC DALE SHEDD OF CARLSBAD, N.M.

MARINES CROUCHED TENSELY AGAINST BUILDINGS, WEAPONS ALERT, AS THE SNIPERS CONTINUED THEIR WORK. TWO LEATHERNECKS HASTILY ABANDONED THEIR POSTS, HOWEVER, AND RAN TO RESCUE A BLACK PUP WHICH STRAYED INTO THE STREET.

FARTHER UP ONE MAIN STREET AN ENTIRE BLOCK OF BUILDINGS LAY SMASHED FLAT BY ARTILLERY AND ROCKETS. SMOKE DRIFTED FROM SCORCHED AND CHARRED WOOD.

THE ROOF OF THE POLICE STATION SAGGED BROKENLY INTO A JUMBLE OF PLASTER AND WOOD. TWO SOUTH KOREAN NATIONAL EMBLEMS STILL WERE ON THE WALLS.

ACROSS THE STREET A MARINE JABBED HIS BAYONETED RIFLE GINGERLY INTO A SHOP WINDOW FULL OF CROCKERY AND GRUMBLED ABOUT THE POOR OPPORTUNITIES FOR "LIBERATING" LOOT. IN THE YARD OF A NEARBY BUILDING FOUR OTHER LEATHERNECKS LOUNGING IN ARMCHAIRS PROFANELY AGREED.

THEN AN OFFICER CALLED OUT "SADDLE UP" AND THE LONG COLUMN OF TIRED, DIRTY, SWEATY MARINES BEGAN STALKING THROUGH THE STREETS.

"WATCH THE WIRES," CAME A CRY FROM ONE BOOBYTRAP-CONSCIOUS LEATHER-NECK.

"ENGINEERS UP AHEAD," CAME ANOTHER CALL, FOLLOWED BY THE CHILLING SHOUT FOR "CORPSMAN, CORPSMAN," THE NAVY MEDICAL AID MEN WHO TRAVEL WITH THE MARINES.

ANOTHER MARINE STOPPED THREE REPORTERS AND ASKED: "HOW FAR IS SEOUL? I WANT TO KNOW HOW MANY PAIRS OF SHOES I'M GONNA NEED IF WE HAVE TO WALK ALL THE WAY THERE TOO."

ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE CITY THE MARINES COMMANDER, BRIG.GEN.EDWARD CRAIG, SAID HE THOUGHT HIS MEN HAD DONE "A PROFESSIONAL JOB" IN TAKING KOSONG.

"AND WE'RE NOT TAKING TOO MANY CASUALTIES," HE ADDED.

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BULLETIN

THIRD NIGHT LEAD AERIAL

TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 12-(AP)-A HEAVY FORCE OF B-29S TODAY BOMBED "MILITARY OBJECTIVES IN THE EXTREME NORTHEAST CORNER OF NORTH KOREA."

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BULLETIN MATTER

~~TOKYO--THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AERIAL XXX NORTH KOREA."~~

THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE BIG SUPERFORTS STRUCK FROM THE SEA AT ABOUT NOON TODAY (9 P.M. EST FRIDAY).

THE ANNOUNCEMENT DID NOT NAME THE TARGETS.

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~~TOKYO--SECOND ADD THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AERIAL XXX THE TARGETS.~~

MILITARY TARGETS WERE "BOMBED FROM A MASS FORMATION," IT ADDED.

EARLIER IT WAS ANNOUNCED U.S. NAVY PATROL BOMBERS FRIDAY HIT AND LEFT BURNING 10 NORTH KOREAN COASTAL SHIPS BETWEEN WONSAN AND MUSUDAN OFF KOREA'S EAST COAST.

THE TWIN-ENGINE NEPTUNE PLANES MADE THE ATTACKS ABOUT 80 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. ENEMY SHIPS HIT WERE DESCRIBED AS SMALL STEAM VESSELS.

AIR FORCE BOMBERS ALSO WERE OUT IN FORCE. THE B-29S CENTERED THEIR ATTACKS ON BRIDGES AND COMMUNICATIONS LINES IN NORTH KOREA.

OTHER AMERICAN AIRMEN---MARINES AND AIR FORCE---FLEW CONTINUING MISSIONS IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS ALONG MUCH OF THE 140-MILE FRONT.

NAVAL AIRPOWER WAS AUGMENTED BY SHIP BATTERIES OFF THE SOUTH COAST. A U. S. DESTROYER BOMBARDED ENEMY GUN POSITIONS WITH WHAT HEADQUARTERS CALLED "GOOD RESULTS" AND SANK THREE SMALL BOATS WITH 40 MM GUN FIRE.

OTHER NAVAL UNITS LAID DOWN GUN FIRE IN SUPPORT OF MARINE AND ARMY GROUND UNITS FIGHTING ALONG THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT.

THE SUPERFORTRESSES HIT MORE THAN A DOZEN BRIDGES ALONG THE EAST COAST, ON THE WONSAN-SEOUL RAIL LINE AND ELSEWHERE IN ENEMY-OCCUPIED TERRITORY.

ARMY FIGHTERS' SUPPORT MISSIONS INCLUDED STRIKES AGAINST RAILROAD ROLLING STOCK WHICH WAS BOMBED AND STRAFED IN VIRTUALLY ALL SECTORS.

MARINE CARRIER-BASED PILOTS CLAIMED 45 RED VEHICLES WERE KNOCKED OUT IN A FAST-MOVING ENEMY CONVOY SIGHTED BETWEEN KOSONG AND SUCHON ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. THE LEATHERNECKS ALSO PLASTERED TWO TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SET AFIRE 125 ENEMY-OCCUPIED HOUSES.

MUSTANG FIGHTERS AND SHOOTING STAR JETS OF THE AIR FORCE AIMED THEIR HEAVIEST GROUND SUPPORT ATTACKS ALONG THE CHINJU FRONT.

OTHER GROUND SUPPORT OPERATIONS WERE CARRIED OUT ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER WHERE U. S. AND SOUTH KOREAN INFANTRY UNITS FOUGHT A PITCHED BATTLE WITH NORTH KOREANS.

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AS THE AMERICAN FLIERS HELPED IN THE BATTLE TO SAVE THEIR OPERATIONAL BASE, GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED ENEMY AIR-CRAFT SIGHTED OVER THE NAKTONG AREA IN THE WEST.

IT SAID "FOUR ENEMY AIRCRAFT WERE OBSERVED" DURING THE AFTERNOON. THE U. S. WARPLANES HAVE BEEN SPOTTING INCREASED NUMBERS OF RED PLANES BUT SELDOM CAUGHT ANY IN THE AIR.

A FIFTH AIR FORCE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID U.S.MUSTANG FIGHTERS ALSO STRAFED COMMUNIST TROOPS AND CONVOYS MOVING DOWN THE COASTAL ROAD TOWARD POHANG FROM THEIR COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF YONGDOK, ABOUT 25 MILES NORTH.

NEAR YONGDOK, THE FIGHTERS HIT A SCHOOLHOUSE FULL OF RED TROOPS. THEY BLEW UP A FUEL DUMP NEAR POHANG.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE SAID HELICOPTERS RESCUED THREE DOWNED FLIERS DURING THE DAY.

AN AIR FORCE PILOT WAS LIFTED OFF ENEMY TERRITORY NEAR KUMCHON IN CENTRAL KOREA AND TWO MARINE AIRMEN WERE RESCUED NEAR KOSONG ON THE SOUTH COAST, ONE FROM THE GROUND AND THE OTHER FROM THE WATER.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW 273 SORTIES DURING THE DAY AND DESTROYED THREE RUSSIAN-MADE YAK PLANES ON THE GROUND AS WELL AS VEHICLES, DUMPS AND BUILDINGS AT KIMPO AIRPORT NEAR SEOUL, KIGYE NEAR POHANG, AND WAEGWAN ON THE CENTRAL FRONT'S NAKTONG RIVER LINE.

THE U.S.SEVENTH FLEET SAID ITS NAVY AND MARINE PLANES WROUGHT HEAVY DAMAGE IN TWO DAYS OF HARD-HITTING ATTACKS ON RED COMMUNICATIONS, TROOPS AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS.

THE MAIN EFFORT OF THE CARRIER-BASED PLANES WAS DIRECTED AGAINST INCHON ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA, THE PORT FOR SEOUL. BOMBS WEIGHING 500 AND 1,000 POUNDS WERE DROPPED ON INCHON'S FACTORIES, WAREHOUSES AND VEHICLE ASSEMBLY PLANTS.

OTHER NAVY PLANES FLEW GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS ALONG THE CENTRAL FRONT AND BOMBED TARGETS AT WIDESPREAD POINTS THROUGHOUT SOUTH KOREA.

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A167KX (INSERT LEAD AERIAL)
FIRST LEAD KOREAN AERIAL (160)
TOKYO, AUG.11-(AP)-STRAFING U.S. MUSTANG FIGHTER PILOTS TODAY RIPPED INTO NORTH KOREAN REDS THREATENING AN IMPORTANT AIRSTRIP ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF FALLEN POHANG.

THE MUSTANGS ALSO STRAFED RED TROOPS AND CONVOYS MOVING ON POHANG FROM YONGDOK IN THE NORTH.

THE FIGHTERS BLEW UP A FUEL DUMP NORTH OF POHANG, STARTING A LARGE FIRE.

NEAR YONGDOK, THE MUSTANGS HIT A SCHOOLHOUSE FULL OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND RAKED TEN VEHICLES AND TWO AMMUNITION CARTS.

THREE DOWNED PILOTS WERE RESCUED BY HELICOPTERS DURING THE DAY'S OPERATION, A FIFTH AIR FORCE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.

A MUSTANG FLIER WAS PICKED UP BEHIND ENEMY LINES IN THE KUMCHON AREA IN CENTRAL KOREA. A HELICOPTER RESCUED TWO MARINE PILOTS NEAR KOSONG, ONE FROM THE GROUND AND ANOTHER FROM THE WATER. KOSANG IS ON THE SOUTH COAST.

THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET SAID NAVY AND MARINE PLANES RACKED UP IMPRESSIVE DAMAGE TOLLS AGAINST COMMUNIST COMMUNICATIONS, TROOPS AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS IN TWO DAYS OF HARD-HITTING ATTACKS.

A SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS WAS RELEASED BY VICE ADM. ARTHUR D. STRUBLE.

HE SAID FACTORIES AND WAREHOUSES IN THE INCHON (SEOUL PORT) AREA OF SOUTH KOREA ON THE YELLOW SEA BORE THE BRUNT OF THE STRIKES. METAL WORKS FACTORIES, WAREHOUSES AND TRANSPORTATION ASSEMBLY PLANTS THERE WERE HIT WITH 500 AND 1,000 POUND BOMBS.

OTHER NAVY PLANES RANGED NORTHWARD TO THE WAEGWAN AREA OF THE CENTRAL FRONT ON GROUND TROOPS SUPPORT MISSIONS. NEAR THE TOWN OF YOSU, AN ATTACKING PILOT BOWLED A BOMB INTO A RAILROAD TUNNEL WHERE A NORTH KOREAN TRAIN HAD STOPPED TO AVOID BOMBARDMENT.

THE CARRIER-BASED NAVAL FLIERS RANGED AS FAR NORTH AS SEOUL, LONG-FALLEN CAPITAL OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC. A DIRECT HIT WAS SCORED ON A BRIDGE THERE WITH A 1,000 POUND BOMB.

MARINES FLYING FROM FLAT-TOPS MADE GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS WHERE LEATHERNECK GROUND TROOPS AND ARMY UNITS BATTLED AROUND CHINJU. PILOTS REPORTED A HEAVY TOLL OF COMMUNIST INFANTRY FORCES AND INSTALLATIONS.

AS THE NAVY FLYING POWER WAS DIRECTED AT THE REDS, AIR FORCE OFFICIALS ISSUED FURTHER REPORTS ON B-29 STRIKES WEDNESDAY IN NORTH KOREA. THEY SAID THE BIG BOMBERS LEFT FIRES BURNING THAT SENT FLAMES UP MORE THAN 3,000 FEET AT WONSAN, 80 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THE TARGET THERE WAS THE CHOSEN (KOREAN) OIL REFINERY, A PRIME PRODUCER OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTS NEEDED BY THE COMMUNIST WAR MACHINE.

OTHER AIR FORCE PLANES PERFORMED URGENTLY-NEED GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS TO HELP INFANTRY UNITS IN THE NORTH, SOUTH AND CENTRAL FRONTS.
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B109KX (Q) (LEAD MINISTER, AUSSIE)
(APW)
TOKYO,SATURDAY, AUG. 12-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER PILOTS FRIDAY DESTROYED THREE RED TANKS IN GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS NEAR WAEGWAN ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER CENTRAL FRONT IN KOREA. ANOTHER TANK WAS DAMAGED.

ONE UNIDENTIFIED FLIGHT LEADER ACCOUNTED FOR TWO OF THE TANKS. HE SAID BOTH OF THEM BLEW UP WHEN HIS ROCKETS SMASHED INTO THEM.

ONE OF THE BLAZING TANKS, HE REPORTED, SET FIRE TO A NEARBY HOUSE.
FJ1144PCS

B4KX (SEGC) (TEXT)
TOKYO, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 236 ISSUED AT 12:40 P.M., (9:40 P.M., EST, THURSDAY) BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:

TASK FORCE KEAN CONTINUED TO ADVANCE IN THE DIRECTION OF CHINJU AGAINST STIFFENING RESISTANCE. AT LATEST REPORTS LEADING ELEMENTS HAVE ADVANCED ~~TO WITHIN SIX MILES OF CHINJU; OTHER UNITS OF THE TASK~~ FORCE ARE MOPPING UP ENEMY POCKETS IN REAR AREAS.

THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION CONTINUES ITS ASSAULT ON THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG.

EXTREMELY HEAVY FIGHTING IS REPORTED IN THIS AREA AS A RESULT OF U.S.ATTACKS ATTEMPTING TO THROW THE EXPANDING RED FORCE BACK ACROSS THE RIVER.

SOUTH OF WAEGWAN, ELEMENTS OF THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION COMPLETED THE ELIMINATION OF THE ENEMY FORCE WHICH HAD PREVIOUSLY CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER.

THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) 3RD DIVISION CONTINUED TO HOLD ITS POSITION ONE MILE SOUTH OF YONGDOK IN THE FACE OF HEAVY ENEMY ATTACKS. FARTHER SOUTH ELEMENTS OF THE DIVISION WITHDREW UNDER HEAVY ATTACK TO POSITIONS 3,000 YARDS SOUTHEAST OF KIGYE.

THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) 8TH AND 6TH DIVISIONS LAUNCHED ATTACKS WHICH GAINED SEVERAL MILES ALL ALONG THE FRONT TO A POSITION GENERALLY SIX MILES NORTH OF UISONG. ELEMENTS OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) 1ST DIVISION CONTINUED MOPPING-UP OPERATIONS AGAINST THE ENEMY TRAPPED IN THE FRONT SALIENT EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER NORTH OF WAEGWAN.

NAVAL FORCES CONTINUED PATROL OPERATIONS OFF THE EAST AND WEST COAST OF KOREA. ELEMENTS OF THE EAST COAST PATROL BOMBARDED TARGETS IN THE YONGDOK AREA AND FIRED ON ENEMY TRANSPORT VEHICLES NORTH OF YONGDOK.

DELAYED REPORTS ON NAVAL AVIATION ACTING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF TASK FORCE KEAN SHOWED RESULTS INCLUDING THE DESTRUCTION OF TWO TANKS, A MACHINE GUN NEST, FOUR ARTILLERY POSITIONS AND FIVE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER SORTIES ON NIGHT INTRUDER AND FIGHTER BOMBER MISSIONS DESTROYED THREE AIRCRAFT, TWO BOXCARS, TWO AUTOMATIC GUNS, THREE ARTILLERY PIECES, FIVE VEHICLES, FOUR BUILDINGS, ONE SUPPLY DUMP AND ONE FUEL DUMP.

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B15KX (BSEGC)
TEXT (490)
TOKYO,AUG.11-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.237 (NAVY AIR) ISSUED AT 1:30 P.M. (10:30 P.M., EST, THURSDAY) BY GEN.MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:

NAVY PILOTS FROM TWO ESSEX CLASS CARRIERS HUNG UP THEIR GREATEST KILL OVER A TERRITORY RANGING FROM KAESONG AND HAEJU ON THE NORTH TO THE PORT OF YOSU IN SOUTH KOREA IN A SERIES OF STRIKES OVER A TWO-DAY PERIOD. THE TOLL OF DAMAGE WAS ANNOUNCED BY VICE ADMIRAL ARTHUR D. STRUBLE, U.S.NAVY, COMMANDER, SEVENTH FLEET.

FACTORIES AND WAREHOUSES IN THE INCHON AREA BORE THE BRUNT OF THE TWO-DAY STRIKE. THE INCHON METAL WORKS FACTORY AND WAREHOUSES WERE STRUCK WITH 1,000 POUND BOMBS WHILE WAREHOUSES AND OIL TANKS IN THE SAME AREA WERE FIRED BY INCENDIARIES AND ROCKETS. THE TRANSPORTATION ASSEMBLY FACTORY AT INCHON WAS ALSO A TARGET. THIS PLANT WAS FIRED BY THREE 500 POUND BOMBS AND ROCKETS. FLIERS LEAVING THE SCENE ON THE ATTACK REPORTED CLOUDS OF SMOKE ASCENDING THOUSANDS OF FEET WERE VISIBLE FOR MILES DISTANT FROM THE WEST KOREAN PORT.

STRAFING PILOTS ATTACKED A SUPPLY DUMP IN THE TIDAL BASIN SECTION OF INCHON AND OBTAINED FOUR HITS WITH 1,000 POUND BOMBS ON WAREHOUSES. TWO OF THESE WERE COMPLETELY DESTROYED. EAST OF THE WAREHOUSES

THE CARRIER PILOTS ENCOUNTERED A CAMOUFLAGED FUEL DUMP AND DESTROYED BETWEEN 500 AND 1,000 DRUMS OF OIL.

TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AT WAEWAN AND YOGU WERE STRAFED WITH HEAVY CASUALTIES. NORTH OF YOSU ONE FLIGHT GROUP UNCOVERED A TRAIN THAT HAD STOPPED IN A TUNNEL TO AVOID ATTACK. AN ATTACKING PILOT LOBBED A BOMB INTO THE TUNNEL. THE DAMAGE TO THE TRAIN WAS UNDETERMINED BUT THE RAILROAD IN THE VICINITY WAS RIPPED UP FOR A CONSIDERABLE DISTANCE.

A DIRECT HIT WITH A 1,000 POUND BOMB WAS SCORED ON THE SEOUL BRIDGE WEDNESDAY WITH RESULTS UNDETERMINED.

TABULATION OF THE RESULTS OF THE TWO-DAY STRIKE FOLLOWS: DAMAGED 18 BRIDGES, DESTROYED FIVE BRIDGES, DAMAGED 14 AMMUNITION DUMPS, EXPLODED FOUR SUPPLY DUMPS, FIRED THREE BOX CARS, DESTROYED THREE BOX CARS, DAMAGED NINE LOCOMOTIVE ROUNDHOUSES, DAMAGED TWO MARSHALLING YARDS, DAMAGED FOUR FUEL TANKS, DESTROYED FOUR TANK CARS, DAMAGED SIX LOCOMOTIVES, DESTROYED THREE TRUCKS, DAMAGED 63 TRUCKS, DESTROYED 14 TANKS, DESTROYED THREE TANKS, DAMAGED 12 TRAINS, DAMAGED TWO TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS, ATTACKED 20 GUN EMPLACEMENTS, ATTACKED NINE JUNKS, STRAFED 13 SAMPANS, STRAFED 66 FACTORIES, DAMAGED FIVE FACTORIES, DESTROYED 12 POWER STATIONS, DAMAGED TWO POWER STATIONS, DESTROYED FOUR TRANSFORMERS.

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CARRIER-BASED MARINE CORSAIR PILOTS CONTINUED THEIR HARD-HITTING CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR AUGUST 10, TAKING A HEAVY TOLL OF ENEMY TROOPS CONCENTRATED ON RIDGES AND KNOLLS.

THE MARINES WENT TO WORK WITH ROCKETS, BOMBS, NAPALM, AND 20 MM.CANNONS. ONE ARTILLERY POSITION NEAR URIYONG WAS DESTROYED BY 500-POUND BOMBS. ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY TROOPS ON ONE KNOLL WERE WIPED OUT. TWO 75 MM. GUNS AND CAISSONS WERE KNOCKED OUT.

UMS.NAVY BOMBARDMENT FORCES ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA

U.S.NAVY BOMBARDMENT FORCES ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA AT YONGDOK REPORTED INCREASED MOVEMENT AT NIGHT OF SUPPLY TRAINS TO THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES. HARASSING FIRE ON THE MOVING COLUMNS WAS CONDUCTED FOR MORE THAN AN HOUR, DISRUPTING THE SUPPLY TRAINS.

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B21KX (BSEG)

TEXT (230)

TOKYO, AUG. 11-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 238 (AERIAL) TIMED AT 5 P.M (2 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME) TODAY:

FIGHTERS WERE AIRBORNE TODAY IN A SUSTAINED ASSAULT AGAINST NORTH KOREAN FORCES AND THEIR THINNING LINES OF COMMUNICATIONS.

SECOND LT. BURTRAM D. WILKINS, BOERNE, TEXAS, FLEW AN F-80 JET AGAINST "SUPPLY DUMPS AT SHINBAN, NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAM, LEAVING THEM BURNING. WE ALSO ROCKETED MILITARY BUILDINGS, SETTING THEM IN FLAMES, AND DAMAGED TWO TRUCKS BY MACHINE GUN FIRE," HE SAID.

LEADING AN ELEMENT OF F80S AGAINST NORTH KOREAN TROOPS CROSSING A RIVER NEAR WAEGWAN, 2ND LT. THOMAS C. WADSWORTH, UVALDE, TEXAS, WAS CREDITED WITH GOOD HITS AGAINST THEM AND AGAINST A WELL-CONCEALED MEDIUM TANK. "I FIRED ROCKETS AND 50 CALIBER SHELLS AT IT AND AM CONVINCED I DAMAGED IT," HE SAID.

LATE REPORTS FROM THURSDAY NIGHT'S INTRUDER MISSIONS TOLD OF APPROXIMATELY 30 MISSIONS FLOWN AGAINST SUPPLY LINES, PYONGTAEK AND SEOUL AREAS WITH GOOD RESULTS DESPITE SPASMODIC RAINS WHICH USUALLY DECREASE FLYING EFFICIENCY.

FIRST LT. ROBERT J. MARTIN JR., 901 FREEMAN PL., TUCSON, ARIZ., REPORTED TWO LARGE FIRES AT THE INCHON DOCKS AFTER HIS B-26 HAD UNLOADED ITS BOMBS.

IN A STRAFING "MISSION NEAR PYONGTAEK, CAPT. FLOYD E. SINGLETON PLACERVILLE, CALIF., SAID: "WE STRAFED A CONVOY NEAR THE TOWN AND SAW FOUR SEPARATE FIRES AFTER TURNING FROM THE TARGET."

A LARGE EXPLOSION WAS MADE BY A B-26 ON A TRAIN NEAR SEOUL. THE TRAIN WAS HEADED TOWARD THE FRONT LINES, APPARENTLY LOADED WITH SUPPLIES.

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B104KX (TEXT) (Q)

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TEXT (240)

TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG 12 (AP)-THE TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S KOREAN RELEASE NO.239, ISSUED AT 12:50 A.M. (9:50 A.M. FRIDAY E.S.T.):

TASK FORCE KEAN FORCED BACK THE SIXTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION TO WITHIN TWO MILES OF KOSONG AND FIVE MILES OF CHINJU AS THE ENEMY EMPLOYED SELF-PROPELLED AND DIRECT FIRE AGAINST THE ATTACKING AMERICAN UNITS. SMALL. BY-PASSED ENEMY POCKETS ARE BEING "MOPPED UP."

HEAVY FIGHTING CONTINUED IN THE BREACHES OF THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE. ISOLATED POCKETS OF INFILTRATING RED TROOPS ARE BEING LIQUIDATED BY AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS. ENEMY STRENGTH AT CHANGYONG IS ESTIMATED AT TWO REGIMENTS SUPPORTED BY ARTILLERY. HOWEVER, ALL OTHER COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEADS HAVE BEEN ERASED BY AMERICAN UNITS ALL ALONG THE RIVER FRONT.

IN THE KIGYE SECTOR, UNITED NATIONS ELEMENTS WERE COUNTER-ATTACKING THE PLUNGE OF THE NORTH KOREANS DOWN THE CORRIDOR SEPARATING THE EAST COAST AND THE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE POSITIONS.

A REPORT STATES THAT THE NORTH KOREANS ARE PREPARING TO MOVE THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT TO SEOUL AUG.15, THEREBY DEMOCSTRATING TO THE WORLD THE UNITY OF NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA AND JUSTIFYING THEIR "LIBERATION" POLICIES.

FAR EAST NAVAL FORCES REPORTED NUMEROUS BUILDINGS AND FACTORIES DESTROYED IN THE INCHON AREA AND MARSHALLING YARDS DAMAGED AT SEOUL BY AIR STRIKES OF THE SEVENTH FLEET. SUWON, CHONAN, WAEGWAN AND YOSU WERE ALSO INCLUDED IN THE AIR STRIKES.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW 273 SORTIES, DESTROYED THREE YAKS ON THE GROUND AND VEHICLES, DUMPS AND BUILDINGS WERE DESTROYED AT KIMPO, AND WAEGWAN. NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS WERE ONCUDCTED BY B-26S, HITTING TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY.

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B5KX (SEGC) (8TH ARMY TEXT)

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U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 33 ISSUED AT 12 NOON (9 P.M. EST THURSDAY):

RESERVE ELEMENTS IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECTOR EAST OF CHINJU HAVE TAKEN OVER THE MISSION OF CLEARING OUT ENEMY RESISTANCE IN THE REAR OF ATTACKING UNITED STATES FORCES.

LEADING ELEMENTS OF THE 35TH REGIMENT ARE IN CHUNGCHOM VICINITY AND OF THE 5TH MARINE REGIMENT IN KOSONG. THERE ARE INDICATIONS THAT ENEMY STRENGTH IN THIS AREA HAS BEEN GREATLY REDUCED.

A NEW THREAT DEVELOPED AT CHANGYONG LATE YESTERDAY AND AN ENEMY COUNTERATTACK WAS MADE TO THE SOUTHEAST. THIS MORNING U.S. UNITS WERE ENGAGED WITH COMMUNIST TROOPS JUST SOUTHEAST OF THE BRIDGEHEAD.

THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION COMPLETED SUCCESSFUL ACTION YESTERDAY ABOUT 7 P.M. AGAINST THE ENEMY FORCE WHICH CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER INTO ITS SECTOR ON AUG. 9. APPROXIMATELY 300 ENEMY WERE KILLED AND SOME PRISONERS TAKEN. FIRST CAVALRY ARTILLERY FIRED ON ENEMY VEHICLES AND TROOPS WEST OF THE RIVER.

IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) LEFT SECTOR. A ROK FIRST DIVISION

REDUCED THE ENEMY EAST OF THE RIVER TO ONE BATTALION, KILLING 150, TAKING PRISONERS AND CAPTURING THREE TANKS. ELEMENTS OF THE ROK 6TH AND 8TH DIVISIONS REPELLED ENEMY ATTACKS OF BATTALION AND REGIMENT STRENGTH.

UN FORCES ARE ENGAGING COMMUNIST FORCES THAT HAVE PENETRATED SOUTH OF KIGYE. THE ROK 3RD DIVISION WITHDREW 1,000 YARDS UNDER ENEMY PRESSURE IN YONGDOK.

THE NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS REPORTED TAKEN BY THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION EUSAK COMMUNIQUE NO. 32, 9:45 P.M. AUGUST 10, 1950, WAS THE TOTAL NUMBER CAPTURED BY UN FORCES DURING THE DAY.

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TEXT (180)

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 11-(AP)-TEXT OF 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 34, TIMED AT 8:30 P.M. (5:30 A.M., EST) TODAY:

THIS AFTERNOON THE 35TH REGIMENT SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED ITS PHASE OF THE FIRST MAJOR U.N. COUNTER-OFFENSIVE OF THE KOREAN WAR WHEN IT OCCUPIED THE HIGH GROUND IMMEDIATELY EAST OF CHINJU. CONTINUING HARRASSING FIRE FROM BYPASSED ENEMY POCKETS STILL SLOWED THE ADVANCE OF THE 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND THE MARINE REGIMENT. THE 5TH, HOWEVER, WAS NEARING ITS OBJECTIVE AND THE MARINES HAD TAKEN KOSONG AGAINST STRONG ENEMY RESISTANCE. THERE ARE REPORTS THAT CHINJU IS BEING EVACUATED.

THE TROUBLE SPOT SIX MILES SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG IN THE 24TH DIVISION AREA RESISTED U.S. ATTACK BUT ENEMY GROUPING OUTSIDE THE BRIDGEHEAD HAS BEEN CONTAINED.

THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR WAS QUIET TODAY EXCEPT FOR PATROL AND ARTILLERY ACTION.

ON THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) LEFT SECTOR FROM WAEGWAN TO UISONG THE ENEMY CONTINUED HIS BUILDUP AND LOCAL ATTACK. ROK TROOPS COUNTERED THE ENEMY PRESSURE INFLICTING SEVERE CASUALTIES AND CAPTURING SOME ENEMY EQUIPMENT.

THE ENEMY FORCES PENETRATING IN THE POHANG AREA WERE ENGAGED THROUGHOUT THE DAY BY ROK TROOPS.

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TEXT (270)

TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 12-(AP)-TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE NO 35 ISSUED TODAY (TIME NOT GIVEN) BY U. S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS:

THE 35TH REGIMENT IS IIN POSSESSION OF HIGH GROUND EAST OF CHINJU, WITH THE 25TH REGIMENT COMING UP ABREAST TO THE SOUTH. THE MARINE REGIMENT HAS ELEMENTS FOUR MILES WEST OF KOSONG.

ALL UNITS ARE RECEIVING SMALL ARMS AND MORTAR FIRE, THOUGH MOST EFFECTIVE ENEMY RESISTANCE IS STILL IN THE REAR.

YESTERDAY UNITED STATES UNITS ATTACKED ENEMY TROOPS SOUTH OF CHANGNYONG OUTSIDE THE BRIDGEHEAD. PROGRESS IN THIS AREA IS GREATY HINDERED BY A TREMENDOUS CONCENTRATION OF REFUGEES AT THE NAKTONG RIVER VALLEY. THERE IS NOW AN ESTIMATED FORCE OF TWO ENEMY REGIMENTS IN THE BRIDGEHEAD. AN ATTEMPTED CROSSING BY ENEMY FORCES IN THE 21ST REGIMENT SECTOR WAS REPULSED.

CROSSING BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES INTO THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECOTR IS BEING STRONGLY COUNTERED BY THE U. S. TROOPS IN HAND-TO-HAND COMBAT. THE COMMUNISTS, ESTIMATED AT 300, ARE RECEIVING TANK FIRE SUPPORT FROM WEST OF THE RIVER. PREVIOUS CROSSING ATTEMPTS LATE YESTERDAY AND LAST NIGHT WERE REPULSED. FIRST CAVALRY PATROLS INTO ENEMY TERRITORY YESTERDAY WEST OF THE RIVER CAPTURED SEVERAL PRISONERS.

AN ATTACK SUPPORTED BY 10 TANKS WAS MADE BY THE NORTH KOREANS DURING THE NIGHT AGAINST THE FIRST ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) DIVISION. BY MIDMORNING FIVE TANKS HAD BEEN KNOCKED OUT AND THE ATTACKED STOPPED.

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON THE EIGHTH AND CAPITAL ROK DIVISIONS MADE SUCCESSFUL ATTACKS IN THE UISONG VICINITY AND AT NIGHTFALL WERE PURSUING THE ENEMY.

UNCONFIRMED AND VARYING REPORTS FROM POHANG INDICATE THAT THE CITY WAS IN THE POSSESSION OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS NUMBERING UP TO 3,000. UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN THE AREA ARE COUNTERATTACKING.

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B13KX (BSEGC)

TEXT (600)

TOKYO, AUG. 11-(AP)-TEXT OF U.S.FAR EAST AIR FORCE SUMMARY ISSUED AT 12:30 P.M. (9:30 P.M. EST THURSDAY) COVERING THURSDAY OPERATIONS:

UNITED STATES FAR EAST AIR FORCE B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES LAUNCHED THEIR HEAVIEST STRIKE TO DATE IN THE KOREAN WAR ON AUGUST 10 WHEN THEY DROPPED APPROXIMATELY 625 TONS OF BOMBS ON IMPORTANT NORTH KOREAN MILITARY TARGETS ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THE B-29S CONCENTRATED THEIR MAJOR ATTACK ON THE CHOSEN (KOREAN) OIL REFINERY AND THE 24 TRACK RAILROAD MARSHALLING YARDS AND RAILROAD REPAIR SHOPS AT WONSAN, A KEY INDUSTRIAL AND TRANSPORT CENTER ON KOREA'S EAST COAST.

IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THAT VISUAL BOMBING COULD BE UTILIZED BY THE SUPERFORTS IN THIS AREA. PREVIOUS LIGHT STRIKES WERE ACCOMPLISHED USING RADAR SIGHTING THROUGH HEAVY CLOUD COVER. PHOTO RECONNAISSANCE OF THE CHOSEN OIL REFINERY ON AUGUST 8 INDICATED VERY SLIGHT DAMAGE FROM EARLIER ATTACKS.

FLAMES ROSE TO 3,000 FEET FROM THE LARGEST REFINERY INSTALLATION OF ITS KIND IN KOREA AND CLOUDS OF HEAVY SMOKE UP TO 10,000 FEET WERE VISIBLE 100 MILES AWAY AS THE B-29S RETURNED TO THEIR HOME BASES.

FIRES AND EXPLOSIONS RESULTED FROM EQUALLY HEAVY STRIKES ON THE MARSHALLING YARDS AND RAILROAD REPAIR SHOPS. THE B-29S FOUND THE WONSAN YARDS CLOGGED WITH LOADED TRAINS BACKED UP AS THE RESULT OF PRIOR AIR ATTACKS ON OTHER RAIL CONCENTRATION POINTS AND BRIDGES TO THE WEST AND SOUTH.

THE WONSAN STRIKE WAS ANOTHER STEP IN THE PLANNED INTERDICTION PROGRAM BEING CARRIED OUT BY THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO CUT OFF THE NORTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES FROM THEIR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. YESTERDAY'S ATTACK ON THE WONSAN RAIL CENTER SHOULD CONTRIBUTE SUBSTANTIALLY TOWARD DIMINISHING THE MILITARY SUPPLY FLOW FROM THE NORTH.

FEAF BOMBER COMMAND B-29S ALSO ATTACKED TWO BRIDGES SOUTH OF PAKCHON ON THE HEAVILY TRAVELED RAIL AND HIGHWAY ROUTE FROM EXTREME NORTHWESTERN KOREA TO PYONGYANG. HITS WERE SCORED ON A HIGHWAY BRIDGE AND TWO SPANS WERE DOWN ON AN ADJACENT RAILROAD BRIDGE.

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A RAILROAD BRIDGE WAS BOMBED BY RADAR SIGHTING AT PYONGYANG WITH UNOBSERVED RESULTS.

NIGHT ASSAULTS AGAINST NORTH KOREAN VEHICULAR CONVOYS AND OTHER SUPPLY AND TROOP MOVEMENTS CONTINUED TO INCREASE IN VOLUME WITH FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80 JETS AND F-51S JOINING THE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS AND F-82 ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS WHICH HAVE BEEN ACTIVE ON NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS FOR SEVERAL WEEKS.

MORE THAN 30 NIGHT INTRUDER SORTIES WERE FLOWN ATTACKING TARGETS AT YONGJU, CHINJU, WAEGWAN, CHECHON, KUMSAN, CHONGJU, INCHON, SEOUL,

SUWON, AND ANDONG. TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, CONVOYS AND TRAINS WERE STRAFED AND BOMBED AT SEVERAL POINTS. ONE TRAIN WAS EXPLODED IN THE SEOUL MARSHALLING YARDS DURING A NIGHT ATTACK.

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS IN A DAYLIGHT ATTACK DAMAGED A RAILROAD BRIDGE THREE MILES SOUTH OF ----. (EDS: NAME LOST IN TRANSMISSION).

FIFTH AIR FORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE FIGHTER AIRCRAFT FLYING IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF U.N.GROUND FORCES ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE ATTACKED NORTH KOREAN TROOP STRENGTH AND MATERIEL IN MANY AREAS.

FIGHTER ELEMENTS IN THERE 46TH DAY OF CONTINUOUS ACTION REPORTED THAT 60 VEHICLES AND 80 RAILROAD CARS WERE BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK AND DAMAGED IN DAYLIGHT FIGHTER OPERATIONS.

THREE F-51S ON AN ARMED RECONNAISSANCE SWEEP TO KIMPO AIRFIELD NEAR SEOUL CLAIMED THE DESTRUCTION OF THREE GROUNDED SINGLE ENGINE NORTH KOREAN FIGHTERS. THREE FUEL STORAGE DUMPS AT KIMPO WERE ATTACKED AND BURNED AND TWO ANTIAIRCRAFT POSITIONS DAMAGED IN FIGHTER STRIKES.

THE FIGHTERS ALSO FIRED FUEL DUMPS AT ANDONG AND KIGYE IN THE EASTERN SECTOR AND A SUPPLY DUMP NEAR THE NAKTONG LINE. RAIL TUNNELS WERE ATTACKED AND DAMAGED AT YONGDONG AND NAMWON.

ONE F-51 WAS MISSING IN ACTION AFTER BATTLE DAMAGE TO THE COOLING SYSTEM FORCED A LANDING INSIDE NORTH KOREAN LINES CARGO AIRLIFT REACHED A TOTAL OF MORE THAN 133 TONS OF PRIORITY MILITARY EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES FLOWN TO KOREAN BASES IN THE COURSE OF THE DAY.

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TEXT (ABOUT 600)

TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.12-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST AIR FORCE OPERATIONAL SUMMARY ISSUED AT 12 NOON (9 P.M., EAST, FRIDAY) (EDITORS: THIS WILL BECOME KOREAN RELEASE NO. 241 WHEN RE-ISSUED BY HEADQUARTERS PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE):

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE COMBAT UNITS MAINTAINED A STEADY PATTERN OF TACTICAL AND STRATEGIC AIR ATTACKS ON THE NORTH KOREAN INVADING FORCE ON AUGUST 11.

SUPERFORTRESSES OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES BOMBER COMMAND LAUNCHED HEAVY ATTACKS ON THE TRANSPORTATION AND SUPPLY NET NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL WITH STRIKES AT MORE THAN 20 RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES CARRYING SUPPLIES AND REINFORCEMENTS FOR THE NORTH KOREAN UNITS FIGHTING IN THE SOUTH.

THE BRIDGES WERE SELECTED AFTER RECONNAISSANCE AS BEING OF PARTICULAR VALUE ... (SEVERAL WORDS LOST IN TRANSMISSION ... KOREANS AND ATTACKS WERE BEING MADE TO AUGMENT A CAREFULLY PLANNED INTERDICTION PROGRAM TIMED AT CUTTING THE FLOW OF SUPPLIES AND MATERIAL TO A MINIMUM.

TWO RAILROAD BRIDGES WERE HIT AND DAMAGED NORTH OF PYONGYANG ON THE WONSAN SEOUL RAIL LINK AND SIX OTHERS WERE ATTACKED ON THE EAST COAST RAIL LINE FROM CHORI, 45 MILES NORTHEAST OF KONAN, TO SONGJIN. A BRIDGE NEAR TANCHON LOST ONE SPAN. OTHER BRIDGES WERE HIT BUT DAMAGE COULD NOT BE ACCURATELY DETERMINED WITHOUT FURTHER RECONNAISSANCE.

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THE B-29S ALSO BOMBED A RAILROAD BRIDGE FOUR MILES SOUTH OF PAKCHON AND DESTROYED TWO SPANS OF A SECOND ACROSS THE CHONGCHON RIVER ABOUT 37 MILES NORTHEAST OF SHINANJU. ANOTHER RAILROAD BRIDGE, ALSO ACROSS THE CHONGCHON JUST NORTH OF SINAJU, WAS HIT WITH UNOBSERVED RESULTS.

NIGHT COMBAT SORTIES FLOWN ROSE TO OVER 40, THE HIGHEST FIGURE ATTAINED IN 47 DAYS OF CONTINUOUS OPERATIONS BY THE FAR EASTERN FORCES IN KOREA.

FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80 AND F-51 FIGHTERS CONTINUED TO FLY NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS IN COMPANY WITH THE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS AND F-82 ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS WHICH HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED NIGHT COMBAT DUTIES FOR SEVERAL WEEKS.

NIGHT INTRUDER FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS STRUCK AT CONVOYS, TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SUPPLY OR TRANSPORTATION CENTERS OVER LARGE SECTIONS OF THE NORTH KOREAN REAR AREAS. TOWNS ATTACKED INCLUDED CHONAN, SUWON, SEOUL, INCHON, KUMCHON, WAEGWAN,.CHUNGJU,

CHONAN, SUWON, SEOUL, INCHON, KUMCHON, WAEGWAN, CHUNGJU, SANGJU, SUNCHON, ANUI, ANDONG AND CHONGJU.

SEVERAL OF THE TARGET AREAS WERE FIRED AND EXPLOSIONS OBSERVED FROM FUEL OR AMMUNITION FIRES. TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE BOMBED AND STRAFED AT MANY LOCALITIES.

FIFTH AIR FORCE B26S ON A DYALIGHT MEDIUM ALTITUDE BOMBING RUN ATTACKED AND DAMAGED A BRIDGE FIVE MILES NORTH OF POKSONG-DONG. FLYING IN EXCELLENT WEATHER CONDITIONS, FIGHTER AIRCRAFT OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE FLEW MORE THAN 350 COMBAT MISSIONS OVER THE NORTH KOREAN LINES.

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THE HEAVIEST CONCENTRATION OF FIGHTER ATTACKS WAS THROWN AT NORTH KOREAN LINES FROM THE CHINJU SECTOR NORTH TO KUMCHON BUT THE F-81 JETS AND F-51S WERE ACTIVE ON THE NORTHERN BATTLE ZONE EAST TO POHANG DASH DONG.

ALL FIGHTER-BOMBER SORTIES WERE FLOWN IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND TROOPS. BOMBING AND STRAFING WAS UNDER THE DIRECTION OF AIR FORCE TACTICAL AIR CONTROLLERS WHO RECEIVED INFORMATION OF NORTH KOREAN TARGETS DIRECTLY FROM GROUND OBSERVERS OR FROM SPOTTERS FLYING T-6 TRAINING PLANES AT LOW ALTITUDES OVER THE COMBAT ZONE.

LARGE NUMBERS OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE STRAFED AND BOMBED IN ALL SECTORS. PILOT CLAIMS FOR GROUND TARGETS BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK AND DAMAGED IN THE COURSE OF THE DAY INCLUDED 46 VEHICLES OF ALL TYPES, 5 LOCOMOTIVES, FOUR GUN POSITIONS AND THREE BARGES.

NUMEROUS VILLAGES AND TOWNS ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE KNOWN TO BE SERVING AS HIDING PLACES FOR NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND MATERIEL WERE STRAFED AND BURNED.

THE FIGHTERS HIT WAEGWAN, HYOPCHON, CHINJU, SINBAN-NI, MAMGHODONG, KUMCHON, HAMCHONG, KOYONG, KOSONG AND OTHER POINTS ON THE PERIMETER OF THE FIGHT FRONT WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS.

CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED OVER 110 TONS OF PRIORITY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO KOREAN BASES IN THE COURSE OF THE DAY.

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TEXT

TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 12-(AP)-TEXT OF U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE NO. 243 ISSUED AT 2:45 P.M. (11:45 P.M. EST FRIDAY):

A HEAVY FORCE OF UNITED STATES FAR EAST AIR FORCES B-29S IN A CONCENTRATED ATTACK ABOUT NOON TODAY BOMBED MILITARY OBJECTIVES IN THE EXTREME NORTHEAST CORNER OF NORTH KOREA. THE SUPERFORTS APPROACHED THE TARGET FROM THE SEA AND BOMBED FROM A MASS FORMATION.

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TEXT (160)

TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG 12-(AP)-TEXT OF NAVAL KOREAN RELEASE NO. 240 RELEASED AT 12:25 (9:25 P.M., E.S.T., FRIDAY):

A NAVY P2V NEPTUNE PATROLLING THE EAST COAST OF KOREA YESTERDAY STRAFED AND LEFT BURNING 10 SMALL STEAM VESSELS SIGHTED BETWEEN WONSAN

AND MUSUDAN.
CARRIER BASED MARINE CORPS PILOTS CONTINUED THEIR CLOSE SUPPORT OF TASK FORCE KEAN IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR. THE MARINE TALLY FOR THE DAY INCLUDED 45 VEHICLES DESTROYED, 125 ENEMY OCCUPIED HOUSES SET AFIRE (WORDS LOST IN TRANSMISSION) TWO TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WIPED OUT, ONE MORTAR POSITION AND ONE ARTILLERY POSITION NEUTRALIZED, AND ONE TANK DESTROYED. THE BIG BAG OF VEHICLES WAS THE RESULT OF SIGHTING A FAST MOVING CONVOY ON THE ROAD BETWEEN KOSONG AND SUCHON.
ON THE COUTH COAST OF KOREA A U.S. NAVY DESTROYER BOMBARDED GUN POSITIONS AT YOSU WITH GOOD RESULTS. THE SAME DESTROYER SANK THREE SMALL BOATS WITH 40MM GUN FIRE.
THE NAVAL FORCE ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA CONTINUED WORKING CLOSELY WITH SHOREFIRE CONTROL PARTIES IN SUPPORT OF TROOPS IN THE VICINITY OF YONGDOK. UNITS OF THE FORCE PATROLLING TO THE NORTH FIRED AT VEHICULAR TRAFFIC ON THE COASTAL ROAD AND CONTINUED WITH THE WORK OF MAKING THE ROAD UNUSABLE.
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B117 (Q)
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LONDON, AUG. 11-(AP)-MOSCOW RADIO TODAY BROADCAST THE FOLLOWING NORTH KOREAN WAR COMMUNIQUE FOR THE MORNING OF AUG. 11:
"ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, SMASHING THE ATTEMPTS OF THE ENEMY TO PASS OVER TO THE COUNTER-OFFENSIVE, CONTINUED TO ADVANCE.
"ON THE SOUTHERN COAST, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY REPELLED FREQUENT COUNTER-ATTACKS BY THE AMERICAN TROOPS, SUPPORTED BY TANKS, MECHANIZED UNITS AND NAVAL VESSELS, AND CONTINUED TO INFLICT HEAVY BLOWS ON THE MAIN FORCES OF THE ENEMY.
"IN THE BATTLES IN THIS AREA, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY INFLICTED HEAVY LOSSES ON THE ENEMY IN PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT.
"SUPPORTING THE PEOPLE'S ARMY'S OFFENSIVE, GUERRILLA UNITS IN THE AREAS OF TAEGU, PUSAN, MIRYANG AND KYONGJU ARE RAIDING THE ENEMY'S REAR, DESTROYING COMMUNICATIONS AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS."
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(Q)
LONDON, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE TEXT OF THE NORTH KOREAN EVENING COMMUNIQUE, BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE: (ABOUT 160)
ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO ENGAGE IN FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST AMERICAN AND PUPPET SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.
AMERICAN AIRCRAFT AND WARSHIPS CONTINUE TO BOMB AND SHELL LIBERATED AREAS IN THE SOUTH AND AREAS NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.
ON AUG. 9 AND 10 AMERICAN WARSHIPS INCLUDING A CRUISER SUDDENLY ATTACKED IN AN AREA OF THE ISLAND OF CHODO (SETO) ON THE WEST COAST AND SUBJECTED INHABITED LOCALITIES TO A BARBAROUS SHELLING. AS A RESULT, MANY DWELLINGS, SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS AND CULTURAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS WERE DESTROYED. THERE WERE CASUALTIES AMONG THE CIVILIAN POPULATION.
ON THE EAST COAST, ENEMY WARSHIPS OPENED FIRE ON INHABITED LOCALITIES, BUT AS THE RESULT OF ANSWERING FIRE FROM COASTAL ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, THEY WERE FORCED TO RETREAT.
ON AUG. 10 AMERICAN AIRCRAFT AGAIN BOMBED WONSONG (GENZAN) AND DROPPED BOMBS ON THE RESIDENTIAL AREA. AS A RESULT, MANY DWELLINGS WERE DESTROYED. THERE WERE MANY CASUALTIES AMONG THE POPULATION.
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BATTLE SECTORS (170)
TOKYO, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE KOREAN WAR MAP TODAY, SECTOR BY SECTOR:
CHINJU--1,000 RED TROOPS, TRYING TO SHOOT THEIR WAY OUT OF A TRAP, CLASHED WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN A POINT-BLANK FIRING FREE-FOR-ALL.
CHANGNYONG--U.S. 24TH DIVISION TROOPS MADE GOOD PROGRESS IN THE FIRST 2 1/2 HOURS OF AN ATTACK AIMED TO RUB OUT A COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD, ESTIMATED AT 6,000 INVADERS, ON THE ALLIED EAST BANK OF HE NAKTONG RIVER.
WAEGWAN-- U.S. FIRST CAVALARY AND SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISIONS CLEANED OUT ENEMY POCKETS ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG.
NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN--FOUR AND POSSIBLY FIVE COMMUNIST DIVISIONS CONCENTRATED FOR A POWER DRIVE AIMED AT THE AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU. GEN. MAC ARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS CALLED THIS THE GREATEST MASSING PER MILE ALONG THE ENTIRE FRONT.
UISONG-UIHUNG--SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS THREW BACK A RED ATTACK.

POHANG, EAST COAST--NORTH KOREANS SEIZED POHANG, FOUGHT NEAR U.S.AIRBAS TO SOUTHEAST. AMERICAN TANKS AND INFANTRY RUSHING UP TO REINFORCE HARD-PRESSED SOUTH KOREANS ON POHANG FRONT.
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B68KX
CX (300)
BY MAX DESFOR
(ASSOCIATED PRESS STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER)
AT AN AMERICAN AIRBASE IN KOREA,AUG. 11-(AP)-"THIS IS A PRETTY QUIET DAY," REMARKED LT.ALAN BIDDLE OF CHICAGO.
DURING HIS "QUIET DAY," THE OBSERVATION PILOT SPOTTED NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST TROOPS ON A MOUNTAIN RIDGE, STUNTED HIS LITTLE TRAINER PLANE TO DODGE SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM ENEMY FOXHOLES, DIRECTED JET FIGHTERS OVER A VILLAGE IN WHICH RED TROOPS WERE HIDDEN, AND PROTECTED FROM MISTAKEN AIR ATTACK ANOTHER VILLAGE WHERE FRIENDLY TROOPS AND THEIR VEHICLES WERE STATIONED.
I FLEW WITH THE RED-FACED, LANKY BIDDLE ON A THREE AND ONE-HALF HOUR MISSION, MOST OF IT OVER ENEMY TERRITORY.
STARTING FROM AN ADVANCED AIRBASE, BIDDLE FOLLOWED THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER AT 500 FEET ALTITUDE. ABOUT HALF AN HOUR OUT HE CUT TO THE WEST AND SOON WAS DIVING THROUGH SMALL ARMS FIRE.
BIDDLE PULLED UP AND FOCUSED ON ANOTHER SPOT. A FILE OF SOLDIERS WAS SILHOUETTED ON THE CREST OF A NEARBY RIDGE. THEY DIDN'T TAKE COVER AT SIGHT OF OUR PLANE, NOR SHOW ANY OTHER SIGN OF CONCERN.
"THAT'S OUR TROUBLE," SAID BIDDLE. "WE CAN'T IMMEDIATELY DETERMINE WHETHER OUR OWN FORCES ARE IN A CERTAIN AREA AT A CERTAIN TIME. ALSO, WE CAN'T TELL THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE SOUTH AND NORTH KOREANS."
ON BIDDLE'S THIRD PASS, THE SOLDIERS ON THE RIDGE SCRAMBLED FOR COVER.
ANOTHER SWING WESTWARD AND BIDDLE SPOTTED SOMETHING IN A SMALL VILLAGE. HE STARTED CALLING FOR FIGHTER PLANES.
IN 15 MINUTES, FOUR F-80 JETS WERE DANCING AROUND BIDDLE'S LITTLE CRAFT.
BY RADIO BIDDLE GAVE THE JETS A REPORT ON THE RIDGE POSITIONS AND THREW IN THE NEARBY VILLAGE AS AN ADDITIONAL TARGET.
THE JETS WENT TO WORK.
I COULDN'T FIGURE OUT WHY BIDDLE TOLD THE FIGHTERS TO HIT THE

VILLAGE BUT I SOON FOUND OUT. WHEN THE JETS' ROCKETS STRUCK, BLACK SMOKE POURED HIGH TOWARDS THE PLANES AND BIDDLE GRINNED.

"THESE HILLS ARE SWARMING WITH THE ENEMY," HE SAID. "THEREFORE THEY NEED A SUPPLY POINT AND THIS VILLAGE WAS NEAREST TO THEM, SO I TOLD THE PILOTS TO LET THEM HAVE IT. THAT BLACK SMOKE MEANS OIL STORAGE. THAT MEANS THERE MUST BE LOSTS OF OTHER STUFF IN THERE. WELL, ANYWAY THERE WAS, BECAUSE THERE ISN'T MUCH LEFT NOW."

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AWOL HERO (200)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE COMMUNISTS' PEIPING RADIO TODAY SAID A RAMBUNCTIOUS TEXAN (WHO WENT AWOL FROM HIS MEDICAL OUTFIT TO FIGHT IN THE FRONT LINES) IS A PRISONER OF THE NORTH KOREANS.

THE BROADCAST, HEARD HERE, IDENTIFIED HIM AS PVT. REUBEN K. KIMBALL OF BAYTOWN, TEX.

REUBEO K. KIMBALL TRIED TO GET INTO A FRONTLINE OUTFIT, BUT FAILED. THEN HE WENT AWOL FROM HIS MEDICAL OUTFIT IN PUSAN AND SHOWED UP AT THE FRONT AROUND TAEJON, WHERE THE FIGHTING WAS TOUGH. HE PROTECTED A PARTY OF NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENTS BY KNOCKING OFF NORTH KOREAN SNIPERS. KIMBALL WENT INTO ACTION WEARING COWBOY BOOTS AND A .45.

A PURPORTED RED INTERVIEW QUOTED KIMBALL AS IDENTIFYING HIMSELF AS A MEMBER OF THE 8054TH MEDICAL EVACUATION HOSPITAL AT PUSAN, 23 YEARS OLD, A FORMER TRUCK DRIVER, BOXER, WRESTLER AND SPEEDWAY DRIVER.

THAT FITTED THE KIMBALL WHO WENT AWOL TO FIGHT. THE REST OF THE INTERVIEW DIDN'T. IT SAID:

"I THOUGH IT WAS A PEACETIME ARMY. WE GOOD FOOLED. THAT WAS ALL. NONE OF US EVER RECKONED ON DOING ANY FIGHTING. AND THEN, THERE WE WERE, IN THE MIDDLE OF A WAR WITH REAL GUNS AND REAL SOLDIERS SHOOTING--AND SHOOTING STRAIGHT, TOO."

THESE QUOTES AREN'T LIKE KIMBALL.

IN ONE AFTERNOON HE SHOWED FRONT LINE TROOPS HOW TO HANDLE EVERYTHING FROM A .45 TO A TOMMY-GUN, AND TOSSED A FEW GRENADES TO BOOT.

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A107FX

WITH U.S. 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM,KOREA,AUG.11-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS CAPTURED A NEW RUSSIAN-MADE WEAPON ON THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT TODAY.

IT IS AN AUTOMATIC WEAPON THAT FIRES FIVE SHOTS AT ONCE. IT WAS SIMILAR TO A POM-POM MACHINE GUN.

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 12-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS TODAY NOTED REPORTED THAT THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS PLAN TO MOVE THEIR CAPITAL FROM PYONGYANG TO CAPTURED SEOUL ON AUG. 15.

THE RELEASE SAID THE RED AIM WAS TO DEMONSTRATE "TO THE WORLD THE UNITY OF NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA "AND TO JUSTIFY THEIR 'LIBERATION' POLICIES."

SEOUL, TRADITIONAL CAPITAL OF KOREA, WAS HEADQUARTERS FOR THE U. S. OCCUPATION OF SOUTH KOREA AFTER WORLD WAR II. PYONGYANG WAS HEADQUARTERS FOR THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION OF NORTH KOREA.

KOREAN COMMUNISTS SET UP A SOVIET-STYLE GOVERNMENT IN THE NORTHERN HALF OF THE COUNTRY IN 1948 AND SAID THEN THEY PLANNED TO MOVE THEIR CAPITAL SOME DAY TO SEOUL.

THE SOUTH KOREANS INAUGURATED THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA AT SEOUL, AUG. 15, 1948.

NORTH KOREAN TROOPS OCCUPIED SEOUL LAST JUNE 29, FOUR DAYS AFTER THEY INVADED THE REPUBLIC.

AUG. 15 WAS SELECTED AS THE DATE OF THE INAUGURATION OF THE

REPUBLIC OF KOREA BECAUSE IT IS THE ANNIVERSARY OF TH JAPANESEVMOVING CAP

REPUBLIC OF KOREA BECAUSE IT IS THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE JAPANESE DECISION TO SRRENDER TO THE ALLIES AT THEEND OF WORLD WAR II--A DECISION MADE AUG.15, 1945. TO KOREANS, IT MEANT LIBERATION FROM 40 YEARS OF JAPANESE RULE.

THE NORTH KOREAND REDS MAY HAVE SELECTED THE DATE FOR MOVING THEIR CAPITAL FOR THE SAME REASON.

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TOKYO, AUG 11-(AP)-A COMMUNIST BROADCAST FROM SEOUL TODAY SAID "INCREASING NUMBERS" OF KOREANS IN "LIBERATED AREAS OF SOUTH KOREA" ARE VOLUNTEERING TO FIGHT AGAINST AMERICAN TROOPS.

THE BROADCAST SAID MORE THAN 100,000 YOUTHS IN SEOUL, FORMER CAPITAL OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC, HAD VOLUNTEERED TO FIGHT FOR THE COMMUNISTS.

CAPTURED RED PRISONERS REPEATEDLY TELL AMERICANS THE NORTH KOREANS FORCIBLY DRAFT SOUTH KOREANS OF FIGHTING AGE IN TOWNS THEY TAKE OVER.

THE RADIO SAID 56,000 MEMBERS OF THE "DEMOCRATIC YOUTH LEAGUE" WERE WORKING IN A LABOR CORPS REPAIRING RAILWAY TRACKS AND BRIDGES DAMAGED BY AMERICAN BOMBS. LARGE NUMBERS OF NORTH KOREAN TECHNICIANS AND WORKERS WERE SAID TO HAVE ARRIVED TO HELP REPAIR WAR DAMAGE.

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B65KX (DECORATIONS, CRUISER) (Q)

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U.S. 25TH DIVISION HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG.11-(AP)-HEADQUARTERS OF THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION TODAY ANNOUNCED AWARD OF DECORATIONS TO FIVE OFFICERS AND SEVEN ENLISTED MEN.

SECOND LT. ERVIN H. PURE OF LOS ANGELES, CALIF., WAS AWARDED THE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO A SILVER STAR FOR DESTROYING WITH HAND GRENADES A HEAVY MACHINEGUN NEST IN THE BATTLE OF CHONAN AND FREEING U. S. TROOPS PINNED DOWN BY ENEMY FIRE.

SILVER STARS FOR GALLANTRY IN ACTION WERE AWARDED TO MAJ. CURTIS COOPER, DETROIT, MICH.; CAPT. RICHARD A. ROWLANDS, CASPER, WYO.; FIRST LT. LEONARD E. GEWING, MONROE, LA.; FIRST LT. ARTHUR M. CLARKE, BOONE, IND.; SGT. J. C. BRIDGES, NEWBERG, TENN., AND SGT. JAMES R. AITCHESON, FORT PIERCE, FLA.

BRONZE MEDALS FOR "HEROIC SERVICE" WERE AWARDED TO SGT. PAUL D. LASAIE (CQ), HILLSDALE, MICH.; ROBERT S. CISSELL, LOUISVILLE, KY., PRIVATE ROBERT HAIGHT, PORT SMITH, VA., CPL. HARRY R. PLUMMER, LISBON FALLS, MAINE, AND PFC. EDMEND J. QUIROGA, BRONX, N. Y.

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BY STANLEY SWINTON

SOMEWHERE IN SOUTH KOREA, AUG.11-(AP)-A CAPTURED KOREAN RED TOLD INTERROGATORS TODAY THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY GIVES NO ORGANIZED MEDICAL CARE TO ITS WOUNDED.

THE PRISONER SAID HE HAD SEEN NO AMBULANCES, DOCTORS OR NURSES WITH THE RED TROOPS. HE SAID WOUNDED WERE LEFT BEHIND WHEN NORTH KOREANS ADVANCED. AND WHEN THE FRONT WAS STATIC, HE SAID, WOUNDED COMMUNISTS GOT ONLY LIMITED FIRST AID FROM FELLOW SOLDIERS.

LT.COL.FRANK WHITE, CANADIAN U.N. OBSERVER FROM MONTREAL, FLEW OVER COMMUNIST LINES TO A DEPTH OF 30 MILES FOR FIVE HOURS, CHECKING ON THE PRISONER'S STATEMENT.

HE REPORTED HE SAW NO NORTH KOREAN AMBULANCES OR OTHER MEDICAL AID FACILITIES, AND CONCLUDED THE PRISONER'S STATEMENT WAS TRUE.

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A91KX
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BY STANLEY SWINTON
SOMEWHERE IN SOUTH KOREA, AUG.11-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION FOR KOREA IS RELIABLY REPORTED DISCUSSING A PLAN FOR U.N.VIGILANCE OVER ALL KOREA LONG AFTER THE PRESENT FIGHTING ENDS.
AN INDEPENDENT SOURCE CLOSE TO THE COMMISSION SAID THE PLAN WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHEN IT MEETS SEPT. 19. THE PLAN, THE SOURCE SAID, WILL BE PART OF A GENERAL REPORT BY THE COMMISSION ON ALL KOREAN DEVELOPMENTS OF THE PAST YEAR.
THE INFORMANT SAID THE COMMISSION, IN EARLY TALKS, WAS DISCUSSING EXTENDING THE U.N.SPHERE OF OPERATIONS TO NORTH KOREA. U.N. REPRESENTATIVES HAVE OPERATED FREELY IN SOUTH KOREA BUT HAVE BEEN BARRED FROM NORTH KOREA--FIRST BY SOVIET OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES THEN BY NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS.
ASKED IF THE PLAN MIGHT CALL FOR SOMETHING SIMILAR TO THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON THE BALKANS, WHICH STILL WATCHES AND REPORTS ON GREEK DEVELOPMENTS ALTHOUGH THE GREEK GOVERNMENT HAS SMASHED THE COMMUNISTS THERE, THE SOURCE SAID:
"QUITE LIKELY, BUT IT IS TOO EARLY TO TELL WHAT THEY HAVE IN MIND."
U.N. COMMISSION MEMBERS FROM EL SALVADOR, AUSTRALIA, CHINA, FRANCE, INDIA, THE PHILIPPINES AND TURKEY ARE HOLDING MEETINGS ONLY A FEW MILES BEHIND THE FIGHTING FRONT.
748PCS

A156FX
EGYPT-KOREA (370)
(EDITORS'S NOTE: STANLEY SWINTON, FORMER ASSOCIATED PRESS CHIEF OF BUREAU IN CAIRO, FILED THE FOLLOWING DISPATCH UPON HIS ARRIVAL IN TOKYO BY AIR FROM EGYPT. HE HAD BEEN UNABLE TO FILE THE STORY BECAUSE OF CENSORSHIP IN EGYPT).
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BY STANLEY SWINTON
TOKYO,AUG.11-(AP)-THERE IS A WIDESPREAD BUT UNCONFIRMED BELIEF AMONG MANY WELL-PLACED EGYPTIANS THAT EGYPT'S DECISION NOT TO HELP THE UNITED NATIONS IN KOREA RESULTED FROM THE DIRECT COMMAND OF KING FAROUK.
THESE SOURCES SAY THE MONARCH'S PRIME MOTIVATION FOR THE DECISION WAS HIS PEEVE OVER AMERICAN PRESS CRITICISM OF HIS PRIVATELIFE.
EVEN SO, THE DECISION REPORTEDLY CAME ONLY AFTER A BITTER SECRET CABINET SESSION DURING WHICH FIVE MINISTERS -- INCLUDING FOREIGN MINISTER SALAH EDDIN BEY AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS MINISTER ACHMED BEY HUSSEEIN -- SUPPORTED THE U.N. KOREAN POLICY IF ONLY ON MORAL GROUNDS.
PRIME MINISTER NAHAS PASHA LED THE TEN-MINISTER MAJORITY WHICH SUPPORTED A POLICY OF ABSTAINING COMPLETELY FROM ALL U.N. VOTING ON KOREA.
THIS WAS FOLLOWED BY AN INTERPRETATION IN SOME QUARTERS THAT THE ACTION WAS A SIGNAL FOR A PRO-RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN IN EGYPT. THE FOREIGN MINISTER -- SALAH EDDIN BEY -- PUT AN OFFICIAL DAMPER ON THIS, HOWEVER, AT TWO PRESS CONFERENCES.
HE ANNOUNCED EGYPT'S BELIEF THAT NORTH KOREA WAS THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA. BUT HE DID NOT CHANGE EGYPT'S U.N. POSITION ALTHOUGH HE IS REPORTED TO HAVE WANTED TO.
THE GOVERNMENT'S STATEMENT THAT IT WAS NOT PRO-RUSSIAN GAINED FURTHER WEIGHT WHEN EGYPT CAST HER SECURITY COUNCIL VOTE AGAINST ADMISSION OF COMMUNIST CHINA TO THE U.N.
THE ENTIRE SERIES OF DEVELOPMENTS HAS LED MANY SENIOR EGYPTIAN OBSERVORS--INCLUDING SOME CABINET MEMBERS--TO BELIEVE THAT EGYPT NOW HAS SUCCEEDED IN ALIENATING BOTH EAST AND WEST--THE WEST BY DECLINING TO SUPPORT THE U.N. IN KOREA AND THE EAST BY BACKING NATIONALIST CHINA.
AS THESE SOURCES VIEW IT, EGYPT IS LEFT IN A POLITICAL VACUUM IN A WORLD SPLIT BETWEEN TWO CAMPS.

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COMPLETE SECRECY ON POLITICAL MATTERS SURROUNDS THE ROYAL PALACE, WHICH IS AS MUCH CUT OFF FROM THE FOREIGN PRESS AS IS THE KREMLIN IN MOSCOW. FOR THIS REASON, IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO CONFIRM THE KING'S ROLE IN THE KOREA AFFAIR.
AILING PREMIER NAHAS PASHA, ONCE FAROUK'S MOST-BITTER POLITICAL ENEMY, NOW FOLLOWS THE PALACE LINE ALMOST ENTIRELY, ACCORDING TO INFORMED QUARTERS.
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AT A SOUTH KOREAN PORT, AUG.11-(AP)-A SHIPMENT OF LADIES' LINGERIE, HOSIERY, BABIES' BOTTLES, BOTTLE WARMERS AND EXPENSIVE LUGGAGE ARRIVED AT A SOUTH KOREAN PORT RECENTLY.
"I TOOK ONE LOOK AT THE MANIFEST AND TOLD THEM NOT EVEN TO BOTHER UNLOADING IT FROM THE SHIP," SAID MAJ.CHARLES WHITCOMB, SACRAMENTO, CALIF., U.S.EIGHTH ARMY CENTRAL EXCHANGE OFFICER FOR KOREA.
HE DIDN'T KNOW HOW THE SHIPMENT HAPPENED TO REACH THE WAR FRONT.
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LONDON, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY SAID LAST NIGHT THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE CAPTURED PHILIP DEANE, WAR CORRESPONDENT OF INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE AND OF THE LONDON OBSERVER.
THE AGENCY'S BROADCAST FROM PEIPING SAID DEAN IS CONFINED IN THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG.
THE 27-YEAR-OLD DEANE, WHOSE REAL NAME IS GERASSIMOS GIGANTES, WAS HIRED BY INS WHEN HOSTILITIES STARTED IN KOREA. THE LONDON OBSERVER DESCRIBED DEANE AS A "YOUNG MAN OF A DISTINGUISHED ATHENIAN FAMILY WHO SERVED AS AN OFFICER IN THE ROYAL NAVY THROUGHOUT THE LAST WAR."
A WOUNDED AMERICAN TANK GUNNER WHO ESCAPED HIS RED CAPTORS ALSO REPORTED, ON JULY 26, THAT DEANE HAD BEEN TAKEN PRISONER BY THE NORTH KOREANS.
THE INS OFFICE IN NEW YORK SAID IT IS TRYING TO CONTACT DEANE THROUGH THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS.
TWELVE REPORTERS HAVE BEEN REPORTED CAPTURED, MISSING, KILLED OR WOUNDED IN THE KOREAN WAR. AMONG THEM IS ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM R. MOORE, WHO HAS NOT BEEN HEARD FROM SINCE JULY 30 WHEN HE WENT TO THE CHINJU BATTLE FRONT.
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LONDON, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY'S CORRESPONDENT IN SEOUL PUBLISHED TODAY INTERVIEWS HE SAID HE OBTAINED FROM THREE AMERICAN SOLDIERS AND WHICH, HE SAID, FAILED TO SUPPORT AMERICAN POLICY IN KOREA.

THE REPORTER SAID HE INTERVIEWED MAJOR CHARLES T. BARTER OF THE 63RD FIELD ARTILLERY BATTALION, MAJOR L.R. DUNHAM OF NEW HAMPSHIRE AND CPL. HERMAN GRAFF OF CRYSTAL CITY, MO. (EDS: BETTER IDENTIFICATIONS AND ADDRESSES NOT GIVEN.)

WHERE THE INTERVIEWS WERE GIVEN AND UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES WAS NOT STATED. THERE WAS NO WAY TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER THE INTERVIEWS ACTUALLY WERE GIVEN OR WHETHER THEY WERE GIVEN UNDER DURESS.

THE ALLEGED INTERVIEWS FOLLOWED A THEME THE COMMUNISTS HAVE SOUGHT TO PUT OVER IN ALL THEIR CURRENT PROPAGANDA BROADCASTS. THIS IS THAT THE WAR AGAINST NORTH KOREA IS UNJUST, THAT CIVILIANS ARE BEING KILLED AND THAT AMERICAN PRISONERS OF WAR ARE GETTING EXCELLENT TREATMENT.

THE ALLEGED INTERVIEWS, BROADCAST BY THE PEIPING RADIO, WERE PICKED UP HERE BY TELERADIO.

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THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT SAID TODAY IT IS CONSIDERING SENDING 200 MARINES AND 200 INFANTRYMEN TO AID UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA. ENLISTMENT WILL BE ON A VOLUNTARY BASIS.

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MOSCOW, AUG. 11-(AP)-PRAVDA, COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER, SAID TODAY A DOCUMENT HAS BEEN FOUND IN SEOUL SHOWING THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT PLANNED GERM WARFARE AGAINST NORTH KOREA THIS YEAR.

PRAVDA SAID IT WAS CLEAR THE WHOLE PLAN WAS AMERICAN-INSPIRED AND ADDED THAT WHEN TOP SOUTH KOREAN INTELLIGENCE AGENTS ARE CAUGHT, "THEY WILL TELL WHAT AMERICANS GAVE THE ORDERS."

THE PAPER SAID IT WAS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THE NECESSARY BACTERIA WERE TO COME FROM WAREHOUSES AT CAMP DIETRICH, GERMANY, OR FROM JAPAN. BOTH AREAS ARE NOW UNDER AMERICAN CONTROL.

THE SOVIET UNION SENTENCED 12 JAPANESE ARMY OFFICERS TO PRISON TERMS RANGING UP TO 25 YEARS LAST DECEMBER FOR ALLEGEDLY PLOTTING GERMAN WARFARE DURING WORLD WAR TWO. THE GOVERNMENT NEWSPAPER IZVESTIA SAID THEN THE TRIAL WAS "A BLOW AT ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS."

RADIO MOSCOW SAID JULY 2 THAT THE UNITED STATES HAD BROUGHT 18 OTHER JAPANESE EXPERTS TO AMERICA TO HELP PLAN BACTERIOLOGICAL WARFARE.

PRAVDA'S REFERENCE TO CAMP DIETRICH, GERMANY, APPARENTLY WAS A MISTAKEN REFERENCE TO CAMP DIETRICH,MD., WHICH IS THE SEAT OF THE ARMY'S BACTERIOLOGICAL WARFARE RESEARCH.

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OTTAWA, AUG.11-(AP)-CANADIAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY MORE THAN 4,400 MEN HAVE VOLUNTEERED IN TWO DAYS FOR CANADA'S NEW SPECIAL FIGHTING BRIGADE BEING FORMED FOR ACTION IN KOREA. THUS FAR 1,324 HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED OR ARE BEING PROCESSED FOR ACCEPTANCE IN THE UNIT, EXPECTED TO NUMBER ABOUT 4,000.

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AMS BUDGET (550)
NIGHT LEAD U.N.
BY FRANCIS W. CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 11-(AP)-BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB TOLD THE U.N. TODAY THE FORCES OF COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM, REPULSED IN EUROPE, ARE CONCENTRATING IN ASIA "FOR THE KILL."

"WHAT HAS HAPPENED IN KOREA SIMPLY MUST NOT BE ALLOWED TO OCCUR AGAIN," JEBB SAID, CITING BURMA, INDONESIA, INDOCHINA, THE PHILIPPINES AND INDIA'S HYDERABAD STATE AS COMMUNIST-MENACED AREAS.

JEBB TANGLED WITH SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A. MALIK IN A RENEWAL IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL OF THE BITTER ORATORICAL BATTLE OVER KOREA. MALIK BRUSHED JEBB OFF WITH A SUGGESTION TO TELL IT TO THE BRITISH MUSEUM-- AND THEN SPENT 45 MINUTES COUNTER-ATTACKING AMERICAN DECLARATIONS OF RUSSIAN RESPONSIBILITY IN NORTH KOREA. THE RUSSIAN DECLARED THE UNITED STATES WANTS TO MAKE KOREA ITS MILITARY BULWARK IN ASIA.

WHEN THE DAY'S DEBATE ENDED, THE COUNCIL FOUND ITSELF RIGHT WHERE IT WAS AT THE START. THE PROCEDURAL STALEMATE CONTINUED AS TIGHT AS EVER.

MALIK ARGUED THAT GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, U.N. COMMANDER IN KOREA, ORDERED PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE TO ATTACK NORTH KOREA AND PROMISED AMERICAN TROOPS AND PLANES TO HELP HIM. HE SAID THE AMERICAN DELEGATION HERE IS SHEDDING "CROCODILE TEARS" ABOUT KOREA BUT THAT ACTUALLY THE U.S. IS INTERESTED IN NOTHING BUT INVESTMENTS IN KOREA, IN CHEAP LABOR AND IN A MILITARY BULWARK IN ASIA.

MALIK SAID MACARTHUR IS TRYING TO PLAY "THE ROLE OF GOD AND EMPEROR IN THE FAR EAST."

MOST OF MALIK'S TALK WAS A REPETITION OF ASSERTIONS DESIGNED TO SUPPORT HIS ARGUMENT THAT THE UNITED NATIONS MUST DECIDE BETWEEN PEACE AND WAR, AND PICTURING THE SOVIET UNION AS SHOWING THE WAY TO PEACE AND THE UNITED STATES THE PATH TO AGGRESSION.

AFTER THE COUNCIL ADJOUNRED AT 5:23 P.M. (EST) WARREN R. AUSTIN, CHIEF UNITED STATES DELEGATE, COMMENTED THAT MALIK DID NOT ANSWER "THE FACT THAT 53 MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS HAVE SOLEMNLY UNDERTAKEN TO PROTECT THE WORLD FROM WAR COMMENCED BY THE NORTH KOREANS AND SUPPORTED IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL BY THE SOVIET UNION."

"IT DOES NOT ANSWER THE FACT THAT THE UNITED NATIONS (53 OUT OF 59) ARE UNDERTAKING TO PROTECT THE PEOPLE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA FROM ARMED ATTACK AND TO HELP THEM TO GAIN FREEDOM, UNITY AND SECURITY," AUSTIN'S BRIEF STATEMENT ADDED.

JEBB STARTED THE FIREWORKS WHEN HE REJECTED RUSSIAN DEMANDS THAT THE FOREIGN TROOPS (MEANING AMERICANS MAINLY) WITHDRAW FROM KOREA. JEBB SAID IF THE U.N. POLICEMAN LEFT THE VICTIM TO THE MERCIES OF THE AGGRESSOR, THE U.N. WOULD HAVE THE WHOLE THING TO DO OVER AGAIN SOON.

"ASIA WOULD ONCE AGAIN BE THE SCENE OF THE CRIME," JEBB SAID. "YES, ASIA WOULD ONCE AGAIN BE THE SCENE OF THE CRIME. HERE IS THE VAST ARENA IN WHICH, REPULSED IN EUROPE, IT IS NOW CLEAR THAT THE DARK FORCES OF COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM ARE CONCENTRATING FOR THE KILL. ALL THE NEW EMERGENT ASIAN STATES ARE AFFECTED BY THIS, AND THEY KNOW IT."

JEBB DEMANDED THAT THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS RETREAT TO THE 38TH PARALLEL, THE BORDER BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA, BEFORE THE COUNCIL COULD CONSIDER INVITING THE NORTH KOREANS TO THE COUNCIL TABLE. HE SAID MALIK'S CLAIM THAT THE FIGHT IS A CIVIL WAR IS "PATENT NONSENSE."

THE BRITON POKED FUN AT RUSSIAN CHARGES THAT THE AMERICANS ARE IMPERIALISTS.

"IMPERIALIST POWERS, GOOD GRACIOUS ME!" HE SAID. "ARE WE REALLY TO BELIEVE THAT THE BOYS FROM IOWA OR COLORADO WHO ARE NOW SITTING IN FOXHOLES NEAR CHINJU, DOING THEIR BEST TO DEFEND DEMOCRACY AS THEY KNOW IT, AND LONGING FOR THE DAY WHEN THEY WILL GET BACK TO DENVER OR SIOUX CITY, ARE WE REALLY TO BELIEVE THAT THESE PEOPLE ARE OUT,

LIKE GENGHIS KHAN, TO ENSLAVE THE WORLD? SHOW ME ANY ONE OF THESE U.S. SOLDIERS, MR. PRESIDENT (MALIK), WHO WOULD RATHER REIGN IN OUTER MONGOLIA THAN GO BACK TO SEATTLE, AND I WILL GLADLY CONCEDE YOUR POINT ABOUT 'IMPERIALIST AMERICA.' UNTIL THEN, NO: I PREFER TO RELY NOT ON MARX (KARL MARX, A PATRON SAINT OF COMMUNISM) BUT ON THE JUDGMENT OF MY OWN EYES AND EARS."

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MALIK ANSWERED THAT IT WAS NOT COWBOYS FROM TEXAS OR CHICAGO WORKMEN WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ATTACKS ON KOREANS BUT THE "WARMONGERS" WHO SENT THEM.

TOUCHING ON AMERICAN HINTS THAT RUSSIA SUPPLIED ARMAMENT FOR NORTH KOREA, MALIK REITERATED THAT HIS GOVERNMENT HAD SOLD WEAPONS TO THE REGIME WHEN RUSSIA MADE ITS ANNOUNCED WITHDRAWAL FROM NORTH KOREA IN 1948. IN TURN, THE RUSSIAN DELEGATE CHARGED AMERICANS SUPPLIE THE SOUTH KOREANS. HE SAID MORE THAN $110,000,000 WAS MADE AVAILABLE TO SOUTH KOREA BUT HE DID NOT REFER TO SOME REPORTS THAT ONLY $200 WORTH OF BARBED WIRE ACTUALLY REACHED SOUTH KOREA BEFORE THE COMMUNISTS INVADED THAT TERRITORY.

JEBB SAID THE UNITED NATIONS WAY IS THE ONLY WAY TO SOLVE PROBLEMS NOW, NOT THE METHODS LAID DOWN BY SOME SAINT OF COMMUNISM. MALIK COMMENTED THAT JEBB IS NOT EQUIPPED TO DISCUSS MARXIST THEORIES AND SHOULD GIVE HIS VIEWS "TO THE BRITISH MUSEUM."

THE COUNCIL MADE NO PROGRESS TOWARD GETTING MALIK TO RULE ON INVITING A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA (SOUTH KOREA) TO THE TABLE. THERE WAS A FLURRY BETWEEN MALIK AND WARREN R. AUSTIN, UNITED STATES DELEGATE, ON PROCEDURE BUT MALIK SAID AGAIN AND AGAIN HE HAD MADE NO RULING, CALLED ON JEBB TO SPEAK, AND SETTLED BACK TO LISTEN. THEN MALIK HIMSELF TOOK OVER WITH HIS 45-MINUTE SPEECH.

THE COUNCIL BEGAN A WEEK AGO ITS DEBATE ON WHETHER TO INVITE TO THE TABLE THE SOUTH KOREAN AND TO ACCEPT A RUSSIAN PROPOSAL TO BRING BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH KOREANS TO THE COUNCIL CHAMBER. MALIK MADE IT CLEAR HE WOULD VETO ANY ATTEMPT TO INVITE THE SOUTH KOREAN WITHOUT THE NORTH KOREAN. MEMBERS OF THE MAJORITY ARE INSISTING HE OBSERVE THE COUNCIL INVITATION GIVEN JUNE 25 TO SOUTH KOREA. MALIK CALLS THAT INVITATION ILLEGAL BECAUSE HE WAS NOT PRESENT WHEN IT WAS ISSUED.

FOR MORE THAN SIX MONTHS THE RUSSIANS STAYED AWAY FROM U.N. SESSIONS AS A PROTEST AGAINST THE PRESENCE OF NATIONALIST CHINA. JEBB, ALLUDING TODAY TO MALIK'S CHARGES THAT U.N. ACTIONS IN THAT PERIOD WERE ILLEGAL, COMMENTED THAT TO MAINTAIN THE COUNCIL MUST BE "POWERLESS BECAUSE ONE MEMBER IN A FIT OF PIQUE SIMPLY BOYCOTTS IT, IS REALLY TO ADMIT THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND INDEED THE WHOLE OF THE UNITED NATIONS CAN ONLY FUNCTION IF IT FUNCTIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WISH AND EVEN THE BEHEST OF ONE INDIVIDUAL PERMANENT MEMBER."

JEBB SAID THE RUSSIAN MANEUVER TO GET NORTH KOREANS TO THE TABLE ALONGSIDE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA IS AIMED TO SHOW THAT THE WHOLE MATTER IS AN AFFAIR FOR THE KOREANS TO SETTLE AND FOR THE "'FOREIGN DEVILS'" TO LEAVE AND SO ALLOW THE COMMUNIZATION OF KOREA TO TAKE PLACE.

THE COUNCIL WILL MEET AGAIN MONDAY.

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SECOND LEAD U.N.

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 11-(AP)-SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITISH DELEGATE, SAID TODAY "THE DARK FORCES OF COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM ARE CONCENTRATING FOR THE KILL" IN ASIA AND THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL MUST "DEAL WITH AGGRESSION AS IT SHOULD BE DEALT WITH."

TAKING UP THE NON-COMMUNIST NATIONS' COUNTER-OFFENSIVE TO RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK IN THE COUNCIL, JEBB SAID COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM, "REPULSED IN EUROPE," WILL ENACT NEW CRIMES IN ASIA UNLESS THE U.N. ACTS FORTHRIGHTLY.

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JEBB SPOKE A FEW MINUTES AFTER SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, IN WASHINGTON, ACCUSED MALIK OF TRYING TO THWART UNITED NATIONS EFFORTS TO RETORE PEACE TO KOREA.

THE BRITON SAID THE UNITED NATIONS CANNOT CONSIDER INVITING A REPRESENTATIVE OF NORTH KOREA TO THE COUNCIL TABLE-- AS DEMANDED BY MALIK-- UNTIL THE NORTH KOREANS RETIRE TO THE 38TH PARALLEL.

JEBB SPOKE AFTER MALIK RENEWED HIS DEMANDS FOR AN IMMEDIATE VOTE ON HIS PROPOSAL TO CALL IN REPRESENTATIVES OF BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA. MALIK DROPPED HIS DEMANDS FOR THE TIME BEING AT LEAST, AFTER CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN AGAIN INSISTED THAT NO VOTE COULD BE TAKEN UNTIL MALIK, AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT, DISPOSED OF A PREVIOUSLY POSED POINT OF ORDER.

THE NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES HAVE INSISTED THE NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES ARE SOVIET PUPPETS AND THAT THE U.N. SHOULD NOT DEAL WITH THEM UNTIL THEY HAVE RETURNED NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

JEBB HEADED THE SPEAKER'S LIST FOR TODAY. THE WORD WAR WAS OPENED YESTERDAY BY U.S. DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN WITH A 3,000-WORD, GLOVES-OFF ATTACK. IT LIKENED THE RUSSIAN-BACKED NORTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT TO A "ZOMBIE GOVERNMENT" AND BLAMED THE SOVIET UNION FOR THE NORTH KOREANS' ATTACK ON THE U.N.-SPONSORED SOUTH KOREAN REGIME.

MALIK ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY HE WOULD ANSWER AUSTIN'S BITING CHARGES AT LENGTH. HE WAS EXPECTED TO WIND UP TODAY'S MEETING WITH HIS SPEECH, TO GIVE IT WIDE CIRCULATION -- WITHOUT AN IMMEDIATE ANSWER -- DURING THE WEEKEND RECESS.

AUSTIN CHARGED THAT THE NORTH KOREANS WERE USING RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS AND GUNS. MALIK, REPLYING BRIEFLY, ACKNOWLEDGED THE SOVIET UNION HAD FURNISHED SUPPLIES TO THE NORTH KOREANS BUT ASSERTED THESE WERE ALL SOLD TO THEM BEFORE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION TROOPS WITHDREW FROM KOREA IN 1948.

MALIK TERMED AUSTIN'S CHARGES "SLANDEROUS STATEMENTS AND HINTS."

MALIK ALSO SAID THAT OTHER DELEGATES HAD FAILED TO SHAKE HIS VIEWS IN A CLOSED MEETING THAT PRECEDED THE OPEN SESSION.

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LATER HE SAID FLATLY, TO A PROTEST BY THE U.S. AND CUBA, THAT HE WOULD NOT RULE ON THE RIGHT OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVE TO SIT IN THE MEETING. HIS STATEMENT LEFT THE COUNCIL STILL IN THE PROCEDURAL TANGLE WHICH HAS BLOCKED FURTHER DECISIVE ACTION ON THE KOREAN QUESTION SINCE HE BECAME COUNCIL PRESIDENT AUG. 1.

AUSTIN ASSAILED THE NORTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT AS AN INSTRUMENT OF RUSSIAN IMPERIALIST DESIGNS AND AS NON-REPRESENTATIVE OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE.

TO CALL THEM REPRESENTATIVE OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE, HE DECLAREED, "MUST BE ONLY A TRAGIC WITTICISM WHEN ADDRESSED TO THOSE WHO KNOW HOW QUICKLY NATIONALISM, PATRIOTISM AND INDEPENDENCE IN OTHER COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN CRUSHED TO PRODUCE SUBSERVIENT PUPPET GOVERNMENTS -- ZOMBIE GOVERNMENTS THAT BREATHE AND SPEAK AND ACT, BUT HAVE NO SOUL."

AUSTIN TOLD MALIK, SLOWLY AND EMPHATICALLY:

"I AM SURE THE DISTINGUISHED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET UNION WILL

AGREE THAT IT MUST HAVE TAKEN MANY MONTHS TO TRAIN THE DRIVERS AND GUNNERS WHO ARE NOW MASSACRING THEIR FELLOW COUNTRYMEN AND DEFYING THE UNITED NATIONS" IN A LONG-PLANNED INVASION.

RUSSIA, AUSTIN SAID, HAS THE POWER TO CALL OFF THE NORTH KOREAN INVADERS AND STOP THE BOMBING AND BLOODSHED. INSTEAD, HE CHARGED, RUSSIA IS SUPPORTING THE NORTH KOREAN REGIME IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND IS THE ONLY GREAT POWER REFUSING TO DENOUNCE THE NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION.

"ONE HAS ONLY TO ASK WHOSE PLANES, WHOSE TANKS AND WHOSE TRAINING HAVE MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR THE NORTH KOREANS TO DEFY THE U.N.," AUSTIN SAID.

MALIK'S PREVIOUS PROPOSAL FOR A CEASE FIRE AND WITHDRAWAL OF U.N. TROOPS, AUSTIN ASSERTED, "WOULD SEND THE U.N. POLICE AWAY AND LEAVE THE BANDITS TO PLUNDER KOREA AT WILL."

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(450) NIGHT LEAD ACHESON

WASHINGTON, AUG. 11-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TODAY DENOUNCED RUSSIA'S CONDUCT IN THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL AS INTENDED "TO THWART THE U.N. EFFORT TO RESTORE PEACE AND SECURITY" IN KOREA.

HE ALSO ACCUSED THE SOVIET DELEGATE, JACOB MALIK, OF DISREGARDING "THE DUTIES OF HIS OFFICE" AS PRESIDENT BY REFUSING TO RULE ON WHETHER A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT SHOULD MEET WITH THE COUNCIL.

MAKING THE CHARGES AT A NEWS CONFERENCE, ACHESON WAS ASKED WHETHER HE THOUGHT MALIK SHOULD BE REMOVED FROM THE CHAIRMANSHIP BUT SAID HE DID NOT WISH TO COMMENT.

ACHESON DECLARED RUSSIA'S WHOLE APPROACH TO THE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION, INCLUDING ITS DEMAND THAT U. N. FORCES PULL OUT OF KOREA, SHOWS THAT THE SETTLEMENT WHICH THE KREMLIN DESIRES IN KOREA "IS ABJECT SUBMISSION TO COMMUNIST CONTROL."

ALONG WITH HIS DENUNCIATION OF THE SOVIET UNION, ACHESON ISSUED A STATEMENT PRAISING THE U.N. FORCES FIGHTING THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS AND LAUDING "THEIR GALLANT AND INSPIRING GENERAL, MACARTHUR."

HE SAID "THEY CARRY WITH THEM OUR HOPES AND ASPIRATIONS FOR PEACE. WE SHARE WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR HIS CONFIDENCE IN THE OUTCOME."

HIS PRAISE OF MACARTHUR MAY HAVE BEEN IN THE NATURE OF POURING OIL ON TROUBLED WATERS IN CONNECTION WITH RECENT WASHINGTON CONCERN OVER MACARTHUR'S TRIP TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK ON FORMOSA. MACARTHUR IN A PUBLIC STATEMENT HAD BITTERLY RESENTED THESE CRITICISMS.

REGARDING THE CONTROVERSIAL ISSUE OF FORMOSA ITSELF, ACHESON REAFFIRMED AMERICAN POLICY OF PREVENTING ANY CHINESE COMMUNIST ATTACK ON THE ISLAND AND AT THE SAME TIME OPPOSING NATIONALIST ATTACKS ON THE MAINLAND.

HE SAID THIS DEFENSIVE POLICY DOES NOT PREJUDICE FUTURE DECISIONS ON FORMOSAN POLITICAL QUESTIONS, THE CHIEF ONE BEING WHO SHALL RULE THE ISLAND.

IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION, HE ALSO SAID THAT AMERICAN POLICY IS BROAD ENOUGH TO PROVIDE FOR MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK IN ORDER TO STRENGTHEN FORMOSA'S DEFENSES.

SWITCHING TO THE EUROPEAN SIDE OF THE CONFLICT WITH COMMUNISM. ACHESON SAID THE MEMBERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY COUNCIL HAD AGREED IN LONDON LAST WEEK THAT SWIFT STEPS SHOULD BE TAKEN TO STRENGTH THE DEFENSES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA.

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ACHESON ALSO APPEALED TO CONGRESS TO SPEED ACTION ON APPROPRIATIONS FOR AN EXPANDED "CAMPAIGN OF TRUTH" AGAINST WHAT AMERICAN OFFICIALS CONSIDER THE LIES OF SOVIET PROPAGANDA.

ACHESON OPENED HIS NEWS CONFERENCE WITH THE ATTACK ON MALIK. "HIS OBSTRUCTION OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL'S BUSINESS," ACHESON SAID, "HAS CARRIED HIM SO FAR AS A POINT-BLANK REFUSAL TO RULE ON A POINT OF ORDER--THAT IS, TO FUNCTION AS PRESIDENT--WHERE IF HE HAD RULED, AND THUS PRESIDED, BUSINESS MIGHT HAVE PROCEEDED.

"BY DISREGARD OF THE DUTIES OF HIS OFFICE, BY DILATORY TACTICS, AND BY REITERATED REVERSALS OF THE TRUTH, THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE HAS OBSTRUCTED BUT NOT PREVENTED PRESENTATION OF THE FACTS."

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PRECEDE NEW YORK (B130)

WASHINGTON, AUG 11-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WAS REPORTED TODAY TO HAVE TOLD MEMBERS OF CONGRESS THAT THE NATION FACES A CRISIS GREATER THAN THOSE AT GETTYSBURG AND PEARL HARBOR.

REPORTS OF ACHESON'S VIEWS WERE GIVEN BY SENATORS WHO CALLED ON THE CABINET MEMBER YESTERDAY TO URGE ACTION TOWARD A POLITICAL UNION WITH WESTERN EUROPE.

ACHESON WAS SAID TO HAVE TOLD THE GROUP THAT THIS COUNTRY HAS ITS HANDS FULL ON THE DIPLOMATIC FRONT NOW WITHOUT ATTEMPTING TO TAKE ON ANY SUCH TASK.

SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) QUOTED ACHESON AS SAYING HE IS IN SYMPATHY WITH THE WESTERN UNION IDEA BUT BELIEVES IT SHOULD COME ABOUT AS A PART OF THE NATURAL GROWTH OF RELATIONS BETWEEN THE ANTI-COMMUNIST POWERS AND NOT BE PUSHED NOW.

THE SECRETARY WAS SAID TO HAVE IMPRESSED THE VISITORS WITH THE GRAVITY WITH WHICH HE VIEWS THE PRESENT SITUATION IN WHICH RUSSIA CONTROLS A LARGE SHARE OF THE WORLD'S MANPOWER.

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MOSCOW, AUG.11-(AP)-THE MOSCOW PRESS TODAY ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES AND HER "SATELLITES" OF HAMPERING THE WORK OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL.

COMMENTING ON YESTERDAY'S COUNCIL MEETING, A NEW YORK DISPATCH SAID "THE SECURITY COUNCIL SESSION UNDER (JAKOB) MALIK TOOK PLACE TODAY AFTER A TWO-DAY INTERRUPTION SUGGESTED BY THE AMERICAN DELEGATION DURING WHICH TIME THERE WAS A SERIES OF SECRET MEETINGS OF NATIONS BELONGING TO THE ANGLO-AMERICAN BLOC.

"AT PREVIOUS SESSIONS." THE DISPATCH CONTINUED, "THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION AND ITS SATELLITES CONCENTRATED ALL THEIR ATTENTION ON VARIOUS ARTIFICIALLY ADVANCED PROCEDURAL QUESTIONS DESIGNED TO HINDER THE SECURITY COUNCIL FROM CONTINUING DISCUSSION OF THE SOVIET UNION'S PROPOSALS FOR PEACEFULLY SETTLING THE KOREAN QUESTION."

THE DISPATCH SAID ONE OF THE TACTICS EMPLOYED BY THE UNITED STATES AND ITS FOLLOWERS IS TO TRY TO INVITE A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE "PUPPET (SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT) SYNGHMAN RHEE" TO THE COUNCIL WITHOUT A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE (NORTH) KOREAN PEOPLES REPUBLIC.

THE DISPATCH DECLARED THAT THE AMERICANS AND THEIR SUPPORTERS ARE "DOING EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO PREVENT THE SECURITY COUNCIL FROM REALLY GETTING DOWN TO PEACEFULLY SETTLING THE KOREAN FIGHTING."

MALIK, THE DISPATCH SAID, IS HOLDING FIRM AGAINST ALL EFFORTS OF THE ANGLO-AMERRICAN BLOC TO PUT THROUGH MORE "ILLEGAL LEGISLATION.,

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 11-(AP)-CANADA TODAY OFFERED TO MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE UNITED NATIONS THE COMPLETE PASSENGER FACILITIES OF THE CANDIAN PACIFIC AIRLINES, OPERATING BETWEEN VANCOUVER AND TOKYO.

THE LINE FLIES TWO FLIGHTS A WEEK WESTBOUND AND THE EQUIVALENT OF ONE FLIGHT A WEEK EASTBOUND.

CANADA ALREADY HAS ANNOUNCED OTHER AID TO THE UNIFIED KOREAN COMMAND, INCLUDING TROOPS AND A LONG-RANGE AIR TRANSPORT SQUADRON FOR ASSISTANCE IN THE PACIFIC AIRLIFT.

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B108KX (Q)
(130)

PRECEDE LAKE SUCCESS (B53)

VANCOUVER, B. C., AUG. 11-(AP)-AMERICAN FIGHTING MEN WILL FLY TO THE KOREAN WAR THEATER FROM VANCOUVER IN STYLE---EACH PLANE WILL HAVE TWO STEWARDESSES.

THE TRIM, LITTLE GIRLS OF THE CANADIAN PACIC AIR LINES TRANS-PACIFIC SERVICE WILL STAY IN DUTY PREPARING FOOD FOR THE WAR-BOUND MEN ON THE 5,000 MILE, 25-HOUR FLIGHT TO TOKYO.

THE 36-PASSENGER, FOUR-ENGINED NORTH STARS OF THE C. P. A. TRANS-PACIFIC FLEET HAVE BEEN TURNED OVER TO UNITED NATIONS FORCES FOR TRANSPORT OF TROOPS.

OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE TRANSFER OF THE FOUR-PLANE (CORRECT) SQUADRON WAS MADE IN OTTAWA AND VANCOUVER TODAY.

THE FIRST PLANE WAS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE HERE VIA THE NORTHERN ALEUTIAN ROUTE FOR TOKYO AT MIDNIGHT, BUT THE TAKE-OFF TIME HAS BEEN CHANGED TO AN "UNDISCLOSED TIME TOMORROW."

TRIMMED-DOWN FOR WAR SERVICE, EACH PLANE COULD CARRY 40 TO 60 PASSENGERS. EACH HAS A CREW OF FOUR AND TWO STEWARDESSES, INCLUDING FOUR CHINESE WHO WERE ON THE ORIENT ROUTE.

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A50WX
(400) PMS BUDGET

KOREAN-DISEASES

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WASHINGTON,AUG.11-(AP)-FLEAS, FLIES AND FISH ARE AMONG POTENTIAL ENEMIES OF OUR TROOPS IN KOREA, EXPERTS OF THE ARMY SURGEON GENERAL'S OFFICE SAID TODAY.

SO ARE MOSQUITOES, LICE AND RATS.

ALL OF THEM ARE CAPABLE OF TRANSMITTING DISEASES OF MILITARY IMPORTANCE, THE MEDICAL MEN SAY, AND EVERY POSSIBLE PRECAUTION IS BEING TAKEN TO COPE WITH THE HAZARD.

ALL TROOPS SENT TO KOREA HAVE RECEIVED "SHOTS" AGAINST SOME OF THE DISEASES WHICH CAN OCCUR THERE--AND GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS ABOUT GUARDING AGAINST OTHERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED.

THEY'VE BEEN WARNED THAT MOST OF THE UNTREATED WATER IN KOREA IS CONTAMINATED BECAUSE HUMAN BODY WASTE IS USED FOR FERTILIZER AND THAT IN MANY RURAL AND SMALL TOWN AREAS SANITATION FACILITIES ARE ALMOST NON-EXISTENT. THEY'VE ALSO BEEN WARNED AGAINST CERTAIN FOOD HAZARDS.

AIDES TO THE SURGEON GENERAL SAY THAT MORE DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO COPE WITH DISEASE AND SANITATION PROBLEMS ARE NOW BEING ISSUED AND PUT INTO EFFECT.

OTHERS WILL BE ISSUED AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE TO BUTTRESS PREVENTIVE MEASURES ALREADY IN EFFECT, THEY SAID.

ARMY MEDICAL MEN HERE SAY THAT SUFFICIENT FIELD REPORTS HAVE NOT YET BEEN RECEIVED FROM KOREA TO GIVE AN APPRAISAL OF THE DISEASE SITUATION AMONG THE TROOPS, BUT THAT SUCH REPORTS ARE EXPECTED SOON.

THEY SAY THAT PRELIMINARY EVIDENCE IS THAT MOSQUITO-BORNE MALARIA AND VARIOUS KINDS OF DYSENTERY HAVE SO FAR ACCOUNTED FOR THE MOST SICKNESS. FLIES CAN TRANSMIT DYSENTERY.

HERE'S HOW THE DOCTORS RATE THE DISEASES WHICH MAY OCCUR IN KOREA:

1. CONSIDERED OF "GREATEST MILITARY IMPORTANCE"--THAT IS, FROM THE STANDPOINT OF POSSIBLE EFFECT ON LARGE NUMBERS OF TROOPS--ARE THE FOLLOWING:

THE DYSENTERIES, DIARRHEA AND OTHER INTESTINAL ILLS, LOUSE-BORNE TYPHUS FEVER, DENGUE OR "BREAKBONE FEVER," SKIN DISEASES--AND TRENCH FOOT AND FROSTBITE. THE LATTER TWO ARE WINTERTIME THREATS.

2. CONSIDERED AS OF "POTENTIAL MILITARY IMPORTANCE" IN KOREA ARE:

CHOLERA, RELAPSING FEVER, FILARIASIS, JAPANESE B ENCEPHALITIS (A BRAIN FEVER) AND POSSIBLY SANDFLY FEVER.

3. THE DOCTORS SAY THE FOLLOWING DISEASES ARE LIKELY TO AFFECT SMALL NUMBERS OF TROOPS: RABIES, RAT-BITE FEVER, CEREBROSPINAL MENINGITIS AND WORM INFECTIONS OF THE LUNGS AND INTESTINES.

AS TO DANGERS FROM FISH, THE DOCTORS SAY THAT FRESH WATER FISHES IN KOREA ARE FREQUENTLY FOUND TO BE INFECTED WITH A FORM OF TAPE-WORM. TROOPS ARE WARNED AGAINST EATING INSUFFICIENTLY COOKED CRABS AND FRESH WATER FISHES.

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A72WX (CAX)
(500)

WASHINGTON, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE ARMY EXPLAINED TONIGHT WHY IT SECRETLY GAVE CONGRESS KOREAN WAR CASUALTY FIGURES WHICH WERE LARGER THAN THOSE MADE PUBLIC AT THE SAME TIME.

IT SAID THE INFORMATION GIVEN TO CONGRESS WAS A "FLASH" REPORT WHICH INCLUDED UNCONFIRMED AS WELL AS CONFIRMED CASUALTIES. IT SAID SUCH FLASH REPORTS ARE NOT GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC GENERALLY BECAUSE THE ARMY WANTS (1.) TO AVOID CAUSING UNNECESSARY ANXIETY AMONG SOLDIERS' RELATIVES AND (2.) TO PREVENT THE ENEMY FROM OBTAINING INFORMATION OF VALUE.

THE ARMY DECLARED IT WOULD CONTINUE TO FURNISH NAMES OF CASUALTIES TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC AS SOON AS THEY ARE CONFIRMED AND NEXT OF KIN ARE NOTIFIED.

IT EXPLAINED THAT IT WAS ISSUING ITS STATEMENT BECAUSE "THERE HAS BEEN MUCH DISCUSSION ABOUT CASUALTIES IN KOREA."

SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) IN A SPEECH IN HIS HOME STATE EARLIER THIS WEEK DECLARED THAT CASUALTIES "ARE BEING CONCEALED" AND THE NATION WOULD BE SHOCKED WHEN "THE WHOLE TRUTH" ABOUT LOSSES BECAME KNOWN. EARLIER. COLUMNIST DREW PEARSON HAD CHARGED THAT THE MILITARY WAS NOT ISSUING CORRECT CASUALTY FIGURES.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN AT A PENTAGON BRIEFING AT WHICH WAR DEVELOPMENTS ARE DISCUSSED WITH REPORTERS, DENIED CHARGES THE ARMY WAS CONCEALING CASUALTY TOTALS. THIS VERBAL DENIAL WAS FOLLOWED UP TONIGHT WITH THE WRITTEN STATEMENT, EXPLAINING IN DETAIL THE SYSTEM OF COMPILING CASUALTY LISTS AND DESCRIBING THE TIME LAG BETWEEN CASUALTIES ON THE FIELD AND PUBLICATION OF THE REPORT. PART OF THE STATEMENT SAID:

"REPRESENTATIVES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY ARE NECESSARILY CALLED FREQUENTLY BEFORE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES IN EXECUTIVE SESSIONS AND AT THOSE SESSIONS SUCH REPRESENTATIVES MUST GIVE OUT AND CONTINUE TO GIVE OUT DATA OF A HIGHLY CLASSIFIED NATURE PERTINENT TO THE SUBJECT UNDER CONSIDERATION IN ORDER THAT CONGRESS MAY HAVE THE BEST AND LATEST EVIDENCE AVAILABLE FOR MAKING ITS VITAL DECISIONS.

"SUCH CLASSIFIED INFORMATION WAS GIVEN OUT BEFORE ONE OF THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEES REGARDING KOREAN CASUALTIES. AT THAT TIME UNCONFIRMED FLASH FIGURES WERE USED AS DISTINGUISHED FROM CONFIRMED FIGURES WHICH, AS POINTED OUT, TAKE CONSIDERABLE TIME TO COLLECT. THE UNCONFIRMED FIGURES, BECAUSE OF THE TIME INTERVAL FACTOR, WERE LARGER THAN THE CONFIRMED PUBLISHED NAMES AS OF THE DATE OF THE HEARINGS BEFORE THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE. NECESSARILY THIS WILL ALWAYS BE THE CASE.

A73WX

"THE ARMY WILL CONTINUE ITS POLICY OF FURNISHING TO THE PUBLIC AS PROMPTLY AS AVAILABLE THE NAMES OF CASUALTIES WHEN CONFIRMED LISTS ARE RECEIVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY AND THE NEXT OF KIN HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED.

"NOTHING SO FAR HAS BEEN HIDDEN FROM THE PUBLIC AND NOTHING WILL BE

HIDDEN FROM THE PUBLIC IN THIS REGARD.
"CURRENT FLASH CASUALTY REPORTS ARE NOT RELEASED FOR TWO REASONS: (1) BECAUSE, BEING INCOMPLETE AND UNVERIFIED, THEY MIGHT NEEDLESSLY CAUSE GREAT ANXIETY TO THE NEXT OF KIN WHO ALWAYS ARE OF FIRST CONCERN TO THE ARMY, AND (2) BECAUSE THIS INFORMATION, EVEN IN ITS UNVERIFIED FORM, IS OF GREAT VALUE TO THE ENEMY."
THE STATEMENT DID NOT SPECIFY WHICH APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE, HOUSE OR SENATE, WAS GIVEN THE REPORT NOR DISCLOSE WHAT THE CASUALTY FIGURES WERE. SENATOR BRIDGES IS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE.
ON AUGUST 7, FOLLOWING PUBLICATION OF THE COLUMNIST'S CHARGE, THE ARMY ISSUED TO THE PRESS A CASUALTY LIST BASED ON NOTIFICATIONS MADE AND RELEASED FOR PUBLICATION THROUGH AUGUST 6.
THAT LIST TOTALED 2,616. OF THESE, 153 WERE KILLED, 1,590 WOUNDED, 873 MISSING.
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A178WX (250)
NIGHT LEAD SECURITY
WASHINGTON,AUG 11-(AP)-NEWSPAPERS AND RADIO STATIONS WERE REQUESTED BY THE ARMED FORCES TODAY NOT TO REPORT ALERTS OR MOVEMENTS OF MILITARY FORCES IN TRAINING IN THE UNITED STATES.
SUCH INFORMATION WOULD AID THE ENEMY, NEWSMEN WERE TOLD AT A BRIEFING SESSION AT THE PENTAGON.
AN ARMY OFFICER READ A STATEMENT ON THE SUBJECT, IN WHICH NAVY AND AIR FORCE REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRED. IT SAID:
"FROM TIME TO TIME THERE WILL BE TROOPS IN TRAINING IN THE U.S.A. ALERTED AND MOVED. FOR GENUINE MILITARY SECURITY REASONS, IT IS HIGHLY DESIRABLE THAT THERE BE NO MENTION OF THESE ALERTS OR MOVEMENTS IN THE PRESS OR OVER THE AIR.
"THE ALERTING OF NATIONAL GUARD UNITS AT THEIR HOME STATIONS FOR MOVEMENT TO TRAINING AREAS MAY BE ANNOUNCED LOCALLY AND PUBLICIZED WITHOUT DAMAGE TO SECURITY; BUT ROUNDUPS OF UNITS, STATEWIDE OR NATIONAL, WOULD BE OF ASSISTANCE TO THE ENEMY. THE COOPERATION OF ALL NEWS MEDIA IS EARNESTLY REQUESTED."
THE ARMY WILL CONTINUE TO ANNOUNCE WHEN NATIONAL GUARD DIVISIONS ARE CALLED INTO FEDERAL SERVICE. THE ARMY HAS NO OBJECTION TO LOCAL PUBLICATION OF THE CALLING OF SMALLER GUARD UNITS INTO SERVICE, BUT POINTED OUT THAT STATE OR NATIONAL ROUNDUPS OF THE SUMMONING OF SUCH UNITS WOULD GIVE A FREE LIFT TO HOSTILE INTELLIGENCE AGENTS.
A REPORTER WANTED TO KNOW IF THERE ARE PLANS TO INSTITUTE A SECURITY CENSORSHIP IN THE COMBAT ZONE.
THE MATTER OF SECURITY IN THE COMBAT ZONE IS UNDER STUDY," THE ARMY MAN REPLIED. HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHEN A DECISION MIGHT BE REACHED.
THE ARMED SERVICES DO NOT NOW CENSOR NEWS FROM THE BATTLEFRONTS.
RZ210PEDNM

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B18WX HKP
(320) RUSSIA-SHIPS
WASHINGTON,AUG.11-(AP)-REP.WEICHEL (R-OHIO) SAID TODAY THAT RUSSIA IS USING AMERICAN SHIPS BORROWED DURING WORLD WAR II TO CARRY MILITARY SUPPLIES TO NORTH KOREA.
HE ADDED THAT HE IS RENEWING HIS DEMANDS FOR MORE ENERGETIC EFFORTS TO RECOVER HUNDREDS OF U.S. WARSHIPS AND MERCHANT VESSELS FROM THE SOVIET UNION.
"THEY ARE USING THE MERCHANT SHIPS TO HAUL CARGO THAT'S BEING USED AGAINST OUR FORCES FIGHTING IN KOREA," WEICHEL TOLD A REPORTER. "THERE IS PLENTY OF EVIDENCE OF THAT.
"WE DON'T KNOW HOW THEY ARE USING THE WARSHIPS. THE NAVY RECENTLY SAID IT HAD HEARD A FLEET OF ABOUT 800 LARGE AND SMALL SOVIET VESSELS WAS IN ASIATIC WATERS--A PRETTY MENACING THING TO MY MIND--AND I JUST WONDER HOW MANY OF THEM BELONG TO US."
RUSSIA'S DELAY IN RETURNING THE LOANED SHIPS IS AN OLD SORE SPOT WITH WEICHEL. HE HAD A HOUSE MERCHANT MARINE COMMITTEE SUBPOENA SERVED ON THE THEN SECRETARY OF STATE GEORGE MARSHALL IN 1948, CONTENDING THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD WITHHELD INFORMATION HE ASKED ABOUT THE SHIPS. HE GOT THE REQUESTED REPORT.
"AS FAR AS I CAN LEARN," WEICHEL SAID TODAY, "THE RUSSIANS STILL HAVE NEARLY 100 OF OUR MERCHANT SHIPS, AND MORE THAN 300 OF OUR NAVAL VESSELS, SOME OF THEM LARGE ONES."
WEICHEL SAID HE WOULD DETAIL HIS CONTENTIONS IN A STATEMENT TO THE HOUSE NEXT WEEK, AND "I'M PREPARING A LETTER TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT NOW."
THE OHIOAN SAID "EVERY ONE" OF THE CARGO SHIPS HAS MADE ONE OR MORE TRIPS TO U.S. PORTS UNDER A RUSSIAN FLAG TO PICK UP AMERICAN CARGO.
"I'M DEMANDING TO KNOW WHY THEY WERE NOT SEIZED THEN, AND HOW WE CONTEMPLATE GETTING THEM BACK NOW," HE ADDED.
HE SAID HE HAS INFORMATION THAT ONE OF THE VESSELS "JUST A FEW DAYS AGO, WHILE LOADING IN GENOA,ITALY, GOT HURRY-UP ORDERS FROM THE KREMLIN TO PROCEED TO ANOTHER PORT, PROBABLY TO FEED CARGO TO THE NORTH KOREANS."
WEICHEL SAID THE HOUSE MERCHANT MARINE COMMITTEE, OF WHICH HE IS A MEMBER, HAS INFORMATION THAT THE RUSSIAN MERCHANT FLEET CONSISTS OF ABOUT 500 SHIPS, "ABOUT A FIFTH OF THEM THE ONES THEY BORROWED FROM US AND NEVER RETURNED."
"WE HEAR THAT FLEET HAS BEEN VERY ACTIVE IN CARRYING CARGO TO PORTS FEEDING THE ORIENT, THUS RELIEVING THE RUSSIANS' SIBERIAN RAILWAY SO IT CAN CARRY MORE TROOPS AND MUNITIONS," HE SAID.
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A36
FERNDALE, N.Y., AUG.11-(AP)-MRS.FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT, WIFE OF THE LATE PRESIDENT, LAST NIGHT TERMED THE KOREAN CONFLICT A "WAR IN WHICH ALL FREE NATIONS AND THE UNITED NATIONS MUST HAVE A PART."
SPEAKING BEFORE 1,100 GUESTS AT THE GROSSINGER COUNTRY CLUB RESORT HERE, SHE URGED CREATION OF A POWERFUL U.N. FORCE AS A MEANS OF THWARTING AGGRESSION THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.
MRS.ROOSEVELT WAS LEAVING HERE TODAY TO ATTEND THE BERSHIRE FESTIVAL AT TANGLEWOOD, LENOX, MASS., TONIGHT.
MK440AED

B86WX
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON,AUG.11-(AP)-REP.YOUNG (D-OHIO) SAID TODAY "WE AMERICANS HAVE REAL CAUSE TO FEAR THAT SOVIET DICTATORS WILL PROVOKE A SERIES OF LOCAL WARS IN DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE WORLD."
"WHAT HAS RUSSIA TO LOSE BY THIS METHOD?" HE ASKED IN A SPEECH RECORDED FOR DELIVERY ON 30 OHIO RADIO STATIONS. "IT IS CHEAP AGGRESSION-BY PROXY, ONE MIGHT SAY.
"WE COULD LOSE TREASURE AND PREVIOUS LIVES AND OUR ARMED FORCES WOULD BE SPREAD THIN ALL OVER THE WORLD."
FR1129AED

B108WX
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, AUG. 11-(AP)-REP. SMITH (R-OHIO) CALLED THE UNITED NATIONS "A COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION" IN A STATEMENT PUBLISHED TODAY IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.
"THE UNITED NATIONS IS A COLLOSSAL SWINDLE," HE SAID. "IT IS A COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION."
THE UNITED STATES, HE SAID, CAN EXPECT LITTLE REAL HELP FROM OTHER U.N. MEMBERS IN THE KOREAN WAR.
SU104PED

B39CX (Q)
BLANDINSVILLE, ILL., AUG. 11-(AP)-SENATOR LUCAS (D-ILL) SAID TODAY HE BELIEVES A GENERAL WAR WILL BE AVOIDED AS LONG AS AMERICAN PRODUCTION OF ATOMIC WEAPONS FAR EXCEEDS THE OUTPUT OF THE COMMUNISTS'.
"THE COMMUNISTS KNOW THAT AGGRESSION IN EUROPE WILL BE ANSWERED IMMEDIATELY WITH ATOMIC BOMBS ON THEIR PRINCIPAL CENTERS," HE SAID.
IN A TALK PREPARED FOR AN ANNUAL FARMERS' PICNIC, LUCAS SAID THE COMMUNISTS "OUTMANEUVERED THEMSELVES" IN KOREA. HE ADDED:
"THEY HOPED TO GET A CHEAP, EASY VICTORY. THEY THOUGHT WE WOULD TURN OUR BACKS. INSTEAD THE WHOLE FREE WORLD HAS BEEN ELECTRIFIED INTO ACTION."
SZ615PCD

A4WX
WASHINGTON,AUG 11-(AP)-THE NAVY DISCLOSED TONIGHT THAT THE 27,000 TON AIRCRAFT CARRIER LEYTE IS BEING KEPT IN SERVICE INSTEAD OF BEING LAID UP FOR MODERNIZATION AS PREVIOUSLY PLANNED.
INSTEAD, HER SISTER SHIP LAKE CHAMPLAIN IS TO BE TAKEN OUT OF THE "MOTH BALL" FLEET AND MODERNIZED.
KEEPING THE LEYTE IN SERVICE MAKES AN ADDITIONAL CARRIER AVAILABLE FOR DUTY IN KOREAN WATERS IF NECESSARY.
THE CARRIER HAS BEEN OPERATING IN THE MEDITERRANEAN.
RZ930PED (ABOVE A84)

B110KX
(180)
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(APWS)
FIRST LEAD
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG.11-(AP)-IVAN MATTEO LOMBARDO, ITALY'S MINISTER OF FOREIGN TRADE, SAID HERE TONIGHT THAT THE KOREAN WAR IS HURTING ITALY ECONOMICALLY.
LOMBARDO, HERE ON AN UNOFFICIAL VISIT AFTER ATTENDING CHICAGO'S INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR, SAID A CLIMB IN WORLD PRICES BECAUSE OF THE WAR HAS CAUSED THE CHIEF HARM.
"ITALIAN TRADE ALSO IS SUFFERING," HE SAID, "BECAUSE OF THE STILL CONSIDERABLE DOLLAR GAP BETWEEN IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.
"WE'RE EXPORTING ONLY ONE-SEVENTH OF WHAT WE IMPORT FROM THE UNITED STATES. AND IF WE ARE TO CONTINUE BUYING, WE MUST SELL MORE OF OUR GOODS TO AMERICA."
TO FURTHER THAT OBJECTIVE, LOMBARDO DECLARED, A 24-MAN INTER-AMERICAN COUNCIL FOR MARKETING IS NOW BEING FORMED. HE SAID THE COUNCIL, COMPOSED OF AN EQUAL NUMBER OF AMERICANS AND ITALIANS, WILL STUDY MEANS OF PROMOTING ITALIAN EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES.
LOMBARDO SAID ONE OF THE PURPOSES OF HIS VISIT HERE IS TO OFFER THE CO-CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE COUNCIL TO JAMES ZELLERBACH, PRESIDENT OF CROWN-ZELLERBACH PAPER CORP., AND FORMER ECA CHIEF IN ITALY. LOMBARDO HIMSELF WILL BE THE OTHER CHAIRMAN.
"ITALY CAN NOT HOPE TO COMPETE WITH AMERICA IN EXPORT OF MASS PRODUCTION GOODS, BUT WE CAN OFFER THE U.S.MANY QUALITY GOODS AND SERVICES," THE MINISTER SAID.
LOMBARDO WILL RETURN TO WASHINGTON SUNDAY.
(NO PICKUP)

A40WX (RESERVES)
(125) SECOND NIGHT LEAD RESERVES
WASHINGTON, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE AND THE ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY THEY ARE CALLING UP 59,444 RESERVES.
THE AIR FORCE SAID IT EXPECTS TO PUT 8,000 OFFICERS AND 42,000 ENLISTED MEN INTO ACTIVE SERVICE BY EARLY FALL. IT SPOKE OF THIS NUMBER AS THE "INITIAL REQUIREMENT."
MOST OF THESE OFFICERS WILL BE OF THE RANK OF CAPTAIN OR BELOW. THE ENLISTED RESERVISTS ARE PERSONS WITH MILITARY SKILLS WHICH ARE NEEDED.
PREVIOUSLY THE AIR FORCE HAD SAID IT WAS SUMMONING RESERVISTS, ON A VOLUNTARY AND INVOLUNTARY BASIS, BUT THE FIGURES HAD NOT BEEN GIVEN.
THE ARMY IS ORDERING 9,444 MALE RESERVE OFFICERS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY INTO ACTIVE SERVICE.

1. A TOTAL OF 1,582 FROM THE ACTIVE AND INACTIVE MEDICAL, DENTAL VETERINARY AND MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS OF THE OFFICERS RESERVE CORPS; UP TO THE GRADE OF MAJOR IN THE MEDICAL AND MEDICAL SERVICE GROUP, LIEUTENANT COLONEL IN THE DENTAL CORPS, AND MAJOR IN THE VETERINARY CORPS.
2. A TOTAL OF 1,808 CAPTAINS AND 6,054 LIEUTENANTS IN 16 BRANCHES WHO ARE NOT ASSIGNED TO ORGANIZED RESERVE UNITS. THEY WILL BE ON ACTIVE DUTY BY OCT. 6, ASSIGNED TO 21 MONTHS' SERVICE UNLESS RELIEVED SOONER, OR UNLESS THE PERIOD IS CHANGED BY LAW.
AGE LIMITS FOR THE CAPTAINS AND LIEUTENANTS CALLED IN THE 16 COMBAT AND SERVICES GROUPS MUST BE MET. THE LIMITS IN THE SERVICES, WHICH INCLUDE ADJUTANT GENERAL, CHEMICAL, MILITARY POLICE, QUARTERMASTER AND OTHER BRANCHES, ARE HIGHER THAN IN THE COMBAT GROUPS. OVERAGE OFFICERS IN THE COMBAT CATEGORY WILL BE ORDERED TO DUTY IN THE SERVICE BRANCHES.

THE ARMY SAID THAT THESE CAPTAINS AND LIEUTENANTS WILL INCLUDE BOTH ACTIVE AND INACTIVE MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZED RESERVE CORPS. THE ACTIVE MEMBERS ARE THOSE ACTIVE IN TRAINING PROGRAMS.
THE ARMY ANNOUNCED THAT MILITARY UNITS WHOSE DESTINATION IS THE FAR EAST HAVE PRIORITY IN THE ASSIGNMENT OF THE RESERVE OFFICERS INVOLUNTARILY CALLED TO DUTY.
AN OFFICIAL GAVE ADDITIONAL PRIORITY RANKINS AS FOLLOWS:
SECOND, NEWLY-ACTIVATED POSTS AND STATIONS.
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THIRD, TRAINING DIVISIONS.
FOURTH, GENERAL RESERVE UNITS AS THEY ARE BUILT UP WITH SOME OF THE 62,000 ENLISTED RESERVISTS PREVIOUSLY CALLED UP.
THE ARMY'S ACTION OBVIOUSLY RESULTED FROM LACK OF ENOUGH RESPONSE TO ITS APPEAL FOR VOLUNTEERS FROM ITS RESERVOIR OF SPECIALISTS.
IN CONGRESS, SHARP COMPLAINTS HAVE BEEN MADE THAT NOT ENOUGH OF THE MEDICAL MEN TRAINED AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE DURING THE LAST WAR HAVE JOINED UP.
THE ARMY'S ANNOUNCEMENT EMPHASIZED THAT IT "WILL CONTINUE TO MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO SECURE OFFICERS ON A VOLUNTARY BASIS."
INDICATING THAT THE PENTAGON IS SEEKING TO MAINTAIN A BALANCE BETWEEN MILITARY AND CIVILIAN NEEDS, THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THAT THE QUOTAS FOR MEDICOS ARE DISTRIBUTED AMONG THE SIX ARMY AREAS OVER THE NATION IN A "FAIR AND EQUITABLE" MANNER.
"THE TOTAL NUMBER," THE ARMY SAID, "IS CONSISTENT WITH THE NATIONAL SECURITY."
THE DEPARTMENT FURTHER SET UP FIVE CATEGORIES FROM WHICH THE MEDICAL, DENTAL, VETERINARY AND MEDICAL SERVICE MEN WILL NOT BE DRAWN UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED.
ONE GROUP INCLUDES SUCH OFFICERS RESIDING IN COMMUNITIES WHERE PUBLIC HEALTH WOULD BE "UNDULY JEOPARDIZED" BY THEIR BEING ORDERED TO EXTENDED ACTIVE DUTY.
THE OTHER FOUR CATEGORIES:
1. RESERVE MEDICAL OFFICERS WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED A YEAR OF INTERNE TRAINING.
2. RESERVE MEDICAL AND DENTAL OFFICERS WHO ARE "SENIOR RESIDENTS" PRIOR TO COMPLETION OF THE CURRENT YEAR'S TRAINING.
3. RESERVE OFFICERS IN THE MEDICAL, DENTAL, VETERINARY OR MEDICAL SERVICE LISTINGS WHO ARE TAKING POST-GRADUATE COURSES IN THEIR WORK OR ALLIED SCIENCES. THE DEFERMENT WILL LAST UNTIL THEY COMPLETE THE

CURRENT ACADEMIC YEAR.
4. RESERVE MEDICAL, DENTAL, VETERINARY AND MEDICAL SERVICE OFFICERS WHOSE ACTIVITY IN TEACHING, RESEARCH AND THE LIKE ARE NECESSARY TO THE NATIONAL INTEREST.
IN ADDITION, THE ARMY SAID THAT COMMANDERS HAVE BEEN TOLD TO OBTAIN COOPERATION AND AID OF STATE AND LOCAL MEDICAL, DENTAL AND VETERINARY SOCIETIES.
PRESUMABLY THE PURPOSE OF THIS IS TO HELP CARRY OUT THE DIRECTIONS OUTLINED IN THE ORDER.
THE ARMY EXPECTS TO HAVE THE QUOTAS FOR THE MEDICAL MEN FILLED BY SEPT. 10.
"MEDICAL, DENTAL AND VETERINARY OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO RESERVE UNITS WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN ALERTED WILL NOT BE DELAYED FROM THIS CALL SOLELY BY REASON OF SUCH ASSIGNMENTS," THE ANNOUNCEMENT EXPLAINED. "SELECTION TO FILL QUOTAS WILL BE MADE, WHENEVER FEASIBLE, FROM AMONG OFFICERS OF THE RESERVE CORPS WITH NO PREVIOUS ACTIVE MILITARY SERVICE, FOLLOWED BY OFFICERS WITH LESS THAN ONE YEAR OF EXTENDED ACTIVE DUTY, AND SO ON."
THE AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED THE GROUNDS ON WHICH RESERVE OFFICERS AND AIRMEN CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY MAY APPLY FOR DELAY.
IT ALSO ANNOUNCED THAT, AS AN INITIAL STEP TOWARD ADJUSTING THE RANK OF OFFICERS ALREADY ON ACTIVE DUTY TO THOSE OF OFFICERS BEING RECALLED, 5,000 WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR TEMPORARY PROMOTION TO THE GRADES OF CAPTAIN AND FIRST LIEUTENANT.
THE AIR FORCE SAID THAT RESERVE PERSONNEL ELIGIBLE FOR RECALL DELAY INCLUDED:

1. PERSONS ENROLLED IN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.
2. THOSE ENGAGED IN RESEARCH AND SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES.
3. STUDENTS OF PROFESSIONAL GRADUATE COURSES IN DENTAL, VETERINARY OR MEDICAL COLLEGES, OR PERFORMING THE FIRST YEAR OF MEDICAL INTERNESHIP.
4. INDIVIDUALS IN CERTAIN ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES.
5. HARDSHIP AND DEPENDENCY CASES MEETING AIR FORCE STANDARDS.
6. KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL WHOSE CALL TO ACTIVE DUTY WOULD CAUSE MATERIAL LOSS IN PRODUCTION, SERVICES, OR RESEARCH NECESSARY TO THE NATIONAL INTEREST.
RESERVISTS WHO ARE CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY AND WHO "FEEL IT ESSENTIAL" THAT THE CALL BE TEMPORARILY DELAYED WERE ADVISED TO ASK THE AIR FORCE ISSUING THEIR RECALL ORDERS FOR DELAY.

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A186WX (450)
AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD UMT
BY ARTHUR EDSON
WASHINGTON,AUG 11-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN THINKS THIS COUNTRY SHOULD HAVE COMPULSORY MILITARY TRAINING FOR ALL YOUTHS, BUT HE WON'T PRESS FOR SUCH A PROGRAM AT THIS SESSION OF CONGRESS.
THIS WAS DISCLOSED TODAY BY PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY CHARLES ROSS.
ROSS TOLD REPORTERS THAT MR.TRUMAN--WHO HAS BEEN TURNED DOWN ON ALL OF HIS REPEATED REQUESTS FOR CONGRESS TO SET UP UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING (UMT)--STILL STRONGLY FAVORS THE PLAN.
BUT ROSS SAID MR.TRUMAN DOESN'T WANT THE CONTROVERSIAL TRAINING PROGRAM TO COME UP AT A TIME WHEN IT MIGHT INTERFERE WITH SO MUCH LEGISLATION HE CONSIDERS VITAL TO KOREAN WAR NEEDS.
YET ROSS HARDLY HAD COMPLETED HIS COMMENTS BEFORE GEORGE CRAIG, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, LEFT A CONFERENCE WITH THE PRESIDENT AND ANNOUNCED:
THE LEGION WILL GO ALL-OUT TO GET A UMT BILL THROUGH CONGRESS THIS YEAR.
HERE'S CRAIG'S IDEA:
PUT THROUGH A BILL WHICH WOULD GIVE THE PRESIDENT THE POWER TO START A CIVILIAN TRAINING PROGRAM WHENEVER HE THINKS THE SITUATION WILL JUSTIFY IT.
THIS WOULD GET AROUND ONE IMMEDIATE CRITICISM OF A UMT PROGRAM NOW: THAT IT WOULD BE SILLY TO TAKE 200,000 MEN OUT OF THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT TO RUN UMT WHEN EVERY MAN IS NEEDED FOR THE KOREAN WAR.

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CRAIG TOLD REPORTERS:
"I BELIEVE THAT THE PRESIDENT FAVORS THIS PROPOSAL. IN MY OPINION HE IS FOR IT."
THE WHOLE THING CAME UP YESTERDAY IN A SOMEWHAT OFFHAND WAY. A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN, IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION, TOLD THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE THAT A UNIVERSAL MILITARY PROGRAM IS UNDER CONSIDERATION AND SOON WOULD BE READY FOR CONGRESS.
NO DETAILS WERE GIVEN.
POSSIBLY THE IDEA RESEMBLED CRAIG'S.(CRAIG SAID HE HAS THE BACKING OF THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT.)
BUT EVEN THIS MILD HINT OF THINGS TO COME STIRRED UP A PROTEST IN CONGRESS.
FOR EXAMPLE, SENATOR GURNEY (R-SD), FORMER CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, HAS BACKED UMT IN THE PAST. BUT HE TOLD A REPORTER"
"UMT WOULD CALL FOR TRAINING PERHAPS 1,000,000 YOUTHS EACH YEAR WHO ARE 18 YEARS OLD AND WOULD COST BETWEEN FOUR AND FIVE BILLION DOLLARS. IT WOULD ALSO REQUIRE 250,000 OFFICERS AND MEN TO TRAIN THEM. WE CAN'T AFFORD THAT RIGHT NOW."
GURNEY'S FIGURES RAN A LITTLE HIGHER THAN PREVIOUS ADMINISTRATION ESTIMATES. THESE GUESSES: 200,000 MEN, AND $2,000,000,000.
BUT GURNEY SAID THAT "AS SOON AS THE PRESENT FIGHTING WAR IS OVER I WOULD FAVOR UMT AS THE BEST THING TO KEEP US OUT OF ANY FUTURE DIFFICULTIES."
UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING DIFFERS FROM THE DRAFT IN THAT IT IS INTENDED TO TRAIN ALL YOUTHS, THEREBY FORMING A RESERVE FROM WHICH THE MILITARY COULD DRAW IN TIMES OF CRISES.
REP.TOWE (R-NJ) INTRODUCED SUCH A BILL TODAY, THE SAME MEASURE HE INTRODUCED IN JULY, 1947.
HIS BILL WOULD REQUIRE ALL YOUTHS BETWEEN 18 AND 20 TO TAKE SIX MONTHS' TRAINING. THEY THEN WOULD ENLIST IN ONE OF THE BRANCHES OF THE MILITARY RESERVES.
IN 1947, TOWE'S BILL GOT THE APPROVAL OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, BUT IT NEVER CAME UP FOR A HOUSE VOTE.

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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON,AUG 11-(AP)-JAMES ROOSEVELT SAID TODAY HE DOESN'T EXPECT TO BE CALLED TO DUTY WITH THE MARINES IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE.
THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT MARINE CORPS POLICY, "BARRING FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS, IS NOT TO CALL RESERVE OFFICERS OF MY RANK AT THE PRESENT TIME OR IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE."
"SO," HE ADDED, "I HAVE IMPORTANT WORK TO DO; AND I'M GOING TO SET ABOUT DOING IT." A SHORT TIME LATER A MARINE REPRESENTATIVE TOLD REPORTERS ROOSEVELT CALLED ON GENERAL CATES, COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS, AND WAS GIVEN ASSURANCE THAT MARINE RESERVE OFFICERS OF HIS RANK ARE NOT NOW BEING CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY.
ROOSEVELT, A COLONEL IN THE MARINE VOLUNTEER RESERVE, REITERATED HE IS READY TO GO ON ACTIVE DUTY WHENEVER HE IS NEEDED AND WANTS TO BE

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TREATED EXACTLY LIKE ANY OTHER MARINE OFFICER.
ROOSEVELT WAS CRITICAL OF STATE PREPARATIONS FOR CIVILIAN DEFENSE IN CALIFORNIA, A SUBJECT WHICH HE SAID WAS THE CHIEF REASON FOR HIS VISIT TO WASHINGTON.
ROOSEVELT SAID STATEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN CALIFORNIA THAT FEDERAL OFFICIALS INSTRUCTED THE STATES TO HOLD UP CIVILIAN DEFENSE PLANS PENDING ANNOUNCEMENT OF A NATIONAL PROGRAM.
HE SAID HE HAD BEEN ASSURED BY W.STUART SYMINGTON, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD; PAUL J.LARSON, DIRECTOR OF CIVILIAN MOBILIZATION, AND SECRETARY OF INTERIOR OSCAR CHAPMAN THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO SUCH PROHIBITION.
ROOSEVELT SAID HE ASKED CHAPMAN TO REPORT "THE FACTS" ON THE CALIFORNIA POWER SITUATION.
HE SAID HE WANTS PARTICULARLY AN ANALYSIS OF A PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC CO. REPORT THAT ITS POWER RESERVE IS 19 PER CENT ABOVE DEMAND.
IF THAT IS TRUE, HE SAID, HE DOES NOT SEE WHY KAISER INTERESTS ARE REMOVING EQUIPMENT FROM THE GOVERNMENT'S RIVERBANK, CALIF., ALUMINUM PLANT FOR USE OUTSIDE THE STATE.
ROOSEVELT SAID HE WILL SPEND THE WEEKEND AT HYDE PARK, N.Y., AND BE IN NEW YORK CITY A FEW DAYS NEXT WEEK BEFORE RETURNING TO CALIFORNIA.

LATER ROOSEVELT STOPPED BY THE WHITE HOUSE FOR A TALK WITH MATTHEW J.CONNELLY, SECRETARY TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
ROOSEVELT, WHO CONFERRED WITH MR.TRUMAN YESTERDAY, SAID HE DID NOT SEE THE PRESIDENT AGAIN TODAY, BUT SIMPLY TALKED POLITICS WITH CONNELLY.
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NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS (480)
BY JOHN B.OWEN
WASHINGTON, AUG. 11-(AP)-SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) LAUNCHED A FIGHT TODAY TO KEEP FOR CONGRESS THE RIGHT TO SAY WHEN PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING CONTROLS SHALL BE IMPOSED, IF AT ALL.
THE HOUSE VOTED YESTERDAY TO LEAVE THE DECISION ENTIRELY UP TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN. THE SENATE IS DEBATING A MEASURE WHICH WOULD DO THE SAME THING.
THIS, SAID TAFT, WOULD BE HANDING TO THE PRESIDENT "COMPLETE AND ARBITRARY DICTATORIAL POWER OVER THE ENTIRE ECONOMIC LIFE OF THE COUNTRY."
TAFT, THE SENATE'S REPUBLICAN POLICY CHIEF, QUICKLY ENCOUNTERED REPUBLICAN DISAGREEMENT. SENATOR IVES (R-NY) TOLD THE SENATE:
"CHARGES OF ABDICATION OF CONGRESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY AND FEARS OF DICTATORIAL BUREAUCRATIC CONTROL SERVE ONLY TO OBSCURE THE BASIC ISSUE OF NATIONAL SECURITY."
DESPITE AN ARRAY OF REPUBLICAN AMENDMENTS TO RESTRICT THE BILL'S SCOPE, DEMOCRATIC LEADERS APPEARED CONFIDENT THAT THE FINAL PRODUCT WILL BE SUBSTANTIALLY AS STRONG AS THE HOUSE MEASURE. A VOTE IS EXPECTED NEXT WEEK.
THE AUTHORITY THE BILLS CONTAIN IS FAR BEYOND WHAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED WHEN HE CALLED JULY 19 FOR PARTIAL CONTROLS INCLUDING ALLOCATIONS OF MATERIALS, PRIORITIES FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES, CREDIT RESTRICTIONS AND LOAN GUARANTEES FOR ESSENTIAL PRODUCTION.
MANY CONGRESSMEN INSISTED THAT STRONGER STANDBY AUTHORITY SHOULD BE ON HAND IN CASE OF RUNAWAY INFLATION. MR.TRUMAN ASSENTED ON CONDITION HE HAD THE SAY-SO ABOUT USING IT. CEILINGS AND RATIONING AREN'T NEEDED NOW, HE SAID.
TAFT AGREED. NEVERTHELESS, HE SAID HE IS WILLING TO LET THE DRASTIC PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING CONTROLS STAY IN THE BILL--IF IT PROVIDES THAT THEY CANNOT BE PUT INTO EFFECT UNTIL CONGRESS GIVES THE WORD.
IVES, A MEMBER OF THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE WHICH DRAFTED THE LEGISLATION, SAID IT CONTAINED "ADEQUATE SAFEGUARDS AGAINST THE POSSIBILITY OF HAPHAZARD OR ARBITRARY OR CAPRICIOUS EXERCISE OF POWER."
THE NEW YORKER CALLED IT LIMITED REGULATION, ON A TEMPORARY BASIS. BOTH SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS CARRY A TIME LIMIT.
TAFT, WHO SAID HE WOULD NOT HESITATE TO VOTE FULL CONTROLS IN EVENT OF ALL-OUT WAR, DECLARED THAT THE PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM OUTLINED BY MR.TRUMAN COULD BE HANDLED BY INCREASED TAXES AND CREDIT CONTROL.
"I THINK WE CAN AND SHOULD PAY FOR THE PROGRAM AS WE GO AND THAT IF WE DO, PRICE CONTROL IS NOT NECESSARY," HE ADDED.

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TAFT SAID THE BILL WOULD ALLOW THE GOVERNMENT TO GO INTO THE STEEL BUSINESS. SENATOR ROBERTSON (D-VA) REPLIED THAT THE BILL SEEKS TO MAKE CLEAR THAT THE GOVERNMENT MUST USE PRIVATE ENTERPRISE IN DEFENSE PRODUCTION.
THE OHIO REPUBLICAN CONTENDED THAT CREDIT RESTRICTIONS ON CAR PURCHASES WOULD BE THE BEST WAY TO FURNISH STEEL FOR MILITARY USES, IF THE ADMINISTRATION NEEDS TO CUT CIVILIAN USES OF THE METAL.
A 50 PER CENT DOWN PAYMENT REQUIREMENT AT RETAIL WOULD SAVE 2,000,000 TONS OF STEEL, HE SAID.
A SENATE MOVE WAS AFOOT TO WRITE INTO THE BILL AT LEAST STANDBY AUTHORITY TO REGULATE MARGINS, OR DOWN PAYMENTS, FOR COMMODITY MARKET SPECULATORS.
THE HOUSE KNOCKED THIS OUT OF ITS BILL, AND THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE TOOK SIMILAR ACTION.
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COLUMBUS,O.,AUG.11-(AP)-U.S.SEN.ROBERT A.TAFT TOLD THE OHIO REPUBLICAN EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION TONIGHT ATHT THIS COUNTRY'S MILITARY EXPANSION SHOULD BE "DEPENDENT UPON WHAT WE ARE GOING TO DEFEND -- THE WHOLE WORLD, OR ONLY CERTAIN PARTS OF IT."
HE SAID THAT AT THE PRESENT TIME HE DIDN'T "THINK THE ADMINISTRATION ITSELF KNOWS WHAT ITS FUTURE FOREIGN AND MILITARY POLICY SHALL BE."
HE PREDICTED SUCH A DECISION WOULD HAVE TO BE MADE BEFORE LONG.
THE SENIOR OHIO SENATOR, WHO CAME HERE FROM WASHINGTON BY AIR TO ADDRESS THE REPUBLICAN NEWSPAPER EDITORS, REVIEWED EVENTS LEADING UP TO THE KOREAN CONFLICT. HE REPEATED A PREVIOUS CHARGE THAT THIS THIS COUNTRY HAD INVITED THE SITUATION BY WITHDRAWING OUR OCCUPATION FORCES FROM SOUTH KOREA AND ANNOUNCING WE WOULD NOT ATTEMPT TO DEFEND THE LITTLE COUNTRY.
THE SENATOR REPEATED MUCH OF THE SPEECH HE HAD MADE IN THE SENATE TODAY ON THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL, CHARGING THAT IT VIRTUALLY CALLS FOR RESTORATION OF OPA RATIONING AND OTHER CONTROLS.
"I DON'T THINK SUCH A SYSTEM OF CONTROLS CAN STAND UP IN TIME OF PEACE, FOR YOU CAN'T RUN PRICE CONTROLS WITH JUSTICE," HE DECLARED. "THEY ENCOURAGE LAWLESSNESS AND BLACK MARKETS. IT WOULD BE A COMPLETE AND COLOSSAL FAILURE IF PUT INTO EFFECT.
"BUT IN TIME OF ALL-OUT SUCH CONTROLS ARE NECESSARY AND I WOULD BE FOR THEM," HE SAID.
THE SENATOR SAID IT WOULD BE UP TO THE U.N. TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES WOULD PURSUE THE NORTH KOREANS ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL -- THAT THE UNITED STATES ALONE COULD NOT DETERMINE THAT QUESTION, BECAUSE WE ARE FIGHTING IN KOREA ONLY AS A U.N. FORCE TO PUNISH AN AGGRESSOR. THEN HE ADDED:
"BUT IT SEEMS TO ME IF ALL THE U.N. DOES IS TO PUSH THE NORTH

KOREANS BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL WITHOUT PUNISHING THE AGGRESSORS, WE HAD BEST STAYED OUT. I THINK THERE SHOULD BE SOME PENALTY. WE ARE NOT THERE MERELY TO OCCUPY KOREA."

HE ASSERTED THAT "HAD WE GIVEN FAIR NOTICE TO THE COMMUNISTS THAT WE WOULD BE BACK IN KOREA IF THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE ATTACKED, AS WE HAD GIVEN RUSSIA TO STOP HER EUROPEAN AGGRESSION AFTER THE COUPLE IN CHECKOSLOVAKIA, THERE NEVER WOULD HAVE BEEN ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREA."

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BY ELTON C.FAY
AP MILITARY AFFAIRS REPORTER

WASHINGTON,AUG.11-(AP)-THE MILITARY EXPECTS THAT EVEN WITH THE NEW REARMAMENT PROGRAM ITS "TAKE" OF STEEL WILL BE NO MORE THAN FIVE OR SIX PER CENT OF THE NATION'S PRODUCTION.

A MUNITIONS BOARD OFFICIAL USED THIS FIGURE TODAY TO UNDERLINE HIS EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT IT WILL BE POSSIBLE TO PRODUCE THE "HARDWARE"--THE PLANES, SHIPS, TANKS, GUNS AND OTHER WEAPONS--ASKED FOR IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S $10,500,000,000 (B) SUPPLEMENTAL MILITARY REQUEST TO CONGRESS WITHOUT ANY SERIOUS BLOW TO THE CIVILIAN ECONOMY.

THE ESTIMATE ON STEEL REQUIREMENTS REPRESENT THE FIRST SURVEY MADE BY THE MUNITIONS BOARD OF PROBABLE REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM. THE MILITARY'S SLICE OF STEEL PRODUCTION NOW IS ABOUT FOUR PER CENT.

BECAUSE THE NATION'S STEEL MILLS NOW ARE AT VIRTUALLY 100 PER CENT OF CAPACITY, IT IS EVIDENT THE INCREASED DEMANDS OF THE MILITARY MUST COME OUT OF PRODUCTION NOW GOING TO CIVILIAN CONSUMPTION.

BUT THE MUNITIONS OFFICIAL EXPRESSES THE THOUGHT THAT MUCH OF IT CAN BE DIVERTED FROM THE FRILLS WITHOUT MAKING INROADS ON IMPORTANT OR ACTUALLY NECESSARY ITEMS. HE COMMENTS THAT, AS AN EXAMPLE, SLOT MACHINES AREN'T VITAL TO CIVILIAN ECONOMY, BUT THEY USE STEEL.

THE BOARD ALSO EXPECTS IT WILL BE ABLE TO CARRY ON THE KOREAN WAR AND GO AHEAD WITH THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM WITHOUT DIGGING INTO THE NATION'S STOCKPILE OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS, WHICH THE MUNITIONS BOARD HAS BEEN BUILDING UP FOR SEVERAL YEARS.

THE AMMUNITION, TANKS, PLANES AND OTHER EQUIPMENT BEING RUSHED TO THE KOREAN FRONT NOW ARE COMING EITHER FROM AVAILABLE EQUIPMENT OR BEING TURNED OUT IN NEW PRODUCTION (AN EXAMPLE IS THE 3.5-INCH BAZOOKA)--BUT NONE OF THE RAW MATERIAL FOR THEIR MANUFACTURE COMES FROM THE STRATEGIC STOCKPILE.

UNDER THE STORING-FOR-A-RAINY DAY PROGRAM, THE MILITARY IS PUTTING AWAY THE THINGS WHICH IT THINKS MIGHT BE SCARCE SHOULD AN ALL-OUT, GLOBAL WAR COME. THEY ARE MATERIALS AVAILABLE NOW FROM PARTS OF THE WORLD WHICH MIGHT BE CUT OFF IN A WORLD WAR III.

CURRENTLY, THERE ARE 71 ITEMS ON THE STOCKPILING LIST--THINGS LIKE THE BASIC METALS TIN, TUNGSTEN, COPPER, MANGANESE, CHROME; MINERALS SUCH AS ASBESTOS, MICA AND TALC; RUBBER AND ROPE FIBER; DRUGS AND OILS.

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IN MAKING SURVEYS AND CARRYING ON NEGOTIATIONS, HUBERT HOWARD, CHAIRMAN OF THE MUNITIONS BOARD, HAS RECENTLY MADE TOURS TO EUROPE AND CANADA.

HE RETURNED LAST WEDNESDAY FROM TALKS IN OTTAWA WITH CANADIAN OFFICIALS. THE TALKS THERE WERE UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE INVOLVED PLANS FOR PURCHASING PARTS OF EQUIPMENT, BUT NOT ANY BUYING OF LARGE AMOUNTS OF COMPLETE ITEMS OR WEAPONS.

THE MUNITIONS BOARD IS STARTLED BY THE REACTION OF BUSINESSMEN TO THE KOREAN WAR SITUATION AND THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM. THE BOARD IS FINDING IT HARD TO CONVINCE SOME BUSINESSMEN THAT THE WORLD WAR II DAYS OF ALL-OUT MOBILIZATION OF INDUSTRY AND MOUNTAINS OF CONTRACTS ARE NOT BACK, THAT THIS IS STILL A LIMITED MOBILIZATION.

HOWARD'S OFFICE HAS JUST PUT OUT A FORMAL NEWS RELEASE, URGING CONTRACT-SEEKERS TO SEE THE FIELD OFFICES OF THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT AND THE MILITARY DEPARTMENTS--BUT PLEASE NOT COME RUSHING TO WASHINGTON.

"IN MOST CASES IT IS A WASTE OF BOTH TIME AND MONEY," SAYS THE PLEA. "THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE HAVE FIELD OFFICES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY WHICH WILL CONTINUE TO DO MOST OF THE BUYING AS IN THE PAST. INFORMATION ON MILITAR

COUNTRY WHICH WILL CONTINUE TO DO MOST OF THE BUYING AS IN THE PAST. INFORMATION ON MILITARY CONTRACT BIDS AND AWARDS IS NOW AVAILABLE AT DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FIELD AND COOPERATING OFFICES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY. THERE ARE NOW ABOUT 2,000 OF THESE POINTS."

THE WORKLOAD OF A SMALL OFFICE OF THE MUNITIONS BOARD WHICH DEALS WITH SMALL BUSINESSMEN HAS SPIRALED.

HARRIED BOARD OFFICIALS PRODUCED THESE FIGURES TO SHOW WHAT THEY MEAN:

IN THE WEEK OF JULY 7--BEFORE PRESIDENT TRUMAN ANNOUNCED THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM--THAT OFFICE HANDLED 116 LETTERS, HAD 44 CALLERS, 127 TELEPHONE CALLS, HAD A BACKLOG OF REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION ABOUT CONTRACTS OF 67.

MR.TRUMAN SENT HIS MESSAGE TO CONGRESS ON JULY 24.

ON JULY 28, THE OFFICE RECEIVED 794 LETTERS, HAD 216 CALLERS, 475 PHONE CALLS AND ITS BACKLOG OF REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION ON CONTRACTS HAD GONE UP TO 485.

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NIGHT LEAD PARLIAMENT

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(ADVANCE)..LONDON, SATURDAY, AUG.12-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE TODAY SUMMONED PARLIAMENT, WHICH RECESSED FOR THE SUMMER BARELY TWO WEEKS AGO, TO RECONVENE SEPT.12 TO DEAL WITH THE PROBLEM OF BRITAIN'S DEFENSE.

THE SUMMONS WAS ANNOUNCED AFTER A LENGTHY CABINET MEETING. PARLIAMENT RECESSED JULY 28 TO RECONVENE OCT.17. DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER HERBERT MORRISON TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS WHEN IT ADJOURNED THAT IT MIGHT BE RECALLED IF THE INTERNATIONAL CRISIS WORSENED.

LAST NIGHT'S CABINET MEETING LASTED THREE HOURS AND 45 MINUTES. IT IS BELIEVED THAT THE MINISTERS MADE A WIDE-RANGING REVIEW OF BRITAIN'S DEFENSE POSITION IN THE LIGHT OF THE FAR EASTERN CRISIS.

THERE WERE UNCONFIRMED REPORTS THAT THE CABINET HAD DISCUSSED THE POSSIBILITY OF LENGTHENING THE SERVICE TERM OF BRITISH DRAFTEES. THEY NOW SERVE 18 MONTHS.

IT ALSO IS CONSIDERED LIKELY THAT ATTLEE AND HIS COLLEAGUES TALKED OVER PROPOSALS FOR HIGHER PAY AND BETTER LIVING CONDITIONS OF THE FIGHTING FORCES TO ATTRACT MORE VOLUNTEERS.

DEFENSE MINISTER EMANUEL SHINWELL SAID RECENTLY THAT SOME ADDITIONAL INDUCEMENTS PROBABLY WOULD BE OFFERED TO RECRUITS. SHINWELL TOLD PARLIAMENT LAST MONTH THAT HE WAS NOT READY TO ACT ON SUGGESTIONS THAT THE DRAFT PERIOD BE EXTENDED TO 24 MONTHS. HE SAID HE PREFERRED TO TRY TO STIMULATE THE RATE OF VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENTS.

CHIEFS OF STAFFS OF THE ROYAL ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE ATTENDED THE CABINET SESSION LAST NIGHT. EARLIER THEY HAD CONFERRED WITH SHINWELL FOR HALF AN HOUR.

THE THREE SERVICE MINISTERS--THE HEADS OF THE ADMIRALTY, AIR MINISTRY AND WAR OFFICE--ALSO ATTENDED, ALTHOUGH THEY ARE NOT MEMBERS OF THE CABINET UNDER ORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES. THEY ARE LORD HALL, FIRST LORD OF THE ADMIRALTY; WAR MINISTER JOHN STRACHEY; AND AIR MINISTER ARTHUR HENDERSON.

NOTICE OF THE SPECIAL PARLIAMENT SESSION WAS SENT TO WINSTON CHURCHILL, LEADER OF THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY. WHO IS ATTENDING THE

COUNCIL OF EUROPE IN STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AND TO CLEMENT DAVIES, LIBERAL PARTY CHIEFTAIN AT HIS HOME IN WALES.
THE SUMMONS CAME ONLY A FEW HOURS AFTER CHURCHILL HAD MADE A RINGING PLEA BEFORE THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR A UNIFIED ARMY OF WESTERN NATIONS TO PROTECT EUROPE AGAINST RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES.

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BRITAIN'S LABOR GOVERNMENT HAS LAID DOWN A $9,520,000,000(B) REARMAMENT PROGRAM FOR THE NEXT THREE YEARS, WHICH WILL REQUIRE THE CONSENT OF PARLIAMENT. HOWEVER, THIS IS NOT BELIEVED TO BE FAR ENOUGH ALONG TO BE READY FOR ACTION AT THE SPECIAL SESSION NEXT MONTH.
THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM WAS PROPOSED IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AS TO WHAT THE VARIOUS NORTH ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES, OF WHOM BRITAIN IS ONE OF THE LEADERS, COULD CONTRIBUTE TO THE WEST'S OVERALL DEFENSE PROGRAM.
BRITAIN MADE IT CLEAR SHE COULD NOT UNDERTAKE SO BIG A DEFENSE PROGRAM "UNLESS THE UNITED STATES CAN OFFER FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE." THE EXTENT OF AMERICAN AID HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, AUG.11)
(ADVANCE) LONDON, SATURDAY, AUG.12-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE TODAY SUMMONED PARLIAMENT BACK INTO SESSION SEPT.12 TO DISCUSS BRITAIN'S DEFENSE SITUATION.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT CAME AFTER A LENGTHY CABINET MEETING, CALLED ON SHORT NOTICE AT NUMBER 10 DOWNING STREET, ATTLEE'S OFFICIAL RESIDENCE.
PARLIAMENT BEGAN ITS SUMMER RECESS JULY 28. IT WAS SCHEDULED TO RECONVENE OCT.17.
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BY ARTHUR GAVSHON
LONDON, AUG.11-(AP)-DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS REPORTED TODAY BRITAIN HAS TOLD THE UNITED STATES SHE IS CONCERNED LEST AN AMERICAN-CHINESE CLASH OVER FORMOSA LEAD TO A THIRD WORLD WAR IN WHICH THE NON-COMMUNIST NATIONS MIGHT BE DIVIDED.
BRITAIN MADE THIS POINT DURING NORMAL AND CONTINUING EXCHANGES WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON THE WHOLE SITUATION IN THE ORIENT, THE INFORMANTS SAID. A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN REFUSED TO DISCUSS DETAILS OF THE U.S.-BRITISH TALKS, BUT SAID BRITISH REPRESENTATIVES HAVE DISCUSSED THE PROBLEM OF FORMOSA WITH AMERICAN OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON "IN THE LAST TWO OR THREE DAYS."
JAPAN OCCUPIED FORMOSA UNTIL THE END OF WORLD WAR II, WHEN, BY BIG POWER AGREEMENT, IT WAS TO REVERT TO CHINA. THE NATIONALIST REMNANTS UNDER CHIANG KAI-SHEK FLED THERE WHEN THE COMMUNISTS OVERRAN THE MAINLAND.
WHEN THE KOREAN WAR BROKE OUT, THE U.S. SOUGHT TO NEUTRALIZE THE ISLAND AND SENT FLEET UNITS TO WARD OFF ANY ATTEMPTED COMMUNIST INVASION. BRITAIN AND INDIA, ALONG WITH SOME OTHER NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES, RECOGNIZE COMMUNIST CHINA.
OFFICIAL BRITISH UNEASINESS WAS MANIFEST WHEN COMMUNIST CHINESE LEADERS REAFFIRMED THEIR INTENTION OF INVADING FORMOSA. THIS UNEASINESS INCREASED AFTER GEN.MACARTHUR'S VISIT TO FORMOSA TO TALK OVER WITH CHIANG THE DEFENSE OF THE ISLAND.
AS THE BRITISH SEE IT, THE WESTERN POWERS MAY BE HEADING INTO POLITICAL HOT WATER OVER FORMOSA. THEY POINT OUT THAT CHIANG'S AIR FORCE HAS CONTINUED TO ATTACK THE COMMUNIST-HELD MAINLAND AND BRITISH SHIPS TRADING WITH RED CHINA; THAT THE U.S. DECISION TO GUARD THE ISLAND IS BEING CONFUSED IN ASIATIC MINDS WITH U.N. ACTIONS IN KOREA; THAT IF RED CHINA ATTACKS FORMOSA, MANY NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES, PARTICULARLY IN ASIA, WOULD NOT HELP THE WEST.
THEY WOULD SEE THE ACTION, THE INFORMANTS SAY, AS A CONTINUATION OF THE CHINESE CIVIL WAR RATHER THAN AN ACT OF AGGRESSION BY THE COMMUNISTS.
SECTIONS OF THE BRITISH PRESS HAVE BEEN SAYING IN EFFECT THAT THERE WOULD BE NO PERCENTAGE IN THE WEST WINNING KOEA AND LOSING ALL ASIA.
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A97 (120)
LONDON, AUG. 11-(AP)-SCOTLAND YARD DISCLOSED TODAY IT HAS RECOVERED A PORTFOLIO OF SECRET ATOMIC RESEARCH PAPERS STOLEN FROM AN OFFICIAL OF THE BRITISH MINISTRY OF SUPPLY THREE DAYS AGO.
A MAN ARRESTED AT FOLKESTONE HAS BEEN BROUGHT TO LONDON FOR QUESTIONING. HIS IDENTITY WAS NOT MADE PUBLIC.
A SUITCASE CONTAINING THE PAPERS VANISHED TUESDAY FROM THE LUGGAGE OF FRANK M.GREENLEES, WHO WORKS FOR THE SUPPLY MINISTRY'S RESEARCH LABORATORY AT RISLEY. GREENLEES LEFT THE LUGGAGE UNGUARDED IN HIS TRAIN COMPARTMENT FOR THREE MINUTES AT LONDON'S EUSTON STATION. WHEN HE RETURNED THE PAPERS WERE GONE.
THE SUITCASE WITH THE PAPERS WAS APPARENTLY FOUND INTACT IN LONDON [redacted] LAST NIGHT. POLICE ASKED GREENLEES TO COME TO LONDON FROM RISLEY TO MAKE SURE NOTHING IS MISSING.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD CHURCHILL
AUG 12 1950
BY PHILIP CLARKE
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY ADOPTED TONIGHT, 89 TO 5, A MOTION BY WINSTON CHURCHILL URGING CREATION OF A UNITED EUROPEAN ARMY FOR DEFENSE OF THE WEST. THERE WERE 27 ABSTENTIONS.
THE MOTION, AS REVISED IN A 20-MAN COMMITTEE WHICH INCLUDED THE VETERAN BRITISH CONSERVATIVE LEADER, PROVIDES THAT THE UNIFIED ARMY WOULD SERVE UNDER A EUROPEAN MINISTRY OF DEFENSE.
CHURCHILL SAID HE WOULD NOT BE A CANDIDATE FOR THE PROPOSED POST OF DEFENSE MINISTER.
HE URGED IN A SPEECH THE CREATION OF THE UNIFIED ARMY, INCLUDING GERMAN TROOPS, AND THE DISPATCH OF LARGE ARMED FORCES FROM BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES TO GUARD WESTERN EUROPE AGAINST SOVIET AGGRESSION.
"APART FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE AMERICAN BASE IN ENGLAND," HE CHARGED, "NOTHING HAS BEEN DONE TO GIVE ANY EFFECTIVE PROTECTION TO OUR PEOPLES FROM BEING SUBJUGATED OR DESTROYED BY THE RUSSIAN COMMUNIST ARMIES, WITH THEIR MASSES OF ARMOR AND AIRCRAFT."
HE SAID THE CREATION OF A TRUSTWORTHY DEFENSE SYSTEM WITHIN THE NEXT TWO YEARS WOULD LESSEN THE THREAT OF A THIRD WORLD WAR.
THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY IS THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, AN INTERNATIONAL DISCUSSION GROUP SET UP ON PARLIAMENTARY LINES. THE 125 DELEGATES ARE FROM 15 NATIONS. PRESUMABLY CHURCHILL WISHES THE COUNCIL TO ASK MEMBER GOVERNMENTS TO MERGE THEIR NATIONAL ARMIES. HE SAID HIS MOTION WAS INTENDED AS "WARNING AND GUIDANCE" FOR THE WESTERN WORLD. THE ASSEMBLY ITSELF HAS NO POWER TO CREATE A EUROPEAN ARMY OR A DEFENSE MINISTRY.
A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY IS REQUIRED FOR PASSAGE IN THE ASSEMBLY. FOUR IRISHMEN LED BY FORMER PREMIER EAMON DE VALERA AND A BRITISH LABORITE, W. GLENVIL HALL, VOTED AGAINST THE MOTION. MANY BRITONS AND SCANDINAVIANS ABSTAINED.
THERE WAS LOUD APPLAUSE AT PASSAGE OF THE MOTION. ASSEMBLYMEN FROM MOST OF THE 15 NATIONS CROWDED AROUND CHURCHILL TO PUMP HIS HAND IN

CONGRATULATION. IT MARKED A MAJOR VICTORY FOR THE 75-YEAR-OLD FORMER PRIME MINISTER, WHO OVERRODE COUNCIL STATUTES FORBIDDING DISCUSSION OF DEFENSE MATTERS.

PAUL REYNAUD, A FORMER FRENCH PREMIER, PROPOSED THE CREATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL DEFENSE MINISTRY FOR WESTERN EUROPE IN A SPEECH BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY WEDNESDAY AND SUGGESTED CHURCHILL TO HANDLE THE JOB.

TODAY, HOWEVER, CHURCHILL AROSE IN THE ASSEMBLY AND SAID "I, MYSELF, AM NOT A CANDIDATE FOR THAT OFFICE."

HE SUGGESTED THAT THE USE OF ATOMIC BOMBS AGAINST RUSSIA IN CASE OF SUCH A WAR "MIGHT WELL ENABLE THE BRAVE RUSSIAN PEOPLES TO FREE THEMSELVES FROM A TYRANNY WORSE THAN THAT OF THE CZARS."

"WE IN THIS ASSEMBLY HAVE NO RESPONSIBILITY OR EXECUTIVE POWER," HE SAID, "BUT WE ARE BOUND TO GIVE OUR WARNING AND OUR COUNSEL. THERE MUST BE CREATED, IN THE SHORTEST POSSIBLE TIME, A REAL DEFENSIVE FRONT IN EUROPE. GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES MUST SEND LARGE FORCES TO THE CONTINENT.

"FRANCE MUST REVIVE AGAIN HER FAMOUS ARMY, WELCOME OUR ITALIAN COMRADES. ALL--GREECE, TURKEY, HOLLAND, BELGIUM AND SCANDINAVIA--ALL MUST BEAR THEIR SHARE. COURAGE AND UNITY MUST INSPIRE US AND DIRECT THE MIGHTY ENERGIES AT THE DISPOSAL OF OUR GOVERNMENTS TO SOLID AND ADEQUATE MEASURES OF DEFENSE.

"THOSE WHO SERVE SUPREME CAUSES DO NOT CONSIDER WHAT THEY CAN GET, BUT WHAT THEY CAN GIVE. LET THAT BE OUR PRIVILEGE, LET THAT BE OUR RIVALRY IN THE YEARS THAT LIE BEFORE US.

"THE QUESTION WHICH CHALLENGES US IS: 'SHALL WE HAVE THE TIME?' NO ONE CAN ANSWER THAT QUESTION FOR CERTAIN. TO ASSUME THAT WE WERE TOO LATE WOULD BE TO GIVE WAY TO THE VERY MADNESS OF DESPAIR. WE ARE STILL UNDER THE SHIELD OF THE ATOMIC BOMB, POSSESSED IN FORMIDABLE QUANTITIES BY THE UNITED STATES ALONE. IN MY OPINION, WE HAVE A BREATHING SPACE."

CHURCHILL DID NOT MENTION WEST GERMANY IN HIS ROLL CALL OF NATIONS, BUT TOLD NEWSMEN LATER "OF COURSE GERMANY IS INCLUDED." HE EMPHASIZED THIS SECTION OF HIS SPEECH:

"I AM VERY GLAD THE GERMANS, AMID THEIR OWN PROBLEMS, HAVE COME HERE TO SHARE OUR PERILS AND AUGMENT OUR STRENGTH. THEY SHOULD HAVE BEEN HERE A YEAR AGO. A YEAR HAS BEEN WASTED, BUT IT IS STILL NOT TOO LATE. THERE IS NO REVIVAL OF EUROPE, NO SAFETY OR FREEDOM FOR ANY OF US EXCEPT TO STAND TOGETHER, UNITED AND UNFLINCHING.

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"I HAVE HEARD IT SAID THAT IF ANY GERMANS, EXCEPT COMMUNISTS, WERE TO BE ARMED, THIS MIGHT BE THE PRETEXT FOR A PREVENTATIVE WAR BY RUSSIA. BELIEVE ME, THE LONG CALCULATED DESIGNS OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WILL NOT BE TIMED OR DEFLECTED BY EVENTS OF THIS ORDER."

CHURCHILL'S CALL FOR A EUROPEAN ARMY WAS MADE IN A MOTION DISTRIBUTED BEFORE HE BEGAN HIS ADDRESS TO THE ASSEMBLY. IT PROVIDED IMMEDIATE DEBATE, PRO AND CON.

MEMBERS OF THE RULING BRITISH LABOR PARTY CHALLENGED THE MOTION ON A POINT OF ORDER. THEY CALLED ATTENTION TO STATUTES FORBIDDING DISCUSSION OF MILITARY MEASURES IN THE COUNCIL, WHICH IS A SORT OF INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENT WITHOUT SIGNIFICANT POWERS.

AS THE DEBATE WORE ON, IT APPEARED DOUBTFUL THE NECESSARY TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY COULD BE MUSTERED WHEN AND IF THE MOTION REACHED A VOTE.

CHURCHILL ASKED THE ASSEMBLY TO APPROVE HIS MOTION AS "A GESTURE OF PRACTICAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE GUIDANCE" TO THE FREE WORLD. IT CALLED FOR IMMEDIATE CREATION OF A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY, SUBJECT TO EUROPEAN DEMOCRATIC CONTROL. HE DID NOT SPECIFY HOW SUCH AN ARMY SHOULD BE ORGANIZED OR HOW IT SHOULD TIE IN WITH THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT DEFENSE SYSTEM.

"SOVIET FORCES IN EUROPE, MEASURED IN ACTIVE DIVISIONS, IN AIR FORCE AND IN ARMORED VEHICLES, OUTNUMBER THE FORCES OF WESTERN UNITY BY AT LEAST SIX OR SEVEN TO ONE," CHURCHILL SAID. "THESE ARE TERRIBLE FACTS."

CHURCHILL SAID SOVIET RULERS CAN BE SATISFIED WITH THE WAY THINGS HAVE GONE SO FAR: "SINCE THE WORLD WAR STOPPED IN 1945 THEY HAVE OBTAINED CONTROL OF HALF EUROPE AND OF ALL CHINA WITHOUT LOSING A SINGLE RUSSIAN SOLDIER. THEY HAVE A WEALTH OF OPPORTUNITY FOR CREATING TROUBLE AND TEMPTING US TO DISPERSE OUR FORCES UNDULY THROUGH ACTION OF THEIR SATELLITES. IT SEEMS TIBET IS TO BE THE NEXT VICTIM. ENGAGED IN THESE DIVERSIONS, THEY ARE ABLE TO PREACH PEACE WHILE PLANNING AGGRESSIVE WAR AND IMPROVING THEIR ATOMIC STOCKPILE."

CHURCHILL'S SPEECH CAME AT THE TIME OF A STRUGGLE BETWEEN ASSEMBLY SUPPORTERS OF A PLAN FOR TOTAL EUROPEAN FEDERATION NOW AND OTHERS, LED BY BRITAIN, WHO WOULD GO MORE SLOWLY.

A MOVEMENT WAS UNDERWAY AMONG ASSEMBLY REBELS TO SCRAP THE COUNCIL'S STATUTES AND SET UP AN ACTUAL EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT. THERE WAS STRONG SENTIMENT ALSO FOR CREATION OF A EUROPEAN FEDERAL PACT, TO UNITED FRANCE, GERMANY AND ITAL

SENTIMENT ALSO FOR CREATION OF A EUROPEAN FEDERAL PACT, TO UNITE FRANCE, GERMANY AND ITALY UNDER A SINGLE LEADERSHIP NOW, AND OTHER NATIONS LATER.

CHURCHILL'S ADDRESS BROUGHT THEIR QUARREL TO A HEAD.

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LEAD DAY CHURCHILL

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.11-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TONIGHT ADOPTED WINSTON CHURCHILL'S MOTION CALLING FOR CREATION OF A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY UNDER AN OVERALL DEFENSE MINISTRY.

THE ROLL CALL VOTE IN THIS LOWER HOUSE OF THE UNOFFICIAL UNITED EUROPE PARLIAMENT WAS 89 IN FAVOR, FIVE OPPOSED AND 17 ABSTAINING.

THE MOTION WAS INTRODUCED EARLIER TODAY BY BRITAIN'S WARTIME PRIME MINISTER AS WESTERN EUROPE'S ANSWER TO THE THREAT OF RUSSIAN AGGRESSION.

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BY ACCEPTING THE MOTION THE DELEGATES AGREE TO TAKE CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL TO THEIR RESPECTIVE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS FOR ACTION.

CHURCHILL HAD ASKED FOR SUCH AN ARMY "SUBJECT TO PROPER DEMOCRATIC CONTROL."

HE SAID THE MOST EFFECTIVE DETERRENT TO WAR WAS AMERICAN SUPERIORITY IN ATOMIC WEAPONS PLUS RUSSIA'S SUCCESS IN BUILDING AN EMPIRE WITHOUT COMMITTING HERSELF TO WAR.

"THE USE OF THIS (ATOMIC) WEAPON," CHURCHILL SAID, "WOULD SHAKE THE FOUNDATIONS OF THE SOVIET REGIME THROUGHOUT THE VAST AREAS OF RUSSIA, AND THE BREAKDOWN OF ALL COMMUNICATIONS AND CENTRALIZED CONTROL MIGHT WELL ENABLE THE BRAVE RUSSIAN PEOPLES TO FREE THEMSELVES FROM A TYRRANY FAR WORSE THAN THAT OF THE CZARS."

CHURCHILL WELCOMED THE PRESENCE OF WEST GERMAN DELEGATES AND ASKED THE ASSEMBLY TO "ASSURE OUR GERMAN FRIENDS THAT WE SHALL HOLD THEIR SAFETY AND FREEDOM AS SACRED AS OUR OWN."

HE SLAPPED DOWN ARGUMENTS THAT REARMING WEST GERMANY MIGHT INCITE THE SOVIETS TO A PREVENTIVE WAR BY SAYING SUCH ACTION WOULD IN NO WAY CHANGE THE "LONG CALCULATED DESIGNS" OF RUSSIA.

REFERRING TO THE BREATHING SPACE HE SAID THE WEST STILL HAS, CHURCHILL DECLARED:

"IF WE USE THIS (TIME) WISELY AND WELL AND DO NOT WASITE IT AS WE HAVE ALREADY WASTED SO MUCH, WE MAY STILL GREATLY INCREASE THE DETERRENTS AGAINST A MAJOR RUSSIAN COMMUNIST AGGRESSION."

HE SAID THAT ONLY BY BUILDING UP A "TRUSTWORTHY SYSTEM OF DEFENSE" WOULD THE WEST HAVE A CHANCE OF "FINAL SETTLEMENT BY NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE SOVIET ON THE BASIS OF STRENGTH AND NOT OF OUR WEAKNESS."

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CHURCHILL DID NOT SPELL OUT EXACTLY HOW THE PROPOSED EUROPEAN ARMY WOULD BE ORGANIZED, BUT PRESUMABLY HE WANTS MEMBER GOVERNMENTS TO MERGE THEIR NATIONAL ARMIES. THIS WOULD GO FAR BEYOND WHAT IS NOW CONTEMPLATED UNDER THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT.

CHURCHILL'S MOTION SAID SUCH A EUROPEAN FORCE SHOULD ACT IN FULL COOPERATION WITH THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA IN SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL.

CHURCHILL DEMANDED THE PROMPT CREATION OF "A REAL DEFENSIVE FRONT IN EUROPE."

"THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN MUST SEND LARGE FORCES TO THE CONTINENT, AND FRANCE MUST REVIVE ITS ARMY," CHURCHILL DECLARED, CALLING UPON THE NATIONS OF THE WEST TO DO THEIR SHARE IN PROTECTING CIVILIZATION.

THE WARTIME LEADER ASSERTED THAT THE WHOLE WEST IS "IN GREAT DANGER" WITH THE "FREEDOM AND CIVILIZATION OF WESTERN EUROPE UNDER THE SHADOW OF SOVIET AGGRESSION."

THE BRITISH LEADER RIDICULED THE FIVE-NATION BRUSSELS TREATY AS COMPLETELY INEFFECTIVE.

"COMMITTEES HAVE BEEN SET UP WHICH HAVE BEEN TALKING EVER SINCE," HE SAID. "CONFERENCES HAVE BEEN HELD WITH HIGH OFFICIALS AND STATESMEN. A PRENTIOUS FACADE HAS BEEN DISPLAYED BY THE GOVERNMENTS RESPONSIBLE FOR OUR SAFETY.

"BUT IN ACTUAL FACT," HE SAID, "APART FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN AMERICAN BOMBER BASE IN BRITAIN, NOTHING HAS BEEN DONE TO PROTECT OUR PEOPLE."

CHURCHILL COMPLAINED THAT HIS WARNINGS TO THE WEST IN THE PAST HAD FALLEN ON UNHEEDING EARS, OR WERE USED TO SUSTAIN THE FALSE ACCUSATION BY THE EAST OF WARMONGERING.

"NOW, HOWEVER," SAID CHURCHILL, "SUDDENLY THE LIGHTNING FLASH IN KOREA AND THE SPREADING CONFLAGRATION WHICH HAS FOLLOWED IT HAS ROUSED THE WHOLE FREE WORLD TO KEEN AND VEHEMENT REALIZATION OF ITS DANGERS; AND MANY MEASURES ARE NOW PROPOSED WHICH, IF THEY HAD BEEN TAKEN TWO YEARS AGO, WOULD AT LEAST HAVE YIELDED SOME FRUIT."

CHURCHILL WARNED AGAINST DEPENDING TOO MUCH ON THE WEST'S COMBINED SUPERIORITY IN STEEL AND OTHER MATERIALS.

"MOST OF THIS MIGHT BE THE PRIZE OF THE AGGRESSOR, IF WE WERE STRUCK DOWN," HE DECLARED.

REPLYING TO STATEMENTS BY FRENCH LEADERS THAT FRANCE DOES NOT WANT TO HAVE TO BE LIBERATED AGAIN, CHURCHILL SAID:

"SIR, AFTER A PERIOD OF RUSSIAN COMMUNIST OCCUPATION THERE WOULD NOT BE MUCH LEFT TO LIBERATE THE SYSTEMATIC LIQUIDATION OF ALL ELEMENTS HOSTILE TO COMMUNISM WOULD LEAVE LITTLE LITTLE WHICH COULD BE RECOGNIZED BY THE RESCUERS OF THE SURVIVORS."

HE WELCOMED THE PRESENCE OF GERMAN DELEGATES IN THE ASSEMBLY, BUT ADDED THAT THEY "SHOULD HAVE BEEN HERE A YEAR AGO.

"A YEAR HAD BEEN WASTED, BUT STILL IT IS NOT TOO LATE. THERE IS NO REVIVAL OF EUROPE, NO SAFETY OR FREEDOM FOR ANY OF US EXCEPT TO STAND TOGETHER UNITED AND UNFLICHING.

"I ASK THIS ASSEMBLY TO ASSURE OUR GERMAN FRIENDS THAT WE SHALL HOLD THEIR SAFETY AND FREEDOM AS SACRED AS OUR OWN."

TO ARGUMENTS THAT REARMING NON-COMMUNIST GERMANS MIGHT INCITE THE RUSSIANS TO A PREVENTATIVE WAR, CHURCHILL CHIDED:

"BELIEVE ME, SIR, THE LONG CALCULATED DESIGNS OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WILL NOT BE TIMED OR DEFECTED BY EVENTS OF THIS ORDER."

"THE SOVIET FORCES IN EUROPE," HE SAID, "MEASURED IN ACTIVE DIVISIONS, IN AIR FORCE AND ARMORED VEHICLES, OUTNUMBER THE FORCES OF THE WESTERN UNION BY AT LEAST SIX OR 10 TO ONE X X X."

"THESE ARE TERRIBLE FACTS," HE PRONOUNCED, "AND IT IS A WONDER THAT WE SIT HERE IN OUR NEW HOURS OF EUROPE CALMLY DISCUSSING OUR PLANS FOR THE FUTURE HAPPINESS AND CONCORD OF OUR PEOPLES."

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HE SAID THE GREAT DANGER LAY IN THE FACT THAT THE WESTERN DEMOCRACIES DISBANDED THEIR ARMIES AFTER THE WAR, "WHILE THE DICTATORSHIP OF THE KREMLIN MAINTAINED GIGANTIC ARMIES AND SOUGHT BY EVERY MEANS TO RE-EQUIP THEM."

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NICE, FRANCE, AUG.11-(AP)-COMMUNIST HEADQUARTERS AND A THEATER WHERE REDS WERE HOLDING A MEETING WERE BOMBED TODAY.

TWO BOMBS DAMAGED THE PARTY HEADQUARTERS AND SET FIRE TO IT. A THIRD EXPLODED IN A MOVIE THEATER. A FOURTH WAS THROWN BUT FIZZLED. NO ONE WAS HURT.

POLICE, REINFORCED BY MILITARIZED UNITS, HAVE BEEN RUSHED TO NICE TO BE ON HAND IN CASE OF TROUBLE DURING A SCHEDULED WEEK-LONG FRENCH-ITALIAN YOUTH RALLY STARTING SUNDAY. OFFICIALS HAVE BANNED SOME OF THE PUBLIC MEETINGS.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG 11-(AP)-EGYPT HAS INVOKED QUARANTINE MEASURES AGAINST KITTITAS COUNTY, IN THE CENTRAL PART OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO) ANNOUNCED TODAY.

WHO SAID THAT THE PRESENCE OF PLAGUE GERMS WAS REPORTED JUNE 7 IN ONE SPECIMEN OF 42 FLEAS OF VARIOUS SPECIES COLLECTED IN THE SAGEBRUSH OF KITTITAS COUNTY.

THE EGYPTIAN QUARANTINE WILL NOT CREATE ANY DIFFICULTIES UNLESS SOMEONE FROM KITTITAS COUNTY IS PLANNING TO VISIT EGYPT.

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NIGHT LEAD BAUDOUIN

BY GODFREY ANDERSON

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.11-(AP)-CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN A BESPECTACLED YOUTH OF 19 WHO VIRTUALLY IS A STRANGER IN HIS OWN COUNTRY, BECAME RULER OF THE BELGIANS TODAY. HIS FATHER, KING LEOPOLD III, DROPPED TO THE ROLE OF KING IN NAME ONLY.

THRUST SUDDENLY TO THE STAGE IN A DRAMA WHICH AT ONE TIME THREATENED CIVIL WAR, BAUDOUIN TOOK THE OATH OF PRINCE ROYAL, OR REGENT, BEFORE BOTH HOUSES OF THE NATIONAL PARLIAMENT. LEOPOLD, WHOSE RETURN JULY 22 FROM SIX YEARS IN EXILE PROVOKED A CRISIS, REMAINED IN HIS GUARDED GREYSTONE LAEKEN PALACE.

ALTHOUGH LEOPOLD REMAINS KING IN NAME UNTIL BAUDOUIN'S 21ST BIRTHDAY, SEPT.7, 1951, HIS SON ALREADY IS KING IN FACT. TONIGHT, THE LEOPOLDIAN VOICE APPEALED IN A RECORDED BROADCAST TO THE BELGAINS TO UNITE AROUND "MY WELL-BELOVED SON."

DEFIANT NOISES FROM BOTH FACTIONS IN THE ROYAL CRISIS PUNCTUATED THE DAY'S CEREMONIES RIGHT UP TO THE MOMENT THAT BAUDOUIN, STANDING NERVOUSLY BEFORE THE CRIMSON AND GOLD THRONE, TOOK THE OATH.

AS A JOINT SESSION OF PARLIAMENT FINALLY APPROVED THE BILL TRANSFERRING THE ROYAL POWERS, AN ELDERLY BELGIAN ARMY MAJOR IN UNIFORM HURLED A SMOKE BOMB FROM THE PUBLIC GALLERY IN THE DIRECTION OF MAX BUSET, SOCIALIST PARTY PRESIDENT AND LEADER IN THE MOVE TO OUST LEOPOLD. NO ONE WAS INJURED, BUT THE CHAMBER WAS FILLED WITH GREY SMOKE. THE MAJOR, DELOZE DE CORSWAREN, WAS SEIZED BY MILITARY POLICE.

THE BILL WAS PASSED WITH 349 AFFIRMATIVE VOTES. EIGHT LEGISLATORS ABSTAINED.

THE COMMUNISTS CARRIED THEIR WAR OF NERVES TO THE YOUNG PRINCE AS

HE WAS ON THE VERGE OF TAKING THE OATH. CLAD IN HIS BRAND NEW LIEUTENANT-GENERAL'S UNIFORM, WITH A CRIMSON SASH AND A LONE DECORATION--THE STAR OF THE ORDER OF LEOPOLD--BAUDOUIN BOWED STIFFLY FROM THE WAIST AT THE START OF THE CEREMONY.

SUDDENLY, AN UNIDENTIFIED COMMUNIST DEPUTY SPRANG TO HIS FEET, CUPPED HIS HANDS TO HIS MOUTH, AND SHRILLED:

"LONG LIVE THE REPUBLIC!"

AN APPREHENSIVE SILENCE WAS BROKEN BY A GATHERING DIN FROM THE AUDIENCE OF 400 SENATORS, DEPUTIES, AND DISTINGUISHED GUESTS. THE PALE PRINCE LOOKED STARTLED, BUT HE RECOVERED AND BOWED TO THE AUDIENCE, WHICH GAVE HIM A BURST OF APPLAUSE.

ABOVE THE DIN, THE ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT COULD BE HEARD DENOUNCING THE COMMUNIST'S ACTION AS AN AFFRONT TO BOTH THE CROWN AND THE NATION.

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"I DEMAND THAT, IF YOU HAVE SUFFICIENT PERSONAL DIGNITY LEFT, YOU QUIT THIS ASSEMBLY," HE CRIED.

THE RED DEPUTY TOOK HIS SEAT DEFIANTLY, REMAINING SEATED WITH NINE OTHER COMMUNIST DEPUTIES.

BAUDOUIN READ THE OATH FROM A PAPER HANDED HIM BY THE COURT CHAMBERLAIN, REPEATING THE WORDS FIRST IN FLEMISH, THEN IN FRENCH:

"I SWEAR TO OBSERVE THE CONSTITUTION AND THE LAWS OF THE BELGIAN PEOPLE TO MAINTAIN THE NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND THE INTEGRITY OF THE TERRITORY. GOD SAVE BELGIUM."

THE PRINCE ROYAL WAS GREETED WITH CHEERS BY CROWDS WHO MASSED BEFORE THE PALACE AFTER THE CEREMONY. HE SALUTED STIFFLY, WITHOUT ANY SIGN OF EMOTION.

THE TASK OF THE FUTURE KING, WHO PREFERS BACH TO BE-BOP BUT IS ADEPT WITH A PING-PONG PADDLE, WILL NOT BE EASY. TECHNICALLY, HE NOW HAS THE AUTHORITY TO APPOINT OR DISCHARGE HIS MINISTERS.

SHORTLY AFTER THE CEREMONY, PREMIER JEAN DUVIEUSART CALLED ON THE PRINCE WITH THE FORMAL RESIGNATION OF HIS SOCIAL CHRISTIAN (CATHOLIC) GOVERNMENT. BAUDOUIN WAS SOON INVOLVED IN POLITICAL CONSULTATIONS ON THE CHOICE OF LEADERS TO HEAD HIS FIRST ADMINISTRATION.

MEANWHILE, ELOPOLD RECEIVED A PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION BRINGING AN ADDRESS OF HOMAGE. IN HIS BROADCAST, HE EXPRESSED A DESIRE FOR ALL BELGIANS TO "GROUP THEMSELVES, RECONCILIATED, AROUND THE PRINCE ROYAL."

HEREAFTER, AS IN THE CASE OF QUEEN WILHELMINA DURING PRINCESS JULIANA'S SHORT REGENCY IN THE NETHERLANDS BEFORE HER OWN ACCESSION, LEOPOLD WILL BE CHIEF OF STATE IN RETIREMENT. HE WILL DRAW AN ALLOWANCE. THIRTY MILLION BELGIAN FRANCS ($600,000) WILL GO TO BAUDOUIN.

MOST BELGIANS BELIEVE THAT ONLY THE PASSING OF MANY YEARS WILL SHOW WHETHER LEOPOLD'S NAME WILL BE CLEARED OF THE NAZI COLLABORATIONIST CHARGES RAISED BY HIS OPPONENTS.

PEOPLE WHO KNOW PRINCE BAUDOUIN SAY HE IS INTELLIGENT AND QUICK TO LEARN. HE HAS SPENTIMOST OF HIS LIFE ABROAD AND HAS RECEIVED LITTLE INSTGUCTION FOR THE ROYAL TASKS NOW HANDED TO HIM.

ALTHOUGH HE HAS VISITED THE STEEL WORKS AND COAL MINES OF PITTSBURGH, PA., IN THE UNITED STATES, HE HAS NEVER SEEN HIS OWN COUNTRY'S HEAVY INDUSTRY.

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HE HAD NOT BEEN ABLE TO TAKE HIS TRADITIONAL SEAT IN THE SENATE, AS BELGIAN PRINCES BEFORE HIM HAD DONE WHEN THEY REACHED 18.

HE HAS HAD NO MILITARY TRAINING TO FIT HIM FOR THE TASK AS COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE BELGIAN ARMY, WHICH WILL ONE DAY BE HIS. PLANS WERE MADE SHORTLY AFTER HE RETURNED TO BELGIUM TO GIVE HIM INSTRUCTION AT THE ARMORED SCHOOL AND THE MILITARY ACADEMY. BUT HIS NEW DUTIES AS ACTING SOVEREIGN MAY GIVE HIM LITTLE TIME FOR THIS.

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FIRST LEAD BELGIAN

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 11-(AP)-CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN TODAY BECAME RULER OF ALL THE BELGIANS IN THE PLACE OF HIS FATHER, KING LEOPOLD III.

HE TOOK THE OATH AS PRINCE ROYAL IN PARLIAMENT, WHERE SEVERAL HOURS EARLIER THE SENATE AND CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES IN JOINT SESSION HAD GIVEN FINAL APPROVAL TO THE BILL TRANSFERRING LEOPOLD'S ROYAL POWERS TO HIS 19-YEAR-OLD SON. THE FINAL VOTE WAS 349 IN FAVOR WITH EIGHT ABSTENTIONS.

THIS WAS THE FINAL ACT IN A ROYAL DRAMA THAT BEGAN WITH LEOPOLD'S BANISHMENT IN 1945 FOR HIS ACTION IN SURRENDERING TO THE INVADING GERMAN ARMIES IN WORLD WAR TWO.

LEOPOLD, NOW KING IN NAME ONLY, IN A BROADCAST TONIGHT CALLED UPON ALL BELGIANS TO UNITE AROUND "MY WELL-BELOVED SON." LEOPOLD GAVE SPECIAL TAHNKS TO THE THOUSANDS WHO HAD RALLIED AROUND HIM DURING THE GRAVE EVENTS OF THE PAST FEW WEEKS.

THE COUNTRY WAS BROUGHT TO THE BRINK OF CIVIL WAR BY STRIKES AND VIOLENCE STEMMING FROM THE DIVISION AMONG THE BELGIAN PEOPLE UPON LEOPOLD'S RETURN FROM EXILE IN SWITZERLAND LAST MONTH.

THE UNREST PERSISTED UP TO THE MOMENT OF THE OATH TAKING. JUST BEFORE THE JOINT SESSION OF PARLIAMENT APPROVED THE ROYAL POWERS' BILL, A SMOKE BOMB WAS BURLED INTO THE BUILDING BY A BELGIAN ARMY MAJOR.

ELABORATE SECURITY PRECAUTIONS WERE UNDERTAKEN TO PREVENT ANY RECURRENCE OF VIOLENCE AS THE SOLEMN CEREMONY TOOK PLACE.

COMMUNIST REPRESENTATIVES SHOUTED TWICE "VIVE LA REPUBLIQUE" AS THE PRINCE RAISED HIS HANDS TO TAKE THE OATH. THE REST OF THE ASSEMBLY BROKE INTO LOUD CHEERS. THE PRESIDENT OF THE ASSEMBLY INVITED THE COMMUNISTS TO LEAVE.

PRINCE BAUDOUIN, HIS HAND RAISED WITH THREE FINGERS UP, SLOWLY READ THE OATH IN FRENCH AND FLEMISH FROM A SMALL SHEET OF WHITE PAPER.

THIS SYMBOLIZED THE HOPE FOR UNITY WITH THE ADVENT OF THE YOUNG PRINCE. BELGIUM IS DIVIDED INTO THE FRENCH-SPEAKING WALLOONS AND THE FLEMISH. THE LATTER WERE THE SUPPORTERS OF LEOPOLD, THE FORMER HIS FOES.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE OATH TAKING FRANZ VAN CAUWELAERT, PRESIDENT OF THE ASSEMBLY, PLEDGED HIS LOYALTY TO THE PRINCE IN FRENCH AND FLEMISH. REPLYING IN BOTH LANGUAGES, THE PRINCE SAID:

"I THANK YOU FOR THE WORDS OF TRIBUTE TO MY FATHER. I HAVE THE MOST CONFIDENT HOPE THAT YOUR TOTALLY GIVEN COLLABORATION WILL ENABLE ME WITH MY GOVERNMENT TO MAINTAIN CONCORD AND HAPPINESS AMONG THE BELGIANS WITHIN THE RESPECT OF THE LAW AND THE FREE FUNCTIONING OF OUR DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTIONS.

"GOD PROTECT BELGIUM."

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THE PRINCE STOOD BLUSHING AND BOWING STIFFLY FROM THE HIPS BEFORE THE PROLONGED APPLAUSE OF THE LAWMAKERS. THEN HE WITHDREW, FOLLOWED BY SHOUTS OF "VIVE LE PRINCE ROYAL!"

FOR THE FIRST TIME HE WORE A LIEUTENANT GENERAL'S UNIFORM.

HIS SUPPORTERS, THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS, WAGED A FIVE-YEAR STRUGGLE AND BROUGHT HIM BACK LAST MONTH. THE ANTI-LEOPOLD SOCIALISTS UNLEASHED A SERIES OF STRIKES AND DEMONSTRATIONS WHICH BROUGHT BELGIUM TO THE BRINK OF CIVIL WAR.

AN UNEASY CALM WAS RESTORED AUG. 1 WHEN LEOPOLD AGREED TO A SLOW-MOTION ABDICATION UNDER TERMS OF WHICH BAUDOUIN WOULD TAKE OVER THE ACTUAL POWERS TODAY AND BECOME KING IN NAME ALSO ON HIS 21ST BIRTHDAY, SEPT. 7, 1951.

SINCE THEN, HOWEVER, RABID SUPPORTERS OF LEOPOLD HAVE STAGED SCATTERED DEMONSTRATIONS ON HIS BEHALF. RECENTLY MANY BELGIAN ARMY

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OFFICERS HAVE PRIVATELY EXPRESSED DISAPPOINTMENT OVER THE CHANGE.
POLICE IDENTIFIED THE BOMB-THROWING OFFICER AS MAJ. DELOZE DE CORSWAREN.
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NIGHT LEAD GERMAN INDUSTRY (300)
BONN, GERMANY, AUG.11-(AP)-AN AGREEMENT HAS BEEN REACHED FOR THE IMMEDIATE RESUMPTION OF WEST GERMAN IRON AND STEEL DELIVERIES TO COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY, ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID TODAY.
THIS TRADE REVIVAL WAS DISCLOSED EVEN AS ALLIED EXPERTS WERE REPORTED AUTHORITATIVELY IN FRANKFURT TO BE DISCUSSING RE-DEVELOPING THE GERMAN INDUSTRIAL POTENTIAL FOR WESTERN EUROPEAN REARMAMENT.
OCCUPATION OFFICIALS SAID THAT, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE FORMER HERMANN GOERING WAR WORKS AT WATENSTEDT-SALZGITTER, IN THE BRITISH ZONE, SCHEDULED DISMANTLING OF GERMAN FACTORIES WILL BE COMPLETED BY OCT.1.
A SIX-WEEK EXTENSION, TO SEPT.30, OF A PREVIOUSLY EXPIRED TRADE TREATY BETWEEN WEST AND EAST GERMANY IS TO BE SIGNED IN BERLIN EITHER TODAY OR TOMORROW, A BONN GOVERNMENT ECONOMICS MINISTRY SPOKESMAN SAID. THE TREATY RAN OUT LAST JUNE 30 DURING AN EMBARGO ON RUHR STEEL SHIPMENTS TO THE SOVIET ZONE, WHICH WAS CAUSED BY LAGGING EASTERN DELIVERIES TO WEST GERMANY.
WEST GERMAN NEGOTIATORS HAVE NOTIFIED THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION THAT AN AGREEMENT HAD BEEN REACHED TO RESUME EXCHANGES OF WESTERN STEEL AND IRON FOR MINE TIMBERS FROM THE EAST ZONE, AN ALLIED SPOKESMAN SAID. THE FOREIGN TRADE COMMITTEE OF THE HIGH COMMISSION "DECIDED NOT TO OBJECT," THE OFFICIAL ADDED.
EAST-WEST NEGOTIATIONS FOR A NEW TRADE ARRANGEMENT, TO RUN FROM OCT.1, ARE TO FOLLOW, THE ALLIED SPOKESMAN REPORTED.
PART OF WHAT IS LEFT OF THE GOERING WORKS' STEEL PRODUCTION HAS BEEN SHIPPED TO EAST GERMANY IN THE PAST, IT HAS BEEN REPORTED. OF A SCHEDULED 212,000 TONS MARKED FOR DISMANTLING, 181,000 TONS ALREADY HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM THE FORMER NAZI WQR PROJECT. THE GOERING PLANT, WHICH NOT ONLY MADE STEEL BUT FABRICATED IT INTO MUNITIONS, COULD PRODUCE 700,000 TONS A YEAR.

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THIS AND OTHER INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION FACILITIES REMAINING IN WEST GERMANY HAVE CAPTURED THE INTEREST OF WESTERN AUTHORITIES, ESPECIALLY SINCE THE ERUPTION IN KOREA. ABOUT 6,000,000 TONS OF STEEL CAPACITY HAS BEEN LOST IN WESTERN GERMANY THROUGH THE DISMANTLING PROGRAM, OFFICIALS SAY. BUT WHILE THIS PROGRAM IS BEING WOUND UP, A CAPACITY OF SOME 14,500,000 TONS REMAIN, ALTHOUGH PRODUCTION IS LIMITED UNDER THE OCCUPATION TO 11,100,000 TONS A YEAR.
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B113 (150) Q
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BONN, GERMANY, AUG. 11-(AP)-WEST GERMANY WILL RESUME SHIPMENTS OF RUHR STEEL TO THE SOVIET ZONE OF GERMANY, ALLIED OFFICIALS ANNOUNCED HERE TODAY.
AN ALLIED SPOKESMAN SAID THE WEST GERMAN GOVERNMENT HAD AGREED TO RESUME THE EXCHANGE OF DELIVERIES OF IRON, STEEL AND WOOD WITH EAST GERMANY UNDER TERMS OF AN EAST-WEST TRADE TREATY. EAST ZONE MINE TIMBERS WOULD BE EXCHANGED FOR RUHR IRON AND STEEL, HE SAID.
STEEL SHIPMENTS TO EAST GERMANY WERE EMBARGOED SOME MONTHS AGO WHEN THE SOVIET ZONE FELL BEHIND IN ITS DELIVERIES UNDER AN EAST-WEST TRADE AGREEMENT. THEN THE TRADE TREATY EXPIRED ON JUNE 30.
AN AGREEMENT TO EXTEND THE TREATY UNTIL SEPT. 30 WILL BE SIGNED IN BERLIN EITHER TODAY OR TOMORROW, A SPOKESMAN OF THE GERMAN ECONOMICS MINISTRY SAID.
THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION HAS THE FINAL WORD ON TRADE TREATIES NEGOTIATED BY THE BONN REGIME. IN THIS CASE THE FOREIGN TRADE COMMITTEE OF THE HIGH COMMISSION" DECIDED NOT TO OBJECT" TO THE TERMS OF THE TREATY EXTENSION, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.
THE ALLIED SOURCE REPORTED THAT EAST-WEST NEGOTIATIONS FOR A NEW TRADE AGREEMENT, TO RUN FROM OCT. 1, WOULD BE OPENED. THE GERMAN SPOKESMAN SAID HE WAS UNABLE TO SAY WHEN THE TALKS WOULD BEGIN.
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B13 --17-- (200)
PRECEDE BONN STEEL (B5)
BY THOMAS A. REEDY
BERLIN, AUG 11-(AP)-THREE MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF STEEL HAS BEEN SMUGGLED FROM WEST GERMANY INTO THE SOVIET ZONE IN THE PAST SIX MONTHS, AMERICAN OFFICIALS DECLARED DECLARED TODAY.
THESE SOURCES SAID A HIGHLY-ORGANIZED CONTRABAND SYSTEM MADE A VIRTUAL MOCKERY OUT OF AN ALLIED-SPONSORED IRON AND STEEL EMBARGO CLAMPED AGAINST THE RUSSIAN ZONE BY THE BONN REPUBLIC LAST FEBRUARY.
THE EMBARGO WAS LIFTED WITH ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION APPROVAL TODAY AS EAST AND WEST GERMANS SIGNED AN EXTENSION UNTIL OCT. 1 OF THE INTERZONAL TRADE AGREEMENT WHICH EXPIRED JUNE 30, AND ALSO PROMISED TO WORK OUT A NEW ONE-YEAR PACT.
THE "BLACK" SHIPMENTS OF STEEL FROM THE RUHR APPARENTLY CHEATED WEST GERMANY OUT OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF MARKS IN TAX REVENUE, U.S. OFFICIALS SAID.
STEEL HAS FIRST PRIORITY IN EAST GERMANY, WHERE ONLY TWO MAJOR BLAST FURNACES EXIST. FAR BEHIND THE WEST IN RECONSTRUCTION, THE SOVIET ZONE COUNTS ON RUHR STEEL TO PROP UP ITS COMMUNIST-DEVISED FIVE-YEAR PLAN FOR RECOVERY.
THE SUCCESS OF THE BLACK MARKET IN STEEL WAS REPORTED IN U.S. QUARTERS HERE AS BEING ONE OF THE MAIN REASONS THE ALLIES AGREED TO LIFTING OF THE EMBARGO.
THE EMBARGO WAS IMPOSED AFTER THE SOVIET ZONE FAILED TO MEET ITS PROMISES TO SHIP SUGAR AND GRAIN AND ALSO RAN OUT OF WEST MARK CURRENCY.
LACK OF WEST MARKS IN SOVIET ZONE HANDS WAS NO BAR TO THE BLACK MARKET TRADE, U.S. QUARTERS SAID. THEY CONTEND RUHR SHIPPERS TOOK THE BUSINESS ON SPECULATION, GAMBLING THAT THE EAST WOULD PAY UP EVENTUALLY.
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BONN, GERMANY, AUG. 11-(AP)-WEST GERMAN COMMUNISTS FACED A DOU BARRELLED CRACKDOWN TODAY AT THE HANDS OF BOTH ALLIED AND GERMAN AUTHORITIES.
THE INTERIOR MINISTERS OF 11 WEST GERMAN STATES AGREED YESTERDAY ON PROHIBITION OF TWO MAJOR COMMUNIST MEETINGS PLANNED IN THE ALLIED SECTORS. THEY DISCUSSED MEANS OF OUTLAWING COMMUNISM IN THE WEST BUT DECIDED SUCH A MOVE WOULD HAVE TO BE MADE BY A FEDERAL CONSTITUTIONAL COURT BEING SET UP BY THE BONN REGIME.
AT THE SAME TIME WESTERN ALLIED AUTHORITIES BANNED THE BIGGEST COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER IN WESTERN GERMANY, THE DUESSELDORF FREIES VOLK. THE PAPER WAS CHARGED WITH "PRINTING MATTER PREJUDICIAL TO THE PRESTIGE

AND SECURITY OF THE ALLIED FORCES." IT WAS THE THIRD RED NEWSPAPER TO BE SHUT DOWN IN WEST GERMANY IN THE PAST WEEK.
THE 11 WEST GERMAN MINISTERS ALSO AGREED ON JOINT COUNTER-MEASURES AGAINST COMMUNIST INFILTRATION INTO THE WESTERN STATES. THEY DISCUSSED MEANS OF FINANCING A 10,000-MAN POLICE FORCE TO BE PLACED UNDER THE DIRECT COMMAND OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IN CASE OF EMERGENCY.
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A18
PMS BUDGET (550)
BY BRACK CURRY
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG. 11-(AP)-WESTERN ALLIED AUTHORITIES SAID TODAY THAT THE DISMANTLING OF GERMAN INDUSTRY WILL BE COMPLETED BY OCT. 1 EXCEPT FOR ONE PLANT.
THIS COINCIDED WITH AUTHORITATIVE REPORTS THAT AMERICA, BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE CONSIDERING THE INDUSTRIAL REARMAMENT OF THE GERMANS TO BULWARK THE WESTERN DEFENSE SYSTEM.
OCCUPATION OFFICIALS SAID THERE HAS BEEN NO SLACKENING OF DISMANTLING SINCE THE KOREAN WAR ERUPTED. HOWEVER, THE TENSE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION HAS FORCED CONSIDERATION OF THE ROLE GERMAN INDUSTRY COULD PLAY AS A PRODUCER OF WEST EUROPEAN ARMAMENT.
THUS WHILE ONE GROUP OF ALLIED OFFICIALS IS PUSHING DISMANTLING TO A CONCLUSION, ANOTHER GROUP IS EXPLORING WAYS TO USE GERMAN INDUSTRY TO SHORE UP WESTERN EUROPE AGAINST THE COMMUNIST THREAT.
ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID THE DISMANTLING PROGRAM IS SO NEARLY COMPLETED THAT A STOPPAGE NOW WOULD HAVE NO EFFECT ON WEST GERMANY'S INDUSTRIAL POTENTIAL.
ONLY 44,000 TONS OF EQUIPMENT REMAIN TO BE DISMANTLED IN THE BRITISH ZONE -- HOME OF THE RUHR. IN THE FRENCH ZONE, DISMANTLING HAS ENDED. ONLY 1,200 TONS REMAIN TO BE YANKED OUT IN THE AMERICAN ZONE, THE OFFICIALS SAID.
BRITISH OFFICIALS SAY THEY ARE PRESSING TO COMPLETE ALL DISMANTLING BY THE END OF SEPTEMBER EXCEPT THE FORMER HERMANN GOERING STEEL WORKS AT WATENSTEDT-SALZGITTER IN THE BRITISH ZONE. THEY GAVE THIS SUMMARY OF THE PRESENT STATE OF DISMANTLING:
BRITISH ZONE-- 411 OF 477 PLANTS COMPLETELY DISMANTLED. THIS REPRESENTS 1,254,000 TONS OF A SCHEDULED 1,298,000 TONS. OF THE PLANTS STILL BEING DISMANTLED, 32 ARE VERY SMALL. THE REMAINING 34 ARE 95 PER CENT DISMANTLED.
FRENCH ZONE--103 OUT OF 115 PLANTS DELIVERED AS REPARATIONS TO OTHER COUNTRIES. THE REMAINING 12 PLANTS ARE DISMANTLED BUT DELIVERY HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED.
AMERICAN ZONE--183 OUT OF 184 PLANTS DELIVERED. THE ONE REMAINING PLANT IS 60 PER CENT DISMANTLED, WITH 1,200 TONS REMAINING.
IT IS IN STEEL, THE SINEW OF WAR, THAT ALLIED DISMANTLING HAS BEEN MOST SHARPLY FELT BY THE GERMANS.
ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID THAT ABOUT 6,000,000 TONS OF STEEL CAPACITY HAS BEEN LOST TO THE GERMANS THROUGH DISMANTLING. A CAPACITY OF ABOUT 14,500,000 TONS HAS BEEN ALLOWED TO REMAIN, BUT PRODUCTION IS LIMITED TO 11,100,000 TONS A YEAR.
ALLIED EXPERTS IN GERMANY NOW ARE DISCUSSING REMOVAL OF THE PRESENT LIMIT ON GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION TO HELP EUROPEAN REARMAMENT AND TO STIMULATE ECONOMIC RECOVERY.

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THE GOERING PLANT WAS BUILT SOLELY AS A WAR PROJECT. IT COULD PRODUCE 700,000 TONS OF STEEL A YEAR, ALLIED OFFICIALS SAY. THE ALLIES DECIDED NOT TO REMOVE THE PLANT FROM THE DISMANTLING LIST BECAUSE IT WAS DESIGNED EXCLUSIVELY TO BUILD UP GERMAN WAR POTENTIAL AND WAS UNECONOMICAL TO OPERATE IN PEACE TIME. IT WAS A PLANT IN WHICH STEEL NOT ONLY WAS MANUFACTURED BUT ALSO WAS CONVERTED INTO WAR WEAPONS.
ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID 181,000 TONS OUT OF A SCHEDULED 212,000 TONS HAVE BEEN RIPPED OUT AT THE GOERING PLANT.
DISMANTLING HAS SLASHED WEST GERMAN ALUMINUM CAPACITY AND CUT OUT ENTIRELY MANY OF THE CRITICAL ITEMS NECESSARY FOR WAR PRODUCTION. ALUMINUM PLANTS NOW ARE PRODUCING AT ABOUT ONE-SIXTH OF CAPACITY, OFFICIALS SAID. THE GERMANS CANNOT FIND MARKETS FOR LARGER AMOUNTS OF ALUMINUM.
DESPITE THE DISMANTLING OF SYNTHETIC RUBBER PLANTS, THE RUBBER INDUSTRY HAS SURPASSED ITS 1936 PRODUCTION BY NINE PER CENT. THE CHEMICAL INDUSTRY IS NOW OPERATING AT 114 PERCENT OF THE 1936 RATE ALTHOUGH MANY CHEMICAL PLANTS ALSO WERE DISMANTLED.
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B71 (Q)
BERLIN, AUG.11-(AP)-DR.ERNST REUTER, MAYOR OF WEST BERLIN, HAS INVITED THE JAPANESE MINISTRY OF ECONOMICS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE GERMAN INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION IN WEST BERLIN OCT. 1-15, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY. A PAVILION WILL BE RESERVED FOR JAPAN.
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DUESSELDORF, GERMANY, AUG 11-(AP)-BRITISH AUTHORITIES HAVE BANNED TWO MORE COMMUNIST PAPERS IN THEIR OCCUPATION ZONE FOR PRINTING ARTICLES "PREJUDICIAL TO THE PRESTIGE AND SECURITY OF THE ALLIED FORCES."
AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THAT MAJ. GEN. W.H.A. BISHOP, BRITISH LAND (STATE) COMMISSIONER FOR NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA, ACTING FOR THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION, HAD SUSPENDED FOR 90 DAYS NEUE VOLKSZEITUNG (NEW PEOPLE'S NEWSPAPER) AND VOLKSECHO (PEOPLE'S ECHO)
THE PUBLISHING AND PRINTING FIRMS WHICH PUT OUT THE TWO NEWSPAPERS ALSO WERE FORBIDDEN TO CONTINUE THEIR ACTIVITIES FOR THE SAME PERIOD.
SINCE AUG. 3 SIX COMMUNIST PAPERS HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED BY THE WESTERN ALLIES, AMONG THEM FREIESVOLK (FREE PEOPLE), THE GERMAN REDS' BIGGEST PAPER AND THEIR CENTRAL ORGAN.
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A80
ATHENS, GREECE, AUG 11-(AP)-SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS, LIBERAL PARTY CHIEF, TONIGHT MET WITH LIBERAL MINISTERS IN THE COALITION CABINET AND OTHER PARTY LEADERS AT A CONFERENCE WHICH MAY LEAD TO THE GOVERNMENT'S DOWN-FALL.
A RELIABLE SOURCE SAID THE LIBERAL LEADERS HAD AGREED UNANIMOUSLY TO WITHDRAW FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS BUT HAD DECIDED TO POSTPONE THE ACTION UNTIL THE MIDDLE OF NEXT WEEK. AT THAT TIME VENIZELOS WILL RETURN FROM A VISIT TO SOUTH AND CENTRAL GREECE, WHICH HE WILL BEGIN TOMORROW.
ANOTHER RELIABLE INFORMANT SAID GEORGE PAPANDREOU, INTERIOR MINISTER AND DEPUTY PREMIER, HAD CANCELLED HIS SCHEDULED DEPARTURE FOR WASHINGTON VIA PARIS BECAUSE OF THE THREATENING CRISIS.
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A22
OSLO, NORWAY, AUG.11-(AP)-NORWAY'S DEFENSE BUDGET WILL BE INCREASED TO 500,000,000(M) CROWNS ($70,000,000) THIS YEAR, OLAV MEISDALSHAGEN, MINISTER OF FINANCE, ANNOUNCED TODAY.
IN A STATEMENT TO THE NEWSPAPER DAGBLADET HE SAID THAT THE ORDINARY DEFENSE BUDGET OF 280,000,000 CROWNS ($42,000,000) WOULD BE UPPED BY 100,000,000 CROWNS FROM EXTRAORDINARY APPROPRIATIONS WHICH THE STORTING (PARLIAMENT) IS EXPECTED TO GRANT LATE THIS MONTH. A FURTHER ADDITIONAL AMOUNT, ROUGHLY 100,000,000 CROWNS, WILL BE TRANSFERRED FROM PREVIOUS YEARS APPROPRIATIONS, THE MINISTER SAID.
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B49 (Q)
NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG.11-(AP)-A U.S. EMBASSY OFFICIAL IS ON HIS WAY TO THE TIBETAN BORDER TO MEET FRANK BESSAC OF LODI, CAL., WHO ESCAPED INJURY WHEN VICE CONSUL DOUGLAS S.MACKIERNAN WAS KILLED BY BORDER GUARDS LAST APRIL.
THE EMBASSY SAID SECOND SECRETARY DOUGLAS FORMAN LEFT CALCUTTA TUESDAY TO MEET BESSAC AT THE BORDER BUT DID NOT KNOW WHEN HE WOULD REACH THERE.
MACKIERNAN HAD CLOSED THE AMERICAN CONSULATE IN TIHWA, SINKIANG PROVINCE, CHINA, LAST SEPT.27 JUST BEFORE THE CITY WAS TURNED OVER TO THE ADVANCING COMMUNISTS.
HE AND BESSAC, A RESEARCH SCHOLAR, HAD MADE THE 1,200-MILE TRIP ACROSS THE HIMALAYAS BY HORSEBACK.
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B32 (Q)
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NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 11-(AP)-DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER SARDAR VALLABBHAI PATEL TOLD PARLIAMENT TODAY HE HAD SEEN A SECRET COMMUNIST PARTY CIRCULAR ORDERING A SHIFT TO NON-VIOLENCE IN ORDER TO CONSERVE RED STRENGTH FOR FUTURE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF INDIA'S GOVERNMENT.
HE SAID THIS WAS NOT DUE TO A CHANGE OF HEART AMONG COMMUNIST LEADERS BUT TO THE SUCCESS OF GOVERNMENT POLICY AGAINST THEM.
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B114 (400) Q
KARACHI, PAKISTAN, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS MEDIATOR, SIR OWEN DIXON, ARRIVED HERE TODAY TO REPORT TO PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN THE RESULTS OF HIS TALKS WITH INDIA'S PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU ON THE STALEMATED KASHMIR PROBLEM.
SIR OWEN SAID HIS WEEKS-OLD EFFORTS TO GET THE TWO COUNTRIES TO AGREE ON THE DISPUTED PRINCELY STATE THAT LIES BETWEEN THEM ARE STALLED. REPORTS FROM NEW DELHI INDICATE, HOWEVER, THAT NEHRU HAS AGREED TO NEGOTIATE ON NEW COMPROMISE TERMS OUTLINED BY DIXON.
AT THE AIRPORT, DIXON TOLD NEWSMEN: "I THINK THE POSITION ABOUT THE KASHMIR DISPUTE REMAINS UNCHANGED XXX. IT IS THE SAME AS IT WAS IN THE BEGINNING."
HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER NEHRU WOULD COME TO KARACHI TO JOIN IN TALKS WITH LIAQUAT.
LAST MONTH THE TWO PRIME MINISTERS MET WITH DIXON AT NEW DELHI. NEHRU AGREED THEN TO SUBMIT A PLAN FOR SETTLEMENT WHICH MIGHT BE USED AS A BASIS FOR NEGOTIATION. BUT LIAQUAT REJECTED NEHRU'S PROPOSALS AND SAID HE WOULD NOT MEET THE INDIAN LEADER AGAIN UNLESS HIS OWN PROPOSED PLAN WAS ACCEPTED FOR NEGOTIATION.
THUS DEADLOCKED, DIXON WAS REPORTED IN NEW DELHI TO HAVE INDICATED EXTREME PESSIMISM BY MAKING TENTATIVE ARRANGEMENTS TO DEPART WITH HIS STAFF FOR EUROPE NEXT MONDAY. BUT HE SAID HERE TODAY THAT HE WOULD PURSUE HIS EFFORTS TO BRING THE TWO COUNTRIES TOGETHER. HE SAID HIS SCHEDULED TALKS WITH LIAQUAT IN A DAY OR TWO WOULD DETERMINE WHETHER HE WOULD RETURN TO LAKE SUCCESS SOON OR NOT.
ALTHOUGH ALL OF THE NEGOTIATIONS HAVE BEEN CARRIED OUT IN STRICTEST SECRECY, "LEAKS" TO THE NEW DELHI PRESS INDICATE THAT NEHRU HAS ACCEPTED DIXON'S PLAN, WHICH REPORTEDLY INCLUDES PARTIAL PARTITION OF KASHMIR BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN, FOLLOWED BY A PLEBISCITE IN THE UNPARTITIONED AREA--PROBABLY THE KASHMIR VALLEY, FERTILE HEARTLAND OF THE AREA.
THAT INDIA SHOULD CONSENT TO DISCUSS EVEN A PARTIAL PARTITION IS A RADICAL DEPARTURE FROM HER ORIGINAL STAND.
UP TO NOW, NEHRU AND HIS SUPPORTERS HAVE PUBLICLY INSISTED THAT THAT THE FUTURE OF THE WHOLE STATE MUST BE SETTLED BY A POPULAR VOTE OF THE PEOPLE ON WHETHER THEY WANT TO BELONG WNTIELY TO INDIA OR TO PAKISTAN.
BUT REPORTS SAY THAT PRESSURE IS BUILDING UP INSIDE AND OUTSIDE GOVERNMENT CIRCLES IN BOTH COUNTRIES TO BRING ABOUT A SPEEDY SETTLEMENT. THERE ARE STRONG FORCES IN FAVOR OF PARTITION. AND INDIAN AND PAKISTANI PUBLIC OPINION APPEARS TO BE TAKING THE STAND THAT A CONTINUATION OF THE DISPUTE IS TOO GREAT A DRAIN ON THE ECONOMY AND PUTS BOTH COUNTRIES AT A DISADVANTAGE IN THE WORLD SITUATION.
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A87FX
HONG KONG, AUG. 11(AP)-CHINESE COMMUNISTS SAID TODAY THEY CONTROL ALL 75 ISLANDS OF THE WANSHAN GROUP. THE LITTLE ISLANDS SPREAD FROM BRITISH HONG KONG TO PORTUGUESE MACAO OFF THE ESTUARY OF THE PEARL RIVER.
THE OFFICIAL CHINESE COMMUNIST NEWS AGENCY REPORTED THE LAST TWO OF THE ISLANDS WERE CAPTURED FROM CHINESE NATIONALISTS AUG. 3 AND 4. THE AGENCY SAID 300 NATIONALIST TROOPS WERE KILLED, 100 TAKEN PRISONER. THE REPORT ADDED:
"NOW THE BLOCKADE OF THE PEARL RIVER HAS BEEN COMPLETELY BROKEN AND SECRET AGENTS AND LOCAL BANDITS IN KWANGTUNG AND KWANGSI (PROVINCES OF SOUTHEASTERN CHINA) HAVE LOST THEIR SUPPLY BASE."
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B66KX
HONG KONG,AUG.11-(AP)-THE 10,000-TON BRITISH CRUISER BELFAST IS RELIABLY REPORTED ABOUT TO RETURNTO ENGLAND FOR RECOMMISSIONING AFTER APPROXIMATELY TWO YEARS IN THE FAR EAST.
THE SHIP HAS BEEN WITH ALLIED NAVAL FORCES OFF KOREA THE LAST SEVEN WEEKS.
A NAVY SPOKESMAN DECLINED TO GIVE INFORMATION ON THE BELFAST'S MOVEMENTS.
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HONG KONG, AUG.11-(AP)-A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY BRITISH PLANES AND WARSHIPS WILL "PROTECT AND DEFEND" FOREIGN SHIPS FIRED ON BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS HOLDING ISLANDS ON THE SOUTHWESTERN APPROACHES TO HONG KONG.
RED TROOPS ON THE LEMA ISLANDS, NEAR THE HARBOR ENTRANCE, HAVE SHELLED THREE SHIPS--INCLUDING THE AMERICAN STEEL ROVER--SINCE SUNDAY.
THE HONG KONG MARINE DEPARTMENT HAS DIRECTED ALL SHIPS TO RADIO AHEAD THEIR ESTIMATED TIME OF ARRIVAL AT THE LEMA ISLAND GROUP.
THE BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID THE BRITISH ARMED FORCES, HOWEVER, DO NOT PLAN TO SET UP A SPECIAL PATROL OF THE SOUTH CHINA SEA ENTRANCES TO HONG KONG.
BESIDES THE LEMAS, THE CHINESE REDS ALSO HOLD THE STRATEGICALLY PLACED WANSHAN ISLANDS--ABOUT 75 IN NUMBER, STRETCHING BETWEEN HONG KONG AND THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO ABOUT 50 MILES TO THE WEST.
THE WANSHANS ARE ON A BUSY SHIPPING ROUTE LINKING HONG KONG, MACAO, INDOCHINA, SOUTHEAST ASIA POINTS, MANILA AND AUSTRALIA.
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A90FX
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 11-(AP)-EVERY DAY THAT PASSES LESSENS THE DANGER OF A CHINESE COMMUNIST INVASION OF FORMOSA THIS YEAR, INFORMED SOURCES CONTEND.
HOWEVER, PREPARATIONS ARE INCREASING TO MEET ANY ASSAULT ON THIS ISLAND CITADEL OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALISTS.
DEFENSE WORKS ARE BEING CONSTRUCTED ALONG THE WEST COAST FACING THE RED MAINLAND. NEW AIR FIELDS ARE BEING BUILT AND OLD ONES EXPANDED. NATIONALIST TROOPS ARE RECEIVING THEIR MOST INTENSIVE TRAINING.
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B70 (Q)
(220)
JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG.11-(AP)-ALL MEMBERS OF THE FORMER ROYAL NETHERLANDS INDIES ARMY (KNIL) WHO WERE INVOLVED IN THE DISORDERS AT MAKASSAR EARLY THIS WEEK WILL BE SENT HOME IMMEDIATELY WITH THEIR FAMILIES, OFFICIALS OF THE DUTCH TRANSPORTATION SERVICE SAID TODAY.
THE REBELS ARE NATIVE SOLDIERS IN KNIL, NOW BEING DISBANDED. THEY CLASHED WITH INDONESIAN TROOPS AFTER THE KNIL UNITS HAD REFUSED TO GIVE UP THEIR ARMS EVEN AFTER THE FORMAL LIQUIDATION OF THE UNIT, ACCORDING TO AN INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT STATEMENT.
THE MAKASSAR EVACUES NUMBER BETWEEN 3,000 AND 4,000. DUTCH SCOURCES HERE SAID THEY EXPECT THE MAJORITY OF THE DUTCH CIVIL POPULATION WILL PULL OUT OF MAKASSAR IMMEDIATELY UPON THE DEPARTURE OF THE LAST NETHERLANDS TROOPS. ARMY OFFICIALS SAID THE PLANNED REPATRIATION OF THE DUTCH TROOPS TO HOLLAND HARDLY WILL BE AFFECTED BY THE MAKASSAR TROOP WITHDRAWAL.
MEANWHILE, THE INDONESIANS PREPARED TONIGHT TO HAND TO THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT A SECOND STRONG PROTEST OF THE PRESENCE OFF MAKASSAR OF THE DUTCH DESTROYER KORTENAER WITHOUT PERMISSION OF THE U.S.I.
ACCORDING TO A HIGH U.S.I. OFFICIAL, THE INDONESIANS WILL DEMAND NOT ONLY THAT THE SHIP LEAVE MAKASSAR BUT ALSO THAT THE VESSEL PULL OUT OF INDONESIAN WATERS.
AN OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE SAID THE DUTCH REPLY TO THE FIRST INDONESIAN NOTE "CANNOT BE CONSIDERED SATISFACTORY." THE COMMUNIQUE CHARGED THAT THE MAKASSAR FIGHTING "BEGAN AS A CONSEQUENCE OF A WELL PREPARED ATTACK BY SOLDIERS RESPONSIBLE TO THE DUTCH AND WITH ARMS FURNISHED BY THE DUTCH."
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A78WX (450)
NIGHT LEAD SUBVERSIVES
WASHINGTON,AUG 11-(AP)-THE AMERICAN LEGION AND THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS TODAY CALLED ON CONGRESS TO ENACT LEGISLATION TO CONTROL COMMUNISM.
BOTH URGED THAT A BILL SPONSORED BY SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH) BE ADOPTED IMMEDIATELY.
THIS BILL WOULD COMPEL ALL THOSE WHO CONSPIRE TO SET UP A TOTALITARIAN DICTATORSHIP IN THIS COUNTRY TO REGISTER WITH THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.
GEORGE N.CRAIG, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, SAID IN A STATEMENT:
"WITH A WAR ON OUR HANDS IN KOREA WHERE OUR TROOPS ARE ENGAGED IN COMBAT AGAINST THE SAME KIND OF COMMUNISM THAT HAS ITS EVIL TENTACLES HERE IN THE UNITED STATES, IT IS UNTHINKABLE THAT THERE SHOULD BE CONTINUED DELAY IN BRINGING S.2311 (THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL) TO THE FLOOR OF CONGRESS FOR FAVORABLE ACTION."
CLYDE A.LEWIS, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, SAID IN A SEPARATE STATEMENTS:
"COMMUNISM IS A SERIOUS THREAT TO OUR NATION TODAY, AND TIME SHOULD NOT BE WASTED IN DRAFTING NEW LEGISLATION WHEN A MEASURE SUCH AS THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL IS AVAILABLE AND COULD BE ENACTED INTO LAW WITH A MINIMUM OF DELAY."
THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL IS PATTERNED AFTER THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL WHICH WAS BEFORE THE LAST CONGRESS.
LEWIS' REFERENCE TO NEW LEGISLATION APPARENTLY MEANS THAT HE DISAGREES WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S MESSAGE TO CONGRESS ON WEDNESDAY. IN THAT, MR.TRUMAN ASKED FOR STRICTER ESPIONAGE LAWS, BUT WARNED AGAINST GOING TOO FAR AS A RESULT OF "WAR HYSTERIA."
WITHOUT NAMING NAMES, MR.TRUMAN SAID SOME LEGISLATION IN CONGRESS DID GO TOO FAR, AND WAS A THREAT TO THIS NATION'S CIVIL LIBERTIES.

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AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON ASKED CONGRESS TO AMEND AN ALIEN BILL PASSED BY THE SENATE WEDNESDAY. THIS BILL WOULD MAKE IT POSS

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AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON ASKED CONGRESS TO AMEND AN ALIEN BILL PASSED BY THE SENATE WEDNESDAY. THIS BILL WOULD MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO EXCLUDE FROM THIS COUNTRY ANY ALIEN, ON GROUNDS OF PUBLIC SAFETY.
ACHESON SAID HE THOUGHT DISILLUSIONED EX-COMMUNISTS SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO COME TO THIS COUNTRY. THIS, HE SAID, ENCOURAGES THOSE WHOSE FAITH IS WAVERING TO MAKE THE BREAK.
LATER SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV), WHO SPONSORED THE ALIEN BILL, PUT OUT A STATEMENT. IN IT, HE NOT ONLY REPLIED TO ACHESON BUT ALSO DEFENDED AN OMNIBUS ANTI-SUBVERSIVE BILL HE INTRODUCED YESTERDAY.
MCCARRAN SAID HE HAD EXPECTED ACHESON TO OPPOSE THE BILL. HE SAID THAT SOME TIME AGO ACHESON HAD SENT HIM AN "UNSOLICITED LETTER VIGOROUSLY OPPOSING" THE IMMIGRATION MEASURE "ON THE GENERAL THEME THAT WE MIGHT OFFEND COMMUNIST RUSSIA."
MCCARRAN ADDED:
"I WILL NOT BE A PARTY TO PHONY WINDOW DRESSING TO BE PALMED OFF ON THE AMERICAN PEOPLE AS SOUND SECURITY LEGISLATION.
"FOR MANY MONTHS SOME OF US HAVE BEEN LABORING DILIGENTLY IN THE PREPARATION OF COMPREHENSIVE INTERNAL SECURITY LEGISLATION. IN THIS WORK WE HAVE BEEN ASSISTED BY THE ABLEST LAWYERS IN THE NATION TO THE END THAT THE LEGISLATION MAY NOT ONLY HAVE TEETH IN IT BUT WILL BE THOROUGHLY IN ACCORD WITH OUR CONSTITUTIONAL PROCESSES.
"I WILL NOT GIVE UP THE FIGHT FOR THIS LEGISLATION FOR THE SAKE OF THE VOTES OF THE COMMUNISTS, FELLOW TRAVELERS AND OTHER TRAITORS."
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A30
(450)
PRECEDE WASHINGTON DAY
BY ED CREAGH
NEW YORK, AUG.11-(AP)-THE FBI NABBED SUSPECT NO.7--A 34-YEAR-OLD MOTHER OF TWO CHILDREN--TODAY IN THE HARRY GOLD-DR.KLAUS FUCHS ATOM SPY CASE.
SHE IS MRS.ETHEL GREENGLASS ROSENBERG, ACCUSED OF CONSPIRING WITH HER HUSBAND JULIUS AND OTHERS TO RECRUIT HER BROTHER, DAVID GREENGLASS, INTO GATHERING "CLASSIFIED INFORMATION CONCERNING THE ATOMIC BOMB FOR THE SOVIET UNION."
THE SMALL, IMPASSIVE MRS.ROSENBERG WAS HELD IN $100,000 BAIL AFTER CHIEF ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY MILES J. LANE SAID SHE AND HER HUSBAND MADE PREPARATIONS TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY AFTER THE ARREST OF THE CONFESSED ATOM SPY HARRY GOLD.
"IF THE CRIME WITH WHICH SHE IS CHARGED HAD NOT OCCURRED," LANE TOLD U.S. COMMISSIONER EDWARD W. MCDONALD, "PERHAPS WE WOULD NOT HAVE

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HAD THE PRESENT SITUATION IN KOREA."
LANE DID NOT EXPLAIN HIS REMARK.
PRESUMABLY HE MEANT THAT POSSESSION OF STOLEN A-BOMB SECRETS GAVE THE COMMUNISTS ENOUGH CONFIDENCE TO PRESS BEYOND THEIR FORMER BORDERS.
ROSENBERG AND GREENGLASS WERE ARRESTED EARLIER ON SPY CHARGES. GREENGLASS FORMERLY WAS AN ARMY SERGEANT STATIONED IN 1945 AT THE LOS ALAMOS, N.M., A-BOMB PROJECT.
THE FBI SAID THEY AND MRS.ROSENBERG WERE INVOLVED IN A CONSPIRACY WITH GOLD, THE PHILADELPHIA CHEMIST WHO HAS ADMITTED GIVING THE RUSSIANS HIGHLY SECRET DATA STOLEN BY THE BRITISH ATOM SCIENTIST, DR.KLAUS FUCHS.
GOLD IS AWAITING SENTENCE.
LIKE MRS.ROSENBERG AND THE OTHER AMERICANS, HE COULD BE SENTENCED TO DEATH.
FUCHS IS SERVING A 14-YEAR TERM IN A BRITISH PRISON.
MRS.ROSENBERG SPOKE ONLY ONCE DURING HER ARRAIGNMENT. SHE SAID "YES" IN A LOW VOICE WHEN THE COMMISSIONER ASKED IF SHE WAS A U.S. CITIZEN.
HER LAWYER, ALEXANDER BLOCH, SAID THE CHARGE AGAINST HER WAS FLIMSY AND ASKED THAT SHE BE PAROLED UNTIL MONDAY SO THAT SHE COULD LOOK AFTER HER CHILDREN. THE CHILDREN ARE MICHAEL, SEVEN, AND ROBERT, THREE.

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LANE OPPOSED THE REQUEST AND COMMISSIONER MCDONALD DENIED IT.
MRS.ROSENBERG HAS BEEN EMPLOYED AS A STENOGRAPHER BY VARIOUS INDUSTRIAL CONCERNS. SHE WAS ON THE FEDERAL PAYROLL FROM JUNE 10 TO OCT. 1, 1940, AS A CENSUS CLERK. SHE IS A NATIVE NEW YORKER. HER FATHER WAS BORN IN RUSSIA AND HER MOTHER IN AUSTRIA.
LANE SAID THERE WAS "AMPLE EVIDENCE THAT MRS.ROSENBERG AND HER HUSBAND HAVE BEEN AFFILIATED WITH COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES FOR A LONG PERIOD OF TIME."
HER 32-YEAR-OLD HUSBAND ALSO IS UNDER $100,000 BAIL.
THE FBI SAID AT THE TIME OF HIS ARREST JULY 17 THAT HE BELONGED TO A SPY RING FINANCED BY ANATOLI YAKOVLEV, FORMER SOVIET VICE-CONSUL IN NEW YORK.
THE OTHERS ARRESTED AND LINKED BY THE FBI WITH GOLD ARE ALFRED DEAN SLACK OF SYRACUSE, N.Y., CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY; AND ABRAHAM BROTHMAN AND MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ OF NEW YORK, BOTH CHARGED WITH CONSPIRING WITH GOLD TO GIVE FALSE TESTIMONY BEFORE A FEDERAL GRAND JURY.
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(300) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD UN-AMERICAN
BY FRANCIS J.KELLY
WASHINGTON,AUG.11-(AP)-AT A CASE-A-MINUTE CLIP, THE HOUSE VOTED CONTEMPT CITATIONS TODAY AGAINST 54 PERSONS, INCLUDING FOUR ATOMIC SCIENTISTS AND THE GENERAL MANAGER OF THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER DAILY WORKER.
ALL HAD BEEN SUMMONED AS WITNESSES BY THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE, AND ALL HAD REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT COMMUNISM. THE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED THAT THEY BE CITED FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS, AND THE HOUSE AGREED OVERWHELMINGLY.
ALL THE VOTES WERE BY VOICE, AND ONLY REP. MARCANTONIO, AMERICAN LABOR PARTY MEMBER FROM NEW YORK, DISSENTED.
THE CITATIONS WILL BE REFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FOR PROSECUTION. CONVICTION OF CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS IS PUNISHABLE BY AS MUCH AS A YEAR IN JAIL AND A $1,000 FINE.
TWO OTHER MEN HAD BEEN CITED BY THE HOUSE YESTERDAY.
OF THE 54 CITED TODAY, 39 WERE WITNESSES CALLED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE IN HAWAII LAST APRIL IN THE COURSE OF AN INVESTIGATION INTO COMMUNISM IN THE ISLANDS.
THE FOUR WITNESSES WHO WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE COMMITTEE AS ATOMIC SCIENTISTS ARE GIOVANNI ROSSI LOMANITZ, DAVID JOSEPH BOHM AND IRVING DAVID FOX, EMPLOYED IN THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA RADIATION LABORATORY DURING THE WAR, AND CLARENCE HISKEY, A CHEMIST WHO WORKED ON THE ATOMIC BOMB PROJECT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.
OTHERS CITED INCLUDED PHILIP BART, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE DAILY WORKER; MRS. LOUISE BRANSTEN BERMAN OF NEW YORK AND THE WEST COAST, CALLED BY COMMITTEE MEMBERS A FINANCIAL "ANGEL" FOR COMMUNIST CAUSES; JAMES J.MATLES, ORGANIZATIONAL DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED ELECTRICAL WORKERS, AND SEVERAL OTHER MEMBERS OF THAT LEFT-WING LABOR ORGANIZATION.
AT THE END OF THE VOTING, REP. COX (D-GA) TOLD THE HOUSE THAT "EVERY BELL SHOULD RING THIS MORNING IN APPRECIATION OF THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE."
REP. RANKIN (D-MISS) DEMANDED THAT THE ADMINISTRATION "FUMIGATE EVERYTHING FROM THE STAFF OF THE WHITE HOUSE TO THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS" TO MAKE SURE THERE ARE NO COMMUNISTS OR COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS IN THE GOVERNMENT.
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WITH WASHINGTON UNAMERICAN (110)
NEW YORK, AUG.11-(AP)-A NATIONAL COMMITTEE HAS BEEN SET UP BY THE UNITED ELECTRICAL, RADIO AND MACHINE WORKERS OF AMERICA TO ORGANIZE THE DEFENSE OF SEVEN UE MEMBERS ACCUSED OF CONTEMPT OF THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.
ALBERT J.FITZGERALD, UE PRESIDENT, SAID THE COMMITTEE WOULD ORGANIZE THE DEFENSE OF UE MEMBERS AGAINST THOSE ATTEMPTING "TO DESTROY THE U.S. CONSTITUTION AND BILL OF RIGHTS AND TO FRAME-UP UNION MEMBERS."
FITZGERALD, CHAIRMAN OF THE DEFENSE COMMITTEE, SAID SIMILAR COMMITTEES SHOULD BE ESTABLISHED IMMEDIATELY IN EVERY UE DISTRICT AND EVERY UE LOCAL.
THE UE WAS EXPELLED FROM THE CIO LAST YEAR ON THE GROUND THAT IT WAS LEFTIST DOMINATED. THE CIO THEN ORGANIZED THE INTERNATIONAL UNITED ELECTRICAL WORKERS UNION.
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NIGHT LEAD BRIDGES (180)
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 11-(AP)-ATTORNEYS FOR HARRY BRIDGES TODAY FILED WITH THE U.S.CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS THEIR FINAL PAPERS ASKING HIS RELEASE FROM JAIL.
ATTORNEY NORMAN LEONARD ASKED THE COURT TO VACATE THE AUG. 5 RULING OF FEDERAL JUDGE GEORGE B.HARRIS REVOKING BRIDGES' $25,000 BAIL AND ORDERING THE CIO LONGSHORE CHIEF TO JAIL.
JUDGE HARRIS ACTED ON THE GOVERNMENT'S ACCUSATION THAT BRIDGES WAS A MENACE TO THE SECURITY OF THE NATION. BRIDGES HAD BEEN AT LIBERTY SINCE HIS PERJURY CONVICTION IN APRIL. THIS CONVICTION HAS BEEN APPEALED.
LEONARD TODAY REITERATED THE DEFENSE STAND THAT JUDGE HARRIS ACTED OUTSIDE HIS JURISDICTION BECAUSE THE CASE ALREADY HAD BEEN APPEALED AND WAS OUT OF HIS HANDS. LEONARD ALSO CONTENDED ANOTHER FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE, DAM M.LEMMON, HAD ERRONEOUSLY DENIED A PETITION FOR A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS; THAT BRIDGES WAS BEING HELD ILLEGALLY.
MEANWHILE, IN HONOLULU, A NEW STRIKE OF SUGAR WORKERS IN THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS IN PROTEST TO THE JAILING OF BRIDGES WAS REPORTED.
THE LATEST STRIKE WAS ON THE ISLAND OF KAUAI. WHERE 500 MEN WALKED

OFF THEIR JOBS. EIGHT OTHER SUGAR PLANTATIONS ÓN KAUAI WERE NOT AFFECTED.

SOME 7,500 SUGAR WORKERS, MEMBERS OF BRIDGES' UNION, HAVE STAGED ONE-DAY PROTEST STRIKES ON THE ISLANDS OF HAWAII, OAHU AND MAUI.

TWENTY-THREE HUNDRED SUGAR WORKERS WHO STRUCK ON OAHU WEDNESDAY AND WERE SUSPENDED YESTERDAY RETURNED TO THEIR JOBS TODAY.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 11-(AP)-THE MASTER OF THE POLISH LINER BATORY RADIOED TODAY THAT AN UNLISTED PASSENGER HAS IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS A STOWAWAY WHO BOARDED THE SHIP THROUGH A BAGGAGE ENTRANCE WHILE THE BATORY WAS IN NEW YORK HARBOR.

THE MESSAGE FROM CAPT.JAN CWIKLINSKI TO THE GDYNIA-AMERICA LINE FOLLOWED EARLIER INFORMATION THAT THE UNSCHEDULED PASSENGER CALLED HIMSELF HOWARD CAMPBELL AND GAVE DES MOINES, IA., AS HIS HOME.

THE BATORY IS THE SHIP ON WHICH GERHARD EISLER, FORMER COMMUNIST UNDERGROUND LEADER, FLED THIS COUNTRY. IT HAS BEEN GIVEN SECURITY CHECKS ON ENTERING AND LEAVING NEW YORK.

THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID YESTERDAY THAT CAMPBELL WILL BE QUESTIONED WHEN THE BATORY REACHES SOUTHAMPTON, ALONG WITH A FLYER PICKED UP BY THE SHIP 75 MILES OFF NEW YORK LAST TUESDAY. THE FLYER FIRST IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS GUILLERMO SAN SEBASTIAN OF MEXICO CITY AND THEN AS WILLIAM JESSE NEWTON.

CWIKLINSKI'S RADIO MESSAGE SAID CAMPBELL TOLD OF BEING BORN APRIL 22, 1921, AT EUNIDE, IOWA.

THE CAPTAIN SAID CAMPBELL HAD CARD 2283, ISSUED BY DES MOINES LODGE 98, B.P.O. ELKS, AND CARRIED SOCIAL SECURITY CARD 485-10-1271.

CAMPBELL WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HIS LAST ADDRESSES BEFORE COMING TO NEW YORK WERE 727 S.MANSFIELD AVE., LOS ANGELES, AND THE DETROIT HOTEL, LOS ANGELES.

THE CAPTAIN SAID CAMPBELL TOLD OF ENTERING THE SHIP BY MEANS OF A BAGGAGE ROLLER LEADING TO THE PROVISION ROOM.

"HE STATES THAT HE WAS ASKED BY NOBODY FOR A PASS," THE MESSAGE SAID.

CAMPBELL WAS DESCRIBED AS FIVE FEET NINE AND ONE-HALF INCHES TALL, 150 POUNDS, BROWN HAIR AND EYES.

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NEW YORK, AUG 11-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL FREE TRADE UNION CENTER IN EXILE (CAPS) REPORTED TODAY THAT KAZIMIERZ PUZAK, LONG A PROMINENT LABOR LEADER, HAS DIED IN A POLISH PRISON AT THE AGE OF 66.

PUZAK WAS ONE OF THE 16 POLISH LEADERS INVITED TO MOSCOW FOR "NEGOTIATIONS" IN 1945 AND THEN JAILED BY SOVIET AUTHORITIES. RELEASED LATE THAT YEAR, HE RETURNED TO POLAND.

THE FREE TRADE UNION CENTER, COMPOSED OF LABOR FIGURES WHO HAVE FLED COMMUNIST-RUN COUNTRIES, SAID PUZAK WAS SENT TO A POLISH PRISON IN 1947 ON TRUMPED-UP CHARGES OF DEALING WITH FOREIGN AGENTS AND PROVOKING STRIKES.

PUZAK FIRST WENT TO PRISON FOR "REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES" AGAINST THE CZARIST GOVERNMENT WHEN HE WAS 23. DURING WORLD WAR TWO HE WAS A LEADING FIGURE IN THE POLISH UNDERGROUND AGAINST THE GERMAN OCCUPATION FORCES.

OFFICIALS OF THE FREE TRADE UNION CENTER SAID PUZAK'S DEATH OCCURRED LAST MAY. THEY ADDED IN A STATEMENT THAT POLISH OFFICIALS TRIED TO CONCEAL HIS DEATH "BECAUSE THEY KNOW THAT THEY WILL BE MADE RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS MURDER AS WELL AS FOR THE MURDER OF MANY OTHER LABOR LEADERS WHO DIED IN PRISONS AND SLAVE LABOR CAMPS."

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CHICAGO,AUG.11-(AP)-THE AFL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL TODAY CONDEMNED THE SO-CALLED STOCKHOLM PEACE PROPOSAL AS A "RANK FRAUD" AND URGED THE NATION'S WORKING MEN AND WOMEN "TO SPURN THIS SPURIOUS PETITION."

THE COUNCIL, POLICY MAKING GROUP FOR THE BIG LABOR BODY, CONCLUDED ITS QUARTERLY MEETING TODAY.

A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE COUNCIL REFERRED TO THE PEACE PETITION AS "MOSCOW'S 'DOVE OF PEACE'" WHICH IT SAID "IS ONLY A LEAD PIGEON OUT OF WHICH ARE MADE POISONED BULLETS AGAINST DEMOCRACY.

"THOSE WHO SIGN THIS SO-CALLED PEACE PETITION ARE, KNOWINGLY OR OTHERWISE, SERVING RUSSIAN IMPERIALISM, AIDING ITS BLOODY ADVENTURE IN KOREA, AND HELPING THE SOVIET DICTATORSHIP TO PLUNGE MANKIND INTO ANOTHER WORLD WAR," THE STATEMENT ADDED.

THE PETITION FIRST APPEARED IN STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN. IT ADVOCATES DESTRUCTION OF ATOMIC STOCKPILES.

MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL VOTED TO REQUEST CONGRESS TO NULLIFY THE POSTAL CUTBACK ORDERED BY THE POSTMASTER GENERAL LAST APRIL 17. A RESOLUTION SAID FORTHRIGHT ACTION ON THE PART OF CONGRESS TO RESCIND THE MAIL CURTAILMENT "WILL MEET WITH THE IMMEDIATE FAVORABLE RESPONSE OF CITIZENS EVERYWHERE."

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NEW YORK, AUG. 11-(AP)-A CLIFORNIA WOMAN LAWYER SAID TODAY THAT ISRAEL IS FAR "BEHIND THE TIMES" IN ACCORDING CIVIL RIGHTS TO WOMEN.

THE COMMENT CAME FROM MRS. ROSALIND GOODRICH BATES, OF (3026 EFFIE STREET) LOS ANGELES, AFTER HER ARRIVAL AT LA GUARDIA FIELD FROM ROME, WHERE SHE WAS REELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN LAWYERS.

SHE TOLD REPORTERS ISRAEL SHOULD IMPROVE ITS CIVIL RIGHTS BENEFITS TO WOMEN, ESPECIALLY BECAUSE "WOMEN ARE DOING SUCH FINE WORK THERE."

SHE SAID THAT IN ISRAEL A MAN CANNOT WILL HIS PROPERTY TO HIS WIFE, AND THAT IN COURT "IT TAKES TWO WOMEN TO EQUAL THE TESTIMONY OF ONE MAN."

MRS. BATES EXPECTS TO LEAVE TUESDAY BY AIR FOR LOS ANGELES.

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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.11-(AP)-AUSTRALIA'S PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES ARRIVED HERE TODAY ENROUTE TO TOKYO ON THE LAST LAP OF A 'ROUND THE WORLD FLIGHT.

HE TOLD NEWSMEN AT SAN FRANCISCO AIRPORT THE NEXT STOP WOULD BE HAWAII, THEN JAPAN WHERE HE WILL VISIT GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR.

MENZIES PARRIED QUESTIONS ON WHAT HE WOULD TALK TO MACARTHUR ABOUT.

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NIGHT LEAD ATOMIC COMMISSIONER

WASHINGTON,AUG 11-(AP)-T.KEITH GLENNAN, 44-YEAR-OLD PRESIDENT OF THE CASE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AT CLEVELAND, WAS NOMINATED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY AS A MEMBER OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

IF CONFIRMED BY THE SENATE, HE WILL FILL THE VACANCY CAUSED BY THE RESIGNATION OF LEWIS L.STRAUSS IN APRIL.

THE APPOINTMENT, WHICH IS FOR A FIVE-YEAR TERM, BRINGS THE COMMISSION UP TO ITS FULL STRENGTH OF FIVE MEMBERS. OTHERS ARE CHAIRMAN GORDON E.DEAN AND COMMISSIONERS SUMNER T.PIKE, HENRY D.SMYTH AND THOMAS E.MURRAY. PIKE IS THE ONLY ONE OF THE COMMISSIONERS WHO HAS SERVED SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE ORGANIZATION.

GLENNAN, WHO WAS BORN AT ENDERLIN (CORRECT), N.D., IS A YALE GRADUATE. BEFORE THE WAR, HE WAS STUDIO MANAGER FOR THE PARAMOUNT

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AND SAMUEL GOLDWYN STUDIOS. DURING THE WAR, HE WAS DIRECTOR OF THE NAVY UNDERWATER SOUND LABORATORY AT NEW LONDON, CONN. HE HAS BEEN PRESIDENT OF CASE SINCE 1947. HE IS MARRIED AND HAS FOUR CHILDREN.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN ALSO ANNOUNCED THE APPOINTMENT OF THREE NEW MEMBERS OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION'S GENERAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE: WILLIAM FRANK LIBBY, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS CHEMISTRY PROFESSOR; EGER V. MURPHREE, VICE PRESIDENT IN CHARGE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT FOR THE STANDARD OIL DEVELOPMENT CO., AND WALTER G.WHITMAN, CHEMICAL ENGINEERING PROFESSOR AT MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 11-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY NOMINATED MILTON KATZ TO SERVE AS U.S. REPRESENTATIVE ON THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE OF THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL.

KATZ, A NEW YORK LAWYER, SUCCEEDS W.AVERELL HARRIMAN IN THIS POST JUST AS HE SUCCEEDED HARRIMAN AS ROVING AMBASSADOR OF THE ECA.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, AUG. 11)

(ADVANCE) CHICAGO, AUG. 11-(AP)-A SPECIAL ADVISORY GROUP TO THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION VOICE OPPOSITION TODAY TO A HOOVER COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION THAT ALL GOVERNMENTAL HOSPITALS BE CONSOLIDATED UNDER A SINGLE AGENCY.

"IF THIS SHOULD BE DONE IT SEEMS UNLIKELY THAT THE VETERAN WOULD RECEIVE ANY BETTER MEDICAL CARE THAN AT PRESENT AND IT IS LIKELY THAT THE QUALITY OF MEDICAL SERVICE WOULD ULTIMATELY DETERIORATE FROM ITS PRESENT HIGH STANDARD," THE GROUP SAID.

THE ADVISORY BODY REPRESENTS ALL DIVISIONS OF MEDICINE AND SURGERY AND ALLIED ACTIVITIES. IT WAS ESTABLISHED BY CONGRESS TO ADVISE THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATOR ON POLICY. DR.C.W. MAYO OF ROCHESTER, MINN., IS CHAIRMAN.

THE COMMITTEE'S REPORT, PUBLISHED IN THE JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, SAID:

"AS LONG AS THE DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE AND SURGERY OF THE VA REMAINS UNDER PROPER AND AUTHORITATIVE MEDICAL CONTROL THIS TYPE OF SUPERIOR MEDICAL CARE WILL ALWAYS PREVAIL FOR THE VETERAN.

"IF THE TIME SHOULD COME, HOWEVER, WHEN SUCH CONTROL IS PASSED TO LAY, BUREAUCRATIC OR POLITICAL HANDS, THAT WILL BE THE BEGINNING OF DETERIORATION OF THE PROGRAM OF MEDICAL CARE FOR THE VETERAN.

"AS LONG AS THE VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS CONTINUE TO INSIST, AS THEY HAVE IN THE PAST, THAT MEMBERS OF THE MEDICAL PROFESSION CONDUCT THIS PROGRAM, IT WILL CONTINUE TO PROVIDE A HIGH TYPE OF SERVICE."

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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

SHINGTON,AUG 11-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY VETOED A BILL TO PAY ITTSBURGH DUBOIS CO. $24,987 IN DAMAGES FOR LOSSES THAT RESULTED TERMINATION OF A WORLD WAR II CONTRACT.

COMPANY HAD A CONTRACT TO FURNISH THE GOVERNMENT 60,000 BOMB PACKING AND RELEASE BARS.

THE CONTRACT, SIGNED WITH THE WAR DEPARTMENT APRIL 27, 1943, WAS TERMINATED BECAUSE OF FAILURE TO MEET THE DELIVERY SCHEDULE, THE VETO MESSAGE SAID.

THE MESSAGE ADDED THAT THE WAR DEPARTMENT BOARD OF CONTRACT APPEALS FOUND THAT THE DELAY, ATTRIBUTED TO DELAY IN RECEIPT OF STEEL BY THE COMPANY, WAS NOT EXCUSABLE BECAUSE THE DIFFICULTIES WERE FORESEEABLE.

THE PRESIDENT SAID THE COMPANY STILL CAN APPEAL TO THE COURT OF CLAIMS BUT HE SAID THE BOARD OF APPEALS REPORTS INDICATED ITS DECISIOC WAS FAIR.

MR.TRUMAN ALSO VETOED A BILL TO PERMIT ALVIN SMITH OF NEW CASTLE, DEL., TO SUE THE GOVERNMENT FOR ALLEGED DAMAGE TO HIS FISH PONDS FROM CONSTRUCTION OF AN AIR BASE IN NEW CASTLE IN 1942.

SMITH CONTENDED THE CONSTRUCTION INCREASED THE SURFACE WATER DRAINAGE INTO ARMSTRONG CREEK AND FILLED HIS PONDS WITH SAND AND GRAVEL.

MR.TRUMAN BASED HIS VETO ON THE LANGUAGE OF THE BILL WHICH HE SAID DENIED THE GOVERNMENT THE RIGHT TO MAKE CERTAIN DEFENSES. HE SAID HE WOULD SIGN A MEASURE WHICH ELIMINATES THE OBJECTIONS.

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Lake Success, Aug 11-(ap)---Sir Gladwyn Jebb, of

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Great Britain, will become president of the U.N. security council

Sept. 1, succeeding Jakob Malik of Soviet Russia.

The Mmmdsm presidency is rotated among the 11 nations holding seats. Arne Sunde of Norway was president in July.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG 11-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS TRIED TO USE A FLASHING SIGNAL TODAY TO SHUSH THE CROWD IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL CHAMBER, BUT THE CROWD KEPT ON BUZZING.

BECAUSE OF OUTBURSTS OF HANDCLAPPING AT PREVIOUS SESSIONS THIS MONTH, THE U.N. INSTALLED FOUR SIGNS SAYING "SILENCE" AT POINTS WHERE THE AUDIENCE COULD SEE THEM. AFTER SIR GLADWYN JEBB SPOKE TODAY HALF THE AUDIENCE AROSE TO LEAVE AND THERE WAS GENERAL TALKING. CONSTANTIN E. ZINCHENKO, A RUSSIAN WHO IS AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL, FLASHED THE LIGHT THREE TIMES--BUT NO ONE PAID ATTENTION TO IT.

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NEW YORK, AUG 11-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, LEFT TODAY BY PLANE FOR NORWAY FOR WHAT HE CALLED AN "ATLANTIC WEEKEND TRIP."

HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. LIE. HE SAID SHE WOULD REMAIN IN NORWAY FIVE OR SIX WEEKS.

ASKED IF THE TRIP WAS A HOLIDAY TRIP FOR HIM, LIE REPLIED:

"I WON'T AGREE ABOUT THAT. I DON'T BELIEVE THE SECRETARY GENERAL CAN TAKE A HOLIDAY."

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FIFTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP
BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.13-(AP)-THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS' GREATEST OFFENSIVE SINCE THE INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA APPEARED DEVELOPING TODAY ALONG THE THINLY-DEFENDED NAKTONG RIVER LINE.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID SOME 60,000 REDS WERE MOVING INTO ATTACKING POSITIONS.

NORTH KOREANS TANKS AND ARTILLERY RUMBLED FORWARD ALONG A 20-MILE FRONT NORTH AND SOUTH OF WAEGWAN, RIVER TOWN 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF THE COMMUNICATIONS HUB OF TAEGU.

AT LEAST 12,000 COMMUNISTS HAD FILTERED ACROSS THE NAKTONG IN WHAT AMERICAN HEADQUARTERS SAID WAS A "CONFUSED" SITUATION ON THIS MOST CRITICAL FRONT. SOME TANKS ALSO WERE ACROSS BUT HOW MANY WAS NOT CLEAR.

THE REDS ALREADY HAD CUT THE MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE 25 MILES SOUTHEAST OF TAEGU WITH ROAD BLOCKS AT TWO POINTS. TAEGU IS 55 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN, MAJOR PORT.

A SPOKESMAN AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE LONG-EXPECTED ALL-OUT RED PUSH WAS "DUE ANY MINUTE NOW." BOTH MACARTHUR'S AND EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE DRIVE MIGHT HAVE STARTED AT DAWN TODAY WHEN THE REDS MADE TWO NEW CROSSINGS OF THE NAKTONG.

HOWEVER, AMERICAN TROOPS ATTACKED THESE REDS--TOTALLING AN ESTIMATED 600 TO 800--AND THERE WERE NO IMMEDIATE REPORTS OF NORTH KOREAN REINFORCEMENTS.

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ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE HARD-PRESSED UNITED NATIONS BEACHHEAD, AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS BATTLED TO WREST THE EAST COAST PORT OF POHANG FROM THE REDS.

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AMERICAN PLANES WERE FORCED TO QUIT USING THE AIR FIELD SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE SECOND MOST IMPORTANT U.N.PORT WHEN THE REDS BROUGHT IT UNDER MORTAR AND MACHINEGUN FIRE.

HERE IS THE LATEST SITUATION ALL ALONG THE FRONT, AS OUTLINED BY A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AND BY INFORMATION FROM U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA:

NORTHEAST FRONT--ENEMY MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE FORCED U.S. PLANES AT LEAST TEMPORARILY FROM POHANG AIR FIELD. GROUND TROOPS STILL BATTLED THE ENEMY AROUND THE FIELD. TWENTY-FIVE MILES TO THE NORTH, SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WERE ATTACKED BY A BATTALION OF NORTH KOREAN HORSE CAVALRY SOUTH OF YONGDOK.

NORTHERN FRONT--ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE NOTED ALL ALONG THIS MOUNTAIN LINE STRETCHING NORTH OF TAEGU, BUT SO FAR ONLY LIMITED ATTACKS HAD BEEN MADE ON THE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS.

NORTHWEST FRONT--UNDETERMINED NUMBERS OF ENEMY TROOPS WERE ACROSS THE NAKTONG WITH TANKS SEVEN MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN OR 19 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. AT LAST REPORTS THE ENEMY HAD ABOUT 1,600 TROOPS AND 12 TANKS ACROSS, BUT SEVEN TANKS HAD BEEN DESTROYED.

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WESTERN FRONT--THE BIGGEST ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD--EIGHT SQUARE MILES--WAS BEING STEADILY REINFORCED IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA, 29 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. THIS AND THE ONE NORTHWEST OF TAEGU ARE THE MOST MENACING. THE AMERICAN 24TH DIVISION WAS BEING REINFORCED BY ELEMENTS OF THE 25TH DIVISION FROM THE SOUTH IN AN ATTEMPT TO DRIVE THE DIVISION OR SO OF RED INFANTRY AND ARTILLERY HERE BACK INTO THE RIVER.

THERE WERE NUMEROUS SMALLER CROSSINGS BETWEEN CHANGNYONG AND WAEGWAN, BUT THEY WERE REPORTED BEING WIPED OUT. NEWEST CROSSINGS WERE TWO MILES SOUTH OF WAEGWAN SUNDAY BY 200 REDS, AND BY A FORCE UP TO 400 NORTH OF KAEPO, 15 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

SOUTHERN FRONT--THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE REACHED ITS OBJECTIVES BY SEIZING HEIGHTS NEAR CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN. AN ESTIMATED 1,000 RED TROOPS WERE TRAPPED SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU BY U.S.MARINES AND ARMY INFANTRY.

A FORCE OF TRAPPED REDS HAD SURROUNDED ABOUT 100 AMERICAN ARTILLERYMEN. A RELIEVING FORCE OF MARINES, IN TURN, HAD THE REDS SURROUNDED AND WERE WIPING THEM OUT. FIELD COMMANDERS SAID THEY EXPECTED THE JOB TO BE FINISHED BY SUNDAY NIGHT.

THE DIFFICULTIES OF DEFENDING THE CRUCIAL NAKTONG RIVER LINE WERE MULTIPLIED BY INFILTRATIONS BEHIND THE AMERICAN LINES.

THE NEW COMMUNIST THRUSTS HIT IN A ONE-TWO PUNCH AIMED AT BOTH FLANKS OF U.S.FIRST CAVALRY POSITIONS WEST OF TAEGU, FRONT LINE SUPPLY BASE.

THE NORTH KOREANS' EXPECTED OFFENSIVE--WHICH U.S.OFFICIALS PREDICTED WOULD BE A "MASSIVE" ONE--PROBABLY WILL COME FROM THE WAEGWAN AREA 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE REDS ALREADY HAD CUT THE MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE 25 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. THEY HAD ROADBLOCKS AT TWO POINTS ON THIS ROAD. TAEGU IS 55 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF THE MAJOR PORT OF PUSAN.

AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID IF THE LONG-AWAITED ALL-OUT RED DRIVE HASN'T ALREADY BEGUN, "IT WILL ANY MINUTE NOW."

AT DAWN SUNDAY THE REDS FORGED TWO NEW CROSSINGS WITH FROM 600 TO 800 MEN.

ONE FORCE GOT TO THE EAST BANK AT THE NORTHERN END OF THE FIRST CAVALRY. THIS WAS IN THE AREA OF WAEGWAN WHERE THEY ALREADY HAD ESTABLISHED A BRIDGEHEAD AND WHERE MOST OF THE 60,000 NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE MASSED.

THE OTHER CROSSING WAS TO THE SOUTH WHERE THE FIRST CAVALRY LINKS UP WITH THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION. THE REDS ALSO HAD A POTENT BRIDGEHEAD ON THE 24TH'S SECTOR---AROUND CHANGNYONG, 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

IT WAS BEHIND THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD THAT THE SUPPLY ROUTE WAS SEVERED BY THE RED ROADBLOCKS. ONE WAS AT MIRYANG, 25 MILES SOUTH OF TAEGU. THE OTHER, AT YONGSAN, CUT OFF SUPPLIES TO THE 24TH DIVISION.

THE NAKTONG THREATS WERE THE MOST CRITICAL OF THREE POINTS OF HEAVY ACTION ALONG THE KOREAN WARFRONT.

ACROSS THE U.N. BEACHEAD ON THE EAST COAST, PHOHANG STILL WAS A "NO MAN'S LAND." ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER MAX DESFOR REPORTED FROM THAT FRONT SUNDAY THAT THERE HAD BEEN NO MAJOR ACTION DURING THE NIGHT.

THE AMERICANS RETAINED CONTROL OF THE VALUABLE AIR FIELD, SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE TOWN, AND OF THE PORT FACILITIES, ALSO OUTSIDE THE TOWN PROPER.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS EARLY SUNDAY SAID THE SITUATION AT POHANG WAS BELIEVED TO BE "MUCH IMPROVED."

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THE AIR FORCE DECISION TO QUIT USING THE IMPORTANT AIRFIELD SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG WAS ANNOUNCED SUNDAY AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS. THE FIELD WAS UNDER CONTINUOUS RED MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE.

AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID HE HAD NO LATER INFORMATION ON THE GROUND FIGHTING FOR THE TOWN, THE AIRFIELD AND PORT FACILITIES WHICH HAS BEEN RAGING FOR TWO DAYS.

LATEST REPORTS ON THE GROUND ACTION WERE THAT AMERICAN FORCES STILL HELD THE AIRFIELD WHICH THEY HAD RINGED WITH TANKS THAT RUSHED TO THEIR SUPPORT FRIDAY NIGHT. THESE REPORTS ALSO SAID THE AMERICANS STILL CLUNG TO THE PORT WHICH IS OUTSIDE POHANG PROPER.

THE AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID PLANES ALREADY HAD BEGUN TO EVACUATE THE AIRFIELD, A MAJOR OPERATIONAL BASE FOR FIGHTER AIRCRAFT. HE EXPRESSED HOPE THE AMERICAN DEFENDERS WOULD DRIVE OFF THE REDS AND PLANES COULD USE THE FIELD AGAIN SHORTLY.

ONLY A FEW HOURS BEFORE, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS HAD SAID IT BELIEVED THE POHANG SITUATION WAS "MUCH IMPROVED."

IN THE CHINJU SECTOR, NEAR THE SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF THE 140-MILE FRONT, DESPERATE COMMUNIST TROOPS HAD THROWN A ROAD BLOCK ACROSS THE MAIN ROAD SUPPLYING THE ARMY'S 35TH DIVISION AND FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM.

THE RED TACTICS APPARENTLY WERE DESIGNED TO HARASS THE AMERICANS WHO HAVE SNAPPED SHUT A TRAP ON SOME 1,000 NORTH KOREANS IN THE AREA.

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ELSEWHERE IN THIS AREA WHERE U.S. GROUND FORCES HAVE MADE CONSISTENT GAINS DURING A SIX-DAY OFFENSIVE, FURTHER ADVANCES WERE REPORTED TOWARD THE IMPORTANT RED COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF CHINJU NOW ABOUT FIVE TO SIX MILES FROM THE AMERICAN LINES.

U.S. SUPERFORTS FROM OKINAWA AND JAPAN SATURDAY DROPPED 500 TONS OF BOMBS ON THE PORT OF NAJIN, ONLY 17 MILES FROM RUSSIAN TERRITORY.

ON THE TAEGU FRONT, TWO COMMUNIST ROADBLOCKS HARASSED U.S.COMMUNICATIONS AND SUPPLY BETWEEN YONGSAN AND MIRYANG, ABOUT 25 MILES SOUTH OF THE CITY.

THE ENEMY ATTACKS ALONG THE NAKTONG WERE THE MAIN IMMEDIATE THREAT TO THE UNITED NATIONS BEACHHEAD IN KOREA.

THE MAIN RED CROSSINGS WERE MADE AT WAEGWAN, 13 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, AND AT CHANGNYONG, SOME 25 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE HIGHLY IMPORTANT RAIL AND COMMUNICATIONS CENTER PROTECTING PUSAN.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S RELEASE SAID THE TWO COMMUNIST ROADBLOCKS NEAR MIRYANG, 16 MILES EAST OF CHANGNYONG AND 25 MILES SOUTH OF TAEGU, HAMPERED U.S. VEHICLE AND WIRE COMMUNICATIONS.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID A RED PRISONER OF WAR TOLD U.S. INTERROGATORS THAT THE 16TH, 17TH AND 18TH REGIMENTS OF THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION MADE UP THE REINFORCING TROOPS THAT BRIDGED THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE WAEGWAN AND CHANGNYONG SECTORS.

AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS HAD SAID SATURDAY THAT THE RED FORCES IN THE CHANGYONG SECTOR WERE FIGHTING STUBBORNLY AS IF THEY EXPECTED HELP FROM THE NORTH KOREAN NINTH AND FOURTH DIVISIONS.

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BOTH OF THESE DIVISIONS, PLUS FIVE MASSING ALONG THE NAKTONG, WOULD SWELL TO BETWEEN 60,000 TO 70,000 MEN THE NUMBER THE COMMUNISTS WERE COMMITTING TO THE DRIVE TOWARDS TAEGU.

AGAINST THE ONSLAUGHT, THE DEFENSE INTERPOSED THE DEPLETED 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION, THE FIRST FOOT CAVALRY DIVISION, AND SOUTH KOREAN UNITS, PLUS THE AID ATTEMPTING TO MOVE UP FROM THE SOUTHERN REGION.

THE ALLIED FORCES HAD BEATEN BACK TWO RED ATTEMPTS TO ENLARGE BRIDGEHEADS ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG, BUT A HEADQUARTERS OFFICER SAID PERSISTENT ENEMY SHOWED "GREAT SKILL" IN GETTING TANKS ACROSS THE RIVER ON MAKESHIFT PONTOON BRIDGES AND STONE AND LOG CAUSEWAYS.

DESCRIBING THE FRONTLINE TACTICS OF THE COMMUNIST INVADERS, AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE COMPARED THEM WITH A "SEEMINGLY ENDLESS SERIES OF OCTOPUS TENTACLES."

"THESE TENTACLES," HE REPORTED," HAVE LASHED OUT AROUND THE ENTIRE PERIMETER OF THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE, SEEKING A WEAK SPOT THAT WOULD OPEN AN AVENUE TO VICTORY.

"IN NO PLACE HAVE THE REDS SUCCEEDED. BUT IN NO PLACE HAVE THEY COMMITTED ENOUGH FORCE TO SAP THEIR STRENGTH EXCEPT BY PIECEMEAL LOSS OF RELATIVELY SMALL UNITS.

"BUT THEY HAVE SUCCEEDED IN KEEPING UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS IN A DIZZY DEFENSIVE, EXCEPT FOR THE RECENT MORALE BOOSTING OFFENSIVE IN THE SOUTH TOWARDS CHINJU."

IT WAS SUCH A FEELER TYPE OF OPERATION BY THE REDS THAT TOOK THE NORTHEAST TOWN OF POHANG FRIDAY AFTER AN ALL-NIGHT BATTLE.

THE NORTH KOREANS DIRELY THREATENED THE IMPORTANT U.S. AIRSTRIP SIX MILES TO THE SOUTHEAST, BUT U.S. TANKS AND SEASONED SOUTH KOREAN INFANTRY RUSHED IN TO PROTECT THE FIELD.

AP PHOTOGRAPHER MAX DESFOR REPORTED FROM THE POHANG FRONT THAT AMERICAN TANKS LED A SOUTH KOREAN PATROL INTO THE CENTER OF THE TOWN SATURDAY WITHOUT DRAWING SERIOUS FIRE. HE SAID SOME REDS SCAMPERED OUT OF THE FLAMING RUIN.

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS OFFICERS IN KOREA EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THE AIRSTRIP WOULD BE HELD AND POHANG RECAPTURED.

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IN A DISPATCH FROM THE AIRSTRIP, BOYLE REPORTED THAT A STRONG ARMORED TASK FORCE WHICH CAME TO THE RESCUE RODE THROUGH THREE ENEMY AMBUSHES ENROUTE.

HE SAID THE TANKS, ARTILLERY, ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS AND DOUGHBOYS HELD THE BASE SECURELY AFTER A TERRIFYING NIGHT FRIDAY.

U.S. PLANES WERE USING THE FIELD AGAIN SATURDAY, HE SAID, AFTER TEMPORARILY LEAVING IT FRIDAY NIGHT FOR SAFETY REASONS.

BOYLE SAID AMERICAN TANKS PUSHED TO A RIDGE SATURDAY WITHIN 1 1/2 MILES OF POHANG. THE TANK COLUMN, HE SAID, WAS PRECEDED BY PATROLS FROM A NEGRO INFANTRY UNIT. THIS APPARENTLY WAS THE SAME COLUMN THAT DESFOR LATER SAID PUSHED INTO POHANG.

BOYLE REPORTED THERE WERE INDICATIONS THE REDS MIGHT TRY TO MAKE AN AMBITIOUS ENCIRCLEMENT AIMED AT CAPTURING KYONGJU AND SWEEPING EASTWARD TO THE JAPAN SEA, A DISTANCE OF ABOUT 15 MILES.

KYONGJU IS A RAIL AND HIGHWAY JUNCTION 15 MILES INLAND SOUTHWEST OF POHANG.

IF SUCCESSFUL, BOYLE SAID, THE REDS COULD TRAP ALL ALLIED FORCES IN A 42-MILE COASTAL CORRIDOR EXTENDING FROM KAMPO, 17 MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG, TO THE YONGDOK AREA 25 MILES NORTH OF POHANG.

CHANCES WERE, SAID BOYLE, THAT THE PINCER ATTEMPT WOULD FAIL. HE SAID THE SOUTH ARM OF THE RED PINCER WAS ONLY TENTATIVE AND THAT THE ENEMY HAD NOT PUT HIS FULL POWER BEHIND IT.

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SECOND LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 13-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN REDS POURED HEAVY REINFORCEMENTS ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER SATURDAY ON THE CENTRAL FRONT OF THE KOREAN BATTLE LINE.

A COMMUNIQUE FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS EARLY TODAY SAID A NORTH KOREAN PRISONER OF WAR REPORTED THREE REGIMENTS OF THE RED FOURTH DIVISION HAD STREAMED ACROSS THE RIVER IN THE CHANGNYONG AND WAEGWAN SECTORS--IN THE MIDDLE OF THE CENTRAL FRONT.

TO MEET THE MOUNTING RED THREAT, UNITS OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION ROLLED NORTHWARD FROM THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

TWO COMMUNIST ROADBLOCKS NEAR MIRYANG, 16 MILES EAST OF CHANGNYONG, HAMPERED AMERICAN VEHICLE AND WIRE COMMUNICATION, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

THE BATTLE FOR POHANG, EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE ALLIED LINE, WAS QUIETER SATURDAY NIGHT. ALLIED FORCES STILL HELD THE VITAL AIRFIELD SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE PORT TOWN AND AMERICAN PLANES WERE USING IT.

FAR TO THE NORTH, B-29S FROM OKINAWA AND JAPAN PLASTERED NAJIN, NORTH KOREAN PORT CITY ONLY 17 MILES FROM RUSSIAN TERRITORY. STRIKING THROUGH CLOUDS. THEY DROPPED 500 [redacted] OF BOMBS BY RADAR. 7 TONS

POHANG ITSELF APPEARED TO BE HALF IN RED HANDS AND HALF A FLAMING "NO-MAN'S" LAND. CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS THAT AMERICAN OFFICERS WERE CONFIDENT OF HOLDING THE AIRFIELD AND RECAPTURING POHANG.

ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER MAX DESFOR REPORTED FROM POHANG THAT AMERICAN TANKS LED A SOUTH KOREAN PATROL INTO THE CENTER OF THE CITY WITHOUT DRAWING SERIOUS FIRE. A FEW ENEMY TROOPS QUICKLY DISAPPEARED, DESFOR SAID. HE REPORTED THERE WAS NO COMMUNIST FIRE HITTING THE AIRSTRIP.

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ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE 50 MILES WEST, ALLIED FORCES HURLED BACK TWO NEW RED THRUSTS ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE WAEGWAN AREA NEAR TAEGU.

IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA TO THE SOUTH, THE REDS SET UP A ROAD BLOCK BETWEEN YONGSANG, EIGHT MILES SOUTH OF CHANGNYONG, AND MIRYANG, 16 MILES TO THE EAST. THIS WAS CONSIDERABLY SOUTH OF THE 24TH DIVISION'S POSITION.

ERICKSON SAID THE EVIDENT PURPOSE WAS TO DRIVE AGAINST THE 24TH FROM THE EAST WHILE IT WAS FIGHTING A FRONTAL ATTACK ALONG THE NAKTONG.

COL. JOHN (MIKE) MICHAELIS, WHO COMMANDED THE MAIN TASK FORCE IN THE DRIVE TOWARD CHINJU, LED THE REINFORCEMENTS NORTHWARD.

THE 24TH DIVISION FRIDAY WHITTLED DOWN THE BRIDGEHEAD AND GAINED MORE THAN A MILE ALONG THE THREE MILE FRONT IN AN ATTACK THAT CARRIED ONE YANK COLUMN TO THE RIVER.

FARTHER NORTH, TROOPERS OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION, BAYONETS FLASHING, THRUST BACK AN ATTEMPTED RIVER CROSSING AT KAEPO.

AP CORRESPONDENT LIEF ERICKSON SAID THE REDS IN "BATTALION STRENGTH" CROSSED THE RIVER IN DARKNESS AND TRIED TO SET UP A FOOTHOLD BENEATH CLOSE-RANGE SUPPORTING ARTILLERY FIRE. OF THIS FORCE, 150 WERE KILLED AND THE OTHERS THROWN BACK BY LATE AFTERNOON.

FIRST CAVALRY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE NORTH KOREANS CROSSED AT A WRECKED BRIDGE NEAR TUKSONG.

A PART OF THE COMMUNIST FORCE INFILTRATED LINES OF THE SEVENTH REGIMENT AND TOOK UP POSITIONS BEHIND THE AMERICANS. THEN OTHER RED INFANTRY LAUNCHED A FRONTAL ATTACK AND THE FIRST CAVALRY MET IT WITH BAYONETS. FORCE IN REAR CAME OUT OF HIDING SIMULTANEOUSLY.

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OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE AMERICAN DIVISION WERE RUSHED IN TO PROTECT REAR OF SEVENTH. BOTH RED FORCES WERE ROUTED AND AS THEY RAN BACK TOWARD RIVER AMERICAN ARTILLERY ZEROED IN ON THE BRIDGE.

THE REDS THREW A HEAVIER FORCE ACROSS THE RIVER AT THE SAME TIME ABOUT FIVE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN. A BATTALION OF TROOPS LED BY 10 TANKS REACHED THE EAST BANK AND HIT THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION.

ERICKSON SAID FIVE OF 10 TANKS REPORTEDLY IN ACTION WERE KNOCKED OUT SATURDAY MORNING AND THE DRIVE WAS STOPPED. BUT HE SAID THE OTHER FIVE TANKS STILL ROAM THE EAST BANK.

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ONE OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THE PERSISTENT STUBBORNNESS OF RED TROOPS FIGHTING NEAR CHANGNYONG INDICATED THEY EXPECTED REINFORCEMENTS. HE SPECULATED THEY MIGHT BE WAITING FOR HELP FROM THE NINTH AND 14TH NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS BELIEVED TO BE BETWEEN TAEJON AND WAEGWAN.

IF BROUGHT INTO ACTION, THESE WOULD SWELL THE COMMUNIST FORCE TO SIX AND PERHAPS SEVEN DIVISIONS--BETWEEN 60,000 AND 70,000 MEN, ALONG A 50-MILE FRONT AIMED AT TAEGU.

THIS REMAINS THE "POWER POTENTIAL" OF A DRIVE TOWARD TAEGU, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

HE ADDED THE COMMUNISTS HAD SHOWN "GREAT SKILL" IN GETTING TANKS ACROSS THE NAKTONG BY USING BOTH PONTOON BRIDGES AND UNDERWATER STONE AND LOG CAUSEWAYS.

THERE WAS PARTIAL CONFIRMATION FROM SOUTH KOREANS OF EARLIER REPORTS THAT 30 TANKS HAD BEEN SIGHTED ON THE RIVERS WEST BANK. A TANK REGIMENT WITH UP TO 52 ARMORED VEHICLES HAS BEEN REPORTED IN THIS GENERAL AREA.

AMERICAN GUNS KNOCKED OUT 12 OF 35 OR 40 VEHICLES FRIDAY ON THE WEST BANK WITH A BARRAGE OF 300 ROUNDS BUT THE SPOKESMAN SAID NO TANKS WERE REPORTED AMONG THEM.

WHILE THIS BUILDUP CONTINUED, THE SIXTH NORTH KOREAN REGIMENT FOUGHT BITTERLY AND APPARENTLY ALONE AGAINST AMERICAN SOLDIERS AND MARINES ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT.

THE RESISTANCE OF THE 13TH AND 35TH RED REGIMENTS EAST OF CHINJU IS BECOMING "DISORGANIZED" THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

AMERICAN CONQUEST OF THE COMMANDING HIGH GROUND ABOVE CHINJU PUT BIG GUNS WITHIN TWO MILES OF THE BLACKENED CITY.

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WHILE HOLDING THESE POSITIONS, THE AMERICANS CAN CUT DOWN ANY RENEWED THRUST TOWARD PUSAN. BUT THE SPOKESMAN WARNED REMNANTS OF THE SIXTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION STILL WERE AGGRESSIVE IN THE SECTOR AND "ENEMY TACTICS ARE NOT BASED ON WITHDRAWALS."

AS PART OF THEIR OBJECTIVE THE AMERICANS ALSO TOOK THE TOWN OF SANGMUM, ABOUT FIVE MILES DUE EAST OF CHINJU.

AMERICAN MARINES BRUSHED THROUGH LIGHT OPPOSITION AND ADVANCED TO POINT WITHIN TWO-AND-ONE-HALF MILES OF CHINJU, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STANLEY SWINTON REPORTED BY TELEPHONE. LEATHERNECK UNITS ALSO WERE FIGHTING REDS TRYING TO BREAK OUT OF THE TRAP.

ONE OF THEIR PROBLEMS WAS TO CLEAN OUT ENEMY RESISTANCE. THE 14TH RED REGIMENT, CUT OFF FROM THE REST OF THE SIXTH DIVISION IN THIS AREA, FOUGHT THE MARINES WEST OF KOSONG AND ALSO ATTACKED NORTH OF THE TOWN FRIDAY NIGHT.

A MARINE PILOT TOLD ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT FRIDAY HE HAD STRAFED ABOUT 800 "DISORGANIZED" REDS FLEEING KOSONG. IF SO, THIS WOULD BE MOST OF THE 14TH REGIMENT, NOW APPARENTLY SNAPPED BACK INTO ACTION.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED NEW, VIOLENT ATTACKS AGAINST THE REAR OF THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM BY COMMUNIST TROOPS TRYING TO BREAK THROUGH THE TRAP SNAPPED BY JUNCTION OF THE FIFTH AND THE 35TH REGIMENT EAST OF CHINJU.

THE CUT OFF REDS PEPPERED SUPPLY ROADS WITH MORTARS AND SET UP COMMANDING MACHINE GUN EMPLACEMENTS. AMERICAN COMMANDERS SAID THE SITUATION WOULD BE "SERIOUS" UNTIL THESE COMMUNISTS WERE ELIMINATED. THEY ESTIMATED THE NUMBER OF ENTRAPPED REDS AT TWO REGIMENTS.

THE COMMUNISTS ALSO CONTINUED PERSISTENT EFFORTS TO THRUST A COLUMN FROM THE NORTH ALONG THE REAR OF THE FIFTH REGIMENT TO CUT ITS LINES TO MASAN.

ALLIED AIRCRAFT CONTINUED TO BLAST TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, CONVOYS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS BEHIND THE FRONTLINES, FROM THE SOUTHERN SECTOR TO POHANG. FIGHTER PLANES FLEW MORE THAN 350 SORTIES IN CLOSE GROUND SUPPORT FRIDAY AN AIR FORCE SUMMARY REPORTED.

CONTINUED HEAVY COMMUNIST TRAVEL AT NIGHT HAS RESULTED IN THE "UNUSUAL" ASSIGNMENT OF F-80 JETS AND F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTERS TO NIGHT PATROL WORK, A HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN REPORTED. DURING THURSDAY NIGHT LIGHT B-26 BOMBERS FLEW A NEW RECORD TOTAL OF 40 NIGHT MISSIONS AGAINST MOVING RED COLUMNS.

A HEAVY FORCE OF B-29 BOMBERS MADE A CONCENTRATED ATTACK SATURDAY NOON AT NAJIN IN THE EXTREME NORTHEAST CORNER OF NORTH KOREA.

OTHER B-29S HIT KEY COMMUNICATIONS TARGETS. MORE THAN 20 MAIN RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES WERE BOMBED FRIDAY.

A NAVY PATROL BOMBER CAUGHT 10 SMALL STEAM VESSELS OFF THE NORTH KOREAN COAST BETWEEN WONSAN AND MASUDAN AND LEFT THEM ALL IN FLAMES, THE NAVY REPORTED.

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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 13-(AP)-A HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT SIX NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS ARE MOVING INTO POSITION ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER FOR WHAT APPEARS TO BE THE HEAVIEST OFFENSIVE OF THE KOREAN WAR.

ENEMY TANKS AND ARTILLERY FORMATIONS ARE ADVANCING ALONG A 20-MILE FRONT NORTH AND SOUTH OF WAEGWAN, 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF THE KEY U.S. COMMUNICATIONS CENTER AT TAEGU.

THE BULK OF THESE FORCES STILL IS ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG, HOWEVER.

THE MAIN DEFENSE LINE OF THE U.S. FORCES IS EAST OF THE STREAM.

THE HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN DID NOT SAY THE ENEMY HAS LAUNCHED HIS OFFENSIVE BUT REPORTED:

"KEEP YOUR EYE ON WAEGWAN. THE BIG SHOW SEEMS TO BE SHAPING UP THERE."

HE SAID THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION, RE-INFORCED BY AN ENGINEER REGIMENT AND ARTILLERY, HAS CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE CHANGNYONG BEACHHEAD AREA.

A RED DIVISION USUALLY CONSISTS OF ABOUT 10,000 MEN.

IN ADDITION TO THE FOURTH RED DIVISION, THE SPOKESMAN PLACED THESE ENEMY UNITS ALONG THE NAKTONG AND READYING FOR THE ATTACK: THE FIRST SECOND, THIRD, 13TH AND 15TH DIVISIONS.

THE OFFICIAL SAID THE NORTH KOREAN 15TH APPARENTLY IS NOT ON THE LINE BUT IS BEING KEPT IN RESERVE TO EXPLOIT ANY POSSIBLE BREAKTHROUGH OR TO RUSH TO THE HELP OF HARD-PRESSED FORCES.

THE SIX DIVISIONS WOULD GIVE THE NORTH KOREANS A STRIKING FORCES OF UPWARDS OF 60,000 MEN. IT WAS NOT KNOWN HOW MANY AMERICAN OR SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ARE AVAILABLE TO OPPOSE THE EXPECTED MASSIVE OFFENSIVE.

OF THE COMMUNIST FORCES POISED FOR THE ATTACK, ONLY THE FOURTH DIVISION WAS ACTUALLY EAST OF THE NAKTONG, HEADQUARTERS STATED.

OPPOSING THE ENEMY'S FOURTH DIVISION WAS THE BATTLE-TESTED AMERICAN 24TH ARMY DIVISION, WHICH HAS BEEN ALMOST CONTINUALLY IN ACTION SINCE U.S.TROOPS FIRST ENCOUNTERED THE ENEMY.

THE HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THE ENEMY OFFENSIVE PROBABLY WOULD BE AIMED AT THE "TAEJON-TAEGU AXIS" WHICH HE DESCRIBED AS A NATURAL CHANNEL THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS BETWEEN THE TWO CITIES. HE ADDED THAT IT WILL BE DIFFICULT TO DEFEND THIS TERRAIN.

INTELLIGENCE REPORTS MINIMIZED RED CROSSINGS IN THE AREA DEFENDED BY THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION. THE BIG PUSH WAS EXPECTED OPPOSITE THE 24TH DIVISION FARTHER SOUTH.

A BRIEFING OFFICER SAID THE REDS HAD PUT TEN TANKS ACROSS THE STREAM NORTH OF WAEGWAN. OF THESE, FIVE HAD BEEN KNOCKED OUT BUT THE OTHERS STILL ROAMED THE AREA. EIGHTH ARMY REPORTS SAID 12 ENEMY TANKS HAD CROSSED IN THAT AREA.

WHILE THE REDS BUILT UP THEIR FIREPOWER FOR A STEAMROLLER ASSAULT ON THE AMERICAN CENTRAL FRONT, AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID THE VITAL POHANG AIRSTRIP--ON THE NORTHEASTERN END OF THE 140-MILE LINE--WAS BEING EVACUATED. HOWEVER, THE SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID IT HAD NO INFORMATION ON THIS.

ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, WHERE ARMY AND MARINE GROUND UNITS HAVE ANCHORED THE UNITED NATIONS LINE NEAR CHINJU, U.S. FORCES CONTINUED TO MOP UP TRAPPED ENEMY TROOPS, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

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U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SUNDAY, AUG.13-(AP)-NORTH KOREANS PUT FROM 600 TO 800 MEN ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER WEST OF TAEGU AT DAWN TODAY IN WHAT MAY BE THE START OF A BIG PUSH ON TAEGU.

CROSSINGS (BY LEIF ERICKSON) XXX ON TAEGU.

REPORTS REACHING HEADQUARTERS SAID THE DRIVE TO THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER WAS OPPOSITE BOTH FLANKS OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION.

(THE FIRST CAVALRY DEFENDS POSITIONS FROM A POINT ABOUT 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU TO A SECTOR SOUTHWEST OF THAT FRONTLINE SUPPLY BASE 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN, THE MAIN SUPPLY PORT.)

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS CONSIDERS THE BIG BATTLE IN SOUTH KOREA NOW IS "IMMINENT."

THE MAIN PUSH IS EXPECTED FROM THE WAEGWAN AREA, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

APPROXIMATELY 60,000 ENEMY TROOPS HAVE BEEN MASSED THERE WITHIN THE PAST FIVE DAYS. HEADQUARTERS PREVIOUSLY DESCRIBED THIS AS THE HEAVIEST CONCENTRATION OF THE ENEMY ON THE ENTIRE FRONT.

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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.13-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN RADIO CLAIMED TODAY THAT THE REDS ARE "SMASHING THE STRONG DEFENSE POSITIONS" HELD BY THE AMERICANS ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE CENTRAL KOREAN FRONT.

THE BROADCAST WAS MADE BY THE PYONGYANG RADIO AND PICKED UP HERE AT 9 A.M. (6 P.M.,EST., SATURDAY). IT SAID "FIERCE FIGHTING" RAGED ALONG THE NAKTONG.

(FRONT DISPATCHES FROM AMERICAN CORRESPONDENTS AND TOKYO HEADQUARTERS HAVE REPORTED THAT THE REDS ARE MASSING FOR WHAT MIGHT BE AN ALL-OUT ATTACK AIMED AT THE KEY U.S.COMMUNICATIONS CENTER AT TAEGU.)

THE COMMUNIST BROADCAST ALSO CLAIMED THAT RED TROOPS ARE "DEALING HEAVY BLOWS" TO AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ON THE NORTHERN END OF THE FRONT AT KIGYE NEAR EMBATTLED POHANG. THE REDS SAID GUERRILLA TROOPS ARE AIDING COMMUNIST ARMY UNITS IN THIS AREA.

IN THE SOUTHERN SECTORS, WHERE AMERICAN ARMY AND MARINE UNITS HAVE MADE A SUSTAINED SIX-DAY DRIVE ON CHINJU, PYONGYANG ASSERTED THAT THE REDS "ARE DEALING HEAVY BLOWS" AGAINST THE U.S.FORCES.

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BULLETIN

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 13-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED EARLY TODAY THAT NORTH KOREANS CONTINUED TO THROW REINFORCEMENTS ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER IN BOTH THE CHANGNYONG AND WAEGWAN SECTORS.

THERE HAVE BEEN INDICATION FOR SOME TIME THAT THE REDS ARE BUILDING UP FORCES FOR A PUSH IN THESE AREAS AGAINST TAEGU, ALLIED CENTRAL COMMUNICATIONS CENTER 12 MILES SOUTHWEST OF WAEGWAN.

A NORTH KOREAN PRISONER SAID THE REDS HAVE MOVED THE 16TH AND 17TH REGIMENTS OF THE COMMUNIST FOURTH DIVISION ACROSS THE RIVER.

"FIGHTING CONTINUED HEAVY IN AND AROUND THIS BRIDGEHEAD," MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID.

"THE TWO ROADBLOCKS REPORTED EARLIER ON THE ROAD TO MIRYANG CONTINUED TO HAMPER VEHICLE AND WIRE COMMUNICATIONS," HEADQUARTERS SAID.

"TASK FORCE KEAN CONTINUED TO BE PLAGUED BY HEAVY INFILTRATION OF ENEMY TROOPS AND GUERRILLAS DRESSED AS REFUGEES," THE RELEASE CONTINUED. IT SAID THEY ATTACKED SUPPORTING FIELD ARTILLERY UNITS IN REAR AREAS.

FIGHTING CONTINUED IN THE POHANG AREA, HEADQUARTERS SAID, BUT REPORTED THE SITUATION THERE "MUCH IMPROVED. ALLIED PLANES AND WARSHIPS POUNDED RED TRAFFIC MOVING SOUTH ALONG THE EAST COAST.

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ON THE SOUTHWEST FRONT, HEADQUARTERS SAID THAT MARINES DRIVING WEST FROM KOSONG CAPTURED 45 MOTORCYCLES, 24 FOREIGN-MADE JEEPS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT.

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BULLETIN

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SUNDAY, AUG.13-(AP)-AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY ORDERS HAVE BEEN GIVEN TO EVACUATE THE KEY AIRSTRIP AT POHANG ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA.

AMERICAN PLANES ALREADY HAVE BEGUN TO LEAVE THE AIRSTRIP, SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE FALLEN CITY.

AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES HAD BATTLED FOR TWO DAYS TO HOLD CONTROL OF THE FIELD FROM WHICH MUCH OF U.S. FIGHTER PLANES IN THAT AREA HAD OPERATED.

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HEADQUARTERS SAID IT HAD NO LATE INFORMATION ON THE GROUND FIGHTING AROUND THE AIRFIELD AND NEAR THE CITY ITSELF. LAST REPORTS FROM THE FRONT SAID THE AIRSTRIP WAS RINGED WITH U.S. TANKS AND INFANTRY FORCES.

THE COMMUNISTS WERE DRAWING NEARER THE FIELD, HEADQUARTERS REPORTED, BUT THE EXACT EXTENT OF THE ENEMY ADVANCES WAS NOT REPORTED EXCEPT IN ONE INSTANCE.

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HERE THE NORTH KOREANS REPORTEDLY HAD TAKEN A SMALL VILLAGE AND FROM THIS POSITION HAD PLACED THE AIRFIELD UNDER MORTAR FIRE MAKING THE EVACUATION NECESSARY.

OFFICERS EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT THE EVACUATION MIGHT BE ONLY TEMPORARY AND THAT U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES COULD CLEAR THE AREA OF RED TROOPS PERMITTING AMERICAN PLANES TO AGAIN USE THE STRIP.

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HOWEVER, HEADQUARTERS WAS NOT CLEAR---BECAUSE OF THE CONFUSED GROUND SITUATION---WHETHER U.S. TROOPS WOULD BE ABLE TO HURL BACK THE REDS. THIS IT WAS UNCERTAIN, THEY SAID, WHETHER EVACUATION OF THE FIELD WAS TEMPORARY OR MIGHT BE FOR A LONGER TIME.

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POHANG EVACUATION (140)

BY MAX DESFOR

(ASSOCIATED PRESS STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER)

POHANG AIRBASE, KOREA, AUG 13-(AP)-EVACUATION OF THIS AIRFIELD, ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT U.S. AIRSTRIPS IN KOREA, IS UNDERWAY.

BUT A TASK FORCE IS BEING LEFT TO KEEP THE FIELD IN READINESS IF AMERICAN PLANES ARE ABLE TO RETURN.

U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES STILL ARE FIGHTING IN THE AREA RINGING THE BASE WHICH IS SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF FALLEN POHANG.

THE EVACUATION WAS ORDERED BY MAJ. GEN. EARLE R. PARTRIDGE, COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE FIFTH AIRFORCE, AND WAS BEING CARRIED OUT BY COL. ROBERT WITTY, OF CLEVELAND, O.

THE REAR-GUARD TASK FORCE, UNDER COMMAND OF BRIG. GEN. J.S. BRADLEY, WILL STAY ON--ITS MISSION TO KEEP THE FIELD AS NEARLY USABLE AS POSSIBLE. THE FIELD ITSELF HAS BEEN UNDER ALMOST CONSTANT MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE.

BRADLEY SAID HE HAD ENOUGH SUPPLIES ON HAND FOR FIVE DAYS WITH AN ADDITIONAL FIVE DAYS' SUPPLY COMING IN. BUT THE ENTIRE PICTURE DEPENDED UPON THE RAGING GROUND ACTION IN THE POHANG AREA.

"WE CAN CONTINUE TO LIVE ON A SHOESTRING FOR FIVE MORE DAYS AND IF WE GET AN AIR DROP WE CAN CONTINUE TO HOLD ON AND KEEP THE STRIP SECURE IF THE AIRFORCE NEEDS IT AGAIN," BRADLEY SAID.

THE EVACUATION OF AIR PERSONNEL DOES NOT CHANGE THE MISSION OF HIS MEN, THE GENERAL SAID. THEY INTEND TO SAY AND KEEP THE STRIP.

MUSTANG FIGHTERS TOOK OFF AT 11:30 SUNDAY MORNING (7:30 P.M., EST, SATURDAY) ON THEIR FINAL MISSIONS FROM THIS FIELD. THEY STRUCK UNSPECIFIED TARGETS AND SET DOWN AT OTHER FIELDS IN KOREA.

NOTHING WAS BEING LEFT AT THE FIELD THAT COULD BE OF USE TO THE REDS SHOULD THEY CAPTURE IT.

HEAVY EQUIPMENT AND PERSONAL GEAR WAS BEING LOADED ON SHIPS AT KURYONGPO, A PORT SOUTHEAST OF POHANG. THEY WILL RETURN TO JAPAN. THREE SHIPS WERE AT THE PORT.

REDS WERE REPORTED IN POHANG THIS MORNING. A BRADLEY TASK FORCE PATROL UNIT CONSISTING OF LIGHT TANKS AND MOUNTED ACK-ACK GUNS MET NO RESISTANCE AND DREW NO FIRE NEAR KURYONGPO.

THE THREAT TO THE AIRSTRIP IS BASED ON REPORTS THAT THE COMMUNISTS ARE MOVING ARTILLERY ON THE ROAD TOWARD POHANG. THEY ARE REPORTED NEAR KIGYE.

ANTI-AIRCRAFT CREWS AT THE FIELD ARE BEING LEFT WITH THE TASK FORCE.

ENGINEERS ARE BEING EVACUATED TO PUSAN. AN ESTIMATED 1,200 MEN WILL BE MOVED FROM THE FIELD IN 50 TRANSPORT PLANES.

A SMALL FORCE OF SOUTH KOREAN SOLDIERS WHO HELD OUT IN POHANG THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT AND THIS MORNING WILL BE WITHDRAWN, POSSIBLY BY LST'S (LANDING SHIP TANKS).

THERE ARE REPORTS THAT ENEMY TROOPS NORTH OF POHANG ARE UNITS WHICH BROKE THROUGH AT YONGDOK.

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WITH POHANG (500)

BY HAL BOYLE

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POHANG AIRBASE, KOREA, AUG. 12-(DELAYED)-(AP)-A COLUMN OF AMERICAN TANKS -- LOST FOR A TIME BECAUSE THEY LACKED MAPS OF THE AREA WHERE THEY WERE OPERATING -- SAVED THIS VITAL AIRSTRIP AFTER SMASHING AN AMBUSH TO GET TO IT.

(SINCE THIS DISPATCH WAS WRITTEN, AIR FORCE PLANES HAVE EVACUATED THE POHANG AIRSTRIP LEAVING A REAR-GUARD OF GROUND FORCES TO HOLD IT, IF POSSIBLE, FOR FUTURE USE).

THEY SPENT 45 PUZZLED MINUTES LAST NIGHT UNDER SNIPER FIRE LAID DOWN BY RED TROOPS IN THE ENEMY-HELD CITY, SIX MILES NORTHWEST OF THE AIRFIELD. THEN THE TANKS FOUND THEIR WAY OUT OF TOWN IN A SORT OF PAUL REVERE TYPE OF RIDE.

"WE RODE THROUGH A SOLID WALL OF FLAME IN THE CITY," SAID LT. C.D. COURTNEY, OF HOUSTON, TEXAS, A TANK PLATOON COMMANDER WHO HELD UP SLIGHTLY BURNED HANDS.

"IT SINGED EVERYBODY AND CAUGHT FIRE TO A PIECE OF BAGGAGE ON THE REAR END OF ONE TANK," HE ADDED. "IT WAS THAT HOT."

SOME 70 OR MORE NEGRO DOUGHBOYS RIDING ON THE REAR OF OTHER TANKS ESCAPED THE BLISTERING ORDEAL UNHURT. THEY WERE PART OF THE SURVIVORS OF A CENTRAL PART OF THE COLUMN WHICH WAS AMBUSHED THE EVENING BEFORE SOME 10 MILES SOUTH OF POHANG.

IT WAS AT THE SAME SPOT THAT THE ENEMY TRIED A SECOND AMBUSH WITH MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE. THE SURPRISING APPEARANCE OF TANKS--UNSEEN BY THEM BEFORE--CAUGHT THE REDS FLATFOOTED. THEY COULDN'T FACE MASS FIRE BY THE ARMY AND BROKE AND RAN.

THE STORY WAS TOLD BY CAPT. JOSEPH PARRIGO OF NOROTOE HEIGHTS, CONN., A FARMER, OFFICER AND PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER WHO REJOINED THE ARMY "BECAUSE OF A SENSE OF ADVENTURE."

PARRIGO, UNSHAVEN, DUST-CAKED AND SHIRTLESS, SAID HE HAD JOINED THE TANK COLUMN JUST BEFORE IT STARTED ITS MARCH AFTER IT WAS HELD UP FOR SEVERAL HOURS TO BUILD A BRIDGE THAT WOULD TAKE THE WEIGHT OF THE TANKS.

THE COLUMN LOST ITS WAY IN ENEMY-OCCUPIED TERRITORY AND BURNING POHANG BECAUSE THE EMERGENCY NATURE OF THE MOVEMENT HADN'T GIVEN IT TIME TO GET FRESH MAPS.

CAPT. PARRIGO SAID HE HAD BROUGHT A NATIVE BOY FROM POHANG TO GUIDE THE COLUMN THROUGH THE CITY TO THE AIRPORT BUT THAT HE DISAPPEARED AFTER THE LEADING TANK FIRED A SMOKE SHELL DOWN THE MAIN STREET TO DISCOURAGE SNIPERS. THE TANK HAD RUN OUT OF HIGH EXPLOSIVE SHELLS.

PARRIGO SAID HE FINALLY FOUND THE BOY UNDER A PIECE OF FABRIC UNDER THE REAR END OF THE TANK.

"BY THEN WE HAD MADE THREE WRONG TURNS IN THE TOWN. BUT THE ENEMY WAS AFRAID OF TANKS--AND THE BOY STEERED US THE REST OF THE WAY TO THE AIRPORT."

"WE CAME TO THE AMBUSH POINT AND THE ENEMY MADE THE MISTAKE OF OPENING FIRE ON US," HE SAID. "APPARENTLY THEY HAD GONE INTO A SMALL VILLAGE TO PICK UP FOOD. ONE TANK CAUGHT A GROUP OF 60 OR MORE AS THEY RAN UNDER SOME TREES AND IT SLAUGHTERED THEM.

"WE HAD TO HALT THE COLUMN TO CLEAR AWAY ABOUT TEN OF OUR DAMAGED VEHICLES CAUGHT IN THE AMBUSH THERE THE NIGHT BEFORE. WE ALSO HAD TO REMOVE 20 TO 25 BODIES OF NEGRO AND WHITE AMERICAN SOLDIERS. ONE HAD BEEN GASHED BY A SWORD OR DAGGER. YOU KNOW SOME OF THEM (THE REDS) CARRY JAPANESE SWORDS. I WAS TOLD THAT ONE OF OUR SOLDIER'S HEAD HAD BEEN CUT OFF. I DIDN'T SEE IT BUT I DO BELIEVE IT."

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SOUTH KOREAN HERO (280)

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BY HAL BOYLE

POHANG AIR BASE IN KOREA, AUG. 12-(AP)-A NEW YOUNG HERO OF THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY MARCHED TONIGHT TOWARD THE LIBERATION OF FIRE-GUTTED POHANG.

THE COMMANDER OF A VETERAN SOUTH KOREA OUTFIT PUSHED STEADILY NORTHWARD THROUGH THE HILLS BORDERING THE HIGHWAY FROM ANGANG. HE DROVE TOWARD A JUNCTION WITH A STRONG AMERICAN ARMORED TASK FORCE WHICH RODE THROUGH THREE AMBUSHES TO SAVE THIS VITAL FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER BASE SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG.

AN IRON RING OF TANKS, ARTILLERY, ACK-ACK GUNS AND DOUGHBOYS HELD THE AIRBASE SECURELY AFTER A NIGHT OF TERROR. THIS MORNING THE TORCH WAS PUT TO 60 ABANDONED HOMES WITHIN 40 YARDS OF THE END OF THE AIRSTRIP. GUERRILLAS DISGUISED AS REFUGEES HAD CREPT INTO THE HOMES AND OPENED FIRE LAST NIGHT.

TO REACH THE AIRBASE LAST NIGHT THE AMERICAN TANK COLUMN WHEELED THROUGH WALLS OF SCORCHING FLAME AND SNIPER FIRE IN POHANG ITSELF.

AND TODAY AS MUSTANG FIGHTER PLANES TOOK OFF IN BREAKS BETWEEN AMERICAN HOWITZER FIRE THUNDERING AGAINST GUERRILLA INFILTRATED HILLS WEST OF THE FIELD, THE ARMORED COLUMN PUSHED BACK TO A RIDGE WITHIN ONE AND A HALF MILES OF POHANG. THE TANK COLUMN WAS PRECEDED BY PATROLS FROM A NEGRO INFANTRY UNIT.

LEADING A BATTLE-HARDENED SOUTH KOREAN ARMY ELEMENT TOWARDS SMOKE BLACKENED POHANG--ONE THIRD IN RUINS--WAS KIM HI CHE, A 28-YEAR-OLD COLONEL WHOSE ELECTRIC PERSONALITY AND SUCCESS IN COMBAT HAS MADE HIM A KIND OF MILITARY GEORGE WASHINGTON OR U.S. GRANT IN KOREA.

THREE DIVISIONS OF THE AMERICAN ARMY WHO HAVE HAD HIM WITH THEM QUARRELLED TO HAVE HIM BACK--AND EVERY HIGHER COMMANDER OF THE KOREAN ARMY ALSO HAS TRIED TO HAVE KIM PERMANENTLY ATTACHED TO HIS FORCE.

WHEREVER HE GOES--SO HAS HIS FAME SPREAD--THAT CIVILIANS VOLUNTEER TO JOIN HIM. THEREFORE HE RAISES HIS OWN REPLACEMENTS AS HE MARCHES--AND HIS UNITS NEVER LACK FOR SOLDIERS.

A JUNCTION OF HIS TROOPS WITH AMERICAN ARMOR AT POHANG WOULD SCISSOR OFF ANY REDS CAUGHT TRYING TO CARRY OUT AN AMBITIOUS NORTH KOREAN ENCIRCLEMENT AIMED AT CAPTURING KYONGJU AND SWEEPING EASTWARD TO JAPAN SEA.

KYONGJU IS A RAIL AND HIGHWAY JUNCTION 15 MILES SOUTHWEST OF POHANG.

AMERICAN OFFICERS REPORT THERE IS EVIDENCE THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE SUCH A GRANDEOSE PLAN.

IF SUCCESSFUL, SUCH A MANEUVER WOULD TRAP ALL UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN A 42-MILE COASTAL CORRIDOR FROM KAMPO TO THE BITTERLY FLUID YONGDOK AREA. KAMPO IS 17 MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG.

THE BEST BET, AS OF THE MOMENT, IS THAT THE RED PLAN WOULD FAIL. AN EQUALLY GOOD BET WAS THAT RECAPTURE OF POHANG IN A "DOUBLE ENVELOPMENT" BY UNITED NATIONS FORCES WOULD BAG A DISAPPOINTLY SMALL NUMBER OF PRISONERS.

THE SOUTHWARD REACHING ARM OF THE RED PINCER WAS ONLY TENTATIVE. THE ENEMY HAD NOT PUT HIS FULL POWER BEHIND IT. IT WAS ONLY ONE OF SEEMINGLY ENDLESS SERIES OF OCTOPUS TENTACLES THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE THROWN OUT IN FEELER REACHES. THEY APPARENTLY SEEK AN OPPORTUNITY TO SWALLOW THE FORCE BEFORE THEM AND BREAK THROUGH TO CENTRAL TAEGU OR PUSAN, THE HEART PUMP SUPPLY PORT FOR AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.

THESE TENTACLES HAVE LASHED OUT AROUND THE ENTIRE PERIMETER OF THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE SEEKING A WEAK SPOT THAT WOULD OPEN AN AVENUE TO VICTORY.

IN NO PLACE HAVE THE REDS SUCCEEDED. BUT IN NO PLACE HAVE THEY COMMITTED ENOUGH FORCE TO SAP THEIR STRENGTH EXCEPT BY THE PIECEMEAL LOSS OF RELATIVELY SMALL UNITS. BUT THEY HAVE SUCCEEDED IN KEEPING UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ON A DIZZY DEFENSIVE EXCEPT FOR THE RECENT MORALE BOOSTING OFFENSIVE IN THE SOUTH TOWARD CHINJU.

I FLEW TWICE OVER POHANG TODAY AND SMELLED THE THICK ODOR OF SMUDGY WOOD FIRES AND OLD BUILDINGS BURNING FOR TWO DAYS. BUT I SAW ONLY A FEW SCATTERED PEOPLE BELOW--AND NO VEHICLES.

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ALLIED PATROLS REPORTED THE TOWN APPEARED LIGHTLY HELD BY GUERRILLA FORCES. THE FACT THAT PLANES FROM THE NEARBY AMERICAN AIR-?-'3 NO LONGER ATTACKED THE CITY DIRECTLY WAS INDICATION THAT NO MAJOR ENEMY STRIKING FORCE HAD BEEN LOCATED THERE.

BARRING A FURTHER AND SECOND SURPRISE PUSH BY THE REDS WHO BROKE THROUGH THREE DAYS AGO IN A SUDDEN DRIVE BEYOND KIGYE, NORTHWEST OF POHANG, THE DANGER OF A DISASTROUS BREAKTHROUGH SEEMED TO BE SEALED OFF.

BUT IN MILITARY PARLANCE WITHDRAWAL OF THE NORTHERN DEFENSE LINE UNDER PRESSURE WAS IN PROSPECT.

TO CONTINUE TO PROTECT THE VITAL AMERICAN AIRBASE HERE THAT DEFENSE LINE WOULD HAVE TO START FROM THE SEA SOMEWHERE NORTH OF POHANG AND SWEEP WESTWARD TO WAEGWAN, THE PRESENT WESTWARD ANCHOR OF THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE.

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BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID TODAY THE ONLY SERIOUS THREAT TO THE AMERICAN ADVANCE ON THE SOUTHE FRONT CAME FROM AN ESTIMATED 1,000 TRAPPED RED TROOPS.

THE REDS LAUNCHED A HEAVY ATTACK AGAINST SOUTH KOREAN FORCES 12 MILES BEHIND LEADING ELEMENTS OF THE AMERICAN ADVANCE TOWARD CHINJU ON THIS FRONT.

MARINES CAPTURED NUMEROUS NORTH KOREAN VEHICLES ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK.

SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS MADE SMALL GAINS BY COUNTERATTACKING IN THE POHANG SECTOR OF THE NORTHEASTERN FRONT, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

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HEADQUARTERS REPORTED REINFORCEMENTS HAVE BEEN RUSHED TO THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT WHERE THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION IS TRYING TO KNOCK OUT THE ONLY MAJOR COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD EAST OF THE STREAM.

A RED CROSSING THIS MORNING FARTHUR NORTH ON THE NAKTONG WAS POUNDED HEAVILY BY FIRST DIVISION ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE. THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE REDS WERE REPORTED WITHDRAWING. BUT THE COMMUNISTS MADE SEVERAL MORE CROSSINGS, BUILDING UP A FORCE OF 1,000 MEN IN THE SECTOR DEFENDED BY THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION.

HEADQUARTERS SAID TROOPS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION THREW BACK A TANK-LED COMMUNIST ATTACK ON ITS RIGHT FLANK. THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST IS JUST NORTH OF THE CAVALRY ON THE NAKTONG FRONT.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AERIAL

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 13-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN RAILWAYS TOOK A TERRIFIC POUNDING YESTERDAY FROM ALLIED AIRCRAFT IN STRATEGIC AND TACTICAL STRIKES, WHICH SWEPT VIRTUALLY TO THE DOORSTEP OF RUSSIAN SIBERIA, AIR FORCE AND NAVAL HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY.

FIVE RED PLANES ALSO WERE DESTROYED ON THE GROUND AND FIVE OTHERS DAMAGED.

U.S. SUPERFORTRESS BOMBERS RAIDED THE PORT AND RAIL CITY OF NAJIN IN NORTHEASTERN KOREA, ONLY 17 MILES FROM RUSSIAN TERRITORY. IT WAS THE NORTHERNMOST ATTACK OF THE WAR FOR THE FAR-RANGING BOMBERS.

OTHER B-29S CONCENTRATED ON RAIL AND HIGHWAY LINES AND BRIDGES IN WIDESPREAD ATTACKS IN NORTH KOREA. THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT HAMCHUNG ON THE EAST COAST WERE HIT.

FAR EAST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS SAID THE RELENTLESS CAMPAIGN HAS HAD A "PARALYZING EFFECT" ON THE RED EAST COAST TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM. IT SAID NOT A SINGLE TRAIN WAS MOVING SATURDAY OVER 250 MILES OF KEY RAIL LINES.

NAVY CARRIER PILOTS ALSO TOOK A HEAVY TOLL OF RED ROLLING STOCK. FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS REPORTED THREE LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED AND TWO DAMAGED; 25 BOX CARS EXPLODED, 27 SET AFIRE AND 43 RAILROAD CARS DAMAGED.

NAVY PILOTS DESTROYED FIVE RUSSIAN-MADE YAK FIGHTERS ON THE GROUND AND DAMAGED FIVE OTHERS. THEY ALSO CLAIMED 22 TRUCKS DESTROYED AND 40 WAREHOUSES DESTROYED OR DAMAGED.

U.S. AIR FORCE LIGHT BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS ALSO ATTACKED RED RAIL TARGETS, TROOP AND SUPPLY CONVOYS AND VEHICLES IN DAY AND NIGHT OPERATIONS. THIRTY-SIX TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES AND 10 TANKS WERE REPORTED DAMAGED BY THE FIFTH AIR FORCE.

THE FEAF SUMMARY SAID FOUR MORE TANKS NOT CLAIMED BY PILOTS WERE CREDITED TO THE FIGHTERS BY SOUTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS. AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE AND U.S. NAVY CARRIER PLANES ALSO TOOK PART IN CLOSE GROUND SUPPORT OPERATIONS SATURDAY.

FEAF SAID NO RED AIRCRAFT WERE SEEN ON THE GROUND OR IN THE AIR. NO ALLIED PLANES WERE REPORTED LOST.

NAJIN, ONE OF THE BEST PORTS ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA, IS 17 MILES SOUTH OF THE MEETING PLACE OF THE BORDERS OF KOREA, MANCHURIA AND RUSSIA'S MARITIME TERRITORY. IT IS 110 MILES SOUTHWEST OF VLADIVOSTOK.

ON THIS NORTHERNMOST MISSION OF THE WAR, THE B-29S STRUCK BY RADAR IN HEAVY OVERCAST.

THE BOMBER CREWS SAID ON THEIR RETURN TO BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA THAT THEY WERE UNABLE TO SEE THE RESULTS OF THE ATTACK.

U.S. NAVY TWIN-ENGINE NEPTUNE PLANES SET TEN ENEMY SHIPS AFIRE OFF THE NORTH KOREA EAST COAST FRIDAY. THE VESSELS WERE CAUGHT IN A 165-MILE STRETCH FROM WONSAN, 80 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, TO MUSUDAN, 80 MILES SOUTH OF THE NORTHERN TIP OF THE KOREAN COAST.

THE U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE REPORTED ITS TACTICAL PLANES DESTROYED SIX RED TANKS, DAMAGED 12 OTHERS, AND WRECKED MUCH ENEMY EQUIPMENT IN 200 SORTIES SATURDAY ALONG THE BATTLE FRONT.

THEY ALSO INFLICTED HEAVY CASUALTIES ON GUERRILLAS THREATENING THE AMERICAN EAST COAST AIRSTRIP NEAR POHANG.

U.S. AIRMEN REPORTED SIGHTING FOUR COMMUNIST PLANES FLYING WEST OF THE UNITED NATIONS' NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE ON FRIDAY. IT WAS THE FIRST REPORT OF AIRBORNE ENEMY PLANES SINCE EARLY IN THE WAR. ALLIED AIRMEN HAVE BEEN OPERATING VIRTUALLY UNCHALLENGED.

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KOREAN AERIAL (380)

TOKYO, AUG. 12-(AP)-A POWERFUL FORCE OF B-29S, STRIKING WITHIN 17 MILES OF SOVIET RUSSIAN TERRITORY, BLASTED THE NORTH KOREAN PORT CITY OF NAJIN WITH 500 TONS OF BOMBS TODAY.

IT WAS THE NORTHERNMOST BLOW AMERICAN FORCES HAVE STRUCK IN THE KOREAN WAR.

THE RAID CARRIED AMERICAN BOMBERS TO WITH 110 MILES OF VLADIVOSTOK. NAJIN IS JUST 17 MILES FROM A JUNCTION OF THE BORDERS OF NORTH KOREA, MANCHURIA AND SOVIET RUSSIA'S MARITIME TERRITORY.

THE SUPERFORTS CAME IN FROM SEA IN FORMATION THROUGH A HEAVY OVERCAST AND BOMBED BY RADAR.

PILOTS, RETURNING TO THEIR BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA, SAID THEY COULD NOT SEE THE RESULTS OF THEIR ATTACK ON THE EAST COAST PORT CITY AND RAILWAY CENTER.

THE RAID WAS CARRIED OUT AT NOON, THE DAY AFTER NAVAL PATROL BOMBERS SET 10 ENEMY SHIPS AFIRE OFF THE NORTH KOREAN COAST.

TWIN-ENGINE NEPTUNE PLANES, HUNTING DOWN COMMUNIST SHIPS, CAUGHT THE COASTAL VESSELS IN A 165 MILE STRETCH OF THE SEA OF JAPAN BETWEEN WONSAN AND MUSUDAN. WONSAN IS 80 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. MUSUDAN IS 80 MILES FROM THE NORTHERN TIP OF THE KOREAN COAST.

PILOTS OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE REPORTED THEY KNOCKED OUT SIX RED TANKS, DAMAGED 12 OTHERS, AND WRECKED MUCH EQUIPMENT IN 200 SORTIES SATURDAY ALONG THE BATTLEFRONT.

IN ADDITION TO THE TANKS AIRMEN SAID THEY KNOCKED OUT, SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS SAID AIRMEN DISABLED THREE RED TANKS IN THE WAEGWAN AREA OF THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE. SOUTH KOREAN TANKS ACCOUNTED FOR TWO MORE.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE SAID HEAVY CASUALTIES WERE INFLICTED ON GUERRILLAS BY AMERICAN FIGHTER PLANES DEFENDING THEIR POHANG AIR STRIP ON THE EAST COAST.

SATURDAY'S STRIKES COVERED THE LENGTH OF THE FRONT, FROM THE YONGDOK AREA IN THE NORTHEAST TO THE CHINJU AREA OF THE SOUTHWEST. SIX TANKS AND A NUMBER OF VEHICLES IN THE HANDS OF REDS TRAPPED IN THE SOUTHWEST WERE SHOT UP BY RAIDING AIRMEN.

WHILE ALLIED PLANES RAKED AND BOMBED RED COMMUNICATIONS AND TROOPS ALMOST UNCHALLENGED FRIDAY, AMERICAN FLIERS REPORTED FINDING AN INCREASED NUMBER OF ENEMY PLANES.

FOUR COMMUNIST AIRCRAFT WERE REPORTED FLYING WEST OF THE UNITED NATIONS NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE. THREE RUSSIAN-MADE YAKS WERE DESTROYED ON THE GROUND.

B29S CENTERED THEIR ATTACK FRIDAY ON MORE THAN 20 RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES "OF PARTICULAR VALUE" TO THE NORTH KOREANS. MORE SUPERFORTS RETURNED TO THIS ATTACK SATURDAY. SMALLER FIFTH AIR FORCE PLANES JOINED WITH THEIR ROCKETS AND BOMBS IN THE AERIAL CAMPAIGN AIMED AT "CUTTING THE FLOW OF SUPPLIES AND MATERIAL TO A MINIMUM" FOR THE REDS' EXTENDED ARMIES.

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FIFTH AIR FORCE AND MARINE PLANES STRAFED AND BOMBED A "LARGE NUMBER OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS," AND REPORTED A COMBINED BAG OF 91 VEHICLES AND FIVE LOCOMOTIVES. MARINE PLANES ACCOUNTED FOR HALF THE VEHICLES WHEN THEY CAUGHT AN ENEMY CONVOY ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT FLEEING ALONG THE KOSONG-SACHON HIGHWAY TOWARD CHINJU.

CLOSEST SUPPORT OF FRONT LINE FIGHTING WAS IN THE SOUTHERN SECTORS AND IN THE BATTLE FOR THE U.S. AIR FIELD AT POHANG.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE'S TOTAL OF 340 COMBAT SORTIES INCLUDED 40 NIGHT FLIGHTS--A RECORD FOR THE KOREAN WAR.

IN AN ALMOST UNNOTICED SEGMENT OF THE AERIAL PART OF THE WAR, CARGO AIRCRAFT BROUGHT 110 TONS OF PRIORITY SUPPLIES TO KOREAN BASES.

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A46FX
BULLETIN
AERIAL
TOKYO, AUG. 12-(AP)-A POWERFUL FORCE OF B-29S, FLYING IN FORMATON, BOMBED NAJIN, IMPORTANT NORTH KOREAN SEAPORT AND RAILWAY CENTER AT NOON SATURDAY.
FIVE HUNDRED TONS OF BOMBS WERE TDR
FIVE HUNDRED TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON THE CITY, ONLY 17 MILES FROM THE MANCHURIAN BORDER, THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED.
THE PLANES COMING FROM BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA, BOMBED BY RADAR AFTER A HEAVY OVERCAST OBSCURED THEIR TARGET.

A48FX
THE TOWN IS ON A PROMONTORY PLAINLY VISIBLE ON RADAR SCREENS.
OTHER SUPERFORTS CONTINUED BOMBING THE RED RAIL NETWORK NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL IN AN EFFORT TO CUT OFF SUPPLIES TO THE EXTENDED ENEMY LINES.
WN217APD

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B69KX (Q)
(120)
U.S.24TH INFANTRY DIVISION HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG 12 (AP)-TWELVE ENLISTED MEN AND FIVE OFFICERS WERE DECORATED FOR VALOR IN ACTION IN THE FIGHTING AROUND TAEJON AND YONGDONG, 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
FIVE SILVER STARS, 11 BRONZE STARS AND AN OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR WERE AWARDED. THREE OF THE DECORATIONS WERE AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY.
PVT. CHARLES G.HARVEY, WHOSE MOTHER LIVES AT 2554 S. MILLICK ST., PHILADELPHIA, WAS AWARDED THE BRONZE STAR FOR HEROIC CONDUCT AT TAEJON.
A SILVER STAR WAS AWARDED TO MAJ. PAUL E.ALBAN, VAN WERT, OHIO.
BRONZE STARS WERE GIVEN TO CPL. DONALD C. BLACK, TRENTON, N.J.; CPL. PORTER WALKER, COLUMBIA S.D.; SGT. WILLIAM A.CHECK, STEVENS POINT, WIS., PFC. JAMES A.VANHOOSE, PORTSMOUTH, OHIO; SGT. FOSTER W.ORR, NEW YORK CITY; CPL. LEWIS J.CASTINE, HAVERHILL, MASS., AND PVT. JOHN T.STOFFEL, CINCINNATI, OHIO.
NN909ACS

B101KX Q
NY FOR RICHMOND (150)
BY O.H.P.KING
WITH U.S.24TH DIVISION IN KOREA,AUG 12 (AP)-WATERMELONS IN VIRGINIA ARE TEN TIMES AS LARGE AND THREE TIMES AS SWEET AS THOSE IN KOREA, IN THE OPINION OF PFC.FRANK J.RATCLIFFE, 22, WHOSE FATHER, F.H.RATCLIFFE, LIVES AT 406 THIRD ST., EAST RADFORD, VA.
RATCLIFFE WAS CARRYING SIX MELONS WHEN HE MET THIS CORRESPONDENT. THE LARGEST WAS SOMEWHAT SMALLER THAN A BOWLING BALL.
"BACK HOME WE REALLY HAVE GOOD WATERMELON," THE SOLDIER SAID. "SWEET--BOY THEY'RE SWEET!
"THIS IS MY SECOND TRIP. I'M GETTING THESE FOR THE BOYS OF AN A. AND P. PLATOON (AMMUNITION AND PIONEER EQUIPMENT PLATOON--PIONEER EQUIPMENT INCLUDES SUCH THINGS AS ENTRENCHING TOOLS) I'M THE ONE TO GET THEM BECAUSE I HAD CIGARETTES."
SOLDIERS HERE SELDOM HAVE CURRENCY OF THE LAND AND THEY BARTER AMERICAN ARTICLES FOR THINGS LIKE WATERMELONS.
HE EXPLAINED THERE WERE 18 MEN IN HIS PLATOON AND HE FIGURED 11 MELONS WOULD DO BECAUSE THAT IS ALL HE COULD GET WITH THE CIGARETTES HE HAD.
GG1252PCS

A105KX (240)
BY O.H.P.KING
WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA,AUG.12-(DELAYED)-(AP)-THE COMMANDER OF THE U.S. 8TH ARMY, LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER, TODAY VISITED THIS SECTOR AND PRAISED THE 24TH DIVISION FOR ITS FIGHTING ROLE IN THE KOREAN WAR.
WALKER SPENT 30 MINUTES AT THE HEADQUARTERS OF MAJ.GEN.JOHN H. CHURCH, COMMANDING THE 24TH ALONG THE CENTRAL FRONT. LATER THE 8TH ARMY CHIEFTAIN TOLD CORRESPONDENTS:
"THE 24TH DIVISION HAS BORNE THE BRUNT OF THE FIGHTING FROM OSAN ON DOWN. IT WAS BROUGHT IN PIECEMEAL AND SUFFERED DEFEAT AFTER DEFEAT DOWN TO TAEJON."
NONETHELESS, HE SAID, THE 24TH HAD DONE MORE THAN ITS PART IN HOLDING THE LINE AGAINST A "GREAT PREPONDERANCE OF FORCES."
"IT WAS INTENDED TO GIVE THE MEN A REST WHEN THEY WERE MOVED SOUTH BUT THE ENEMY BROKE THROUGH ON THE LEFT FLANK AND AGAIN THE 24TH WAS IN ONE OF THE HOTTEST SECTORS OF THE WAR."
WALKER SAID THE DIVISION WAS MOVED AGAIN TO GIVE IT A REST "AND NOW THIS HAS BECOME ONE OF THE HARDEST OF ALL FIGHTING SPOTS."
THE GENERAL SAID AMERICAN FORCES HAVE BEEN STRUGGLING TO HOLD FAST SINCE JULY 1 BUT THE ENEMY "HAS A GREAT PREPONDERANCE OF FORCES AND IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO HAVE ENOUGH STRENGTH EVERTYWHERE ALONG THE LINES. THEY PICK THE WEAK SPOTS TO STRIKE."
GENERAL WALKER SAID HE STILL IS CONFIDENT OF ULTIMATE VICTORY BUT CONCEDED IT WOULD BE SOME TIME BEFORE THE NORTH KOREANS FORCES ARE PUT TO FLIGHT.
THE GENERAL DECLINED TO SPECULATE WHETHER THE CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE BY THE COMMUNISTS WOULD BE STRAIGHTENED OUT IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS OR WHETHER A DEEPER DEFENSIVE POSITION WOULD BE NECESSARY.
EW916PCS

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A101FX
WITH U.S. 25TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 12-(AP)-TWO NORTH KOREAN LIEUTENANTS WALKED INTO AMERICAN LINES TODAY WAVING "SAFE CONDUCT PASSES" AND SURRENDERED.
AMERICAN PLANES HAVE SPRINKLED THE PASSES LIBERALLY OVER ENEMY LINES. THEY ARE INVITATIONS TO SURRENDER.
THE TWO LIEUTENANTS WERE THE FIRST NORTH KOREANS TO USE THEM. HERETOFORE FEW RED OFFICERS HAVE BEEN TAKEN PRISONER AND NONE SURRENDERED VOLUNTARILY.
THE LIEUTENANTS WERE WAVING THE RED COLORED PASSES OVER THEIR HEADS AS THEY CAME TOWARD POSITIONS OF THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM.
JJ635APD

B102KX Q
PX (120)
WITH U.S.25TH DIVISION IN KOREA,AUG 12 (AP)-A PENNSYLVANIA MASTER SERGEANT AND HIS DETACHMENT WERE BILLIONAIRES BRIEFLY.
CLOSE BEHIND THE FRONT, M/SGT.JOSEPH ZUPAN OF DAISEYTOWN, PA., AND HIS MEN SAW FOUR KOREANS CARRYING A STRAW-COVERED PACKAGE. THEY RIPPED IT OPEN AND FOUND 7,700,000 (BILLION) SOUTH KOREAN WON. THAT IS EQUAL TO ABOUT $3,500,000 U.S.
HAPPILY THEY TOOK THEIR FIND TO A COMMAND POST, AND THERE CAME THE ANTICLIMAX:
THE CURRENCY WAS THE ENTIRE CAPITAL OF A LOCAL BANK. THE BANKER HAD HIDDEN IT IN THE COUNTRY WHEN THE REDS CAME, BUT WAS SO ENCOURAGED BY THE AMERICAN SOUTHERN-FRONT DRIVE THAT HE WAS TAKING HIS MONEY BACK TO REOPEN THE BANK WHEN THE AMERICANS JUMPED HIM.
THE BILLIONAIRE GI'S HAD TO GIVE IT ALL BACK.
GG1254PCS NM

A40KX
(WEST OUT)
A U.S.AIRBASE IN KOREA, AUG.12-(AP)-AIR FORCE LT.JOSEPH C.MILES OF HARLEM, GA., WAS HIT BY A ROCKET HE FIRED FROM HIS OWN MUSTANG FIGHTER.
MILES BROUGHT BACK A 50-POUND CHUNK OF ROCKET TO PROVE IT. THE AIRMAN FIRED THE MISSILE AND HIT A RED TANK.
ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY HE FELT A HEAVY JOLT THROUGH HIS PLANE. WHEN HE TRIED TO LOWER HIS WHEELS FOR A LANDING, HE LEARNED THE REASON.
A CHUNK OF ROCKET APPARENTLY RICOCHETED FROM THE TANK AND LODGED IN THE PLANE'S WHEEL-WELL.
MILES LANDED SAFELY.
XB256ACS

B64KX (Q)
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U.S.FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG 12 (AP)-CAPT.CHARLES E.BROWN, 33, CHICAGO, BAILED OUT OF HIS MUSTANG FIGHTER FRIDAY BEHIND KOREAN COMMUNIST LINES NORTH OF WAEGWAN ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT.
HIS ANKLE BADLY SPRAINED, BROWN CRAWLED FOR A HALF MILE THROUGH ENEMY LINES. THEN HE WAS PICKED UP BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.
THEY TOOK HIM BY JEEP TO A HELICOPTER. BROWN WAS FLOWN TO AN AMERICAN AIR BASE--AND THEN TO JAPAN WHERE HE IS IN AN ARMY HOSPITAL.
GG856ACS

A145KX
(WEST OUT)
MARINES (280)
BY DON WHITEHEAD
WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA, AUG. 12-(AP)-MARINE LT. KARL F. SYDELL PLAYED FOUR YEARS OF FOOTBALL FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON BUT THE BIG GUY NEVER HAD IT SO ROUGH AS HE DID THIS AFTERNOON AT THE WRONG END OF A NORTH KOREAN MACHINEGUN.
SYDELL AND TWO OTHER MARINES WERE DRIVEN TO COVER BY A RED MACHINEGUNNER WHO HIMSELF WAS UNDER AMERICAN AIR FIRE. THEY WERE STRAFED BY AMERICAN PLANES AND NONE GOT A SCRATCH. IT HAPPENED THIS WAY:
SYDELL WAS ON HIS WAY TO THE FRONT BY JEEP WITH MARINE COMBAT PHOTOGRAPHERS, SGT. FRANK KERR, YAKIMA, WASH., AND CPL. JOHN FLYNN, 859 42ND AVE., SAN FRANCISCO.
THE TRIO ROUNDED A BEND IN THE ROAD AND A RED MACHINEGUNNER OPENED FIRE ON THEM, SPATTERING THE JEEP WITH BULLETS. SYDELL WAS DRIVING. HE SLAPPED THE JEEP INTO REVERSE AND TORE THROUGH RICE PADDIES INTO A VILLAGE.
BUT TWO OTHER MACHINEGUNS OPENED FIRE. THE JEEP WAS HIT AGAIN AND CAUGHT FIRE. SO SYDELL AND HIS BUDDIES RACED INTO A BAMBOO GROVE AND THREW THEMSELVES ON THE GROUND WITH MACHINEGUN BULLETS RIPPING OVERHEAD.
FOR SIX HOURS THEY LAY THERE. AND THEN OUR OWN PLANES ROARED IN, TO STRAFING THE AREA. THE MARINES COULD DO NOTHING BUT LIE THERE AND TAKE IT.
AN ARMY TANK APPEARED
AFTER SIX INTERMINABLE HOURS, THEY RACED OUT AND JUMPED ABOARD THE TANK. SYDELL POINTED OUT ONE MACHINEGUN POSITION TO THE TANKMEN--BUT THEIR MISSION WAS TO EVACUATE WOUNDED FROM THE BATTLE AREA AND THEY COULDN'T STOP TO ENGAGE THE ENEMY.
LATER SYDELL CAME BACK WITH THE TANK AND POINTED OUT THE POSITION BUT THE RED GUNNERS HAD DISAPPEARED INTO THE HILLS.
SYDELL SAID WRYLY "I COULDN'T COMPARE IT TO AN AFTERNOON OF FOOTBALL."
SYDELL TIPS THE SCALES AT 210 POUNDS AND PLAYED GUARD FOR THE WASHINGTON TEAM. HE IS A GRADUATE OF THE EAST DENVER, COLO. HIGHSCHOOL. HIS FATHER, FRANK SYDELL, IS A RETIRED ARMY COLONEL ON THE LEGAL STAFF AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS.
NN943ACS NM

A147KX
(WEST OUT)
TOKYO, SUNDAY,AUG.13-(AP)-BIG C-119 "FLYING BOXCAR" TRANSPORT PLANES TODAY BEGAN FLYING SUPPLIES INTO KOREA.
TWO OF THE HUGE TWIN-ENGINE PLANES--EACH CARRYING A TWO-AND-A-HALF TON TRUCK--LANDED AT A FORWARD AIRBASE. THE TRUCKS WERE PRESENTED TO SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE IN CEREMONIES AT THE FIELD.
LT.COL.FRANKLIN R.SIBERT, OF THE U.S. 8TH ARMY STAFF, MADE THE PRESENTATION WHICH WAS ATTENDED BY U.S.AMBASSADOR JOHN MUCCIO AND OTHER AMERICAN AND KOREAN OFFICIALS.
THE FIRST C-119 TO LAND WAS PILOTED BY CAPT.JAMES L.HILL OF TULSA, OKLA. THE SECOND WAS FLOWN BY LT.ALBERT R.SAMSA, OF CHISHOLM, MINN.
XB1235ACS NM

A81KX
(100)
TOKYO,SUNDAY,AUG. 13-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR TODAY COMMENDED THE MEN OF HIS COMMAND WHO STAGED THE EVACUATION OF MORE THAN 2,000 AMERICAN CIVILIANS IN THE EARLY DAYS OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING.
HE PASSED ALONG A PERSONAL "WELL DONE" MESSAGE TO THE PERSONNEL WHO CARRIED OUT THE TRANSFER OF U.S.CITIZENS FROM KOREA TO JAPAN. THE STATEMENT PRAISED ALL HANDS ON THE SPEED AND SUCCESS OF THE EVACUATION WHICH THE GENERAL SAID RESULTED FROM "THOROUGH PLANNING AND EXEMPLARY EXECUTION."
MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT WAS MADE PUBLIC ALONG WITH A LETTER FROM JOHN J.MUCCIO, U.S.AMBASSADOR TO SOUTH KOREA, WHO ALSO COMMENDED THOSE PARTICIPATING IN THE EVACUATION OPERATION.
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A8KX
BY RELMAN MORIN (400)

TOKYO,AUG 12 (AP)-THE LITTLE GIRL STOOD IN THE WAITING ROOM AT THE AIRPORT, WIDE-EYED WITH THE EXCITEMENT OF AIRPLANES, LOUD-SPEAKERS, SOLDIERS COMING AND GOING, AND ALL THE OTHER LITTLE CHILDREN.

SHE WAS ABOUT SEVEN. SHE WORE A PINK PLAYSUIT, AND HER EYES SPARKLED BEHIND SPECTACLES WITH BLONDE RIMS THE COLOR OF HER HAIR.

SUDDENLY, HALF DANCING, SHE SKIPPED ACROSS THE ROOM TO A WOMAN SITTING IN ONE OF THE BIG LEATHER CHAIRS.

"WHEN DO WE GO, MOMMY?" SHE ASKED "AND WHERE'S DADDY? ISN'T DADDY COMING WITH US?"

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FOR A MOMENT THE WOMAN SIMPLY SAT THERE, UNMOVING, WITH STONY EYES STARING OUT THROUGH THE GREAT CURVING GLASS FRONT.

THEN SUDDENLY SHE BURIED HER FACE IN HER HANDS AND HER SHOULDERS QUIVERED.

A RED CROSS WORKER HURRIED TO THE WOMAN'S SIDE. A SECOND WORKER TOOK THE LITTLE GIRL BY THE HAND. THEY PERSUADED THE WOMAN TO GO INTO THE ROOM WITH THE SIGN "DEPENDENT'S LOUNGE."

THROUGH HER TEARS SHE WAS SAYING: "I HEARD FROM HIS COMMANDING OFFICER. SHE SAID HE WAS KILLED INSTANTLY. HE DIDN'T SUFFER. I HOPE THEY BURIED HIM. THEY WILL KNOW WHERE TO FIND HIS GRAVE, WON'T THEY?"

SHE WAS A WAR WIDOW. ONLY A WEEK AGO SHE HAD BEEN A SOLDIER'S WIFE LIVING IN JAPAN WITH THEIR LITTLE GIRL. NOW SHE WAS WAITING FOR A PLANE TO TAKE THEM HOME.

TWO AND SOMETIMES THREE PLANES A DAY ARE LEAVING HANEDA AIRPORT NOW, TAKING WOMEN AND CHILDREN BACK FROM THE ORIENT UNDER SPECIAL ARMY ORDERS. NOT ALL OF THEM ARE "CASUALTY EVACS" AS THE NURSES SAY. THE MAJORITY ARE SIMPLY FAMILIES BEING SENT HOME BY THEIR HUSBANDS IN THE SERVICES.

THEY CAN ONLY TAKE A LITTLE BAGGAGE. THEY SELDOM COME EQUIPPED WITH ENOUGH STERILE BOTTLES, DIAPERS AND FORMULAE TO LAST THE TRIP. THEY DON'T KNOW WHERE TO CHANGE THEIR MONEY OR HOW TO HAVE THEIR CLEARANCE PAPERS CHECKED OR WHAT INOCULATIONS ARE NECESSARY.

THE MAJORITY ARE FRIGHTENED, LONELY, HELPLESS.

THREE VOLUNTEER RED CROSS WORKERS HAVE TAKEN ON THE JOB OF HELPING THEM. THEY ARE MRS.R.G.WINTERS OF LOS ANGELES, MRS.ARLENE PARTON OF SALT LAKE CITY AND MRS.CORENE MCCLELLAND OF BEAUMONT, TEX.

"YOU CAN'T ALWAYS TELL A CASUALTY EVAC," MRS.WINTERS SAID. "MOST OF THEM SEEM STUNNED. OR ELSE THEY ARE PAST THE STAGE OF TEARS. AND THEN, TOO, ITS A HARD JOB FOR THEM, KEEPING THE CHILDREN FROM GETTING LOST IN THIS CROWD, GETTING OUT OF THE WAITING ROOM AND ALL."

THE DEPENDENTS' LOUNGE HAS CRIBS FOR SMALL CHILDREN PLUS ALL THE THINGS A MOTHER WOULD NEED. ONE OR MORE OF THE THREE VOLUNTEERS IS ALWAYS THERE.

WHEN HER MOTHER CAME OUT OF THE ROOM THE LITTLE GIRL RAN TO HER. SHE WAS STILL DELIGHTED WITH THE RIDE SHE WAS GOING TO TAKE IN THE AIRPLANE. NOBODY HAD TOLD HER WHY.

"DON'T CRY, MOMMY," SHE SAID. "PLEASE DON'T CRY."

GG240PCS

B96KX Q
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TOKYO, AUG.12-(AP)-B-29 CREWMEN WHO DROPPED A RECORD 625 TONS OF BOMBS ON THE CHOSEN OIL REFINERY AT WONSAN AUG.10 ARE CONVINCED THERE CAN'T BE MUCH LEFT OF THE TARGET.

BUT S.SGT. HARRY J.PELK, RADIO OPERATOR WHO HAD MADE ELEVEN MISSIONS OVER KOREA, HAS YET TO SEE THE BOMBS HIT.

"FROM MY POSITION I'M THE ONLY CREWMAN WHO ACTUALLY SEES THE BOMBS LEAVE THE PLANE--AND THEN THE BOMBARDIER CLOSES THE BOMB BAY," PELK SAID. "THEN EVERYBODY ELSE SEES THE BOMBS HIT THE TARGET AND I CAN'T SEE ANYTHING. I'M GETTING DIRTY DEAL."

PELK LIVES AT 27 E. 113TH ST., CHICAGO.

NN1208PCS

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B97KX Q
APW (110)

TOKYO,AUG 12 (AP)-THREE AUSTRALIAN GROUND CREW MEN CUT FROM DAYS TO HOURS THE JOB OF CHANGING AN ENGINE IN A DAMAGED MUSTANG FIGHTER TO PUT IT BACK INTO ACTION IN THE KOREAN WAR.

THE PLANE WAS DAMAGED MONDAY WHEN THE NORTH KOREANS PUT BULLETS THROUGH THE RADIATOR. THE PILOT REACHED AN ALLIED AIRSTRIP IN KOREA JUST BEFORE THE ENGINE FAILED.

A REPAIR CREW CONSISTING OF ST.M.FREEMAN OF EGLINTON, N.S.W.; CPL.P.A.ALLEN OF BROOME, W.A.; AND CPL.A.E.YONGER OF COORANSBONG, N.S.W., FLEW OVER FROM JAPAN WITH A NEW ENGINE.

IN EIGHT HOURS THEY MADE THE REPLACEMENT WHICH ORDINARILY TAKES THREE DAYS. THE MUSTANG, RUNNING SMOOTHLY, WAS FLOWN BACK TO THE SQUADRON'S BASE FOR FURTHER OPERATIONS AGAINST THE ENEMY.

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TOKYO,SUNDAY,AUG. 13-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE OPERATIONAL SUMMARY NO. 50 RELEASED AT 12:30 P.M. JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME (9:30 P.M. SATURDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

B-20 SUPERFORTRESSES STRUCK HEAVY BLOWS AT THE NORTH KOREAN INDUSTRIAL POTENTIAL AND TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM YESTERDAY WHILE MAINTAINING, ALONG WITH THE ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE, FULL SCALE TACTICAL SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND TROOPS IN THE SOUTH KOREAN BATTLE AREA.

SUPERFORTRESSES STRIKES WERE LAUNCHED ON THE STRATEGIIC BRIDGE SYSTEM, PORT FACILITIES, AND SUPPLY HANDLING POINTS, NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THE PRIMARY TARGET FOR FAR EAST AIR FORCES BOMBER COMMAND B-29 MEDIUM BOMBERS ON AUGUST 12 WAS THE IMPORTANT NORTH KOREAN PORT AND RAIL TRANSHIPMENT CENTER OF NAJIN (RASHINDO) ON THE NORTHEASTERN COAST 17 MILES FROM THE TUMEN RIVER.

MORE THAN 500 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED BY THREE SUCCESSIVE WAVES OF SUPERFORTRESSES. HEAVY CLOUD COVER OVER THE TARGET AREA MADE IT NECESSARY TO BOMB WITH RADAR SIGHTING AND PREVENTED ANALYSIS OF THE RESULTANT DAMAGE TO THE DOCKS AREAS, MARSHALLING YARD AND STORAGE FACILITIES FOR OIL AND OTHER MILITARY SUPPLIES WHICH WERE THE OBJECTIVES OF THE BOMBER STRIKE.

POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION OF THE TARGET WAS MADE BY THE RADAR OPERATORS SINCE THE INDUSTRIAL OBJECTIVES WERE LOCATED ON A DISTINCTIVE PROMONTORY WHICH EXTENDS INTO THE JAPAN SEA.

SUPERFORTS STRUCK AT SEVERAL OTHER TARGETS NORTH OF 38TH PARALLEL, INCLUDING THE KEY MARSHALLING YARDS AT HAMHUNG ON THE EAST COAST RAIL LINE AND AT A RAIL SECTION OF THE BOGUL CHEMICAL PLANT AT KONAN (HUNGNAM) WHICH HAD NOT BEEN INCLUDED AS A TARGET IN THE PREVIOUS MAJOR ASSAULT ON AUGUST 3.

RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES GIVEN HIGH PRIORITY FOR ATTACK IN THE CURRENT EFFORT TO SLOW OR STOP THE FLOW OF COMMUNIST SUPPLIES AND REINFORCEMENTS WERE SUPERFORTRESS TARGETS FOR THE DAY.

TWO AND POSSIBLY THREE SPANS ON THE RAILWAY BRIDGE AT HWANGJU, 23 MILES SOUTH OF PYONGYANG, WERE DOWNED BY HIGH ALTITUDE BOMBING STRIKES AND A SECOND RAILROAD BRIDGE AT NAMSI, 29 MILES NORTHWEST OF SINANJU WAS SERIOUSLY DAMAGED. FULL REPORTS WERE NOT AVAILABLE ON OTHER BRIDGES ATTACKED BY THE SUPERFORTRESSES ON SATURDAY.

AERIAL RECONAISSANCE OF THE EAST COAST TRANSPORTATION NET HAS CONFIRMED THE PARALYZING EFFECT OF THE STRATEGIC INTERDICTION PROGRAM NOW IN PROGRESS. FLIGHTS OVER THE RAIL LINE FROM CHONGJIN TO WONSAN REPORTED A COMPLETE ABSENCE OF RAIL MOVEMENTS OVER THE ENTIRE ROUTE. MORE THAN 250 MILES OF THE MAIN RAIL WORK WERE SURVEYED WITHOUT SIGHTING A SINGLE SUPPLY TRAIN.

NIGHT COMBAT OPERATIONS, PARTICULARLY BY FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26S IN THE REAR OF THE BATTLE AREA, CONTINUED TO MOUNT IN IMPORTANCE AS DAYLIGHT AIR ACTIVITY FORCED THE NORTH KOREANS FORCES TO RELY ALMOST ENTIRELY ON NIGHT MOVEMENTS OF SUPPLIES AND TROOPS IN THE ZONES SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS ATTACKED NEARLY 100 TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN THEIR ASSIGNED SECTORS, INCLUDING TROOP AND SUPPLY CONVOYS, VEHICULAR CONCENTRATIONS, RAIL TARGETS AND TOWNS AND VILLAGES IN THE NORTH KOREAN-OCCUPIED AREAS WHICH ARE BEING USED AS OPERATIONAL BASES OR SUPPLY STORAGE DEPOTS.

A TRUCK CONVOY WAS BOMBED NEAR KUNSAN AND NUMEROUS OTHER CONVOYS BOMBED OR STRAFED IN CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN SECTORS. A CONVOY OF HALF-TRACKS PULLING ARTILLERY PIECES WAS HEAVILY STRAFED SEVEN MILES SOUTH OF CHONAN. THE B-26S ALSO HIT AND DAMAGED A POWER STATION AT PONGNYONG, NEAR MOKPO.

NIGHT MISSIONS WERE FLOWN TO KUMCHON, WONGDON, KUNSAN, KWANGJU, SUNCHON, SEOUL, INCHON, CHONJU AND TAEJON.

FIFTH AIR FORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE FIGHTERS FLYING IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS ON THE BATTLE FRONTS TOOK A HEAVY TOLL OF RED KOREAN TROOP AND MATERIAL STRENGTH.

NORTH KOREAN INFANTRY AND ARTILLERY UNITS WERE STRAFED AND BOMBED FROM LOW ALTITUDES IN ALL SECTORS. PARTICULARLY EFFECTIVE WAS THE COOPERATION BETWEEN GROUND AND AIR IN THE CHINJU AREA WHERE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS ON HIGH GROUND PINNING DOWN AMERICAN INFANTRY WITH CONTINUOUS FIRE, WERE ROCKETED WITH GOOD RESULTS.

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NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE UNDER CONSTANT AIR ATTACK [redacted] AND TONGSAN AREAS. AT KUNCHON, A RAILROAD TUNNEL BEING USED AS A SHELTER BY GROUND TROOPS WAS HIT WITH ROCKETS CAUSING LARGE NUMBERS OF CASUALTIES. SIMILAR ATTACKS WERE CONCENTRATED IN THE KIGYE-POHANG-DONG SECTOR ON THE EAST COAST.

THIRTY-SIX TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES AND 10 TANKS WERE DAMAGED IN FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER STRIKES. FOUR ADDITIONAL TANKS NOT CLAIMED IN PILOT REPORTS WERE CREDITED TO THE FIGHTERS BY SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES.

TWO FUEL DUMPS WERE FIRED IN FIGHTER ATTACKS EAST OF CHINJU AND ANOTHER WAS LEFT BURNING 10 MILES NORTHEAST OF YOSU NEAR YONGDOK. THE FIGHTERS STRUCK AT A RADIO TRANSMITTER STATION AND SIX FISHING VESSELS AND SET FIRE TO (WORD MISSING) AND SUPPLIES STORAGE FACILITIES IN THE SAME AREA.

FIGHTER ARMED RECONNAISSANCE SWEEPS WERE FLOWN TO THE MAJOR NORTH KOREAN AIRFIELDS AT PYONGYANG, YONPO, CUWON AND WONSAN.

NO NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT WERE OBSERVED ON THE GROUND OR IN THE AIR BUT GROUND INSTALLATIONS WERE STRAFED AND DAMAGED AT YONPO AND WONSAN.

CARGO AIRLIFT FOR THE DAY WAS MORE THAN 152 TONS OF MILITARY SUPPLIES, MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND OTHER PRIORITY ESSENTIALS FOR THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES IN THE BATTLE ZONES.

NO NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED AND NO ONE OF OUR AIRCRAFT WAS LOST AS THE RESULT OF GROUND OR ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE WHICH WAS REPORTED AS MODERATELY HEAVY IN SOME SECTORS.

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TEXT (180)

U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG 12 (AP)-THE TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE NO.36, ISSUED AT 9:05 P.M. (6:05 A.M. EST):

BY-PASSED COMMUNIST FORCES IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR TODAY REMAINED THE ONLY SERIOUS ENEMY ACTIVITY AS THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF TASK FORCE KEAN APPROACHED ITS OBJECTIVE. WHILE ENEMY RESISTANCE IN FRONT OF THE ADVANCING U.S.TROOPS CONTINUED LIGHT, FRIENDLY UNITS WERE UNDER ATTACK BY COMMUNIST INFANTRY 12 MILES BEHIND THE LEADING ELEMENTS OF OUR ATTACKING FORCES. THE MARINES REPORTED CAPTURE OF MANY ENEMY VEHICLES ON THE KOSONG-SACHON ROAD.

THE ENEMY FORCES IN THE 24TH DIVISION AREA HAVE BEEN REINFORCED, AND NORTH KOREAN TROOPS OUTSIDE THE BRIDGEHEAD TODAY THREW TWO ROAD BLOCKS ACROSS THE ROAD TO MIRYANG.

THE NORTH KOREAN FORCE WHICH CROSSED INTO THE FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR THIS MORNING WAS HIT SEVERELY WITH ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE AND AT LAST REPORTS WAS TRYING TO WITHDRAW. SEVERAL OTHER CROSSINGS WERE MADE TODAY IN THE SONG-DONG BEND OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. THE ENEMY STRENGTH IN THE FIRST CAVALRY ATTACK IS ESTIMATED AS OVER 1,000. THIS MORNING'S TANK SUPPORTED ATTACK ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION WAS REPULSED WITH HEAVY LOSSES TO THE COMMUNISTS. ENEMY STRENGTH IN THIS SECTOR APPEARS TO BE THINNING. THE ROK EIGHTH DIVISION MADE A LIMITED ATTACK IN WHICH 147 ENEMY WERE KILLED AND PRISONERS TAKEN.

ROK TROOPS IN THE POHANG AREA MADE SMALL GAINS IN THEIR COUNTER-ATTACK ACTION.

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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 13-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 37 RELEASED AT 12:15 P.M. JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME (9:15 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME SATURDAY):

ALL ELEMENTS OF TASK FORCE KEAN HAVE REACHED THEIR OBJECTIVES EAST OF CHINJU, SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETING THE FIRST STRATEGIC OFFENSIVE ACTION OF THE WAR. RESERVE UNITS IN THIS SECTOR HAVE SURROUNDED THE NORTH KOREAN FORCE, WHICH YESTERDAY ATTACKED FRIENDLY ARTILLERY IN THE REAR OF ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FORCE KEAN, AND EXPECT TO REDUCE IT TODAY.

THE ENEMY STRENGTH IN THE 24TH DIVISION SECTOR IS NOW ESTIMATED TO BE THREE INFANTRY REGIMENTS, ONE ENGINEER REGIMENT AND SOME ARTILLERY. UNITED STATES TROOPS ARE IN CONTINUOUS ACTION TO REDUCE THE COMMUNIST FORCE.

THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ESTIMATES THAT THERE IS NO ESTABLISHED ENEMY FORCE IN ITS AREA, ALTHOUGH SEVERAL COMMUNIST CROSSINGS WERE MADE YESTERDAY. UNITS OF THE DIVISION ARE NOW ENGAGED IN MOPPING UP OPERATIONS AGAINST THESE SCATTERED FORCES.

THE ROK DIVISIONS REPORT A CONTINUOUS CONCENTRATION OF ENEMY TROOPS AND EQUIPMENT OPPOSITE THEIR POSITION. THE ROK SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS REPORT ENEMY MOVEMENTS OPPOSITE THEM BUT NO PRESSURE. THESE UNITS VADE LIMITED ATTACKS YESTERDAY.

ROK FORCES MADE PROGRESS YESTERDAY IN COUNTERING THE BNEMY PENETRATION IN THE POHANG AREA. AYE RECONNAISSANCE IN FORCE OF U.S. TROOPS WAS IN POHANG LATE YESTERDAY AND WITHDREW UNDERHEAVY MORTAR FIRE.

THE ROK FORCES NEAR YONGDOK ARE FIGHTING A BATTALION OF NORTH KOREAN HORSE CAVALRY WHICH IS HITTING THEM ON THE LEFT FLANK.

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG.12-(AP)-TEXT OF GEN. MACARTHUR HEADQUARTERS' KOREAN RELEASE NO. 242 ISSUED AT 1:35 P.M. (10:35 P.M. EST FRIDAY):

TASK FORCE KEAN HAS ATTAINED ITS OBJECTIVE BY CAPTURING THE HIGH GROUND EAST OF CHINJU. MARINE ELEMENTS OF THE TASK FORCE ARE CONTINUING THEIR ADVANCE WEST OF KOSONG AGAINST STUBBORN ENEMY RESISTANCE. OTHER UNITS OF THE TASK FORCE ARE CONTINUING TO MOP UP ISOLATED GROUPS AND ENEMY POCKETS BY-PASSED BY FRONT LINE ATTACK GROUPS.

THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION LAUNCHED A COORDINATED ATTACK AGAINST THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG WHICH SUCCEEDED IN FORCING THE ENEMY BACK ONE MILE ALONG THE ENTIRE FRONT. THIS ACTION DROVE THE RED INVADER FROM THE HIGH GROUND AND FORCED HIM INTO A POCKET THREE MILES LONG AND LESS THAN TWO MILES FROM THE RIVER.

IN THE POHANG SECTOR, AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WERE FIGHTING IN CLOSE COORDINATION AGAINST THE REDS WHO HAD INFILTRATED THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS INTO THE AREA. STREET FIGHTING WAS REPORTED WITHIN THE TOWN LIMITS OF POHANG. TO THE NORTH, THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) THIRD DIVISION WITHDREW TO A NEW POSITION NEAR KANGGU, FOUR MILES SOUTH OF YONGDOK.

SOUTH OF WAEGWAN, THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION THWARTED AN ENEMY ATTEMPT TO CROSS THE NAKTONG WHILE NORTH OF THE TOWN A SECOND ATTEMPTED CROSSING WAS THROWN BACK BY THE ROK FIRST DIVISION.

ELSEWHERE ALONG THE FRONT THE SIXTH, EIGHTH AND CAPITOL DIVISIONS OF THE ROK ARMY CONTINUED TO REPULSE SMALL SCALE ATTACKS AND SUCCEEDED IN MAKING SEVERAL LIMITED GAINS AS A RESULT OF THEIR OWN ATTACKS.

DELAYED REPORTS INDICATE THAT NAVAL ELEMENTS BOMBARDED YONGDOK AND SIX TARGETS TO THE NORTH ON AUG.10. ONE TANK WAS DESTROYED AND SEVERAL ENEMY MORTARS SILENCED. NAVAL AIRCRAFT BOMBED AND STRAFED FOUR TROOP CONCENTRATIONS NORTH OF KOSONG, AND AN ARTILLERY BATTERY NEAR UIRYONG WITH GOOD RESULTS.

FURTHER DELAYED REPORTS FOR AUG.10 REVEAL THE FOLLOWING RESULTS BY NAVAL AIR STRIKES OF TWO BUILDINGS, SIX TRUCKS, AND THREE RAILROAD CARS DESTROYED IN THE INCHON-SUWON AREA AND ONE AMMO DUMP, THREE POWER STATIONS, TWO BRIDGES, THREE TRUCKS DESTROYED IN THE TAEJON-KUMCHON AREA.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER DESTRUCTION INCLUDED THREE LOCOMOTIVES AND FOUR RAILROAD TROOP CARS. B-29 STRIKES WERE MADE ON THE MARSHALLING YARDS AND LOCOMOTIVE WORKS AT WONSAN, MARSHALLING YARDS AT ILSIN-DONG, AND MARSHALLING YARDS AT PYONGYANG. RESULTS WERE DESCRIBED AS BEING "GOOD" TO "EXCELLENT"

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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.13-(AP)-THE TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 244, ISSUED AT 12:15 A.M. (9:15 A.M. SATURDAY EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

FIGHTING IN POHANG CONTINUED, AND WHILE THE SITUATION IS NOT YET CLEAR IT WAS BELIEVED TO BE "MUCH IMPROVED."

THE COMMUNISTS CONTINUED TO MOVE REINFORCEMENTS ACROSS THE NAKTONG IN BOTH THE CHANGNYONG AND WAEGWAN SECTORS. A PRISONER OF WAR CLAIMED THAT THE 16TH 17TH AND 18TH REGIMENTS OF THE COMMUNIST FOURTH DIVISION HAVE CROSSED. FIGHTING CONTINUED HEAVY IN AND AROUND THIS BRIDGEHEAD. THE TWO ROADBLOCKS REPORTED EARLIER ON THE ROAD TO MIRYANG CONTINUED TO HAMPER VEHICLE AND WIRE COMMUNICATIONS.

TASK FORCE KEAN CONTINUED TO BE PLAGUED BY HEAVY INFILTRATION OF ENEMY TROOPS AND GUERRILLAS DRESSED AS REFUGEES WHO ATTACKED SUPPORTING FIELD ARTILLERY UNITS IN THE REAR AREAS. THE MARINES, MOVING WEST FROM KOSONG, HAVE CAPTURED 45 MOTORCYCLES, 24 FOREIGN-MADE JEEPS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT.

TRAFFIC CONTINUED TO BE OBSERVED AND ATTACKED ALONG THE ROADS LEADING TO THE SOUTH, BY BOTH UNITED NATIONS AIRCRAFT AND BY NAVAL UNITS ALONG THE COAST.

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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 13-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 245 BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ISSUED AT 1:50 P.M. (10:50 P.M., EST, SATURDAY):

MARINE ELEMENTS OF TASK FORCE KEAN CONTINUED TO ADVANCE IN THE RUGGED MOUNTAINOUS AREA SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU. THE MARINES REPORTED THE CAPTURE OF 25 MOTORCYCLES AND 44 RUSSIAN-TYPE JEEPS ALONG THE KOSONG-SACHON ROAD IN THE NORTHERN PART OF THE SECTOR. A SMALL-SCALE ENEMY ATTACK IN THE VICINITY OF PANSONG WAS REPULSED.

ON THE EAST COAST, AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WERE HEAVILY ENGAGED AGAINST RED FORCES IN THE POHANG AREA. U.S.ELEMENTS OF THE FORCE WERE ATTACKING TOWARD POHANG WHILE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) ELEMENTS CONTINUED THEIR ADVANCE TOWARD CHIDONG. TWELVE MILES NORTH AND WEST OF CHIDONG ROK UNITS SEIZED THE TOWN OF TOP-YONG CAPTURING SIGNIFICANT STOCKS OF ARMS VEHICLES AND RATIONS.

SOUTH OF WAEGWAN, ELEMENTS OF THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ATTACKED AND DESTROYED SEVERAL ENEMY FORCES THAT HAD SUCCEEDED IN CROSSING THE NAKTONG RIVER. MORE THAN 400 ENEMY WERE KILLED BY THIS DIVISION DURING THE DAYS OPERATIONS.

FARTHER TO THE NORTH, THE RED INVADERS ATTEMPTED A TANK-SUPPORTED CROSSING SOUTHWEST OF NAKSONG. AIR SUPPORT DESTROYED FIVE OF THE TEN TANKS OBSERVED WHILE TWO MORE WERE DESTROYED AND ONE WAS CAPTURED BY THE GROUND ELEMENTS REPELLING THE ATTACK.

THE ROK 8TH DIVISION SUCCEEDED IN MAKING A DEEP PENETRATION INTO THE ENEMY'S LINES WHICH RESULTED IN THE CAPTURE OF TWO 120 MM.MORTARS, 60 ASSORTED SMALL ARMS AND 55,000 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION. ONE HUNDRED FIFTY COMMUNISTS WERE KILLED AND TEN PRISONERS TAKEN. ELSEWHERE ALONG THE FRONT THE ROK 6TH DIVISION CAPTURED 35 PRISONERS AMONG WHOM WERE THREE OFFICERS, ONE OF THEM A COMPANY COMMANDER.

THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION CONTINUED TO CONTAIN THE ENEMY CROSSING SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG AND TOOK ACTION TO REDUCE TWO GUERRILLA HELD ROAD BLOCKS SOUTHEAST OF YONGSAN.

THE SEVENTH FLEET FLEW UPWARDS OF 200 SORTIES OVER KOREA YESTERDAY WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS. AT KIMPO, FIVE YAKS WERE BURNED AND TWO WERE DAMAGED. HANGARS, WAREHOUSES AND ANTIAIRCRAFT POSITIONS WERE STRAFED AT INCHON. A RADAR STATION, SEVERAL WAREHOUSES AND OIL TANKS WERE STRAFED ROCKETED AND BOMBED. TWO AMMUNITION DUMPS WERE EXPLODED NORTH

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OF TAEJON. NAVAL AVIATION FLYING CLOSE SUPPORT OF TASK FORCE KEAN DESTROYED ONE ARTILLERY AND THREE MORTAR POSITIONS IN THE CHINJU-SACHON AREA AND STRAFED AND BOMBED NUMEROUS TROOP CONCENTRATIONS. A MOTOR CONVOY OF OVER 100 VEHICLES MOVING WEST OF THE SACHON-KOSONG ROAD WAS ATTACKED CAUSING HEAVY CASUALTIES AND DESTROYING 26 VEHICLES. A SUPPLY DUMP WAS DAMAGED AND A LARGE CONCENTRATION OF TROOPS WAS NEUTRALIZED NEAR SACHON.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS FLEW CLOSE TO 200 SORTIES ON ARMED RECONNAISSANCE NIGHT INTRUDER AND GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS. PRELIMINARY REPORTS INDICATE THAT 13 TRUCKS, ONE VILLAGE, ONE TANK AND ONE BRIDGE WERE DESTROYED AND THREE TANKS DAMAGED. THIRTY B-26 SORTIES WERE FLOWN ON NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS. PRELIMINARY REPORTS INDICATE THAT A CONVOY OF 12 TRUCKS WAS BOMBED AT KUNSAN AND A CONVOY OF HALFTRACKS PULLING FIELD PIECES WAS HIT SEVEN MILES SOUTH OF CHONAN.

SEVENTY-FIVE B-29 SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND TO TARGETS IN NORTHERN KOREA MARSHALLING YARDS. PORT NAVAL AND TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES WERE BOMBED AT RASHIN. RESULTS HAVE NOT YET BEEN REPORTED.

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LONDON, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE TEXT OF THE NORTH KOREAN EVENING COMMUNIQUE, AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:

ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUE TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST AMERICAN AND SUNGMAN RHEE TROOPS. TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY OPERATING IN THE AREA OF THE EASTERN COAST BROKE THE STUBBORN RESISTANCE OF THE ENEMY AND LIBERATED THE TOWN OF KIGYE, SITUATED TO THE WEST OF POHANG.

ON AUG. 11 WEST OF POHAN THREE AMERICAN AIRCRAFT WERE SHOT DOWN. ON AUG. 12 AMERICAN AIRCRAFT BARBAROUSLY BOMBED AREAS OF PYONGYANG AND KUMCHON (KINSEN). ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY OVER PYONGYANG SHOT DOWN ONE AMERICAN AIRCRAFT.

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LONDON, AUG 12-(AP)-MOSCOW RADIO BROADCAST TODAY THIS AUGUST 12 MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF NORTH KOREA:

ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.

ON THE EAST COAST UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, OVERCOMING RESISTANCE OF THE SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, CONTINUED TO PRESS FORWARD.

ON THE SOUTH COAST TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY BEAT BACK THE COUNTER-OFFENSIVE OF THE AMERICAN TROOPS,-STRIKING HEAVY BLOWS.

GUERRILLA DETACHMENTS, OPERATING IN THE AREA OF PUSAN ORGANIZED THE DERAILING OF A TRAIN CARRYING ARMAMENTS.

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MOSCOW, AUG. 12-(AP)-TWO NORTH KOREAN CORRESPONDENTS FOR THE LITERARY GAZETTE REPORTED TODAY THAT UNITED STATES BOMBERS HAVE KILLED 7,000 PERSONS IN SEOUL, THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL NOW HELD BY THE NORTHERN COMMUNISTS.

THE DISPATCHES WERE DATELINED PYONGYANG, CAPITAL OF NORTH KOREA, AND SAID HUNDREDS OF HOMES WERE ALSO WRECKED IN PYONGYANG.

THE ACCOUNTS IN THE LITERARY GAZETTE SAID THAT "IF THE BLOOD OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE WHICH HAS BEEN SHED BY THE AMERICANS ON THIS LITTLE PENINSULA WERE POURED ON THE WHITE HOUSE WALLS, IT LONG AGO WOULD HAVE DROWNED IN BLOOD."

(THIS IS IN LINE WITH THE SOVIET PROPAGANDA THEME ONHTHE KOREAN ISSUE--TO PORTRAY THE AMERICANSNAS AGGRESSORS AND TO STIR UP HATRED AGAINST THE UNITED NATIONS' FORCES BATTLING THE INVADING NORTH KOREAN REDS.)

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NIGHT LEAD U.N.-KOREA
BY A.I.GOLDBERG
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE MOVES OF UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS TO REINFORCE U.N. GROUND FORCE TROOPS IN KOREA ARE GOING ON QUIETLY BUT EFFECTIVELY, A U.N. SOURCE SAID TODAY.

THE SECURITY COUNCIL PROCEDURAL DEADLOCK THAT OPENED WHEN RUSSIAN DELEGATE JAKOB A.MALIK ASSUMED THE PRESIDENCY AUG.1 HAS NEITHER HALTED THE MILITARY MEASURES AND RELIEF STEPS TAKEN BY THE

COUNCIL IN JUNE AND JULY NOR SLOWED THE PACE OF NATIONS THAT HAVE SINCE OFFERED FIGHTING MEN, SHIPS, PLANES, FOOD AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES.

FIFTY-THREE OF THE 59 U.N. MEMBERS ARE SUPPORTING THE U.N. CAMPAIGN TO THROW BACK THE NORTH KOREAN INVADERS.

THE BIG PROBLEM NOW IS TO GET THE OFFERS COLLECTED AND PUT ON THE KOREAN FRONT. TRANSPORT AND SUPPLY DIFFICULTIES FIGURE IN THIS.

THE U.N. INFORMANT SAID THE FIRST NEWS THAT THE MEN OF OTHER NATIONS ARE FIGHTING ALONGSIDE AMERICAN GIS AND SOUTH KOREANS UNDER GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S U.N. FLAG MAY BE A BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENT THAT "THE TROOPS OF X COUNTRY TODAY DID SUCH AND SUCH." THE NEXT DAY, HE SAID, THERE MAY BE A SIMILAR ANNOUNCEMENT OF TROOPS OF Y COUNTRY, AND SO ON.

HE WOULD NOT SAY HOW SOON THAT WILL BE.

THE MILITARY SITUATION WAS DESCRIBED AS "SERIOUS BUT NOT CRITICAL" BY COL.ALFRED G.KATZIN, PERSONAL-REPRESENTATIVE OF U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE IN KOREA. KATZIN, A SOUTH AFRICAN, TALKED GENERAL TRYGVE LIE IN KOREA. KATZIN, A SOUTH AFRICAN, TALKED WITH LIE'S EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT, ANDREW CORDIER, BY TELEPHONE FROM TOKYO THIS MORNING.

"THE MORALE OF THE U.N. TROOPS IS HIGH," KATZIN SAID. "I HAVE ONLY THE HIGHEST ADMIRATION FOR THE WAY THE GIS AND THE TROOPS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC HAVE FOUGHT."

KATZIN HAS BEEN IN CLOSE CONTACT WITH GEN.MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS. HE HAS TOURED THE WHOLE FRONT. HIS SUMMING UP OF THE SITUATION IS UNCHANGED FROM HIS OPINION FOR THE LAST SEVERAL WEEKS, CORDIER SAID. KATZIN PLANNED TO RETURN TO THE FRONT SOON.

HIS TELEPHONED TALK DISCLOSED THAT TWO BRITISH CORRESPONDENTS, AND COL.UNNI NAYAR, INDIA'S ALTERNATE MEMBER OF THE U.N. COMMISSION ON KOREA, WERE KILLED WHEN THEIR JEEP HIT A LAND MINE NEAR TAEGU YESTERDAY.

NAYAR WAS THE FIRST COMMISSION MEMBER TO BE KILLED IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT. THE BRITISH CORRESPONDENTS WERE IDENTIFIED AS CHRISTOPHER BUCKLEY, OF THE LONDON DAILY TELEGRAPH, AND IAN MORRISON OF THE LONDON TIMES. BUCKLEY, A FORMER HISTORY PROFESSOR, WAS ONE OF THE WIDEST KNOWN BRITISH REPORTERS.

THEIR DEATH BRINGS TO EIGHT THE NUMBER OF CORRESPONDENTS KILLED SINCE THE WAR BEGAN. TWO MORE INCLUDING WAR CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM MOORE OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, ARE MISSING. TWO OTHERS HAVE BEEN CAPTURED.

NAYAR, 38, ARRIVED IN KOREA THREE WEEKS AGO.

BEFORE JOINING THE COMMISSION, HE WAS PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICERS OF THE INDIAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON.

AUSTRALIA, BRITAIN AND CANADA ALREADY HAVE AIR AND NAVAL FORCES IN ACTION IN KOREA AND PROPOSE TO SEND COMBAT TROOPS. THE PHILIPPINES SENT TANKS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT AND HAS PROMISED TROOPS.

TURKEY OFFERED 4,500 FIGHTERS. THAILAND (SIAM) OFFERED 4,000, STARTED A RECRUITING CAMPAIGN, AND HAD TO SHUT IT OFF TODAY AFTER 11,000 MEN VOLUNTEERED.

FRANCE AND THE NETHERLANDS HAVE PUT FIGHTING CRAFT AT THE SERVICE OF THE U.N. NORWAY HAS DONATED SHIPPING.

SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES ARE STILL SHAPING UP THEIR ASSISTANCE OFFERS OF GROUND TROOPS, INCLUDING NICARAGUA'S TENDER OF 4,500 MEN.

LIE SAID EARLY THIS WEEK, BEFORE HE LEFT ON A SHORT HOLIDAY IN NORWAY, "WE CAN NOW BE QUITE SURE THAT MILITARY FORCES--AIR, LAND, AND SEA--OF VERY SUBSTANTIAL STRENGTH HAVE BEEN OR WILL BE PLACED AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE U.N. COMMAND BY OTHER MEMBERS OF THE U.N." HE ARRIVED IN OSLO BY PLANE TODAY.

"I DO NOT BELIEVE THAT THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES WILL BE FORCED OFF ITS BRIDGEHEAD IN KOREA," LIE DECLARED ON HIS ARRIVAL. "EVEN IF DEVELOPMENTS SHOULD FORCE THE U.N. FORCES TO GIVE UP THEIR BRIDGEHEAD, OUR COURSE IS CLEAR."

"THE SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION STATES THAT THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION MUST CONTINUE UNTIL THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE RETREATED BEYOND THE 38TH PARALLEL, BE IT BY THEIR OWN FREE WILL, BY FORCE OR THROUGH NEGOTIATIONS," HE SAID.

ASKED WHETHER HIS TRIP TO NORWAY AT THIS PARTICULAR TIME MIGHT BE INTERPRETED AS A SIGN OF OPTIMISM, LIE RETORTED THAT IT "MIGHT RATHER BE TAKEN AS A SIGN OF A REALISTIC APPRECIATION OF EXISTING INTERNATIONAL CONDITIONS."

AT PRESTWICK, SCOTLAND THIS MORNINC, ENROUTE TO OSLO WITH MRS. LIE, HE SAID HE COULD NOT INTERFERE IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL DEADLOCK, EXPLAINING: "IT IS UP TO THE MEMBERS THEMSELVES TO FIND THE WAY OUT."

THE COUNCIL RECESSED OVER THE WEEKEND. MORE WESTERN SPEECHMAKING, TO MATCH MALIK'S PROPAGANDA ASSAULTS TRYING TO PICTURE THE UNITED STATES AS THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA, IS DUE WHEN THE COUNCIL RESUMES ITS MEETINGS MONDAY.

THE NON-COMMUNIST MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL--CHAFING UNDER MALIK'S CHARGES THEY WERE GULLIBLE DUPES AND SATELLITES OF THE UNITED STATES--ARE READY TO CARRY ON THE CAMPAIGN BEGUN BY U.S. CHIEF DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN LAST THURSDAY AND CONTINUED FRIDAY BY BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB.

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PMS BUDGET (350)

U.S.-KOREAN

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG 12-(AP)-THE SECURITY COUNCIL--STILL SNARLED UP OVER PROCEDURE ON THE KOREAN QUESTION--WOUND UP ITS SECOND WEEK OF SQUABBLING YESTERDAY, WITH RUSSIA GETTING IN THE LAST WORD. THE SPEECH-MAKING MARATHON RESUMES MONDAY.

JAKOB MALIK, AS PRESIDENT, GAVE HIMSELF THE FLOOR YESTERDAY, AS RUSSIA'S DELEGATE, TO ATTACK THE UNITED STATES IN A SPEECH DESIGNED TO CLOSE OUT THE COUNCIL BUSINESS FOR THE WEEKEND WITHOUT DANGER OF AN IMMEDIATE REPLY.

HIS SPEECH WAS A COUNTERATTACK TO U.S. DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN'S SUMMATION THURSDAY OF RUSSIAN RESPONSIBILITY FOR NORTH KOREA'S INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA AND DEFIANCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

IT FOLLOWED A STATEMENT OF SIR GLADWYN JEBB, CHIEF BRITISH DELEGATE, THAT COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM WANTS TO SWALLOW UP ALL ASIA AND MUST BE STOPPED.

THE NON-COMMUNIST GROUP CAMPAIGN OF TRYING TO OUT-TALK MALIK WAS CARRIED ON BY JEBB AFTER THE COUNCIL AGAIN FAILED TO GET MALIK TO MAKE A RULING ON SEATING THE SOUTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVE AT THE COUNCIL TABLE.

MALIK TRIED VAINLY TO MAKE THE COUNCIL SUBMIT TO HIM BY VOTING ON HIS PROPOSAL TO SEAT BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVES--AND RED CHINA--BEFORE THE COUNCIL CAN CONSIDER ANYTHING FURTHER ON THE KOREAN QUESTION.

AFTER THE COUNCIL MEETING, AUSTIN SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT EVERYTHING MALIK HAD TO SAY DID NOT ANSWER "THE FACT THAT 53 MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS HAVE SOLEMNLY UNDERTAKEN TO PROTECT THE WORLD FROM WAR COMMENCED BY THE NORTH KOREANS AND SUPPORTED IN THE SECURITY

COUNCIL BY THE SOVIET UNION."

JEBB SAID THAT "REPULSED IN EUROPE, IT IS NOW CLEAR THAT THE DARK FORCES OF COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM ARE CONCENTRATING FOR THE KILL IN ASIA."

HE TERMED MALIK'S CLAIM THAT THE FIGHTING IN KOREA IS ONLY CIVIL WAR "PATENT NONSENSE."

JEBB SCOFFED AT ANY IDEA THAT "THE BOYS FROM IOWA OR COLORADO WHO ARE NOW SITTING IN FOXHOLES NEAR CHINJU, DOING THEIR BEST TO DEFEND DEMOCRACY AS THEY KNOW IT X X X AS OUT TO ENSLAVE THE WORLD."

MALIK CHARGED THAT THE U.S. BUILT UP THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY TO INVADE NORTH KOREA, GAVE IT SUPPLIES, AND PROVOKED AN ATTACK WITH GUARANTEES FROM GEN.MACARTHUR THAT THE SOUTH KOREANS WOULD GET HELP FROM HIM.

HE CALLED AUSTIN'S CHARGES THAT RUSSIA PROVIDED THE NORTH KOREANS WITH THEIR ARMAMENT "UNFOUNDED DIRTY SLANDERS."

MALIK CHARGED THAT ALL SECURITY COUNCIL ACTIONS TAKEN IN HIS ABSENCE ON THE KOREAN CONFLICT WERE ILLEGAL AND THAT THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL WERE "GUILLIBLE" TO ACCEPT "THE CRUDE FALSIFICATIONS OF THE U.S., A LEGEND FOR SIMPLETONS" ON HOW THE NORTH KOREANS INVADED.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG 12-(AP)-TWO BRITISH CORRESPONDENTS AND INDIA'S ALTERNATE REPRESENTATIVE ON THE U.N. COMMISSION ON KOREA WERE KILLED YESTERDAY WHEN A LAND MINE BLEW UP THEIR JEEP NEAR TAEGU ON THE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT YESTERDAY, THE U.N. SAID TODAY.

THE VICTIMS WERE CHRISTOPHER BUCKLEY OF THE LONDON DAILY TELEGRAPH, IAN MORRISON OF THE LONDON TIMES, AND COL.UNNI NAYAR, THE INDIAN COMMISSION MEMBER.

INFORMATION ON THE FATALITIES CAME BY TELEPHONE TODAY FROM COL. ALFRED G.KAKZIN, OF SOUTH AFRICA, SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN KOREA. KATZIN IS NOW IN TOKYO.

IN KOREA THE EIGHTH ARMY REPORTED THAT BUCKLEY DIED IN A TAEGU HOSPITAL AT 7 P.M. TONIGHT (4 A.M. SATURDAY, EST) AND THAT THE OTHERS WERE KILLED OUTRIGHT.

THE DEATHS BROUGHT TO 12 THE NUMBER OF CORRESPONDENTS KILLED, MISSING OR CAPTURED SINCE THE KOREAN WAR BEGAN.

PREVIOUS CASUALTIES WERE: RAY RICHARDS OF INS, AND ERNIE PEELER OF STARS AND STRIPES, 4309453$ (8))3$.

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OF STARS AND STRIPES, REPORTED KILLED.

LOST ABOARD AN AIR TRANSPORT AT SEA AND PRESUMED DEAD: ALBERT HINTON OF NORFOLK, VA., NEGRO NEWSPAPER PUBLISING ASSOCIATION; JAMES O.SUPPLE, CHICAGO SUN-TIMES; STEPHENS SIMMONS, HUSTON PRESS, LONDON; AND MAXIMILIAN PHILONENKO, AGENCE FRANCE PRESS.

MISSING: WILLIAM R.MOORE, ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WOUNDED AND MISSING: WILSON FIELDER, TIME-LIFE.

CAPTURED: MIKE GIGANTIS (PHILIP DEANE) OF INS, AND MAURICE CHANTELOUP OF AGENCE FRANCE PRESS.

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FOLO LAKE SUCCESS (A148)

LONDON, AUG. 12-(AP)-CHRISTOPHER BUCKLEY, 45, BRITISH NEWSMAN KILLED BY A LAND MINE IN KOREA, IS A FORMER CORRESPONDENT FOR THE CHRISTIAN SCHIENCE MONITOR OF BOSTON.

A ONE TIME SCHOOLMASTER, HE GAVE UP TEACHING IN 1937 TO GO TO REPUBLICAN SPAIN WITH THE FRIENDS SERVICE COUNCIL RELIEF ORGANIZATION.

HE THEN TURNED CORRESPONDENT AND BECAME A MEMBER OF THE MONITOR STAFF. FOR THE NEXT 13 YEARS BUCKLEY RANGED OVER MUCH OF THE GLOBE, COVERING WAR STORIES.

IN JANUARY, 1940, HE SET OUT ON A FREE-LANCE TOUR OF EUROPE. HE VISITED BELGIUM, HOLLAND AND THE BALKANS.

HE WAS IN BELGRADE WHEN THE ITALIANS ATTACKED GREECE. HE WENT TO ATHENS, RAN A WEEKLY ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER AND BECAME A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT FOR THE LONDON DAILY TELEGRAPH, HIS EMPLOYER AT THE TIME OF HIS DEATH.

WHEN GREECE FELL BUCKLEY ESCAPED TO THE MIDDLE EAST. HE COVERED THE FRONT LINE FIGHTING IN THE WESTERN DESERT, TUNISIA, SICILY, ITALY AND NORMANDY. HE CABLED ON THE SPOT REPORTS OF COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN INDOCHINA AND GREECE. IN BETWEEN HE WAS THE TELEGRAPH'S EXPERT ON THE AFFAIRS OF EASTERN EUROPE.

FOUR DAYS AFTER THE FIGHTING BROKE OUT IN KOREA, BUCKLEY REACHED TOKYO FROM LONDON.

HE WAS AWARDED THE ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE IN 1946 IN RECOGNITION OF HIS SERVICES AS A WAR CORRESPONDENT. HE WAS THE AUTHOR OF A BOOK, "THE ROAD TO ROME," AN ACCOUNT OF THE NORTH AFRICAN AND ITALIAN CAMPAIGNS. HIS WIDOW, MRS.CECILIA BUCKLEY, IS IN TOKYO.

IAN MORRISON OF THE LONDON TIMES, WHO WAS KILLED WITH BUCKLEY, WAS A PRE-WAR PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH AT THE IMPERIAL UNIVERSITY IN HOKKAIDO, JAPAN. FOR A TIME HE WAS PRIVATE SECRETARY TO SIR ROBERT CRAIGIE, THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR IN TOKYO.

IN 1941 MORRISON BECAME DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE FAR EASTERN BUREAU OF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT MINISTRY OF INFORMATION.

HE JOINED THE TIMES AFTER THE JAPANESE AND BRITIAIN WENT TO WAR AND COVERED THE FALL OF SINGAPORE.

MORRISON'S FATHER--"CHINESE" MORRISON--ALSO WAS A WELL KNOWN TIMES CORRESPONDENT IN HIS DAY. ONE OF THE MAIN STREETS OF PEIPING WAS CALLED MORRISON STREET AFTER HIM.

THE YOUNGER MORRISON WAS ABOUT 40. HE LEAVES A WIFE AND FAMILY IN SINGAPORE.

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KOREAN

WASHINGTON,AUG.12-(AP)-THE ARMY TODAY SHOWED A PICTURE OF WHAT IT CALLED A 1950 MODEL RUSSIAN MORTAR SHELL PICKED UP IN KOREA.

THE PICTURE WAS SHOWN TO REPORTERS AT A PENTAGON BRIEFING IN OBVIOUS REPLY TO RUSSIAN CLAIMS THAT THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS ARE USING OLD SOVIET ARMS SUPPLIED TO THEM BEFORE RUSSIA'S ANNOUNCED WITHDRAWAL FROM KOREA IN 1948.

JAKOB A.MALIK, THE SOVIET DELEGATE TO THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL, TOLD THE COUNCIL EARLIER THIS WEEK THAT AMERICAN HINTS THAT RUSSIA IS SUPPLYING THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY WERE SLANDEROUS AND UNFOUNDED.

MALIK SAID THE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS ACTUALLY HAVE AT THEIR DISPOSAL SUPPLIES MADE AVAILABLE TO THEM BY THE RUSSIAN ARMY BEFORE ITS EVACUATION OF KOREA. THAT EVACUATION WAS ANNOUNCED S OF DECEMBER, 1948.

TODAY A BRIEFING OFFICER SHOWED REPORTERS A PICTURE OF WHAT HE SAID WAS A 120-MILLIMETER RUSSIAN MORTAR SHELL PICKED UP IN KOREA. HE SAID THE ARMY'S INTERPRETERS DECLARED IT BEARS THE DATE 1950 PAINTED OR STENCILED ON THE CASING.

THE ARMY SPOKESMAN MADE NO REFERENCE TO MALIK'S STATEMENT BEFORE THE SECURITY COUNCIL.

HE SAID THE NUMERALS APPEARING ON THE CAPTURED SHELL ARE IN ARABIC, THE LETTERS IN RUSSIAN.

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KOREA-PROPAGANDA

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS HELD HIGH HOPES TODAY FOR SUCCESS IN THE AMERICAN PROPAGANDA COUNTER-OFFENSIVE AGAINST RUSSIA OVER WHO STARTED AGGRESSION IN KOREA.

THE PLAN, SOMETIMES REFERRED TO AROUND THE DEPARTMENT AS "OPERATION FIGLEAF," IS TO EXPOSE--UP TO A POINT--RUSSIA'S STALLING TACTICS IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND ITS SUPPORT OF THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS.

THE IDEA IS TO TELL ALL THE FACTS ABOUT SOVIET CONDUCT--BROADCAST THEM OVER THE VOICE OF AMERICA, ILLUSTRATE THEM WITH MOVIES SENT ABROAD, AND THE LIKE--BUT TO DO THIS STRICTLY AS A PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN AND NOT TO MAKE FORMAL CHARGES WHICH MIGHT FORCE AN OPEN BREAK.

OFFICIALS SAID PRESENT AMERICAN POLICY CALLS FOR CONTINUING DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH MOSCOW AND FOR TAKING NO STEPS TO FORCE THE RUSSIANS OUT OF THE U.N. THIS GOVERNMENT IS STILL COUNTING ON EVENTUAL PEACE IN KOREA TO IMPROVE RATHER THAN DIM THE PROSPECTS FOR WORLD ACCORD.

THE LATEST BLAST IN PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN WAS LOOSED YESTERDAY BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON. HE MADE THREE CHARGES AGAINST RUSSIA AND ITS DELEGATE IN THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL, JAKOB MALIK.

ACHESON ASSERTED IN A STATEMENT (1) THAT THE SOVIETS DESIRE A KOREAN SETTLEMENT WHICH WOULD BE "ABJECT SUBMISSION TO COMMUNIST CONTROL"; (2) THAT RUSSIAN TACTICS IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL ARE DESIGNED "TO THWART THE U.N. EFFORT TO RESTORE PEACE AND SECURITY" IN KOREA, AND (3) THAT MALIK HAS DISREGARDED "THE DUTIES OF HIS OFFICE" AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON THURSDAY HAD ACCUSED MALIK OF FILIBUSTERING --BLOCKING U.N. ACTION ON KOREA WITH LONG TIRADES AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.

ABOUT THE SAME TIME AMBASSADOR WARREN AUSTIN, AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVE AT LAKE SUCCESS, ASSERTED RUSSIA IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE KOREAN WAR AND FOR THE FAILURE TO MAKE PEACE BY RECALLING THE NORTH KOREAN INVADERS.

ACHESON, AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE, ALSO URGED CONGRESS TO APPROVE AN $89,000,000 FUND FOR A "CAMPAIGN OF TRUTH" AGAINST SOVIET PROPAGANDA.

HE GOT SOME SUPPORT FROM SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF), WHO TOLD A REPORTER HE WILL SUPPORT AN INCREASE IN FUNDS FOR THE VOICE OF AMERICA, FOREIGN-BEAMED SHORT WAVE PROGRAMS, BECAUSE HE THINKS MOSCOW HAS BEEN WINNING THE PROPAGANDA BATTLE.

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AS AMERICAN OFFICIALS OUTLINE STRATEGY IN THE WAR OF WORDS, THIS COUNTRY WAS EXTREMELY CAREFUL AT THE OUTSET OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING TO LODGE ITS CHARGES OF AGGRESSION ON THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS. OFFICIALS WERE CONVINCED THAT RUSSIA HAD INSPIRED THE ATTACK, BUT THEY HOPED MOSCOW WOULD ALSO CALL IT OFF AND THEY DID NOT WANT TO TAKE ANY STEP WHICH WOULD MAKE THAT DIFFICULT TO DO.

SOVIET PROPAGANDA SHOWED NO SUCH RESTRAINT. WEEKS BEFORE MALIK RETURNED TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL THE RUSSIAN RADIO AND PRESS WERE SAYING THAT THE U.S. WAS THE REAL AGGRESSOR IN KOREA.

MALIK'S RETURN AFTER A MONTH-LONG ABSENCE WAS PUZZLING AT THE OUTSET. HIS PURPOSE BECAME CLEARER AS HIS CAMPAIGN OF ABUSE AND STALLING DEVELOPED--SO CLEAR, IN FACT, THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT DECIDED HE WAS HIS OWN WORST ENEMY PROPAGANDA-WISE. AFTER HE HAD MADE HIS CASE PERFECTLY PLAIN THEY LAUNCHED THE COUNTER-ATTACK WHICH AUSTIN LEDD OFF A FEW DAYS AGO.

OFFICIALS SAY THEY ARE CONFIDENT THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD WHO INFLUENCE PUBLIC OPINION IN LANDS OUTSIDE THE IRON CURTAIN MUST NOW REALIZE WHAT THE RUSSIANS ARE UP TO AND HOW FULLY THEY ARE SUPPORTING THE KOREAN AGGRESSION WITH DIPLOMACY AND PROPAGANDA.

AT THE SAME TIME, AS THINGS NOW STAND THESE OFFICIALS DO NOT EXPECT TO FORMALIZE IN DIPLOMATIC PROTESTS OR IN U.N. RESOLUTIONS THE ACCUSATION THAT RUSSIA IS THE REAL BEHIND-THE-SCENES POWER IN THE KOREAN AGGRESSION.

THAT IS THE BASIS FOR THE "FIGLEAF" NAME FOR THE OPERATION, WHICH STOPS JUST SHORT OF AN ALL-OUT EFFORT TO STRIP AWAY RUSSIA'S PRETENSES AS A POWER EXCLUSIVELY DEVOTED TO THE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE.

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A10WX (PENTAGON)

(190) KOREAN MILITARY

WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID AT 2:30 P.M. EST TODAY THAT THE IMPORTANT AIRFIELD OUTSIDE POHANG ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA WAS STILL IN AMERICAN HANDS AT THE LAST REPORT TO DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS.

AMERICAN TANKS AND INFANTRY ARE DEFENDING THE FIELD FROM A COMMUNIST'S THRUST DOWN THE COAST, WHICH HAS CARRIED INTO THE PORT OF POHANG.

THE ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS AT A PENTAGON BRIEFING THAT A BUILD-UP OF KOREAN COMMUNIST FORCES IS CONTINUING AROUND THE LITTLE TOWN OF SUNGO IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR.

THE BRIEFING OFFICER EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE THROWN EVERYTHING INTO THE FIGHTING IN SOUTHWEST KOREA.

ASKED ABOUT A PRESS REPORT THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE DONE THIS, LEAVING THEMSELVES WITH NO RESERVE TROOPS BETWEEN THERE AND THE LOST SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF SEOUL, HE SAID:

"WE HAVE NO INFORMATION TO INDICATE THAT. THEY HAVE PUT A GREAT EFFORT INTO THE FIGHTING IN THE SOUTH; THEY HAVE STRAINED THEMSELVES AND HAVE TAKEN HEAVY LOSSES--BUT THEY SEEM TO KEEP COMING. I DOUBT THAT THEY HAVE LEFT THEIR REAR COMPLETELY DENUDED OF TROOPS."

A SPOKESMAN SAID THE NORTH KOREANS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE TAKEN THE RAILROAD STATION AT POHANG.

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(210) COMBAT TEAMS

WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE ARMY'S REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS--TWO OF WHICH ARE FIGHTING IN SOUTH KOREA--ARE FLEXIBLE, SELF SUPPORTING UNITS WHICH CAN FIGHT AS PART OF A DIVISION OR OPERATE SEPARATELY.

THE TEAMS WON A REGULAR PLACE IN THE U.S. ARMY LINE-UP IN WORLD WAR II. THE TEAM IDEA GREW OUT OF DIVISION STRUCTURE CHANGES THAT GOT UNDERWAY IN 1937. THE OLD ARMY DIVISION, COMPRISING FOUR INFANTRY REGIMENTS AND THREE ARTILLERY REGIMENTS, WAS BROKEN DOWN INTO A THREE REGIMENT, OR TRIANGULAR DIVISION.

THE WORLD WAR I DIVISION NORMALLY HAD TWO BRIGADES, EACH OF TWO INFANTRY REGIMENTS. THE ARTILLERY REGIMENTS OPERATED AS A SEPARATE BRIGADE. IN PRACTICE THIS MEANT THAT THERE WERE ALWAYS TWO INFANTRY TACTICAL UNITS DEMANDING ARTILLERY SUPPORT. THAT RESULTED IN A LOT OF MESSAGE SENDING AND RED TAPE THAT LIMITED THE OVERALL SPEED AND MANEUVERABILITY OF THE DIVISION.

THE NORMAL REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM--THE ARMY SHORTENS THE NAME TO

R.C.T.--IS BUILT AROUND ONE INFANTRY REGIMENT. IT HAS ALL THE COMPONENT UNITS NORMALLY NEEDED TO SUPPORT THE REGIMENT AS A FIGHTING FORCE.

THESE DIRECT SUPPORT UNITS ALL UNDER DIRECT COMMAND OF THE TEAM'S BRIGADIER-GENERAL, INCLUDE A BATTALION OF LIGHT ARTILLERY, ONE COMPANY OF MEDIUM TANKS, ENGINEERS, ORDNANCE MAINTENANCE AND TRUCK COMPANIES.

WHEN FIGHTING AS PART OF A DIVISION, THE COMBAT TEAMS CAN BE GIVEN ADDITIONAL SUPPORT BY THE DIVISION RESERVES OF ARTILLERY, TANKS OR SPECIAL WEAPONS.

THE TWO R.C.T.'S FIGHTING IN SOUTH KOREA TODAY, THE 5TH AND 35TH, PROBABLY HAVE BEEN STRENGTHENED WITH ADDITIONAL TANKS AND GUNS. THESE TWO ARMY TEAMS ARE ACTUALLY COORDINATED WITH THE BRIGADE FROM THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION, FORMING WHAT AMOUNTS TO A DIVISION.

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(250) CASUALTIES

WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE ARMY, DENYING THAT IT HAS OR WILL CONCEAL FROM THE PUBLIC THE EXTENT OF U.S. CASUALTIES IN KOREA, ACKNOWLEDGES THAT IT HAS GIVEN CONGRESS FIGURES LARGER THAN THOSE MADE PUBLIC AT THE TIME.

"FLASH FIGURES" WHICH INCLUDED REPORTS OF CASUALTIES NOT CONFIRMED WERE RECENTLY GIVEN TO A CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE, THE ARMY SAID IN A STATEMENT LAST NIGHT. THAT TOTAL WAS HIGHER THAN THE NUMBER OF OFFICIALLY CONFIRMED CASUALTIES WHICH HAD BEEN MADE PUBLIC, THE ARMY SAID.

ANY REPORTS WHICH INCLUDE UNCONFIRMED CASUALTIES ARE NOT MADE PUBLIC, THE ARMY SAID, BECAUSE IT DOES NOT WANT TO CAUSE UNNECESSARY ANXIETY AMONG SOLDIERS' RELATIVES AND BECAUSE IT DOES NOT WANT THE ENEMY TO GET USEFUL INFORMATION.

THE ARMY ISSUED THE EXPLANATION, IT SAID, BECAUSE "THERE HAS BEEN MUCH DISCUSSION ABOUT CASUALTIES IN KOREA."

SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) SAID IN A SPEECH IN HIS HOME STATE THIS WEEK THAT CASUALTY FIGURES WERE "BEING CONCEALED." HE SAID THE NATION WOULD BE SHOCKED WHEN THE TRUTH ABOUT U.S. LOSSES WAS KNOWN.

SECRET TESTIMONY REPORTING TOTALS OF CONFIRMED AND UNCONFIRMED CASUALTIES WAS GIVEN TO A CONGRESSIONAL APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE, THE ARMY SAID, BECAUSE IT WANTED CONGRESS TO HAVE THE LATEST POSSIBLE INFORMATION.

ANY SUCH "FLASH FIGURES," IT ADDED, ARE NECESSARILY LARGER THAN THE TOTALS WHICH--SINCE THEY INCLUDE ONLY CONFIRMED CASUALTIES--HAVE BEEN MADE PUBLIC.

"THE ARMY WILL CONTINUE ITS POLICY OF FURNISHING TO THE PUBLIC AS PROMPTLY AS AVAILABLE THE NAMES OF CASUALTIES WHEN CONFIRMED LISTS ARE RECEIVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY AND THE NEXT OF KIN HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED," THE STATEMENT SAID.

"NOTHING SO FAR HAS BEEN HIDDEN FROM THE PUBLIC AND NOTHING WILL BE HIDDEN FROM THE PUBLIC IN THIS REGARD."

THE LAST CASUALTY SUMMARY THE ARMY SUPPLIED WAS THROUGH AUG. 6. THAT FIGURE OF 2,616 INCLUDED 153 KILLED, 1,590 WOUNDED AND 873 MISSING.

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(250) WASHINGTON, AUG 12-(AP)-SEVENTY-FOUR PATIENTS, INCLUDING KOREAN WAR-WOUNDED, WERE FLOWN TO THE UNITED STATES TODAY IN A SINGLE PLANE IN THE LARGEST AIR EVACUATION FLIGHT OVER WATER IN HISTORY.

THIS WAS ANNOUNCED BY THE MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT SERVICE. IT SAID A DOUGLAS C-74 GLOBEMASTER BROUGHT THE PATIENTS FROM HONOLULU AND DISCHARGED THEM AT FAIRFIELD-SUISUN AIRFIELD IN CALIFORNIA, WESTOVER FIELD IN MASSACHUSETTS AND BROOKLEY FIELD IN ALABAMA.

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OVER FIELD IN MASSACHUSETTS AND BROOKLEY FIELD IN ALABAMA.

THIRTY-FIVE OF THE PATIENTS WERE WOUNDED IN KOREA. THE REMAINDER WERE ROUTINE PATIENTS FROM ARMY, NAVY AND AIRFORCE STATIONS IN THE PACIFIC. IN ADDITION TO THE 74 PATIENTS, FOUR MEDICAL ATTENDANTS, TWO NURSES AND 10 CREW MEMBERS BROUGHT THE TOTAL NUMBER ABOARD TO 94.

MATS SAID THE BIG TRANSPORT REACHED FAIRFIELD-SUISUN AT 3 A.M. ITS CREW WAIVED RIGHTS FOR REST IN ORDER TO DELIVER THE PATIENTS QUICKLY TO HOSPITALS NEAR THEIR HOMES. MATS SAID THE PLANE ARRIVED AT WESTOVER AFTER A NON-STOP FLIGHT FROM FAIRFIELD-SUISUN AND THAT IT WAS DUE AT BROOKLEY IN ALABAMA LATE TODAY.

ANOTHER GLOBEMASTER WITH 73 PATIENTS ABOARD PRECEDED THE RECORD FLIGHT BY A FEW HOURS. MATS SAID THE LARGEST PREVIOUS AIR EVACUATION FLIGHT OVER WATER BROUGHT HOME 67 PATIENTS THREE WEEKS AGO. DURING WORLD WAR II, AIR EVACUATION FLIGHTS SELDOM EXCEEDED 30 PATIENTS.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-A CAMPAIGN WAS BEING PLANNED TODAY TO FLY HANDMADE UNITED NATIONS FLAGS IN EVERY TOWN AND CITY IN THE COUNTRY AS A SYMBOL OF SUPPORT FOR U.N. ACTION IN KOREA.

TAKING PART ARE THE NATIONAL GRANGE, 4-H CLUBS, THE FEDERAL EXTENSION SERVICE AND OTHER FARM ORGANIZATIONS.

THE IDEA WAS ORIGINATED BY ALBERT E.JOHNSON, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS FOR THE GRANGE. GUY L.NOBLE OF CHICAGO, DIRECTOR OF THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE ON BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB WORK, OFFERED HELP OF 4-H AND OTHER YOUTH GROUPS IN MAKING AND DISTRIBUTING FLAG PATTERNS.

THE PLAN IS TO HAVE WOMEN IN FARM ORGANIZATIONS, EXTENSION SERVICE, CHURCH AND CIVIC GROUPS MAKE FLAGS AND PRESENT THEM TO THEIR LOCAL COMMUNITIES.

THE U.N. FLAG IS LIGHT BLUE. IN THE CENTER IN WHITE IS THE U.N. SYMBOL--A POLAR MAP OF THE WORLD EMBRACED IN OLIVE BRANCHES.

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(400) NIGHT LEAD CENSORSHIP

WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IS PROPOSING THAT THE TERMS OF ANY CENSORSHIP IMPOSED IN THE KOREAN WAR ZONE APPLY TO NEWSGATHERING IN THE UNITED STATES AS WELL, OFFICIALS HERE SAID TODAY.

THIS COUNTERPROPOSAL FROM THE FAR EAST COMMAND CAME AS THE PENTAGON, BACKED BY EVEN HIGHER WASHINGTON OFFICIALS, WAS URGING MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS TO PUT INTO EFFECT A CENSORSHIP-FOR-MILITARY-SECURITY.

SO FAR AS IS KNOWN, NO MANDATORY ORDER HAS GONE FORTH FROM WASHINGTON TO THE TOKYO AND FIELD COMMANDS. DISPATCHES UP TO NOW APPARENTLY HAVE BEEN COUCHED IN TERMS OF RECOMMENDATIONS OR SUGGESTIONS.

HOWEVER, THE REPORTED COUNTERPROPOSAL FROM MACARTHUR'S HEAD-

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QUARTERS APPARENTLY IS AT VARIANCE WITH THINKING HERE. PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS BEEN DESCRIBED AS DEEPLY CONCERNED ABOUT PUBLISHED AND BROADCAST INFORMATION COMING FROM THE FAR EAST.

AS EXPLAINED IN AUTHORITATIVE QUARTERS, THE TOP LEVEL VIEW HERE IS ABOUT LIKE THIS:

1. INSTANCES OF PUBLIC DISCLOSURE OF TACTICAL MILITARY INFORMATION OF VALUE TO THE ENEMY HAVE OCCURRED IN THE FAR EAST.

2. INFORMATION RELEASED HERE GENERALLY HAS BEEN WITHIN THE BOUNDS OF MILITARY SECURITY, ALTHOUGH A NEW TIGHTENING UP WAS ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY BY THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT.

AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT ANNOUNCEMENT FORBADE ANY FURTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE ARMED FORCES OF THE DESTINATION OF UNITS WHICH HAVE BEEN ALERTED. (SINCE THE START OF THE KOREAN WAR, ALL OF THE ARMED FORCES HAVE ANNOUNCED THE GENERAL DESTINATION IN DISCLOSING THAT DIVISIONS, SMALLER TROOP UNITS, AIR FORCE OUTFITS AND NAVY SHIPS WERE BEING READIED FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE.)

IT WAS DISCLOSED TODAY THAT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON HAD ALSO ISSUED ANOTHER ORDER FORBIDDING THE ARMED FORCES TO ANNOUNCE THE MOVEMENTS OF NAVAL VESSELS, TRANSPORTS AND MILITARY CARGO SHIPS FROM THE WEST OR EAST COASTS, EITHER BEFORE OR AFTER THEIR DEPARTURE.

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THE PENTAGON WANTS THE FAR EAST COMMAND TO SET UP A DEFINITIVE CODE WHICH WILL MAKE CLEAR TO WAR CORRESPONDENTS WHAT WILL AND WHAT WILL NOT BE OF POSSIBLE AID TO THE ENEMY IN PLANNING HIS DAILY TACTICAL OPERATIONS.

IN THIS CONNECTION, SOME OFFICIALS HERE HAVE EXPRESSED PARTICULAR CONCERN OVER RELEASE OF BATTLEFRONT INFORMATION WHICH THEY SAID IDENTIFIED SPECIFIC UNITS, GAVE THE EXACT TIME OF THEIR LANDING IN KOREA AND, IN OTHER INSTANCES, FORECAST TROOP MOVEMENTS AND THE ROUTES THAT WOULD BE TAKEN.

PENTAGON OFFICIALS SAY THEY DO NOT BLAME THE WAR CORRESPONDENTS, BUT THE FAILURE TO PROVIDE CENSORSHIP GUIDANCE SUCH AS WAS ESTABLISHED WHEN AMERICAN FORCES ENTERED THEATERS OF OPERATION DURING WORLD WAR II.

MOREOVER, THESE OFFICIALS POINT OUT THAT THE MILITARY ITSELF HAS GIVEN OUT SOME INFORMATION OF POSSIBLE VALUE TO THE ENEMY.

ONE INSTANCE CITED IS A REBROADCAST OVER AN OFFICIALLY-SPONSORED PROGRAM OF AN INTERVIEW WITH A PRIVATE AT THE FRONT WHO SAID HE WASN'T FIGHTING TOO HARD BECAUSE HE HAD A WIFE AND CHILDREN AT HOME. A HIGH RANKING OFFICER HERE SHOOK HIS HEAD WEARILY AND SAID:

"CAN YOU IMAGINE WHAT SEOUL CITY SUE WILL DO WITH THAT ITEM?"

SEOUL CITY SUE IS THIS WAR'S VERSION OF "TOKYO ROSE," THE WOMAN WHO BROADCAST PROPAGANDA FROM THE JAPANESE CAPITAL DURING WORLD WAR II.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE U.S. NAVY ANNOUNCED TODAY IT WOULD WITHHOLD PUBLIC INFORMATION ON THE MOVEMENTS OF NAVAL VESSELS IN THE FUTURE.

A NAVY SPOKESMAN HERE SAID THE BAN WAS ORDERED BY THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

HE SAID THE INFORMATION BAN WAS NATION-WIDE, EFFECTIVE AT 1 P.M. (EST) TODAY.

INCLUDED UNDER THE NEW SECRECY CLOAK WILL BE THE ARRIVAL OF MILITARY SEA TRANSPORTS BRINGING DISPLACED PERSONS TO THE UNITED STATES FROM BREMERHAVEN, GERMANY, AND OTHER EUROPEAN PORTS.

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PRECEDE NEW SHIPS CENSORSHIP

WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON HAS DIRECTED THE ARMED SERVICES NOT TO MAKE PUBLIC INFORMATION ON MOVEMENTS OF NAVAL VESSELS, TRANSPORTS OR MILITARY CARGO SHIPS FROM THE WEST OR EAST COASTS, EITHER BEFORE OR AFTER THEIR DEPARTURE.

THIS INSTRUCTION WAS ADDED RECENTLY TO DIRECTIONS WHICH JOHNSON GAVE THE SECRETARIES OF THE ARMED SERVICES ON JULY 13 REGARDING THE RELEASE OF INFORMATION.

NEW NAVY INSTRUCTIONS WENT EVEN FURTHER. BESIDES CLAMPING A LID ON MOVEMENT OF ITS SHIPS FROM AMERICAN PORTS, THE NAVY PLACED IN THE HIGH-SECRET CLASS THE SAILINGS OF ITS VESSELS FROM ONE FOREIGN PORT TO ANOTHER.

THE ORIGINAL INSTRUCTIONS IMPOSED A NUMBER OF LIMITATIONS ON THE RELEASE OF INFORMATION BY THE ARMED SERVICES IN ORDER "TO SAFEGUARD THE NATIONAL SECURITY IN CONNECTION WITH OPERATIONS IN THE FAR EAST COMMAND."

THE ORIGINAL INSTRUCTIONS SAID THAT MOVEMENTS OF NAVAL VESSELS AND TRANSPORT OR CARGO SHIPS FROM THE WEST COAST MIGHT BE MENTIONED AFTER DEPARTURE, BUT THAT THE SERVICES COULD MAKE NO MENTION OF MOVEMENTS WEST OF PEARL HARBOR. IT SAID ALSO THAT PICTURES OF LOADINGS, SAILINGS AND "REACTIVATION OPERATIONS" OF NAVAL VESSELS MIGHT BE USED "WITHIN NORMAL SECURITY LIMITS IMPOSED BY THE LOCAL COMMANDER."

THIS INSTRUCTION HAS SINCE BEEN REPLACED BY THE FOLLOWING:

"MOVEMENTS OF NAVAL VESSELS AND TRANSPORT OR CARGO SHIPS FROM THE WEST OR EAST COASTS WILL NOT BE ANNOUNCED BEFORE OR AFTER DEPARTURE."

IT WAS REPORTED FROM NEW YORK TODAY THAT NAVAL AUTHORITIES THERE HAVE RECEIVED AN ORDER FROM ADMIRAL FOREST P.SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, TO STOP RELEASING ANY INFORMATION ABOUT SHIP MOVEMENTS. THIS APPARENTLY CARRIES OUT JOHNSON'S INSTRUCTIONS.

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LEGION (180)

PHILADELPHIA, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE AMERICAN LEGION PENNSYLVANIA STATE CONVENTION TODAY ADOPTED A RESOLUTION URGING THAT THE UNITED STATES "USE EVERY AVAILABLE INSTRUMENT OF WARFARE" IN KOREA.

THE RESOLUTION WAS REFERRED TO IN DEBATE FROM THE CONVENTION FLOOR AS "THE ATOMIC BOMB RESOLUTION" ALTHOUGH IT DID NOT SPECIFY WHAT THE SPONSOR CONSIDERS AN "AVAILABLE INSTRUMENT OF WARFARE."

ADOPTION BY A VOICE VOTE CAME IN A SURPRISE ACTION A FEW MINUTES AFTER NATIONAL COMMANDER GEORGE N.CRAIG TOLD THE CONVENTION AMERICAN MEN ARE DYING IN KOREA "BECAUSE CONGRESS REFUSED TO ENACT A LAW ON UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING." CRAIG DID NOT REFER TO ATOMIC WEAPONS IN HIS SPEECH.

THE RESOLUTION WAS SPONSORED BY M.F.BEAMER,JR.,OF MEYERSDALE, COMMANDER OF THE LEGION'S 23RD PENNSYLVANIA DISTRICT. THE PROPOSAL HAD BEEN DEFEATED IN COMMITTEE YESTERDAY, AND REJECTED AGAIN WHEN BROUGHT UP ON THE CONVENTION FLOOR. BUT A NEW MOVE TO RECONSIDER TODAY WON A SHOUTED CHORUS OF APPROVAL FROM THE DELEGATES, AND THE RESOLUTION WAS PASSED ON A VOICE VOTE.

ASKED SPECIFICALLY BY NEWSMEN WHETHER HE MEANT TO SUGGEST IN THE RESOLUTION THAT THE U.S., SHOULD USE THE ATOMIC BOMB, BEAMER REPLIED:

"YES AND ANY OTHER MEANS OF WARFARE AT OUR DISPOSAL."

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NEW YORK, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE TIMES SAID TODAY THE SUGGESTION THAT JAPANESE FORCES SHOULD BE RECRUITED FOR WAR SERVICE IN KOREA "SHOULD BE DROPPED," EVEN THOUGH GENERAL MACARTHUR "PROBABLY COULD GET SOLDIERS ALREADY TRAINED IN THE TYPE OF COMBAT REQUIRED."

IN AN EDITORIAL, THE NEWSPAPER SAID:

"FIRST, AND THIS CONSIDERATION IS OVERRIDING, KOREA WAS UNDER JAPANESE DOMINATION FOR ALMOST 50 YEARS. TO ALMOST EVERY KOREAN THE JAPANESE IS STILL THE FIRST ENEMY. ONE OF THE OBJECTIVES OF THE PACIFIC WAR WAS THE LIBERATION OF KOREA FROM THE JAPANESE, AND FEW KOREANS WOULD EVER UNDERSTAND HOW THE RENEWED BATTLE FOR THEIR LIBERATION COULD BE RECONCILED WITH THE RETURN OF JAPANESE SOLDIERY.

"SECOND, JAPAN IS NOT A MEMBER OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE FORCE DEFENDING KOREA IS A UNITED NATIONS FORCE. IF JAPANESE WERE EMPLOYED BY THE UNITED STATES, AS PART OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCE, THEY WOULD BE AUTOMATICALLY PLACED IN THE POSITION OF MERCENARIES RECRUITED BY THIS COUNTRY.

"THIRD, JAPAN, AT THE DIRECT PROMPTING OF THE UNITED STATES HAS WRITTEN INTO HER CONSTITUTION A PROVISION OUTLAWING THE MAINTENANCE OF AN ARMY. X X X

"THE UNITED STATES MAY WELL TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE JAPANESE OFFERS TO BE OF ASSISTANCE IN THE HANDLING OF STAGING AREAS AND IN THE MOVEMENT OF MEN AND EQUIPMENT. THE UNITED STATES MAY ALSO WELL DELEGATE TO THE JAPANESE CERTAIN FUNCTIONS THAT WILL LIGHTEN THE DUTIES OF THE OCCUPATION FORCES AND THUS MAKE POSSIBLE THE USE OF MORE COMBAT TROOPS IN KOREA.

"IN THAT CONNECTION, THE UNITED STATES WILL DO WELL TO GET ON WITH THE BUSINESS OF A PEACE TREATY WITH JAPAN AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE DATE.

"THE USE OF JAPANESE TROOPS IN KOREA IS QUITE ANOTHER MATTER. THAT SUGGESTION SHOULD BE DROPPED."

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CLEVELAND,AUG.12-(AP)-THE NATIONAL ADVOCATES SOCIETY AND THE POLISH MEDICAL AND DENTAL ASSOCIATION TODAY PLEDGED SUPPORT TO THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION IN THE KOREAN WAR.

BOTH GROUPS REPRESENT POLES IN THE UNITED STATES.

THEY PLEDGED THEIR SUPPORT IN A JOINT RESOLUTION WHICH ALSO COMMENDED THE GOVERNMENT FOR FIGHTING COMMUNISM HERE AND ABROAD.

BOTH ELECTED OFFICERS AT THEIR FINAL SESSIONS.

NATIONAL ADVOCATES SOCIETY OFFICERS ELECTED WERE WALTER J.LASKA OF PITTSBURGH, PRESIDENT; STEPHEN T.POTOK, PHILADELPHIA, VICE PRESIDENT; JOSEPH FORMA, BUFFALO, SECRETARY; AND ANDREW T.NOWAK, ERIE, PA., TREASURER.

THE MEDICAL AND DENTAL GROUP REELECTED FOUR CLEVELAND OFFICERS.

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CHICAGO,AUG.12-(AP)-THE "AGONIZING STORY" OF THE 24TH DIVISION'S LONE STAND IN THE FIRST 19 DAYS OF THE KOREAN WAR WAS TOLD TODAY BY THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.

IN A DISPATCH FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, WALTER SIMMONS, TRIBUNE CORRESPONDENT, SAID GROWING AMERICAN STRENGTH IN KOREA MADE POSSIBLE THE LIFTING OF VOLUNTARY CENSORSHIP ON THE STORY OF THE DIVISION.

THE DIVISION WAS COMMANDED BY MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM DEAN OF CARLYLE, ILL., WHO IS MISSING IN ACTION.

SIMMONS SAID THE 24TH LANDED IN KOREA WITH ONLY 12,500 OF THE 18,000 OFFICERS AND MEN NORMALLY IN AN INFANTRY DIVISION. HE SAID ITS BATTLE LOSSES WERE NEARLY 30 PER CENT--94 MEN KILLED IN ACTION, 901 RECOVERED WOUNDED, AND 2,562 MISSING.

HE SAID THE DIVISION LOST 80 OF ITS TWO AND A HALF TON TRUCKS, ONE-THIRD OF ITS JEEPS, ONE-FOURTH OF ITS THREE-FOURTH TON TRUCKS, AND LARGE QUANTITIES OF WEAPONS AND SUPPLIES.

THE DIVISION WAS ORDERED TO LEAVE JAPAN JUNE 30. SIMMONS SAID: "THREE DAYS LATER IT HAD ADVANCED LEADING ELEMENTS 200 MILES WITHIN KOREA AND MADE THE FIRST MAJOR CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY. THIS IS BELIEVED TO BE THE FASTEST SUCH MOVE IN AMERICAN MILITARY HISTORY."

TWO "UNDERSTRENGTH" COMPANIES ENGAGED THE ENEMY JULY 5 AND WERE OVERRUN, LOSING 140 MEN, MOST OF THEIR WEAPONS AND AN ARTILLERY BATTERY, SIMMONS SAID.

HE ADDED:

THE DIVISION ENTERED BATTLE WITH REGIMENTS OF ONLY TWO BATTALIONS INSTEAD OF THREE. IT HAD ONLY LIGHT RECONNAISSANCE TANKS WITH 75 MM. CANNON AGAINST HEAVILY ARMORED RUSSIAN TANKS. IT HAD NO ANTI-TANK GUNS AND ONLY THE OBSOLETE 2.36 BAZOOKAS "WHICH PROVED COMPLETELY INEFFECTIVE. A FEW NEW TYPE 3.5 INCH BAZOOKAS WITH 200 RROUNDS OF AMMUNITION ARRIVED BY AIR JULY 12. THESE HAVE PROVED TO BE THE ANSWER TO TANKS."

SOME UNITS LOST EVERYTHING. NORTH OF CHONGJU ALL TANKS SUPPORTING THE 34TH REGIMENT WERE KNOCKED OUT IN A VIOLENT ATTACK JULY 11 AND THE BATTALIONS' REMNANTS WERE REORGANIZED AS A COMPOSITE COMPANY.

AS THE TAEJON BATTLE BEGAN, THE 34TH REGIMENT WAS SENT WEST OF THE CITY, THE 21ST EAST, AND THE BATTERED 19TH (WHICH BY THE END OF THE FIGHTING WAS REDUCED TO 11 PER CENT OF ITS ORIGINAL STRENGTH) SOUTH-EAST, NEAR YONGDONG. THE DIVISION ARTILLERY WAS LOCATED NEAR THE TAEJON AIRSTRIP AND THE 19TH'S SECOND BATTALION HAD ARRIVED FROM THE EAST BY TRAIN TO BOLSTER THE 34TH.

SIMMONS SAID "THE ENEMY STRUCK AT DAWN JULY 17 WITH AN ATTACK SO DEVASTATING THAT THE DEFENDERS WERE CHOPPED TO PIECES. LED BY GEN. DEAN, WHO HAD ORDERS TO HOLD TAEJON THREE DAYS MORE, THE YANKS FOUGHT GALLANTLY AGAINST OVERWHELMING ODDS. ONLY IN THE LATE AFTERNOON WAS THE ORDER GIVEN FOR THE MEN TO WITHDRAW AS BEST THEY COULD FROM THE BURNING AND ENCIRCLED CITY.

"BY THAT TIME THE FIRST CAVALRY (INFANTRY) DIVISION HAD ARRIVED FROM THE TOKYO AREA FRESH AND READY FOR COMBAT. THE BATTERED 24TH MOVEI TO THE REAR FOR REPLACEMENT OF LOST MEN AND MATERIAL.

"IT HAD PAID A HEAVY PRICE, BUT IT HAD PREVENTED THE ENEMY FROM RACING TO PUSAN."

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DETROIT, AUG.12-(AP)-THE NAME OF PVT.JOHNNY MARRUSO WILL LIVE IN DETROIT BECAUSE HE WAS BURIED IN OBSCURITY.

NINETEEN YEAR-OLD JOHNNY, BROUGHT UP ON THIS CITY'S TEEMING EAST SIDE, WAS THE FIRST DETROIT SOLDIER KILLED IN THE KOREAN WAR.

HIS BODY WAS SHIPPED HOME TO HIS WIDOWED MOTHER, MRS.LENA MARRUSO AND HE WAS BURIED LAST THURSDAY AFTER A QUIET FAMILY SERVICE.

ONLY THEN DID DETROIT REMEMBER JOHNNY. NEWSPAPERS STORMED THAT HE HAD BEEN FORGOTTEN AND CHARGED THAT HE HAD BEEN DENIED THE RITES OF A SOLDIER. THEY SAID ONLY FOUR VETERANS IN MOTLEY UNIFORM

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ATTENDED HIS FUNERAL.
ONE CITY OFFICIAL CALLED HIS BURIAL A "TRAVESTY"
TODAY DETROIT DECID TO MAKE JOHNNY MARRUSO'S NAME INDELIBLE. WITH THE BACKING OF THE DETROIT TIMES, CITY OFFICIALS PLANNED TO DEDICATE IN HIS NAME A LARGE CIVIC PLAYGROUND IN JOHNNY'S OLD NEIGHBORHOOD. MAYOR ALBERT COBO ORDERED FLAGS ON ALL CITY BUILDINGS TO BE FLOWN AT HALF STAFF UNTIL TUESDAY.
EVERYONE AGREED THAT JOHNNY MARRISO'S NAME MUST BE REMEMBERED, BUT THERE WAS DISAGREEMENT ABOUT HIS FUNERAL.
THREE MAJOR VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS AND THE ARMY DENIED IT HAD BEEN A "TRAVESTY."
EDWARD FENECH, DETROIT DISTRICT SERVICE OFFICER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, SAID THE FAMILY HAD REFUSED THE LEGION'S OFFER TO CONDUCT A MILITARY FUNERAL.
OFFICERS OF AMERICAN VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II SAID "SERVICES WERE ARRANGED JUST AS THE MOTHER SUGGESTED.
THE UNDERTAKER, LOUIS CALCATERRA, AGREED. AND THE ARMY SAID IT WOULD HAVE RUSHED A BURIAL TEAM HERE IF A REQUEST HAD COME IN TIME.
BUT EVERYONE WAS CERTAIN OF THIS: JOHNNY WOULD NO LONGER BE FORGOTTEN.
JOHN J.CONSIDINE, SUPERINTENDENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION, SAID:
"I KNOW IT IS THE CUSTOM TO NAME PARKS ONLY AFTER OUTSTANDING PUBLIC FIGURES OR GREAT MILITARY HEROES. STILL, JOHN MARRUSO GAVE ALL HE HAD FOR HIS COUNTRY--HIS LIFE...."
IN DEATH, HE IS A PUBLIC FIGURE IN DETROIT.
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TAFT (280)
COLUMBUS, O., AUG. 12-(AP)-SEN. ROBERT A. TAFT (R-OHIO) SAID LAST NIGHT THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION'S POLICY IN THE FAR EAST WAS "AN INVITATION," AND "A GREEN LIGHT" TO NORTH KOREANS TO ATTACK SOUTH KOREA.
HIS REMARKS WERE MADE AT MASS "PRESS CONFERENCE" WITH SOME 100 OHIO EDITORS AND NEWSPAPERMEN. THE OHIO REPUBLICAN EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION SPONSORED THE SESSION.
TAFT FLEW TO COLUMBUS TO BE GUEST SPEAKER AT THE MEETING.
"TIME AND AGAIN THE SECRETARY OF STATE SAID WE WOULD NOT DEFEND ANYTHING BEYOND OKINAWA, JAPAN AND THE PHILIPPINES," TAFT SAID. "CERTAINLY, WITH THAT INVITATION THE NORTH KOREANS HAD EVERY REASON TO BELIEVE WE MEANT WHAT WE SAID.
"IT IS FAIR TO SAY WE TOLD THE NORTH KOREANS: 'IT IS SAFE TO COME IN.' WE, IN EFFECT, GAVE THEM THE GREEN LIGHT. IF WE HAD MAINTAINED OUR TROOPS THERE, THERE NEVER WOULD HAVE BEEN AN ATTACK IN KOREA."
TAFT SAID IT WOULD BE UP TO THE UNITED NATIONS TO DECIDE WHETHER THE NORTH KOREANS SHOULD BE PUSHED ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL. HE SAID THE UNITED STATES COULD NOT DECIDE THAT QUESTION ALONE. HE ADDED:
"BUT IT SEEMS TO ME THAT IF ALL THE U.N. DOES IS TO PUSH THE NORTH KOREANS BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL WITHOUT PUNISHING THE AGGRESSORS, WE HAD BEST STAYED OUT. I THINK THERE SHOULD BE SOME PENALTY. WE ARE NOT THERE MERELY TO OCCUPY KOREA."
TAFT SAID HE DIDN'T THINK THE ADMINISTRATION ITSELF "KNOWS WHAT ITS FUTURE FOREIGN AND MILITARY POLICY SHOULD BE BUT THAT SUCH A DECISION WOULD HAVE TO BE MADE SOON.
TURNING TO HIS OPPOSITION TO ECONOMIC CONTROLS, THE OHIO SENATOR AGAIN VOICED OPPOSITION TO THE CONTROLS BILL NOW BEFORE THE SENATE. DECLARING IT VIRTUALLY CALLED FOR RESTORATION OF RATIONING, HE ASSERTED:
"I DON'T THINK SUCH A SYSTEM OF CONTROLS CAN STAND UP IN TIME OF PEACE, FOR YOU CAN'T RUN PRICE CONTROLS WITH JUSTICE. THEY ENCOURAGE LAWLESSNESS AND BLACK MARKETS.
"IF WE GET TO THE POINT WHERE WE SIMPLY CANNOT PAY AS WE GO, I THINK CONTROLS WILL BE NECESSARY, BUT, AS OF TODAY, THEY ARE NOT NECESSARY."
TAFT SAID THAT WITH A DECREASE IN DOMESTIC EXPENDITURES, INCREASED TAXES AND CREDIT CONTROL, IT IS "ENTIRELY POSSIBLE TO FINANCE THIS WAR AS WE GO."
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(110)
STURGIS,S.D.,AUG.12-(AP)-TWO CHEYENNE INDIANS HAVE COMPLETED TWO DAYS AND THREE NIGHTS OF FASTING AND PRAYER ATOP BEAR BUTTE MOUNTAIN, AND ARE CONFIDENT THEIR "PEACE PILGRIMAGE" WILL BRING AN END TO THE KOREAN WAR.
DAVID DEAFEY, LAME DEER, MONT., MADE THE PILGRIMAGE WITH HIS 26-YEAR-OLD SON. DEAFEY WAS AMONG INDIANS WHO PRAYED FOR PEACE ATOP THE 4,422-FOOT HIGH MOUNTAIN SHORTLY BEFORE THE END OF WORLD WAR II.
BEAR BUTTE, WHICH JUTS OUT OF THE PLAINS NORTH OF THE BLACK HILLS NEAR STURGIS, HAS BEEN A SHRINE OF THE ROVING PRAIRIE TRIBES SINCE THE DAWN OF RECORDED HISTORY.
DEAFEY MADE THE PILGRIMAGE FROM MONTANA IN AN OLD CAR WHICH CARRIED 12 MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY AND TENTS.
DEAFEY AND HIS SON WERE THE ONLY ONES TO CLIMB THE PRECIPITOUS MOUNTAIN. THEY BESEECHED THE GREAT SPIRIT TO END THE KOREAN WAR AND BRING PEACE TO THE WORLD AGAIN.
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DES MOINES, AUG.12-(AP)-THE IOWA COMMANDER OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS ASSERTED TODAY THAT PUBLICATION OF GRIM PICTURES OF THE KOREAN WAR MAKES IT DIFFICULT FOR AMERICANS ON THE HOME FRONT "TO KEEP THEIR CHINS UP."
WORTH KARNS, HEAD OF THE IOWA VFW DEPARTMENT, SPECIFICALLY CRITICIZED PUBLICATION OF PICTURES SHOWING BURIAL SERVICES FOR CANVASS-SHROUDED BODIES OF A GROUP OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS TEMPORARILY INTERRED IN A COMMON GRAVE AT KUMCHON.
KARNS URGED ALL VETERANS GROUPS AND THE PUBLIC TO MAKE AN ORGANIZED PROTEST AGAINST ANY FUTURE SIMILAR PUBLICATION. HE SAID THE PICTURES HAVE A "DEMORALIZING EFFECT ON THE HOME FRONT."
KARNS MADE HIS PROTEST IN A PREPARED STATEMENT. HE SAID HE WOULD URGE THE NATIONAL VFW ENCAMPMENT AT CHICAGO LATER THIS MONTH TO PASS A RESOLUTION OF PROTEST TO THE NATION'S PRESS.
"THE DAILY NEWS DISPATCHES HAVE PRESENTED A HORRIBLE WORD PICTURE OF THE RAVAGES WAR HAS TAKEN AMONG OUR FOOT-SORE AND POORLY ARMED SOLDIERS ON THE BATTLE FRONT," KARNS SAID.
"BUT TO SUPPLEMENT THIS WITH SHOCKINGLY VIVID PICTURES SEEMS TO ME TO BE A BRUTAL BLOW BENEATH THE BELT FOR THOSE THOUSANDS OF PERSONS IN THIS NATION, WHOSE BOYS ARE NOW GIVING THEIR ALL AGAINST THE COMMUNIST REDS."
KARNS SAID AMERICANS ARE "WELL APPRISED OF THE FACT THAT WE WERE PLUNGED INTO THIS CONFLICT, GREATLY UNPREPARED."
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(100)
GREEN BAY, WIS., AUG. 12-(AP)-SENATOR JOSEPH MC CARTHY (R-WIS.) RESTATED HIS ATTACK ON SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON TODAY AND OBLIQUELY LAID THE BLAME FOR THE KOREAN WAR ON TTE DOORSTEP OF THE WHITEHOUSE.
IN SHORT TALK BEFORE 1,800 CHEERING DELEGATES TO HIS HOME STAE'S AMERICAN LEGION CONVENTION HE REPEATED HIS CALL FOR THE REMOVAL OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE AND SAID:
"THE KOREA DEATH-TRAP WE CAN LAY TO THE DOORS OF THE KREMLIN AND THOSE WHO SABOTAGED REARMING, INCLUDING ACHESON AND THE PRESIDENT, IFYOU PLEASE."

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NIGHT LEAD ATOMIC
LONDON, AUG.12-(AP)-WILLIAM RALPH WAKEHAM, 35, HAS DELAYED A PRELIMINARY HEARING ON A CHARGE OF STEALING A BRIEFCASE FULL OF BRITISH ATOMIC SECRETS BY SLASHING HIS WRISTS IN HIS JAIL CELL.
THE HEARING, SCHEDULED FOR TODAY, WAS POSTPONED. HOSPITAL AUTHORITIES SAID, HOWEVER, WAKEMAN'S CONDITION WAS NOT SERIOUS.
THE ATOMIC DATA AND A SUITCASE WERE STOLEN MONDAY FROM THE TRAIN COMPARTMENT OF FRANK M.GREENLEES, AN OFFICIAL OF THE BRITISH SUPPLY MINISTRY'S ATOMIC ENERGY PRODUCTION DIVISION AT RISLEY, LANCASHIRE, WHEN HE LEFT THE COMPARTMENT FOR THREE MINUTES AT EUSTON STATION. SCOTLAND YARD ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THE RECOVERY OF THE BAGGAGE.
GREENLEES REPORTED ALL HIS PAPERS WERE INTACT.
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LONDON, AUG.12-(AP)-A MAN CHARGED WITH STEALING A BRIEFCASE FULL OF BRITISH ATOMIC SECRETS WAS HELD IN A HOSPITAL TODAY AFTER HE SLASHED HIS WRISTS IN HIS JAIL CELL.
HIS CONDITION WAS DESCRIBED AS "NOT SERIOUS," BUT A PRELIMINARY HEARING ON THE THEFT CHARGE, SCHEDULED FOR TODAY, WAS POSTPONED PENDING HIS RECOVERY. HE IS WILLIAM RALPH WAKEHAM, 35.
THE BRIEFCASE FULL OF ATOMIC SECRETS WAS STOLEN EARLIER THIS WEEK FROM FRANK M.GREENLEES, AN OFFICIAL OF THE SUPPLY MINISTRY'S ATOMIC ENERGY PRODUCTION DIVISION AT THE NEW BRITISH ATOMIC PLANT IN RISLEY, LANCASHIRE.
GREENLEES LEFT THE BRIEFCASE AND A SUITCASE IN HIS TRAIN COMPARTMENT AT EUSTON STATION FOR THREE MINUTES. WHEN HE RETURNED THEY WERE GONE. THE BAGGAGE WAS RECOVERED AND GREENLEES REPORTED TODAY, AFTER AN EXAMINATION OF HIS PAPERS, THAT ALL THE SECRETS WERE INTACT.
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A96
FIRST LEAD ILLUSTRIOUS
LONDON, AUG.12-(AP)-A METAL FILE HAS BEEN FOUND JAMMED IN A BOILER TUBE OF THE 23,000 TON AIRCRAFT CARRIER ILLUSTRIOUS, BUT THERE WAS NO DAMAGE AN ADMIRALTY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.
IT WAS BELIEVED THAT A CARELESS WORKMAN WAS RESPONSIBLE, BUT ROUTINE INVESTIGATIONS ARE CONTINUING, HE SAID.
THE WARSHIP IS UNDERGOING REPAIRS AT DEVONPORT.
THIS IS THE THIRD TIME THIS YEAR NAVAL INTELLIGENCE HAS BEEN CALLED ON TO INVESTIGATE INCIDENTS ON THE CARRIER. ONCE SIGNAL FLARES WERE FOUND IN THE BOILER ROOM AND ANOTHER TIME WATER WAS DISCOVERED IN THE SUPPLY OF AVIATION GASOLINE.
THERE HAVE BEEN OTHER RECENT CASES OF DAMAGE TO WARSHIPS. LOOSE BOLTS WERE FOUND STREWN IN THE GEARBOX OF THE DESTROYER CAVENDISH, AND SAND WAS FOUND IN THE BEARINGS OF THE SUBMARINE TALLYHO WHILE SHE WAS BEING REFITTED AT DEVONPORT.
JB503AED

A45
LONDON, AUG.12-(AP)-BRITAIN'S PARLIAMENT WILL MEET SEPT. 12 TO DISCUSS NATIONAL DEFENSE.
THE LEGISLATORS RECESSED JULY 28 AND WERE NOT SCHEDULED TO RECONVENE UNTIL OCT. 17.
PRIME MINISTER CLEMENT ATTLEE SENT OUT THE SUMMONS AFTER A LENGTHY CABINET SESSION AT WHICH, IT IS BELIEVED, MEMBERS HELD A WIDE-RANGING DISCUSSION OF BRITAIN'S DEFENSE POSITION.
THERE WERE UNCONFIRMED REPORTS THAT THE CABINET IS CONSIDERING RAISING MILITARY PAY AND LENGTHENING DRAFTEE SERVICE.
THE LABOR GOVERNMENT HAS ALREADY LAID DOWN A $9,520,000,000 REARMAMENT PROGRAM, BUT IT IS NOT BELIEVED TO BE FAR ENOUGH ALONG FOR PARLIAMENTARY DISCUSSION.
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B41 (Q)
(120)
LONDON, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE HEAVY CRUISER COLUMBUS HAS WON THE 1949-50 BATTLE EFFICIENCY PENNANT FOR BEING THE ALL-ROUND BEST CRUISER IN THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET, U.S. NAVY HEADQUARTERS IN LONDON ANNOUNCED TODAY.
IN COMPETITION WITH OTHER CRUISERS IN THE ATLANTIC FLEET, THE 17,500-TON COLUMBUS CAME OUT ON TOP IN ALL PHASES OF SHIPBOARD ACTIVITY, INCLUDING GUNNERY, COMMUNICATIONS, ENGINEERING AND SEAMANSHIP.
THE COLUMBUS, PERMANENTLY ASSIGNED TO THE U.S. EASTERN ATLANTIC AND MEDITERRANEAN FLEET, IS THE FLAGSHIP OF ADM. RICHARD L. CONOLLY, COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE FLEET. IT IS COMMANDED BY CAPT. EPHRAIM R. MCLEAN OF CLEVELAND, MISS., AND ARLINGTON, VA. CONOLLY PRESENTED A PENNANT TO THE COLUMBUS AS THE SHIP LAY AT ANCHOR IN FAMAGUSTA BAY, CYPRUS.
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DURHAM, ENG., AUG. 12-(AP)-A HUNDRED THOUSAND BRITISH COAL MINERS SENT A CABLE TO PRIME MINISTER STALIN TODAY ASKING HIM TO STOP THE FIGHTING IN KOREA.
THE MINERS ARE MEMBERS OF THE DURHAM AREA OF THE NATIONAL UNION OF MINE WORKERS. THEIR CABLED APPEAL WAS SIGNED BY SAM WATSON, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE AREA UNION, WHO ALSO IS CHAIRMAN OF BRITAIN'S LABOR PARTY.
THE CABLE ASKED STALIN TO ORDER THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS TO THEIR OWN HALF OF THE PENINSULA SO THAT MEDIATION COULD BEGIN. IT ADDED:
"WE AFFIRM THAT FOR THE UNITED NATIONS TO NEGOTIATE ON THIS ISSUE NOW, WITH A PISTOL TO ITS HEAD, WOULD BE TO PUT A PREMIUM ON AGGRESSION AND TO ENCOURAGE GANGUTERISM IN INTERNATIONAL DIPLOMACY."
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B68 (Q)
BOVINGDON, ENG., AUG.12-(AP)-A PLANELOAD OF 87 G.I. BRIDES AND CHILDREN, PLUS FIVE HUSBANDS, TOOK OFF TODAY FOR THE UNITED STATES AFTER A NINE WEEK VISIT TO THEIR OLD HOMES IN BRITAIN.
MOST OCCUPANTS OF THE CROWDED PLANE WERE HEADED FOR WASHINGTON STATE. A FEW WERE RETURNING TO CALIFORNIA.
THE PLANE TOOK OFF AFTER A TWO AND A HALF HOUR DELAY BECAUSE OF BAD WEATHER ALONG THE FIRST LEG OF THE FLIGHT TO ICELAND. FROM ICELAND THE PLANE GOES TO GANDER, NEWFOUNDLAND, THEN TO HAVANA, EN ROUTE TO SEATTLE.
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PARIS,AUG. 12-(AP)-THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT WILL PROPOSE NEXT WEEK THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN ATLANTIC PACT LOAN FUND TO HELP PAY FOR ARMING EUROPE AGAINST A POSSIBLE COMMUNIST INVASION, A SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE IDEA IS THAT THE FUND WOULD BE SUBSCRIBED TO BY MEMBER NATIONS AND PRIVATE INVESTORS AND REPAID IN CURRENCIES OF THE NATIONS DRAWING FROM IT.
THE HEART OF THE PLAN IS THE EXPECTATION THE UNITED STATES WILL PAY MOST OF THE COST AND THE REST WILL BE RAISED FROM THE RESOURCES OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS.
THE PLAN IS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE PACT DEPUTIES IN LONDON.
FRANCE HAS DRAFTED A REARMAMENT PROGRAM FOR HERSELF, CALLING FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF NEARLY $11,000,000,000 (B) IN THE NEXT THREE YEARS. THE PROGRAM CALLS FOR REQUIPMENT OF AN EXISTING SIX DIVISIONS, ALREADY RECEIVING NEW MATERIAL UNDER THE U.S.MILITARY AID PROGRAM, AND THE CREATION OF ANOTHER 15 DIVISIONS.
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A187
NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY (500)
BY PHILIP CLARKE
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 12-(AP)-BRITAIN'S WINSTON CHURCHILL AND POLITICAL FIGURES OF NINE OTHER WESTERN NATIONS ARE PREPARING TO DEMAND SUPPORT FROM THEIR GOVERNMENTS FOR CREATION OF A UNITED EUROPEAN ARMY, SOURCES IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE SAID TODAY.
CHURCHILL PROPOSED SUCH A UNIFIED ARMY YESTERDAY AS WESTERN EUROPE'S ANSWER TO THE THREAT OF SOVIET AGGRESSION, AND THE COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY VOTED APPROVAL, 89 TO FIVE WITH 27 ABSTENTIONS.
BUT THE ASSEMBLY HAS NO POWERS TO CREATE AN ARMY OR TO SET UP THE EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTRY WHICH IT DECIDED SHOULD BE THE DIRECTING AGENCY. ITS FUNCTION IS LIMITED TO RECOMMENDATIONS. THE ASSEMBLYMEN REPRESENT SECTIONS OF NATIONAL OPINION, BUT NOT THEIR GOVERNMENTS.
THE FRENCH SITUATION IS ILLUSTRATIVE. TWO FORMER PREMIERS OF FRANCE, GEORGES BIDAULT AND PAUL REYNAUD, ARE EXPECTED TO LEAD THE DRIVE IN FRANCE FOR CHURCHILL'S PLAN.
BUT A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN IN PARIS COMMENTED:
"WHAT HE (CHURCHILL) ASKS IS EXCELLENT, BUT IT SHOULD BE ACCOMPLISHED THROUGH THE ATLANTIC PACT AND NOT THROUGH THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE. ANY SUCH COMBINING OR UNIFICATION OF MILITARY FORCES OF THE WESTERN WORLD DEPENDS ON THE PARTICIPATION OF THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA, WHO ARE NOT AND NEVER WILL BE MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE BUT ARE MEMBERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT."
PROPONENTS OF THE UNITED ARMY PLAN EXPECT TO INTRODUCE IT IN THE PARLIAMENTS OF BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY, WEST GERMANY, TURKEY, GREECE, THE NETHERLANDS, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG AND THE SAAR.
AN 18-MAN ITALIAN DELEGATION VOTED 100 PER CENT IN FAVOR OF THE PLAN AND EXPECTS LITTLE OPPOSITION FROM PREMIER ALCIDE DE GASPERI'S UNITY-MINDED GOVERNMENT.
SCANDINAVIAN AND IRISH DELEGATIONS WERE MOSTLY AGAINST IT.
MEMBERS OF BRITAIN'S RULING LABOR PARTY SPLIT OVER THE PROPOSAL. OPPONENTS SAID IT WAS TOO VAGUE AND THE ASSEMBLY EXCEEDED ITS AUTHORITY IN VOTING FOR IT. BRITISH CONSERVATIVES BACKED CHURCHILL, BRITISH PRIME MINISTER IN WORLD WAR II.
BELGIAN SOCIALIST PAUL-HENRI SPAAK, PRESIDENT OF THE ASSEMBLY, GAVE HIS INDORSEMENT AT A NEWS CONFERENCE FOR A UNIFIED ARMY AND HIGH COMMAND.
"WHY WAIT UNTIL WAR COMES?" HE ASKED. "A WELL ORGANIZED EUROPEAN DEFENSE WOULD REINFORCE THE ATLANTIC COMMUNITY."
SPAAK EXPLAINED THAT THE PROPOSED EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTRY WOULD BE HEADED BY A PERSON RESPONSIBLE ONLY TO THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL. HE WOULD BE IN CHARGE OF GENERAL DEFENSE MATTERS AND MIGHT PRESIDE OVER A COMMITTEE MADE UP OF THE DEFENSE MINISTERS OF MEMBER NATIONS.
SPAAK SAID VOTING OF CHURCHILL'S RESOLUTION REPRESENTS A SPIRIT OF REVOLT IN THE ASSEMBLY AGAINST THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS, WHICH IS THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE. THE MINISTERS NOW HOLD VETO POWERS OVER THE ASSEMBLY UNDER COUNCIL STATUTES.

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THE ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMISSION, HEADED BY BIDAULT, SPEEDILY SET TO WORK TO DRAFT A CONVENTION FOR THE EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTRY. A SPECIAL SUBCOMMITTEE ON SECURITY WAS NAMED TO PREPARE THE CONVENTION FOR PRESENTATION TO THE NATIONAL PARLIAMENTS.
ITALIAN, FRENCH AND GERMAN ASSEMBLYMEN HAVE FORMALLY PROPOSED THE CREATION OF A EUROPEAN FEDERAL PACT, OPEN TO ADHERENCE NOW BY NATIONS DESIRING "CLOSER ORGANIC LINKS."
ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER CARLO SFORZA SAID IN AN INTERVIEW TODAY HE WOULD WELCOME A FEDERATION OF THOSE THREE NATIONS.
"A COMPLETE EUROPEAN FEDERATION WILL BE A LONG TIME IN THE MAKING," HE SAID. "I WELCOME MOST HEARTILY ANY LOYAL INTERMEDIARY FORMULA."
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SECOND LEAD CHURCHILL (270)
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG 12-(AP)-BELGIAN SOCIALIST LEADER PAUL-HENRI SPAAK WARNED WESTERN EUROPE TODAY TO SPEED A UNIFIED DEFENSE OR RISK DESTRUCTION OF ITS CIVILIZATION.

THE BRUSSELS AND NORTH ATLANTIC PACTS ARE "JUST SO MUCH INK AND PAPER," THE PRESIDENT OF THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE.

THE BELGIAN LEADER UNQUALIFIEDLY SUPPORTED WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL THAT WESTERN EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS COMBINE THEIR FORCES UNDER A SINGLE COMMAND AS A BULWARK AGAINST RUSSIAN AGGRESSION. A BRITISH CONSERVATIVE PARTY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT CHURCHILL WILL PRESENT HIS PROPOSAL--ALREADY ENDORSED BY THE ASSEMBLY--TO THE BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS WHEN IT MEETS IN SPECIAL SESSION SEPT.12.

SPAAK NOTED THAT THE EXPERIENCE OF TWO WORLD WARS HAD SHOWN THE ALLIES THE ADVANTAGES OF A UNIFIED COMMAND. HE ADDED THAT IN THESE CONFLICTS SUCH UNITY WAS ADOPTED ONLY AFTER "MILITARY MIRACLES"--THE BATTLE OF THE MARNE AND THE BATTLE OF LONDON--ENABLED THE ALLIES TO CARRY ON. HE ASKED:

"CAN OUR CIVILIZATION BASE ITS EXISTENCE ON A THIRD PERFORMANCE OF A MIRACLE?"

JOINING CHURCHILL'S DECLARATION FOR POSITIVE IMMEDIATE ACTION UNDER ONE DEFENSE MINISTER, THE BELGIAN LEADER SAID:

"WITH ALL THE WARNINGS WE'VE HAD, AND ALL THE TIME THAT'S BEEN GIVEN US, IF WE CANNOT SOLVE OUR PROBLEMS AND IF WE ARE ATTACKED WITHOUT BEING READY, THEN OUR RESPONSIBILITY BEFORE HISTORY WILL BE OVERWHELMING."

IN HIS CALL FOR AN OVERALL WESTERN EUROPEAN DEFENSE, CHURCHILL TOLD THE ASSEMBLY THAT HE WAS NOT A CANDIDATE FOR THE DEFENSE MINISTER'S JOB.

THE ASSEMBLY ADOPTED CHURCHILL'S MOTION TO SET UP THE UNIFIED FORCE 89-5 WITH 27 ABSTENTIONS, BUT ITS ACTION WILL HAVE NO IMMEDIATE PRACTICAL RESULTS. THE GROUP IS A COMPLETELY UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT WITH NO POWER TO CREATE A EUROPEAN ARMY OR DEFENSE MINISTRY.

CHURCHILL SAID HIS MOTION WAS INTENDED AS "WARNING AND GUIDANCE" FOR THE WESTERN WORLD. AS SUCH IT MAY SERVE TO SPUR OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT MOVES TOWARDS UNIFIED DEFENSE.

TO BACK UP THE ARMY OF UNITED EUROPE, CHURCHILL SAID, LARGE ARMED FORCES SHOULD BE SENT TO THE CONTINENT FROM BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES.

ALTHOUGH HE DID NOT MENTION GERMAN TROOPS IN HIS SPEECH ON THE FLOOR OF THE ASSEMBLY, CHURCHILL SAID AFTERWARDS HE WOULD BE DELIGHTED TO HAVE THEM TAKE PART IN THE ORGANIZATION.

HE SCOFFED AT REPORTS THAT REARMING GERMANY WOULD PRECIPITATE AN IMMEDIATE RUSSIAN ATTACK:

"BELIEVE ME," HE DECLARED, "THE LONG CALCULATED DESIGNS OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WILL NOT BE TIMED OR DEFLECTED BY EVENTS OF THIS ORDER."

CHURCHILL SAID THAT DURING THE TWO YEARS HE ESTIMATED IT WOULD TAKE TO BUILD UP THE EUROPEAN ARMY "WE ARE STILL UNDER THE SHILD OF THE ATOMIC BOMB, POSSESSED IN FORMIDABLE QUANTITIES BY THE UNITED STATES ALONE. IN MY OPINION WE HAVE A BREATHING SPACE."

THE BRITISH CONSERVATIVE LEADER URGED ALL NATIONS TO BEAR THEIR SHARE OF THE DEFENSE BURDEN AND SAID:

"THOSE WHO SERVE SUPREME CAUSES DO NOT CONSIDER WHAT THEY CAN GET, BUT WHAT THEY CAN GIVE. LET THAT BE OUR PRIVILEGE, LET THAT BE OUR RIVALRY IN THE YEARS THAT LIE BEFORE US."

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B13 (SECG)
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BERLIN, AUG. 11-(AP)-GERHART EISLER'S YEAR AS PROPAGANDA CHIEF OF THE COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN MARKED BY A SERIES OF FAILURES--A DANGEROUS TREND FOR ANY OFFICIAL UNDER A RED GOVERNMENT.

THE LATEST FAILURE CAME THIS WEEK -- AN ABOUT FACE BY THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT ON AN ALLEGED FIREBOMBING OF SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE TERRITORY BY AMERICAN PLANES. THE PROPAGANDA DEPARTMENT PUT THIS ONE OUT THURSDAY, AND THEN, RATHER HASTILY, WITHDREW IT.

COMMUNIST GOVERNMENTS ARE FAR FROM LENIENT ABOUT THE MISTAKES OF THEIR FUNCTIONARIES. EISLER HAD STARTED OFF WITH A BANG A YEAR AGO AFTER FLEEING THE UNITED STATES AS A FUGITIVE ABOARD A POLISH SHIP. BUT HE HAS HAD A SUCCESSION OF MISTAKES SINCE THEN.

APPARENTLY THE RUSSIANS VIEWED THE LAST EISLER MISTAKE AS A SERIOUS ONE, THE EAST GERMAN CABINET HAD TAKEN UP EISLER'S CHARGE ABOUT FIRE-BOMBS AND HAD GONE SO FAR AS TO THREATEN WEST GERMANY WITH RUSSIAN "PROTECTION" AGAINST ALLIED FLIGHTS TO BERLIN, HINTING AT AN AIR BLOCKADE. BUT THE RUSSIANS EVIDENTLY VETOED THE WHOLE PROPAGANDA THRUST, WHICH MAY HAVE GONE TOO FAR. THERE WAS NO EXPLANATION WHY THE STORY WAS KILLED.

THE BESPECTACLED PROPAGANDA CHIEF -- ONCE HE WAS CALLED THE TOP COMMUNIST AGENT IN THE UNITED STATES -- GOT HIS JOB SHORTLY AFTER HE ESCAPED EXTRADITION IN BRITAIN. HE SET UP SHOP IN THE FORMER HEADQUARTERS OF PAUL JOSEPH GOEBBELS, THE NAZI PROPAGANDA EXPERT. HE DID WELL, FROM COMMUNIST STANDARDS, AT FIRST AND THEN BEGAN TO OVERSELL THE JOB.

CHALKED UP AGAINST EISLER NOW ARE SUCH BOOMERANGES AS:

1. THE FREE GERMAN YOUTH MARCH OF 500,000 BLUESHIRTS WHO WERE TO STORM BERLIN LATE IN MAY. THE SHOW, FOR THE MOST PART, TURNED OUT TO BE A FLOP.

2. THE POTATO BUG CAMPAIGN. THIS IS THE CHARGE THAT THE UNITED STATES DROPPED COLORADO BEETLES ON CROPS IN EAST GERMANY. THIS WAS MET WITH LAUGHTER EVERYWHERE OUTSIDE THE IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES.

3. AN ANNOUNCEMENT THAT AN AMERICAN AND A BRITISH SOLDIER DESERTED TO THE EAST RATHER THAN BE CANNON FODDER. THE TRUTH WAS THAT BOTH SOLDIERS IN QUESTION ALREADY FACED COURTS MARTIAL. THE EAST GERMAN PRESS DROPPED IT.

THERE ARE OTHER INCIDENTS IN WHICH EISLER OVERSOLD HIS PROPAGANDA. EVEN HIS COUP ON THE DESERTION OF JOHN PEET, A BRITISH NEWSPAPERMAN, TO THE EAST, FIZZLED, AND PEET GETS LITTLE NOTICE TODAY IN THE RED PRESS.

A HINT OF THINGS TO COME FOR EISLER WAS IN THE RECENT REORGANI-ZATION OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY. EISLER WAS DROPPED AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

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A113 (170)
BERLIN, AUG. 11-(AP)-U.S. AMBASSADOR ALAN G.KIRK REFUSED TO COMMENT ON INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS WHEN HE ARRIVED BY PLANE TODAY EN ROUTE TO WESTERN GERMANY FOR A FIVE DAY VACATION OUTSIDE THE SOVIET UNION.

THE RETIRED ADMIRAL SAID HE COULD SAY NOTHING AT ALL ABOUT RUSSIAN AFFAIRS, NOT EVEN TO MENTION THE PRESENT POLITICAL ATMOSPHERE IN MOSCOW.

SOME JUNIOR STAFF MEMBERS OF KIRK'S EMBASSY, WHO ACCOMPANIED HIM ON THE HOLIDAY FLIGHT, REMARKED AFTERWARD THAT "MOSCOW SEEMS TO BE THE CALMEST CITY IN EUROPE." THEY ADDED THAT THE OUTWARD LIFE OF MOSCOW HAD NOT SEEMED TO CHANGE IN ANY RESPECT SINCE THE KOREAN WAR BROKE OUT SEVEN WEEKS AGO.

MAJ. GEN. JOHN W. (MIKE) O'DANIEL, TERMINATING TWO YEARS DUTY AS

U.S. MILITARY ATTACHE IN RUSSIA, WAS ABOARD THE AMBASSADORIAL PLANE WITH HIS WIFE. O'DANIEL EXPECTS TO CONFER SEVERAL DAYS WITH U.S. ARMMY COMMANDERS AND THEN PROCEED TO A NEW ASSIGNMENT WITH GEN. MARK W.CLARK'S FIELD SERVICES IN THE UNITED STATES.

KIRK SAID HE WOULD VISIT WITH U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY AT FRANKFURT AND SEE OTHER AMERICAN FRIENDS. HE IS SCHEDULED TO FLY BACK TO MOSCOW NEXT WEDNESDAY.

KA1023AED

A77

MOSCOW, AUG. 12-(AP)-UNITED STATES AMBASSADOR ALAN G.KIRK LEFT BY PLANE TODAY FOR WIESBADEN, GERMANY. HE IS EXPECTED TO RETURN WITHIN A WEEK.

KIRK WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE AND SON, ROGER, WHO IS EN ROUTE TO PRINCETON UNIVERSITY.

JB719AED

B105 Q (150)

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PRECEDE FRANKFURT DAY (B42)

HANNOVER, GERMANY, AUG. 12-(AP)-AMERICAN AND BRITISH OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES TODAY BANNED FOUR MORE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS, BRINGING TO EIGHT THE NUMBER SUSPENDED SINCE AUGUST 3.

THE NEWSPAPERS WERE CHARGED WITH PUTTING OUT STORIES "PREJUDICIAL TO THE PRESTIGE AND SECURITY OF THE ALLIED FORCES." MOST OF THEM WERE ORDERED SHUT DOWN FOR 90 DAYS.

THE LATEST TO BE BANNED IN THE CRACKDOWN AGAINST COMMUNIST ANTI-WESTERN PROPAGANDA WAS THE HANNOVER DIE WAHRHEIT (TRUTH). A BRITISH ANNOUNCEMENT SAID MERELY THAT THE NEWSPAPER HAD OFFENDED UNDER ALLIED LAW NO. 5 WHICH GIVES THE ALLIES POWER OVER THE GERMAN PRESS AND RADIO.

COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS IN WEST GERMANY WERE WARNED TWO WEEKS AGO THAT ACTION WOULD BE TAKEN IF THEY CONTINUED TO PRINT MATTER PREJUDICIAL TO THE WESTERN ALLIES.

THE BRITISH HAVE SO FAR SUSPENDED SIX COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS, THE AMERICANS TWO. EARLIER TODAY AMERICAN AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED SUSPENSION OF THE MANNHEIM COMMUNIST BADISHES VOLKESCHO (ECHO OF THE PEOPLE). THE BRITISH ANNOUNCED SUSPENSION OF NEUVE VOLKSZEITUNG (NEW PEOPLES' NEWSPAPER) AND VOLKESECHO IN DUESSELDORF.

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B42 (150) Q

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PRECEDE DUESSELDORF (A50)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG. 12-(AP)-ALLIED AUTHORITIES TODAY BANNED THE SEVENTH COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS IN WESTERN GERMANY IN A WIDENING CRACKDOWN AGAINST COMMUNIST ANTI-WESTERN PROPAGANDA.

THE MANNHEIM BADISCHES VOKSECHO (ECHO OF THE PEOPLE) WAS BANNED FOR 90 DAYS FOR VIOLATING ALLIED LAWS AGAINST PRINTING MATERIAL PREJUDICIAL TO THE PRESTIGE AND SECURITY OF THE ALLIED FORCES.

WESTERN ALLIED AUTHORITIES HAD WARNED THE COMMUNISTS TWO WEEKS AGO THAT BANS WOULD BE IMPOSED IF THEY CONTINUED TO URGE RESISTANCE AGAINST THE ALLIES.

THE MANNHEIM COMMUNIST PAPER HAS BEEN PRINTING A SPECIAL FRANKFURT EDITION SINCE AMERICAN AUTHORITIES SHUT DOWN THE FRANKFURT COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER SOCIALISTISCHE VOLKSZEITUNG (SOCIALIST PEOPLE'S NEWSPAPERS).

THE FRANKFURT NEWSPAPER WAS BANNED LAST WEEK AFTER PUBLISHING A REPRODUCTION OF A PROHIBITED COMMUNIST POSTER DEMANDING "AMI, (AMERICANS) GO HOME."

BRITISH AUTHORITIES YESTERDAY BANNED THE NEUE VOLKSZEITUNG (NEW PEOPLE'S NEWSPAPER) AND THE VOLKECHO (PEOPLE'S ECHO) FOR 90 DAYS.

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A50

DUESSELDORF, GERMANY, AUG.12-(AP)-TWO MORE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS HAVE BEEN BANNED IN THE BRITISH OCCUPATION ZONE FOR PUTTING OUT STORIES "PREJUDICIAL TO THE PRESTIGE AND SECURITY OF THE ALLIED FORCES."

THE PAPERS NEUE VOLKSZEITUNG (NEW PEOPLE'S NEWSPAPER) AND VOLKSECHO (PEOPLE'S ECHO) HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED FOR 90 DAYS BY MAJ. GEN. W.H.A. BISHOP, BRITISH LAND (STATE) COMMISSIONER FOR NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA, ACTING FOR THE HIGH COMMISSION.

SINCE AUG. 3 SIX RED NEWSPAPERS HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED BY THE WESTERN ALLIES.

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A181 (120)

PRECEDE COPENHAGEN

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OSLO, NORWAY, AUG.12-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE ARRIVED IN OSLO TODAY ON HIS "TRANS-ATLANTIC WEEKEND" AFTER A BRIEF STOPOVER IN COPENHAGEN, WHERE HE TALKED INFORMALLY WITH DANISH PRIME MINISTER HANS HEDTOFT.

THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE, WHO WILL REMAIN FOR SEVERAL MONTHS.

LIE DECLINED TO COMMENT ON HIS TALK WITH HEDTOFT. HE REITERATED HIS BELIEF THAT UNITED NATIONS FORCES WOULD NOT BE FORCED OFF THEIR BRIDGEHEAD IN SOUTH KOREA, AND ADDED:

"EVEN IF DEVELOPMENTS SHOULD FORCE THE U.N. FORCES TO GIVE UP THEIR BRIDGEHEAD IN KOREA OUR COURSE IS CLEAR. THE SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION STATES THAT U.N. ACTION MUST CONTINUE UNTIL THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE RETREATED BEYOND THE 38TH PARALLEL, BE IT BY THEIR OWN FREE WILL, BY FORCE OR THROUGH NEGOTIATIONS."

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A139

PRECEDE PRESTWICK (A8)

COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, AUG 12-(AP)-TRYGVE LIE ARRIVED WITH HIS WIFE IN COPENHAGEN'S KASTRUP AIRPORT THIS MORNING ON HIS WAY TO OSLO.

DURING A THREE HOUR STAY HERE THE U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL WILL HAVE INFORMAL TALKS WITH HIS OLD FRIEND, THE DANISH PREMIER HANS HEDTOFT.

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A8

PRESTWICK, SCOTLAND, SAT., AUG. 12-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID TODAY "THE AMERICANS WILL HOLD THEIR BRIDGEHEAD IN KOREA".

HE STOPPED OFF HERE EN ROUTE TO NORWAY FOR A "TRANSATLANTIC WEEK-END."

HE SAID THE KOREAN WAR IS "VERY MUCH UP AND DOWN BUT I THINK GEN. MACARTHUR HAS A VERY FIRM HAND THERE."

LIE SAID HE COULD "NOT HELP MUCH" IN TRYING TO SOLVE THE JAM IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL. "IT IS FOR THE MEMBERS THEMSELVES TO FIND THE WAY OUT OF THE DEADLOCK. I CANNOT INTERFERE."

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A43
BRUSSEL, BELGIUM, AUG. 12-(AP)-CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN'S FIRST BIG JOB AS RULER OF THE BELGIANS IS GETTING TOGETHER A NEW GOVERNMENT. HE CONSULTED VAINLY TODAY WITH PARTY LEADERS AND ACTING MINISTERS AND DECIDED TO CONTINUE THE NEGOTIATIONS SUNDAY.

PREMIER JEAN DUVIEUSART, WHOSE SOCIAL CHRISTIAN (CATHOLIC) GOVERNMENT ARRANGED THE RETURN OF KING LEOPOLD III FROM EXILE JULY 22, RESIGNED AFTER THE 19-YEAR OLD PRINCE TOOK THE OATH YESTERDAY TO SUCCEED HIS ROYAL PARENT.

POLITICAL OBSERVERS SAID DUVIEUSART DID NOT WISH TO HEAD THE GOVERNMENT AGAIN AND THE ACTING MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS, P.W.ZEGERS ALSO DECLINED THE PREMIERSHIP.

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A116
BRUSSELS, AUG. 12-(AP)-A SMALL BOMB WAS HURLED AT THE BELGIAN COMMUNIST PARTY HEADQUARTERS' BUILDING HERE EARLY TODAY. THE FRONT WAS DAMAGED AND SEVERAL WINDOWS SMASHED.

KA1027AED

G46 (120) Q
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE U.N. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL TODAY REELECTED THE SOVIET UNION TO THE COUNCIL'S TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION AND THE SOCIAL COMMISSION. THIS ACTION WAS TAKEN DESPITE THE FACT THAT RUSSIA WITH HER SATELLITES HAS BOYCOTTED THE COMMISSION MEETINGS AS WELL AS THOSE OF THE COUNCIL.

THE SOVIET SEATS ON THE TWO COMMISSIONS EXPIRED THIS YEAR. SOVIET SEATS ON SIX OTHER COMMISSIONS OF THE COUNCIL EXPIRE IN 1951 AND 1952.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA LOST A SEAT ON THE TRANSPORT COMMISSION, BUT WAS REPLACED BY WHITE RUSSIA. POLAND, LOST A SEAT ON THE SOCIAL COMMISSION AND WAS REPLACED ALSO BY WHITE RUSSIA.

THE UNITED STATES WAS REELECTED TO SEATS ON THE ECONOMIC AND EMPLOYMENT COMMISSION AND THE TRANSPORT AND HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSIONS.

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A142
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG 12-(AP)-COMMUNIST PRESIDENT KLEMENT GOTTWALD APPOINTED EMIL HRSEL, CZECHOSLOVAK MINISTER TO THE PEOPLES' REPUBLIC OF (NORTH) KOREA TODAY.

HRSEL, WHO HAS BEEN MINISTER TO AFGHANISTAN, WILL LEAVE SOON TO TAKE UP HIS NEW POST IN THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG, THE OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY SAID.

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A68
ATHENS, GREECE, AUG.12-(AP)-LIBERAL PARTY CHIEF SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS AND LIBERAL GOVERNMENT MINISTERS HELD A MEETING LAST NIGHT WHICH MAY SPELL THE DOWNFALL OF THE PRESENT COALITION REGIME.

INFORMANTS SAID THE LIBERAL LEADERS HAD AGREED TO WITHDRAW FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS WITHIN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS, WITHDRAWALVF THE LIBERALS' 54 DEPUTIES, INCLUDING FIVE MINISTERS, FROM SUPPORT OF THE GOVERNMENT WOULD CAUSE ITS COLLAPSE.

VENIZELOS HAS REFUSED TO TAKE PART IN THE FOUR-PARTY COALITION HEADED BY PLASTIRAS. HE IS SAID TO BE DISSATISFIED WITH RECENT LIVING COST BOOSTS AND TO THE PROGRAM FOR HANDLING LEFTISTS WHICH HE CONTENDS HAVE CAUSED PEOPLE TO LOSE CONFIDENCE IN THE ADMINISTRATION.

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A117
OSLO, NORWAY, AUG. 12-(AP)-NORWAY ANNOUNCED TODAY SHE WILL PLACE A 10,000-TON SHIP AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS JOINT COMMAND IN KOREA. THE GOVERNMENT MADE THE DECISION AFTER SURVEYING THE U.N. NEED FOR SHIPPING TONNAGE.

KA1028AED

A79
MOSCOW, AUG.12-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER PRAVDA REPORTED TODAY THAT FINNS ARE ANGRY AT AMERICANS SEARCHING FINNISH SHIPS FOR ATOMIC WEAPONS WHEN THEY APPROACH UNITED STATES HARBORS.

IT WAS THE FIRST PUBLIC MENTION HERE OF AMERICAN SEARCHES OF FOREIGN SHIPS, WHICH THE NEWSPAPER CALLED "ATOM HYSTERIA."

THE SOVIET PAPER "MARITIME FLEET" ASSERTED THAT THE RECENT SEARCH IN NEW YORK HARBOR OF THE POLISH STEAMSHIP BATORY IS CLEAR EVIDENCE OF "THE MONSTROUS SCALE" OF THE AMERICAN "WAR PSYCHOSIS."

IT SAID THAT "AMERICAN AUTHORITIES NOT WISHING TO RECKON WITH THE GENERALLY-ACCEPTED RULES OF POLITENESS, ARE AHEAD OF TIME PREPARED TO SUBJECT TO DISCRIMINATION SHIPS OF THOSE COUNTRIES WHOSE REGIMES DO NOT PLEASE RULING CIRCLES IN THE UNITED STATES."

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A49
MOSCOW, AUG. 12-(AP)-A PLAY, DEPICTING THE LIFE OF AMERICAN NEGRO SINGER PAUL ROBESON, WILL BE PRESENTED HERE SOON.

THE PLAY, ENTITLED, "JOHN, A SOLDIER AT PEACE," IS EXPECTED TO PORTRAY VARIOUS EPISODES IN ROBESON'S LIFE INCLUDING HIS APPEARANCE AT THE 1949 PEEKSKILL RALLY, WHICH ENDED IN RIOTING, AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S RECENT ACTION TAKING AWAY HIS PASSPORT.

JB519AED

A192KX
(120)
BANGKOK, THAILAND, AUG 12 (AP)-ONE OF THE WORLD'S LONGEST CRIMINAL TRIALS, THAT OF THREE MEN CHARGED WITH MURDERING KING ANANDA MAHIDOL, IS DUE TO SHIFT TO SWITZERLAND LATE THIS MONTH.

FIVE JUDGES SAID THE PROSECUTORS AND INVESTIGATORS ARE TO LEAVE BY PLANE AUG.23 FOR LAUSANNE TO TAKE TESTIMONY OF THE LATE KING'S MOTHER. SHE IS LIVING THERE WITH HER OTHER SON, THE PRESENT KING PHUMIPHON ADULDET.

DEFENSE COUNSEL SAID THEY WOULD NOT GO TO SWITZERLAND BUT WOULD SEND A LIST OF QUESTIONS.

ANANDA WAS FOUND MYSTERIOUSLY SHOT TO DEATH IN HIS PALACE JUNE 9, 1946. THE NEXT YEAR THREE PALACE ATTENDANTS WERE ARRESTED AND A FORMER PREMIER AND HIS SECRETARY FLED THE COUNTRY.

TRIAL OF THE FIVE, TWO OF THEM IN ABSENTIA, BEGAN SEPT.28, 1948. THE PROSECUTION HAS NOT YET RESTED. THE TRIAL IS EXPECTED TO TAKE AT LEAST ANOTHER YEAR.

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A120PA
BANGKOK, THAILAND, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE THAILAND MINISTRY FOR DEFENSE HAS QUIT TAKING VOLUNTEERS FOR AN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE TO JOIN UNITED NATIONS TROOPS IN KOREA.

THE BOOKS WERE CLOSED AFTER NEARLY 11,000 VOLUNTEERED. THE ORIGINAL CALL WAS FOR 4,000.

MEANWHILE, THAILAND WAS PREPARING FOR TROUBLE CLOSER TO HOME. POLICE, ARMED WITH BAZOOKAS AND MACHINE GUNS, THREW UP ENTRENCHMENTS ALONG THE BURMA BORDER OPPOSITE THE AREA WHERE BURMESE AND CHINESE NATIONALIST TROOPS HAVE BEEN SKIRMISHING FOR A WEEK.

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AP52

JERUSALEM, AUG. 12-(AP) ~~ISRAELI~~ DESERT PATROLS HAVE CLASHED WITH FOUR GROUPS THEY DESCRIBED AS ARAB SMUGGLERS, KILLING 10 OF THEM AND CONFISCATING QUANTITIES OF CONTRABAND, THE GOVERNMENT SAID TODAY.

THE SMUGGLERS WERE REPORTED CROSSING ISRAELI TERRITORY IN THE SOUTHERN NEGEV DESERT EN ROUTE FROM EGYPT TO HASHEMITE JORDAN WHEN THEY ENCOUNTERED ISRAELI SOLDIERS. THE CLASHES OCCURRED DURING THE PAST TWO DAYS. THIRTEEN SMUGGLERS WERE CAPTURED.

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A163 (270)

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NIGHT LEAD INDOCHINA

AUG 13 1950

BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG. 12-(AP)-OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID TODAY COMMUNIST CHINA HAS BEGUN A COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM OF MILITARY AID FOR HO CHI MINH'S MOSCOW-RECOGNIZED GUERRILLAS.

THE FRENCH-LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER ECHO DU VIETNAM PUBLISHED THE DETAILS IN THE FORM OF A COMMUNIQUE. OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID THE COMMUNIQUE HAD BEEN ISSUED FOR PUBLICATION IN THE NEWSPAPER BY THE FRENCH-BACKED VIETNAM GOVERNMENT OF FORMER EMPEROR BAO DAI.

FOREIGN DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES HAVE HEARD SIMILAR REPORTS RECENTLY AND BELIEVE THEY HAVE A FACTUAL BASIS.

UNDER THE HEADING, "SINO-VIETMINH PACT," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ARE COOPERATING IN THESE WAYS WITH THE VIETMINH PARTY HEADED BY HO:

1. THE PEIPING REDS HAVE PROMISED TO SUPPLY THE GUERRILLAS WITH ARMS WITHOUT CHARGE.

2. A CHINESE COMMUNIST MISSION OF 300 MEMBERS WAS DUE TO ARRIVE IN THE GUERRILLA-CONTROLLED ZONE AT THE END OF JULY. RESPONSIBLE SOURCES SAID THE MISSION DID ARRIVE AND IS LARGELY ENGAGED IN PROPAGANDA WORK.

3. UNIFORMED VIETMINH TROOPS HAVE TRANSPORTED RICE SUPPLIES INTO CHINA. (SALES ABROAD WOULD HELP FINANCE THE REVOLT.)

4. MORE THAN 20,000 VIETMINH TROOPS ARE BEING TRAINED IN TWO CAMPS IN YUNNAN PROVINCE AND THREE OTHER TRAINING CENTERS ARE SET UP IN KWANGTUNG AND KWANGSI PROVINCES. THE TROOPS ARE RECEIVING INSTRUCTION IN THE USE OF ARTILLERY AND ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS SUPPLIED BY THE CHINESE. THEY ARE INTENDED FOR FIGHTING IN INDOCHINA, THOUGH THEY ARE USED OCCASIONALLY AGAINST NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS IN CHINA AND FOR WORK IN IMPROVING CHINESE ROADS CLOSE TO THE INDOCHINESE FRONTIER. THE CAMPS ARE UNDER JOINT VIETMINH-CHINESE ADMINISTRATION.

5. VIETMINH WORKERS ARE HELPING REPAIR AIRFIELDS IN KWANGSI AND YUNNAN WHICH COULD BE USED AGAINST INDOCHINA.

AUTHORITATIVE FRENCH MILITARY QUARTERS SAID 2,000 TO 3,000 UNARMED VIETMINH FOLLOWERS CROSSED INTO CHINA NEAR CAOBANG IN THE LAST THREE DAYS AND ARE BELIEVED EN ROUTE TO THE TRAINING CENTERS.

FRENCH OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID AN ORDER FROM PARIS HAS ENDED TALKS BETWEEN FRENCH AND AMERICAN OFFICIALS ON UNFREEZING CHINESE FUNDS IN THE U. S. TO PAY THE UPKEEP OF SOME 35,000 CHINESE NATIONALIST TROOPS INTERNED IN INDOCHINA.

FLEEING BEFORE CHINESE COMMUNIST FORCES, THE NATIONALIST TROOPS ENTERED INDOCHINA LAST DECEMBER. THEY WERE DISARMED AND PLACED IN SEVERAL FRENCH-OPERATED INTERNMENT CAMPS.

THEIR UPKEEP COSTS FRANCE 7,000,000 TO 10,000,000 PIASTRES ($350,000 TO $500,000) PER MONTH.

FRENCH AUTHORITIES HERE OFFERED NO EXPLANATION FOR SUSPENSION OF THE TALKS.

A SPOKESMAN AT THE AMERICAN LEGATION SAID A HONG KONG PRESS REPORT THAT THE U.S. HAD AGREED TO RE-ARM THE INTERNED NATIONALISTS WAS "UTTERLY UNTRUE."

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B47 Q (400)

BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG.12-(AP)-THE SEMIFFOCIAL VIETNAMESE NEWSPAPER ECHO DU VIETNAM SAID TODAY RED CHINA HAS BEGUN A MASSIVE PROGRAM OF MILITARY AID FOR COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH FORCES IN INDOCHINA.

THE FRENCH LANGUAGE DAILY PUBLISHED A COMMUNIQUE GIVING DETAILS OF BROAD MILITARY COOPERATION BETWEEN COMMUNIST CHINA AND THE HO CHI MINH REGIME. IT GAVE NO SOURCE FOR THE COMMUNIQUE, BUT ITS FORM AND INFORMATION INDICATED IT WAS PROBABLY OF OFFICIAL ORIGIN. THE NEWSPAPER REFLECTS CLOSELY THE VIEWS OF THE VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT.

AUTHORITATIVE FRENCH MILITARY QUARTERS CONFIRMED DETAILS OF THE STORY.

UNDER THE HEADLINE, "SINO-VIETMINH PACT," THE NEWSPAPER LISTED FIVE PHASES OF COLLABORATION:

1. CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE PROMISED TO SUPPLY THE VIETMINH ARMS WITHOUT PAYMENT.

2. A CHINESE COMMUNIST MISSION OF 300 MEMBERS WAS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE IN THE VIETMINH ZONE FROM YUNNAN PROVINCE AT THE END OF LAST MONTH.

3. UNIFORMED VIETMINH TROOPS HAVE TRANSPORTED RICE SUPPLIES INTO CHINA.

4. MORE THAN 20,000 VIETMINH TROOPS ARE BEING TRAINED IN YUNNAN PROVINCE BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS. THEY WERE GIVEN ARMS AND ARE WEARING CHINESE COMMUNIST UNIFORMS. OTHER TRAINING CENTERS ARE ALLEGED TO EXIST IN KWANGTUNG AND KWANGSI PROVINCES.

5. VIETMINH WORKERS ARE ASSISTING IN THE REPAIR OF AIRFIELDS IN KWANGSI AND YUNNAN PROVINCES. THE NEWSPAPER SAID THESE AIRFIELDS CONSTITUTE A SERIOUS MENACE TO INDOCHINA.

THE NEWSPAPER MADE THESE ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS:

VIETMINH TROOPS CONCENTRATED IN YUNNAN WERE DESIGNATED "TROOPS OF THE TWO KWANGS." THEY OCCUPY FIVE CAMPS KNOWN AS "SPECIAL CENTERS" AND ARE UNDER JOINT VIETMINH-CHINESE ADMINISTRATION. THESE TROOPS WERE EARMARKED FOR OPERATIONS AGAINST FRENCH FORCES IN INDOCHINA. FOR THE PRESENT, SOME ARE UTILIZED LOCALLY AGAINST NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS AND FOR WORK ON THE TRANSFRONTIER ROADS.

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SEVERAL THOUSAND OTHER VIETMINH TROOPS ARE RECEIVING INSTRUCTIONS IN HEAVY ARTILLERY AND ANTIAIRCRAFT WEAPONS. THESE TROOPS ARE ARMED BY THE CHINESE AND ARE ALSO PARTICIPATING IN OPERATIONS AGAINST GUERRILLAS.

FRENCH MILITARY SOURCES SAID THE CHINESE MISSION OF 300 MEMBERS ALREADY HAD ARRIVED IN THE VIETMINH ZONE TO SPREAD PROPAGANDA AMONG BOTH THE VIETNAMESE AND CHINESE MINORITIES IN INDOCHINA.

THE MILITARY SOURCES SAID THAT BETWEEN 2,000 AND 3,000 VIETMINH, UNARMED AND IN CIVILIAN CLOTHES, WERE OBSERVED CROSSING THE BORDER INTO THE KWANGSI PROVINCE IN THE LAST 72 HOURS. THEY CROSSED OVER IN THE REGION OF CAOBANG, AND ARE BELIEVED TO BE EN ROUTE TO THE CHINESE TRAINING CENTERS.

THE INFORMANT REPEATED A LARGE INCREASE RECENTLY IN COMMUNIST ARMS SHIPMENTS TO THE VIETMINH, WITH HAINAN ISLAND OPENED AS A NEW SOURCE OF SUPPLIES. JUNKS COMING FROM THE BIG SOUTH CHINA ISLAND ARE SAID TO BE SLIPPING THROUGH THE FRENCH NAVAL BLOCKADE TO LAND ARMS ON THE VIETMINH HELD ANNAMESE COAST.

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A9KX
(140)
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG 12 (AP)-CHINA'S COMMUNIST ARMIES HAVE MISSED THE BEST PERIOD FOR AN INVASION OF FORMOSA--FROM A WEATHERMAN'S POINT OF VIEW.

IF THEY DON'T TRY TO TAKE THIS NATIONALIST ISLAND BY MID-OCTOBER, THEY WILL HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL NEXT SPRING SAYS A YOUNG FORECASTER, APPROPRIATELY NAMED JOHN KAIN FOGG.

FOGG, 27-YEAR-OLD FORECASTER FOR RETIRED MAJ.GEN.CLAIRE L. CHENNAULT'S CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT, COMES FROM OCEAN CITY, N.J.

THE BEST MONTH'S FOR THE COMMUNISTS TO TRY TO CROSS THE 100-MILE FORMOSA STRAIT, FOGG SAID TODAY, ARE MAY AND JUNE IN THE RAINY SEASON.

THERE IS ANOTHER BRIEFER SPELL OF FAVORABLE WEATHER IN LATE SEPTEMBER AND EARLY OCTOBER. THIS IS BETWEEN THE TYPHOON SEASON, NOW ON, AND THE NORTHWEST MONSOONS. THE MONSOONS ARE STRONG WINDS WHICH CAUSE ROUGH SEAS IN THE FORMOSA CHANNEL. MARINERS CALL IT ONE OF THE WORST WATER AREAS IN THE WORLD DURING THE MONSOON SEASON.

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A78FX
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 12-(AP)-PRESS DISPATCHES TODAY SAID CHINESE COMMUNIST ARTILLERY ON THE MAINLAND AND NATIONALIST BATTERIES ON QUEMOY ISLAND FOUGHT A TWO HOUR DUEL THURSDAY NIGHT. QUEMOY IS 100 MILES WEST OF FORMOSA.

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A54FX
HONG KONG, AUG. 12-(AP)-CHINESE COMMUNISTS RECENTLY SHOWED OFF A FLEET OF 15 TO 20 WARSHIPS IN SHANGHAI -- BUT IT WASN'T MUCH OF A NAVY BY TODAY'S STANDARDS.

EYEWITNESS REPORTS REACHIN HERE FROM SHANGHAI SAID THE CRAFT WERE VANCHORED ALONG THE BUND DURING AN "ARMY DAY" CELEBRATION ON AUG. 1.

THE FLEET CONSISTED OF ONE DESTROYER, TWO DESTROYER ESCORTS, ONE GUNBOAT, ONE ARMED TRAWLER AND VARIOUS LANDING CRAFT.

REPORTS SAID THE VESSELS PROBABLY WERE JAPANESE REPATRIATION SHIPS WHICH WERE WELL-ARMED AND HAD WHAT APPEARED TO BE AMERICAN-MADE RADAR. LANDING SHIPS (TANKS) (LSTS) ALSO WERE PART OF THE FLEET.

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B106KX Q
(APW) (100)
HONG KONG, AUG.12-(AP)-THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT ISSUED REGULATIONS TODAY TO ENABLE IT TO TAKE CONTROL OF ALL TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES IN THIS CROWN COLONY IN EVENT OF EMERGENCY.

THE REGULATIONS EMPOWER AUTHORITIES TO:

CONTROL ALL SHIP AND AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS WITHIN, INTO OR OUT OF THE COLONY;

COMMANDEER ALL MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION;

CLOSE ALL ROADS AND CONTROL TRAFFIC;

SEARCH ALL ROAD, RAIL OR SEA TRAFFIC.

IMPOSE LIFE IMPRISONMENT FOR UNAUTHORIZED POSSESSION OF ARMS, AMMUNITION OR EXPLOSIVES.

EXCLUDED FROM COMMANDEERING ARE SHIPS OVER 60 NET TONS AND CURRENCY, GOLD, SECURITIES OR NEGOTIATBLE INSTRUMENTS.

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A41KX
(WEST OUT)
HONG KONG, AUG.12-(AP)-BRITISH AUTHORITIES TODAY ASKED ALL SHIPS APPROACHING HONG KONG FROM THE WEST TO RADIO THEIR EXPECTED TIME OF ARRIVAL AT LEAST 12 HOURS BEFORE PASSING THE LEMAS ISLANDS NEAR THE MOUTH OF THE HARBOR.

OBSERVERS SAW IN THE MOVE A POSSIBLE DECISION BY THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT HERE TO PROTECT SHIPS. OFFICIALS DECLINED COMMENT.

COMMUNIST SHORE BATTERIES NEAR THE LEMAS, 15 MILES SOUTH OF THE CITY AND THREE-AND-A-HALF MILES FROM THE HARBOR ENTRANCE, HAVE SHELLED THREE SHIPS--NORWEGIAN, BRITISH AND AMERICAN--SINCE LAST SUNDAY.

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A173KX
HONG KONG, AUG.12-(AP)-THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER SING TAO JIH PAO SAID TODAY CHINESE COMMUNIST ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS ON THE WANSHAN ISLANDS FIRED AT BUT MISSED AN AIRPLANE CARRYING GOLD BULLION FROM MANILA TO THE PORTUGUESE COLONY OF MACAO.

HONG KONG AUTHORITIES SAID THEY HAD NO INFORMATION ON THE MATTER.

THE WANSHAN ISLANDS ARE SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG ON THE AIRLINE ROUTE FROM MANILA TO MACAO, 50 MILES WEST OF HONG KONG.

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A133 (140)
SINGAPORE, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY IT WOULD NOT DEPORT FORMER DUTCH ARMY CAPT. R.P.P. "TURK" WESTERLING UNTIL HIS EXTRADITION CASE IS SETTLED FINALLY.

THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA HAS BEEN DEMANDING HIS CUSTODY SINCE LAST FEBRUARY WHEN HE FLED TO SINGAPORE, REPORTEDLY IN A DUTCH PLANE, AFTER LEADING AN ABORTIVE REVOLT IN WEST JAVA.

THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT ORDERED WESTERLING DEPORTED TO HOLLAND FEB. 28, BUT THIS WAS DELAYED BY HIS IMPRISONMENT AND COURT BATTLES. PLEADING GUILTY TO ILLEGAL ENTRY AND ASSAULT, WESTERLING WAS SENTENCED TO 30 DAYS, AND SUBSEQUENTLY WAS CONFINED FOR 40 DAYS MORE FOR BREAKING A CELLMATE'S JAW.

THE JAKARTA GOVERNMENT'S DEMAND FOR HIS EXTRADITION TO INDONESIA TO FACE MURDER CHARGES WAS DENIED BY THE SINGAPORE SUPREME COURT AUG. 3. THE GOVERNMENT DISCLOSED TODAY THAT INDONESIA HAS FILED NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY AUG. 16 FOR A STAY OF THE COURT'S DECISION.

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A32KX (PLANE)
(280)
PEARL HARBOR, AUG.12-(AP)-CREW MEMBERS OF A U.S.NAVY PATROL PLANE SAID TODAY AT A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT THEIR PLANE WAS ATTACKED JULY 23 OVER THE FORMOSA STRAIT BY TWO AMERICAN-BUILT F-51 FIGHTERS "WITH COMMUNIST MARKINGS."

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THE NAVY PRIVATEER PATROL BOMBER, ONE OF A SQUADRON ASSIGNED TO WATCH OVER THE CHINESE NATIONALIST STRONGHOLD OF FORMOSA, ESCAPED WITHOUT DAMAGE AND WITHOUT FIRING A SHOT, THE FLIERS SAID.

THE U.S.PLANE WAS ONE OF A SQUADRON OF PRIVATEERS THAT RETURNED TO BARBER'S POINT NAVAL AIR STATION NEAR HERE TWO DAYS AGO AFTER A MONTH OF PATROL DUTY IN THE OKINAWA-FORMOSA AREA.

CREW MEMBERS SAID THE ATTACKING PLANES CARRIED THE RED STAR AND BLUE CIRCLE MARKINGS OF THE NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE, BUT ADDED "THEY MUST HAVE BEEN" CHINESE COMMUNIST PLANES.

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OMAHA, NEB., SAID THE FIGHTERS FIRED SHORT BURSTS OF MACHINE GUN FIRE AT THE U.S. PLANE. HE SAID TWO OTHER COMMUNIST FIGHTERS WERE BELOW HIM AT THE TIME.

HE SAID THE AMERICAN PLANE DID NOT FIRE BACK BECAUSE OF THE POSSIBILITY IT MIGHT CAUSE AN INTERNATIONAL INCIDENT.

HE SAID THE INCIDENT OCCURRED ABOUT 20 MILES NORTHEAST OF COMMUNIST AMOY AND ABOUT 12 MILES FROM THE MAINLAND.

PILOTS AND OFFICERS OF THE SQUADRON, COMMANDED BY CMDR. CHARLES F.SKUZINSKI, 35, (851 NAGOLD ST.), GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., GAVE REPORTERS A BRIEFING OF THEIR OPERATIONS SINCE THE KOREAN WAR BROKE OUT.

SKUZINSKI SAID THE SQUADRON SPOTTED CONCENTRATIONS OF SHIPPING OFF THE CHINA COAST, PROBABLY FOR THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF QUEMOY.

HE SAID THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS ON FORMOSA HAVE "AN EXCELLENT AIR FORCE, VERY WELL ORGANIZED AND EFFICIENT." HE SAID HE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE STRONG ENOUGH TO HELP WARD OFF AN INVASION.

SKUZINSKI SAID THAT IN SHANGHAI THERE WERE ABOUT 65 ASSORTED LANDING CRAFT---LSTS, AND THE LIKE. HE SAID GROUPS OF JUNKS WERE SEEN FARTHER DOWN THE COAST.

HE SAID, IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION, THAT THE LANDING CRAFT WERE AMERICAN.

A PBM MARINER OF ANOTHER SQUADRON SIGHTED A SUBMARINE IN THE FORMOSA STRAIT TWO WEEKS AGO, HE SAID, ADDING "IT WAS ONE OTHER THAN OUR OWN."

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HONOLULU, AUG.12-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G.MENZIES CALLED ON ADM.ARTHUR W.RADFORD, PACIFIC FLEET COMMANDER, DURING A BRIEF STOPOVER TODAY ON HIS WAY TO TOKYO. HE IS SCHEDULED TO REACH TOKYO SUNDAY NIGHT.

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B8 (Q)
KX FOR FRISCO (APW)

TORONTO, AUG 12-(AP)-A PHILIPPINE DELEGATE TO THE 13TH WORLD CONVENTION ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CALLED TODAY FOR AN "ALL-OUT CAMPAIGN TO SPREAD CHRISTIANITY WITH THE SAME ZEAL, INTELLIGENCE AND EFFORT AS IN WINNING A WAR."

MATEO F.OCCENA, HEAD OF A PHILIPPINE PURCHASING AGENCY IN THE UNITED STATES, SAID THE CHOICE IS BETWEEN CHRISTIANITY AND SLAVERY. HE ADVOCATED A "WAR AGAINST EVIL, A WAR AGAINST WAR."

PROPERLY ORGANIZED, DIRECTED AND CONSECRATED, CHRISTIANS CAN DO ANYTHING THEY SET THEIR HEARTS, HE SAID.

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A106
(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, AUG.13) (1800)
OTHER ASIAN WARS
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

(ADVANCE) ARMED STRIFE THAT WAS LARGELY PROMOTED BY COMMUNISTS IS SIMMERING IN A HALF DOZEN AREASOF THE FAR EAST WHILE WORLD ATTENTION IS CENTERED ON THE BATTLE LINES IN SOUTH KOREA.

BURMA, CHINA, INDOCHINA, INDONESIETN MALAYA AND THE PHILIPPINES REMAIN TORN BY REVOLTS OR OUTRIGHT CIVIL WARS THAT ARE ESTIMATED TO HAVE COST 930,000 LIVES SINCE THE JAPANESE SURRENDER ENDED WORLD WAR II AUG.14, 1945.

WHAT IS THE STATUS OF THESE OTHER ASIAN WARS?

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENTS ON THE SPOT REPORT:

THE UNITED STATES IS HELPING FRANCE AND BAO DAI'S GOVERNMENT GIRD FOR THE SHOWDOWN PHASE IN INDOCHINA, A GATEWAY TO SOUTHEAST ASIA FROM COMMUNIST CHINA.

AMBOINESE NATIONALISTS ARE STILL MAKING IT HOT FOR THE FLEDGELING UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA IN THE SINGLE CONFLICT OF THE GROUP WHERE A COMMUNIST INFLUENCE IS NOT APPARENT.

BRITISH-LED FORDES ARE TURNING THE TIDE AGAINST COMMUNIST-LED MALAYAN TERRORISTS IN THE JUNGLES OF JOHORE STATE.

THERE IS A LULL IN CHINA, WHOSE MAINLAND IS UNDER COMMUNIST SWAY; IN BURMA, WHERE THE MONSOON SEASON HAS SLOWED OPERATIONS; AND IN THE PHILIPPINES, WHERE THE COMMUNIST-LED HUKBALAHAPS HAVE CONCENTRATED ON PROPAGANDA SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF FIGHTING IN KOREA.

MORE THAN 600,000,000 PERSONS AND ABOUT 5,000,000 SQUARE MILES OF TERRITORY ARE INVOLVED IN THESE STRUGGLES.

FROM HIS POST IN SINGAPORE, CHIEF OF BUREAU TOM MASTERSON WRITES: "EVENTS IN KOREA UNDOUBTEDLY WILL DETERMINE THE START OF A RD PUSH INTO SOUTHEAST ASIA. THE LOGICAL TARGET IS INDOCHINA, THOUGH BURMA CANNOT BE ENTIRELY RULED OUT."

THE SUMMARIES:

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BURMA
BY DOUGLAS LACKERSTEEN

RANGOON, BURMA, AUG.12-(AP)-THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN FIGHTING A WAR WITH ASSORTED ANTAGONISTS FOR 29 OF THE 60 MONTHS SINCE V-J DAY COMMUNISTS, KAREN TRIBESMEN AND THE WHITE BAND PEOPLE'S VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION ARE THE MAIN GROUPS.

THE GOVERNMENT NOW CLAIMS THE REVELS ARE A BEATEN FORCE WHOSE TOTAL ANNIHILATION IS BUT A QUESTION OF TIME. OFFICIALS ESTIMATE THE FIGHTING HAS COST BURMA 30,000 LIVES BESIDES EVEN HEAVIER ECONOMIC DAMAGE.

BUT REPORTS FROM THE HINTERLAND AND FROM A HIGH DIPLOMATIC SOURCE SHOOT HOLES IN OFFICIAL OPTIMISM.

THE DIPLOMATIC SOURCE SAID HIS GOVERNMENT HAS "DEFINITE PROOF" THE WHITE FLAG COMMUNIST PARTY, THE STALINIST FACTION, IS NOW RECEIVING SECRET AID FROM RED CHINA. THE AID, HE SAID, IS IN THE FORM OF GOLD AND A PROGRAM PEIPING WOULD LIKE THE BURMESE COMMUNISTS TO ADOPT.

THE COMMUNISTS HAVE A POWERFUL RADIO NORTH OF PROME, 160 MILES NORTH OF RANGOON, BY WHICH THEY ARE ABLE TO COMMUNICATE WITH CHINA. THEY ARE ENTRENCHED IN THE FORESTS SKIRTING THE PEGU FOOTHILLS AND LURK ALONG THE IRRAWADDY RIVER, THREATENING ROAD, RAIL AND WATER COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN THE CAPITAL AND THE NORTH.

BURMA'S WAR CHANGED FROM OPEN FIGHTING TO GUERRILLA SKIRMISHES ABOUT FOUR MONTHS AGO, WITH THE COMING OF THE MONSOON SEASON.

THE WHITE BAND PVOS, WHO DESERTED THE GOVERNMENT HAVE BEEN WILLING TO CALL OFF THEIR REBELLION, BUT THE COMMUNISTS AND KAREN TRIBESMEN MERELY RETIRED TO THE JUNGLES AND PREPARED TO STRIKE AGAIN WHEN THE RAINS END.

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CHINA
BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG.12-(AP)-THE FUTURE OF THE CIVIL WAR IN CHINA IS TIED UP WITH THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

IF A NEW WORLD WAR BREAKS OUT, RESULTING IN A VICTORY FOR THE WEST, THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS DOUBTLESS WILL GO DOWN.

IT IS BELIEVED, GENERALLY, THAT IT IS BEYOND THE NATIONALISTS' ABILITY TO RECONQUER CHINA'S MAINLAND UNLESS LARGE-SCALE UPRISINGS OCCUR.

THE CIVIL WAR FRONT NOW IS THE QUIETEST IN MONTHS. THE NATIONALISTS' ACTION IS INHIBITED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S BAN ON SEA AND AIR OPERATIONS AGAINST THE MAINLAND.

IN ANY CASE, THE NATIONALISTS COULD NOT ATTEMPT ANY SORT OF INVASION OF THE MAINLAND UNTIL, POSSIBLY, THE SECOND HALF OF 1951.

THE WAR CURRENTLY IS CONFINED TO A NATIONALIST DEFENSE OF THE ISLANDS OFF THE MAINLAND, WITH OCCASIONAL AIR ATTACKS ON RED AIRCRAFT OFF THE COAST.

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POSSIBLY 1,000,000 NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS OPERATE ON THE MAINLAND. THEY ARE SCATTERED BANDS, AND THE REDS PROBABLY WILL BE ABLE TO COPE WITH THEM UNLESS THE GUERRILLAS ARE PUT UNDER AN OVERALL LEADERSHIP AND OBTAIN MORE SUPPLIES.

THE BEST ESTIMATES OF NATIONALIST CASUALTIES SINCE THE END OF WORLD WAR II IS 500,000 TO 600,000 KILLED IN ACTION OR DEAD OF BATTLE-WOUNDS. CHINESE COMMUNIST CASUALTIES ARE ESTIMATED AT BETWEEN 200,000 AND 300,000 DEAD.

THESE FIGURES ARE BASED ON A SURVEY OF FOREIGN QUARTERS WHO HAVE FOLLOWED EVENTS IN CHINA CLOSELY.

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INDOCHINA

BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

SAIGON, VIETNAM, INDOCHINA, AUG 12-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES BEGAN DELIVERING WAR MATERIAL TO THE FRENCH AND VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT FORCES THIS WEEK FOR THE SHOWDOWN PHASE OF THEIR FOUR-YEAR OLD WAR AGAINST THE COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH FORCES OF HO CHI MINH.

THE VIETMINH FORCES, TOO, APPEAR TO BE GETTING HELP. COMMUNIST CHINA IS REPORTED TO HAVE OPENED CAMPS IN THE FRONTIER REGION TO TRAIN AND EQUIP VIETMINH TROOPS. UNCONFIRMED DISPATCHES PRINTED IN TAIPEI, FORMOSA, DECLARED 20,000 CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS HAVE JOINED THE VIET-MINH ARMY.

THE WAR IS NOT GOING WELL FOR THE FRENCH AND THE FRENCH-SPONSORED GOVERNMENT OF EX-EMPEROR BAO DAI. BITTER GUERRILLA FIGHTING, IN THE MOUNTAINS, THE JUNGLES AND THE RIVER DELTAS, HAS ALREADY COST FRANCE $2,000,000,000 (B) AND CASUALTIES UNOFFICIALLY ESTIMATED AT MORE THAN 50,000.

ABOUT 150,000 TROOPS, MADE UP ABOUT EQUALLY OF FRENCHMEN, FOREIGN LEGIONNAIRES AND COLONIALS AND VIETNAMESE AUXILIARIES, ARE OPPOSING THE VIETMINH. THE ARMY IS LARGELY PINNED DOWN IN DEFENSE OF COMMUNICATION LINES, CITIES AND FRONTIERS. THE FRENCH LOOK FOR REIN-FORCEMENTS FROM A VIETNAMESE ARMY NOW BEING FORMED, WHICH IS TO NUMBER ABOUT 60,000 BY THE END OF THE YEAR.

FRENCH ARMY STAFF OFFICERS ADMIT THE VIETMINH FORCES, THROUGH THEY HAVE SUFFERED HEAVY CASUALTIES ALSO, ARE STRONGER NOW THAN EVER. THE MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH PROBABLY HAS 100,000 FRONT LINE FIGHTERS, REINFORCED BY THOUSANDS OF GUERRILLAS.

HE HAS WON SUPPORT OF A MAJORITY OF THE VIETNAMESE POPULATION WITH A PROMISE OF COMPLETE INDEPENDENCE FROM THE FRENCH. THE FRENCH, TO COUNTER THIS, GAVE BAO DAI'S GOVERNMENT LIMITED INDEPENDENCE "WITHIN THE FRENCH UNION." SO FAR THERE HAS BEEN NO SIGNIFICANT SWING IN POPULAR SUPPORT FROM HO CHI MINH TO BAO DAI.

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INDONESIA

BY KENNETH LIKES

JAKARTA, JAVA, U.S.I., AUG 12-(AP)-INDONESIANS WHO FOUGHT ON THE DUTCH SIDE IN THE EAST INDIES REVOLUTION ARE MAKING IT HOT FOR THE FLEDGELING REPUBLIC.

ON AMBOINA, AT THE EASTERN FRINGE OF THE ARCHIPELAGO, 1,500 SUCH VETERANS FORM THE CORE OF A STUBBORN REBELLION AGAINST THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT. BACKED BY THE MUTINOUS GARRISON, THE AMOINESE HAVE DEFIED THE JAKARTA ADMINISTRATION SINCE APRIL.

IN THE CELEBES PORT OF MAKASSAR, THERE WAS ANOTHER REVOLT. THE DEAD PILED UP DURING THE WEEK--BY SCORES ACCORDING TO THE BEST OF FRAGMENTARY REPORTS--IN CLASHES BETWEEN FEDERAL TROOPS AND AN ENCAMPMENT OF INDONESIANS AWAITING DISCHARGE FROM THE DUTCH ARMY.

THE REBELS, NUMBERING BETWEEN 2,000 AND 3,000 AND 80 PER CENT AMOINESE, OBEYED A TRUCE ORDER AND EASED OFF BATTLING AT THE END OF THE WEEK, BUT STILL CONTROLLED PART OF THE CITY. THE ATMOSPHERE WAS EXPLOSIVE AND NO FINAL SETTLEMENT APPEARED IN SIGHT.

AMBOINA AND MZKASSAR APPEARED TO BE MORE THAN ISOLATED SORE SPOTS FOR THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT. WHEATHER THE SCATTERED ISLANDS CAN BE HELD TOGETHER AS A UNIFIED NATION IS THE QUESTION.

DUTCH ARMY FIGURES SHOW 2,497 SOLDIERS OF THE NETHERLANDS ARMED FORCES HAVE BEEN KILLED IN INDONESIA SINCE JAPAN SURRENDERED IN 1945. ABOUT 1,700 WERE BORN IN THE NETHERLANDS. THE OTHERS WERE EURASIANS AND ONDONESIANS.

THE INDONESIAN ARMY ESTIMATES 70,000 INDONESIAN REPUBLICANS WERE KILLED IN THE YEARS OF CIVIL WAR THAT ENDED WITH INDEPENDENCE LAST DECEMBER. IT SAYS ONLY FIVE PER CENT WERE SOLDIERS AND THE REST WERE CIVILIANS.

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MALAYA

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BY A.L.MCINTYRE

SINGAPORE, AUG.12-(AP)-BRITISH, GURKHA AND MALAYAN SOLDIERS AND POLICE ARE TURNING THE TIDE OF WAR AGAINST COMMUNIST-LED TERRORISTS IN THE JUNGLES OF JOHORE STATE WHICH SPRAWLS ACROSS THE BREADTH OF SOUTHERN MALAYA.

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BREADTH OF SOUTHERN MALAYA.

THIS IS THE FIRST STAGE OF THE "BRIGGS PLAN", FOR AN OFFENSIVE PROGRESSING STEP BY STEP NORTH TO KEDAH STATE ON THE BORDER OF THAILAND (SIAM). THE PLAN WAS FORMULATED BY SIR HAROLD BRIGGS, DIRECTOR OF MALAYAN OPERATIONS.

SQUATTERS ARE REMOVED FROM THEIR REMOTE HOMESTEADS TO SETTLEMENTS WHERE THEY ARE PROTECTED BY POLICE. THE TROOPS THEN MOVE OUT INTO THE JUNGLES, BLOCK ESCAPE PATHS AND ATTEMPT TO WIPE OUT THE BANDS OR DRIVE THEM DEEPER INTO THE JUNGLE WHERE THEY ARE WITHOUT FOOD AND SUPPLIES.

HERETOFORE, THE COMMUNISTS MAINTAINED THEMSELVES BY TERRORIZING THE SQUATTERS AND FORCING THEM TO SUPPLY FOOD AND MONEY.

AS A RESULT OF THE PLAN, LAUNCHED JUNE 1, ABOUT 100 SQUARE MILES OF JOHORE STATE HAVE BEEN CLEARED OF COMMUNIST BANDS. THE SQUATTERS HAVE RECOVERED THEIR COURAGE AND HAVE GIVEN VALUABLE INFORMATION, PERMITTING BLACKLISTS OF LOCAL COMMUNIST SUPPORTERS TO BE DRAWN UP.

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AT THE BEGINNING OF THE REBELLION IN JUNE, 1948, THE BANDS WERE ABLE TO STRIKE AT WILL ANYWHERE. ABOUT 100,000 ARMED MEN WERE REQUIRED TO GUARD MINES AND ESTATES, LEAVING BUT FEW SOLDIERS AND POLICE TO CHASE THE RAIDERS.

BUT NOW MILITARY AUTHORITIES ARE OPTIMISTIC ABOUT THE FUTURE. IN TWO YEARS SECURITY FORCES HAVE KILLED 1,282, CAPTURED HUNDREDS. THE RAIDERS HAVE KILLED 1,527 PERSONS AND WOUNDED 1,157. OF THESE CASUALTIES THE GREATER NUMBER WERE CIVILIANS--963 KILLED, 574 WOUNDED.

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PHILIPPINES

BY FRANK WHITE

MANILA, AUG 11-(AP)-THE CIVIL STRIFE IN THE PHILIPPINES, WHICH HAS TAKEN NEARLY 5,000 LIVES SINCE THE OUTBREAK IN 1946, IS IN A LULL.

THE COMMUNIST-LED HUKBALAHAPS HAVE STEPPED UP THEIR PROPAGANDA FOUR-FOLD SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF THE FIGHTING IN KOREA. WHATEVER FIGHTING THERE IS IN THE PHILIPPINES IS CONFINED TO A FEW SMALL RAIDS ON OUTLYING VILLAGES FOR FOOD AND SUPPLIES.

TYPEWRITTEN SHEETS, POSTED BY NIGHT ON BULLETIN BOARDS AND STORE FRONTS IN TOWNS AND VILLAGES, SAY THERE IS NO REMEDY FOR THE PHILIPPINES BUT FOR THE COMMUNIST PARTY TO TAKE OVER. THE PARTY IS OUTLAWED IN THE ISLANDS.

THE PROPAGANDA SHEETS ATTACK THE PHILIPPINES GOVERNMENT AS CORRUPT AND INEFFICIENT.

ACCORDING TO THE BEST ESTIMATES, THE HUKS HAVE FROM 15,000 TO 25,000 ARMED MEN IN THE HILLS. THESE ARE BROKEN UP INTO SMALL BANDS, MOSTLY, DURING THE RAINY SEASON. BUT THEY REMAIN EASY TO CONCENTRATE. THEY HAVE ONLY SMALL ARMS AND GRENADES.

THE PHILIPPINES ARMY CONDUCTED LARGE-SCALE OPERATIONS AGAINST THE HUKS THIS YEAR, BUT WITH LITTLE SUCCESS. THE HUKS --ORGANIZED ORIGINALLY AS GUERRILLAS TO FIGHT THE JAPANESE--CELEBRATED THEIR EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY LAST MARCH WITH A SERIES OF BLOODY RAIDS, ONE OF WHICH WAS WITHIN FIVE MILES OF MANILA.

THE DEFENSE OFFICE SAYS THE FIGHTING, SO FAR, HAS RESULTED IN THE KILLING OF 3,672 HUKS, 426 MEMBERS OF THE ARMY AND CONSTABULARY, AND 571 CIVILIANS. MOST OBSERVERS SAY THEY BELIEVE THESE FIGURES ARE TOO LOW.

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(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, AUG. 13)

(1,200) FORMOSA

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON IS FOND OF TELLING A STORY WHENEVER HE GETS INTO A TIGHT SPOT.

IT'S ABOUT A WISE OLD JUDGE WHO PLUMPED A STEAMING OYSTER INTO HIS MOUTH AT A PARTY AND FINDING IT TOO HOT PROMPTLY SPAT IT OUT.

"A DARNED FOOL," ACHESON QUOTES HIS SAGE FRIEND AS EXPLAINING, "WOULD HAVE SWALLOWED THAT ONE."

ON THE QUESTION OF AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD THE FAR PACIFIC ISLAND OF FORMOSA, ACHESON TODAY IS IN THE POSITION OF HAVING THE OYSTER IN HIS MOUTH. BUT UNLIKE THE JUDGE, HE CAN'T GET RID OF IT.

WHAT KIND OF FORMOSAN POLICY THIS GOVERNMENT SHOULD ADOPT, AND WHEN IT SHOULD ADOPT IT, ARE AMONG THE MOST COMPLICATED QUESTIONS NOW FACING FOREIGN POLICY MAKERS AND MILITARY STRATEGISTS.

UNDOUBTEDLY THE MATTER WILL BE DISCUSSED BY ACHESON WITH BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN WHEN THEY MEET IN NEW YORK NEXT MONTH.

THERE IS ALSO A POSSIBILITY THAT IT WILL BE PLACED ON THE AGENDA OF THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY, IF NOT BY ONE OF THE WESTERN NATIONS, THEN PERHAPS BY A MEMBER OF THE RUSSIAN BLOC AS A MEANS OF MAKING TROUBLE FOR THE WEST.

WHAT MAKES THE PROBLEM SO DIFFICULT?

THE BRIEF ANSWER IS THAT NEITHER AMONG LEADERS IN THIS COUNTRY NOR INTERNATIONALLY AMONG GOVERNMENTS IS THERE ANY AGREEMENT ABOUT WHO OUGHT TO RULE THE ISLAND.

TO TRY TO FORCE A DECISION NOW MIGHT DISRUPT THE UNITY OF NATIONS FIGHTING THE COMMUNISTS IN KOREA AND SPREAD THE WAR THROUGH THE ORIENT, OR ELSE VIOLATE AMERICAN SECURITY INTERESTS IN THE PACIFIC.

AT THE SAME TIME TO DELAY A DECISION TOO LONG COULD MEAN THAT SOME OTHER NATION WOULD TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN A MANNER CONTRARY TO AMERICAN INTERESTS.

BUT THE BRIEF ANSWER TO WHAT MAKES THE PROBLEM SO DIFFICULT ONLY BEGINS TO TELL THE REAL STORY.

FORMOSA IS A LARGE ISLAND, OF 13,800 SQUARE MILES, STRATEGICALLY LOCATED SOUTH OF JAPAN AND 100 MILES OFF THE CHINA COAST. IT IS TRADITIONALLY CHINESE BUT IN 1895, AFTER THE SINO-JAPANESE WAR, WAS CEDED BY CHINA TO JAPAN.

AT THE WARTIME CONFERENCE OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, PRIME MINISTER CHURCHILL AND GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI SHEK IN CAIRO IN NOVEMBER-DECEMBER 1943 IT WAS DECIDED THAT AT THE END OF THE WAR JAPAN SHOULD BE STRIPPED OF HER EMPIRE AND FORMOSA RETURNED TO CHINA.

FROM THAT TIME UNTIL THE KOREAN CRISIS THE UNITED STATES TREATED FORMOSA AS BEING BEYOND QUESTION CHINESE TERRITORY. AFTER THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS DROVE CHIANG'S NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT FROM THE MAINLAND LAST DECEMBER, A NEW QUESTION AROSE: IF FORMOSA WAS CHINESE, WAS IT TO BE CHINESE COMMUNIST OR CHINESE NATIONALIST?

ON JANUARY 5, THIS YEAR, PRESIDENT TRUMAN GAVE THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT'S ANSWER. HE SAID THERE WAS A CIVIL WAR IN CHINA AND THE UNITED STATES WOULD NOT BECOME INVOLVED TO HELP THE NATIONALISTS HOLD THE ISLAND. IN OTHER WORDS, THE COMMUNIST COULD TAKE IT IF THEY COULD DEFEAT CHIANG, WHICH WASHINGTON FIGURED THEY COULD.

HOWEVER, THREE FACTS STOOD OUT: THE ADMINISTRATION'S REPUBLICAN CRITICS DEPLORED THIS DECISION. THE UNITED STATES CONTINUED TO RECOGNIZE CHIANG'S GOVERNMENT. AND MILITARY STRATEGISTS THOUGHT THAT WHILE FORMOSA WAS NOT WORTH FIGHTING FOR IT WOULD BE BETTER TO HAVE IT IN NON-COMMUNIST THAN COMMUNIST HANDS.

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SHORTLY A NEW COMPLICATION ENTERED. BRITAIN AND OTHER COUNTRIES WITH WHICH THE UNITED STATES IS ALLIED AGAINST THE SPREAD OF COMMUNISM DISCARDED CHIANG AND RECOGNIZED COMMUNIST CHINA. AMONG THE MOST IMPORTANT OF THESE WAS INDIA, WHOSE ACTIONS HAVE TREMENDOUS INFLUENCE THROUGHOUT ASIA.

MR.TRUMAN'S JANUARY STATEMENT, COMING ON TOP OF LAST SUMMER'S CHINA WHITE PAPER, LEFT NO DOUBT THAT THE UNITED STATES HAD ABANDONED CHIANG.

DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON AND GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR DID NOT THINK THIS WAS A GOOD IDEA IN VIEW OF THE STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE OF FORMOSA. BOTH WANTED A STRONGER AMERICAN LINE. BUT THE PRESIDENT AND ACHESON DECIDED THAT CHIANG, AS A SYMBOL OF A DEFEATED--AND IN THEIR VIEW REACTIONARY--REGIME, WAS A POLITICAL MILLSTONE AROUND THE NECK OF AMERICAN POLICY IN ASIA.

SO LONG AS THEY HELD THAT VIEW FORMOSA WAS RIPE FOR THE PICKING

BY RED CHIEFTAIN MAO TSE TUNG. BUT SOMETIME IN THE MONTHS BETWEEN JANUARY 5 AND JUNE 27 MAO MISSED THE BOAT; HE NEVER ATTACKED.

TWO DAYS AFTER THE RED ASSAULT ON SOUTHERN KOREA MR.TRUMAN ANNOUNCED THIS COUNTRY'S ENTRANCE INTO THE KOREAN FIGHTING UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS AND ALSO REVERSED AMERICAN POLICY ON FORMOSA.

HIS KEY SENTENCE WAS THAT SINCE THE COMMUNISTS HAD SHOWN A WILLINGNESS TO USE "ARMED INVASION AND WAR" THE OCCUPATION OF FORMOSA BY THE REDS "WOULD BE A DIRECT THREAT TO THE SECURITY OF THE PACIFIC AREA AND TO UNITED STATES FORCES PERFORMING THEIR LAWFUL AND NECESSARY FUNCTIONS IN THE AREA."

BUT, THE PRESIDENT RECOGNIZED, THIS HANDS-OFF NOTICE TO THE COMMUNISTS, BACKED UP BY THE AMERICAN SEVENTH FLEET, WAS NOT AN ANSWER TO THE LONG RANGE PROBLEM OF FORMOSA. HE SAID A DECISION ON ITS FUTURE STATUS MUST AWAIT "RESTORATION OF SECURITY IN THE PACIFIC, A PEACE SETTLEMENT WITH JAPAN, OR CONSIDERATION BY THE UNITED NATIONS."

CRITICS OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S PREVIOUS DO-NOTHING POLICY WERE DELIGHTED WITH THE DECISION TO DISCOURAGE, IF POSSIBLE, AND DEFEAT, IF NECESSARY, A RED ATTACK ON THE ISLAND. FROM THE SPATE OF RUMORS ABOUT WHO WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS IT APPEARED THAT (1) FRIENDS OF LOUIS JOHNSON AND (2) ADMIRERS OF DEAN ACHESON WERE NOT TOO RELUCTANT TO LET IT BE KNOWN THAT (1) JOHNSON, OR (2) ACHESON WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS FARSIGHTED MOVE.

IN THE FIRST BLUSH OF ENTHUSIASM FOR STRONG AMERICAN ACTION IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC, FEW PEOPLE SEEMED TO RECOGNIZE THE BURDENS ASSUMED IN CONNECTION WITH FORMOSA. IN THE FIRST PLACE, IT WAS NOT COVERED BY THE UNITED NATIONS UMBRELLA UNDER WHICH AMERICAN FORCES WERE ACTING IN KOREA; IN THE SECOND PLACE, IT HELD THE RISK OF LOSING IMPORTANT GROUND FOR THE UNITED STATES POLITICALLY IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.

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IN THE BEGINNING THERE WAS NO GREAT EXPLOSION. BRITAIN AND INDIA COULD UNDERSTAND AN AMERICAN POLICY AIMED AT LEAST PARTLY AT BOTTLING UP THE KOREAN FIGHTING. RUSSIA MADE THE USUAL CHARGES OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM, PERHAPS WITH A MORE TELLING EFFECT IN ASIA THAN USUAL, THOUGH THIS WAS NOT A DECISIVE FACTOR.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS HAD THE FEELING THE U.S. WAS WALKING A TIGHT-ROPE. IT WAS TRYING--AND STILL IS--TO KEEP THE FORMOSA ISSUE BALANCED SOMEWHERE BETWEEN KEEPING OUT THE COMMUNISTS AND NOT SUPPORTING CHIANG.

THEN GENERAL MACARTHUR WENT DOWN TO TAIPEH, FORMOSA. THAT WAS TWO WEEKS AGO. A BIG HUBBUB AROSE SOON AFTERWARD OVER WHETHER WASHINGTON HAD KNOWN HE WAS GOING AND HAD APPROVED. THE FACT IS THAT WASHINGTON--IN THE PERSONS OF MR.TRUMAN, JOHNSON AND ACHESON--DID KNOW AND DID NOT OBJECT. IT IS UNDERSTOOD, THOUGH, THAT ACHESON SENT MACARTHUR A MESSAGE QUESTIONING WHETHER HE OUGHT TO GO PERSONALLY TO FORMOSA AT THIS TIME.

HOWEVER, HE NOT ONLY WENT BUT CONCLUDED HIS VISIT WITH A VERY FRIENDLY STATEMENT ABOUT HIS TALK WITH CHIANG. CHIANG HIMSELF FOLLOWED THIS WITH FLOWING PROSE ABOUT THE FUTURE PROSPECTS OF VICTORY OVER COMMUNISM IN THE FAR EAST. HIS ASSOCIATES BEGAN TALKING AS IF HE AND MACARTHUR HAD MADE AN ALLIANCE.

AT THIS POINT ACHESON APPARENTLY HAD THE SENSATION OF THE TIGHTROPE ARTIST WHO HAS JUST BEGUN TO FALL. HE GRABBED FOR THE NEAREST SUPPORT, WHICH TURNED OUT TO BE W.AVERELL HARRIMAN.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN RUSHED HARRIMAN TO TOKYO FOR WHAT WAS ADVERTISED AS BROAD POLITICAL TALKS ON THE FAR EAST. ACTUALLY, DESPITE OFFICIAL EMBARRASSMENT AND DENIALS, THERE SEEMS TO BE NO QUESTION THAT HARRIMAN WENT PRIMARILY (1) TO TELL MACARTHUR THE ADMINISTRATION'S VIEW OF FORMOSA AS A TIGHTROPE, (2) TO FIND OUT WHAT IF ANYTHING MACARTHUR PROMISED CHIANG, AND (3) DEMONSTRATE TO THE WORLD THAT WHILE SCREENING FORMOSA FOR THE REDS THE U.S. WAS STILL NOT TAKING ON CHIANG AS AN ALLY, OR BUYING HIS PLAN TO MAKE FORMOSA AN INVASION BASE AGAINST THE MAINLAND.

HARRIMAN DULY RETURNED HERE WEDNESDAY AND ANNOUNCED THAT FOLLOWING HIS TALKS WITH MACARTHUR THERE WAS NO SIGN OF ANY CHANGE WHATSOEVER IN U.S. POLICY. HIS WORDS WOUND UP A CURIOUS EPISODE IN WHICH THE PRESIDENT FELT IT NECESSARY TO HAVE AN AIDE (HARRIMAN) SHOW PUBLICLY THAT A GENERAL (MACARTHUR) UNDER THE PRESIDENT'S COMMAND HAD NOT EXCEEDED HIS ORDERS BY MAKING AN UNAUTHORIZED ALLIANCE WITH A FOREIGN POWER (CHIANG).

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THAT WAS ONLY THE WAY IT LOOKED FROM THE OUTSIDE, OF COURSE; INSIDERS INDICATED SOME BELIEF THAT THE MILITARY MIGHT BE TRYING TO PUSH THE UNITED STATES CLOSER TO CHIANG THAN THE DIPLOMATS THOUGHT IT SHOULD GO.

HWATEVER THE FUTURE OF FORMOSA IS, IT WILL HAVE TO GROW OUT OF THIS TANGLED PAST AND TAKE ACCOUNT OF ALL THE FACTORS INVOLVED. ONE SPECULATION IS THAT THE UNITED STATES MAY DECIDE TO PROPOSE THAT THE UNITED NATIONS TAKE FORMOSA UNDER ITS WING AS A TEMPORARY TRUSTEESHIP.

THAT WOULD BE DESIGNED TO KEEP THE COMMUNISTS OUT WITHOUT RECOGNIZING PERMANENT LEGAL RIGHTS FOR CHIANG--IN EFFECT, FREEZE THE WHOLE PROBLEM UNTIL QUIETER TIMES. THE ONE VIRTUE OF THIS PROVISIONAL SOLUTION IS THAT IT WOULD ANGER BOTH THE COMMUNISTS AND CHIANG AND THEREFORE MIGHT APPEAR TO OUTSIDE NATIONS AS A KIND OF REASONABLE COMPROMISE.

HOWEVER, IF THE UNITED STATES GOES INTO THE UNITED NATIONS WITH THIS ISSUE IT FACES A GREAT UNKNOWN. SUPPOSE BRITAIN AND INDIA PUT OVER A MOTION IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO RECOGNIZE THE CHINESE COMMUNIST CLAIM TO FORMOSA?

ON THE OTHER HAND, SUPPOSED U.S.MILITARY CHIEFS DECIDE AS A RESULT OF A SECOND LOOK AT THE KOREAN SITUATION AND THE COMMUNIST THREAT GENERALLY THAT FORMOSA IS ESSENTIAL TO THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES? WHERE WOULD THAT LEAVE AMERICA'S NON-COMMUNIST FRINDS WHO ARE CHIANG'S FOES IN ASIA?

OR TAKE ANOTHER SLANT AT THE NIGHTMARE: WHAT HAPPENS IF THE UNITED NATIONS SOME DAY VOTES A TRUSTEESHIP FOR FORMOSA AND CHIANG DECIDES HE DOESN'T WANT ANY PART OF IT? WHAT TROOPS WOULD FORCE THE U.N. DECREE ON ONE OF ITS OWN MEMBERS?

FOR IT MUST BE REMEMBERED THAT WHILE THE UNITED STATES TREATS CHIANG LIKE A POOR RELATION IN ASIA IT SMILES ON HIM LIKE A RICH UNCLE AT LAKE SUCCESS. THERE, IT STOUTLY DEFENDS AGAINST ALL COMMUNIST COMERS HIS RIGHT TO REPRESENT THE CHINESE NATION IN THE AUGUST COUNCILS OF THE U.N.

(END ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY AUG. 13)

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(300) FORMOSA

WASHINGTON, AUG.12-(AP)-SEVERAL LAWMAKERS CALLED TODAY FOR SPEEDY MILITARY AID TO BOLSTER FORMOSA AGAINST THE SAME KIND OF COMMUNIST ASSAULT THAT STRUCK KOREA.

SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) SAID SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S STATEMENT THERE IS AMPLE ROOM WITHIN PRESENT AMERICAN POLICIES TO GIVE MILITARY HELP TO THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS OUGHT TO BE FOLLOWED IMMEDIATELY BY THE SHIPPING OF SUPPLIES TO CHIANG KAI-SHEK.

"ALL IT TAKES IS THE WILL OF THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT TO MOVE BADLY NEEDED EQUIPMENT TO FORMOSA," KNOWLAND TOLD A REPORTER. "IT OUGHT TO BE DONE NOW SO THAT WE WON'T FACE THE PROBLEM OF TRYING TO SUPPLY TROOPS THERE AFTER THE ASSAULT HAS STARTED, AS WE DID IN KOREA."

ACHESON TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE YESTERDAY THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE U.S. POLICY OF PREVENTING BOTH A COMMUNIST ATTACK ON FORMOSA AND NATIONALIST ATTACKS ON THE MAINLAND. HE ADDED THAT THERE IS AMPLE ROOM WITHIN PRESENT POLICIES FOR MILITARY AID TO THE NATIONALISTS.

IN A REVIEW OF THE WORLD SITUATION, ACHESON PRAISED GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR AS A "GALLANT AND INSPIRING LEADER", ADDING THAT HE SHARES MACARTHUR'S CONFIDENCE OF VICTORY IN KOREA.

ACHESON SAID MEMBERS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY COUNCIL HAD AGREED THAT COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN KOREA HAD MADE URGENT THE STRENGTHENING OF NORTH ATLANTIC DEFENSES. HE ALSO ASKED CONGRESS TO MAKE IT EASIER FOR DISILLUSIONED EX-COMMUNISTS TO ENTER THIS COUNTRY.

SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH), LIKE KNOWLAND A FREQUENT CRITIC OF ADMINISTRATION POLICIES IN THE PACIFIC, JOINED THE CALIFORNIA SENATOR IN URGING SPEEDY MILITARY AID FOR FORMOSA.

SO DID SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV), WHO SAID IN A SEPARATE INTERVIEW: "IT WILL SAVE THE LIVES OF GOD KNOWS HOW MANY AMERICAN BOYS IF WE ENCOURAGE ORIENTALS TO FIGHT COMMUNISTS IN THEIR HOME LANDS INSTEAD OF REQUIRING OCCIDENTALS TO DO THAT."

SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) SAID THAT IF A POLICY OF GIVING MILITARY AID TO THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS IS CARRIED OUT "IT SHOULD STRENGTHEN ANTI-COMMUNIST FORCES THROUGHOUT THE FAR EAST."

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EUROPEAN DEFENSE

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,AUG.12-(AP)-STRONG SENTIMENT IS REPORTED DEVELOPING AMONG NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS, WITH SOME SUPPORT HERE, FOR THE CREATION OF A SUPREME MILITARY COMMAND OVER WESTERN EUROPEAN DEFENSE FORCES.

FRENCH OFFICIALS, WHOSE GOVERNMENT HAS REQUESTED MORE AMERICAN TROOPS IN EUROPE, HAVE INFORMALLY TOLD AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES THE COMMANDER SHOULD BE AN AMERICAN.

BRITAIN AND OTHER COUNTRIES ARE SAID GENERALLY TO SHARE THIS VIEW. THEY FEEL THE UNITED STATES HAS A KIND OF FINAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE WEST BECAUSE OF ITS TOTAL RESOURCES.

THE MAJOR RELUCTANCE TO CREATING A SINGLE MILITARY LEADERSHIP FOR THE ATLANTIC AREA HAS STEMMED FROM MILITARY AUTHORITIES HERE IN THE PAST. THEY HAVE FELT, ACCORDING TO AUTHORITATIVE INFORMATION, THAT ASSUMPTION OF SUCH LEADERSHIP BY THE UNITED STATES MIGHT CAUSE THE EUROPEANS TO EASE UP ON THEIR DEFENSE PROGRAM--NOW BEING EXPANDED TO MEET THE NEW THREATS OF RED AGGRESSION ARISING FROM THE KOREAN CRISIS.

PUBLIC ATTENTION HAS BEEN FOCUSED ANEW ON THE PROBLEM OF TOP MILITARY ORGANIZATION BY THE ACTION OF THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY IN APPROVING WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL YESTERDAY FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY. THE ASSEMBLY ASSERTED THE EUROPEAN DEFENSE ESTABLISHMENT SHOULD BE HEADED BY A SINGLE DEFENSE MINISTER.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS SAID THEY WELCOMED THE ASSEMBLY'S ACTION AND THE SUPPORT WHICH IT OBTAINED FROM SUCH LEADERS AS BELGIUM'S PAUL HENRI SPAAK. BUT THEY WOULD NOT COMMIT THEMSELVES AT ONCE ON WHETHER THE CHURCHILL PLAN SHOULD BE PUT INTO EFFECT BY THE EUROPEAN NATIONS.

THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT HAS LONG ADVOCATED NON-COMMUNIST UNITY IN EUROPE. BUT IN THE PRESENT WORLD EMERGENCY AMERICAN POLICY MAKERS APPEAR TO BE PRIMARILY CONCERNED WITH PROMOTING THE UNITY OF NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES EVERYWHERE. THEY REGARD THE PROBLEM OF EUROPEAN DEFENSE AS PART OF A LARGER PROBLEM OF NORTH ATLANTIC DEFENSE.

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HENCE THE PLANNING EMPHASIS HERE IS ALONG NORTH ATLANTIC LINES RATHER THAN PURELY WESTERN EUROPEAN LINES. THE THINKING IS CONCERNED WITH WAYS OF STRENGTHENING THE NORTH ATLANTIC MACHINERY AND EXPANDING THE MILITARY PREPARATIONS OF THE COUNTRIES IN THE DEFENSE PACT.

CHARLES M.SPOFFORD, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S DEPUTY ON THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL, IS CONFERRING WITH PENTAGON AND STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS PREPARATORY TO RETURNING TO LONDON WHERE THE COUNCIL WILL RESUME WORK AUG.22 ON THIS WHOLE PROBLEM.

FOLLOWING THAT SESSION THE BIG THREE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE WEST WILL MEET IN NEW YORK IN MID SEPTEMBER. PERHAPS THE MOST IMPORTANT ITEM ON THEIR PROGRAM WILL BE BETTER DEFENSES FOR THE WEST.

THE KIND OF COMMAND SETUP WHICH MAY EVENTUALLY BE WORKED OUT WOULD PROBABLY EVOLVE IN STAGES RATHER THAN IN ONE STEP, BARRING SOME NEW INTERNATIONAL EMERGENCY WHICH WOULD INCREASE THE DANGERS OF AN ALL OUT WAR WITH RUSSIA.

AT PRESENT, FOR EXAMPLE, THERE IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE A GROWING ACCEPTANCE OF THE IDEA OF CENTRALIZED STAFF FOR THE NORTH ATLANTIC MILITARY. THIS WOULD NOT BE A COMMAND STAFF IN THE USUAL SENSE BUT WOULD BE MORE A PLANNING STAFF. HOWEVER, IT OBVIOUSLY COULD BE SO SET UP AS TO MOVE QUICKLY INTO THE COMMAND STAGE.

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(250) FOREIGN ARMS

WASHINGTON, AUG.12-(AP)-THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE TODAY CALLED ON SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON TO REVIEW BEFORE IT NEXT WEEK THE STATUS OF MILITARY PREPAREDNESS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) SAID JOHNSON WILL BE QUESTIONED ABOUT HOW THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT INTENDS TO USE $4,000,000,000 (B) PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ASKED CONGRESS TO PROVIDE TO STEP UP THE ARMING OF WESTERN EUROPE AND OTHER ANTI-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

CONGRESS PREVIOUSLY HAD VOTED $1,222,500,000 (B) FOR THIS PURPOSE. THE ADMINISTRATION PROPOSED TO SHORTCUT CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS BY MAKING THE INCREASE IN A MONEY BILL WITHOUT FIRST GOING THROUGH THE FORMAL PROCEDURE OF HAVINGRESS AUTHORIZE IT.

CONNALLY SAID THE COMMITTEE CONFERENCE WITH JOHNSON, EXPECTED TO BE ARRANGED EARLY IN THE WEEK, WILL BE AN INFORMAL INQUIRY INTO THE WHOLE ARMS PROGRAM.

"WE WANT TO KNOW ABOUT MILITARY PREPAREDNESS AT HOME TO MEET ANY OTHER OUTBREAKS THAT MIGHT COME," THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN SAID. "WE WANT TO KNOW WHAT THE SITUATION IS IN KOREA AND WHAT THE PLANS ARE

FOR STEPPING UP THE ARMING OF EUROPE."
CONNALLY SAID HE AND HIS COLLEAGUES WOULD LIKE TO GET FROM JOHNSON AN ESTIMATE OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONEY LIKELY TO BE ASKED OF CONGRESS FOR ARMS NEEDS. THUS FAR MR.TRUMAN HAS REQUESTED $16,500,000,000 (B) IN ADDITION TO THE $14,500,000,000 (B) REGULAR APPROPRIATIONS VOTED THE MILITARY BY CONGRESS.
CONNALLY SAID THAT UNDER PRESENT WORLD CONDITIONS, THE COMMITTEE FEELS IT OUGHT TO KNOW JUST WHAT IS CONTEMPLATED IN THE WAY OF MILITARY PREPAREDNESS.
"AFTER ALL," HE TOLD REPORTERS, "THE MILITARY PICTURE HAS A DIRECT BEARING ON FOREIGN RELATIONS NOW."

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RUSSIAN SHIPS

WASHINGTON, AUG.12-(AP)-RUSSIA HAS PROMISED A REPLY TO A NEW DEMAND FROM THE UNITED STATES FOR SETTLEMENT OF MOSCOW'S LONG OVERDUE LEND-LEASE ACCOUNT.
ANDREI GROMYKO, SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER, GAVE THE PLEDGE IN MOSCOW THIS WEEK TO AMERICAN AMBASSADOR ALAN KIRK.
OFFICIALS HERE GAVE NO INDICATION AS TO WHEN THE RUSSIAN REPLY MAY BE EXPECTED. IT WAS GENERALLY ANTICIPATED THAT SOVIET OFFICIALS WOULD BE SLOW TO MAKE ANY ACCEPTABLE OFFER FOR CLEARING THE BOOKS OF THE NEARLY $11,000,000,000(B) AMERICAN CLAIM.
HOWEVER, THERE WAS SOME HOPE THAT THE REPLY WILL PROVIDE DEFINITE INFORMATION OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF 100 SMALL NAVAL CRAFT WHOSE RETURN THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN DEMANDING FOR THE PAST THREE YEARS.
STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS HAVE NO INFORMATION TO SUPPORT REPORTS THAT SOME OF THESE NAVAL CRAFT AND SOME OF THE 86 MERCHANT SHIPS LOANED RUSSIA DURING WORLD WAR II ARE BEING USED TO HAUL ARMS AND SUPPLIES TO KOREAN COMMUNISTS.
REP.ALVIN WEICHEL (R-OHIO) SAID YESTERDAY HE UNDERSTANDS SOME BORROWED AMERICAN CARGO VESSELS HAVE BEEN SEEN IN NORTH KOREAN PORTS. WEICHEL CALLED FOR MORE VIGOROUS EFFORTS BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO GET THE SHIPS BACK.
IN COMMENTING ON THIS, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THEY INTEND TO USE EVERY POSSIBLE DIPLOMATIC MEANS TO FORCE RUSSIA TO RETURN THE BORROWED SHIPS.
THE SOVIET UNION, HOWEVER, HAS REFUSED TO DISCLOSE THEIR WHEREABOUTS, APPARENTLY FEARING THEY MAY BE SEIZED.
THE 186 VESSELS AMERICA WANTS RETURNED INCLUDE SUB-CHASERS, TORPEDO BOATS, LANDING CRAFT FOR INFANTRY (LCI'S) THE CARGO CARRIERS AND TWO MODERN AMERICAN ICEBREAKERS.
ACCORDING TO AMERICAN ACCOUNTS RUSSIA HAS 345 OTHER SMALL NAVAL CRAFT TURNED OVER TO IT BY THE AMERICAN NAVY DURING THE WAR. THESE ARE CONSIDERED OF LITTLE WAR VALUE AND THEIR RETURN HAS NOT BEEN REQUESTED.
OF THE 86 MERCHANT VESSELS NOW SAILING THE RUSSIAN FLAG 38 ARE LIBERTY SHIPS; 44 PRE-WAR DRY CARGO VESSELS; THREE TUGS, AND ONE A PREWAR TANKER.
THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT LAST YEAR RETURNED 28 NAVY FRIGATES TO THE AMERICAN NAVAL BASE IN JAPAN. LATER THEY SENT BACK AN ICEBREAKER BUT CLAIMED THEY COULD NOT RETURN THE OTHER TWO BECAUSE THEY WERE STUCK IN THE ARCTIC ICE.

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BY ELTON C.FAY

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-ATOMIC WEAPONEERS HAVE MANY IDEAS, TRIED AND UNTRIED, ABOUT USING NUCLEAR ENERGY TO KILL MEN AND DESTROY PLACES BUT THEY STILL THINK THE BIG BOOM IN THE SKY IS THE BEST.
THEY SAY SO IN AN OFFICIAL BOOK ISSUED TONIGHT--"THE EFFECTS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS."
THIS COLDLY-WORDED, GRIM LITTLE BOOK IS DIRECTED CHIEFLY TO TELLING CIVILIAN DEFENSE AGENCIES WHAT TO EXPECT AND DO IN AN ATOMIC ATTACK. BUT WOVEN THROUGH THE BOOK, DIRECTLY OR BY IMPLICATION, IS THE LATEST AND MOST COMPREHENSIVE SURVEY OF AMERICAN PROGRESS IN THE ATOMIC WEAPON FIELD.
THE READER COMES UP WITH THESE THOUGHTS:
1. THE "AIR BURST" LIKE THE ATTACKS ON HIROSHIMA AND NAGASAKI PROBABLY WILL CREATE GREATER DESTRUCTION OVER A WIDER AREA THAN ANY OTHER METHOD OF USING ATOMIC ENERGY--UNDERWATER, SURFACE OR SUBTERRANEAN BLASTS OR THE DISSEMINATION OF RADIOACTIVE POISONS. BUT AN UNDERWATER OR UNDERGROUND EXPLOSION MIGHT PRODUCE MORE CASUALTIES, ESPECIALLY IF A POPULATION IS UNTRAINED AND DOES NOT KNOW WHAT TO DO IN ATOMIC ATTACK.
2. RADIOLOGICAL WARFARE (THE SPREADING OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL WITHOUT NECESSARILY USING A BOMB EXPLOSION) HAS POSSIBILITIES, BUT ALSO DEFINITE HANDICAPS. ONE OF ITS GREATEST POSSIBILITIES IS USE AS A PSYCHOLOGICAL WEAPON, FRIGHTENING POPULATIONS OR SOLDIERS WITH THE FEAR OF A "MYSTERY WEAPON" WHICH THEY CAN'T SEE.
3. A SUBSURFACE, MAN-MADE "EARTHQUAKE" BLAST OF AN A-BOMB WOULD PRODUCE IMPRESSIVE RESULTS, BUT NOT AS EFFECTIVE AS AN AIRBURST FROM STANDPOINT OF GENERAL DAMAGE AND DEATH. THE DAMAGE AREA RESULTING FROM A BOMB DROPPED FROM HIGH ALTITUDE AND PENETRATING TO 40 OR 50 FEET BEFORE EXPLODING WOULD BE ABOUT ONE-HALF TO TWO-THIRDS THAT FOR AN AIR BURST. HOWEVER, IT WOULD HAVE PARTICULAR VALUE IN ATTACKS AGAINST UNDERGROUND INSTALLATIONS. THE DAMAGE TO A CITY ABOVE A BURIED ROCK STRATA (NEW YORK IS SUCH A CITY) WOULD BE GREATER THAN TO ONE BUILT OVER DEEP LAYERS OF LIGHT SOIL.
4. AN UNDERWATER BURST (SUCH AS THE SECOND TEST AT BIKINI IN 1946) WOULD PAY OFF SEVERAL WAYS: THE SINKING OR DAMAGING OF SHIPS BY THE SHOCK OF THE EXPLOSION; THE LETHAL SPRAY OF THE EXPLOSION; THE DESTRUCTION BY HIGH WAVES CLOSE TO THE DETONATION.
5. THE TACTICAL USE OF ATOMIC WEAPONS AGAINST TROOPS IN THE FIELD DEPENDS ON: WHAT TYPE IS USED (BOMBS, RADIOLOGICAL POISON, RADIATION), WHERE IT IS USED, AND HOW MUCH OF THE ELEMENT OF SURPRISE (TO CATCH MEN BEFORE THEY GET TO SHELTER) IS ATTAINED. RADIOLOGICAL WARFARE BY FIRING ARTILLERY SHELLS LOADED WITH ATOMIC POISON INTO ENEMY TROOPS MIGHT BE ONE METHOD OF TACTICAL USE. THE OFFICIAL BOOK DIDN'T DISCUSS THE ARTILLERY SHELL PROJECT, BUT THERE HAS BEEN REFERENCE TO SUCH A WEAPON IN SOME MILITARY QUARTERS.

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THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION AND ITS MILITARY COLLEAGUES ARRIVED AT ALL THESE SPECIFIED OR IMPLIED CONCLUSIONS EITHER BY ACTUAL TESTS OR BY WHAT SCIENTISTS LIKE TO CALL "EXTRAPOLATION." THIS MEANS TAKING SOME KNOWN FACTS AND FIGURING OUT FROM THEM WHAT WOULD HAPPEN.

THE BOOK AND THE MEN WHO HELPED COMPILE IT GIVE CONSIDERABLE ATTENTION TO THE MATTER OF RADIOLOGICAL WARFARE. THE BOOK HAS THIS TO SAY ABOUT IT:

"RADIOLOGICAL WARFARE COULD BE USED TO PREVENT THE OCCUPATION OF A PARTICULAR AREA WITHOUT CAUSING IMMEDIATE CASUALTIES AND DESTRUCTION. CONTAMINATION OF A CITY, FOR EXAMPLE, MIGHT PERHAPS DENY ITS USE FOR HABITATION AND CLOSE DOWN ITS INDUSTRIES WITHOUT CAUSING THE TREMENDOUS HAVOC PRODUCED BY EXPLOSIVE AND INCENDIARY BOMBS. IT IS DOUBTFUL, HOWEVER, APART FROM EXCEPTIONALLY HIGHLY CONTAMINATED AREAS, IF SUCH DENIAL WOULD BE COJPLETELY EFFECTIVE."

TALKING INFORMALLY, THE MEN SAY THIS:

RADIOLOGICAL WARFARE MATERIAL COULD BE PRODUCED EITHER BY USING THE BY-PRODUCTS FROM THE OPERATION OF AN ATOMIC PILE WHICH PRODUCES MATERIAL FOR BOMBS OR BY A SPECIAL PROCESS WHICH CAN PRODUCE A RADIOACTIVE POISON OF THE PARTICULAR PERSISTENCE AND INTENSITY DESIRED.

IT IS NOT POSSIBLE TO STOCKPILE RADIOLOGICAL WARFARE MATERIAL LIKE BULLETS OR BOMBS, BECAUSE THERE IS A CONTINUOUS LOSS OF RADIOACTIVITY. THEREFORE, SAYS THE BOOK, "THE ACTIVE SUBSTANCES MUST BE MANUFACTURED CONTINUOUSLY IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN THE STOCKPILE EVEN WHEN THE WEAPON IS NOT BEING USED."

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ATOMIC BOOK (1200)

BY DOUGLAS B.CORNELL

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 12-(AP)-IF THAT ATOM BOMB HITS, FALL FLAT AND DOUBLE UP. DON'T MAKE FOR COVER IF IT TAKES MORE THAN A STEP OR TWO TO GET THERE.

WHETHER YOU LIVE OR DIE MAY DEPEND ON HOW FAST YOU MOVE IN THE VERY FIRST SECOND--ABOUT THE TIME IT TAKES TO SAY "ONE HUNDRED AND ONE."

THE GOVERNMENT SAYS SO IN A NEW BOOK ON "THE EFFECTS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS." FOR THE FIRST TIME IT GIVES YOU SOME DEFINITE POINTERS ON WHAT TO DO IN CASE OF AN ATOM BOMB ATTACK.

THE MAIN IDEA IS TO GET SOMETHING BETWEEN YOU AND THE EXPLOSION, EVEN IF IT'S ONLY YOUR CLOTHING. PROTECT EXPOSED SKIN.

THE BOOK WAS PUT OUT BY THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION. IT WAS PREPARED BY ATOMIC EXPERTS UNDER DIRECTION OF THE LOS ALAMOS, N.MEX., SCIENTIFIC LABORATORY, WHICH THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA OPERATES FOR AEC.

MUCH OF IT IS TOO TECHNICAL FOR THE AVERAGE PERSON TO UNDERSTAND. MUCH OF IT IS OLD STUFF WARMED OVER. BUT THERE ARE NEW TRIMMINGS AND DETAILS.

ALTHOUGH THE AEC BOOK DEALS WITH SOME ASPECTS OF CIVIL DEFENSE, A BROAD OUTLINE OF THE PROBLEMS INVOLVED IS STILL EXPECTED FROM THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD.

THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION BOOK GIVES QUITE A FEW HINTS ON SELF-PROTECTION.

THE BOOK, AND AEC DEFENSE OFFICIALS FAMILIAR WITH IT, DO SAY THAT:

YOU NEEDN'T WORRY ABOUT TALK THAT ATOMIC EXPLOSIONS MIGHT CONTAMINATE THE ENTIRE EARTH WITH RADIATION. IT WOULD TAKE SOMETHING LIKE 1,000,000 ATOM BOMBS TO DO THE TRICK AND "THIS CLEARLY REPRESENTS A HIGHLY IMPROBABLE SITUATION."

RADIOLOGICAL WARFARE IS A POSSIBILITY AND WE OUGHT TO BE PREPARED FOR IT. BUT BECAUSE IT IS A "MYSTERY WEAPON" ITS MOST IMPORTANT EFFECT MIGHT BE PSYCHOLOGICAL. ACTUALLY, IT PROBABLY COULDN'T BE USED TO KILL PEOPLE. BUT IT MIGHT FORCE THEM TO ABANDON FACTORIES, HOMES, TOWNS OR MILITARY INSTALLATIONS FOR A TIME.

IF YOUR HOUSE IS CONTAMINATED, YOU CAN CLEAN IT UP. PLAIN SOAP AND WATER HELP A LOT. BUT YOU MIGHT HAVE TO TAKE THE FURNITURE AND CLOTHING OUT AND BURY THEM.

NO SERUM OR SHOTS CAN GIVE YOU LASTING PROTECTION AGAINST RADIATION. BUT DOCTORS CAN HELP IF YOU ARE A VICTIM. EXPOSURE DOESN'T NECESSARILY MEAN YOU ARE GOING TO DIE, OR EVEN THAT THERE WILL BE SOME PECULIAR, PERMANENT AFTER EFFECTS.

BURNS ARE A GREATER DANGER, EITHER FROM THE FLASH OF THE ATOMIC EXPLOSION OR FROM FIRES THAT BREAK OUT IN THE BOMBED AREA.

THE GOVERNMENT HOPES TO PROVIDE AN ADVANCE WARNING OF A BOMBING. IF THERE IS A WARNING, NATURALLY YOU RUSH TO THE BEST POSSIBLE SHELTER.

SPECIAL SHELTERS CAN BE BUILT ABOVE OR UNDERGROUND. THE BASEMENT OF YOUR HOME IS FAIRLY SAFE, IF YOU HAVE A WAY TO GET OUT IN CASE THE HOUSE COLLAPSES. THE INTERIOR OF LOWER FLOORS OF OFFICE BUILDINGS CAN BE USED. A SLIT TRENCH THREE OR FOUR FEET DEEP WOULD HELP OUTSIDE.

BUT SUPPOSE YOU ARE CAUGHT BY SURPRISE. ALL OF A SUDDEN A TREMENDOUS, AWESOME GLARE MAKES THE SUN TURN PALE. NATURALLY YOU WANT TO LOOK AND SEE WHAT'S HAPPENED.

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DON'T! YOU MIGHT GET A DEADLY BURN.

INSTEAD, THE GOVERNMENT SAYS:

1. IF YOU'RE IN THE OPEN, DROP TO THE GROUND INSTANTLY, BACK TO THE LIGHT. CURL UP SO AS TO SHADE YOUR BARE FACE, NECK, ARMS AND HANDS WITH THE CLOTHED PART OF YOUR BODY.

THIS WON'T SHIELD YOU FROM RADIATION BUT IT WILL FROM FLASH BURNS. AND FLASH BURNS CAN HURT YOU FAR BEYOND THE LIMIT AT WHICH RADIATION IS DEADLY.

KEEP YOURSELF IN A KNOT AT LEAST 10 SECONDS. AFTER THAT GET UP, LOOK AROUND, AND FIGURE WHAT NEXT--IF YOU ARE ABLE.

2. IF YOU'RE IN THE STREET, DUCK BEHIND A TREE OR CORNER OR INTO A DOORWAY, IF ONE IS A LEAP OR SO AWAY. BEND OVER, BACK TO THE LIGHT, SO AS TO SHADE EXPOSED PARTS OF YOUR BODY.

DON'T TRY TO MAKE IT IF SHELTER IS EVERAL STEPS OFF, BECAUSE THE A-BOMB GIVES OFF MOST OF ITS HEAT AND RADIATION IN THE FIRST THREE SECONDS. INSTEAD, FALL TO THE GROUND, AS IF YOU WERE IN THE OPEN, AND WAIT THAT 10 SECONDS.

THEN PRESS YOURSELF TIGHTLY AGAINST A BUILDING, IF YOU CAN, TO AVOII SHATTERED GLASS OR FALLING BRICKS.

3. IF YOU'RE AT HOME OR THE OFFICE, DROP TO THE FLOOR, BACK TO THE WINDOW. CRAWL BEHIND AN INSIDE PARTITION OR BEHIND OR UNDER A DESK OR TABLE. THERE'S A LITTLE TIME LAG BETWEEN THE HEAT AND RADIATION AND THE BLAST FROM AN A-BOMB. SO FOR A FULL MINUTE STAY AWAY FROM WINDOWS AND FLYING GLASS.

OF COURSE, IF YOU'RE WITHIN HALF A MILE OF THE POINT ON THE GROUND ABOVE WHICH THE BOMB GOES OFF, YOUR CHANCES OF COMING THROUGH IT ALIVE ARE MIGHTY SLIM. PEOPLE, BUILDINGS, NEARLY EVERYTHING WITHIN THE AREA WILL BE DESTROYED.

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THE SCIENTISTS FIGURE THAT IT ISN'T PRACTICAL TO TRY TO PROVIDE REAL PROTECTION INSIDE THE CIRCLE OF HEAVIEST DAMAGE. BUT BEYOND THAT HALF MILE, THE FARTHER AWAY YOU ARE THE BETTER YOUR CHANCES, ESPECIALLY IF YOU FIND SHELTER. AND YOU CAN FEEL FAIRLY SAFE IF YOU ARE THREE MILES OR MORE FROM A LIKELY TARGET.

THIS NEW AEC BOOK GIVES A CLEARER, MORE DETAILED PICTURE THAN EVER BEFORE OF JUST WHAT TO EXPECT WHEN AN ATOM BOMB GOES OFF, WHAT IT DOES TO PEOPLE AND PROPERTY. THERE ARE SOME FACTS, NEVER BEFORE BROUGHT OUT AND MOSTLY HIGHLY TECHNICAL, ABOUT THE BLASTS IN JAPAN AND A-BOMB TESTS IN NEW MEXICO AND THE PACIFIC.

"IN GENERAL," THE BOOK SAYS, "IT APPEARS THAT PROPER PROTECTION AGAINST BLAST, SHOCK AND FIRE DAMAGE COULD ALSO MINIMIZE THE DANGER TO PERSONNEL FROM THERMAL RADIATION AND THE INITIAL NUCLEAR RADIATIONS."

AT HALF A MILE, A COUPLE OF FEET OF REINFORCED CONCRETE, OR SOMETHING EQUIVALENT TO IT, IS SAID TO BE EFFECTIVE. SHELTERS CAN BE BUILT INSIDE OR OUTSIDE OF BUILDINGS. AND BUILDINGS CAN BE BUILT OR STRENGTHENED TO RESIST BLAST.

THE BOOK SUGGESTS THE SAME SYSTEM BE FOLLOWED AS IN MAKING BUILDINGS RESISTANT TO WINDS AND EARTHQUAKES BUT SAYS THEY OUGHT TO BE A THIRD TO A HALF STRONGER.

MORE DEFINITE INFORMATION WILL BE AVAILABLE LATER.

"BASEMENTS OF HOMES," THE BOOK SAYS, "ESPECIALLY IF THEY EXTENDED BEYOND THE MAIN STRUCTURE OF THE HOUSE, WOULD OFFER REASONABLE PROTECTION AGAINST BLAST DAMAGE, PROVIDED THEY ARE NOT TOO NEAR THE CENTER OF THE EXPLOSION. HOWEVER, CARE MUST BE TAKEN TO PROVIDE ESCAPES TO BE USED IN CASE THE HOUSE CATCHES FIRE OR COLLAPSES.

"A SHALLOW RAMPART OF SOIL OR OF SAND BAGS OUTSIDE THE HOUSE WOULD PROBABLY BE ADVANTAGEOUS. SEMIBURIED SHELTERS FOR INDIVIDUAL FAMILIES, OF THE TYPE USED IN EUROPE DURING WORLD WAR 11, FOR PROTECTION AGAINST CONVENTIONAL BOMBS, WOULD ALSO PROVIDE WORTHWHILE PROTECTION AGAINST ATOMIC EXPLOSIONS."

IN JAPAN, IT IS BELIEVED MORE THAN HALF THE DEATHS AND THREE-FOURTHS OF THE TOTAL CASUALTIES WERE DUE TO FLASH OR FLAME BURNS.

THE BURNS AREN'T PECULIARLY DIFFERENT JUST BECAUSE AN A-BOMB CAUSED THEM. AND THE TREATMENT IS THE SAME AS FOR ANY BURNS.

EXPOSURE TO THE HEAT OF AN A-BOMB ON A FAIRLY CLEAR DAY WOULD PRODUCE MORE OR LESS SERIOUS SKIN BURNS WITHIN A RADIUS OF NEARLY TWO MILES. YET EVEN FAIRLY CLOSE TO THE CENTER OF THE EXPLOSION THE HEAT RAYS PROBABLY WOULDN'T GO THROUGH CLOTHING. HENCE THE IMPORTANCE OF COVERING UP.

WHITE CLOTHING IS BETTER THAN BLACK BECAUSE IT ABSORBS LESS HEAT, AND LOOSE CLOTHING IS BETTER THAN TIGHT.

THE HEAT OF AN A-BOMB STARTS FIRES INSTANTLY AT FAIRLY LONG DISTANCES. THEN THE AIR BLAST FROM THE BOMB PROBABLY BLOWS MOST OF THEM OUT. THE BIG FIRES THAT FOLLOW ATOMIC EXPLOSIONS APPARENTLY RESULT MAINLY FROM BROKEN FUEL LINES AND STORAGE TANKS, OVERTURNED FURNACES AND STOVES AND THE LIKE.

YOU HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT GETTING TRAPPED IN DEBRIS IN THE PATH OF A FIRE.

PROTECTION AGAINST RADIATION REQUIRES A THICK SHIELD. IF YOU DON'T GET TOO HEAVY A DOSE, YOU CAN BE PULLED THROUGH. IN JAPAN, NO MORE THAN 15 PER CENT OF THE DEATHS WERE CAUSED BY RADIATION.

AN ARMY MEDICAL OFFICER, AN AUTHORITY ON RADIATION SICKNESS, SAYS "WE HAVE GONE A LONG WAY IN TREATING THE EFFECTS OF RADIATION."

"WE FEEL," HE SAYS, "BY TREATING THESE SYMPTOMS AND TREATING THEM ADEQUATELY WE CAN SAVE INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO SUPPOSEDLY LETHAL DOSES. X X X WE DON'T HAVE TO SIT BACK AND SAY THAT 60,000 PEOPLE ARE GOING TO DIE BECAUSE A BOMB GOES OFF, BECAUSE THAT IS NOT THE WAY TO LOOK AT IT. IF WE ARE GOING TO LOOK AT IT THAT WAY WE MIGHT AS WELL ALL QUIT."

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG 12-(AP)-PERSONS EXPOSED TO DAMAGING RADIATION--SUCH AS FROM AN ATOMIC BOMB--MIGHT BE WISE TO REFRAIN FROM BEGETTING CHILDREN FOR SEVERAL MONTHS, THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SUGGESTED TODAY.

THE COMMISSION, IN A NEW BOOK ON THE EFFECTS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS, DISCUSSED THE POSSIBLE EFFECT OF RADIATION ON SUCCEEDING GENERATIONS.

RADIATION CAN CHANGE THE STRUCTURAL ARRANGEMENT OF CHROMOSOMES, WHICH ARE LOCATED IN ALL CELLS OF THE BODY, AND WHICH CARRY HEREDITARY TRAITS.

SUCH CHANGES COULD CAUSE THE DEATH OF CHILDREN IN THE MOTHER'S WOMB, OR LEAD TO THE BIRTH OF CHILDREN OF DIMINISHED SEXUAL FERTILITY.

BUT THE COMMISSION INDICATED THAT A PERIOD OF TWO OR THREE MONTHS MIGHT ENABLE NATURE TO REPAIR THE DAMAGE TO THE PARENTS' CELLS.

HOWEVER, IT IS DIFFERENT WHERE RADIATION ALTERS THE GENES, TINY PARTICLES IN THE CHROMOSOMES. THEN, NO MATTER HOW LONG PARENTS WAIT BEFORE HAVING CHILDREN, THERE IS RISK THAT DEFECTS MAY SHOW UP IN THE OFFSPRING, EITHER IN THE FIRST OR LATER GENERATIONS.

SPEAKING OF RADIATION EFFECTS ON THE REPRODUCTIVE ORGANS OF JAPANESE MEN AND WOMEN EXPOSED TO BOMBINGS, THE BOOK SAID "TEMPORARY STERILITY" OCCURRED AMONG SOME BUT THAT "THE VAST MAJORITY OF THESE HAVE SINCE RETURNED TO NORMAL."

IN SOME JAPANESE WOMEN, THE BOOK SAID, MENSTRUATION STOPPED TEMPORARILY, AND "THERE WAS ALSO AN INCREASED INCIDENCE OF MISCARRIAGES AND PREMATURE BIRTHS, AND AN INCREASED DEATH RATE AMONG EXPECTANT MOTHERS."

BUT THE BOOK ALSO POINTED OUT THAT MANY JAPANESE WHO HAD BEEN AFFLICTED WITH "RADIATION SICKNESS" HAVE SINCE PRODUCED NORMAL CHILDREN.

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WITH ATOMIC DEFENSE

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG.12-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT'S NEW BOOK ON WHAT TO DO IN EVENT OF AN ATOMIC ATTACK SEEMS LIKELY TO BECOME A BEST SELLER.

THE FIRST PRINTING OF 10,000 COPIES ALREADY HAS BEEN PRACTICALLY EXHAUSTED, ROY EASTIN, SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC DOCUMENTS, REPORTED TODAY. SOME 8,600 ALREADY HAVE BEEN PUT IN THE MAILS TO MEET EARLY ORDERS.

A SECOND PRINTING OF ANOTHER 10,000 COPIES IF BEING STARTED.

THE BOOK IS OBTAINABLE BY WRITING THE SUPERINTENDENT OF DOCUMENTS.

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FIELD OFFICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ALSO ACT AS AGENTS FOR THE GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE AND ORDERS CAN BE FILED WITH THEM, EASTIN SAID.
IT IS LIKELY THAT EVENTUALLY THOSE OFFICES MAY HAVE SUFFICIENT COPIES FOR OVER-THE-COUNTER SALES OF THE BOOK.
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(ADVANCE)...MADISON'S WIS., AUG. 12-(AP)-PUBLICATION OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION'S NEW BOOK ON "THE EFFECTS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS" WAS HAMPERED BY THE COMMISSION ITSELF, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOOK'S BOARD OF EDITORS CHARGED TONIGHT.
DR. JOSEPH O. HIRSCHFELDER, A UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN CHEMIST, MADE THE STATEMENT SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH THE ISSUANCE OF THE OFFICIAL PUBLICAT
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PREPARATION OF THE BOOK, HE DECLARED, "WAS MADE EXCEEDINGLY DIFFICULT BECAUSE OF THE LACK OF ACTIVE SUPPORT OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION."
A COMMISSION SPOKESMAN SAID IN WASHINGTON THERE WOULD BE NO COMMENT ON DR.HIRSCHFELDER'S STATEMENTS.
THE SCIENTIST, WHO IS A CONSULTANT FOR THE LOS ALAMOS LABORATORY, ACCUSED THE COMMISSION OF HAVING "VERY LITTLE APPRECIATION OF THE TECHNICAL DIFFICULTIES CONNECTED WITH ATOMIC ENERGY PROBLEMS."
"THIS," HE SAID, IS THE RESULT OF HAVING PROFESSIONAL ADMINISTRATORS WITH INADEQUATE OR NO SCIENTIFIC TRAINING AT THE TOP LEVEL. APPARENTLY, THEY DO NOT RELAIZE THE DESIRABILITY OF COMPILING AND ANALYZING THE TECHNICEL EFFECTS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS."
HIRSCHFELDER SAID THAT ONE TIME THE COMMISSION ORDERED ATOMIC EXPERTS TO STOP WORK ON THE WEAPONS TREATISE FOR A PERIOD OF SIX WEEKS "APPARENTLY AS A RESULT OF POLITICAL PRESSURE." HE CONTINUED:
"I WAS DISCOURAGED FROM BRINGING TOGETHER GROUPS OF CHAPTER AUTHORS WIT TECHNICAL EXPERTS TO ATTEMPT TO SETTLE ONCE AND FOR ALL SOME OF THE CONFUSING TECHNICAL PROBLEMS WHICH AROSE IN CONNECTION WITH THIS TREATISE.
"ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL DIFFICULTIES WHICH AROSE IN THE PREPARATION OF THIS TREATISE WAS DUE TO THE EXTREME COMPARTMENTALIZATION OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION. X X X BECAUSE OF THE COMPARTMENTALIZATION WE FOUND THAT EXPERTS ON A PART
CULAR SUBJECT WERE NOT AWARE OF THE RESEARCH RESULTS IN THE SAME FIELD WHICH HAD BEEN OBTAINED IN OTHER LABORATORIES WHICH PROFOUNDLY AFFECTED THEIR TECHNICAL VIEWPOINTS.

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"THERE IS A GREAT DEAL OF RIVALRY BETWEEN THE CENTRAL OFFICES OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION IN WASHINGTON AND THE OUTLYING LABORATORIES, AND CONSIDERABLE JEALOUSLY OVER THEIR RESPECTIVE PERROGATIVES," THE WISCONSIN CHEMIST SAID. "ON THIS ACCOUNT WE WERE OFTEN SLOWED DOWN BECAUSE OF MATTERS OF PROTOCOL."
HIRSCHFELDER IS DIRECTOR OF THE U.S. NAVAL RESEARCH LABORATORY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.
HE SAID THE COMMISSION "HAS BEEN CAUGHT IN A VICE BETWEEN THE DESIRE TO BE EFFECTIVE AND THE NEED TO DEFEND ITSELF AGAINST UNSCRUPULOUS POLITICIANS. THIS HAS LED TO CONFUSION. APPARENTLY THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION TURNED OVER ALL OF ITS VESTED RESPONSIBILITIES RELATIVE TO CIVILIAN DEFENSE TO THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD. BUT IT WAS NOT UNTIL THE PUBLICATION OF "THE EFFECTS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS" THAT THE NATIONAL SECURITIES RESOURCES BOARD WAS PROVIDED WITH THE TECHNICAL INFORMATION NEEDED IN ORDER TO MAKE ADEQUATE PLANS.
"THE ORGANIZATION OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION MUST BE STREAMLINED IF IT IS TO WORK EFFECTIVELY IN THE DIFFICULT YEARS AHEAD," HIRSCHFELDER CONCLUDED.
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EDITORS: THE FOLLOWING STORY, DEVELOPED AT THE SUGGESTION OF THE PITTSBURGH SUN-TELEGRAM, MAY READILY BE USED AS AN ADD TO RESERVES-MILITARY (A33WX).
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(400) DEFERMENT REQUESTS
WASHINGTON, AUG. 11-(AP)-DETAILS OF POLICY REGARDING DEFERMENT OF RECALLED RESERVISTS AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN WHO ARE ENROLLED IN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS ARE NOW BEING WRITTEN BY THE INDIVIDUAL ARMED SERVICES.
BASIC POLICY HAS BEEN LAID DOWN BY THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT. IT PROVIDES THAT THE CALLUP OF A RESERVIST OR GUARDSMAN ENROLLED IN AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION MAY BE DELAYED UNTIL COMPLETION OF THE SCHOOL TERM IN WHICH THE MEMBER IS REGISTERED.
THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT DIRECTIVE PROVIDES ALSO:
"A MEMBER PURSUING A PROFESSIONAL GRADUATE COURSE OR ENGAGED IN RESEARCH IN A TECHNICAL OR SCIENTIFIC FIELD OF PRIMARY INTEREST TO THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE SHOULD BE GRANTED DELAY IN CALL TO ACTIVE DUTY. SUCH DELAY WILL BE BASED UPON THE MERITS OF THE INDIVIDUAL CASE."
IMPLEMENTING POLICIES OF THE INDIVIDUAL ARMED SERVICES ARE ONLY PARTIALLY COMPLETE.
THE MARINE POLICY REGARDING MEMBERS OF ORGANIZED RESERVE UNITS IS THIS: IF THEY HAVE ONLY ONE HALF YEAR OR LESS OF STUDY TO COMPLETE IN ORDER TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS FROM EITHER COLLEGE OR HIGH SCHOOL, THEY MAY BE DEFERRED.
THE AIR FORCE IS EXPECTED TO OFFER DEFERMENTS TO COLLEGE STUDENTS WHO ARE FINISHING RESERVE OFFICER TRAINING COURSES.
NO DETAILS OF ARMY AND NAVY POLICIES ON THIS QUESTION AVE BEEN DISCLOSED, BUT SPOKESMEN SAID THEY WOULD CONFORM WITH THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT DIRECTIVE.
THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT GAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAKING REQUESTS FOR DELAYS AND DEFERMENTS:

ARMY--REQUESTS SHOULD BE MADE BY A MEMBER OF THE ARMY ORGANIZED RESERVE CORPS THROUGH HIS UNIT COMMANDER OR UNIT INSTRUCTOR TO THE COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE ARMY AREA IN WHICH HE RESIDES.
NAVY--REQUESTS BY NAVAL RESERVE OFFICERS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE CHIEF, BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL. NON-AVIATORS WILL SEND REQUESTS VIA THEIR NAVAL DISTRICT COMMANDANT. AVIATION OFFICERS SHOULD SEND THEIR REQUESTS VIA THE CHIEF OF NAVAL AIR RESERVE TRAINING, NAVAL

AIR STATION, GLENVIEW, ILLINOIS.
REQUESTS BY ENLISTED PERSONNEL SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THEIR NAVAL DISTRICT COMMANDANT BY NON-AVIATION PERSONNEL, AND TO THE CHIEF OF NAVAL AIR RESERVE TRAINING, NAVAL AIR STATION, GLENVIEW, ILL., BY ENLISTED AVIATION PERSONNEL.
MARINE CORPS--ALL REQUESTS MUST COME FROM THE INDIVIDUAL THROUGH THE CHAIN OF COMMAND, STARTING WITH THE LOCAL INSPECTOR INSTRUCTOR.
AIR FORCE--REQUESTS OF AIR FORCE RESERVES SHOULD BE MADE TO THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE NUMBERED AIR FORCE FOR THE AREA IN WHICH THE RESERVIST RESIDES.
NATIONAL GUARD--REQUESTS OF ARMY AND AIR FORCE NATIONAL GUARDSMEN SHOULD BE MADE TO THE ADJUTANT GENERAL OF THE STATE CONCERNED.
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WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE ARMY AND AIR FORCE ARE CALLING UP 59,444 MORE RESERVES, BOOSTING TO 121,444 THE NUMBER THEY WILL SUMMON FOR ACTIVE DUTY WITHIN THE NEXT TWO AND ONE-HALF MONTHS.
THE AIR FORCE, HINTING AT ADDITIONAL FUTURE CALLS, SAID LAST NIGHT IT EXPECTS TO PUT 8,000 OFFICERS AND 42,000 ENLISTED MEN INTO ACTIVE SERVICE BY EARLY FALL. IT SPOKE OF THIS NUMBER AS AN "INITIAL REQUIREMENT."
THE ARMY ANNOUNCED IT IS ORDERING 9,444 MALE RESERVE OFFICERS TO ACTIVE DUTY BY OCT. 6. LAST WEEK IT CALLED FOR 62,000 RESERVE ENLISTED MEN TO REPORT DURING SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER.
THE AIR FORCE IS SUMMONING MOSTLY OFFICERS OF THE RANK OF CAPTAIN OR BELOW AND ENLISTED MEN WITH SPECIAL MILITARY SKILLS. THE ARMY WANTS 7,862 CAPTAINS AND LIEUTENANTS PLUS 1,682 MEDICAL, DENTAL AND VETERINARY CORPS OFFICERS UP TO MAJORS AND LIEUTENANT COLONELS.
AS AN INITIAL STEP TOWARD ADJUSTING THE RANK OF OFFICERS ALREADY ON ACTIVE DUTY TO THOSE BEING RECALLED, THE AIR FORCE SAID 5,000 WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR TEMPORARY PROMOTION TO THE GRADES OF CAPTAIN AND FIRST LIEUTENANT.
IT ALSO ANNOUNCED THE GROUNDS ON WHICH RESERVE OFFICERS AND AIRMEN CALLED UP MAY APPLY FOR DELAY. THESE INCLUDE:
1. PERSONS ENROLLED IN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.
2. THOSE ENGAGED IN RESEARCH AND SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES.
3. INDIVIDUALS IN CERTAIN ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES.
4. HARDSHIPAND DEPENDENCY CASES.
APPEALS TO RECALL ORDERS MAY BE MADE TO THE AIR FORCE.
MILITARY UNITS HEADED FOR THE FAR EAST WILL HAVE PRIORITY IN THE ASSIGNMENT OF ARMY RESERVE OFFICERS CALLED TO DUTY. THE ARMY EXPECTS TO HAVE ITS QUOTAS FOR MEDICAL OFFICERS FILLED BY SEPT. 10.
IN OTHER MILITARY DEVELOPMENTS:
1. NEWSPAPER AND RADIO STATIONS WERE ASKED BY THE ARMED FORCES NOT TO REPORT ALERTS OR MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS TRAINING IN THE UNITED STATES ON GROUNDS THAT SUCH INFORMATION WOULD AID THE ENEMY.
2. THE MARITIME ADMINISTRATION ORDERED WITHDRAWAL FROM THE RESERVE FLEET OF 25 MORE VICTORY-TYPE CARGO SHIPS, BRINGING THE TOTAL NUMBER TO BE RESTORED TO SERVICE TO 148.
3. THE NAVY DISCLOSED THAT THE 27,000-TON AIRCRAFT CARRIER LEYTE IS BEING KEPT IN SERVICE INSTEAD OF BEING LAID UP FOR MODERNIZATION AS PREVIOUSLY PLANNED. INSTEAD, HER SISTER SHIP LAKE CHAMPLAIN IS TO BE TAKEN OUT OF THE "MOTHBALL" FLEET AND MODERNIZED.
4. REP. TOWE (R-NJ) INTRODUCED A BILL IN THE HOUSE CALLING FOR UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING. HOWEVER, PRESIDENT TRUMAN--ALTHOUGH HE FAVORS SUCH A PROGRAM--WAS REPORTED UNWILLING TO PRESS FOR IT AT THIS SESSION OF CONGRESS. PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY CHARLES ROSS SAID MR.TRUMAN FEELS THE CONTROVERSIAL ISSUE MIGHT INTERFERE WITH LEGISLATION HE CONSIDERS VITAL TO KOREAN WAR NEEDS.
THE AIR FORCE HAS SPECIFIED THE TYPE OF OFFICER AND AIRMAN (ENLISTED MAN) SPECIALISTS IT NEEDS MOST IN THE CURRENT RECALL OF RESERVES AS FOLLOWS:
"GREATEST NEED FOR OFFICERS IS STILL IN THE NAVIGATOR, BOMBARDIER, AND RADAR SPECIALIST FIELDS, ALTHOUGH REQUIREMENTS NOW EXIST FOR PILOTS OF MOST COMBAT AIRCRAFT.
"PRINCIPAL AIRMEN REQUIREMENTS ARE STILL IN THE FIELDS OF AIRPLANE AND ENGINE MECHANICS, RADAR AND RADIO SPECIALISTS, ARMAMENT SPECIALISTS, AND PERSONNEL IN THE MEDICAL FIELDS."
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THUMBNAIL CALL UP (500)
WASHINGTON, AUG.12-(AP)-HERE, IN BRIEF, IS THE SITUATION REGARDING THE CALLING OF RESERVISTS AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN TO ACTIVE DUTY:
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RESERVE UNITS: AN UNDISCLOSED NUMBER OF UNITS SMALLER THAN A DIVISION ARE BEING CALLED UP.
INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS NOT ASSIGNED IN ORGANIZED UNITS: 9,444 OFFICERS, BOTH ACTIVE AND INACTIVE IN RESERVE TRAINING PROGRAMS, ARE BEING CALLED INVOLUNTARILY. OF THESE, 7,862 ARE CAPTAINS AND LIEUTENANTS IN 16 ARMS AND SERVICES. THE REMAINING 1,582 HOLD RANKS UP TO MAJOR IN THE MEDICAL AND MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS, LIEUTENANT COLONEL IN THE DENTAL CORPS, AND MAJOR IN THE VETERINARY CORPS. IN ADDITION, 62,000 ENLISTED RESERVISTS WHO ARE NOT MEMBERS OF ORGANIZED UNITS WILL BE CALLED DURING SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER FOR 21 MONTHS' DUTY.
WOMEN RESERVISTS OF THE NURSES CORPS AND THE WACS ARE NOT YET BEING CALLED INVOLUNTARILY.

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NATIONAL GUARD
GROUND FORCES: FOUR DIVISIONS AND TWO REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS HAVE BEEN CALLED INTO SERVICE WITH THE ARMY. THE DIVISIONS ARE THE 28TH INFANTRY OF PENNSYLVANIA; THE FORTIETH INFANTRY OF CALIFORNIA; THE 43RD INFANTRY OF VERMONT, CONNECTICUT AND RHODE ISLAND, AND THE 45TH INFANTRY OF OKLAHOMA. THE REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS ARE THE 196TH OF SOUTH DAKOTA AND THE 278TH OF TENNESSEE.
AIR UNITS: NO CALL-UP OF UNITS OF THE AIR NATIONAL GUARD HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED, BUT A LIMITED NUMBER OF GROUND SUPPORT GROUPS IS EXPECTED TO BE CALLED TO SUPPORT THE MOBILIZED GUARD SOLDIERS.
MARINES
RESERVE UNITS: ALL ORGANIZED GROUND UNITS HAVE BEEN CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY AND MORE ORGANIZED AIR UNITS ARE BEING CALLED.
INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS NOT ASSIGNED IN ORGANIZED UNITS: THE MARINE CORPS HAS ANNOUNCED THAT THIS GROUP, TOTALING ABOUT 80,000 AND NAMED THE VOLUNTEER RESERVE, WILL BE MOBILIZED. INITIALLY, ABOUT 50,000 OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN WILL BE CALLED BETWEEN AUGUST 15 AND OCTOBER 31. THEY WILL BE MAINLY OFFICERS OF THE RANK OF CAPTAIN AND

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BELOW AND ENLISTED MEN OF THE RANK OF SERGEANT AND BELOW WITH COMBAT-TYPE MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALTIES. A FEW OFFICERS AND MEN ABOVE THESE GRADES WHO HAVE BADLY NEEDED SKILLS WILL BE CALLED.

A FEW WOMEN MARINES ALSO WILL BE CALLED.

AIR FORCE

INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS NOT ASSIGNED IN ORGANIZED UNITS: AN "INITIAL REQUIREMENT" OF ABOUT 50,000 RESERVE OFFICERS AND AIRMEN IS BEING CALLED, INVOLUNTARILY IF NECESSARY. OF THIS NUMBER, ABOUT 8,000 ARE OFFICERS, MOSTLY CAPTAINS OR BELOW. THE REMAINING 42,000 ARE ENLISTED RESERVISTS WITH SPECIALLY NEEDED MILITARY SKILLS. THE GREATEST NEED FOR OFFICERS IS IN THE FIELDS OF NAVIGATORS, BOMBARDIERS AND RADAR SPECIALISTS. COMBAT PILOTS, MEDICAL AND DENTAL OFFICERS, AND A LONG LIST OF OTHER SKILLED RESERVISTS ARE BEING CALLED ALSO. THE AIRMEN (ENLISTED MEN) MOST NEEDED ARE IN THE FIELDS OF AIRPLANE AND ENGINE MECHANICS, RADAR AND RADIO SPECIALISTS, ARMAMENT SPECIALISTS, AND MEDICAL PERSONNEL.

SOME WOMEN RESERVISTS OF THE WAF, BOTH OFFICER AND ENLISTED, ARE INCLUDED IN THE CALL UP.

RESERVE UNITS: AN UNDISCLOSED NUMBER OF RESERVE UNITS HAS BEEN CALLED UP.

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RESERVE UNITS: AN UNDISCLOSED NUMBER OF NAVAL AIR SQUADRONS HAS BEEN CALLED.

INDIVIDUAL RESERVISTS: AN UNDISCLOSED NUMBER OF RESERVISTS IN THE ORGANIZED AND FLEET RESERVES ARE BEING CALLED INVOLUNTARILY. (THE ORGANIZED RESERVE IS COMPOSED OF RESERVISTS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF ORGANIZED UNITS; THE FLEET RESERVE IS MADE UP OF THOSE WHO HAVE HAD 20 YEARS' NAVAL SERVICE BUT HAVE NOT YET ATTAINED THE 30 YEARS NECESSARY FOR RETIREMENT.)

MEMBERS OF THE VOLUNTEER RESERVE, WHO ARE INDIVIDUALS NOT ASSIGNED IN ORGANIZED UNITS, ARE BEING CALLED INVOLUNTARILY WHEN QUOTAS CAN NOT BE FILLED FROM THE ORGANIZED AND FLEET RESERVES.

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WAVES AND ENLISTED RETIRED PERSONNEL ARE NOT BEING CALLED INVOLUNTARILY AT THIS TIME.

SELECTIVE SERVICE

THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT HAS ASKED SELECTIVE SERVICE TO CALL UP A TOTAL OF 100,000 INDUCTEES FOR THE ARMY DURING SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER. THESE ARE BEING SELECTED BY LOCAL DRAFT BOARDS FROM MEN AGED 19 THROUGH 25, WHO ARE NOT VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II.

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NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS

BY MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG.12-(AP)-SENATOR LYNDON JOHNSON (D-TEX) CALLED TONIGHT FOR IMMEDIATE CONTROL OF PRICES AS "A MILITARY NECESSITY."

SUCH ACTION IS IMPERATIVE, JOHNSON ADDED, BECAUSE PRICE INCREASES ON MILITARY GOODS WITHIN THE LAST SIX WEEKS "HAVE REDUCED THE PURCHASING POWER OF OUR DEFENSE DOLLARS AS MUCH AS 50 PER CENT IN SOME INSTANCES."

THE TEXAS SENATOR QUOTED THE SECRETARIES OF THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE AS SAYING THE RECENT SUDDEN PRICE INCREASES "ARE ONE OF THE MAJOR PROBLEMS COMPLICATING OUR PREPAREDNESS PLANNING AT THIS TIME."

JOHNSON SPOKE OUT AS TWO REPUBLICAN LEADERS JOINED WITH SENATE DEMOCRATIC CHIEFS IN PREDICTING PASSAGE NEXT WEEK ON A HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION BILL GIVING PRESIDENT TRUMAN BROAD POWERS OVER THE NATION'S ECONOMY.

THE SENATE MEASURE--LIKE THE BILL ALREADY OVERWHELMINGLY APPROVED BY THE HOUSE--WOULD LET MR.TRUMAN INVOKE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS WHENEVER HE SAW FIT.

"I THINK THE SENATE WILL PASS ITS BILL BY NEXT THURSDAY IN SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME FORM AS THE HOUSE BILL," SAID SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB), THE MINORITY LEADER.

SENATOR MILLIKIN (R-COLO), CHAIRMAN OF THE CONFERENCE OF ALL REPUBLICANS SENATORS, TOLD REPORTERS:

"AS OF NOW, IT LOOKS AS THOUGH THE SENATE BILL IN ITS FINAL FORM WILL BE PRETTY MUCH LIKE THE HOUSE MEASURE."

ON THE DEMOCRATIC SIDE, SENATOR SPARKMAN (ALA), CHIEF DRAFTER OF THE SENATE MEASURE, REITERATED THAT ADMINISTRATION LEADERS ARE CONFIDENT THE BILL WILL PASS BY A LOPSIDED VOTE.

"I LOOK FOR ONLY A FEW MINOR AMENDMENTS," SPARKMAN SAID.

JOHNSON, A MEMBER OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, CONCENTRATED IN HIS STATEMENT ON THE RISING COST OF DEFENSE ITEMS. BUT HE DID NOT SUGGEST THAT PRICE CONTROL BE LIMITED TO THOSE MATERIALS.

"IMMEDIATE CONTROL OF PRICES IS A MILITARY NECESSITY," JOHNSON SAID, ADDING:

"IF THE PRICES ON DEFENSE ITEMS ARE NOT BROUGHT UNDER CONTROL, THE AMERICAN TAXPAYER IS GOING TO SUFFER SERIOUSLY AND UNNECESSARILY.

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"AT THE PRESENT RATE, IT IS ENTIRELY POSSIBLE THAT THE $10,000,000,000 REQUESTED BY THE ARMED SERVICES TWO WEEKS AGO MAY BUY ONLY $5,000,000,000 WORTH OF FIGHTING EQUIPMENT.

"THIS MEANS THAT THE TAXPAYERS WILL GET 50 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR FOR THEIR INVESTMENT IN DEFENSE. IT ALSO MEANS THAT THE PROPOSED $5,000,000,000 TAX INCREASE COULD BE EATEN UP ENTIRELY BY INFLATED PRICES."

JOHNSON SAID THAT IF THE MILITARY PRICE INCREASES CONTINUE HE WILL URGE THAT AN ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH HE HEADS "INVESTIGATE THE SITUATION THOROUGHLY."

THE COST OF BASIC MILITARY EQUIPMENT, JOHNSON SAID, HAS INCREASED ENORMOUSLY DURING THE LAST 10 YEARS. HE GAVE THIS PICTURE:

"WHEN WE BEGAN OUR PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM IN 1939, B-17 BOMBERS COST $300,000; TODAY'S B-36 COSTS MORE THAN $3,000,000.

"DESTROYERS COST $7,000,000 EACH IN 1939, BUT NOW THEY COST $40,000,000. LIGHT TANKS COULD BE PRODUCED FOR $27,000 IN 1939, BUT TODAY THEY COST $225,000."

AT THE PEAK OF WORLD WAR II IN 1944, JOHNSON ADDED, "WE COULD EQUIP AN INFANTRY DIVISION FOR $14,500,000--NOW THE COST IS $74,000,000." SIX YEARS AGO, HE SAID, AN ARMORED DIVISION COULD BE OUTFITTED FOR $30,000,000, AS COMPARED WITH $199,000,000 TODAY.

SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADERS WHERRY AND MILLIKIN SAID THEY HAD NOT MADE A DEFINITE DECISION YET REGARDING A MAJOR POINT OF CONTROVERSY OVER THE SENATE BILL.

THAT DEALS WITH A PROPOSED AMENDMENT BY SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) WHICH WOULD RESERVE TO CONGRESS THE RIGHT TO SAY WHETHER AND WHEN WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS SHOULD BE PUT INTO EFFECT.

TAFT HAS CONTENDED THAT CONGRESS WOULD BE "COMPLETELY ABDICATING

ITS AUTHORITY AND DUTY" IF IT GAVE THE SAY-SO ON THAT TO THE PRESIDENT.

WHERRY SAID HE IS INCLINED TO SIDE WITH TAFT, BUT HE INDICATED HE BELIEVES THE PROVISION GIVING MR.TRUMAN A FREE HAND WILL STAY IN THE BILL.

WHERRY ADDED THAT HIS OWN IDEA IS THAT CONGRESS OUGHT TO PUT AUTHORITY FOR WAGE, PRICE AND RATIONING CURBS ON THE BOOKS AND THEN HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE ISSUE OF HOW THE CONTROLS SHOULD BE TRIGGERED INTO EFFECT.

THAT WOULD REQUIRE ENACTMENT OF ANOTHER BILL LATER COVERING THAT MATTER.

SPARKMAN PREDICTED DEFEAT FOR ANY PROPOSAL OF THAT KIND, AND FOR TAFT'S AMENDMENT.

MR.TRUMAN DID NOT ASK CONGRESS FOR WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING POWER, BUT HE HAS SAID HE WOULD WELCOME IT IF THE LAWMAKERS ALSO GAVE HIM A FREE HAND TO USE IT. HE ALSO HAS SAID, HOWEVER, THAT HE SEES NO NEED FOR USING IT AT THIS TIME.

THE SENATE BILL, AND THE HOUSE-APPROVED MEASURE, DO INCLUDE OTHER POWERS FOR WHICH MR.TRUMAN DID ASK. HE WOULD BE AUTHORIZED TO ALLOCATE SCARCE INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, ASSIGN PRIORITY FOR DEFENSE CONTRACTS, TAKE OVER PRIVATELY OWNED PLANTS WHEN NECESSARY, AND CONTROL CREDIT.

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TAXES

BY FRANCIS M.LEMAY

WASHINGTON, AUG.12-(AP)-CONGRESS APPEARED AGREED TODAY THAT GI'S FIGHTING IN KOREA SHALL PAY NO FEDERAL INCOME TAXES, AND THAT THE TAXES OF THEIR OFFICERS SHALL BE REDUCED.

A SPECIAL EXEMPTION FOR SERVICEMEN IN AREAS OF HOSTILITY WILL BE WRITTEN INTO A NEW TAX BILL ASKED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO RAISE $5,000,000,000 A YEAR AS THE "FIRST INSTALLMENT" OF THE NATION'S PAYMENTS ON THE KOREAN WAR AND AMERICA'S REARMING AGAINST COMMUNISM.

THE DECISION ON FIGHTING MEN'S TAXES WAS MADE YESTERDAY BY THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE AS IT UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED AN INCREASE OF ABOUT $3,000,000,000 A YEAR IN TAXES ON PERSONAL INCOMES OF OVER 50,000,000 TAXPAYERS.

THE COMMITTEE NOW HAS APPROVED THE MAJOR ITEMS OF THE PRESIDENT'S TAX PROGRAM. IT HAS FOLLOWED HIS MAIN PROPOSALS, BUT THE BILL WHEN COMPLETED MAY FALL SOME MILLIONS SHORT OF RAISING $5,000,000,000 AT THE PRESENT RATE OF NATIONAL INCOME.

SENATORS GEORGE (D-GA) AND MILLIKIN (R-COLO) SAID THEY EXPECT THE MEASURE TO SAIL THROUGH THE SENATE. GEORGE IS COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN; MILLIKIN IS THE SENIOR REPUBLICAN. THE BILL MAY REACH THE WHITE HOUSE BY SEPT. 1, UNLESS CONGRESS BECOMES TANGLED IN AN ARGUMENT OVER WHETHER TO IMPOSE AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX ON CORPORATIONS.

UNDER PROVISIONS APPROVED THUS FAR BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE, THIS IS WHAT THE BILL WOULD DO:

1. START DIGGING DEEPER INTO THE POCKETS OF INDIVIDUAL TAXPAYERS ON OCT. 1. WITHHOLDINGS ON WAGES AND SALARIES, AFTER PERSONAL EXEMPTIONS, WOULD JUMP THEN FROM THE PRESENT 15 PER CENT TO 18 PER CENT. THE ACTUAL INCREASE IN TAXES WILL BE AROUND 20 PER CENT FOR PERHAPS MORE THAN HALF OF THE 50,000,000-PLUS TAXPAYERS, WITH LOWER PERCENTAGE INCREASES IN THE HIGHER BRACKETS THAT NOW PAY THE STIFFEST TAXES. THE NEW, HIGHER RATES WILL APPLY ON ONLY ONE-FOURTH OF 1950 INDIVIDUAL INCOME, BUT WILL BE APPLICABLE TO ALL INCOME IN 1951 AND YEARS THEREAFTER.

2. INCREASE CORPORATION TAXES BY $1,500,000,000 A YEAR, RAISING THE TOP RATE FROM 38 PER CENT OF INCOME TO 45 PER CENT.

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THE INCREASED RATES ON CORPORATIONS ARE APPLICABLE TO ONE-HALF OF CORPORATE 1950 INCOME, AND WILL APPLY TO ALL INCOME IN 1951 AND SUBSEQUENT YEARS.

3. EXEMPT GI'S IN AREAS OF HOSTILITY FROM ANY TAX ON THEIR PAY AND REDUCE THE TAXES FOR OFFICERS. THE COMMITTEE INSTRUCTED ITS STAFF TO DRAW UP DETAILS OF THIS PLAN. IN THIS INSTANCE THE COMMITTEE ACTED ON ITS OWN, GOING BEYOND THE PROPOSALS OF THE PRESIDENT.

4. PLUG TAX LAW LOOPHOLES. IN THIS AREA, THE COMMITTEE HAS NOT FOLLOWED THE PRESIDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS EXPLICITLY. IT REJECTED A 10 PER CENT WITHHOLDING ON CORPORATION DIVIDENDS, DESIGNED TO GET TAXES FROM PERSONS WHO FAIL TO REPORT DIVIDEND RECEIPTS IN THEIR INCOME TAX RETURNS. THE TREASURY ESTIMATED THIS WOULD HAVE YIELDED $175,000,000.

5. SPEED UP INCOME TAX PAYMENTS BY CORPORATIONS, TO CROWD AN EXTRA $4,000,000,000 OR MORE DOLLARS INTO THE TREASURY OVER THE NEXT FIVE YEARS. CORPORATIONS NOW HAVE A FULL YEAR IN WHICH TO PAY THE PREVIOUS YEAR'S TAX. THE SPEED-UP, OVER A FIVE-YEAR PERIOD, WOULD HAVE THEM PAY ALL OF ONE YEAR'S TAXES WITHIN THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR.

THE COMMITTEE IS YET TO TACKLE THE KNOTTY ISSUE OF AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX WHICH SOME LAWMAKERS WANT TO USE AS A WEAPON AGAINST PROFITEERING.

IT ALSO MAY HAVE A VOTE ON WHETHER TO LEVY MORE TAXES ON CO-OPS.

IN DECIDING TO PROVIDE A SPECIAL TAX EXEMPTION FOR GI'S AND THEIR OFFICERS--A DECISION WHICH HAD GENERAL CONGRESSIONAL APPROVAL--THE COMMITTEE IS FOLLOWING A WORLD WAR II PATTERN.

HOWEVER, THERE IS THIS ONE BIG DIFFERENCE. ALL SERVICE PEOPLE GOT A FLAT $1,500 EXTRA EXEMPTION DURING THE LAST WAR. THE COMMITTEE NOW WANTS TO LIMIT IT ONLY TO THOSE IN COMBAT ZONES.

THE COMMITTEE STAFF WILL DECIDE UPON AN EXEMPTION FIGURE THAT WILL RELIEVE ALL SERVICE PEOPLE BELOW THE COMMISSIONED OFFICER GRADE OF INCOME TAX LIABILITY. OFFICERS PROBABLY WILL GET THE SAME SIZE EXTRA EXEMPTION. BUT BECAUSE OF THE SIZE OF THEIR INCOME, THEY STILL MAY HAVE SOME TAXES TO PAY.

CHAIRMAN DOUGHTON (D-NC) OF THE HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE TOLD A REPORTER THAT AN INCOME TAX EXEMPTION FOR COMBAT TROOPS WOULD HAVE NO TROUBLE AT ALL IN PASSING THE HOUSE.

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(370) UN-AMERICAN

WASHINGTON, AUG.12-(AP)-THE HOUSE TODAY DISPATCHED TO TWO U.S. DISTRICT ATTORNEYS FOR POSSIBLE PROSECUTION CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CITATIONS AGAINST 56 WITNESSES WHO DEFIED THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.

PROSECUTORS HERE AND IN HONOLULU WILL DECIDE WHETHER THE CASES SHALL BE PLACED BEFORE GRAND JURIES.

CAPITOL HILL VETERANS SAID THEY COULD RECALL NO PREVIOUS OCCASION ON WHICH EITHER BRANCH OF CONGRESS VOTED SO MANY CITATIONS IN SO SHORT A PERIOD.

IN A MATTER OF ABOUT AN HOUR THE HOUSE YESTERDAY ADOPTED 54 CONTEMPT RECOMMEN

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IN A MATTER OF ABOUT AN HOUR THE HOUSE YESTERDAY ADOPTED 54 CONTEMPT RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE. TWO CITATIONS HAD BEEN VOTED THE PREVIOUS DAY.

THIRTY-NINE OF THE CITATIONS WERE REFERRED TO THE U.S. DISTRICT ATTORNEY IN HONOLULU. THOSE CITED WERE WITNESSES WHO APPEARED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE WHEN IT WENT TO HAWAII LAST APRIL TO INVESTIGATE COMMUNISM.

THE OTHER 17 GO TO THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY HERE. THESE WITNESSES TESTIFIED IN WASHINGTON.

ALL THOSE CITED APPEARED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE DURING THE PRESENT CONGRESS, WHICH BEGAN IN JANUARY, 1949. ALL REFUSED TO ANSWER SUCH QUESTIONS AS TO WHETHER THEY WERE OR HAD BEEN COMMUNISTS.

THOSE CITED, IF INDICTED AND CONVICTED, FACE A MAXIMUM PENALTY OF A YEAR IN JAIL AND A $1,000 FINE.

A WEST COAST HEIRESS, A LONG-TIME COMMUNIST PARTY ORGANIZER AND FOUR MEN DESIGNATED AS ATOMIC SCIENTISTS WERE AMONG THE 58 CITED.

THE WOMAN IS MRS.LOUISE BRANSTEN BERMAN, NOW LIVING IN NEW YORK. SHE INHERITED A FORTUNE FROM HER FATHER, ABRAHAM ROSENBERG, SAN FRANCISCO PACKER AND SHIPPER OF DRIED FRUIT.

THE TWICE-MARRIED MRS. BERMAN APPEARED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE NOV. 7, 1949. SHE REFUSED TO ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS ABOUT COMMUNIST ASSOCIATIONS, INCLUDING WHETHER SHE HAD BEEN A "FINANCIAL ANGEL" OF COMMUNIST CAUSES.

THE VETERAN COMMUNIST ORGANIZER IS STEVE NELSON, NOW OPERATING IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA. THE COMMITTEE HAS SAID NELSON ORGANIZED A COMMUNIST CELL IN THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA RADIATION LABORATORY, WHERE WARTIME ATOMIC RESEARCH WAS DONE.

THREE SCIENTISTS FORMERLY CONNECTED WITH THE RADIATION LABORATORY--DAVID JOSEPH BOHM, GIOVANNI ROSSIE LOMANITZ AND IRVING DAVID FOX--WERE AMONG THOSE CITED. A FOURTH CITED SCIENTIST, CLARENCE HISKEY, WORKED FOR A TIME ON ATOM RESEARCH AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.

THE LIST ALSO INCLUDES SEVERAL OFFICIALS OF THE INDEPENDENT UNITED ELECTRICAL WORKERS, INCLUDING JAMES J.MATLES, ORGANIZATIONAL DIRECTOR, AND JULIUS EMSPAK, SECRETARY-TREASURER.

IN REFUSING TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT COMMUNISM, VIRTUALLY ALL OF THE WITNESSES SAID THEY DID SO ON CONSTITUTIONAL GROUNDS, INCLUDING POSSIBLE SELF-INCRIMINATION.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH) SAID TODAY THEIR ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL WOULD NOT CURB FREE SPEECH.

THE TWO MEN NOTED IN A STATEMENT THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAD SAID IN A MESSAGE TO CONGRESS LAST WEEK THAT "THERE ARE SOME PEOPLE WHO WISH US TO ENACT LAWS WHICH WOULD SERIOUSLY DAMAGE THE RIGHT OF FREE SPEECH" AND WHICH COULD BE USED AGAINST GROUPS ENGAGED IN "UNPOPULAR POLITICAL ACTIVITIES."

MANY LAWMAKERS REGARDED THIS AS AN ATTACK ON THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL REQUIRING THE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERS, DENYING THEM APPOINTIVE FEDERAL JOBS AND BANNING THEM FROM GETTING PASSPORTS.

BUT MUNDT AND FERGUSON SAID THAT THE PRESIDENT'S CHARGE CAN'T BE MADE AGAINST THEIR BILL.

"IN ABSOLUTELY NO WAY DOES IT LIMIT FREEDOM OF SPEECH OR ANY OTHER CONSTITUTIONAL FREEDOM," THEY DECLARED. "A COMMUNIST WHO IS IDENTIFIED AS SUCH CAN PREACH HIS DOCTRINE AS LONG AND AS LOUDLY AS HE WISHES OR CAN COMMAND AN AUDIENCE AND NOTHING IN THE BILL COULD PREVENT HIM FROM DOING SO."

THE SENATORS CONTENDED THAT THEIR BILL, WHICH IS OPPOSED BY ADMINISTRATION LEADERS IN THE SENATE, WOULD CARRY OUT MOST OF THE PROPOSALS MADE BY THE PRESIDENT FOR TIGHTENING UP THE ANTI-SUBVERSION LAWS.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-FLEET ADMIRAL WILLIAM F.HALSEY, RETIRED, TOLD CHEERING MEMBERS OF THE SECOND MARINE DIVISION ASSOCIATION TONIGHT:

"AFTER THE LAST WAR WE WERE TOLD THERE WAS NO MORE USE FOR SOLDIERS, NO MORE USE FOR LAND TROOPS. THIS WAS GOING TO BE A BUCK ROGERS WAR. JUST PUSH A BUTTON.

"THEN CAME THIS LITTLE SHOW OUT HERE (IN KOREA) AND THE LEADERS STARTED CALLING FOR THE MARINES."

THE FORMER LEATHERNECKS THREATENED TO BRING DOWN THE MAYFLOWER HOTEL BANQUET ROOM WITH THEIR CHEERS.

AND THE DIN WAS EQUALLY TERRIFIC WHEN REP.DONALD L.JACKSON (R-CALIF), A VICE PRESIDENT OF THE ASSOCIATION, READ THIS SELF-WRITTEN "TELEGRAM":

"I LOVE YOU AS I NEVER LOVED YOU BEFORE. SIGNED THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT."

GEN.CLIFTON B.CATES, COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS, TOLD THE ASSOCIATION THE MARINES ARE IN KOREA, AND MORE WILL BE SENT THERE "AT THE EXPRESSED DESIRE OF GEN.MACARTHUR."

THE DIVISION ASSOCIATION ELECTED LT.GEN.JULIAN C.SMITH WHO LED THE MARINES IN THEIR SUCCESSFUL ATTACK ON TARAWA, AS ITS PRESIDENT.

OTHER OFFICERS ELECTED INCLUDED: LT.COL.J.E.RENTSCH OF ARLINGTON, VA., FIRST VICE PRESIDENT; MASTER SERGT.JACK K.LYLES OF ALEXANDRIA, VA., SECOND VICE PRESIDENT; MAX COHEN OF DALLAS, TEX., THIRD VICE PRESIDENT; AND REP.JACKSON, FOURTH VICE PRESIDENT.

APPROXIMATELY 450 PERSONS ATTENDED THE REUNION.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SATUDAY AUG.12)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.12-(AP)-COMMANDER CLYDE LEWIS OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS SAID TODAY RECENT STUDENT AGITATION AGAINST ROTC TRAINING AT SEVERAL COLLEGES WAS "COMMUNIST INSPIRED."

LEWIS SAID DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE MILITARY TRAINING PROGRAM HAD TAKEN PLACE AT SEVERAL COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES. HE DID NOT NAME THEM.

"NO DOUBT THE MAJORITY OF THE STUDENTS ENGAGING IN THESE DEMONSTRATIONS ARE INNOCENT VICTIMS OF A COMMUNIST INSPIRED PLOT," LEWIS SAID IN A STATEMENT.

"THEY SHOULD BE DISCIPLINED, BUT IT IS FAR MORE IMPERATIVE THAT DRASTIC STEPS BE TAKEN TO IDENTIFY THE INSTIGATORS AND TO SEE THAT THEY ARE DEALT WITH TO THE LIMIT OF THE LAW."

VFW OFFICIALS SAID LEWIS' CHARGE WAS BASED ON INFORMATION IN A SECRET OFFICIAL MEMO WHICH HAD BEEN CIRCULATED WITHIN THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT.

ASKED ABOUT THIS, DEFENSE OFFICIALS SAID ANTI-R.O.T.C. AGITATION HAD TAKEN PLACE IN AT LEAST ONE LARGE INSTITUTION OF LEARNING BUT DECLINED TO GIVE OUT ANY FURTHER INFORMATION, ON THE GROUND IT WOULD BE AGAINST DEFENSE POLICY TO DO SO.

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(170) DOGS

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 12-(AP)-PRIVATELY-OWNED "WAR DOGS" WHICH SAW SERVICE DURING WORLD WAR II HAVE NO OBLIGATION TO RETURN TO ACTIVE DUTY, THE ARMY SAID TODAY.

MANY DOGS WERE LOANED TO THE ARMY BY THEIR OWNERS DURING THE WAR. THEY WERE USED TO GUARD DEPOTS AND TO GO ON PATROLS. PATROL DOGS WERE TAUGHT TO KNOW AMERICANS BUT TO BRISTLE AT THE ENEMY. SOME OF THEM BECAME RATHER FIERCE AND HAD TO BE "DE-TRAINED" BEFORE THEY BECAME TAME ENOUGH TO RETURN TO THEIR HOMES AND CIVILIAN LIFE.

NONE OF THESE CANINE VETERANS IS TO BE RECALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY, AN ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD A REPORTER.

"WE HAVE ALL THE DOGS WE NEED NOW," HE SAID.

THE ARMY'S OWN DOGS HAVE HAD A GOOD MANY FAMILIES SINCE THE WAR, HE EXPLAINED, AND THE REGULAR CANINE CORPS NOW TOTALS AROUND 500.

THESE DOGS ARE TRAINED AT FORT RILEY, KAN. TRAINED DOGS ARE STATIONED IN GERMANY AND OKINAWA, AND A NUMBER OF SLEDGE DOGS ARE ON DUTY IN ALASKA.

NO DOGS HAVE BEEN SENT TO KOREA, THE ARMY SAID. THEY WILL BE DISPATCHED THERE IF REQUESTED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, BUT THE DOGS--LIKE U.S. TROOPS--MIGHT HAVE DIFFICULTY TELLING A SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLICAN FROM A NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 12-(AP)-MRS.OKSANA KASENKINA, WHO TODAY OBSERVES THE SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF HER THIRD-STORY LEAP FROM A WINDOW OF THE RUSSIAN CONSULATE HERE, IS WRITING A NOVEL ABOUT JOSEF STALIN.

"IT WILL TITLED 'THE RED DEVIL,'" SAID MRS.KASENKINA. "OF COURSE THE RED DEVIL IS STALIN. WHO ELSE?"

THE FORMER RUSSIAN SCHOOLTEACHER MADE HER MEMORABLE LEAP TO ESCAPE BEING RETURNED TO RUSSIA.

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EDITORS:

YOUR ATTENTION IS CALLED TO A LINE IN THE FOLLOWING STORY WHICH SOME TELEGRAPH DESKS MAY FIND OBJECTIONABLE.

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NEW YORK, AUG.12-(AP)-WILLIAM PATTERSON, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS, TONIGHT RAPPED UNITED STATES INTERVENTION IN KOREA AND SAID HE WAS WILLING TO GIVE HIS LIFE "TO DEFEND THE RIGHTS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY."

HE TOLD A HARLEM STREET RALLY THAT HE CONDEMNED WAR--"IN PARTICULAR THE WAR IN KOREA."

"THIS COUNTRY IS ALREADY AT WAR--AT WAR AT HOME AGAINST THE CONSTITUTIONAL LIBERTIES AND CIVIL RIGHTS OF THE NEGRO PEOPLE," HE SAID.

PATTERSON ASSERTED "THE FIGHT OF BLACK AMERICA IS HERE IN THE UNITED STATES, AGAINST A GOVERNMENT WHICH PROTECTS PROFITEERS AND AGAINST THOSE WHO DESTROY THE RIGHTS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY."

THE RALLY WAS CALLED IN PART TO PROTEST THE AMERICAN FIGHTING IN KOREA AND PARTLY TO CRITICIZE REP. HENDERSON LANHAM (D-GA), WHO CALLED PATTERSON A "BLACK SON OF A BITCH" AT A HOUSE COMMITTEE HEARING IN WASHINGTON AUG.4.

THE COMMITTEE WAS INVESTIGATING ACTIVITIES OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS, WHICH THE ATTORNEY GENERAL HAS LISTED AS A SUBVERSIVE COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION.

PATTERSON MADE NO REFERENCE TO LANHAM IN HIS HARLEM SPEECH, BUT A SIGN ON THE SPEAKERS' PLATFORM SAID: "EXPEL DIXIECRAT LANHAM, INSULTER OF PATTERSON AND THE NEGRO PEOPLE..."

THE STREET RALLY, ATTENDED BY ABOUT 600 PERSONS, WAS PRECEDED TODAY BY A PARADE OF 5,000 HARLEM YOUNGSTERS, DESCRIBED BY ITS SPONSORS AS AN ANTI-COMMUNIST "YOUTH LOYALTY DAY WALK."

NEW YORK CITY JUSTICE EDWARD J.MCCULLEN TOLD THE PARADERS THAT PERSONS OF ALL AGES COULD HELP "TO PROTECT THE SHORES OF OUR NATION FROM THE COMMUNIST INFLUENCES THAT ARE ENDEAVORING TO HAVE THEIR PRINCIPLES PREVAIL OVER OUR NATIONAL UNITY."

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ADAM ARREST

NEW YORK, AUG. 12-(AP)-THE SEVENTH AMERICAN--AND SECOND WOMAN--ARRESTED BY THE GOVERNMENT IN THE KLAUS FUCHS ATOM SPY RING WAS CHARGED YESTERDAY WITH CONSPIRACY TO COMMIT ESPIONAGE.

SHE IS MRS.ETHEL GREENGLASS ROSENBERG, WIFE AND SISTER OF TWO MEN ALREADY ACCUSED OF THE SAME CRIME.

SHE IS A SMALL, SLIGHT WOMAN OF 35, THE MOTHER OF TWO CHILDREN.

THE GOVERNMENT ACCUSES HER OF HELPING HER HUSBAND AND OTHERS PERSUADE HER BROTHER TO TURN OVER A-BOMB SECRETS TO THE SOVIET SPY RING.

"IF THE CRIME WITH WHICH SHE IS CHARGED HAD NOT OCCURRED, PERHAPS WE WOULD NOT HAVE HAD THE PRESENT SITUATION IN KOREA," CHIEF ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY MILES J.LANE TOLD U.S. COMMISSIONER EDWARD W.MCDONALD IN ASKING FOR $100,000 BAIL.

HE DID NOT EXPLAIN HIS REMARK, BUT HE OBVIOUSLY MEANT THAT POSSESSION OF A-BOMB DATA PUT THE COMMUNISTS IN POSITION TO RISK WAR.

MRS. ROSENBERG'S BROTHER, DAVID GREENGLASS, A 28-YEAR-OLD BROOKLYN MACHINIST, WAS STATIONED AT THE LOS ALAMOS ATOM BOMB CENTER IN 1945 AS AN ARMY SPECIALIST.

THE GOVERNMENT HAS ALREADY CHARGED THAT ROSENBERG, 32, HELPED

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RECRUIT GREENGLASS AS A SOURCE FOR SECRET INFORMATION THAT WAS TURNED OVER TO HARRY GOLD, A PHILADELPHIA CHEMIST WHO HAS PLEADED GUILTY TO SPY CHARGES.

THE GOVERNMENT CLAIMS GOLD ALSO WAS THE DIRECT LINK TO DR.FUCHS, THE GERMAN-BRITISH NUCLEAR SCIENTIST NOW SERVING A 12-YEAR PRISON TERM IN BRITAIN FOR SPYING.

THE FBI SAID ROSENBERG WAS THE RING'S CONTACT WITH THE RUSSIAN MASTER-MIND WHO FINANCED IT--ANATOLI YAKOLEV, FORMER SOVIET VICE CONSUL IN NEW YORK.

MRS.ROSENBERG AND HER HUSBAND, LANE SAID, HAVE BEEN "AFFILIATED WITH COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES FOR A LONG PERIOD OF TIME."

THE OTHERS CHARGED IN THE CASE ARE ALFRED DEAN SLACK, A SYRACUSE, N.Y., SCIENTIST, ACCUSED OF CONSPIRACY, AND ABRAHAM BROTHMAN AND MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ OF NEW YORK, CHARGED WITH CONSPIRING WITH GOLD TO GIVE FALSE TESTIMONY TO A FEDERAL GRAND JURY.

MRS.ROSENBERG'S ATTORNEY, ALEXANDER BLOCH, SAID THE CHARGE AGAINST HER WAS "FLIMSY," AND TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY TO HAVE HER BAIL REDUCED SO SHE COULD REMAIN HOME AND CARE FOR HER CHILDREN, MICHAEL, 7, AND ROBERT, 3.

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ELIZABETH, N.J., AUG. 12-(AP)-TWO GENERAL MOTORS WORKERS CHARGED WITH SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES UNDER AN OLD NEW JERSEY LAW WERE RELEASED IN A TOTAL OF $25,000 BAIL TODAY AFTER A COUNTY JUDGE LOWERED THE FIGURE FROM $50,000.

THEY ARE CALVIN DE FILIPPIS [redacted] LUNDHURST, RELEASED IN $15,000 BAIL, AND LOUIS FISCHER OF ELIZABETH, $10,000.

BOTH MEN HAD BEEN HELD FOR GRAND JURY ACTION ON A 1918 NEW JERSEY STATUTE FORBIDDING SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES. THE CHARGES WERE PLACED AFTER THE MEN WERE THROWN BODILY OUT OF THE GENERAL MOTORS PLANT IN LINDEN JULY 31 AFTER DISTRIBUTING "HANDS OFF KOREA AND FORMOSA" LEAFLETS.

THEY WERE ACCUSED IN COMPLAINTS SIGNED BY FELLOW MEMBERS OF LOCAL 595, UNITED AUTO WORKERS (CIO), WHICH REPRESENTS 2,700 WORKERS AT THE LINDEN PLANT.

BAIL OF $50,000 FOR THE PAIR WAS SET THURSDAY BY LINDEN MAGISTRATE LESTER A.SIMANDL, WHO SAID "I BELIEVE THERE IS EVIDENCE THAT THE LOYALTY OF THE DEFENDANTS IS NOT WITH THIS COUNTRY, BUT WITH THE COMMUNISTS. THIS IS NOT THE TIME FOR DIVIDED LOYALTY."

UNION COUNTY JUDGE WALTER L.HETFIELD TODAY LOWERED THE BAIL TO THE $25,000 FIGURE. HETFIELD SAID THE COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE DID NOT OBJECT TO THE REDUCTION AND "THE PURPOSE OF BAIL IS NOT TO PUNISH ANYONE, BUT TO INSURE AN APPEARANCE FOR ARRAIGNMENT AND TRIAL."

MORTON STAVIS, COUNSEL FOR THE DEFENDANTS, HAD OBJECTED TO THE $50,000 BAIL AS "EXCESSIVE."

FIVE MEMBERS OF UAW LOCAL, 595, WERE HELD FOR THE GRAND JURY ON ASSAULT AND BATTERY CHARGES MADE BY DE FILIPPIS AND FISCHER AFTER THEY WERE THROWN OUT OF THE PLANT. THEY WERE RELEASED ON $1,000 BAIL EACH.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE UNION, DE FILIPPIS AND FISCHER HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED FROM THEIR JOBS BY THE COMPANY.

THE NEW JERSEY COMMUNIST PARTY, UNDER THE SIGNATURE OF CHAIRMAN MARTHA STONE, ISSUED A STATEMENT TO NEWSPAPERS SUPPORTING DE FILIPPIS AND FISCHER AND TERMING THEM "VICTIMS OF RISING WAR HYSTERIA."

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(ADVANCE) PHILADELPHIA,AUG 12-(AP)-FRENCH AMBASSADOR HENRI BONNET SAID TODAY THAT HIS COUNTRY WILL COOPERATE FULLY WITH AMERICA IN WELDING A "MIGHTY ORGANIZATION FOR THE PREVENTION OF WAR."

BONNET SPOKE AT CEREMONIES MARKING THE TRANSFER OF TWO 1,240 TON AMERICAN DESTROYER ESCORTS--THE MILES AND THE RIDDLE--TO THE FRENCH NAVY.

SPECIFICALLY, THE AMBASSADOR SAID IN HIS PREPARED ADDRESS, FRANCE WILL HELP "BY SUBSTANTIALLY INCREASING THE SIZE OF HER ARMY AND THE VOLUME OF HER ARMS PRODUCTION."

"IT IS HER WISH," HE CONTINUED, "THAT ALL OUR EFFORTS IN THAT DIRECTION BE COORDINATED IN SUCH A WAY THAT THEY WILL REACH THE HIGHEST POSSIBLE PEAK OF EFFICIENCY, THROUGH A UNITED AND WELL KNIT UNDERTAKING TO DETER ANY ACT OF AGGRESSION.

"THE TWO WARSHIPS BEING TRANSFERRED TO THE FRENCH NAVY ILLUSTRATE ANEW THE FRIENDSHIP AND SOLIDARITY WHICH UNITE NOT ONLY THE UNITED STATES AND FRANCE BUT ALSO ALL THE DEMOCRATIC COUNTRIES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA. SUCH A GIFT WILL NOT FAIL TO BE RECEIVED WITH GRATITUDE IN FRANCE.

"THE DEAREST WISH OF ALL OUR PEOPLE IS TO PRESERVE AND MAINTAIN PEACE. HOWEVER, IT HAS BECOME EVIDENT THAT PEACE CANNOT BE EFFICIENTLY PRESERVED WITHOUT A FIRM DETERMINATION TO PREVENT AGGRESSION X X

"A FEW WEEKS AGO, ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE GLOBE, IN ASIA, A NEW PROOF WAS GIVEN THAT AGGRESSION MUST BE MET BY FORCE IF WE ARE TO PRESERVE THE LIBERTIES WITHOUT WHICH THERE IS NO POSSIBLE NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE, NO REAL PROSPECT FOR THE FULFILLMENT OF THE JUST ASPIRATIONS OF THE ASIATIC PEOPLES FOR SOCIAL PROGRESS AND GENERAL WELFARE."

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LITTLE ROCK, AUG.12-(AP)-THE ARKANSAS GAZETTE SAYS IN A COPYRIGHTED STORY THAT "ARKANSAS WILL GET THE NEW $200,000,000 (M) HYDROGEN BOMB PLANT."

IN A STORY WRITTEN FOR ITS SATURDAY MORNING EDITION, THE GAZETTE SAID "THAT WAS THE TENTATIVE DECISION OF WASHINGTON OFFICIALDOM YESTERDAY (FRIDAY) WHEN IT CAME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT ONLY ARKANSAS HAS ALL THE NECESSARY ELEMENTS FOR THE PLANT."

"THESE ARE POWER, SECLUSION, LARGE IDLE ACREAGE, FUEL AND LABOR SUPPLY," THE NEWSPAPER SAID.

THE NEWSPAPER DIDN'T SPECIFY THE AUTHORITY FOR ITS STATEMENT THAT ARKANSAS HAD BEEN TENTATIVELY SELECTED FOR THE PLANT.

THE PLANT HAS BEEN SOUGHT BY ARKANSANS FOR THE MOUNTAINOUS NORTHWEST OR NORTH-CENTRAL SECTION OF THE STATE.

"GOVERNMENT LEADERS HAVE BEEN ASSURED THAT MORE POWER IS NOW AVAILABLE AND WILL BE AVAILABLE QUICKER AND CHEAPER FOR THE MAMMOTH PROJECT IN ARKANSAS THAN ANYWHERE ELSE.

"THESE ASSURANCES WERE DELIVERED THIS WEEK BY CONGRESSMEN MILLS

AND TRIMBLE OF ARKANSAS TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND WERE CORROBORATED XXX BY C.HAMILTON MOSES, PRESIDENT OF ARKANSAS POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY, IN CONFERENCES WITH OFFICIALS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND THE MUNITIONS BOARD," THE PAPER REPORTED.

IN WASHINGTON ARKANSAS MEMBERS OF CONGRESS WHO HAVE BEEN ADVOCATING AN ARKANSAS SITE SAID THEY WERE UNABLE TO OBTAIN CONFIRMATION OF THE REPORTED DECISION.

"I HOPE IT IS TRUE," SAID REP. TRIMBLE, WHO, WITH REP. MILLS, DISCUSSED THE PROJECT EARLIER THIS WEEK WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

SENATOR FULBRIGHT LIKEWISE TOLD A REPORTER HE HAD NO CONFIRMATION.

A CONGRESSIONAL SOURCE CLOSE TO ATOMIC AFFAIRS BUT WHO ASKED THAT HIS NAME NOT BE USED, SAID "NO DECISION ON A SITE HAS YET BEEN REACHED."

THIS SOURCE SAID SITE SELECTION TEAMS STILL ARE IN THE FIELD AND "MANY, MANY POSSIBILITIES STILL ARE BEING CONSIDERED."

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MINNEAPOLIS,AUG.12-(AP)-LIEUT.GEN.HAROLD L.GEORGE, AIR FORCES, RETIRED, SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES FACES "A PEARL HARBOR OF SURVIVAL."

"WE ARE SITTING ON A KEG OF DYNAMITE THAT MIGHT EXPLODE AT ANY TIME," THE GENERAL SAID IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR DELIVERY BEFORE THE NATIONAL CONVENTION HERE OF THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES.

"THE FIRST KNOWLEDGE OF A WAR INITIATED AGAINST THIS COUNTRY BY RUSSIA WOULD COME THROUGH THE EXPLOSION OF ATOMIC BOMBS AGAINST SELECTED OBJECTIVES, MAYBE 50 IN NUMBER. XXX

"OUR NATIONAL POLICY AT THE MOMENT IS OUT OF STEP WITH OUR MILITARY CAPACITY TO ENFORCE IT, AS EVIDENCED IN KOREA. XXX WE ARE MAKING OURSELEVES WEAK EVERYWHERE AND STRONG NOWHERE. THIS IS THE SUREST WAY TO BECOME INVOLVED IN A DISASTROUS WAR."

THE GENERAL, ONE OF THE ORGANIZERS AND COMMANDER OF THE GLOBAL MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT COMMAND IN WORLD WAR II, IS NOW VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER OF THE HUGHES AIRCRAFT CO., CULVER CITY,CALIF.

GEORGE SAID HE DID NOT BELIEVE THE RUSSIANS WOULD LAUNCH AN ATTACK AGAINST THE U.S 7,58) "THEY'RE READY AND ARE CONVINCED THAT T

AGAINST THE U.S. UNTIL "THEY ARE READY AND ARE CONVINCED THAT THEY POSSESS THE ATOM BOMB POWER TO ACHIEVE THE END RESULT."

THE GENERAL SAID HE SPOKE AS A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CRUSADE FOR FREEDOM (CAP C AND F), WHOSE CHAIRMAN IS GEN.LUCIUS .CLAY, FORMER COMMANDER OF U.S.OCCUPATION FORCES IN GERMANY.

"WHETHER RUSSIA HAS A SUFFICIENT STOCKPILE OF ATOM BOMBS IS ANYBODY'S GUESS," GEORGE CONTINUED. "WE CAN ONLY HOPE AND PRAY THAT SHE DOES NOT HAVE THAT SUPPLY. BECAUSE, IF SHE DOES, THIS NATION MUST FACE THE SPECTER OF AN ATTACK ANY MINUTE FROM NOW ON. XXX

"IT IS MERELY A QUESTION OF TIME UNTIL RUSSIA BUILDS SUCH A STOCKPILE. THAT MAY BE A YEAR OR LONGER PERIOD OF TIME. BUT, CERTAINLY, FROM OUR POINT OF VIEW, IT WILL BE SOON."

THE GENERAL CALLED FOR THE NATION TO MEET "THESE THREE PROBLEMS WITH REALISM." FIRST AND FOREMOST, HE SAID, THE U.S.MUST PROVIDE MAXIMUM DEFENSES AGAINST ATOMIC BOMB ATTACK.

"SECONDLY," HE CONTINUED, "WE MUST HAVE A STRATEGIC AIR FORCE CAPABLE OF TAKING TO THE AIR BEFORE RUSSIAN PLANES WITH A BOMBSCROSS OUR FRONTIERS. AND, THIRD, THE U.S.MUST HAVE LAND AND NAVAL FORCES ABLE TO POLICE THE WORLD AND BACK UP OUR COMMITMENTS AS WELL AS PRESERVING OUR PRESTIGE."

GEORGE SAID HE DOUBTED IF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS THE U.S. IS CURRENTLY ARMING "WOULD PRESENT ANY RESISTANCE WHATSOEVER TO THE ADVANCE OF RUSSIAN ARMIES IF NEWS REACHED THE WORLD FIRST THAT CRITICAL ECONOMIC AND GOVERNMENTAL OBJECTIVES IN THE U.S.HAD BEEN HIT BY RUSSIAN A BOMBS."

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CHICAGO, AUG 12-(AP)-DR. FRANZ HELMUT LEITNER, AUSTRIAN CONSUL IN NEW YORK, SAID TODAY SOME 10,000 CZECHOSLAVAKIAN CRAFTSMEN HAVE FLED FROM BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN TO WORK IN AUSTRIA.

THEY ARE NOW MAKING SUCH ITEMS AS BOHEMIAN GLASS THAT ORIGINATED IN THEIR NOW COMMUNIST-DOMINATED COUNTRY.

ANOTHER OF THESE PRODUCTS IS JAEGERNDORF, A HERB LIQUOR WHICH ONCE WAS MADE ONLY IN SILESIAN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, DR. LEITNER SAID.

JAEGERNDORF IS ONE OF THE CZECHOSLOVAKIAN PRODUCTS BEING SHOWN HERE AT THE FIRST UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR. THE FAIR WHICH ENDS ITS FIRST WEEK TODAY, CONTINUES THROUGH NEXT WEEK.

DR. LEITNER, REPRESENTING THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT AT THE FAIR, DISCUSSED HIS COUNTRY'S BUSINESS SITUATION YESTERDAY WITH REPORTERS.

JOINING HIM IN THE INTERVIEW WERE DR. PAUL FOERSTER, PRESIDENT OF THE TRADE SECTION OF THE AUSTRIAN FEDERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, AND DR.RUDOLF STRASSER, CHIEF OF THE AUSTRIAN CHAMBER'S PRESS SECTION.

"AUSTRIA'S PRODUCTION AS OF JULY, 1950, HAS INCREASED TO 160 PER CENT OF THAT OF 1937," DR. LEITNER SAID. HE ADDED THAT WITHOUT MARSHALL PLAN AID, THIS "WOULD HAVE BEEN IMPOSSIBLE."

CURRENTLY, AUSTRIA'S CHIEF EXPORT TO THE UNITED STATES IS $6,000,000 (M) WORTH OF RHINESTONES ANNUALLY, WHICH IS 60 PER CENT OF THIS COUNTRY'S TOTAL IMPORTS OF RHINESTONES, DR. LEITNER SAID. AUSTRIA'S TOTAL EXPORTS LAST YEAR TOTALLED $9,500,000 (M).

DR. FOERSTER SAID THAT THE FAIR IS THE BEST MEANS AUSTRIAN BUSINESSMEN HAVE FOR MARKET RESEARCH IN THE U.S. THEY ARE LEARNING, HE SAID, "HOW TO SELL HERE, WHAT TO SELL HERE, HOW GOODS MUST BE PRICED, DESIGNED AND STYLED, AND WHAT DELIVERY DATES ARE MOST CONDUCIVE FOR GETTING ORDERS."

NOT ALL THE TRADE ACTIVITY HAS BEEN WITH AMERICAN FIRMS. DR. STRASSER SAID AN AUSTRIAN EMBROIDERY MANUFACTURER RECEIVED A $25,000 ORDER AT THE FAIR FROM A GERMAN FIRM.

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(ADVANCE),,CHICAGO, AUG.13-(AP)-THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION TODAY ENDORSED IN PRINCIPLE BILLS PENDING IN CONGRESS FOR REGISTRATION AND INDUCTION INTO MILITARY SERVICE OF DOCTORS AND OTHER TECHNICAL AND SPECIALIST PERSONNEL.

DR. LOUIS H. BAUER OF HEMPSTEAD, N.Y., CHAIRMAN OF THE AMA'S BOARD OF TRUSTEES, SAID THAT IF LEGISLATION IS PASSED TO DRAFT DOCTORS, IT SHOULD PROVIDE FOR THEIR CALL IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER:

(1) THOSE WHO PARTICIPATED AS STUDENTS IN THE ARMY SPECIALIZED TRAINING PROGRAM OR SIMILAR PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY THE NAVY, AND PERSONS WHO WERE DEFERRED FROM MILITARY SERVICE DURING WORLD WAR TWO FOR THE PURPOSE OF PURSUING A COURSE OF INSTRUCTION LEADING TO MEDICAL EDUCATION, AND WHO HAVE HAD NO ACTIVE DUTY AS COMMISSIONED

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OFFICERS.
(2) THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN DEFERRED PREVIOUSLY FOR OTHER THAN PHYSICAL DISABILITY AND THOSE PREVIOUSLY REJECTED FOR PHYSICAL DISABILITY WHO MAY BE FOUND FIT ON THE BASIS OF PRESENT PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS.
(3) THOSE WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE ARMY SPECIALIZED TRAINING PROGRAM OR SIMILAR PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY THE NAVY AND WHO HAVE SERVED ON ACTIVE DUTY AS COMMISSIONED OFFICERS FOR LESS THAN 21 MONTHS (EXCLUSIVE OF THE TIME SPENT IN POSTGRADUATE TRAINING).
(4) THOSE WHO HAVE HAD LESS THAN 90 DAYS' PRIOR ACTIVE HONORABLE MILITARY OR NAVAL DUTY.
(5) THOSE WHOSE TOTAL ACTIVE HONORABLE MILITARY OR NAVAL DUTY IS LESS THAN 21 MONTHS.
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SPRINGFIELD,O.,AUG.12-(AP)-DR.WALLACE MURRAY, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO IRAN, SAID TODAY HE BELIEVES THE RUSSIANS ARE CARRYING OUT A "SUPER HOAX" ON THE WORLD CONCERNING SOVIET POSSESSION OF THE ATOM BOMB.
IN AN INTERVIEW, HE SAID FEAR OF THE ATOM BOMB IN THE HANDS OF THE UNITED STATES IS DETERRING THE SOVIET UNION FROM MOVING INTO MIDDLE-EASTERN COUNTRIES AND STARTING WORLD WAR II.
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EASTERN COUNTRIES AND STARTING WORLD WAR III.
MURRAY, A FORMER SPRINGFIELD, O., RESIDENT NOW LIVES IN WASHINGTON. HE RETIRED IN 1946 AFTER 30 YEARS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOREIGN SERVICE. HE WAS AMBASSADOR TO IRAN TWICE, FROM 1922 TO 1925 AND FROM 1945 TO 1946.
MURRAY BASED HIS BELIEF THE RUSSIANS DO NOT HAVE THE A-BOMB ON THE RECENT COMMUNIST-BACKED STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION ASKING THAT THE A-BOMB BE OUTLAWED.
"WHY WOULD THE RUSSIANS SEEK TO OUTLAW USE OF THE BOMB IF THEY HAD SUCH A WEAPON?" HE SAID.
CONCERNING IRAN, MENTIONED AS A POSSIBLE TARGET OF RUSSIAN AGGRESSION, MURRAY SAID:
"OF ONE THING I AM SURE. IF THE SOVIET UNION MOVES INTO IRAN IT WILL CERTAINLY MEAN WORLD WAR III."
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NIGHT LEAD BRIDGES (220)
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG.12-(AP)-LONGSHORE CHIEFTAIN HARRY BRIDGES, JAILED LAST SATURDAY AS A THREAT TO THE NATION'S SECURITY, FACED HIS SECOND WEEKEND BEHIND BARS TODAY AMID GROWING EVIDENCE OF REVOLT IN HIS OWN LOCAL UNION.
THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS WAS EXPECTED TO RULE, PROBABLY EARLY NEXT WEEK, ON AN EFFORT TO RELEASE BRIDGES FROM JAIL. A FEDERAL DISTRICT COURT LAST SATURDAY UPHELD THE GOVERNMENT REQUEST AND REVOKED THE $25,000 BAIL ON WHICH BRIDGES HAD BEEN FREE SINCE HIS PERJURY-CONSPIRACY CONVICTION LAST APRIL.
BRIDGES, WITH TWO FELLOW OFFICERS OF THE CIO LONGSHORE UNION HE HEADS, WAS CONVICTED OF LYING WHEN HE TESTIFIED AT HIS 1945 CITIZENSHIP HEARING THAT HE HAD NEVER BEEN A COMMUNIST. THE GOVERNMENT CONTENDED THAT HIS OPINIONS ON THE UNITED STATES POLICY IN KOREA ENDANGERED THE COUNTRY'S SECURITY.
LAST NIGHT SAN FRANCISCO LOCAL NO.10. FOR YEARS A LEFTWING UNIT CONTROLLED BY BRIDGES, VOTED 1,963 TO 982 IN FAVOR OF DISSOLVING FRATERNAL AFFILIATION WITH THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED WORLD FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS.
THIS WAS A SLAP AT BRIDGES, WHO TESTIFIED AT LAST WEEK'S HEARING THAT HE HAD ADVOCATED NO LOCAL ACTION ON THIS ISSUE.
THE LOCAL ALSO VOTED 2,082 TO 887 IN FAVOR OF SUBMITTING TO THE UNION CONVENTION AT COOS BAY NEXT WEEK A RESOLUTION BY LOCAL 91 (WALKING BOSSES) OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALLING ON BRIDGES EITHER TO RESIGN THE PRESIDENCY OF THE INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S UNION OR HIS PRESIDENCY OF THE MARITIME FEDERATION OF THE WORLD, THE YEAR-OLD MARITIME DIVISION OF THE WFTU.
THE FIGURES ON THE VOTES WERE RELEASED BY ALBERT BERTANI, RECORDING SECRETARY OF LOCAL 10.
MEANWHILE IN HAWAII THE WAILUKU SUGAR CO. ON THE ISLAND OF MAUI REPORTED THAT 269 WORKERS WALKED OFF THEIR JOBS TODAY IN PROTEST OF BRIDGES' JAILING.
IN THE PAST WEEK A RASH OF ONE-DAY STRIKES HAVE BROKEN OUT AMONG HAWAIIAN SUGAR WORKERS, MEMBERS OF BRIDGES' UNION.
SUGAR COMPANIES HAVE BEEN FOLLOWING UP THE ONE-DAY STRIKES WITH ONE-DAY SUSPENSIONS AGAINST THE STRIKERS.
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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 12-(AP)-TWENTY DISTINGUISHED JAPANESE, MEMBERS OF A GROUP OF 73 WHO HAD BEEN ON AN IDEOLOGICAL MISSION AROUND THE WORLD, LEFT TODAY FOR THEIR HOMELAND.
AS THE GROUP EMPLANED, A SPOKESMAN SAID:
"WORDS CANNOT EXPRESS OUR GRATITUDE TO THE PEOPLE AND GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE WARMTH OF THEIR WELCOME. HERE, AS IN OUR VISITS TO (OTHER COUNTRIES) WE HAVE SEEN DEMOCRACY AT WORK AND HAVE LEARNED MANY LESSONS FOR THE FUTURE.
"WE ARE RETURNING TO JAPAN DETERMINED TO BUILD THERE A CITADEL OF INSPIRED DEMOCRACY UNDER THE WISE LEADERSHIP OF GENERAL MACARTHUR."
THE 20 INCLUDED SIX MEMBERS OF THE JAPANESE DIET, GOVERNORS OF SEVEN PREFECTURES, AND MAYORS OF THE LARGER CITIES.
THEY LEFT JAPAN TWO MONTHS AGO TO ATTEND THE WORLD CONFERENCE FOR MORAL RE-ARMAMENT IN SWITZERLAND.
THE REST OF THE GROUP, INCLUDING THE MAYORS OF HIROSHIMA AND NAGASAKI, WILL EAVE WEDNESDAY MORNING.
THE 20 WERE ENTERTAINED HERE LAST NIGHT AT A DINNER GIVEN BY THE SAN FRANCISCO JAPANESE COLONY.
WHILE IN THIS COUNTRY THEY RECEIVED OFFICIAL WELCOMES IN NEW YORK, WASHINGTON, DETROIT, CHICAGO, LOS ANGELES AND THIS CITY.
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THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP

BY HILTON HARMON

TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 14-(AP)-THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION LAUNCHED A MAJOR COUNTERATTACK AGAINST A THREATENING RED BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER TODAY AS THE COMMUNISTS MASSED POSSIBLY 150,000 TROOPS ALONG THE ENTIRE KOREAN WARFRONT.

THE BATTLE-TESTED 24TH ATTACKED AT DAWN IN FULL DIVISION STRENGTH WITH REINFORCING UNITS AND AIR SUPPORT. SHORTLY AFTER NOON GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED THE ADVANCE WAS "PROCEEDING SATISFACTORILY." ASSOCIATED PRESS FRONT LINE DISPATCHES SAID IT HAD CARRIED THROUGH MUD AND HEAVY MORTAR FIRE BEYOND ITS FIRST OBJECTIVE.

A SPOKESMAN AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE REDS HAD BUILT UP A FORCE OF PERHAPS 150,000 MEN ALONG THE 140-MILE BATTLEFRONT FOR THE LONG-AWAITED BIG PUSH AGAINST THE UNITED NATION'S BEACHHEAD. OF THIS FORCE, COMPRISING 15 DIVISIONS, 60,000 OR MORE MEN WERE ALONG THE THINLY-DEFENDED NAKTONG BARRIER.

ESTIMATES OF ENEMY STRENGTH JUMPED WITH IDENTIFICATION OF UNITS FROM TWO MORE DIVISIONS.

THE ATTACK BY THE 24TH WAS VARIOUSLY DESCRIBED AS INTENDED TO DRIVE A FORCE OF 13,000 NORTH KOREANS BACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG, TO THROW THE EXPECTED COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE OFF BALANCE, AND TO REGAIN LOST GROUND.

A MACARTHUR SPOKESMAN SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAD REINFORCED THEIR BRIDGEHEAD IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA TO MORE THAN DIVISIONAL STRENGTH AND IN WEEKEND ATTACKS HAD DRIVEN UNITS OF THE 24TH FROM DOMINATING RIDGES. HE SAID THE REDS GAINED A MILE IN THESE ASSAULTS. WIPING OUT PREVIOUS ADVANCES BY THE 24TH.

THE COMMUNIST FOOTHOLD IN THIS AREA, COVERING EIGHT SQUARE MILES, WAS CALLED "THE MOST SERIOUS THREAT" TO THE AMERICAN DEFENSE LI IN KOREA.

BUT AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID RED THRUSTS IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR AND AT POHANG ON THE EAST COAST WERE "CERTAINLY COORDINATED" HE SPECULATED THESE WERE DESIGNED TO DRAW OFF ALLIED STRENGTH FROM A POSSIBLE MAIN DRIVE ACROSS THE NAKTONG IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, ONLY 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

RED REINFORCEMENTS WERE POURING INTO THE WAEGWAN AREA. ALONG THE RIVERFRONT SPREADING OUT FROM WAEGWAN, THE REDS HAVE CONCENTRATED PROBABLY 60,000 TROOPS.

BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND CHANGNYONG, THE COMMUNISTS MADE A NEW CROSSING WITH 500 MEN. BUT 300 OF THESE WERE REPORTED KILLED IN THE FIRST FOUR HOURS OF FIERCE FIGHTING WITH U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPS.

NORTH OF WAEGWAN, RED INFANTRY WITH TWO TANKS STABBED AT THE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE SECTOR. AN 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE MONDAY SAID THIS PENETRATION ATTEMPT FAILED.

THE BIG COMMUNIST PUSH APPEARED TO BE TIMED FOR TUESDAY TO COINCIDE WITH THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF KOREA'S LIBERATION FROM JAPAN.

WHILE COMMUNIST FORCES CONTINUED TO BUILD UP ALONG THE NAKTONG, BITTER FIGHTING FLARED AT BOTH THE EASTERN AND SOUTHERN ANCHORS OF THE 140 MILE LONG BATTLE-LINE. OFFICIAL SOURCES AND NEWS DISPATCHES GAVE THIS PICTURE AROUND THE FRONT:

EAST COAST--U.S.AIR FORCE EVACUATED POHANG AIR FIELD. TANK SUPPORTED GROUND UNITS HELD THE FIELD. A BATTALION OF THE NORTH KOREAN 12TH DIVISION HELD THE SMOULDERING TOWN OF POHANG, SIX MILES TO THE NORTHEAST. THIS DIVISION HAD NOT PREVIOUSLY BEEN IDENTIFIED AMONG 13 RED DIVISIONS KNOWN TO BE ON THE FRONT. U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS TERMED ITS APPEARANCE OMINOUS. STRONG SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ATTACKED REDS AROUND POHANG.

NORTHERN SECTOR--COMMUNIST STRENGTH WAS REPORTED "THINNING" AS THEY BUILT UP ALONG THE WESTERN NAKTONG LINE.

WESTERN FRONT--REDS CONTINUED TO BUILD UP MASSED ARMIES WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONTING WAEGWAN. FIVE HUNDRED REDS MADE A NEW CROSSING AT THE NAKTONG SOUTH OF WAEGWAN BUT 300 WERE KILLED IN FIRST FOUR HOURS BY U.S.FIRST CAVALRY. U.S. 24TH DIVISION LAUNCHED AN ATTACK AGAINST 10,000 REDS ON THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER IN CHANGYONG AREA. THE REDS FAILED TO PENETRATE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSES NORTH OF WAEGWAN WITH INFANTRY AND TWO TANKS.

SOUTHERN FRONT--AMERICANS HELD POSITIONS GAINED IN A "SUCCESSFUL" COUNTEROFFENSIVE EAST OF CHINJU BUT FOUGHT BITTERLY AGAINST 1,600 TRAPPED REDS HAMMERING AT THE U.S.REAR. A DETACHMENT OF MARINES WAS SENT FROM FORWARD POSITIONS TO HELP CLEAN OUT RED UNITS CUTTING AMERICAN SUPPLY LINES AND TRYING TO HACK AN ESCAPE ROUTE THROUGH THE TRAP.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT REACHED ITS OBJECTIVE BY TAKING HIGH GROUND SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU, LINKING WITH ARMY INFANTRY WHICH HAD ARRIVED EARLER. MARINES ENTERED SACHON, SEVEN MILES SOUTH OF CHINJU, THEN WITHDREW ABOUT THREE MILES TO THE EAST.

ANOTHER NEW AMERICAN WEAPON MADE ITS FIRST APPEARANCE IN THE KOREAN WAR WHEN NAVY CARRIER PLANES, EMPLOYED THE "TINY TIM" TWELVE-INCH ROCKET IN A BLAZING ATTACK ON NORTH KOREAN TRANSPORTATION.

IN THE CHANGYONG SECTOR OF THE WESTERN FRONT, THE U.S. 24TH JUMPED OFF IN A HEAVY RAIN STORM. AS THE ADVANCE CONTINUED, THE WEATHER CLEARED AND U.S.WARPLANES SWEPT IN WITH "STRONG AND EXCELLENT SUPPORT.

THE ASSAULT BEGAN LESS THAN 24 HOURS AFTER GEN.WALTON H. WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. 8TH ARMY, VISITED THIS CRUCIAL SECTOR. HE CALLED THE RED BRIDGEHEAD THE "MOST SERIOUS THREAT" TO AMERICAN FORCES IN KOREA.

MAJ.GEN.JOHN H.CHURCH, COMMANDER OF THE 24TH, SAID THE OBJECTIVE OF THE ATTACK WAS "TO DRIVE THE ENEMY BACK ACROSS THE RIVER OR DESTROY HIM ON THIS SIDE."

THE 24TH DROVE INTO HEAVY ENEMY MORTAR FIRE, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED, TO MAKE THEIR DEEPEST PENETRATION OF THE TEN-DAY-OLD RED BRIDGEHEAD.

THIS WAS THE FIRST MAJOR AMERICAN PUSH TO ELIMINATE THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD. BUT IN EARLIER, STEADY FIGHTING, CHURCH ESTIMATED, ONE RED REGIMENT HAD BEEN DESTROYED AND MOST OF ANOTHER ELIMINATED.

THE COMMUNISTS HAVE CONTINUED TO SLIP NEW INFANTRYMEN ACROSS THE NAKTONG AND REINFORCE THEM WITH TANKS. SOME TANKS WERE MOVED ACROSS THE RIVER ON UNDERWATER CAUSEWAYS.

THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE BEEN HELPED BY THE DROPPING WATERLINE OF THE RIVER. IN TEN DAYS IT HAS DROPPED SEVERAL FEET FROM ITS NECK-HIGH LEVEL. THIS HAS REDUCED ITS DEFENSIVE VALUE TO THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS.

WITH THE FORCES BUILDING UP AT NIGHT FASTER THAN THEY WERE DESTROYED IN THE DAYTIME, THE COMMUNISTS FELT STRONG ENOUGH TO LAUNCH SIX SMALL ATTACKS OF THEIR OWN SUNDAY IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA.

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AIRFORCE FIGHTERS AND B-26 ATTACK BOMBERS BUZZED ANGRILY OVER THE WHOLE FRONT, BUT AIMED THEIR SHARPEST BLOWS AT NORTH KOREAN CONCENTRATIONS BUILDING UP WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. FIELD DISPATCHES SAID AN AIR DROP OF SUPPLIES WAS BEING ORGANIZED FOR DEFENDERS OF THE POHANG AIRSTRIP ON THE EAST COAST.

DURING A 24-HOUR PERIOD ENDING SUNDAY, NORTH KOREAN CASUALTIES WERE MORE THAN 2,100, HEADQUARTERS SAID. SOUTH KOREANS UNITS ESTIMATED THE REDS SUFFERED 1,588 CASUALTIES AND AMERICAN UNITS REPORTED THEY HAD KILLED OR WOUNDED 530 MORE. THE SOUTH KOREANS TOOK 101 PRISONERS OF WAR AND THE AMERICANS 35.

AMERICAN ARMOR AND TROOPS RUSHED TO THE THREATENED CHANGNYONG SECTOR TO BACK UP THE BATTLE-TRIED 19TH AND 34TH REGIMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION.

THE NORTH KOREANS WHO HAVE BEEN PROMISING DEVELOPMENTS ON THE AUG. 15TH ANNIVERSARY ALSO INCREASED THEIR STRENGTH.

RED FORCES, ESTIMATED BY EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS AT ABOUT 10,000 STRONG, SEEPED ACROSS THE NAKTONG INTO THEIR U-SHAPED BULGE WEST OF CHANGNYONG.

IF THIS RED FORCE SHOULD GET LOOSE ON A RAMPAGE TO THE NORTHEAST, IT WOULD NOT ONLY BREAK THE MAIN SUPPLY LINES BETWEEN TAEGU AND PUSAN 55 MILES SOUTHEAST, BUT WOULD IMPERIAL TAEGU ITSELF.

FOR THE PAST WEEK THE 24TH DIVISION HAS BEEN ON CONSTANT ALERT TO PUT DOWN RED INFILTRATIONS ACROSS THE NAKTONG FROM THE WEST TO EASTERN BANKS.

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AMERICAN COUNTERATTACKS SUNDAY WIPED OUT NORTH KOREAN ROADBLOCKS BEHIND 24TH DIVISION LINES, FIELD DISPATCHES SAID. A SUPPLY ROUTE WAS REOPENED BETWEEN YONGSAN, SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHANGNYONG, AND MIRYANG 13 MILES EAST OF YONGSAN.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED THAT TROUBLESOME REDS WHO INFILTRATED THROUGH A SOUTHERN HOLE AND ADVANCED WITHIN THREE MILES OF IMPORTANT AMERICAN POSITIONS HAD BEEN "WIPED OUT."

EARLIER A SPOKESMAN FOR MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS WARNED THAT "A BIG SHOW SEEMS READY TO BREAK" NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE RED STREAMROLLER OFFENSIVE WAS BUILDING UP IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, AN EAST RIVERBANK TOWN ABOUT 13 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN IDENTIFIED THE NORTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION AS BEING AT THE RIVER LINE. THE NORTH KOREAN SECOND DIVISION LINED UP ON THE THIRD'S NORTH FLANK BUT WAS NOT YET ENTIRELY IN POSITION. THE NORTH KOREAN 13TH AND FIRST DIVISIONS MOVED FORWARD IN LINE ABREAST NORTH OF THE SECOND.

IN RESERVE WAS THE RED 15TH DIVISION, LOCATED NEAR THE 13TH, EVIDENTLY TO BE USED FOR FLANKING OPERATIONS IF THE OPPORTUNITY COMES.

THESE RED DIVISIONS WERE OPPOSED BY THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SOUTH OF WAEGWAN AND POSSIBLY BY TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS NORTH OF WAEGWAN, ON A BATTLEFRONT ABOUT 20 MILES LONG.

SO FAR THE FIRST CAVALRY HAD MET EACH CHALLENGE AND KNOCKED OUT CROSSINGS WITH A HEAVY TOLL OF ENEMY ARMOR AND TROOPS.

THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION WITH AN ENGINEER REGIMENT AND ARTILLERY SUPPORT WAS STRUNG OUT ALONG A TWO-MILE BATTLELINE, ABOUT 28 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU AT THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD.

ENEMY TANKS ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG WERE STILL NEGLIGIBLE, THE SPOKESMAN SAID. TEN TANKS WERE FERRIED ACROSS NORTH OF WAEGWAN, BUT FIVE WERE KNOCKED OUT BY AIR ASSAULTS, TWO MORE BY GROUND FORCES AND ONE WAS CAPTURED. THE REMAINING TWO TANKS HAVE NOT BEEN ACCOUNTED FOR.

ON THE EAST COAST, EVACUATION OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS BY SEA FROM POHANG WAS A POSSIBILITY. WITH FIVE DAYS OF SUPPLIES ON HAND, THE AMERICAN COMMANDER, BRIG. GEN. JOSEPH SLADEN BRADLEY SAID HIS MEN WOULD CONTINUE THE FIGHT TO KEEP THE AIRSTRIP AND, WITH AN AIR DROP COMING, HE FELT HIS FORCE COULD HOLD.

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AT THE OTHER EXTREME OF THE 140-MILE FRONT LINE- IN THE DEEP SOUTH - THE AMERICAN CHINJU OFFENSIVE, HAVING REACHED ITS LIMITED OBJECTIVE, HAD A BITTER AFTERMATH.

ALTHOUGH THE EARLY MONDAY WAR SUMMARY BY TOKYO HEADQUARTERS SAID THE AMERICAN INFANTRY AND MARINES CONSOLIDATED THEIR GAINS, NEAR CHINJU, REPORTS FROM THE FRONT TOLD OF 65, BLOODSTAINED AMERICAN ARTILLERYMEN STAGGERING BACK TO A FRONTLINE OUTPOST FROM TWO TRAPPED UNITS, LEAVING MANY BEHIND AND HAVING LOST AT LEAST THREE BATTERIES OF GUNS.

MARINES WHO HAD STARTED TO RELIEVE THE TRAPPED ARTILLERYMEN SATURDAY DID NOT ARRIVE UNTIL SUNDAY. THEY WERE HELD UP BY ROADBLOCKS.

THE ARTILLERYMEN'S REAR DETACHMENT WAS CAUGHT NAPPING, AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON SAID, BY NORTH KOREANS WHO DESTROYED 15 BIG TRUCKS IN AN INFILTRATION ATTACK. THE REDS ALSO CUT OFF A KEY SUPPLY ROUTE TO A SECTOR ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT -- PRESUMABLY KOSONG ABOUT 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF OF MASAN. THIS SUPPLY PORT IS 20 MILES DUE WEST OF PUSAN.

MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY SPOKE OF STIFFENING RESISTANCE IN THIS SOUTHERN SECTOR, AND INDICATED THERE MIGHT BE OTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

PREVIOUSLY HEADQUARTERS ASSERTED THE MAIN AMERICAN OBJECTIVE HAD BEEN ACHIEVED IN REACHING HEIGHTS EAST OF CHINJU.

WHAT THE NEXT ACTION WOULD BE WAS NOT CLEAR IN VIEW OF THE MENACING COMMUNIST PICTURE TO THE NORTH.

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FIRST LEAD RED CROSSING (280)

BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, MONDAY, AUG.14-(AP)-THREE HUNDRED NORTH KOREAN REDS OUT OF AN ORIGINAL FORCE OF 500 WERE KILLED IN FOUR HOURS OF SAVAGE FIGHTING TODAY AFTER THEY SHOVED ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR.

THE U.S. 8TH ARMY REPORTED THE COMMUNISTS MADE THIS CROSSING AT THE SONGDONG BEND OF THE NAKTONG RIVER SUNDAY NIGHT. THE BEND IS ABOUT 15 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE REPORTED RED INFANTRY WITH TWO TANKS FAILED TO PENETRATE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSES ON THE NORTHERN SECTOR OF THE NAKTONG LINE. THIS WAS IN THE AREA AROUND WAEGWAN, 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, WHERE THE REDS HAVE MASSED MOST OF 60,000 MEN FOR AN EXPECTED ALL-OUT OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE NAKTONG DEFENSES.

THE NEW CROSSING SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU RAN INTO AMERICAN TANKS AND THE SEVENTH REGIMENT OF THE FIRST CAVALRY QUICKLY ENCIRCLED THE RED FORCE.

"IT WAS ONE OF OUR BEST FIELD DAYS," ONE OFFICER SAID.

AMERICANS SLAUGHTERED THE REDS IN FIERCE FIGHTING, OFTEN HAND-TO-HAND.

SOME ESCAPED AND RETREATED TO THE WEST (RED) BANK OF THE NAKTONG. OTHERS SLIPPED INTO THE HILLS. AMERICAN PATROLS WERE SENT OUT TO HUNT THEM DOWN.

AT POHANG, ON THE EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE AMERICAN LINE, A TOTALLY NEW RED DIVISION--THE 12TH--WAS REPORTED MOVING INTO THE FIGHT. THIS NEWS WAS CONSIDERED OMINOUS AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS.

ONE BATTALION OF THE NORTH KOREAN 12TH IS HOLDING POHANG. THE

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EIGHTH ARMY SAID. IT HAD NOT BEEN PREVIOUSLY LISTED AMONG 13 RED DIVISIONS WHOSE IDENTIFICATION WAS CONSIDERED CERTAIN.

POHANG ITSELF WAS REPORTED QUIET. A TANK-SUPPORTED AMERICAN FORCE HELD THE AIRFIELD SIX MILE TO THE SOUTHEAST. THE FIELD HAS BEEN ABANDONED BY U.S. PLANES.

TWO SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENTS ATTACKED RED FORCES NORTHWEST AND DUE NORTH OF POHANG. ONE SOUTH KOREAN UNIT WAS REPORTED BATTLING A LARGE FORCE OF REDS AT KIGYE, INLAND FROM POHANG. A SECOND HIT COMMUNIST FORCES IN MAGOK, SEVEN MILES WEST OF POHANG.

THE FIRST CAVALRY'S PROMPT ATTACK ON THE NEW NORTH KOREAN CROSSING WAS TYPICAL OF THIS DIVISION'S ACTION AGAINST EVERY RED BRIDGEHEAD.

THE NEW CROSSING IS BETWEEN THE MENACING COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD AT CHANGNYONG AND THE BIG RED BUILDUP AREA NEAR WAEGWAN WHERE AIR OBSERVERS SAID TODAY MORE TROOPS ARE "PURING IN."

THE BULK OF PERHAPS 60,000 OR MORE RED TROOPS HAVE BEEN MASSED NEAR WAEGWAN FOR THE BIG PUSH 12 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. CHANGNYONG IS 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE COMMUNICATIONS HUB.

THE NORTH KOREANS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE FOUR TANKS ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG IN THE AREA OF LAST NIGHT'S NEW CROSSING. NONE WAS REPORTED ON THE EAST SIDE, HOWEVER.

THE FIRST CAVALRY SPOKESMAN SAID THE REDS HAD MADE NO NEW CROSSING OF THE RIVER IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR LAST NIGHT.

THE FIRST CAVALRY FRONT EXTENDS FROM NORTH OF WAEGWAN SOUTHWARD TO INCLUDE THE AREA OF LAST NIGHT'S CROSSING. THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION IS DEFENDING THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD AREA FARTHER SOUTH.

COL.ERNEST V.HOLMES OF THE FIRST CAVALRY ESTIMATED "CONSERVATIVELY" THAT TROOPS OF HIS DIVISION HAD KILLED 1,000 REDS ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG SATURDAY AND SUNDAY.

FIGHTER-BOMBER PILOTS CAUGHT AN ESTIMATED 1,000 NORTH KOREANS ON THE OPEN PLAIN WEST OF POHANG, EAST COAST PORT, SUNDAY.

REPORTS TO U.S.FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS SAID THE PILOTS STRAFED THESE REDS HEAVILY AND ESTIMATED THEY KILLED ABOUT 300. THIS ACTION OCCURRED NEAR ANGANG ABOUT 10 MILES WEST OF POHANG.

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U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 13-(AP)-AMERICAN FORCES REPELLED SIX ENEMY ATTACKS TODAY ON THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD WHERE NUMERICALLY SUPERIOR NORTH KOREAN FORCES HAVE BEEN PUSHING EASTWARD PAST THE NAKTONG RIVER.

THE EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE SAID ALSO THAT THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION BROKE UP SEVERAL ATTEMPTED RED CROSSINGS OF THE RIVER IN THE WAEGWAN AREA TO THE NORTH.

BUT SOME NORTH KOREAN TROOPS CROSSED SUCCESSFULLY, IT SAID.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THAT RESERVE ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 19TH AND 34TH REGIMENTS "WERE ENGAGED IN REDUCING AN ENEMY POCKET OF 200 TROOPS IN THE REAR OF THE 34TH REGIMENT" IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID U.S. FORCES IN THE REAR OF TASK FORCE KEAN IN THE SOUTHWEST FOUGHT SMALL POCKETS OF ENEMY TROOPS WHICH WERE HARASSING SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATIONS LINES.

IT REPORTED ONLY PATROL ACTIVITY IN THE SOUTH KOREAN SECTOR OF THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE FAR TO THE NORTH.

THERE WAS NO REPORT FROM THE POHANG AND YONGDOK AREAS.

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FIRST LEAD NAKTONG ATTACK (190)

BY JACK MACBETH

WITH THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, MONDAY, AUG. 14-(AP)-THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION--REINFORCED AND WITH AIR SUPPORT--LAUNCHED A MAJOR ATTACK TODAY TO TRY TO WIPE OUT THE SERIOUS COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

REPORTS SAID THE AMERICANS WERE "ALMOST UPON" OR BEYOND THEIR FIRST OBJECTIVE IN THE PUSH WHICH MAJ.GEN.JOHN H.CHURCH SAID WAS DESIGNED "TO DRIVE THE ENEMY BACK ACROSS THE RIVER OR DESTROY HIM ON THIS SIDE." CHURCH IS THE 24TH'S COMMANDER.

THE AMERICANS WERE RUNNING INTO HEAVY NORTH KOREAN MORTAR FIRE.

RAIN WAS FALLING AS THE FULL 24TH, WITH REINFORCING ELEMENTS, SHOVED OFF ON THE ATTACK. BUT THE RAIN STOPPED AND THE CEILING LIFTED LATER IN THE MORNING AND THE PLANES CAME IN.

THREE FLIGHTS OF FIGHTER-BOMBERS WERE GIVING WHAT WAS DESCRIBED AS "STRONG AND EXCELLENT" SUPPORT FOR THE ADVANCE.

WHILE OFFICIAL REPORTS SAID THE AMERICANS WERE "ALMOST UPON" THEIR FIRST OBJECTIVE, IT WAS REPORTED UNOFFICIALLY THAT THEY HAD PASSED BEYOND IT.

LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER, EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER VISITING THE 24TH'S SECTOR ALONG THE RIVER LINE, CALLED THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD "THE MOST SERIOUS THREAT" TO U.S.FORCES IN KOREA.

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ENEMY FORCES IN THE BULGE ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE SOUTHERN SECTOR OF THE 24TH DIVISION'S FRONT HAD BEEN ESTIMATED AT MORE THAN THREE REGIMENTS (POSSIBLY 6,000 TO 10,000 MEN), BUT IT WAS REPORTED THIS MORNING THAT THEY MAY HAVE BEEN STILL FURTHER REINFORCED.

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ROADBLOCKS

WITH AMERICAN FORCES IN KOREA, AUG. 13-(AP)-COUNTERATTACKING U.S. 24TH DIVISION FORCES TODAY CLEARED NORTH KOREAN ROADBLOCKS BEHIND THE AMERICAN LINES AND REOPENED THE SUPPLY ROUTE BETWEEN YONGSAN AND MIRYANG.

THIS IS EAST OF THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR WHERE AMERICAN FORCES TODAY REPELLED SIX ENEMY ATTACKS.

THE WAY NOW IS CLEAR FOR SUPPLIES TO MOVE TO FORWARD ELEMENTS OF THE DIVISION.

THE AMERICANS, STRIKING AT DAYLIGHT, DROVE A STRONG FORCE OF REDS FROM POSITIONS ASTRIDE THE ROAD.

NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS SAID LAST NIGHT A FORCE OF ABOUT 100 REDS IN THE REAR INFILTRATION ADVANCED TO WITHIN THREE MILES OF IMPORTANT AMERICAN POSITIONS. THEY LATER WITHDREW. NO EXPLANATION WAS AVAILABLE FOR THE WITHDRAWAL.

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TOKYO,MONDAY,-7&.14-(AP-

TOKYO,MONDAY,AUG.14-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHURS HEADQUARTERS SAID TE 24TH DIVISIO

THE 24TH DIVISION ATTACK TODAY AGAINST THE COMMUNIST CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER "IS PROCEEDING SATISFACTORILY."

THE HEADQUARTERS OPERATIONAL SUMMARY ISSUED AT 1:50 P.M. (10:50 P.M., E.S.T., SUNDAY) HAD THIS TO SAY ABOUT THE OPERATION WHICH BEGAN AT DAWN ON THE NORTH KOREAN BULGE SOME 29 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU:

"THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION LAUNCHED A COORDINATED ATTACK AT DAWN DESIGNED TO DRIVE THE REDS SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG BACK INTO THE RIVER. OVER THE LAST 24 HOURS THE COMMUNISTS HAD SUCCEEDED IN REINFORCING THIS CROSSING BY A THIRD REGIMENT. LATEST REPORTS ARE THAT THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION ATTACK IS PROCEEDING SATISFACTORILY."

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RED TRAP (680)

BY STANLEY SWINTON

WITH U.S.25TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG.13-(AP)-SIXTY-FIVE (CORRECT) AMERICAN ARTILLERYMEN--MANY OF THEM WOUNDED AND ALL OF THEM FIGHT-WEARY--CRAWLED THROUGH ENEMY ENCIRCLEMENT TO THIS FRONTLINE OUTPOST LAST NIGHT AND TODAY.

THEY WERE SURVIVORS OF A NORTH KOREAN INFILTRATION ATTACK SATURDAY. IT CAUGHT THE ARTILLERY'S REAR ECHELON UNAWARES, VIRTUALLY DESTROYED IT, AND CUT OFF BOTH THE ARTILLERY AND THE FRONTLINE SUPPLY ROUTE THAT THE AMERICAN GUNS WERE GUARDING.

TWO UNITS WERE TRAPPED, THREE BATTERIES OF GUNS WERE ALMOST CERTAINLY LOST, AND NEARBY ARE 15 BURNED-OUT HULKS OF BIG TRUCKS, TORCHED BY NORTH KOREAN INCENDIARY GRENADES.

NO ONE KNOWS HOW MANY OF THE AMERICAN GUNNERS SURVIVED 24 HOURS OF ENCIRCLEMENT.

THAT WILL BE KNOWN ONLY WHEN--THEY DON'T SAY "IF"---
A MARINE RESCUE FORCE FIGHTS THROUGH AN ESTIMATED 400 NORTH KOREANS SURROUNDING THE AREA.

THE DUST-GRIMED MARINES--DISGUSTED BECAUSE THEY WERE PULLED FROM A SUCCESSFUL ATTACK FARTHER SOUTHWEST TO AID WHAT REMAINS OF THE ARTILLERY--ARE NOW MOVING FORWARD IN SILENT LINES OVER THE SCRUBBY HILLS THAT FLANK THIS OUTPOST ON BOTH SIDES.

SOME SURVIVORS ESTIMATED THERE WERE ABOUT 80 TIRED MEN-- MANY WOUNDED STILL FIGHTING INSIDE THE TRAP.

MASTER SGT.JOSEPH ZUPAN OF DAISYTOWN,PA., ESTIMATED THAT 75 TO 100 ARTILLERYMEN WERE KILLED BESIDE THEIR GUNS.

(AS AN EXAMPLE OF THE SWIFT CHANGES OF WAR, ONLY THE DAY BEFORE, CORRESPONDENT SWINTON HAD AN AMUSING ITEM ABOUT SERGEANT ZUPAN SEIZING AND RESTORING TO A SOUTH KOREAN BANK $3,500,000 WORTH OF SOUTH KOREAN CURRENCY THAT HE FOUND SOME CIVILIANS CARRYING DOWN THE ROAD.)

INTERVIEWED AS HE LOUNGED WEARILY ON A LIGHT TANK, SERGEANT ZUPAN SAID ONE OF THE TRAPPED UNITS HAD BEEN ALMOST WIPED OUT.

HE SAID IT WAS THE SAME OLD STORY--A THIN LINE OF ALMOST PATHETICALLY BRAVE INFANTRY UP FRONT, TERRAIN-WISE NORTH KOREANS WHOSE PATROLS STABBED UNTIL THEY FOUND A GAP, INFILTRATION DOWN TO THE ARTILLERY, AND THEN THE SUDDEN ATTACK.

(SWINTON'S DISPATCH DID NOT EXPLAIN, BUT THE IMPLICATION WAS THAT THE MEN WHO GOT OUT SUCCEEDED IN CRAWLING THROUGH THE ENEMY LINE WHILE THE REDS WERE PREOCCUPPIED BY THE RECONNAISSANCE COMPANY.)

A VETERAN OF NORTH AFRICA, SICILY, ITALY AND FRANCE, CORP. BERNARD E.DUBINSKY OF (1322 EAST LOCUST) SCRANTON, PA., LED 50 MEN OUT OF THE TRAP SATURDAY.

HE GAVE THIS ACCOUNT:

"A PRISONER TOLD US THEY (THE REDS) WERE COMING, BUT NO ONE BELIEVED HIM. AT 4 A.M.MORTARS STARTED AND WE KNEW WE WERE IN FOR IT. THEY HAD A 90 MILLIMETER HIGH VELOCITY GUN FIRING DIRECTLY AT THREE OF OUR BIG GUNS.

"THEY HIT A GASOLINE TRUCK WHICH EXPLODED AND CLEW UP THREE OR FOUR AMMUNITION TRUCKS, FOUR WEAPONS CARRIERS AND FIVE JEEPS.

"WE HAD ABOUT 15 DEAD BOYS.

"WE COULDN'T STAND UP TO OUR GUNS OR THEY'D SHOOT US THROUGH THE HEAD OR CHEST.

"I TRIED TO FLIP GRENADES INTO ONE OF OUR GUNS THREE TIMES TO WRECK IT BUT COULDN'T GET THERE. WE HAD A LOT OF WOUNDED SO I HAD THE BOYS TURNED OVER COOK STOVES AND MAKE A CIRCLE. THEY HID BEHIND THEM, LIKE COVERED-WAGON DAYS.

"WHAT SAVED US WAS A KID WITH 'ANGEL' ON HIS FATIGUES. NOBODY KNEW HIS NAME, BUT HE SURE WAS AN ANGEL. HE TOOK A TANK RETRIEVER AND RAN IT BACK AND FORTH, USING THE MACHINEGUN. I HAD OTHER GUYS STEP FIRE UP THE HILL. THAT KEPT THEM OFF. THEN AN AMERICAN PLANE ROCKETED THE GOOKS, AND I HAD THE BOYS RUN FOR IT UP A DRY RIVER. WE GOT NINE VEHICLES AND 50 MEN OUT."

OTHERS CAME IN BY ONES AND TWOS.

LT.CHARLES C.FRYANT OF MEMPHIS, TENN., AND PLATOON SERGEANT JOE B.FOSTER OF (701 ANSLEY AVE.) EAST GADSDEN, ALA., TOOK ONE PLATOON OF THE 25TH RECONNAISSANCE COMPANY OUT ON A RESCUE MISSION SATURDAY.

FOR 22 HOURS THE NORTH KOREANS HAD THEM CUT OFF, TOO. HEAVY, CLOSE-UP FIGHTING RAGED ALMOST THE ENTIRE TIME. TWO JEEPS WERE KNOCKED OUT AND ONE LIGHT TANK WAS ABANDONED WHEN IT BROKE DOWN, BUT FRYANT AND FOSTER BROUGHT THEIR PLATOON HOME WITHOUT A CASUALTY.

LT.GEORGE GORD OF SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO, AND A SERGEANT TOOK TWO OTHER LIGHT TANKS OUT. THEY CAME UNDER IMMEDIATE FIRE.

"WE MUST HAVE KILLED 50 OF THEM," SAID GORD.

"THE SERGEANT STOOD UP AND KEPT FIRING THE .50 CALIBER MACHINEGUN. A BULLET CAUGHT HIM IN THE LEFT SIDE. HE WENT DOWN. THAT BOY WAS A GREAT HERO."

HIS BUDIES ADDED A CHAPTER TO THE UNNAMED SERGEANT'S STORY. THEY SAID AN INCENDIARY GRENADE SET FIRE TO THE SERGEANT'S CLOTHES AFTER HE WAS SHOT, AND HIS BODY BURNED THERE BY HIS GUN.

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RED TRAP (250)

BY STANLEY SWINTON

WITH 25TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 13-(AP)-TWENTY-FIVE BLOOD-STAINED AMERICAN ARTILLERYMEN FROM TWO TRAPPED AND DECIMATED UNITS REACHED THIS FRONTLINE OUTPOST TODAY AFTER CRAWLING IN ONES AND TWOS THROUGH NORTH KOREAN LINES DURING THE NIGHT.

MOST ARE WOUNDED.

A FEW HUNDRED YARDS BEHIND US ARE THE FLAME RUSTED SKELETONS OF 15 BIG TRUCKS TORCHED BY NORTH KOREAN INCENDIARY GRENADES SATURDAY DURING AN INFILTRATION ATTACK.

THE ATTACK CAUGHT THE ARTILLERYMEN'S REAR ECHELON NAPPING, VIRTUALLY DESTROYED IT AND CUT OFF BOTH THE ARTILLERY AND THIS KEY SUPPLY ROUTE TO A SECTOR OF THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

IT IS ONE SECTOR OF THIS SAME FRONT WHERE COMMUNIQUES HAVE SPOKEN OF OFFENSIVE TRIUMPHS.

DUST-GRIMED MARINES--DISGUSTED BECAUSE THEY WERE PULLED FROM THEIR SUCCESSFUL ATTACK FURTHER SOUTHWEST TO RESCUE THE BATTERED ARTILLERY--MOVE FORWARD IN LONG SILENT LINES OVER THE SCRUBBY HILLS FLANKING US ON BOTH SIDES.

THREE BATTERIES OF GUNS ALMOST CERTAINLY ARE LOST. NO ONE KNOWS HOW MANY OF THE AMERICANS WHO MANNED THEM MAY HAVE SURVIVED 24 HOURS OF ENCIRCLEMENT.

THAT WILL BE KNOWN WHEN--THE MARINES DON'T SAY IF--THE LEATHERNECKS FIGHT THEIR WAY THROUGH AN ESTIMATED 400 NORTH KOREANS SURROUNDING THE

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ARTILLERYMEN AND BLOCKING THE ROADS.
SOME SURVIVORS ESTIMATE THERE ARE ABOUT 80 WEARY MEN--MANY OF THEM WOUNDED--FIGHTING INSIDE THE TRAP.
MASTER SGT.JOSEPH ZUPAN OF DAISYTOWN, PA., ESTIMATED THAT BETWEEN 75 AND 100 ARTILLERYMEN LIE DEAD BESIDE THEIR GUNS.
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A70KX (170)
BY JACK MACBETH
BEHIND U.S. LINES IN KOREA, AUG.13-(AP)-THIS WAS A SCHOOLHOUSE--A BIG ONE OF GREY STONE, PERCHED HALFWAY UP A HILL ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF A LARGE TOWN.
BEFORE THE WAR, NEARLY 500 CHILDREN LEARNED AND PLAYED THERE.
A HALF-DOZEN WATER COLORS--THE WORK OF YOUNGSTERS BUT SHOWING THE UNMISTAKABLE TOUCH OF ORIENTAL ART--STILL BRIGHTEN A WALL. KOREAN WRITTEN CHARACTERS SPRAWL ACROSS A BLACKBOARD, AS IF SCHOOL WOULD RESUME TOMORROW.
A FEW CHILDREN STILL GATHER OUTSIDE EACH MORNING. TEACHERS QUIETLY COME AND LEAD THEM AWAY TO CLASSROOMS ELSEWHERE.
FOR THE SCHOOL ECHOES NOW TO GRIMMER LESSONS. IT IS JAMMES STILL--BUT NOT WITH CHILDREN; AND THERE IS LITTLE LAUGHTER.
THESE ARE MEN IN HERE--HIGH AND LOW RANKING OFFICERS...PRIVATES... A FEW CIVILIANS.
THE ARMY CALLS THE SCHOOLHOUSE A REPLACEMENT DEPOT. MOST OF THOSE HERE SOON WILL GO TO--OR HAVE JUST COME FROM--THE BATTLE ZONE.
THIS IS WHERE ONE GETS THE LOWDOWN ON CONDITIONS AT THE FRONT--WHERE MEN WHO HAVE BEEN THERE AND WHO DO NOT MINCE WORDS IN TELLING ABOUT IT.
THIS FIERCE UNFOLDING STORY OF WAR GOES ON DAY AND NIGHT, AND THE "STUDENTS" GRADUATE INTO A WORLD OF WAR.
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A24FX
BY LEIF ERICKSON (260)
SOMEWHERE IN KOREA, AUG.13-(AP)-TWO BRITISH WAR CORRESPONDENTS --IAN MORRISON AND CHRISTOPHER BUCKLEY--WERE BURIED WITH MILITARY HONORS TODAY BENEATH CEDAR TREES IN A PRESBYTERIAN MISSION COMPOUND.
THE BODY OF COL.M.K.UNNI NAYAR, INDIAN REPRESENTATIVE WITH THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON KOREA, WAS BURNED ON A FUNERAL PYRE IN THE RITES OF HIS HINDU FAITH.
THE THREE WERE KILLED SATURDAY WHEN THEIR JEEP HIT A LAND MINE ON THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION'S NAKTONG RIVER FRONT.
FELLOW CORRESPONDENTS WERE PALLBEARERS FOR MORRISON AND BUCKLEY.
BILLET ROOMMATES OF BUCKLEY RECALLED HOW HE HAD RETURNED DAILY, DUST-CAKED, FROM FAR SECTORS OF THE FIGHTING FRONT AND WAITED PATIENTLY BY A TELEPHONE TO DICTATE HIS STORIES TO TOKYO. HE WOULD READ A SLIM BOOK OF VERSE BY CANDLELIGHT AS HE WAITED HIS TELEPHONE TURN. BUCKLEY HAD COVERED CONFLICTS ALL AROUND THE WORLD FOR THE LONDON TELEGRAPH.
MORRISON WAS THE LONDON TIMES MAN--HANDSOME, EVEN-TEMPERED, ABLE AND THOROUGH.
SLIM COLONEL NAYAR HAD BEEN A FRIEND OF BOTH CORRESPONDENTS IN INDIA. THE COLONEL WAS A PARATROOPER VETERAN OF WORLD WAR II AND CAME TO KOREA FROM ASSIGNMENT AS INDIAN GOVERNMENT MILITARY ATTACHE IN WASHINGTON.
TWO PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARIES, EDWARD ADAMS AND ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, CONDUCTED THE SERVICES ALONGSIDE THE FLAG-DRAPED COFFINS OF MORRISON AND BUCKLEY. ONE MISSIONARY READ THE 23RD PSALM.
LT.COL.SAMUEL OVERSTREET, U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION CHAPLAIN, SAID THE FINAL PRAYER. TAPS SOUNDED AND A THREE VOLLEY SALUTE WAS FIRED.
C.KONKAPI, INDIAN REPRESENTATIVE WITH THE U.N.COMMISSION, PERFORMED THE HINDU FUNERAL RITES FOR COLONEL NAYER ON A KOREAN HILLSIDE.
COMMISSION CHAIRMAN HENRI BRIONVAL AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN ARMIES WERE PRESENT WITH A 200-MAN SOUTH KOREAN HONOR GUARD.
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A32FX
BY HAL BOYLE (500)
NEAR POHANG, KOREA, AUG.13-(AP)-A SLENDER, DARK-HAIRED KOREAN IS BREATHING FIRE INTO THE HEARTS OF YOUNG FELLOW COUNTRYMEN WHO WANT TO FIGHT AGAINST THE REDS.
HE IS COL.KIM HI CHE. THE NAME OF THIS 28-YEAR-OLD SOLDIER IS AYE KIND OF MAGIC. WHEREVER HE GOES, HIS TACTITURN PERSONALITY AND RECORD OF SUCCESS IN BATTLE DRAW PEOPLE TO HIM.
HE ISN'T POLITICALLY IMPORTANT AND HE NEVER SAW ACTION BEFORE THE REDS DROVE SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. BUT IN SIX WEEKS HE HAS BECOMI THE FIREMAN OF THE KOREAN FRONT.
EACH OF THE THREE AMERICAN DIVISIONS HE HAS SERVED WITH JEALOUSLY WANTS HIM BACK-AND SO DOES EVERY BRANCH OF THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.
THAT IS PROBABLY BECAUSE WHEREVER HIS BANNER HAS FLOWN THERE HAS PERCHED VICTORY. IT ISN'T JUST AN ORIENTAL TRAIT TO ADMIRE A WINNER. THE AMERICANS HAVE THE SAME FEELING. THAT IS WHY MAJOR GENERALS JOCKEY TO GET HIM ATTACHED TO THEM. THEY CAN COUNT ON HIM TO HELP THEM LOOK GOOD.
COLONEL KIM-THE NAMES KIM AND LEE ARE AS POPULAR HERE AS SMITH AND JONES IN AMERICA--COMMANDS THE 17TH SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENT. HE TOOK OVER ITS LEADERSHIP FIVE WEEKS AGO AFTER HIS SUPERIOR WAS WOUNDED.
KIM IS A KIND OF SELF SUFFICIENT ONE-MAN ARMY. HE KEEPS A CONSTANT FORCE OF SOME 2,300 FIGHTING MEN WITH HIM AND IMPROVISES HIS SUPPLY WHEN NECESSARY AS HE MARCHES.
SINCE IT WAS FOUND HE HAD A WINNING TALENT HE HAS BEEN USED AS A KIND OF LINE-BUCKLING FULLBACK.
ONE AMERICAN CAPTAIN ESTIMATED COLONEL KIM HAS MARCHED 2,000 MILES IN THE PAST FIVE WEEKS.
THE CAPTAIN A WIRE-STRUNG FOUR-LETTER MAN IN HIGH SCHOOL-SAID HE LOST 20 POUNDS JUST KEEPING UP WITH KIM'S REGIMENT.
OTHER SOUTH KOREAN UNITS DEPEND ON DRAFTEES OR REPLACEMENTS. BUT NOT KIM. HE USES CIVILIANS TO BRING HIS SUPPLIES INTO THE MOUNTAINS. THEN HE TELLS THEM:
"THOSE OF YOU WHO WANT TO GO WITH ME STAND THERE. THOSE WHO DON'T--GO BACK HOME."
PLENTY VOLUNTEER. TLIEN-KIM PICKS THOSE HE WANTS ON THE BASIS OF AGE AND STAMINA. THE REST ARE TURNED DOWN. HE DOESN'T SEND HIS RECRUITS TO THE REAR. THEY LEARN BY FIGHTING.
THE LOYALTY OF HIS MEN IS FANATICAL. WITH BULLETS STILL IN THEIR BODIES THEY REFUSE TO ADMIT THEY ARE WOUNDED.
AFTER A BATTLE HE MASSES THOSE HE THINKS ARE HURT AND FLOCKS HIS WRIST UPWARD. THEY STAND. HE FLICKS HIS WRIST DOWNWARD. THEY STOOP. HE MAKES THEM STAND AND STOOP UNTIL WEAKNESS DISCLOSES THOSE WHO CAN'T GO ON WITH HIM.

ONE MAN WITH FOUR WOUNDS-AND TWO BULLETS STILL IN HIM-MARCHED A MILE RATHER THAN LEAVE COLONEL HIM.

THE COLONEL DOESN'T PREACH DEMOCRACY OR ANY OTHER IDEOLOGY. HE JUST TELLS THEM:

"YOU ARE SUFFERING BUT YOUR FAMILIES ARE SUFFERING MORE. THE SOONER YOU WIN THE WAR THE LESS YOUR FAMILY WILL SUFFER"

AND THAT THEY UNDERSTAND AND FIGHT FOR. THEY ALL WANT TO GO ~~HOME AGAIN IN HONOR AND WITHOUT LOSS OF FACE TO THEIR FAMILY. HIS FAMILY IS EVERYTHING TO A KOREAN.~~

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HOME AGAIN IN HONOR AND WITHOUT LOSS OF FACE TO THEIR FAMILY. HIS FAMILY IS EVERYTHING TO A KOREAN.

KIM HIMSELF CAME ORIGINALLY FROM PYONGYANG, THE CAPITAL OF NORTH KOREA. HE, TOO, WANTS TO GO HOME AGAIN, WHEN THE WAR IS WON.

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POHANG (580)

BY TOM LAMBERT

POHANG AIRFIELD, KOREA, AUG.13-(AP)-THE U.S.AIR FORCE TODAY EVACUATED POHANG AIRFIELD AS ARMY TANKS AND GUNNERS BEGAN FIRING ON NORTH KOREAN SUSPECTS WITHIN 1,000 YARDS OF THE RUNWAY.

THE PILOT OF ONE OF THE LAST TRANSPORTS HAULING MEN AND EQUIPMENT FROM THIS FIELD SAID HIS PLANE WAS FIRED UPON AS HE TOOK OFF.

MEANWHILE, A SMALL U.S.ARMORED UNIT, SEEKING CONTACT WITH A SOUTH KOREAN FORCE, WAS REPORTED TO HAVE LOST ONE OF FOUR TANKS IN THE BLAZING TOWN OF POHANG, SIX MILES NORTHWEST OF THE AIRSTRIP.

THE TANKS WERE TRAPPED INSIDE THE TOWN BY A NORTH KOREAN ROAD BLOCK. THREE TANKS BROKE FREE.

EARLIER, A SOUTH KOREAN UNIT PASSED NORTHWARD THROUGH POHANG AND DREW ONLY SMALL-ARMS FIRE.

OWNERSHIP OF THE TOWN WAS CONFUSED.

BUT AT THE AIRFIELD, BRIG.GEN. JOSEPH SLADEN BRADLEY OF FT.BENNING, GA., HAS SET UP A DEFENSE PERIMETER. NORTH KOREANS PROBED AT THE LINE CONSTANTLY.

IN THE PAST SUCH PROBING OFTEN HAS PRECEDED ASSAULT.

AIR FORCE OFFICERS SAID THE FIELD WAS EVACUATED BECAUSE OF CONCERN THE REDS WOULD BRING UP ARTILLERY AND RENDER AIR OPERATIONS IMPOSSIBLE.

WITHIN THE PAST FEW DAYS REDS WITH SMALL ARMS HAVE FIRED FROM THE HILLS WEST OF THE FIELD ON AIRCRAFT LANDING OR TAKING OFF. U.S. FIGHTERS HAVE STRAFED AND ROCKETED RED POSITIONS WITHIN TWO MILES OF THE RUNWAY.

THIS AFTERNOON ARMY TANKS AND NEGRO-MANNED 40 MM GUNS HAMMERED AT SUSPECTED RED POSITIONS ABOUT 1,000 YARDS FROM THE RUNWAY ON THE SEA NORTHERN SIDE OF THE FIELD.

AIR EVACUATION OF POHANG AIRFIELD, WHICH MAY BE SUPPLEMENTED BY SEA, BEGAN THIS AFTERNOON.

GENE ZENIER, WARNER BROTHERS NEWSREEL CAMERAMAN AND THIS CORRESPONDENT FLEW INTO POHANG AIRFIELD WITH FIRST LTS. G.R.CUMMINGS OF 728 RUTHERFORD ST., SHREVEPORT, LA., AND A.C.PRONIER, 5988 W. 75TH ST., LOS ANGELES. THEIR C-47 CARRIED COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT FOR THE ARMY.

TO THE NORTH POHANG SMOULDERED. SMOKE ROSE SLUGGISHLY AND MINGLED WITH LOW CLOUDS.

TANKS WERE DUG IN ON THE EDGE OF THE RUNWAY. FOUR OTHERS WERE WADDLING NORTH TOWARDS THE CITY.

THERE WAS LITTLE CONFUSION DURING THE EVACUATION. [illegible] AERIAL SKY TRAIN OF C-47S LANDED STEADILY ON THE STEEL-MAT RUNWAY, TAXIIED TO PARKING STATIONS, WERE LOADED WITH SUPPLIES RANGING FROM FIELD KITCHENS TO CANNED BEER, AND TOOK OFF INTO THE LOWERING CLOUDS.

DOWN THE RUTTED ROAD FROM THE AIRFIELD, GENERAL BRADLEY, STRIPPED TO HIS UNDERSHIRT, KEPT IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH OPERATIONS.

THERE WAS A NOTICEABLE LACK OF REFUGEES WITHIN THE PERIMETER, WHICH IS FLANKED ON ONE SIDE BY THE SEA. SOME OF BRADLEY'S MEN WHO CLEANED OUT A VILLAGE WITHIN THE PERIMETER FOUND A THICK BOOK--WITH THE SOUTH KOREAN NATIONAL EMBLEM ON ONE COVER AND STALIN'S PICTURE ON THE OTHER--WHICH DETAILED SPECIFICALLY HOW GUERRILLAS SHOULD ORGANIZE AND OPERATE.

BACK AT THE AIRFIELD, WHICH WAS STRIPPED RAPIDLY OF TENTS AND EQUIPMENT, ONE GLOOMY SOLDIER SAID HE WANTED TO LEAVE BEHIND "ONLY THE LATRINES." SEVERAL OTHER G.I.'S MOODILY CHASED A CHICKEN ALONG THE EDGE OF THE FIELD AS THEY AWAITED ASSIGNMENT TO ONE OF THE PLANES TAKING AIRBASE PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT TO JAPAN.

ON THE NORTHERN EDGE OF THE FIELD TWO U.S. TANKS SUDDENLY BEGAN BLASTING AT SEVERAL MUD HUTS ABOUT 1,000 YARDS FROM THE RUNWAY. A NEGRO-MANNED 40 MM. GUN JOINED IN. THE HUTS FLARED RED AS THE CHARGES STRUCK. SEVERAL PERSONS RAN FROM ONE HUT AND NORTH ALONG THE BEACH ON WHICH THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION LANDED JULY 18.

TWO F-51S, THE LAST OF A FIGHTER UNIT WHICH HAD BEEN STATIONED HERE, TOOK OFF ACROSS THE BAY. THEY SNARLED BACK IN LOW SALUTING RUNS OVER THE FIELD, ROCKING FAREWELL WITH THEIR WINGS.

THE AIRFIELD AREA WAS ALMOST STRIPPED AS WE LEFT.

THE LOWERING CLOUDS WHICH BEGAN TO DRIZZLE A STEADY, DESOLATE RAIN.

THE LAST THING WE SAW AS WE LEFT WAS A U.S.FLAG, FLUTTERING SODDENLY FROM A POLE ATOP AN OLD CONCRETE AIRPLANE REVETMENT WHICH THE JAPANESE BUILT YEARS AGO.

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POHANG AIRFIELD

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BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH U.S. FORCES AT POHANG AIRFIELD, AUG. 13-(AP)-THE U.S. AIR FORCE TODAY EVACUATED THE POHANG AIR FIELD AS ARMY TANKS AND GUNNERS BEGAN FIRING ON NORTH KOREAN SUSPECTS WITHIN 1,000 FEET OF THE RUNWAY.

THE PILOT OF ONE OF THE LAST TRANSPORTS HAULING MEN AND EQUIPMENT FROM THIS FIELD SAID HIS AIRPLANE WAS FIRED ON AS HE TOOK OFF.

MEANWHILE, A RELATIVELY SMALL ARMORED UNIT UNDER BRIG. GEN. J. SLAYDEN BRADLEY OF FT. BENNING, GA., WAS REPORTED TO HAVE LOST ONE OF FOUR TANKS DURING A MISSION INTO BURNING POHANG.

THE PATROL WAS TRYING TO CONTACT A SOUTH KOREAN UNIT ENROUTE TO THE AREA TO BOLSTER AMERICAN TROOPS.

OWNERSHIP OF POHANG, SIX MILES NORTHWEST OF THE AIRFIELD, WAS CONFUSED. U.S. ARMY OFFICERS SAID A SMALL SOUTH KOREAN UNIT PASSED NORTHWARD THROUGH THE CITY TODAY DRAWING ONLY SCATTERED SMALL ARMS FIRE.

BUT THE U.S. ARMY TANKS WERE TRAPPED IN A ROAD BLOCK INSIDE THE CITY THREE BROKE LOOSE.

BRADLEY'S FORCE IS DEFENDING THE AIR STRIP. NORTH KOREAN FORCES PROBED ALL ALONG ITS DEFENSE PERIMETER.

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ABOARD A U.S. NAVY CARRIER OFF KOREA,AUG.12-(DELAYED)-(AP)-FLYING CLOSE SUPPORT FOR AMERICAN GROUND TROOPS, CARRIER-BASED U.S. MARINE PILOTS TODAY KNOCKED OUT NORTH KOREAN MORTAR POSITIONS LESS THAN 200 FEET FROM U.S. MARINE AND ARMY UNITS OF THE SOUTHERN FIGHTING FRONT.
MAJ.BILL LUNDIN OF CHICAGO SAID HE MADE FOUR DUMMY RUNS ON ONE MORTAR POSITION "TO LINE UP THE TARGET PROPERLY." THE TARGET, HE SAID, WAS LESS THAN 200 FEET FROM AN AMERICAN TANK.
LT.JIM DUNPHY OF BAYSIDE, N.Y., CAPT. JOHN SKORICK OF MARBLE, MINN., AND LT.STAN OSSERMAN OF LONG BEACH, CALIF.; JOINED IN RUNS ON CAMOUFLAGED TRUCKS AND ARMORED VEHICLES IN A BUILDING GUTTED BY FIRE.
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KOREAN AERIAL
TOKYO, MONDAY,AUG.14-(AP)-ALLIED AIRCRAFT STRUCK HARD SUNDAY AT NORTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS MASSING FOR AN EXPECTED MAJOR OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE, FAR EAST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY. STRAFING ATTACKS ALSO NETTED AN ESTIMATED 300 RED CASUALTIES NEAR THE FLAMING TOWN OF POHANG ON THE EAST COAST

CARRIER-BASED PLANES, USING THE NEWLY DEVELOPED "TINY TIM" ROCKET IN ACTION FOR THE FIRST TIME, DESTROYED 13 NORTH KOREAN LOCOMOTIVES, DAMAGED 23, BLEW UP EIGHT CARS LOADED WITH AMMUNITION, SET TWO FUEL OIL TRAINS AFIRE, AND STRAFED SEVEN CARS LOADED WITH TROOPS.
"TINY TIM" IS AN 11.75 INCH ROCKET DEVELOPED AFTER THE SECOND WORLD WAR.

FIGHTER PILOTS OF THE U.S. AND AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCES SPREAD A HAIL OF ROCKET AND MACHINEGUN FIRE ON RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE BUILD-UP AREA AROUND WAEGWAN, 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. HEADQUARTERS SAID THE FIGHTERS TOOK A "HEAVY TOLL."
WHILE TACTICAL AIRCRAFT ROAMED THE BATTLE ZONE, BIG SUPERFORT BOMBERS RANGED FAR NORTH ON STRATEGIC STRIKES. THEY HIT BRIDGES IN THE NORTH KOREAN'S BADLY HAMMERED RAILWAY SYSTEM AND A CHEMICAL PLANT.

THE 300 RED CASUALTIES WERE INFLICTED IN THE VICINITY OF ANGANG, SEVEN MILES SOUTHWEST OF POHANG, REPORTED ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD.
HE SAID THE AMERICAN FIGHTER PLANES SURPRISED SOME 1,000 NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IN AN OPEN PLAIN. PILOTS REPORTED THEY KILLED AND WOUNDED AT LEAST 300 OF THEM IN STRAFING ATTACKS.
B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS SUNDAY NIGHT BLASTED THE MARSHALLING YARDS AND COMMUNIST RADIO STATION AT SEOUL, FALLEN SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL. THE STATION WENT OFF THE AIR DURING THE ATTACK.
THE BOMBERS WERE FROM THE THIRD BOMB WING, STATIONED IN JAPAN.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THAT THE THIRD BOMB GROUP CONTINUED NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS AGAINST RED CONVOYS, FACTORIES AND OTHER TARGETS SATURDAY NIGHT AND SUNDAY MORNING.
NO U.S. OR AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT WERE LOST OR DAMAGED IN THE ATTACKS ON THE RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, A KOREAN AERIAL RELEASE SAID.
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AERIAL
TOKYO, AUG. 13-(AP)-U.S. FIGHTER PILOTS STRUCK TODAY AT NORTH KOREAN WAREHOUSES ON ROADS LEADING TO THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.
LIGHT BOMBERS ROARED OUT LAST NIGHT IN ATTACKS ON RED CONVOYS, FACTORIES, TANKS, GUN POSITIONS AND BRIDGES.

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TOKYO, AUG. 13-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG FIGHTER PLANES STRUCK TODAY AT NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND EQUIPMENT IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR OF THE WAEGWAN AREA.
PILOTS REPORTED HITTING SEVERAL CAMOUFLAGED VEHICLES.
IN THE SOUTHWEST ANOTHER FLIGHT DIVE-BOMBED RED TROOPS NEAR CHINJU AND DAMAGED TWO BRIDGES.
AFTER REFUELING AT A SOUTH KOREAN AIRBASE THEY STRAFED AND BOMBED NORTH KOREAN TROOPS PINNED DOWN IN A VALLEY BY ALLIED FIRE. ON THE WAY BACK THE AUSSIE PLANES KNOCKED OUT TWO TRUCKS.
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TOKYO,MONDAY,AUG.14-(AP)-A BRITISH DESTROYER RESCUED A SHOT-DOWN U.S. NAVY PILOT AFTER THE AMERICAN SPENT A NIGHT ON A ROCK IN THE ENEMY WATERS OF INCHON HARBOR ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA, A U.S. NAVAL SOURCE SAID TODAY.
THE PILOT,, ENS. ELMER A.MCCALLUM, JR., 27, OF BELVEDERE, CALIF., DITCHED HIS CARRIER-BASED CORSAIR IN THE HARBOR REDCENTLY AFTER IT WAS DAMAGED BY RED GROUND FIRE IN THE SEOUL AREA, 25 MILES INLAND FROM INCHON.
HE SWAM TO A ROCK IN THE HARBOR'S MIDCHANNEL. A SEARCHING AMPHIBIAN PLANE FAILED TO LOCATE MCCALLUM THAT NIGHT--HE WAS HIDING IN A CREVICE OF THE ROCK.
THE FLIER SAID LATER HE SAW MANY SIGNALS BUT COULDN'T ANSWER BECAUSE OF THE RISK OF FALLING INTO COMMUNIST HANDS.
THE DESTROYER FROM THE FORCE BLOCKADING THE KOREAN WEST COAST STEAMED INTO THE HARBOR THE NEXT DAY AND PICKED MCCALLUM OFF THE ROCK.
VICE ADM.ARTHUR D.STRUBLE, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET, SENT THIS MESSAGE TO REAR ADM.W.G.ANDREWES, COMMANDER OF THE WEST COAST BLOCKADE FORCE:
"YOUR PROMPT AND READY RESPONSE TO THE CALL TO RESCUE ONE OF OUR CARRIER PILOTS DOWN IN ENEMY WATERS WAS MOST GRATIFYING. THE PERFORMANCE OF H.M.S. (SHIP'S NAME DELETED) HAS THE RESPEDCT AND ADMIRATION OF THE SEVENTH FLEET. PLEASE PASS TO HER MY APPRECIATION."
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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG.14-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED EARLY TODAY A CONTINUING ENEMY BUILDUP IN THE WAEGWAN AREA ON THE KOREAN CENTRAL FRONT, "WITH HEAVY PRESSURE BEING EXERTED BY RED UNITS."
THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WAS CREDITED WITH DESTROYING UNDETERMINED NUMBERS OF REDS EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THAT

AREA.
A HEADQUARTERS RELEASE AT 12:50 A.M. (9:50 A.M., SUNDAY, EST), ALSO REPORTED A SERIOUS THREAT IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA, ALSO ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR.
IT SAID THREE UNDER-STRENGTH ENEMY REGIMENTS HAD REACHED THE RIVER NEAR CHANGNYONG BUT WERE "BEING CONTAINED BY THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION.
AN EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE FROM KOREA SAID EARLIER THAT SIX ENEMY ATTACKS HAD BEEN REPULSED IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA.
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TOKYO,MONDAY,AUG.14-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS TODAY REASSURED THE JAPANESE THE KOREAN WAR IS NOT COSTING THEM ANYTHING.
A PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THAT INSTEAD MORE THAN $30,000,000 (M) U.S. DOLLARS HAD BEEN SPENT IN JAPAN FOR SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS NEEDED BY UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.
"NO JAPANESE GOVERNMENT FUNDS BUDGETED FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE OCCUPATION FORCES ARE UTILIZED IN ANY WAY FOR SUPPORT OF INCREASED REQUIREMENTS CAUSED BY OPERATIONS IN KOREA, EVEN THOUGH THESE REQUIREMENTS ARE IN JAPAN PROPER," SAID THE STATEMENT.
THAT THE JAPANESE WERE BEING MADE TO PAY FOR A CONSIDERABLE PART OF THE WAR.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID MILITARY AUTHORITIES WOULD PAY FOR THE UPKEEP OF MAIN ROADS TO MILITARY INSTALLATIONS AND THE UNITED STATES WOULD PAY FOR RENTAL ON REAL ESTATE ACQUIRED TO SUPPORT KOREAN OPERATIONS.
TRAFFIC HAS INCREASED TO THE DETRIMENT OF SOME ROADS LEADING TO MILITARY INSTALLATIONS. THESE WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT'S FIVE-YEAR HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE PROGRAM.
IN OTHER WORDS, THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID, "THE UNITED STATES IS DETERMINED NOT TO ALLOW ACTION OF NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS EVEN INDIRECTLY TO INTERFERE WITH THE PRIMARY OCCUPATION MISSION IN JAPAN--REHABILITATION OF THE JAPANESE ECONOMY."
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FIRST LEAD MENZIES (260)
BY WILLIAM JORDEN
TOKYO,MONDAY,AUG.14-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES SAID TODAY THAT AUSTRALIA IS WORKING AS FAST AS IT CAN TO SPEED THE ASSIGNMENT OF GROUND FORCES TO KOREA.
"TIME," HE SAID, "IS REGARDED AS THE ESSENTIAL FACTOR."
MENZIES SAID HE COULD NOT GIVE ANY DETAILS AS TO THE SIZE OF THE AUSTRALIAN FORCE THAT WOULD BE SENT TO KOREA NOR WHEN IT WOULD ARRIVE.
THE AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER LANDED AT HANEDA AIRPORT EARLY TODAY AND WAS GREETED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR AND OTHER OFFICIALS.
"GLAD TO HAVE YOU HERE," SAID MACARTHUR AS HE SHOOK HANDS WITH MENZIES.
OTHERS AT THE AIRPORT WERE LT. GEN. SIR HOWARD ROBERTSON, BRITISH COMMONWEALTH FORCE COMMANDER; WILLIAM SEBALD, U.S. POLITICAL ADVISER; AND COL.W.R.HODGSON, AUSTRALIAN MISSION CHIEF AND COMMONWEALTH MEMBER OF THE ALLIED COUNCIL FOR JAPAN.
MENZIES SAID "IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR A NATION WITHOUG A LARGE STANDING ARMY TO DISPATCH ANY SIZABLE FORCE IN A SHORT TIME. BUT WE RECOGNIZE THAT SPEED IS ESSENTIAL IN THE KOREAN OPERATION. A SMALL FORCE SENT QUICKLY IS OF MORE VALUE THAN A LARGER FORCE DELAYED."
MENZIES, LEADER OF AUSTRALIA'S NEW CONSERVATIVE GOVERNMENT, SAID HE WAS TOLD HERE HE WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO VISIT THE KOREAN BATTLE ZONE.
"I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA TO SEE KOREA," MENZIES SAID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE, "BUT I UNDERSTAND THE PROSPECTS ARE NOT VERY BRIGHT."
MENZIES SAID HE WOULD VISIT AUSTRALIAN (TECHNICALLY BRITISH COMMONWEALTH) INSTALLATIONS IN JAPAN. HE PLANS TO GO TO KURE, HEADQUARTERS FOR THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OCCUPATION FORCES, TOMORROW. HE WILL INSPECT THE AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER SQUADRON BASED NEARBY, AS WELL AS THE NAVAL BASE.
MENZIES WILL BE MACARTHUR'S GUEST AT THE AMERICAN EMBASSY WHILE IN TOKYO.
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TOKYO, AUG. 13-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN PYONGYANG RADIO BROADCAST TODAY THAT RED TROOPS COMPLETED THE OCCUPATION OF POHANG LAST THURSDAY.
THE BROADCAST, MONITORED HERE, ASSERTED THAT 50 AMERICANS HAD BEEN KILLED AND 400 CAPTURED IN THE POHANG FIGHTING.
(U.S. FRONT LINE DISPATCHES TODAY DESCRIBED POHANG, KOREAN EAST COAST PORT ON THE SEA OF JAPAN, AS A "NO-MAN'S" LAND).
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TOKYO,AUG.13-(AP)-THE TEXT OF FAR EAST AIR FORCE OPERATIONAL SUMMARY NO.50 RELEASED AT 12:30 P.M. JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME (9:30 P.M. SATURDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):
B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES STRUCK HEAVY BLOWS AT THE NORTH KOREAN INDUSTRIAL POTENTIAL AND TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM YESTERDAY WHILE MAINTAINING, ALONG WITH THE ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIRFORCE, FULL SCALE TACTICAL SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND TROOPS IN THE SOUTH KOREAN BATTLE AREA.
SUPERFORTRESS STRIKES WERE LAUNCHED ON THE STRATEGIC BRIDGE SYSTEM, PORT FACILITIES, AND SUPPLY HANDLING POINTS, NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.
THE PRIMARY TARGET FOR FAR EAST AIR FORCES BOMBER COMMAND B-29 MEDIUM BOMBERS ON AUGUST 12 WAS THE IMPORTANT NORTH KOREAN PORT AND RAIL TRANSHIPMENT CENTER OF MAJIN (RASHINDO) ON THE NORTHEASTERN COAST 17 MILES FROM THE TUMEN RIVER.
MORE THAN 500 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED BY THREE SUCCESSIVE WAVES OF SUPERFORTRESSES. HEAVY CLOUD COVER OVER THE TARGET AREA MADE IT NECESSARY TO BOMB WITH RADAR SIGHTING AND PREVENTED ANALYSIS OF THE RESULTANT DAMAGE TO THE DOCKS AREAS, MARSHALLING YARD AND STORAGE FACILITIES FOR OIL AFD OTHER MILITARY SUPPLIES WHICH WERE THE OBJECTIVES OF THE BOMBER STRIKE.
POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION OF THE TARGET WAS MADE BY THE RADAR OPERATORS SINCE THE INDUSTRIAL OBJECTIVES WERE LOCATED ON A DISTINCTIVE PROMONTORY WHICH EXTENDS INTO THE JAPAN SEA.
SUPERFORTS STRUCK AT SEVERAL OTHER TARGETS NORTH OF 38TH PARALLEL, INCLUDING THE KEY MARSHALLING YARDS AT HAMHUNG ON THE EAST COAST RAIL LINE AND AT A RAIL SECTION OF THE EOGUL CHEMICAL PLANT AT KONAN (HUNGNAM) WHICH HAD NOT BEEN INCLUDED AS A TARGET IN THE PREVIOUS MAJOR ASSAULT ON AUGUST 3.
RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES GIVEN HIGH PRIORITY FOR ATTACK IN THE CURRENT EFFORT TO SLOW OR STOP THE FLOW OF COMMUNIST SUPPLIES AND REINFORCEMENTS WERE SUPERFORTRESS TARGETS FOR THE DAY.
TWO AND POSSIBLY THREE SPANS ON THE RAILWAY BRIDGE AT HWANGJU, 23 MILES SOUTH OF PYONGYANG, WERE DOWNED BY HIGH ALTITUDE BOMBING STRIKES AND A SECOND RAILROAD BRIDGE AT NAMSI, 29 MILES NORTHWEST OF SINANJU WAS SERIOUSLY DAMAGED. FULL REPORTS WERE NOT AVAILABLE ON OTHER BRIDGES ATTACKED BY THE SUPERFORTRESSES ON SATURDAY.

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AERIAL RECONNAISSANCE OF THE EAST COAST TRANSPORTATION NET HAS CONFIRMED THE PARALYZING EFFECT OF THE STRATEGIC INTERDICTION PROGRAM NOW IN PROGRESS. FLIGHTS OVER THE RAIL LINE FROM CHONGJIN TO WONSAN REPORTED A COMPLETE ABSENCE OF RAIL MOVEMENTS OVER THE ENTIRE ROUTE. MORE THAN 250 MILES OF THE MAIN RAIL WORK WERE SURVEYED WITHOUT SIGHTING A SINGLE SUPPLY TRAIN.

NIGHT COMBAT OPERATIONS, PARTICULARLY BY FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26S IN THE REAR OF THE BATTLE AREA, CONTINUED TO MOUNT IN IMPORTANCE AS DAYLIGHT AIR ACTIVITY FORCED THE NORTH KOREANS FORCES TO RELY ALMOST ENTIRELY ON NIGHT MOVEMENTS OF SUPPLIES AND TROOPS IN THE ZONES SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS ATTACKED NEARLY 100 TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY IN THEIR ASSIGNED SECTORS, INCLUDING TROOP AND SUPPLY CONVOYS, VEHICULAR CONCENTRATIONS, RAIL TARGETS AND TOWNS AND VILLAGES IN THE NORTH KOREAN-OCCUPIED AREAS WHICH ARE BEING USED AS OPERATIONAL BASES OR SUPPLY STORAGE DEPOTS.

A TRUCK CONVOY WAS BOMBED NEAR KUNSAN AND NUMEROUS OTHER CONVOYS BOMBED OR STRAFED IN CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN SECTORS. A CONVOY OF HALF-TRACKS PULLING ARTILLERY PIECES WAS HEAVILY STRAFED SEVEN MILES SOUTH OF CHONAN. THE B-26S ALSO HIT AND DAMAGED A POWER STATION AT PONGNYONG, NEAR MOKPO.

NIGHT MISSIONS WERE FLOWN TO KUNCHON, WONGDON, KUNSAN, KWANGJU, SUNCHON, SEOUL, INCHON, CHONJU AND TAEJON.

FIFTH AIR FORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE FIGHTERS FLYING IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS ON THE BATTLE FRONTS TOOK A HEAVY TOLL OF RED KOREAN TROOP AND MATERIAL STRENGTH.

NORTH KOREAN INFANTRY AND ARTILLERY UNITS WERE STRAFED AND BOMBED FROM LOW ALTITUDES IN ALL SECTORS. PARTICULARLY EFFECTIVE WAS THE COOPERATION BETWEEN GROUND AND AIR IN THE CHINJU AREA WHERE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS ON HIGH GROUND PINNING DOWN AMERICAN INFANTRY WITH CONTINUOUS FIRE, WERE ROCKETED WITH GOOD RESULTS.

NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE UNDER CONSTANT AIR ATTACK IN THE SINGAN AND TONGSAN AREAS. AT KUMCHON, A RAILROAD TUNNEL BEING USED AS A SHELTER BY GROUND TROOPS WAS HIT WITH ROCKETS CAUSING LARGE NUMBERS OF CASUALTIES. SIMILAR ATTACKS WERE CONCENTRATED IN THE KIGYE-POHANG SECTOR ON THE EAST COAST.

THIRTY-SIX TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES AND 10 TANKS WERE DAMAGED IN FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER STRIKES. FOUR ADDITIONAL TANKS NOT CLAIMED IN PILOT REPORTS WERE CREDITED TO THE FIGHTERS BY SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES.

TWO FUEL DUMPS WERE FIRED IN FIGHTER ATTACKS EAST OF CHINJU AND ANOTHER WAS LEFT BURNING 10 MILES NORTHEAST OF YOSU NEAR YONGDOK. THE FIGHTERS STRUCK AT A RADIO TRANSMITTER STATION AND SIX FISHING VESSELS AND SET FIRE TO FUEL AND SUPPLIES STORAGE FACILITIES IN THE SAME AREA.

FIGHTER ARMED RECONNAISSANCE SWEEPS WERE FLOWN TO THE MAJOR NORTH KOREAN AIRFIELDS AT PYONGYANG, YONPO, CUWON AND WONSAN.

NO NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT WERE OBSERVED ON THE GROUND OR IN THE AIR, BUT GROUND INSTALLATIONS WERE STRAFED AND DAMAGED AT YONPO AND WONSAN.

CARGO AIRLIFT FOR THE DAY WAS MORE THAN 152 TONS OF MILITARY SUPPLIES, MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND OTHER PRIORITY ESSENTIALS FOR THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES IN THE BATTLE ZONES.

NO NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED AND NO ONE OF OUR AIRCRAFT WAS LOST AS THE RESULT OF GROUND OR ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE, WHICH WAS REPORTED AS MODERATELY HEAVY IN SOME SECTORS.

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U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG.13-(AP)-THE TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO.38 ISSUED AT 9 P.M. (6 A.M., EST):

U.S.FORCES IN THE REAR AREA OF TASK FORCE KEAN WERE ENGAGED ALMOST EXCLUSIVELY TODAY IN FIGHTING SMALL POCKETS OF ENEMY TROOPS WHICH ARE CONTINUALLY HARASSING SUPPLY ROUTES AND LINES OF COMMUNICATIONS.

THE U.S. 19TH AND 34TH REGIMENTS, FIGHTING NUMERICALLY SUPERIOR ENEMY FORCES IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD, REPELLED SIX ENEMY ATTACKS TODAY. RESERVE ELEMENTS WERE ENGAGED IN REDUCING AN ENEMY POCKET OF 200 TROOPS IN THE REAR OF THE 34TH REGIMENT.

SEVERAL COMMUNIST CROSSINGS IN THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR WERE BROKEN UP, BUT SOME NORTH KOREAN TROOPS MANAGED TO GET ACROSS THE RIVER. THE DIVISION WAS ENGAGED TODAY IN HUNTING DOWN THESE DISORGANIZED FORCES.

ON THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) LEFT SECTOR NO ACTION OTHER THAN PATROLS WAS REPORTED. THERE WAS NO REPORT FROM THE POHANG AND YONGDOK AREAS.

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TOKYO,MONDAY,AUG.14-(AP)-TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 39, ISSUED AT 11:55 A.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (8:55 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SUNDAY):

UNITS IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR ARE STILL ENGAGED IN CLEARING ENEMY POCKETS FROM REAR AREAS. TOTAL STRENGTH OF THESE BY-PASSED COMMUNISTS IS NOW ESTIMATED AS ONE BATTALION.

THREE U.S. UNITS YESTERDAY CLEANED OUT THE ENEMY FORCE OF TWO BATTALIONS OUTSIDE THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD. THE MAJOR COMBAT ELEMENTS OF THE NORTH KOREAN 4TH DIVISION ARE BELIEVED TO BE IN THE BRIDGEHEAD. THERE IS STILL NO SIGN OF ENEMY MOVEMENT TO BUILD UP FORCES BEHIND THIS SECTOR.

A CROSSING OF 500 ENEMY TROOPS AT 5:30 A.M. TODAY INTO THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR HAS BEEN CONTAINED BY THE 7TH CAVALRY REGIMENT. U.S. FORCES EXPECT TO ELIMINATE THESE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS OR DRIVE THEM BACK INTO THE RIVER TODAY.

A BATTALION OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) 17TH REGIMENT CONTINUED ITS ATTACK TO THE NORTHEAST FROM MAGOK, AND OTHER ROK FORCES ATTACKED KIGYE THIS MORNING. THE ROK 18TH REGIMENT IS HITTING THE ENEMY IN THIS AREA FROM THE NORTHWEST. THE NORTH KOREAN UNIT IN THIS ACTION IS TENTATIVELY IDENTIFIED AS THE 12TH DIVISION.

THE ENEMY FORCE AT POHANG IS ESTIMATED AS ONE BATTALION. U.S. FORCES STILL HOLD THE AIRFIELD.

THE ROK 3RD DIVISION SOUTH OF YONGDOK REPULSED AN ATTACK OF BATTALION STRENGTH LAST NIGHT.

A NORTH KOREAN ATTACK IN REGIMENT STRENGTH AND SUPPORTED BY TWO TANKS WAS MADE AGAINST THE ROK 1ST DIVISION AT 8:45 A.M. (5:45 P.M. EST, SUNDAY).

AT LAST REPORT, THE ENEMY HAD NOT PENETRATED THE ROK POSITION.

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TOKYO, AUG.13-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.247 ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 1:50 P.M. (10:50 P.M. EST., SATURDAY):

PRECISION WORK OF TASK FORCE 77 CARRIER PILOTS PAID OFF YESTERDAY IN A HEAVY TOLL OF NORTH KOREAN ROLLING STOCK. TWENTY FIVE BOX CARS WERE EXPLODED, 27 WERE SET AFIRE AND 40 WERE DAMAGED. THREE LOCOMOTIVES WERE DESTROYED AND TWO DAMAGED. THREE TANK CARS WERE DAMAGED.

FIVE YAK AIRPLANES WERE DESTROYED ON THE GROUND AND FIVE OTHERS DAMAGED IN STRIKES THAT FOUND THE CARRIER-BASED PILOTS RAKING THE WESTERN SIDE OF KOREA BETWEEN THE 36TH AND 38TH PARALLELS.

IN ADDITION TO THE HEAVY TOLL OF ROLLING STOCK AND AIRPLANES, THE NAVY PANTHERS, SKYRAIDERS AND CORSAIRS BLASTED SUPPLY CENTERS, TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, GUN EMPLACEMENTS, FACTORIES, POWER STATIONS, TANKS AND TRUCKS. THE BAG OF TRUCKS FOR THE DAY WAS 22 DESTROYED.

A TOTAL OF 40 WAREHOUSES WERE EITHER DESTROYED OR DAMAGED.

TWO AMMUNITION DUMPS WERE BLOWN UP. TWO POWER STATIONS WERE DESTROYED. THE MARSHALLING YARD AT SEOUL WAS DAMAGED. A HANGAR AT KIMPO WAS DAMAGED. ONE OIL TANK AND ONE RAIL STATION WERE DESTROYED. THREE SUPPLY DUMPS WERE DESTROYED. THREE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE NEUTRALIZED. FOUR FACTORIES WERE DAMAGED. ONE RAILROAD STATION WAS DAMAGED. TWENTY-FOUR HORSECARTS WERE DESTROYED. TWO ANTIAIRCRAFT GUN EMPLACEMENTS WERE NEUTRALIZED. ONE BRIDGE WAS KNOCKED OUT AND ONE DAMAGED. ONE TRANSFORMER STATION WAS DESTROYED. ELEVEN TANKS WERE DAMAGED. ONE AMMUNITION TRUCK WAS EXPLODED.

CARRIER-BASED MARINE PILOTS CONTINUED IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES IN TASK FORCE KEAN IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR BLASTING TROOP AND VEHICLE CONCENTRATIONS. A LARGE TROOP CONCENTRATION COVERING THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE ROAD TO NOLACHON WAS NEUTRALIZED. TWENTY-ONE VEHICLES AND A SUPPLY DUMP IN THE SAME AREA WERE DAMAGED. THE ENEMY-OCCUPIED VILLAGE OF TUNDOK WAS SET AFIRE AND DESTROYED BY NAPALM. TWO AMMUNITION DUMPS NEAR CHOJEN WERE SET AFIRE. A LARGE NUMBER OF TROOPS ON A SLOPE NORTH OF KOGAN WERE STRAFED.

SUPPLY LINES ROLLING FROM NORTH KOREA TO FORCES AROUND THE CITIES OF YONGDOK AND POHANG WERE SEVERELY DAMAGED LAST NIGHT BOTH AT SEA AND ON LAND ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA BY BLOCKADING U.S.SHIPS. BLOCKADING FORCES CRUISING OFF MAYANG TRAPPED TUGS TOWING THREE BARGES AND TWO MOTOR VESSELS CARRYING SUPPLIES. IN THE FIRING THAT FOLLOWED THE BARGES WERE LEFT AWASH AND IN A SINKING CONDITION WHILE THE MOTOR VESSELS WERE BEACHED BY THEIR CREWS IN AN EFFORT TO ESCAPE THE GUNFIRE.

OFF YONGDOK THE BLOCKADING FORCES SPOTTED A TRUCK LINE OF 50 VEHICLES ON THE SHORE ROAD. THE TRUCK LINE WAS SHATTERED BY THE GUNFIRE AND MANY OF THE VEHICLES DESTROYED OR DISABLED.

ROAD BLOCKS, TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND JUNCTIONS WERE ALSO SHELLED BY THE BLOCKADING FORCE IN THE VICINITY NORTH OF YONGDOK.

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TOKYO, AUG.13-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 248 ISSUED AT 5:30 P.M. (2:30 A.M., EST) BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:

U.S.AIR FORCE FIGHTER PILOTS CONCENTRATED ON ATTACKING MILITARY BUILDINGS WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE IN MISSIONS FLOWN SUNDAY, AUG.13. MOST OF THE BUILDINGS WERE WAREHOUSES CONTAINING DAY TO DAY SUPPLIES FOR THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES.

FIRST LT.DONALD L.GOEDERING, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., FLEW HIS F-80 JET TO KORYONG, WEST OF TAEGU, AND WAS DIRECTED BY THE CONTROLLER TO ONE OF THE WAREHOUSES. "WE GOT OUR ROCKETS OFF NICELY AND LEFT FOUR BUILDINGS BURNING," HE SAID.

THERE WAS SUPPOSED TO BE 20 MM. FLAK IN THE AREA. BUT LIEUTENANT GOEDERING SAID SOME OF THE OTHER FLIERS MUST HAVE PUT THE GUN POSITIONS OUT OF ORDER BEFORE HE ARRIVED. "WE WATCHED FOR THE FLAK AND THERE WASN'T ANY," HE SAID.

FIRST LT.LEONARD A.LEVIN, OWOSSO, MICH., ANOTHER F-80 PILOT, WAS DIRECTED AFTER VEHICLES ON THE ROAD BETWEEN TUKSONG AND YARO. "WHEN WE GOT THERE WE FOUND THEM ALREADY BURNED OUT BY AN EARLIER AIR ATTACK" HE SAID. "WE SET FIRE TO A COUPLE OF BUILDINGS AT YARO."

CAPT.JAMES E.ANDERSON, CHATEM, LA. FLEW HIS "SHOOTING STAR" IN STRAFING RUNS ON SOME BIG BUILDINGS IN TUKSONG. "WE STRAFED THEM WITH 50S AND LEFT SEVERAL BURNING," HE SAID.

THE THIRD BOMB GROUP WITH ITS B-26S CONTINUED ITS NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS AGAINST COMMUNIST CONVOYS, FACTORIES AND OTHER TARGETS SATURDAY NIGHT AND EARLY SUNDAY MORNING.

FIRST LT.ROBERT MARTIN, 901 FREEMAN PLACE, TUCSON, ARIZ., AND HIS CREW PARTICULARLY HAD A GOOD NIGHT. THEY SCORED ON A BRIDGE NEAR SEOUL, CAUSING TWO EXPLOSIONS, STRAFED A GUN BATTERY AND DAMAGED SIX BUILDINGS AT INCHON AND HIT A TANK EAST OF YONGDONG. "THE TANK WAS BURNING WHEN I LEFT IT, AND LATER CONFIRMED TO BE OUT OF COMMISSION," HE SAID.

FIRST LT.MONTE BALLEW, SHREVEPORT, LA., MADE HITS ON SEVEN TRUCKS IN THE TAEJON AREA. "IT ISN'T EASY TO SEE AT NIGHT, BUT THERE WAS NO MISTAKING THOSE TRUCKS," HE SAID.

ALSO FLYING A B-26, FIRST LT. WAYNE A.YOEMAN, 1110 SPRINGDALE ROAD, AUSTIN, TEXAS, FURTHER HARASSED THE ENEMY BY FIRING ON TRUCKS, A JEEP AND A TANK SOUTHEAST OF SEOUL. "I MADE SEVERAL BOMBING RUNS AND AM SATISFIED THAT CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE WAS DONE," HE SAID.

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TOKYO, MONDAY,AUG.14-(AP)-THE TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S KOREAN RELEASE NO.249, ISSUED AT 12:50 A.M. TODAY (9:50 A.M.SUNDAY, EST):

AMERICAN INFANTRY AND MARINES CONSOLIDATED THEIR GAINS IN THE CHINJU SECTOR. INFILTRATION STILL REMAINED A THREAT TO THE MISSION OF TASK FORCE KEAN AS NORTH KOREAN RESISTANCE STIFFENED.

THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION REPORTED THAT AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF COMMUNIST TROOPS CROSSING THE NAKTONG RIVER HAVE BEEN DESTROYED OR SCATTERED. ENEMY BUILDUP CONTINUED IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, WITH HEAVY PRESSURE BEING EXERTED BY RED UNITS.

IN THE NORTHERN SECTOR, ENEMY ACTIVITY WAS REPORTED QUIET WITH LIGHT PATROL ACTIONS AND REPORTS INDICATING THAT ENEMY STRENGTH WAS "THINNING." THE TOTAL ENEMY TROOPS IN THE POHANG-KIGYO AREA IS ESTIMATED AT TWO REGIMENTS. AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREAN UNITS ARE HOLDING FIRM IN THE AREA AND REPULSING NORTH KOREAN ATTACKS.

THE MOST SERIOUS THREAT TO THE DEFENSE AREA REMAINED IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA WHERE REPORTS INDICATED THREE UNDERSTRENGTH ENEMY REGIMENTS HAVE BREACHED THE RIVER. HOWEVER THESE COMMUNIST TROOPS WERE BEING CONTAINED BY THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION.

DURING THE DAY (12-13 AUGUST) SOUTH KOREAN UNITS ESTIMATED THAT THE ENEMY SUFFERED 1,588 CASUALTIES AND 101 PRISONERS OF WAR. AMERICAN UNITS REPORTED THEY HAD INFLICTED 530 CASUALTIES AND TAKEN 35 PRISONERS OF WAR."

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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG 14-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 250, ISSUED AT 12:40 P.M., (JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME--9:40 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME SUNDAY) FOLLOWS:

U.S. FAR EAST AIRFORCES AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE COMBAT AIRCRAFT CONTINUED TO MOUNT SUCCESSFUL DAY AND NIGHT STRIKES AT NORTH KOREAN TACTICAL AND STRATEGIC TARGETS ON AUG. 13.

PRIMARY ATTENTION WAS PLACED ON DIRECT SUPPORT OF U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS FIGHTING TO REPEL NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST INFILTRATIONS IN THE WEST CENTRAL AND NORTHEAST SECTORS OF THE DEFENSE LINES.

FIFTH AIR FORCE AND RAAF FIGHTERS LAID DOWN A CONSTANT BARRAGE OF MACHINEGUN AND ROCKET FIRE DIRECTED AT NORTH KOREAN EQUIPMENT AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER AND IN THE POHANG-KIGYE-YONGDOK SECTOR TO THE NORTHEAST.

NORTH KOREAN CASUALTIES FROM AIR ASSAULTS IN THE POHANG-KIGYE-YONGDOK SECTOR ALONE WERE ESTIMATED AT MORE THAN 300 AND SIMILAR HEAVY TOLLS WERE TAKEN IN STRIKES NORTH AND SOUTH OF WAEGWAN ON THE NAKTONG LINE.

THE AIRSTRIP NEAR POHANG HAS BEEN CLOSED BECAUSE OF HARASSING ENEMY GROUND FIRE AT AIRCRAFT FLYING NORMAL TRAFFIC PATTERNS. ALL ASSIGNED AIRCRAFT HAVE BEEN MOVED TO POSITIONS WHICH WILL PERMIT MORE EFFECTIVE UTILIZATION WITHOUT THE THREAT OF GROUND FIRE ON LANDING AND TAKE-OFF.

CLAIMED TOTALS FOR NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL DAMAGED IN FIGHTER STRIKES INCLUDED EIGHT TANKS, 56 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, TWO LOCOMOTIVES, TW SUPPLY DUMPS, TEN WAREHOUSES, THREE BRIDGES AND FIVE GUN EMPLACEMENTS.

U.S. MARINE PILOTS, FLYING UNDER THE OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF THE FIFT AIR FORCE AND RECEIVING TARGET INSTRUCTIONS FROM AIR FORCE GROUND AND AIR CONTROLLERS, BOMBED AND STRAFED TROOPS IN THE SOUTV

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RAAF FIGHTER OPERATIONS IN THE CHINJU AREA RESULTED IN DAMAGE TO TWO SMALL BRIDGES AND SEVERAL VEHICLES. THE MUSTANGS FIRED A FUEL DUMP AND STRAFED NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IN HILL POSITIONS, CAUSING CASUALTIES.

FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS SCORED IN NIGHT INTRUDER ATTACKS ON CONVOYS, MARSHALLING YARDS AND ENEMY TROOP AND SUPPLY DISTRIBUTION CENTERS AT NUMEROUS POINTS BEHIND THE LINES. NIGHT STRIKES WERE FLOWN TO THE AREAS CENTERING AROUND SEOUL, CHINJU, CHONGJU, KWANGJU, TAEJON, YECHON AND ANDONG. FIRES WERE STARTED IN SEVERAL TOWNS AND VILLAGES HOUSING COMMUNIST TROOPS AND THE SEOUL RADIO STATION, ONE TARGET FOR TH LIGHT BOMBER ATTACKS, WENT OFF THE AIR AFTER A BOMB DROP.

B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES OF THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND FLEW MISSIONS AGAINST SELECTED KEY BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. A RAILROAD BRIDGE AT POKKYE THREE MILES NORTHWEST OF PYONGGANG ON THE IMPORTANT SEOUL-WONSAN RAIL LINE, LOST ONE SPAN DURING A SUPERFORTRESS ATTACK AN OTHER BRIDGES WERE DAMAGED. FULL REPORTS ON ALL BRIDGES HIT DURING THE DAY WERE NOT AVAILABLE.

THE B-29S STRUCK AGAINST REMOTE PORTIONS OF THE KOREAN CHEMICAL PLANT STILL RATED AS OPERATIONAL AFTER THE EARLIER SUCCESSFUL BOMBING OF THE MAIN PLANT. THE BOMBS LANDED SQUARELY IN THE TARGET AREAS, BUT A FINAL EVALUATION OF THE RESULTS WILL DEPEND ON PHOTOGRAPHIC RECONNAISSANCE.

FURTHER SUPERFORTRESS ATTACKS WERE MADE ON THE WEST RAILROAD BRIDGE AT SEOUL, WHICH HAS UNDERGONE SEVERE DAMAGE IN MANY PREVIOUS STRIKES. DIRECT HITS WERE SCORED, CAUSING FURTHER DAMAGE TO THE STRUCTURE, BUT THE BRIDGE WAS OBSERVED TO BE STILL STANDING AND WAS PRESUMED TO BE AT LEAST PARTIALLY USABLE.

NO AMERICAN OR AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT WERE LOST OR DAMAGED IN THE COURSE OF OPERATIONS AND ALL RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MORE THAN 129 TONS OF PRIORITY MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT WERE AIRLIFTED TO KOREA IN FIFTH AIR FORCE CARGO FLIGHTS DURING THE DAY.

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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG 14-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 251, TIMED AT 1:50 P.M., (10:50 P.M., SUNDAY, EASTERN STANDARD TIME):

AMERICAN ARMOR IS FIGHTING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF SOUTH KOREAN AND UNITED STATES FORCES TO CLEAR THE POHANG AREA OF COMMUNIST TROOPS. THE SITUATION IN THIS AREA, FROM THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES POINT OF VIEW, IS GENERALLY SATISFACTORY.

ON THE SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF THE LINE, MARINE ELEMENTS OF TASK FORCE KEAN REACHED THEIR OBJECTIVE BY OCCUPYING THE HIGH GROUND SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU.

THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION LAUNCHED A COORDINATED ATTACK AT DAWN DESIGNED TO DRIVE THE REDS SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG BACK INTO THE RIVER. OVER THE LAST 24 HOURS THE COMMUNISTS HAD SUCCEEDED IN REINFORCING THIS CROSSING BY A THIRD REGIMENT. LATEST REPORTS ARE THAT THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION ATTACK IS PROCEEDING SATISFACTORILY. TWO ENEMY ROAD BLOCKS, PREVIOUSLY HELD ON YONGSAN-PUGONG ROAD HAVE BEEN ELIMINATED.

SOUTH OF WAEGWAN, THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION YESTERDAY ATTACKED SEVERAL SMALL POCKETS OF THE ENEMY WHICH HAD SUCCEEDED IN CROSSING THE NAKTONG ON THE NIGHT OF AUG. 12-13. DURING THE DAY THIS DIVISION KILLED 125 COMMUNISTS AND TOOK 13 PRISONERS.

THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) 3RD DIVISION REPULSED A LIMITED SCALE ATTACK IN THE YONGDOK AREA. ELSEWHERE ALONG THE FRONT ACTION WAS RELATIVELY LIGHT.

CARRIER-BASED AIRCRAFT OF THE 7TH FLEET FLEW 150 SORTIES ON BOMBING AND STRAFING MISSIONS AT ONGJIN, SUNCHON, PYONGYANG-KAESONG, CHINMAN, KUMCHON, AND SEOUL. RESULTS REPORTED THE DESTRUCTION OF TEN LOCOMOTIVES, 46 VEHICLES, 23 BOXCARS, AND TWO FUEL OIL TRAINS, AND THE DAMAGE OF AN ADDITIONAL 13 LOCOMOTIVES, 27 VEHICLES, 138 RAILROAD CARS, THREE TRAINS AND EIGHT VESSELS.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS FLEW 172 SORTIES ON BOMBING AND STRAFING AND GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS IN THE KOREAN BATTLE AREA. PRELIMINARY STRIKE REPORTS OF THESE OPERATIONS INDICATE THAT THREE TANKS, 14 TRUCKS, 13 VEHICLES, ONE LOCOMOTIVE AND TWO VILLAGES HOUSING TROOPS WERE DESTROYED; AND THAT SIX TANKS, 18 TRUCKS, 11 VEHICLES, ONE LOCOMOTIVE, SIX WAREHOUSES, TWO SUPPLY DUMPS AND TWO SMALL BRIDGES WERE DAMAGED.

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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 14-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 252, ISSUED AT 2 P.M. JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (11 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIEM SUNDAY) FOLLOWS:

U.S.NAVY CARRIER PLANES OF TASK FORCE 77 WENT TO WORK AGAIN YESTERDAY ON NORTH KOREAN ROLLING STOCK WITH DEVASTATING RESULTS.

"TINY TIM," A 12-INCH ROCKET, WAS USED FOR THE FIRST TIME.

THIRTEEN LOCOMOTIVES WERE DESTROYED AND 23 WERE DAMAGED. IN THE

VICINITY OF SAEJU TWO FUEL OIL TRAINS WERE SET AFIRE, WITH SMOKE VISIBLE FROM 69 MILES. AT SINANJU THE MARSHALLING YARD AND THREE TRAINS WERE WORKED OVER WITH ROCKETS AND NAPALM (FIRE BOMBS), WITH MAJOR DAMAGE TO ALL.
MANY FIRES WERE STARTED AMONG 100 BOXCARS AT SONGJAN.
NEAR YONTAN, SEVEN COACH CARS LOADED WITH TROOPS WERE HEAVILY STRAFED, AND EIGHT BOXCARS LOADED WITH AMMUNITION WERE BLOWN UP. ELSEWHERE, A TOTAL OF 15 BOXCARS WERE DESTROYED AND 21 BADLY DAMAGED.
AT CHINNAMPO AN LST-TYPE VESSEL AND A MINESWEEPER WERE EXPLODED AND A 200-FOOT FREIGHTER AND A PREVIOUSLY DAMAGED LIBERTY-TYPE VESSEL WERE SET AFIRE. DEPTH BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON A CHEMICAL PLANT AND ON A SMELTING PLANT AT CHINNAMPO WITH RESULTING LARGE FIRES AND EXPLOSIONS.

THE DAY'S TALLY FOR THE NAVY PILOTS OF PANTHERS, CORSAIRS, AND SKYRAIDERS INCLUDED 34 TRUCKS DESTROYED, 10 OF THEM AT PYONGTAEK LOADED WITH AMMUNITION, AND 17 BADLY DAMAGED. FOUR RAILROAD WARE-HOUSES WERE DESTROYED AND ONE DAMAGED. TWO POWER STATIONS WERE BADLY DAMAGED. TWO FACTORIES WERE DESTROYED. ONE BRIDGE, AT CHUNGJU, WAS KNOCKED OUT WITH A "TINY TIM." ONE GUN EMPLACEMENT WAS DESTROYED AND ANOTHER WAS DAMAGED. DIRECT BOMB HITS WERE SCORED ON A SUPPLY DUMP AT HAEJU AND ON WAREHOUSES IN THE MARSHALLING YARDS. LARGE FIRES WERE STARTED IN AN OIL STORAGE AREA AT PYONGYANG.
IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR, CARRIER-BASED MARINE PILOTS FLYING CORSAIRS CONTINUED CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES OF TASK FORCE KEAN.
THE MARINE FLYERS DESTROYED SEVEN TRUCKS, TWO TANKS AND A FUEL STORAGE DUMP. THEY ALSO BLASTED, WITH ROCKETS, BOMBS, NAPALM, AND 20 MM CANNON FIRE, TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN SIX VILLAGES IN THE VICINITY OF SACHON.
THE NAVAL BLOCKADE AND SUPPORT FORCE OPERATING OFF THE EAST COAST OF KOREA CONTINUED WITH ITS PROGRAM OF SUPPORT AND INTERDICTION FIRE, WORKING CLOSELY WITH SHORE FIRE CONTROL PARTIES. ROAD JUNCTIONS AND VEHICLE TRAFFIC ALONG THE COAST ROAD WERE THE PRINCIPAL TARGETS FOR UNITS PATROLLING TO THE NORTH.
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LONDON, AUG 13-(AP)-TEXTS OF TODAY'S NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIQUES, AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE: (ABOUT 260)
MORNING COMMUNIQUE--
ON ALL FRONTS THE UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUE TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.
ON THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER NAKTONG, THE ENEMY TRIED SEVERAL TIMES TO PASS OVER THE COUNTEROFFENSIVE. HOWEVER, THESE ATTEMPTS WERE PREVENTED BY UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY.
ON THE EAST COAST UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH LIBERATED KIGYE, SITUATED WEST OF POHANG, WITH THE SUPPORT OF LOCAL PARTISAN DETACHMENTS, ARE STRIKING HEAVY BLOWS AGAINST THE ENEMY AND CONTINUING THE OFFENSIVE.
ON THE SOUTH COAST, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, IN CLOSE COOPERATION WITH VARIOUS TYPES OF TROOPS, ARE STRIKING BLOWS AT THE STUBBORNLY RESISTING AMERICAN TROOPS.
EVENING COMMUNIQUE--
ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUE TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH LIBERATED THE TOWN OF KIGYE ON THE EAST COAST ARE CONTINUING THEIR OFFENSIVE. HAVING IN THIS AREA SURROUNDED THE STUBBORNLY RESISTING ENEMY, THEY COMPLETELY LIBERATED THE TOWN OF POHANG, AN IMPORTANT STRATEGIC CENTER AND IMPORTANT TOWN ON THE EAST COAST AND ALSO ONE OF THE ENEMY'S IMPORTANT PORTS.
IN THE FIGHTING FOR THE LIBERATION OF THE TOWN OF POHANG, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY TOOK MORE THAN 400 ENEMY SOLDIERS PRISONER, INCLUDING MANY AMERICANS. LARGE QUANTITIES OF WAR MATERIAL WERE CAPTURED. UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY IN THIS AREA ARE NOW PURSUING THE ENEMY.
ON THE OTHER FRONTS THERE WAS NO PARTICULAR CHANGE.
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TOKYO,MONDAY,AUG.14-(AP)-MORE THAN 39,000 JAPANESE HURRIED TO FILE APPLICATIONS FOR 75,000 JOBS WITH THE NEWLY AUTHORIZED RESERVE POLICE FORCE, THE GOVERNMENT REPORTED TODAY.
GENERAL MACARTHUR RECENTLY AUTHORIZED A RESERVE FORCE OF 75,000 TO INSURE DOMESTIC LAW AND ORDER WITHIN JAPAN. IT WILL REPLACE THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION FORCE TROOPS WHO HERETOFORE HAVE BEEN THE MAIN GUARANTEE AGAINST POSSIBILITY OF WIDESPREAD DOMESTIC TURMOIL.
FIRST APPLICATIONS WERE RECEIVED SATURDAY AND THE FIRST CANDIDATES WERE PROCESSED TODAY.
JAPANESE PRESS REPORTS SAID THAT A NUMBER OF FORMER NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS IN THE JAPANESE ARMY WERE AMONG THE CANDIDATES. A LARGE PERCENTAGE OF THE APPLICANTS WERE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES.
NEWS PAPERS SAID THE APPLICANTS WERE ATTRACTED BY A STARTING SALARY OF 5,000 YEN MONTHLY (ABOUT $14) AND A RETIREMENT ALLOWANCE OF 60,000 YEN AFTER TWO YEARS SERVICE.
AFTER BEING SCREENED CAREFULLY TO PREVENT INFILTRATION OF COMMUNISTS, THE NEW RESERVE POLICE WILL BEGIN EXTENSIVE TRAINING.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME TONIGHT SUNDAY, AUG. 13).
(ADVANCE) LONDON, AUG. 13-(AP)-FORMATION OF A "FRIENDS OF SPAIN," ORGANIZATION TO STRIVE FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF FULL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH GENERALISSIMO FRANCO WAS ANNOUNCED TONIGHT BY SIR ALEXANDER ROGER, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE FEDERATION OF BRITISH INDUSTRIES.
THE ORGANIZATION IS "NON-SECTARIAN, VOLUNTARY AND SELF-APPOINTED," SAID ROGER, WHO HAS BEEN ELECTED PRESIDENT. AMONG THE FOUNDERS, HE ADDED, ARE BUSINESSMEN, SCIENTISTS, OFFICERS OF MILITARY AND NAVAL SERVICES AND A NUMBER OF FORMER AMBASSADORS.
MEANWHILE, 22 POLITICAL LEADERS FROM NINE WESTERN NATIONS SIGNED A RESOLUTION AT STRASBOURG, FRANCE, CALLING FOR FREE ELECTIONS IN SPAIN.
FORMER FRENCH PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT AND LORD LAYTON, BRITISH LIBERAL LEADER, WERE AMONG THE SIGNERS.
THE RESOLUTION WAS SUBMITTED TO THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY.
OTHER SPONSORS OF THE RESOLUTION ARE FROM WESTERN GERMANY, ITALY, BELGIUM, GREECE, TURKEY, NORWAY AND LUXEMBOURG.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SUNDAY AUG. 13)
(ADVANCE) LONDON, MONDAY, AUG. 14-(AP)-WINSTON CHURCHILL TODAY URGED THAT PARLIAMENT BE RECALLED FROM ITS SUMMER RECESS BEFORE THE SEPT. 12 DATE SET BY PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE.
CHURCHILL SAID SEPT. 12 "IS ALTOGETHER TOO REMOTE AND BEARS NO RELATION TO THE CRISIS AND THE NEW FACTS WHICH ARE BEFORE US."
CLEMENT DAVIES, LIBERAL PARTY LEADER, ALSO REQUESTED AN EARLIER

SESSION, PREFERABLY WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY OF THIS WEEK. THEIR REQUEST WERE CONTAINED IN LETTERS TO THE PRIME MINISTER RELEASED TODAY.

ATTLEE, WHO CALLED PARLIAMENT BACK LAST FRIDAY, SAID IN A REPLY SENT TO CHURCHILL'S HOME THAT ALL RELEVANT FACTS HAD BEEN CONSIDERED WHEN HE FIXED THE DATE FOR RECONVENING.

NOTING THAT NEITHER CHURCHILL, THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY LEADER, NOR DAVIES GAVE SPECIFIC REASONS FOR THEIR PREFERENCE FOR AN EARLIER SESSION, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID HE WOULD BE GLAD TO HAVE THEM CALL ON HIM AND PERSONALLY EXPLAIN THEIR MOTIVES. ALL THE LETTERS WERE ADDRESSED SUNDAY.

Churchill, who had a telephone conference with Davies [redacted] morning, wrote in part to Attlee:

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"I thank you for the intimation I received from you about the recall of Parliament. I feel, however, that the date you propose, Sept. 12, is altogether too remote and bears no relation to the crisis and the new facts which are before us. I have, therefore, to ask you on behalf of the Conservative Party to be so kind as to consider the recall of Parliament in a week or 10 days at the latest."

In his reply, Attlee said:

"The decision to recall Parliament on Sept. 12 was, of course, taken after full consideration of the relevant facts. Your letter does not disclose any particular reason why an earlier date should be chosen. If you would care to come to see me to explain why you think that this is necessary, I should, of course, be glad to see you and to consider what you have to tell me with my colleagues."

In his letter to the prime minister, Davies said that he and his Liberal Party associates are of the opinion that "in view of the seriousness of the world situation that Parliament should not have adjourned at the end of July, and certainly not for as long a period as 10 weeks."

Attlee's reply to Davies was almost the same as the one to Churchill.

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STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 13-(AP)-A FREE UNITED STATES OF AFRICA WAS PROPOSED TODAY BY THREE MEMBERS OF THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY.

BRITISH LABORITE R. A. G. MACKAY AND FRENCH SENEGALESE LEADERS LEOPOLD SENGHOR AND OUSMANE DIOP SOCE DRAFTED THE PROPOSAL FOR ASSEMBLY CONSIDERATION.

MACKAY IS A MEMBER OF THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT. SENGHOR IS A FRENCH DEPUTY AND DIOP SOCE IS A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF THE REPUBLIC, FRANCE'S UPPER HOUSE.

THE PROPOSAL ASKS EUROPEAN COLONIAL POWERS TO PREPARE TO WITHDRAW THEIR TROOPS FROM AFRICAN SOIL AND TO APPROVE THE HOLDING OF CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLIES LEADING TO FULL INDEPENDENCE.

AN ALL-AFRICAN ASSEMBLY WOULD THEN BE CALLED TO DISCUSS THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A UNITED STATES OF AFRICA. THE ALL-FRICAN ASSEMBLY AND THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY WOULD SET UP A PERMANENT JOINT COMMISSION TO PROMOTE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL COOPERATION BETWEEN EUROPEANS AND AFRICANS.

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KARLSRUHE, GERMANY, AUG. 13-(AP)-DR.HERMANN PUENDER, SPEAKER OF THE GERMAN DELEGATION AT THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY, SAID TODAY EQUAL CONDITIONS FOR GERMANY ARE A CONDITION FOR GERMAN PARTICIPATION IN A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY.

"THERE IS NO QUESTION OF GERMANS BEING USED AS CANON FODDER," PUENDER TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE.

PUENDER CAME TO KARLSRUHE WITH 11 OTHER DELEGATES TO THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY IN STRASBOURG, FRANCE, TO MEET VICE CHANCELLOR FRANZ BLUECHER AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE WEST GERMAN FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

HE SAID THE NATURE OF GERMAN PARTICIPATION IN A EUROPEAN ARMY HAD NOT YET BEEN DISCUSSED BY THE ASSEMBLY.

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 13-(AP)-ACTING FOREIGN AFFAIRS MINISTER PAUL VAN ZEELAND WAS APPOINTED PREMIER-DESIGNATE TODAY BY PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

THE APPOINTMENT HAD BEEN DECLINED BY ACTING PREMIER JEAN DUVIEUSART AND ACTING MINISTER OF TRANSPORT P. W. SEGERS, BUT VAN ZEELAND ACCEPTED THE TASK OF TRYING TO PUT TOGETHER A SOCIAL CHRISTIAN CABINET THAT WILL FUNCTION IN HARMONY.

PRINCE BAUDOUIN ASSUMED KING LEOPOLD'S ROYAL POWERS LAST FRIDAY. THE GOVERNMENT RESIGNED SOON AFTERWARDS. A SPLIT IN THE PRO-LEOPOL SOCIAL CHRISTIAN PARTY PREVENTED DUVIEUSART'S GOVERNMENT FROM REMAINING IN POWER.

THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS WERE SPLIT ON THEIR GOVERNMENT'S DECISION TO ASK LEOPOLD TO HAND OVER HIS POWERS TO PRINCE BAUDIOUIN, UNDER ANTI-LEOPOLD SOCIALIST PRESSURE WHICH THREATENED TO BRING CIVIL WAR

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, AUG. 13-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA DENIED INDIGNANTLY TODAY COMINFORM CHARGES THAT THIS COUNTRY IS PLOTTING WITH AMERICAN ADVICE AN ATTACK ON ALBANIA.

THE COMINFORM CHARGED THAT PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT IS USING FORMER GERMAN FIELD MARSHAL EWALD VON KLEIST, A NOTED WORLD WAR II STRATEGIST, TO MAP A CAMPAIGN OF CONQUEST AGAINST ALBANIA, YUGOSLAVIA'S NEIGHBOR ON THE ADRIATIC.

REPLYING HOTLY TO THESE CHARGES, THE OFFICIAL YUGOSLAV PRESS REPRODUCED DOCUMENTS PURPORTING TO SHOW THAT YUGOSLAVIA HAD TURNED VON KLEIST OVER TO THE RUSSIANS ON THE HUNGARIAN FRONTIER MARCH 5, 1949, FOR TRIAL BY THE SOVIETS AS A WAR CRIMINAL.

PREVIOUSLY VON KLEIST HAD BEEN HANDED OVER BY THE BRITISH TO YUGOSLAVIA, TRIED FOR WAR CRIMES AND SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS' IMPRISONMENT.

THE COMINFORM HAS CHARGED--AND YUGOSLAVIA HAS OFFICIALLY DENIED--THAT THIS COUNTRY AND GREECE ARE PLANNING TO DIVIDE ALBANIAN TERRITORY.

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KARACHI, PAKISTAN, AUG.13-(AP)-C.K.ZAMAN, RESIGNED AS PRESIDENT OF THE ALL PAKISTAN MOSLEM LEAGUE TODAY AS A RESULT OF INCREASING PUBLIC PRESSURE.

A LARGE GROUP OF KARACHI CITIZENS DEMANDED ZAMAN'S RESIGNATION ON THE GROUND HE HAD FAILED TO REHABILITATE MOSLEM REFUGEES FROM INDIA.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG.13-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY TONIGHT PROTESTED TO THE ISRAELI FOREIGN OFFICE THE SUSPENSION OF SHOWINGS OF NEWSREELS ON THE KOREAN FIGHTING AT TWO TEL AVIV MOVIE HOUSES AFTER COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATIONS.

THE FILM, ISSUED BY THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE, INCLUDED SHOTS O UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN ACTION. GROUPS IDENTIFIED AS COMMUNISTS INSIDE THE THEATERS NOISILY PROTESTED THE SHOWINGS AND DISTRIBUTED LEAFLETS CONDEMNING ISRAEL'S OFFER OF MEDICAL AID TO THE U.N. FORCES.

THE THEATER OWNERS STOPPED THE PROJECTION, APPARENTLY FEARING DAMAGE TO THEIR SCREENS. THE AMERICAN PROTEST POINTED OUT THE FILMS HAD BEEN APPROVED BY THE ISRAELI BOARD OF CENSORSHIP AND SUGGESTED THAT THE GOVERNMENT PROVIDE POLICE PROTECTION IF NECESSARY. ISRAELI AUTHORITIES ARE EXPECTED TO TAKE THIS ACTION DURING PROJECTED SCREENINGS TOMORROW.

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amman, jordan, aug. 13 - (ap) - a three-member united nations palestine conciliation commission arrived here today for talks with foreign minister mohammad pasha shureiki and other jordan government official on the problem of palestine and the future of refugees.

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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, AUG. 13-(AP)-HERBERT EVATT, DEPUTY OPPOSITIOI LEADER AND FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY, TONIGHT URGED THAT AUSTRALIA PARTICIPATE ACTIVELY IN PLANNING ALL KOREAN WAR OPERATIONS.

HE CALLED FOR AUSTRALIAN CHIEF OF STAFF REPRESENTATION AT GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS.

EVATT SAID RUSSIA'S RETURN TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL REPRESENTED A VICTORY FOR THE U.N. IF RUSSIA'S BOYCOTT HAD SUCCEEDED. HE ADDED, IT WOULD HAVE GREATLY INJURED THE COUNCIL'S PRESTIGE.

A ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIRFORCE SPOKESMAN SAID ABOUT 400 AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEERS FOR COMBAT IN KOREA WOULD BE FLOWN TO JAPAN IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS.

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INDOCHINA (600)

BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

SAIGON,INDOCHINA, AUG. 13-(AP)-THE FRENCH ARMY IN INDOCHINA FACED TODAY FOR THE FIRST TIME THE REAL DANGER THAT COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH FORCES, REINFORCED BY LARGE SCALE MILITARY AID FROM RED CHINA, WILL SOON BE ABLE TO TAKE THE OFFENSIVE.

THE ENTIRE MILITARY BALANCE IN INDOCHINA HAS BEEN SHAKEN BY AUTHORITATIVE REPORTS THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ARE NOW TRAINING AND EQUIPPING HO CHI MINH'S TROOPS. AS A RESULT, MILITARY OBSERVERS HERE LOOK FOR A CHANGE IN THE WESTERN POWER DEFENSE STRATEGY FOR INDO-

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HERE LOOK FOR A CHANGE IN
CHINA AND SOUTHEAST ASIA.

A FRANK FEELING OF PESSIMISM IS APPARENT IN WESTERN POWER MILITARY CIRCLES HERE CONCERNING FRENCH CHANCES OF DEFEATING THE VIETMINH. AND IF THE FRENCH EFFORT IN INDOCHINA IS TO BE ONLY A HOLDING ACTION, THE QUESTION IS WHETHER IT WOULD BE WORTH THE COST.

FRENCH MILITARY SOURCES HAVE DISCLOSED THAT RED CHINA HAS OPENED TRAINING CAMPS IN THE FRONTIER REGION FOR VIETMINH TROOPS. ABOUT 20,000 VIETMINH ARE REPORTED BEING TRAINED AND ARMED FOR ACTION AGAINST THE FRENCH IN THE FIRST PHASE OF THE PROGRAM.

LARGE SECTIONS OF THE CHINESE FRONTIER REGION IN KWANGSI, KWANGTUNG AND YUNNAN ARE REPORTED BY FRENCH OFFICIALS TO HAVE BEEN CONVERTED INTO VIETMINH BASE AREAS. TRAFFIC ACROSS THE BORDER TO CHINESE TRAINING CAMPS, WHICH INCLUDE AN ARTILLERY SCHOOL, IS REPORTED STEADILY INCREASING. THE VIETMINH CONTROL SECTIONS OF THE BORDER AND HAVE IMPROVED TRANS-FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS.

INITIATION OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST AID PROGRAM WAS NOT UNEXPECTED. IT WAS FORESHADOWED SIX MONTHS AGO BY THE SOVIET BLOC'S RECOGNITION OF THE HO CHI MINH REGIME. BUT IT HAD BEEN HOPED THAT PEIPINGS HELP WOULD NOT COME SO SOON OR ASSUME SUCH LARGE PROPORTIONS.

IT IS EXPECTED TO TAKE SEVERAL MONTHS BEFORE FRENCH TROOPS FEEL THE EFFECT OF CHINESE COMMUNIST AID TO THE VIETMINH. THE INCREASE IN VIETMINH STRENGTH MAY BE EMPLOYED IN ONE OF TWO WAYS:

1. VIETMINH TROOPS MAY BE CONCENTRATED IN COMMUNIST CHINA ALONG THE FRONTIER FOR A FULL SCALE ASSAULT ON FRENCH FRONTIER POSITIONS. THE RATE OF BUILDUP OF VIETMINH TROOPS IN CHINESE TRAINING CENTERS IS INDICATED BY A FRENCH ARMY REPORT THAT IN THE LAST THREE DAYS BETWEEN 2,000 AND 3,000 VIETMINH TROOPS CROSSED THE BORDER INTO CHINA.

2. TRAINED AND ARMED VIETMINH UNITS MAY BE SLIPPED ACROSS THE FRONTIER TO REINFORCE UNITS ALREADY FIGHTING THE FRENCH. THIS WOULD APPEAR A MORE LIKELY POSSIBILITY.

SHIPMENTS OF AMERICAN WAR MATERIAL TO INDOCHINA WILL OFFSET SOMEWHAT THE STRENGTHENING OF HO CHI MINH'S FORCES. THE FIRST SHIPLOAD OF COMBAT EQUIPMENT LANDED AT SAIGON YESTERDAY AND MUCH OF IT WILL GO TO OUTFIT NEWLY FORMED FRENCH-TRAINED VIETNAMESE BATTALIONS.

FRENCH TROOPS BADLY NEED NEW EQUIPMENT. AMERICAN MILITARY OBSERVERS HAVE BEEN SURPRISED THAT MORALE AND FIGHTING POWER OF FRENCH TROOPS HAS HELD UP SO WELL DESPITE THEIR DETERIORATED EQUIPMENT.

THE FRENCH ARMY OF 150,000 IS LARGELY PINNED DOWN IN GARRISONING POSTS ON THE CHINESE FRONTIER AND HOLDING LINES OF COMMUNICATIONS AND POPULATION CENTERS. HEAVY PRESSURE FROM FRESH VIETMINH UNITS TRAINED AND WELL ARMED WOULD FORCE THE FRENCH TO CONSTRICT THEIR POSITIONS AND GIVE UP THEIR "PACIFICATION CAMPAIGN."

FRENCH STAFF OFFICERS ADMIT THAT THE VIETMINH ARMY HAS SHOWN STEADY IMPROVEMENT IN THE LAST THREE YEARS AND IS STRONGER THAN EVER BEFORE. BEST AVAILABLE ESTIMATES PUT ITS STRENGTH AT 90,000 REGULAR TROOPS WITH SEVERAL HUNDRED THOUSAND GUERRILLAS OF VARIOUS CATEGORIES AWAITING FURTHER TRAINING AND BETTER ARMS.

CONFRONTED BY THE UNOPPOSED FRENCH AIRFORCE AND GENERAL MATERIEL SUPERIORITY, IT SEEMS UNLIKELY THE VIETMINH, EVEN REINFORCED BY CHINESE REDS, WILL BE ABLE FOR A LONG TIME TO COME TO SEIZE MAIN FRENCH POSITIONS. BUT THE MORE PERTINENT QUESTION IS HOW LONG FRANCE CAN AFFORD TO PAY THE PRICE OF STAYING IN INDOCHINA.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 13-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN EXTENDED PERSONAL GREETINGS TO THE PEOPLES OF THE ASSOCIATED STATES OF INDO-CHINA TODAY DURING THE FIRST VOICE OF AMERICA BROADCAST IN THE VIETNAMESE LANGUAGE.

THE MESSAGE, PRE-RECORDED IN THE PRESIDENT'S OWN VOICE, SAID THE U.S. ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR INDO-CHINA "IS DESIGNED TO STIMULATE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE PEOPLE OF INDO-CHINA MAY DEVELOP INSTITUTIONS COMPATIBLE WITH THEIR RELIGIOUN AND CULTURE WHICH WILL BEST SERVE THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE."

IT WAS FOLLOWED BY A VIETNAMESE TRANSLATION. THE PROGRAM INCREASED TO 25 THE NUMBER OF LANGUAGES UTILIZED BY THE VOICE OF AMERICA IN ITS WORLD BROADCASTING SERVICE.

MR. TRUMAN SAID THAT "MILITARY ASSISTANCE IS ALSO BEING EXTENDED TO PROVIDE THE INTERNAL SECURITY FOR A VIGOROUS, HEALTHY AND PROSPEROUS LIFE IN VIET NAM, LAOS AND CAMBODIA.

"THESE PROGRAMS OF ECONOMIC AND MILITARY ASSISTANCE HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED TO ASSIST YOU. I HOPE YOU WILL STUDY THEM, UNDERSTAND THEM AND SUPPORT THEM.

"AMERICANS HAVE BLOOKED WITH SYMPATHY UPON THE DESIRES OF THE PEOPOLE OF VIET NAM, LAOS AND CAMBODIA FOR SELF-GOVERNMENT WITHIN THE FRENCH UNION."

AMBASSADOR AT LARGE PHILIP JESSUP SAID ON THE BROADCAST THAT "COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM HAS TRIED TO SEIZE THE PEOPLE OF KOREA IN ITS GRASP X X X COMMUNST IMPERIALISM IS IN FACT CARRYING ON AGGRESSIVE WAR TO ENSLAVE THEM.

"THE UNITED NATIONS IS NOW FIGHTING TO STOP THIS AGGRESSION AND TO HELP BUILD A WORLD IN WHICH PEOPLE LIVE IN FREEDOM AND MAKE A BETTER LIFE FOR THEMSELVES AND THEIR CHILDREN."

OTHER SPEAKERS IN THE INAUGURAL VIETNAMESE BROADCAST WERE DEAN RUSK, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS, AND FOY D. KOHLER, CHIEF OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S INTERNATIONAL BROADCASTING DIVISION.

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INDONESIAN BUDGET (520)

JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG. 13-(AP)-THE WAY WAS CLEARED TODAY FOR A VOTE IN PARLIAMENT ON A CONSTITUTION ABOLISHING FEDERATED STATES IN INDONESIA.

THE LAWMAKERS ARE EXPECTED TO TAKE SUCH ACTION TOMORROW.

APPROVAL OF THE NEW CONSTITUTION WOULD INCORPORATE THE 15 OTHER ORIGINAL STATES OF THE U. S. I. INTO THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA, THE STATE WHICH LED THE FIGHT FOR INDEPENDENCE FROM THE DUTCH.

THE JOGJAKARTA RADIO ANNOUNCED A WORKING COMMITTEE OF THE REPUBLICAN PARLIAMENT HAD APPROVED THE DRAFT CONSTITUTION FOR THE NEW UNITARY STATE BY A VOTE OF 31 TO 2. TEN COMMUNIST MEMBERS WALKED OUT OF THE COMMITTEE MEETING WITHOUT VOTING.

THE NEWCONSTITUTION FOLLOWS THE PATTERN OF THE OLD REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA AND IS MORE SOCIALISTIC THAN THE ABOUT TO BE DISCARDED U. S. I. CONSTITUTION. IT CALLS FOR:

1. A PARLIAMENTARY CABINET PATTERNED AFTER THE WESTERN EUROPEAN DEMOCRACIES.

2. A SINGLE-HOUSE PARLIAMENT MADE UP OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE

U. S. I. AND REPUBLICAN PARLIAMENTS.
3. A STRONGLY-CENTRALIZED GOVERNMENT ADMINISTERING 10 PROVINCES.
4. A PRESIDENCY OCCUPIED AUTOMATICALLY BY PRESIDENT SOEKARNO.

THE NEW GOVERNMENT WILL BE PROVISIONAL. ELECTIONS ARE TO BE HELD LATER FOR A CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY TO SET UP A PERMANENT STATE SYSTEM. THE U. S. I. CONSTITUTION CALLED FOR THE FUTURE CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY TO BE SET UP BY THE END OF THIS YEAR. BUT THE NEW CONSTITUTION HOLDS TO NO DEADLINE, CALLING FOR ELECTIONS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

THE FLEDGLING NATION IS SADDLED WITH AN OVERWEIGHT GOVERNMENT STRUCTURE WHICH INCLUDES ABOUT 20,000 DUTCH CIVIL SERVANTS, WHO MUST BE KEPT ON THE PAYROLLS FOR TWO YEARS UNDER THE DUTCH-INDONESIAN PACT FOR INDEPENDENCE.

THE NEW GOVERNMENT WILL FACE OTHER PROBLEMS IN BINDING INDONESIA'S 80,000,000 PEOPLE INTO A UNION. THE ARCHIPELAGO, WITH ITS 12,000 ISLANDS STRETCHING 3,000 MILES, IS ABOUT THE MOST SCATTERED AND SPLIT-UP NATION IN THE WORLD.

WHEN PRESIDENT SOEKARNO AND A HANDFUL OF NATIONALISTS DECLARED THEIR INDEPENDENCE FROM THE NETHERLANDS AND PROCLAIMED THE REPUBLIC IN 1945, THEY CLAIMED THE ENTIRE ARCHIPELAGO. THE DUTCH LATER RECLAIMED THE ISLANDS OF EAST INDONESIA AND BORNEO, BUT MORE THAN FOUR YEARS OF FIGHTING AND NEGOTIATING FAILED TO UPROOT MILITANT NATIONALISM ON JAVA AND SUMATRA.

THE INDIES' OUTER ISLANDS AND THE JAVA AND SUMATRA AREAS GRADUALLY WERE ORGANIZED BY THE DUTCH INTO 15 PARTIALLY AUTONOMOUS STATES AND TERRITORIES, BUT THEY NEVER WON MORE THAN HALF-HEARTED SUPPORT AND WERE WEAK COMPARED TO THE REBELLIOUS REPUBLIC.

SOEKARNO AND OTHER REPUBLICAN CHIEFS SWORE THEY WOULD NOT STOP UNTIL IDEALS OF THEIR 1945 PROCLAMATION -- A SINGLE UNITARY STATE -- WERE FULLY REALIZED.

SOEKARNO, RESORTING TO THE USE OF EMERGENCY DECREES, FINALLY WELDED ONE FEDERAL STATE AFTER ANOTHER TO THE REPUBLIC. UNDER THE WING OF THE REPUBLIC THREE MONTHS AGO WERE ALL 15 FEDERAL REGIONS EXCEPT THE STATES OF EAST INDONESIA, EAST SUMATRA AND THE LESSER TERRITORY OF WEST BORNEO.

THE THREE WERE LEFT IN A STATE OF RECEIVERSHIP. THEIR GOVERNMENTS, HAVING FALLEN APART, WERE TAKEN OVER BY OFFICIALS APPOINTED BY THE U. S. I. CENTRAL GOVERNMENT IN JAKARTA. THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT WAS GIVEN A MANDATE TO ACT FOR THEM IN NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE REPUBLIC OVER THEIR FUTURE STATUS.

INDONESIA FOUND ITSELF WITH A TWO-HEADED GOVERNMENT. A FULL SET OF U. S. I. MINISTERS WERE TRYING TO RUN THE SHOW FROM JAKARTA, AND ANOTHER SET OF MINISTERS WAS GIVING OUT DIRECTIONS FOR THE SAME SHOW FROM JOGJAKARTA THE CAPITAL OF THE REPUBLIC.

SEEKING A WAY OUT OF THE MUDDLE, U.S. I. AND REPUBLIC OFFICIALS AGREED, AFTER CONSIDERABLE WRANGLING, TO DISSOLVE THE REPUBLIC AND U. S. I. GOVERNMENTS AND START OVER WITH A NEW CONSTITUTION AND NEW STATE.

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JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG 13-(AP)-THE JOGJAKARTA RADIO SAID TODAY A WORKING COMMITTEE OF PARLIAMENT HAS APPROVED THE DRAFT OF A CONSTITUTION FOR A SINGLE INDONESIAN STATE.

THE BROADCAST SAID THE VOTE WAS 31-2 WITH 10 COMMUNIST MEMBERS ABSTAINING.

THE U.S.I. PARLIAMENT IS SCHEDULED TO VOTE ON THE CONSTITUTION MONDAY. APPROVAL OF THE DOCUMENT WOULD CLIMAX A PERSISTENT CAMPAIGN TO INCORPORATE THE 15 OTHER ORIGINAL STATE OF THE U.S.I. INTO THE REPUBLIC WHICH HAD SPEARHEADED THE FIGHT FOR INDEPENDENCE FROM THE DUTCH.

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JAKARTA, U.S.I.,AUG.13-(AP)-COMMUNIST CHINA'S AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA, WANG JEN-SHU, ARRIVED TODAY AND WILL PRESENT HIS CREDENTIALS TO PRESIDENT SOEKARNO TOMORROW.

HE WILL ESTABLISH THE FIRST COMMUNIST EMBASSY IN THIS YOUNG REPUBLIC

THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT HAS AGREED TO EXCHANGE DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES WITH THE SOVIET UNION, BUT HOUSING AND OTHER ARRANGEMENTS STILL ARE PENDING.

NATIONALIST CHINA HAD A CONSUL GENERAL AT JAKARTA WHEN THE DUTCH RULED INDONESIA AND SENT A HIGH-RANKING MISSION HERE WHEN THE U.S.I. WAS ESTABLISHED LAST DECEMBER, BUT THE INDONESIANS NEVER OFFICALLY RECEIVED THE NATIONALISTS.

WANG IS WELL KNOWN IN INDONESIA. HE SPENT THE PACIFIC WAR YEARS AT MEDAN, SUMATRA.

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MANILA,AUG.13-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR SENT REGRETS TODAY THAT HE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ATTEND THE OCT.20 INAUGURATION OF THE NEW TOWN OF MACARTHUR ON LEYTE ISLAND.

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FIRST LEAD SHIP

HONG KONG, AUG. 13-(AP)-THE VESSEL JOHN MOLLER SAID IN A RADIO MESSAGE TODAY THAT IT HAD SIGHTED THE SMALL BRITISH TANKER CALTEX TWO, EARLIER REPORTED MISSING ENROUTE FROM HONG KONG TO BANGKOK.

THE HONG KONG MARINE DEPARTMENT SAID THE CALTEX TWO WAS REPORTED MOVING AT LESS THAN FIVE MILES AN HOUR IN THE GULF OF SIAM. IT SAID THAT THE SLOW SPEED INDICATED ENGINE TROUBLE. THERE WAS NO REPORT WHETHER THE TANKER NEEDED ASSISTANCE.

THE CALTEX OIL CO. TANKER LEFT HONG KONG JULY 25 WITH 800 TONS OF OIL. NORMALLY THE RUN TAKES TWO OR THREE DAYS.

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HONG KONG, AUG. 13-(AP)-THE HONG KONG STANDARD SAID TODAY "A CHINESE COMMUNIST FORCE OF 800,000 IS POISED ON THE SIKANG-TIBETAN BORDER FOR A POWER DRIVE INTO TIBET ANY TIME PEIPING GIVES THE GO-AHEAD SIGNAL."

THE DISPATCH, SIGNED BY STAFF WRITER JACK LING AND QUOTING "RELIABLE SOURCES," ADDED:

"THE TROOPS . . . ARE BEING TAUGHT BY COMMUNIST INSTRUCTORS THAT THEIR MISSION IS NOT ONLY TO 'LIBERATE' TIBET FROM THE LAMAS BUT ALSO INDIA FROM PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU AND EVENTUALLY GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES."

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TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG.13-(AP)-DR.V.K.WELLINGTON KOO, CHINESE NATIONALIST AMBASSADOR TO THE U.S., IS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE WEDNESDAY FOR HIS POST IN WASHINGTON. HE CAME HERE AUG.1 FOR CONSULTATIONS WITH THE GOVERNMENT.

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MONDAY, AUG.14-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL NATIONALIST CHINESE CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY 800,000 CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS WERE MASSED ON THE SIKANG-TIBET BORDER, PRESUMABLY FOR A RED DRIVE INTO TIBET.

TIBET IS THE ONLY MAINLAND AREA OF CHINA WHICH THE REDS HAVE NOT YET BROUGHT UNDER THEIR CONTROL.

CENTRAL NEWS SAID 300,000 OF THE TROOPS ON THE BORDER WERE FROM THE SECOND FIELD ARMY OF ONE-EYED GEN.LIU PO-CHENG. THEY CAME FROM THE PROVINCE OF TSINGHAI IN NORTHWEST CHINA, THE AGENCY SAID.

MEANWHILE, A PRO-NATIONALIST NEWSPAPER REPORT SAID GUERRILLAS UNDER THE MONGOLIAN PRINCE TEH HAD CAPTURED PAI LING MIAO, FORMER INNER-MONGOL CAPITAL, FROM THE REDS.

THERE WAS NOTHING TO SUBSTANTIATE THIS OR TO CONFIRM RECURRENT PRO-NATIONALIST REPORTS THAT PRINCE TEH HAD DEFECTED FROM THE REDS.

IN TAIPEI, THE CONSTITUTIONAL SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE DECIDED AT A MEETING TO ASK CHIANG KAI-SHEK TO CALL A NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SESSION BEFORE CHRISTMAS.

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U.N. BUDGET (500)
BY A.I.GOLDBERG

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 13-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL RESUMES TOMORROW WITHOUT ANY SIGN THAT ITS RUSSIAN PRESIDENT, JAKOB A.MALIK, HAS WEAKENED IN HIS ORATORICAL BLOCKADE OF ACTION ON KOREAN WAR QUESTIONS.

VETERAN OBSERVERS WHO HAVE WATCHED THE RUSSIANS HERE SINCE EARLY DAYS OF THE U.N. EXPECT MALIK TO KEEP ON GOING UNTIL THE END OF THE MONTH, TYING UP COUNCIL PROCEDURE AND MAKING LONG SPEECHES.

HE HAS GIVEN NO ONE IN THE U.N. ANY HINT HE WILL MODIFY HIS STAND. HE HAS ALSO DEPT SECRET WHETHER HE'LL COME BACK TO THE COUNCIL AFTER AUG. 31, WHEN HIS PRESIDENCY ENDS. BUT U.N. SOURCES SAY, THE RUSSIANS INDICATE NO CHANGE IN PLANS TO SHOW UP FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SEPT. 19.

OFFICIAL LONDON AND WASHINGTON APPEAR AGREED THAT THE TALKING ISN'T ALL WASTED TIME. THEY TAKE THE VIEW THAT THE MORE MALIK TALKS THE MORE HE HURTS HIS CAUSE. HE HASN'T STOPPED AID GIVEN TO SOUTH KOREA BEFORE AUG. 1 OR THE HELP, INCLUDING MORE GROUND TROOPS, THAT U.N. SOURCES SAY IS NOW QUIETLY MOUNTING.

SOME FEEL THAT THE U.S. AND BRITAIN CAUGHT UP WITH MALIK BY THEIR STATEMENTS LAST WEEK IN THE PROPAGANDA BATTLE, ESPECIALLY BY APPEALING TO THE PRIDE OF INDIA AND ASIANS.

MALIK'S SPEECHES AIMED AT BLACKENING THE U.S. AS THE NEW COLONIAL MENACE IN ASIA. IN MAKING THEM, HE HAD LITTLE BUT INSULTS FOR OTHER COUNTRIES.

THE GLOVES-OFF STATEMENTS OF WARREN AUSTIN, CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE, AND SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITAIN, HAMMERED HOME THAT 53 OF THE 59 U.N. MEMBERS SUPPORT COLLECTIVE ACTION IN KOREA.

THIS WAS MALIK'S ANGERED RETORT:

THE U.S. IS THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA. ALL THE OTHER NATIONS WERE TRICKED BY THE "CRUDE FALSIFICATIONS" OF ITS REPORTS AND THOSE OF THE U.N. COMMISSION ON KOREA ABOUT THE NORTH KOREAN INVASION. THE OTHER NATIONS, WERE GULLIBLE DUPES "PLAYING THE U.S. GAME OF AGGRESSION" AND TAKEN IN BY "A FAIRY TALE OF SIMPLETONS."

INDIA HAS MEMBERS ON THE U.N. COMMISSION. ONE,COL. UNNI NAYAR, WAS KILLED BY A LAND MINE NEAR TAEGU FRIDAY. INDIA HAS ACCEPTED THE COMMISSION REPORTS AS TRUE.

OTHER COUNTRIES ON THE COMMISSION WHICH FURNISHED THE REPORTS ON WHICH THE SECURITY COUNCIL ACTED WITH SUCH SPEED --- AND WHICH MALIK CHARGED WERE "CONCOCTED" UNDER THE DIRECTION OF GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR --- ARE AUSTRALIA, CHINA, EL SALVADOR, FRANCE, THE PHILIPPINES AND TURKEY. PAKISTAN HAS TWO MILITARY OBSERVERS WITH THE COMMISSION.

MALIK CALLED THE COMMISSION "A TOOL OF THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT."

BOTH JEBB AND AUSTIN TALKED NOT ONLY TO MALIK BUT ALSO TO YUGOSLAVIA AND POSSIBLY EVEN TO RED CHINA, IN THE FINT HOPE OF SCRATCHING MAO TZE TUNG AND FINDING A TITO.

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WHEN AUSTIN STATED LAST THURSDAY "WE (THE U.N.) MUST INSURE THAT EVERY AGGRESSION IS A COMPLETE FAILURE", HE WAS NOT ONLY WARNING MALIK AND MOSCOW BUT POSSIBLY BIDDING FOR YUGOSLAV SUPPORT ON THE KOREAN QUESTION.

WHEN HE SAID THE U.N. BELIEVES IN "A LIVING, DYNAMIC PEACE, THE KIND ENDORSED BY PRIME MINISTER NEHRU (OF INDIA)," HE WAS TALKING TO THE MILLIONS IN CENTRAL ASIA.

JEBB PICTURED THE THREAT OF A SPREADING COMMUNIST IMPERIALISM SWALLOWING ASIA AND QUOTED NEHRU AS BRANDING COMMUNISM "SHEER PURE TERRORISM" BEATING DOWN ASIATIC NATIONALISM. THIS WAS DIRECTED NOT ONLY TO INDIA BUT ALL OF ASIA.

BESIDES THE TALKING THIS COMING WEEK, THE COUNCIL WILL GET THE SECOND REPORT OF THE UNIFIED COMMAND IN KOREA UNDER GEN. MACARTHUR. DELEGATES ARE WONDERING HOW MALIK WILL HANDLE IT.

THE U.N. KOREAN COMMISSION IS ALSO DRAFTING ITS REPORT FOR THE U.N. ASSEMBLY. U.N. SOURCES SAY IT WILL BE CHIEFLY A REVIEW. NO SUBSTANTIAL RECOMMENDATIONS ARE EXPECTED FROM IT. BUT INFORMANTS IN KOREA SAY THE COMMISSION MAY DRAFT A PLAN FOR CONTROLLING ALL KOREA AFTER THE NORTH KOREANS ARE PUSHED BACK.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 13-(AP)-THE CANADIAN DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THAT R.G. RIDDELL, ITS NEW PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE, WILL TAKE OVER HIS OFFICE TOMORROW.

HE SUCCEEDS GEN.A.G.L.MCNAUGHTON AS PERMANENT DELEGATE. JOHN W.HOLMES WAS ACTING CHIEF DELEGATE SINCE LAST FEBRUARY. HE RETURNS TO HEAD THE UNITED NATIONS DIVISION IN THE CANADIAN MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.

RIDDELL, WHO IS 42, HAS BEEN SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO LESTER B. PEARSON, CANADIAN SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS. HE HAS SERVED FREQUENTLY WITH THE DELEGATION HERE SINCE 1946.

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NEW YORK,AUG.13-(AP)-THE REV.LEWIS WEBER GISHLER OF MUNCIE, IND., SAID ON HIS RETURN FROM EUROPE TODAY ABOARD THE LINER QUEEN MARY THAT EUROPEANS ARE GREATLY ENCOURAGED BY U.S. MILITARY ACTION IN KOREA.

GISHLER, PASTOR OF THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN MUNCIE, WAS ONE OF A GROUP OF 50 JUDGES, LAWYERS, TEACHERS, MINISTERS AND DOCTORS SELECTED BY DR.SHERWOOD EDDY, AUTHOR AND LECTURER, TO STUDY SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC CONDITIONS ABROAD.

THE GROUP, CHOSEN FROM 20 STATES, WAS HEADED BY DR.EDDY.

DISCUSSING EUROPEAN REACTION TO THE KOREAN CONFLICT, GISHLER SAID, "THE STOCK OF THE UNITED STATES HAS RISEN MUCH SINCE WE TOOK ACTION."

HE SAID THERE HAD BEEN "UNEASINESS" IN EUROPE OVER THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST INVASION UNTIL THIS COUNTRY STEPPED IN. "THEN IT SEEMED AS IF SOMETHING HAD COME OVER THE WHOLE CONTINENT," HE SAID.

THE GROUP SPENT SEVEN WEEKS VISITING IN ENGLAND, HOLLAND, WESTERN GERMANY, THE RUSSIAN ZONE OF BERLIN, AUSTRIA, SWITZERLAND AND FRANCE.

GISHLER SAID THE GROUP ATTENDED SEMINARS ADDRESSED BY GOVERNMENTAL OFFICIALS OF ALL NATIONS VISITED.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EST, TODAY, SUNDAY, AUG.13)
(ADVANCE) NEW YORK,AUG.13-(AP)-CHARLES P.TAFT, CINCINNATI ATTORNEY AND BROTHER OF SENATOR TAFT, WAS NAMED TODAY AS OHIO CHAIRMAN OF THE CRUSADE FOR FREEDOM.

THE CRUSADE IS SPONSORED BY THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR A FREE EUROPE, INC., TO GATHER FUNDS FOR RADIO FREE EUROPE.

THE RADIO PROGRAMS, BEAMED TO IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES FROM WESTERN GERMANY, SOMEWHAT PARALLEL THE GOVERNMENT'S VOICE OF AMERICA, BUT HAVE MORE FREEDOM IN THEIR PROGRAMMING BECAUSE THE GROUP HAS NO OFFICIAL RESTRAINTS.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE BY GEN.LUCIUS D.CLAY, FORMER U.S. COMMANDER IN GERMANY WHO IS THE CRUSADE'S NATIONAL CHAIRMAN.
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BUFFALO, N.Y., AUG.13-(AP)-U.S. SENATOR WILLIAM LANGER (R-ND) TODAY BLAMED THIS COUNTRY'S INTERNATIONAL PREDICAMENT ON THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY BUT SAID WE SHOULD SUPPORT OUR PRESENT LEADERS DURING THE CRISIS.

SPEAKING AT A GERMAN AMERICAN DAY PICNIC, LANGER SAID THAT WHAT HE CALLED THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY'S GREED IN PERPETUATING ITSELF IN OFFICE "HAS PRODUCED AMERICA'S PRESENT PLIGHT."

BUT HE ADDED:

"INSTEAD OF CRITICIZING AND RIDICULING THE PRESIDENT X X X X TRUE AMERICANS WILL PRAY TO GOD FOR DIVINE GUIDANCE FOR HIM THAT HE MAY USE GOOD JUDGEMENT IN MATTERS INVOLVING THE LIVES OF MILLIONS OF OUR BOYS."

LANGER, ONE OF TWO SENATORS WHO VOTED AGAINST THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID "INSTEAD OF WASTING OUR MONEY ON THE UNITED NATIONS, I PLEADED FOR A STRONG UNITED STATES."

HE ADDED THAT HE VOTED AGAINST "EVERY SINGLE DOLLAR OF MARSHALL PLAN AID AND AM PROUD OF IT." HE EXPLAINED THAT IT WOULD TAKE AN EXPENDITURE OF $15,000,000,000 (B) "TO BRING THE HEALTH OF OUR PEOPLE TO STANDARD."

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NEW YORK, AUG. 13-(AP)-O.JOHN ROGGE, LEADING AMERICAN TO SIGN THE COMMUNIST-SUPPORTED STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL, ANNOUNCED TODAY HE HAD CHANGED HIS MIND AND IS GOING TO PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, TO ASK THE WORLD PARTISANS FOR PEACE TO BRAND NORTH KOREA AS AN AGGRESSOR.

ROGGE, A FORMER ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL AND NEW YORK LAWYER WHO IS A NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN OF THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY, SAID HE WOULD ASK THE ORIGINAL SIGNERS OF THE STOCKHOLM APPEAL TO OUTLAW AGRESSION BY WHATEVER SOURCE AND WHATEVER COUNTRY.

HE SAID HE WOULD "CHALLENGE THE DOGMA THAT CAPITALISM CAUSES WARS."

ROGGE SAID HE HELD LITTLE HOPE THAT HIS PROPOSAL WOULD BE ADOPTED. "THEY MAY EVEN THROW ME OUT," HE SAID.

ROGGE WAS THE THIRD PROMINENT AMERICAN TO REVISE HIS POSITION DURING THE PAST WEEK.

HENRY WALLACE, PROGRESSIVE PARTY PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE IN 1948 RESIGNED FROM THE PARTY TUESDAY BECAUSE IT OPPOSED AMERICAN INTERVENTION IN KOREA.

LEE PRESSMAN, FORMER CIO OFFICIAL, QUIT THE AMERICAN LABOR PARTY FRIDAY SAYING IT REFLECTED THE "INTERESTS AND ASPIRATIONS" OF THE COMMUNISTS.

ROGGE SAID HE AGREED WITH THE "SUBSTANTIVE STATEMENTS" MADE BY WALLACE, BUT THAT HE THOUGHT HE COULD BE MORE EFFECTIVE BY REMAINING IN THE PARTY, THAN BY RESIGNING.

AT A PRESS CONFERENCE BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE, ROGGE SHOWED REPORTERS COPIES OF A STATEMENT HE SAID HE WOULD MAKE BEFORE THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE WORLD PARTISANS FOR PEACE, FRAMERS OF THE STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL.

"IN VIEW OF THE COURSE OF AGGRESSIVE WAR UPON WHICH NORTH KOREA HAS EMBARKED," THE STATEMENT SAID, "I NOW WANT TO SUGGEST THAT THE STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL SHOULD BE AMENDED. ITS FIRST PARAGRAPH SHOULD CALL NOT FOR THE OUTLAWRY OF THE ATOMIC AND OTHER WEAPONS OF BASE DESTRUCTION, BUT FOR THE OUTLAWRY OF AGRESSION FROM WHATEVER SOURCE AND BY WHATEVER COUNTRY."

ROGGE SAID HE WOULD ASK THE PROPOSED BAN ON ATOMIC WARFARE BE INCLUDED IN THE SECOND PARAGRAPH INSTEAD OF THE FIRST PARAGRAPH OF THE APPEAL.

"I CHALLENGE THE DOGMA," ROGGE'S STATEMENT SAID, "THAT CAPITALISM CAUSES WARS. I SAY ON THE CONTRARY THAT THE MOTIVATIONS FOR HUMAN BEHAVIOUR ARE EXTREMELY COMPLEX AND CANNOT BE SO EASILY EXPLAINED. I CHALLENGE THE DOGMA THAT SOCIALISM WILL SWEEP THE WORLD. I SAY, ON THE CONTRARY, THAT EACH COUNTRY WILL WORK OUT ITS PROBLEMS IN ITS OWN WAY AND THAT NO TWO COUNTRIES WILL HAVE PRECISELY THE SAME SOLUTIONS."

ROGGE ALSO SAID HE WOULD "LIKE TO SEE THE SOVIET UNION RENOUNCE THE USE OF FORCE BY NORTH KOREA."

THE WORLD PARTISANS FOR PEACE, A COMMUNIST GROUP, WAS ORGANIZED IN ROME IN OCTOBER, 1949, WITH THE AVOWED PURPOSE OF FIXING A NEW LINE OF ACTION TO STRENGTHEN A MOSCOW-INSPIRED "PEACE CRUSADE."

THE GROUP IS HEADED BY FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE, LEADING FRENCH COMMUNIST RECENTLY OUSTED BY THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT, AS HEAD OF FRANCE'S ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

AT A LATER MEETING IN STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, THE GROUP LAUNCHED WHAT IT DESCRIBED AS THE "STOCKHOLM PETITION," WHICH CALLS FOR OUTLAWING THE ATOMIC BOMB, CREATING "STRICT INTERNATIONAL CONTROL," AND BRANDING AS WAR CRIMINALS THE FIRST NATIONAL LEADERS TO USE THE

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BOMB IN WAR.

THE PETITION HAS BEEN CIRCULATED WIDELY IN THE SOVIET SATELLITE COUNTRIES AND WESTERN EUROPE AND LAST JUNE WAS ADOPTED UNNANIMOUSLY BY THE SUPREME SOVIET (PARLIAMENT) IN MOSCOW.

CIRCULATION OF THE "PEACE PETITION" IN THE UNITED STATES WAS STARTED THE DAY AFTER IT WAS APPROVED BY THE SUPREME SOVIET.

DELEGATES FROM 37 NATIONS ATTENDED THE ROME MEETING AT WHICH A SECRETARIAT WAS SET UP TO GUIDE THE "PEACE" CAMPAIGN.

MOSCOW WRITER ILYA EHRENBURG, SPANISH-BORN PAINTER PABLO PICASSO AND THE REV.HEWLETT JOHNSON, BRITAIN'S "RED DEAN" OF CANTERBURY, WERE AMONG THE DELEGATES TO THE ROME MEETING.

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BULLETIN

COMMUNISTS

WASHINGTON,AUG.13-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY IT IS SEEKING TO HAVE THE BAILS OF THE NATION'S TOP 11 CONVICTED COMMUNIST LEADERS REVOKED ON GROUNDS THEIR CONDUCT AND ACTIVITY IS DANGEROUS TO THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES.

ATTORNEY GENERAL J.HOWARD MC GRATH SAID FEDERAL JUDGE THOMAS W.SWAN HAS ISSUED AN ORDER REQUIRING THE COMMUNIST LEADERS TO SHOW CAUSE IN NEW YORK ON AUG.17 WHY THE BAILS SHOULD NOT BE REVOKED, SENDING THEM TO JAIL.

THE COMMUNIST LEADERS WERE CONVICTED IN NEW YORK LAST OCTOBER 14, ON CHARGES THAT THEY CONSPIRED TO ADVOCATE THE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE U.S.GOVERNMENT.

ALL EXCEPT ONE HAVE BEEN FREE ON TOTAL BONDS OF $260,000--RANGING FROM $20,000 TO $30,000 EACH.

THE CONVICTED LEADERS ARE :

EUGENE DENNIS, JOHN B.WILLIAMSON, JACOB STACHEL, ROBERT G.THOMPSON, BENJAMIN J.DAVIS, JR., HENRY WINSTON, JOHN GATES, IRVING POTASH, GILBERT GREEN, CARL WINTER AND GUS HALL.

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DENNIS IS ALREADY SERVING A PRISON TERM FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.

MC GRATH SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT THE DECISION IS TO ASK THE COURT TO SEND THE GROUP TO JAIL WAS TAKEN AFTER HE HAD CONFERRED AUG.10 WITH IRVING H.SAYPOL, U.S.ATTORNEY FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SAID SAYPOL PREPARED AND EXECUTED AN AFFIDAVIT STATING REASONS WHY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT DEEMED THE ACTION NECESSARY.

ON THE BASIS OF THIS ACTION YESTERDAY, MC GRATH SAID, JUDGE SWAN ISSUED HIS ORDER FOR THE DEFENDANTS TO ANSWER AUG.17 IN NEW YORK IN THE SECOND CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS.

MC GRATH SAID THE GROUNDS STATED IN THE AFFIDAVIT WERE:

"THERE DOES NOT EXIST ANY SUBSTANTIAL QUESTIONS AS TO THE JUDGEMENT OF CONVICTION HEREIN, AND THE DEFENDANTS HAVE PURSUED AND WILL CONTINUE TO PURSUE A COURSE OF CONDUCT AND ACTIVITY DANGEROUS TO THE PUBLIC WELFARE, SAFETY AND NATIONAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES."

SAYPOL SAID IN NEW YORK THAT GOVERNMENT PROSECUTORS DECIDED TO PROCEED "FORTHWITH" BECAUSE OF "THE URGENCY OF JAILING THE DEFENDANTS."

HE SAID APPROPRIATE PAPERS WERE PREPARED "AFTER STUDY OF ALL DATA ON THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE CASE AND THE ACTIVITIES OF THE DEFENDANTS -- INCLUDING FBI REPORTS."

SAYPOL DID NOT DISCLOSE THE CONTENTS OF THE REPORTS.

HE SAID HE CONFERRED WITH MCGRATH AND PEYTON FORD, DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL, ON "SEVERAL SECURITY MATTERS."

"CONCERNING THE TEN COMMUNIST LEADERS NOW FREE IN BAIL -- EUGENE DENNIS BEING ALREADY JAILED -- WE AGREED ON THE NEED FOR IMMEDIATE STEPS," SAYPOL SAID.

THE CONVICTION OF THE 11, UNDER THE SMITH ACT HAD BEEN UPHELD BY AN APPEALS COURT IN NEW YORK ON AUG. 1.

JUDGE HARRIE B.CHASE, WHO ANNOUNCED THE UNANIMOUS OPINION OF THREE JUDGES, SAID THE ACT DOES NOT OUTLAW THE COMMUNIST PARTY NOR REVOLUTIONARY THOUGHT.

BUT IT DOES PROHIBIT, HE SAID, THE URGING OF FORCIBLE ACTION TO ACCOMPLISH DRASTIC CHANGES IN THE AMERICAN FORM OF GOVERNMENT.

WHEN THE CASE WAS BEING HEARD BEFORE THE APPELLATE COURT, COUNSEL FOR THE 11 COMMUNIST LEADERS CONTENDED THAT THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE U.S. CONSTITUTION GUARANTEED THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO ADVOCATE THE OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT.

AMONG OTHER THINGS, THE FIRST AMENDMENT GUARANTEES FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND THE PRESS.

ABRAHAM J.ISSERMAN, DEFENSE COUNSEL, TOLD THE COURT THAT THE GOVERNMENT "HAD IGNORED THE FACT THAT OUR COUNTRY WAS FOUNDED BY REVOLUTION."

THE GOVERNMENT, IN ARGUING THE CASE BEFORE THE COURT, UPHELD THE RIGHT OF ANY CITIZEN TO SPEAK OUT FOR "EVEN THE MOST EXTREME POLITICAL CHANGES" SHORT OF OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT.

BUT THE 11 COMMUNISTS, THE GOVERNMENT COUNSEL SAID, HAVE BEEN WORKING FOR REVOLUTION AND NOTHING ELSE.

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MC GRATH SAID SAYPOL'S AFFIDAVIT STATED THAT ANY PREVIOUS DOUBTS REGARDING THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE CONVICTION OF THE 11 MEN HAS BEEN RESOLVED IN WHAT HE CALLED THE EXHAUSTIVE AND SEARCHING OPINION OF JUDGE LEARNED HAND OF THE APPEALS COURT.

MC GRATH SAID THE AFFIDAVIT ALSO STATES THAT:

THE SECOND CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS HAS FOUND THAT THESE INDIVIDUALS WERE MEMBERS OF A PARTY DEDICATED TO THE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES;

THE DANGER TO THE NATIONAL SECURITY IS "CLEAR AND PRESENT"; AND

THE 11 COMMUNISTS' INTENT WAS THE OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT "AS SPEEDILY AS CIRCUMSTANCES WOULD PERMIT IT TO BE ACHIEVED."

MC GRATH'S STATEMENT SAID THAT "TO DO OTHER THAN TO MOVE TO HAVE THE BAILS OF THE CONVICTED MEN REVOKED, SENDING THEM TO JAIL, WOULD BE. IN EFFECT. TO IGNORE THE FULL IMPORT OF THE COURT'S OPINION."

THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT WOULD NOT CITE ANY INSTANCES OF WHAT IT REFERRED TO AS "DANGEROUS" CONDUCT AND ACTIVITY ON THE PART OF THE 11 MEN.

THE CONSPIRACY TRIAL OF THE 11 COMMUNISTS IN NEW YORK LASTED 39 WEEKS AND WAS ONE OF THE LONGEST IN THE HISTORY OF AMERICAN CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS. THE GOVERNMENT ESTIMATED ITS COST OF THE TRIAL AT $1,000,000. THE DEFENSE ESTIMATED ITS OUTLAY AT $500,000.

PRESUMABLY THE DEFENDANTS PLAN TO APPEAL THE DECISION OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS. AT THE TIME OF THEIR CONVICTION THEY ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD TAKE A TEST OF CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE SMITH ACT TO THE U.S. SUPREME COURT.

JUDGE HAROLD MEDINA SENTENCED 10 OF THE DEFENDANTS TO SERVE FIVE YEARS IN PRISON. THE 11TH, ROBERT THOMPSON, WAS GIVEN THREE YEARS BECAUSE OF HIS WAR RECORD. EACH WAS FINED $10,000.

GOVERNMENT PROSECUTORS SOUGHT TO HAVE BOND FOR THE DEFENDANTS SET AT A TOTAL OF $1,000,000, BUT THE TOTAL WAS FINALLY SET AT $260,000.

BAILY OF $30,000 EACH WAS SET FOR: DENNIS, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY WHO SINCE HAS GONE TO JAIL ON A CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CHARGE; WILLIAMSON, LABOR SECRETARY OF THE PARTY; STACHEL, DIRECTOR

OF PROPAGANDA AND EDUCATION; AND POTASH, HEAD OF THE CIO FUR WORKERS UNION.

BAIL OF $20,000 EACH WAS SET FOR: GREEN, ILLINOIS PARTY CHAIRMAN; THOMPSON, NEW YORK STATE CHAIRMAN; HALL, OHIO CHAIRMAN; WINSTON, ORGANIZATION SECRETARY OF THE PARTY; GATES, EDITOR OF THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER, THE DAILY WORKER; DAVIS, LEGISLATIVE DIRECTOR AND FORMER NEW YORK CITY COUNCILMAN; AND WINTER, MICHIGAN CHAIRMAN.

THE HIGHER BAIL WAS GIVEN WILLIAMSON, STACHEL AND POTASH BECAUSE THE GOVERNMENT HAS DESCRIBED THEM AS DEPORTABLE ALIENS.

DENNIS DREW HIGHER AMOUNT BECAUSE HE ONCE JUMPED BAIL IN A CALIFORNIA CASE.

ALTHOUGH HE ALREADY IS IN PRISON ON A ONE-YEAR SENTENCE, DENNIS FACES THE ADDITIONAL TERM FOR HIS CONVICTION OF CONSPIRACY.

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BECAUSE HE REFUSED TO TESTIFY IN 1947 BEFORE THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE. HE APPEALED THAT CONVICTION BY A FEDERAL COURT JURY HERE. THE SUPREME COURT UPHELD THE CONVICTION LAST MAY 1 AND ON MAY 12 HE WAS ORDERED TO START SERVING SENTENCE.

THE CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS POSTED THE $260,000 BONDS FOR THE 11 RED LEADERS IN THE NEW YORK CASE. THEY PUT UP NEGOTIABLE 2 1/2 PER CENT U.S. TREASURY BONDS IN $5,000 DENOMINATIONS. THE U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE HAS BRANDED THE CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS AS SUBVERSIVE.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 13-(AP)-THE TEXT OF A STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TODAY IN CONNECTION WITH THE PLANS TO SEEK REVOCATION OF BAIL FOR 11 CONVICTED COMMUNIST LEADERS:

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, J.HOWARD MCGRATH, ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT HE HAS CONFERRED WITH IRVING H.SAYPOL, UNITED STATES DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK ON AUGUST 10, AT WHICH TIME THEY AGREED THAT MR.SAYPOL SHOULD TAKE APPROPRIATE STEPS TO REVOKE THE BAIL OF THE 11 COMMUNISTS WHOSE CONVICTION WAS AFFIRMED ON AUGUST 1 BY THE SECOND CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS.

MR.SAYPOL THEREUPON PREPARED AND EXECUTED AN AFFIDAVIT STATING THE REASONS WHY THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE DEEMED SUCH ACTION NECESSARY. UPON THE BASIS OF THIS SHOWING, THE HONORABLE THOMAS W.SWAN, JUDGE OF THE SECOND CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS, SIGNED ON AUGUST 12 AN ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE, AND REQUIRED SUCH SHOWING OF CAUSE TO BE MADE ON THE 17 DAY OF AUGUST IN NEW YORK CITY BEFORE THE SECOND CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS.

THE GROUNDS STATED IN THE AFFIDAVIT WERE: "THERE DOES NOT EXIST ANY SUBSTANTIAL QUESTION AS TO THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION HEREIN, AND THE DEFENDANTS HAVE PURSUED AND WILL CONTINUE TO PURSUE A COURSE OF CONDUCT AND ACTIVITY DANGEROUS TO THE PUBLIC WELFARE, SAFETY AND NATIONAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES."

MR.SAYPOL FURTHER POINTED OUT IN HIS AFFIDAVIT THAT ANY PREVIOUS DOUBTS REGARDING THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE CONVICTION HAD BEEN RESOLVED IN THE EXHAUSTIVE AND SEARCHING OPINION OF JUDGE LEARNED HAND IN SUSTAINING THE CONVICTION OF THE 11 COMMUNISTS.

THE AFFIDAVIT ALSO STATES THAT THE SECOND CIRCUIT HAS FOUND THAT THESE INDIVIDUALS WERE MEMBERS OF A PARTY DEDICATED TO THE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND IN THE WORDS OF JUDGE HAND:

"ADJURES THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCCESS BY LAWFUL MEANS"; THAT THE DANGER TO THE NATIONAL SECURITY IS "CLEAR AND PRESENT" AND THAT THE 11 COMMUNISTS INTENT WAS THE OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT "AS SPEEDILY AS CIRCUMSTANCES WOULD PERMIT IT TO BE ACHIEVED."

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL IN COMMENTING ON THE NECESSITY IN SEEKING THIS ORDER STATED THAT A CAREFUL ANALYSIS ON THE OPINION REQUIRED THAT THIS ACTION BE TAKEN. TO DO OTHERWISE WOULD BE, IN EFFECT, TO IGNORE THE FULL IMPORT OF THE COURTS OPINION.

THE MANDATE IN THIS CASE GOES DOWN AUGUST 17.

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WASHINGTON,AUG.13-(AP)-THE HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER TODAY SAID CONGRESS SHOULD STAY IN SESSION UNTIL IT HAS ENACTED THE MUNDT-FERGUSON-NIXON BILL THAT WOULD REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNISTS AND FELLOW TRAVELERS.

MINORITY LEADER MARTIN OF MASSACHUSETTS SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S MESSAGE TO CONGRESS PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO EXISTING LAWS COVERING SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES, UNDESIRABLE ALIENS AND TREASON, "CANNOT EVEN BE CALLED A 'STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION'."

"IF WE ARE TO JUDGE BY THE APPLAUSE WHICH THE LEFT WING AND FELLOW TRAVELERS HAVE ACCORDED THE PRESIDENT'S PROPOSALS, THE MESSAGE MUST BE VIEWED AS LITTLE MORE THAN CONTINUATION OF THE POLICY OF APPEASING COMMUNISM AT HOME AND ABROAD WHICH PRECIPITATED THE KOREAN CONFLICT," MARTIN SAID IN A STATEMENT.

MARTIN ASSERTED THERE HAS BEEN SOME SPECULATION THAT THE MESSAGE WAS PROMPTED NOT ONLY BY PUBLIC PRESSURE BUT SO THAT THE NEW BILLS COULD BE DRAFTED "BEARING THE NAMES OF ADMINISTRATION FAVORITES."

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(650) GOP-FOREIGN

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, AUG. 13-(AP)-FOUR REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE TODAY CHARGED ADMINISTRATION POLICY INVITED RUSSIA "TO GRAB WHATEVER IT COULD IN CHINA, KOREA AND FORMOSA."

IN A 1,300 WORD INDICTMENT OF WHAT THEY CALLED DEMOCRATIC DIPLOMATIC FAILURES, THE GOP SENATORS DEMANDED THAT THE UNITED STATES TAKE IMMEDIATE STEPS TO "REGAIN THE INITIATIVE AND THE POWER FOR THE ORGANIZATION AND PRESERVATION OF LASTING PEACE, WHICH IT THREW AWAY IN 1945."

"WE MUST NOT WAIT UNTIL THE PRESENT CRISIS IS OVER AND THEN FUMBLE THE BALL OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE BECAUSE WE ARE NOT PREPARED FOR VICTORY," THEY DECLARED.

SENATORS WILEY OF WISCONSIN, H.ALEXANDER SMITH OF NEW JERSEY, HICKENLOOPER OF IOWA AND LODGE OF MASSACHUSETTS SIGNED A STATEMENT PROPOSING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY BE CALLED INTO SPECIAL SESSION TO REWRITE THE UNITED CHARTER TO LIMIT USE OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL VETO.

THEY CALLED FOR "TOP SPEED" IN REMEDYING "THE PRESENT INTOLERABLE MILITARY WEAKNESS OF THE FREE WORLD."

ATTACKING THE PRESIDENTIAL AGREEMENTS AT YALTA AND POTSDAM, THE FOUR DECLARED:

"OUR FAR EASTERN POLICY, GROWING OUT OF THESE EVENTS, CONSISTENTLY TEMPORIZED WITH AND CAPITULATED TO THE RUTHLESS DEMANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS, DOMINATED BY MOSCOW.

"UNDER IT THE KREMLIN WAS, IN EFFECT, GIVEN A GREEN LIGHT TO

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GRAB WHATEVER IT COULD IN CHINA, KOREA AND FORMOSA. THIS WAS NEVER A BIPARTISAN POLICY. IT WAS SOLELY AN ADMINISTRATION POLICY."

SENATOR VANDENBERG (R-MICH), TOP REPUBLICAN ON THE FOREIGN RELATIO COMMITTEE, DID NOT SIGN THE DOCUMENT.

AN EXPLANATORY NOTE SAID THAT HIS OFFICE "AUTHORIZES THE STATEMENT THAT THE SENATOR'S ILLNESS HAS PREVENTED HIS PARTICIPATION IN THIS DRAFT, BUT THAT HE HAS SEEN THE TEXT AND IS IN GENERAL AGREEMENT WITH THE VIEWPOINT HERE EXPRESSED BY HIS COLLEAGUES ON THE COMM-ITTEE."

THE REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL BLAST WAS IN LINE WITH A RECENT STATE-MENT IN WHICH GOP HOUSE MEMBERS ACCUSED THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION OF "CALLING FOR THE APPEASEMENT OF RUSSIA" IN ITS POLICIES.

REPUBLICAN LEADERS HAVE SAID THEY WILL DISCUSS THIS ISSUE IN THE CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGNS AND EXPECT THEIR NATIONAL COMMITTEE SOON TO LAY DOWN A DOCUMENTARY "WHITE PAPER" TO SUPPORT THEIR POSITION.

THE FOUR REPUBLICAN SENATORS ANALYZED EVENTS FROM 1945 AND SAID THEY REACHED THE CONCLUSION THAT "THE MAJOR TRAGEDY OF OUR TIME WAS THE FAILURE AND REFUSAL OF AMERICAN LEADERSHIP IN 1945 TO RECOGNIZE THE TRUE AIMS AND METHODS OF THE RULERS OF SOVIET RUSSIA."

THEY SAID THIS FAILURE CAUSED "THE DISINTEGRATION OF OUR ARMED FORCES IN 1945, WHICH WOULD NOT HAVE OCCURRED IF THE NEED FOR RETAINING ADEQUATE FORCES HAD BEEN EXPLAINED TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, AND THE SENSELESS DESTRUCTION OF BILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT WHICH THE UNITED STATES AND ITS FRIENDS SO DESPERATELY NEED TODAY."

THE REPUBLICANS COMPLAINED ABOUT THE DIVISION OF GERMANY, THE PAR-TITION OF KOREA AND THE FAILURE TO HELP BUILD FRIENDLY MILITARY FORCES ABROAD.

THEY SAID THAT IN 1947 "STRONG BIPARTISAN LEADERSHIP AND COOPERA-TION" BROUGHT FORTH THE GREEK-TURKISH AID, MARSHALL PLAN, RIO PACT AND, IN 1949, THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY.

THE REPUBLICAN SENATORS SAID THERE WAS A SHARP CONTRAST IN THE HANDLING OF FAR EASTERN PROBLEMS, WHERE THEY INSISTED THE GOP WAS NOT CONSULTED IN FORMING POLICIES.

CRITICIZING "BLUNDERS" THEY SAID HAD BEEN MADE, THE REPUBLICANS CALLED FOR UNITED SUPPORT OF THE U.N. STAND AGAINST AGGRESSION IN KOREA.

"BUT THE LIBERATION OF KOREA AND THE MERE BUILDING OF STRENGTH TO RESIST AGGRESSION ARE, BY THEMSELVES, NOT ENOUGH," THEY DECLARED.

"WE SHALL NOT SLEEP PEACEFULLY AT NIGHT UNTIL OUR GOVERNMENT'S POLICY IS BASED ON THE FULL REALIZATION THAT WORLD DOMINION BY COMMUNISM IS STILL THE GOAL OF THE KREMLIN.

"IT WILL CONTINUE TO BE THE GOAL UNTIL THE FREE NATIONS OF THE WORLD EACH CONTRIBUTING ITS FAIR SHARE, REALISTICALLY JOIN TOGETHER WITH THE UNITED NATIONS TO ESTABLISH PEACE IN A FREE WORLD."

WHEN THE UNITED STATES HAS "REGAINED THE INITIATIVE," THE REPUBLI-CANS SAID IT CAN REDOUBLE EFFORTS THROUGH THE U.N. TO GET RELIABLE WORLD CONTROL OF ATOMIC ACTIVITIES, HALT LAWLESS AGGRESSION AND IF OTHER MEANS FAIL SEEK REVISION OF THE U.N. CHARTER TO CURB THE VETO.

"THESE THINGS NEED NOT MEAN BLOODSHED AND WAR," THE REPUBLICANS SAID. "THEY OUGHT TO PREVENT WAR. THEY DO MEAN, HOWEVER, THE POWER-FUL UNITY OF THE FREE NATIONS, ACTING IN ENTHUSIASTIC CONCERT."

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DISARMAMENT (340)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.13-(AP)-WORLD SCRAPPING OF ARMS--INCLUDING ATOMIC BOMBS AND PLANS FOR THE H-BOMB--WOULD NOT LIKELY PREVENT WAR, A FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION REPORT SAID TODAY.

WILLIAM H.KAUFMANN, YALE UNIVERSITY INSTRUCTOR, SAID THAT IF TOTAL WORLD DISARMAMENT WERE FEASIBLE SUCH ACTION COULD DELAY AN OUTBREAK BUT IT "WOULD HARDLY MAKE WAR MORE OR LESS INEVITABLE." "IF NATIONS WISH TO FIGHT THEY WILL FIND WAYS AND MEANS OF DOING SO," HE OBSERVED.

THE REPORT, "THE H-BOMB AND WORLD ORDER," WAS WRITTEN IN THREE SECTIONS BY KAUFMANN, HANS A.BETHE, CORNELL UNIVERSITY PHYSICS PRO-FESSOR, AND PETER KIHSS, NEW YORK HERALD TRIBUNE REPORTER AT THE UNITED NATIONS.

BETHE SAID THAT IF BOTH THIS COUNTRY AND RUSSIA ARE SUCCESSFUL IN DEVELOPING THE HYDROGEN BOMB "THE EXISTENCE OF THE HYDROGEN BOMB WILL GIVE US MILITARY WEAKNESS RATHER THAN STRENGTH."

HE SAID THAT IS TRUE BECAUSE THE H-BOMB "WOULD BE USEFUL ONLY AGAINST THE LARGEST TARGETS, OF WHICH THERE ARE VERY FEW IN THE USSR."

"WE HAVE MANY MORE LARGE CITIES THAT WOULD BE INVITING TARGETS," HE NOTED.

KAUFMANN SAID IN HIS PORTION OF THE REPORT PUBLISHED BY THE PRIVATELY FINANCED RESEARCH ORGANIZATION THAT DISARMAMENT MIGHT HAVE LED TO GENERAL STABILITY WHEN MILITARY FORCE WAS THE PRINCIPAL WEAPON OF A WORLD POWER.

"BUT NOW, WITH THE WEAPONS OF DISRUPTION, SUBVERSION AND PROPAGANDA DEVELOPED TO A HIGH DEGREE OF EFFICIENCY," HE SAID, "ONE POWER SKILLED IN THEIR USES MAY EXPAND ALL THE MORE EFFICIENTLY AND ECONOMICALLY BECAUSE OF THE LACK OF ORGANIZED MILITARY OPPOSITION."

HE SAID THE RECORD OF RUSSIA ON DISARMAMENT DISCUSSIONS INDICATES "NOT FEAR AND SUSPICION BUT THE DESIRE TO EXPAND AND A WILLINGNESS TO EMPLOY THE NEGOTIATIONS ON ATOMIC ENERGY FOR PROPAGANDA PURPOSES."

KIHSS SUGGESTED STEPS WHICH U.N.MEMBERS INTERESTED IN INTERNATIONAL CONTROL OF ATOMIC ENERGY MIGHT TAKE, IN THE FACE OF FAILURE TO REACH ANY AGREEMENT WITH THE SOVIET.

"IT MIGHT BE PRODUCTIVE TO UNDERTAKE A NEW U.N.SCIENTIFIC STUDY TO SEE WHETHER DEVELOPMENTS SINCE 1946 HAVE ALTERED ANY OF THE CONTROL FACTORS," HE SAID.

"IT MIGHT BE WORTHWHILE TO APPRAISE PRESENT PEACEFUL USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY, WHICH MIGHT SIMPLIFY CONTROLS FOR THE EARLY YEARS.

"IT WOULD CERTAINLY BE USEFUL TO GIVE THE U.N.A SHARE IN PROMOTING DISTRIBUTION OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS FOR PEACEFUL WORKS AND IN PUB-LISHING RESULTS."

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(430) KOREA-DEFENSE

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.13-(AP)-AMERICAN FORCES IN KOREA HAVE PER-FORMED A "MILITARY MIRACLE" BUT A LONG HARD JOB IS STILL AHEAD AND WILL "HAVE AN IMPACT ON THE WAY WE ARE GOING TO LIVE FOR SOME TIME TO COME," DEPUTY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE STEPHEN EARLY SAID TONIGHT.

HIS SOBER REPORT WAS PART OF THE INITIAL PROGRAM IN A WEEKLY TELEVISION ROUNDUP "BATTLE REPORT" NBC) IN WHICH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WILL BRIEF THE AMERICAN PUBLIC ON DEFENSE MEASURES AT HOME AND ABROAD.

SENATOR BRIEN MCMAHON (D-CONN), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE,

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CONTRIBUTED ANOTHER TO THE SERIOUS OF HINTS THAT THE A-BOMBS USED ON JAPAN WERE PUNY COMPARED WITH MODERN NUCLEAR WEAPONS.

DISCUSSING AN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION REPORT RELEASED LAST NIGHT, MCMAHON EXPLAINED THAT ITS INFORMATION ON THE EFFECTS OF A-BOMBS IS BASED ON "NOMINAL ATOMIC BOMBS OF THE OLD-FASHIONED HIROSHIMA AND NAGASAKI TYPE." THE WORD "NOMINAL" WAS UNDERSCORED IN THE PREPARED SCRIPT.

MCMAHON DEPLORED THE NECESSARY EMPHASIS IN THAT REPORT ON DESTRUCTIVE USES OF THE ATOM AND DEFENSE AGAINST SUCH USE.

IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN A REPORT "TELLING HOW THE ATOM WILL ENRICH YOUR LIFE AND MINE," THE SENATOR SAID, BUT "THE KREMLIN AND THE KREMLIN ALONE" FORCES EMPHASIS THE OTHER WAY.

"IN THIS FACT," MCMAHON WENT ON, "LIES THE DEEPEST AND STARKEST TRAGEDY OF OUR TIME--A TRAGEDY WHICH THREATENS TEN THOUSAND TIMES MORE CASUALTIES IN AN HOUR THAN ALL THE HEROIC AMERICAN SOLDIERS WHO HAVE FALLEN ALONG THE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT. X X X

"NOT ONLY OUR TROOPS IN KOREA BUT EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD ON OUR HOME FRONT LIVE AMIDST GROWING DANGER. REGARDLESS OF WHAT ELSE HAPPENS, THAT DANGER WILL INEVITABLY CONTINUE TO GROW AS LONG AS THE RIVAL STOCKS OF ATOMIC BOMBS IN RUSSIA AND AMERICA ARE PERMITTED TO PILE HIGHER AND HIGHER."

THAT RUSSIA HAS SOME ATOM BOMBS IS A "SIMPLE, INDISPUTABLE FACT," THE SENATOR SAID.

BUT HE ADDED HE STILL HAS FAITH THAT "THE MEN IN THE KREMLIN CAN BE BROUGHT TO THEIR SENSES."

DECLARING THAT AMERICANS NEVER HAVE BEEN AFRAID TO FACE FACTS, EARLY SUMMED UP WHAT HE SAID MUST BE FACED:

"THIS JOB IN KOREA IS GOING TO TAKE TIME AND EFFORT, AMERICAN TROOPS AND TROOPS OF OTHER NATIONS; IT IS GOING TO HAVE AN IMPACT ON AMERICANS, ON THE WAY WE ARE GOING TO LIVE FOR SOMETIME TO COME."

EARLY, WHO WAS PRESS SECRETARY FOR THE LATE PRESIDENT FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT BEFORE AND DURING WORLD WAR II, SAID THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES IN KOREA HAVE CARRIED OUT "THE MOST VALIANT AND WELL-EXECUTED REAR GUARD ACTION" THAT MODERN ARMS HAVE SEEN.

EARLY EXPLAINED HIS REFERENCE TO A "MILITARY MIRACLE" THIS WAY:

"IT IS THE FIRST TIME IN HISTORY, AS FAR AS I KNOW, THAT ANY NATION HAS MADE A SUCCESSFUL PIECEMEAL COMMITMENT OF ITS ARMED FORCES IN THE FACE OF A MOVING, HARD STRIKING ENEMY ARMY--AND WON THE INITIAL DECISION. I REFER TO THE FAILURE OF THE ENEMY TO DRIVE THE AMERICAN ADVANCE FORCES OUT OF KOREA. THE COMMUNISTS CONFIDENTLY EXPECTED TO DO THIS."

IN 50 DAYS, HE SAID, A FORCE HAS BEEN RALLIED THAT EQUALS THE D-DAY EFFORT ON OMAHA AND UTAH BEACHES IN NORMANDY.

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CIVIL DEFENSE

(ADVANCE)-WASHINGTON,AUG.13-(AP)-THE MAN PICKED TO WORK OUT FOR WASHINGTON ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S FIRST COMPREHENSIVE ATOM-AGE CIVIL DEFENSE PLANS URGED OTHER CITIES TODAY TO GET ON WITH THE SAME JOB.

THE ADVICE CAME FROM BRIG.GEN.GORDON R.YOUNG, ARMY ENGINEER OFFICER AND MEMBER OF THE THREE-MAN COMMISSION WHICH GOVERNS THE NATION'S CAPITAL UNDER CONGRESS' DIRECTION. THE CIVIL DEFENSE PLANNING ASSIGNMENT AND A $300,000 APPROPRIATION TO GET IT GOING IN THIS CITY ARE IN LEGISLATION EXPECTED TO COME OUT OF CONGRESS SOON.

IN AN INTERVIEW PREPARED FOR BROADCAST BY THE GANNETT NEWS SERVICE, THE GENERAL WAS ASKED IF HE HAD ANY ADVICE ON THE PROBLEM FOR THE COUNTRY AS A WHOLE. HE REPLIED:

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"I WOULD VENTURE THREE PIECES OF ADVICE.

"FIRST, EACH COMMUNITY SHOULD GET ONTO IT PROMPTLY AND PUSH IT. I DO NOT SAY THIS BECAUSE I THINK A GREAT WAR IS IMMINENT. I DO NOT THINK IT IS IMMINENT. I SAY IT BECAUSE I HAVE COME TO REALIZE HOW LONG IT TAKES TO WORK UP AND IMPLEMENT A GOOD PLAN OF CIVIL DEFENSE.

SECOND, EACH COMMUNITY SHOULD PUT A FIRST-CLASS MAN IN CHARGE, WHO CAN PREPARE A SOUND AND TAILOR-MADE PLAN FOR THAT COMMUNITY'S PARTICULAR NEEDS, AND CAN PUT IT INTO EFFECT.

"AND THIRD AND LAST, FROM THE VERY BEGINNING, THE HEADS OF THE CITY MUST TAKE THE CITIZENS INTO THEIR CONFIDENCE; THEY MUST ENLIST THEIR COOPERATION; EDUCATE THEM AS TO WHAT IT IS ALL ABOUT; AND THEY MUST TEACH THEM TO KEEP THEIR HEADS AND BE SENSIBLE IN AN EMERGENCY."

WASHINGTON'S $300,000, YOUNG SAID, WILL GO MAINLY FOR (1) A FULL-TIME STAFF WITH A "FIRST CLASS MAN" FOR DIRECTOR, (2) A BLUEPRINT OF WHAT EXISTING CITY AGENCIES SHOULD DO IN EMERGENCY, (3) ESTABLISHMENT OF HEADQUARTERS AND A START ON A WARNING NET AND, (4) AN EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGN.

HE SAID SEVERAL HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS MORE MAY BE NEEDED TO COMPLETE THE WARNING NET AND STOCK UP ON SUPPLIES FOR REPAIRS AND OTHER EMERGENCY NEEDS IN CASE OF AN AIR STRIKE.

THE GENERAL WOULD NOT MAKE A GUESS AS TO A FINAL COST FIGURE.

AS IN THE LAST WAR WHEN 80,000 VOLUNTEERS WERE IN THE WASHINGTON CIVIL DEFENSE SET-UP, YOUNG SAID THE MAIN RELIANCE MUST BE ON VOLUNTEER WORKERS.

PAUL J.LARSEN, CHIEF OF THE OFFICE OF CIVILIAN MOBILIZATION, HAS PROMISED THAT A PRACTICAL PLAN FOR CIVILIAN DEFENSE NATIONALLY WILL BE READY BY SEPT.1.

YOUNG NOTED THAT PROGRAMS MUST BE TAILORED TO FIT THE VARYING SITUATIONS IN DIFFERENT CITIES.

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TYDINGS-DEFENSE

WASHINGTON,AUG.13-(AP)-MORE THAN THREE-FIFTHS OF THE $48,400,000,000 PROVIDED BY CONGRESS FOR DEFENSE IN THE YEARS 1946-50 WENT TO KEEP THE ARMED FORCES FED, CLOTHED, HOUSED AND PAID, AND KEEP SHIPS AND AIRCRAFT OPERATING, SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) SAID TODAY.

TYDINGS, CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICE COMMITTEE, GAVE AN

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ANALYSIS OF MILITARY SPENDING DURING A RADIO BROADCAST (WBAL, BALTIMORE).
IT WAS APPARENT THAT TYDINGS USED THE OCCASION TO REPLY TO TWO TOPICS OF DISCUSSION SINCE THE COUNTRY BECAME ENGAGED IN THE WAR IN KOREA--HOW WERE THE NATION'S PREPAREDNESS DOLLARS SPENT IN THE PAST FEW YEARS, AND HOW MUCH AID DID THIS COUNTRY SUPPLY SOUTH KOREA.
TYDINGS SAID REPORTS THAT THE UNITED STATES HAD GIVEN THE SOUTH KOREANS ONLY SOME $200 WORTH OF WIRE WERE UNTRUE.
ACTUALLY, HE SAID, MILITARY LEADERS HAVE TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT SOME $12,000,000 WORTH OF EQUIPMENT WAS LEFT WITH THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY BY TWO AMERICAN DIVISIONS WHO TRAINED THE KOREAN TROOPS.
ON THE QUESTION OF MILITARY SPENDING DURING THE PAST FOUR YEARS--TYDINGS GAVE THIS BREAKDOWN:
$19,860,000 WAS USED TO PAY SOLDIERS, SAILORS AND AIRMEN, TO PROVIDE THEM WITH FOOD, CLOTHING, ETC.
$12,780,000,000 WAS SPENT FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF WAR MACHINES, LIKE AIRCRAFT, BATTLESHIPS, CRUISERS, SUBMARINES, INSTALLATIONS AND THE LIKE.
$8,530,000,000 WAS SPENT ON MAJOR PROCUREMENT--THE PURPOSE OF WEAPONS, PLANES, SHIPS AND THE LIKE.
$2,250,000,000 WAS SPENT FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT TO KEEP WEAPONS UP TO DATE.
$1,860,000 WAS SPENT ON THE NATURAL GUARD AND RESERVES.
$1,390,000,000 WAS SPENT IN SERVICE-WIDE ADMINISTRATION AND ON SECRET PROJECTS.
$780,000,000 FOR RETIRED PAY OF OFFICERS AND MEN IN THE ARMED SERVICES.
$490,000,000 FOR MILITARY PUBLIC WORKS.
$390,000,000 FOR MOBILIZATION AND WAR READINESS.

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(250) WASHINGTON,AUG.13-(AP)-THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY THAT ALL SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRANTS WITHIN THE PROPER AGE LIMITS ARE SUBJECT TO DRAFT UNLESS THEY WERE MEMBERS OF ORGANIZED MILITARY UNITS PRIOR TO JUNE 24, 1948. THAT WAS THE DATE ON WHICH THE PRESENT SELECTIVE SERVICE LAW BECAME EFFECTIVE.
A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL TOLD A REPORTER THAT MEN BETWEEN THE AGES OF 19 AND 26--THE AGE GROUP AFFECTED BY THE LAW--ARE SUBJECT TO DRAFT EVEN THOUGH THEY MAY HAVE JOINED ORGANIZED RESERVE UNITS SINCE JUNE 24, 1948.
THUS, HE SAID, ANY REGISTRANT WHO HAS RECEIVED AN ORDER TO TAKE HIS PHYSICAL EXAMINATION CANNOT DELAY HIS INDUCTION INTO THE ARMED SERVICES BY JOINING THE ORGANIZED RESERVE OF ANY BRANCH OF THE SERVICE AND THUS AWAIT A FUTURE CALL TO ACTIVE DUTY.
LIKEWISE, HE SAID, ANY MALE WITHIN THE DRAFT AGE LIMITS WHO HAS JOINED AN ORGANIZED RESERVE UNIT SINCE JUNE 24, 1948, IS SUBJECT TO CALL AND INDUCTION UNLESS HE ALREADY HAS BEEN ORDERED TO ACTIVE DUTY WITH HIS RESERVE UNIT.

SELECTIVE SERVICE OFFICIALS TOLD A REPORTER, HOWEVER, THAT AS AN ADMINISTRATIVE MEASURE THAT ORGANIZATION WILL POSTPONE THE INDUCTION OF A MAN WHO HAS JOINED AN ORGANIZED RESERVE UNIT SINCE JUNE 24, 1948, AND WHO HAS TAKEN PART SATISFACTORILY IN ALL DRILLS, TRAINING AND DUTIES OF THE UNIT.
ONE OFFICIAL SAID THAT ACTUALLY SUCH REGISTRANTS ARE LIABLE FOR INDUCTION UNDER THE LAW. BUT, HE ADDED THAT MAJ. GEN. LEWIS B.HERSHEY DIRECTOR OF SELECTIVE SERVICE, TAKES THIS POSITION:
"HE (HERSHEY) FEELS THAT MANY MEN HAVE GONE INTO ORGANIZED RESERVE COMPONENTS AND THAT SINCE THEIR CALLS TO DUTY ARE SO IMMINENT AND THE IMPORTANCE OF MAINTAINING THE ENTITIES OF THEIR UNITS IS SO GREAT HE WILL POSTPONE THE INDUCTION OF SUCH A MAN WHO HAS PERFORMED SATISFACTORILY IN HIS UNIT."
THE OFFICIAL SAID NO PAST DATE ON WHICH A MAN MAY HAVE JOINED A RESERVE UNIT HAS BEEN SET AS A DEADLINE IN CONNECTION WITH DEFERING HIS INDUCTION.
HE STRESSED, HOWEVER, THAT POSTPONEMENT OF INDUCTION ON THESE GROUNDS IS BASED STRICTLY ON THE CONDITION THAT THE REGISTRANT SHALL CONTINUE HIS SATISFACTORY WORK WITH HIS RESERVE UNIT IN WHATEVER BRANCH OF THE ARMED SERVICES IT MAY BE.
HE STRESSED, TOO, THAT HERSHEY'S ACTION IS ADMINISTRATIVE SINCE THE LAW DOES MAKE A MAN LIABLE FOR INDUCTION UNLESS HE WAS IN THE RESERVE BEFORE JUNE 24, 1948.
AS FOR ENLISTMENTS, THE SELECTIVE SERVICE OFFICIAL SAID THAT ONCE A REGISTRANT RECEIVES AN ACTUAL INDUCTION ORDER HE MAY NOT THEN ENLIST IN ANY REGULAR BRANCH OF THE ARMED SERVICES. HE THEN MUST TAKE WHATEVER SERVICE TO WHICH HE IS ASSIGNED, AND THAT THIS IS PROVIDED BY LAW.
THE OFFICIAL SAID THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT'S PRESENT POLICY ALSO IS NOT TO ACCEPT ANY MAN AS AN ENLISTEE IN ANY BRANCH OF THE REGULAR SERVICES AFTER HE HAS BEEN ORDERED TO TAKE HIS PHYSICAL EXAMINATION IN THE DRAFT.
HE SAID, TOO, THAT THOSE MEN WHO HAVE NOT BEEN MEMBERS OF AN ORGANIZED RESERVE UNIT ARE NOT NOW BEING ACCEPTED IN SUCH UNITS BY THE ARMED FORCES WHERE IT IS KNOWN THAT THEY ARE IN IMMINENT LIKELIHOOD OF BEING CALLED TO DUTY UNDER SELECTIVE SERVICE.

MEN WHO REACH THEIR 26TH BIRTHDAY OR WHO HAVE DEPENDENTS ARE NOT SUBJECT TO INDUCTION UNDER THE SELECTIVE SERVICE LAW. MANY MEN WHO ARE ORDERED TO TAKE PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS AFTERWARD ARE DISCOVERED TO HAVE PASSED THE AGE LIMIT OR HAVE ACQUIRED DEPENDENTS.

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A-BOMB INSTRUCTIONS
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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 14-(AP)-FIVE YEARS AFTER THE EXPLOSION OF THE FIRST ATOMIC BOMB, THE GOVERNMENT HAS COME OUT WITH SOME SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS ON WHAT TO DO IF ONE HITS YOUR CITY.
THEY ARE CONTAINED IN A BIG BOOK "THE EFFECTS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS" RELEASED OVER THE WEEK-END BY THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.
MUCH OF THE BOOK IS TECHNICAL--PRETTY ROUGH GOING FOR ALL BUT A TRAINED TECHNICIAN--BUT IT HAS SOME DOWN-TO-EARTH SECTIONS ON WHAT A CITIZEN SHOULD DO IN THE EVENT OF AN EXPLOSION. IT ALSO HAS RECOMMENDATIONS FOR COMBATTING CONTAMINATION OF PERSONNEL, HOMES AND OTHER AREAS BY RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS.
HERE ARE SOME TIPS YOU MIGHT DO WELL TO MEMORIZE:
THE FIRST THING TO REMEMBER IS THAT IF A BOMB GOES OFF, THERE WILL BE A SUDDEN INCREASE IN THE GENERAL ILLUMINATION. THE BURST WILL BE ABOUT 100 TIMES AS BRIGHT AS THE SUN.
DON'T WORRY ABOUT RECOGNIZING IT. ONE AEC OFFICIAL. IN DISCUSSING

AN ATOMIC EXPLOSION, TOLD REPORTERS: "IF YOU ARE NOT DEAD ALREADY, YOU WILL RECOGNIZE IT WHEN IT HAS GONE OFF."

BUT DON'T FOLLOW YOUR NATURAL INSTINCTS TO LOOK TOWARD THE SOURCE OF THE LIGHT. GO INTO ACTION RIGHT AWAY, AS FOLLOWS:

IF YOU'RE CAUGHT OUT IN THE OPEN, WITH NO SHELTER OF ANY KIND WIT IN A STEP OR TWO, DROP INSTANTLY TO THE GROUND, AND CURL UP SO AS TO SHADE YOUR BARE ARMS, HANDS, NECK AND FACE. AND HOLD THAT POSITION FOR AT LEAST TEN SECONDS.

THIS WILL NOT PROTECT YOU FROM ATOMIC "RAYS"--IF THEY REACH YOUR AREA--BUT IT MAY SAVE YOU FROM A DISABLING BURN FROM THE BOMB'S TREMENDOUS HEAT, WHICH RADIATES OUT OVER A CONSIDERABLE AREA.

IF YOU ARE WITHIN A STEP OR TWO OF A BUILDING CORNER, A DOORWAY, A TREE--OR EVEN A TRENCH-LIKE HOLE IN THE GROUND--LEAP THERE AND TAKE SHELTER, WITH YOUR BACK TO THE LIGHT. AND ASSUME THAT CURLED-UP POSITION.

(AEC OFFICIALS SAID THAT A SOLDIER IN A FOXHOLE 1500 YARDS FROM A BOMB BURST WOULD BE WELL PROTECTED FROM BLAST, HEAT AND RADIATION EFFECTS OF AN ATOMIC EXPLOSION.)

AFTER TEN SECONDS YOU CAN STAND UP, BECAUSE THE IMMEDIATE PERIL FROM HEAT AND ATOMIC RAYS WILL HAVE PASSED IN THAT TIME.

BUT KEEP YOUR BODY PRESSED TIGHTLY AGAINST THE SIDE OF A BUILDING TO AVOID BROKEN GLASS OR FALLING DEBRIS, WHICH CAN RESULT FROM THE EXPLOSION'S BLAST EFFECTS.

IF YOU ARE INSIDE A HOUSE OR OTHER BUILDING WHEN THE BOMB GOES OFF, DO THIS:

DROP TO THE FLOOR, WITH YOUR BACK TO THE WINDOW. CRAWL BEHIND OR BENEATH A TABLE, DESK, COUNTER, OR OTHER SHELTER. THE CLOSER YOU ARE TO THE INTERIOR PARTITIONS OF THE BUILDING, THE BETTER OFF YOU ARE. THEY ARE RELATIVELY EFFECTIVE IN RESISTING THE BLAST EFFECTS.

THE BOOK OFFERS SOME GENERAL SUGGESTIONS ABOUT STRENGTHENING THE CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS TO RESIST THE BLAST--BUT THEY ALL BOIL DOWN TO THE CONCLUSION THAT IN GENERAL STRUCTURES DESIGNED TO RESIST EARTHQUAKES ARE THE BEST.

THE 456 PAGE VOLUME GIVES THE LOW-DOWN ON THE KNOWN OR POSSIBLE EFFECTS OF A-BOMBS BURSTING IN THE AIR, ON AND BENEATH THE GROUND, AND AT SHALLOW AND DEEP DEPTHS BENEATH THE SEA. IT REACHES THE CONCLUSION THAT THE AIR-BURST TYPE IS THE MOST WIDELY DESTRUCTIVE.

WITHOUT MENTIONING THE HYDROGEN BOMB, IT POINTED OUT THAT THE DAMAGING EFFECTS ARE INCREASED AS THE ENERGY OF ANY ATOMIC BOMB GOES UP--ALTHOUGH NOT IN DIRECT PROPORTION. BUT IT SAID THAT "FEARS ARE GROUNDLESS" THAT ATOMIC EXPLOSIONS COULD EVER CONTAMINATE THE WHOLE WORLD WITH RADIOACTIVITY.

IT ALSO DISCUSSED THE PROS AND CONS OF "RADIOLOGICAL WARFARE"--THE POSSIBLE USE OF RADIOACTIVE POISONS AS A WEAPON DISTINCT FROM EITHI THE A-BOMB OR THE H-BOMB--BUT INDICATED THAT STUDIES ON THIS SUBJECT ARE STILL INCONCLUSIVE.

IT TOLD OF MEDICAL MEASURES DESIGNED TO TREAT ATOMIC CASUALTIES. MEDICAL EXPERTS DECLARED THAT PEOPLE WHO SURVIVE THE INITIAL BLAST AND ITS IMMEDIATE EFFECTS HAVE A GOOD CHANCE OF RECOVERY EVEN THOUGH INJURED. THE MEASURES ARE STANDARD PRACTICES UTILITIZED FOR THE TREATMENT OF BURNS AND OTHER INJURIES.

OFFICIALS SAID THERE IS NO SPECIFIC TREATMENT AGAINST "RADIATION SICKNESS" BUT THAT DRUGS LIKE AUREOMYCIN AND PENICILLIN OFFER MUCH PROMISE OF COMBATTING SECONDARY INFECTIONS THAT CAN ACCOMPANY IT.

THE BOOK ALSO OUTLINED METHODS FOR COMBATTING THE CONTAMINATION OF PEOPLE, HOUSES, CITY STREETS, WATER SUPPLIES AND OTHER THINGS WITH RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS RESULTING DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY FROM AN ATOMIC EXPLOSION.

HERE ARE HIGHLIGHTS:

1. IF YOU THINK THAT RADIOACTIVE DIRT OR OTHER PARTICLES HAVE BEEN DEPOSITED ON YOUR SKIN, RUB VIGOROUSLY WITH SOAP AND WATER. IN A DIRE EMERGENCY, SUCH THINGS AS PAPER, STRAW, GRASS, LEAVES OR SAND WILL REMOVE RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES FROM THE SKIN IF APPLIED WITH VIGOR. ANY MATERIALS USED, THOUGH, MUST LATER BE DISPOSED OF--SUCH AS BY BURIAL--BECAUSE THEY WILL BE RADIOACTIVE.

(IN AN AREA HEAVILY CONTAMINATED BY RADIOACTIVITY, PEOPLE WOULD HAVE TO LEAVE UNTIL THE RADIATIONS HAD SUBSIDIDED TO A SAFE LEVEL. HOWEVER, THEY MIGHT ALSO COME AND GO FOR PERIODS LIMITED SO AS NOT TO GET AN OVERDOSE OF RADIATION.)

2. IF PAVED STREETS ARE CONTAMINATED, FLUSHING WITH WATER--PERHAPS WITH THE AID OF STRONG DETERGENTS, STREET CLEANING, OR VACUUM SWEEPING--MIGHT BE THE FIRST STEPS.

3. CONTAMINATED SOIL ON PARKS AND LAWNS MIGHT BE DEALT WITH BY TURNING THE SOIL OVER.

4. PROPERLY COVERED FOODS, CANNED GOODS OR ANY MATERIALS IN DUSTPROOF WRAPPINGS SHOULD UNDERGO LITTLE OR NO CONTAMINATION. BUT THERE SEEMS TO BE NO FEASIBLE MEANS FOR SALVAGING UNPROTECTED FOOD.

5. CERTAIN PROCEDURES COMMONLY USED FOR THE PURIFICATION OF WATER SUPPLIES SHOULD AID IN DECREASING CONTAMINATION. IN CASE OF DOUBT, OUTRIGHT DISTILLATION OF SUSPECTED WATER SHOULD MAKE IT FIT TO DRINK. THAT WAS FOUND TRUE AT BIKINI, SITE OF A-BOMB TESTS. BUT NOTE: MERE BOILING OF WATER IS OF NO VALUE.

6. PLASTIC PAINTS AND OTHER EASY-TO-REMOVE COVERINGS OFFER MEANS OF PROTECTING SURFACES FROM CONTAMINATION. THE MATERIALS REMOVED WOULD THEN HAVE TO BE DISPOSED OF.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 PM EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY AUG.13)

HOMESTEADS (100)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.13-(AP)-THE RECLAMATION BUREAU SAID TODAY 1,367 WORLD WAR II VETERANS HAVE APPLIED FOR 54 HOMESTEADS ON THE BUREAU'S RIVERTON, WYO., PROJECT, TO BE DISTRIBUTED AUG.26.

ONE OF THE APPLICANTS IS IN ARABIA. THE OTHERS ARE FROM 41 STATES INCLUDING 156 FROM NEBRASKA, 140 FROM COLORADO, 118 FROM UTAH, 108 FROM CALIFORNIA AND 101 FROM WYOMING.

ONLY CONNECTICUT, DELAWARE, MAINE, MARYLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE, RHODE ISLAND AND VERMONT WERE NOT REPRESENTED IN THE FILINGS, THE BUREAU SAID.

A RIVERTON, WYO., EXAMINING BOARD IS WHITTLING THE LIST DOWN TO 162 NAMES WHICH WILL BE PLACED IN A GLASS BOWL AT A CEREMONY AUG.26. WINNERS WILL BE DRAWN FROM THIS GROUP.

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EDUCATION (180)

WASHINGTON,AUG.13-(AP)-THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN CALLED TODAY FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF AN INDEPENDENT U.S.OFFICE OF EDUCATION UNDER AN INDEPENDENT NATIONAL BOARD, PARTLY AS A MEANS TO HELP THE NATION'S EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM MEET MOBILIZATION RESPONSIBILITIES.

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THE OFFICE OF EDUCATION NOW IS A SECTION OF THE FEDERAL SECURITY

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AGENCY UNDER FSA ADMINISTRATOR OSCAR R.EWING.
"GOOD PLANNING NOW IN PREPARATION FOR THE IMPACT OF MOBILIZATION ON EDUCATION WILL AVOID CONFUSION AND SAVE MONEY AND ENERGY," DR. CONSTANCE WARREN, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL AAUW EDUCATION COMMITTEE, SAID IN A STATEMENT DISTRIBUTED TO THE ASSOCIATION'S 1,140 LOCAL BRANCHES.
SHE POINTED OUT THAT IN PROPOSALS FOR MILITARY AND CIVIL DEFENSE PROGRAMS PLANS CALL FOR "USING OUR EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES EVEN MORE THAN WAS THE CASE DURING THE LAST WAR."

SHE COMMENTED THAT MORE THAN 200 EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS ARE BEING CARRIED OUT BY VARIOUS BRANCHES OF THE GOVERNMENT, AND SAID THEY ARE FREQUENTLY IN COMPETITION WITH EACH OTHER AND NOT COORDINATED WITH LOCAL PROGRAMS.
"SINCE WE ARE FACING A LONG, HARD PULL, IT IS NOT REASONABLE TO PERMIT THE KIND OF UNCORRELATED GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS NOW IN OPERATION, WHICH MAY REQUIRE A COLLEGE TO DEAL WITH AS MANY AS 25 FEDERAL AGENCIES IN THE COURSE OF ONE YEAR," DR.WARREN SAID.
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(WX)-HIGH POINT,N.C.,AUG.13-(AP)-REP.DURHAM (D-NC), VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CONGRESSIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE, SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES MUST MAKE WAR ON RUSSIA IF SHE TRIES TO DEFEAT THIS COUNTRY BY USE OF SOVIET SATELLITES.
"STALIN WOULD LIKE NOTHING BETTER THAN FOR US TO BECOME PHYSICALLY SAPPED AND FINANCIALLY BANKRUPT BY WASTING OUR MANPOWER AND RESOURCES AGAINST HIS SATELLITE NATIONS," DURHAM SAID.
"WE SIMPLY MUST NOT LET THAT HAPPEN."
DURING A QUESTION AND ANSWER PERIOD FOLLOWING HIS SPEECH FOR A JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CONVENTION HERE DURHAM WAS ASKED WHAT HE THOUGHT OF RUSSIAN POLICY IN THE UNITED NATIONS.
HE REPLIED:
"WE MIGHT AS WELL KICK RUSSIA OUT OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND TELL THEM WE DON'T NEED THEM ANYMORE." THAT STATEMENT DREW A BURST OF APPLAUSE FROM THE 400 JAYCEES.
IN HIS SPEECH HE EXPLAINED:

IN A SPEECH FOR A JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CONVENTION HERE, DURHAM CONTINUED:
"I THINK THAT IN THE DAYS TO COME, THE PATTERN WILL BE SUFFICIENTLY CLEAR TO TELL US WHETHER OR NOT RUSSIA IS TRYING TO DEFEAT US THROUGH THAT PROCESS.
"IF IT BECOMES CLEAR BEYOND ALL DOUBT THAT THAT IS THE RUSSIAN POLICY, THEN I SAY THAT WE HAVE NO ALTERNATIVE BUT TO GO TO WAR WITH RUSSIA, IN WHICH EVENT, WE MUST PICK THE TIME AND PLACE."
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DENVER,AUG.13-(AP)-THE PUZZLE OF WAR TO SOME OF 13 WOUNDED AMERICANS NEWLY ARRIVED TODAY AT FITZSIMONS ARMY HOSPITAL HERE IS NOT THAT THEY SURVIVED BUT HOW SURVIVAL WAS MANAGED.
TAKE FIRST LT.WILLIAM H.DUSELL, 27, OF WISCONSIN DELLS, WIS., ONE OF THE SECOND GROUP OF KOREAN CASUALTIES TO ARRIVE AT THE BIG HOSPITAL.
DUSELL WAS DIRECTING ARTILLERY FIRE FROM A SMALL PLANE. A YAK FIGHTER BLASTED IT DOWN FIVE MILES BEHIND ENEMY LINES. DUSELL'S BACK WAS BROKEN. HIS OBSERVER SUFFERED A BROKEN ANKLE AND COULD NOT WALK. DUSELL RECOUNTED:
"I DIMLY REMEMBER RIPPING FABRIC FROM THE PLANE--BUT I'M DAMNED IF I KNOW HOW I GOT OUT. WE BOTH LAY THERE FOR AN HOUR WHEN A GOOK CAME BY. HE CARRIED BY OBSERVER OUT ON HIS BACK.
"I LAY THERE ALONE, THEN, FOR EIGHT HOURS, FIVE NATIVES FINALLY SHOWED UP. I GAVE A NOTE TO ONE OF THEM. HE WAS ABOUT 14. HE WENT FOR HELP.
"WHEN HE DIDN'T COME BACK IN SEVERAL HOURS, ONE OF THE OTHERS FOUND A LADDER AND THEY CARRIED ME OUT. WE RAN RIGHT INTO AN AMERICAN PATROL LOOKING FOR ME. THEY'D ENCOUNTERED THE ENEMY AND THE FIRST ONE TO BE HIT WAS THE BOY THAT WAS LEADING THEM TO ME.
"THAT BOY SAVED MY LIFE. I WONDER IF HE'S ALL RIGHT, IF HE'S ALIVE."
ONE OF THE 13, PFC.DON HOIG, 19, OF CURTIS, MICH., NEVER SAW A NORTH KOREAN AT CLOSE RANGE, DIDN'T FIRE A SHOT AT AN INDIVUDLA, ISN'T SURE WHERE HE WAS WHEN HE WAS HIT.
"WE WERE ON THE MOVE ALL THE TIME," HOIG SAID. "I'D ONLY BEEN THERE ONE WEEK. I WAS WITH A MORTAR OUTFIT SUPPORTING A FEW OF OUR TANKS. I'D JUST HAD A HELLUVA GOOD MEAL--HOT--THAT WAS BROUGHT UP FROM THE REAR, WHEN I WAS HIT. HADN'T EVEN DUG A FOXHOLE. ONE OF THEIR MORTAR SHELLS LANDED RIGHT NEXT TO ME. HIT BOTH LEGS. GOT A PIECE OF IT HERE. SEE?"
FIRST LT.ROBERT ELLIOTT, 33, WHO AFTER 10 YEARS IN THE SERVICE SIMPLY RATES HIS HOME AS THE "ARMY," DOESN'T THINK MUCH OF THE NORTH KOREANS AS INBIVIDUAL FIGHTERS. HE GOT MACHINE GUN SLUGS IN THE LEFT THIGH AND SHRAPNEL IN THE ARMS.
"THEIR TANKS AND MORTARS ARE PRETTY DAMN GOOD," HE SAID. "THEY'RE NOT GOOD SOLDIERS X X X USE MOB TACTICS. STOP 'EM AT THE FRONT AND THEY POUR AROUND US ON THE FLANKS. THEIR NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS MAKE THE DIFFERENCE. THEY EITHER FIGHT OR GET SHOT IN THE BACK. THEY DON'T SEEM TO BE AS SMART AS THE JAPANESE WERE."
PVT.HARRY HUTCHINGS, ONLY 17, FROM TAMAROA, ILL., WAS HIT IN THE FOOT BY A SNIPER'S BULLET.
"WHAT DO WE NEED?" HE ASKED IN ANSWER TO A QUESTION, THEN ANSWERED: "JUST ABOUT DOUBLE OF EVERYTHING WE'VE GOT." THEN HE MUSED, "GLAD TO BE BACK? I DUNNO XXX I GUESS SO."
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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.13-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO TODAY REPORTED A STEADY BUILDUP OF DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL FROM COMMUNIST BLOC COUNTRIES IN PYONGYANG, CAPITAL OF RED NORTH KOREA.
THE PEIPING BROADCAST, HEARD BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN SAN FRANCISCO, REPORTED THAT GEN.NI CHIH-LIANG, NEW RED CHINESE AMBASSADOR, ARRIVED IN PYONGYANG YESTERDAY WITH HIS STAFF. NI WAS NO FURTHER IDENTIFIED.
NORTH KOREAN DIPLOMATS MET HIM AT THE MANCHURIAN BORDER, THE BROADCAST SAID.
HE WAS WELCOMED IN PYONGYANG BY SOVIET AMBASSADOR T.F.SHTIKOV, FORMER HEAD OF THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION FORCES IN NORTH KOREA; S. SANDOR, HUNGARIAN MINISTER, AND JAMSHARAN SHAMBUN, OUTER MONGOLIAN AMBASSADOR.
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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP (300)

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TOKYO,TUESDAY, AUG. 15-(AP)-BLOODY BATTLES FLAMED IN THE CURVES OF THE NAKTONG RIVER TODAY AS COMMUNIST COMMANDERS SHOVED MORE TROOPS ACROSS IN AN ATTEMPT TO BREACH ALLIED DEFENSE LINES.

FIELD DISPATCHES REPORTED TWO BATTALIONS OF REDS, NUMBERING MORE THAN 1,000 MEN, POURED ACROSS THE NAKTONG TUESDAY MORNING ABOUT 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, KEY AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS BASE.

THE CROSSING, IN THE TUKSONG BEND, IS ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE CENTRAL FRONT WHERE THE REDS HAVE MASSED 60,000 MEN FOR AN ALL-OUT DRIVE ON THE DRIVER BARRIER PROTECTING TAEGU.

A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID HE HAD NO REPORTS OF TODAY'S BATTLE IN THAT AREA.

A HEADQUARTERS OPERATIONAL SUMMARY SAID U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPERS KILLED 1,000 COMMUNISTS IN THE SAME AREA MONDAY IN REPULSING A PREVIOUS CROSSING NEAR TUKSONG.

THESE CROSSINGS THREATENED THE NORTHERN FLANK OF THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION, ENGAGED IN A MAJOR COUNTERATTACK AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION IN THE CHANGNYONG BULGE JUST TO THE SOUTH. CHANGNYONG IS 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE 24TH BEAT OFF A SERIES OF TANK-LED COUNTERATTACKS DURING THE NIGHT, THEN RESUMED ITS PUSH THIS MORNING. BUT AT 10 A.M., (7 P.M., MONDAY, E. S. T.), THE BRIEFING OFFICER SAID, IT WAS "PROCEEDING SLOWLY."

THE AMERICANS HAVE ADVANCED ROUGHLY A MILE ALONG THE FRONT, SQUEEZING THE ENEMY INTO A NARROWING FOOTHOLD ON THE RIVER'S EAST BANK. THE FRONT WAS NARROWED TO FIVE MILES---ONE MILE LESS THAN WHEN THE AMERICAN ATTACK STARTED MONDAY. AT ITS DEEPEST POINT THE RED FOOTHOLD EXTENDS A LITTLE MORE THAN TWO AND ONE-HALF MILES FROM THE RIVER.

24TH DIVISION TROOPS REGAINED ITS FIRSTY OBJECTIVE BY CAPTURING THE NORTHERN END OF A DOMINATING RIDGE WHERE THEY DUG IN MONDAY NIGHT. THE REDS ATTACKED DURING THE NIGHT.

THE BIG RED PUSH IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR SO FAR HAD FAILED TO DEVELOP AS EXPECTED TUESDAY ON THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF KOREA'S LIBERATION FROM JAPANESE RULE AND THE SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC.

BUT PROBINGS IN FORCE CONTINUED AND A NEW RED OFFENSIVE APPEARED TO BE BUILDING UP IN THE EXTREME SOUTH.

MACARTHUR'S INTELLIGENCE SPOKESMAN SAID AMERICAN AIR POWER APPARENTLY WAS KEEPING THE NORTH KOREANS FROM ASSEMBLING THE NECESSARY ARMOR FOR THE BIG PUSH.

HE REPORTED TWO MECHANIZED BATTALIONS, INCLUDING SOME OF THE COMMUNISTS' BEST TRAINED TROOPS, WERE HURRYING SOUTH APPARENTLY TO LINK UP WITH THE SIXTH DIVISION WHICH WAS BADLY MAULED BY THE FIRST BIG AMERICAN COUNTER-ATTACK IN THE CHINJU SECTOR. REMNANTS OF THE SIXTH APPEARED TO BE REGROUPING FOR A COUNTERATTACK OF THEIR OWN.

THE PICTURE AROUND THE FRONT, READING FROM SOUTH TO NORTH THEN EAST, SHAPED UP LIKE THIS:

CHINJU SECTOR--AMERICANS CONSOLIDATED THEIR POSITIONS ON HIGH GROUND ABOUT FOUR MILES EAST OF CHINJU. OTHER INFANTRYMEN WERE CLEANING OUT POCKETS OF AN ESTIMATED 1,000 REDS TRAPPED IN THE REAR. A POSSIBLE RED COUNTEROFFENSIVE HERE WOULD PREVENT SHIFTING AMERICAN FORCES NORTH TO MEET THE BIG RED DRIVE ON TAEGU.

CHANGNYONG SECTOR--THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION MOVED FORWARD SLOWLY TUESDAY IN A MAJOR COUNTERATTACK AFTER BEATING DOWN TANK-LED RED COUNTER ASSAULTS DURING THE NIGHT. THE BRIDGEHEAD HELD BY THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION WAS BEING STEADILY TRIMMED DOWN, BUT THE REDS CONTINUED TO PUSH ACROSS NEW REINFORCEMENTS.

TUKSONG SECTOR--FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AND ALLIED WAR PLANES SMASHED AT A NEW CROSSING BY MORE THAN 1,000 REDS TUESDAY. AMERICAN HEADQUARTERS SAID A SIMILAR NUMBER WERE KILLED MONDAY.

TAEJON SECTOR--VARIOUS ARMORED UNITS, INCLUDING TWO TANK REGIMENTS, WERE SPOTTED AMONG SIX DIVISIONS MASSED FOR A MAJOR ASSAULT THROUGH WEAGWAN TOWARD TAEJU, 12 AIR MILES TO THE SOUTHEAST.

OPYONG SECTOR--A TANK-SUPPORTED COMMUNIST REGIMENT ATTACKED THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION MONDAY NIGHT FIVE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN. MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY REPORTED THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE "CONTAINING" THIS ATTACK.

NORTHERN FRONT--SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS WITHDREW "TO PREPARED POSITIONS" AND ESTABLISHED CONTACT WITH EACH OTHER. AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE INDICATED THESE WERE MINOR ADJUSTMENTS.

EASTERN FRONT--UNIDENTIFIED U.S. TROOPS PUSHED TO WITHIN HALF A MILE WEST OF POHANG, COMMUNIST-HELD PORT AND FORMER AMERICAN BASE. SOUTH KOREAN FORCES DROVE ON THE CITY FROM THE SOUTH. AMERICAN TROOPS HELD ABANDONED POHANG AIR BASE. THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION, DRIVING FROM THE NORTH, RECAPTURED IMAN, 17 MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG. LOSS OF IMAN AHD NOT PREVIOUSLY BEEN REPORTED.

SEA--A U.S. CRUISER SHELLED THE NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST IN A RAIDING EXPEDITION THAT CARRIED TO WITHIN 100 MILES OF SOVIET RUSSIAN TERRITORY. IT WAS PROBABLY THE NORTHERNMOST STRIKE OF AMERICAN WARSHIPS.

AIR--TWO AMERICAN PLANES WERE LOST AS ALLIED AIRCRAFT FLEW MORE THAN 400 SORTIES MONDAY. "NUMEROUS CASUALTIES" WERE INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY AND EIGHT RED TANKS WERE REPORTED DESTROYED IN HEAVY GROUND SUPPORT STRIKES.

MAIN ACTION CENTERED ON THE WESTERN FRONT. THE DRIVE BY THE 24TH IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA WAS INTENDED TO KNOCK OUT THE MOST THREATENING COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD AND THROW THE PROSPECTIVE RED OFFENSIVE OFF BALANCE. FIERECE RED COUNTERASSAULTS WERE INTENDED TO CHECK THE 24TH'S ATTACK.

THE AMERICANS BEAT THEM BACK WITH NO LOSS OF GROUND, THENN PLUNGED FORWARD IN A NORTHWESTERLY DIRECTION WITH A DRIVE AIMED AT WIPING OUT THE BRIDGEHEAD BY EITHER KILLING THE ENEMY OR CHASING HIM BACK TO THE NAKTONG'S WEST BANKS.

THE ACTION CAME ON THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF KOREA'S LIBERATION ~~FROM JAPAN, A DATE THAT HAD BEEN HERALDED AS THE PROBABLE START FROM JAPAN~~ FROM JAPAN, A DATE THAT HAD BEEN HERALDED AS THE PROBABLE START OF THE REDS' GREATEST OFFENSIVE OF THE WAR.

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BEHIND 45-TON PERSHING TANKS, TROOPS OF THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION HAD STORMED MORE THAN A MILE INTO THE COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD EAST OF THE NAKTONG NEAR CHANGNYONG. THE BLOODY FRONTAL ASSAULT WAS CALCULATED TO THROW THE ENEMY ACROSS THE RIVER AT THAT POINT AND SPOIL HIS OFFENSIVE BEFORE IT BEGAN.

THE AMERICANS SLOWED DOWN IN THE DAWN OF THIS KOREAN "LIBERATION DAY," BUT A FIELD STAFF OFFICER PREDICTED THEY SOON WOULD "MOVE AHEAD OKAY FROM HERE."

THE INITIAL SUCCESS OF THIS AMERICAN PUNCH BROUGHT A MOOD OF CAUTIOUS OPTIMISM TO DIVISION HEADQUARTERS. A SPOKESMAN SAID TUESDAY

MORNING THE SITUATION WAS "HIGHLY SATISFACTORY." HE ADDED THAT HE EXPECTED THE 12,000 TROOPS OF THE OVER-STRENGTH NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION TO START A DRIVE FROM THE BEACHHEAD WITHIN TWO DAYS.

THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH TOOK ADVANTAGE OF DARKNESS MONDAY NIGHT TO MOVE REINFORCEMENTS ACROSS THE RIVER.

A SCORE OF MILES NORTH OF THE CHANGNYONG BEACHHEAD, THE REDS MASSED A HUGE FORCE ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG, FACING WAEGWAN ON THE EASTERN SIDE OF THE RIVER, 12 MILES FROM TAEGU.

IT IS THERE THE REDS HAVE BUILT UP THE GREATEST CONCENTRATION OF THEIR TOTAL ESTIMATED 150,000 TROOPS IN SOUTH KOREA.

AND IN THAT SECTOR, UNITED NATIONS DEFENDING FORCES HAVE KEPT NAKTONG CROSSINGS TO A MINIMUM.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S EARLY MORNING HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE ENEMY WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE THROWN A SECOND UNDER-WATER BRIDGE ACROSS THE NAKTONG ON THE WAEGWAN FRONT.

SUCH BRIDGES ARE MADE OF LOGS CHAINED TOGETHER AND WEIGHTED WITH STONES SO THEY LIE JUST BELOW THE SURFACE. MEN AND ARMOR CAN CROSS THEM, BUT THEY ARE DIFFICULT TO SPOT WHEN NOT IN USE. THE IDEA WAS DEVELOPED BY THE RUSSIANS IN WORLD WAR II.

THE SEVENTH REGIMENT OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION "ANNIHILATED" 500 REDS WHO TRIED TO SNEAK ACROSS THE RIVER THERE MONDA NIGHT, AND DROVE ANOTHER GROUP OF 300 BACK INTO THE WATER.

THESE FIRST CAVALRY ACTIONS TOOK PLACE BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND THE SONGDONG BEND OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. THE BEND IS SOUTH OF WAEGWAN AND IS THE SOUTHERN LIMIT OF THE WAEGWON SECTOR.

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ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, AMERICAN FORCES CONSOLIDATED THEIR POSITIONS ALONG THE HIGH GROUND FOUR MILES EAST OF CHINJU. A TOKYO HEADQUARTERS RELEASE SAID REAR ELEMENTS CONTINUED TO CLEAR OUT POCKETS OF COMMUNIST TROOPS BY-PASSED IN THE U.S. DRIVE TOWARD CHINJU. THE RELEASE ESTIMATED 1,000 REDS WERE UNDER ATTACK IN THE POCKETS. THE REDS WERE REPORTED MOVING SOME TANKS IN THAT AREA HOWEVER, AFTER HAVING ATTACKED THE 24TH REGIMENT OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION SUNDAY NIGHT IN A HOT SCRAP THAT REGISTERED NO GAINS.

AT THE OTHER END OF THE 140-MILE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINE, AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WERE IN ACTION AGAINST A RED UNIT WEST OF POHANG, EAST COAST PORT THAT WAS A U.S. SUPPLY CENTER UNTIL A RED DRIVE FROM THE NORTH FORCED THE DEFENDERS TO GIVE IT UP.

THE AIRSTRIP SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG WAS STILL IN FRIENDLY HANDS BUT NO LONGER BEING USED AS A BASE FOR FIGHTER PLANES.

MACARTHUR'S ANNOUNCEMENT SAID POHANG ITSELF WAS HELD BY 200 UNIFORMED COMMUNIST TROOPS AND AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF GUERRILLAS.

IT WAS ON THE CENTRAL FRONT ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER, HOWEVER, THAT THE DECISIVE ACTION LOOMED.

THERE AP CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH, WITH THE 24TH DIVISION THAT WAS CHEWING AWAY AT THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD, REPORTED THE AMERICANS FELT THE NEXT TWO DAYS MIGHT BE THE DAYS OF DECISION.

MACBETH SAID THAT FROM HIGH GROUND THE REDS HURLED HIGH-VELOCITY FIRE DOWN ON THE 24TH ADVANCE MONDAY, AND THE DAY WAS BLOODY. HE SAW AMBULANCES WITH AMERICAN WOUNDED ROLLING BACK FROM THAT FRONT IN LARGE NUMBERS.

"OUR PREPONDERANCE OF ARTILLERY AND AIR POWER GIVES US AN ADVANTAGE," A STAFF OFFICER SAID, HOWEVER.

ALLIED FIGHTER AND LIGHT BOMBER PLANES PUT FORTH MAXIMUM EFFORT MONDAY IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF THE CENTRAL FRONT GROUND TROOPS, DESPITE WEATHER THAT MADE VISIBILITY ALMOST ZERO.

CARRIER-BASED NAVY PLANES ALSO GAVE CLOSE GROUND SUPPORT ALL ALONG THE FRONT. THEY BLEW UP EIGHT BOXCARS CHOKED WITH AMMUNITION, SET TWO FUEL TRAINS AFIRE, DESTROYED A COMMUNIST MINESWEEPER AND BLASTED LOCOMOTIVES, RAIL CONNECTIONS, TANKS AND FUEL DUMPS.

THE NAVY OPENED UP ON THE REDS SUNDAY FOR THE FIRST TIME WITH A NEW WEAPON--"TINY TIM," AN 11.75-INCH ROCKET WITH TERRIFIC ARMOR-PIERCING POWER. UNTIL "TINY TIM" ENTERED THE FIGHT, THE LARGEST ROCKETS FIRED FROM PLANES HAD BEEN FIVE-INCHERS.

THE NEW WEAPON WAS USED TO KNOCK OUT A BRIDGE AT CHUNGJU, 90 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, AND TO SMASH ENEMY COMMUNICATIONS ELSEWHERE.

B-29 BOMBERS CONTINUED TO POUND BRIDGES, MARSHALLING YARDS AND INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATIONS IN COMMUNIST-HELD TERRITORY. THEIR WORK HAS BROUGHT ANGUISHED CRIES OF "BARBARISM" FROM THE KOREAN COMMUNIST RADIO.

THE RED RADIO ALSO TOOK NOTE OF U.S.COUNTERBLOWS ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER. IT SAID:

"THE ENEMY, UTILIZING THE FAVORABLE TERRAIN OF THE EASTERN BANK OF THE NAKTONG, MASSED ALL HIS AVAILABLE FORCES IN AN ATTEMPT TO LAUNCH SEVERAL COUNTERTHRUSTS AGAINST THE PEOPLE'S ARMY. BUT THE POWERFUL FORCES OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY FOILED HIS ATTEMPT."

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FOURTH LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP (150)

BY MILTON MARMOR

TOKYO,MONDAY,AUG.14-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS LAUNCHED A MAJOR COUNTER ATTACK AT DAWN TODAY AGAINST THE REDS' ONLY BIG BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER, AND BY MIDAFTERNOON HAD ADVANCED ALL ALONG A SIX-MILE FRONT.

THE ASSAULT WAS LAUNCHED AS THE COMMUNISTS MASSED POSSIBLY 150,000 TROOPS ALONG THE ENTIRE WARFRONT ON THE EVE OF THEIR ANTICIPATED BIG OFFENSIVE OF THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN.

THE VETERAN 24TH DIVISION, SUPPORTED BY REINFORCING UNITS, PUSHED FROM 1,000 TO 2,000 YARDS ACROSS THE MUDDY HILLS OF THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR THROUGH HEAVY FIRE FROM MORTARS AND HIGH VELOCITY GUNS, FIELD DISPATCHES SAID.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE 24TH'S DRIVE WAS "PROCEEDING SATISFACTORILY." BY NOON, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETHV REPORTED, THE 24TH'S NINTEENTH REGIMENT HAD TAKEN ALL OF ITS PRIMARY OBJECTIVES.

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A SUMMARY ISSUED EARLY TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TOKYO HEADQUARTERS PLACED THE THREAT NEAR WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, MAIN FORWARD AMERICAN BASE ON THE CENTRAL FRONT OF SOUTH KOREA.

THERE, IT SAID, THE REDS WERE BELIEVED TO HAVE COMPLETED A SECOND UNDERWATER BRIDGE. SUCH STONE AND LOG CROSSINGS ARE SUNK ABOUT A FOOT BELOW THE SURFACE TO ESCAPE DETECTION FROM THE AIR.

TWENTY-THREE MILES SOUTH OF TAEGU, THE AMERICAN 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION COUNTERATTACKED AND SHOVED THE RED FOURTH DIVISION BACK 1,000 YARDS TO A MILE.

MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY, HOWEVER, SAID THE ENEMY STILL WAS MOVING REINFORCEMENTS TO THE RIVER'S EAST BANK IN THAT SECTOR SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG.

THE GREATEST THREAT, HOWEVER, WAS AROUND WAEGWAN, WHERE THE REDS WERE ASSEMBLING THEIR LARGEST FORCE.

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IT IS BELIEVED TO BE THE MOST EFFECTIVE MASS DRAWN FROM 15 DIVISIONS -- 150,000 MEN -- THE REDS HAD SHOVED UP TO THE LONG, CURLING BATTLELINE. AND IT GREATLY OUTNUMBERS ANYTHING THE ALLIES HAVE TO OPPOSE THEM.

A RED ATTACK DOWN THE TAEJON-TAEGU MOUNTAIN VALLEY CORRIDOR WAS EXPECTED MOMENTARILY. TUESDAY IS THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE LIBERATION OF KOREA FROM JAPAN. SUCH ANNIVERSARIES ARE LIKELY OCCASIONS IN ORIENTAL RECKONING FOR DEMONSTRATIONS OF STRENGTH.

AS THE RED THOUSANDS ASSEMBLED WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, AMERICAN TROOPS RECAPTURED MUDDY SLOPES ON THE ALLIED EASTERN SIDE OF THE STREAM FROM SOME OF THE 12,000 REDS WHO CROSSED THE RIVER AT CHANGNYONG, 23 MILES SOUTH OF TAEGU.

THE COMMUNISTS HAVE BEEN TRYING TO BREAK OUT FROM THEIR NAKTONG RIVER-CROSSING BULGE FOR EIGHT DAYS. THEIR OBJECTIVE IS PUSAN, NO. 1 KOREAN PORT IN THE SOUTHEAST 55 MILES FROM TAEGU.

THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION, MOVING UP BEHIND 45-TON PERSHING TANKS, ATTACKED THE RIVER-CROSSERS AT DAWN MONDAY. THEY SHOVED THE NORTH KOREANS BACK FROM 1,000 YARDS TO A MILE ALONG A FLAMING SIX-MILE-LONG SECTOR ON THE ALLIED EASTERN BANK OF THE RIVER.

POINT BLANK, HIGH VELOCITY FIRE MET THE ATTACKING AMERICANS. INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAD MANAGED TO GET ARTILLERY AND POSSIBLY SOME TANKS OVER THE RIVER.

AS WEATHER CLEARED AFTER RAIN, NAVY PLANES, FIRING NEW 11.75-INCH ROCKETS FOR THE FIRST TIME IN ANGER, HIT THE REDS. THEY DESTROYED A BRIDGE WITH THE NEW WEAPON AND BLASTED COMMUNIST TANKS AND ARMORED POSITIONS.

AT THE DEEP SOUTH ANCHOR OF THE BATTLELINE, U.S. MARINES TOOK HILLS JUST OUTSIDE RUBBLED CHINJU. U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION TROOPS POKED THROUGH THE HINTERLAND LOOKING FOR A BATTALION OF REDS CUT OFF BY THE SMASHING AMERICAN OFFENSIVE OF LAST WEEK THAT PRACTICALLY DESTROYED THE RED SIXTH INFANTRY DIVISION AROUND CHINJU.

AT THE OTHER END OF THE 140-MILE BATTLELINE, AMERICAN INFANTRY AND TANKS STILL HELD THE U.S. AIRSTRIP SIX MILES SOUTH OF POHANG, NO. 2 EAST COAST PORT ON THE SEA OF JAPAN. PLANES NO LONGER USED THE FIELD, HOWEVER.

POHANG PORT WAS IN THE HANDS OF A RED BATTALION BUT SOUTH KOREANS WERE CHALLENGING THEM THERE; AT KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST, AND AT OTHER POINTS IN THE POHANG AREA.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID BOTH THE POHANG ONSLAUGHT AND THE CHANGNYONG RIVER CROSSING WERE DESIGNED TO DRAIN OFF AS MUCH ALLIED STRENGTH FROM THE CENTRAL FRONT AS POSSIBLE.

THE REDS HAVE PUT FOUR ELITE DIVISIONS ON THE WAEGWAN LINE. THEY KEEP THROWING OUT PROBING ARMS, HUNTING FOR WEAK SPOTS IN THE ALLIED DEFENSE WORKS.

THE U.S. 8TH ARMY IN KOREA SAID AT 8:10 P.M., MONDAY (5:10 A.M. EST) THE 7TH REGIMENT OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION "ANNIHILATED" A FORCE OF 500 NORTH KOREANS THAT SNEAKED ACROSS THE RIVER. ANOTHER FORCE OF 300 WAS ATTACKED BY THE FOOT CAVALRYMEN LATER AND DRIVEN TO THE RIVER.

A STRONG RED ATTACK AGAINST THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION IN THE WAEGWAN AREA WAS CUT TO BITS BY THE ALLIED INFANTRYMEN, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID. THE 8TH ARMY SUMMARY SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION HAD TRAPPED AN ENEMY BATTALION TO THE EAST OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ALONG THE NAKTONG FRONT.

THE AMERICAN GAINS WERE NOT WITHOUT LOSSES, HOWEVER. FRONT LINE DISPATCHES SAID A STEADY STREAM OF AMBULANCES BORE THE WOUNDED TO THE REAR, ESPECIALLY IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR.

BUT THE AMERICAN SITUATION ALL ALONG THE FRONT WAS DESCRIBED AS HIGHLY SATISFACTORY BY ARMY SPOKESMAN.

FROM THE FAR SOUTHERN END OF THE LINE THERE WERE REPORTS THE ENEMY WAS BUILDING UP ANOTHER FORCE, WITH TANKS, AFTER REGROUPING. AN OFFENSIVE MOVEMENT WAS EXPECTED THERE, AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED, ALTHOUGH AMERICAN FORCES THERE WERE IN COMMAND OF THE SITUATION.

ON THE SOUTH COAST FRONT, AMERICAN MARINES MOVED INTO HIGH GROUND OVERLOOKING THE RUBBLED CITY OF CHINJU. THE MARINES FORMED A LINE FROM THE NAM RIVER, ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF CHINJU, TO PURVIS NARROW TO THE SOUTH.

THE CHINJU HEIGHTS WERE THE OBJECTIVE OF THE MARINE AND ARMY TASK FORCE WHICH SPLINTERED AND DISPERSED THE CRACK NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION ATTEMPTING TO MOUNT AN OFFENSIVE AGAINST PUSAN FROM THERE. PUSAN, KOREA'S NO. 1 PORT ON THE SOUTHEAST TIP, IS 55 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

U.S. ARMY INFANTRY PRESSED FORWARD AGAINST AN ENEMY FORCE NOW ESTIMATED AT BATTALION STRENGTH AT TUNDOK, FIVE MILES BEHIND THE HILLS EAST OF CHINJU. IT APPARENTLY WAS ALL THAT REMAINED OF A NORTH KOREAN REGIMENT THAT WAS BYPASSED AND ENCIRCLED BY THE AMERICAN ADVANCE.

FOR THE EXPECTED ATTACK AT WAEGWAN, 52 MILES NORTH OF CHINJU, THE AMERICANS HAVE GOOD DEFENSIVE POSITIONS EXCEPT FOR THE SHALLOW NAKTONG RIVER. THIS IS THE TAEJON-TAEGU CORRIDOR THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS. INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THIS CORRIDOR WOULD BE THE LOGICAL PLACE FOR AN ATTEMPTED BREAKTHROUGH.

THEY POINTED OUT THE REDS HAVE MASSED THEIR HEAVIEST STRIKING FORCE IN THIS AREA. THEY ADDED THE REDS HAVE MOVED BOLDLY IN DAYLIGHT DESPITE AIR ATTACKS BY ALLIED PLANES.

IT ALL ADDS UP TO A DETERMINED EFFORT TO SMASH THE AMERICAN CENTER AT ALL COSTS, THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID.

THE AMERICANS ATTACKING THE RIVER CROSSING REDS AT CHANGNYONG MONDAY RAN INTO FIRE FROM SELF-PROPELLED ARTILLERY. THE REDS PROBABLY HAVE PUT TANKS ACROSS THE RIVER AT CHANGNYONG ALSO.

CORDUROY BRIDGE APPROACHES HAVE BEEN SPOTTED ON BOTH SIDES OF THE NAKTONG IN THAT AREA. ONE GENERAL STAFF OFFICER SAID THE RUSSIANS PERFECTED A METHOD IN THE LAST WAR OF CONSTRUCTING LOG BRIDGES HELD TOGETHER WITH CHAINS AND SUBMERGED TO PREVENT OBSERVATION. WEIGHED DOWN, THE LOGS SINK ONE TO THREE FEET BELOW THE WATER BUT STILL PERMIT TANKS AND ARTILLERY TO CROSS.

THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION RAN INTO POINT-PLANK FIRE IN ITS ATTACK MONDAY, INDICATING THE REDS HAVE SHOVED SOME ARTILLERY ACROSS THE RIVER.

A HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THE AMERICANS WERE DRIVEN FROM THE CHANGNYONG HEIGHTS SATURDAY NIGHT. THE REDS SET UP ROADBLOCKS THE SAME NIGHT BEHIND 24TH DIVISION LINES BETWEEN YONGSAN AND MIRYANG. HEADQUARTERS SAID THE NORTH KOREANS CUT FOR A TIME THE VITAL SUPPLY ROAD RUNNING THROUGH MIRYANG FROM PUSAN TO TAEGU. BUT AMERICAN TROOPS WIPED OUT THE ROADBLOCKS SUNDAY.

IN THE FIRST HOURS OF THE MONDAY ATTACK, THE AMERICANS REGAINED THE HEIGHTS AT CHANGNYONG.

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AS THE WEATHER CLEARED, ARMY AND NAVY AIRMEN HIT THE RIVER LEAPIN COMMUNISTS WITH BOMBS AND STRAFING ATTACKS.

NAVY FLIERS PUT A NEW WEAPON INTO THE WAR -- AN 11.75-INCH ROCKET CALLED TINY TIM. THEY SAID IT WAS TERRIFIC. IT FIRES AN ARMOR PIERCING SHELL. NAVY FLIERS SAID THEY KNOCKED OUT A BRIDGE WITH THE ROCKET MONDAY.

CARRIER-LAUNCHED PLANES DESTROYED EIGHT BOXCARS LOADED WITH AMMUNITION, TWO FUEL OIL TRAINS, A MINESWEEPER AND 13 LOCOMOTIVES AND DAMAGED 23 MORE.

MARINE PILOTS DESTROYED TWO TANKS, SOME AMMUNITION AND FUEL

DUMPS.
B-29S FROM JAPAN AND OKINAWA ROVED FAR NORTH HITTING NORTH KOREAN BRIDGES, RAIL YARDS AND INDUSTRIAL PLANTS.
ARMY FIGHTERS STRAFED COMMUNIST FRONTLINE TROOPS.

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BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,TUESDAY,AUG.15-(AP)-TWO BATTALIONS OF COMMUNIST TROOPS, OR MORE THAN 1,000 MEN, CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER EARLY TODAY SOUTH OF TUKSONG, ABOUT 20 MILES SOUTH OF WAEGWAN.

THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION REPORTED THE CROSSING WAS MADE BETWEEN 1 AND 4 A.M. (10 A.M. AND 1 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME MONDAY).

THE NORTH KOREAN FORCE CROSSED THE RIVER UNDER STEADY AMERICAN ARTILLERY FIRE. AIR FORCE FIGHTER PILOTS FOLLOWED UP, ROCKETING AND STRAFING THE RED PENETRATION OF THE RIVER LINE THIS MORNING.

AMERICAN INFANTRY OFFERED NO OPPOSITION DURING THE NIGHT. BUT IT BEGAN MOVING UP TODAY TO MEET THIS NEW THRUST, 14 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE CROSSING WAS MADE ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WHICH HAS WIPED OUT A SERIES OF SIMILAR BUT SMALLER ENEMY PUSHES ACROSS THE RIVER.

IF THE COMMUNISTS COULD FORCE A BREAKTHROUGH HERE AND WHEEL SOUTH, THEY COULD HARASS THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION, NOW IN THE SECOND DAY OF A MAJOR COUNTERATTACK AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION WHICH HAS 12,000 MEN ACROSS THE RIVER.

THE NEW PUSH ACROSS THE NAKTONG WAS ON THE SOUTHERN WING OF 60,000 RED TROOPS MASSED FOR AN ANTICIPATED OFFENSIVE TOWARD TAEGU.

IT WAS THE ONLY SIZABLE GROUP ACROSS THE AMERICANS' RIVER DEFENSE LINE EXCEPT FOR THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR.

ELEMENTS OF THE FOURTH COUNTERATTACKED THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION WITH TANKS IN SUPPORT DURING THE NIGHT, 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS REPORTED. BUT THEY FAILED TO GAIN ANY GROUND AND THE 24TH TOOK OFF TODAY ON THE SECOND DAY OF ITS COUNTERATTACK.

WEATHER WAS CLEAR OVER BOTH THE 24TH AND FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTORS, ENABLING THE AIR FORCE TO SUPPLY MUCH NEEDED GROUND SUPPORT AGAINST THE REDS.

AMERICAN PILOTS CENTERED MONDAY ON HEAVY NORTH KOREAN CONCENTRATIONS IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR. THEY SAID THEY DESTROYED EIGHT ENEMY TANKS AND DAMAGED SIX OTHERS. EIGHT FIELD GUN POSITIONS WERE HIT AND FOUR OF THEM REPORTED KNOCKED OUT.

A 5TH AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT DESPITE BAD WEATHER THE AIRMEN GOT IN 200 SORTIES IN THE AREA DURING THE DAY.

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BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 14-(AP)-ALL ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION MADE "SOME PROGRESS" IN A STRONG COUNTERATTACK TODAY NEAR CHANGNYONG, THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID. THE AMERICANS FOUGHT AN ESTIMATED 12,000 REDS.

FARTHER NORTH ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER, UNITS OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ANNIHILATED 800 KOREAN REDS, THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.

THE DIVISION'S SEVENTH CAVALRY REGIMENT REPULSED A LANDING EFFORT NEAR HADONG. THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE AMERICANS ANNIHILATED A LANDING FORCE OF 500 REDS PLUS 200 TO 300 REINFORCEMENTS SENT ACROSS THE RIVER DURING THE BATTLE.

CAVALRY FOOT TROOPERS REACHED THE RIVER AND REPORTED "NO COMMUNIST FORCES REMAIN."

THE CAVALRY REPORTED KILLING 300 REDS IN THE FIRST FOUR HOURS OF THIS FIGHT.

THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION REPULSED A YRED ATTACK ON ITS POSITION (PRESUMABLY ALONG THE NORTHERN FRONT), THE COMMUNIQUE ADDED. ONE RED BATTALION WAS TRAPPED BY UNITS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION, IN POSITIONS EAST OF THE FIRST, BUT THE OUTCOME WAS UNKNOWN.

OTHER SOUTH KOREAN UNITS CONTINUED TO ATTACK IN THE POHANG SECTOR. TO THE NORTH ALONG THE EAST COAST COMMUNIST FORCES WERE ATTEMPTING TO CUT OFF THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION IN THE YONGDOK AREA.

(A BRIEFING OFFICER IN TOKYO SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE FIGHTING IN POSITIONS NORTH OF KUGYE, (CORRECT) ABOUT SIX MILES SOUTH OF YONGDOK. THIS REPRESENTS A SLIGHT RED ADVANCE).

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION CONTINUED MOPPING UP OPERATIONS ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT. IT DID NOT MENTION THE MARINES.

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SECOND LEAD NAKTONG ATTACK (140)

BY JACK MACBETH

WITH THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION, MONDAY, AUG. 14-(AP)-THE REINFORCED U.S. 24TH DIVISION TODAY OPENED A MAJOR ATTACK AGAINST A MENACING COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER AND SCORED ADVANCES UP TO MORE THAN A MILE. THE AMERICANS RAN INTO RED ARMOR FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THIS AREA.

THE 24TH, SUPPORTED BY ARTILLERY AND AIRCRAFT, ADVANCED BETWEEN 1,000 AND 2,000 YARDS ALL ALONG THEIR LINES AGAINST THE REDS' SIX-MILE-DEEP BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE RIVER BARRIER NEAR CHANGNYONG. CHANGNYONG IS 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU.

THE AMERICANS ENCOUNTERED RED ARMOR FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE BRIDGEHEAD BUT WHETHER IT WAS TANKS OR SELF-PROPELLED GUNS WAS NOT ESTABLISHED IMMEDIATELY. THE REDS WERE USING HIGH VELOCITY GUNS IN ATTEMPT TO SLOW THE ATTACK WHICH MAJ. GEN. JOHN H. CHURCH, 24TH COMMANDER, SAID WAS INTENDED "TO DRIVE THE ENEMY BACK ACROSS THE RIVER OR DESTROY HIM ON THIS SIDE."

AMERICAN PLANES WERE CALLED IN TO HIT THE MOBILE GUN POSITIONS. THEY DELIVERED BUT RESULTS WERE NOT KNOWN IMMEDIATELY.

THE AMERICAN ADVANCE WAS ON A SIX-MILE FRONT. A DIVISION COMMAND SPOKESMAN SAID THE ATTACK WAS RUNNING INTO "INCREASING RESISTANCE."

THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD EXTENDS SIX MILES EASTWARD FROM THE NAKTONG AT ITS POINT OF DEEPEST PENETRATION TOWARD TAEGU. (A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID MONDAY THE REDS HAD EXPANDED THE BRIDGEHEAD ABOUT A MILE IN WEEKEND ATTACKS, DRIVING THE AMERICANS FROM HIGH GROUND THEY HAD GAINED PREVIOUSLY.)

LT. COL. MORRIS J. NAUDTS OF (144 HARLEM AVE.) GLENVIEW, ILL., SAID THE 19TH REGIMENT HAD TAKEN ALL OF ITS PRIMARY OBJECTIVES BY NOON MONDAY.

HE SAID THAT SUPPLYING FORWARD TROOPS CONSTITUTES A "TREMENDOUS PROBLEM." AMMUNITION, FOOD AND WATER HAVE TO BE CARRIED OVER HILLS AND GULLIES FOR THE LAST TWO MILES.

CAPT. L.R. JONES OF CLINTON, N.Y., SAID "THE BOYS OF THE 24TH ARE WORN OUT BUT THEY ARE DOING A GOOD JOB IN THIS ATTACK. THEY ARE DOING IT JUST BY SHEER GUTS ALONE."

THE COMMUNISTS IN THE BRIDGEHEAD, JONES SAID, ARE REMNANTS OF THE FOURTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION, REINFORCED WITH REPLACEMENTS. THE FOURTH HAD BEEN "CUT TO PIECES" IN PREVIOUS LIMITED AMERICAN ATTACKS, HE SAID.

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BULLETIN

BY JACK MACBETH

WITH U. S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, TUESDAY, AUG. 15-(AP)-HEAVY TANK-SUPORTED COMMUNIST ATTACKS ON THE NORTH AND SOUTH FLANKS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER BEACHHEAD WERE BEATEN BACK BY U. S. 24TH DIVISION INFANTRYMEN. TODAY

THE AMERICCANS HELD, AND NO GROUND WAS LOST.

AFTER HALTING THE COMMUNIST THRUST IN DARKNESS, THE AMERICANS RESUMED THEIR OWN ATTACK AT DAWN TUESDAY IIN FULL DIVISIONAL STRENGTH.

THE RED ATTACK WAS BACKED BY FOUR TO SIX TANKS. THE AMERICAN SOUTHERN FLANK WAS UNDER SUCH PERSISTENT ATTACK THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT IT HAD TO BE REINFORCED TO TURN BACK THE COMMUNIST COUNTERATTACK.

A 24TH DIVISION SPOKESMAN PREDICTED THAT WITH CLEARING WEATHER THE AMERICANS "WILL HAVE MORE AIR SUPPORT TODAY THAN YESTERDAY" FOR THEIR OWN DRIVE. BAD WEATHER CUT DOWN AIR COVER AT THE START OF THE MAJOR AMERICAN COUNTERATTACK AGAINST THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD.

THE DRIVE TOOK OFF AT DAWN MONDAY IN MUD AND RAIN UNDER ORDERS TO SHOVE THE NORTH KOREANS BACK TO THE NAKTONG RIVER OR DECIMATE THEM.

IN THE FIRST DAY THE AMERICANS GAINED A MILE, INCLUDING SOME POSITIONS LOST TO COMMUNIST THRUSTS SATURDAY NIGHT AND SUNDAY MORNING.

THE PUSH SLOWED DOWN AND THE DOUGHBOYS DUG IN FOR THE NIGHT.

THEN CAME THE RED COUNTERASSAULTS.

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CHANGNYONG (140)

BY JACK MACBETH

WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 14-(AP)-DOUGHBOYS OF THE 24TH DIVISION DROVE TODAY ABOUT ONE MILE INTO THE NORTH KOREAN BRIDGEHEAD EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA.

DIVISION HEADQUARTERS EXPRESSED CAUTIOUS OPTIMISM TONIGHT. A SPOKESMAN SAID THE SITUATION WAS "HIGHLY SATISFACTORY."

BUT THE AMERICAN DRIVE HAD SLOWED DOWN, HE ADDED.

THE AMERICAN GAINS WERE NOT WITHOUT COST. A STREAM OF AMBULANCES CARRYING WOUNDED ROLLED BACK FROM THE FRONT.

"OUR PREPONDERANCE OF ARTILLERY AND AIR POWER GIVES US AN ADVANTAGE," A STAFF OFFICER SAID. "THE WEATHER SLOWED DOWN THE AIR TODAY BUT NOW THAT IS IMPROVING. WE SHOULD MOVE AHEAD OKAY FROM HERE."

THE BATTLE IS BEING FOUGHT IN ROUGH TERRAIN, MARKED BY STEEP HILLS AND POOR ROADS.

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BY STANLEY SWINTON

WITH THE U. S. 24TH REGIMENT, KOREA, AUG. 14-(AP)-RAIN-DRENCHED NEGRO INFANTRYMEN ATTACKED UP A GREEN MOUNTAINSIDE AT DUSK MONDAY IN A NEW EFFORT TO TAKE A KEY POSITION ON THE SOUTH-CENTRAL FRONT.

THEY CALLED THEIR OBJECTIVE "LITTLE CASSINO"--BECAUSE OF THE LIKENESS TO THE FAMED ABBEY AT CASSINO IN ITALY AND THE WORLD WAR II BATTLE FOUGHT THERE.

KOREA'S "LITTLE CASSINO" IS A CRESTED PEAK AMONG THE SAW-TOOTHED RIDGES WEST OF HAMAN. AS THE GERMANS HAD DUG IN AT CASSINO IN ITALY, SO DID THE TOUGH NORTH KOREANS CUT DEEP INTRENCHMENTS IN THE CRAGS AND PEBBKLY STREAM BANKS OF THE KOREAN MOUNTAIN.

THE U. S. TROOPS HAVE HAD HEAVY CASUALTIES IN THEIR CONTINUING ASSAULT ON THE RED POSITIONS.

THE FIGHT STARTED SUNDAY WHEN F-51 MUSTANGS PLASTERED THE ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS WITH 500-POUND EXPLOSIVES, JELLIED-GASOLINE FIRE BOMBS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE.

THEN THE NEGRO INFANTRYMEN JUMPED OFF INTO THE ATTACK. THEY CLAMBERED UP THE SLOPE TOWARD THE SUMMIT. AS AT CASSINO, IT SEEMED IMPSSIBLE THAT THE ENEMY COULD HAVE SURVIVED.

SUDDENLY THE NORTH KOREANS OPENED UP WITH MACHINEGUN FIRE AND OTHER SMALL ARMS. THE ATTACKERS HELD FIRM, THEN WERE FORCED TO WITHDRAW WITH HEAVY CASUALTIES.

ONE COMPANY LOST 50 PER CENT OF ITS MEN.

TJREE TIMES THE AMERICANS ATTACKED THE MOUNTAIN SUNDAY. THREE TIMES THEY WERE DRIVEN BACK. AND TODAY THEY ARE TRYING AGAIN.

"IT'S CASSINO ALL OVER AGAIN---A LITTLE CASSINO," SAID MAJ. HORACE "LITTLE BUTCH" [redacted], A NATIVE OF [redacted], TEX. DONAHO FOUGHT AT CASSINO IN ITALY. DONAHO STEPHENVILLE

IN KOREA---UNLIKE THE OTHER CASSINO---A BATTALION COMMAND POST CAN BECOME A SKIRMISH LINE. MAJ. DONAHO, BATTALION EXECUTIVE OFFICER, GRABBED HIS RIFLE WHEN ONE OF HIS COMPANY COMMANDERS SPOTTED 40 NORTH KOREANS COMING OVER THE HILL TOWARD THE CP.

THE MAJOR LED A SQUAD TO STOP THE ENEMY, PICKING UP HELP FROOM SOUTH KOREAN POLICE NEARBY. WHEN THE REDS SAW THE FORCE, THEY FLED.

MINUTES AFTER THE INCIDENT, THE NEGRO TROOPS BEGAN MOVING INTO POSITION FOR THE FIRST MONDAY ATTACK. FOR TWO HOURS, THEY MOVED OVER THE SCRUBBY HILLSIDE READYING FOR THE ASSAULT.

THE FIGHT FOR "LITTLE CASSINO"---WHICH HAS A BUDDHIST TEMPLE ON ITS SLOPES AS ITALY'S CASSINO HAD ITS MONASTERY AT THE CREST--- WAS ON AGAIN.

AS THIS DISPATCH IS WRITTEN THE GUNS ARE BEGINNING TO CRACK.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD AERIAL.

TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 15-(AP)-AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN WARPLANES HAMMERED REPEATEDLY MONDAY (AT THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT) FACING WAEGWAN WHERE THE REDS HAVE MASSED SIX DIVISIONS, FAR EAST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY.

MORE THAN 400 SORTIES WERE FLOWN DURING THE DAY, INCLUDING 200 IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS.

TWO AMERICAN PLANES WERE LOST. ONE F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTER WAS SHOT DOWN BY GROUND FIRE NORTH OF WAEGWAN. A B-26 WAS THE OTHER CASUALTY.

RETURNING PILOTS SAID THEY DESTROYED EIGHT TANKS, DAMAGED SIX AND WRECKED AN ASSORTMENT OF ARTILLERY AND OTHER VEHICLES. U. S. MARINE AND AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE PLANES JOINED THE ASSAULT.

THE NAVY REPORTED ONE OF ITS PATROL PLANES SANK A 200-[redacted] ENEMY CRAFT OFF THE WEST COAST OF KOREA AND ANOTHER DAMAGED A SECOND COMMUNIST VESSEL OFF THE EAST COAST DESPITE AN ANTIAIRCRAFT BARRAGE. ~~THE PATROL PLANE WAS HIT BY FLAK, BUT RETURNED TO BASE.~~

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SIMULTANEOUSLY THE FAR EAST BOMBER COMMAND ADDED UP THE WORK OF ITS B-29 SUPERFORTS FOR THE PAST FOUR WEEKS AND REPORTED THEY HAD DROPPED 23,000 BOMBS CONTAINING 7,000 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES ON STRATEGIC TARGETS. REPORTED DAMAGE RANGED FROM 30 PER CENT TO "VIRTUALLY COMPLETE" DESTRUCTION.

YESTERDAY THE B-29S POUNDED FIVE PRIMARY BRIDGE TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA BETWEEN THE 40TH AND 41ST PARALLELS.

FIGHTER PLANES PAID SPECIAL ATTENTION TO HAYSTACKS IN THEIR EFFORTS TO INTERRUPT THE BUILDUP OF ENEMY STRENGTH IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HHAL BOYLE REPORTED FROM FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA.

AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN TOLD HIM, "THE ENEMY IS TRYJING MORE AND MORE TO HIDE HIS TANKS IN HAY STAKCS."

IT WAS DURING THESE ATTACKS THAT THE AMERICAN F-51 WAS SHOT DOWN. HIS WINGMAN SAID HE SAW THE PILOT PICKED UP BY NORTH KOREAN TROOPS. FEAF SAID A B-26 WENT DOWN IN ENEMY TERRITORY BUT THE CAUSE WAS UNKNOWN.

B-26 NIGHT INTRUDERS TOOK UPWHERE THE DAY RAIDERS LEFT OFF. THEY SET FIRES IN 15 CITIES RANGING FROM SUCHON IN THE SOUTH TO SEOUL, FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

IN NORTH SEOUL THEY SET OFF TWO LARGE EXPLOSIONS AND THE NIGHT INTRUDERS WENT DOWN AND KNOCKED OUT SOME ANTIAIRCRAFT POSITIONS THAT FIRED ON THEM.

BOYLE SAID "SEOUL CITY SUE" WAS BACK ON THE AIR LAST NIGHT AFTER THE SEOUL RADIO WAS SHUT DOWN FOR A DAY BY AMERICAN BOMBS THAT KNOCKED OUT ITS TRANSMITTER.

FAR EAST AIR FORCES SAIE "NUMEROUS CASUALTIES" WERE INFLICTED IN VARIOUS ATTACKS ON NORTH KOREAN TROOP CONCENTRATIONS. THE RAIDS WERE A CONTINUATION OF THE PREVIOUS DAYS ASSAULTS BY AMERICAN JET FIGHTERS.

THE F-80 SHOOTING STARS, IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS, PLASTERED ENEMY POSITIONS WITH CONVENTIONAL ROCKETS AS THE NAVY ANNOUNCED THE FIRST COMBAT USE OF A NEW ROCKET-TYPE MISSLE--THE SO-CALLED "TINY TIM."

THIS WEAPON, A 11.75 INCH ARMOR-PIERCING ROCKET, WAS USED YESTERDAY FOR THE FIRST TIME IN WARFARE.

NAVY PILOTS SAID THE "TINY TIM" KNOCKED OUT A BRIDGE SUNDAY AT CHUNGJU, 90 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, AS WELL AS ENEMY COMMUNICATIONS. THE BAG INCLUDED 13 COMMUNIST LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED, EIGHT AMMUNITION CARS HIT, TWO FUEL-OIL TRAINS SET AFIRE AND SEVEN CARS OF ENEMY TROOPS STRAFED.

CARRIER-LAUNCHED MARINE FIGHTER-BOMBERS FLEW GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS IN THE CHINJU SECTOR.

THE SAME SECTOR SAW AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG FIGHTERS IN ACTION. THEY HIT AN ENEMY CONCENTRATION OF TRUCKS WITH 500 POUND BOMBS AND FLEW GROUND SUPPORT STRIKES.

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WITH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AERIAL (320)

TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 15-(AP)-SUPERFORTRESS BOMBERS DROPPED MORE THAN 23,000 HIGH EXPLOSIVE BOMBS ON NORTH KOREAN OBJECTIVES IN A MONTH, A U. S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE SUMMARY REPORTED TODAY.

FIVE MAJOR TARGETS FELT THE HEAVIEST BLOWS FROM THE MORE THAN 7,000 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES, SAID THE REPORT OF MAJ. GEN. EMMET O'DONNELL, FEAF BOMBER COMMANDER, IN A REPORT TO LT. GEN. GEORGE E. STRATEMEYER, FEAF COMMANDER.

THE REPORT COVERED RAIDS FROM JULY 13 TO AUG. 12.

MAIN B-29 TARGETS WERE THE WONSAN MARSHALLING YARDS AND OIL REFINERY, THE HUNGNAM CHEMICAL MUNITIONS COMPLEX, THE PYONGYANG MARSHALLING YARDS AND ARSENAL, THE SEOUL MARSHALLING YARDS AND THE NAJIN DOCK FACILITIES. ALL BUT SEOUL, FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL, ARE NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

A SUMMARY OF ACTION AGAINST THESE TARGETS, HIT BY MORE THAN 3,000 TONS OF BOMBS, SHOWED.

TONS OF BOMBS, SHOWED:

TARGET	BOMB TONS	PCT. DESTROYED
WONSAN MARSHALLING YARDS	260	65
WONSAN DOCK AREA	476	30
WONSAN OIL REFINERY	223	80
HUNGNAM CHOSEN NITRO EXPLOSIVE CO.	420	85
HUNGNAM CHOSEN NITROGEN CO.	422	75
HUNGNAM BOGUN CHEMICAL CO.	358	35
PYONGYANG MARSHALLING YARDS	359	VIRTUALLY ALL
PYONGYANG ARSENAL	133	60-75
SEOUL MARSHALLING YARDS	550	VIRTUALLY ALL
NAJIN PORT AND RAIL CENTER	502	UNKNOWN.

THE PRESSURE AGAINST OUTNUMBERED U. S. TROOPS ON THE GROUND CALLED FOR THE BOMBER COMMAND TO BE ASSIGNED TO A TACTICAL MISSION PART OF THE MONTH. AS RESULT, THE REPORT SAID, MORE THAN HALF THE BOMB TONNAGE WAS DIRECTED IN THE INTERDICTION PROGRAM TO ISOLATE THE BATTLEFIELD BY DESTROYING ENEMY ROADS AND BRIDGES.

B-29S WERE EMPLOYED TO THE REAR OF IMMEDIATE BATTLE AREAS DURING THE FIRST PORTION OF THE PERIOD. LATER THEY FLEW NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

MANY BOMBING MISSIONS, BECAUSE OF THE WEATHER, WERE CARRIED OUT BY RADAR SIGHTING ON THE TARGETS. LATER PHOTOGRAPHS SHOWED THE ACCURACY OF RADAR BOMBING.

OPERATIONAL LOSSES WERE LOW. SINCE THE BOMBER COMMAND WAS ACTIVATED ONLY ONE SUPERFORT WAS CRIPPLED SO THAT IT HAD TO BE ABANDONED, THE REPORT SAID.

(PRIOR TO THE ACTIVATION OF THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND ONE B-29 WAS SHOT DOWN BY THE ENEMY).

O'DONNELL'S EARLIER PREDICTION THAT 5,000 TONS OF BOMBS WOULD BE DELIVERED DURING THE MONTH WAS EXCEEDED BY BETTER THAN 2,000 TONS.

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KOREAN AERIAL (450)

TOKYO, AUG. 14-(AP)-THE "TINY TIM," A BIG NEW AMERICAN 11.75-INCH ROCKET, WAS USED YESTERDAY FOR THE FIRST TIME IN REAL COMBAT. RESULTS WERE REPORTED GOOD.

FIRED FROM A CARRIER-BASED U.S. NAVY CORSAIR FIGHTER PLANE, ONE OF THE ARMOR-PIERCING ROCKETS KNOCKED OUT A BRIDGE AT CHUNGJU, 90 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, IN ITS FIRST WAR TEST, AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID.

OTHER CORSAIRS USING THE TINY TIM DESTROYED 13 ENEMY LOCOMOTIVES, DAMAGED 23 MORE, BLASTED EIGHT CARS OF AMMUNITION, SET TWO FUEL-OIL TRAINS AFIRE AND STRAFED SEVEN CARS LOADED WITH COMMUNIST SOLDIERS.

F-80 SHOOTING STAR JETS ROCKETED, BOMBED AND MACHINEGUNNED ENEMY TROOPS MONDAY ALONG THE NAKTONG BATTLELINE. B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS FLEW NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS AS FAR NORTH AS SEOUL, HITTING RAIL YARDS, VEHICLES AND CONVOYS.

THE TINY TIM IS THE SECOND NEW ROCKET-LAUNCHER INTRODUCED IN THE KOREAN WAR. THE FIRST WAS THE 3.5-INCH, FIRED BY A TWO-MAN TEAM--A LOADER AND A HOLDER-AIMER. IT IS FIRED ONLY FROM THE GROUND.

BOTH NEW ONES ARE OUTGROWTHS OF THE ORIGINAL 2.36 BAZOOKA DEVELOPED DURING WORLD WAR II.

THE 2.36 AND 3.5 ARE FIRED WITHOUT RECOIL FROM A SHOULDERED TUBE THAT LOOKS LIKE A KID'S BAZOOKA HUMMING INSTRUMENT.

DESPITE ITS NAME, SAID A NAVY SPOKESMAN, THE ROCKET IS "NEITHER TINY NOR TIMID." IT HAS HIGH EXPLOSIVE QUALITY, HE SAID. APPARENTLY IT IS THE MOST POWERFUL ROCKET-TYPE WEAPON CARRIED BY PLANE IN COMBAT.

NAVY TORPEDO PLANES TESTED THE TINY TIMS IN THE SINKING OF THE RADIO-ACTIVE U.S. BATTLESHIP NEVADA 80 MILES OFF THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS JULY 30, 1948.

THE VETERAN OF TWO WORLD WARS WAS SUNK IN A 4 1/2-DAY TEST TO SHOW WHAT MODERN WEAPONS CAN DO AGAINST BATTLESHIP ARMOR.

THE VESSEL HAD SURVIVED TWO ATOMIC BLASTS IN THE BIKINI TESTS.

SIXTEEN-INCH NAVAL RIFLES AND FIRE FROM SMALLER SHELLS WERE ALSO

POURED INTO HER TOUGH SIDES.
THE INTRODUCTION OF THE POWERFUL TINY TIMS WAS THE HIGHLIGHT OF SUNDAY'S AERIAL WARFARE IN KOREA.

A TIMELY CHANGE FROM BAD TO GOOD WEATHER PLAYED AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN THE DAY'S AIR WORK.
THE LUCKY BREAK IN THE WEATHER PERMITTED U.S. WARPLANES TO GIVE SUPPORT TO AMERICAN GROUND TROOPS LAUNCHING A COUNTERATTACK IN MUD AGAINST THE MASSING REDS ON THE WESTERN FRONT.
JUST AS THE GROUND OFFENSIVE BEGAN AT DAWN, THREATENING CLOUDS DISAPPEARED AND THE PLANES TOOK OFF IN CLEAR SKIES TO BLAST THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS.
AT HEADQUARTERS OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES, THE AERIAL SUPPORT WAS DESCRIBED AS "STRONG AND EXCELLENT."
U.S. AND AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER PLANES POURED ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE ON NORTH KOREAN TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE BUILDUP AREA AROUND WAEGWAN, 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.
OTHER ENEMY TARGETS WERE HARD HIT BY THE ALLIED WARPLANES.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD TOLD OF A U.S. STRAFING ATTACK SUNDAY ON 1,000 COMMUNIST TROOPS IN AN OPEN PLAIN SEVEN MILES SOUTHWEST OF POHANG, A NO-MAN'S-LAND ON THE EAST COAST.
WHITEHEAD SAID PILOTS REPORTED THEY KILLED AND WOUNDED AT LEAST 300 IN STRAFING ATTACKS ON THE EXPOSED TROOPS.
B-29S WERE BUSY SUNDAY NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, HITTING BRIDGES, RAILROADS AND A CHEMICAL PLANT. B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS BLASTED MARSHALLING YARDS AND THE COMMUNIST RADIO AT SEOUL, FALLEN SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL. THE RAID SILENCED THE BROADCASTING STATION, AT LEAST TEMPORARILY.
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WITH TOKYO KOREAN AERIAL (180)
AN AMERICAN AIR BASE IN JAPAN, AUG. 14-(AP)-F-80 SHOOTING STAR JET PILOTS SKIPPED OVER SOUTH KOREAN BATTLE AREAS TODAY IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF ALLIED GROUND FORCES.
CONTROLLERS RADIOED DIRECTIONS ON A MINUTE-TO-MINUTE SCHEDULE AND THE JETS SLAMMED ROCKETS, BOMBS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE INTO ENEMY SECTORS.
"THE CONTROLLER SAID MY AMMUNITION WAS HITTING THE RED TROOPS DESPITE THEIR EFFORTS AT CAMOUFLAGE AND DECEPTION," LT. JAMES J. GILES, INDIANAPOLIS, SAID ON HIS RETURN FROM RIDING THE BATTLELINE BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND POKSONG.
SHOOTING STARS LED BY LT. JOHN W. JACKSON, SOUTH GATE, CALIF., STRAFED AN ENEMY COMMAND POST AT KUMCHON. "WE EMPTIED OUR ROCKETS IN THE COMMAND POST AND THEN STRAFED ABOUT 50 TROOPS ON THE ROAD," HE SAID.
LT. RALPH S. PARR, 438 TURNER ST., CHEVY CHASE, MD., TOLD OF HITTING SOME POWER STATIONS AND A TROOP BILLET NEAR TAEJON. "WE STRAFED THE TROOPS WHO RAN OUT OF THE BUILDING AND MANY OF THEM FELL."
MEANWHILE B-26S OF THE THIRD BOMB GROUP FLEW NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS. THEY HIT RAIL YARDS AT KUMCHON AND STRAFED AND BOMBED VEHICLES AND CONVOYS AS FAR NORTH AS SEOUL.
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TOKYO,TUESDAY, AUG. 15-(AP)-AN AMERICAN HEAVY CRUISER RANGED TO WITHIN 100 MILES OF SOVIET RUSSIAN TERRITORY TO SHELL MILITARY TARGETS ON THE NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST YESTERDAY.
A FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS RELEASE TODAY SAID THE CRUISER WENT ABOVE THE 41ST PARALLEL IIN QUEST OF WORTHWHILE TARGETS. IT OPENED ITS GUNS ON UNIDENTIFIED RAILWAY MARSHALLING YARDS, FACTORIES, AND BRIDGES.
THIS APPARENTLY WAS THE NORTHERNMOST STRIKE BY ALLIED NAVAL FORCES DURING THE KOREAN WAR.
SIMULTANEOUSLY A PATROLLING NAVAL PLANE AND SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL CRAFT SANK A 200-TON ENEMY VESSEL AND NINE JUNKS ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA. THE AMERICAN PLANE ACCOUNTED FOR THE 200-TON CRAFT.
ANOTHER PATROL PLANE ROAMING FAR UP THE EAST COAST DAMAGED A NORTH KOREAN VESSEL WITH ROCKETS. THE U. S. PLANE WAS SLIGHTLY DAMAGED BY ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE.
THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL UNITS CAUGHT THE ENEMY JUNKS ON THE APPROACHES TO INCHON, PORT OF SEOUL, FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL. THEY ALSO MOVED IN CLOSE TO SHORE AND DEMOLISHED TWO BLOCKS OF COMMUNIST BARRACKS WITH THEIR SHELLFIRE.
OFF THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA, WHILE THEIR CARRIERS WERE SKIRTING THE EDGE OF A SMALL TROPICAL STORM, MARINE FLIERS TOOK OFF TO GIVE CLOSE SUPPORT TO AMERICAN GROUND FORCES IN THE SOUTHWEST. MARINE CORSAIR PILOTS REPORTED THEY WKPED OUT ONE TROOP CONCENTRATION NEAR SACHON, IN THE FAR SOUTH, WITH 500-POUND BOMBS, ROCKETS AND JELLIED GASOLINE FIRE BOMBS.
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TOKYO,AUG.14-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN PLANES POUNDED NORTH KOREAN POSITIONS IN THE YOUNGSANG AREA TODAY WITH ROCKETS AND MACHINE GUN FIRE.
RETURNING TO THEIR BASE IN JAPAN AFTER HAMMERING ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS WITHIN 200 YARDS OF UNITED NATIONS TROOPS, THE PILOTS SAID THEY REGARDED THEIR DAY'S WORK AS ONE OF THEIR MOST SATISFYING.
SAID ONE FLIGHT LEADER:
"IT MUST HAVE GIVEN THE COMMIES A SHOCK WHEN WE BREEZED IN. FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE I HAVE BEEN CALLED IN TO MAKE ANTI-PERSONNEL ATTACKS, I WAS REALLY ABLE TO SEE WHAT I WAS SHOOTING AT.
"WE COULD SEE THEIR FOXHOLES CLEARLY AND WE COULD ALSO SEE WHAT THEY WERE PASSING BACK AT US AS WE HAMMERED THEM. FOR THE FIRST TIME IN MY LIFE I SAW A TRENCH MORTAR USED AS AN ACK-ACK GUN."
THE FLIGHT LEADER WAS NOT IDENTIFIED.
AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG FIGHTERS ALSO ATTACKED A CONCENTRATION OF CAPTURED UNITED STATES VEHICLES IN THE PONGGRAM AREA SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU.
THE VEHICLES, GROUPED ON A ROAD AND A RIVERBED, WERE HIT WITH 500 POUND BOMBS, ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE. TWO BIG FIRES WERE REPORTED STARTED.
ONE PLANE WITH A LEAKING FUEL TANK MADE A LANDING IN KOREA, REFUELED AT AN ALLIED BASE AND RETURNED TO JAPAN.
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AN AMERICAN AIR FORCE BASE IN JAPAN,AUG.14-(AP)-A HELICOPTER BROUGHT TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN BACK TO BASE TODAY LESS THAN FOUR HOURS AFTER THE FLIERS CRASH-LANDED THEIR B-26 LIGHT BOMBER IN RICE PADDIES ON JAPAN'S WEST COAST.
THE RESCUED ARE CAPT.RICHARD H.SMITH, 296 CHANDLER ST., ATLANTA, PILOT, AND STAFF SGT.WILLIAM F.COOK, 114 E. 29TH ST., DAVENPORT,IOWA, GUNNER.
THEIR FUEL RAN LOW AFTER A BOMBING AND STRAFING RUN IN THE CHUNGJU AND SEOUL AREA. SMITH RADIOED THE THIRD RESCUE SQUADRON COMMUNICATION CENTER IN JAPAN AND SAID HE WOULD TRY TO LAND AT THE NEAREST AIR BASE.
WHILE A B-17 EQUIPPED WITH A LIFE BOAT WENT OUT TO WATCH OVER SMITH'S PLANE, SMITH FINALLY HAD TO MAKE A BELLY LANDING IN THE RICE PADDY. THE RESCUE SERVICE SQUADRON HELICOPTER PICKED UP THE UNINJURED MEN.
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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 15-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS TODAY REPORTED AMERICAN FORCES YESTERDAY GAINED MORE THAN 1,000 YARDS AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS' CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD AND "COMPLETELY NULLIFIED" RED ATTEMPTS TO CROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER JUST TO THE NORTH.

THE GAIN OF 1,000 YARDS WAS REPORTED IN THE FIRST DAY'S OPERATIONS BY THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION WHICH SHOVED OFF AT DAWN YESTERDAY IN AN ATTEMPT TO WIPE OUT THE RED BRIDGEHEAD NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU.

MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY, ISSUED AT 1:30 P.M., (10:30 P.M., E.S.T.., MONDAY), REPORTED THE 24TH REPULSED A HEAVY COUNTERATTACK DURING THE NIGHT BUT RESUMED ITS FORWARD PUSH THIS MORNING. THESE DEVELOPMENTS, LIKE THE ORIGINAL GAIN, HAD BEEN REPORTED PREVIOUSLY IN FIELD DISPATCHES.

THE SUMMARY COVERED OLD ACTION IN REPORTING:

"ENEMY ATTEMPTS TO CROSS THE NAKTONG NEAR TUKSONG HAVE BEEN COMPLETELY NULLIFIED BY THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WITH COMMUNIST DEAD NUMBERED AT 1,000."

NO MENTION WAS MADE IN THE SUMMARY OF A NEW CROSSING THIS MORNING AGAINST THE FIRST CAVALRY IN THE TUKSONG AREA, ABOUT 14 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE SUMMARY REPORTED THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION HAD CAPTURED IMAN IN A DRI

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E FROM THE NORTH ON CHIDONG, THREE MILES BEYOND. CHIDONG IS EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF RED-HELD KIGYE, WHICH IS NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF THE EAST COAST PORT OF POHANG WHICH THE REDS ALSO HOLD. CAPTURE OF IMAN HAD NOT BEEN REPORTED PREVIOUSLY.

AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME COVERED SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME GROUND AS THE MACARTHUR SUMMARY, NOTING:

"IN GENERAL IN THE LAST 24 HOURS THERE HAVE BEEN NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES."

THE COMMUNIQUE, HOWEVER, REPORTED THAT TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS ON THE NORTHERN FRONT ABOVE TAEGU HAD WITHDRAWN TO IMPROVE THEIR POSITIONS. THESE WITHDRAWALS--APPARENTLY MINOR--WERE BY THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS.

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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 15-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST RADIO AT PYONGYANG MONDAY NIGHT ACCUSED AMERICAN AIR AND NAVAL FORCES OF MAKING "A BARBARIC ATTACK AGAINST A PEACEFUL PEOPLE."

THE NORTHERN CAPITAL'S RADIO SAID AMERICAN NAVAL UNITS SATURDAY BOMBARDED ONGJIN, 92 MILES NORTHEAST OF SEOUL ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA. THE RED RADIO CONTENDED COASTAL BATTERIES REPULSED THE NAVAL ATTACK.

THE COMMUNISTS SAID TWO AMERICAN PLANES WERE SHOT DOWN SUNDAY WHEN A FORCE OF U.S. PLANES ATTACKED IN THE ANJU AND WONCHON AREAS OF NORTHERN KOREA. THE RADIO DID NOT SPECIFY THE TYPES OF PLANES.

THE RADIO ADDED NORTH KOREAN FORCES WERE DRIVING VIGOROUSLY ON ALL FRONTS AGAINST AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.

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TOKYO, AUG. 14-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST RADIO AT PYONGYANG REPORTED TODAY A DELEGATION OF 22 OFFICIALS FROM RED CHINA WAS ARRIVED IN PYONGYANG.

THE PURPOSE OF THEIR VISIT WAS NOT REPORTED, BUT IT COINCIDES WITH THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF JAPAN'S SURRENDER THAT ENDED THE SECOND WORLD WAR.

JL758APD

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BULLETIN

TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.14-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN PREMIER KIM IL SUNG TODAY ORDERED HIS TROOPS "TO DRIVE THE UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES FROM KOREA BY THE END OF AUGUST."

IN AN ORDER OF THE DAY, KIM SAID:

"THE LONGER THIS IS DELAYED THE STRONGER WILL BECOME THE UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSES."

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THE ORDER WAS BROADCAST IN KOREAN FROM THE COMMUNIST CAPITAL BY THE PYONGYANG RADIO AT 3 P.M. (MIDNIGHT EASTERN STANDARD TIME.) IT WAS MONITORED AND TRANSLATED IN TOKYO.

KIM IS CONCURRENTLY COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES. HE TOLD HIS FRONT LINE TROOPS TO "DESTROY THE SOUTH KOREAN AND UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE LAST MAN."

A119FX

HE ORDERED "ALL COMMANDERS TO ACT COURAGEOUSLY, TAKING FULL CONTROL OF THEIR MEN." BY THAT HE PRESUMABLY MEANT TIGHTER MILITARY DISCIPLINE TO CONTINUE THE ATTACK.

THE ORDER OF THE DAY CALLED UPON NORTH KOREAN ARMY UNITS TO "UNITE WITH ALL YOUR POWER IN THE ATTACK."

IT ALSO URGED GUERRILLAS OPERATING BACK OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN LINES TO HARRASS THE UNITED NATIONS POSITIONS.

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TOKYO,AUG.14-(AP)-THE PURPLE HEART WAS AWARDED TO 12 VETERANS OF THE KOREAN WAR WHILE THEY WERE BEING FLOWN TO TOKYO, THE ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY. IT WAS THE FIRST AERIAL PRESENTATION OF THIS DECORATION.

THE PRESENTATION WAS MADE AUG.5 BY MAJ.GEN.EDGAR ERSKINE HUME, SURGEON OF THE FAR EAST COMMAND, ABOARD A C-54 MEDICAL AIR EVACUATION PLANE. RECIPIENTS INCLUDED:

PVT.LEE R.JONES, 508 CAROLINE AVE., BALTIMORE; PVT.EUGENE O'NEAL, ROUTE ONE, STILLWATER, MINN.; PVT.THOMAS FARMER, 329 AVENUE EAST, BAYONNE, N.J.; PFC.CONRAD L.THOMPSON, 16509 BELTONG AVE., DETROIT; PFC.JACOB ALTMAN, 117 CENTRAL, BLACKSHEAR, GEORGIA; PFC.KELBERT WIGGINS, HAYSI, VIRGINIA; CPL.STEVE L.HILL, 701 EAST THIRD ST., PINE BLUFF, ARK.; CPL.HOWARD WINBROUGH, 3346 BAKER ST., N.E., WASHINGTON, D.C.; FIRST LIEUT.ROBERT ELLIOTT, DEER RIVER, MINN., FORMERLY OF IOWA CITY, IOWA, AND FIRST LIEUT.PAUL A.SWANSON, MEADVILLE, PA.

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A69FX

ABOARD A U.S. NAVY CARRIER OFF KOREA, AUG. 14-(AP)-THE MARINES (THACHED-ROOF" (CORRECT) AIR COVER YESTERDAY ROARED TO THE RESCUE OF AN AMBULANCE GROUP REMOVING WOUNDED LEATHERNECKS FROM THE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT.

ENEMY MORTAR AND MACHINEGUN FIRE HAD PINNED DOWN THE AMBULANCE GROUP. MARINE PLANES BLASTED THE NORTH KOREAN POSITIONS.

GROUND TROOPS HAVE NAMED THE MARINE FLIERS THE "THACHED ROOF" AIR COVER IN HONOR OF THE COMMANDER OF THE MARINE CARRIER GROUP--CAPT. JAMES THACH. (WITHOUT THE T).

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POHANG (500)

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, AUG. 14-(AP)-THIS IS THE STORY OF THE DEATH OF AN AIRBASE.

A FIGHTER PILOT TOLD IT IN BROKEN BITS, A FEW WORDS AT A TIME AND THEN A LONG SILENCE. THERE WAS PAIN BEHIND HIS FLAT, COLD TONES.

SOMETIMES HE CALLED THE AIR BASE "HOME" AND THEN A FROWN WRINKLED HIS BROW. MOSTLY HE JUST CALLED IT "THE BASE."

THE BASE IS THE ONE NEAR POHANG WHICH THE AIR FORCE ABANDONED IN THE TEETH OF RED ATTACKS. IT STILL IS IN AMERICAN HANDS, DEFENDED BY INFANTRY AND TANKS.

BUT THE PLANES AND PILOTS HAVE GONE. THIS PILOT WAS SORRY TO GO.

HE TALKED ABOUT THE TIME THEY PUT A FLOOR IN THE MESS HALL AND THE WORK THAT WENT INTO THE FEW SMALL COMFORTS. "NOT MUCH COMFORT, I GUESS," HE SAID, "BUT IT SEEMED PRETTY GOOD. THE CHOW WAS GOOD AND YOU COULD GET A CAN OF BEER SOMETIMES."

HE SAID THE BLUE BAY REMINDED HIM OF THE GOLDEN GATE WATERS AT SAN FRANCISCO.

BUT THEY CALLED IT "CLEVELAND MUNICIPAL AIRPORT" BECAUSE SO MANY OF THE MEN WERE FROM CLEVELAND.

THE SIGN WAS STILL UP, OR HE GUESSED IT WAS, THAT THEY HAD PAINTED, LAUGHING, WHEN THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WAS DUE TO LAND THERE. "WELCOME FIRST CAV! THIS WAY TO CLEVELAND AIRPORT."

AND THE OTHER SIGN--"IF A MEDAL YOU WOULD WIN THIS IS THE PLACE TO BEGIN." THE PILOT THOUGHT FOR A WHILE, GRINNED AND SAID, "OH, YES, AND THEN WE HAD ANOTHER TOO--"WELCOME FRIENDS ALTHOUGH YOU'RE SLOW--WE KNEW YOU WOULD COME, YOU TOLD US SO."

A FEW DAYS AGO THINGS BEGAN TO GO BAD. KOREAN REDS APPEARED IN FORCE ATTACKED POHANG AND SLIPPED INTO THE HILLS, THE PILOT SAID. "COULDN'T TELL WHO HAD THE TOWN. SOME SAID WE DID. SOME SAID THE GOOKS DID. YOU COULDN'T TELL." AND THE PILOTS BEGAN HEARING BULLETS FROM THE HILLS AS THEY LANDED OR TOOK OFF.

"SO WE DUG IN. JUST LIKE THE INFANTRY. IN FOXHOLES ABOUT 25 FEET APART. WE HAD CARBINES AND PISTOLS AND A FEW LIBERATED SOVIET BURP GUNS (AUTOMATIC RIFLES).

"HAD EVERYBODY IN THE FOXHOLES TOO--MECHANICS, PILOTS, K.P'S AND THE C.O."

HE SMILED A LITTLE WHEN HE REMEMBERED THEIR "ALARM". THEY HEARD A SHARP CRACKLING NOISE INSIDE THE CAMP AREA AND SAW BRIGHT FLASHES.

"HELL, WE ALL HIT THE DIRT JUST LIKE THE G.I.S. THEN ONE OF YOUR GUYS, SOME CORRESPONDENT, GOT UP TO LOOK AND SAID IT WAS JUST A COUPLE OF LIVE ELECTRIC WIRES SWAYING IN THE WIND AND TOUCHING."

HE SAID: "YOU KNOW, YOU GUYS WRITE A LOT OF TEAR JERKERS ABOUT THE POOR KOREAN REFUGEES. WELL, YOU CAN HAVE THEM.

"SOME REFUGEES PASSED THE CAMP AFTER THE FIGHTING STARTED IN POHANG. PRETTY SOON WE BEGAN CATCHING BULLETS FROM THE REAR. SEARCH TEH? SURE. WE SEARCHED THEM AND THEY WERE CLEAN AS HELL.

"THEY HAD THEIR WEAPONS STASHED AWAY IN THE HILLS. THOSE WERE YOUR POOR KOREAN REFUGEES."

HE DIDN'T MENTION THE BOMB DUMPS JUST 500 YARDS AWAY. HE JUST SAID: "WE HAD NAPALM (FIRE BOMBS) COVERING EVERYTHING. IF THEY GOT TOO CLOSE THERE WOULDN'T BE ANY SWEAT ABOUT GETTING THINGS OUT. IT WOULD GO UP, NOT OUT."

A MAN WAS KILLED BY SNIPER FIRE FROM THE HILLS THE NEXT DAY.

THEN THE DAY CAME WHEN THEY WERE ORDERED TO EVACUATE. THE PILOT PAUSED FOR A LONG TIME BEFORE HE FINISHED HIS STORY.

"YOU COULD SEE THE GOOKS THROUGH GLASSES BY THAT TIME. SO WE STARTED TO MOVE. IT WAS JUST LIKE A STATESIDE MOVE. NO HURRY. NO SWEAT. THE C-47S (TRANSPORT PLANES) LANDED AND WE LOADED THEM AND THEY TOOK OFF. THE PLACE LOOKED PRETTY BARE WHEN THE TENTS CAME DOWN.

"I GUESS WE WILL GO BACK THERE SOONER OR LATER. SURE WILL SEEM GOOD TO GET HOME AGAIN."

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TOKYO, AUG. 14-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S LEGAL SECTION TODAY APPROVED THE PAROLE OF FIVE MORE JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS. THIS BROUGHT THE TOTAL PAROLED TO 75.

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TOKYO, AUG. 14-(AP)-SAFE CONDUCT PASSES DESIGNED TO ENCOURAGE NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS TO SURRENDER WILL BE SCATTERED OVER CONCENTRATIONS OF ENEMY TROOPS, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH SAID TODAY.

THE LEAFLETS ARE PRINTED IN EYE-CATCHING BLACK AND RED. THEY ARE IN BOTH ENGLISH AND KOREAN. THE UNITED NATIONS EMBLEM IS PRINTED BOLDLY AT THE TOP OF BOTH SIDES OF THE PASSES.

THE LEAFLET INSTRUCTS ALL UNITED NATIONS SOLDIERS TO GUARANTEE HUMANE TREATMENT TO A POSSESSOR OF SUCH PASSES AND TO "TREAT HIM AS AN HONORABLE PRISONER OF WAR."

FOOD AND REST ARE PROMISED THOSE WHO SURRENDERED. THE NORTH KOREANS ARE INVITED TO "HOLD THIS LEAFLET UP OVER YOUR HEAD AND COME OVER TO OUR SIDE."

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TAEGU,KOREA,TUESDAY,AUG.15-(AP)-SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE DECLARED TODAY "THE WORLD KNOWS THROUGH BITTER EXPERIENCE, BESIDES THE PRESENT WAR IN KOREA, THAT SOVIET RUSSIA IS STRIVING TO CONQUER THE WORLD BY FORCE."

SPEAKING ON THE SECOND ANNIVERSAY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE NOW-INVADED REPUBLIC OF KOREA, THE PRESIDENT SAID:

"THE INVADING ENEMY SEEMED TO BE WINNING AT FIRST BUT THE DAY OF THEIR TOTAL DEFEAT WILL SOON BE HERE AND WE SHALL COMPLETE UNIFICATION OF NORTH AND SOUTH UNDER THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA FOR ALL TIME TO COME."

THE PRESIDENT, NOW IN THIS THREATENED PROVISIONAL CAPITAL, CONTINUED:

"THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD SEES THAT LEAVING KOREA TO THE AGGRESSORS WILL MEAN AVOWING CONTIINUATION OF AGGRESSION ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD. SO OUR FRIENDLY NATIONS ARE FIGHTING WITH US IMMEDIATELY FOR KOREA AND INDIRECTLY FOR THEIR COUNTRIES.

"BUT EVEN NOW IF THE SOVIETS WILL REALIZE AND YIELD WE SHALL UNIFY OUR COUNTRY AND STOP THE TRAGEDY OF ANOTHER WORLD WAR. BUT IF THE SOVIET BLINDLY CONTINUES TO GO AGAINST THE WORLD WE AND UNITED NATIONS FORCES SHALL DO AWAY WITH THE AGGRESSOR AND RESTORE PEACE TO THE WORLD."

FOR THE FIRST TIME, HE SAID, MORE THAN 50 NATIONS HAVE UNITED THEIR FORCES IN KOREA AGAINST "THIS COMMON ENEMY."

RHEE ADDED:

"IF THIS HAD BEEN SIMPLY A CIVIL WAR WE WOULD FIGHT IT OUT AND DECIDE THE ISSUE AMONG OURSELVES---NORTHERN COMMUNISTS AGAINST THE DEMOCRATIC PEOPLES OF KOREA. BUT THE FACTS HAVE PROVED THAT'S NOT THE CASE.

"A STRONG POWER BEHIND THE NORTHERN PUPPETS IS USING THEM TO OVER-THROW OUR REPUBLIC AND MAKE THE ENTIRE PENINSULA ONE OF THEIR SATELLITES.

"THAT'S WHY THE FREE WORLD ROSE UP IN INDIGNATION. IF THIS WAR HAD BROKEN OUT THREE OR FOUR YEARS AGO NEEITHER THE WORLD THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS NOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AS A NATION COULD UNITED NATIONS NOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AS A NATION COULD HAVE ENTERED INTO THE STRUGGLE SO PROMPTLY AND COMPLETELY."

THE PRESIDENT SAID CONTINUING THE FIGHTAGAINST THE REDS "MEANS HARD WORK AND GREAT RESPONSIBILITIES ON OUR PART AS WELL AS THE UNITED NATION FORCES." HE CONTINUED:

"THE INDEPENDENCE OF A NATION AND FREEDOM OF A PEOPLE CANNOT BE HAD AS A PRESENT OR A CONTRIBUTION. THE PRICE MUST BE PAID DEARLY BY THE PEOPLE CONCERNED.

"OUR LIBERATION FROM THE JAPANESE (FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY) TOOK PLACE AS A RESULT OF AMERICAN VICTORY IN THE LAST WAR. WE SHALL NEVER FORGET THIS ACT OF GRACE. BUT WE MUST PAY FOR THIS FREEDOM. WE ARE PAYING FOR IT NOW WITH OUR PRECIOUS BLOOD. WE ARE DETERMINED TO FIGHT THIS OUT."

RHEE SAID ALL KOREANS SHOULD BE OBSERVING THIS DAY TOGETHER "BUT THE INVASION BY THE COMMUNISTS NECESSITATED THE TEMPORARY REMOVAL OF THE GOVERNMENT FROM THE CAPITAL CITY (SEOUL) AND FORCES THE PEOPLE TO WANDER HOMELESS ON THE ROADS IN POURING RAIN OR BURNING SUNSHINE."

U. S. AMBASSADOR JOHN J. MUCCIO MARKED THE OCCASION BY PREDICTING "KOREA WILL BE FREE ONCE MORE."

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THE AMBASSADOR SAID:

"THE DATE OF AUG. 15, 1945, BROUGHT TO THE GALLANT KOREAN PEOPLE FREEDOM FROM JAPANESE TYRANNY. THE DATE OF AUG. 15, 1950, BRINGS TO THEM AND TO US ALL THE GRIM REMINDER THAT FREEDOM CANNOT BE ACHIEVED EASILY AND MUST ALWAYS BE DEFENDED AGAINST TYRANNY.

"BUT THERE IS GLORY IN THIS DEFENSE. IT IS A DEFENSE SUBSCRIBED TO AND PARTICIPATED IN NOT ALONE BY THE PEOPLE OF KOREA WHOSE HOMES HAVE BEEN BRUTALLY ASSAULTED. X X X BUT BY THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD THROUGH THEIR STATEMENTS X X X IN THE GREATEST FEDERATION OF INDIVIDUALS AND NATIONS KNOWN IN THE HISTORY OF MAN.

"THE UNITED NATIONS, THROUGH SECURITY COUNCIL ACTION, ROSE SPEEDILY TO AID THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA AND HER CITIZENS TO FIGHT AGGRESSION AND COMBAT TYRANNY.

"WORLD HISTORY HAS SHOWN US THAT TYRANNY DOES NOT WIN. IT IS FREEDOOM AND THE CAUSE AND DEFENDER OF FREEDOM WHO WINS. GERMAN AND JAPANESE TOTALITARIANISM COULD NOT WIN. THE PRESENT DAY IMITATOR OF TOTALITARIANISM WILL NEVER WIN. THE UNITED NATIONS WILL WIN AND KOREA WILL BE FREE ONCE MORE."

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TEXT (170)

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 14-(AP)-TEXT OF HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE NO. 40 ISSUED AT 8:10 P.M. TODAY (5:10 A.M. EST):

THERE WAS NO ACTIVITY IN THE SECTOR OF THE 25TH DIVISION EXCEPT THE CONTINUED OPERATION OF MOPPING UP ENEMY POCKETS.

THE 24TH DIVISION MADE AN AGGRESSIVE ATTACK ON THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD IN ITS AREA, ALL ELEMENTS REPORTING SOME PROGRESS.

THE 7TH CAVALRY REGIMENT ANNIHILATED THE ENEMY FORCE WHICH CROSSED INTO THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR THIS MORNING. EVEN THOUGH THE ORIGINAL FORCE OF 500 WAS REINFORCED BY 200 TO 300 TROOPS LATER IN THE DAY THE REGIMENT PUSHED TO THE RIVER IN ITS COUNTERATTACK AND REPORTS NO COMMUNIST FORCES REMAIN.

THE COMMUNIST ATTACK MADE THIS MORNING AGAINST THE 1ST ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) DIVISION HAS BEEN REPULSED. ONE ENEMY BATTALION WAS TRAPPED BETWEEN UNITS OF THE 6TH ROK DIVISION TODAY BUT THE RESULT OF THE ACTION IS NOT KNOWN.

ALL ROK UNITS IN THE POHANG AREA WERE ATTACKING TODAY WITH SOME PROGRESS REPORTED. COMMUNIST ELEMENTS IN THE YONGDOK AREA ARE ATTEMPTING TO CUT OFF THE ROK 3RD DIVISION.

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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG 15-(AP)-TEXT OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 41 ISSUED AT 1:30 P.M., (10:30 P.M., E.S.T., MONDAY):

IN GENERAL IN THE LAST 24 HOURS THERE HAVE BEEN NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES.

IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR, ESTIMATES ARE THAT THE BY-PASSED ENEMY RESISTANCE CONSISTS OF APPROXIMATELY 3,000. CONTACT IS BEING MAINTAINED WITH THE ENEMY TO THE FRONT.

IN THE 24TH DIVISION SECTOR, AN ATTACK TO THE SOUTHWEST WAS MADE BY ELEMENTS OF THE 19TH AND 34TH RCT (REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM.) THE ATTACK IS CONTINUING TODAY. THE ATTACK HAS COMPRESSED THE ENEMY SOMEWHAT. THE 21ST RCT CONTINUES TO DEFEND ITS SECTOR. THE NORTH KOREANS COUNTERATTACKED BUT THE FRIENDLY TROOPS HELD THE GROUND THEY HAD GAINED.

IN THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR, ELEMENTS ATTACKED THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD, KILLING 1,000 ENEMY AND CAPTURING SOME PRISONERS OF WAR. NORTH KOREAN TANKS AND---

TANKS AND 200 NORTH KOREAN INFANTRY WERE REPORTED MOVING SOUTH INTO THE DIVISION SECTOR. TANKS WERE LATER REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN DESTROYED BY THE AIR FORCE. NO REPORT ON SUCCESS OF THE GROUND ACTION HAS BEEN MADE. IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION AREA THERE WAS LIGHT ENEMY PRESSURE. AN ENEMY POCKET HAS BEEN CONTAINED AND REDUCED CONSIDERABLY.

THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION COMPLETED A WITHDRAWAL AND CONTINUED TO IMPROVE POSITIONS. A SMALL ENEMY FORCE IS IN CONTACT WITH ELEMENTS ON THE LEFT FLANK.

THE ROK EIGHTH DIVISION COMPLETED A WITHDRAWAL TO PREPARED POSITIONS AND ESTABLISHED CONTACT WITH THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION.

THERE WAS VERY LITTLE ENEMY ACTIVITY.

THE ROK 18TH REGIMENT ATTACKED TO THE SOUTH AND SEIZED IMAM AND CONTINUED TO ADVANCE SOUTH.

THE POHANG TASK FORCE MADE SMALL ADVANCES. POHANG AND KIGYE ARE IN ENEMY HANDS. FRIENDLY FORCES HOLD THE AIRSTRIP, ALTHOUGH THERE ARE ENEMY TROOPS IN THE VICINITY.

IN THE YONGDOK AREA, THE THIRD SOUTH KOREA DIVISION REPORTED LITTLE ENEMY ACTIVITY.

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TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.15-(AP)-THE TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S KOREAN RELEASE NO.253, ISSUED TODAY AT 1 A.M. (10 A.M. MONDAY,EST):
OPERATION KEAN FORCES IN THE SOUTH CONSOLIDATED POSITIONS ALONG THE HIGH GROUND FOUR MILES EAST OF CHINJU WHILE REAR ELEMENTS CONTINUED TO CLEAR OUT POCKETS OF COMMUNIST TROOPS BYPASSED IN THE OFFENSIVE. AN ESTIMATED 1,000 TROOPS REMAIN UNDER ATTACK ON THESE POCKETS.
ALTHOUGH THE ENEMY IS STILL MOVING REINFORCEMENTS ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG TO REINFORCE THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION, AMERICAN TROOPS ATTACKED AND PUSHED THE FOURTH BACK APPROXIMATELY A THOUSAND YARDS. ONE ENEMY TANK HAS BEEN REPORTED ON THE EAST BANK IN THIS SECTOR.
IN THE EAST COAST SECTOR COMBINED AMERICAN AND ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FORCES ARE ENGAGING WHAT IS BELIEVED TO BE THE NORTH KOREAN 12TH DIVISION WEST OF POHANG. THE AIRFIELD NEAR POHANG IS STILL IN FRIENDLY HANDS, ALTHOUGH THE TOWN IS HELD BY 200 UNIFORMED COMMUNIST TROOPS AND AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF GUERRILLAS. THE SITUATION IN THE VICINITY OF YONGDOK WAS UNCHANGED.
A SECOND UNDERWATER BRIDGE IS BELIEVED ACROSS THE NAKTONG NORTH OF WAEGWAN.
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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 15-(AP)-THE TEXT OF A FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS KOREAN RELEASE NO. 254 ISSUED AT 12:05 P.M. (9:05 P.M. EST, MONDAY):
PATROL CRAFT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA NAVY YESTERDAY SANK NINE JUNKS IN THE APPROACHES TO INCHON. THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL UNITS ALSO BOMBARDED AND DEMOLISHED TWO BLOCKS OF BARRACKS BUILDINGS.
A U. S. NAVY P-2V NEPTUNE PATROLLING THE WEST COAST OF KOREA SIGHTED AND SANK A 200-TON VESSEL BETWEEN THE 39TH AND 40TH PARALLELS. ANOTHER NEPTUNE PATROLLING FAR NORTH ALONG THE EAST COAST ROCKETED AND DAMAGED A NORTH KOREAN VESSEL AND SUSTAINED SLIGHT DAMAGE FROM THE VESSELS ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE.
A U. S. NAVY HEAVY CRUISER, SEEKING WORTHWHILE TARGETS ON THE EAST COAST, YESTERDAY STEAMED NORTH OF THE 41ST PARALLEL TO BOMBARD RAILROAD YARDS, RAILROAD BRIDGES, TUNNELS AND FACTORIES.
RAILS AND ROADBEDS IN TWO LOCATIONS WERE DESTROYED, AS WERE A LOCOMOTIVE AND FIVE BOXCARS. IN ANOTHER AREA A CONCRETE RAILROAD BRIDGE AND A TUNNEL WERE BOMBARDED. A LARGE NUMBER OF DIRECT HITS WERE SCORED ON THE BRIDGE. TWO PILINGS WERE DESTROYED, THE TRACKS WERE DESTROYED AND THE ROADBED WAS HEAVILY DAMAGED. THE TUNNEL SUSTAINED MODERATE DAMAGE.
WHILE THEIR CARRIER BASE WAS SKIRTING THE EDGE OF A SMALL TROPICAL STORMM, MARINE FLIERS CARRIED ON WITH THEIR CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR. THE MARINE CORSAIR PILOTS WIPED OUT ONE TROOPS CONCENTRATION NEAR SACHON WITH 500 POUND BOMBS, ROCKETS AND NAPALM.
THE BAG FOR THE DAY INCLUDED FIVE TRUCKS AND ONE TANK DESTROYED. ONE STRIKE WAS SENT OVER YOSU TO ATTACK THE RAILYARDS. ONE WAREHOUSE AND A LOADING PLATFORM WERE SET AFIRE.
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TEXT (540)
TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.15-(AP)-TEXT OF FAR EAST AIR FORCE SUMMARY NO. 52 COVERING MONDAY OPERATIONS ISSUED AT 12:15 P.M. (9:15 P.M., EST, MONDAY):
(KOREAN RELEASE #255
IN SPITE OF ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS, WHICH LIMITED GROUND SUPPORT OPERATIONS IN SOUTH AND CENTRAL KOREA, BUT WAS CLEAR FOR VISUAL BOMBING IN NORTHWEST AND NORTHEAST KOREA, THE UNITED STATES FAR EAST AIR FORCES AND AUSTRALIAN MUSTANGS CARRIED OUT ANOTHER FULL-SCALE PROGRAM OF STRAFING AND BOMBING TACTICAL AND STRATEGIC TARGETS DURING THE 24-HOUR PERIOD, AUGUST 14.
MORE THAN 400 SORTIES IN THE 50TH CONSECUTIVE DAY OF OPERATIONS WERE FLOWN, INCLUDING INTERDICTION MISSIONS FAR ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL AND LOW-LEVEL BOMBING, STRAFING AND ROCKET ATTACKS ON ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS ALONG THE ENTIRE BATTLE FRONT IN THE SOUTH.
FIFTH AIRFORCE LIGHT BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS ASSAULTED COMMUNICATION ROUTES AND TROOP CONCENTRATION CENTERS AT YECHON IN THE NORTH SECTOR, TO YOSU, A SOUTHERN PORT, AND AT NAMWON AND KORYONG IN AN ATTEMPT TO DESTROY NORTH KOREAN SUPPLIES AND BLOCK THEIR FLOW SOUTHWARD.
IN MEDIUM ALTITUDE BOMBING ATTACKS, B-26S STRUCK AT THREE BRIDGES, DAMAGING ONE AT YANPOONG, 21 MILES EAST OF SEOUL. AND ANOTHER SEVEN MILES WEST OF WONJU. THESE AIRCRAFT ALSO STRAFED SEVERAL COLUMNS OF TROOPS.
THE DIMINISHING FLOW OF SUPPLIES TO THE NORTH KOREANS WAS FURTHER HAMPERED BY NIGHT MISSIONS, IN WHICH B-26S HARASSED THE ENEMY BY BOMBING AND STRAFING TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY. THEY SET FIRE TO MILITARY INSTALLATIONS AND OTHER TARGETS IN 15 MAJOR TOWNS AND CITIES WHERE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND EQUIPMENT WERE LOCATED. THESE STRIKES CAUSED TWO LARGE EXPLOSIONS--ONE ON THE NORTH SECTION OF SEOUL AND ANOTHER AT SUNCHON. AN ANTI-AIRCRAFT POSITION NEAR SEOUL ALSO WAS HIT.
NIGHT INTRUDERS ATTACKED TROOPS AND CONVOYS AT NUMEROUS POINTS FROM YECHON NORTHWEST TO INCHON AND SOUTH TO KWANGJU. ONE B-26 WAS SEEN TO GO DOWN IN NORTH KOREAN TERRITORY, THE CAUSE BEING UNKNOWN.
TAKING ANOTHER STEP IN THE PLANNED INTERDICTION PROGRAM TO CUT NORTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES FROM THEIR SOURCE OF SUPPLIES, SUPERFORTRESSES OF THE BOMBER COMMAND HAMMERED AT FIVE PRIMARY BRIDGE TARGETS FROM THE 40TH TO 41ST PARALLEL ON THE EAST COAST. ONE-FOURTH OF A RAILROAD BRIDGE, 18 MILES BELOW CHONGJIN ON THE EAST COAST, WAS KNOCKED OUT AND SEVERE STRUCTURAL DAMAGE WAS INFLICTED ON A RAILROAD BRIDGE EIGHT MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHONGJIN. ANOTHER BRIDGE NEAR NANAM WAS HEAVILY DAMAGED BY THE STRIKES, THE BRIDGE BEING KNOCKED OFF THE SUPPORTS. OTHER BRIDGES ATTACKED WERE BETWEEN KONAN (HUNGNAM) AND HAMHUNG.
BOMBING AND STRAFING WITH NAPALM, FRAGMENTATION AND GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS, 300 FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND SIX MARINE, F-4US, FLYING UNDER OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCES, STRAFED TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS ALONG THE BATTLE LINES CAUSING NUMEROUS CASUALTIES. THE RAILROAD YARDS AT KUMCHON WAS SET ON FIRE AND ENEMY BRIDGE RECONSTRUCTION AT ANDONG WAS HAMPERED AND EQUIPMENT DAMAGED. A RADIO TOWER AT SEOUL AND ANOTHER AT PUNWON WERE HIT.
CLAIMS FOR DAMAGED ITEMS OF NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL ALSO INCLUDED 10 GUN POSITIONS. TWO FUEL DUMPS. 29 VEHICLES. TRUCKS AND TANKS,

ONE OIL TANK AND NUMEROUS BUILDINGS HOUSING ENEMY TROOPS.
ONE F-51 FAILED TO RETURN TO ITS BASE.
WHILE FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS WERE CARRYING ON THEIR OPERATIONS, T-6S MADE CONSTANT OBSERVATIONS ALONG THE ENTIRE BATTLE FRONT DIRECTING ATTACKING AIRCRAFT TO PINPOINT TARGETS FREQUENTLY WITHIN SIGHT OF THE U.N.GROUND TROOPS.
CARGO AIRCRAFT LIFTED OVER 131 TONS OF ESSENTIAL MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO THE U.N.FORCES ON THE KOREAN BATTLE FRONT.
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EDITORS:
THE U.S.FAR EAST AIR FORCE OPERATIONAL SUMMARY NO.52 (B84KX) HAS BEEN REISSUED AS KOREAN RELEASE NO.255.
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TEXT (240)
TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG 15-(AP)-TEXT OF GEN. MACARTHUR HEADQUARTERS KOREAN RELEASE NO. 256 ISSUED AT 1:30 P.M., (10:30 P.M., E.S.T., MONDAY.):
YESTERDAY'S ATTACK BY THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION RESULTED IN A GAIN OF OVER 1,000 YARDS AGAINST THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG. A HEAVY COUNTERATTACK LATE YESTERDAY FAILED TO DISLODGE THIS DIVISION FROM ITS NEWLY WON POSITION. THE 24TH RESUMED ITS ATTACK THIS MORNING.
THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION HAS SUCCEEDED IN CONTAINING A TANK-SUPPORTED CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR OPYONG.
ENEMY ATTEMPTS TO CROSS THE NAKTONG NEAR TUKSONG HAVE BEEN COMPLETELY NULLIFIED BY THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WITH COMMUNIST DEAD NUMBERED AT 1,000.
IN THE EASTERN SECTOR, THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION SUCCEEDED IN CAPTURING IMAM IN ITS DRIVE ON CHIDONG FROM THE NORTH. ELSEWHERE IN THIS SECTOR, U.S. ELEMENTS OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES ADVANCED TO WITHIN ONEHALF MILE OF POHANG.
IN THE EXTREME SOUTH, TASK FORCE KEAN IS CONTINUING TO MOP UP ENEMY POCKETS AT PONGAM AND HAMAN.
NAVAL BOMBARDMENT SCORED HITS ON A RAILROAD BRIDGE TUNNEL AND THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT TANCHON.
FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80S, F-51S AND NAVY F-4US FLEW BOMBING AND STRAFING MISSIONS IN THE ANDONG, KUMCHON, POKSONG AND WAEGWAN AREAS. PRELIMINARY REPORTS SHOW THAT TWO TANKS, NINE TRUCKS, TWO VEHICLES, ONE OIL STORAGE TANK, TWO BOXCARS AND TWO GUN EMPLACEMENTS WERE DESTROYED AND AN ADDITIONAL SIX TANKS, SIX TRUCKS, SIX VEHICLES, FOUR GUN EMPLACEMENTS AND TWO SMALL BRIDGES WERE DAMAGED.
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LONDON, AUG. 14-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:
ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, OVERCOMING STUBBORN RESISTANCE OF AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, CONTINUED TO WAGE OFFENSIVE BATTLES.
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH LIBERATED SONGJU AND ADJACENT DISTRICTS CONTINUED THE OFFENSIVE, INFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES ON THE ENEMY. SOUTH OF SONGJU TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY COMPLETELY ROUTED THE ENEMY. IN THESE BATTLES TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, BETWEEN AUGUST 2 AND 10, ANNIHILATED MORE THAN 1,500 ENEMY OFFICERS AND MEN AND TOOK PRISONER MORE THAN 500.
BOOTY CAPTURED INCLUDES TANKS, LORRIES, HEAVY AND LIGHT MACHINE GUNS, 105 MM GUNS, RIFLES, CARBINES AND MUCH OTHER ARMAMENT AND MUNITIONS."
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LONDON, AUG 14-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN EVENING COMMUNIQUE, AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:
ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, HAVING BROKEN THROUGH DEFENSIVE LINES OF AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE PUPPET TROOPS, CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES.
AMERICAN AIRCRAFT AND NAVAL VESSELS CONTINUE BARBAROUS BOMBING AND SHELLING OF PEACEFUL INHABITED AREAS.
ON AUG. 12 AMERICAN NAVAL VESSELS INCLUDING A CRUISER ATTEMPTED TO SHELL POPULATED DISTRICTS OF THE WESTERN COAST OF KOREA NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. COASTAL ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY IMMEDIATELY DROVE OFF THE AMERICAN SHIPS.
ON AUG. 13 AMERICAN AIRCRAFT BOMBED A NUMBER OF DISTRICTS NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY IN VARIOUS DISTRICTS SHOT DOWN SEVERAL AMERICAN PLANES.
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YOKOHAMA, JAPAN, AUG. 14-(AP)-PREFABRICATED STEEL AIRSTRIP MATTING GATHERED FROM FAR-FLUNG PACIFIC ISLANDS IS FLOWING THROUGH THIS BASE TO PROVIDE BADLY NEEDED AIRFIELDS IN KOREA.
THE MATTING, RUSTED AND BENT, HAD LAIN IN THE U.S. ARMY ENGINEER DEPOT HERE SEVERAL YEARS. JAPANESE WORKMEN EACH WEEK REFURBISH 750,000 SQUARE FEET, ENOUGH TO LAY 5,000 FEET OF RUNWAY 150 FEET WIDE.
CPL. NORMAN HICKEY, GROVETON, N.H., IS IN CHARGE OF THE OPERATION.
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A90
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LONDON, AUG.14-(AP)-A COMMUNIST WAR CORRESPONDENT IN NORTH KOREA REPORTED TODAY THAT THREE AMERICAN PRISONERS OF WAR HAVE CONDEMNED AMERICA'S "SAVAGERY" IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING AS SICKENING AND SHAMEFUL.
ALAN WINNINGTON, IN A DISPATCH FROM SEOUL PUBLISHED IN THE LONDON COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER, SAID HE HAD NOT FOUND A SINGLE CAPTURED AMERICAN SOLDIER "WHO IS PREPARED TO DEFEND THE POLICY OF HIS COUNTRY TOWARD KOREA."
WINNINGTON IS THE ONLY BRITISH CORRESPONDENT WITH THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN FORCES. HIS DISPATCH PICTURED THE AMERICANS AS MOUTHING FAMILIAR COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA THEMES.
AN OFFICER HE IDENTIFIED AS MAJ.CHARLES T.BARTER, MT.VERNON, IND., OF THE 63RD FIELD ARTILLERY, TOLD HIM, WINNINGTON SAID:
"I MADE UP MY MIND WHEN I WAS CAPTURED THAT I WOULD NOT LISTEN TO ANYTHING THESE PEOPLE TOLD ME. BUT YOU DO NOT NEED TELLING, YOU CAN SEE FOR YOURSELF. I SAW IT ALL THE WAY ALONG AND I AM SICK AT MY HEART FOR WHAT OUR PEOPLE ARE DOING. EVERY TIME I HEAR ONE OF OUR PLANES MY BELLY TURNS OVER WITH DISGUST. X X X
"THESE PEOPLE HAVE WON THE WAR, AND KILLING MORE PEOPLE THE WAY WE ARE IS JUST SAVAGERY. I THOUGHT AMERICA WAS A CIVILIZED COUNTRY. I HOPE TO GOD WE WILL BE INTELLIGENT ENOUGH TO GET OUT."

WINNINGTON SAID HE HAD ANOTHER INTERVIEW WITH MAJ.L.R.DUNHAM, WHOM HE DESCRIBED ONLY AS "A NEW HAMPSHIRE MAN, NINE YEARS A SOLDIER AND OF THE 24TH DIVISION, 34TH REGIMENT."

THE COMMUNIST WRITER QUOTED DUNHAM AS SAYING THAT "THE AMERICANS KNOW THEY ARE LICKED AND ARE JUST TRYING TO SMASH THE PLACE UP AND KILL PEOPLE.

"I FEEL PRETTY ASHAMED OF MY PEOPLE, AND SEEING WHAT THEY HAVE DONE, WE HAVE BEEN TREATED BETTER THAN WE DESERVE. FOOD GOOD, MEDICAL CARE FINE, TEN CIGARETTES A DAY, WE CAN USE THE PIANO AND WE ARE SAFE FROM EVERYTHING BUT OUR PLANES."

WINNINGTON RELATED THAT CPL.HERMAN GRAFF, CRYSTAL CITY, MO., TOLD HIM "OUR AIR FORCE HAS GONE CRAZY. THEY ARE BOMB-HAPPY OR TRIGGER-HAPPY OR SOMETHING."

THE DISPATCH SAID GRAFF WAS CAPTURED WITH SEVERAL OTHERS IN A RICE PADDY FIELD, BUT THAT TWO G-I'S REFUSED TO SURRENDER AND WERE KILLED.

"I KNOW WE ARE BEATEN," WINNINGTON QUOTED THE CORPORAL. "WE ASKED FOR IT AND WE GOT IT. NOW WE SHOULD GET OUT."

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A121NA

FOLLOW LONDON DAILY WORKER (A90)

MT. VERNON, IND., AUG. 14-(AP)-A NEWSPAPER MAN WHO HAS KNOWN MAJ. CHARLES T. BARTER FOR 15 YEARS DOESN'T BELIEVE THE MAJOR, A CAPTIVE OF THE NORTH KOREANS, SAID THE THINGS A LONDON CORRESPONDENT OF THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER QUOTED HIM AS SAYING.

"IF HE DID, THE WORDS DIDN'T COME FROM HIS HEART," SAID FRANK J. FESSENDEN, PRODUCTION MANAGER OF THE MT.VERNON DEMOCRAT.

"IT'S A DAMN LIE," FESSENDEN FIRST EXPLODED WHEN HE HEARD THE QUOTATIONS ATTRIBUTED TO MAJ. BARTER BY ALAN WINNINGTON, A COMMUNIST WAR CORRESPONDENT IN NORTH KOREA.

"THE MAJOR'S TOO GOOD A SOLDIER," SAID FESSENDEN. "HE FOUGHT THROUGH WORLD WAR TWO AND HAS BEEN IN THE ARMY FOR YEARS.

"I KNOW HE WOULDN'T SAY SUCH THINGS AS THAT UNLESS UNDER DURESS."

THERE WERE OTHERS, TOO, WHO WOULDN'T BELIEVE THAT MAJ.BARTER HAD SAID ANYTHING AGAINST HIS COUNTRY.

AMONG THEM WAS HARRY GERBER, WHO OPERATES A SUPERMARKET. HE SAID: "I HAVE KNOWN MAJ. BARTER FOR OVER 20 YEARS. HE IS 100 PER CENT AMERICAN. NOTHING HE HAS ENCOUNTERED IN KOREA UNTIL HIS CAPTURE WOULD MAKE HIM SAY THE THINGS ALLEGED. I WOULD SAY THIS IS ANOTHER CARDINAL MINDSZENTY CONFESSION."

MAJ.BARTER'S MOTHER, MRS.CARRIE BARTER, WHO LIVES IN MT. VERNON, IS ILL AND SHE WAS NOT TOLD OF THE STATEMENTS ATTRIBUTED TO HIM.

MAJ.BARTER ENLISTED IN THE ARMY AFTER GRADUATING FROM THE RIDGWAY, (CORRECT) ILL., HIGH SCHOOL.

HE COMMANDED A FIELD ARTILLERY UNIT IN THE EUROPEAN THEATER IN WORLD WAR II. AFTER THE WAR HE RESIGNED HIS COMMISSION BUT RE-ENLISTED IN THE ARMY AS A MASTER SERGEANT. FOR A TIME HE WAS STATIONED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA AS AN ROTC INSTRUCTOR AND LATER WAS AN INSTRUCTOR AT CAMP BRECKINRIDGE, KY.

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FOLO LONDON DAILY WORKER (A90)

CRYSTAL CITY, MO., AUG. 14-(AP)-THE FATHER OF HERMAN GRAFF SAID TODAY HE WOULD NOT BELIEVE HIS SON SAID THE THINGS A COMMUNIST WAR CORRESPONDENT QUOTED HIM AS SAYING AFTER HIS CAPTURE BY THE NORTH KOREANS.

A CORRESPONDENT OF THE LONDON DAILY WORKER QUOTED CPL. HERMAN GRAFF OF CRYSTAL CITY AS SAYING "I KNOW WE ARE BEATEN. WE ASKED FOR IT AND WE GOT IT. NOW WE SHOULD GET OUT."

THE FATHER, HERMAN GRAFF SR., SAID HIS SON, 21, WAS A PFC WHEN HE LAST HEARD FROM HIM A MONTH AGO, WHEN HERMAN WAS STILL IN JAPAN. HE HAS NOT BEEN NOTIFIED OF HIS CAPTURE.

"I CAN'T BELIEVE HE WOULD MAKE SUCH A STATEMENT," THE FATHER SAID. "IT'S PURE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA, AND I'LL CONTINUE TO DENY MY SON SAID IT UNTIL I CAN BE CERTAIN."

THE SON HAS BEEN IN THE ARMY TWO AND A HALF YEARS, TWO YEARS IN JAPAN.

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A134WX

FOLLOW LONDON POW INTERVIEWS (A90)

WASHINGTON, AUG.14-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY THAT A MAJ. L.R. DUNHAM IS ATTACHED TO THE 34TH REGIMENT OF THE 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA BUT IT HAS NO CASUALTY RECORD ON HIM AT THIS TIME. HOWEVER, HE MIGHT HAVE BEEN CAPTURED IN THE CONFUSED SMALL-UNIT FIGHTING WHEN THAT OUTFIT FIRST WENT INTO THE LINES, WITHOUT A "MISSING" REPORT COMING THROUGH CHANNELS YET.

MAJ. CHARLES T. BARTER, A 63RD FIELD ARTILLERY OFFICER, WAS REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION IN A CASUALTY LIST ISSUED JULY 22.

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FIRST LEAD PARLIAMENT (A61)

LONDON, AUG. 14-(AP)-CONSERVATIVE LEADERS WINSTON CHURCHILL AND ANTHONY EDEN WILL PRESENT THEIR ARGUMENTS TO PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE WEDNESDAY FOR AN EARLY RECALL OF PARLIAMENT TO TAKE UP URGENT DEFENSE PROBLEMS.

A GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCEMENT TODAY SETTING THE DATE FOR THE CONFERENCE FOLLOWED DEMANDS BY BOTH THE CONSERVATIVES AND LIBERAL LEADER CLEMENT DAVIES TO CUT SHORT COMMONS' SUMMER RECESS.

ATTLEE ALREADY HAS SUMMONED THE LAW-MAKING BODY TO RETURN SEPT. 12. THE OPPOSITION LEADERS WANT PARLIAMENT TO CONVENE WITHIN A WEEK OR 10 DAYS.

IN A LETTER TO ATTLEE MADE PUBLIC BY THE PRIME MINISTER YESTERDAY CHURCHILL WROTE THAT THE DATE FIXED BY THE GOVERNMENT "BEARS NO RELATION TO THE CRISIS AND THE FACTS THAT ARE BEFORE US."

ATTLEE REPLIED THAT THE LETTER DID NOT DISCLOSE ANY PARTICULAR REASON WHY AN EARLIER DATE SHOULD BE CHOSEN AND INVITED CHURCHILL TO CALL ON HIM TO EXPAND ON HIS REASONS.

THE GOVERNMENT'S POSITION IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE THAT ITS PLANS FOR A SWITCHOVER FROM PEACE PRODUCTION TO MEET THE DEMANDS OF A £3,400,000,000 ($9,520,000,000) THREE-YEAR REARMAMENT PROGRAM COULD NOT BE COMPLETED BEFORE THE SEPTEMBER RECALL DATE.

CHURCHILL AND HIS ADVISERS, HOWEVER, ARE BELIEVED TO HOLD THE VIEW THAT ANY DELAY IN GETTING THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM UNDER WAY WILL STRIKE A SOUR NOTE IN AMERICA.

(NO PICKUP)

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A61

LONDON, AUG. 14-(AP)-LEADERS OF BRITAIN'S CONSERVATIVE AND LIBERAL PARTIES HAVE ASKED PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE TO RECALL PARLIAMENT FROM ITS SUMMER RECESS EARLIER THAN THE SEPT. 12 DATE SET BY HIM.

BOTH REQUESTS WERE IN LETTERS TO ATTLEE. THE PRIME MINISTER SAID ALL RELEVANT FACTS HAD BEEN CONSIDERED WHEN HE FIXED THE DATE FOR RECONVENING, BUT THAT HE WOULD BE GLAD TO DISCUSS THE MATTER WITH THE TWO LEADERS.

CONSERVATIVE LEADER WINSTON CHURCHILL DECLARED SEPT. 12 "IS altogether TOO REMOTE AND BEARS NO RELATION TO THE CRISIS AND THE NEW FACTS BEFORE US."

LIBERAL LEADER CLEMENT DAVIES SUGGESTED THAT PARLIAMENT BE RECALLED THIS WEEK.

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A109

LONDON, AUG. 14-(AP)-U.S.AMBASSADOR LEWIS DOUGLAS CALLED ON PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE TODAY AT NO. 10 DOWNING STREET, ATTLEE'S OFFICIAL RESIDENCE. INFORMED SOURCES SAID THEY DISCUSSED THE SITUATION IN KOREA, THE FAR EAST AND SOUTHEAST ASIA.

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PORTSMOUTH, ENG., AUG 14-(AP)-A POSSIBLE CASE OF SABOTAGE ABOARD THE KOREA-BOUND AIRCRAFT CARRIER THESEUS WAS DISCLOSED TODAY BY THE ROYAL NAVY.

A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID ELECTRICAL WIRING WHICH LED TO THE SHIP'S GYRO COMPASS WAS FOUND SLASHED. HE ADDED THAT THE DAMAGE WAS "EASILY REPARABLE."

THE THESEUS LEFT TODAY FOR SPITHEAD FOR TRIALS. IT IS EXPECTED TO LEAVE FOR THE ORIENT FRIDAY. A 10,000-TONNER, IT CARRIES 40 PLANES AND A CREW OF 850.

THE INCIDENT WAS THE LATEST OF A DOZEN INVOLVING SHIPS OF THE ROYAL NAVY. MOST SERIOUS WAS A FIRE LAST MONTH WHICH BLEW UP NINE AMMUNITION LIGHTERS IN THE HARBOR HERE. THIS RESULTED IN DAMAGE CLAIMS BY CIVILIAN RESIDENTS OF THE AREA TOTALING MORE THAN £100,000 ($280,000).

PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE TOLD THE HOUSE OF COMMONS THE EXPLOSIONS RESULTED FROM SABOTAGE BY SOME ONE WITH "CONSIDERABLE SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M. E.S.T. TODAY, MONDAY, AUG.14)

(ADVANCE) LONDON,AUG.15-(TUESDAY)-(AP)-VICE-ADMIRAL CHARLES H.L.WOODHOUSE, BRITISH NAVAL HERO, WAS PLACED ON THE RETIRED LIST TODAY.

HE WAS IN COMMAND OF THE CRUISER AJAX WHICH WITH TWO OTHER BRITISH MEN OF WAR DEFEATED THE GERMAN POCKET BATTLESHIP ADMIRAL GRAF SPEE IN THE BATTLE OF THE RIVER PLATE, URUGUAY, IN DECEMBER, 1939. HE WAS A CAPTAIN AT THE TIME.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M., E.S.T., TODAY, MONDAY, AUG.14)

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A9

NIGHT LEAD EUROPEAN (360)

BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 14-(AP)-BRITISH LABOR AND CONSERVATIVE MEMBERS, IN A RARE SHOW OF UNITY IN THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY, MADE A STRONG ATTACK TODAY ON THE SCHUMAN PLAN TO POOL EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL.

GERMAN MEMBERS OF THE 13-NATION PARLIAMENT, WHICH CAN DEBATE AND RECOMMEND BUT NOT LEGISLATE, CLASHED WITH THEIR BRITISH COLLEAGUES IN A SPIRITED DEFENSE OF THE SCHUMAN PLAN.

EARLIER, CONSTANTIN TSALDARIS, FORMER GREEK PREMIER, PROPOSED A SHORTCUT TO BEGIN IMMEDIATE INTER-GOVERNMENT TALKS TO SET UP A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY. HIS PROPOSAL WOULD GIVE ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT PAUL-HENRI SPAAK OF BELGIUM AUTHORITY TO ENLIST THE AID OF LEADERS IN THE NATIONAL PARLIAMENTS TO PRESSURE THEIR GOVERNMENTS INTO BEGINNING DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS.

NORMALLY, ALL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS ARE FORWARDED TO AN UPPER HOUSE, OR MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE COMPOSED OF A MINISTER FROM EACH NATION, WHERE THE MEASURES ARE PASSED UPON.

THE ASSEMBLY APPROVED A PROPOSAL BY WINSTON CHURCHILL OF BRITAIN LAST WEEK THAT A EUROPEAN ARMY BE CREATED UNDER A EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTRY.

THE BRITISH ARE SPONSORING A PROJECT TO PUT THE PROPOSED COAL-STEEL POOL UNDER THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL HERE. THE BRITISH WOULD THUS HAVE A VETO OVER THE INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY WHICH WOULD CONTROL COAL AND STEEL.

MAURICE EDELMAN, LABOR MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, AND DAVID ECCLES, CONSERVATIVE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, BOTH ATTACKED THE PLAN OF FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN AS "UNDEMOCRATIC" AND A "MENACE TO SECURITY."

EDELMAN SAID IT WOULD HAMSTRING WESTERN DEFENSE PREPARATIONS.

"WE WERE NOT AND ARE NOT READY TO DELEGATE OUR STEEL INDUSTRIES TO A SUPRA-NATIONAL AUTHORITY WHICH IN OUR VIEW IS ARBITRARY AND UNDEMOCRATIC," HE SAID.

ECCLES SAID "IT IS POSSIBLE TO PAY TOO HIGH A POLITICAL PRICE FOR ECONOMIC INTEGRATION. COAL AND STEEL ARE SO VITAL TO THE LIFE OF THE MODERN STATE THAT WHEN IT IS TAKEN OUT OF THE HANDS OF A NATIONAL GOVERNMENT THAT GOVERNMENT BECOMES THE SERVANT OF THE AGENCY TO WHICH IT IS TRANSFERRED."

BOTH ERIC NOETLING, A GERMAN SOCIALIST, AND HERMANN SCHAFER, A GERMAN FREE DEMOCRAT, STRONGLY BACKED THE SCHUMAN PLAN. BOTH INSISTED ON DIVORCING IT FROM THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL WHERE THEY SAID IT WOULD BE TORPEDOED.

BOTH INSISTED THAT GERMANY SHOULD HAVE FULL EQUALITY IN THE POOL, HOWEVER. NOETLING SAID PRESENT LIMITATIONS ON STEEL PRODUCTION SHOULD BE ABOLISHED, ALONG WITH THE INTERNATIONAL RUHR AUTHORITY WHICH NOW CONTROLS THE BULK OF GERMAN COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

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A97
FIRST LEAD COUNCIL OF EUROPE
BY PHILIP CLARKE
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 14-(AP)-CONSTANTIN TSALDARIS FORMALLY PROPOSED TODAY THAT WESTERN EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS BEGIN IMMEDIATE NEGOTIATIONS FOR A UNIFIED ARMY.
HE ASKED THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TO ENTRUST ITS PPRESIDENT PAUL-HENRI SPAAK OF BELGIUM, WITH CARRYING OUT THE FIRST PRELIMINARY STEPS.
TSALDARIS, FORMER GREEK PREMIER, URGED THE ASSEMBLY TO "START THE MACHINERY IN MOTION" FOR CREATION OF THE JRMY PROPOSED BY WINSTON CHURCHILL BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY LAST FRIDAY. SPAAK ENDORSED THE PLAN AND THE ASSEMBLY SPEEDILY APPROVED IT. CHURCHILL, BRITAIN'S WARTIME PRIME MINISTER, HAD WARNED THERE IS "NOT A DAY TO LOSE" FOR WESTERN EUROPE TO ARM ITSELF AGAINST SOVIET AGGRESSION.
SPAAK WOULD BE ASKED TO ADOPT WHATEVER PROCEDURE HE JUDGED BEST TO ENLIST THE SUPPORT OF THE HEADS OF NATIONAL PARLIAMENTS. THE PARLIAMENTARY LEADERS IN TURN WOULD BE ASKED TO PUT PRESSURE ON THEIR RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTS TO CARRY OUT CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL.
THE PARLIAMENTARY LEADERS WOULD DEMAND:
1. IMMEDIATE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE VARIOUS WESTERN EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS TO ADOPT NECESSARY MEASURES FOR CREATING A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY.
2. SPECIAL SESSIONS OF PARLIAMENT, IF NECESSARY, TO BACK UP THE PROPOSAL.
3. DRAFTING OF A CONVENTION, SUBJECT TO QUICK RATIFICATION BY PARLIAMENTS, SETTING UP THE STATUTES OF A EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTRY.
TSALDARIS SAID BOTH SPAAK AND CHURCHILL HAD EXPRESSED INTEREST IN HIS PROPOSAL. THE GREEK LEADER ADDED THAT IT WOULD BE A SHORT-CUT TO IMMEDIATE CREATION OF A EUROPEAN ARMY.
THE ASSEMBLY SUB-COMMITTEE ON SECURITY SCHEDULED AFTERNOON AND EVENING MEETINGS TO MAP A MASTER PLAN FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE INDIVIDUAL WEST EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS. THE COUNCIL'S RECOMMENDATIONS ARE NOT BINDING ON MEMBER GOVERNMENTS.
THE SECURITY GROUP, COMPOSED OF SOME 15 OF THE ASSEMBLY'S 125 MEMBERS, HAD LITTLE CONCRETE WITH WHICH TO BEGIN. CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL, ADOPTED BY THE ASSEMBLY LAST FRIDAY, CALLED ONLY FOR THE "IMMEDIATE CREATION OF A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF A EUROPEAN MINISTER OF DEFENSE, SUBJECT TO PROPER EUROPEAN DEMOCRATIC CONTROL AND ACTING IN FULL COOPERATION WITH THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA."
LEON MACCAS, GREEK MINISTER OF MARINE, SAID HE WOULD PROPOSE IMMEDIATE DIRECT CONSULTATIONS BETWEEN THE SECURITY GROUP AND THE EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS.
HE SAID THIS WOULD SAVE VALUABLE TIME IN DRAFTING A PLAN SUITABLE TO THE VARIOUS GOVERNMENTS. PRESUMABLY THE ASSEMBLYMEN WOULD HAVE THE ADVICE OF DEFENSE EXPERTS FROM THE GOVERNMENTS.
MACCAS SAID THERE STILL WAS A STRONG SENTIMENT IN FAVOR OF NAMING CHURCHILL EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTER DEPSITE THE WARTIME BRITISH PRIME MINISTER'S STATEMENT THAT HE WAS NOT A CANDIDATE.
OTHERS FEEL THAT CHURCHILL'S AGE--75--WOULD PRECLUDE HIS ACCEPTANCE IF THE POST WERE OFFERED TO HIM.
STILL UNANSWERED IS THE QUESTION OF HOW A EUROPEAN ARMY, IF CREATED, WOULD FIT INTO THE ATLANTIC PACT DEFENSE SYSTEM.
ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT PAUL-HENRI SPAAK OF BELGIUM TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE SATURDAY THAT A EUROPEAN ARMY WOULD STRENGTHEN RATHER THAN WEAKEN THE PACT. BUT HE DID NOT EXPLAIN THEIR POSSIBLE RELATIONSHIP.
CHURCHILL HIMSELF RETURNED A REPORTER'S WRITTEN QUESTION ON THE POINT WITH A BRIEF: "NO COMMENT."
THE PART THAT MIGHT BE ASSIGNED AMERICA IN THE PROJECT ALSO IS AN UNKNOWN QUANTITY. ASSEMBLY SPEAKERS HAVE AGREED UNANIMOUSLY THAT WESTERN EUROPE'S DEFENSES DEPEND ON U.S. ARMS AND EQUIPMENT.
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B93 (Q)
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG.14-(AP)-U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY, WITH MRS.MCCLOY AND THEIR TWO CHILDREN, LEFT RHINE MAIN AIRPORT TODAY FOR LONDON.
MRS.MCCLOY WILL CONTINUE ON TO THE UNITED STATES TO VISIT HER FAMILY, AND EXPECTS TO RETURN IN SEPTEMBER. THEIR CHILDREN WILL STAY WITH THEIR AUNT, MRS.LEVIS DOUGLAS, WIFE OF U.S. AMBASSADOR DOUGLAS, UNTIL MRS.MCCLOY RETURNS.
THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER WILL RETURN TO FRANKFURT TOMORROW.
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A118
AUGSBURG, GERMANY, AUG.14-(AP)-A TWO-ENGINED CZECHOSLOVAKIAN COMMERCIAL AIRPLANE WITH FIVE PERSONS ABOARD LANDED NEAR AICHACH, IN BAVARIA, LAST NIGHT, MILITARY AUTHORITIES DISCLOSED TODAY.
THEY SAID THE PLANE CARRIED TWO ADULTS, TWO CHILDREN AND THE PILOT. THEY WERE BROUGHT HERE BY U.S. AUTHORITIES AFTER THE PLANE LANDED AT A SMALL AIRSTRIP NEAR AICHACH.
DETAILS OF THE FLIGHT WERE NOT IMMEDIATELY REVEALED, BUT ONE ARMY SOURCE SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THAT "ONE OF THE PASSENGERS PULLED A KNIFE OR SOME LETHAL WEAPON ON THE PILOT AND MADE HIM LAND THE PLANE."
THE FIVE ARE BEING QUESTIONED TODAY.
BAVARIA'S EAST BORDER LIES ALONG CZECHOSLOVAKIA.
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 14-(AP)-A CROWD OF DELEGATES TO THE SECOND WORLD STUDENT CONGRESS STOOD UP AND CHEERED FOR SOVIET PRIME MINISTER STALIN TODAY, BUT SOME DELEGATIONS REMAINED SEATED AND SILENT.
THE 10-DAY CONVENTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS WAS WELL UNDER WAY WITH SPEECHES GENERALLY IN PRAISE OF PEACE AND CRITICAL OF THE UNITED STATES WHEN THE DEMONSTRATION CAME.
WITH DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER ZDENEK FIERLINGER OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA SPEAKING TO AN ESTIMATED 1,500 PEOPLE FROM 68 COUNTRIES IN THE TRADE-FAIR EXHIBITION HALL, THE MAJORITY OF THOSE ON HAND AROSE AND BEGAN RHYTHMIC HANDCLAPPING AND CHANTING OF THE NAMES OF FIERLINGER AND STALIN.
WITNESSES SAID THE BRITISH, FRENCH, SOUTH AFRICAN AND ITALIAN DELEGATIONS, WITH SOME EXCEPTIONS, KEPT THEIR SEATS AND REFRAINED FROM THE DEMONSTRATION, WHICH LASTED FOUR MINUTES.
THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS (IUS) WAS ORGANIZED HERE FOUR YEARS AGO.

SPOKESMEN FOR THE ORGANIZATION, WHICH CLAIMS 3,600,000 HIGH SCHOOL, COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY MEMBERS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD, SAY IT HAS NO POLITICAL AFFILIATION. BUT ITS PERMANENT SECRETARIAT HERE IN PRAGUE HAS ENDORSED THE SOVIET-INSPIRED "PEACE PETITION" DEMANDING THAT THE ATOM BOMB BE OUTLAWED, AND HAS CALLED FOR MORE SIGNATURES TO THE PETITION.
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NIGHT LEAD KOREAN

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG.14-(AP)-THE U.N. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL BY UNANIMOUS VOTE UNDERTOOK TODAY TO GIVE ANY RELIEF FOR THE CIVILIAN POPULATION OF SOUTH KOREA THAT MAY BE ASKED BY GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S U.N. COMMAND.

THE COUNCIL ALSO ASKED ITS MEMBERS TO SPREAD THE "FULLEST POSSIBLE UNDERTANDING OF AND SUPPORT FOR THE ACTION OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN KOREA."

THE COUNCIL'S ACTION FITTED INTO THE UNITED STATES AIM OF COUNTERING ON THE BROADEST POSSIBLE FRONT SOVIET PROPAGANDA THAT THE UNITED STATES IS THE AGGRESSOR.

IN PRESENTING THE RESOLUTION, COUNCIL PRESIDENT HERMAN SANTA CRUZ OF CHILE SAID "THE CRIMINAL AGGRESSION PERPETUATED AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH KOREA IS AN OFFENSE AGAINST THE UNITED NATIONS" AND WAS DESIGNED TO "DESTROY AND ANNIHILATE" THE U.N.

HE SAID A "CAMPAIGN OF SLANDER" EVEN CLAIMED THAT "THE NATION ATTACKED WAS NOT SOUTH KOREA, BUT NORTH KOREA."

THE RESOLUTION AUTHORIZED THE PRESIDENT TO RECONVENE THE COUNCIL WHENEVER NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT ITS PURPOSE OF ASSISTANCE TO SOUTH KOREANS.

THREE MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL, RUSSIA, POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WERE ABSENT WHEN THE VOTE WAS TAKEN. AUSTRALIA, BELGIUM, BRAZIL, CANADA, CHILE, CHINA, DENMARK, FRANCE, INDIA, IRAN, MEXICO, PAKISTAN, PERU, THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN VOTED FOR THE MEASURE.
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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 14-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL UNANIMOUSLY PLEDGED ITSELF TODAY TO PROVIDE FOR ANY ASSISTANCE TO THE CIVIL POPULATION OF KOREA WHICH THE U.N. COMMAND MAY REQUEST.

WITH A MINIMUM OF ORATORY, THE COUNCIL ADOPTED A RESOLUTION PRESENTED BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT HERMAN SANTA CRUZ OF CHILE AND VOTED TO HOLD ITSELF IN READINESS IN LAKE SUCCESS FOR EXTRAORDINARY MEETINGS TO IMPLEMENT THE RESOLUTION AFTER THE CLOSE OF THE PRESENT SESSION.

IN PRESENTING THE RESOLUTION, SANTA CRUZ SAID, "THE CRIMINAL AGGRESSION PERPETRATED AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH KOREA IS AN OFFENSE AGAINST THE UNITED NATIONS."

THREE MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL--THE SOVIET UNION, POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA--WERE ABSENT WHEN THE VOTE WAS TAKEN. THOSE VOTING FOR THE MEASURE WERE AUSTRALIA, BELGIUM, BRAZIL, CANADA, CHILE, CHINA, DENMARK, FRANCE, INDIA, IRAN, MEXICO, PAKISTAN, PERU, THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES.

THE RESOLUTION ALSO CALLED UPON ALL U.N. SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND APPROPRIATE SUBSIDIARY BODIES TO "LEND THEIR UTMOST SUPPORT" IN PROVIDING ANY ASSISTANCE FOR THE KOREAN CIVILIAN POPULATION WHICH MAY FALL WITHIN THEIR FIELDS OF COMPETENCE.

GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS WERE ASKED TO ASSIST IN DEVELOPING AMONT THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD "THE FULLEST POSSIBLE UNDERSTANDING OF AND SUPPORT FOR THE ACTION OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN KOREA."
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A119 (Z90)
BY LYNN HEINZERLING

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG.14-(AP)-AMERICAN MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES EXPRESSED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY THEIR "UNALTERABLE" OPPOSITION TO APPOINTMENT OF A REPRESENTATIVE TO THE VATICAN.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID EARLIER THIS MONTH THAT ESTABLISHMENT OF FORMAL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH THE VATICAN IS UNDER STUDY.

THE COMMITTEE HAS BEEN MEETING HERE IN PREPARATION FOR THE SECOND PLENARY CONGRESS OF THE COUNCIL TO BE HELD AUG.16-23. PROTESTANT LEADERS FROM 41 COUNTRIES HAVE STARTED TO ARRIVE FOR THE SESSIONS.

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"IN OUR STRUGGLE AGAINST COMMUNISM THE PRESTIGE OF OUR GREAT FREE LAND MUST NOT BE USED TO STRENGTHEN AND ADVANCE THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH," THE MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID.

THE APPOINTMENT OF A REPRESENTATIVE TO THE VATICAN, THE STATEMENT ADDED, "WOULD DO GREAT HARM TO THE INTERESTS OF PROTESTANT MISSIONS.

"OUR COUNTRY CANNOT JUSTLY GIVE ADVANTAGE TO ANY PARTICULAR RELIGIOUS BELIEF, AND THE EFFORT TO DEAL WITH THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, WHICH X X X SUBORDINATES POLITICAL AUTHORITY TO ITS OWN RELIGIOUS DOGMA, WILL GIVE ADVANTAGE BOTH WITHIN AND WITHOUT OUR LAND."

"IN OUR STRUGGLE WITH TOTALITARIAN COMMUNISM, WE MUST NOT AGAIN MAKE THE MISTAKE OF ADVANCING ANOTHER FORM OF TOTALITARIANISM AT WHOSE HANDS OUR PROTESTANT FATHERS HAVE SUFFERED, WITH WHICH THE WORLD MAY HAVE TO DEAL WHEN THE COMMUNIST PERIL HAS BEEN FACED. WE STRONGLY URGE YOU NOT TO CONNECT OUR COUNTRY DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY WITH THE ROMAN SEE."

THE MESSAGE WAS SIGNED BY DR.CARL MCINTIRE, PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES OF COLLINGSWOOD, N.J.; DR. W.O.H.GARMAN, PRESIDENT OF AMERICAN COUNCIL OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES OF WILKINGSBURG, PA.; THE REV. S.P. ALLEN, SECRETARY OF THE AMERICAN COUNCIL AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PRESBYTERIAN, METHODIST AND BAPTIST CHURCHES.

THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES IS NOT TO BE CONFUSED WITH THE WORLD COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, WHICH HAS ITS HEADQUARTERS IN GENEVA. DR. MCINTIRE, PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, HAS ATTACKED THE WORLD COUNCIL AS A "FRONT FOR WORLD SOCIALISM". HE SAYS HIS ORGANIZATION FOLLOWS A "MORE CONSERVATIVE LINE OF THOUGHT" THAN THE WORLD COUNCIL.

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THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG.14-(AP)-A DUTCH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THE INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS CONFERENCE SCHEDULED TO OPEN IN SEPTEMBER HAS BEEN CALLED OFF "BECAUSE OF THE INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL SITUATION."

THE RECOGNITION OF COMMUNIST CHINA BY SOME WESTERN POWERS BUT NOT THE UNITED STATES WAS A CHIEF REASON FOR THE POSTPONEMENT, HE SAID. THE TASK OF THE CONFERENCE WAS TO STUDY DISTRIBUTION OF WAVELENGTHS FOR COMMERCIAL RADIO TRAFFIC, SHIPPING AND MILITARY USES.

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), NORWAY, [illegible]. 14-(AP)-U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID [illegible]E BELIEVES IT IS POSSIBLE TO KEEP THE KOREAN WAR FROM SPREADING.

BACK IN HIS NATIVE OSLO FOR A VACATION, LIE TOLD REPORTERS HE WAS CONFIDENT THAT NO RESPONSIBLE STATESMAN IN ANY COUNTRY WOULD TAKE STEPS LEADING TO A THIRD WORLD WAR. BUT HE SAID THERE WAS "NO ROAD BACK FROM KOREA, EXCEPT A VICTORY FOR THE PRINCIPLE OF JUSTICE OVER THE PRINCIPLE OF POWER POLITICS."

THE SECRETARY GENERAL VOICED CONFIDENCE THAT UNITED NATIONS FORCES NOW FIGHTING IN KOREA WILL BE ABLE TO HOLD THEIR BEACHHEAD UNTIL SUFFICIENT REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVE.

LIE UPHELD THE RIGHT OF U.N. MEMBER NATIONS TO FORM DEFENSE BLOCS TO SAFEGUARD AGAINST AGGRESSION.

"UNTIL WE GET THE KIND OF PEACE WE HOPED FOR IN 1945," LIE SAID, "EACH GOVERNMENT HAS THE DUTY TOWARDS ITS OWN PEOPLE TO ORGANIZE ITS NATIONAL DEFENSE, EVEN ON A BILATERAL OR MULTILATERAL BASIS."

LIE SAID HE WILL SPEND AS MANY DAYS IN NORWAY AS CIRCUMSTANCES ALLOW. HE IS IN CONSTANT TOUCH WITH HIS STAFF, HE SAID.

WHILE ON VACATION THE SECRETARY GENERAL HAS GONE SWIMMING IN THE OSLO FIORD. HE MAY GO TO HIS HUNTING LODGE IN THE ROEROS MOUNTAINS FOR A COUPLE OF DAYS.

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B114 (4)

NIGHT LEAD DE RETHY

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.14-(AP)-KING LEPOLD'S COMMONER WIFE, THE PRINCESS DE RETHY, RETURNED FROM EXILE TODAY IN A MILITARY PLANE.

ARRIVING FROM GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AT THE CLOSELY GUARDED MILITARY AIRFIELD WITH THE PRINCESS WERE PRINCE ALEXANDER, EIGHT-YEAR-OLD SON OF THE ROYAL COUPLE, AND PRINCESS JOSEPHINE CHARLOTTE, LEOPOLD'S DAUGHTER BY A PREVIOUS MARRIAGE.

THE PARTY DROVE TO LAEKEN PALACE WHERE KING LEOPOLD STILL LIVES THOUGH HE HAS TURNED OVER HIS ROYAL POWERS TO HIS SON, PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

THE PRINCESS DE RETHY FIGURES IN THE BITTER FIGHT OVER LEOPOLD'S RETURN FROM EXILE. IN THE MIDST OF THE CONTROVERSY HER BROTHER, WALTER BAELS, WAS ARRESTED AS AN ARMY DESERTER WHEN HE SOUGHT TO RETURN TO THE COUNTRY FOR THE FUNERAL OF HIS MOTHER.

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PRECEDE GENEVA (A56)

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG 14-(AP)-PRINCESS DE RETHY, WIFE OF KING LEOPOLD III OF BELGIUM, ARRIVED TODAY FROM SWITZERLAND BY PLANE.

ACCOMPANYING THE PRINCESS WERE PRINCE ALEXANDER, EIGHT-YEAR-OLD SON OF THE ROYAL COUPLE, AND PRINCESS JOSEPHINE CHARLOTTE, LEOPOLD'S DAUGHTER BY HIS PREVIOUS MARRIAGE. THEY DROVE FROM THE BRUSSELS MILITARY AIRFIELD TO THE ROYAL PALACE OF LAEKEN, WHERE LEOPOLD STILL IS RESIDING. THE ARRIVAL OF THE PARTY WAS BEEN A CLOSELY KEPT SECRET AND THE FIELD AT WHICH THE THREE LANDED IS ONE FROM WHICH PUBLIC AND REPORTERS ARE BARRED.

THEY HAD REMAINED BEHIND WHEN LEOPOLD LEFT HIS EXILE IN SWITZERLAND TO RETURN TO BELGIUM JULY 22. THERE HAD BEEN PERSISTING REPORTS THAT LEOPOLD'S BRUNETTE SECOND WIFE SOON WOULD LEAVE GENEVA TO JOIN HIM, BUT MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL HOUSEHOLD HERE HAD REFUSED TO COMMENT.

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THE PRINCESS, WHOM LEOPOLD MARRIED IN 1941, A YEAR AFTER HE HAD SURRENDERED BELGIUM'S ARMY TO THE GERMANS, HAS BEEN THE TARGET OF SOME OF THE MOST VITRIOLIC ANTI-LEOPOLD SPEECHES IN BELGIUM.

SO PRONOUNCED DID THE FEELING BECOME THAT LEOPOLD ANNOUNCED ON THE EVE OF HIS RETURN TO THE THRONE THAT HIS WIFE WOULD NEVER BE QUEEN. LAST WEEK LEOPOLD TURNED THE RULE OVER TO HIS ELDEST SON, PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

THE PRINCESS, BORN MARY BAELS, ACQUIRED HER PRESENT TITLE SHORTLY AFTER HER MARRIAGE TO LEOPOLD.

SHE FEATURED IN THE NEWS LAST MONTH WHEN IT WAS ANNOUNCED THAT SHE COULD NOT TRAVEL TO OOSTENDE, BELGIUM, FOR HER MOTHER'S FUNERAL BECAUSE SHE WAS EXPECTING A SECOND CHILD.

THE PRINCESS' BROTHER, WALTER BAELS, WAS ARRESTED AS AN ARMY DESERTER WHEN HE SOUGHT TO ENTER BELGIUM FOR THE FUNERAL.

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 14-(AP)-BELGIUM'S PRINCE BAUDOUIN, WHO TOOK OVER HIS FATHER'S ROYAL POWERS LAST WEEK, HAS APPOINTED ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER PAUL VAN ZEELAND AS PREMIER-DESIGNATE.

VAN ZEELAND ACCEPTED THE TICKLISH JOB OF TRYING TO PIECE TOGETHER A SOCIAL CHRISTIAN CABINET WHICH WILL FUNCTION HARMONIOUSLY. THE APPOINTMENT HAD BEEN DECLINED BY ACTING PREMIER JEAN DUVIEUSART AND ACTING TRANSPORT MINISTER P.W.SEGERS.

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THE GOVERNMENT RESIGNED LAST FRIDAY, SHORTLY AFTER BAUDOUIN TOOK OVER THE RULE FROM KING LEOPOLD III. A SPLIT AMONG THE PRO-LEOPOLD SOCIAL CHRISTIANS DROVE THE DUVIEUSART GOVERNMENT FROM OFFICE. IT HAD VOTED LEOPOLD BACK TO HIS THRONE, THEN BOWED TO SOCIALIST PRESSURE AND OBTAINED THE TRANSFER OF ROYAL POWER TO BAUDOUIN.

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A123

ATHENS, GREECE, AUG 14-(AP)-BRITISH FOREIGN UNDERSECRETARY ERNEST DAVIES ARRIVED AT ATHENS AIRPORT TODAY.

DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES HERE BELIEVED DAVIES WILL EXERT ALL HIS INFLUENCE IN AN EFFORT TO BRING ABOUT A RESUMPTION OF NORMAL DIPLOMATIC AND ECONOMIC RELATIONS BETWEEN GREECE AND YUGOSLAVIA.

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ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT, AUG.14-(AP)-COMMERCE MINISTER MOHAMED SOLIMAN GHANNAM BEY SAID TONIGHT THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT IS PREPARED TO TAKE OVER EXPLOITATION OF EGYPTIAN OIL WELLS.

HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE: "THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT, CONSIDERING THE PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION AND THE URGENT NECESSITY TO GIVE EGYPT AN ADEQUATE OIL SUPPLY, IS READY TO REQUISITION ALL WELLS AND TO EXPLOIT THEM."

EGYPT'S PRESENT CRUDE OIL OUTPUT AVERAGES 2,000,000 TONS ANNUALLY. THE MAIN PRODUCERS ARE SHELL OIL COMPANY, SOCONY VACUUM AND LOCAL COMPANIES.

THE MINISTER'S STATEMENT FOLLOWED A RECENT DECISION OF SHELL OIL TO SUSPEND OPERATIONS AT THE RASMATARMA WELLS SOUTH OF SUEZ BECAUSE EGYPTIAN LAW FORBIDS EXPORT OF LOCALLY PRODUCED CRUDE OIL AND EGYPT'S LIMITED REFINING CAPACITY MAKES THE RASMATARMA OPERATION UNPROFITABLE. STANDARD OIL OF NEW JERSEY SUSPENDED FIELD OPERATIONS EARLY IN 1949 BECAUSE OF THE LAW BANNING CRUDE OIL EXPORTS.

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B41 (Q)

TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG.14-(AP)-U.S. AMBASSADOR JAMES G.MCDONALD ANNOUNCED TODAY HE IS SAILING FRIDAY TO THE UNITED STATES FOR CONSULTATION WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND FOR A VACATION.

MCDONALD, WHO IS NOT EXPECTED TO RETURN HERE, DECLINED TO COMMENT ON REPORTS THAT HE HAS SUBMITTED HIS RESIGNATION TO U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON.

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A24

JERSALEM, AUG 14-(AP)-CLOTHING, SHOE LEATHER AND NOVELTY SHOPS ENDED TODAY THEIR TWO-WEEK CLOSEDOWN IN PROTEST AGAINST GOVERNMENT RATIONING OF THEIR PRODUCTS. A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID IF AN INVENTORY SHOWS LARGE SUPPLIES OF SUMMER WEAR STILL IN STOCK, ADDITIONAL RATION POINTS WILL BE ALLOTTED FOR THEIR PURCHASE.

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A169

NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 14-(AP)-PARLIAMENT PASSED AN EMERGENCY LAW TODAY GIVING THE GOVERNMENT POWER TO SEND FOOD HOARDERS TO PRISON FOR SEVEN YEARS AND FINE THEM 20 TIMES THE VALUE OF THE HOARDED FOOD. IN ADDITION THE FOOD WILL BE CONFISCATED.

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B57 (Q)

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NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 14-(AP)-DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER B.V. KESKAR TOLD PARLIAMENT TODAY THAT PORTUGAL HAD REJECTED INDIA'S DEMANDS THAT THE THREE SMALL PORTUGUESE COLONIES IN INDIA BE TURNED OVER TO THIS COUNTRY.

KESKAR SAID HIS GOVERNMENT HAD APPROACHED PORTUGAL LAST FEBRUARY REQUESTING NEGOTIATIONS TO SETTLE THE FUTURE STATUS OF THE THREE COLONIES OF GOA, DAMAO AND DIU, ON INDIA'S WEST COAST, WHICH HAVE BEEN UNDER PORTUGUESE RULE FOR CENTURIES.

PORTUGAL'S REJECTION OF THE PORPOSAL, HE SAID, HAS CAUSED DEEP DISAPPOINTMENT. HE SAID INDIA CANNOT CONTINUE TO ACCEPT THE PRESENT UNSATISFACTORY SITUATION WITH REGARD TO THE COLONIES.

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BOMBAY, INDIA, AUG 14-(AP)-A STRIKE ORGANIZED BY SOCIALISTS AND COMMUNISTS TOOK 100,000 OF BOMBAY'S 250,000 TEXTILE WORKERS OFF THE JOB TODAY.
TENSION BETWEEN THE STRIKERS AND NON-STRIKERS MOUNTED AND 16 PERSONS WERE ARRESTED ON CHARGES OF INTIMIDATING THOSE WHO WANTED TO WORK. THE STRIKERS ARE PROTESTING THE SMALLNESS OF THE BASIC WAGE RAISE THEY RECEIVED LAST YEAR.
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BOMBAY, INDIA, AUG. 14-(AP)-LT. GEN. JAMES H. DOOLITTLE SAID TODAY THE NEXT COMMUNIST EXPANSION MOVE MAY COME IN THE MIDDLE EAST OIL PRODUCING AREAS.
DOOLITTLE, WHO LED THE FIRST U.S. AIR ATTACK ON TOKYO IN 1942, SPOKE TO A RECEPTION AT THE TAJ MAHAL HOTEL. HE IS HERE ON A BUSINESS TOUR ON BEHALF OF THE SHELL OIL CORP. OF NEW YORK. HE LEAVES FOR KARACHI, PAKISTAN, FRIDAY.
DOOLITTLE SAID THAT IF THE KOREA SITUATION IS NOT STABILIZED IT MIGHT LEAD TO MORE SERIOUS CONFLICT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA. HE SAID HE VISUALIZED WORLD WAR III AS COMING IN FOUR STAGES: THE COLD WAR, ATTACK ON COUNTRIES IN THE SOVIET PERIPHERY, AN AERIAL SLUGGING MATCH BETWEEN THE AMERICANS AND THE RUSSIANS WITH ATOM BOMBS, AND THEN CAPITULATION OF ONE COUNTRY OR THE OTHER.
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A135
KARACHI, PAKISTAN, AUG 14-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN TOLD PARLIAMENT TODAY THAT PAKISTAN IS SUPPORTING THE UNITED NATIONS IN KOREA BECAUSE "WE COULD NOT REMAIN ISOLATED WITHIN OUR OWN FOUR WALLS. IF WE WANT TO EXIST IN THIS WORLD WE HAVE TO STAND WITH OTHER FREEDOM LOVING NATIONS."
HE MADE THE STATEMENT IN A SPEECH ON THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF PAKISTAN'S INDEPENDENCE.
LIAQUAT ALI WARNED COMMUNISTS THAT HE WOULD NOT TOLERATE ANY SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITY IN PAKISTAN.
"AS LONG AS PAKISTANIS ARE TRUE MOSLEMS THE COMMUNISTS WILL NOT SUCCEED IN MISLEADING THEM," HE SAID. "OF LATE THEY HAVE STARTED SOME ACTIVITIES HERE. THEIR SOLE AIM IS TO CREATE CONFUSION AND DISINTEGRATE THE UNITY OF OUR PEOPLE."
B215PED

A176 (150)
NIGHT LEAD IRAN
TEHRAN, IRAN, AUG. 14-(AP)-A SOVIET DELEGATION, HEADED BY THE RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR TO IRAN, IVAN SADCHIKOV, MET TODAY WITH FINANCE MINISTER DR.TAGHI NASR TO BEGIN TRADE TALKS.
NO DETAILS OF THE NEGOTIATIONS, WHICH ARE EXPECTED TO CONTINUE SEVERAL DAYS, WERE ANNOUNCED. A HIGH GOVERNMENT SOURCE SAID THE TALKS CONCERNED A SOVIET-IRAN BARTER AGREEMENT.
WESTERN DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES REGARDED THE TALKS AS A SOVIET EFFORT TO EASE TENSION ALONG THE RUSSIAN BORDER, IN VIEW OF THE ACTION IN KOREA.
A WELL-INFORMED SOURCE SAID, WITHOUT OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION, THAT RUSSIA HAD AGREED TO RELEASE EIGHT IRANIAN BORDER GUARDS SEIZED DURING A FRONTIER INCIDENT LAST YEAR.
WHEN AMBASSADOR SADCHIKOV MADE OVERTURES FOR A TRADE AGREEMENT TWO WEEKS AGO, PREMIER GEN.ALI RAZMARA WAS REPORTED TO HAVE INSISTED THAT THE GUARDS FIRST BE FREED AND THAT RUSSIA RETURN $21,000,000 IN IRANIAN GOLD RESERVES HELD IN MOSCOW BANKS SINCE THE WAR.
PREMIER RAZMARA IS BELIEVED TO BE FIRMLY OPPOSED TO ANY POLITICAL DEAL WHICH WOULD EXTEND RUSSIAN INFLUENCE OVER IRAN.
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FIRST LEAD SOVIET TRADE (B48)
BY ROBERT B.HEWETT
TEHRAN, IRAN, AUG. 14-(AP)-A SOVIET TRADE DELEGATION HEADED BY AMBASSADOR IVAN SADCHIKOV MET TODAY WITH IRAN'S FINANCE MINISTER TAGHIR NASSR TO BEGIN NEGOTIATIONS FOR BARTER BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.
THE NEGOTIATIONS ARE REGARDED BY WESTERN DIPLOMATS AS A CONTINUATION OF RECENT SOVIET OVERTURES FOR FRIENDLIER RELATIONS WITH IRAN.
ONE AMERICAN SOURCE HAS INTERPRETED THE TALKS AS PROOF THAT RUSSIA WAS TAKEN BY SURPRISE BY THE VIGOROUS UNITED STATES ACTION IN KOREA. THIS SOURCE SAW THE NEGOTIATIONS AS EVIDENCE OF SOVIET DETERMINATION TO EASE TENSION ALONG HER FRONTIER.
ACCOMPANYING THE DELEGATION FROM MOSCOW WAS A HIGH SOVIET TRADE OFFICIAL WHOSE IDENTIFY WAS NOT DISCLOSED.

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MEANWHILE ONE USUALLY WELL INFORMED SOURCE REPORTED WITHOUT OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION THAT RUSSIA HAD AGREED TO RELEASE EIGHT IRANIAN BORDER GUARDS SEIZED IN A FRONTIER INCIDENT LAST YEAR.
WHEN SOVIET AMBASSADOR IVAN SADCHIKOV MADE OVERTURES FOR A TRADE PACT TWO WEEKS AGO, PREMIER ALI RAZMARA REPORTEDLY INSISTED THE GUARDS BE FREED FIRST AND THAT RUSSIA RETURN IRANIAN GOLD RESERVES HELD SINCE THE WAR.
AN INFORMED SOURCE REPORTED AMERICAN DIPLOMATS HERE FAVOR CONCLUSION OF A STRICTLY COMMERCIAL AGREEMENT WHICH WOULD EASE PRESENT TENSION BETWEEN IRAN AND RUSSIA. U.S. AMBASSADOR HENRY F.GRADY REPORTEDLY FEELS CONFIDENT THAT PREMIER RAZMARA IS FIRMLY OPPOSED TO ANY POLITICAL DEAL WHICH WOULD EXTEND RUSSIAN INFLUENCE OVER IRAN.
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A81
TEHRAN, IRAN, AUG.13-(DELAYED)-(AP)-U.S.SUPREME COURT JUSTICE WILLIAM O. DOUGLAS ARRIVED TODAY FOR A TWO-WEEK MOUNTAIN CLIMBING EXPEDITION IN THE AZERBAIJAN MOUNTAINS OF NORTHERN IRAN.
DOUGLAS WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS BOYHOOD FRIEND, ELON GILBERT OF YAKIMA, WASH.
THE JURIST, WHO MADE A SIMILAR MOUNTAIN CLIMBING VISIT TO IRAN LAST YEAR, PLANS ALSO TO VISIT THE BAKTIARI AND QUASHQAI TRIBES OF SOUTHERN IRAN BEFORE RETURNING HOME VIA KARACHI, NEW DELHI AND HONG KONG.
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A134
SECOND NIGHT LEAD INDONESIAN (240)
JAKARTA, INDONESIA, TUESDAY, AUG.15-(AP)-PRESIDENT SOEKARNO TODAY PROCLAIMED THE EXISTENCE OF A NEW UNITARY STATE, THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA, REPLACING THE FEDERAL UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA.
LAST NIGHT PARLIAMENT APPROVED A DRAFT CONSTITUTION FOR THE NEW

INDONESIAN STATE. IN A BRIEF DECLARATION TODAY BEFORE A JOINT SESSION OF THE U.S.I. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND SENATE, SOEKARNO SAID:

"ON THE BASIS OF THE PROCLAMATION OF INDONESIA'S INDEPENDENCE (FROM THE NETHERLANDS) ON AUG.17, 1945, I HEREBY PROCLAIM ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE AT THIS PRESENT STAGE OF INDEPENDENCE AND STRUGGLE AND AS AN INTERNAL CHANGE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE UNITARY STATE OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA, COMPRISING THE WHOLE INDONESIAN COUNTRY AND NATION OF INDONESIA."

IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARD THE PRESIDENT ANNOUNCED THAT PRESENT MEMBERS OF THE U.S.I. HOUSE AND SENATE WILL BECOME MEMBERS OF THE NEW PARLIAMENT.

HE SAID HE AND OFFICIALS OF THE U.S.I. AND OF THE OLD REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA, WHICH WAS THE LARGEST UNIT OF THE FEDERAL STATE, HAD SIGNED THE PROVISIONAL CONSTITUTION ADOPTED BY PARLIAMENT.

FIRST NEW OPPOSITION TO THE CHANGEOVER CAME FROM SOBSI (CAPS), INDONESIA'S LARGE COMMUNIST-LED FEDERATION OF LABOR UNIONS. PROCLAIMING AUG.17 "A DAY OF MOURNING," THE UNION FEDERATION SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT THAT NEW UNITARY STATE FAILS TO MEET THE IDEAL OF THE ORIGINAL REPUBLIC PROCLAIMED FIVE YEARS AGO BECAUSE IT CONTINUES TO BE DOMINATED BY "DUTCH AND OTHER FOREIGN CAPITALISTIC INTERESTS."

THE OLD REPUBLIC LED THE REVOLT AGAINST DUTCH RULE. THE U.S.I. OFFICIALLY CAME INTO EXISTENCE LAST DEC.27, ASSUMING SOVEREIGNTY IN THE FORMER DUTCH EAST INDIES AND BECOMING A PARTNER OF THE NETHERLANDS IN THE NETHERLANDS-INDONESIAN UNION. THERE IS NO INDICATION THE INDONESIANS EXPECT THE CHANGE TO A NEW UNITARY STATE TO ALTER THEIR RELATIONSHIP TO THE DUTCH UNION, WHICH COMES UNDER THE DUTCH CROWN.

DISSATISFACTION ON THE PART OF THE INDONESIANS WITH THEIR FEDERAL SETUP HAS BEEN GROWING AND LED TO THE PRESENT CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE.

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AFTER MAKING HIS STATEMENT TO PARLIAMENT, SOEKARNO LEFT BY PLANE FOR JOGJAKARTA, THE OLD REBEL REPUBLICAN CAPITAL, WHERE HE WILL PRESIDE OVER THE DISSOLUTION OF THE OLD REPUBLIC.

U.S.I. PREMIER MOHAMED HATTA WAS EXPECTED TO TURN BACK HIS CABINET'S MANDATE TO THE PRESIDENT, LEAVING SOEKARNO ABSOLUTE RULER OF THE COUNTRY TEMPORARILY. HOWEVER, THE PRESIDENT IS EXPECTED TO MAKE THE HATTA CABINET A CARETAKER BODY TO CARRY ON THE GOVERNMENT UNTIL A NEW CABINET IS FORMED. THE NEW PARLIAMENT WILL BE SWORN IN WEDNESDAY.

THURSDAY, THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE INDONESIAN DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, SOEKARNO WILL RAISE OVER MERDEKA (FREEDOM) PALACE IN JAKARTA THE FADED RED AND WHITE "PROCLAMATION" FLAG HE FIRST HOISTED IN THE SAME CITY, THEN BEARING THE DUTCH NAME OF BATAVIA, WHEN HE PROCLAIMED THE BIRTH OF THE REBEL REPUBLIC.

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JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG 14-(AP)-BOTH HOUSE OF PARLIAMENT TODAY APPROVED A NEW DRAFT CONSTITUTION ABOLISHING THE LOOSELY CONNECTED FEDERATED STATES IN INDONESIA AND BINDING THEM TIGHTLY IN THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA UNDER AN ALL-POWERFUL CENTRAL GOVERNMENT.

THE VOTE IN THE LOWER HOUSE WAS 90 FOR AND 18 AGAINST. THERE WAS NO OPPOSITION IN THE SENATE.

THE NEW CONSTITUTION AIMS AT PLACING UNDER UNITARY RULE INDONESIA'S 80,000,000 PEOPLE, WHO ARE SCATTERED AMONG 12,000 ISLANDS ALONG A 3,000-MILE ARCHIPELAGO.

IT WILL DO AWAY WITH THE AUTONOMY OF THE THREE FEDERATED STATES REMAINING OUT OF THE 15 SET UP BY THE DUTCH BEFORE THE U.S.I. GAINED ITS INDEPENDENCE, BUT IT WILL GIVE THEM REPRESENTATION IN THE PROPOSED NEW SINGLE-HOUSE PARLIAMENT.

APPROVAL OF THE DRAFT CONSTITUTION PAVES THE WAY FOR PRESIDENT SOEKARNO TO PROCLAIM A UNITARY STATE TO BE CALLED THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA. SOEKARNO, LEADER OF THE OLD REBEL REPUBLIC WHICH PROCLAIMED ITS INDEPENDENCE FROM THE DUTCH IN 1945, WILL AUTOMATICALLY BECOME HEAD OF A RE-FORMED CABINET.

PROCLAMATION OF THE NEW STATE SETUP WILL TAKE PLACE TUESDAY BEFORE A JOINT SESSION OF PARLIAMENT. IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARD, SOEKARNO WILL TRANSFER THE MEMBERS OF THE [redacted] HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND SENATE TO A NEW PROVISIONAL SINGLE-HOUSE PARLIAMENT.

UNDER THE DRAFT CONSTITUTION ELECTIONS ARE TO BE HELD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO ELECT A CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY WHICH WILL THEN SET UP A PERMANENT STATE SYSTEM.

AFTER THE PRESIDENT MAKES HIS PROCLAMATION HE WILL FLY TO JOGJAKARTA, CAPITAL OF THE OLD INDONESIAN REPUBLIC, WHERE HE WILL FORMALLY TAKE UP THE MANDATE OF ACTING REPUBLICAN PRESIDENT ASSAT, ACCEPT THE RESIGNATION OF THE REPUBLICAN CABINET AND TRANSFER MEMBERS OF A WORKING COMMITTEE OF THE REPUBLICAN PARLIAMENT INTO THE NEW CENTRAL UNITARY PARLIAMENT.

A SIMILAR PROCESS WILL TRANSFER REPRESENTATIVES OF THE FEDERATED STATES OF EAST INDONESIA, EAST SUMATRA AND WEST BORNEO. ALL OF THE OTHER FEDERATED STATES HAVE BEEN BROUGHT UNDER CENTRAL RULE IN A SERIES OF DECREES BY SOEKARNO PRIOR TO THE DRAFTING OF THE NEW CONSTITUTION.

IN THE CHANGEOVER, INDONESIAN PREMIER MOHAMED HATTA IS TO TRANSFER HIS MANDATE AS HEAD OF THE CABINET TO THE PRESIDENT. IT IS REPORTED AUTHORITATIVELY, HOWEVER, THAT SOEKARNO WILL MAKE THE NEW CABINET A CARETAKER BODY WITH HATTA AS ITS LEADER TO CARRY ON THE WORK OF THE GOVERNMENT UNTIL A NEW CABINET IS FORMED.

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THE PROGRAM INSTALLING THE PROVISIONS OF THE NEW CONSTITUTION WILL WIND UP NEXT THURSDAY WITH THE RAISING OF THE FADED RED AND WHITE "PROCLAMATION" FLAG HE FIRST HOISTED OVER JAKARTA. THE CEREMONY WILL MARK THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF THE REBEL REPUBLIC WHICH LED IN THE FIGHT FOR INDONESIA'S FREEDOM.

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WANG JEN-SHU

JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG 14-(AP)-[redacted] PRESENTED HIS CREDENTIALS TODAY AS RED CHINA'S ENVOY TO THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA.

PRESIDENT SOEKARNO AND WANG EXCHANGED FORMAL DIPLOMATIC NICETIES IN A BRIEF CEREMONY. WANG WAS IN MEDAN ON SUMATRA DURING THE PACIFIC WAR YEARS. LATER HE WAS DEPORTED BY THE DUTCH FOR LEFTWING POLITICAL ACTIVITY.

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NIGHT LEAD INDONESIAN (190)

JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG.14-(AP)-PARLIAMENT APPROVED THE DRAFT CONSTITUTION FOR THE NEW INDONESIAN STATE TONIGHT, UNIFYING THE 15 OTHER ORIGINAL STATES WITH THE REPUBLIC WHICH SPEARHEADED INDONESIAN INDEPENDENCE.

THERE WAS NO OPPOSITION TO THE NEW CONSTITUTION IN THE SENATE. THE LOWER HOUSE APPROVED IT BY A VOTE OF 80 TO 18.

APPROVAL CLEARED THE WAY FOR A THREE-DAY INSTALLATION PROGRAM WHICH WILL CULMINATE IN A FORMAL FLAG RAISING THURSDAY--THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE INDONESIAN DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

THE NEW UNITARY STATE, TO BE CALLED THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA, WILL BE PROCLAIMED TOMORROW BY PRESIDENT SOEKARNO WHO WILL FORMALLY TRANSFER MEMBERS OF THE U.S.I. HOUSE AND SENATE INTO A NEW SINGLE-HOUSE PARLIAMENT.

TOMORROW, PREMIER MOHAMED HATTA WILL TURN BACK THE U.S.I. CABINET'S

MANDATE TO THE PRESIDENT, LEAVING SOEKARNO ABSOLUTE RULER OF THE COUNTRY TEMPORARILY. BUT SOEKARNO IS EXPECTED TO MAKE THE HATTA CABINET A CARETAKER BODY TO CARRY ON THE GOVERNMENT UNTIL A NEW CABINET IS FORMED. THE NEW PARLIAMENT WILL BE SWORN IN WEDNESDAY.

THURSDAY, SOEKARNO WILL RAISE OVER MERDEKA (FREEDOM) PALACE IN JAKARTA THE FADED RED AND WHITE "PROCLAMATION" FLAG HE FIRST HOISTED IN JAKARTA AUG.17, 1945, WHEN HE PROCLAIMED THE BIRTH OF THE REBEL REPUBLIC.

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MOULMEIN, BURMA, AUG.14-(AP)-SAW BA U GYI, "PREMIER" OF REBEL KARENS, WAS KILLED BY A MACHINEGUN BULLET THROUGH HIS THROAT SATURDAY AS HE BLAZED DEFIANCE AT GOVERNMENT TROOPS WITH HIS CARBINE.

BURMESE ARMY OFFICERS SAID THE 46-YEAR-OLD KAREN CHIEF'S CAREER WAS ENDED DURING A GUN BATTLE IN CHEST-DEEP WATERS SURROUNDING HIS JUNGLE HIDEOUT 75 MILES NORTH OF HERE.

SEVERAL HUNDRED BURMESE MEN AND WOMEN CLAMORED AT THE TINY WOODEN MORGUE HERE TODAY FOR A GLIMPSE OF THE BLOODY, MUD-SPATTERED BODY OF THE REBEL CHIEF WHO CHALLENGED THE AUTHORITY OF THE GOVERNMENT FOR MORE THAN TWO YEARS.

THE ARMY BROUGHT NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENTS BY SPECIAL PLANE FROM RANGOON TODAY TO VIEW THE REMAINS.

OFFICERS SAID LOYAL KARENS GUIDED THEM TO BA U GYI'S HEADQUARTERS NEAR KAWKAREIK, A TOWN FAMOUS FOR ITS BALANCING PAGODA ABOUT 25 MILES FROM THE THAILAND BORDER.

THEY SAID TWO BRITONS AND THREE KARENS DIED WITH THE CHIEFTAIN. THE TWO BRITONS LEAPED FROM THE BAMBOO SHACK WHEN THE SHOOTING STARTED. BA U GYI'S COOK, THEY SAID, IDENTIFIED ONE OF THE BRITONS AS CAPT.R.VIVIAN, A FORMER BRITISH ARMY OFFICER.

THE OFFICERS SAID BA U GYI, THOUGH WOUNDED, WAS STILL ALIVE WHEN THEY ENTERED HIS SHACK. BUT HE DIED A FEW MINUTES AFTER ASKING FOR WATER.

HE WAS INFORMATION MINISTER IN THE FIRST POST-WAR GOVERNMENT OF BURMA. HE REVOLTED WHEN THE GOVERNMENT REFUSED TO GRANT DEMANDS FOR RECOGNITION OF A KAREN NATIONAL UNION AND FORMED THE MILITANT KAREN NATIONAL DEFENSE ORGANIZATION.

THIS ORGANIZATION BEGAN ACTIVE WARFARE AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT IN JANUARY, 1949, AND OCCUPIED THE CITY OF TOUNGOO IN CENTRAL BURMA WHERE BA U GYI WAS PROCLAIMED PREMIER OF THE REBEL STATE.

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RANGOON, BURMA, AUG.14-(AP)-THE RANGOON RADIO TODAY ANNOUNCED THE KILLING IN BATTLE OF THE LEADING KAREN REBEL LEADER SAW BA U GYI.

THE RADIO SAID HIS BODY WAS FOUND BY GOVERNMENT TROOPS AFTER A BATTLE NEAR KAWKAREIK, ABOUT 25 MILES FROM THE BURMA-THAILAND BORDER.

BA U GYI HAD BEEN INFORMATION MINISTER IN THE FIRST POSTWAR BURMESE CABINET. HE BROKE WITH THE GOVERNMENT WHEN IT REFUSED TO GRANT DEMANDS FOR KAREN AUTONOMY ADVANCED BY THE KAREN NATIONAL UNION, OF WHICH HE WAS PRESIDENT.

IN JANUARY, 1949, HE FORMED THE MILITANT KAREN NATIONAL DEFENSE ORGANIZATION AND BEGAN ANTI-GOVERNMENT WARFARE. WHEN THE KARENS OCCUPIED TOUNGOO IN CENTRAL BURMA LAST YEAR, BA U GYI WAS PROCLAIMED "PRIME MINISTER" OF THE REBEL STATE THEY SET UP.

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SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG.14-(AP)-COMMUNIST TERRORISTS OF THE VIETNAM ATTACKED A RUBBER PLANTATION NEAR CHUP, IN CAMBODIA, YESTERDAY, KILLING FOUR EUROPEANS AND KIDNAPPING SIX.

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MANILA, TUESDAY, AUG. 15-(AP)-PRESIDENT QUIRINO TODAY ASKED THE PHILIPINES CONGRESS FOR $21,534,443 TO FINANCE 5,000 FILIPINO TROOPS TO FIGHT IN KOREA.

THIS IS PART OF A $48,400,000 SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET SOUGHT BY QUIRINO FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR.

SEVERAL TAX MEASURES CALCULATED TO INCREASE GOVERNMENT REVENUES BY $50,000,000 ARE PENDING IN THE SPECIAL SESSION OF CONGRESS.

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MANILA,AUG.14-(AP)-THE LEFTIST PHILIPPINES CONGRESS OF LABOR ORGANIZATIONS LAST NIGHT UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED A RESOLUTION OPPOSING THE SENDING OF PHILIPPINE TROOPS TO FIGHT WITH UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

THE RESOLUTION DECLARED THE PHILIPPINES HAVE NO MILITARY COMMITMENTS IN KOREA AND SHOULD ADOPT A "HANDS OFF" POLICY.

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 14-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA'S AIR FORCE SAID TODAY IT WOULD CONTINUE TO PATROL THE RED CHINA COAST AND ATTACK COMMUNIST CRAFT THAT MIGHT BE USED TO INVADE FORMOSA.

ITS IMMEDIATE TASK, THE AIR FORCE SAID IN A STATEMENT, IS TO DEFEND FORMOSA. IT SAID THIS COULD BE DONE "IN FULL COOPERATION WITH OUR ALLIED FORCES."

THIS REFERRED TO THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET, ORDERED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO PROTECT FORMOSA FROM ATTACK.

THE AIR FORCE SAID THAT IN THE PAST YEAR IT HAD FLOWN 6,896 SORTIES, KILLED MORE THAN 8,000 CHINESE RED TROOPS AND DESTROYED 12,700 JUNKS, 1,100 TRUCKS, 10 PLANES AND HUGE QUANTITIES OF WAR MATERIAL.

THE REVIEW WAS ISSUED ON AIR FORCE DAY.

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HONG KONG, AUG. 14-(AP)-A CHINESE NATIONALIST REPORT SAID TODAY MAO TZE-TUNG, TOP CHINESE COMMUNIST, LEFT PEIPING AUG. 11 FOR AN UNDISCLOSED DESTINATION.

A MESSAGE TO THE NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PO FROM TAIPEI, FORMOSA, SAID MAO LEFT "AFTER RECEIVING CABLED INSTRUCTIONS FROM STALIN."

MAO RETURNED TO CHINA IN FEBRUARY AFTER AN EXTENDED VISIT TO RUSSIA, WHICH RESULTED IN A 30-YEAR SOVIET-RED CHINA ALLIANCE.

REPORTS RECEIVED BY NATIONALISTS IN FORMOSA SAID SOME COMMUNIST LEADERS IN PEIPING HAD REVEALED "MAO PROBABLY WAS HEADING FOR MUKDEN, MANCHURIA, WHERE HE WAS TO HOLD A CONFERENCE WITH A GROUP OF SOVIET MILITARY ADVISERS."

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POWELL (220)

HONG KONG, AUG. 14-(AP)-THE AMERICAN OWNED CHINA WEEKLY REVIEW OF SHANGHAI WILL CONTINUE PUBLICATION AFTER THIS MONTH AS A MONTHLY MAGAZINE.

THE SURPRISE ANNOUNCEMENT APPEARED LAST WEEK IN WHAT WAS TO BE THE MAGAZINE'S FINAL ISSUE IN RED CHINA.

EDITOR JOHN WILLIAM POWELL, 31, SAID THE DECISION TO CONTINUE PUBLICATION WAS MADE BECAUSE OF "ALMOST UNANIMOUS REQUEST" AND "THE SHARPENING OF THE CONFLICT BETWEEN THE FORCES FOR PEACE AND THE FORCES FOR WAR."

TWO WEEKS EARLIER, POWELL HAD ANNOUNCED THE MAGAZINE WOULD SHUT DOWN BECAUSE OF LACK OF FUNDS AND TECHNICAL DIFFICULTIES.

POWELL'S FATHER, THE LATE J.B. POWELL, A MISSOURIAN, LAUNCHED THE REVIEW IN 1917. IT WON A HIGH REPUTATION FOR IMPARTIALITY AND READINESS TO PRAISE OR CRITICIZE EITHER THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS OR CHINESE REDS.

WHEN WAR BROKE OUT, THE JAPANESE ARRESTED THE ELDER POWELL IN SHANGHAI. BROKEN IN HEALTH, HE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES AFTER THE WAR AND DIED SOON AFTERWARDS.

POWELL'S SON RESUMED PUBLICATION IN 1945 AND SURVIVED THE COMMUNIST CONQUEST OF CHINA.

A REPORT FROM SHANGHAI DESCRIBES YOUNG POWELL'S LATEST EDITORIAL AS CRITICAL OF THE U.S. POSITION IN KOREA. POWELL CALLED THE AMERICAN INTERVENTION "ADVENTURISTIC," THE REPORT SAID, AND TERMED IT UNJUSTIFIED AND UNNECESSARY.

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NIGHT LEAD SOVIET (170)

MOSCOW, AUG. 14-(AP)-PRAVDA CHARGED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES IS PREPARING A NEW "AGGRESSION" IN THE FAR EAST.

THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER SAID THAT WAS THE PURPOSE OF THE VISIT OF GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK ON FORMOSA AND OF W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S FOREIGN AFFAIRS ADVISOR, TO MACARTHUR IN TOKYO.

"UNITED STATES AGGRESSION AGAINST KOREA IS JUST ONE CONSTITUENT PART OF A CRIMINAL PLOT," DECLARED THE NEWSPAPER.

PRAVDA SAID THE ASSUMPTION OF THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL BY SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A.MALIK HAD PUT AN END TO THE "SHAMELESS AND ARBITRARY" PRACTICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF PICTURING ITS "DICTATION AS A DECISION" OF THE U.N.

PRAVDA SAID "AMERICAN BOSSES, EVERYWHERE IGNITING THE WAR PSYCHOSIS IN CONNECTION WITH THE AGGRESSION OF THE UNITED STATES IN KOREA," WERE DEMANDING THAT ATLANTIC PACT MEMBERS "THROW ONTO THE POPULAR MASSES NEW HEAVY BURDENS OF WAR EXPENDITURES."

PRAVDA SAID INCREASED ARMS EXPENDITURES PROPOSED BY THE DANISH GOVERNMENT IN PARTICULAR WERE A "DIRECT CONSEQUENCE OF THE PARTICIPATION OF DENMARK IN THE AGGRESSIVE NORTH ATLANTIC BLOC."

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MOSCOW, AUG. 14-(AP)-PRAVDA ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TODAY OF PREPARING TO EXPAND THE KOREAN WAR.

"COVERING THEMSELVES UP WITH HYPOCRITICAL PHRASES ON STRIVING TO 'LOCALIZE' THE CONFLICT IN KOREA," THE OFFICIAL COMMUNIST PARTY PAPER SAID, "THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IS IN FACT CARRYING OUT EVER NEWER AND NEWER MEASURES TO EXPAND AGGRESSION IN THE FAR EAST.

"IT WAS JUST THIS PURPOSE WHICH WAS PURSUED IN RECENT TALKS OF MACARTHUR WITH CHIANG KAI-SHEK AND ALSO THE RECENT TRIP OF HARRIMAN TO TOKYO AND KOREA."

(GEN.MACARTHUR FLEW TO FORMOSA RECENTLY FOR TALKS WITH CHIANG, NATIONALIST CHINA LEADER, ON DEFENSES OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS' ISLAND BASTION. W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ADVISER ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS, HAS RETURNED TO WASHINGTON FROM TRIPS TO KOREA AND TOKYO.)

PRAVDA SAID "U.S.AGGRESSION AGAINST KOREA IS JUST ONE CONSTITUTENT PART OF A CRIMINAL PLOT," AND THE NEWSPAPER REVIEWED THE RESULTS OF U.N.SECURITY COUNCIL MEETINGS SINCE THE ASSUMPTION OF THE CHAIRMANSHIP BY SOVIET DELEGATE JAKOB A.MALIK ON AUG. 1.

(THE SOVIETS HAD BOYCOTTED UNITED NATIONS BODIES UNTIL THEN BECAUSE OF THE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES INSTEAD OF CHINESE REDS.)

MALIK, PRAVDA SAID, HAD SUCCEEDED IN "PUTTING AN END TO THE PRACTICE OF SHAMELESS AND ARBITRARY ACTION BY THE UNITED STATES WHICH CRUDELY TRAMPLES ON THE STATUTES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND PICTURES ITS DICTATION AS A 'DECISION' OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL." IT SAID THE BRITISH-AMERICAN BLOC USED "CRUDE, OBSTRUCTIONIST TACTICS."

(THE SECURITY COUNCIL HAS BEEN BOGGED DOWN IN A WELTER OF PROCEDURAL ARGUMENT WHICH THE WEST DESCRIBES AS A ONE-MAN FILIBUSTER BY MALIK, DESIGNED TO HALT FURTHER ACTIONS REGARDING KOREA AND TO MAKE PROPAGANDA FOR THE COMMUNIST CAUSE.)

PRAVDA SAID THE UNITED STATES TRIED TO FORCE OTHER SECURITY COUNCIL DELEGATES TO SUPPORT A PROGRAM OF DEPRIVING MALIK OF THE CHAIRMANSHIP OR POSTPONING SECURITY COUNCIL MEETINGS UNTIL SEPTEMBER. IT SAID THE U.S. DELEGATION WAS DEFEATED WHEN ITS "SATELLITES" WAVERED.

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LAKE COUCHICHING, ONT., AUG. 14-(AP)-AFRICA COULD BE LOST TO COMMUNISM UNLESS THE WESTERN NATIONS TAKE A MORE FORTHRIGHT ATTITUDE TO RACIAL DISCRIMINATION, SAYS DR.CHARLES THOMPSON OF HOWARD UNIVERSITY, WASHINGTON, D.C.

"THE WESTERN NATIONS HAVE ALREADY LOST CHINA TO COMMUNISM," HE TOLD THE 19TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE CANADIAN INSTITUTE ON PUBLIC AFFAIRS HERE LAST NIGHT. "INDOCHINA IS ON THE VERGE OF CAPITULATION. AND BURMA, INDONESIA AND INDIA HANG IN THE BALANCE, THUS LEAVING AFRICA AS DEMOCRACY'S MAIN HOPE FOR THE FUTURE.

"UNLESS WE TAKE MORE FORTHRIGHT AND IMMEDIATE STEPS TO CONVINCE THE NATIVES OF AFRICA OF OUR DEMOCRATIC INTENTIONS, AFRICA IS GOING TO BE LOST TO COMMUNISM TOO."

HE CALLED FOR A PROGRAM TO COUNTERACT DISCRIMINATION BY FURTHER LIQUIDATION OF COLONIALISM AND ELIMINATION OF ALL LEGALLY ENFORCED RACIAL DISCRIMINATION.

"I AM CONVINCED THAT THE ATTITUDES OF THE WESTERN DEMOCRACIES TOWARD, AND THEIR TREATMENT OF, PEOPLES OF COLOR CONSTITUTE A MAJOR OBSTACLE IN THE PATH OF WORLD PEACE," HE SAID.

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NIGHT LEAD CHURCHES (210)
TORONTO, AUG. 14-(AP)-DR. TOYOHIKO KAGAWA, PRINCETON-EDUCATED JAPANESE CHRISTIAN PREACHER, SAID TODAY HE KNEW TWO YEARS AGO THERE WOULD BE A WAR IN KOREA.

DR. KAGAWA FLEW HERE FROM EUROPE, WHERE HE HAS BEEN LECTURING. HE IS TO SPEAK TOMORROW AT THE 13TH WORLD CONVENTION ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION.

"NORTH KOREA HAS A LOT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, BUT IT IS SHORT OF FOOD," THE 62-YEAR-OLD CHURCHMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE. "THE SOUTH KOREANS HAVE LOTS OF FOOD AND GOOD LAND FOR CROPS. EVEN IF WE PUSH THE NORTH KOREANS BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL, THEY WILL RETURN. THEY MUST HAVE FOOD."
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FOR ASIATICS, HE SAID, THE BATTLE FOR KOREA IS "MERELY A CONTINUATION OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR.

"WE HAVE HAD NO PEACE SINCE THE EARLY 1930'S, AND, EVEN THOUGH I'M SURE JAPAN WON'T GO COMMUNIST, I FEEL WE ARE IN FOR VERY HARD TIMES."

JAPAN NEEDS MORE CHRISTIAN MISSIONARIES, DR.KAGAWA SAID, ADDING HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE "RETIRED CANADIAN AND UNITED STATES BUSINESS PEOPLE COME TO MY COUNTRY AND PREACH THE GOSPEL."

DR.KAGAWA SAID JAPAN ALSO WOULD LIKE ABOUT 1,000 TONS OF CANADIAN PINE SEED, EXPLAINING:

"WE CANNOT BEGIN TO FEED THE TREMENDOUS INFLUX OF SOUTH KOREANS. ONE DAY MORE THAN 60,000 SOUTH KOREANS WERE SHIPPED TO JAPAN. THE ORDINARY CANADIAN PINE-SEED CORE HAS A 12-PER-CENT PROTEIN CONTENT, WHICH WOULD BE A GREAT ASSET TO OUR PRESENT FOOD PROBLEM."

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U.N.-KOREAN
(ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE WHICH IS EXPECTED ABOUT 3 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, MONDAY, AUG. 14)

(ADVANCE) LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 14-(AP)-FRANCE CHARGED TODAY THAT RUSSIA IS AIDING COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA BY THE PROCEDURAL STALEMATE WHICH HAS PARALYZED THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL.

THE CHARGE WAS MADE BY FRENCH DELEGATE JEAN CHAUVEL, WHO ALSO ACCUSED RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK OF TRYING TO ISOLATE THE UNITED STATES FROM OTHER COUNCIL MEMBERS BY A PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN.

CHAUVEL SAID MALIK WAS SPEAKING AS REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET UNION AND THEN, AS AUGUST PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, AGREEING WITH HIS OWN STATEMENTS.

THE FRENCH DELEGATE SAID ABSOLUTELY NOTHING HAD BEEN ACCOMPLISHED BY THE COUNCIL SINCE MALIK TOOK OVER THE PRESIDENCY AUGUST 1 AFTER BOYCOTTING THE U.N. FOR ALMOST SEVEN MONTHS.

HE SAID MALIK'S PROCEDURE IN TRYING TO PROVE THE UNITED STATES THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA IS VERY SIMPLE: "IT CONSISTS IN POINTING TO A CHAIR AND CALLING IT A TABLE."

CHAUVEL SAID RUSSIA'S OBSTRUCTION OF THE COUNCIL'S WORK DOES NOT PRODUCE THE SAME EFFECT ON BOTH NORTH KOREA AND SOUTH KOREA.

"TO PARALYZE THE COUNCIL WHICH HAS TAKEN THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ENGAGING THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE DEFENSE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA," HE SAID, "IS TO AID THE NORTH KOREANS, THE ATTACKERS OF THE REPUBLIC."

HE VIGOROUSLY DENIED RUSSIA'S CONTENTION THAT THE COUNCIL'S ACTIONS ON KOREA WERE ILLEGAL BECAUSE RUSSIA AND COMMUNIST CHINA WERE NOT REPRESENTED IN THE VOTE. HE SAID THAT MALIK WAS NOTIFIED OF THE COUNCIL MEETINGS AND THEIR PURPOSE AND THAT, IF HE HAD THOUGHT IT WAS ACTING ILLEGALLY. HE COULD HAVE APPEARED AND USED THE VETO.

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CHAUVEL ALSO TOLD MALIK THAT, IF THE COUNCIL'S ACTIONS ON KOREA WERE ILLEGAL BECAUSE RED CHINA WAS ABSENT, THEN THE COUNCIL NOW IS MEETING ILLEGALLY BECAUSE RED CHINA STILL IS ABSENT. MALIK, HOWEVER, HAD DEMANDED ACTION ON A SOVIET "PEACE" RESOLUTION, CHAUVEL SAID, DESPITE WHAT HE HAD CALLED THE COUNCIL'S ILLEGAL COMPOSITION.
(END ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED ABOUT 3 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, MONDAY, AUG.14)

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LEAD DAY U.N. (180)
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 14-(AP)-INDIA'S SIR BENEGAL N. RAU DISCLOSED TODAY HE WOULD SUGGEST CREATION OF A SMALL-POWER COMMITTEE TO TRY TO END THE KOREAN CONFLICT AND WORK OUT PLANS FOR A FREE KOREA.

RAU TALKED WITH REPORTERS WHILE THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL LISTENED TO ECUADOR CONTINUE THE NON-COMMUNIST ATTACK AGAINST RUSSIA'S PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN.

THE INDIAN DELEGATE SAID HE WOULD SUGGEST, INFORMALLY AT FIRST, THAT THE COUNCIL NAME THE SIX NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS AS A SPECIAL BODY TO CONSIDER ALL PROPOSALS ON ENDING THE STRIFE AND ON THE FUTURE OF THE KOREAN NATION. THE NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS ARE INDIA, NORWAY, YUGOSLAVIA, CUBA, ECUADOR AND EGYPT.

RAU SAID HE HAD CONFERRED PRIVATELY WITH SOME OF THE BIG POWERS ON HIS PLAN, BUT HE DECLINED TO SAY HOW MUCH SUPPORT HE HAD FOUND. HE SAID HE WOULD SUBMIT A FORMAL RESOLUTION SETTING UP THE COMMITTEE IF HE RECEIVED SUFFICIENT BACKING IN THE COUNCIL.

"THERE IS NO QUESTION OF PEACE WITHOUT THE NORTH KOREANS GOING BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL," AN INDIAN SPOKESMAN SAID. "THAT AS ALWAYS BEEN OUR STAND."

ONE DIPLOMAT SAID THE COMMITTEE MIGHT BE CALLED THE "LITTLE SECURITY COUNCIL."

THE AIM, RAU SAID, WOULD BE TO GET AROUND THE PRESENT RUSSIAN-IMPOSED PROCEDURAL STALEMATE.

LATER RAU OUTLINED HIS PLAN BRIEFLY BEFORE THE COUNCIL.

HE SUGGESTED THAT THE COMMITTEE WOULD STUDY ALL RESOLUTIONS OR PROPOSALS THAT HAVE BEEN OR MAY BE PRESENTED FOR A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT IN KOREA AND THAT THE COMMITTEE THEN SUBMIT RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE COUNCIL BY A SPECIFIED DATE.

HE ADDED:

"I HAVE SUGGESTED A COMMITTEE OF THE NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS, BECAUSE NONE OF THEM CAN BE ACCUSED OR SUSPECTED OF ANY EXPANSIONIST AMBITIONS; IT WILL BE OPEN TO THE COMMITTEE, AT THE APPROPRIATE TIME, TO HEAR ANY PERSON THEY PLEASED; THEY CAN MEET IN PRIVATE OR IN PUBLIC; THEIR PROCEEDINGS MAY BE EXPECTED TO BE SMOOTH AND EXPEDITIOUS.

"THE COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS WILL, OF COURSE, COME BEFORE THE COUNCIL IN DUE COURSE AND THE COUNCIL WILL BE FREE TO DEAL WITH THEM AS IT THINKS FIT. AT SOME POINT OF TIME, THIS COUNCIL WILL HAVE TO FRAME AND PUBLISH ITS OWN PROPOSALS FOR THE FUTURE OF KOREA, ONCE HOSTILITIES CEASE AND THE NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES WITHDRAW THEIR FORCES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REOLUTIONS ALREADY ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL. THE COMMITTEE'S WORK MAY ASSIST TOWARDS THAT END.

"MEANWHILE, THE COUNCIL WILL BE SPARED THE NECESSITY OF FURTHER DISCUSSING AT LEAST TWO OF THE RESOLUTIONS NOW BEFORE IT. BECAUSE THEY

BEAR ON THE QUESTION OF A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT AND WILL THEREFORE FALL TO BE STUDIED BY THE COMMITTEE IN THE FIRST INSTANCE. IN THIS WAY WE CAN AVOID ACRIMONY, SAVE TIME, AND GO FORWARD WITH OUR WORK WITH SOME HOPE OF USEFUL RESULTS. IF THIS SUGGESTION FINDS SUFFICIENT SUPPORT, IN PRINCIPLE, I SHOULD BE PREPARED TO MOVE A RESOLUTION TO THAT EFFECT."

ECUADOR'S ANTONIO QUEVEDO OPENED TODAY'S DEBATE BY ASSAILING THE CONDUCT OF SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A.MALIK AS AUGUST PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL. HE ACCUSED MALIK OF VIOLATING COUNCIL RULES REPEATEDLY AND IGNORING THE WILL OF THE MAJORITY.

REFERRING TO MALIK'S STATEMENT THAT THE COUNCIL MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN PEACE AND WAR, QUEVEDO SAID: "ALL PEOPLES WANT PEACE, BUT THEY DON'T WANT THE IDEAS OF OTHERS FORCED UPON THEM."

HE VIGOROUSLY CRITICIZED MALIK FOR CALLING OTHER COUNCIL MEMBERS AMERICAN STOOGES.

"WE CAN COOPERATE WITH OTHER COUNTRIES," HE SAID, "BUT THAT DOES NOT MEAN WE HAVE TO BOW AND KISS THE FOOT OF ANY OTHER."

THE ECUADOREAN DELEGATE SAID HE WOULD OPPOSE INVITING NORTH KOREA TO TAKE PART IN U.N. DISCUSSIONS UNTIL THE NORTH KOREAN REGIME "LOOSENS ITS FINGERS ON ITS VICTIMS."

ARNE SUNDE OF NORWAY SAID HE WOULD NOT TRY TO COMPETE WITH MALIK IN HIS SELECTED FIELD OF PROPAGANDA.

"IF THIS WERE AN EXERCISE IN PROPAGANDA, THE PRESIDENT WOULD GRADUATE WITH HIGH MARKS. BUT THIS IS NOT AN ARENA FOR PROPAGANDA, MR. PRESIDENT, BUT THE SECURITY COUNCIL WHICH MUST REPRESENT THE INTERESTS OF ALL 59 MEMBERS FOR PEACE."

SUNDE SAID THE PROCEDURAL STALEMATE "SERVES TO RENDER THE COUNCIL LUDICROUS IN THE EYES OF THE WORLD."

HE SAID HE WAS FIRMLY CONVINCED THE KOREAN DECISIONS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN JUNE AND JULY ARE VALID DESPITE THE SOVIET BOYCOTT. MALIK HAS CONTENDED THE COUNCIL'S ACTIONS ARE ILLEGAL.

MALIK, HE SAID, HAS SHOWN THAT HE IS NOT ABLE TO FULFILL HIS FUNCTIONS OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND THAT HE IS HERE ONLY TO IMPEDE.

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AMS BUDGET (670)
NIGHT LEAD U.N.

BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.14-(AP)-INDIA SUGGESTED TODAY THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL ENTRUST TO ITS SIX SMALL-NATION MEMBERS THE TASK OF DRAFTING A KOREAN PEACE PLAN.

INDIA'S CHIEF DELEGATE, BENEGAL N.RAU, TOLD THE COUNCIL FRANKLY THAT THE PLAN WAS DESIGNED MAINLY TO END THE PROCEDURAL STALEMATE WHICH HAS INCREASED RATHER THAN REDUCED "TENSION BETWEEN THE TWO GREAT POWERS."

THE PROPOSED COMMITTEE WOULD INCLUDE REPRESENTATIVES OF INDIA, YUGOSLAVIA, CUBA, EGYPT, NORWAY AND ECUADOR AND WOULD ACT AS A SORT OF "LITTLE SECURITY COUNCIL" WITH POWERS TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE FULL COUNCIL.

THE MAIN ADVANTAGES, RAU SAID, WOULD BE THAT THE COMMITTEE COULD MEET IN PRIVATE OR IN PUBLIC, COULD HEAR ANY PERSON IT PLEASED, AND NONE OF THE MEMBERS COULD BE SUSPECTED OF ANY EXPANSIONIST AMBITIONS.

THE INDIAN PLAN CAME AS A SURPRISE TO ALL BUT A FEW DELEGATES WHO HAD BEEN CONSULTED PRIVATELY IN ADVANCE. RAU SAID HE WOULD FORMALIZE THE PLAN INTO A RESOLUTION IF HE RECEIVED ENOUGH SUPPORT.

RAU WAS ONE OF FOUR SPEAKERS WHO CONTINUED THE NON-COMMUNIST ASSAULT ON THE WAY RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK HAS DISCHARGED HIS FUNCTIONS AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT SINCE HE ENDED HIS BOYCOTT AUG.1.

FRANCE'S JEAN CHAUVEL CHARGED MALIK IS AIDING COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA BY PROLONGING THE PROCEDURAL STALEMATE FOR PROPAGANDA PURPOSES.

"TO PARALYZE THE COUNCIL WHICH HAS TAKEN THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ENGAGING THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE DEFENSE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA," CHAUVEL SAID, "IS TO AID THE NORTH KOREANS, THE ATTACKERS OF THE REPUBLIC."

AS FOR MALIK'S EFFORTS TO PROVE THE UNITED STATES THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA, CHAUVEL SAID, IT IS JUST ANOTHER CASE OF "POINTING TO A CHAIR AND CALLING IT A TABLE."

CHAUVEL CHIDED MALIK FOR PLAYING A DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE PERFORMANCE BY SPEAKING AS REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET UNION AND THEN, AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT, AGREEING WITH HIS OWN STATEMENTS.

ANTONIO QUEVEDO OF ECUADOR ACCUSED MALIK OF VIOLATING COUNCIL RULES REPEATEDLY AND IGNORING THE WILL OF THE MAJORITY.

NORWAY'S ARNE SUNDE SAID HE WOULD NOT TRY TO COMPETE WITH MALIK IN HIS SELECTED FIELD OF PROPAGANDA.

"IF THIS WERE AN EXERCISE IN PROPAGANDA, THE PRESIDENT WOULD GRADUATE WITH HIGH MARKS," SUNDE SAID. "BUT THIS IS NOT AN ARENA FOR PROPAGANDA, MR. PRESIDENT, BUT THE SECURITY COUNCIL WHICH MUST REPRESENT THE INTERESTS OF ALL 59 MEMBERS FOR PEACE."

RAU, IN SUBMITTING HIS SUGGESTION, TOLD MALIK HE HAD HOPED WITH MALIK'S RETURN TO THE COUNCIL THAT SOME SETTLEMENT MIGHT BE IN SIGHT, BUT THAT HIS HOPES HAD RECEDED SOMEWHAT NOW.

"THE COURSE OF THE DEBATES IN THIS COUNCIL HAS SERVED TO INCREASE RATHER THAN REDUCE THE TENSION BETWEEN THE TWO GREAT POWERS," RAU SAID.

HE THEN ASKED WHETHER ANYTHING COULD BE DONE AT THIS STAGE TO PREVENT FURTHER DETERIORATION OF RELATIONS AND AT THE SAME TIME ADVANCE THE CAUSE OF PEACE.

"SUPPOSE, FOR INSTANCE THE COUNCIL WERE TO APPOINT A COMMITTEE CONSISTING OF, SAY, ITS NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS TO STUDY ALL RESOLUTIONS OR PROPOSALS THAT HAVE BEEN OR MAY BE PRESENTED FOR A PEACEFUL AND JUST SETTLEMENT IN KOREA AND SUBMIT THEIR RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE COUNCIL BY A SPECIFIED DATE," HE SAID.

RAU DID NOT GO INTO DETAILS AS TO WHAT SORT OF SETTLEMENT WOULD BE NECESSARY, BUT ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE INDIAN DELEGATION SAID:

"THERE IS NO QUESTION OF PEACE WITHOUT THE NORTH KOREANS GOING BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL. THAT HAS ALWAYS BEEN OUR STAND."

THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED UNTIL THURSDAY AFTERNOON (2 P.M., EST) TO GIVE MEMBERS TIME TO STUDY THE NEW PROPOSAL.

CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING THE UNITED STATES APPRECIATES THE INDIAN SUGGESTION AND IS PREPARED "TO GIVE SYMPATHETIC CONSIDERATION TO ANY PROPOSAL WHICH HOLDS PROMISE OF DEVELOPMENTS LEADING TOWARD LIBERATION OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE FROM CAPTIVITY AND RESTORATION OF FREEDOM AND OPPORTUNITY TO GOVERN THEMSELVES."

"ANOTHER OBJECTIVE OF ANY SUCH PROPOSAL," AUSTIN SAID, "SHOULD BE THE ARREST OF AGGRESSION ANYWHERE. THE UNITED NATIONS IS NOW FIGHTING FOR THESE OBJECTIVES AND THIS ACTION WILL OF COURSE GO FORWARD."

MALIK ONCE MORE ATTACKED THE COUNCIL MAJORITY AS STOOGES OF THE UNITED STATES. HE MENTIONED PARTICULARLY FRANCE AND NORWAY, DECLARING BOTH HAD BOWED TO THE DICTATES OF THE UNITED STATES.

REFERRING TO QUESTIONS TO HOW HE COULD SIT AT THE TABLE NOW WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF NATIONALIST CHINA WHEN HE HAD REFUSED TO DO SO LAST WINTER, MALIK SAID THERE IS NOTHING IN THE RULES WHICH SAYS A DELEGATE MUST BE PRESENT AT ALL TIMES. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT IT CAME HIS TURN TO TAKE THE CHAIR AND HE DID SO TO COMPLY WITH THE ESTABLISHED PROCEDURE.

MALIK DID NOT COMMENT ON THE INDIAN SUGGESTION.

CHAUVEL PRAISED INDIA FOR HER PEACE EFFORTS, BUT DID NOT COMMIT HIMSELF ON THE PLAN.

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A121
(250)
BY A.I.GOLDBERG
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.14-(AP)-SIR GLADWYN JEBB, CHIEF BRITISH DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID TONIGHT HE DOES NOT FAVOR THROWING RUSSIA OUT OF THE U.N. DESPITE ITS VIOLATION OF SECURITY COUNCIL PROCEDURE.
RUSSIA'S VIOLATIONS, HE SAID, "ARE NO REASON FOR OUR DOING ANYTHING ON OUR SIDE SO FLAGRANT," HE TOLD THE UNITED NATIONS CORRESPONDENTS' ASSOCIATION IN A QUESTION AND ANSWER BROADCAST OVER THE ABC NETWORK.
"THE REASON-FOR-BEING OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS TO PROVIDE A PLACE WHERE DISCUSSION CAN BE HELD, HOWEVER FEROCIOUSLY," HE SAID.
THE BRITON DECLINED TO DISCUSS IN PUBLIC ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT FORMOSA AND SAID THE PRINCIPLE OF ONE EUROPEAN ARMY PROPOSED BY WINSTON CHURCHILL SOUNDS ALL RIGHT BUT MIGHT BE DIFFICULT TO WORK OUT IN PRACTICE.
HE SAID BRITAIN IS PREPARING "A VERY CONSIDERABLE FORCE" TO FIGHT ALONGSIDE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS IN KOREA.
JEBB DECLARED BRITAIN IS FIGHTING COMMUNISTS IN MALAYA WITH MORE THAN 16,000 TROOPS, 70,000 POLICE AND A UNIT OF 2,000 GHURKAS. MORE THAN 500 SOLDIERS AND POLICE HAVE BEEN KILLED THERE, AS WELL AS MORE THAN 800 CIVILIANS.
THEY ARE NOT ONLY FIGHTING TO STEM COMMUNISM BUT TO INSURE A SUPPLY OF RUBBER FOR THE FREE WORLD, JEBB SAID.
ANY IDEA OF INTERNATIONAL TRUSTEESHIP FOR MALA WOULD BRING ONLY CHAOS AND MISERY THERE, HE DECLARED.
BRITAIN WELCOMES INDIA'S PROPOSAL TO HAVE SIX NON-PERMANENT COUNCIL MEMBERS TRY TO SOLVE THE KOREAN QUESTION, JEBB SAID, BUT HE ADDED THAT HE WANTS TO HEAR MORE DETAILS AND GET INSTRUCTIONS FROM HIS GOVERNMENT.
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AUG 15 1950

A102
NIGHT LEAD COMMUNIST BAIL (380)
NEW YORK, AUG.14-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT SAID TODAY THE NATION'S 11 TOP COMMUNISTS SHOULD BE JAILED AT ONCE BECAUSE EVEN THE KOREAN WAR HAS NOT SHAKEN THEIR LOYALTY TO MOSCOW.
"THEY SHOULD NOT BE AT LARGE IN THIS HOUR OF NATIONAL CRISIS," SAID A GOVERNMENT AFFIDAVIT ASKING THAT THEIR BAIL BE REVOKED.
THEN THE AFFIDAVIT QUOTED LIBERALLY FROM THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER, THE DAILY WORKER, TO BACK THE CHARGE.
TEN OF THE 11 LEADERS ARE FREE ON BOND, APPEALING PRISON TERMS UP TO FIVE YEARS THAT WENT WITH THEIR CONVICTION AS CRIMINAL CONSPIRATORS.
THE 11TH EUGENE DENNIS, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, ALREADY IS SERVING A YEAR IN JAIL FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.
OVER THE WEEKEND THE GOVERNMENT ASKED THE SECOND U.S. COURT OF APPEALS HERE TO LIFT THE BAIL AND PUT ALL THE MEN IN JAIL. THE COMMUNISTS MUST SHOW CAUSE THURSDAY WHY THEIR BAIL SHOULD NOT BE REVOKED. THEIR BONDS--RANGING FROM $20,000 TO $30,000 PER MAN--TOTAL $260,000.
THE APPEALS COURT ALREADY HAS UPHELD THEIR CONVICTION LAST YEAR ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRING TO ADVOCATE THE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.
VIRTUALLY THEIR LAST HOPE OF UPSETTING THE CONVICTION RESTS WITH THE U.S. SUPREME COURT.
U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING H.SAYPOL SHOWED NEWSMEN COPIES OF THE AFFIDAVIT IN WHICH THE GOVERNMENT ASKS THE BAIL REVOCATION.
WITH IT HE DISPLAYED PHOTOSTATS OF DAILY WORKER ARTICLES OVER THE SIGNATURES OF MANY OF THE DEFENDANTS.
THESE ACCUSED THE U.S. OF PUSHING AN UNJUST WAR IN KOREA "AGAINST COLORED PEOPLES SEEKING NATIONAL FREEDOM."
AMERICAN SUPPORT OF SUCH A WAR WAS TERMED BY THE DAILY WORKER "SHALLOW AND SHABBY" PATRIOTISM.
ANOTHER ARTICLE USED THE SLOGAN: "NOT A CENT, NOT A GUN, NOT A PLANE FOR WALL STREET'S PUPPET REGIMES IN KOREA, FORMOSA, VIET-NAM."
THE AFFIDAVIT BY THE GOVERNMENT CHARGED THAT THE DEFENDANTS "ARE CONTINUING TO PURSUE THE SAME COURSE OF CONDUCT WHICH LED TO THEIR CONVICTION."
BESIDES DENNIS, DEFENDANTS SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS IN JAIL WERE JOHN B.WILLIAMSON, JACOB STACHEL, BENJAMIN J.DAVIS, JR., HENRY WINSTON, JOHN GATES, IRVING POTASH, GILBERT GREEN, CARL WINTER AND GUS HALL.
THE OTHER DEFENDANT, ROBERT G.THOMPSON, WAS GIVEN ONLY THREE YEARS IN PRISON BECAUSE HE IS A DECORATED VETERAN OF WORLD WAR II.
MEANWHILE, THE COMMUNIST PARTY CAME OUT TONIGHT WITH ITS FIRST RESPONSE TO THE GOVERNMENT'S ACTION. ITS WRITTEN STATEMENT SET THE FOLLOWING SLOGAN FOR PARTY FAITHFUL:
"BAIL FOR THE COMMUNIST LEADERS. HANDS OFF THE BILL OF RIGHTS."
THE STATEMENT THEN CALLED FOR RAISING OF A $200,000 FUND WITHIN A WEEK TO BE USED IN PRESSING THE FIGHT FOR CONTINUED BAILS.
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AUG 15 1950

A136 (230)
FIRST LEAD COMMUNIST BAIL
NEW YORK, AUG 14-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT CHARGED TODAY THAT THE 11 CONVICTED COMMUNIST LEADERS ARE BACKING COMMUNIST FORCES IN KOREA AND ELSEWHERE, AND THUS "SHOULD NOT BE AT LARGE IN THIS HOUR OF NATIONAL CRISIS."
U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING H.SAYPOL MADE PUBLIC THE GOVERNMENT'S AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF ITS MOVE TO HAVE THE "AMERICAN POLITBURO" MEMBERS--NOW FREE IN BAIL--JAILED WHILE THEIR APEALS ARE BEING CONSIDERED BY THE COURTS.
ALL HAVE BEEN FOUND GUILTY OF CRIMINAL CONSPIRACY AND SENTENCES TO PRISON TERMS UP TO FIVE YEARS.
SAYPOL ACCOMPANIED HIS AFFIDAVIT WITH PHOTOSTATS OF RECENT ARTICLES IN THE DAILY WORKER, COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER, ASSAILING THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA AND DENOUNCING "AMERICAN WAR-MAKERS."
THE DAILY WORKER PROPAGANDA LINE SINCE THE KOREAN FIGHTING BEGAN, THE AFFIDAVIT SAID, "JUSTIFIES THE CONCLUSION THAT, WITH THE WELFARE AND SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES AND ITS ARMED FORCES AT STAKE, APPELLANTS' LOYALTY TO THE COMMUNIST FORCES IN KOREA AND THROUGHOUT THE WORLD IS UNDIVIDED AND UNQUESTIONED."
SAYPOL SAID THE PARTY LEADERS "ARE CONTINUING TO PURSUE THE SAME COURSE OF CONDUCT WHICH LED TO THEIR CONVICTION" AND "THEY SHOULD NOT BE AT LARGE IN THIS HOUR OF NATIONAL CRISIS."
ONE OF THE DAILY WORKER EXHIBITS SAYPOL MADE PUBLIC WAS A FULL-PAGE ARTICLE SIGNED BY THREE OF THE CONVICTED LEADERS. IT SAID IN PART: "NOT A CENT, NOT A GUN, NOT A PLANE FOR WALL STREET'S PUPPET REGIMES IN KOREA, FORMOSA, VIETNAM."
THE DEFENDANTS MUST SHOW CAUSE IN FEDERAL COURT HERE NEXT THURSDAY WHY THEY SHOULD NOT GO TO JAIL AT ONCE.

ATTORNEY GENERAL J. HOWARD MCGRATH ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THAT THE REQUEST WAS BASED ON A DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AFFIDAVIT WHICH ALLEGED THAT:
"THERE DOES NOT EXIST ANY SUBSTANTIAL QUESTION AS TO THE JUDGMENT OF CONVICTION X X X, AND THE DEFENDANTS HAVE PURSUED AND WILL CONTINUE TO PRUSUE A COURSE OF CONDUCT AND ACTIVITY DANGEROUS TO THE

PUBLIC WELFARE, SAFETY AND NATIONAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES."
THE COMMUNIST LEADERS HAVE BEEN SENTENCED TO PRISON TERMS AND FINES FOR CONSPIRING TO ADVOCATE FORCIBLE OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT. ALL ARE FREE IN BAIL EXCEPT EUGENE DENNIS, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNIST PARTY, WHO SINCE HAS GONE TO JAIL FOR A YEAR IN WASHINGTON, D.C., FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.
U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING H. SAYPOL SAID HERE LAST NIGHT THAT GOVERNMENT PROSECUTORS HAD DECIDED TO PROCEED IMMEDIATELY AGAINST THE TEN CONVICTED RED LEADERS STILL FREE BECAUSE OF "THE URGENCY OF JAILING THE DEFENDANTS."
SAYPOL'S AFFIDAVIT SAID THE DANGER TO THE NATIONAL SECURITY WAS "CLEAR AND PRESENT;" AND THE INTENT OF THE DEFENDANTS WAS THE OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT "AS SPEEDILY AS CIRCUMSTANCES WOULD PERMIT XXX."
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SAYPOL SAID THE COURT PAPERS WERE PREAPRED "AFTER STUDY OF ALL DATA ON THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE CASE AND THE ACTIVITIES OF THE DEFENDANTS--INCLUDING FBI REPORTS." SAYPOL DID NOT DISCLOSE THE CONTENTS OF THE REPORTS.
THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON, WHICH FIRST ANNOUNCED THE BAIL REVOCATION MOVE, WOULD NOT CITE ANY INSTANCES OF THE ALLEGEDLY "DANGEROUS" CONDUCT AND ACTIVITY OF THE DEFENDANTS.
IN SAN FRANCISCO, A FEDERAL JUDGE REVOKED THE $25,000 BAIL OF LABOR LEADER HARRY BRIDGES ON AUG. 5 AND SENT HIM TO JAIL AS A "DANGEROUS MENACE" DURING THE KOREAN WAR.
BRIDGES, AUSTRALIAN-BORN, BECAME AN AMERICAN CITIZEN IN 1945, SWEARING HE WAS NOT A COMMUNIST. LAST APRIL A FEDERAL JURY CONVICTED HIM OF PERJURY IN SWEARING TO A FALSEHOOD TO OBTAIN CITIZENSHIP. HE WAS FREED IN BAIL PENDING APPEAL OF HIS CONVICTION AND FIVE-YEAR PRISON SENTENCE. LATER HIS CITIZENSHIP WAS REVOKED.
THE BAIL REVOCATION MOVE AGAINST THE DEFENDANTS HERE IS SCHEDULED TO BE HEARD IN THE SECOND U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS. THE ORDER DIRECTING THEM TO ANSWER NEXT THURSDAY WAS SIGNED SATURDAY BY CIRCUIT JUDGE THOMAS W. SWAN.
SAYPOL WENT TO COURT FOLLOWING A CONFERENCE WITH MCGRATH LAST THURSDAY.
THE EVELEN RED LEADERS WERE CONVICTED LAST OCT. 14.--U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE HAROLD R. MEDINA SENTENCED TEN OF THEM TO FIVE YEARS IN PRISON, AND FINED ALL ELEVEN $10,000 EACH. ROBERT G.THOMPSON, NEW YORK STATE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, WAS GIVEN ONLY THREE YEARS IN PRISON BECAUSE OF HIS WORLD WAR 2 RECORD.
IN ADDITION TO DENNIS AND THOMPSON, THOSE SENTENCED WERE: JOHN B. WILLIAMSON, JACOB STACHEL, BENJAMIN J.DAVIS, JR.; HENRY WINSTON, JOHN GATES, IRVING POTASH, GILBERT GREEN, CARL WINTER AND GUS HALL.
THE CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS HERE UPHELD THE CONVICTIONS ON AUG. 1. ALL THE DEFENDANTS EXCEPT DENNIS HAVE BEEN FREE IN BAIL RANGING FROM $20,000 TO $30,000 EACH--OR A TOTAL OF $260,000. AN APPEAL TO THE U.S. SUPREME COURT FROM THE CIRCUIT COURT DECISION IS EXPECTED.
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NEW YORK- AUG.14-(AP)-O.JOHN ROGGE, ONE OF THE ORIGINAL SIGNERS OF THE COMMUNIST-SPONSORED WORLD PEACE APPEAL, LEFT FOR EUROPE LAST NIGHT TO SEEK ITS AMENDMENT AS A RESULT OF THE KOREAN WAR.
HE SAID HE WOULD ASK THE WORLD PARTISANS FOR PEACE--THE COMMUNIST-LED PETITION SPONSORS--TO BRAND NORTH KOREA AS AN AGGRESSOR AND WIDEN THE PETITION TO DENOUNCE ALL FORMS OF AGGRESSIVE WAR.
ROGGE, A WARTIME ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL, ALSO SAID HE WOULD "CHALLENGE THE DOGMA THAT CAPITALISM CAUSES WARS."
BUT HE HELD OUT LITTLE HOPE THAT HIS PROPOSALS WOULD BE ACCEPTED IN PRAGUE, HEADQUARTERS FOR THE PEACE PARTISANS.
"THEY MAY EVEN THROW ME OUT," HE SAID.
ROGGE SAID HE WOULD ASK THE OTHER ORIGINAL SIGNERS TO JOIN WITH HIM IN DENOUNCING NORTH KOREA, AND SAID HE WOULD PRESENT THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:
"IN VIEW OF THE COURSE OF AGGRESSIVE WAR UPON WHICH NORTH KOREA HAS EMBARKED, I NOW WANT TO SUGGEST THAT THE STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL SHOULD BE AMENDED.
"ITS FIRST PARAGRAPH SHOULD CALL, NOT FOR THE OUTLAWRY OF THE ATOMIC BOMB AND OTHER WEAPONS OF BASE DESTRUCTION, BUT FOR THE OUTLAWRY OF AGGRESSION FROM WHATEVER SOURCE AND BY WHATEVER COUNTRY."
THE PEACE APPEAL IS ALSO KNOWN AS THE STOCKHOLM PETITION FROM THE PARTISANS' MEETING PLACE LAST SPRING, WHEN IT WAS ADOPTED.
IT CALLS FOR OUTLAWING THE A-BOMB, CREATING WHAT IT CALLS "STRICT INTERNATIONAL CONTROL" OF ATOMIC ENERGY, AND THE BRANDING AS WAR CRIMINALS OF THE FIRST NATIONAL LEADERS TO USE THE BOMB.
IT HAS BEEN CIRCULATED WIDELY IN THE IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES, IN WESTERN EUROPE, AND LATELY IN THE U.S. IT WAS APPROVED BY THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT.
ROGGE SAID THE PROPOSED ATOM BAN SHOULD BE MOVED DOWN TO THE SECOND PARAGRAPH.
HE ALSO SAID THAT WHILE IN PRAGUE HE WILL ATTACK THE "DOGMA THAT SOCIALISM WILL SWEEP THE WORLD," AND SAID HE WOULD "LIKE TO SEE THE SOVIET UNION RENOUNCE THE USE OF FORCE BY NORTH KOREA."
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(260)
NEW YORK,AUG.14-(AP)-VICE PRESIDENT OF THE CIO UNITED AUTO WORKERS TODAY CALLED THE MARSHALL PLAN IN EUROPE "A MISERABLE FAILURE TO DATE AS FAR AS THE COMMON MAN IS CONCERNED."
JOHN W.LIVINGSTON, HEAD OF A 12-MAN UAW-CIO GROUP JUST BACK FROM A SIX-WEEK TOUR OF WESTERN EUROPE, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT THEY STILL WERE IN FAVOR OF THE MARSHALL PLAN.
BUT THE WAY IT'S WORKING NOW, HE ADDED, IS BENEFITTING PROFIT-GREEDY FACTORY OWNERS INSTEAD OF THE WORKERS IN THE PLANTS.
UNLESS LIVING CONDITIONS IMPROVE FOR THE LOWER-INCOME GROUPS IN FRANCE, ITALY AND WESTERN GERMANY, LIVINGSTON SAID RUSSIA MAY TAKE OVER THE VERY INDUSTRIES THAT AMERICAN MONEY HAS BUILT.
"WE MUST ASSIST IN EVERY WAY POSSIBLE TO SEE THAT THE COMMON MAN IN THESE COUNTRIES FEELS THAT HE HAS SOMETHING WORTH FIGHTING FOR IN CASE OF AGGRESSION," LIVINGSTON TOLD NEWSMEN. "OTHERWISE OUR EFFORTS IN HIS BEHALF WILL HAVE BEEN LOST."
MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS HAVE HELPED REBUILD EUROPEAN FACTORIES AND SET THEIR MODERN MACHINERY TO HUMMING, THE UAW-CIO OFFICIAL SAID.
"THE OWNERS ARE NOW EARNING HUGE PROFITS," HE SAID, "AND ARE CONTINUING TO EXPAND THEIR PRODUCTION, OR ARE POCKETING THE PROFITS AND REFUSING TO GRANT ANY ECONOMIC GAINS TO THE WORKERS."
THIS HAS LED TO LOW WORKER MORALE, LIVINGSTON CONTINUED, AND MAKES PRO-COMMUNIST AND ANTI-MARSHALL PLAN PROPAGANDA EFFECTIVE.
LIVINGSTON SAID WEST GERMAN WORKERS ALSO RESENT THE FACT THAT MANY FORMER HIGH NAZI OFFICIALS ARE BEING PLACED IN EXECUTIVE POSITIONS IN POSTWAR COMPANIES.
HE SAID HIS UNION GROUP WILL DRAFT A REPORT OF THEIR EUROPEAN OBSERVATIONS AND THEN PASS ON THEIR IDEAS TO MARSHALL PLAN OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON.
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B23 HKUP (200)

NEW YORK, AUG.14-(AP)-THE VOICE OF AMERICA HAS BEGUN SPEAKING IN ITS 25TH FOREIGN LANGUAGE IN A NEW SERIES OF BROADCASTS BEAMED TO THE ASSOCIATED STATES OF INDO-CHINA.

IT WAS LED OFF YESTERDAY BY A PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN ENGLISH, FOLLOWED IMMEDIATELY BY ITS TRANSLATION INTO THE VIETNAMESE LANGUAGE.

OTHER SPEAKERS WERE AMBASSADOR AT LARGE PHILIP JESSUP, DEAN RUSK, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EASTERN AFFAIRS, AND FOY D.KOHLER, CHIEF OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S INTERNATIONAL BROADCASTING DIVISION.

THE PRESIDENT, IN HIS RECORDED MESSAGE, SAID U.S. HELP FOR INDO-CHINA "IS DESIGNED TO STIMULATE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE PEOPLE OF INDO-CHINA MAY DEVELOP INSTITUTIONS COMPATIBLE WITH THEIR RELIGION AND CULTURE WHICH WILL BEST SERVE THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE."

"THESE PROGRAMS OF ECONOMIC AND MILITARY ASSISTANCE HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED TO ASSIST YOU. I HOPE YOU WILL STUDY THEM, UNDERSTAND THEM, AND SUPPORT THEM. AMERICANS HAVE LOOKED WITH SYMPATHY UPON THE DESIRES OF THE PEOPLE OF VIET-NAM, LAOS AND CAMBODIA FOR SELF-GOVERNMENT WITHIN THE FRENCH UNION."

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NEW YORK,AUG.14-(AP)-LONGSHOREMEN REFUSED TODAY TO UNLOAD A $250,000 SHIPMENT OF CRAB MEAT BECAUSE IT CAME FROM RUSSIA.

FRANK KERINS, SHOP STEWARD OF LOCAL 791, AFL INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION, TOLD REPORTERS:

"WHY HELP RUSSIA MAKE MONEY IN THIS COUNTRY? MOST OF THE MEN HERE ARE VETERANS. WE'LL BE FIGHTING RUSSIA SOON."

THE CRAB MEAT ARRIVED ON THE CUNARD LINER PARTHIA. SIMILAR SHIPMENTS HAVE BEEN COMING BY WAY OF GREAT BRITAIN SINCE LAST SPRING.

PRESIDENT JOSEPH P.RYAN OF THE ILA, SAID HE WOULD NOT INTERVENE.

BRITISH SPOKESMEN SAID ANY MONEY FROM THE SALE OF THE CRAB MEAT WOULD GO TO ENGLAND AND NOT TO RUSSIA.

BRITAIN TOOK THE CRAB MEAT FROM RUSSIA UNDER A TRADE AGREEMENT. IT SELLS FOR 60 TO 70 CENTS A SMALL CAN AND WAS TOO EXPENSIVE FOR THE AVERAGE ENGLISHMAN. SO IT WAS SENT HERE AS A BRITISH EXPORT.

IN BOSTON, WHERE THE PARTHIA IS DUE TO ARRIVE WEDNESDAY, DANIEL J. DONOVAN, INTERNATIONAL VICE PRESIDENT OF THE ILA, SAID:

"WE'LL GIVE A FISHY STARE TO ANYONE WHO ASKS US TO UNLOAD IT. IT MAY BE TOUGH ON THE CRAB, BUT IT'LL HAVE TO GO BACK TO RUSSIA. WE DON'T WANT IT OR ANY OTHER RUSSIAN PRODUCT HERE. MY MEN JUST WON'T UNLOAD IT."

INFORMED OF ENGLAND'S PART IN THE CASE, DONOVAN SAID:

"THEN LET ENGLAND DO WHAT IT WILL. IT STILL DOESN'T GET INTO BOSTON. CRABMEAT FROM RUSSIA, BEARING AN ENGLISH IMPORTER'S NAME, WILL TASTE PRETTY SOUR TO US. YOU CAN REST ASSURE WE'LL NOT EVEN MOVE THE RUSSIAN CARGO AN INCH.

"IMAGINE TRYING TO SELL RUSSIAN CRABS IN AMERICA," DONOVAN CONCLUDED "WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH AMERICAN CRABS?"

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(150)

NEW YORK, AUG.14-(AP)-FIVE YEARS AGO THIS WAS V-J DAY.

JAPAN, THE LAST OF THE NATIONS THAT HAD TRIED TO CONQUER THE WORLD, HAD SURRENDERED WITHOUT CONDITIONS.

A FEW DAYS BEFORE, TWO ATOMIC BOMBS HAD BROUGHT HER EMPIRE TO ITS KNEES--AND USHERED MANKIND INTO A NEW AGE.

IN THE UNITED NATIONS, POLITE AND POLISHED DIPLOMATS BOWED AND SMILED AS THEY WOVE TOGETHER A NEW WORLD ORDER.

IN EUROPE, THE WESTERN POWERS AND RUSSIA LINKED ARMS ACROSS A SHATTERED GERMANY.

IN THE PACIFIC, TORTURED CHINA SAW HER 13-YEAR ORDEAL COME TO A TRIUMPHANT CLOSE, AND AMERICAN AND RUSSIAN SOLDIERS HASTENED TO END KOREA'S 40 YEARS OF SLAVERY.

IN THE STREETS, THE PEOPLE WENT WILD. THE BARRIERS BROKE DOWN. SOLDIERS AND SAILORS FORGOT THEIR DISCIPLINE, DRANK TOO MUCH, AND KISSED ALL THE GIRLS IN SIGHT.

IT WAS PEACE, WASN'T IT? IT WAS THE REAL MCCOY.

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B29 HKUP (400)

(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M., (EST) MONDAY, AUG.14)

(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, AUG.14-(AP)-THE NATION'S ELECTRIC POWER PRODUCERS REPORTED TODAY THEY ARE READY TO MEET THE NEEDS OF INDUSTRY AND HOUSEWIFE ALIKE IN ANY DEFENSE EMERGENCY.

L.V.SUTTON, PRESIDENT OF EDISON ELECTRIC INSTITUTE AND OF CAROLINA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY, MADE THE STATEMENT WITH ONE PROVISO, HOWEVER.

POWER WOULD BE AMPLE, HE SAID, PROVIDED "NO GOVERNMENT LIMITATIONS ARE IMPOSED WHICH WOULD PREVENT COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMS THE PRIVATELY-OWNED COMPANIES NOW HAVE UNDERWAY."

HE MADE HIS REPORT TO W.STUART SYMINGTON, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD. HE SPOKE AS HEAD OF EDISON ELECTRIC INSTITUTE, TRADE ORGANIZATION OF THE NATION'S PRIVATELY-OWNED POWER COMPANIES.

THE PRIVATE POWER MEN ARE IN THE MIDST OF A HUGE MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR EXPANSION PROGRAM, WHICH WAS NECESSARY TO KEEP A STEP AHEAD OF THE CONTINUALLY INCREASING DEMANDS OF THEIR CUSTOMERS.

IT HAS RESULTED IN THE FIRST HEALTHY RESERVE MARGIN OF POWER IN THREE YEARS. IT WILL GIVE THE ELECTRIC INDUSTRY A TOTAL GENERATING CAPABILITY OF 67,500,000 KILOWATTS BY THE END OF THIS YEAR.

SUTTON TOLD THE SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD THE CURRENT CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM WILL ADD ANOTHER 12,000,000 KILOWATTS OF GENERATING CAPACITY BY THE END OF 1952.

RIGHT NOW, HE SAID, THERE IS NEARLY FOUR TIMES AS MUCH NEW GENERATING EQUIPMENT ON THE POWER LINES AS THERE WAS IN 1940.

THIRTY MILLION KILOWATTS OF THE INDUSTRY'S GENERATING EQUIPMENT, HE ADDED, IS LESS THAN 10 YEARS OLD AND HAS ALL THE ADVANTAGES OF ECONOMY OF OPERATION AND RELATIVE FREEDOM FROM MECHANICAL BREAKDOWN POSSESSED BY MODERN MACHINERY.

IN 1940, HE SAID, ONLY 8,000,000 KILOWATTS HAD BEEN INSTALLED WITHIN THE PRECEDING 10 YEARS.

THE ELECTRIC INDUSTRY, SUTTON REPORTED, IS IN MUCH BETTER SHAPE TO MEET THE PRESENT DEFENSE EMERGENCY THAT IT WAS WHEN THE NATION BEGAN TO GET READY FOR WORLD WAR II.

DESPITE THE LESS AUSPICIOUS START IN WORLD WAR II, THE PRIVATELY-OWNED POWER INDUSTRY MET EVERY DEMAND PLACED UPON IT.--

"THIS YEAR RESERVES TOTAL 9,000,000 (M) KILOWATTS," SUTTON AID. "THESE RESERVES CAN, IF NECESSARY, GENERATE MORE THAN 50,000,000,000(B) KILOWATTHOURS A YEAR."

KILOWATT CAPACITY IS THE AMOUNT OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY WHICH CAN BE PRODUCED AT ANY ONE TIME. THE RESERVE LISTED BY SUTTON WOULD MEAN THE NATION'S PLANTS ARE CAPABLE OF TURNING OUT 9,000,000 KILOWATTS BEYOND PRESENT DEMANDS.

A KILOWATTHOUR IS THE AMOUNT OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY CONSUMED BY ONE 100-WATT LAMP BURNING FOR 10 HOURS OR TEN 100-WATT LAMPS BURNING FOR ONE HOUR.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M. (EST) MONDAY, AUG. 14)

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NORFOLK, VA., AUG. 14-(AP)-TWO CHINESE SHIPS, THE HAI OU AND THE HAI YA, UNDER AN ORDER ENTERED TODAY IN FEDERAL DISTRICT COURT HERE, WILL BE TURNED OVER TO THE MARITIME COMMISSION.

THE SHIPS, NOW IN HAMPTON ROADS, WERE USED BY THE BRITISH DURING WORLD WAR II. THE UNITED STATES MARSHAL TOOK THE VESSELS INTO CUSTODY IN MAY AFTER THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT HAD FAILED TO MAKE CERTAIN SETTLEMENTS WITH THE UNITED STATES.

A MARITIME COMMISSION SPOKESMAN SAID HERE TODAY THE TWO CRAFT, WHICH ARE ABOUT THE SIZE OF LIBERTY SHIPS, WILL BE PLACED IN THE IDLE FLEET.

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KOREAN MILITARY (320)

WASHINGTON,AUG 14-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS HAS THROWN A FULL SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION INTO THE BATTLE FOR POHANG, DEFENSE DEPARTMENT REPORTS SAID TODAY.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD THIS AFTERNOON'S BRIEFING CONFERENCE THAT THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION HAD BEEN MOVED SOME 25 MILES ACROSS COUNTRY FROM THE NORTHERN FRONT INTO THE FIGHT TO HOLD THE POHANG AIRFIELD.

BRIEFING OFFICERS INDICATED THAT THE ALLIES WILL MAKE A STRENUOUS EFFORT TO HOLD THE FIELD AND DRIVE THE COMMUNISTS BEYOND ARTILLERY RANGE. THE FIELD HAS NOT BEEN USED BY ALLIED PLANES FOR SEVERAL DAYS, BUT BRIEFLY OFFICERS SAID ITS BASIC EQUIPMENT HAD BEEN LEFT SO THAT FIGHTER PLANES COULD RETURN AS SOON AS IT IS REASONABLY SECURE.

THE ARMY REPORTED THAT THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION ON THE NORTH CENTRAL FRONT YESTERDAY KNOCKED OUT SEVEN OF TEN RED TANKS THAT SPEARHEADED AN ENEMY CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. THIS IS THE LARGEST NUMBER OF TANKS USED BY THE NORTH KOREANS IN A SINGLE PUSH FOR SOME TIMES, SPOKESMEN ASSERTED.

THE AIR FORCE REPORTED POSSIBLY SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS IN NORTHERN KOREA YESTERDAY. RECONNAISSANCE OF THE WONSAN AREA ON THE NORTHEAST COAST OF KOREA REVEALED "HEAVY CONSTRUCTION" AROUND THIS AIR AND SEA BASE. BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID THE REDS WERE REINFORCING RUNWAYS AND APPARENTLY WERE BUILDING AND STRENGTHENING REVETMENTS FOR THE PROTECTION OF PLANES.

THE AIR FORCE SAID "UNDOUBTEDLY, THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE AN AIR POTENTIAL IN THE NORTH," DESPITE THE INFREQUENCY OF THE APPEARANCE OF ENEMY PLANES RECENTLY.

B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES REPORTED YESTERDAY THAT THEY WERE PACED BY A SINGLE ENEMY PLANE WHILE RETURNING FROM A BOMBING MISSION. AIR FORCE OFFICERS SAID THIS TECHNIQUE WAS DEVELOPED BY THE GERMANS IN WORLD WAR II TO GIVE THEIR ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNNERS AND PLOTTERS BETTER AND QUICKER INFORMATION ABOUT THE SPEED, HEIGHT AND DIRECTION OF ALLIED BOMBERS.

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NIGHT LEAD TRUMAN-KOREA

WASHINGTON, AUG. 14-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TODAY "VICTORY IS ASSURED" IN THE KOREAN WAR.

MR.TRUMAN MADE THE PREDICTION IN A MESSAGE TO SOUTH KOREA'S PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE ON THE SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE LITTLE POST-WAR REPUBLIC.

DENOUNCING THE "SAVAGE AND RUTHLESS COMMUNIST INVADER," MR.TRUMAN TOLD RHEE:

"I KNOW THAT THE AGGRESSOR WILL BE REPELLED AND THAT THE PEOPLE OF KOREA WILL ACHIEVE THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE WHICH ARE THEIR NATURAL RIGHT.

"BY A STAUNCH ADHERENCE TO THE PRINCIPLES OF RIGHT AND DEMOCRACY, VICTORY IS ASSURED."

THE MESSAGE WAS MADE PUBLIC BY THE WHITE HOUSE.

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BULLETIN

TRUMAN-KOREA

WASHINGTON,AUG.14-(AP)-RESIDENT TRUMAN TOLD SOUTH KOREA'S PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE TODAY THAT "VICTORY IS ASSURED" IN THE KOREAN WAR.

"I KNOW THAT THE AGGRESSOR WILL BE REPELLED AND THAT THE PEOPLE OF KOREA WILL ACHIEVE THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE WHICH ARE THEIR NATURAL RIGHT," MR.TRUMAN SAID IN A MESSAGE.

"BY A STAUNCH ADHERENCE TO THE PRINCIPLES OF RIGHT AND DEMOCRACY, VICTORY IS ASSURED."

THE MESSAGE, MADE PUBLIC BY THE WHITE HOUSE, FOLLOWS:

"ON THIS SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF THE PROCLAMATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, WHICH BINDS THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS AIDING YOUR PEOPLE IN THE COMMON PURPOSE OF REPELLING A SAVAGE AND RUTHLESS COMMUNIST INVADER, I CONVEY TO YOUR EXCELLENCY AND TO THE PEOPLE OF KOREA THE GOOD WISHES OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES.

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"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE WATCHED WITH GREAT SATISFACTION THE IMPRESSIVE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA SINCE ITS FOUNDING TWO YEARS AGO.

"I KNOW THAT THE AGGRESSOR WILL BE REPELLED AND THAT THE PEOPLE OF KOREA WILL ACHIEVE THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE WHICH ARE THEIR NATURAL RIGHT. BY A STAUNCH ADHERENCE TO THE PRINCIPLES OF RIGHT AND DEMOCRACY, VICTORY IS ASSURED."

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KOREAN INTERPRETIVE

BY ELTON C.FAY

AP MILITARY AFFAIRS REPORTER

WASHINGTON, AUG. 14-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES HAS GIVEN RUSSIA A NEW AND UNMISTAKABLE TOKEN OF ITS DETERMINATION TO FIGHT THE KOREAN WAR EVEN AT THE RISK OF OPEN SOVIET INTERVENTION.

A MISSION OF AMERICAN AIR FORCE SUPERFORTRESSES, IN A STRIKE ON A NORTH KOREAN CITY, SLAMMED DOWN MORE THAN 500 TONS OF BOMBS SO CLOSE TO RUSSIAN SIBERIA--17 MILES--THAT THE DISTANT RUMBLE OF THE ATTACK PROBABLY WAS HEARD ACROSS THE BORDER.

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THIS WEEKEND BOMBING MISSION TO THE NORTH KOREAN PORT CITY OF NAJIN WAS ONE OF THE MOST DARING AND DELICATE OPERATIONS OF THE WAR.

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN PUTTING BOMBS DOWN ON A NORTH KOREAN TARGET OR, THROUGH ACCIDENT AND ERROR IN NAVIGATION, HAVING THEM FALL ON SOVIET TERRITORY WAS A MATTER OF ABOUT FIVE MINUTES FLYING TIME FOR A BIG FORMATION MANEUVERING AT A SPEED OF MORE THAN THREE MILES A MINUTE.

BUT THERE WAS AN EVEN GREATER CALCULATED RISK. HOW WOULD RUSSIA REACT TO THE APPEARANCE OF AMERICAN PLANES, BOMBED AND ARMED FOR COMBAT, SO CLOSE TO HER DOORSTEP?

THERE WAS THIS TO REMEMBER: ON APRIL 8, BEFORE THERE WAS ANY SHOOTING WAR ANYWHERE AND IN A DIFFERENT PART OF THE WORLD, FOUR RUSSIAN FIGHTERS SHOT DOWN A UNITED STATES NAVY PATROL PLANE OVER THE WATERS OF THE OPEN BALTIC. THIS ATTACK OCCURRED MORE THAN 30 MILES FROM THE NEAREST RUSSIAN TERRITORY, IN AN AREA SUPPOSEDLY FREE TO SEA OR AIR NAVIGATION BY ANY NATION, AND WAS MADE WHEN THE UNITED STATES WAS AT WAR WITH NO ONE.

MOSCOW THEREAFTER LET IT BE KNOWN THAT MORE ACTION OF THE SAME KIND COULD BE EXPECTED IF FOREIGN PLANES GOT TOO CLOSE TO ITS IRON CURTAIN.

WHATEVER THE REASON, THERE WAS NO INDICATION THAT THE SOVIET AIR FORCE REACTED TO THE NAJIN MISSION. INFORMATION RECEIVED HERE SAID NOTHING OF THE SIGHTING BY THE BOMBER MISSION OF NON-AMERICAN AIRCRAFT.

ALL OPERATIONS IN THE KOREAN WAR PRESUMABLY ARE CARRIED BY DIRECTION OR APPROVAL OF GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S FAR EASTERN COMMAND. IT IN TURN RECEIVES ITS BROAD STRATEGIC DIRECTIVES FROM THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF HERE. THE JOINT CHIEFS' STRATEGY IS, OF COURSE, GEARED TO THE HIGH OVERALL POLICY DEFINED AT DIPLOMATIC LEVEL.

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THUS IT MUST BE ASSUMED THE DECISION TO CARRY THE AIR WAR TO THE VERY EDGE OF RUSSIAN TERRITORY HAS THE SANCTION OF THE TOP POLICY-SHAPERS.

THE REASON FOR HITTING NAJIN SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN BASED ON SOLID MILITARY GROUNDS. IT IS A RAIL CENTER AND PORT TOWN THROUGH WHICH NORTH KOREAN SUPPLIES AND REINFORCEMENTS HAVE BEEN MOVING. DURING RECENT WEEKS, THE ENEMY HAS BEEN MOVING MEN AND MATERIEL SOUTHWARD ALONG HIS COASTLINE IN A SERIES OF SHORT WATER HOPS, USING SMALL COASTAL STEAMERS AND OTHER CRAFT AND MOVING USUALLY BY NIGHT.

THE B-29 BOMBERS DURING THE LAST SEVEN WEEKS HAVE PRETTY WELL WORKED OVER PROFITABLE STRATEGIC TARGETS IN KOREA. OIL REFINERIES AND SOME MANUFACTURING CENTERS HAVE BEEN PLASTERED OFTEN AND HEAVILY. WITH THESE TARGETS AT LEAST TEMPORARILY SCRATCHED, THE BOMBING PROGRAM CALLED FOR SHIFTS TO OTHER SMALLER BUT IMPORTANT STRATEGIC TARGETS--LIKE NAJIN.

THIS NORTHWARD MOVEMENT OF THE STRATEGIC BOMB LINE NECESSARILY CARRIED WITH IT THE CALCULATED RISK THAT THE NORTH KOREANS' SPONSOR AND NEIGHBOR, RUSSIA MIGHT REACT. IT WAS THE CHOICE BETWEEN LETTING THE NORTH KOREAN TRANSPORTATION AND MANUFACTURING CENTERS CONTINUE TO FEED HELP TO THE FRONT OR TAKING A CHANCE OF TROUBLE WITH THE SOVIETS. THE QUESTION HAD TO BE DECIDED SOONER OR LATER.

ON THE PURELY AIR OPERATIONAL SIDE OF THE PICTURE, THE MAJIN STRIKE DEPENDED ON THE MOST PRECISE KIND OF AIRMANSHIP TO HIT THE TARGET--AND NOT SOMETHING JUST BEYOND IT.

A COMMUNIQUE SAID ONLY THAT "THREE SUCCESSIVE WAVES OF SUPERFORTRESSES" MADE THE BOMBING RUN, AIMING BY RADAR BECAUSE A CLOUD COVER OBSCURED THE TARGET.

ON THE BASIS OF USUAL B-29 MISSION PROCEDURE, THIS WOULD LOOK LIKE A MISSION OF ABOUT 70 TO 80 SUPERFORTRESSES.

IN LIGHT OF THE POTENTIALITIES THAT COULD HAVE DEVELOPED, IT IS QUITE POSSIBLE THE BOMBERS HAD FIGHTER PROTECTION WHILE OVER THE NORTHERN AREA, PERHAPS RENDEZVOUSING WITH THE FIGHTER FORCE AS THEY APPROACHED THE COASTLINE.

THERE WAS ONE FACTOR THAT HELPED THE AIR FORCE IN THE ATTACK ON NAJIN ON SATURDAY. THE CITY IS ALMOST IDEAL FOR INVISIBLE BOMBING BY RADAR. THE COASTLINE AND THE LINE OF THE RIVER FLOWING INTO THE HARBOR PROVIDE SHA

BY RADAR. THE COASTLINE AND THE LINE OF THE RIVER FLOWING INTO THE HARBOR PROVIDE SHARP DELINEATION ON A RADAR SCREEN, GIVING THE BOMBARDIER A "VIEW" ALMOST AS GOOD AS HE WOULD HAVE WITH HIS EYES.
THE FAVORITE ALTITUDE FOR B-29 RADAR BOMBING USUALLY IS AROUND 20,000 FEET.

IT IS NOT LIKELY THAT RUSSIANS MANNING THE SIBERIAN BORDER LINE FAILED TO KNOW OF THE APPROACH OF THE SUPERFORTRESSES TO NAJIN NOR OF THEIR MOVEMENTS AFTER REACHING THE TARGET. A BIG BOMBER FORMATION AT MEDIUM-HIGH ALTITUDE AND ONLY A SCORE OF MILES DISTANT WOULD REGISTER VERY CLEARLY ON ANY RADAR AIRCRAFT DETECTION NETWORK ALONG THE RUSSIAN BORDER.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-SECOND LIEUT.HOWELL G.THOMAS, JR., 24, OF WASHINGTON, WHO DIED IN JAPAN JULY 17 OF WOUNDS RECEIVED IN KOREA, TODAY BECAME THE FIRST CASUALTY OF THE KOREAN WAR TO BE BURIED IN ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY.

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CHINA (240)

WASHINGTON, AUG.14-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV) TODAY URGED THAT THE UNITED STATES GIVE FULL BACKING TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK, CHINESE NATIONALIST LEADER, IN THE CURRENT FAR EASTERN BATTLE AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

"I BELIEVE THAT OUR POLICY OF OPPOSITION TO RED CHINA IS PHONY UNLESS IT INCORPORATES THE COROLLARY POLICY OF BOLSTERING THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT," MCCARRAN TOLD THE SENATE.

"WE MUST MAKE THAT GOVERNMENT, WHATEVER ITS FAULTS, THE RALLYING POINT FOR CHINESE OPPOSED TO COMMUNISM, AT LEAST DURING THE FIRST PHASE OF CHINA'S COMEBACK.

"X X X OTHERWISE, RUSSIA WILL SUCCEED ONCE AGAIN IN CONVICING MANY NATIONS, AND PARTICULARLY ASIATIC NATIONS, THAT CHINA'S COMEBACK IS AN AMERICAN IMPERIALIST IDEA RATHER THAN THE IDEA OF THE CHINESE NATION."

IF CHINA IS TO BE LIBERATED, HE CONTINUED, IT MUST BE DONE BY THE PEOPLE OF CHINA, UNDER CHINESE LEADERSHIP.

MCCARRAN CALLED CHIANG THE MOST POWERFUL FIGURE IN THE WHOLE ASIATIC RESISTANCE-TO-COMMUNISM MOVEMENT, AND SAID IT WAS IMPERATIVE THAT HE REGAIN HIS LEADERSHIP. BUT HE ADDED:

"I AM NOT PROPOSING THAT WE SHOULD COMMIT OURSELVES IRREVOCABLY TO CHIANG KAI-SHEK AS THE MAN TO LEAD THAT MOVEMENT PERMANENTLY."

MCCARRAN SAID IT WAS INCONCEIVABLE THAT THE UNITED STATES COULD BLOCK SEATING THE RED CHINESE IN THE UNITED NATIONS IF THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT WENT OUT OF EXISTENCE.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT, HE SAID, PRODUCED STATESMANSHIP WITH REGARD TO CHINA "AT THE LEVEL OF THE PSYCHOPATHIC WARD," AND "IN THE END, WE WRECKED THE CHIANG KAI-SHEK GOVERNMENT."

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NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN-POLITICS (450)
WASHINGTON,AUG 14-(AP)-A DEMOCRATIC SENATE VETERAN TODAY ASSAILED THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S HANDLING OF THE CHINA SITUATION IN A SPEECH WHICH TOPPED OFF A WEEKEND OF SENATE QUARRELING OVER FAR EASTERN POLICY.

THE SPEAKER, SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, DECLARED THAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT PRODUCED STATESMANSHIP WITH REGARD TO CHINA "AT THE LEVEL OF THE PSYCHOPATHIC WARD," AND "IN THE END, WE WRECKED THE CHIANG KAI-SHEK GOVERNMENT."

MCCARRAN'S BLAST, WHICH CARRIED AN APPEAL FOR BACKING OF CHIANG AS THE BEST HOPE CURRENTLY FOR FIGHTING COMMUNISM IN ASIA, FOLLOWED A SERIES OF HEATED INTER-PARTY EXCHANGES OVER KOREAN POLICY ON AND OFF THE SENATE FLOOR.

DEMOCRATS ACCUSED THE REPUBLICANS OF "POLITICAL PETTIFOGGING," OF USING THE KOREAN CRISIS TO TRY TO "COZEN A FEW VOTES IN NOVEMBER."

REPUBLICANS CHARGED THE DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATION IS ENTIRELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FAR EAST CRISIS.

TODAY'S CLASHES ERUPTED OVER A WEEK-END STATEMENT BY FOUR OF THE FIVE REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE THAT AMERICAN FAR EASTERN POLICY "CONSISTENTLY TEMPORIZED WITH AND CAPITULATED TO THE RUTHLESS DEMANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS."

"THE KREMLIN WAS, IN EFFECT, GIVEN A GREEN LIGHT TO GRAB WHATEVER IT COULD IN CHINA, KOREA AND FORMOSA," THE GOP STATEMENT SAID.

SIGNING THE STATEMENT WERE SENATORS WILEY OF WISCONSIN, LODGE OF MASSACHUSETTS, HICKENLOOPER OF IOWA AND H.ALEXANDER SMITH OF NEW JERSEY. THE FIFTH REPUBLICAN MEMBER, SENATOR VANDENBERG OF MICHIGAN, HAS BEEN ILL AND DIDN'T SIGN. HIS OFFICE SAID HE WAS IN GENERAL AGREEMENT WITH THE STATEMENT'S VIEWPOINT.

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CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) ROARED BACK THAT IT WAS A "PLAIN AND PALPABLE POLITICAL STATEMENT X X X PLAINLY INTENDED TO INFLUENCE THE COMING ELECTIONS." HE DICTATED A STATEMENT OF HIS OWN TO REPORTERS:

"THE BEST WAY TO GET INTERNATIONAL PEACE IS TO HAVE UNITY AT HOME INSTEAD OF QUARRELSOME PETTIFOGGING ATTACKS ON THE ADMINISTRATION BY REPUBLICANS."

ANOTHER COMMITTEE DEMOCRAT, MCMAHON OF CONNECTICUT, LIKEWISE SAID THE GOP HAD PUT OUT A FANCY POLITICAL STATEMENT, DESIGNED TO CATCH VOTES IN NOVEMBER.

"THESE MASTERS OF HINDSIGHT SEEK TO CUT THEMSELVES IN ON THE VICTORIES OF OUR FOREIGN POLICY AND TO DIVORCE THEMSELVES FROM THE DEFEATS," MCMAHON TOLD THE SENATE.

HE SAID THE SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER, WHERRY OF NEBRASKA, HAS "DOGGEDLY FOUGHT ALMOST EVERY ADMINISTRATION EFFORT TO KEEP EUROPE OUT OF THE HANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS."

WHERRY RETORTED THAT MCMAHON, WHO IS RUNNING FOR REELECTION IN NOVEMBER, IS TRYING TO MAKE "POLITICAL CAPITAL OUT OF THE KOREAN WAR.'

SENATOR CAPEHART (R-IND) BROKE INTO THE ARGUMENT TO SAY THAT DEMOCRATS CONTROL THE PRESIDENCY, THE SENATE AND HOUSE AND THUS ARE "100 PERCENT RESPONSIBLE" FOR THE KOREAN WAR.

SENATOR BENTON (D-CONN) COMPLAINED THAT THE REPUBLICAN QUARTET ON THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE "JEOPARDIZES THE BIPARTISAN APPROACH TO FOREIGN POLICY." AND SENATOR PEPPER (D-FLA), A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE, SAID THEIR STATEMENT TENDS TO DIVIDE THE COUNTRY WHEN IT NEEDS UNITY.

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FOREIGN-POLITICS

BY JACK BELL

WASHINGTON, AUG. 14-(AP)-CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) ACCUSED REPUBLICA MEMBERS OF HIS SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE TODAY OF "POLITICAL PETTIFOGGING" IN CONTENDING THAT ADMINISTRATION POLICIES INVITED THE COMMUNIST ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREA.

"A PALPABLY POLITICALY STATEMENT X X X INTENDED TO INFLUENCE THE COMING ELECTIONS," CONNALLY SAID OF A CHARGE BY FOUR REPUBLICAN MEMBERS YESTERDAY THAT THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION VIRTUALLY HAD INVITED RUSSIA "TO GRAB WHATEVER IT COULD IN CHINA, KOREA AND FORMOSA."

THE STATEMENT WAS SIGNED BY SENATORS WILEY OF WISCONSIN, H.ALEXANDER SMITH OF NEW JERSEY, HICKENLOOPER OF IOWA AND LODGE OF MASSACHUSETTS. IT HAD THE ENDORSEMENT IN PRINCIPLE OF SENATOR VANDENBERG OF MICHIGAN, THE OTHER REPUBLICAN MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE. VANDENBERG, LONG THE CHIEF GOP ADVOCATE OF BIPARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY, IS ILL AND DID NOT SIGN THE STATEMENT.

ITS ISSUANCE SPLIT WIDE OPEN THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, WHICH FREQUENTLY IN RECENT YEARS HAD AGREED UNANIMOUSLY ON MAJOR FOREIGN POLICY ISSUES.

IN A SEPARATE STATEMENT, SENATOR MAHON (D-CONN), ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, ACCUSED REPUBLICANS OF ISSUING "A FANCY POLITICAL STATEMENT ON FOREIGN POLICY, DESIGNED TO COZEN A FEW VOTES IN NOVEMBER."

"THESE MASTERS OF HINDSIGHT SEEK TO CUT THEMSELVES IN ON THE VICTORIES OF OUR FOREIGN POLICY AND TO DIVORCE THEMSELVES FROM THE DEFEATS," HE DECLARED.

MCMAHON SAID THAT SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) AS THE LEADER OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY IN THE SENATE, "HAS DOGGEDLY FOUGHT ALMOST EVERY ADMINISTRATION EFFORT TO KEEP EUROPE OUT OF THE HANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS."

THE REPUBLICANS ASSERTED THAT ADMINISTRATION FAR EASTERN POLICY "CONSISTENTLY TEMPORIZED WITH AND CAPITULATED TO THE RUTHLESS DEMANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS, DOMINATED BY MOSCOW." IT ADDED:

"UNDER IT THE KREMLIN WAS, IN EFFECT, GIVEN A GREEN LIGHT TO GRAB WHATEVER IT COULD IN CHINA, KOREA AND FORMOSA. THIS WAS NEVER A BIPARTISAN POLICY. IT WAS SOLELY AN ADMINISTRATION POLICY."

CONNALLY RETORTED IN A STATEMENT DICTATED TO REPORTERS THAT THE REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE MEMBERS HAD "ISSUED A PLAIN AND PALPABLE POLITICAL STATEMENT ON FOREIGN POLICY--IT IS A DOCUMENT PLAINLY INTENDED TO INFLUENCE THE COMING ELECTIONS."

"THE BEST WAY TO GET INTERNATIONAL PEACE IS TO HAVE UNITY AT HOME INSTEAD OF QUARRELSOME PETTIFOGGING ATTACKS ON THE ADMINISTRATION BY REPUBLICANS," HE DECLARED.

THE REPUBLICANS HAVE MADE NO SECRET OF THE FACT THAT THEY INTEND TO DISCUSS FAR EASTERN POLICY IN THE CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN. THEIR NATIONAL COMMITTEE MAY ISSUE A DOCUMENTARY "WHITE PAPER" ON THE SUBJECT WITHIN A FEW DAYS.

SENATOR WHERRY OF NEBRASKA, THE GOP FLOOR LEADER, TOLD A REPORTER HE THINKS MOST SENATE REPUBLICANS SUBSCRIBE TO THE STATEMENT ISSUED BY THE FOREIGN RELATIONS MEMBERS.

"FOR MYSELF, I WOULD HAVE GONE FARTHER," WHERRY SAID. "I THINK THAT WHAT HAS HAPPENED IN ASIA ALSO HAS HAPPENED IN EUROPE."

SENATOR PEPPER (D-FLA), ANOTHER DEMOCRATIC MEMBER OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS GROUP, JOINED CONNALLY IN CONDEMNING THE REPUBLICAN STATEMENT.

ASSERTING THAT THE GOP DECLARATION "TENDS TO DIVIDE THE COUNTRY AT A TIME WHEN IT NEEDS UNITY," PEPPER SAID.

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"I DON'T THINK THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WILL APPLAUD SUCH PHARISAICAL PATRIOTISM. THE PEOPLE WANT TO SEE UNITY. THEY KNOW IT IS TIME TO STAND TOGETHER AND FIGHT TOGETHER IN THIS CRISIS."

CONNALLY SAID THE REPUBLICANS HAD "DRAGGED OUT THE TREADBARE TOPICS OF YALTA AND POTSDAM," ADDING THAT THE DEMOCRATS ARE MORE INTERESTED IN WHAT IS GOING ON NOW THAN WHAT HAPPENED IN THE PAST.

"WE WANT TO FACE THE PROBLEM OF WINNING THE WAR IN KOREA," HE SAID. "WE DO NOT WANT THE WORLD TO WITNESS POLITICAL AND PARTISAN QUARRELS IN THE UNITED STATES BETWEEN THE OUTS AND THE ADMINISTRATION. X X X

"THE ROLL WILL BE CALLED. LET THOSE WHO FAVOR AN AGGRESSIVE POLICY AGAINST COMMUNISM, WHO ARE AGAINST AGGRESSION IN KOREA AND AGAINST POLITICAL DISUNITY AND POLITICAL AGITATION STAND UP AND BE COUNTED."

IN THEIR 1300-WORD STATEMENT THE REPUBLICANS DEMANDED THAT THE UNITED STATES TAKE IMMEDIATE STEPS TO "REGAIN THE INITIATIVE AND THE POWER FOR THE ORGANIZATION AND PRESERVATION OF LASTING PEACE WHICH IT THREW AWAY IN 1945."

"WE MUST NOT WAIT UNTIL THE PRESENT CRISIS IS OVER AND THEN FUMBLE THE BALL OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE BECAUSE WE ARE NOT PREPARED FOR VICTORY," THE FOUR GOP SENATORS DECLARED.

CONNALLY SAID THE REPUBLICANS WERE TALKING ABOUT "BLUNDERS" IN WHICH THEY THEMSELVES HAD PARTICIPATED. HE NOTED THAT FORMER SENATOR JOHN FOSTER DULLES, NEW YORK REPUBLICAN NOW SERVING AS A STATE DEPARTMENT ADVISER, "WAS IN KOREA ONLY A FEW DAYS BEFORE THE ATTACK BY THE NORTH KOREANS AND HE DID NOT REPORT ANY DANGER TO SOUTH KOREA AT THE TIME."

SENATOR BREWSTER OF MAINE, WHO HEADS THE REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE, ALSO CRITICIZED ADMINISTRATION POLICIES IN A WEEK-END SPEECH AT CHARLESTON, W.VA.

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ASSERTING THAT SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON "MUST GO," BREWSTER SAID THAT "THE AMERICAN PEOPLE CAN NO LONGER HAVE CONFIDENCE IN HIS CONDUCT OF OUR FOREIGN RELATIONS."

"STALIN WAS GIVEN A GREEN LIGHT TO TAKE OVER KOREA BY SECRETARY ACHESON," THE MAINE SENATOR SAID. "AT THE THIRTEENTH HOUR THE SIGNALS WERE CHANGED AND (GENERAL) MACARTHUR WAS ORDERED TO ENTER THE FIGHT WITHOUT PREVIOUS WARNING OF ANY KIND THAT SUCH ACTION MIGHT BE CONTEMPLATED."

"THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE CURRENT WAR IS SQUARELY ON THE SOFT POLICY OF THE ADMINISTRATION THAT INVITED THE ATTACK AND THEN SUDDENLY REALIZED ITS IMPLICATIONS AND SENT ALMOST UNARMED AMERICAN BOYS TO FACE COMMUNIST TANKS," BREWSTER SAID.

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NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS
BY ROGER D. GREENE

WASHINGTON, AUG.14-(AP)-THE SENATE TODAY APPROVED A PROPOSAL TO GUARANTEE A "REASONABLE MARGIN OF PROFIT" TO THE MEAT-PACKING INDUSTRY UNDER ANY WAGE-PRICE-RATION CONTROL POWERS EXERCISED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

THE ACTION CAME BY VOICE VOTE, OVER-RIDING REPUBLICAN PROTESTS THAT THE MEAT INDUSTRY WAS BEING SINGLED OUT FOR SPECIAL FAVORITISM IF CONTROLS COME. A SUPPORTER OF THE PROPOSAL SAID LATER IT WAS AIMED AT PREVENTING MEAT BLACK MARKETING.

ALSO BY VOICE VOTE, THE SENATE BATTED DOWN A DEMAND BY GOP LEADERS THAT A "REASONABLE PROFIT" PLAN BE EXTENDED ACROSS THE BOARD TO COVER ALL INDUSTRIES.

BOTH ACTIONS CAME LATE IN THE DAY AS THE SENATE QUICKENED DEBATE ON A 1950 HOME FRONT MIBILIZATION ACT WHICH WOULD GIVE MR.TRUMAN AUTHORITY TO CONTROL PRICES AND WAGES AND IMPOSE RATIONING WHEN HE DEEMED IT NECESSARY. ALONG WITH CREDIT AND PRODUCTION CONTROLS.

BOTH SENATORS TAFT (R-OHIO) AND WHERRY (R-NEB) HAD DECLARED EARLIER THAT IF CONGRESS FAILED TO WORK OUT A FORMULA FOR FIXING PRICES IN ALL INDUSTRIES, IT WOULD MEAN BLACK MARKETS AGAIN.

CHAIRMAN MAYBANK (D-SC) OF THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE SPONSORED THE AMENDMENT ASSURING THE MEAT INDUSTRY AN UNSPECIFIED "REASONABLE" PROFIT AT THE PACKER-WHOLESALER LEVEL.

THE AMENDMENT REVIVES A SECTION OF THE OLD OPA LAW AND MAKES CERTAIN THAT IT COVERS MEAT WHOLESALERS. UNDER THE OLD LAW, THERE WAS SOME CONFUSION AS TO THE WHOLESALERS.

MAYBANK DID NOT EXPLAIN TO THE SENATE WHY HE PICKED OUT THE MEAT INDUSTRY, BUT IT WAS REPORTED THAT HE HAD BEEN ASKED TO REVIVE THE OLD OPA SECTION IN THE NEW CONTROL BILL AND HAD AGREED TO DO SO.

MAYBANK LATER TOLD A REPORTER THAT THE "PRECISE PURPOSE" OF HIS AMENDMENT WAS TO PREVENT BLACK MARKETEERING IN MEAT.

HE SAID THE OLD OPA SECTION COVERING MEAT PRICES DID NOT GO INTO EFFECT UNTIL 1945 -- ABOUT A YEAR BEFORE OPA MEAT PRICE RESTRICTIONS WENT OUT IN THE FALL OF 1946 -- AND WAS "NOT GIVEN A FAIR TEST."

"IF IT HAD BEEN GIVEN A CHANCE, IT WOULD HAVE PREVENTED BLACK MARKETING IN MEAT," MAYBANK SAID.

SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA), A MEMBER OF THE BANKING COMMITTEE, TOLD NEWSMEN THERE IS NO WAY TO TELL WHAT EFFECT THE MEAT PRICES AMENDMENT MIGHT HAVE ON RETAIL PRICE CEILINGS, IF THEY ARE INVOKED.

IT WOULD ALL DEPEND, HE SAID, ON WHETHER THE PRICES THE PACKERS AND WHOLESALERS WERE GETTING AT THE TIME WOULD HAVE TO BE HIKED BY THE GOVERNMENT TO ASSURE THE INDUSTRY A REASONABLE MARGIN OF PROFIT.

THE SENATE ALSO ADOPTED BY VOICE VOTE AMENDMENTS REQUIRING THE PRESIDENT, IF HE INVOKED PRICE CONTROL, TO:

1. MAKE ADEQUATE PROVISION TO PREVENT HARDSHIP AND INEQUITIES TO SELLERS WHO MIGHT HAVE CONTRACTS IN EFFECT COVERING FUTURE DELIVERY OF COMMODITIES.

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2. BASE PRICE CEILINGS FOR AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES ON THE HIGHER OF THE FOLLOWING: (A) THE PARITY PRICE, OR (B) THE PRICE RECEIVED BY PRODUCERS DURING THE PERIOD MAY 24-JUNE 24, 1950.

GOP SENATORS TAFT, WHERRY AND CAPEHART (IND) LED THE BRIEF-LIVED DRIVE FOR A ACROSS-THE-BOARD "REASONABLE" SHARE OF PROFITS IN ALL INDUSTRIES.

BACKED BY TAFT AND WHERRY, CAPEHART PROPOSED:

"NO CEILING SHALL BE ESTABLISHED FOR ANY COMMODITY OR MATERIAL WHICH DOES NOT ALLOW FOR A REASONABLE GROSS MARGIN OF PROFIT TO THOSE INDUSTRIES OR GROUPS AFFECTED (BY CONTROLS)."

SENATOR LEHMAN (D-LIB, NY), URGING DEFEAT OF THE CAPEHART PLAN, SAID IT WOULD MAKE THE WHOLE PRICE CONTROL SECTION OF THE BILL UNWORKABLE.

LEHMAN ARGUED THAT THE CAPEHART PROPOSAL WOULD GIVE EVERY INDUSTRY AN EVEN BETTER BREAK THAN IT ORDINARILY GETS WITHOUT PRICE CONTROLS.

TO THIS, CAPEHART RETORTED THAT ALL INDUSTRIES OUGHT TO BE HANDLED ON THE SAME BASIS.

IN A LETTER READ TO THE SENATE BY TAFT, FORMER PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER DECLARED THERE IS "MUCH DANGER IN ALL-EMBRACING PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS AT THIS TIME."

MR.HOOVER SAID CONGRESS SHOULD PROVIDE LIMITED CURBS ON INVENTORIES AND CREDIT, ALONG WITH CONTROLS OVER MATERIALS AND SOME TYPES OF MANUFACTURING.

BUT HE SAID THERE IS NO NEED NOW FOR CONTROLS OVER CLOTHING OR FOOD, AND HE SAID:

"THE GOVERNMENT COULD LOWER FOOD PRICES ANY MOMENT IT WISHES TO" THROUGH RELEASE OF SURPLUSES PILED UP UNDER THE PRICE-SUPPORT SYSTEM.

CAPEHART PUT IN HIS AMENDMENT AFTER MAYBANK, WHO IS QUARTERBACKING THE ADMINISTRATION'S BILL, OFFERED HIS PROPOSAL CONCERNING THE MEAT PACKERS.

TAFT QUICKLY PROTESTED THAT IN SINGLING OUT THE MEAT INDUSTRY, THE SENATE WOULD BE REPEATING WHAT HE CALLED "THE MISTAKES OF THE OPA DAYS."

"THIS JUST ILLUSTRATES THAT WE DON'T KNOW WHAT WE ARE DOING," TAFT SHOUTED.

MAYBANK'S AMENDMENT DECLARED THAT "NO CEILINGS SHALL BE ESTABLISHED OR MAINTAINED OR PRODUCTS RESULTING FROM THE PROCESSING OF CATTLE AND CALVES, LAMBS AND SHEEP, AND HOGS, THE PROCESSING OF EACH SPECIES BEING SEPARATELY CONSIDERED, WHICH DOES NOT ALLOW FOR A REASONABLE MARGIN OF PROFIT" ON EACH SPECIES.

EARLIER, THE SENATE APPROVED ANOTHER AMENDMENT DEALING WITH PRICE CEILINGS ON FARM PRODUCTS.

IT WOULD AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT TO ADJUST PRICE CEILINGS ON ALL AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES AFFECTED BY CROP FAILURES, DISASTER LOSSES AND OTHER FACTORS.

ORIGINALLY, THE BILL PROPOSED ADJUSTMENTS ONLY ON FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

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SECOND LEAD CONTROLS

WASHINGTON, AUG.14-(AP)-THE SENATE VOTED TODAY THAT ANY PRICE CEILINGS PUT ON MEAT AT THE PACKER-WHOLESALER LEVEL MUST ALLOW "A REASONABLE MARGIN OF PROFIT TO THE PROCESSING INDUSTRY AS A GROUP."

THE AMENDMENT TO THE PRICE-WAGE SECTION OF THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL WAS ADOPTED BY A VOICE VOTE. THE SECTION WOULD ALLOW PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO PUT CEILINGS ON PRICES AND WAGES WHENEVER HE BELIEVED THEY WERE NEEDED.

SPONSORED BY SENATORS MAYBANK (D-SC) AND WHERRY (R-NEB), THE MEAT AMENDMENT CALLS FOR A REASONABLE PROFIT MARGIN ON CATTLE AND CALVES, LAMBS AND SHEEP, AND HOGS. A PROFIT WOULD HAVE TO BE ALLOWED ON EACH SPECIES--NOT JUST ON A PACKER'S TOTAL OPERATIONS.

THE SENATE BATTED DOWN BY VOICE VOTE AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR CAPEHART (R-IND) TO REQUIRE THAT PRICE CEILINGS--AT ALL SALES LEVELS AND IN ALL INDUSTRIES--ALLOW "A REASONABLE GROSS MARGIN OF PROFIT" TO THE INDUSTRIES OR GROUPS AFFECTED.

A BATTLE IS STILL AHEAD IN THE SENATE OVER WHETHER THE PRESIDENT SHOULD BE GIVEN PRICE CONTROL POWERS. SENATOR BRICKER (R-OHIO) ARGUED THAT CONGRESS OUGHT TO KEEP FOR ITSELF THE RIGHT TO DECIDE WHEN AND IF WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS ARE NEEDED.

BRICKER SAID, THAT ALL AVAILABLE EVIDENCE SEEMS TO POINT TO THE CONCLUSION THAT TOTAL ECONOMIC MOBILIZATION "IS NOT NECESSARY TO HANDLE THE COST OF THE KOREAN WAR OR ANY SIMILAR EMERGENCY."

TO GIVE WAGE-PRICE POWERS TO THE PRESIDENT, HE SAID, WOULD CREATE TWO DANGERS:

FIRST, A PIECEMEAL APPROACH WOULD CREATE INEQUITIES FASTER THAN THEY COULD BE CORRECTED.

SECOND, THE PRESIDENT WOULD BE SUBJECT TO TREMENDOUS PRESSURE TO CONTROL CERTAIN COMMODITIES, AND HAVING STARTED A PIECEMEAL SYSTEM, HE WOULD BE "POWERLESS TO STOP GENERAL PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS EVEN IF HE SHOULD FEEL THEY WERE PREMATURE."

BRICKER ADDED:

"TO APPLY SUCH CONTROLS PREMATURELY, WITHOUT CAREFUL STUDY, OR FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING SOME POLITICAL ADVANTAGE IS A SENSELESS GAMBLE WITH THE SECURITY OF THE NATION AT STAKE."

THE SENATE RETURNED TO DEBATE ON THE BILL AFTER A WEEK-END EXCHANGE OF REPUBLICAN-DEMOCRATIC CHARGES OF PLAYING POLITICS WITH HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION.

TWO REPUBLICAN LAWMAKERS ASSAILED THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION'S HANDLING OF THE PROGRAM. SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO), TALKING WITH REPORTERS, CALLED IN REPLY FOR "A TRUCE ON PARTISAN POLITICS."

THE REPUBLICANS WERE SENATORS AIKEN (VT) AND MARTIN (PA). AIKEN HAD SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN "FOR POLITICAL REASONS" DID NOT ASK WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS. MARTIN SIMILARLY SAID THE ADMINISTRATION WAS PLAYING POLITICS.

IN THE FIRST ACTION ON ITS BILL, THE SENATE ADOPTED BY VOICE VOTE AN AMENDMENT DEALING WITH PRICE CEILINGS ON AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES.

IT WOULD AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT TO ADJUST PRICE CEILINGS ON FARM PRODUCTS TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT CROP FAILURES, UNUSUAL PRODUCTION COST INCREASES, AND DISASTER LOSSES.

SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC) OFFERED THE AMENDMENT.

AS CHAIRMAN OF THE BANKING COMMITTEE, IN CHARGE OF THE BILL, MAYBANK ALSO OFFERED AN AMENDMENT WHICH WOULD REQUIRE THAT CEILINGS FIXED FOR MEAT PACKERS GUARANTEE "A REASONABLE MARGIN OF PROFIT TO THE PROCESSING INDUSTRY AS A GROUP."

THERE WAS A SIMILAR PROVISION IN THE OLD OPA LAW, BUT SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) ARGUED THAT IT HAD NEVER MADE CLEAR WHETHER WHOLESALERS WERE INCLUDED. HE MOVED TO MODIFY THE MAYBANK AMENDMENT TO MAKE SURE WHOLESALERS WOULD BE COVERED THIS TIME.

SENATOR CAPEHART (R-IND) TOLD THE SENATE THAT HE INTENDS TO OFFER AN AMENDMENT WHICH WOULD GUARANTEE A REASONABLE PROFIT AT ALL SALES LEVELS IN ALL INDUSTRIES.

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AIKEN PREDICTED EASY SENATE PASSAGE LATE THIS WEEK OF A HOUSE-APPROVED BILL WHICH WOULD SET UP AUTHORITY FOR WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CURBS, BUT HE SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN DECLINED "FOR POLITICAL REASONS" TO ASK CONGRESS FOR THOSE CONTROLS.

MR.TRUMAN DID ASK FOR IMMEDIATE POWER TO ALLOCATE MATERIALS, SET UP PRIORITIES AND CURB CREDIT. THE BILL WHICH THE HOUSE PASSED AND WHICH APPEARS TO FACE SMOOTH SAILING IN THE SENATE WOULD ALSO GIVE HIM AUTHORITY, FOR USE WHEN HE SAW FIT, TO CONTROL PRICES AND WAGES AND IMPOSE RATIONING.

AIKEN CONTENDED THAT MR.TRUMAN HAS HIS EYE ON THE NOVEMBER ELECTIONS AND HAS BEEN "NEGLIGENT IN LEAVING THE AMERICAN PEOPLE IN THE DARK ABOUT THE GRAVITY" OF THE WORLD SITUATION.

MARTIN ACCUSED THE ADMINISTRATION OF A TENDENCY TO PLAY POLITICS WITH THE NATION'S SECURITY, AND ASKED:

"CAN WE WAIT UNTIL AFTER THE NOVEMBER ELECTIONS TO TELL THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA THE REAL TRUTH? CAN WE PLACE VOTES FIRST?"

MR.TRUMAN HAS SAID THAT IF CONGRESS GIVES HIM WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING POWERS, HE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE A FREE HAND TO INVOKE THEM. BUT HE SAYS HE SEES NO NEED FOR THOSE CONTROLS NOW.

THE PRESIDENT ALSO HAS SAID HE DID NOT ASK FOR SUCH AUTHORITY BECAUSE HE DID NOT WANT TO TOUCH OFF A CONTROVERSY IN CONGRESS WHICH WOULD DELAY ACTION ON THE OTHER CONTROLS POWERS HE WANTS QUICKLY.

THOSE OTHER POWERS WOULD LET THE PRESIDENT ALLOCATE SCARCE INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, REQUIRE PRIORITY ATTENTION TO DEFENSE CONTRACTS, TAKE OVER PRIVATELY OWNED PLANTS WHEN NECESSARY, AND CONTROL CREDIT.

THE SENATE RESUMES DEBATE ON ITS BILL TODAY, WITH THE MAJOR POINT AT ISSUE AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) WHICH WOULD RESERVE TO CONGRESS THE RIGHT TO SAY WHETHER AND WHEN WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS SHOULD GO INTO EFFECT. THE BILL WOULD GIVE MR.TRUMAN THAT RIGHT.

SEVERAL REPUBLICAN SENATORS ALREADY HAVE COME OUT AGAINST THE TAFT PLAN. ADMINISTRATION LEADERS HAVE PREDICTED IT WILL BE DEFEATED AND THAT THE BILL WILL BE APPROVED OVERWHELMINGLY WITH ONLY MINOR AMEND-

MENTS.

PRESENT PROSPECTS ARE THERE WILL BE NO VOTING ON AMENDMENTS OR THE BILL ITSELF BEFORE FRIDAY.

A CALL FOR IMMEDIATE CONTROLS ON PRICES--AS A MILITARY NECESSITY--CAME OVER THE WEEK-END FROM SENATOR LYNDON JOHNSON (D-TEX).

THE TEXAN SAID SUCH ACTION MUST BE TAKEN BECAUSE PRICE INCREASES FOR MILITARY GOODS DURING THE LAST SIX WEEKS "HAVE REDUCED THE PURCHASING POWER OF OUR DEFENSE DOLLARS BY AS MUCH AS 50 PER CENT IN SOME CASES."

JOHNSON, A MEMBER OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, SAID THAT GROUP HAS BEEN TOLD BY THE SECRETARIES OF THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE THAT SHARPLY CLIMBING PRICES "ARE ONE OF THE MAJOR PROBLEMS COMPLICATING OUR PREPAREDNESS PLANNING AT THIS TIME." JOHNSON ADDED:

"IF THE PRICES ON DEFENSE ITEMS ARE NOT BROUGHT UNDER CONTROLS, THE AMERICAN TAXPAYER IS GOING TO SUFFER SERIOUSLY AND UNNECESSARILY. AT THE PRESENT RATE, IT IS ENTIRELY POSSIBLE THAT THE $10,000,000,000 REQUESTED BY THE ARMED SERVICES TWO WEEKS AGO MAY BUY ONLY $5,000,000,000 WORTH OF FIGHTING EQUIPMENT."

WHILE THE SENATE MOVED TOWARD AN EARLY DECISION ON HOW BEST TO MOBILIZE THE HOME FRONT FOR THE WAR IN KOREA, AN ARGUMENT BROKE OUT IN ANOTHER SECTOR OVER RESPONSIBILITY FOR THAT FAR EASTERN FIGHTING.

REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE SAID IN A STATEMENT ISSUED OVER THE WEEKEND THAT THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION'S POLICIES VIRTUALLY INVITED RUSSIA "TO GRAB WHATEVER IT COULD IN CHINA, KOREA AND FORMOSA."

COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) RETORTED THAT HIS GOP COLLEAGUES WERE GUILTY OF "POLITICAL PETTIFOGGING." HE TERMED THEIR DOCUMENT "A PALPABLY POLITICAL STATEMENT XXX INTENDED TO INFLUENCE THE COMING ELECTIONS."

THE GOP STATEMENT WAS SIGNED BY SENATORS WILEY (WIS), H.ALEXANDER SMITH (NJ), HICKENLOOPER (IOWA) AND LODGE (MASS). IT WAS APPROVED IN PRINCIPAL BY SENATOR VANDENBERG (MICH).

THESE SENATORS SAID THERE NEVER WAS ANY BIPARTISANSHIP ABOUT U.S. FAR EASTERN POLICY, WHICH THEY DECLARED "CONSISTENTLY TEMPORIZED WITH AND CAPITULATED TO THE RUTHLESS DEMANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS, DOMINATED BY MOSCOW."

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PRODUCTION

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG.14-(AP)-THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE NATIONAL PRODUCTION OF GOODS AND SERVICES BOOMED UP TO AN ANNUAL RATE OF NEARLY 270 BILLION DOLLARS IN THE SECOND QUARTER OF 1950, THE HIGHEST QUARTER ON RECORD.

THE PREVIOUS HIGH WAS 267 BILLION IN THE LAST QUARTER OF 1948.

THE 270 BILLION MARK REPRESENTED A SHARP CLIMB FROM THE ANNUAL RATE OF 254 BILLION IN THE LAST QUARTER OF 1949 AND 263 BILLION IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR.

LEON KEYSERLING, CHAIRMAN OF THE PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC ADVISERS, SAID LAST WEEK THAT THE COUNTRY CAN AND SHOULD RAISE THE FIGURE TO 350 BILLION BY 1955.

NATIONAL PRODUCTION OF GOODS AND SERVICES, WHICH THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT CALLS "GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT," IS MADE UP OF THINGS LIKE THIS:

PERSONAL SPENDING FOR CONSUMPTION, THIS ROSE 2 BILLION DOLLARS, AT THE ANNUAL RATE, BETWEEN THE FIRST AND SECOND QUARTERS OF THE YEAR. BUT THE DEPARTMENT SAID THIS RISE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY PRICE INCREASES AND REFLECTED LITTLE CHANGE IN PHYSICAL VOLUME. SPENDING FOR CLOTHING, FOOD, AND AUTOMOBILES CONTINUED TO RISE. BUT FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT SLACKENED SOMEWHAT.

PRIVATE INVESTMENTS. THESE INCREASED MORE THAN 5 BILLION, WITH SPENDING FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION RISING 1 BILLION. BUSINESS PURCHASES OF EQUIPMENT AND BUSINESS INVENTORIES ROSE 2 BILLION EACH.

GOVERNMENT SPENDING FOR GOODS AND SERVICES. THIS STAYED THE SAME AS THE FIRST QUARTER.

NATIONAL PRODUCTION IN THE SECOND QUARTER DID NOT REFLECT THE KOREAN FIGHTING, WHICH BEGAN ON JUNE 25, ONLY A FEW DAYS BEFORE THE END OF THE PERIOD.

HERE IS A COMPARISON BETWEEN THE FIRST AND SECOND QUARTERS OF 1950, AS GIVEN BY THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT:

PRODUCTION ("GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT") ROSE FROM AN ANNUAL RATE OF 262.5 BILLION TO 269.9 BILLION. THESE FIGURES WERE BROKEN DOWN INTO THE FOLLOWING MAIN CATEGORIES:

PERSONAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURES ROSE FROM 182.4 BILLION TO 184.5 BILLION.

GROSS PRIVATE DOMESTIC INVESTMENT ROSE FROM 40.5 TO 45.9 BILLION.

GOVERNMENT PURCHASES OF GOODS AND SERVICES REMAINED THE SAME, 41.4 BILLION.

NET FOREIGN INVESTMENT ROSE FROM 1.9 TO 2 BILLION. THESE FIGURES MUST BE SUBTRACTED FROM THE TOTALS BECAUSE THEY REPRESENT MONEY GOING FOR FOREIGN GOODS AND SERVICES AND THUS LESSEN U.S. NATIONAL PRODUCT BY THAT MUCH.

THE GROSS PRIVATE DOMESTIC INVESTMENT ITEM FOR THE SECOND QUARTER WAS FURTHER BROKEN DOWN INTO THREE CLASSES:

SPENDING FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION ROSE FROM 19.9 TO 20.9 BILLION.

BUSINESS PURCHASES OF DURABLE EQUIPMENT ROSE FROM 19.3 TO 21.6.

NEW ADDITIONS TO BUSINESS INVENTORIES ROSE FROM 1.3 TO 3.4.

THE DEPARTMENT ALSO REPORTED THE CHANGES FROM THE FIRST QUARTER TO THE SECOND QUARTER IN MOST TYPES OF NATIONAL INCOME, BUT HAD NO OVERALL NATIONAL INCOME FOR THE SECOND QUARTER BECAUSE FIGURES ON CORPORATE PROFITS WERE NOT YET AVAILABLE. THE OVERALL NATIONAL INCOME FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF THE YEAR WAS AT THE ANNUAL RATE OF 217.2 BILLION.

COMPENSATION OF EMPLOYEES AMOUNTED TO 142.3 BILLION IN THAT QUARTER AND ROSE TO 147.6 IN THE SECOND QUARTER.

PROPRIETORS' AND RENTAL INCOME DECREASED SLIGHTLY FROM 41.5 TO 41.3 BILLION.

NET INTEREST, ANOTHER COMPONENT OF NATIONAL INCOME, REMAINED AT FIVE BILLION IN BOTH QUARTERS.

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT MAY BE DEFINED AS THE TOTAL VALUE OF GOODS AND SERVICES PRODUCED. NATIONAL INCOME IS THE INCOME TO THE PEOPLE AND CORPORATIONS OF THE COUNTRY FOR PRODUCING THOSE GOODS AND SERVICES.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID THAT PERSONAL INCOME--THE INCOME RECEIPTS OF PERSONS FROM ALL SOURCES--DECLINED FROM AN ANNUAL RATE OF 216.4 BILLION IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1950 TO 214.7 IN THE SECOND. IT WAS EXPLAINED THAT THIS DECREASE WAS DUE TO THE CONCENTRATION OF THE BULK OF THE NATIONAL SERVICE LIFE INSURANCE DIVIDEND PAYMENTS TO VETERANS IN THE FIRST QUARTER. PERSONAL INCOME EXCLUSIVE OF THESE SPECIAL PAYMENTS ROSE FROM 208 BILLION TO 213 BILLION, COMPUTED AT THE ANNUAL RATE.

THE ESTIMATED ANNUAL RATE OF PRODUCTION OF GOODS AND SERVICES FOR 1950 OF NEARLY $270 BILLION COMPARES WITH $215.2 BILLION FOR 1945; $212.6 BILLION FOR 1946; $235.7 FOR 1947; $262.4 BILLION FOR 1948 AND THE $254 BILLION RATE FOR 1949.

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(320) FIRST LEAD DEFENSE COSTS-CONGRESS
BY EDWIN B. HAAKINSON
WASHINGTON, AUG.14-(AP)-CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS SAID AFTER A TALK WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY THAT THEY DO NOT ANTICIPATE ANY IMMEDIATE REQUESTS FOR STILL MORE MILITARY FUNDS.
THEY MADE IT CLEAR, HOWEVER, THAT THIS DID NOT RULE OUT THE POSSIBILITY OF FURTHER REQUESTS IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS OR MONTHS.
SINCE THE KOREAN WAR BEGAN, MR.TRUMAN HAS ASKED ABOUT $16,500,000,000 (B) OF ADDITIONAL DEFENSE FUNDS.
SPEAKER RAYBURN (D-TEX) TOLD REPORTERS AT THE WHITE HOUSE THAT HE HOPES THE HOUSE CAN ACT NEXT WEEK ON SOME $14,000,000,000 (B) OF MILITARY APPROPRIATIONS, INCLUDING THE $4,000,000,000 (B) ASKED FOR ARMS AID TO ALLIES IN EUROPE AND ELSEWHERE.
THE DEMOCRATIC "BIG FOUR" -- RAYBURN, VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY, SENATE LEADER LUCAS (ILL) AND HOUSE LEADER MCCORMACK (MASS) -- TALKED WITH THE PRESIDENT FOR AN HOUR ABOUT THE LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM.
THEY SAID THE DISCUSSION WAS DEVOTED LARGELY TO THE TAX AND ECONOMIC CONTROLS MEASURES.
THEY PREDICTED THE SENATE WILL BE READY TO TAKE UP THE TAX BILL NEXT WEEK. THE SENATE'S FINANCE COMMITTEE IS PUTTING TOGETHER A BILL AIMED AT RAISING AT LEAST $5,000,000,000 (B) MORE GOVERNMENT REVENUE THROUGH HIGHER TAXES ON BOTH INDIVIDUALS AND BUSINESS FIRMS.
LUCAS SAID HE THOUGHT THE SENATE COULD FINISH WITH THE PENDING ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL THIS WEEK.
THE HOUSE WILL ACT WEDNESDAY ON A COMPROMISE BILL EXPANDING THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM.
RAYBURN WOULDN'T INDICATE WHAT THE ADMINISTRATION LEADERS WOULD DO WITH IT. MR.TRUMAN OBJECTS TO THE SO-CALLED KNOWLAND AMENDMENT.
THAT PROVISION, WHICH SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) SPONSORED, WOULD RESTRICT THE SECRETARY OF LABOR'S POWERS TO WITHHOLD UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FUNDS FROM STATES. THE SECRETARY HAS POWER NOW TO WITHHOLD THE FUNDS IF HE CONSIDERS A STATE'S ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICES TO BE AT ODDS WITH FEDERAL REGULATIONS.
THE $16,500,000,000 (B) OF DEFENSE SPENDING ASKED SINCE THE KOREAN WAR HAS RUN TOTAL ARMS-MILITARY REQUESTS OVER THE $30,000,000,000 (B) MARK.

THAT WAS ON TOP OF EARLIER DEFENSE SPENDING REQUESTS OF ABOUT $14,500,000,000(B) ALREADY TENTATIVELY APPROVED BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE IN THE ONE-PACKAGE APPROPRIATION BILL.
SENATOR CONNALLY (D-TEX) EXPECTS TO GET SOME NEW COST DATA THIS WEEK WHEN HIS SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE HEARS SECRET TESTIMONY BY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON.
CHAIRMAN CONNALLY SAID HIS GROUP WANTS TO REVIEW ALL DEFENSE PLANS AT HOME AND ABROAD IN CONNECTION WITH THE REQUEST FOR $4,000,000,000(B) TO SPEED THE REARMING OF WESTERN EUROPE AND OTHER ANTI-COMMUNIST NATIONS.
"AFTER ALL, THE MILITARY PICTURE HAS A DIRECT BEARING ON FOREIGN RELATIONS NOW," CONNALLY SAID.
CONGRESS PREVIOUSLY VOTED $1,222,500,000(B) THIS YEAR TOWARD REARMING ANTI-COMMUNIST NATIONS.
SOME SENATORS SAY THAT THE ADDITIONAL DEFENSE REQUESTS WILL BOOST THE TOTAL FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR, WHICH ENDS NEXT JUNE 30, TO $45,000,000,000(B).
SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE GOP POLICY COMMITTEE, REFERRED TO THIS ON THE SENATE FLOOR LAST WEEK WHILE CHARGING THAT THE DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATION "HAS NOT TOLD THE PEOPLE ALL THE FACTS."
"IT HAS NOT PRESENTED THE PROGRAM WHICH IT REALLY IS LOOKING FORWARD TO FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, THAT PERHAPS WE ARE GOING TO SPEND $45,000,000,000(B) A YEAR ON OUR ARMED FORCES INSTEAD OF $25,000,000,000(B); 'PERHAPS WE ARE GOING TO BEGIN A THREE-YEAR PLAN TO MAKE THIS NATION THE MOST POWERFUL MILITARY FORCE THE WORLD HAS EVER SEEN IN TIME OF PEACE."
CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE INDICATED IN A RADIO TALK YESTERDAY THAT TOTAL DEFENSE OUTLAYS WILL CONTINUE TO CLIMB SHARPLY.
TYDINGS RATED THE UNITED STATES EQUAL OR AHEAD OF SOVIET RUSSIA'S COMMUNIST FORCES IN ATOMIC BOMBS, NAVY AND AIR POWER. HE SAID ENGLAND, FRANCE AND WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS WOULD BE EXPECTED "TO FURNISH THE BULK OF THE LAND ARMY WITH WHICH TO OPPOSE RUSSIA IF WAR SHOULD BREAK OUT."
"WE CAN'T FURNISH ALL THE NAVY, ALL THE AIR FORCE, ALL THE ATOMIC BOMBS AND ALL THE ARMY," TYDINGS CONTINUED, "BECAUSE IT WOULD PUT TOO MUCH OF A DRAIN ON OUR MILITARY MACHINE."
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(500) EUROPE DEFENSE
BY JOHN SCALI
WASHINGTON,AUG.14-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY WAS REPORTED READY TO CALL ON ITS ATLANTIC PACT PARTNERS TO BOOST EVEN FURTHER THE STEPPED-UP REARMAMENT EFFORT THEY HAVE PROPOSED.
INFORMED OFFICIALS SAID THE OVERALL DEFENSE INCREASES OUTLINED BY AMERICA'S ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES APPEAR TO FALL SHORT OF WHAT THE U.S. BELIEVES IS NECESSARY TO FORGE AN EFFECTIVE BARRIER TO COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN WESTERN EUROPE.
AMERICAN DEFENSE EXPERTS WHO HAVE BEEN ANALYZING THE NEW PROGRAMS, SAY THAT WHILE THEY ARE "DEFINITELY A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION," FEW MATCH IN PROPORTION THE SCOPE AND SPEED OF THE U.S.REARMAMENT DRIVE.
THE WESTERN EUROPEAN PROGRAMS, THEY INDICATED, GENERALLY FAIR TO PROVIDE ENOUGH ADDITIONAL MANPOWER FOR DEFENSE FORCES QUICKLY ENOUGH, IN THE JUDGMENT OF AMERICAN OFFICIALS.
THERE ALSO WAS SAID TO BE AN APPARENT TENDENCY TO RELY TOO HEAVILY ON LARGE-SCALE AMERICAN FINANCIAL AID AS A CONDITION TO BOOSTING DOMESTIC ARMS PRODUCTION.
BECAUSE OF THESE FACTORS, CHARLES M.SPOFFORD, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S DEPUTY ON THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL, IS EXPECTED TO URGE EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS ESPECIALLY TO RAISE THEIR SIGHTS. HE TENTATIVELY PLANS TO LEAVE FOR LONDON FRIDAY FOR A MEETING WITH PACT REPRESENTATIVES AUG.22.
AMERICAN OFFICIALS EMPHASIZE THEY ARE "NOT TOO DISTURBED" THAT THE INITIAL ARMS PROGRAMS SUBMITTED BY THE PACT PARTNERS DO NOT GO FAR ENOUGH.
MOST OF THEM, THEY POINTED OUT, WERE DRAFTED HASTILY IN A 12-DAY SPAN IN RESPONSE TO AN URGENT AMERICAN APPEAL FOR A QUICK INDICATION OF WHAT MORE THEY COULD DO TO CONTRIBUTE TO NORTH ATLANTIC DEFENSES.
THE FULL SCOPE OF THE U.S.REARMAMENT PROGRAM WAS NOT AS APPARENT AT THAT TIME, IN ADDITION, AMERICAN OFFICIALS BELIEVED THAT THE TREATY ALLIES HAVE SUBMITTED WHAT AMOUNTS TO THEIR "MINIMUM OFFERS" WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THEY CAN BE UPPED ONCE THEY ARE DISCUSSED OVER THE CONFERENCE TABLE.
EIGHT NATIONS HAVE REPLIED THUS FAR WITH DETAILED OUTLINES OF WHAT THEY ARE READY TO DO TO BOLSTER NORTH ATLANTIC SECURITY--BRITAIN, FRANCE, BELGIUM, ITALY, LUXEMBOURG, NETHERLANDS, DENMARK AND NORWAY.
CANADA HAS ANNOUNCED PLANS TO INCREASE ITS DEFENSE BUDGET IN PARLIAMENT BUT HAS NOT YET PRESENTED A DETAILED REPORT. PORTUGAL'S REPLY IS REPORTED DELAYED BY A CABINET REORGANIZATION. ICELAND, THE TWELFTH PACT MEMBER. HAS NO DEFENSE FORCES.

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AMERICAN OFFICIALS SHIED AWAY FROM DETAILED COMMENTS ON THE EUROPEAN DEFENSE PLAN BECAUSE MANY ASPECTS ARE "TOP SECRET." HOWEVER, THEY INDICATED THAT MANPOWER FOR INCREASED DEFENSE FORCES WOULD BE THE PRINCIPAL PROBLEM WHEN TALKS BEGIN IN LONDON.

BRITAIN'S PROPOSAL TO SPEND APPROXIMATELY $9,500,000,000 (B) DURING THE NEXT THREE YEARS WAS VIEWED AS PROVIDING LITTLE FOR INCREASING THE SIZE OF THE BRITISH ARMY.

FRANCE'S OFFER TO ARM AND EQUIP 15 DIVISIONS IN THE NEXT THREE YEARS WAS SEEN AS "HEARTENING." BUT AMERICAN ENTHUSIASM FOR THIS IS SOMEWHAT TEMPERED BY FRANCE'S REQUEST TO BRITAIN AND AMERICA TO PUT FIVE DIVISIONS EACH ON THE EUROPEAN CONTINENT.

THE AMERICAN REACTION TO THIS IS THAT THE U.S. WHILE IT IS FIGHTING A WAR IN KOREA IS IN NO POSITION TO PROMISE IT CAN DIVERT THAT MUCH MANPOWER TO EUROPE, ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF THE LIMITED SIZE OF THE U.S. ARMY.

SOME OFFICIALS CONSIDER IT QUITE POSSIBLE THAT A FINAL COORDINATED DEFENSE PROGRAM BY THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNTRIES MAY HAVE TO AWAIT HIGH-LEVEL DISCUSSION. THIS MAY HAPPEN AT THE MEETING OF THE ATLANTIC PACT FOREIGN MINISTERS WHICH IS SCHEDULED FOR NEW YORK SEPT.15.

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DRAFT (500)

WASHINGTON,AUG 14-(AP)-DRAFT ELIGIBLES WHO ARE MEMBERS OF ORGANIZED RESERVE MILITARY UNITS ARE NOT NOW RECEIVING INDUCTION ORDERS FROM SELECTIVE SERVICE--AS AN ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY.

A SELECTIVE SERVICE OFFICIAL MADE THAT STATEMENT TODAY. BUT, AT THE SAME TIME, HE CONCURRED WITH DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS IN SAYING THAT MEN WITHIN THE DRAFT AGE--19 THROUGH 25--ARE SUBJECT TO THE DRAFT EVEN THOUGH THEY MAY BE MEMBERS OF ORGANIZED RESERVE UNITS.

THE SELECTIVE SERVICE LAW MAKES THAT CLEAR. IT SAYS THAT MEN BETWEEN THE AGES OF 19 AND 26, WHO WERE NOT MEMBERS OF ORGANIZED RESERVE UNITS WHEN THE LAW BECAME EFFECTIVE JUNE 24,1948, ARE SUBJECT TO DRAFT AND INDUCTION.

SELECTIVE SERVICE HAS SOME LEEWAY IN DECIDING WHICH MEN SHALL BE CALLED UNDER THE ACT. A SELECTIVE SERVICE OFFICIAL TOLD A REPORTER THAT AS AN ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY INDUCTIONS ARE BEING POSTPONED FOR REGISTRANTS WHO HAVE JOINED AN ORGANIZED RESERVE UNIT SINCE THE ACT BECAME EFFECTIVE.

THE MEN, OF COURSE, MUST BE TAKING PART SATISFACTORILY IN ALL DRILLS, TRAINING AND DUTIES OF THE UNIT, HE SAID. HE ADDED THAT CONTINUANCE OF THE POSTPONEMENT OF THEIR CALL UNDER THE DRAFT IS CONTINGENT ON THEIR CONTINUED SATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE OF DUTY WITH THEIR RESERVE OUTFITS.

MAJ.GEN.LEWIS B.HERSHEY IS THE DIRECTOR OF SELECTIVE SERVICE. THE AGENCY OFFICIAL SAID HERESHEY HAS TAKEN THIS POSITION:

SELECTIVE SERVICE UNTIL RECENTLY HAD BEEN INACTIVE FOR ABOUT TWO YEARS. MANY MEN HAVE GONE INTO ORGANIZED RESERVE COMPONENTS SINCE THE DRAFT ACT BECAME EFFECTIVE. THEY ARE FACING IMMINENT CALLS TO DUTY WITH THEIR RESERVE UNITS. THE IMPORTANCE OF MAINTAINING THE STRENGTH AND TEAMWORK VALUE IN THESE UNITS IS GREAT. FOR THAT REASON HE IS POSTPONING THE INDUCTION OF ANY DRAFT ELIGIBLE WHO HAS BEEN AND WILL PERFORM SATISFACTORILY IN SUCH UNITS.

THE OFFICIAL SAID THE DATE ON WHICH A MAN JOINED A RESERVE UNIT PLAYS NO PART IN THE DECISION TO POSTPONE HIS INDUCTION.

HE STRESSED THAT HERSHEY'S POLICY IS ADMINISTRATIVE AND THAT THE MEN, UNDER THE LAW, STILL ARE SUBJECT TO THE DRAFT AND COULD BE CALLED AND INDUCTED.

WHAT HAPPENS WITH REGARD TO DRAFT ELIGIBLE WHO WANT TO ENLIST?

THE SELECTED SERVICE OFFICIAL SAID THAT A DRAFT ELIGIBLE, LIKE ANY OTHER CITIZEN, MAY ENLIST IN ANY BRANCH OF THE ARMED SERVICES HE WANTS. BY DOING SO HE GETS A PREFERENCE OF THE BRANCH IN WHICH HE WANTS TO SERVE.

BUT, HE SAID, THE PROSPECTIVE DRAFTEE MUST ENLIST BEFORE HE RECEIVES ANY CALL FROM SELECTIVE SERVICE--EITHER FOR PHYSICAL TESTS OR INDUCTION.

THE LAW PROVIDES THAT NO DRAFT ELIGIBLE MAY ENLIST IN ANY OF THE ARMED SERVICES AFTER HE RECEIVES HIS ACTUAL INDUCTION ORDER. HE THEN MUST SERVE IN WHATEVER BRANCH HE IS ASSIGNED. HE GETS NO CHOICE.

IN ADDITION, THE OFFICIAL SAID, THE REGISTRANT MUST ENLIST, IF HE WANTS TO, BEFORE HE RECEIVES AN ORDER TO TAKE HIS PHYSICAL EXAMINATION UNDER THE DRAFT. HE SAID THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT'S POLICY NOW IS NOT TO ACCEPT ANY MAN AS AN ENLISTEE AFTER HE HAS RECEIVED AN ORDER TO TAKE HIS DRAFT PHYSICAL EXAMINATION.

AS FOR DRAFT ELIGIBLES WHO WANT TO JOIN ORGANIZED RESERVE UNITS NOW AND THUS AWAIT A CALL TO ACTIVE DUTY WITH THAT UNIT, THE SELECTIVE SERVICE OFFICIAL SAID:

THE ARMED FORCES ARE NOT NOW ACCEPTING SUCH MEN IN ORGANIZED RESERVE UNITS WHERE IT IS KNOWN THEY ARE IN IMMINENT LIKELIHOOD OF BEING CALLED TO DUTY UNDER SELECTIVE SERVICE.

MEN WHO REACH THEIR 26TH BIRTHDAY OR WHO HAVE DEPENDENTS ARE NOT SUBJECT TO INDUCTION UNDER THE DRAFT LAW. MANY MEN WHO ARE ORDERED TO TAKE PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS ARE DISCOVERED LATER TO HAVE PASSED THE AGE LIMIT OR HAVE ACQUIRED DEPENDENTS.

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COAST GUARD (150)

WASHINGTON,AUG 14-(AP)-THE COAST GUARD HAS BEGUN A CHECK ON HOW MANY OF ITS RESERVISTS ARE WILLING TO VOLUNTEER FOR ACTIVE DUTY.

IT ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT ALL COAST GUARD DISTRICTS HAVE BEEN DIRECTED TO ASSEMBLE A "READY" LIST OF MEN AND WOMEN RESERVISTS (ALL ENLISTED AND COMMISSIONED OFFICERS THROUGH LIEUTENANT) WHO HAVE SIGNIFIED THEIR WILLINGNESS TO GO ON ACTIVE DUTY.

"NO INVOLUNTARY RECALLS ARE BEING CONSIDERED AT THIS TIME," THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.

"THE PURPOSE OF THIS LIST IS TO DETERMINE THE AMOUNT OF RESERVE MANPOWER THAT CAN BE ANTICIPATED ON A VOLUNTARY BASIS.

"RECALLS WILL BE LIMITED. MALE RESERVISTS (ENLISTED AND COMMISSIONED THROUGH LIEUTENANT) MUST POSSESS CERTAIN SKILLS AND QUALIFICATIONS, INCLUDING PREVIOUS SEA EXPERIENCE AND/OR PORT SECURITY EXPERIENCE. SPARS (WOMEN) WILL BE CALLED AS NEEDED."

THE COAST GUARD DECLINED TO SAY HOW MANY MEN AND WOMEN HAVE A FORMAL STATUS AS RESERVISTS, BUT SAID THERE IS A "POTENTIAL" OF 170,000, INCLUDING 11,000 WOMEN. THAT FIGURE COVERS THOSE WITH PAST EXPERIENCE IN THE COAST GUARD.

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WASHINGTON,AUG.14-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PRESS SECRETARY REITERATED TODAY THAT THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE WILL NOT PROPOSE ENACTMENT OF UNIVERSAL TRAINING LEGISLATIOON AT THIS SESSION OF CONGRESS.

CHARLES G.ROSS, THE SECRETARY, SAID MR.TRUMAN IS ANXIOUS THAT NOTHING "IMPEDE PASSAGE" OF VITAL LEGISLATION IN CONNECTION WITH THE WAR IN KOREA AND THE STRENGTHENING OF WESTERN ALLIES.

ROSS MADE HIS ASSERTION AT A NEWS CONFERENCE WHEN HE WAS QUESTIONED ABOUT A TELEVISION INTERVIEW WITH GEORGE CRAIG, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION.

A REPORTER TOLD HIM CRAIG INDICATED THAT THE PRESIDENT WANTED A UMT BILL ADOPTED AT THIS SESSION FOR A STANDBY PROGRAM, AND THAT PREVIOUS REPORTS THAT THE PRESIDENT WOULDN'T SEEK ITS PASSAGE AT THIS SESSION WERE INCORRECT.

ROSS SAID THE PRESIDENT HAS NOT CHANGED HIS STAND THAT HE PERSONALLY WILL NOT PROPOSE THE ENACTMENT OF A TRAINING PROGRAM AT THIS SESSION OF CONGRESS.

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(80) WASHINGTON,AUG.14-(AP)-SENATOR WILLIAMS (R-DEL) TOLD THE SENATE TODAY THAT ARMED SERVICES SPENT $6,000,000 (M) IN THE LAST FOUR WEEKS FOR FOOD THAT COULD HAVE BEEN TURNED OVER TO THEM AS SURPLUS.

WILLIAMS LISTED EGGS, BUTTER, CHEESE AND POTATOES AMONG PURCHASES HE SAID THE ARMED SERVICES HAD MADE AT MARKET PRICES. HE CONTENDED THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE COULD HAVE PROVIDED SUCH FOOD FROM SURPLUS STOCKS IT HOLDS.

WHILE THE MILITARY BUYERS WERE PAYING $2.95 A HUNDRED POUNDS FOR POTATOES ON THE OPEN MARKET, WILLIAMS SAID THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT WAS BUYING CAROLINA NO.1 POTATOES FOR $1.68 A HUNDRED AND RESELLING THEM TO FARMERS FOR FERTILIZER AT ONE CENT A BAG AS A PART OF ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM.

THE COMPLAINT IS A RECURRING ONE. THE INVARIABLE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT COMMENT IS THAT IF THE SERVICES SHOULD TAKE THEIR SUPPLIES FROM GOVERNMENT STOCKS IT WOULD REDUCE OPEN MARKET BUYING AND MAKE IT NECESSARY FOR AGRICULTURE TO BUY JUST THAT MUCH MORE TO HOLD UP PRICES.

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(440) SUBVERSIVES

WASHINGTON,AUG.14-(AP)-CHAIRMAN MCCARRAN (D-NEV) ASKED THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE TODAY FOR EARLY ACTION ON A COMMUNIST-CURB BILL THAT GOES BEYOND ADMINISTRATION REQUESTS.

IN ADVANCE OF A COMMITTEE MEETING (9:30A.M.,EST), MCCARRAN TOLD A REPORTER THAT A HEAVY DOCKET MAY PREVENT DISCUSSION OF THE BILL IMMEDIATELY. BUT HE PREDICTED IT SOON WILL BE SENT TO THE SENATE WITH A RECOMMENDATION FOR PASSAGE.

SENATOR LUCAS OF ILLINOIS, THE DEMOCRATIC LEADER, WAS REPORTED READY FOR EARLY INTRODUCTION OF AN ADMINISTRATION-BACKED MEASURE TO CARRY OUT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S OWN RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TIGHTENING OF THE ESPIONAGE AND SUBVERSION LAWS.

MR.TRUMAN ASKED FOR REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN TRAINED SABOTEURS AND SPIES BUT DIDN'T REQUEST REGISTRATION OF COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBERS AS IS PROPOSED IN THE MCCARRAN BILL AND IN THE SIMILAR MUNDT-FERGUSON MEASURE ALREADY APPROVED BY THE JUDICIARY GROUP.

HOUSE MINORITY LEADER MARTIN OF MASSACHUSETTS CALLED IN A STATEMENT YESTERDAY FOR THE PASSAGE OF THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL, WHICH HE SAID WAS ESSENTIALLY THE SAME AS THE MUNDT-NIXON BILL PASSED BY THE HOUSE BY A 319 TO 58 VOTE IN THE REPUBLICAN-CONTROLLED 80TH CONGRESS.

MARTIN ACCUSED PRESIDENT TRUMAN OF REQUESTING ONLY MILD AMENDMENTS TO THE LAWS COVERING SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES IN A "CONTINUATION OF THE POLICY OF APPEASING COMMUNISM AT HOME AND ABROAD WHICH PRECIPITATED THE KOREAN CONFLICT."

"NOW IS NO TIME FOR PATTY-CAKE LEGISLATION SUCH AS THE PRESIDENT HAS PROPOSED," HE DECLARED.

SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH) HAVE AGREED TO ACCEPT MCCARRAN'S VERSION OF THE BILL AND MARTIN SAID REP.NIXON (R-CALIF), THE GOP NOMINEE FOR SENATOR IN CALIFORNIA, WOULD TAKE HIS NAME OFF THE SIMILAR HOUSE BILL AND LET DEMOCRATS HAVE THE CREDIT FOR ITS AUTHORSHIP.

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"REPUBLICANS ARE MORE INTERESTED IN HAVING LAWS PASSED THAT WILL SAFEGUARD THIS COUNTRY AGAINST COMMUNIST THREATS TO OUR SECURITY THAN IN REAPING ANY POLITICAL BENEFITS THAT MAY ACCRUE," MARTIN SAID.

BESIDES FOLDING IN THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL, MCCARRAN ADDED OTHER SECURITY MEASURES WHICH HAVE BEEN BEFORE THE SENATE AND HOUSE IN SEPARATE FORM.

SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON HAS ATTACKED ONE OF THESE, A BILL PASSED BY THE SENATE TO TIGHTEN IMMIGRATION RESTRICTIONS. ACHESON SAID THE MEASURE WOULD BAR FROM THIS COUNTRY NATIONALS OF YUGOSLAVIA AND SPAIN AS WELL AS EX-COMMUNISTS WHO HAVE CHANGED THEIR VIEWS.

MCCARRAN SAID HE WOULD BE WILLING TO ADMIT EX-COMMUNIST WHO COULD PROVE THEY ARE GOOD SECURITY RISKS.

"BUT THE TROUBLE IS THAT A LOT OF THESE PEOPLE HAVE SEEN THE LIGHT RATHER LATE AND WE HAVEN'T ANY PROOF THAT THEY HAVE CHANGED," HE SAID.

ADMINISTRATION LEADERS HAVE COMPLAINED THAT THE MCCARRAN BILL WOULD INFRINGE ON CIVIL RIGHTS.

SENATOR KILGORE (D-WVA) TOLD A PINCH,W.VA.,AUDIENCE YESTERDAY THAT CHANGES IN THE SECURITY LAWS OUGHT TO BE MADE "WITHOUT AT THE SAME TIME TRYING TO GAG OUR BILL OF RIGHTS."

"THE SUPPRESSION OF CIVIL LIBERTIES, WHETHER OR NOT LAUNCHED IN THE NAME OF A WORTHY CAUSE, STILL REMAINS A CANCEROUS GROWTH THAT COULD DESTROY ALL OF OUR BASIC FREEDOMS," HE DECLARED.

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(500) ATOMIC WAR (WITH A-BOMB BUDGET)

BY ELTON C.FAY

WASHINGTON,' AUG.14-(AP)-USE OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS TO MAKE ENEMY TERRITORY UNINHABITABLE OFFERS INTRIGUING MILITARY POSSIBILITIES, BUT THE GOVERNMENT SAYS THE ONLY PRACTICAL WAY OF WAGING NUCLEAR WAR AT PRESENT IS WITH ATOMIC BOMBS.

A NEW HINT THAT A-BOMBS NOW IN PRODUCTION ARE MUCH MORE EFFECTIVE THAN THOSE WHICH THE UNITED STATES DROPPED ON JAPAN CAME LAST NIGHT FROM SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN), CHAIRMAN OF THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE ON ATOMIC ENERGY.

MCMAHON MADE A CRYPTIC REFERENCE, ON AN NBC TELEVISION SHOW, TO "NOMINAL ATOMIC BOMBS OF THE OLD-FASHIONED HIROSHIMA AND NAGASAKI TYPE."

HE DID NOT ELABORATE, BUT USE OF THE WORD "NOMINAL"--WHICH HE EMPHASIZED--ADDED ANOTHER BIT TO THE GROWING EVIDENCE THAT A-BOMBS USED IN WORLD WAR II HAVE BEEN FAR SURPASSED IN DESTRUCTIVENESS.

THE FIRST COMPREHENSIVE OFFICIAL DISCUSSION OF THE UNTRIED ART OF "RADIOLOGICAL WARFARE"--THE TECHNIQUE OF KILLING OR SICKENING PERSONS BY POISONOUS NUCLEAR FISSION PRODUCTS--IS CONTAINED IN A GOVERNMENT BOOK PUBLISHED OVER THE WEEKEND.

IT IS "THE EFFECT OF ATOMIC WEAPONS," ISSUED BY THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION. WHILE THE BOOK WAS PREPARED PRIMARILY TO ADVISE CIVILIAN DEFENSE AGENCIES AND THE PUBLIC ABOUT CONDITIONS TO BE EXPECTED UNDER ATOMIC ATTACK, IT ALSO PRESENTED A REPORT ON PRESENT OR POSSIBLE FUTURE USES OF VARIOUS TYPES OF ATOMIC WEAPONS.

THE BOOK COVERS BOTH THE ADVANTAGES AND HANDICAPS OF RADIOLOGICAL WARFARE, COMMONLY CALLED "RW", AND LEAVES SOME DOUBT ABOUT HOW PRACTICABLE THE WEAPON MIGHT BE AT ITS PRESENT STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT.

IT SAYS AN ADVANTAGE OF THE "RW" WEAPON IS ITS COMPACTNESS--TWO POUNDS OF ONE MATERIAL COULD CAUSE "SERIOUS HARM" IF SPREAD UNIFORMLY OVER A LIMITED AREA. BUT THE PROBLEM WOULD BE TO SPREAD IT UNIFORMLY.

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ONE OF ITS BIGGEST POTENTIALITIES IS PSYCHOLOGICAL; IT CAN'T BE SEEN OR SMELLED, THUS BECOMES A "MYSTERY WEAPON" TO FREIGHT POPULATIONS WITH THE FEAR OF UNSEEN DEATH.

BUT "RW" MATERIAL CAN'T BE STOCKPILED LIKE CONVENTIONAL MUNITIONS. IT LOSES STRENGTH QUICKLY, MUST BE PRODUCED ALMOST AS USED.

THE GOVERNMENT REPORT ALSO CONSIDERS FOR THE FIRST TIME THE EXPLOSIO OF AN A-BOMB UNDERGROUND TO PRODUCE AN ARTIFICAL BUT DESTRUCTIVE EARTHQUAKE. NO EXPERIMENTAL EXPLOSION LIKE THIS HAS BEEN TRIED, THE BOOK SAYS, AND CONCLUSIONS ARE THE RESULT OF LABORATORY DEDUCTIONS.

AN ATOMIC BOMB DROPPED FROM A HIGH-FLYING PLANE OR LAUNCHED AS A GUIDED MISSILE AND EXPLODING 50 FEET UNDER THE EARTH, THE SCIENTISTS THINK, WOULD CREATE A CRATER 800 FEET WID, 100 FEET DEEP.

THE EARTHQUAKE FROM THE BLAST WOULD PRODUCE HEAVY DSTRUCTION UP TO MORE THAN HALF A MILE, DIMINISHING DAMAGE OUT TO ABOUT TWO MILES. THE PILE OF EARTH BLOWN UP AROUND THE CRATER WOULD CONTAIN LARGE QUANTITIES OF DEADLY RADIOACTIVITY.

HOWEVER, THE ATOMIC WEAPONEERS INDICATE THAT FOR GENERAL DESTRUCTIO THE EXPLOSION OF AN A-BOMB IN THE AIR, SUCH AS WAS DONE AT HIROSHIME AND NAGASAKI AND IN THE FIRST TEST AT BIKINI PROBABLY IS BEST.

THE AREA OF THE ENORMOUSLY DESTRUCTIVE MID-AIR BLAST FROM THE BOMB IS GREATER; THE FULL EFFECT OF ITS UNEARTHLY FLASH OF HEAT IS OBTAINED; THE INSTANTANEOUS RELEASE OF HIGHLY PENETRATING, DEADLY GAMMA RADIATIO HELPS PRODUCE CASUALTIES; THE WIDESPREAD BLAST PRODUCES SECONDARY EFFECTS WHICH ADD TO FIRES SET DIRECTLY BY THE HEAT RADIATION OF THE BOMB.

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MCMAHON SAID ON THE TELECAST THAT THE AEC'S REPORT--STRESSING AS IT DOES THE DESTRUCTIVE ASPECTS OF NUCLEAR FISSION--"MIGHT HAVE DEALT SOLELY WITH PUTTING THE ATOM TO WORK FOR THE BENEFIT X X X OF ALL MANKIND" BUT THAT "THE KREMLIN AND THE KREMLIN ALONE" PREVENTED THAT.

HE CONTINUED:

"IN THIS FACT LIES THE DEEPEST AND STARKEST TRAGEDY OF OUR TIME--A TRAGEDY WHICH THREATENS 10,000 MORE CASUALTIES IN AN HOUR THAN ALL THE HEROIC AMERICAN SOLDIERS WHO HAVE FALLEN ALONG THE KOREAN BATTLE-FRONT. XXX

"NOT ONLY OUR TROOPS IN KOREA BUT EVERY MAN, WOMAN OR CHILD ON OUR HOME FRONT LIVES AMIDST GROWING DANGER. REGARDLESS OF WHAT ELSE HAPPENS, THAT DANGER WILL INEVITABLY CONTINUE TO GROW SO LONG AS THE RIVAL STOCKS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS IN RUSSIA AND AMERICA ARE PERMITTED TO PILE HIGHER AND HIGHER."

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(140) AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,AUG 14-(AP)-THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION WILL GIVE CONSIDERATION TO TWO MISSOURI LOCATIONS AS POSSIBLE SITES FOR THE PROJECTED HYDROGEN BOMB PLANT, SENATOR KEM (R-MO) SAID TONIGHT.

THE SENATOR SAID CARLETON SHUGG, ACTING GENERAL MANAGER FOR THE AEC, HAS INVITED THE BACKERS OF THE TWO LOCATIONS TO SUBMIT DATA ON ACREAGE, WATER SUPPLIES, POWER AVAILABILITY AND SIMILAR INFORMATION NEEDED BY THE COMMISSION TO ASSESS THE VALUE OF THE SITES.

KEM SAID ONE GROUP FROM THAYER, MO., IS URGING THE USE OF SOME 70,000 ACRES OF ROLLING, CUT OVER PINELAND IN THE AREA WHERE SHANNON, RIPLEY, CARTER AND OREGON COUNTIES ADJOIN. THIS TRACT IS COMPOSED OF LAND OWNED BY THE U.S. FOREST SERVICE.

ANOTHER GROUP WITH HEADQUARTERS IN ST.FRANCOIS COUNTY, IS BACKING A TRACT OF SIMILAR UNDEVELOPED LAND IN WASHINGTON AND IRON COUNTIES, KEM SAID. THE LAND IN THIS TRACT IS MAINLY IN PRIVATE OWNERSHIP, THE SENATOR ADDED.

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SOVIET PLANES (270)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.14-(AP)-A SOVIET JET FIGHTER DESIGNED ESPECIALLY FOR NIGHT OPERATIONS AGAINST BOMBERS IS LISTED AMONG FOUR RUSSIAN WARPLANES REPORTED DEVELOPED RECENTLY.

THE 1949-MODEL LAVOCHKIN TWIN-JET NIGHT FIGHTER IS DESCRIBED IN AN ARTICLE APPEARING IN THE CURRENT ISSUE OF "FLYING MAGAZINE." IT WAS WRITTEN BY CHARLES W.CAIN, INSTRUCTOR AT THE BRITISH WAR OFFICE SCHOOL OF AIRCRAFT RECOGNITION WHO EDITED THE RUSSIAN SECTION OF THE AUTHORITATIVE BOOK JANE'S "ALL THE WORLD'S AIRCRAFT."

CAIN SAYS THERE ARE NO RECORDS OF PREVIOUS ATTEMPTS BY THE RUSSIANS TO BUILD A PLANE FOR NIGHT FIGHTER DEFENSE. DURING WORLD WAR II, HE STATES, SOVIET NIGHT FIGHTER DEFENSE "WAS PRIMITIVE," THEIR PLANES HAVING NO RADAR FOR "SEEING" ENEMY AIRCRAFT. THE NEW LAVOCHKIN JET, HOWEVER, HAS A RADAR SCANNER. THEN THE ARTICLE COMMENTS:

"SINCE THEY HAVE THAT, THERE WOULD SEEM TO BE LITTLE DOUBT THE SOVIETS ALSO HAVE GROUND RADAR AND HAVE DEVELOPED A SYSTEM TO VECTOR (DIRECT) NIGHT FIGHTERS TO ATTACK APPROACHING AIRPLANES. THIS SYSTEM IS CERTAINLY DESIGNED TO PROVIDE PROTECTION FROM U.S.B-36S."

TOP SPEED OF THE NIGHT FIGHTER IS ESTIMATED AS "IN THE REGION OF 650 MILES PER HOUR. ITS WINGS ARE SWEPT BACK TO A 35-DEGREE ANGLE, ITS FUSELAGE NARROW AND TAPERING, ITS ARMAMENT BELIEVED TO INCLUDE EITHER TWO OR FOUR HEAVY CANNON.

ANOTHER OF THE FOUR NEW PLANES IS REPORTED TO BE A TWIN-JET LAVOCHKIN DAY FIGHTER, PERHAPS A MODIFICATION OF THE YAK-15 OR THE MIG-9 DESIGNS WHICH APPEARED ABOUT FIVE YEARS AGO.

STILL ANOTHER LAVOCHKIN TYPE IS A SINGLE-JET MODEL WITH AN EXTREME (45-DEGREE) SWEEP-BACK OF THE WINGS. ONE INTERESTING FEATURE MENTIONED BY THE MAGAZINE IS THE REPORTED USE OF DIVE BRAKES IN THE WINGS--A DEVICE USED FOR TACTICAL OPERATION OF A PLANE IN CLOSE-IN PIN-POINTING OF TARGETS IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS.

THE FOURTH PLANE IS A SINGLE-JET MIKOYAN FIGHTER, WITH A TOP SPEED REPUTEDLY OVER 625 MILES PER HOUR. CAIN NOTES THE PRESENCE OF LONG TUBES ON EACH SIDE OF THE NOSE WHICH HE SAYS INDICATES RUSSIAN ENGINEERS MAY HAVE DEVELOPED A "SMALL AIR-TO-AIR MISSILE, POSSIBLY GUIDED, OR THAT THE PLANE IS EQUIPPED WITH RECOILLESS CANNON."

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(150) WASHINGTON,AUG.14-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY SAID IT WOULD CONSIDER WHETHER TO COMPLAIN TO THE UNITED NATIONS AGAINST THE MASS DEPORTATIONS BY RUSSIA OF LATVIANS, LITHUANIANS AND ESTONIANS IN THE BALTIC AREA.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT GAVE THIS REPLY TO DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES OF THE THREE COUNTRIES WHOSE ANNEXATION BY RUSSIA NEVER HAS BEEN OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZED BY THE UNITED STATES.

THE THREE BALTIC DIPLOMATS PRESENTED A NOTE TO SECRETARY ACHESON LAST JULY 27 CALLING ATTENTION TO THE "GENOCIDAL MASS DEPORTATIONS AND OF THE APPALLING SITUATION IN GENERAL IN THE BALTIC STATES."

AT THE SAME TIME THE TRIO EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR THE CONTINUED AMERICAN POLICY OF REFUSING TO RECOGNIZE RUSSIAN ANNEXATION OF THEIR COUNTRIES.

IN TODAY'S REPLY SECRETARY ACHESON SAID THE PLEA FOR POSSIBLE UNITED NATIONS ACTION "WILL BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE DEPARTMENT'S REPRESENTATIVES WHO ARE DIRECTLY CONCERNED WITH UNITED NATIONS AFFAIRS."

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WASHINGTON, AUG.14-(AP)-THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT INDICATED TODAY THAT ONE OR MORE SPECIAL ASSISTANTS WILL BE SENT TO HAWAII WHEN AN ISLAND GRAND JURY CONSIDERS 39 CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CASES THERE.

THE 39 PERSONS IN HAWAII WERE AMONG 54 CITED FOR CONTEMPT BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES LAST FRIDAY. ALL WERE ACCUSED OF REFUSING TO ANSWER QUESTIONS BEFORE THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE DURING THE LAST SEVERAL MONTHS. THE HONOLULU GROUP WAS CITED FOR REFUSALS TO ANSWER WHEN A SUB-COMMITTEE WAS INVESTIGATING COMMUNISM IN THE ISLANDS LAST APRIL.

THE HOUSE CITATIONS WERE SENT BY REGISTERED AIR MAIL TODAY TO U.S. ATTORNEY RAY J. O'BRIEN AT HONOLULU, WHO WILL BE IN CHARGE OF THE GRAND JURY INVESTIGATION. HOWEVER, IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES, THE JUSTICE DEPT. SAID THAT HE WILL PROBABLY BE SUPPLIED WITH SPECIAL ASSISTANTS FROM THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE HERE WHEN THE CASES ARE PRESENTED, IN VIEW OF THE LARGE NUMBER INVOLVED.

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WASHINGTON, AUG.14-(AP)-REP. KEARNEY (R-NY) TOLD THE HOUSE TODAY THAT A MOSCOW-TRAINED COMMUNIST IS THE LEADER OF A STRIKE AT THE INGERSOLL-RAND PLANT AT PHILLIPSBURG, N.J.

KEARNEY IDENTIFIED HIM AS MARCEL SCHERER. SCHERER WAS AMONG 56 PERSONS CITED FOR CONTEMPT BY THE HOUSE LAST WEEK FOR REFUSING TO ANSWER QUESTIONS OF THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IN ITS INVESTIGATION OF COMMUNISM.

AT PHILLIPSBURG, ARTHUR FINNEY, PRESIDENT OF STRIKING UNITED ELECTRICAL WORKERS LOCAL 451, SAID "THE CONGRESSMAN MUST HAVE GOTTEN HIS INFORMATION FROM VICTOR RIESEL'S COLUMN (IN THE NEW YORK DAILY MIRROR). UP UNTIL 1949 MARCEL SCHERER WAS HERE ON AND OFF, BUT HE HAS NOT BEEN HERE SINCE 1949."

"I DO NOT KNOW THE MAN (SCHERER)," FINNEY ADDED. HE SAID HE HAS HAD NO COMMUNICATIONS WITH SCHERER SINCE HE BECAME PRESIDENT OF THE LOCAL FIVE MONTHS AGO.

KEARNEY SAID THE STRIKE WAS CALLED THE AFTERNOON OF THE INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA.

KEARNEY CALLED SCHERER "ONE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY'S SCHREWDEST TROUBLE SHOOTERS." HE DESCRIBED HIM AS AN INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED ELECTRICAL WORKERS.

KEARNEY SAID THE PLANT HOLDS IMPORTANT CONTRACTS WITH THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, AS WELL AS FOR EQUIPMENT FOR BATTLESHIPS AND SUBMARINES.

KEARNEY SAID THE PRESIDENT OF THE LOCAL UNION WIRED THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION EXPRESSING A WILLINGNESS TO GO AHEAD WITH URGENTLY NEEDED PROJECTS. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT THE PICKET LINES NEVER OPENED TO ALLOW WORKERS TO RETURN. KEARNEY SAID THIS WAS DUE TO THE ACTIVITY OF SCHERER AND OTHER "PRO-COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES."

THE UNITED ELECTRICAL WORKERS WAS THROWN OUT OF THE CIO THIS YEAR ON GROUNDS IT HAD FOLLOWED THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE. SEVERAL OF ITS LEADERS, IN ADDITION TO SCHERER, WERE AMONG THOSE CITED BY THE HOUSE FOR REFUSING TO ANSWER QUESTIONS OF THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.

FINNEY SAID THE UNION WAS STRIKING FOR HIGHER WAGES AT THE PHILLIPSBURG AND WEST EASTON, PA., INGERSOLL-RAND PLANTS. THE 2,500 MEMBERS AT THE TWO PLANTS VOTED TO STRIKE JUNE 24 WHEN NEGOTIATIONS BOGGED DOWN.

THE UNION ASKED THAT A WAGE INCREASE BE MADE RETROACTIVE TO JUNE 15, 1949. THE COMPANY BALKED AT THIS, ALTHOUGH OFFERING A PACKAGE INCREASE. THE UNION REJECTED THIS OFFER, NEVER MADE PUBLIC, AND VOTED TO STRIKE. WAGE SCALES UNDER THE OLD CONTRACT HAVE NOT BEEN MADE PUBLIC.

ABOUT A WEEK AFTER THE STRIKE BEGAN, THE COMPANY--WHICH SPECIALIZES IN COMPRESSOR PUMPS, ROCK DRILLS, AND OTHER INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT--RECEIVED A REQUEST FROM THE NAVY TO COMPLETE WORK ON SOME PUMPS NEEDED FOR THE PACIFIC-BOUND AIRCRAFT CARRIER PHILIPPINE SEA.

ENOUGH WORKERS RETURNED TO THE PLANTS TO COMPLETE THE NAVY ORDER AND SEND IT OUT.

FINNEY SAID EQUIPMENT ASKED BY THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION "IS STANDARD EQUIPMENT WHICH COULD BE OBTAINED ELSEWHERE AND NOT SOMETHING FOR MAKING AN ATOMIC BOMB."

HE SAID AEC REPRESENTATIVES MET WITH THE COMPANY AND UNION ON THE MATTER, BUT NOTHING HAS BEEN DECIDED ON WHETHER TO GO BACK TO WORK LONG ENOUGH TO FILL THE AEC ORDER.

FINNEY ISSUED A STATEMENT IN ANSWER TO A NEWSPAPER COLUMN BY VICTOR RIESEL CHARGING THAT SCHERER WAS A LEADER IN THE STRIKE HERE.

"WHEN HE SPEAKS OF MARCEL SCHERER IN CONNECTION WITH THIS STRIKE, VICTOR RIESEL IS ON A COMPLETELY WRONG TRACK," FINNEY SAID. "SCHERER HAS NOT ATTENDED ANY MEETINGS OR BEEN CONNECTED WITH THIS LOCAL IN ANY WAY SINCE THE CONTRACT OF 1948. WHEN HE WAS HERE, THERE WERE COMPLETELY HARMONIOUS RELATIONS BETWEEN THE COMPANY AND THE UNION. THE TRUTH IS THAT SCHERER IS NOT EVEN ON THE UE STAFF ANY LONGER."

FINNEY ADDED IN HIS STATEMENT, "THIS STRIKE IS A LEGAL ATTEMPT BY THE MEMBERS TO BETTER THEIR WAGES AND WORKING CONDITIONS AND WAS NOT INSPIRED BY MOSCOW BUT BY THE ARROGANT AND HIGHHANDED METHODS USED BY INGERSOLL-RAND IN THE PAST YEAR."

FINNEY SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHERE SCHERER IS AT THE PRESENT TIME.

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WASHINGTON, AUG.14-(AP)-DARRYL F. ZANUCK, PRESIDENT OF 20TH CENTURY FOX, CONFERRED WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY ON THE MOVIE INDUSTRY'S SUPPORT OF THE WAR IN KOREA.

HE SAID HE REPORTED ON HIS TALKS WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON AND THE ARMY SIGNAL CORPS ON PLANS FOR EARLY SHOWING OF A DOCUMENTARY FILM, "WHY KOREA."

HE SAID OTHER FILMS ARE IN THE MAKING AND THE FIRST WILL BE DONE BY MOVIETONE NEWS.

THE PRESIDENT ALSO TALKED WITH JOHN E. BIERWIRTH OF NEW YORK, BANKER AND PRESIDENT OF NATIONAL DISTILLERS.

BIERWIRTH SAID IT WAS LARGELY A PERSONAL CALL, ALTHOUGH HE DISCUSSED HIS OWN RECENT VISIT TO ENGLAND.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 P.M., E.S.T. TODAY AUG. 14)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG 14-(AP)-JAPANESE MERCHANT VESSELS WILL SHORTLY START CALLING AT UNITED STATES PORTS FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE 1941, THE ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE ARMY SAID THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAD GRANTED CLEARANCE FOR JAPANESE SEA-BORNE TRADE TO AND FROM AMERICAN PORTS BUT THAT INITIALLY ONLY TRAMP VESSELS ENGAGED IN BULK CARGO-CARRYING WILL TAKE PART.

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THE ARMY SAID THERE ARE NO PLANS AT PRESENT FOR REGULARLY SCHEDULED JAPANESE SHIP OPERATIONS AT THE U.S. PORTS.
JAPANESE CARGO VESSELS ARE ALREADY TRADING AT PORTS IN THE FAR EAST, MIDDLE EAST, AND SOUTH AMERICA.
THE ARMY SAID RESUMPTION OF JAPANESE SHIPPING WITH THE UNITED STATES WILL "DO MUCH TOWARD ASSISTING IN THE STABILIZATION OF A SELF-SUPPORTING JAPANESE ECONOMY."
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9 P.M., EST, TODAY AUG. 14)
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COLUMBUS, O., AUG.14-(AP)-COMMUNIST PARTY ADHERENTS WHO FILE FALSE AFFIDAVITS IN OBTAINING UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FACE PROSECUTION FOR PERJURY, GOV.FRANK J.LAUSCHE SAID TODAY.
THE GOVERNOR MADE THE STATEMENT AFTER CONFERRING WITH FRANK J. COLLOPY, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE BUREAU OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION.
ALL PERSONS WHO APPLY FOR UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION MUST FILE AN AFFIDAVIT STATING THEY DO NOT ADVOCATE, OR BELONG TO A PARTY WHICH ADVOCATES, THE OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT BY FORCE.
SOME 20-25 CASES OF PERSONS WHO HAVE FILED SUCH AFFIDAVITS ARE UNDER INVESTIGATION, COLLOPY REPORTED.
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B65CX Q
(230)
CHICAGO, AUG.14-(AP)-A FORMER CHETNIK GUERRILLA WHO CAME TO THE UNITED STATES AS A DISPLACED PERSON TOLD AUTHORITIES TODAY HE WANTS A WHACK AT THE NORTH KOREANS.
BUT, FOR BOZIDAR ZEBICH, 28, A ZINC FACTORY WORKER OF DEPUE, ILL., COMPLICATIONS COME BEFORE COMBAT.
HE TOOK THE DAY OFF FROM JOS JOB AND APPEARED AT THE SELECTIVE SERVICE INDUCTION CENTER. THERE, HE WAS TOLD HE IS TOO OLD TO BE DRAFTED. HE WENT TO AN ARMY RECRUITING STATION. THERE, HE LEARNED HE WAS INELIGIBLE TO ENLIST BECAUSE OF HIS ALIEN STATUS.
ZEBICH FOUND OUT, HOWEVER, THAT THE ARMY WOULD CONSIDER HIM IF HE OBTAINS HIS FIRST CITIZENSHIP PAPERS. HE MARCHED TO THE IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE OFFICE AND APPLIED FOR THEM.
OFFICIALS THERE SAID HIS FIRST PAPERS SHOULD BE ISSUED IN ABOUT TWO WEEKS -- AS SOON AS HIS ALIEN REGISTRATION FORM AND PASSPORT VISA ARE FORWARDED FROM WASHINGTON.
ZEBICH, WHO FORMERLY LIVED IN GILNA, SERBIA, CAME TO THE UNITED STATES JULY 19, 1949 AS A DISPLACED PERSON. HE SAID HE HAD FOUGHT THROUGHOUT EASTERN BOSNIA IN YUGOSLAVIA DURING WORLD WAR TWO IN THE FORCES OF DRAJA MIHAILOVICH, BUT FLED TO ITALY IN 1945 WHEN TITO CAME TO POWER.
ZEBICH, WHOO SPEAKS RUSSIAN, ITALIAN, POLISH, BOHEMIAN AND SERBIAN, TOLD HIS STORY THROUGH AN INTERPRETER. HE SAID HE IS LEARNING ENGLISH.
HE DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS AN EXPERT IN GUERRILLA NIGHT FIGHTING AND INFILTRATION TACTICS.
WHEN HE GETS TO KOREA, ZEBICH SAID, HE WANTS TO BE DROPPED BEHIND THE NORTH KOREAN LINES WITH A FEW OTHER PARACHUTISTS AND PLENTY OF WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES.
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B36CX Q
(290)
CHICAGO,AUG.14-(AP)-EDWARD V.SITTLER, 34, FORMER GERMAN TEACHER AT HOUGHTON, MICH., AND SUBURBAN EVANSTON, SAID TODAY HE MAY ASK FOR A REOPENING OF A HEARING BEFORE AN IMMIGRATION EXAMINER.
THE HEARING HERE BEFORE EXAMINER FRANK J.GILLESPIE, WHICH ENDED LAST TUESDAY, WAS ON SITTLER'S APPLICATION TO REMAIN IN THIS COUNTRY INDEFINITELY. ~~THE HEARING HAD STARTED IN HOUGHTON.~~
GILLESPIE TOOK THE MATTER UNDER ADVISEMENT AND WILL SEND HIS RECOMMENDATION, ALONG WITH A TRANSCRIPT OF THE CASE, TO WASHINGTON.
SITTLER SAID HE QUESTIONS THE FACULTY STATUS OF THREE GOVERNMENT WITNESSES WHO TESTIFIED AGAINST HIM AT THE HEARING. HE SAID THEY WERE REPRESENTED AS NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS BUT THAT TWO OF THEM WERE GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANTS AND ONE WAS AN INSTRUCTOR.
HE ADDED THAT THE NORTHWESTERN GERMAN DEPARTMENT, IN WHICH HE WAS A LECTURER, CONTAINED THREE FULL PROFESSORS AND ONE ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR. TWO OF THE FULL PROFESSORS, INCLUDING THE HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT, TESTIFIED IN SITTLER'S BEHALF, AND ONE SENT IN A LETTER WHICH WAS ENTERED INTO THE RECORDS. SITTLER SAID THE ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR WAS VACATIONING AND WAS NOT AVAILABLE TO TESTIFY.
SITTLER FORMERLY WAS A PROFESSOR AT THE MICHIGAN COLLEGE OF MINING AND TECHNOLOGY AT HOUGHTON. THE GOVERNMENT SAID HE HAD ADMITTED JOINING THE NAZI PARTY WHILE IN GERMANY AND MAKING RADIO BROADCASTS WHICH THE GOVERNMENTS SAYS WERE PROPAGANDA.
DR.C.RUDOLPH GOEDSCHE, HEAD OF THE NORTHWESTERN GERMAN DEPARTMENT, TESTIFIED THAT NORTHWESTERN HAD HIRED SITTLER AFTER SITTLER SHOWED PAPERS INDICATING THAT HE HAD BEEN CLEARED BY THE FBI.
NORTHWESTERN DID NOT RENEW SITTLER'S CONTRACT. ASKED THE REASON DR.GOEDSCHE SAID "THAT'S A GOOD QUESTION. I STILL DO NOT KNOW WHY HE WAS DISMISSED."
SITTLER HIMSELF TESTIFIED THAT HE HAD SPOKEN "VOLUMES" ABOUT WHAT WAS WRONG WITH THE NAZIS AND THAT HE HAD UTTERED MUCH PRAISE OF THE UNITED STATES.
HE DENIED TESTIMONY BY GOVERNMENT WITNESSES THAT HE HAD DEFENDED HITLER AND NAZISM AT A FACULTY PARTY IN EVANSTON.
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B66PG Q
(275)
PITTSBURGH, AUG. 14-(AP)-TWO MEN WHO SAID THEY WERE ONCE COMMUNISTS TESTIFED TODAY THAT FRANK BORICH, 51, SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL CROATIAN COUNCIL, IS A COMMUNIST.
BORICH, ARRAIGNED FOR THE SECOND TIME AT A DEPORTATION HEARING OF THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE, DID NOT REPLY.
HE SAID HE HAD NO LAWYER, NOT BEING ABLE TO AFFORD TO BRING ONE FROM NEW YORK. BORICH GAVE A JANCEY STREET, PITTSBURGH, ADDRESS BUT HAD BEEN LIVING IN NEW YORK CITY RECENTLY.
COPIES OF THE DAILY WORKER AND OTHER PAPERS, WITH STORIES UNDER BORICH'S BY-LINE, WERE AMONG GOVERNMENT EXHIBITS OFFERED.
FLAVIAN STAZER OF ZELIENOPLE, PA., TESTIFIED HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE YOUNG COMMUNIST LEAGUE IN PITTSBURGH FROM 1930 TO 1934 AND ATTENDED AT LEAST 20 COMMUNIST MEETINGS AT WHICH BOTH HE AND BORICH SPOKE.
STAZER, NOW A FOREMAN AT THE ALLIS-CHALMERS PLANT HERE, SAID HE "QUIT THE COMMIES IN 1934 BECAUSE I GOT FED UP WITH THEIR DICTATORIAL AND SLAVE-DRIVING TACTICS."

CHARLES BAXTER OF NEW YORK CITY IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS A FORMER COMMUNIST PARTY WORKER WITH BORICH HERE AND IN CLEVELAND AND IN POWHATAN, O.

STAZER AND OTHER WITNESSES TESTIFIED BORICH HAD ADVOCATED VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT EVER SINCE HE ARRIVED FROM YUGOSLAVIA IN 1931.

BORICH SAID HE ATTENDED THE HEARING ONLY BECAUSE HE DIDN'T WANT HIS WIFE, MARY, TO LOSE $5,000 SHE'S POSTED FOR HIS APPEARANCE. HE REFUSED TO BE SWORN AS A WITNESS.

IN 1931, BORICH LED A MINE STRIKE IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA AS ACTING HEAD OF THE NATIONAL MINERS UNION. IN 1933, THE GOVERNMENT WON A DEPORTATION ORDER AGAINST HIM. IT WAS UPHELD BY DISTRICT AND APPELLATE COURTS BUT SET ASIDE BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

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GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., AUG.14-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN CALLED "PEACE AND HUMAN ADVANCEMENT" THE ULTIMATE GOALS OF UNITED STATES FOREIGN POLICY TODAY IN A MESSAGE TO THE 1950 CONVENTION OF THE SUPREME LODGE OF KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

SUPREME CHANCELLOR FRED RATLIFF, OF HAMMOND, IND., READ THE MESSAGE TO THE DELEGATES.

THE PRESIDENT SENT "WARMEST PERSONAL GREETINGS" AND EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THE SUPREME LODGE "WILL BE FRUITFUL OF WISE COUNSEL AND DEFINITE ACTION IN SUPPORT OF THE TRADITIONAL AMERICAN PRINCIPLES OF FREE GOVERNMENT."

MAYOR PAUL G.GOEBEL WELCOMED THE PYTHIANS AT A FIRST DAY SESSION FEATURING AN ORATORICAL CONTEST FOR SIX YOUTHS WHO SPOKE ON "FIFTY YEARS FROM NOW."

JAMES MC COOL, PARKERSBURG, W.VA., WON FIRST PRIZE, A $1,000 SCHOLARSHIP. SECOND PLACE WENT TO LAWRENCE SPECTOR, MALDEN, MASS. HE WON A $500 SCHOLARSHIP.

OTHER CONTESTANTS, AWARDED $250 SCHOLARSHIP PRIZES EACH, WERE 18-YEAR-OLD HARRY WEBSTER, OF INDEPENDENCE, MO., PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S HOME TOWN; DAVID SHILLMAN, VICKSBURG, MIS.; ROGER HAUGO, SIOUX FALLS, S.D.; AND ROBERT CARAWAY, BEAUMONT, TEXAS. ELDA SNEEGAS, LOUISVILLE, KY., WAS ANNOUNCED THE WINNER OF A $259 PRIZE IN AN ESSAY CONTEST.

THE REV. A.B.JACKSON, JEFFERSON CITY, MO., SUPREME PRELATE OF THE ORDER, OFFICIATED SUNDAY AT MEMORIAL SERVICES.

GLENN SPARKS, COLUMBUS, OHIO, WAS NAMED PRESIDENT OF THE GRAND SECRETARIES ASSOCIATION. OTHER OFFICERS ARE: VICE PRESIDENTS FRED J.HARDING, VANCOUVER, B.C.; HOWARD L.HALL, AVON, MASS., AND W.T.PRICE, OAK HILL, W.VA. SERGEANT AT ARMS IS DEWEY HUGGINS, CLAYTON, N.C.

EARL GENSBERGER, BUTTE, MONT., WILL REPLACE RATLIFF AS SUPREME CHANCELLOR ON THURSDAY. GENSBERGER IS SUPREME VICE-CHANCELLOR AND THERE ARE FOUR CANDIDATES TO SUCCEED HIM IN THAT POST.

THE CONVENTION CONTINUES THROUGH FRIDAY.

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FIRST LEAD LEGION

SACRAMENTO, CALIF., AUG. 14-(AP)-ADMIRAL WILLIAM H. STANDLEY, RETIRED, DECLARED TODAY THE UNITED STATES' MILITARY PREPAREDNESS IS "OUT OF STEP" WITH ITS FOREIGN POLICY.

"PEARL HARBOR," SAID THE WARTIME AMBASSADOR TO TUSSIA, "WAS THE RESULT OF OUR FAILURE TO KEEP OUR MILITARY READINESS IN STEP WITH OUR FOREIGN POLICY. X X X AGAIN WE HAVE A 'KOREA' WITH A MILITARY READINESS ENTIRELY OUT OF STEP WITH THE FOREIGN POLICY WE HAVE BEEN PURSUING SINCE V-J DAY."

THE ADMIRAL, SPEAKING BEFORE THE CALIFORNIA AMERICAN LEGION CONVENTION, WAS CRITICAL OF BOTH THE DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN POLICIES OF THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION.

"AS I VIEW OUR ADMINISTRATION TODAY," HE SAID, "THE PARTY IN POWER IS NO DIFFERENT, AS TO PURPOSE, THAN THE COMMUNISTIC PARTY IN MOSCOW. THEY BOTH ARE MAKING EVERY EFFORT TO PERPETUATE CONTROL OF THE GOVERNMENT BY THEIR PARTY. THE DIFFERENCE IS IN METHOD ONLY."

STANDLEY SAID HE SAW NO PRESENT DANGER OF "A SHOOTING WAR WITH RUSSIA UNLESS WE INITIATE IT." RUSSIA, HE CONTENDED, IS NOT PREPARED ECONOMICALLY OR INDUSTRIALLY AND "FEELS SHE IS ACCOMPLISHING HER ENDS WITHOUT ENGAGING IN A SHOOTING WAR."

BOTH STANDLEY AND REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD M. NIXON (R-CALIF) TOLD THE LEGIONNARIES THEY BELIEVED COMMUNISTS IN THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BE REQUIRED TO REGISTER.

LT. GEN. IRA C. EAKER TOLD THE CONVENTION THE UNITED STATES TODAY HARBORS A COMMUNIST FIFTH COLUMN MORE POWERFUL THAN THE ONE WHICH TUMBLED CZECHOSLOVAKIA INTO THE RUSSIAN ORBIT."

THE RETIRED WARTIME COMMANDER OF THE EIGHTH AIR FORCE MADE THE STATEMENT IN ADDRESSING A STATE AMERICAN LEGION CONVENTION LUNCHEON.

~~THE RUSSIANS KNOW, SAID THE GENERAL, THE THE U.S. IS THE MAJOR OBSTACLE IN THE WAY OF WORLD COMMUNISM."~~

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THE RUSSIANS KNOW, SAID THE GENERAL, THE THE U.S.IS THE MAJOR OBSTACLE IN THE WAY OF WORLD COMMUNISM. "OBVIOUSLY," HE ADDED, "THEY ARE PUTTING GREAT EFFORTS INTO BUILDING THE FIFTH COLUMN HERE."

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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.14-(AP)-SCHEDULED RESUMPTION OF THE DEPORTATION HEARING OF DR.BERTHA BARKAN LUTHY, RESEARCHER IN BIOCHEMISTRY, WAS POSTPONED TODAY UNTIL 9 A.M. WEDNESDAY.

THE DELAY WAS GRANTED TO GIVE ATTORNEYS TIME IN WHICH TO AGREE ON STIPULATIONS.

THE ATTRACTIVE DR.LUTHY, 38, PLEADED GUILTY JULY 19 TO A FEDERAL INDICTMENT OF MAKING A FALSE CLAIM TO CITIZENSHIP IN SWEARING TO A NATURALIZATION OFFICER THAT SHE WAS BORN IN CHICAGO. THE GOVERNMENT SAID SHE IS A NATIVE OF RUSSIA.

HER COUNSEL INDICATED IT WOULD SEEK LENIENCY BECAUSE OF HER WORK IN HUMANITARIAN FIELDS OF CANCER AND POLIO RESEARCH AND ON THE GROUND SHE ABANDONED ANY ASSOCIATION WITH ANYONE CONNECTED WITH COMMUNISTS MORE THAN 15 YEARS AGO. SEPTEMBER 15 WAS SET FOR RETURN OF THE PROBATION REPORT.

DR.LUTHY, AFTER FILING OF THE CHARGES, RESIGNED FROM HER WORK AT STANFORD UNIVERSITY.

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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.14-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS REPORTED TODAY THAT THE KOREANS WERE RAPIDLY PUSHING A LAND DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM IN AREAS OVERRUN BY THE NORTH KOREAN REDS.

A PEIPING BROADCAST, HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, QUOTED A NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY CORRESPONDENT IN THE AREA NEAR SEOUL AS REPORTING, "MILLIONS OF PLEASANTS IN SOUTH KOREA ARE PUTTING THE GREAT LAND REFORM PROGRAM INTO EFFECT UNDER THE MACHINEGUNS AND BOMBS OF THE AMERICANS--THEIR EARS TURNED TO CATCH THE FIRST WHISTLE OF A PLANE."

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THE REPORT SAID THE PEASANTS MEET AFTER NIGHTFALL, ARGUE THE MERITS OF PARCELS OF LAND, THEN ALLOT DEEDS TO INDIVIDUALS, WITH ALL OLD DEBTS CANCELLED.

IT QUOTED VARIOUS PEASANTS AS SAYING, "NOW WE HAVE LAND AND WILL FIGHT TO THE LAST MAN TO KEEP IT. AMERICAN AIR RAIDS AND THE AMERICAN ARMY OR ANY OTHER ARMY WILL NOT BE ABLE TO TAKE IT AWAY FROM US."

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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.14-(AP)-FLEET ADMIRAL CHESTER W.NIMITZ INTIMATED TO DELEGATES ATTENDING THE DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS' CONVENTION TODAY THAT UNITED NATIONS FORCES, WHEN THEY MARCH NORTH IN KOREA, SHOULD NOT STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL.

"I HAVE EVERY REASON TO BELIEVE UNITED NATIONS FORCES WILL RETURN TO THE 38TH PARALLEL," THE WHITE HAIRED TEXAN TOLD THE DAV'S 29TH NATIONAL CONVENTION.

"WHAT THEN? WELL, WE HAVE TIME TO THINK ABOUT WHAT WE SHALL DO. THE NORTH KOREANS GAVE US A GOOD PRECEDENT TO GO BY."

ADMIRAL NIMITZ ASSERTED THAT IF WE--THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED NATIONS--FAIL IN KOREA "IT IS THE FIRST STEP TOWARD WORLD WAR THREE."

HIS MAIN REASON FOR BELIEVING THIS, HE ADDED, IS THAT NORTH KOREA IS "FLOUTING THE UNITED NATIONS" AND, IF ITS AGGRESSION IS SUCCESSFUL, "OTHER ATTACKS WILL FOLLOW THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."

NIMITZ INTRODUCED ANOTHER FAMED WARTIME FLEET COMMANDER, ADMIRAL WILLIAM "BULL" HALSEY, WHO EMPHATICALLY ENDORSED NIMITZ' VIEWS.

THE WAY HALSEY PUT IT WAS THAT "IF WE REMAIN FIRM, WE PROBABLY CAN AVERT FURTHER CONFLAGRATION."

"THIS NATION ALWAYS HAS BEEN DESCRIBED AS WINNING THE WARS, BUT LOSING THE PEACE," HALSEY SAID. "IF WE STAND BEHIND THE UNITED NATIONS NOW, HOWEVER, WE HAVE A CHANCE TO WIN THE PEACE."

ADMIRAL NIMITZ, WHO NOW IS A SPECIAL CONSULTANT TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID THAT THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY WHICH INVADED SOUTH KOREA ON JUNE 25 "IS COMPOSED MOSTLY OF KOREANS WHO WERE SERVING IN THE JAPANESE ARMY IN MANCHURIA AND SURRENDERED TO THE RUSSIANS WHEN THE WAR ENDED."

"FOLLOWING THAT SURRENDER AFTER WORLD WAR II, THEY WERE GIVEN FOUR YEARS OF SPECIAL TRAINING BY THE RUSSIANS," HE SAID.

HE SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS, DESPITE THEIR TRAINING BY THE UNITED STATES, HAD NO BATTLE EXPERIENCE, BECAUSE ALL KOREANS WHO DID HAVE COMBAT EXPERIENCE WERE IN THE KWANGTUNG ARMY WHICH SURRENDERED TO THE RUSSIANS.

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 14-(AP)-MORE THAN 4,000 DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS, HOLDING THEIR 29TH NATIONAL CONVENTION, WILL CONDUCT MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR THE KOREAN WAR DEAD TONIGHT.

FOLLOWING THAT WILL BE A "WHEEL CHAIR REVUE," BY PARAPLEGICS--VETERANS PARALYZED FROM THE WAIST DOWN.

THEY WILL "WALK" THE HIGH WIRES WITH A WHEEL CHAIR, "SHOOT THE SHOOTS" ON WHEELS, AND EVEN DO DANCES CALLED "JITTER-WHEELING."

ALL OF THE PARAPLEGICS PARTICIPATING WERE TRAINED AT THE NOW DEFUNCT BIRMINGHAM VETERANS'S HOSPITAL NEAR VAN NUYS, CALIF. THEY RECENTLY MADE A MOVIE SHORT FOR THE DAV WITH COMEDIAN BOB HOPE.

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Starting August 15th

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FIFTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG 15-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF CALLED ON HIS MASSED RED ARMIES TODAY TO DRIVE UNITED NATIONS FORCES "FROM KOREA BY THE END OF AUGUST."

HIS ORDER OF THE DAY, PERHAPS SIGNALLING THE START OF THE LONG-EXPECTED COMMUNIST ALL-OUT OFFENSIVE, CAME AS BLOODY BATTLES FLARED IN THE CURVES OF THE NAKTONG RIVER FOR CONTROL OF THE VITAL WESTERN FRONT.

IN ISSUING THE ORDER, NORTH KOREAN PREMIER AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF KIM IL SUNG RECOGNIZED TIME WAS RUNNING OUT FOR THE REDS. HE ORDERED PROMPT ANNIHILATION OF UNITED NATIONS' ARMIES AND ADDED:

"THE LONGER THIS IS DELAYED, THE STRONGER WILL BECOME THE UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSES."

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FIFTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP (650)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,AUG.16-(AP)-NINETY-EIGHT (CORRECT) SUPERFORTRESS BOMBERS TODAY BLASTED COMMUNIST INFANTRY AND ARMOR MASSED WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER FOR THE BIGGEST OFFENSIVE OF THE KOREAN WAR.

THE HISTORY-MAKING B-29 ASSAULT PLASTERED BETWEEN FOUR AND SIX RED DIVISIONS WITH 962 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES.

THE ATTACK LASTED TWO HOURS.

FLYING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES FOR THE FIRST TIME, THE BIG BOEING BOMBERS DUMPED THEIR CARGOES OF 500-POUNDERS IN PRECISE PATTERN OVER AN AREA OF 21 SQUARE MILES IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR. NEAR THIS RIVER TOWN, 12 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE REDS HAVE CONCENTRATED SOME 60,000 MEN FOR THEIR ALL-OUT BLOW.

THE SATURATION BOMBING BY THE SUPERFORST WAS DESIGNED TO BREAK UP THE RED OFFENSIVE WHICH A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID APPEARED TO BE "VERY, VERY CLOSE."

THE B-29 ATTACK WAS THE LARGEST OF THE KOREAN WAR AND THE GREATEST BLOW AGAINST GROUND FORCES SINCE ALLIED BOMBERS HIT THE NORMANDY INVASION COAST IN THE EUROPEAN WAR IN 1944. AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN COMPARED TODAY'S BOMBING TO THE BREAK-UP ATTACKS OF WORLD WAR II BY 1,000 SMALLER B-17S AND B-24S. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THE B-29 BLOW "WASN'T ON THE SAME SCALE."

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE WATCHED THE SUPERFORTS IN THEIR PATTERN BOMBING AND REPORTED "CLOUDS OF SMOKE AND DUST ROSE FROM THE TORTURED GROUND." THE FORCE OF THE BLASTING ROCKED HIS OBSERVATION PLANE. HE REPORTED NO RED ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE.

THE SUPERFORST HAD NO FIGHTER COVER FOR THE ATTACK. BUT THE FIGHTERS FOLLOWED THE B-29S OVER THE TARGET AREA TO "MOP UP" WITH ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUNS.

THE BOMBERS FLEW IN 10-PLANE FORMATIONS. THE BOMBARDIERS HAD ORDERS TO DROP A 500-POUNDER EVERY 150 FEET. THIS ENABLED EACH BOMBER TO COVER MORE THAN A MILE WITH ITS LOAD OF 40 BOMBS. THE TARGET WAS A RECTANGLE SEVEN MILES FROM NORTH TO SOUTH AND THREE ONE-HALF MILES FROM EAST TO WEST.

THE UNPRECEDENTED AIR STRIKE DOMINATED THE DAY'S WAR PICTURE. FIELD DISPATCHES AND HEADQUARTERS REPORTS GAVE THIS AS THE SITUATION ON THE GROUND ON THE CRITICAL NAKTONG RIVER FRONT.

RED FORCES THREATENED TAEGU FROM TWO BRIDGEHEADS ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER TO THE SOUTHWEST OF THE BIG COMMUNICATIONS CENTER.

THE BIGGEST WAS NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, WHERE THE REDS HAD SOME 12,000 TANK-SUPPORTED TROOPS EAST OF THE RIVER AGAINST THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY AN AMERICAN ATTEMPT TO OUT THE RED BRIDGEHEAD WAS STOPPED BY A STRONG COMMUNIST COUNTER-ATTACK TUESDAY. A SPOKESMAN SAID THE 24TH CONTINUED TO HOLD THE GROUND IT HAD GAINED. BUT ASSOCIATEDIPRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED FROM THE FRONT THAT THE REDS HAD MADE GAINS UP TO THREE MILES IN SPOTS. HE SAID THE BRIDGEHEAD HAD BEEN EXPENDED UNTIL IT EXTENDED SIX TO SEVEN MILES EAST OF THE RIVER.

ABOUT 15 MILES NORTH OF CHANGNYONG, THE REDS HAD BUILT UP A FORCE OF 1,500 MEN ACROSS THE RIVER NEAR HYONPUNG, 14 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THIS TODAY BUT SAID THE REDS HAD MADE THE CROSSING MONDAY. ONE AND PERHAPS TWO DIVISIONS OF REDS WERE BEHIND THIS BRIDGEHEAD WHICH HAD WEDGED BETWEEN THE 24TH DIVISION AND THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ON THE NORTH.

FIVE MILES TO THE NORTH OF HYONPUNG, A RED CROSSING ATTEMPT AT TUKSONG YESTERDAY WAS REPORTED REPELLED IN MACARTHUR'S MID-DAY OPERATIONAL SUMMARY TODAY.

FARTHER NORTH, NEAR WAEGWAN, THE REDS HAD MADE SEVERAL CROSSINGS BUT NONE WAS CLASSIFIED OFFICIALLY AS A BRIDGEHEAD. THE REDS HAVE BEEN FILTERING ACROSS UNOPPOSED FOR SEVERAL DAYS AND HAVE SUCCEEDED IN GETTING SOME TANKS ACROSS. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS THAT ONE RED COMPANY HELD A HILL ONLY NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU BUT HAD BEEN SURROUNDED BY FIRST CAVALRY TROOPERS.

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NORTH AND EAST OF WAEGWAN, THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION STOPPED A HEAVY TANK-LED THRUST TUESDAY AND REGAINED ABOUT 2,000 YARDS LATER IN THE DAY WITH A COUNTERATTACK. THIS WAS REPORTED IN MACARTHUR'S MID-DAY SUMMARY. AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME ADDED THAT SIX OF SEVEN RED TANKS THAT MADE THE CROSSING HAD BEEN DESTROYED.

IN THE SEA-AIR WAR, BRITISH CARRIER-BASED PLANES TUESDAY DAMAGED THREE COMMUNIST SHIPS--A 2,000-TON FREIGHTER, AN 800-TON FREIGHTER AND A MINESWEEPER--AT CHINNAMPO (CORRECT). THIS IS A WEST COAST PORT 13 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

U.S. AIR FORCE AND AMERICAN MARINE PILOTS CONCENTRATED ON SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES TUESDAY.

A FIFTH AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT TUESDAY'S AIR ACTIVITIES AGAIN WERE CONCENTRATED ON THE RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR. B-26S HIT THESE FORCES WITH FRAGMENTATION BOMBS.

FROM PYONGYANG IN NORTH KOREA, THE RED RADIO FOR THE FIRST TIME OPENLY ACKNOWLEDGED "FRIENDLY SUPPORT OF THE SOVIET ARMY" IN "THE FIGHT AGAINST THE AMERICAN AGGRESSORS." THE BROADCAST QUOTED RUSSIA'S PREMIER STALIN AS TELEGRAPHING GREETINGS TO "THE KOREAN PEOPLE'S ARMY HEROICALLY FIGHTING FOR THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE AND THE FATHERLAND."

THE EFFECT OF THE NEW BUILTUP BRIDGEHEAD OF THE REDS NEAR HYONPUNG REMAINED TO BE ASSESSED. MAJ. GEN. JOHN H. CHURCH, COMMANDING 24TH DIVISION TROOPERS OPPOSING THAT THREAT SAID THE REDS COULD EITHER SWING NORTHWARD TOWARD TAEGU OR SOUTHWARD AGAINST THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE EMBATTLED AND WEARY 24TH.

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ENEMY TANKS AND ARMORED POWER PUNCHED HARD AROUND WAEGWAN WHERE THEY CROSSED THE NAKTONG ON A RUSSIAN-TYPE SUBMERGED BRIDGE LAID JUST BELOW THE WATER TO HIDE IT FROM VIEW AND AIR ATTACK.

THAT THE FLAMING CENTRAL FRONT CONFLICT WAS STILL IN THE INDECISIVE

STAGE WAS POINTED UP BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS. IT ISSUED NO WEDNESDAY MORNING COMMUNIQUE BECAUSE, HEADQUARTERS SAID, THERE HAD BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE SOUTH KOREAN SITUATION.

(IN WASHINGTON, HOWEVER, A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN DISCLOSED THAT ON TUESDAY A NAVY SHORE PARTY DEEP INSIDE NORTH KOREAN TERRITORY BLEW UP AN EAST COAST RAILROAD TUNNEL ON THE MAIN NORTH-SOUTH ROUTE FROM VLADIVOSTOCK. THE TUNNEL, ONLY 40 MILES FROM THE RUSSIAN BORDER, WAS SEALED WHEN NAVY COMMANDOS TOUCHED OFF A 2,000 POUND BLAST OF DYNAMITE.)

ON THE WESTERN FRONT THE HARDFIGHTING U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION WAS FACING THE BRUNT OF THE RED ONSLAUGHT IN THE CHANGNYONG SALIENT.

THE NORTH KOREANS CRACKED THROUGH THE 24TH IN BATTALION STRENGTH, ABOUT 800 MEN. THIS FORCE CHEWED INTO THE ARMY INFANTRY POSITIONS IN A DESPERATE ATTEMPT TO LINK UP WITH GUERRILLAS WHO HAD INFILTRATED THE AMERICAN LINES.

THE SURGING COMMUNISTS PENETRATED TO A DEPTH OF SEVEN MILES IN A POUNDING ASSAULT UNDER A BLISTERING SUN. THE RED BREAK WAS CONSIDERED "SERIOUS" BY U.S. OFFICERS BUT ONE STAFF ARMY MAN SAID:

"WE ARE STILL CONFIDENT WE CAN PUSH THE GOOKS BACK ACROSS THE RIVER BUT IT WILL TAKE TIME."

DESPITE GROUND LOST IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA, SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF THE ERUPTING CENTRAL FRONT, AMERICANS HELD THEIR LINES IN THE CENTER AND NORTH ALONG THE NORTH KOREAN BRIDGEHEAD SECTOR.

ABOUT 3,000 REDS--ALONG WITH ARMORED FIREPOWER--WERE ACROSS THE NAKTONG NEAR WAEGWAN. USING AN UNDER-WATER BRIDGE, THE COMMUNISTS HIT WITH PROBE-FEELER STRIKES AT SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS ADMITTED CONCERN ABOUT WAEGWAN. THEY WERE UNABLE TO LEARN WHETHER THE REDS WERE READY TO UNLEASH THEIR 60,000-MAN JUGGERNAUT IN WHAT ALLIED OFFICIALS EXPECT WILL BE THE BIGGEST OFFENSIVE OF THE KOREAN WAR.

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CAPTURED NORTH KOREANS TOLD INTELLIGENCE, HOWEVER, THAT U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN RESISTANCE HAD SLOWED THE RED CONQUEST TIMETABLE. THE PRISONERS SAID THE SCHEDULE CALLED FOR THE CAPTURE OF TAEGU ON TUESDAY, FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF V-J DAY AND THE LIBERATION OF KOREA FROM JAPAN.

A U.S.8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS TUESDAY NIGHT SUCCESSFULLY COUNTERATTACKED NORTH KOREANS CROSSING THE NAKTONG AROUND WAEGWAN. BUT THERE WAS NO WORD OF THE STRENGTH OF FORCES INVOLVED.

AMERICAN PLANES KNOCKED OUT AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF RED ARMORED CARS IN SUPPORT OF THE COUNTER-BLOW.

OTHER U.S.AIRCRAFT PLASTERED NORTH KOREAN COMMUNICATIONS LINES AND SUPPLY DUMPS ALONG THE 120-MILE FRONT. JET FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS STRUCK AT BRIDGES AND OTHER INSTALLATIONS NORTH OF YONGDOK AND HIT TARGETS AROUND CHONJU, WAEGWAN AND YONGJU.

A STRAFING RAID BY FIGHTER PILOTS EAST OF THE NAKTONG HIT AT ABOUT 300 NORTH KOREANS, KILLING OR WOUNDING SOME 100 ENEMY WITH MACHINEGUN FIRE.

AIR FORCE OFFICIALS SAID OTHER PLANES KNOCKED OUT THREE OF 12 RED TANKS SPOTTED WEST OF THE NAKTONG IN THE SAME AREA. THE STRIKES WERE INCLUDED IN 230 SORTIES FLOWN TUESDAY DESPITE BAD WEATHER, AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN STATED.

LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, COMMANDER OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE, ANNOUNCED THAT B-29S HAVE WRITTEN OFF AS A TARGET THE HUGE WONSAN OIL REFINERY IN NORTH KOREA. THE BIG BOMBERS, HE SAID, HAVE "ALMOST COMPLETELY DESTROYED" THE WAR-VITAL PLANT.

GROUND ACTION TUESDAY GAVE ALL SIGNS OF A BUILD-UP FOR THE LONG-AWAITED MAJOR RED ATTACK TO DRIVE THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS TO PUSAN AND OFF THE PENINSULA.

AP CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED CONTINUING PRESSURE BY THE COMMUNISTS ALL ALONG THE 24TH INFANTRY'S FRONT ON THE NAKTONG. HE SAID THE NORTH KOREANS AND THE AMERICANS ARE THROWING THE WORKS AT EACH OTHER BUT NEITHER SIDE IS GETTING ANYWHERE EXCEPT FOR THE ONE RED BATTALION WHICH OVERRAN POSITIONS OF THE 24TH.

AS THE CRUCIAL NAKTONG BATTLE SHAPED-UP, U.S.NEGRO INFANTRYMEN ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT NEAR CHINJU TOOK A PRECIPITOUS MOUNTAIN IN A NIGHT-PROWLING ATTACK WITHOUT A SINGLE AMERICAN CASUALTY. SUCCESS CAME AFTER A THREE DAY CLOSE-IN FIGHT FOR THE POSITION CALLED "LITTLE CASINO," BECAUSE OF ITS RESEMBLANCE TO THE ITALIAN HEIGHT WHERE A BLOODY WORLD WAR II BATTLE RAGED.

AFTER TAKING THE OBJECTIVE, THE U.S.TROOPS WERE HIT BY MORTAR FIRE FROM OTHER AMERICAN FORCES UNAWARE THAT THE MOUNTAIN HAD BEEN SEIZED.

LATER THE NEGRO TROOPS WERE PULLED DOWN OFF THE PEAK TO REGROUP. WHEN THE AMERICANS LEFT THE NORTH KOREANS CAME BACK.

IT WAS UNCLEAR WHETHER ANOTHER ATTACK WOULD HAVE TO BE MADE FOR THE STRATEGIC HIGH GROUND AROUND HAMAN 20 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, ON THE 24TH INFANTRY FRONT.

DISPATCHES FROM 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID AMERICAN FORCES STILL HOLD THE AIRSTRIP AT POHANG ON THE EAST COAST. U.S.PLANES, HOWEVER, EVACUATED THE FIELD WHEN IT CAME UNDER ENEMY MORTAR AND MACHINEGUN FIRE AS THE REDS CLOSED IN FOLLOWING THEIR CAPTURE OF POHANG, ITSELF.

OFFICERS ESTIMATED THAT 3,000 NORTH KOREANS REMAIN IN POHANG. THEY ARE ISOLATED FROM THE REST OF THE RED ARMY AND PROBABLY ARE FEELING A SUPPLIES PINCH.

IT PROBABLY WILL BE SEVERAL DAYS BEFORE THE POHANG PICTURE IS CLARIFIED, ARMY SPOKESMAN REPORTED. THEY DESCRIBED THE SITUATION AS "FLUID" IN THE AREA WHERE THE RED STABBED DEEP INTO THE ALLIED DEFENSE LINE.

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THE HARD-HITTING AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ARE TAKING A HEAVY TOLL OF NORTH KOREAN MANPOWER, INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID. THEY ESTIMATED THE SHOCK DIVISIONS OF THE RED STRIKING FORCE HAVE BEEN CUT NEARLY IN HALF BY CASUALTIES SINCE START OF THE WAR.

OFFICERS SAID THE FLOWER OF THE COMMUNIST KOREAN ARMY--SOME 60,000 WELL-TRAINED OFFICERS AND MEN IN SIX DIVISIONS HAD LOSSES OF "40 PER CENT AND UP."

THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN RADIO, MEANWHILE, ASSERTED THAT RED TROOPS HAD SEIZED KOSONG IN SOUTHERNMOST KOREA, ABOUT 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF MASAN AND THE SAME DISTANCE SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID LAST WEEK THAT U.S.MARINES HAD SEIZED KOSONG AND SWEPT NORTHWEST 12 MILES TO WITHIN THREE MILES OF SACHON.

AS DEVELOPMENTS POINTED TO AN EARLY JUMP-OFF NINTO WHAT MIGHT BECOME THE SHOW-DOWN BATTLE FOR KOREA, THE REPUBLIC YESTERDAY OBSERVED THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF ITS FREEDOM FROM JAPANESE RULE.

THE 75-YEAR-OLD PRESIDENT, SYNGMAN RHEE, NOTED THE OCCASION WITH THEIR STATEMENT:

"THE WORLD KNOWS THROUGH BITTER EXPERIENCE THAT SOVIET RUSSIA IS TRYING TO CONQUER THE WORLD BY FORCE. THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD SEES THAT LEAVING KOREA TO THE AGGRESSORS WILL MEAN AVOWING CONTINUATION OF AGGRESSION ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD."

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SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (150)

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG 16-(AP)-RED TROOPS WITH TANKS BURST OUT ON THE NAKTONG DEFENSE LINE TODAY BELOW CHANGNYONG AND SURGED TO POINTS SEVEN MILES EAST OF THE RIVER.

THEY OVERRAN SEGMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION IN BITTER FIGHTING THAT PILED UP CASUALTIES ON BOTH SIDES.

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BITTER FIGHTING THAT PILED UP CASUALTIES ON BOTH SIDES.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO EARLY WEDNESDAY ANNOUNCED HIS USUAL MORNING REPORT WOULD BE OMITTED BECAUSE THERE HAD BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE SOUTH KOREAN SITUATION. THE HEADQUARTERS WAR SUMMARIES USUALLY ARE HOURS BEHIND FIELD DISPATCHES.

ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, HOWEVER, FIELD DISPATCHES TOLD OF THE CAPTURE OF "LITTLE CASSINO" A ROCKY HEIGHT, BY NEGRO INFANTRYMEN OF THE TWENTY-FIFTH DIVISION'S 24TH REGIMENT, AFTER A THREE DAY BATTLE.

ALTHOUGH THE POSITION WAS TAKEN WITHOUT A CASUALTY, THE AMERICANS ABANDONED THE HEIGHTS A SHORT TIME LATER AFTER LITTLE CASSINO WAS PLACED UNDER MORTAR FIRE BY ANOTHER AMERICAN UNIT WHICH WAS UNAWARE THAT 24TH INFANTRY HAD CAPTURED IT.

NORTH KOREAN TROOPS SLIPPED BACK TO THE SPOT AFTER THE AMERICAN WITHDRAWAL, REPORTED AP CORRESPONDENT STANLEY SWINTON.

THE LITTLE CASSINO ACTION WAS WEST OF HAMAN, ABOUT 20 MILES NORTHEAST OF CHINJU.

THE ALLIED RESISTANCE TO THE COMMUNISTS HAD SLOWED THE RED WAR TIMETABLE. NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS SAID THE SCHEDULE CALLED FOR CAPTURE OF TAEGU, SOUTH KOREA'S EMERGENCY CAPITAL, ON TUESDAY, FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF V-J DAY AND OF KOREA'S LIBERATION FROM JAPAN.

THE CHANGNYONG FIGHTING WAS BLOODY BUT INDECISIVE.

THIRTY MILES NORTHWARD ALONG THE SNAKING RIVER U.S. AND RED TROOPS WERE REPORTED THROWING EVERYTHING AT EACH OTHER BUT NOT GETTING ANYWHERE.

A FIELD DISPATCH SAID THE REDS SURGED SIX OR SEVEN MILES EAST OF THE NAKTONG ON THEIR DEEPEST PENETRATION IN THE CHANGNYANG SECTOR.

THE RED GAIN WAS CONSIDERED SERIOUS BUT AN AMERICAN DIVISIONAL STAFF OFFICER SAID:

"WE ARE STILL CONFIDENT WE CAN PUSH THE GOOKS BACK ACROSS THE RIVER BUT IT MAY TAKE TIME."

ONE RED BATTALION FOUGHT DESPERATELY TO LINK UP WITH GUERRILLAS BEHIND THE AMERICANS.

8A RUSSIAN-MADE YAK PLANE, ON THE FIRST NORTH KOREAN COMBAT MISSION IN DAYS, DROPPED TWO 500 POUND BOMBS ON MASAN, SOUTHERN PORT, AND STRAFED THE IMPORTANT COMMUNICATIONS CENTER TO THE REAR OF U.S. LINES.

FRONTLINE REPORTS SAID THE REDS AT CHANGNYONG, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, RUBBED OUT MOST OF THE GAINS MADE BY THE HARD FIGHTING 24TH DIVISION MONDAY.

TAEGU IS THE SOUTH REPUBLIC'S EMERGENCY CAPITAL AND OBJECTIVE OF 60,000 REDS POISED IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

RED TANKS AND ARMORED CARS HIT HARD IN THE WAEGWAN AREA. THEY AVAILED THEMSELVES OF A RUSSIAN-STYLE SUBMERGED SUSPENSION BRIDGE TO MOVE A REGIMENT, ABOUT 3,000 MEN, AND TANKS OVER THE RIVER AGAINST SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS. SUCH BRIDGES ARE BUILT JUST BELOW THE WATER'S SURFACE TO HIDE THEM FROM OBSERVER DETECTION AND ARE CAPABLE OF SUPPORTING ARMORED RIVER-CROSSINGS.

A U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT 9:05 P.M. TUESDAY (6:05 A.M., EST) SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS SUCCESSFULLY COUNTERATTACKED THE RIVER-CROSSERS NEAR WAEGWAN AND FOUND THAT ALLIED AIR SUPPORT PRESUMABLY HAD KNOCKED OUT RED ARMORED CARS.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS WERE UNABLE TO LEARN WHETHER THE WAEGWAN CROSSING WAS THE BEGINNING OF THE EXPECTED SMASH BY 60,000 COMMUNIST TROOPS MASSED THERE OR WHETHER THE REDS WERE FEELING SOUTH KOREAN LINES FOR A WEAK SPOT.

AS THE CRITICAL RIVER FRONT BATTLE IN THE CENTER SHAPED UP, GALLANT U.S. NEGRO FOOT SOLDIERS STORMED THE "LITTLE CASSINO" REDOUBT SEVEN MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN. MASAN IS A SOUTH COAST PORT 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, NO. 1 U.S. SUPPLY BASE ON THE SOUTHEAST TIP OF THE PENINSULA.

THE FIGHT WENT INTO HAND-TO-HAND COMBAT WITH BAYONETS AND RIFLE STOCKS USED AS CLUBS. THE NEGROES, CAPTURING THE CRAGGY HEIGHTS, FREED SOME 200 WOUNDED U.S. ARTILLERYMEN WHO HAD BEEN PINNED DOWN BY THE COMMUNISTS IN LAST WEEK'S WESTWARD DRIVE TO CHINJU BY MARINES AND ARMY INFANTRYMEN.

IN THE NORTHEAST AMERICAN TROOPS CAPTURED YUKTONG, NINE MILES WEST OF POHANG AIR BASE ON THE SEA OF JAPAN COAST.

SOUTH KOREA'S CAPITOL DIVISION SMASHED DOWN FROM THE NORTH AND TOOK THE TOWN OF IMAM NEARBY. COMBINED ALLIED FORCES MOVED TO WITHIN HALF A MILE OF POHANG, SECOND MOST IMPORTANT PORT ON THE EAST COAST UNTIL THE COMMUNISTS OVERRAN IT LAST WEEK.

BUT THE HARDEST FIGHTING TUESDAY NIGHT WAS CENTERED BELOW CHANGNYONG THERE 12,000 REDS WERE TRYING TO BREAK OUT FROM A NARROW BRIDGEHEAD, BOUGHT AT A HEAVY COST IN LIVES. A BREAKTHROUGH THERE WOULD IMPERIL THE TAEGU-PUSAN SUPPLY LINE TO THE EAST.

AMERICANS HELD THEIR GROUND IN THE CENTER AND NORTHERN END OF THE BATTLE FOR THE CHANGNYONG RIDGE. THEY CONCENTRATED ON RETAKING THE SOUTHERN END.

AP CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED ONE U.S. BATTALION FELL BACK MORE THAN A MILE IN THE DAY-LONG FIGHTING TUESDAY. ONE U.S. COMPANY OF ABOUT 200 MEN WAS FORCED BACK 2,500 YARDS, MACBETH ADDED IN A FIELD DISPATCH.

THE CORRESPONDENT QUOTED A STAFF OFFICER AS SAYING REVERSES ON THE RIDGE WERE NOT MAJOR SETBACKS. ALL COULD BE RETAKEN, THE OFFICER SAID.

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STRONG EVIDENCE THAT STUBBORN ALLIED RESISTANCE HAD JAMMED THE RED WAR TIMETABLE CAME IN A COMMAND FROM NORTH KOREA'S PREMIER, KIM IL SUNG, THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF WHO SENT HIS FORCES TO WAR JUNE 25. KIM ORDERED HIS MEN TO WIPE OUT AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS BY THE END OF AUGUST--WITHIN 16 DAYS.

IN AN ORDER OF THE DAY BROADCAST FROM PYONGYANG, THE NORTHERN CAPITAL, KIM TOLD HIS MEN TO END THE WAR SWIFTLY BECAUSE THE U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSES WOULD GAIN IN STRENGTH IF REDS FAILED TO FORCE A QUICK DECISION.

PRISONERS SAID THE NORTHERNERS HAD SET TUESDAY--THE VJ DAY ANNIVERSARY OF LIBERATION FROM JAPANESE RULE--AS THE DAY FOR THE CAPTURE OF TAEGU.

ALLIED INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS HAD EXPECTED 60,000 TROOPS MASSED IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR TO JUMP OFF IN A DRIVE FOR TAEGU. BUT THE ATTACK DID NOT MATERIALIZE WHEN EXPECTED. HOWEVER, PORTIONS OF THE WAEGWAN REDS MANAGED TO FORCE A CROSSING AT TUKSONG, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

ALLIED INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THE REDS APPARENTLY WERE WAITING FOR A TANK COLUMN TO SPEARHEAD THE WAEGWAN DRIVE TOWARD TAEGU.

FIRST CAVALRY FOOT TROOPERS THERE STOPPED THE REDS AT THE RIVER'S EDGE, KILLING 1,000.

ALONG THE CURLING 140-MILE FRONT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE ASSEMBLED 150,000 TROOPS, A NUMERICALLY FAR SUPERIOR FORCE TO ANYTHING THE ALLIES HAVE TO THROW AGAINST THEM.

CHANGNYONG CONTINUED TO BE THE CENTER OF THE HEAVIEST FIGHTING

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TUESDAY NIGHT. TWO RED COUNTERATTACKS THERE HAD PILED UP CASUALTIES ON BOTH SIDES.

CORRESPONDENT MACBETH SAID GAINS AND LOSSES AT CHANGNYONG WERE MEASURED IN YARDS. HE QUOTED AN AMERICAN STAFF OFFICER AS SAYING TUESDAY'S REVERSES WERE NOT MAJOR SETBACKS AND THAT THE SOUTHERN SECTOR OF THE CHANGNYONG RIDGE WOULD GET SPECIAL ATTENTION FROM U.S. FORCES.

THE BATTLE WHERE THE NEGRO TROOPS TOOK THE "LITTLE CASSINO" STRONG HOLD, SO NAMED BECAUSE OF ITS RESEMBLANCE TO A GERMAN POSITION IN SOUTHERN ITALY DURING THE SECOND WORLD WAR, WAS ONE OF THE HARDEST FOUGHT OF THE SEVEN-WEEKS-OLD KOREAN WAR.

THE AMERICAN NEGROES IN A FRONTAL ASSAULT STORMED THE SLOPES IN THE FACE OF HEAVY COMMUNIST MACHINEGUN AND RIFLE FIRE.

AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON, WITH THE NEGRO TROOPERS, SAID THE BATTLE ENDED IN AN OLD-FASHIONED HAND TO HAND STRUGGLE WITH BAYONETS AND CLUBBED GUNS.

HE SAID THE FINALE WAS SHORT AND SHARP WITH THE REDS FINALLY BREAKING FROM THEIR POSITIONS DUG BENEATH A TEMPLE AND LEAVING THE CRAGGY POSITION TO THE AMERICANS.

CAPTURE OF THE STRONG POINT PUT THE AMERICANS IN A DOMINATING POSITION ON THE HEIGHTS OVERLOOKING HANAM, SEVEN MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN, SOUTH COAST PORT 27 AIR MILES EAST OF PUSAN.

THE 1,000 "LITTLE CASSINO" REDS HAD BEEN BYPASSED WHEN U.S. MARINES AND THE 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION DROVE WEST LAST WEEK TO THE OUTSKIRTS OF CHINJU, 55 MILES EAST OF PUSAN.

THE GALLANT DRIVE BY THE NEGRO TROOPS FREED THE REMAINDER OF A FORCE OF 200 U.S. ARTILLERYMEN WHO HAD BEEN ENCIRCLED BY THE REDS. CORRESPONDENT SWINTON SAID MOST OF THE ARTILLERYMEN WERE WOUNDED. THEY HAD LOST NINE PIECES OF HEAVY ARTILLERY AND 14 TRUCKS.

MUSTANG FIGHTERS BOMBED AND ROCKETED THE REDS TUESDAY AFTERNOON WHILE THEY WERE TRYING TO MOVE THIS EQUIPMENT. PILOTS WHO SWEPT IN AT TREE-TOP LEVEL SAID THEY SMASHED ALL THE TRUCKS AND DESTROYED OR DAMAGED MOST OF THE GUNS.

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PILOTS CONFIRMED REPORTS A COMMUNIST MECHANIZED COLUMN OF MORE THAN 100 VEHICLES WAS MOVING TOWARD CHINJU. MARINES AND PARTS OF THE 25TH DIVISION COMMANDED THE HEIGHTS FOUR MILES SOUTH OF THE RUBBLED CITY.

THE AIRMEN ATTACKED THE COLUMN WHICH, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID, CONTAINED NO TANKS. INTELLIGENCE ESTIMATES WERE THAT THE REDS ARE TRYING TO REINFORCE THEIR BATTERED SIXTH DIVISION AROUND CHINJU TO KEEP AMERICAN MARINE AND ARMY UNITS THERE FROM MOVING NORTH TO COUNTER IMPENDING RED BLOWS AT THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.

ALLIED PLANES AND WARSHIPS SWEPT THE BATTLEFRONTS AND PROWLED NORTHERN KOREA CLOSE TO THE BORDERS OF SIBERIA IN THEIR TRIPLE MISSIONS TO SUPPORT GROUND TROOPS, DESTROY ENEMY INSTALLATIONS AND HAMPER THE MOVEMENT OF COMMUNIST SUPPLIES TO THE FRONT.

AN AMERICAN HEAVY CRUISER DARTED WITHIN LESS THAN 100 MILES OF THE SOVIET-NORTH KOREA BORDER AND SHELLED SHORE INSTALLATIONS IN THE NORTHERNMOST FORAY BY ALLIED WARSHIPS IN THE WAR.

THE FAR EASTERN AIR FORCES ANNOUNCED THE BIG WONSAN REFINERY HAD BEEN KNOCKED OUT BY B-29 RAIDS. IT WAS A MAJOR SOURCE OF FUEL FOR RED TANK COLUMNS. LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, FEAF COMMANDER, SAID THE REFINERY WAS ALMOST TOTALLY DESTROYED.

AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN WARPLANES HAMMERED THE CONCENTRATION OF 60,000 COMMUNISTS NEAR WAEGWAN THROUGHOUT TUESDAY. THEY FLEW MORE THAN 400 SORTIES, DEVOTING 200 OF THEM TO DIRECT SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS LOCKED IN BATTLE.

A NAVY PLANE REPORTED SINKING A 200-TON COMMUNIST VESSEL OFF THE KOREAN WEST COAST. ANOTHER DAMAGED A RED SHIP OFF THE EAST COAST, WEATHERING HEAVY ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE WHICH DAMAGED THE PLANE.

TWO ALLIED AIRCRAFT WERE LOST.

ALLIED INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THERE WERE INDICATIONS THE REDS STILL HAD SOME AIR STRENGTH LEFT ALTHOUGH THERE HAS BEEN LITTLE EVIDENCE OF IT RECENTLY. ONE PILOT FLYING OVER NORTH KOREA REPORTED HIS PLANE WAS PACED BY A NORTH KOREAN FIGHTER--A TRICK THE GERMANS USED IN THE LAST WAR TO TIP ACK-ACK CREWS ON THE SPEED AND HEIGHT OF ALLIED PLANES.

WHILE THE NORTH KOREANS DID NOT CELEBRATE THE KOREAN LIBERATION DAY WITH THE CAPTURE OF TAEGU, THEY MARKED THE DAY WITH CEREMONIES IN PYONGYANG ATTENDED BY HIGH CHINESE COMMUNISTS. AMONG THEM WERE LI LI-SAN, MOSCOW-TRAINED FACTOR IN THE RED CHINA REGIME.

LAST WEEK THE OFFICIAL RED CHINA RADIO AT PEIPING BROADCAST IN THE TIBETAN LANGUAGE THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAD OFFERED TO HELP THE NORTH KOREANS IN THE BATTLE FOR THE PENINSULA BUT SAID THE OFFER HAD BEEN DECLINED AS NOT NEEDED.

POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS OF THE RED CHINESE VISIT TO PYONGYANG WERE NOT CLEAR. SOME TOKYO SOURCES SAID IT COULD SIGNAL A MOVE TO OBTAIN CLOSER SUPPORT FROM THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS NOW.

IN THE SOUTH KOREAN PROVISIONAL CAPITAL AT TAEGU, PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE OBSERVED THE FIFTH VJ ANNIVERSARY OF THE FREEING OF KOREA FROM JAPANESE RULE BY SAYING:

"THE WORLD KNOWS THROUGH BITTER EXPERIENCE THAT SOVIET RUSSIA IS TRYING TO CONQUER THE WORLD BY FORCE. THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD SEES THAT LEAVING KOREA TO THE AGGRESSORS WILL MEAN AVOWING CONTINUATION OF AGGRESSION ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD."

THE 75-YEAR-OLD SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT SAID THAT FOR THE FIRST TIME MORE THAN 50 UNITED NATIONS--OUTSIDE THE RUSSIAN ORBIT--HAVE COMBINED THEIR FORCES AGAINST THIS COMMON ENEMY.

FROM WASHINGTON PRESIDENT TRUMAN TOLD RHEE: "I KNOW THAT THE AGGRESSOR WILL BE REPELLED AND THAT THE PEOPLE OF KOREA WILL ACHIEVE THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE WHICH ARE THEIR NATURAL RIGHT."

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BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,WEDNESDAY,AUG.16-(AP)-A NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST COOPANY HAS OCCUPIED A HILL POSITION ONLY NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. BUT U.S. FIRST CAVALRY TROOPS, DEFENDING THAT SECTOR BEFORE THE KEY AMERICAN BASE, HAS SURROUNDED THE ENEMY.

CONFIRMING THE FIELD REPORT, ARMY OFFICIALS SAID THE REDS REACHED THE POSITION IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR AFTER AN UNOPPOSED CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. FIRST CAVALRY TROOPS THEN MOVED IN AND ENCIRCLED THE COMPANY.

THE RED POSITION IS SOUTHEAST OF WAEGWAN ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE CAVALRY'S LINE. UNOPPOSED CROSSINGS OF THE RIVER HAVE BEEN UNDER WAY IN THAT SECTOR FOR DAYS.

NO NEW PRESSURE WAS REPORTED TODAY AGAINST THE CENTER AND SOUTH OF THE CAVALRY LINE WHICH GENERALLY FOLLOWS THE RIVER SOUTH OF WAEGWAN.

THE RED COMPANY CROSSED THE NAKTONG SUNDAY NIGHT AND MONDAY MORNING AT A POINT ABOUT THREE MILES SOUTH OF WAEGWAN WHERE OTHER CROSSING HAVE BEEN MADE.

CAVALRY TROOPERS IMMEDIATELY SURROUNDED THE NEW GROUP. THE REDS WERE CUT OFF ALL DAY TUESDAY FROM SUPPLIES AND REINFORCEMENTS AND HAVE MADE NO PROGRESSIVE MOVEMENTS SINCE THEN.

THE BUILD UP OF RED FORCES ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG AROUND WAEGWAN CONTINUED. THE COMMUNISTS HAVE BEEN MASSING FORCES FOR DAYS IN THIS AREA.

THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY IT HAD REPULSED A COMMUNIST REGIMENT WHICH STRUCK ACROSS THE NAKTONG ABOUT SEVEN MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN. THE REGIMENT WAS PUSHED BACK IN A FIGHT ENDING LAST THURSDAY MORNING. THIS WAS THE SECOND REGIMENTAL ASSAULT IN THIS AREA WHICH THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION HAS THWARTED.

THE 24TH DIVISION FRONT SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG WAS STATIC UP TO

10 A.M. THIS MORNING (7 P.M. EST, TUESDAY). AFTER TUESDAY'S BITTER FIGHTING, BOTH SIDES APPARENTLY WERE BUILDING UP STRENGTH TO CONTINUE THE BATTLE.
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B9KX (POHANG AHEAD)
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POHANG (700).
BY LEIF ERICKSON
EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG.15-(AP)-THERE WAS TACTICAL BUT NOT STRATEGIC SURPRISE IN THE LOSS OF THE SECONDARY PORT OF POHANG FOUR DAYS AGO.
THE FIFTH AIRFORCE EVACUATED THE NEARBY POHANG AIRSTRIP, BUT THE FIELD ITSELF STILL IS HELD BY AMERICAN GROUND TROOPS.
WAS IT A COMMAND MISTAKE THAT COST--TEMPORARILY AT LEAST--THE USE OF THE ONLY COMPLETELY OPERATIONAL FIGHTER BASE IN KOREA?
ONE CORRESPONDENT-CRITIC SAID IT WAS. HE CALLED IT THE "MOST COSTLY AND TRAGIC BLUNDER" OF THE KOREAN WAR.
BUT U.S.EIGHTH ARMY STAFF OFFICERS SAID POHANG WAS LOST AND THE STRIP CLOSED DOWN BECAUSE THE EIGHTH ARMY THEY DID NOT HAVE ENOUGH FIRE BRIGADES TO PUT OUT ALL THE FIRES ON ITS 120-MILE FRONT LINE.
WHILE THE AIRSTRIP, SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF POHANG, STILL IS IN AMERICAN HANDS, THE SITUATION NORTHWEST OF POHANG IS A LITTLE FLUID. STRONG SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ARE CLOSING FROM THE NORTHWEST AND SOUTHWEST ON THE PENETRATING RED FORCES, WHICH MUST BE HAVING SOME SUPPLY DIFFICULTIES.
AN ESTIMATED 3,000 REDS ARE REPORTED ISOLATED IN POHANG. IT PROBABLY WILL BE SEVERAL DAYS BEFORE THE POHANG PENETRATION SITUATION IS STRAIGHTENED OUT.
WITH ENOUGH "FIRE BRIGADES" TO GO AROUND, IT NEVER WOULD HAVE FLARED UP.
INCIDENTALLY, IF THE 17TH SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENT COULD HAVE STAYED IN POSITION ON THE NORTH END OF THE NAKTONG BRIDGEHEAD SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG, THAT BRIDGEHEAD FORCE MIGHT NOT HAVE GROWN TO THE THREATENING SIZE OF A FULL RED DIVISION ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG.
THE DAYS OF TOO LITTLE AND TOO LATE ARE NOT YET COMPLETELY OVER IN KOREA.
FOR WEEKS THE SITUATION MAPS CARRIED A CIRCLE INDICATING 1,000 OR 2,000 GUERRILLAS IN THE MOUNTAIN SECTOR NORTHWEST OF POHANG.
FOR MORE THAN A WEEK THE MAPS SHOWED TWO RED REGIMENTS COMING DOWN THE VALLEYS INSIDE THE EAST COAST MOUNTAIN RANGE. THEY MOVED THROUGH AN UNDEFENDED GAP BETWEEN ANDONG AND YONGDOK. THAT GAP WAS LEFT TO BE DEFENDED ONLY BY MOUNTAIN TERRAIN BECAUSE IT WAS ESTIMATED THE ENEMY COULD NOT MOVE THROUGH THIS DIFFICULT COUNTRY FAST ENOUGH TO MAKE A THREAT THAT COULD NOT BE MET IN TIME.

THE EIGHTH ARMY KNEW THERE WOULD BE A FIRE TO FIGHT IN THE GAP. ONE OF THE BEST FIRE BRIGADE OUTFITS IN THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND WAS PULLED OUT OF THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU AND STARTED FOR THE ANDONG-YONGDOK GAP. IT WAS YOUNG COL.KIM HI CHE AND HIS 17TH REGIMENT.
HAD KIM'S 17TH PROCEEDED FORTHWITH, IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN IN POSITION TO CHECK THE SUDDEN POHANG THRUST. BUT ANOTHER FIRE ALARM IN THE NORTHWEST DIVERTED THE 17TH TO HELP THE FIGHTING FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION HOLDING AGAINST ONE OF THE STRONGEST RED PRESSURE SECTORS NORTH AND NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN.
THE 17TH NEVER GOT TO ANSWER THE POHANG ALARM. THE POHANG THREAT DEVELOPED SUDDENLY AUG.9 WHEN A RED FORCE WITH TANKS STARTED DRIVING FOR KIGYE, NORTHWEST OF POHANG. THE GREEN SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENT SENT THERE IN PLACE OF THE 17TH HAD A COMPANY OVERRUN AND RETREATED IN DISORDER.
GUERRILLAS WHO HAD FLOATED FOR WEEKS ON THE SITUATION MAP--DOING NOTHING MORE THAN RAIDING VILLAGES FOR FOOD--SUDDENLY BECAME AN ORGANIZED FORCE OF NEARLY REGIMENTAL STRENGTH.
IT WAS A FAST AND HARD-STRIKING FORCE, WITH GOOD INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION.
RED AMBUSH OUTFITS WERE PLANTED ON THE ROAD NORTH FROM KYONGJU TO BREAK UP AND SLOW DOWN AN AMERICAN INFANTRY AND TANK COLUMN DISPATCHED TO DEFEND THE POHANG AIRSTRIP.
THE FIRST FOOT SOLDIERS IN WERE HIT HARD AND MANY OF THEIR VEHICLES WRECKED. THE NEGRO SOLDIERS HAD TO MAKE THEIR WAY OUT BY FOOT THROUGH RICE PADDIES AND OVER HILLS TO REJOIN THE COLUMN.
NEXT DAY, THE U.S.COLUMN CLEANED OUT THE AMBUSH POINT. IT REACHED THE POHANG AIRSTRIP THE NIGHT OF AUG.11, AFTER GETTING LOST A WHILE IN FALLEN AND BURNING POHANG.
THE AMERICAN TANK AND INFANTRY TASK FORCE HAS HELD THE AIRSTRIP SINCE. BUT IT COULDN'T MEET ITS OBJECTIVE--A PERIMETER DEFENSE WHICH WOULD PREVENT RED ARTILLERY FROM SHELLING THE AIRSTRIP. THEREFORE, TO SAVE EXPENSIVE PLANES AND COSTLY BASE EQUIPMENT, MAJ.GEN. EARLE PARTRIDGE OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE ORDERED THE STRIP EVACUATED AUG.13.
IT WAS AN ORDERLY, DELIBERATE EVACUATION WHICH TOOK OUT EVERYTHING INCLUDING THE BOMB DUMP.
THE POHANG PENETRATION SPEEDED UP AN ALREADY PLANNED WITHDRAWAL BY SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ON THE NORTHERN FRONT TO SHORTEN THE KOREAN DEFENSE BOX PERIMETER.
THE SIXTH AND EIGHTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS ON THE NORTHWEST AND CENTER COMPLETED THEIR WITHDRAWALS TUESDAY AS ORDERED.
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BY LEIF ERICKSON
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG.15-(AP)-THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION'S 34TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM TODAY REPULSED AN ATTACK BY 200 NORTH KOREANS IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR.
HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE NO. 42 ALSO REPORTED A SUCCESSFUL COUNTER-ATTACK BY FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ELEMENTS TO THE NORTH. CREWS OF THREE NORTH KOREAN GUNS WERE KILLED AND THE GUNS SEIZED, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.
SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION FORCES SUCCESSFULLY COUNTERATTACKED IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR AFTER AN ARMOR-TIPPED ENEMY REGIMENT STRUCK THEIR POSITIONS. THE SOUTH KOREANS FOUND SOME ARMORED CARS KNOCKED OUT, PRESUMABLY BY ALLIED PLANES.
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A174KX (WEST OUT) (130)
BY BILL SHINN
U. S. 8TH AR Y HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 16-(AP)-A SOUTH KOREAN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THE COMMUNISTS IMPRESSED INTO ACTION BOYS AND YOUNG MEN ARMED ONLY WITH FIREC[illegible]

FIREWORKS.
THE PURPOSE, SAID COL. LEE SUN KEUN, WAS TO MAKE NOISE.
LEE SAID BODIES OF PERSONS WHO APPARENTLY HAD BEEN ARMED ONLY WITH THESE DEVICES WERE FOUND TUESDAY IN A BATTLE AREA NEAR THE NAKTONG RIVER AFTER A RED ATTACK WAS DRIVEN BACK.

THE YOUTHS WERE FOUND STATIONED AT STONES WHERE THEY HAMMERED FIREWORKS CAPS TO MAKE NOISE LIKE GUNFIRE.

IDENTITY CARDS FOUND ON THE BODIES SHOWED THEY WERE IMPRESSED INTO THE COMMUNIST ARMY FROM CAPTURED SOUTH KOREAN TOWNS.

LEE SAID THE EVIDENCE POINTED UP TWO THINGS: THE REDS WERE SHORT OF AMMUNITION OR WERE AFRAID OF REVOLT IF THEY ARMED IMPRESSED CAPTIVES.

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AWARDS (330)

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG. 15-(AP)-THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS HAS BEEN AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY TO PVT. JAMES H. JEFFERSON, SON OF MRS. MARY A. JEFFERSON, PLINY, W. VA., FOR EXTRAORDINARY HEROISM IN COMBAT.

THE SAME ORDERS DISCLOSED THAT 24 OTHER ENLISTED MEN AND EIGHT OFFICERS, INCLUDING A CHAPLAIN, HAD BEEN DECORATED.

GENERAL ORDERS ISSUED BY THE 8TH ARMY AND THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION SAID JEFFERSON WAS KILLED IN ACTION NEAR MUNGYONG, 70 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU WHILE VOLUNTARILY COVERING THE WITHDRAWAL OF HIS PLATOON.

SILVER STARS WERE AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY TO THREE ENLISTED MEN FOR GALLANTRY IN ACTION NEAR ~~CHONUI~~ PFC. JACK F. PARKS, WATERTOWN, N.Y.; PFC. JOHN D. EWING, KIRKSVILLE, MO.; PVT. ESTELL C. ALBERTY, HANDLEY, W. VA.

THE THREE, DRIVING AMMUNITION TRUCKS FOR THE 21ST INFANTRY REGIMENT, TRIED TO BREAK THROUGH AN EMEMY ROADBLOCK TO TAKE BADLY NEEDED AMMUNITION TO THEIR COMPANY.

SILVER STARS ALSO WERE AWARDED TO LT. COL. CHARLES B. SMITH, WASHINGTON, D.C.; CAPT. (CHAPLIN) ARTHUR E. MILLS, SANTA ANA, CALIF.; SECOND LT. ROY L. COX, KNOXVILLE, TENN.; PVT. EARL W. DAHNKE, WHOSE FATHER LIVES IN ROSEVILLE, MICH.

OTHER RECIPIENTS OF SILVER STARS: INCLUDED PVT. ABNER HALL, CORTLAND, N.Y.; CPL. CHARLES L. MAINOR, WESCONNETT, FLA.; PFC. MERLIN H. JOHNSON, SPRINGFIELD, MASS.; AND PVT. WALTER D. DUSABLOM, NORTHBRIDGE, MASS.

THE AWARDS WERE MADE FOR HEROIC ACTION IN COMBAT ALL ALONG THE PATH OF WITHDRAWAL OF U.S. FORCES FROM OSAN THROUGH CHONUI, THE KUM RIVER BANK AND TAEJON TO YONGDONG.

BRONZE STARS WERE AWARDED FOR HEROIC SERVICE TO PVT. WILLIAM E. EIREBAUGH, PEORIA, ILL.; PFC. RAYMOND E. FREED, NEWCASTLE, P.; PFC. ALECADER C. HENDERSON, PHILADELPHIA; CPL. GENE GABBARD, NEW YORK; PFC. ROY L. SMITHSON, MORRISION, TENN; PFC. MICHAEL J. GALLIC, PITTSBURGH, PA.; CPL. ROLAND E. MARCH, ANN ARBOR, MICH.; LT. ARTHUR L. SNOW, BROOKSVILLE, FLA.; CAPT. LEROY OSBURN, MADISONVILLE, KY.; MASTER SGT. JOSEPH A. LYVERS, CINCINNATI; SAMUEL EATON (HOMETOWN MISSING).

CAPT. RAYMONDS L. KEPLINGER, JR., WEST VIRGINIA, (HOMETOWN MISSING) WAS AWARDED AN OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR.

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BY STAN SWINTON

U.S. 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, KOREA, AUG. 15-(AP)-SIX NORTH KOREAN GUERRILLAS SLIPPED THROUGH THE LINES OF AMERICAN NEGRO INFANTRY SOLDIERS WITH A BLACK-FACE DODGE.

MAJ. HORACE KONAHO OF (921 WEST 79TH ST., LOS ANGELES) TOLD ABOUT IT. HE SAID A PATROL REPORTED SEEING TWO MEN WEARING AMERICAN UNIFORMS AND WITH FACES AND HANDS BLACKED COMING OUT OF THE HILLS WITH FOUR NORTH KOREANS WHOSE HANDS WERE HELD OVERHEAD. THE GROUP CAME OVER AT A POINT WHERE THERE WERE NO TROOPS.

THE SIX PASSED THROUGH UNCHALLENGED. LATER IT WAS DISCOVERED NO PRISONERS HAD BEEN TURNED IN.

THAT NIGHT A GUERRILLA ATTACK BROKE OUT NEAR THE VILLAGE THE SIX WERE SEEN ENTERING.

SOME DAYS AGO 24TH REGIMENT INFANTRYMEN FOUND TWO DEAD NORTH KOREANS WITH FACES BLACKENED.

BLACKFACE IS A TRICK FIRST USED BY THE GERMANS AGAINST THE NEGRO AMERICAN 92ND DIVISION IN ITALY. IT'S NEW IN THE KOREAN WAR.

NEGRO ARTILLERYMEN MONDAY CAPTURED TWO NORTH KOREAN GUERRILLAS HIDING IN A HUT LESS THAN 100 YARDS FROM AMERICAN GUN POSITIONS.

THESE TWO COMMUNIST INFILTRATORS PROVED TO BE HUNGRY, TERROR-STRICKEN MEN.

"THAT AIN'T SUPERMAN," SAID ONE GI AS CPL. DAVID BROWN, JR., 14 BAYOU ST. HOUSTON, TEX., AND PFC. JOSEPH HOLMES, 2723 PARK AVE., JAMESTOWN, N.Y., ORDERED THE TWO INTO A JEEP. THEY WERE TAKEN TO AN INTERROGATION CENTER.

FEW GUERRILLAS ARE CAPTURED. TOUGH AND DANGEROUS, THEY USUALLY FIGHT TO THE DEATH. ALERT LT. LAVON SMITH, 1314 BOB HARRISON ST., AUSTIN, TEX., CAUGHT THESE TWO AND A WOMAN PARTISAN WHO HAD CONCEALED THEM.

ONE WAS A HALF-STARVED 16-YEAR-OLD BOY SO WEAK HE HARDLY COULD STAND. THE OTHER WAS A BEARDED MAN OF MIDDLE AGE. HE HAD BEEN WOUNDED BY AMERICAN FIGHTING MEN SEVERAL DAYS AGO AND HAD SMEARED TAR OVER BULLET WOUNDS IN HIS CHEST AND LEFT LEG TO STOP THE BLEEDING.

BOTH APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN ISOLATED FROM OTHER GUERRILLA FORCES AND HAD THROWN AWAY THEIR GUNS.

AT THE FRONT THERE WAS NO ONE WHO COULD SPEAK KOREAN. BUT TUESDAY NIGHT KOREAN INTERPRETERS HOPE TO LEARN MORE FROM THEM ABOUT THE GUERRILLAS.

AMERICAN OFFICERS SAID THIS PAIR WAS NOT TYPICAL BUT THEIR CONDITION SHOWED THAT SOME RED PARTISAN FIGHTERS ARE SUFFERING SEVERELY FROM LACK OF FOOD AND MEDICAL ATTENTION.

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BULLETIN

WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG.16-(AP)-COMMUNIST FORCES HAVE PUSHED A NEW BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER ABOUT 12 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

AN ESTIMATED THREE BATTALIONS--ABOUT 1500 MEN--ARE IN THE NEW BRIDGEHEAD WHICH CARRIES ANOTHER THREAT TO THE CENTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS' NAKTONG RIVER FRONT.

THE NEW BRIDGEHEAD IS IN THE VICINITY OF HYONPUNG. IT IS ABOUT FIVE MILES SOUTH OF TUKSONG WHERE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPS HAVE BEEN FIGHTING VICIOUSLY AGAINST OTHER RED CROSSINGS.

THE NEW BRIDGEHEAD IS ABOUT 15 MILES NORTH OF THE 24TH DIVISION'S RIGHT FLANK.

THE REDS FIRST CROSSED THE NAKTONG IN THE HYONPUNG AREA MONDAY NIGHT. THE BRIDGEHEAD NOW HAS BEEN BUILT UP TO ABOUT THREE BATTALIONS.

AMERICAN COMMANDERS ESTIMATED AT LEAST ONE RED DIVISION AND POSSIBLY TWO ARE ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG IN THAT SECTOR. THE RECENTLY IDENTIFIED TENTH DIVISION HAS BEEN SPOTTED THERE.

MAJ. GEN. JOHN H. CHURCH, COMMANDER OF THE 24TH, SAID THIS NEW THREAT HAD BEEN CONFIRMED BY PRISONERS OF WAR AND AERIAL OBSERVATION. HE SAID IT IS BEING WATCHED CLOSELY.

GENERAL CHURCH TOLD REPORTERS THE ENEMY COULD EITHER SWING SOUTHWARD FROM THE HYONPUNG BRIDGEHEAD TO AID RED TROOPS FIGHTING IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD OR TURN NORTH TOWARD TAEGU, THE PROVISIONAL SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

THE 24TH MET STRONG RESISTANCE TUESDAY ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD.

GENERALCHURCH REPORTED THE REDS COUNTERATTACKED STRONGLY WITH TANKS AND SELF-PROPELLED ARTILLERY TO CHECK THE AMERICANS IN THEIR FIGHT TO REDUCE THAT BRIDGEHEAD.

THE AMERICANS KNOCKED OUT ONE TANK WITH A 3.5-INCH ROCKET. ANOTHER RED TANK WAS REPORTED KNOCKED OUT BY AIR STRIKES.

GENERAL CHURCH SAID THAT DURING THE LAST WEEK ONE RED BATTALION OF PERHAPS 500 MEN HAD BEEN WIPED OUT AND ANOTHER BADLY MAULED.

THE COMMUNISTS MANAGED TO GET 14 PIECES OF ARTILLERY ACROSS THE RIVER BUT GENERAL CHURCH SAID HE DID NOT KNOW HOW MANY OF THESE HAD BEEN DESTROYED.

THE SOUTHERN BRIDGEHEAD NEAR CHANGNYONG WAS ESTABLISHED 11 DAYS AGO.

THE RIVER WAS SHALLOW AT THE TIME AND THE REDS WERE ABLE TO BUILD A ROADWAY ACROSS THE RIVER 36 HOURS AFTER THE ATTACK STARTED.

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BULLETIN

FIRST LEAD CHANGNYONG

BY JACK MACBETH

WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 15-(AP)-RED KOREAN FORCES TODAY SURGED TO A DEPTH OF SIX OR SEVEN MILES EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR CHANGNYONG.

THE FIGHTING UNDER A BLISTERING SUN WAS INDECISIVE. BOTH SIDES WERE REPORTED TO HAVE SUFFERED SEVERE CASUALTIES.

ONE BATTALION OF NORTH KOREANS CHEWED INTO ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION IN A DESPERATE ATTEMPT TO LINK UP WITH GUERRILLAS WHO HAD INFILTRATED THE AMERICAN LINES.

THE PENETRATION WAS CONSIDERED SERIOUS HOWEVER AN AMERICAN OFFICER SAID: "WE ARE STILL CONFIDENT WE CAN PUSH THE GOOKS BACK ACROSS THE RIVER BUT IT MAY TAKE TIME."

ON THE NORTH FLANK OF THE ACTION, THE KOREAN REDS AND AMERICANS WERE THROWING THE WORKS AT EACH OTHER BUT NEITHER SIDE WAS GETTING ANYWHERE.

THE RED COUNTERATTACK STOPPED AN AMERICAN OFFENSIVE.

ONE AMERICAN BATTALION ON THE SOUTHERN SECTOR FELL BACK MORE THAN A MILE.

THE COMMUNIST DRIVE ALSO ERASED A 2,500-YARD ADVANCE BY ANOTHER AMERICAN UNIT OF COMPANY STRENGTH (PERHAPS 200 MEN).

CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED HEAVY ON BOTH SIDES.

DESPITE GROUND LOSSES IN THE SOUTH, AMERICANS HELD THEIR GROUND IN THE CENTER AND NORTH WHERE THE DEFENSE LINE CONTAINING THE NORTH KOREAN BRIDGEHEAD IS ANCHORED ON THE NAKTONG.

"WE CAN GO AHEAD IN THE CENTER AND NORTH BUT THE SOUTH IS GIVING US TROUBLE," A REGIMENTAL COMMANDER SAID.

THE COMMANDER SAID SPECIAL ATTENTION WOULD BE GIVEN THE SOUTHERN CORNER THROUGH WHICH RED FORCES SLIPPED FOUR DAYS AGO TO THROW ROAD BLOCKS SOUTH AND EAST OF YONGSAN. THESE ROAD BLOCKS LATER WERE ERASED.

THE AMERICAN'S SOUTHERN FLANK HAS NOT BEEN ANCHORED ON THE RIVER.

"WE WENT ALONG OKAY UNTIL LAST MIDNIGHT," THE OFFICER SAID. "THEN THEY REALLY POURED IT ON US."

COL.NED MOORE OF GUTHRIE CENTER, IOWA, COMMANDING ANOTHER REGIMENT, SAID, "THE ENEMY RESISTANCE WAS STIFFER THAN ANYONE EXPECTED IT WOULD BE."

EARLY THIS MORNING ON THE 19TH REGIMENT'S FRONT A RUSSIAN-MADE TANK COULD BE SEEN BURNING. IT WAS ONE OF FOUR WHICH HAD CROSSED THE RIVER BEFORE DAYLIGHT. THE OTHERS WERE TURNED BACK BY BAZOOKA AND ANTITANK FIRE.

GI'S SAID ONE TANK WAS KNOCKED OUT BY BAZOOKAS BUT IT WAS NECESSARY TO SET IT AFIRE AS THE RED CREWMEN KEPT FIRING AFTER IT WAS HIT.

DEAD CREWMEN WERE SPREAD AROUND THEIR BURNING TANK.

COL. MOORE, COMMANDING THE 19TH REGIMENT, SAID: "WE ARE WHITTLING THEM DOWN BUT THEY ARE WHITTLING US DOWN A BIT TOO. BUT EVERYTHING IS GOING TO BE OKAY."

MOORE'S DRIVER, 18-YEAR-OLD BILL GABRIEL, 1500 EGYPT RD., CARLETON, MICH. SAID THE FIGHTING "ISN'T SO BAD BUT I DON'T LIKE THE ARTILLERY FIRE."

AT THIS POINT MOORE SCOFFED AT GABRIEL, "I HAVE A SON JUST HIS (GABRIEL'S) AGE AND I THINK THAT IS WHY HE GUMMED ONTO ME."

THROUGHOUT THE DAY SUPPLY COLUMNS POURED INTO THE FORWARD AREAS UNDER AN ARTILLERY SHIELD. OVERHEAD, U.S. FIGHTERS SCREAMED TOWARD ENEMY TARGETS.

AT ONE CHOW LINE AT THE FRONT, GIS HELD UP BOTTLES OF BEER AND SODA. MORALE SEEMED HIGH BUT THE FACES OF THE MEN WERE GRIM AND TIRED.

THEIR CLOTHES WERE DRENCHED WITH SWEAT.

A HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID NO PROGRESS CAN BE EXPECTED NOW IN VIEW OF THE TORTUOUS TERRAIN WHERE THE BATTLE IS RAGING.

RED STRENGTH IN THE NAKTONG BULGE IS ESTIMATED AT A FULL DIVISION AND HAS BEEN DESCRIBED AS A SERIOUS THREAT.

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LITTLE CASSINO

BY STANLEY SWINTON

WITH 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENT WEST OF HAMAN,AUG.15-(AP)-NEGRO INFANTRYMEN SILENTLY CLIMBED A PRECIPITOUS MOUNTAIN IN THE DEAD OF NIGHT, SLIPPED BEHIND NORTH KOREAN POSITIONS AND WITHOUT A SINGLE CASUALTY EARLY TODAY CAPTURED "LITTLE CASSINO."

IT WAS HIGH GROUND FOR WHICH SCORES OF NEGRO SOLDIERS HAVE FOUGHT BLOODILY DURING THE PAST THREE DAYS.

THEN THE CONFUSION WHICH SO OFTEN MARKS THIS GRIM ASIAN WAR BEGAN.

OTHER AMERICAN TROOPS, NOT AWARE THAT "LITTLE CASSINO" AT LAST WAS OURS, UNLEASHED A MORTAR BARRAGE OF WHITE PHOSPOROUS AND HIGH EXPLOSIVES. ONE NEGRO INFANTRYMAN WAS WOUNDED.

AN ORDERCAME DOWN FROM HIGHER COMMAND TO MOVE DOWN FROM THE PEAK FOR A REDISPOSITION OF POSITIONS. ANGRILY, THE MEN UNDER COMPANY COMMANDER LT.GABRIEL ANSELMO, OF PORTLAND,ORE., WITHDREW.

THREE HOURS LATER NORTH KOREANS WERE OBSERVED BACK AT THE PICTURESQUE BUDDHIST TEMPLE WHOSE LIGHT HAD FLICKERED EERILY DURING THE PREDAWN HOURS A FEW YARDS BELOW THE 24TH INFANTRYMEN'S POSITIONS.

NAVY PLANES CAME IN AND ROCKETED THE TEMPLE.

"LITTLE CASSINO" WAS GIVEN ITS NAME BY A VETERAN OF THE BITTER FIGHT FOR THE ABBEY OF MONTE CASSINO IN ITALY, MAJ.HORACE "LITTLE BUTCH" DONAHO OF LOS ANGELES, A NATIVE OF STEPHENVILLE,TEX., AND A FORMER RESIDENT OF GALVESTON,TEX.

BATTALION COMMANDER LT.COL.GEORGE R.COLE OF CAPE ELIZABETH, PORTLAND,ME., WHO FOUGHT WITH THE 45TH OKLAHOMA DIVISION IN ITALY, AGREED.

IT WAS CASSINO TRANSPLANTED IN MINIATURE TO THE KOREAN MOUNTAINS--A BUDDHIST TEMPLE INSTEAD OF A CATHOLIC ABBEY, BUT THE SAME DEEPDUG ROCK POSITIONS FROM WHICH TOUGH NORTH KOREAN FIGHTING MEN POPPED UP TO CUT DOWN ATTACKING INFANTRY DESPITE RAKINGS BY ARTILLERY AND HIGH EXPLOSIVES, AND THE ROCKETINGS, STRAFINGS AND FLAMING FIRE BOMBS OF THE U.S. AIR FORCE

"WE ATTACKED DAY AFTER DAY WITH HEAVY CASUALTIES BUT THEY WERE TOO DAMN WELL ENTRENCHED, SAID MAJ. E.J.CARSON OF (818 NORTH PITT ST.) QUINCY, ILL.

THEN ANOTHER NEGRO BATTALION WAS CALLED IN.

IT JUMPED OFF SUNDAY MORNING, MOVING FORWARD OVER THE LOWER SLOPES OF TERRACED RICE FIELDS. CLOSE TO THEIR OBJECTIVE, THE ENEMY RANKED THEM WITH SMALL ARMS AND AUTOMATIC WEAPONS FIRE.

WITH ONE COMPANY CUT TO PIECES AND OTHERS BADLY HIT, THE BATTALION WAS FORCED BACK.

"I KEEP THINKING OF THE APPENINES," SAID COLE. "THOSE MOUNTAINS ARE ALL ALIKE--ALL TOUGH. BUT THIS IS WORSE THAN ITALY BECAUSE OF THE SCRUBBY LITTLE TREES THE ENEMY CAN HIDE IN."

AT DUSK LAST NIGHT, ANSELMO AND HIS MEN--NEGRO SOLDIERS LIKE SGT. ROGER C. MCCULLUM OF LAUREL, MISS., PVT. CLARENCE DEVER OF LAREDO, TEX., PFC ALLAN HARGRAVE OF (5315 PRAIRIE AVE.) CHICAGO, PVT. JAMES FRANKLIN OF (518 COHN ST.) NASHVILLE, TENN.--MOVED OUT WITH ANOTHER COMPANY IN SUPPORT.

"THEY SLIPPED UP BEHIND IN THE NIGHT WITHOUT THE NORTH KOREANS EVEN KNOWING THEY WERE THERE," SAID LT. FRANCIS THOMPSON OF PRINCE-TON, IND., ARTILLERY LIAISON OFFICER FOR THE ATTACK.

"IN THE DAWN THE ENEMY DISCOVERED THEM AND THREW UP A SMOKE SCREEN. IT MIXED WITH THE SWIRLING FOG."

THEN THE MORTAR BARRAGE BEGAN--AMERICAN MORTAR FIRE, THE MEN SAID.

"YEAH, WE GOT WHITE PHOSPHORUS AND MORTARS THIS MORNING--OUR OWN," SAID SGT. DAVID ROBINSON OF LA GRANGE, N.C. BITTERLY.

AFTER THE MORTARING CAME THE ORDERS TO MOVE DOWN FROM THE TERRAIN WON WITH AMERICAN BLOOD.

HOURS LATER, MAJ. BOWEN CARTER OF (134 NORTH 35TH ST.) OMAHA, NEBR., WHO FOUGHT WITH THE 78TH DIVISION IN EUROPE, REPORTED THAT NAVY AIRMEN HAD BEEN ORDERED IN TO ATTACK THE TEMPLE WHICH HAD BEEN SPEEDILY REOCCUPIED BY THE NORTH KOREANS.

BUT THE BITTER GROUND ATTACK SEEMED TO HAVE HAD SOME PURPOSE.

"WE CHEWED UP PLENTY OF THEM," SAID CARTER.

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WITH U. S. 25TH DIVISION, KOREA, AUG 15-(AP)-NEW NORTH KOREAN ATROCITIES WERE REPORTED TODAY ALONG THE CENTRAL FRONT.

A RECONNAISSANCE UNIT OF THE 25TH DIVISION RECOVERED THE BODIES OF TWO OF ITS MEN WHO HAD BEEN KILLED IN ACTION.

AFTER DEATH, THE NORTH KOREANS EITHER KICKED OR POUNDED THE CORPSES UNTIL THE FACES WERE SMASHED IN AND BONES SHATTERED.

A REPORT WAS MADE TO THE UNITED NATIONS OBSERVER TEAM INVESTIGAT-ING ATROCITIES. THE UNIT IS HEADED BY COL. FRANK WHITE OF MONTREAL, CANADA.

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NAVAL (280)

WITH TASK FORCE 77 OFF KOREA,AUG.13-(DELAYED)-(AP)'THE 13TH WAS A LUCKY DAY FOR CARRIER PLANES OF VICE ADM.ARTHUR DEWEY STRUBLE'S NAVAL TASK FORCE 77.

CARRIER-BORNE SKYRAIDERS, CORSAIRS AND PANTHER JETS KNOCKED OUT MORE THAN 30 COMMUNIST LOCOMOTIVES AND MANY FREIGHT AND TROOP CARS IN THE AREA OF PYONGYANG, CAPITAL OF NORTH KOREA.

FIRST TO HIT THE JACKPOT WAS LT.D.R.HAGOOD, 3249 LUBBOCK AVE., FORT WORTH, TEX. HE AND HIS WINGMEN FOUND SEVEN LOCOMOTIVES WITH STEAM UP IN A YARD NORTH OF KUMCHON. THE EARLY MORNING JET SWEPP SMASHED ALL SEVEN.

LT.ROBERT C.LOGAN, 709 AVENUE G, CORONADO, CALIF., GOT HIS LOCOMO-TIVE WITH AN 11.75-INCH TINY TIM ROCKET. LOGAN SAID: "THE TRAIN HAD JUST CROSSED A BRIDGE NORTH OF PYONGYANG WHEN I LET GO AT THE ENGINE. IT EXPLODED UNDERNEATH ME AND WHEN I TURNED THERE JUST WASN'T ANY ENGINE--NOT EVEN A BIG PIECE."

TINY TIM ROCKETS WERE USED SATURDAY AND SUNDAY FOR THE FIRST TIME BY TASK FORCE 77 AND WERE FOUND TO PACK A PUNCH EQUAL TO A 500-POUND BOMB OR A 12-INCH SHELL.

AT HAEJU, 50 MILES WEST OF KAESONG, 12 TANK CARS WERE STRAFED AND BURNED. NEAR YONTAN MOST OF AN 18 CAR AMMUNITION TRAIN WAS EXPLODED AND SEVEN TROOPS-LADEN COACHES WERE STRAFED.

IN CHINNAMPO HARBOR A LIBERTY-TYPE SHIP WAS ROCKETED AND BURNED AND A GUNBOAT AND TWO OTHER SMALL CRAFT WERE DESTROYED NEARBY. DEPTH CHARGES WERE DROPPED SUCCESSFULLY ON A CHEMICAL AND SMELTING PLANT EAST OF CHINNAMPO.

THE NAVY FLIERS ALSO KNOCKED OUT POWERBOATS, TRUCKS, JEEPS, WARE-HOUSES, POWER STATIONS, FACOTORIES AND BRIDGES--ALL ADDING UP TO A MAJOR REDUCTION OF COMMUNIST WAR POTENTIAL.

OVER PYONGYANG HEAVY AND ACCURATE RADAR CONTROLED ACK-ACK FIRE WAS ENCOUNTERED. HOWEVER, ALL PLANES AND PILOTS RETURNED SAFELY FROM THE 161 SORTIES.

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AERIAL

TOKYO,

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 16-(AP)-NINETY-EIGHT B-29S, IN THE FIRST STRIKE THEY EVER MADE ON ENEMY INFANTRY, TODAY LOOSED ON RED TROOPS MASSED IN SOUTH KOREA THE BIGGEST TROOP CONCENTRATION AERIAL ASSAULT SINCE WORLD WAR II'S NORMANDY INVASION.

THE BIG SUPERFORTRESSES SATURATED AN AREA OF 21 SQUARE MILES IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, FOR TWO HOURS WITH 960 TONS OF 500-POUND BOMBS. BETWEEN FOUR AND SIX DIVISIONS (CORRECT) OF THE RED FORCES BELIEVED MASSED BEFORE TAEGU WERE REPORTED IN THE PATTERN-BOMBED SECTOR.

AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE, IN A PLANE ROCKED AND TOSSED ABOUT BY DETONATIONS ON THE GROUND, SAID HE COULD SEE NEITHER RED TROOPS NOR ARMOR AND THERE WAS NO ANTI-AIRCRAFT OPPOSITION. THE REDS CONSISTENTLY TAKE TO COVER IN THE DAYTIME TO AVOID ALLIED AIR ATTACKS.

FIGHTER PLANES FOLLOWED THE SUPERFORTRESSES WITH INSTRUCTIONS TO GO DOWN TO TREE-TOP LEVEL AND HIT WITH ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUNS "ANYTHING THAT MOVES."

THE AIR BLOW WAS AIMED AT RED CONCENTRATIONS BELIEVED READY TO MAKE AN ALL-OUT ATTACK ON TAEGU, KEY AMERICAN BASE.

...)-ALLIED WARPLANES DESTROYED THREE TANKS AND DAMAGED TWO OTHERS IN 260 GROUND SUPPORT SORTIES FLOWN TUESDAY, A FIFTH AIRFORCE SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED TODAY.

GROUND SUPPORT STRIKES WERE CONCENTRATED IN THE WAEGWAN AREA. IT IS IN THIS SECTOR THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE STRONG TROOP CONCENTRATIONS ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER POINTED AT THE VITAL U.S. SUPPLY CENTER OF TAEGU 12 MILES TO THE SOUTHEAST.

FIGHTER-BOMBERS SWEPT INTO THE POHANG SECTOR ALONG THE EAST COAST AND HIT TEN BUILDINGS HOUSING TROOPS NEAR ANGANR. THREE BOMB HITS WERE MADE ON A SCHOOLHOUSE BELIEVED HOUSING TANKS.

ANGANG IS ON THE SHORTEST ROAD LINE FROM TAEGU THROUGH YONGCHON TO POHANG.

TWO TANKS WERE DESTROYED IN THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR SOUTH OF WAEGWAN. NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN, TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE HIT BY FRAGMENTATION BOMBS DROPPED BY B-26S.

THE LIGHT BOMBERS ALSO FLEW 15 NIGHT INTRUDER STRIKES. TROOP CONVOYS WEST AND NORTH OF CHUNGJU WERE STRAFED AND ANOTHER CONVOY WAS ATTACKED MOVING FROM TAEJON TO KUMCHON.

SEVERAL LIGHTED TOWNS, RANGING NORTHWARD FROM SUNCHON TO SEOUL,

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FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL, WERE BOMBED AT NIGHT.
A TRAIN WAS STRAFED AT MUMCHON.
EARLIER A FAR EAST AIR FORCE ANNOUNCEMENT REPORTED JETS AND MUSTANGS KILLED OR WOUNDED 100 REDS OF A GROUP OF 300 ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.

ON THE WEST BANK, WHERE ABOUT 60,000 COMMUNIST TROOPS ARE POISED FOR A JUMP-OFF, THE FAST-FLYING PLANES BOMBED AND STRAFED 12 RED TANKS AND KNOCKED OUT AT LEAST THREE.
A FLIGHT OF LIGHT BOMBERS SMASHED AT A COMMUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATION IN THE SAME GENERAL AREA WEST OF THE RIVER WITH "EXCELLENT RESULTS," SAID AN AIR FORCE ANNOUNCEMENT.
THE STATEMENT SAID EXCELLENT RESULTS ALSO WERE OBTAINED IN FIGHTER PLANE STRIKES AGAINST A RAILROAD LINE IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, HEART OF THE BIG RED TROOP ASSEMBLY.
ON THE NORTHERN FRONT, FIGHTERS SMASHED AT WAREHOUSES NORTH OF YONGDOK, EAST COAST TOWN WHICH HAS CHANGED HANDS SEVERAL TIMES IN THE FIGHTING. AGAIN THE AIR FORCE REPORTED GOOD RESULTS.
JET AND MUSTANG PILOTS SAID THEY SAW LARGE COMMUNIST CONCENTRATIONS ALONG THE NORTHERN FRONT, DEFENDED BY SOUTH KOREAN FORCES. THEY ATTACKED NINE ENEMY TANKS MOVING TOWARD THE SOUTH KOREAN LINE BUT THE RESULTS WERE NOT OBSERVED.
THE FLIERS SPOTTED NINE PIECES OF HORSE-DRAWN ARTILLERY NEAR KUNWI, 22 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, AND KNOCKED OUT SEVEN. THE PRESENCE OF THE ARTILLERY THERE INDICATED THE REDS HAD ADVANCED ABOUT 13 MILES AGAINST THE SOUTH KOREANS, WHO WERE REPORTED FOUR DAYS AGO HOLDING A LINE THREE MILES NORTH OF UISONG--10 MILES NORTHWEST OF KUNWI.
B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS MADE HIGH AND MEDIUM LEVEL ATTACKS ON RAILROAD BRIDGES NEAR YONGJU AND A HIGHWAY BRIDGE NORTH OF CHONJU WITH GOOD RESULTS. BOTH TOWNS ARE DEEP IN RED-HELD TERRITORY. CHONJU IS WEST OF THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE AREA AND YONGJU IS NORTH.
THE FIRST ENEMY PLANE REPORTED IN THE AIR FOR SOME DAYS--A RUSSIAN-BUILT YAK--STRAFED AND DROPPED TWO 500-POUND BOMBS ON THE SOUTH COAST PORT OF MASAN NEAR THE SOUTHERN BATTLELINE. TOTAL CASUALTY--ONE PIG.
ANOTHER TOTAL CASUALTY WAS THE HUGE NORTH KOREAN OIL REFINERY AT WONSAN ON THE EAST COAST.
LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, FAR EAST AIR FORCES COMMANDER, SAID THE REFINERY WAS "ALMOST COMPLETELY DESTROYED" BY B-29 ATTACKS. IT IS "COMPLETELY INOPERATIVE," HE SAID, AND NO LONGER A STRATEGIC TARGET FOR THE BIG BOMBERS.
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SECOND LEAD AERIAL (220)
TOKYO, AUG 15-(AP)-AMERICAN FIGHTER PLANES MACHINEGUNNED A GROUP OF 300 NORTH KOREAN REDS EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR TODAY AND KILLED OR WOUNDED 100.
AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN AT AMERICAN EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID THE PLANES ALSO DESTROYED THREE OF 12 ENEMY TANKS LOCATED WEST OF THE NAKTONG IN THE SAME AREA.
THE AIR FORCE FLEW 230 SORTIES TODAY DESPITE UNFAVORABLE WEATHER, THE SPOKESMAN SAID. THE ATTACKS WERE CONCENTRATED NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN ON THE CENTRAL FRONT WHERE LARGE RED FORCES WERE BEING ASSEMBLED.
THE RETURNING FLIERS REPORTED INCREASING ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS ALONG THE NORTHERN FRONT, DEFENDED BY SOUTH KOREAN FORCES. THE AIRMEN STRAFED NINE RED TANKS MOVING TOWARD THE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE LINE BUT THE RESULTS OF THE ATTACKS WERE NOT KNOWN.
THE PILOTS ALSO REPORTED THEY KNOCKED OUT SEVEN OF NINE PIECES OF HORSEDRAWN ARTILLERY NEAR KUNWI. 22 MILES NORTH OF THE EMERGENCY SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF TAEGU.
FOUR DAYS AGO THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE REPORTED HOLDING A LINE THREE MILES NORTH OF UISONG.
THE PRESENCE OF ENEMY ARTILLERY NEAR KUNWI INDICATED A SOUTH KOREAN WITHDRAWAL OF ABOUT 13 MILES.
JET AND MUSTANG FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS HAMMERED NORTH KOREAN COMMUNICATION LINES AND SUPPLY DUMPS ALL ALONG THE BATTLEFRONT TUESDAY WITH "EXCELLENT RESULTS."

F-80 SHOOTING STAR JETS STRUCK THE RAIL YARD IN THE WAEGWAN AREA AND WAREHOUSES NORTH OF YONGDOK. B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS PLASTERED BRIDGES IN THE CHONJU AND YONGJU AREAS.
MEANWHILE THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES WROTE OFF THE HUGE WONSAN OIL REFINERY IN NORTH KOREA AS A MAJOR STRATEGIC TARGET FOR B-29 BOMBERS.
LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, FEAF COMMANDER, SAID PHOTOGRAPHS SHOWED THE EAST COAST REFINERY WAS "ALMOST COMPLETELY DESTROYED" AND "COMPLETELY INOPERATIVE."
IN THE JET ATTACKS, MAJ.JAMES E.HILL, 28, 1020 DUCK ST., STILLWATER, OKLA., LED A FLIGHT OF F-80S AGAINST THE RAIL YARD NORTH OF WAEGWAN.
"WE FOUND 11 BOX CARS IN THE YARD WHICH WE HIT WITH ROCKETS AND OUR MACHINEGUNS," HILL SAID. "TWO OF THEM WE BLEW UP AND WE DAMAGED THE REST." HE REPORTED LIGHT FLAK WAS ENCOUNTERED.
ANOTHER FLIGHT LEADER, LT.ORIN E.MUTTING, 27, 3531 SACRAMENTO ST., EL PASO, TEX., STRAFED SEVERAL WAREHOUSES AND AMMUNITION DUMPS.
THE B-26 INVADERS BLASTED BRIDGES NEAR YONGJU AND CHONJU AND RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE NAKTONG RIVER AREA NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.
A NAVIGATOR WAS INJURED WHEN STRUCK BY SHRAPNEL FROM A BOMB DROPPED BY HIS B-26.
EARLIER, THE FAR EAST BOMBER COMMAND REPORTED THAT THE B-29S IN THE PAST MONTH HAD PLASTERED NORTH KOREAN TARGETS WITH 23,000 BOMBS, 7,000 TONS. DAMAGE FROM THE 7,000 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES RANGED FROM 30 PER CENT TO VIRTUALLY COMPLETE DESTRUCTION.
SUPPORT OF ALLIED GROUND TROOPS CONTINUED A MAJOR TASK OF ALLIED AIRMEN. MORE THAN 400 SORTIES WERE FLOWN MONDAY, INCLUDING 200 IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF THE FOOT SOLDIERS.
INCLUDED IN THE DAY'S BAG WERE EIGHT ENEMY TANKS DESTROYED.
THE LIGHT B-26 BOMBERS FLEW NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS AND SET FIRES IN 15 CITIES. THEIR SWEEPS RANGED FROM SUCHON IN THE SOUTH TO SEOUL, THE ABANDONED SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.
A 200-TON ENEMY VESSEL WAS REPORTED SUNK BY A NAVY PATROL PLANE ON THE KOREA WEST COAST. ANOTHER NAVAL PATROL PLANE ATTACKED AND DAMAGED ANOTHER COMMUNIST SHIP ON THE EAST COAST. THIS SECOND PLANE WAS DAMAGED BY FLAK BUT RETURNED TO ITS BASE.
ONE F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTER WAS SHOT DOWN OVER THE BATTLELINE IN THE WESTERN SECTOR AND ONE B-26 WAS LOST.
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TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,AUG.16-(AP)-BRITISH CARRIER-BASED PLANE TUESDAY ATTACKED AND DAMAGED THREE NORTH KOREAN SHIPS AT THE WEST COAST PORT OF CHINMAMPO, 13 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.
A FAR EAST NAVAL RELEASE IDENTIFIED THE VESSELS AS 2,000-AND 800-TON FREIGHTERS AND A MINESWEEPER.
U.S. MARINE FLYERS, OPERATING FROM CARRIERS, FLEW IN CLOSE SUPPORT OFTGROUND TROOPS AND

LVU.S. MARINE FLYERS, OPERATING FROM CARRIERS, FLEW IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS AND SET UP A ROAD BLOCK THREE MILES SOUTHEAST OF SACHON, A TOWN EIGHT MILES SOUTH OF CHINJU ON THE SOUWHERN FRONT. THE MARINES DROPPED 1,000 POUND BOMBS ON A ROAD AND THE HUGE CRATERS WERE FILLED BY OVERFLOWING WATERS FROM A NEARBY RIVER.

A SIMILAR ROADBLOCK WAS MADE FIVE MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

MARINE FLIERS ALSO DESTROYED FIVE MILITARY WAREHOUSES, AN OIL STORAGE DUMP, A FACTORY AND FOUR HORSEDRAWN ARTILLERY PIECES.

ON THE EAST COAST, NAVAL BLOCKADE FORCES POUNDED VEHICLES ON THE COAST ROAD.

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KOREA-NAVY

WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-A NAVY SHORE PARTY YESTERDAY BLEW UP A RAILROAD TUNNEL ON THE KOREAN EAST COAST ABOUT 40 MILES FROM THE RUSSIAN BORDER.

TELLING OF THE FEAT, DEFENSE SPOKESMEN SAID TODAY THE TUNNEL WAS AT CHONGJIN ON THE MAIN NORTH-SOUTH RAILROAD FROM VLADIVOSTOCK. PRELIMINARY REPORTS SAID THE NAVY LANDING GROUP USED 2,000 POUNDS OF T.N.T. TO BLOCK THE TUNNEL MOUTH.

THIS IS THE SECOND TUNNEL-BLASTING MISSION CARRIED OUT BY THE U.S. NAVY NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL IN KOREA. THE OTHER WAS SOME THREE WEEKS AGO.

NORTH KOREA IS CONNECTED WITH MANCHURIA AND EASTERN SIBERIA BY THREE MAIN RAILROADS.

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BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, AUG. 15-(AP)-THE SHOCK DIVISIONS OF THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY---MORE THAN 60,000 FOREIGN-TRAINED OFFICERS AND MEN---HAVE BEEN CUT NEARLY IN HALF BYCASUALTIES, AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS ESTIMATED TODAY.

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THEY PUT THE FIGURE AT "40 PER CENT AND UP."

TOTAL FIGURES ON COMMUNIST LOSSES HAVE NOT YET BEEN BROUGHT UP TO DATE, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID. OTHER LESSER DIVISIONS GUERRILLAS AND CONSCRIPTS HAVE HAD KILLED AND WOUNDED RUNNING INTO THE THOUSANDS.

BUT THE FLOWER OF THE KOREAN REDS, MORE THAN SIX DIVISIONS, IS KNOWN TO HAVE SUFFERED THE BLOODIEST LOSSES.

THE SIX FOREIGN-TRAINED DIVISIONS WERE THE BATTERING RAMS IN EVERY MAJOR BATTLE SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE FIGHTING IN KOREA.

THEY WERE TRAINED FOR THE ATTACK---AND TRAINED WELL---BY CHINESE COMMUNIST COMMANDERS AND PROBABLY BY RUSSIAN OFFICERS, INTELLIGENCE SAID.

MANY OF THEM WERE BATTLE-TAUGHT THROUGH SERVICE WITH THE CHINESE REDS IN THEIR WARS WITH THE NATIONALISTS. BUT INTELLIGENCE SAID IT HAD NO EVIDENCE THAT ANY WERE IN THE SOVIET ARMIES DURING WORLD WAR II.

AND NO CHINESE OR RUSSIAN OFFICERS HAVE BEEN SEEN, DEAD OR ALIVE, ON THE BATTLEFIELDS IN KOREA. AT THE SAME TIME AMERICAN OFFICERS POINTED OUT THAT-SOVIET TACTICS AND-METHODS-ARE-SEEN-EVERYWHERE. FOR EXAMPLE "PERSUASION FIRE."

THIS IS AN ARTILLERY BARRAGE LAID DOWN BY RED ARTILLERY IN THE REDS' OWN REAR. IT IS DESIGNED TO KEEP RED UNITS FROM BREAKING OR EVEN RETREATING UNDER PRESSURE OF AN ATTACK. IT WAS USED UNHESITATINGLY BY RUSSIAN COMMANDERS ON RUSSIAN INFANTRY IN THE LAST WAR.

IT WAS NOTED IN USE A FEW DAYS AGO IN ONE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER ACTIONS TO KEEP A KOREAN UNIT FROM FALLING BACK. THE REDS WHEN BACK ANYWAY THROUGH THEIR OWN BARRAGE.

THE RECKLESS DISREGARD FOR CASUALTIES IN MEN AND MACHINES LOOKS TO AMERICAN ARMY OBSERVERS LIKE ANOTHER SIGN OF RUSSIAN INFLUENCE ON THE KOREAN PENINSULA.

AND IN THEIR HANDLING OF TANKS AND DEFENSE AGAINST AMERICAN TANKS, THE KOREANS ARE USING METHODS FORCED IN THE FIRE OF THE BATTLEFIELDS OF EUROPE. FOR EXAMPLE, WHEN THEY ENCOUNTER AMERICAN TANKS IN COLUMN, THEY KNOCK OUT THE FIRST AND LAST, SO THAT THE OTHER TANKS, UNABLE TO MOVE IN EITHER DIRECTION, CAN BE PICKED OFF AT LEISURE.

THE GERMANS ARE CREDITED WITH DEVISING THAT TRICK AND THEY PROBABLY USED IT AGAINST THE RUSSIANS BEFORE THE SECOND FRONT WAS OPENED.

AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID IT WA WELL KNOWN THAT AMNY KOREANS SERVED IN THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMIES. THE KOREAN COLONY IN MANCHURIA HA A POPULATION OF 1,500,000

IN 1946, AFTER THE 38TH PARALLEL HAD BEEN DROPPED AS A MINIATURE IRON CURTAIN ACROSS THE NORTHERN REACHES OF KOREA, THREE ARMY DIVISIONS WERE ORGANIZED AND PUT INTO TRAINING. THEY WERE DESIGNATED AS THE FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD DIVISIONS.

PROBABLY THESE OUTFITS HAD SOVIET INSTRUCTORS, INTELLIGENCE SAID.

THE FIFTH AND SIXTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS WERE COMPOSED OF TOUGH, COMBAT-EXPERIENCED OFFICERS AND MEN WHO FOUGHT WITH THE CHINESE REDS. THE FOURTH WAS FORMED FROM A BORDER BRIGADE, AMERICAN REPORTS SHOW.

ALL WERE EQUIPPED WITH RUSSIAN T-34 TANKS, RUSSIAN HEAVY MORTARS AND RUSSIAN SELF-PROPELLED GUNS. THE STANDARD WEAPON OF SOVIET INFANTRY UNITS, THE "GREASE GUN," A SUBMACHINEGUN, WAS ISSUED IN LARGE QUANTITIES TO THE SIX ELITE DIVISIONS.

ALL SIX WERE TRAINED WITH DEADLY EFFICIENCY.

AMERICAN OFFICERS FRANKLY EXPRESS ADMIRATION FOR THE BRAVERY, RESOURCEFULNESS AND TACTICAL EXCELLENCE OF THE REDS' CRACK DIVISIONS.

THE COMMUNIST DIVISIONS---WHEN THEY HAD THEIR ORIGINAL COMPLEMENT OF OFFICERS AND MEN---WOULD COMPARE FAVORABLY WITH ANY TROOPS IN THE WORLD, AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID.

THEY HAD THE ADVANTAGE OF BEING TRAINED FOR THE SPECIFIC JOB IN KOREA---A JOB THEY ARE TRYING NOW TO FINIISH. THIS WAR, FOR THE REDS, IS LIKE A SINGLE OPERATION IN THE SENSE THAT THEY KNOW EVERY INCH OF THE TERRAIN, THE NATURAL DEFENSES AND WHERE SUCH DEFENSES COULD BEST BE BREACHED. THEIRS IS NOT AN ALL-PURPOSE ARMY. IT WAS DESIGNED FOR A VERY PARTICULAR JOB.

IT IS BACKED UP BY GUERRILLA FORCES WHICH ALSO SHOW EVIDENCE OF BEING ORGANIZED FOR THIS SPECIAL WAR.

THE EFFECTIVE WORK OF THE RUSSIAN GUERRILLAS BEHIND GERMAN LINES IN WORLD WAR II IS WELL KNOWN. THAT MAY BE ANOTHER SIGN OF FOREIGN INFLUENCE.

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OPPOSING ARMIES (200)

TOKYO,AUG.15-(AP)-FIFTEEN COMMUNIST DIVISIONS, WITH A TOTAL STRENGTH OF POSSIBLY 150,000 MEN, HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED IN AND AROUND THE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT.

FOR SECURITY REASONS, THE EXACT NUMBER OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES OPPOSING THEM CANNOT BE STATED.

BUT SO FAR AS IS KNOWN AND CAN BE DISCLOSED, HERE IS THE WAY THE OPPOSING UNITS SHAPE UP ALONG THE FRONT, READING FROM EAST TO WEST TO SOUTH.

YONGDOK SECTOR--NORTH KOREAN 5TH VS. ELEMENTS OF SOUTH KOREAN 5TH.

POHANG AREA--ELEMENTS OF NORTH KOREAN 12TH VS. ELEMENTS OF SOUTH KOREAN 5TH, SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL, AND UNIDENTIFIED U.S. UNITS.

NORTHERN FRONT--NORTH KOREAN 7TH VS. SOUTH KOREAN 8TH AND 6TH.

WESTERN FRONT (FACING WAEGWAN)--NORTH KOREAN 1ST, 2ND, 3RD, 13TH; BACKED ON THEIR FLANKS BY THE 15TH AND 10TH, VS. SOUTH KOREAN 1ST AND U.S. 1ST CAVALRY.

CHANGNYONG SECTOR--NORTH KOREAN 4TH VS. U.S. 24TH.

CHINJU SECTOR--REMNANTS OF NORTH KOREAN 6TH (WITH TWO MECHANIZED BATTALIONS EN ROUTE) VS. U.S. 5TH MARINE REGIMENT, 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, FIFTH COMBAT TEAM.

ELSEWHERE--NORTH KOREAN 9TH IS BASED ON TAEJON, 70 MILES NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN; THE 8TH ON ANSONG, 105 MILES NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN. THE 14TH AND 18TH HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED BUT THEIR LOCATION IS UNKNOWN. THE UNITED NATIONS ALSO HAS ADDITIONAL FORCES, BUT THEIR DISPOSITION CANNOT BE GIVEN FOR SECURITY REASONS.

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NIGHT LEAD KIM-THEE (300)

TOKYO, AUG.15-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN TROOPS TODAY FOUGHT UNDER ORDERS TO DRIVE UNITED NATIONS FORCES FROM KOREA BY THE END OF THE MONTH.

THE DIRECTIVE CAME FROM KIM IL SUNG, NORTH KOREAN PREMIER AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE RED ARMY.

IN A SPECIAL MESSAGE ISSUED IN CONNECTION WITH THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE JAPANESE SURRENDER---AN EVENT WHICH SET THE STAGE FOR THE SPLIT BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA---THE COMMUNIST OFFICIAL ASSERTED:

"THE LONGER THIS IS DELAYED THE STRONGER WILL BECOME THE U. S. AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSES."

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THEN HE ORDERED HIS TROOPS "TO DRIVE THE UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES FROM KOREA BY THE END OF AUGUST."

THE SO-CALLED "LIBERATION DAY" ALSO WAS MARKED BY THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA. PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE, IN THE EMERGENCY CAPITAL OF TAEGU, ISSUED THIS STATEMENT:

"THE WORLD KNOWS THROUGH BITTER EXPERIENCE THAT SOVIET RUSSIA IS TRYING TO CONQUER THE WORLD BY FORCE. THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD SEES THAT LEAVING KOREA TO THE AGGRESSORS WILL MEAN AVOWING CONTINUATION OF AGGRESSION ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD."

THE COMMUNISTS MADE A GREAT TO-DO ABOUT "LIBERATION DAY" AND WERE JOINED IN THE OBSERVANCE BY TOP-RANKING CHINESE REDS. THE NORTH KOREANS REPORTEDLY HAD SET AUG. 15 AS THE DATE THEY WOULD TAKE TAEGU.

THE CHINESE INCLUDED LI LI-SAN, KNOWN AS THE "FIREBAND" OF THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT IN HIS COUNTRY, AND KUO MO-JO. BOTH ARE VICE PREMIERS OF THE RED PEIPING GOVERNEMNT.

SPEECHES MADE WHEN THE CHINESE DELEGATION ARRIVED IN NORTH KOREA, THE COMMUNIST PYONGYANG RADIO SAID, STRESSED THE COMRADESHIP BETWEEN NORTH KOREA AND CHINA.

THIS COULD POINT TOWARD POSSIBLE PHYSICAL ASSISTANCE BY THE CHINESE REDS BUT UP TO NOW THERE HAS BEEN NO INDICATION OF ANY CHINESE FIGHTING ALONG WITH THE NORTH KOREANS. THE CHINESE RADIO LAST WEEK SAID, HOWEVER, THAT RED CHINA HAD OFFERED TO SEND TROOPS TO AID THE NORTH KOREANS.

HONG KONG REPORTS, MEANTIME, SAID MAO TZETUNG AND CHOU EN-LAI, CHINA'S TWO TOP COMMUNISTS, HAD SENT PERSONAL MESSAGES TO KIM ON WHAT THE REDS CALLED THE "RIGHTEOUS WAR AGAINST AMERICAN IMPERIALISTIC AGGRESSION."

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FIRST LEAD KIM-RHEE (ETPL

TOKYO, AUG. 15-(AP)-OUTNUMBERED ALLIED FORCES APPARENTLY HAVE JAMMED THE NORTH KOREAN TIMETABLE FOR THROWING AMERICAN-UNITED NATIONS FORCES OFF THE KOREAN PENINSULA.

THE NEW RED DEADLINE FOR COMPLETION OF THE COMMUNIST CONQUESTS IN THE SOUTH IS SEPT 1. IT WAS OFFICIALLY SET BY THE NORTH KOREAN PREMIER AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

SINCE LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER'S NO-RETREAT ORDER, ALLIED TROOPS HAVE YIELDED GROUND GRUDGINGLY, AND AT A HEAVY COST TO RED TROOPS.

TWO LIMITED AMERICAN COUNTEROFFENSIVES, UNLEASHED IN LITTLE MORE THAN A WEEK AT MORE THAN DIVISION STRENGTH, OBVIOUSLY HAVE THROWN THE COMMUNISTS OFF BALANCE.

NORTH KOREAN BROADCASTS OF THE PAST FEW DAYS HAVE COMPLAINED OF "STRONG (ALLIED) DEFENSE POSITIONS" NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THIS IS THE HIGHWAY AND RAIL CITY IN THE CORRIDOR LEADING STRAIGHT TO PUSAN, THE END OF THE ALLIED LINE 55 AIRMILES TO THE SOUTHEAST.

NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS IN AMERICAN HANDS SAID THEY HAD BEEN ORDERED TO TAKE TAEGU ON TUESDAY, THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF KOREAN LIBERATION FROM JAPAN ON V-J DAY.

TAEGU STILL STANDS AS THE PROVISIONAL SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

NEAR WAEGWAN, 12 MILES TO THE NORTHWEST, THE KOREANS HAVE MASSED 60,000 TROOPS ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. THE REDS HAVE THROWN PROBING FORCES ACROSS THE RIVER, WITH DISASTROUS RESULTS. THEY FOUND FEW IF ANY SOFT SPOTS.

TWO DIVERSIONARY NORTH KOREAN ATTACKS ON THE FLANKS--ONE EAST OF THE NAKTONG IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR SOUTH OF TAEGU AND THE OTHER AT POHANG, EAST COAST PORT ON THE SEA OF JAPAN--ALSO FAILED TO SOFTEN THE ALLIED CENTER.

THERE WERE INDICATIONS THE KOREAN COMMUNIST LEADERS WERE FOR THE FIRST TIME OPENLY WORRIED OVER THE OUTCOME OF THE WAR THEY STARTED JUNE 25 WITH AN INVASION ACROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL.

KIM IL SUNG, RED PREMIER AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, TOLD HIS FORCES TUESDAY THEY MUST THROW U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS OUT OF KOREA IN THE NEXT 16 DAYS--BY THE END OF AUGUST--OR FACE A MUCH HARDER TASK BECAUSE OF THE PROGRESSING ALLIED BUILDUP.

A 22-MAN RED CHINA MISSION LEAD BY SUCH POTENTATES AS MOSCOW-TRAINED LI LI-SAN AND KUO MO-JO, VICE PREMIERS, ARE VISITING THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL, PYONGYANG. ONLY A WEEK AGO THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO AT PEIPING SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAD TURNED DOWN THEIR OFFER OF MILITARY AID AS NOT NEEDED AT THE TIME.

(THE CHINESE COMMUNIST PEIPING RADIO, IN A BROADCAST HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO, SAID THE DELEGATION WENT TO KOREA TO TAKE PART IN THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY VJ-DAY CELEBRATION OF LIBERATION FROM THE JAPANESE. IT ADDED:

(VICE PREMIER KUO, LEADER OF THE DELEGATION, SAID ON LEAVING PEIPING: "WE WILL CONVEY TO THE KOREAN PEOPLE THE IRON WILL OF OUR CHINESE PEOPLE: WE ARE DETERMINED TO LIBERATE TAIWAN (FORMOSA) AND . . . TO SUPPORT THE JUST WAR OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE AND THE REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENTS OF ALL ASIAN PEOPLE. . . ."

(A SPOKESMAN FOR CHINESE OFFICIALS SEEING THE DELEGATION OFF AT THE PEIPING RAIL STATION SAID: "TELL THEM (THE NORTH KOREANS) THAT THE 500,000,000 (M) PEOPLE OF CHINA ARE STANDING SQUARELY BEHIND THEM IN THE FIGHT FOR OUR COMMON VICTORY).

POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS OF THE RED CHINESE VISIT TO RED KOREA WERE NOT CLEAR. SOME QUARTERS IN TOKYO SAID IT COULD SIGNAL A MOVE TO OBTAIN CLOSER SUPPORT FROM THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS NOW.

PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE OF SOUTH KOREA, OBSERVING THE REPUBLIC'S SECOND ANNIVERSARY, SAID AT TAEUG, HIS EMERGENCY CAPITOL:

"THE WORLD KNOWS THROUGH BITTER EXPERIENCE. . . THAT SOVIET RUSSIA IS TRYING TO CONQUER THE WORLD BY FORCE. THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD SEES THAT LEAVING KOREA TO THE AGGRESSORS WILL MEAN AVOWING CONTINUATION OF AGGRESSION ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD."

FOR THE FIRST TIME, RHEE SAID, MORE THAN 50 NATIONS HAVE UNITED THEIR FORCES IN KOREA AGAINST "THIS COMMON ENEMY."

FROM WASHINGTON, PRESIDENT TRUMAN MESSAGED RHEE: "I KNOW THAT THE AGGRESSOR WILL BE REPELLED AND THAT THE PEOPLE OF KOREA WILL ACHIEVE THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE WHICH ARE THEIR NATURAL RIGHT."

THE NORTH KOREAN PREMIER, KIM, ADDED IN HIS ORDER OF THE DAY TO HIS TROOPS:

"THE LONGER THIS [redacted] (DRIVE) IS DELAYED, THE STRONGER WILL BECOME THE U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSES."

KIM'S ORDER WAS BROADCAST BY THE PYONGYANG RADIO. IT WAS HEARD IN TOKYO.

THE RED BROADCAST OPENED WITH THE NAMING OF EIGHT SOUTH KOREAN LEADERS AS "TRAITORS". THE RADIO SAID THEY WOULD BE TRIED IF CAUGHT.

INCLUDED IN THE LIST WERE RHEE, SIHN SUNG MO, ACTING PREMIER AND DEFENSE MINISTER; LEE BUM SUK, FORMER PREMIER, AND P.H. SHINICKY, PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.

CY232APD

A161KX

WEST OUT

WITH U.S. FORCES IN KOREA, AUG. 15-(AP)-FOR 18 MONTHS "UNTIL THE TOWN WAS COMING OUT OF MY EARS," CAPT. WALT MCMINNY OF KENNETT, MO., WAS STATIONED WITH AMERICAN OCCUPATION FORCES IN MASAN.

THEN AFTER HOME LEAVE, MCMINNEY WAS SENT TO JAPAN. THE KOREAN WAR ERUPTED AND HE WAS RUSHED TO KOREA.

HIS ASSIGNMENT--MASAN.

XA932ACS NM

A152FX

KOREAN FRONT, AUG 15-(AP)-SOUTH KOREANS FLEW THEIR NATIONAL FLAG EVERYWHERE ALONG THE FRONT LINE VILLAGES TODAY TO CELEBRATE THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF KOREA'S LIBERATION FROM THE JAPANESE.

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B91KX

SOUTH KOREAN FRONT, AUG15-(AP)-FOUR AMERICAN AND BRITISH CORRESPONDENTS AND THEIR DRIVER ESCAPED INJURY TODAY WHEN THEIR JEEP SMASHED INTO A HOUSE AFTER ITS STEERING SHAFT BROKE. THEY ARE:

PERCY WOOD, CHICAGO TRIBUNE; ALAN HUMPHREYS, LONDON DAILY MAIL; WILLIAM COURTENAY, KEMSLEY NEWSPAPERS OF BRITAIN; STAN SWINTON, ASSOCIATED PRESS, AND DRIVER PFC. VERNON HAYDEN, PORTSM

WILLIAM COURTENAY, KEMSLEY NEWSPAPERS OF BRITAIN; STAN SWINTON, ASSOCIATED PRESS, AND DRIVER PFC. VERNON HAYDEN, PORTSMOUTH, VA.

JH1107ACS NM

A82FX

WITH U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 15-(AP)-CPL. JAMES MOORE OF PLEASANT CITY, OHIO, COULDN'T FIND HIS HELMET WHEN ORDERED INTO BATTLE LAST NIGHT AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN REDS.

HE GRABBED ANOTHER. ITS HEAD-GRIPPING LINER DIDN'T FIT WELL.

AFTER A NIGHT OF BITTER FIGHTING, MOORE LOOKED AROUND FOR A REPLACEMENT. HE FOUND ONE--BUT THE HELMET HAD HOLES IN THE FRONT AND BACK WHERE A BULLET HAD KILLED THE GI WEARING IT.

MOORE LOOKED INSIDE. THE NAME READ: "CORPORAL JAMES MOORE." IT WAS HIS.

LW427APD

A133KX

TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 16-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN OFFICIALS TODAY MADE THEIR FIRST MENTION OF THE "FRIENDLY SUPPORT OF THE SOVIET ARMY" IN THEIR BATTLE FOR SOUTH KOREA.

THE PHRASE WAS CONTAINED IN A TELEGRAM SENT BY PAK HYUN YONG, NORTH KOREAN FOREIGN MINISTER, TO RUSSIAN FOREIGN MINISTER, ANDREI VISHINSKY.

THE TELEGRAM WAS IN REPLY TO RUSSIAN CONGRATULATIONS SENT ON KOREAN LIBERATION DAY. IT WAS BROADCAST BY PYONGYANG RADIO AND MONITORED HERE.

"THE FIGHT AGAINST THE AMERICAN AGGRESSORS IS POROCEEDING IN VICTORY WITH FRIENDLY SUPPORT OF THE SOVIET ARMY," SAID PAK.

A MORE RESTRAINED BUT SIMILAR NOTE WAS REPORTED OF AN EXCHANGE OF TELEGRAMS BETWEEN PREMIER STALIN AND KIM IL SUNG, NORTH KOREAN PREMIER.

STALIN'S MESSAGE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING:

"I SEND ARDENT FELICITATIONS TO THE KOREAN PEOPLE GREETING THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR LIBERATION FROM JAPANESE IMPERIALISM. I SEND FRIENDLY GREETINGS TO THE KOREAN PEOPLE AND THE KOREAN PEOPLE'S ARMY HEROICALLY FIGHTING FOR THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE AND THE FATHERLAND."

REPLIED KIM:

"THE KOREAN PEOPLE HAVE NOT FORGOTTEN THE DEEP JOY OF HAVING BEEN LIBERATED BY THE GREAT SOVIET ARMY."

HE SAID THE NORTH KOREANS "WHO DO NOT DESIRE TO BECOME A COLONY OF ANOTHER COUNTRY HAVE RISEN AGAINST THE ARMED INTERVENTION OF THE UNITED STATES IMPERIALISTS AND ARE FIGHTING A WAR OF JUSTICE IN ORDER TO DEFEND THE LIBERTY AND INDEPENDENCE OF THE MOTHERLAND."

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A134FX

RED RADIO (120)

TOKYO,AUG.15-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA RADIO SAID TODAY THE REDS HAD SEIZED KOSONG IN SOUTHERNMOST KOREA SATURDAY.

KOSONG IS ABOUT 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF MASAN AND THE SAME DISTANCE SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU. GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED LAST WEEK THAT U.S. MARINES SEIZED KOSONG AND SWEPT NORTHWEST 12 MILES TO WITHIN THREE MILES OF SACHON.

THE PYONGYANG RED BROADCAST, HEARD HERE, SAID THE REDS KILLED MORE THAN 2,000 TROOPS AND CAPTURED MANY PRISONERS.

IT ALSO CLAIMED SEIZURE OF 13 TANKS, 157 VEHICLES, 12 105-MM. GUNS, NINE 155-MM. GUNS, LARGE QUANTITIES OF AMMUNITION AND OTHER WAR BOOTY.

THE BROADCAST SAID NORTH KOREANS ON OTHER FRONTS WERE RESISTING STRONGLY ATTACKS BY AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS.

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TOKYO, AUG. 15-(AP)-A KOREAN RED "PEACE RALLY" EXPLODED INTO A MASS FIST FIGHT TODAY AND 18 POLICE WERE HOSPITALIZED JAPANESE PRESS REPORTS SAID.

AN ESTIMATED 300 POLICE CLASHED WITH SOME 700 KOREANS AT OKAYAMA, NEAR KOBE. THE RALLY WAS STAGED BY COMMUNIST DOMINATED KOREAN ORGANIZATIONS IN DEFIANCE OF A POLICE BAN AGAINST DEMONSTRATIONS. POLICE TRIED TO BREAK UP THE MEETING.

FIVE PERSONS WERE ARRESTED.

POLICE BROKE UP ANOTHER DEMONSTRATION OF 400 KOREANS IN KOBE MONDAY NIGHT BUT THERE WAS NO VIOLENCE.

THE BAN AGAINST PUBLIC DEMONSTRATIONS BECAME EFFECTIVE SEVERAL MONTHS AGO AFTER AMERICAN GI'S WERE ATTACKED DURING A COMMUNIST STAGED DEMONSTRATION IN TOKYO.

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B32KX (Q)

APW

TOKYO,AUG.15-(AP)-DR.ANUP SINGH, INDIA REPRESENTATIVE ON THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON KOREA, PRESENTED A U.N. FLAG TODAY TO THE 406TH BLOOD BANK IN RECOGNITION OF ITS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE KOREAN WAR.

MAJ.GEN.EDGAR ERSKINE HUME, CHIEF SURGEON OF THE U.N. COMMAND, RECEIVED THE FLAG AT THE TOKYO DISPENSARY. REPRESENTATIVES OF 16 NATIONS ATTENDED.

HUME SAID THE FLAG WOULD BE DISPLAYED "WHERE THOSE WHO COME TO DONATE THEIR BLOOD MAY SEE THE EMBLEM OF THE FREE PEOPLES FOR WHOM THEIR GIFT IS MADE."

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TOKYO, AUG. 15-(AP)-TURKEY'S PROMISED FORCE OF 4,500 MEN TO AID THE UNITED NATIONS IN KOREA SHOULD FIND THE TERRAIN TO THEIR ADVANTAGE, THIS OBSERVATION CAME TODAY FROM A MAN WHO OUGHT TO KNOW---MARINE LT. COL. E. R. HAGENAH OF HERNDON, VA.

UNTIL LAST DECEMBER, HAGENAH FOR TWO YEARS HAD BEEN U. S. ASSISTANT NAVAL ATTACHÉ AND MARINE OFFICER ON THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR'S STAFF IN TURKEY.

"I'M REALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING THE TURKS ARRIVE," HE SAID. "THE TURKISH SOLDIER IS A GOOD, RUGGED FIGHTING MAN WHO WILL ADAPT HIMSELF READILY TO THIS ROUGH TERRAIN AND THE NORTH KOREANS' TACTICS."

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B33KX (Q)

APW

TOKYO,AUG.15-(AP)-THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT HAS RETURNED THE 1,274-TON FREIGHTER JOSEPHINE MOLLER TO THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT AT HONG KONG.

BRIG.GEN.JOHN F.CONKLIN, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S CIVIL PROPERTY CUSTODIAN, SAID THE SHIP WAS SAILED THERE BY A JAPANESE CREW.

IT WAS SUNK OFF HONG KONG IN 1941, REFLOATED BY THE JAPANESE NAVY AND USED AS A CABLE LAYER. THE OCCUPATION USED THE VESSEL AFTER THE WAR FOR CABLE WORK. IT RECENTLY WAS REPAIRED AND REFITTED.

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TOKYO, AUG. 15-(AP)-JAPANESE RUSHED TO APPLY FOR JOBS WITH THE NEWLY-CREATED RESERVE POLICE FORCE. THE NATIONAL RURAL POLICE SAID 109,668 HAD APPLIED FOR THE 75,000 PLACES.

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TOKYO, AUG. 15-(AP)-THE NEWSPAPER YOMIURI SAID TODAY A POLL OF 4,000 RESIDENTS OF LARGE JAPANESE CITIES SHOWED 37 PER CENT FAVOR CREATING A DEFENSE ARMY AND 34 PER CENT OPPOSE IT. THE OTHERS WERE UNDECIDED.

IT ALSO SAID THE JAPANESE ARE UNDECIDED GENERALLY ON THE EFFECT OF THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA.

SUCH POLLS NORMALLY REFLECT JAPANESE SENTIMENT WITH CONSIDERABLE ACCURACY.

LW416APD

A133FX

MASAN,SOUTH KOREA,AUG.15-(AP)-A RUSSIAN-MADE NORTH KOREAN YAK PLANE STRAFED AND DROPPED TWO 500-POUND BOMBS AT THIS COMMUNICATIONS CENTER NEAR THE SOUTHERN BATTLEFRONT TUESDAY.

IT WAS THE FIRST RED AIR ACTIVITY REPORTED IN SOME DAYS.

TOTAL CASUALTIES: ONE PIG.

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TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 16-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT "SOME ENEMY ARMOR" SUCCEEDED IN PENETRATING LINES HELD BY THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION NORTH OF WAEGWAN ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER.

ANOTHER RED EFFORT TO PUNCH THROUGH THE SECTOR HELD BY THE U. S. FIRST CAVALRY WAS THROWN BACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG IN THE VICINITY OF TUKSONG.

THE COMMUNIST TROOPS WERE SUPPORTED BY TANKS AND ARTILLERY.

THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION WAS REPORTED HOLDING GAINS MADE IN A CURRENT DRIVE BUT A HEAVY ENEMY COUNTERATTACK HALTED THE AMERICAN OFFENSIVE.

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EDITORS:

TOKYO--GNEERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED THE CUSTOMARY EARLY MORNING (WEDNESDAY) WAR SUMMARY WOULD NOT BE ISSUED. IT SAID THE SITUATION IN SOUTH KOREA IS UNCHANGED.

A TOKYO SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP IS BEING PREPARED FROM FIELD REPORTS AND WILL BE EXPEDITED UNDER WEDNESDAY DATE.

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TEXT (200)

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG.15-(AP)-TEXT OF HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE NO.42 ISSUED AT 9:05 P.M. (8:05 A.M., EST) TODAY:

THE 34TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM IN THE 24TH DIVISION AREA WAS REPORTED TO HAVE REPULSED AN ATTACK BY 200 NORTH KOREANS.

ELEMENTS OF THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION MADE A SUCCESSFUL COUNTER-ATTACK IN THE NORTHERN PART OF THE SECTOR AND KILLED THE GUN CREWS OF THREE GUNS AND CAPTURED THE WEAPONS.

IN THE AREA OF THE 1ST ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) DIVISION AN ESTIMATED ENEMY REGIMENT SUPPORTED BY TANKS AND ARMORED CARS ATTACKED FRIENDLY (SOUTH KOREAN) FORCES THIS MORNING. AIR STRIKES WERE CALLED FOR. WHEN THE SOUTH KOREANS MADE A SUCCESSFUL COUNTERATTACK THIS AFTERNOON THEY FOUND THAT SOME OF THE ARMORED CARS HAD BEEN KNOCKED OUT PRESUMABLY BY THE AIR STRIKES.

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THE 6TH ROK DIVISION REPORTED A SMALL ATTACK WHICH WAS REPULSED. OTHER ACTION WAS LIMITED TO KEEPING CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY.

IN THE POHANG AREA, THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE CONTAINING THE ENEMY A FEW MILES SOUTH OF KIGYE. THE U.S. FORCES DEFENDING THE AIR STRIP REPORTED A QUIET MORNING. THE ENEMY FORCES IN THAT AREA WERE NOT IN UNIFORM. PATROLS SENT OUT IN ALL DIRECTIONS HAD NOT MADE CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY.

ACTION ON THE REST OF THE FRONT WAS LIMITED TO PATROL ACTIVITY AND THE EXCHANGE OF ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE.

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RIAL TEXT (240)

OKYO, AUG. 15-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 257 (AERIAL)

SSUED AT 8 P.M. TODAY (5 A.M., EST):

U.S. AIR FORCE F-80 JET FIGHTERS AND B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS STRUCK A VARIETY OF TARGETS TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, AS THEY HAMMERED NORTH KOREAN COMMUNICATION LINES AND SUPPLY DUMPS. EXCELLENT RESULTS WERE OBTAINED IN FIGHTER STRIKES AGAINST A MARSHALLING YARD IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, AND WAREHOUSES NORTH OF YONGDOK, WHILE THE LIGHT BOMBERS ATTACKED BRIDGES IN THE CHONJU AND YONGJU AREAS.

MAJ. JAMES E. HILL, 28, OF 1020 DUCK ST., STILLWATER, OKLA., LED A FLIGHT OF F-80S TO A MARSHALLING YARD NORTH OF WAEGWAN. "WE FOUND 11 BOX CARS IN THE YARD WHICH WE HIT WITH ROCKETS AND OUR MACHINE GUNS. TWO OF THEM BLEW UP AND WE DAMAGED THE REST," MAJOR HILL SAID. "WE WERE DRAWING SOME LIGHT FLAK, BUT NONE OF US WAS HIT."

ANOTHER F-80 FLIGHT LEADER, LT. ORIN E. MUTTING, 27 OF 3531 SACRAMENTO ST., EL PASO, TEX., TOOK HIS FLIGHT STRAFING AGAINST A WAREHOUSE, SEVERAL AMMUNITION DUMPS AND A SCHOOLHOUSE BEING USED AS A SUPPLY WAREHOUSE, WITH GOOD RESULTS, LT. MUTTING SAID ON HIS RETURN FROM THE MISSION.

HIGH AND MEDIUM LEVEL ATTACKS WERE LAUNCHED BY B-26 INVADERS ON RAILROAD BRIDGES NEAR YONGJU, AND A HIGHWAY BRIDGE WAS BLASTED NORTH

OF CHONJU. ANOTHER FLIGHT OF THE LIGHT BOMBERS STRUCK A TROOP CONCENTRATION IN THE NAKTONG RIVER AREA, NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS.

NO ENEMY OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED DURING THE DAY BY THE B-26S BUT A NAVIGATOR WAS INJURED IN A LOW LEVEL MISSION WHEN STRUCK BY SHRAPNEL FROM THE BURSTING OF THE BOMBS DROPPED BY THE PLANE AHEAD.

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LONDON, AUG. 15-(AP)-THE EVENING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ARE INFLICTING DEVASTATING BLOWS ON AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS AND CONTINUE THE OFFENSIVE.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ON THE OFFENSIVE ON THE SOUTH COAST, BEATING OFF SEVERAL TANK AND INFANTRY COUNTERATTACKS OF AMERICAN TROOPS AND LINFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES ON THE ENEMY, ON AUG. 12 LIBERATED KOSONG, AN IMPORTANT DEFENSIVE POINT OF THE ENEMY.

IN BATTLES FOR THE LIBERATION OF KOSONG, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY CONSIDERABLE LOSSES IN PERSONNEL.

THE FOLLOWING TROPHIES WERE CAPTURED: NINE 150 MM GUNS, 12 105 MM GUNS, 13 TANKS, 157 MOTORCARS AS WELL AS OTHER ARMS AND MILITARY SUPPLIES.

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LONDON, AUG.15-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:

"ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE BITTER OFFENSIVE BATTLES. SUPPORTING THE OFFENSIVE OF THE UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, PARTISAN UNITS INCREASED THEIR ACTIVITIES IN THE REAR OF THE ENEMY.

"PARTISAN UNITS ACTIVE IN THE KOREN, MIRYANG, CHECHU AND ULSAN AREAS ARE DESTROYING ROADS AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS OF THE ENEMY, INFLICTING HEAVY DAMAGE."

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MILITARY SECURITY (850)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, AUG. 15-(AP)-U. S. ARMY AUTHORITIES HAVE MADE THEIR FIRST ATTEMPT TO DEFINE MILITARY SECURITY FOR NEWS CORRESPONDENTS COVERING THE KOREAN WAR UNDER FREQUENTLY BAFFLING CIRCUMSTANCES.

THE U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HAS ISSUED A NEW LIST OF INSTRUCTIONS FOR CORRESPONDENTS. THE LIST DEALS WITH SEVEN GENERAL SUBJECTS INVOLVING SECURITY. EVEN THESE INSTRUCTIONS, THE ARMY SAYS, WILL NOT COVER EVERY EVENTUALITY.

THE LIST RANGES FROM DISCLOSURE OF THE ARRIVAL OF NEW UNITS BEFORE OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT TO MENTION OF OPERATION PLANS.

"THIS IS NOT AN UNCENSORED WAR ANY MORE THAN THE LAST WAR WAS UNCENSORED," THE EIGHTH ARMY ANNOUNCED IN ISSUING ITS NEW RULES FOR WRITERS AND BROADCASTERS. "THE ONLY DIFFERENCE IS THERE IS NO MILI TARY CENSORSHIP. THE SUPREME COMMANDER EXPECTS THE CORRESPONDENTS TO IMPOSE SELF-CENSORSHIP AND TO REFRAIN FROM PUBLISHING MATTER THAT VIOLATES SECURITY, ENDANGERS OPERATIONS, GIVES AID AND COMFORT TO THE ENEMY AND WEAKENS OUR WAR EFFORT."

AT THE SAME TIME, THE NEW LIST OF INSTRUCTIONS, SUPERSEDING OTHERS ISSUEDIN THE PAST, MAKES ANOTHER ATTEMPT TOTONE DOWN THE IMPLICATIONS OF THE ORIGINAL INJUNCTION THAT CRITICISM OF COMMAND DECISIONS "WOULD NOT BE TOLERATED."

THE EIGHTH ARMY NOW SAYS:

"UNWARRANTED CRITICISM OF COMMAND DECISIONS AND OF THE CONDUCT OF SOLDIERS ON THE BATTLEFIELD ARE FROWNED UPOON AND MAY SUBJECT CORRESPONDENTS TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION."

SINCE THE INSTRUCTIONS WERE ISSUED A FEW DAYS AGO, THERE HAS BEEN ONE NOTABLE CASE WHERE SOME FROWNING WAS DONE, AT LEAST UNOFFICIALLY.

WILLIAM LAWRENCE OF THE NEW YORK TIMES WROTE IN A DISPATCH THAT THE LOSS OF POHANG ON KOREA'S EAST COAST WAS "THE MOST TRAGIC AND COSTLY BLUNDER OF THE WAR."

NO FORMAL ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN AGAINST HIM.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON AT EIGHTH ARMY [redacted] DISPLEASED

HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID IT WAS PLAIN THAT THE STATEMENT DISPLEASED MANY OFFICERS. ERICKSON ALSO SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THE EIGHTH ARMY HAD REFUSED A REQUEST FROM TOKYO HEADQUARTERS OF GENERAL MACARTHUR THAT LAWRENCE BE REMOVED FROM THE THEATER.

THIS LATEST CONTROVERSY AROSE AFTER SEVERAL VERBAL TILTS OVER STORIES ON THE RECENT LANDINGS OF THE U. S. SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION AND THE UNITED STATES MARINES.

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SOME CORRESPONDENTS WERE PUT AT A DISADVANTAGE ON THEESE STORIES, AS THEY HAVE BEEN ON PREVIOUS ONES, BECAUSE THEYWITHHELD IDENTIFICATION OF THE NEW UNITS UNTIL OPPOSITION STORIES CONCERNING THEM WERE IN PRINT.

THE MAJORITY OF CORRESPONDENTS REPEATEDLY HAVE REQUESTED GUIDANCE ON WHAT MILITARY AUTHORITIES ON THE SPOT CONSIDER PRIME SECURITY SUBJECTS.

THERE HAS BEEN CONSIDERABLE DIFFERENCE OF OPINION BETWEEN KEY OFFICERS OF THE KOREAN COMMAND AND THOSE IN TOKYO AS WELL AS BETWEEN GENERAL MACARTHUR'S COMMAND AND WASHINGTON AUTHORITIES.

OF ALL THESE, WASHINGTON HAS BEEN THE MOST LENIENT ON DISCLOSING MATTERS WHICH OFFICIALS HERE CONSIDERED SHOULD BE KEPT SECRET.

THE EIGHTH ARMY HAS BEEN MOST STRICT ON WHAT IS AND WHAT IS NOT A SECURITY MATTER. AT ONE TIME IT DECLINED TO IDENTIFY THE GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION OF ADVANCING ENEMY UNITS, ALTHOUGH TOWN NAMES WERE USED FREELY IN MACARTHUR'S COMMUNIQUES.

AS A RESULT, THE CORRESPONDENTS THEMSELVES WERE CONFUSED.

ARMY OFFICIALS SAID PREVIOUSLY THEY COULD NOT PREPARE EVEN A GENERAL GUIDANCE LIST OF SECURITY ITEMS BECAUSE CONDITIONS CHANGED SO RAPIDLY.

THE EIGHTH ARMY NOW LISTS THIS AS A "HELPFUL" BUT NOT CONCLUSIVE GUIDE ON SECURITY MATTERS:

1. "THE ARRIVAL IN KOREA OF NEW UNITS, THEIR DESTINATION, STRENGTH, COMPOSITION, LOCATION AND POSSIBLE TIME OF EMPLOYMENT SHOULD NOT BE MENTIONED UNTIL RELEASED BY PIO, EUSAK (PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE, EIGHTH U. S. ARMY IIN KOREA)."

2. "THE ARRIVAL AND ASSUMPTION OF COMMAND OF GENERAL OFFICERS SHOULD NOT BE MENTIONED UNTIL ANNOUNCED BY PIO, EUSAK."

3. "NO MENTION SHOULD BE MADE OF OPERATIONS PLLANS."

4. "DURING LULLS WHEN BOTH FORCES ARE REGROUPING FOR ANOTHER ATTACK, NO MENTION SHOULD BE MADE OF LOCATION OF UNITS, THEIR DESIGNATION, STRENGTH AND COMPOSITION UNTIL UNITS ALL ALONG THE LINES ARE DEFINITELY ENGAGED WITH THE ENEMY. THE RELEASES SHOULD GENERALLY BE WITHHELD UNTIL ANNOUNCEMENT BY PIO, EUSAK."

5. "FRIENDLY LOSSES SHOULD NEVER BE DIVULGED EXCEPT ON AUTHORITY OF THIS HEADQUARTERS."

6. "THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL'S VISIT TO THE

BATTLE AREA SHOULD BE HELD TO A MINIMUM."
7. "THE NAMES OF INDIVIDUALS MISSING IN ACTION SHOULD NOT BE MENTIONED UNTIL AUTHORIZED BY PIO, EUSAK."
THE ANNOUNCEMENT POINTS OUT THAT "EVERY PLAN, EVERY WITHDRAWAL, EVERY ATTACK CALLS FOR NEW AND DIFFERENT CONSIDERATIONS AND NO FIXED RULE CAN BE SET FORTH TO APPLY IN EACH CASE."
IT MENTIONS THAT ON OCCASION, MENTION OF REGROUPING FORCES OR INDIVIDUALS DURING A COMBAT LULL MIGHT BE "DESIRABLE" FOR MORALE PURPOSES, BUT "SUCH RELEASES SHOULD INVARIABLY BE CLEARED THROUGH PIO, EUSAK."
TO THE EIGHTH ARMY LIST, MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ADDED THE REQUEST THAT MENTION OF VISITS TO KOREA BY DIGNITARIES SHOULD BE WITHHELD UNTIL AFTER THEIR RETURN TO JAPAN.
THE MAJORITY OF CORRESPONDENTS HAVE LONG EXPRESSED THEIR WILLINGNESS TO ABIDE BY THESE INJUNCTIONS WHICH ARE MORE OR LESS STANDARD IN COMBAT. THEIR CONCERN IS BEING BEATEN ON A STORY BY A RIVAL, WHO DOES NOT ABIDE BY THE RULES, ACCIDENTALLY OR INTENTIONALLY.
THE TRANSMISSION OF CORRESPONDENTS' STORIES FROM KOREA TO TOKYO AND ABROAD FROM TOKYO REMAINS UNCENSORED. THE PROBLEM OF WEEDING OUT MATTERS WHICH SHOULD BE KEPT SECRET STILL RESTS WITH THE INDIVIDUAL CORRESPONDENT OR WITH THE DESK MEN WHO HANDLE STORIES FRESH OM THE FRONT.
THERE IS A GENERAL FEELING THAT THE NEW LIST OF GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS MAY HELP, IF NOT CORRECT, THE SITUATION BY CLARIFYING PREVIOUS DOUBT.
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LONDON, AUG.15-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE WAS QUOTED TODAY AS SAYING BRITAIN'S PART IN THE KOREAN WAR IN NO WAY BINDS HER TO DEFEND FORMOSA AGAINST A POSSIBLE CHINESE COMMUNIST ATTACK.
IN A TELEGRAM TO A LABOR LEGISLATOR WHO HAD CALLED FOR ASSURANCE THAT THIS COUNTRY WOULD STAY OUT OF FORMOSAN DEVELOPMENTS, ATTLEE SAID HE "THINKS" RED CHINA UNDERSTANDS THE BRITISH POSITION.
THE PRIME MINISTER'S STATEMENT CAME AS BRITISH DIPLOMATS IN WASHINGTON SOUGHT TO RECONCILE CONFLICTING ANGLO-AMERICAN POLICIES OVER THE STRATEGIC ISLAND--LAST STRONGHOLD OF GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST CHINESE ARMIES.
LABORITE FENNER BROCKWAY EARLIER THIS MONTH WIRED ATTLEE: "WAR BETWEEN THE CHINESE (COMMUNIST) GOVERNMENT, WHICH WE HAVE RECOGNIZED, AND AMERICA IS A GRAVE POSSIBILITY. I PRAY YOU TO MAKE IT CLEAR THAT BRITISH SUPPORT IN KOREA CANNOT BE EXTENDED TO ACTION UNAUTHORIZED BY THE UNITED NATIONS AGAINST CHINA."
ATTLEE'S REPLY, DATED AUG.9 AND DISCLOSED TODAY:
"THANK YOU FOR YOUR TELEGRAM ABOUT FORMOSA. WE ARE OF COURSE WELL AWARE OF THE DANGEROUS POSSIBILITIES OF THE SITUATION. WE HAVE MADE IT QUITE CLEAR THAT OUR ACTION IN KOREA IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION AND IS NOT CONCERNED WITH FORMOSA. I THINK THAT IS UNDERSTOOD IN CHINA."
PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN JUNE ORDERED THE AMERICAN SEVENTH FLEET TO WARD OFF ANY ATTACK ON THE ISLAND IN A BID TO LOCALIZE THE KOREAN WAR. BUT RED CHINESE LEADERS HAVE PLEDGED TO "LIBERATE" FORMOSA ANYWAY.
GOVERNMENT AND POPULAR FEELING AT THIS TIME IS THAT BRITAIN SHOULD DO ALL POSSIBLE TO KEEP OUT OF THE FORMOSAN TANGLE. MANY BRITISH EXPERTS FEEL THE FORMOSAN SITUATION COULD EASILY LEAD TO WAR BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND CHINA.
DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS HAVE REPORTED THAT SO FAR NO AGREEMENT HAS EMERGED FROM THE WASHINGTON TALKS, ALTHOUGH BOTH COUNTRIES HAVE A PRETTY GOOD IDEA OF EACH OTHER'S POSITION.
THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN HAVE THE SAME LONGTERM AIMS IN THE FAR EAST--TO CONTAIN COMMUNISM AND TO MAINTAIN THEIR OWN POSITIONS THERE--BUT THEY HAVE CONFLICTING WAYS OF ACHIEVING THEIR OBJECTIVES.
BRITAIN, FOR INSTANCE, HAS OFFERED TO RECOGNIZE RED CHINA. THE U.S. STILL MAINTAINS RELATIONS WITH THE NATIONALIST FORCES.
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LONDON, AUG.15-(AP)-A RUSSIAN NEWS AGENCY DISPATCH FROM TIENTSIN REPORTED TODAY THAT UNDERGROUND MOVEMENTS AIMED AT OVERTHROWING COMMUNIST RULE IN CHINA HAVE BEEN DISCOVERED IN TIENTSIN.
TWENTY FIVE MEMBERS OF THE "FIRST COLUMN OF THE ANTI-COMMUNIST NATIONAL SALVATION ARMY" WERE ARRESTED, THE TASS STORY SAID. IT SAID THE GROUP WAS CENTERED IN TSINAN AND TIENTSIN BUT THAT ITS LEADER, IDENTIFIED AS LI YU-TUNG, WAS IN HONG KONG, BRITISH HELD ISLAND OFF THE SOUTH CHINA COAST.
MEMBERS OF A SECOND UNDERGROUND ORGANIZATION CALLED THE "NATIONAL SALVATION VOLUNTEER CORPS OF NORTH CHINA" WAS "ROUNDED UP", TASS SAID. IT SAID THIS GROUP WAS DIRECTED BY THE "CENTRAL SECRET SERVICE SYSTEM OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK."
THE DISPATCH DID NOT SAY WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO THE ARRESTED MEMBERS OF THE TWO ORGANIZATIONS.
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SOUTHAMPTON, ENGLAND, AUG. 15-(AP)-BRITISH OFFICIALS WILL BOARD THE POLISH LINER BATORY HERE TOMORROW TO QUESTION TWO UNAUTHORIZED AMERICAN PASSENGERS, ONE OF WHOM LANDED HIS RENTED SEAPLANE BESIDE THE SHIP A HUNDRED MILES OFF NEW YORK.
A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID SCOTLAND YARD AND IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS WILL INTERROGATE THE MEN BEFORE THE BATORY-- IN WHICH COMMUNIST GERHARD EISLER FLED THE UNITED STATES IN MAY 1949-- IS PERMITTED TO DOCK.
"THEIR FUTURE HERE DEPENDS ON THE ANSWERS THEY GIVE," HE SAID. UNITED STATES CONSULAR OFFICIALS MAY ACCOMPANY THE BRITISH PARTY ABOARD THE BATORY. THAT POINT HAS NOT YET BEEN DEFINITELY SETTLED.
THE TWO MEN UNDER SEMI-DETENTION ARE:
WILLIAM JESSE NEWTON OF NEW YORK, PICKED UP BY THE BATORY AFTER HE CIRCLED THE OUTWARD-BOUND VESSEL SHOUTING FOR ASSISTANCE, THEN LANDED HIS TINY RENTED SEAPLANE BESIDE IT. HE FIRST GAVE HIS NAME AS GUILLERMO SAN SEBASTIAN, A MEXICAN TOURIST.
HOWARD CAMPBELL, WHO ELUDED A CLOSE AMERICAN SECURITY CHECK ON THE POLISH LINER TO STOW HIMSELF AWAY PRIOR TO ITS DEPARTURE FROM NEW YORK. THE SHIP'S MASTER DISCLOSED HIS PRESENCE IN A RADIO MESSAGE.
CAMPBELL, AS A STOWAWAY, WILL PROBABLY BE DETAINED HERE AND RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES, AGENTS OF THE GDYNIA-AMERICA LINE, OPERATORS OF THE POLISH LINER, HAVE AGREED TO PAY HIS RETURN PASSAGE.
NEWTON'S CASE IS DIFFERENT.
IF HE CAN ESTABLISH HIS CLAIM TO HAVING BEEN A DISTRESSED AIRMAN RESCUED AT SEA, HE MAY BE PERMITTED HIS LIBERTY HERE PENDING RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES.
THE BATORY'S AGENTS RELEASED TODAY A VERSION OF NEWTON'S CASE AS RADIOED BY THE SHIP'S CAPTAIN, JAN CWIKLINSKI.
THIS SAID NEWTON'S SEAPLANE FIRST APPEARED OVER THE BATORY AT 5.39 P.M. ON AUGUST 8, COMING FROM THE WEST AND CIRCLING LOW. AS NEWTON PASSED OVER THE SHIP HE SHOUTED "I HAVE LOST ORIENTATION. I HAVE NO COMPASS AND NO GAS," SAID THIS ACCOUNT.
"WHAT CAN WE DO TO HELP?" THE CAPTAIN MEGAPHONED AS NEWTON CIRCLES THE SHIP. THE ACCOUNT CONTINUED: "THE BATORY WAS STOPPED AND THE CAPTAIN ORDERED A BOAT LOWERED. THEN THE PLANE CAME DOWN, THE PILOT

WAS BROUGHT ON BOARD AND THE SEAPLANE LIFTED TO THE DECK."
NEWTON TOLD THE SHIP'S CAPTAIN HE HAD LOST HIS WAY, AND THOUGHT THE BATORY WAS IN BOUND TO NEW YORK, THE ACCOUNT SAID.
WHEN THE BATORY ARRIVES TOMORROW THE SEAPLANE WILL BE TAKEN OVER BY THE GOVERNMENT RECEIVER OF WRECKS, PENDING A DECISION ON ITS RETURN TO ITS AMERICAN OWNER. REPRESENTATIVES OF THE BATORY SAID THEY WOULD FILE A CLAIM FOR SALVAGE COSTS AGAINST THE PLANE.
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CAMBRIDGE, ENGLAND, AUG.15-(AP)-THE MAGNIFICAT, ONE OF CHRISTIANITY'S GREATEST HYMNS, IS MORE VIOLENT THAN THE LEFT-WING ANTHEM, "THE RED FLAG," DR.W.R.INGE, FORMER DEAN OF LONDON'S ST.PAUL'S CATHEDRAL, DECLARED LAST NIGHT.
NINETY-YEAR-OLD DR.INGE, KNOWN AS THE "GLOOMY" DEAN WHEN HE SERVED ST.PAUL'S, OPENED THE MODERN CHURCHMEN'S CONFERENCE (CAPS MCC) HERE WITH AN ATTACK ON "HELL-FIRE THEOLOGY," SEVERAL CHRISTIAN SECTS AND SOME BIBLICAL LANGUAGE.
"OF ONE THING WE MAY BE THANKFUL," HE TOLD THE CONFERENCE, "THE HIDEOUS HELLFIRE THEOLOGY IS HEARD NO LONGER IN OUR CHURCHES."
DR.INGE SAID MANY OF THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSONS "ARE FRANKLY UNEDIFYING, OTHERS ARE UNINTELLIGIBLE.
"DO WE REALLY EXPECT THE WORKING MAN TO COME TO CHURCH TO SING XXX SUCH GIBBERISH AS THE VERSE OF THE 68TH PSALM BEGINNING, 'WHEN THE COMPANY OF THE SPEARMEN'?
THE AGED CHURCHMAN SAID HE HAD BEEN TOLD THE CORRECT TRANSLATION OF THE BEGINNING OF THE PSALM WAS "REBUKE THE HIPPOPOTAMUS."
"OUR CHURCH GOERS WOULD SING THIS WITH EQUAL UNCTION IF THEY HAD IT BEFORE THEM, AS FASHIONABLE LADIES CHEERFULLY SING THE MAGNIFICAT, WHICH IS MORE VIOLENT THAN THE RED FLAG."
THE MAGNIFICAT IS THE LATIN VERSION OF THE SONG OF THE VIRGIN MARY LUKE I 46-55 "MY SOUL DOTH MAGNIFY THE LORD."
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GLENTIES, IRELAND, AUG.15-(AP)-JAMES DILLON, AN IRISH CABINET MINISTER, SAID TODAY "NO HONEST MAN OR WOMAN CAN BE NEUTRAL" IN THE WEST'S STRUGGLE AAGAINST COMMUNISM.
"PEOPLE ARE EITHER FOR COMMUNISTS OR AGAINST THEM," SAID DILLON, IRISH MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE. "TO PROTEST NEUTRALITY IS IN REALITY TO HELP THE COMMUNISTS."
IRELAND WAS NEUTRAL IN THE WAR AGAINST HITLER.
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LONDON, AUG. 15-(AP)-THE FOOD MINISTRY ANNOUNCED TONIGHT A 10 PER CENT INCREASE IN THE SIZE OF BRITAIN'S FRESH MEAT RATION.
EFFECTIVE AUG. 27, EACH PERSON WILL BE ENTITLED TO ONE SHILLING, SIXPENCE (21 CENTS) WORTH A WEEK. THE PRESENT RATION IS ONE SHILLING, FOUR PENCE (19 CENTS) WORTH.
THE FOOD MINISTRY SAID THE USUAL SEASONAL INCREASE IN THE SUPPLY OF HOME-KILLED MEAT WILL MAKE THE LARGER RATION POSSIBLE.
AT THE SAME TIME IT WILL DISCONTINUE THE PRESENT WEEKLY RATION OF TWOPENCE (TWO CENTS) WORTH OF CORNED BEEF.
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NIGHT LEAD SCHUMAN (460)
BY JOSEPH DYNAN
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG 15-(AP)-FRENCH AND WEST GERMAN LEADERS, REPLYING TO BRITISH COUNTER PROPOSALS, PUT THE SCHUMAN COAL-STEEL PLAN ON A TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT BASIS TODAY.
THE PLAN BEARS THE NAME OF FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN, HE PROPOSES A MERGER OF THE HEAVY INDUSTRIES OF FRANCE AND WEST GERMANY UNDER AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY, WITH OTHER NATIONS FREE TO JOIN.
IN SPEECHES TO THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, MAURICE SCHUMAN, CHIEF OF FRANCE'S POPULAR REPUBLICAN MOVEMENT (MRPWLN FRENCH SOCIALIST ANDRE PHILIP AND HEINRICH VON BRENTANO, SPOKESMAN FOR WEST GERMANY'S RULING CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS, INSISTED ON A TRULY SOVEREIGN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY TO MERGE COAL AND STEEL PRODUCTION.
THEY WERE COMMENTING ON AN ALTERNATE PROJECT ADVANCED BY BRITAIN'S HAROLD MACMILLAN AND DAVID ECCLES, BOTH CONSERVATIVES, WHICH WOULD LIMIT THE SUPRA-NATIONAL AUTHORITY BY PLACING IT UNDER A COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS WITHIN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL.
MAURICE SCHUMAN DECLARED THIS WAS UNACCEPTABLE. HE AND ROBERT SCHUMAN ARE BOTH MEMBERS OF THE MRP. THEY ARE NOT RELATED.
A BRITISH LABORITE, MRS.EIRENE WHITE, TOLD THE ASSEMBLY THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT THOUGHT IT "WISER AND MORE FRIENDLY" TO AWAIT THE RESULTS OF PARIS NEGOTIATIONS AMONG VARIOUS NATIONS ON THE SCHUMAN PLAN THAN TO INTERVENE AT THIS STAGE.
PHILIP EXPRESSED THE FRANCO-GERMAN VIEWPOINT IN AN ATTACK ON THE BRITISH COUNTER-PROJECT.
"WE HOPE MANY OTHER NATIONS WILL COME IN (THE SCHUMAN PLAN), BUT HERE ARE TWO IRREDUCTIBLE POINTS--A REAL INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY RESPONSIBLE TO A COMMON PARLIAMENT WITH REAL POWERS," HE ASSERTED.
PHILIP SAID THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL COULD NOT ADEQUATELY SUPERVISE THE HIGH AUTHORITY UNTIL THE STATUTE IS REWRITTEN TO GIVE THE ASSEMBLY REAL POWERS.

SCHUMAN ASSAILED THE VETO AND ESCAPE CLAUSES OF THE MACMILLAN-ECCLES PROJECT.

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"UNDER THIS PROPOSAL," HE SAID, "IN THE FIVE FIRST YEARS A SINGLE MINISTER CAN, WITHOUT EXPLANATION OR JUSTIFICATION, VETO A DECISION OR WITHDRAW FROM THE ORGANIZATION. YOU CANNOT UNITE EUROPE BY CONSTITUTIONALIZING THE VETO."
SCHUMAN REFERRED TO BRITISH LABORITE HUGH DALTON'S DEFENSE OF THE VETO IN THE MARSHALL PLAN'S ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC) WHICH IS NOW COMPLETING A EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION. TO APPLAUSE FROM THE ASSEMBLY FLOOR, SCHUMAN DECLARED:
"THE VETO IS BENEFICIAL ONLY IF THOSE WHO HOLD IT PLEDGE THEMSELVES NEVER TO EMPLOY IT."
THE FRENCH LEADER SUGGESTED THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY MIGHT DOVETAIL INTO THE STEEL COAL POOL IN THREE WAYS:
1. THE AUTHORITY SHOULD MAKE AN ANNUAL REPORT TO THE ASSEMBLY, WHICH SHOULD DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS AFTER HEARING DELEGATES FROM NON-POOL NATIONS. OTHER POOLS CAN BE ESTABLISHED AMONG OTHER NATIONS FOR OTHER PURPOSES, SUCH AS AN AGRICULTURAL POOL.
2--THE SEPARATE STEEL-COAL PARLIAMENT, SO FAR AS PARTICIPATING NATIONS ARE CONCERNED, MIGHT BE LARGELY THE SAME DELEGATES AND MIGHT SIT IN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS.
3. THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL SHOULD COORDINATE THE COMMON SEARCH FOR OVERSEAS MARKETS, PARTICULARLY IN COLONIAL AREAS, SO AS TO MAINTAIN FULL EMPLOYMENT.
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BY PHILIP CLARKE
STRASBOURG, FRANCE,AUG.15-(AP)-BRITAIN FOUGHT A LONE AND LOSING BATTLE BEFORE EUROPE'S UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT HERE TODAY AGAINST THE SCHUMAN PLAN TO POOL WESTERN EUROPE'S STEEL AND COAL OUTPUT.

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BRITISH LABORITES AND CONSERVATIVES BOTH HAD COUNTER-PLANS RESTRICTING THE POOL'S PROPOSED AUTHORITY AND SAFEGUARDING NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTIES. BUT THEY GOT SCANT HEED FROM POLITICAL LEADERS OF 14 OTHER NATIONS REPRESENTED IN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY.

THE ASSEMBLY'S DEBATE ON THE SCHUMAN PLAN WAS SCHEDULED TO RESUME THIS AFTERNOON (AT 9:30 A.M. EST) WITH FRENCH AND GERMAN SPEAKERS LEADING OFF.

WEST GERMANY'S 18-MAN DELEGATION ALREADY HAD VOICED ITS SUPPORT OF FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN'S PROPOSAL DESPITE THE BITTER BRITISH OPPOSITION. THE GERMANS ASKED ONLY THAT LIMITS ON THEIR STEEL PRODUCTION BE LIFTED AND THAT GERMANY HAVE EQUAL RIGHTS IN THE INTERNATIONAL COAL AND STEEL AUTHORITY.

BRITISH LEADERS FROM BOTH PARTIES ARGUED THAT THE INDIVIDUAL GOVERNMENTS SHOULD HAVE A FINAL VETO OVER THE INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY. THEY SAID, IN EFFECT, THAT BRITAIN WOULD NEVER PLACE HER STEEL INDUSTRY UNDER WHAT LABORITE MAURICE EDELMAN YESTERDAY TERMED AN IRRESPONSIBLE, UNDEMOCRATIC AND ARBITRARY AUTHORITY.

THE BRITISH, APPARENTLY, WANTED TO EXPLAIN THEIR STAND FULLY BEFORE CONCLUSION OF THE SIX-NATION TALKS NOW UNDER WAY IN PARIS ON SCHUMAN'S PROPOSAL. IT WAS CONSIDERED HERE, HOWEVER, THAT THE ASSEMBLY DEBATE COULD HAVE ONLY AN INDIRECT EFFECT ON THE PARIS CONFERENCES.

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NIGHT LEAD SPY (140)

ANSBACH, GERMANY, AUG.15-(AP)-KURT MUECKE, 21, AN EAST GERMAN WHO SPEAKS ENGLISH FLUENTLY, WAS SENTENCED TODAY TO 14 YEARS IN PRISON ON A CHARGE OF SPYING FOR SOVIET RUSSIA.

A U.S. HIGH COMMISSION COURT IMPOSED THE SENTENCE AFTER MUECKE PLEADED GUILTY OF ESPIONAGE AND IMPERSONATING AN AMERICAN SOLDIER. HE TESTIFIED HE HAD TRIED TO COLLECT MILITARY INFORMATION IN THE U.S. ZONE OF GERMANY FOR A MAJOR OF THE SOVIET INTELLIGENCE SERVICE.

MUECKE WAS ARRESTED BY AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE JULY 25 WHEN HE ATTEMPTED TO ENTER THE U.S. SIGNAL CORPS SCHOOL HERE IN THE UNIFORM OF AN AMERICAN SOLDIER. MPS REPORTED EACH PIECE OF HIS UNIFORM BORE A DIFFERENT LAUNDRY MARK, INDICATING THEY MIGHT HAVE BEEN STOLEN.

HE TOLD THE COURT HE HAD PREVIOUSLY SPENT SOME TIME AT THE U.S. ARMY TRAINING GROUNDS NEAR GRAFENWOEHR, IN SOUTH GERMANY.

PRESIDING JUDGE LABRE D.GARCIA, WHO ANNOUNCED THE VERDICT, SAID IT HAD BEEN ESTABLISHED THAT MUECKE HAD NOT OBTAINED ANY VALUABLE MILITARY INFORMATION.

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ANSBACH, GERMANY, AUG. 15-(AP)-A U.S.HIGH COMMISSION COURT TODAY SENTENCED AN EAST GERMAN YOUTH TO 14 YEARS IMPRISONMENT FOR SPYING FOR RUSSIA.

KURT MUECKE, 21, CONFESSED TO THE COURT THAT HE HAD TRIED TO COLLECT MILITARY INFORMATION IN THE AMERICAN ZONE OF GERMANY. HE SAID HE HAD BEEN WORKING IN THE SERVICE OF A SOVIET INTELLIGENCE MAJOR.

MUECKE PLEADED GUILTY TO BOTH CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE AND OF IMPERSONATING AN AMERICAN SOLDIER.

PRESIDING JUDGE LABRE D.GARGIA ANNOUNCED THE VERDICT AFTER A SHORT TRIAL. HE SAID IT HAD BEEN ESTABLISHED THAT MUECKE HAD NOT SUCCEEDED IN OBTAINING ANY VALUABLE MILITARY INFORMATION.

MUECKE WAS ARRESTED BY AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE JULY 25 WHEN HE ATTEMPTED TO ENTER THE U.S.SIGNAL CORPS SCHOOL HERE WHILE WEARING AN AMERICAN SOLDIER'S UNIFORM.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG.15-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES ARMY IN GERMANY IS STARTING A "GET FRIENDLY" CAMPAIGN WITH THE GERMAN POPULATION.

ARMY OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THE CAMPAIGN WILL URGE "INCREASED CO-MINGLING OF AMERICANS AND WESTERN GERMANS WHEREVER POSSIBLE."

THE CAMPAIGN IS AIMED MAINLY AT MEMBERS OF THE U.S. OCCUPATION FORCES AND THEIR DEPENDENTS, THE OFFICIALS SAID. U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY PROMPTLY HAILED THE ARMY PLAN, SAYING:

"WITH A REAL EFFORT ON THE PART OF BOTH AMERICANS AND GERMANS, MINOR IRRITATIONS CAN BE REMOVED AND CONSTRUCTIVE ATTITUDES CAN BE MAINTAINED."

MCCLOY SAID HE ALSO WILL URGE THAT MEMBERS OF THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION ADOPT THE SAME ATTITUDE OF DEVELOPING FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH THE GERMAN POPULATION.

THE ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID AN "AGGRESSIVE CAMPAIGN" URGING FRIENDLY AMERICAN-GERMAN RELATIONS WILL BE WAGED BY ARMY POST NEWSPAPERS, RADIO PROGRAMS, ARMY DEPENDENTS' SCHOOLS AND OTHER METHODS.

THE CAMPAIGN WILL STRESS THESE POINTS:

"STRONG REASONS EXIST FOR GOOD WILL BETWEN AMERICANS AND WESTERN GERMANS BECAUSE AMERICANS ARE IN GERMANY TO DEMONSTRATE A PRACTICAL AND FAIR MINDED DEMOCRACY IN ACTION WHILE THE WESTERN GERMANS ARE TRYING HONESTLY TO ESTABLISH SUCH A DEMOCRACY.

"MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS ARE ESSENTIAL TO BRING ABOUT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SOUND DEMOCRACY IN GERMANY.

"OCCUPATION PERSONNEL SHOULD OBTAIN A WORKING KNOWLEDGE OF THE GERMAN LANGUAGE IN ORDER THAT FLUENT EXCHANGES OF IDEAS AND INCREASED SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN AMERICANS AND GERMANS CAN BE PUT INTO EFFECT."

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG 15-(AP)-ALLIED AUTHORITIES CRACKED DOWN AGAIN TODAY ON ANTI-WESTERN PROPAGANDA IN GERMANY BY BANNING THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER VOLKSSTIMME (PEOPLE'S VOICE) IN STUTTGART.

THIS WAS THE NINTH COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER BANNED BY THE ALLIES SINCE AUG.3. SEVEN COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS STILL ARE BEING PUBLISHED IN WESTERN GERMANY.

PUBLICATION OF THE VOLKSSTIMME WAS PROHIBITED FOR 90 DAYS AND ITS PLANT CLOSED, THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE VOLKSSTIMME HAS BEEN VIOLATING ALLIED LAWS "IN ITS SUPPORT OF THE POLICY OF ORGANIZED RESISTANCE FORMULATED LAST MONTH AT THE SED CONGRESS IN BERLIN."

THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY (SED) AT THIS RALLY HAD URGED ALL WEST GERMAN COMMUNISTS TO RESIST THE OCCUPATION FORCES.

ALLIED AUTHORITIES WARNED THE COMMUNISTS THAT THEIR NEWSPAPERS WOULD BE BANNED IF THEY PRINTED ARTICLES WHICH WOULD THREATEN THE PRESTIGE AND SECURITY OF THE OCCUPATION FORCES.

SINCE THIS WARNING, THE BRITISH HAVE SUSPENDED SIX COMMUNIST PAPERS AND THE AMERICANS THREE.

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BERLIN, AUG. 15-(AP)-WEST BERLIN APPEALED TO THE THREE ALLIED POWERS TODAY TO INTERVENE WITH THE RUSSIANS AGAINST FURTHER CONFISCATION OF BERLIN PACKAGES OF INTERZONAL MAIL TRAINS.

CITY COUNCILLOR HUGO HOLTHOEFER SAID MORE THAN 1,000 PACKAGES HAD BEEN SEIZED BY SOVIET AND EAST GERMAN INSPECTORS SINCE LAST FRIDAY.

THE RUSSIANS CLAIMED THE PARCELS EXCEEDED A 15-POUND WEIGHT LIMIT WHICH THE FOUR OCCUPATION POWERS AGREED TO IN 1947 BUT WHICH WAS LATER INCREASED BY THE WESTERN ALLIES. THEY ALSO CHARGED GOODS ILLEGALLY OBTAINED FROM THE SOVIET ZONE WERE BEING SMUGGLED THROUGH THE MAILS TO WEST GERMANY.

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BERLIN, AUG. 14-(AP)-EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS, WHO LIKE TO PROCLAIM PUBLICLY AGAINST "ENSLAVEMENT" BY THE AMERICAN DOLLAR, ARE DOING THEIR BEST TO CATCH ANY DOLLARS THEY CAN IN FOREIGN TRADE.

BUT EAST GERMANY--TIED INTO THE SOVIET EAST BLOC AND SWEATING FOR 15 YEARS MORE UNDER A RUSSIAN WAR REPARATIONS BILL--HASN'T MUCH TO OFFER THE WEST.

ONE THING IT HAS, THOUGH, IS FAMED MEISSEN (COMMONLY KNOWN AS DRESDEN) CHINA.

THE FAMED OLD ROYAL SAXON PORCELAIN WORKS WHICH PRODUCES THIS MAGNIFICENT CHINA IS LOCATED IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE.

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THE RUSSIANS SEIZED THE PLANT FOR REPARATIONS SHORTLY AFTER THE WAR BUT LATER GAVE IT BACK TO THE GERMAN COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT ON CONDITION THAT IT BECOME A PEOPLE'S OWNED OR SOCIALISTIC ENTERPRISE. THE RUSSIANS ALSO HAD STRIPPED MOST OF THE MACHINERY FOR REPARATIONS BUT THE INDUSTRIOUS GERMANS EITHER REPLACED IT OR REVERTED TO HAND METHODS.

NOW THE COMMUNISTS HAVE PROCLAIMED WITH FANFARE THAT MEISSEN'S LUXURY WARES HAVE BEEN SOLD TO AMERICAN AND OTHER WESTERN BUYERS ON A TWO-YEAR CONTRACT.

ALL THE LUXURY PRODUCTS OF MEISSEN ARE RESERVED FOR EXPORT, ESPECIALLY TO THE WEST, THE SOVIET-CONTROLLED ADN NEWS AGENCY REPORT SAID. FOR GERMANS MEISSEN IS PRODUCING ONLY THE PLAINEST UTILITY WARES.

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NIGHT LEAD BELGIAN (250)

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 15-(AP)-JOSEPH PHOLIEN, 65, -YEAR-OLD SENATOR, WAS NAMED PREMIER OF AN ALL-SOCIAL CHRISTIAN GOVERNMENT TODAY UNDER PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

THE SOCIAL CHRISTIANS ARE THE CATHOLIC PARTY WHICH ALONE, AGAINST THE OPPOSITION OF SOCIALISTS, LIBERALS AND COMMUNISTS, BROUGHT KING LEOPOLD BACK FROM EXILE LAST MONTH. TO AVOID THREATENING CIVIL CONFLICT, LEOPOLD TURNED OVER HIS POWERS TO HIS SON, 19-YEAR-OLD BAUDOUIN, THE CROWN PRINCE, LAST WEEK.

THE COMPOSITION OF THE NEW 16-MEMBER CABINET, REPLACING THAT OF SOCIAL CHRISTIAN JEAN DUVIEUSART, WAS ANNOUNCED TO REPORTERS BY PAUL VAN ZEELAND, WHO STAYS AS FOREIGN MINISTER IN THE NEW GOVERNMENT.

VAN ZEELAND HAD HANDLED THE NEGOTIATIONS AS BAUDOUIN'S PREMIE-DESIGNATE. HE WAS REPORTED TO HAVE DECIDED THAT HE COULD BEST SERVE HIS COUNTRY BY DEVOTING ALL HIS TIME TO BELGIUM'S FOREIGN POLICY.

THE NEW PREMIER WAS MINISTER OF JUSTICE IN SOCIALIST PAUL-HENRI SPAAK'S GOVERNMENT IN 1938.

SENATOR JOSEPH MEURICE WAS APPOINTED TO A NEW POST IN THE GOVERNMENT--A MINISTRY OF COUNCIL OF EUROPE AFFAIRS AND FOREIGN TRADE. AS SUCH HE WILL BE IN CHARGE OF MATTERS CONNECTED WITH THE COUNCIL AT STRASBOURG,IWHICH SEEKS THE UNIFICATION OF EUROPE.

THE NEW MINISTERS ARE TO BE SWORN IN TOMORROW. THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY DECLARATION WILL BE PRESENTED TO BOTH HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT THURSDAY, WHEN IT WILL ASK A VOTE OF CONFIDENCE. SOCIAL CHRISTIANS HAVE A MAJORITY IN BOTH HOUSES.

IN ANNOUNCING THE CABINET LIST, VAN ZEELAND SAID "THE PROBLEM HAS BEEN TO FORM A CABINET WHICH, IN THE PRESENT POLITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES, COULD BRING APPEASEMENT AND RALLYING AROUND PRINCE BAUDOUIN. WE HAVE TRIED TO PUT TOGETHER A NEW TEAM."

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.15-(AP)-JOSEPH PHOLIEN, 65-YEAR-OLD SOCIAL CHRISTIAN SENATOR, BECAME PREMIER OF BELGIUM TODAY AND ANNOUNCED AN ALL SOCIAL CHRISTIAN CABINET.

PAUL VAN ZEELAND WHO HAD TRIED TO FORM A NEW GOVERNMENT BEFORE PHOLIEN SUCCEEDED, JOINED THE NEW CABINET, ONCE AGAIN AS FOREIGN MINISTER.

THE NEW GOVERNMENT FIRST UNDER PRINCE BAUDOUIN, INCLUDES:

COMMUNICATIONS -- P.W. ZEGERS.
FINANCE -- JEAN VAN HOUTTE.
EDUCATION -- PIERRE HARMEL.
ECONOMIC AFFAIRS -- ALBERT COPPE
PUBLIC HEALTH -- ALFRED DE TAEYE.
COLONIES -- ANDRE DEQUAE.
JUSTICE -- LUDOVIC MOYERSOEN.
FOREIGN TRADE AND EUROPEAN COUNCIL AFFAIRS -- JOSEPH MEURICE.
LABOR -- GERARD VANDENDAELE.
AGRICULTURE -- CHARLES HEFER.
PUBLIC WORKS -- OSCAR BEHOGNE.
INTERIOR -- MAURICE BRASSEUR
RECONSTRUCTION -- ALFRED DE BODT.

VAN ZEELAND HAD BEEN APPOINTED PREMIER-DESIGNATE LAST SUNDAY BY PRINCE BAUDOUIN, 19-YEAR-OLD SON OF KING LEOPOLD III. BAUDOUIN ASSUMED LEOPOLD'S ROYAL POWERS LAST FRIDAY. THE PRO-LEOPOLD GOVERNMENT OF SOCIAL CHRISTIAN PREMIER JEAN DUVIEUSART RESIGNED SOON AFTERWARD.

DUVIEUSART AND ACTING MINISTER OF TRANSPORT P.W. ZEGERS BOTH TURNED DOWN THE PRINCE'S APPOINTMENT TO A NEW PREMIERSHIP IN THE FACE OF A SPLIT IN THE SOCIAL CHRISTIAN PARTY OVER WHETHER LEOPOLD SHOULD BOW TO SOCIALIST PRESSURE AND TURN HIS POWERS OVER TO HIS SON. THE PARTY HOLDS A MAJORITY IN PARLIAMENT.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG 15-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL TOOK A STEP TODAY TOWARD SETTING UP A WORKABLE MECHANISM FOR PROMOTING FULL EMPLOYMENT AND IMPROVED WORLD SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC CONDITIONS.
AFTER MONTHS OF RESEARCH AND DEBATE, THE COUNCIL UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED A RESOLUTION UNDER WHICH THE UNITED NATIONS WOULD BE CONSTANTLY INFORMED OF EACH GOVERNMENT'S ECONOMIC PLANS, POLICIES AND PROBLEMS. THE WORLD SITUATION WOULD BE KEPT UNDER CONSTANT STUDY AND REVIEW.
THE FULL EMPLOYMENT PLAN CALLS FOR THE PUBLICATION ANNUALLY BY EACH GOVERNMENT OF ITS ECONOMIC OBJECTIVES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR, WITH A STATEMENT, WHEN PRACTICABLE, OF GOALS OR FORECASTS RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND INVESTMENT.
EACH GOVERNMENT WOULD ANNOUNCE PERIODICALLY THE MEASURES IT PLANS TO TAKE TO ACHIEVE ITS OBJECTIVES. THESE WOULD INCLUDE MEASURES TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC EXPANSION, TO COMBAT DEPRESSION, TO AVOID INFLATION AND TO PROMOTE THE MOBILITY OF LABOR. ALL THIS INFORMATION WOULD BE FUNNELLED TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL.
THE SECRETARY GENERAL WOULD SEND QUESTIONNAIRES TO GOVERNMENTS PERIODICALLY. THE REPORTS RECEIVED WOULD BE ANALYZED AND STUDIED AND TURNED OVER TO THE ECONOMIC AND EMPLOYMENT COMMISSION, WHERE THE INFORMATION WOULD BE PREPARED FOR ACTION BY THE COUNCIL.
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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG.15-(AP)-POLAND WITHDREW FROM THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO) TODAY,

CHARGING THAT THE UNITED STATES WAS USING THE ORGANIZATION FOR ITS OWN POLITICAL P S.

ALBANIA, BULGARIA, WHITE RUSSIA, COMMUNIST CHINA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HUNGARY, ROMANIA, THE SOVIET UNION AND THE UKRAINE ALREADY HAVE WITHDRAWN FROM THE WO.

JUNIAN PRZYBOS, POLISH MINISTER IN BERN, TOLD DR.BROCK CHISHOLM, DIRECTOR GENERAL OF WHO, THE UNITED STATES HAD REFUSED TO EXPORT SIX EXTRACTORS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF PENICILLIN TO POLAND

PITE A RECOMMENDATION OF THE WHO. THE WHO, THE POLISH MINISTER CHARGED, "HAS ALLOWED THAT ATTITUDE OF THE UNITED STATES, AN ATTITUDE WICH 'S CONTRARY TO THE ELEMENTARY HUMANITARIAN PRINCIPLES, TO

GO UNCHALLENGED."

ANNOUNCING THE WITHDRAWAL, THE WHO SAID POLAND "WAS AMONG THOSE WHO RECEIVED ALL POSSIBLE ASSISTANCE FROM THE WHO." ASSISTANCE TO POLAND ARRANGED BY WHO INCLUDED: ESTABLISHMENT OF VENEREAL DISEASE CONTROL CENTER IN WARSAW WITH 15,000 DOLLARS WORTH OF EQUIPMENT, ESTABLISHMENT OF A BIOCHEMISTRY TRAINING CENTER IN WROCLAW SCHEDULED TO OPEN OCT 1. A CAMPAIGN IN POLAND AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS, THE GRANTING OF 119 FELLOWSHIPS OUT OF A TOTAL OF 800 TO POLAND.

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B46 Q
THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG. 15-(AP)-THE DUTCH GOVERNMENT CONFIRMED TODAY THAT A WORLD CONGRESS OF RADIO FREQUENCIES, SCHEDULED TO START HERE SEPT. 25, HAS BEEN CALLED OFF AT THE REQUEST OF THE UNITED STATES.
THE POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT THE OTHER 82 PARTICIPANTS HAD AGREED "ALMOST UNANIMOUSLY" ON THE DESIRABILITY OF POSTPONING THE MEETING.
IT DECLARED THAT "IN VIEW OF PRESENT CONDITIONS A NUMBER OF EXPERTS ARE NOT AVAILABLE, SO THAT THE CONFERENCE COULD NOT HAVE BEEN EXPECTED TO LEAD TO ANY TANGIBLE RESULTS."
THE POSTPONEMENT REPORTEDLY WAS PRECEDED B DIPLOMATIC EXCHANGES OVER WHETHER TO INVITE THE CHINESE COMMUNIST OR NATIONALIST REGIME.
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ROTTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG. 14-(AP)-MORE THAN HALF OF ROTTERDAM'S 10,000 DOCKERS STRUCK TODAY FOR HIGHER WAGES. THE STRIKERS DEMAND A 10 PER CENT INCREASE IN THEIR AVERAGE WAGES OF 50 TO 55 GUILDERS ($14 TO $14.70) WEEKLY. EMPLOYERS SAY GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS FORBID THE INCREJSE.

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B70 Q
(180)
BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, AUG.15-(AP)-FOR THEIR WORK IN A LABOR BRIGADE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ZAGREB, 10 YOUTHFUL AMERICANS HAVE RECEIVED MARSHAL TITO'S HIGHEST HONOR FOR EFFORT--THE SHOCK WORKERS AWARD GIVEN

FOR EFFORT ABOVE NORMAL.
THE SEVEN GIRLS AND THREE YOUNG MEN, MOST OF THEM STILL IN COLLEGE, WENT TO YUGOSLAVIA UNDER THE AUSPIECES OF THE NATIONAL STUDENTS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA.
JOINING VOLUNTEERS FROM OTHER COUNTRIES, THE YOUNG AMERICANS PAID FOR THEIR TRANSIT TO YUGOSLAVIA. AFTER THREE WEEKS ON THE UNIVERSITY OF ZAGREB CONSTRUCTION JOB, DURING WHICH THEY ARE MAINTAINED BY THE GOVERNMENT, THE AMERICAN VOLUNTEERS TOUR YUGOSLAVIA AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.
THOSE RECEIVING THE AWARD WERE:
FRANCIS D.FISHER, OF 949 FISHER LANE, WINNETKA, ILL.; HELEN MORRIS, OF BERWYN, PA., AND CARLTON COLLEGE, MINN.; EVE GLASSBERG, OF 29 EAST 64TH STREET, NEW YORK CITY AND BRYN MAWR COLLEGE; JOAN MEISTER, OF 1028 MORGANAVE STREET, DREXEL HILL, PA.; CHARLOTTE POMMERER, OF PRATTSVILLE, N.Y.; ELLEN ERVIN, OF BALA-CYNWYD, PA., AND CARLTON COLLEGE, MINN.; EDMUND FALTERMEYER, OF PHILADELPHIA, PA., AND HAVERFORD COLLEGE, PA.; DONALD WENGER, OF 150 ARLINGTON ST., ~~BRIGHTON, MASS.; ANNE KENNARD, OF 434 WEST 120TH STKT~~

BRIGHTON, MASS.; ANNE KENNARD, OF 434 WEST 120TH ST., NEW YORK CITY.
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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, AUG. 15-(AP)-A RESPONSIBLE SOURCE SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES HAS CHARTED A DETAILED PLAN FOR EVACUATION OF AMERICAN PERSONNEL FROM YUGOSLAVIA IF THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM ATTACKS PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT.
THE PLAN CALLS FOR THE QUICK REMOVAL BY AIR AND RAIL OF ALL BUT A SKELETON STAFF. THE AMERICANS PROBABLY WOULD GO TO ROME.
DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL IN YUGOSLAVIA TOGETHER WITH THEIR FAMILIES NOW NUMBER ABOUT 150. THERE ARE PERHAPS ANOTHER 50 AMERICANS IN THE COUNTRY
THE EVACUATION PLAN IS CHIEFLY A PREPAREDNESS MEASURE RATHER THAN A MOVE PROMPTED BY IMMEDIATE CONCERN OVER THE LIKELIHOOD OF AN INVASION OF YUGOSLAVIA.
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B29 (Q)
ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT, AUG. 15-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA'S AMBASSADOR TO EGYPT, DR. HO FENG-SHAN, ASKED THE SEVEN NATIONS OF THE ARAB LEAGUE TODAY TO STAND BY THE NATIONALISTS IN THE UNITED NATIONS.
THE REQUEST WAS MADE BY DR. HO IN A LETTER TO ABDEL RAHMAN AZZAM PASHA, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE LEAGUE COMPOSED OF EGYPT, SYRIA, LEBANON, IRAQ, SAUDIE ARABIA AND JORDAN. IT WILL COME BEFORE THE POLITICAL COMMITTEE NOW MEETING TO HAMMER OUT JOINT ARAB POLICY ON KOREA AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL QUESTIONS.
THE NATIONALISTS ASKED THE ARAB LEAGUE TO CONTINUE THEIR SUPPORT OF THE CHIANG KAI-SHEK GOVERNMENT AND OPPOSE THE ADMISSION OF THE COMMUNIST CHINESE REGIME BY THE UNITED NATIONS.
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B43 Q
(KX FOR FX-APW)
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NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 15-(AP)-INDIA MUST DEPEND ON HERSELF AND HER INHERENT STRENGTH, NOT ON OTHERS, IN THE DARKENING INTERNATIONAL SITUATION, PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TOLD HIS COUNTRYMEN TODAY.
THE INDIAN LEADER SPOKE AT A MAMMOTH PUBLIC MEETING OUTSIDE THE WALLS OF THE 300-YEAR-OLD RED FORT ON THE OCCASION OF THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF INDIAN FREEDOM. SEATED AROUND HIM ON THE RAMPARTS WERE MEMBERS OF THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS AND MINISTERS IN HIS CABINET.
RREFERRING TO THE KOREAN FIGHTING IN A 30-MINUTE SPEECH, NEHRU SAID INDIA IS TRYING TO PREVENT IT FROM SPREADING ON A WORLD SCALE. BUT HE ADDED:
"NONE CAN PREDICT WHAT WILL HAPPEN TOMORROW. WE MUST BE PREPARED FOR ALL EVENTUALITIES."
THE INDIAN PRIME MINISTER APPEALED FOR UNITY, STRENGTH, AND FEARLESSNESS IN VIEW OF THE DETERIORATING WORLD SITUATION.
"INDIA MUST DEPEND ON HERSELF AND HER INHERENT STRENGTH, NOT ON OTHERS," HE SAID.
RAISING HIS VOICE, HE CRIED:
"WE MUST ALL JOIN IN LIQUIDATING--MAKING A CLEAN SWEEP WITH THE BROOMSTICK--ALL ELEMENTS INTERFERING WITH THIS FUNDAMENTAL UNITY AND STRENGTH."
ALTHOUGH NEHRU DID NOT ELABORATE, IT WAS APPARENT HE MEANT COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNALISTS, SUCH AS THE HINDU MAHASABHA AND THE SIKH AKALI DAL PARTIES. SEIZING THE MICROPHONE IN HIS RIGHT HAND, HE SHOOK IT AS HE EMPHASIZED:
"IN THE NAME OF FREEDOM WE CANNOT ALLOW THESE PEOPLE TO JEOPARDIZE THAT VERY FREEDOM."
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B117 (Q)
NIGHT LEAD IRAN (160)
TEHRAN, IRAN, AUG.15-(AP)-PREMIER ALI RAZMARA ANNOUNCED THAT THE RUSSIANS TODAY RELEASED ONE IRANIAN OFFICER AND THREE SOLDIERS CAPTURED SEVEN MONTHS AGO IN A BORDER CLASH EAST OF THE CASPIAN SEA.
THE RUSSIAN ACTION WAS THE FIRST CONCRETE MOVE IN AN APPARENT SOVIET FRIENDSHIP CAMPAIGN AIMED AT COUNTERING AMERICAN OFFERS OF ECONOMIC AID TO THIS OIL-RICH COUNTRY.
PREMIER RAZMARA AND FINANCE MINISTER TAGHI NASR MET SOVIET AMBASSADOR IVAN SADCHIKOV AND TWO OTHER SOVIET OFFICIALS YESTERDAY TO OPEN NEGOTIATIONS FOR A TRADE PACT.
IT HAS BEEN REPORTED THAT RAZMARA INSISTED THAT THE RUSSIANS RELEASE NINE SOLDIERS SEIZED IN BORDER INCIDENTS AS PROOF OF GOOD FAITH IN THE TRADE TALKS. HE ALSO IS REPORTED TO HAVE DEMANDED THAT THE RUSSIANS RETURN $21,000,000 IN GOLD RESERVES HELD IN MOSCOW SINCE THE WAR. BUT THE RUSSIANS MADE NO COMMITMENT ON THAT POINT.
THE PREMIER SAID AMBASSADOR SADCHIKOV PROMISED THE RELEASE OF ALL NINE IRANIAN SOLDIERS. HE SAID THE FOUR WERE TURNED OVER TO IRANIAN AUTHORITIES AT CHARCHAHEE, ON THE BORDER OF SOVIET TURKESTAN.
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B80 Q
TEHRAN, IRAN, AUG.15-(AP)-A SOVIET TRADE DELEGATION IS NOW CONSULTING MOSCOW REGARDING ITS NEXT STEP IN A PROPOSED SOVIET-IRAN COMMERCIAL AGREEMENT, AN IRANIAN SOURCE SAID TODAY.
THERE WERE INDICATIONS THE TALKS, AIMED AT IMPROVING RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES, WILL BE DRAWN OUT.
PREMIER ALI RAZMARA AND FINANCE MINISTER TAGHI NASR MET SOVIET AMBASSADOR IVAN SADCHIKOV AND TWO OTHER SOVIET OFFICIALS YESTERDAY IN PRELIMINARY TALKS.
A HIGHLY COMPETENT IRANIAN SOURCE SAID A SOVIET TRADE OFFICIAL ARRIVED SUNDAY FROM MOSCOW BUT THE UNNAMED OFFICIAL DID NOT APPEAR AT YESTERDAY'S MEETING IN THE FOREIGN OFFICE.
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B37 Q
(KX FOR FX-APW)
SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, AUG.15-(AP)-THE PUBLISHER OF THE AUSTRALIAN COMMUNIST PARTY'S NEWSPAPER TRIBUNE WAS SENTENCED TO NINE MONTHS IN JAIL TODAY.
A SPECIAL FEDERAL COURT SENTENCED WILLIAM FARDON BURNS FOR PUBLISHING SEDITIOUS WORDS CONCERNING THE KOREAN WAR IN HIS ISSUE OF JULY 12.
BURNS FILED NOTICE OF AN APPEAL WAS GRANTED BAIL OF £500.
BURNS WAS CHARGED ON THREE COUNTS OF PUBLISHING SEDITIOUS WORDS. HE WAS CONVICTED ON ONE COUNT. THE OTHER TWO WERE DISMISSED.

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THE ARTICLE IN THE JULY 12 ISSUE OF THE TRIBUNE WAS HEADED: "SEAMEN'S PATRIOTIC LEAD--STOP WAR IN KOREA."

THE TRIBUNE ON JULY 1 CARRIED AN ARTICLE, A PORTION OF WHICH READ: "NOT A MAN, SHIP, OR PLANE FOR KOREA OR FOR MALAYA. NOT A MAN, NOT A SHIP, NOT A GUN FOR THE AGGRESSIVE IMPERIALIST WAR ON KOREA AND IN MALAYA."

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PRECEDE JAKARTA (B29)

JOGJAKARTA, INDONESIA, AUG. 15-(AP)-PRESIDENT SOEKARNO TODAY PRESIDED OVER THE DISSOLUTION OF THE FIVE-YEAR OLD INDONESIAN REPUBLIC TO MAKE WAY FOR A NEW UNITARY STATE WITH ONE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT.

EARLIER, IN JAKARTA, SOEKARNO PROCLAIMED THE NEW REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA TO COME INTO EXISTENCE THURSDAY. IT REPLACES THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA, A FEDERAL SYSTEM WHICH AT ONE TIME HAD AS MANY AS 16 STATES, INCLUDING THE ORIGINAL REPUBLIC WHICH HAD ITS CAPITAL HERE.

THE PRESIDENT SPEAKING AT A FINAL SESSION OF PARLIAMENT SAID:

"EVEN THOUGH ALL OF US KNOW THAT THIS ABOLITION MEANS THAT THE REPUBLIC IS SPREADING ITS WINGS OVER ALL INDONESIA, I ADMIT THAT IN MY HEART I WEEP. WE HAVE GIVEN ALL OUR ENERGY TO THE REPUBLIC THAT IT MIGHT BECOME STRONG AND CONSTITUTE OUR SHARPEST WEAPON IN FIGHTING FOR INDEPENDENCE."

THE ORIGINAL REPUBLIC SPEARHEADED THE REVOLUTION AGAINST THE DUTCH AND PROVED THE STRONGEST IN THE FEDERAL SETUP.

FIFTY MEMBERS OF THE PARLIAMENTARY WORKING COMMITTEE AND ADVISORY COUNCIL FROM JOGJAKARTA LATER LEFT BY AIR FOR JAKARTA WITH SOEKARNO. THEY WILL BE SWORN IN AS MEMBERS OF THE NEW PARLIAMENT ALONG WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE OLD U.S.I. LOWER HOUSE AND SENATE WHICH WERE ABOLISHED AT THE SAME TIME AS THE PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION WAS ISSUED. TOGETHER THEY WILL FORM A CARETAKER GOVERNMENT UNTIL A NEW CONSTITUTION IS APPROVED AND A PERMANENT REGIME ESTABLISHED.

THE NEW UNITARY STATE IS INTENDED TO DO AWAY WITH THE CONFLICTING DUAL GOVERNMENT OF THE LAST THREE MONTHS WHICH HAS BEEN MARKED BY SECESSION ATTEMPTS BY SEVERAL ISLANDS STATES.

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UNDER THE DRAFT CONSTITUTION ELECTIONS ARE TO BE HELD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO ELECT A CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY. THE ASSEMBLY THEN IS TO SET UP A PERMANENT STATE SYSTEM.

DISSATISFIED WITH THE SWITCH, THE RED-LED FEDERATION OF LABOR UNIONS (SOBSI) PROCLAIMED AUG.17 "A DAY OF MOURNING", ASSERTING THAT THE NEW UNITARY STATE REMAINS "CONTROLLED BY DUTCH AND OTHER FOREIGN CAPITALISTIC INTERESTS."

A NEW PARLIAMENT IS TO BE SWORN IN WEDNESDAY. PREMIER MOHAMED HATTA'S REGIME IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE AS A CARETAKER GOVERNMENT PENDING FORMATION OF A NEW CABINET. THERE WAS NO INDICATION THE SWITCH WOULD AFFECT INDONESIAN STATUS AS A MEMBER OF THE DUTCH UNION, UNDER THE DUTCH CROWN.

TODAY'S DEVELOPMENT FORMALIZED UNIFICATION OF 15 DUTCH-SPONSORED INDONESIAN STATES WITH THE REPUBLIC WHICH HAD SPARKED THE INDEPENDENCE MOVEMENT. POLITICAL LEADERS IN THE REPUBLIC HAVE BEEN PRESSING FOR A CONSTITUTIONAL TURNOVER TO A UNITARY STATE SINCE INDONESIAN INDEPENDENCE WAS PROCLAIMED LAST DECEMBER.

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MOSCOW, AUG. 15-(AP)-THE SOVIET NEWSPAPER LITERARY GAZETTE HINTED TODAY THAT THE LATE PATRIARCH OF THE SERBIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH IN YUGOSLAVIA, GAVRILO DOSIC, MAY HAVE BEEN ASSASSINATED FOR OPPOSING MARSHAL TITO'S SPLIT WITH RUSSIA.

THE NEWSPAPER TERMED THE DEATH LAST MAY OF THE PATRIARCH, SPIRITUAL LEADER OF 9,000,000 SERBIAN ORTHODOX FOLLOWERS ALL OVER THE WORLD, AS "SUDDEN" AND "UNEXPECTED." IT DECLARED THAT HIS DEATH WAS VERY ADVANTAGEOUS TO THE TITOISTS, SINCE HE WAS THEIR BITTER FOE AND HAD STOOD FIRMLY FOR SOVIET-YUGOSLAV FRIENDSHIP.

THE GAZETTE SAID THE ELECTION OF VIKENTIJE PRODANOV ON JULY 1 TO THE POST OF PATRIARCH LEFT VACANT BY GAVRILO'S DEATH HAD BEEN "FAKED" WITH THE AID OF TITO'S SECRET POLICE.

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THE LITERARY GAZETTE CHARGES AT THIS LATE DATE APPEARED TO BE PART OF THE SOVIET UNION'S CAMPAIGN TO TURN THE YUGOSLAV PEOPLE AGAINST THE TITO REGIME, WHICH FOR MORE THAN TWO YEARS HAS BEEN A THORN IN THE SIDE OF THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM.

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B56 (Q)

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MOSCOW, AUG.15-(AP)-THE LITERARY GAZETTE REPORTED TODAY THAT THE NORTH KOREANS HAD CAPTURED POHANG AIRPORT AND WERE MAKING A MAJOR DRIVE FOR THE IMPORTANT SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU.

(REPORTS EARLY TODAY FROM U.S. HEADQUARTERS IN SOUTH KOREAN SAID THAT THE MAJOR COMMUNIST PUSH ON TAEGU, EXPECTED IN THE VICINITY OF WAEGWAN, SO FAR HAD NOT DEVELOPED, AND THAT AMERICAN TROOPS STILL HELD THE POHANG AIR BASE.)

THE GAZETTE SAID THE NORTH KOREAN DRIVE ON TAEGU WAS BEING STAGED OVER A 19-MILE FRONT.

GEN. MACARTHUR'S STAFF, SAID THE NEWSPAPER, "ADMITS THE DRIVE IS THE MOST SIGNIFICANT OF THE ENTIRE CAMPAIGN."

THE GAZETTE'S DISPATCH SAID TANKS AND INFANTRY COLUMNS ARE "DELIVERING BASIC BLOWS FROM THE REGION OF WAEGWAN, ALSO EAST AND SOUTH OF THIS POINT."

THE NEWSPAPER SAID POHANG AIRPORT HAD BEEN CAPTURED BY NORTH KOREAN UNITS WHICH HAD "STORMED" THE PORT OF POHANG. IT ADDED THAT "PARTISANS" AIDED IN THE CAPTURE OF THE AIR BASE.

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MOSCOW, AUG.15-(AP)-THE SOVIET ARMY NEWSPAPER RED STAR SAID TODAY THE AMERICAN SOLDIER FIGHTING WITH UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA HAS A "BEASTLIKE FACE" AND RESMBLES THE NAZIS.

IN AN EDITORIAL THE NEWSPAPER SAID THE MORAL CHARACTER OF SOVIET FIGHTING MEN IS INFINITELY SUPERIOR TO THAT OF THE AMERICAN GI.

"FOR CARRYING OUT A BRIGANDISH IMPERIALIST POLICY THERE IS NECESSARY AN ARMY WITH A BRIGANDISH IDEOLOGY AND MORALS," RED STAR SAID. "IN THIS SPIRIT, SOLDIERS AND OFFICERS OF THE AMERICAN ARMY ARE INDOCTRINATED. IN IT THERE IS WIDELY CULTIVATED ALL THE REPULSIVE AND LOATHSOME QUALITIES WHICH DISTINGUISHED HITLER'S ROBBER ARMY."

IT ADDED:

"SOLDIERS OF MACARTHUR ENGAGE IN KOREAN VILLAGES IN HUNTS FOR CHICKENS AND CALVES, RAPE WOMEN, KILL INNOCENT CHILDREN."

IN CONTRAST, RED STAR DECLARED, THE MAIN QUALITY OF THE SOVIET SOLDIER IS LOVE OF HIS HOMELAND AND "AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE NOBLE TASKS OF THE ARMY AND COUNTRY OF SOCIALISM."

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MOSCOW, AUG. 15-(AP)-A HIGH NORTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL REPORTED TODAY THAT THE SOVIET UNION HAD GIVEN HIS COUNTRY WAR MATERIAL.

MACHINES, MINING EQUIPMENT, ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVES AND TRACTORS DURING THE POSTWAR PERIOD.

WRITING IN THE SOVIET NEWSPAPER PRAVDA, KIM DO BON, CHAIRMAN OF THE PRESIDIUM OF THE NORTH KOREAN SUPREME PEOPLES ASSEMBLY, HAILED RUSSIAN PRIME MINISTER STALIN AS "OUR LIBERATOR AND THE BEST FRIEND OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE AND OF ALL HONORABLE PEOPLE IN THE WORLD."

HE SAID THE WAR MATERIAL GIVEN BY THE RUSSIANS WAS THAT WHICH IS NOT PRODUCED IN KOREA.

DECLARING THAT THE KOREANS ARE PREPARED TO MAKE "ANY SACRIFICE WHATSOEVER" TO RID THEIR NATION OF THE "AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS," KIM SAID 800,000 YOUNG KOREAN PATRIOTS HAD VOLUNTEERED TO GO TO THE FIGHTING FRONT WITH THE COMMUNIST-LED NORTH KOREAN FORCES. WIVES AND SISTERS OF THE VOLUNTEERS WERE TAKING THEIR PLACES IN THE FACTORIES AND FIELDS, HE SAID.

KIM REPORTED THAT RESIDENTIAL AREAS IN THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG HAVE BEEN TURNED INTO RUINS BY AMERICAN BOMBING. HE SAID ONE PROSPEROUS NORTH KOREAN CITY HAD BEEN "WIPED FROM THE FACE OF THE EARTH" ALTHOUGH ITS ONLY STRATEGIC VALUE WAS THAT IT HAD A MINERAL FERTILIZER FACTORY. HE ALSO REPORTED THAT NORTH KOREA'S IMPORTANT EASTERN PORT CITY OF WONSAN HAD BEEN "WRECKED" BY THE BOMBINGS.

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COLOMBO, CEYLON, AUG.15-(AP)-CEYLON WILL BE PERMITTED TO IMPORT £5,500,000 ($15,400,000) WORTH OF JAPANESE GOODS, AS THE RESULT OF NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN STERLING AREA COUNTRIES AND SCAP AUTHORIES IN JAPAN, THE TRADE MINISTRY ANNOUNCED TODAY. THIS IS £800,000 ($2,240,000) MORE THAN THE AMOUNT ASKED FOR.

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HONG KONG, AUG.15-(AP)-THE HONG KONG STANDARD SAID TODAY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE PLACED ORDERS WITH A SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRY FOR 600,000 DRUMS OF OIL.

BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES RECENTLY BANNED EXPORT OF LIQUID FUELS TO RED CHINA.

THE STANDARD SAID THE OIL WOULD BE DELIVERED VIA INDONESIA AND INDIA. NAME OF THE SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRY WAS NOT PUBLISHED.

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MHONG KONG, AUG. 15-(AP)-REPORTS FROM CANTON SAY THE CHINESE UNEMPLOYED THERE ARE HOPPING MAD BECAUSE THEIR RELIEF DOLE OF RICE ISN'T LARGE ENOUGH AND HAS TOO MUCH SAND AND STONE MIXED IN.

A HONG KONG NEWSPAPER SAID TODAY 70 REPRESENTATIVES FROM VARIOUS UNEMPLOYED GROUPS IN CANTON LODGED A PROTEST WITH AUTHORITIES ASKING THAT THE SITUATION BE REMEDIED.

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HONG KONG, AUG.15-(AP)-RISING COSTS AND A BUSINESS SLUMP HAVE HIT THE RUBBER MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY HERE.

THE FUNG KEONG RUBBER PLANT, EMPLOYING 1,500, CLOSED LAST WEEK. SEVERAL SMALLER PLANTS HAD CLOSED EARLIER.

THE HONG KONG COMMISSIONER OF LABOR SAID FACTORIES MAKING NAILS AND NEEDLES ALSO HAVE BEEN HIT.

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OTTAWA, AUG.15-(AP)-THE CANADIAN ARMY SAID TODAY IT HAS ENLISTED 3,027 VOLUNTEERS FOR ITS SPECIAL UNITED NATIONS FORCE AND THAT ANOTHER 1,071 ARE GOING THROUGH ENLISTMENT FORMALITIES.

THIS INDICATED THAT NEARLY 4,100 OF THE ROUGHLY 5,000 MEN THE BRIGADE NEEDS NOW ARE IN UNIFORM OR VIRTUALLY SO.

RECRUITING HAS BEEN GOING ON FOR SIX DAYS FOR THE BRIGADE TO SERVE IN KOREA OR WHEREVER ELSE IT MIGHT BE SENT BY THE UNITED NATIONS.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 15-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM HAS THUS FAR BEEN A DECIDED, THOUGH NOT UNQUALIFIED, SUCCESS, ACCORDING TO A STUDY OF THE MARSHALL PLAN SPONSORED BY THE COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS.

THE STUDY, PUBLISHED TODAY UNDER THE TITLE OF "THE ECONOMICS OF FREEDOM", WAS MADE BY A GROUP OF EXPERTS UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF GENERAL DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER.

YESTERDAY, JOHN W. LIVINGSTON, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE CIO UNITED AUTO WORKERS AND HEAD OF A 12-MAN UAW-CIO GROUP JUST BACK FROM EUROPE, SAID THE MARSHALL PLAN IS A "MISERABLE FAILURE TO DATE AS FAR AS THE COMMON MAN IS CONCERNED." HE SAID THE PLAN IS ENRICHING FACTORY OWNERS, BUT NOT HELPING THE WORKERS.

TODAY'S REPORT BY THE GROUP OF EXPERTS WAS WRITTEN BY DR. HOWARD S. ELLIS, PAST PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION, WITH THE AID OF A TECHNICAL STAFF INCLUDING ECONOMISTS AND POLITICAL SCIENTISTS.

GENERAL EISENHOWER, IN AN INTRODUCTORY COMMENT, WROTE:

"DR. ELLIS INDICATES THAT THE WHOLE JOB IS NOT GOING TO BE COMPLETED BY 1952, WHEN THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM IS SCHEDULED TO END. A SPLENDID START WILL HAVE BEEN MADE, BUT STILL ONLY A START."

DR. ELLIS TERMED THE MARSHALL PLAN "MAINLY AN INVESTMENT OPERATION."

"THE AUGMENTATION OF EUROPEAN RESOURCES BY $15 BILLION WORTH OF UNITED STATES GOODS HAS BEEN, AND IS, PROVIDING THE WHEREWITHAL FOR A FOUR-YEAR PROGRAM OF RE-EQUIPMENT," HE WROTE.

LOOKING BEYOND THE SCHEDULED END OF E.R.P., DR. ELLIS STRESSED THE NEED TO MAINTAIN A HIGH LEVEL OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY IN THE UNITED STATES.

"FEAR OF DEPRESSION IN THE UNITED STATES IS ONE OF THE MAIN-SPRINGS OF EUROPEAN ECONOMIC ISOLATIONISM, ANTI-DOLLAR IMPORT DEVICES, BILATERALISM AND OF SKEPTICISM AND, INDEED, EVEN HOSTILITY TOWARD OUR INTERNATIONAL POLICIES."

THE COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS IS A NON-PROFIT INSTITUTION DEVOTED TO STUDY OF THE INTERNATIONAL ASPECTS OF AMERICAN POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND STRATEGIC PROBLEMS.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 15-(AP)-A UNITED AUTO WORKERS LEADER SAYS THE MARSHALL PLAN IS A "MISERABLE FAILURE" AS FAR AS EUROPE'S COMMON MAN IS CONCERNED.

IT MOSTLY HELPS GREEDY FACTORY OWNERS, JOHN W.LIVINGSTON, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE BIG CIO UNION, SAID ON HIS RETURN HERE YESTERDAY.

HE HEADED A 12-MAN UAW-CIO GROUP THAT TOURED WESTERN EUROPE FOR SIX WEEKS.

ALTHOUGH HE SAID HIS GROUP FAVORS THE PLAN, LIVINGSTON SAID IT WILL HAVE TO BE IMPROVED TO HELP THE EUROPEAN WORKING MAN IF IT IS TO DO AMERICA ANY LASTING GOOD.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 15-(AP)-TOYOHIKO KAGAWA, NOTED JAPANESE CHRISTIAN LEADER AND PACIFIST, TODAY ENDORSED THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA SAYING HE COULD NOT "CONDONE PASSIVE ACCEPTANCE OF RUSSIAN ENSLAVEMENT."

IN A STATEMENT KAGAWA, WHO IS IN THE UNITED STATES FOR A SIX-MONTH EVANGALISTIC TOUR, SAID:

"WE MUST BE GRATEFUL FOR THE GREAT EFFORT AND TRULY CHRISTIAN SACRIFICES NOW BEING MADE BY THE UNITED STATES SOLDIERS." HE ADDED:

"I CANNOT CONDONE THE FIGHTING IN KOREA. NO CHRISTIAN CAN CONDONE BLOODSHED. BUT NEITHER COULD I CONDONE THE PASSIVE ACCEPTANCE OF RUSSIAN ENSLAVEMENT. WE MUST THEREFORE ACCEPT THE FIGHTING IN KOREA WHETHER WE CONDONE IT OR NOT."

KAGAWA, WHO SAID HE HAD BEEN IMPRISONED FOR HIS VIEWS AGAINST VIOLENCE, ASSERTED THAT HAD NOT THE UNITED NATIONS ADVOCATED THE DEFENSE OF SOUTH KOREA AND HAD NOT THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER DEMOCRACIES ADVOCATED TREMENDOUS SACRIFICES FOR SOUTH KOREAN FREEDOM "THE COMMUNISTS WOULD NOT ONLY HAVE OVERRUN THAT COUNTRY, BUT WOULD HAVE CONTINUED THEIR ACTS OF AGGRESSION IN THE ATTEMPT TO OVERRUN THE ENTIRE FAR EAST."

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NEW YORK, AUG.15-(AP)-THE AMERICAN COMMUNIST PARTY HAS ASSAILED THE U.S. GOVERNMENT, WHICH WANTS TO JAIL 10 PARTY LEADERS AS DANGEROUS TO THE KOREAN WAR EFFORT.

"THERE IS NO PRECEDENT IN AMERICAN HISTORY FOR THIS SINISTER ACT," THE PARTY SAID IN AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT LAST NIGHT. "BUT THERE ARE PLENTY OF PRECEDENTS IN THE HISTORY OF HITLER'S TERROR RULE."

THE GOVERNMENT HAS ASKED THE SECOND CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS TO REVOKE THE BAIL OF 10 OF THE 11 COMMUNIST LEADERS CONVICTED IN THE COMMUNIST CONSPIRACY TRIAL. THE 11TH MAN, EUGENE DENNIS, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE AMERICAN PARTY, ALREADY IS IN JAIL FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.

U.S. ATTORNEYS SAID IN AN AFFIDAVIT THAT THE CONVICTED COMMUNISTS ARE "A CLEAR AND PRESENT DANGER" TO THE COUNTRY, AND QUOTED THE PARTY JOURNAL, THE DAILY WORKER, TO BOLSTER THEIR CASE.

THE COMMUNIST STATEMENT LAID DOWN THE FOLLOWING SLOGAN FOR THE LEGAL CONTEST.

"BAIL FOR THE COMMUNIST LEADERS. HANDS OFF THE BILL OF RIGHTS."

THE STATEMENT CONTINUED:

"THE THREAT TO REVOKE THE COMMUNIST LEADERS' BAIL IS A WARNING SIGNAL THAT NEW ATTACKS ON PEACE AND CIVIL LIBERTY ARE ALREADY PLANNED.

"THE AMERICAN WORKING CLASS AND PEOPLE NEED OUR PARTY'S STEADY HAND AT THE WHEEL TODAY AS THEY NEVER NEEDED IT BEFORE. THE LEGAL EXISTENCE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY CANNOT BE DESTROYED WITHOUT DESTROYING ALL FREEDOM OF SPEECH, PRESS, ASSEMBLY AND POLITICAL ASSOCIATION.

"WE COMMUNISTS ARE NOT GOING TO BE PANICKED--AND WE ARE NOT GOING TO BE CAUGHT NAPPING."

THE PARTY THEN CALLED FOR A $200,000 DEFENSE FUND FOR ITS FIGHT FOR CONTINUED BAIL.

THE 11 MEN POSTED A TOTAL OF $260,000 BOND, VARYING FROM MAN TO MAN. IT WAS PUT UP IN TREASURY BONDS BY THE CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS, LISTED AS A SUBVERSIVE ORGANIZATION BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE.

THE GROUP, INCLUDING DENNIS, LOST AN APPEAL FROM THEIR CONVICTION BEFORE THE CIRCUIT COURT TWO WEEKS AGO.

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PRECEDE NEW YORK CRABMEAT (A152)
BOSTON, AUG 15-(AP)-AFL LONGSHOREMEN ANGERED BY THE KOREAN WAR SAID TODAY THEY WON'T UNLOAD $578,000 WORTH OF RUSSIAN CANNED CRABMEAT CARRIED BY TWO VESSELS.

AFTER THEIR EARLIER REFUSAL TO HANDLE $250,000 WORTH OF THE DELECACY ENROUTE HERE FROM NEW YORK ON THE BRITISH LINER PARTHIA, THE UNION MEMBERS ALSO BOYCOTTED A $328,000 SHIPMENT ON THE UNITED STATES LINES' AMERICAN MANUFACTURER.

DANIEL J.DONOVAN, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNION, SAID:

"YOU CAN REST ASSURED WE WILL NOT MOVE THE RUSSIAN CARGO ONE INCH."

IN NEW YORK LONGSHOREMEN REFUSED TO UNLOAD THE PARTHIA AND LINE OFFICIALS SAID SHE WOULD RETURN THE CRABMEAT TO LIVERPOOL WITH NO ATTEMPT TO UNLOAD IT IN BOSTON.

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NIGHT LEAD CRABMEAT (110)
NEW YORK, AUG. 15-(AP)-A $250,000 CARGO OF RUSSIAN CRAB MEAT IS GOING BACK TO ENGLAND BECAUSE ANGRY LONGSHOREMEN HERE REFUSED TO UNLOAD THE SOVIET-CANNED PRODUCT.

THE BRITISH LINER PARTHIA BROUGHT THE CRAB MEAT HERE BUT MOVED ON TO BOSTON TODAY WITH THE CRAB MEAT STILL ABOARD.

NO ATTEMPT WILL BE MADE TO UNLOAD IT IN BOSTON, STEAMSHIP OFFICIALS SAID. IT WILL GO BACK TO ENGLAND WHEN THE PARTHIA SAILS FRIDAY.

AFL LONGSHOREMEN REFUSED TO UNLOAD THE 80 TONS OF CRAB MEAT, SAYING "WHY HELP RUSSIA MAKE MONEY IN THIS COUNTRY?"

ACTUALLY, BRITISH OFFICIALS EXPLAINED, THE CRAB MEAT NO LONGER BELONGS TO RUSSIA. BRITAIN TOOK IT OVER IN A TRADE AGREEMENT. IT WAS TOO EXPENSIVE FOR THE ENGLISH AND THEY DECIDED TO SELL IT HERE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, MONDAY, AUG. 14)

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(ADVANCE)..NEW YORK, AUG. 14-(AP)-SPOKESMEN FOR NINE ESSENTIAL INDUSTRIES ASSURED THE NATION TONIGHT THAT SUPPLIES AND PRODUCTIVE CAPACITY ARE AMPLE TO MEET THE PRESENT EMERGENCY.

SPEAKING ON A NATIONWIDE RADIO BROADCAST (OVER ABC) PRESENTED BY THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MANUFACTURERS, THEY DECLARED THAT HOARDING AND SCARE BUYING CREATE ARTIFICIAL SHORTAGES THAT INVITE UNNECESSARY GOVERNMENT CONTROLS AND BLACK MARKETEERING.

THEY ANSWERED A "ROLL CALL" BY IRA HOSMER, CHAIRMAN OF THE NAM'S INDUSTRIAL MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE, WITH THE FOLLOWING REPORTS:

FOOD--MORRIS SAYRE, NEW YORK, PRESIDENT OF THE CORN PRODUCTS REFINING CO., SAID "WE HAVE A MORE ABUNDANT SUPPLY ON HAND THAN WE'VE EVER HAD BEFORE."

RUBBER--HARRY E.HUMPHREYS, JR., NEW YORK, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES RUBBER CO., SAID OUR RAW MATERIAL SITUATION IS BETTER, PRODUCTION CAPACITY IS UP ONE-THIRD, AND "WE HAVE MORE WORKERS AND THEY HAVE MORE KNOW-HOW."

STEEL--CLARENCE B.RANDALL, CHICAGO, PRESIDENT INLAND STEEL CO., SAID THAT "SINCE THE LAST WAR STARTED WE HAVE BUILT AS MUCH NEW STEEL CAPACITY AS EXISTED IN ALL OF GERMANY WHEN THE WAR STARTED--THIS EXCESS CAPACITY IS IN ITSELF SUFFICIENT TO MEET THE PRESENT WAR DEMAND."

OIL--DR.ROBERT E.WILSON, BOARD CHAIRMAN, STANDARD OIL CO. (INDIANA), SAID "THERE IS NO NEED FOR RATIONING EVEN IF MILITARY DEMAND EXPANDS SUBSTANTIALLY FROM PRESENT LEVELS."

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TEXTILES--DONALD COMER, CHAIRMAN, AVONDALE MILLS, SYLACAUGA, ALA., DECLARED "THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF MEN'S AND WOMEN'S CLOTHING" IN COMING MONTHS AND THAT COTTON AND SYNTHETIC FIBER TEXTILE PRODUCTION IS FAR AHEAD OF LAST YEAR.

ELECTRIC POWER--LOUIS W.SUTTON, PRESIDENT, CAROLINA POWER AND LIGHT CO., RALEIGH, N.C., SAID THE ELECTRIC UTILITY INDUSTRY HAS ONE-THIRD MORE GENERATING CAPACITY THAN AT THE END OF WORLD WAR II.

ELECTRICAL MACHINERY--GWILYM PRICE, PRESIDENT, WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC CORP., PITTSBURGH, REPORTED THERE MIGHT BE SOME CUTBACKS IN PRODUCTION OF ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES IN ORDER TO TURN OUT DEFENSE ORDERS "BUT NO ONE WILL HAVE TO DO WITHOUT ESSENTIALS."

MACHINE TOOLS--CHARLES J.STILWELL, PRESIDENT, WARNER AND SWASEY CO., CLEVELAND, SAID THE MACHINE TOOL INDUSTRY CAN BE EXPANDED TO MEET TWICE THE PRESENT DEMAND.

BUILDING MATERIALS--DAVID GRAHAM, FINANCIAL VICE PRESIDENT, WEYERHAEUSER TIMBER CO., TACOMA, WASH., REPORTED HOME BUILDING MIGHT HAVE TO BE SLOWED DOWN TO DIVERT ESSENTIAL MATERIALS TO WAR PRODUCTION. BUT HE SAID 1950 STILL WILL BE A RECORD YEAR IN HOUSING.

GRAHAM ADDED THAT THE 61,000,000 WORKERS GAINFULLY EMPLOYED GIVE THE NATION ADEQUATE MANPOWER, AND THAT THERE WAS AN UNTAPPED RESERVOIR OF STUDENTS, HOUSEWIVES, RETIRED EMPLOYES, AND PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED PERSONS.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, MONDAY, AUG. 14)

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NEW YORK, AUG. 15-(AP)-A MEMBER OF THE FRENCH UNITED NATIONS STAFF STARTED INTO A MADISON AVENUE HABERDASHERY AT THE WRONG TIME TODAY. HE MET TWO BANDITS JUST COMING OUT WITH MORE THAN $500 IN CASH AND GOODS.

THEY STOPPED LONG ENOUGH TO TAKE $115 FROM THE FRENCHMAN, PIERRE ORDONNEAU, AN ADVISOR TO THE FRENCH U.N. GROUP.

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NIGHT LEAD U.N. (400)

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG 15-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS DIPLOMATS WERE CAUTIOUSLY NON-COMMITTAL TODAY ON INDIA'S KOREAN PEACE PLAN, BUT A SPOKESMAN SAID INDIA HAS DECIDED TO SPELL OUT THE DETAILS AS A FORMAL PROPOSAL.

THE PLAN PROVIDES FOR APPOINTMENT OF THE SIX ELECTED, NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE 11-NATION SECURITY COUNCIL AS A SPECIAL "LITTLE SIX" COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER ALL KOREAN PEACE PROPOSALS AND DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE FULL COUNCIL. THESE MEMBERS ARE ECUADOR, CUBA, NORWAY, EGYPT, YUGOSLAVIA AND INDIA.

SIR BENEGAL N.RAU, INDIA'S CHIEF DELEGATE, ADVANCED THE PLAN YESTERDAY AS A SUGGESTION. HE SAID HE WOULD SUBMIT A FORMAL RESOLUTION IF HE FOUND ENOUGH SUPPORT.

EXCEPT FOR INDIA'S DECISION TO DRAFT THE PROPOSAL IN DETAIL, THE SITUATION HERE SEEMED PRETTY MUCH THE SAME AS LAST NIGHT. DELEGATIONS SAID THEY WERE AWAITING INSTRUCTIONS FROM THEIR GOVERNMENTS OR MORE SPECIFIC INFORMATION ON THE INDIAN PLAN.

THE INDIAN SPOKESMAN ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE REACTION STILL WAS SHAPING UP, BUT HE SAID INITIAL RESPONSE WAS "NOT UNFAVORABLE."

FRANCE SUPPORTED THE PLAN IN PRINCIPLE YESTERDAY, BUT THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND CHINA--AS WELL AS THE SMALL POWERS--REFERRED THE QUESTION BACK TO THEIR CAPITALS FOR HIGH LEVEL DECISIONS. MOST OF THE COUNTRIES ALSO WANT TO CONSULT PRIVATELY WITH OTHER DELEGATIONS

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BEFORE TAKING A FIRM DECISION.

THE BIG QUESTION WAS: WHAT WILL RUSSIA DO? IN THE PAST, RUSSIA HAS VIGOROUSLY OPPOSED PROPOSALS WHICH WOULD SHUNT U.N. PROBLEMS INTO THE HANDS OF THE SMALL NATIONS.

DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES SAID THE SOVIET UNION MIGHT ALSO OPPOSE THE INDIAN PROPOSAL FOR AT LEAST TWO OTHER MAJOR REASONS:

1. IT WOULD SHUT OFF, AT LEAST TEMPORARILY, THE SOVIET PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL. THIS CAMPAIGN APPARENTLY IS THE MAIN REASON WHY RUSSIA ENDED HER SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT.
2. THE INDIAN DELEGATION ALREADY HAS SPECIFIED THAT ITS PROPOSAL WOULD BE BASED UPON THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS MUST WITHDRAW TO THE 38TH PARALLEL AS A BASIC CONDITION FOR ANY PEACE PLAN. RUSSIA, ON THE OTHER HAND, HAS DEMANDED THE WITHDRAWAL OF U.S. AND OTHER FOREIGN TROOPS.

WHILE NO OPPOSITION TO THE INDIAN PROPOSAL WAS HEARD, A MEMBER OF ONE DELEGATION DID QUESTION THE VALUE OF THE IDEA FROM A PRACTICAL STANDPOINT.

THIS DIPLOMAT, WHO DID NOT WISH TO BE IDENTIFIED, EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT ANY COMMITTEE WOULD BE ABLE TO DRAFT PEACE RECOMMENDATIONS THAT WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE TO THE COUNCIL MAJORITY AND AT THE SAME TIME SATISFACTORY TO RUSSIA. ANY PLAN, HE SAID, THAT WOULD SATISFY THE MAJORITY WOULD BE VETOED BY RUSSIA.

ONE USUALLY WELL-INFORMED SOURCE SAID CHIEF U.S.DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN HAD ASKED RAU TO GO AHEAD AND PUT HIS PLAN IN WRITING. AUSTIN WAS REPORTED TO HAVE SAID THE UNITED STATES COULD NOT DECIDE ITS POSITION UNTIL IT SAW THE SPECIFIC TERMS OF THE PROPOSAL.

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FIRST LEAD U.N. (160)

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.15-(AP)-INDIA HAS DECIDED TO PLACE BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL A FORMAL PLAN TO CREATE A "LITTLE SIX" COMMITTEE ON KOREAN PEACE, IT WAS DISCLOSED TODAY.

THIS WAS TAKEN TO MEAN THAT INDIA'S CHIEF DELEGATE, SIR BENEGAL N.RAU, WAS SATISFIED WITH THE INITIAL REACTION TO THE "SUGGESTION" HE ADVANCED AT YESTERDAY'S COUNCIL MEETING. HE TOLD THE COUNCIL HE WOULD FORMALIZE THE IDEA IF HE FOUND ENOUGH BACKING.

RAU SUGGESTED THAT THE SIX ELECTED, NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE 11-NATION COUNCIL MIGHT BE BETTER ABLE TO FIND A SOLUTION IN PUBLIC OR PRIVATE MEETINGS AT WHICH RUSSIAN AND AMERICAN DELEGATES WERE NOT PRESENT.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE INDIAN DELEGATION SAID THE REACTION SO FAR WAS "NOT UNFAVORABLE." HE ADDED THAT INDIA WOULD BE READY WITH A RESOLUTION WHEN THE COUNCIL CONVENES FOR ITS NEXT MEETING THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

A CHECK OF OTHER DELEGATIONS FAILED TO SHOW ANY OPPOSITION TO THE INDIAN SUGGESTION, ALTHOUGH MOST OF THE DELEGATES STILL WERE AWAITING INSTRUCTIONS FROM THEIR GOVERNMENTS. THE BIG QUESTION WAS RUSSIA'S ATTITUDE, FOR THE SOVIET DELEGATION WAS SILENT, AS USUAL.

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RAU SUGGESTED THAT SUCH A "LITTLE COUNCIL" STUDY "ALL RESOLUTIONS OR PROPOSALS THAT HAVE BEEN OR MAY BE PRESENTED FOR A PEACEFUL AND JUST SETTLEMENT IN KOREA AND SUBMIT THEIR RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE COUNCIL BY A SPECIFIED DATE."

THE WESTERN BIG THREE--FRANCE, BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES--GAVE THE IDEA A CORDIAL RECEPTION IN PRINCIPLE BUT SAID THEY WOULD LIKE TO HEAR MORE DETAILS.

HOWEVER, RUSSIA'S DELEGATE AND THE CURRENT COUNCIL PRESIDENT, JAKOB A.MALIK, MADE NO REFERENCE TO THE INDIAN SUGGESTION IN STATEMENTS LASHING BACK AT NORWEGIAN AND FRENCH ATTACKS ON THE WAY HE HAS BEEN FILLING THE CHAIR.

THE COUNCIL YESTERDAY CONTINUED -- WITHOUT SOLUTION -- ITS PROCEDURAL WAR OF WORDS OVER THE RUSSIAN-OPPOSED PROPOSAL TO LET A SOUTH KOREAN DELEGATE SIT IN ON THE SESSIONS.

CONTINUING THE WESTERN COUNTER TO MALIK'S SPEECH-MAKING, BOTH THE NORWEGIAN AND FRENCH DELEGATES SAID THE RUSSIAN PRESIDENT --- BY FAILING TO MAKE RULINGS FOR THE COUNCIL TO ACT ON -- HAD NOT FULFILLED HIS PRESIDENTIAL FUNCTIONS. FRANCE'S JEAN CHAUVEL ACCUSED MALIK OF A DR. JEKYLL AND MR.HYDE ACT.

ANSWERING NORWEGIAN DELEGATE ARNE SUNDE, MALIK SAID THREATS HAD BEEN MADE IN THE U.S. SENATE THAT MARSHALL AID WOULD BE WITHHELD FROM ANY COUNTRY FAILING TO HELP THE U.N. EFFORT IN KOREA. "AND THE TERM U.N. WAS USED HERE AS A COVER," THE RUSSIAN ADDED.

MALIK SAID HE CAME BACK TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL NOT AS SOVIET DELEGATE BUT BECAUSE COUNCIL RULES PROVIDED THAT RUSSIA SHOULD TAKE ITS ALPHABETICAL TURN AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT. MALIK SAID HE MET A "DEAF WALL OF RESISTANCE TO HIS PROPOSALS."

"BUT YOU COULDN'T EXPECT ANYTHING ELSE FROM A COUNTRY LIKE FRANCE WHICH HAS BEEN CARRYING ON A DIRTY WAR AGAINST VIETNAM," MALIK SAID IN ANOTHER STATEMENT OBVIOUSLY AIMED FOR PROPAGANDA USE IN ANOTHER QUARTER OF THE FAR EAST.

CHAUVEL REPLIED THAT THE "DEAF WALL WAS SET UP BY 53 NATIONS, NOT TO BAR PEACE BUT TO BLOCK AGGRESSION."

IT WAS THIS KIND OF EXCHANGE RAU'S PLAN WOULD HALT FOR A WHILE, AT LEAST. IT WOULD STOP MALIK AND HIS LONG SPEECHES, AS WELL AS THE SLASHING ATTACKS ON THE RUSSIAN POSITION MADE SINCE THE NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES BEGAN TO TALK BACK LAST WEEK.

THE "LITTLE COUNCIL" WOULD BE COMPOSED OF INDIA, YUGOSLAVIA AND NORWAY, ALL OF WHICH HAVE RECOGNIZED THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS, AND CUBA, ECUADOR AND EGYPT, WHICH HAVE NOT.

THE COMMUNIST CHINESE QUESTION WOULD FIGURE ONLY IN CONSIDERING THE SOVIET RESOLUTION ON SEATING NORTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVES BECAUSE IT ALSO CALLS FOR SEATING A CHINESE COMMUNIST, AT LEAST AS AN INTERESTED PARTY.

RAU SAID NONE OF THE GROUP COULD BE ACCUSED OF HAVING EXPANSIONIST AIMS.

RAU REMARKED THAT HE HAD HOPED MALIK'S RETURN TO THE COUNCIL AFTER HIS SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT WOULD HELP THE SITUATION. BUT THE TENSION BETWEEN THE U.S. AND RUSSIA HAS INCREASED, HE SAID.

AN INDIAN DELEGATION SPOKESMAN MADE CLEAR THAT ANY RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE "LITTLE COUNCIL" WERE INTENDED TO SUPPORT THE COUNCIL'S JUNE 25 AND 27 RESOLUTIONS DEMANDING A CEASE-FIRE AND A NORTH KOREAN WITHDRAWAL TO THE 38TH PARALLEL. WITHOUT THAT ROLLBACK, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, THERE COULD BE NO REAL SETTLEMENT.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., E.S.T., TONIGHT, TUESDAY,AUG 15--RADIO DELIVERY SCHEDULED FOR 9 P.M., E.S.T.)

AMS BUDGET (550)

STASSEN

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-HAROLD E.STASSEN SAID TONIGHT RUSSIA SHOULD BE NOTIFIED THAT WAR WILL BE CARRIED DIRECTLY TO HER SOIL IF "COMMUNIST IMPERIALIST FORCES" LAUNCH FURTHER AGGRESSION ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD.

HE SAID THIS SHOULD BE DONE BY CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION AND PETITION

TO THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

STASSEN, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA AND CANDIDATE FOR THE GOP PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION IN 1948, CALLED FOR SWEEPING FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC CHANGES IN POLICY IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY OVER CBS. THE SPEECH WAS ENTITLED "REAPING THE RED WHIRLWIND."

HE SAID THE U.S. CLEARLY CANNOT PERMIT NON-COMMUNIST NATIONS TO BE PICKED OFF ONE AT A TIME. BUT HE ADDED THAT IF MOSCOW FOLLOWS UP THE KOREAN ATTACK WITH RED SATELLITE AGGRESSIONS ELSEWHERE AND IF THE UNITED STATES ATTEMPTS TO MEET THE ATTACKS WHERE THEY OCCUR, ITS ARMED STRENGTH WILL BE DISSIPATED AT DISTANT POINTS OF THE WORLD.

"DO NOT THESE TWO ALTERNATIVE FACTS MEAN," HE ASKED, "THAT IT MUST BE AMERICAN POLICY THAT IF FURTHER AGGRESSIONS OCCUR AT ANY POINT IN THE WORLD BY THESE COMMUNIST IMPERIALIST FORCES, WE SHALL HOLD THE KREMLIN STRICTLY RESPONSIBLE?

"MUST IT NOT BE OUR POLICY TO ASK THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY TO FIX THAT RESPONSIBILITY UPON THE KREMLIN? SHOULD WE NOT MAKE IT CLEAR THAT AN ATTACK ON INDO-CHINA, OR BURMA, OR GREECE, OR TURKEY, OR GERMANY, OR AUSTRIA, WILL NOT SIMPLY MEAN THAT WAR COMES TO (THOSE COUNTRIES), BUT WILL MEAN THAT WAR WILL COME TO MOSCOW, TO THE URALS, AND TO THE UKRAINE?"

THIS SHOULD BE DONE IN ADVANCE, HE CONTINUED, BY CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION AND THEN LAID BEFORE THE UN FOR APPROVAL.

"UNDER THIS VITAL POLICY," HE SAID, "AMERICA MUST BE PREPARED TO BRING WAR DIRECTLY TO THE CENTERS OF COMMUNIST POWER IF THEY PERSIST IN STARTING WORLD WAR III THROUGH SATELLITE AGGRESSION."

PRESIDENT TRUMAN, IN A MESSAGE TO CONGRESS JULY 19, INDIRECTLY WARNED RUSSIA THAT NEW COMMUNIST AGGRESSION OUTSIDE KOREA WOULD BRING ON WORLD WAR III.

HE SAID HE WAS SURE THAT "THOSE WHO HAVE IT IN THEIR POWER TO UNLEASH OR WITHHOLD ACTS OF ARMED AGGRESSION MUST REALIZE THAT NEW RECOURSE TO AGGRESSION IN THE WORLD TODAY MIGHT WELL STRAIN TO THE BREAKING POINT THE FABRIC OF WORLD PEACE."

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SEN URGED AN EXPENDITURE OF $35,000,000,000 A YEAR FOR ARMING . AND FRIENDLY NATIONS.

AND TO PREVENT THIS FROM DAMAGING THE DOMESTIC ECONOMY, HE CALLED FOR A TAX INCREASE OF $10,000,000,000 A YEAR AND CUTS IN FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT NON-DEFENSE SPENDING OF AT LEAST $7,000,000,000 A YEAR.

STASSEN BEGAN HIS ADDRESS WITH AN ATTACK ON THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION. HE SAID IT HAS "SOWN SO MANY PINK SEEDS THAT NOW THE AMERICAN PEOPLE MUST REAP A RED WHIRLWIND."

HISTORY, HE ADDED, WILL "ADJUDGE OUR COUNTRY'S ADMINISTRATION IN THESE FIVE YEARS TO BE ONE OF THE MOST INCOMPETENT IN OUR NATION'S LIFETIME."

BUT HE SAID THAT WHILE IT IS LATE IT IS NOT TOO LATE, AND HE IS COMPLETELY CONFIDENT THE U.S. CAN AND WILL WIN THROUGH.

HE LOOKED TO CONGRESS FOR THE NEW LEADERSHIP BECAUSE, HE SAID, IT AS A WHOLE "HAS BEEN MORE RIGHT THESE LAST FIVE YEARS THAN THE EXECUTIVE ADMINISTRATION." HE THEREFORE URGED THAT PUBLIC OPINION AND THE PRESS ENCOURAGE CONGRESS TO EXERCISE INCREASING LEADERSHIP.

"THE STATESMEN ARE THERE AND ARE BEGINNING TO RESPOND," HE ASSERTED.

STASSEN SAID HE IS NOT PROPOSING THAT THE U.S. START A "PREVENTIVE WAR."

"BUT I AM SAYING," HE WENT ON, "THAT WE SHOULD SET FORTH WITH UNMISTAKABLE CLARITY THAT IF THE COMMUNIST LEADERS DO IN FACT START WORLD WAR III BY AGGRESSION THROUGH THEIR SATELLITES AND PUPPETS, WE AND OUR ASSOCIATES IN THE UNITED NATIONS INTEND TO FINISH IT, IN DUE TIME, AGAINST THE KREMLIN ITSELF."

ONCE THIS BROAD POLICY IS ESTABLISHED, HE SAID, AMERICAN MILITARY LEADERSHIP WILL KNOW HOW TO PREPARE AND FOR WHAT.

"IT SHOULD BE SAID," HE CONTINUED, "THAT THE REPEATED STATEMENTS OF POLICY BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE PRESIDENT THAT WE WOULD NOT DEFEND KOREA AND FORMOSA AND THE ELEVENTH-HOUR REVERSAL OF THAT POLICY, PLACED OUR MILITARY IN A VERY, VERY DIFFICULT POSITION.

"IT IS TO THE CREDIT OF GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR AND TO THE EVERLASTING CREDIT OF EACH AND EVERY SOLDIER, SAILOR, AIRMAN, AND MARINE IN THE KOREAN WAR, THAT THEY ARE DISCHARGING, AS WELL AS THEY ARE, THE SUDDEN RESPONSIBILITY PLACED UPON THEM BY THE ADMINISTRATION'S BELATED REVERSAL OF POLICY."

ON THE HOME FRONT, STASSEN URGED THAT ANTI-INFLATION CONTROLS BE ADMINISTERED BY A SPECIAL EMERGENCY AGENCY UNDER A NON-POLITICAL EXECUTIVE AND NOT SCATTERED AMONG POLITICALLY-APPOINTED CABINET MEMBERS. PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS SAID EXISTING OLD-LINE AGENCIES ARE PREPARED FOR THE JOB.

STASSEN ALSO PROPOSED THAT THE LEGISLATION PROVIDE THAT CONTROLS CAN BE LIFTED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY CONGRESS "TO FURTHER PREVENT THE PRESIDENT FROM ABUSING THE POWER."

HE ALSO SUGGESTED THAT A TOP CALIBER MAN, NOT IN POLITICS, BE PUT IN CHARGE OF ARMAMENT PRODUCTION. THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, HE SAID, "HAVE NOT RECEIVED THEIR MONEY'S WORTH FROM THE FIFTY BILLION SPENT FOR DEFENSE IN THE PAST FOUR YEARS."

EARLY INITIATION OF A COMPREHENSIVE ASIATIC ECONOMIC PROGRAM PARALLELING BUT DIFFERING FROM THE MARSHALL PLAN ALSO WAS PROPOSED, WITH THE INITIATIVE COMING FROM ASIATIC LEADERS THEMSELVES.

AS A "MAJOR OFFENSIVE IN THE COLD WAR," STASSEN SAID THE GOVERNMENT SHOULD GIVE ASSISTANCE AND ENCOURAGEMENT TO ALL PEOPLE WHO WISH TO ADVANCE THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM, INCLUDING THOSE MILLIONS WITHIN THE COUNTRIES NOW UNDER COMMUNIST DICTATORSHIPS.

THIS PROGRAM SHOULD BE PLACED UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF A HIGH CALIBER MAN, HE SAID, PREFERABLY SOMEONE WITH SUCCESSFUL EXPERIENCE IN THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES DURING THE LAST WAR.

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STASSEN FURTHER PROPOSED:

1. THAT THE U.S. ASK BRITAIN AND INDIA TO JOIN IT IN ASKING THE U.N. TO APPOINT A SPECIAL COMMISSION TO VISIT CHINA AND INVESTIGATE RED CHINA'S APPLICATION FOR A SEAT IN THE UN. BEFORE PASSING ON THE APPLICATION, HE SAID, IT SHOULD BE DETERMINED WHETHER RED CHINA IS UNDER COMPLETE DOMINATION OF ANOTHER POWER. IF SUCH A COMMISSION IS REFUSED ADMITTANCE TO CHINA, ALL NATIONS "WILL THEN HAVE CLEAR GROUND FOR REJECTING THE APPLICATION FOR THE VETO SEAT."

2. THAT THE U.N. REQUEST ITS KOREAN COMMISSION AND GENERAL MACARTHUR TO REPORT ALL INFORMATION BEARING UPON ANY ASSISTANCE GIVEN, FOLLOWING THE CEASE FIRE ORDER, TO THE INVADING NORTH KOREAN FORCES BY ANY MEMBERS OF THE U.N.

3. THAT THE U.S. MUST EXPRESS A CONTINUOUS WILLINGNESS TO MEET IN CONFERENCE AT ANY TIME, "SEEKING THE AVENUES FOR TRUE PEACE."

4. THAT THE U.N. DEVELOP A GENUINE INTERNATIONAL POLICE FORCE.

5. THAT THE U.S. TAKE THE LEADERSHIP IN PLANNING A FUTURE CONVENTION TO RE-WRITE THE U.N. CHARTER.

6. THAT THE FREE COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD, INCLUDING THE U.S., REEXAMINE THEIR POLICIES TOWARD THE COMMUNIST PART, AND REMOVE THE "LEGAL PRIVILEGES EXTENDED TO THESE FIFTH COLUMN ORGANIZATIONS."

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-THE SELECTIVE SERVICE DIRECTOR SAID TODAY HE EXPECTS ADDITIONAL DRAFT CALLS IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS FOR PERHAPS FAR MORE THAN 85,000 MEN.

MAJ.GEN.LEWIS B.HERSHEY TOLD A REPORTER THESE WOULD BE IN ADDITION TO CALLS THAT ALREADY HAVE GONE OUT FOR 100,000 MEN FOR THE ARMED FORCES IN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER.

IN TESTIMONY GIVEN AUG. 1 AND MADE PUBLIC TODAY BY THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE, HERSHEY SAID HE HAD BEEN AUTHORIZED TO ASK FOR AROUND 185,000 MEN DURING THE PRESENT FISCAL YEAR ENDING NEXT JUNE 30.

THIS WOULD MEAN THAT IN ADDITION TO THE 100,000 CALLS ALREADY ANNOUNCED, 85,000 MEN WOULD BE DRAFTED.

BUT HERSHEY TOLD A REPORTER THE FIGURES WERE BASED ON ESTIMATES MADE IN JULY AND ARE CONSIDERABLY OUT OF DATE.

"I DON'T THINK WE'LL TRY TO GET BY WITH ANYWHERE NEAR AS LOW AS 85,000 ADDITIONAL MEN," HE SAID.

HERSHEY APPEARED BEFORE THE HOUSE COMMITTEE AUG. 1 IN SUPPORT OF A REQUEST FOR $20,475,000 (M) OF ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR SELECTIVE SERVICE, TO ADD TO $4,954,000 (M) PREVIOUSLY VOTED.

HE TOLD THE COMMITTEE HE ALREADY HAS CALLED FOR 100,000 INDUCTEES "AND I EXPECT A 50,000 CALL FOR NOVEMBER, WHICH WILL LEAVE ME ONLY 35,000 FOR THE REST OF THE YEAR" RUNNING TO NEXT JUNE 30.

WITH REFERENCE TO THE 50,000 IN NOVEMBER, THE GENERAL SAID TODAY THAT "I CAN'T SEE ANYTHING IN THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION THAT WOULD CALL FOR LESS. IT LOOKS AS IF IT MIGHT INCREASE IF ANYTHING. I EXPECT THE CALL IN ABOUT 15 DAYS."

THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT DECIDES WHAT IT NEEDS IN THE WAY OF MILITARY MANPOWER AND THEN HERSHEY PUTS THROUGH THE DRAFT CALLS.

HE SAID THE 85,000 ADDITIONAL, BEYOND PRESENT CALLS FOR 100,000 INDUCTEES, "ACTUALLY DOESN'T MEAN ANYTHING, AS I SEE IT."

"WE WERE TALKING," HE SAID, "IN TERMS OF 20,000 MEN A MONTH."

FOR WHAT IS LEFT OF THIS FISCAL YEAR THAT WOULD HAVE BEEN AROUND 180,000 OR 185,000 MEN, OR PERHAPS 85,000 MORE THAN ALREADY HAVE BEEN CALLED, THE GENERAL SAID. BUT IN THE LIGHT OF THE PRESENT WORLD SITUATION, HERSHEY SAID HE HAS NO IDEA WHAT THE CALLS MAY TOTAL. HE NOTED THAT CONGRESS KNOCKED THE CEILING OFF THE SIZE OF THE ARMED SERVICES.

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THE ARMY'S FIRST DRAFT REQUEST WAS FOR 20,000 MEN. THEN ON JULY 27 IT BOOSTED THE NUMBER TO 100,000--50,000 IN SEPTEMBER AND 50,000 IN OCTOBER.

AND DEFENSE OFFICIALS FIGURES HAVE BEEN TALKING OF BOOSTING MILITARY MANPOWER BY 800,000 MEN, THROUGH THE DRAFT AND BY CALLING UP RESERVES AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN.

SO FAR, ONLY MEN IN THE 19 THROUGH 25 AGE BRACKET ARE BEING DRAFTED. SELECTIVE SERVICE STARTS WITH 25 AND 24 YEAR OLDS, THEN WORKS DOWN TO THE 19 YEAR OLDS.

IN ANOTHER DEVELOPMENT, SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, NAMED A THREE-MAN SUBCOMMITTEE TO PUSH A "DRAFT DOCTORS" BILL. HE ACTED AFTER OFFICIALS INFORMED HIM THE ARMED SERVICES URGENTLY REQUIRE DOCTORS, DENTISTS AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL MEN UP TO 45 YEARS OLD.

THE SENATE VOTED DURING THE DAY TO SUSPEND ONE-YEAR ENLISTMENTS IN THE ARMED SERVICES. IT PASSED AND SENT TO THE HOUSE AN AMENDMENT CHANGING A PROVISION OF THE DRAFT ACT WHICH ALLOWED ONE-YEAR ENLISTMENTS BY 18 YEAR OLDS.

THE PROVISION HAS NOT BEEN USED RECENTLY BY THE ARMED FORCES.

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NIGHT LEAD FAMILY ALLOWANCES

WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED CONGRESS TODAY TO BEGIN BENEFIT PAYMENTS THIS MONTH TO DEPENDENT FAMILIES OF AMERICAN SERVICEMEN, WITH A TOP LIMIT OF $150 A MONTH FOR ANY FAMILY.

THIS WOULD INCLUDE DEDUCTIONS FROM THE SERVICE MEN'S PAY AS WELL AS GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS.

MR.TRUMAN SENT THE ADMINISTRATION'S PROPOSALS TO BOTH HOUSES OF CONGRESS IN A LENGTHY MESSAGE FROM THE BUDGET BUREAU.

UNDER THE ADMINISTRATION PLAN:

1. A DEPENDENT WIFE WOULD RECEIVE $75 A MONTH, PLUS $25 A MONTH FOR EACH DEPENDENT CHILD--BUT NOT MORE THAN $150 ALTOGETHER.

2. A DEPENDENT PARENT WOULD RECEIVE $60 A MONTH FOR ONE PERSON OR $70 FOR TWO.

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BUT IN THE CASE OF A SERVICEMAN WITH A DEPENDENT WIFE, CHILDREN AND PARENTS, THE COMBINED TOTAL COULD NOT EXCEED $150.

THE BUREAU RECOMMENDED THAT IN SUCH A CASE, WHERE MORE MONEY WAS NEEDED FOR THE COMBINED FAMILY DEPENDENTS, THE SERVICEMAN SHOULD BE DISCHARGED FROM ACTIVE DUTY.

THE BUREAU ALSO PROPOSED THAT THE SERVICEMAN SHOULD CONTRIBUTE AS HIS SHARE THE LESSER OF TWO SUMS:

1. EITHER ONE-HALF OF THE TOTAL FAMILY ALLOWANCE.

2. OR 60 PERCENT OF HIS PAY.

THE MESSAGE RECOMMENDED THAT NO FAMILY ALLOWANCE BE GIVEN IN THE CASES OF SERVICEMEN IN THE TOP THREE AND ONE-HALF GRADES IN ALL THE ARMED FORCES WHO ALREADY RECEIVED $67.50 A MONTH ALLOWANCE FOR QUARTERS.

THE ADMINISTRATION'S PROPOSALS CAME AS THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEES OF BOTH THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE MOVED TO DRAFT LEGISLATION AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE IN RESPONSE TO REPORTS THAT SOME FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN HAVE ALREADY BEGUN TO SUFFER FINANCIAL HARDSHIP.

THE BUDGET BUREAU SAID THE BENEFIT PAYMENTS SHOULD BEGIN SEPT. 1, WITH PAYMENTS COVERING THE MONTH OF AUGUST. THEY WOULD INCLUDE THOSE WHO WNETERED THE ARMED FORCES ON OR AFTER AUG. 1.

THE BUREAU CALLED FOR THE PAYMENTS TO START PROMPTLY "TO ASSURE EQUITABLE TREATMENT FOR THOSE BEING MOBILIZED AT THIS TIME."

CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE TOLD NEWSMEN FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S MESSAGE THAT HE WAS CONSIDERING A "COMPROMISE"--SOMEWHERE BETWEEN THE $50 BASIC BENEFIT PAYMENT OF WORLD WAR II AND THE $75 A MONTH PROPOSED BY THE BUDGET BUREAU.

TYDINGS SUGGESTED $65 MIGHT BE ABOUT RIGHT.

EARLIER IN THE DAY, A MODERNIZED PLAN PATTERNED AFTER WORLD WAR II FAMILY ALLOWANCES WAS SUBMITTED BY THE ARMED SERVICES.

IT PROVIDED $75 A MONTH FOR DEPENDENT WIVES, PLUS $25 FOR EACH DEPENDENT CHILD--WITH NO LIMIT ON PAYMENTS FOR EXTRA CHILDREN. IN ADDITION, IT PROPOSED THAT A DEPENDENT PARENT WOULD GET $75 A MONTH, OR $90 FOR TWO.

DURING WORLD WAR II, THE FAMILY ALLOWANCES PLAN COST ABOUT $10,000,000,000.

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(210) ARMORIES

WASHINGTON,AUG.15-(AP)-THE HOUSE VOTED TODAY TO LET THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT BUILD ARMORIES AND TRAINING FACILITIES FOR THE NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVE FORCES OF THE ARMED SERVICES.

THE LEGISLATION, WHICH NOW GOES TO THE SENATE, IS WHAT IS KNOWN AS AN AUTHORIZATION MEASURE. THE AMOUNT OF ACTUAL CONSTRUCTION WILL DEPEND ON HOW MUCH MONEY CONGRESS MAY APPROPRIATE LATER.

IN LAST MINUTE ACTION, THE HOUSE STRUCK OUT A PROVISION LIMITING TO $400,000,000(M), AT THE RATE OF NO MORE THAN $50,000,000 A YEAR, THE AMOUNT THAT COULD BE SPENT.

THIS WAS DONE ON THE MOTION OF REPRESENTATIVE BROOKS (D-LA). BROOKS SAID HE WANTED TO TAKE OFF RESTRICTIONS SO THAT THE ARMORY PROGRAM COULD BE EXPANDED AS NEEDED.

THE BILL AUTHORIZES THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEES OF CONGRESS, TO BUILD FEDERAL ARMORIES AND TRAINING FACILITIES OUT OF FEDERAL FUNDS.

THESE ARMORIES, BUILT WITH 100 PERCENT FEDERAL FUNDS, WOULD BE UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE.

THE BILL ALSO AUTHORIZES THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE TO CONTRIBUTE TO ANY STATE 75 PERCENT OF THE COST OF CONSTRUCTION, EXPANSION OR REHABILITATION OF STATE ARMORIES AND TRAINING FACILITIES. THE REMAINING 25 PERCENT WOULD BE PAID BY THE STATES.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY,TUESDAY AUG.15)

(350) DEFENSE HOUSING

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.15-(AP)-IN A NEW DEFENSE MOVE, THE GOVERNMENT TODAY HALTED ITS PROGRAM OF GETTING RID OF FEDERAL HOUSING THAT WAS ORIGINALLY PROVIDED FOR WAR WORKERS OR VETERANS.

THE GOVERNMENT STILL CONTROLS 354,000 FAMILY UNITS OF THIS HOUSING, EITHER THROUGH OUTRIGHT OWNERSHIP OR REGULATION OF ITS USE. IT HAD NEARLY 1,000,000 UNITS AT THE END OF THE WAR BUT HAS BEEN SELLING THEM, TEARING THEM DOWN, GIVING THEM TO LOCAL COMMUNITIES, OR OTHERWISE YIELDING ITS INTEREST IN THEM.

RAYMOND M.FOLEY, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE HOUSING AND HOME FINANCE AGENCY, ORDERED A "TEMPORARY SUSPENSION" OF THIS PROGRAM, WITH CERTAIN EXCEPTIONS.

FOLEY ANNOUNCED THAT THE GOVERNMENT, BY HOLDING ON TO WHAT REMAINS OF ITS WAR AND VETERANS' HOUSING, WILL BE IN A POSITION TO MAKE IT AVAILABLE FOR ANY DEFENSE REQUIREMENTS.

HE ADDED THAT THE GOVERNMENT WILL ALSO BE IN A POSITION "TO GIVE TOP PRIORITY, TO THE EXTENT THAT THE LAW PERMITS, TO FAMILIES OF WORKERS ENGAGED IN DEFENSE ACTIVITIES AND TO MILITARY PERSONNEL."

FOLEY SAID THE ACTION IS IN KEEPING WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S RECENT ORDER TO AGENCY HEADS TO IMPOSE CURBS ON HOUSING LOANS AND TAKE SUCH OTHER ACTIONS AS ARE NEEDED CONCERNING "THE USE OF MATERIALS AND OTHER RESOURCES NEEDED FOR THE DEFENSE EFFORT."

OF THE 354,000 UNITS STILL UNDER FEDERAL JURISDICTION, ABOUT 217,000 ARE OF TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION AND 137,000 PERMANENT. THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY HAS BEEN TO GIVE RENTAL PRIORITY IN THESE UNITS TO VETERANS AND SERVICEMEN.

THE SUSPENSION DOES NOT APPLY WHERE COMMITMENTS FOR SALE OR TRANSFER HAVE ALREADY BEEN MADE. NOR DOES IT APPLY TO THESE TWO CATEGORIES:

8,300 UNITS OF HOUSING THAT WAS PROVIDED DURING THE WAR BY LEASING EXISTING STRUCTURES AND CONVERTING THEM INTO DWELLINGS FOR WAR WORKERS.

7,600 UNITS OF TEMPORARY "VETERANS RE-USE HOUSING" WHICH HAVE BEEN MOVED TO NON FEDERAL LND AND TURNED OVER TO LOCAL BODIES, BUT ON WHICH THE INCOME IS STV

MOVED TO NON FEDERAL LAND AND TURNED OVER TO LOCAL BODIES, BUT ON WHICH THE INCOME IS STILL GOING TO THE GOVERNMENT.

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WAR INTERPRETIVE

BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN PREDICTED TODAY THAT THE PAYOFF FROM U.S. AIR SUPREMACY IN KOREA WILL INCREASE 10-FOLD WHEN A GROUND OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS BECOMES POSSIBLE.

HE DECLINED TO EXPRESS ANY OPINION AS TO WHEN SUCH AN OFFENSIVE MAY COME, HOWEVER. IT DOES NOT SEEM LIKELY SOON, SINCE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES ARE STILL OUTNUMBERED AND FIGHTING TO HOLD A BASE FOR A CONTINUING BUILDUP.

THE AIRMEN COMPARED THE CONFLICT IN KOREA WITH THE STRUGGLE BETWEEN THE WESTERN ALLIES AND GERMANY IN ITALY DURING WORLD WAR II.

WITH "OPERATION STRANGLE", HE SAID, THE AIR FORCE IN ITALY BLASTED THE GERMAN'S SUPPLY LINES. BUT THE WEHRMACHT WAS ABLE TO MOVE A TRICKLE OF SUPPLIES BY NIGHT. AND AS LONG AS THE GERMANS WERE FREE TO DECIDE WHEN AND WHERE AND TO WHAT EXTENT THESE SUPPLIES SHOULD BE USED, THEY WERE ABLE TO LIVE AND CONTINUE FIGHTING WITH THEM.

IN THAT SITUATION, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, AIRMEN GAVE THIS ADVICE: "IF YOU WANT THE PAYOFF, ATTACK."

WHEN THE GROUND FORCES ATTACKED, HE SAID, THE GERMANS LOST THE ABILITY TO EXPEND SUPPLIES WHEN AND WHERE THEY WISHED AND GERMAN UNITS FOUND THEMSELVES WITH SUPPLIES EXHAUSTED.

UNDER THE PRESSURE OF THE ATTACK, THEY COULD NOT WAIT ON FRESH SUPPLIES MOVING SLOWLY TO THEM BY NIGHT, NOR COULD THEY LIMIT THEIR OWN MOVEMENTS TO THE HOURS OF DARKNESS. THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT AS A RESULT, CONTINUING AIR SUPPORT OPERATIONS PAID OFF AT LEAST TEN TIMES AS MUCH AS BEFORE THE ATTACK BEGAN.

ALTHOUGH CONTENDING THAT AIR SUPPORT OPERATIONS CANNOT PAY OFF FULLY WHEN GROUND FORCES BEING SUPPORTED ARE FIGHTING A DEFENSIVE BATTLE, THE AIR FORCE OFFICER SAID THAT AIR SUPPORT OF DEFENSIVE FORCES IS NEVERTHELESS ESSENTIAL. HE SAID IT HAS PERMITTED THE LANDING OF TROOPS ENTIRELY WITHOUT AIR OPPOSITION, HAS GREATLY REDUCED THE FLOW OF SUPPLIES TO THE COMMUNIST DIVISIONS, AND HAS LEFT AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS FREE TO MOVE VIRTUALLY WITHOUT FEAR OF AIR ATTACK. HE SAID SOME AMERICAN ARMY OFFICERS IN KOREA HAVE NEVER SEEN AN ENEMY PLANE.

IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION, THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT MORE AMERICAN PLANES COULD BE USED IN KOREA. BUT HE SAID THE REASON WHY MORE ARE NOT SENT TO THE FAR EAST, HE SAID, IS THAT SHIPPING SPACE WHICH WOULD BE REQUIRED TO SUPPORT THEIR OPERATIONS IS NEEDED MORE FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

DURING THE LAST MONTH (JULY 14 TO AUG. 14) THE U.S. AIR FORCE IN THE FAR EAST FLEW A TOTAL OF 12,519 SORTIES, OF WHICH 9,615 WERE COMBAT SORTIES AND THE REMAINDER LARGELY CARGO FLIGHTS. THESE OPERATIONS OCCURED DURING THE RAINY SEASON, WHICH HAMPERED AIR ACTIVITY. THE WEATHER NORMALLY IMPROVES STEADILY FROM NOW UNTIL OCTOBER, WHEN IT IS EXCELLENT. A PARALLEL INCREASE IN THE INTENSITY AND EFFECTIVENESS OF AIR ACTIVITY IS PREDICTED.

IN ADDITION TO THE 9,615 COMBAT SORTIES FLOWN BY THE AIR FORCE FROM JULY 14 TO AUGUST 14, F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTERS OF THE AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE FLEW 464 SORTIES.

DURING THE MONTH OF JULY, NAVAL AND MARINE FLIERS ALSO FLEW 1,148

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SORTIES.

NAVAL AIR STRENGTH IN THE AREA HAS INCREASED RECENTLY, BUT SORTIE TOTALS FOR THE MONTH FROM JULY 14 TO AUGUST 14 ARE NOT YET AVAILABLE. A SORTIE IS A SINGLE FLIGHT BY ONE PLANE.

AN IDEA OF THE EXTENT OF AIR OPERATIONS IN KOREA MAY BE OBTAINED BY COMPARISON WITH OPERATIONS OF THE 19TH TACTICAL AIR COMMAND IN EUROPE DURING THE FALL OF 1944 IN SUPPORT OF GENERAL GEORGE PATTON'S THIRD ARMY. DURING THE SPLENDID WEATHER OF AUGUST THAT YEAR, 19TH TAC FLEW 12,292 SORTIES. THIS DECREASED WITH WORSENING WEATHER TO 7,791 IN SEPTEMBER, 4,290 IN OCTOBER AND 3,509 IN NOVEMBER. THE STRENGTH OF THE THIRD ARMY VARIED AT THIS TIME FROM SIX TO EIGHT DIVISIONS.

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KOREA

WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED REPORTS THAT THE NORTH KOREANS STARTED GENERAL MOBILIZATION OF ALL MEN AND WOMEN BETWEEN THE AGES OF 20 AND 40 ON AUG. 1.

BRIEFING OFFICERS TOLD NEWSMEN TODAY THESE REPORTS WERE NOT OFFICIALLY CONFIRMED BUT FOLLOWED DEFINITE INFORMATION THAT THE COMMUNISTS STARTED CONSCRIPTING YOUNG MEN AND SOME WOMEN IN THE SEOUL AREA SEVERAL WEEKS AGO.

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TRUMAN KOREA

WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-BOTH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE SAY THEY ARE CONFIDENT OF VICTORY IN THE KOREAN WAR.

PRESIDENT RHEE SAID YESTERDAY AT TAEGU, KOREA, THAT THE DAY OF THE TOTAL DEFEAT FOR THE NORTH KOREANS AND COMMUNISTS WILL BE HERE SOON. HE SPOKE ON THE SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.

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MR.TRUMAN SENT A MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT RHEE SAYING:

"I KNOW THAT THE AGGRESSOR WILL BE REPELLED AND THAT THE PEOPLE OF KOREA WILL ACHIEVE THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE WHICH ARE THEIR NATURAL RIGHT."

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BULLETIN

TRUMAN-KOREA

WASHINGTON,AUG.15-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TOLD SOUTH KOREA'S PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE TODAY THAT "VICTORY IS ASSURED" IN THE KOREAN WAR.

"I KNOW THAT THE AGGRESSOR WILL BE REPELLED AND THAT THE PEOPLE OF KOREA WILL ACHIEVE THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE WHICH ARE THEIR NATURAL RIGHT," MR.TRUMAN SAID IN A MESSAGE.

"BY A STAUNCH ADHERENCE TO THE PRINCIPLES OF RIGHT AND DEMOCRACY, VICTORY IS ASSURED."

THE MESSAGE, MADE PUBLIC BY THE WHITE HOUSE, FOLLOWS:

"ON THIS SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF THE PROCLAMATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, WHICH BINDS THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS AIDING YOUR PEOPLE IN THE COMMON PURPOSE OF REPELLING A SAVAGE AND RUTHLESS COMMUNIST INVADER, I CONVEY TO YOUR EXCELLENCY AND TO THE PEOPLE OF KOREA THE GOOD WISHES OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES.

"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE WATCHED WITH GREAT SATISFACTION THE IMPRESSIVE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA SINCE ITS FOUNDING TWO YEARS AGO.

"I KNOW THAT THE AGGRESSOR WILL BE REPELLED AND THAT THE PEOPLE OF KOREA WILL ACHIEVE THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE WHICH ARE THEIR NATURAL RIGHT. BY A STAUNCH ADHERENCE TO THE PRINCIPLES OF RIGHT AND DEMOCRACY, VICTORY IS ASSURED."

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-NAVAL REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED STATES, UNITED KINGDOM AND CANADA HAVE HELD PRELIMINARY TALKS ON STANDARDIZING NAVAL OPERATIONS, AND THE DISCUSSIONS ARE TO CONTINUE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, ANNOUNCING THIS TODAY, SAID THE TALKS ARE PART OF AN OVER-ALL PLAN "FOR COLLABORATION IN THE BROADER MILITARY STANDARDIZATION PROGRAM AMONG ALL THE ARMED FORCES" OF THE U.S., U.K. AND CANADA.

ADM.FORREST P.SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, HAS GIVEN HIS OKAY FOR CONTINUANCE OF THE NAVAL PHASE OF THE TALKS, THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SAID.

THE AIM IS TO WORK OUT A "GRADUAL DEVELOPMENT OF COMMON DESIGNS AND STANDARDS IN ARMS, EQUIPMENT AND TRAINING METHODS," AS WELL AS TACTICS AND OPERATIONS, INCLUDING AMPHIBIOUS LANDINGS.

BY STANDARDIZING OPERATIONS DEFENSE OFFICIALS EVIDENTLY FEEL THE ALLIED NATIONS WILL WORK BETTER TOGETHER IN ANY COMMON DEFENSE EFFORT.

THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT POINTED OUT THAT PROMOTION OF STANDARDIZATION OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT IS ONE OF THE AIMS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY MILITARY PRODUCTION AND SUPPLY BOARD. THE DEPARTMENT SAID FURTHER:

"THE ARRANGEMENTS MADE WILL REDUCE THE OPERATIONAL AND TECHNICAL OBSTACLES TO COOPERATION AMONG THE NAVIES AND WILL ACHIEVE THE GREATEST POSSIBLE ECONOMY IN THE USE OF COMBINED RESOURCES AND EFFORTS."

COOPERATION EFFORTS WILL NOT, HOWEVER, IMPAIR THE CONTROL OF ANY COUNTRY "IN ANY ACTIVITY IN ITS TERRITORY." THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT

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SECURITY
WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-A BILL GIVING THE HEADS OF 11 GOVERNMENT AGENCIES THE RIGHT TO FIRE EMPLOYES FOR SECURITY REASONS WAS SENT TO THE WHITE HOUSE TODAY.
CONGRESS COMPLETED ACTION ON THE MEASURE WHEN THE HOUSE AGREED TO MINOR SENATE AMENDMENTS.

THE BILL CARRIES AUTHORITY FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO EXTEND ITS PROVISIONS TO ANY FEDERAL AGENCY BESIDES THE 11 AGENCIES NAMED.
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AGENCIES NAMED ARE STATE, DEFENSE, ARMY, NAVY, AIR FORCE, TREASURY (IN CASE OF COAST GUARD), COMMERCE, JUSTICE, ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD, AND THE NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR AERONAUTICS.
HEADS OF THESE AGENCIES MAY SUSPEND WITHOUT PAY ANY EMPLOYE WHENEVER HE FINDS THIS "NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE IN THE INTEREST OF NATIONAL SECURITY."
THE SUSPENDED EMPLOYE IS GIVEN A "REASONABLE OPPORTUNITY" TO ANSWER CHARGES AGAINST HIM, AND A REVIEW MAY BE DEMANDED. IN THE END, HOWEVER, THE AGENCY HEAD OR SOMEONE DESIGNATED BY HIM WILL HAVE THE FINAL SAY.
ANY FIRED EMPLOYE MAY APPEAL TO THE LOYALTY REVIEW BOARD OF THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION FOR A HEARING. THE REVIEW BOARD MAY RECOMMEND THE EMPLOYE FOR WORK IN ANOTHER DEPARTMENT, BUT NOT IN THE ONE FROM WHICH HE WAS DISMISSED.
SOME AGENCIES HAVE HAD THE RIGHT OF SUMMARY FIRING THROUGH PROVISIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS BILLS. THIS MAKES IT GENERAL LAW.
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(280) SUBVERSIVES
WASHINGTON,AUG.15-(AP)-REP.CELLER (D-NY) SAID AFTER A CALL ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY THAT HE AND SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS OF ILLINOIS ARE DRAFTING AN ANTI-SUBVERSIVE BILL.
HE SAID IT WOULD FOLLOW THE RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY THE PRESIDENT FOR A LAW COVERING SABOTEURS, SPIES AND DEPORTABLE ALIENS.
CELLER, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, SAID MEMBERS OF THE WHITE HOUSE STAFF WERE PARTICIPATING IN THE CONFERENCES.
HE SAID HE AND LUCAS MAY OFFER ONE BILL COVERING ALL PHASES OF INTERNAL SECURITY, INCLUDING STEPS TO DEAL WITH DEPORTABLE ALIENS.
CELLER PARTICULARLY CRITICIZED AN ALIEN BILL PASSED BY THE HOUSE RECENTLY. HE SAID THAT UNDER THIS BILL ALIENS COULD BE PUT IN CAMPS OR LODGED ON ELLIS ISLAND WITHOUT TRIAL, AND WITHOUT APPEAL TO THE COURTS.
HE SAID THE LEGISLATION THE ADMINISTRATION NOW HAS UNDER CONSIDERATION WOULD GIVE THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AUTHORITY TO KEEP WATCH ON DEPORTABLE AND REQUIRE THEM TO REPORT REGULARLY TO IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS.
THE PROPOSED NEW LEGISLATION, CELLER ADDED, WOULD ALSO SUBSTITUTE FOR AN INTERNAL SECURITY BILL, ALSO RECENTLY PASSED BY THE HOUSE.
THE NEW BILL, AMONG OTHER THINGS, WOULD PREVENT PROSECUTIONS WITHOUT APPROVAL FIRST OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.
"THIS WOULD PREVENT EAGER BEAVERS FROM GOING OFF HALF-COCKED," HE SAID.
CELLER ALSO DISCUSSED HIS SUBCOMMITTEE STUDY OF MONOPOLIES.
HE SAID HE TOLD THE PRESIDENT THE SUBCOMMITTEE NOW WILL CONCENTRATE ON PREVENTING "RESTRAINTS OF TRADE THAT IMPAIR THE NATION'S INDUSTRIAL MOBILIZATION, WITH EMPHASIS ON MONOPOLISTIC PRACTICES DESIGNED TO SUPPRESS NEW TECHNOLOGY."
"THE PRESIDENT EXPRESSED HIS APPROVAL OF THE PROGRAM," CELLER SAID, "AND STATED THAT THE SUBCOMMITTEE COULD EXPECT HIS FULLEST COOPERATION."

IN THE SENATE, MEANTIME, SENATOR MAGNUSON (D-WASH) PROPOSED A STUDY OF WAYS TO PROTECT THE PEOPLE'S CIVIL LIBERTIES WHILE BUILDING SAFEGUARDS FOR INTERNAL SECURITY.
HE OFFERED A RESOLUTION WHICH WOULD INSTRUCT THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE TO MAKE THE STUDY AND REPORT BACK BY NEXT JUNE 1.
MAGNUSON TOLD THE SENATE IT WOULD GIVE THE NATION THE PROTECTION OF SECURITY LAWS ENACTED "IN A GOOD, SOUND, LEGAL WAY, RATHER THAN THE WAY WE'RE DOING IT."
THE MEASURE CALLS FOR SCRUTINY OF LAWS ENACTED AND PENDING BILLS. HE SAID IT WOULD NOT HOLD UP ACTION ON MEASURES SUCH AS THOSE TO CONTROL SUBVERSIVE ACTION BY COMMUNISTS.
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(240) NIGHT LEAD OKLA-ATOMIC
BY CHARLES HASLET
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, AUG. 15-(AP)-DON MCBRIDE, AIDE TO SENATOR KERR (D-OKLA), SAID TODAY ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SOURCES TOLD HIM NO SITE HAS BEEN CHOSEN FOR TWO TYPES OF PROPOSED HYDROGEN BOMB PLANTS.
OKLAHOMA CONGRESSMEN ARE BACKING REQUESTS FROM CITIZENS OF SEVERAL AREAS IN THE STATE THAT THE PLANT BE LOCATED IN THEIR SECTIONS.
MCBRIDE SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THAT TWO TYPES OF PLANTS WERE PROPOSED.
FROM SOURCES OTHER THAN THE AEC HE HAS RECEIVED REPORTS, HE SAID, THAT EL DORADO, ARK., PARSONS, KAS., AND THE TEXAS PANHANDLE ARE UNDER CONSIDERATION FOR ONE KIND.
THE SITE FOR THE OTHER TYPE, WHICH WOULD REQUIRE 200,000 ACRES OF LAND, AMPLE WATER AND PLENTY OF POWER IS IN THE PROCESS OF SELECTION, HE SAID.
IT WOULD HAVE TO BE LOCATED CLOSE ENOUGH TO A TOWN WHICH HAS HOUSING FOR WORKERS, YET FAR ENOUGH AWAY FROM THE TOWN FOR SAFETY.
MCBRIDE WAS TOLD, HE ADDED, THAT ARMY ENGINEERS ARE ASSISTING IN CHECKING SITES ON THE BASIS OF SPECIFICATIONS GIVEN THEM, SOME OF WHICH ARE NOT BEING MADE PUBLIC. HE SAID DU PONT COMPANY EXPERTS ARE AIDING ENGINEERS TO EVALUATE EACH OF THE SITES THAT MEETS THE SPECIFICATIONS.
IF OKLAHOMANS BELIEVE THEY HAVE A SITE WHICH MIGHT MEET REQUIREMENTS, MCBRIDE ADDED, THEY CAN COMMUNICATE WITH WALTER J.WILLIAMS, DIRECTOR OF PRODUCTION OF THE AEC.
IF WILLIAMS BELIEVES THE DATA WARRANTS IT, HE COULD THEN CALL THE PROPOSED SITE TO THE ATTENTION OF THE ARMY ENGINEERS FOR FURTHER CHECKING.
SENATOR KERR AND REP.ALBERT (D-OKLA) SAID EARLIER THEY WERE ASKING AEC CONSIDERATION OF REQUESTS THAT THE PLANT BE LOCATED IN OKLAHOMA.
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A43WX (TOP CONTROLS)
(300) SECOND NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS
BY WILLARD H. MOBLEY

30.24- 14159

WASHINGTON, AUG.15-(AP)-A TALL STACK OF AMENDMENTS FOR THE ECONOMIC MOBILIZATION BILL, CAPPED BY A REPUBLICAN MOVE TO ATTACH A CONTROL-THE-COMMUNISTS MEASURE TO IT, SET OFF ANGRY DEBATE IN THE SENATE TODAY AND HELPED POSTPONE ACTION UNTIL NEXT WEEK.

THE SENATE WILL START VOTING AT NOON EST MONDAY BUT WHEN IT WILL GET AROUND TO FINAL ACTION ON PASSAGE OF THE BILL ITSELF IS ANYBODY'S GUESS. IT DEPENDS ON HOW MANY OF THE AMENDMENTS ARE PUSHED TO A VOTE.

UNTIL THAT TIME GENERAL DEBATE IS UNLIMITED. AFTER THAT DISCUSSION WILL BE HELD DOWN TO 10 MINUTES ON EACH AMENDMENT.

THE AGREEMENT WAS WORKED OUT IN THE AFTERMATH OF A SHOUTING PARTY QUARREL IN WHICH DEMOCRATS ACCUSED REPUBLICANS OF TRYING TO SLOW DOWN THE ECONOMIC CONTROL MEASURE AND RIDDLE IT WITH LIMITING AMENDMENTS.

SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH) BROUGHT THAT DISPUTE TO FEVER PITCH BY BRINGING UP THE COMMUNIST ISSUE, WITH THE ARGUMENT THAT IT FITS RIGHT IN WITH THE BILL'S ECONOMIC CONTROLS AIMED AT GEARING THE COUNTRY TO MEET COMMUNIST THREATS IN KOREA AND ELSEWHERE.

THE ECONOMIC MEASURE WOULD GIVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN ALMOST UNRESTRICTED POWER TO APPLY PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING CURBS IF HE SAW THE NEED, AND TO TAKE OTHER STEPS SUCH AS CHANNELING SCARCE MATERIALS INTO THE WAR EFFORT.

THE TIME FOR A START ON VOTING ADVANCED INTO NEXT WEEK BY STAGES.

FIRST SENATOR LANGER (R-ND) OBJECTED TO A VOTE TOMORROW.

THURSDAY WAS RULED OUT BECAUSE MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS (ILL.) WILL BE IN HIS HOME STATE THAT DAY.

FRIDAY WAS PRETTY GENERALLY ACCEPTED, FOR A WHILE, BUT SENATOR NEELY (D-WVA) OBJECTED TO THAT. HE EXPLAINED THAT HE AND SENATORS SPARKMAN (D-ALA) AND KILGORE (D-WVA) ARE TO ADDRESS A WEST VIRGINIA YOUNG DEMOCRATS MEETING THAT DAY.

A NUMBER OF AMENDMENTS ALREADY HAVE BEEN VOTED INTO THE BILL, BUT THE MONDAY AGREEMENT MEANS THERE WILL BE NO MORE BALLOTS UNTIL THEN.

MUNDT AND FERGUSON TOLD REPORTERS THEY MADE THEIR MOVE IN AN EFFORT TO "GET ACTION" ON THEIR LONG-STYMIED PROPOSAL, WHICH WOULD REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNISTS AND SET UP OTHER RULES THE SPONSORS SAY ARE NEEDED FOR NATIONAL SECURITY.

"WHEN WE PUT ON CONTROLS, AND WHEN WE NEED CONTROLS, WE NEED THEM ON PEOPLE WHO ARE SUBVERSIVES AS WELL AS LOYAL AMERICANS," FERGUSON TOLD REPORTERS.

"IF YOU ARE GOING TO PUSH DECENT AMERICANS AROUND, YOU HAD BETTER PUSH DISLOYAL AMERICANS AROUND TOO," MUNDT PUT IN.

BOTH CONTENDED THAT THE PROPOSED CURBS ON COMMUNISTS FIT IN WITH THE HOME FRONT ECONOMIC MEASURES ALREADY IN THE BILL.

A FIGHT WAS PROMISED BY SENATOR LUCAS (D-ILL), THE DEMOCRATIC LEADER.

HE SAID HE HAD TOLD SENATOR WHERRY (NEB), THE REPUBLICAN LEADER, THAT HE WANTED TO TAKE UP THE SECURITY QUESTION NEXT WEEK BUT THE GOP MEMBERS THEREUPON PITCHED THE ISSUE INTO THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS DEBATE.

MUNDT AND FERGUSON SAID THEY WERE READY TO CALL THEIR PROPOSAL UP "ANY TIME" BUT DID NOT KNOW WHEN A VOTE WOULD BE ASKED.

A SEPARATE ADMINISTRATION BILL TO SAFEGUARD INTERNAL SECURITY IS BEING PREPARED NOW, IN LINE WITH RECOMMENDATIONS FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

THE MUNDT-FERGUSON PROPOSALS AND SEVERAL RELATED BILLS ARE COVERED IN AN OMNIBUS MEASURE WHICH CHAIRMAN MCCARRAN (D-NEV) OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE INTRODUCED TODAY.

THE YELLING OVER WHAT IS HOLDING UP ACTION ON THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL WAS SET OFF BY SENATOR ROBERTSON (D-VA).

HE SAID THERE IS AN EFFORT TO LOAD IT DOWN WITH AMENDMENTS SO HEAVILY IT WOULD BE WORTHLESS, AND ADDED THAT THERE IS A RUMOR OF A DEFINITE CAMPAIGN TO SLOW DOWN ACTION AND DELAY A FINAL VOTE "UNTIL NEXT WEEK."

"THIS IS A WAR MEASURE AND WE NEED IT NOW," ROBERTSON SHOUTED.

REPUBLICAN LEADERS PROMPTLY AND ANGRILY DENIED THEY WERE CARRYING ON ANY SUCH CAMPAIGN.

"I'M READY TO ENTER A UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENT FOR VOTING RIGHT NOW," WHERRY RETORTED.

"I'M ANXIOUS TO VOTE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE," CHIMED IN SENATOR BRICKER (R-OHIO).

NOTHING CAME OF THE QUICK-VOTE SUGGESTION, HOWEVER.

WHERRY OBJECTS TO THE PROPOSED CONTROLS AS TOO BROAD. BRICKER HAS OFFERED MORE THAN A SCORE OF AMENDMENTS TO LIMIT THEM.

SHORTLY BEFORE THE SENATE GOT TO WORK ON THE BILL, A CONSIDERABLE BLOCK OF ITS REPUBLICAN MEMBERS CALLED FOR WHITE HOUSE "ENLIGHTENMENT" ON WHETHER THE NATION IS IN A MERE POLICE ACTION IN KOREA, PREPARATIONS FOR ALL-OUT-WAR, OR SOMETHING IN BETWEEN.

THAT WAS THE UPSHOT, STATED INFORMALLY BY SENATOR MILLIKIN (R-COLO) OF A PARTY CONFERENCE AT WHICH THE SENATORS FAILED, AS THEY HAD EXPECTED, TO MAKE ANY REAL PROGRESS TOWARD A COMMON STAND ON HOW MUCH HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION THE COUNTRY NEEDS.

MILLIKIN, CHAIRMAN OF THE REPUBLICAN CONFERENCE, TOLD REPORTERS THE GOP MEMBERS ARE HAVING TROUBLE DECIDING WHAT THEY SHOULD DO ABOUT THE CONTROLS BILL, AND ALSO TAX AND APPROPRIATION MEASURES, "UNTIL WE HAVE MORE INFORMATION ON THE OVER-ALL POLICIES OF THE ADMINISTRATION."

HE SAID HE THINKS THE PRESIDENT OUGHT TO MAKE IT PLAIN TO CONGRESS WHETHER THE COUNTRY IS PREPARING ONLY TO FIGHT IN KOREA, GEARING ITSELF TO AN "INTERMEDIATE" PREPAREDNESS, OR GETTING READY FOR A BIG WAR.

THE SENATE ADOPTED AN AMENDMENT OFFERED BY SENATOR WILLIAMS (R-DELA) AIMED AT OUTLAWING ALL COMMODITY SPECULATION BY GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES AND CONGRESS MEMBERS.

IT ALSO WOULD BAR THE PASSING ON OF "INSIDE INFORMATION" BY THESE SOURCES TO OUTSIDERS.

WILLIAMS SAID LEGITIMATE HEDGING, AND BUYING AND SELLING FOR SPOT DELIVERY, WOULD NOT BE BANNED.

THE SENATE ALSO ACCEPTED A SECOND WILLIAMS AMENDMENT. IT WAS DESIGNED TO DISCOURAGE ANY ATTEMPTS BY PROCESSORS TO DRIVE THE PRICES OF POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS AT THE PRODUCER LEVEL BELOW GOVERNMENT CEILINGS.

IF, FOR EXAMPLE, A PROCESSOR BOUGHT LIVE POULTRY BELOW THE CEILING PRICE AND THEN, AFTER PROCESSING, SOLD THEM TO THE GOVERNMENT AT THE CEILING PRICE FOR PROCESSED POULTRY, HE WOULD HAVE TO REFUND TO THE GOVERNMENT THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN WHAT HE PAID FOR THE LIVE FOWLS AND THE CEILING FOR THEM.

ON A VOICE VOTE THE SENATE APPROVED AN AMENDMENT SPONSORED BY SENATOR BRICKER (R-OHIO) TO PROTECT NORMAL TRADE PRACTICES. HE SAID IT WOULD PREVENT THE GOVERNMENT FROM INTERFERING WITH THE WAY A CORPORATION KEPT ITS BOOKS OR THE MANNER IN WHICH IT USED LABELS AND TRADEMARKS.

SENATOR ROBERTSON (D-VA) PUSHED THROUGH BY VOICE VOTE AN AMENDMENT TO REQUIRE THAT CEILING PRICES FOR ALL PRODUCTS WHICH STEM FROM AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES SHALL REFLECT "GENERALLY FAIR AND EQUITABLE" PROFITS.

THE SENATE ALSO ADOPTED AN AMENDMENT OFFERED BY CHAIRMAN MAYBANK (D-SC) OF THE BANKING COMMITTEE DESIGNED TO PROTECT SELLERS WHO HAD

CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE DELIVERY IN EFFECT AT THE TIME ANY PRICE REGULATION WAS ISSUED.

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B41WX (Q) (CONGRESS RNDP)
(350) NIGHT LEAD CONGRESS ROUNDUP

WASHINGTON, AUG.15-(AP)-COMMUNIST CONTROLS GOT MIXED UP WITH ECONOMIC CONTROLS TODAY IN THE SENATE.

SENATORS AGREE ON ONE THING--TO VOTE MONDAY ON THE HOME FRONT CURBS BILL AND ALL AMENDMENTS TO IT.

THEY ARE WORKING OVER A MEASURE TO EMPOWER THE PRESIDENT TO IMPOSE PRODUCTION, RATIONING, PRICE AN WAGE RESTRICTIONS WHENEVER HE CONSIDERS THEM NECESSARY.

SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH) FIGURED CONTROLS FOR COMMUNISTS OUGHT TO BE ADDED ON. SO THEY OFFERED AS AN AMENDMENT THEIR BILL WHICH, AMONG OTHER THINGS, WOULD REQUIRE REDS TO REGISTER.

THAT IS ONE OF THE AMENDMENTS STILL TO BE ACTED ON.

THE HOUSE PUT OFF UNTIL TOMORROW A BALLOT ON PASSING A BILL TO WIPE OUT CUTS IN POSTAL SERVICE AND BRING BACK TWO A DAY MAIL DELIVERY.

ONLY REP. WALSH (D-IND) COULD BRING THE BILL UP. HE FLEW IN FROM GREEN BAY, WIS., TO DO IT. THEN HE FLEW BACK TO MAKE A SPEECH IN GREEN BAY, TONIGHT. THIS WAS THE ONLY DAY HE COULD ACT, BUT HE SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW HE HAD TO BE HERE IN PERSON. WALSH IS A FRESHMAN IN CONGRESS.

REP. GOSSETT (D-TEX) SAID IT WOULD BE INCONSISTENT FOR THE HOUSE TO BLAME BUREAUCRATS FOR NOT SAVING MONEY AND THEN VOTE TO SET ASIDE A BUREAU'S MONEY-SAVING ORDER.

THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE WRESTLED, TO NO DECISION, WITH THE PROBLEM OF GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL HELP FOR FAMILIES OF MEN CALLED TO MILITARY SERVICE.

THE ADMINISTRATION LAID ITS OWN PLAN BEFORE CONGRESS, PROVIDING UP TO $150 A MONTH PER FAMILY IN GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND DEDUCTIONS FROM SERVICE MEN'S PAY.

UNDER PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROGRAM, A WIFE WOULD GET $75 A MONTH, PLUS $25 FOR EACH DEPENDENT CHILD UP TO ANOTHER $75. ONE DEPENDENT PARENT WOULD GET $60, TWO WOULD GET $70.

BUT A FAMILY OF DEPENDENTS THAT INCLUDED PARENTS WIFE AND KIDS COULD DRAW NO MORE THAN $150. IN A CASE LIKE THAT, THE ADMINISTRATION SAYS THE SERVICE MAN SHOULD BE DISCHARGED.

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A18WX (420)
PMS BUDGET
FOREIGN-POLITICS
BY JACK BELL

WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-A SLAM-BANG BATTLE OVER FOREIGN POLICY SHAPED UP TODAY IN THE CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN WITH DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS BLAMING EACH OTHER FOR THE KOREAN WAR.

SENATOR WHERRY OF NEBRASKA, THE GOP FLOOR LEADER, TOOK THE FIRING LINE TO ACCUSE DEMOCRATS OF TRYING TO "WHITEWASH THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION'S BLUNDERS THAT PAVED THE WAY FOR WAR IN SOUTH KOREA."

SENATOR MCMAHON, DEMOCRATIC SENATOR RUNNING FOR RE-ELECTION IN CONNECTICUT, CHARGED WHERRY AND A MAJORITY OF THE SENATE REPUBLICANS WITH HAVING "FOUGHT ALMOST EVERY ADMINISTRATION EFFORT TO KEEP EUROPE OUT OF THE HANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS."

AFTER A SHOUTING WORD BATTLE OVER THE ISSUE IN THE SENATE YESTERDAY, BOTH SIDES AGREED TODAY THAT THE PEOPLE ARE GOING TO HEAR A LOT ABOUT FOREIGN POLICIES AND THE MEN WHO MAKE THEM BEFORE THE NOVEMBER VOTING.

DEMOCRATS LEVELED FRESH ATTACKS ON A STATEMENT BY FOUR REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE ACCUSING THE ADMINISTRATION OF INVITING THE COMMUNIST ATTACK ON KOREA BY ITS PREVIOUS HANDS-OFF POLICY THERE.

VOICING THE VIEWS OF MANY OF HIS PARTY COLLEAGUES, MCMAHON SAID THE REPUBLICAN WERE "MASTERS OF HINDSIGHT WHO SEEK TO CUT THEMSELVES IN ON THE VICTORIES IN OUR FOREIGN POLICY AND TO DIVORCE THEMSELVES FROM OUR DEFEATS."

"WHEN A POLICY HAS WORKED WELL, THEY CALL IT A BIPARTISAN ACHIEVEMENT BUT IF THINGS GO BADLY THEY INSIST THE ADMINISTRATION MUST TAKE THE BLAME," HE TOLD HIS COLLEAGUES.

WHERRY FIRED BACK ANGRILY WITH AN ASSERTION THAT SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S POLICIES HAD BEEN A FAILURE IN ASIA, SHOUTING:

"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE LOST FAITH IN MR.ACHESON AND THE INEPTNESS OF THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION. WE MUST GET RID OF MR.ACHESON AND PUT SOMEONE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT WHO HAS NOT BLUNDERED US INTO WAR."

THE NEBRASKA SENATOR SAID THAT THE PEOPLE ARE GOING TO HEAR MORE ABOUT ADMINISTRATION "MISTAKES" IN THE CAMPAIGN.

HE ACCUSED MCMAHON OF TRYING TO MAKE "POLITICAL CAPITAL OUT OF THE KOREAN WAR."

MCMAHON SAID DECLARATION OF THE FOUR REPUBLICANS WAS "A CRAFTY POLITICAL STATEMENT ON FOREIGN POLICY, DESIGNED TO COZEN A FEW VOTES IN NOVEMBER."

SENATOR H.ALEXANDER SMITH (R-NJ), ONE OF THE GOP SIGNERS OF THE DOCUMENT THAT STIRRED DEMOCRATIC WRATH, TOLD A REPORTER HE DIDN'T REGARD THE STATEMENT AS ANY SORT OF A POLITICAL DOCUMENT.

"WE OPENED IT ON A NOTE OF UNITY AND WE CLOSED IT ON A NOTE OF UNITY," HE SAID, "BUT I DON'T SEE ANY REASON WHY RESPONSIBILITY FOR FAILURE SHOULD NOT BE PLACED WHERE IT BELONGS."

SENATOR CAPEHART (R-IND) TOLD THE SENATE THAT THE DEMOCRATS CONTROL THE WHITE HOUSE AND CONGRESS AND ARE "100 PER CENT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE KOREAN WAR."

SENATOR BENTON (D-CONN), A CANDIDATE IN NOVEMBER, DECLARED THAT THE GOP STATEMENT "JEOPARDIZES THE BIPARTISAN APPROACH TO FOREIGN POLICY." HE JOINED MCMAHON IN CONTENDING THAT MANY REPUBLICANS HAD OPPOSED MOST OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S MOVES TO BOLSTER THE ANTI-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD.

SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV) TOLD THE SENATE YESTERDAY THAT THE U.S. SHOULD GIVE FULL BACKING TO GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK, CHINESE NATIONALIST LEADER, IN THE FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNISM.

"I BELIEVE THAT OUR POLICY OF OPPOSITION TO RED CHINA IS PHONY UNLESS IT INCORPORATES THE COROLLARY POLICY OF BOLSTERING THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT," HE SAID.

"WE MUST MAKE THAT GOVERNMENT, WHATEVER ITS FAULTS, THE RALLYING POINT FOR CHINESE OPPOSED TO COMMUNISM, AT LEAST DURING THE FIRST PHASE OF CHINA'S COMEBACK."

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A84WX (LODGE & COUDERT)
(120) LODGE-FOREIGN

WASHINGTON,AUG.15-(AP)-SENATOR LODGE (R-MASS) TOLD THE SENATE TODAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROGRAM OF ARMING TO RESTRICT AGGRESSION DOES NOT GO FAR ENOUGH.

HE SAID THE UNITED STATES, IF WILLING TO TAKE THE NECESSARY MEASURES, COULD CAPTURE THE INITIATIVE IN THE BATTLE WITH COMMUNISM IN THREE OR FOUR YEARS.

"NOW THAT WE HAVE STARTED TO MOBILIZE, LET'S CLEAN IT UP," HE SAID. "I THINK WE CAN DO IT WITHOUT BLOODSHED. I THINK THE SOVIET LEADERS RESPECT STRENGTH."

LODGE INTRODUCED A BILL TO CREATE AN AGENCY WITHIN THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT TO MAP PLANS FOR HOME FRONT PROTECTION AGAINST MILITARY ATTACK.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS GIVEN THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD, HEADED BY W.STUART SYMINGTON, THE PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR CIVIL DEFENSE.

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A25WX (150)

ROSENBERG

WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-INSTEAD OF DYING WITH CANCER, AS DOCTORS SAID HE WOULD, LIEUT.COMDR.EDWIN M.ROSENBERG, 30, LIKELY WILL RETURN TO THE SEA DUTY HE SO MUCH DESIRES.

THE HOUSE TODAY PASSED AND SENT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN A BILL WHICH WOULD RESTORE HIM TO ACTIVE ROLLS OF THE NAVY.

CONGRESSIONAL ACTION WAS NEEDED BECAUSE IN 1947 ROSENBERG WAS OFFICIALLY RETIRED AS A DYING MAN.

DOCTORS HAD PREDICTED HE WOULD NOT SURVIVE TWO CANCER ATTACKS. ONCE THEY ESTIMATED HIS REMAINING LIFE AT TWO WEEKS.

ROSENBERG LICKED THE CANCERS AND GOT A TEACHING JOB AT THE NAVAL ADADEMY AT ANNAPOLIS.

DISSATISFIED WITH THE QUIET LIFE, HE INDUCED SENATOR HICKENLOOPER (R-IOWA) TO INTRODUCE THE BILL WHICH GOT FINAL CONGRESSIONAL ACTION TODAY.

ROSENBERG SAID HE HAS BEEN ASSURED SHIPBOARD DUTY, PROBABLY IN THE FAR EAST, ONCE PRESIDENT TRUMAN SIGNS THE MEASURE.

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MAY (180)

WASHINGTON, AUG.15-(AP)-THE HOUSE TODAY APPLAUDED TRIBUTES TO FORMER REP.ANDREW J.MAY OF KENTUCKY, NOW IN FEDERAL PRISON ON A BRIBERY CHARGE.

MAY'S NAME CAME UP DURING DISCUSSION OF A BILL TO LAUNCH THE GOVERNMENT ON A $400,000,000 ARMORY CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM. MAY, A DEMOCRAT, WAS CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE MILITARY COMMITTEE DURING WORLD WAR II. HE WAS CONVICTED IN 1947 ON A CHARGE OF ACCEPTING $53,000 IN BRIBES FOR HIS INFLUENCE IN HAVING WAR CONTRACTS AWARDED. HE WAS SENTENCED TO SERVE FROM 8 TO 24 MONTHS. HIS APPLICATION FOR PAROLE WAS REJECTED LAST WEEK AFTER HE HAD SERVED HIS MINIMUM SENTENCE.

DEMOCRATIC LEADER MCCORMACK (MASS) TOLD THE HOUSE HE COULD NOT RESIST THE OPPORTUNITY TO PAY A TRIBUTE TO "ANDY MAY." HE CALLED MAY "A GREAT AMERICAN" AND SAID THE PEOPLE OF HIS DISTRICT "ARE JUSTIFIED IN BEING PROUD OF HIM."

MCCORMACK SAID A MAN SHOULD NOT BE JUDGED BY A SINGLE INCIDENT.

REP. SHORT (MO), RANKING REPUBLICAN MEMBER OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE AND A FORMER COLLEAGUE ON THE MILITARY COMMITTEE, ALSO PRAISED MAY. SHORT SAID MAY RENDERED "A GREAT AND HONORABLE SERVICE TO HIS NATION DURING WORLD WAR II."

MAY "MIGHT HAVE BEEN INDISCREET," SHORT SAID, BUT ONE SHOULD "JUDGE A MAN BY ALL HIS YEARS AND ALL THE THINGS HE HAS DONE."

OTHER MEMBERS APPLAUDED MCCORMACK AND SHORT.

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A104WX (110)

GUIDED MISSILES

WASHINGTON,AUG 15-(AP)-THE NAVY'S GUIDED MISSILE PROGRAM IS MAKING PROGRESS THAT IS "VERY SATISFACTORY" TO A SPECIAL HOUSE ARMED SERVICES "EXPEDITING" SUBCOMMITTEE.

CHAIRMAN HEBERT (D-LA) MADE THAT REPORT AFTER THE COMMITTEE SPENT TWO HOURS BEHIND CLOSED DOORS WITH REAR ADM.G.B.H.HALL, THE NAVY'S GUIDED MISSILE DIRECTOR.

HEBERT TOLD REPORTERS THE SUBCOMMITTEE PLANS SOON AFTER LABOR DAY TO MAKE ON-THE-SPOT CHECK OF DEVELOPMENTS AT RESEARCH AND TESTING AREAS AT WHITE SANDS, N.M., BANANA RIVER, FLA., AND AT MAGU, CALIF.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE IS ONE OF NINE NAMED BY CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE FULL COMMITTEE, TO SPEED THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM. IT WILL MEET TOMORROW WITH AIR FORCE AND ARMY MISSILE EXPERTS.

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B5 (300)

FORT MONROE, VA., AUG 15-(AP)-THE TWO-DAY NATIONAL GUARD CONFERENCE CONCLUDED TODAY AT FORT MONROE HAS PROVED BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERNED, MAJ.GEN.KENNETH F.CRAMER, CHIEF, NATIONAL GUARD BUREAU FROM WASHINGTON, SAID TODAY.

CRAMER, WHO ALSO COMMANDS THE 43RD (NATIONAL GUARD) DIVISION, WETHERSFIELD, CONN., POINTED OUT THAT THE CONFERENCE "HAS FILLED A DEFINITE NEED TO ORIENT NATIONAL GUARD COMMANDERS OF UNITS CALLED INTO FEDERAL SERVICE ON THE TRAINING PROGRAM WHICH IS TO FOLLOW."

NATIONAL GUARD COMMANDERS OF FOUR DIVISION AND TWO REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS CALLED TO FEDERAL SERVICE HAVE BEEN ATTENDING A TWO-DAY TRAINING CONFERENCE WITH GEN.MARK W.CLARK, CHIEF, ARMY FIELD FORCES. THE GUARD COMMANDERS WERE ACCOMPANIED BY THEIR KEY STAFF MEMBERS.

"MOST INTERESTING AND VERY ENLIGHTENING; THE ORIENTATION WE HAVE RECEIVED HERE WILL GREATLY ASSIST US IN PREPARING FOR THE TASK AHEAD," SAID MAJ.GEN.DANIEL B.STRICKLER, COMMANDER OF THE 28TH DIVISION, LANCASTER, PA.

"VERY ALL-INCLUSIVE CONFERENCE IN WHICH ALL OF OUR PROBLEMS HAVE BEEN FULLY ANALYZED," SAID MAJ.GEN.JAMES C.STYRON, 45TH DIVISION COMMANDER OF HOBART, OKLAHOMA.

"I HAVE BEEN GIVEN A JOB TO DO AND NOW I'M GOING HOME TO DO IT," SAID MAJ.GEN.DANIEL H.HUDELSON, 40TH DIVISION COMMANDER OF LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

GEN.CLARKE GAVE THE OPENING ADDRESS OF THE CONFERENCE YESTERDAY WHICH INCLUDED DISCUSSION OF MOVEMENT TO TRAINING STATIONS, TRAINING ACCELERATION, TRAINING PROGRAMS AND TRAINING MANAGEMENT, ARMY INTELLIGENCE, TROOP INFORMATION AND EDUCATION, AIR SUPPORT, TRAINING EXERCISES, AND ARMY AVIATION. FOR SECURITY REASONS, DETAILS OF THE CONFERENCE WERE NOT REVEALED.

THE TRAINING PROGRAMS UNDER DISCUSSION ARE CARRIED OUT UNDER THE DIRECT CONTROL OF ARMY COMMANDERS. THESE OFFICERS OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVES INCLUDED LT.GEN.JOHN R.HODGES, THIRD ARMY; MAJ.GEN. ANDREW D.BRUCE, DEPUTY COMMANDING, FOURTH ARMY, FORT SAM HOUSTON, TEX.; LT.GEN.STEPHEN J.CHAMBERLIN, COMMANDING FIFTH ARMY, CHICAGO, ILL.; AND LT.GEN.ALBERT C.WEDEMEYER, COMMANDING, SIXTH ARMY, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

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PITTSBURGH,AUG.15-(AP)-A CHICAGO PUBLISHER TESTIFIED TODAY THAT WRITINGS OF FRANK BORICH, SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL CROATIAN ASSOCIATION, SHOW HE "IS HEART AND SOUL FOR THE COMMUNIST PARTY."

THE WITNESS IS STEVEN WARNICK, OWNER AND PUBLISHER OF A FOREIGN LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER, THE CROATIAN HERALD. HE APPEARED AT A DEPORATION HEARING OF THE U.S. IMMIGRATION SERVICE.

WARNICK, ON THE STAND TWO HOURS, IDENTIFIED BORICH AS THE AUTHOR OF NUMEROUS ARTICLES ALLEGEDLY PRAISING RUSSIAN POLICIES AND ATTACKING THE UNITED STATES. THE GOVERNMENT SEEKS TO DEPORT BORICH ON THE GROUNDS HE IS A COMMUNIST AND ADVOCATES VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

WARNICK SAID BORICH WAS EDITOR OF A CROATIAN LANGUAGE PAPER, THE RADNICK, FOR SEVERAL YEARS. WARNICK CALLED THE PAPER "A COMMUNIST ORGAN" AND SAID IT "CHANGED ITS NAME TO RADNISKI-GLASNICK AND MOVED TO PITTSBURGH WHEN THINGS BECAME TOO HOT FOR IT IN CHICAGO."

"BORICH WROTE MANY SUBVERSIVE ARTICLES AGAINST FREEDOM, EVEN AGAINST MY OWN FREEDOM, SO I HAD MANY ARGUMENTS WITH HIM." WARNICK TESTIFIED. HE IDENTIFIED SEVERAL OF BORICH'S

PAPERS OFFERED AS EXHIBITS.
ASKED IF HE WANTED TO EXAMINE THE EXHIBITS, BORICH SAID:
"I'D BE VERY GLAD TO DO SO, FOR THIS MAN HAS TOLD ME SO MANY LIES, BUT SINCE I HAVE NO ATTORNEY HERE TO ADVISE ME, I CANNOT."

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CRAWFORDSVILLE,IND.,AUG.15-(AP)-THERE WAS NO MISTAKE.
A LETTER WRITTEN TO PFC. KENNETH W. MEADOWS, AN INFANTRYMAN SERVING IN KOREA, WAS RETURNED WITH THE NOTATION "DECEASED," ON THE ENVELOPE.
HIS PARENTS, MR. AND MRS. BASIL MEADOWS, WHO LIVE WEST OF CRAWFORDSVILLE, HAD RECEIVED NO NOTIFICATION OF THEIR SON'S DEATH. RETURN OF THE LETTER STARTED AN INVESTIGATION.
WORD CAME TODAY FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT THAT THE SOLDIER WAS WOUNDED JULY 19 AND DIED THE FOLLOWING DAY IN A FIELD HOSPITAL.
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(180)
HOUSTON, AUG. 15-(AP)-FORMER U. S. AMBASSADOR TO RUSSIA JOSEPH E. DAVIES SAID TODAY HE BELIEVES RUSSIA HAS OVER 100 ATOMIC BOMBS.
"THEY HAVE SOME ATOMIC BOMBS," HE SAID. "HOW MANY IS DEBATABLE BUT I PERSONALLY WOULD BELIEVE OVER 100 ALTHOUGH MOST ESTIMATES WE GET ARE BELOW THAT FIGURE."
DAVIES VISITED BRIEFLY WITH JESSE H. JONES, PUBLISHER OF THE HOUSTON CHRONICLE AND WARTIME SECRETARY OF COMMERCE
"WE ARE DOING JUST WHAT WE SHOULD DO," HE SAID. "WE ARE RESISTING ENCROACHMENTS OF THE COMMUNISTS AND WE ARE BUILDING UP OUR ARMED FORCES SO WE WILL BE STRONG ENOUGH TO PROTECT OURSELVES AGAINST ANYTHING THAT MAY COME."
HE SAID MANPOWER AND RESOURCES BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN ARE LIMITLESS.
"AND RUSSIA HAS ENGINEERS AND SCIENTISTS JUST AS WELL QUALIFIED AS ANY WE HAVE," HE SAID. "THEY HAVE MANY TOP SCIENTISTS FROM GERMANY AND THEY HAVE DEVELOPED MANY OF THEIR OWN. PERSONALLY I WOULD ADD CONSIDERABLE TO ANY ESTIMATES WE GET OF THE MATERIAL OF WAR THEY HAVE PRODUCED AND HOLD IN READINESS FOR ANY EVENTUALITY.
"THEY HAVE 40,000 TANKS, MILLIONS OF TRAINED MEN, THOUSANDS OF PLANES AND SOME ATOMIC BOMBS."
DAVIES SAID WAR BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE UNITED STATES "WOULD BE A CATASTROPHE THAT WOULD SET BACK CIVILIZATION CENTUREIS."
FJ434PCS

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SACRAMENTO, CALIF., AUG. 15-(AP)-THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF THE AMERICAN LEGION TODAY CALLED FOR THE OUSTER OF SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON---BY IMPEACHMENT IF NECESSARY. THE ACTION WAS TAKEN IN A RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE LEGION'S STATE CONVENTION.
OTHER RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED ASKED:
1. OUTLAWING OUT THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES.
2. WITHDRAWAL OF U. S. RECOGNITION OF SOVIET RUSSIA.
3. EXPULSION OF RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES FROM THE UNITED NATIONS.
ACHESON'S POLICIES, THE LEGIONNARIES CHARTED, HAVE "RESULTED IN DISASTER TO THE SECURITY OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE BROUGHT ABOUT THROUGH THE BOLD AND UNPROVOKED AGGRESSION OF THE NORTH KOREAN PUPPET OF THE USSR AGAINST THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC."
FJ427PCS

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LOCALS OUT
NIMITS-DAV (110)
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 15-(AP)-TWO FAMED ADMIRALS--NIMITZ AND HALSEY--SAY COMMUNIST AGGRESSION MUST BE CHECKED IN KOREA--OR WORLD WAR III IS A CERTAINTY.
FLEET ADM. CHESTER W. NIMITZ SAID "IF THIS FLOUTING OF THE UNITED NATIONS" IS SUCCESSFUL IN KOREA "OTHER ATTACKS WILL FOLLOW THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."
ADMIRAL WILLIAM F. HALSEY CONCURRED AND ADDED:
"IF WE REMAIN FIRM, WE PROBABLY CAN AVERT FURTHER CONFLAGRATION."
BOTH SPOKE BEFORE THE NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS YESTERDAY. NIMITZ DECLARED THAT UNITED NATIONS FORCES, WHEN THEY TAKE THE OFFENSIVE, MUST NOT STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL.
NOW A SPECIAL CONSULTANT TO THE UNITED NATIONS, HE ADDED:
"WARS ARE FOUGHT TO DESTROY THE ENEMY'S WILL TO FIGHT AND THAT CANNOT BE DONE BY STOPPING AT THE 38TH PARALLEL."
LW413APD

A127KX
TINY TIMS (150)
PASADENA, CALIF., AUG. 15-(AP)-TINY TIM ROCKETS, REPORTED TO HAVE SMASHED SEVERAL BRIDGES THE NORTH KOREANS WERE ATTEMPTING TO CROSS TODAY, WERE DEVELOPED HERE AT CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY UNDER NAVY SPONSORSHIP.
AT INYOKERN, CALIF., DURING A PRESS DEMONSTRATION IN 1946 THE ROCKETS STREAKED UP A 1,500-FOOT LAUNCHING TRACK AND WERE SO POWERFUL THEY MADE A SIEVE OUT OF THREE-INCH-THICK STEEL ARMOR PLATE. THE TINY TIM WAS DESCRIBED AS A WEAPON THAT "WOULD MAKE A BATTLESHIP OUT OF A SMALL LANDING CRAFT."
HUNDREDS OF PASADENA RESIDENTS WORKED NIGHT AND DAY IN A SECRET CALTECH-NAVY ROCKET FACTORY IN NEARBY EATON CANYON DURING THE LAST TWO YEARS OF WORLD WAR II ON THIS WEAPON AND OTHER ROCKETS.
TINY TIMS MEASURE 10 FEET, 3 INCHES IN LENGTH AND HAVE A DIAMETER OF 12 INCHES. WHEN READY FOR FIRING THEY WEIGH 1,284 POUNDS. EACH ROCKET IS PROPELLED BY FOUR 40-POUND STICKS OF DRY POWDER FUEL. EACH IS EQUIPPED WITH AN ARMOR-PIERCING WARHEAD WEIGHING 590 POUNDS AND CARRYING 150 POUNDS OF TNT AND 146 POUNDS OF EXPLOSIVE POWDER.
FJ846PCS

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LOCALS-OAKLAND OUT
BERKELEY, CALIF., AUG. 15-(AP)-THE WIFE OF MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM F. DEAN, 24TH DIVISION COMMANDER MISSING IN KOREA, IS STILL HOPEFUL THAT HE IS ALIVE AND WELL.
MRS. DEAN ARRIVED FROM TOKYO BY PLANE YESTERDAY.
SHE SAID SHE HEARD RUMORS THAT THE GENERAL IS SAFE, BUT NOTHING DEFINITE.
LATER IIN THE FALL, SHE PLANS TO VISIT A DAUGHTER JUNE (WINE OF LT.R.C. WILLIAMS) IN PUERTO RICO AND A SON, WILLIAM, JR., AT WEST POINT.
"BUT," SHE ADDED, "IF GOOD NEWS COMES, I WILL HURRY BACK TO JAPAN."
LW408APD

A160KX

(WEST OUT)

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA,AUG.15-(AP)-BOMB SHELTERS AND SLIT TRENCHES ARE TO BE DUG THROUGHOUT THE ELMENDORF AIR FORCE BASE AND ITS ADJACENT HOUSING AREAS, THE BASE NEWSPAPER "SOURDOUGH SENTINEL" SAID YESTERDAY.

THE DEFENSE MEASURES WERE ANNOUNCED AT A STAFF MEETING OF THE 57TH FIGHTER WING, THE PUBLICATION REPORTED.

LOCATION AND TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION FOR THE SHELTERS IS UNDER STUDY NOW, IT WAS ANNOUNCED.

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A151KX (SHORT)

SEATTLE, AUG.15-(AP)-TWO WEEKS AGO MRS.RICHARD L.HANSON, RECEIVED WORD THAT HER 18-YEAR-OLD SON, PFC GENE W. "BILL" TALKINGTON, HAD BEEN WOUNDED IN ACTION IN KOREA.

TODAY SHE RECEIVED A TELEGRAM FROM THE ADJUTANT GENERAL F THE ARMY SAYING HER 18-YEAR-OLD SON, PFC GLEN J.TALKINGTON "HASBEEN MISSING IN ACTION IN KOREA SINCE 24 JULY QOTP..."

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THE IDENTICAL TWINS

IN KOREA SINCE 24 JULY 1950..."

THE IDENTICAL TWINS JOINED THE ARMY IN 1948. GLEN SAILED FOR JAPAN IN CTOBER F THEAT YEAR; GENE IN DECEMBER. THEY WERE ASSIGNED TO THE SAME TANK COMPANY, AND FOR A WHILE, TO THE SAME TANK.

MRS.HANSON, WHO RECENTLY REMARRIED, SAID:

"IT SEEMS LIKE IT'S ALWAYS BEEN THAT WAY. IF ONE GETS HURT, THE OTHER GETS HURT."

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP (400)

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.17-(AP)-U.S. MARINES AND INFANTRYMEN, BACKED BY TANKS AND PLANES, OPENED A BLOODY COUNTER-OFFENSIVE TODAY AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT.

BUT TO THE NORTH AROUND WAEGWAN, WHERE ONLY YESTERDAY 98 B-29S SOUGHT TO BREAK UP RED CONCENTRATIONS WITH MORE THAN 850 TONS OF 500-POUND BOMBS, THE REDS SEIZED A KEY HILL POSITION AND HELD ON GRIMLY AGAINST COUNTERATTACKS. AMERICANS DROVE INTO BOMB-DEVASTATED WAEGWAN.

THERE WAS PROBING ACTION ALL ALONG THE RIVER FRONT AND SIGNS OF A NEW THREAT BY THE KOREAN REDS AT POHANG ON THE EAST COAST.

THE MARINES, TEAMED WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION INFANTRYMEN, THE VETERANS OF THE KOREAN WAR, OPENED A COUNTER-OFFENSIVE IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR AIMED AT ELIMINATING SOME 12,000 RED TROOPS WHO HAD CROSSED THE NAKTONG DAYS AGO.

ONLY FOUR DAYS AFTER THE MARINES HAD PULLED BACK 27 MILES FROM CHINJU -- ORDERED TO WITHDRAW TO ADD STRENGTH ELSEWHERE -- THE LEATHERNECKS FOUND THEMSELVES ENGAGED IN HEAVY AND BLOODY FIGHTING.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THAT IN THE ATTACK AREA, SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG, THE MARINES WERE MOVING SLOWLY UP A HILL WHILE THE REDS LOBBED HAND GRENADES AND POURED DOWN HEAVY MORTAR FIRE.

THE SECTOR IS ABOUT 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE KEY AMERICAN BASE OF TAEGU.

TWELVE MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, WHERE THE B-29S UNLOADED AGAINST AN ESTIMATED 60,000 REDS, THE ENEMY STILL KEPT ON THE OFFENSIVE. ON THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER, ACROSS FROM WHERE THE BOMBS WERE DROPPED IN A PATTERN OVER A 26-SQUARE-MILE SECTOR, THE REDS SEIZED A KEY HILL.

HAL BOYLE, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT, SAID THE ENEMY WRESTED THE POSITION TODAY NORTH OF WAEGWAN FROM U.S. FIRST CAVALRY TROOPERS WHO BEGAN A COUNTERATTACK. BOYLE REPORTED THAT WAEGWAN, RECENTLY A "NO-MAN'S LAND" ON THE EAST BANK, PRESENTLY WAS HELD BY THE AMERICANS BUT WAS UNDER HEAVY RED ARTILLERY FIRE FROM THE WEST BANK.

THE REDS ALSO SENT AN UNDETERMINED FORCE ACROSS THE NAKTONG JUST NORTH OF THE FIRST CAVALRY POSITION. THAT WAS AT A POINT ABOUT FIVE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN WHERE SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ARE ON THE DEFENSE.

THE NEW THREAT POISED IN THE POHANG AREA ON THE EAST COAST WAS POINTED OUT BY A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS. HE SAID THAT POSSIBLY TWO RED DIVISIONS WERE BEING ASSEMBLED IN THE AREA FOR A POSSIBLE STRIKE AT THE AMERICAN COMMUNICATION CENTER OF YONGCHON, 25 MILES WEST OF RED-HELD POHANG.

IN ANOTHER BLAZING ACTION TODAY, AMERICAN WARSHIPS AND PLANES COVERED A HAZARDOUS OPERATION--EVACUATION BY LANDING SHIPS OF THE KOREAN THIRD DIVISION WHICH HAD BEEN CAUGHT BETWEEN THE REDS AT POHANG AND OTHER REDS AT YONGDOK TO THE NORTH. THE OPERATION WAS CARRIED OUT DESPITE CONSTANT FIRE ON THE SOUTH KOREANS BY THE ENEMY.

FIELD DISPATCHES AND HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCEMENTS GAVE THIS HIGHLIGHT PICTURE OF THE BATTLEFRONT FROM THE SOUTH OF THE UNITED NATIONS BEACHHEAD RUNNING AROUND TO THE EAST COAST:

CHINJU--THE U. S. EIGHTH ARMY RELEASED THE DELAYED NEWS THAT FOUR DAYS AGO U. S. MARINES WHO HAD DRIVEN TO THE OUTSKIRTS OF CHINJU HAD BEEN PULLED BACK 27 MILES TO THICKEN THE DEFENSE LINES OF THE STILL OUTNUMBERED AMERICAN FORCES.

CHANGNYONG--U. S. MARINES AND ARMY INFANTRY OF THE 24TH DIVISION LAUNCHED A COMBINED OFFENSIVE AGAINST RED FORCES IN A BULGE ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. TO THE NORTH OF THE BULGE, AMERICAN RECONNAISSANCE ACTION CONTIINUED AGAINST OTHER NORTH KOREANS WHO HAVE CROSSED THE NAKTONG.

WAEGWAN--U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION PATROLS WERE REPULSED WHEN THEY TRIED TO CROSS THE RIVER AND CHECK ON THE 26 SQUARE MILE SECTOR BLASTED BY 98 B-29S WEDNESDAY. TO THE NORTH OF THE FIRST CAVALRY , AN UNDETERMINED FORCE OF NORTH KOREANS CROSSED THE NAKTONG IN A SECTOR DEFENDED BY SOUTH KOREANS. OTHER SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ADVANCED 3,000 YARDS AND OCCUPIED HIGH GROUND---BUT STILL ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

POHANG--NO REPORTED CHANGE; REDS STILL HELD THE EAST COAST PORT CITY AND UNITED NATIONS CLUNG TO THE INOPERATIVE AIRFIELD NEARBY. THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION, ISOLATED BETWEEN RED FORCES AT YONGDOK TO THE NORTH AND OTHERS WHICH TOOK POHANG, WAS EVACUATED IN LANDING SHIPS UNDER COVER OF AMERICAN PLANES AND WARSHIP GUNS.

AS THE NORTH KOREANS MADE THEIR NEW JAB ACROSS THE RIVER LINE IN THE DEVASTATED WAEGWAN AREA, AMERICAN PATROLS PROBED IN AN ATTEMPT TO ASSESS THE FULL EFFECT OF 880 TONS OF 500-POUND BOMBS DUMPED IN PRECISE PATTERN BY THE B-29S.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE WITH THE U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ON THE WAEGWAN FRONT SAID INDICATIONS WERE THE REDS STILL WERE STRONGLY LODGED IN THE TARGET AREA. ONE PATROL, HE SAID, MANAGED TO MOVE AHEAD THREE MILES BUT COULD NOT REACH THE SEVEN-BY-THREE-MILE BOMBING RECTANGLE WHERE THE REDS HAD BUILT UP THEIR FORCES FOR THE BIG DRIVE.

ANOTHER PATROL MANAGED TO CROSS TO THE WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER ON THE FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR BUT RAN INTO COMMUNIST FIRE SO HEAVY IT COULD MAKE NO MORE PROGRESS, BOYLE SAID. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THERE WAS NO DOUBT THAT THE SUPERFORT ASSAULT HAD A TREMENDOUS PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECT ON BOTH THE ENEMY AND UNITED NATIONS TROOPS.

MAJ. GEN. EMMETT (ROSIE) O'DONNELL, CHIEF OF THE FAR EAST BOMBER COMMAND, SAID IT WOULD BE "JUST LUCK" IF THE SUPERFORTS HAD WIED OUT THE RED TROOP CONCENTRATION. HE PERSONALLY DIRECTED THE ASSAULT.

O'DONNELL SAID 100 SUPERFORTS WERE IN THE AIR OVER THE WAEGWAN FRONT YESTERDAY BUT THE BOMBING WAS DONE BY 98 OF THE GIANT PLANES. THE 98, HE SAID, DROPPED "ABOUT 880 TONS" OF BOMBS.

(AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN IN WASHINGTON SAID 100 PLANES TOOK PART IN THE RAID AND DROPPED 1,000 TONS OF BOMBS. TOKYO SAID LATER ONE SUPER-FORT WAS A WEATHER PLANE IN WHICH O'DONNELL DIRECTED THE ATTACK. THERE WAS ALSO A RECONNASSIANCE PLANE IN THE AREA BUT IT DID NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE STRIKE).

THE NEW NORTH KOREAN CROSSING NORTH OF WAEGWAN---ONCE A CITY OF 15,000 TO 20,000 POPULATION AND NOW A "NO MAN'S LAND"---WAS BY TROOPS OF A RED REGIMENT BELIEVED GROUPED IN THE AREA HEAVILY RAKED BY THE B-29S. THIS WAS REPORTED BY ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH AT U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS.

BEFORE THE BOMBING, THE REDS HAD MADE SEVERAL UNOPPOSED CROSSINGS IN THIS SECTOR DEFENDED BY THE KOREAN REPUBLICANS. THEY HAD SUCCEEDED IN GETTING SOME TANKS ACROSS.

CORRESPONDENT BOYLE SAID NO NEW RED CROSSINGS OF THE NAKTONG

WERE MADE DURING WEDNESDAY NIGHT SOUTH OF WAEGWAN AGAINST THE FIRST CAVALRY.

THE ATTACK TODAY ON THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD MARKED THE FIRST ACTION ON THIS FRONT BY THE MARINES. THEY WERE BROUGHT IN TO BOLSTER THE BATTERED 24TH DIVISION WHICH STARTED OUT LAST MONDAY IN WHAT WAS ANNOUNCED AS AN EFFORT TO WIPE OUT THIS THREATENING BULGE EAST OF THE NAKTONG. THE ARMY PUSH BOGGED DOWN AFTER MAXIMUM GAINS OF ABOUT 2,000 YARDSS. THE BRIDGEHEAD EXTENDS AS FAR AS SEVEN MILES EAST OF THE NAKTONG BEND AT THIS POINT.

THE COMBINED MARINE-ARMY ATTACK BEGAN TODAY AT 8 A. M. MORE THAN TWO HOURS LATER ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH QUOTED AN ARMY SPOKESMAN WITH THE ATTACKERS AS SAYING "EVERYTHING IS GOING ACCORDING TO PLAN."

THE SPOKESMAN ADDED THAT THE REDS DID NOT THROW ANY COUNTER PUNCHES AS THEY HAVE AGAINST PREVIOUS AMERICAN ATTEMPTS TO REDUCE THE BRIDGEHEAD.

MAJ. GEN. JOHN H. CHURCH, COMMANDER OF THE 24TH WHO IS DIRECTING THE COMBINED OFFENSIVE, SAID THE REDS HAD TAKEN "SEVERE PUNISHMENT" IN THE PAST 10 DAYS OF AMERICAN ACTION AGAINST THE BRIDGEHEAD.

THE MARINE AND ARMY FORCE JUMPED OFF IN CLEAR WEATHER. AIR FORCE AND MARINE PLANES SUPPORTED THE ADVANCE.

THE MARINES CAME TO THE 24TH DIVISION FRONT FROM THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT IN THE CHINJU AREA. DISCLOSURE OF THEIR ACTION WITH THE 24TH PERMITTED ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON TO REPORT THAT THEY HAD BEEN PULLED BACK 27 MILES ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT ON AUG. 13.

SWINTON'S DISPATCH REPORTING THE MARINE WITHDRAWAL---GIVING UP VIRTUALLY ALL THE GROUND THEY HAD WON IN THE FIRST U. S. OFFENSIVE OF THE WAR---HAD BEEN HELD UP AT THE ARMY'S REQUEST FOR SECURITY REASONS.

THE TIRED AND ANGRY MARINES, SWINTO WROTE, WERE PULLED BACK FROM POSITIONS ONLY THREE MILES FROM SACHON. SACHON IS SEVEN MILES SOUTHP OF CHINJU, SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF THE NORTH KOREAN LINE 55 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, THE MAIN UNITED NATONS SULPLY PORT.

SWINTON SAID THE MARINES HAD EXPECTED TO TAKE CHINJU SHORTLY. THEY HAD SWEPT ALONG THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA IN THE SOUTHERN ARM OF A THREE-PRONGED OFFENSIVE.

TO THEIR NORTH WERE THE ARMY'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION. AFTER ONE OF THE BEST ADVANCES YET MADE BY U. N. FORCES IN THE KOREAN WAR, THE MARINES SWUNG NORTHWARD AND LINKED UP WITH THE ARMY TROOPS ON THE HIGH GROUND JUST EAST OF CHINJU.

IT WAS AT THIS POINT THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S JEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED THE OBJECTIVES OF THE OFFENSIVE HAD BEEN ATTAINED. IT DESCRIBED THESE AS:

(1) RECAPTURE OF THE HEIGHTS WHICH COMMAND ACCESS TO THE COASTAL PLAIN LEADING EAST OF CHINJU TOWARD PUSAN.

(2) WRECKING RED PLANS FOR A BIG PUSH FROM CHINJU ON PUSAN AT THE SOUTHEASTERN TIP OF THE PENINSULA.

THE MARINE PULLBACK WAS DISCLOSED AS NEW REINFORCEMENTS FROM THE UNITED STATES ARRIVED TO BOLSTER HARD-FIGHTING NEGRO INFANTRYMEN OF THE 25TH DIVISION WHO HAVE BEEN HEAVILY ENGAGED IN THE CHINJU AREA. THE REINFORCEMENTS WERE DESCRIBED AS LARGE-SCALE BUT WERE NOT IDENTIFIED BY UNIT.

~~LINE AND PATROL ACTIVITY COMMUNIQUE TODAY SAID "ORGANIZATION OF A NEW~~

THE EIGHTH ARMY'S COMMUNIQUE TODAY SAID "ORGANIZATION OF A NEW LINE AND PATROL ACTIVITY WERE THE ONLY ACTION IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR YESTERDAY."

BUT ON THE EAST COAST, FIGHTING ERUPTED AND THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION WAS EVACUATED BY SEA FROM THE RED-INFESTED AREA BETWEEN YONGDOK AND THE PORT OF POHANG. THE COMMUNISTS HOLD BOTH POHANG, 65 AIR MILES NORTH OF PUSAN, AND YONGDOK, 25 MILES FARTHER NORTH.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS THAT THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE UNDER ENEMY FIRE DURING THE EVACUATION BY LSTS. U. S. WARSHIPS AND PLANES COVERED THE OPERATION WHICH BEGAN AT 11 P.M. LAST NIGHT AND WAS COMPLETED AT 6 A. M. TODAY.

THE THIRD DIVISION, IN ACTION FOR SEVERAL WEEKS DURING THE BITTER BATTLE FOR YONGDOK, HAD BEEN SQUEEZED BETWEEN NORTH KOREANS HOLDING YONGDOK AND THOSE HOLDING POHANG. U. N. FORCES STILL HELD THE NOW INOPERATIVE AIRFIELD SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG.

AIR FORCE OBSERVERS REPORTED NORTH KOREANS FLEEING THE WAEGWAN AREA LASHED BY THE MAMMOTH B-29 BOMBING.

BUT FIRST U.S. GROUND PATROLS WHICH NIGHT-PROBED THE ENEMY TERRITORY WEST OF THE NAKTONG REPORTED THE REDS ARE DIGGING IN AT NEW POSITIONS. EVIDENCE MOUNTED THAT THE NORTH KOREANS EXPECTED THE SAVAGE BOMBARDMENT WOULD BE FOLLOWED BY AN ALLIED GROUND OFFENSIVE.

FIELD DISPATCHES SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION INDEED HAD FOLLOWED-UP THE RAID WITH INFANTRY STRIKES.

THE AIR ASSAULT--PATTERNED AFTER HAMMERING INFANTRY-SUPPORT RAIDS AT SALERNO, SAINT LO AND CASSINO IN EUROPE DURING THE LAST WAR--WAS DESIGNED TO BREAK THE BACK OF SIX COMMUNIST DIVISIONS. THEY HAD UNDERTAKEN A MASSIVE BUILDUP BEFORE UNLEASHI

DESIGNED TO BREAK THE BACK OF SIX COMMUNIST DIVISIONS. THEY HAD UNDERTAKEN A MASSIVE BUILDUP BEFORE UNLEASHING WHAT U.S. OFFICERS EXPECTED WOULD BE THE HEAVIEST RED DRIVE OF THE WAR AIMED AT TAEGU, 12 MILES SOUTHEAST OF WAEGWAN.

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CAUTIOUS U.S. 8TH ARMY OFFICERS WANTED MORE DATA BEFORE THEY WOULD BE ABLE TO SAY DEFINITELY WHETHER THE MASS BOMB BATTERING HAD SUCCEEDED IN ITS MISSION.

AND SO AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN RECONNAISSANCE PATROLS CREPT OUT IN THE TREACHEROUS NIGHT HOURS TO FEEL OUT THE RESULTS OF THE PUNISHING BOMB DROP. INTELLIGENCE HEADQUARTERS WAITED FRETFULLY THROUGH THE DARKNESS FOR REPORTS FROM THE PATROLS OUT ON THE DIRTY, DANGEROUS TASK OF CLOSE GROUND OBSERVATION.

OFFICERS EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT THE GIANT AIR ATTACK HAD BOMBBLASTED NORTH KOREAN STRIKING POWER AND BLUNTED, IF NOT THROWN COMPLETELY OUT OF KILTER, ENEMY PLANS FOR A NEW OFFENSIVE POINTED TOWARD THE TAEGU-PUSAN CORRIDOR.

BUT THEY RECALLED THE CASE HISTORY OF CASSINO, IN ITALY. THERE MASS-BOMBED GERMANS TOOK ADVANTAGE OF RUBBLE TO SET THEMSELVES MORE SOLIDLY IN COUNTLESS FOXHOLES AND POSITIONS. BUT THE AMERICANS ALSO REMEMBERED THAT U.S. AIR POWER SO PARALYZED THE GERMANS AT SALERNO AND SAINT LO THAT U.S. GROUND FORCES WERE ABLE TO MAKE BATTLE-WINNING BREAKTHROUGHS.

ASSOCIATED PRESS WAR CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SENT A TANK INTO WAEGWAN AFTER THE PULVERIZING AIR ATTACK. BOYLE DESCRIBED THE ONE-TIME CITY AS A "RUINED NO MAN'S LAND." HE SAID THE AMERICAN TANK KNOCKED OUT A RED TANK ROAMING THE BURNED-OUT CITY AND GOT ANOTHER NORTHWARD FROM THE SMOKING HULK OF WHAT ONCE WAS A FAIRLY LARGE CITY.

"WHOEVER HOLDS WAEGWAN IS IN AN UNCOMFORTABLE POSITION TO SAY THE LEAST," BOYLE REPORTED. HE SAID THE CITY, FOCAL POINT OF THE SAVAGE CENTRAL FRONT, HAS NEVER ACTUALLY BEEN CAPTURED OR RECAPTURED BY EITHER THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION OR THE NORTH KOREANS FIGHTING THERE.

"THE REDS NEVER SENT ENOUGH FORCES IN THERE TO HOLD IT," BOYLE'S FRONT-LINE DISPATCH SAID. "THE AMERICANS HAVEN'T KEPT ENOUGH TROOPS THERE EITHER TO CALL IT THEIR OWN."

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID THE REMAINDER OF THE 120-MILE BATTLEFRONT WAS "EXTREMELY QUIET EXCEPT FOR A FEW SMALL LOCAL ACTIONS."

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THE SITUATION AT POHANG, COMMUNIST HELD FORMER NORTHERN ANCHOR TOWN OF THE UNITED NATIONS LINE ON THE EAST COAST, APPARENTLY WAS UNCHANGED.
LAST REPORTS FROM THERE SAID AMERICANS STILL HELD THE NOW-INOPERATIVE AIRSTRIP BUT THAT THE SITUATION AT THE TOWN, ITSELF, WAS STILL "FLUID" AND CONFUSED.

IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR, 23 MILES SOUTH OF TAEGU, AP CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH SAID THERE WAS LITTLE CHANGE IN THE SITUATION. THE REDS HAVE HELD A MENACING BULGE OF ABOUT SIX MILES ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG IN THIS AREA FOR THE LAST 12 DAYS. NORTH KOREAN FORCES HERE ARE ESTIMATED AT ABOUT 12,000 MEN.

AP STAFFER STAN SWINTON, TO THE SOUTHEAST IN THE CHINJU AREA, NOTED A MENACING BUILDUP OF NORTH KOREAN FORCES BUT SAID THERE WAS ONLY SMALL PATROL ACTIVITY. SWINTON REPORTED THE CAPTURE OF RUSSIAN WEAPONS MADE IN 1949 AND 1950 IN THIS SECTOR. THE SOVIETS HAVE TOLD THE UNITED NATIONS THAT THE LAST RUSSIAN-MADE MATERIALS GIVEN THE NORTH KOREANS WERE MANUFACTURED IN 1948.

ON THE HEELS OF THE GIANT U.S. AIR STRIKE CAME WELCOME NEWS TO THE HARD-FIGHTING NEGRO ELEMENTS OF THE AMERICAN 25TH ARMY DIVISION. AN ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE NEGRO FIGHTERS HAD RECEIVED LARGE-SCALE REINFORCEMENTS.

THE REPLACEMENTS WERE NOT IDENTIFIED NOR WAS IT STATED WHERE THE OUTFITS ARE IN ACTION. THE NEGRO UNITS OF THE 25TH, HOWEVER, HAVE BEEN FIGHTING ALONG THE SOUTHERN FRONT IN THE CHINJU AREA.

AP CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM JORDEN RODE WITH THE FIRST WAVE OF B-29S TO HIT THE RED TROOPS CONCENTRATION AREA. HE SAID THE BOMBING WAS VISUAL AND THE BOMBARDIERS HIT THEIR TARGETS ON THE NOSE.

RESULTS WERE EXCELLENT--BUT ONE OFFICER TOLD JORDEN:

"IT DOESN'T MEAN WE KILLED GOOKS BECAUSE WE JUST DON'T KNOW WHETHER THEY WERE THERE."

MAJ. GEN. EMMETT (ROSY) O'DONNELL, CHIEF OF THE FAR EAST BOMBER COMMAND, PERSONALLY LED THE ATTACK. HE HOPED THE RAID WOULD DO GOOD AND SAID "IF THE NORTH KOREANS ARE DOWN THERE WE THINK IT WILL."

B-26 BOMBERS HIT A RUSSIAN-STYLE NORTH KOREAN UNDERWATER BRIDGE NEAR WAEGWAN YESTERDAY WITH UNDETERMINED RESULTS. THE TANK CAUSEWAY WAS ONE OF THREE THE REDS STRETCHED ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER ABOUT ONE FOOT BELOW THE SURFACE.

JET PLANES AND MUSTANG FIGHTERS FLEW GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS AND ROAMED ELSEWHERE OVER THE BATTLEZONE PLASTERING ENEMY TARGETS.

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SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (ABOUT 400)

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-RED KOREAN TROOPS WERE REPORTED RETREATING IN PANIC ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER WEDNESDAY UNDER BOMBING OF 98 AMERICAN B-29S.

THE BOMBER SMASH WAS PROBABLY JUST SHORT OF ATOMIC EXPLOSIVE POWER IN CONCENTRATED EFFECT.

IT WAS AIMED AT BREAKING THE BACK OF A 60,000-MAN NORTH KOREAN OFFENSIVE BUILDUP ALONG THE RIVER.

RONT DISPATCHES SAID WAEGWAN, FOCAL POINT OF THE WAR 12 MILES HWEST OF TAEGU, WAS A GUTTED NO-MANS-LAND--TO HOT AND TOO NERABLE A TARGET FOR ANYONE TO HOLD LONG.

AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE SAID THAT AFTER THE B29 SATURATION BOMBING A FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TANK CLATTERED INTO THE RUINED CITY TO LOOK IT OVER. THE TANK ENGAGED ONE COMMUNIST TANK ON THE CITY'S EDGE AND KNOCKED IT OUT, AND CHASED ANOTHER NORTHWEARD.

BOYLE SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE A FORCE IN THE HILLS NORTH OF THE CITY WHERE THEY ARE ABLE TO LOB MORTAR SHELLS DIRECTLY INTO WAEGWAN. THE CITY ALSO WAS UNDER DIRECT OBSERVATION AND ARTILLERY FIRE FROM THE RED-HELD WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG.

THE AIR BLOW CAME AS LARGE-SCALE REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVED FROM THE UNITED STATES FOR NEGRO INFANTRYMEN AT THE FRONT TO BOLSTER THE ALLIED DEFENSE OF THE PENINSULA.

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FIRST REPORT FROM OBSERVER PILOTS INDICATED THE B-29S MAY HAVE TURNED THE TIDE WITH DECISIVE EFFECT FOR THE PRESZNT.

THEY SATURATED A 26-SQUARE MILE AREA WITH 3,500 QUARTER-TON BOMBS. THE AREA IS SLIGHTLY LARGER THAN NEW YORK'S MANHATTAN ISLAND. IN IT WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN THE GREATEST RED FORCE YET PUT TOGETHER.

THE B29 STRIKE WAS MADE ON AN EMERGENCY TACTICAL BASIS.

AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN THEIR FOXHOLES CHEERED THE BOMBERS AS THEY ATTACKED.

THERE WAS EVIDENCE THAT THE REDS, IN EXPECTATION OF FOLLOWUP GROUND ATTACKS, WERE TRYING TO BLOW UP THE RU
SIAN-STYLE
UNDERWATER TANK BRIDGES THEY HAD THROWN ACROSS THE NAKTONG.

FIFTH AIR FORCE PILOT OBSERVERS SAW THE REDS SPLASHING ACROSS THE RIVER FROM THE ALLIED EAST SIDE TO THE COMMUNIST WEST BANK AFTER THE BOMBER RAID.

U.S. ARMY SCOUTS PROBING OUT TO SEE HOW SEVERELY THE ENEMY'S STRIKING POWER HAD BEEN HURT FOUND COMMUNISTS DIGGING IN--APPARENTLY EXPECTING AN ALLIED GROUND ATTACK.

FIELD REPORTS SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION FOLLOWED THE REDS IN HOT PURSUIT.

AMERICAN ARMY PATROL SCOUTS ALSO CROSSED THE NAKTONG TO THE RED SIDE AND MET LITTLE ENEMY OPPOSITION.

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U.S. AIR OBSERVERS OVER THE BATTLEFRONT BROUGHT BACK THE FIRST REPORTS THAT THE REDS WERE FLEEING IN TERROR AFTER THE BOMBINGS.

THEY FLED "IN ALL DIRECTIONS," ONE OBSERVER SAID.

INDICATIONS WERE THAT THE REDS BACKING ACROSS THE NAKTONG FOR SAFETY WERE DRIVEN OUT BY A COMBINATION OF AIR BOMBINGS AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND ATTACKS.

PILOT OBSERVERS SAID THE REDS IN SOME AREAS HAD THROWN AWAY RIFLES AND PACKS AND TAKEN TO THE HILLS. THEY SEEMED DAZED AND DEMORALIZED, TWO PILOTS SAID.

HOURS AFTER THE RAID OBSERVER-PILOTS SAW RED TROOPS RETREATING FROM THE AREA TO THE NORTH, WEST AND SOUTH OF THE BLAZES AND SMOKE LEFT BY THE BOMBERS. MANY SEEMED DAZED AND DEMORALIZED.

A GENERAL LULL IN THE GROUND FIGHTING FOLLOWED THE AIR STRIKE.

A U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE ISSUED IN KOREA AT 8:10 P.M. WEDNESDAY (5:10 A.M. EST,) SAID THE BATTLEFRONT WAS EXTREMELY QUIET EXCEPT FOR SMALL LOCAL ACTIONS.

THE BOMB LOAD OF 875 TONS IN EFFECT EQUALLED 30,000 ROUNDS OF HEAVY ARTILLERY. IT LEFT AN AREA 7 1/2 BY 3 1/2 MILES SMOKING AND BURNING.

AMERICAN FOOT PATROLS CROSSED THE RIVER TO THE COMMUNIST WEST BANK TO LEARN THE RESULTS OF THE STUNNING RAID.

THEY FOUND THE REDS DIGGING INTO FOX-HOLES AND APPARENTLY EXPECTING AN ALLIED GROUND ATTACK TO FOLLOW THE AIR STRIKE.

THE FIRST AMERICAN PATROL WAS FIRED ON WITH RIFLES.

AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED ONE PATROL PROWLED THROUGH THE AREA WEST AND SOUTH OF WAEGWAN FOR TWO HOURS WITHOUT ENCOUNTERING ANY SIZEABLE FORCE OF REDS.

THE PATROL WAS LED BY LT. CHARLES ROGERS OF MORRISVILLE. PENN.

TWO OBSERVATION PILOTS, CAPT. IRVING S. CORYELL OF ATLANTA AND LT. WILLIAM TURNER OF DALLAS, SAW RED TROOPS SPLASHING BACK ACROSS THE RIVER FROM POSITIONS ON THE ALLIED EAST SIDE THAT HAD NOT BEEN BOMBED.

MAJ. GEN. EARLE E. PARTRIDGE, U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE COMMANDER, FLEW LOW OVER THE TORTURED HILLS. HE REPORTED SEEING A SMALL GROUP OF NORTH KOREANS RUNNING FROM THE AREA.

CAPTAIN CORYELL SAID THE RED TROOPS SEEMED TO BE IN A STATE OF COMPLETE CONFUSION. THOSE SPOTTED BY LIEUTENANT TURNER APPEARED DAZED AND DEMORALIZED.

AP CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED THE ENEMY TROOPS, DISPLAYING OBVIOUS FRIGHT AT THE SIGHT OF ANY PLANE, TOOK COVER WHEN THE TWO SMALL, UNARMED OBSERVATION PLANES FLEW LOW OVER THEM AFTER THE BIG RAID. NO SHOT WAS FIRED AT THE OBSERVERS.

INDICATIONS WERE THAT RED SAPPERS WERE TRYING TO DESTROY THEIR OWN RUSSIAN-TYPE UNDERWATER BRIDGE ACROSS THE NAKTONG NEAR WAEGWAN. IT IS A SUBMERGED CAUSEWAY. TANKS AND VEHICLE ARTILLERY HAVE CROSSED OVER IT TO POUND THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS.

TWO HEAVY EXPLOSIONS SENT GEYSERS OF WATER HIGH IN THE AIR WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON AFTER THE B29 RAID. CORRESPONDENT BOYLE SAID THESE MIGHT HAVE BEEN DELAYED ACTION MINES PLANTED BY THE AMERICANS. BUT THEY WERE FOLLOWED BY TWO OTHER EXPLOSIONS THE U.S. ENGINEERS HAD NOT SET.

BOYLE SAID FIRST CAVALRY OFFICERS BELIEVE THE NORTH KOREANS WERE TRYING TO RENDER THE BRIDGE USELESS FOR AMERICAN ARMOR AND GUNS.

OBSERVER PILOTS CORYELL AND TURNER SAID THE NORTH KOREANS FLED FROM THE BOMBED AREA WITHOUT THEIR PACKS OR RIFLES. THEY WERE ABOUT FOUR MILES WEST OF THE RIVER WHEN THE AMERICAN AIRMEN SPOTTED THEM.

THE AIRMEN SAID THEY WERE UNABLE TO FIND ANY TRACE OF A RED ARMORED VEHICLES COLUMN PREVIOUSLY REPORTED PARTLY CONCEALED ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

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THE TWO OBSERVER PILOTS FLEW LOW TRYING TO FIND THE COLUMN.

WHERE THERE HAD BEEN MEDIUM HEAVY ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE IN THE PAST THE AMERICAN FLIERS ENCOUNTERED NO ACK-ACK LATE WEDNESDAY.

IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR THE AMERICAN AIR FORCE DELIVERED THREE SIMILAR MASSIVE BLOWS BUT NOT WITH B-29S. SMALLER FOUR-ENGINE BOMBERS--B17S AND B24S WERE USED NORMALLY ONLY FOR STRATEGIC BOMBING OF FIXED TARGETS--WENT IN LOW AGAINST GERMAN INFANTRY DIVISIONS AT SALERNO, MONTE CASSINO AND ST.LO IN NORMANDY.

AT SALERNO AND ST.LO THE ATTACKS PARALYZED THE GERMANS TO SUCH A DEGREE THEY WERE UNABLE TO HALT THE ALLIED INFANTRY ATTACKS THAT WERE UNLEASHED SOON AFTERWARD. SATURATION BOMBING OF GERMAN PARACHUTE TROOPERS AT MONTE CASSINO DID NOT ACHIEVE ITS PURPOSE.

THE MASSIVE AIR STRIKE WEDNESDAY WAS THE ONLY BIG ACTIVITY REPORTED FROM THE WHOLE KOREAN WAR FRONT.

THERE WAS A LULL IN ALL OTHER SECTORS.

DURING TUESDAY NIGHT THE COMMUNISTS HAD PUT A FORCE OF TWO OR THREE BATTALIONS ACROSS THE NAKTONG AT HYONPONG, 12 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC'S EMERGENCY CAPITAL.

THE FIGHTING SLOWED IN THE RED CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, WHERE THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION HAS BEEN ATTACKING AND FIGHTING OFF COUNTERATTACKS.

FARTHER NORTH THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION REPELLED AN ASSAULT AT TUKSONG.

U.S. FIRST CAVALRYMEN HAD A COMPANY OF NORTH KOREANS SURROUNDED ON A HILL NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

BUT ALLIED COMMANDERS WERE MORE IMMEDIATELY INTERESTED IN RESULTS OF THE B-29 BLOW. THEY SENT AMERICAN GROUND PATROLS INTO THE SMOKING, BLAZING AREA ACROSS THE RIVER--TO ITS WEST SIDE--TO SEE THE EXTENT OF DAMAGE DONE TO THE ENEMY STRIKING POWER.

SMOKE CLOUDS AND SILENCE SHROUDED THE BOMBED SECTOR.

VILLAGES, ENEMY EQUIPMENT AND TREES CRACKLED IN FLAMES HOURS AFTER THE BIG RAID.

THE B-29 BOMBING PATTERN CALLED FOR 145 ALL-PURPOSE 500 POUND BOMBS TO BE DROPPED IN EACH SQUARE MILE OF A 26-SQUARE-MILE AREA. THE BOMB LOAD WAS THE EQUIVALENT OF 30,000 ROUNDS OF HEAVY ARTILLERY.

CORRESPONDENT ERICKSON REPORTED THERE WAS NO SOUND OPPOSITE THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION RANGED ALONG THE BANKS OF THE NAKTONG NORTH AND EAST OF WAEGWAN.

ASSOCIATED PRESS WAR CORRESPONDENTS HAL BOYLE AND WILLIAM JORDEN FLEW OVER THE ENEMY AREA DURING THE B-29 RAID.

CORRESPONDENT JORDEN WENT OVER WITH THE LEAD FORMATION OF B-29S. HE SAID THE STICKS OF 500-POUND BOMBS MARCHED THROUGH THE TREES AND GULLIES AND UP THE HEIGHTS OF THE TERRAIN IN EVENLY SPACED ROWS OF EXPLOSIONS.

CORRESPONDENT BOYLE, RIDING A TRANSPORT-OBSERVATION PLANE BELOW THE B-29S, REPORTED THE WHOLE TARGET AREA WAS QUICKLY COVERED WITH A THICKENING PALL OF SMOKE AND DUST.

THE BOMBED AREA IS 7 1/2 MILES LONG AND 3 1/2 MILES WIDE.

NEITHER OF THE FLYING AP CORRESPONDENTS WAS ABLE TO SEE ANY SIGN OF THE NORTH KOREANS OR THEIR TANKS AND ARMORED VEHICLES REPORTED CONCENTRATED FOR THE DRIVE DOWN THE WAEGWAN CORRIDOR.

THE TERRAIN, WOODED AND BROKEN BY HILLS, IS IDEAL FOR CONCEALMENT.

THE B-29S ROARED IN FROM THE SOUTHEAST--SO THAT THEY STARTED THEIR RUNS OVER THE NAKTONG RIVER.

EACH OF THE 12 SQUADRONS HAD A FIXED ASSIGNMENT. THEY SWEPT OVER AT LEVELS RANGING FROM 5,000 TO 10,000 FEET.

A FIERY, RED SCYTHE MOVED ACROSS THE RECTANGLE BELOW THEM. SMOKE AND KHAKI-COLORED BILLOWS ROSE BEHIND THE PLANES.

PILOTS SAID NOT A SINGLE ANTI-AIRCRAFT SHELL WAS SENT UP AGAINST THEM. BEFORE THE RAID THE REDS ATTEMPTED TO PROTECT THEIR BUILDUP AREA WITH FLAK. IT HAD BEEN HEAVIER AND MORE ACCURATE THAN ANY PUT UP BY THE NORTH KOREANS IN THE SEVEN-WEEKS-OLD WAR.

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A GENERAL STAFF OFFICER AT HEADQUARTERS HAD SAID THE RED WAEGWAN OFFENSIVE KICK-OFF APPEARED TO BE "VERY, VERY CLOSE."

FIELD REPORTS GAVE THIS GROUND SITUATION LATE WEDNESDAY:

TWO BRIDGEHEADS HAD BEEN ESTABLISHED ON THE ALLIED EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG BELOW TAEGU.

THE BIGGEST WAS NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 MILES TO THE SOUTHWEST. THE WAR-WEARY U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION WAS TRYING TO CONTAIN THE 12,000 COMMUNISTS ACROSS THE RIVER THERE. THEIR ATTEMPT TO WIPE OUT THE REDS WAS HALTED BY A FIERCE NORTH KOREAN COUNTERATTACK THAT CARRIED THE ENEMY TO POINTS SEVEN MILES BEYOND THE EAST BANK.

THE OTHER WAS ABOUT 15 MILES NORTH OF CHANGNYONG WHERE THE COMMUNISTS HAD BUILT UP A FORCE OF ABOUT 1,500 MEN NEAR HYONPONG, 14 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THE REDS ESTABLISHED THIS BRIDGEHEAD MONDAY.

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THE REDS HAD MADE SEVERAL SMALL PROBING CROSSINGS IN THE WAEGWAN AREA BUT NONE WAS CONSIDERED SERIOUS.

THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION, SPREAD NORTH AND EAST OF WAEGWAN, REPULSED A HEAVY TANK-LED THRUST TUESDAY. THE SOUTH KOREANS GAINED ABOUT A MILE IN THE BATTLE.

BRITISH NAVY CARRIER-BASED PLANES ATTACKED AND DAMAGED THREE ENEMY SHIPS AT CHINNAMPO ON THE WEST COAST OF NORTH KOREA. THE SHIPS WERE LISTED AS A 2,000-TON FREIGHT, AN 800-TON FREIGHTER AND A MINESWEEPER.

U.S. FIGHTERS CONCENTRATED ON A FOLLOWUP, LOW LEVEL RAID BEHIND THE B-29S ON THE SAME WAEGWAN AREA.

EARLIER WEDNESDAY THE NORTH KOREANS HAD MADE THEIR FIRST MENTION OF THE "FRIENDLY SUPPORT OF THE SOVIET ARMY" IN A RADIO BROADCAST THANKING THE RUSSIANS FOR FELICITATIONS ON KOREAN V-J DAY TUESDAY. THE RED RADIO AT PYONGYANG, THE NORTHERN CAPITAL, READ A TELEGRAM FROM FOREIGN MINISTER PAK HYUN YONG TO SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDRE Y.

/ISHINSKY, IN WHICH PAK SAID:
"THE FIGHT AGAINST THE AMERICAN AGGRESSORS IS PROCEEDING IN VICTORY WITH FRIENDLY SUPPORT OF THE SOVIET ARMY."
U.S. INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS IN TOKYO SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAD LOST 40 PERCENT OR MORE OF THE TROOPS THEY ENTERED THE WAR WITH ON JUNE 25. THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY AT THAT TIME WAS ESTIMATED AT 100,000 MEN, WHICH WOULD GIVE THEM LOSSES OF AT LEAST 40,000.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THE FIGURES WERE NOT UP TO DATE, HINTING THAT THE REDS MAY HAVE LOST CONSIDERABLY MORE TROOPS THAN THAT.
THE INTELLIGENCE REPORTS SAID THE COMMUNIST ARMY WAS TRAINED BY CHINESE REDS AND POSSIBLY RUSSIAN ADVISERS. THEY ADDED: MANY SOUTH KOREANS HAD BEEN CONSCRIPTED INTO THE RANKS AS THE RED MACHINE SWEPT SOUTHWARD FROM THE 38TH PARALLEL.
IN ALL, THE REDS ARE ESTIMATED NOW TO HAVE ABOUT 150,000 MEN--15 DIVISIONS--SPREAD ALONG THE 140-MILE SOUTH KOREAN FRONT.

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UWITH BJT (SUBS FOR 8TH ARMY, KDC)
B-29S (700)
TOKYO,AUG.16-(AP)-WAVES OF B-29S PLUNGED MORE THAN 850 TONS OF BOMBS TODAY ON 60,000 RED TROOPS, CONCENTRATED FOR THE BIG DRIVE AIMED TO HURL AMERICAN TROOPS OUR OF KOREA.
OBSERVER PILOTS REPORTED THE ENEMY "RUNNING IN ALL DIRECTIONS" FROM THE TARGET AREA AFTER THE BIG AIR STRIKE.
IN TWO HOURS, 98 B-29S LACED 3,500 QUARTER-TON BOMBS INTO A 26-SQUARE-MILE AREA NEAR WAEGWAN ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT.
THERE THE NORTH KOREANS HAD MASSED AS MANY AS FOUR AND PERHAPS SIX DIVISIONS INCLUDING ARMOR, OFFICIAL REPORTS SAID.
THE AREA-SATURATION BLOW WAS THE FIRST EVER FOR THE BIG BOMBERS ON CONCENTRATIONS OF TROOPS. SUCH SHORT-COUPLED TACTICAL MISSIONS USUALLY ARE CARRIED OUT BY LIGHT ATTACK BOMBERS. BUT THIS TIME IT WAS LIKE A BIG BERTHA GUN DOING A CUSTOMARY SNIPER'S JOB.
IT WAS THE FIRST TIME ANYWHERE THAT THE BIG, FOUR-ENGINED BOMBERS--THE SUPERFORTRESSES OF WORLD WAR II--HAVE BEEN USED IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS.
TRADITIONALLY THE B-29 ROLE IS STRATEGIC INSTEAD OF TACTICAL; IT STRIKES BEHIND THE LINES AT ENEMY INDUSTRIAL AND TRANSPORT CENTERS AND LEAVES THE INFIGHTING ON THE BATTLEFRONT TO THE DARTING FIGHTER PLANES AND ATTACK BOMBERS.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE, WHO FLEW ALONG WITH THE B29S IN A TRANSPORT-OBSERVER PLANE, REPORTED THE BOMBING TURNED THE AREA INTO A GIGANTIC SMUDGE POT.
IT LOOKED AS IF THE EARTH HAD PARTED IN A SUDDEN VOLCANIC BURST, BOYLE SAID. HE ADDED IN NOTES JOTTED DOWN IN FLIGHT:
"GREAT COLUMNS OF DIRTY GRAY-BROWN SMOKE MUSHROOM UP AND MERGE INTO A VAST PALL THAT COVERS THE HILLS AND FILLS THE VALLEYS AND STILL KEEPS RISING. A DOZEN FLAMING VILLAGES ADD TO THE PALL."
BOYLE SAID THE BOMB ERUPTIONS MARCHED ON ONE FOOTHILL VILLAGE AND BLEW IT APART AS THOUGH IT WERE A TOWN OF PAPER.
MAJ. GEN. EMMETT (ROSIE) O'DONNELL, JR., COMMANDER OF THE FAR EAST BOMBER COMMAND, DIRECTED THE MASSIVE STRIKE FROM HIS AERIAL COMMAND POST, A B-29 WEATHER PLANE.
NINETY-EIGHT OTHER BIG BOMBERS CONVERGED ON THE TARGET FROM THEIR OKINAWA AND JAPAN BASES. THEY POURED THE BOMB EQUIVALENT OF 30,000 ROUNDS OF HEAVY ARTILLERY SHELLS INTO THE AREA.
THE STRIKE WAS PATTERNED AFTER THE GIANT AIR OPERATIONS AGAINST THE GERMANS IN ITALY AND FRANCE DURING WORLD WAR II. ONLY THIS TIME, THE BIG B-29S WERE USED INSTEAD OF THE LIGHTER FOUR-ENGINE B-17S AND B-24S.

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THREE SUCH STEAMROLLER STRIKES--BY THE LIGHTER BOMBERS BUT IN GREATER NUMBERS--WERE HURLED AGAINST ENEMY GROUND FORCES IN WORLD WAR II. THESE WERE AT SALERNO, MONTE CASSINO AND ST. LO IN NORMANDY.
IN TWO OF THESE MASSIVE STRIKES, AMERICAN AIR POWER CRACKED UP GERMAN DIVISIONS SO THOROUGHLY THAT ALLIED INFANTRYMEN WERE ABLE TO DRIVE FORWARD.
THIS IS HOW THE B-29S PLASTERED THE RED KOREAN MASSING PLACE NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN--CALLED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS THE "CRITICAL AREA" WHERE FOUR TO SIX RED DIVISIONS WERE POISED FOR THE BREAKTHROUGH ATTEMPT DOWN THE VALLEY CORRIDOR LEADING FROM TAEGU TO PUSAN:
THE B-29S FLEW OVER IN WAVES OF EIGHT. THEY DROPPED TO 7,000 FEET AND EACH PLANE LET A BOMB GO EVERY 150 FEET. EACH B-29 CARRIED 40 OF THE 500-POUNDERS.
THE BOMBS WERE FUSED TO EXPLODE INSTANTANEOUSLY ON THE TARGETS. CORRESPONDENT BOYLE SAID HIS OBSERVER PLANE ROCKED LIKE A CHIP IN A GALE FROM THE BLASTS.
"THE ENEMY APPEARS STUNNED AND PARALYZED BY THE SHOCK OF THE MASSIVE AIR ATTACK," BOYLE SAID.
THE BOMBING WAS MADE IN CLEAR WEATHER. THERE WAS NO FLAK--AND THIS IN AN AREA WHERE THE ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE USUALLY IS HEAVY.
FIGHTERS SWEPT OVER SOON AFTER THE B-29S FINISHED, LOOKING FOR TARGETS. THEY WERE ORDERED TO SHOOT AT ANYTHING THAT MOVED.
AS THA B-29S ROARED HOMEWARD OVER THE RIDGE LINES EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, SCATTERED ALLIED INFANTRYMEN STOOD UP IN THEIR FOXHOLES AND CHEERED.
"WE HOPE, BY GOD, WE WERE ABLE TO DO SOMETHING FOR THE GUYS ON THE GROUND," ONE B-29 CREWMAN SAID.
AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE LISTED FOUR NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS IN THE 20-MILE AREA ON BOTH SIDES OF THE WAEGWAN, WITH TWO IN RESERVE. A GREAT CONCENTRATION OF ENEMY TANKS--PROBABLY ALL THE REDS COULD ASSEMBLE--HAD BEEN REPORTED THERE, TOO.
THIS FORCE WAS POISED TO SMASH THE AMERICAN CENTER AND DRIVE DOWN THE WAEGWAN CORRIDOR TO TAEGU, PROVISIONAL SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.
THE PRESSURES HAVE BEEN BUILDING UP SLOWLY. INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE REDS HAD PLANNED TO PUSH OFF MOMENTARILY.

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B-29S
BY RUSSELL BRINES (420)
TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG. 17-(AP)-THE MAN WHO DIRECTED WEDNESDAY'S MAMMOTH BOMB STRIKE AGAINST NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AT WAEGWAN BELIEVES THE ATTACK MAY HAVE HAD MORE PSYCHOLOGICAL THAN MILITARY VALUE.
MAJ.GEN.EMMETT (ROSIE) O'DONNELL, COMMANDER OF THE FAR EAST BOMBER COMMAND, TERMED THE RAID "A 3,000 BOMB SALUTE TO GENERAL WALKER AND HIS BOYS" FIGHTING THE GROUND WAR. (LT.GEN.WALTON WALKER COMMANDS THE U.S.EIGHTH ARMY).
"I HOPE IT'S DONE SOME GOOD," O'DONNELL TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW.
BUT IT WOULD BE "JUST LUCK," O'DONNELL ADDED, IF THE BOMBS CAUGHT A CONCENTRATION OF RED TROOPS AND WIPED THEM OUT.
"THE AREA WAS TOO BIG FOR SATURATION BOMBING."
O'DONNELL SAID THE MAIN RESULT MIGHT BE TO KEEP RED FORCES OFF BALANCE AND SCATTERED, THUS DELAYING A BUILDUP OF THE CONCENTRATED STRENGTH NEEDED FOR A MAJOR PUSH ACROSS THE RIVER. INTELLIGENCE REPORTS HAVE CREDITED FIGHTER STRIKES WITH DISPERSING THE REDS IN THIS

AREA AND DELAYING COMPLETION OF THE TROOP BUILDUP.
BUT GENERAL O'DONNELL ADDED THAT "IT'S AN EXPENSIVE WAY OF DOING THIS."
HE SAID HE HOPED THE STRIKE WOULD BE A "SHOT IN THE ARM" FOR ALLIED DEFENSIVE FORCES ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER.
"WE GOT GENERALLY AROUND THE WHOLE AREA AND I COULD SEE A LOT OF EXPLOSIONS."
HE WATCHED AND DIRECTED THE ENTIRE SHOW FROM A WEATHER PLANE CIRCLING OVER THE AREA.
"WE HAD 100 (CORRECT) B-29S IN THE AIR AND 98 (CORRECT) ON THE TARGET," HE SAID.
O'DONNELL'S PLANE AND A RECONNAISSANCE SHIP DID NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE ASSAULT.
HE ESTIMATED THAT THE TOTAL BOMB LOAD WAS "ABOUT 880 (CORRECT) TONS."
"I AM NOT ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT THE TACTICAL USE OF B-29S AS A MILITARY MANEUVER," THE GENERAL SAID.
"I HOPE THEY LET US GO BACK TO BOMBING NOW."
HE EXPLAINED THAT THE TARGET AREA OF ABOUT 26 SQUARE MILES--SEVEN AND ONE HALF BY THREE AND ONE HALF MILES--PROVIDED NUMEROUS PLACES FOR RED TROOPS TO HIDE DURING THE ATTACK.
THE COUNTRYSIDE IS HILLY AND ROCKY IN MANY SPOTS WITHIN THE RECTANGLE MARKED OUT FOR THE BOMB ASSAULT.
THE GENERAL SAW NO ENEMY TROOPS FROM THE AIR. HE COULD NOT TELL WHETHER ANY LARGE CONCENTRATIONS HAD BEEN HIT. HE ASSURED THAT ALL BOMBS FELL WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER AND THAT NONE ENDANGERED UNITED NATIONS TROOPS.
"MY BOYS ARE GOOD BOMBERS," HE BEAMED.
"WE COULD HAVE PUT THEM ALL IN THE RIVER IF THEY TOLD US TO.
"ANYWAY, WE CAME OVER HERE SO FAST FROM THE UNITED STATES THAT WE COULDN'T CELEBRATE THE FOURTH OF JULY. CALL THIS A 3,000 BOMB SALUTE TO GENERAL WALKER AND HIS BOYS."
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AERIAL
TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE REDS STILL SHOW FIGHT IN THE AREA WHERE 98 (CORRECT) B-29S BLASTED THEM WITH 500-POUND BOMBS WEDNESDAY.
AMERICAN PATROLS TRIED LAST NIGHT TO CROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER TO THE BOMBED WAEGWAN SECTOR ON THE WEST SIDE AND CHECK THE DAMAGE BUT COULDN'T MAKE IT. ONE U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION PATROL MOVED AHEAD FOR THREE MILES BUT, BEFORE REACHING THE 26 SQUARE MILE TARGET AREA, STRONG ENEMY FIRE HALTED THE CHECK.
MAJ. GEN. EMMETT (ROSIE) O'DONNELL, WHO DIRECTED THE RAID FROM A WEATHER PLANE, SAID ALL BOMBS FELL IN AN ACCURATE PATTERN BUT HE WOULD CONSIDER IT "JUST LUCK" IF THE RAIDERS WIPED OUT A TROOP CONCENTRATION. HE POINTED OUT THAT THE COUNTRYSIDE IS HILLY, AFFORDING HIDING SPOTS.
GENERAL O'DONNELL SAID 100 B-29S WERE ALOFT BUT ONLY 98 WERE ON THE TARGET, DROPPING AN ESTIMATED TOTAL LOAD OF "ABOUT 850 TONS."

WHILE THE SUPERFORTRESS SATURATION BOMBING WAS IN PROGRESS, FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS CONTINUED TO HAMMER ENEMY COMMUNICATIONS AND TROOPS WITH ROCKETS, MACHINEGUNS AND BOMBS.
IN ALL, FIFTH AIR FORCE PILOTS FLEW 440 SORTIES WEDNESDAY, 204 OF THE TOTAL IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS.
INCLUDED IN THE DAY'S BAG WERE FOUR LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED AND THREE DAMAGED.
FOURTEEN MARINE FIGHTER PILOTS ROARED INTO THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR AND DESTROYED THREE ARTILLERY PIECES AND THREE VILLAGES.

THE B-26 NIGHT INTRUDER BOMBERS STARTED FIRES IN 13 TOWNS, INCLUDING SEOUL, FORMER CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA.
(HOURS AFTER THE RAID, AN AIR FORCE OFFICER IN WASHINGTON REVISED AN AERIAL SUMMARY ISSUED IN TOKYO GIVING THE NUMBER OF PLANES AS 98 AND THE TONNAGE OF BOMBS DROPPED AS 850. HE ANNOUNCED THE CORRECTION AT A BRIEFING FOR REPORTERS.
(THE SPOKESMAN SAID 3,400 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED DURING THE NORMANDY OPERATION.)

ONE HUNDRED AND ONE U.S.SUPERFORTS DROPPED 1,000 TONS OF BOMBS WEDNESDAY ON RED TROOPS MASSING ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINES FOR AN ALL-OUT DRIVE TOWARD TAEGU.
(HEADQUARTERS REPORTS HERE OF THE GIGANTIC RAID SAID 98 SUPERFORTS DROPPED 850 TONS OF BOMBS, BUT AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON LATER REVISED THE FIGURES UPWARD.)
AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS MADE DURING THE RAID AND OTHERS TAKEN AFTER TOWERING COLUMSN OF SMOKE DISAPPEARED WILL SHOW OFFICERS WHETHER THE PURPOSE OF THE AIR BLOW--TO BREAK THE BACK OF THE BIG RED OFFENSIVE BUILDUP--WAS EFFECTIVE.
OBSERVERS DURING THE RAID REPORTED SEEING PANIC-STRICKEN COMMUNIST SOLDIERS FLEEING FROM THE THUNDERING ASSAULT, BUT THE PICTURES WILL GIVE A MORE DETAILED ACCOUNT OF THE DAMAGE.
IT WAS THE GREATEST AERIAL ASSAULT ON ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS SINCE THE WORLD WAR II INVASION OF NORMANDY, JUNE 6, 1944.
FOR TWO HOURS, THE SUPERFORTRESSES FROM JAPAN AND OKINAWA, FLEW LOW IN WAVES OF EIGHT OVER THEIR TARGET AND LET LOOSE THEIR LETHAL BOMB LOADS. TEN TONS FROM EACH PLANE.
THE EARTH SHOOK AND COLUMNS OF SMOKE BILLOWED SKYWARD FROM A ROARING INFERNO. AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE SAID IT LOOKED LIKE "A GIGANTIC SMUDGE POT."
IN THE 26-SQUARE MILE BLASTED AREA, SLIGHTLY LARGER THAN THAT OF NEW YORK'S MANHATTAN ISLAND, THE BULK OF SIX NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS--POSSIBLY 60,000 MEN--WERE POISED FOR A KNOCKOUT BLOW AT TAEGU, 12 MILES SOUTHEAST.
THE AIR FORCE RAID WAS DESIGNED TO CRIPPLE IF NOT SMASH THE LONG-PLANNED RED OFFENSIVE AIMED AT THE AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU, 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF THE ALLIED SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.
THE ATTACK OCCURRED ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE VICINITY OF WAEGWAN.
U.S. OBSERVER-PILOTS REPORTED LATER THAT THEY SAW COMMUNIST TROOPS RETREATING IN PANIC.
SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS GAVE CHASE. U.S. ARMY PATROL SCOUTS CROSSED OVER THE NAKTONG TO THE COMMUNIST-HELD SIDE AND MET LITTLE ENEMY OPPOSITION.
EVERY INDICATION POINTED TO A HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL STRIKE.
THE SUPERFORTRESSES ASSUMED A NEW TACTICAL ROLE IN MAKING THE RAID ON ENEMY TROOPS. THEIR USUAL STRATEGIC ROLE CALLS FOR HIGH ALTITUDE BOMBINGS ON COMMUNICATIONS AND INDUSTRIAL CENTERS.
THE WEATHER WAS CLEAR FOR THE BIG RAID AND ALL BOMBING WAS DONE VISUALLY. IN THE CUSTOMARY B-29 STRIKES FROM HIGH ALTITUDES RADAR IS USED. THE BOMBS WERE RELEASED ON CAREFULLY SELECTED AIMING POINTS IN THE 26 SQUARE MILE AREA.
THE SUPERFORTRESSES BEGAN THEIR RUN INTO THE TARGET AREA FROM THE SOUTH TO THE NORTH. ALLIED TROOPS WERE ON THE EAST OR RIGHT; THE REDS WERE ON THE WEST OR LEFT SIDE.
THE ATTACK WAS LED BY MAJ.GEN.EMMETT (ROSIE) O'DONNELL, CHIEF OF THE FAR EAST BOMBER COMMAND. HE WENT OVER THE TARGET AREA FIRST TO GUIDE THE OTHERS SO THEY WOULD NOT BOMB FRIENDLY TROOPS BY MISTAKE.
NEITHER ENEMY FLAK NOR FIGHTER OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED.
PILOTS RETURNING TO THEIR BASES SAID THEY DIDN'T KNOW HOW MUCH

DAMAGE HAD BEEN DONE BUT THEIR AIM HAD BEEN GOOD. THEY HAD HIT THE TARGET "RIGHT ON THE NOSE."

"BUT IT DOESN'T MEAN THAT WE KILLED GOOKS (GI SLANG FOR THE ENEMY) BECAUSE WE JUST DIDN'T KNOW WHETHER THEY WERE THERE," SAID ONE AIR FORCE OFFICER.

THE BOMBS WERE DROPPED TO FALL 150 FEET APART. THE TONNAGE AMOUNTED TO THE EQUIVALENT OF 30,000 ROUNDS OF HEAVY ARTILLERY SHELLS.

MEANWHILE, THE FEAF SAID IN AN OPERATIONAL SUMMARY, U.S. AND AUSTRALIAN PLANES CONTINUED TACTICAL AND STRATEGIC ATTACKS AGAINST THE ENEMY. ELSEWHERE IN BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.

THE FEAF SAID A RUSSIAN-MADE FIGHTER ATTACKED A B-29 TUESDAY. IT WAS THE FIRST TIME SINCE JULY 21 THAT FEAF RAIDS IN NORTH KOREA HAD MET AIR OPPOSITION.

SEVEN OTHER SOVIET-BUILT FIGHTERS WERE OBSERVED DURING THE RAIDS NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, BUT THEY DID NOT CLOSE IN FOR AN ATTACK.

THE OPERATIONAL SUMMARY SAID THE FIGHTER, AN LA-5, MADE "TWO OR THREE PASSES" AT THE B-29 BUT FLED AFTER THE SUPERFORTRESS TAIL-GUNNER FIRED SOME 100 ROUNDS AT IT.

IT WAS BELIEVED THE PLANE, USED BY THE NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE, WAS DAMAGED IN THE ENCOUNTER. APPARENTLY IT DID NOT FIRE BACK AT THE B-29.

FEAF FIGHTERS MADE NEARLY 300 SORTIES TUESDAY IN GIVING GROUND SUPPORT TO ALLIED GROUND FORCES. AT LEAST FIVE TANKS WERE REPORTED PUT OUT OF ACTION. OTHER TARGETS INCLUDED TRUCKS, LOCOMOTIVES, BOXCARS, BARGES AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS.

NORTH KOREAN TROOP CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED HIGH AS A RESULT OF ALLIED FIGHTER ACTION.

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BOX WITH AIR

TOKYO,AUG.16-(AP)-AMERICAN AIR POWER BRUSHED THE NORTH KOREANS YESTERDAY WITH A FEATHER DUSTER--AND THEN HIT TODAY WITH A MASSIVE SLEDGEHAMMER.

THE FEATHER DUSTER: ONE LONE B-29 DROPPED LEAFLETS URGING SURRENDER.

THE SLEDGEHAMMER: 98 B-29S SLAMMED 3,500 QUARTER-TON BOMBS AT 60,000 RED TROOPS MASSED IN A 26 SQUARE MILE AREA FOR AN ALL-OUT DRIVE.

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AERIAL BOX

TOKYO,AUG.16-(AP)-AMERICAN B-26 BOMBERS ATTACKED A RUSSIAN-STYLE NORTH KOREAN UNDERWATER TANK CAUSEWAY NEAR WAEGWAN TODAY. RESULTS WERE NOT DETERMINED.

THE CAUSEWAY IS ONE OF THREE THE COMMUNISTS HAVE STRETCHED ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER ABOUT ONE FOOT BELOW THE SURFACE.

CC543APD

A146KX (WEST OUT)

TOKYO,THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-SWARMS OF CARRIER BASED PLANES FROM TASK FORCE 77 RANGED OVER EASTERN KOREA WEDNESDAY, POUNDING ENEMY COMMUNICATIONS, CONVOYS AND FIXED INSTALLATIONS, THE NAVY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

PILOTS REPORTED DESTRUCTION OF ONE TANK, 34 TRUCKS, TWO AMMUNITION CARRIERS, THREE SUPPLY DUMPS AND THREE MILITARY WAREHOUSES. TWENTY-SIX TRUCKS WERE REPORTED DAMAGED.

A BRITISH CRUISER SHELLED A FACTORY NEAR KUNSAN ON THE WEST COAST.

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(130)

TOKYO,AUG.16-(AP)-CAPT.VERN F.PETERSON ROARED IN WITH HIS JET FIGHTER PLANE AFIRE AND CRASH-LANDED WITH THE WHEELS UP.

BUT HE GOT BACK IN TIME FOR HIS DAUGHTER'S THIRD BIRTHDAY PARTY.

PETERSON, OF 11 WALLER COURT, NEW LONDON,CONN., WAS LEADING A JET ATTACK ON RAILYARDS NORTHWEST OF TAEGU WHEN FLAK HIT HIS RIGHT WING. FLAMES SPURTED FROM A LARGE HOLE.

HE ZOOMED HOMEWARD. FLAMES ENGULFED THE WING AND LICKED TOWARD THE FUSELAGE. IT WAS 200 MILES BACK TO BASE AND PETERSON WAS READY TO BAIL OUT AT ANY MINUTE. BUT HE MADE IT JUST IN TIME. HE HAD TO CRASH-LAND BECAUSE CONTROL CABLES WERE BURNED OUT.

IT WAS THE 45TH KOREAN WAR MISSION FOR THE 30-YEAR OLD VETERAN OF WORLD WAR II. PETERSON HOLDS THE DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS FOR RESC[redacted]

WORLD WAR II. PETERSON HOLDS THE DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS FOR RESCUING A B-29 CREW UNDER JAPANESE GUNFIRE NEAR IWO JIMA.

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BY HAL BOYLE

IN A FIFTH AIRFORCE PLANE OVER WAEGWAN, KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 16 -(AP)-A FORCE OF 98 B-29 BOMBERS STRIKING THE MIGHTIEST AIR BLOW OF THE KOREAN WAR IS TURNING A 21-SQUARE-MILE TARGET NORTH OF HERE INTO A GIGANTIC SMUDGE POT.

THAT'S HOW IT LOOKS FROM A GRANDSTAND SEAT IN THIS TRANSPORT PLANE--OR AS IF THE EARTH HAD PARTED IN A SUDDEN VOLCANIC BURST.

IT IS NOW 12:30 P.M AND THE GREAT SUPERFORTS HAVE BEEN COMING OVER IN WAVES OF EIGHT FOR AN HOUR AND A HALF. NOT ONE SINGLE FLAK SHELL HAS BEEN THROWN UP AGAINST THEM HERE WHERE ACK ACK IS ORDINARILY REPORTED HEAVY.

THE ENEMY APPEARS STUNNED AND PARALYZED BY THE SHOCK OF THE MASSIVE AIR ATTACK. THE BOMBERS, GLINTING LIKE SLEEK SWANS AS THEY SWIM WITH LAZY GRACE THROUGH A BLUE SKY FLECKED WITH LIGHT CLOUDS, HAVE DROPPED TO 7,000 FEET NOW TO UNLOAD THEIR BOMBS--TEN TONS FOR EACH PLANE. AND STILL THERE IS NO ENEMY CHALLENGER OF ANY KIND.

SOMEWHERE HIDDEN IN THAT INFERNO OF SMOKE, FLAME AND CONCUSSION BELOW ARE SOME 40,000 NORTH KOREANS MASSED FOR A KNOCKOUT BLOW AT TAEGU. BUT TODAY THEY ARE KEEPING THEIR HEADS DOWN.

AS ANOTHER FLIGHT LETS GO ITS CARGO OUR PILOT, CAPTAIN JAMES R. YOUNG, OF 2150 LOWELL ST., DENVER, COLO., CALLS:

"LOOK--RIGHT ON THE NOSE!"

AS THE BOMBS STRIKE THE GROUND THEY UNLEASH A SERIES OF BRIGHT FLASHES LIKE TREMENDOUS FIRECRACKERS. THE FLASHES STAIR-STEP TO A VILLAGE IN THE FOOTHILLS AND BLOW IT APART AS THOUGH IT WERE A TOWN OF PAPER.

THEN GREAT COLUMNS OF DIRTY GRAY BROWN SMOKE MUSHROOM UP AND MERGE INTO A VAST PALL THAT COVERS THE HILLS AND FILLS THE VALLEYS AND STILL KEEPS RISING. HARDLY A DOZEN FLAMING VILLAGES ADD TO THE PALL--AND SOME OF THE SMOKE IS DEEP AND BLACK. IT COMES FROM BURNING ENEMY VEHICLES AND FUEL DUMPS.

ON RIDGE LINES EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER SCATTERED AMERICAN INFAN-TRY PATROLS CHEER AND WAVE AT THE B-29S. IT ISN'T EVERY DAY THE DOUGH-BOY SEE[redacted]

TRY PATROLS CHEER AND WAVE AT THE B-29S. IT ISN'T EVERY DAY THE DOUGHBOY SEES THESE BIG BOMBERS RIDE TO HIS HELP AND BLAST THE ENEMY WITH THE EQUIVALENT OF 30,000 HEAVY ARTILLERY SHELLS IN TWO HOURS.

THE TARGET IS WELL DEFINED AND SO FAR THERE HAS BEEN NO MISHAP SUCH AS MARRED THE LOW LEVEL MISSION OF HEAVY BOMBERS IN THE ST. LO BREAKTHROUGH IN NORMANDY. THEN HUNDREDS OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS WERE KILLED OR INJURED BY BOMBS FALLING IN OUR OWN LINES.

THE BOMBERS ARE HITTING ABOUT A MILE WEST OF THE RIVER, BEGINNING THREE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN, IN A STRIP SEVEN MILES LONG AND THREE MILES DEEP, WHERE THE BULK OF THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK FORCE OF INFANTRY AND TANKS IS BELIEVED CENTERED. IT IS HARD TO SEE HOW IT CAN TAKE A BATTERING SUCH AS IT IS GETTING NOW--AND MOUNT AN OFFENSIVE SOON. IN THE DEEPENING SMOKE PALL NOTHING OF LIGHT CAN BE SEEN.

AS OUR PLANE TURNS HOMEWARD THE PILOT SWOOPS DOWN TO WITHIN 50 FEET OF THE SANDY NAKTONG RIVER AND RACES DOWN THE EASTERN BANK IN AN AREA WHERE THE ENEMY HAS PUT ACROSS TROOPS REPEATEDLY IN AN

ATTEMPT TO FORCE A BEACHHEAD.

ONE KNOCKED OUT RED TANK LIES IN THE MIDDLE OF THE RIVER. THE HULKS OF FOUR OTHER ENEMY TANKS LIE IN AN ORCHARD WHERE AIRCRAFT CAUGHT AND DESTROYED THEM. SUDDENLY LT. JIM BRADLEY OF VAN NUYS, CALIF., POINTED OUT SOME PINPOINT FLASHES COMING FROM THE HILLSIDE AND OUR PLANE SWINGS UP AND AWAY.

"SMALL ARMS FIRE," SAYS BRADLEY.

AS THE LAST WAVE OF BOMBERS COMPLETES ITS MISSION, FLIGHTS OF

FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS ROAR UP. THEY DIP DOWN TO STRAFE AND BOMB ANY ENEMY TROOPS OR VEHICLES ATTEMPTING TO LEAVE THE SHATTERED TARGET AREA.
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A121FX

U.S. 5TH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS,KOREA,AUG.16-(AP)-A U.S. NAVY NEPTUNE PATROL BOMBER DITCHED IN THE YELLOW SEA TODAY OFF ONGJIN NORTHWEST OF SEOUL. THE CREW WAS REPORTED AFLOAT IN RUBBER RAFTS. A NEPTUNE USUALLY CARRIES A CREW OF SEVEN.

A GRUMMAN AMPHIBIOUS RESCUE PLANE WITH ESCORTING MUSTANG FIGHTERS WAS DISPATCHED ON A RESCUE MISSION.

AN AMERICAN DESTROYER 40 MILES AWAY ALSO SPED TO THE RESCUE.
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WAEGWAN
BY HAL BOYLE

WITH U.S.FORCES IN KOREA, THURSDAY,AUG.17-(AP)-THE ONE-TIME CITY OF WAEGWAN, FOCAL POINT OF THE WAR IN KOREA, IS A RUINED NO-MANS-LAND TODAY.

IF ANYONE HOLDS IT HE IS IN AN UNCOMFORTABLE POSITION, TO SAY THE LEAST. FOR A WEEK OR SO U.S. FIRST CAVALRY UNITS AND NORTH KOREAN REDS BOTH HAVE SENT PATROLS INTO THE CITY.

AFTER THE B-29S DELIVERED THEIR SATURDAION LOAD OF BOMBS ON THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, THE FIRST CAVALRY SENT A TANK INTO THE FAIRLY LARGE CITY TO LOOK IT OVER.

THE AMERICAN TANK KNOCKED OUT A RED TANK ON THE CITY'S EDGE AND CHASED ANOTHER INTO THE NORTH. THE RUNAWAY RED VEHICLE SEEMED TO BE MAKING AT LEAST 40 MILES AN HOUR.

WAEGWAN (EVERYBODY PRONOUNCES IT WIGWAM) IS 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, KEY AMERICAN BASE ON THE ROAD TO PUSAN.

IT IS FLUSH ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER AND IS UNDER DIRECT OBSERVATION AND FIRE FROM THE REDS' WEST BANK.

IT HAS NEVER ACTUALLY BEEN CAPTURED OR RECAPTURED DURING RECENT BATTLING IN THE FIRST CAVALRY AREA. THE REDS NEVER SENT ENOUGH FORCES IN THERE TO HOLD IT.

THE AMERICANS HAVEN'T KEPT ENOUGH TROOPS THERE EITHER TO CALL IT THEIR OWN.

THE REDS HAVE A FORCE IN THE HILLS TO THE NORTH AND THEY LOB MORTARS INTO THE CITY.

WAEGWAN IS TOO VULNERABLE A TARGET FOR ANYONE TO HOLD FOR LONG. ANYWAY, IT'S MUCH EASIER TO DIG IN OUTSIDE A CITY THAT IS SO EXPOSED. THE CAPTURE OR RECAPTURE--TODAY OR TOMORROW--OF WAEGWAN HAS NO REAL SIGNIFICANCE.

WAEGWAN IS A GUTTED POINT ON A MAP--BETWEEN TWO ARMIES.
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A152FX
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BY HAL BOYLE

WITH THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION IN KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN TROOPS PUSHED THE AMERICANS OFF A KEY HILL NORTH OF WAEGWAN TODAY.

FIRST CAVALRY TROOPERS COUNTERATTACKED IN AN ATTEMPT TO REGAIN THE POSITION.

THE HILL IS ABOUT TWO MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN AND EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.

(WAEGWAN, THE AREA BLASTED WEDNESDAY BY 500 POUND BOMBS FROM B-29S, IS 12 MILES NORTHEAST OF THE KEY AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU.)

THE COMMUNISTS APPARENTLY REINFORCED THEIR FOOTHOLD LAST NIGHT AND LAUNCHED AN ATTACK THIS MORNING WHICH PUSHED THE AMERICANS BACK.

THE AMERICANS WERE IN THE BLASTED TOWN OF WAEGWAN TODAY BUT WERE UNDER HEAVY FIRE. RED ARTILLERY ON THE WEST BANK OF THE RIVER AND FIRE FROM GUERRILLAS WHO HAD INFILTRATED AROUND THE CITY ON THE EAST BANK WERE DIRECTED ON WAEGWAN.

UNITED STATES FORCES LOST TWO TANKS WEDNESDAY IN A FIGHT NORTH OF WAEGWAN.
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B-29S
BY WILLIAM JORDEN

A U.S. BOMBER BASE, JAPAN, AUG.16-(AP)-B-29 CREW CAME BACK FROM THEIR BIGGEST BOMBING RAID OF THE KOREAN WAR TODAY, SAYING: "WE HOPE, BY GOD, WE WERE ABLE TO DO SOMETHING FOR THE GUYS ON THE GROUND." THEY HAD.

THE BOMBERS HAD JUST SMASHED A 26-SQUARE MILE AREA CONTAINING UP TO 60,000 RED SOLDIERS IN A CORRIDOR 3 1/2 MILES WIDE AND 7 1/2 MILES LONG JUST NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN.

THE ARMY WANTED TO CHOP OFF THE THREATENED COMMUNIST ADVANCE TOWARD TAEGU AND THE SOUTHEAST BEFORE IT COULD GET STARTED. THE ARMY CALLED ON THE AIR FORCE FOR A B-29 SATURATION RAID ON THE SECTION WHERE THE REDS WERE MASSING FOR ATTACK--A TACTICAL BATTLEFRONT MISSION INSTEAD OF THE BIG BOMBERS' CUSTOMARY LONG-RANGE STRATEGIC EFFORT IN THE RED REAR.

IT WAS THE FIRST TIME B-29S HAD EVER BEEN ASKED TO GIVE CLOSEUP MASS SUPPORT TO GROUND FORCES. IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THE DEADLY GRACEFUL SILVER GIANTS HAD EVER BEEN ORDERED TO GO AND BLANKET AN AREA IN A DIRECT STRIKE AT ENEMY TROOPS.

WHEN IT WAS ALL OVER THE PILOTS AND BOMBARDIERS DIDN'T KNOW WHETHER THEY HAD DONE ANY GOOD. THEY HAD HIT THE TARGET RIGHT ON THE NOSE, AND KNEW THAT. RESULTS WERE UNIFORMLY REPORTED AS "EXCELLENT."

"BUT THAT MEANS WE DROPPED ALL OUR BOMBS AND HIT THE ASSIGNED AREA,"

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ONE AIR FORCE OFFICER SAID. "BUT IT DOESN'T MEAN THAT WE KILLED GOOKS BECAUSE WE JUST DON'T KNOW WHETHER THEY WERE THERE."

BEFORE THE OPERATION, MAJ.GEN.EMMETT (ROSIE) O'DONNELL, CHIEF OF THE FAR EAST BOMBER COMMAND, SAID: "WE DON'T KNOW WHETHER THIS IS GOING TO DO ANY GOOD. WE HOPE IT WILL. IF THE NORTH KOREANS ARE DOWN THERE WE THINK IT WILL. ANYWAY WE THINK IT WORTH A TRY."

THE BIG SHOW STARTED BEFORE DAWN.

SLEEPY-EYED PILOTS, NAVIGATORS, BOMBARDIERS AND CREWMEN GOT TOGETHER IN THE THEATER OF THIS POST. BOMBER COMMAND MISSION BRIEFING OFFICERS STOOD ON THE PLATFORM AND QUIETLY TOLD THE CREWS WHERE THEY WERE GOING, WHAT THEY WERE GOING TO DO, AND WHY. THEN THEY BROKE UP INTO SMALLER GROUPS--ALL THE PLANE COMMANDERS TOGETHER AND ALL RADIOMEN AND THE OTHERS FOR SPECIAL BRIEFINGS.

THE BRIEFINGS BROKE UP AND THE AIRMEN FILED OUT OF THE THEATER AND CLIMBED INTO TRUCKS FOR THE SHORT TRIP TO THE AIRSTRIP.

OUT ON THE FIELD THE GROUND CREWS WERE MAKING LAST-MINUTE CHECKS ON THE MIGHTY PLANES--TESTING MOTORS, CHECKING MACHINEGUNS, INSPECTING THE BOMB LOADS.

SUDDENLY IT WAS TIME TO GO ABOARD--JUST ABOUT 6:30 A.M.

OUR PLANE, COMMANDED BY CAPT. JACK R. PACKWOOD, CHEHALIS, WASH., WAS IN THE FIRST SQUADRON, LED BY COL. CLAUDE E. PUTNAM, JACKSBORO, TEX.

OUR BIG PLANE ROARED AND LUMBERED DOWN THE RUNWAY, ITS ENGINES STRAINING TO PULL THE 10-TON BOMB LOAD INTO THE AIR. THIS WAS WHAT PACKWOOD CALLED "THE DANGEROUS TIME" BUT ALL 99 SUPERFORTS CLEARED SAFE

WE JOINED THE OTHER PLANES IN THE SQUADRON OVER AN ISLAND 80 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE FIELD, FLEW DUE WEST AND THEN NORTH RIGHT UP THE MIDDLE OF KOREA.

THE SQUADRON FLEW RIGHT ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE--SOMETIMES WEST, SOMETIMES EAST OF THAT MEANDERING MUDDY STREAM. THERE WAS ONE BIG WORRY IN THE MINDS OF ALL--NO ONE WANTED TO DROP BOMBS BY ACCIDENT ON AMERICAN TROOPS EAST OF THE RIVER.

O'DONNELL HAD GONE AHEAD OVER THE TARGET AREA TO MAKE SURE THAT NONE OF THE ATTACK PLANES GOT OVER FRIENDLY TERRITORY ON ITS BOMB RUN. O'DONNELL PERSONALLY DIRECTED THE SQUADRONS AS THEY CAME OVER.

HIS VOICE BOOMED OVER THE EARPHONES: "IF YOU CAN'T SEE CLEARLY TO DROP YOUR BOMBS ON THE FIRST RUN GO BACK AGAIN AND DROP 'EM."

FORTUNATELY THE WEATHER OVER THE TARGET RECTANGLE MADE THAT UNNECESSARY. I MOVED BACK AND LOOKED OUT THROUGH THE BOMB-BAY. THROUGH OCCASIONAL PATCHES OF CLOUDS I COULD SEE--FROM 10,000 FEET--THE PATCH OF WOODED HILLS AND AN OCCASIONAL TINY FARM VILLAGE IN THE VALLEY WHERE THE REDS WERE REPORTED MASSED IN FORCE.

I SAW NO MOVEMENT OF TROOPS OR VEHICLES, NOTHING THAT WOULD INDICATE AN ENEMY ARMY WAS BELOW IN FORCE. IT WAS 10:50 A.M.

THEN SUDDENLY THE BOMBS BEGAN TO FALL AWAY, ONE BY ONE. I HEARD THE BOMBARDIER SHOUT "FIRE!" OVER THE INTERPHONE. THEN THE BOMBS IN THE REAR BAY--OR MOST OF THEM--DROPPED TOGETHER IN AY SALVO.

THE PLAN HAD BEEN TO SPACE THE BOMBS SO THEY WOULD HIT ABOUT 150 FEET APART. BUT WHEN THE BOMBARDIER SAW SMOKE IN OUR B-29 HE HIT THE SALVO SWITCH AND DROPPED THE REMAINDER OF THE LOAD AT ONCE.

IT TURNED OUT THE "FIRE" SMOKE CAME FROM A SHORT CIRCUIT THAT WAS EASILY FIXED.

THE BOMBS THREW UP SHOWERS OF DUST AND DIRTY BLACK AND BROWN SMOKE. I SAW NO EXPLOSIONS OTHER THAN THOSE OF THE BOMBS THEMSELVES. THE ENEMY THREW NOTHING AT US IN THE WAY OF ANTI-AIRCRAFT OR IF THEY DID IT DIDN'T COME CLOSE.

IN MINUTES THE TARGET AREA WAS OBSCURED.

WE CONTINUED NORTH. FOLLOWING SQUADRONS MOVED IN TO DROP THEIR LOADS OVER WHAT QUICKLY BECAME A CORRIDOR OF NOISE, DUST AND--WE HOPED--DEATH FOR THE ENEMY.

WE TURNED EAST, FLEW OUT OVER THE SEA OF JAPAN AND THEN HEADED FOR HOME.

"I'VE GOT THE REPORT ON OUR RUN," SAID THE RADIOMAN, STAFF SGT. WALTER R. LAMBERT, BLUESTONE, W.VA. "ON THE TARGET, EXCELLENT RESULTS, NO FLAK, NO ENEMY AIRCRAFT SIGHTED."

WE LOOKED AT EACH OTHER. "EXCELLENT RESULTS," SAID ONE. "THAT MEANS WE DROPPED OUR LOAD AND NONE OF US FELL OUT THE BOMB BAY."

UP IN THE PLASTIC NOSE OF OUR SHIP WAS LT.CECIL E.SEITZ, SUGAR LAND,TEX.

NEXT TO PACKWOOD WAS HIS PILOT, LT.WILLIAM R.KUNKEL, 127 N.L ST., LAKE WORTH,FLA. I SAT ON A LITTLE WOODEN BOX BETWEEN THEM.

BEHIND US, SITTING IN FRONT OF WHAT LOOKS LIKE THE CONTROL PANEL FOR A MECHANICAL BRAIN WAS THE ENGINEER, ST.VICTOR R.ZUEGE, 836 NEW HAMPSHIRE ST., LINCOLN,NEB. TO THE LEFT WAS LT.ROBERT E. BOUGGARD, NAVIGATOR, DENVER.

OTHERS IN THE PLANE INCLUDED STAFF SGT.ARTHUR M.DRYDEN, CHIEF OF FIRE CONTROL, CONCORD ST., ASHLAND, MASS., AND SGT. HERMAN D.MCRANEY, LEFT GUNNER; 1503 N.MAIN ST., HATTIESBURG,MISS.

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A U.S. AIR BASE IN JAPAN,AUG.16-(AP)-ALL THE OTHER AIRMEN AND MECHANICS AROUND HERE WEAR THOSE JAUNTY BASEBALL-TYPE CAPS BUT NOT MASTER SGT.ROBERT HIGGING OF MCMECHEN, W.VA.

HE INSISTS ON A REGULAR COMBAT INFANTRYMAN'S HELMET.

SEVERAL DAYS AGO HIGGING SUFFERED A SCALP WOUND WHEN A CAN OF SOUP FELL OUT OF A BOMB-BAY. YESTERDAY A BOLT FROM A BOMB HOIST LANDED ON HIS HEAD.

"NO USE FIGHTING FATE," CRACKED HIGGING. "I THINK MY HEAD IS MAGNETIC."

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BULLETIN

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG.17-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN RED FORCES CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER DURING LAST NIGHT AT A POINT FOUR OR FIVE MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN.

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BULLETIN MATTER

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS--FIRST ADD CROSSING (WHICH BY LINE BY DON HUTH) X X X OF WAEGWAN.

WAEGWAN IS THE SECTOR, 12 MILES NORTHEAST OF THE AMERICAN BASE OF TAEGU, WHICH WAS STRUCK WEDNESDAY BY WAVES OF B-29S BLASTING RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.

THE RED CROSSING, OF UNDETERMINED STRENGTH, WAS REPORTED BY SOUTH KOREAN FIELD HEADQUARTERS. SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ARE ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPS IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR.

THE CROSSING OCCURRED IN AN AREA WHERE A RED REGIMENT WAS SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN HIT BY THE B-29 BOMBING. THERE WAS NO REPORT OF ANY ARMOR TAKING PART IN THE CROSSING.

FROM THE FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE SAID MAJ.GEN.HOBART GAY EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT THE B-29 RAID WOULD AFFORD A RESPITE FROM COMMUNIST PRESSURE IN THE AREA.

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS AS YET HAD RECEIVED NO ASSESSMENT OF THE BOMBING EFFECTS FROM GROUND PATROLS.

LATER BOYLE REPORTED FROM THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AREA THAT A PATROL WAS UNABLE DURING THE NIGHT TO PENETRATE FAR ENOUGH WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER TO EVALUATE THE BOMBING RESULTS. A SEVENTH REGIMENT PATROL MANAGED TO GO TWO OR THREE MILES BUT WITHOUT REACHING THE B-29 TARGET AREA. OTHER PATROLS WERE THROWN BACK BY THE ENEMY.

IN THE FIFTH REGIMENT SECTOR, A PATROL PENETRATED TO TH WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER BUT MET RED FIRING SO STRONG IT COULD NOT ADVANCE.

BOYLE SAID THERE WAS NO QUESTION BUT THAT THE BOMBING HAD A TREMENDOUS PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECT --- BOTH ON THE ENEMY AND ON THE AMERICAN TROOPS IN THE AREA. HE SAID IT HAD BEEN A GREAT MORALE FACTOR FOR TROOPS HOLDING THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINES.

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U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION WAS EVACUATED TODAY BY LANDING SHIPS FROM THE EAST COAST BELOW YONGDOK IN THE MIDDLE OF A HEAVY BATTLE.

(THIS IS A DIVISION WHICH WAS ISOLATED WHEN COMMUNIST FORCES SEIZED THE PORT CITY OF POHANG, 25 MILES SOUTH OF YONGDOK).

THE EVACUATION WAS MADE UNDER AMERICAN AIR COVER AND SUPPORTED BY AMERICAN NAVAL GUNFIRE. THE REPUBLICAN TROOPS WERE UNDER ENEMY FIRE AND ATTACK DURING THE EVACUATION.

THE SOUTH KOREANS STARTED GOING ABOARD THE LANDING SHIPS AT 11 P.M., LAST NIGHT (8 A.M., E.S.T.), WEDNESDAY) AND THE LOADING ENDED AT 6 A.M. TODAY (3 P.M. E.S.T., WEDNESDAY). THE EVACUATION SHIPS THEN PULLEDOUT FROM THE COAST FOR AN UNANNOUNCED DESTINATION.

THE THIRD DIVISION HAS BEEN IN THE LINE CONTINUOUSLY FOR SEVERAL WEEKS DURING THE BITTER BATTLE FOR YONGDOK. THE REDS NOW HOLD THAT TOWN AND HAVE PUSHED SEVERAL MILES SOUTHWARD FROM WHERE THE EVACUATION WAS MADE.

FJ833PCS

A47KX

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KOREAN DEFENSE LINE

BY LEIF ERICKSON

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-THERE'S REALLY NO SOLID DEFENSE LINE STRETCHED ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER BY UNDERMANNED AMERICAN UNITS.

TAKE THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THE DIVISION PROTECTS A SECTOR 15 AIRMILES LONG---PERHAPS TWICE AS LONG IN ROAD MILES---ON THE TWISTING NAKTONG. IT COULD NOT HOPE TO MASS ENOUGH TROOPS TO STRETCH THAT FAR.

SO THE AMERICANS USE A LINE OF OBSERVATION POSTS ON HIGH GROUND TO WATCH STRATEGIC POINTS.

WHENEVER THE NORTH KOREAN REDS FORCE A CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG, THE DIVISION SENDS TROOPS TO DEAL WITH THAT DANGER SPOT.

IT'S ROUGH WORK.

FJ431PCS

A118FX

RED TANKS (180)

BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG.16-(AP)-A JITTERY NORTH KOREAN TANK COMMANDER COST HIS ARMY TWO TANKS AND THE LIVES OF THE CREWS AS WELL, AMERICAN OBSERVATION FLIERS SAID TODAY.

LT.BILL TURNER, DALLAS, AND CAPT.IRVING S.CORYELL, ATLANTA, WERE OUT THIS AFTERNOON HUNTING SEVEN ENEMY TANKS THAT HAD CROSSED TO THE ALLIED SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.

AFTER THREE HOURS THEY FOUND FIVE TANKS--ALL KNOCKED OUT. THEN THEY SPOTTED A SIXTH.

IT WAS SHELLING A NORTH-SOUTH ROAD OVER WHICH ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY WERE TRYING TO ADVANCE.

THE OBSERVERS DIRECTED FIGHTER-BOMBERS TO THE SPOT. ONE BOMB SMASHED INTO THE ROAD ABOUT 50 YARDS FROM THE TANK, TURNER AND CORYELL SAID. THE TANK WHIRLED AROUND AND SCUTTLED BACK UP THE ROAD AT HIGH SPEED FOR ABOUT FOUR MILES.

THERE IT TIPPED OVER THE LIP OF A BOMB CRATER. THE SEVENTH ENEMY TANK WAS ALREADY IN THE CRATER, DUG IN AND WAITING FOR THE AMERICANS. THE FIRST ONE CRASHED INTO ITS SIDE AND THEIR TREADS LOCKED.

FIGHTER PLANES WERE DIRECTED TO THE SPOT. RED CREWS STILL WERE TRYING TO DISENTANGLE THE TWO MACHINES.

IT WAS LOST LABOR. IN ANOTHER INSTANT BOTH WERE DESTROYED.

CC735APD

A87KX (WHITEHEAD)

(580)

BY DON WHITEHEAD

WITH THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION IN KOREA,AUG.16-(AP)-HERE ARE A FEW TIPS, SOLDIER, ON HOW TO STAY ALIVE IN THIS STRANGE WAR IN KOREA.

BETTER PUT THIS TIP-SHEET IN YOUR POCKET. TAKE IT OUT EVERY ONCE IN A WHILE AND STUDY IT UNTIL YOU HAVE MEMORIZED IT, BECAUSE THESE PARAGRAPHS CAN MEAN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH.

THEY WERE LEARNED THE HARD WAY BY MEN LIKE YOU WHO SUDDENLY WERE CALLED TO WAR.

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THEY LEARNED A LOT, THESE VETERANS, IN FIGHTING THE GOOKS. SO READ THIS CAREFULLY:

1. GET YOURSELF AS HARD PHYSICALLY AS YOU CAN.

WORK AT IT, SOLDIER, UNTIL YOU ARE READY TO DROP. GET YOUR LEGS IN SHAPE TO CLIMB MOUNTAINS. THAT'S WHERE YOU WILL DO MOST OF YOUR FIGHTING---UP THERE IN THE RUGGED MOUNTAINS. AND THE TOUGHER YOU ARE THE BETTER YOUR CHANCE TO SAVE YOURSELF AND YOUR BUDDIES.

2. DON'T UNDERESTIMATE THE ENEMY YOU ARE GOING TO FIGHT.

THE RED SOLDIER WON'T HAVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT OR WEAPONS QUITE AS GOOD AS YOURS. HE'S THIN AND SCRAWNY LOOKING AND HE CAN STAND UNDER YOUR OUTSTRETCHED ARM. BUT HE KNOWS HOW TO HANDLE HIS WEAPONS. HE'S A GOOD FIGHTER. AND HE CAN CLIMB MOUNTAINS ALL DAY LONG. HE'S BEEN DOING IT SINCE HE WAS A KID, SOLDIER. ALSO HE'LL HAVE THE ADVANTAGE THERE. AND IT'S A BIG ADVANTAGE.

3. WHEN YOU REACH KOREA PUMP ALL THE INFORMATION YOU CAN GET OUT OF THE VETERANS. ASK THE OLD-TIMERS WHAT THEY HAVE LEARNED. SOAK UP ALL THE THINGS THEY TELL YOU. AND IF POSSIBLE ASK YOUR COMMANDING OFFICERS TO CALL IN COMBAT VETERANS TO GIVE YOU LECTURES BEFORE YOU GET INTO THE COMBAT LINE. IT'S YOUR LIFE, SOLDIER, AND IN THIS WAR YOU MUST KNOW AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE BEFORE FACING THE ENEMY.

4. DON'T GO OUT INTO THE FIGHTING AREA ALONE.

STAY WITH SMALL GROUPS TRAVELING ON THE ROADS OR IN THE HILLS. A SNIPER IS LESS LIKELY TO FIRE ON YOU IN A GROUP THAN A SINGLE SOLDIER. AND A SMALL GROUP HAS A BETTER CHANCE OF GETTING THROUGH THE ENEMY THAN SINGLE SOLDIERS.

5. NEVER FORGET THIS IS A BATTLE FOR THE HIGHEST RIDGES---AND IT CANNOT BE FOUGHT FROM JEEPS ON THE ROAD.

THE MAN WHO SITS ON THE HIGHEST GROUND IS LOOKING DOWN THE OTHER MAN'S THROAT. SO THAT'S WHERE YOU WANT TO BE---ON THE HIGH GROUND. IT'S TOUGH TO GET UP THERE---BUT ALWAYS REMEMBER YOU ARE A SITTING

DUCK IF THE ENEMY IS LOOKING DOWN ON YOU.
6. WHEN YOU DRIVE THE ENEMY OUT OF A POSITION---SEARCH FOR HIDDEN WEAPONS.
THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE A SLY TRICK OF HIDING THEIR WEAPONS IN BUSHES AND IN CREVICES IN THE MOUNTAINS BEFORE THEY RUN FROM OUR FIRE. YOU THINK YOU HAVE DRIVEN THEM AWAY BUT THEN THEY'LL SLIP BACK AT NIGHT AND PICK UP THEIR WEAPONS TO OPEN FIRE ON YOU AGAIN NEXT MORNING.
7. KEEP YOUR GUARDS OUT AT ALL TIMES EVEN IN AREAS FIVE AND TEN MILES BEHIND THE FIGHTING LINE. THEY'RE PLAYING FOR KEEPS IN THIS ONE AND YOU CAN'T DROP YOUR GUARD AT ANY TIME.
8. DON'T LET "REFUGEES" COME FILTERING THROUGH YOUR LINES AND GET BEHIND YOU.
MANY AMERICANS ARE DEAD TODAY BECAUSE THEY LET THE REFUGEES COLLECT BEHIND THEIR POSITIONS WITHOUT CHECKING TO SEE IF THERE WERE GUNS, MORTARS, AND MACHINEGUNS IN THE PACKS CARRIED BY THE NATIVES. BUT DON'T SEARCH THE REFUGEES ALONE. DO IT IN GROUPS WITH YOUR GUNS READY. THE OTHER DAY TWO SOLDIERS BECAME SUSPICIOUS OF A REFUGEE COLUMN. AND SUDDENLY THE "REFUGEES" OPENED FIRE AND KILLED THE TWO AMERICANS. DIRTY? SURE IT'S DIRTY. BUT THEY ARE PLAYING DIRTY IIN THIS WAR.
9. DON'T COME OVER HERE COCKILY EXPECTING TO KICK THE ENEMY IN THE TEETH BEFORE CHRISTMAS.
THIS IS GOING TO BE A HARD CAMPAIGN THAT MAY WELL LAST INTO NEXT SPRING. THAT MEANS YOU COULD BE FIGHTING THROUGH SNOW AND ICE IN THE MOUNTAINS IN A COUNTRY THAT HAS BITTERLY COLD WINTER.
IT'S A TOUGH WAR, SOLDIER. BUT THERE'S NO ONE WHO CAN WIN IT BUT YOU---THE FOOT SOLDIER. THE AIR FORCE AND THE NAVY, AND THE TANKMEN, THE ARTILLERY---ALL ARE DOING A GREAT JOB. BUT THIS IS YOUR WAR, SOLDIER, AND IT WILL BE WON ONLY IF YOU ARE TOUGH ENOUGH TO CLIMB THOSE MOUNTAINS AND STAY ON THE RIDGETOP.
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BULLETIN
TOKYO, AUG. 16-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN TROOPS MASSED NEAR WAEGWAN ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FIGHTING FRONT WERE REPORTED RUNNING IN ALL DIRECTIONS TODAY AFTER 98 U.S. B-29 BOMBERS PLASTERED THEM WITH MORE THAN 850 TONS OF BOMBS.

AP CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON SAID TWO OBSERVATION PILOTS BROUGHT BACK THE REPORTS.
THE LARGEST RAID OF THE WAR STRUCK AT AN ESTIMATED 60,000 RED TROOPS MASSED FOR AN ASSAULT ON THE ALLIED EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR WAEGWAN.
THE OBSERVER PILOTS SAID THE REDS WERE CROSSING BACK WESTWARD OVER THE NAKTONG AND FLEEING WEST AND NORTH IN SMALL GROUPS RANGING FROM THREE AND FOUR TO 15 MEN IN A GROUP.
THE PILOTS REPORTING THIS ARE LT. WILLIAM TURNER OF DALLAS, AND CAPT. IRVING S. CORYELL OF ATLANTA

MAJ. GEN. EARLE E. PARTRIDGE, FIFTH AIR FORCE COMMANDER WHO FLEW OVER THE RAIDED AREA IN AN OBSERVATION PLANE AFTER THE BIG STRIKE, REPORTED HE SAW A SMALL GROUP OF RED SOLDIERS FLEEING "IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION."
TURNER SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HE COULD SPOT APPEARED "DAZED AND DEMORALIZED." CORYELL SAID THEY APPEARED TO BE IN A STATE OF "COMPLETE CONFUSION."
THE TWO PILOTS NOTED THAT THE REDS WADING BACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG WERE FLEEING FROM AN AREA HHAT HAD NOT BEEN HIT BY THE B-29S.

THE ENEMY TROOPS TOOK COVER WHEN THE LIGHT OBSERVATION PLANES SKIMMED OVER THE TREETOPS. NO SHOT WAS FIRED AT THEM.
TWO EXPLOSIONS SENT COLUMNS OF WATER GEYSERING INTO THE AIR AT THE POINT ON THE NAKTONG WHERE THE NORTH KOREANS HAD CONSTRUCTED AN UNDER-WATER RUSSIAN-TYPE TANK BRIDGE. THE BRIDGE ALSO HAD BEEN USED TO MOVE RED ARTILLERY TO THE ALLIED EAST BANK OF THE ALLIED RIVER BARRIER.
THE AMERICAN FLIERS WERE UNABLE TO TELL WHETHER THE EXPLOSIONS WERE FROM AMERICAN SHELLS OR WHETHER THE NORTH KOREANS WERE EXPLODING DEMOLITION CHARGES, CORRESPONDENT ERICKSON REPORTED.

BOTH PILOTS SAID NORTH KOREANS FLED WITHOUT THEIR PACKS OR RIFLES. THEY WERE ABOUT FOUR MILES WEST OF THE RIVER WHEN THE AMERICAN AIRMEN SPOTTED THEM. THEY WERE RUNNING NORTH, SOUTH AND WEST.
ERICKSON SAID THE PILOTS HAD BEEN SENT OVER THE RIVER AREA HUNTING FOR SEVEN CAMOUFLAGED NORTH KOREAN TANKS NEAR THE WEST BANK.
FIVE OF THE SEVEN TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT, THEY REPORTED, BUT NOT AS A RESULT OF THE BIG B-29 RAID.
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A65FX
WITH U.S. 25TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG.16-(AP)-AFTER FIVE STRAIGHT WEEKS OF BITTER COMBAT, PFC FREDERICK A.CORSER, 20, 13100 BULL RUN RD., GREGORY,MICH., RECEIVED HIS FIRST LETTER.
IT WAS AN ORDER FOR INDUCTION FROM HIS DRAFT BOARD.
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BULLETIN
WITH AMERICAN FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA, THURSDA, AUG. 17-(AP)-U. S. MARINES AND THE 24TH DIVISION LAUNCHED A COMBINED OFFENSIVE AT 8 A. M. TODAY (5 P. P. E.S.T., WEDNESDAY) AGAINST AN ESTIMATED DIVISION OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IN THE CHANGNYONG BULGE.

THE SPIRITED MARINES PLUNGED INTO THE NAKTONG RIVER BATTLE FOR THE BEACHHEAD ALONGSIDE THE BATTLE-EXPERIENCED 24TH IN THE CRITICAL AREA MORE THAN 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, KEY AMERICAN BASE.

AT 11:30 A. M. (8:30 P.M., E.S.T., WEDNESDAY), THE MARINE COMMANDER, BRIG. GEN. EDWARD A. CRAIG SAID THE SITUATION IN THE MARINE SECTOR WAS "PROGRESSING."
THE MARINES' FIRST OBJECTIVE WAS A HIGH HILL.
"IT IS A ROUGH DEAL UP THERE AND VERY CLOSE FIGHTING (IS TAKING PLACE)," GENERAL CRAIG ADDED.
ANOTHER MARINE OFFICER SAID THE LEATHERNECKS WERE WITHIN HAND GRENADE RANGE OF THE REDS BUT HAD BEEN AT A DISADVANTAGE BECAUSE THEY WERE CLIMBING THE HILL TO THE COMMUNIST POSITIONS. THE REDS LOBBED GRENADES ON THE MARINES IN HEAVY VOLUME.
GENERAL CRAIG, REFERRING TO SOME REPORTS THAT AN ENEMY FORCE POCKETED WITHIN THE NAKTONG RIVER BULGE HAD BEEN DEPLETED THROUGH COUNTER ATTACK, SAID:
"IF THEY'RE DEPLETED, I DON'T BELIEVE IT. THEY ARE PLENTY STRONG. THERE ARE A LOT OF THEM IN THERE."
THE MARINE TROOPS WERE SUPPORTED BY TANKS AND HEAVY COORDINATED AIR STRIKES BY MARINE CARRIER PLANES AND FIFTH AIR FORCE LAND-BASED FIGHTERS.

THE COMBINED FORCE IS UNDER COMMAND OF MAJ. GEN. JOHN H. CHURCH, COMMANDER OF THE 24TH DIVISION.
THE ATTACK STARTED IN CLEAR HOT WEATHER. IT WAS PRECEDED BY HEAVY ARTILLERY AND AIR BOMBARDMENT OF RED POSITIONS.
GENERAL CHURCH TOLD NEWSMEN THE NORTH KOREANS HAD BEEN UNDER

REPEATED COUNTERATTACK BY THE 24TH THE PAST 10 DAYS AND HAD TAKEN "SEVERE PUNISHMENT."

AMERICAN CASUALTIES DURING THE 10-DAY PERIOD ALSO HAVE BEEN REPORTED HEAVY.

THE OBJECTIVE OF THE DOUGHBOY-LEATHERNECK OFFENSIVE WAS TO DRIVE THE COMMUNISTS BACK WEST ACROSS THE NAKTONG. THE MARINES ARE ATTACKING ON THE ~~RIGHT~~ LEFT FLANK OF THE 24TH DIVISION.

SHORTLY BEFORE 10:30 A.M. (7:30 P.M., EST., WEDNESDAY) AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID "EVERYTHING IS GOING ACCORDING TO PLAN." HE SAID THAT, UNLIKE PREVIOUS MORNINGS, THE ENEMY DID NOT CARRY OUT ANY COUNTER PUNCHES IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR.

LAST MONDAY THE U.S.24TH DIVISION UNLEASHED A FULL DIVISIONAL ATTACK FOR THE SAME PURPOSE--TO REDUCE THE RED BULGE AND ATTEMPT TO DRIVE THE ENEMY BACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG. HOWEVER, THIS PUSH BOGGED DOWN AFTER A MAXIMUM ADVANCE OF 2,000 YARDS.

GENERAL CHURCH SAID TODAY HE BELIEVED THE ENEMY IS GETTING WEAKER AND EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE IN THE OUTCOME OF THIS MORNING'S COMBINED ATTACK. AIR COVERAGE WAS ASSIGNED TO THE AIR FORCE AND MARINE PLANES. FLYING CONDITIONS WERE EXCELLENT.

TO THE NORTH OF THE BULGE SECTOR, RECONNAISSANCE ACTION CONTINUED AGAINST AN UNDETERMINED FORCE OF NORTH KOREANS WHO WERE REPORTED TO HAVE CROSSED THE RIVER SEVERAL DAYS AGO.

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BULLETIN

SOUTH KOREAN FRONT, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(P)-THE FIRST LARGE-SCALE REINFORCEMENTS FROM THE UNITED STATES FOR NEGRO INFANTRYMEN FIGHTING IN SOUTH KOREA HAVE ARRIVED AT THE BATTLEFRONT.

ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION, MANNED BY NEGRO TROOPS, HAVE FOUGHT SOME OF THE FIERCEST BATTLES OF THE WAR IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR.

THEY DROVE WITHIN A FEW MILES OF CHINJU IN THE FIRST AMERICAN OFFENSIVE OF THE WAR.

(EDITORS: THE DISPATCH DID NOT IDENTIFY THE REPLACEMENT UNITS AND NO ADDITIONAL MATTER HAS BEEN RECEIVED. IT WILL BE EXPEDITED WHEN IT ARRIVES.)

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(120)

RUSSIAN ARMS

BY STAN SWINTON

SOUTHEAST KOREAN FRONT, AUG. 16-(AP)-A U.S. ARMY OFFICER SAID TODAY THAT AMERICAN COMBAT TROOPS HAVE CAPTURED SOVIET-MADE WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION MANUFACTURED IN 1950.

THE RUSSIANS SAID RECENTLY AT LAKE SUCCESS THAT THEY HAVE NOT PROVIDED ARMS TO THE NORTH KOREANS SINCE 1948, WHEN THEIR OCCUPATION FORCES WITHDREW FROM THE AREA NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THE CAPTURED EQUIPMENT INCLUDES 122 GRENADES, A SUBMACHINEGUN AND OTHER SMALL ARMS, ALL MANUFACTURED IN 1949 AND 1950.

THE OFFICER SAID THE WEAPONS WERE TURNED OVER TO A TEAM OF FRONTLINE UNITED NATIONS OBSERVERS OPERATING WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES. IT IS EXPECTED THE MATERIEL WILL BE SENT TO LAKE SUCCESS.

MARKINGS ON THE GUN AND SHELLS ARE IN RUSSIAN.

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(THE FOLLOWING STORY ON A WITHDRAWAL BY U.S.MARINES ON THE SOUTH END OF THE KOREAN WAR FRONT WAS HELD IN TOKYO FOR SECURITY REASONS AT THE ARMY'S REQUEST. SIMILAR ONES FROM OTHER CORRESPONDENTS ALSO WERE HELD UP.

(WHEN MARINES WERE IDENTIFIED IN ACTION IN A STORY TODAY ON AN OFFENSIVE AT CHANGNYONG, THE ASSOCIATED PRESS--AND PRESUMABLY OTHER SERVICES--REQUESTED CLEARANCE FOR THE ORIGINAL PULLBACK STORY.

(THE HEADQUARTERS PRESS INFORMATION OFFICER CHECKED WITH THE EIGHTH ARMY AND THEN SAID "EVERYTHING IS RELEASED.")

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BY STAN SWINTON

WITH U. S. MARINES IN KOREA, AUG. 13-(DELAYED FOR SECURITY REASONS)-(AP)--TIRED AND ANGRY AMERICAN MARINES SUNDAY PULLED BACK 27 MILES TO NEW POSITIONS ON THE SOUTHWEST KOREAN FRONT.

(PRESUMABLY THESE ARE THE SAME FORCES WHICH TOOK PART TODAY, AUG.17, KOREAN DATE, IN THE CHANGNYONG OFFENSIVE).

THE LEATHERNECKS GAVE UP VIRTUALLY EVERY INCH OF GROUND THEY HAD GAINED DURING A FOUR-DAY ATTACK.

IT WAS ANOTHER SHORTENING OF THE LINE TO THICKEN UP WHAT FEW FORCES THE UNITED STATES HAS IN KOREA.

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LONG COLUMNS OF DUSTY MARINES QUIT POSITIONS WHICH WERE ONLY THREE MILES FROM SACHON. THEY HAD BEEN EXPECTED TO TAKE CHINJU SHORTLY.

THE ORDER TO WITHDRAW CAME FROM THE HIGH COMMAND AFTER THE MARINES HAD MADE THE BEST ADVANCES RECORDED TO DATE IN KOREA--AND WITH SMALL LOSSES TO THEMSELVES.

FIRST THE ARMY DETACHED ONE MARINE BATTALION TO CLEAR THE REAR OF HAWAII'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WHICH FREQUENTLY HAS BEEN IN COMBAT TROUBLE SINCE IT WAS COMMITTED. THEN THE OTHER TWO WERE SHUFFLED BACK TO NEW POSITIONS WITHIN SIGHT OF WHERE THEY JUMPED OFF.

THE MARINES' PHASE OF THE SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE NOW IS VIRTUALLY NULLIFIED INSOFAR AS GROUND GAINED IS CONCERNED. ARMY OFFICERS SAY, HOWEVER, THAT MARINES MAULED THE SIXTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION, ONE OF THE ENEMY'S CRACK UNITS, AND HAMMERED ENEMY ARMOR. TO THAT EXTENT, IT WAS A SUCCESS.

(SPOKESMEN FOR GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO REPEATEDLY DESCRIBED THE PURPOSES OF THE SOUTHERN ADVANCE AS TWO-FOLD--TO SEIZE GOOD DEFENSIVE POSITIONS ON THE HIGH GROUND EAST OF CHINJU AND TO THROW OFF WHAT THREATENED TO BE A NORTH KOREAN ATTACK IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR. THOSE OBJECTIVES WERE BELIEVED ATTAINED. THE MARINES ADVANCED ALONG THE SOUTH COAST APPROACHES TO CHINJU IN A FLANKING MOVEMENT TO THE MAIN DRIVE).

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BY DON WHITEHEAD

WITH U.S. MARINES IN KOREA,THURSDAY,AUG.17-(AP)-THE MARINES IN THE HEAVIEST AND BLOODIEST FIGHTING THEY HAVE HAD IN THE KOREAN WAR ADVANCED SLOWLY TODAY AGAINST HEAVY ENEMY MORTAR, MACHINE GUN, AND HEAVY WEAPONS FIRE.

THE LEATHERNECKS WERE FIGHTING ON THE SOUTH FLANK OF THE 24TH DIVISION IN AN ATTACK AIMED AT ELIMINATING A BRIDGEHEAD OF PERHAPS 12,000 COMMUNIST TROOPS. THE REDS ARE EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER AND SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG.

THE REDS LAST NIGHT REINFORCED THEIR TROOPS ON THE HILL THE MARINES WERE ATTACKING. THEY WERE LOBBING HAND GRENADES TOWARD THE LEATHERNECKS AND POURING HEAVY FIRE INTO THE AMERICAN LINES.

THE AMERICANS WERE LAYING DOWN A HEAVY ARTILLERY BARRAGE AGAINST

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THE COMMUNISTS.
CARRIER-BASED MARINE CORSAIR FIGHTERS WERE STRAFING AND ROCKETING THE ENEMY IN EXTREMELY CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE GROUND TROOPS.
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A145KX (WEST OUT)
ABOARD A U. S. CARRIER OFF KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-TWO AMERICAN CONGRESSMEN, WHO HOLD NAVY RESERVE COMMISSIONS, ARE SERVING SHORT TOURS OF ACTIVE DUTY ABOARD A CARRIER IN KOREAN WATERS, THE NAVY ANNOUNCED TODAY.
THEY ARE REPS. HUGH SCOTT (R-PA) AND HENRY LATHAM (R-N.Y.)
LATHAM SAID:
"THINGS OUT HERE ARE MORE SERIOUS THAN MOST PEOPLE AT HOME THINK."
FJ1047PCS

A144KX (WEST OUT)
(210)
TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO TODAY BEGAN CLAIMING THE RECAPTURE OF TOWNS THEY ALREADY HOLD IN ORDER TO SHOW A "CONTINUED ADVANCE" ON TAEGU, KEY AMERICAN BASE IN SOUTH KOREA.
A PYONGYANK BROADCAST, MONITORED HERE, SAID THE LATEST NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIQUE REPORTED TAKING THE TOWNS OF SONGJU AND KORYONG "AGAINST STRONG RESISTANCE." SONGJU IS 18 MILES WEST OF TAEGU, KORYONG 22 MILES SOUTHWEST.
THESE POINTS ARE SIX AND EIGHT MILES WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER AND HAVE BEEN HELD BY THE REDS SINCE ALLIED FORCES WITHDREW TO THE EAST OF THE RIVER SOME TIME AGO.
A SECOND NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIQUE, HEARD HERE AT 9:40 A.M. (6:40 P.M., E.S.T., WEDNESDAY) CLAIMED THE CAPTURE OF KYONGJU, AN IMPORTANT RAILROAD TOWN 15 MILES SOUTHWEST OF POHANG.
SEVERAL WEEKS AGO, THE REDS SAID GUERRILLAS WERE MOVING AGAINST THIS CITY. TODAY'S REPORT SAID THE TOWN HAD BEEN OCCUPIED "ENTIRELY". NEITHER THE GUERRILLA ACTIVITY NOR AN ATTACK ON KYONGJU HAS BEEN CONFIRMED BY AMERICAN SOURCES.
EARLIER TODAY THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID IN A PROPAGANDA BROADCAST THAT RED TROOPS REPULSED A STRONG AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN ATTACK ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER WATERFRONT.
THE BROADCAST SAID THE ATTACKING FORCES WERE SUPPORTED BY HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE AND TANKS. THE REDS CLAIMED THEIR TROOPS INFLICTED HEAVY CASUALTIES ON ALLIED FORCES AND TOOK A NUMBER OF PRISONERS.
THE COMMUNIST BROADCAST SAID THEY CAPTURED 10 TANKS, SEVERAL GUNS, 46 VEHICLES AND LARGE QUANTITIES OF SMALL ARMS AND AMMUNITION.
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A94FX
WITH BJT
STARS AND STRIPES (200)
SOUTHWEST KOREAN FRONT,AUG.16-(AP)-STARS AND STRIPES, AMERICAN GI NEWSPAPER OF TWO WORLD WARS, IS OPENING SHOP HERE IN KOREA.
ONE OFFICER AND SIX ENLISTED MEN ARRIVED TODAY TO SET UP THE S-AND-S KOREAN EDITION. THEY WILL CARRY ON A TRADITION OF FRONTLINE REPORTING BUILT BY SOME OF THE BEST-KNOWN NAMES IN AMERICAN JOURNALISM.
THE LATE HEYWOOD BROUN AND ALEXANDER WOOLCOTT AND HAROLD ROSS, EDITOR OF THE NEW YORKER MAGAZINE, SET THE PACE IN WORLD WAR I DAYS. CARTOONIST BILL MAULDIN, JACK FOISIE AND OTHERS SPARKED THE SECOND WAR EDITIONS PUBLISHED OVER THE WORLD WHEREVER GIS WERE CONCENTRATED.
ARRIVING ON THE ALLIED KOREAN BEACHHEAD TO PUT OUT THE PAPER WERE CAPT.THOMAS L.BAIRD, HASTINGS, MICH., A VETERAN OF THE EUROPEAN EDITION; SGT.EARL Z.SMITH, SPOKANE, WASH.; SGT.ALLEN S.WATERS, 68 PARK PLACE, SEA CLIFF, N.Y.; SGT.FRANCIS DONAHUE, 68 TAMWORTH RD., NORWOOD, MASS.; PFC.LEONARD W.TURNER, FORT FAIRFIELD, ME., AND PVT.HAL B. BAMBLE, 947 BUSH ST., SAN FRANCISCO.
ONE S-AND-S CORRESPONDENT, CPL.ERNIE PEELER OF SAN BERNARDINO, CALIF., WAS KILLED COVERING THE KOREA WAR IN ITS EARLIEST STAGES. SINCE THEN THE PAPER HAD NOT HAD FRONTLINE CORRESPONDENTS REPORTING TO THE S-AND-S EDITIONS BEING PUBLISHED FOR OCCUPATION TROOPS IN JAPAN AND GERMANY.
TOKYO EDITIONS WERE FLOWN TO KOREA BUT USUALLY REACHED FRONTLINE TROOPS DAYS LATE.
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A90FX (CLEANUP SPOT)
WITH BUDGET
MILITARY SECURITY (500)
TOKYO,AUG.16-(AP)-THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY IN KOREA HAS ISSUED A NEW LIST OF INSTRUCTIONS TO GUIDE WAR CORRESPONDENTS IN OBSERVING MILITARY SECURITY. THERE IS NO MILITARY CENSORSHIP ON THEIR DISPATCHES.
WHAT MIGHT CONSTITUTE BREACHES OF SECURITY HAS BEEN A BAFFLING PROBLEM. THERE FREQUENTLY HAVE BEEN DIFFERENCES OF OPINION ON IT EVEN BETWEEN KEY OFFICERS OF THE ALLIED KOREAN COMMAND AS WELL AS TOP OFFICERS IN TOKYO AND WASHINGTON.
THE NEW INSTRUCTIONS DEAL WITH SEVEN GENERAL SUBJECTS. BUT, THE ARMY ADDS, THESE INSTRUCTIONS WILL NOT COVER EVERY EVENTUALITY.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT ADDED:
"THIS IS NOT AN UNCENSORED WAR ANY MORE THAN THE LAST WAR WAS UNCENSORED. THE ONLY DIFFERENCE IS THERE IS NO MILITARY CENSORSHIP. THE SUPREME COMMANDER (GENERAL MACARTHUR) EXPECTS THE CORRESPONDENTS TO IMPOSE SELF-CENSORSHIP AND TO REFRAIN FROM PUBLISHING MATTER THAT VIOLATES SECURITY, ENDANGERS OPERATIONS, GIVES AID AND COMFORT TO THE ENEMY AND WEAKENS OUR WAR EFFORT."
THE INSTRUCTIONS BACK OFF FROM AN ORIGINAL OFFICIAL INJUNCTION THAT CORRESPONDENTS' CRITICISM OF COMMAND DECISIONS WOULD NOT BE TOLERATED.
"UNWARRANTED CRITICISM OF COMMAND DECISIONS AND OF THE CONDUCT OF SOLDIERS ON THE BATTLEFIELD ARE FROWNED UPON AND MAY SUBJECT CORRESPONDENTS TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION," THE EIGHTH ARMY SAYS NOW.
THERE HAS BEEN ONE CASE OF FROWNING SINCE THE INSTRUCTIONS WERE ISSUED A FEW DAYS AGO. WILLIAM LAWRENCE OF THE NEW YORK TIMES WROTE THAT THE LOSS OF POHANG ON KOREA'S EAST COAST WAS "THE MOST TRAGIC AND COSTLY BLUNDER OF THE WAR."
THERE HAS BEEN NO FORMAL ACTION TAKEN AGAINST HIM.
THE EIGHTH ARMY NOW LISTS AS A "HELPFUL" BUT NOT CONCLUSIVE GUIDE ON SECURITY MATTERS:
1. "THE ARRIVAL IN KOREA OF NEW UNITS, THEIR DESIGNATION, STRENGTH, COMPOSITION, LOCATION AND POSSIBLE TIME OF EMPLOYMENT SHOULD NOT BE MENTIONED UNTIL RELEASED BY PIO, EUSAK (PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE, EIGHTH U.S. ARMY IN KOREA.)"
2. "THE ARRIVAL AND ASSUMPTION OF COMMAND OF GENERAL OFFICERS SHOULD NOT BE MENTIONED UNTIL ANNOUNCED BY PIO, EUSAK."
3. "NO MENTION SHOULD BE MADE OF OPERATIONS PLANS."
4. "DURING LULLS WHEN BOTH FORCES ARE REGROUPING FOR ANOTHER ATTACK, NO MENTION SHOULD BE MADE OF LOCATION OF UNITS, THEIR DESIGNATION, STRENGTH AND COMPOSITION UNTIL UNITS ALONG THE LINES ARE DEFINITELY ENGAGED WITH THE ENEMY. THE RELEASES (FOR PUBLICATION) SHOULD GENERALLY BE WITHHELD UNTIL ANNOUNCEMENT BY PIO, EUSAK."
5. "FRIENDLY (U.S., ALLIED) LOSSES SHOULD NEVER BE DIVULGED EXCEPT ON AUTHORITY OF THIS HEADQUARTERS."
6. "THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL'S VISIT TO THE BATTLE AREA SHOULD BE HELD TO A MINIMUM."

7. "THE NAMES OF INDIVIDUALS MISSING IN ACTION SHOULD NOT BE MENTIONED UNTIL AUTHORIZED BY PIO, EUSAK."

THE EIGHTH ARMY NOTED THAT "EVERY PLAN, EVERY WITHDRAWAL, EVERY ATTACK CALLS FOR NEW AND DIFFERENT CONSIDERATIONS, AND NO FIXED RULE CAN BE SET FORTH TO APPLY IN EACH CASE."

ON OCCASIONS, IT SAYS, MENTION OF REGROUPING FORCES OR INDIVIDUALS DURING A COMBAT LULL MIGHT BE "DESIRABLE" FOR MORALE PURPOSES. IT CAUTIONS THAT "SUCH RELEASES SHOULD INVARIABLY BE CLEARED THROUGH" THE PIO.

MOST CORRESPONDENTS HAVE LONG EXPRESSED THEIR WILLINGNESS TO ABIDE BY THESE RULES.

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GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO OMITTED ITS CUSTOMARY EARLY (THURSDAY) MORNING WAR SUMMARY. A SPOKESMAN SAID THE SITUATION WAS UNCHANGED ON ALL KOREAN FRONTS.

AP TOKYO AND THE AP WARFRONT STAFF ARE TRYING TO DETERMINE FROM OFFICIAL OR OTHER SOURCES WHETHER THE B-29 RAID WEDNESDAY HAS DECISEVELY TURNED THE REDS' NAKTONG OFFENSIVE BUILDUP.

WE HOPE TO HAVE A TOKYO SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP WITHIN THE NEXT HOUR.

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TEXT (350)

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG.16-(AP)-EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 43, TIMED 2:10 P.M. WEDNESDAY (11:10 P.M. EST, TUESDAY):

IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR, THE ACTIVITY WAS GENERALLY PROBING PATROL ACTION BY ENEMY FORCES. FRIENDLY PATROLS WERE KEEPING CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY.

THE DIVISION REPORTS THAT THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY 1,300 ENEMY TROOPS IN THE VARIOUS BYPASSED POCKETS WHICH ARE CONTAINED.

IN THE 24TH DIVISION SECTOR, THERE WAS A COUNTERATTACK BY ENEMY FORCES. FRIENDLY TROOPS HELD THEIR POSITIONS BUT REPORTS INDICATE THAT TWO ENEMY COMPANIES PENETRATED THE POSITION AND ARE NOW BEING CONTAINED.

A NUMBER OF BOATS TRIED TO CROSS THE RIVER IN THE 21ST INFANTRY AREA. THEY WERE TAKEN UNDER ARTILLERY FIRE. THE ATTEMPTED CROSSING WAS DISRUPTED. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT THERE ARE TWO ENEMY BATTALIONS IN THE NORTH PART OF THE 24TH DIVISION AREA. OTHER THAN THESE ACTIONS THERE WAS PATROL ACTIVITY BY BOTH FRIENDLY AND ENEMY FORCES.

IN THE 1ST CAVALRY SECTOR (A) YESTERDAY, THERE WAS A TANK-SUPPORTED ENEMY PENETRATION IN THE NORTH SECTION. THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION FORCES COUNTERATTACKED AND REPULSED THE ENEMY FORCE. (B) THERE WAS AN ATTEMPTED ENEMY CROSSING YESTERDAY IN THE SOUTH SECTION SUPPORTED BY TWO TANKS AND TWO HOWITZERS. RELATIVELY QUIET. LIMITED TO PATROL ACTIVITY.

IN THE ROK (REPUBLICA OF KOREA) 2D CORPS SECTOR WAS THE MOST ACTIVIT (A) IN THE ROK 1ST DIVISION AREA AN ENEMY INFANTRY ATTACK, SUPPORTED BY SEVEN TANKS, WAS MADE. THE INFANTRY WAS STOPPED BUT THE TANKS PENETRATED POSITION. AIR STRIKES AND BAZOOKAS HAVE TAKEN CARE OF ALL BUT ONE OF THE TANKS. A COUNTERATTACK DROVE THE ENEMY BACK 2,000 YARDS (B) IN THE ROK 6TH DIVISION AREA, THERE WERE SMALL ATTACKS. THE SECTOR IS NOW QUIET.

THE ROK 8TH DIVISION HAS HAD NO FIRM CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY. ACTION HAS BEEN LIMITED TO PATROLS.

IN THE ROK 1ST CORPS AREA (A) IN THE CAPITOL DIVISION SECTOR, THE ROK 1ST REGIMENT WAS FORCED TO WITHDRAW 2,000 YARDS BUT COUNTERATTACKED AND REGAINED ITS POSITION. THE ROK 18TH REGIMENT ATTACKED SOUTHEAST OF IMAMI. THE ROK 17TH REGIMENT IS STILL IN CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY AND CONTINUING ATTACKS SOUTH OF KIGYE.

TASK FORCE POHANG REPORTED LITTLE ACTIVITY WHILE TASK FORCE BRADLEY REPORTED NONE IN THE YONGDOK AREA. LITTLE ACTIVITY HAS BEEN REPORTED.

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TEXT (200)

U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 45 ISSUED AT 11:40 A.M. (8:40 P.M., E.S.T., WEDNESDAY):

THE ORGANIZATION OF A NEW LINE AND PATROL ACTIVITY WERE THE ONLY ACTION IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR YESTERDAY. A COMMUNIST PATROL WAS DRIVEN OFF BY THE FIFTH RCT (REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM) DURING THE NIGHT.

A COORDINATED ATTACK WAS MADE AT 8 A. M. AGAINST THE COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG. OTHER U. S. UNITS CONTINUED AN ATTACK ON COMMUNIST FORCES NEAR HYONPUNG, 12 MILES NORTH OF CHANGNYONG. DURING THE NIGHT A U. S. ENGINEER UNIT WAS IN A FIRE FIGHT WITH COMMUNISTS SOUTH OF THE HYONPUNG ACTION.

THE FIFTH CAVALRY REGIMENT COUNTERATTACKED AN ENEMY CROSSING ONE MILE NORTH OF WAEGWAN. AT LAST REPORT THE ENEMY WAS ATTEMPTING TO WITHDRAW ACROSS THE RIVER. OTHER FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION UNITS REPULSED NORTH KOREAN PATROLS DURING THE NIGHT.

FOLLOWING YESTERDAY'S B-29 STRIKE THE FIRST ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) DIVISION TOOK THE HIGH GROUND EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, REPRESENTING AN ADVANCE OF UP TO 3,000 YARDS. THERE ARE STILL ENEMY TROOPS BETWEEN THE HIGH GROUND AND THE RIVER.

UNDER HEAVY ENEMY PRESSURE UNITS OF THE SIXTH ROK DIVISION WERE FORCED BACK.

ALL ROK UNITS CONTINUED OFFENSIVE ACTION IN THE POHANG AREA YESTERDAY WITH THE 17TH REGIMENT ADVANCING ONE MILE.

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TEXT (120)

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,AUG.16-(AP)-TEXT OF U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 44 ISSUED AT 8:10 P.M. (5:10 A.M., EST) TODAY:

THE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT WAS EXTREMELY QUIET EXCEPT FOR A FEW SMALL LOCAL ACTIONS.

A U.S. UNIT CONTAINING COMMUNIST FORCES IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGE-HEAD REPULSED AN ENEMY ATTACK THIS MORNING.

THE FIFTH CAVALRY REGIMENT CONTINUED WORKING AN ENEMY FORCE WHICH CROSSED INTO ITS SECTOR YESTERDAY.

A U.S. BATTALION THIS AFTERNOON ENGAGED AN ENEMY FORCE WHICH HAD CROSSED IN THE SONGDONG BEND OF THE RIVER.

IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) SECTOR THE SOUTH KOREAN 11TH REGIMENT REPORTED DESTROYING TWO COMMUNIST TANKS WITH 3.5 ROCKET LAUNCHERS.

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TOKYO, AUG. 16-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 260 (FAR EAST AIR FORCES OPERATIONAL SUMMARY NO. 53) FOR THE PERIOD ENDING AT MIDNIGHT AUG. 15) ISSUED TODAY AT 1:35 P.M. WEDNESDAY (10:35 P.M, E.S.T., TUESDAY):

U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE AIRCRAFT CONTINUED TO WHITTLE DOWN EFFECTIVE NORTH KOREAN GROUND STRENGTH WITH CONCENTRATED STRATEGIC AND TACTICAL ATTACKS ON AUG. 15.

ALTHOUGH FACING POOR WEATHER CONDITIONS IN THE HILL COUNTRY OF THE SOUTHERN BATTLE FRONTS FIGHTERS STAGED NEARLY 300 SORTIES IN

DIRECT SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS TROOPS ON THE GROUND. FLYING UNDER THE DIRECTION OF AIR FORCE FORWARD CONTROLLERS, THE FIGHTERS WORKED CLOSE TO THE RED FRONT LINES WHILE ATTACKING A WIDE VARIETY OF TARGETS.

FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80 AND F-51 FIGHTERS PUT AT LEAST FIVE NORTH KOREAN TANKS OUT OF ACTION DURING THE 51ST DAY OF CONTINUOUS AIR FORCE OPERATIONS. SUCCESSFUL ATTACKS WERE MADE ON TANKS WHICH HAD PENETRATED INSIDE THE SOUTH KOREAN LINES 25 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU AT KUNWI. TWO TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT WITH ROCKETS IN THE COURSE OF AN AIR-GROUND COOPERATIVE EFFORT TO TURN BACK A MINOR COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR.

OTHER COMMUNIST MATERIEL BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK AND DAMAGED INCLUDED 42 TRUCKS AND VEHICLES, TWO LOCOMOTIVES, 23 BOXCARS, TWO BARGES AND 13 ARTILLERY PIECES OR GUN EMPLACEMENTS. TWENTY OXCARTS BEING USED TO CARRY MILITARY SUPPLIES IN THE CHINJU AREA WERE STRAFED AND DESTROYED.

ONE SMALL BRIDGE WAS MADE UNUSABLE AND THREE OTHERS WERE DAMAGED BY FIGHTERS IN THE WAEGWAN AREA AND FUEL SUPPLY OR AMMUNITION DUMPS WERE FIRED IN SEVERAL SECTORS.

NORTH KOREAN TROOP CASUALTIES FROM FIGHTER ACTION WERE HIGH. F-51S SCORED THREE DIRECT HITS WITH 500 POUND BOMBS ON BUILDINGS AT ANGAN, EIGHT MILES SOUTHWEST OF POHANG, WHICH WERE BEING USED AS TROOP SHELTERS.

STRAFING OR BOMBING ATTACKS ON TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE ALSO CARRIED OUT SUCCESSFULLY AT WAEGWAN, SINBAN, YONGSAN AND IN MANY OTHER TOWNS AND VILLAGES ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER AND TO THE NORTH.

FEAF BOMBER COMMAND SUPERFORTRESSES AND FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS ATTACKED AND DAMAGED MORE THAN FIVE BRIDGES NORTH AND SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

RED AIR OPPOSITION TO THE HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL BOMBING OF TRANSPORT COMMUNICATIONS AND INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATIONS NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL MADE ITS FIRST APPEARANCE SINCE JULY 21 WHEN A B-29 WAS ATTACKED BY A SINGLE-ENGINE FIGHTER. THE FIGHTER, IDENTIFIED AS AN LA-5, MADE TWO OR THREE PASSES AT THE SUPERFORTRESS BUT BROKE OFF THE ENGAGEMENT AFTER THE SUPERFORT TAIL GUNNER FIRED SOME 100 ROUNDS. THE NORTH KOREAN FIGHTER WAS BELIEVED NOT DAMAGED.

SEVEN OTHER SINGLE-ENGINE FIGHTERS OF A SIMILAR TYPE WERE OBSERVED BY OTHER SUPERFORTRESSES BUT THEY DID NOT ATTACK.

EFFECTIVE NIGHT INTRUDER ATTACKS WERE MADE ON CONVOYS, SUPPLY DISTRIBUTION CENTERS AND OTHER TARGETS IN THE COMMUNICATION-TRANSPORTATION COMPLEX SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

TROOP CONVOYS NORTH AND WEST OF CHUNGJU AND A CONVOY MOVING FROM TAEJON TO KUMCHON WERE HIT IN B-26 NIGHT INTRUDER BOMBING AND STRAFING ATTACKS.

MILITARY TARGETS IN SEVERAL LIGHTED TOWNS INCLUDING CHONJU, KOKSONG, SUWON, SUNCHON, SEOUL, KUNSAN AND CHONAN WERE ATTACKED AT NIGHT. TWO LARGE EXPLOSIONS WERE OBSERVED AFTER A BOMB DROP ON A TARGET AT SEOUL WITH RESULTING FIRES.

FIFTH AIR FORCE CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED MORE THAN 58 TONS OF PRIORITY MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR UNITED NATIONS FORCES AND A TOTAL OF 444 PASSENGERS TO KOREAN BASES DURING THE DAY.

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TEXT (220)
TOKYO,AUG.16-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST NAVAL KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 258 ISSUED AT 1:15 P.M. (10:15 P.M. EST, TUESDAY):

BRITISH CARRIER BASED AIRCRAFT ATTACKED AND DAMAGED THREE SHIPS NEAR CHINNAMPO YESTERDAY. THE THREE SHIPS WERE A 2,000-TON FREIGHTER, AN 800-TON FREIGHTER AND A MINESWEEPER.

CARRIER BASED MARINE FLYERS, OPERATING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES, SET UP A FAST AND EFFECTIVE ROADBLOCK THREE MILES SOUTHEAST OF SACHON YESTERDAY. AT THE REQUEST OF THE ARMY, 1000-POUND BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON THE ROAD. THE RESULTING CRATERS WERE IMMEDIATELY FILLED BY OVERFLOWING WATERS FROM A NEARBY RIVER. ANOTHER SUCH ROADBLOCK WAS MADE FVE MILES EAST OF CHINJU. A ROAD BED RAIL JUNCT

ROADBLOCK WAS MADE FIVE MILES EAST OF CHINJU. A ROAD BED RAIL JUNCTION NEAR HOTAN WAS DESTROYED.

THE MARINE TALLY FOR THE DAY INCLUDED, ALL DESTROYED, FIVE MILITARY WAREHOUSES, ONE OIL STORAGE TANK, ONE GASOLINE DUMP, ONE FACTORY AND FOUR HORSEDRAWN ARTILLERY PIECES.

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, AREA WAS OBLITERATED BY BOMBS AND NAPALM. A VEHICLE AND ARTILLERY CONCENTRATION NEAR YOUI WAS WIPED OUT. TWO OTHER VEHICLE CONCENTRATIONS WERE BADLY DAMAGED.

NAVAL BLOCKADE AND SUPPORT FORCES ON THE EAST COAST BLASTED VEHICULAR TRAFFIC ON THE COASTAL ROAD AND CONTINUED EFFORTS TO MAKE THE ROAD IMPASSABLE. UNITS OF THE FORCE CONTINUED WORKING CLOSELY WITH SHORE FIRE CONTROL PARTIES IN THE YONGDOK AREA, FIRING ON ENEMY TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS AND ROAD JUNCTIONS.

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B4KX (SEGC) (TEXT)
TEXT (360)
TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,AUG.16-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 259, TIMED 1:25 P.M. (10:25 P.M. EST TUESDAY) FOLLOWS:

AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN UNITS SEIZED COMMANDING TERRAIN IN THEIR ADVANCE ON CHIDONG AND KIGYE IN THE POHANG AREA.

THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION'S ATTACK AGAINST THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG WAS STOPPED YESTERDAY BY A HEAVY ENEMY COUNTERATTACK. THE DIVISION CONTINUES TO HOLD THE GROUND IT HAD PREVIOUSLY GAINED.

IN THE VICINITY OF TUKSONG, AN ATTEMPTED ENEMY CROSSING, SUPPORTED BY TANK AND ARTILLERY FIRE, WAS REPELLED BY THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION.

THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION FOUGHT OFF HEAVY ENEMY

THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION FOUGHT OFF HEAVY ENEMY TANK AND INFANTRY ATTACKS NORTH AND NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN. WITH THE SUPPORT OF TACTICAL AIR UNITS, THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE ABLE TO CONTAIN THE COMMUNISTS, ALTHOUGH SOME ENEMY ARMOR SUCCEEDED IN PENETRATING THEIR LINES. A COUNTERATTACK BY THE ROK FIRST DIVISION LATER IN THE DAY FORCED THE ENEMY BACK APPROXIMATELY 2,000 YARDS.

THE ROK 6TH DIVISION REPULSED AN ENEMY ATTACK SOUTH OF HAJANG.

IN THE EXTREME SOUTH, TASK FORCE KEAN CONTINUED TO MOP UP ENEMY POCKETS IN ITS REAR.

UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES CONTINUED THEIR PATROL AND BLOCKADE OPERATIONS ON THE EAST AND WEST COASTS OF KOREA WHILE CARRIER AIRCRAFT PROVIDED CLOSE SUPIORT OF GROUND FORCES ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK.

SORTIES FLOWN BY THE U.S. AIR FORCES INCLUDED BOMBING, STRAFING AND CLOSE SUPPORT MISSIONS IN THE WAEGWAN, SUWON, KIMPO, TAECHON AND ANDONG AREAS. PRELIMINARY STRIKE REPORTS INDICATE THE FOLLOWING WERE DESTROYED: ONE TANK, FOUR TRUCKS, TWO BOXCARS, 15 MISCELLANEOUS VEHICLES,

ONE BRIDGE, EIGHT FIELD PIECES, SIX MISCELLANEOUS BUILDINGS, TWO BARGES, ONE EMPLACEMENT AND THREE SUPPLY DUMPS.
ONE TANK, 14 TRUCKS, 13 BOXCARS, 16 MISCELLANEOUS VEHICLES, THREE BRIDGES, NINE FIELD PIECES, ONE LOCOMOTIVE AND RADIO STATION AT SEOUL WERE DAMAGED.
FIGHTERS STRAFED AND BOMBED WITH GOOD RESULTS AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF TROOPS AND ROCKETED VEHICLES AND OTHER TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.
FIFTH AIR FORCE NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS WERE FLOWN IN THE SEOUL, SUNCHON, YONGDOK, SUWON KUWANGJU AND CHOCHIWAN AREAS, STARTING MANY FIRES.
LEAFLETS WERE DROPPED FIVE MILES BEHIND ENEMY LINES AND ALONG THE ENEMY FRONT BY A B-29.
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B31KX (SCEGQ)
TEXT (320)
TOKYO,AUG.16-(AP)-TEXT OF FAR EAST AIR FORCES KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 261 (B-29 AERIAL) ISSUED AT 5:20 P.M. (2 A.M., EST):
NINETY NINE (CORRECT) U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES B-29S TODAY STRUCK THE HEAVIEST CONCERTED BLOW OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT WHEN THEY DROPPED MORE THAN 850 TONS OF INSTANTANEOUSLY FUSED 500-POUND BOMBS IN A 3 1/2 BY 7 1/2 MILE AREA NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES, LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATOMEYER, FEAF COMMANDER, ANNOUNCED THIS AFTERNOON.
AS MANY AS FOUR AND PERHAPS EVEN SIX NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS INCLUDING ARMOR, WERE BELIEVED TO BE IN THE AREA WHICH RECEIVED THIS MASSIVE AIR BLOW, AN ARMY SPOKESMAN DECLARED.
NINETY EIGHT SUPERFORTS PARTICIPATED IN THE BOMBING WHICH WAS COORDINATED BY MAJ.GEN.EMMETT O'DONNELL, JR., FROM HIS COMBINED WEATHER AIRPLANE AND AERIAL COMMAND POST, THE 99TH B-29 PARTICIPATING IN THE OPERATION.
ALL BOMBING WAS DONE VISUAL AND ALL BOMBS WERE RELEASED ON CAREFULLY SELECTED AIMING POINTS IN THE 26 SQUARE MILES.
SUPERFORTS FROM OKINAWA BASES RENDEZVOUSED WITH OTHER B-29S FROM JAPAN BASES AT A POINT SOUTH OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA AND BEGAN THEIR RUN INTO THE TARGET AREA FROM SOUTH TO NORTH.
THERE WERE 500-POUND BOMBS DROPPED EVERY 150 FEET FROM EACH OF THE B-29S, FIRST ON AIMING POINTS IN THE NORTHERN SECTION OF THE TARGET AND PROGRESSING GRADUALLY SOUTHWARD BY LATER AIRPLANES.
U.N. TROOPS WERE WELL EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE WHICH SERVED AS THE EASTERN VISUAL BOUNDARY OF THE TARGET.
WEATHER WAS EXCELLENT WITH ONLY A FEW SCATTERED CLOUDS AND A SLIGHT AMOUNT OF HAZE WHICH DID NOT AFFECT THE BOMBING.
FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS BEGAN SWEEPING THE DEVASTATED AREA IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE LAST B-29 DROPPED ITS BOMBS ABOUT 1 P.M., TOKYO TIME.
THE FIRST BOMBS FELL AT 10:50 A.M., AND CONTINUED FOR ABOUT TWO HOURS AND TEN MINUTES.
A DETAILED EVALUATION OF THE EFFECT OF THE BOMBING WILL AWAIT OPERATIONS ANALYSTS' INSPECTION OF STRIKE AND POST-STRIKE PHOTOGRAPHS.
NEITHER ENEMY FLAK NOR FIGHTERS OPPOSED THE AERIAL OPERATIONS.
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B43KX (Q)
TEXT (220)
TOKYO,AUG.16-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 262 (AERIAL) ISSUED AT 7 P.M. (4 A.M., EST) TODAY:
DIRECTED BY TARGET SPOTTERS FLYING IN T-6 OBSERVATION PLANES, U.S. AIR FORCE F-80 JET FIGHTERS HIT TARGETS NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN AND THE INCHON HARBOR WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16. DURING THE DAY B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS ALSO BOMBED AN UNDERWATER BRIDGE NEAR WAEGWAN, A HIGHWAY BRIDGE NEAR CHONGJU, AND STRAFED TRUCKS, HORSECARTS AND OTHER VEHICLES IN THE CHONGJU AREA.
WHEN THE AIR CONTROLLER REPORTED SMALL ARMS FIRE COMING FROM ONE BUILDING NEAR WAEGWAN, FIRST LT.RICHARD D.MOORE, 28, NEW YORK CITY, AND OTHER AIRPLANES IN HIS FLIGHT LAUNCHED A STRAFING ATTACK ON THE BUILDING. "WITH A FEW PASSES, WE KNOCKED OFF THE CAMOUFLAGE, AND THERE WAS A TANK WHICH HAD BEEN WELL HIDDEN BESIDE THE HOUSE," LIEUTENANT MOORE SAID AS HE TOLD OF LEAVING THE BUILDING AND TANKS IN FLAMES.
AFTER ATTACKING SIX SMALL BOATS NEAR THE SHORE IN THE INCHON HARBOR, LEAVING THREE OF FOUR BURNING, FIRST LT.WALTER G.CENTER, 26, CLINTON PARK, RENSSELAER, NEW YORK, SAID, "AS WE CAME OFF OF THE WATER, MY FLIGHT LEADER SET FIRE TO A WAREHOUSE IN THE DOCK AREA WITH HIS FIRST ROCKET PASS. WE THEN WORKED OVER THE MARSHALLING YARDS NEARBY, HITTING BOXCARS AND TANK CARS."
FOLLOWING SIMILAR ATTACKS BY THE NIGHT FLYING INVADERS TUESDAY NIGHT, B-26S TODAY REPORTED EXCELLENT RESULTS IN ATTACKS ON BRIDGES AND CONVOYS IN THE CHONGJU AREA. ONE TRUCK WAS DEFINITELY DESTROYED AND SEVERAL VEHICLES LEFT BURNING, WHILE THE DAMAGE TO THE HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD BRIDGES HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED.
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A133KX (TEXT, HKN & [redacted])
TEXT (220)
TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.17-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST NAVAL KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 263 ISSUED AT 12:30 P.M. (9:20 P.M. EST, WEDNESDAY):
CARRIER BASED NAVY PILOTS OF TASK FORCE 77 YESTERDAY RAKED THE EASTERN HALF OF KOREA BETWEEN THE 36TH AND 38TH PARALLELS, TAKING A HEAVY TOLL OF TRANSFORMER STATIONS, BIVOUAC AREAS, TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, BRIDGES AND TRUCKS.
THE HEAVILY ARMED SKYRAIDERS, CORSAIRS AND JET PANTHERS DESTROYED FOUR TRANSFORMER STATIONS AND DAMAGED TWO. ONE POWER STATION WAS DESTROYED AND THREE WERE DAMAGED. THREE BRIDGES WERE KNOCKED OUT AND FIVE WERE DAMAGED.
A TOTAL OF 34 TRUCKS WERE DESTROYED AND 26 WERE DAMAGED. EIGHT TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND BIVOUAC AREAS WERE DESTROYED AND FIFTEEN WERE DAMAGED. FOUR TRAINS IN TUNNELS WERE ROCKETED. THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT SAMCHOK WERE HEAVILY HIT. A HYDROELECTRIC PLANT AT TANGYANG WAS DESTROYED AND LARGE FIRES WERE STARTED IN COAL YARDS THERE. ONE LOCOMOTIVE AND FOUR BOXCARS WERE DESTROYED AND ONE LOCOMOTIVE AND 20 BOXCARS WERE DAMAGED.
THREE SUPPLY DUMPS AND THREE MILITARY WAREHOUSES WERE HEAVILY HIT. ONE FIELD PIECE, ONE TANK AND TWO AMMUNITION CARRIERS WERE DESTROYED. FIVE ARTILLERY PIECES WERE DAMAGED. ONE FUEL DUMP WAS BLOWN UP.
THE CARRIER-BASED PILOTS FLEW A TOTAL OF 182 SORTIES DURING THE DAYLIGHT ATTACKS.
A BRITISH CRUISER OPERATING ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA BOMBARDED AND HEAVILY DAMAGED A FACTORY NEAR KUNSAN. THE FIRING WAS ACCOMPLISHED WITH THE BENEFIT OF AERIAL SPOTTING.
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TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-TEXT OF GEN.MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS KOREAN RELEASE NO. 264 ISSUED AT 1:30 P.M. (10:30 P.M. EST, WEDNESDAY):
AN EARLY DAYLIGHT ENEMY ATTACK WAS LAUNCHED BY RED FORCES YESTERDAY IN AN EFFORT TO EXPAND THE BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER, WEST OF YONGSAN. THE ATTACK WAS REPULSED BY ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION, SUPPORTED BY ARTILLERY AND AIR.
DRING THE LATE MORNING HOURS, ANOTHER ENEMY ATTACK WAS BEATEN IN THE SAME AREA WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND. FURTHER NORTH ELEMENTS OF THE U.S.

24TH INFANTRY DIVISION ATTACKED AN ENEMY POCKET IN THE BEND OF THE RIVER WHICH IS SOUTH OF TUKSONG.

IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, COUNTERATTACKING FORCES OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SUCCEEDED IN DRIVING THE ENEMY BACK TOWARD THE RIVER. AS A RESULT OF THIS ATTACK, RED FORCES IN THE AREA ATTEMPTED TO WITHDRAW ACROSS THE RIVER. ONE ENEMY TANK WAS DESTROYED IN THIS ACTION.

ELEMENTS OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION ATTACKED TO SECURE COMMANDING POSITIONS NORTH OF WAEGWAN. THE DIVISION GAINED ITS OBJECTIVE AGAINST WEAKENING COMMUNIST RESISTANCE. AN ENEMY POCKET WHICH HAD FORMED IN THE REAR OF THE ROK FIRST DIVISION WAS ELIMINATED BY AN OPERATION IN WHICH THREE ENEMY TANKS WERE DESTROYED, NINE PRISONERS OF WAR CAPTURED AND AN ESTIMATED 180 ENEMY KILLED.

THE ROK SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS SUSTAINED ATTACKS BY THE ENEMY IN THE GENERAL AREAS OF CHANGCHON AND SOUTH OF KUNWI WITH A MINOR LOSS OF GROUND BY THE ROK SIXTH DIVISON.

IN THE POHANG SECTOR, AMERICAN FORCES CONTINUED TO DEFEND THEIR POSITIONS AND ROK FORCES CONTINUED THEIR DRIVE ON POHANG AND KIGYE.

ON THE SOUTH FLANK EXTENSIVE PATROLLING OPERATIONS TO FRONT AND REAR WERE CONDUCTED BY THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION AS DEFENSIVE POSITIONS WERE ORGANIZED AND IMPROVED. ENEMY ACTIVITY WAS CONFINED TO MINOR PROBING ACTION BY PATROLS.

CARRIER-BASED PLANES OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET STRUCK TARGETS IN SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES. THESE OPERATIONS INCLUDED ATTACK OF TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS AT KIGYE AND NORTHEAST OF POHANG, ATTACK ON COMMUNICATIONS TARGETS IN THE CHECHON-ANDOG-HAMCHANG AREAS. A LARGE TROOP CONCENTRATION AT PIHAKSAN WAS BOMBED AND ROCKETED AND STRAFED IN ADDITION, NAVAL AIRCRAFT PROVIDED CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND ELEMENTS IN THE CHINJU-SACHON AREA.

FIGHTER SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY THE U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE ON BOMBING, STRAFING AND SPECIAL MISSIONS IN THE WAEGWAN, PYONGTAEK, SANGJU AND CHINJU AREAS. PRELIMINARY STRIKE REPORTS INDICATE THE FOLLOWING WERE DESTROYED OR DAMAGED:

ONE TANK, 21 VEHICLES, 12 BOATS, NINE LOCOMOTIVES, 32 BOXCARS.

EXCELLENT BOMB PATTERNS WERE OBTAINED IN THE AREA TARGET NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN WHICH WAS ATTACKED BY B-29S YESTERDAY. DETAILED REPORTS OF RESULTS ARE NOT YET AVAILABLE.

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LONDON, AUG.16-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:

"UNITS OF THE PEOPLES ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE OFFENSIVE BATTLES ON ALL FRONTS.

"UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH WERE ADVANCING IN THE DIRECTION OF HYONPUNG, HAVING BROKEN DOWN STUBBORN RESISTANCE OF THE ENEMY, ON AUGUST 12 LIBERATED HYONPUNG, AN IMPORTANT CENTER OF THE ENEMY'S DEFENSE LOCATED SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU."

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WAR INTERPRETATIVE

BY MAX ~~BOYD~~ BOYD

WASHINGTON, AUG.16-(AP)-THE B-29 BLOW AT KOREAN COMMUNISTS MASSED FOR AN EXPECTED ATTACK COMPARES WITH THE ALL-OUT AIR OPERATIONS WHICH HELPED THE ALLIED FIFTH ARMY SAVE ITSELF FROM BEING THROWN INTO THE SEA AT SALERNO ITALY IN 1943.

NORMALLY, LONG RANGE BOMBERS LIKE THE B-29 ARE NOT USED FOR CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS. THEY ARE DIRECTED INSTEAD AGAINST DISTANT TARGETS, SUCH AS MUNITIONS FACTORIES AND RAILROAD YARDS. LIGHT BOMBERS OF SHORTER RANGE, AND FIGHTER-BOMBERS WHICH BOMB AND STRAFE AT LOW LEVEL, USUALLY ATTACK TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND OTHER TARGETS NEAR THE FRONT LINES.

AT SALERNO IN 1943, HOWEVER, A CRITICAL SITUATION DEVELOPED. DESPITE THE DISRUPTION OF ITALIAN COMMUNICATIONS BY AIR ATTACKS, ELEMENTS OF FOUR GERMAN PANZER DIVISIONS REACHED THE SALERNO AREA TO REINFORCE TROOPS THAT HAD BEEN UNABLE TO PREVENT THE ALLIED LANDINGS.

THE GERMANS THEN LAUNCHED A HEAVY COUNTER ATTACK INTENDED TO CUT THE FIFTH ARMY IN TWO AND ULTIMATELY DESTROY IT. FIERCE FIGHTING BY GROUND TROOPS, A HEAVY NAVAL BOMBARDMENT AND INTENSE CLOSE SUPPORT BY LONG RANGE AS WELL AS OTHER PLANES DEFEATED THE WEHRMACHT ATTACK.

THE LONG-RANGE BOMBERS AVAILABLE IN THE MEDITERRANEAN AT THAT TIME WERE A LIMITED NUMBER OF B-17S AND B-24S. ON SEPTEMBER 14, 1943 WHEN THE SALERNO SITUATION ENTERED ITS MOST CRITICAL STAGE, MOST OF THESE B-17S AND B-24S FLEW TWO MISSIONS AGAINST ROADS LEADING INTO THE SALERNO AREA AND GERMAN CONCENTRATIONS OF TROOPS AND SUPPLIES IMMEDIATELY BEHIND THE BATTLEFRONT.

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ON THAT SAME DAY, A TOTAL OF MORE THAN 2,000 SORTIES WAS FLOWN BY FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS OF ALL TYPES AGAINST TARGETS IN OR NEAR THE BATTLE ZONE. ON THE FOLLOWING DAY SORTIES TOTALED ABOUT 1,400 AND 92 OF THEM WERE FLOWN BY B-17S AND B-24S.

THESE 92 SORTIES WERE ALMOST AS MANY AS WERE INVOLVED IN THE B-29 STRIKE AT NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR OF THE KOREAN FRONT. THE ~~99~~ B-29S CARRIED A FAR GREATER TONNAGE OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES, HOWEVER. REPORTS FROM TOKYO SAID EACH OF THEM WAS LOADED WITH 40 500-POUND BOMBS. AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN HERE SAID THE SMALLER B-17, WHICH IS NO LONGER IN GENERAL USE AS A BOMBER, CARRIED ABOUT A DOZEN 500 POUND BOMBS.

GROUND FORCES TO FOLLOW UP THE B-29 ATTACK WAS LIMITED TO PATROLS INTENDED TO FIND OUT HOW GREAT CASUALTIES AND SHOCK EFFECT HAD BEEN. THIS INDICATED THAT THE PURPOSE OF THE HEAVY BOMBING WAS TO BREAK UP AN EXPECTED MAJOR ATTACK BY THE COMMUNISTS RATHER THAN TO PREPARE THE WAY FOR AN AMERICAN OFFENSIVE.

DURING THE ALLIED INVASION OF GERMAN-HELD EUROPE IN 1944, LONG RANGE BOMBERS WERE USED WITH OTHER PLANES TO DROP 3,400 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES IN A SPACE 7,000 YARDS LONG AND 250 YARDS WIDE NEAR ST.LO. THE U.S.FIRST ARMY HIT GERMAN TROOPS IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARD, BEFORE THEY HAD RECOVERED FROM THE SHOCK OF THIS BOMBING, AND THUS SPEARHEADED THE ALLIED BREAK OUT OF THE NORMANDY BEACHHEAD.

USE OF HEAVY BOMBERS IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS ON SEVERAL OTHER OCCASIONS DURING WORLD WAR II HAD VARYING SUCCESS. IN OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS, SUCCESS USUALLY DEPENDED UPON WHETHER OR NOT GROUND FORCES WERE ABLE TO RUSH INTO THE BOMBED AREAS IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARD, BEFORE THE OPPOSING TROOPS HAD RECOVERED FROM THE STUNNING EFFECT. WHEN TROOPS HAD TIME TO RE-ESTABLISH THEMSELVES IN THE RUINS OF BOMBED BUILDINGS, THEY WERE ABLE TO HOLD OUT FOR SOME TIME.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID IN RESPONSE TO AN INQUIRY TODAY THAT THE KOREAN SITUATION IN WHICH THE B-29'S WERE USED FOR CLOSE SUPPORT WAS NOT ONE OF "IMPENDING DISASTER" BUT THAT IT WAS "VERY, VERY SERIOUS". HE SAID THE COMMUNIST ATTACK THAT HAD BEEN EXPECTED IN THE WAEGWAN AREA

BEFORE THE SUPERFORTRESS BOMBING WAS THE MOST SERIOUS THREAT THAT EXISTED IN THE KOREAN THEATRE.

SHOULD THE COMMUNISTS BE FORCED BY THE ATTACK TO REGROUP AND REORGANIZE, DELAYING THEIR ATTACK, THE BOMBING WILL BE CONSIDERED OFFICIALLY TO BE A SUCCESS.

A COMMUNIST ATTACK IN THIS VITAL CENTRAL SECTOR WOULD THREATEN THE IMPORTANT COMMUNICATIONS CENTER AT TAEGU. IF NOT STOPPED, IT MIGHT CUT THE U.N. FORCES IN TWO AND THREATEN THEM WITH ENVELOPMENT.

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PMS INTERPRETIVE

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WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-HOW CAN THE KOREAN RED ARMY HAVE CASUALTIES ESTIMATED AT MORE THAN 40,000--YET CONTINUE TO STRIKE HARD AND HAVE FAR MORE MEN THAN WHEN IT STARTED?

THERE ARE SEVERAL EXPLANATIONS, SOME OBVIOUS AND SOME ASSUMPTIONS, AMONG THEM THESE:

1. CONSCRIPTION OF MEN IN BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA, A PRACTICE USED WIDELY IN ASIATIC WARS, HAS REPLACED BATTLEFIELD LOSSES AND SWELLED THE OVER-ALL STRENGTH.

2. MANPOWER MAY BE FILTERING DOWN FROM MANCHURIA AND FROM COMMUNIST CHINA, FED INTO RED ARMY UNITS IN SMALL BUT STEADY NUMBERS TO AUGMENT THE NORTH KOREAN FORCE.

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3. THE ESTIMATES OF RED CASUALTIES MAY BE TOO HIGH. PERHAPS THE ORIGINAL ESTIMATE OF 90,000 TO 100,000 MEN IN THE RED ARMY AT THE START OF THE WAR WAS TOO LOW. THERE MAY HAVE BEEN MANY TROOPS IN RESERVE THAT ARE JUST NOW BEING SENT INTO ACTION.

LAST WEEK THE FAR EAST COMMAND SENT THE PENTAGON AN ESTIMATE OF ABOUT 37,500 TOTAL CASUALTIES FOR THE COMMUNIST FORCES. COMMUNIQUES SINCE THEN CONTAIN FIGURES TOTALING ABOUT 3,000 MORE.

FOR 50 DAYS OF FIGHTING BY AN ORIGINAL FORCE OF 100,000 MEN THAT WOULD BE A HIGH RATE. BUT IT IS NOT AT ALL IMPOSSIBLE THAT THE COMMUNISTS WOULD HAVE BEEN ABLE TO REPLACE THEM FROM THE MANPOWER POOL IN AND OUTSIDE OF KOREA, USING THE CONSCRIPTION METHOD AND PROVIDING LITTLE OR NO TRAINING OF SUCH "RECRUITS."

ALTHOUGH THE CASUALTY ESTIMATE COMES FROM HEADQUARTERS AND FIELD COMMANDS, IT IS, AT BEST, ONLY AN ESTIMATE. AN ACCURATE COUNT OF ENEMY DEAD AND WOUNDED IS DIFFICULT EVEN WHEN THE FORCES MAKING THE ESTIMATE ARE MOVING FORWARD IN FORMER ENEMY TERRITORY WHERE NOSES CAN BE COUNTED. IT IS EVEN MORE DIFFICULT WHEN THE FORCE IS IN RETREAT OR STANDING AT A FIXED POSITION, AS IS THE CASE OF THE UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS.

IT IS MUCH EASIER TO ESTIMATE THE STRENGTH OF THE ENEMY'S TROOPS AND UNITS IN ACTION. THEY CAN BE SEEN ACROSS THE FIRING LINE. CAPTURED PRISONERS GIVE INFORMATION ON IDENTITY OF UNITS. ESTIMATES OF THE PRESENT STRENGTH OF THE RED ARMY, THEREFORE, IS INTERESTING.

A DISPATCH FROM TOKYO YESTERDAY SAID 15 COMMUNIST DIVISIONS, WITH A TOTAL STRENGTH OF POSSIBLY 150,000 MEN, HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED IN AND AROUND THE KOREAN FRONT.

THAT WOULD INDICATE THAT THE ENEMY NOT ONLY HAS MADE A NET INCREASE OF ABOUT 50,000 IN HIS MANPOWER STRENGTH, BUT HAS DOUBLED THE NUMBER OF HIS COMBAT UNITS. HIS ORIGINAL FORCE WAS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN COMPOSED OF SEVEN DIVISIONS AND FIVE BRIGADES. HE COULD HAVE FORMED SOME OF THESE BRIGADES INTO DIVISIONS.

SUCH AN INCREASE IN TROOP AND UNIT STRENGTH MUST MEAN THAT THE RED ARMY HAS FOUND WAYS, ALONG WITH EXPANDING MANPOWER, TO ARM THE ENLARGED FORCE. NORTH KOREA HAS SOME AMMUNITION FACTORIES, BUT BEYOND THAT HER MUNITIONS PRODUCTION IS LIMITED. SHE MUST GET HER ARMS FROM OUTSIDE THE COUNTRY.

THE RUSSIAN SPOKESMAN AT THE UNITED NATIONS CLAIMED RECENTLY THAT MATERIEL IN NORTH KOREA COULD BE ONLY THAT SOLD BY RUSSIA WHEN HER OCCUPATION FORCES WITHDREW TWO YEARS AGO FROM THE AREA NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. HIS EXPLANATION STOOD ONLY UNTIL THE PENTAGON RECEIVED FROM THE FRONT A PICTURE OF A CAPTURED RUSSIAN MORTAR SHELL, BEARING THE MANUFACTURE DATE OF 1950. THE PICTURE APPARENTLY CONFIRMED WHAT HAD BEEN SUSPECTED SINCE THE EARLY WEEKS OF THE WAR, THAT RUSSIA CONTINUES TO BE AN ARSENAL FOR THE KOREAN RED ARMY.

SOME QUESTIONS HAVE BEEN RAISED ABOUT THE MEANS BY WHICH THE REDS CONTINUE TO GET AMPLE SUPPLIES OF AMMUNITION AND FOOD TO THE FRONT LINE TROOPS WHEN AMERICAN AIR ATTACKS CONSTANTLY CUT UP HIGHWAYS AND RAIL ROUTES FROM NORTH KOREAN DEPOTS. THE EXPLANATION GIVEN AT THE PENTAGON AND AT FAR EAST HEADQUARTERS SEEMS SIMPLE ENOUGH: THE ENEMY'S SUPPLY PROBLEM IS QUITE DIFFERENT FROM OURS. HE LIVES OFF THE LAND, REQUISITIONING FOOD AS HE NEEDS IT. CONSCRIPTED LABOR CARRIES HIS AMMUNITION, BACK-PACKING IT ALONG TRAILS WHEN HIGHWAYS AND RAIL LINES AND BRIDGES ARE BOMBED OUT. EVEN HIS GASOLINE REQUIREMENTS ARE MODEST COMPARED WITH OURS. HE HAS LOST A QUANTITY OF TANKS AND VEHICLES, REDUCING THE AMOUNT OF FUEL NEEDED. HIS AVIATION IS NEGLIGBLE, SO HE DOESN'T WORRY MUCH ABOUT AVIATION GAS.

WHAT ABOUT THE PICTURE ON OUR SIDE?

CASUALTIES? THE MOST RECENT REPORT (ISSUED ON AUGUST 7) GAVE A TOTAL OF 2,616 FOR THE AMERICAN ARMY. THERE NEVER HAS BEEN ANY ATTEMPT TO ESTIMATE THE CASUALTIES FOR THE ARMY OF SOUTH KOREA. THAT ARMY, ORIGINALLY NUMBERING ABOUT 96,000 TROOPS AND ORGANIZED IN EIGHT DIVISIONS, WAS BADLY CUT UP IN THE EARLY STAGES OF THE WAR AND HAS SEEN CONTINUING HEAVY ACTION SINCE. SOME OF THE DIVISIONS VIRTUALLY DISAPPEARED, BUT TO PIECES BY TANKS, ARTILLERY AND AUTOMATIC GUNS OF THE INVADERS.

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FIREPOWER AND WEAPONS? BIGGER TANKS HAVE BEEN SENT INTO KOREA, NEW AND MORE POWERFUL BAZOOKAS, MORE ARTILLERY, MORE OF EVERYTHING. PLANES AND SHIPS OF THE UNITED STATES AND PARTICIPATING UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS HAVE COMPLETE DOMINATION OF THE SKY AND THE SEA.

TROOP STRENGTH? SINCE THE ORIGINAL LITTLE UNITED STATES ARMY BATTALION TOOK POSITION IN THE LINE WITH THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY, THE FLOW OF UNITS HAS STEPPED UP STEADILY, WITH WHOLE DIVISIONS SENT IN. HOW MANY MORE HAVE GONE OR ARE GOING IS NOW BLACKED-OUT FOR SECURITY REASONS.

ONE HIGH RANKING OFFICER, ASKED TODAY ABOUT THE CONSTANTLY GROWING STRENGTH OF THE ENEMY AND OUR SITUATION IN THE KOREAN BEACHHEAD, MADE TWO POINTS:

1. WE TOO ARE BUILDING UP, TOWARD THE TIME OF OFFENSIVE.
2. WE STILL ARE ABOUT TWO WEEKS AHEAD OF THE POSITION WE THOUGHT WE MIGHT BE PUSHED BACK TO WHEN THE ENEMY BEGAN HIS ALL-OUT OFFENSIVE WITH A SURGE PAST SEOUL AND THEN LATER ACROSS THE KUM RIVER LINE.

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LONDON, AUG.16-(AP)-THE MOSCOW RADIO BROADCAST TONIGHT THE FOLLOWING NORTH KOREAN EVENING COMMUNIQUE:

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY OPERATING ON THE EASTERN BANK OF THE RIVER NAKTONG REPELLED AN ENEMY COUNTEROFFENSIVE UNDERTAKEN WITH THE SUPPORT OF TANK AND ARTILLERY UNITS, INFLICTING BIG LOSSES ON THE ENEMY.

IN THE FIGHTING ON THAT SECTOR TROPHIES AND PRISONERS WERE CAPTURED.

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(200) KOREA AID
WASHINGTON, AUG.16-(AP)-SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) SHOUTED IN THE SENATE TODAY THAT RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SHEDDING OF AMERICAN BLOOD IN KOREA RESTS ON SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.
WHERRY, THE REPUBLICAN FLOOR LEADER, DECLARED IT WAS ACHESON'S POLICY "TO EQUIP ONLY AN INTERNAL POLICE FORCE" IN SOUTH KOREA INSTEAD OF SUPPLYING BIGGER-SCALE MILITARY AID APPROVED BY CONGRESS.
WHERRY'S ATTACK ON ACHESON CAME AFTER SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) TOLD THE SENATE THE UNITED STATES HAD SPENT $495,700,000 ON SOUTH KOREA SINCE WORLD WAR II, INCLUDING ABOUT $56,000,000 FOR MILITARY USE.
TYDINGS, CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, SAID HE OBTAINED THE FIGURES FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT. HE SAID HE ASKED FOR THEM BECAUSE A MEMBER OF CONGRESS HAD CHARGED THAT THIS COUNTRY HAD SHIPPED ONLY $200 WORTH OF BAILING WIRE TO SOUTH KOREA.
SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) HAS MADE THAT CHARGE AND ACCUSED ACHESON OF SABOTAGING THE MILITARY AID PROGRAM.
TYDINGS GAVE THIS BREAKDOWN OF AID TO SOUTH KOREA:
$141,000,000 IN SURPLUS MILITARY PROPERTY; $301,000,000 FOR THE ARMY FOR GOVERNMENT AND RELIEF IN KOREA, AND $53,700,000 IN ECONOMIC AID.
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WHERRY SAID THAT AS A MEMBER OF THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE HE HAD HEARD TOP MILITARY OFFICIALS TESTIFY BEHIND CLOSED DOORS THAT $200 WORTH OF SIGNAL WIRE IS ACTUALLY THE ONLY MATERIAL WHICH HAS GONE TO SOUTH KOREA UNDER THE MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.
WHERRY SAID ALL THE OTHER EQUIPMENT MENTIONED BY TYDINGS WAS MATERIAL LEFT OVER FROM WORLD WAR II AND TURNED OVER TO THE KOREANS UNDER THE SURPLUS PROPERTY PROGRAM.

SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) SAID IT IS AN "INDISPUTABLE FACT" THAT WHEN WAR BROKE OUT ONLY $200 WORTH OF WIRE HAD BEEN SHIPPED TO KOREA OUT OF THE LAST $10,000,000 (M) OF KOREAN AID VOTED BY CONGRESS.
SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) TOLD THE SENATE HE SUPPORTED KNOWLAND'S STATEMENT.
KNOWLAND SAID THE WIRE WAS WAR SURPLUS SIGNAL WIRE, NOT BAILING WIRE, AND THAT IT'S ORIGINAL COST PROBABLY WOULD HAVE BEEN ABOUT $52,000.
HE SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD ASKED REPEATEDLY FOR FIGHTER PLANES AND GUNS THAT WOULD MATCH THOSE THE NORTH KOREANS POSSESSED, BUT "DID NOT GET THEM."
"NOTHING COULD HAVE CONTRIBUTED MORE TO THE DEFENSE AND PROBABLE PREVENTION OF WAR," HE ADDED, THAN TO HAVE SENT THE REQUESTED EQUIPMENT. INSTEAD, HE SAID, SOUTH KOREA WAS "LEFT LIKE A SITTING DUCK."
KNOWLAND SAID SURPLUS EQUIPMENT SUCH AS THE SOUTH KOREANS REQUESTED WAS AVAILABLE, SOME OF IT BEING SCRAPPED.
HE SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD PREDICTED ATTACK BY THE COMMUNIST FORCES, AND HAD PROTESTED TO THE UNITED STATES THAT THEIR GUNS WERE "OUTRANGED BY 10,000 YARDS," THEIR MORTARS WERE OUTRANGED, THE NORTH KOREANS HAD TANKS WHICH THE SOUTH KOREANS LACKED, AND THE NORTH KOREANS HAD FIGHTER PLANES OBTAINED FROM RUSSIA.
THOSE PROTESTS, HE SAID, WERE KNOWN TO HAVE SOUND BASIS, "BUT THEY DIDN'T GET" THE REQUESTED HELP IN TIME.
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A39WX (THAILAND)
(300) NIGHT LEAD THAILAND-KOREAN
WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS ACCEPTED THAILAND'S OFFER TO PUT 4,000 MEN ON THE FIGHTING FRONT IN KOREA.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE IN THE PRESENCE OF THE THAI AMBASSADOR, PRINCE WAN WAITHAYAKON, AT A CEREMONY IN JOHNSON'S PENTAGON OFFICE.
THUS THE LITTLE SOUTHEAST ASIATIC KINGDOM MAY SEND THE FIRST OUT-SIDE TROOPS TO JOIN OUTNUMBERED AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES THAT ARE CARRYING THE UNITED NATIONS BANNER AGAINST KOREAN REDS. THE AMBASSADOR WAS REPORTED TO HAVE TOLD JOHNSON THAI TROOPS WILL REACH KOREA SOON.
JOHNSON ASSURED HIM THEY WILL BE WELCOME AND AMERICAN TROOPS "WILL BE PROUD TO HAVE THEM FIGHTING SIDE BY SIDE."
MANPOWER HAS BEEN A BIG WORRY OF THE UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMAND UNDER GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR. ONLY A FEW UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS HAVE OFFERED GROUND FORCES. CANADA IS RECRUITING A CONTINGENT OF SEVERAL THOUSAND. AND OFFERS OF MEN ALSO HAVE COME FROM BRITAIN, AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND AND TURKEY.
AN OFFER BY THE CHINESE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT ON FORMOSA WAS REJECTED IN KEEPING WITH U.S. POLICY TO KEEP THE CHINESE WAR ISOLATED FROM THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
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THE DECISION TO LET THAILAND PROVIDE 4,000 MEN WAS REACHED YESTERDAY, JOHNSON SAID, AFTER SEVERAL DAYS OF CONFERENCES INVOLVING MACARTHUR IN TOKYO AND THE PENTAGON AND THAI REPRESENTATIVES HERE.
JOHNSON TOLD PRINCE WAITHAYAKON HIS COUNTRY'S GROUND FORCES ARE THE "THE TYPE OF CONTRIBUTION TO THE CAUSE" THE UNITED NATIONS ARMY NEEDS.
"THAILAND'S TROOPS," THE AMBASSADOR SAID, "WILL BE USED TO DEFEND THE CAUSE OF PEACE, FREEDOM AND JUSTICE. AGGRESSION MUST BE STOPPED IN KOREA OR ANYWHERE ELSE OR OTHERWISE EVERY SMALL NATION WILL FALL."

JOHNSON WAS ABLE TO ANNOUNCE ACCEPTANCE OF THAILAND TROOPS FOR THE KOREAN WAR BECAUSE THE UNITED STATES IS OPERATING THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND FOR THAT WAR, WITH MACARTHUR SERVING BOTH AS THE TOP U.S. AND TOP U.N. COMMANDER. THIS COUNTRY THUS WAS ACTING FOR THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE MATTER.
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(500) INDIA-KOREA
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, AUG. 16-(AP)-THE U.S. IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE SEEKING CLARIFICATION OF INDIA'S LATEST KOREAN PEACE PROPOSAL BEFORE DECIDING FINALLY WHETHER IT FAVORS THE PLAN.
INDIA SUGGESTED CREATION OF A SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL TO CONSIDER PEACE IDEAS.
U.S. OFFICIALS WERE DESCRIBED AUTHORITATIVELY TONIGHT AS INCLINED TO SUPPORT THE PROPOSITION PROVIDED IT CAN BE FRAMED IN SUCH A WAY AS TO ASSURE CONSTRUCTIVE RESULTS AND TO AVOID CONFUSING THE ISSUE--WHICH IS COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.
IN GENERAL THE STATE DEPARTMENT WANTS TO MAKE CERTAIN THAT THE OBJECTIVE OF ENDING THE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN KOREA IS CLEARLY STATED AS THE FIRST CONDITION WHICH MUST BE MET IN RESTORING PEACE.
IT IS ALSO DETERMINED THAT THE PROPOSED COMMITTEE NOT APPROACH THE PROBLEM AS ONE OF MEDIATION BETWEEN THE U.S. AND RUSSIA. THE AMERICAN POSITION IS THAT THE CONFLICT LIES BETWEEN THE U.N. AND THE NORTH KOREANS TOGETHER WITH THE NATIONS WHICH SUPPORT NORTH KOREA--MEANING RUSSIA AND THE COMMUNIST BLOC.
INDIA'S U.N. DELEGATE, SIR BENEGAL N.RAU, SUGGESTED IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL MONDAY THAT A COMMITTEE COMPOSED OF THE SIX SMALL NATIONS ON THE COUNCIL MIGHT TACKLE THE WHOLE KOREAN PROBLEM WITH MORE SUCCESS THAN THE COUNCIL ITSELF IN VIEW OF THE STALEMATE WHICH HAS EXISTED SINCE RUSSIAN DELEGATE JACOB MALIK ASSUMED THE PRESIDENCY AUGUST 1.

HE SAID THE COMMITTEE WOULD HAVE MORE FREEDOM OF ACTION THAN THE COUNCIL AND COULD BE OF ASSISTANCE TO THE COUNCIL IN ARRIVING AT PROPOSALS FOR THE FUTURE OF KOREA ONCE THE FIGHTING HAS CEASED AND NORTH KOREANS FORCES HAVE WITHDRAWN FROM THE SOUTH.

HIS PROPOSITION WAS STATED IN GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONED ON ITS FINDING "SUFFICIENT SUPPORT" AMONG THE OTHER COUNCIL MEMBERS.

THE COUNCIL IS SCHEDULED TO MEET AGAIN TOMORROW (THURSDAY) AFTERNOON AND INDIA'S SUGGESTION PRESUMABLY MAY COME UP FOR DISCUSSION AT THAT TIME.

TO DATE THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT HAS SAID CHIEFLY THAT IT IS READY TO GIVE SYMPATHETIC CONSIDERATION TO ANY PROPOSITION THAT PROMISES LIBERTY AND PEACE FOR THE KOREAN PEOPLE.

IN A SENSE THE INDIAN PROPOSAL HAS CAUGHT AMERICAN POLICY MAKERS ON A DILEMMA. ON THE ONE HAND THEY ARE SENSITIVE TO INDIA'S INFLUENCE AND PRESTIGE AS AN ASIAN NATION AND THEREFORE DESIRE TO COOPERATE WITH INDIA TO THE FULLEST POSSIBLE EXTENT. ON THE OTHER HAND, THEY HESITATE TO TURN OVER TO A U.N. COMMITTEE, WITHOUT AGREEMENT ON PRECISE AUTHORITY. A PROBLEM WHICH INVOLVES SUCH FAR-REACHING ISSUES FOR THE U.N. ITSELF.

IF THE COMMITTEE IDEA IS PUT UP FOR ADOPTION IT WOULD TAKE THE FORM OF A RESOLUTION BEFORE THE COUNCIL. THIS RESOLUTION WOULD STATE THE COMMITTEE'S AUTHORITY, SPELLING OUT WHAT IT COULD AND COULD NOT DO. IT IS TOWARD SUCH A RESOLUTION THAT PRESENT AMERICAN EFFORTS AT CLARIFICATION ARE DIRECTED.

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THE CLARIFICATION IS BEING SOUGHT FROM OTHER U.N. DELEGATIONS AND FROM THE INDIAN REPRESENTATIVE HIMSELF.

OFFICIALS HERE WANT TO DETERMINE BEFOREHAND THAT THE COMMITTEE COULD NOT BE OPEN TO MANIPULATION BY THE RUSSIANS IN AN EFFORT TO UNDO PRINCIPLES ON WHICH THE SECURITY COUNCIL HAS ALREADY PASSED.

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THUS THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT DOES NOT CONSIDER IT WOULD BE PROPER FOR THE COMMITTEE TO REOPEN THE QUESTION OF CHINESE COMMUNIST MEMBERSHIP IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL. NEITHER IN THE AMERICAN VIEW SHOULD IT BRING IN A NORTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVE, WHICH THE COUNCIL ITSELF HAS DECLINED TO DO.

POSITIVELY, HOWEVER, THE COMMITTEE WOULD BE ABLE TO STUDY THE FACTS OF THE WHOLE KOREAN SETTLEMENT AND PARTICULARLY TO CONSIDER WHAT CONDITIONS THE U.N. SHOULD SEEK TO ESTABLISH IN KOREA ONCE THE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION HAS BEEN PUT DOWN.

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A32WX (300)

NIGHT LEAD NAVY-KOREA

WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-U.S. NAVY SHIPS WERE OFFICIALLY CREDITED TODAY WITH DELIVERING 40,000 MEN, 500,000 TONS OF MILITARY CARGO AND 2,000,000 BARRELS OF PETROLEUM TO THE FAR EAST SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR.

NAVY SPOKESMEN GAVE THE FIGURES IN DESCRIBING AT LEAST PART OF THE NAVY'S ROLE IN THE FAR PACIFIC CONFLICT WHICH BEGAN LAST JUNE 25.

AT A PENTAGON NEWS CONFERENCE, THE NAVY ALSO REPORTED:

EIGHTY-FIVE PER CENT OF THE MEN AND SUPPLIES MOVED ACROSS THE PACIFIC HAVE BEEN CARRIED BY THE MILITARY SEA TRANSPORT SERVICE. THE REST WENT ABOARD COMBAT SHIPS OR VIA THE AIR LIFT OPERATED BY THE AIR FORCE.

THE AIR LIFT ALONE HAS FERRIED 2,000 MEN AND 200 TONS OF TOP PRIORITY CARGO.

THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER BOXER CARRIED 170 WARPLANES AND 1,000 AIR FORCE PERSONNEL IN ADDITION TO CARGO ON A SINGLE VOYAGE.

BESIDES PROVIDING COMBAT AND SUPPLY FLEETS, THE U.S. NAVY IS ALSO FURNISHING SOME SUPPLIES TO BRITISH, DUTCH AND CANADIAN WARSHIPS HELPING TO OAINTAIN THE BLOCKADE IN KOREAN WATERS.

PETROLEUM REQUIREMENTS IN THE WAR THEATER ARE "EXCEEDINGLY HIGH," BUT NEEDS ARE BEING MET PROMPTLY AND FULLY.

THE U.S. SUPPLY FLEET IN THE PACIFIC HAS BEEN EXPANDED BY 230 SHIPS SINCE THE END OF JUNE.

THE NAVY SAID 194 SHIPS HAVE BEEN CHARTERED FROM PRIVATE SHIPPING COMPANIES, INCLUDING 13 FOREIGN FLAG VESSELS, BUT THE NEED FOR CHARTERED COMMERCIAL SHIPS WILL DROP AS MORE CRAFT BECOME AVAILABLE FROM THE RESERVE "MOTH BALL" FLEET.

THE UNITED STATES HAS PLENTY OF SHIPS, EITHER IN SERVICE OR IN THE RESERVE FLEET TO HANDLE THE SUPPLY PROBLEM FOR ALL THREE FIGHTING SERVICES IN THE KOREAN THEATER, BUT A NAVY SPOKESMAN COMMENTED:

"WE'D HAVE TO START BUILDING MORE MERCHANT TYPE SHIPS IF WE GOT INTO A WORLD-WIDE WAR."

SO FAR, HOWEVER, NO U.S. MERCHANT SHIPS HAVE BEEN ARMED.

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WASHINGTON, AUG.16-(AP)-AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT 1,000 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED BY THE B-29 SUPER FORTRESSES THAT ATTACKED COMMUNIST TROOPS MASSED NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN IN KOREA.

HE TOLD REPORTERS AT A PENTAGON BRIEFING THAT 101 B-29'S TOOK PART, EACH OF THEM DROPPING FORTY 500-POUND GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS.

THIS WAS ANNOUNCED AS A CORRECTION OF THE COMMUNIQUE ISSUED PREVIOUSLY IN THE FAR EAST, WHICH PLACED THE NUMBER OF ATTACKING BOMBERS AT 99 AND THE NUMBER OF BOMBS AT 850.

DISCUSSING THE B-29S' OPERATIONS IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF U.S. TROOPS, THE AIRFORCE SPOKESMEN SAID:

"IT WAS NOTHING LIKE THE CONCENTRATION AT ST. LO BUT WE HOPE IT WILL DO SOME GOOD."

DURING WORLD WAR II, U.S. TROOPS IN THE NORMANDY BEACHHEAD BROKE OUT AT ST. LO AFTER 3,400 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED THERE BY MORE THAN 1500 PLANES. AT ST.LO, THE BOMBS WERE AIMED AT AN AREA 7,000 YARDS LONG AND 250 YARDS WIDE. THE AREA BOMBED BY THE B-29'S IN KOREA WAS SEVEN AND ONE HALF MILES LONG AND THREE AND ONE HALF MILES WIDE.

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NEW YORK, AUG.16-(AP)-THE 1,000 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES DROPPED IN THE B-29 RAID ON THE NAKTONG FRONT YESTERDAY WERE EQUIVALENT TO ABOUT ONE-TWENTIETH OF AN ATOM BOMB.

AN A-BOMB HAS THE EXPLOSIVE FORCE OF ABOUT 20,000 TONS OF TNT.

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(20) WASHINGTON,AUG.16-(AP)-THE VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA TODAY ASKED PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO CALL ON SOCIAL WELFARE GROUPS TO PROVIDE "A UNITED FRONT" AT HOME TO SUPPORT AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA.

GENERAL CHARLES BRANDON BOOTH, COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE ORGANIZATION, MADE THE PLEA DURING A WHITE HOUSE VISIT.

BOOTH SAID AFTERWARDS THAT PRELIMINARY PROGRAMS DESIGNED TO REPLACE DEFUNCT WARTIME AGENCIES SUCH AS THE USO HAVE BEEN DRAWN UP BY ORGANIZATIONS ACTING SINGLY OR IN SMALL GROUPS.

HE SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN THANKED HIM FOR HIS ORGANIZATION'S OFFER TO SERVE AND TOLD HIM THAT FEDERAL AGENCIES WERE WORKING ON PLANS TO USE THE SERVICES OF WELFARE ORGANIZATIONS ON THE COUNTY, STATE AND NATIONAL LEVELS.

THE VOLUNTEER OF AMERICA IS A RELIGIOUS AND WELFARE GROUP SIMILAR TO THE SALVATION ARMY. IT MAINTAINS FACILITIES IN MANY CITIES TO SHELTER AND FEED THE NEEDY.

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WASHINGTON,AUG.16-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SPENT 20 MINUTES TODAY REVIEWING DEVELOPMENTS IN THE KOREAN WAR WITH THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF.

IT WAS HIS USUAL WEEKLY MEETING WITH THE STAFF. GEN.OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS, CALLSOM

IT WAS HIS USUAL WEEKLY MEETING WITH THE STAFF. GEN.OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS, CALLS ON MR.TRUMAN ALONE ON OTHER DAYS TO BRIEF HIM ON BATTLEFRONT PROGRESS.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-THE AMERICAN RED CROSS OUTLINED TODAY A PROGRAM TO HELP SERVICE MEN IN KOREA COMMUNICATE WITH THEIR FAMILIES IN EMERGENCIES.

THE RED CROSS SAID IN A STATEMENT IT WILL STEP IN WHEN COMMERCIAL TELEGRAPH OR CABLE SERVICE IS NOT AVAILABLE AND WHEN MAIL FACILITIES WILL NOT MEET THE NEED FOR QUICK ACTION IN FAMILY SITUATIONS.

IF NECESSARY, RED CROSS CHAPTERS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY WILL HANDLE COMMUNICATIONS INVOLVING DEATH, SERIOUS ILLNESS OR BIRTH. THE ORGANIZATION ALSO WILL HELP WITH PROBLEMS OF FAMILY ALLOTMENTS OR WHEN A MEMBER OF A FAMILY IS UNABLE TO CONTACT A SERVICEMAN DIRECTLY ABOUT AN URGENT MATTER.

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KOREA CLAIMS

WASHINGTON, AUG.16-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN ASKED CONGRESS TODAY FOR $3,500,000 TO REIMBURSE U.S. CIVILIANS FOR LOSSES SUSTAINED WHEN THEY HAD TO FLEE FROM KOREA.

BUDGET ESTIMATES HE SENT TO THE CAPITAL SAID THE MONEY WOULD PAY CLAIMS OF BOTH CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES AND CONTRACTORS IN KOREA.

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PHOENIX,ARIZ.,AUG.16-(AP)-TWO YEARS AGO WILLIAM JOSEPH JONES, THEN 18, OF NEARBY PEORIA, ARIZ., WANTED MORE THAN ANYTHING ELSE TO GET INTO THE ARMY.

TWICE REJECTED AS UNDERWEIGHT, HE ATE TWO DOZEN BANANAS A DAY FOR A WEEK AND WAS FINALLY ACCEPTED. LAST YEAR HE WAS SENT TO JAPAN.

TODAY HIS UNCLE AND AUNT, MR. AND MRS.C.PUGH OF PEORIA, RECEIVED WORD PFC.JONES WAS MISSING IN ACTION IN KOREA.

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NIGHT LEAD BATORY (550)

BY EDWARD CURTIS

SOUTHAMPTON, ENG., AUG 16-(AP)-BRITISH POLICE YANKED TWO AMERICANS--A HITCH-HIKING AVIATOR AND A STOWAWAY-- OFF THE POLISH LINER BATORY TODAY AND JAILED THEM PENDING A CHECK OF FINGERPRINTS IN WASHINGTON.

ONE IS WILLIAM JESSE NEWTON, 26-YEAR-OLD MYSTERY MAN WHO LANDED A RENTED SEAPLANE IN THE ATLANTIC ALONGSIDE THE OUTBOUND LINER MORE THAN 100 MILES FROM NEW YORK TUESDAY, AUG. 8.

THE OTHER IS HOWARD CAMPBELL, 29, OF DES MOINES, IA., WHO ARRIVED IN ENGLAND AS A STOWAWAY FOR THE SECOND TIME IN FOUR MONTHS. HE CAME ASHORE UNDER ARREST FROM THE LINER QUEEN MARY LAST MAY 4 AND SERVED 28 DAYS ON CONVICTION OF STOWING AWAY---A CRIMINAL CHARGE IN BRITAIN. HE DECLARED THEN HE WAS A COMMUNIST ORGANIZER FLEEING FROM THE U.S. FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION.

IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS INDICATED THEY WERE PRETTY WELL SATISFIED CAMPBELL IS A HARMLESS ECCENTRIC. THEY WERE STILL STUDYING NEWTON'S CASE.

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IT WAS ABOARD THE BATORY, PRIDE OF COMMUNIST POLAND, THAT COMMUNIST GERHART EISLER FLED NEW YORK IN MAY, 1949. EISLER HAD JUMPED BAIL ON CHARGE OF MAKING FALSE STATEMENTS IN AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO ENTER THE UNITED STATES. A BRITISH COURT HELD THE GERMAN-BORN STOWAWAY WAS NOT EXTRADITABLE UNDER BRITISH LAW. HE WENT ON TO BERLIN, WHERE HE IS NOW THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA CHIEF OF EAST GERMANY.

CAMPBELL STOWED AWAY ON THE BATORY DESPITE NEW SECURITY CHECKS U.S. AUTHORITIES HAVE INSTITUTED AROUND IRON CURTAIN VESSELS DOCKING AT AMERICAN PORTS. HE GAVE HIMSELF UP AFTER 24 HOURS, SAYING HE WAS HUNGRY.

HE AND NEWTON WERE HUSTLED OFF THE SHIP BY SGT. WILLIAM BENTLEY OF SCOTLAND YARD. NEWTON PROTESTED AS HE CAME DOWN THE GANGPLANK.

JOHN J. BENTLEY, U.S. VICE CONSUL IN SOUTHAMPTON, INTERVIEWED BOTH IN WINCHESTER JAIL. THEY WERE LISTED AS ALIENS WITHOUT PERMISSION TO LAND IN ENGLAND, A CHARGE WHICH ALLOWS IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS TO HOLD THEM WITHOUT BAIL.

AS FOR NEWTON, BENTLEY TOLD REPORTERS:

"I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING MORE ABOUT HIM THAN YOU DO."

NEWTON'S BIRTHPLACE ON THE CHARGE BOOK AT THE JAIL WAS GIVEN AS ORLANDO, FLA., AS SHOWN IN THE PASSPORT.

BUT JAN CWIKLINSKI, CAPTAIN OF THE BATORY, SAID THE FLIER HAD PRODUCED A MEXICAN BIRTH CERTIFICATE IN THE NAME OF "GUILLERMO SAN SEBASTIAN JESSE NEWTON."

THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT MADE PUBLIC AUG. ~~11~~ ELEVEN ITS RECORD OF A PRIVATE PILOT'S LICENSE ISSUED TO A WILLIAM JESSE NEWTON, JAN. 20, 1947, ON THE BASIS OF A U.S. LICENSE. THIS INDICATED THE APPLICANT WAS BORN AT TUXPAN, MEXICO, AND LIVED AT THE TIME IN SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. THE CARD DID NOT LIST A SAN FRANCISCO ADDRESS

THE BLOND, SLIGHTLY BUILT NEWTON RENTED A $2,600 CUB PIPER SEAPLANE AUG. 8 FROM GEORGE LAMBROS, JR., OPERATOR OF A SEAPLANE BASE IN RIDGE-FIELD PARK, N.J., BORROWED A LIFE-JACKET AND TOOK OFF. LAMBROS SAID NEWTON ADVISED HIM HE WOULD FLY ONLY A FEW MINUTES.

CWIKLINSKI TOLD NEWSMEN NEWTON LANDED ON THE OCEAN NEAR THE BATORY ABOUT 5 P.M. THAT DAY AND SHOUTED THAT HE WAS LOST AND OUT OF GASOLINE.

"WE THREW HIM A LINE AND HE CAME ABOARD," CWIKLINSKI SAID. "WE PUT A CRANE OVER AND HOISTED THE SEAPLANE INTO THE FORWARD HATCH.

"NEWTON SAID HE SAW TWO BOATS AND WHEN HE BECAME LOST HE FOLLOWED THEM, THINKING THEY WERE GOING TO NEW YORK.

"WHEN HE DECIDED TO LAND HE PICKED OUR BOAT BECAUSE IT WAS A PASSENGER SHIP. HE SAID HE EXPECTED THAT HE WOULD MAKE A CRASH LANDING AND KNEW THAT THERE WOULD BE A DOCTOR ABOARD A PASSENGER SHIP."

CWIKLINSKI SAID HE WOULD BE GLAD TO TAKE BOTH NEWTON AND CAMPBELL BACK TO NEW YORK WHEN HE CALLS HERE ON THE BATORY'S RETURN TRIP FROM POLAND AUG. 30. IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS SAID THE OFFER WILL BE ACCEPTED IF BOTH MEN HAVE BEEN CLEARED BY THEN OF ANY UNTERIOR INTENTIONS.

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FIRST LEAD BATORY

BY EDWARD CURTIS

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SOUTHAMPTON, ENG., AUG. 16-(AP)-TWO AMERICANS WHO BOARDED THE POLISH LINER BATORY UNDER UNUSUAL CIRCUMSTANCES LAST WEEK WERE REMOVED BY BRITISH POLICE HERE TODAY.

IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED BOTH MEN WILL BE HELD IN WINCHESTER JAIL UNTIL AUG. 30, WHEN THEY WILL BE DEPORTED ABOARD THE BATORY ON HER RETURN TRIP TO NEW YORK. BOTH WERE REFUSED "PERMISSION TO LAND" UNDER THE ALIENS' ORDER--A TECHNICALITY.

THE TWO ARE WILLIAM JESSE NEWTON, 26, OF NEW YORK AND HOWARD CAMPBELL 29-YEAR-OLD STOWAWAY OF DES MOINES, IA.

NEWTON WAS TAKEN ABOARD IN THE ATLANTIC OCEAN ABOUT 100 MILES OFF NEW YORK AFTER HE LANDED HIS RENTED SEAPLANE ALONGSIDE THE SHIP AUG. 8.

CAPT.JAN CWIKLINSKI SAID THE FLIER TOLD HIM HE LOST HIS WAY AND WAS ALMOST OUT OF GASOLINE.

"THERE WAS NOT QUITE HALF-A-GALLON OF GASOLINE IN THE PLANE'S TANK," THE CAPTAIN SAID.

CAMPBELL CAME DOWN THE SHIP'S GANGWAY QUIETLY BUT NEWTON PROTESTED VOLUBLY AS HE WAS PUT INTO THE POLICE VAN.

THEY WERE TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY DETECTIVE SUPT.GORDON BAKER OF THE SOUTHAMPTON POLICE AND DETECTIVE SGT.BILL BENTLEY OF SCOTLAND YARD.

BENTLEY WAS ONE OF THE SCOTLAND YARD MEN WHO ARRESTED COMMUNIST GERHART EISLER WHEN HE ARRIVED HERE IN THE SAME SHIP ON HIS FLIGHT FROM THE UNITED STATES IN MAY, 1949. EISLER LATER WAS RELEASED BY A BRITISH COURT AND CONTINUED HIS JOURNEY TO EAST GERMANY.

CAMPBELL, AS A STOWAWAY, PROBABLY WILL BE DETAINED HERE PENDING RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES.

A U.S. CONSULAR ATTACHE ACCOMPANIED THE POLICE OFFICERS ABOARD THE BATORY AND WENT WITH THEM AND THEIR TWO PRISONERS TO POLICE HEADQUARTERS.

THE EXACT CHARGE AGAINST THE TWO AMERICANS WAS NOT REVEALED IMMEDIATELY.

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NIGHT LEAD BRITISH

BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

LONDON, AUG.16-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES HAS COMPLAINED INFORMALLY TO BRITAIN THAT HER PROJECTED $9,520,000,000 PROGRAM OF REARMAMENT AGAINST COMMUNISM DOESN'T GO FAR ENOUGH, DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS SAID TONIGHT.

THIS INFORMATION DEVELOPED AS PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE REJECTED A DEMAND FROM CONSERVATIVE LEADER WINSTON CHURCHILL THAT ATTLEE CONVENE PARLIAMENT BEFORE SEPT.12 FOR URGENT CONSIDERATION OF DEFENSE MATTERS.

ATTLEE ANNOUNCED AFTER A 90-MINUTE CONFERENCE WITH CHURCHILL AND LIBERAL LEADER CLEMENT DAVIES THAT HE STILL FELT THE SEPT.12 DATE FOR CALLING PARLIAMENT BACK FROM ITS SUMMER RECESS WOULD BE MOST SUITABLE. THAT DATE ITSELF IS MORE THAN A MONTH AHEAD OF SCHEDULE.

INFORMED SOURCES SAID THE BRITISH CABINET DECIDED TODAY TO RAISE THE TERM OF SERVICE IN THE NATION'S CONSCRIPT ARMY FROM 18 MONTHS TO TWO YEARS.

SPOKESMEN FOR BOTH THE U.S. EMBASSY AND THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE DENIED PUBLISHED REPORTS THAT U.S. AMBASSADOR LEWIS DOUGLAS HAD EXPRESSED DISSATISFACTION WITH WHAT WAS CALLED BRITAIN'S COMPLACENT ATTITUDE TOWARD THE WORLD CRISIS.

THE DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS, HOWEVER, SAID SEVERAL AMERICAN CRITICISMS HAD BEEN VOICED ORALLY IN LONDON AND WASHINGTON ON THE BRITISH REARMAMENT PROGRAM:

IT DOES NOT ALLOW ENOUGH FOR COMBAT DIVISIONS.

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IT DOES NOT PROVIDE FOR A BIG ENOUGH SWITCH OF BRITISH INDUSTRY TO WAR PRODUCTION, AND A GREATER CHANGE COULD BE MADE WITHOUT UPSETTING THE NATION'S ECONOMY.

IT DOES NOT SET ASIDE ENOUGH MONEY FOR DEFENSE SPENDING.

THESE CRITICISMS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE ARISEN AFTER BRITAIN SENT THE UNITED STATES A SECRET BREAKDOWN OF THE MEASURES SHE IS READY TO UNDERTAKE OVER A THREE-YEAR PERIOD IF THE UNITED STATES HELPS FOOT THE BILL.

ATTLEE ANNOUNCED AUG.3 THE PROGRAM WOULD INVOLVE RAISING BRITISH DEFENSE SPENDING FROM NEARLY EIGHT PER CENT TO 10 PER CENT OF THE NATIONAL INCOME ANNUALLY. AMERICAN AID TO THE TUNE OF AROUND $1,400,000,000 WAS CALLED FOR. THIS EQUALS ABOUT HALF THE INCREASE PROPOSED IN BRITAIN'S DEFENSE BILL.

A STUDY BY AMERICAN EXPERTS WAS REPORTED TO HAVE DISCLOSED THAT BRITISH PRODUCTIVITY IS EXPECTED TO RISE THIS YEAR BY ABOUT $1,400,000,000. IN OTHER WORDS, THE AMERICANS ARE ARGUING, THE BRITISH PROPOSE TO TAKE THE SLACK OUT OF THEIR ECONOMY AND TURN IT OVER TO DEFENSE WITHOUT MAKING ANY ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTION FROM THEIR REVENUE OR THEIR RESERVES.

CROWDS LIKE THOSE IN THE NERVOUS DAYS OF 1939 THRONGED AROUND THE PRIME MINISTER'S RESIDENCE, NO.10 DOWNING STREET, AS CHURCHILL AND DAVIES ARRIVED TO SEE ATTLEE. CHURCHILL IGNORED THEIR CHEERS. BOTH HE AND DAVIES WERE BELIEVED TO FEEL THAT THE WORLD CRISIS MAY BE DEVELOPING AHEAD OF BRITAIN'S PREPARATIONS TO MEET IT.

ATTLEE DID NOT PUBLICLY ANNOUNCE ANY DETAILED REASON FOR REFUSING TO RECALL PARLIAMENT BEFORE SEPT.12. IT COULD BE THAT HE WISHES TO BE ABLE TO TELL THE MEMBERS AT THE OPENING HOW MUCH THE UNITED STATES IS WILLING TO CONTRIBUTE TO BRITISH DEFENSES, WHICH MAY BE A MATTER FOR CONSIDERABLE NEGOTIATION.

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LONDON, AUG 16-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE TONIGHT REJECTED A FORMAL DEMAND FROM WARTIME LEADER WINSTON CHURCHILL TO CONVENE PARLIAMENT BEFORE SEPT.12 FOR URGENT CONSIDERATION OF DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNISM.

AS THE CABINET MET, CROWDS REMINISCENT OF THE NERVOUS DAYS JUST BEFORE WORLD WAR II MILLED ABOUT 10 DOWNING STREET. CHURCHILL RECEIVED THE CHEERS OF THE CROWDS AS HE ARRIVED JUST AS TODAY'S CABINET MEETING WAS BREAKING UP, TO PUT HIS DEMAND TO THE LABORITE PRIME MINISTER IN PERSON.

ALONG WITH CHURCHILL, WHO LEADS BRITAIN'S CONSERVATIVE OPPOSITION,

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LIBERAL PARTY LEADER CLEMENT DAVIES TOOK PART IN THE TALKS TO URGE AN EARLIER PARLIAMENT SESSION.

SOON AFTER THE HOUR AND A HALF CONFERENCE ENDED, ATTLEE ANNOUNCED THAT "AFTER CONSIDERING THE REASONS ADVANCED," HE STILL FELT HIS ORIGINAL SEPT.12 DATE FOR CALLING PARLIAMENT BACK FROM SUMMER RECESS WOULD BE MOST SUITABLE. THIS DATE ITSELF IS MORE THAN A MONTH AHEAD OF SCHEDULE.

ATTLEE DID NOT PUBLICLY DISCLOSE ANY DETAILED REASON FOR REFUSING TO RECALL PARLIAMENT EARLIER. BUT ONE EXPLANATION COULD BE THAT HE WANTS TO BE ABLE TO TELL IT HOW MUCH THE UNITED STATES IS WILLING TO CONTRIBUTE TO HELP BRITAIN CARRY OUT ITS DEFENSE PROGRAM.

CHURCHILL, IN ASKING FOR AN EARLIER RECALL, EMPHASIZED THE URGENCY OF THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION IN THE LIGHT OF DEVELOPMENTS IN KOREA.

HE--AND DAVIES--WERE BELIEVED TO FEEL THAT THE DEVELOPING CRIS MAY BE FAR OUTSTRIPPING BRITAIN'S PREPARATIONS FOR IT.

INFORMED SOURCES REPORTED TODAY'S CABINET SESSION AGREED ON EXTENDING TO TWO YEARS THE PERIOD OF SERVICE FOR CONSCRIPT FIGHTING MEN. THEY NOW SERVE 18 MONTHS. EVERY PHYSICALLY FIT BRITISH MALE IS CALLED UP FOR ARMY, NAVY OR AIRFORCE TRAINING WHEN HE IS 18 UNDER A PERMANENT DRAFT PROGRAM CONTINUED SINCE THE WAR.

CABINET MEMBERS LOOKED GRAVE AS THEY LEFT THE MEETING.

DEFENSE MINISTER EMANUEL SHINWELL STAYED BEHIND WITH ATTLEE FOR A FEW MINUTES AFTER CHURCHILL, DAVIES, AND DEPUTY CONSERVATIVE LEADER ANTHONY EDEN ARRIVED.

THE MINISTERS FOR THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIRFORCE ATTENDED THE CABINET SESSION, ALTHOUGH THEIR PORTFOLIOS DO NOT CARRY CABINET RANK.

ATTLEE, HIMSELF, CAME IN FROM HIS RURAL RESIDENCE AT CHEQUERS TO HEAD THE CABINET SESSION. AIR MINISTER ARTHUR HENDERSON FLEW IN FROM HIS VACATION QUARTERS IN DEVON.

PRESENCE OF THE SERVICE MINISTERS MADE IT CLEAR THAT MATTERS RELATING TO THE FIGHTING FORCES AND THEIR STRENGTH IN THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM WERE UNDER DISCUSSION.

JUST BEFORE PARLIAMENT ADJOURNED EARLIER THIS MONTH, THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED IT WOULD SPEND £3,400,000,000 ($9,520,000,000) ON REARMAMENT DURING THE NEXT THREE YEARS. THE HIKE IS APPROXIMATELY 50 PER CENT ABOVE THE PRESENT RATE OF ARMS SPENDING, BUT SOME OF THE INCREASE IS EXPECTED TO BE MET THROUGH U.S. ARMS AID.

FOR TWO WEEKS EXPERTS HAVE BEEN STUDYING HOW TO CARRY OUT THIS PROGRAM AND ITS PROBABLE IMPACT ON BRITAIN'S WEAK ECONOMY, THE EXPORT PROGRAM AND THE STANDARD OF LIVING. INFORMED SOURCES SAID THE CABINET HAS RECEIVED THESE REPORTS AND PROBABLY CONSIDERED THEM TODAY.

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LONDON, AUG.16-(AP)-BRITAIN AND GERMANY AGREED TODAY ON A NEW TRADE PACT TO RELAX TRADE RESTRICTIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES AND RAISE THEIR ANNUAL EXCHANGE OF GOODS TO ABOUT $800,000,000.

A FEW LAST MINUTE DETAILS WERE IRONED OUT AT A FINAL CONFERENCE THIS MORNING AND LEADERS OF THE BRITISH AND GERMAN NEGOTIATING GROUPS INITIALED TEXTS OF THE NEW AGREEMENT. [illegible] MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE GOVERNMENTS OF BOTH COUNTRIES FOR FINAL APPROVAL.

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NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY (420)

BY JOSEPH DYNAN

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.17-(AP)-LEADERS IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY STUDIED TACTICS TODAY FOR A DRIVE INTENDED TO FORCE A BASIC SECURITY PROGRAM UPON MEMBER GOVERNMENTS.

DELEGATES FROM 15 NATIONS MAKE UPTHE COUNCIL, A SORT OF INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENT WITHOUT LAW-MAKING POWERS.

WHILE THE ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE DEBATED A 20-POINT PLAN FOR A EUROPEAN ARM, OFFICIALS CONSIDERED CALLING A RECESS UNTIL THE GOVERNMENTS CAN ACT ON THIS AND THREE OTHER ASSEMBLY PROPOSALS.

THE OTHER PLANKS IN THE ASSEMBLY'S PLATFORM WOULD BE:

1--A DECLARATION OF SUPPORT FOR THE SCHUMAN STEEL-COAL POOL PLAN AND SOME STEP TO TIE IT IN WITH THE ASSEMBLY.

2--AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT GUARANTEEING FUNDAMENTAL HUMAN RIGHTS IN MEMBER STATES, PLUS A COURT TO ENFORCE THEM.

3--A COORDINATED PROGRAM TO INSURE FULL EMPLOYMENT.

UNDER THIS PLAN, THE ASSEMBLY WOULD RECESS SOME TIME NEXT WEEK. THE RESOLUTIONS WOULD BE SENT FIRST TO THE JOINT MINISTERIAL--ASSEMBLY--COMMITTEE AND THENCE TO THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS, THE UPPER HOUSE, WHICH HOLDS VETO POWER OVER ASSEMBLY RECOMMENDATIONS.

ASSEMBLYMEN WOULD BE EXPECTED TO TAKE UP THESE ITEMS IN THEIR OWN NATIONAL LEGISLATURES AS ANOTHER WAY TO BRING PRESSURE ON THEIR OWN GOVERNMENTS.

THE ASSEMBLY WOULD RECONVENE LATE IN SEPTEMBER--AFTER THE SPECIAL SESSION OF THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT--TO TAKE ACTION IN THE LIGHT OF VOTES IN NATIONAL LEGISLATURES.

A DECISION ON THE RECESS SCHEME WILL BE MADE FRIDAY, WHEN ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT PAUL-HENRI SPAAK OF BELGIUM RETURNS FROM BRUSSELS. MEANWHILE, FRANCE'S PAUL REYNAUD SUGGESTED LENGTHENING OF THE TERMS OF FRENCH MILITARY SERVICE.

AS ONE OF THE PROPONENTS OF A EUROPEAN ARMY AS URGED HERE LAST WEEK BY BRITAIN'S WINSTON CHURCHILL, REYNAUD PROBABLY WILL TAKE UP THAT ISSUE IN PARIS. CHURCHILL'S AIDES HAVE ALREADY ANNOUNCED CHURCHILL PLANS TO RAISE IT IN THE BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS NEXT MONTH.

MAX BECKER OF WEST GERMANY MEANWHILE URGED ASSEMBLYMEN TO CONVENE AS A EUROPEAN CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY AND REMAIN IN CONTINUOUS SESSION UNTIL THEY HAVE WRITTEN A FEDERAL CONSTITUTION FOR SUBMISSION TO MEMBER LEGISLATURES.

BECKER ADMITTED THIS MIGHT VIOLATE THE COUNCIL STATUTES, BUT TOLD HIS COLLEAGUES THEY MIGHT FINISH THEIR DELIBERATIONS IN A SOVIET CONCENTRATION CAMP IF THEY ALWAYS HEEDED THE STATUTES.

EDOUARD BONNEFOUS OF FRANCE ECHOED THIS DEFIANCE WHEN HE ARGUED HIS PROPOSAL FOR A EUROPEAN TRANSPORT AUTHORITY TO REGULATE INTERNATIONAL RAIL AND ROAD COMMUNICATIONS.

"LET US NOT WORRY TOO MUCH ABOUT THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS," HE SAID. "LET US HERE AND NOW RESOLVE TO TAKE UP IN OUR RESPECTIVE

NATIONAL LEGISLATURES ALL RESOLUTIONS WHICH GET A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY. IN THAT WAY THE MINISTERS WILL BE FORCED TO HEAR OUR VOICE."
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FIRST LEAD EUROPEAN ARMY
BY PHILIP CLARKE

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 16-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE WRANGLED BEHIND CLOSED DOORS FOR THREE HOURS TODAY OVER WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL TO UNIFY EUROPE'S ARMIES AGAINST RED AGGRESSION.

THE ACTION APPARENTLY MET THE SAME OPPOSITION AS IT DID YESTERDAY FROM BRITISH LABORITES AND SCANDANAVIANS IN THE ASSEMBLY'S SUBCOMMITTEE ON DEFENSE. LED BY BRITISH PARLIAMENT MEMBER JAMES CALLAGHAN, THE OPPOSITION STROVE TO BLOCK THE ACTION ON THE GROUNDS THAT ASSEMBLY STATUTES FORBADE IT.

INFORMED SOURCES IN THE ASSEMBLY, THE LOWER HOUSE IN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL, SAID THE PLAN BEING DISCUSSED PROVIDES FOR ADOPTION OF A EUROPEAN DEFENSE CONVENTION CALLING FOR NOMINATION OF A EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTER, A EUROPEAN HIGH COMMAND AND POOLING OF ALL POSSIBLE ARMED FORCES BY THE MEMBER NATIONS OF THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL.

THE PLAN WAS INTRODUCED BY BRITISH CONSERVATIVE DUNCAN SANDYS, WHO WAS SAID TO HAVE RECEIVED GUIDANCE IN DRAFTING IT FROM HIS FATHER-IN-LOAW, CHURCHILL.

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THE DEFENSE SUBCOMMITTEE PASSED THE PLAN YESTERDAY BY A VOTE OF SEVEN TO SIX WITH ONE ABSTENTION AFTER BEING DEADLOCKED IN A SIX-TO-SIX VOTE FOR A STORMY THREE HOURS. CHAIRMAN LEON MACCAS OF GREECE FINALLY CAST THE SEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE VOTE TO BREAK THE DEADLOCK.

CALLAGHAN, WHO MANAGED TO ENLIST THE SUPPORT OF NORWAY, SWEDEN AND ICELAND FOR OPPOSING THE ACTION, THREATENED TO WALK OUT AFTER THE MOTION WAS PASSED.

INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY THAT, IF THE DIVIDED SUBCOMMITTEE FAILS TO SPEED UP ITS ACTION ON THE ARMY PROPOSAL, FORMER FRENCH PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT, HEADING THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, MAY DEMAND APPOINTMENT OF A NEW SUBCOMMITTEE.

ON THE MAIN FLOOR OF THE ASSEMBLY TODAY, WEST GERMANY'S DELEGATE MAX BECKER, WHO HAS ONLY CONSULTATIVE POWERS IN THE BODY, URGED THE IMMEDIATE DRAFTING OF A FEDERAL CONSTITUTION FOR EUROPE AND THE SIGNING OF A MUTUAL ASSISTANCE PACT BY ALL MEMBER NATIONS.

MOST ASSEMBLYMEN FEEL THE GROUP, EUROPE'S UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT, SHOULD APPEAL FOR ACTION DIRECTLY TO WESTERN EUROPE'S INDIVIDUAL GOVERNMENTS RATHER THAN BE CONTENT WITH A MERE RECOMMENDATIONS.

UNDER PRESENT ASSEMBLY STATUTES, SUCH RECOMMENDATIONS FIRST MUST BE FORWARDED TO THE COMMITTEE OF 12 FOREIGN MINISTERS, THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S UPPER HOUSE, WHERE EACH MINISTER HAS A VETO.

ASSEMBLY MEMBERS FROM FRANCE, WESTERN GERMANY AND OTHER CONTINENTAL COUNTRIES YESTERDAY PLEDGED FULL SUPPORT TO THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR A COAL AND STEEL POOL, AND REJECTED BRITISH MOVES TO WATER DOWN THE SCHUMAN PROPOSALS.

ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS SUPPORTING THE SCHUMAN PLAN WENT TO THE ECONOMIC COMMITTEE FOR FINAL DRAFTING. BRITISH LABORITES AND CONSERVATIVES ALIKE ARGUED IN VAIN ON BEHALF OF THEIR COUNTER-PROPOSALS PLACING CHECKS BY THE INDIVIDUAL GOVERNMENTS ON THE PROPOSED STEEL-COAL "SUPRA-NATIONAL AUTHORITY."
MK411AED

A61
PMS BUDGET (570)
AMERICAN TROOPS
BY PRESTON GROVER

PARIS, AUG. 16-(AP)-AMERICAN OFFICIALS IN FRANCE ARE PRESSING WASHINGTON FOR A SOLID PROMISE OF AID TO EUROPE IN THE FORM OF U.S. TROOPS TO BUILD UP BADLY SAGGING WEST EUROPEAN SPIRITS.

THEIR PROPOSALS ARE DOUBLED-BARRELLED--

ONE--THE UNITED STATES SHOULD DELIVER AT ONCE, OR PROMISE TO DELIVER QUICKLY, AT LEAST FIVE MORE DIVISIONS ON EUROPEAN SOIL.

TWO--A COMMANDER, PREFERABLY AMERICAN, SHOULD BE APPOINTED TO UNIFY PRESENT UNDIRECTED EFFORTS AT REARMAMENT.

THE SAME OFFICIALS BELIEVE BRITAIN ALSO SHOULD AGREE, NOW, TO SEND FIVE MORE OF ITS OWN DIVISIONS TO GERMANY OR NORTHERN FRANCE.

THE CRISIS IN KOREA HAS BROUGHT THE AMERICAN POSITION IN FRANCE TO A LOW POINT. THE FIRST BLUSH OF GRATIFICATION AT AMERICAN INTERVENTION IN KOREA HAS BEEN SUCCEEDED BY A WAVE OF DISMAY AT U.S. REVERSES.

THE FRENCH LONG HAVE EXPECTED THE STRENGTH OF AMERICAN ARMS--ESPECIALLY THE ATOM BOMB--TO GIVE THEM TIME TO GET WELL FROM THE LAST WAR, AND TO REARM.

AMERICANS NEWLY-ARRIVED ON THIS SIDE OF THE ATLANTIC REPORT THAT THE DEFEATS IN KOREA HAVE HARDENED AMERICAN DETERMINATION TO RE-ARM AND, IF NECESSARY, TO BE READY FOR A SHOWDOWN WITH RUSSIA.

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THERE HAS BEEN NO SUCH REACTION IN FRANCE. TOP FRENCH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS ARE FACING THE PROBLEM TO A DEGREE THAT GENERALLY IS PLEASING TO AMERICAN OBSERVERS. BUT A SAMPLING OF SENTIMENT AMONG THE FRENCH POPULATION, BRINGS NO SUCH RESPONSES.

THE LACK OF A "WILL TO FIGHT," SUCH AS RESULTED IN THE FRENCH COLLAPSE OF 1940, IS IN EVIDENCE AGAIN. MANY FRENCHMEN SOLEMNLY WEIGH THESE ALTERNATIVES:

WOULD ANOTHER WAR BE WORSE THAN SIMPLY TO SIT DOWN AND WAIT TO BE OCCUPIED BY THE RUSSIANS?

OR WOULD IT BE BETTER TO TRY TO TAKE A NEUTRAL COURSE IN THE HOPE THAT RUSSIA WOULD NOT MARCH INTO FRANCE?

IT STAGGERS AMERICANS TO HEAR FRENCHMEN THEY HAVE KNOWN FOR A LONG TIME SERIOUSLY WEIGH SUCH CONSIDERATIONS.

IT IS EVEN MORE STAGGERING TO HEAR SO MANY FRENCHMEN GIVE ANSWERS WHICH, TO AMERICANS, SOUND LIKE CAPITULATION. THE PHILOSOPHY OF "SIT AND WAIT" IS WIDESPREAD IN FRANCE.

THE FRENCH APPEAR TO HAVE LOST CONFIDENCE IN AERIAL BOMBARDMENT--EVEN WITH THE ATOM BOMB--AS A MEANS OF STOPPING GROUND FORCES. THE KOREAN EXPERIENCES HAVE HELPED BRING THAT, AND THE FRENCH CONTINUE TO REMEMBER HOW LONG IT TOOK THE UNITED STATES TO GET INTO THE LAST TWO WARS.

FRENCH OFFICIALS HAVE TOLD THEIR AMERICAN COLLEAGUES THAT THE DEFEATIST ATMOSPHERE IN FRANCE WILL CHANGE IF AT LEAST FIVE U.S. DIVISIONS ARE ADDED TO THE DEFENSE FORCE IN WESTERN GERMANY. THEY ALSO WANT AN EQUAL ALLOTMENT OF BRITISH TROOPS.

ALTHOUGH SUCH TROOPS MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY IN AMERICA, U.S. OFFICIALS HERE ARE ADVISING WASHINGTON THAT A PROMISE TO SEND THOSE TROOPS AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE MOMENT WOULD BUOY THE FRENCH.

THESE TROOPS WOULD NOT BE EXPECTED TO STEM ANY RUSSIAN ATTACK. THEY WOULD BE INTENDED INSTEAD TO STEM THE WAVE OF PESSIMISM WHICH IS FELT, PERHAPS MOST HEAVILY, IN FRANCE.

COUPLED WITH THIS DEMAND FOR TROOPS, AMERICAN OFFICIALS ARE URGING THAT A CHAIN OF COMMAND BE ESTABLISHED AT ONCE, WITH AN OVERALL COMMANDER, TO GET PRODUCTION AND THE REARMAMENT OF THE WESTERN NATIONS ROLLING.

AMERICANS FEEL THAT A CENTRALIZED COMMAND WOULD HELP SOLVE ANOTHER KNOTTY PROBLEM--THE USE OF GERMAN INDUSTRY IN THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM. THE FRENCH SOCIALISTS OPPOSE THIS.

HOWEVER, AMERICAN OFFICIALS BELIEVE THAT IF A TOP-RANKING COMMANDER POINTED OUT THAT GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION MUST BE INCREASED AND PUT TO BUILDING UP WESTERN EUROPE'S DEFENSE, THE FRENCH SOCIALISTS WOULD ACCEPT IT.
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A205
AMS BUDGET (330)
NIGHT LEAD NAZIS
BY HANNS NEUERBOURG
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG 16-(AP)-FRIEDRICH FLICK, THE STEEL BARON, AND SEVEN OTHER PROMINENT NAZIS CONVICTED OF WAR CRIMES WILL BE FREED IN NINE DAYS FOR GOOD CONDUCT, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
OTTO DIETRICH, HITLER'S FORMER PRESS CHIEF, AND WALTHER DARRE, FORMER FOOD AND AGRICULTURE MINISTER, ARE AMONG THOSE WHO WILL RECEIVE THEIR FREEDOM AUG. 25.
THE EIGHT ARE BEING RELEASED UNDER NEW REGULATIONS WHICH INCREASE TIME OFF FOR GOOD CONDUCT FROM FIVE DAYS PER MONTH TO 10. ALL BUT ONE, HEINRICH LEHMANN, HAD BEEN SENTENCED TO SEVEN YEARS. HE WAS SERVING SIX YEARS. THE REGULATIONS DO NOT AFFECT THOSE SERVING LIFE SENTENCES.
THE 69-YEAR-OLD FLICK, FORMER HEAD OF GERMANY'S BIGGEST PRIVATELY OWNED COAL AND STEEL COMPANY, WAS CONVICTED BY AN AMERICAN MILITARY TRIBUNAL AT NUERNBERG DEC. 22, 1947, OF EXPLOITING RUSSIAN SLAVE LABOR IN HIS MINES AND MILLS. HE ALSO WAS CONVICTED OF LOOTING GERMAN-OCCUPIED COUNTRIES. HE WAS SENTENCED TO SERVE SEVEN YEARS, BUT THE 2 1/2 YEARS HE ALREADY HAD BEEN IN PRISON WERE DEDUCTED FROM THE SENTENCE.
DIETRICH AND DARRE WERE AMONG 14 HIGH NAZI ADMINISTRATORS CONVICTED BY AN AMERICAN WAR CRIMES COURT AT NUERNBERG APRIL 12, 1949, OF FURTHERING A PROGRAM THAT KILLED 6,000,000 JEWS.
DIETRICH WAS CONVICTED OF TAKING PART IN A "PERSISTENT CAMPAIGN TO AROUSE HATRED" AGAINST THE JEWS.
DARRE WAS CONVICTED OF PARTICIPATING IN WHAT THE PROSECUTION CALLED A "CRUEL SCHEME" TO RESETTLE POLAND WITH GERMANS.
THE OTHERS WHO WILL BE RELEASED ARE:
LT. GEN. RUDOLPH LEHMANN, FORMER JUDGE ADVOCATE OF THE GERMAN ARMY, CONVICTED WITH 10 OTHER NAZI GENERALS ON OCT. 28, 1948, BY AN AMERICAN COURT. HE WAS CHARGED WITH DRAFTING ORDERS FOR THE EXECUTION OF CAPTURED COMMANDOS AND SOVIET ARMY COMMISSARS.
KURT ROTHENBERGER, FORMER STATE SECRETARY, CONVICTED BY A U.S. MILITARY TRIBUNAL DEC. 4, 1947 ALONG WITH NINE PROMINENT NAZI JUDGES. HE WAS CHARGED WITH AIDING RACIAL PERSECUTION AND CORRUPTING AND PERVERTING THE GERMAN JUDICIAL SYSTEM.
KARL RASCHE, FORMER HEAD OF THE DRESDENER BANK, CONVICTED AT THE SAME TRIAL AS DIETRICH AND DARRE ON CHARGES OF PLUNDERING FINANCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTIONS IN GERMAN-OCCUPIED COUNTRIES.
FRITZ TER MEER, ONE OF 13 OFFICIALS OF THE I.G. FARBEN CHEMICAL COMBINE, CONVICTED JULY 30, 1948 OF THE SPOILATION OF OCCUPIED COUNTRIES.
HEINRICH LEHMANN WAS CONVICTED OF BOSSING SLAVE LABOR IN THE KRUPP WORKS, WHICH PRODUCED GUNS, TANKS AND OTHER WAR MATERIALS FOR THE GERMAN ARMY.
ALL EIGHT ARE UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSION.
IN ADDITION, THE U.S. ARMY PLANS TO FREE 12 MEN SENTENCED BY MILITARY COMMISSIONS AT DACHAU. THESE ARE LITTLE KNOWN FIGURES WHO WERE CONVICTED OF HELPING TO OPERATE CONCENTRATION CAMPS AND ASSAULTING PRISONERS OF WAR.
OFFICIALS SAID 620 WAR CRIMINALS ARE STILL CONFINED IN THE BIG BAVARIAN PRISON AT LANDSBERG, WHERE ADOLF HITLER WROTE "MEIN KAMPF."
WW428PED

A168 (270)
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG. 16-(AP)-EIGHT FORMER NAZI OFFICIALS, CONVICTED AS WAR CRIMINALS, WILL BE RELEASED SHORTLY FROM PRISON UNDER NEW GOOD CONDUCT REGULATIONS, UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED TODAY.
THEY INCLUDE FRIEDRICH FLICK, FORMER GERMAN INDUSTRIALIST WHO WAS SENTENCED TO SEVEN YEARS IMPRISONMENT FOR USING SLAVE LABOR. HE WAS TRIED WITH THE OTHERS BY THE NUERNBERG WAR CRIMES TRIBUNAL IN DECEMBER 1947.
OTHERS IN THE GROUP ARE: RICHARD DARRE, ONE TIME FOOD AND AGRICULTURENMINISTER WHO WAS CONVICTED FOR HIS PART IN THE "CRUEL SCHEME" TO "UNLAWFULLY DEPRIVE JEWS AND POLES OF THEIR LAND AND REDUCE THEM TO SERFDOM AND TO SETTLE THEIR LANDS WITH GERMANS."
OTTO DIETRICH, HITLER'S PRESS CHIEF WHOM THE COURT FOUND GUILTY OF "A PERSISTENT CAMPAIGN TO AROUSE THE HATRED OF THE GERMANS.....AGAINST THE JEWS."
FORMER LT.GEN.RUDOLPH LEHMANN, JUDGE ADVOCATE OF THE GERMAN ARMY, WHO WAS ACCUSED OF COLLABORATING IN THE DRAFTING OF EXECUTION ORDERS.
KURT ROTHENBERGER, FORMER STATE SECRETARY, WHO ROSE TO LEGAL IMPORTANCE DURING THE NAZI REGIME. THE COURT FOUND HE AIDED THE NAZI PROGRAM OF RACIAL PERSECUTION, AND PARTICIPATED IN THE "CORRUPTION AND PERVERSION" OF THE GERMAN JUDICIAL SYSTEM.
THE REMAINING THREE ARE KARL RESCHE, ONCE HEAD OF THE POWERFUL DRESDENER BANK, FRITZ TERR MEER AND HEINRICH LEHMANN. THE LATTER WAS SERVING SIX YEARS, ALL OTHERS, SEVEN YEARS.
UNDER THE NEW REGULATIONS TIME OFF FOR GOOD CONDUCT HAS BEEN INCREASED FROM FIVE DAYS TO 10 DAYS PER MONTH.
"THE EXTENSION OF GOOD BEHAVIOR WILL NOT, HOWEVER, AFFECT THOSE WAR CRIMINALS SERVING LIFE SENTENCES," THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.
"THE INCREASE IN GOOD CONDUCT TIME IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ESTABLISHED PRACTICE IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF PRISON SENTENCES IN THE UNITED STATES."
OFFICIALS SAID THAT 620 PRISONERS WERE STILL HELD IN THE HUGE LANDSBERG WAR CRIMES PRISON, 101 OF THEM CONVICTED AT NUERNBERG. THE OTHERS WERE CONVICTED UNDER MILITARY JURISDICTION.
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B49 (Q)
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG 16-(AP)-A NEW POLICY OF MAKING FRIENDS AND INFLUENCING GERMANS WAS URGED TODAY BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY ON OCCUPATION PERSONNEL AND THEIR DEPENDENTS.
"MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS ARE ESSENTIAL TO BRING ABOUT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SOUND DEMOCRACY IN GERMANY," SAID AN ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT.
IT SUGGESTED THAT AS STEP ONE IN THIS PROGRAM OF INTENSIFIED FRATERNIZATION, THE AMERICANS LEARN TO SPEAK THE GERMAN LANGUAGE.
ENDORSING THE NEW PLAN, FOR BOTH GI'S AND U.S. CIVILIAN EMPLOYES, U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY SAID:
"WITH A REAL EFFORT ON THE PART OF BOTH AMERICANS AND GERMANS, MINOR IRRITATIONS CAN BE REMOVED AND CONSTRUCTIVE ATTITUDES CAN BE MAINTAINED.
MT842AED

B103 (Q) (130)
NUERNBERG, GERMANY, AUG 16-(AP)-A U.S. HIGH COMMISSION COURT TODAY SENT CZECH-BORN ALFRIEDE SANDNEROWA, 18, TO JAIL FOR NINE YEARS ON A CHARGE OF SPYING FOR THE CZECH INTELLIGENCE SERVICE.
THE PRETTY, DARK-EYED DEFENDANT PLEADED GUILTY TO SEVEN COUNTS CHARGING HER WITH ESPIONAGE IN THE AMERICAN ZONE OF GERMANY.
SHE TOLD THE COURT SHE HAD BEEN FORCED INTO HER JOB WHEN SHE TRIED TO FLEE CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN 1947 AND WAS APPREHENDED BY THE CZECHS. SHE SAID SHE WOULD HAVE BEEN SENT TO A LABOR CAMP IF SHE HAD REFUSED THE ORDER.
SHE SAID SHE CROSSED THE BORDER INTO CZECHOSLOVAKIA THREE TIMES AND HAD SUPPLIED THE CZECH INTELLIGENCE WITH "VALUABLE INFORMATION"

ON U.S. TROOP MOVEMENTS AND AIRBASES.
THIS WAS THE SECOND SPY TRIAL IN THE U.S. ZONE OF GERMANY WITHIN TWO DAYS. YESTERDAY, AN EAST GERMAN REFUGEE WAS SENTENCED TO JAIL AFTER CONFESSING HE SPIED FOR THE RUSSIANS.

G157PED

B52 (Q)
(150)
ROME, AUG 16-(AP)-AN OFFICIAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION (IRO) SAID TODAY NEGOTIATIONS ARE UNDER WAY WHICH MAY RESULT IN IRO AID TO REFUGEES OF THE KOREAN WAR.
THE IRO SPOKESMAN EMPHASIZED THAT THE ORGANIZATION IS NOT EXTENDING ITS OPERATIONS TO KOREA. HE EXPLAINED, HOWEVER, THAT NEGOTIATIONS "WITH VARIOUS GOVERNMENTS CONCERNED" CENTER AROUND AN IRO TRANSPORT VESSEL NOW IN EASTERN WATERS WHICH STANDS READY TO TAKE NURSES AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES TO THE COMBAT AREA.
WHEN THE OFFER OF THE SHIP'S SERVICES WAS MADE, THE IRO OFFICIAL SAID, A STIPULATION WAS MADE THAT THE VESSEL WAS NOT TO DOCK AT A KOREAN PORT. HE STRESSED THAT IF IT IS SENT TO THE AREA, ITS ONLY ASSIGNMENT WILL BE TO ASSIST REFUGEES OF THE WAR.
HE SAID THAT AS RECENTLY AS THREE DAYS AGO, THE VESSEL, THE ANNA SALAN, WAS IN SYDNEY HARBOR AFTER TAKING 1,050 DISPLACED PERSONS TO AUSTRALIA FROM IRO CAMPS IN THE NAPLES AREA. THE ANNA SALAN IS ONE OF IRO'S FLEET OF TRANSPORTS.

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B72 (Q)
VIENNA, AUSTRIA, AUG.16-(AP)-A DRAGNET IS OUT FOR A RUSSIAN OFFICER WHO HAS GONE ON A RAMPAGE OF MURDER AND THEFT IN THE SOVIET ZONE OF AUSTRIA SINCE LAST MONDAY NIGHT, AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT SOURCES REPORTED TODAY.
AUSTRIAN POLICE AND RUSSIAN MILITARY AUTHORITIES ARE COMBING THE AREA FOR AN OFFICER-DESERTED WHO:
SHOT TWO RUSSIAN SOLDIERS.
COMMANDEERED THE AUTOMOBILE OF A PROVINCIAL AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL AND SHOT HIS CHAUFFEUR.
~~STOLE A MOTORCYCLE UNTIL IT RAN OUT OF GAS.~~
~~WAS LST SEENIDING STOLEN BICYC~~

STOLE A MOTORCYCLE UNTIL IT RAN OUT OF GAS.
WAS LAST SEEN RIDING A STOLEN BICYCLE TOWARD VIENNA.
ML1016AED

A113
MALTA, AUG. 16-(AP)-UNITED STATES MARINES, DEBARKING FROM AMERICAN WARSHIPS, ARE SCHEDULED TO PRACTISE SURPRISE ASSAULT LANDINGS ON THIS BRITISH MEDITERRANEAN BASTION.
THE MAKE-BELIEVE ATTACKS WILL BE PART OF THREE DAYS OF DEFENSE MANEUVERS, STARTING TOMORROW, TO TEST HARBOR AND AIRFIELD GUARDS.
RW1018AED

B69 (Q)
KX FX
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG 16-(AP)-PERCY CLAUD SPENCER, AUSTRALIAN MINISTER FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, TOLD THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL TODAY THAT ALTHOUGH MILLIONS OF PEOPLE WANT PEACE," AFTER TWO WORLD WARS WE STAND AT THE MOMENT POSSIBLY ON THE BRINK OF ANOTHER."
THE AUSTRALIAN STATESMAN, VISITED THE COUNCIL DURING A BRIEF VISIT TO GENEVA.
"I WANT TO PAY TRIBUTE TO THE YOUNG MEN, MOSTLY FROM THE UNITED STATES, WHO ARE FIGHTING FOR THE CAUSE OF PEACE FOR ALL MANKIND IN THAT VERY FAR PART OF THE WORLD," THE MINISTER SAID.
MT958AED

B47 (Q)
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG 16-(AP)-POLAND HAS JOINED THE SOVIET UNION AND OTHER COMMUNIST SATELLITES IN WITHDRAWING FROM THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO).
THE POLES CHARGED YESTERDAY THAT THE UNITED STATES WAS USING THE ORGANIZATION FOR ITS OWN POLITICAL ENDS. POLAND'S MINISTER TO BERN, JUNIAN PRZYBOS, SAID THE U.S. HAD REFUSED TO CARRY OUT A WHO RECOMMENDATION THAT SIX PENICILLIN EXTRACTORS BE EXPORTED TO POLAND.
ALBANIA, BULGARIA, WHITE RUSSIA, COMMUNIST CHINA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HUNGARY, ROMANIA AND THE UKRAINE ALREADY HAVE JOINED THE SOVIET UNION WITHDRAWING FROM THE HEALTH ORGANIZATION.

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A174 (190)
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 16-(AP)-ANY ATTEMPT TO JOIN THE CATHOLIC AND PROTESTANT CHURCHES INTO ONE LARGE CHURCH WOULD MEAN THAT "THE CLOCK IS GOING TO BE SET BACK FOUR CENTURIES," ARIE KOK (CQ) OF AMSTERDAM, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES, TOLD THE COUNCIL'S SECOND CONGRESS TODAY.
MORE THAN 400 REPRESENTATIVES OF PROTESTANT CHURCHES FROM 41 COUNTRIES WERE PRESENT AS THE CONGRESS OPENED IN THIS HISTORIC CITY OF THE REFORMATION. THE PURPOSE OF THE CONGRESS IS TO "REASSERT BELIEF IN THE HISTORIC DOCTRINES OF ORTHODOX PROTESTANTISM" AND "TO OPPOSE TOTALITARIANISM IN ANY FIELD, INCLUDING THAT OF RELIGION."
KOK TOLD THE DELEGATES, IN OPENING THE MEETING, THAT "ALL OVER THE WORLD, THE PRINCIPLES AND BLESSINGS OF THE REFORMATION ARE BEING REPUDIATED."
"ATTEMPTS ARE BEING MADE TO FORM A LARGE WORLD CHURCH IN WHICH PROTESTANTISM AND ROMAN CATHOLICISM ARE EXPECTED TO JOIN HANDS," HE SAID. "THIS WOULD MEAN THAT THE CLOCK IS GOING TO BE SET BACK FOUR CENTURIES AND THAT THE GRAND REFORMATION MOTTO 'AFTER DARKNESS, LIGHT' WILL BE REVERSED AND BECOME 'AFTER LIGHT, DARKNESS AGAIN.'"
KOK SAID THAT BY "SUPPLYING RELIABLE INFORMATION, THE ICCC HAS BEEN ABLE TO KEEP CHURCHES FROM BEING ENTICED INTO BIBLE-REJECTING ECUMENICAL BODIES."
RW102PED

A9
THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG.16-(AP)-THE DUTCH MINISTRY OF WAR SAID TODAY 10,000 ADDITIONAL MEN WILL BE CALLED UP IN OCTOBER. RECENTLY THE GOVERNMENT DECIDED TO CALL UP THREE EXTRA DIVISIONS TO STRENGTHEN DUTCH DEFENSES.

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A112
THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG. 16-(AP)-THE DUTCH ARMY INFORMATION SERVICE ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT 1,044 DUTCH SOLDIERS HAD ANSWERED THE GOVERNMENT'S APPEAL FOR VOLUNTEERS TO FIGHT IN KOREA IN THE PAST THREE DAYS.

RW1017AED

B84 (Q)
ROTTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG.16-(AP)-A COMMUNIST-LED STRIKE OF 10,000 DOCKWORKERS HERE WENT INTO ITS THIRD DAY TODAY, TYING UP ONE OF WESTERN EUROPE'S BIGGEST CONTINENTAL PORTS.
THE STRIKE, SUPPORTING DEMANDS FOR A 10 PER CENT PAY-RAISE, SPREAD TO AMSTERDAM YESTERDAY. IDLING SOME 1,500 DOCKWORKERS THERE. THE

AMSTERDAM STRIKE RAISED TO NEARLY 5,000 THE NUMBER OF WORKERS IDLE IN THAT CITY. WORKERS IN THE BUILDING INDUSTRY, ROAD BUILDERS AND CAB DRIVERS ALSO ARE ON STRIKE.

COMMUNIST ACTION COMMITTEES ORDERED A HUGE PROTEST DEMONSTRATION THIS AFTERNOON IN ROTTERDAM TO PROTEST PRACTICES USED BY EMPLOYERS HERE.

ML1110AED

A13 (120)

ATHENS, GREECE, AUG.16-(AP)-LIBERAL PARTY LEADER SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS CALLED TONIGHT FOR THE RESIGNATION OF PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS. HIS STATEMENT PROVOKED A POLITICAL CRISIS THAT IS LIKELY TO BRING ABOUT THE COLLAPSE OF GREECE'S MODERATE COALITION GOVERNMENT.

VENIZELOS' ACTION BROUGHT TO A HEAD A SIMMERING DISPUTE IN THE CABINET OVER THE TREATMENT TO BE ACCORDED PERSONS CONVICTED OF COMMUNIST TREACHERY. PLASTIRAS HAS BEEN UNDER ATTACK BY THE RIGHTWING AND PORTIONS OF THE CENTERIST PRESS BECAUSE OF HIS INSISTENCE ON AMNESTY FOR COMMUNISTS.

THE CRISIS COMES AT A TIME WHEN TWO OF THE LEADERS OF THE COALITION ARE IN THE UNITED STATES. THEY ARE MINISTER OF COORDINATION EMMANUEL TSOUDEROS OF THE PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN PARTY AND VICE PREMIER GEORGE PAPANDREOU OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATS.

PLASTIRAS FORMED HIS GOVERNMENT LAST APRIL. IT HAD ENJOYED COMPARATIVE CALM UNTIL RECENTLY.

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A25

BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, AUG.16-(AP)-PLANS ARE READY FOR THE SWIFT EVACUATION OF MOST OF THE 200 AMERICANS IN YUGOSLAVIA SHOULD MOSCOW ORDER THE "KOREA TREATMENT" FOR MARSHAL TITO, A RESPONSIBLE INFORMANT SAID TODAY.

IT WAS EMPHASIZED, HOWEVER, THERE IS NO IMMINENT CONCERN OF AN INVASION OF YUGOSLAVIA BY ITS STALINIST NEIGHBORS.

THE EVACUATION PLAN, TERMED A PREPAREDNESS MEASURE, CALLS FOR QUICK REMOVAL BY AIR AND RAIL OF ALL BUT A SKELETON DIPLOMATIC STAFF. THE EVACUEES PROBABLY WOULD GO TO ROME.

MK403AED

B74 (Q) (140)

HELSINKI, FINLAND, AUG.16-(AP)-FINLAND'S FIVE-MONTH OLD CENTER COALITION GOVERNMENT WILL FACE A TEST OF STRENGTH AT THE END OF THIS MONTH WHEN 40,000 METAL WORKERS ARE EXPECTED TO LAUNCH A DRIVE FOR HIGHER WAGES.

THE FINNISH TRADE UNION CONGRESS HAS AUTHORIZED THE METAL WORKERS TO SUBMIT AN ULTIMATUM WHICH CALLS FOR MAXIMUM INCREASES OF UP TO 50 PER CENT OF THE PRESENT BASIC WAGES.

TIMBER WORKERS AND OTHER UNIONS ARE EXPECTED TO FOLLOW SUIT. THE TRADE UNION CONGRESS IS DOMINATED BY SOCIAL DEMOCRATS, WHICH FORM THE MAIN OPPOSITION PARTY. THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATS HAVE REPEATEDLY CALLED UPON PRIME MINISTER URHO KEKKONEN, AN AGRARIAN, TO BROADEN THE BASE OF HIS GOVERNMENT, APPARENTLY AIMING AT SOCIAL DEMOCRAT PARTICIPATION.

THE GOVERNMENT HAD GREAT DIFFICULTY AVERTING A GENERAL STRIKE LAST MAY WHEN 4,500 ENGINE DRIVERS WENT ON STRIKE AND WIDESPREAD DISSATISFACTION WAS VOICED BY LARGE GROUPS OF WORKERS.

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B18
(Q)
(17)
NIGHT LEAD (220)

MOSCOW, AUG. 16-(AP)-A SOVIET PUBLICATION POINTEDLY STATED TODAY THAT CONDITIONS ARE FAVORABLE FOR THE CONCLUSION OF A TREATY AMONG BALTIC NATIONS CLOSING THE BALTIC SEA TO ALL WARSHIPS OF NON-BALTIC POWERS.

THE FEELER WAS CONTAINED IN A BULLETIN OF THE ACADEMY OF SCIENCE. IT SAID A SOVIET LEGAL AUTHORITY RECENTLY DECLARED THAT THE NATIONS OF THE BALTIC HAVE "AN INDISPUTABLE RIGHT TO MAKE AN AGREEMENT WHEREBY NATIONS WITHOUT A BALTIC SHORELINE SHALL BE COMPLETELY AND CATEGORICALLY EXCLUDED FROM THIS BODY OF WATER."

THE ARTICLE MAINTAINED THE TREATY OF COPENHAGEN OF 1857 STILL IS IN EFFECT AND SAID THIS DOES NOT GUARANTEE VESSELS OF NON-BALTIC STATES ACCESS TO THE BALTIC.

DISPUTING DENMARK'S RIGHT OF CONTROLLING THE STRAITS, THE ARTICLE CONTENDED THIS CAN BE DONE ONLY BY ALL BALTIC POWERS IN A COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT.

--DASH--

HISTORICALLY, RUSSIA HAS SOUGHT TO GAIN A MEASURE OF CONTROL OVER THE NARROW WATER PASSAGES WHICH HEM IN HER WESTERN PORTS FROM THE OPEN SEA. SHE HAS EXERTED PRESSURE IN THIS DIRECTION IN THE DARDANELLES AS WELL AS IN THE BALTIC.

RUSSIA RECENTLY HAS CLAIMED AN EXTENSION OF HER TERRITORIAL WATERS TO A 12-MILE LIMIT IN THE BALTIC. THAT CLAIM WAS CHALLENGED BY SWEDEN AND DENMARK LAST MONTH IN PROTESTS DELIVERED TO MOSCOW.

IN THEIR NOTES SWEDEN AND DENMARK STRESSED THAT THEY HAVE NEVER RECOGNIZED THE RIGHT OF ANY STATE BORDERING ON THE BALTIC TO ESTABLISH A 12-MILE ZONE.

THE SWEDISH FOREIGN OFFICE SAID THE NOTES RECALLED "THAT THE LIMITS OF THE TERRITORIAL WATERS OF EUROPEAN STATES HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED FOR CENTURIES AND, AS FAR AS THE BALTIC STATES ARE CONCERNED, HAVE BEEN FIXED AT THREE OR FOUR MILES."

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A66 (160)

MOSCOW, AUG. 16-(AP)-SOVIET RUSSIA MADE AN UNOFFICIAL BID TODAY FOR A TREATY AMONG BALTIC NATIONS CLOSING THE BALTIC SEA TO ALL WARSHIPS OF NON-BALTIC POWERS.

A BULLETIN OF THE ACADEMY OF SCIENCE SAID A SOVIET LEGAL AUTHORITY RECENTLY DECLARED THAT THE NATIONS OF THE BALTIC HAVE "AN INDISPUTABLE RIGHT TO MAKE AN AGREEMENT WHEREBY NATIONS WITHOUT A BALTIC SHORELINE SHALL BE COMPLETELY AND CATEGORICALLY EXCLUDED FROM THIS BODY OF WATER."

THE ARTICLE SAID THAT THE TREATY OF COPENHAGEN OF 1857 IS STILL IN EFFECT AND DOES NOT GUARANTEE VESSELS OF NON-BALTIC STATES ACCESS TO THE BALTIC. THE WRITER DISPUTED DENMARK'S RIGHT OF CONTROLLING THE STRAITS. THIS CAN BE DONE, THE WRITER CONTENDED, ONLY BY ALL BALTIC POWERS IN A COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT. HE SAID THE TIME WAS RIPE FOR BALTIC POWERS TO REACH SUCH AN AGREEMENT.

(SCANDINAVIAN NATIONS, PARTICULARLY SWEDEN, HAVE BEEN PROTESTING TO THE SOVIET UNION IN RECENT MONTHS ITS EXTENSION OF THE SOVIET TERRITORIAL WATERS LIMIT TO 12 MILES IN THE BALTIC AND THE SEIZURE OF SHIPS OF SCANDINAVIAN NATIONS.)

RW1240PED

A167 (150)

MOSCOW, AUG. 16-(AP)-A PRAVDA CORRESPONDENT SAID TODAY NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS TOLD HIM THE AMERICAN GI IS AFRAID OF FRONTLINE DUTY. "KOREANS DESPISE AMERICANS--THEY CALL THEM GRINGOS," THE CORRESPONDENT'S DISPATCH TO THE OFFICIAL COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER REPORTED.

THE NORTH KOREANS TOLD HIM, THE CORRESPONDENT SAID, THAT THE AMERICANS USE SOUTH KOREAN FORCES IN THE FRONT LINES. "THEN SHOVE IN JAPS,

AND THEMSELVES (THE AMERICANS) SIT IT OUT IN THÉ [illegible]AR."
HE SAID COMMUNIST SOLDIERS TOLD HIM THAT UPON ENTERING VILLAGES FROM WHICH THE AMERICANS HAD WITHDRAWN THEY FOUND THAT PARTISANS HAD BEEN EXECUTED AND OTHER PERSONS HAD THEIR NOSES AND EARS CUT OFF.
THE CORRESPONDENT SAID AMERICAN FLYING FORTRESSES MADE SEVERAL FLIGHTS OVER WONSAN "WITH THE SPECIFIC ASSIGNMENT TO BOMB AND DESTROY EVERYTHING ON WHICH THE RED CROSS WAS PAINTED." HE ALSO SAID ONE U.S. SCOUT PLANE FLEW VERY CLOSE TO THE SOVIET-KOREAN FRONTIER WHILE HE WAS NEAR THAT BORDER.
DETAILS OF U.S. AIR BLOWS AGAINST NORTH KOREAN CITIES HAVE BEEN FULLY AND CONSISTENTLY REPORTED IN THE SOVIET PRESS.
RW1244PED

A116
MOSCOW, AUG. 16-(AP)-A SOVIET NEWSPAPER SAID TODAY COMMUNISTS AND GROUPS OF THE "PROGRESSIVE CAMP" IN THE UNITED STATES ARE PREPARING FOR A MAJOR FIGHT IN THE FORTHCOMING ELECTIONS UNDER THE BANNER OF "THE STRUGGLE FOR PEACE."

THE NEWSPAPER TRUD SAID THE AMERICAN COMMUNIST PARTY "IS EXPOSING THE HYPOCRISY OF THE DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS" BY CALLING FOR THE CREATION OF A BROAD UNITED FRONT.
IT SAID THE POSITION OF HENRY A.WALLACE, WHO RECENTLY RESIGNED AS LEADER OF THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY, HAS AROUSED "THE INDIGNATION OF THE ORDINARY MEMBERS OF THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY." (WALLACE DISAGREED WITH THE PROGRESSIVES ON THE KOREAN CONFLICT.)
RW1026AED

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Moscow, aug. 16---(ap)---The new Danish minister,

Hugo Hergel, is expected to arrive here Aug. 24.

The 59-year-old envoy, a veteran in Balkan affairs,

is travelling to Moscow by way of Romania, where he has been danish

minister. Hergel succeeds in Moscow Knud Monrad-Hansen, now

Danish ambassador to sweden. The danish legation here is headed

currently by charge d'affaires Hans Moeller.

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B48 (Q)
ISTANBUL, TURKEY, AUG 16-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER FUAD KOPRULU SAID TODAY THAT TURKEY'S ENTRY INTO THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE IS "ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY IF WORLD SECURITY IS TO BE PRESERVED."
HIS COMMENT WAS MADE TO NEWSMEN ON HIS RETURN FROM THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY SESSIONS IN STRASBOURG, FRANCE.
TURKEY APPLIED A WEEK AGO FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE ATLANTIC PACT, A ROLE SHE LONG HAS DESIRED SINCE IT WOULD MAKE AVAILABLE TO HER POSITIVE ASSISTANCE FROM THE WESTERN NATIONS IN CASE OF AN ATTACK.
MT839AED

A42
TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG.16-(AP)-PREMIER DAVID BEN GURION SAID TODAY ISRAEL NEEDS $1,680,000,000(B) TO BRING 600,000 MORE JEWS TO THIS COUNTRY.
HE TOLD THE NATIONAL CONVENTION OF HIS MAPAI (ALBOR) PARTY THAT THE NATION LOOKED TO WORLD JEWRY, PARTICULARLY IN THE UNITED STATES, TO SUPPLY TWO-THIRDS OF THE SUM, WITH THE REMAINDER BEING RAISED HERE.
WW615PED

A10
KARACHI, PAKISTAN, AUG.16-(AP)-POLICE USING TEAR GAS BROKE UP A MOB THAT THREATENED TO BURN STORES AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN KARACHI TODAY. POLICE SOURCES SAID THE DEMONSTRATION WAS LED BY COMMUNISTS. FOUR POLICEMEN WERE INJURED.
SIXTEEN PERSONS WERE ARRESTED.
THE CROWD SMASHED WINDOWS, FURNITURE AND SOME STATUES. THEY THREW STONES AT POLICE WHO QUICKLY ORDERED REINFORCEMENTS.
THE INCIDENT WAS SPARKED BY A CITY OFFICIAL'S ORDER FOR THE REMOVAL OF A PRAYER TENT ERECTED BY A GROUP WITHOUT CIVIC PERMISSION. ALL MEETINGS AND PROCESSIONS IN THE CITY HAVE BEEN BANNED FOR A MONTH.
WW432PED

B39 (Q) (110)
KX FOR FX-APW
JAKARTA, INDONESIA, AUG. 16-(AP)-THE NETHERLANDS HAS STARTED THE TRANSFER OF INDONESIAN SOLDIERS WHO HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN THREE REBELLIONS IN THE EAST INDONESIANCENTEROF MAKASSAR.
THE INDONESIANS, WITH THEIR FAMILIES NUMBERING ABOUT 4,000, ARE BEING TRANSFERRED BY SEA TO CAMPS IN JAVA. THEY ARE SOLDIERS OF THE NETHERLANDS' OLD COLONIAL ARMY WHICH HAS BEEN DISBANDED SINCE THE GRANT OF INDEPENDENCE TO INDONESIA.
MOST OF THE TROOPS ARE NATIVES OF THE ISLAND OF AMBOINA. A CONTINUING REVOLT THERE HAS PREVENTED THEIR REPATRIATION.
THE THREE OUTBREAKS IN MAKASSAR TOOK AN ESTIMATED 1,500 LIVES SINCE APRIL.
JT800AED

B38 (Q) (200)
JAKARTA, INDONESIA, AUG. 16-(AP)-MEMBERS OF THE NEWLY-FORMED PARLIAMENT OF THE JUST-PROCLAIMED AND ENLARGED NEW REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA TOOK THE OATH BEFORE PRESIDENT SOEKARNO THIS MORNING.
THE PARLIAMENT, MADE UP OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE DISBANDED JOGJAKARTA REPUBLIC AND THE UNITED STATES OF INDONESIA, WAS TO BE INSTALLED IN A FORMAL CEREMONY LATE TODAY.
LAST NIGHT, PREMIER MOHAMED HATTA MET WITH PRESIDENT SOEKARNO IN THE PRESIDENTIAL PALACE AND WENT THROUGHTHE FO
MALITY OF RESIGNING AS GOVERNMENT LEADER. HATTA AND HIS CABINET WERE REINSTATED IMMEDIATELY AS A CARETAKER GOVERNMENT PENDING THE FORMATION OF A NEW CABINET.
THE NEW UNITARY REPUBLIC IS TO BE PROCLAIMED BY SOEKARNO AND OTHER INDONESIAN LEADERS BEFORE THE PUBLIC TOMORROW, A NATIONAL HOLIDAY MARKING THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DECLARATION OF INDONESIAN INDEPENDENCE. THE CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE TO A UNITARY REPUBLIC MAKES FORMAL THE UNIFICATION OF 15 DUTCH-SPONSORED INDONESIAN STATES WITH THE OLD REPUBLIC WHICH LED THE REBELLION AGAINST THE NETHERLANDS.
JT758AED

B35WX (Q)
WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY SENT INDONESIA CONGRATULATIONS ON ITS INDEPENDENCE DAY, WHICH IS CELEBRATED AUG. 17.
MR.TRUMAN'S MESSAGE, ADDRESSED TO DR.ACHMED SUKARNO, PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC, STATED:
"THE FOUNDERS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE FOUNDERS OF THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC HAVE IN COMMON THE RESOLUTE PURPOSE WITH WHICH THEY FOUGHT AND WORKED FOR INDEPENDENCE AND THE CARE AND SKILL WITH WHICH THEY LAID THE FOUNDATIONS OF THEIR RESPECTIVE NATIONS. X X X MAY I EXPRESS FOR MYSELF AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE THE UNDERSTANDING FELLOWSHIP WITH WHICH WE VIEW THE CELEBRATION OF INDONESIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY.
HY651PED

B56KX(Q)
MANILA,AUG.16-(AP)-CLARK FIELD TODAY TENTATIVELY IDENTIFIED THE BODY OF A P-80 JET PILOT FOUND NEAR THE WRECKAGE OF HIS PLANE AS LT.FREDERICK M.FENDORF, 23.
FENDORF AND A SECOND JET PILOT, LT.BORIVOJ KUBELKA, 29, OF 3757 14TH ST., DETROIT, FAILED TO RETURN WITH A FLIGHT OF FOUR OTHERS OVER NORTHERN LUZON AUG. 7. KUBELBA'S BODY WAS RECOVERED TWO DAYS LAT

NORTHERN LUZON AUG. 7. KUBELKA'S BODY WAS RECOVERED TWO DAYS LATER.
FENDORF'S WIDOW LIVES AT THE AIRBASE HERE.
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A120FX
PRECEDE HONG KONG MOLOTOV (200)
TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG.16-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALIST REPORTS SAID TODAY THAT SOVIET RUSSIA AND COMMUNIST CHINA HAVE AGREED THE CHINESE REDS WILL THROW 150,000 TROOPS INTO THE KOREAN WAR IF THE NORTH KOREANS ARE PUSHED BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL.
THIS IS THE LINE THAT DIVIDED NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.
THE UNCONFIRMED REPORTS ALSO TOLD OF A MOSCOW-PEIPING PACT TO RESORT ONLY TO INFILTRATIVE METHODS INSTEAD OF OPEN INVASION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA "SO AS TO AVOID THE OUTBREAK OF A NEW WORLD WAR AT PRESENT."
RECENT ARRIVALS FROM RED CHINA WERE QUOTED AS SAYING THE TWO PACTS GREW OUT OF A REPORTED VISIT TO PEIPING BY RUSSIAN VICE-PREMIER, V.M.MOLOTOV.
THE RUSSIAN IS REPORTED TO BE IN FULL CHARGE OF SOVIET EXPANSION IN THE ORIENT.
MOLOTOV IS REPORTED TO HAVE ARRIVED IN PEIPING JULY 31 AND LEFT AUG. 10. THE MOLOTOV VISIT NEVER HAS BEEN CONFIRMED OFFICIALLY.
BUT THE REPORTS SAID THAT CHOU EN-LAI, CHINESE PREMIER AND FOREIGN MINISTER, AND NINE OTHER TOP LEVEL COMMUNISTS SAW MOLOTOV OFF AT THE PEIPING AIRPORT.
THE REPORTS SAID A CHINESE COMMUNIST ATTACK ON FORMOSA WAS DISCUSSED BUT THAT DECISION WAS DELAYED UNTIL MOLOTOV HAD CONFERRED WITH RUSSIAN PRIME MINISTER STALIN.
CC741APD

A37KX (RED CHINA-NORTH KOREA)
A26
NIGHT LEAD CHINA-KOREA (160)
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 16-(AP)-A MILITARY AID AGREEMENT BETWEEN SOVIET RUSSIA AND RED CHINA WHICH WOULD SEND 150,000 CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS INTO THE KOREAN WAR WAS REPORTED TODAY BY CHINESE NATIONALIST SOURCES.
THE UNCONFIRMED REPORTS SAID THE RED CHINA MANPOWER WOULD BE USED IF THE NORTH KOREANS ARE SLAMMED BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL, THE LEGAL DIVIDING LINE BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.
SOURCES HERE QUOTED RECENTLY ARRIVALS FROM THE COMMUNIST-HELD MAINLAND AS SAYING THE AID PACT GREW OUT OF A REPORTED TRIP TO PEIPING BY V. M. MOLOTOV, RUSSIA'S VICE-PREMIER.
THESE QUARTERS ALSO TOLD OF A MOSCOW-PEIPING AGREEMENT TO USE ONLY INFILTRATION TACTICS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA INSTEAD OF OPEN WARFARE.
MOLOTOV REPORTEDLY ARRIVED IN PEIPING JULY 31 AND STAYED TEN DAYS. HE IS SAID TO HAVE DISCUSSED THE FAR EAST PICTURE---INCLUDING A POSSIBLE RED INVASION OF FORMOSA---WITH TOP CHINESE COMMUNISTS. THE SOVIET OFFICIAL, ACCORDING TO REPORTS, RETURNED TO MOSCOW TO FILL IN PREMIER STALIN ON THE TALKS.

THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO SAID TODAY THAT THE FIRST RED CHINA AMBASSADOR HAS PRESENTED HIS CREDENTIALS TO THE NORTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT.
A PEIPING BROADCAST MONITORED IN TOKYO SAID THE EVENT TOOK PLACE AT PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL, LAST SUNDAY.
THE COMMUNIST REPORT QUOTED THE CHINESE--GENERAL NI CHI-LIANG--AS SAYING:
"THE LIBERATION STRUGGLES OF OUR TWO COUNTRIES AGAINST U.S. IMPERIALIST INVASION AND FOR NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE ARE IDENTICAL."
THE BROADCAST SAID HE FURTHER STATED THAT WHILE AMERICANS "INVADE KOREA WITH LAND, NAVAL AND AIR FORCES, BY MEANS OF ARMED INTERVENTION THEY OBSTRUCT THE CHINESE PEOPLE FROM LIBERATING TAIWAN (FORMOSA)."
KIM DU BONG, CHAIRMAN OF THE NORTH KOREAN STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE PEOPLES CONGRESS, WAS QUOTED IN THE BROADCAST AS SAYING THAT THE "STRUGGLES" OF BOTH RED CHINA AND RED KOREA ARE IDENTICAL.
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A86FX (PACT)
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RUSS-RED CHINA PACT (210)
HONG KONG, AUG. 16-(AP)-A DISPATCH FROM NATIONALIST CHINA TODAY REPORTED RUSSIA AND COMMUNIST CHINA HAVE AGREED TO RUSH 150,000 CHINESE RED TROOPS AND RUSSIAN ARMOR TO NORTH KOREA IF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES CROSS KOREA'S 38TH PARALLEL.
THE DISPATCH, DATED TAIPEI (CAPITAL OF NATIONALIST CHINA) SAID THE AGREEMENT WAS BEING TAKEN TO MOSCOW BY RUSSIA'S VICE PREMIER, V.M. MOLOTOV, FROM RED CHINA'S CAPITAL, PEIPING.
THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER, WAH KIU YAT PO, PUBLISHED THE DISPATCH, WHICH SAID THE PACT PROVIDES:

1. IF THE UNITED NATIONS OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE NORTH KOREANS (WHO NOW DEEP IN SOUTH KOREA) SHOULD ROLL PAST THE 38TH PARALLEL, (INTO RED NORTH KOREA), CHINA'S RED LEADER MAO TZE-TUNG WOULD SEND 150,000 CHINESE COMMUNISTS TROOPS TO FIGHT BESIDE THE NORTH KOREANS. HEAVY WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION WOULD BE SUPPLIED BY RUSSIA.
2. "IN ORDER TO AVOID A THIRD WORLD WAR" THE CHINESE REDS WOULD USE INFILTRATION TACTICS IN SOUTHEAST ASIA RATHER THAN OPENLY SEND IN COMMUNIST TROOPS. COMMANDER OF THESE OPERATIONS WOULD BE RED GENERAL CHEN KENG "WITH ASSISTANCE OF SOVIET ADVISERS AND THE ASIATIC COMINFORM."

THE TAIPEI REPORT ADDED THAT NO DECISION HAD BEEN REACHED CONCERNING AN INVASION OF FORMOSA OR POSSIBLE "WARNINGS" TO HONG KONG.
THE REPORT SAID MOLOTOV WAS SCHEDULED TO RETURN FOR A SECOND ROUND OF NEGOTIATIONS AFTER REPORTING TO PRIME MINISTER STALIN.
CY528APD NM

B101KX (CHINESE)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEH, FORMOSA, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-A CHINESE NATIONALIST DEFENSE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT CHINESE RED TROOPS WERE MOVING TOWARD AN INVASION OF TIBET FROM THE EAST AND NORTH.
THE SPOKESMAN BASED HIS STATEMENT ON NATIONALIST INTELLIGENCE REPORTS.
THE RED TROOPS FROM THE NORTH BELONG TO THE FIRST FIELD ARMY UNDER GEN. PENG TEH-HUAI, THE NATIONALIST SPOKESMAN SAID. THEY ARE REPORTED ON THE MOVE THROUGH TSINGHAI PROVINCE.
THE TROOPS FROM THE EAST, THE SPOKESMAN ADDED, BELONG TO THE SECOND FIELD ARMY UNDER THE ONE-EYED RED GENERAL LIU PO-CHING; THEY ARE REPORTED PUSHING TOWARDS TIBET THROUGH SZECHWAN AND SIKANG PROVINCES.
THE SPOKESMAN, GEN. CHANG YI-TING, SAID TIBETANS HAVE ONLY ABOUT 10,000 TROOPS. THEIR BEST DEFENSES WOULD BE THE HIGH MOUNTAINS AND BITINGLY COLD WEATHER.
GENERAL CHANG SAID HIS INFORMATION IS THAT AS GENERAL PENG'S TROOPS MOVE FROM NORTH TO SOUTH AND TSINGHAI GARRISON DUTIES ARE BEING TAKEN OVER BY 30,000 TROOPS OF GEN. FU TSO-YI, DISPATCHED FROM THE INNER MONGOLIAN PROVINCE OF SUIYUAN. GENERAL FU IS THE FORMER R NATIONALIST COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF FOR NORTH CHINA WHO SURRENDERED TO THE REDS AT PEIPING IN JANUARY OF LAST YEAR.
FJ1058PCS NM

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG.16-(AP)-SEMI-OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID TODAY THAT AMBASSADOR V.K.WELLINGTON KOO WILL CARRY TO WASHINGTON DETAILED PROPOSALS FOR AMERICAN MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID TO NATIONALIST CHINA.
KOO IS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE TOMORROW BY PLANE. HE ARRIVED AUG.1 FOR CONSULTATIONS AND WILL STOP IN TOKYO FOR TALKS WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR.
JW738ACS

B82WX (Q)
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE (240)
WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-REP.SCRIVNER (R-KANS) SAID TODAY THAT WITH AMERICAN AID, CHINESE NATIONALIST GUERRILLA TROOPS MIGHT CONTINUE THEIR FIGHT AGAINST CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND EVENTUALLY "MAKE RUSSIA PULL HER FORCES OUT OF NORTH KOREA."
IN A STATEMENT FOR THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, HE SAID APPARENTLY THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS HAVE NO PLANS AS TO WHETHER THE COMMUNIST FORCES SHOULD BE PUSHED BACK TO THE 38TH PARALLEL IN KOREA OR FURTHER BACK TO THE MANCHURIAN LINE.
"THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION IS STILL DRIFTING FROM HOUR TO HOUR AND FROM DAY TO DAY," HE SAID. "WE NEED AND WE MUST HAVE A PLAN, A PROGRAM, A GOAL AND MEN CAPABLE OF CARRYING IT OUT AND BRINGING US TO VICTORY."
SINCE THOUSANDS OF CHINESE NATIONALIST GUERILLA TROOPS STILL ARE FIGHTING COMMUNISTS IN CHINA, HE SAID, "PERHAPS AN ANSWER (TO THE KOREAN PROBLEM) IS YET TO BE FOUND IN CHINA, BY PAYING, OR SUBSIDIZING IF YOU PREFER, THE CHINESE PROVINCE GENERALS TO FIGHT ON CHIANG'S SIDE--OUR SIDE--AGAINST THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS."
HE SAID THE CHINESE SOLDIERS UNDER THESE GENERALS PROBABLY WOULD HAVE TO BE PAID ONE AMERICAN DOLLAR A MONTH, AND THE U.S. WOULD HAVE TO SEE THAT THEY WERE SUPPLIED DIRECTLY WITH RICE, CLOTHING AND WEAPONS.
"THAT DONE, I AM SURE FROM WHAT I LEARNED WHEN I WAS IN CHINA, MILLIONS OF CHINESE WOULD FIGHT FOR THE CHINESE REPUBLIC YEARS ON END. THAT WOULD MAKE RUSSIA PULL HER FORCES OUT OF NORTH KOREA.
"IT WOULD KEEP THEM OUT OF FRENCH INDO-CHINA, BURMA AND SIAM, FOR THEY WOULD HAVE THEIR HANDS FULL IN THE DEPTHS OF CHINA.
"CHIANG DOES NOT ASK FOR AMERICAN LIVES AND BLOOD, HE JUST WANTS MILITARY SUPPLIES."
HY1126PED

B99 (Q)
LONDON, AUG 16-(AP)-CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST CHINESE REGIME IN FORMOSA IS CLOSING THE LAST OF ITS CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY OFFICES IN EUROPE.
PERSONNEL OF THE AGENCY'S LONDON BUREAU SAID TODAY THEY HAD ORDERS TO SUSPEND OPERATIONS HERE. AT ONE TIME THE AGENCY--WHICH WAS FIRST A GOVERNMENT UNIT AND THEN UNDER THE DIRECTION OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S KUOMINTANG PARTY IN CHINA--MAINTAINED BUREAUS IN MOST EUROPEAN CAPITALS.
G1238PED

B95KX (Q)
APW
HONG KONG, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-A BRITISH FREIGHTER OF "ABOUT 3,000 TONS" HIT A MINE IN THE YANGTZE RIVER EN ROUTE TO SHANGHAI, AN OFFICIAL OF BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE REPORTED TODAY.
NO ONE WAS INJURED, THE OFFICIAL SAID. THE SHIP, IDENTIFIED AS THE TSINAN, HIT THE MINE YESTERDAY AND STILL IS AFLOAT. THE OFFICIAL SAID "WE HOPE TO TOW HER INTO SHANGHAI SOMETIME TODAY."
FJ1030PCS

A119FX
HONG KONG,AUG.16-(AP)-CHINESE COMMUNISTS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE WARNED ALL FOREIGN SHIPS AND AIRCRAFT AGAINST INFRINGING ON RED TERRITORY AND WATERS--PARTICULARLY IN SOUTHERN REGIONS NEAR HONG KONG.
A CANTON DISPATCH TO THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER SING TAO JIH PAO QUOTED THE GOVERNOR OF KWANGTUNG PROVINCE, GEN.YEH CHIEN-YING, AS ORDERING ALL MILITARY COMMANDERS TO FIRE ON ALL PLANES AND SHIPS, INCLUDING WARSHIPS, EITHER FLYING OVER OR ENTERING CHINESE TERRITORIAL WATERS.
CC738APD

A153FX
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BY GORDON TAIT
HONG KONG,THURSDAY,AUG.17-(AP)-THE BRITISH DESTROYER CONCORD TODAY TRADED SHOTS WITH CHINESE SHORE BATTERIES ON THE APPROACHES TO HONG KONG.
FIRST REPORTS ON THE INCIDENT SAID THE BATTERIES ON COMMUNIST-HELD TAITAMI, PUNTIN AND LINGTING ISLANDS FIRED ON THE CONCORD. THE BRITISH DESTROYER WAS REPORTED TO HAVE RETURNED THE FIRE IN SELF-DEFENSE.
ROYAL NAVY AUTHORITIES IN HONG KONG ANNOUNCED THE ATTACK. THEY SAID ALTHOUGH ONE MINOR CASUALTY WAS SUSTAINED, NO DAMAGE WAS DONE TO THE DESTROYER. THE CONCORD RETURNED SAFELY TO HONG KONG HARBOR.
CK1037PPD NM

B82KX (Q)
APW
TOKYO,AUG.16-(AP)-SPAIN AND OCCUPIED JAPAN WILL OPEN REGIONAL TRADE TALKS TOMORROW.
RUSSELL W.HALE, CHIEF OF THE OCCUPATION'S FOREIGN TRADE AND COMMERCE SECTION, SAID FRANCISCO J.DEL CASTILLO WILL HEAD THE SPANISH DELEGATION. DEL BASTILLO IS CHIEF OF THE SPANISH DIPLOMATIC MISSION IN JAPAN.
HALE EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT THE TALKS WILL BRING INCREASED TRADE. JAPAN IMPORTS SMALL QUANTITIES OF POTASH, SALT, CORKBARK AND FLOUORITE FROM SPAIN IN RETURN FOR TEXTILES, TEA, COPPER AND MISCELLANEOUS COMMODITIES.
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SAN SALVADOR, EL SALVADOR, AUG 16-(AP)-EL SALVADOR OFFERED TODAY TO SEND VOLUNTEERS FOR TRAINING IN THE UNITED STATES PRELIMINARY TO WAR SERVICE IN KOREA.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE MADE THE OFFER IN A CABLEGRAM TO U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE. IT SAID ARRANGEMENTS WOULD BE MADE BETWEEN EL SALVADOR AND GEN. MAC ARTHUR'S COMMAND. THE NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS WAS NOT SPECIFIED.

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A41 (300)
NIGHT LEAD U.N.
BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.16-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES WILL TOSS INTO THE UNITED NATIONS KOREAN DEBATE TOMORROW A NEW REPORT ON THE CRITICAL MILITARY SITUATION IN KOREA, A SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.
THIS WILL BE THE SECOND REPORT ON THE OPERATIONS OF GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S UNIFIED COMMAND AND THE FIRST SINCE SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A. MALIK BECAME PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL AUG.1.
THERE WAS NO ADVANCE INFORMATION AS TO THE CONTENT, BUT IF IT IS ANYTHING LIKE THE PREVIOUS REPORT OF JULY 25, DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES SAID, IT IS SURE TO TOUCH OFF A BITTER SOVIET ATTACK.
THE REPORT MAY GIVE SOME EVIDENCE TO BACK UP CHARGES THAT RECENTLY MANUFACTURED SOVIET WAR MATERIELS HAVE BEEN USED BY THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS.
A DISPATCH FROM THE KOREAN FRONT YESTERDAY SAID U.N. OBSERVERS HAD BEEN GIVEN 122 GRENADES, A SUBMACHINE GUN AND OTHER SMALL ARMS MANUFACTURED IN 1949 AND 1950 AND BEARING RUSSIAN MARKINGS. MALIK TOLD THE COUNCIL LAST WEEK RUSSIA HAS NOT SUPPLIED ANY ARMS TO NORTH KOREA SINCE 1948.
U.N. OFFICIALS SAID THEY STILL HAD NOT RECEIVED ANY WORD ABOUT THE WEAPONS FROM THE KOREAN COMMISSION.
IT APPEARED, MEANWHILE, THAT THE SCHEDULED DEBATE ON INDIA'S PROPOSED PLAN FOR A "LITTLE SIX" KOREAN PEACE COMMITTEE MIGHT BE SIDETRACKED TEMPORARILY BY THE NEW ISSUES AND BY THE DESIRE OF SOME DELEGATIONS FOR MORE TIME TO STUDY INDIA'S PROPOSAL.
THE INDIAN DELEGATION INDICATED YESTERDAY IT WOULD HAVE A RESOLUTION READY WHEN THE SECURITY COUNCIL MEETS TOMORROW (2 P.M. EST), EMBODYING SIR BENEGAL N. RAU'S SUGGESTION THAT THE KOREAN PEACE PROBLEM BE TURNED OVER TO THE SIX ELECTED, NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL. THESE COUNTRIES ARE INDIA, ECUADOR, CUBA, NORWAY, EGYPT AND YUGOSLAVIA.
INDIAN SOURCES SAID TODAY THEY WERE NOT SURE THE DRAFT RESOLUTION WILL BE READY BY TOMORROW.

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B22 HKUP (350)
UNITED NATIONS
BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.16-(AP)-INDIA WORKED OUT DETAILS OF HER LATEST KOREAN PEACE PLAN TODAY, BUT WITHOUT DEFINITE ASSURANCE THAT IT WOULD BE ACCEPTED EITHER BY RUSSIA OR THE NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.
AN INDIAN SPOKESMAN SAID HIS COUNTRY'S CHIEF DELEGATE, SIR BENEGAL N.RAU, HAD DECIDED TO FORMALIZE HIS PLAN AS A RESOLUTION AND SUBMIT IT TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL AT TOMORROW AFTERNOON'S MEETING.
THE PLAN CALLS FOR APPOINTMENT OF THE SIX ELECTED NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE 11-NATION COUNCIL AS A SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER ALL KOREAN PROPOSALS AND DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS FOR A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT. THE "LITTLE SIX" ARE INDIA, YUGOSLAVIA, NORWAY, CUBA, ECUADOR AND EGYPT.
RAU, IN PRESENTING THE PLAN MONDAY, SAID IT WAS MERELY A SUGGESTION BUT THAT HE WOULD FORMALIZE IT IF HE FOUND ENOUGH SUPPORT.
JUST HOW MUCH SUPPORT RAU HAS RECEIVED WAS NOT KNOWN. AN INDIAN SPOKESMAN SAID ONLY THAT THE INITIAL REACTION WAS "NOT UNFAVORABLE."
MOST DELEGATES STILL WERE NON-COMMITTAL, PENDING RECEIPT OF INSTRUCTIONS FROM THEIR GOVERNMENTS AND PRIVATE CONSULTATIONS WITH OTHER DIPLOMATS HERE.
INDIA'S DECISION TO PUT HER PLAN IN WRITING MAY HAVE BEEN INFLUENCED TO SOME EXTENT, AT LEAST, BY REQUESTS FROM OTHER DELEGATIONS FOR SOMETHING MORE DEFINITE THAN THE BRIEF OUTLINE OFFERED BY RAU ORIGINALLY.
ONE USUALLY WELL-INFORMED SOURCE SAID CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN HAD ASKED RAU TO PREPARE A DRAFT RESOLUTION. AUSTIN WAS REPORTED TO HAVE SAID THE UNITED STATES COULD NOT DECIDE ITS POSITION UNTIL IT SAW THE PLAN IN WRITING.
ALTHOUGH RUSSIA, AS USUAL, SAID NOTHING ABOUT HER PLANS, IT WAS GENERALLY BELIEVED THAT SHE WOULD OPPOSE SOME KEY PROVISIONS OF THE INDIAN PROPOSAL.
ONE SOURCE WITH GOOD SOVIET CONNECTIONS SAID, HOWEVER, THAT RUSSIA PROBABLY WOULD OFFER A SERIES OF AMENDMENTS RATHER THAN REJECT THE PLAN OUTRIGHT BY VETO.
THOSE WHO HAVE FOLLOWED RUSSIA'S SPEECHES CLOSELY SAID IT WAS DIFFICULT TO SEE HOW RUSSIA COULD ACCEPT, FOR EXAMPLE, ANY STIPULATION THAT THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN FORCES MUST WITHDRAW TO THE 38TH PARALLEL AS A CONDITION TO PEACE. RUSSIA HAS BEEN INSISTING UPON AN IMMEDIATE CEASE-FIRE AND WITHDRAWAL OF ALL UNITED STATES AND OTHER FOREIGN TROOPS FROM KOREA.
THERE IS GENERAL AGREEMENT THAT THE INDIAN MOVE PASSED AN EMBARRASSING QUESTION FOR RUSSIA.
THE INDIAN PROPOSAL IS ADMITTEDLY DESIGNED TO SHUT OFF RUSSIA'S ANTI-AMERICAN PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN, WHICH IS AIMED PRIMARILY AT INDIA AND OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES. BUT IF RUSSIA REJECTS THE PROPOSAL OUTRIGHT, SHE MAY OFFEND THE INDIANS AND LOSE WHATEVER PROPAGANDA GAINS SHE HAS MADE DURING THE PAST TWO WEEKS OF KOREAN DEBATE.

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NIGHT LEAD UN POLICE (400)
WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-A BIPARTISAN SENATE GROUP TODAY DISCUSSED A PROPOSED RESOLUTION CALLING ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO TAKE THE LEAD TOWARD CREATION OF A PERMANENT MILITARY POLICE FORCE UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS.
SENATOR MUNDT (R-SD) PREDICTED THE RESOLUTION WOULD BE INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE WITHIN A FEW DAYS.
BUT SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) SAID HE WASN'T READY TO GO ALONG WITH THE IDEA NOW.
THE U.N. POLICE FORCE WOULD BE ARMED AND READY TO GO TO ANY TROUBLE SPOT IN THE WORLD. IT WOULD BE MANNED BY VOLUNTEERS FROM NATIONS

OTHER THAN THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, FRANCE, RUSSIA AND CHINA.
THE OPERATIONS OF THE PRESENT U.N. FORCE IN KOREA ARE LIMITED TO THAT COUNTRY. IT IS MADE UP CHIEFLY OF U.S. GROUND, NAVAL AND AIR UNITS.
THE PLAN WAS OUTLINED BY ELY CULBERTSON, CHAIRMAN OF THE CITIZENS COMMITTEE FOR UNITED NATIONS REFORM,INC., TO 11 SENATORS AT A LUNCHEON GIVEN AT THE CAPITOL BY SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA).
SPARKMAN LATER TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE WAS WILLING TO JOIN IN SPONSORING A RESOLUTION ASKING THE PRESIDENT TO TAKE STEPS THROUGH THE U.S. DELEGATION TO THE U.N. TO GET GENERAL ASSEMBLY ACTION ON THE PROPOSAL.
BY ASKING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, RATHER THAN THE SECURITY COUNCIL, THE POSSIBILITY OF A SOVIET RUSSIAN VETO WOULD BE ELIMINATED.
PAST EFFORTS TO GET THE SENATE TO ADOPT RESOLUTIONS URGING THE PRESIDENT TO INITIATE ACTIONS IN THE UNITED NATIONS HAVE BEEN GENERALLY UNSUCCESSFUL. SEVERAL SUCH RESOLUTIONS NOW ARE PENDING IN THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE.
CULBERTSON TOLD THE CONFERENCE THE FUNDAMENTAL PURPOSE OF THE PLAN WAS TWO-FOLD: TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF THE RUSSIAN VETO IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL, AND TO SAVE AMERICAN LIVES BY DISTRIBUTING MORE EQUITABLY AMONG NATIONS THE BURDEN OF KEEPING THE PEACE.
THE FORCE WOULD BE ORGANIZED UNDER ARTICLE 51 OF THE U.N. CHARTER, WHICH ENVISAGED A POLICE FORCE, AND EQUIPPED BY THE MEMBER NATIONS IN PROPORTION TO THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS THE U.N.
THE PROPOSED POLICE AUTHORITY WOULD BE COMPOSED OF NINE MEMBERS, THREE FROM THE U.S., THREE FROM A COMBINATION OF GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE, AND THREE ELECTED COLLECTIVELY BY THE SO-CALLED SMALLER STATES.
SPARKMAN SAID THE "BIG FIVE" POWERS WERE EXCLUDED FROM PERMITTING THEIR NATIONALS TO VOLUNTEER FOR THE FORCE BECAUSE IT WAS EXPECTED THAT EACH WOULD RETAIN ITS OWN MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT.
THESE WOULD BE SUBJECT TO CALL BY THE U.N. IF NECESSARY, SUCH AS WAS DONE WHEN THE COMMUNISTS INVADED SOUTH KOREA.
SPARKMAN SAID THE EXISTENCE OF AN INTERNATIONAL FORCE WOULD HAVE BEEN A "GREAT DETERR[illegible]" TO THE KOREAN AGGRESSION.
SENATORS ATTENDIN[illegible]E LUNCHEON IN ADDITION TO SPARKMAN, MUNDT AND JOHNSON WERE GRAHAM [illegible]IC), FLANDERS (R-VT), O'CONOR (D-MD), CAPEHART (R-IND), JE[illegible] (R-IND), FERGUSON (R-MICH), FULBRIGHT (D-ARK) APT HENDRICKSON (R-N[illegible]

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NEW YORK, AUG.16-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS FLAG TODAY WAS HOISTED TO A STAFF BESIDE THE UNITED STATES FLAG ON TYE PARK AVENUE BUILDING WHERE THE AMERICAN U.N. MISSION HAS OFFICES.
CHIEF U.N. DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN SAID IN AN ADDRESS AT THE SPECIAL CEREMOCY THAT "IT IS APPROPRIATE" THAT THE MISSION DISPLAY THE BLUE U.N. FLAG WHICH NOW "FLIES UT THE SIDE OF OURHOWN AND OTHERS IN KOREA."

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A129 (NX, CH F)
(NYC OUT) (150)
NEW YORK, AUG. 16-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES LINES SLAPPED ITS OWN EMBARGO ON RUSSIAN SHIPMENTS TODAY AS ONE OF ITS VESSELS NEARED NEW YORK WITH $350,000 WORTH OF SOVIET CRAB MEAT.
"THE UNITED STATES LINES," AN OFFICIAL SAID, "KNOWINGLY WILL NOT HANDLE HENCEFORTH ANY CARGO OUT OF OR TO SOVIET RUSSIA DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY."
THE DECISION CAME AFTER AFL LONGSHOREMEN IN BOSTON REFUSED TO UNLOAD THE CRAB MEAT FROM THE LINES' VESSEL AMERICAN MANUFACTURER.
IT WAS THE SECOND REFUSAL OF ITS KIND THIS WEEK.
LONGSHOREMEN IN NEW YORK EARLIER REFUSED TO UNLOAD A $250,000 CRAB MEAT CARGO FROM THE CUNARD LINER PARTHIA. HER OFFICIALS SAID THE CRAB MEAT WOULD BE RETURNED TO ENGLAND.
THE BRITISH GOT THE CRAB MEAT IN A TRADE AGREEMENT WITH RUSSIA. THEY WERE TRYING TO SELL IT HERE BECAUSE IT IS TOO EXPENSIVE FOR THE BRITISH CONSUMER.
THE AMERICAN MANUFACTURER ALSO IS EXPECTED TO RETURN HER SEA FOOD CARGO TO ENGLAND. LONGSHOREMEN HERE ADOPTED A RESOLUTION MONDAY NIGHT TO HANDLE NO MORE GOODS THAT COME FROM RUSSIA.

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(350)
NEW YORK,AUG.16-(AP)-ELEVEN TOP U.S. COMMUNISTS TODAY CALLED THEIR CRIMINAL CONVICTION A STEP TOWARD A THIRD WORLD WAR AND ASKED THAT IT BE SET ASIDE.
THEY FILED A PETITION WITH THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS, WHICH HAS UPHELD THEIR CONVICTION, ASKING A FULL -DRESS REHEARING OF THE CASE AGAINST THEM.
IN THE PETITION, THEY SAID IN PART:
"THE (APPEALS) COURT'S DECISION CANNOT BE DIVORCED FROM THE KOREAN HOSTILITIES AND THE GROWING INTERNATIONAL TENSIONS WHICH PRECEDED IT.
"THE OPINION SILENCES APPELLANTS NOT WITH RESPECT TO THE ADVOCACY OF ABSTRACT POLITICAL DOCTRINE, BUT IN CONNECTION WITH THE VITAL ISSUES OF THE DAY AND OF THE HOUR--ISSUES OF WAR AND PEACE WHICH INVOLVE THE FUTURE OF ALL MANKIND.
"VIEWED AS WE MUST VIEW IT AGAINST THE BACKGROUND OF POLITICAL REALITY, THE TRUE EFFECT OF THIS DECISION IS TO SILENCE THE OPPOSITION TO WAR AND TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE ACCELERATION OF A DRIVE FOR A THIRD WORLD WAR."
THE APPEALS COURT LAST AUG. 1 UPHELD THEIR CONVICTION ON CHARGES THEY CONSPIRED TO ADVOCATE THE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.
TODAY--15 DAYS LATER--WAS THE DEADLINE UNDER THE LAW FOR THEM TO ASK THE COURT TO REHEAR THE CASE.
EVEN SHOULD THE APPEALS COURT AGREE TO DO SO, IT RARELY REVERSES ITSELF ON A DECISION OF SUCH IMPORTANCE.
THEREFORE, ABRAHAM J.ISSERMAN, ONE OF THE DEFENSE ATTORNEYS, SAID HE IS READY TO MEET ANY DENIAL WITH A NEW MOTION TO HOLD UP ALL PROCEEDINGS PENDING AN APPEAL TO THE U.S. SUPREME COURT.
FURTHERMORE, HE SAID, THE COMMUNISTS ARE READY TO ARGUE TOMORROW AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT'S REQUEST TO LIFT THEIR BAIL AND PLACE THEM BEIND BARS.
THE GOVERNMENT CALLED THEM PUPPETS OF MOSCOW AND SAID THEIR BAIL SHOULD BE REVOKED BECAUSE "THEY SHOULD NOT BE AT LARGE IN THIS HOUR OF NATIONAL CRISIS."
ALL 11 ARE APPEALING SENTENCES RANGING FROM THREE TO FIVE YEARS IMPOSED AFTER THEIR CONVICTION LAST YEAR. ALL BUT COMMUNIST PARTY GENERAL SECRETARY EUGENE DENNIS ARE OUT ON BAIL THAT RUNS FROM $20,000 TO $30,000 APIECE.
DENNIS IS SERVING A YEAR IN JAIL ON ANOTHER CHARGE--CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.
~~IS $35,000 $3,,8~~ BESIDES DENNIS THOSE UNDER FIVE YEAR SENTENCE ARE JOHN B.WILLIAMSON, JACOB STACHEL, BENJAMIN J.DAVIS, JR., HENRY WINSTON, JOHN GATES, IRVING POTASH, GILBERT GREEN, CARL WINTER AND GUS HALL.
THE OTHER DEFENDANT, ROBERT G.THOMPSON, WAS SENTENCED TO ONLY THREE YEARS BECAUSE HE IS A DECORATED AMERICAN VETERAN OF WORLD WAR II.

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A122
NIGHT LEAD (120)
NEW YORK, AUG.16-(AP)-CONFESSED ATOM SPY HARRY GOLD WAS BROUGHT HERE FROM A PHILADELPHIA PRISON TODAY AND QUESTIONED BY GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.
U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING H.SAYPOL AND OTHER OFFICIALS DECLINED TO DISCUSS

THE QUESTIONING OR TO COMMENT ON SPECULATION THAT NEW INDICTMENTS MIGHT BE EXPECTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE SOVIET ATOM SPY NETWORK.
GOLD HAS PLEADED GUILTY TO CARRYING ATOM SECRETS FOR A SPY RING INVOLVING DR. KLAUS FUCHS. FUCHS, ONE OF BRITAIN'S TOP ATOMIC SCIENTISTS, IS SERVING A PRISON TERM FOR ESPIONAGE.
ONE OF SIX AMERICANS WHO HAVE BEEN LINKED WITH GOLD, MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ, 34, WAS RELEASED TODAY IN $25,000 BAIL POSTED BY A SISTER.
MISS MOSKOWITZ AND HER EMPLOYER, ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, A CHEMICAL ENGINEER, ARE ACCUSED OF CONSPIRING WITH GOLD TO GIVE FALSE INFORMATION TO A FEDERAL GRAND JURY.
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A163
(110)
PRECEDE PHILADELPHIA--GOLD
NEW YORK, AUG. 16-(AP)-HARRY GOLD, CONFESSED ATOM SPY, WAS BROUGHT HERE FROM PHILADELPHIA TODAY, APPARENTLY TO TESTIFY BEFORE A FEDERAL GRAND JURY.
THERE WERE INDICATIONS THAT A SPY INDICTMENT NAMING SOMEONE CONNECTED WITH GOLD MIGHT BE FORTHCOMING.
OFFICIALS DECLINED TO DISCUSS GOLD'S PRESENCE IN THE FEDERAL BUILDING BUT HE WAS TAKEN TO A ROOM USUALLY RESERVED FOR GRAND JURY WITNESSES.
HE WAS BROUGHT HERE TO TESTIFY ONCE BEFORE, ON THE DAY TWO NEW YORKERS WERE INDICTED ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRING WITH HIM TO GIVE FALSE INFORMATION TO A GRAND JURY.
GOLD, A PHILADELPHIA CHEMIST, HAS PLEADED GUILTY TO SPY CHARGES. HE HAS BEEN IN HOLMESBURG PRISON, PHILADELPHIA, AWAITING SENTENCE.
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A133PX (GOLD ONLY)
GOLD (120)
PHILADELPHIA, AUG 16-(AP)-HARRY GOLD, A PHILADELPHIA CHEMIST WHO ADMITTED HE DELIVERED ATOMIC BOMB SECRETS TO RUSSIAN SPIES, WAS TAKEN FROM HIS HOLMESBURG PRISON CELL EARLY TODAY AND DRIVEN TO THE U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE IN NEW YORK.
GOLD HAS PLEADED GUILTY TO SPY CHARGES AND IS AWAITING SENTENCE.
OFFICIALS DECLINED COMMENT ON GOLD'S TRIP EXCEPT TO SAY THAT HIS PRESENCE IN NEW YORK WAS REQUESTED BY U.S.ATTORNEY IRVING H. SAYPOL.
GOLD WAS THE FIRST AMERICAN ARRESTED ON CHARGES OF DELIVERING ATOMIC SECRETS. HE ADMITTED BEING THE COURIER WHO TURNED A-BOMB INFORMATION OVER TO DR.KARL FUCHS, THE BRITISH SPY NOW SERVING 30 YEARS IN PRISON.
SINCE GOLD'S ARREST, SIX OTHER AMERICANS HAVE BEEN SEIZED.
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A141 LOCALS OUT (240)
NEW YORK, AUG. 16-(AP)-BERNARD M.BARUCH SAID TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES CAN LICK ANYBODY--ONCE THE AMERICAN PEOPLE REALIZE WHAT THEY'RE UP AGAINST AND WHAT THEY HAVE TO DO.
THE FINANCIER AND "ELDER STATESMAN," 80 YEARS OLD NEXT SATURDAY, MADE THE STATEMENT IN A BIRTHDAY INTERVIEW WITH GUY RICHARDS OF THE NEW YORK JOURNAL-AMERICAN.
HALE AND ERECT, BARUCH SAID HE THOUGHT IT WAS A GOOD TIME TO REPEAT WHAT HE TOLD WINSTON CHURCHILL AS THE BRITISH LEADER STOOD LOOKING OUT THE WINDOW OF BARUCH'S MADISON AVENUE OFFICE NINE YEARS AGO:
"WINSTON," BARUCH SAID, "YOU ARE GAZING AT A LAND THAT ROLLS UNINTERRUPTEDLY FOR 3,000 MILES X X X ON IT LIVES THE GREATEST MIXTURE OF RACES AND PEOPLES IN THE WORLD.
"THEY ARE SOMETIMES SLOW TO SEE A POINT. BUT WHEN THEY DO, THEY BRING TO IT THE FINEST INSTINCTS AND FULLEST DETERMINATION IMAGINABLE. NOTHING CAN BEAT THEM--AND CERTAINLY NOT HITLER'S GERMANY."
TODAY, BARUCH SAID, HE WOULD SUBSTITUTE STALIN'S RUSSIA FOR HITLER'S GERMANY.
BARUCH REPEATED HIS FREQUENT CALL FOR PRICE CONTROL AND A STANDBY SYSTEM OF MOBILIZATION FOR WAR.
HE SAID THE COUNTRY'S GREAT MISTAKE IN THE PAST HAS BEEN FAILURE TO SEE WARS COMING. HE BELIEVES THE COUNTRY IS MAKING THE SAME MISTAKE NOW BY TAKING ONLY "PIECEMEAL PRECAUTIONS" AGAINST A MAJOR THREAT TO CIVILIZATION.
BARUCH SAID THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE A BLIND SPOT:
"IT IS THE DOCTRINE, WHEN WE ARE IN THE FACE OF DANGER, OF 'WAIT AND SEE.' THAT IS THE DEMAGOGUERY OF THE RIGHT. IT IS THE FATAL MENTAL FOLLY OF SOME BIG BUSINESS LEADERS--WHEN ALL THE TIME THEY SHOULD STEP UP TO THE DESK AND SAY, 'GOOD MORNING. WHAT DO WE HAVE TO DO? LET'S GO!'"
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NEW YORK, AUG. 16-(AP)-THE RIGHT REV. MONSIGNOR JOHN JOSEPH BRADY, 66, WHO WAS CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN TO THE MARINES IN SOME OF THE TOUGHEST BATTLES OF WORLD WAR I, DIED TODAY.
HE WAS A RETIRED NAVAL REAR ADMIRAL, THE FIRST CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN TO ADVANCE THAT HIGH IN THE NAVY.
MONSIGNOR BRADY CAME OUT OF MILITARY RETIREMENT IN WORLD WAR II AND TRAVELLED WIDELY OVERSEAS VISITING CHAPLAINS AS MILITARY VICAR DELEGATE OF FRANCIS CARDINAL SPELLMAN.
A NATIVE OF NEWYORK, HE WAS ORDAINED IN 1908 AND APPOINTED A CHAPLAIN IN 1914. HE WAS WITH THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT AT CHATEAU THIERRY, BELLEAU WOOD AND OTHER FRENCH BATTLEFIELDS OF THE FIRST WAR.
MONSIGNOR BRADY HAD BEEN PASTOR OF HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH IN THE BRONX SINCE 1945.
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B16 HKUP (300)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY WEDNESDAY AUG.16)
(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, AUG.16-(AP)-STEELMAKERS "HAVE GIVEN UP HOPE THAT MACHINERY TO HANDLE VOLUNTARY ALLOCATIONS WILL BE OPERATING SOON," THE IRON AGE, METALWORKING TRADE WEEKLY SAID TODAY.
THE PUBLICATION SAID, "MOST OF THEM ARE TAKING IT UPON THEMSELVES TO EXPEDITE DELIVERIES TO CUSTOMERS HOLDING GOVERNMENT ORDERS. THEY ARE ASKING CUSTOMERS TO SPECIFY ON THE ORDER THE END USE TO WHICH THE STEEL WOULD BE PUT. IF IT IS A GOVERNMENT ORDER THEY ASK FOR THE CONTRACT NUMBER; IF A SUB-CONTRACT, THE NAME OF THE PRIME CONTRACTOR AND CONTRACT NUMBER.
"CUSTOMERS ARE TOLD THEY WILL GET FASTER DELIVERY WHEN THIS INFORMATION IS SUPPLIED. THE TONNAGE STILL COMES OUT OF THEIR QUOTAS. ONE PRODUCER IS EVEN SETTING ASIDE A DEFINITE PERCENTAGE OF ITS PRODUCTION TO TAKE CARE OF GOVERNMENT ORDERS."
THE WAVES OF HYSTERICAL BUYING THAT FOLLOWED THE OUTBREAK OF WAR HAVE BEEN FOLLOWED BY A FLOOD OF ORDERS THAT HAS JUST ABOUT JAMMED METALWORKING PLANTS OF ALL TYPES, THE IRON AGE SAID.
EXTENDED INDUSTRIAL FORWARD BUYING WAS REPORTED. THE TRADE WEEKLY SAID ELECTRIC MOTORS ARE BEING BOUGHT 4 TO 6 MONTHS IN ADVANCE OF

DELIVERY; STEEL BEARINGS ARE BEING ORDERED THROUGH THE FIRST QUARTER OF NEXT YEAR; SOME COMPANIES ARE PLACING ORDERS FOR ELECTRONIC PARTS 5 TO 6 MONTHS AHEAD; HEAVY CHEMICALS (AMMONIA, MURIATIC ACID, NITRIC ACID AND CAUSTIC SODA) ARE BEING BOUGHT 45 DAYS AHEAD BY COMPANIES THAT HAVE ADEQUATE STORAGE FACILITIES.

STEEL SCRAP PRICES "HAVE AGAIN BLOWN THE LID OFF THE MARKET," THE PUBLICATION SAID. GAINS THIS WEEK PUSHED THE IRON AGE STEEL SCRAP COMPOSITE PRICE UP $1.08 A TON TO $40.25 A GROSS TON, CLOSE TO THE YEAR'S HIGH OF $40.92.

STRENGTH IN SCRAP PRICES WAS ATTRIBUTED IN LARGE PART TO RECORD STEELMAKING OPERATIONS, WITH OUTPUT THIS WEEK PLACED AT 100.5 PER CENT OF RATED CAPACITY.

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(420) WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-HAROLD E.STASSEN HAS PROPOSED A NEW ECONOMIC PROGRAM FOR ASIA TO PARALLEL THE MARSHALL PLAN FOR AIDING FRIENDLY NATIONS OF EUROPE.

BUT, HE SAID IN A RADIO SPEECH TUESDAY NIGHT, THE ASIATIC PLAN SHOULD INVOLVE FAR LESS MONEY THAN THE BILLIONS OF DOLLARS BEING SPENT FOR THE MARSHALL PLAN.

STASSEN, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA AND CANDIDATE FOR THE REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION IN 1948, SAID THE UNITED STATES SHOULD NOT OVERLOOK THE REST OF ASIA EVEN IN THE FACE OF THE CONFLICT IN KOREA.

"WE MUST NOT FORGET THAT ONE OF THE REASONS THAT WE ARE ENGAGED IN THIS KOREAN WAR TODAY IS THE ADMINISTRATION'S FAILURE TO WAGE THE COLD WAR SUCCESSFULLY," STASSEN SAID. "IT MUST BECOME INCREASINGLY CLEAR TO THE MANY MILLIONS OF PEOPLES OF THE WORLD ON BOTH SIDES OF THE IRON CURTAIN THAT IT IS THE SINCERE OBJECTIVE OF AMERICA AND OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO ADVANCE THEIR STANDARDS OF LIVING; TO RECOGNIZE THEIR HUMAN DIGNITY AND THEIR RIGHTS REGARDLESS OF COLOR. . ."

THIS, HE SAID, "REQUIRES THE EARLY INITIATION OF A COMPREHENSIVE ASIATIC ECONOMIC PROGRAM, PARALLEL TO THE MARSHALL PLAN, AND YET DIFFERENT BECAUSE OF THE DIFFERENT CONDITIONS IN ASIA.

"IT SHOULD INVOLVE ONLY A SMALL FRACTION OF THE AMOUNT OF MONEY SPENT ON THE MARSHALL PLAN, BOTH BECAUSE WE DO NOT HAVE THE RESOURCES TO SPEND MORE AND BECAUSE THE NON-INDUSTRIAL ECONOMY OF ASIA HAS DIFFERENT AND LESSER NEEDS IN TERMS OF DOLLARS."

STASSEN SUGGESTED THAT AMERICAN SURPLUSES CAN HELP ASIA IN MANY INSTANCES.

"AS ONE SPECIFIC EXAMPLE," HE SAID, "INDIA TODAY NEEDS WHEAT. INDIA HAS NEEDED WHEAT BADLY FOR THE PAST TEN MONTHS. INDIA HAS SOUGHT 36,000,000 BUSHELS OF SURPLUS WHEAT FROM AMERICA. AMERICA HAS OVER THREE HUNDRED MILLION BUSHELS OF SURPLUS WHEAT ON HAND. YET AMERICA HAS NOT SHIPPED ANY OF THIS SURPLUS WHEAT TO INDIA. THIS IS AN EXECUTIVE SHORTCOMING."

STASSEN SAID THAT IN RETURN FOR MATERIAL AID TO ASIA, THE UNITED STATES PROBABLY WOULD RECEIVE VALUABLE RAW MATERIALS USEFUL TO PRODUCTION AND STOCKPILING IN THE FUTURE.

HE ASSERTED THAT THE LEADERS OF ASIA ITSELF SHOULD TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN DEVELOPING AN ECONOMIC PROGRAM FOR ASIA.

"AMERICA AND THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD MOVE UPON A FAR-REACHING ASIATIC ECONOMIC ADVANCE," STASSEN SAID.

"ASSISTANCE AND ENCOURAGEMENT SHOULD BE GIVEN TO ALL OF THOSE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD WHO WISH TO ADVANCE THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM, INCLUDING THOSE MILLIONS WITHIN THE COUNTRIES NOW UNDER COMMUNIST DICTATORSHIPS."

STASSEN SAID A NEW ASIATIC PROGRAM SHOULD BE HANDLED UNDER "ABLE LEADERSHIP," PREFERABLY SOMEONE WHO HAS HAD SUCCESSFUL EXPERIENCE IN SIMILAR WORK DURING WORLD WAR TWO.

BUT, HE ADDED, THE METHODS AND DETAILS CANNOT BE SPELLED OUT IN ADVANCE.

HE PROPOSED THAT AS THE PROGRAM MOVED FORWARD EFFORTS SHOULD BE MADE TO HAVE GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE AND INDIA ALONG WITH OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS "MOVE WITH US."

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 16-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON TODAY URGED IMMEDIATE UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING LEGISLATION THAT CAN BE PUT INTO EFFECT WHENEVER THE PRESIDENT MAY DIRECT.

THE PROPOSAL CAME IN A LETTER FROM JOHNSON TO THE CHAIRMEN OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEES.

JOHNSON SAID IN HIS LETTER THAT THE BILL HE PROPOSED HAD THE APPROVAL OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

IT WOULD PROVIDE FOR COMPULSORY MILITARY TRAINING OF YOUNG MEN BETWEEN THE AGES OF 17 AND 20 AND ESTABLISH AN INDEPENDENT COMMISSION TO DIRECT THE PROGRAM.

THIS "NATIONAL SECURITY TRAINING COMMISSION" WOULD BE APPOINTED BY AND ANSWERABLE TO THE PRESIDENT.

THE MEASURE ALSO PROPOSES A NATIONAL SECURITY TRAINING ADVISORY BOARD TO BE COMPOSED LARGELY OF CIVILIANS WHO WOULD SERVE WITH AT LEAST THREE MILITARY MEMBERS.

THE JOHNSON BILL WOULD ESTABLISH A NATIONAL SECURITY TRAINING CORPS, CONSISTING OF ALL YOUNG MEN TO BE TRAINED. MEMBERS OF THIS CORPS WOULD HAVE MILITARY STATUS, BUT WOULD NOT BE MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND WOULD BE SUBJECT TO NO DUTY OTHER THAN TRAINING.

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THE TRAINING PERIOD WOULD BE DIVIDED INTO PHASES. THE FIRST SIX MONTHS WOULD BE "CONTINUOUS" TRAINING. IN THIS PERIOD THE TRAINEE WOULD CHOOSE HIS BRANCH OF THE SERVICE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF QUOTAS.

AFTER THE BASIC TRAINING PERIOD, THE YOUNG MAN WOULD HAVE 11 OPTIONS. HE COULD CHOOSE ADDITIONAL TRAINING ON ACTIVE DUTY WITH THE CORPS FOR SIX MONTHS. OTHER CHOICES AVAILABLE TO HIM WOULD BE: VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENT IN THE REGULAR ARMED FORCES, ENLISTMENT IN THE NATIONAL GUARD, ORGANIZED NAVAL RESERVE, OR ORGANIZED MARINE CORPS RESERVE.

HE COULD ALSO CHOOSE TO JOIN THE ENLISTED RESERVE CORPS OF THE ARMY OR AIR FORCE AND BE ASSIGNED TO AN ORGANIZED UNIT.

SUBJECT TO HIS QUALIFICATIONS, THE CORPS MEMBER COULD ENTER THE MILITARY, NAVAL OR COAST GUARD ACADEMIES OR ENROLL IN THE NAVY OR MARINE CORPS OFFICER PROCUREMENT PROGRAM.

ANOTHER CHOICE OPEN TO HIM WOULD BE ENTERING COLLEGE AND JOINING A RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS UNIT.

THE BILL WOULD REQUIRE EACH MALE AMERICAN TO REGISTER FOR MILITARY TRAINING NO LATER THAN HIS EIGHTEENTH BIRTHDAY, AND PREFERABLY AS SOON AS HE IS 17.

REGISTERED MEN WOULD BE REQUIRED TO TAKE THEIR TRAINING AT SOME PERIOD BETWEEN THE AGES OF 17 AND 20, AS DIRECTED BY THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT.

EIGHTEEN-YEAR-OLDS ATTENDING SCHOOL COULD ASK FOR DEFERMENT UNTIL GRADUATION OR UNTIL THEY LEFT SCHOOL. SUCH DEFERMENT WOULD NOT BE POSTPONED AFTER THE AGE OF 20.

THE PROPOSED LAW ALSO PROVIDES THAT ANY AMERICAN MAN BE LIABLE FOR TRAINING UNTIL HE REACHES 26, IF FOR SOME REASON HE DOES NOT GET IT EARLIER.

EXEMPTIONS WOULD BE GRANTED YOUNG MEN WHO ARE NOW SERVING OR WHO HAVE SERVED HONORABLY FOR AT LEAST ONE YEAR IN THE ARMED FORCES OF

THE UNITED STATES OR ONE OF ITS ALLIES DURING WORLD WAR II.
THE EXEMPTION WOULD ALSO APPLY TO THOSE WHO ARE ACTUALLY SERVING IN THE NATIONAL GUARD OR THE RESERVES, OR WHO ARE UNDERGOING SENIOR ROTC TRAINING.
THE PROPOSED LAW WOULD AUTHORIZE THE SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM TO ADMINISTER THE INDUCTION, EXAMINATION, CLASSIFICATION, AND ALLOCATION OF MEN REGISTERED FOR TRAINING.

THE TRAINEE WOULD RECEIVE A MONTHLY ALLOWANCE OF $30. IF HE WAS THE CHIEF SUPPORT OF HIS FAMILY HE WOULD BE ALLOWED $50 A MONTH MORE FOR ONE DEPENDENT AND $65 FOR TWO OR MORE DEPENDENTS.
DURING THE INITIAL TRAINING PERIOD MEMBERS OF THE CORPS WOULD BE ENTITLED TO DEATH AND DISABILITY BENEFITS PROVIDED BY THE SOLDIERS AND SAILORS CIVIL RELIEF ACT.
DURING THE TRAINING PERIOD THE YOUNG MAN WOULD NOT BE SUBJECT TO THE UNIFORM CODE OF MILITARY JUSTICE BUT TO A SPECIAL DISCIPLINARY "CODE OF CONDUCT." HE WOULD BE SUBJECT TO THREE LEVELS OF PUNISHMENT:
1. PUNISHMENT BY HIS COMMANDING OFFICER FOR MINOR OFFENSES, WITH CONFINEMENT LIMITED TO NO MORE THAN ONE WEEK AND WITH THE PRIVILEGE OF ASKING FOR TRIAL.
2. PUNISHMENT BY A COURT CONSISTING OF OFFICERS FOR VIOLATION OF NATIONAL SECURITY. PUNISHMENT WOULD NOT EXCEED THREE MONTHS OF CONFINEMENT OR EXTRA DUTY, BUT MIGHT INCLUDE DISHONORABLE DISCHARGE.
3. PUNISHMENT BY U.S. DISTRICT COURTS AND OTHER CIVIL AUTHORITIES FOR SERIOUS CRIMES, SPECIFIED MISDEMEANORS AND UNLAWFUL ACTS TO BE SET FORTH IN THE CODE.
WHITE HOUSE INTIMATES SAID THE UMT PROPOSAL FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT REPRESENTS NO ABOUT-FACE BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
MONDAY OF THIS WEEK PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY CHARLES G.ROSS RENEWED A STATEMENT THAT MR.TRUMAN WILL NOT PUSH FOR ENACTMENT OF SUCH A PROGRAM AT THIS SESSION OF CONGRESS.
BUT AT THE SAME TIME IT WAS MADE CLEAR THAT THE PRESIDENT STILL FAVORS THE PLAN, TO WHICH HE HAS REFERRED FREQUENTLY IN THE PAST.
ROSS EXPLAINED THAT MR.TRUMAN DID NOT WANT TO PUT PRESSURE OF HIS OWN BEHIND THE TRAINING PROPOSAL BECAUSE HE DID NOT WANT TO SET OFF A DISPUTE THAT MIGHT INTERFERE WITH OTHER MOBILIZATION MEASURES TO WHICH HE GIVES HIGHER PRIORITY.
IT HAS BEEN EXPECTED ALL ALONG THAT THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT WOULD MAKE A UMT PROPOSAL TO CONGRESS SOON.

OFFICIALS SAID THE BILL RECOMMENDED BY JOHNSON WOULD CARRY THE SAME PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR TRAINEES AS FOR MEN INDUCTED INTO MILITARY SERVICE UNDER THE SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT.
WHILE THE POLICIES AND STANDARDS OF UNIVERSAL TRAINING WOULD BE SET BY THE NATIONAL SECURITY TRAINING COMMISSION, INDUCTIONS WOULD BE HANDLED BY THE SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM.
PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS WOULD BE THE SAME AS FOR REGULAR MILITARY SERVICE BECAUSE THE TRAINEES WOULD BE CONSIDERED POTENTIAL COMBAT MATERIAL, THE OFFICIALS EXPLAINED.
THE BILL PRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY CARRIES A PROVISION SAYING SPECIFICALLY THAT "NO PERSON SHALL BE INDUCTED BY MILITARY TRAINING UNLESS AND UNTIL HE IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE ARMED FORCES FOR TRAINING."
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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE (180)
WASHINGTON, AUG. 16-(AP)-REP. MEYER (R-KAS) SAID TODAY THE ADMINISTRATION DOESN'T SEEM READY TO CUT EXPENDITURES ON FOREIGN AID PROGRAMS, DESPITE ITS APPEAL FOR GREATER DEFENSE SPENDING AND HIGHER TAXES.
"WITH THE PRESIDENT REQUESTING $10,000,000,000(B) ADDITIONAL FOR THE DEFENSE PROGRAM AND A PROBABLE TAX INCREASE OF $5,000,000,000(B), CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS DISCLOSE THAT THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION PLANS' NO REDUCTION IN THE SPENDING OF TAXPAYERS' MONEY TO BUILD UP THE COLONIAL POSSESSIONS OF EUROPEAN COUNTRIES," HE SAID IN A STATEMENT.
"THE ADMINISTRATION PLANNERS WANT $15,500,000(M) WHICH WILL BE SPENT UNDER POINT FOUR AND THE ECA ON 28 PROJECTS IN COLONIES BELONGING TO GREAT BRITAIN, FRANCE, BELGIUM AND THE NETHERLANDS."
THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM AIMS AT BUILDING UP UNDEVELOPED COUNTRIES. IT DRAWS ITS NAME FROM ITS POSITION IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S INAUGURAL ADDRESS.
THESE PROJECTS, MEYER SAID, INCLUDING IRRIGATION, WATER AND ROAD DEVELOPMENTS AND SOIL AND LAND RECLAMATION "ALTHOUGH THE PRESIDENT FROZE FUNDS FOR DAMS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS IN THIS COUNTRY."
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A146WX
(110) CIVIL DEFENSE
WASHINGTON,AUG.16-(AP)-THE U.S.CONFERENCE OF MAYORS SAID TODAY THAT "MANY PEOPLE BELIEVE TIME IS GETTING VERY, VERY SHORT" YET NO MMOVE HAS BEEN MADE YET TO FINANCE AN ALL-OUT CIVILIAN DEFENSE PROGRAM.
THE CONFERENCE, IN ITS PUBLICATION "THE UNITED STATES MUNICIPAL NEWS," SAID CITIES COULD ORGANIZE AND OPERATE CIVIL DEFENSE.
"BUT WHEN IT COMES TO FINANCING THE TREMENDOUS COST OF ALL-OUT CIVILIAN DEFENSE WHICH, IF CARRIED OUT IN TERMS OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES, SHELTERS, AND ALL KINDS OF EQUIPMENT WILL RUN INTO BILLIONS OF DOLLARS --THIS IS CLEARLY AND COMPLETELY A FEDERAL RESPONSIBILITY."
ITS CONCLUSION:
"THE CITIES WILL SOON LEARN WHETHER OR NOT WASHINGTON REALLY MEANS BUSINESS OR IS CONTENT JUST TO ISSUE A FEW BOOKLETS."
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A106WX (350)
NAVAL PLANNING
BY C.YATES MCDANIEL
WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-REPRESENTATIVES OF TEN ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS ARE MEETING HERE TO EXPEDITE PLANS FOR THE MOVEMENT AND PROTECTION OF MILITARY SUPPLIES IN THE EVENT OF ANOTHER GREAT WAR.
THE CHIEFS OF STAFF COMMITTEE OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC REGIONAL PLANNING GROUP STARTED THEIR DELIBERATIONS TODAY UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF ADMIRAL W.M.FECHTLER, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET. THEY WILL MEET AGAIN TOMORROW.
U.S. DEFENSE OFFICIALS SAID THE COMMITTEE WAS SCHEDULED TO MEET THIS SUMMER IN ANY CASE BUT THAT THE KOREAN CRISIS HAS GIVEN "URGENCY" TO THE SESSION.
THE IMMEDIATE PROBLEM BEFORE THE COMMITTEE, U.S. OFFICIALS SAID, IS THE ALLOCATION OF THE SUPPLY JOB THAT EACH NATION MUST PERFORM IN CASE OF WAR.
"THIS MEANS DETERMINING PRECISELY WHAT EACH OF THE 10 STATES CAN CONTRIBUTE TO DEFENDING THE VITAL LINES OF COMMUNICATION, PARTICULARLY FROM THE UNITED STATES," THE OFFICIALS ASSERTED.
THE U.S. AND GREAT BRITAIN HAVE GENERALLY BEEN COUNTED UPON TO PROVIDE MOST OF THE NAVAL PROTECTION FOR THE NORTH ATLANTIC LINES OF COMMUNICATION. BUT AMERICAN MILITARY LEADERS ARE KNOWN TO BE TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE DESIRE OF SEVERAL EUROPEAN NATIONS TO BUILD UP THEIR OWN NAVIES.
THE UNITED STATES HAS DIPLOMATICALLY INFORMED SUCH COUNTRIES AS FRANCE AND THE NETHERLANDS, DEFENSE OFFICIALS REVEALED, THAT IT MIGHT PROVE TOO COSTLY AND INEFFECTIVE TO BUILD UP SEVERAL STRONG NAVIES WHEN THE UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN ALREADY HAVE SHIPS AVAILABLE.
FRANCE AND THE NETHERLANDS HAVE ALREADY BEEN GIVEN DESTROYER ESCORTS BY THE UNITED STATES AND MORE VESSELS OF THIS TYPE ARE BEING READIED

FOR TRANSFER TO WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS.
ADMIRAL FECHTLER TOLD THE MEETING TODAY THAT ITS DELIBERATIONS TOOK AN "ADDED SIGNIFICANCE" FROM THE GENERAL WORLD SITUATION AND THE INCREASED DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS BY A NUMBER OF THE MEMBER NATIONS.
THE NATIONS REPRESENTED AT THE MEETING ARE BELGIUM, CANADA, PORTUGAL, DENMARK, FRANCE, ICELAND, THE NETHERLANDS, NORWAY, GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES.
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A14WX (480)
PMS BUDGET
DRAFT
BY ROBERT E.GEIGER
WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-IN ALL PROBABILITY THE DRAFT IS GOING TO TAKE FAR MORE MEN THIS FISCAL YEAR THAN THE 185,000 SO FAR AUTHORIZED.
THAT'S THE ESTIMATE OF MAJ.GEN.LEWIS B.HERSHEY, SELECTIVE SERVICE DIRECTOR.
HE TOLD A REPORTER THE 185,000 TOTAL WAS BASED ON AN ESTIMATE OF NEEDS MADE IN JULY BUT NOW OUTDATED BY THE WORLD SITUATION.
GENERAL HERSHEY SAID THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION IS SO UNSETTLED NOBODY CAN GIVE AN ACCURATE ESTIMATE OF JUST HOW MANY MEN MAY HAVE TO BE CALLED IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS. BUT HE REMARKED THAT CONGRESS NOW HAS REMOVED LIMITS ON THE SIZE OF THE ARMED SERVICES.
THE DRAFT DIRECTOR SAID CALLS HAVE GONE OUT FOR 100,000 MEN--50,000 IN SEPTEMBER AND 50,000 IN OCTOBER.
TESTIMONY GIVEN AUG. 1 AND RELEASED YESTERDAY BY THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE DISCLOSED THAT HERSHEY HAD BEEN AUTHORIZED TO DRAFT 185,000 MEN IN THE YEAR ENDING NEXT JUNE 30.
AFTER THE SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER CALLS FOR 100,000 MEN WERE FILLED THIS WOULD HAVE LEFT ONLY 85,000 TO BE DRAFTED IN THE NEXT EIGHT MONTHS.
"I DON'T BELIEVE WE'LL TRY TO GET BY WITH ANYWHERE NEAR AS LOW AS 85,000 ADDITIONAL MEN," GENERAL HERSHEY SAID YESTERDAY.
HERSHEY TOLD THE COMMITTEE HE PLANNED TO CALL ANOTHER 50,000 MEN IN NOVEMBER AND HE SAYS NOW THAT THIS MAY BE INCREASED. HE SAID HE EXPECTS THE CALL WILL GO OUT IN A COUPLE OF WEEKS.
THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT ESTIMATES THE MANPOWER IT NEEDS AND THEN AUTHORIZES HERSHEY TO PLACE THE DRAFT CALLS.
HERSHEY SAID THE ARMY'S FIRST REQUEST WAS FOR 20,000 MEN. ON JULY 27, ABOUT A MONTH AFTER THE KOREAN WAR STARTED, IT ASKED FOR 100,000.
MORE RECENTLY DEFENSE OFFICIALS HAVE TALKED OF BRINGING IN AROUND 300,000 MEN THROUGH THE DRAFT, RESERVES AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN.
AT PRESENT SELECTIVE SERVICE HAS BEEN CALLING MEN 19 THROUGH 25 YEARS OF AGE.
HERSHEY TOLD CONGRESS YESTERDAY NO DRAFTEES WITH DEPENDENTS HAVE BEEN TAKEN.

HE ESTIMATED THERE ARE ABOUT 1,000,000 MEN 19 TO 25 WHO HAVE BEEN DEFERRED BECAUSE THEY HAVE PEOPLE DEPENDING UPON THEM FOR SUPPORT. CONGRESS HAS NOT YET PROVIDED FUNDS TO PAY DEPENDENTS BUT IS CONSIDERING SEVERAL PLANS.
THERE IS A CRITICAL SHORTAGE OF DOCTORS, DENTISTS AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL MEN, UP TO 45 YEARS OLD, IN THE ARMED SERVICES. SENATOR TYDINGS (D-MD) CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, HAS NAMED A SUBCOMMITTEE TO CONSIDER A SPECIAL BILL TO DRAFT DOCTORS.
IN ANOTHER DEVELOPMENT YESTERDAY THE HOUSE VOTED TO AUTHORIZE THE GOVERNMENT TO BUILD ARMORIES AND OTHER TRAINING FACILITIES FOR THE NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVE FORCES. THE BILL NOW GOES TO THE SENATE.
IT WOULD PERMIT THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE TO BUILD FEDERAL ARMORIES AND TRAINING FACILITIES WITH FEDERAL MONEY. THESE WOULD BE UNDER CONTROL OF THE SECRETARY.
IN ADDITION THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE WOULD BE AUTHORIZED TO PROVIDE UP TO 75 PER CENT OF THE COST OF CONSTRUCTION FOR EXPANDING STATE-OWNED ARMORIES AND TRAINING FACILITIES. THE STATES WOULD PROVIDE THE REMAINING 25 PER CENT.
THE BILL IS AN AUTHORIZATION MEASURE ONLY, WHICH MEANS CONGRESS WOULD BE ASKED LATER TO VOTE MONEY TO PAY FOR THE PROJECTS.
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B98WX (Q) (NR FW)
NIGHT LEAD FAMILY ALLOWANCES
WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-A HOUSE COMMITTEE CONSIDERING FAMILY SUPPORT ALLOWANCES FOR SERVICEMEN DISAGREED TONIGHT ON ALLOTMENTS FOR DEPENDENTS OF LOWER PAY GROUPS.
CHAIRMAN BROOKS (D-LA) SAID AFTER A NIGHT MEETING, HOWEVER, THAT AN AGREEMENT WAS IN PROSPECT AND THAT A RECOMMENDATION MAY BE MADE SOON. BROOKS HEADS A SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE.
COMMITTEEMEN WERE REPORTED TO FAVOR DISCHARGE OF MEN WITH THREE OR MORE DEPENDENTS BUT NO FINAL DECISION WAS REACHED.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS URGED CONGRESS TO SET UP A FAMILY SUPPORT SYSTEM SPEEDILY.
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A196WX
(LEAD)
(130) FIRST LEAD FAMILY ALLOWANCES
WASHINGTON,AUG.16-(AP)-A HOUSE COMMITTEE WORKING ON THE PROBLEM OF FAMILY SUPPORT ALLOWANCES FOR SERVICEMEN WAS REPORTED TODAY TO BE INCLINED TO THE VIEW THAT MEN WITH THREE OR MORE DEPENDENTS SHOULD BE ELIGIBLE FOR DISCHARGE.
CHAIRMAN BROOKS (D-LA) OF AN ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE TOLD REPORTERS HE PERSONALLY FAVORED THE DISCHARGE OF MEN WITH MORE THAN THREE DEPENDENTS. HE SAID OTHER COMMITTEE MEMBERS WOULD HAVE IT "THREE OR MORE DEPENDENTS."
BROOKS SAID HIS GROUP MAY GET AROUND TO FORMAL VOTING ON VARIOUS PROPOSALS LATER TODAY.
CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN ARE AGREED THAT A FAMILY SUPPORT SYSTEM SHOULD BE SET UP SPEEDILY.

THEY HAD DIFFERENT IDEAS ON HOW TO DO IT: ON HOW MUCH THE PAYMENTS SHOULD BE, HOW MUCH THE G.I. SHOULD CONTRIBUTE, AND HOW MUCH THE GOVERNMENT SHOULD KICK IN.
BUT BOTH THE SENATE AND HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEES HAVE GIVEN THE MATTER A HIGH PRIORITY AND A SOLUTION IS EXPECTED SOON. A HOUSE SUBCOMMITTEE CALLED IN WITNESSES TODAY (9 A.M., EST).
A PLAN MR.TRUMAN SENT BOTH HOUSES OF CONGRESS YESTERDAY FROM THE BUDGET BUREAU EMBODIED TWO OF THE IDEAS INCLUDED IN MOST PROPOSALS BEING CONSIDERED: (1) THAT THE SERVICEMAN SHOULD BEAR A GOOD PART OF THE COST OF HIS FAMILY'S SUPPORT FROM HIS OWN PAY, AND (2) THAT THE SERVICEMAN WITH MANY DEPENDENTS SHOULDN'T BE IN THE ARMED FORCES ANYWAY.
CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD), DISCLOSING THAT A NEW PLAN HAS BEEN GIVEN "TENTATIVE SUPPORT" IN HIS SENATE COMMITTEE, TOLD REPORTERS THAT "A MAN SHOULD TAKE CARE OF HIS FAMILY WHILE HE IS IN THE SERVICE." HE ADDED THAT IF THE SERVICEMAN COULD NOT DO SO WITH THE ALLOTMENTS HE SHOULD BE DISCHARGED FROM SERVICE AS A "HARDSHIP CASE," OR DEFERRED FROM THE DRAFT.
MR.TRUMAN'S PLAN SIMILARLY RECOMMENDED DISCHARGE FROM ACTIVE DUTY OF ANY SERVICEMAN WHOSE FAMILY COULD NOT BE SUPPORTED ON A $150-A-MONTH SUPPORT ALLOTMENT, THE TOP LIMIT HE SUGGESTED.
THE PRESIDENT, URGING SPEEDY ACTION, CALLED FOR BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO BEGIN SEPT. 1 COVERING THIS MONTH.
UNDER THE ADMINISTRATION PLAN:
1. A DEPENDENT WIFE WOULD GET $75 A MONTH, PLUS $25 A MONTH FOR

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EACH DEPENDENT CHILD--BUT NOT MORE THAN $150 ALTOGETHER.
2. A DEPENDENT PARENT WOULD GET $60 A MONTH, TWO DEPENDENT PARENTS A TOTAL OF $70.
UNDER THE TENTATIVELY-APPROVED SENATE COMMITTEE PLAN, A PRIVATE'S WIFE ALONE WOULD GET $60, A WIFE AND CHILD $81, AND A WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN $105 A MONTH.
TYDINGS TOLD REPORTERS THERE PROBABLY WILL BE A "COMPROMISE" BETWEEN WHAT THE ADMINISTRATION PROPOSED AND WHAT THE SENATE COMMITTEE HAS BEEN PLANNING. HE SAID THE BASIC BENEFIT PAYMENT MIGHT WIND UP AT ABOUT $65, INSTEAD OF THE $75 PROPOSED BY MR.TRUMAN.

UNDER THE SENATE PLAN LIVING ALLOWANCES OF $67.50 NOW GIVEN TO THE TOP THREE GRADES OF NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICERS, AND TO PART OF THE FOURTH HIGHEST GRADE, WOULD BE EXTENDED TO ALL ENLISTED MEN FROM BUCK PRIVATE TO TOP SERGEANT IN THE ARMY AND CORRESPONDING RANKS IN THE NAVY, AIR FORCE AND COAST GUARD.
THE SERVICEMAN WOULD BE REQUIRED TO SIGN OVER HALF HIS PAY PLUS ALLOWANCES IF HE HAD A WIFE, 60 PER CENT IF HE HAD A WIFE AND CHILD, 70 PER CENT IF HE HAD A WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN. TYDINGS SAID ANYBODY WITH MORE DEPENDENTS THAN THAT SHOULD GET OUT OF THE SERVICES.
UNDER THE ADMINISTRATION PLAN, NO ADDITIONAL ALLOWANCE WOULD BE GIVEN TO FAMILIES OF MEN IN THE TOP ENLISTED GRADES WHO NOW RECEIVE THE $67.50 MONTHLY ALLOWANCES.
OTHER SERVICEMEN WOULD CONTRIBUTE EITHER HALF OF THE NEW ALLOWANCE FOR THEIR FAMILY, OR 60 PER CENT OF PAY, WHICHEVER WAS THE SMALLER SUM.
UNDER THE SENATE COMMITTEE PROPOSAL, THE PRIVATE WOULD GET $45 FROM THE GOVERNMENT IF HE HAD A WIFE AND WOULD ADD THIS TO HIS $75 MONTHLY PAY AND THEN SEND BACK HALF OR $60. WITH ONE CHILD THE PRIVATE WOULD GET $60 PLUS HIS $75 PAY AND SEND BACK 60 PER CENT OR $81. WITH TWO CHILDREN HE WOULD GET $75 PLUS $75 PAY AND SEND BACK 70 PER CENT OR $105.
FOR COMPARISON, A TOP RANKING SERGEANT GETTING $236 WITH A DEPENDENT WIFE WOULD GET $67.50 AND SEND HOME $151.25; WITH ONE CHILD HE WOULD SEND HOME 60 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL OR $181.50 BUT WITH TWO CHILDREN HE WOULD GET $75 ALLOWANCES AND SEND HOME 70 PER CENT OR $217.
SENATOR CHAPMAN (D-KY) GOT THE SENATE COMMITTEE TO ORDER THE FAMILY ALLOTMENTS FOR ALL GRADES AFTER RECALLING THAT SOME ENLISTED MEN REFUSED TO SEND ALLOTMENTS HOME FOR THEIR DEPENDENTS UNDER THE WORLD WAR II FAMILY ALLOWANCE ACT.

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(250) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 PM, EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, WEDNESDAY, AUG.16)
WASHINGTON, AUG.16-(AP)-THE ARMY TODAY ANNOUNCED THE OPENING OF 11 ADVANCED REPLACEMENT CENTERS TO SPEED THE SPECIALIZED TRAINING OF SOLDIERS.
THE ADVANCED CENTERS, THE ARMY SAID, WILL BE LOCATED AT EXISTING ARMY POSTS - 2 OF THE CAMPS TO BEAT CAMP GORDON, GA.
BASIC TRAINING FOR ALL BRANCHES OF THE ARMY AND ADVANCED INFANTRY TRAINING WILL BE CARRIED ON AT REPLACEMENT CENTERS IN OPERATION AT THE BEGINNING OF THE KOREAN WAR OR REACTIVATED SINCE THEN.
SPECIALIZED TRAINING WILL BE CONDUCTED AT THE FOLLOWING POSTS: ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY AT FORT BLISS, TEXAS; ARTILLERY, FORT SILL, OKLA.; ARMOR, FORT KNOX, KY.; CHEMICAL CORPS AT THE ARMY CHEMICAL CENTER, EDGEWOOD ARSENAL, MD.; ENGINEERS, FORT BELVOIR, VA.; MEDICAL CORPS, FORT SAM HOUSTON, TEX.; ORDNANCE, ABERDEEN, MD., PROVING GROUND; QUARTERMASTER CORPS., FORT LEE, VA.; TRANSPORTATION CORPS, FORT EUSTIS, VA.; SIGNAL AND MILITARY POLICE CORPS, CAMP GORDON, GA.
ALL THESE STATIONS ARE NOW ACTIVE ARMY INSTALLATIONS. THE ARMY SAID THAT THE TRAINING ACTIVITIES WILL BE ADDED TO THEIR CURRENT OPERATIONS.
THE BASIC REPLACEMENT TRAINING CENTERS, ALL PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED, ARE FORT DIX, N.J.; FORT KNOX, KY.; FORT JACKSON, S.C.; FORT RILEY, KAS.; FORT ORD, CALIF.; CAMP CHAFFEE, ARK.; CAMP BRECKINRIDGE, KY.; AND FORT LEONARD WOOD, MO.
ALL ARMY INDUCTEES WILL RECEIVE SIX WEEKS OF BASIC TRAINING. THE FINAL EIGHT WEEKS OF TRAINING WILL BE DEVOTED TO INTENSIVE WORK IN THE SPECIALIZED FIELDS TO WHICH THE MEN ARE ASSIGNED.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 PM, EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, WEDNESDAY, AUG.16)

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(500) AMS BUDGET

NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS

BY WILLARD H.MOBLEY
WASHINGTON, AUG.16-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN STARTED PASSING OUT WORK ASSIGNMENTS TODAY TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES WHICH WILL ADMINISTER SOME PARTS OF WHATEVER ECONOMIC CONTROLS CONGRESS FINALLY AUTHORIZES.
HE MET WITH HEADS OF FEDERAL REGULATORY BODIES AT THE WHITE HOUSE AS THE SENATE WADED INTO ANOTHER DAY OF ARGUMENT OVER THE SCOPE OF THE POWERS TO BE GIVEN THE PRESIDENT FOR HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION.
ANOTHER WHITE HOUSE CALLER DURING THE DAY WAS CHARLES E. WILSON, PRESIDENT OF GENERAL ELECTRIC AND A KEY FIGURE IN GEARING INDUSTRY TO THE WORLD WAR II EFFORT.
SOME OF THE BIGGEST JOBS IN THE ECONOMIC MOBILIZATION EFFORT ALREADY HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED, ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE LAWMAKERS WILL GIVE THE PRESIDENT THE POWERS HE ASKED.
THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT GETS ALLOCATIONS AND PRIORITIES TO CHANNEL SCARCE MATERIALS INTO DEFENSE PRODUCTION. THE FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD GETS CREDIT CONTROLS TO CURB INFLATION.
BUT SOME OTHER AGENCIES WILL BE IN THE PICTURE TOO AND THEIR TASKS WERE UP FOR DISCUSSION IN THE WHITE HOUSE SESSION. PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY CHARLES G. ROSS TOLD REPORTERS THE CONFERENCE WAS CALLED TO GO OVER THE ROLES OF THE AGENCIES IN "WHATEVER EMERGENCY PROGRAM MAY BE SET UP."
PRESENT WERE THE HEADS OF THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION, THE FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION, THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION, THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION AND OTHER AGENCIES.
THE WASHINGTON POST SAID TONIGHT THAT WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, WAS BEING PROMINENTLY MENTIONED FOR A TOP COMMERCE DEPARTMENT POST TO ADMINISTER PRIORITIES, ALLOCATIONS AND INVENTORY CONTROLS.
HARRISON, A MAN OF EXTENSIVE BUSINESS BACKGROUND, WAS DIRECTOR OF WAR PRODUCTION IN THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD OF THE LAST CONFLICT, AND LATER AS A MAJOR GENERAL HE HEADED PROCUREMENT FOR THE SIGNAL CORPS.
MR.TRUMAN ASKED THE REGULATORY AGENCY CHIEFS FOR A REPORT WITHIN A WEEK ON WHAT GROUND THEY CAN COVER IN THE HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION.
AFTER THE MEETING ROSS ASSURED REPORTERS THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE PRESIDENT'S OPINION THAT THE TIME FOR ALL-OUT MOBILIZATION IS NOT IN SIGHT.
HE GAVE OUT THAT WORD WHEN NEWSMEN ASKED ABOUT A WHITE HOUSE VISIT YESTERDAY BY SENATOR MYERS (D-PA). MYERS, CAMPAIGNING FOR ALL-OUT

MOBILIZATION, SAID HE HAD URGED HIS VIEWS ON THE PRESIDENT BUT WOULD NOT REPORT MR.TRUMAN'S REACTION.

THE REGULATORY AGENCIES CONFERENCE GAVE NEW EMPHASIS TO THE WHITE HOUSE VIEW THAT AS FAR AS POSSIBLE ECONOMIC MOBILIZATION MEASURES SHOULD BE CARRIED OUT BY EXISTING GOVERNMENT AGENCIES INSTEAD OF SETTING UP SPECIAL BOARDS AS WAS DONE IN WORLD WAR II.

WILSON WOULD NOT DISCUSS HIS SESSION WITH THE PRESIDENT EXCEPT TO SAY THEY TALKED GENERALLY ABOUT CURRENT MOBILIZATION PLANS.

ASKED IF HE MIGHT RETURN TO THE GOVERNMENT IN VIEW OF THE EMERGENCY, WILSON SAID "IT WASN'T DISCUSSED."

THE GENERAL ELECTRIC PRESIDENT DESCRIBED THE CONTROLS ASKED BY THE PRESIDENT AS "ADEQUATE UNLESS THE SITUATION CHANGES."

HE TOLD REPORTERS THAT INDUSTRY IS IN GOOD POSITION FOR WAR OUTPUT, NOTING THAT HIS OWN COMPANY HAS NEW FACILITIES WHICH WOULD PERMIT TWICE AS MUCH WAR OUTPUT AS IN THE LAST WAR.

DESPITE RISING COSTS, HE SAID, INDUSTRY HAS DONE "A PRETTY GOOD JOB" OF KEEPING PRICES STABLE. BUT HE ADDED THAT IT MAY NOT BE ABLE TO HOLD THE PRICE LINE IF COSTS KEEP GOING UP.

WILSON WAS EXECUTIVE VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD WHICH ADMINISTERED THE MAIN INDUSTRIAL PROGRAMS IN THE 1940'S.

THE SENATE DEBATE ON THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL CONTINUED UNDER WIDE-OPEN RULES WHICH WILL REMAIN IN FORCE UNTIL VOTING ON AMENDMENTS AND THE BILL ITSELF IS TAKEN UP AGAIN MONDAY. UNTIL THEN ANY SENATOR CAN TALK AT WILL ABOUT THE GENERAL MEASURE OR ANY AMENDMENT.

THERE WAS EVERY INDICATION THAT THE HEAVIEST ORAL BARRAGES WILL BE LAID DOWN ON TWO AMENDMENTS: THE ONE FROM THE BANKING COMMITTEE GIVING PRESIDENT TRUMAN DISCRETIONARY POWER TO APPLY PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING CONTROLS IF HE SEES THE NEED; AND THE MOVE BY REPUBLICAN SENATORS MUNDT (SD) AND FERGUSON (MICH) TO ATTACH THEIR COMMUNIST CONTROL BILL AS A RIDER.

ADMINISTRATION LEADERS WERE FIGHTING THE LATTER PLAN BUT THERE WERE INDICATIONS THEY MIGHT FIND ROUGH GOING.

WHILE THE BUSINESS OFFICIALLY BEFORE THE SENATE WAS THE CONTROLS BILL, DISCUSSION GOT OFF TO A SLOW START WITH DIGRESSIONS INTO SUCH FIELDS AS AID TO KOREA. NOBODY TELLS A SENATOR WHAT HE CAN TALK ABOUT WHEN HE GETS THE FLOOR.

OUTSIDE THE CHAMBER, SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO), REPUBLICAN POLICY COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, TOLD REPORTERS THE EFFORT TO WRITE COMMUNIST CONTROLS INTO THE ECONOMIC CURBS BILL IS "JUSTIFIABLE".

THE MUNDT-FERGUSON MEASURE, TAFT SAID, "HAS BEEN HANGING AROUND A LONG TIME AND THEY (THE DEMOCRATS) HAVE REFUSED TO BRING IT UP."

TAFT, HOWEVER, SAID HE WAS UNDECIDED AS TO WHETHER IT IS GOOD STRATEGY TO TRY TO WRITE IT INTO THE ECONOMIC BILL.

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CONTROLS VOTE (250)

WASHINGTON,AUG.16-(AP)-THE SENATE PUT OVER UNTIL NEXT WEEK ANY FURTHER VOTING ON HOME FRONT CONTROLS BECAUSE OF A DEMOCRATIC RALLY IN WEST VIRGINIA SET FOR FRIDAY.

ORIGINALLY THE IDEA HAD BEEN TO START VOTING THAT DAY ON THE MEASURE TO GIVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN BROAD NEW ECONOMIC POWER.

BUT SENATOR NEELY (D-WVA) OBJECTED. HE TOLD THE SENATE YESTERDAY THAT SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) HAD PROMISED TO BE IN HUNTINGTON,W.VA., FRIDAY TO ADDRESS A DEMOCRATIC RALLY.

TRUE, SAID SPARKMAN. HE HAD ACCEPTED THE INVITATION TWO MONTHS AGO, AT A TIME WHEN HE THOUGHT THE SENATE WOULD BE ADJOURNED BY NOW.

HOWEVER, SPARKMAN SAID HE WOULDN'T BLOCK ANY REQUEST FOR A UNANIMOUS AGREEMENT TO VOTE ON FRIDAY.

NEELY: "PERSONALLY I PREFER THAT THE SENATE DISPOSE OF THIS IMPORTANT MATTER TOMORROW OR THURSDAY. I DO NOT WISH TO DELAY ACTION

"BUT IN MY OPINION, EXCEPT THE SAVING OF IMMORTAL SOULS, THE MOST IMPORTANT THING THIS SIDE OF THE GRAVE TO THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD IS THE SUCCESS OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN THE APPROACHING ELECTION.

"THE SUCCESS OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN THE NATION IS LARGELY DEPENDENT UPON ITS SUCCESS IN WEST VIRGINIA. THE DEMOCRATIC SUCCESS IN WEST VIRGINIA IS LARGELY DEPENDENT UPON THE SPEECH WITH WHICH THE SENATOR FROM ALABAMA (MR.SPARKMAN) HAS PROMISED TO DELIVER IN HUNTIINGTON NEXT FRIDAY."

SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC) PUT IN:

"I WISH TO SAY THAT THE SUCCESS OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN SOUTH CAROLINA HAS ALREADY BEEN ASSURED."

NEELY: "UNHAPPILY, IN WEST VIRGINIA WE DO NOT COMPLETE OUR VOTING UNTIL NOVEMBER.XXX

"MR.PRESIDENT, LET ME ENTREAT THE SENATOR FROM SOUTH CAROLINA IN BEHALF OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY AND THE PROSPERITY AND HAPPINESS OF THE WORLD, TO POSTPONE THE PROPOSED CONSENT AGREEMENT (ON A TIME TO VOTE."

UPSHOT: THE SENATORS WILL VOTE ON MONDAY.

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NIGHT LEAD TAXES (450)

WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-IN A MOVE TO QUICKEN REARMAMENT, THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE TODAY VOTED SPECIAL TAX TREATMENT FOR INDUSTRIES WHICH BUILD FACTORIES OR BUY EQUIPMENT TO PRODUCE FOR THE ARMED FORCES.

IT DECIDED TO REVIVE THE WORLD WAR II PROVISION CALLING FOR "ACCELERATED AMORTIZATION" FOR SUCH EMERGENCY FACILITIES. THE COST OF A NEW ARMS-PRODUCING BUILDING, FOR EXAMPLE, COULD BE AMORTIZED IN FIVE YEARS FOR TAX PURPOSES.

THIS MEANS THAT THE OWNERS OF THE FACTORY COULD DEDUCT 20 PERCENT OF ITS COST FROM GROSS INCOME IN EACH OF THE FIVE YEARS, BEFORE THEY COMPUTE THEIR INCOME TAXES. UNDER EXISTING LAW SUCH AMORTIZATION MIGHT HAVE TO BE SPREAD OVER 20 YEARS OF MORE.

THE IDEA OF THE SPECIAL TREATMENT IS TO ENCOURAGE INDUSTRY TO SWING QUICKLY INTO THE WORK OF PRODUCING WHATEVER IS NEEDED FOR DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNISM.

AT THE SAME TIME THE COMMITTEE VOTED TO INCREASE THE TOP-BRACKET TAX ON 1950 CORPORATE INCOME FROM THE PRESENT 38 PERCENT TO 42 PERCENT. THIS IS CALCULATED TO PRODUCE ABOUT $700,000,000 EXTRA FOR THE TREASURY THIS YEAR.

PREVIOUSLY THE COMMITTEE HAD APPROVED AN INCREASE FROM 38 PERCENT TO 45 PERCENT IN THE TOP CORPORATE INCOME TAX RATE, EFFECTIVE ON ONE HALF OF 1950'S INCOME, AND ALL INCOME IN SUCCEEDING YEARS.

TODAY'S VOTE CHANGED THE PREVIOUS DECISION, SO FAR AS 1950 INCOME IS CONCERNED, BUT COMMITTEE MEMBERS SAID IT WAS LARGELY A CHANGE IN METHOD OF FIGURING.

THE COMMITTEE DECIDED TODAY THAT, WITH REGARD TO CORPORATE INCOME FOR THE ENTIRE YEAR 1950, THE FIRST $25,000 SHOULD BE TAXED AT 23 PERCENT AND ALL OVER $25,000 AT 42 PERCENT.

PRESENT CORPORATION RATES ARE 21 PERCENT OF THE FIRST $5,000; 23 PERCENT OF THE NEXT $15,000; 25 PERCENT OF THE NEXT $5,000; 33 PERCENT OF INCOME BETWEEN $25,000 AND $50,000, AND 38 PERCENT ON ALL INCOME OVER $50,000.

THE BILL PROVIDES THAT THESE RATES SHALL APPLY ON ALL CORPORATION INCOME IN 1951 AND THEREAFTER; 25 PER CENT ON THE FIRST $25,000 AND 45 PERCENT ON ALL OVER $25,000. THIS WILL YIELD THE TREASURY ABOUT $1.500.000.000 EXTRA A YEAR.

THE COMMITTEE ALREADY HAS VOTED, ALONG WITH CORPORATION INCREASES, A BOOST OF ALMOST $3,000,000,000 IN INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAXES, WITH THE HIGHER RATES EFFECTIVE ON ONE-FOURTH OF 1950. INDIVIDUAL INCOME AND

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EFFECTIVE FULLY ON INCOMES OF 1951 AND THEREAFTER.
THE FIVE-YEAR AMORTIZAION PLAN WOULD APPLY TO FACILITIES, LAND, BUILDINGS, MACHINERY, OR EQUIPMENT, BUILT OR BOUGHT AFTER DECEMBER 31, 1949 AND CERTIFIED AS NECESSARY FOR THE NATIONAL DEFENSE. PRESIDENT TRUMAN WOULD APPOINT A CERTIFYING AUTHORITY.
IN WORLD WAR II THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD WAS THE CERTIFYING AUTHORITY.
EARLIER IN THE DAY, THE COMMITTEE VOTED A CRACKDOWN ON TRANSPORTATION TAX AVOIDANCE. IT WROTE INTO THE BILL A PROVISION AIMED TO STOP EXCISE TAX DODGING BY PERSONS OR BUSINESSES THAT BUY TRAVEL TICKETS OR PAY FREIGHT BILLS OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES FOR MOVEMENT OF PERSONS OR PROPERTY WITHIN THIS COUNTRY.
(EDS: PREVIOUS NIGHT LEAD MOVED ON MKT WIRE MAY BE PICKED UP AT 3RD PGH BEGINNING "SINCE AGENCIES," ETC.)
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B80WX (Q)
AUG 17 1950
(NY RELAY SOUTH)
WASHINGTON, AUG. 16-(AP)-COL. JOSEPH C.STEHLIN, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE ARMY AND NAVY UNION, URGED TODAY THAT JAPANESE AND WHITE RUSSIANS BE USED TO FIGHT THE COMMUNISTS.
THE MIAMI, FLA., BUSINESSMAN SAID ALSO THAT HIS ORGANIZATION "DEMANDS THAT ALL DEPENDENTS BE BROUGHT OUT OF GERMANY BECAUSE THAT COULD BE THE NEXT SPOT."
"IT IS EXPEDIENT THAT OUR ARMED FORCES' DEPENDENTS IN GERMANY, IN PARTICULAR, AND THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, BE ORDERED TO RETURN TO AMERICA AT THE EARLIEST PRACTICAL OPPORTUNITY," STEHLIN SAID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE AT THE OPENING OF THE UNION'S ANNUAL CONVENTION.
STEHLIN EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT WAR WITH RUSSIA IS INEVITABLE AND SAID:
"LET'S ORGANIZE AN EFFICIENT AND STRONG JAPANESE FOREIGN LEGION FOR IMMEDIATE COMBAT SERVICE AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS.
"VETERANS OF THE PACIFIC WAR KNOW HOW VICIOUSLY THE JAPANESE CAN FIGHT. GEN. MACARTHUR COULD GET 200,000 OR 300,000 JAPANESE ENLISTMENTS OVERNIGHT FOR THE FIGHTING IN KOREA.
"LET'S ORGANIZE A WHITE RUSSIAN UNDERGROUND FOR THE EXPRESS PURPOSE OF OVERTHROWING THE COMMUNIST REGIME."
STEHLIN PREDICTED THE UNITED NATIONS WILL FAIL, AS THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS FAILED, IN ELIMINATING WARFARE.
HE ADDED THAT FEW NATIONS WOULD TOLERATE "SUCH NONSENSE" AS THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT RIDICULING AMERICA DAILY AT LAKE SUCCESS.
"ALL THIS PROPAGANDA ON THE PART OF THE RUSSIANS IS MERELY TO STALL FOR TIME OR RETARD OUR EFFORTS TO PREPARE," STEHLIN SAID.
"THE RUSSIAN PROBING OPERATIONS, SUCH AS KOREA, WILL BE CARRIED ON INDEFINITELY UNTIL THE KREMLIN IS SATISFIED THAT THE PROPITIOUS TIME FOR THE MAIN ATTACK--WAR AGAINST AMERICA--IS AT HAND.
"IT IS USELESS TO ATTEMPT TO CUT THE TENTACLES FROM AN OCTOPUS. I WOULD SUGGEST THAT WE KILL THE OCTOPUS."
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A75WX
MOSCOW RADIO (100)
WASHINGTON, AUG. 16-(AP)-RADIO MOSCOW, BORROWING A LEAF FROM CAPITALIST DOCTRINES, IS URGING LARGE SCALE ADVERTISING TO INFLUENCE RUSSIAN BUYERS.
A BROADCAST, PICKING UP BY AMERICAN GOVERNMENT MONITORS, COMPLAINED THAT WHILE SOVIET COOPERATIVES WERE BOOSTING PRODUCTION, NO ONE WAS TRYING VERY HARD TO GET THE PEOPLE TO BUY THE GOODS PRODUCED.
"THE TIME HAS COME WHEN OUR CULTURED SOVIET ADVERTISING MUST BE USED ON A LARGE SCALE," THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID, ADDING:
"TRADING ORGANIZATIONS MUST SHOW INITIATIVE IN THE INTRODUCTION OF NEW TYPES OF GOODS, THUS HELPING TO INCREASE THE DEMAND FOR THEM AND EDUCATE THE TASTE OF THE POPULATION."
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GLENNAN
WASHINGTON, AUG. 16-(AP)-SENATE MEMBERS OF THE JOINT ATOMIC COMMITTEE TODAY UNANIMOUSLY RECOMMENDED SENATE APPROVAL OF THOMAS KEITH GLENNAN AS A MEMBER OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.
GLENNAN, 44-YEAR-OLD PRESIDENT OF CASE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY OF CLEVELAND, WAS NOMINATED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN LAST WEEK FOR A FIVE YEAR TERM.
HE WOULD FILL THE VACANCY ON THE COMMISSION LEFT BY THE RESIGNATION LAST APRIL OF LEWIS L.STRAUSS.

SENATORS ON THE ATOMIC COMMITTEE APPROVED THE APPOINTMENT OF GLENNAN AFTER QUESTIONING HIM BRIEFLY AT A PUBLIC HEARING.
ALL OF THE QUESTIONS DEALT WITH HIS BACKGROUND AS A BUSINESS EXECUTIVE, EDUCATOR AND SCIENTIST.
SENATOR BRICKER (R-OHIO) SAID REACTION IN OHIO TO THE NOMINATION OF GLENNAN WAS TWOFOLD--THAT OHIOANS ARE SORRY TO SEE GLENNAN LEAVE THE STATE, BUT FEEL THE ATOMIC COMMISSION IS GETTING A MAN OF "GREAT ABILITY, STURDY AMERICANISM AND PATRIOTISM."
AFTER ACTING ON THE GLENNAN NOMINATION, THE COMMITTEE DISCUSSED BEHIND CLOSED DOORS A PROPOSAL BY SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN), THE CHAIRMAN, TO GIVE THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION AUTHORITY TO APPOINT THE GENERAL MANAGER OF THE COMMISSION.
THE PRESENT LAW PLACES THAT RESPONSIBILITY IN THE HANDS OF THE PRESIDENT. SENATE CONFIRMATION IS REQUIRED.
MCMAHON SAID THE JOINT COMMITTEE REACHED NO DECISION ON THE MATTER. HE SAID IT WILL BE DISCUSSED FURTHER AT A MEETING NEXT WEEK.
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B74WX (Q)
AUG 17 1950
WASHINGTON, AUG 16-(AP)-REP.GORDON (D-ILL) HAS REMINDED THE POLES BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN THAT 30 YEARS AGO ON AUGUST 15 THEY WON THE BATTLE OF WARSAW AGAINST RUSSIAN AGGRESSION.
GORDON, IN A SPEECH BROADCAST BY THE VOICE OF AMERICA YESTERDAY, DESCRIBED THIS BATTLE AS THE TURNING POINT IN POLAND'S FIRST WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE.
GORDON, OF POLISH DESCENT, SPOKE BOTH IN ENGLISH AND IN POLISH. THE SPEECH WAS TRANSMITTED BY SHORT WAVE FROM ENGLAND AND BY SHORT AND MEDIUM WAVE FROM TRANSMITTERS IN MUNICH, GERMANY.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT MADE PUBLIC A SUMMARY TODAY.
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B24WX (Q)
WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE SAID TODAY THAT MRS.VALENTINA GARDNER, 27-YEAR-OLD WHITE RUSSIAN, HAS BEEN ADMITTED TO THIS COUNTRY FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE AS A WAR BRIDE.
MRS.GARDNER WAS MARRIED IN 1946 AT YOKAHAMA,JAPAN, TO HENRY F. GARDNER, COMBAT INFANTRYMAN FROM BUFFALO,N.Y. SHE ARRIVED IN SAN FRANCISCO NOV. 30,1948 AND APPLIED FOR ADMISSION UNDER THE WAR BRIDES ACT.
SHE WAS RELEASED ON BOND PENDING AN INQUIRY INTO HER STATUS. THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE SAID THE CASE HAS BEEN CLOSED WITH A FINAL ORDER AUTHORIZING PERMANENT RESIDENCE.
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B32WX (Q)
(300) RUBBER
BY MAX HALL

WASHINGTON,AUG 16-(AP)-THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY IT IS CONSIDERING AN ORDER TO THE RUBBER INDUSTRY TO USE MORE SYNTHETIC AND LESS NATURAL RUBBER. NO SPECIFIC DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR SUCH ACTION.

THERE HAVE BEEN NUMEROUS REPORTS AS TO THE DEPARTMENT'S INTENTIONS. SOME INDUSTRY LEADERS HAVE TAKEN THE POSITION THAT SYNTHETIC PRODUCTION SHOULD BE EXPANDED IN VIEW OF THE INTERNATIONAL CRISIS AND A LARGER PROPORTION OF SYNTHETIC USED IN TILE MANUFACTURE. THIS WOULD PERMIT MORE STOCKPILING OF NATURAL RUBBER WHENEVER CONGRESS VOTES THE MONEY FOR A STOCKPILING PROGRAM.

EARL GLEN, CHIEF OF THE DEPARTMENT'S RUBBER DIVISION, TOLD A REPORTER:

"WE HAVE AN OBLIGATION TO KEEP OUR FINGER ON THE SITUATION. WE ARE STUDYING IT CONTINUALLY. TENTATIVE ORDERS HAVE BEEN DRAFTED FROM TIME TO TIME. THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION MAY WELL NECESSITATE SUCH AN ORDER.

WHEN ASKED ABOUT A REPORT THAT SEPTEMBER 1 HAS BEEN CHOSEN, HE SAID: "THAT ISN'T RIGHT. IT MAY BE DONE ON SEPTEMBER 1, AND IT MAY NOT. THERE IS NO PLAN YET TO ISSUE AN ORDER ON ANY PARTICULAR DATE."

HE SAID ANY PROPOSED ORDER WOULD HAVE TO BE APPROVED AT A HIGH LEVEL OF GOVERNMENT, REVIEWED BY INDUSTRY, AND THEN PRINTED--AND ALL THAT WOULD TAKE TIME.

GLEN AND OTHER DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID EMPHATICALLY THAT THE AUTHORITY NOW EXISTS, UNDER THE RUBBER ACT OF 1948, AS EXTENDED TO 1952, FOR THE DEPARTMENT TO CONTROL THE FLOW OF RUBBER, TO CONTROL INVENTORIES, AND LAY DOWN SPECIFICATIONS.

SUCH AUTHORITY HAS NOT YET BEEN USED.

SOME OFFICIALS SAID THAT LEGAL PROBLEMS EXIST AND THERE IS A QUESTION WHETHER IT WOULD BE BETTER TO WAIT UNTIL CONGRESS PASSES A CONTROL BILL GIVING PRESIDENT TRUMAN GENERAL AUTHORITY TO ALLOCATE MATERIALS.

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DURHAM, N.H., AUG 16-(AP)-THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE HAPPILY ANNOUNCED TODAY HARMONY EXISTS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA--SO FAR AS THE PLANT WORLD IS CONCERNED.

A CROSS BETWEEN AMERICAN AND RUSSIAN MULBERRY BUSHES HAS PRODUCED A SUPERIOR SPECIE, U.OF N.H. PLANT BREEDERS HAVE DISCOVERED.

THE BUSHES ARE TO BE PUT ON DISPLAY AT THE HORTICULTURAL FARM FRIDAY.

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CHICAGO,AUG.16-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) SAID TODAY HE WILL CONTIE A "BARE KNUCKLE" FIGHT AGAINST COMMUNISM "AS LONG AS THERE IS ONE SINGLE COMMUNIST IN OUR GOVERNMENT IN A POSITION TO BETRAY US."

"IT HAS BEEN A BARE KNUCKLE FIGHT SO FAR AND THE EXTENT OF THE SCREAMING OF THE COMMUNIST CONTROLLED ELEMENTS OF THE PRESS SHOWS HOW MUCH THEY ARE BEING HURT," HE ADDED. HE ADDRESSED THE NATIONAL FOOD DISTRIBUTORS OF AMERICA.

MCCARTHY RENEWED HIS ATACK ON SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND PHILLIP JESSUP, AMBASSADOR AT LARGE. HE SAID THAT WHEN HIS CRITICISM OF JESSUP WAS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT, MR.TRUMAN'S ACTION "CONSISTED IN GIVING JESSUP TOP SECRET CLEARANCE TO ALL ATOMIC AND HYDROGEN BOMB INFORMATION."

"IT IS TIME FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TO NOTIFY MR.TRUMAN AND HIS KANSAS CITY CRONIES THAT WE WILL NOT STAND IDLY BY AND WATCH THIS TYPE OF STUPIDLY STUBBORN AND STUBBORNLY STUPID PLAYING WITH OUR NATIONAL SECURITY," HE SAID.

HE SAID 1952, THE NEXT PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, "WILL BE TOO LATE FOR ACTION."

"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE MUST MAKE THEIR VOICES HEARD NOW SO MR.TRUMAN FINALLY WILL SAY WE MUST HAVE A HOUSE CLEANING," HE ADDED.

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CHICAGO, AUG 16-(AP)-A VETERANS' LEADER SAID TODAY THAT THERE HAS BEEN "POLITICAL FUMBLING WITH OUR SECURITY."

IN A STATEMENT, CLYDE A. LEWIS, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, DEMANDED THAT "THE ADMINISTRATION AND THE CONGRESS ACT IMMEDIATELY TO PROVIDE FOR THE MILITARY TRAINING OF OUR YOUTH THROUGH A UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING PROGRAM AND BY MEANS OF OUR PROPOSED RESERVE INTENSIFICATION PROGRAM."

THE VFW HAS LONG ADVOCATED A UNIVERSAL TRAINING PROGRAM. RECENTLY, IT ADVANCED A PLAN FOR INTENSIFIED TRAINING OF EXISTING RESERVES.

LEWIS SAID HE HAD BEEN INFORMED THAT ADMINISTRATION LEADERS "WILL GO ALONG WITH UMT BUT ONLY ON A STAND-BY BASIS.

"IT'S ONE THING TO HANDLE PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS ON A STAND-BY BASIS," HE SAID, "BUT TO PLAY WHEN-AND-IF WITH OUR NATIONAL SECURITY IS A HORSE OF A NOTHER COLOR."

HE RECOMMENDED TO "OUR LEADERS A CAREFUL STUDY OF THE MILITARY TRAINING SYSTEM WHICH HAS BEEN IN EFFECT IN SWITZERLAND FOR MANY YEARS."

HE SAID THE SWISS SYSTEM IS "NOT UNLIKE THAT WE PROPOSE HERE" AND IS "BOTH PRACTICAL AND ECONOMICAL."

LEWIS WAS HERE MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE V.F.W.'S 51 ST ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT OPENING AUG.27.

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CHICAGO, AUG 16-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT HAS DROPPED FRAUD CHARGES AGAINST THREE ASSOCIATES OF HENRY AND MURRAY GARSSON IN A WARTIME ILLINOIS MUNITIONS COMBINE.

THE GARRSON BROTHERS AND THEIR ASSOCIATES WERE INDICTED IN BALTIMORE MARCH 11, 1948. A FEDERAL GRAND JURY ACCUSED THEM OF SWINDLING THE GOVERNMENT OF "LARGE AMOUNTS" OF MONEY.

JUDGE WALTER J. LABUY DISMISSED THE CHARGES AGAINST THE ASSOCIATES IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT IN CHICAGO AUG. 8. HIS ACTION WENT UNNOTICED BY THE PRESS UNTIL TODAY. THE CHARGES WERE DISMISSED AT THE GOVERNMENT'S REQUEST.

OTTO KERNER, JR., U.S. DISTRICT ATTORNEY IN CHICAGO, SAID TONIGHT HE OBTAINED THE DISMISSAL UPON ORDERS FROM THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE IN WASHINGTON.

KERNER SAID THE ORDER CAME FROM ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL JAMES MCINERNEY, HEAD OF THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT'S CRIMINAL DIVISION. KERNER SAID HE DOESN'T KNOW WHY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT ORDERED THE DISMISSAL.

"I REALLY DON'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT THE CASE," KERNER SAID.

THE INDICTMENTS DISMISSED WERE THOSE AGAINST THE ERIE BASIN METAL PRODUCTS, INC., OF ELGIN, ILL.; ITS PRESIDENT, ALLEN B. GELLMAN; ITS TREASURER, JOSEPH T. WEISS, AND ITS COMPTROLLER, HARRY S. GLICK.

WITH THE GARSSON BROTHERS THEY WERE CHARGED IN THE BALTIMORE INDICTMENTS WITH CONSPIRACY IN CONNECTION WITH WORLD WAR II MATERIAL CONTRACTS AND WITH FILING FALSE STATEMENTS ABOUT THE TRANSACTIONS.

THEY DID IT, THE GOVERNMENT CHARGED, WITH A COMPLEX SYSTEM OF JUGGLED ACCOUNTS, KICK-BACKS, AND FICTITIOUS EXPENSE STATEMENTS DESIGNED TO HID EXCESS WAR PROFITS THAT WERE SUBJECT TO PARTIAL RECOVERY BY THE UNITED STATES.

A JUSTICE DEPARTMENT PROSECUTOR SAID THE GOVERNMENTS LOSSES RAN "WELL OVER A MILLION DOLLARS."

GELLMAN, WEISS AND GLICK LATER OBTAINED A TRANSFER OF THEIR CASES TO CHICAGO.

THE GARSSONS, AT THE TIME OF THE BALTIMORE INDICTMENTS, ALREADY HAD BEEN CONVICTED WITH FORMER REP. ANDREW J. MAY (D-KY) OF PASSING BRIBES. THE GARSSONS AND MAY NOW ARE SERVING PRISON TERMS OF FROM EIGHT MONTHS TO TWO YEARS.
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(260)
DETROIT,AUG.16-(AP)-ERIC JOHNSTON, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE U.S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, ADVOCATED TODAY INCLUSION OF LABOR LEADERS "WHO HAVE LICKED COMMUNISM IN THEIR OWN UNIONS" IN AMERICA'S UNITED NATIONS DELEGATION.
"OUR LABOR LEADERS ARE USED TO JACOB MALIKS," JOHNSTON SAID. "THEY HAVE HAD TO DEAL WITH AMERICAN-STYLE MALIKS FOR YEARS, SO THEY ARE UP ON ALL THE COMMUNIST TECHNIQUES AND HOW TO OVERCOME THEM."
(JACOB MALIK IS SOVIET RUSSIA'S DELEGATE TO THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL AND PRESIDENT OF IT FOR AUGUST).
JOHNSTON, NOW PRESIDENT OF THE MOTION PICTURE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, MADE HIS PROPOSAL IN AN ADDRESS TO THE CONVENTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL ALLIANCE OF THEATRICAL STAGE EMPLOYES HERE.
"OUR LABOR LEADERS," HE SAID, "KNOW HOW TO UNMASK THE KREMLIN. X X X WE NEED MORE MEN IN GOVERNMENT AND DIPLOMACY WITH A LABOR BACKGROUND AND LABOR EXPERIENCE BECAUSE THE BATTLEGROUND FOR THE WORLD TODAY IS AT THE WORKER LEVEL."
HE PRAISED THE RECENT FIVE-YEAR CONTRACT SIGNED BY GENERAL MOTORS AND THE CIO UNITED AUTO WORKERS, COMPARING IT WITH THE "CUTTING OF A RIBBON IN THE DEDICATION OF A NEW AVENUE TOWARD INDUSTRIAL HARMONY."
THERE WAS PRAISE FOR PRIVATE INDUSTRY AS WELL AS ORGANIZED LABOR IN HIS SPEECH. AT ONE POINT, HE SAID:
"WHILE AMERICAN PRIVATE INDUSTRY IS TRYING TO LIFT ITS WORKERS UP, COMMUNIST RUSSIA IS PULLING HER OWN WORKERS DOWN AND TRYING TO PULL DOWN THE WORKERS EVERYWHERE THROUGH HER CONTINUOUS MUNITIONS PROGRAM.
"THERE IS NO EXCUSE FOR IT EXCEPT THE AMBITION OF THE KREMLIN," HE CONTINUED. "RUSSIAN WORKERS HAVE BEEN DEFRAUDED OF CONSUMER GOODS IN THE NAME OF PREPARING FOR WHAT THEIR GOVERNMENT HAS TOLD THEM IS DEFENSE AGAINST CAPITALISTIC ENCIRCLEMENT. X X X
"THIS IS THE CRIME OF THE CENTURY AGAINST ALL WORKERS, HATCHED IN THE LAND THAT CALLS ITSELF THE WORKERS' PARADISE."
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(WX) DETROIT,AUG 16-(AP)-VFW COMMANDER CLYDE A.LEWIS ACCUSED SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON TONIGHT OF HAVING "GAMBLED WITH THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE NAME OF VOTE GETTING 'ECONOMY' AND LOST."
FOR THIS, THE NATIONAL HEAD OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS SAID IN A SPEECH [redacted] FOR BROADCAST, "MR.JOHNSON SHOULD GO" AND HIS "LITTLE OLIGARCHY" IN THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SHOULD GO TOO.
"THE WAR MAP, AS OF THIS MOMENT, IS SUFFICIENT PROOF TO THE AVERAGE MAN OF THE GROSS INCOMPETENCY OF LOUIS JOHNSON," HE SAID.
HE DECLARED HIS AGREEMENT WITH "SOME EXPERT OPINION" THAT ADEQUATE U.S. FORCE, NEAR AT HAND, WOULD HAVE STOPPED RUSSIA FROM "EGGING ON" HER NORTH KOREAN SATELLITE TO STRIKE AT SOUTH KOREA.
THE OCCASION FOR THE SPEECH WAS THE PRESENTATION OF A CITIZENSHIP AWARD TO MRS.FRED T.MURPHY OF DETROIT, MOTHER OF MICHIGAN SECRETARY OF STATE FRED ALGER.
LEADING OFF IN A SERIES OF WHAT HE CALLED INDICTMENTS OF THE SECRETARY, LEWIS SAID:
"I INDICT JOHNSON ON A CHARGE OF EITHER ABYSMAL IGNORANCE IN NOT RECOGNIZING THE OMINOUS THREAT OF COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN ASIA, AS WELL AS ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD. OR OF BAD FAITH WITH UNITED STATES CITIZENS IN NOT INFORMING THEM OF THE GREAT DANGERS WE FACED, AND ASKING THE PEOPLE'S SUPPORT FOR AN ADEQUATE PROGRAM OF DEFENSE TO MEET THE THREAT.
"JOHNSON LEFT THE IMPRESSION THAT WE WERE IN EXCELLENT SHAPE. WE STAND REVEALED AS UNBELIEVABLY WEAK."
AS A SECOND COUNT, LEWIS ACCUSED JOHNSON OF HAVING "REPEATEDLY UTTERED CONTRADICTORY AND MISLEADING STATEMENTS CONCERNING OUR DEFENSES."
HE RECALLED THE JOHNSON STATEMENT IN REFERENCE TO RUSSIA THAT "IF THEY HIT US AT FOUR (O'CLOCK), WE'LL BE AT THEM AT FIVE," AND ASSERTED:
"IT IS X X X NOW DEFINITELY KNOWN THAT THERE NEVER WERE ANY PLANS MADE THAT INVOLVED OFFENSIVE ACTION IN KOREA BY UNITED STATES TROOPS, ONLY WITHDRAWAL PLANS."

A THIRD COUNT WAS THAT "POLITICS, NOT PREPAREDNESS" HAS BEEN THE KEYNOTE OF JOHNSON'S ADMINISTRATION. IT WAS IN THAT CONNECTION THAT LEWIS MADE HIS COMPLAINT OF GAMBLING WITH SECURITY.
FOR COUNT FOUR, LEWIS ACCUSED THE SECRETARY OF REPEATEDLY GIVING "MISINFORMATION AND COVER-UP STATEMENTS TO CONGRESS."
TO BACK THAT COMPLAINT, THE VFW CHIEF RELATED THAT LAST SPRING, WHEN JOHNSON WAS ASKED IN A HOUSE COMMITTEE ABOUT REPORTS THAT RUSSIA WAS BUILDING A GREAT FORCE OF BIG TANKS, HE REPLIED:
"I DON'T KNOW, BUT I HOPE SO, BECAUSE HEAVY WAR TANKS ARE OBSOLETE TODAY AND WE CAN EASILY TAKE CARE OF THEM."
"IN KOREA, HUMBLE FOOT SOLDIERS WITH INADEQUATE WEAPONS HAVE DIED TRYING TO SLUG IT OUT WITH THE NORTH KOREAN, RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS," LEWIS COMMENTED.
HE QUOTED JOHNSON AS TELLING A CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE THAT WE CANNOT AFFORD THREE AIR FORCES, AND SAID THAT STATEMENT "REVEALED A SHOCKING IGNORANCE OF THE FUNCTIONS OF NAVAL AND MARINE AVIATION."
IN A FINAL COUNT LEWIS SAID THAT IN THE NAME OF ECONOMY JOHNSON REALLY CUT "MUCH 'LEAN' AND LITTLE 'FAT'" FROM THE SERVICES.
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PITTSBURGH,AUG.16-(AP)-FRANK BORICH, SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL CROATIAN ASSOCIATION, SAYS HE DOESN'T BELIEVE THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT CAN SEND HIM BACK TO HIS NATIVE YUGOSLAVIA.
BORICH MADE THIS STATEMENT TO REPORTERS TODAY DURING A RECESS IN HIS DEPORTATION HEARING BEFORE THE U.S. IMMIGRATION SERVICE. HE IS ACCUSED OF ADVOCATING VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT.
"I DON'T THINK THEY CAN SEND MY BACK TO EUROPE," BORICH TOLD NEWSMEN WITH A GRIN. "THEY TRIED IT 17 YEARS AGO AND FAILED."
IN 1931, AS SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL MINERS' UNION, BORICH LED A STRIKE IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA. TWO YEARS LATER, THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE OBTAINED A DEPORTATION ORDER AGAINST HIM. IT WAS UPHELD BY DISTRICT AND APPELLATE COURTS BUT SET ASIDE BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.
MANNING JOHNSON OF NEW YORK TESTIFIED TODAY THAT HE JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN 1931 AND QUIT "IN DISGUST" IN 1939. HE TOLD OF ATTENDING NATIONAL CONVENTIONS OF THE COMMUNISTS IN NEW YORK AND CLEVELAND, IN COMPANY WITH BORICH.
J.N.TAPOLCSANYI OF HERMINE, PA., SAID HE QUIT THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE UNITED STATES IN 1933, AFTER BEING A MEMBER 13 YEARS. HE SAID BORICH WAS A MEMBER DURING THAT TIME.

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BORICH REFUSED TO ATTACK, DENY OR COMMENT ON THE TESTIMONY. HIS ONLY PLEA WAS:

"I HAVE NO ATTORNEY TO ADVISE ME SO I CAN'T DO IT. MY ATTORNEY IS MRS. CAROL KING AND SHE IS IN NEW YORK."

HE SAID HE COULDN'T AFFORD TO BRING HER TO PITTSBURGH AND REFUSED A GOVERNMENT OFFER TO PROVIDE COUNSEL.

THE HEARING WILL END TOMORROW.

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NIGHT LEAD WYRICK

MARION, O., AUG. 16-(AP)-A MISSING FORMER ENGLISH WAR BRIDE AND HER THREE-YEAR-OLD SON RETURNED HOME TONIGHT BY TRAIN.

MRS. MARGARET JOYCE WYRICK, 30, WHO HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH KIDNAPPING THE BOY, SAID SHE HAD BEEN IN TORONTO, CANADA. THE CHARGE WAS FILED ON AN AFFIDAVIT BY THE REV. LESTER KIDD OF XENIA, WHO HAD ADOPTED THE BOY, RICHARD REIWNAL (CQ.

MRS. WYRICK ARRIVED AT HER HOME FROM THE RAILROAD STATION IN A TAXICAB. ACTING POLICE CHIEF CLYDE HARDIN AND ASSISTANT PROSECUTOR DWIGHT CARHART (CQ), IMMEDIATELY BEGAN QUESTIONING HER.

DETAILS OF HER DISAPPEARANCE WERE NOT MADE KNOWN IMMEDIATELY. THE CHIEF AND ASSISTANT PROSECUTOR DID NOT SAY IMMEDIATELY WHETHER THE KIDNAPPING CHARGE WOULD BE DROPPED.

THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL HAD SENT OUT A GENERAL EASTERN STATES ALARM FOR THE MOTHER AND BOY. THEY DISAPPEARED FROM HERE YESTERDAY AFTER MR. KIDD BROUGHT THE BOY HERE TO VISIT HIS MOTHER.

THERE HAD BEEN CONFLICTING REPORTS OF MRS. WYRICK'S WHEREABOUTS. CAPITOL AIRLINES IN DETROIT REPORTED THE WOMAN AND BOY HAD BOARDED A CLEVELAND-BOUND PLANE THERE TONIGHT. BUT CAPITOL OFFICIALS IN CLEVELAND COULD NOT LOCATE THE TWO WHEN THE PLANE LANDED.

CHIEF HARDIN HAD ALERTED POLICE IN NEW YORK AND BOSTON TO LOOK FOR THE MOTHER AND SON. HE GAVE THIS ACCOUNT OF EVENTS IN THE DISAPPEARANCE:

MRS. WYRICK BECAME THE WAR BRIDE OF LESTER ROY FOUST OF MARION. THEY HAD A SON, RICHARD REIWNAL. AFTER THE FOUSTS' MARRIAGE BROKE UP, MRS.WYRICK ALLOWED THE REV. AND MRS. LESTER KIDD OF XENIA, O., TO ADOPT THE BOY.

MRS.FOUST LATER MARRIED DONALD WYRICK OF MARION.

MR.KIDD A BAPTIST MINISTER, BROUGHT RICHARD TO MARION YESTERDAY TO VISIT HIS MOTHER. WHEN HE RETURNED LATE LAST NIGHT TO PICK UP THE BOY, BOTH MOTHER AND SON HAD DISAPPEARED.

HARDIN SAID MRS. WYRICK LEFT HER HUSBAND A NOTE IN WHICH SHE AVOWED HER LOVE FOR HIM, BUT SHE WANTED HER MOTHER IN WINCHESTER, ENGLAND, NEAR SOUTHAMPTON, TO SEE HER SON. SHE SAID SHE WOULD BE BACK IN THREE WEEKS.

THE NOTE, SAID THE CHIEF, INDICATED MRS.WYRICK WAS WORRIED THAT THE KOREAN WAR MIGHT START A GENERAL WORLD WAR. SHE SAID SHE WANTED TO SEE HER MOTHER ONCE MORE.

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SPRINGFIELD, ILL., AUG.16-(AP)-GOVERNOR ADLAI E. STEVENSON OF ILLINOIS TODAY RECEIVED A DELEGATION OF JAPANESE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS STUDYING DEMOCRATIC PROCEDURES IN THE UNITED STATES.

SCHOOL, TAXATION AND HIGHWAY PROBLEMS WERE DISCUSSED.

THE VISITING PARTY INCLUDED ICHIRO HONDA, JAPANESE NATIONAL HOUSE MEMBER; SEIICHIRO YASUI, GOVERNOR OF TOKYO; GISABURO SHIRATORI, MAYOR OF TSUNDANUMA; SEIJI KIMURA, FINANCE COMMISSIONER, AND HIDEKI MASAKI. A FOREIGN OFFICE OFFICIAL.

THE GROUP CAME TO SPRINGFIELD AFTER A 10-DAY STAY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, CHAMPAIGN, AND WILL LEAVE FRIDAY FOR CHICAGO, NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON, D.C.

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CLEVELAND, AUG.16-(AP)-"DON'T WORRY, THE KOREANS AREN'T VERY GOOD SHOTS," SGT.JAMES KABALEN, 21, WROTE TO HIS MOTHER A FEW DAYS BEFORE HE WAS KILLED IN ACTION ON JULY 31. THE CONTENTS OF THE LETTER WERE MADE PUBLIC TODAY BY HIS MOTHER, MRS.JOSEPH KABALEN.

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 16-(AP)-WILLIAM Z. FOSTER, NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF THE UNITED STATES COMMUNIST PARTY, LEFT FOR CHICAGO AND NEW YORK LAST NIGHT.

HE HAD SPENT SEVERAL MONTHS AT THE HOME OF A DAUGHTER HERE.

THE COMMUNIST LEADER STILL MUST STAND TRIAL IN NEW YORK ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRING TO OVERTHROW THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BY FORCE. HE WAS EXCUSED--BECAUSE OF ILL HEALTH--FROM THE TRIAL IN WHICH ELEVEN OTHER COMMUNIST LEADERS WERE FOUND GUILTY.

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 16-(AP)-DR. BERTHA BARKAN LUTHY, 38, RESEARCH WORKER IN BIOCHEMISTRY, TESTIFIED TODAY IN HER DEPORTATION HEARING THAT SHE HAD BEEN A MEMBER OF THE YOUNG COMMUNIST LEAGUE IN DETROIT FROM 1928 TO 1937.

THE SMALL, ATTRACTIVE SCIENTIST PLEADED GUILTY LAST MONTH TO A FEDERAL INDICTMENT ACCUSING HER OF MAKING A FALSE CLAIM TO CITIZENSHIP BY SWEARING SHE WAS BORN IN CHICAGO. SHE IS A NATIVE OF RUSSIA, THE GOVERNMENT SAYS.

THE DEPORTATION ACTION WAS BASED ON A CHARGE OF ILLEGAL ENTRY TO THE UNITED STATES.

UNDER QUESTIONING BY IMMIGRATION SERVICE ATTORNEYS SHE SAID HER LEFT-WING ACTIVITIES BEGAN IN 1928 WHEN SHE FOUND HERSELF A MEMBER OF THE YOUNG PIONEERS OF AMERICA. A WOMAN HAD GONE TO HER HOME IN DETROIT, SHE SAID, AND ASKED HER PARENTS TO SEND HER TO A GATHERING OF THE YOUNG PIONEERS.

AFTER BRIEF QUESTIONING THE HEARING WAS CONTINUED TO OCT. 3 AT THE GOVERNMENT'S REQUEST.

DR. LUTHY DENIED SHE EVER WAS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

IMMIGRATION ATTORNEYS SAID, THEN, THAT THEY WANTED TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS FROM TWO WITNESSES WHO HAD APPEARED FOR THE GOVERNMENT.

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 16-(AP)-NATIONAL COMMANDER DAVIS M. BROWN URGED THE DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS TODAY TO ENDORSE VIGOROUSLY THE UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING PROGRAM OUTLINED IN A BILL NOW BEFORE CONGRESS.

BROWN, OF AKRON, O., TOLD THE DAV'S 29TH ANNUAL CONVENTION THAT PREPAREDNESS IS THE ONLY MEANS THROUGH WHICH THIS NATION CAN SURVIVE, AND POSSIBLY AVERT, ANOTHER WAR.

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UNIVERSAL TRAINING, SAID BROWN, IS MERELY THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE POLICY LAID DOWN BY GEN. JONATHAN WAINWRIGHT, DAV NATIONAL COMMANDER LAST YEAR. HE QUOTED WAINWRIGHT AS SAYING:

"WE ARE AGAINST WAR (AND) WE WANT ADEQUATE DEFENSE TO PROTECT OUR BELOVED COUNTRY AGAINST ANOTHER WAR. AS DISABLED VETERANS IS IT STRANGE WE SHOULD WANT THIS NATION TO BE SO STRONG AND POWERFUL THROUGH TRAINED MANPOWER AND ADEQUATE MODERN EQUIPMENT THAT NEVER AGAIN SHOULD ANY CRAZED OR DRIVEN FOE DARE ATTACK US?"

AT THE SAME TIME BROWN WARNED AGAINST INDISCRIMINATE INDUCTION OF YOUTH INTO ARMED SERVICES WITHOUT ADEQUATE CONSIDERATION OF THEIR MENTAL AND PHYSICAL FITNESS.

THE CONVENTION'S FIRST RESOLUTION OPPOSED CURTAILMENTS IN THE U. S. POSTAL SERVICE. OTHERS, INCLUDING UNIVERSAL TRAINING, WILL BE INTRODUCED TOMORROW.

EARLIER, KENNETH C. BRADLEY, DAV NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT DIRECTOR, URGED DISABLED VETERANS TO SEEK JOBS EVEN IF THEY ARE DRAWING ADEQUATE COMPENSATION, POINTING OUT THAT THE KOREAN SITUATION MIGHT PRODUCE A TIGHT LABOR MARKET.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 16-(AP)-DESPITE THE THREAT OF THE SPREAD OF THE FAR EASTERN WAR, A PHILIPPINE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY IS MAKING PLANS FOR SWEEPING EXPANSION.

PAUL V.MCNUTT, BOARD CHAIRMAN OF THE PHILIPPINE-AMERICAN LIFE INSURANCE CO. AND FORMER U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER TO THE PHILIPPINES, AND PRESIDENT EARL CARROLL DESCRIBED THE PLANS TODAY AT A NEWS CONFERENCE.

PHILIPPINE-AMERICAN LIFE IS PLANNING TO ERECT A $3,000,000 HOME OFFICE BUILDING IN MANILA, BUILD HOUSING PROJECTS OF THE GARDEN APARTMENT TYPE IN THE PHILIPPINES, ENTER THE FIRE, MARINE AND CASUALTY INSURANCE FIELDS AND, IN THE INDEFINITE FUTURE, TO EXTEND ITS LIFE COVERAGE TO HAWAII, THE TWO OFFICERS SAID.

CARROLL NOW IS IN NEW YORK TO CONSULT ON PLANS FOR THE NEW HOME OFFICE BUILDING, WHICH WILL BE THE LARGEST COMMERCIAL STRUCTURE IN THE PHILIPPINES. CONSTRUCTION ON THE SITE OF THE OLD UNIVERSITY OF SANTO TOMAS WILL START IN ABOUT FOUR MONTHS AND WILL BE FINISHED IN THE FALL OF 1951.

PHILIPPINE-AMERICAN LIFE STARTED OPERATIONS IN AUGUST, 1947, AND AS OF LAST JUNE 30 HAD 38,583 POLICYHOLDERS AND 175,750,000 PESOS ($87,875,000) OF LIFE INSURANCE IN FORCE, CARROLL SAID.

ABOUT 60 PER CENT OF THE INSURANCE IN FORCE IS IN ENDOWMENTS, SINCE THE FAR EAST HAS NOT YET DISPLAYED ANY GENERAL LIKING FOR ORDINARY LIFE INSURANCE, CARROLL SAID.

PHILIPPINE-AMERICAN IS A CAPITAL STOCK COMPANY WITH THE CONTROLLING INTEREST HELD BY C.V.STARR & CO., NEW YORK INSURANCE FIRM.

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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP.
BY RUSSELL BRINES.
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG 18-(AP)-A TANK-LED THRUST FROM THE NORTH BY 30,000 KOREAN COMMUNISTS TODAY MENACED THE KEY AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE OF SHELL-STRUCK TAEGU--PROMPTING ORDERS FOR MORE THAN 500,000 CIVILIANS TO GET OUT.

LATER TODAY IT WAS DISCLOSED THAT SOUTH KOREA'S PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE AND U.S. AMBASSADOR JOHN J.MUCCIO ALREADY HAVE LEFT THE MENACED CITY.

BUT 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THAT SOUTH KOREAN PROVISIONAL CAPITAL, U.S. MARINES AND 24TH DIVISION INFANTRYMEN FORCED 12,000 REDS IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD OF THE NAKTONG RIVER TO BEGIN A RETREAT BACK ACROSS THE RIVER.

AND ON THE EAST COAST SOUTH KOREANS FOUGHT THEIR WAY BACK INTO THE PORT CITY OF POHANG, EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE 120-MILE BATTLEFRONT. POHANG WAS LOST SATURDAY WHEN 10,000 REDS SUPPORTED BY GUERRILLAS ENTERED THE TOWN.

THE RED THRUST FROM THE NORTH WAS MADE FROM KUNWI, A RED STAGING AREA 25 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, AND OVERRAN THE TOWN OF KUMHWA, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU ON A MAIN ROAD TO THAT KEY AMERICAN BASE. A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE FRANKLY CALLED THIS IN THE AREA OF THE "THE MAIN THREAT."

IT WAS NOT CLEAR IMMEDIATELY WHETHER THE RED WITHDRAWAL AT CHANGNYONG REPRESENTED A MINOR INCIDENT OR PRESAGED AN IMPORTANT RETREAT OF FORCES WHICH HAVE HELD ON THE EAST BANK THERE FOR TWO WEEKS.

SOUTH KOREAN ARMY SOURCES CLAIMED THE RECAPTURE OF POHANG BUT U.S. EIGHTH ARMY OFFICIALS WERE CAUTIOUS. THE SOUTH KOREANS ALSO CLAIMED RECAPTURE OF KIGYE, EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, DESPITE THE SUCCESSES AT CHANGNYONG AND POHANG, MADE IT CRYSTAL CLEAR THAT ATTENTION WAS FOCUSED ON THE RED'S NORTHERN STAB FROM KUNWI -- PLUS A THREATENED ONE FROM THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

AN INTELLIGENCE SPOKESMAN SAID FOUR MAIN NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS TEMPORARILY HAD DROPPED OUT OF SIGHT. WHEREVER THEY REAPPEARED, HE ADDED, WOULD MARK THE FOCAL POINT OF THE LONG AWAITED PUSH AGAINST TAEGU. HE IDENTIFIED THESE AS THE SECOND, THIRD, THIRTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH RED DIVISIONS.

THE CRACK COMMUNIST FIRST DIVISION HAS SHOWN UP IN THE NORTH IN THE VICINITY OF KUNWI.

DESPITE THE ACKNOWLEDGED NORTH THREAT, IT STILL WAS NOT CLEAR FROM CONFLICTING REPORTS WHETHER THE KUMHWA DRIVE ACTUALLY WAS THE SPECIFIC BIG PUSH OR MARKED ONE DEVELOPMENT IN A THREATENING BATTLE SITUATION.

AN AIR RELEASE TODAY FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE AIR FORCE CONCENTRATED THE BULK OF 500 SORTIES IN THE MENACNING NORTHWEST SECTOR THURSDAY, SPREADING DEATH AMONG RED COLUMNS AND SHOOTING UP THEIR TANKS WITH ROCKETS.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE AMERICAN KOREA MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP TOLD ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON IN KOREA THIS AFTERNOON THAT THE FIRST AND SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS HAD COUNTER-ATTACKED AND REGAINED SOME GROUND LOST AROUND KUMHWA. HE GAVE NO DETAILS BUT SAID "THE SITUATION LOOKS CONSIDERABLY BETTER TODAY THAN LAST NIGHT."

A MACARTHUR SPOKESMAN SAID SOME UNITS OF THE SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION HAD LOST CONTACT WITH RED FORCES DURING THE NIGHT IN THE KUNWI SECTOR. ONE FIELD REPORT SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE WITHDRAWING BUT THIS WAS NOT CONFIRMED. THE SPOKESMAN EXPRESSED BELIEF THE REDS MIGHT HAVE BROKEN OFF TO REGROUP.

UNDERMINING THE IMPORTANCE OF THE TURN OF EVENTS IN THE POHANG COASTAL SECTOR, THE SPOKESMAN SAID AMERICAN PLANES HAVE RESUMED USING THE WAR-BUILT FIGHTER BASE SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG BUT THE FIELD IS NOT YET IN GENERAL OPERATION. USE OF THIS FIELD WAS ABANDONED RECENTLY AFTER THE SOUTH KOREANS YIELDED THE PORT OF POHANG TO THE REDS. BUT THE FIELD HAS REMAINED IN AMERICAN HANDS.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION, WHICH WAS EVACUATED IN LANDING SHIPS THURSDAY FROM A POSITION SOUTH OF YONGDOK HAS TAKEN UP DEFENSIVE POSITIONS NEAR THIS AIRFIELD. THE THIRD HAD BEEN CAUGHT BETWEEN THE REDS AT POHANG AND THOSE AT YONGDOK TO THE NORTH.

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AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE TODAY, IN REFERRING TO THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD FIGHTING, SAID THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION RESUMED ITS OFFENSIVE THERE THIS MORNING AND MADE "SMALL GAINS."

THE SHELLING OF TAEGU--SIX ROUNDS OF 122 MILLIMETER SHELLS--PRESUMABLY WAS MADE FROM 20,000 YARDS AWAY BY A BATTERY ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG DUE WEST OF TAEGU.

ATTEMPTS BY AMERICAN PATROLS LAST NIGHT TO REACH THE WAEGWAN AREA HIT BY THE B-29S WERE THROWN BACK BY THE REDS. TODAY'S OPERATIONAL SUMMARY ISSUED BY FAR EAST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS DESCRIBED THE B-29 STRIKE AS "ONE OF THE (MOST) INTENSE TACTICAL EFFORTS IN THE HISTORY OF AIR WARFARE." AND IT IDENTIFIED THE TARGET AREA AS "A MAJOR KOREAN COMMUNIST ASSEMBLY POINT FOR THE BREAKTHROUGH NOW BEING ATTEMPTED IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR." BUT IT SAID THE DEGREE OF DESTRUCTION WAS NOT YET KNOWN.

THE SOUTH KOREAN PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT, HEADQUARTERED AT TAEGU, ISSUED THE CIVILIAN EVACUATION ORDER BUT DECIDED TO REMAIN THERE FOR THE PRESENT.

A FORCE OF 30,000 REDS SENT A STEEL SPEARHEAD DOWN FROM THE VULNERABLE NORTH, SIGNALLING WHAT MAY BE THE LONG EXPECTED MAJOR BID OF THE NORTH KOREANS.

A COMMUNIST REGIMENT, ADVANCING NEARLY THREE MILES THROUGH SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS, CAPTURED THE TOWN OF KUMHWA ASTRIDE A MAIN ROAD (CQ) LEADING TO TAEGU. SOME ARTILLERY AND MORTAR SHELLS, PROBABLY FIRED FROM THE NAKTONG'S WEST BANK, HIT TAEGU.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON, AT U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, REPORTED IT WAS POSSIBLE THE REDS WERE WAITING TO COORDINATE THIS DRIVE FROM THE DIRECTION OF KUNWI WITH ANOTHER TO BE LAUNCHED IN THE VICINITY OF WAEGWAN. THAT IS THE SECTOR HIT WEDNESDAY BY B-29S IN A MOVE AGAINST A REPORTED CONCENTRATION OF 60,000 REDS. WAEGWAN IS 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. KUNWI IS 20 MILES NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN AND ABOUT 25 MILES DUE NORTH OF TAEGU.

EIGHTEEN MILES SOUTHWARD DOWN THE NAKTONG RIVER FROM WAEGWAN, THE COMMUNISTS REINFORCED TROOPS WHO HAD CROSSED OVER AT SONG DONG, IN A BEND OF THE RIVER. AMERICAN TROOPS MOVED IMMEDIATELY TO REDUCE THAT FORCE 13 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

WHILE THE NORTHERN THRUST WAS UNDER WAY, AMERICAN MARINES AND U.S. 24TH DIVISION INFANTRYMEN 25 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU TODAY HALTED SAVAGE RED COUNTER-ATTACKS IN THE BLOODY NAKTONG RIVER BULGE NEAR CHANGNYONG.

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A FRONT LINE REPORT SAID THE LEATHERNECKS, WHO TOOK "SLAUGHTERHOUSE HILL" YESTERDAY, REPULSED A BITTER, BLOODY ATTEMPT BY THE COMMUNISTS TO REGAIN THAT STRATEGIC HITH POINT. BUT A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE TODAY SAID AN ENEMY COUNTER-ATTACK IN THE CENTER OF THE LINE WAS STOPPED AFTER A 100 YARD ADVANCE.

THE LEATHERNECK-DOUGHBOY OFFENSIVE YESTERDAY HAD FOR ITS AIM THE ELIMINATION OF A FORCE OF MORE THAN 10,000 REDS WHICH HAS BEEN BUILT UP FOR TWO WEEKS ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG.

THE COMMUNIST THRUST AGAINST KUMHWA CAME FROM A STAGING AREA NORTH OF WEDNESDAY'S TERRIFIC B-29 ASSAULT. FIGHTING AROUND WAEGWAN, ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG, WAS LOCALIZED FOR THE PRESENT--BUT HORRIBLE.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED NEW RED ATROCITIES AGAINST AMERICAN SOLDIERS THURSDAY AS PART OF THE ATTACK AND COUNTER-ATTACK FOR A DOMINATING HILL CALLED 303.

IN THE NEW PUNCH FROM THE NORTH, THREE RED DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN MET,

THE FIRST AND THE SIXTH. AMERICAN PLANES SUPPORTED THE SOUTH KOREANS.

AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE TODAY AT 10:50 A.M. (7:50 P.M. EST THURSDAY) SAID "THE MAIN THREAT TO THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINE IN KOREA REMAINS THE MASSED COMMUNIST DIVISIONS BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND KUNWI."

AT THE EAST COAST END OF THE FRONT NEAR POHANG, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID "THE ENEMY WAS ON THE DEFENSIVE."

CORRESPONDENT ERICKSON REPORTED TODAY THAT A RED TANK COLUMN OF UNDETERMINED STRENGTH JUST EAST OF THE DRIVE TO KUMHWA WAS STOPPED BY UNITED NATIONS AIR POWER. ONE TANK WAS KNOCKED OUT, ANOTHER DAMAGED AND TWO OR THREE ARTILLERY PIECES DESTROYED. THE AIR ATTACKS WERE CONTINUING.

THE FALL OF KUMHWA WAS REGARDED AS MORE A FALLBACK AND A READJUSTMENT OF SOUTH KOREAN LINES THAN A YIELD TO RED POWER.

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ERICKSON SAID FIGHTING HAD RAGED AROUND THE TOWN FOR TWO DAYS BEFORE THE SOUTH KOREANS FELL BACK AND THE REDS ENTERED.

THE SITUATION IN THAT AREA WAS DESCRIBED AS "STATIC" THIS MORNING. BUT NEARER WAEGWAN, WHERE THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION IS ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION, THE SOUTH KOREANS SUCCEEDED YESTERDAY IN REGAINING 600 YARDS.

AT THE SOUTHERN END OF THE LINE, DEFENDED BY THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION THE RED SIXTH DIVISION CONTINUED TO BUILD UP STRENGTH WEST OF MASAN BUT HAD NOT YET OPENED THE ATTACK EXPECTED THERE BY AMERICAN OFFICERS.

THE NORTH KOREANS MOUNTED THEIR OFFENSIVE A FEW HOURS AFTER U.S. MARINES LASHED OUT AT THE 12,000-MAN RED BRIDGEHEAD ON THE NAKTONG RIVER'S EAST BANK NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE LEATHERNECKS HACKED OUT SMALL GAINS IN CLOSE-IN COMBAT DESCRIBED BY ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENTS DON WHITEHEAD AND JACK MACBETH AS THE "BATTLE OF SLAUGHTERHOUSE HILL." UNITS OF THE U.S.24TH INFANTRY DIVISION SUPPORTED THE MARINE THRUST.

BETWEEN THESE TWO SECTORS OF GREATEST ACTION THERE WAS BITTER FIGHTING IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, DEFENDED BY THE DISMOUNTED TROOPERS OF THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION.

ON THE EASTERN CORRIDOR OF THE ALLIED DEFENSE PERIMETER SOUTH OF YONGDOK. IT WAS NECESSARY TO EVACUATE THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION BY U.S.LANDING CRAFT.

THE ENEMY ALSO WAS REPORTED MASSING ON THE SOUTHEASTERN TIP OF THE 120-MILE FRONT NEAR CHINJU. AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON SAID OMINOUS SIGNS OF AN ENEMY BUILDUP POINTED TO A POSSIBLE EARLY DRIVE AGAINST THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION THERE.

BUT THE EXPLOSIVE RED PUSH AT TAEGU, 55 AIR MILES FROM THE VITAL LAST DITCH PORT OF PUSAN, WAS THE MOST CRITICAL OF ALL.

A U.S.EIGHTH ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS' LEIF ERICKSON THAT BETWEEN 25,000 AND 30,000 COMMUNIST TROOPS IN THREE DIVISIONS HAD BEEN HURLED INTO THE DRIVE FROM THE NORTH.

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THE RED ATTACK BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND KUNWI WAS EAST AND SOUTH OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, WHOSE UPPER REACHES IN THE NORTH HAD BEEN CROSSED BY THE REDS WITHOUT OPPOSITION A FORTNIGHT AGO.

A NETWORK OF GOOD ROADS LIES DIRECTLY AHEAD OF THE ATTACKING COMMUNISTS. THEN WINDING, TREACHEROUS PASSES CUT THROUGH THE STEEP RIDGES BEFORE TAEGU.

HEAVY AS IT WAS, IT WAS STILL TO BE DETERMINED IF THIS WAS THE LONG-PREPARED AND MUCH BRUITED NORTH KOREAN MAJOR OFFENSIVE INTENDED TO DESTROY THE ALLIED DEFENSE LINE AND ROLL TO PUSAN.

THE ACTION VERY DEFINITELY WAS AN ATTACK IN LARGE FORCE IN CONTRAST TO PREVIOUS FEELER-PROBER ASSAULTS ALONG THE U.N.LINE.

THE FRONT HAS RUMBLED FROM END-TO-END DURING THE PAST WEEK WITH MENACING SIGNS THAT THE REDS PLANNED A NOW-OR-NEVER ATTEMPT TO BREACH THE LINE AND PUSH U.S.AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS INTO THE SEA.

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IT WAS BELIEVED THE COMMUNISTS USED THE BATTLE-PROVED TACTICS OF TANK-LED INFANTRY IN FRONTAL THRUSTS WHILE INFILTRATING TROOPS HIT THE FLANKS.

THERE HAD BEEN REPORTS OF CONCENTRATIONS OF TANKS IN NUMBERS AS HIGH AS 30 IN THE AREA, BUT NO OFFICIAL INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE ON THIS SCORE.

A CLEAR PICTURE OF THE CHANGNYONG FIGHTING ABOUT FORTY MILES TO THE SOUTH CAME FROM CORRESPONDENTS WHITEHEAD AND MACBETH AT THE SCENE.

MACBETH SAID LATE THURSDAY NIGHT THAT THE TIRED TROOPS OF THE 24TH DIVISION REACHED THEIR INITIAL OBJECTIVE IN THE CHANGNYONG STRUGGLE AFTER STORMING HIGH GROUND CLOSE TO WHERE THE MARINES LOCKED HORNS WITH A DESPERATE FOE.

WHITEHEAD REPORTED THE LEATHERNECKS ROARED UP A STEEP HILL NEAR CHANGYONG IN THE FIERCEST FIGHTING OF THE WAR. THEY GAINED AGAINST THE STRONGEST OF OPPOSITION, WHICH FOUGHT BACK UNDER A HAIL OF STEEL.

THE FIGHTING WAS DESCRIBED AS JUST AS RUGGED AS THE SAVAGE COMBAT WAGED BY FELLOW MARINES IN THE PACIFIC ISLANDS DURING THE JAPANESE WAR. THE "GYRENES" WERE USING EVERYTHING EXCEPT FLAME THROWERS IN THE ASSAULT ON THE SWAYBACK RIDGES, COVERED WITH SCRUB TREES.

ARTILLERY AND MARINE CORSAIR PLANES POUNDED THE ENEMY BEFORE THE ASSAULT, BUT WHEN THE LEATHERNECKS JUMPED-OFF INTO THE ATTACK THEY RAN INTO MORTARS, MACHINEGUN AND SMALL ARMS FIRE.

WHITEHEAD ALSO SAID HAND GRENADES WERE "THROWN IN THEIR FACES."

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THE MARINES CALLED THE OBJECTIVE "SUICIDE RIDGE" BUT THEY TOOK IT IN WHAT BOTH MACBETH AND WHITEHEAD SAID WAS ONE OF THE BLOODIEST AND MOST HEROIC ACTIONS OF THE KOREAN WAR.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID THE 24TH DIVISION ENCOUNTERED STRONG RESISTANCE FROM SMALL ARMS FIRE, MORTARS AND GRENADES BUT THAT THEIR FOE DIDN'T GIVE THEM THE TROUBLE THE MARINES HAD.

THE MARINES WERE RUSHED INTO THE ATTACK AFTER BEING MOVED FROM THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FRONT WHERE THEY HAD MADE THE WAR'S MOST SUSTAINED ALLIED ADVANCE IN THEIR DRIVE ON CHINJU IN THE SOUTH.

FROM THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY FRONT ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED THAT NORTH KOREANS HAD MURDERED UP TO 32 AMERICAN PRISONERS ATOP A HILL NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN. BOYLE SAID THE CAPTURED MEN--MEMBERS OF THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION--WERE SHOT AFTER HAVING THEIR HANDS LASHED BEHIND THEIR BACKS.

IN THE HOPE OF BLUNTING THE EXPECTED RED OFFENSIVE--OR OF THROWING IT COMPLETELY OFF BALANCE--THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE HAD SENT 98 SUPERFORTS AGAINST THE ENEMY IN A PULVERIZING SATURATION RAID EAST OF THE NAKTONG.

EVALUATION OF THE MASS-BOMBARDMENT STILL WAS UNDERWAY BY AIR FORCE OFFICIALS BUT THE REDS FROM WAEGWAN ZONE STILL WERE ABLE TO MOUNT THE ATTACK.

AIR ACTIVITY TODAY WAS CONFINED LARGELY TO GROUND-SUPPORT MISSIONS. FIFTH AIR FORCE PLANES FLEW 250 SUCH SORTIES ALONG THE FRONT.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS OMITTED ITS USUAL MIDNIGHT SUMMARY FOR THE THIRD STRAIGHT DAY.

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THIRD LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (180)

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG.18-(AP)-THIRTY THOUSAND NORTH KOREANS OPENED A MASSIVE DRIVE ON TAEGU ON THE CENTRAL KOREAN WARFRONT THURSDAY.

THE REDS POURED THROUGH STEEP MOUNTAIN PASSES 15 MILES NORTH OF THE SOUTH KOREAN EMERGENCY CAPITAL. THEY WERE EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.

ONLY TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS STOOD BETWEEN THEM AND TAEGU.

SOUTH KOREANS CONTROLLED THE MOUNTAIN PASS ROADS.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS OMMITTED ITS MIDNIGHT SUMMARY FOR THE THIRD CONSECUTIVE DAY. A SPOKESMAN SAID THERE WAS NO CHANGE IN THE BATTLE SITUATION SINCE THE RELEASE EARLIER OF AN U.S.8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE.

THAT RELEASE TOLD OF THE HEAVY BUILDUP OF COMMUNIST FORCES IN THE WAEGWAN AREA AND SAID THE AREA IS NOW THE "MOST SERIOUS ONE" TO UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

THE COMMUNISTS POURED OUT OF THE B-29 BOMBER AREA WEST OF THE RIVER. THEY JUMPED OFF FROM AN AREA BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND KUNWI. (CORRECT).

THEIR ATTACK STARTED A FEW HOURS AFTER U.S.MARINES AND THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION STRUCK A NEW ALLIED BLOW AT THE 12,000-MAN RED BRIDGEHEAD ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

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THE MARINES HAD BEEN PULLED OUT OF THE SOUTH COASTAL AREA WHERE THEY HAD MADE ADVANCES ON CHINJU. THEY WERE ORDERED BACK 20-ODD MILES TO THE EAST AND THEN SHUNTED NORTHWARD FOR THE CHANGNYONG ATTACK.

THE U.S.25TH INFANTRY DIVISION TOOK THE MARINES' PLACES IN THE COASTAL LINE JUST WEST OF MASAN, SOUTHERN PORT WHICH IS 27 AIRLINE MILES EAST OF PUSAN.

IT WAS ON THE NORTH CENTRAL FRONT, NORTH OF TAEGU, THAT THE REDS WERE MAKING THEIR MOST DANGEROUS THREAT, HOWEVER.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED FROM U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS THAT ENEMY ARTILLERY FIRE FELL DURING THE NIGHT FOR THE FIRST TIME ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF TAEGU.

THE NORTH KOREANS HOLD A POSITION ABOUT SEVEN MILES FROM THE EMERGENCY CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA. HOWEVER, IT WAS NOT DETERMINED WHETHER THE SHELLS CAME FROM THERE. IN ALL, ERICKSON SAID, FIVE ROUNDS HIT THE CITY OF ABOUT 110,000 PERSONS.

THE SUDDEN THRUST WAS DESCRIBED BY U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS AS THE "MOST SERIOUS ONE TO THE UNITED NATIONS IN KOREA."

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IT FOLLOWED A MASSED BOMBING ATTACK BY 98 B-29S WEDNESDAY WHICH WAS AIMED TO SLOW THE RED OFFENSIVE.

AP CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON AT 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID THE NORTH KOREANS WERE ATTACKING WITH BETWEEN 25,000 AND 30,000 TROOPS.

IN THE PATH OF THE INVADERS WERE TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS.

THE SUDDEN OUTBURST TO THE NORTH DEVELOPED AFTER U.S. MARINES AND THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION JUMPED OFF WITH A COUNTER-ATTACK IN THE REDS' CHANGYONG RIVER-CROSSING BULGE IN A BLOODY EFFORT TO DRIVE THE ENEMY BACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG.

THE MARINE-ARMY ATTACK ROARED UP A STEEP HILL NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

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THE CHANGNYONG FIGHTING WAS FIERCEST OF THE WAR.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD SAID THE MARINES ADVANCED OVER A SAVAGELY CONTESTED SLOPE.

HE SAID IT WAS THE TYPE OF FIGHT THE MARINES MADE IN THE PACIFIC IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR.

AP CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED FROM THE 24TH INFANTRY POSITIONS THURSDAY NIGHT THAT THE ARMY DOUGHBOYS HAD REACHED THEIR OBJECTIVES. THEY ARE ON THE MARINES' NORTHERN FLANK.

MACBETH REPORTED THE DOUGHBOYS WERE DIGGING IN FOR A POSSIBLE COUNTER-ATTACK FROM 12,000 RIVER-CROSSING REDS IN THE BRIDGEHEAD DURING THURSDAY NIGHT.

THE MARINES WERE WITHDRAWN 27 MILES FROM THEIR KOREAN SOUTH COASTAL GAINS AND MOVED TO THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE TO MEET THE ATTACK.

THE MARINES SPEARHEADED A NEW AMERICAN OFFENSIVE IN ADVANCE OF THE REDS' KICKOFF.

THE MARINES HIT HARD AND FAST AT A CRAGGY CHANGNYONG HILL AND HAD CLAWED THEIR WAY PART OF THE WAY UP IT AT DUSK.

THEY HAD BEEN ORDERED OUT OF THEIR SOUTHERN FRONT POSITIONS BEFORE CHINJU TO MAKE THE CHANGNYONG CHARGE.

IN THE SOUTH THEY HAD PUSHED TO WITHIN SIGHT OF RUINED CHINJU IN A SWEEP WEST FROM MASAN, SOUTH COAST PORT 27 AIRLINE MILES WEST OF PUSAN, NO. 1 ALLIED PORT.

THEIR COASTAL PLACE WAS TAKEN BY THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION.

TROOPS OF THE 25TH DUG IN THURSDAY NIGHT AGAINST A POSSIBLE ATTACK FROM THE ARMOR REINFORCED NORTH KOREAN 6TH DIVISION. THE 6TH

HAD BEEN BATTERED ALMOST OUT OF THE WAR BY TWO 25TH DIVISION REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS AND THE MARINES.

AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED FROM OUTSIDE MASAN THURSDAY NIGHT THAT THE RED 6TH WAS BUILDING UP STRENGTH FOR A NEW ATTACK AGAINST THE 25TH.

CHINJU, 55 MILES WEST OF PUSAN, OFFERS A STRAIGHT SHOOT OVER MARSHES AND SLOPES TO THE SOUTHEAST COAST.

THE NAKTONG RIVER DELTA SPREADS BEFORE PUSAN.

THE WHOLE KOREAN WARFRONT WAS RAPIDLY BECOMING A BATTLE OF POSITION.

TROOPS WERE SHIFTED ON BOTH SIDES.

THE REDS MOVED THE MAIN PORTION OF THEIR 60,000-MAN FORCE IN THE WAEGWAN AREA BOUT 12 MILES TO THE NORTHEAST FOR A THRUST TOWARD TAEGU FROM CHANGCHON.

THIS NEW RED THREAT FROM CHANGCHON SEEMED TO BE THE MAIN ENEMY EFFORT.

STEPS TO STOP IT AND SPORADIC COMMUNIST ATTACKS ALL ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE OCCUPIED ALLIED COMMANDERS.

IN THE DEEP SOUTH THE REINFORCED U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION WAS ALERTED FOR A POSSIBLE NORTH KOREAN ATTEMPT TO BREAK THROUGH TOWARD PUSAN.

RED ARMOR WAS REPORTED RUSHING TO THAT AREA TO REINFORCE THE WAR-WORN RED SIXTH DIVISION.

BATTLING ALL ALONG THE LINE, THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS SHORED UP WHERE THEY COULD.

OUTSIDE OF WAEGWAN, A RUBBLED NO-MAN'S-CITY OF 20,000 THE HARD-FIGHTING U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION RETOOK A RIDGE OF A HILL DESIGNATED AS 303 WHICH THE REDS HAD WRESTED FROM THEM EARLIER THURSDAY.

IT WAS A NIP-AND-TUCK BATTLE ALL THE WAY FOR THE HILL.

ON THE NORTH-CENTRAL FRONT TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS -- THE SIXTH AND EIGHTH--BORE THE BRUNT OF RED ATTACKS.

THE EIGHTH HURLED BACK THE REDS WITHOUT LOSING GROU

WAS FORCED TO GIVE "LESS THAN A MILE," GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID.

THE REDS WERE POURING FROM THE WAEGWAN AREA SATURATED WEDNESDAY BY A MASS BOMBING BY B-29S.

AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE AT THE WAEGWAN FRONT REPORTED 32 U.S. PRISONERS OF WAR, WITH HANDS TIED BEHIND THEIR BACKS, WERE SLAIN BY THE REDS.

BOYLE SAID THE 32 WERE IN A GROUP OF 37 MEN THE COMMUNISTS HAD MARKED FOR DEATH. FIVE LIVED TO TELL THE STORY.

THIS MASSACRE OCCURRED IN THE AREA THAT WAS BOMBED BY 98 B-29S WEDNESDAY AND MAY HAVE BEEN A RETALIATION MEASURE.

THE MARINE BATTLE FOR THE CLIFF OUTSIDE CHANGNYONG WAS THE BLOODIEST FIGHT THURSDAY.

THE MARINES WERE UP AGAINST PART OF 12,000 RIVER-CROSSING REDS WHO BULGED OUT SEVEN MILES EAST OF THE NAKTONG AND CLAWED TO CUT THE TAEGU SUPPLY LINE FROM PUSAN.

THE ALOWLY ADVANCING MARINES, THEIR WOUNDED AND STRETCHER BEARERS TARGETS OF RED SNIPERS, WEATHERED A RED ARTILLERY ATTACK.

U.S. ARTILLERY POURED A CONSTANT BARRAGE INTO THE RED POSITIONS ON THE HILL. SOME OF THE COMMUNISTS CAME HALFWAY DOWN THE SLOPE TO FIRE ON STRETCHER-BEARERS CARRYING OUT THE WOUNDED MARINES.

WHEN THE STRETCHER BEARERS RAN SHORT, SOUTH KOREANS WERE PRESSED INTO SERVICE TO HELP EVACUATE THE LEATHERNECK WOUNDED.

BRIG.GEN.EDWARD CRAIG, THE MARINE COMMANDER, SAID THE BATTLE IS "STIFFER THAN I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE BUT I THINK WE WILL BE ABLE TO MOVE AHEAD."

AP CORRESPONDENTS DON WHITEHEAD AND JACK MACBETH WITH THE MARINES REPORTED THE LEATHERNECKS HUNG ON TO PART OF "SLAUGHTERHOUSE HILL."

THE HILL COMMANDS ONE OF THE VITAL SECTIONS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER BRIDGEHEAD IN THE HEART OF THE 120-MILE KOREAN BATTLELINE. IT IS ABOUT 26 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE SOUTH KOREA REPUBLIC'S EMERGENCY CAPITAL.

CORRESPONDENT MACBETH SAID THE DEVIL-DOGS WERE BADLY OUTNUMBERED BUT GRABBED AND HUNG TO PART OF THE HEIGHTS IN A BLOODY FIGHT.

ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. FIRST MARINE BRIGADE JUMPED OFF AT DAWN THURSDAY AND STORMED THE HILL IN TRADITIONAL MARINE FASHION.

MACBETH SAID BY MID-AFTERNOON THURSDAY THEY HAD SECURED PART OF THE RIDGE AND MARINE REINFORCEMENTS WERE POURING INTO THE BATTLE.

U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION TROOPS WERE HELD BACK AT THE START OF THE NEW OFFENSIVE, UNDER BATTLE PLANS. THEN THEY WERE RUSHED INTO THE FIGHT ON THE LEATHERNECKS' RIGHT FLANK. THERE WERE NO REPORTS ON THEIR PROGRESS LATE THURSDAY.

THROUGHOUT THE DAY MARINE AND AIR FORCE FIGHTERS PUMMELED THE TOP OF THE HILL WITH ROCKETS, MACHINEGUN FIRE AND BOMBS.

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MOST OF THE HILL WAS ENVELOPED IN SMOKE DURING THE BITTER FIGHTING.

NORTH OF THE RED'S EASTERN BANK TOEHOLD, IN THE AREA POUNDED WEDNESDAY BY B-29S IN THEIR MASS BOMBARDMENT OF 60,000 GROUND TROOPS, ALLIED AND ENEMY FORCES SEE-SAWED IN ATTACKS AND COUNTERATTACKS AROUND WAEGWAN.

FIGHTING SWIRLED AROUND THE CITY OF WAEGWAN.

THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION PUSHED BACK UP A HILL OUTSIDE OF WAEGWAN THAT IT HAD LOST EARLIER TO REDS ATTACKING FROM THE BOMBED AREA.

THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION SMASHED INTO THE REDS EAST OF THE NAKTONG AND NEXT TO THE B-29 TARGET AREA, GAINING MORE THAN A MILE TO THE NORTHWEST.

WAEGWAN CHANGED HANDS FREQUENTLY. BOTH SIDES TRIED TO GAIN HEIGHTS COMMANDING THE TOWN OF 20,000 AND IGNORED THE RUBBLED CITY ITSELF AS A BATTLE PRIZE.

ON THE SEA OF JAPAN COAST, 55 MILES EAST OF WAEGWAN, U.S. LANDING CRAFT EVACUATED THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD INFANTRY DIVISION FROM THE YONGDOK-POHANG AREA.

A STAFF OFFICER SAID THERE WERE SIGNS OF A RED BUILDUP IN THE EASTERN AREA. HE SAID THE NORTH KOREANS MIGHT TRY TO ATTACK WESTWARD FROM POHANG TOWARD THE ALLIED COMMUNICATIONS BASE OF YONGCHON TO EASE PRESSURE ON TROOPS COMMITTED TO BATTLE IN THE WEST ALONG THE NAKTONG.

NEITHER ARMY INTELLIGENCE NOR THE AIR FORCE HAD YET EVALUATED RESULTS OF THE B-29 SATURATION RAID WEDNESDAY ON THE REDS' OFFENSIVE BUILDUP AREA WEST OF THE NAKTONG AROUND WAEGWAN.

SOME AMERICAN ARMY PATROLS PROBED SEVERAL MILES WEST OF THE NAKTONG WITHOUT MEETING ANY REDS. BUT ONE PATROL DREW SUCH HEAVY FIRE IT WAS UNABLE TO MOVE FORWARD.

THE FACT THE COMMUNISTS WERE ABLE TO ATTACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG IN THE FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR INDICATED MANY OF THE 60,000 RED TROOPS IN THE AREA HAD RECOVERED FROM TERROR EFFECTS OF THE BOMBER RAID.

BUT THE MAIN ACTION OF THE WAR WAS CENTERED IN THE ROARING BATTLE FOR THE HILLS IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THURSDAY AFTERNOON LEATHERNECKS WERE HAVING HEAVY GOING AGAINST REINFORCED COMMUNIST TROOPS NOW HOLDING SOUTHERN REACHES OF THE HIGH GROUND. THE 12,000 REDS IN THE SEVEN-MILE-DEEP AND SIX-MILE-LONG BRIDGEHEAD HAVE HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTARS.

AMERICAN 24TH DIVISION TROOPS HELD POSITIONS ON THE NORTHERN CREST OF THE HILLS WITH THEIR RIGHT FLANK ANCHORED ON THE RIVER. THEY HAVE

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ALTERNATELY GAINED AND LOST IN SMASHING AGAINST THE CENTER AND SOUTH.
EACH NIGHT THE REDS HAVE BEEN ABLE TO PUSH REINFORCEMENTS ACROSS THE MUDDY RIVER. THE COMMUNISTS HAVE SUCCEEDED IN NULLIFYING PREVIOUS GAINS MADE BY AMERICANS IN THE 12-DAY-OLD BATTLE WITH INFILTRATION AND FRONTAL ASSAULTS.

CORRESPONDENT WHITEHEAD SAID THE MARINE ADVANCE THURSDAY WAS BLOODIER THAN ANYTHING THE LEATHERNECKS WENT THROUGH WHEN THEY PULVERIZED A NORTH KOREAN DIVISION AND DROVE WITHIN SIGHT OF CHINJU IN THE SOUTH.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE 24TH ARMY DIVISION BEAT BACK TWO RED ATTACKS WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR WEDNESDAY.

WHILE THE FIGHTING RAGED AROUND THE CHANGNYONG HILLS, ALLIED COMMANDERS KEPT A WARY EYE TO THE NORTH. A COMMUNIST POWER DRIVE HAS BEEN EXPECTED FOR FIVE DAYS DOWN THE WAEGWAN-TAEGU CORRIDOR THROUGH THE RUGGED MOUNTAINS.

FOUR COMMUNIST DIVISIONS, WITH TWO IN CLOSE SUPPORT, HAVE BEEN REPORTED GATHERING IN THAT AREA.

AT ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO A SPOKESMAN, REPLYING TO A QUESTION ABOUT THE EFFECTS OF THE B-29 RAID ON THE RED MASSING OF TROOPS FOR AN EXPECTED OFFENSIVE, SAID:

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"THE BEST ANSWER IS THAT THE ATTACK HASN'T BEEN ABLE TO GET STARTED."

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE THRESHING AROUND IN ALL THEIR MAIN POSITIONS LOOKING FOR A PLACE TO BREAK OUT.

THE EAST COAST POHANG AREA CONTAINED THE NEWEST THREAT. THE REDS HOLD POHANG PORT, SECOND MOST IMPORTANT IN SOUTH KOREA. BUT AMERICAN TROOPS COMMAND THE NEW UNUSED AIRSTRIP SIX MILES SOUTH OF POHANG AND SOME OF THE ADJACENT COUNTRY. THE AMERICANS ARE SUPPORTED BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.

ON THE EXTREME SOUTH COAST, A SPOKESMAN SAID, THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION WAS BUILDING UP DEFENSIVE POSITIONS. HE SAID THE SMASHED UP NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION, WHICH A PRISONER SAID HAD NOT BEEN REINFORCED SINCE IT CROSSED THE 38TH PARALLEL LATE IN JUNE, MADE CAUTIOUS CONTACT WITH THE AMERICANS.

THE RED SIXTH PROBABLY WILL ATTEMPT TO ATTACK AGAIN TOWARD MASAN, SOUTH COAST PORT 27 MILES EAST OF PUSAN, THE NO. 1 U.S. SEAPORT ON THE SOUTHEASTERN TIP OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA. BUT THERE WERE NO INDICATIONS THAT THE SIXTH HAS THE POWER TO MAKE A SERIOUS THREAT.

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TWENTY MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS, HOLDING POSITIONS NORTHEAST OF THE PROVINSIAL SOUTHERN CAPITAL, BATTLED STIFF ENEMY ATTACKS. GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE EIGHTH DIVISION BROKE UP ONE ATTACK WITHOUT LOSING GROUND. BUT THE SIXTH WAS FORCED BACK LESS THAN A MILE IN ONE SECTOR, HEADQUARTERS SAID.

ALLIED AIRMEN CONTINUED TO CHOP UP NORTH KOREAN SUPPLY ARTERIES AND DROPPED THEIR BOMBS ON FIXED TARGETS FAR TO THE REAR. ~~TANKS~~ TRUCKS

NAVY PILOTS FROM TASK FORCE 77 SAID 34 ENEMY ~~TANKS~~ WERE DESTROYED AND 26 WERE DAMAGED. THEY TRIED TO GET FOUR TRAINS WITH ROCKETS BUT THE LOCOMOTIVES MADE IT TO TUNNELS IN SAFETY.

THREE MILITARY SUPPLY DUMPS WERE BLOWN UP AND MILITARY WAREHOUSES WERE HIT BY AERIAL CANNON FIRE.

FIFTH AIR FORCE PILOTS SAID THEY DAMAGED EIGHT ENEMY TANKS, 33 TRUCKS, NINE LOCOMOTIVES AND THREE ARTILLERY PIECES IN GROUND SUPPORT ATTACKS.

AROUND WAEGWAN THE AMERICANS LOST TWO TANKS AND DESTROYED THREE NORTH KOREAN TANKS.

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BULLETIN

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,FRIDAY,AUG.18-(AP)-THE EVACUATION F TAEGU'S CIVILIAN POPULATION WAS ORDERED TODAY BY THE SOUTH KOREAN PROVIIONAL GOVERNMENT. THE GOVERNMENT ITSELF WILL REMAIN INTHE EMERGENCY APITAL.

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BULLETIN MATTER

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HQRS IN KOREA--1ST ADD TAEGU EVACUATION XXX MERGENCY CAPITAL.

THE CITY'S NORMAL POPULATION WAS 300,000 BUT IT HAS BEEN SWELLED TO ETWEEN 500,000 AND 700,000 BY REFUGEES STRAMING SOUTHWARD BFOE THE ORTH KOREANCOMMUN
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ORTH KOEAN COMMUNIST PUSH.

EVACUATION OF THE CITY WAS ORDERED AFTER THE FIRST RED ARTILLERY ELLS CRASHED INTO TAEGU THURSDAY NIGHT. FIVE ROUNDS HITTING THE ITY FAILED TO CAUSE CASUALTIES OR DAMAGE.

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AERIAL

U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG.17-(AP)-AMERICAN FIFTH AIRFORCE FIGHTERS TOOK ADVANTAGE OF GOOD WEATHER TODAY TO FLY 250 SORTIES, MOST OF THEM IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF FRONTLINE UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES.

IN THE NAKTONG RIVER SECTOR SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG FIGHTERS SWOOPED DOWN ON TWO FLAT BOATS CARRYING REDS ACROSS THE RIVER AND STRAFED BOTH. SIXTY ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE CLAIMED.

AN AIRFORCE SPOKESMAN SAID FOR THE FIRST TIME NO CLAIMS WERE MADE BY AMERICAN FIGHTERS OF TANKS DAMAGED OR DESTROYED.

AN F-51 JET FIGHTER WAS DAMAGED BY ITS OWN FRAGMENTATION BOMB WHEN THE PLANE DIVED TOO CLOSE TO THE GROUND IN AN ATTACK NEAR CHINJWON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. THE DAMAGED AIRCRAFT RETURNED TO AN ALLIED AIR STRIP AND LANDED SAFELY.

SIXTEEN B-26S BOMBED A BRIDGE NEAR HAMCHANG ON THE NORTHERN FRONT WHERE THE REDS HAVE BEEN EXERTING PRESSURE AGAINST SOUTH KOREAN LINES. THE AMERICAN AIR FORCE FLEW 50 SORTIES OVER THE SECTORS BEING HELD BY SOUTH KOREANS.

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BULLETIN

BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG.18-(AP)-MASSED COMMUNIST DIVISIONS BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND KUNWI CONSTITUTE THE "MAIN THREAT TO THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINE IN KOREA," THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID TODAY.

IN ITS COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT 10:50 A.M.(7:50P.M.EST THURSDAY) THE EIGHTH ARMY DID NOT GIVE ANY DETAILS OF THE SITUATION IN THIS CRITICAL AREA EXCEPT TO SAY THE ENEMY HAD MADE SEVERAL ATTACKS THERE ON THURSDAY.

IN THE CHANGNYONG BULGE, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU THE EIGHTH ARMY ADDED, RED TROOPS COUNTERATTACKED AGAINST THE AMERICAN LINE BUT WERE STOPPED AFTER A 100-YARD ADVANCE.

ALL AMERICAN UNITS---THE MARINES AND THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION--- GAINED THEIR FIRST OBJECTIVE THURSDAY, HEADQUARTERS SAID.

MARINES MET HEAVY RESISTANCE IN THEIR ADVANCE.
RED FORCES REINFORCED A CROSSING IN THE SONGSAN AREA, ABOUT SEVEN AIR MILES NORTH OF THE HYONPONG BRIDGEHEAD OVER THE NAKTONG RIVER. AMERICAN FORCES, HEADQUARTERS SAID, ARE ATTEMPTING TO REDUCE THIS LATEST ENEMY FORCE WHICH IS ABOUT EIGHT MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.
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U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG. 17-(AP)-RED KOREAN FORCES ARE MASSING BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND KUNWI ON THE NORTHERN SECTOR OF THE WESTERN FRONT IN THE MOST SERIOUS THREAT TO U.S. FORCES, HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY.
THE NEW CONCENTRATION MAY INDICATE THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE SHIFTED THE MAIN MASS OF THEIR FORCES NORTH FROM WAEGWAN.
IF TRUE, THIS WOUL MEAN THEY WILL TRY TO SMASH THROUGH AREAS HELD BY THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS. BOTH GAVE SOME GROUN YESTERDAY TO RED ATTACKS.
THE U.S. FIRST CAVLARY DIVISION WAS REPORTED FIGHTING TO REGAIN STRATEGIC HILL 303 AFTER HAVING BEEN DISLODGED EARLIER.

THE NORTH KOREANS TOOK THE HILL, TWO MILES NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN, THIS MORNING IN ONE OF THREE ASSAULTS ALONG THE NORTHERN AREAS OF THE WESTERN FRONT. BY LATE AFTERNOON THE CAVALRY'S FIFTH REGIMENT WAS HALFWAY BACK UP THE HILL.
IN OTHER ASSAULTS THE NORTH KOREANS DROVE 800 TO 1,200 YARDS INTO THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE SOUTH KOREAN 12TH REGIMENT. TWO TANKS LED A RED BATTALION IN AN ATTACK ON THE SOUTH KOREAN 7TH REGIMENT.
HEADQUARTERS REPORTED U.S. MARINES WERE MAKING "SLOW PROGRESS AGAINST VERY STRONG ENEMY RESISTANCE" IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR ON THE CENTRAL FRONT. THE MARINES JOINED THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION IN TRYING TO KNOCK OUT A BRIDGEHEAD OF 12,000 NORTH KOREANS.
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BULLETIN
U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS HAVE FOUGHT BACK INTO THE PORT OF POHANG ON THE EAST COAST. DISCLOSING THIS TODAY, AN EIGHTH ARMY SPOKESMAN CAUTIONED IT WAS YET TOO EARLY TO SAY POHANG HAD BEEN RECAPTURED.

SOUTH KOREANS ARMY SOURCES FLATLY CLAIMED THE EAST COAST CITY IS RETAKEN.
POHANG IS THE PORT CITY 65 MILES NORTH FROM THE MAIN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN. IT WAS THERE THAT U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION TROOPS WERE PUT ASHORE WHEN THEY JOINED THE KOREAN ACTION. IT WAS WRESTED RECENTLY FROM SOUTH KOREANS IN WHAT U. S. MILITARY SOURCES SAID WAS A "TACTICAL BUT NOT A STRATEGIC SURPRISE."

FALL OF POHANG TO THE RED FORCES WAS ANNOUNCED OFFICIALLY LAST SATURDAY.
SINCE THEN THE SITUATION IN THE POHANG AREA HAS BEEN FLUID AND CONFUSED.
AT STAKE WAS AN AMERICAN FIGHTER STRIP A FEW MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE EAST COAST TOWN. AMERICAN PLANES WERE EVACUATED WHEN THE RED FORCES AT ONE TIME WERE WITHIN A MILE OF THE STRIP AND SHELLED IT, THE AIRFIELD HAS REMAINED IN AMERICAN H,$', ALTHOUGH IT WAS NOT IN USE.

AT THE SAME TIME A SOUTH KOREAN ARMY SPOKESMAN ASSERTED TODAY THAT T SOUTH KOREAN ARMY HAS RECAPTURED KIGYE, EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG ON THE EAST COAST.
NO FURTHER DETAILS WERE GIVEN.
KIGYE FELL TO APPROXIMATELY 10,000 REDS LAST WEEK PRIOR TO AN ATTACK ON POHANG, SECOND RANKING PORT INSIDE THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE ZONE. KIGYE WAS THE JUMPOFF POINT FOR RED ATTACKS ON POHANG AND THE AMERICAN FIGHTER STRIP.
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BULLETIN
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREANS TODAY CAPTURED KUMHWA, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, WHICH WAS REPORTED HIT BY FIVE ARTILLERY OR MORTAR SHELLS.

SIX TANKS LED THE ADVANCE INTO KUMHWA, EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN. IT WAS THE FIRST LARGE RED FORCE TO APPEAR IN THE AREA.
THE ADVANCE IN THE KUMHWA SECTOR CONSTITUTED A SHALLOW SALIENT PENETRATION INTO THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSES.
THE TOWN IS ON A SECONDARY ROAD LEADING TO TAEGU THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS. FARTHER EAST THERE WAS PRESSURE AGAINST THE SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION BELOW KUNWI.
THE U. S. EIGHTH ARMY SAID SOUTH KOREAN NATIONAL POLICE REPORTED THAT FIVE ARTILLERY OR MORTAR SHELLS LANDED BETWEEN THREE-QUARTERS OF A MILE AND A MILE NORTHEAST OF THE TAEGU RAILWAY STATION AT 3:10 A. M. KOREAN DAYLIGHT TIME (12:10 P.M., E.S.T., THURSDAY.
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BULLETIN
EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-SYNGMAN RHEE, HEAD OF THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT, LEFT HIS PROVISIONAL CAPITAL AT TAEGU TODAY AND A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNMENT WERE PREPARING TO DEPART.

U.S. AMBASSADOR JOHN J.MUCCIO ALSO LEFT THE REFUGEE CROWDED CAPITAL AFTER ORDERS FOR CIVILIANS TO EVACUATE WERE ISSUED.
ELEMENTS OF MUCCIO'S STAFF, HOWEVER, REMAINED IN THE CITY WHICH TODAY TOOK ITS FIRST COMMUNIST ARTILLERY FIRE.
DEPARTURE OF SYNGMAN RHEE NECESSITATED MUCCIO'S LEAVING ALSO.
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BULLETIN
ON THE CHANGNYONG FRONT IN SOUTH KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-MARINES AND U.S. 24TH DIVISION INFANTRY HELD FAST TODAY TO HARD WON POSITIONS THEY GAINED AT THE OUTSET OF THEIR OFFENSIVE YESTERDAY AGAINST THE RED BRIDGEHEAD EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.

ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE REPULSED STRONG COMMUNIST COUNTER ATTACKS EARLY TODAY ON "SLAUGHTERHOUSE RIDGE" WHICH THEY BLOODILY STORMED THURSDAY IN BITTER FIGHTING.
THE OFFENSIVE IS AIMED AT A RED FORCE OF MORE THAN 10,000 MEN WHICH HAS BEEN BUILDING UP ON THE EAST BANK, SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG. FOR TWO WEEKS.
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BULLETIN
ON THE CHANGNYONG FRONT, IN SOUTH KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IN THE CHANGNYONG BULGE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER HAVE BEGUN A WITHDRAWAL BACK ACROSS TO THE WEST BANK , A U. S. MARINE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.

THIS IS THE SECTOR, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, WHERE U. S. MARINES AND 24TH DIVISION INFANTRY OPENED A DRIVE THURSDAY AIMED AT CLEARING OUT A BRIDGEHEAD OF AN ESTIMATED 12,000 REDS.

THE MARINE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THAT MARINE CORSAIR PILOTS SAW THE COMMUNIST TRYING TO CROSS BACK OVER THE RIVER FRONT FORWARD LINES.

THE RETREATING REDS WERE UNDER HEAVY AIR AND ARTILLERY FIRE.

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A67KX (AERIAL & NL FIRE)

KOREAN AERIAL (130)

FIFTH AIRFORCE HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG.18-(AP)-THE U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE YESTERDAY SET A NEW ONE-DAY RECORD OF FLYING SUPPLIES TO UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

ONE HUNDRED AND 20 CARGO TRANSPORTS CARRIED 164.7 TONS OF CARGO AND 542 PASSENGERS.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW 475 SORTIES DURING THE 24 HOUR PERIOD, MOST OF THEM IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS.

HEAVY FIGHTER SUPPORT WAS GIVEN SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ALONG THE FRONT NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN WHERE A RED PUSH BY SOME 30,000 MEN IS UNDER WAY. ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHT SORTIES WERE FLOWN IN THAT AREA. ONE TANK WAS REPORTED DESTROYED, ANOTHER DAMAGED. VILLAGES WERE BOMBED AND STRAFED.

SIX INTERCEPTOR MISSIONS WERE FLOWN IN THE AREA OF JAPAN'S KYUSHU ISLAND AGAINST UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT. ONE PROVED TO BE FRIENDLY. THE AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID THERE WAS NO REPORT ON IDENTITY OF THE OTHER FIVE PLANES.

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PRECEDE FIFTH AIRFORCE HEADQUARTERS (KOREAN AERIAL (A67KX)

TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-AMERICAN FIGHTER PLANES SWEPT LOW TO ATTACK COMMUNIST TANKS AND TROOP COLUMNS THURSDAY IN THE SECTOR POSING THE GREATEST THREAT IN SOUTH KOREA---THE NORTHWEST.

BIG B-29S SWEPT TO NORTH KOREA TO HIT RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES.

A RELEASE FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, COVERING AIR ACTION FOR YESTERDAY UP UNTIL MIDNIGHT, SAID:

"NORTH KOREAN FOOT TROOPS WERE HIT HARD IN ALL SECTORS, INCLUDING CONCENTRATIONS AT SINDAN, UIRYONG AND IN THE WAEGWAN AREA."

WAEGWAN IS 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU IN THE AREA WHERE B-29S ON WEDNESDAY UNLOADED THE GREATEST TONNAGE OF BOMBS ON TROOP CONCENTRATIONS SINCE THE NORMANDY LANDING IN WORLD WAR II. SIBAN AND UIRYON ARE WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, 30 AND 40 MILES RESPECTIVELY SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU

BUT THE RELEASE SAID "PRIMARY ATTENTION" WAS DEVOTED TO SUPPORT OF SOUTH KOREANS AND AMERICAN GROUND FORCES IN THE NORTHWEST.

THIS IS THE SECTOR WHERE TODAY 30,000 RED TROOPS UNLEASHED AN OFFENSIVE FROM THE NORTH THAT DROVE TO WITHIN 12 MILES OF TAEGU.

"F80 JETS AND F51S OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE BOMBED, STRAFED AND ROCKETED NORTH KOREAN FRONT LINES AND ASSEMBLY AREAS, KILLING NUMBERS OF INFANTRY TROOPS AND DAMAGING MATERIEL ALONG THE ENTIRE FRONT," THE RELEASE STATED.

OVERALL, WARPLANES FLEW 500 COMBAT AND SUPPORT FLIGHTS YESTERDAY AND WERE CREDITED WITH DAMAGING 13 TANKS, 24 TRUCKS, 39 OTHER VEHICLES, 16 BOXCARS, 10 GUN POSITIONS, SEVEN WAREHOUSES AND MORE THAN 30 BUILDINGS BEING USED FOR MILITARY PURPOSES.

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B29S "RETURNED TO THEIR PROGRAM OF SYSTEMATIC ATTACKS ON RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL," THE RELEASE STATED.

THE SUPERFORTRESSES STRUCK AT TARGETS ON KOREA'S EAST COAST FROM HAMHUNG, 130 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL IN THE RED HALF OF KOREA DOWN TO KANSONG, 28 MILES NORTH OF THAT DIVIDING LINE.

FORTY MILES SOUTHEAST OF SEOUL, RED-CAPTURED FORMER CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA, THE SUPERFORTS KNOCKED OUT A BRIDGE AND DAMAGED THREE OTHERS IN THE VICINITY OF ANSONG.

A LATER RELEASE SAID CARRIER-BASED AIRCRAFT FLEW 220 SORTIES YESTERDAY, HITTING AT TARGETS AS FAR NORTH AS CHONGJIN ON THE EAST COAST ONLY 60 MILES FROM THE MANCHURIAN BORDER.

THE RELEASE SAID THE PLANES DESTROYED 32 LOCOMOTIVES, DAMAGED 15. A TRAIN OF 15 CARS CARRYING AMMUNITION WAS BLOWN UP NEAR WONSAN, ON THE EAST COAST ABOUT 80 AIR MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

BRITISH NAVY FLIERS NOW ARE ASSISTING AMERICANS IN BLOCKADING THE EAST COAST.

THE RELEASE ALSO DISCLOSED THAT A CANADIAN DESTROYER BOMBARDED A BATTERY IN THE KUNSAN AREA ON THE WEST COAST, 45 MILES SOUTHWEST OF RED-HELD TAEJON IN SOUTH KOREA.

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD ATROCITIES

BY HAL BOYLE

WITH U. S. FIRST CAVALRY IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-SEVEN CAPTURED AMERICAN TANKMEN WERE REPORTED TODAY TO HAVE BEEN EXECUTED IN THE SAME BATTLE FOR HILL 303 NORTH OF WAEGWAN IN WHICH SOME 30 OTHER YANKS WERE ATROCITY VICTIMS OF NORTH KOREANS.

BODIES OF SEVEN SOLDIERS WERE FOAND ON TTE ROAD NEAR

BODIES OF SEVEN SOLDIERS WERE FOUND ON THE ROAD NEAR THEIR TWO TANKS WHICH HAD BEEN KNOCKED OUT TWO DAYS BEFORE.

A GENERAL OFFICER SAID HE HAD BEEN TOLD THEY WERE EXECUTED.

THREE AMERICAN SOLDIERS EARLIER TODAY DRAMATICALLY IDENTIFIED TWO NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS AS MEMBERS OF A GROUP OF REDS WHO SHOT TO DEATH 32 BOUND AMERICAN CAPTIVES.

THE IDENTIFICATIONS WERE MADE BY THREE OF FIVE PRISONERS IN THE GROUP WHO ESCAPED DEATH.

THEY WERE CPL. JAMES MELVIN RUDD, 18, OF SALYERSVILLE, KY., CPL. ROY L. DAY, JR., OF EL PASO, TEX., AND AN 18-YEAR-OLD RED-HAIRED AMMUNITION BEARER, PVT. ROY MANRING (CORRECT) OF 1275 NORTH HERMITAGE AVE., CHICAGO, WHO HAS SUFFERED SEVEN WOUNDS.

IN A HOSPITAL CLEARING STATION TENT THEY IDENTIFIED TWO OUT OF SIX NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS.

ONE WAS KIM QWONG TOAEK, AN OFFICER ACCUSED OF GIVING THE ORDER TO SHOOT THE AMERICAN PRISONERS. THE OTHER, CHON TYONG TOK, WAS IDENTIFIED AS ONE OF THE GROUP WHO FIRED AT THE AMERICANS. THEY ALSO IDENTIFIED TENTATIVELY A THIRD PRISONER, PAK CHIN QWON, AS CARRYING OUT THE SLAUGHTER ORDER.

MANRING WAS THERE LYING ON A LITTER. SO WERE THE SIX COMMUNIST PRISONERS INCLUDING PAK AND CHON, EACH OF WHOM HAD BEEN SHOT IN THE LEFT LEG.

THE AMERICAN RED HEAD RAISED A BANDAGED LEFT HAND AND PICKED OUT THESE TWO FROM AMONG OTHER NORTH KOREANS WHOM HE HAD NOT SEEN BEFORE.

THE STILLNESS WEIGHED HEAVILY.

MANRING POINTED TO PAK WITH THE HEAVY BANDAGES:

"HE CARRIED A RIFLE AND TOOK ONE OF MY BEST BUDDIES DOWN FOR SOME WATER."

CPL. DAY THEN IDENTIFIED KIM AS THE OFFICER WHO HAD DIRECTED THE SHOOTINGS.

"THAT'S THE BASTARD WHO GAVE THE ORDERS," HE SAID.

THE PRISONERS SAT IMPASSIVELY SILENT IN THE HEAT.

DAY SAID MOST OF THE NORTH KOREANS WORE SHORTS BUT KIM WAS DRESSED IN A SUIT WITH RED STRIPES DOWN THE TROUSERS AND SHOULDER EPAULETS WITH ONE STAR AND TWO RED STRIPES. AMERICAN OFFICERS SAID THIS WAS THE RANK OF A MAJOR.

MANRING SAID HE COULD NOT IDENTIFY KIM AS THE MAN WHO ORDERED THE SHOOTING. BUT HE AND DAY AGREED THAT HE WAS AN OFFICER.

DAY IS MARRIED AND HAS TWO CHILDREN, INCLUDING A DAUGHTER HE HAS NOT SEEN.

THE TENSE MOMENT BROKE AT LAST.

AMERICAN WOUNDED WERE TAKEN FROM THE CLEARING STATION ON LITTERS. SO WERE THE WOUNDED NORTH KOREANS, SOME WALKING, SOME CARRIED.

THE PRISONERS WILL BE TAKEN TO THE REAR FOR OFFICIAL INTERROGATION.

THE DOUGHBOYS WHO HEARD ABOUT THE INCIDENT WENT BACK TO THEIR JOBS OF HOLDING A DEFENSE LINE. THE WHOLE EPISODE HAS STIRRED UP THE BATTLEFRONT AND MADE THE G. I.'S GRIMLY MAD.

THE WHOLE AREA OF HILL 303 WAS BEING COMBED FOR MORE BODIES.

KIM DENIED HE WAS AN OFFICER OR THAT HE GAVE THE SHOOTING COMMAND. HE SAID HE WAS A PRIVATE. SO DID THE OTHER TWO.

THE IDENTIFICATION WAS MADE IN THE PRESENCE OF THREE STAFF OFFICERS OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WHO ARE CONDUCTING AN INVESTIGATION OF THE KILLERS WITH A VIEW OF PROSECUTING THEM AS WAR CRIMINALS.

"I FEEL THAT THE FIRST TWO MEN WERE POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED," SAID LT. COL. LAFAYETTE J. SHURTLEFF OF PROVIDENCE, R. I., INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE FIRST CAVALRY.

WITH HIM AS OFFICIAL WITNESSES WERE LT. COL. D. D. RASCO OF SANTA MONICA, CALIF., JUDGE ADVOCATE OF THE DIVISION, AND HIS ASSISTANT, MAJOR ROBERT BROWN, OF 2501 NORTH EUCLID AVE., INDIANAPOLIS.

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A GROUP OF G. I.'S WHO WATCHED THE IDENTIFICATIONS EXPRESSED BITTERNESS TOWARD THE PRISONERS. SGT. WAYNE M. EVANS OF WILKES BARRE, PA., SAID:

"THERE WAS NOTHING LIKE THIS IN EUROPE EXCEPT DURING THE BATTLE OF THE BULGE WITH GERMAN SS TROOPS. I DON'T KNOW WHY THEY BOTHER TO TRY THOSE MEN.

THEY'RE GUILTY. THEY SHOULD BE HUNG NOW."

THE REDS HERDED 37 PRISONERS INTO A HILLSIDE GULLY WEST OF WAEGWAN. THEY BEGAN SLAUGHTERING THE AMERICANS WHEN A U. S. PATROL APPROACHED. THREE NORTH KOREANS WERE CAPTURED. FIVE AMERICANS ESCAPED WITH THEIR LIVES.

FIVE OTHER AMERICANS WERE TAKEN AWAY BY THE REDS AND THEIR FATE IS UNKNOWN. ONE OTHER AMERICAN, A LIEUTENANT, APPARENTLY ESCAPED BUT HE HAS NOT BEEN HEARD FROM AND HIS WHEREABOUTS ALSO IS UNKNOWN.

A FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SPOKESMAN TODAY SAID 26 BODIES HAD BEEN RECOVERED. FOUR WOUNDED WERE BROUGHT BACK AS WELL AS ONE SURVIVOR WHO WAS NOT WOUNDED. ONE SURVIVOR SAID THERE WERE MORE THAN 31 WITH THE GROUP. HE SAID THE OTHERS PROBABLY WERE FROM ANOTHER UNIT.

ONE OF THE SURVIVORS, CPL. ROY L. DAY, JR., OF EL PASO, TEX. LOOKED AT TWO OF THE CAPTURED NORTH KOREANS IN THE BACK OF A TRUCK AND SAID:

"IF YOU ASK ME, I THINK THEY SHOULD BE SHOT JUST AS THEY SHOT OUR MEN. RATHER THAN BE GIVEN A TRIAL. OR ELSE WE OUGHT TO STRING THEM UP RIGHT NOW."

ONE OTHER SURVIVOR WAS CPL. JAMES MELVIN RUDD OF SALYERSVILLE, KY.

THE EXECUTION OF THE AMERICANS TOOK PLACE ON HILL 303 TWO HOURS BEFORE THE FIFTH CAVALRY REGIMENT RECAPTURED IT FROM THE REDS.

THE COMMUNISTS HAD SEIZED THE U.S. SOLDIERS TWO DAYS EARLIER.

CORPORAL RUDD SAID THEIR CAPTORS POSED AS SOUTH KOREAN REINFORCEMENTS WHICH THE AMERICANS WERE EXPECTING.

"THEY CAME RIGHT INTO OUR FOXHOLES, SHAKING OUR HANDS AND TAKING OUR WEAPONS AS IF TO EXAMINE THEM," RUDD SAID.

"THEN THEY LINED US UP AND MARCHED US DOWN A PLACE NORTH OF WAEGWAN. THEY TOOK US INTO A GULLY AFTER TAKING OUR SHIRTS, OUR SHOES, OUR HELMETS AND OUR AMMO. THEN THEY TIED OUR HANDS WITH TELEPHONE WIRE, SHOESTRINGS AND RAWHIDE."

THE REDS TOLD THE GI'S THEY WERE GOING TO TAKE THEM TO SEOUL, FALLEN CAPITAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA, WHERE THEY SAID THERE ALREADY WERE 5,000 AMERICAN PRISONERS.

BUT, RUDD SAID, OTHER U.S. SOLDIERS WERE GETTING TOO CLOSE AND THE COMMUNISTS MOVED THE PRISONERS ELSEWHERE AND GAVE THEM THEIR FIRST FOOD SINCE THEIR CAPTURE--A PEAR AND AN APPLE APIECE.

"WE DUG HOLES IN THE SAND FOR WATER," SAID THE CORPORAL. "THEN THEY KICKED SAND IN THE HOLE AND HIT US WITH THEIR WEAPONS. LAST NIGHT THEY TOOK FIVE OUT OF OUR ORIGINAL GROUP OF 43 MEN AND I NEVER DID KNOW WHAT THEY DID TO THEM."

(RUDD'S STATEMENT TO BOYLE AS HE WAS RETURNED FROM THE SLAUGHTER SCENE THAT THERE WERE 43 IN THE ORIGINAL GROUP WOULD LEAVE ONE PERSON UNACCOUNTED FOR SINCE 32 WERE KILLED, FIVE SURVIVED THE SHOOTING AND FIVE WERE TAKEN AWAY BY COMMUNISTS, A TOTAL OF 42.)

RUDD SAID THE COMMUNISTS THEN MARCHED THEM BACK DOWN TO THE GULLY NORTH OF WAEGWAN, WHERE THEY HAD BEEN STRIPPED AND BOUND.

AT DAYBREAK, HE SAID, THE COMMUNISTS BEGAN TO EXCHANGE FIRE WITH APPROACHING AMERICAN SOLDIERS.

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"WE SAT THERE ALL MORNING WITH OUR HANDS STILL BOUND BEHIND US, RUDD SAID. "I THOUGHT MY WRISTS WOULD BE CUT IN TWO. MY FINGERS ARE STILL NUMB."

"THAT AFTERNOON," HE CONTINUED, "THEY TOOK US TO ANOTHER RAVINE. WE WERE WORRIED BECAUSE CORPORAL DAY HAD HEARD THEM TALKING THE NIGHT BEFORE AND AN OFFICER SAID THEY WOULD KILL US IF OUR OWN TROOPS GOT TOO CLOSE."

"THERE WERE TWO GUARDS WATCHING US. THEY GOT ON EACH END OF THE RAVINE AND HOLLERED SOMETHING AND ABOUT 14 RED SOLDIERS RAN UP. THEN THE GUARDS AND SOLDIERS OPENED UP ON US WITH BURP GUNS."

RUDD SAID HE WAS SAVED BECAUSE HE WAS LYING ON THE GROUND AND A SOLDIER STANDING NEAR HIM WAS KILLED AND FELL ACROSS HIM.

DAY ESCAPED INJURY, ALTHOUGH A BULLET RIPPED THROUGH HIS BELT AND ANOTHER THROUGH HIS PANTS LEG.

"OUR PATROL KEPT COMING AND THE GOOKS GOT SCARED," RUDD SAID. "THEY STARTED TO LEAVE, BUT SOME OF OUR BOYS WERE MOANING AND GROANING, SO THE GOOKS CAME BACK AND SHOT THE WOUNDED--AS MANY AS THEY SAW. THEN THEY TOOK OFF NORTH OVER THE HILL TOWARDS THE RIVER (NAKTONG.")

RUDD SAID HE HEARD STEPS. "I LAY DOWN IN THE LEAVES," HE SAID, "AND PUT MY HANDS OVER MY HEAD AND PRETENDED TO BE DEAD. A NORTH KOREAN SOLDIER STOOD OVER ME, BUT HE DIDN'T SHOOT FOR FEAR OF GIVING AWAY HIS POSITION."

THE COMMUNIST SOLDIER LEFT A MOMENT LATER, SAID RUDD. THEN RUDD HEARD THE AMERICAN SOLDIERS, AND CALLED FOR HELP.

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WITH ATROCITIES (420)

BY HAL BOYLE

WITH U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION IN KOREA,FRIDAY,.AUG. 18-(AP)-A 20-YEAR-OLD TANK DRIVER TODAY TOLD HOW TWO AMERICAN TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT AND AT LEAST SEVEN OF THE 10 CREWMEN WERE KILLED BY NORTH KOREAN TROOPS.

THE BODIES OF THE SEVEN TANKMEN WERE FOUND NEAR THE WRECKED U.S. TANKS.

PFC ROBERT S.MAURO OF REVERE, MASS., A LITTER JEEP DRIVER WHO SAW THE BODIES, SAID:

"THEIR FACES WERE BLACKENED AS IF GASOLINE HAD BEEN THROWN ON THEM AND SET AFIRE. THEIR HANDS WERE NOT TIED."

I TALKED WITH ONE OF THE TWO KNOWN SURVIVORS OF THE TANK CREWS -- PFC ELLIS R.BARNER, A RED-HAIRED SOLDIER FROM PARIS, TEX.

FOR HIM IT WAS HIS FIRST COMBAT AND ONLY "MY SECOND DAY AT THE FRONT."

BUT BEFORE THE DISASTROUS ACTION, HE SAID, "WE GOT TWO TANKS" HIDING IN A TUNNEL AT THE EDGE OF WAEGWAN.

BARNER TOLD THIS STORY OF THE ACTION IN WHICH THE TWO AMERICAN TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT:

"I WAS IN THE LEAD TANK. WE WERE SHOOTING FOR SNIPERS AND MACHINE GUN NESTS ALL THE WAY AFTER LEAVING WAEGWAN THAT AFTERNOON.

"WE WENT UP A CURVE IN THE MOUNTAINS AT ABOUT 3:30 P.M. THEY HAD A GUN SET UP ON A CART OR KIND OF BICYCLE WHEELS. THEY FIRED THREE ROUNDS INTO US.

"OUR PLATOON LEADER SAID 'RUN OVER HIM.HE'S TOO CLOSE FOR US TO USE OUR 76 MILLIMETER GUN ON.'

"WE WERE FIRING OUR 30 CALIBRS BUT THEY HAD A SHIELD ON THE GUN.

"THEY FIRED A FOURTH ROUND AND KNOCKED OUR HATCH OPEN. I COULDN'T SEE ANYTHING. WE WENT OVER THE EDGE OF THE CLIFF AND THE TANK FELL ON ITS SIDE.

"THEY PINNED US DOWN WITH SNIPER FIRE. THEN THE OTHER TANKS CAME UP TO HOLD THE ENEMY OFF UNTIL WE COULD GET OUT.

"THE REDS FIRED A ROUND WITH THAT GISMO GUN ON THE CART. IT KNOCKED OUT THE ENGINE OF OUR SECOND TANK. IT ROLLED OVER THE CLIFF AND HIT THE REAR OF OUR TANK.

"WE HAD OPENED OUR ESCAPE HATCH. I GOT OUT. AS FAR AS I SAW I WAS THE ONLY ONE. OUR GUNNER HAD A BROKEN ARM AS WE WENT OVER THE CLIFF.

"THE DRIVER OF THE OTHER TANK WAS SHOT TRYING TO GET OUT. HE WAS LAYING OVER THE LATERAL.

"THREE MEN GOT OUT OF THE ESCAPE HATCH UNDERNEATH THE OTHER TANK AND THEY DRAGGED UP A WOUNDED DOUGHBOY WHO HAD BEEN FIRING A 50 CALIBER ON THE BACK OF THE SECOND TANK.

"WE CARRIED THEM UNDER A CULVERT IN FRONT OF THEM ABOUT 100 YARDS AWAY. WE STAYED THERE TWO HOURS AND THEN SEPARATED. ONE GUY MADE A RUN FOR IT AND THEY SHOT HIM. ANOTHER GUY THEY FOUND IN THE CULVERT WITH THEIR FLASHLIGHTS. HE BEGGED THEM NOT TO KILL HIM. THEY TOOK OFF HIS CLOTHES ALL EXCEPT HIS SHORTS. THEN THEY KICKED HIM A COUPLE TIMES AND HIT HIM WITH THE BUTT END OF HIS RIFLE AND THEN THEY SHOT HIM WITH A BURP GUN WHILE HE WAS MOANING AND BEGGING FOR HIS LIFE.

"I WAS LYING IN A RICE PADDY OUTSIDE THE CULVERT NEXT TO THE GUNNER OF THE SECOND TANK. IT WAS MIDNIGHT AND OUR ARTILLERY STARTED DROPPING THEM IN. WE DECIDED TO GET OUT WHILE THE GOOKS WERE BUSY DIGGING IN.

"WE SLIPPED AROUND THE MOUNTAIN AND EASED OUR WAY BACK THROUGH RICE PADDIES TO THE ROAD. WE GOT TO A SMALL TOWN SIX HOURS LATER.

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FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HEADQUARTERS,KOREA,AUG.17-(AP)-THE TELEPHONE AT HEADQUARTERS RANG. IT WAS CAPT.HERMAN WEST OF MIAMI, FLA., CALLING FROM A FRONTLINE COMMAND POST.

"CAPTAIN WEST REPORTING, SIR," HE SAID.

"GO AHEAD, CAPTAIN," THE HEADQUARTERS OFFICER SAID.

WEST BEGAN HIS REPORT THEN PAUSED, "PARDON ME A MINUTE, SIR." FIRING COULD BE HEARD OVER THE LINE. THEN WEST'S VOICE CAME BACK: "WE JUST HAD A LITTLE FIRE-FIGHT OUTSIDE OUR COMMAND POST. I JUST GOT MYSELF A GOOK."

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BOX WITH FIRST CAVALRY IN KOREA

SALYERSVILLE,KY.,AUG 17-(AP)-CPL. JAMES MELVIN RUDD, 18, ONE OF FIVE SOLDIERS WHO SURVIVED A NORTH KOREAN EXECUTION OF A GROUP OF AMERICAN WAR PRISONERS, IS A SON OF EARL RUDD, WHO LIVES AT NEARBY FRITZ.

YOUNG RUDD IS A GRANDSON OF MAGOFFIN COUNTY JAILER NOAH RUDD AND ENTERED THE ARMED SERVICES IN MARCH, 1949. HE HAS BEEN STATIONED IN JAPAN IN RECENT MONTHS.

CPL. RUDD WAS A COUSIN OF PVT. JAMES R.RUDD, ALSO OF MAGOFFIN COUNTY, WHO WAS KILLED IN ACTION IN THE PACIFIC AREA IN 1945 AFTER BEING HELD PRISONER BY THE JAPS FOR AWHILE.

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KBULLETIN

WITH U.S. FIRST CAVALRY, KOREA,AUG.17-(AP)-THIRTY-TWO AMERICAN PRISONERS WITH HANDS TIED BEHIND THEIR BACKS WERE SHOT DEAD TODAY BY RED KOREANS ON A HILL WEST OF WAEGWAN JUST BEFORE A U.S. PATROL REACHED THE SPOT.

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BULLETIN MATTER

FIRST CAVALRY--FIRST ADD ATROCITY (BY HAL BOYLE) X X X THE SPOT. THE REDS TRIED TO KILL 37 PRISONERS IN ALL. BUT FIVE LIVED TO TELL THE STORY. THEY SAID THE COMMUNISTS ALSO MASSACRED THE WOUNDED AS THEY LAY MOANING ON THE GROUND.

THIS WAS IN THE AREA THAT WAS BOMBED YESTERDAY BY 98 B-29S IN THE HEAVIEST AIR RAID OF THE WAR. KILLING OF PRISONERS IN THIS FASHION IS TYPICAL RETALIATION FOR SUCH AN ASSAULT.

THE EXECUTION OF THE PRISONERS WAS ON HILL 303, WHICH WAS CAPTURED BY THE REDS THIS MORNING.

THEIR BODIES WERE FOUND IN A HILLSIDE GULLET ~~ON A RIDGE~~ RECAPTURED BY THE FIFTH CAVALRY THIS AFTERNOON. THE AMERICAN PRISONERS WERE KILLED ONLY TWO HOURS BEFORE TROOPERS RE-TOOK THE RIDGE.

THE AMERICANS SEIZED THE RIDGE AT 6:30 P.M. (3:30 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME.) THE HILL HAD BEEN FOUGHT OVER FOR THREE DAYS.

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THE 37 AMERICANS WERE MOWED DOWN BY BURSTS OF GUNFIRE.

THREE NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS WERE TAKEN AFTER A SHARP FIRE FIGHT NEARBY. ONE OF THEM WAS POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED BY AN AMERICAN SURVIVOR

--CPL.JAMES MELVIN RUDD OF SALYERSVILLE, KY.--AS A MEMBER OF THE SQUAD OF KILLERS.

THIS PRISONER DENIED HE HAD TAKEN ANY PART IN THE ACTION. REGIMENTAL OFFICERS SAID HE WOULD BE SENT BACK WITH RECOMMENDATION THAT HE BE TRIED AS A WAR CRIMINAL.

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ON THE WAY BACK FROM THE FRONT WE MET THE PRISONER AND CORPORAL RUDD ON THEIR TRIP BACK FOR JOINT QUESTIONING. WITH RUDD WAS ANOTHER SURVIVOR--CORPORAL ROY L.DAY, JR., 4003 TROBRIDGE ST., EL PASO, TEX.

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DAY LOOKED AT THE TWO NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS IN THE BACK OF THE TRUCK AND SSAID:

"IF YOU ASK ME, I THINK THEY SHOULD BE SHOT JUST AS THEY SHOT OUR MEN, RATHER THAN BE GIVEN A TRIAL. OR ELSE WE OUGHT TO STRING THEM UP RIGHT NOW."

CORPORAL RUDD, MEMBER OF AN 81 MM. MORTAR COMPANY, TOLD THE STORY LIKE THIS:

"WE WERE CAPTURED ON THE MORNING OF THE 15TH, TWO DAYS AGO.

"THESE GOOKS CAME THROUGH IN TANKS AND A LOT MORE WERE FOLLOWING ON FOOT.

"WE SENT IN A CALL FOR HELP AS WE DIDN'T HAVE THE WEAPONS TO FIGHT INFANTRY. WE WERE TOLD THAT 60 SOUTH KOREANS WOULD BE SENT UP IN ABOUT AN HOUR UNDER A LIEUTENANT TAK.

"A LITTLE LATER WE SAW SOME KOREANS. WE CALLED OUT, 'LIEUTENANT TAK'. AN OFFICER ANSWERED US.

"SOME OF THEM HAD SOUTH KOREAN MARKINGS ON THEM. THERE WERE ABOUT 45 OR 60 OF THEM. WE FIRED A FEW ROUNDS AND THEN STOPPED. WE STILL WERE CONFUSED AS THE OFFICER HAD IDENTIFIED HIMSELF BY THE NAME OF THE LEADER OF THE SOUTH KOREANS WE WERE EXPECTING.

"WE SAT THERE ALL MORNING WITH OUR HANDS STILL BOUND BEHIND US. I THOUGHT MY WRISTS WOULD BE CUT IN TWO. MY

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"ABOUT 1:30 THIS AFTERNOON THEY TOOK US TO A RAVINE BELOW AN APPLE ORCHARD.

"WE WERE WORRIED BECAUSE CORPORAL DAY HAD HEARD THEM TALKING THE NIGHT BEFORE AND AN OFFICER HAD SAID THEY SHOULD KILL US IF OUR OWN [illegible]

"THEY CAME RIGHT INTO OUR FOXHOLES, SHAKING OUR HANDS AND TAKING OUR WEAPONS AS IF TO EXAMINE THEM.

"THEN THEY LINED US UP AND MARCHED US DOWN TO A PLACE NORTH OF WAEGWAN. THEY TOOK US INTO A GULLY AFTER TAKING OUR SHIRTS, OUR SHOES, OUR SOCKS, OUR HELMETS AND OUR AMMO.

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"THEN THEY TIED OUR HANDS WITH TELEPHONE WIRE, SHOE-STRINGS AND RAWHIDE."

RUDD SAID THE REDS TRIED TO GET THEM ACROSS THE RIVER SAYING THEY WOULD TAKE THE AMERICANS TO SEOUL, FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL. THE REDS SAID THEY HAD 5,000 PRISONERS IN A STOCKADE AT SEOUL.

BUT AMERICAN TROOPS WERE GETTING TOO CLOSE. THE NORTH KOREANS TOOK THE PRISONERS TO A GULLY AND GAVE THEM THEIR FIRST FOOD OF THE DAY.

THE FOOD WAS A PEAR AND AN APPLE APIECE.

"WE DUG HOLES IN THE SAND FOR WATER," RUDD SAID. "THEN THEY KICKED SAND IN THE HOLES AND HIT US WITH THEIR WEAPONS.

"LAST NIGHT THEY TRIED AGAIN TO GET US OUT. THEY TOOK FIVE OUT OF OUR GROUP OF 43 AND I NEVER DID KNOW WHAT THEY DID TO THEM.

"LATER THEY TOOK US BACK TO THE RAVINE. AT DAYBREAK THEY STARTED A HEAVY FIRING ENGAGEMENT WITH SOME OF OUR TROOPS."

[illegible] TROOPS GOT TOO CLOSE. OTHERWISE WE WOULD BE TAKEN ACROSS THE RIVER.

"OUR F-51 (MUSTANG) PLANES BEGAN BOMBING AND STRAFING A HILL AND A PATROL FROM "G" COMPANY CAME TOWARDS THE ORCHARD.

"THERE WERE TWO GUARDS WATCHING US. THEY GOT ON EACH END OF THE RAVINE AND HOLLWERED SOMETHING AND ABOUT 14 RED SOLDIERS RAN UP.

"THEN THE GUARDS AND SOLDIERS OPENED UP ON US WITH BURP (RUSSIAN AUTOMATIC) GUNS."

CORPORAL RUDD SAID HE WAS SAVED BECAUSE HE WAS LYING ON THE GROUND AND A SOLDIER STANDING NEAR HIM WAS KILLED AND FELL ACROSS HIM.

HIS BUDDY CORPORAL DAY, ALSO ESCAPED INJURY ALTHOUGH A BULLET RIPPED THROUGH HIS BELT AND ANOTHER THROUGH HIS PANTS LEG.

"OUR PATROL KEPT COMING AND THE GOOKS GOT SCARED," CORPORAL RUDD SAID. "THEY STARTED TO LEAVE BUT SOME OF OUR BOYS WERE MOANING AND GROANING SO THE GOOKS CAME BACK AND SHOT THE WOUNDED--AS MANY AS THEY SAW. THEN THEY TOOK OFF NORTH OVER THE HILL TOWARDS THE RIVER."

FIVE OF THE MEN WERE LEFT ALIVE. ALTHOUGH SOME WERE WOUNDED THEY LEFT FOR HELP, INCLUDING CORPORAL RUDD.

"I HEARD STEPS," RUDD SAID. "I LAY DOWN IN THE LEAVES PUT MY HANDS OVER MY HEAD AND PRETENDED TO BE DEAD. A NORTH KOREAN SOLDIER STOOD OVER ME BUT DIDN'T SHOOT FOR FEAR OF GIVING HIS POSITION AWAY."

THE NORTH KOREAN LEFT A MOMENT LATER.

CORPORAL RUDD THEN HEARD AMERICAN SOLDIERS AND CALLED FOR HELP.

THE LIEUTENANT IN CHARGE OF THE MORTARMEN WAS TAKEN PRISONER WITH THEM BUT ESCAPED YESTERDAY MORNING, RUDD SAID, BY ASKING TO GO TO A LATRINE. WHEN ONE GUARD FELL ASLEEP THE LIEUTENANT, JACK G. HUDSPETH OF WINSTON-SALEM, N.C., SLIPPED AWAY. HE HAD NOT BEEN HEARD FROM EARLY TONIGHT.

"HE WAS A GREAT LEADER. I HOPE HE GETS THROUGH," SAID CORPORAL DAY.

JL814APD NM

A128KX (SWINTON, TOP AND SHORTS)
(530)
BY STAN SWINTON

IN AN OBSERVATION PLANE OVER ENEMY-HELD KOREA, AUG. 17-(AP)-FROM A COCKY LITTLE L-5 OBSERVATION PLANE, THE WAR FRONT FLATTENED OUT LIKE A GAUGUIN LANDSCAPE: YELLOW AND GREEN RICE PADDY FIELDS; SPARSE GREEN VEGETATION POLKA-DOTTING THE BROWN MOUNTAIN TOP; AND TWISTING, TAN, EMPTY ROADS.

WHITE SMOKE PLUMED UP FROM TWO BURNING VILLAGES. HALF AN HOUR AGO, ANOTHER SPOTTING PLANE CALLED IN FIGHTER-BOMBERS THERE. THE FIRST BOMB BLEW UP A NORTH KOREAN AMMUNITION DUMP.

YOU STARE DOWN AT THE GROUND UNTIL YOUR EYES ACHE. A MAN MOVED ON THE ROAD BELOW. LOOK AGAIN AND THERE IS A DARK RECTANGULAR OBJECT OFF THE ROAD BESIDE A TREE. FEELING VERY PROUD, YOU POINT DOWN AND SHOUT, "I BELIEVE THERE'S A TANK DOWN THERE."

"OUT TWO DAYS AGO," REPLIED THE PILOT, LT. S. J. HUNTER, OF PRAIRIE DU ROCHER, ILL.

CALM, PROFESSIONAL VOICES ARE HEARD IN THE EARPHONES.

"MOSQUITO, WE ARE GETTING 50 CALIBER FIRE. WE SEE THE TANKS. ONE OF THOSE ROCKETS JUST HIT IN THERE. OVER."

TWO FIGHTERS SLIP BY UNDERNEATH AND DISAPPEAR IN SCURRYING CLOUDS.

A BURNED-OUT VILLAGE IS BELOW. ALL THE VILLAGES ARE BLACKENED SKELETONS, BURNED OUT BY RETREATING AMERICAN TROOPS TO PREVENT NORTH KOREANS FROM HIDING THERE TO ESCAPE THE ONE WEAPON IN WHICH WE HAVE SUPERIORITY IN KOREA---AIR POWER.

HUNTER POINTS DOWN AND SHOUTS:

"THAT'S WHERE THEY BRING TROOPS UP. WE'LL GIVE IT A RUN."

THEN WE SEE THE LONG, LOW FORM OF A SOVIET T-34 TANK BY A SCHOOL-YARD WHICH IS SCUFFED WITH TREAD MARKS. CLOSE BY IS A TRUCK.

THE PLANE CIRCLES. HUNTER POINTS DOWN TO THE ROADSIDE.

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"THERE'S ANOTHER CAMOUFLAGED TANK," HE SAYS.
YOU LOOK DOWN AND SEE ONLY THE YELLOW AND GREEN LANDSCAPE. YOU SEE NO TANK. THREE RUNS LATER YOUR AMATEUR EYE CATCHES UP WITH THE PROFESSIONAL; THERE IS A SQUARE OF DARKER GREEN.
"THIS IS PICKLE BARREL," HUNTER SAYS INTO THE RADIO.
"HAVE WE ANYTHING IN CHUNGAM?"
"PICKLE BARREL, PICKLE BARREL, THAT IS FAIR GAME," COMES THE REPLY. "HIT IT. IT IS ALL FAIR GAME."
"THIS IS PICKLE BARREL. SEND FIGHTERS."
"PICKLE BARREL, ROGER. THANK YOU."

THE OBSERVATION PLANE CIRCLES. TWICE THERE ARE FLASHES AS NORTH KOREANS FIRE ON US.
AT ONE PLACE BELOW IS A GREAT OVAL OF REFUGEES HUDDLING TOGETHER. CERTAINLY THERE ARE MORE THAN 1,000. FROM THE PLANE YOU CANNOT SEE THE TIRED, BEATEN FACES OR THE PATHETIC BUNDLES, ONLY THE GREAT OVAL OF MOTTLED WHITE AGAINST THE YELLOW-GREEN FIELDS. STILL NO FIGHTERS.
A JEEP, WITH ORANGE OIL CLOTH FLUNG OVER THE HOOD TO IDENTIFY IT AS AN AMERICANVEHICLE, EDGES FAR OUT BEHIND THE LINES BELOW. SIX INFANTRYMEN GET OUT. SLOWLY , WITH A POINT MANFAR AHEAD, THEY MOVE INTO A SKIRMISH LINE TOWARD CHUNGAM.
HUNTER REPORTS BY RADIOO, "AMERICAN PATROL ON CHUNGAM ROAD."
OUR GAS IS RUNNING LOW. WE HAVE BEEN UP TWO AND A HALF HOURS OVER ENEMY TERRITORY. THE TANK AND THE TRUCK AND THE DARK GREEN CAMOUFLAGED PATCH ARE STILL THERE.
STILL NO FIGHTERS.
"PICKLE BARREL, CONTROLL, PICKLE BARREL, CONTROL. WE HAVE TO COME IN. OVER."
"PICKLE BARREL, ANOTHER PLANE WILL TAKE OVER IN FIVE MINUTES."
WE CIRCLE UNTIL ANOTHER OBSERVATION PLANE APPEARS. HUNTER TELLS HIM ON THE RADIO ABOUT THE TARGETS. WE TAKE A LAST LOOK AT THE BLUE SKY AND THE PUFFY CLOUDS FOR FIGHTERS. NO SIGN OF THEM.
AS WE FLY BACK TOWARD THE AMERICAN LINES, WE WONDER WHAT HAPPENED WHEN THE FIGHTERS FINALLY CAME; WHEN THE ROCKETS SPLASHED INTO SOVIET STEEL AND THE T-34 TORCHED UP, AS IT MUST HAVE.
FJ923PCS

A121FX
-95-
(200 UP)
BY DON WHITEHEAD
WITH U.S. MARINES, KOREA, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE MARINES WERE FIGHTING THEIR BLOODIEST BATTLE OF THE KOREAN WAR TODAY AGAINST REDS DESPERATELY TRYING TO SPREAD THEIR BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER.
UNDER A SEARING SUN THE LEATHERNECKS ADVANCED BEHIND A HAIL OF STEEL. BUT IT IS A SLOW AND COSTLY ADVANCE--THIS BATTLE OF THE OBONGI RIDGE.
THE FIGHTING WAS CLOSE-IN AND SAVAGE. THE MARINES HIT THE NORTH KOREANS WITH EVERYTHING THEY HAVE EXCEPT FLAME-THROWERS.
THE MARINES FIRST WENT INTO ACTION LAST WEEK ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE AMERICAN ATTACK TOWARD CHINJU. THEY PUSHED DEEP INTO RED TERRITORY IN THAT DRIVE. BUT THEN THEY WERE PULLED BACK AND RUSHED TO THIS SECTOR TO HELP THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION WIPE OUT THE RED PENETRATION ACROSS THE NAKTONG ON THE CENTRAL SECTOR OF THE FRONT.
EARLY YESTERDAY THE MARINES CAMPED BESIDE THE BROAD COOL RIVER WHERE THEY COULD SWIM AND RELAX.
THEIR TENTS WERE PITCHED IN THE SHADE OF A PINE GROVE.
MARINE UNITS GOT THEIR MARCHING ORDERS LATE YESTERDAY. A LAST NIGHT THEY WERE ON THE MOVE INTO THE LINE. THEIR CONVOYS GROWING ACROSS DUSTY ROADS UNDER A SKY THAT SPARKED WITH STARS.

A122FX
AT 4:10 A.M. THE SECOND BATTALION WAS IN THE LINE READY TO ATTACK WITH "D" AND "E" COMPANIES IN THE SPEARHEAD. THEIR OBJECTIVE WAS OBONGJI RIDGE--A STEEP SWAYBACK HILL COVERED WITH SCRUB GROWTH AND ROCK.
THEIR MOVE HAD BEEN SWIFT. SHORTLY AFTER DAWN THE ATTACK BEGAN. ARTILLERY AND MARINE CORSAIR FIGHTER PLANES PLASTERED THE ENEMY-HELD RIDGE WITH EXPLOSIVES AND MACHINEGUN FIRE. BUT WHEN THE LEATHERNECKS STARTED UP OBONGI RIDGE THE ENEMY CUT LOOSE WITH MORTARS, MACHINEGUNS AND SMALL-ARMS FIRE. THEY EVEN LOBBED GRENADES DOWN THE RIDGE INTO THE FACES OF THE MARINES.
THE ATTACK HAD JUST BEGUN TO PUSH UP WHEN I CLIMBED A HILL TO GET A VIEW OF THE BATTLEFIELD WHICH LAY ACROSS A NARROW VALLEY. MACHINE-GUN AND RIFLE FIRE CRACKLED ALONG THE RIDGE. GREY PLUMES OF SMOKE MUSHROOMED UP WHERE AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE WAS BURSTING.
CAPT.LEWIS B.SHEEN OF HONOLULU, AN INFANTRY OFFICER, SAT ON THE RIDGE LOOKING AT THE BATTLE. HE PASSED HIS FIELD GLASSES OVER AND THEN THE BATTLE WAS PULLED INTO CLOSE VIEW.

A123FX
AT THE BOTTOM OF THE RIDGE THE MARINES WERE JUST BEGINNING TO START UP THE HILL. ABOVE THEM WE COULD SEE THE ENEMY IN THE BRUSH, SOME OF THEM RUNNING UP THE HILL WITH MACHINEGUN BULLETS KICKING UP DUST AROUND THEM. THE SHATTERING OF GUNS AND CRACK OF EXPLOSIONS ECHOED ACROSS THE VALLEY.
ON ANOTHER RIDGE TO THE LEFT, DUST SPURTED ALONG THE RIDGETOP AND MEN BEGAN RUNNING DOWN. THEY WERE AMERICAN TROOPS SCURRYING FOR COVER FROM AN ENEMY MACHINEGUN.
NEARBY A GROUP OF INFANTRYMEN STOOD WATCHING THE BATTLE. PFC. RICHARD C.POWLEY OF LESTER, PA., SAID, "WE TOOK THIS HILL TWICE AND WERE CHASED OFF. BUT WE TOOK IT AGAIN AND HELD IT. WE CALL THIS ONE 'SUICIDE RIDGE.'"
CPL.ROBERT E.ADAMS OF JOHNSON CITY, TENN., SQUATTED ON HIS HAUNCHES AND WATCHED AS THE CORSAIRS CIRCLED AND THEN DIVED TOWARD THE ENEMY WITH CACHINEGUNS CLATTERING.
"THIS HEAT IS WORSE," HE SAID. THERE WERE BEADS OF SWEAT STANDING ON HIS FACE." SOMETIMES A GUY PASSES OUR THREE OR FOUR TIMES A DAY."
PVT EDMUND NIPER OF RIVERDALE, N.J., WATCHED THE PLANES.
"WE ARE SUPPOSED TO LOOK UP WHEN OUR PLANES ARE UP THERE," HE SAID. "BUT SOMETIMES GUYS GET SO TIRED THEY DON'T BOTHER."
ON THE ROAD BELOW WAS THE BLACKENED HULK OF A BURNED OUT RUSSIAN-MADE TANK.
"WE WERE DUG IN UP HERE WHEN THREE RED TANKS CAME UP THE ROAD AT NIGHT WITH THEIR LIGHTS ON," NIPPER SAID. "THEY MUST HAVE BEEN LOST.
"SOME OF OUR GUYS STARTED TAKING HOT CHOW TO THE CREW THINKING THEY WERE OUR GUYS. BUT ALL THEY GOT WAS HOT LEAD."
HE SAID THREE TANKS ESCAPED AFTER THE FIRST ONE WAS KNOCKED OUT.
"WE SCRAMBLED DOWN THE HILL AND PUSHED ON UP THE ROAD TO A MARINE COMMAND POST WHERE THE WOUNDED WERE BEING BROUGHT BACK FROM THE BATTLE-FIELD.
"THE AID STATION WAS IN THE LITTLE COURTRYARD OF A KOREAN HOME. THE WOUNDED LAY ON THE PORCH OF THE HUT WHICH HAD A THATCHED ROOF. IN ONE CORNER OF THE YARD THE MEDICS WORKED OVER WOUNDED MEN UNDER THE SHADE OF A SHELTER (TENT) HALF STRETCHED ON POLES. NAVY CORPSMEN CAME

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CARRYING STRETCHERS INTO THE YARD.
"THIS MAN NEEDS ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY," A CORPSMAN SAID. "HE CANNOT BREATHE."
"THE YOUNG MARINE ON THE STRETCHER WAS WHITE-FACED AND THERE WERE LINES OF AGONY AROUND HIS EYES AND MOUTH. HE HAD A BULLET GHROUGH ONE LUNG. HE COULD BREATHE BUT WITH GREAT LABOR. THEY PUT HIM UNDER THE SHELTER AND THE MEDICS BEGAN WORKING ON HIM AND GIVING HIM PLASMA.
A HULKING MARINE HOBBLED THROUGH THE GATE WITH BLOOD DRIPPING FROM HEAD WOUND. HIS ARM AND HAND HAD BEEN TORN BY SHARPNEL.
"SIT OVER HERE IN THE SHADE," A CORPSMANSSAID.
"I CANT" THE MARINE RASPED. "I GOT ONE IN THE BEHIND TOO.
"BUT MAYBE I CAN SET ON ONE SIDE OF MY RUMP."
SWIFTLY THEY CUT THE JACKET FROM HIS BODY AND BEGAN BINDING HIS WOUND.
A BLONDE KID STAGGERED INTO THE YARD AND SLUMPED DOWN AGAINST A WALL. HE SAT IN THE HOT SUN AND HIS EYES WERE RED RIMMED AND WEARY.
"I JUST STARTED VOMITING," HE SAID, "ALL AT ONCE I STARTED VOMITIN(AND CONKED OUT."
A DOCTOR CAME OVER AND SAID, "THE BEST THING YOU CAN DO IS JUST LIE DOWN."
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A142FX
"THEY TOLD ME TO SIT UP-AND NOT TO LIE DOWN," THE KID SAID. THE KID FELL BACK DOWN ON HIS STRETCHER. "I WON'T ARGUE WITH YOU," HE SAID.
I WENT OVE' TO ONE SIDE AND SAT DOWN BESIDE TWO NAVY CORPSMEN WHO HAD BEEN CARRYING WOUNDED IN FROM THE BATTLEFIELD. THEY WERE JOHN STANLEY, 19, (296 WEST SEVENTH AVENUE) COLUMBUS, OHIO, AND LYNN BLETHEN, 20, OF CRYSTAL LAKE, ILL. BOTH OF THEM WERE HOSPITAL MEN, THIRD CLASS, IN THEIR RATING-BUT TO ME THEY WERE FIRST CLASS.
JOHN LEANED BACK WEARILY "I RESPECT THE MARINES A HELLUVA LOT MORE SINCE I'VE SEEN THEM IN ACTION," HE SAID. "THE REDS THREW EVERYTHING AT US. IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR THESE PLANES THEY'D HAVE KILLED EVERYONE OF US."
LYNN SAID, "THE WORST THING WAS THE MORTARS. THEY CAN TEACH US SOMETHING ABOUT MORTARS. THEY CAN LAY ONE RIGHT IN YOUR HIP POCKET IF THE POCKET IS OPEN."
A PADRE (CHAPLAIN) WALKED AMONG THE WOUNDED, CHATTING TO THEM AND COMFORTING THEM WHEREVER HE COULD.
A WOUNDED MAN-SHOT THROUGH THE HAND-SAID "I COULD NOT RUN BENDING OVER AND THEY GOT ME THROUGH THE HAND. THAT'S A HELLUVA PLACE TO BE SHOT. I'VE GOT MEN LAYING WITH THEIR BRAINS SHOT OUT. WE HAVE TO GET CORPSMEN UP THERE."
THE PADRE LISTENED TO THE MAN, WALKED THROUGH THE GATE AND HEADED TOWARD THE FRONT.
ONE OF THE YOUNG MARINES HOLDING A CIGARETTE IN A HAND THAT TREMBLED WITH FATIGUE CALLED AFTER THE PADRE" BE CAREFUL FATHER. THEY'VE GOT GUNS YOU KNOW."
WE LEFT THE WOUNDED AND STARTED BACK DOWN THE ROAD. WE MET MARINE BRIG. GEN.EDWARD J.CRAIG AND HE STOPPED HIS JEEP FOR A MOMENT.
"THEY HAD MORE STUFF UP THERE THAN WE HAD EXPECTED," HE SAID. "THEY BROUGHT UP REINFORCEMENTS LAST NIGHT. IF WE COULD GET CLOSE WE COULD USE FLAMETHROWERS. THAT WOULD MOW THEM DOWN."
ABOVE US THE SUN HANGS HIGH IN THE HEAVENS AND THE HEAT IS STIFLING. THE ATTACK WENT ON AND THE GUNS CONTINUED TO BOOM. THE MARINES WERE FIGHTING BRAVELY BUT THEY FACED A BRAVE AND TOUGH ENEMY WHO IS HARD TO WHIP.
BP850APD NM

A49FX
-95-
BY JACK MACBETH AND DON WHITEHEAD
WITH U.S.MARINES,KOREA,AUG.17-(AP)-AMERICAN MARINES SEIZED A SMALL CHUNK OF SOUTH KOREA TODAY BUT PAID A STIFF PRICE FOR IT.
IN ONE OF THE BLOODIEST AND MOST HEROIC ACTIONS OF THE KOREAN WAR THE BADLY OUTNUMBERED LEATHERNECKS GRABBED AND HUNG ONTO PART OF A HILL HELD BY BITTERLY FIGHTING NORTH KOREANS.
THE MARINES' OBJECTIVE, CALLED SLAUGHTERHOUSE HILL, SOUTH OF CHANGNYONG, COMMANDED A VITAL SECTION OF THE NAKTONG RIVER BULGE IN THE CENTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS FRONT.

A50FX
IN A BOLD, DETERMINED THRUST, BEGUN SHORTLY AFTER DAYLIGHT, ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. FIRST MARINE BRIGADE STORMED THE HILL IN TRADITIONAL FASHION. BY MIDAFTERNOON THEY HAD SECURED PART OF ONE RIDGE OF IT. LEATHERNECK REINFORCEMENTS WERE SENT POURING INTO THE BATTLE.
ARMY UNITS OF THE 24TH DIVISION WERE HELD BACK AT THE START OF THE NEW OFFENSIVE, UNDER BATTLE PLANS. THEN THEY WERE SENT INTO THE FRAY ON THE MARINES' RIGHT FLANK. LATE TODAY THERE WERE NO REPORTS OF THEIR PROGRESS.
THROUGHOUT THE DAY MARINE AND U.S. AIR FORCE FIGHTERS PUMMELED THE TOP OF THE HILL WITH ROCKETS, MACHINEGUN FIRE AND BOMBS. MOST OF THE CREST OF THE HILL WAS ENVELOPED IN SMOKE.
BESIDES CLOSE AIR SUPPORT, AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND TANKS THREW A CONSTANT BARRAGE INTO ENEMY POSITIONS. IT SEEMED CERTAIN THE COMBINED FIREPOWER EXACTED A HEAVY TOLL ON THE ENEMY.
SOME OF THE REDS HAD COME ABOUT HALFWAY DOWN THE SLOPE OF THE RIDGE AND WERE TAKING CLOSE RANGE SHOTS AT STRETCHER BEARERS BRINGING THE WOUNDED AWAY FROM THE BATTLE ZONE.
APPARENTLY THERE WERE NOT ENOUGH STRETCHER BEARERS TO TAKE OUT THE AMERICAN WOUNDED. SOUTH KOREAN CIVILIANS WERE HELPING CARRY THE STRETCHERS.
BRIG.GEN.EDWARD CRAIG, MARINE COMMANDER, TOLD NEWSMEN:
"THIS IS STIFFER THAN I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE BUT I THINK WE WILL BE ABLE TO MOVE AHEAD."
CC340APD NM

A174KX
BY JACK MACBETH (250)
WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG.17-(AP)-TAKE IT FROM THREE CRINGING, SKINNY NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS OF WAR, EACH OF THEIR REGIMENTS HAS A RUSSIAN ADVISER.
CAPTURED WEDNESDAY A SHORT DISTANCE BEHIND THE AMERICAN FRONT LINE, THE PRISONERS OF WAR--FILTHY AND DIRTY--CARRIED TWO RUSSIAN RIFLES AND A U.S. CARBINE. THEY WERE FOUND MINGLING, IN CIVILIAN DRESS, WITH A LARGE GROUP OF REFUGEES.
INTERVIEWED THROUGH AN INTERPRETER, THE CAPTIVES TOLD A DISMAL STORY OF LIFE IN THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY. NONE OF THEM WANTED TO GO BACK AND ALL CLAIMED THEY WOULD BE SHOT IF THEY DID RETURN.
EACH SAID THERE WAS ONE SOVIET OFFICER ATTACHED TO EACH NORTH KOREAN REGIMENT.
THIS IS WHAT THEY HAD TO SAY ABOUT CONDITIONS IN THEIR ARMY:
MORALE IS LOW. THE MEN HAVE BEEN TOLD REPEATEDLY THAT VICTORY IS "IMMINENT." THEY DO NOT GET ENOUGH FOOD. THEY ARE AFRAID AND FIGHT TENACIOUSLY ONLY BECAUSE THE ALTERNATIVE IS DEATH FROM THEIR OWN LEADERS. THEIR CASUALTIES HAVE BEEN HEAVY AND THEY SAY "MOST OF OUR FRIENDS ARE DEAD."
JH1132ACS

A9KX (PARSON)
(250)
BY STAN SWINTON
WITH U.S.25TH DIVISION IN KOREA,AUG.17-(AP)-A FIGHTING PARSON FROM PENNSYLVANIA HAS KILLED 27 NORTH KOREANS DESPITE A BULLET IN HIS THIGH.
CAPT.LOGAN I. [redacted] OF FRANK,PA., WHO PRAISES THE LORD AND PASSES THE AMMUNITION THROUGH HIS OWN M-1 RIFLE, LED HIS MEN IN AN ATTACK IN WHICH 400 NORTH KOREANS WERE KILLED. WESTON
THE TALL, RANGY PENNSYLVANIAN SPENT SEVEN AND A HALF MONTHS BEHIND THE JAPANESE LINES IN WORLD WAR II AS A [redacted] IN MERILL'S MARAUDERS IN BURMA. Lieutenant
AFTER THE WAR, WITH HIS DIPLOMA FROM THE TRANSYLVANIA BIBLE SCHOOL, HE RETURNED TO THE CHURCH. NOW HE'S BACK FIGHTING WITH THE 77TH INFANTRY REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION.
"WE USED TO HIT THE JAPS HARD AND THEN FADE AWAY," HE SAID. "THE COMMUNISTS TRY IT BUT DON'T DO IT VERY WELL. THEY STRIKE AND THEN STICK AROUND AND GET KILLED."
[redacted] WAS IN A REGIMENTAL COMMAND POST THE OTHER DAY WHEN 700 NORTH KOREANS ATTACKED. WESTON
HE GRABBED A RIFLE AND HEADED BACK TO HIS COMPANY.
THE REDS WERE SETTING UP TWO MACHINEGUNS. HE SHOT THEM DOWN.
A BULLET TORE INTO HIS THIGH.
THE MEDICS SLAPPED ON A BANDAGE AND TRIED TO PUT THE FIGHTING PARSON TO BED. THEY FAILED.
"HE RAN RIGHT BACK UP TO THAT HILL," ONE OF HIS SOLDIERS TOLD A REPORTER. "THEY HIT HIM TWICE MORE AND HE STAYED RIGHT UP THERE."
AFTERWARDS THE BOYS STARTED COUNTING. THEY CREDITED 27 OF THE ENEMY DEAD TO THE PARSON.
[redacted]--WHO ALREADY HAD A PURPLE HEART AND A BRONZE STAR WITH TWO CLUSTERS--REFUSED TO TALK ABOUT THE FIGHT.
"BUT YOU SHOULD HAVE SEEN THOSE GUYS IN MY COMPANY," HE SAID.
DV230PCS

A42KA
BY STAN SWINTON
MASAN FRONT, KOREA, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY WAS SET TONIGHT--BEHIND BARBED WIRE AND MINES--TO MEET A MENACING RED KOREAN TROOP CONCENTRATION OPPOSITE THEIR LINES ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.
THE INFANTRYMEN HAVE WORKED FOUR DAYS PREPARING DEFENSES IN DEPTH SINCE THE LINE WAS SHORTENED AND THICKENED AFTER THE WITHDRAWAL OF SOME UNITS, INCLUDING THE FIRST MARINES NOW SENT TO THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR OVER THE NAKTONG RIVER.
THE NEW POSITIONS DO NOT CONSTITUTE A NORMALLY HEAVY DEFENSE LINE BUT THEY ARE THE BEST THAT CAN BE THROWN UP IN KOREA, CONSIDERING THE SHORTAGES OF MEN AND EQUIPMENT.
THE REDS HAD NOT HIT THE POSITION UP TO DUSK THURSDAY. BUT UNUSUAL ENEMY ACTIVITY DURING THE DAY INDICATED AN ATTACK MAY BE IMMINENT. THE NORTH KOREANS USUALLY DO NOT MOVE IN THE DAYLIGHT WHEN THEY ARE EASY PREY FOR AMERICAN WARPLANES.
JL436APD

A145K
(190)
BOARD U.S.NAVY CARRIER OFF KOREAN COAST, FRIDAY, AUG.18-(AP)-MARINE FLIERS HAD THEIR BUSIEST DAY OF THE KOREAN WAR THURSDAY.
CORSAIRS CARRIED 1,000-POUND BOMBS FOR THE FIRST TIME AND DROPPED THEM IN SUPPORT OF MARINE AND ARMY TROOPS IN THE WESTERN KOREAN BATTLE LINE (THIS IS IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.)
THE RESULTS WERE BEYOND EXPECTATIONS.
STRONG RED FORTIFICATIONS WERE HIT ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, EIGHT MILES WEST OF YONGSAN NEAR SINAN. THESE FORTIFICATIONS HAD HELD UP A MARINE ADVANCE. MARINE FIGHTER PLANES POUNDED THE FORTIFIED RIDGE ALL DAY WITH ROCKETS, BOMBS, MACHINEGUNS AND NAPALM (JELLIED GASOLINE).
SECOND LT. STAN OSTERMAN, OF SANTA ANA, CALIF., SAID "ANY THAT WE DIDN'T HIT WITH OUR MACHINE GUNS WERE GETTING AN AWFUL LOT OF EMPTY SHELL CASES DOWN ON THEM." SHELL CASES FROM DIVING CORSAIRS CAUSE CASUALTIES TOO.
A HINT OF COMMUNIST TACTICS WAS GIVEN WHEN MARINE PILOTS SAW A CLEARLY MARKED OBSERVATION POST ON A RIDGE HELD BY THE ENEMY. IT CARRIED A LUMINOUS PANEL USED BY AMERICAN FORCES FOR IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES.
"WE DON'T HAVE ANY DAMNED OBSERVATION POSTS OVER THERE---GET HIM," GROUND FORCES TOLD THE FLIERS. THE REDS WERE SPOTTING ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE FROM THAT POST.
SEVERAL FIVE INCH ROCKETS ELIMINATED IT WITHIN A MINUTE.
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B41KX (Q)
TOKYO,AUG.17-(AP)-U.S. MARINE CORSAIR PILOTS ARE DELIVERING SPECIAL GREETINGS TO NORTH KOREAN TROOPS.
THEY'RE BOMBS, MARKED "COMPLIMENTS OF THE CORPS." THEY ARE DROPPED ON TARGETS ALONG WITH REGULAR BOMB LOADS.
CAPT.JERRY SMITH OF CLIFTON, TEX., DROPPED ONE ON A PARTIALLY COMPLETED UNDERWATER SANDBAG BRIDGE ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER. HE SAID HE MADE A DIRECT HIT, DEMOLISHING ONE END OF THE BRIDGE.
OTHER DELIVERIES WERE MADE BY CAPT.JIM ENGLISH OF 31 LAUREL ST., SOMERVILLE, MASS., AND CAPT.HOWARD J.FINN OF SANTA ANA, CALIF., A FORMER IOWA STATE FOOTBALL PLAYER.
VR615ACS NM

B68KX (Q)
APW (120)
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG FIGHTER PLANES HAVE MADE WIDE NEW SWEEPS KNOCKING OUT THREE RED TANKS AND BLASTING ENEMY GROUND TROOPS IN SOUTH KOREA.
A BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OCCUPATION ANNOUNCEMENT TODAY SAID THE JAPAN-BASED AUSTRALIANS KNOCKED OUT THREE NORTH KOREAN TANKS IN THE HAJANG AREA.
BOMBS AND ROCKETS ALSO PLASTERED TRUCKS AND HALF-TRACK VEHICLES IN THE SAME SECTOR. ONE ROCKET SCORED A DIRECT HIT ON AN AMMUNITION-LADEN TRUCK WHICH EXPLODED.
IN ALL, THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID, THREE TRUCKS AND TWO HALF-TRACKS WERE DESTROYED.
OTHER MUSTANGS MADE TWO SORTIES IN THE KOMCHONG AREA, STRAFING AN ENEMY-HELD VILLAGE AND SILENCING RED ARTILLERY FIRE AND SETTING FIRES.
ALL PLANES RETURNED SAFELY TO THEIR BASES.
FJ821PCS NM

B39KX (Q)
CO CD
TOKYO,AUG.17-(AP)-COL.ROBERT W.WITTY OF CLEVELAND WAS AWARDED THE BRONZE STAR TODAY FOR "EXCEPTIONAL LEADERSHIP" AND HIS "MAGNIFICENT JOB IN ESTABLISHING POHANG AS AN ADVANCED FIGHTER BASE."
POHANG AIR STRIP, DUBBED "CLEVELAND MUNICIPAL AIRPORT" BY CLEVELANDERS STATIONED IN THE AREA, WAS AN ALLIED ADVANCED FIGHTER BASE ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA UNTIL COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS MADE IT UNUSABLE LAST WEEKEND.
LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, COMMANDING FAR EAST AIR FORCES, COMMENDED WITTY'S LEADERSHIP WHEN IT WAS NECESSARY TO EVACUATE THE BASE. "ALL AIR FORCE PERSONNEL, HEAVY EQUIPMENT AND MANY TONS OF BOMBS" WERE FLOWN OUT.
WITTY HAD COMPLETED HIS THREE YEAR TOUR IN THE FAR EAST WHEN THE KOREAN WAR BROKE. HE VOLUNTEERED TO REMAIN.
VR611ACS

A99FX

RED RADIO (100)

TOKYO,AUG.17-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO SAID TONIGHT COMMUNIST TROOPS WERE CONTINUING THE FIGHT ON ALL FRONTS AGAINST STUBBORNLY RESISTING AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS.

THE PYONGYANG RADIO SAID NORTH KOREAN UNITS WERE ADVANCING TOWARD WAEGWAN, KEY TOWN ON THE WESTERN FRONT. TWO DAYS AGO THE RADIO SAID RED FORCES "COMPLETELY EMANCIPATED" WAEGWAN.

TODAY'S BROADCAST SAID ALLIED TROOPS WERE STRONGLY RESISTING ATTACKS, "TAKING ADVANTAGE OF HIGH GROUND ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG AND BY MEANS OF ARTIFICIAL AND NATURAL OBSTRUCTIONS."

THE RED RADIO SAID NORTH KOREAN ANTIAIRCRAFT SHOT DOWN TWO B-29S SUNDAY AT PAKCHON, ABOUT 50 MILES NORTH OF PYONGYANG.

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TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG.18-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY TODAY REPORTED FIERCE ENGAGEMENTS WITH AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.

THE RED ARMY COMMUNIQUE, BROADCAST BY PYONGYANG RADIO AT 8 A.M. KOREAN TIME (5 P.M. THURSDAY, EST) SAID AMERICAN FORCES WITH AIR SUPPORT WERE CONCENTRATING THEIR ENTIRE STRENGTH IN PUTTING UP A STUBBORN RESISTANCE. THE COMMUNIQUE ADDED THAT "IN THE FACE OF COUNTERATTACKS OF THE ENEMY, THE UNITS OF THE PEOPLES ARMY ARE CONTINUING THEIR PURSUIT."

THE COMMUNIST HEADQUARTERS CLAIMED "VAST LOASSES" WERE INFLICTED ON THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION AND THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION IN ACTIONS AUG.14TH ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.

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TOKYO, AUG. 17-(AP)-A YOUNG KOREAN GIRL WAS FLOWN TO JAPAN BY THE AIR CORPS CONTRARY TO REGULATIONS. BUT THE ARMY IS LOOKING THE OTHER WAY.

THE GIRL GUIDED FIVE WOUNDED AMERICANS OF THE SECOND DIVISION TO SAFETY AFTER THEY WERE CUT OFF NEAR THE POHANG AIR FIELD. SNIPERS WOUNDED HER ON THE WAY BACK. SHE COLLAPSED AT A FIELD DRESSING STATION.

THE 35TH FIGHTER GROUP IGNORED REGULATIONS AND FLEW HER TO A HOSPITAL IN JAPAN.

JL442APD

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TOKYO, AUG. 17-(AP)-A VETERAN RED LIEUTENANT WHO DESERTED AND SURRENDERED TO THE AMERICANS SAYS THE NORTH KOREANS CAN'T WIN.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY THE NORTH KOREAN WAS ASSISTANT COMPANY COMMANDER AND POLITICAL OFFICER OF HIS UNIT IN THE ELITE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION. IT WAS BATTERED BY U.S. MARINES AND ARMY INFANTRY AROUND CHINJU.

THE RED ESTIMATED HIS DIVISION'S 13TH AND 15TH REGIMENTS SUFFERED 50 PER CENT CASUALTIES AND THE 14TH REGIMENT'S LOSSES WERE 80 PER CENT.

THE LIEUTENANT, A CHINA COMMUNIST WAR VETERAN, ADDED THAT THE DIVISION LOST 15 OF ITS ORIGINAL 16 SLF-PROPELLED ARTILLERY PIECES. ALL FOUR TANKS SPEARHEADING ITS OPERATION WERE DESTROYED.

A HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THE CAPTURED OFFICER WAS "ONE OF THOSE WE HAD BEEN LED BY PAST EXPERIENCE TO BELIEVE WOULD KILL THEMSELVES RATHER THAN SURRENDER. OTHERS HAVE DONE SO WHEN FACING CAPTURE."

THE DESERTER SAID HE BECAME SEPARATED FROM HIS UNIT IN A CONFUSED RETREAT. HE HID IN A VILLAGE THREE DAYS, THEN HE FOUND AN AIR-DROPPED UNITED NATIONS SURRENDER LEAFLET--AND GAVE HIMSELF UP, EXPLAINING:

"I WAS TIRED OF WAR AND CONVINCED THE NORTH KOREANS CAN'T WIN."

CY239APD

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NEW ROCKET (120)

TOKYO, AUG. 17-(AP)-AMERICAN AIRMEN ARE USING A NEW 6 1/2 INCH ROCKET TO KNOCK OUT RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS IN KOREA.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY THE NEW ANTITANK WEAPON WENT INTO SERVICE IN RECORD TIME.

HEADQUARTERS SAID LT. GEN. HOYT S. VANDENBERG, AIR FORCE CHIEF OF STAFF, ORDERED QUICK PRODUCTION OF THE ROCKET FOUR WEEKS AGO AFTER PILOTS SAID T-INCHERS WERE NOT CONSISTENTLY KNOCKING OUT THE TANKS.

A NAVAL ORDNANCE STATION AT INYOKERN, CALIF., WORKED NIGHT AND DAY TO PRODUCE THE BIGGER ROCKET. IT WAS USED IN ACTION IN KOREA LESS THAN A MONTH LATER.

THE NEW ROCKET HAS A LONGER HEAD THAN THE 5-INCHER, AND HITS HARDER.

SOME PLANES ARE ALREADY USING AN 11.75-INCH ROCKET LAUNCHER CALLED TINY TIM.

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TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 17-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 265 COVERING WEDNESDAY OPERATIONS ISSUED AT 2:30 P.M. (11:30 P.M. EST WEDNESDAY):

UNITED STATES FAR EAST AIR FORCES B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES AND OTHER COMBAT AIRCRAFT JOINED ON AUG. 16 IN STAGING THE HEAVIEST TACTICAL ASSAULT AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN INVADING FORCES SINCE AIR FORCE COMBAT OPERATIONS BEGAN IN KOREA 52 DAYS AGO.

NINETY-EIGHT SUPERFORTS UNLOADED MORE THAN 850 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVE ON A RECTANGULAR TARGET AREA PARALLELING THE NAKTONG RIVER FOR SIX MILES NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN.

THE MASSIVE AERIAL ATTACK, ONE OF THE INTENSE TACTICAL EFFORTS IN THE HISTORY OF AIR WARFARE, REPRESENTED AN EQUIVALENT OF MORE THAN 35 TONS FOR EACH SQUARE MILE OF NORTH KOREAN HELD TERRITORY BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK.

THE B-29S, FLYING IN STAGGERED WAVES, REACHED THE TARGET BEGINNING AT 11:06 A.M. BOMBING OF INDIVIDUALLY ASSIGNED SEGMENTS OF THE TARGET AREA, A MAJOR KOREAN COMMUNIST ASSEMBLY POINT FOR THE BREAKTHROUGH NOW BEING ATTEMPTED IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, CONTINUED UNTIL 12:50 P.M.

FOLLOWING THE BOMB DROPS, FIGHTER AIRCRAFT OF THE FIFTH AIRFORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE CONTINUED A STEADY STREAM OF BOMBING AND STRAFING ATTACKS ON NORTH KOREAN FRONT LINE POSITIONS.

NO FINAL REPORTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED ON THE DESTRUCTION CAUSED BY THIS EFFORT IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES FIGHTING TO HOLD BACK THE NORTH KOREAN ADVANCE. HOWEVER, PRELIMINARY RECONNAISSANCE AND FLASH REPORTS FROM FIGHTER AIRPLANES, WHICH CONTINUED TO STRIKE THE DEVASTATED AREA IN BOMBING AND STRAFING SWEEPS, INDICATE THAT A HIGH DEGREE OF ACCURACY WAS ATTAINED IN THE BOMBING PATTERNS.

COMBAT AND SUPPORT AIRCRAFT OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE, RAAF AND A MARINE AIR UNIT, ATTACHED TO THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES FOR OPERATIONAL CONTROL, FLEW JUST UNDER 400 SORTIES DURING THE DAY. A MAJORITY WERE COMBAT STRIKES BY FIGHTER AIRCRAFT DIRECTED AT NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS CLOSE BEHIND THE LINES.

F-80 AND F-51 FIGHTERS STRAFED LARGE NUMBERS OF TROOPS AND SUPPLY DEPOTS IN ALL SECTORS OF THE FRONT. ONE NOTEWORTHY DEVELOPMENT OBSERVED OVER THE PAST FEW DAYS REMAINED MUCH IN EVIDENCE AS FIGHTER STRIKES AT SCHOOLHOUSES AND OTHER PUBLIC BUILDINGS CONTINUED TO REVEAL THEIR

EXTENSIVE USE AS TROOP SHELTERS AND SUPPLY DUMPS DURING THE DAY. ONE ATTACK ON A SCHOOL BUILDING NEAR YONGDOK RESULTED IN HEAVY TROOP CASUALTIES AND ANOTHER SCHOOL AT SONGJU, EVIDENTLY BEING USED AS AN AMMUNITION DUMP, EXPLODED AFTER ROCKET STRIKES.

DAMAGE CLAIMS FOR NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK BY FIGHTER AIRCRAFT INCLUDED EIGHT TANKS, 33 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, NINE LOCOMOTIVES, 34 BOXCARS, THREE ARTILLERY PIECES OR GUN POSITIONS AND SEVERAL WAREHOUSES AND OTHER BUILDINGS USED FOR SUPPLY STORAGE.

FUEL DUMPS, SOME OF THEM RELATIVELY LARGE SIZE, WERE HIT AND FIRED IN SEVERAL AREAS. FIGHTERS ON LONG RANGE INTERDICTION FLIGHTS CLAIMED DAMAGE TO A SUPPLY DUMP AND A GROUNDED YAK-9 AT AN AIRFIELD NEAR SARIWON.

NIGHT OPERATIONS, CONDUCTED MOSTLY BY FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS, HIT MILITARY TARGETS IN 12 TOWNS OR CITIES IN NORTH KOREAN TERRITORY. EXPLOSIONS WERE SET OFF BY BOMB DROPS AT INCHON, SANGJU AND CHONJU AND TRUCK CONVOYS WERE SUCCESSFULLY ATTACKED NEAR KUMSAN AND SANGJU.

B-26S FLYING MEDIUM ALTITUDE DAYLIGHT BOMBING MISSIONS ATTACKED FOUR BRIDGES ON ROUTES BEING UTILIZED BY THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES TO MOVE TROOPS AND SUPPLIES TO THE FRONT. ONE BRIDGE, JUST WEST OF KUMCHON, WAS PROBABLY OUT OF COMMISSION AFTER THE ATTACKS AND TWO OTHERS, ONE MILE EAST OF CHONJU AND 15 MILES SOUTH OF NAMWON, WERE LESS SERIOUSLY DAMAGED.

RECONNAISSANCE PHOTOGRAPHY HAS SHOWN INCREASED NORTH KOREAN EFFORTS TO RESTORE TRAFFIC ACROSS THE HAN RIVER AT SEOUL BY USING PONTOON BRIDGES. ONE PONTOON BRIDGE, DESTROYED IN B-26 ATTACKS, IS BEING REPAIRED AND A SECOND IS BEING BUILT UNDER THE WESTERNMOST RAILWAY BRIDGE. THE RAIL BRIDGE STANDING IN SPITE OF REPEATED HITS, IS NOT IN CONDITION TO CARRY RAIL TRAFFIC BUT IS BEING USED FOR LIMITED VEHICULAR TRAFFIC.

FIFTH AIR FORCE CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED MORE THAN 170 TONS OF HIGH PRIORITY MILITARY EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES FOR UNITED NATIONS FORCES AND 505 PASSENGERS TO KOREA IN THE COURSE OF WEDNESDAY'S OPERATIONS.

NO NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED AND ALL OUR AIRCRAFT RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

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TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 267 ISSUED AT 1:25 P.M. (10:25 P.M. EST THURSDAY):

U.S.FAR EAST AIR FORCES FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS MAINTAINED THEIR FULL-SCALE OFFENSIVE IN SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES IN KOREA ON AUGUST 17. MORE THAN 500 COMBAT AND SUPPORT FLIGHTS WERE FLOWN.

F-80 JETS AND F-51S OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE BOMBED, STRAFED AND ROCKETED THE NORTH KOREAN FRONT LINES AND ASSEMBLY AREAS, KILLING NUMBERS OF INFANTRY TROOPS AND DAMAGING MATERIEL ALONG THE ENTIRE FRONT.

PRIMARY ATTENTION WAS DEVOTED TO DIRECT SUPPORT OF SOUTH KOREAN AND AMERICAN GROUND FORCES IN THE NORTHWESTERN SECTORS OF THE BATTLE ZONE. FIGHTERS AT LOW ALTITUDES HIT TANKS, VEHICLES, TROOP COLUMNS AND OTHER MILITARY TARGETS WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS.

A SMALL FUEL DUMP WAS FIRED AND A WAREHOUSE DESTROYED AT UISONG AND A LARGE NUMBER OF VILLAGES, SMALL TOWNS AND INDIVIDUAL BUILDINGS BEING USED AS TROOP BIVOUACS OR SUPPLY DUMPS WERE BOMBED OR STRAFED.

NORTH KOREAN FOOT TROOPS WERE HIT HARD IN ALL SECTORS, INCLUDING CONCENTRATIONS AT SINBAN, UIRYONG AND IN THE WAEGWAN AREA.

ANALYZED DAMAGE CLAIMS FOR NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL ATTACKED DURING THE DAY LISTED 13 TANKS, 24 TRUCKS, 39 VEHICLES OF VARIOUS TYPES AND 16 BOXCARS.

OTHER CLAIMS INCLUDED 10 GUN POSITIONS OR ARTILLERY PIECES, SEVEN WAREHOUSES, MORE THAN 30 BUILDINGS BEING USED FOR MILITARY PURPOSES AND OTHER GROUND INSTALLATIONS.

FEAF BOMBER COMMAND B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES RETURNED TO THEIR PROGRAM OF SYSTEMATIC ATTACKS ON RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. RAIL BRIDGES WERE HIT ALONG THE MAJOR EAST COAST ARTERY FROM HAMHUNG SOUTH TO KANSONG. THREE BRIDGES IN THE ANSONG AREA WERE REPORTED AS DAMAGED AND ONE, SIX MILES NORTH OF THE CITY, WAS CONSIDERED OUT OF ACTION. TWO SPANS WERE OBSERVED TO BE IN THE WATER AFTER THE STRIKE.

FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS ATTACKED FOUR BRIDGES IN THE SOUTHERN SECTORS. DIRECT HITS WERE SCORED ON THREE AND TWO WERE PUT OUT OF ACTION.

A RAILROAD BRIDGE AT SAMNYE IN THE CHONJU AREA AND A HIGHWAY BRIDGE SOUTH OF HAMCHANG LOST TWO SPANS EACH IN THE B-26 ATTACKS.

B-26S ON NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS BOMBED AND STRAFED LIGHTER CONVOYS TRAVELLING BETWEEN KUNSAN AND NUMWON AND ALONG THE TAEJON-YONGDONG-KUMCHON HIGHWAY. HITS WERE OBSERVED BUT NO ACCURATE EVALUATION COULD BE MADE.

NIGHT INTRUDERS ALSO ATTACKED MILITARY INSTALLATIONS IN SEVERAL TOWNS AND CITIES AS FAR NORTH AS SEOUL. A SUPPLY DUMP, APPARENTLY STOCKING LARGE QUANTITIES OF AMMUNITION, EXPLODED AFTER A NIGHT STRIKE AT SUNCHON NEAR THE SOUTHERN COAST.

FIFTH AIR FORCE CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED 542 PASSENGERS AND MORE THAN 164 TONS OF MILIT

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TOKYO,FRIDAY,AUG.18-(AP)-TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 268 ISSUED AT 1:45 P.M. (10:45 P.M. EST THURSDAY):

HEAVY FIGHTING OCCURRED YESTERDAY IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION SECTOR NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN. RED FORCES SUPPORTED BY TANKS AND ARTILLERY SUCCEEDED IN ADVANCING ONE-HALF MILE GENERALLY ALO THE ROAD LEADING SOUTH FROM CHANGCHON.

THE ATTACK WAS CONTAINED BY ELEMENTS OF THE ROK FIRST DIVISION AND IN THE AFTERNOON A COUNTERATTACK, SUPPORTED BY TACTICAL AIR UNITS, REGAINED MOST OF THE LOST GROUND. THE SITUATION REMAINED STATIC THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT, AND EARLY MORNING REPORTS, AUG. 18, INDICATE A LESSENING OF PRESSURE IN THAT SECTOR. SIMIALRLY, ELEMENTS OF THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION TODAY REPORT LOSING CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY ALONG THE DEFENSIVE LINES SOUTH OF KUMWI. IN THE LATTER AREA, UNITED NATIONS AIR STRIKES ALONG THE ROAD LEADING SOUTH FROM UISONG CAUSED MUCH DAMAGE AND MANY CASUALTIES TO RED FORCES.

IN ATTACKS LAUNCHED AT 8 A.M., AUG. 17, THE UNITED STATES 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION GAINED INITIAL OBJECTIVES AGAINST THE BRIDGEHEAD WEST OF YONGSAN. THE UNITED STATES FIRST PROVISIONAL MARINE BRIGADE PARTICIPATED IN THIS ACTION, WHICH WAS SUPPORTED BY TACTICAL AIRCRAFT. ENEMY RESISTANCE IN THIS AREA REMAINS STRONG, AND THE 24TH DIVISION RECEIVED MORTAR AND ARTILLERY FIRE SPORADICALLY DURING THE NIGHT BUT HELD INITIAL OBJECTIVES. THE ATTACK AGAINST THIS BRIDGEHEAD WAS RESUMED AT FIRST LIGHT, AUG. 18, WITH SMALL GAINS MADE INITIALLY.

ELEMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WERE ATTACKE JUST NORTH OF WAEGWAN ON AUG.17 AND WITHDREW FROM HILL POSITIONS IN THIS AREA. LATER, ON THE SAY DAY, A COUNTERATTACK SUCCEEDED IN REGAINING THE LOST GROUND. HEAVY CASUALTIES WERE INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY IN THIS ACTION AND THERE HAVE BEEN NO FURTHER ENEMY ATTACKS IN THIS AREA.

ELEMENTS OF THE ROK CAPITOL DIVISION CONTINUED TO ADVANCE AND CAPTURED THE HIGH GROUND SOUTH OF KIGYE. OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE ROK CAPITOL DIVISION, ASSISTED BY ROK ARMY TROOPS, CONTINUED THEIR ADVANCE SOUTH FROM CHIDONG.

CARRIER AIRCRAFT OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET STRUCK HEAVY BLOWS AT MILITARY TARGETS IN KOREAN NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL YESTERDAY. A TOTAL OF 32 LOCOMOTIVES WERE DESTROYED AND 19 DAMAGED. AT CHONJIN, A FACTORY, THE MARSHALLING YARDS AND A POWER STATION WERE BOMBED AND ROCKETED, CAUSING LARGE FIRES.

A TRAIN AND A POWER STATION WERE STRAFED AT SUSONG. IN THE WONSAN AREA, TROOPS AND BARRACKS AT THE AIRFIELD, WERE STRAFED AND A LARGE FUEL TANK BURNED AND THE LOCOMOTIVE FACTORY WAS HEAVILY DAMAGED. IN THE HARBOR EIGHT PC BOATS,A SMALL STEAMER,AND FOUR POWER BOATS WERE STRAFED AND DAMAGED.

A TOTAL OF 15 POWER BOATS WERE DESTROYED DURING THE DAY. BOXCARS AND COAL CARS WERE STRAFED AT KILCHU. AT CHUNGSAN THE RAILROAD YARD WAS BOMBED AND STRAFED. THE IRONWORKS AND RAILROAD YARDS WERE BOMBED AT CHONGJIN. AT HUNPYONGO, LARGE FIRES WERE STARTED IN A REFINERY AND 22 FLAT CARS LOADED WITH ARTILLERY WERE STRAFYYYY

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IN ADDITION TO NORMAL SUPPORT OF GROUND ELEMENT, UNITED STATES FIFTH AIR FORCE AND NAVY FIGHTERS FLEW A TOTAL OF 213 SORTIES ON NIGHT INTRUDER, BOMBING AND STRAFING MISSIONS IN THE SEOUL-KUMCHON-WAEGWAN-SUNCHON AREAS. PRELIMINARY STRIKE RESULTS INDICATE THAT FOUR TANKS, 16 TRUCKS AND 30 OTHER VEHICLES WERE DESTROYED; SEVEN TANKS, EIGHT TRUCKS, EIGHT VEHICLES, 16BOXCARS, FOUR BRIDGES, 36 BUILDINGS AND SEVEN WAREHOUSES WERE DAMAGED. U.S. FEAF BOMBER COMMAND FLEW B-29 SORTIES ON BOMBING MISSIONS TO KEY COMMUNICATION TARGETS.

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U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG. 17-(AP)-TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE NO. 46 ISSUED AT 8:10 P.M. (5:10 A.M., E.S.T.):

A HEAVY BUILDUP AND TWO ENEMY ATTACKS IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) LINE BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND KUNWI TODAY INDICATED THIS AREA THE MOST SERIOUS ONE TO THE U.N. FORCES IN KOREA.

THIS MORNING A COMMUNIST REGIMENT ATTACKED AND CAPTURED A HILL TWO MILES NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN. THE 5TH U.S. CAVALRY REGIMENT IS COUNTERATTACKING AND BY LATE AFTERNOON HAD SUCCEEDED IN FIGHTING ITS WAY HALFWAY BACK UP THE HILL.

ALSO THIS MORNING, THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE 12TH ROK REGIMENT WAS HIT BY A REINFORCED BATTALION OF ENEMY TROOPS WHICH PENETRATED 800-1200 YARDS. STILL IN THE SAME AREA THE 7TH ROK REGIMENT WAS ATTACKED TODAY BY AN ENEMY BATTALION SUPPORTED BY TWO TANKS.

IN THE ATTACK LAUNCHED THIS MORNING BY U.N. FORCES AGAINST THE ENEMY IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD, THE MARINES ARE MAKING SLOW PROGRESS AGAINST VERY STRONG ENEMY RESISTANCE.

IN THE POHANG AREA ALL UNITS OF THE ROK FORCES ARE STILL ATTACKING WITH LIMITED SUCCESS.

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TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG.18-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 47, TIMED AT 10:50 A.M.TODAY (7:50 P.M.THURSDAY EST):

THE MAIN THREAT TO THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINE IN KOREA REMAINS THE MASSED COMMUNIST DIVISIONS BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND KUNWI WHERE THE ENEMY YESTERDAY MADE SEVERAL ATTACKS.

THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION LAUNCHED A COUNTERATTACK LATE IN THE AFTERNOON AND RECAPTURED A HILL TWO MILES NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN. THE ROK 1ST DIVISION, WHICH LOST 800 TO 1,200 YARDS IN AN ATTACK ON ITS RIGHT FLANK, REGAINED ABOUT 600 YARDS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

THE ENEMY WAS ON THE DEFENSIVE IN THE POHANG-DONG AREA YESTERDAY AS UNITED NATIONS FORCES CONTINUED OFFENSIVE ACTION WITH LIMITED GAINS.

COMMUNIST TROOPS HAVE REINFORCED A CROSSING IN THE SONGSAN DONG BEND OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. U.S.TROOPS ARE ATTEMPTING TO REDUCE THIS ENEMY FORCE.

IN THE COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG, ALL U.S. UNITS GAINED THEIR FIRST OBJECTIVE YESTERDAY. THE MARINES MET VERY HEAVY ENEMY RESISTANCE. AN ENEMY COUNTERATTACK AT 2:30 THIS MORNING AGAINST THE CENTER OF THE U.S.LINE WAS STOPPED AFTER A 100 YARD ADVANCE.

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TOKYO, AUG. 17-(AP)-TEXT OF A KOREAN RELEASE, TIMED AT 6:50 P.M. (3:50 A.M. EST:)

SUPPLY TRAINS PROVED TO BE EXCELLENT TARGETS FOR U.S. AIR FORCE FIGHTER BOMBERS WHICH FLEW THURSDAY IN SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES FIGHTING IN NORTH KOREA.

ONE TRAIN WAS CAUGHT BETWEEN SARIWON AND KAESONG (IN NORTH KOREA) BY FIRST LT. REX WARDEN, POWELL, WYO., WHO STRAFED IT WITH MACHINEGUN FIRE.

"I OBSERVED GOOD HITS ON FIVE BOXCARS, AFTER USING ROCKETS IN ADDITION TO THE MACHINE GUNS," SAID LT WARDEN. HE ALSO STRAFED A WAREHOUSE IN THE AREA IN THREE PASSES BEFORE COMPLETING HIS F-80 JET MISSION.

FIRST LT. WILBURG T. HUTCHINSON, 609 MIGUEL AVE., BERKELEY, CALIF., SAID HIS ELEMENT OF F-80S SPOTTED TWO TRAINS AND TWO TANK CARS PARKED IN A RAILROAD STATION NORTH OF SEOUL. SAID LIEUTENANT HUTCHINSON: "WE LEFT THE PLACE PRETTY BADLY DAMAGED, BUT THE TANKS EVIDENTLY WERE EMPTY AS THEY DIDN'T BURN AFTER WE HIT THEM. WE MADE TWO VERY SATISFACTORY PASSES AGAINST THESE TARGETS."

HUTCHINSON SAID THEY CONTINUED NORTH ALONG THE HAN RIVER AND SAW FISH BOATS BEING USED TO FERRY NORTH KOREAN TRUCKS ACROSS THE RIVER.

"WE STRAFED AND DAMAGED FIVE TRUCKS AND AN ARMORED CAR ON THE WEST BANK AND SANK ONE OF THE FISHING BOATS."

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LONDON, AUG.17-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN EVENING COMMUNIQUE, AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:

ON ALL FRONTS, THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST STUBBORNLY RESISTING AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS. SUPPORTED

BY TANKS, MOTOR MECHANIZED AND ARTILLERY UNITS.
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UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, ADVANCING IN THE DIRECTION OF YOGWAN (IKAN), STRUCK BLOWS AT AMERICAN AND SYNGHAM RHEE TROOPS WHO WERE TRYING TO OFFER STUBBORN RESISTANCE ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, MAKING USE FOR THE PURPOSE OF AN ADVANTAGEOUS LINE OF STRONGLY FORTIFIED POSITIONS, BARBED WIRE ENTANGLEMENTS, AND NATURAL AND ARTIFICIAL OBSTACLES.

AS A RESULT OF THE OFFENSIVEON AUG.17, UNITS OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE'S ARMY COMPLETELY LIBERATED YOGWAN, AN IMPORTANT POINT OF THE ENEMY.

IN THE FIGHTING FOR THE LIBERATION OF YOGWAN, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WIPED OUT OR TOOK PRISONER A LARGE NUMBER OF ENEMY OFFICERS AND MEN. LARGE QUANTITIES OF WAR MATERIAL WERE CAPTURED, INCLUDING FIVE TANKS, 12 105 MM. GUNS, 25 ROCKET GUNS AND 81 MM. MORTARS. THE AA (ANTIAIRCRAFT) ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY BROUGHT DOWN TWO AMERICAN B-29 PLANES.

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LONDON, AUG 17-(AP)-MOSCOW RADIO TODAY CARRIED THIS NORTH KOREAN AUGUST 17 MORNING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, HAVING SEIZED THE INITIATIVE AND OVERCOMING ENEMY RESISTANCE, CONTINUED THEIR OFFENSIVE.

TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ADVANCING IN THE DIRECTION OF SONGJU (SEICHU) AND KOREN (KOREI), BREAKING DOWN STIFF ENEMY RESISTANCE, LIBERATED SONGJU AND KOREN, IMPORTANT POINTS OF THE ENEMY DEFENSE."

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NITE LEAD CONCORD

BY STANLEY RICH

HONG KONG,AUG.17-(AP)-THE BRITISH DESTROYER CONCORD FOUGHT A 30-MINUTE GUN BATTLE TODAY AGAINST THREE CHINESE COMMUNIST SHORE BATTERIES WHILE APPROACHING HONG KONG.

LT.CMDR.I.D.MC LAUGHLAN, CAPTAIN OF THE BRITISH SHIP, SAID THE DESTROYER FIRED IN SELF DEFENSE AFTER THE RED BATTERIES ON THE TINY ISLANDS OF TAITAMI, PUNTIN AND LINGTING OPENED UP WITH THREE-POUND SHELLS.

THE DESTROYER WAS NOT DAMAGED, BUT ONE MAN ABOARD SHIP WAS REPORTED SLIGHTLY INJURED. THE DESTROYER'S 4.7-INCH GUNS MIGHT HAVE DAMAGED OR EVEN DESTROYED SOME OF THE CHINESE GUN EMPLACEMENTS.

THE CONCORD CEASED FIRE WHEN THE REDS STOPPED SHOOTING AS THE DESTROYER DREW OUT OF RANGE ON ITS COURSE TO HONG KONG.

THE DUEL OCCURRED ABOUT 12 MILES SOUTH OF KONG KONG AND SIX MILES WEST OF THE SPOT WHERE THREE MERCHANT SHIPS, THE AMERICAN STEEL ROVER, THE BRITISH HANGSANG AND THE NORWEGIAN PLEASANTVILLE, WERE FIRED ON IN THREE SUCCESSIVE DAYS LAST WEEK.

THE BRITISH FRIGATE WHITESAND BAY EXCHANGED FIRE AUG.2 WITH COMMUNIST GUN EMPLACEMENTS ON LINGTING ISLAND, IT WAS OFFICIALLY DISCLOSED TODAY AFTER THE ATTACK ON THE CONCORD.

THERE WERE NEW REPORTS THAT CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE AGAIN WARNED ALL FOREIGN SHIPS NOT TO INFRINGE ON CHINESE TERRITORY.

FROM SMALL NEARBY ISLANDS' THE COMMUNISTS CAN CONTROL ALL BUT THE EASTERN ENTRANCE TO HONG KONG, WHICH IS NAVIGABLE BY ONLY THE SMALLEST VESSELS.

A BRITISH NAVAL SPOKESMAN SAID HE COULD NOT SAY HOW FAR THE CONCORD WAS FROM COMMUNIST TERRITORY.

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FIRST LEAD CONCORD BATTLE (100)

BY GORDON TAIT

HONG KONG, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE BRITISH DESTROYER CONCORD AND CHINESE SHORE BATTERIES FOUGHT A 30 MINUTE GUN DUEL TODAY IN THE SECOND CLASH BETWEEN BRITISH WARSHIPS AND RED ARTILLERYMEN ON THE APPROACHES TO HONG KONG.

AFTER THE CONCORD BATTLE IT WAS OFFICIALLY REPORTED THE NAVY FRIGATE WHITESANDBAY EXCHANGED FIRE AUG. 2 WITH GUN EMPLACEMENTS ON LINGTING ISLAND.

THE CONCORD FOUGHT WITH BATTERIES ON THREE ISLANDS--TAITAMI, PUNTIN AND LINGTING. HER CAPTAIN SAID SHE FIRED IN SELF DEFENSE AFTER RED BATTERIES OPENED UP.

ROYAL NAVY OFFICERS SAID THERE WAS ONE MINOR CASUALTY AND NO DAMAGE TO THE SHIP AS IT STEAMED INTO HONG KONG.

RED SHORE BATTERIES HAVE BEEN QUICK TO FIRE ON SHIPS RECENTLY. ON THREE SUCESSIVE DAYS LAST WEEK MERCHANT SHIPS WERE SHELLED. THEY WERE BRITISH, AMERICAN AND NORWEGIAN.

IT WAS ESTIMATED THE REDS FIRED THREE-POUNDERS T H.M.S. CONCORD. THE DESTROYER FIRED MUCH MORE POWERFUL 4.7 INCH GUNS.

THIS WAS THE FIRST REPORTED EXCHANGE OF GUNFIRE BETWEEN A BRITISH WARSHIP AND THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SINCE APRIL, 1949. AT THAT TIME, THE CRUISER LONDON, THE DESTROYER CONSORT AND THE FRIGATES BLACK SWAN AND AMETHYST CAME UNDER COMMUNIST SHORE FIRE IN THE YANGTZE RIVER. IN ALL, 43 BRITISH SAILORS WERE KILLED AND MORE THAN 80 WOUNDED IN THE 1949 ENGAGEMENT.

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A BRITISH NAVY RELEASE ANNOUNCING TODAY'S INCIDENT SAID:

"HMS CONCORD (LIEUT. COMMANDER I.D. MCLAUGHLAN, D.S.C., R.N), WHILE APPROACHING HONG KONG THIS MORNING, WAS FIRED ON BY BATTERIES ON TAITAMI AND PUNTIN AND LINGTING (ISLANDS.)

"FIRE OF THE LINGTING BATTERIES WAS RETURNED BY HMS CONCORD IN SELF-DEFENSE. ONE MINOR CASUALTY WAS SUSTAINED BY HMS CONCORD BUT THERE WAS NO DAMAGE TO THE SHIP."

A NAVAL SPOKESMAN SAID HE WAS UNABLE TO ANSWER SUCH QUESTIONS AS HOW FAR THE CONCORD WAS FROM CHINESE TERRITORY.

THE CHINESE FIRED FIRST FROM TAITAMI. THEN RED GUNS ON PUNTIN AND LINGTING OPENED UP AS THE CONCORD MOVED ALONG.

THESE ISLANDS ARE ABOUT 12 MILES SOUTH OF HONG KONG AND SIX MILES WEST OF THE SPOT WHERE THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER STEEL ROVER, THE BRITISH MERCHANTMAN HANGSANG AND THE NORWEGIAN FREIGHTER PLEASANTVILLE WERE FIRED ON LAST WEEK.

IT WAS REPORTED YESTERDAY THAT THE CHINESE REDS HAVE WARNED ALL FOREIGN SHIPS AND PLANES NOT TO INFRINGE ON CHINESE TERRITORY.

THE NAVAL SPOKESMAN SAID HE COULD NOT DISCLOSE WHERE THE CONCORD

THIS WAS THE FIRST REPORTED SHELLING OF A BRITISH WARSHIP BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SINCE THE CRUISER LONDON, THE DESTROYER CONSORT AND THE FIRGATES BLACK SWAN AND AMETHYST RAN A GANTLET OF RED FIRE IN THE YANGTZE RIVER IN APRIL, 1949.

FOR THE PAST SEVERAL WEEKS THE COMMUNISTS HAVE BEEN TRIGGER HAPPY AT THEIR POSITIONS ON THE SEA APPROACHES TO THIS BRITISH COLONY. THREE MERCHANTS SHIPS WERE SHELLED BY THE REDS ON THREE SUCCESSIVE DAYS LAST WEEK.

EARLY REPORTS RECEIVED BY HONG KONG DEFENSE AUTHORITIES ON THE CONCORD INCIDENT SAID IT WAS BELIEVED THE COMMUNIST SHELLS WERE THREE-POUNDERS. THE BRITISH DESTROYER REPLIED WITH 4.7 INCH

GUNS--MANY TIME MORE POWERFUL THAN THREE-POUNDERS.
THE EXCHANGE OF SHOTS LAST FOR HALF AN HOUR, BEGINNING AT 8:45 A.M. (6:45 P.M., E.S.T., WEDNESDAY), BUT FIRING WAS NOT CONTINUOUS DURING THAT PERIOD.
THE CONCORD, STEAMING TOWARD HONG KONG DURING THE ENTIRE ENGAGEMENT, CEASED FIRE WHEN THE REDS STOPPED SHOOTING AS THE BRITISH WARSHIP DREW AWAY.
THE FRIGATE AMETHYST WAS TRAPPED IN THE YANGTZE BETWEEN SHANGHAI AND NANKING BY RED SHORE BATTERIES APRIL 20, 1949, AS THE REDS PREPARED TO OPEN THEIR OFFENSIVE DRIVE ACROSS THE RIVER.
THE LONDON, THE CONSORT AND THE BLACK SWAN WENT TO THE AMETHYST'S RESCUE AND ALSO WERE FIRED ON BY RED SHORE GUNS. IN ALL, 43 BRITISH SOLDIERS ON THE FOUR SHIPS WERE KILLED AND MORE THAN 80 WOUNDED. THE CHINESE REDS CLAIMED THE NAVAL GUNS OF THE FOUR SHIPS CAUSED 252 CASUALTIES AMONG THEIR FORCES.
THE THREE RESCUE SHIPS WERE FORCED TO TURN BACK. THE DAMAGED AMETHYST WAS HELD IN THE RIVER UNTIL JULY 30 WHEN SHE MADE A DRAMATIC RUN THROUGH RED GUNFIRE TO THE OPEN SEA.
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(120)
HONG KONG, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-TWO BRITISH SHIPPING COMPANIES--BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE, AND JARDINE, MATHESON AND CO.--ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY SUSPENSION OF CARGO SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI.
THE CANCELLATION OF SERVICE CAME AFTER THE CHINA COASTER TSINAN, OWNED BY BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE, HIT A MINE ENTERING SHANGHAI WEDNESDAY.
THE OWNERS SAID TWO MEN WERE HURT SLIGHTLY. THE SHIP WAS TOWED INTO THE WHANGPOO RIVER AND WAS DUE TO BERTH IN SHANGHAI LAST NIGHT.
THE TSINAN WAS THE FOURTH VICTIM OF MINES IN THE YANGTZE RIVER IN RECENT MONTHS AND THE ONLY SHIP TO STAY AFLOAT. THREE OTHERS--TWO PANAMANIAN AND ONE PHILIPPINE--SANK ALMOST IMMEDIATELY.
NATIONALIST CHINESE SAY THEY PLANTED THE MINES ON THE APPROACHES TO SHANGHAI TO HELP ENFORCE THEIR BLOCKADE OF THE PORT.
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A176FX
HONG KONG, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-A PRO-COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER REPORTED TODAY IN A DISPATCH FROM CHUNGKING THAT THE CHINESE REDS HAD ORDERED ALL SECRET SOCIETIES IN SOUTHWEST CHINA DISSOLVED.
THE NEWSPAPER WEN WEI PO SAID THE ORDER WAS ISSUED BY GENERAL LIU PO CHENG, CHAIRMAN OF THE SOUTHWEST MILITARY AND ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE
IT QUOTED LIU AS SAYING THE SOCIETIES "ARE ORGANIZED AND CONTROLLED BY BANDITS AND REACTIONARY LANDOWNERS FOR PURPOSE OF DOMINATING PEASANTS."
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SINGAPORE, AUG.17-(AP)-THE FOLLOWING COMMUNIQUE WAS ISSUED TODAY IN TOKYO BY THE COMMANDER OF THE BRITISH NAVAL FORCE IN THE FAR EAST:
CARRIER-BASED NAVY PILOTS OF TASK FORCE 77 YESTERDAY RAKED THE EAST HALF OF KOREA BETWEEN THE 36TH AND 38TH PARALLEL TAKING A HEAVY TOLL OF TRANSFORMER STATIONS, BIVOUAC AREAS, TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, BRIDGES AND TRUCKS.
HEAVILY ARMED SKY RAIDER, CORSAIR AND JET PANTHERS DESTROYED FOUR TRANSFORMER STATIONS, DAMAGED TWO, DESTROYED ONE POWER STATION AND DAMAGED THREE.
THREE BRIDGES WERE KNOCKED OUT, FIVE DESTROYED.
A TOTAL OF 34 TRUCKS WERE DESTROYED, 24 DAMAGED; EIGHT TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN BIVOUAC AREAS WERE DESTROYED, 15 DAMAGED.
FOUR TRAINS IN TUNNELS WERE ROCKETTED. THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT SAMCHOCK WERE HEAVILY HIT.
ONE HYDROELECTRIC PLANT AT TANGYONG WAS DESTROYED AND LARGE FIRES STARTED THERE. ONE LOCOMOTIVE AND FOUR BOX CARS WERE DESTROYED. ONE LOCOMOTIVE AND 20 BOX CARS WERE DAMAGED.
SUPPLY DUMPS AND THREE MILITARY WAREHOUSES WERE HEAVILY HIT. ONE FIELD PIECE, ONE TANK, TWO AMMUNITION CARRIERS, FIVE ARTILLERY PIECES WERE DAMAGED. ONE FIELD DUMP WAS BLOWN UP.
A CARRIER-BASED PILOT FLEW A TOTAL OF 182 SORTIES DURING A DAYLIGHT ATTACK.
A BRITISH CARRIER OPERATING ON THE WEST KOREAN COAST BOMBARDED AND HEAVILY DAMAGED A FACTORY NEAR KUNSAN. THE FIRING WAS ACCOMPANIED WITH THE BENEFIT OF AERIAL SPOTTING.
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(370)
BY ARTHUR GAVSHON
LONDON, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE BIG THREE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS WILL TRY TO HAMMER OUT A COMMON POLICY NEXT MONTH OVER WHAT TO DO ABOUT FORMOSA -- POSSIBLE POWDER KEG OF A THIRD WORLD WAR.
INFORMANTS SAID THE MINISTERS' STUDY WILL BE PRECEDED BY A FULL-SCALE DISCUSSION OF THE PROBLEM BY THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN.
THE TWO COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN AT LOGGERHEADS OVER THE STATUS OF THE ISLAND, 110 MILES OFF COMMUNIST CHINA'S MAINLAND BUT STILL OCCUPIED BY CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT.
THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS ARE MEETING IN NEW YORK SEPT. 12 THEIR PARLEY WILL BE FOLLOWED BY A SESSION OF THE 12-NATION ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL. THE ATLANTIC ALLIES ARE BOUND BY THEIR TREATY TO CONSULT EACH OTHER ON CRUCIAL FOREIGN POLICY ISSUES.
WEEKS OF DISCUSSION BETWEEN AMERICAN AND BRITISH OFFICIALS BOTH HERE AND IN WASHINGTON SO FAR HAVE FAILED TO PRODUCE A MUTUALLY ACCEPTABLE POLICY ON FORMOSA.
THE STALEMATE REVOLVES AROUND THE ORDER OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN LAST JUNE DISPATCHING THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET TO PROTECT THE ISLAND AGAINST A POSSIBLE RED CHINESE ATTACK.
AT THE SAME TIME THE PRESIDENT CALLED ON THE NATIONALISTS TO STOP BOMBING THE CHINESE MAINLAND AND SHIPS TRADING WITH IT.
HE DID SO IN THE HOPE OF LOCALIZING THE KOREAN WAR AND NEUTRALIZING FORMOSA.
BUT THE NATIONALIST ATTACKS ON THEIR COMMUNIST FOES AND ON FOREIGN SHIPS, INCLUDING BRITISH VESSELS, TRADING WITH THE REDS HAVE NOT STOPPED.

ALTHOUGH BRITAIN FEELS THE COMMUNISTS HAVE A PERFECT RIGHT TO TRY TO TAKE FORMOSA IN ORDER TO STOP THE ATTACKS, SHE FEARS THIS MIGHT INVOLVE THE UNITED STATES IN A WAR WHICH COULD BECOME WORLDWIDE.
CONFUSING THE PICTURE IS THE FACT THAT BRITAIN HAS OFFERED TO RECOGNIZE THE COMMUNIST REGIME, WHILE AMERICA STILL MAINTAINS RELATIONS WITH THE NAATIONALISTS.
BRITAIN ALSO FEELS THAT IF RED CHINA ATTACKS FORMOSA, AS SHE HAS PLEDGED TO DO, THE WEST COULD NOT COUNT ON SUCH NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES AS INDIA, BURMA AND PAKISTAN IN A SUBSEQUENT CLASH.
THAT IS BECAUSE MOST ASIANS REGARD THE NATIONALIST REGIME AS DISCREDITED AND BROKEN.
MEANWHILE THE UNITED STATES IS REPORTED TO HAVE REGISTERED A FEW COMPLAINTS OF ITS OWN ABOUT BRITAIN'S PART IN THE REARMING OF THE WEST.
DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS REPORT THE AMERICANS HAVE COMPLAINED INFORMALLY TO BRITAIN THAT HER PROJECTED $9,520,000,000 PROGRAM OF REARMAMENT

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AGAINST COMMUNISM DOESN'T GO FAR ENOUGH.
THESE INFORMANTS SAID AMERICAN OFFICIALS HAVE COMPLAINED THAT THE BRITISH PROGRAM DOES NOT ALLOW FOR ENOUGH COMBAT DIVISIONS, DOES NOT PROVIDE FOR A BIG ENOUGH SWITCH OF BRITISH INDUSTRY TO WAR PRODUCTION AND, ABOVE ALL, DOES NOT SET ASIDE ENOUGH MONEY FOR DEFENSE SPENDING.
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A90
NIGHT LEAD BRITISH (160)
LONDON, AUG.17-(AP)-THE LIBERAL PARTY ASSERTED TONIGHT PRIME MINISTEI ATTLEE HAS THROWN BRITAIN INTO "SUSPENSE, ANXIETY AND BEWILDERMENT" BY REFUSING TO RECALL PARLIAMENT FOR DEFENSE TALKS UNTIL SEPT.12.
THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY SAID WINSTON CHURCHILL, ITS LEADER, WILL MAKE HIS COMMENT IN THE FORM OF A 20-MINUTE RADIO SPEECH AUG.26.
CHURCHILL AND LIBERAL LEADER CLEMENT DAVIES WERE CLOSETED WITH ATTLEE LAST NIGHT IN A VAIN ATTEMPT TO PERSUADE HIM THAT PARLIAMENT SHOULD BREAK ITS SUMMER RECESS.
DAVIES MADE PUBLIC A STATEMENT DECLARING HE WAS "DISAPPOINTED AND DISTRESSED" BY ATTLEE'S ATTITUDE.
PARLIAMENT HAD RECESSED UNTIL OCT.17. DAVIES SAID THE RECALL FOR SEPT.12 "HAS NOT ONLY DISTRUBED THE PEOPLE IN THIS COUNTRY BUT THROUGHOUT THE COMMONWEALTH AND THE WORLD, AND PARTICULARLY IN AMERICA." HE ADDED:
"IF EVENTS HAVE OCCURRED, AND DECISIONS TAKEN, WHICH HAVE MADE IT NECESSARY X X X FOR THE HOUSE TO BE RECALLED, THEN SURELY THE SOONER THOSE DECISIONS ARE MADE KNOWN TO THE PEOPLE AND TO THE WORLD, THE BETTER."
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LONDON, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE BRITISH AND FRENCH GOVERNMENTS HAVE TURNEI DEAF EARS TO DEMANDS THAT THEY RECALL THEIR PARLIAMENTS FROM SUMMER VACATIONS IMMEDIATELY TO DEAL WITH EUROPEAN DEFENSE PROBLEMS.
FORMER PREMIER PAUL REYNAUD YESTERDAY URGED PREMIER RENE PLEVEN TO RECALL THE FRENCH ASSEMBLY FROM THE RECESS IT BEGAN ONLY 11 DAYS AGO. HE IS REPORTED TO HAVE RECEIVED THE COLD SHOULDER FROM PLEVEN. THE ASSEMBLY IS SLATED TO RECONVENE OCT. 17.
BRITAIN'S CONSERVATIVE LEADER WINSTON CHURCHILL AND LIBERAL HEAD CLEMENT DAVIES CALLED ON PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE TO SUMMON PARLIAMENT RIGHT AWAY. ATTLEE DEMURRED. HE ALREADY HAS ORDERED COMMONS TO RECONVENE SEPT. 12 -- A MONTH EARLIER THAN USUAL.

CHURCHILL WILL ADDRESS THE NATION FOR 20 MINUTES BY RADIO THE NIGHT OF AUG. 26, PROBABLY ON THE SUBJECT OF BRITAIN'S DEFENSE CRISIS. HE CANCELLED PLANS TO ISSUE A STATEMENT TODAY ABOUT HIS VAIN ATTEMPT TO PERSUADE ATTLEE TO RECALL PARLIAMENT IMMEDIATELY.
ATTLEE MAY ALSO TAKE TO THE AIR NEXT WEEK TO ANNOUNCE WHAT THE GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO DO ON DEFENSE. IT IS EXPECTED THAT PARLIAMENT WILL BE ASKED TO INCREASE THE PAY OF OFFICERS AND MEN TO ATTRACT MORE VOLUNTEERS, AND TO LENGTHEN THE SERVICE TERMS OF DRAFTEES FROM 18 MONTHS TO TWO YEARS.
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B113 (120) Q
LONDON, AUG 17-(AP)-BRITAIN WILL SOON NAME CHRISTOPHER EDEN STEEL, NOW DEPUTY HIGH COMMISSIONER IN GERMANY, AS HER NEW MINISTER TO THE UNITED STATES, A RELIABLE SOURCE SAID TODAY.
IN WASHINGTON STEEL WILL SUCCEED SIR FREDERICK HOYER-MILLAR, WHO HAS BECOME THE BRITISH DEPUTY ON THE ATLANTIC PACT COUNCIL.
THE 47-YEAR-OLD STEEL SERVES IN A DUAL ROLE IN WEST GERMANY. BESIDES BEING DEPUTY HIGH COMMISSIONER HE IS ALSO POLITICAL ADVISER TO SIR IVONE KIRKPATRICK. THE BRITISH TOP MAN THERE.
HE ENTERED THE BRITISH DIPLOMATIC SERVICE IN 1927 AND HAS SERVED AT RIO DE JANEIRO, PARIS, THE HAGUE, BERLIN AND CAIRO. IN 1945 HE WAS BRITAIN'S POLITICAL OFFICER TO SHAEF.
THE BRITISH AMBASSADOR IN THE UNITED STATES IS SIR OLIVER FRANKS. AS MINISTER, STEEL WILL BE THE NUMBER TWO MAN IN THE BRITISH EMBASSY.
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A104
NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY (330)
BY JOSEPH DYNAN
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.17-(AP)-SENTIMENT FOR A MORE POWERFUL COUNCIL OF EUROPE SURGED UP TODAY IN THE COUNCIL'S LOWER HOUSE, THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY. THE FUNCTIONS OF THE ORGANIZATION, IN WHICH DELEGATES OF 15 NATIONS TAKE PART, ARE NOW STRICTLY LIMITED.
ASSURED OF WIDE BACKING ON THE ASSEMBLY FLOOR, BRITISH LABORITE RONALD MACKAY URGED AMENDMENTS TO THE COUNCIL STATUTE WHICH WOULD CONVERT THE COUNCIL INTO A CONFEDERATION, BUT WOULD RETAIN THE SINGLE-POWER VETO IN THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS, THE GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES WHO FORM THE UPPER HOUSE.
MACKAY'S MOTION, WHICH WOULD CONFER LEGISLATIVE AND EXECUTIVE AUTHORITY UPON THE COUNCIL, PARALLELED A MOTION FOR A EUROPEAN FEDERAL PACT. BETWEEN THEM, THE TWO MOTIONS CARRIED SIGNATURES OF ALMOST HALF THE ASSEMBLY'S 125 MEMBERS EVEN BEFORE THEY WERE DEBATED.
A STIFF FIGHT OVER EUROPE'S DEFENSE BREWED, MEANWHILE, IN THE ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, WHICH VOTED 19-TO-SIX, WITH THREE ABSTENTIONS, TO TAKE UP WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY. BRITISH LABORITE JAMES G. CALLAGHAN LED THE OPPOSITION TO PLACING THIS IDEA ON THE COMMITTEE'S AGENDA.
MACKAY FOLLOWED UP HIS ORIGINAL MOTION TONIGHT WITH A MORE SWEEPING PROPOSAL CALLING FOR OUTRIGHT FEDERALISM UNDER A CONSTITUTION OF A UNITED STATES OF EUROPE."
THIS WOULD PROVIDE FOR A BICAMERAL LEGISLATURE, A SENATE AND A DIRECTLY-ELECTED HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WHICH COULD PASS MEASURES OVER THE SENATE'S VETO BY A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY. ASSEMBLY SOURCES DID NOT GIVE THIS PROJECT MUCH CHANCE OF PASSAGE.
MACKAY ASSAILED A REPORT FROM THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE ON PROCEDURAL CHANGES AS "IMPRACTICAL" AND "COMPLETELY INADEQUATE." THE REPORT HAD RECOMMENDED MORE COORDINATION WITH THE FIVE BRUSSELS PACT POWERS AND THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC).
MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE PREDICTED IT WOULD EVENTUALLY ADOPT PROPOSALS FOR A EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTER, A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY AND A EUROPEAN DEFENSE PACT AS FIRST PUT FORTH BY CHURCHILL LAST WEEK.
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FIRST LEAD COUNCIL OF EUROPE (220)
BY PHILIP CLARKE
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG 17-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE TODAY OVERRODE BRITISH LABORITE AND SCANDINAVIAN OPPOSITION AND VOTED TO TAKE UP WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY TO GUARD AGAINST SOVIET AGGRESSION.
THE 28-MEMBER COMMITTEE VOTED 19 TO SIX WITH THREE ABSTENTIONS TO EXAMINE PROPOSALS FOR A EUROPEAN DEFENSE CONVENTION, A UNIFIED ARMY AND DEFENSE MINISTR.

AND DEFENSE MINISTRY.
ALL 15 MEMBER NATIONS OF THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY--THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT OF EUROPE--WERE REPRESENTED IN THE VOTE. IT BROKE A TWO-DAY DEADLOCK AND GAVE THE GO-AHEAD TO FURTHER ELABORATION OF CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL MADE LAST WEEK.
FORMER FRENCH PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT, CHAIRMAN OF THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, DISCLOSED THE VOTE AT A NEWS CONFERENCE. HE DECLINED TO REVEAL WHICH DELEGATES OPPOSED THE COMMITTEE'S FINAL DECISION, OR TO COMMENT ON RUMORS OF A WALKOUT.
THE COMMITTEE DRAFTED A THREE-POINT AGENDA FOR ITS SUBCOMMITTEE ON SECURITY AND INSTRUCTED IT TO STICK WITHIN ASSEMBLY STATUTES PROHIBITING DEBATE ON STRICTLY MILITARY MATTERS. THIS COMPROMISE ON PROCEDURE SATISFIED AT LEAST ONE SWEDISH DELEGATE--LIBERAL BERTIL OHLIN--WHO CAST HIS VOTE WITH THE MAJORITY.
THE COMMITTEE HAD MET FOR TWO DAYS BEHIND CLOSED DOORS CONSIDERING A DETAILED PLAN BY DUNCAN SANDYS, CHURCHILL'S SON-IN-LAW, SUPERSEDING THE BRUSSELS MILITARY PACT AND SETTING UP A EUROPEAN ARMY AND DEFENSE MINISTRY.

BRITISH LABORITES, JOINED BY DELEGATES FROM SWEDEN, NORWAY, IRELAND AND ICELAND, STOUTLY OPPOSED THE PLAN. THEY ARGUED IT HAD NO PLACE ON THE AGENDA OF THE ASSEMBLY SINCE IT HAD NOT ORIGINATED IN THE ASSEMBLY'S STEERING COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS.
BRITISH CONSERVATIVES, LED BY SANDYS, DEMANDED THAT THE ASSEMBLY MEET THE THREAT OF RUSSIAN AGGRESSION BY PLACING A CONCRETE PLAN FOR AN ARMY BEFORE ALL THE GOVERNMENTS OF WESTERN EUROPE.
THESE BRITISHERS WERE JOINED BY DELEGATES OF FRANCE, ITALY, WESTERN GERMANY, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS, TURKEY, LUXEMBOURG, GREECE AND THE SAAR. THE DANISH DELEGATION WAS DIVIDED OVER THE ISSUE.
THE FULL ASSEMBLY VOTED 89 TO 5, WITH 27 ABSTENTIONS, LAST FRIDAY IN FAVOR OF CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL TO CREATE A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY IN COOPERATION WITH THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA.
THE PROPOSAL THEN WAS CONSIDERED BY AN ASSEMBLY SUBCOMMITTEE ON SECURITY, WHERE IT WAS APPROVED BY ONLY A ONE-VOTE MARGIN, AND WITH ONE ABSTENTION.
INFORMED ASSEMBLY SOURCES SAID A COMPROMISE SOLUTION MAY BE REACHED. SANDYS, HOWEVER, VIGOROUSLY DENIED A RUMOR THAT HE HAD WITHDRAWN HIS 20-POINT PLAN FOR CREATING THE UNIFIED ARMY UNDER A EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTER AND A JOINT HIGH COMMAND.
ON THE ASSEMBLY FLOOR, MEANWHILE, ITALIAN DELEGATES DEMANDED CREATION OF A EUROPEAN ECONOMICS MINISTRY. EDOUARD BONNEFOUS OF FRANCE PROPOSED ESTABLISHMENT OF A EUROPEAN TRANSPORT AUTHORITY TO COORDINATE RAIL, SEA AND AIR COMMUNICATIONS.
THE FRENCH AND ITALIAN DELEGATES ARGUED THAT COORDINATION OF EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AFFAIRS AND TRANSPORT IS AS IMPORTANT TO COMMON DEFENSE AS THE CREATION OF A EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTRY.
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PARIS, AUG.17-(AP)-FRANCE FORMALLY PROPOSED TONIGHT THAT THE WESTERN WORLD CREATE AN "ATLANTIC TREASURY" TO FOOT THE BILLS FOR ARMING AGAINST ANY RUSSIAN AGGRESSION.
THE PROPOSAL WAS MADE IN A MEMORANDUM HANDED TO U.S. AMBASSADOR DAVID K. BRUCE. THE NOTE ALSO IS TO GO BEFORE DEPUTIES OF THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS, MEETING IN LONDON NEXT WEEK.
THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL DISCLOSURE, EITHER FROM FRENCH OR AMERICAN SOURCES, AS TO THE NOTE'S CONTENTS. IT WAS LEARNED ON HIGH AUTHORITY, HOWEVER, THAT THE FRENCH SUGGESTED THE 12-NATION ATLANTIC PACT COMMUNITY SET UP CENTRAL BOARDS TO HANDLE FINANCIAL, POLITICAL AND MILITARY MATTERS ON A CLOSELY-GEARED COOPERATIVE BASIS.
FRANCE PROMISED THE MEMORANDUM A WEEK AGO, IN A NOTE INFORMING THE UNITED STATES OF FRENCH PLANS TO STEP UP REARMAMENT. THE ORIGINAL NOTE SAID FRANCE WOULD SPEND TWO TRILLION FRANCS FOR MILITARY PREPAREDNESS IN THE NEXT THREE YEARS, IN ADDITION TO REGULAR MILITARY BUDGETS. THE TOTAL, THE NOTE SAID, WOULD BE ABOUT $11,000,000,000.

IN THAT NOTE FRANCE PROPOSED A CLOSELY UNIFIED DEFENSE SCHEME, AND PROMISED TO PUT A DETAILED PLAN BEFORE HER ATLANTIC NEIGHBORS IN A FEW DAYS. TODAY'S NOTE PRESUMABLY CONTAINS THE DETAILED PLAN.
FRANCE IS READYING ANOTHER PROPOSAL, SEPARATE FROM THE MEMORANDUM, WHICH WILL CALL FOR AN "ATLANTIC LOAN," SUBSCRIBED BY THE PUBLIC, TO FOOT SOME OF THE WAR-READINESS BILLS.
THE ATLANTIC LOAN, IT WAS DISCLOSED, WOULD BE A COMMON FINANCIAL VENTURE OF THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT SIGNERS, WITH LOAN SHARES AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE TO PARTICIPATING GOVERNMENTS OR PRIVATE INVESTORS.
THE LOAN WILL HELP THE EUROPEAN NATIONS BEAR THE GROWING COST OF MILITARY PREPAREDNESS, COUPLED WITH EXPECTED LOANS, GIFTS AND GRANTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.
MEANWHILE, GEN.CHARLES DE GAULLE DECLARED TODAY THAT A "TEMPEST IS APPROACHING" IN EUROPE AND THAT THE KOREAN WAR IS THE FOREWARNING.
IN A STATEMENT THE WARTIME FREE FRENCH LEADER URGED FRENCHMEN TO TAKE THE DEFENSE OF THEIR COUNTRY INTO THEIR OWN HANDS WITHOUT WAITING FOR THE ORGANIZATION OF COLLECTIVE EUROPEAN SECURITY SUCH AS WINSTON CHURCHILL HAS DEMANDED IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE.
DE GAULLE DECLARED THAT FRANCE SHOULD IMMEDIATELY SET UP 15 PERMANENT DIVISIONS, MAKE 40 MORE READY FOR MOBILIZATION AND ORGANIZE CERTAIN INTERIOR ARMIES READY FOR THE IMMEDIATE DEFENSE AND SECURITY OI FRANCE. HE SAID THE GROUND ARMY SHOULD BE COVERED BY 5,000 AIRCRAFT.
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NIGHT LEAD TAYLOR (290)
BY THOMAS A.REEDY
BERLIN, AUG.17-(AP)-U.S. MAJ.GEN.MAXWELL D.TAYLOR SAID TODAY "BERLIN IS NO NEARER WAR THAN IT WAS A YEAR AGO" AND HE IS SATISFIED ALLIED TROOPS CAN HANDLE ANY SITUATION THAT MAY ARISE HERE, SHORT OF AN ACTUAL SOVIET ATTACK.
"OUTRIGHT INTERVENTION BY THE RUSSIANS IS SOMETHING ELSE," THE AMERICAN COMMANDANT SAID IN AN INTERVIEW. "THAT WOULD BE AN ACT OF WAR."
WITH 250,000 RUSSIAN TROOPS AND ABOUT 100,000 EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST PEOPLE'S POLICE ON DUTY IN THE SOVIET ZONE WHICH SURROUNDS THIS QUARTERED CITY, SOME GERMAN AND ALLIED SOURCES HAVE COMPARED BERLIN TO KOREA IN ITS POTENTIALITIES.
MAXWELL REVIEWED THE SITUATION RECENTLY WITH HIGH OFFICERS AT HEIDELBERG, U.S. ARMY HEADQUARTERS. NOW COMMANDING A FORCE OF BETWEEN 3,000 AND 4,000 MEN, HE SAID HE HAS NOT ASKED FOR MORE TROOPS. THE GENERAL ESTIMATE OF BRITISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN TROOP STRENGTH IN BERLIN IS 8,000. THEY ARE BACKED UP BY 12,000 WEST BERLIN POLICE.
THE GENERAL PUT THE SITUATION THIS WAY:
WESTERN TROOPS WITH THEIR PRESENT EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING FRENCH TANKS, ARE READY AND ABLE TO FEND OFF ANY TERRORIST TACTICS BY EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS.
AS LONG AS THE DANGER RESTS WITH THE EAST GERMANS, IT CAN BE HANDLED.
IF IT RESTS WITH THE RUSSIANS, IT WOULDN'T MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE HOW MANY TROOPS THE ALLIES HAD IN BERLIN. THEY WOULD BE SURROUNDED, CUT OFF AND, BEYOND TOKEN RESISTANCE, HELPLESS.
"BERLIN'S BIGGEST PROBLEM ISN'T MILITARY," TAYLOR SAID. "IT NEEDS BUSINESS FROM OUTSIDE TO WIN THE ECONOMIC FIGHT."
TAYLOR SAID THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE CONSIDERING A PROTEST TO RUSSIA OVER INTERFERENCE WITH WEST BERLIN MAIL AT HELMSTEDT, ON THE BRITISH-RUSSIAN ZONAL BORDER.

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SOVIET AND EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST GUARDS HAVE BEEN SEIZING AND OPENING PACKAGE MAIL ON TRAINS BETWEEN THIS CITY AND WEST GERMANY FOR A WEEK. THEY CONTEND WEST BERLINERS ARE SMUGGLING OUT TEXTILES AND OTHER GOODS. TAYLOR BACKED UP THE VIEW OF WEST BERLINERS THAT THEY HAVE A RIGHT TO SHIP ANYTHING THEY WISH UNDER SEAL THROUGH THE SOVIET ZONE.
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A163
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BERLIN, AUG 17-(AP)-THE WESTERN ALLIES ARE CONSIDERING A "SHARP PROTEST" TO THE RUSSIANS OVER INTERFERENCE WITH BERLIN MAIL AT THE HELMSTEDT INTERZONAL BORDER, MAJ. GEN. MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, U.S. COMMANDER, SAID IN AN INTERVIEW TODAY.
SOVIET AND EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST GUARDS HAVE BEEN SEIZING AND OPENING PACKAGE MAIL ON TRAINS BETWEEN WEST GERMANY AND BERLIN FOR THE PAST WEEK. THE RUSSIANS CONTEND WEST BERLINERS ARE SMUGGLING TEXTILES AND FINISHED GOODS THROUGH THE MAILS. BERLINERS INSIST THEY HAVE THE RIGHT TO SHIP ANYTHING THEY WISH IN SEALED CARS WHICH ARE ONLY IN TRANSIT THROUGH THE SOVIET ZONE. GEN. TAYLOR BACKED UP T
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EW.
THE AMERICAN COMMANDER STYLED THE INTERFERENCE WITH THE MAILS AS "MONKEY BUSINESS" AND SAID THE ALLIED COMMANDERS MAY MAKE A JOINT PROTEST TO THE SOVIET BERLIN CHIEF, SERGEI DENGIN.
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A150
PRECEDE BERLIN (A79)
MOSCOW, AUG 17-(AP)-U.S. AMBASSADOR ALAN G. KIRK RETURNED TO MOSCOW TODAY AFTER A BRIEF VISIT TO WESTERN GERMANY AND FRANCE. HE ARRIVED BY PLANE FROM BERLIN.
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A79
BERLIN,AUG.17-(AP)-U.S. AMBASSADOR ALAN G.KIRK LEFT TEMPELHOF AIRBASE TODAY TO RESUME HIS POST IN MOSCOW AFTER A BRIEF VISIT TO WEST GERMANY AND FRANCE.
THE RUSSIANS ASSIGNED A NAVIGATOR AND A RADIO MAN TO GUIDE HIS PLANE TO THE SOVIET CAPITAL.
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B80 Q
BERLIN, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED TRADE UNIONS OF EAST GERMANY TODAY SENT TELEGRAMS OF PROTEST TO THE WHITE HOUSE AND TO THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL AGAINST THE RELEASE OF CONVICTED NAZI WAR CRIMINALS ON PAROLE.
U.S. AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY PROBATION FOR FRIEDRICH FLICK, FORMER STEEL KING; OTTO DIETRICH, NAZI PRESS CHIEF, AND SIX OTHER OFFICIALS OF THE THIRD REICH WHO ARE SERVING PRISON TERMS AT LANDSBERG, IN BAVARIA.
RW1140AED

B50 Q
FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG. 17-(AP)-GERMAN POLICE WERE BUSY TODAY SCRATCHING OUT A NEW COMMUNIST MOVE TO DISCREDIT THE MARSHALL AID PLAN.
U.S. AUTHORITIES SAID THEY HAD ASKED THE POLICE TO REMOVE A PRINTED STRIP WHICH COMMUNISTS HAD PASTED ON MOST OF 8,000 POSTERS WHICH READ: "MARSHALL PLAN MAKES EMPLOYMENT." THE COMMUNIST STRIP, PASTED NEATLY INTO THE PRINTING, MADE THE POSTER READ "MARSHALL PLAN MAKES UNEMPLOYMENT."
THE POSTERS WERE PART OF A U.S. CAMPAIGN TO MAKE GERMANS AWARE OF MARSHALL AID.
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FRANKFURT,GERMANY,AUG.17-(AP)-COMMUNIST AGENTS HAVE BEEN STREAMING ACROSS THE BORDER FROM RUSSIAN-OCCUPIED EASTERN GERMANY SINCE THE KOREAN WAR BEGAN, ALLIED OFFICIALS IN WESTERN GERMANY REPORTED TODAY.
MOST OF THE FURTIVE CROSSINGS ARE BY NIGHT, THEY SAID.
THE OFFICIALS SAID MANY PROBABLY ARE SABOTAGE AGENTS TRAINED TO HARASS THE ALLIED ARMIES IF RUSSIA STRIKES IN THE WEST, OR IF THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNISTS START A KOREA-TYPE "CIVIL WAR" AGAINST WEST GERMANY.
OTHERS WOULD GO INTO ACTION AS GUERRILLAS.
NO ONE KNOWS HOW MANY HAVE FILTERED ACROSS THE BORDER. SOME OFFICIALS SAY PERHAPS AS MANY AS 1,500 OR 2,000 HAVE SNEAKED IN.
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BREMERHAVEN, GERMANY, AUG 17-(AP)-LT. GEN. MANTON S. EDDY, NEW COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE U.S. ARMY IN EUROPE, ARRIVED IN BREMERHAVEN TODAY ABOARD THE U.S. TRANSPORT ALEXANDER PATCH. HE SUCCEEDS LT. GEN. CLARENCE L. HUEBNER.
EDDY WILL LEAVE TONIGHT FOR HEIDELBERG TO ASSUME HIS NEW POST.
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A97
ROME, AUG 17-(AP)-QUOTIDIANO, NEWSPAPER OF THE ITALIAN CATHOLIC ACTION, PRINTED TODAY A LETTER BY A GERMAN NUN SAYING SHE AND 1,500 OTHER MEMBERS OF HER ORDER ARE DOING FORCED LABOR IN UKRAINIAN COAL MINES.
MANY HAVE DIED SAID THE LETTER. IT ADDED: "WE ENVY THEM. WE ARE TREATED LIKE ANIMALS. WE ARE WHIPPED TO WORK."
THE NEWSPAPER SAID THE LETTER WAS TAKEN TO THE NUN'S PARENTS BY A REPATRIATED GERMAN WAR PRISONER AND PRINTED IN THE UKRAINIAN LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER MICHIOHAP, FROM WHICH THE ROME NEWSPAPER PRINTED IT.
THE NUN SAID THAT SHE AND OTHERS FROM THE ORDER OF SAINT VINCENT WERE TAKEN FROM SOVIET EAST PRUSSIA TO THE UKRAINE.
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A133
ROME, AUG 17-(AP)-MARSHAL RODOLFO GRAZIANI, FASCIST COMMANDER IN CHIEF WHO STOOD BY MUSSOLINI TO THE LAST, WILL GO FREE AUG. 29--FOUR MONTHS AFTER HE WAS SENTENCED BY AN ITALIAN MILITARY COURT TO 19 YEARS IN PRISON FOR TREASON.
THE GRIZZLED OLD MARSHAL'S 19-YEAR-TERM WAS CUT BY GOVERNMENT AMNESTIES FOR VALOR IN BATTLE AND ALLOWANCE FOR TIME SPENT IN PRISON AT THE END OF THE WAR.
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A39
NIGHT LEAD
BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.17-(AP)-THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TONIGHT GAVE A VOTE OF CONFIDENCE, 107 TO 78, TO BELGIUM'S TWO-DAY-OLD SOCIAL CHRISTIAN GOVERNMENT, THE FIRST ORGANIZED UNDER THE RULE OF CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN.
THE TEST CAME ON PREMIER JOSEPH PHOLIEN'S DECLARATION OF POLICY ON ECONOMICS AND REARMAMENT. THE SENATE IS SCHEDULED TO VOTE ON THE

ISSUE TOMORROW. SOCIAL CHRISTIANS ARE IN THE MAJORITY IN EACH HOUSE.
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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM,AUG.17-(AP)-THE BELGIAN ARMY TODAY BEGAN A RECRUITING DRIVE TO INCREASE ITS REGULAR STRENGTH FROM 25,000 MEN TO 31,000 IN THE NEXT 12 MONTHS.
THE PRESENT OVERALL STRENGTH OF THE ARMY IS 62,800 MEN INCLUDING 37,800 CONSCRIPTS.
THE 6,000 ADDITIONAL REGULAR SOLDIERS WILL BE REQUIRED TO SIGN ON FOR A PERIOD OF AT LEAST THREE YEARS AND WILL BE DISTRIBUTED PROPORTIONATELY AMONG ALL BRANCHES OF THE SERVICE.
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B82 Q
THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG. 17-(AP)-A RELIABLE SOURCE SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN HAVE ASKED FRANCE, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS AND LUXEMBOURG TO STEP UP THEIR NEWS BROADCASTS TO EASTERN EUROPE. THE IDEA IS TO STRENGTHEN THE VOICE OF AMERICA AND BRITISH BROADCASTS TO COUNTRIES BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN, THE SOURCE ADDED.
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A72
WARSAW, POLAND, AUG.17-(AP)-THE REV. PAWEL ILINSKI, A CATHOLIC PRIEST WHO ONCE LIVED IN THE UNITED STATES, WAS SENTENCED TO FOUR YEARS IN JAIL AND FINED 500,000 SLOTY ($1,250), THE POLISH PRESS AGENCY SAID TODAY.
HE WAS CONVICTED OF ATTEMPTING TO LEAVE POLAND ILLEGALLY. THREE POLES CHARGED WITH HELPING HIM DREW SENTENCES OF FROM ONE TO TWO YEARS AND FINES.
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TRIESTE, FREE TERRITORY, AUG. 17-(AP)-AN AMERICAN SOLDIER FROM OHIO IS RECOVERING AT THE SEVENTH HOSPITAL HERE FROM "SERIOUS SELF-INFLICTED GUNSHOT WOUNDS," THE U.S.PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER SAID TONIGHT.
THE SOLDIER WAS IDENTIFIED AS DONALD E.JOHNSON, ROUTE 2, IRONTON, HE WAS ADMITTED TO THE HOSPITAL SATURDAY. HE IS NOW OFF THE "SERIOUS LIST."
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A1 (400)
NIGHT LEAD ROGGE
BY WILLIAM OATIS
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG.17-(AP)-AN AMERICAN AND A RUSSIAN IN THE COMMUNIST-SUPPORTED WORLD PEACE MOVEMENT ARE TALKING OVER A PLAN TO SETTLE THE WAR IN KOREA.
THEY ARE O.JOHN ROGGE, A NEW YORK ATTORNEY AND A MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE WORLD DEFENDERS OF PEACE, AND JOURNALIST ILYA EHRENBURG OF MOSCOW, A GUEST OF THE COMMITTEE'S MEETING HERE.
ROGGE DISCLOSED TONIGHT HE HAD SEEN EHRENBURG TWICE OUTSIDE THE SESSION AND WAS MEETING HIM AGAIN TO SEE IF HE COULD GET HIS AGREEMENT TO A RESOLUTION ON THE WAR.
THE RESOLUTION IS ONE OF THREE ROGGE IS SEEKING TO BRING BEFORE THE COMMITTEE, WHICH ENDS ITS THREE-DAY QUARTERLY MEETING TOMORROW.
IT URGES THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL SET UP A COMMISSION REPRESENTING ALL ITS MEMBERS EXCEPT CHINA TO STUDY THE KOREAN DISPUTE.
THIS COMMISSION WOULD HEAR ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND REPORT ON POSSIBILITIES OF A SETTLEMENT OF THE WAR AND THE UNIFICATION OF KOREA.
ROGGE, A FORMER ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE PEACE DEFENDERS, SAID EHRENBURG WILLINGLY TALKED THE MATTER OVER WITH HIM. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, HE WAS NOT HOPEFUL OF AGREEMENT.
THE PROPOSED COMMISSION WOULD BE DESIGNED TO GET AROUND THE DEADLOC IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL OVER WHETHER NATIONALIST CHINA, BACKED BY THE UNITED STATES, OR COMMUNIST CHINA, BACKED BY THE SOVIET UNION, IS ENTITLED TO A SEAT THERE. THIS IS HOLDING UP ACTION ON KOREA.
ROGGE POINTED OUT HIS RESOLUTION TAKES NO SIDES ON THIS ISSUE, BUT IN A SPEECH HERE TODAY EHRENBURG, WITHOUT MENTIONING THE SUBJECT DIRECTLY, SAID PEOPLE SHOULD NOT SIT IN THE U.N. "WHO HAVE NO RIGHT."
THE PEACE COMMITTEE HERE HAS BEEN TALKING OVER PROMOTION OF THE SO-CALLED STOCKHOLM APPEAL TO BAN THE ATOM BOMB. IN HIS REPORT, SECRETARY GENERAL JEAN LAFFITTE OF PARIS ESTIMATED MORE THAN 350,000,000 PEOPLE NOW HAD SIGNED THIS APPEAL.
ONE OF ROGGE'S RESOLUTIONS WOULD AMEND THE APPEAL BY CALLING FOR THE "OUTLAWRY OF AGGRESSION FROM WHATEVER SOURCE AND BY WHATEVER COUNTRY." THIS ACCUSES NORTH KOREA OF AGGRESSIVE WAR.
THE THIRD WOULD RESCIND THE COMMITTEE'S ACTION IN ROME LAST OCTOBER EXPELLING THE YUGOSLAV NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR THE DEFENSE OF PEACE.
ROGGE SAID THE PRESIDENT OF THE PEACE DEFENDERS, FRENCH ATOMIC SCIENTIST FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE, PROMISED TO LET HIM KNOW TOMORROW WHETHER THE RESOLUTIONS COULD BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE COMMITTEE AND ROGGE COULD SPEAK ON THEM.
MEANWHILE, THE WORLD'S STUDENTS WERE URGED TODAY TO ORGANIZE STRIKES TO PROTEST "AMERICAN AGGRESSION IN KOREA."
THE CALL WAS SOUNDED IN A RESOLUTION PASSED AT THE SECOND CONGRESS OF THE FOUR-YEAR-OLD INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS. SOME WESTERN DELEGATES AMONG THE 1,500 PERSONS PRESENT ABSTAINED.
THE RESOLUTION ALSO URGED THAT STUDENTS HOLD PROTEST DEMONSTRATIONS AND SUPPORT KOREANS "FIGHTING AGAINST THE AMERICAN AGGRESSORS FOR THE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE OF THEIR COUNTRY."
ON THE MOTION OF THE NORTH KOREAN DELEGATION, HEADED BY LT.COL. KAN-BUK, THE CONGRESS ALSO VOTED TO SEND A PROTEST TELEGRAM TO THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL DEMANDING THE WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN TROOPS. THERE WERE WESTERN ABSTENTIONS ON THIS VOTE.
AN AMBULANCE DONATED BY CZECHOSLOVAK WORKERS FOR THE NORTH KOREANS WAS DRIVEN INTO THE HALL. THE CHEERS AND APPLAUSE LASTED FOR 13 MINUTES.
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA,AUG.17-(AP)-AN AMERICAN SOUGHT TODAY TO BROADEN THE COMMUNIST-SUPPORTED STOCKHOLM PEACE PAPPEAL INTO A CALL FOR OUTLAWRY OF ALL AGGRESSION.
THE APPEAL, CIRCULATED BY THE WORLD DEFENDERS OF PEACE, NOW DEMANDS THAT ONLY THE ATOMIC BOMB BE BANNED AND THAT THE FIRST NATION TO USE IT BE DEALT WITH AS A WAR CRIMINAL.
LAWYER O.JOHN ROGGE OF NEW YORK, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE PEACE DEFENDERS AND FORMER ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL, PREPARED THE AMENDMENT.
HE SAID TODAY IT WAS ONE OF THREE RESOLUTIONS HE TURNED IN FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MOVEMENT NOW MEETING HERE.
THE FIRST RESOLUTION PROPOSES THAT "BY REASON OF THE COURSE OF AGGRESSIVE WAR UPON WHICH NORTH KOREA HAS EMBARKED," THE STOCKHOLM APPEAL BE AMENDED.
IT SUGGESTS A NEW FIRST PARAGRAPH FOR THE FOUR-PARAGRAPH APPEAL. THE REVISION WOULD CALL FOR "THE OUTLAWRY OF AGGRESSION FROM

WHATEVER SOURCE AND BY WHATEVER COUNTRY."
THE SECOND RESOLUTION WOULD HAVE THE COMMITTEE PROPOSE TH. UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL SET UP A COMMISSION ON KOREA OF REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL ITS MEMBERS EXCEPT CHINA.
THIS COMMISSION WOULD BE DESIGNED TO BYPASS THE STALEMATE IN COUNCIL OVER THE QUESTION OF EXPELLING THE CHINESE NATIONALIST REPRESENTATIVE AND SEATING A CHINESE COMMUNIST.
UNDER THE RESOLUTION IT WOULD HEAR REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL PARTIES TO THE KOREAN DISPUTE AND REPORT TO THE COUNCIL ON "THE POSSIBILITIES OF A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT."
THE THIRD RESOLUTION PROPOSES THAT THE COMMITTEE REVERSE ITS ACTION, TAKEN IN ROME LAST OCTOBER, "PURPORTING TO EXPEL" THE YUGOSLAV NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR THE DEFENSE OF PEACE.
IT WOULD HAVE THE COMMITTEE INVITE THE YUGOSLAV GROUP BACK INTO THE PEACE MOVEMENT "TO SEARCH WITH US FOR WAYS IN WHICH PEOPLES WITH DIFFERENT HABITS OF LIFE MAY LIFE IN HARMONY AND COOPERATION."
ROGGE SAID HE GAVE THE RESOLUTIONS IN ENGLISH TO PROFESSOR FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE, FRENCH COMMUNIST ATOMIC SCIENTIST AND PRESIDENT OF THE WORLD PEACE DEFENDERS, LAST NIGHT.
HE ASKED THAT THEY BE PUT BEFORE THE COMMITTEE AND THAT HE BE ALLOWED TO MAKE A STATEMENT ON THEM, WHICH HE ALSO SUBMITTED. HE SAID JOLIOT-CURIE TOLD HIM ONLY THAT THE MATERIAL WOULD BE TRANSLATED. ENGLISH, FRENCH AND GERMAN ARE BEING USED AT THE MEETING.
SOME 40 MEMBERS AND GUESTS ARE ATTENDING THE SESSION FROM THE U.S., BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY, RUSSIA, CHINA AND SEVEN OTHER COUNTRIES, MOST OF THEM EAST EUROPEAN.
NEWS OF THE SESSION IS BEING ISSUED THROUGH COMMUNIQUES. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS WAS TOLD IT WAS CLOSED TO REPORTERS. A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS, HOWEVER, WAS ON THE LIST OF THOSE GIVEN PASSES.

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NIGHT LEAD GREEK (310)
BY L.S.CHAKALES
ATHENS, GREECE, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE IMMINENT COLLAPSE OF THE COALTION CABINET OF PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS WAS SEEN TONIGHT IN ANNOUNCEMENT THAT THE FIVE LIBERAL PARTY MINISTERS WILL RESIGN.
LIBERAL LEADER SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS, WHO MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT, HAS DEMANDED PLASTIRAS' RESIGNATION. THE PREMIER'S POSITION HAS BEEN UNCERTAIN BECAUSE OF CABINET RESENTMENT OVER HIS POLICY OF AMNESTY FOR COMMUNISTS CONVICTED OF TREASON.
WITH PLASTIRAS AND KING PAUL 1 BOTH ABSENT FROM THE CAPITAL--THE PREMIER IN NORTHERN GREECE AND THE KING ON A SMALL EAST COAST ISLAND--THE ACTUAL FALL OF THE GOVERNMENT CANNOT TAKE PLACE UNTIL BOTH RETURN.
THERE HAS BEEN NO OFFICIAL WORD ON PLASTIRAS' REACTION, BUT WITHOUT LIBERAL PARTY SUPPORT HE IS OBLIGED BY CUSTOM TO SUBMIT HIS RESIGNATION.
IN A WRITTEN STATEMENT, LIBERAL DEPUTIES POINTED OUT THE LIBERAL PARTY HAD JOINED THE COALITION GOVERNMENT ONLY UNDER AMERICAN PRESSURE. ONE LINE, WHICH HAD BEEN STRIKEN OUT BEFORE THE STATEMENT WAS ISSUED, SAID THE AMERICANS THREATENED TO SUSPEND AID TO GREECE IF THE COALITION WAS NOT FORMED WITH LIBERALS PARTICIPATING.
VENIZELOS, WHO HELD THE PREMIERSHIP BRIEFLY WITH A LIBERAL CABINET AFTER THE MARCH 5 PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS, RESIGNED WHEN THE UNITED STATES EXPRESSED DISPLEASURE OVER HIS LACK OF A BROAD MAJORITY IN PARLIAMENT.
PLASTIRAS' CABINET, WHICH FOLLOWED IN APRIL, INCLUDED FIVE LIBERAL PARTY MEMBERS, ALONG WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATS AND THE PREMIER'S OWN NATIONAL PROGRESSIVE UNION.
THE LIBERAL PARTY STATEMENT TODAY SAID THE GOVERNMENT HAS "LOST COMPLETELY THE CONFIDENCE OF PUBLIC OPINION." IT SAID DISTRUST AND UNCERTAINTY HAD AFFECTED THE ECONOMY OF THE COUNTRY AND BENEFITS PREVIOUSLY GAINED HAD BEEN NEUTRALIZED BY AN INCREASING COST OF LIVING.
THE STATEMENT CONCLUDED THAT THE PLASTIRAS GOVERNMENT HAD NEITHER AUTHORITY NOR POWER TO CARRY OUT NECESSARY REFORMS.
THE FIVE LIBERAL PARTY MINISTERS ARE STAVROS KOSTOPOULOS, MERCHANT MARINE; THEODORE HAVINIS, PUBLIC WORKS; GEORGE ATHANASSIADES-NOVAS, EDUCATION; DIMITRIOS BAKATSELOS, PUBLIC WELFARE, AND HARALAMBOS PSARROS, TRANSPORT.

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FIRST LEAD GREEK
ATHENS, GREECE,AUG.17-(AP)-SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT FIVE LIBERAL PARTY MINISTERS WILL RESIGN FROM THE GOVERNMENT--AN ACTION THAT MEANS COLLAPSE OF THE COALITION CABINET FORMED LAST APRIL UNDER PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS.
VENIZELOS, THE LIBERAL PARTY LEADER, HAS DEMANDED PLASTIRAS' RESIGNATION. PLASTIRAS HAD BEEN UNDER FIRE BECAUSE OF HIS INSISTENCE THAT COMMUNISTS CONVICTED OF TREASON BE GRANTED AMNESTY.
VENIZELOS SAID THE RESIGNING MINISTERS WERE MARINE MINISTER STAVROS KOSTOPOULOS, MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS THEODORE HAVINIS, EDUCATION MINISTER GEORGE ATHANASSIADES-NOVAS, PUBLIC WELFARE MINISTER DIMITRIOS BAKATSELOS AND TRANSPORT MINISTER HARALAMBOS PSARROS.
IT WAS BELIEVED BY POLITICAL CIRCLES THAT THERE WAS A STRONG LIKELIHOOD THAT A CENTER COALITION WOULD BE FORMED TO SUCCEED THE PLASTIRAS GOVERNMENT.
SUCH A COALITION MIGHT CONSIST OF VENIZELOS' LIBERALS, GEORGE PAPANDREOU'S SOCIAL DEMOCRATS, EMMANUEL TSOUDEROS' PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICANS, SOME OF PLASTIRAS' PROGRESSIVE UUNIONISTS AND NAPOLEON ZERVAS' NATIONAL PARTY. SUCH A COMBINATION WOULD HAVE A NARROW BUT FIRM MAJORITY, ABOUT 250 DEPUTIES, IN PARLIAMENT. IN ADDITION MIGHT RECEIVE THE TOLERATION OF CONSTANTIN TSALDARIS' ROYALIST POPULISTS IF VENIZELOS REPLACED PLASTIRAS AS PREMIER.
VENIZELOS, WHO HELD THE PREMIERSHIP BRIEFLY WITH A LIBERAL CABINET AFTER THE MARCH 5 PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS, RESIGNED WHEN THE UNITED STATES EXPRESSED DISPLEASURE OVER HIS LACK OF A BROAD MAJORITY IN PARLIAMENT.
PLASTIRAS FORMED HIS CABINET LAST APRIL. IT INCLUDES FIVE LIBERAL PARTY MEMBERS, ALONG WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATS AND THE PREMIER'S OWN NATIONAL PROGRESSIVE UNION.

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BY ALEX SINGLETON
BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, AUG 17-(AP)-CHANCES OF A RUSSIAN-INSPIRED INVASION OF YUGOSLAVIA THIS YEAR HAVE BEEN DISCOUNTED BY WESTERN POWER MILITARY STRATEGISTS ON THE BASIS OF A SURVEY WHICH BEGAN SOON AFTER THE FIRST SHOTS WERE FIRED IN THE KOREAN WAR.
THIS INFORMATION CAME FROM TWO RESPONSIBLE OFFICIALS WHO DISCLOSED SEPARATELY RESULTS OF THEIR OWN INVESTIGATIONS AND CONCLUSIONS BY THEIR SUPERIOR OFFICERS.
PIECEMEAL REPORTS LEAKING OUT FROM INSIDE THE IRON CURTAIN THUS FAR HAVE SHOWN LITTLE DESIRE FOR WAR IN THE SATELLITE NATIONS BORDERING YUGOSLAVIA. IN FACT THERE ARE SOME SIGNS THAT A SOVIET ORDER TO

FIGHT YUGOSLAVIA MIGHT BOOMERANGE INTO WIDESPREAD OPPOSITION AND PERHAPS REVOLT.

A GENERAL SURVEY WAS ORDERED IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK BECAUSE THE WESTERN POWERS WANTED TO KNOW HOW FAR THEY COULD BECOME COMMITTED IN ASIA WITHOUT RISKING SUCH SECURITY AS THEY NOW HAVE ON THE EUROPEAN CONTINENT.

INSIDE YUGOSLAVIA, WHERE THERE ARE PLENTY OF PEOPLE WHO BOAST OF NOSES THAT CAN SNIFF TROUBLE, THE SURVEY FOUND THERE IS PLENTY OF PREPAREDNESS BUT LITTLE EVIDENCE THAT THE COUNTRY AND LEADERS EXPECT A BALKAN WAR.

ON TOP OF THIS, THERE HAS BEEN A MARKED DECLINE IN REPORTED BORDER INCIDENTS RECENTLY. SUCH INCIDENTS OVER THE PAST TWO YEARS HAVE BEEN A FAIRLY RELIABLE BAROMETER OF RUSSIAN COMINFORM FEELING TOWARD OUTCAST YUGOSLAVIA. WHEN RUSSIA WISHES TO APPLY PRESSURE ON THE GOVERNMENT OF PREMIER MARSHAL TITO, THESE BORDER INCIDENTS INCREASE. THIS KEEPS A BIG PART OF YUGOSLAVIA'S MANPOWER IN UNIFORM AND OUT OF VITALLY NEEDED PRODUCTION.

REPORTS OF WESTERN OBSERVERS HERE EMPHASIZED THAT A COMMUNIST INVASION SUCH AS THAT IN SOUTH KOREA WOULD NOT HAVE THE SAME ADVANTAGE OF SURPRISE IN YUGOSLAVIA. TITO HAS ONE OF THE BEST ARMIES ON THE CONTINENT OUTSIDE RUSSIA. A BIG PART OF IT HAD TOUGH TRAINING IN THE HILLS OF BOSNIA AND SLOVENIA DURING THE LAST WAR AND IS EFFICIENT AND WELL ARMED.

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BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA,AUG.17-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL YUGOSLAV NEWS AGENCY TANJUG SAID TODAY ABOUT 500 FAMILIES WERE INTERNED IN THE BULGARIAN AREA OF MACEDONIA IN THE FIRST 10 DAYS OF THIS MONTH. TANJUG DID NOT GIVE ANY REASON FOR THE INTERNMENT BUT SAID THE ACTION DISCLOSED THE BULGARIAN GOVERNMENT'S ATTITUDE TOWARD THE DESIRES OF THE MACEDONIAN PEOPLE FOR NATIONAL LIBERTY.

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NIGHT LEAD TIBET

BY STEVEN V.DAVID

NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG 17-(AP)-A FOREIGN MINISTRY SOURCE SAID TODAY INDIA HAS MADE OVERTURES TO COMMUNIST CHINA IN AN EFFORT TO PRESERVE THE POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE OF TIBET.

A CHINESE NATIONALIST DEFENSE SPOKESMAN DECLARED IN TAIPEH, FORMOSA, THAT CHINESE RED TROOPS NOW ARE MOVING TOWARD AN INVASION OF TIBET -- ANCIENT, LOFTY LAND OF THE LAMAS--FROM THE EAST AND NORTH. HE SAID THE TROOPS FROM THE EAST WERE UNDER ONE-EYED GEN. LIU-PO-CHENG.

THE FOREIGN MINISTRY SOURCE SAID INDIA HAS EXPRESSED THE HOPE TO COMMUNIST CHINA THAT THE STATUS OF TIBET WILL BE SETTLED BY FRIENDLY NEGOTIATIONS. INDIA WOULD BE PLEASED, HE SAID, IF THE NEGOTIATIONS RESULTED IN A CONTINUANCE OF THE STATUS QUO, LEAVING TIBET AUTONOMOUS UNDER CHINESE RULE. INDIA RECOGNIZES MAO TZE-TUNG'S RED REGIME AS THE GOVERNMENT OF CHINA.

THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE OFFERED TIBET "REGIONAL AUTONOMY" IF THE TIBETAN RULER, THE DALAI LAMA, AND HIS GOVERNMENT JOIN THE CHINESE RED REGIME PEACEFULLY. THE TIBETANS WERE INVITED TO SEND A DELEGATION TO PEIPING TO WORK OUT DETAILS.

A DELEGATION CAME TO INDIA SEVERAL MONTHS AGO, EN ROUTE TO CHINA, BUT WAS UNABLE TO GET A BRITISH VISA FOR HONG KONG.

THE MINISTRY SOURCE SAID TIBET SUGGESTED TO PEIPING SOME TIME AGO THAT NEGOTIATIONS BE HELD IN NEW DELHI BETWEEN THE TIBETAN DELEGATION, NOW AT KALIMPONG, SIKKIM, ON THE INDO-TIBET BORDER, AND THE COMMUNIST CHINESE AMBASSADOR WHO IS EXPECTED HERE SHORTLY.

THE TIBETAN URGE FOR INDEPENDENCE HAS OFTEN BEEN VOICED IN DEALINGS WITH CHINESE MISSIONS TO LHASA, TIBET'S CAPITAL. LAST JUNE, TIBET ASKED THE CHINESE NATIONALIST MISSION TO LEAVE.

A PRO-COMMUNIST HONG KONG NEWSPAPER, WEN WEI PAO, REPORTED AUG. 5 THAT GEN. LIU HAD ANNOUNCED TIBET WOULD BE INVADED. HE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING THIS MOVE WAS AIMED AT DRIVING OUT THE "AGGRESSIVE INFLUENCE OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" AND "TO CONSOLIDATE THE WESTERN LINE OF (CHINA'S) NATIONAL DEFENSE."

THE NEWSPAPER QUOTED LIU AS SAYING TIBET'S POLITICAL AND MILITARY INSTITUTIONS AND OFFICIALS WOULD REMAIN UNCHANGED, BUT TIBETAN TROOPS "WILL BECOME A PART OF THE NATIONAL DEFENSE ARMED FORCES OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE'S (COMMUNIST) REPUBLIC."

FOR MANY YEARS, TIBET HAS BEEN POLITICALLY INDEPENDENT, ALTHOUGH UNDER NOMINAL CHINESE RULE. IT IS ISOLATED FROM THE WORLD AND ALOOF TOWARD FOREIGNERS. THE COUNTRY HAS A POPULATION OF ABOUT 3,000,000 AND COVERS 470,000 SQUARE MILES.

ON THE FRINGES OF CHINA, RUSSIA, INDIA AND KASHMIR, TIBET IS GUARDED BY MIGHTY MT. EVEREST AND OTHER HIMALAYAN PEAKS ON THE SOUTHERN AND WESTERN FRONTIERS. ALONG THE NORTH AND NORTHEAST INTO CHINA ARE OTHER RUGGED MOUNTAINS.

THE COUNTRY - A THEOCRACY -- IS GOVERNED BY PRIESTS OF LAMAISM, THE STATE RELIGION. THE DALAI LAMA, TIBET'S TOP-RANKING MONK AND RULER, AS EARLY AS AUGUST, 1948, CONDUCTED PRAYER MEETINGS AIMED TO PROTECT THE COUNTRY FROM COMMUNISM.

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NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 17-(AP)-INDIA HAS URGED UPON COMMUNIST CHINA THAT THE STATUS OF TIBET BE SETTLED "BY FRIENDLY NEGOTIATION," A FOREIGN MINISTRY SOURCE SAID TODAY.

INDIA HAS INDICATED THAT SHE WOULD BE PLEASED IF SUCH NEGOTIATIONS RESULTED IN RED CHINA BEARING THE SAME RELATIONSHIP TO TIBET AS DID NATIONALIST CHINA. THE ISOLATED MOUNTAIN-TOP COUNTRY FOR MANY YEARS HAS BEEN UNDER THE NOMINAL RULE OF CHINA BUT HAS BEEN INDEPENDENT FOR ALL PRACTICAL PURPOSES. LAST JUNE IT ASKED THE CHINESE NATIONALIST MISSION TO LEAVE.

THE INDIAN SOURCE SAID TIBET SUGGESTED TO COMMUNIST CHINA SOME TIME AGO THAT NEGOTIATIONS BE HELD IN NEW DELHI BETWEEN THE TIBETAN DELEGATION NOW AT KALIMPONG, SIKKIM, ON THE INDIA-TIBET BORDER AND RED CHINA'S AMBASSADOR WHO IS EXPECTED IN NEW DELHI SHORTLY.

CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE OFFERED TIBET "REGIONAL AUTONOMY" IF THE TIBET RULER, THE DALAI LAMA, AND HIS GOVERNMENT JOIN THE RED REGIME PEACEFULLY. THE TIBETANS WERE INVITED TO SEND A DELEGATION TO PEIPING TO WORK OUT THE DETAILS.

A SEVEN-MAN TIBET MISSION ARRIVED IN INDIA SEVERAL MONTHS AGO EN ROUTE TO CHINA BUT WAS UNABLE TO GET A BRITISH VISA FOR HONG KONG.

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RANGOON, BURMA, AUG. 17-(AP)-BURMA GOVERNMENT INTELLIGENCE REPORTS SAID TODAY THAT REBEL KARENS HAVE DECIDED TO CONTINUE THEIR ANTI-GOVERNMENT WARFARE DESPITE THE DEATH OF THEIR LEADER.

THE KAREN LEADER SAW BA U GYI (CQ) FALL IN BATTLE LAST SATURDAY NEAR THE THAILAND-BURMA BORDER. LOYALIST KARENS HAD DISCLOSED HIS MOUNTAIN HIDEOUT TO GOVERNMENT TROOPS.

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THE GOVERNMENT SAID REBEL KARENS MEETING AT SHANKWIN VILLAGE IN BASSEIN DISTRICT RENEWED PLEDGES NOT TO SURRENDER BUT TO FIGHT TO THE END. THE REPORT ADDED THAT NEIGHBORING COMMUNIST LEADERS ATTENDING THE MEETING SUPPORTED THE KAREN RESOLUTION.

MEANWHILE AN OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE SAID SAW PAW LU, (CQ) CHIEF LIEUTENANT OF SLAIN REBEL LEADER, HAS BEEN CAPTURED BY LOYAL KARENS. IT SAID THAT THE CHIEFTAIN OF KWETPHOGYI, (CQ) BELIEVED TO BE A REBEL COLLABORATOR, WAS ALSO TAKEN PRISONER.

THE NEWSPAPER NEW TIMES REPORTED A BATTLE WAS RAGING BETWEEN GOVERNMENT FORCES AND KARENS AT WAKEMA, A KAREN STRONGHOLD 112 MILES SOUTHWEST OF RANGOON.

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NIGHT LEAD INDONESIAN (370)

JAKARTA, INDONESIA, AUG.17-(AP)-PRESIDENT SOEKARNO DECLARED TODAY THE DUTCH WILL HAVE A FIGHT ON THEIR HANDS IF THEY DO NOT YIELD CONTROL OF WEST NEW GUINEA TO INDONESIA BY THE END OF 1950.

THE DUTCH-INDONESIAN AGREEMENT WHICH GAVE INDONESIA INDEPENDENCE LAST DEC.27, IN A JOINT UNION UNDER QUEEN JULIANA'S CROWN, PROVIDED WEST NEW GUINEA WOULD REMAIN IN THE CROWN'S CONTROL FOR A YEAR. IN THAT PERIOD, THE DUTCH WERE TO STUDY POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC FACTORS OF THE AREA WITH A VIEW TO GRANTING IT SOVEREIGNTY AS A PART OF INDONESIA.

SOEKARNO DECLARED THE NETHERLANDS IS MAINTAINING "COLONIAL CONTROL" OF WEST NEW GUINEA. AUSTRALIA AND BRITAIN SHARE THE EASTERN HALF OF THE BIG ISLAND, WHICH LIES JUST SOUTH OF THE EQUATOR.

THE PRESIDENT SPOKE FROM THE PALACE STEPS BEFORE A CROWD OF THOUSANDS OBSERVING THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE INDONESIAN PROCLAMATION OF INDEPENDENCE AND THE INAUGURATION THIS WEEK OF A NEW UNITARY REPUBLIC.

RED AND WHITE FLAGS OF THE REPUBLIC FLEW IN THE CAPITAL. CHINESE COMMUNIST FLAGS ALSO APPEARED. INDONESIA HAS RECOGNIZED RED CHINA.

THE MILITARY GOVERNOR OF JAKARTA PROHIBITED THE CHINESE POPULATION FROM FLYING NATIONALIST CHINA'S EMBLEM.

ACCORDING TO OUR CONSTITUTION," SOEKARNO SAID, "WEST NEW GUINEA IS ALSO INDONESIAN TERRITORY--NOT TOMORROW, NOT DAY AFTER TOMORROW, BUT NOW, AT THIS VERY MOMENT. DUTCH DE FACTO AUTHORITY OVER WEST NEW GUINEA IS RECOGNIZED FOR THIS YEAR ONLY.

"IF A SETTLEMENT BY NEGOTIATIONS CANNOT BE ARRIVED AT WITHIN THIS YEAR A MAJOR CONFLICT WILL ARISE ON THE ISSUE OF WHO WILL BE IN POWER IN THAT ISLAND FROM THEN ONWARD. WE WILL NOT STOP FIGHTING AND I KNOW WEST GUINEA WILL RETURN TO OUR FOLD FOR OUR WEAPON IS THE UNSURPASSABLE WEAPON OF NATIONAL REVIVAL, WHICH THE DUTCH MUST ADMIT THEY COULD NOT CRUSH EVEN WITH GUNS."

SOEKARNO CHARGED THAT, "MORALLY, THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT IS RESPONSIBLE" FOR BLOODY OUTBREAKS THIS YEAR AGAINST JAKARTA'S RULE. HE SAID THE DUTCH HAD FAILED TO KEEP A FIRM HAND ON TROUBLEMAKERS IN THE NETHERLANDS INDONESIAN ARMED FORCES. HE CITED INCIDENTS AT BANDOENG, AMBOINA AND MAKASSAR.

HE CHARGED THAT MEMBERS OF THE DUTCH ARMED FORCES SMUGGLED CAPT. R.P.P. "TURK" WESTERLING OUT OF THE COUNTRY AFTER HE ENGINEERED A GUERRILLA RAID ON BANDOENG IN JANUARY.

WESTERLING, A DUTCHMAN WHO BECAME A WEST JAVA REBEL, FLED TO SINGAPORE. THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TONIGHT HE WILL BE DEPORTED "IN THE NEAR FUTURE." A SINGAPORE COURT RECENTLY TURNED DOWN AN INDONESIAN REQUEST FOR HIS EXTRADITION.

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BY KENNETH LIKES

JAKARTA, INDONESIA,AUG.17-(AP)-PRESIDENT SOEKARNO HAMMERED HARD TODAY AT THE DUTCH, BLAMING THEM FOR MUCH OF THE DISORDER IN INDONESIA SINCE INDEPENDENCE AND DEMANDING THAT THEY RELINQUISH "COLONIAL CONTROL OVER WESTERN NEW GUINEA.

SOEKARNO SPOKE FROM THE PRESIDENTIAL PALACE STEPS BEFORE A CROWD OF TENS OF THOUSANDS OBSERVING THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE INDEPENDENCE PROCLAMATION AND THE INAUGURATION THIS WEEK OF THE NEW UNITARY REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA.

HE SAID R.P.P. (TURK) WESTERLING'S RAID ON BANDOENG LAST JANUARY TOOK PLACE BECAUSE DUTCH OFFICIALS IGNORED AN INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT APPEAL TO TAKE PREVENTIVE MEASURES AHEAD OF TIME.

TROUBLEMAKERS FROM THE DUTCH ARMY WHO DISTURBED BANDOENG WERE MOVED BY THE DUTCH ARMY, HE SAID, TO AMBOINA WHERE THEY INSTIGATED THE CURRENT REBELLION.

DR.SOUMOKIL, AMBOINESE REBEL LEADER, ESCAPED FROM MAKASSAR TO THE SOUTH MOLUCCAS WITH THE AID OF THE DUTCH ARMED FORCES, PRESIDENT SOEKARNO CHARGED.

MEMBERS OF THE NETHERLANDS ARMED FORCES SMUGGLED WESTERLING OUT OF INDONESIA, SOEKARNO ASSERTED, ADDING THAT THEY TOOK PART IN THREE OUTBREAKS IN MAKASSAR.

HE DECLARED THE NETHERLANDS "CANNOT DISASSOCIATE ITSELF FROM MORAL RESPONSIBILITY IN ALL THESE AFFAIRS. MORALLY THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT IS RESPONSIBLE."

"IT IS NOT MY INTENTION," HE SAID, "TO AGGRAVATE OUR DISPUTE WITH THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT; MY INTENTION IS ONLY TO SHOW HOW DIFFICULT IT IS TO LIQUIDATE THE COLONIAL EXPONENT OF POWER."

SOEKARNO SAID THE FACT THAT THE NETHERLANDS STILL OCCUPY WEST NEW GUINEA PROVES THAT HOLLAND CONTINUES A COLONIAL POWER.

"ACCORDING TO OUR CONSTITUTION, WEST NEW GUINEA IS ALSO INDONESIAN TERRITORY--NOT TOMORROW, NOT THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW BUT NOW, AT THIS VERY MOMENT," HE SAID.

"DUTCH DE FACTO AUTHORITY OVER WEST NEW GUINEA IS RECOGNIZED FOR THIS YEAR ONLY. IF A SETTLEMENT BY NEGOTIATION CANNOT BE ARRIVED AT WITHIN THIS YEAR, A MAJOR CONFLICT WILL ARISE ON THE ISSUE OF WHO WILL BE IN POWER IN THAT ISLAND FROM THEN ONWAR.

"WE WILL NOT STOP FIGHTING, AND I KNOW THAT WEST NEW GUINEA WILL RETURN TO OUR FOLD, FOR OUR WEAPON IS THE UNSURPASSABLE WEAPON OF NATIONAL REVIVAL WHICH, THE DUTCH MUST ADMIT, THEY COULD NOT CRUSH EVEN WITH GUNS."

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JAKARTA, U.S.I., AUG. 17-(AP)-THE MILITARY GOVERNOR OF JAKARTA TODAY BANNED THE FLYING OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST FLAG IN CELEBRATION OF INDONESIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY. HIS ORDER SAID ONLY THE RED CHINA BANNER CAN BE FLOWN BECAUSE THE COMMUNIST REGIME IS THE ONLY ONE RECOGNIZED BY THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT.

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 17-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALISTS SAY THEIR INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATE RUSSIA IS BUILDING TWO SUBMARINE BASES IN COMMUNIST CHINA.

NATIONALIST SOURCES SAID THE BASES ARE AT MAMOI, NEAR FOOCHOW 120 MILES NORTHWEST OF FORMOSA, AND AT YULIN ON THE SOUTH COAST OF HAINAN,

ABOUT 150 MILES FROM INDOCHINA.
(COMMUNIST CHINA HAS ALMOST NO NAVY. THERE HAS BEEN NO INDICATION THE CHINESE REDS HAVE SUBMARINES.)
NATIONALIST SOURCES SAID A COMMISSION OF SOVIET SUBMARINE EXPERTS ARRIVED ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO TO VISIT MAMOI.
THESE SOURCES SAID YULIN WAS BEING DEVELOPED INTO A MAJOR BASE FOR UNDERSEA CRAFT, CAPABLE OF EVERY KIND OF REPAIR AND SERVICE. THE JAPANESE DEVELOPED YULIN AS A BASE FOR THEIR SOUTHERN OPERATIONS IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR.
NATIONALIST INTELLIGENCE REPORTS ALSO WERE CREDITED WITH DISCLOSING THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ARE ENLARGING TWO AIR FIELDS AND BUILDING AT LEAST ONE AIR STRIP ON THE MAINLAND FACING FORMOSA.
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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG.18-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALIST PRESS REPORTS TODAY SAID TOP LEADERS OF COMMUNIST CHINA AND INDOCHINA REBELS CONFERRED RECENTLY IN SOUTHERN CHINA.
THESE UNCONFIRMED REPORTS SAID RUSSIAN ADVISERS WERE PRESENT AT THE MEETING OF MAO TZE-TUNG, TOP CHINESE COMMUNIST, AND HO CHI MINH, MOSCOW-TRAINED VIETMINH REBEL LEADER IN INDOCHINA. THEY WERE SAID TO HAVE MET IN NANNING AND THEN FLOWN TO THE INDOCHINA BORDER FOR AN INSPECTION TOUR.
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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 17-(AP)-DR. V.K. WELLINGTON KOO LEFT BY PLANE TODAY FOR HIS POST IN WASHINGTON AS NATIONALIST CHINESE AMBASSADOR. HE CARRIED DETAILED REQUESTS FOR AMERICAN MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID. HE HOPES TO SEE GENERAL MACARTHUR IN TOKYO ENROUTE.
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OTTAWA, AUG.17-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY MORE THAN 5,000 MEN HAVE ENLISTED IN CANADA'S SPECIAL FORCE FOR KOREA. RECRUITING FOR THE UNIT BEGAN EIGHT DAYS AGO.
THAT IS THE NUMBER NEEDED FOR A BRIGADE GROUP SUCH AS THE ONE CANADA IS MUSTERING, BUT DEFENSE MINISTER BROOKE CLAXTON HAS SAID RECRUITING WILL CONTINUE FOR REINFORCEMENTS. A TARGET OF AT LEAST 8,000 MEN IS BELIEVED TO BE THE OFFICIAL AIM.
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FIRST LEAD DESTROYER (A67)
HALIFAX, N.S., AUG.17-(AP)-THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY SAID TODAY IT HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF A FOREIGN DESTROYER OPERATING OFF THE CANADIAN EAST COAST. THE STATEMENT WAS MADE AFTER THE HALIFAX CHRONICLE-HERALD REPORTED THE NAVY WAS KEEPING A "CLOSE WATCH" ON SUCH A DESTROYER SIGHTED OFF HALIFAX YESTERDAY.
THE STATEMENT SAID THE ROYAL NAVY SLOOP SNIPE IS PAYING A SERIES OF COURTESY CALLS AT VARIOUS MARITIME PORTS AND MAY HAVE BEEN MISTAKEN FOR AN UNKNOWN DESTROYER.
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NIGHT LEAD U.N.
BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.17-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES INSISTED TODAY THAT ANY UNITED NATIONS PEACE PROGRAM FOR KOREA MUST IINCLUDE AMONG ITS OBJECTIVES CREATION OF A UNIFIED AND INDEPENDENT COUNTRY.
THIS DECLARATION, COMING IN THE MIDST OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT, WAS INTERPRETED BY SOME DIPLOMATS AS A HINT THAT THE UNIFIED COMMAND MIGHT KEEP ON DRIVING PAST THE 38TH PARALLEL AND OCCUPY ALL KOREA ONCE IT STARTED THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS ON THE RUN.
CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN, HOWEVER, AVOIDED ANY DIRECT REFERENCE TO THIS POSSIBILITY IN OUTLINING THE U.S. PEACE AIMS BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL.
AUSTIN SAID THE PRIMARY OBJECTIVE, OF COURSE, MUST BE THE CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES. HE ADDED THAT THIS MUST BE DONE IN SUCH A MANNER "THAT NO OPPORTUNITY IS PROVIDED FOR ANOTHER ATTEMPT AT INVASION."
THIS ALSO WAS SEEN BY SOME AS A SUGGESTION THAT THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES MUST BE LIQUIDATED.
"ANOTHER OBJECTIVE," AUSTIN SAID, "IS TO PROVIDE A DEMONSTRATION OF UNITED NATIONS ACHIEVEMENT IN REGARD TO KOREA THAT WILL DETER AND PREVENT AGGRESSION ANYWHERE."
THE UNITED STATES DELEGATE SPOKE AFTER A 90-MINUTE CLOSED-DOOR SESSION AT WHICH THE 11-NATION COUNCIL AGAIN FAILED TO BREAK ITS PROCEDURAL DEADLOCK OVER THE SEATING OF KOREAN REPRESENTATIVES. THE CLOSED MEETING WAS CALLED BY RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK, COUNCIL PRESIDENT FOR THIS MONTH. ANOTHER PRIVATE MEETING WILL BE HELD MONDAY.

AUSTIN APPEALED DIRECTLY TO RUSSIA TO CALL OFF THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS. HE SAID IF RUSSIA WANTS PEACE IN KOREA, IT CAN HAVE IT AND IF RUSSIA WANTS TO END THE FIGHTING, IT CAN END IT.
"IF NOW, THE SOVIET UNION WOULD EXERCISE ITS INFLUENCE, THE BREACH OF THE PEACE WOULD BE ENDED FORTHWITH," AUSTIN SAID. "IF NOW, THE SOVIET UNION WOULD DECIDE TO RESPECT THE INDEPENDENCE OF ITS NEIGHBORS AND LIVE IN TRUE FRIENDLINESS WITH THE REST OF THE WORLD, IF IT WOULD PROVE ITS WORDS BY DEEDS, THE FEAR THAT NOW GRIPS THE WORLD WOULD DISAPPEAR."

MALIK SAID HE HAD LISTENED CAREFULLY TO AUSTIN'S SPEECH, BUT FOUND NOTHING NEW IN IT. HE SAID AUSTIN TALKED ABOUT OBJECTIVES IN KOREA BUT THAT "IS ONLY TO DIVERT PUBLIC OPINION FROM WHAT IS TAKING PLACE IN KOREA TODAY."
"BLOOD IS BEING SPILLED," MALIK SAID. "WOMEN, OLD MEN ARE DYING, PEACEFUL TOWNS ARE BARBAROUSLY BOMBARDED. TENS OF THOUSANDS OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS ARE DYING IN KOREA. THE PRESS HAS REPORTS WHICH SHOW THEY DON'T KNOW WHAT THEY ARE DYING FOR."
THEN REFERRING TO AUSTIN'S STATEMENT ON UNIFYING KOREA, MALIK SAID THIS MAKES IT CLEAR THE UNITED STATES WANTS TO EXTEND THE SCOPE OF THE WAR.
"HOW CAN WE TALK ABOUT UNIFYING KOREA, HOLDING ELECTIONS AND SO FORTH WITHOUT HAVING HEARD THE REPRESENTATIVES OF BOTH SIDES IN KOREA?" MALIK ASKED.

MALIK ALSO REJECTED AN APPEAL BY AUSTIN TO USE HIS INFLUENCE TO CALL OFF THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS AND END THE WAR.
HE SAID EVERYBODY KNOWS THE SOVIET UNION'S INFLUENCE, BUT "IT WILL NOT USE ITS INFLUENCE IN THE AMERICAN WAY, THE WAY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON USES IT WITH (SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT) SYNGMAN RHEE."
AUSTIN HAD THIS TO SAY ABOUT UNIFYING KOREA:
"THE KOREAN PEOPLE EXPECT THAT WHEN THEIR GETHSEMANE HAS PASSED, THEY WILL ALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO FREEDOM AND UNITY.
"KOREA'S PROSPECTS WOULD BE DARK IF ANY ACTION OF THE UNITED NATIONS WERE TO CONDEMN IT TO EXIST INDEFINITELY AS 'HALF SLAVE AND HALF FREE' OR EVEN ONE-THIRD SLAVE AND TWO-THIRDS FREE.
"THE UNITED NATIONS HAS CONSISTENTLY WORKED FOR A UNIFIED COUNTRY, AN INDEPENDENT KOREA. THE UNITED NATIONS WILL NOT WANT TO TURN FROM THAT OBJECTIVE NOW."
DISCUSSION OF INDIA'S NEW "LITTLE SIX" PEACE PROPOSAL WAS SIDETRACKED BY THE NEW ROUND OF SPEECHES, INCLUDING DECLARATIONS BY CUBA,

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NATIONALIST CHINA, YUGOSLAVIA AND NORWAY.
MOST DELEGATES HAVE MADE IT CLEAR THEY WANT MORE TIME TO STUDY THE INDIAN PLAN WHICH WOULD NAME THE SIX ELECTED, NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL AS A SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO STUDY KOREAN PEACE PROPOSALS.
THE UNITED STATES, MEANWHILE, CIRCULATED TO THE DELEGATES ITS SECOND REPORT ON OPERATIONS OF GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S UNIFIED COMMAND. THE REPORT URGED OTHER U.N. MEMBERS TO SPEED UP THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS OF GROUND FORCES TO AID THE UNITED STATES TROOPS AT THE FIGHTING FRONT.
THE COUNCIL WILL HOLD ITS NEXT PUBLIC MEETING AT 2 P.M. (EST) TUESDAY.
CUBA'S ALBERTO I. ALVAREZ OPENED THE PUBLIC MEETING BY ASSAILING MALIK VIGOROUSLY FOR THE WAY HE HAS CONDUCTED HIMSELF AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT. ALVAREZ SAID MALIK HAD ENDED RUSSIA'S SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT OF THE U.N. WITH THE SOLE IDEA OF AIDING THE AGGRESSORS.
THE CUBAN DELEGATE SAID MALIK HAD COME BACK TO THE COUNCIL WITH A PEACE PLAN "BUILT IN THE IMAGE OF MOSCOW."
"YOU HAVE TAKEN UP THE PRESIDENCY OF THE COUNCIL," ALVAREZ SAID, "WITH THE PREMEDITATED PURPOSE OF MAKING IT A SERVANT OF RUSSIA."
YUGOSLAV DELEGATE ALES BEBLER TOLD THE COUNCIL HE "WARMLY WELCOMED" THE INDIAN INTIATIVE IN TRYING TO BRING ABOUT A KOREAN SETTLEMENT.
HE SAID HIS GOVERNMENT'S POLICY WAS NOT TO TAKE SIDES IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT. BUT HE ADDED THAT HE FELT THE ONLY WAY OUT OF THE PRESENT COUNCIL IMPASSE TO BE "ALONG NEW LINES, ALONG SUCH LINES AS WOULD CONSTITUTE A BOLD DEPARTURE FROM THE VICIOUS CIRCLE IN WHICH WE SEEM TO BE MOVING."
NATIONALIST CHINA'S T.F. TSIANG OPENED UP HIS SPEECH BY DECLARING THAT MALIK HAD FOR THE LAST TWO WEEKS TAKEN THE COUNCIL "FOR A RIDE ON A MERRY-GO-ROUND, OR RATHER IN A MISERY-GO-ROUND."
HE SAID THAT THE U.N. ACTION TO HALT AGGRESSION WAS THE ONLY HOPE FOR KOREA, AND THAT IT WOULD "AFFORD THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD, PARTICULARLY THE PEOPLES OF ASIA, THE ONLY HOPE OF SALVATION FROM MOSCOW'S ENSLAVEMENT."
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SECOND LEAD DAY U.N.
BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.17-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TOLD THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY IT MUST NOT BE CONTENT WITH DRIVING THE COMMUNIST INVADERS FROM SOUTH KOREA BUT MUST WORK FOR A FREE AND UNIFIED GOVERNMENT FOR THE WHOLE COUNTRY.
THAT HAS ALWAYS BEEN THE OBJECTIVE OF THE U.N. AND IT WILL NOT WANT TO TURN FROM THEIR OBJECTIVE NOW, CHIEF U.S.DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN SAID.
AUSTIN ADDRESSED THE 11-NATION SECURITY COUNCIL SHORTLY AFTER THAT BODY FAILED IN A CLOSED-DOOR SESSION TO END ITS PROCEDURAL DEADLOCK OVER THE KOREAN PROBLEM.
HE APPEALED DIRECTLY TO RUSSIA TO CALL OFF THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN FORCES AND PROVE BY DEEDS THAT ITS PROFESSED DESIRES FOR PEACE ARE GENUINE.
AUSTIN DID NOT MAKE ANY DIRECT REFERENCE TO THE MUCH-DISCUSSED QUESTION AS TO WHETHER THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES SHOULD STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL ONCE THEY STARTED THE COMMUNISTS BACK INTO THEIR OWN TERRITORY. HIS REFERENCES TO A UNIFIED GOVERNMENT, HOWEVER, WERE INTERPRETED BY SOME AS A HINT IN THIS DIRECTION.

AUSTIN SAID THAT IF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT WANTS PEACE IN KOREA, IT CAN HAVE PEACE; IF IT WANTS TO END THE FIGHTING, IT CAN END THE FIGHTING.
HE ADDED:
"IF NOW, THE SOVIET UNION WOULD EXERICSE ITS INFLUENCE, THE BREACH OF THE PEACE WOULD BE ENDED FORTHWITH. IF NOW, THE SOVIET UNION WOULD DECIDE TO RESPECT THE INDEPENDENCE OF ITS NEIGHBORS AND LIVE IN TRUE FRIENDLINESS WITH THE REST OF THE WORLD, IF IT WOULD PROVE ITS WORDS BY DEEDS, THE FEAR THAT NOW GRIPS THE WORLD WOULD SIAPPEAR."
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BY DEEDS, THE FEAR THAT NOW GRIPS THE WORLD WOULD DISAPPEAR."
AFTER THE 90-MINUTE PRIVATE MEETING CALLED BY RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK, PRESIDENT FOR THIS MONTH, THE DELEGATES WENT INTO THEIR PREVIOUSLY SCHEDULED PUBLIC SESSION AND CONTINUED THEIR GENERAL STATEMENTS ON THE KOREAN PROBLEM.
AUSTIN MADE IT CLEAR THAT REGARDLESS OF RUSSIA'S ATTITUDE, THS UNITED STATES AND MOST OF THE OTHER U.N. MEMBERS ARE IN THE KOREAN FIGHT TO STAY UNTIL THEY HAVE ESTABLISHED A PEACEFUL, UNIFIED COUNTRY.

MALIK OPENED THE PUBLIC MEETING BY ANNOUNCING THAT THE DELEGATES HAD HAD AN UNOFFICIAL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON QUESTIONS THAT HAVE ARISEN AT PREVIOUS MEETINGS. HE SAID IT WAS CONSIDERED ADVISABLE THAT THE PRIVATE CONSULTATIONS CONTINUE.
U.N. OFFICIALS SAID THE NEXT CLOSED MEETING WOULD BE HELD MONDAY AFTERNOON.
MOST OF TODAY'S CLOSED MEETING WAS TAKEN UP, DIPLOMATIC QUARTERS SAID, BY A DISCUSSION OF RUSSIA'S DEMANDS FOR SEATING REPRESENTATIVES OF COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA AS WELL AS SOUTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVES.

THERE WERE NO INDICATIONS THAT ANY PROGRESS WAS MADE TOWARD BREAKING THE STALEMATE WHICH DEVELOPED IMMEDIATELY AFTER MALIK TOOK OVER THE COUNCIL PRESIDENCY AUGUST 1.
THE NEW CONSULTATIONS CAME AS THE UNITED STATES SUBMITTED THE SECOND REPORT ON OPERATIONS OF GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S UNIFIED COMMAND IN KOREA. THIS REPORT CALLED UPON OTHER U.N. MEMBERS NOT ONLY T ACT QUICKLY TO SEND MORE GROUND TROOPS TO THE AID OF THE UNITED STATES IN KOREA BUT TO SEND UNITS WHICH WERE ALREADY IN BEING AND READY TO FIGHT.
CUBA'S ALBERTO I.ALVAREZ LED OFF THE DEBATE AT THE PUBLIC SESSION BY ATTACKING MALIK FOR IGNORING COUNCIL RULES AND RUNNING THE COUNCIL'S BUSINESS TO SUIT HIS OWN PURPOSES.
ALVAREZ SAID MALIK HAD ENDED HIS SEVENTH-MONTH BOYCOTT AND RETURNED TO THE COUNCIL WITH A SINGLE IDEA: "TO SERVE THE CAUSE OF THE AGGRESSORS."

ONE DIPLOMAT, WHO ATTENDED THE CLOSED MEETING, SAID MALIK HAD SOUGHT AN AGREEMENT THAT IF THE COUNCIL INVITED THE SOUTH KOREANS TO TAKE PART IN ITS DEBATE IT ALSO WOULD ASK THE NORTH KOREANS AT THE SAME TIME.
THIS INFORMANT SAID THE DISCUSSION REMINDED HIM OF THE MAN WHO COULDN'T AGREE WITH HIS WIFE ON WHERE TO SPEND THEIR VACATION. THE MAN WANTED TO GO TO THE MOUNTAINS, HIS WIFE TO THE SEASHORE. SO THE MAN SAID: "LET'S COMPROMISE AND GO TO THE MOUNTAINS."

DEBATE ON THE REPORT MAY SIDETRACK INDIA'S PLAN TO PRESENT HER POSAL FOR A "LITTLE SIX" PEACE COMMITTEE TO THE COUNCIL TODAY. BESIDES, SEVERAL DELEGATIONS HAVE SAID THEY WANT MORE TIME TO STUDY THE PLAN.
DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES SAID THE MACARTHUR REPORT IS SURE TO TOUCH OFF FIREWORKS IF IT IS ANYTHING LIKE THE PREVIOUS ONE OF JULY 25, WHICH RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK DENOUNCED AS "CRUDE FALSIFICATION."
THERE HAS BEEN NO ADVANCE INFORMATION AS TO THE CONTENT OF THE

REPORT, BUT INFORMANTS SAID IT MAY GIVE SOME EVIDENCE TO BACK UP CHARGES THAT RECENTLY MANUFACTURED SOVIET WAR MATERIALS HAVE BEEN USED BY THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS.

DISPATCHES FROM KOREA THIS WEEK SAID U.N. OBSERVERS HAVE FOUND RUSSIAN MATERIEL STAMPED WITH 1949 AND 1950 DATES LEFT BEHIND BY RETREATING NORTH KOREANS.

MALIK TOLD THE COUNCIL LAST WEEK RUSSIA HAS NOT SUPPLIED ANY ARMS TO NORTH KOREA SINCE 1948.

INDIA'S KOREAN PEACE PROPOSAL HAS EVOKED ONLY CAUTIOUS COMMENT FROM THE DELEGATIONS. SEVERAL BIG POWER REPRESENTATIVES SAID THEY ARE WAITING WORD FROM THEIR HOME GOVERNMENTS. U.S. SPOKESMEN REMAINED SILENT ON WHAT WASHINGTON THOUGHT ABOUT IT.

THE PLAN WOULD TURN THE KOREAN PEACE PROBLEM OVER TO THE SIX ELECTED, NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL--INDIA, ECUADOR, CUBA, NORWAY, EGYPT AND YUGOSLAVIA.

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(LOUISVILLE C.J. ASKED)

U.N.-KOREAN (SEPARATE)

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 17-(AP)-CUBA'S DR. ALBERTO ALVAREZ TODAY ACCUSED SOVIET DELEGATE JAKOB A. MALIK OF RETURNING TO TAKE UP THE PRESIDENCY OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL ONLY TO BECOME THE "DEFENDING LAWYER FOR THE AGGRESSORS."

IN A SPEECH MARKED WITH BITING SARCASM, THE CUBAN REPRESENTATIVE SAID MALIK HAD ENDED THE SEVEN-MONTH RUSSIAN BOYCOTT OF THE UNITED NATIONS WITH THE "SOLE PREMEDIATED PURPOSE OF PLACING THE COUNCIL AT THE SERVICE OF THE SOVIET UNION."

ALVAREZ BRANDED THE PEACE PROPOSALS MALIK BROUGHT WITH HIM TO THE COUNCIL AS "BULT IN THE IMAGE OF MOSCOW."

"IN FACT, SIR," HE SAID, POINTING TO MALIK, "IF WE ARE TO LOOK FOR HISTORIC ANALOGIES WE MIGHT CALL IT 'PAX SOVIETICA.'"

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MALIK LISTENED INTENTLY TO THE CUBAN'S CHARGES AND WROTE FURIOUSLY WHILE ALVAREZ MADE THIS REFERENCE TO THE OLD GERMAN IMPERIAL SLOGAN "PAX GERMANICA."

HE SAID MALIK'S PROPOSAL TO ADMIT A NORTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVE TO SIT IN ON THE COUNCIL'S DISCUSSION OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT REVEALED THE FALSENESS OF THE SOVIET UNION'S "DEMAGOGIC PROPOSALS."

THE SOVIET PROPOSAL, ALVAREZ SAID, WAS IN DIRECT CONTRADICTION TO RUSSIA'S PREVIOUS STAND IN THE COUNCIL WHEN IT REJECTED THE PROPOSAL TO HEAR THE FORMER REPRESENTATIVE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA AFTER THE COMMUNIST COUP D'ETAT IN THAT COUNTRY IN 1948.

THE CUBAN DELEGATE SAID THIS "IRRECONCILABLE DUALISM" WOULD BE PERPLEXING TO WORLD PUBLIC OPINION--"EVEN THAT WORLD PUBLIC OPINION WHICH LISTENS TO YOU (MALIK) FROM BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 2 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, THURSDAY, AUG. 17)

U.N.-MACARTHUR

(ADVANCE) LAKE SUCCESS, AUG 17-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES CALLED UPON OTHER UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS TODAY FOR MORE SPEED IN SENDING GROUND FORCES TO THE KOREAN BATTLE AREA.

IN ITS SEC[illegible]EPORT TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL ON OPERATIONS UNDER GEN. DOUGLAS [illegible]UR'S UNIFIED COMMAND, THE UNITED STATES ALSO URGED THAT MORE ATTE[illegible]SHOULD BE GIVEN TO MILITARY UNITS ALREADY IN EXISTENCE RATH[illegible]TO RECRUITING AND TRAINING SPECIAL UNITS FOR KOREA.

THE REPORT WAS THE FIRST SUBMITTED SINCE RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK BECAME PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL AUG. 1. THE PREVIOUS REPORT WAS SUBMITTED JULY 25. WHILE THE NEW REPORT COVERS OPERATIONS ONLY UP TO JULY 31, INFORMED QUARTERS SAID THE MAJOR CONCLUSIONS STILL HOLD GOOD NOW.

THE REPORT WAS PRESENTED BY CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN, WHO SAID IN HIS CONCLUSION:

"THE INTERNATIONAL CHARACTER OF THE OPERATION IN KOREA HAS RECEIVED IMPORTANT EMPHASIS SINCE THE PREPARATION OF THE LAST REPORT IN THE OFFERS OF COMBAT FORCES MADE BY A NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS. BUT, IT IS MY SINCERE HOPE THAT THE MEMBER NATIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS WILL WITHOUT DELAY BUILD UP THE STRENGTH OF OUR GROUND FORCES.

"TO BRING THE CONFLICT TO A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION QUICKLY, IT IS ESSENTIAL FOR THE MEMBER NATIONS TO ACT SPEEDILY. THE MATERIAL UTILITY OF EACH CONTRIBUTION IS DIRECTLY RELATED TO THE RAPIDITY WITH WHICH IT IS DESPATCHED. URGENT ATTENTION, THEREFORE, SHOULD BE GIVEN TO THE ARRIVAL OF ORGANIZATIONS NOW IN BEING."

THE REPORT SAID:

"AS YET NO ARMY FORCES OF MEMBER NATIONS OTHER THAN THE UNITED STATES HAVE ARRIVED IN KOREA."

IT ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT EIGHT NATIONS ARE NOW REPRESENTED BY NAVAL FORCES AND OTHER ASSISTANCE: AUSTRALIA, CANADA, FRANCE, NETHERLANDS, NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH KOREA, BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES.

"THE GROUND FIGHTING CONTINUES TO BE OF THE MOST SAVAGE CHARACTER," THE REPORT SAID. "THE TENACITY AND VALOR OF OUR HEAVILY OUTNUMBERED FORCES RIVALS THE ALMOST FANATICAL DETERMINATION OF THE ENEMY. THE WHOLE OPERATION HAS ASSUMED THE CHARACTER OF A MAJOR CAMPAIGN IN WHICH ALL UNITED NATIONS COMMAND FORCES ARE CONDUCTING THEMSELVES ADMIRABLY."

THE REPORT GAVE SPECIAL PRAISE TO THE REORGANIZED SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS, SAYING THAT THEIR WITHDRAWALS HAVE BEEN MORE TO PRESERVE CONTINUITY OF THE BATTLE FRONT THAN BECAUSE OF ENEMY PRESSURE.

AUSTIN MADE NO MENTION OF REPORTED SOVIET WEAPONS OF RECENT MANUFACTURE BEING FOUND IN KOREA. MALIK HAS STATED THAT RUSSIA HAS SUPPLIED NO ARMS AND WEAPONS TO NORTH KOREA SINCE 1948, BUT SOME OF THOSE FOUND HAVE RUSSIAN MARKINGS AND THE DATES 1949 AND 1950.

THE REPORT DID REFER, HOWEVER, TO COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA AND ITS EFFECT ON THE INTERNAL SITUATION IN KOREA.

"THE FALSE AND INFLAMMATORY COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA," THE REPORT SAID, "WHICH HAS BEEN SO LARGELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CONTINUING DISUNITY AMONG KOREANS, HAS BECOME AN INCREASING MENACE BECAUSE OF THE DISRUPTION OF NORMAL PRESS AND RADIO FACILITIES IN THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA."

THE REPORT SAID THIS PROPAGANDA WAS BEING COMBATTED BY LEAFLETS AND RADIO BROADCASTS SPONSORED BY THE UNIFIED COMMAND.

THE CLOSED-DOOR SESSION CONVENED PROMPTLY AT 1 P.M.

CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN AND OTHER DELEGATES SAID THEY HAD NO IDEA WHY MALIK CALLED THE MEETING. MALIK HIMSELF REFUSED TO COMMENT.

ONE OF HIS AIDES, SEMYON K.TSARAPKIN, SMILED WHEN ASKED WHAT THE MYSTERY WAS ALL ABOUT.

"I DON'T KNOW," HE SHRUGGED.

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NEW YORK, AUG.17-(AP)-RESOLUTIONS URGING THE U.S.GOVERNMENT TO "CHECK THE TREASONABLE ACTIVITIES OF COMMUNIST AGENTS" AND ESTABLISH "DIPLOMATIC AND TRADE RELATIONS" WITH FRANCO SPAIN WERE ADOPTED TODAY BY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.
THE FINAL SESSION OF THE CATHOLIC MEN'S ORGANIZATION WAS BEHIND CLOSED DOORS, BUT A SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS THE CONVENTION HAD CALLED UPON NATIONAL LEADERS TO:
"TAKE EVERY NECESSARY STEP TO CHECK THE TREASONABLE ACTIVITIES OF THE COMMUNIST AGENTS AND THEIR SYMPATHIZERS, ESPECIALLY WHEN THESE ATTEMPT TO SHIELD THEMSELVES WITH THE IMMUNITIES AND RIGHTS PROVIDED IN OUR CONSTITUTION FOR THE PROTECTION OF LOYAL AMERICAN CITIZENS AND NEVER INTENDED FOR THE SOLACE OF TRAITORS AND CONSPIRATORS AGAINST OUR FREEDOM."
PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND CONGRESS WERE URGED TO:
"ACCORD TO THE GOVERNMENT OF FRANCO SPAIN THE CONSIDERATION AND COOPERATION, IN DIPLOMATIC AND TRADE RELATIONS, THAT IS ACCORDED TO OTHER FRIENDLY NATIONS--AND EVEN SOME OF DOUBTFUL FRIENDSHIP--AND TO PUT AN END TO THE UNJUST AND CAPRICIOUS OSTRACISM OF A PROVEN AND VALUABLE ALLY IN OUR RESISTANCE TO COMMUNIST AGGRESSION."
THE RESOLUTION SAID THAT UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF GENERALISSIMO FRANCISCO FRANCO, SPAIN HAD "SUCCESSFULLY RESISTED THE ATTEMPT OF THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT TO REDUCE IT, BY TREACHERY AND FORCE OF ARMS, TO THE STATUS OF A COMMUNIST PUPPET STATE."
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NEW YORK, AUG.17-(AP)-FEDERAL JUDGE SAMUEL H.KAUFMAN TODAY SCHEDULED THE TREASON TRIAL OF JOHN DAVID PROVOO, FORMER ARMY SERGEANT, FOR OCT.16.
THE 33-YEAR-OLD FORMER CALIFORNIAN WAS TO HAVE BEEN TRIED AUG.14 ON CHARGES THAT HE WENT OVER TO THE JAPANESE AFTER HIS CAPTURE ON CORREGIDOR AT THE OUTSET OF WORLD WAR 11. BUT LEGAL ARGUMENTS FORCED A DELAY.
JUDGE KAUFMAN ALSO DENIED A MOTION TO TAKE AFFIDAVITS FROM WITNESSES IN THE FAR EAST ON BEHALF OF ROVOO. HE SAID HE MIGHT CHANGE HIS MIND, HOWEVER, IF THE DEFENSE CAN SHOW THAT THE AFFIDAVITS WOULD HELP PROVOO.
THE FORMER ARMY SERGEANT WAS ARRESTED LAST SEPT.2.
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NEW YORK, AUG. 17-(AP)-A FORMER U.S. ARMY GENERAL WHO SERVED IN THE PERSIAN GULF AREA IN WORLD WAR 2 SAID TODAY ON HIS RETURN FROM THE MIDDLE EAST THAT THE RUSSIANS COULD OVERRUN IRAN IN THREE WEEKS.
BRIG.GEN.THEODORE M.OSBORNE, U.S.A., RET., SAID ONE POSSIBLE AVENUE OF SOVIET AGGRESSION MIGHT BE IN THE DIRECTION OF THE MIDDLE EAST OIL FIELDS WHERE HE ESTIMATED THERE WAS "MORE OIL UNDERGROUND THAN IN THE WHOLE UNITED STATES."
OSBORNE, NOW MANAGER OF THE CHEMICAL DEPARTMENT OF KOPPERS COMPANY, PITTSBURGH COKE AND CHEMICAL FIRM, RETURNED ON THE LINER AMERICA. HE SPENT TWO WEEKS IN TURKEY SUPERVISING CONSTRUCTION OF PORT AND COAL MINING FACILITIES AT ZONGLAK.
OSBORNE COMMANDED THE NINTH PORT PERSIAN GULF COMMAND IN THE LAS
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B21 HKUP (110)
NEW YORK, AUG.17-(AP)-HARRY GOLD, CONFESSED MEMBER OF A SOVIET ATOM SPY RING, WAS QUESTIONED BY GOVERNMENTOFFICIALS HERE YESTERDAY AFTER BEING BROUGHT FROM A PHILADELPHIA PRISON.
U.S. OFFICIALS REFUSED TO DISCUSS THE QUESTIONING, OR COMMENT ON REPORTS OF NEW INDICTMENTS EXPECTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE RUSSIAN SPY NETWORK.
GOLD HAS PLEADED GUILTY TO CARRYING ATOM SECRETS FOR A SPY RING INVOLVING BRITISH ATOMIC SCIENTIST DR.KLAUS FUCHS. FUCHS IS SERVING A PRISON TERM FOR ESPIONAGE.
MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ, 34, ONE OF SIX AMERICANS WHO HAVE BEEN LINKED WITH GOLD, WAS RELEASED YESTERDAY IN $25,000 BAIL POSTED BY A SISTER, CLARE MOSKOWITZ, OF (772 BOULEVARD) BAYONNE, N.J.
MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ AND HER EMPLOYER, ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, A CHEMICAL ENGINEER, ARE ACCUSED OF CONSPIRING WITH GOLD TO GIVE FALSE INFORMATION TO A FEDERAL GRAND JURY.
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NEW YORK, AUG.17-(AP)-THE NEW YORK TIMES SAYS IN A DISPATCH FROM LAKE FOREST,ILL., THAT THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF COMMUNITY CHURCHES A NEW ENTITY IN PROTESTANTISM COMBINING BOTH WHITE AND NEGRO COMMUNICANTS, WAS CREATED THERE TODAY.
THE COUNCIL WAS FORMED THROUGH A MERGER OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF COMMUNITY CHURCHES AND THE BIENNIAL COUNCIL OF COMMUNITY CHURCHES, THE DISPATCH SAID.
IT SAID THE REV. J.R. HOWE, MINISTER OF THE FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH OF JOPLIN, MO., WAS ELECTED FIRST PRESIDENT.
THE NATIONAL COUNCIL, ESTABLISHED IN 1946, EMBRACES 200 CHURCHES WITH WHITE COMMUNICANTS. THE 27-YEAR-OLD BIENNIAL COUNCIL IS COMPOSED OF MORE THAN 100 NEGRO CHURCHES.
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NEW YORK, AUG.17-(AP)-CONGRESS WAS URGED TODAY TO PASS A LAW FOR COMPULSORY MILITARY TRAINING FOR ALL ABLE-BODIED YOUTHS TO HELP MEET AGGRESSION IN KOREA OR ELSEWHERE.
THE APPEAL CAME IN A RESOLUTION FROM THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY COMMITT OF THE NATIONAL MILITARY TRAINING CAMPS ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES. THE COMMITTEE IS HEADED BY MAJ.GEN. JULIUS OCHS ADLER, VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.
COPIES OF THE RESOLUTION WERE SENT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN, CONGRESSION AND ADMINISTRATION LEADERS AND TO THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF.
THE APPEAL FOLLOWED BY A DAY A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT REQUEST TO CONGRESS TO PASS A STANDBY UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING LAW COVERING YOUTHS FROM 17 TO 20 YEARS OLD.
THE EMERGENCY COMMITTEE SAID THE KOREAN WAR HAS NECESSITATED "THE IMMEDIATE EXPANSION OF THE ARMED FORCES BY AN EXTENSION OF THE SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT AND THE AUTHORIZATION OF CALLS THEREUNDER."
A SHORTAGE OF TRAINED SOLDIERS IS HANDICAPPING AMERICAN OPERATIONS IN ASIA AND IS EXPOSING "PARTIALLY TRAINED MEN TO CASUALTIES THAT MIGH HAVE BEEN AVOIDED IF A PROPER SYSTEM OF UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING HAD BEEN IN OPERATION," THE COMMITTEE SAID.
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B20 HKUP (350)
NEW YORK, AUG.17-(AP)-COUNSEL FOR THE ELEVEN TOP U.S. COMMUNIST LEADERS CONTENDS THAT AN APPEALS COURT RULING UPHOLDING THEIR CONVICTION CONTRIBUTED TO "ACCELERATION OF A DRIVE FOR A THIRD WORLD WAR."
DEFENSE COUNSEL MADE THE CHARGE YESTERDAY IN FILING A PETITION FOR A RE-HEARING BEFORE THE SECOND U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS.
THE COURT RECENTLY UPHELD CONVICTION OF THE RED LEADERS ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRACY TO ADVOCATE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT.
TODAY, DEFENSE COUNSEL WILL FILE MOTIONS FOR CONTINUATION OF BAIL FOR THE DEFENDANTS, AND FOR A STAY OF EXECUTION OF HEM

FOR THE DEFENDANTS, AND FOR A STAY OF EXECUTION OF THEIR PRISON SENTENCES IF THE PETITION FOR A RE-HEARING IS DENIED, PENDING A FINAL APPEAL TO THE U.S. SUPREME COURT.
AT THE SAME TIME, THE DEFENSE LAWYERS WILL FILE PAPERS OPPOSING THE GOVERNMENT'S MOVE TO HAVE TEN OF THE ELEVEN COMMUNISTS JAILED IMMEDIATELY AS MENACES TO THE NATIONAL SECURITY.
A COURT ORDER, OBTAINED LAST SATURDAY NIGHT, REQUIRED THE DEFENSE TO SHOW CAUSE TODAY WHY BAIL FOR THE TEN SHOULD NOT BE REVOKED IN VIEW OF THE WAR CRISIS.
ONE OF THE ELEVEN DEFENDANTS--EUGENE DENNIS, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY--IS IN JAIL FOR A YEAR IN WASHINGTON, D.C., FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS. THE TEN OTHERS ARE FREE IN BAIL RANGING FROM $20,000 TO $30,000 EACH PENDING APPEALS.
YESTERDAY'S APPEAL FOR A RE-HEARING WAS FILED BY ABRAHAM J.ISSERMAN, ONE OF THE DEFENSE LAWYERS, ON THE LAST DAY ALLOWED FOR SUCH A MOVE.
THE PETITION SAID THE APPEALS COURT'S OPINION UPHOLDING THE CONVICTIONS "CANNOT BE DIVORCED FROM THE KOREAN HOSTILITIES AND THE GROWING INTERNATIONAL TENSIONS WHICH PRECEDED IT."
"THE OPINION," THE PETITION SAID, "SILENCES APPELLANTS (THE DEFENDANTS) NOT WITH RESPECT TO THE ADVOCACY OF ABSTRACT POLITICAL DOCTRINE, BUT IN CONNECTION WITH THE VITAL ISSUES OF THE DAY AND OF THE HOUR--ISSUES OF WAR AND PEACE WHICH INVOLVE THE FUTURE OF ALL MANKIND.
"VIEWED AS WE MUST VIEW IT AGAINST THE BACKGROUND OF POLITICAL REALITY, THE TRUE EFFECT OF THIS DECISION IS TO SILENCE THE OPPOSITION TO WAR AND TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE ACCELERATION OF A DRIVE FOR A THIRD WORLD WAR."
TEN OF THE ELEVEN DEFENDANTS WERE SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS IN PRISON, AND ONE TO THREE YEARS. ALL WERE FINED $10,000 EACH.
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NIGHT LEAD INDICTMENT (420)
NEW YORK, AUG. 17-(AP)-A FORMER RUSSIAN VICE-CONSUL IN NEW YORK, ANATOLI H.YAKOLEV, WAS INDICTED TODAY ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRING TO SPY FOR ATOM BOMB SECRETS. HE IS BELIEVED TO BE IN RUSSIA NOW.
NO SPECIFIC OVERT ACTS BY HIM WERE MENTIONED IN THE INDICTMENT HANDED UP BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY WHICH INDICTED MR.AND MRS.JULIUS ROSENBERG OF NEW YORK ON THE SAME CHARGES.
U.S.ATTORNEY IRVING H.SAYPOL SAID THE THREE CONSPIRED WITH HARRY GOLD, CONFESSED ATOM SPY FOR RUSSIA; DAVID GREENGLASS, MRS.ROSENBERG'S BROTHER AND RUTH GREENGLASS, DAVID'S WIFE.
"IN THE MAIN," SAYPOL SAID, THE CONSPIRACY "CENTERED AROUND A PLOT TO OBTAIN SECRETIVE AND CLASSIFIED DATA AND INFORMATION CONCERNING THE ATOM BOMB PROJECT AT LOS ALAMOS, N.MEX."
THE THREE, IF CONVICTED, ARE SUBJECT TO THE DEATH PENALTY. GOLD AND THE GREENGLASSES ARE NAMED AS CO-CONSPIRATORS, BUT NOT AS DEFENDANTS.
"AFTER GOLD WAS ARRESTED," SAYPOL SAID, "THE ROSENBERGS TRIED TO SWAY THE GREENGLASSES TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY HURRIEDLY AND FLEE TO RUSSIA. THE ROSENBERGS WERE PREPARING TO LEAVE WHEN JULIUS ROSENBERG WAS ARRESTED. THE AVAILABLE EVIDENCE INDICATES THAT THE ROSENBERGS WERE ACTIVE IN RECRUITING ESPIONAGE AGENTS FOR THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT."
ROSENBERG, 33, WAS ARRESTED JULY 17, AND HIS WIFE, 35, ON AUG. 11. EACH IS HELD IN $100,000 BAIL. THEY HAVE TWO SONS, THREE AND SEVEN YEARS OLD.
THE INDICTMENT CHARGED THAT BEGINNING ABOUT NOV. 1, 1944, AND UP UNTIL AS RECENTLY AS LAST JUNE 16 THE ROSENBERGS AND YAKOVLEV, ALSO KNOWN AS "JOHN," CONSPIRED WITH THE GREENGLASSES AND GOLD AND OTHER PERSONS UNKNOWN TO THE JURY.
EXACTLY HOW THE GRAND JURY THREADED THE ALLEGED PLOT TOGETHER WAS NOT CLEAR FROM THE INDICTMENT. BUT IT DID CHARGE THESE OVERT ACTS:
THE ROSENBERGS CONFERRED WITH RUTH GREENGLASS ON NOV. 15, 1944, AND FIVE DAYS LATER ROSENBERG GAVE HER AN UNDISCLOSED SUM OF MONEY "IN PURSUANCE OF SAID CONSPIRACY AND TO EFFECT THE OBJECTS THEREOF." THAT SAME DAY MRS.GREENGLASS BOARDED A TRAIN FOR NEW MEXICO.
ON DEC. 10 ROSENBERG RECEIVED FROM MRS.GREENGLASS "A PAPER CONTAINING WRITTEN INFORMATION."
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ON JAN. 5, 1945, THE ROSENBERGS MET WITH THE GREENGLASSES AND ROSENBERG GAVE MRS.GREENGLASS "A PORTION OF THE SIDE OF A TORN CARDBOARD 'JELLO' BOX." THERE WAS NO FURTHER EXPLANATION IN THE INDICTMENT.
HOWEVER, THE FBI ANNOUNCED WHEN ROSENBERG WAS ARRESTED THAT EARLY 1945 HE GAVE GREENGLASS ONE HALF OF AN IRREGULARLY CUT JELLO BOX TOP. THE OTHER HALF, THE FBI SAID, WAS GIVEN TO GREENGLASS BY GOLD IN ALBUQUERQUE,N.MEX., AS A MEANS OF IDENTIFYING GOLD TO GREENGLASS.
THE FBI ANNOUNCEMENT SAID, "GREENGLASS WAS PAID $500 BY GOLD WHO OBTAINED IT FROM HIS SOVIET SUPERIOR, ANATOLI YAKOVLEV, VICE CONSUL OF THE SOVIET CONSULATE IN NEW YORK CITY."
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A24 (130)
NEW YORK, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES LINES HAS PLACED AN EMBARGO ON ALL RUSSIAN SHIPMENTS AFTER BOSTON LONGSHOREMEN REFUSED TO UNLOAD ONE OF ITS VESSELS CARRYING $350,000 WORTH OF SOVIET CRABMEAT.
ON MONDAY NEW YORK CITY STEVEDORES REFUSED TO UNLOAD A $250,000 CRAB MEAT CARGO FROM THE CUNARD LINER PARTHIA. THE LONGSHOREMEN THEN ADOPTED A RESOLUTION NOT TO HANDLE GOODS COMING FROM RUSSIA.
YESTERDAY, AFL LONGSHOREMEN IN BOSTON WOULD NOT TAKE OFF THE $350,000 CARGO FROM THE U.S. LINES' S.S. AMERICAN MANUFACTURER. THE SHIP IS EN ROUTE TO NEW YORK WITH THE CRABMEAT STILL ABOARD, BUT A COMPANY OFFICIAL SAID:
"THE UNITED STATES LINES KNOWINGLY WILL NOT HANDLE HENCEFORTH ANY CARGO OUT OF OR TO SOVIET RUSSIA DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY."
BOTH CUNARD AND U.S. LINES OFFICIALS SAID THE CRABMEAT WILL BE RETURNED TO ENGLAND. THE BRITISH GOT THE SEA FOOD IN A TRADE AGREEMENT WITH RUSSIA.
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KOREA-MILITARY (330)
WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-THE NAVY, WHICH ALREADY HAS CARRIED 40,000 MEN AND 500,000 TONS OF MILITARY CARGO TO THE FAR EAST SINCE WAR BROKE OUT IN KOREA, SAYS THE UNITED STATES HAS ENOUGH SHIPS TO SUPPLY FIGHTING FORCES THERE.
ENOUGH SHIPS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE ACTIVE AND RESERVE FLEETS, A SPOKESMAN SAID YESTERDAY, TO HANDLE EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES FOR ALL U.S.FORCES IN THE KOREAN THEATER. HE ADDED THAT A WORLD-WIDE WAR WOULD CALL FOR MORE MERCHANT TYPE SHIPS.
AT A PENTAGON NEWS CONFERENCE, A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID ITS SHIPS

HAVE DELIVERED 2,000,000 BARRELS OF PETROLEUM TO THE KOREAN AREA TO MEET "EXCEEDINGLY HIGH" DEMANDS.

THE NAVY SAID 85 PERCENT OF MEN AND SUPPLIES MOVED ACROSS THE PACIFIC HAVE GONE BY THE MILITARY SEA TRANSPORT SERVICE, WHICH THE NAVY OPERATES. OTHERS WENT BY COMBAT SHIP OR AIRLIFT.

THE NAVY WAS ALSO REPORTED AS FURNISHING SOME SUPPLIES TO BRITISH, DUTCH AND CANADIAN WARSHIPS OPERATING IN KOREAN WATERS.

THE U.S. SUPPLY FLEET IN THE PACIFIC HAS BEEN EXPANDED BY 230 SHIPS SINCE THE END OF JUNE, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, WITH 194 SHIPS BEING CHARTERED FROM PRIVATE FIRMS.

THE ARMY ANNOUNCED, MEANWHILE, THAT IT IS OPENING 11 ADVANCED REPLACEMENT CENTERS AT EXISTING ARMY POSTS TO SPEED UP SPECIALIZED TRAINING OF SOLDIERS.

ALL ARMY INDUCTEES WILL RECEIVE SIX WEEKS OF BASIC TRAINING AT REPLACEMENT CENTERS IN OPERATION AT THE START OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING OR REACTIVATED SINCE THEN. AFTER THIS BASIC TRAINING, INDUCTEES WILL RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL EIGHT WEEKS OF INTENSIVE WORK AT THE SPECIALIZED CENTERS.

SPECIALIZED TRAINING, IN ADDITION TO THEIR CURRENT OPERATIONS, WILL BE CARRIED ON AT THESE POSTS: ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY AT FORT BLISS, TEXAS; ARTILLERY, FORT SILL, OKLA.; ARMOR, FORT KNOX,KY.; CHEMICAL CORPS, EDGEWOOD ARSENAL,MD.; ENGINEERS, FORT BELVOIR,VA.; MEDICAL CORPS, FORT SAM HOUSTON, TEXAS; ORDNANCE, ABERDEEN, MD., PROVING GROUND; QUARTERMASTER CORPS, FORT LEE,VA.; TRANSPORTATION CORPS, FORT EUSTIS,VA.; SIGNAL CORPS AND MILITARY POLICE CORPS, CAMP GORDON,GA.

THE NAVY, WHICH HAS BEEN RECALLING SOME RESERVE OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN TO DUTY WITH OR WITHOUT THEIR CONSENT, LAST NIGHT NAMED SOME OF THE CLASSIFICATIONS AFFECTED.

IT SAID SUCH RECALL ORDERS HAVE GONE TO OFFICERS IN SUCH LINES AS COMMUNICATIONS, INTELLIGENCE AND ELECTRONICS, AS WELL AS TO SOME IN THE MEDICAL, DENTAL AND NURSE CORPS RESERVES. ENLISTED PERSONNEL, THE NAVY SAID, IS BEING RECALLED FOR GENERAL ASSIGNMENT BY NAVAL DISTRICT COMMANDERS.

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KOREA-TROOPS

WASHINGTON,AUG.17-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN, TACITLY ACCEPTING AN OFFER OF PHILIPPINE TROOPS TO FIGHT IN KOREA, EXPRESSED PRIDE TODAY THAT SOLDIERS OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE ISLAND REPUBLIC "WILL AGAIN STAND SHOULDER TO SHOULDER AGAINST THE FORCES OF AGGRESSION."

HIS STATEMENT WAS IN A MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO THANKING HIM FOR PLACING A REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AT THE DISPOSAL OF GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR.

A REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM ORDINARILY NUMBERS 4,000 TO 5,000 MEN.

ONLY YESTERDAY, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON ANNOUNCED THE UNITED STATES HAD ACCEPTED AN OFFER FROM THAILAND TO PUT 4,000 MEN ON THE FIGHTING FRONT IN KOREA.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TO THE PHILIPPINE PRESIDENT SAID:

"I AM DEEPLY GRATEFUL FOR YOUR MESSAGE ANNOUNCING THAT THE REPULIC OF THE PHILIPPINES HAS PLACED AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA A REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE PHILIPPINES, AND I AM PROUD THAT THE SOLDIERS OF OUR TWO NATIONS WILL AGAIN STAND SHOULDER TO SHOULDER AGAINST THE FORCES OF AGGRESSION."

THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SAID DETAILS ON USE OF THE PHILIPPINE TROOPS ARE STILL TO BE WORKED OUT.

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NAVY KOREA

WASHINGTON,AUG.17-(AP)-THE NAVY REPORTED TODAY THAT ALLIED WARSHIPS HAVE RANGED UP THE SEA OF JAPAN TOWARD FAR NORTH KOREA AND BOMBARDED SHORE TARGETS.

A SPOKESMAN SAID THE TARGETS WERE ON THE EAST COAST AND NORTH OF THE 40TH PARALLEL, BUT GAVE NO OTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THEM. THE KOREAN PROVINCES ABOVE THE PARALLEL ADJOIN MANCHURIA.

AT A PENTAGON BRIEFIN

SHORE TARGETS.

A SPOKESMAN SAID THE TARGETS WERE ON THE EAST COAST AND NORTH OF THE 40TH PARALLEL, BUT GAVE NO OTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THEM. THE KOREAN PROVINCES ABOVE THE PARALLEL ADJOIN MANCHURIA.

AT A PENTAGON BRIEFING, THE NAVY ALSO SUPPLIED FURTHER DETAILS ABOUT THE SEA RESCUE OF SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS SURROUNDED BY COMMUNISTS IN THE YONGDOK-POHANG AREA. DISPATCHES FROM TOKYO HAD TOLD OF THE EVACUATION AND IDENTIFIED THE TROOPS AS THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD INFANTRY DIVISION.

THE NAVY SAID BOTH SURFACE CRAFT AND A HELICOPTER WERE USED IN THE OPERATION. THE HELICOPTER TOOK OUT SEROUSLY WOUNDED MEN.

THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE CUT OFF BY A COMMUNIST THRUST AROUND THEIR LEFT FLANK. THIS THRUST HAS THREATENED THE AMERICAN-HELD AIR FIELD OUTSIDE POHANG AND CAUSED AIR OPERATIONS FROM IT TO BE HALTED.

THE NAVY SPOKESMAN ALSO REPORTED THAT A NAVY PATROL PLANE ATTACKED A PATROL CRAFT NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, THE LINE SEPARATING NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.

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PMS BUDGET (480)
ATOMIC-KOREAN
BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-THE BOMBING OF MASSED KOREAN COMMUNISTS BY B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES UNDERSCORES SOME OF THE REASONS WHY ATOMIC BOMBS ARE NOT NOW BEING USED IN SUPPORT OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN SOLDIERS.

WITH AROUND 100 B-29S, THE AIR FORCE WAS ABLE TO SPREAD APPROXIMATEL 1,000 TONS OF CONVENTIONAL BOMBS OVER AN AREA IN WHICH NORTH KOREANS WERE CONCENTRATED FOR AN EXPECTED ATTACK.

THE SUPERFORTS' BOMBING RUNS WERE MADE WITHOUT INTERFERENCE BY ENEMY FIGHTERS, SINCE U.S. AND AUSTRALIAN PLANES COMPLETELY CONTROL THE AIR OVER KOREA.

WHETHER THE EXPECTED COMMUNIST ATTACK WILL BE STOPPED INDEFINITELY BY THE SINGLE MASSIVE BOMBING IS A QUESTION.

BUT SHOULD THE COMMUNISTS RECOVER AND REFORM FOR A DRIVE TO CUT THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES IN TWO, THE SUPERFORTS CAN STRIKE AGAIN. THEIR ABILITY TO DO THIS IS LIMITED ONLY BY THE NEED FOR CONTINUING ATTACKS ON MORE DISTANT REINFORCEMENT AND SUPPLY CENTERS, BY THE AMOUNT OF BOMBS THE U.S. HAS IN THE FAR EAST AND ON THE WAY, AND BY CONSIDERATION OF CREW ENDURANCE AND MECHANICAL MAINTENANCE.

IN AN EMERGENCY, NOT ONLY COULD THE B-29S BE USED AGAIN AGAINST TROOPS MASSING FOR AN ATTACK; THEY COULD BE JOINED BY THE HUNDREDS OF LIGHT BOMBERS AND FIGHTER-BOMBERS WHICH THE AIR FORCE, NAVY AND MARINE CORPS ARE OPERATING IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS ALL ALONG THE FRONT.

AIRMEN SAY THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PLANES FLYING IN KOREA IS NOT THE MAXIMUM THAT COULD BE USED EFFECTIVELY THERE. BUT IT IS LARGE ENOUGH TO STRIKE AN ENORMOUS BLOW WITH CONVENTIONAL BOMBS WHEN CONCENTRATED ON A SINGLE TARGET AREA.

UNLESS AND UNTIL THIS CONVENTIONAL STRIKING POWER PROVES INADEQUATE,

THE USE OF ATOMIC BOMBS IS UNLIKELY.
IN THE MASSIVE SUPERFORTRESS BOMBING, THE AREA ATTACKED WAS SEVEN AND A HALF MILES LONG AND THREE AND A HALF WIDE.
TO COVER SUCH AN AREA WITH ATOMIC BLASTS OF FATAL FORCE, IT WOULD TAKE NOT ONE BUT SOMETHING LIKE HALF A DOZEN A-BOMBS OF THE POWER USED AT HIROSHIMA. AUTHORITIES AGREE, HOWEVER, THAT THEY WOULD KILL FAR LARGER NUMBERS THE ENEMY THEN WOULD ORDINARY BOMBS.
FOR SAFETY'S AKE, AMERICAN TROOPS FACING AN AREA UNDER ATOMIC ATTACK WOULD HA TO REMAIN AT A GREATER DISTANCE THAN IF THE ZONE WERE UNDER ATT/ WITH CONVENTIONAL EXPLOSIVES.

SOME AMERICAN AUTHORITIES ALSO ARE FEARFUL THAT USE OF ATOMIC WEAPONS, EVEN AGAINST PURELY MILITARY TARGETS RATHER THAN CITY MASSES, WOULD TEND TO TURN PEOPLE ELSEWHERE IN ASIA AGAINST THIS COUNTRY.
FURTHERMORE, PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS SAID THAT THE USE OF A-BOMBS IN KOREA IS NOT UNDER CONSIDERATION.
BUT IF THE UNITED STATES WERE FIGHTING AN ENEMY THAT HAD CONTROL OF THE AIR, STRONGER ARGUMENTS COULD BE ADVANCED FOR USING THE ATOMIC BOMB AGAINST CRITICAL TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.
IN SUCH A CASE, FAST JET BOMBERS CARRYING THE BOMBS COULD UNDERTAKE INDIVIDUAL SNEAK ATTACKS. THE 600-MILE-AN-HOUR BOEING B-47 MIGHT BE USED ON SUCH MISSIONS. EVEN IF ONLY ONE OR TWO ATOMIC BOMB CARRIERS GOT THROUGH TO THE TARGET, THEY WOULD EXERT AS MUCH DESTRUCTIVE POWER AS A SUBSTANTIAL FORCE OF BOMBERS BATTLING THEIR WAY THROUGH AN ENEMY AIR FORCE WITH CONVENTIONAL EXPLOSIVES.
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A7WX (MI FW)
PMS BUDGET (550)
KOREAN-RUSSIAN
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-MANY OF THE BEST INFORMED AMERICAN OFFICIALS NOW BELIEVE RUSSIA WILL OPENLY GRAB OFF NORTH KOREA--ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL--RATHER THAN LET A VICTORIOUS U.N.RESTORE PEACE AND UNITY TO THE COUNTRY.
IT IS ASSUMED HERE THAT THE PRECISE STEPS TO BE TAKEN HAVE BEEN UNDER NEGOTIATION BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION AND COMMUNIST CHINA. IT IS ALSO ASSUMED THEY WILL ACT JOINTLY WHEN THE TIME COMES.
ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS, HOWEVER, GIVE LITTLE CREDENCE TO REPORTS WHICH HAVE COME MAINLY FROM CHINESE NATIONALIST SOURCES THAT RUSSIAN VICE PREMIER V.M.MOLOTOV HAS BEEN IN PEIPING, RED CHINESE CAPITAL, NEGOTIATING WITH PREMIER MAO TSE TUNG AND OTHER OFFICIALS ON THIS AND RELATED PROBLEMS.
WHETHER MOLOTOV HAS OR HAS NOT BEEN THERE, THE BELIEF OF RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES HERE IS THAT THE SOVIETS AND CHINESE MUST BE DEEPLY INVOLVED IN FATEFUL TALKS AT THIS TIME, CONCERNING NOT ONLY KOREA BUT FORMOSA AND OTHER FAR EASTERN POLITICAL QUESTIONS.
INCREASING EVIDENCE OF THE BUILDUP OF U.N.POWER IN SOUTHERN KOREA, IT IS BELIEVED, MUST NOW GIVE THE RUSSIANS AND THE CHINESE VIRTUAL PROOF OF THE DETERMINATION OF THE U.S. AND OTHER COUNTRIES ASSOCIATED IN THE KOREAN STRUGGLE TO DRIVE THE INVADERS OUT OF THE SOUTH. IN OTHER WORDS, THE RED STRATEGISTS MUST NOW DECIDE WHAT MEANS THEY WILL USE TO DEAL WITH A VICTORIOUS U.N. COALITION IN KOREA WHEREAS UP TO THIS TIME THEY MAY VERY WELL HAVE COUNTED ON A COMMUNIST VICTORY.
FOR THE U.N. THE PROSPECT OF EVENTUAL SUCCESS IN SOUTH KOREA HAS ALREADY RAISED THE QUESTION, THUS FAR UNANSWERED, AS TO WHAT U.N. FORCES SHOULD DO WHEN THEY REACH THE 38TH PARALLEL. SHOULD THEY THEN STOP SHORT ON THE THEORY THAT THE INVADER HAS BEEN DRIVEN OUT OF SOUTH KOREA? OR SHOULD THEY DRIVE ON IN THE BELIEF THAT ONLY BY CRUSHING THE COMMUNIST MILITARY POWER CAN REAL PEACE BE ESTABLISHED IN KOREA?
THERE IS WIDE-SPREAD BELIEF HERE THAT THE LATTER COURSE IS THE ONLY DEFENSIBLE ONE. THIS BELIEF, HOWEVER, IS BASED ON AN ASSUMPTION THAT NEITHER RUSSIA NOR COMMUNIST CHINA WILL BECOME DIRECTLY ENGAGED IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
IF THE RUSSIANS, PERHAPS IN COLLABORATION WITH THE CHINESE REDS, REOCCUPY NORTHERN KOREA WHICH THE SOVIETS LEFT ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO, THE WHOLE PROBLEM FOR THE U.N.POWERS WILL TAKE ON A NEW COLOR. THEY WILL THEN HAVE TO DECIDE WHETHER TO ACCEPT RUSSIAN DOMINATION OF NORTHERN KOREA AS A FACT TO LIVE WITH, OR WHETHER TO TRY TO DRIVE THE RED OCCUPATION FORCES OUT--WHICH WOULD MEAN FIGHTING WITH RUSSIA DIRECTLY AND WHICH APPEARS TO BE AN UNLIKELY COURSE.

INFORMED OFFICIALS BASED THEIR SPECULATION ABOUT RUSSIA'S PROBABLE ACTION ON THE FACT THAT KOREA HAS GREAT STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE IN RELATION TO MANCHURIA AND THE SOVIET PACIFIC PORTS. THEY BELIEVE THAT IF MOSCOW CANNOT DOMINATE THE COUNTRY THROUGH KOREAN COMMUNISTS IT IS DETERMINED TO RULE THE NORTHERN HALF BY OCCUPATION.
SPECULATION OVER SOVIET-CHINESE POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA IS MUCH LESS DEFINITE. MAINLY OFFICIAL WASHINGTON IS TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHY THE CHINESE REDS HAVE NOT ATTACKED THE ISLAND YET--WITH THE PERIOD OF FAVORABLE WEATHER FOR AN AMPHIBIOUS OPERATION ABOUT AT AN END.
ONE LINE OF REASONING IS THAT THE CHINESE REDS WERE NOT ONLY ILL PREPARED TO LAUNCH AN ASSAULT BUT ALSO DID NOT DESIRE TO BECOME ENGAGED IN MORE FIGHTING AT THIS TIME EVEN THOUGH THE RUSSIANS MAY HAVE BEEN URGING THEM TO ACT IN ORDER TO INVOLVE AMERICAN FORCES ON STILL A SECOND FRONT IN THE FAR EAST.
ANOTHER LINE OF SPECULATION IS THAT THE CHINESE REDS HAVE BEEN STRAINING AT THE BIT BUT THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE PREVENTED THEM FROM MAKING AN ATTACK ON FORMOSA BECAUSE THAT WOULD INCREASE THE DANGERS OF BRINGING ON A GENERAL WAR.
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BULLETIN
FIRST LEAD CONGRESS-KOREA
WASHINGTON, AUG.17-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN DENOUNCED TODAY AS "CONTEMPTIBLE" AND "BENEATH COMMENT" A STATEMENT BY REPUBLICAN SENATE LEADER WHERRY THAT THE BLOOD OF AMERICAN DEAD IN KOREA IS ON THE SHOULDERS OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.
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BULLETIN MATTER
WASHINGTON--1ST ADD FIRST LEAD CONGRESS-KOREA X X X ACHESON.
MR.TRUMAN GAVE REPORTERS AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE PERMISSION TO QUOTE DIRECTLY THESE WORDS IN HIS SHARP DENUNCIATION OF THE NEBRASKA SENATOR.
THE PRESIDENT DECLARED IT WAS "A CONTEMPTIBLE STATEMENT AND BENEATH COMMENT."
WHERRY LAID THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SHEDDING OF AMERICAN BLOOD IN KOREA ON ACHESON IN A SENATE SPEECH YESTERDAY.

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THE SENATE SAID ACHESON HAD FOLLOWED A POLICY OF EQUIPPING THE SOUTH KOREANS WITH ONLY POLICE ARMS INSTEAD OF THE MORE POWERFUL MILITARY WEAPONS INTENDED UNDER AID PROGRAMS APPROVED BY CONGRESS.
WHERRY'S SPEECH WAS ONLY ONE OF SEVERAL FROM REPUBLICANS CRITICIZING ADMINISTRATION POLICY IN THE FAR PACIFIC.
TODAY, SENATOR WILEY (R-WIS) CALLED FOR AN ALL-OUT EFFORT TO KEEP THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS OUT OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING.

SAYING THAT THE RUSSIANS HAD "BAITED A TRAP" IN ASIA, THE RANKING ACTIVE REPUBLICAN MEMBER OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE DECLARED IN A STATEMENT:

"THE GREATEST CHALLENGE THAT WE NOW FACE IS TO USE EVERY OUNCE OF DIPLOMATIC STRATEGY THAT WE HAVE IN PREVENTING THE CHINESE RED ARMIES FROM BECOMING INVOLVED WITH US IN A TITANIC STRUGGLE.

"SUCH A STRUGGLE WOULD BLEED US COMPLETELY DRY--BLEED US OF OUR MANPOWER, BLEED US OF OUR ARMS, BLEED US OF OUR ECONOMIC STRENGTH."

THE UNITED STATES, HE SAID, MUST USE ITS FRIENDS IN THE PHILIPPINES, INDIA, CHINA AND ELSEWHERE TO PREVENT THE COMMUNISTS "FROM ATTEMPTING TO STIR UP A RACE WAR AGAINST THE UNITED STATES."

WILEY SAID HE HAD ASKED THE ADMINISTRATION FOR A COMPLETE REPORT ON ITS PLANS TO AVOID TANGLING WITH THE CHINESE REDS IN KOREA AND SOUTHEAST ASIA.

WILEY MADE NO MENTION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ORDER TO THE SEVENTH FLEET TO DEFEND THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA, WHERE THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT IS ENTRENCHED, AGAINST COMMUNIST INVASION.

NEITHER DID HE TAKE NOTE OF REPEATED REPUBLICAN DEMANDS THAT THE UNITED STATES SEND MILITARY SUPPLIES TO THE NATIONALISTS.

SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER WHERRY OF NEBRASKA TOLD THE SENATE YESTERDAY THAT THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SHEDDING OF AMERICAN BLOOD IN KOREA RESTS WITH SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.

HE SAID IT HAD BEEN ACHESON'S POLICY TO EQUIP ONLY A SOUTH KOREAN POLICE FORCE INSTEAD OF SUPPLYING THE LARGER-SCALE MILITARY AID APPROVED BY CONGRESS.

WILEY HIT A SIMILAR NOTE IN BLAMING THE ADMINISTRATION FOR LACK OI MILITARY PREPAREDNESS AND HOME-FRONT ECONOMIC AND DEFENSE PLANNING.

"IN FACT," HE SAID, "ALL WE HAVE IS THE BLUFF AND BLUSTER OF THE INCOMPETENT, UNPREPARED DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATION."

THE WISCONSIN LAWMAKER DEFENDED A STATEMENT ISSUED BY HIMSELF AND THREE OTHER REPUBLICAN FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEEMEN CRITICIZING ADMINISTRATION POLICIES IN THE FAR EAST.

THE STATEMENT, ISSUED LAST WEEKEND AND DENOUNCED BY DEMOCRATS AS "POLITICAL PETTYFOGGING," APPARENTLY HAS ENDED ALL BIPARTISANSHIP IN THE 13-MEMBER COMMITTEE WHICH HAS A MAJOR HAND IN IMPLEMENTING FOREIGN POLICY.

"WE WILL NOT ALLOW THE CLOAK OF NATIONAL UNITY TO BE WRAPPED AROUND HORRIBLE BLUNDERS," WILEY ASSERTED.

WHERRY'S BLAST TODAY WAS SET OFF BY A STATEMENT MADE BY CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE.

TYDINGS TOLD THE SENATE THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS SPENT $495,700,000 ON SOUTH KOREA SINCE WORLD WAR II, AND THAT APPROXIMATELY $56,000,000 OF IT WAS SPECIFICALLY FOR MILITARY USE.

HE SAID HE OBTAINED THE FIGURES FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT TO REPLY TO THE CHARGE THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS SHIPPED ONLY $200 WORTH OF WIRE TO SOUTH KOREA.

THIS CHARGE HAS BEEN MADE BY A NUMBER OF REPUBLICAN LAWMAKERS SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING.

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IN ANOTHER FOREIGN RELATIONS DEVELOPMENT, A BIPARTISAN GROUP OF SENATORS GOT BACK OF A MOVE TO SPUR THE UNITED NATIONS INTO ESTABLISHING A PERMANENT MILITARY POLICE FORCE.

SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) SAID HE WOULD JOIN IN SPONSORING A RESOLUTION ASKING PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO TAKE STEPS TO INITIATE SUCH A MOVE IN THE U.N.

SENATOR MUNDT (R-SD) SAID HE THOUGHT THE RESOLUTION WOULD BE INTRODUCED WITHIN A FEW DAYS.

THE FORCE WOULD BE MADE UP OF VOLUNTEERS FROM NATIONS OTHER THAN THE UNITED STATES, GREAT BRITAIN, FRANCE, RUSSIA AND CHINA.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M., E.S.T., TODAY THURSDAY AUG. 17)
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A118WX (MAC)

(300) WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR SAID TODAY THAT PENDING A PEACE TREATY THERE IS "MUCH MORE APPREHENSION" AMONG THE ALLIED POWERS "OVER THE PROSPECT OF A REARMED AND REMILITARIZED JAPAN THAN THAT AN UNARMED JAPAN MAY FALL PREY TO PREDATORY FORCES BENT UPON FREEDO'S DESTRUCTION."

MACARTHUR MADE THAT COMMENT IN A LETTER REPLYING TO A LETTER FROM HAROLD RUSSELL, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMVETS.

RUSSELL HAD WANTED TO KNOW WHAT THE GENERAL, SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS IN TOKYO, THOUGHT OF THE FEASIBILITY OF REARMING JAPAN.

A SIMILAR INQUIRY WAS ADDRESSED BY RUSSELL TO JOHN J.MCCLOY, U.S. COMMISSIONER FOR GERMANY, ON THE DESIRABILITY OF REARMING GERMANY. SO FAR RUSSELL HAS RECEIVED NO REPLY FROM MCCLOY.

MACARTHUR'S LETTER TO RUSSELL, DATED AUG. 11, AND MADE PUBLIC BY AMVET HEADQUARTERS HERE, SAID:

"ONLY A SEER COULD ANSWER THE QUESTION YOU POSE CONCERNING THE REARMING OF JAPAN, FOR THE ANSWER TRULY LIES IN THE YET UNPREDICTABLE FUTURE.

"SHOULD THE COURSE OF WORLD EVENTS REQUIRE THAT ALL MANKIND STAND TO ARMS IN DEFENSE OF HUMAN LIBERTY AND JAPAN COME WITHIN THE ORBIT OF IMMEDIATELY THREATENED ATTACK, THEN THE JAPANESE TOO SHOULD MOUNT THE MAXIMUM DEFENSIVE POWER WHICH THEIR RESOURCES WILL PERMIT.

MACARTHUR WENT ON TO SAY THAT THE GREAT MASSES OF THE JAPANESE PEOPLE THEMSELVES FEAR "EVEN MORE THAN EXTERNAL ATTACK, THE RESURGENCE OF MILITARISM WITHIN AND THE RETURN OF POLICE SUPPRESSION.

"CONSEQUENTLY," MACARTHUR SAID, "GRAVE POLITICAL AS WELL AS SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC CONSIDERATIONS MUST BE FACED IN THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD SITUATION THEN EXISTING BEFORE YOUR QUESTION MAY BE FACED WITH ANY DEGREE OF REALISM.

"THE QUESTION AT THIS TIME IS THEREFORE SOMEWHAT ACADEMIC."

MACARTHUR SAID HE ALREADY HAD TAKEN STEPS TO CREATE A 75,000 MAN NATIONAL POLICE RESERVE IN JAPAN AND WOULD BUILD THAT UP SHOULD IT BECOME NECESSARY.

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A36WX (300)

AMS BUDGET
U.N. GROUND FORCES
BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-A REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM THE PHILIPPINES INCLUDING VETERANS OF BATAAN, MAY BE AMONG THE FIRST UNITED NATIONS REINFORCEMENTS IN KOREA.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN TACITLY ACCEPTED THE ISLAND REPUBLIC'S OFFER OF TROOPS TODAY. IN A MESSAGE THANKING PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO, HE SAID:

"I AM PROUD THAT THE SOLDIERS OF OUR TWO NATIONS WILL AGAIN STAND SHOULDER TO SHOULDER AGAINST THE FORCES OF AGRESSION."

A REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM NORMALLY NUMBERS 4,000 TO 5,000 MEN.

AT THE PHILIPPINE EMBASSY, A SPOKESMAN TOLD A REPORTER THE SOLDIERS WILL BE READY ANY TIME THEIR FORMER COMMANDER, GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, CALLS THEM.

HE SAID THE OFFICERS ALREADY HAVE BEEN CHOSEN AND THE MEN WILL COME FROM THE STANDING PHILIPPINE ARMY. INCLUDING MANY WHO FOUGHT

BESIDE AMERICANS AGAINST THE JAPANESE ON BATAAN DURING WORLD WAR II. BECAUSE OF AMERICAN EQUIPMENT, TRAINING AND ADVICE, THE COMBAT TEAM WILL BE ONE OF THE EASIEST OF ALL THE PROFFERED UNITED NATIONS UNITS TO MESH INTO THE AMERICAN FORCE FIGHTING IN KOREA.

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON HAS ANNOUNCED U.N. ACCEPTANCE OF THAILAND'S OFFER OF 4,000 TROOPS.

BUT THE THAILAND ARMY IS REPORTED TO HAVE A WIDE VARIETY OF EQUIPMENT--AMERICAN, GERMAN, BRITISH, JAPANESE, SCANDANAVIAN. THE QUESTION OF REPLACING THIS GEAR WITH AMERICAN EQUIPMENT IS BELIEVED TO BE UNDER DISCUSSION.

CONCERN IS INCREASING AMONG SOME HIGHLY PLACED U.S. AUTHORITIES THAT THERE WILL BE A RISE OF "ISOLATIONISM" IN THIS COUNTRY UNLESS TROOPS OF OTHER NATIONS SOON JOIN THE GROUND FIGHTING IN KOREA.

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A92WX (UMT & PROPAGANDA)
(220) NIGHT LEAD UMT

WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY LIFTED THE PRESSURE ON CONGRESS FOR AN IMMEDIATE UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING PROGRAM.

HE TOLD HIS NEWS CONFERENCE THAT UMT IS A VERY CONTROVERSIAL ISSUE AND MUST NOT BE ALLOWED TO SIDETRACK VITAL KOREAN WAR LEGISLATION.

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE MADE IT CLEAR HE WILL NOT PRESS CONGRESS TO ENACT THE PROGRAM AT THIS SESSION, BUT HE SAID HE IS STILL FOR UMT AND ALWAYS HAS BEEN.

ON CAPITOL HILL, THERE WERE A FEW CALLS FOR THE SWIFT MASS TRAINING OF AMERICA'S YOUNG MANPOWER, BUT IN GENERAL THE LAWMAKERS REFLECTED A DETERMINATION TO SHELVE UMT UNTIL NEXT YEAR OR AT LEAST UNTIL AFTER THE NOVEMBER ELECTIONS.

MR.TRUMAN EXPLAINED HIS VIEWS TO NEWSMEN IN COMMENTING ON YESTERDAY'S FORMAL REQUEST BY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON ASKING CONGRESS TO ENACT UMT LEGISLATION NOW ON A STANDBY BASIS.

IN THE SENATE, CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE INTRODUCED THE ADMINISTRATION'S NEW UMT BILL CALLING FOR SIX MONTHS OF CONTINUOUS PAID TRAINING AND ANOTHER SIX MONTHS OF ACTIVE OR RESERVE DUTY FOR YOUTHS BETWEEN 17 AND 20 YEARS OLD.

THE PROGRAM WOULD COST ABOUT $2,000,000,000 A YEAR, ACCORDING TO OFFICIAL ESTIMATES.

TYDINGS TOLD THE SENATE IT IS HIS "HOPE AND DESIRE" THAT THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE WILL BEGIN HEARINGS "VERY EARLY" ON THE UMT BILL.

SENATORS BYRD (D-VA) AND THYE (R-MINN) GAVE THEIR SUPPORT TO THE MEASURE.

BUT OTHER LAWMAKERS WERE COOL TOWARD THE UMT PLANT AND WERE CLEARLY RELIEVED BY MR.TRUMAN'S STATEMENT THAT OTHER WAR LEGISLATION IS MORE URGENT AT THIS TIME.

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A32WX
PMS BUDGET (470)
UMT
BY DONALD SANDERS

WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-CONGRESS APPEARED LIKELY TODAY TO LEAVE ON A SHELF AT LEAST UNTIL NEXT YEAR A REQUEST FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT FOR STANDBY LEGISLATION TO REQUIRE MILITARY TRAINING OF THE NATION'S YOUTHS.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN GAVE SECOND-HAND BACKING TO THE REQUEST FOR PROMPT APPROVAL OF A BILL CALLING FOR SIX MONTHS OF CONTINUOUS TRAINING AND ANOTHER SIX IN RELATED ACTIVITY FOR YOUNG MEN BETWEEN 17 AND 20.

BUT THE WHITE HOUSE MADE IT CLEAR, BEFORE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON SUBMITTED HIS REQUEST LATE YESTERDAY, THAT MR.TRUMAN WILL NOT PRESS FOR SUCH LEGISLATION THIS YEAR.

THE PRESIDENT HAS REPEATEDLY ASKED FOR UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING--COMMONLY CALLED UMT--BUT HE HAS BEEN QUOTED BY WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMEN WITHIN THE PAST FEW DAYS AS NOT WANTING TO JEOPARDIZE OTHER DEFENSE LEGISLATION BY PRESSING FOR IT NOW.

JOHNSON PROPOSED THAT CONGRESS PUT THE UMT LAW ON THE BOOKS AT ONCE, BUT THAT IT GIVE THE PRESIDENT AUTHORITY TO SAY WHEN PROGRAM SHALL START. HE SAID THE MILITARY COULD NOT NOW DIVERT TO UMT THE TRAINED OFFICERS WHO WOULD BE NEEDED AS INSTRUCTORS FOR SOME 850,000 YOUTHS ANNUALLY.

THE SECRETARY, WHO SAID MR.TRUMAN APPROVED HIS REQUEST, MADE NO ESTIMATE OF THE PROGRAM'S COST. RECENT OFFICIAL ESTIMATES HAVE PLACED IT AT ABOUT $2,000,000,000 A YEAR.

THE BILL WHICH JOHNSON SUBMITTED TO THE SENATE AND HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEES WOULD DIVIDE THE PROPOSED TRAINING INTO TWO PHASES. AFTER SIX MONTHS OF CONTINUOUS PAID TRAINING, YOUTHS COULD ELECT A NUMBER OF COURSES, INCLUDING ACTIVE DUTY OR SERVICE IN RESERVE OR NATIONAL GUARD UNITS.

SENATOR GURNEY (R-SD), SENIOR REPUBLICAN ON THE SENATE COMMITTEE, EXPRESSED SOME DOUBT AS TO WHETHER UMT COULD BE APPROVED THIS YEAR. HE SAID IT IS HIS PERSONAL FEELING THAT CONGRESS SHOULD STAY IN SESSION LONG ENOUGH TO DO SO.

CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE HAS SAID HE WILL INTRODUCE ANY UMT BILL THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT WANTS, BUT THAT HIS GROUP IS SO BUSY WITH OTHER LEGISLATION HE THINKS THE SENATE SHOULD ACT FIRST.

CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE, SAYING HE HAD NOT YET SEEN JOHNSON'S LETTER, DECLINED TO SPECULATE ON PROSPECTS FOR ACTION THIS YEAR. HE PROMISED, HOWEVER, THAT "WE CERTAINLY WILL GIVE IT A HEARING."

UMT HAS STIRRED UP HEATED CONTROVERSY SEVERAL TIMES OVER THE LAST FEW YEARS. DESPITE A GROWING CONGRESSIONAL CONCERN WITH THE NATION'S SECURITY, IT WOULD BE CERTAIN TO DO SO AGAIN.

AND SINCE THE LAWMAKERS HAVE ALREADY STAYED IN WASHINGTON LONGER THAN THEY HAD PLANNED, LEADERS CONCEDED PRIVATELY THERE WAS LITTLE OR NO CHANCE THAT JOHNSON'S REQUEST WOULD GET ANY PRIORITY BEFORE NEXT YEAR.

THE SECRETARY SAID IN LETTERS TO VINSON AND TYDINGS THAT EVENTS IN KOREA "HAVE ONLY SERVED TO EMPHASIZE THE FACT THAT UNIVERSAL TRAINING IS AN ESSENTIAL ELEMENT OF AN INTEGRATED AND BALANCED SYSTEM OF NATIONAL SECURITY."

"UNIVERSAL TRAINING IS THE ONLY MEANS OF PROVIDING ON A CONTIUING BASIS SUFFICIENT NUMBERS OF MEN FOR THE RESERVE FORCES," JOHNSON SAID. "THERE IS NO LONG RANGE ALTERNATIVE TO LARGE STANDING FORCES EXCEPT UNIVERSAL TRAINING."

THE BILL HE SUBMITTED PROPOSED TO LODGE SUPERVISION OF THE PROGRAM IN A THREE-MAN COMMISSION NAMED BY THE PRESIDENT. MEMBERS WOULD BE PAID. TWO, INCLUDING THE CHAIRMAN, WOULD BE CIVILIANS; THE THIRD WOULD BE FROM THE ARMED FORCES.

AN ADVISORY BOARD OF 10 TO 25 MEMBERS WOULD GIVE THE COMMISSION ADVICE ON MORAL AND EDUCATIONAL PHASES OF THE PROGRAM, BUT WOULD NOT FIX POLICY.

ALL YOUTHS WOULD BE REQUIRED TO REGISTER BETWEEN THEIR 17TH AND 18TH BIRTHDAYS. PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS WOULD BE THE SAME AS THOSE OF THE PRESENT SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM.

THOSE QUALIFIED WOULD HAVE TO TAKE THEIR TRAINING SOMETIME BETWEEN THE AGES OF 17 AND 20. YOUTHS ATTENDING SCHOOL, FOR EXAMPLE, COULD SEEK DEFERMENT UNTIL AFTER GRADUATION. BUT DEFERMENTS COULD NOT EXTEND BEYOND THE AGE OF 20.

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IF A YOUNG MAN'S TRAINING WERE DELAYED BEYOND THAT, HOWEVER, HE WOULD STILL BE LIABLE UNTIL HE REACHED 26.

THE BILL WOULD EXEMPT MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND THOSE HONORABLY DISCHARGED FROM THEM. IT WOULD ALSO EXEMPT MEMBERS OF ORGANIZED RESERVE UNITS, STUDENTS AT THE MILITARY AND NAVAL ACADEMIES, AND ADVANCED ROTC STUDENTS.

YOUTHS IN THE PROGRAM WOULD HAVE MILITARY STATUS, BUT WOULD NOT BE MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND WOULD NOT BE SUBJECT TO ANY DUTY OTHER THAN TRAINING. THEY WOULD NOT BE SUBJECT TO MILITARY JUSTICE, BUT TO A SPECIAL "CODE OF CONDUCT."

DURING HIS SIX MONTHS OF CONTINUOUS TRAINING, A YOUNG MAN COULD CHOOSE--SO FAR AS QUOTAS PERMITTED--HIS BRANCH OF THE SERVICE.

AFTER THE SIX MONTHS WAS UP, A TRAINEE WOULD HAVE A NUMBER OF OPTIONS. HE MIGHT:

GO ON ACTIVE DUTY FOR SIX MONTHS;

ENLIST IN THE REGULAR ARMED FORCES, THE ORGANIZED RESERVES OR THE NATIONAL GUARD;

ENTER THE MILITARY, NAVAL OR COAST GUARD ACADEMY, IF QUALIFIED, OR ENROLL IN THE NAVY OR MARINE OFFICER PROCUREMENT PROGRAM;

ENTER COLLEGE AND JOIN ROTC, AGREEING TO ACCEPT A RESERVE COMMISSION.

THE TRAINEE WOULD RECEIVE A MONTHLY ALLOWANCE OF $30. IF HE WAS THE CHIEF SUPPORT OF HIS FAMILY, HE WOULD GET ANOTHER $50 A MONTH FOR ONE DEPENDENT AND $65 A MONTH FOR TWO OR MORE DEPENDENTS.

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SURVIGING SONS(180)

WASHINGTON,AUG.17-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY THAT SOLE SURVIVING SONS OF FAMILIES WHICH HAVE LOST SONS OR DAUGHTERS IN THE ARMED SERVICE SINCE THE START OF WORLD WAR II WILL NOT BE REQUIRED TO SERVE IN KOREA.

ANY SOLE SURVIVING SONS NOW IN KOREA MAY APPLY FOR A TRANSFER TO NON-COMBAT AREAS. APPLICATIONS ALSO MAY BE BEGUN BY MEMBERS OF THEIR FAMILIES.

SOLE SURVIVING SONS WHO ARE ON DUTY IN THE ARMY IN NON COMBAT ZONES WILL NOT BE TRANSFERRED TO A COMBAT ZONE IF THEY OR THEIR FAMILIES SUBMIT A SATISFACTORY APPLICATION.

ALL THEATERS AND ARMY AREA COMMANDERS HAVE BEEN ADVISED OF THE POLICY.

IT IS SOMEWHAT SIMILAR TO THE POLICY LAID DOWN IN THE SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT OF 1948, WHICH EXEMPTED SOLE SURVIVING SONS FROM INDUCATION.

THE 1948 ACT PROVIDED THAT, WHERE ONE OR MORE SONS OR DAUGHTERS OF A FAMILY WAS KILLED IN ACTION OR DIED AS A RESULT OF SERVICE-CONNECTED WOUNDS OR ILLNESS, THE SOLE SURVIVING SON OF SUCH A FAMILY SHOULD NOT BE DRAFTED.

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A15WX (BJT)

(500) AMS BUDGET

NIGHT LEAD FAMILY PAYMENTS

BY JOHN B.OWEN

WASHINGTON, AUG.17-(AP)-FEDERAL PAYMENTS OF $45 TO $85 A MONTH TO FAMILIES OF THE LOWEST GRADES OF ENLISTED MEN ARE PROVIDED IN LEGISLATION APPROVED TODAY BY SENATE AND HOUSE COMMITTEES.

A MAN WOULD HAVE TO ADD $40 A MONTH TO THIS OUT OF HIS PAY. A RAW RECRUIT STARTS AT $75 A MONTH.

THE BILLS VARY GREATLY IN DETAIL, BUT BOTH CALL THE PAYMENTS "QUARTERS ALLOWANCE." THIS IS THE TERM FOR ALLOTMENTS TO FAMILIES WHICH ARE NOT PROVIDED HOMES AT MILITARY BASES. AT PRESENT THE LOWEST GRADES DO NOT RECEIVE SUCH ALLOWANCES.

THE SENATE BILL, APPROVED BY THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, MAY BE READY FOR SENATE CONSIDERATION NEXT WEEK. IN THE HOUSE, AN ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE GAVE APPROVAL TO ITS BILL. IT WILL GO BEFORE THE FULL COMMITTEE FOR ACTION.

MEANTIME, THE ARMY ANNOUNCED THAT IT WILL NOT REQUIRE KOREAN SERVICE FOR SOLE SURVIVING SONS OF FAMILIES WHICH HAVE LOST SONS OR DAUGHTERS IN THE ARMED SERVICES SINCE THE START OF WORLD WAR II.

ANY SUCH SONS IN KOREA MAY APPLY FOR TRANSFER TO NON-COMBAT AREAS. MEMBERS OF THEIR FAMILIES CAN INSTITUTE THE APPLICATION.

SIMILARLY, IF SUCH SOLE SURVIVING SONS ARE ON ARMY DUTY IN NON-COMBAT ZONES THEY WILL NOT BE SHIFTED TO COMBAT ZONES IF SATISFACTORY APPLICATIONS ARE SUBMITTED BY THE SOLDIERS OR THEIR FAMILIES.

UNDER BOTH FAMILY ALLOWANCE BILLS, GOVERNMENT SUPPORT IN THE CASE OF AN ENLISTED MAN IN ONE OF THE LOWER GRADES, HAVING ONE DEPENDENT, WOULD COME TO $45, PLUS $40 ALLOTTED FROM THE MAN'S PAYCHECK.

FOR TWO DEPENDENTS, PERHAPS A WIFE AND CHILD, THE GOVERNMENT WOULD PAY $70 UNDER THE HOUSE BILL; $67.50 UNDER THE SENATE BILL.

FOR MORE THAN TWO DEPENDENTS, THE HOUSE BILL PROVIDES $85; THE SENATE BILL, $75. IN EACH CASE, THE ENLISTED MAN WOULD ALLOT $40 A MONTH FROM IS OWN PAY.

IN THE HOUSE BILL, THESE FIGURES WOULD APPLY TO PRIVATES, PRIVATES FIRST CLASS AND CORPORALS, A SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBER SAID.

THE SENATE BILL, HOWEVER, WOULD APPLY THEM TO PRIVATES AND PRIVATES FIRST CLASS, AN OFFICIAL SAID, PUTTING CORPORALS INTO ANOTHER ALLOTMENT GROUP.

THE SENATE PROPOSAL PROVIDES THAT ANY MAN WITH MORE THAN THREE DEPENDENTS WOULD BE ELIGIBLE FOR HARDSHIP DISCHARGE OR TO BE DEFERRED FROM INDUCTION.

FOR ALL GRADES OF SERGEANT IN THE ARMY--AND COMPARABLE GRADES IN THE OTHER SERVICES--THE HOUSE BILL PROVIDES:

FOR ONE DEPENDENT, $70 FROM THE GOVERNMENT; FOR TWO OR MORE DEPENDENTS, $85.

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NO DEDUCTIONS WOULD BE MADE FROM THE PAY CHECKS IN THESE GRADES, UNDER THE HOUSE BILL. SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS SAID DEDUCTIONS WERE PROVIDED FOR THE LOWER GRADES BECAUSE MOST OF THE MEN ARE YOUNGER. IN THE CASE OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS, IT IS PRESUMED THEY ARE OLDER AND MORE ACCUSTOMED TO FAMILY RESPONSIBILITIES.

UNDER THE SENATE BILL, FAMILIES OF CORPORALS AND LOWER RANK SERGEANTS WOULD BE ENTITLED TO $67.50 WHERE THERE ARE ONE OR TWO DEPENDENTS, AND $75 FOR THREE. THE MEN WOULD ADD $60 TO THIS FROM THEIR BASE PAY.

IN THE CASE OF THE TOP TWO GRADES OF SERGEANTS, THE SAME FEDERAL ALLOWANCES WOULD BE GIVEN, WITH THE MEN REQUIRED TO ALLOT $80 FROM THEIR PAY.

THE SUMS WOULD BE THE SAME IN COMPARABLE GRADES OF THE OTHER ARMED FORCES.

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G.I.INSURANCE (170)

WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-MANY WORLD WAR II VETERANS CALLED BACK INTO SERVICE MAY HAVE TO CASH IN THEIR CONVERTED NATIONAL SERVICE LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES, THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION (VA) SAID TODAY.

THEY WOULD DO SO BECAUSE OF INABILITY TO KEEP UP THE PREMIUMS WHILE ON MILITARY PAY. A VA INSURANCE OFFICIAL EXPLAINED.

HE ADDED THAT SINCE MOST VETERANS ARE WELL AWARE OF THE VALUE OF INSURANCE COVERAGE IN MILITARY DUTY, MANY MAY DECIDE TO TAKE OUT THE CHEAPER SO-CALLED TERM POLICIES UPON RETURNING TO UNIFORM.

THE OFFICIAL TOLD A REPORTER THAT VA IS PREPARED TO HANDLE THIS TYPE OF BUSINESS ON A LARGE SCALE. IN EFFECT IT WOULD BE A RE-CONVERSION OF CONVERTED POLICIES.

"A VETERAN CAN CASH IN HIS PERMANENT-TYPE POLICY AT ANY TIME AFTER ONE YEAR," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

"HE CAN TAKE OUT A NEW TERM POLICY ONCE HE IS BACK IN SERVICE, BUT NOT BEFORE."

REP.ROGERS (D-FLA) HAS INTRODUCED A BILL TO AUTHORIZE VA TO PAY THE INSURANCE PREMIUMS--ON COMMERCIAL AS WELL AS GOVERNMENT POLICIES--FOR SERVICEMEN.

UNDER THAT PLAN, THE POLICY-HOLDERS WOULD MAKE GOOD THE PAYMENTS, ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN, AFTER THEIR RETURN TO CIVILIAN LIFE.

PERMANENT OR CONVERTED POLICIES COST MORE IN TERMS OF MONTHLY PREMIUMS, BUT HAVE ACCUMULATED SAVINGS VALUES AND OTHER ADVANTAGES.

AT AGE 25, THE PREMIUM RATE ON TE
H I SURANCE IS 67 CENTS A MONTH FOR EACH $1,000 OF INSURANCE.

THE CONVERTED RATE PER MONTH PER THOUSAND, AT THAT AGE, IS $1.37 FOR ORDINARY LIFE, $1.67 FOR 30-PAYMENT LIFE, $2.12 FOR 20-PAYMENT LIFE AND $3.48 FOR 20-YEAR ENDOWMENT--TO TAKE A FEW EXAMPLES.

A VETERAN OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING WHO HAS CHANGED HIS COVERTED POLICY BACK TO A TERM POLICY CAN RECONVERT IT LATER.

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315WX (600)
(NY RELAY)
NIGHT LEAD POLISH
BY DOUGLAS B.CORNELL

WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-THREE HIGH OFFICIALS OF THE POLISH EMBASSY HAVE TURNED AGAINST THEIR RED GOVERNMENT AND ASKED PERMISSION TO STAY IN THE UNITED STATES.

THERE WERE INDICATIONS THEIR GOVERNMENT HAD PLANNED TO PURGE THEM AS PART OF A PROCESS OF WEEDING NON-COMMUNISTS OUT OF THE POLISH DIPLOMATIC SERVICE OVER THE WORLD.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID TODAY NO EVIDENCE HAS BEEN UNCOVERED THAT ANY OF THE TRIO ARE COMMUNISTS. SO PROBABLY A REFUGE WILL BE GIVEN TO:

JANUS ZOLTOWSKI, WHO WAS SECOND RANKING MAN AT THE EMBASSY. HE WAS MINISTER AND FINANCIAL COUNSELOR, WITH OFFICES IN NEW YORK.

STEFAN ROGOZINSKI, FORMER LEGAL ADVISER.

WLADYSLAW NIZINSKI, WHO SERVED AS SECOND SECRETARY.

"I HAD TO DO IT," ROGOZINSKI TOLD A REPORTER. "IT IS A HARD THING TO BREAK WITH YOUR COUNTRY. EVEN THOUGH THE GOVERNMENT IS COMMUNIST, IT IS STILL YOUR COUNTRY."

HE SAID HE HAD BEEN THINKING OF BREAKING EARLIER BUT HANDED IN HIS RESIGNATION JUNE 10 AFTER BEING NOTIFIED TO RETURN FOR AN ASSIGNMENT WITH THE EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT THE RUSSIANS ARE MOTHERING IN BERLIN. HE SAID ALL THREE MEN WERE ORDERED BACK, THAT "ALL NON-PARTY MEMBERS ARE BEING RECALLED VERY FAST."

WESTERN DIPLOMATS SAY THEY UNDERSTAND THIS IS PART OF A GENERAL PURGE BEING CARRIED ON IN THE POLISH FOREIGN SERVICE.

IN THE LAST FOUR YEARS, OFFICIAL RECORDS SHOW 25 POLES EMPLOYED BY THEIR GOVERNMENT IN THE UNITED STATES HAVE BROKEN WITH WARSAW.

WHILE ORDERS TO RETURN BROUGHT MATTERS TO A HEAD, ROGOZINSKI SAID HE BELIEVED THE THREE NEWEST RESIGNATIONS ALSO WERE BUILT ON THIS REASONING:

"WE ALL STARTED WITH HIGH HOPES THAT WE WOULD HAVE GOOD RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES. WE WERE THINKING OF TRADE, FINANCE AND CULTURAL CONTACTS BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES. FOR A LONG TIME WE HAD VERY GREAT FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION AND INDEPENDENCE OF ACTION.

"IN THE LAST FEW MONTHS BEFORE I RESIGNED WE WERE LOSING OUR FREEDOM OF EXPRESSING OUR IDEAS, BOTH TO THE AMERICANS HERE AND TO THE GOVERNMENT BACK HOME, AND THROUGH THIS WE WERE LOSING THE OPPORTUNITY OF TRYINT TO KEEP SOME WAYS OPEN BETWEEN THE AMERICAN AND POLISH PEOPLES."

HE EMPHASIZED THAT HIS BREAK IS NOT WITH THE POLISH PEOPLE THEMSELVES. MOST OF THEM, HE SAID, ARE NON-COMMUNISTS AND BY CULTURE, TRADITION AND DESIRE THEIR SYMPATHIES LIE TO THE WEST.

THERE HAS BEEN A LONG SERIES OF RESIGNATIONS AND REQUESTS FOR ASYLUM FROM THE DIPLOMATIC STAFFS OF COMMUNISTS COUNTRIES HERE IN WASHINGTON, IN OTHER WESTERN CAPITALS AND AT UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS. IN MOST INSTANCES, THE UNITED STATES HAS GRANTED ASYLUM WHEN ASKED.

IN ZOLTOWSKI, IT WOULD BE GETTING A VETERAN POLISH DIPLOMAT. HE HAS SERVED IN THIS COUNTRY UNDER MANY POLISH GOVERNMENTS, INCLUDING SOME THAT PREDATED THE RED DOMINATION. HE WAS SAID TO HAVE RESIGNED AROUND JULY 1.

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ROGOZINSKI IS AN ECONOMIST AND HOPES TO LINE UP A JOB IN THAT FIELD. HE WAS BORN IN POLAND BUT WAS EDUCATED IN BERLIN AND WAS A GERMAN CITIZEN.

HE TOLD OF FLEEING THE NAZIS A FEW HOURS BEFORE THEY LAUNCHED WORLD WAR II WITH A BLOW AT POLAND. DURING THE WAR HE SERVED THE EXILED POLISH GOVERNMENT AS CONTACT MAN WITH THE UNDERGROUND AT LISBON, PORTUGAL.

IN 1945 HE BECAME ACTING CONSUL GENERAL IN CHICAGO--HE STILL HAS A DAUGHTER THERE--THEN CAME TO WASHINGTON. HE IS DIVORCED. HE HAS BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN POLAND.

NIZINSKI RESIGNED AND WROTE A LETTER TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT AUG. 6 ASKING FOR ASYLUM. HE LISTED POLITICAL REASONS, HE SAID, SUCH AS RUSSIAN DOMINATION OF THE POLISH GOVERNMENT AND THE STIRRING UP OF "HATRED TOWARD OUR TRADITIONAL FRIENDS, THE UNITED STATES AND THE WESTERN WORLD."

NIZINSKI'S WIFE IS HERE WITH HIM BUT HE HAS RELATIVES IN POLAND. HE HAS BEEN IN THE DIPLOMATIC SERVICE SINCE 1945 AND IN WASHINGTON SINCE 1946.

BEFORE THE WAR, HE SAID, HE WAS BUSINESS MANAGER OF WARSAW'S BIGGEST PUBLISHING HOUSE. AND HE WOULD LIKE TO GET INTO THE PUBLISHING BUSINESS HERE IN SOME WAY.

WHEN THE WAR BEGAN, HE FOUGHT THE GERMANS AND THEN SPENT 5 1/2 YEARS IN ONE OF THEIR PRISON CAMPS.

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A93WX (200)

WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT TODAY CREATED A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE HIGH COMMAND TO DIRECT THIS NATION'S GLOBAL PROPAGANDA FIGHT WITH SOVIET COMMUNISTS.

SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WILL SUPERVISE THE INTENSIFIED NEW PROGRAM.

THE BOARD WILL DEVISE PROPAGANDA AND COUNTER PROPAGANDA STRATEGY AND THE VARIOUS MEANS--RADIO, LEAFLETS AND THE LIKE--TO CARRY IT OUT.

ESTABLISHMENT OF THE AGENCY WAS ANNOUNCED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT. FORMALLY NAMED THE "NATIONAL PSYCHOLOGICAL STRATEGY BOARD," THE ORGANIZATION WILL OPERATE UNDER THE GENERAL SUPERVISION OF ACHESON WITH ASSISTANT SECRETARY EDWARD W.BARRETT AS CHAIRMAN.

BARRETT IS A FORMER NEWS REPORTER AND EDITOR. HE ALSO SERVED WITH THE OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION (OWI) DURING WORLD WAR II.

ALSO REPRESENTED ON THE BOARD ARE THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION AND THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD.

THE BOARD WILL HAVE A REGULAR STAFF OF MILITARY MEN, DIPLOMATS AND FOREIGN ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL EXPERTS.

THE CREATION OF THE BOARD APPARENTLY REFLECTS A DECISION ON THE PART OF TOP GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS THAT THE CONFLICT WITH RUSSIA HAS NOW REACHED A STAGE OF SUCH FIERCENESS THAT CONSTANT ATTENTION TO AMERICAN PROPAGANDA STRATEGY IS NEEDED.

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A180WX (JOHNSON)

WASHINGTON,AUG.17-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON TODAY GAVE THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE A "VERY ENCOURAGING" REVIEW OF THE WORLD MILITARY SITUATION, CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) REPORTED.

JOHNSON TESTIFIED BEHIND CLOSED DOORS ABOUT THE FIGHTING IN KOREA, THE PROPOSED $4,000,000,000 EXPANSION IN THE FOREIGN ARMS PROGRAM AND DEFENSE PREPAREDNESS IN GENERAL.

CONNALLY TOLD REPORTERS HIS "VERY ENCOURAGING" LABEL APPLIED AS MUCH TO KOREA AS TO ANY OTHER ASPECT OF THE DEFENSE PROGRAM.

JOHNSON DECLINED TO DISCUSS HIS TESTIMONY.

CONNALLY WAS ASKED WHY THE FOREIGN RELATIONS GROUP WAS CONCERNING ITSELF WITH MILITARY MATTERS, WHICH ORDINARILY ARE LEFT TO THE ARMED SERVICE COMMITTEE.

"FOREIGN RELATIONS HAS TO DO WITH MILITARY MATTERS, INCLUDING OUR PREPAREDNESS, OUR ABILITY TO STRIKE AND TO RESIST AGGRESSION AND DEFEND OURSELVES," HE SAID.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-THE SCHEDULED WITHDRAWAL OF AIR FORCE UNITS FROM OUTLYING BASES IN THE ALEUTIANS HAS BEEN CANCELLED AS A RESULT OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT AND THE BASES ARE NOW BUSY HANDLING AIR TRAFFIC TO THE FAR EAST, THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SAID TONIGHT.

THE WITHDRAWAL OF AIR FORCE SERVICE UNITS FROM SOME OF THE OUTLYING BASES HAD BEEN SCHEDULED JULY 1 AS AN ECONOMY MEASURE.

THE AFFECTED UNITS WERE SERVICE, NOT COMBAT ORGANIZATIONS.

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B57WX (Q)

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON, AUG. 17-(AP)-REP.DOUGLAS (D-CALIF) INTRODUCED A BILL TODAY TO EXTEND BENEFITS OF THE "GI BILL OF RIGHTS" TO MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES ON ACTIVE DUTY DURING THE KOREAN HOSTILITIES.

"IN ALL FAIRNESS," SHE SAID IN A STATEMENT, "IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT CONGRESS ACT WITHOUT DELAY TO PROVIDE THE SAME PRIVILEGES AND BENEFITS TO THE COURAGEOUS MEN NOW FIGHTING AGGRESSION IN KOREA, AS WERE PROVIDED FOR THOSE WHO SERVED DURING WORLD WAR II."

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B64WX (Q) (200)

WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-EIGHT AMERICAN SPECIALISTS WERE SELECTED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO GO TO GERMANY TO HELP WITH OCCUPATION AFFAIRS.

THE EIGHT ARE EXPERTS IN THE FIELD OF AGRICULTURE, HOME ECONOMICS, LABOR RELATIONS, PUBLIC HEALTH, LEGAL AFFAIRS, EDUCATION AND RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES.

THEY ARE SCHEDULED TO REACH GERMANY AUG. 21 FOR THREE TO SIX MONTH VISITS. THEY WILL WORK WITH GERMAN ORGANIZATIONS ON PROJECTS DESIGNED TO HELP CARRY OUT AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY.

THEY ARE: RAYMOND AUNE OF ROCHESTER,MINN., AGRICULTURAL AGENT OF OLMSTEAD COUNTY, MINNESOTA; HARDY C.DILLARD OF CHARLOTTESVILLE,VA., LAW PROFESSOR AT THE UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA AND LECTURER AT THE NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE; MARGARET FEDDE OF LINCOLN,NEB., CHAIRMAN OF THE HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA; FREDRICK W.J.HUSER OF NEW YORK, PROFESSOR EMERITUS AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY; CLARK KERR OF EL CERRITO,CALIF., DIRECTOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA'S INSTITUTE OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS; WILLIAM M.SCHMIDT OF NEEDHAM,MASS., ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH PRACTICE AT HARVARD; IRVING R.TABERSHAW OF NEW YORK, ASSOCIATE PROFESSO AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY; FRED D.WENTZEL OF UPPER DARBY,PA., DIRECTOR OF PUBLICATIONS, BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION, EVANGELICAL AND REFORM CHURCH.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-REP.GATHINGS (D-ARK) CALLED TODAY FOR SOMETHING STRONGER THAN THE "'TAINT SO'" LINE OF DEFENSE AGAINST RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA.

"THE RUSSIANS TELL THE MOST OUTLANDISH LIES ABOUT US," HE SAID, "AND ABOUT ALL WE DO IS YELL 'TAINT SO, TAINT SO!'"

"WHAT WE OUGHT TO DO," GATHINGS TOLD A REPORTER, "IS TO RIDICULE THESE LIES AND LAUGH THE RUSSIANS RIGHT OUT OF THE PICTURE."

"THEY CAN'T STAND TO BE MADE RIDICULOUS," HE SAID. "LET'S TAKE THE OFFENSIVE IN THIS PROPAGANDA."

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(ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED SHORTLY AFTER 11 A.M. E.S.T., TODAY THURSDAY AUG. 17)

BY NORMAN CARIGNAN

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-THE ECONOMIC COOPERATIMSKLVIS M

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) REPORTED OPTIMISTICALLY TO CONGRESS TODAY ON GAINS IN WESTERN EUROPE'S BATTLE TO CLOSE THE DOLLAR GAP AND ON EFFORTS TO SHORE UP THE ECONOMY OF FORMOSA.

THE DOLLAR GAP DESCRIBES THE DOLLAR TRADE WESTERN EUROPE IS SHORT TO BALANCE HER DEALINGS WITH THE UNITED STATES.

WITH A TONE OF COMPARATIVE DISAPPOINTMENT, THE ECA ALSO NOTED THAT THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA HAS "COMPLETELY DISRUPTED" THE ECONOMY OF THE COUNTRY AND CUT SHORT "IMPRESSIVE GAINS" MADE IN REVIVING AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN FORWARDED THE ECA'S QUARTERLY REPORT TO CONGRESS WITHOUT COMMENT. IT COVERS THE FIRST THREE MONTHS OF THIS YEAR.

ECA EXPRESSED ENTHUSIASM IN REPORTING THAT WESTERN EUROPE AS A WHOLE IS GETTING HER TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES MORE CLOSELY IN LINE AND AT THE SAME TIME IS REOPENING THE PREWAR WORLD-WIDE TRADE PATTERN--A MAJOR LONG RANGE OBJECTIVE OF THE MARSHALL PLAN.

IT SAID, TOO, THE DRASTIC CUTS IN U.S. PURCHASES BY WESTERN EUROPE AND OTHER COUNTRIES HAVE NOT ADVERSELY AFFECTED AMERICAN BUSINESS. "THE UPSURGE IN UNITED STATES BUSINESS ACTIVITY ABSORBED ALMOST ALL THE OUTPUT RELEASED BY THE DECLINE IN EXPORTS," ECA SAID.

LAST SUMMER, THE AGENCY SAID, IT WAS EVIDENT THAT A BASIC CHANGE IN THE PATTERN OF WORLD TRADE WAS STARTING.

FOREIGN COUNTRIES BEGAN SLASHING THEIR U.S. PURCHASES. AMERICAN

BUSINESS ACTIVITY AT HOME JUMPED, INCREASING U.S. PURCHASES ABROAD. AND A STRING OF COUNTRIES FOLLOWED BRITAIN'S LEAD IN CUTTING EXCHANGE RATES.

U.S. SALES WORLD-WIDE DURING THE FIRST THREE MONTHS OF THIS YEAR DROPPED 60 PERCENT OVER THE COMPARATIVE PERIOD A YEAR AGO. WITH WESTERN EUROPE THE DECLINE WAS 40 PERCENT.

THE RESULT WAS THAT THE MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES SHARPLY CUT THEIR U.S. TRADE DEFICIT BELOW LAST YEAR'S RATE. OTHER TRADING AREAS OF THE WORLD--FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE THE END OF THE WAR--REPORTED A SURPLUS IN TRADE WITH THE U.S.

"THE SHIFTS IN THE PATTERN OF UNITED STATES TRADE," ECA SAID, "ARE OF THE UTMOST SIGNIFICANCE FOR THE FINAL SUCCESS OF THE MARSHALL PLAN, NOT ALONE BECAUSE OF THE REDUCTION OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE SURPLUS, BUT BECAUSE THEY REOPEN THE PREWAR MULTILATERAL TRADING PATTERN BY WHICH EUROPE PAID FOR PART OF ITS IMPORTS FROM THE UNITED STATES WITH DOLLARS EARNED FROM EXPORTS TO OTHER AREAS."

REGARDING FORMOSA, THE AGENCY REPORTED STEADY EFFORTS TO STABILIZE THE ISLAND'S ECONOMY WHICH "STAGGERED UNDER AN INCREASING BURDEN OF MILITARY EXPENDITURES."

AT THE END OF MARCH, ECA SAID, THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT WAS RESISTING STRONG INFLATIONARY PRESSURES.

"FAVORABLE PROSPECTS FOR 1950 FOOD CROPS," IT SAID, "TOGETHER WITH THE ARRIVAL OF ECA-FINANCED IMPORTS OF KEY COMMODITIES, INDICATED A LESS RESTRICTED SUPPLY OF CONSUMERS' GOODS.

"HOWEVER, THE DRAIN ON THE ISLAND'S RESOURCES IMPOSED BY MILITARY REQUIREMENTS WAS OF SUCH A MAGNITUDE AS TO MAKE EXTREMELY DIFFICULT THE EFFORTS TO ACHIEVE ECONOMIC STABILIZATION."

DURING THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR $3,200,000 WORTH OF COTTON, FERTILIZER, YARN, WHEAT FLOUR AND SOYBEANS ARRIVED IN FORMOSA. THIS BROUGHT THE CUMULATIVE TOTAL TO $16,000,000. ONE MILLION DOLLARS IN AID MONEY REMAINED UNDISTRIBUTED.

ECA CONTINUED TO SPONSOR A PROGRAM FOR IMPROVING AGRICULTURAL TECHNIQUES, PRODUCTION AND LIVING CONDITIONS IN RURAL AREAS AND HELPED BOOST THE PRODUCTION OF A FORMOSAN FERTILIZER PLANT.

(END ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE EXPECTED SHORTLY AFTER 11 A.M. E.S.T., TODAY THURSDAY, AUG. 17)

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(500) NIGHT LEAD SUBVERSIVES

WASHINGTON, AUG. 17-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL WAS INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE TODAY AND THEREUPON THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE WHIPPED OUT A COMPETING MEASURE.

THE COMMITTEE'S 9-3 VOTE SENT TO THE SENATE FLOOR A SWEEPING BILL BY CHAIRMAN MCCARRAN (D-NEV) WHICH WOULD REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNISTS AND RED-FRONT ORGANIZATIONS. THIS IS THE ADMINISTRATION'S MAIN OBJECTION TO THE MCCARRAN MEASURE.

IN MANY OTHER RESPECTS THE TWO PROPOSALS ARE SIMILAR IN ATTEMPTING TO TIGHTEN INTERNAL SECURITY OF THE NATION.

PREVIOUSLY THE COMMITTEE HAD APPROVED A REPUBLICAN-SPONSORED MEASURE OF SENATORS MUNDT (SD) AND FERGUSON (MICH) FOR COMMUNIST CONTROLS ALSO CONTAINING THE REGISTRATION FEATURE.

A SHOWDOWN ON THE THREE MEASURES MAY BE NEAR SINCE THE SENATE APPEARS IN A MOOD FOR PASSING STRONG LEGISLATION.

THE FIRST TEST MAY COME MONDAY IF MUNDT AND FERGUSON GO THROUGH WITH THEIR ATTEMPT TO TIE THEIR BILL TO AN ECONOMIC CONTROLS MEASURE UP FOR A VOTE THEN.

THEY HAVE AGREED TO WITHDRAW IT IF THE ADMINISTRATION WILL PROMISE A VOTE ON THE BILL LATER.

THE ADMINISTRATION BILL, INSTEAD OF COMMUNIST REGISTRATION PROVISIONS. PUTS MUCH EMPHASIS ON VIGOROUS ENFORCEMENT OF EXISTING LAWS AND REVISION OF SOME OF THEM. IT WAS INTRODUCED BY NINE SENATORS.

ITS SPONSORS SAID, FOR EXAMPLE, THAT UNDER EXISTING LAW "ANY PERSON ACTIVE IN THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT OR A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY CAN BE PROSECUTED." THE SPONSORS ADDED THAT RECENT COURT DECISIONS HAD "CLEARED THE WAY FOR SUCCESSFUL ENFORCEMENT" OF SUCH LAWS.

THE SPONSORS SAID ALSO THAT UNDER THE NATIONALITY ACT "ANY PERSON CAN BE DENIED CITIZENSHIP WHO AT ANY TIME WITHIN TEN YEARS HAS ADVOCATED THE REVOLUTIONARY DOCTRINES OF THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT."

MCCARRAN'S BILL HAS THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS WHICH ARE NOT IN THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL:

1. IMMIGRATION LAW TIGHTENING TO BAR COMMUNISTS, AND TO PERMIT DEPORTING OR BARRING OF DIPLOMATS SUSPECTED OF BEING SUBVERSIVE.
2. REGISTRATION OF ALL FOREIGN TRAINED SPIES AND SABOTEURS.
3. PERMISSION FOR THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TO HOLD FOR SIX MONTHS ALIENS WHO CAN NOT BE DEPORTED.
4. CLOSER LIAISON WITH THE FBI ON VISAS AND PASSPORTS.

THE ADMINISTRATION BILL PROVIDES:

1. SPIES AND SABOTEURS TRAINED IN TACTICS OF A FOREIGN COUNTRY OR FOREIGN POLITICAL PARTY WOULD HAVE TO REGISTER OR RISK JAIL.

AT PRESENT, A PERSON SO TRAINED BY A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT IS IMMUNE UNLESS THERE IS SUBSTANTIAL EVIDENCE OF OVERT ACTS IN VIOLATION OF U.S. SPY LAWS.

2. A MAXIMUM OF ONE YEAR IN PRISON AND $5,000 FINE FOR WILFUL VIOLATION OF SECURITY REGULATIONS ISSUED BY THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE. IN TIME OF NATIONAL EMERGENCY THE PRESIDENT COULD EXTEND THIS TO COVER NON-MILITARY FACILITIES AND PROPERTY.
3. A PERSON UNLAWFULLY POSSESSING VITAL INFORMATION COULD BE PROSECUTED EVEN THOUGH THE GOVERNMENT HAD NOT MADE A DEMAND ON HIM FOR THE INFORMATION. AT PRESENT, SUCH A DEMAND IS REQUIRED BEFORE PROSECUTION
4. EXTENSION OF THE THREE-YEAR STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS ON ESPIONAGE AND UNLAWFUL NEGLIGENCE ENDANGERING SECURITY TO 10 YEARS.

THE BILL ALSO WOULD GIVE THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SUPERVISION OVER ALIENS SUBJECT TO DEPORTATION.

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SPONSORS OF THE ADMINISTRATION BILL WERE THESE DEMOCRATS: SENATORS LUCAS (ILL.), MAGNUSON (WASH.), KILGORE (W.VA.), GRAHAM (N.C.), MYERS (PA.), DOUGLAS (ILL.), HUMPHREY (MINN.), GREEN (R.I.) AND LEHMAN (N.Y.).

IN THE SENATE, MUNDT ACCUSED DEMOCRATS OF DELAYING ACTION ON HIS BILL UNTIL THEY THOUGHT IT WOULD PASS AND THEN RUSHING IN WITH SUBSTITUTES.

HE SAID THE SUBSTITUTES, "CONCEIVED IN HASTE", MIGHT CAUSE A "FALSE SENSE OF SECURITY" IN DEALING "WITH THE 55,000 KNOWN COMMUNIST AGENTS IN OUR MIDST."

AT SPRINGFIELD, ILL., LUCAS TOLD A REPORTER:

"IT IS A SHAME THAT A FEW MEN IN THE SENATE WILL PLAY POLITICS WITH THIS USSUE, THAT A FEW REPUBLICAN LEADERS WILL ATTEMPT TO TAKE PARTISAN ADVANTAGE OF THIS CRISIS, AND THIS SUBVERSIVE MOVEMENT AGAINST WHICH THIS (TRUMAN) ADMINISTRATION IS UNALTERABLY OPPOSED."

HE SAID SENATORS MUNDT AND FERGUSON "HAVE DONE NOTHING BUT PLAY POLITICS" WITH THE ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL SINCE MARCH.

"NOT ONCE UP TO 30 DAYS AGO DID THEY ASK ME OR ANY OTHER MEMBER OF THE DEMOCRATIC POLICY COMMITTEE TO BRING THE BILL BEFORE THE SENATE," LUCAS SAID.

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FIRST LEAD CONTROLS-SUBVERSIVES(140)
WASHINGTON,AUG.17-(AP)-SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) SAID TODAY THAT PRICE CONTROL WITHOUT ALL-OUT MOBILIZATION WILL BE LESS ENFORCEABLE THAN LIQUOR PROHIBITION BECAUSE "NOBODY KNOWS ENOUGH TO RUN IT RIGHT."
IN A SPEECH RECORDED FOR OHIO BROADCASTS, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE'S REPUBLICAN POLICY COMMITTEE SAID PRICE CONTROLS UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS WILL BRING BACK BLACK MARKETS.
HE ADDED THAT AN ATTEMPT TO CONTROL PRICES "REQUIRES A TREMENDOUS BUREAUCRATIC CONTROL OF 500,000 PEOPLE AND NOBODY KNOWS ENOUGH TO RUN IT RIGHT. THE PRICES THAT ARE FIXED ARE VERY LIKELY TO BE AVOIDED AND PARTICULARLY IN TIME OF PEACE THE AMERICAN PEOPLE DON'T PAY MUCH ATTENTION TO IT."
TAFT'S COMMENTS CAME AT A TIME WHEN SENATE REPUBLICAN SPONSORS OF AN ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL HAD OFFERED TO ABANDON THEIR EFFORTS TO TIE IT A CONTROL MEASURE--IN EXCHANGE FOR A DEMOCRATIC PLEDGE.

THE COMPROMISE PROPOSED BY SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH) CALLS FOR A FLAT PROMISE BY THE DEMOCRATIC LEADERS TO BRING UP THE CURB-THE-COMMUNISTS BILL LATER FOR SEPARATE ACTION.
"THOSE ARE THE ONLY TERMS ON WHICH WE WILL WITHDRAW THE BILL AS A RIDER AMENDMENT TO THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL," FERGUSON TOLD A REPORTER.
SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC), FLOOR MANAGER OF THE CONTROLS MEASURE, SAID THE MUNDT-FERGUSON PROPOSAL WOULD HAVE TO AWAIT THE RETURN TO WASHINGTON OF SENATOR LUCAS (D-ILL), THE MAJORITY LEADER. LUCAS, WHO IS IN ILLINOIS, IS EXPECTED LATER THIS WEEK.
SENATE DEMOCRATS HAVE ARRANGED A CONFERENCE FOR NEXT MONDAY TO DISCUSS THE TANGLED SITUATION. THE PARTY'S LEADERS, AND LUCAS PARTICULARLY, HAVE SHOWN LITTLE SYMPATHY FOR THE MUNDT-FERGUSON VERSION OF INTERNAL SECURITY LEGISLATION.
FOES OF THE BILL HAVE ARGUED THAT IT WOULD DRIVE THE COMMUNISTS UNDERGROUND AND MAKE THE PROBLEM MORE DIFFICULT TO HANDLE.
MAYBANK SAID THAT IN HIS OPINION THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL "DOESN'T STAND A CHANCE" OF BEING ADOPTED AS A RIDER. HOWEVER, HE PREDICTED APPROVAL OF THE BILL, OR SIMILAR LEGISLATION, IF IT COMES UP SEPARATELY.
ON THE OTHER HAND, BOTH MUNDT AND FERGUSON SAID THEY ARE OPTIMISTIC ABOUT THE CHANCES OF NAILING THEIR PROGRAM INTO THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL.
THEIR MEASURE WOULD REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST-FRONT ORGANIZATIONS, AND WOULD OUTLAW CONSPIRACIES AIMED AT OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT.
THE HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION BILL SCHEDULED FOR A SENATE VOTE MONDAY WOULD GIVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN AN ALMOST FREE HAND TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS WHENEVER HE SAW FIT. IT ALSO WOULD AUTHORIZE CREDIT CURBS, ALLOCATION OF SCARCE INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, AND OTHER PRODUCTION CONTROLS.
MUNDT AND FERGUSON, BACKED BY THE SENATE REPUBLICAN POLICY COMMITTEE, HAVE BEEN TRYING FOR WEEKS TO GET ACTION ON THEIR ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL.
ANOTHER BILL, SOMEWHAT BROADER THAN THE MUNDT-FERGUSON MEASURE, HAS BEEN INTRODUCED BY CHAIRMAN MCCARRAN (D-NEV) OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.
STILL ANOTHER BILL--A COMPREHENSIVE INTERNAL SECURITY MEASURE--IS BEING DRAFTED BY ADMINISTRATION FORCES AT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S REQUEST. THE PRESIDENT HAS BEEN CRITICAL OF SOME PROVISIONS OF THE MUNDT-FERGUSON PROPOSAL.
FERGUSON CALLED ON THE DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY TO AGREE TO MAKE THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL THE NEXT ORDER OF BUSINESS AFTER THE SENATE COMPLETES ACTION ON A $5,000,000,000 TAX INCREASE BILL.

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THE TAX MEASURE IS EXPECTED TO COME UP FOR DEBATE AFTER THE SENATE VOTES ON THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL MONDAY.
SENATOR TAFT OF OHIO SAID THE GOP SENATE POLICY COMMITTEE HE HEADS DISCUSSED THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL AGAIN YESTERDAY AND STOOD BY ITS ENDORSEMENT.
TAFT CALLED THE MOVE TO WRITE THE MEASURE INTO THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL JUSTIFIABLE AND SAID HE WILL VOTE FOR THE RIDER IF IT COMES UP.
MUNDT PREDICTED THAT ONLY ONE OR TWO OF THE 42 REPUBLICAN SENATORS WOULD VOTE AGAINST THE RIDER. HE SAID ENOUGH DEMOCRATS ARE READY NOW TO BACK IT TO MAKE APPROVAL CHANCES LOOK GOOD.
MAYBANK DECLINED TO MAKE ANY SPECIFIC PREDICTIONS ABOUT THE DEMOCRATIC LINEUP.
"I AM JUST SAYING THAT THE RIDER DOESN'T STAND A CHANCE," MAYBANK DECLARED.
IN THE HOUSE, MEMBERS OF THE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE SAID THEY EXPECT TO HAVE A STRINGENT ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL READY WITHIN A WEEK.
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NIGHT LEAD TAXES
BY FRANCIS M.LEMAY
WASHINGTON, AUG.17-(AP)-REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS FORMED A SOLID BLOC TODAY TO RAM THROUGH THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S "FIRST INSTALLMENT" $5,000,000,000 TAX-BOOSTING BILL.
THE MEASURE IS INTENDED TO HELP ARM THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD AGAINST RED AGGRESSION.
AFTER THE UNANIMOUS COMMITTEE VOTE, CHAIRMAN GEORGE (D-GA) PREDICTED QUICK SENATE AND HOUSE APPROVAL. THE BILL MAY GO TO THE WHITE HOUSE BY SEPT. 1.
PUTTING THE NATION'S TAX LAWS ON VIRTUALLY A WAR TIME FOOTING, THE LEGISLATION INCREASED BY ABOUT $3,000,000,000 THE INCOME TAXES OF OVER 50,000,000 TAXPAYERS, AND BOOSTS CORPORATION LEVIES BY $1,500,000,000 A YEAR. MORE MILLIONS WILL BE PICKED UP BY PLUGGING VARIOUS TAX LAW LOOPHOLES, AND BY NEW EXCISES ON TELEVISION SETS, HOME FREEZERS AND SLOT MACHINES.
IT MEANS THAT THE GOVERNMENT WILL START DIGGING DEEPER INTO INDIVIDUALS' POCKETBOOKS ON OCT. 1. THE INCREASE WILL AMOUNT TO 20 PER CENT FOR TAX PAYERS IN THE MIDDLE AND LOWER INCOME BRACKETS.
AS ONE OF ITS LAST ACTIONS ON THE BILL, THE COMMITTEE STIPULATED THAT IN THE FUTURE THE GOVERNMENT CAN TAKE 87 PER CENT IN TAXES FROM THE INCOME OF INDIVIDUALS IN THE HIGHEST BRACKETS. THE PRESENT CEILING IS 77 PER CENT.
THE BILL PROVIDES A FULL TAX EXEMPTION ON THE SERVICE PAY OF GI'S FIGHTING THE KOREAN WAR, AND REDUCES THE TAXES OF THEIR OFFICERS.
IT GIVES SPECIAL TAX INCENTIVES TO ENCOURAGE RETOOLING BY INDUSTRY TO PRODUCE THE THINGS AMERICAN FIGHTING FORCES NEED.
THE COMMITTEE REJECTED AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX ON CORPORATIONS AS A PART OF THE PRESENT BILL, BUT IT INSTRUCTED ITS STAFF TO PREPARE SUCH PROPOSALS FOR LATER ACTION, TO BE EFFECTIVE IN 1951.
MOREOVER, IT TOLD THE STAFF TO STUDY THE POSSIBILITIES OF AN EXCESS PROFITS LEVY ON WAR-SWOLLEN INCOMES OF INDIVIDUALS, AND THE POSSI-

BILITIES, ALSO, OF A WHOLESALE OR RETAIL SALES TAXES, OR A NATIONAL TRANSACTION TAX.

GEORGE SAID HIS COMMITTEE AND THE HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE WILL BE IN WASHINGTON IN NOVEMBER, TO BEGIN WORK ON THE SECOND INSTALLMENT TAX BILL.

ALTHOUGH THE PRESENT MEASURE DOES NOT PLUG ALL THE TAX LAW LOOPHOLES THAT MR.TRUMAN SUGGESTED, GEORGE TOLD NEWSMEN "I AM CONFIDENT THE BILL WILL PRODUCE REVENUE CLOSE TO $5,000,000,000," AND PROBABLY EVEN MORE AS THE ECONOMY EXPANDS BECAUSE OF THE DEFENSE EFFORT.

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NIGHT LEAD FOREIGN POLICY (500)

WASHINGTON,AUG 17-(AP)-A DEMOCRATIC SENATOR, STENNIS OF MISSISSIPPI, DECLARED TONIGHT THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION HAS FAILED TO PRODUCE A FOREIGN POLICY BASED ON "HARD REALITIES." HE CALLED ON CONGRESS TO DRAFT ONE, IF THE ADMINISTRATION DOES NOT.

SUCH A POLICY, HE SAID, IN A SPEECH ON THE SENATE FLOOR, SHOULD BE DIRECTED AT RUSSIA, "THE HEART OF THE THREAT TO US."

ONLY A SHORT TIME BEFORE, PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SENATOR WHERRY OF NEBRASKA, REPUBLICAN LEADER, ENGAGED IN A BITTER QUARREL OVER FOREIGN POLICY.

AT A NEWS CONFERENCE, THE PRESIDENT DENOUNCED AS "CONTEMPTIBLE." A SENATE SPEECH BY WHERRY DECLARING THAT THE BLOOD OF AMERICAN GI'S KILLED IN KOREA IS ON THE SHOULDERS OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.

WHERRY PROMPTLY FIRED BACK A STATEMENT SAYING:

"THE PRESIDENT'S FAILURE TO REMOVE ACHESON, AFTER REPUDIATING HIS STUPID FOREIGN POLICIES, IS CONTEMPTIBLE.

"IN KOREA WE ARE NOW REAPING THE WHIRLWIND OF ACHESON'S BLUNDERS AND THE PRESIDENT SEEMS TO BE SO CONFUSED AND PERPLEXED BY THE FLOOD OF EVENTS THAT HE IS BLIND TO THE DEVIOUS PATHS DOWN WHICH ACHESON HAS ADVISED HIM."

STENNIS, IN HIS SENATE SPEECH, CALLED ON THE ADMINISTRATION TO GIVE CONGRESS AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE "A DEFINITE, REALISTIC, POSITIVE POLICY AS TO THIS (KOREAN) WAR AND OUR FUTURE PROTECTION."

"THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES WILL NOT LONG SUPPORT AN UNDECLARED WAR THAT DOES NOT HAVE A DEFINITE DIRECTION, A CLEAR PURPOSE, AND AN ULTIMATE GOAL," HE WARNED.

STENNIS SAID THAT IF LEADERSHIP IS NOT FORTHCOMING FROM THE ADMINISTRATION, THE CONGRESS HAS NO ALTERNATIVE OTHER THAN TO PUT ASIDE ALL OTHER MATTERS "AND FORMULATE A FOREIGN AND WAR POLICY THAT WILL BE BASED ON REASON AND WILL MEET THE HARD REALITIES WE FACE."

STENNIS SAID THAT CONGRESS HAS BEEN ASKED TO APPROPRIATE BILLIONS OF DOLLARS FOR DEFENSE, AS WELL AS APPLY THE DRAFT LAW AND TAKE STEPS FOR HOME FRONT ECONOMIC CONTROLS. HE ADDED:

"BUT STILL, WE AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE ARE ABSOLUTELY IN THE DARK AS TO OUR REAL POLICY AND CONGRESS IS ACTUALLY HAVING TO TAKE THESE FAR-REACHING STEPS AT A TIME WHEN THE ONLY LIGHT BEFORE US AS TO POLICY IS THE FORMER POLICIES OF OUR PRESENT SECRETARY OF STATE, WHICH WERE REPUDIATED BY OUR MARCH INTO KOREA.

"THIS WAS A MARCH FOR WHICH OUR DEFENSE DEPARTMENT HAD NOT BEEN FOREWARNED NOR PREPARED."

WHERRY HAD TURNED HIS FIRE AGAINST ACHESON ON THE GROUND THAT THE SECRETARY OF STATE PURSUED A POLICY OF EQUIPPING THE SOUTH KOREANS ONLY WITH POLICE ARMS INSTEAD OF MORE POWERFUL WEAPONS AS INTENDED UNDER THE FOREIGN AID PROGRAMS PASSED BY CONGRESS.

THE RESULT, WHERRY SAID, WAS THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA AND THE SHEDDING OF AMERICAN BLOOD.

AFTER MR.TRUMAN'S SHARP COMMENT AT A WHITE HOUSE NEWS CONFERENCE, WHERRY LAUNCHED A NEW ATTACK ON ACHESON, DECLARING:

"SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON HAS BLUNDERED THE UNITED STATES INTO WAR IN KOREA. WHAT IS WORSE, HE MAY HAVE BLUNDERED US INTO WAR IN OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD.

"IT WAS ACHESON'S CONSISTENT APPEASEMENT AND CODDLING OF RUSSIA THAT PAVED THE WAY FOR THE MOSCOW-DIRECTED COMMUNISTS TO OVERRUN CHINA AND FOR THE MOSCOW-DIRECTED NORTH KOREANS TO SPRING UPON THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA.

"ACHESON'S BUNGLING IN WESTERN EUROPE MAY PROVE TO BE EQUALLY DIASTROUS, FOR HE KNOCKED PEACE IN THE HEAD BY HIS YEARS OF EFFORT TO IMPOSE THE REVENGEFUL MORGENTHAU PLAN UPON WESTERN GERMANY.

"IN LINE WITH THE COMMUNISTS' WISHES, HE HAS STUBBORNLY FOUGHT INCLUSION OF ANTI-COMMUNIST SPAIN IN THE DEFENSE NETWORK OF WESTERN EUROPE. AND HE HAS STOOD OUT AGAINST ARMING WESTERN GERMANY, THEREBY LEAVING A CORRIDOR FROM RUSSIA TO THE ENGLISH CHANNEL.

"AMERICA'S MILITARY SECURITY HAS BECOME SECONDARY TO ACHESON'S POLITICAL MANEUVERS," WHERRY SAID.

THE MORGENTHAU PLAN, NAMED AFTER FORMER SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY HENRY MORGENTHAU,JR., CALLED FOR DRASTIC DISMANTLING OF GERMANY'S INDUSTRIAL POTENTIAL.

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TRUMAN ROUNDUP

BY D.HAROLD OLIVER

WASHINGTON, AUG. 17-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN DELIVERED A SHARP REBUKE TO SENATOR WHERRY (R-NEB) TODAY FOR SAYING "THE BLOOD OF OUR BOYS IN KOREA" IS ON THE SHOULDERS OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.

MR.TRUMAN TOLD REPORTERS IT WAS A "CONTEMPTIBLE STATEMENT AND BENEATH COMMENT," AND GAVE THEM PERMISSION TO QUOTE THE REMARK.

WHERRY, SENATOR REPUBLICAN FLOOR LEADER, MADE THE ACCUSATION IN A SENATE SPEECH YESTERDAY DURING THE THIRD CONSECUTIVE DAY OF ANGRY DEBATE OVER ADMINISTRATION FOREIGN POLICY.

HE FOLLOWED UP TONIGHT WITH A STATEMENT THAT THE PRESIDENT'S "FAILURE TO REMOVE ACHESON, AFTER REPUDIATING HIS STUPID FOREIGN POLICIES, IS CONTEMPTIBLE."

IT IS THE CONTENTION OF WHERRY AND SOME OTHER REPUBLICANS THAT THE PRESIDENT'S DECISION TO FIGHT IN KOREA, AND TO PROTECT FORMOSA AGAINST COMMUNIST ATTACK, REVERSED ACHESON'S POLICIES.

"IN KOREA," WHERRY SAID, "WE ARE NOW REAPING THE WHIRLWIND OF ACHESON'S BLUNDERS AND THE PRESIDENT SEEMS TO BE SO CONFUSED AND PERPLEXED BY THE FLOOD OF EVENTS THAT HE IS BLIND TO THE DEVIOUS PATHS DOWN WHICH ACHESON HAS ADVISED HIM."

AT TODAY'S NEWS CONFERENCE, MR.TRUMAN REFUSED TO REPLY TO LAST MONDAY NIGHT'S STATEMENT BY FOUR REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE.

THAT STATEMENT, WHICH PRECIPITATED DEMOCRATIC REJOINDERS AND FINALLY WHERRY'S REMARKS YESTERDAY, ASSAILED ADMINISTRATION "BLUNDERS" IN THE FOREIGN FIELD, SAID THERE NEVER HAD BEEN ANY BI-PARTISAN EFFORT IN THE FAR EAST, AND BLAMED THE DEMOCRATS FOR SOVIET EXPANSION IN CHINA AND KOREA.

THE PRESIDENT TODAY, WHILE REFUSING COMMENT, REAFFIRMED HIS SUPPORT OF THE BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY. HE SAID HE IS MUCH INTERESTED IN THAT EFFORT AND HOPES IT WILL CONTINUE BECAUSE IT HAS BEEN EFFECTIVE IN THE PAST.

THE PRESIDENT, RESPONDING TO ANOTHER QUESTION, SAID HE STILL FAVORS UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING FOR AMERICAN YOUTHS. BUT HE SAID HE SEES NO REASON TO PUSH FOR LEGISLATION NOW AS IT IS A VERY CONTROVERSIAL

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MATTER AND HE DOESN'T WANT HIS ALREADY-SUBMITTED EMERGENCY REQUESTS CLUTTERED UP BY ANOTHER DISPUTE.
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CLUTTERED UP BY ANOTHER DISPUTE.
SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON YESTERDAY URGED A UMT PROGRAM BE PUT THROUGH IMMEDIATELY ON A STANDBY BASIS.
THE PRESIDENT SAID HIS PROMISE TO APPOINT MAYOR WILLIAM O'DWYER OF NEW YORK CITY AS AMBASSADOR TO MEXICO AROUND SEPT. 1 MEANT NO RE-FLECTION ON THE PRESENT AMBASSADOR, WALTER THURSTON, A CAREER DIPLOMAT. THURSTON WILL BE OFFERED ANOTHER DIPLOMATIC ASSIGNMENT.
THE PRESIDENT SAID REPRESENTATIVES OF THE TRAINMEN AND CONDUCTORS BROTHERHOODS AND THE RAILROADS, ALTHOUGH IN TEMPORARY ADJOURNMENT OF NEGOTIATIONS TO AVOID A RAIL STRIKE, WILL GET TOGETHER AGAIN SHORTLY.
ASKED IF HE WOULD ALLOW THE DISPUTE TO DEVELOP INTO A STRIKE TYING UP THE NATION'S TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS, HE SAID HE IS HOPEFUL OF A SETTLEMENT. HE SAID HE HAD NOT YET RECEIVED A TELEGRAM FROM THE UNION HEADS SAYING A STRIKE WOULD BE STARTED NEXT TUESDAY ON TWO LINES.

MR.TRUMAN SAID THE MATTER OF DISPERSING GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS IN NEARBY VIRGINIA AND MARYLAND IN EVENT OF A FUTURE WORLD WAR IS STILL UNDER STUDY. THIS WAS IN REPLY TO A QUESTION WHETHER HE WOULD SEND TO CONGRESS SOON A DISPERSAL PLAN BEING FORMULATED BY THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD.
MINDFUL THAT THE PRESIDENT BEGAN THE 1948 POLITICAL CAMPAIGN WITH LABOR DAY SPEECHES, A NEWSMAN TRIED TO LEARN WHETHER THE SAME SET-UP WAS IN THE MAKING THIS YEAR.
INDICATING IT WAS NOT, MR.TRUMAN SAID HE HAS CANCELLED ALL SPEECHES. HE SAID HE IS KEPT BUSY ALL THE TIME AND FAR INTO THE NIGHT.
HE SAID HE IS AGAINST THE HOUSE-PASSED BILL RESTORING TWO MAIL DELIVERIES A DAY, BUT BY-PASSED A QUESTION WHETHER HE WOULD VETO IT. HE SAID THE SENATE STILL MUST ACT AND HE WOULD MAKE HIS DECISION WHEN AND IF THE MEASURE REACHED HIM.
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NIGHT LEAD DULLES
WASHINGTON,AUG.17-(AP)-JOHN FOSTER DULLES TODAY ACCEPTED AN APPOINTMENT BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO SERVE AGAIN AS A DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS.
HE SAID HE WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE FOR THE REPUBLICAN SENATE NOMINATION IN NEW YORK AND WILL CONTINUE HIS PRESENT ROLE OF REPUBLICAN FOREIGN POLICY CONSULTANT TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.
APPOINTMENT OF THE 62-YEAR OLD NEW YORKER WAS EXPECTED TO HAVE TWO IMMEDIATE EFFECTS: (A) LESSENING SOME OF THE FEARS OF A COMPLETE BREAK-UP OF THE BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY FRONT TRACEABLE TO RECENT SENATE DEBATES ON KOREA, AND (B) SCRAMBLING THE NEW YORK GOP SENATORIAL PICTURE.
DULLES MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT AFTER A CALL ON THE PRESIDENT. HE READ THIS STATEMENT TO NEWSMEN:
"THE PRESIDENT HAS ASKED ME IF I WOULD BE AVAILABLE TO SERVE AGAIN ON THE U.S.DELEGATION TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS WHICH WILL MEET IN MID-SEPTEMBER.
"I HAVE TOLD HIM THAT I WOULD.
"AT THIS CRITICAL TIME THE SUPREME TASK IS THAT OF MAKING THE UNITED NATIONS INTO AN EFFECTIVE INSTRUMENT FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE.
"THE OPPORTUNITY TO HELP IN THAT IS ONE THAT I WELCOME EVEN THOUGH IT EXCLUDES MY RUNNING AGAIN FOR THE UNITED STATES SENATE FROM NEW YORK.
"MY SERVICE WITH THE U.S.DELEGATION WILL ALSO EMPHASIZE HOW VITAL IT IS TO CONTINUE BI-PARTISANSHIP IN RELATION TO FOREIGN POLICY."
DULLES SERVED ON THE AMERICAN U.N.DELEGATION UNTIL HIS APPOINTMENT JULY 7,1949 BY GOV.THOMAS E.DEWEY TO A FIVE MONTHS' TERM IN THE SENATE IN SUCCESSION TO DEMOCRAT ROBERT F.WAGNER, WHO RESIGNED BECAUSE OF ILL HEALTH.
HE WAS DEFEATED LAST NOVEMBER BY DEMOCRAT HERBERT H.LEHMAN BY ABOUT 200,000 VOTES. LEHMAN TOOK HIS SEAT LAST DECEMBER.
IT WAS A STEAMING CAMPAIGN IN WHICH LEHMAN WENT DOWN THE LINE FOR THE TRUMAN PROGRAM AND DULLES BITTERLY ATTACKED THE ADMINISTRATION, PARTICULARLY ON THE HOME FRONT. HE ASSAILED WHAT HE CALLED "STATISM," SAYING THERE WAS A TREND TOWARD AN ALL-POWERFUL STATE.

LEHMAN, WHO PRECEDED DULLES ON TODAY'S WHITE HOUSE CALLING LIST, TOLD REPORTERS HE SHOOK HANDS WITH HIS FORMER OPPONENT AND WISHED HIM WELL.
THE SCENE CONTRASTED SHARPLY WITH THE SITUATION LAST WINTER WHEN MR. TRUMAN WAS VACATIONING IN KEY WEST,FLA. THE PRESIDENT TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE ON THAT TRIP THAT DULLES WAS A PART OF THE BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY FRONT UNTIL HE GOT INTO POLITICS.
SHORTLY AFTER THAT, HOWEVER, SECRETARY ACHESON ANNOUNCED IN WASHINGTON THAT DULLES WAS TAKING OVER A POST AS PRINCIPLE CONSULTANT TO HIM AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
THIS ANNOUNCEMENT CAME AFTER A KEY WEST DENIAL OF PUBLISHED REPORTS THAT DULLES WAS TAKING SUCH A POST AS AMBASSADOR-AT-LARGE.
SINCE THEN, DULLES AND THE ADMINISTRATION HAVE WORKED TOGETHER CLOSELY ON ALL ASPECTS OF FOREIGN POLICY, AND THE NEW YORKER HAS BEEN A FREQUENT VISITOR TO CAPITOL HILL. HE CALLED AT THE SENATE ONLY YESTERDAY.
HE TOLD REPORTERS HE IS LEAVING TOMORROW FOR A TWO WEEKS' VACATION.
DULLES' NAME HAD FIGURED PROMINENTLY IN THE NEW YORK SENATE NOMINATION SPECULATION ALONG WITH MANY OTHERS. THE NOMINATING CONVENTION WILL BE HELD EARLY NEXT MONTH. GOV.DEWEY, WHO HAS ANNOUNCED HE WILL NOT RUN AGAIN FOR GOVERNOR, HAS BEEN MENTIONED AS A POSSIBLE SENATE CANDIDATE, ALONG WITH WILLIAM J.DONOVAN, LAWYER AND FORMER HEAD OF THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES IN THE LAST WAR; THOMAS CURRAN, SECRETARY OF STATE; EDWARD CORSI, STATE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSIONER, AND OTHERS.
SENATOR LEHMAN IS EXPECTED TO HAVE NO OPPOSITION FOR THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION.
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GREAT LAKES, ILL., AUG. 17-(AP)-A G.I. WHO SURVIVED A RED FIRING SQUAD ORDEAL IN KOREA TOLD HIS STORY TODAY.
PFC. MADISON T. WHITE, 19, OF BURLINGTON, W.VA., IS ONE OF 26 WOUNDED MEN FLOWN FROM THE BATTLEFRONTS FOR TREATMENT AT THE GREAT LAKES NAVAL TRAINING STATION HOSPITAL.
WHITE SAID HE WAS TAKEN PRISONER JULY 21 AND STOOD UP FOR EXECUTION. HE IS ALIVE BECAUSE HE PRETENEDED HE WAS DEAD WHEN ALL HE GOT FROM THE FIRING SQUAD WAS A BULLET WOUND IN THE SHOULDER.
"I RAN INTO A ROAD BLOCK ON JULY 21 AND WAS WOUNDED IN THE LEFT LEG," WHITE RELATED. "I PICKED MYSELF UP AND STARTED OUT ON FOOT BUT I SOON RAN INTO ANOTHER ROAD BLOCK.
"THERE WERE AMERICANS WITH ME BUT THEY HAD TO LEAVE ME BECAUSE

OF THE PROXIMITY OF NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS. THE REDS CAPTURED ME A SHORT TIME LATER.

"FIRST THEY WENT THROUGH MY POCKETS AND TOOK MY CIGARETTES. THEN THEY STOOD ME UP, ABOUT 30 FEET FROM THE FIRING SQUAD, AND OPENED FIRE. I FELL WITH A BULLET IN THE SHOULDER.

"LUCKILY, I DIDN'T PASS OUT SO I WAS ABLE TO LIE STILL AND FEIGN DEATH. THEY LEFT ME AND AFTER A WHILE, I STARTED CRAWLING AND WALKING SLOWLY BACK TOWARD OUR LINES. THEN I CAME ACROSS ONE OF OUR VEHICLES AND GOT A RIDE BACK TO A FIELD HOSPITAL."

WHITE WAS ONE OF FOUR WOUNDED SOLDIERS WHO ARRIVED TODAY AT THE NAVAL HOSPITAL.

THE OTHERS ARE PFC. IRVIN J. YAROCH, 19, BEAVER DAM, WIS.; GUNTHER M. SANTELMANN, 21, PARMA, O., AND PFC. NICHOLAS E. ARCHBOLD, 20, SYDNEY, O.

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CHICAGO, AUG 17-(AP)-A YOUNG POLISH DISPLACED PERSON WHO SAYS HE DOESN'T WANT TO FIGHT FOR THE UNITED STATES HAS LOST HIS RIGHT TO BECOME AN AMERICAN CITIZEN.

TED WYRWA, 25, WHO ON AUG. 3 REFUSED TO TAKE A PRE-INDUCTION PHYSICAL EXAMINATION, YESTERDAY SIGNED AN APPLICATION FOR RELIF FROM TRAINING AND MILITARY SERVICE. TE THUS IS EXEMPTED FROM MILITARY SERVICE AND BARS HIM FROM BECOMING A CITIZEN.

UNDER PRESENT LAWS, WYRWA CANNOT BE DEPORTED FOR REFUSING TO SERVE IN THE ARMY. WYRWA SAID THAT BECAUSE OF HIS ATTITUDE HE HAD LOS HIS JOB AS AN ASSEMBLER IN A FACTORY.

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DETROIT, AUG. 17-(AP)-COMMANDER CLYDE E. LEWIS OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS CHARGES "GROSS INCOMPETENCY" TO SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON.

HE SAYS THAT JOHNSON SHOULD LEAVE OFFICE OR BE REMOVED.

LEWIS DENOUNCED JOHNSON IN A SPEECH HERE LAST NIGHT IN WHICH HE ACCUSED THE DEFENSE SECRETARY OF HAVING "GAMBLED" WITH AMERICAN SECURITY "IN THE NAME OF VOTE GETTING 'ECONOMY.'"

HE SAID JOHNSON HAD "LOST" AND ADDED THAT THE SECRETARY "SHOULD GO" AND SO SHOULD HIS "LITTLE OLIGARCHY" IN THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT.

THE VFW CHIEF SAID THAT SECRETARY JOHNSON HAD LEFT THE IMPRESSION THAT THE NATION WAS IN "EXCELLENT SHAPE" MILITARILY BUT THAT "WE STAND REVEALED AS UNBELIEVABLY WEAK."

"I INDICT JOHNSON," LEWIS SAID, "ON A CHARGE OF EITHER ABYSMAL IGNORANCE IN NOT RECOGNIZING THE OMINOUS THREAT OF COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN ASIA X X X OR OF BAD FAITH WITH UNITED STATES CITIZENS IN NOT INFORMING THEM OF THE GREAT DANGERS WE FACED X X X."

LEWIS SPOKE AT THE PRESENTATION OF A CITIZENSHIP AWARD TO MRS. FRED T.MURPHY OF DETROIT, MOTHER OF MICHIGAN SECRETARY OF STATE FRED M. ALGER, JR.

"THE WAR MAP, AS OF THIS MOMENT," HE SAID, "IS SUFFICIENT PROOF TO THE AVERAGE MAN OF THE GROSS INCOMPETENCY OF LOUIS JOHNSON."

LEWIS ALSO CHARGED THAT JOHNSON "REPEATEDLY UTTERED CONTRADICTORY AND MISLEADING STATEMENTS" CONCERNING AMERICA'S DEFENSE.

HE MENTIONED JOHNSON'S STATEMENT REGARDING RUSSIA THAT "IF THEY HIT US AT FOUR (O'CLOCK), WE'LL BE AT THEM AT FIVE," AND SAID:

"IT IS NOW DEFINITELY KNOWN THAT THERE NEVER WERE ANY PLANS MADE THAT INVOLVED OFFENSIVE ACTION IN KOREA BY UNITED STATES TROOPS, ONLY WITHDRAWAL PLANS."

LEWIS ACCUSED JOHNSON OF A POLICY OF "POLITICS, NOT PREPAREDNESS" AND SAID THE SECRETARY HAD GIVEN CONGRESS "MISINFORMATION AND COVER-UP STATEMENTS."

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TAFT (250)

BY DICK SMITH

CLEVELAND, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE ADMINISTRATION AND THE ARMY SHOULD TELL THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HOW THEY PLAN TO MEET THE THREAT OF WAR WITH RUSSIA, U.S.SEN. ROBERT A.TAFT DECLARED TODAY.

"MY CHIEF CRITICISM OF THE ADMINISTRATION," THE REPUBLICAN LEADER SAID, "IS THAT I DON'T THINK THEY HAVE A PLAN AND KNOW WHERE THEY ARE GOING. AND THEY HAVEN'T TOLD THE PEOPLE.

"LET THE GOVERNMENT AND ARMY TELL US EXACTLY WHAT WE FACE. HOW DO WE FIGHT? WHERE DO WE FIGHT? HOW MANY MEN WILL BE NEEDED?"

TAFT SPOKE TO A SERVICE CLUBS' LUNCHEON AUDIENCE OF ABOUT 500 PRIOR TO APPEARING TONIGHT AT RALLY IN WHICH OHIO REPUBLICANS WILL LAUNCH FORMALLY THEIR 1950 CAMPAIGN.

IN THE NEXT 11 WEEKS THE SENATOR, BIDDING FOR RE-ELECTION AGAINST STATE AUDITOR JOSEPH T.FERGUSON, DEMOCRAT, IS BOOKED TO SPEAK ALMOST EVERY DAY AND IN NEARLY ALL OF THE STATE'S 88 COUNTIES.

THE SENATOR SAID HE FOUND HIMSELF IN AGREEMENT WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN NOT WANTING WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS AND RATIONING NOW. HE SAID HE AGREES ALSO WITH A PROGRAM OF "PREPAREDNESS SUFFICIENT TO MEET RUSSIA'S THREAT."

"KOREA HAS SERVED THE PURPOSE OF POINTING OUT THE WEAKNESSES OF OUR ARMED FORCES, DESPITE A 15 BILLION DOLLAR ANNUAL EXPENDITURE," TAFT SAID. IT SHOULD ALSO, HE MAINTAINED, MAKE THE ADMINISTRATION COME UP WITH A LONG-RANGE PLAN AGAINST THREAT OF WAR AND SHARE THAT PLAN WITH THE PEOPLE.

"ONE OF OUR CALCULATIONS SHOULD BE THAT RUSSIA WON'T START A THIRD WORLD WAR," TAFT SAID. HE CLAIMED THAT 200 YEARS OF RUSSIAN HISTORY SHOWED THAT NATION "SELDOM HAS GONE THROUGH WITH AN AGGRESSIVE WAR" AND PREFERRED INSTEAD TO "MOVE INTO SOFT SPOTS HERE AND THERE BY INFILTRATION."

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NIGHT LEAD KIDNAP (160)

MARION, O., AUG. 17-(AP)-A MOTHER CHARGED WITH KIDNAPING SAID TODAY SHE ONLY LONGED FOR HER BRITISH PARENTS TO SEE HER SON BEFORE A NEW WAR INTERFERED.

THE TWO-DAY DISAPPEARANCE OF MRS.MARGARITE JOYCE WYRICK, 30, AND HER SON, DAVID REGINALD, 4, PROMPTED A POLICE SEARCH FOR THEM IN EASTERN CITIES AND CANADA.

BUT THE FORMER ENGLISH WAR BRIDE RETURNED HOME FROM TORONTO LAST NIGHT AND SAID SHE DIDN'T KNOW POLICE WERE LOOKING FOR HER AND THE BOY. AND SHE SAID SHE HAD NO THOUGHT OF KIDNAPING HER SON FROM THE REV. AND MRS.LESTER KIDD OF XENIA, O., WHO HAD ADOPTED HIM.

"I WANTED TO SEE MY PEOPLE IN ENGLAND," MRS.WYRICK TOLD NEWSMEN. "I COULDN'T BEAR TO BE AWAY FROM DAVID THAT LONG. I WANTED THEM TO SEE HIM. I WANTED DAVID FOR MYSELF BUT I REALIZED ALL THAT REV. AND MRS.KIDD DID FOR HIM, SO I TURNED AROUND AND CAME BACK."

AFTER ARRANGING TO RETURN DAVID TO HIS FOSTER PARENTS, SHE SURRENDERED TO POLICE WHO JAILED HER OVERNIGHT.

TODAY MRS.WYRICK PLEADED INNOCENT TO THE KIDNAP CHARGE FILED BY MR. KIDD, A BAPTIST MINISTER, AND POSTED $1,000 CASH BOND FOR A MUNICIPAL COURT HEARING AUG. 24.

RS942PES NM

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B56PG (Q) (CO FW)
(160)
PITTSBURGH, AUG. 17-(AP)-MATT CVETIC, FORMER FBI UNDERCOVER AGENT, WAS THE GOVERNMENT'S CLOSING WITNESS TODAY IN A LEGAL BATTLE TO DEPORT FRANK BORICH BECAUSE OF HIS ALLEGED COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.
CVETIC TOLD HEARING EXAMINER BERMAN W.WILLIAMS THAT BORICH, SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL CROATION ASSOCIATION, WAS ACTIVE IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY FOR YEARS AND AS RECENTLY AS LAST FEBRUARY.
WHEN THE TESTIMONY ENDED, WILLIAMS GAVE BORICH, A PITTSBURGHER, ANOTHER CHANCE TO DEFEND HIMSELF UNDER OATH AGAINST THE CHARGES.
BORICH DECLARED:
"NOT WITHOUT MY ATTORNEY."
HE HAS REFUSED TO HAVE ANY PART IN THE HEARING, ARGUING THAT HE HAS BEEN DEPRIVED OF COUNSEL. HE WANTED THE HEARING MOVED TO NEW YORK WHERE MRS. CAROL KING IS HIS ATTORNEY. HE SAID HE CANNOT AFFORD TO BRING HER TO PITTSBURGH.
WILLIAMS GAVE BORICH FIVE DAYS TO CONTACT HIS ATTORNEY AND FILE AN ANSWER IN WRITING TO THE GOVERNMENT'S SIDE OF THE CASE.
CVETIC SAID HE KNEW BORICH DURING CVETIC'S MEMBERSHIP IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY. CVETIC POSED AS A COMMUNIST FOR THE FBI.
D925PED NM

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B68BA (Q)
MI (190)
CHARLESTON, W.VA., AUG 17-(AP)-BRUNETTE YVETTE MADSEN ASKED A FEDERAL COURT TODAY TO VOID HER CONVICTION OF MURDERING HER SOLDIER HUSBAND IN GERMANY.
THE BROOKLYN NATIVE APPEARED BEFORE JUDGE BEN MOORE IN THE SOUTHERN WEST VIRGINIA DISTRICT FEDERAL COURT. SHE IS CONFINED AT THE FEDERAL PRISON FOR WOMEN AT ALDERSON, W.VA.
SHE IS SERVING A 15-YEAR PRISON TERM IMPOSED BY AN ALLIED HIGH COMMISSIONER. HER HUSBAND, FIRST LT.ANDREW E.MADSEN, WAS SHOT FATALLY AFTER A PARTY AT THE RHINE-MAIN AIRBASE IN THE UNITED STATES SECTOR OF GERMANY LAST OCTOBER 30.
MRS.MADSEN CONTENDED SHE HAD FIRED AT HER HUSBAND BECAUSE HE HAD RIDICULED ~~HER BROOKLYN ACCENT~~.
HER APPEARANCE IN COURT TODAY FOLLOWED JUDGE MOORE'S ACTION IN GRANTING HER A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS LAST JULY 14.
THROUGH HER COUNSEL, SHE CONTENDED SHE WAS ARRAIGNED IN ONE COURT AND TRIED IN ANOTHER. SHE SAID NO FORMAL CHARGES WERE FILED IN THE COURT WHICH PASSED THE SENTENCE, AND THE COURTS WERE NOT AUTHORIZED TO TRY U.S.CITIZENS.
THE TRIBUNALS WERE THE U.S.MILITARY GOVERNMENT COURT IN WHICH SHE WAS ARRAIGNED, AND THE U.S.COURT FOR THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION, IN WHICH SHE WAS TRIED UNDER THE GERMAN CODE.
JOSEPH S.ROBINSON, ATTORNEY FOR MRS.MADSEN, ARGUED THAT MILITARY GOVERNMENT IN GERMANY CEASED THE MONTH BEFORE THE SHOOTING OF LIEUTENANT MADSEN AND WAS SUCCEEDED BY THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION.
HE SAID HE DOUBTED WHETHER A MILITARY COURT COULD ACT LEGALLY IN AN AREA WHERE THERE WAS NO MILITARY GOVERNMENT.
ROBINSON CITED A PROCLAMATION BY THE THREE ALLIED OCCUPYING POWERS, WHICH HE SAID RESERVED TO GERMAN CIVILIAN COURTS THE POWER OF TRYING PWERSONS FOR VIOLATION OF GERMAN LAWS.
JOHN M.RAYMOND, STATE DEPARTMENT LEGAL ADVISOR ASSISTING U.S. DISTRICT ATTORNEY GARNET THOMPSON, ARGUED THAT THE MILITARY RETAINED THE POWER OF EXERCISING PROTECTION OVER MILITARY FORCES AND THEIR DEPENDENTS.
HE SAID AMERICANS IN GENERAL WERE IMMUNE TO GERMAN COURT JURISDICTION.
MRS.MADSEN WAS PRESENT IN COURT, ACCOMPANIED BY HER SMALL SON, DANA MADSEN, AND HER FATHER, ALFRED NOACK OF BROOKLYN. MRS.MADSEN WAS BROUGHT HERE IN THE CUSTODY OF MISS NINA KINSELLA, WARDEN OF THE WOMEN'S REFORMATORY AT ALDERSON.
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A64WX
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9:30 A.M., E.S.T., TODAY THURSDAY AUG. 17)
(380) (ADVANCE) (WX) ALEXANDRIA,VA.,AUG 17-(AP)-PAUL H.GRIFFITH, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, SAID TODAY THAT THE DOLLAR COSTS OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING WOULD BE GREATER THAN THEY ARE "IF WE HAD NOT, IN MONTHS PAST, LEARNED TO GET THE GREATEST AMOUNT OF DEFENSE FOR EVERY DOLLAR SPENT."
GRIFFITH DESCRIBED SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, WHO HAS BEEN CRITICIZED BY SOME FOR HIS PREVIOUS ECONOMIES, AS "THE MOST SINCERE, HONEST AND CAPABLE EXECUTIVE THAT CAN BE FOUND ANY PLACE IN THE WORLD."
A STRONG EXAMPLE OF THE CRITICISM OF JOHNSON WAS SUPPLIED LAST NIGHT BY CLYDE A.LEWIS, COMMANDER OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS. LEWIS TOLD A DETROIT AUDIENCE THAT JOHNSON "GAMBLED WITH THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE NAME OF VOTE-GETTING 'ECONOMY' AND LOST."
GRIFFITH CAME TO JOHNSON'S DEFENSE WITH AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR THE ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF THE AMERICAN LEGION. HE WAS SCHEDULED TO SPEAK TODAY BUT WAS UNABLE TO DO SO BECAUSE OF THE PRESS OF OTHER BUSINESS IN WASHINGTON. HE NOTIFIED THE LEGION HE WOULD DELIVER THE ADDRESS TOMORROW INSTEAD. IN HIS PREPARED TEXT, DISTRIBUTED IN ADVANCE BY THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, HE SAID:
HOWEVER, GRIFFITH SAID IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR THE ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF THE AMERICAN LEGION:
"IT IS SAFE TO SAY THAT FEW AMERICANS, IF ANY, DOUBT THE NECESSITY OF MILITARY EXPANSION AT AN ACCELERATED RATE, REGARDLESS OF COST. HOWEVER, IT SHOULD BE A SOURCE OF PLEASURE TO THE TAXPAYER THAT THE COST IN DOLLARS WILL NOT BE SO GREAT AS WOULD BE THE CASE IF WE HAD NOT, IN MONTHS PAST, LEARNED TO GET THE GREATEST AMOUNT OF DEFENSE FOR EVERY DOLLAR SPENT.
"INDEED IF THIS EMERGENCY HAD ARISEN NOT TOO LONG AGO, MANY OF THE DOLLARS WHICH NOW CAN BE SPENT FOR PLANES AND TANKS AND GUNS AND SHIPS WOULD HAVE GONE INTO USELESS OVERHEAD.
"THIS SITUATION IS NOT ACCIDENTAL. IT WAS BROUGHT ABOUT BY THE EARNEST WORK OF SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON."
GRIFFITH SAID HE WAS PROUD TO BE ASSOCIATED WITH JOHNSON AND ADDED:
"HIS PLAN FROM THE VERY BEGINNING OF HIS ADMINISTRATION HAS BEEN TO ASSURE PEACE THROUGH STRENGTH AND HE HAS ENDEAVORED TO BUILD THAT STRENGTH WITHIN THE CAPABILITY OF THE AMERICAN ECONOMY. HE STILL BELIEVES THAT EVEN IN THIS TIME OF CRISIS WE SHOULD NOT TOLERATE WASTE AND EXTRAVAGANCE."
GRIFFITH SAID THE KOREAN DEVELOPMENTS HAD DEMONSTRATED THE WISDOM

OF ARMED FORCES UNIFICATION.
HE URGED THAT CALM JUDGMENT NOT BE OVERCOME BY HYSTERIA, SAYING:
"DISUNITY, ILL-CONSIDERED ACTION, LACK OF CONFIDENCE IN OUR GOVERNMENT, PANIC ARE AMONG THE CONDITIONS AND STATES OF MIND COMMUNIST PROPAGANDISTS HAVE FRUITLESSLY ATTEMPTED TO ESTABLISH IN THIS COUNTRY FOR THE PAST QUARTER OF A CENTURY."
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9:30 A.M., E.S.T., TODAY THURSDAY AUG. 17)
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(250)
CARROLLTON,GA.,AUG 17-(AP)-GEORGIA'S NO.1 COMMUNIST, HOMER BATES CHASE, WAS GIVEN A BLOODY BEATING TODAY IN THIS TOWN WHERE HE RECENTLY WAS CONVICTED OF CONTEMPT OF COURT.
AFTER THREE MEN WORKED HIM OVER WITH THEIR FISTS, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN GEORGIA WIPED THE BLOOD FROM HIS FACE AND DROVE AWAY. CHASE COULD NOT BE LOCATED FOR COMMENT. HE LIVES IN ATLANTA.
POLICE CHIEF RADER THREADGILL AND SHERIFF DENVER GASTON SAID NO FORMAL CHARGES OR COMPLAINTS HAD BEEN FILED WITH THEM. THEY SAID THEY HAD RECEIVED ONLY SECOND AND THIRD HAND ACCOUNTS OF THE INCIDENT.
HAL DAVID, REPORTER FOR THE CARROLL COUNTY GEORGIAN, WITNESSED THE MAULING. HE GAVE THESE DETAILS:
"CHASE DROVE UP AND PARKED ACROSS A STREET FROM A DOWNTOWN DRUGSTORE. SEVERAL MEN IN FRONT OF THE DRUGSTORE SPOTTED HIM AND STARTED JAWING AT HIM. CHASE AND THE MEN EXCHANGED UNCOMPLIMENTARY PHRASES FOR A MINUTE OR TWO, THEN CHASE CALLED ONE OF THE MEN A S.O.B.
"WITH THAT THE MAN CHASED CHASE BACK ACROSS THE STREET WHERE THE COMMUNIST LEADER JUMPED INTO HIS CAR. THE MAN PUSHED ON IN WITH HIM AND STARTED SLINGING HIS FISTS. ANOTHER MAN, AND THEN A THIRD SHOVED THEIR WAY INTO CHASE'S CAR TO HELP THE FIRST PUMMEL CHASE'S FACE AND HEAD.
"THE THREE MEN THEN STEPPED OUT OF THE CAR. CHASE SAT AT ONE OF THE OPEN DOORS AND WIPED BLOOD FROM HIS FACE WITH A HANDKERCHIEF."
NONE OF THE THREE MEN WHO HIT CHASE WAS IDENTIFIED.
(ELIMINATING "CHASE COULD NOT BE LOCATED FOR COMMENT" IN SECOND PGH).
IN ATLANTA TONIGHT, CHASE DENIED THAT HE CURSED ANYONE.
HE SAID HE AND GEORGE PIERCE DROVE TO CARROLLTON TO GET SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE SAMUEL J. BOYKIN TO SIGN SOME PAPERS, BUT COULD NOT LOCATE THE JUDGE.
"I PARKED ON THE STREET, AND GOT OUT OF THE CAR TO PUT SOME MONEY IN A PARKING METER. A MAN SOCKED ME WITH HIS FIST FROM BEHIND. USING MY PARATROOPER TRAINING, I TIED HIM UP SO HE COULDN'T HIT ME ANYMORE.
"I WENT TO A DEPUTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE AND HAD HIS WIFE CALL THE SHERIFF. THE SHERIFF SAID I COULD MEET HIM AT HIS OFFICE. HE REFUSED TO DO ANYTHING.
"I WENT BACK TO THE CAR AND A COUPLE MORE GUYS JUMPED ME. I GOT THEM OUT OF MY CAR AND SHUT THE DOOR. I SENT PIERCE TO THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE, BUT THE SHERIFF WASN'T IN. WE THEN LEFT CARROLLTON."
CHASE SAID HE RECEIVED A SCRATCHED FACE AND A SLIGHT BUMP ON HIS HI
IN THE SCUFFLING.

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CHASE WAS CONVICTED OF CONTEMPT IN CONNECTION WITH THE PUBLICATION AND CIRCULATION OF PAMPHLETS CHARGING THAT A NEGRO, CLARENCE HENDERSON, DID NOT GET A FAIR MURDER TRIAL. HENDERSON WAS SENTENCED TO DEATH LAST JANUARY, BUT THE STATE SUPREME COURT GRANTED A NEW TRIAL THREE WEEKS AGO.
THE STATE SUPREME COURT ALSO SET ASIDE CHASE'S CONTEMPT CONVICTION AND ORDERED A NEW TRIAL.
TM857PES

A81KX
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 17-(AP)-OFFICIAL ACTIVATION OF THE FIRST COMBAT WARSHIP FROM THE PACIFIC RESERVE "MOTHBALL" FLEET BEGAN AT THE SAN FRANCISCO NAVAL SHIPYARD, HUNTERS POINT, TODAY.
NAVY TECHNICIANS AND CIVILIAN WORKMEN SWARMED OVER THE 13,500-TON "JEEP" CLASS AIRCRAFT CARRIER USS BAIROKO.
THE NAVY SAID THE SHIP WAS BEING PUT IN TOP CONDITION "FOR THE PART IT MIGHT PLAY IN THE KOREAN WAR."
FJ635PCS

AUG 18 1950

A94KX KOREAN SUPPLIES)
(170)
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 17-(AP)-THE ARMY EXPECTS TO SHIP ABOUT ONE MILLION MEASUREMENT TONS OF SUPPLIES TO THE KOREAN WAR FRONT THIS MONTH, AFTER WHICH IT EXPECTS THE VOLUME TO SLACKEN.
THE ESTIMATE WAS GIVEN BY MAJ. GEN. FRANK A. HEILEMAN, CHIEF OF THE ARMY TRANSPORTATION CORPS, WHO IS INSPECTING SAN FRANCISCO BAY PORT OF EMBARCATION FACILITIES.
(A MEASUREMENT TON IS 40 CUBIC FEET OF CARGO, REGARDLESS OF ITS WEIGHT.)
"AFTER AUGUST THE LOAD WILL LIGHTEN---BARRING THE UNEXPECTED," GEN. HEILEMAN SAID. HE ADDED THAT THERE IS NO NEED FORESEEN TO WITHDRAW MORE CARGO SHIPS FROM "MOTHBALL" FLEETS.
THE GENERAL BELIEVES THE CRITICAL PERIOD IN SUPPLYING AMERICAN FORCES IN KOREA HAS PASSED. HE EXPLAINED THAT EACH MAN SENT INTO BATTLE REQUIRES AN AVERAGE OF SEVEN TONS OF SUPPLIES DURING THE FIRST 30 DAYS. THIS SEVEN TONS AVERAGE, OF COURSE, INCLUDES A LOT OF HEAVY STUFF THE INDIVIDUAL SOLDIER DOES NOT PERSONALLY USE.
"DURING EACH SUCCESSIVE MONTH, HOWEVER, A FIGHTING MAN NEEDS ONLY ONE TON OF SUPPLIES," HEILEMAN EXPLAINED. "THAT IS BECAUSE HIS TANKS, TRUCKS, ARTILLERY AND OTHER HEAVY EQUIPMENT ALREADY IS IN THE FIELD WITH HIM."
FJ14PCS

AMS (100)
FIRST CAVALRY, KOREA--FIRST ADD THIRD NIGHT LEAD ATROCITIES (BY HAL BOYLE) X X AMERICAN CAPTIVES.
BODIES OF 36 AMERICAN SOLDIERS, ALL WITH ARMS BOUND AND OBVIOUSLY VICTIMS OF A RED EXECUTION, WERE REMOVED FROM HILL 303 FRIDAY AFTERNOON, LIFE MAGAZINE PHOTOGRAPHER HANK WALKER REPORTED. MOST BODIES HAD BEEN STRIPPED OF SHOES.
THEY WERE HUDDLED TOGETHER AS THOUGH THEY HAD BEEN TRYING TO TAKE COVER WHEN CAUGHT, WALKER SAID. MOST HAD BEEN SHOT IN THE BACK.
"THEIR FACES WERE BURIED IN THE GROUND," WALKER SAID.
THE BODY OF ANOTHER MAN, WHO APPARENTLY HAD TRIED TO ESCAPE, WAS FOUND ABOUT 400 YARDS AWAY.
JEEPS BROUGHT THE BODIES OUT UNDER SNIPER FIRE. GRENADES SILENCED THE SNIPERS.
THE IDENTIFICATION X X 2ND GRAPH 2ND NIGHT LEAD AS BEFORE.
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STARTING AUGUST 18, 1950

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A25FX
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THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (220)
BY MILTON MARMOR
TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 19--(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY AN AMERICAN-SOUTH KOREAN ATTACK AGAINST PERHAPS 50,000 ENEMY TROOPS NORTH OF TAEGU HAD GAINED TWO AND ONE-HALF MILES.

A SPOKESMAN IN A DELAYED REPORT DISCLOSED THAT SOUTH KOREAN FORCES OF UNDETERMINED STRENGTH LANDED AND TOOK TOKCHOK ISLAND WEST OF INCHON TUESDAY. BRITISH CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS SUPPORTED THE LANDING. HE GAVE NO DETAILS.

THE MACARTHUR HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY SAID THE RED TROOPS WERE MASSED FOR A POSSIBLE THRUST AGAINST THE IMPORTANT FORWARD SUPPLY HUB OF TAEGU.

FORWARD ELEMENTS OF THE ATTACKING ALLIES DROVE CLOSE TO KUMHWA, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. THE ALLIED ASSAULT BEGAN FRIDAY.

THE DANGER "AGAINST TAEGU DOESN'T EXIST TODAY AS THE DAY BEFORE," SAID A MACARTHUR SPOKESMAN.

HE ALSO SAID 90 B-29S RESUMED THEIR ATTACK ON RED COMMUNICATIONS BY DROPPING 800 TONS OF BOMBS TODAY ON CHONGJIN, KEY BRIDGES AND OTHER TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA.

A26FX
THE SPOKESMAN SAID IN ONE OF THE BITTEREST DAYS OF FIGHTING, AMERICAN FORCES THURSDAY INFLICTED AN ESTIMATED 1,250 CASUALTIES AND TOOK THREE RED PRISONERS. ON THE SAME DAY, SOUTH KOREANS INFLICTED 936 CASUALTIES AND TOOK 74 PRISONERS, HE ADDED.

EARLIER DISPATCHES FROM THE EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA REPORTED ALLIED GAINS UP TO ONE-HALF MILE IN THE VITAL NORTHERN FRONT. IT IS IN THIS CRITICAL AREA THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE TROOPS MASSED FOR A DRIVE ON TAEGU.

DISPATCHES FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA BY ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON SAID TAEGU REMAINED A DESERTED CITY--EVEN AFTER IT BECAME CLEAR THE CITY ITSELF WAS NOT IMMEDIATELY THREATENED.

ERICKSON REPORTED THE U.S. 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT--THE NOW FAMOUS WOLFHOUNDS--BEAT OFF A NIGHT ATTACK FRIDAY BY AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF COMMUNISTS WHO RODE TRUCKS TO BATTLE IN THE WAKE OF FIVE RUSSIAN-BUILT TANKS.

A175FX
THE AMERICANS AND THEIR SOUTH KOREAN ALLIES, KNOCKED OUT FOUR OF THE ATTACKING RED TANKS--TWO BY BAZOOKA FIRE AND TWO MORE BY ARTILLERY--ACCORDING TO AN 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE.

THIS PERMITTED A 1,000-YARD ADVANCE BY THE 27TH AND ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION TO UNSPECIFIED POINTS, SOUTH OF KUMWHA.

THE TOWN OF KUMWHA HOWEVER, REMAINED IN COMMUNIST HANDS.

FARTHER SOUTH THE SECOND MOST SERIOUS FRONT AT THE CHANGNYONG RIVER BULGE, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, AMERICAN MARINES AND U.S. 24TH DIVISION INFANTRYMEN MOPPED UP.

THERE WAS "NO AGGRESSIVE ACTION," BY THE REDS, THE 8TH ARMY REPORTED.

MANY OF THE 12,000 REDS RETREATING IN THAT SECTOR THREW AWAY THEIR GUNS AND TRIED TO SWIM OR FORD THE NAKTONG TO THE WEST BANK. SWARMS OF CARRIER AND LAND-BASED PLANES POURED DOWN ROCKETS, 20 MILLIMETER CANNON FIRE AND JELLIED GASOLINE BOMBS.

AN OFFICIAL RELEASE SAID "RETREATING MASSES" WERE CAUGHT AND SUFFERED "SEVERE LOSSES."

AN ESTIMATED 300 REDS WERE KILLED BY THE 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION WHEN ATTACKS WERE REPULSED ON THE DEEP SOUTHERN FRONT, NEAR MASAN. THE ATTACKS WERE MADE FRIDAY.

ON THE OPPOSITE EXTREME OF THE 120-MILE LONG BATTLEFRONT, "SHORT" ALLIED ADVANCES WERE MADE IN THE POHANG AND KIGYE AREA---EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE ALLIED LINE. BOTH TOWNS WERE ANNOUNCED RECAPTURED YESTERDAY BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.

A177FX
THE "PRESENT MAIN ENEMY EFFORT" CONTINUED TO FOCUS NORTH OF TAEGU IN THE KUMWHA SECTOR, GENERAL MACARTHUR NOTED IN AN EARLIER RELEASE.

AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THREE NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS WITH AT LEAST 20 TANKS HAD BEEN IDENTIFIED IN THE COMMUNIST BUILDUP AROUND KUMHWA. THEY WERE NAMED THE FIRST. THIRD AND 13TH.

THE U.S.MARINE FIRST BRIGADE AND THE ARMY 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION SIMULTANEOUSLY GAVE WHAT THE 24TH COMMANDING GENERAL CALLED "A HELL OF A LICKING" TO THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION IN ITS 12,000-MAN BRIDGEHEAD EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR CHANGNYONG, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE MARINES AND THE 24TH DIVISION MADE A THREE-MILE DENT IN THE CHANGNYONG BULGE, VIRTUALLY HALVING IT, IN 36 HOURS OF FEROCIOUS FIGHTING.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED FROM THE SECTOR THAT THE REDS MADE NO COUNTERATTACKS DURING LAST NIGHT; THAT THE AMERICANS WERE PREPARED FOR MOPPING UP OPERATIONS TODAY; THAT THE ENTIRE BRIDGEHEAD OF 12,000 MIGHT BE "COMPLETELY REDUCED" BY TOMORROW NIGHT.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS THAT THE AMERICAN SUCCESS IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA WAS DEEMED A SIGNAL VICTORY.

THE MARINE ATTACK SENT THE ENEMY'S SOUTHERN FLANK REELING INTO THE PATH OF THE 24TH DIVISION, WHICH HEAVILY ENGAGED IT.

THE AMERICANS HIT THE CRACK RED FOURTH DIVISION SO HARD THAT MANY OF THE RED TROOPS DROPPED THEIR GUNS AND FLED WEST ACROSS THE RIVER.

MAJ.GEN.JOHN H.CHURCH, COMMANDER OF THE 24TH AND OF THE COMBINED MARINE-INFANTRY ATTACK, SAID THE BLOW MAY HAVE ENDED THE FIGHTING DAYS OF THE RED KOREAN DIVISION.

"I THINK EVERYTHING HAS GONE VERY WELL," SAID THE GENERAL. "HE (THE ENEMY) CERTAINLY HAS TAKEN A HELL OF A LICKING. THAT'S CERTAIN. I DON'T THINK THAT DIVISION WILL DO MUCH FIGHTING FOR A WHILE.

"WHAT I'D LIKE TO DO IS DESTROY THAT DIVISION ENTIRELY."

A197KX
AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS MANNING THE THINLY HELD NORTHERN FRONT RETOOK POHANG, SECONDARY AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT ON THE EAST COAST, AND KIGYE, 10 MILES INLAND, THEN CAPTURED HIGH GROUND NORTH OF KIGYE TO MAKE THEIR DEFENSE LINE MORE COHESIVE.

CORRESPONDENT ERICKSON SENT WORD FROM EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS AT 7:20 A.M. (4:20 P.M., FRIDAY E.S.T.) THAT THE ENEMY APPEAREDD TO BE WITHDRAWING FROM THE KIGYE-POHANG SECTOR.

ERICKSON THAT KIGYE WAS SECURELY IN UNITED NATIONS HANDS.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD THE U. N. DEFENSE PERIMETER WAS GENERALLY QUIET THROUGHOUT FRIDAY NIGHT, HE SAID.

A LONE ENEMY PLANE STRAFED THE U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AREA ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG DURING THE NIGHT, BUT HIT NOBODY. IT WAS THE FIRST ENEMY NIGHT FIGHTER TO APPEAR SO FAR IN THE WAR, NEARLY TWO MONTHS OLD.

IN THE ONLY OTHER REPORTED ACTION OF THE NIGHT, A RED PATROL OF 20 MEN ATTACKED THE COMMAND POST OF THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION NORTH OF TAEGU AND WAS DRIVEN OFF.

THE ALLIES ORDERED TAEGU EVACUATED SO ITS WAR-SWOLLEN POPULATION OF MORE THAN A HALF MILLION CIVILIANS WOULD NOT BECOME ENTANGLED IN MILITARY OPERATIONS AND TO REDUCE DANGER OF GUERRILLAS MINGLING WITH THE REFUGEES.

SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT LEADERS ALSO LEFT TAEGU TO SET UP A NEW PROVISIONAL CAPITAL ELSEWHERE.

CIVILIANS ALSO WERE BEING EVACUATED FROM TOWNS AND VILLAGES ALL ALONG THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT, WHERE THE U.S.35TH AND NEGRO 24TH REGIMENTS REPULSED A SMALL BUT SAVAGE RED ASSAULT AND REGAINED THREE HEIGHTS.

THE MOST SERIOUS THREAT ON THE WHOLE FRONT REMAINED ON THE NORTH OF TAEGU, WHERE THE REDS SHOVED IN THREE DIVISIONS ESTIMATED CONSERVATIVELY AT 30,000 MEN. THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST AND SIXTH DIVISIONS AND THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT BUCKED INTO THIS RED DANGER POINT IN CLOSE COOPERATION FRIDAY AND RECAPTURED FROM ONE HALF TO ALL THE GROUND LOST THURSDAY. A DOZEN TO 15 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

THE TOKYO SUMMARY EARLY SATURDAY MORNING SAID THE DEFENDERS NOW "ARE HOLDING FIRM IN THE FACE OF THE PRESENT MAIN ENEMY EFFORT."

THERE HAD BEEN REASON FOR URGENT APPREHENSION IN TAEGU EARLY FRIDAY. NORTH KOREAN INVADERS AND THEIR RUSSIAN-BUILT TANKS HAD DRIVEN A MENACING SALIENT CLOSE TO THE HIGHWAY VILLAGE OF TABU, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

IT LOOKED AS THOUGH THE BIG RED PUSH, ONCE ADVERTISED TO START ON THE AUG.15 ANNIVERSARY OF KOREA'S LIBERATION FROM THE JAPANESE, WAS FINALLY UNDER WAY.

THEN, SWIFTLY AND QUIETLY, ONE OF THE "FIRE BRIGADES" OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER, LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER, WAS RUSHED NORTH FROM A POINT 50 MILES AWAY TO BULWARK THE HEROICALLY BATTLING FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION.

THE "FIRE BRIGADE" WAS THE 27TH "WOLFHOUND" REGIMENT, COMMANDED BY LT.COL.JOHN H.MICHAELIS OF LANCASTER,PA.

THE WOLFHOUNDS AND THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION JUMPED OFF IN A CRITICAL COUNTERATTACK FRIDAY MORNING, PLANES STRAFED AND ROCKETED THE ENEMY, AND PERSHING TANKS LED THE ASSAULT. HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE WAS LAID DOWN.

THE REDS STAGGERED BACK. TAEGU WAS CONSIDERED SECURE FOR THE MOMENT, BUT THERE WAS NO GUARANTEE THAT THE REDS WOULDN'T RENEW THEIR DRIVE FOR THE CITY AT ANY TIME.

THE AMERICAN STRIKE AT THE REDS' CHANGNYONG BULGE SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU WAS SO INTENSE THAT VETERAN OBSERVERS COMPARED IT WITH THE BITTEREST FIGHTING OF THE PACIFIC IN WORLD WAR II.

AN AMERICAN ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH AFTER THE FIGHT THAT THE AMERICANS HAD GAINED THEIR IMMEDIATE OBJECTIVE--ALL THE STRATEGIC HIGH GROUND OVERLOOKING THE NAKTONG RIVER.

THE ENTIRE RED FOURTH DIVISION AND AN ENGINEER REGIMENT WERE THROWN BACK BY THE AMERICAN ONSLAUGHT.

ON THE SOUTHERNMOST KOREAN FRONT, SOUTH OF THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR, AMERICANS ALSO BEAT BACK A RED ASSAULT AND, IN HAND-TO-HAND CLASHES, RECAPTURED THREE STRATEGIC MOUNTAIN PEAKS. THE U.S. 35TH AND 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENTS CARRIED THE FIGHT TO THE REDS IN THAT AREA.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT SAID RED PRISONERS TOLD INTERROGATORS THEY SAW A RUSSIAN OFFICER WITH THE NORTH KOREANS BEFORE THE RED ATTACK BEGAN.

AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN PLANES STRUCK IN CLOSE COOPERATION WITH GROUND TROOPS EVERYWHERE AS THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS JOLTED THE INVADERS.

INDICATIONS MOUNTED THAT THE ENEMY WAS SUFFERING BADLY FROM THE STEADY AIR ATTACK ON HIS COMMUNICATIONS LINES.

AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER AT TOKYO HEADQUARTERS SAID MORE REDS WERE SURRENDERING BECAUSE THEY WERE HUNGRY. THIS MEANS, HE SAID, THAT ENEMY SUPPLY ROUTES ARE BECOMING DISORGANIZED.

WITHOUT SUPPORTING DETAIL, THE RED RADIO AT THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG BROADCAST CLAIMS OF HUGE CASUALTIES AMONG THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES AND SAID MANY PRISONERS WERE TAKEN, ALONG WITH LARGE STORES OF WAR BOOTY.

THE RADIO ALSO TOLD OF NORTH KOREAN FORCES REPULSING AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN COUNTERATTACKS ON VARIOUS FRONTS.

ON THE DIPLOMATIC FRONT, THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT IN A 3,800 WORD "WHITE PAPER" ANNOUNCED A POLICY OF COOPERATION WITH THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT.

THE GOVERNMENT SAID "TO COOPERATE WITH THE DEMOCRACIES AND ASSIST IN STRENGTHENING THEIR UNITY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AS NOTHING LESS THAN A MEASURE FOR OUR OWN SELF DEFENSE."

JAPAN HAS SERVED AS THE PRINCIPAL STAGING AREA FOR THE UNITED NATIONS EFFORT IIN KOREA. RECENT SUGGESTIONS THAT JAPANESE TROOPS BE ARMED FOR DUTY IN KOREA MET A QUICK VETO FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR.

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BULLETIN. BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SATURDAY, AUG 19-(AP)- AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES PUSHED AHEAD ANOTHER HALF MILE TODAY IN THE KUMHWA AREA, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU WHERE THE FIRST THRUST OF A BUDDING RED OFFENSIVE HAS BEEN TEMPORARILY BLOCKED.

THE U.S. [redacted] REGIMENT (27TH) BEAT OFF A NIGHT ATTACK FRIDAY BY AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF COMMUNISTS RIDING IN TRUCKS BEHIND FIVE TANKS. ONE TANK WAS DESTROYED AND ANOTHER DAMAGED. THE OTHER THREE TANKS RETREATED.

AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE, APPARENTLY REFERRING TO THE KUMWHA BATTLE, SAID FOUR OF FIVE ATTACKING RED TANKS WERE DESTROYED. TWO WERE KNOCKED OUT BY BAZOOKAS AND TWO OTHERS BY ARTILLERY.

THE AMERICANS AND REPUBLICANS THEN PUSHED AHEAD 1,000 YARDS THIS MORNING. THE THRUST WAS DESIGNED TO STRAIGHTEN OUT THE SALIENT PUNCHED IN ALLIED LINES BY THE RED ADVANCE SOUTH OF KUMHWA. THIS KEY HIGHWAY TOWN WAS STILL IN COMMUNIST HANDS.

THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT UNDER COL.JOHN H.MICHAELIS OF LANCASTER, PA., WAS HURRIED TO THE NORTHERN SECTOR AS A "FIRE BRIGADE" TO STOP THE ADVANCING REDS. THE AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN APPARENTLY ACCOMPLISHED THAT FOR THE MOMENT.

THE RED ATTACK WHICH WON KUMHWA THURSDAY EVIDENTLY WAS A REGIMENTAL THRUST IN ADVANCE OF LARGER FORCES WHICH HAVE NOT YET JOINED THE BATTLE. THREE RED DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED IN THAT AREA. THE COMMUNISTS APPARENTLY WERE CONTINUING THEIR USUAL PRACTICE OF PROBING FOR A SOFT SPOT THROUGH WHICH TO RAM A MAJOR ASSAULT.

THIS FRONT STILL REMAINS CRITICAL. THE RED'S CRACK FIRST AND THIRD DIVISIONS, SUPPORTED BY THE 15TH, ARE AVAILABLE TO POWER A LONG ANTICIPATED ATTACK ON TAEGU, SUPPLY HUB OF THE ADVANCED FRONT.

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THE SIZE OF FRIDAY NIGHT'S ATTACK BY THE REDS WAS UNKNOWN. GROUND FORCES TURNED BACK THE TANK COLUMN AND AMERICAN ARTILLERY POUNDED THE TROOP CARRYING TRUCKS.

THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION, MEANWHILE, REPORTED INCREASED PRESSURE AGAINST ITS POSITIONS NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN. REPUBLICAN (SOUTH KOREAN) ARMY FIELD REPORTS SAID A RED DIVISION WAS BEHIND THE RENEWED PROBING ATTACKS BUT IT WAS LIKELY THIS ESTIMATE WAS HIGH.

THE REDS DID NOT HIT AGAIN AT THE ADJACENT FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AROUND WAEGWAN. AT 3 P.M. TODAY (12 MIDNIGHT FRIDAY) THE SITUATION THERE WAS DESCRIBED AS QUIET.

INTERRUPTED PRESS COMMUNICATIONS PREVENT FURTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING THE BATTLE IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD, 25 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH, WHO IS THERE WITH THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION AND MARINES, REPORTED THIS MORNING THAT MOPPING UP OPERATIONS HAD STARTED AGAINST THE REMNANTS OF PERHAPS 12,000 RED TROOPS WHO ONCE HELD THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.

NO RED COUNTERATTACKS WERE MADE DURING FRIDAY NIGHT AT THIS POINTS AND HUNDREDS OF THE ENEMY WERE REPORTED IN RETREAT FRIDAY.

TAEGU REMAINED A DESERTED CITY SATURDAY. MOST OF THE KOREAN CIVILIANS WHO WERE ORDERED EVACUATED FRIDAY REMAINED AWAY FROM THE CITY EVEN THOUGH IT WAS CLEAR THE CITY WAS NOT IMMEDIATELY THREATENED.

SOME KOREANS STILL REMAIN, HOWEVER, AND A FEW SHOPS WERE OPEN FOR BUSINESS AS USUAL ON SATURDAY.

THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT 3:20 P.M. (12:20 A.M. EST) SAID THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION HAD BEGUN AN ATTACK BUT NO PROGRESS REPORTS RECEIVED. IT MADE NO MENTION OF THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT.

OF THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THERE WAS "NO AGGRESSIVE ACTION" BY THE ENEMY BUT AMERICAN PATROLS WERE FIRED ON IN THE NORTHERN PART OF THIS SECTOR.

THREE HUNDRED REDS WERE KILLED BY THE 35TH REGIMENT WHEN THE 25TH DIVISION REPULSED A COMMUNIST ATTACK ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT WEST OF MASAN FRIDAY, THE COMMUNIQUE ADDED.

"SHORT" ALLIED ADVANCES WERE REPORTED IN THE EAST WHERE POHANG AND KIGYE HAVE BEEN RECAPTURED.

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FOURTH LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG 19-(AP)-ALLIED TROOPS, TANKS, ARTILLERY AND AIR BOMBS TURNED TWO RED KOREAN THRUSTS--42,000 MEN--AWAY FROM THREATENED TAEGU CITY FRIDAY.

SOUTH OF TAEGU A CRACK RED KOREAN DIVISION TOOK WHAT AN AMERICAN GENERAL CALLED A "HELL OF A LICKING" AT THE HANDS OF U.S. MARINES AND INFANTRYMEN.

THE CITY ITSELF WAS TURNED INTO A STEEL-RIMMED FORTRESS BY AN ALLIED EVACUATION ORDER SENDING MORE THAN A HALF MILLION CIVILIANS TREKKING AWAY AS REFUGEES.

THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT ALSO WAS SENT AWAY TO ESTABLISH ITS NEW REFUGEE CAPITAL SOMEWHERE.

THE WAR-SWOLLEN POPULACE WAS REMOVED MAINLY SO IT WOULD NOT GET UNDERFOOT IN MILITARY OPERATIONS--AND TO REDUCE THE POSSIBILITY OF UPRISINGS BY INFILTRATED COMMUNISTS AMONG THE REFUGEES.

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A THRUST BY 30,000 NORTH KOREANS WAS STOPPED 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU BY SOUTH KOREANS.

THEN AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS LUNGED AT THE BIG RED FORCE BY FRIDAY NIGHT WITH A BLAZING COUNTER-ATTACK.

AT CHANGNYONG, WHERE 12,000 NORTH KOREANS HAD BULGED EASTWARD ON THE ALLIED BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, AMERICAN MARINES AND DOUGHBOYS WHIPPED THE COMMUNISTS IN A BITTER BATTLE. MANY REDS RETREATED BACK ACROSS THE RIVER, ABANDONING THEIR WEAPONS IN PANIC.

MAJ. GEN. JOHN H.CHURCH, COMMANDING THE JOINT MARINE-INFANTRY ATTACK AT CHANGNYONG, WAS JUBILANT OVER WHAT HIS TROOPS HAD DONE TO THE REDS.

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TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS STALLED THE 30,000 COMMUNISTS NORTH OF MOUNTAIN-WALLED TAEGU FRIDAY MORNING. ONE OF THEM, THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST INFANTRY, POUNCED ON THE REDS IN A COUNTER-ATTACK IMMEDIATELY. FRIDAY AFTERNOON AND THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT PILED INTO THE BATTLE.

THE OTHER SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION ON THE SAME FRONT LOST CONTACT WITH THE REDS AFTER HELPING TO STOP THEM. ALLIED HEADQUARTERS SAID THE RED FORCE MAY HAVE TURNED BACK NORTH TO ESCAPE THROUGH STEEP HILLS UNDER FIRE.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TOKYO HEADQUARTERS, IN ITS FIRST EARLY-MORNING SUMMARY IN FOUR DAYS, SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION HAD REGAINED HALF TO ALL THE GROUND IT LOST NORTH OF TAEGU THURSDAY. (THIS WOULD BE ONE AND ONE-HALF TO THREE MILES).

THE SUMMARY SAID THE ENEMY IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU WAS BEING PUSHED BACK STEADILY BY BOTH THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE AND THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION.

IT EXPLAINED THE MARINES, OVERCOMING EXTREMELY STUBBORN RESISTANCE, TURNED THE ENEMY'S SOUTHERN FLANK INTO THE PATH OF THE 24TH DIVISION.

THE 24TH IN TURN WAS NOW HEAVILY ENGAGED WITH THESE REDS.

GENERAL CHURCH SAID THE MARINE-INFANTRY ATTACKERS IN HIS SECTOR MAY HAVE ENDED THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION'S FIGHTING DAYS.

"I THINK EVERYTHING HAS GONE VERY WELL," SAID THE GENERAL.

"HE (THE ENEMY) CERTAINLY HAS TAKEN A HELL OF A LICKING. THAT'S CERTAIN. I DON'T THINK THAT (RED FOURTH) DIVISION WILL DO MUCH FIGHTING FOR A WHILE.

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"WHAT I WOULD LIKE TO DO IS DESTROY THAT DIVISION ENTIRELY."

THE FLIGHT OF THE ESCAPING NORTH KOREANS WAS REPORTED BY SGT. BENJAMIN SCHOFIELD OF DES MOINES. HE WATCHED THEIR FLIGHT FROM A HIGH RIDGE OVERLOOKING THE RIVER. SCHOFIELD SAID:

"THERE WERE HUNDREDS OF GOOKS RUNNING HELTER SKELTER IN RETREAT. THEY'RE TRYING TO GET ACROSS THE RIVER ANYWAY THEY CAN.

"THEY AREN'T CARRYING WEAPONS. THEY LEFT THEM BEHIND."

MARINE CORSAIRS STRAFED AND BOMBED THE REDS AS THEY TRIED TO ESCAPE TO THE WEST BANK OF THE RIVER. EARLIER IN THE DAY THE MARINE PILOTS HAD REPORTED ATTACKED REDS IN ABOUT BATTALION STRENGTH TRYING TO

HAD REPORTED ATTACKING REDS IN ABOUT BATTALION STRENGTH TRYING TO CROSS.

ADVANCING MARINE INFANTRYMEN FLUSHED MANY NORTH KOREANS FROM HIDING PLACES IN THE GULLIES AND PADDY FIELDS.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION SAID THE AMERICANS HAD MOVED UP THREE MILES IN 36 HOURS OF FIGHTING AND NOW COMMANDED ALL THE STRATEGIC GROUND IN THE NAKTONG BEND SIX MILES BELOW CHANGNYONG.

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MARINES ON THE SOUTHERN CREST AND DOUGHBOYS ON THE NORTHERN NOW OCCUPY BOTH ENDS OF A SAUSAGE-SHAPED HILL COMMANDING THE RIVER-CROSSING BRIDGEHEAD SET UP 13 DAYS AGO BY 12,000 REDS.

THE VICTORY SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU WAS THE SHARPEST IN A DAY OF WINNING FOR ALLIED FORCES ALL ALONG THE LINE.

IN A COUNTERATTACK LED BY TANKS AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS LASHED OUT AT THREE RED DIVISIONS THAT WERE STOPPED ON THEIR MOVE TOWARD TAEGU FROM THE NORTH.

THE EMERGENCY SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL ITSELF WAS BEING EMPTIED OF CIVILIANS BY HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS IN A MASS EVACUATION ORDERED TO CLEAR THE CITY FOR USE SOLELY AS A MILITARY FORTRESS BASE.

THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT WENT ON TO A NEW UNSPECIFIED REFUGEE CAPITAL.

THE MOST THREATENING RED APPROACH WAS IN STEEP HILLS A DOZEN MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

FORTY-FIVE TON PERSHING TANKS WERE USED IN THE COUNTERATTACK SPEARHEADED BY THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT AND THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION.

THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION HAD LOST CONTACT FRIDAY NIGHT WITH REDS. IT HAD HELD BEFORE TAEGU.

ALLIED TROOPS TASTED TRIUMPH ON ALL OTHER FRONTS FRIDAY. FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 13 BITTER DAYS OF FIGHTING AMERICANS ROLLED BACK SOME OF THE 12,000 RED INFANTRYMEN WHO HAD BULGED ACROSS THE NAKTON RIVER BELOW CH

OF THE 12,000 RED INFANTRYMEN WHO HAD BULGED ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER BELOW CHANGNYONG, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

U.S. MARINES AND 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION TROOPS GAINED UP TO THREE MILES IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR AND CHASED TERROR-STRICKEN AND WEAPONLESS REDS ABACK ACROSS THE NAKTONG IN DROVES. ONE BATTALION OF ABOUT 1,000 COMMUNISTS BROKE FOR THE WESTERN BANK OF THE RIVER FIRST. THEY WERE FOLLOWED BY OTHERS.

SOME COMMUNISTS VOLUNTARILY CROSSED OVER TO AMERICAN LINES AND SURRENDERED.

POHANG AND KIGYE ON THE KOREAN EAST COAST WERE RECAPTURED BY SOUTH KOREANS.

IN THE DEEP SOUTH, AT THE OTHER END OF THE LINE, THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION TURNED BACK A DAWN ATTACK BY THE NORTH KOREAN SIXT DIVISION DRIVING EASTWARD FROM RUBBLED CHINJU.

THE RED THREAT TO TAEGU CAME FROM TROOPS BOMBED BY 98 U.S. B-29S WEDNESDAY IN THE WAEGWAN AREA. THEY DROVE SOUTH ON TAEGU FROM KUNWI, 25 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU AND RECAPTURED THE TOWN OF KUMWHA AFTER A SUBSTANTIAL ADVANCE.

TAEGU WAS ORDERED EVACUATED OF ITS 500,000 TO 800,000 WAR-SWELLED POPULATION.

AUTHORITIES SAID THE REMOVAL OF CIVILIANS WAS DICTATED NOT SO MUCH BY IMMEDIATE THREAT AS IT WAS BY THE NEED TO MAKE TAEGU AN ALL-MILITARY BASE.

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AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED FROM TAEGU THAT SCORES OF THOUSANDS OF TAEGU RESIDENTS, FEARFUL OF THE REDS AFTER SIX ARTILLERY SHELLS FROM FIVE MILES AWAY HAD KILLED FOUR PERSONS, STREAMED OUT OF THE CITY EXCITEDLY. AN EARLIER MID-DAY PANIC HAD SUBSIDED.

THE MASSES OF REFUGEES WHO HAD POURED INTO TAEGU AHEAD OF THE REDS FROM THE NORTH PRESENTED A GRAVE PROBLEM FOR OVERWORKED LOCAL POLICE.

THERE WAS A THREAT OF AN INFILTRATED COMMUNIST OUTBREAK INSIDE THE CITY AMONG THE REFUGEES.

TAEGU ITSELF WAS HOME TO SOME REDS AND SUSPECT ELEMENTS.

THIS WAS THE BIGGEST DAY'S WINNINGS FOR UNITED NATIONS TROOPS.

THE CAPTURE OF POHANG PORT ON THE SEA OF JAPAN COAST BY THE SOUTH KOREANS PERMITTED U.S. PLANES TO RESUME USING THE AIRSTRIP SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG.

THE MARINE AND DOUGHBOY ADVANCES IN THE CHANGNYONG BULGE GAVE RISE TO OPTIMISM AT U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA. IT HAD DESCRIBED THE RED THREAT AGAINST TAEGU AS THE MOST SERIOUS ONE IN KOREA.

THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE AND THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION TACKLED 12,000 RIVER-CROSSING REDS AND DROVE WELL INTO THEIR BRIDGEHEAD ON THE EASTERN ALLIED BANK OF THE RIVER.

THE U.S. 8TH ARMY IN KOREA ISSUED A COMMUNIQUE AT 8:45 FRIDAY (5:45 A.M. EST) SAYING THREE RED TANKS WERE TRAPPED.

AP CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH ON THE CHANGNYONG FIGHTING FRONT SAID SOME OF THE BATTERED NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION'S TROOPS, ABOUT A BATTALION IN ONE PLACE AND A SMALL GROUP IN ANOTHER, WERE PULLING BACK ACROSS THE RIVER.

AP CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON AT U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS QUOTED ONE AMERICAN REGIMENTAL COMMANDER AS SAYING:

"IT LOOKS LIKE WE HAVE GOT THEM ON THE RUN. THAT FOURTH RED DIVISION HAS BEEN POUNDING US FOR 45 DAYS. IT CERTAINLY IS A PLEASURE TO SEE THEM GO BACK. I HOPE WE CAN KNOCK ALL OF THEM OUT."

CORRESPONDENT ERICKSON SAID OTHER SENIOR OFFICERS AGREED THE CHANGNYONG BULGE OUTLOOK WAS FAVORABLE FOR THE ALLIES.

THE RED ROLLBACK BELOW CHANGNYONG STARTED THURSDAY WHEN THE MARINES ATTACKED A STEEP, RUGGED HILL. THE ARMY DOUGHBOYS' ATTACK FOLLOWED. A SWINGING-DOOR FORCE, ANCHORED ON THE NORTH END OF THE BULGE, WAS CLOSING SOUTH ON POCKETED RED TROOPS.

ONE MARINE OFFICER SAID CORSAIR FIGHTER PLANES STEADILY STRAFED REDS TRYING TO WADE IN RETREAT THROUGH THE SHALLOW NAKTONG IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR OF THE BULGE.

CORRESPONDENT WHITEHEAD REPORTED THE MARINES WERE HITTING THE NORTH KOREANS WITH EVERYTHING THEY HAD BUT FLAME-THROWERS. AND AN EFFORT WAS BEING MADE TO GET THE LEATHERNECKS IN POSITION TO USE THAT SCORCHING WEAPON.

EIGHT NORTH KOREAN TANKS WERE DESTROYED IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR, FIVE OF THEM BY AIR STRIKES.

A FRONTLINE OFFICER SAID FRIDAY NIGHT ALL AMERICANS WERE ADVANCING ON THE REDS AT CHANGNYONG.

THE ALLIED SUCCESSES WERE SCORED AGAINST A BACKDROP OF TRAGEDY--THE DISCOVERY THURSDAY OF A MASSACRE OF U.S. PRISONERS BY THE NORTH KOREANS. THIRTY-SIX BODIES, ALL WITH HANDS BOUND AND SHOT IN THE BACK, WERE FOUND IN A GULLY ON HILL 303, OPPOSITE THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR ON THE WAEGWAN FRONT.

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AS THE WORD SPREAD ON THE ATROCITIES, U.S. SOLDIERS WENT INTO THE ATTACK WITH A GRIM NEW DETERMINATION.

TENTATIVE IDENTIFICATION OF SOME OF THE NORTH KOREANS WHO ORDERED OR PARTICIPATED IN THE MASSACRE WAS MADE WHEN SOME REDS THEMSELVES WERE CAPTURED.

THE 30,000 NORTH KOREANS ADVANCING TOWARD TAEGU JUMPED OFF THURSDAY NIGHT FROM AN AREA HEAVILY BOMBED BY U.S. B-29S ON WEDNESDAY. IN ADDITION TO THE THREE RED DIVISIONS ON THE MARCH TOWARD TAEGU, INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SEARCHED FOR FOUR MORE ENEMY DIVISIONS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN ACCOUNTED FOR IN THE LAST FEW HOURS.

THEY ARE THE RED 2ND, 3RD, 13TH AND 15TH DIVISIONS.

WHEREVER THESE DIVISIONS SHOW UP WAS EXPECTED TO BE A FOCAL POINT OF THE PUSH ON TAEGU, WHICH IS 55 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

CORRESPONDENT ERICKSON SAID REPORTS OF THE CAPTURE OF POHANG AND KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF THE PORT, CAME TO 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS FROM SOUTH KOREAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS.

AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO A GENERAL STAFF

OFFICER SAID:
"THE POHANG SITUATION IS LOOKING BETTER EVERY DAY." POHANG WAS SEIZED IN A SURPRISE RED MOVE LAST WEEK THAT FORCED AMERICAN PLANES TO GIVE UP USING THE AIRSTRIP SIX MILES SOUTHEAST.
APPARENTLY SOME NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IN THE POHANG AREA HAD BEEN SHIFTED TO THE WEST TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SOUTHWARD DRIVE ON TAEGU.
TAEGU WAS SHELLED BY RED GUNS NO MORE THAN FIVE MILES AWAY.
THE TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS THAT INTERCEPTED THE 30,000 ADVANCING COMMUNISTS BROKE THEIR FORWARD MOVEMENT AND PUSHED THEM BACK.
AT HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO A SPOKESMAN SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION HAD LOST CONTACT WITH THE REDS, WHO APPARENTLY WERE PULLING BACK TO THE NORTH. THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION, HE SAID, REGAINED MOST OF THE HALF MILE LOST IN THURSDAY NIGHT'S ATTACK BY THE REDS.

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THE HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID COMMUNIST PRESSURE AGAINST THE TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS SEEMED TO BE LESSENING.
FROM THE DEEP SOUTHERN FRONT, AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED THE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION ATTACKED THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION IN THE SWIRLING MISTS OF DAWN FRIDAY.
SWINTON SAID AT FRIDAY'S DUSK THE COMMUNISTS WERE RETREATING IN DISORDER, LEAVING THEIR DEAD BEHIND. SOME OF THE VICTIMS APPARENTLY HAD BELONGED TO THE RED CHINA ARMY. THEY CARRIED PICTURES OF THEMSELVES IN RED CHINESE ARMY UNIFORMS AND SOME OF THEIR HOME ADDRESSES WERE IN SOVIET-DOMINATED MANCHURIA.
UNDER THE DAWN ATTACK, SWINTON REPORTED, SOME TROOPS OF THE U.S. 35TH AND &;5& 43&8.3,5' !97&&5 -5 08'59) 4-,&3 8, - 28)$ 3/:&-,&3 9! '.-)) -4.' !843 -,$ &-,$ &43,-$3'. THE AMERICANS WERE PUSHED BACK AT FIRST BUT HAD REGAINED ALL OF THE LOST GROUND FRIDAY NIGHT.
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UNDER THE DAWN ATTACK, SWINTON REPORTED, SOME TROOPS OF THE U.S. 35TH AND 24TH REGIMENTS FOUGHT AT PISTOL RANGE IN A WILD EXCHANGE OF SMALL ARMS FIRE AND HAND GRENADES. THE AMERICANS WERE PUSHED BACK AT FIRST BUT HAD REGAINED ALL OF THE LOST GROUND FRIDAY NIGHT.
THE MASS EVACUATION OF TAEGU WAS HEADED BY 75-YEAR-OLD PRESIDENT RHEE AND U.S. AMBASSADOR JOHN J. MUCCIO. PART OF THE AMERICAN EMBASSY STAFF WAS LEFT IN TAEGU.
REMOVAL OF THE GOVERNMENT FROM TAEGU WAS NOT SO MUCH BECAUSE OF THE NORTH KOREAN THREAT, ERICKSON REPORTED, BUT BECAUSE THE CITY IS SO CLOSE TO THE FIGHTING FRONT ARMY COMMANDERS HAVE BEEN CONSIDERING THE ADVISABILITY OF TRANSFORMING IT EXCLUSIVELY INTO A MILITARY BASE.
AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN AIRMEN FLEW MORE THAN 500 SORTIES FRIDAY, CONCENTRATING THEIR FIRE ON RED GROUND TROOPS AND ARMOR.
THE PILOTS CLAIMED DESTRUCTION OF 13 NORTH KOREAN TANKS AND LARGE AMOUNTS OF COMMUNIST RAILROAD TRAFFIC.
B-29S WENT OUT IN FORCE TO STRIKE AT THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM.
CY230APD NM

A30FX
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FIRST LEAD CHANGNYON (ABOUT 400)
BY JACK MACBETH AND MAX DESFOR
(AP WAR CORRESPONDENT AN PHOTOGRAPHER)
CHANGNYONG FRONT, KOREA., AUG. 18-(AP)-UNITED STATES MARINES PURSUED NORTH KOREAN REDS, FLEEING AND WEAPONLESS, TOWARD THE BANKS OF THE NAKTONG RIVER FRIDAY NIGHT.
THE ADVANCE TOOK THE MARINES THREE MILES AHEAD IN TWO DAYS.

MAJ. GEN. JOHN H. CHURCH, COMMANDER OF THE 24TH DIVISION WITH WHOM THE MARINES ARE FIGHTING ON THE CHANGYONG FRONT, SAID:
"I THINK EVERYTHING HAS GONE VERY WELL. HE (THE ENEMY) CERTAINLY HAS TAKEN A HELL OF A LICKING. THAT'S CERTAIN. I DON'T THINK THAT (RED FOURTH) DIVISION IS GOING TO DO MUCH FIGHTING FOR AWHILE.
"WHAT I WOULD LIKE TO DO IS DESTROY THAT DIVISION ENTIRELY.
"WE HAVE HAD WONDERFUL COORDINATION BETWEEN THE ARMY AND MARINES. WE GOT ALONG FINE. EVERYBODY WORKED TOGETHER."
AN OFFICIAL SPOKESMAN FOR THE 24TH DIVISION SAID FRIDAY NIGHT THE COMBINED AMERICAN FORCE HAD PUSHED TO A POINT WHERE THEY COMMAND ALL THE STRATEGIC GROUND IN THE CHANGNYONG BEND OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.
THE MARINES CONTROLLED ALL RIDGES EAST OF THE RIVER ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. THEY EXPECTED TO REACH THE RIVER BANK DURING THE NIGHT.

A31FX
SGT. BENJAMIN SCHOFIELD OF DES MOINES, MANNING AN OBSERVATION POST ON A RIDGE OVERLOOKING THE RIVER, SAID:
"THERE WERE HUNDREDS OF GOOKS RUNNING HELTER-SKELTER IN RETREAT. THEY'RE TRYING TO GET ACROSS THE RIVER ANYWAY THEY CAN.
"THEY AREN'T CARRYING WEAPONS. THEY LEFT THEM BEHIND."
CORSAIRS WERE BOMBING AND STRAFING THE REDS AS THEY WENT INTO THE WATER AND HEADED FOR THE WESTERN SHORE.
EARLIER, CORSAIR PILOTS REPORTED A GROUP OF NORTH KOREANS OF ABOUT BATTALION STRENGTH WERE FALLING BACK ACROSS THE RIVER.
AS THE MARINE ADVANCE WENT FORWARD THE LEATHERNECKS FLUSHED NUMEROUS NORTH KOREANS FROM HIDING PLACES IN THE GULLIES AND PADDY FIELDS.
THEY FOUND ONE ENEMY SOLDIER ALIVE, LYING BESIDE HIS MACHINEGUN. HE STILL HAD AMMUNITION FOR THE GUN BUT HE WASN'T FIRING IT. MARINES SAID HE WAS EITHER TOO EXHAUSTED OR DAZED.
MARINES REPORTED THEY WERE COUNTERATTACKED THURSDAY NIGHT BY REDS FOLLOWING FIVE TANKS. WITHIN 30 MINUTES, THEY SAID, THREE OF THE RED TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT BY TWO MARINE TANKS AND A 3.5 BAZOOKA TEAM WORKING WITH TANKS. THE REMAINING TWO TURNED AND FLED.
CY507APD

A13FX (95)

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PRECEDE CHANGNYONG BULGE (220)

BY LEIF ERICKSON

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 18-(AP)-AN ENEMY FORCE ESTIMATED AT BATTALION STRENGTH WAS OBSERVED CROSSING THE NAKTONG RIVER IN RETREAT TODAY BEFORE A POWERFUL ARMY-MARINE ATTACK, NOW IN ITS SECOND DAY.

THE BATTERED NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION APPEARED TO BE PULLING OUT OF AT LEAST SOME OF ITS POSITIONS IN THE NAKTONG RIVER BULGE IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

CONSIDERABLE NUMBERS OF PRISONERS WERE TAKEN. SOME REDS CROSSE VOLUNTARILY INTO AMERICAN LINES AND SURRENDERED.

SUBSTANTIAL ADVANCES WERE MADE BY ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION AND THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE ALL ALONG THE LINE.

A14FX

AN AMERICAN SWINGING DOOR, ANCHORED ON THE NORTH END OF THE BULGE, WAS CLOSING SOUTH ON POCKETED RED TROOPS.

ONE MARINE OFFICER SAID CORSAIR FIGHTERS STEADILY STRAFED THE NORTH KOREANS TRYING TO WADE THE SHALLOW NAKTONG IN THE SOUTH-WEST SECTOR OF THE BULGE.

THE SECOND DAY OF THE AMERICAN ATTACK AGAIN WAS SUPPORTED BY HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE AND AIR STRIKES.

ONE REGIMENTAL COMMANDER SAID:

"IT LOOKS LIKE WE HAVE GOT THEM ON THE RUN. THAT FOURTH DIVISION HAS BEEN POUNDING US FOR 45 DAYS. IT CERTAINLY IS A PLEASURE TO SEE THEM GO BACK. I HOPE WE CAN KNOCK ALL OF THEM OUT."

OTHER SENIOR OFFICERS AGREED THE OUTLOOK FOR CLEARING THE BULGE WAS "FAVORABLE."

FT120AAPD

A56FX

TAEGU (130)

BY DON WHITEHEAD

ALLIED FRONT NORTH OF TAEGU,KOREA,AUG.18-(AP)-AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN INFANTRY OPENED AN ATTACK TODAY AGAINST A LARGE CONCENTRATION OF COMMUNIST TROOPS NORTH OF TAEGU.

SOUTH KOREAN UNITS BEGAN THEIR ATTACK THIS MORNING. THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT, COMMANDED BY COL.JOHN MICHAELIS OF LANCASTER, PA., ATTACKED IN MID-AFTERNOON.

THE ALLIES WERE MAKING GOOD PROGRESS LATE IN THE AFTERNOON.

THE AMERICANS LAID DOWN HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE AND WERE SUPPORTED BY PLANES STRAFING AND ROCKETING THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES.

THE AMERICANS MOVED UP HEAVY FIRE POWER IN ARTILLERY AND PERSHING TANKS TO BACK UP THE PUSH TO PROTECT TAEGU, CAPITAL OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC.

THE AMERICANS AND THE UNITS FROM THE SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION WORKED IN CLO

THE AMERICANS AND THE UNITS FROM THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION WORKED IN CLOSE COOPERATION IN THE MOUNTING ATTACK.

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A101FX (SWINTON)

FIRST LEAD MASAN RED ATTACK (500)

BY STAN SWINTON

WITH U.S. 25 TH DIVISION, KOREA, AUG.18-(AP)-THE ELITE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION--LOADED WITH VETERANS OF RED CHINA'S ARMY--INFILTRATED THROUGH AERICAN LINES IN THE BLACK NIGHT HOURS AND ATTACKED THROUGH THE FOGGY DAWN WEST AND EAST OF HAMAN.

ELEMENTS OF THE AMERICAN 35TH AND NEGRO 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENTS FOUGHT BACK IN BLOODY HAND-TO-HAND BATTLES, FELL BACK, AND THEN COUNTER-ATTACKED.

THE NORTH KOREANS WERE DRIVEN BACK FROM ALL THREE PEAKS THEY HAD SEIZED OPPOSITE THE 35TH POSITIONS. THEY WERE BARELY HANGING ON TO A SINGLE CAPTURED POSITION IN FRONT OF THE 24TH.

ON THE 35TH'S FRONT THE REDS RAN BACK IN GROUPS OF TWO OR THREE TO A VILLAGE LEAVING 100 DEAD BEHIND.

WHEN 200 OF THEM WERE SEEN ENTERING THE VILLAGE IN DISORDER LT. FRANK LAMOTHE, NAPOLEON AVE., NEW ORLEANS, HAD IT SHATTERED WITH 4.2 MORTARS, ARTILLERY AND AN AIR STRIKE.

SCORES MUST HAVE DIED AS WHITE PHOSPHORUS SHELLS THREW SPLASHES OF FLAME OVER THE CLAPBOARD HOUSES.

PRISONERS SAID A RUSSIAN OFFICER WAS SEEN BEFORE THE BATTALION ATTACK AGAINST THE 35TH. A U.S. INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID ONE RUSSIAN IS KNOWN TO BE WITH THE REDS' SIXTH DIVISION.

SOME PRISONERS WERE 18-YEAR-OLDS. THEY SAID THEY WERE GRABBED FROM SEOUL FACTORIES, GIVEN RIFLES AND RUSHED TO THE FRONT TO REPLACE SIXTH DIVISION MEN CUT DOWN BY U.S. MARINES AND ARMY INFANTRYMEN IN TASK FORCE KEAN'S LARGE SCALE ATTACK LAST WEEK.

QON THE SPRAWLED BODIES OF NORTH KOREANS ON THE THREE PEAKS RETAKEN BY THE 35TH WERE PHOTOS SHOWING THEM IN CHINESE RED ARMY UNIFORMS. SEVERAL LISTED SOME ADDRESSES IN MANCHURIA.

BATTALION COMMANDER BERNARD G.TEETERS (ADDRESS GARBLED) ORDERED BODIES OF NORTH KOREANS BROUGHT BACK FOR EXAMINATION BY EXPERTS TO SEE IF THEY WERE CHINESE OR KOREAN.

THE FIRST ATTACK CAME ON THE 35TH ON THREE STEEP PEAKS.

SILENTLY IN THE NIGHT THE NORTH KOREANS MOVED INTO POSITION. IN SWIRLING MIST OF DAWN THEY STRUCK.

AN AMERICAN MORTAR POSITION WAS JUMPED. IN BITTER HAND TO HAND FIGHTING THE NORTH KOREANS GRABBED THE AMERICANS' MACHINEGUNS AND TURNED THEM, WOUNDING SEVEN AMERICANS AND KILLING SOME OTHERS. ARCHED AROUND THE POSITION THIS AFTERNOON WERE 17 DEAD NORTH KOREANS.

CPL.ADOLPHUS POPWELL, 2518 SIXTH AVE., NORTH BIRMINGHAM, ALA., WAS WITH A PLATOON OF INFANTRY AND THREE OTHER ARTILLERY OBSERVERS--PFC CHARLES SUMMERLIN, 302 EAST SOUTH ST., JACKSON, WIS.; CPL.BILL HUBERT, CHICAGO, AND PVT.GEORGE LITTLE, OSWEGO, N.Y.

"THEY MUST HAVE BEEN DOPED UP," HUBERT SAID. "THEY JUST KEPT COMING AND DYING."

POPWELL GRABBED UP A RIFLE AND KILLED ONE WITH A SNAP SHOT.

CLOSE BY MORE NORTH KOREANS HIT A TANK POSITION THINLY GUARDED BY INFANTRY. A TIRED BLOODY TANK CAPTAIN WHO REFUSED TO GIVE HIS NAME--"THIS IS NO GODDAM TIME TO HAVE FOLKS WORRYING"--SAID HIS TANKERS WERE UNABLE TO SWING THEIR GUNS AROUND. SO THEY JUMPED TO THE GROUND FIGHTING WITH PISTOLS AND HAND GRENADES UNTIL THE REDS FELL BACK. THREE AMERICAN TANK COMMANDERS WERE WOUNDED.

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ON THE THREE PEAKS THE INFANTRY FOUGHT UNTIL THEY HAD TO WITHDRAW.
LT. SIDNEY BERRY OF HATTIESBURG, MISS., AND "B" COMPANY COMMANDER LT. ROBERT J.DILLARD OF NASHVILLE, TENN., BUILT UP A BASE COVERING FIRE AND THE INFANTRY ATTACKED. THEY WENT UP A 45 DEGREE SLOPE.
MORTARS BLANKETED ENEMY POSITIONS WITH WHITE PHOSPHORUS FLAME. THE WIND BLEW THE FLAMES OVER NORTH KOREANS FURTHER BACK.
HIGH EXPLOSIVES THREW UP UGLY, GREY SMOKE WHICH MIXED WITH THE PURE WHITE OF THE CHEMICAL SHELLS.
FROM A SHORT DISTANCE AWAY YOU COULD SEE THE DOUGHBOYS REACH THE FIRST PEAK WHILE MORTARS HAMMERED THE SECOND. THEY MOVED ONTO THE SECOND AND FINALLY THE THIRD.
ABOUT 150 NORTH KOREANS RAN DOWN THE SLOPE. AT LEAST ANOTHER HUNDRED DIED.
"I AM DAMN PROUD OF THESE MEN," TEERS SAID.
"THE GOING WAS NOT SO GOOD ON THE 24TH REGIMENTAL FRONT WHERE THE ATTACH HIT THE SAME WEARY COMPANY WHICH TWO DAYS AGO CAPTURED "LITTLE CASSINO." DOG-TIRED MOST OF THEM WERE ASLEEP. THEIR COMPANY COMMANDER DIED. HE WAS ONE OF FIVE OFFICER CASUALTIES.
"HE COULDN'T SEE ANYTHING IN THE MIST," SAID ONE WOUNDED MAN.
ONCE ON THE PEAK THE NORTH KOREANS ROLLED HAND GRENADES DOWN THE SLOPE AS COLONEL ARTHUR S. CHAMPNEY OF WELLINGTON, KANS., PERSONALLY DIRECTED THE COUNTERATTACK. THEY WERE A NEW TYPE--BIG BLACK GRENADES WHICH MADE A TREMENDOUS BLAST. SOME SCATTERED PAPER INSTEAD OF SHRAPNEL. APPARENTLY THEY WERE INTENDED AS A PSYCHOLOGICAL WEAPON.
THE CHOPPED UP NEGRO INFANTRYMEN CALLED FOR AIR SUPPORT.
FOUR F-51S WENT INTO WINGOVER DIVES LOOSING ROCKETS WHICH LEFT LONG THIN SMOKE PLUMES BEHIND THEM.
ROARING BACK ALMOST AT TREE TOP LEVEL THEY RAKED THE CREST WITH FIFTY CALIBERS.
THE INFANTRY ATTACKED AGAIN. LATE THIS AFTERNOON THEY WERE CLOSE TO THE CREST AND IT SEEMED A MATTER OF AN HOUR OR TWO BEFORE THE POSITION WOULD BE REESTABLISHED.
JW816APD

AS2FX
WITH BJT
NEGRO TROOPS (220)
BY STAN SWINTON
WITH U.S. 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, KOREA, AUG.18-(AP)-THIS OLDEST U.S. NEGRO INFANTRY OUTFIT IS FIGHTING PROBABLY THE BEST AND PROUDEST BATTLE IN THE HISTORY OF THE AMERICAN NEGRO FOOT SOLDIER.
MEN IN COMBAT WITH THE NEGRO 92ND DIVISION IN ITALY AND WITH THE 93RD DIVISION IN THE PACIFIC RATE THIS REGIMENT ABOVE BOTH. THAT DOES NOT MEAN IT IS THE BEST REGIMENT IN KOREA. EXPERTS RANK IT SOMEWHERE IN THE MIDDLE.
I COVERED THE 92ND DIVISION IN ITALY AS AN ARMY COMBAT CORRESPONDENT IN WORLD WAR II.
A WHITE COLONEL WHO WAS THERE SAID, "THE 24TH REGIMENT FIGHTS BETTER THAN ANY NEGRO OUTFIT IN HISTORY, INCLUDING THE 92ND."
A PITTSBURGH CORRESPONDENT, FRANK WHISONANT, OF 503 BELMONT, DETROIT, MICH., WHO WON A COMBAT COMMISSION AS A FIRST LIEUTENANT WITH THE 92ND IN ITALY, SAID, "THIS KOREAN FIGHTING IS MORE BITTER THAN IN ITALY. WE CAN BE PROUD OF OUR MEN."
THE WEARY MEN OF THIS REGIMENT HAVE CARRIED WITH HONOR THE COLORS THAT FLEW THROUGH THE INDIAN WARS AND UP SAN JUAN HILL IN CUBA.
THEY HAVE BEEN IN LINE 35 CONSECUTIVE DAYS. THEY ATTACKED THREE TIMES AND CAPTURED YECHON IN JULY WHEN TOWNS CAPTURED BY AMERICANS IN KOREA WERE FEW AND FAR BETWEEN.
THEY ATTACKED FOR THREE DAYS AND ON THE FOURTH CAPTURED A MOUNTAIN POSITION CALLED "LITTLE CASSINO" ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. ONE COMPANY WAS DOWN TO 12 MEN IN THIS ATTACK.
THE 24TH, LIKE MOST UNITS IN KOREA, HAS LACKED REPLACEMENTS FOR CASUALTIES, BUT THE FIRST BIG BATCH ARRIVED WEDNESDAY NIGHT.
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A27FX
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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD AERIAL
TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 19-(AP)-NINETY B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES RESUMED THEIR ASSAULT ON NORTH KOREAN COMMUNICATIONS BY SMASHING MILITARY TARGETS TODAY WITH 800 TONS OF BOMBS.
A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE B-29S RANGED NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL TO STRIKE AT CHONGJIN AND KEY BRIDGES.
CARRIER AND LAND BASED FIGHTER PLANES STEPPED UP THEIR SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES TO A MAXIMUM EFFORT FRIDAY.

CARRIER-BASED MARINE PLANES WENT AFTER THE 12,000 COMMUNISTS RETREATING BEFORE U. S. MARINES AND 24TH DIVISION INFANTRYMEN IN THE CHANGNYONG BULGE 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

A149KX
"RETREATING MASSES OF ENEMY TROOPS FORDING AND SWIMMING THE NAKTONG RIVER WERE CAUGHT AND STRAFED BY CARRIER-BASED MARINE FLIERS YESTERDAY WITH RESULTING SEVERE LOSSES," SAID AN OFFICIAL RELEASE.
LAND-BASED FIGHTER PLANES, BOTH AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN, SET A NEW RECORD OF 350 STRIKES IN ONE DAY AS THEY SWARMED OVER THE NAKTONG RIVER BATTLE ZONE CONCENTRATING "ON TROOP BIVOUAC AREAS, VEHICLES AND SUPPLY DISTRIBUTING POINTS," REPORTED A FAR EASTERN AIR FORCE RELEASE.
ALL PLANES MADE MORE THAN 550 SORTIES FRIDAY, EQUALLING THE PREVIOUS RECORD FOR AIR ACTIVITY OVER THE WAR FRONT.
IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR, MARINE CORSAIR FIGHTERS POURED ROCKETS, BOMBS, 22 MILLIMETER CANNON FIRE AND JELLIED GASOLINE BOMBS---A VERITABLE RAIN OF DEATH ON COMMU ISTS FRANTICALLY TRYING TO GET TO THE WEST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG.
THE STRIKES WERE SO DEADLY THAT IN ONE CASE A RED PLATOON AROUND AN ARMORED CAR SUFFERED 50 PER CENT CASUALTIES. A COMMUNIST COMPANY SEEKING COVER WAS "NEUTRALIZED" A RELEASE REPORTED.
THE FAR EASTERN AIR FORCE RELEASE SAID ITS PLANES ATTACKED 23 TANKS.
JET FIGHTERS AND FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 BOMBERS STRUCK AT TROOP CONVOYS MOVING BY NIGHT.
B-29S ROARED OVER NORTH KOREA AND BLASTED 10 BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

A150KX
NO NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT WERE ENCOUNTERED AND THE FEAF SAID ALL PLANES RETURNED UNDAMAGED.
THE NAVY SAID THREE TANKS AND FOUR ARTILLERY PIECES WERE DESTROYED BY CARRIER BASED MARINE PILOTS FRIDAY.
MEANTIME, ALLIED AIR POWER WAS HITTING THE NORTH KOREAN REDS WHERE IT HURTS---IN THE STOMACH.
AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER IN GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY THAT HUNGER WAS ONE REASON FOR A SLIGHT INCREASE IN NORTH KOREAN SURRENDERS.
HE SAID THAT SHOWED THE EFFECTIVENESS OF AIR RAIDS ON THE SUPPLY LINES. HE HAD PREDICTED EARLIER THAT RESULTS WOULD SHOW UP IN A SHORTAGE OF FOOD AS WELL AS FUEL AND AMMUNITION IN THE COMMUNIST FRONT LINES.
MEANWHILE, ALLIED WARPLANES WERE STRIKING ENEMY TARGETS OVER WIDELY SEPARATED AREAS OF KOREA.
LIGHT BOMBERS FLYING IN FULL FORCE SMASHED RAIL SUPPLY LINES, WRECKED BRIDGES AND DAMAGED TUNNELS.
AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG FIGHTERS STRAFED IN THE UISONG AREA. 35 AIR MILES

NORTH OF TAEGU, WHERE COMMUNISTS WERE MASSED FOR AN ASSAULT.
THEY HIT A STRATEGIC RAIL TUNNEL NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN IN SOUTH CENTRAL KOREA, AND STRAFED SONGJU, 18 MILES WEST OF TAEGU. FIVE VILLAGES BELIEVED USED BY THE ENEMY AS ARTILLERY POSITIONS WERE LEFT BURNING.
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A133FX (150)
AERIAL
TOKYO, AUG 18-(AP)-AMERICAN WARPLANES FLEW AROUND THE CLOCK IN SUPPORT OF THE GROUND WAR IN KOREA THURSDAY AND FRIDAY.
THEY USED EVERYTHING FROM ONE-TON BOMBS TO MACHINEGUNS. A TOTAL OF 720 SORTIES WERE FLOWN, RANGING FROM AIR FORCE STRIKES ON KORE'S SOUTHERN COAST TO CARRIER PLANE RAIDS LESS THAN 60 MILES FROM THE SOVIET UNION'S SIBERIAN BORDER.
LIGHT INVADER BOMBERS SMASHED BRIDGES, RAILROADS AND TUNNELS FOLLOWING UP NIGHT-TIME RAIDS BY B-26 BOMBERS ON THE EXTENDED SUPPLY LINES OF NORTH KOREAN FORCES.
BIGGEST BOMBS OF THE WAR--2,000 AND 1,000-POUNDERS--WERE USED IN CARRIER STRIKES THURSDAY ON FACTORIES AT CHONGJIN, EAST COAST INDUSTRIAL CITY LESS THAN 60 MILES SOUTH OF THE U.S.S.R. BORDER. THE NAVY SAID THEY CAUSED HEAVY DAMAGE AND STARTED LARGE FIRES.
A 15-CAR AMMUNITION TRAIN WAS BLOWN UP IN ANOTHER SPECTACULAR CARRIER STRIKE AT WONSAN, 80 MILES NORTH OF PARALLEL 38.
MARINE FLIERS, OPERATING FROM CARRIERS BLASTED STRONG RED FORTIFICATIONS WHICH HAD HELD UP THE MARINE ADVANCE IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR OF THE WESTERN FRONT.

AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG FIGHTER PLANES STRUCK IN THE UISONG AREA WHERE THE COMMUNISTS ARE MASSED FOR AN ASSAULT.
UISONG IS 35 AIR MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, WHERE CIVILIAN EVACUATION WAS ORDERED AS RED TROOPS THREATENED THE CITY.
TWO OF THE AUSTRALIAN FLIGHTS DURING THE DAY RELOADED AND REARMED AT A SOUTH KOREAN BASE AFTER CARRYING OUT THEIR INITIAL TASK FROM THEIR BASE IN JAPAN.
THEY FLEW 24 SORTIES.
THE AUSSIE MUSTANGS HIT KWANGJU, IN THE DEEP SOUTHWEST OF KOREA, AND A STRATEGIC ROAD TUNNEL NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN IN SOUTH CENTRAL KOREA.
SONGJU, 18 MILES WEST OF TAEGU, WAS STRAFED BY THE AUSTRALIAN FIGHTERS. FIVE VILLAGES BELIEVED USED BY THE ENEMY AS ARTILLERY POSITIONS WERE LEFT BURNING.
ALL OF THE AUSTRALIAN PLANES RETURNED SAFELY.
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A158KX (WEST OUT)
TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 19-(AP)-AIR OBSERVERS REPORTED TODAYTHAT "NO WORTHWHILE TARGETS REMAINED" IN THE RED-HELD SOUTHEAST KOREAN PORT OF YOSU AFTER A CANADIAN DESTROYER BOMBARDED THE CITY YESTERDAY.
NAVY HEADQUARTERS HERE SAID THE WARSHIP DESTROYED OR DAMAGED RAILWAY SIDINGS, WAREHOUSES, DOCK INSTALLATIONS AND OIL TANKS.
ON THE EAST COAST, WHERE UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAINTAINING THE BLOCKADE OF NORTH KOREAN SHIPPING, ALLIED WARSHIPS CONTINUED TO ATTACK TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY. FRIDAY, THEY HIT A DIESEL TUG PULLING FOUR JUNKS AND A POWER BOAT. THE TUG WENT AGROUND.
FJ1057PCS NM

A141KX (RED RADIO) (WX FW)
TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN PYONGYANG RADIO SAID TODAY ALLIED PLANES HAVE DROPPED 11,877 BOMBS ON COMMUNIST-HELD CITIES ON BOTH SIDES OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.
THE ONLY THINGS THEY HIT, THE RADIO SOLEMNLY REPORTED, WERE HOUSES, FARMLANDS, HOSPITALS, OLD PEOPLE AND "CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS."
(A SCHOOL HOUSE IN SOUTHWESTERN KOREA EXPLODED THE OTHER DAY WHEN STRAFED BY AMERICAN PLANES.)
NO MENTION WAS MADE OF THE B-29 SATURATION RAID WEDNESDAY WHEN 98 SUPERFORTRESSES POUNDED RED INFANTRY CONCENTRATIONS ON THE WESTERN FRONT WITH 3,800 BOMBS.
FJ931PCS

A211KX
NIGHT LEAD EVACUATION 600)
BY HAL BOYLE
TAEGU, KOREA, AUG.18-(AP)-THOUSANDS OF PANIC-STRICKEN MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN STREAMED OUT OF TAEGU TODAY TO THE THUNDER OF NEARBY BATTLE.
CARRYING WHAT BELONGINGS THEY COULD BEAR, THE FRIGHTENED PEOPLE RELUCTANTLY LEFT THEIR HUMBLE TILE-ROOFED HOMES UNDER DEFENSE ORDERS. THEY CLOGGED THE ROADS LEADING SOUTHEAST OUT OF THE CITY.
THE CIVILIAN POPULACE WAS SWEPT BY HYSTERIA AS THE MASS EXODUS BEGAN. CHAOS RULED THE STREETS FOR SEVERAL HOURS.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED THAT THE U.S. ARMY ALSO WAS EVACUATING THE ENTIRE CIVILIAN POPULATION FROM THE SOUTHWEST FRONT. HE SAID THOUSANDS JAMMED A RAILROAD STATION WAITING TO LEAVE.
(IN TOKYO IT WAS ANNOUNCED THAT THE UNITED NATIONS UNIFIED COMMAND WAS ESTABLISHING A U.N. RELIEF ORGANIZATION TO CARE FOR 1,500,000 SOUTH KOREAN REFUGEES.)
BEFORE DAWN FRIDAY SIX ENEMY SHELLS EXPLODED INSIDE TAEGU. IT WAS THE FIRST TIME ENEMY FIRE HAD HIT THE CITY. AT LEAST FOUR PERSONS WERE KILLED. A LOCOMOTIVE TENDER IN A RAILYARD WAS STRUCK.
BY DAYLIGHT, THOUSANDS OF REFUGEES WERE JAMMING THE DUSTY STREETS LEADING OUT OF THE CITY. THE KOREAN REPUBLICAN GOVERNMENT ORDERED ALL NON-ESSENTIAL CIVILIANS TO LEAVE.
PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE AND U.S.AMBASSADOR JOHN J.MUCCIO SOON DEPARTED, AND OTHER OFFICIALS WERE LEAVING THIS PROVISIONAL CAPITAL TO SET UP OFFICES ELSEWHERE.
THE EVACUATION ORDER WAS ISSUED TO CLEAR THE CITY FOR DEFENSE AND AS A SAFETY MEASURE TO AVOID A LAST-MINUTE RUSH SUCH AS OCCURRED WHEN SEOUL FELL JUNE 28, FOUR DAYS AFTER THE RED INVASION.
TAEGU IS NORMALLY A CITY OF SOME 350,000 BUT REFUGEES HAD INCREASED THE POPULATION TO SOMETHING MORE LIKE 700,000 OR 800,000. TODAY IT WAS DWINDLING FAST.
STOREKEEPERS BOARDED THEIR SHOPS AGAINST LOOTERS. FAMILIES PUT UTENSILS, FOOD AND BEDDING ON THEIR SHOULDERS AND TEARFULLY JOINED THE EXODUS.
A FAMILY THAT LIVED IN ONE OF THE LITTLE TILE-ROOFED HUTS WAS TYPICAL, PERHAPS, OF MANY OTHERS IN THE SAME PLIGHT WHO HAD FOUND THEMSELVES IN THE PATH OF WAR.
TWO WEEKS AGO, THE YOUNG FATHER OF THE FAMILY HAD BURIED ALL OF THE HOUSEHOLD'S MOST PRECIOUS BELONGINGS IN HIS BACKYARD.
EACH EVENING THE YOUNG MOTHER LIT A FIRE AND COOKED RICE AND VEGETABLES FOR HER CHILDREN AND THE GRANDPARENTS, UNCLES AND COUSINS THAT LIVE TOGETHER IN MOST SMALL KOREAN HOMES.
IN THE MORNINGS THEY TOOK TURNS SCRUBBING EACH OTHER WITH WATER FROM THE BACKYARD WELL.

A212KX
THE LITTLE HOUSE COULD BE SEEN FROM A MISSION SCHOOL WHERE SOME WAR CORRESPONDENTS WERE BILLETED.
A LONG TIME BEFORE THE ORDER TO EVACUATE THE CITY WAS ISSUED FRIDAY, I LOOKED OUT OUR WINDOW AND SAW THE FAMILY BELOW PACKING ON THEIR BACKS

A FEW BELONGINGS LEFT. THEY DISAPPEARED IN A LINE OF REFUGEES.
THE PANIC IN THE THREATENED CITY LASTED UNTIL 1 P.M. FRIDAY. THEN THE HOT SUN AND THE WEARINESS SLOWED THE PACE. MANY WHO HAD WANDERED ABOUT AIMLESSLY WENT BACK TO THEIR HOMES.
AFTER AI RETURNED TO THE BILLET FROM A VISIT TO A FORWARD COMMAND POST I LOOKED OUT THE WINDOW AGAIN.
THE FAMILY BELOW WAS STRAGGLING BACK THROUGH THE GATEWAY. A SMALL BOY LOOKED UP AT ME. I THREW HIM SOME CHEWING GUM. HE PICKED IT UP AND SALUTED SMARTLY.
IT WAS ALMOST DUSK. THE MOTHER BEGAN TO PREPARE THE EVENING MEAL. THE PANIC WAS OVER. THERE WAS PEACE AGAIN IN THE HOME BELOW--AT LEAST FOR ANOTHER NIGHT.
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A51FX
TAEGU (ABOUT 500)
BY HAL BOYLE
TAEGU,KOREA,AUG.18-(AP)-FEAR THAT HAS SHADOWED A HALF MILLION HEARTS HERE EXPLODED IN PANIC TODAY AS A MASS EXODUS BEGAN FROM THIS BESIEGED CITY.
FOR SEVERAL HOURS CHAOS RULED THE STREETS OF THIS REFUGEE-SWOLLEN PROVISIONAL CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA. THE CIVILIAN POPULACE WAS SWEPT BY HYSTERIA. THE SCENE ON THE GROUND WAS UTTER CONFUSION. FROM THE AIR THE EXITS LEADING SOUTH LOOKED LIKE CLOGGED LANES OF FRIGHTENED WHITE ANTS.
THE STORY OF THIS FLIGHT OF AN ENTIRE CITY CAN BEST BE TOLD BY TELLING WHAT HAPPENED TO ONE HOUSEHOLD.
THIS FAMILY LIVES BENEATH THE WINDOW OF A MISSION SCHOOL WHERE FOREIGN WAR CORRESPONDENTS HAVE BEEN BILLETED MORE THAN ONE MONTH. ITS HOME WAS A JAMMED CORRIDOR THAT LOOKED LIKE THE SHANTY COMMUNITIES THAT SPRI.. UP AROUND AMERICAN CITY DUMPS--EXCEPT THE HUTS HERE ARE CONFUSED WITH PICTURESQUE OLD TILE ROOFS.
AS THE RED ARMY SLASHED CLOSER DOWN THE SEOUL-TAEJON-TAEGU ROAD UNEASE INCREASED IN THE CITY. IT HAS 39 PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES--BUT IT ALSO HAS MORE NATIVE COMMUNISTS THAN ANY OTHER SOUTH KOREAN CITY.
REPORTS SPREAD THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAD BEEN SECRETLY ARMED AND WOULD RISE UP IN A RIOT OF BLOODSHED AND PILLAGE AGAINST REPUBLICAN SYMPATHIZERS WHENEVER THE RED TROOPS REACHED THE OUTSKIRTS. A PRISONER OF WAR HAD BOASTED THAT TAEGU WOULD FALL BY "LIBERATION DAY"--LAST TUESDAY, FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF V-J DAY.
TWO WEEKS AGO THE YOUNG FATHER OF THE FAMILY BENEATH OUR WINDOW DUG A DEEP PIT IN HIS BACKYARD AND BURIED ALL THE HOUSEHOLD'S MOST PRECIOUS BELONGINGS IN IT. THOUSANDS OF OTHER FATHERS MUST HAVE BEEN DOING THE SAME THING; THEY HAD NO BETTER PLACE TO PUT THEIR SIMPLE TREASURE THAN IN A HOLE IN THE GROUND.
BUT THE YOUNG MOTHER EACH TWILIGHT LIT A FIRE AND COOKED RICE AND VEGETABLES FOR HER CHILDREN AND THE GRANDPARENTS AND THE UNCLES AND THE COUSINS THAT SWARM IN MOST SMALL KOREAN HOMES. AND EACH MORNING THEY TOOK TURNS SCRUBBING EACH OTHER WITH WATER HAULED UP BY BUCKETS FROM THE BACKYARD WELL.
LAST NIGHT TRUCKLOADS OF GRINNING SOUTH KOREAN RECRUITS RUSHED TOWARD THE FRONT HAPPILY SINGING WHAT AMERICANS CALL THEIR "NO LOSE FACE" SONG.
IT IS A KIND OF SINGSONG CHANT THAT TELLS HOW THE RECRUITS ARE GOING TO DRIVE BACK THE INVADERS AND FREE KOREA.

A52FX
A NORTH KOREAN REGIMENT HAD SMASHED DOWN FROM THE NORTH TO WITHIN 12 MILES OF TAEGU JUST A FEW HOURS BEFORE. AND THE ROOKIES WERE HAPPY AT THE CHANCE TO LIVE UP TO THEIR SONG.
BUT BEFORE DAWN THE DISTANT GUNS MOVED NEARER ON THE HORIZON. SIX ENEMY SHELLS CRACKED INTO THE CITY, KULLING ATNLEAST FOUR PEOPLE AND HITTING A LOCOMOTIVE TENDER IN A RAILYARD.
BY DAYLIGHT HUNDREDS OF REFUGEES WERE MARCHING OUT AND IN MIDMORNING THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT ORDERED ALL NON-ESSENTIAL CIVILIANS TO LEAVE. IT WAS NOT ONLY TO CLEAR FOR DEFENSE, IT WAS A SAFETY MEASURE TO AVOID A LAST-MINUTE RUSH SUCH AS TOOK PLACE DURING THE FALL OF SEOUL, THE ABANDONED REPUBLICAN CAPITAL.
LONG BEFORE THE ORDER WAS ISSUED I LOOKED OUT THE WINDOW AND SAW THE FAMILY BELOW PACKING ON THEIR BACKS THE FEW BELONGINGS LEFT--THE FEW UTENSILS, BEDDING AND SOME FOOD. THEY STRAGGLED OUT THE WALLED FRONT AND DISAPPEARED IN A LINE OF REFUGEES.
TAEGU NORMALLY IS A CITY OF ABOUT 350,000. IT HAS SWELLED IN SIX WEEKS TO700,000 OR 800,000.
SOON IT APPEARED AS THOUGH THE WHOLE CITY WAS EMPTYING ITSELF. REFUGEES SWARMED OUT BY THE SCORES OF THOUSANDS SOUTHWARD AS MILITARY COLUMNS ROARED NORTHWARD. THERE WAS CHOKING DUST, NOISE AND PANIC ON EVERY STREET.
STOREKEEPERS BOARDED SHOPS AGAINST LOOTERS. RICKETY TRUCKS LOADED WITH HEAVILY ARMED NATIVE POLICE CRUISED ABOUT WILDLY TO GUARD AGAINST ANY GUERRILLA OUTBREAK.
THERE WERE SUCH SIGHTS AS:
A WEARY MOTHER SQUATTING BY A TELEPHONE POLE TO SUCKLE HER WAILING INFANT....A MIDDLE-AGED MAN HARNESSED BETWEEN THE SHAFTS OF A HEAVILY LOADED WOOD-WHEEL OXCART AND STRAINING TO PULL IT....OLD MEN AND WHITE-HAIRED WOMEN LYING HELPLESS BY THE ROADSIDE, WHERE THEY HAD FALLEN FROM EXHAUSTION....FATHERS AND MOTHERS CARRYING ALL THAT WAS LEFT OF HOME IN BUNDLES UPON THEIR BACKS AND HEADS AND PULLING WEARY CHILDREN ALONG BY THE HAND....A SMALL RAGGED GIRL HUGGING AN EMPTY KETTLE AND A BROKEN FAN....A NAKED LOST BOY SITTING ALL ALONE IN A CHAIR WITH CHILDISH TERROR IN HIS FACE.
THE PANIC LASTED FROM 11 A.M. UNTIL ABOUT 1 P.M. THEN THE HOT SUN AND WEARINESS SLOWED THE PACE. BY MIDAFTERNOON THE FRENZY HAD DIED DOWN. MANY REFUGEES WHO HAD WANDERED ABOUT AIMLESSLY TURNED AROUND AND WENT TIREDLY BACK TO THEIR HOMES.
I HITCHHIKED ON A NATIVE FIRE TRUCK GOING BACK TO MY BILLET FROM A VISIT TO A FORWARD COMBAT POST. THE TRUCK STOPPED TO PICK UP A DRUNKEN POLICEMAN WAVING A HALF EMPTY BRANDY BOTTLE AND I GOT OFF AND WALKED THE REST OF THE WAY.
WHEN I LOOKED OUT THE WINDOW I SAW THE FAMILY BELOW STRAGGLING BACK THROUGH THEIR GATEWAY. ONE SMALL BOY LOOKED UP AT ME. I THREW HIM A FEW PIECES OF CHEWING GUM. HE RAN AND PICKED THEM UP AND THEN LOOKED UP AT THE WINDOW AND SALUTED SMARTLY.
IT IS GETTING ON TOWARD DUSK NOW. THE MOTHER IS PREPARING THE EVENING MEAL. THE PANIC IS OVER. THE CITY IS STILL SAFE AND THERE IS PEACE AGAIN IN THE HOME BELOW--AT LEAST FOR ANOTHER NIGHT.
CC315APD

A15KX (470)
BY STAN SWINTON
ON THE SOUTHWEST KOREAN FRONT,AUG.18-(AP)-THE AMERICAN ARMY TODAY WAS MOVING THE ENTIRE CIVILIAN POPULATION BACK FROM THE SOUTHWEST FRONT.
TEN THOUSAND MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN CLAD IN ROUGH HOMESPUN, THE BLACK SOIL OF THEIR RICE FIELDS STILL CLINGING TO THEM, MILLED AROUND A RAILROAD EVACUATION POINT IN SILENT BEWILDERMENT.

THE DULL ROAR OF AMERICAN ARTILLERY A THOUSAND YARDS AHEAD FURNISHES A GRIM ACCOMPANIMENT.

LT.COL.HAROLD G.BOTY OF SPOKANE, FORMER WASHINGTON WATER POWER COMPANY EMPLOYE, MOVED 26,000 BY YESTERDAY. ANOTHER 10,000 CRAMMED INTO THE OLD RAILWAY CARS TODAY. TONIGHT, STILL ANOTHER 10,000 SIT WAITING SILENTLY.

THE EVACUATION WAS A MILITARY NECESSITY. PEASANTS WERE WALKING ONTO THE MINES THE AMERICANS PLANTED FOR NORTH KOREAN REDS. OTHERS WERE BEING CUT DOWN IN BATTLE. THE NORTH KOREANS WERE INFILTRATING THE LINES IN PEASANT COSTUME.

BUT TO UNGI LEE, ILLITERATE 27-YEAR-OLD AGRICULTURAL WORKER, THE ARMY'S REASONS DISAPPEAR IN THE FACE OF ONE TREMENDOUS FACT. HE HAS BEEN TAKEN FROM HIS RICE FIELDS AND HIS HOME.NO ONE HAS TOLD HIM WHY.

SGT.HISAO ASAKAWA, OF HONOLULU INTERPRETED AS UNGI TOLD HIS STORY.

"I DO NOT WANT TO BE KILLED AND THAT IS TRUE. BUT WHERE AM I GOING? WHO WILL FEED ME? I OWN NO LAND BUT EACH YEAR I HAD SIX SACKS OF RICE (ABOUT 700 POUNDS) AND A NEW SUIT FOR WORKING HERE. WHAT NOW?"

SGT.ASAKAWA EXPLAINED THERE WAS A GIANT REFUGEE CENTER NEAR PUSAN AND THAT THE ARMY WOULD FEED HIM.

"WELL THAT IS GOOD," SAND UNGI. HE TURNED AND SPOKE TO THE GROUP AROUND HIM--WOMEN IN THEIR "SAMBE" SHORT BLOUSES WHICH EXPOSED THEIR BARE BREASTS. SOME WERE NURSING BABIES. OLD MEN WERE SMOKING THE LONG THIN "PAMBETE" BAMBOO PIPES.

A WORRIED, DIRT-SMEARED WOMAN CAME UP. "MY HUSBAND WENT TO HELP MY BROTHER PACK. HE HAS NOT COME BACK. HE IS MY HUSBAND. WHAT WILL BECOME OF ME?"

THE SERGEANT TOLD A KOREAN POLICEMAN TO LET HER WAIT FOR ANOTHER TRAIN SO HER HUSBAND COULD JOIN HER.

A FEW OLD WOMEN REFUSED TO LEAVE THEIR PATHETIC LITTLE HOMES. "THEY SAY THEY ARE SOON TO DIE ANYWAY AND THEY WOULD PREFER TO DIE ON THEIR OWN LAND," THE SERGEANT EXPLAINED.

A FEW CHANGED THEIR MINDS AS SHELLS CAME DOWN. AMERICAN SOLDIERS BROUGHT THEM BACK TO THE EVACUATION POINT.

THOUSANDS OF THE REFUGEES COVERED THE RAILWAY EMBANKMENT AND SPILLED OVER INTO THE COURTYARDS AND FIELDS. THERE WERE WRINKLED OLD MEN WEARING "TANGUN," THE HIGH NET KOREAN HAT, WOMEN AND CHILDREN WITH STRAW SLEEPING NETS AND UNGAINLY BUNDLES CONTAINING THEIR BELONGINGS.

AHEAD SOME OF THEIR HOMES WERE ASHES. THEY HAD BEEN BURNED TO KEEP THE REDS FROM HIDING WITHIN. OTHER HOUSES WERE LONELY LOOKING AND EMPTY.

THE LONG, CROWDED TRAINS PULLED AWAY. YOU COULD SEE THE PEASANTS, THEIR EYES STEADY, LOOKING ALWAYS BACK AT THEIR RICE FIELDS AND THE LIFE THEY WERE LEAVING BEHIND.

A73FX

KOREAN REFUGEES (120)

TOKYO, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS IS SETTING UP A RELIEF ORGANIZATION TO CARE FOR AN ESTIMATED 1,500,000 SOUTH KOREAN WAR REFUGEES.

COL. ALFRED G. KATZIN, PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN KOREA OF THE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL, TODAY CABLED DETAILS FROM PUSAN. ARRANGEMENTS WERE CONCLUDED LAST WEEKEND UNDER GENERAL MACARTHUR'S DIRECTION.

KATZIN SAID SUPPLIES WILL COME FROM U.N. MEMBERS ARMY RESOURCES, U.N. SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND VOLUNTARY ORGANIZATIONS. HE SAID SUFFICIENT FOODSTOCKS ARE AVAILABLE IN KOREA FOR TWO MONTHS, BUT---

"SICKNESS AND DISEASE IF RIFE AMONG MANY THOUSANDS X X X A VERY LARGE PROPORTION INDEED ARE WITHOUT SHELTER AND LACK COVERING OR BLANKETS OF ANY DESCRIPTION. THEY ARE REDUCED TO THE CLOTHING IN WHICH THEY STAND."

JL430APD

A161FX

X(580)

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,SATURDAY,AUG.19-(AP)-DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSSES HAVE BEEN AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY TO FIRST LT.WILLIAM HOTCHKISS, OF WISCONSIN (HOME TOWN NOT GIVEN) AND SERGEANT FIRST CLASS JOHN P.LITTLE, OF JACKSON, KY.

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED THE AWARDS TODAY. IT ALSO ANNOUNCED AWARD OF OTHER DECORATIONS TO 32 ENLISTED MEN AND SIX OFFICERS.

LIEUTENANT HOTCHKISS LOST HIS LIFE IN THE KUM RIVER FIGHTING. HE ASSAULTED FOUR ENEMY MACHINEGUN NESTS, DESTROYING ALL BUT ONE. ALTHOUGH WOUNDED, HE CONTINUED TO FIGHT UNTIL HE WAS KILLED, "INSPIRING HIS MEN TO DRIVE THE ENEMY OUT."

BEFORE LEAVING FOR KOREA, HE HAD LIVED WITH HIS WIFE IN BEPPU, JAPAN.

SERGEANT LITTLE WAS KILLED WHEN HIS MOTORIZED PATROL CLASHED WITH A FORCE OF 50 ENEMY TROOPS NEAR YECHON. HE EXPOSED HIMSELF TO INTENSE SMALL ARM FIRE WHILE DIRECTING HIS MEN INTO POSITION TO WIPE OUT THE ENEMY. UNDER HIS DIRECTION, HIS PATROL ROUTED THE ENEMY AND CAPTURED MUCH EQUIPMENT.

HIS MOTHER, MARTHA LITTLE, LIVES IN JACKSON, KY.

THE EIGHT ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE SILVER STAR WAS AWARDED POST-

HUMOUSLY TO PFC JOSEPH KRIWCHUK, WHOSE MOTHER, MRS. TECLA KRIWCHUK, LIVES AT 2803 ROANOKE AVE., CLEVELAND, OHIO.

KRIWCHUK WAS WOUNDED FATALLY AT TAEJON WHILE ATTEMPTING TO PIERCE A ROADBLOCK WITH HIS JEEP, LOADED WITH BADLY NEEDED SUPPLIES. ALTHOUGH WOUNDED, HE DISREGARDED HIS CONDITION, CRAWLED FROM HIS JEEP AND ATTEMPTED TO FIGHT THE ENEMY.

THE SILVER STAR ALSO WAS AWARDED TO CAPT. COLEMAN L. PRESCOTT OF LAWTON, OKLA., MISSING IN ACTION. PRESCOTT, WHILE MANNING A FIELD ARTILLERY OBSERVATION POST DURING AN ENEMY ATTACK NEAR THE KUM RIVER, FOUND ALL HIS COMMUNICATIONS SEVERED EXCEPT HIS RADIO. HE CONTINUED TO GIVE RADIO DIRECTIONS TO FRIENDLY ARTILLERY EVEN AFTER AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN WITHDREW. HE WAS LAST SEEN BEFORE ENEMY TROOPS OVERRAN HIS POSITION. HIS WIFE, DOROTHY, LIVES IN JAPAN.

A162FX

OTHER SILVER STAR AWARDS WERE GIVEN TO SGT. ARTHUR L. CLEGG, OF ELMHURST, N.Y., FOR HEROIC ACTION IN THE KUM RIVER FIGHTING; S/FC CONRAD LOPEZ, BERKELEY, CALIF.; CAPT. ANTHONY F. STAHELSKI, WESTFIELD, MASS.; CPL. WAYMEN E. SIMPSON, MENA, ARK.; AND S/FC EDWIN A. EVERSOLE, SAN ANTONIO, TEX.

SILVER STARS ALSO WENT TO CPL. CLETUS BIEDERSTADT, WHOSE MOTHER, MRS. MARIE BIEDERSTADT, LIVES AT 4528 NW FAIRFIELD ST., PORTLAND, ORE.; PFC GERALD MILLAM, WHOSE MOTHER, MRS. MINNIE MCELHANEY, LIVES AT 410 MOORE ST., PHILADELPHIA; PVT. BILLY T. BEAN, AVONDALE, W.VA.; FIRST LT. J. ALBERT CHILDERS, SAN JOSE, CALIF.; SGT. ALLEN R. SHARP, BECKVILLE, TEXAS; PFC MARVIN KOPPELMAN, BROOKLYN; AND PVT. FERNANDO MARTINEZ, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

BRONZE STAR MEDALS WERE AWARDED TO:

SGT. FRANKLIN L. RICE, PORTSMOUTH, OHIO; CPL. ROY E. CHRISTIAN, BISHOP, GA.; CPL. JESSIE C. CRUMLEY, PULASKI, TENN.; CPL. BILLY G. TOON, OKLAHOMA CITY; PFC MACK O. BAILEY, FORT BENNING, GA.; PFC JERRY J. BUTCHE, WOODBINE, IA.; CPL. JAMES A. DONLON, PHILADELPHIA; MAJ. ARCHIE C. WATERS, LOUISVILLE, KY.; CAPT. RAYMOND D. HATFIELD, LONG BEACH, CALIF.; SECOND LT. DELBERT S. BISHOP, LAWTON, OKLA.; PFC TITUS E. MILLER YORK, PA.; PFC ALLEN P. JOLLEY, CLEVELAND, OHIO; PFC WILLIAM C. NULL, TOLEDO, OHIO; PVT. WILLIAM G. MOON, PHILADELPHIA; PVT. NATHAN MCCALL, NEW CASTLE, PA.; PFC WILLIAM HENRY TAYLOR, PERRYVILLE, KY.; PVT. FRED M. ODLE, MCLEANSBORO, ILL.; PFC BILLY J. RHODES, COLUMBUS, GA.; PVT. EDDIE M. WILLETTE, LOS ANGELES; S/FC ROBERT B. KELDER, NEW BRUNSWICK,

N.J.; PVT. NORMAN R. SWINK, PRICE, UTAH; PVT. DONALD C. MARTIN, CLEVELAND, OHIO; PFC. DONALD WHITLOCK, BALTIMORE; AND PVT. FRANKLIN W. GOFF, CHARLESTON, W.VA.

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A90FX

ATROCITIES (230)

U.S. FIRST CAVALRY,KOREA,AUG.18-(AP)-BODIES OF 36 AMERICAN SOLDIER VICTIMS OF RED BATTLEFIELD TORTURE KILLINGS WERE RECOVERED TODAY FROM BLOODY HILL 303. THEIR HANDS AND FEET WERE BOUND WITH ROPE, WIRE AND SHOESTRINGS.

THREE AMERICAN SOLDIERS WHO SURVIVED THE MASS EXECUTIION IDENTIFIED TWO RED KOREAN PRISONERS AS HAVING BEEN AMONG THE GROUP THAT BOUND AND EXECUTED 32 AMERICAN MORTAR MEN. THEY TENTATIVELY IDENTIFIED A THIRD RED CAPTIVE AS HAVING BEEN IN ON THE SLAUGHTER.

ARMY OFFICIALS SAID THE ACCUSED SLAYERS WOULD BE TRIED AS WAR CRIMINALS.

SEVEN TANKMEN AND THE 32 MORTAR MEN--39 IN ALL--WERE EXECUTED BY THE KOREAN REDS ON THE HILL BEFORE U.S. CAVALRYMEN RECAPTURED IT.

BODIES OF THE SEVEN TANKERS WERE FOUND ON THE ROAD NEAR THEIR TWO WRECKED MACHINES.

"THEIR FACES WERE BLACKENED AS IF GASOLINE HAD BEEN THROWN ON THEM AND SET AFIRE," SAID PFC ROBERT S.MAURO OF REVERE, MASS., A STRETCHER JEEP DRIVER.

PFC ELLIS R.BARNER OF PARIS, TEX., A SURVIVOR OF THE TEN MEN IN THE TWO TANKS, TOLD HOW ONE TANKMAN WAS KILLED AS HE PLEADED FOR HIS LIFE. BARNER SAID:

"THEY FOUND HIM IN A CULVERT WITH THEIR FLASHLIGHTS. HE BEGGED THEM NOT TO KILL HIM. THEY TOOK OFF HIS CLOTHES, ALL EXCEPT HIS SHORTS. THEN THEY KICKED HIM A COUPLE OF TIMES AND HIT HIM WITH THE BUTT END OF HIS RIFLE AND THEN THEY SHOT HIM WITH A (RUSSIAN AUTOMATIC) BURP GUN WHILE HE WAS MOANING AND BEGGING FOR HIS LIFE."

CC545APD

A72FX

TOKYO, AUG. 18-(AP)-A U.S. HEAVY CRUISER, RAIDING NORTH KOREAN RAILWAY COMMUNICATIONS WITH SIBERIA, BOMBARDED THE RAIL TOWN OF TANCHON YESTERDAY FOR THE SECOND TIME.

THE NAVY SAID TODAY THE CRUISER'S EIGHT-INCH GUNS CAUSED HEAVY DAMAGE IN THE RAIL YARDS OF TANCHON, 170 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL ON KOREA'S EAST COAST. TWO HUNDRED FREIGHT CARS WERE DESTROYED.

THE CRUISER ROAMED FARTHER UP THE COAST SHELLING FREIGHT YARDS AT ILSIN, AND KUNSEN, AND THREE RAILWAY BRIDGES.

CARRIER AIRCRAFT FROM TASK FORCE 77 PROTECTED THE CRUISER ON ITS RAIDING EXPEDITION. AERIAL OBSERVERS DIRECTED THE BOMBARDMENTS.

JL428APD

B4KX (SCEG) (TEXT)

TEXT (440)

TOKYO,AUG. 18-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST NAVAL KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 269 ISSUED AT 2:20 P.M. (11:20 P.M. EST THURSDAY):

CARRIER-BASED AIRCRAFT, FLYING A TOTAL OF 220 SORTIES, BRACKETED KOREA FROM EXTREME NORTH TO SOUTH YESTERDAY IN A SERIES OF DEVASTATING STRIKES.

HITTING AS FAR NORTH AS CHONGJIN NAVY PILOTS OF TASK FORCE 77 DEFINITELY DESTROYED A TOTAL OF 32 LOCOMOTIVES AND DAMAGED 15. MARINE PILOTS LED OFF THE ATTACK OF MARINE GROUND FORCES WEST OF YONGSAN IN THE SOUTH.

TASK FORCE 77 SKYRAIDERS, CORSAIRS AND JET PANTHERS HAD THEIR BEST DAY OF THE WAR, WITH CHONGJIN AND WONSAN BEARING THE BRUNT OF THE ATTACK.

ONE 15-CAR AMMUNITION TRAIN WAS EXPLODED NEAR WONSAN. A LOCOMOTIVE FACTORY AT WONSAN WAS HIT BY 22 100-POUND BOMBS AND A NUMBER OF 500 AND 100 POUNDERS. THE FACTORY WAS HEAVILY DAMAGED AND LEFT BURNING.

A LARGE FUEL TANK AT WONSAN AIRFIELD WAS BLOWN UP AND TROOPS AND BARRACKS AT THE FIELD WERE STRAFED. EIGHT PC BOATS, FOUR POWER BOATS AND ONE STEAMER IN THE HARBOR WERE BADLY DAMAGED.

AT CHONGJIN A FACTORY DISTRICT WAS HIT WITH 2000 AND 1000-POUND BOMBS CAUSING HEAVY DAMAGE AND STARTING LARGE FIRES. THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT CHONGJIN AND THE RAILROAD YARDS NORTHEAST OF THERE WERE HEAVILY BOMBED. THE NIPPON IRON WORKS WAS HEAVILY HIT. A POWER PLANT WAS DESTROYED AND A WAREHOUSE WAS SET AFIRE.

LARGE FIRES WERE STARTED AT THE RISING SUN OIL REFINERY AT MUNPYONGO. IN THE SAME AREA THREE OIL TANK CARS WERE SET AFIRE AND 22 FLAT CARS LOADED WITH FIELD PIECES WERE BOMBED AND STRAFED.

ELSEWHERE IN NORTH KOREA THE NAVY FLIERS DESTROYED 19 POWER BOATS AND DAMAGED 14; DESTROYED 16 TRUCKS AND DAMAGED 23; DESTROYED 20 BOXCARS AND DAMAGED THREE; DAMAGED 20 FIELD PIECES; NEUTRALIZED 11 TROOP CONCENTRATIONS; DESTROYED ONE FACTORY, ONE WAREHOUSE AND ONE TRANSFORMER STATION. TWO FACTORIES AND THREE WAREHOUSES WERE DAMAGED. TEN SUPPLY CARTS WERE DESTROYED. BOMB AND ROCKET ATTACKS WERE MADE ON THE RAILROAD YARDS AT CHUNGSAN.

MARINE FLYERS OPERATING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES POURED AN EFFECTIVE RAIN OF BOMBS, ROCKETS, NAPALM AND 20 MM CANNON FIRE ON TROOPS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS OPPOSING THE ADVANCING MARINE FORCE.

REPUBLIC OF KOREA NAVAL UNITS MAINTAINING A CLOSE-IN BLOCKADE OF THE SOUTH COAST SANK THREE NORTH KOREAN VESSELS RUNNING THE BLOCKADE AND CAPTURED FOUR.

B5KX (SCEG)

THE BRITISH NAVAL AIR ARM IS NOW ASSISTING WITH THE DIFFICULT TASK OF MAINTAINING THE WEST COAST BLOCKADE.

A CANADIAN DESTROYER BOMBARDED A TROUBLESOME BATTERY IN THE KUNSAN AREA WITHOUT DRAWING ANY FIRE IN REPLY.

ELSEWHERE ON THE WEST COAST PATROLLING UNITS REPORT THAT AS A RESULT OF THE CRIPPLING RECENT CARRIER AIR STRIKES ON ROLLING STOCK, HORSES AND MEN, INSTEAD OF LOCOMOTIVES, ARE BEING USED AS PRIME MOVERS ON THE WEST COAST RAILWAY.

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B29KX (BSEGQ)

TEXT (150)

TOKYO, AUG. 18-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 270, (NAVY) TIMED AT 5:50 P.M. (2:50 A.M., EST) TODAY:

A U.S. NAVY HEAVY CRUISER, UNDER COVER OF TASK FORCE 77 AIRCRAFT AND USING AERIAL SPOTTERS, BOMBARDED THE RAILROAD YARDS AT TANCHON YESTERDAY DESTROYING 200 FREIGHT CARS AND CAUSING HEAVY DAMAGE TO YARD INSTALLATIONS AND TRACKS.

AT ILSIN 20 MORE FREIGHT CARS WERE HEAVILY DAMAGED.

THE RAILROAD YARDS AT KUNSEN (LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 40 DEGREES 20 MINUTES NORTH) WERE BOMBARDED WITH RESULTING FIRES IN YARD INSTALLATIONS.

FIRE AND SMOKE WAS SO HEAVY FROM THE BOMBARDMENT OF A COASTAL RAILWAY BRIDGE (LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 40 DEGREES 40 MINUTES NORTH) THAT THE AERIAL SPOTTER WAS UNABLE TO OBSERVE RESULTS. LARGE HOLES WERE TORN IN BOTH ENDS OF A COASTAL RAILWAY BRIDGE AT LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 40 DEGREES 18 MINUTES NORTH. A THIRD RAILROAD BRIDGE AT LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 40 DEGREES 29 MINUTES NORTH WAS HEAVILY HIT WITH A RESULTING LARGE GAP IN ONE END.

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340KX (BSEGQ)
TEXT (380)
TOKYO, AUG. 18-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 271, TIMED AT 7:55 P.M. (4:55 A.M. E.S.T) TODAY:
LIGHT INVADER BOMBERS FLEW IN FULL FORCE TODAY AGAINST RAILROADS AND TUNNELS TO HELP INTERDICT THE FLOW OF SUPPLIES TO NORTH KOREAN TROOPS. TODAY'S DAYLIGHT MISSIONS WERE A FOLLOWUP TO THE B-26 ATTACKS MADE THROUGH THE HOURS OF DARKNESS THURSDAY AND FRIDAY MORNING.
THE TOLL FOR THE 24-HOUR CONTINUOUS FLYING PERIOD INCLUDED SMASHED RAIL SUPPLY LINES, WRECKED BRIDGES AND DAMAGED TUNNELS IN ADDITION TO VEHICLES AND RED-OCCUPIED BUILDINGS.
JOE STEIN, ATHENS, GA., FLEW HIS B-26 IN AN ATTACK AGAINST A LOCOMOTIVE AND EIGHT CARS AT TAEJON, MAKING DIRECT HITS ON THEM AND ALSO ON RAILWAY TRACKS IN THE TAEJON-CHOCHIWON AREA. "WE ALSO SCORED HITS ON A BRIDGE, A VEHICLE AND BUILDINGS UTILIZED BY THE ENEMY NEAR UISONG," SAID CAPTAIN STEIN.
IN THE SAME FLIGHT 1ST LT. DAVID D. BRADBURN, 242 SOUTH GRAND AVE., PASADENA, CALIF., DROPPED BOMBS ON A TUNNEL NEAR PUGANG, 14 MILES NORTH OF TAEJON. CPL. SAM C. WADSWORTH, JR., PINE BLUFF, ARK., WHO WAS FLYING WITH LIEUTENANT BRADBURN, SAID HE SAW THE STRIKE. ONE BOMB WENT INTO THE MOUTH OF THE TUNNEL, HE SAID.
MAJ. FRED F. BRONSON, 1695 WALKER AVE., MEMPHIS, TENN., STRAFED A SMALL FERRY BOAT TIED TO A RIVER BANK 20 MILES SOUTHEAST OF KUMSAN. "WE ALSO STRAFED SUPPLIES PILED ALONG A ROAD AND RAILROAD TRACK AT KUMSO, SEVEN MILES SOUTHEAST OF ANSONG," SAID MAJOR BRONSON.
IN NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS THURSDAY 1ST LT. ROBERT MARTIN, 901 FREEMAN PLACE, TUCSON, ARIZ., FOUND A CONVOY ON THE ROAD BETWEEN KUMCHON AND WAEGWAN. "WE PUT A BOMB RIGHT IN THE CENTER OF SIX VEHICLES," HE SAID, ADDING HE HAD NO WAY TO ESTIMATE THE DAMAGE IN THE DARKNESS.
MARTIN'S GUNNER, S/SGT JOHN T. GAVIN, PLAINS, PA., FIRED ON TWO TRUCKS JUST NORTH OF KUMCHON. "ONE OF THE TRUCKS EXPLODED, SO WE SURE GOT IT," HE SAID.
CAPT. ROMAN J. WHITING, ROUTE 9, BOX 673, DAYTON, OHIO, SAID HE SCORED ON A TRUCK NEAR SUNCHON. "THE EXPLOSION SLIGHTLY DAMAGED OUR B-26 BOMBER'S WINDSHELD WITH FLYING DEBRIS, SO WE MUST HAVE BEEN AIMING WELL," SAID CAPTAIN WHITING.
FIRST LT. CHARLES E. BARTELL, ROUTE 2 BOX 12000, SARASOTA, FLA., STRAFED A CONVOY SOUTHEAST OF SONSAN. "FOUR VEHICLES WERE BURNING WHEN I LEFT THE AREA," HE SAID.
AIR CONTROLLERS WERE BUSY TODAY DIRECTING F-80 JET PILOTS TO TARGETS IN THE POHANG AREA. FIRST LT. DONALD B. RUSSELL, LOS ANGELES, WAS SENT TEN MILES NORTH TO HANGHE TO STRAFE TRUCKS AND TROOPS. "WE FOUND THE TRUCKS AND DESTROYED ONE AND PROBABLY ANOTHER," HE SAID.
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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG.19-(AP)-THE TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S KOREAN RELEASE NO.272 ISSUED TODAY AT 12:30 A.M. (9:30 A.M. FRIDAY, EST):
AMERICAN FORCES IN THE SOUTH OF KOREA WERE LIGHTLY ATTACKED BUT ASIDE FROM SUCH HARASSING ACTIONS, LITTLE CHANGE RESULTED IN THIS SECTOR.
THE ENEMY IS BEING PUSHED BACK STEADILY IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGE-HEAD BY UNITS OF BOTH THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION AND THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE. MARINES, WHO EARLIER REPORTED EXTREMELY STUBBORN RESISTANCE, HAVE NOW SUCCEEDED IN TURNING THE ENEMY'S RIGHT (SOUTHERN) FLANK INTO THE PATH OF THE 24TH DIVISION UNITS. THIS NORTHERN SECTION OF THE BRIDGEHEAD IS NOW HEAVILY ENGAGED, LATER REPORTS INDICATE.
THE SITUATION IN THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR IS STILL REPORTED AS "UNCHANGED."
REPUBLIC OF KOREA FIRST DIVISION UNITS REGAINED FROM HALF TO ALL OF THE GROUND THESE UNITS LOST IN THURSDAY'S ATTACK, AND ARE HOLDING FIRM IN THE FACE OF THE PRESENT MAIN ENEMY EFFORT.
UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAVE RETAKEN POHANG AND KIGYE AND HAVE CAPTURED THE HIGH GROUND NORTH OF THE LATTER. THE AMOUNT OF RESISTANCE AT POHANG WAS NOT REPORTED; THE RESISTANCE AT KIGYE WAS FAIRLY LIGHT. DEFENSE LINES IN THIS EASTERN SECTOR ARE MOR COHESIVE, WITH DEFENSE LINES RUNNING GENERALLY WESTWARD FROM POHANG TO KIGYE. SEVERAL NORTH KOREAN REGIMENTS IN THE KIGYE-POHANG AREA ARE BEING PUSHED BY UNITED NATIONS FORCES FROM THE SOUTH AND WEST.
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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 19-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST NAVAL KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 273 ISSUED AT 12:30 P.M. (9:30 P.M. EST FRIDAY):
RETREATING MASSES OF ENEMY TROOPS FORDING AND SWIMMING THE NAKTONG RIVER WERE CAUGHT AND STRAFED BY CARRIER-BASEDMINE FLYERS YEST

RIVER WERE CAUGHT AND STRAFED BY CARRIER-BASED MARINE FLYERS YESTERDAY WITH RESULTING SEVERE LOSSES.
THE STRAFING OF TROOP MASSES IN THE RIVER CLIMAXED A DAY IN WHICH MARINE FLYERS, OPERATING IN EXTREMELY CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES, SPEARHEADED AN ATTACK ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE NORTH KOREAN BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER.
MARINE CORSAIR FIGHTER AIRPLANES, USING ROCKETS, BOMBS, NAPALM AND 20 MM CANNON, BLASTED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, ARTILLERY PIECES, TANKS AND MORTARS ON THE LINE OF ADVANCE OVER HIGH GROUND TO THE RIVER.
A PLATOON AROUND AN ARMORED CAR WAS STRAFED WITH AT LEAST 50 PER CENT CASUALTIES. A COMPANY ATTEMPTING TO TAKE COVER WAS NEUTRALIZED WITH BOMBS AND 20 MM CANNON FIRE. TWO BUILDINGS HOUSING TROOPS WERE BOMBED AND DESTROYED. THE DAY'S TALLY INCLUDED THREE TANKS AND FOUR ARTILLERY PIECES DESTROYED.
A CANADIAN DESTROYER HAS BOMBARDED YOSU, DESTROYING OR HEAVILY DAMAGING RAILWAY SIDINGS, MILITARY WAREHOUSES, DOCK INSTALLATIONS, AND OIL TANKS, WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS. AN AIRCRAFT SPOTTER REPORTED AFTER THE FIRING THAT NO WORTHWHILE TARGETS REMAINED IN THE AREA.
THE EAST COAST NAVAL SUPPORT AND BLOCKADE FORCE CONTINUED PATROLLING AND FIRING ON MILITARY TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY. A DIESEL TUG, WITH FOUR JUNKS AND A POWER BOAT IN TOW, WAS HIT, HEAVILY DAMAGED AND FORCED TO RUN AGROUND.
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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE EXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 274 TIMED 1:10 P.M. (10:10 P.M.., E.S.T. FRIDAY) FOLLOWS (TEXT COVERS PERIOD ENDING MIDNIGHT AUG. 18)
UNITED STATES FAR EAST AIR FORCES UNITS STEPPED UP THE STEADY POUNDING OF NORTH KOREAN TROOP AND MATERIAL STRENGTH FROM THE AIR AUG. 18. THE SLIGHTLY MORE THAN 550 SORTIES FLOWN BY ALL AIRCRAFT EQUALLED THE PREVIOUS RECORD FOR AIR ACTIVITY OVER THE KOREAN WAR FRONT.
FIGHTER AIRPLANES OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE AND THE ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE MADE MORE THAN 350 INDIVIDUAL STRIKES AT NORTH KOREAN FORCES IN THE BATTLE ZONES. THIS TOTAL IS THE HIGHEST DAILY FIGURE FOR FIGHTER OPERATIONS SINCE THE START OF CONTIINUOUS AIR FORCE ACTIVITY IN KOREA 54 DAYS AGO.
THE FIGHTERS HIT TARGETS ALONG THE FRONT LINES, CONCENTRATING ON TROOP BIVOUAC AREAS, VEHICLES AND SUPPLY DISTRIBUTING POINTS. A

MAJORITY OF THE STRIKES WERE WITHIN SHORT DISTANCES OF THE UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCE FRONTLINE POSITIONS AND WERE UNDER THE DIRECTION OF AIR FORCE FORWARD CONTROLLERS.

CONSERVATIVE ESTIMATES OF NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL BROUGHT UNDER FIRE AND DAMAGED IN MACHINE-GUN, ROCKET AND BOMB ATTACKS BY FIGHTER AIRCRAFT INCLUDED 23 TANKS, 59 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, NINE BOXCARS AND ONE LOCOMOTIVE. TWO SUPPLY DEPOTS, SEVERAL WAREHOUSES AND 16 BUILDINGS BEING USED FOR TROOP HOUSING OR SUPPLY STORAGE WERE HIT AND LEFT BURNING.

F80 JET FIGHTERS AGAIN JOINED FIFTH AIR FORCE B26 LIGHT BOMBERS IN NIGHT INTRUDER ATTACKS ON TROOP CONVOYS AND SUPPLY MOVEMENTS. THE FIGHTERS FLEW MISSIONS IN THE AREAS IMMEDIATELY BEHIND THE LINES WHILE THE B26S STRUCK AT MAJOR HIGHWAY AND RAIL ROUTES TO THE WEST AND NORTH. MILITARY TARGETS WERE HIT IN 10 CITIES OR TOWNS ALONG THE LINES OF APPROACH TO THE FRONT. SIX MARINE F-47'S ALSO TOOK PART IN THE NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS.

RAAF MUSTANGS CONTINUED ACTIVE XQPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES, FLYING BOMBING AND STRAFING MISSIONS ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE. SEVERAL VILLAGES HOUSING TROOPS OR USED AS SUPPLY STORAGE AREAS WERE ATTACKED AND NUMEROUS SMALL WAREHOUSE BUILDINGS OR BARRACKS BUILDINGS WERE FIRED AND DAMAGED.

FIFTH AIR FORCE B26 LIGHT BOMBERS ATTACKED WAREHOUSES AND RAILROAD REPAIR SHOPS AT POKSONG, THREE MILES NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN, AND CONDUCTED INTERDICTION STRAFING ON RAIL LINES, STATIONS AND YARDS ON THREE ROUTES SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

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B29S OF THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND CONTINUED THEIR SUSTAINED EFFORT TO ISOLATE THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES IN THE BATTLE ZONES FROM THEIR MAJOR SOURCES OF SUPPLY. THE SUPERFORTRESSES ATTACKED APPROXIMATELY 10 BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, IMPORTANT TO THE CONTINUED FLOW OF KOREAN COMMUNIST WAR MATERIEL OVER RAIL OR HIGHWAY ROUTES TO THE SOUTH.

PRELIMINARY REPORTS INDICATED SERIOUS DAMAGE TO RAIL BRIDGES AT PYONGNYANG AND HAMHUNG, AND SEVERAL HITS WERE SCORED ON THE WEST RAILROAD BRIDGE AT SEOUL. THE LATTER BRIDGE, DAMAGED IN PREVIOUS ATTACKS TO THE EXTENT THAT IT IS NOW BEING USED ONLY FOR LIMITED VEHICULAR TRAFFIC, WAS HIT SQUARELY IN THE CENTER. ONE SPAN WAS BELIEVED COMPLETELY UNSERVICEABLE AND POSSIBLY DOWNED IN THE ATTACK.

FIFTH AIR FORCE CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED 499 PASSENGERS AND MORE THAN 53 TONS OF PRIORITY MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO KOREA DURING THE DAY.

NO NORTH KOREAN AIRCRAFT WERE ENCOUNTERED AND NO AMERICAN OR AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT WERE DAMAGED OR LOST.

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TEXT (130)

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG. 18-(AP)-TEXT OF 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 48 ISSUED AT 8:45 P.M. (5:45 A.M. E.S.T.) TODAY:

DURING THE MORNING THE 35TH REGIMENT REPORTED AN ESTIMATED ENEMY BATTALION APPROACHING ITS LEFT FLANK BUT BEFORE NOON IT REPORTED THE ATTACK WAS CONTAINED.

THREE ENEMY TANKS WERE REPORTED IN THE POCKET UNDER ATTACK BY THE 24TH DIVISION AND THE 1ST MARINE BRIGADE. THE ATTACK BY FRIENDLY (SOUTH KOREAN) FORCES MADE SATISFACTORY PROGRESS ALL DAY.

THE 1ST ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) DIVISION HAS BEEN UNDER ATTACK TODAY BUT HAS SUCCESSFULLY RESISTED PENETRATION.

ROK UNITS IN THE EASTERN SECTOR REPORTED THEY HAD OCCUPIED POHANG AND KIGYE.

OTHER SECTORS WERE REPORTED QUIET .

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RED RADIO (150)

TOKYO,AUG.18-(AP)-A KOREAN RED ARMY COMMUNIQUE TONIGHT SAID COMMUNIST SOLDIERS KILLED MORE THAN 5,000 UNITED NATIONS TROOPS AND TOOK 1,000 PRISONERS IN A TEN-DAY PERIOD FROM AUG. 2 TO AUG. 12.

THE REDS' PYONGYANG RADIO, HEARD HERE, SAID NORTH KOREAN TROOPS HAVE HELD BACK STRONG AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN ATTACKS ALONG THE SOUTHERN BATTLEFRONT. THE COMMUNISTS SAID ALSO THEIR HEAVY ARTILLERY BATTERIES BOMBARDED AMERICAN POSITIONS ON THE EAST COAST, INFLICTING HEAVY CASUALTIES.

THE DATE OF THESE ACTIONS WAS NOT GIVEN. USUALLY THE COMMUNIQUE REFERS TO ACTION SEVERAL DAYS BEFORE.

THE REDS SAID THEY CAPTURED 29 HEAVY TANKS, 24 105 MM. GUNS, SEVEN 76 MM. GUNS, 40 60 MM. MORTARS, 32 ROCKET FIRING GUNS, 7 ARTILLERY PIECES, 30 ANTIAIRCRAFT GUNS, 43 HEAVY MACHINEGUNS, 10 LIGHT MACHINEGUNS, 400 AUTOMATIC RIFLES, 2,000 RIFLES, TWO FLAME THROWERS AND 400 VEHICLES.

THERE HAS BEEN NO MENTION OF FLAME THROWERS IN ACTION BUT THE WEAPON IS STANDARD EQUIPMENT FOR CERTAIN AMERICAN UNITS.

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LONDON, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE MOSCOW RADIO TONIGHT BROADCAST THE FOLLOWING NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIQUES:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUE TO WAGE BITTER BATTLES WITH AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS. TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, HAVING DEFEATED ATTEMPTS OF THE AMERICAN TROOPS WITH SUPPORT OF AIRCRAFT TO OFFER RESISTANCE, CONTINUE THEIR OFFENSIVE.

TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH ON AUG. 14 ATTACKED IN THE DIRECTION OF TAPUDON (TAKUDO) LIBERATED THE TOWN OF TAPUDON, AN IMPORTANT CENTER OF THE ENEMY DEFENSE AND AN IMPORTANT COMMUNICATIONS CENTER. IN THE FIGHTING IN THIS DIRECTION, TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY INFLICTED CONSIDERABLE LOSSES ON THE ENEMY.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ADVANCING ALONG THE SOUTHERN COAST CONTINUE TO INFLICT BLOWS ON THE AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION AND MARINE DETACHMENTS.

EVENING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, REPULSING FURIOUS COUNTERATTACKS OF AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, CONTINUED THEIR OFFENSIVE.

TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ATTACKING IN THE AREA OF THE SOUTHERN COAST INFLICTED HEAVY LOSSES ON THE CHIEF FORCES OF THE AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION WHICH WAS SUPPORTED BY TANK UNITS AND A MARINE DETACHMENT.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ATTACKING ON THE EAST COAST, HAVING BEATEN OFF A NUMBER OF COUNTERATTACKS OF THE ENEMY, CONTINUE THEIR OFFENSIVE.

ON THE OTHER FRONTS BITTER BATTLES CONTINUE.

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WITH U.S.24TH DIVISION, SOUTHWEST KOREAN FRONT, AUG.18-(AP)-TWO OFFICERS WHO FOUGHT WITH THE 88TH DIVISION IN ITALY DURING WORLD WAR 11 HELD A REUNION TODAY ON THE KOREAN FRONT.

THEY WERE COL. ARTHUR S. CHAMPNEY OF WELLINGTON, KAN., AND LT. COL. GEORGE WALKER OF TRAVERSE CITY, MICH.

CHAMPNEY, WHO WAS COMMANDER OF THE 351ST INFANTRY REGIMENT OF THE FAMED 88TH DIVISION, IS NOW LEADING THE 24TH INVANTRY REGIMENT.

WALKER, AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER WITH THE 88TH, IS DOING THE SAME JOB WITH THE 25TH DIVISION IN KOREA.

THE OFFICERS SAID THEY WERE UNABLE TO ATTEND A REUNION OF THE 88TH

DIVISION IN CINCINNATI SO THEY HELD THEIR OWN REUNION. FOR THE "DINNER," THEY ATE C RATIONS.

"WE HAD JUST AS SOON THE 88TH WERE HERE NOW," COMMENTED WALKER.

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HUNGRY REDS (100)

TOKYO,AUG.18-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN TROOPS ARE GETTING HUNGRY. THAT'S ONE REASON INCREASED NUMBERS OF RED SOLDIERS HAVE SURRENDERED IN RECENT DAYS, AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY.

THERE AREN'T MANY SURRENDERS. BUT AN INCREASE IS NOTED.

THIS, THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID, SHOWS THE "CONTINUED DISORGANIZATION OF ENEMY SUPPLY ROUTES BY AIR STRIKES."

AMERICAN OFFICERS RECENTLY HAVE SAID MANY OF THE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE DRIVEN INTO BATTLE BY FEAR AND REMAIN THEIR THROUGH FEAR.

HUNGER COULD BREAK THE HOLD OF OFFICERS ON THE NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS.

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE COMMANDER OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OCCUPATION FORCES IN JAPAN TODAY DENIED UNCONFIRMED REPORTS THAT 4,000 AUSTRALIAN TROOPS HAVE LANDED IN KOREA.

"NO ONE TOLD ME ABOUT IT," SAID LT. GEN. SIR HORACE ROBERTSON WHEN INFORMED OF THE REPORTS, "AND YOU CAN BE SURE I WOULD KNOW ABOUT IT IF IT WERE TRUE."

AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER ROBERT C. MENZIES TOLD NEWSMEN IN JAPAN RECENTLY THAT HIS COUNTRY WAS WORKING TO SEND TROOPS TO KOREA "AS SOON AS POSSIBLE."

TODAY IN HONOLULU, MENZIES SAID:

"WE HAVE NOT SENT ANY GROUND TROOPS TO KOREA YET. WE WILL, JUST AS SOON AS WE CAN GET THEM THERE. OUR POSITION IS THAT IT WOULD BE BETTER TO SEND A SMALL GROUP WITH SPEED RATHER THAN A BIGGER FORCE LATER."

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CORRESPONDENTS (120)

TOKYO,AUG.18-(AP)-AN OFFICIAL UNITED NATIONS REPRESENTATIVE IN KOREA TODAY URGED "MORE JUDICIOUS" WAR REPORTING BY "SOME" CORRESPONDENTS. HE SAID A GREAT MAJORITY WERE REPORTING WITHOUT HURTING THE U.N. WAR EFFORT.

COL.ALFRED G.KATZIN, A SOUTH AFRICAN, IS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE. HE MADE THE PLEA IN A STATEMENT ISSUED FROM HIS HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA AND DISTRIBUTED TO THE PRESS HERE BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE.

"THE TENDENCY OF SOME REPORTS TO GIVE PUBLICITY TO INFORMATION WHICH CAN BE OF VALUE TO THE ENEMY IS MOST UNFORTUNATE," KATZIN SAID. HE DID NOT MENTION ANY NEWSMAN OR INCIDENTS.

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KOREA PORT, AUG 18-(AP)-TWO UNITED STATES CONGRESSMEN ON ACTIVE DITY WITH THE NAVY ARRIVED TODAY ENROUTE TO JOIN THE MARINES ON THE KOREA WAR FRONT.

THEY ARE CMDR. HUGH SCOTT OF PHILADELPHIA AND LT. CMDR. HENRY J.LATHAM OF NEW YORK.

LATHAM FLEW WITH THE NAVY YESTERDAY IN A CARRIER RAID ON WONSAN.

"THE NAVAL AIR ARM IS DOING A CORKING GOOD JOB," HE SAID, "AND NAVAL AVIATORS ARE WORKING ALMOST AROUND THE CLOCK."

LATHAM IS STUDYING NAVAL SUPPLY LINE PROBLEMS. SCOTT IS REPORTING ON INTELLIGENCE. THEY WILL MAKE THEIR REPORTS TO ADM. ARTHUR W. RADOFRD, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE PACIFIC FLEET.

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RADFORD, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE PACIFIC FLEET.

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TOKYO,AUG.18-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND'S PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE BRANCH TODAY ANNOUNCED PREPARATION OF THREE MORE LEAFLETS FOR AIR DISTRIBUTION OVER KOREA BATTLE AREAS.

TWO OF THE LEAFLETS CALL ON NORTH KOREA'S RED TROOPS TO SURRENDER. A THIRD WARNS SOUTH KOREANS CAUGHT IN BATTLE AREAS NOT TO MOVE THROUGH BATTLE LINES BECAUSE: "THE AGGRESSOR HAS BEEN TAKING ADVANTAGE OF SUCH MOVEMENT TO SMUGGLE SOLDIERS THROUGH, DISGUISED AS CIVILIANS."

LEAFLETS DIRECTED TO THE KOREAN RED TROOPS STRESS THE HUMANE TREATMENT ACCORDED PRISONERS OF WAR BY THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND. IT CONCLUDES:

"YOUR COMRADES WHO HAVE BEEN CAPTURED OR WHO HAVE CROSSED OVER TO THE U.N. SIDE KNOW THAT THEY WILL LIVE TO HELP A STRONG AND FREE KOREA."

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BULLETIN BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT TODAY ALIGNED ITSELF WITH THE UNITED NATIONS' EFFORT IN KOREA AND THE WESTERN DEMOCRACIES IN THE WORLD IDEOLOGICAL STRUGGLE.

THE GOVERNMENT ISSUED A 3,800-WORD "WHITE PAPER" ON THE KOREA CONFLICT.

"TO COOPERATE WITH THE DEMOCRACIES AND ASSIST IN STRENGTHENING THEIR UNITY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AS NOTHING LESS THAN A MEASURE FOR OUR OWN SELF DEFENSE," THE PAPER STATED.

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TOKYO---SECOND ADD JAPAN GOVERNMENT X X X PAPER STATED.

THIS WAS THE FIRST FORMAL GOVERNMENT STATEMENT OF POLICY. IT COINCIDED WITH STATEMENTS SUPPORTING THE ALLIES WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE IN THE PAST BY POLITICAL AND INDUSTRIAL LEADERS.

THE EXHAUSTIVE REVIEW OF THE KOREAN SITUATION DID NOT SPECIFICALLY STATE HOW JAPAN PROPOSED TO ASSIST. IT APPEARED IN SOME RESPECTS TO BE AN INVITATION FOR A UNITED NATIONS REQUEST TO DO SO.

THE STATEMENT URGED ALL JAPANESE TO HELP PREVENT ACTS OF SABOTAGE. IT SPECIFICALLY LABELLED JAPAN'S PAST LEFTIST-LED "POLITICAL DEMONSTRATIONS, STRIKES AND OTHER INCIDENTS" AS PART OF THE WORLDWIDE COMMUNIST STRUGGLE.

"IN OUR COUNTRY, WHICH IS A VITAL OUTPOST FOR THE UNITED NATIONS' FORCES, ACTS OF SABOTAGE RESORTED TO BY JAPANESE COMMUNISTS SPORADICALLY AT PRESENT ARE LIKELY TO ASSUME AN ORGANIZED FORM AS TIME GOES ON," THE PAPER STATED.

"IT CERTAINLY WOULD NOT BE WISE TO LEAVE THE CONTROL OF SUCH ACTS ONLY TO THE POLICE. IT IS THE DUTY OF EVERY ONE OF US TO DO OUR PART AND THEREBY PRESERVE OUR NATIONAL SECURITY."

IT TOLD THE JAPANESE THAT "THERE IS NO ROOM FOR 'NON-INVOLVEMENT' OR 'NEUTRALITY'"--TWO VIEWPOINTS WHICH HAVE BEEN PROCLAIMED LOUDLY HERE BY AN INFLUENTIAL MINORITY.

"IN RESPECT TO THE IDEOLOGICAL WAR," THE GOVERNMENT STATEMENT SAID, "WE JAPANESE, WHO ALREADY ARE IN THE FIELD OF BATTLE, CANNOT AFFORD TO TAKE AN AMBIGUOUS STAND, NO MORE THAN WE CAN FLEE BEFORE THE ENEMY IN A REAL WAR. IT WOULD MEAN NOTHING BUT ULTIMATE DESTRUCTION OF OUR

FREEDOM AND PEACE."
THE STATEMENT ALSO CONDEMNED MINORITY JAPANESE OPPOSITION TO THE MAINTENANCE OF ALLIED MILITARY BASES HERE AS ONE OF THE "INSTRUMENTS OF THE COMMUNISTS" FOR ACHIEVING THEIR GOAL OF CONTROL.
JAPAN, IT SAID, IS A "VITAL OUTPOST FOR THE UNITED NATIONS' FORCES."
THE JAPANESE, IT SAID, "ARE FATED TO REMAIN EXPOSED TO THE COMMUNIST 'WAR THREAT' AS LONG AS WE REFUSE TO BOW TO TOTALITARIANISM AND COMMUNISM. BUT THE ONLY THING CAPABLE OF DEFENDING US FROM THE BRUTE FORCE OF COMMUNISM IS THE STRENGTH WHICH COMES FROM THE UNIT OF THE DEMOCRACIES. OUR COUNTRY HAS THROUGH ITS CONSTITUTION RENOUNCED THE RIGHT OF BELLIGERENCY.
"BUT TO COOPERATE WITH THE DEMOCRACIES AND ASSIST IN STRENGTHENING THEIR UNITY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AS NOTHING LESS THAN A MEASURE FOR OUR OWN SELF DEFENSE."

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THE WHITE PAPER SAID JAPAN HAS BEEN MARKED AS "A SPECIAL PRIZE" BY THE CHINESE COMMUNIST-SOVIET TREATY OF MUTUAL ASSISTANCE AND THE KOREAN CONFLICT MEANS THE "JAPANESE PEOPLE ARE STANDING IN THE MAELSTROM OF THE PRESENT CONFLICT."
BUT "IN CASE OF UNPROVOKED AGGRESSION AGAINST JAPAN, LIKE THE ONE (SIC) IN KOREA, WE MAY REST ASSURED THAT THE DEMOCRACIES OF THE WORLD WOULD JOIN IN STRETCHING FORTH A HELPING HAND."
IT TRIED TO REASURE SOME JITTERY JAPANESE, WHO REMEMBER THEIR OWN EXPERIENCES, BY SAYING:
"ATOMIC WARFARE, IN WHICH THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD WOULD BE OVERWHELMINGHLY SUPERIOR, IS LIKELY TO BE RULED OUT UNLESS THE SITUATION REACHES THE WORST POSSIBLE STAGE."
IT ADDED FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE JAPANESE WHO ARE IMPRESSED MOST BY POWER THAT THE "UNITED STATES, ONCE ROUSED, WILL PROVE ITS OVERWHELMING MIGHT" AND CONSEQUENTLY "THE COMMUNISTS WILL THINK TWICE BEFORE DECIDING TO CARRY ON ITS (SIC) RECKLESS WAR ON A GLOBACL SCALE."
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HONG KONG, SATURDAY, AUG 19-(AP)-AIR MARSHAL G. JONES, COMMANDER OF THE ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE, SAID TODAY AUSTRALIA IS NOT CONSIDERING REINFORCING ITS RAAF UNITS IN KOREA.
EN ROUTE BACK TO AUSTRALIA FROM JAPAN, JONES SAID UNITED NATIONS AIR STRENGTH IS "QUITE SUFFICIENT" TO COPE WITH THE SITUATION IN KOREA.
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A156KX (HOSKINS)
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BY ROY ESSOYAN
PEARL HARBOR, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE "HOSKINS HOP" IS WREAKING HAVOC ON KOREAN RED TROOPS.
THE "HOSKINS HOP" IS THE NICKNAME GIVEN A CARRIER ATTACK MANEUVER CONSISTING OF PLANES DIVING OUT OF THICK OVERCASTS AND SURPRISING RED TROOP MOVEMENTS. THE NICKNAME HONORS PEG-LEGGED, REAR ADMIRAL, JOHN M. HOSKINS, CARRIER DIVISION COMMANDER IN THE KOREAN THEATER.
A NAVY SPOKESMAN AT PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS SAID THE ADMIRAL HOPPED WITH GLEE WHEN FIRST TOLD OF THE MANEUVER. THE ADMIRAL LOST A LEG IN THE WORLD WAR TWO BATTLE OF LEYTE GULF.
THE NAVY SAID TODAY THAT A DISPATCH FROM THE CARRIER TASK FORCE, NO. 77, OFF KOREA SAID NAVY CORSAIRS AND SKYRAIDERS DIVED OUT OF THICK CLOUDS OVER THE KOREAN WARFRONTS LAST WEDNESDAY AND SCORED "DEVASTATING RESULTS" AGAINST NORTH KOREAN TROOPS MASSED FOR A SOUTHERN MOVE. THE RAID WAS PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED IN OPERATIONAL RELEASES FROM TOKYO.
THE DISPATCH SAID PANICKY NORTH KOREANS WERE CAUGHT FLATFOOTED. THEY WERE MAULED WITH CANNON AND ROCKETS.
SIXTY LOCOMOTIVES WERE DESTROYED OR BADLY DAMAGED. THE DISPATCH SAID THE BIG WONSAN LOCOMOTIVE FACTORY WAS TURNED INTO "A MANGLED JUNK HEAP."
WONSAN IS A NORTH KOREA PORT CITY ON THE EAST COAST, 80 AIR MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.
THE RAIDERS ALSO DROPPED 500-POUND BOMBS ON CAMOUFLAGED RAILROAD YARDS AND THE NIPPONESE IRON WORKS AT CHONGJIN, WHICH IS FAR UP THE EAST COAST WITHIN 60 MILES OF THE MANCHURIAN BORDER.
THE DISPATCH ALSO LISTED:
FORTY FOUR TRUCKS SMASHED AND LEFT BURNING; SIX REMAINING OIL TANKS OF THE RISING SUN OIL REFINERY NORTH OF WONSAN "ELIMINATED"; AMMUNITION DUMPS IN THE WONSAN AREA HIT; ONE LARGER STEAMER, THREE SMALL SHIPS AND 41 POWER BOATS SUNK ON THE RETURN TRIP.
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B51 (Q) (110)
PORTSMOUTH, ENG., AUG. 18-(AP)-THE BRITISH AIRCRAFT CARRIER THESEUS WITH 44 PLANES ABOARD STEAMED OUT OF PORTSMOUTH FOR THE FAR EAST TODAY TO JOIN THE BATTLE FOR KOREA.
THE 13,350-TON WARSHIP, 695 FEET LONG AND WITH A SPEED OF 25 KNOTS, WAS REASSIGNED FROM THE HOME FLEET TO OPERATE WITH BRITISH NAVAL FORCES OFF KOREA UNDER GEN. MACARTHUR'S COMMAND. ITS NORMAL PEACE-TIME COMPLEMENT IS ABOUT 850 MEN, EXCLUDING AIR SQUADRON PERSONNEL.
THE SHIP LEFT ON SCHEDULE DESPITE AN APPARENT ATTEMPT EARLY THIS MONTH TO SABOTAGE HER. ELECTRICAL WIRES IN THE VESSEL'S GYRO-COMPASS INSTALLATION WERE CUT.
A SECOND CARRIER, THE 13,190-TON WARRIOR, WAS REPORTED ALMOST READY TO LEAVE FOR KOREA WITH NAVAL EQUIPMENT AND PERSONNEL.
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A127
LONDON, AUG. 18-(AP)-NORTH KOREA CLAIMED TODAY TO HAVE PROOF THAT THE UNITED STATES ORDERED SOUTH KOREA TO EXECUTE 69 COMMUNISTS IN JANUARY, 1949.
THE PROOF IS IN THE FORM OF A SECRET DOCUMENT OF THE AMERICAN MILITARY INTELLIGENCE, WHICH HAS FALLEN INTO THE HANDS OF THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY, A COMMUNIST CORRESPONDENT REPORTED FROM PYONGYANG. HIS DISPATCH WAS CIRCULATED HERE BY TASS, THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY.
"THE DOCUMENT MAKES IT CLEAR THAT X X X 69 KOREAN PATRIOTS WERE BEASTIALLY BURDERED BY THE SYNGMAN RHEE BANDIT

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BESTIALLY MURDERED BY THE SYNGMAN RHEE BANDITS IN TAEJON ON THEORDERS OF AMERICAN MILITARY ADVISORS," THE DISPATCH SAID.
RW1059AED

A107
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES SENT TELEGRAMS TODAY TO GEN. MACARTHUR AND PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE OF SOUTH KOREA SAYING THE COUNCIL WAS PRAYING FOR THEIR SUCCESS IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING.
K1010AED

A185
(160)
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 18-(AP)-NORTH KOREA HAS SENT A LIST OF 50 AMERICAN PRISONERS OF WAR HELD IN PYONGYANG BY THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES TO THE CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR AGENCY HERE, THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
NAMES WERE NOT RELEASED. THE RED CROSS SAID THE LIST HAD BEEN TRANSMITTED TO WASHINGTON.
THE TELEGRAPHED LIST CAME FROM PAK HEUNG YOUNG, MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS OF THE PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF KOREA, THE RED CROSS SAID.
THE FIRST LIST FROM GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS WAS RECEIVED 10 DAYS AGO. IT CONTAINED 31 NAMES.
THE NORTH KOREAN TELEGRAM SAID THE 50 NAMES "CONSTITUTE A FIRST LIST OF MILITARY PERSONNEL CAPTURED BY THE PEOPLE'S ARMY." THE USUAL DETAILS CONCERNING DATE OF BIRTH, RANK, AND SERIAL NUMBER WERE GIVEN.
THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS HAS ATTEMPTED TO SEND A REPRESENTATIVE TO NORTH KOREA TO OBSERVE CONDITIONS THERE. THE OFFICIAL, JEAN COURVOISIER, LEFT GENEVA IN JULY AND WAS LAST REPORTED IN TIENTSIN, COMMUNIST CHINA, WAITING FOR THE NECESSARY ENTRY PERMITS FROM NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES.
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A189
AMS BUDGET (540)
NIGHT LEAD PEACE COMMITTEE
BY WILLIAM OATIS
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST-BACKED WORLD DEFENDERS OF PEACE TODAY CONDEMNED "FOREIGN INTERVENTION BY FORCE OF ARMS IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF ANY PEOPLE" AND CALLED FOR A GENERAL REDUCTION IN EVERY FORM OF ARMAMENT.
THE COMMITTEE DECIDED TO HOLD THE SECOND WORLD PEACE CONGRESS IN LONDON NOV. 13 TO 19. IT URGED THAT ALL "PEACE LOVERS," OF WHATEVER POLITICAL, PHILOSOPHICAL OR RELIGIOUS CONVICTIONS, SEND REPRESENTATIVES. THE FIRST SUCH CONGRESS WAS HELD IN PARIS LAST YEAR.
THREE RESOLUTIONS PROPOSED BY O. JOHN ROGGE OF NEW YORKER, A VICE PRESIDENT OF THE MOVEMENT, FAILED TO COME UP IN THE COMMITTEE, WHICH WOUND UP A THREE-DAY MEETING. AMONG OTHER THINGS, HE PROPOSED A CONDEMNATION OF AGGRESSION "FROM WHATEVER SOURCE AND BY WHATEVER COUNTRY" AND ACCUSED NORTH KOREA OF AGGRESSIVE WAR.
WITHOUT MENTIONING THE UNITED STATES, SOVIET RUSSIA OR NORTH KOREA, THE COMMITTEE SAID IT WAS AGAINST AGGRESSION "WHEREVER IT MAY OCCUR" AND WELCOMED PEACEFUL MOVES TO STOP THE KOREAN WAR. ROGGE ABSTAINED IN VOTING ON THE RESOLUTION, WHICH ALL THE OTHER DELEGATES FAVORED.
ROGGE IS A NEW YORK LAWYER, A MEMBER OF THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY'S NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND A FORMER ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL.
HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE GAVE HIS RESOLUTIONS TO PROF. FREDERIC JOLIOT-CURIE, FRENCH ATOMIC SCIENTIST, WEDNESDAY NIGHT AND ASKED TO BE HEARD ON THEM, BUT THEY NEVER WERE PRESENTED TO THE COMMITTEE.
JOLIOT-CURIE, A COMMUNIST WHO WAS DISMISSED APRIL 28 AS CHIEF OF FRANCE'S ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, WAS NOT AT THE NEWS CONFERENCE.
SOVIET JOURNALIST ILYA EHRENBURG, WHO WAS AMONG THE 40 OR SO PERSONS AT THE COMMITTEE MEETING, SAID HE HAD BEEN TALKING WITH ROGGE ABOUT THE RESOLUTIONS, BUT THEY CAME TOO LATE FOR ACTION.
THE COMMITTEE'S CALL CONTAINED THESE POINTS:
1-- "THE DEFENDERS OF PEACE, WHILE VIGOROUSLY CONTINUING THEIR CAMPAIGN FOR THE BANNING OF ATOMIC WEAPONS, AT THE SAME TIME DECLARE THEIR SUPPORT FOR GENERAL REDUCTION, UNDER CONTROL, OF EVERY FORM OF ARMAMENT."

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2-- THEY "DECLARE THEMSELVES AGAINST AGGRESSION WHEREVER IT MAY OCCUR. THEY CONDEMN FOREIGN INTERVENTION BY FORCE OF ARMS IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF ANY PEOPLE. THEY CALL FOR THE ENDING OF SUCH INTERVENTION WHEREVER IT HAS TAKEN PLACE."
3-- THEY "SUPPORT ALL PEACEFUL MOVES ALREADY UNDERTAKEN TO STOP THE WAR IN KOREA," DEMAND THE WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN (AMERICAN) TROOPS AND "VIGOROUSLY DENOUNCE THE MASS BOMBARDMENTS THAT HAVE MADE VICTIMS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATIONS."
4-- THEY DEMAND THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL SHALL DEAL QUICKLY WITH THE QUESTION OF A SETTLEMENT BY PEACEFUL MEANS "AND, IN SO DOING, SHALL INCLUDE PROPERLY QUALIFIED REPRESENTATIVES OF THE FIVE GREAT POWERS AND GIVE A HEARING TO BOTH PARTIES CONCERNED."
5-- THEY "DEMAND THE BANNING OF ALL PROPAGANDA IN FAVOR OF WAR, IN ANY FORM AND IN EVERY COUNTRY."
(IN SEVERAL RESPECTS, NOTABLY IN THE DEMAND FOR WITHDRAWAL OF U.S. TROOPS AND AN END TO AIR ACTIONS AGAINST NORTH KOREA, THE RESOLUTION FOLLOWS THE KREMLIN LINE AS LAID DOWN BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND RUSSIA'S SECURITY COUNCIL DELEGATE, JAKOB MALIK.)
A REPORTER ASKED WHY THE RESOLUTION DID NOT NAME THE UNITED STATES AS THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA (AS THE COMMUNISTS HAVE CHARGED SINCE THE NORTH KOREANS STARTED THEIR INVASION JUNE 25).
EHRENBURG ANSWERED THAT WAS NOT NECESSARY BECAUSE EVERYBODY KNOWS THERE ARE AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN KOREA, THOUGHTHERE ARE NO KOREAN SOLDIERS IN AMERICA.
"WE DO NOT CONDEMN THE UNITED STATES, BUT AGGRESSION," HE SAID.
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A95
(260)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST-PROMPTED WORLD DEFENDERS OF PEACE PASSED A RESOLUTION TODAY DEMANDING THAT FOREIGN TROOPS BE WITHDRAWN FROM KOREA AND BOTH SIDES BE HEARD IN THE UNITED NATIONS.
THE COMMITTEE ENDED ITS THREE-DAY QUARTERLY MEETING WITH A DECISION TO HOLD A SECOND WORLD PEACE CONGRESS IN LONDON ON NOV. 13 TO 19.
ITS RESOLUTION ON HOW TO SETTLE THE KOREAN WAR URGED THAT THE "LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES" OF THE FIVE GREAT POWERS -- THE U.S., BRITAIN, FRANCE, RUSSIA AND CHINA--HEAR BOTH THE NORTH AND SOUTH KOREANS IN THE U.N. APPARENTLY THIS WAS IN LINE WITH SOVIET DEMANDS THAT NATIONALIST CHINA GIVE UP ITS U.N. REPRESENTATION TO THE COMMUNIST CHINESE REGIME AND THAT THE NORTH KOREANS BE INVITED TO SIT IN ON DISCUSSIONS OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
THE COMMITTEE'S RESOLUTION DID NOT BRAND EITHER SIDE AS THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA, NOR DID IT FOLLOW THE SOVIET LINE IN CIRITICIZING THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL'S ACTION AGAINST THE NORTH KOREANS.
ROGGE SAID TODAY HE HAD ABSTAINED FROM THE VOTING ON THE RESOLUTION. ALL THE REST OF THE COMMITTEEMEN VOTED AFFIRMATIVELY.
THE COMMITTEE ENDED ITS CONFERENCE WITHOUT ACTING ON THREE RESOLUTIONS PROPOSED BY ITS VICE PRESIDENT, NEW YORK ATTORNEY O.JOHN ROGGE. YESTERDAY ROGGE MET WITH SOVIET WRITER ILYA EHRENBURG IN AN ATTEMPT TO GET AGREEMENT ON A RESOLUTION URGING THAT THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL SET UP A SPECIAL COMMISSION OF ALL OF ITS MEMBERS EXCEPT CHINA TO STUDY THE KOREAN DISPUTE.
ROGGE ALSO HAD PROPOSED A RESOLUTION CALLING THE NORTH KOREANS THE AGGRESSORS AND AMENDING THE SOVIET-SPONSORED STOCKHOLM "PEACE APPEAL" TO OUTLAW NOT ONLY THE ATOM BOMB BUT ALL "AGGRESSION FROM WHATEVER SOURCE AND BY WHATEVER COUNTRY." A THIRD RESOLUTION WOULD BRING THE YUGOSLAV NATIONAL COMMITTEE BACK INTO THE WORLD ORGANIZATION FROM WHICH IT WAS EXPELLED LAST YEAR BECAUSE OF THAT COMMUNIST-LED COUNTRY'S OPPOSITION TO THE SOVIET UNION.
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A70 (140)
PRAGUE, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY SAID TODAY THAT A CZECHOSLOVAK CITIZEN HAD SENT BACK TWO AMERICAN DECORATIONS AND ACCUSED THE U.S. OF "LAWLESS AGGRESSION" AGAINST KOREA.

LADISLAV SCHEIN OF PRAGUE MAILED THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL AND THE MEDAL OF FREEDOM TO THE EMBASSY WITH A LETTER TO AMBASSADOR ELLIS O. BRIGGS.

HE EXPLAINED HE GOT THEM IN 1945 AND 1946 FOR WORK WITH THE U.S. ARMY IN OCCUPIED GERMANY, HELPING PARTICULARLY TO SEND HOME CZECHOSLOVAK CITIZENS WHO HAD BEEN IN NAZI LABOR CAMPS. HE WROTE THAT BECAUSE OF AMERICAN POLICY IN KOREA HE NO LONGER WANTED THEM.

BRIGGS REPLIED THAT THIS INTERPRETATION "APPEARS TO BE BASED ON FALSE INFORMATION AND FALSE CHARGES."

AS TO THE MEDALS, THE AMBASSADOR TOLD HIM "THE EMBASSY REGARDS THEM AS TOKENS OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE PEOPLE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND THE UNITED STATES--A FRIENDSHIP NOT FRIVOLOUSLY EXTENDED, NOR LIGHTLY TO BE CAST ASIDE."

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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, AUG. 18-(AP)-DENMARK TODAY OFFERED THE UNITED NATIONS THE 13,164-TON HOSPITAL SHIP JUTLANDIA, FULLY EQUIPPED AND STAFFED WITH DOCTORS AND NURSES, FOR USE IN THE KOREAN WAR SOMETIME IN NOVEMBER.

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A101
OSLO, NORWAY, AUG.18-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID TONIGHT THE FIGHT TO PUSH BACK THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREA AND THE U.N. MUST BE GIVEN TOP PRIORITY BY U.N.

SPEAKING OVER A NORWEGIAN STATE BROADCAST, LIE SAID AN EXAMPLE MUST BE MADE ONCE AND FOR ALL TO DEMONSTRATE THAT AGGRESSION AND ENCROACHMENT AGAINST OTHERS DO NOT PAY. HE ADDED:

"AGGRESSORS AGAINST THE UNITED NATIONS AND SOUTH KOREA MUST FOR THIS REASON, UNFORTUNATELY I SAY, BE FORCED TO END HOSTILITIES AND RETREAT BEHIND THE 38TH PARALLEL BY MEANS OF MILITARY FORCES."

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A6
(PMS BUDGET 500)
U.N.-KOREAN
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.18-(AP)-THE SECURITY COUNCIL LAST NIGHT HEARD A U.S. DEMAND THAT ANY KOREAN SETTLEMENT PROVIDE FOR A UNIFIED, INDEPENDENT COUNTRY. LATER THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED UNTIL TUESDAY.

CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN MADE HIS COUNTRY'S MAJOR POLICY STATEMENT AT YESTERDAY'S PUBLIC SESSION. THE MEETING WAS PRECEDED BY A PRIVATE SESSION AT WHICH COUNCIL MEMBERS TRIED AGAIN IN VAIN TO BREAK THE PROCEDURAL BLOCKADE IMPOSED BY THEIR RUSSIAN PRESIDENT, JAKOB A. MALIK.

AUSTIN SAID THE PRIMARY U.N. OBJECTIVE IN KOREA MUST BE CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES. BUT "THE KOREAN PEOPLE EXPECT THAT WHEN THEIR GETHSEMANE HAS PASSED, THEY WILL ALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO FREEDOM AND UNITY," HE DECLARED.

AUSTIN'S STATEMENT DID NOT STIPULATE WHETHER THE U.S. THINKS U.N. FORCES SHOULD GO BEYOND THE 38TH PARALLEL TO CONQUER THE NORTH KOREAN INVADERS OF SOUTH KOREA. IT REFRAINED ALSO FROM KNUCKLE BLOWS AT THE RUSSIAN ROLE IN NORTH KOREA AND CONTENTED ITSELF WITH AN APPEAL TO THE SOVIET UNION TO USE ITS INFLUENCE TO END THE CONFLICT.

IN A BRIEF REPLY MALIK MADE NEW ASSERTIONS THAT THE U.S. IS TRYING TO EXTEND THE SCOPE OF THE WAR. HE CHARGED THAT PROPOSALS FOR A UNIFIED POSTWAR KOREA WERE ONLY TO HIDE CIVILIAN DEATHS FROM U.S. BOMBING.

THE SOVIET UNION, HE DECLARED, "WILL NOT USE ITS INFLUENCE IN THE AMERICAN WAY, THE WAY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON USES IT WITH (SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT) SYNGMAN RHEE."

THE SESSION ALSO HEARD ATTACKS ON MALIK BY CUBA'S ALBERTO ALVAREZ AND CHINA'S T.F. TSIANG.

AUSTIN'S SPEECH WAS THE FIRST OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FULL U.S. AIMS IN KOREA SINCE FIGHTING BEGAN JUNE 25, AN AMERICAN DELEGATION SOURCE SAID. AUSTIN DECLARED, IN SUBSTANCE, THAT ALL OF KOREA MUST COME UNDER U.N. SUPERVISION AS A STEP TOWARD INDEPENDENCE.

AUSTIN DID NOT SAY WHETHER THIS WOULD BE ACCOMPLISHED BY MILITARY CONQUEST OR BY NEGOTIATION. BUT HE MADE CLEAR THAT HOSTILITIES MUST END IN SUCH A WAY "THAT NO OPPORTUNITY IS PROVIDED FOR ANOTHER ATTEMPT AT INVASION."

THE ASSEMBLY DISCUSSION SIDETRACKED FURTHER PROGRESS OF INDIA'S SUGGESTION FOR A COMMITTEE OF THE SIX NON-PERMANENT COUNCIL MEMBERS TO SEEK A KOREAN PEACE SETTLEMENT.

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THE INDIAN PLAN DREW OPEN SUPPORT AT YESTERDAY'S MEETING FROM YUGOSLAV DELEGATE ALES BEBLER. AN INDIAN SPOKESMAN SAID FRENCH EXPRESSIONS ALSO WERE INTERPRETED AS SUPPORT FOR THE PLAN, BUT HE ADMITTED OTHER GOVERNMENTS ARE SHYING AWAY UNTIL THEY SEE THE PLAN DETAILED IN PRINT.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THIS PROBABLY WOULD BE DONE BEFORE COUNCIL MEMBERS MEET AGAIN PRIVATELY ON MONDAY IN ANOTHER EFFORT TO END THE PROCEDURAL DEADLOCK.

AUSTIN STRESSED TO THE COUNCIL THAT "THE UNITED STATES HAS NO DESIGNS ON KOREA AS A MILITARY BASE, AS HAS BEEN ASSERTED." MALIK SAID LAST TUESDAY THAT THE U.S. WANTED KOREA FOR A SPRINGBOARD FOR FURTHER ATTACK ON ASIA.

"U.N. FORCES," SAID THE U.S. DELEGATE, "ARE NOT FIGHTING IN KOREA AND MOBILIZING THEIR RESOURCES ALL OVER THE WORLD IN ORDER TO FURTHER THE POLITICAL OR MILITARY INTERESTS OF ANY COUNTRY. THEY ARE DOING SO BECAUSE THEY BELIEVE IF THEY PROTECT ONE SMALL COUNTRY, THEY ARE PROTECTING ALL COUNTRIES FROM POLITICAL OPPRESSION AND MILITARY INVASION."

MALIK IGNORED A UNITED NATIONS COMMAND REPORT, CIRCULATED YESTERDAY, OF OPERATIONS IN KOREA BETWEEN JULY 20-31. IN IT THE UNITED STATES CALLED ON OTHER U.N. MEMBERS FOR MORE SPEED IN THE DISPATCH OF FORCES TO KOREA.

MALIK WAS QUICK, HOWEVER, TO READ TO THE COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS FROM NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES. THEY PROTESTED U.S. AIR FORCE BOMBINGS IN NORTH KOREA.

A U.S. SPOKESMAN SAID HIS DELEGATION WOULD NOT MAKE AN ISSUE OF THE REPORT FROM GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S FORCES. AUSTIN PLANS TO PRESENT ANOTHER REPORT SEPT.1 WHEN BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB BECOMES COUNCIL PRESIDENT.

MALIK IN HIS ANSWER TO AUSTIN SAID THERE WAS NOTHING NEW IN THE AMERICAN'S SPEECH. HE CHARGED AUSTIN "SIDESTEPS THE MAIN FACT OF U.S. AGGRESSION IN KOREA. HE TALKS OF PERSPECTIVES IN KOREA BUT THAT'S ONLY TO DIVERT PUBLIC OPINION FROM THE FACTS OF WHAT IS TAKING PLACE THERE TODAY."

"BLOOD IS BEING SPILLED--WOMEN, OLD MEN, CHILDREN ARE DYING. PEACEFUL TOWNS ARE BEING BARBAROUSLY BOMBARDED. TENS OF THOUSANDS OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS ARE DYING IN KOREA AND AMERICAN PRESS REPORTS SAY THEY DON'T KNOW WHAT THEY'RE DYING FOR," THE RUSSIAN CONTINUED.

"NOW AUSTIN TELLS OF SENDING THOUSANDS FROM OTHER NATIONS TO DIE THERE. THE U.S. REPRESENTATIVE MAKES CLEAR HIS REAL INTENTION TO

EXTEND THE SCOPE OF THE WAR. THE U.S. DELEGATION UNDERMINES RUSSIAN ATTEMPTS FOR A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT AND HE IS AIDED BY THE MARSHALLIZED COUNTRIES UNDER U.S. PRESSURE."

DESPITE THE PLACATORY TONE OF AUSTIN'S SPEECH, MALIK DID NOT ESCAPE WITHOUT ATTACK. CUBA'S ALVAREZ AND CHINA'S TSIANG SPOKE CAUSTICALLY.

ALVAREZ TOLD MALIK HE HAD COME BACK TO THE COUNCIL TO TAKE THE PRESIDENCY AUG. 1 AFTER A SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT SO THAT HE COULD SERVE AS A DEFENDING LAWYER FOR THE NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSORS, AND "WITH THE PREMEDITATED PURPOSE OF MAKING THE COUNCIL A SERVANT OF RUSSIA."

HE SAID THE MOSCOW-BUILT "PEACE PLAN" TO WITHDRAW U.N. TROOPS FROM KOREA "WORRIED PEACEFUL PEOPLES NOW FACED BY NEW AGGRESSIONS STARTED BY FIFTH COLUMNS OF MINORITIES OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM WEARING DEMOCRATIC CLOTHING."

TSIANG CHARGED THAT OF ALL THE FOREIGN IMPERIALISM THAT HAS RANGED OVER CHINA FOR CENTURIES, ONLY THE RUSSIAN IMPERIALISM OF THE "LAND DEVILS" STILL REMAINS THERE.

RECALLING U.S. FREEING OF THE PHILIPPINES, HE SAID THE U.S. HAS NEVER BEEN GUILTY OF IMPERIALISM IN THE FAR EAST.

CITING U.S. AID TO CHINA IN THE WAR--MORE THAN ANY OTHER ALLY GAVE--HE ADDED: "AT THE END OF THE WAR, THE U.S. DID NOT ASK OF CHINA ANY PORT, RAILWAY OR MINE CONCESSION WHATSOEVER. THE AMERICAN TROOPS SIMPLY SAID GOODBYE TO US AND RETURNED TO THEIR HOMES IN NEW YORK, TEXAS OR WHEREVER THEY MIGHT BE. IF THAT SHOULD BE IMPERIALISM, I WISH THE SOVIET UNION WOULD FOLLOW THE EXAMPLE OF THE U.S."

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A207WX (BJT)
(350) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD TROOPS
BY JOHN B.OWEN

WASHINGTON, AUG.18-(AP)-TURKEY'S OFFER OF 4,500 TROOPS TO FIGHT ALONGSIDE AMERICANS IN KOREA WAS ACCEPTED TODAY BY A "DEEPLY GRATIFIED" UNITED STATES.

TURKEY, BORDERING RUSSIA AND MILITARILY AIDED BY THE U.S. IN PROTECTING HER TERRITORY, WAS THE THIRD NATION WHOSE OFFER OF A COMBAT FORCE HAS BEEN ACCEPTED FORMALLY; ALL OF THEM THIS WEEK.

THE FIRST WAS THAILAND'S 4,000 OFFICERS AND MEN, AND NEXT WAS THE PHILIPPINES' REGIMENTAL TEAM OF ABOUT 5,000.

IN ADDITION, THE STATE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY THE U.S. HAS "ACCEPTED IN PRINCIPLE" BRITISH, NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN PROFFERS OF GROUND TROOPS. DETAILS REMAIN TO BE COMPLETED. ALL THREE HAVE HAD WARSHIPS ON HAND ALMOST FROM THE WAR'S START, PLUS AN AUSTRALIAN AIR SQUADRON.

ON CAPITOL HILL, SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS (ILLINOIS) COUNTED 13 UNITED NATIONS WHICH HAVE TENDERED DIRECT MILITARY AID AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN KOREA. SEVEN OF THEM INCLUDED TROOPS. AID IN OTHER FORMS WAS OFFERED BY FIVE MORE, HIS STATEMENT NOTED.

MICHAEL J. MCDERMOTT, STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER, SAID TALKS WERE UNDER WAY IN ANKARA ON HOW AND WHEN TO SEND THE TURKISH COMBAT FORCE.

THE TURKISH OFFER WAS ANNOUNCED JULY 26, BUT MCDERMOTT TOLD REPORTERS THAT A LOT OF DISCUSSION WAS NECESSARY BEFORE FINAL ACCEPTANCE. IT WAS MADE TO THE U.N., UNDER WHOSE BANNER THE WAR IS WAGED. IT WAS REFERRED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR CONSIDERATION. THE U.N. HAS AUTHORIZED THE U.S. TO ACCEPT ALL TROOP OFFERS IN THE KOREA CAMPAIGN. GENERAL MACARTHUR IS U.N. COMMANDER THERE.

THE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCEMENT SAID:

"THE UNITED STATES WELCOMES THE CONCRETE AND VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION WHICH TURKEY AS A MEMBER OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS MAKING IN SUPPORT OF THE (UNITED NATIONS) SECURITY COUNCIL ACTION."

THE DEPARTMENT RECALLED A STATEMENT OF TURKEY'S PRIME MINISTER ADNAN MENDERES WHEN THE OFFER WAS MADE. HE SAID:

"IT IS ONLY BY WAY OF DECISIONS SIMILAR TO OURS, TO BE ARRIVED AT BY THE OTHER FREEDOM-LOVING NATIONS, THAT ACTS OF AGGRESSION CAN BE PREVENTED AND WORLD PEACE BE SAFEGUARDED. A SINCERE ATTACHMENT TO THE IDEALS OF THE UNITED NATIONS REQUIRED A BELIEF IN THIS BASIC PRINCIPLE."

MCDERMOTT SAID THE UNITED STATES "WHOLEHEARTEDLY SHARES THIS VIEW.

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A39WX
(130) DEAN

WASHINGTON,AUG.18-(AP)-AN AMERICAN SOLDIER, RETURNED WOUNDED FROM KOREA, HAS ADVISED THE ARMY THAT OTHER GI'S TOLD HIM MAJ. GEN.WILLIAM F.DEAN WAS SHOT DOWN IN A RICE PADDY.

DEAN, COMMANDER OF THE 24TH DIVISION, HAS BEEN MISSING FOR FOUR WEEKS.

THE ARMY SAID CORPORAL DONALD BIEHL OF PALESTINE, ILL., MADE THIS STATEMENT AT FITZSIMONS GENERAL HOSPITAL, DENVER:

HE SAW GENERAL DEAN IN TAEJON ON JULY 19. THE TOWN WAS NOT UNDER ATTACK AT THE TIME.

"I DID NOT SEE HIM SHOT BUT I HEARD GUYS SAY HE WAS SHOT DOWN IN A RICE PADDY ON THE 20TH OR 21ST."

BIEHL SAID HE COULD NOT REMEMBER THE NAMES OF THE SOLDIERS WHO TOLD HIM.

BIEHL LOST HIS RIGHT ARM IN ACTION WITH THE 24TH DIVISION.

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A61WX
(140) SEOUL SUE
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME FRIDAY AUG. 18)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 18-(AP)-DETAILS OF THE SILENCING OF "SEOUL CITY SUE" BY AN AMERICAN BOMBER CREW ONE NIGHT THIS WEEK WERE RELATED IN A RECORDED BROADCAST FROM TOKYO TONIGHT.

MAJOR WES MCPHERON GAVE DETAILS OF THE PREVIOUSLY DISCLOSED INCIDENT IN A BROADCAST [redacted] MADE AVAILABLE TO ALL NETWORKS.

HE SAID THAT LT.BUD GALLIGHER OF [redacted]HONOMOH, N.Y., WAS ANNOYED BY PROPAGANDA POURED OUT IN ENGLISH BY A FEMININE VOICE FROM THE RADIO STATION AT COMMUNIST-HELD SEOUL.

WITH THE AID OF HIS NAVIGATOR, LT.TED KEESLER OF GRANTS PASS., ORE., AND HIS GUNNER, SGT.OSCAR BERG OF MUSCATINE, IOWA, LT.GALLIGHER FOUND THE TRANSMITTING TOWER OF "S[redacted]'S STATION" OUTSIDE SEOUL AND DAMAGED IT ENOUGH TO PUT HER OFF [redacted] AIR.

MCPHERON SAID THAT "SEOUL CITY [redacted]E" WILL NEVER MAKE THE HOOPER RATINGS, EVEN IF SHE GOTS BACK ON [redacted]E AIR. HE SAID THERE IS NO MUSIC ON HER PROGRAM, JUST PROPAGA[redacted].

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8 P.M. EAS[redacted]RN STANDARD TIME TONIGHT FRI.AUG.18)

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A179KX
(100)

SAN FRANCISCO, AUG.18-(AP)-THE N[redacted]RTH KOREANS ARE GETTING UP A LIST OF SOUTH KOREAN "WAR CRIMINALS," TH[redacted] CHINESE RED RADIO REPORTED TODAY.

THE BROADCAST FROM PEIPING, HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, SAID THE "UNITED-DEMOCRATIC FATHERLAND FRONT OF KOREA" WAS CALLING ON "ALL PATRIOTS" TO SIGN A PETITION DEMANDING "THAT THE UNITED NATIONS AT ONCE CURB AMERICAN ARMED INTERVENTION AND ENSURE WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN INTERVENTIONIST TROOPS" AND THAT KOREANS WHO "HELPED THE INTERVENTIONISTS" BE TRIED.

IT NAMED AS SUCH "TRAITORS" PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE, MOST OF HIS

CABINET, AND CHANG NYUN (APPARENTLY JOHN NYUN CHANG, KOREAN AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON.)
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A38WX
(100) KOREAN-PAMPHLETS
WASHINGTON,AUG.18-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY THE COMMUNISTS ARE REPORTED TO BE EXECUTING NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS FOUND IN POSSESSION OF AMERICAN LEAFLETS INVITING THEM TO SURRENDER.
A SPOKESMAN SAID A NORTH KOREAN PROSONER HAD TOLD OF EXECUTIONS.
SUCH LEAFLETS HAVE BEEN DROPPED IN LARGE NUMBERS BY U.S.PLANES.
THE ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID HE DID NOT KNOW THE TEXT OF THESE LEAFLETS.
BUT HE SAID SUCH DOCUMENTS USUALLY PROMISE ENEMY SOLDIERS THEY WILL BE WELL TREATED AS PRISONERS.
LT559PED

A159WX
220) KOREA-NAVY
WASHINGTON,AUG.18-(AP)-THE NAVY REPORTED TODAY THAT ITS NEW 6 1/2 INCH AERIAL ROCKET, WHICH CARRIES A "SHAPED CHARGE" DESIGNED TO PENETRATE HEAVY ARMOR, WAS DEVELOPED AND SHIPPED TO KOREA IN 22 DAYS.
A NAVY SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS THAT ADMIRAL FORREST P.SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, DIRECTED THE NAVY'S ORDNANCE BUREAU ON JULY 6 TO DEVELOP THE ROCKET AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE.
SUCCESSFUL DEVELOPMENT OF THE WEAPON WAS REPORTED A WEEK LATER. ON JULY 29, THE NAVAL ORDNANCE TEST STATION AT INYOKERN, CALIF., SHIPPED THE FIRST BATCH TO THE WESTERN PACIFIC.
THE NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID THE ROCKET EMPLOYES DESIGNS AND PRINCIPLES THAT GENERAL J.LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, HAS USED IN HIS "SHAPED CHARGE."
HE SAID THE FIRST OF THE NEW ROCKETS TO REACH THE FAR EAST WERE DELIVERED TO THE AIR FORCE, WHICH USED THEM "VERY EFFECTIVELY."
"SO ITS REALLY A JOINT CHIEF OF STAFF AFFAIR," THE NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID.
THE ROCKET IS DESIGNED TO PUT TANKS AND OTHER ARMORED WEAPONS OUT OF ACTION. THE EXPLOSIVE CHARGE IS SHAPED SO AS TO FOCUS ITS EFFECT. SIMILAR "SHAPED CHARGES" USED BY THE ARMY ARE REPORTED ABLE TO PENETRADE MORE THAN TEN INCHES OF ARMOR. A "SHAPED CHARGE" IS USED IN THE ARMY'S NEW 3 1/2 INCH BAZOOKA, A SHORT RANGE ANTI-TANK WEAPON, AND EFFORTS ARE BEING MADE TO PRODUCE A "SHAPED CHARGE" SHELL FOR THE ARMY'S RECOILESS RIFLES, AN INFANTRY WEAPON WITH A RANGE OF 4,000 YARDS OR MORE.
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NIGHT LEAD
WASHINGTON,AUG 18-(AP)-THE TOP ARMY AND NAVY LEADERS, GENERAL J. LAWTON COLLINS AND ADMIRAL FORREST P.SHERMAN, WILL LEAVE BY PLANE FOR TOKYO TOMORROW MORNING.
LT.GEN.IDWAL H.EDWARDS, AIRFORCE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR OPERATIONS, ALSO WILL MAKE THE TRIP.
THEY ARE GOING "TO DETERMINE NEEDS AND SEE WHAT'S GOING ON," AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID, ADDING THAT THERE IS NOTHING EXTRAORDINARY ABOUT THE TRIP.
A SIMILAR TRIP TO JAPAN AND KOREA WAS MADE IN MID-JULY BY COLLINS AND GEN.HOYT S.VANDENBERG, CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE AIRFORCE.
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HANLEY (220)

WEEDSPORT, N.Y., AUG 18-(AP)-LT. GOV. JOE R. HANLEY TONIGHT TOOK A

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MAP AT WASHINGTON OFFICIALDOM FOR SENDING WHAT HE AXX SAID WAS IMPROPERLY EQUIPPED TROOPS INTO THE KOREAN CONFLICT.

"U. S. TROOPS SHOULD NOT HAVE BEEN SENT TO KOREA UNLESS THEY HAS JUST AS GOOD WEAPONS AS THE ENEMY," HE ADDED.

HANLEY, WHO IS EXPECTED TO BE THE REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR GOVERNOR IN THIS FALL'S ELECTION, SPOKE TO A CROWD OF ABOUT 1,000 PERSONS AT THE CAYUGA COUNTY FAIR.

AMERICAN TROOPS "ARE DYING TONIGHT BY THE SCORE," HE CAMXX CHARGED, BECAUSE THEY WERE "SENT TO MEET TANKS WITHEXX WITH RIFLES."

BUT, HA HE ADDED, THE GI'S ARE "FIGHTING SXX DESPERATLY AND GLORIOUSY AGAINST OVERWHELMING ODDS."

HANLEY, A FORMER PRESBYTERIAN MINISTER, TOUCHED A RELIGIOUS NOTE WHEN HE ASKED HIS AUDIENCE TO XXO "GO HOME TONIGHT X X X AND THANK YOUR GOD YOU ARE LOXX LIVING IN THIS UNITED STATES OF AMERICA."

THE GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATE DEVOTED THE MANXX MAJOR PART OF HIS ADDRESS TO TELLING GAXX FAIR-GOERS "WHAT IS RIGHT WITH AMERICA." HE ASSAILED XXOESX THOSE WHO PICTURE THIS NATION AS ".BAD, DECAYING AND DYING AND EVERYTHING ELSE."

AMERICA STILL IS THE LAND OF OPPORTUNITY AND ACHIEVEMENT, HA

AMERICA STILL IS THE LAJXX LAND OF POXX OPPORTUNITY AND ACHIEVEMENT, HE CONTIUNED. AND, DESPITE TOXX THE OMINOUS OUTLOOK OF THE WORLD, IT [illegible] STILL IS A LAND OF HOPE, HE ADDED.

RAIN FELL DURING A PART OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S 20-MINUTE ADDRESS. HE WAS INTRODUCED BY CAUGA COUNTY ASSEMBLYMAN CHARLES A.

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BEAVER,PA.,AUG.18-(AP)-GOVERNOR JAMES H.DUFF, REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL CANDIDATE IN PENNSYLVANIA, SAID TONIGHT THE NATION IS BEING MISLEAD BY THE DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATION REGARDING THE SERIOUSNESS OF THE KOREAN WAR.
IN A RADIO ADDRESS, DUFF DECLARED:
"I THINK THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT HAS MADE A BIG MISTAKE IN NOT ACQUAINTING THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA WITH THE DANGER CONFRONTING THEM.
"IN THE NEXT WAR WE WILL NOT READ OF FAR-OFF BATTLEFIELDS LIKE KOREA. WE MAY BE ON THE DOORSTEP OF WORLD WAR II AND WHEN IT COMES THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN OF AMERICA WILL BE ON THE DEFENSE LINES."
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A44WX
KOREA-MALONE
WASHINGTON,AUG 18-(AP)-SENATOR MALONE (R-NEV) TOLD THE SENATE TODAY THAT THIS COUNTRY IS "MURDERING" AMERICAN BOYS BY PUTTING THEM IN COMBAT IN KOREA WITHOUT ADEQUATE TRAINING.
HE SAID THAT MANY OF THE U.S. TROOPS RUSHED INTO THE KOREAN BATTLE WERE "GREEN BOYS X X X UNABLE TO DO AN ADEQUATE JOB BECAUSE OF LACK OF TRAINING."
"THEY HAD NO CHANCE TO SURVIVE," HE SAID. "I DON'T LIKE IT. WE'RE MURDERING THOSE BOYS BECAUSE THEY'RE UNTRAINED."
MALONE NOTED THAT FOR 25 YEARS THE AMERICAN LEGION AND OTHER GROUPS HAD ADVOCATED UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING. HE INDICATED HIS SUPPORT FOR UMT AS DID SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC).
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DAYTON, O., AUG.18-(AP)-THE COMMANDANT OF AMERICA'S AIR WAR COLLEGE TERMED THE KOREAN WAR A "FEINT" TODAY.
MAJ.GEN.ORVIL ANDERSON, COMMANDANT OF THE COLLEGE AT WASHINGTON, ADDRESSED GRADUATES OF THE AIRFORCE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AT WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIRFORCE BASE NEAR HERE.
WITHOUT MENTIONING RUSSIA BY NAME, HE SAID:
"THE KOREAN OPERATION HAS ALL THE BASIC CHARACTERISTICS OF A MILITARY FEINT, THE REAL THREAT IS IN WESTERN EUROPE."
HE DESCRIBED KOREAN HOSTILITIES AS AN ATTEMPT TO UNBALANCE UNITED NATIONS' FORCES TO PREVENT ANY CONCENTRATION OF POWER.
TWO OTHER PLACES FOR POSSIBLE FEINTS, HE WARNED, ARE FORMOSA AND INDO-CHINA. THOSE PLACES AND KOREA INVOLVE SATELLITE FORCES, HE ADDED.
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PG CO KX (110)
BOSTON, AUG. 18-(AP)-BRIG. GEN. CLAUDE B.FERENDAUGH, THIRD ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, SAID TONIGHT THE NORTH KOREANS ARE "SCRAMBLER FIGHTERS" SIMILAR TO THE RUSSIANS IN WORLD WAR TWO.
FERENDAUGH SPOKE T THE FOURTH ANNUAL REUNION OF THE 83RD DIVISION.
HE SAID EACH NORTH KOREAN SOLDIER "IS TRAINED TO FIGHT ON HIS ONW SO HE CAN INFILTRATE THE ENEMY'S LINES."
FERENDAUGH, WHO RECENTLY RETURNED FROM THE PACIFIC AREA, SAID THE KOREAN WAR "GIVES EVIDENCE THE ARMY AND AIR FORCE MUST WORK AS A UNIFIED TEAM. IF THIS IS TO BE A FULL SCALE WAR, THE AIR FORCE WILL PLAY A GREATER PART THAN IT DID IN THE LAST WAR."
THE 83RD, KNOWN AS THE "THUNDERBOLT" DIVISION, WAS FORMERLY AN OHIO NATIONAL GUARD OUTFIT BUT NUMBERS MANY NEW ENGLANDERS AMONG ITS MEMBERS.
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A100WX
(280)
NIGHT LEAD RESERVES
WASHINGTON,AUG 18-(AP)-THE ARMY DOUBLED ITS CALL FOR ENGINEER OFFICERS TODAY WHILE THE MARINES STEPPED UP RECRUITING EFFORTS AND LISTED RESERVES THEY ARE SUMMONING TO ACTIVE DUTY.
THE ARMY ORDERED 570 RESERVE CAPTAINS AND LIEUTENANTS IN THE ENGINEER CORPS TO REPORT BY OCT. 13. THIS IS TWICE THE NUMBER OF ENGINEER OFFICERS PREVIOUSLY CALLED AND BRINGS TO 8,432 THE NUMBER OF OFFICERS IN ALL BRANCHES OF THE SERVICE BEING RESTORED TO ACTIVE DUTY.
THE MARINES ASKED FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR ITS RESERVES. IT WANTS THEM TO ENLIST FOR AN INDEFINITE TIME, INSTEAD OF THE PREVIOUS HITCH OF FOUR YEARS, AND SAYS IT INTENDS TO PUT THEM ON EXTENDED ACTIVE DUTY. IN EFFECT, THIS WOULD MEAN ENLISTING WITH THE MARINES FOR THE DURATION.
IN ADDITION, THE MARINES CUT FROM FOUR TO THREE YEARS THE ENLISTMENT PERIOD FOR MARINE REGULARS.
THE CORPS SAID ALL MEN NOW IN THE VOLUNTEER RESERVE WITH THE RANK OF SERGEANT OR UNDER WILL BE ORDERED TO ACTIVE DUTY. THAT MEANS BOTH AVIATION AND GROUND RESERVES.
IN THE VOLUNTEER RESERVE ARE MEN WHO AREN'T MEMBERS OF ORGANIZED RESERVE UNITS OR THE FLEET MARINE CORPS RESERVE.
ELABORATING FURTHER ON AN AUG. 8 ANNOUNCEMENT THAT ALL 80,000 OF THE VOLUNTEER RESERVES WILL BE CALLED EVENTUALLY--50,000 BY OCT. 31--THE MARINES SAID ORDERS WILL GO OUT WITHIN A FEW DAYS TO CAPTAINS AND LIEUTENANTS IN THE GROUND FORCE.
MOSTLY THEY WILL BE MEN UNDER 31 WITH COMBAT SPECIALTIES. THE TOTAL TO BE CALLED BY NEXT JULY IS ABOUT 2,300, BUT MOST OF THEM WILL REPORT IN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, THE CORPS SAID.
SOME 300 VOLUNTEER RESERVE OFFICERS WHO ARE NOT PILOTS BUT HAVE AVIATION SPECIALITIES ARE BEING CALLED, MOSTLY CAPTAINS AND LIEUTENANTS. NO OFFICER PILOTS OF THE VOLUNTEER RESERVES ARE BEING SUMMONED NOW.
NOR, THE MARINES SAID, ARE THEY ORDERING ANYONE INTO COMBAT, REGULAR OR RESERVE, WHO IS UNDER 18.
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A45WX
DOCTOR-DRAFT (130)
WASHINGTON,AUG 8-(AP)-SENATOR HUNT (D-WYO) SAID TODAY THAT DOCTORS AND DENTISTS DEFERRED DURING THE LAST WAR TO COMPLETE THEIR EDUCATION PROBABLY WOULD BE THE FIRST DRAFTED IF A PENDING BILL BECOMES LAW.
HUNT, A DENTIST, SAID A SENATE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE HE HEADS WOULD OPEN HEARINGS TUESDAY ON A PROPOSAL TO MAKE DOCTORS, DENTISTS AND OTHER MEDICAL SPECIALISTS UP TO 45 YEARS OF AGE SUBJECT TO DRAFT.
ONE OF THE PROBLEMS, HUNT SAID, WAS "NOT TO DENUDE THE CIVILIAN POPULATION OF NEEDED MEDICAL SERVICES."
HE SAID THE GENERAL PURPOSE OF THE BILL "IS TO TAP THE POOL OF PHYSICIANS AND DENTISTS WHO RECEIVED DEFERMENT FOR PROFESSIONAL TRAINING DURING THE WAR."
MANY YOUTHS RECEIVED ALL OR PART OF THEIR MEDICAL TRAINING AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE DURING THE PAST WAR.
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WASHINGTON,AUG.18-(AP)-THE ARMY TODAY BROADENED ITS CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS FROM THE RANKS OF ENLISTED WOMEN RESERVES WHO ARE NOT IN ORGANIZED RESERVE UNITS.
A PREVIOUS CALL FOR WAC ENLISTED RESERVISTS WAS LIMITED TO THOSE WITH SPECIAL SKILLS. THE NEW APPEAL APPLIES TO ALL ENLISTED WAC RESERVISTS NOT IN ORGANIZED UNITS, REGARDLESS OF THEIR MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALITIES
THE ARMY SAID VOLUNTEERS WOULD APPLY TO THE ORGANIZED RESERVE CORPS INSTRUCTOR IN THE MILITARY DISTRICT WHERE THEY LIVE.
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B90KX
(160)
FAIRFIELD-SUISUN AIR FORCE BASE,AUG. 18-(AP)-THE FIRST THREE MARINE CASUALTIES FROM KOREA WERE FLOWN TO THIS AIR FORCE BASE TODAY--ALL MEMBERS OF THE 1ST MARINE DIVISION.
THEY WERE PART OF THE LARGEST GROUP OF WOUNDED EVER TO BE FLOWN HOME BY THE MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT SERVICE--74 MEN. THEY CAME IN AN 82-TON GLOBEMASTER C-74.
THE THREE MARINES ARE PFC PETER EMETERIO, 31, PUENTE, CALIF., CHARLES R.FISH, 19, GUION, TEX., AND WILLIE SINGLETON, 19, SUMTER, S.C.
EMETERIO, A VETERAN OF SEVEN YEARS SERVICE, SAID:
"WE HIT KOREA THE 31ST OF JULY AND LAY AROUND AWHILE. I AM AN AMMO CARRIER. SOON AFTER WE WENT INTO BATTLE, WE SET UP OUR MACHINE GUNS IN FOX HOLES ON A HILL.
"ABOUT 2:30 P.M. I GOT A BULLET THROUGH MY CHEST. IT BROKE MY COLLAR BONE AND WENT OUT THE BACK OF MY ARM. I WAS THERE ABOUT A DAY BEFORE THE (MEDICAL) CORPSMEN GOT TO ME."
HIS FLIGHT LEFT TOKYO TUESDAY, ATTENDED BY TWO NAVY NURSES, ENSIGNS JOAN CORDONE AND GIZELLA PAPP.
THE 74 MEN WILL BE TAKEN TO HOSPITALS NEARER THEIR HOMES.
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A17KX
EL TORO,CALIF.,AUG.18-(AP)-THE MARINES DISCLOSED TODAY THAT SPEED RECORDS WERE BROKEN IN THE DISPATCH OF AIR RESERVISTS TO OVERSEAS DUTY FROM THE AIR STATION HERE.
THE MARINE CORPS ANNOUNCED THAT MEMBERS OF THE AIR RESERVE WERE EN ROUTE OVERSEAS WITHIN A WEEK AFTER REPORTING FOR ACTIVE DUTY. THEY WERE MOVED "FASTER THAN ANY OTHER RESERVE TROOPS IN THE HISTORY OF WARFARE," THE MARINES REPORTED.
COL.RAYMOND E.HOPPER,PERSONNEL OFFICER OF THE FIRST MARINE AIR WING, SAID HE BELIEVED THIS WAS "A NEW RECORD FOR MILITARY SPEED."
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A163
(160)
LONDON, AUG. 18(AP)-WILLIAM WAKEHAM, A JOBLESS CLERK, WAS CHARGED TODAY WITH STEALING A SUIZCASE CONTAINING SECRET ATOMIC RESEARCH PAPERS WHICH BELONGED TO THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.
THE SUITCASE WAS THE PROPERTY OF JOHN M. GREENLEES, AN OFFICIAL OF THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY, WHICH RUNS BRITAIN'S ATOMIC RESEARCH PROGRAM. IT DISAPPEARED AUG 8 FROM GREENLEES' TRAIN COMPARTMENT IN EUSTON STATION, LONDON.
DETECTIVES RECOVERED THE SUITCASE, WITH THE PAPERS INTACT, IN A HOTELHERE THE FOLLOWING DAY. WAKEHAM WAS LATER ARRESTED IN FOLKESTONE. THE ARRESTING OFFICER QUOTED THE 35-YEAR-OLD BRITON IN COURT TODAY AS SAYING:
"WHEN I SAW WHAT WAS IN IT I GOT A TOUCH OF THE SECONDS (TOOK FRIGHT) AND LEFT IT AT MY HOTEL."
WAKEHAM WAS JAILED FOR A WEEK PENDING HIS NEXT APPEARANCE IN COURT. THE FORMAL CHARGE WAS THEFT OF THE SUITCASE, CLOTHING AND PORTFOLIO CONTAINING THE SECRET PAPERS. VALUE OF THE LOOT WAS GIVEN AS 63 POUNDS 15 SHILLINGS ($178.50).
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LONDON, AUG. 18-(AP)-U.S.AIR SECRETARY THOMAS K.FINLETTER FLEW HERE FROM WASHINGTON TODAY FOR CONFERENCES WITH MAJ.GEN.LEON W.JOHNSON, COMMANDING THE U.S.AIR FORCE THIRD DIVISION IN BRITAIN.
A SPOKESMAN SAID NO FURTHER INFORMATION WAS AVAILABLE ON FINLETTER'S VISIT HERE. AMERICAN AIR STRENGTH IN BRITAIN WAS INCREASED RECENTLY BY AN ADDITIONAL GROUP OF B-50 BOMBERS AND A GROUP OF JET FIGHTERS.
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A28 (280)
NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY
BY JOSEPH DYNAN
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.18-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY ADOPTED BY AN OVERWHELMING MAJORITY LATE TODAY A SERIES OF RESOLUTIONS TO REINFORCE THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AND ITS OWN AUTHORITY.
THE RESOLUTIONS WOULD:
1. ASK EACH MEMBER STATE TO APPOINT A MINISTER FOR EUROPEAN AFFAIRS TO HANDLE EUROPEAN COUNCIL MATTERS.
2. MODIFY THE PRESENT SINGLE-POWER VETO WITHIN THE ALL-POWERFUL COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS (THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE) BY ENABLING A MINISTER TO APPROVE A PROJECT WITHOUT THE OBLIGATION OF APPLYING IT IN HIS OWN COUNTRY.
3. PROVIDE FOR ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE VARIOUS NATIONAL PARLIAMENTS FOR CONSIDERATION.
4. HAVE ALL MEMBERS OF THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY ELECTED BY THE NATIONAL LEGISLATURES. SOME ARE ALREADY, BUT OTHERS, INCLUDING THE BRITISH DELEGATES, ARE APPOINTED BY THEIR GOVERNMENTS.
OTHER RESOLUTIONS CALLED FOR TIGHER LINKS BETWEEN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AND OTHER INTERGOVERNMENTAL INSTITUTIONS SUCH AS THE FIVE-POWER BRUSSELS PACT SECRETARIAT AND THE MARSHALL PLAN'S ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC).
ANOTHER URGED THAT CLOSE LIAISON BE SET UP BETWEEN EUROPEAN ORGANIZATIONS AND "NORTH AMERICAN NATIONS"--THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA.
THESE RESOLUTIONS WERE EMBODIED IN A REPORT FROM THE ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE BASED ON STUDIES AND HEARINGS IN THE PAST YEAR.
THE RESOLUTIONS NOW GO TO THE MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE, WHICH IS SCHEDULED TO MEET IN OCTOBER.
THREE OTHER ITEMS WHICH WOULD MATERIALLY ALTER THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S STRUCTURE WERE REFERRED TO THE GENERAL COMMITTEE, TO BE REPORTED OUT LATER IN THE SESSION. THESE WOULD GIVE THE COUNCIL EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE POWERS. THEY INCLUDE A PROPOSAL FOR A UNITED STATES OF EUROPE, TO TIE IN OVERSEAS TERRITORIES AND TO ESTABLISH A "FEDERAL PACT" AMONG A LIMITED NUMBER OF COUNTRIES WITHIN THE COUNCIL.
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A178 (130)
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG 18-(AP)-PAUL REYNAUD OF FRANCE DELIVERED A SLASHING ATTACK TODAY ON "GO SLOW" GROUPS IN THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY--THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT OF WESTERN EUROPE NOW IN SESSION HERE.
HE CLASHED WITH WILLIAM NORTON OF IRELAND, WHO SAID THAT LEADERS WHO GO TOO FAR TOO FAST WILL SOON FIND NO ONE MARCHING BEHIND THEM.
REYNAUD WAS ESPECIALLY BITTER TOWARD THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS, WHICH HAS PIGEON-HOLED THUS FAR MOST OF THE ASSEMBLY'S MOVES FOR GREATER EUROPEAN UNITY.
"BEFORE WE LEAVE," SAID REYNAUD, "WE MUST TAKE A SOLEMN OBLIGATION TO REFUSE OUR CONFIDENCE TO GOVERNMENTS WHICH DO NOT SUPPORT THE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED HERE."
THE FRENCH POLITICIAN DECLARED "WE MUST GIVE THE PEOPLES OF THE WEST SOME FAITH. WE SEE THE TENACITY OF THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES AND BENEATH THEIR SKILL IS A FANATICISM OF FAITH WHICH WE MUST MATCH."
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B115 (Q)
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BY CARTER L.DAVIDSON
PARIS, AUG.18-(AP)-THE MARSHALL PLAN NATIONS TONIGHT APPROVED A NEW SYSTEM TO HANDLE THEIR TRADE WITH EACH OTHER, BUT DELAYED FINAL SIGNATURES UNTIL THE UNITED STATES DONATES THE MONEY TO FINANCE IT.

DEPUTIES OF THE 18-NATION ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC) SPENT ALL DAY ON THE PLAN, CALLED THE EUROPEAN PAYMENTS UNION (EPU).

THEY RECOMMENDED THAT EACH OF THE GOVERNMENTS SIGN IT. THIS IS A FORMALITY ONLY. ACTUAL APPROVAL OF THE PLAN WAS GIVEN JULY 7 BY CABINET MINISTERS OF THE MEMBER NATIONS MEETING AS THE OEEC MINISTERIAL COUNCIL.

MARSHALL PLAN LEADERS IN WASHINGTON ARE EXPECTED TO ASK CONGRESS TO ASSIGN PART OF THE MARSHALL PLAN'S 1951 BUDGET TO THE OEEC TO UNDERWRITE THE EPU.

AN OEEC SOURCE SAID TODAY THE ACTUAL AMOUNT NEEDED IS UNKNOWN, BUT "ONE FIGURE MENTIONED" WAS AROUND $350,000,000.

THE EPU WILL WORK AS A CLEARING HOUSE FOR WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS IN THEIR TRADE WITH EACH OTHER. IN EFFECT, A NATION BUYING GOODS FROM A NEIGHBOR WILL PAY MONEY FOR THE GOODS INTO THE EPU, AND THE NEIGHBOR WILL DRAW OUT MONEY. THIS SYSTEM WILL ELIMINATE THE SLOW, TEDIOUS SYSTEM OF DIRECT DEALINGS BETWEEN INDIVIDUAL COUNTRIES AND THE CONSEQUENT CURRENCY SNARLS.

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B48 (Q) (170)
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PARIS, AUG. 18-(AP)-U.S. OFFICIALS TODAY STUDIED FRENCH PROPOSALS FOR A MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR CENTRAL FINANCING AGENCY FOR THE ATLANTIC POWERS' DEFENSE AGAINST A FEARED RUSSIAN ATTACK.

A MEMORANDUM SUGGESTING AN "ATLANTIC TREASURY" TO PAY THE 12-POWER REARMAMENT COSTS WAS DELIVERED TO U.S. AMBASSADOR DAVID K. BRUCE.

THE FRENCH NOTE WAS IN RESPONSE TO RECENT AMERICAN PRODDINGS FOR DETAILS ON WHAT THE PARIS GOVERNMENT INTENDED TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE WESTERN EFFORT. IT SUPPLEMENTED A PREVIOUS FRENCH MESSAGE THAT FRANCE PLANNED TO SPEND ABOUT $11,000,000,000 FOR MILITARY PURPOSES DURING THE NEXT THREE YEARS.

THE LATEST MEMORANDUM SKETCHES THE CREATION OF CENTRALIZED GROUPS BY THE PACT MEMBERS TO DIRECT FINANCIAL, MILITARY, AND POLITICAL AFFAIRS, ACCORDING TO A HIGH AUTHORITY. COPIES ARE BEING SENT ATLANTIC ALLIANCE OFFICIALS WHO ARE TO MEET NEXT WEEK IN LONDON.

ALSO IN THE WORKS, BUT NOT YET READY FOR DELIVERY, IS A FRENCH PLAN FOR A SO-CALLED "ATLANTIC LOAN." IT ENVISAGES SALE TO THE PUBLIC OF LOAN SHARES, ISSUED JOINTLY BY THE 12 ATLANTIC PACT SIGNERS, TO HELP FINANCE MILITARY PREPARATIONS. SUCH FUNDS WOULD BE ABOVE AND BEYOND THOSE EXPECTED AS LOANS AND GRANTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

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MADRID, SPAIN, AUG.18-(AP)-SEN. HARRY P. CAIN (R-WASH) LEFT BY PLANE TODAY FOR LISBON, PORTUGAL, EN ROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES. CAIN PAID SPAIN A FIVE-DAY PRIVATE VISIT WHICH INCLUDED A CONFERENCE WITH GENERALISSIMO FRANCISCO FRANCO.

THE SENATOR DECLINED TO SAY WHAT HE HAD DISCUSSED WITH FRANCO DURING THEIR INTERVIEW AT THE ROYAL PALACE IN SAN SEBASTIAN. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, HE HAD BEEN "VERY FAVORABLY" IMPRESSED BY WHAT HE HAD SEEN DURING HIS STAY IN THIS COUNTRY.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE BIRTH RATE FELL GENERALLY THROUGHOUT THE WORLD IN 1949 WHILE THE DEATH RATE SHOWED A SLIGHT INCREASE OVER 1948, THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION REPORTED TODAY.

FIGURES FROM MOST EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WERE NOT AVAILABLE FOR WHO'S SURVEY, BUT THE ORGANIZATION SAID THAT "GENERAL AND GLOBAL" IMPRESSIONS COULD BE OBTAINED.

THE BIRTH RATE IN THE UNITED STATES WAS 24.1 BIRTHS PER THOUSAND INHABITANTS COMPARED WITH 24.2 IN 1948. T[redacted] IN 1948

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATION SAID TODAY IT HAS SIGNED AGREEMENTS WITH CATHOLIC, JEWISH AND LUTHERAN AGENCIES IN THE UNITED STATES FOR THE RESETTLEMENT OF MORE THAN 1,100 HANDICAPPED REFUGEES AND THEIR FAMILIES THERE.

A GRANT OF APPROXIMATELY $580,000 HAS BEEN APPROVED BY DIRECTOR GENERAL J.DONALD KINGSLEY FOR DIVISION AMONG THE CATHOLIC WELFARE CONFERENCE, THE UNITED SERVICE FOR NEW AMERICANS AND THE NATIONAL LUTHERAN COUNCIL. A SIMILAR AGREEMENT WITH THE CHURCH WORLD SERVICE TO CARE FOR AN ADDITIONAL 330 HANDICAPPED REFUGEES AND THEIR FAMILIES IS EXPECTED LATER THIS MONTH.

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LIEGE, BELGIUM, AUG.18-(AP)-JULIEN LAHAUT, PRESIDENT OF THE BELGIAN COMMUNIST PARTY AND A MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, WAS SLAIN AT HIS HOME HERE TONIGHT.

FIRST REPORTS SAID HE WAS SHOT BY TWO UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO ARRIVED BY AUTOMOBILE AND LATER DISAPPEARED.

JEAN TERFVE, A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY POLITBURO, SAID "ONE OF THE REPORTS I GOT WAS THAT LAHAUT WAS SHOT WITH A SUBMACHINEGUN. ANOTHER OF OUR COMRADES SAID HE WAS SHOT WITH A REVOLVER."

REPORTS TERFVE SAID HE RECEIVED GAVE THIS ACCOUNT:

"AT ABOUT 9:30 TONIGHT A MAN RANG THE DOORBELL AT LAHAUT'S HOUSE. 'I AM MR. HENDRICK,' HE SAID TO MRS. LAHAUT WHO OPENED THE DOOR. 'I WANT TO SPEAK TO MR. LAHAUT.' LAHAUT, CALLED BY HIS WIFE, WALKED OUT OF THE KITCHEN AND CAME TO THE DOOR. HE FELL WITH ONE BULLET IN HIS HEAD AND THREE IN THE BODY. HE DIED A FEW MINUTES LATER."

TERFVE ADDED THAT THE SLAYER AND ANOTHER PERSON DROVE AWAY IN A CAR. ASKED WHETHER HE COULD GIVE ANY REASON FOR THE ASSASSINATION, TERFVE SAID, "IT IS TOO EARLY TO KNOW NOW."

LAHAUT, 66, JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN 1923 AND BECAME A MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT IN 1937. HE TOOK PART IN THE RECENT BITTER DEBATES PRECEDING THE RETURN OF EXILED KING LEOPOLD TO BELGIUM FROM SWITZERLAND. AT TIMES FIERCE RIOTING BROKE OUT IN LIEGE, BRUSSELS AND OTHER CITIES IN WHICH THE COMMUNIST PARTY TOOK PART, OPPOSING ALL MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL FAMILY.

A BOMB RECENTLY DAMAGED THE BRUSSELS HEADQUARTERS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

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NIGHT LEAD BELGIAN

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE SENATE TODAY IN AN 82-61 CONFIDENCE VOTE BACKED BELGIUM'S THREE-DAY OLD SOCIAL CHRISTIAN GOVERNMENT-- THE FIRST ORGANIZED UNDER CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN.

THE SENATE THUS JOINED THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WHICH YESTERDAY VOTED 107-78 IN SUPPORT OF THE GOVERNMENT LED BY PREMIER JOSEPH PHOLIEN.

PHOLIEN SAID HIS OBJECT WAS TO UNITE ALL BELGIANS UNDER THE 19-YEAR OLD PRINCE BAUDOUIN AND END THE BITTER STRUGGLE BETWEEN SUPPORTERS AND OPPONENTS OF KING LEOPOLD.

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVEX GAVE A 107-73 CONFIDENCE VOTE TO BELGIUM'S NEW SOCIAL CHRISTIAN GOVERNMENT LAST NIGHT ON ITS ECONOMIC AND REARMAMENT POLICY. THE SENATE IS SCHEDULED TO VOTE TODAY ON PREMIER JOSEPH PHOLIEN'S NEW CABINET.

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BERLIN, AUG.18-(AP)-AMERICAN AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT PAUL SCHNEIDER, 20, OF DETROIT, WOULD BE SENT TO BREMEN FOR A COURT HEARING ON WHETHER HE IS TO BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES.

SCHNEIDER WAS TURNED OVER TO AMERICAN CUSTODY LAST MONTH BY EAST GERMAN PEOPLE'S POLICE WHO PICKED HIM UP IN THE SOVIET SECTOR OF BERLIN WITHOUT IDENTIFICATION PAPERS.

INVESTIGATION DISCLOSED SCHNEIDER TWICE SERVED BRIEF PERIODS IN THE U.S. ARMY SINCE THE WAR. HIS NEXT OF KIN, AN UNCLE NAMED SCHNEIDER (FIRST NAME NOT AVAILABLE) WAS REPORTED TO RESIDE AT 1950 CADILLAC AVENUE, DETROIT.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID YOUNG SCHNEIDER WAS BORN IN DETROIT BUT LIVED IN GERMANY MOST OF HIS LIFE. HE OBTAINED PASSAGE BACK TO GERMANY THIS YEAR FROM CANADA BY TELLING AUTHORITIES THERE HE WAS A NATIVE OF DRESDEN IN THE SOVIET ZONE, THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

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WUPPERTAL, GERMANY, AUG. 18-(AP)-FRENCH AUTHORITIES TODAY BANNED PUBLICATION OF THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER UNSER TAG (OUR DAY) FOR FOUR WEEKS ON CHARGES IT VIOLATED THE ALLIED PRESS LAW.

THE NEWSPAPER, 11TH COMMUNIST JOURNAL TO BE BANNED BY THE WESTERN ALLIES IN THEIR ZONES OF OCCUPATION, HAD CALLED UPON GERMAN DOCK-WORKERS TO REFUSE TO UNLOAD AMERICAN MUNITIONS SHIPS.

A 12TH RED NEWSPAPER, ALTHOUGH NOT BANNED, HAD BEEN FORCED TO CEASE OPERATIONS BECAUSE THE COMMUNIST-RUN PLANT IN WHICH IT HAD BEEN PRINTED HAD BEEN LOCKED UP BY THE AMERICANS. IT WAS THE NEWSPAPER UNSERE STIMME (OUR VOICE), PRINTED IN THE AMERICAN ZONE BUT DISTRIBU-TED IN THE FRENCH ZONE.

ONLY FOUR SMALL COMMUNIST NEWSPAPERS CONTINUE TO OPERATE IN WEST GERMANY -- THREE IN THE AMERICAN ZONE AND ONE IN THE BRITISH ZONE.

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WUPPERTAL, GERMANY, AUG. 18-(AP)-THIRTY TONS OF ILLEGAL COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA LEAFLETS WERE CONFISCATED IN A POLICE RAID HERE LAST NIGHT.

POLICE SAID THE LEAFLETS WERE PRINTED IN RUSSIA AND IN THE SOVIET ZONE OF GERMANY. THEY HAD BEEN ILLEGALLY IMPORTED BY A WUPPERTAL PUBLISHING FIRM, POLICE ADDED.

THREE PERSONS WERE HELD FOR ALLEGEDLY PARTICIPATING IN THE ILLEGAL TRANSACTION.

THE LEAFLETS DENOUNCED THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA AND CALLED FOR RESISTANCE AGAINST WESTERN OCCUPATION FORCES IN GERMANY, OFFICIALS SAID.

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NIGHT LEAD GREEK

BY L.S.CHAKALES

ATHENS, GREECE, AUG.18-(AP)-KING PAUL I ACCEPTED THE RESIGNATION OF PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS TODAY AND ENTRUSTED THE FORMING OF A NEW GOVERNMENT TO A LIBERAL FORMER PREMIER, SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS.

VENIZELOS TOLD NEWSMEN THE KING HAS PLACED NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE COMPOSITION OF THE NEW GOVERNMENT.

VENIZELOS WENT IMMEDIATELY INTO CONFERENCES AT HIS HOME WITH LIBERAL FORMER CABINET MINISTERS AND LEADING MEMBERS OF HIS PARTY. THE CRISIS WAS BROUGHT TO A HEAD YESTERDAY BY THE RESIGNATION OF FIVE LIBERAL PARTY MEMBERS OF THE CABINET.

VENIZELOS HAD DEMANDED THAT PLASTIRAS, HEAD OF THE LEFTIST NATIONAL PROGRESSIVE UNION, QUIT THE PREMIERSHIP. THERE HAD BEEN CABINET RESENTMENT OVER THE PREMIER'S POLICY OF AMNESTY FOR COMMUNISTS CONVICTED OF TREASON.

A LIBERAL PARTY STATEMENT SAID THE GOVERNMENT HAD "LOST COMPLETELY THE CONFIDENCE OF PUBLIC OPINION." IT SAID DISTRUST AND UNCERTAINTY HAD AFFECTED THE ECONOMY OF THE COUNTRY AND BENEFITS PREVIOUSLY GAINED WERE NEUTRALIZED BY AN INCREASING COST OF LIVING.

PLASTIRAS HANDED THE RESIGNATION OF HIS GOVERNMENT TO THE KING IN A MOVE WHICH SURPRISED POLITICAL CIRCLES BY ITS QUICKNESS. EARLIER A SPOKESMAN HAD SAID THE RESUGNATION WOULD AWAIT THE RETURN OF DEPUTY PREMIER GEORGE PAPANDREOU, WHO IS NOW IN WASHINGTON.

THERE WAS STRONG LIKELIHOOD THAT VENIZELOS WILL TRY TO RECONSTITUTE THE CENTER COALITION GOVERNMENT WITHOUT PLASTIRAS, BY INCLUDING PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN EMMANUEL TSOUDEROS AND SOCIAL DEMOCRAT PAPANDREOU, WITH HIMSELF AS PREMIER.

VENIZELOS, WHO HELD THE PREMIERSHIP BRIEFLY WITH A LIBERAL CABINET AFTER THE MARCH 5 PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS, RESIGNED WHEN THE UNITED STATES EXPRESSED DISPLEASURE OVER HIS LACK OF A BROAD MAJORITY IN PARLIAMENT.

PLASTIRAS' CABINET, WHICH FOLLOWED IN APRIL, INCLUDED FIVE LIBERAL PARTY MEMBERS, ALONG WITH THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATS AND THE PREMIER'S OWN NATIONAL PROGRESSIVE UNION.

BEFORE RESIGNING, PLASTIRAS CONFERRED WITH HAROLD MINOR, U.S. CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, ON THE CABINET CRISIS. A PLASTARIS SPOKESMAN SAID MINOR RECOMMENDED AN "EARLY PARLIAMENTARY SOLUTION."

THIS PHRASE WAS INTERPRETED AS MEANING THAT AMERICAN ADVISORS WOULD NOT FAVOR PICKING AN "EMERGENCY" CABINET OUTSIDE OF

PARLIAMENT, WHICH WOULD MEAN DISSOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT AND NEW ELECTIONS. PARLIAMENT IS TO MEET OCT. 1.
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FIRST LEAD GREEK
ATHENS, AUG. 18-(AP)-PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS RESIGNED TONIGHT AND LIBERAL PARTY LEADER SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS WAS GIVEN THE TASK OF TRYING TO FORM A NEW GREEK GOVERNMENT.
PLASTIRAS HANDED HIS RESIGNATION TO KING PAUL, WHO PROMPTLY CALLED IN VENIZELOS AND ASKED HIM TO TRY AND PUT TOGETHER A NEW CABINET.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE SHORTLY AFTER PLASTIRAS CONFERRED WITH KING PAUL, WHO ACCEPTED THE RESIGNATION.
THE FALL OF PLASTIRAS' CABINET HAD BEEN EXPECTED SINCE YESTERDAY, WHEN FIVE LIBERAL MINISTERS IN THE COALITION THAT HAD RULED SINCE LAST APRIL ANNOUNCED THEY WERE QUITTING. THEY HAD BEEN OPPOSED TO PLASTIRAS' "LENIENCY" TOWARD COMMUNISTS CONVICTED OF TREASON.
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 18-(AP)-O. JOHN ROGGE, NEW YORK LAWYER AND FORMER ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL, SAID TODAY HE THOUGHT HENRY WALLACE MADE A MISTAKE IN RESIGNING FROM THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY.
WALLACE, THE PARTY'S LEADER AND ITS 1948 PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE, QUIT AUG. 8 BECAUSE HE DIFFERED WITH OTHERS IN HIS ORGANIZATION OVER THE WAR IN KOREA, WHERE HE SAID RUSSIA WAS "CLEARLY THE AGGRESSOR."
ROGGE, A MEMBER OF THE PARTY'S NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, SAID IN AN INTERVIEW HE BELIEVED THAT IF WALLACE HAD STAYED IN, HE COULD HAVE HAD HIS STAND OFFICIALLY ADOPTED BY THE PARTY.
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MOSCOW, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE SOVIET ARMY NEWSPAPER RED STAR TODAY PICTURED SCANDINAVIAN COUNTRIES AS PREPARING FOR WAR AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION WITH THE BACKING OF THE UNITED STATES.
IN A LENGTHY EDITORIAL THE NEWSPAPER CHARGED THAT NORWEGIAN YOUTHS ARE BEING GIVEN MILITARY TRAINING UNDER AMERICAN OBSERVATION, AND NORWEGIAN AIRSTRIPS ARE BEING EQUIPPED BY AMERICANS.
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(THE SOVIET PRESS HAS STEPPED UP ITS CRITICISM OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF SCANDINAVIAN COUNTRIES IN THE LAST FEW DAYS. SCANDINAVIAN NATIONS, PARTICULARLY SWEDEN, HAVE BEEN PROTESTING TO THE SOVIET UNION ITS EXTENSION OF SOVIET TERRITORIAL WATERS LIMIT TO 12 MILES IN THE BALTIC SEA AND THE SEIZURE OF SHIPS OF SCANDINAVIAN NATIONS. RUSSIA HAS MADE AN UNOFFICIAL PROPOSAL THE BALTIC BE CLOSED TO ALL WARSHIPS OF NON-BALTIC NATIONS.)
RED STAR SAID AMERICAN VISITORS ARE ARRIVING UNANNOUNCED IN NORWAY AND MENTIONED THE NAMES OF GENERALS CANNON, HANDY AND ADMIRAL BROWN.
(PRESUMABLY THIS IS A REFERENCE TO LT. GEN. JOHN K. CANNON, U.S. AIR FORCE COMMANDER IN EUROPE; GEN. THOMAS T. HANDY, COMMANDER OF U.S. MILITARY FORCES IN EUROPE AND REAR ADM. CLARENCE J. BROWN.)
THE DANISH GOVERNMENT ALSO IS PREPARING THE NATION FOR WAR WITH AMERICAN ASSISTANCE, RED STAR CHARGED.
"IT NOW BECOMES CLEAR," IT SAID, "THAT MILITARY CONSTRUCTION IS PROCEEDING ON BORNHOLM AND AMAGER ISLANDS, AND ALSO ON THE CENTRAL AND NORTHERN PARTS OF JUTLAND. TO THIS SHOULD BE ADDED THE FACTUAL SEIZURE OF GREENLAND BY THE AMERICAN MILITARY."
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HONG KONG, SATURDAY, AUG 19-(AP)-THE BRITISH FREIGHTER JEEP HEE SAILED LAST NIGHT FOR SHANGHAI.
TWO LARGE SHIPPING COMPANIES--BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE AND JARDINE MATHESON CO.--CANCELLED ALL SHANGHAI SAILINGS AFTER THE FREIGHTER TSINAN HIT A MINE ENTERING SHANGHAI.
THE TSINAN, OWNED BY BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE, HAS BEEN TOWED TO SAFETY IN SHANGHAI HARBOR, THE COMPANY SAID.
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RUSS PLANES (270)

BY SPENCER MOOSA

TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 18-(AP)-A NATIONALIST CHINA SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY RUSSIAN AIR FORCE PLANES ARE FLYING DAILY IN THE SHANGHAI AREA OF COMMUNIST CHINA.

LT.GEN. CHANG YI-TING OF THE DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID INTELLIGENCE REPORTS IDENTIFIED THEM AS BELONGING TO THE SOVIET TWELFTH WING.

HE SAID UNVERIFIED REPORTS ESTIMATED THE WING INCLUDED POSSIBLY 75 FIGHTER PLANES, 30 LIGHT BOMBERS AND A SMALLER NUMBER OF HEAVY BOMBERS (MEDIUM BOMBERS BY AMERICAN STANDARDS).

CHANG SAID OTHER INTELLIGENCE REPORTS HE COULD FULLY TRUST WERE THAT THREE CHINESE COMMUNIST DIVISIONS PASSED THROUGH MENGTZU ON THEIR WAY TO INDOCHINA. MENGTZU IS ABOUT 90 MILES BY AIR FROM INDOCHINA AND TWICE THAT DISTANCE BY ROAD.

CHANG TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THEY BELONGED TO THE COMMAND OF GEN. CHEN KENG, DEPUTY CHIEF OF THE COMMUNIST SECOND FIELD ARMY AND GOVERNOR OF YUNNAN PROVINCE.

COMMUNISG CHINA HAS RECOGNIZED THE INDOCHINA REBEL GOVERNMENT OF MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH. THE U.S. HAS SENT A MILITARY MISSION TO INDOCHINA TO AID THE FRENCH AND THE AMERICAN-RECOGNIZED VIETNAM GOVERNMENT OF BAO DAI, BOTH OF WHOM ARE FIGHTING HO'S FORCES.

CHANG APPEARED RELUCTANT TO DISCUSS HONG KONG RAPORTS THAT NATIONALIST LT. GEN. CHENG CHIEH-MIN, VICE MINISTER OF DEFENSE, HAD

ARRIVED SOMEWHERE ON THE SOUTH CHINA MAINLAND TO DIRECT NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS IN THAT AREA OF COMMUNIST CHINA.

CHANG SAID CHENG WAS ON LEAVE OF ABSENCE BECAUSE OF ILLNESS, AND PROFESSED IGNORANCE OF HIS WHEREABOUTS.

PRIVATE REPORTS HERE TO FOREIGN SOURCES WERE THAT NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS WERE ACTIVE IN SOUTH CHINA'S KWANGTUNG PROVINCE. NIGHT POSTED OUTSIDE CANTON AND OTHER BIG CHIKESE CITIES WAS BECAUSE OF GUERRILG

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TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.19-(AP)-DR.WELLINGTON KOO, NATIONALIST CHINA'S AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES, SAID TODAY HE THOUGHT THE PROSPECTS OF AN EARLY JAPANESE PEACE TREATY WERE "VERY GOOD."
"I WOULD LIKE TO SEE JAPAN RESTORED AS A MEMBER OF FREE ASIATIC SOCIETIES," HE ADDED.
EN ROUTE BACK TO WASHINGTON AFTER A 16-DAY VISIT IN FORMOSA, THE CHINESE DIPLOMAT PAID A "COURTESY CALL" ON GENERAL MACARTHUR YESTERDAY BUT DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THEIR TALK.
THE CHINESE AMBASSADOR WOULD NOT DISCLOSE WHETHER HE WAS TAKING ANY SPECIFIC REQUESTS TO WASHINGTON FOR INCREASED MILITARY OR ECONOMIC AID FOR THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT ON FORMOSA.
HE ALSO DECLINED TO COMMENT ON U.S.POLICY TOWARD CHIANG KAI SHEK'S GOVERNMENT, SAYING HE THOUGHT RECENT STATEMENTS BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND U.S.SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON "STAND FOR THEMSELVES."
KOO SAID HE RETURNED TO FORMOSA TO REPORT AND "CONSULT WITH THE LEADERS OF OUR GOVERNMENT."
ASKED FOR HIS VIEWS ON A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY, KOO REPLIED:
"IN VIEW OF THE PRESENT WORLD SITUATION AND ALSO IN VIEW OF THE GROWING REALIZATION AND DESIRABILITY OF HAVING JAPAN REMAIN SECURE INTERNATIONALLY AND ALSO OF HAVING HER PLAY HER LEGITIMATE PART IN AND MAKE HER CONTRIBUTION TO THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM, I BELIEVE THE PROSPECTS ARE VERY GOOD."
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HONOLULU,AUG.18-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G. MENZIES STOPPED IN HONOLULU TODAY EN ROUTE HOME FROM TOKYO BY WAY OF NEW ZEALAND. HE WAS DUE TO LEAVE AT 11 P.M. HONOLULU TIME (4 A.M. SATURDAY, EST) ON A BRITISH COMMONWEALTH PACIFIC PLANE.
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PEARL HARBOR,AUG.18-(AP)-ADM.ARTHUR W.RADFORD, PACIFIC FLEET COMMANDER, HAS LEFT ON A FLYING TRIP TO THE FAR EAST, THE NAVY SAID TODAY.
HIS TIME OF DEPARTURE AND DESTINATION WERE NOT DISCLOSED. THE ADMIRAL WAS AT HIS DESK YESTERDAY.
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(500) NIGHT LEAD SMITH
BY ROGER D.GREENE
WASHINGTON, AUG.18-(AP)-LT.GEN.WALTER BEDELL SMITH, A FIGHTING HOOSIER WITH FEW ILLUSIONS ABOUT THE RUSSIANS, WAS NAMED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY AS DIRECTOR OF THE NATION'S CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE SYSTEM.
SMITH, 54, KNOWN TO MILITARY ASSOCIATES AS "BEETLE" AND DUBBED "THE BULLDUG" BY WINSTON CHURCHILL, WAS U.S. AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW FROM 1946 TO 1949 AND WAS CHIEF OF STAFF TO GEN.DWIGHT D.EISENHOWER DURING WORLD WAR II.
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THE APPOINTMENT FOLLOWED RECENT DEMANDS IN CONGRESS FOR A SHAKE-UP IN THE AGENCY AS AN OUTGROWTH OF THE KOREAN WAR. SOME LEGISLATORS HAVE CONTENDED THAT U.S. INTELLIGENCE WAS CAUGHT FLA

UP IN THE AGENCY AS AN OUTGROWTH OF THE KOREAN WAR. SOME LEGISLATORS HAVE CONTENDED THAT U.S. INTELLIGENCE WAS CAUGHT FLAT-FOOTED BY THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA ON JUNE 25.
HOWEVER, HILLENKOETTER TESTIFIED BEFORE A SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUNE 26 THAT AMERICAN AGENTS KNEW THE NORTH KOREANS WERE MASSING TANKS AND TROOPS ALONG THE SOUTH KOREAN BORDER AS LONG AS A YEAR AGO, BUT THAT IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE TO PREDICT THE "ZERO HOUR."
LAWMAKERS SAID AFTER LISTENING TO HILLENKOETTER THEY WERE SATISFIED U.S.INTELLIGENCE WAS NOT CAUGHT NAPPING.
PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY CHARLES G.ROSS TOLD NEWSMEN THAT HILLENKOETTER HAS BEEN "TRYING FOR MONTHS TO GET BACK TO SEA DUTY." HE WILL TAKE COMMAND OF A CRUISER DIVISION WHEN HE LEAVES THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY POST.
THE CIA IS THE CLEARING HOUSE FOR ALL U.S. INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES. IT SCREENS REPORTS FROM DIPLOMATIC, MILITARY AND ALL OTHER SOURCES TO SAFEGUARD THE NATION'S SECURITY AGAINST SURPRISE ATTACK. THE AGENCY WAS SET UP IN 1947.
KNOWN AS A HUMAN DYNAMO, TOUGH, CAUSTIC AND TIRELESS, SMITH SPENT THREE YEARS IN MOSCOW AND LEARNED TO KNOW PREMIER STALIN WELL. WHEN

HE RESIGNED AS AMBASSADOR LAST YEAR, HE WROTE A BOOK DECLARING THAT MOST COMMUNIST STATESMEN SEEM CONVINCED THAT THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA WOULD EVENTUALLY GO TO WAR.

"WE DARE NOT ALLOW OURSELVES ANY FALSE SENSE OF SECURITY," SMITH WROTE IN THE BOOK, ENTITLED "MY THREE YEARS IN MOSCOW." AND HE WARNED:

"WE MUST ANTICIPATE THAT THE SOVIET TACTIC WILL BE TO ATTEMPT TO WAR US DOWN, TO EXASPERATE US, TO KEEP PROBING FOR WEAK SPOTS...."

AS TO STALIN, HE SAID THE SOVIET DICTATOR HAS "A CHARMING PERSONALITY WHEN HE CHOOSES" BUT CAN ALSO BE "VERY RUDE WHEN HE LIKES."

ON CAPITOL HILL, FIRST REACTION TO THE APPOINTMENT WAS FAVORABLE. SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC) SAID HE BELIEVES SMITH IS WELL QUALIFIED FOR THE KEY POST.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF HIS APPOINTMENT, SMITH PICKED WILLIAM H.JACKSON, 49, A PARTNER IN THE NEW YORK INVESTMENT BANKING FIRM OF J.H.WHITNEY AND CO., AS HIS DEPUTY DIRECTOR.

JACKSON, A NATIVE OF NASHVILLE, TENN., WAS DEPUTY INTELLIGENCE OFFICER ON THE STAFF OF GEN.OMAR BRADLEY IN EUROPE DURING THE WAR. HE ATTENDED PRINCETON AND GOT HIS LAW DEGREE AT HARVARD.

SMITH, WHO HAS BEEN SERVING AS COMMANDER OF THE U.S. FIRST ARMY, WITH HEADQUARTERS ON GOVERNOR'S ISLAND, N.Y., SINCE HE LEFT THE MOSCOW AMBASSADORSHIP, IS KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN MR.TRUMAN'S CHOICE FOR THE INTELLIGENCE POST FOR SOME TIME.

THE FINAL APPOINTMENT WAS HELD OFF UNTIL SMITH RECOVERED FROM A RECENT SERIOUS ILLNESS. HE HAS SUFFERED FOR YEARS FROM PEPTIC ULCERS AND ON MAY 2 UNDERWENT AN OPERATION AT THE ARMY'S WALTER REED HOSPITAL.

BORN IN INDIANAPOLIS, OCT.5, 1895, SMITH NEVER WENT TO WEST POINT BUT HAS FOLLOWED A MILITARY CAREER SINCE HE WAS 15. HE IS ONE OF THE MOST DECORATED MEN IN AMERICAN HISTORY, WITH FOUR U.S.DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDALS.

IN ADDITION, HE WAS DECORATED BY SOVIET MARSHAL ZHUKOV WITH THE ORDER OF KUTUSOV, ONE OF THE HIGHEST RUSSIAN MILITARY HONORS, AND GREAT BRITAIN MADE HIM AN HONORARY KNIGHT COMMANDER OF THE BATH.

GEN.EISENHOWER HAS CALLED HIM "THE BEST CHIEF OF STAFF ANY GENERAL EVER HAD."

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PEACE OFFENSIVE (310)

WASHINGTON, AUG.18-(AP)-TWENTY-EIGHT SENATORS CALLED ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY TO URGE A NEW AND ALL-OUT CRUSADE TO CONVINCE THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE THAT AMERICA WANTS PEACE.

THEY PROPOSED "TOTAL MOBILIZATION AND TOTAL ENGAGEMENT OF OUR PSYCHOLOGICAL AND SPIRITUAL FORCES" FOR THE PEACE OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE KREMLIN.

THE BI-PARTISAN GROUP, LED BY SENATOR FLANDERS (R-VT), PRESENTED TO MR.TRUMAN A LETTER WHICH CALLED FOR EXPANSION OF "THE VOICE OF AMERICA" AND OTHER GOVERNMENT INFORMATION FACILITIES.

"BUT," THEY WROTE, "MORE THAN MONEY WE NEED A NEW VIGOR, A NEW IMAGINATION, A NEW DIRECTNESS AND PLAINNESS OF SPEECH. WE NEED THE MESSAGE TO BE CONTINUOUSLY, INDEFINITELY REITERATED. WE NEED TO USE MEANS NEW AND OLD, THOUGHT OF AND UNTHOUGHT OF, TRADITIONAL AND REVOLUTIONARY."

THE LETTER SAID THE PROGRAM THE SENATORS HAD IN MIND MIGHT "SOFTEN AND ERODE THE FOUNDATIONS OF THE POLITBURO, ESCAPE THE APPALLING EXPENDITURE OF LIFE AND TREASURE WITH WHICH WE ARE FACED, AND THUS ESCAPE THE TOTALITARIAN CONTROL OF OUR LIVES WHICH NEITHER YOU, WE NOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE CAN CONTEMPLATE WITHOUT DISMAY."

"LET US TELL THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE THAT WE WANT TO LIVE IN PEACE WITH THEM AND HOPE THAT THEIR RULERS WILL NOT COMPEL US TO FIGHT THEM. WE WOULD LIKE TO HELP THEM TO GET A BETTER LIFE FROM THEIR RICH SOIL, FORESTS AND MINES."

FLANDERS SAID THE PRESIDENT EXPRESSED COMPLETE SYMPATHY WITH THE PROPOSAL.

SENATORS SMITH (R-NJ) AND ROBERTSON (D-VA), WHO ACCOMPANIED FLANDERS TO THE WHITE HOUSE, SAID THE PRESIDENT INDICATED "WE MIGHT BE SURPRISED HOW FAR AHEAD WE HAVE GONE" IN SUCH A CAMPAIGN.

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FLANDERS TO THE WHITE HOUSE, SAID THE PRESIDENT INDICATED "WE MIGHT BE SURPRISED HOW FAR AHEAD WE HAVE GONE" IN SUCH A CAMPAIGN.

CREATION OF A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE HIGH COMMAND, UNDER SUPERVISION OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, WAS ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT. THE NEW GROUP IS TO DEVISE PROPAGANDA AND COUNTER-PROPAGANDA STRATEGY TO COMBAT RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA.

SIGNERS OF THE LETTER WERE DEMOCRATIC SENATORS ROBERTSON OF VIRGINIA, STENNIS OF MISSISSIPPI, CHAPMAN OF KENTUCKY, DOUGLAS OF ILLINOIS, FULBRIGHT OF ARKANSAS, HAYDEN OF ARIZONA, HOLLAND OF FLORIDA, HUMPHREY OF MINNESOTA, KERR OF OKLAHOMA, LEHMAN OF NEW YORK, MAYBANK OF SOUTH CAROLINA AND SPARKMAN OF ALABAMA.

REPUBLICAN SIGNERS WERE SENATORS FLANDERS OF VERMONT, SMITH OF NEW JERSEY, SMITH OF MAINE, BRICKER OF OHIO, BRIDGES OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, BUTLER OF NEBRASKA, CAPEHART OF INDIANA, YOUNG OF NORTH DAKOTA, DONNELL OF MISSOURI, HENDRICKSON OF NEW JERSEY, IVES OF NEW YORK, MUNDT OF SOUTH DAKOTA, SALTONSTALL OF MASSACHUSETTS, THYE OF MINNESOTA, WHERRY OF NEBRASKA AND WILEY OF WISCONSIN.

FLANDERS SAID THAT THE SIGNERS OF THE LETTER DID NOT REPRESENT THE NUMBERS OF SENATORS WHO WOULD SUPPORT THE PROPOSAL. HE SAID IT REPRESENTED THE SIGNERS AVAILABLE ON THE FLOOR OF THE SENATE YESTERDAY WHEN THE LETTER WAS CIRCULATED.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 18-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A LETTER ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN BY 28 SENATORS URGING AN ALL-OUT PSYCHOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE TO COUNTER RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA (ABOUT 500):

THE PRESIDENT
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON D.C.

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

THE AMERICAN PEOPLE JOIN YOU AND US IN BEING SERIOUSLY DISTURBED BY WORLD CONDITIONS AND BY THEIR EFFECT ON OUR OWN WELL BEING. WE SEE OUR SONS FIGHTING ACROSS THE PACIFIC AGAINST HEAVY ODDS OF DISTANCE, AGAINST AN ENEMY WHO TRAINS AND EQUIPS AN ARMY OF SATELLITES. WE FEAR OTHER OUTBREAKS AT OTHER AND UNEXPECTED POINTS AT A SIMILAR OR GREATER COST TO US OF PRECIOUS LIFE AND TREASURE. TO SUPPORT THIS AND FUTURE EMERGENCIES, WE FACE A HEAVY INCREASE IN TAXATION AND A REDUCTION IN OUR STANDARD OF LIVING. FINALLY, WE ARE REINTRODUCING WARTIME CONTROLS IN A TIME OF NOMINAL PEACE. WE ARE BY NECESSITY OPENING UP OUR LIVES TO A MEASURE OF TOTALITARIAN CONTROL, IN OUR ENDEAVOR TO ARREST THE FLOOD TIDE OF TOTALITARIAN TYRANNY ELSEWHERE.

IN VIEW OF THESE CRITICAL CONDITIONS WE URGE UPON YOU A PSYCHOLOGICAL AND SPIRITUAL OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE KREMLIN, DEVISED TO BRING THE RUSSIAN AND AMERICAN PEOPLE INTO CONTACT AND INTO RELATIONS OF MUTUAL BROTHERHOOD.

LET US EXPLAIN TO THEM THE GRIM NECESSITY OF THE WESTERN WORLD FOR ARMING OURSELVES WHEN WE HAVE SEEN THEIR RULERS SWEEP OVER NATION AFTER NATION, DESTROYING THEIR FREEDOM AND ENSLAVING THEIR PEOPLES. WHILE THE RULERS OF RUSSIA HAVE BEEN DOING THIS, THE CAPITALIST NATIONS HAVE BEEN FREEING THEIR COLONIES FOR SELF GOVERNMENT. LET US

TELL THE RUSSIAN PEOPLE THAT WE WANT TO LIVE IN PEACE WITH THEM AND HOPE THAT THEIR RULERS WILL NOT COMPEL US TO FIGHT THEM. WE WOULD LIKE TO HELP THEM TO GET A BETTER LIFE FROM THEIR RICH SOIL, FORESTS AND MINES.

WE ARE NOW SAYING THIS IN AN INDIRECT AND PARTIAL WAY THROUGH THE VOICE OF AMERICA. WE NEED MORE FUNDS AND A GREAT EXPANSION OF FACILITIES. BUT MORE THAN MONEY, WE NEED A NEW VIGOR, A NEW IMAGINATION, A NEW DIRECTNESS AND PLAINNESS OF S33:E.

WE NEED THE MESSAGE TO BE CONTINUOUSLY, INDEFINITELY REITERATED. WE NEED TO USE MEANS NEW AND OLD, THOUGHT OF AND UNTHOUGHT OF, TRADITIONAL AND REVOLUTIONARY.

MR. PRESIDENT, LET US DECLARE TOTAL MOBILIZATION AND TOTAL ENGAGEMENT OF OUR PSYCHOLOGICAL AND SPIRITUAL FORCES. THUS MAY WE SOFTEN AND ERODE THE FOUNDATIONS OF THE POLITBURO, ESCAPE THE APPALLING EXPENDITURE OF LIFE AND TREASURE WITH WHICH WE ARE FACED, AND THUS ESCAPE THE TOTALITARIAN CONTROL OF OUR LIVES WHICH NEITHER YOU, WE, NOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE CAN CONTEMPLATE WITHOUT DISMAY.

YOURS RESPECTFULLY,

RALPH E. FLANDERS
A. WILLIS ROBERTSON
H. ALEXANDER SMITH
JOHN C. STENNIS
JOHN W. BRICKER
STYLES BRIDGES
HUGH BUTLER
HOMER E. CAPEHART
VIRGIL M. CHAPMAN
MILTON R. YOUNG.
FORREST C. DONNELL
PAUL H. DOUGLAS
J.W.FULBRIGHT
CARL HAYDEN
ROBERT C. HENDRICKSON
SPESSARD L. HOLLAND
HUBERT H. HUMPHREY
IRVING H. IVES
ROBERT S. KERR
HERBERT LEHMAN
BURNET R. MAYBANK
KARL E. MUNDT
LEVERETT SALTONSTALL
MARGARET CHASE SMITH
JOHN SPARKMAN
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KENNETH S. WHERRY
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PMS BUDGET
ATLANTIC DEFENSE
BY C.YATES MCDANIEL

WASHINGTON,AUG 18-(AP)-WESTERN EUROPE MUST WORK HARDER FOR ITS OWN MILITARY SALVATION BEFORE THE UNITED STATES AGREES TO SEND MORE TROOPS TO BOLSTER SPIRITS AND SECURITY ACROSS THE ATLANTIC.

THAT IS THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE RESPONSE TO INSISTENT FRENCH PRESSURE FOR AN AMERICAN PROMISE TO SUPPLY A SUPREME COMMANDER AND AT LEAST FIVE ADDITIONAL DIVISIONS FOR WESTERN EUROPE DEFENSE.

THIS REPLY HAS BEEN GIVEN INFORMALLY, TOP MILITARY OFFICIALS HERE SAID, BECAUSE FRANCE SO FAR HAS RELIED UPON THE PRESS AND UNOFFICIAL CONVERSATIONS TO PRESS HER REQUEST FOR SPECIFIC U.S. MILITARY COMMITMENTS.

"WE WILL TALK ABOUT NAMING AN AMERICAN COMMANDER IN CHIEF FOR WESTERN EUROPE WHEN HE HAS A FORCE TO COMMAND," ONE HIGH AMERICAN OFFICER COMMENTED.

HE RECALLED THAT MILITARY LEADERS OF THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS ARE GENERALLY AGREED ABOUT HOW MANY DIVISIONS, COMBAT SHIPS AND PLANES WOULD BE NEEDED TO STOP A RUSSIAN ONSLAUGHT. OFFERS OF GROUND FORCES FOR THE COMMON DEFENSE HAVE BEEN MADE, BUT THIS OFFICIAL SAID THE TOTAL SO FAR FALLS FAR SHORT OF OVERALL REQUIREMENTS.

IN A NOTE ON AUG. 6, FRANCE ADVISED THE UNITED STATES OF ITS INTENTION TO ARM AN ADDITIONAL 15 DIVISIONS BUT SAID THIS WOULD REQUIRE "OUTSIDE AID" IN THE FORM BOTH OF ARMS AND FINANCING. PRESUMABLY, FRANCE WOULD LOOK TO THE UNITED STATES FOR THIS AID.

THE WHITE HOUSE SAID TODAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOUND THE FRENCH NOTE "EXTREMELY GRATIFYING."

THERE WAS NO COMMENT, HOWEVER, ON A FRENCH SUGGESTION THAT THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN SHOULD STATION "A SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF DIVISIONS" IN CONTINENTAL EUROPE.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS BELIEVE THAT WESTERN EUROPE HAS LITTLE CAUSE TO DOUBT UNITED STATES SINCERITY AND DETERMINATION TO OPPOSE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION. THEY SAY THE WHOLE WORLD CAN WITNESS THE BUILD-UP OF U.S. MILITARY MANPOWER AND ARMAMENTS AT A COST OF BILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

"WE WILL FIGHT IN EUROPE IF NECESSARY JUST AS WE ARE FIGHTING IN KOREA," ONE INFORMED OFFICER SAID, "BUT WE HAVE THE RIGHT TO EXPECT THAT THE EUROPEANS WILL DO THEIR SHARE OF THE FIGHTING."

AMERICAN OFFICIALS IN FRANCE ARE KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN PRESSING WASHINGTON IN RECENT DAYS TO GIVE A SOLID PROMISE TO AID EUROPE WITH MORE TROOPS AND A SUPREME COMMANDER. THESE OFFICIALS ARE RELAYING THE PRESSURE THAT IS BEING EXERTED UPON THEM PRIMARILY FROM FRENCH QUARTERS.

DEFENSE OFFICIALS HERE FEAR THAT A SPECIFIC AMERICAN PLEDGE AT THIS TIME MIGHT DEFEAT THE WHOLE CONCEPT OF MUTUAL DEFENSE. THEY GIVE TWO REASONS:

1. IT WOULD ENCOURAGE THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA THAT PAINTS UNCLE SAM AS A DICTATOR OVER SUBSERVIENT WESTERN ALLIES.
2. IT WOULD TEND TO SPREAD A FEELING ALREADY CURRENT TO SOME DEGREE IN EUROPE THAT "IF AMERICA IS GOING TO BOSS AND DO THE JOB, WHY CAN'T WE JUST SIT AND WAIT?"

U.S. OFFICIALS GENERALLY OPPOSE WINSTON CHURCHILL'S IDEA OF A COMMON DEFENSE MINISTRY FOR WESTERN EUROPE, PREFERRING TO WORK THROUGH THE ATLANTIC PACT TOWARD AN ALLIED GENERAL STAFF.

IT WILL BE TIME ENOUGH TO NAME A SUPREME COMMANDER, A HIGHLY PLACED OFFICIAL SAID, AFTER THE STAFF IS ORGANIZED AND KNOWS THAT IT CAN COUNT UPON AN ALLIED FORCE IN BEING OR IN AN ADVANCED STAGE OF TRAINING WITH ADEQUATE ARMS.

THE PRIMARY AMERICAN AIM NOW IS TO PERSUADE WESTERN EUROPE TO DO MORE FOR ITSELF. MILITARY OFFICIALS HOPE THAT THE $4,000,000,000 IN ADDITIONAL ARMS AID FUNDS WHICH CONGRESS HAS BEEN ASKED TO VOTE WILL GO FAR TOWARD STEPPING UP EUROPE'S ARMS PRODUCTION. SO FAR, MILITARY ASSISTANCE FUNDS HAVE BEEN USED PRIMARILY TO SEND ARMS FROM U.S. STOCKPILES TO EUROPE.

ONE OFFICER PUT THE U.S. VIEW BLUNTLY WHEN HE SAID THAT "FRANCE, FOR EXAMPLE, OUGHT TO REALIZE THAT SHE HAS GOT TO PUT MORE OF HER PRODUCTIVE ENERGY INTO ARMAMENT AND LESS, IF NECESSARY, INTO TURNING OUT COSTLY PERFUMES."

U.S. DEFENSE OFFICIALS ASCRIBE FRENCH SENSITIVITY ABOUT HER SECURITY IN PART TO THE RECOLLECTION OF WHAT HAPPENED TO HER AT THE OUTSET OF WORLD WAR II.

THIS SENSITIVITY IS ILLUSTRATED BY AN INCIDENT WHICH OCCURRED ONLY YESTERDAY. FRENCH OFFICIALS APPEARED IN SEVERAL DEFENSE OFFICES HERE TO PROTEST WHAT THEY CONSIDERED TO BE AN AFFRONT. THEY WERE UPSET BY A REPORT ON TUESDAY THAT TOLD ABOUT THE PROGRESS ACHIEVED BY CANADA, GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES IN STANDARDIZING NAVAL EQUIPMENT, TRAINING AND OPERATIONS.

THE FRENCH FEELINGS WERE SOMEWHAT SOOTHED AFTER PENTAGON OFFICERS POINTED OUT THAT AN EARLIER STATEMENT ON THE SUBJECT HAD SPECIFICALLY SAID THAT THE STANDARDIZING PROCEDURE WOULD SPREAD TO ALL ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS.

U.S. OFFICIALS HERE FEEL GENERALLY THAT DESPITE THE NEW PRESSURE FRANCE WILL BE WILLING TO SETTLE FOR AN ASSURANCE THAT AMERICAN TROOPS WILL CONTINUE INDEFINITELY TO TAKE PART IN THE OCCUPATION OF GERMANY.

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WITH WASHINGTON ARMS A1 .A32) (250)

PARIS, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE CHIEF OFFICIAL SPOKESMAN OF THE FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE DECLARED TODAY FRANCE IS "SHOCKED AND SORRY" OVER THE ATTITUDE OF TOP UNITED STATES MILITARY OFFICIALS ON BOLSTERING WESTERN EUROPE WITH MORE TROOPS.

THE SPOKESMAN WAS COMMENTING ON A WASHINGTON DISPATCH WHICH DESCRIBED U.S. DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALDOM AS FEELING THAT SPECIFIC PLEDGES OF MORE TROOPS FOR EUROPE NOW WOULD "ENCOURAGE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA" AND TEND TO SPREAD A FEELING THAT EUROPEANS CAN SIT BACK AND WAIT FOR THE AMERICANS TO DO THE JOB.

"IT IS INACCURATE, STUPID AND MOST UNFORTUNATE" TO BELIEVE THAT EITHER FRENCH LEADERS OR FRENCH PUBLIC OPINION WOULD SUBSCRIBE TO ANY SUCH FEELING, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE SPOKESMAN THEN REFERRED TO A WASHINGTON STATEMENT THAT FRENCH OFFICIALS APPEARED AT THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT TO PROTEST AN "AFFRONT" IN NOT BEING INCLUDED IN A MOVE TO STANDARDIZE BRITISH, CANADIAN AND U.S. NAVIES.

"THIS IS SIMPLY AN UNTRUTH," THE SPOKESMAN SAID. "NO PROTESTS WERE MADE AT ALL."

THE SPOKESMAN DECLINED TO SAY WHETHER, AS THE WASHINGTON DISPATCH SAID, UNOFFICIAL REPRESENTATIONS WERE MADE IN WASHINGTON ON THE MATTER OF NAVY STANDARDIZATION.

THE SPOKESMAN WAS ANGERED BY A STATEMENT ATTRIBUTED TO A U.S. OFFICER THAT "FRANCE, FOR EXAMPLE, OUGHT TO REALIZE SHE HAS GOT TO PUT MORE OF HER PRODUCTIVE ENERGY INTO ARMAMENTS AND LESS, IF NECESSARY, INTO TURNING OUT COSTLY PERFUMES."

"WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?" THE SPOKESMAN DEMANDED. "DOES ONE MAKE PERFUME FROM STEEL? IF FRANCE CLOSED ALL HER PERFUME SHOPS IT WOULD NOT INCREASE HER ARMAMENTS BY SO MUCH AS ONE RIFLE.

"WE ARE VERY SHOCKED TO SEE THAT MILITARY PEOPLE IN WASHINGTON CAN BELIEVE THAT FRENCH OPINION IS SO WEAK AND INCONSISTENT."

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(270) LUCAS

WASHINGTON, AUG.18-(AP)-SENATOR LUCAS (D-ILL) DECLARED TODAY THAT IF THE COMMUNISTS ATTACK ANY ATLANTIC PACT NATION THE UNITED STATES "WILL START TOSSING ATOMIC BOMBS WHERE IT HURTS."

THE SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER MADE THE STATEMENT IN A SPEECH RECORDED FOR BROADCAST IN ILLINOIS. HE SAID THAT IF AMERICA HAD NOT OPPOSED COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN KOREA, "WE WOULD HAVE A WORLD WAR ON OUR HANDS TODAY.

"LET US REMEMBER THAT OUR ALLIES IN EUROPE COULD BE SUBJECTED TO DIRECT ATTACK BY THE COMMUNIST DIVISION NEAR THEIR FRONTIERS AT ANY TIME IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE," HE SAID.

"INSOFAR AS GROUND TROOPS ARE CONCERNED, WE WOULD BE WOEFULLY WEAK IF AGGRESSION OCCURRED, BUT AN ATTACK UPON ANY NATION IN THE ATLANTIC PACT IS AN ATTACK UPON ALL."

LUCAS SAID THAT IF THE UNITED STATES HAD IGNORED THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF KOREA "SOME OTHER DEMOCRATIC NATION WOULD HAVE BEEN BOMBED AND INVADED VERY SOON AFTERWARD."

HE ALSO TOLD HIS CONSTITUENTS THEY OUGHT NOT TO EXPECT TOO MUCH TOO SOON FROM THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE WAY OF DIRECT MILITARY HELP IN KOREA.

DEFENDING MILITARY BUDGET CUTS MADE BY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, LUCAS OBSERVED:

"WE MUST REMIND OURSELVES OF HOW DESIREABLE IT SEEMS TO BE, ONLY A FEW MONTHS AGO TO REDUCE THE COSTS OF ARMAMENTS WHICH ACCOUNTED FO

"WE MUST REMIND OURSELVES OF HOW DESIREABLE IT SEEMED TO BE, ONLY A FEW MONTHS AGO TO REDUCE THE COSTS OF ARMAMENTS WHICH ACCOUNTED FOR ONE THIRD OF OUR ENTIRE FEDERAL BUDGET."

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PMS BUDGET

RADAR DEFENSE

BY ELTON C.FAY

AP MILITARY AFFAIRS REPORTER

WASHINGTON,AUG 18-(AP)-AN ENEMY PROBABLY COULD MAKE AN AERIAL PEARL HARBOR STRIKE AT ALMOST ANY PLACE IN THE UNITED STATES TODAY AND GET SOME BOMBS DOWN ON THE TARGET.

IT IS NOT CONSIDERED WITHIN THE REALM OF POSSIBILITY THAT THE PRESENT SPARSELY SPOTTED RADAR SYSTEM--EVEN THOUGH ON A ROUND-THE-CLOCK OPERATING BASIS--WOULD DETECT ALL APPROACHING BOMBERS OR THAT EXISTING FIGHTER FORCES WOULD DESTROY EVERY ONE OF THEM.

COMPETENT MILITARY SOURCES DOUBT IF MORE THAN A QUARTER OF AN ATTACKING BOMBER FORCE COMING IN OVER THE POLAR REGIONS COULD BE KNOCKED DOWN BEFORE IT CROSSED THE NORTHERN BORDER OF THE UNITED STATES.

THEY POINT OUT THAT IN WORLD WAR II, IN AREAS WHERE THERE WAS A HIGH CONCENTRATION OF FIGHTER DEFENSE AND ELABORATE RADAR WARNING SYSTEM, DESTRUCTION OF 10 PER CENT OF AN ATTACKING FORCE WAS CONSIDERED EXCELLENT.

AIR FORCE STRATEGISTS HOLD THAT THE MOST EFFECTIVE WAY TO HALT AIR ATTACKS ON THE U.S. MAINLAND WOULD BE DESTRUCTION OF THE BASES FROM WHICH THE ATTACKS ARE LAUNCHED AND OF THE INDUSTRIAL CENTERS SUPPORTING THE ATTACKS. IT IS ON THIS THEORY THAT THE RETALIATORY STRIKE BY LONG RANGE B-36S, B-29S AND B-50S ARE PLANNED.

FOLLOWING THIS SAME REASONING, DEFENSE OFFICIALS BELIEVE THAT THE BASES FOR THOSE PLANES, IN THE CONTINENTAL U.S. AND ALASKA, WOULD BE PRIORITY ENEMY TARGETS, THE SPOTS FOR WHICH SNEAK RAIDERS WOULD HEAD FIRST. MAKING THE BASES USELESS FOR LAUNCHING RETALIATORY STRIKES WOULD BE OF PRIME IMPORTANCE TO THE ENEMY. ANY BOMBERS HE GOT PAST THE RADAR WARNING SYSTEM AND FIGHTER DEFENSES COULD BE EXPECTED TO STREAK FOR AIR BASES.

NEXT IN IMPORTANCE PROBABLY WOULD BE THE GREAT INDUSTRIAL AREAS AND THE NERVE-CENTER OF GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY DIRECTION, WASHINGTON.

WHEN ASKED ABOUT DEFENSES AGAINST A SURPRISE AIR ATTACK, THE AIR FORCE'S FRANK ANSWER SUMS UP TO THIS:

THE NATION'S AIR DEFENSES TODAY ARE NOT SATISFACTORY. THE PRESENT RADAR STATIONS COMPRISING THE WARNING NET ARE COMPOSED OF WORLD WAR II EQUIPMENT AND ARE LOCATED ON GOVERNMENT SITES--APPARENTLY PLACES WHERE THE GOVERNMENT HAS LAND ON WHICH TO LOCATE THEM, BUT NOT NECESSARILY THE MOST DESIRABLE LOCATIONS.

THE STATIONS ARE TOO FEW IN NUMBER TO GIVE MORE THAN A VERY LIMITED WARNING TO CERTAIN INDUSTRIAL AND MILITARY AREAS.

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THE NUMBER OF FIGHTER SQUADRONS BACKING UP THE RADAR SYSTEM, ALTHOUGH GROWING, IS STILL INADEQUATE. AT PRESENT, IT IS SAID BY ONE EXPERT, THEY COULD "AFFORD ONLY A TOKEN DEFENSE AGAINST EVEN A MODERATE FORCE OPERATING AGAINST THE UNITED STATES."

MORE THAN A YEAR BEFORE THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR, WHEN INTERNATIONAL TENSION WAS MOUNTING, THIS COUNTRY STARTED TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT ITS AIRCRAFT WARNING SYSTEM.

IN MARCH, 1949, A BILL WAS ENACTED TO AUTHORIZE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN AIRCRAFT WARNING AND INTERCEPTOR SYSTEM TO COST $85,500,000. THIS BILL DIDN'T PROVIDE THE MONEY.

LAST OCTOBER, THE LAWMAKERS AUTHORIZED THE AIR FORCE TO USE $50,000,000 OUT OF FUNDS ALREADY VOTED IT TO BEGIN WORK ON THE SYSTEM. BUT A LONG TIME LAG EXISTS BETWEEN MAKING A LAW AND PRODUCING WEAPONS.

WHAT IS TRUE OF THE RADAR SYSTEM ALSO IS TRUE OF THE BUILD-UP OF FIGHTER FORCES. MONEY FROM THE REGULAR AND SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS OF THE PRESENT FISCAL YEAR HAS BEEN TAGGED FOR BUYING QUANTITIES OF JETS. ORDERS HAVE BEEN PLACED. BUT THE AIR FORCE DOESN'T HAVE THE

PLANES NOW AND WON'T HAVE THEM IN ANY LARGE QUANTITY FOR SOME TIME.
AND EVEN WHEN ALL THE RADAR EQUIPMENT AND AIRPLANES NOW ORDERED OR TO BE BOUGHT LATER IS ON HAND AND IN OPERATION THERE IS NO GUARANTEE THAT THE SCREEN AGAINST ENEMY AIRCRAFT WILL BE 100 PER CENT AIRPLANE-PROOF.

THE EFFORT MUST BE (A) TO CUT DOWN AS FAR AS POSSIBLE THE NUMBER GETTING THROUGH AND (B) TO PREVENT THEM REACHING VITAL TARGETS.

THE ADVENT OF THE ATOMIC BOMB HAS MADE THIS PROBLEM CRUCIAL. EVEN IF ONLY ONE OF A FORCE OF 50 BOMBERS GETS THROUGH, THE DAMAGE IT CAN PRODUCE WOULD BE DEVASTATING.

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(200) AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON, AUG.18-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS URGED TODAY TO CONSIDER LOCATION OF THE PROPOSED $260,000,000(M) HYDROGEN BOMB PLANT IN MISSOURI, HIS HOME STATE.

THE MISSOURI CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION CALLED ON HIM AT THE WHITE HOUSE TO PRESENT THEIR CASE.

EARLIER, THEY DISCUSSED THE MATTER WITH THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION WHICH WILL DECIDE ON A SITE.

LOCATION OF THE PLANT ALSO HAS BEEN PROPOSED IN SEVERAL OTHER STATES, AMONG THEM NORTH CAROLINA, ARKANSAS, TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA.

THE MISSOURI DELEGATION CALLED THE PRESIDENT'S ATTENTION TO TWO PROPOSED SITES IN MISSOURI. THEY ARE:

1. THE UNI-CITY AREA ALONG THE FLAT RIVER IN ST.FRANCOS, STE. GENEVIEVE, WASHINGTON, IRON, CRAWFORD AND OTHER COUNTIES.
2. THE IRISH WILDERNESS AREA IN SHANNON, CARTER, RIPLEY, AND OREGON COUNTIES.

REP.CARNAHAN (D-MO) TOLD REPORTERS MR.TRUMAN MADE NO COMMITMENTS BUT PROMISED TO CONSIDER THE MATTER.

SENATOR DONNELL, WHOM THE PRESIDENT HOPES TO UNSEAT THIS YEAR IN THE NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION, SAID HE AND MR.TRUMAN GREETED EACH OTHER IN A FRIENDLY FASHION.

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NIGHT LEAD

CHARLESTON,W.VA., AUG.18-(AP)-YVETTE MADSEN'S BID FOR FREEDOM FROM A MURDER SENTENCE WAS TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT TODAY BY FEDERAL JUDGE BEN MOORE.

HE DID NOT INDICATE WHEN HE WOULD RULE ON THE CASE OF THE 22-YEAR-OLD BROOKLYN BRUNETTE, CONVICTED OF SLAYING HER AIR FORCE OFFICER HUSBAND.

HER ATTORNEYS CLAIMED IN THE TWO-DAY HEARING BEFORE JUDGE MOORE THAT HER CONVICTION BY A U.S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION IN GERMANY WAS ILLEGAL.

SHE WAS CONVICTED OF THE FATAL SHOOTING OF 1ST LT. ANDREW E. MADSEN. THE SHOOTING FOLLOWED A PARTY LAST OCTOBER AT THE RHINE-MAIN AIR BASE IN THE U.S. ZONE OF GERMANY.

THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION UPHELD THE CONVICTION. MRS. MADSEN IS NOW SERVING A 15-YEAR TERM IN THE FEDERAL REFORMATORY FOR WOMEN AT ALDERSON.

BUT JUDGE MOORE GRANTED A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS IN THE CASE LAST MONTH. THE HEARING BEFORE HIM IN SOUTHERN WEST VIRGINIA DISTRICT FEDERAL COURT FOLLOWED.

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160 SECOND NIGHT LEAD SOBELL-SPYING

LAREDO,TEX.,AUG.18-(AP)-MEXICO HANDED OVER MORTON SOBELL, AMERICAN RADAR EXPERT CHARGED WITH PASSING DEFENSE SECRETS TO RUSSIA, TO THE FBI

IN A STEALTHY BORDER MEETING TODAY.

SOBELL, A STOCKY, DARK MAN, FLED FROM NEW YORK TO MEXICO WHEN THE FBI BEGAN NABBING SUSPECTS IN THE KLAUS FUCHS SPY RING.

APPARENTLY THE MEXICANS SLIPPED HIM BACK ACROSS THE RIO GRANDE BEFORE DAWN TODAY IN A CLOAK-AND-DAGGER RENDEZVOUS WITH UNITED STATES OFFICERS.

THE FBI SURROUNDED THE INCIDENT WITH EXTRAORDINARY SECRECY, REFUSING TO SAY WHERE, WHEN OR HOW SOBELL WAS ARRESTED.

BUT IN MEXICO CITY, A GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN DISCLOSED TONIGHT THAT SOBELL WAS ARRESTED IN MEXICO AND TURNED OVER TO THE FBI AT THE BORDER. THIS TALLIED WITH AN EARLIER, UNOFFICIAL REPORT WHICH TOLD OF A 10-CAR CONVOY OF MEXICAN SECRET POLICE SPEEDING TO THE BORDER TO PUT SOBELL INTO THE HANDS OF THE FBI.

THE MEXICAN SPOKESMAN, AN OFFICIAL OF THE FEDERAL SECURITY OFFICE (CAPS), SAID MEXICAN OFFICERS INVESTIGATED SOBELL FOR THREE WEEKS BEFORE MAKING THE ARREST. HE WOULD NOT FIVE FURTHER DETAILS OF T

WEEKS BEFORE MAKING THE ARREST. HE WOULD NOT FIVE FURTHER DETAILS OF THE ARREST OR OF SOBELL'S TRANSFER TO THE U.S.

SOBELL WAS BOOKED IN THE WEBB COUNTY JAIL HERE AT 4:45 A.M. (CST) (5:45 A.M. EST). FOUR FBI AGENTS BROUGHT HIM IN. HE HAD NOT SHAVED FOR DAYS AND HIS HAIR WAS AWRY. AT HIS HEARING BEFORE U.S. COMMISSIONER FRANK Y.HILL, HE WORE A DARK GREEN SPORTS SHIRT AND BROWN TROUSERS.

THE STOCKY 33-YEAR-OLD ELECTRICAL ENGINEER MADE NO PLEA. HE WAIVED REMOVAL PROCEEDINGS AND INDICATED HE WANTED TO BE RETURNED TO NEW YORK, HIS HOME, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

HILL SET BOND AT $100,000 (T). SOBELL COMMENTED DOURLY HE "HAD NO RICH UNCLE" TO POST THE BAIL. IT MAY BE SOME TIME BEFORE PAPERS ARE SIGNED FOR HIS REMOVAL TO NEW YORK.

SOBELL WAS THE EIGHTH AMERICAN ROUNDED UP AND CHARGED WITH PASSING DEFENSE SECRETS TO RUSSIA. ALLEGEDLY THE KEY MEN WERE DR.KLABS FUCHS, NOW SERVING A 14-YEAR PRISON TERM IN BRITAIN FOR ATOMIC SPYING, AND HARRY GOLD, PHILADELPHIA CHEMIST. GOLD IS SUSPECTED OF BEING THE CHIEF CONTACT FOR DR.FUCHS.

THE FBI IN WASHINGTON TOLD HIS CHAIN OF EVENTS:

SOBELL FAILED TO SHOW UP FOR WORK AT THE REEVES INSTRUMENT COMPANY IN NEW YORK THE DAY AFTER THE ARREST OF DAVID GREENGLASS, A SPY SUSPECT, JUNE 16. JULIUS ROSENBERG, ANOTHER PERSON CHARGED IN THE CASE, HAD ATTEMPTED TO PERSUADE GREENGLASS TO FLEE TO MEXICO.

THE FBI DISCOVERED THAT SOBELL FLEW TO MEXICO CITY JUNE 22.

FBI DIRECTOR J.EDGAR HOOVER SAID SOBELL FLED TO ESCAPE ARREST.

APPARENTLY MRS.SOBELL AND THEIR TWO CHILDREN JOINED HIM IN MEXICO. SHE AND THE CHILDREN WERE DISCOVERED AT THE HAMILTON HOTEL HERE SHORTLY AFTER SOBELL WAS BOOKED. THE FBI HAD LISTED HER HOME ADDRESS AS FLUSHING, N.Y.

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BUT NEIGHBORS SAID NONE OF THE FAMILY HAD BEEN SEEN IN TWO MONTHS. THE FAMILY CAR WAS IN THE GARAGE.

MRS.SOBELL REFUSED TO TALK TODAY EXCEPT TO SAY SHE WAS "VERY, VERY TIRED."

SOBELL ALSO WAS QUIET.

SOBELL'S WIFE DELIVERED CIGARETTES, A TOOTHBRUSH, RAZOR AND CLOTHING TO HIM IN JAIL THIS AFTERNOON. THE TWO CHILDREN WERE NOT ALONE.

MEANWHILE, MRS. SOBELL'S HOTEL ROOM WAS KEPT UNDER WATCH BY THE FBI.

MEXICAN IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS IN NUEVO LAREDO, JUST ACROSS THE RIO GRANDE, SAID THE GROUP WHICH BROUGHT SOBELL TO THE BORDER DID NOT REPORT TO THEIR OFFICE. RAMON ROMAN ALEMAN, ASSISTANT IMMIGRATION CHIEF, SAID THIS WAS UNUSUAL.

IT WAS REPORTED UNOFFICIALLY THAT A CONVOY OF 10 CARS BROUGHT SOBELL TO THE BORDER EARLY THIS MORNING AND THAT MEXICANSECRET POLICE DELIVERED HIM DIRECT TO THE FBI.

SOBELL'S PARENTS LIVE IN THE BRONX. THEY ARE RUSSIANS, AND NOW NNATURALIZED AMERICAN CITIZENS. THE STOCKY ENGINEER GRADUATED FROM CITY COLLEGE OF NEW YORK AND TOOK HIS MASTER'S DEGREE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN.

DURING WORLD WAR II, HE WAS A NAVY CIVILIAN ENGINEER IN THE GENERAL ELECTRIC RADAR SECTION, THEN WORKING ON HIGHLY SECRET PROJECTS. HE WAS EMPLOYED FROM 1942 TO 1947.

SOBELL FACES A POSSIBLE DEATH PENALTY SINCE THE ESPIONAGE CONSPIRACY WITH WHICH HE IS CHARGED OCCURRED DURING WARTIME. SPECIFIC CHARGE IS CONSPIRACY TO VIOLATE THE 1946 ESPIONAGE ACT.

A NEIGHBOR IN FLUSHING, MRS. DANIEL D. GUROVITZ, SAID SOBELL NEVER TALKED TO HIS NEIGHBORS. SHE SAID THAT FIVE OR SIX WEEKS AGO, FBI AGENTS HAD TALKED WITH HER.

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NEW YORK, AUG.18-(AP)-THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE U.S. COMMUNIST PARTY--PUT "ON THE SPOT" BY THE CONVICTION OF THE PARTY'S ELEVEN TOP LEADERS--HAS SUDDENLY CANCELLED ALL EDUCATIONAL INSTRUCTIONS TO MEMBERS.

"ALL OUTLINES OR EDUCATIONAL DIRECTIVES" ISSUED BY THE COMMITTEE OR SUBORDINATE BODIES WERE WITHDRAWN YESTERDAY.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE ACTION WAS TAKEN IN VIEW OF THE DECISION OF THE SECOND U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS UPHOLDING THE CONVICTION OF THE ELEVEN PARTY LEADERS.

THEY WERE SENTENCED TO PRISON TERMS AND FINES ON CONVICTION OF CONSPIRACY TO ADVOCATE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT.

THE GOVERNMENT HAS USED MANY OF THE DIRECTIVES TO SUPPORT ITS CHARGES THAT THE COMMUNISTS TEACH FORCE AND VIOLENCE.

WITHDRAWAL OF THE INSTRUCTIONS PRESUMABLY WAS AN EFFORT TO PREVENT THEIR USE BY THE GOVERNMENT IN ANY FUTURE PROSECUTION OR IN ANY MOVE TO OUTLAW THE PARTY.

THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE TOLD PARTY MEMBERS:

"WE ASK THAT NO (PARTY) DISCUSSION, CLASS OR SCHOOL BE CONDUCTED ON THE BASIS OF DIRECTIVES OR OUTLINES ISSUED OR DATED EARLIER THAN AUG. 15, 1950. AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, THE NATIONAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY WILL ISSUE NEW DIRECTIVES AND OUTLINES."

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THERE IS NOTHING TO STOP "INDIVIDUALS FROM READING AND STUDYING ANY AND ALL BOOKS, INCLUDING THE CLASSICS OF MARXISM-LENINISM."

THE ELEVEN RED LEADERS CHARGED YESTERDAY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE IS "PREPARED TO TAKE INTO PROTECTIVE CUSTODY ALL AMERICANS WHO SEEK PEACEFUL ALTERNATIVES TO ATOMIC WORLD WAR."

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THE CHARGE WAS MADE IN AN AFFIDAVIT FILED WITH THE CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS IN OPPOSITION TO THE GOVERNMENT'S MOTION THAT BAIL OF TEN OF THE DEFENDANTS BE REVOKED AND THAT THEY BE JAILED IMMEDIATELY AS MENACES TO THE NATIONAL SECURITY.

THE ELEVENTH DEFENDANT, GENERAL SECRETARY EUGENE DENNIS, IS SERVING A YEAR IN JAIL IN WASHINGTON, D.C., FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.

THE DEFENSE PAPERS SAID THE BAIL REVOCATION MOVE WAS "PART OF A PLAN TO SUPPRESS ALL CRITICISM OF FOREIGN POLICY AND GAG SUPPORTERS OF PEACE."

THE DEFENDANTS ALSO FILED A PLEA THAT, IF THEIR PENDING APPLICATION FOR A RE-HEARING BEFORE THE CIRCUIT COURT IS DENIED, THEY BE CONTINUED IN BAIL PENDING FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE CASE BY THE U.S. SUPREME COURT.

THE DEFENSE PAPERS WERE LEFT WITH THE CIRCUIT COURT CLERK, IN THE ABSENCE OF THE JUDGES.

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NEW YORK, AUG.18-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT FILED A ONE-SENTENCE ANSWER TODAY TO THE PLEA BY 11 CONVICTED COMMUNIST LEADERS FOR A REHEARING OF THEIR CRIMINAL CONSPIRACY CASE BY THE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS.

"WE HAVE EXAMINED APPELLANTS' PETITION FOR REHEARING," THE ANSWER SAID, "AND FIND NOTHING WHICH HAS NOT PREVIOUSLY BEEN ANSWERED BY THE GOVERNMENT'S BRIEF AND RESOLVED BY THE OPINION OF THE COURT."

THE COURT OF APPEALS HAS UPHELD THE CONVICTION OF THE 11 ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRING TO TEACH OVERTHROW OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT BY FORCE. THE GOVERNMENT NOW IS SEEKING TO HAVE THEIR BAIL REVOKED SO THAT THEY WILL HAVE TO START PRISON SENTENCES AT ONCE.

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NEW YORK, AUG.18-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT CONTENDED TODAY THAT WILLIAM W. REMINGTON, FORMER GOVERNMENT ECONOMIST, WAS A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER IN THREE CITIES FROM ABOUT 1934 TO 1944.

THE STATEMENT WAS MADE IN A BILL OF PARTICULARS FURNISHED TO REMINGTON, WHO WAS INDICTED ON PERJURY CHARGES AFTER HE DENIED TO A FEDERAL GRAND JURY THAT HE EVER WAS A COMMUNIST.

THE GOVERNMENT SAID REMINGTON BELONGED TO THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN HANOVER, N.H., FROM ABOUT 1934 TO 1936 AND 1937 TO 1939; KNOXVILLE, TENN., IN OR ABOUT 1936 AND 1937; AND WASHINGTON,D.C., FROM ABOUT 1941 TO 1944.

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(100) WASHINGTON,AUG.18-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY THAT IT HAS REFUSED TO VALIDATE ARTIST ROCKWELL KENT'S PASSPORT BECAUSE HE HAD PREVIOUSLY USED IT FOR TRAVEL IN COUNTRIES FOR WHICH IT WAS NOT VALIDATED.

IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES ABOUT REPORTS THAT KENT HAD BEEN UNABLE TO UNDERTAKE A SCHEDULED TRIP ABROAD EARLIER THIS WEEK, STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER MICHAEL MCDERMOTT SAID:

"THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS REFUSED TO VALIDATE HIS PASSPORT BECAUSE IT HAS BEEN USED CONTRARY TO RESTRICTION THEREIN."

HE DECLINED TO EXPLAIN THIS FURTHER EXCEPT TO ADD "IT WAS USED IN COUNTRIES FOR WHICH IT WAS NOT VALIDATED."

AT HIS HOME IN AUSABLE FORKS, N.Y., KENT SAID HE HAD PLANNED TO ATTEND THE COMMUNIST-BACKED "PEACE MEETING," IN PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA. HE SAID THE STATE DEPARTMENT ACTION WAS TAKEN "OSTENSIBLY" BECAUSE HAD VISITED MOSCOW LAST YEAR [illegible] ATTENDING A SIMILAR PEACE MEETING IN STOCKHOLM.

KENT ADDED THAT HIS PASSPORT THEN HAD BEEN MARKED "NOT GOOD FOR YUGOSLAVIA" BUT THAT HE HAD ASSUMED IT WAS GOOD FOR OTHER COUNTRIES.

"I AM INTERESTED IN THE PEACE MOVEMENT BECAUSE IT IS BACKED BY COMMUNISTS," KENT DECLARED. "ANYTHING THAT THE COMMUNISTS SAY ABOUT PEACE SOUNDS GOOD TO ME."

THE ARTIST SAID HE HAD ARRANGED TO SAIL TO LONDON AUG. 9 AND FLY ON TO PRAGUE.

KENT DID NOT SAY HOW LONG HE STAYED IN MOSCOW LAST YEAR OR WHO HE SAW.

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COLUMBUS, O., AUG.18-(AP)-DR.B.F.LAMB, PRESIDENT OF THE OHIO COUNCIL OF CHURCHES, TODAY ISSUED A FORMAL STATEMENT DENYING HE HAD SIGNED A STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL PETITION.

HIS STATEMENT WAS PROMPTED BY PUBLICATION OF HIS NAME BY THE NEW YORK DAILY WORKER, COMMUNIST ORGAN, AS AMONG THE SIGNERS OF THE APPEAL.

DR.LAMB SAID HE STILL HAD ON HIS DESK A COPY OF THE APPEAL AND A LETTER ASKING HIM TO SIGN IT.

"I DID NOT SIGN IT," HE DECLARED.

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NIGHT LEAD SUBVERSIVES-CONTROLS

WASHINGTON,AUG 18-(AP)-SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) INSISTED TODAY THAT THE ADMINISTRATION IS WRONG IN SAYING AN ANTI-COMMUNIST PROVISION HAS NO PLACE IN HOME-FRONT MOBILIZATION LEGISLATION.

SEEKING TO PUT SUCH A PROVISION IN A BILL TO CONTROL THE NATION'S ECONOMY, FERGUSON AND SENATOR MUNDT (R-SD) ARGUED DURING A GOOD PART OF THE SENATE'S DAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S INTERNAL SECURITY BILL LACKED TEETH TO FIGHT SUBVERSION.

THE ADMINISTRATION BILL, FERGUSON SAID, WOULD APPLY ONLY TO PROFESSIONAL SABOTEURS AND ESPIONAGE AGENTS TRAINED ABROAD. THESE AGENTS, HE SAID, SHOULD BE KEPT OUT OF THE COUNTRY IN THE FIRST PLACE THROUGH STRICT APPLICATION OF THE IMMIGRATION LAWS.

THEN ONCE AGAIN, FERGUSON SHOUTED THAT ADMINISTRATION ARGUMENTS THAT AN ANTI-COMMUNIST PROVISION HAD NO PLACE IN THE CONTROLS MEASURE WERE INVALID.

WHY, HE WENT ON, "THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT IS INVESTIGATING HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE WEARING PAJAMAS, BUT WE CAN'T GET ACTION HERE ON A SUBVERSIVES CONTROL BILL."

SENATOR MUNDT CONTENDED THAT A SECTION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE BILL REQUIRING REGISTRATION OF SUBVERSIVES WOULD CATCH NO MORE COMMUNISTS THAN HE COULD CATCH FISH "WITH A NET WITH A TWO FOOT MESH."

FERGUSON DECLARED THAT THE BILL IS "WEAK" BECAUSE THE ADMINISTRATION DOESN'T "WANT TO OFFEND THE COMMUNISTS RIGHT HERE IN AMERICA."

"I KNOW OF NO OTHER REASON," HE SAID.

MUNDT AND FERGUSON DISPUTED CONTENTIONS THAT THEY WERE MAKING A PARTISAN ISSUE OF THE ANTI-COMMUNIST QUESTION BY SEEKING INCLUSION OF THEIR BILL IN THE CONTROLS MEASURE.

MUNDT SAID HE'D BE WILLING TO LET THE DEMOCRATS TAKE CREDIT FOR ANTI-RED LEGISLATION ONLY IF THEY'D PASS IT.

BUT DEMOCRATIC LEADERS SAID THEY WILL DECIDE HOW THE SUBJECT WILL BE BROUGHT UP. THEY ARE COMMITTED TO EARLY ACTION OF ANTI-COMMUNIST LEGISLATION, BUT THEY OBJECT TO TACKING IT ONTO THE CONTROLS BILL.

"WE'LL MAKE THE DECISION," SAID SENATOR MYERS (D-PA), DEPUTY MAJORITY LEADER. "THE REPUBLICANS AREN'T GOING TO DICTATE ON THIS.

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(450) AMS BUDGET

NIGHT LEAD EXPORTS

WASHINGTON, AUG.18-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TIGHTENED CONTROLS OVER EXPORTS TO RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES TODAY, AND DOCK WORKERS IN NEW YORK REFUSED TO UNLOAD RUSSIAN FURS ARRIVING ON THE BRITISH LINER MAURETANIA.

THE LONGSHOREMEN WERE DESCRIBED AS MOSTLY WAR VETERANS "WHO FIGURE WE'RE PRACTICALLY AT WAR WITH RUSSIA NOW."

THE MEN ALSO VOTED NOT TO HANDLE ANY GOODS FROM RUSSIA IN THE FUTURE.

HERE IN THE NATION'S CAPITAL, THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT CLAMPED DOWN CONTROLS ON A LIST OF 1,100 SO-CALLED "WAR POTENTIAL" ITEMS TO RUSSIA AND 13 OTHER NATIONS IN THE SOVIET BLOC. THE ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

UP TO NOW, EXPORTS OF ALL U.S.GOODS HAVE BEEN PERMITTED WITHOUT INDIVIDUAL LICENSES IF THE VALUE OF THE SHIPMENTS WAS SMALL ENOUGH. THE LIMITS RANGED FROM $1 TO $1,000, DEPENDING ON THE TYPE OF GOODS.

UNDER THE NEW ORDER, SHIPMENTS OF THE CONTROLLED ITEMS MUST BE LICENSED NO MATTER HOW SMALL THE AMOUNTS.

THE COUNTRIES AFFECTED ARE ALBANIA, BULGARIA, CHINA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ESTONIA, THE RUSSIAN ZONE OF GERMANY, HUNGARY, LATVIA, LITHUANIA, MANCHURIA, NORTH KOREA, POLAND (AND DANZIG), ROMANIA AND THE U.S.S.R.

OFFICIALS SAID CONTROLLED GOODS ARE GOING TO THOSE COUNTRIES ONLY IN SMALL LOTS. THEY SAID THE ACTION WILL NOT HAVE A PARTICULARLY HEAVY IMPACT, BUT DOES CONSTITUTE A GENERAL TIGHTENING OF EXPORT CONTROLS.

IN NEW YORK, MEMBERS OF THE AFL INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION, LOCAL 824, SHOOK THEIR HEADS WHEN ASKED TO UNLOAD $138,000 WORTH OF RUSSIAN FURS FROM THE LINER MAURETANIA.

OTHER UNION MEMBERS HAD REFUSED EARLIER TO UNLOAD SHIPMENTS OF RUSSIAN CRABMEAT FROM BRITISH SHIPS, FORCING THE SHIPMENTS TO BE RETURNED TO ENGLAND.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS HERE SAID RUSSIAN FURS ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT OF RUSSIA'S EXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES, REPRESENTING ABOUT HALF THE TOTAL FOR THE FIRST FIVE MONTHS OF THIS YEAR.

OFFICIALS SAID MOST OF THE FURS ARE NON-COMPETITIVE--THAT IS, NOT PRODUCED IN THE UNITED STATES--BUT NEVERTHELESS THE SALE OF RUSSIAN FURS IN THIS COUNTRY MEANS U.S.DOLLARS OR BRITISH POUNDS FOR MOSCOW.

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THE NON-COMPETITIVE SOVIET FURS ARE MOSTLY SABLE, MARMOT, MARTEN, KOLINSKI, PERSIAN LAMB AND ERMINE. BUT AMERICAN TRAPPERS AND FARMERS ARE PROTESTING THAT TWO HOME-GROWN VARITIES, MUSKRAT AND SQUIRREL, ARE ALSO BEING BROUGHT IN FROM RUSSIA.

SOME TRAPPERS HAVE PROTESTED THAT THE GOVERNMENT SHOULD PROHIBIT THE IMPORTS UNDER THE TARIFF ACT ON THE GROUND OF SLAVE LABOR IN RUSSIA.

OFFICIALS SAID THE SECOND MOST IMPORTANT ITEM IN SOVIET EXPORTS TO THIS COUNTRY IS LUXURY FOOD PRODUCTS, SUCH AS CRAB MEAT, CAVIAR AND SAUSAGE CASINGS.

OFFICIALS SAID THEY COULD NOT PREDICT WHETHER THERE WOULD BE MORE REFUSALS TO HANDLE SOVIET GOODS AT THE DOCKS.

RUSSIAN SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES DROPPED FROM $3,600,000 IN MAY TO $3,000,000 IN JUNE BUT THE JUNE SHIPMENTS INCLUDED STRATEGIC MANGANESE AND CHROME ORES FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE LAST FEBRUARY. THE ORE SHIPMENTS ACCOUNTED FOR $600,000 OF THE JUNE TOTAL.

THE MONTHLY AVERAGE OF SOVIET SHIPMENTS IN THE FIRST THREE MONTHS OF THIS YEAR WAS $3,500,000 COMPARED WITH MONTHLY AVERAGE OF $3,300,000 THROUGHOUT 1949.

AMERICAN SHIPMENTS TO RUSSIA DROPPED SHARPLY IN JUNE--TO LESS THAN $50,000 COMPARED WITH $100,000 IN MAY.

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NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS
WASHINGTON,AUG 18-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TODAY THAT CONGRESS IS WHITTLING DOWN THE CONTROL POWERS HE HAS ASKED TO FIGHT INFLATION.
AT THE SAME TIME. MR.TRUMAN SAID, PROPOSED PRICE AND
WAGE CONTROLS ARE THREATENED WITH AMENDMENTS WHICH WOULD
"RAMPER ADMINISTRATION SHOULD IT BECOME NECESSARY TO INVOKE THEM."
WRITING VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY, THE PRESIDENT CRITICIZED CONGRESS FOR DROPPING CONTROL OF COMMODITY SPECULATION FROM BOTH HOUSE AND SENATE BILLS.
HE COMPLAINED ALSO OF ELIMINATION OF CONTROL OVER CREDIT ON EXISTING HOUSING.
MR.TRUMAN INTERVENED IN THE SENATE'S CONSIDERATION OF A BILL WHICH IS DESIGNED TO GIVEN HIM DISCRETION TO INVOKE BROAD PRICE-WAGE-RATIONING CONTROLS, AS WELL AS A NUMBER OF PRODUCTION AND CREDIT PROVISIONS WHICH HE REQUESTED LAST JULY 19.
A SIMILAR BILL HAS PASSED THE HOUSE.
MR.TRUMAN CONTENDS THAT THE POWERS HE SPECIFICALLY URGED ARE ALL THAT HE NEEDS RIGHT NOW TO KEEP THE ECONOMY ON AN EVEN KEEL WHILE EXPANDING PREPAREDNESS.

HE TOLD BARKLEY HE WAS "CONCERNED" ABOUT THE OUTCOME IN CONGRESS OF LEGISLATION EQUIPPING HIM TO DEAL WITH THE CURRENT EMERGENCY.
HE SAID THAT WHILE IT WOULD BE "USEFUL" TO HAVE STAND-BY POWERS TO DEAL WITH PRICES AND WAGES MANY PROPOSED AMENDMENTS ARE "INFLEXIBLE PATCHWORK PRICE CONTROLS" WHICH WOULD BE "A DANGEROUS DECEPTION."
HE EXPRESSED HOPE THE SENATE WILL "REJECT THE NUMEROUS SPECIAL-PURPOSE AMENDMENTS PROPOSED FOR THE PRICE CONTROL PROVISIONS OF THE BILL." HE STRONGLY URGED THAT IT APPROVE "THE FULL RANGE OF POWERS" HE FIRST RECOMMENDED AS THE AFTERMATH OF THE KOREAN WAR.
THE AUTHORITY SOUGHT BY MR.TRUMAN INCLUDED ALLOCATION AND PRIORITIES NECESSARY TO CHANNEL FACILITIES AND MATERIALS INTO MILITARY AND ESSENTIAL USES, TO FINANCE INCREASED PRODUCTION CAPACITY AND A LARGE SUPPLY OF MATERIALS, AND TO CONTROL INSTALLMENT BUYING AND OTHER CONSUMER AND REAL ESTATE CREDIT, TOGETHER WITH POWER TO CURB SPECULATION IN COMMODITIES.

BEFORE CONSIDERATION OF THESE POWERS GOT UNDER WAY, CONGRESS ECHOED WITH CRIES FOR ALL-OUT CONTROLS ON A STANDBY BASIS, EVEN THOUGH THE PRESIDENT DID NOT ASK THEM.
SO WHILE TRIMMING SOME OF THE PRESIDENTIAL REQUESTS, BOTH HOUSES WHIPPED UP BILLS TO ADD THE MORE DRASTIC WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS. NOW THE PRESIDENT COMPLAINS THAT SOME PENDING PROPOSALS FOR SUCH CONTROLS WOULD BE UNWORKABLE.
MR.TRUMAN WROTE BARKLEY:
"IT WOULD BE TRAGIC IF THE CONGRESS WERE TO REJECT CONTROLS WE NEED RIGHT NOW, WHILE VOTING STAND-BY MEASURES WHICH COULD NEITHER DO THE CURRENT JOB, NOR BE APPLIED SUCCESSFULLY TO THE CONTINGENCIES WHICH MAY ARISE," THE PRESIDENT SAID.
"OUR CHIEF PROBLEM NOW IS TO INCREASE DEFENSE PRODUCTION, IN AN ECONOMY ALREADY RUNNING CLOSE TO CAPACITY, WITHOUT BRINGING ON INFLATION. OUR AIM SHOULD BE TO CHECK INFLATION AT ITS SOURCE. THE PRODUCTION AIDS AND CREDIT CONTROLS WHICH I HAVE RECOMMENDED TO THE CONGRESS ARE VITAL FOR THIS PURPOSE."
HE WENT ON TO SAY:
"AMENDMENTS NOW PENDING IN THE SENATE WOULD WEAKEN THE PRODUCTION FEATURES OF THE LEGISLATION. ACTIONS OF THIS SORT TEND TO WEAKEN THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE WHOLE PROGRAM AND BRING US CLOSER TO THE DAY WHEN WE MIGHT HAVE TO CLAMP DOWN GENERAL PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS."
IN THAT EVENT, THE PRESIDENT CONTINUED, "WE COULD ILL AFFORD TO HAVE AN UNWORKABLE LAW ON THE BOOKS."
HE SAID THAT IS "JUST WHAT THREATENS TO OCCUR" FROM A BILL "FLOODED WITH AMENDMENTS TO THE PRICE-WAGE PROVISIONS REPORTED BY THE BANKING AND CURRENCY COMMITTEE" OF THE SENATE.
"UNFORTUNATELY," HE CONTINUED, "SOME OF THE AMENDMENTS OFFERED FROM THE FLOOR ARE INTENDED TO ASSURE SOME SPECIAL TREATMENT OR PRIVILEGE FOR A PARTICULAR INDUSTRY OR COMMODITY."
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NIGHT LEAD SURPLUS
WASHINGTON,AUG.18-(AP)-SALES OF GOVERNMENT SURPLUS PROPERTY WERE SUSPENDED TODAY.
THE PROPERTY WILL BE SCREENED AGAIN "TO MAKE SURE THAT NOTHING IS SOLD AS SURPLUS THAT IS NEEDED IN THE DEFENSE EFFORT."
THE "FREEZE" ORDER, ISSUED BY JESS LARSON, ADMINISTRATOR OF GENERAL SERVICES, "COVERS WAR PLANTS AND SUPPLIES, EQUIPMENT AND MATERIAL, CIVILIAN AND MILITARY, REGARDLESS OF PREVIOUS AUTHORITY FOR DISAPOSAL."
EXEMPT IS PROPERTY WHICH IS PERISHABLE "OR DANGEROUS TO PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY."
LARSON SAID THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT AND OTHER AGENCIES HAD PREVIOUSLY LOOKED OVER EXCESS PROPERTY TO SEE WHAT THEY NEEDED, BUT THEY WILL BE GIVEN "ANOTHER LOOK" IN VIEW OF THE WAR EMERGENCY.
UNNEEDED PROPERTY WILL BE RELEASED FROM TIME TO TIME FOR DISPOSAL.
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B107WX Q
WASHINGTON, AUG.18-(AP)-THE NAVY HAS REOPENED THE NAVAL STATION ON MIDWAY ISLAND IN THE PACIFIC.
IN REPORTING THIS TODAY, THE NAVY SAID ALSO THAT IT WILL REACTIVATE SOON CERTAIN UNSPECIFIED FACILITIES AT THE NAVAL STATION ON TRINIDAD IN THE BRITISH WEST INDIES. THIS STATION WAS RELEGATED TO A "REDUCED STATUS" LAST MAY.
THE MIDWAY STATION WAS REACTIVATED AUG.1, JUST SEVEN WEEKS AFTER IT WAS CLOSED DOWN FOR ECONOMY REASONS.
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HELMET (150)
WASHINGTON, AUG.18-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY THAT A NEW ALUMINUM HELMET WITH A SHOCK-RESISTANT PLASTIC LINER HAS BEEN DESIGNED TO REPLACE--EVENTUALLY--THE GI'S PRESENT STEEL HELMET AND THIN PLASTIC LINER.
IT SAID PRELIMINARY TESTS SHOW THAT THE NEW LINER ALONE IS AS RESISTANT TO SHELL FRAGMENTS AND FALLING OBJECTS AS THE PRESENT HELMET AND LINER TOGETHER.
THE NEW HELMET WEIGHS ABOUT THREE POUNDS, 15 PERCENT LIGHTER THAN THE PRESENT STEEL HELMET AND LINER.
THE ALUMINUM JOB STILL WILL PERFORM THE TRADITIONAL EXTRA DUTIES REQUIRED OF A HELMET. IT CAN BE USED AS A COOKING UTENSIL, SHAVING MUG AND WATER BUCKET.
SEVERAL THOUSAND OF THE NEW HELMETS ARE TO BE PRODUCED LATER THIS YEAR FOR FIELD TESTING BY TROOPS PRIOR TO FINAL EVALUATION AND STANDARDIZATION, THE ARMY SAID.
STANDARDIZATION MEANS ADOPTION AS A STANDARD ITEM OF ARMY EQUIPMENT.
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NIGHT LEAD U.N.
BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS,AUG.18-(AP)-RUSSIA EXTENDED HER BOYCOTT TO ONE MORE UNITED NATIONS BODY TODAY, MAKING IT CLEAR THAT SHE IS NOT YET READY TO RESUME HER NORMAL ROLE IN THE U.N.
THE NEW BOYCOTT AFFECTS THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION FROM NON-SELFGOVERNING TERRITORIES. IT IS THE 31ST U.N. ORGAN SO AFFECTED. RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.
THE SOVIET BOYCOTT-STRIKE STARTED LAST JAN.10 IN PROTEST AGAINST THE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF CHINESE NATIONALIST REPRESENTATIVES IN THE U.N. MALIK, IN RETURNING TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO ASSUME THE PRESIDENCY DURING AUGUST, SET ASIDE HIS EARLIER DECLARATION THAT RUSSIA WOULD NOT TAKE PART IN ANY FURTHER MEETINGS AT WHICH NATIONALIST CHINA WAS REPRESENTED.
MALIK STILL HAS NOT ANSWERED TWO IMPORTANT QUESTIONS: WILL HE STAY ON IN THE COUNCIL AFTER HIS TERM AS PRESIDENT EXPIRES AUG. 31? WILL RUSSIA SHOW UP AT THE FALL SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SEPT. 19? MOST DELEGATES BELIEVE THE ANSWER TO BOTH QUESTIONS IS YES, BUT THEY ADMITTEDLY HAVE NO DEFINITE INFORMATION.
THE SECURITY COUNCIL DELEGATES, MEANWHILE, ENJOYED A WEEK-END RESPITE FROM THEIR BITTER AND APPARENTLY FRUITLESS WRANGLING OVER THE KOREAN PROBLEM.
THE COUNCIL WILL MEET MONDAY IN AN INFORMAL CLOSED-DOOR SESSION TO TRY ONCE MORE TO BREAK THE PROCEDURAL STALEMATE OVER KOREAN REPRESENTATION IN U.N. DISCUSSIONS. THE NEXT PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE TUESDAY.
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U.N.--RUSSIA.
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 18-(AP)-RUSSIA EXTENDED HER U.N. BOYCOTT TODAY TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION FROM NON-SELF GOVERNING TERRITORIES. THIS WAS THE 31ST U.N. BODY HIT BY THE SOVIET STRIKE-BOYCOTT AND THE FIRST SINCE RUSSIA'S RETURN TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL AUG. 1.

THE COMMITTEE ELECTED UNANIMOUSLY DR. B.SHIVA RAO, OF INDIA, AS ITS CHAIRMAN.
HE WAS NOMINATED BY J.FLETCHER-COOKE, BRITISH DELEGATE, WHO SAID THAT NOT ONLY WOULD RAO'S EXPERIENCE AND ABILITY HELP THE COMMITTEE BUT ALSO THAT "AT THE PRESENT STAGE OF WORLD AFFAIRS, I AM CERTAIN INDIA HAS A GREAT PART TO PLAY IN THE STUDY OF PROBLEMS, NOT ONLY OF THE NON-SELF GOVERNING TERRITORIES BUT ALSO FOR MANY SOVEREIGN STATES."
RAO'S ELECTION WAS ANOTHER EVIDENCE OF THE GROWING ROLE THAT INDIA IS PLAYING IN THE U.N. MIRRORING ITS AIM TO BE AN ASIATIC THIRD FORCE.
THE ACTING SECRETARY-GENERAL DURING THE NORWEGIAN HOLIDAY TRIP OF TRYGVE LIE IS THE NEWLY-NAMED INDIAN ASSISTANT SECRELZL"GTHTTZLT

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THE ACTING SECRETARY-GENERAL DURING THE NORWEGIAN HOLIDAY TRIP OF TRYGVE LIE IS THE NEWLY-NAMED INDIAN ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL SHAMALDHAREE LALL. SIR BENEGAL N.RAU, SECURITY COUNCIL, REPRESENTATIVE, IS ATTEMPTING TO OPERATE A THIRD FORCE OF NON-PERMANENT COUNCIL MEMBERS IN SETTLING THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
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BALTIMORE,AUG.18-(AP)-AMERICAN LEGIONNAIRES WERE TOLD LAST NIGHT THAT RUSSIA SHOULD BE EXPELLED FROM THE UNITED NATIONS--EVEN IF SUCH A STEP BRINGS ABOUT WORLD WAR III.
THAT RECOMMENDATION WAS MADE AT THE ANNUAL STATE CONVENTION OF THE MARYLAND LEGION BY DONALD R.WILSON, 33-YEAR-OLD WORLD WAR II VETERAN WHO IS A CANDIDATE FOR THE POST OF NATIONAL COMMANDER.
WILSON, A RESIDENT OF CLARKSBURG, W.VA., ASSERTED:
"THE TIME HAS SOME WHEN THE AMERICAN LEGION MUST ASK FOR THE EXPULSION OF THE SOVIET UNION FROM THE UNITED NATIONS."
HE SAID THAT IF RUSSIA IS EXPELLED "AND THAT MEANS WAR, THEN IT MUST, OF NECESSITY, COME.
"I THINK THE WHOLE COUNTRY IS READY TO HAVE A SPADE CALLED A SPADE.
"AND I THINK THAT THE COUNTRY IS WAITING FOR SOME ORGANIZATION LIKE OURS TO CALL THE SPADE."
TODAY'S CONVENTION SESSION--THE THIRD--WILL BE CLIMAXED BY A COLORFUL NIGHT PARADE THROUGH THE DOWNTOWN STREETS.
THE ANNUAL DRUM AND BUGLE CORPS COMPETITION WILL START THIS AFTERNOON IN CLIFTON PARK.
ANOTHER BUSINESS SESSION WAS HELD THIS MORNING.
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(140)
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 18-(AP)-U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TODAY ASKED THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO APPROVE A BUDGET OF $45,450,800 FOR THE ORGANIZATION'S 1951 OPERATIONS.
THIS REPRESENTS AN INCREASE OF $3,809,027 OVER THE 1950 BUDGET. THE INCREASE IS DUE MAINLY TO COSTS OF MOVING INTO THE U.N.'S NEW MANHATTAN HEADQUARTERS, INCREASED MAINTENANCE COSTS IN THE NEW HEADQUARTERS AND PAYMENT OF A $1,000,000 INSTALLMENT ON THE $65,000,000 LOAN WHICH THE UNITED STATES GAVE TO FINANCE THE NEW HEADQUARTERS.
THE ASSEMBLY'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS HAS RECOMMENDED THAT LIE'S ESTIMATES BE REDUCED BY $1,623,000.
THE MOVE INTO THE NEW MANHATTAN BUILDING BEGAN TODAY WITH ABOUT 450 OF THE 3,200 SECRETARIAT MEMBERS SCHEDULED TO BE TRANSFERRED THIS WEEKEND. THE TRANSFER WILL BE DONE IN STAGES, AND IS EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED BY NEXT JANUARY.

THE UNITED STATES PAYS 39.9 PER CENT OF THE U.N. BUDGET, WHICH WOULD MAKE THE AMERICAN BILL $18,134,869.20 IF LIE'S BUDGET IS ADOPTED. THE 1950 BUDGET WAS $41,641,773, WITH THE UNITED STATES ASSESSED $16,615,068.43.
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NEW YORK, AUG.18-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARIAT TODAY BEGAN MOVING FROM ITS LONG ISLAND HEADQUARTERS AT LAKE SUCCESS TO ITS NEW SKYSCRAPER HOME ON MANHATTAN'S EAST SIDE.
TRANSFER OF THE SECRETARIAT WILL BE COMPLETED BY SEPT.1 AND THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS AND DIVISIONS OF THE U.N. ARE SCHEDULED TO BE INSTALLED IN THE NEW STRUCTURE AT 42ND STREET AND FIRST AVENUE BEFORE

JAN.1, 1951.
A TOTAL OF 400 EMPLOYES WILL BE WORKING IN THE NEW HEADQUARTERS BY MONDAY MORNING, A SPOKESMAN SAID. THE SECRETARIAT EMPLOYS ABOUT 3,000.
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(150)
WASHINGTON,AUG.18-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS REPORTED TODAY TO HAVE DECIDED TO NAME MRS.EDITH SAMPSON, A NEGRO LAWYER IN CHICAGO, AS A DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING AT NEW YORK NEXT MONTH.
MRS.SAMPSON'S APPOINTMENT TO THE AMERICAN DELEGATION WAS PROPOSED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT AS A WAY OF STRIKING BACK AT RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA THAT NEGROES ARE AN OPPRESSED PEOPLE WITHOUT OPPORTUNITY, INFLUENCE OR POSITION IN THE UNITED STATES.
QUITE APART FROM THIS CONSIDERATION, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID, MRS.SAMPSON IS WELL QUALIFIED TO SERVE AS A RESULT OF HER LEGAL TRAINING AND NTEREST IN SOCIAL AND POLITICAL PROBLEMS.
OFFICIALS SAID THAT SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WILL HEAD THE DELEGATION WHICH WILL BE NAMED BY MR.TRUMAN NEXT WEEK. ACHESON'S TOP ADVISORS WILL INCLUDE JOHN FOSTER DULLES, REPUBLICAN FOREIGN POLICY EXPERT WHO IS SERVING IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT AT THE PRESENT TIME.

MRS.SAMPSON, WHO IS IN HER LATE 40'S, IS THE ONLY WOMAN EVER TO RECEIVE A MASTER'S DEGREE IN LAW FROM LOYOLA UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO. SHE HAS BEEN PRACTICING LAW SINCE HER GRADUATION FROM JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL HERE IN 1926.
AN ASSISTANT REFEREE OF THE JUVENILE COURT OF COOK COUNTY FROM 1925 TO 1943, MRS.SAMPSON HAS LONG BEEN ACTIVE IN LEGAL AND CIVIC AFFAIRS. SHE IS PRESIDENT OF THE WORLD TOWN HALL SEMINAR, A RADIO EDUCATIONAL GROUP; A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF THE UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATION OF CHICAGO, AND A MEMBER OF THE CHICAGO BAR ASSOCIATION.
MRS.SAMPSON OPERATES A LAW FIRM ON THE SOUTH SIDE WITH HER HUSBAND, WHO ALSO IS A LAWYER. THEY HAVE NO CHILDREN. THE COUPLE LIVES ON THE SOUTH SIDE.
A SPECIALIST IN DOMESTIC RELATIONS AND CRIMINAL LAW, MRS.SAMPSON HAS BEEN INTERESTED IN UN ACTIVITIES SINCE ITS INCEPTION. SHE HAS VISITED LAKE SUCCESS SEVERAL TIMES, BUT NEVER HAS HAD A REGULAR JOB WITH THE UN.
SHE TOOK POST-GRADUATE WORK AT THE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SERVICE ADMINISTRATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO. A NATIVE OF PITTSBURGH, PA., SHE HAS SPENT MOST OF HER LIFE IN CHICAGO.
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 18--(AP)--PROF. HANS MUKAROVSKY, HEAD OF CHARLES UNIVERSITY, DECLARED TODAY THAT A SCIENTIST WHO DEVISES T E MEANS OF AN IMPERIALIST WAR IS A [redacted] MURDERER WHO DESE RVES PUNISHMENT AS SUCH.

THE [redacted] CEZCH NEWS AGENCY SAID MUKAROVSKY MADE THIS STATEMENT IN A SPEECH AT THE SECOND CONGRESS OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS.

"A PHYSICIST WHO PREPARES OR IMPROVES WEAPONS FOR [redacted] A WAR PLOTTED BY IMPE IALISTS AGAINST PEACE-LOVING NATIONS IS NOT A FREE [redacted] SCIENTIST BUT A MURDERER. A CHEMIST WHO PREPARES CHEMICAL WARFARE [redacted] OR A BIOLOGIST WHO PREPARES BACTERIOLOGICAL WARFARE IS ALSO A MASS MURDERER WHO DESERVES THE PUNISHMENT USUALLY GIVEN TO MURDERERS."

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Soviet newspapers reported

moscow, aug. 18--(ap)--[redacted] said today that north koreans held a huge mass meeting to celebrate the fifth anniversary of the "liberation of korea by the soviet army" in their capital city of pyongyang. soviet ambassador col. gen. terenty f. shtikov spoke in the name of the soviet government and the russian people.

those [redacted] attending the [redacted] rally sent greetings to soviet premier stalin expressing [redacted] deep gratitude and outlining their hopes and expectations.

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alexandria, egypt, aug. 18 -(ap)- The political committee of seven arab league nations today decided to support lebanon to replace egypt in the security council of the united nations. Egypt's term is up in 1951.

The committee also decided to support brasil to fill another vacancy in the hope latin american nations will support lebanon.

~~It was announced the arab states in the u.n. will support~~ Sir Mohammad zafrullah khan, pakistan foreign minister for the u.n. presidency in the forthcoming session.

-- BUILDING UP AN AIRLIFT TO SUPPORT UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA --

~~-- BUILDING UP AN AIRLIFT~~

sydney, australia, aug. 18- (a p)-pan american airways has mounted a round the clock guard at its airport in sydney, to watch for saboteurs.

armed guards are keeping close watch on pan american hangars and installations, and all persons entering the area are challenged and all outbound freight thoroughly checked.

pan american australian general manager j. c. smyser said he had been ordered to alert all employes against possible sabotage.

"the skymasters which fly our service in australia are part of a fleet now building up an airlift from the pacific west coast to japan," he said. "in between flights in australia they are entering the war area in the western pacific."

smyser said red activities throughout the pacific made the danger of sabotage to airliners potentially greater than during world war II.

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BULLETIN
FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP
TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE 12,000-MAN COMMUNIST BRIDGEHEAD 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU HAS BEEN "WIPED OUT" BY THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS HAVE RECAPTURED THE TOWN OF KUMHWA 12 MILES NORTH OF THAT KEY AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE. GENERAL MACARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN DISCLOSED THE SUCCESSES TODAY.

THIS MORNING, BACKED BY PLANES, THE SOUTH KOREANS PUSHED ON NORTH OF KUMHWA WHILE JUST TO THEIR EAST OTHERS OF THEIR FORCES TEAMED WITH AMERICANS IN A NORTHWARD DRIVE FROM THE POHANG-KIGYE SECTOR.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE FORCES MOVING NORTH FROM THE PORT CITY OF POHANG HAVE ADVANCED 2,500 YARDS. THE FORCES NORTH OF KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, MOVED AHEAD AGAINST LIGHT RESISTANCE.

U.S. FIRST MARINE BRIGADE AND THE ARMY'S 24TH DIVISION SOLDIERS WON BACK ALL GROUND EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR AND WERE MOPPING UP SMALL POCKETS OF THE ENEMY'S SHATTERED FOURTH DIVISION.

SOUTH KOREANS WHO RETOOK KUMHWA, NORTH OF SHELL-STRUCK TAEGU, ADVANCED ONE AND A HALF MILES NORTH OF THAT MAIN HIGHWAY TOWN SATURDAY AGAINST MODERATE RESISTANCE, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THIS IS IN THE GENERAL SECTOR WHERE 50,000 REDS WERE REPORTED MASSING FOR A POSSIBLE ATTACK ON TAEGU, NOW DESERTED BY MORE THAN 500,000 CIVILIANS AND THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT, LEAVING IT ENTIRELY TO THE MILITARY.
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TOKYO--SECOND ADD FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP X X X THE MILITARY.

KUMHWA HAD BEEN TAKEN BY A RED REGIMENT SENT DOWN AS A SPEARHEAD TO PROBE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSES BUT WAS THROWN BACK BY SOUTH KOREANS AND THE U.S. 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, RUSHED 50 MILES TO THE CRITICAL ZONE AS A "FIRE BRIGADE" OPERATION.

AN INTELLIGENCE SPOKESMAN AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID REPORTS PERSISTED THAT THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS HAVE BEEN GIVEN SOME OF THE 50-TON JOSEPH STALIN III TANKS, ARMED WITH 122 MILLIMETER CANNON. NONE, HOWEVER, HAS APPEARED YET IN BATTLE AREAS.

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THE REDS CONTINUED TODAY TO MASS FORCES BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND KUNWI IN THE NORTHWEST SECTOR. THIS PORTENDED A MAJOR DRIVE FROM THERE ON TAEGU.

BUT THE REDS WERE HAVING TROUBLE ASSEMBLING THE FORCE FOR A JUMPOFF.

"THERE IS EVIDENCE OF CONFUSION AND DISORDER IN THE ENEMY REAR WHERE TRANSPORT WAS DISRUPTED BY AIR AND NAVAL STRIKES," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE ATTACK BY SOUTH KOREANS AND AMERICANS NORTH OF KUMHWA WAS RESUMED TODAY WITH "EFFECTIVE" AIR SUPPORT.

ALL FIVE TANKS WHICH SPEARHEADED A RED STAB IN THAT AREA SATURDAY HAVE BEEN DESTROYED, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

IT ALSO WAS DISCLOSED THAT ON FRIDAY SOUTH KOREAN MARINES (CORRECT) LANDED ON A TINY ISLAND OFF SOUTHEAST KOREA AND CAPTURED THE CITY OF TONGYONG. THEY KILLED MORE THAN 200 ENEMY TROOPS. SOUTH KOREA NAVY GUNS COVERED THE OPERATION.

GENERAL MACARTHUR ISSUED A STERN WARNING TODAY TO KIM IL SUNG, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE NORTH KOREAN REDS, WARNING THAT KIM WOULD BE HELD RESPONSIBLE IF HE DOES NOT IMMEDIATELY ISSUE AN ORDER FOR HIS SOLDIERS TO CEASE ATROCITIES AGAINST PRISONERS OF WAR.

ANOTHER RED FORCE, WITH TANKS AND MOTORIZED INFANTRY, WAS BUILDING UP NEAR CHINJU AT THE SOUTHERN END OF THE 120-MILE BATTLEFRONT PERIMETER.

ALL DAY SATURDAY AND ALL LAST NIGHT, PLANES OF THE FAR EASTERN AIR FORCE SOUGHT OUT THESE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS TO BOMB AND DISORGANIZE THEM.

FEAF'S 1:35 P.M. RELEASE (10:35 P.M. EST SATURDAY) SAID THE ATTACKS CENTERED ON THE SECTOR WHERE THE 50,000 TROOPS WERE REPORTED MASSING--"AROUND THE NORTHWESTERN SECTOR BATTLE LINE."

IT SAID THE ATTACKS "ASSISTED IN DISORGANIZING AND SLOWING NORTH KOREAN GROUND ACTIONS."

FAR UP THE EAST COAST, WITHIN LESS THAN 60 MILES OF THE RUSSIAN BORDER, A BIG ATTACK BY 60 B-29S TURNED STEEL AND IRON WORKS AT CHONGJIN INTO A MASS OF FLAMES AND SMOKE.

FOR THE MOMENT, RED DRIVES WERE SO EFFECTIVELY STALLED THAT THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO AT PYONGYANG STOPPED CLAIMING RED "ADVANCES" FOR THE FIRST TIME. A BROADCAST TODAY SPOKE FRANKLY OF "COUNTERATTACKING AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS."

ON THE EAST ANCHOR, SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WHICH RECAPTURED THE PORT CITY OF POHANG FRIDAY JUMPED OFF IN AN ATTACK NORTH TEAMED WITH AMERICAN ELEMENTS. THE FRONT FOR THIS DRIVE EXTENDED NINE MILES WEST OF KIGYE.

BUT THE COMMUNIST'S MAIN MENACE REMAINED TO THE WEST OF THE POHANG-KIGYE FIGHTING---IN THE KUNWI SECTOR WHERE THE 50,000 REDS WERE REPORTED ASSEMBLED.

A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNQIEU ISSUED TODAY AT 1:25 P.M. (10:25 P.. SATURDAY EST) MADE NO REFERNCE TO THIS THREAT.

BUT IT DID NOTE THAT "AN ATTACK BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES APPEARS TO BE DEVLOPING IN THE NORTH PART OF THE SECTOR" BEFORE CHINJU.

THE COMMUNIQUE MADE NO SPECIFIC REFERNCE TO THE POHANG-KIGYE DRIVE, SAYING MERELY "THE UNITED NATIONS' FORCES IN THE EAST SECTOR CONTINUED TO ADVANCE."

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IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, WHERE THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION MANS THE DEFENSE LINE, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID 1,000 NORTH KOREAN DEAD WERE COUNTED AFTER AN AMERICAN COUNTERATTACK THURSDAY.

TWENTY-THREE MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU ANOTHER COMMUNIST MENACE MELTED IN A BLOODY ROUT. HUNDREDS OF BODIES WERE FOUND ON HILLS SEIZED BY U.S.MARINES AS THE LEATHERNECKS AND ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION DROVE AGAINST 12,000 REDS WHO HAD MASSED ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG NEAR CHANGNYONG.

OFFICERS SAID [redacted] THAT FEW OF THE REDS GOT BACK TO THE WEST BANK.

MAJ.GEN.JOHN H.CHURCH TOLD NEWSMEN THAT "WE HAVE THE WHOLE SECTOR UNDER CONTROL" AND THAT THE REDS' FOURTH DIVISION THERE HAD "BEEN SOUNDLY BEATEN."

THE BLOOD OF THE ENEMY STAINED THE RIVER WHERE SOLDIERS WERE CAUGHT BY PLANES WHILE SWIMMING OR FORDING.

ON FORDING.

THE AMERICAN MILITARY ASSESSMENT OF THE CHANGNYONG ACTION WAS THAT THE RED KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION HAD BEEN ELIMINATED AS A FIGHTING FORCE AFTER ONE OF THE MOST INTENSIVE BATTLES OF THE WAR.

THE MAIN THREAT REMAINED NORTH OF TAEGU WHERE THE APPEARANCE OF A PROBING SPEARHEAD ONLY 10 MILES AWAY WAS FOLLOWED BY ORDERS THAT THE MORE THAN 500,000 CIVILIANS LEAVE THE CITY ENTIRELY TO THE MILITARY. SOUTH KOREA'S GOVERNMENT ALSO ABANDONED IT AS A PROVISIONAL CAMPITAL. RED SHELLS STRUCK TAEGU SATURDAY NIGHT, HITTING THE RAILROAD YARD AND KILLING TWO SOUTH KOREANS.

THE SPEARHEAD'S FORCED RETREAT AND LESSENING PRESSURE ON OTHER FRONTS ADDED UP TO A REMARKABLE DEFENSIVE VICTORY. BUT THERE WAS NO APPARENT FEELING AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO OR AT U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA THAT THE REDS HAVE GIVEN UP THEIR OFFENSIVE.

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THEIR UNITS STILL APPEARED TO BE PROBING FOR ANY WEAK SPOTS THROUGH WHICH TO HURL THE MIGHT OF 50,000 TROOPS.

ANOTHER POSSIBLE MENACE WAS POSED IN THE EXTREME SOUTH--IN THE SECTOR WHERE THE MARINES HAD PUSHED ALMOST TO CHINJU ONLY TO BE CALLED BACK 27 MILES TO THICKEN DEFENSES ELSEWHERE. IN THAT SECTOR EAST OF CHINJU, DEFENDED BY THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON SAID THE REDS WERE CONCENTRATING TANKS AND MOTORIZED INFANTRY LAST NIGHT.

SWINTON SAID FRONT LINE OFFICERS EXPECTED THE REDS TO OPEN A NEW DRIVE AGAINST AMERICAN FORCES DEFENDING MASAN. THE AMERICANS HAVE DRIVEN BACK DAWN ATTACKS IN BATTALION STRENGTH BY THE SIXTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION FOR TWO SUCCESSIVE DAYS.

THE EXTENT AND INTENT OF THE AMERICAN-SOUTH KOREAN PUSH IN THE POHANG SECTOR REMAINED TO BE ASSESSED. A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID OTHER AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN UNITS WERE ATTACKING NORTHWEST OF TAEGU ALONG A HIGHWAY FROM INDONG.

THE REDS NORTH OF TAEGU APPEARED TO BE REGROUPING THEIR POWER FOR A SMASH. THE MAIN MASS OF THEIR TROOPS STILL WAS LOCATED BETWEEN WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, AND KUNWI, 25 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

THE FURY OF THE FIGHTING WHICH BROKE THE THRUST FROM THE NORTH AND ERASED THE CHANGNYONG BULGE WAS EMPHASIZED BY A REPORT FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR. HE SAID THAT IN A 24-HOUR PERIOD THE REDS SUFFERED 5,684 CASUALTIES.

THE RED FOURTH DIVISION, ROUTED AT CHANGNYONG, HAD BEEN SENT DOWN FROM THE MANCHURIAN BORDER. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH SAID A COMMUNIST PRISONER TOLD U.S. 24TH DIVISION OFFICERS THAT THE DIVISION REQUIRED 37 DAYS TO GET TO THE NAKTONG LINE FROM MANCHURIA BECAUSE OF INCESSANT AIR ATTACKS.

RECEIPT OF THE LATEST DEVELOPMENTS PIERCED A TWO-FOLD BLACKOUT OF COMMUNICATIONS.

WAR CORRESPONDENTS LOST CONTACT WITH THEIR TOKYO OFFICES WHEN THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY REMOVED ARMY TELEPHONE AND TELETYPE LINES FROM THE CORRESPONDENTS' BILLET NEAR THE ARMY'S ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA. THE ARMY SAID ONLY THAT THE EQUIPMENT WAS NEEDED IN MILITARY INSTALLATIONS.

THERE ARE NO OTHER MEANS OF COMMUNICATIONS AVAILABLE TO THE FRONT LINE CORRESPONDENTS IN KOREA.

FURTHER EXPLANATION FROM EIGHTH ARMY FIELD HEADQUARTERS WAS NOT AVAILABLE BECAUSE CORRESPONDENTS IN KOREA COULD NOT CONTACT TOKYO AND TOKYO COULD NOT CONTACT THEM.

THE BLACKOUT IS EXPECTED TO BE ONLY TEMPORARY, BUT WHILE IT LASTS WAR NEWS REMAINS SHARPLY RESTRICTED.

(COMPOUNDING THE COMMUNICATIONS PROBLEM WAS AN ATMOSPHERIC BLACKOUT OF RADIO COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN TOKYO AND THE UNITED STATES, WHICH HAD LASTED FOR SEVERAL HOURS.)

THE WORD OF A NEW COMMUNIST MASSING, APPARENTLY ON THE FRONT BEFORE TAEGU, MAIN AMERICAN FORWARD BASE, CAME FROM AN UNCONFIRMED PRISONER-OF-WAR REPORT VIA GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS.

THE HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY EARLY TODAY (SUNDAY) SAID THE RED FIRST, THIRD, 13TH AND 15TH DIVISIONS WERE REPORTED PREPARING FOR A NEW ASSAULT TO BREACH UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINES.

THE SUMMARY DID NOT PRECISELY LOCATE THE AREA, BUT SAID THE ENEMY WAS PROBING IN SEARCH OF SOFT SPOTS ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER. THAT IS IN THE ZONE WEST OF TAEGU.

CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY WAS BROKEN OFF ON THE NORTHERN FRONT A DOZEN OR MORE MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, THE SUMMARY RELATED, AND PATROLS PENETRATED FOUR TO SIX MILES WITHOUT FINDING RED RESISTANCE.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD HAD PLACED THE RED THIRD, 13TH AND 15TH DIVISIONS ON THAT NORTHERN FRONT IN FIGHTING FRIDAY NIGHT (THE IMPLICATION WAS THAT THEY MIGHT HAVE SHIFTED FARTHER SOUTHWEST.)

AN ENEMY BUILDUP ALSO WAS REPORTED ON THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION FRONT IN THE SOUTHERNMOST KOREAN WAR SECTOR. THE TOKYO SUMMARY SAID PILOTS SPOTTED ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE VICINITY 30 MILES WEST AND SOUTHWEST OF MASAN. THAT IS ABOUT 60 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

IN A SATURDAY DISPATCH SHORTLY BEFORE THE COMMUNICATIONS CUT-OFF, AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED FROM THAT SOUTHERN FRONT THAT THE RED SIXTH DIVISION WAS CONTINUING TO SMASH AT THE AMERICANS. HE SAID THE REPORTS OF A MAJOR BUILDUP IN THE CHINJU AREA LED TO FEARS THAT THE ATTACK MIGHT DEVELOP INTO AN OFFENSIVE.

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THE COMMUNICATIONS CLOSEDOWN PREVENTED CLARIFICATION OR AMPLIFICATION OF THESE REPORTS.

A SPOKESMAN FOR MACARTHUR HAD SAID SATURDAY THAT THE THREAT TO TAEGU -- UNTIL FRIDAY SOUTH KOREA'S TEMPORARY CAPITAL--"DOES NOT EXIST TODAY AS IT DID THURSDAY."

THIS WAS THE RESULT OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSIVE SUCCESSES FRIDAY.

THE SOUTH KOREAN SECOND CORPS AIDED BY THE AMERICAN 27TH REGIMENT HAD TURNED BACK A THREAT TO TAEGU FROM THE NORTH. HOWEVER, THREE TO FIVE RED DIVISIONS HAD BEEN REPORTED STILL IN THE VICINITY.

THE TOKYO SPOKESMAN ALSO SAID THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION IN THE ENEMY'S CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD, EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, HAD BEEN SO BADLY MAULED THAT IT WAS NOT CONSIDERED A FIGHTING UNIT "FOR THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE."

ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. MARINE FIRST BRIGADE AND THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION, WHO CRACKED THE SHELL OF THE COMMUNIST CHANGNYONG BEACHHEAD FRIDAY, CONTINUED TO SMASH AT THE RETREATING REDS SATURDAY, WITH CONSIDERABLE HELP FROM THE AIR.

ENEMY TROOPS FLEEING FROM THE MARINES AND INFANTRYMEN WERE STRAFED, ROCKETED AND BOMBED BY MARINE AND FIFTH AIR FORCE PLANES AS THEY SWAM OR FORDED THE NAKTONG IN THEIR EFFORT TO REJOIN THE MAIN BODY OF NORTH KOREAN UNITS ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER. SOME REDS ESCAPED UNDER COVER OF A SMOKE SCREEN.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH REPORTED AFTER A FLIGHT OVER THE BRIDGEHEAD IN AN OBSERVATION PLANE THAT THE U.S. TROOPS APPEARED CLOSE TO THEIR GOAL OF THROWING THE REDS BACK ACROSS THE RIVER.

HUTH SAID AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND PLANES HAD SET FIRES IN SIX VILLAGES ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

IN THE FIRST ALLIED ACTION OF ITS KIND IN THE WAR, SOUTH KOREAN

TROOPS MADE A SURPRISE LANDING FRIDAY ON TOKCHOK ISLAND, 35 MILES SOUTHWEST OF INCHON ON THE KOREAN WEST COAST, AFTER BRIEF SHELLING OF THE ISLAND BY BRITISH CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS.

SIGNIFICANCE OF THE MOVE WAS NOT EXPLAINED BY THE SPOKESMAN AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, WHO ANNOUNCED IT. THEY DID NOT DISCLOSE WHETHER ANY REDS WERE FOUND ON THE ISLAND.

IN ALLIED HANDS, THE ISLAND COULD BECOME AN OBSERVATION POINT COVERING ENEMY MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS AND SUPPLIES BY WATER FROM NORTH KOREA TO PORTS ON THE SOUTHWESTERN COAST OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA.

SIXTY U.S. B-29S BLASTED RAIL YARDS, IRON WORKS, AND PORT AND DOCK FACILITIES SATURDAY AT CHINGJIN, 60 MILES SOUTH OF RUSSIAN TERRITORY ON THE NORTHWEST COAST OF KOREA, WITH 550 TONS OF BOMBS.

THIRTY OTHER B-29S HIT HAMHUNG, 130 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. THESE BLOWS BY A TOTAL OF 90 B-29S REPRESENTED THE SECOND LARGEST AIR STRIKE OF THE WAR ON KOREA. THE LARGEST WAS THE BLOW BY ALMOST 100 B-29S EARLIER THIS WEEK AT RED TROOPS IN THE WAEGWAN AREA OF THE CENTRAL FRONT.

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW A RECORD NUMBER OF 350 STRIKES AGAINST RED GROUND TROOPS, AND FLEW A TOTAL OF 550 SORTIES OF ALL TYPES TO EQUAL THE PREVIOUS SINGLE DAY'S RECORD.

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BULLETIN BY JACK MACBETH

WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION ON NAKTONG RIVER BULGE, KOREA,AUG.19-(AAP)-FRONTLINE OFFICERS SAID TODAY THEY BELIEVE "A FEW" OF THE 12,000 RED TROOPS IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD ESCAPED ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER AFTER A TAKING "A HELLUVA LICKING" FROM A JOINT U.S. MARINE-INFANTRY COUNTERATTACK.

ONE COMMUNIST DIVISION WAS BELIEVED DISINTEGRATED IN THE CLEARCUT AMERICAN VICTORY.

HUNDREDS OF ENEMY BODIES WERE SIGHTED ON THE TOP OF HILLS TAKEN IN A BLOODY THREE-DAY ENGAGEMENT.

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MAJ.GEN.JOHN H.CHURCH, COMMANDER OF THE JOINT MARINE-INFANTRY ATTACK AT CHANGNYONG, SAID "WE HAVE THE WHOLE SECTOR UNDER CONTROL."

THERE WAS STILL A LITTLE MOPPING UP TO DO.

THE STRATEGICALLY IMPORTANT AMERICAN WIN SENT A FEELING OF TRIUMPH ALONG THE 30-MILE FRONT.

CHANGNYONG IS 23 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, WHERE CIVILIANS HAVE BEEN ORDERED EVACUATED TO MAKE WAY FOR MILITARY OPERATIONS.

THE CHANGNYONG VICTORY DID NOT COME EASILY NOR CHEAPLY.

AMERICAN FORCES FOUGHT UNDER A BLISTERING SUN, AND AT NIGHT AGAINST AN ENEMY THAT HAD ALL OF THE ADVANTAGES ON HIGH GROUND. THE MARINES AND GI'S SUFFERED HEAVILY IN CASUALTIES AS WELL AS IN HARDSHIPS.

THE ENEMY FOUGHT EFFICIENTLY AND DID NOT BUDGE UNTIL THE LAST MOMENT.

BEHIND THE FRONT ALONG A DUSTY ROAD, RED PRISONERS BY THE TRUCK-LOAD WERE MOVED TO THE REAR. MOST OF THEM WERE WOUNDED. THEY WERE SCRAWNY AND CRINGING.

BRIG.GEN.EDWARD A.CRAIG, MARINE COMMANDER, TOLD A CORRESPONDENT, "I'M GLAD WE DID WHAT WE SET OUT TO DO. BUT RESISTANCE WAS HEAVY AND WE REGRET THE NUMBER OF MEN IT COST US. THEY WERE MAGNIFICENT."

MILITARY POLICE SAID THE RED PRISONERS INVARIABLY CLAIMED THEY FOUGHT TENACIOUSLY ONLY FROM FEAR THEY WOULD BE KILLED BY THEIR OWN PEOPLE IF THEY SHOWED WEAKNESS.

EVEN IN THE GRIMNESS OF WAR, THE GI'S STILL FOUND TIME FOR HUMOR. ONE OF THEM TOLD OF A U.S.JEEP DRIVER WHO BOLDLY ORDERED A TANK OUT OF HIS WAY---ONLY TO FIND OUT IT WAS AN EMPTY TANK.

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BULLETIN BY DON HUTH

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,SUNDAY,AUG.20-(AP)-A GENERAL ATTACK WAS BEGUN TODAY BY AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES JUMPING OFF NORTHWARD ALONG THE POHANG-KIGYE LINE ON THE EAST COAST OF SOUTH KOREA.

THE ATTACK WAS MADE BY THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION AND AMERICAN UNITS WHICH WERE NOT IDENTIFIED.

THE SOUTH KOREANS AND GIS POINTED THEIR ASSAULT NORTHWARD ALONG THE EAST COAST AND ALONG A RIDGE RUNNING FROM KIGYE PARALLEL TO THE COAST.

KIGYE IS NINE AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, THE SECOND MOST IMPORTANT UNITED NATIONS PORT IN KOREA. IT WAS RECAPTURED FROM THE REDS FRIDAY.

AN EIGHTH ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID OTHER AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN UNITS WERE ATTACKING NORTHWEST OF TAEGU ALONG A HIGHWAY FROM INDONG.

HE SAID HE LACKED DETAILS ON THIS ACTION BUT PRESUMED IT WAS SEPARATE FROM THE AMERICAN-SOUTH KOREAN THRUST IN THE KUMHWA AREA NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. INDONG IS 18 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU AND SEVEN NORTHWEST OF KUMHWA.

RED ARTILLERY SHELLS DROPPED INTO TAEGU LAST NIGHT FOR THE SECOND TIME AND HIT THE SAME RAILROAD YARD AS IN THE FIRST SHELLING FRIDAY. TWO SOUTH KOREANS WERE KILLED IN LAST NIGHT'S SHELLING.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION AND MARINES WERE MOPPING UP THE CHANGNYONG BULGE SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION WAS REPORTED DECIMATED IN THE THREE-DAY ARMY-MARINE ACTION WITH ONLY A FEW MANAGING TO ESCAPE BACK TO THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER.

A 24TH DIVISION SPOKESMAN QUOTED A COMMUNIST PRISONER AS SAYING THE FOURTH DIVISION REQUIRED 37 DAYS TO COME FROM THE MANCHURIAN BORDER TO THE NAKTONG FRONT BECAUSE OF INCESSANT ALLIED AIR ATTACKS.

THE PRISONER EVIDENTLY WAS A REPLACEMENT WHO WAS NORTH KOREAN TRAINED AND A VETERAN OF CHINESE RED FIGHTING IN MANCHURIA.

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SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (300 UP)

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.20-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY THAT FOUR COMMUNIST DIVISIONS MAY BE REGROUPING FOR A NEW ASSAULT AGAINST UNITED NATIONS LINES IN KOREA, IMPLYING THAT THE DRIVE WOULD COME ON THE NORTH-CENTRAL FRONT NEAR TAEGU.

THE POST-MIDNIGHT WAR SUMMARY SAID WORD OF THE BUILDUP CAME FROM AN UNCONFIRMED PRISONER-OF-WAR REPORT.

NORTH KOREAN FORCES CONTINUED THEIR PROBING ALONG THE CRUCIAL NAKTONG RIVER FRONT, THE HEADQUARTERS STATEMENT REPORTED, AS THE REDS SOUTH POSSIBLE SOFT SPOTS IN THE U.N.WALL BEFORE TAEGU, LONG THE MAIN FORWARD BASE OF THE AMERICAN DEFENSE.

MACURTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS DID NOT PIN-POINT THE AREA OF THE REPORTED NORTH KOREAN FOUR-DIVISION TROOP BUILD-UP, BUT IMPLIED IT WAS ALONG THE NAKTONG WEST OF TAEGU.

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A VIRTUAL NEWS BLACKOUT FROM THE FRONT MADE CLARIFICATION IMPOSSIBLE. ASSOCIATED PRESS PRESS CORRESPONDENT LIEF ERICKSON SAID IN A DISPATCH THAT ALL TELETYPE AND TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS FOR THE PRESS HAD BEEN REMOVED FROM THE EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS.

IT IS THROUGH THIS SPOT THAT VIRTUALLY ALL PRESS DISPATCHES FROM KOREA ARE FUNNELLED TO TOKYO FOR RELAY TO THE UNITED STATES.

THE LATEST COMMUNIQUE MADE NO SPECIFIC MENTION OF THE TAEGU SITUATION BUT EARLIER A SPOKESMAN FOR GENERAL MACARTHUR SAID THE THREAT TO THE CITY HAD EASED. HOWEVER, U.S.OFFICERS POINTED OUT THAT SOME 50,000 RED TROOPS STILL THREATENED THE U.N.LINES IN THIS EMBATTLED AREA.

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THE COMMUNICATIONS CUT-OFF WITH FRONT REPORTS LEFT AN UNCERTAIN PICTURE OF THE ENTIRE FRONT, HOWEVER, SINCE TOKYO HEADQUARTERS RELEASES GENERALLY ARE BEHIND FIELD DEVELOPMENTS.

BEFORE THE LID WAS SLAMMED DOWN, AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT TOLD OF A SURPRISE ALLIED LANDING ON A WEST-COAST ISLAND DEEP IN RED TERRITORY.

ALSO AT SOME POINTS ON THE FRONT NORTH OF TAEGU THE ENEMY HAD FALLEN BACK, PERMITTING ALLIED PATROLS TO RANGE FOUR TO SIX MILES INTO COMMUNIST TERRITORY WITHOUT SERIOUS OPPOSITION.

THE REDS FELL BACK BEFORE UNITED NATIONS ASSAULTS ON THE ROAD NORTH FROM TAEGU AND IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR TO THE SOUTHWEST. BOTH WERE DANGER SPOTS EARLIER IN THE WEEK.

THE SURPRISE LANDING WAS THE FIRST ALLIED ACTION OF ITS KIND IN THE WAR. IT WAS MADE BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS FRIDAY (CORRECT) ON TOKCHOK ISLAND AFTER A BRIEF SHELLING BY BRITISH CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS. THE ISLAND IS 35 MILES SOUTHWEST OF INCHON, PORT OF SEOUL ON THE YELLOW SEA.

FULL SIGNIFICANCE OF THE LANDING WAS NOT EXPLAINED BY THE SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS WHO ANNOUNCED IT.

A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID TOKCHOK MAY HAVE BEEN A RED CENTER FOR WATERBORNE COMMUNICATIONS.

THE MACARTHUR SPOKESMAN ALSO DISCLOSED THAT SOUTH KOREAN GUERRILLAS--OR POSSIBLY REGULAR ARMY UNITS--MAY BE OPERATING BEHIND COMMUNIST LINES.

"I THINK THE ENEMY'S BACK AREAS ARE NOT TOO QUIET," HE REMARKED. HE SAID HE LACKED DETAILS ON BOTH THIS AND THE ISLAND LANDING.

MACARTHUR'S COMMUNIQUE SAID THE AMPHIBIOUS FORCE TOOK CHINNI VILLAGE ON TOKCHOK WITHOUT INCIDENT. THERE WAS NO HINT OF THE SIZE OF THE LANDING FORCE.

MACARTHUR'S INTELLEIGENCE SPOKESMAN GAVE THESE ESTIMATES OF THE WHOLE NAKTONG BATTLE PICTURE ARE THREE DAYS OF THE HEAVIEST FIGHTING OF THE WAR:

1. THE THREAT TO TAEGU, ABANDONED THIS WEEK AS THE PROVISIONAL SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL, "DOES NOT EXIST TODAY AS IT DID THURSDAY." BUT THREE TO FIVE RED DIVISIONS, POSSIBLY 50,000 MEN, STILL WERE POISED NORTH OF THE CITY.

2. U.S. MARINES AND ARMY INFANTRY MAULED THE ELITE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION SO BADLY IN THE NAKTONG BULGE NEAR CHANGNYONG THAT "FOR THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE IT CAN NO LONGER BE CONSIDERED A FIGHTING DIVISION."

3. THE ENEMY LOST AN ESTIMATED 2,200 MEN THURSDAY ALONG THE WHOLE PERIMETER--THE BIGGEST SINGLE DAY'S BAG FOR THE ALLIES.

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IN THE CRITICAL AREA NORTH OF TAEGU, AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS CONTINUED TO DRIVE TOWARD KUMWHA SATURDAY. THEY ADVANCED ANOTHER HALF MILE FOR A TOTAL OF TWO AND ONE HALF MILES IN THEIR COUNTER-ATTACK. THE ALLIES WERE JUST SOUTH OF KUMWHA, RED-HELD HIGHWAY TOWN 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

THE TIDE OF BATTLE TURNED WHEN THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT, COMMANDED BY COL. (CORRECT) JOHN H.MICHAELIS, RUSHED 50 MILES "FIRE BRIGADE" FASHION TO TEAM WITH SOUTH KOREANS WHO HAD BEEN FALLING BACK BEFORE A RED PUSH.

THE ALLIED FORCES KNOCKED OUT THREE OR FOUR RED TANKS FRIDAY NIGHT WHILE BEATING BACK A NORTH KOREAN COUNTERATTACK.

MACARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN SAID THE ALLIES MET MODERATE RESISTANCE.

THE MAIN MASS OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS STILL WAS REPORTED GROUPED IN THE AREA BETWEEN KUNWI AND WAEGWAN, 15 MILES TO THE SOUTHWEST AND ROUGHLY IN THE CENTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS LINE.

THREE NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS--THE THIRD, 15TH AND 13TH--WERE LOCATED THERE. THEY ARE "POSSIBLY" SUPPORTED BY TWO OTHERS--THE FIRST AND SECOND.

NEARLY 35 MILES SOUTH OF WAEGWAN, SOME TROOPS OF THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION STILL CLUNG TO THEIR CHANGNYONG BULGE IN THE NAKTONG LINE.

BUT THEY HAD LOST MOST OF THE HIGH GROUND AND THE AMERICAN ATTACK HAS SLICED IN HALF THEIR FORMER SALIENT. THE COMMUNISTS WERE THROWN OFF STRATEGIC HEIGHTS TO THE FLAT GROUND ON THE EAST SHORE OF THE NAKTONG. MACARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN SAID THEY ARE ABOUT THREE MILES FROM THE RIVER.

THIS WAS THE SCENE OF THE GREATEST CARNAGE.

AMERICAN ARTILLERY, ARMY, NAVY AND MARINE PLANES SHELLED, STRAFED AND ROCKETED THE REDS AS THEY TRIED TO FLEE BACK ACROSS THE RIVER.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID WHILE RESULTS COULD NOT BE WHOLLY EVALUATED YET, "FOR THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE THE FOURTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION CAN NO LONGER BE CONSIDERED A FIGHTING FORCE."

THERE WAS NO INDICATION OF HOW MANY REMAINED OF THE 12,000 MEN THE REDS HAD MASSED IN THE BULGE WHEN THE U.S. FIRST MARINE BRIGADE AND ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION SMASHED THEM BACK IN A WEEK-LONG COUNTEROFFENSIVE. SOME WHO TRIED TO ESCAPE THREW AWAY THEIR WEAPONS IN FLIGHT.

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MARINE CORSAIR FIGHTERS AND PLANES OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE CAUGHT SOME OF THE REDS SWIMMING THE NAKTONG. OTHERS WERE FORDING THE STREAM. ROCKETS, 20 MILLIMETER CANNON FIRE AND JELLIED GASOLINE BOMBS WERE POURED ON SURVIVORS OF THE RED FOURTH DIVISION.

MAJ. GEN. JOHN H. CHURCH SAID HIS MEN WERE OUT TO "DESTROY THAT DIVISION ENTIRELY."

AN OFFICIAL RELEASE ON THE AIR ACTION TERSELY SAID:

"RETREATING MASSES OF ENEMY TROOPS FORDING AND SWIMMING THE NAKTONG RIVER WERE CAUGHT AND STRAFED BY CARRIER-BASED MARINE FLIERS YESTERDAY WITH RESULTING SEVERE LOSSES."

NINETY B-29S BLASTED NORTH KOREAN TARGETS WITH 800 TONS OF BOMBS SATURDAY. THEIR TARGETS INCLUDED CHONGJIN, LESS THAN 60 MILES FROM SOVIET RUSSIAN TERRITORY, AND HAMHUNG, 130 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL WHICH DIVIDED NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.

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BEFORE TODAY'S ALLIED PUSH NORTH OF TAEGU, THE 27TH REGIMENT, COMMANDED BY [redacted] COL. JOHN H. MICHAELIS, OF LANCASTER, PA., BEAT OFF A FRIDAY NIGHT ATTACK BY COMMUNISTS RIDING TRUCKS BEHIND FIVE TANKS.

AFTER ONE TANK WAS DESTROYED AND A SECOND DAMAGED, THE OTHER THREE RETREATED. AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID FOUR OF THE FIVE TANKS FINALLY WERE DESTROYED.

THREE RED DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED IN THE KUMHWA SECTOR -- TWO OF THEM WERE THE THIRD AND 13TH. THESE WERE TWO OF FOUR RED DIVISIONS LISTED BY AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE AS "MYSTERY" DIVISIONS BECAUSE CONTACT WITH THEM HAD BEEN LOST. THESE SOURCES SAID THAT WHEREVER THESE FOUR APPEARED MIGHT MARK THE SECTOR OF MAJOR EFFORT BY THE ENEMY.

THURSDAY'S RED ATTACK WHICH WON KUMHWA WAS A REGIMENTAL THRUST IN ADVANCE OF LARGER FORCES. APPARENTLY THE REDS WERE, AS USUAL, PROBING FOR A SOFT SPOT THROUGH WHICH TO RAM A MAJOR DRIVE. CORRESPONDENT ERICKSON REPORTED "THIS FRONT REMAINS CRITICAL."

TO THE SOUTHWEST OF THIS ACTION, AT WAEGWAN, SOUTH KOREAN FIELD REPORTS SAID PROBING RED ATTACKS WERE UNDER WAY IN FRONT OF ANOTHER COMMUNIST DIVISION. WAEGWAN IS 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

ON THE SOUTH FRONT WEST OF MASAN, THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION BEAT OFF RED ATTACKS AND COUNTED 300 ENEMY DEAD.

AIR POWER MADE ITSELF FELT IN ALL CATEGORIES IN SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS' 120-MILE PERIMETER FIGHTING FRONT.

FIGHTER PLANES FRIDAY MADE A RECORD OF MORE THAN 350 INDIVIDUAL STRIKES, MOST OF THEM AGAINST RED BIVOUACS AND MOVING COLUMNS.

THE BIG B-29S SOARED INTO NORTH KOREA AND BOMBED THE MAIN LINE OF SUPPLY OF THE REDS. THEY ALSO COMPLETED THE DESTRUCTION OF A MAIN BRIDGE AT SEOUL, THE FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

SOME PLANES DROPPED LEAFLETS IN 10 MAJOR CITIES OF NORTH KOREA, INCLUDING THE CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG, GRIMLY WARNING OF BOMBINGS TO COME. THE LEAFLETS WARNED CIVILIANS TO TAKE TO THE COUNTRY TO ESCAPE FUTURE BOMBINGS.

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(EDITOR'S NOTE: THE FOLLOWING STORY OF ACTION ON THE FRONT NORTH OF TAEGU WAS SENT SHORTLY BEFORE PRESS COMMUNICATIONS WERE CUT OFF FROM U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA. IT WAS TIMED AT 3 P.M. SATURDAY--MIDNIGHT FRIDAY, EST--BUT WAS NINE HOURS IN TRANSMISSION VIA TOKYO.)

BY DON WHITEHEAD

[redacted] AMERICAN INFANTRY BEAT BACK A T[redacted]

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WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA, AUG.19-(AP)-AMERICAN INFANTRY BEAT BACK A TANK-LED ATTACK ON THE FRONT NORTH OF TAEGU FRIDAY NIGHT AND PUSHED FORWARD ALONGSIDE SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.

THREE DAYS AGO THE REDS HAD PUNCHED THROUGH SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSES WITHIN 12 MILES OF TAEGU.

THE AMERICANS ATTACKED FRIDAY AT 2:30 P.M. (11:30 P.M. THURSDAY, EST.) WITH SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION UNITS ON THEIR LEFT AND RIGHT FLANKS.

FRIDAY NIGHT THE ENEMY COUNTERATTACKED, BRINGING UP INFANTRY IN TRUCKS BEHIND FIVE TANKS. THIS COLUMN HIT THE ROAD TOWARDS TAEGU IN THE DIRECTION OF THE AMERICAN POSITIONS.

LT.DRUWARD T.SIMMS OF PHENIX (CORRECT) CITY, ALA., HEARD THE CLATTER OF TANK TREADS AND KNEW THE REDS WERE APPROACHING.

HE PLACED HIS MEN IN POSITIONS ALONGSIDE THE ROAD WITH A 3.5 ROCKET LAUNCHER, THE INFANTRY'S TANK-KELLER.

AT CLOSE RANGE, THE AMERICANS KAYOED THE LEAD ENEMY TANK WITH THE FIRST SHOT. THEN THEY FIRED ON THE SECOND TANK.

"WE DAMAGED IT," SIMMS SAID, "BUT DIDN'T KNOCK IT OUT. THE ROCKET HIT A GLANCING BLOW."

THE SECOND TANK FIRED ON THE AMERICANS AT CLOSE RANGE.

THE CRIPPLED TANK, APPARENTLY OUT OF AMMUNITION, THEN FLED WITH THE THREE OTHER TANKS.

MEANTIME ARTILLERY WAS POUNDING THE RED INFANTRY BEHIND THE TANKS TO HELP SMASH THIS ENEMY THREAT.

LIEUTENANT SIMMS' LITTLE SQUAD OF TANK KILLERS INCLUDED PFC FRANK SCHIAVONE OF MULLICA HILL, N.J.; PFC LEE LOZIER OF LAWRENCEBURG, IND.; AND PVT EDGAR TAYLOR OF NEW CUMBERLAND, PA.

THE AMERICANS WERE FROM THE 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, COMMANDED BY COL.JOHN "MIKE" MICHAELIS OF LANCASTER, PA.

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BEFORE THE ATTACK, MICHAELIS HELD A CONFERENCE WITH GEN.PAIK SUN YUK, COMMANDER OF THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION. MICHAELIS AND THE ROUND-FACED PAIK WORKED OUT THEIR COOPERATIVE EFFORT.

"IF WE CAN GET ON THE HIGH GROUND, WHICH IS OUR OBJECTIVE," PAIK SAID, "I BELIEVE WE CAN HOLD THE ENEMY."

PAIK SAID HIS TROOPS AND THE AMERICANS IN THIS SECTOR WERE FACING THE NORTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION REINFORCED BY 20 TANKS, AND THE 15TH AND 13TH DIVISIONS.

INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATED THE REDS WERE MORE THAN 25 DAYS BEHIND THE TIMETABLE SET WHEN THEY ATTACKED ACROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL JUNE 25. PRISONERS HAVE SAID THE TARGET DATE FOR THE CAPTURE OF TAEGU WAS JULY 25.

AMERICANS HAVE WRECKED THE TIMETABLE BY THEIR DELAYING TACTICS AND

SLOWLY REBUILDING THE FIGHTING EFFECTIVENESS OF THE SOUTH KOREANS.
WITH AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND TANK SUPPORT, THE SOUTH KOREANS HAVE SHOWN THEY ARE AS BRAVE AND SKILLED IN MOUNTAIN FIGHTING AS THE NORTH KOREAN REDS.
THEIR BIG NEED HAS BEEN WEAPONS. THESE ARE BEING SUPPLIED. THERE ARE REPORTS THEY WILL BE FORTHCOMING IN GREATER QUANTITIES IN THE NEAR FUTURE.
MAJ.GEN. JOHN H.CHURCH, COMMANDING THE U.S., 24TH DIVISION, HAS ESTIMATED THAT 200,000 SOUTH KOREANS WILL BE AVAILABLE AS INFANTRY TO FIGHT BESIDE THE AMERICANS WHEN THERE ARE ARMS FOR THEM. HE ADDED:
"I WOULD BE GLAD TO HAVE THEM FIGHTING WITH MY DIVISION."
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A76FX
CHANGNYONG (100)
BY DON HUTH
CHANGNYONG FRONT, KOREA, AUG. 19-(AP)-AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN AND MARINES, DRIVING NORTH KOREAN REDS FROM THEIR CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD BACK TO THE NAKTONG RIVER, APPEARED CLOSE TO THEIR GOAL THIS AFTERNOON.
THE AMERICANS ADVANCED UNDER COVER OF ARTILLERY FIRE DIRECTED AT THE ENEMY-HELD WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG. THERE WERE FLASHES OF ANSWERING RED ARTILLERY FROM THE WEST.
I FLEW OVER THE AREA IN AN OBSERVATION PLANE AND SAW SIX RED VILLAGES BURNING FIERCELY WEST OF THE RIVER OPPOSITE THE BRIDGEHEAD AREA. THERE WERE SCATTERED FIRES, TOUCHED OFF BY U.S. ARTILLERY AND PLANES, ALL ALONG THE BATTLE LINE. THE FIRES REACHED 35 MILES FROM THE BITTER BULGE BATTLE TO AS FAR NORTH AS WAEGWAN.
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A84FX
CHANGNYONG
BY MAX DESFOR
ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER
WITH U.S.MARINES AT CHANGNYONG,KOREA,AUG.19-(AP)-MANY COMMUNIST TROOPS TODAY WITHDREW ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER FROM THEIR CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD UNDER COVER OF A SMOKESCREENM
IT EVIDENTLY WAS A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL. THE RETR

BRIDGEHEAD UNDER COVER OF A SMOKESCREEN.
IT EVIDENTLY WAS A PLANNED WITHDRAWAL. THE RETREAT WAS CARRIED OUT BETWEEN 7 AND 8 A.M. ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR.
AMERICAN OFFICERS SAID THE RED BRIDGEHEAD HAD BEEN REDUCED EFFECTIVELY. THEY SAID THERE IS NO LONGER A THREAT OF A RED BREAKOUT AT THAT POINT.
CC442APD NM

A120KX
NIGHT LEAD CHINJU BUILDUP (230)
BY STAN SWINTON
U.S. 25TH DIVISION, KOREA, AUG.19-(AP)-RED FORCES, INCLUDING TANKS AND MOTORIZED INFANTRY, WERE MASSED TONIGHT AROUND CHINJU FOR A MAJOR THRUST AGAINST AMERICAN TROOPS IN DEEP SOUTH KOREA.
THE AMERICANS WERE DUG IN BEHIND NEW MINE FIELDS AND BARBED WIRE ENTANGLEMENTS WEST OF MASAN, 28 MILES EAST OF CHINJU, WAITING IN DARKNESS FOR AN EXPECTED RED POWER DRIVE.
U.S.OFFICERS ON THE FRONT LINES SAID THEY EXPECTED THE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS TO LASH OUT AGAINST GI'S AND SOUTH KOREAN POLICE UNITS WHO FOR THE LAST TWO DAYS HAVE BEATEN OFF DAWN ATTACKS BY THE BATTERED RED SIXTH DIVISION.
U.S.UNITS AS FAR BACK AS DIVISION HEADQUARTERS WERE ORDERED BLACKED OUT AND GUARDS WERE DOUBLED AS THEY WAITED FOR IMPENDING BATTLE.
A COLUMN OF RED TANKS AND TRUCKS WERE SEEN LATE TODAY ON A ROAD LEADING UP TO THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE U.S.LINES.
NORTH KOREANS INFILTRATED THROUGH GAPS IN THE LINES DURING THE NIGHT AND AT DAWN CHARGED SHOUTING UP A SLOPE TOWARD A POSITION HELD BY AN AMERICAN INFANTRY COMPANY.
THE REDS RAN INTO BARBED WIRE ENTANGLEMENTS. TWENTY WERE MOWED DOWN BY AMERICAN MACHINEGUNNERS. MORTARS HAMMERED THE HILLSIDE.
THE COMPANY OF AMERICANS, CUT UP BUT STILL FIGHTING, FINALLY PUSHED BACK THE ATTACKERS.
THE ACTION OCCURRED ON A CREST LINE THREE MILES NORTH OF HAMAN WHERE A BATTALION COMMANDED BY LT.COL.BERNARD G.TEETERS OF PARK FALLS, WIS., FOUGHT A BLOODY CLOSE-IN BATTLE ALL DAY FRIDAY TO REGAIN LOST POSITIONS.
AN ESTIMATED 100 REDS REMAINED ON A NEARBY SLOPE. THE AMERICANS WERE STILL MOPPING UP ON THEM LATE TODAY.
FR939PCS NM

A75FX
CHINJU BUILDUP (270)
BY STAN SWINTON
U.S. 25TH DIVISION, KOREA, AUG.19-(AP)-ELEMENTS OF THE BADLY MAULED NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION SMASHED ANEW TODAY AGAINST WEARY AMERICAN FORCES AND SOUTH KOREAN POLICE UNITS.
BUT THE REDS WERE THROWN BACK.
A MAJOR BUILDUP OF NORTH KOREAN STRENGTH WAS REPORTED IN THE CHINJU AREA AND THERE WERE FEARS THE PRESENT ATTACK MIGHT DEVELOP INTO AN ENEMY OFFENSIVE. LATE SATURDAY AFTERNOON A COLUMN OF NORTH KOREAN TANKS AND TRUCKS WAS SIGHTED ON THE ROAD LEADING UP TO THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FLANK OF AMERICAN LINES ON THE KOREAN FRONT.
FOR THE SECOND SUCCESSIVE NIGHT THE NORTH KOREANS INFILTRATED AMERICAN 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENT POSITIONS ON A CREST LINE THREE MILES NORTH OF HAMAN. AT DAWN A BATTALION OF REDS ATTACKED UP A SLOPE WHERE AN INFANTRY COMPANY COMMANDED BY LT.JOHN WOODALL (HOMETOWN UNAVAILABLE) HAD DUG IN.
THE RED CHARGE RAN INTO A MASSIVE BARBED WIRE ENTANGLEMENT AND AS THE COMMUNISTS MILLED ABOUT 50 CALIBER MACHINEGUNS CHOPPED DOWN MANY OF THEM.
ANOTHER GROUP OF 100 REDS PUSHED AROUND BEHIND THE AMERICAN COMPANY AND A DAY-LONG SMALL ARMS FIRE FIGHT BEGAN. AT 4 P.M. COMMUNIST SURVIVORS IN A SADDLE BEHIND THE RIDGE STILL FOUGHT WITH AUTOMATIC WEAPONS AND SMALL ARMS DESPITE A STEADY RAKING FROM MORTARS, ARTILLERY AND THREE SEPARATE AIR STRIKES.
BATTALION OFFICERS PREDICTED THE RED SURVIVORS WOULD BE ANNIHILATED BY DUSK AND THE LINE FULLY RESTORED.
FARTHER SOUTH OTHER NORTH KOREAN ELEMENTS ATTACKED AT NOON AGAINST SOUTH KOREAN POLICE UNITS HOLDING ONE SECTOR OF THE FRONT. PRELIMINARY REPORTS SAID THEY WERE HALTED WITHOUT GAIN.
EVERYWHERE ALONG THE SOUTHWEST FRONT TONIGHT, HOWEVER, ENEMY PRESSURE WAS BUILDING UP.
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TOKCHOK '160)
~~(MAY BE ENTERED IN FIRST LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP IF DESIRED.)~~
TOKYO, AUG. 19-(AP)-TOKCHOK ISLAND, SEIZED IN AN AMPHIBIOUS OPERATION BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS FRIDAY, COULD HAVE GREAT VALUE TO THE ALLIES AS A MARINE OBSERVATION PORT.
POSSIBLY, IT MIGHT BE USED AS A FORWARD AIR BASE.
AS AMERICAN AIR STRIKES HAVE MADE LAND TRAVEL MORE HAZARDOUS AND DANGEROUS FOR THE NORTH KOREAN REDS, THEY HAVE TURNED INCREASINGLY TO THE SEA. THE REDS HAVE MADE REPEATED ATTEMPTS TO SLIP MATERIEL AND MEN DOWN THE WEST COAST IN JUNKS AND SMALL CRAFT.
TOKCHOK WOULD BE A NATURAL STOPPING POINT FOR SUCH TRAFFIC WHICH MUST HIDE IN THE DAYTIME FROM ALLIED SEA AND AIR PATROLS. THIS WOULD BE TRUE OF SMALL CRAFT COMING EITHER FROM INCHON, 35 MILES TO THE NORTHEAST, OR FROM FARTHER UP THE COAST.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS MADE NO SUGGESTION THAT THE ALLIES MIGHT ESTABLISH AN AIR BASE THERE--BEHIND RED LINES. BUT TOPOGRAPHICAL MAPS SHOW CONSIDERABLE LEVEL GROUND ON THE ISLAND, POSSIBLY MAKING IT SUITABLE FOR FORWARD AIR STRIPS.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD AERIAL
TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 20-(AP)-HUGE FIREBALLS HUNDREDS OF FEET IN DIAMETER AND SMOKE CLOUDS RISING UP TO 5,000 FEET BURST FROM SPRAWLING IRON AND STEEL WORKS BLASTED SATURDAY BY B-29S IN NORTH KOREA LESS THAN 60 MILES FROM RUSSIAN TERRITORY.
THIS STRIKE AT CHONJIN, ON THE EAST COAST OF NORTH KOREA, WAS AT ONE OF THREE TARGETS HIT WITH NEARLY 800 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES BY MORE [redacted] THAN 90 B-29S.
A FAR EAST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS RELEASE AT 1:35 P.M. (10:35 P.M. EST SATURDAY) SAID THE FORMER MITSUBISHI IRON AND STEEL WORKS AT CHONJIN WERE SWEPT BY FLAME AND SMOKE.
"EQUAL SUCCESS WAS MET IN A MARSHALLING YARD ATTACK," THE RELEASE STATED.
"BOMBING VISUALLY, B-29 FORMATIONS PLACED STRING AFTER STRING OF BOMBS DIRECTLY ON THE TARGET. SPREADING FLAMES WERE OBSERVED IN WAREHOUSE DISTRICTS, SURROUNDING DOCKS AND IN MARSHALLING YARDS.
"OTHER B-29S SCORED HEAVILY IN A SMALLER SCALE ATTACK ON MARSHALLING YARDS AT HAMHUNG, MAJOR DEPOT ON THE EAST COAST RAIL SYSTEM.
"SUPERFORTRESSES ALSO CONTINUED CONSTANT DAILY ATTACKS ON RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL."
IT WAS THE WAR'S SECOND HEAVIEST AIR SMASH.
IN THREE WAVES, 60 OF THE BIG PLANES SMASHED CHONGJIN'S IMPORTANT RAILROAD MARSHALLING YARDS AND THE VAST MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS, ONE OF THE MOST MODERN METAL-PRODUCING FACTORIES IN ASIA.
THEY DUMPED 550 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES IN A 45-MINUTE ATTACK.
THE OTHER 30 PLANES PLASTERED HAMHUNG, 130 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.
U.S. JET FIGHTERS WENT AFTER NORTH KOREAN COMMUNICATIONS AND B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS SINGLED OUT SIMILAR TARGETS IN 30 NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS.
ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER MAX DESFOR SAID IN A DISPATCH. FROM FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS THAT U.S.MUSTANG FIGHTERS STRAFFED SCHOOLHOUSES WHERE THE REDS HAVE BEEN CONCENTRATING TROOPS AND SUPPLIES.
THE STRIKE AT CHONGJIN WAS ECLIPSED ONLY BY THE B-29 SMASH LAST WEDNESDAY ON THE COMMUNIST GROUND TROOP BUILD-UP IN THE WAEGWAN AREA OF THE CENTRAL FRONT.
"CLOUDS OF DUST AND DEBRIS AND MANY SMALL FIRES COVERED THE RAIL CENTER," REPORTED LT.COL.JOSEPH D.WHITE, ALHAMBRA, CALIF., IN TELLING OF THE CHONGJIN ATTACK.
"OUR WHOLE BOMB LOAD STRUCK THE RAILROAD SHOPS AND MARSHALLING YARD AREA," THE AIRMAN SAID. HIS PLANE WAS IN THE THIRD WAVE TO ATTACK.
OTHER PILOTS SAID GREAT BALLS OF FIRE -- FROM 500 TO 1,000 FEET IN DIAMETER -- BILLOWED UP FROM THE BLASTED IRON WORKS. AIR FORCE EXPERTS SPECULATED THAT THE ELABORATE FIREWORKS MAY HAVE RESULTED FROM DIRECT HITS ON FURNACES CONTAINING MOLTEN METAL.
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AERIAL (340)
TOKYO,AUG.19-(AP)-AMERICAN B-29S SOARED FAR TO THE NORTH TODAY TO POUND THE PORT OF CHONGJIN, ITS RAIL YARDS AND IMPORTANT MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS--ALMOST WITHIN SIGHT OF SOVIET RUSSIAN TERRITORY.
BALLS OF FIRE SHOT FROM THE FACTORY AND SMOKE COLUMNS TOWERED NEARLY A MILE. THE FACTORY IS ONE OF THE MOST MODERN METAL WORKS IN ASIA.
IN ALL, 90 SUPERFORTS HAMMERED MILITARY AND INDUSTRIAL TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA WITH NEARLY 800 TONS OF BOMBS.
OTHER TARGETS WERE HAMHUNG, 130 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, AND KEY BRIDGES.
THE STRIKE WAS THE SECOND LARGEST MASS B-29 RAID OF THE WAR. THE BIG PLANES HIT THE WAEGWAN FRONT AREA WEDNESDAY IN TACTICAL SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES.
MORE THAN 60 B-29S ROARED OVER CHONGJIN, LESS THAN 60 MILES FROM THE SOVIET BORDER. THEY PLUNGED MORE THAN 550 TONS OF BOMBS AT KEY TARGETS THERE. THE AIR FORCE REPORTED EXCELLENT RESULTS.
THREE WAVES OF B-29S HIT THE CHONGJIN RAIL YARDS, ONE OF THE LARGEST IN NORTH KOREA.
"CLOUDS OF DUST AND DEBRIS AND MANY SMALL FIRES COVERED THE RAIL CENTER," SAID LT.COL.JOSEPH D.WHITE, ALHAMBRA, CALIF. HE WAS IN THE THIRD WAVE. "OUR WHOLE BOMB LOAD STRUCK THE RAILROAD SHOPS AND MARSHALLING YARD AREA."
PILOTS SAID THE GREAT BALLS OF FIRE FROM THE IRON WORKS WERE FROM 500 TO 1,000 FEET IN DIAMETER. AIR FORCE EXPERTS SUGGESTED THEY MAY HAVE RESULTED FROM DIRECT HITS ON FURNACES CONTAINING MOLTEN METAL.
MEANWHILE JET FIGHTERS WENT AFTER NORTH KOREA TRAINS AND OIL SUPPLIES. PILOTS STRAFED A 15 CAR TRAIN EAST OF SEOUL, FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL, AND 10 BOX CARS WEST OF WONJU.
RAILWAY TRAINS, CONVOYS AND BRIDGES WERE PRIME TARGETS OF B-26S FLYING MORE THAN 30 NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS.
ASSOCIATED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER MAX DESFOR REPORTED FROM FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS THAT MUSTANG FIGHTERS HAMMERED AT SCHOOLHOUSES WHICH THE REDS HAVE BEEN USING WITH INCREASED FREQUENCY FOR TROOP BILLETS AND SUPPLY CENTERS.
(THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS' OFFICIAL RADIO AT PYONGYANG BROADCAST AN INVITATION TO THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS TO INVESTIGATE "THE TREMENDOUS DAMAGE INFLICTED ON THE PEOPLE AND HOUSINGS BY AMERICAN AERIAL BOMBINGS."
(IT SAID THE INVITATION WAS MADE TODAY IN A LETTER FROM THE NORTH KOREAN FOREIGN MINISTER TO TRYGVE LIE, UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GEN-

ERAL.)
THE FIFTH AIR FORCE REPORTED ITS FIGHTER PLANES SET A NEW RECORD FOR THE WAR WITH 350 STRIKES FRIDAY, MAINLY AGAINST GROUND TROOPS. THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW 550 SORTIES OF ALL TYPES, EQUALING THE PREVIOUS SINGLE DAY'S RECORD FOR THIS WAR.
AIR HEADQUARTERS SAID PILOTS BOMBED, ROCKETED, OR STRAFED 23 TANKS.
F-80 JETS JOINED B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS IN NIGHT INTRUDER ATTACKS ON TROOP CONVOYS AND SUPPLY MOVEMENTS.
WHILE AIR FORCE FIGHTERS FLEW ALL ALONG THE FIGHTING LINE, MARINE PLANES CONCENTRATED ON THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR OF THE NAKTONG WESTERN FRONT. THE NAVY ANNOUNCED:
"RETREATING MASSES OF ENEMY TROOPS, FORDING AND SWIMMING THE NAKTONG RIVER, WERE CAUGHT AND STRAFED BY CARRIER-BASED MARINE FLIERS YESTERDAY WITH RESULTING SEVERE LOSSES.
"THE STRAFING OF TROOP MASSES IN THE RIVER CLIMAXED A DAY IN WHICH MARINE FLIERS X X X SPEARHEADED AN ATTACK ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE NORTH KOREAN BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG."
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TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.19-(AP)-NORTH KOREA WAS SERVED A GRIM WARNING LAST NIGHT THAT 10 MAJOR CITIES, INCLUDING THE CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG, ARE ABOUT TO BE BOMBED.
THE WARNING WAS MADE IN THE FORM OF LEAFLETS URGING CIVILIANS IN THOSE CITIES TO FLEE TO THE COUNTRY TO ESCAPE THE MOUNTING WRATH OF ALLIED AIR POWER.
"ACT QUICKLY. MOVE AWAY FROM MILITARY TARGETS," THE LEAFLETS WARNED.
THEY WERE DROPPED ON CHONGJIN, CHINNAMPO, HUNGNAM, SONGJIN, SARIWON, WOSAN, HAMHUNG, SINANJU, HAEJU AND PYONGYANG.
THE CITIES ARE SITES OF MUNITION PLANTS, KEY RAIL YARDS, SUPPLY DEPOTS, DOCK INSTALLATIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES.
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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.20-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO SAID TODAY ITS FORCES WERE FIGHTING "FIERCE ENGAGEMENTS" ON ALL FRONTS WITH COUNTER-ATTACKING AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.
THE COMMUNIST RADIO AT PYONGYANG SAID THE "ENEMY" ATTACK IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, WAS CRUSHED AND NUMEROUS AMERICAN TANKS DESTROYED BY RED ARTILLERY.
IT SAID THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION WAS "STUBBORNLY RESISTING BEHIND STRONG POSITIONS" AT THE SOUTH END OF THE BATTLEFRONT IN THE CHINJU AREA.
THE BROADCAST CLAIMED FIVE AMERICAN PLANES WERE SHOT DOWN NEAR SEOUL, FORMER CAPITAL OF SOUTHERN KOREA, SATURDAY. ALMOST DAILY THE RED RADIO HAS CLAIMED SEVERAL ALLIED PLANES SHOT DOWN BUT THERE HAS BEEN ONLY A FRACTION OF THESE CONFIRMED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS.
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TOKYO,AUG.19-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 275 ISSUED AT 4:15 P.M. (1:15 A.M., EST) TODAY:
A COORDINATED ATTACK BY ELEMENTS OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION, ASSISTED BY U.S. ARMY UNITS, WAS BEGUN AT 9:30 A.M., 18 AUGUST, ALONG THE MAIN ROAD BETWEEN TAEGU AND KUNWI. THE ATTACK ADVANCED APPROXIMATELY 2 1/2 MILES AGAINST LIGHT RESISTANCE TO THE VICINITY OF KUMHWA, WHERE POSITIONS WERE ORGANIZED AND CONSOLIDATED FOR THE NIGHT. EXCELLENT SUPPORT WAS RENDERED BY ELEMENTS OF THE TACTICAL AIR FORCES IN THIS OPERATION. AN ENEMY COUNTERATTACK AT 10 P.M. WAS REPULSED WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND AND WITH THREE ENEMY TANKS DESTROYED. THE U.N. ATTACK WAS RENEWED 19 AUGUST AND THE ADVANCE CONTINUED AGAINST MODERATE ENEMY RESISTANCE.
ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION AND THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE, AFTER BEING TEMPORARILY STOPPED BY A RED COUNTERATTACK ON 18 AUGUST, CONTINUED THEIR ATTACK AGAINST THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD IN THE AREA WEST OF YONGSAN. ALL UNITS HAVE NOW REACHED THEIR OBJECTIVES WHERE CONSOLIDATION AND ORGANIZATION OF DEFENSIVE POSITIONS AND MOPPING UP BYPASSED GROUPS OF ENEMY FORCES IS IN PROGRESS.
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HEAVY CASUALTIES WERE INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY IN THIS OPERATION AND COMMUNIST FORCES ARE ATTEMPTING TO WITHDRAW ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER BY SMALL BOATS, SWIMMING AND FORDING. THESE RETREATING ELEMENTS ARE BEING ATTACKED VIGOROUSLY BY AIR AND GROUND FORCES, AND THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE AREA BOUNDED BY THE RIVER ON THE WEST AND, ROUGHLY, ON THE EAST BY A LINE BETWEEN THE TOWNS OF SINAM AND CHIRHYON. FARTHER NORTH THE ENEMY PENETRATION IN THE HYONPUNG AREA HAS BEEN CONTAINED BY OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION AND THAT SECTOR REMAINS RELATIVELY QUIET.
IN THE POHANG AREA, ELEMENTS OF THE ROK CAPITOL DIVISION, REINFORCED BY OTHER ROK ARMY TROOPS, HAVE OCCUPIED KIGYE AND ADVANCED TO THE HIGH GROUND APPROXIMATELY TWO MILES NORTH OF THE TOWN. OTHER ROK FORCES HAVE OCCUPIED POHANG AND ADVANCED NORTH TO THE VICINITY OF PONGI. ROK FORCES IN THIS AREA ARE CONTINUING TO ADVANCE NORTH AGAINST LIGHT RESISTANCE.
IN OTHER SECTORS OF THE NORTHERN FRONT, THERE HAS BEEN A GENERAL LESSENING OF PRESSURE BY THE ENEMY AND LOSS OF CONTACT IN SOME SECTORS.
ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT THE ONLY ACTION OF SIGNIFICANCE WAS AN ENEMY ATTACK 18 AUGUST BY AN ESTIMATED ENEMY BATTALION ON ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION. THE ATTACK INITIALLY ACHIEVED A SLIGHT PENETRATION OF OUR DEFENSIVE POSITION, BUT WAS CONTAINED AND LATER WIPED OUT BY COUNTERATTACK; OUR ORIGINAL POSITIONS WERE COMPLETELY RESTORED. THE ENEMY SUFFERED AN ESTIMATED 300 CASUALTIES IN THIS ACTION.

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ESTIMATED ENEMY LOSSES TO U.S. FORCES FOR 17 AUGUST INCLUDED 1,250 CASUALTIES AND THREE POWS (PRISONERS OF WAR), AND 936 CASUALTIES AND 74 PRISONERS TO ROK FORCES.
IN SUCCESSFUL OPERATIONS 17 AUGUST ALONG THE EAST COAST OF KOREA, ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. NAVY TASK FORCE 77 CONDUCTED EXTENSIVE BOMBARDMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS TARGETS ON SHORE. A RAILROAD BRIDGE IN THE VICINITY OF IMMYONG WAS BOMBARDED AND DAMAGED. IN THE VICINITY OF TANCHON, A RAILROAD BRIDGE WAS HIT HEAVILY AND 200 FREIGHT CARS DESTROYED. IN THE BOMBARDMENT OF THE RAIL YARDS AT TANCHON, TRACKS WERE COMPLETELY DESTROYED. IN THE VICINITY OF ILSIN, 20 FREIGHT CARS WERE HIT. RAILROAD YARDS AT KUNSON WERE ATTACKED AND SMALL FIRES OBSERVED IN THE TARGET AREA. A RAILROAD BRIDGE IN THE VICINITY OF KWANSON WAS HIT AND GAPS ON BOTH ENDS WERE OBSERVED AFTER THE BOMBARD-

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MENT. THE SAME NAVAL UNITS ON 16 AUGUST ATTACKED A 125-TON DIESEL TUG WITH FOUR JUNKS IN TOW AND A SMALL POWER BOAT ALONG THE EAST COAST. THE TUG AND BOAT WERE 75 PER CENT DESTROYED AND THE JUNKS WERE LEFT ADRIFT.

ON THE WEST COAST ROK NAVY FORCES LANDED ON THE EAST COAST OF TOKCHOK ISLAND EARLY 18 AUGUST AFTER A SHORT BOMBARDMENT BY U.N. SHIPS. OCCUPATION OF CHINNI VILLAGE ON THAT ISLAND WAS ACCOMPLISHED WITHOUT INCIDENT. CARRIER-BASED AIRCRAFT CONTINUED TO PROVIDE CLOSE SUPPORT FOR GROUND FORCES ALONG THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

TACTICAL SUPPORT SORTIES FLOWN BY U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE, U.S. NAVY, AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE FIGHTERS INCLUDED BOMBING AND STRAFING MISSIONS IN THE KUNWI, KUMCHON, YONGDONG, KIGYE, ANDONG AND WAEGWAN AREAS. SOME OF THE MOST EFFECTIVE AIR SUPPORT OF GROUND OPERATIONS EXPERIENCED IN THE KOREAN WAR WAS RENDERED BY TACTICAL AIRCRAFT IN SUPPORT OF UNITED STATES AND ROK OFFENSIVES AGAINST THE YONGSAN BRIDGEHEAD AND THE RED FORCES NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN.

PRELIMINARY STRIKE REPORTS INDICATE DESTRUCTION OF 12 TANKS, 16 TRUCKS, EIGHT OTHER VEHICLES, ONE WAREHOUSE, 15 BUILDINGS HOUSING ENEMY TROOPS, THREE GUN EMPLACEMENTS, A BRIDGE NEAR ANDONG AND A LARGE NUMBER OF ENEMY TROOPS ATTEMPTING TO WITHDRAW ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER OPPOSITE YONGSAN. DAMAGED WERE 14 TANKS, 11 TRUCKS, 16 OTHER VEHICLES, NINE BOXCARS, ONE LOCOMOTIVE, TWO SMALL BOATS, A TUNNEL NEAR PUGANG AND A SUPPLY DUMP.

B-26 SORTIES WERE FLOWN ON MEDIUM-ALTITUDE BOMBING MISSIONS IN THE BATTLE ZONE AND B-29S BOMBED HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD BRIDGES ON THE EAST AND WEST COAST OF KOREA. THE KONAN CHEMICAL WORKS WAS HIT WITH RESULTS RANGING FROM FAIR TO EXCELLENT.

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TOKYO,AUG.19-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 276--AIR, TIMED AT 8:45 P.M. (5:45 A.M. EST.) TODAY:

ABOUT 90 U.S.FAR EAST AIR FORCES B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES STRUCK HEAVILY TODAY AT MILITARY INDUSTRIAL TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA, DROPPING NEARLY 800 TONS ON THREE TARGET SYSTEMS.

SEISHIN (CHONGJIN) WAS STRUCK BY MORE THAN 60 OF THE ATTACKING B-29S WHICH DROPPED MORE THAN 550 TONS ON THE MARSHALLING YARD, THE DEEP WATER PORT AND DOCK FACILITIES, AND ON THE MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS.

A SMALL FORCE OF B-29S HIT THE HAMHUNG MARSHALLING YARD WHILE STILL ANOTHER FORCE CONTINUED THE STRATEGIC RAILROAD INTERDICTION PROGRAM IN ATTACKS ON NUMEROUS KEY BRIDGES, NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

GOOD BOMBING WEATHER WAS ENCOUNTERED BY THE SUPERFORTS AT ALL THEIR TARGETS AND EXCELLENT RESULTS WERE OBTAINED ON THE SEISHIN COMPLEX.

THE FIRST WAVE OF THE B-29S BEGAN RELEASING THEIR BOMBS AT SEISHIN AT 10:50 A.M. (7:50 P.M. FRIDAY, E.S.T.) AND THE ATTACK CONTINUED FOR 55 MINUTES ENDING AT 11:45 THIS MORNING.

"LT. COL. JOSEPH D. WHITE, ALHAMBRA, CALIF., WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE MISSION, SAID "WE WERE THE THIRD SQUADRON OVER THE MARSHALLING YARDS. THE OTHER TWO FLIGHTS HAD ALREADY BOMBED AND CLOUDS OF DUST AND DEBRIS AND MANY SMALL FIRES COVERED THE RAID CENTER. OUR WHOLE BOMB LOAD STRUCK THE RAILROAD SHOPS AND MARSHALLING YARD AREA."

THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT SEISHIN ARE AMONG THE LARGEST IN NORTH KOREA. THEY ARE APPROXIMATELY ONE AND A HALF MILES LONG AND ABOUT A HALF MILE WIDE.

A SENIOR OFFICER OF THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND WHO REMAINED IN THE TARGET AREA THROUGHOUT THE THREE PRONGED ATTACK SAID, "ANOTHER GROUP OF B-29S BOMBED THE MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS ALONG THE COAST OF THE CITY. THE MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS ARE ABOUT ONE MILE LONG AND A LITTLE OVER A HALF MILE WIDE. THEY INCLUDE SOME OF THE MOST MODERN EQUIPMENT IN ASIA FOR PRODUCING IRON AND OTHER METALS.

"THE BOMBERS OVER THE IRON WORKS DROPPED THEIR BOMBS AND GREAT BALLS OF FIRE ABOUT 500 TO 1,000 FEET IN DIAMETER APPEARED, SURROUNDED BY THICK BLACK SMOKE WHICH SHOT UP IN COLUMNS 3,000 TO 5,000 FEET HIGH. THIS OCCURRED WHEN THE FIRST BOMB HIT THE TARGET. A SERIES OF LARGE FIRES AND TOWERING FLAMES AND SMOKE WERE VISIBLE DURING THE ENTIRE BOMBING ON THIS MITSUBISHI PLANT."

OTHER B-29S STRUCK THE DOCK, HARBOR AND WAREHOUSE AREAS. BIG FIRES WERE SET IN THE DOCK AREA AND APPARENTLY A BRISK BREEZE WAS BLOWING WHICH KEPT THESE FIRES GOING AND WERE CONTINUOUSLY INCREASING IN INTENTISTY WHEN THE SUPERFORTS LEFT THE TARGET.

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"FIRES IN THE MARSHALLING YARDS COULD BE SEEN BURNING AS LONG AS AN HOUR AND A HALF AFTER THE BOMBERS LEFT THE TARGET," THE SENIOR OFFICER SAID.

THE FACTORY APPEARED TO BE IN FULL PRODUCTION WHEN THE FIRST WAVE OF B-29S STRUCK, CREWMEN REPORTED.

"THE TALL CHIMNEYS WERE BELCHING SMOKE IN APPROVED IRON AND STEEL FACTORY FASHION. WITHOUT QUESTION, IT WAS BEING HEAVILY USED PRIOR TO TODAY'S ATTACK," ONE OF THEM SAID.

TARGET ANALYSTS OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES POINTED OUT THAT THE LARGE BALLS OF FIRE REPORTED AS COMING FROM THE MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS QUITE POSSIBLY WOULD BE THE RESULT OF DIRECT BOMB HITS ON THE FURNACES CONTAINING MOLTEN METAL. THIS HOT METAL, SPEWING OUT IN WAVES THROUGHOUT THE FACTORY AREA, COULD WELL HAVE TOUCHED OFF LARGE FIRES ALMOST INSTANTANEOUSLY.

SEISHIN IS THE SECOND MOST IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL CITY (197,000 POPULATION) IN NORTHERN KOREA, AND IT IS ONE OF THE BEST PORTS ON THE EAST COAST. IT IS SITUATED ABOUT 50 NAUTICAL MILES DOWN THE COAST FROM THE NORTHEASTERN BORDER. THE PORT CAN HANDLE OCEAN GOING VESSELS, AND ITS ESTIMATED CAPACITY IS 20,000 LONG TONS DAILY. THE MITSUBISHI PLANT IS ONE OF TWO IRON WORKS THERE, AND IN THE PAST WAS A VITAL PART OF THE MITSUBISHI INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATION.

HAMHUNG (POPULATION 75,000) IS A SMALL INDUSTRIAL CENTER SITUATED S SHORT DISTANCE UP THE RIVER FROM HUNGNAM, THE CHEMICAL AND INDUSTRIAL CENTER WHICH WAS ONE OF THE CHIEF STRATEGIC TARGETS HIT EARLIER BY B-29S. THE RAIL YARD AT HAMHUNG CONNECTS THE LINE FROM THE NORTH TO THE SYSTEM FEEDING SOUTHWARD TOWARD THE BATTLE AREA.

NO FLAK AND NO ENEMY FIGHTERS WERE ENCOUNTERED ON TODAY'S MISSION. RESULTS ON THE HAMHUNG STRIKE AND THE ATTACKS ON THE RAILWAY SYSTEM HAVE NOT BEEN RECEIVED.

FINAL EVALUATION OF TODAY'S SEISHIN ATTACK WILL BE MADE AS SOON AS THE FIRES DIE DOWN AND CLEAR AERIAL PHOTOS CAN BE TAKEN.

JET PILOTS FIRED AGAINST NORTH KOREAN TAINS AND OIL SUPPLIES SATURDAY, SCORING DIRECT HITS IN SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES FIGHTING IN SOUTH KOREA.

A FLIGHT OF U.S. AIR FORCE F-80 PILOTS STRAFED A 15-CAR TRAIN EAST OF SEOUL AFTER KNOCKING OUT TWO FLAK POSITIONS ON A HILL. FLAK WAS FIRED AGAINST THE JET AIRPLANES IN A FUTILE EFFORT TO PROTECT THE

TRAIN.
"WE DREW FLAK FIRE ON THE FIRST PASS AGAINST THE TRAIN, BUT IT DID US NO DAMAGE AND WE SUCCEEDED IN STILLING THE SOURCE," SAID FIRST LT.CLARENCE (SPIKE) HERRINGTON, NEW ALBANY, MISS.
CAPT.VERN PETERSEN, NEW LONDON, CONN., WHO LED THIS FLIGHT SAID: "WE STRAFED THE 15 BOX CARS WITH GOOD RESULTS AND THEN WORKED ON 10 MORE WEST OF WONJU. FLYING SOUTHWARD WE SAW ANOTHER TAIN AND STRAFED AND ROCKETED IT."
CAPT.WILLIAM H.HOLT, SAN DIEGO, CALIF., LED A FLIGHT OF F-80S AGAINST OIL DRUMS WEST OF TAEGU TODAY. "WE HIT FROM 10 TO 22 WITH .50 CALIBRE FIRE," SAID CAPT. HOLT.
THE THIRD BOMB GROUP'S B-26S FLEW MORE THAN 30 MISSIONS FRIDAY NIGHT AND SATURDAY IN INTRUDER ATTACKS AGAINST RAILROAD, TRAINS, CONVOYS AND OTHER ENEMY TARGETS.
A TANK AND TWO TRUCKS WERE LEFT BURNING AT HAJANG. "WE WENT AFTER THE TANK FIRST AND THEN GOT THE TRUCKS," SAID THE CREW ON RETURN TO BASE. ALL (VEHICLES) WERE BURNING WHEN THEY LEFT THE AREA.
FIRST LT.BILLEY REYNOLDS, ROUTE 2, CLEVELAND, MISS., HIT RAILROAD TRACKS AND A TRAIN BRIDGE SOUTH OF MUNSAN. "WE ALSO STRAFED LOCOMOTIVES AT SUWON," HE SAID.
A LOCOMOTIVE WAS STRAFED SOUTHWEST OF SEOUL BY A B-26 FLOWN BY CAPT. RICHARD H.SMITH, 196 CANDLER NORTH EAST, ATLANTA, GA. "WE ALSO SEVERED SOME RAILROAD TRACKS IN THE AREA ON BOMB RUNS," HE SAID.
OTHER B-26S TODAY CONTINUED ATTACKS AGAINST BOX CARS, BRIDGES, CULVERTS AND TROOPS.
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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.20-(AP)-THE TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS RELEASE NO.277; ISSUED AT 12:05 A.M. TODAY (9:05 A.M. SATURDAY, EST.):
CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY HAS BEEN BROKEN IN THE SOUTH KOREAN SECOND CORPS AREA NORTH OF KUNWI, AND PATROLS PENETRATING FOUR TO SIX MILES REPORT THAT NO ENEMY RESISTANCE HAS BEEN ENCOUNTERED.
AN UNCONFIRMED POW (PRISON OF WAR) REPORT STATES THAT THE FIRST, THIRD, 13TH AND 15TH COMMUNIST DIVISIONS ARE PREPARING FOR AN ASSAULT TO BREACH THE DEFENSE LINE OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES.
PROBING ACTIONS WERE CONTINUING BY THE RED FORCES ALONG THE EXTENDED NAKTONG RIVER LINE IN EFFORTS TO DETERMINE "SOFT SPOTS" IN THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE POSITIONS. SPORADIC SMALL ARMS AND AUTOMATIC FIRE CONTINUED TO FALL INTO U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN POSITIONS THROUGHOUT THE AFTERNOON.
PILOTS REPORTED THAT ENEMY BUILDUP CONTINUED IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR, WITH TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS IN THE VICINITY 30 MILES WEST AND SOUTHWEST OF MASAN.
THE WATER EVACUATION OF THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION FROM THE YONGDOK AREA WAS COMPLETED WITH ALL TROOPS, VEHICLES, AMMUNITION AND SUPPLIES SAFELY REMOVED.
OTHER SECTORS OF THE KOREAN FRONT REMAINED RELATIVELY QUIET.
ENEMY CASUALTIES FOR THE 24-HOUR PERIOD ENDING AT MIDNIGHT AUG.18 WERE ESTIMATED AT 3,520 AND SIX PRISONERS BY THE AMERICAN UNITS, AND 2,164 CASUALTIES INFLICTED BY THE SOUTH KOREAN ELEMENTS.
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U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 19-(AP)-TEXT OF ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 49, ISSUED AT 3:20 P.M. (12:20 A.M. EST) TODAY:
THERE WERE SMALL ATTACKS ALL ALONG THE 25TH DIVISION FRONT FRIDAY. ALTHOUGH SOME GROUND WAS LOST DURING THE ATTACKS, ALL POSITIONS WERE SUCCESSFULLY REGAINED BY FRIENDLY TROOPS. THREE HUNDRED ENEMY WERE REPORTED KILLED BY THE U.S. 35TH RCT (REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM).
IN THE 24TH DIVISION AREA THE ATTACK ON THE SOUTHERN ENEMY POCKET WAS SUCCESSFUL. MOPPING UP OPERATIONS ARE NOW IN PROGRESS. PATROLS IN FORCE, OPERATING AGAINST THE ENEMY IN THE NORTHERN SECTION OF THE SECTOR, WERE FIRED ON. NO AGGRESSIVE ACTION BY THIS ENEMY FORCE WAS REPORTED.
THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION REPORTED ALL QUIET.
THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION, UNDER ATTACK YESTERDAY, IS NOW ATTACKING. THE ATTACK HAS BEEN LAUNCHED, BUT NO PROGRESS REPORTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED. FIVE ENEMY TANKS MADE AN ATTACK BUT WERE BEATEN OFF -- TWO WERE DESTROYED BY BAZOOKA FIRE AND TWO WERE DESTROYED BY ARTILLERY FIRE.
THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAVE MADE SHORT ADVANCES IN THE EAST SECTOR AGAINST LIGHT OPPOSITION, AT LAST REPORT.
OTHER SECTORS WERE QUIET.
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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.20-(AP)-THE TEXT OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 50, ISSUED AT 1:25 P.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (10:25 P.M., EST, SATURDAY) FOLLOWS:
IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR THE ACTION WAS LIGHT IN THE SOUTH AND CENTRAL SECTIONS, BUT AN ATTACK BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES APPEARS TO BE DEVELOPING IN THE NORTH PARTNOF THE SECTOR.
IN THE 24TH DIVISION SECTOR MOPPING UP OPERATIONS ARE CONTINUING IN THE ENEMY POCKET IN THE SOUTH. THE ENEMY POCKET IN THE NORTH IS NOT TAKING, [redacted] OFFENSIVE ACTION.
IN THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR THERE WAS LITTLE ACTIVITY. ONE THOUSAND NORTH KOREAN DEAD WERE REPORTED IN THE NORTH SECTION WHERE A COUNTERATTACK WAS MADE BY 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION UNITS ON 17 AUGUST.
THE 1ST ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) DIVISION SUPPORTED BY U.S. ARMY UNITS CONTINUED TO ADVANCE AGAINST THE ENEMY. CONTACT WAS MAINTAINED WITH FRIENDLY FORCES ON BOTH FLANKS.
THE ROK 6TH, 8TH AND CAPITAL DIVISIONS REPORTED NO REAL CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY.
THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN THE EAST SECTOR CONTINUED TO ADVANCE.
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LONDON, AUG.19-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:

"ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, CONTINUING TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, INFLICTED SERIOUS LOSSES ON THEM.

"UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH LIBERATED KUNWI CONTINUED THE OFFENSIVE IN THE AREA SOUTH OF KUNWI AND INFLICTED ENORMOUS LOSSES ON THE FIFTH DIVISION OF THE SYNGMAN RHEE PUPPET TROOPS WHO WERE TRYING TO OFFER RESISTANCE. TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, ADVANCING ALONG THE SOUTH COAST, CONTINUED TO PRESS FORWARD, STRIKING CRUSHING BLOWS ON UNITS OF THE AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION, WHICH WAS RETREATING FOLLOWING A DEFEAT.

"UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY OPERATING ON THE EAST COAST ARE BEATING OFF AN ENEMY COUNTEROFFENSIVE AND WAGING FIERCE BATTLES.

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LONDON, AUG 19-(AP)-THE MOSCOW RADIO TONIGHT BROADCAST THE FOLLOWING NORTH KOREAN EVENING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE STUBBORNLY RESISTING ENEMY. AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE FORCES SUPPORTED BY AMERICAN AIRCRAFT ARE OFFERING FIERCE RESISTANCE.

ON THE EAST COAST THE ENEMY LAUNCHED A COUNTERATTACK TO RECAPTURE POINTS OCCUPIED BY UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY. BUT UNDER BLOWS OF TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY THE ENEMY IS RETREATING AND SUSTAINING HEAVY LOSSES.

AMERICAN PLANES ARE BARBAROUSLY BOMBING PEACEFUL TOWNS AND VILLAGES. ON AUG. 18 AMERICAN BOMBERS BARBAROUSLY RAIDED MANY POPULATED AREAS IN THE PROVINCES OF SOUTH PYONGYANG, SOUTH HAMGYON AND KANGWON. AS A RESULT OF THE BOMBING MANY DWELLING HOUSES, CULTURAL AND EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS WERE DESTROYED. THERE WERE MANY CASUALTIES AMONG THE CIVILIAN POPULATION.

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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 20-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR TODAY WARNED THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF NORTH KOREAN FORCES HE WOULD BE HELD RESPONSIBLE IF ATROCITIES AGAINST UNITED NATIONS TROOPS ARE NOT STOPPED.

THE WARNING, BROADCAST BY RADIO AND CONTAINED IN LEAFLETS DROPPED BY PLANES SAID "UNCONTROVERTIBLE EVIDENCE" SHOWED THAT IN MANY INSTANCES UNITED NATIONS PRISONERS WERE MURDERED.

"THESE CRIMES ARE NOT ONLY AGAINST THE VICTIMS THEMSELVES BUT AGAINST HUMANITY AS WELL," THE WARNING STATED.

MACARTHUR SAID THE ATROCITIES COULD BE STOPPED BY A COMMAND ORDER.

IF THEY ARE "NOT PROMPTLY CORRECTED I SHALL HOLD YOU AND YOUR COMMANDERS CRIMINALLY ACCOUNTABLE UNDER THE RULES AND PRECEDENTS OF WAR."

(THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF NORTH KOREAN FORCES IS THE PREMIER, KIM IL SUNG)

THE MOST RECENT NORTH KOREAN ATROCITIES REPORTED WERE COMMITTED DURING A BATTLE AGAINST THE U.S. CAVALRY DIVISION NORTH OF WAEGWAN FOR HILL 303, FINALLY WON BY THE AMERICANS.

THREE U.S. SOLDIERS REPORTED 32 OF THEIR COMRADES WERE SHOT AFTER BEING STRIPPED NAKED AND THEIR HANDS TIED BEHIND THEM. THE REDS KILLED THE PRISONERS HURRIEDLY WHEN RESCUING AMERICANS APPROACHED. LATER SEVEN AMERICAN TANKMEN WERE REPORTED EXECUTED IN THE SAME FIGHTING.

THREE REDS, IDENTIFIED AS PARTICIPANTS IN THESE ATROCITIES, WERE CAPTURED.

"TO THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF ARMED FORCES OF NORTH KOREA:

"ON JULY 4, I PROCLAIMED IT TO BE THE FIRM PURPOSE OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND TO EXTEND TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE INVADING NORTH KOREAN FORCES WHO FALL INTO THE HANDS OF THE FORCES OF THE UNITED NATIONS THE FULL MEASURE OF PROTECTION PROVIDED BY THE RULES OF CIVILIZED WARFARE AND I CALLED UPON YOU IN TURN TO TAKE PROPER ACTION TO INSURE THAT THE SAME PROTECTION BE ACCORDED MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND WHO FALL INTO THE HANDS OF THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES.

"THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND HAS FAITHFULLY FULFILLED ITS CORRESPONDING OBLIGATIONS BUT UNCONTROVERTIBLE EVIDENCE HAS BEEN DISCLOSED A SERIES OF REVOLTING ATROCITIES COMMITTED BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES UPON UNITED NATIONS' PRISONERS OF WAR. THERE IS DOCUMENTED PROOF OF MANY INSTANCES IN WHICH SUCH PRISONERS DISARMED AND BOUND HAVE BEEN BRUTALLY MURDERED BY YOUR OFFICERS AND MEN HOLDING CUSTODIAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THEIR SAFETY. THESE CRIMES ARE NOT ONLY AGAINST THE VICTIMS THEMSELVES BUT AGAINST ALL HUMANITY AS WELL. THEY ARE CRIMES WHICH COULD BE AVOIDED BY THE SIMPLE EXPEDIENT OF AN ORDER BY YOU TO YOUR CORPS AND DIVISION COMMANDERS IN SUCH TERMS AS TO MAKE UNMISTAKABLY CLEAR YOUR DETERMINATION TO STOP SUCH ATROCITIES.

"INERTIA ON YOUR PART AND ON THE PART OF YOUR SENIOR FIELD COMMANDERS IN THE DISCHARGE OF THIS GRAVE AND UNIVERSALLY RECOGNIZED COMMAND RESPONSIBILITY MAY ONLY BE CONSTRUED AS A CONDONATION AND ENCOURAGEMENT OF SUCH OUTRAGES FOR WHICH, IF NOT PROMPTLY CORRECTED, I SHALL HOLD YOU AND YOUR COMMANDERS CRIMINALLY ACCOUNTABLE UNDER THE RULES AND PRECEDENTS OF WAR.

"(SIGNED) DOUGLAS MACARTHUR."

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TOKYO,AUG.19-(AP)-WAR CORRESPONDENTS IN KOREA FILED ONLY A TRICKLE OF NEWS TODAY BECAUSE THEIR COMMUNICATIONS LINES--BOTH TELEPHONE AND TELE-TYPE--WERE REMOVED.

ARMY OFFICIALS EXPLAINED THE EQUIPMENT WAS NEEDED TO BUILD UP COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES IN OTHER MILITARY INSTALLATIONS.

THE TELETYPE CIRCUIT AND TELEPHONE LINES WHICH HAD LINKED CORRES-PONDENTS WITH THEIR TOKYO OFFICES WERE REMOVED COMPLETELY.

THE ONLY NEWS THAT COULD BE RELAYED FROM HEADQUARTERS CORRESPONDENTS WAS PHONED OVER ONE OF THE FEW NON-MILITARY TELEPHONES STILL REMAINING IN USE.

(IN WASHINGTON, THE ARMY SAID THAT AN APPLICATION OF PRESS WIRELESS TO OPERATE COMMERCIAL COMMUNICATIONS FOR CORRESPONDENTS IN KOREA HAS BEEN APPROVED.

(AN ARMY REPRESENTATIVE TOLD REPORTERS ALSO THAT EFFORTS ARE BEING MADE TO ARRANGE FOR PRESS WIRELESS EQUIPMENT TO BE FLOWN TO KOREA. THE PROBLEM OF PROVIDING TEMPORARY COMMUNICATIONS PENDING THE ARRIVAL OF THIS EQUIPMENT IS EXPECTED TO BE DISCUSSED BY THE ARMY WITH GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS.)

(ARMY OFFICIALS ESTIMATED THAT IT WILL TAKE TWO WEEKS FOR PRESS WIRELESS EQUIPMENT TO BE FLOWN TO KOREA AND PLACED IN OPERATION.)

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ALWAYS HAS BARRED NEWSMEN FROM USING TELEPHONES INSIDE OF HEADQUARTERS.

REMOVAL OF TELEPHONES AND TELETYPES HAS BEEN UNDERWAY TWO DAYS.

THE LAST PRESS TELEPHONE LINE, LOCATED IN THE CORRESPONDENTS' BILLET, WAS TAKEN OUT TODAY AFTER NEWSMEN LITERALLY SAT ON IT TO HOLD IT, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON REPORTED.

AT ONE POINT IN NEGOTIATIONS PRECEDING THIS IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THE TELEPHONE WOULD BE LEFT FOR THE USE OF CORRESPONDENTS. LATER THIS LAST CIRCUIT ALSO WAS TAKEN OUT ALTHOUGH BRIG.GEN.GEORGE I.BACK, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S SIGNAL OFFICER, SAID HE HAD INFORMED HIS FIELD OFFICERS THAT IF THE EQUIPMENT WERE NOT NEEDED IT WOULD BE "DESIRABLE" TO KEEP IT FOR PRESS USE.

BACK SAID IT WAS "NECESSARY TO THIN OUT THE SIGNAL CORPS EQUIPMENT" AT HEADQUARTERS "TO PROVIDE SOME AUXILIARY COMMUNICATIONS FOR OTHER POINTS."

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FURTHER EXPLANATION FROM EIGHTH ARMY FIELD HEADQUARTERS WAS UNAVAILABLE BECAUSE NEITHER THEY NOR ERICKSON COULD BE REACHED BY TELEPHONE.

IT WAS LIKELY, HOWEVER, THAT OTHER MILITARY FACTORS WERE INVOLVED.

BACK SAID HE WAS INFORMED THE EIGHTH ARMY PROPOSED TO LIMIT NEWSMEN TO A SINGLE POOL STORY, ON BEHALF OF ALL OF THEM, RUNNING A MAXIMUM OF 2,000 WORDS, TO BE PHONED TO TOKYO SOMETIME BETWEEN MIDNIGHT AND MORNING.

ERICKSON WAS ASKED ABOUT THIS DURING A ONE MINUTE TELEPHONE CONVERSATION EARLY TONIGHT AND REPLIED "WE HAVEN'T BEEN INFORMED OF THAT YET." SUBSEQUENT ATTEMPTS TO REACH HIM BY TELEPHONE FAILED.

THERE WAS EQUAL CONFUSION CONCERNING THE AVAILABILITY OF COMMUNICATIONS AT THE EIGHTH ARMY REAR HEADQUARTERS. BACK SAID TELETYPE AND TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS WERE AVAILABLE FOR PRESS USE THERE. ERICKSON SAID HE HAD BEEN TOLD THAT PRESS CIRCUITS WERE NOT YET OPEN TO TOKYO FROM THAT POINT.

IN ANY CASE THE TWO HEADQUARTERS ARE SUFFICIENTLY FAR APART TO REQUIRE SOME TIME FOR SUCH A RELAY OF COPY.

THE BLACKOUT ON NEWS CHANNELS WAS EXPECTED TO BE ONLY TEMPORARY. WHILE IT LASTS, HOWEVER, COVERAGE OF SOME MOMENTOUS WAR DEVELOPMENTS PROBABLY WILL BE SHARPLY RESTRICTED FOR NEWS AGENCIES WHICH MUST MOVE THEIR COPY BY THE FASTEST POSSIBLE MEANS.

MANY SPECIAL CORRESPONDENTS FOR INDIVIDUAL NEWSPAPERS, WITH SEVERAL HOURS BETWEEN DEADLINES, HAVE FLOWN BACK TO JAPAN TO FILE THEIR STORIES.

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DURING THE EARLY DAYS OF THE FIGHTING NEWSMEN WERE PLAGUED BY SIMILAR CONDITIONS.

FOR THE PAST FEW WEEKS, HOWEVER, TELETYPE AND TELEPHONE CIRCUITS BETWEEN FIELD HEADQUARTERS AND TOKYO HAVE FUNCTIONED COMPARATIVELY WELL. A VAST AMOUNT OF COPY HAS BEEN MOVED OVER THEM AND TELEPHONE CALLS, IN BOTH DIRECTIONS, WERE PERMITTED WHENEVER THE PRESS CIRCUIT WAS FREE.

HEADQUARTERS CORRESPONDENTS FOR NEW AGENCIES CLEARED COPY FROM MOST OF THE FIELD CORRESPONDENTS, WHO CANNOT CONTACT TOKYO DIRECTLY. TOKYO IN TURN IS THE CENTER FOR A SECOND RELAY OPERATION TO ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

BACK SAID THE SIGNAL CORPS WAS NOT ADEQUATELY EQUIPPED TO HANDLE THE SUDDEN UPSURGE OF PRESS AND MILITARY TRAFFIC CREATED BY THE WAR. THERE IS NOT ENOUGH EQUIPMENT TO HANDLE ALL REQUIREMENTS, HE EXPLAINED.

MOST CORRESPONDENTS ARE CONVINCED SIGNAL OFFICERS HAVE DONE THEIR BEST TO TAKE CARE OF THE SITUATION.

"WE WOULD PREFER TO TURN THE WHOLE PROBLEM OVER TO COMMERCIAL AGENCIES," BACK SAID. "THEY ARE EQUIPPED TO HANDLE DIRECT TRANSMISSION FROM KOREA TO THE UNITED STATES OVER PORTABLE EQUIPMENT."

THIS WAS DONE FROM MOST ALLIED COMBAT ZONES IN WORLD WAR TWO.

BACK SAID COMMERCIAL AGENCIES HAVE APPLIED FOR PERMISSION TO OPERATE IN KOREA. THE PROPOSAL HAS BEEN APPROVED BY MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AND IS IN WASHINGTON FOR FINAL ACTION, HE SAID.

THE USE OF COMMERCIAL FACILITIES WOULD ELIMINATE THE NECESSITY FOR A RELAY THROUGH TOKYO AND WOULD RELIEVE THE PRESSURE ON MILITARY CIRCUITS, BACK SAID.

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SECOND LEAD UNDATED NEWS BLACKOUT

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

(FX)..A "CURTAIN" THAT BLACKED OUT TRANSPACIFIC RADIO TRANSMISSIONS FOR 10 HOURS LIFTED SATURDAY NIGHT (U.S.DATE) BUT ONLY A TRICKLE OF WAR NEWS CAME OUT OF KOREA WHERE THE U.S.ARMY-DISRUPTED PRESS COMMUNICATIONS.

WAR COVERAGE FROM TOKYO HEADQUARTERS FLOWED INTERMITTENTLY AFTER THE ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS CAUSED A COMPLETE RADIO BLACKOUT MOST OF THE DAY.

BUT EVEN MORE SPOTTY WAS THE WAR NEWS FROM KOREA WHERE THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HAD REMOVED TELEPHONE AND TELETYPE LINES USED BY CORRESPONDENTS TO GET THEIR DISPATCHES FROM ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS TO TOKYO.

FOR THE FIRST TIME IN WEEKS ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON FAILED TO CONTACT TOKYO SUNDAY MORNING KOREAN TIME FROM EIGHTH ARMY ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS. THIS MEANT HE COULD NOT USE A TELEPHONE.

THE LITTLE NEWS THAT GOT OUT OF KOREA CAME THROUGH REAR HEADQUARTERS AT PUSAN. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THIS MAIN SUPPLY PORT AT THE SOUTHEASTERN TIP OF KOREA WERE GOOD TO TOKYO. TELEPHONE AND TELETYPE CIRCUITS WERE IN OPERATION.

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ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH MANAGED TO GET SOME DISPATCHES THERE AND TRANSMIT THEM TO TOKYO. THESE INCLUDED SOME COPY FROM CORRESPONDENTS ERICKSON AND JACK MACBETH. HUTH HAD OBTAINED FRAGMENTARY INFORMATION FROM ERICKSON AND MACBETH BY INTERNAL KOREAN TELEPHONE CALLS.

ADVANCED AND REAR HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, TOKYO REPORTED, WERE LINKED BY COURIER PLANES AND DISPATCHES MOVING BY THIS MEANS WERE SUBJECT TO CONSIDERABLE DELAY. MOST OF THE NEWS ORIGINATED AT FORWARD HEADQUARTERS.

THE PROBLEM WAS TO BRIDGE THE GAP BETWEEN THE NEWS FOUNTAINHEAD NEAR THE FRONT AND THE GOOD COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES IN THE REAR.

JUST BEFORE THE TELEPHONE LINE FROM ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS WAS TAKEN DOWN ERICKSON INFORMED TOKYO THAT ARMY OFFICERS SAID THE EQUIPMENT WAS NEEDED BY THE MILITARY ELSEWHERE.

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COMBINED WITH THE ATMOSPHERIC RADIO BLACKOUT, THIS BROUGHT VIRTUALLY AN IRON CURTAIN DOWN ON ANY LAST-MINUTE DEVELOPMENTS FROM THE CRITICAL SOUTH KOREAN BATTLEGROUND.

NEWSMEN HAD BEEN EITHER TELEPHONING OR TELETYPING THEIR STORIES FROM SOUTH KOREA TO TOKYO, WHERE THEY ARE RELAYED BY RADIO TO THE UNITED STATES.

THE NATURAL BLACKOUT FELL ABOUT 11 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME SATURDAY, AND STILL HELD NEARLY SIX HOURS LATER. RECEPTION HAD BEEN BAD FOR SEVERAL HOURS BEFORE THE COMPLETE INTERRUPTION OF SIGNALS.

RADIO TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION WITH TOKYO FAILED ABOUT THE SAME TIME AS RADIO SIGNALS.

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THERE IS NO TRANS-PACIFIC UNDERWATER CABLE CONNECTION BETWEEN THE U.S. AND JAPAN.

RADIO TRANSMISSION OF PRESS AND COMMERCIAL MESSAGES TO AND FROM THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE AND SOUTH AMERICA ALSO WAS DISRUPTED.

A WESTERN UNION SPOKESMAN SAID AN ATMOSPHERIC DISTURBANCE--THE AURORA BOREALIS OR "NORTHERN LIGHTS"--WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ATLANTIC BLACKOUT. HE SAID IT LASTED ABOUT HALF AN HOUR.

ARMY OFFICERS IN KOREA DID NOT EXPLAIN WHERE THEY INTENDED TO USE THE TELEPHONE AND TELETYPE EQUIPMENT.

AP CORRESPONDENT RUSSELL BRINES IN TOKYO SAID THE BLACKOUT OF NEWS CHANNELS WAS EXPECTED TO BE ONLY TEMPORARY. HE REPORTED:

"WHILE IT LASTS, HOWEVER, COVERAGE OF SOME MOMENTOUS WAR DEVELOPMENTS PROBABLY WILL BE SHARPLY RESTRICTED FOR NEWS AGENCIES WHICH MUST MOVE THEIR COPY BY THE FASTEST POSSIBLE MEANS."

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ARMY OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON SAID ONE COMMERCIAL COMPANY--PRESS WIRELESS, INC.---HAD RECEIVED PERMISSION TO HANDLE NEWS DISPATCHES FROM KOREA. HE SAID EFFORTS WERE BEING MADE TO HAVE PRESS WIRELESS EQUIPMENT FLOWN TO KOREA.

ARMY OFFICIALS ESTIMATED HOWEVER, THAT IT WOULD TAKE TWO WEEKS FOR THE EQUIPMENT TO BE FLOWN TO KOREA AND PLACED IN OPERATION.

DURING THE EARLY DAYS OF THE SEVEN-WEEK-OLD WAR, CORRESPONDENTS ALSO WERE STYMIED BY COMMUNICATIONS DIFFICULTIES. FOR SEVERAL DAYS ONLY ONE TELEPHONE LINE WAS AVAILABLE BETWEEN THE BATTLE ZONE AND TOKYO.

IN RECENT WEEKS, HOWEVER, THE SITUATION HAD IMPROVED TO SUCH AN EXTENT THAT A DISPATCH FILED BY AP STAFFER DON WHITEHEAD FROM THE FRONT WAS SENT TO TOKYO, RELAYED TO THE UNITED STATES AND SIGNED OFF ON NEWS WIRES IN THIS COUNTRY WITHIN EIGHT MINUTES.

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BY DON HUTH (150)

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG.19-(AP)-SOME 50,000 SOUTH KOREAN REFUGEES ARE BEING TRANSPORTED DOWN THE NAKTONG RIVER TO THE ISLAND OF KOJE OFF THE SOUTHERN COAST OF KOREA.

REFUGEES HAVE BEEN A SERIOUS HAZARD TO FIGHTING MEN AT THE FRONT. THEY HAVE CLOGGED ROADS AND HAMPERED THE MOVEMENT OF MEN AND EQUIPMENT TO THE BATTLEFRONTS.

THE EVACUATION PROGRAM IS UNDER THE DIRECTION OF COMMANDER MICHAEL J.LUOSEY (CQ) OF SOUTH LAGUNA, CALIF., COMMANDER OF FLEET ACTIVITIES AT PUSAN.

THE REFUGEES ARE BEING MOVED DOWN THE WINDING RIVER IN SMALL STEAMERS AND RIVER SAILBOATS. THEY WERE TOLD WHERE TO MEET ALONG THE RIVER FOR THE TRIP DOWNSTREAM.

KOJE IS 25 MILES SOUTHWEST OF PUSAN.

THE WATERBORNE EVACUATION PROGRAM STARTED AUG.15. TWO PREVIOUS GROUPS WERE MOVED TO KOJE--20,000 FROM CHINHAE AND 30,000 FRO AMSAN ON THE SOUTHERN COAST.

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BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.20-(AP)-REPORTS OF UNREST IN KOREAN AREAS CONQUERED BY THE COMMUNISTS WERE RECEIVED TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S INTELLIGENCE STAFF.

"THE 'LIBERATED' AREAS ARE NOT TOO QUIET," THE SPOKESMAN TOLD CORRESPONDENTS. HE SAID THIS IS ONE REASON WHY COMMUNISTS NOW ARE BEGINNING TO FEEL A MANPOWER SHORTAGE IN THE FRONT LINES.

THE SPOKESMAN ADDED:

"LINE COMMUNICATION DUTIES AND POSSIBLY SECURITY ACTIONS TO SECURE THE REAR AREAS HAVE ABSORBED AVAILABLE RESERVES AND FOR THE PRESENT AT LEAST THEY CAN ATTAIN ADDED UNITS IN ANY ONE SECTOR ONLY BY PULLING THEM OUT OF SOME OTHER SECTOR OF THE FRONT."

HE DIDN'T SAY WHETHER DISSATISFACTION OF THE POPULACE DERIVED FROM FORCED LABOR OR FROM POLCIES STIMULATED BY ALLIED GUERRILLA ACTIONS.

A FRONTLINE MANPOWER SITUATION PARALLELING THAT FACING AMERICANS IN THE EARLY DAYS OF THE KOREAN WAR CONFRONTS THE REDS' GREEN 10TH DIVISION WHICH HAS UNITS IN THE HYONPUNG BRIDGEHEAD, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE TENTH NOW AWAITS THE POSSIBILITY OF MEETING THE MARINES AND DOUGHBOYS WHO HAVE JUST WIPED OUT ITS FLANK BY SMASHING THE KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION.

THE FOURTH TRIED ONE OF THE MOST DIFFICULT MILITARY MANEUVERS TO ESCAPE A MAULING IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. IT ATTEMPTED TO WITHDRAW IN THE MIDDLE OF A FLAMING BATTLE, EWEN TRIED TO RE-CROSS THE NAKTONG

THEN TRIED TO RE-CROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER. AS A RESULT, HUNDREDS WERE MOWED DOWN.

THE REDS STILL HAVE NUMERICAL SUPERIORITY AND ARE MASSING NORTH OF TAEGU. THEY RETAIN THE INITIATIVE BUT THEIR NEXT MOVE IS UNCERTAIN.

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JAPAN WHITE PAPER BJT (520)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT TODAY ISSUED A 3,800-WORD "WHITE PAPER" PLACING NIPPON SQUARELY BEHIND THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE KOREAN WAR AS "A MEASURE FOR OUR OWN SELF DEFENSE."
IT WAS THE GOVERNMENT'S FIRST FORMAL STATEMENT OF POLICY SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF HOSTILITIES AND AGREED WITH PAST STATEMENTS OF POLITICAL AND INDUSTRIAL LEADERS.
JAPAN IS THE MAJOR FORWARD STAGING AREA FOR THE U.N. KOREAN EFFORT.
THE LENGTHY WHITE PAPER DID NOT SPECIFICALLY STATE HOW JAPAN PROPOSED TO ASSIST BUT SAID:
"TO COOPERATE WITH THE DEMOCRACIES AND ASSIST IN STRENGTHENING THEIR UNITY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AS NOTHING LESS THAN A MEASURE OF OUR OWN SELF DEFENSE."
THE PAPER ALSO PLACED JAPAN IN THE WESTERN DEMOCRACIES CAMP IN THE WORLD STRUGGLE AGAINST COMMUNISM.
"THE ONLY THING CAPABLE OF DEFENDING US FROM THE BRUTE FORCE OF COMMUNISM IS THE STRENGTH WHICH COMES FROM THE UNITY OF THE DEMOCRACIES," IT SAID.
THE WHITE PAPER CALLED ON ALL JAPANESE TO HELP PREVENT ACTS OF SABOTAGE.
IT SPECIFICALLY POINTED TO PAST LEFTIST LED "POLITICAL DEMONSTRATIONS, STRIKES AND OTHER INCIDENTS" AS PART OF THE WORLDWIDE COMMUNIST STRUGGLE.
IT WARNED THAT SPORADIC "ACTS OF SABOTAGE" BY JAPANESE COMMUNISTS "ARE LIKELY TO ASSUME AN ORGANIZED FORM" AND ADDED:
"IT CERTAINLY WOULD NOT BE WISE TO LEAVE THE CONTROL OF SUCH ACTS ONLY TO THE POLICE. IT IS THE DUTY OF EVERYONE OF US TO DO OUR PART AND THEREBY PRESERVE OUR NATIONAL SECURITY."
"THERE IS NO ROOM FOR 'NON INVOLVEMENT' OR 'NEUTRALITY,'" IT WARNED. INFLUENTIAL MINORITIES HAVE LOUDLY ESPOUSED SUCH VIEWPOINTS.
INSOFAR AS THE IDEOLOGICAL WAR IS CONCERNED, THE STATEMENT SAID, "WE JAPANESE, WHO ALREADY IN THE FIELD OF BATTLE, CANNOT AFFORD TO TAKE AN AMBIGUOUS STAND, NO MORE THAN WE CAN FLEE BEFORE THE ENEMY IN A REAL WAR. IT WOULD MEAN NOTHING BUT ULTIMATE DESTRUCTION OF OUR FREEDOM AND PEACE."
MINORITY OPPOSITION TO THE MAINTENANCE OF ALLIED MILITARY BASES IN JAPAN WAS CONDEMNED AS ONE OF THE "INSTRUMENTS OF THE COMMUNISTS" FOR ACHIEVING THEIR GOAL OF CONTROL.

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JAPAN, IT SAID, IS A "VITAL OUTPOST FOR THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES."
THE STATEMENT TOLD THE JAPANESE PEOPLE THAT JAPAN HAS BEEN MARKED AS "A SPECIAL PRIZE" BY THE CHINESE COMMUNIST-SOVIET TREATY OF MUTUAL ASSISTANCE.
THE KOREAN CONFLICT, IT ADDED, MEANS THE "JAPANESE PEOPLE ARE STANDING IN THE MALESTROM OF THE PRESENT CONFLICT."
JAPAN, IT SAID, WOULD REMAIN EXPOSED TO THE COMMUNIST "WAR THREAT AS LONG AS WE REFUSE TO BOW TO TOTALITARIANISM AND COMMUNISM."
BUT "IN CASE OF UNPROVOKED AGGRESSION AGAINST JAPAN, LIKE THE ONE (SIC) IN KOREA, WE MAY REST ASSURED THAT THE DEMOCRACIES OF THE WORLD WOULD JOIN IN STRETCHING FORTH A HELPING HAND."
JAPANESE WHO STILL REMEMBER THE ATOMIC ATTACK ON THEIR HOMELAND WERE REASSURED:
"ATOMIC WARFARE IN WHICH THE DEMOCRATIC WORLD WOULD BE OVERWHELMINGLY SUPERIOR IS LIKELY TO BE RULED OUT UNLESS THE SITUATION REACHES THE WORST POSSIBLE STAGE."
AND FOR THE JAPANESE WHO ARE IMPRESSED BY POWER, IT SAID:
"THE UNITED STATES ONCE ROUSED WILL PROVE ITS MIGHT" AND CONSEQUENTLY, "THE COMMUNISTS WILL THINK TWICE BEFORE DECIDING TO CARRY ON ITS (SIC) RECKLESS WAR ON A GLOBAL SCALE."
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TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG.19-(AP)-PERHAPS THIS WON'T SOUND LIKE THE SAME WAR TO YOU.
THE CHINESE ARE READING ALL ABOUT WHAT AMERICANS ARE DOING IN KOREA WITH "GAS-BLOWING MACHINES" AND "FLAMING ARROW PIPES."
A "GAS-BLOWING MACHINE" IS A JET.
AND A "FLAMING ARROW PIPE" IS A BAZOOKA.
CHINESE IS A SIMPLE LANGUAGE. BUT IT WASN'T BUILT TO TRANSLATE THE SIMPLE TERMS OF MODERN WARFARE. HERE'S A RE-TRANSLATION OF SOME CHINESE TRANSLATIONS:
AIRCRAFT CARRIER: AVIATION MOTHER SHIP.
ANTIAIRCRAFT GUN: HIGH SHOOTING GUN.
BAYONET: THRUSTING KNIFE
CALIBER: MOUTH DIAMETER
CAMOUFLAGE: FALSE MAKEUP
HOWITZER: SLIDING SHELL CANNON
ROCKET: FLAMING ARROW
ROCKET LAUNCHER: FLAMING ARROW THROWER
SECOND DETECTOR: LISTENING MACHINE
SEARCHLIGHT: SKY-LIGHTING LAMP
TARGET: EYE OBJECTIVE.
TRENCH: BATTLE DITCH.
TRENCH MORTAR: HURRIEDLY THROWING CANNON.
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PRAGUE, AUG. 19-(AP)-AMERICAN AMBASSADOR ELLIS O. BRIGGS HAS CHIDED A CZECH WHO RETURNED TWO U.S. MEDALS BECAUSE OF AMERICAN INTERVENTION IN KOREA.
TO LADISLAV SCHEIN'S ASSERTION THAT U.S. ACTION IS "LAWLESS AGGRESSION," THE ENVOY REPLIED YESTERDAY THAT THE INTERPRETATION "APPEARS TO BE BASED ON FALSE INFORMATION AND FALSE CHARGES."
REFERRING TO THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL AND THE MEDAL OF FREEDOM, WHICH THE CZECH SAID HE GOT IN 1945 FOR LAISON WORK WITH THE U.S. ARMY IN GERMANY, BRIGGS NOTED:
"THE EMBASSY REGARDS THEM AS TOKENS OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE PEOPLE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND THE UNITED STATES -- A FRIENDSHIP NOT FRIVOLOUSLY EXTENDED, NOR LIGHTLY BE CAST ASIDE."
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OSLO, NORWAY,AUG. 19-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID LAST NIGHT THE NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSORS MUST BE TAUGHT A LESSON. THEY MUST "BE FORCED TO END HOSTILITIES AND RETREAT BEHIND THE 38TH PARALLEL BY MEANS OF MILITARY FORCES", LIE SAID IN A BROADCAST. HE IS VACATIONING IN HIS NATIVE NORWAY.
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NIGHT LEAD RUSSIAN-PROPAGANDA
BY EDDY GILMORE
MOSCOW, AUG.19-(AP)-THE LITERARY GAZETTE PUBLISHED A PICTURE TODAY PURPORTING TO SHOW A GROUP OF CAPTURED AMERICANS IN NORTH KOREA SIGNING THE STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION--AND IN THE SAME EDITION CARRIED A STORY WHICH CALLED AMERICAN SOLDIERS "UNCULTURED GANGSTERS."
THE PICTURE DID NOT IDENTIFY ANY OF THE SOLDIERS. IT MERELY SHOWED THEM IN A GROUP, ONE WITH PEN IN HAND.
(THE SO-CALLED STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION IS A COMMUNIST SUPPORTED APPEA FOR OUTLAWING THE ATOM BOMB, FOR WHICH THE COMMUNISTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD CLAIM MILLIONS OF SIGNATURES.)
THE GAZETTE'S CORRESPONDENT IN NORTH KOREA SIGNED THE STORY CHARACTERIZING AMERICAN DOUGHBOYS AS GANGSTERS. IT WAS IN THE FORM OF AN INTERVIEW WITH A PRISONER OF WAR, IDENTIFIED ONLY AS "PAUL SANDERS, SON OF A RICH INDIANA FARMER."
(AT SHOALS, IND., MR. AND MRS. JOHN SANDERS, OPERATORS OF A SMALL FARM AND SAWMILL, SAID THEY BELIEVED THEIR SON, S/SGT. PAUL R.SANDERS, WAS THE ONE INTERVIEWED. HE IS LISTED AS MISSING IN ACTION. SANDERS' FATHER COMMENTED ANGRILY "IF I HAD A RIFLE AND I WERE OVER THERE, I'D SHOW THEM HOW POOR I AM.")
THE SOVIET CORRESPONDENT, ALEXANDER CHAKOVSKY, SAID HE ASKED SANDERS HOW HE GOT TO KOREA.
"'AN ORDER,' THIS GANGSTER FROM INDIANA SULLENLY REPLIED,'" THE STORY CONTINUED.
CHAKOVSKY SAID HE THEN ASKED SANDERS ABOUT HIS POLITICAL OPINIONS AND WAS TOLD: "I DON'T MESS ABOUT IN POLITICS."
"WHO IS CHARLES DICKENS?" CHAKOVSKY SAID HE THEN ASKED.
"SANDERS DID NOT COMPREHEND THE QUESTION AND THEN SAID 'O, YEAH, SOMETHING FOR CHILDREN,'" THE STORY CONTINUED.
"THE SOLDIER THEN MADE AN OBSERVATION WHICH REQUIRES NO COMMENT: 'I HAVE NO NOTION OF CULTURE,'" CHAKOVSKY WROTE.
THE CORRESPONDENT LIKENED SANDERS TO A GERMAN CAPTIVE SOLDIER HE ONCE INTERVIEWED. THE GERMAN, TOO, SAID CHAKOVSKY, CLAIMED HE WAS FOLLOWING ORDERS.
CHAKOVSKY THEN WROTE THAT HE HAD TALKED TO ANOTHER AMERICAN SOLDIER WHO WAS CAPTURED "DEAK DRUNK."

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THE STORY SAID MANY AMERICAN SOLDIERS WERE SURRENDERING WILLINGLY. HE DESCRIBED THE U.S. MILITARY POSITION IN KOREA AS A "SHAMEFUL COLLAPSE."
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MOSCOW, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE LITERARY GAZETTE'S WAR CORRESPONDENT IN KOREA TODAY DESCRIBED CAPTURED AMERICAN SOLDIERS HE HAD INTERVIEWED AS UNCULTURED "GANGSTERS" AND "STUPID TOUGHS FROM SOME PLACE LIKE INDIANA OR OKLAHOMA."
THE CORRESPONDENT, ALEXANDER CHAKOVSKY, IDENTIFIED ONE CAPTIVE AS PAUL SANDERS, THE "SON OF A RICH INDIANA FARMER." (THE CORRESPONDENT GAVE NO FURTHER IDENTIFICATION). HE ASKED SANDERS HOW HE GOT TO KOREA.
"'AN ORDER,' THIS GANGSTER FROM INDIAN SULLENLY REPLIED," WROTE CHAKOVSKY. THE CORRESPONDENT'S ACCOUNT ADDED:
SANDERS WAS TOLD HE WAS A PERSON AND THEREFORE SHOULD HAVE OPINIONS.
"I DON'T MESS ABOUT IN POLITICS," SANDERS REPLIED.
SANDERS WAS ASKED WHO CHARLES DICKENS WAS. AT FIRST HE DID NOT COMPREHEND THE QUESTION, BUT LATER REPLIED, "OH, YEAH, SOMETHING FOR CHILDREN."
"I HAVE NO NOTION OF CULTURE," SANDERS SAID.
THE CORRESPONDENT SAID HE INTERVIEWED ANOTHER AMERICAN SOLDIER, WHO, HE REPORTED, WAS DEAD DRUNK AND HAD TATTOOED ON HIS HAND: "HONOR ABOVE EVERYTHING."
"THESE ARE THE AMERICAN STORMTROOPERS, STUPID TOUGHS FROM SOME PLACE LIKE INDIANA OR OKLAHOMA, PICTURING THEMSELVES AS SUPERMEN, YET COWARDLING TALKING ABOUT TAKING ORDERS," CHAKOVSKY SAID.
THE LITERARY GAZETTE ALSO PUBLISHED A PHOTOGRAPH OF A GROUP OF AMERICAN WAR PRISONERS, ASSERTING THEY WERE SIGNING THE SO-CALLED STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION. THEY WERE NOT IDENTIFIED.
A SGT.PAUL R.SANDERS, SON OF JOHN F.SANDERS, R.R.3, SHOALS, IND. WAS REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION IN A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT TELEGRAM RECEIVED LAST WEDNESDAY BY THE FATHER. THE FAMILY LIVES ON A SMALL FARM, WITHOUT A TELEPHONE.
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SHOALS,IND.,AUG.19-(AP)-MR. AND MRS. JOHN SANDERS, OPERATORS OF A SMALL FARM AND SAWMILL NEAR HERE, BELIEVE THEIR SON IS ONE OF THE CAPTURED AMERICAN SOLDIERS INTERVIEWED BY A RUSSIAN WAR CORRESPONDENT.
THE CORRESPONDENT, ALEXANDER CHAKOVSKY, WROTE IN THE MOSCOW LITERARY GAZETTE THAT AMERICAN SOLDIERS HE HAD INTERVIEWED WERE UNCULTURED "GANGSTERS" AND "STUPID TOUGHS FROM SOME PLACE LIKE INDIANA OR OKLAHOMA." HE IDENTIFIED ONE OF THE MEN AS PAUL SANDERS, THE SON OF "A RICH INDIANA FARMER."
MR. AND MRS. JOHN SANDERS WERE INFORMED LAST WEDNESDAY THAT THEIR SON, STAFF SERGEANT PAUL R. SANDERS, IS MISSING IN ACTION.
"IF I HAD A RIFLE, AND IF I WERE OVEER THERE, I'D SHOW THEM HOW POOR I AM," SAID THE BOY'S FATHER. BUT HE AND MRS. SANDERS WERE OVERJOYED TO LEARN THAT THEIR SON IS A PRISONER OF WAR.
SANFORD A. DECKARD, OWNER AND EDITOR OF THE SHOALS NEWS, SAID THE FAMILY LIVES A VERY MEAGRE EXISTANCE. THEY OWN 25 ACRES OF GROUND, ROCKY AND HILLY, AND DESCRIBED BY DECKARD AS "VERY POOR" ACREAGE.
SGT. SANDERS ATTENDED SHOALS HIGH SCHOOL FOR THREE YEARS AND JOINED THE ARMY EIGHT YEARS AGO. HE SERVED IN EUROPE DURING WORLD WAR II, AND HAS BEEN IN JAPAN SINCE MAY, 1949, WITH THE ARMY OF OCCUPATION. HE

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REMAINED IN THE ARMY AFTER THE LAST WAR TO WORK TOWARD RETIREMENT.
THE PARENTS HAVE JUST MOVED INTO A NEW HOUSE, STILL UNCOMPLETED, WHICH THEY ARE BUILDING THEMSELVES OUT OF NATIVE LUMBER.
IT IS TO BE A FOUR-ROOM HOUSE BUT THERE ARE NO PARTITIONS YET. THE FAMILY HAS NO TELEPHONE, AND NO CAR. THEYDRIVE AN OLD TRUCK.
SGT. SANDERS HAS TWO SISTERS AND THREE BROTHERS. THE BROTHERS ALL SERVED IN THE LAST WAR.

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U.N.--KOREAN
BY A.I. GOLDBERG

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 19-(AP)-TALK OF A UNITED NATIONS TRUSTEESHIP FOR NORTH KOREA AFTER MILITARY VICTORY GAINED EMPHASIS TODAY AMONG U.N. DELEGATES AND OFFICIALS.

NO ONE DELEGATION WAS READY TO PUT ITS NAME NOW TO A DEFINITE PLAN. BUT THE UNITED STATES MADE CLEAR THIS WEEK IN DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN'S "WAR AIMS" STATEMENT THAT A PERIOD OF U.N. SUPERVISION THROUGHOUT KOREA MAY BE DESIRABLE TO GUIDE THE WHOLE COUNTRY TO INDEPENDENCE.

THE KOREAN CONFLICT PROMISED TO BE THE NO. ONE ITEM IN THE 59-NATION GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHICH MEETS IN NEW YORK SEPT. 19, ONE MONTH FROM TODAY. DETAILS OF A POST-WAR PLAN ARE EXPECTED TO BE FULL-BLOWN BY THEN.

JAKOB A. MALIK, SOVIET DELEGATE AND SECURITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT FOR AUGUST, BLASTED AUSTIN'S STATEMENT AS "ROAMING IN THE CLOUDS" WHILE WAR WAS GOING ON. BUT MOST DELEGATIONS FEEL -- AND IMPORTANT U.N. OFFICIALS AGREE -- THAT THE U.N. HAS TO PROVIDE A SOLID POLITICAL BASIS FOR THE WHOLE KOREAN PENINSULA TO FUNCTION AFTER THE AGGRESSION OF NORTH KOREA IS HALTED.

THE TRUSTEESHIP NOW TALKED ABOUT WOULD BE LIMITED TO NORTH KOREA FOR POSSIBLY FIVE YEARS. DWRING THAT TIME THE U.N. WOULD SEE THAT ALL KOREA GETS HELP UNDER THE U.N. TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

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THE AUSTIN STATEMENT PROPOSED THAT A U.N. COMMISSION SUPERVISE FREE ELECTIONS AND OTHERWISE MAKE SURE THAT KOREA WAS READY TO BECOME A UNIFIED, INDEPENDENT NATION.

TRUSTEESHIP FOR SOUTH KOREA IS NOT BEING TALKED ABOUT BECAUSE IT IS ALREADY A RECOGNIZED, INDEPENDENT REPUBLIC. BUT THE MOVE TO EXTEND THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC'S SWAY IN THE PENINSULA, A U.N. PROGRAM OF REHABILITATION OF WAR DEVASTATED AREAS, AND U.N. CONTROLS IN ADMINISTERING A TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM WOULD GIVE THE U.N. A GUIDING VOICE OVER THE WHOLE AREA.

SO FAR, EVERYBODY IN THE U.N. HAS SHIED AWAY FROM THE WORDS "UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER." IT IS STRESSED THAT THE U.N. IS CALLING ONLY FOR THE NORTH KOREANS TO GO BACK HOME, BACK OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. BUT TO CARRY OUT THE THREE-YEAR-OLD U.N. IDEA OF MAKING KOREA ONE COUNTRY, SOME DELEGATES INSISTED, U.N. [redacted] FORCES ARE GOING TO HAVE TO PROCEED ON AN UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER BASIS.

THE U.N., SATISFIED WITH THE WAY GROUND TROOP PLEDGES TO AID AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS NOW ARE BEING CARRIED OUT, HAS BEGUN TO WHIP A REFUGEE RELIEF PROGRAM INTO SHAPE.

BRIG. REGINALD PARMINTER, A BRITISH VETERAN OF UNRRA AID IN AUSTRIA AND PALESTINE REFUGEE RELIEF, WILL GO TO WORK MONDAY CORDINATING RELIEF OFFERS AND NEEDS IN U.N. HEADQUARTERS HERE.

HART SCHAFF, A KEY OFFICIAL IN THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION FOR THE FAR EAST, WAS ORDERED BACK FROM BANGKOK TO KOREA TO HANDLE THE RELIEF PROGRAM IN THE FIELD.

SCHAFF, AN AMERICAN, WILL BE SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN THE RELIEF PROGRAM.

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BULLETIN
KOREA-MILITARY
WASHINGTON, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE ARMY ESTIMATED TODAY THAT THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS HAVE LOST 50,000 MEN SO FAR IN THEIR INVASION OF SOUTH KORA.

AT THE SAME TIME AN ARMY SPOKESMAN ESTIMATED THAT SOUTH KOREAN LOSSES UP TO THREE WEEKS AGO TOTALED 37,000.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT ROUNDUPS OF AMERICAN CASUALTIES IN KOREA WILL NOT BE ANNOUNCED HEREAFTER UNTIL THEY HAVE NO VALUE TO THE ENEMY. THE LAST ROUNDUP OF AMERICAN CASUALTIES WAS ISSUED ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO.

THE TOTAL AT THAT TIME (ON AUGUST 7) WAS 2,616 FOR THE AMERICAN ARMY. THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT HAS CONTINUED SINCE THEN TO ISSUE DAILY LISTS OF INDIVIDUALS KILLED, WOUNDED OR MISSING IN KOREA.

THE ESTIMATES OF LOSSES BY THE NORTH AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ALSO INCLUDE KILLED, WOUNDED AND MISSING.

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THE ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE BEEN "CONSCRIPTING WHOLESALE" RECENTLY--CALLING UP ALL MEN AND WOMEN BETWEEN THE AGES OF 18 AND 40.

"IT IS EVIDENT THAT THEY ARE MANAGING TO KEEP A GOOD SIZED NUCLEUS OF WELL TRAINED MEN AT THE FRONT," THE SPOKESMAN SAID. "BUT ALL INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE BULK OF THE COMMUNIST FOOT SOLDIERS NOW ARE NOT WELL TRAINED."

HE STATED ONE OF THE INDICATIONS CAME IN THE RECENT COMMUNIST ATTACK TOWARD THE IMPORTANT COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU.

THE ARMY HAD EXCELLENT INFORMATION THAT 30,000 MEN WERE INVOLVED IN THE PUSH TOWARD TAEGU, HE CONTINUED, BUT IT APPARENTLY FIZZLED OUT. A MONTH AGO, HE SAID, THE STORY WOULD HAVE BEEN MUCH DIFFERENT.

"I DON'T MEAN TO BE OVERLY OPTIMISTIC, THE SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS, "BUT IT IS PERFECTLY EVIDENT THAT THEIR INFANTRY IS NOT PERFORMING AS WELL AND THAT OURS IS PERFORMING BETTER AS IT BECOMES ACCUSTOMED TO THE TYPE OF FIGHTING. THE BALANCE THAT STARTED HEAVILY IN FAVOR OF THE COMMUNISTS IS NOW SHIFTING SOMEWHAT."

THE BRIEFING OFFICER ADDED THAT AIR ATTACKS ON THE COMMUNIST'S COMMUNICATIONS ALSO WERE TAKING THEIR TOLL ON SUPPLIES.

THE SPOKESMAN WOULD NOT ATTEMPT AN ESTIMATE OF THE NUMBER OF MEN REMAINING IN THE COMMUNIST ARMY AFTER ITS ESTIMATED LOSSES OF 50,000. BUT HE SAID 12 NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED IN THE BATTLE AREA. THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE ARMY DOES NOT KNOW WHAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE IN RESERVE.

AT THE OUTSET OF THE FIGHTING. U.S.SOURCES ESTIMATED THE NORTH

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KOREAN FORCES AT 95,000 TO 100,000 MEN, AND THE SOUTH KOREANS AT 96,-000.

A RECENT DESPATCH FROM TOKYO SAID THAT 15 COMMUNIST DIVISIONS, WITH A TOTAL STRENGTH OF POSSIBLY 150,000 MEN, HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED IN AROUND THE KOREAN FRONT.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE FOURTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION SUFFERED EXTRA HEAVY CASUALTIES IN THE "BULGE" EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER DURING THE LAST FEW DAYS.

HE SAID NO EVIDENCE THAT MANCHURIANS ARE FIGHTING WITH THE NORTH KOREANS HAS BEEN RECEIVED HERE.

AT AN AFTERNOON BRIEFING SESSION AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID THE ONLY ACTIVITY OF NOTE ON THE KOREAN FRONT IS A COMMUNIST ATTACK IN THE SOUTH, WHICH SO FAR IS NOT SERIOUS.

THE SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS THAT NORTH KOREAN RESISTANCE IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR SEEMS TO BE WEAKENING OR LESSENING.

"BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN THAT THEY'RE LICKED," HE ADDED.

THE BRIEFING OFFICERS WAS ASKED ABOUT A STATEMENT BY SENATOR WILEY (R-WIS) THAT 200,000 TROOPS ARE MOVING NORTHWARD THROUGH CHINA.

HE SAID THAT TROOPS MOVEMENTS DOUBTLESS ARE OCCURRING ALL OVER CHINA. HE DECLINED TO EVALUATE THE REPORT.

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(ADVANCE FOR AMS SUNDAY AUG. 20)
NEGROES-KOREA (750)
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 19-(AP)-VALIANT AMERICAN NEGRO TROOPS FIGHTING UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS FLAG IN KOREA ARE HELPING TO WIN MORE THAN STRATEGIC HILLTOPS IN THE STRUGGLE WITH COMMUNISM.

IN THE OPINION OF WASHINGTON PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE EXPERTS THEY ARE ALSO HELPING TO WIN THE BATTLE AGAINST COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA: THEY ARE DRAMATIC PROOF THAT THE WAR TO SMASH RED AGGRESSION IN KOREA IS NOT A "WHITE MAN'S WAR."

THIS IS AN EXTREMELY IMPORTANT POINT FOR THE NON-COMMUNIST ALLIANCE, AND ONE WHICH WILL SHORTLY BE BOLSTERED BY THE ADDITION TO U.N. FIELD FORCES OF NATIVE ASIAN TROOPS. THE PHILIPPINES ARE SENDING 5,000 MEN AND THAILAND 4,000.

TO UNDERSTAND WHY THESE FORCES ARE SO IMPORTANT ASIDE FROM THE ADDITIONAL MILITARY STRENGTH THEY FURNISH, IT IS NECESSARY TO TAKE A LOOK AT THE AIMS AND METHODS OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA AS IT IS NOW BEING LAID DOWN IN A STEADY BARRAGE FROM MOSCOW, PEIPING (RED CHINA) AND PYONGYANG (RED KOREA).

THE MAJOR AIM OF THIS PROPAGANDA IS TO SPLIT THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD AND PARTICULARLY TO SPLIT OFF THE NATIONS OF ASIA FROM THE WESTERN POWERS.

IN STRIVING FOR THIS OBJECTIVE THE COMMUNISTS HAVE USED TWO MAJOR WEAPONS--(1) THE CLAIM THAT THE U.N. FORCES IN KOREA ARE REALLY THE TOOLS OF YANKEE IMPERIALISM AND (2) THE ARGUMENTS OF RACISM; THAT IS, THAT THE WHITE MAN'S GUNS AND BOMBS ARE ONCE MORE SLAUGHTERING THE PEOPLE OF ASIA IN A DRIVE FOR NEW COLONIAL OPPRESSIONS.

BROADLY, THEREFORE, THE COMMUNISTS ARE TRYING TO DRAW A COLOR LINE IN THE STRUGGLE. THIS IS A TIMELY APPLICATION OF AN ESTABLISHED SOVIET METHOD OF ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES THAT GOES BACK FAR BEYOND THE BEGINNING OF THE KOREAN WAR.

EVEN DURING WORLD WAR II. WHEN MOSCOW-WASHINGTON RELATIONS WERE AT THEIR BEST, THERE WAS A STORY IN THE RUSSIAN CAPITAL THAT DRAMATIZED THE POINT.

AN AMERICAN VISITOR WAS ON A GUIDED TOUR THROUGH ONE OF THE SOVIET AIRCRAFT FACTORIES. HE WAS SHOWN FIRST THE MANUFACTURE OF AIRFRAMES AND ENGINES, THEN TAKEN THROUGH AN ASSEMBLY SECTION AND FINALLY ESCORTED TO AN ENCLOSURE WHERE FINISHED PLANES WERE LINED UP. THOUGH THE RUSSIAN GUIDE SAID THEY WERE COMPLETE THEY HAD NO PROPELLERS.

THE AMERICAN POINTED THIS OUT AND ASKED, "WHERE ARE THE PROPELLERS?"

"OH, YES," SAID THE RUSSIAN, "AND WHAT ABOUT THE NEGRO PROBLEM IN THE UNITED STATES?"

THE RUSSIANS HAVE ALWAYS HARPED ON THE "NEGRO PROBLEM" WHEN THEY WANTED TO COVER THEIR OWN CONFUSION OR SHORTCOMINGS, WHEN THEY HOPED TO DRIVE A WEDGE AMONG THE PEOPLE IN THIS COUNTRY OR WHEN THEY WANTED TO DRAW A COLOR LINE UNFAVORABLE TO THE UNITED STATES ABROAD.

THIS HAS RECENTLY CROPPED UP IN THEIR INTENSIFIED WORLDWIDE CAMPAIGN CENTERING AROUND THE KOREAN CRISIS, ACCORDING TO STATE DEPARTMENT INFORMANTS.

THE DEPARTMENT HAS ADOPTED A POLICY COVERING ITS COUNTER-PROPAGANDA. THAT IS SIMPLY TO TELL THE TRUTH ABOUT NEGROES IN THE UNITED STATES, BUT TO BE SURE IT IS THE WHOLE TRUTH, AND TO EMPHASIZE THEIR POLITICAL, SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC ADVANCES IN A COUNTRY WHERE, UNLIKE RUSSIA, THERE IS OPPORTUNITY FOR MEMBERS OF MINORITY GROUPS TO TAKE INDEPENDENT ACTION IN THEIR OWN SELF-INTEREST.

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THE PARTICIPATION OF NEGROES IN AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL ENTERPRISES IS CONSIDERED ONE OF THE MOST EFFECTIVE WAYS OF MEETING THE SOVIET ATTACKS. HENCE THE "VOICE OF AMERICA," ONE OF THE MAIN INSTRUMENTS OF AMERICAN PROPAGANDA ABROAD, IS PAYING SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE NEGRO 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENT IN KOREA.

IT CAN ALSO BE EXPECTED TO SPOTLIGHT THE IMPENDING APPOINTMENT OF MRS.EDITH SAMPSON, CHICAGO NEGRO LAWYER, AS A MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS--JUST AS IT ONCE PLAYED UP THE OUTSTANDING RECORD OF NEGRO DIPLOMAT RALPH BUNCHE, WHEN HE SERVED AS UNITED NATIONS MEDIATOR IN PALESTINE.

THE FINAL ANSWER TO RUSSIAN CHARGES THAT AMERICANS ARE SLAUGHTERING ASIATICS IN A NEW OUTBURST OF YANKEE IMPERIALISM, OF COURSE, IS THE SUPPORT WHICH NON-COMMUNIST ASIATIC STATES THEMSELVES GIVE TO THE UNITED NATIONS FIGHT IN KOREA.

IN THE POLITICAL FIELD THIS SUPPORT HAS BEEN EXTENSIVE. INDIA HAS JOINED THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL MAJORITY IN BRANDING THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS AS THE AGGRESSORS.

BUT IN THE MILITARY FIELD AMERICAN TROOPS HAVE BEEN CARRYING THE WEIGHT OF GROUND COMBAT AND THIS HAS BEEN AN UNDENIABLE HANDICAP PROPAGANDAWISE. THIS SITUATION WILL SHORTLY COME TO AN END WHEN PHILIPPINES AND THAI SOLDIERS, AS WELL AS 4,500 TURKISH OFFICERS AND MEN AND UNITS FROM BRITAIN, NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIA, MOVE TO THE BATTLEFRONT.

THE INTERNATIONAL CHARACTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS ARMY, AS REFLECTED IN DAILY WAR REPORTS, WILL THEN BECOME CLEAR. IT WILL BE THE ANSWER TO COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA.

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KOREAN INTERPRETIVE

BY ELTON C.FAY

WASHINGTON, AUG. 19-(AP)-SOME TOP RANKING MILITARY LEADERS ARE WONDERING WHETHER WE ARE FIGHTING ONLY NORTH KOREANS OR SOLDIERS FROM OTHER COMMUNIST NATIONS--AND HOW MUCH LONGER THIS WAR CAN BE CONSIDERED "JUST A KOREAN AFFAIR".

THIS GROWING WORRY, HEIGHTENED BY NEWS THAT THE NORTH KOREAN INVADING FORCES MAY BE GETTING SET FOR STILL ANOTHER ASSAULT ON THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE, SOUNDED AN OMINOUS NOTE AT THE END OF A WEEK WHICH HAD BEEN THE BEST OF THE WAR FOR THE DEFENDERS.

IT WAS A WEEK IN WHICH THERE HAD BEEN NO SERIOUS REVERSES (EVEN IF NO BIG VICTORIES) FOR THE U.S.-SOUTH KOREAN SOLDIERS MANNING THE DEFENSE.

THE DEEP SUSPICION OF THE PENTAGON ABOUT WHERE THE NORTH KOREANS ARE GETTING MANPOWER TO REPLACE LOSSES NOW ESTIMATED AT 50,000 MEN AND TO ENABLE A CONTINUING BUILD-UP OF STRENGTH SEEMED TO HAVE SUPPORT IN DEVELOPMENTS OUTSIDE THE MILITARY COMMAND POST HERE.

FIRST, THERE WAS THE COMMENT OF SENATOR WILEY (R-WIS), A MEMBER OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, TO REPORTERS. HE SAID THIS:

CONGRESS MEMBERS HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT A CRACK COMMUNIST FORCE OF 200,000 IS MOVING NORTHWARD IN CHINA TOWARD THE KOREAN BORDER. THIS FORCE IS COMPOSED LARGELY OF KOREANS "TRAINED IN MANCHURIA BY THE RUSSIANS."

THEN THERE WAS A DISPATCH FROM THE FRONT WHICH HAD BEARING ON THE REPORTS OF THE PRESENCE OF OUTLANDERS OR FOREIGN-TRAINED TROOPS AMONG THE KOREAN RED ARMY.

PHOTOGRAPHS FOUND ON THE BODIES OF ENEMY DEAD IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR OF THE FRONT SHOWED THESE SOLDIERS IN CHINESE RED ARMY UNIFORMS. OTHER MATERIAL FOUND ON THE BODIES INDICATED THE HOMES OF SOME OF THEM WERE IN MANCHURIA.

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A FEW WEEKS AGO THE PENTAGON ANNOUNCED THAT RUSSIAN NATIONALS WERE KNOWN TO BE SERVING AS ADVISERS ATTACHED TO AT LEAST ONE NORTH KOREAN UNIT.

ONE OF THE HANDY DEVICES FOR EXPLAINING THE ENEMY'S CAPABILITY OF OFFSETTING BATTLE LOSSES AND EXPANDING HIS ARMY HAS BEEN TO SAY THAT THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS ARE CONSCRIPTING BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH KOREANS. THAT UNDOUBTEDLY ACCOUNTS FOR MUCH OF IT, BUT NOT ALL. NOR DOES IT EXPLAIN HOW THE ENEMY APPARENTLY CONTINUES TO HAVE AT LEAST A NUCLEUS OF UNUSUALLY HIGHLY SKILLED TROOPS, WHO FIGHT LIKE VETERANS.

YESTERDAY MORNING PENTAGON BRIEFING OFFICERS FOUND SOME REASON FOR ENCOURAGEMENT IN THE FACT THAT DURING THE PAST WEEK THE ENEMY HAD BEEN UNABLE TO LAUNCH A SUBSTANTIAL OFFENSIVE AND THAT HIS FORCES DID NOT SEEM TO DISPLAY THE VIGOR OF THE EARLIER WEEKS OF FIGHTING.

HOWEVER, A FEW HOURS LATER GEN.MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THAT IT HAD INFORMATION WHICH SEEMED TO INDICATE THE KOREAN REDS WERE MASSING FOUR DIVISIONS FOR A NEW ASSAULT. THE SUSPECTED BUILD-UP SEEMED TO BE ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE, WEST OF THE CITY OF TAEGU. THAT RAIL-HIGHWAY COMMUNICATIONS HUB IS OF HIGH IMPORTANCE.

THE THREAT TO TAEGU HAD BEEN CRITICAL EARLIER IN THE WEEK, WHEN 40,000 RED TROOPS MASSED AS PART OF A TWO-PRONGED DRIVE ON THE CITY. THE OFFENSIVE, FOR SOME REASON, DIDN'T COME OFF.

APPARENTLY AT THE REQUEST OF THE HIGH COMMAND IN THE WAR ZONE, THE AIR FORCE TOOK 96 BIG SUPERFORTRESSES OUT OF THEIR REGULAR JOB OF STRATEGIC BOMBING AND SENT THEM TO LAY A MASS ATTACK OF 3,800 BOMBS ON THE AREA IN WHICH ONE OF THE TWO PRONGS OF ENEMY TROOPS WERE POISED. HOW MUCH WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY THE TACTICAL BOMBING IS BEING DEBATED.

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TODAY, GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, ACCOMPANIED BY THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, ADMIRAL FORREST P.SHERMAN, AND THE AIR FORCE'S VICE CHIEF OF STAFF FOR OPERATIONS, LT.GEN.IDWALD EDWARDS, TOOK OFF FROM WASHINGTON FOR THE WAR ZONE TO TALK STRATEGY WITH GEN. MACARTHUR AND THE OFFICERS OF HIS COMMAND.

ALTHOUGH THE THREE OFFICIALS DESCRIBED THEIR TRIP AS ONLY ONE OF PERIODIC VISITS, THERE WAS A GENERAL IMPRESSION HERE THAT THE QUESTION OF TACTICAL AIR SUPPORT WOULD HAVE A HIGH PLACE IN THE DISCUSSIONS. IN SOME PENTAGON QUARTERS THERE SEEMED TO BE DOUBT ABOUT DIVERTING STRATEGIC BOMBERS TO AN ASSIGNMENT FOR WHICH PLANES OF OTHER TYPES ARE DESIGNED, AND WHICH MAY HAVE PRODUCED ONLY INCONCLUSIVE RESULTS.

MEANWHILE, THE AMERICAN MILITARY WAS BUSY MENDING FENCES ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE WORLD.

DURING THE WEEK AIR SECRETARY THOMAS K.FINLETTER AND UNDERSECRETARY JOHN A.MCCONE FLEW TO EUROPE. HERE AGAIN THERE WAS LITTLE IN THE OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF THEIR DEPARTURE TO INDICATE THEIR MISSION.

BUT IN USUALLY INFORMED CIRCLES THE BELIEF WAS THAT THEIR TRIP WOULD INCLUDE TALKS ON AIR POWER WITH THEIR OPPOSITES IN SOME OF THE MAJOR NORTH ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS.

COORDINATION IN THE PLANE-MAKING PROGRAMS OF THE BIG POWERS WAS SUGGESTED AS A LOGICAL TOPIC FOR SUCH DISCUSSIONS.

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(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, AUG. 20)

BY ELTON C.FAY

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 19-(AP)-THE URGENCIES OF WAR HAVE ENABLED THE ARMED FORCES TO GET THINGS DONE IN A MAGNITUDE AND AT A SPEED UNDREAMED OF IN THE PEACETIME ERA OF LESS THAN TWO MONTHS AGO.

TROOPS AND SUPPLIES HAVE BEEN FERRIED TO THE KOREAN WARFRONT BY A RAPIDLY MOBILIZED WATER "LIFT" IN TREMENDOUS VOLUME; A BRAND NEW WEAPON WAS INVENTED AND DELIVERED TO THE BATTLE ZONE IN 23 DAYS (THAT USUALLY TAKES YEARS); BIG BOMBER UNITS FLY COMBAT MISSIONS TO ENEMY TARGETS FOUR TO SIX DAYS AFTER RECEIVING ORDERS AT THEIR HOME BASES IN THE UNITED STATES.

A MINOR MIRACLE OF TROOP SUPPLY WAS DONE BY THE MILITARY SEA TRANSPORT SERVICE (THE ORGANIZATION WHICH RESULTED FROM THE COMBINING OF THE NAVY'S AND ARMY'S SEPARATE SEA TRANSPORT SERVICES, AS PART OF THE SERVICE UNIFICATION PROGRAM), COMBAT SHIPS OF THE NAVY, AND REGULAR COMMERCIAL SHIPPING.

IN A LITTLE OVER A MONTH AFTER THE START OF THE WAR ON JUNE 25, MORE THAN 40,000 MEN, 500,000 TONS OF CARGO AND 2,000,000 BARRELS OF

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PETROLEUM WERE POURED INTO THE WAR ZONE.

BACK IN THE PEACETIME DAYS, THE AVERAGE TOTAL MILITARY "LIFT" AND CARGO FOR A 35-DAY PERIOD RAN ABOUT LIKE THIS: 10,000 PASSENGERS, 180,000 TONS OF CARGO, 1,000,000 BARRELS OF FUEL.

THE INCREASE IN THE FIRST WEEKS OF THE WAR NOW IS MOUNTING RAPIDLY AS MORE SHIPS GO INTO OPERATION. ANOTHER 65 SHIPS ARE BEING TAKEN OUT OF MOTHBALLS BY THE MARITIME COMMISSION TO ADD TO THE ALREADY AUGMENTED SUPPLY FLEET.

THE MSTS HAD 174 OF ITS OWN SHIPS AND SIX CHARTERED VESSELS IN OPERATION AT THE START OF THE WAR. BY THE WEEK JUST ENDED THE TOTAL HAD RISEN TO 213 MSTS-OWNED SHIPS, WITH 151 AMERICAN-FLAG COMMERCIAL SHIPS AND 13 FOREIGN-OWNED VESSELS UNDER CHARTER.

TO GET CRITICALLY NEEDED MATERIAL AND PERSONNEL TO THE FRONT, THE MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT SERVICE (A COMBINED NAVY-AIR FORCE ORGANIZATION) FLEW 200 TONS OF CARGO AND ABOUT 2,000 MEN DURING THE FIRST WEEKS OF THE WAR. THE AIRLIFT, LIKE THE WATER LIFT, IS BEING EXPANDED STEADILY.

ONE OF THE MOST DRAMATIC INSTANCES OF HOW THE WAR HAS PUT EVERYTHING INTO HIGH GEAR CAME IN DISCLOSURE OF THE APPEARANCE IN BATTLE OF A NEW SUPER ROCKET, A 6 1/2-INCH MISSILE LAUNCHED FROM PLANES WITH A "SHAPED CHARGE" WARHEAD. THE ROCKET, CALLED BY THE NAVY THE "ATAR" (ANTI-TANK AIRCRAFT ROCKET) REPORTEDLY HAS EVEN GREATER PENETRATING POWER THAN THE NEW GROUND WEAPON, THE 3 1/2-INCH BAZOOKA. THE LATTER CAN PENETRATE 11 INCHES OF ARMOR.

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THE FIRST REPORT ON RESULTS OF ITS USE CAME FROM A MARINE PILOT OF AN F4U CORSAIR. THE NAVY-DEVELOPED WEAPON HAS BEEN DELIVERED TO THE AIR FORCE, MARINE AND NAVY PILOTS. THE MARINE PILOT SAID HE KNOCKED OUT THE FIRST ENEMY TANK HE HIT WITH THE BIG ROCKET, THE MISSILE BORING INTO THE TANK TO BE FOLLOWED BY A FIREY EXPLOSION AS IT DETONATED IN THE INTERIOR. A CORSAIR, WHICH IS A WORLD WAR II, PISTON-ENGINED PLANE, CAN CARRY EIGHT OF THE ROCKETS. THESE EIGHT GIVE A SINGLE PLANE A FIREPOWER GREATER THAN THE BROADSIDE OF A BIG, 2,200 TON DESTROYER FIRING ALL OF HER FIVE-INCH GUNS.

BUT THE AMAZING THING ABOUT THE ATAR IS ITS HISTORY OF DEVELOPMENT.

A YEAR AGO EXPERTS IN THE NAVAL BUREAU OF ORDNANCE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE HANDY TO HAVE SOME TYPE OF TANK-BUSTER ROCKET. THEY MADE A FEW FIGURES AND ROUGH SKETCHES. BUT THERE WAS NO MONEY TO GO AHEAD WITH DEVELOPMENT OF THE VAGUE IDEA AND NO CRITICAL NEED THEN FOR SUCH A WEAPON.

THEN ON JUNE 25 THIS YEAR THE KOREAN WAR BROUGHT A DRASTIC CHANGE IN VALUES. THERE WAS CRITICAL NEED AND THERE WAS MONEY. THE ORDNANCE BUREAU TOLD THE AIR FORCE IT HAD THE IDEA FOR A ROCKET THAT LOOKED PROMISING. THE AIR FORCE SAID IT NEEDED SUCH A GADGET--QUICKLY AND BY THE THOUSANDS. NAVAL ORDNANCE HEADQUARTERS HERE WIRED ITS NAVAL ORDNANCE TEST STATION AT INYOKERN, CALIF., TO GET BUSY. SEVEN DAYS LATER THE FIRST EXPERIMENTAL SHOT WAS FIRED--AN INTERVAL USUALLY REQUIRING ABOUT ONE AND A HALF YEARS.

TWENTY-THREE DAYS LATER THE ORDER WAS SENT TO INYOKERN TO BEGIN DEVELOPMENT A CARGO PLANE LANDED IN JAPAN WITH THE FIRST HAND-MADE MODELS, READY FOR COMBAT USE. THE FIRST CONSIGNMENT WENT TO THE AIR FORCE.

ANOTHER PHASE OF THE SUPPLY PICTURE INVOLVES THE BIG B29S. A B-29 GROUP OF 30 PLANES IS A LARGE OUTFIT, REQUIRING NOT ONLY THE COMBAT PLANES AND CREWS BUT A FORCE OF SEVERAL HUNDRED MAINTENANCE MEN AND TONS OF EQUIPMENT TO KEEP IT IN OPERATION. IN THE DELIBERATE DAYS OF PEACE IT TAKES WEEKS TO MOVE A SUPERFORTRESS GROUP FROM ONE PLACE TO ANOTHER AND GET IT INTO THE ROUTINE OF TRAINING AT THE NEW LOCATION.

BUT NOT IN A WAR. WHEN IT BECAME OBVIOUS THAT MORE AIR POWER WAS NEEDED TO BACK UP THE SINGLE GROUP OF B-29S IN THE FAR EAST IN THE STRATEGIC ATTACKS ON NORTH KOREAN TARGETS, USAF HEADQUARTERS FLASHED NOTICES TO GROUPS BASED IN THE WEST AND ON THE WEST COAST. IN LESS THAN HALF A DOZEN DAYS, SOME OF THESE GROUPS WERE OVER NORTH KOREAN CITIES, BOMBS TUMBLING FROM THEIR BAYS.

NOT ONLY WERE THE BOMBERS OPERATING IN THE WAR ZONE, BUT THE GROUND CREWS OF MAINTENANCE MEN, SPARE ENGINES, SPECIAL TOOLS, HEAPS OF SPARE PARTS WERE AT THE BASES FROM WHICH THE BOMBERS OPERATED, FLOWN THERE IN TRANSPORTS WHICH TRAVELED WITH THE BOMBERS.

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ECONOMIC-WAR (820)

BY RADER WINGET

(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, AUG.19-(AP)-THE COST OF THE KOREAN WAR IS BEING LAID ON THE SHOULDERS OF EVERY ONE IN THE NATION, AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME.

THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF KOREAN FIGHTING--EIGHT WEEKS OLD THIS WEEK-END--HAS ALREADY RIPPLED OUT INTO EVERY HOME AND EVERY BUSINESS.

THE PRICE OF WAR VARIES. THE SOLDIER WHO DOESN'T COME BACK PAYS HIGH. THE HOUSEWIFE WHO HAS TO SHOP THREE STORES BEFORE FINDING SUGAR PAYS WITH A SLIGHT INCONVENIENCE.

THE ADMINISTRATION ALREADY HAS ASKED FOR $16 BILLION IN NEW FUNDS FOR DEFENSE REQUIREMENTS. MORE BILLIONS WILL BE ASKED LATER. HEAVY NEW TAXES ON BUSINESS AND PERSONAL INCOME WILL HAVE TO BE LEVIED TO HELP RAISE THESE HUGE SUMS.

TODAY, INFLATION IS THE MAIN THING THE AMERICAN CIVILIAN FEELS AS A RESULT OF THE KOREAN WAR. PRICES ARE HIGHER, AND THERE IS A GENERAL RUSH TO "GET IT WHILE YOU CAN."

THAT RUSH TO BUY ALREADY HAS BEGUN TO TAPER OFF IN SOME AREAS--NOTABLY AT THE RETAIL CONSUMER LEVEL. DEPARTMENT STORE SALES HIT THEIR PEAK IN LATE JULY AND THEN STARTED A RETURN TO A NORMAL PACE. LAST WEEK THEY STOOD AT 26 PER CENT ABOVE A YEAR AGO.

BUT ELSEWHERE THE SCRAMBLE TO BUY HAS GROWN TO SUCH PROPORTIONS THAT NORMAL BUSINESS STANDARDS DON'T APPLY IN SOME CASES. GREY MARKETS HAVE SPRUNG UP, MANY PRODUCERS HAVE WITHDRAWN THEIR PRICE SCHEDULES UNTIL THE SITUATION CLARIFIES, BANKS HAVE REFUSED TO LEND MONEY FOR SPECULATIVE BUYING.

STRATEGIC STOCKPILING IS ONE NAME APPLIED TO THE BUYING. ANTICIPATORY ACCUMULATION OF INVENTORY IS ANOTHER NAME. SOME PEOPLE CALL IT HARDING.

WHY BUY? THE MOST FREQUENTLY HEARD REASON IS FEAR OF IMPENDING GOVERNMENT CONTROL AND ALLOCATION OF SUPPLY. ANOTHER IS THE MEMORY OF ACUTE SHORTAGES IN WORLD WAR II, SHORTAGES THAT HIT CONSUMER AND PRODUCER ALIKE. BUT UP TILL NOW, THIS WAR IS DIFFERENT. CRITICAL SHORTAGES HAVEN'T APPEARED YET. SOME BELIEVE, SHORT OF A MAJOR WAR, INDUSTRY WILL BE ABLE TO PRODUCE ALL NEEDED WAR MATERIALS WITHOUT

DRASTIC CUT-BACKS IN THE CIVILIAN ECONOMY.

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THE GOVERNMENT SO FAR HAS TIGHTENED CREDIT TO HOME BUILDERS AT A TIME WHEN CONSTRUCTION OF ALL TYPES IS ESTIMATED BY THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT FOR 1950 AT A RECORD BREAKING $26 BILLION.

THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK APPROVED AN INCREASE IN THE DISCOUNT RATE OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK FROM 1 1/2 PER CENT TO 1 3/4 PER CENT. THIS TENDS TO RESTRICT THE LOANS OF MEMBER BANKS.

SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY SNYDER ANNOUNCED SUCH INSTITUTIONAL INVESTORS AS INSURANCE COMPANIES AND SAVINGS BANKS MAY BUY UP TO $1,100,000 WORTH OF F AND G GOVERNMENT BONDS THIS YEAR. THE LIMIT FORMERLY WAS $100,000. THIS ENCOURAGES BOND BUYING FOR INVESTMENT RATHER THAN THE BASIS FOR LOANS.

OTHER GOVERNMENT CONTROLS AWAIT CONGRESSIONAL ACTION AND PRESIDENTIAL APPROVAL.

BUT BEFORE THE FULL NATURE OF THESE CONTROLS ARE KNOWN AND BEFORE THEY ARE IMPOSED, INDUSTRY GENERALLY IS RUSHING TO PUT ITSELF IN A GOOD POSITION FOR THE LONG PULL. LABOR UNIONS, WITH THE WELFARE OF THEIR MEMBERS IN MIND, ARE DOING THE SAME THING.

THAT RAISES THE QUESTION: "HOW GOOD CAN WE GET?"

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INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION IN JUNE AND JULY STOOD AT A PEACETIME PEAK --199 PER CENT OF THE 1935-39 AVERAGE.

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCTION ALSO STOOD AT A PEACETIME RECORD LEVEL AT MID-YEAR--$270 BILLION.

THOSE PEAKS WERE BUILT FUNDAMENTALLY ON PEACETIME DEMAND FOR GOODS AND SERVICES.

THAT PEACETIME PRODUCTION CAN BE EXPANDED FOR WAR. BUT HOW MUCH?

THE STEEL INDUSTRY, FOR EXAMPLE, IS THE BACKBONE OF WAR NEEDS. IT IS OPERATING AT AROUND 100 PER CENT OF CAPACITY AND TURNING OUT NEARLY 2,000,000 TONS A WEEK--A RECORD RATE.

INSTEAD OF EXPANDING, WARTIME NEEDS MUST BE MET BY DIVERSION FROM CIVILIAN NEEDS. THAT MEANS MORE EMPHASIS ON TANKS AND LESS ON AUTOMOBILES, MORE FREIGHT CARS AND FEWER PASSENGER CARS, MORE MUNITIONS AND LESS TOYS. THAT'S ONE REASON THERE IS A STAMPEDE TO BUY STEEL BEFORE DIVERSION BEGINS.

OR TAKE ANOTHER VITAL WAR INDUSTRY--PETROLEUM. CURRENT PRODUCTION OF OIL PRODUCTS PASSED 6,000,000 BARRELS DAILY FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HISTORY AT ONLY 90 PER CENT OF CAPACITY. THERE'S NO PINCH IN PETROLEUM.

RAILROADS ARE DIFFERENT. RIGHT NOW THEY ARE GETTING REQUESTS FROM SHIPPERS FOR AN ESTIMATED 31,000 CARS MORE A DAY THAN THEY CAN SUPPLY. RAILROADS HAVE PLANS TO BUY 122,000 NEW CARS. IN JULY THEY ORDERED 30,065 FREIGHT CARS, THE HEAVIEST IN 26 YEARS. BUT IT IS GOING TO TAKE TIME TO GET THEM ON THE RAILS.

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SHIPPING AT THE MOMENT IS ADEQUATE. UNCLE SAM HAS TAKEN A FEW SCORE SHIPS OUT OF MOTHBALLS AND STILL HAS MORE THAN 2,000 IN RESERVE. CHARTERED PRIVATE BOTTOMS HAVE TAKEN UP CONSIDERABLE SLACK.

RUBBER IS A GOOD ILLUSTRATION OF THE NATION'S RESERVE POWER. NATURAL RUBBER SOLD EARLY THIS YEAR AT 18 1/2 CENTS A POUND AND THEN STEAJILY CLIMBED TO A KOREAN WAR PEAK OF 63 1/2 CENTS. ON THE RISE, THE GOVERNMENT ORDERED STANDBY SYNTHETIC PLANTS TO CRANK UP. RUBBER PRICES HAVE BEEN ON THE SKIDS SINCE, BUT THEY STILL ARE AROUND 50 PER CENT HIGHER THAN EIGHT WEEKS AGO.

MANPOWER IS THE BIGGEST QUESTION, BUT WE ARE STRONGER NOW THAN IN THE LAST WAR. IN 1944 WE HAD A LABOR FORCE OF 65,890,000 PERSONS INCLUDING 11,260,000 IN THE ARMED FORCES. TODAY WE HAVE A LABOR FORCE OF 65,742,000 INCLUDING ONLY 1,315,000 IN THE ARMED FORCES. AND THERE IS THAT UNUSED WORKING POWER OF ABLE BODIED WOMEN AND RETIRED MEN WHO WOULD GLADLY PITCH IN AND HELP IN AN ALL-OUT WAR, JUST LIKE LAST TIME.

SO FAR THE DRAFT IS AUTHORIZED TO TAKE ONLY 185,000 MEN. DEFENSE OFFICIALS ARE TALKING IN TERMS OF 800,000 NEW MEN FROM ALL SOURCES FOR THE ARMED FORCES. INDUSTRY HAS STARTED TO REALIGN ITSELF FOR EXPECTED MANPOWER SHORTAGES.

BUT RIGHT NOW THE WHOLE ECONOMIC PICTURE IS AS PUZZLING AS FEAR OF A SUGAR SHORTAGE. THIS YEAR THE COUNTRY WILL HAVE AVAILABLE AROUND 16,000,000,000 (B) POUNDS OF SUGAR FOR 150,000,000 (M) PEOPLE. THE BETS ARE THAT HOARDING OR NO HOARDING, PEOPLE JUST WON'T BE ABLE TO EAT THAT MUCH SUGAR.

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COLLINS-SHERMAN
WASHINGTON,AUG.19-(AP)-THE MILITARY CHIEFS OF THE ARMY AND NAVY, GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS AND ADM.FORREST P.SHERMAN, LEFT TODAY FOR WAR STRATEGY TALKS IN JAPAN AND KOREA.

LT.GEN.IDWAL EDWARDS, THE AIR FORCE VICE CHIEF OF STAFF WAR OPERATIONS, IS MAKING THE FLYING TRIP WITH THEM.

AT TOKYO, THEY WILL CONFER WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR AND OTHERS OF THE FAR EAST HIGH COMMAND. THEY EXPECT TO GO ON TO THE SOUTH KOREAN PORT OF PUSAN. THEY WILL BE GONE ABOUT A WEEK.

COLLINS TOLD REPORTERS BEFORE TAKING OFF THAT:

"WE'RE GOING OVER TO TAKE A LOOK BECAUSE YOU CAN ACCOMPLISH MORE SITTING DOWN WITH PEOPLE AND TALKING."

COLLINS, WITH GEN.HOYT VANDENBERG, AIR FORCE CHIEF OF STAFF, MADE A SIMILAR TRIP TO THE FAR EAST LAST MONTH.

SHERMAN SAID HE WANTED TO GO THIS TIME BECAUSE HE HADN'T BEEN ABLE TO GET AWAY FOR THE OTHER TRIP.

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"I HAVE 150 SHIPS OUT THERE AND I WANT TO SEE WHAT THEY ARE DOING," THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS SAID.

HE ADDED THAT THE CARRIER AVIATION AND NAVAL PATROL PLANES ARE "DOING A FINE JOB."

SECRETARY OF THE ARMY FRANK PACE WAS AT THE AIRPORT TO SEE THE MILITARY CHIEFS OFF AT 7:25 A.M.EST.

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FIRST LEAD
DENVER, AUG.19-(AP)-FLEET ADMIRAL CHESTER NIMITZ SAID TONIGHT THAT THE WAR IN KOREA "STARTED SEPT.3, 1945---THE DAY AFTER THE FORMAL JAPANESE SURRENDER."

THE FIVE-STAR ADMIRAL, WHO IS NOW UNITED NATIONS PLEBISCITE ADMINISTRATOR FOR KASHMIR AND JAMMU, SAID AT A U.N. CEREMONY IN THE UNIVERSITY OF DENVER STADIUM:

1. THE KOREAN CRISIS CAN BE TRACED DIRECTLY TO TOO-RAPID DEMOBILIZATION OF U.S.ARMED FORCES AFTER THE LAST WAR.
2. "OUR FRIENDS BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN SAW THAT WHEN OUR ARMED

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FORCES WERE DEMOBILIZED THAT WAS THE TIME TO BEGIN THE SERIES OF EVENTS THAT LED TO KOREA."

3. WITHOUT THE U.N. IT WOULD HAVE BEEN IMPOSSIBLE TO SEND TROOPS TO THE AID OF THE INVADED SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC. OF THE 59 U.N. MEMBER NATIONS 53 HAVE OFFERED AID IN THE KOREAN CRISIS THIS FAR.

NIMITZ SAID HE BELIEVED BOTH GREECE AND IRAN ARE POSSIBLE TROUBLE ZONES FOR THE NEXT POSSIBLE COMMUNIST MOVE, AND THAT GERMANY ALSO MUST BE CONSIDERED IN THIS RESPECT.

HE DISCOUNTED INDIA AS A POTENTIAL CENTER OF TROUBLE WITH THE STATEMENT THAT GEOGRAPHY AND THE WEAKNESS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY THERE WOULD COMBINE TO STEM A COMMUNIST ADVANCE.

IN AN INTERVIEW EARLIER, NIMITZ SAID U N FORCES IN KOREA ARE FACING "THE MOST FORMIDABLE ARMY IN THE WORLD TODAY, NOT EXCEPTING THE RUSSIANS." HE DECLARED IT WAS HIS PERSONAL OPINION THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES ARE COMPOSED OF THE REMNANTS OF JAPAN'S OLD KWANTUNG ARMY.

DURING THE YEARS THE JAPANESE DOMINATED MANCHURIA, HE SAID, THEY RECRUITED STRONG KOREAN FORCES TO ASSIST IN THEIR CONQUEST AND POLICE TROUBLESOME AREAS.

AT THE END OF WORLD WAR II, THE KWANTUNG ARMY DISAPPEARED INTO MANCHURIA. THERE, NIMITZ SPECULATED, IT PROBABLY RECEIVED FURTHER TRAINING FROM THE RUSSIANS. HE BELIEVES THAT ARMY HAS BEEN HURLED AGAINST THE U.N. FORCES IN KOREA.

"THE POPULAR IDEA THAT THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE A TENTH-RATE ARMY IS RIDICULOUS," THE ADMIRAL ASSERTED. "THIS IS DEFINITELY THE FIRST TEAM OUR BOYS ARE UP AGAINST."

NIMITZ, WHO IS NOW U.N. PLEBESCITE ADMINISTRATOR FOR KASHMIR AND JAMMU, IS IN DENVER TO SPEAK TONIGHT AT A U.N. CEREMONY IN THE UNIVERSITY OF DENVER STADIUM.

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EVANSTON, ILL., AUG. 19-(AP)-THE PRESIDENT OF THE WCTU ASSERTED TODAY THAT ARMY AUTHORITIES ARE "SUPPLYING TROOPS IN KOREA WITH BEER AT THE EXPENSE OF SHIPPING SPACE FOR ARMS AND EQUIPMENT."

MRS. D. LEIGH COLVIN, HEAD OF THE NATIONAL WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION, ADDED IN A STATEMENT:

"OBVIOUSLY, AMERICAN SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN DISGUSTED TO SEE TRANSPORTS UNLOAD BEER WHILE THEIR BUDDIES WERE BEING SLAUGHTERED BECAUSE OF LACK OF REINFORCEMENTS AND EFFECTIVE EQUIPMENT."

SHE SAID THE KOREAN WAR HAD HARDLY BEGUN WHEN THE BREWERS ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD "CHEERFULLY" SUPPLY BEER TO THE ARMY IN KOREA "AT THE REQUEST OF MILITARY AUTHORITIES."

"THE BREWERS MEAN, OF COURSE," SHE SAID IN HER STATEMENT, "THAT THEY WILL SUPPLY THE BEER 'CHEERFULLY' FOR THE PROFITS THEY GET FROM THE GOVERNMENT FOR DOING SO."

SHE CALLED ON CONGRESS TO PROHIBIT ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN THE ARMED FORCES.

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CINCINNATI, AUG.19-(AP)-MAJ.GEN.JOHN E.SLOAN, OF WEAVERVILLE, N.C., SAID TODAY THIS COUNTRY AGAIN FINDS ITSELF "CAUGHT IN A POSITION IN WHICH WE CANNOT COMBAT IMMEDIATELY THE HOSTILE ACTION OF EVEN A MINOR MILITARY POWER."

HERE TO ADDRESS A DIVISION REUNION OF THE OUTFIT HE COMMANDED IN THE LAST WAR, THE FAMED 88TH INFANTRY (BLUE DEVIL), HE SAID IN AN INTERVIEW:

"AT THE END OF WORLD WAR II OUR NATION DID SOMETHING THE ENEMY COULD NOT DO--WE DESTROYED THE GREATEST ARMY, MOST EFFICIENT NAVY AND MOST POWERFUL AIR FORCE, AND PLACED THIS GREATEST, RICHEST AND MOST POWERFUL NATION IN THE WORLD AT THE MERCY OF ANY FIENDISH AGGRESSOR.

"IT SHOULD BE EVIDENT, AS WE FACE THE SITUATION IN KOREA, THAT OUR COUNTRY HAS NOT APPLIED THE LESSONS LEARNED IN WORLD WARS I AND II. AGAIN WE ARE CAUGHT IN A POSITION IN WHICH WE CANNOT COMBAT IMMEDIATELY THE HOSTILE ACTION OF EVEN A MINOR MILITARY POWER. THIS NEGLECT OF THE ARMED FORCES IS BEING PAID AGAIN WITH THE LIVES OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS."

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 19-(AP)-SENATOR WILEY (R-WIS) SAID TODAY CONGRESS MEMBERS HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT A CRACK COMMUNIST FORCE, 200,000 STRONG IS BEING MOVED NORTHWARD IN CHINA TOWARD THE KOREAN BORDER.

WILEY, A MEMBER OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, TOLD A REPORTER HE COULDN'T DIVULGE THE SOURCE OF HIS INFORMATION. BUT HE ADDED:

"WE KNOW THERE IS A STRONG FORCE OF CRACK TROOPS, SAID TO BE LARGELY MADE UP OF KOREANS TRAINED IN MANCHURIA BY THE RUSSIANS, THAT IS MOVING NORTHWARD THROUGH CHINA. WE DON'T KNOW YET WHAT THEIR DESTINATION IS."

WILEY SAID HE BELIEVES THE "TREMENDOUS RESISTANCE" PUT UP BY AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN INVADERS HAS STAVED OFF ANY CHINESE COMMUNIST ATTACK ON FORMOSA FOR THE TIME BEING.

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HE SAID HE HOPES THE FIGHTING IN KOREA CAN BE LOCALIZED BUT PREDICTED THAT IF A GENERAL WAR BREAKS OUT WITH RUSSIA, AMERICAN FORCES WILL BE EVACUATED FROM KOREA AND USED AT MORE STRATEGIC POINTS IN THE WORLD.

"IN THAT EVENT, OF COURSE, WE'LL USE THE ATOMIC BOMB," HE SAID

HE AIRED SIMILAR VIEWS ON A TELEVISION BROADCAST LAST NIGHT (CBS CAPITOL CLOAKWAY).

WILEY NOTED ON THE BROADCAST THAT A RADIO COMMENTATOR HAD SAID THAT INTERCEPTED RUSSIAN MESSAGE INDICATED SOVIET PLANS TO STIR A REVOLT IN IRAN AND TO MARCH INTO THAT COUNTRY. HE SAID HE HAS NO INFORMATION WHETHER SUCH REPORTS ARE CORRECT.

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BURBANK, CALIF., AUG 19-(AP)-A FOUR-ENGINE CONSTELLATION TRANSPORT TO BE USED BY GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR IS AT LOCKHEED SERVICE CORP. FOR INSTALLATION OF RADAR EQUIPMENT AND A GROUND-TO-AIR TELETYPE, THE AIR FORCE DISCLOSES.

ELECTRONICS INSTALLATIONS WILL BE COMPLETED IN ABOUT TWO WEEKS AND THE GENERAL'S PERSONAL PILOT, LT.COL. ANTHONY F. STOREY, WHO IS IN THIS AREA, IS SCHEDULED TO FLY THE SHIP BACK TO TOKYO.

THE TRANSPORT IS OPERATED BY THE MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT SERVICE AND ASSIGNED TO THE FAR EASTERN AIR FORCE. AIR FORCE SPOKESMEN SAID THERE IS NO SECRECY ATTACHED TO THE PLANE OR ITS INSTALLATIONS.

LOS ANGELES, AUG 19-(AP)-THE SELF-REALIZATION FELLOWSHIPD ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT A GANDHI PEACE SHRINE, WHICH WILL CONTAIM

$ NO SECRECY ATTACHED TO THE PLANE OR ITS INSTALLATIONS.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TONIGHT SAT.AUG.19)
(150)(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THAT IT HAD LOST 55 PLANES TO ENEMY ACTION IN THE KOREAN WAR.

THIS FIGURE DOES NOT NECESSARILY COVER ALL PLANE LOSSES. THE AIR FORCE SAID IT COVERED ONLY LOSSES KNOWN TO THE ENEMY. ANY OPERATIONAL LOSSES THAT MAY HAVE OCCURRED IN AMERICAN-HELD TERRITORY, WHERE THE ENEMY COULD NOT OBSERVE THEM, WERE NOT REPORTED.

THE ANNOUNCED FIGURE INCLUDED LOSSES FROM FIGHTER ATTACKS, ANTI-AIRCRAFT OR SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM THE GROUND AND ENEMY STRAFING AND BOMBING.

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TWO C-54 TRANSPORTS WERE LOST BY STRAFING AND BOMBING. OTHER LOSSES WERE SIX B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS, ONE B-29 MEDIUM BOMBER, 24 F-51 PISTON-ENGINED FIGHTERS, 17 F-80 JET FIGHTERS, FOUR F-82 NIGHT FIGHTERS AND ONE T-6 TARGET SPOTTER.

THE AIR FORCE SAID THAT CREWS OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES HAVE CLAIMED THE DESTRUCTION OF 70 COMMUNIST PLANES. IN ADDITION TO THESE CLAIMS OF PLANES DEFINITELY DESTROYED, THE U.S. FLIERS HAVE CLAIMED 17 COMMUNIST PLANES PROBABLY DESTROYED AND 32 OTHERS DAMAGED.
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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE (150)
WASHINGTON,AUG.19-(AP)-A BERWICK, PA., SERGEANT WILL BE THE FIRST ENLISTED CASUALTY OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING TO BE BURIED IN ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY.

HE IS ERNEST K.TURNER, 35, WHO WAS WOUNDED IN ACTION JULY 24.

THE ARMY, WHICH MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT TODAY, SAID THE BODY IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE AT WASHINGTON'S UNION STATION MONDAY MORNING (830AES).

THE BODY WILL BE MET BY A GUARD OF HONOR AND THEN TRANSPORTED TO THE CEMETERY. BURIAL, WITH FULL MILITARY HONORS, WILL BE LATER IN THE WEEK.

AFTER BEING WOUNDED IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING, SERGEANT TURNER WAS TAKEN TO THE 118TH STATION HOSPITAL IN TOYKO. HE DIED THERE JULY 28.

AN INFANTRYMAN, SERGEANT TURNER WAS A VETERAN OF EIGHT YEARS IN THE ARMY. HE HAD REENLISTED FOR A THREE-YEAR TERM LAST FEBRUARY.

HE IS SURVIVED BY HIS MOTHER, MRS.LEONA BELLE TURNER (1300 ORANGE ST.), BERWICK, AND A SISTER, MRS.LOIS MARIE HUTTON, ALSO OF BERWICK.
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(WEST OUT)
FAIRFIELD-SUISUN AIR FORCE BASE,CALIF.,AUG.19-(AP)-WOUNDED SERVICEMEN FLOWN HOME FROM KOREA WILL BE HANDLED WITH MORE SPEED THAN FORMERLY AT THIS AIR TERMINAL--ALL BECAUSE A GROUP OF AIRMEN GOT THE IDEA OF BUILDING A UNIQUE AMBULANCE.

THE MEN OF THE FIFTH AND NINTH MAINTENANCE SQUADRONS SPENT SEVEN DAYS, WORKING AROUND THE CLOCK, CONSTRUCTING A VEHICLE WHICH WOULD TRANSPORT 30 PATIENTS AT A TIME, INSTEAD OF THE FEW THAT CAN BE MOVED IN A STANDARD AMBULANCE. THEIR CONVEYANCE IS A 40-FOOT, FLATBED TRAILER. IT WILL CARRY THE WOUNDED FROM PLANES TO THE BASE HOSPITAL.
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(430)
NIGHT LEAD SHERWOOD
EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND, AUG. 19-(AP)-A CHARGE BY ROBERT SHERWOOD THAT PRIME MINISTER STALIN IS FOMENTING WAR IRRITATED TWO SCOTS IN THE INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE PEN (CAPS) TODAY.

DR.ARCHIE LAMONT, SCOTTISH GEOLOGIST AND PACIFIST, INTERRUPTED THE NEW YORK DRAMATIST TO SAY: "YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT DRAMA, NOT POLITICS."

SCOTTISH POET HUGH MACDIARMID WALKED OUT ANGRILY.

SHERWOOD HAD TOLD THE MEMBER OF PEN (POETS, ESSAYISTS AND NOVELISTS) THAT MANY INTELLIGENT PERSONS HOLD STALIN WILL NOT BE STUPID ENOUGH TO START ANOTHER WORLD WAR, BUT "THE BITTER FACT IS THAT STALIN HAS ALREADY DISPLAYED A CAPACITY FOR ABYSMAL STUPIDITY."

HE ACCUSED THE RUSSIANS OF INCREDIBLE INTRANSIGENCE. HE SAID THE PRESENT WORLD SITUATION IS UNNECESSARY AND SENSELESS AND DECLARED THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR IT ARE, LIKE ADOLF HITLER, HEADED FOR SUICIDE.

DR.LAMONT SPOKE UP AT THAT POINT. HE DID NOT JOIN MACDIARMID IN THE WALKOUT, BUT STAYED ON TO INTERRUPT OTHER SPEAKERS.

A BRITISH NOVELIST, ST.JOHN ERVINE, LATER PREFACED A TALK ON DRAMA WITH A REFERENCE TO "ANGRY LITTLE MEN."

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"THEY ARE THE MOST DANGEROUS PEOPLE IN THE WORLD," ERVINE SAID. "THEY RUN ABOUT IMAGINING THAT THEIR EMOTIONS ARE ALL THAT MATTER--THAT WHAT THEY THINK IS THE ONLY THING THAT IS WORTH A DAMN AND THAT ANYBODY WHO DOESN'T AGREE WITH THEM SHOULD BE LIQUIDATED."

PEN IS A POLITICALLY INDEPENDENT LITERARY ORGANIZATION. THE MEETING WAS ATTENDED BY ABOUT 150 WRITERS FROM 20 COUNTRIES, INCLUDING THE UNITED STATES, CANADA AND MOST WEST EUROPEAN NATIONS.

THE GROUP MET IN CONNECTION WITH EDINBURGH'S ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL OF MUSIC AND DRAMA, WHICH OPENS TOMORROW AND CONTINUES UNTIL SEPT. 9.

DR.LAMONT SHOWED UP TONIGHT AT THE EDINBURGH COLLEGE OF ART, WHERE HE ROSE TO PROTEST A SPEAKER'S REMARKS AT A MEETING OPENING "THE 1001 BOOKS OF THE YEAR EXHIBITION."

THE EARL OF CRAWFORD AND BALCARRES REFERRED TO THE ABSENCE FROM THE EDINBURGH FESTIVAL OF A FAMED CZECHOSLOVAK PUPPET SHOW WHOSE APPEARANCE WAS CANCELLED BY THE CZECH GOVERNMENT.

"THE IRON CURTAIN STRETCHES FURTHER AND FURTHER FORWARD," HE SAID. "IT HAS EVEN FALLEN ON THE PUPPETS ON WHICH WE THOUGHT AN EDINBURGH CURTAIN WOULD RISE."

HE ADDED THAT IT HAD FALLEN BECAUSE OF THE FEAR THAT IDEAS FROM "PLUTOCRATIC PRINCES STREET (EDINBURGH'S PRINCIPAL THOROUGHFARE) WOULD ENTER THEIR POOR LITTLE WOODEN HEADS."

DR.LAMONT SCRAMBLED TO HIS FEET, KNOCKING DOWN CHAIRS ABOUT HIM.

"THIS BODY STANDS FOR PEACE AND NOT FOR A LOT OF NONSENSE," HE

SHOUTED. "WHY ALL THIS POLITICS?"
AS HE KNOCKED ASIDE MORE CHAIRS ON HIS WAY TO THE DOOR, A SCOTSMAN IN THE AUDIENCE CRIED: "AWAY YE GO."
U.S.AMBASSADOR LEWIS W.DOUGLAS, ADDRESSING THE CONFERENCE TONIGHT, APPEALED TO WESTERN AUTHORS TO USE THEIR PENS IN THE STRUGGLE AGAINST COMMUNISM.
"ONE OF THE GREAT PROBLEMS IN A FREE SOCIETY IS TO CONVINCE MOST OF THE PEOPLE THAT ACTUAL DANGER TO EVERYTHING WHICH THEY CHERISH AND HOLD DEAR, TO HOME, HEART, AND FAMILY, IN FACT EXISTS," HE SAID.
"IT IS AN EVEN GREATER PROBLEM IN A FREE SOCIETY WHEN DANGER DOES EXIST TO CONVINCE MOST OF THE PEOPLE THAT IT DOES AND TO CONVINCE THEM IN TIME TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE DEFENSE."
DOUGLAS SAID THAT HE IS "PROFOUNDLY CONVINCED" SUCH A GRAVE DANGER NOW EXISTS AND THAT WRITERS HAVE A "ROLE NO LESS IMPORTANT THAN THAT OF ANY OTHER GROUP IN THE COMMUNITY" IN HELPING WITH DEFENSE.
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FIRST LEAD (A137)
EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND, AUG. 19-(AP)-AMERICAN DRAMATIST ROBERT SHERWOOD TOLD A GATHERING OF LITERARY FOLK TODAY THAT PRIME MINISTER STALIN HAS DISPLAYED A CAPACITY FOR "ABYSMAL STUPIDITY." TWO OF HIS SCOTCH LISTENERS PROTESTED ANGRILY AND ONE--A PROMINENT POET--WALKED OUT.
SHERWOOD WAS ADDRESSING THE POLITICALLY INDEPENDENT INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF PEN (POETS, ESSAYISTS, NOVELISTS) IN CONNECTION WITH THE EDINBURGH ARTS FESTIVAL.
HE SAID THAT MANY INTELLIGENT PEOPLE HOLD THE VIEW THAT "UNCLE JOE" WILL NOT BE STUPID ENOUGH TO START ANOTHER WAR, AND ADDED:
"THE BITTER FACT IS STALIN HAS ALREADY DISPLAYED A CAPACITY FOR ABYSMAL STUPIDITY."
HE ADDED THAT THE PRESENT WORLD SITUATION IS "UNNECESSARY AND SENSELESS" AND ACCUSED THE RUSSIANS OF "INCREDIBLE INTRANSIGENCE."
HE WAS INTERRUPTED AT THIS POINT BY SCOTTISH THEOLOGIST AND PACIFIST DR.ARCHIE LAMONT, WHO CREDIT OUT "YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT DRAMA, NOT POLITICS."
HUGH MACDIARMID, (CAP M.D) A SCOTTISH POET, JOINED THE PROTEST AND WALKED OUT OF THE HALL. SHERWOOD CONCLUDED HIS TALK AND LAMONT STAYED ON AND INTERRUPTED SEVERAL OTHER SPEAKERS.
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LONDON, AUG. 19-(AP)-RUDOLJUF COLAKOVIC, PRESIDENT OF YUGOSLAVIA'S COUNCIL FOR SCIENCE AND CULTURE, TOLD THE NINTH CHESS OLYMPICS CONTESTANTS TONIGHT AT DUBROVNIK, YUGOSLAVIA, THAT "IT WOULD BE FOOLISH TO GIVE IN TO THE ILLUSION THAT THE DANGER OF WAR DOES NOT EXIST."
COLAKOVIC'S REMARKS WERE REPORTED IN A DISPATCH BROADCAST BY TANJUG, OFFICIAL YUGOSLAV NEWS AGENCY, AND HEARD HERE. HE SAID THE BIG POWERS ARE FORMING BLOCS, DIVIDING COUNTRIES INTO SPHERES OF INTEREST, INTERFERING IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF OTHER STATES, AND WAGING A "COLD WAR."
YUGOSLAVIA, HE ADDED, NEEDS PEACE TO CONSTRUCT SOCIALISM.
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NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY
BY JOSEPH DYNAN
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 19-(AP)-A PLEDGE FROM BRITISH LABOR PARTY MEMBERS TO WORK IN LONDON FOR PROJECTS BACKED BY THE COUNCIL OF CUROPE PATCHED UP A RIFT IN THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TODAY.
BRITISH LABORITE JAMES CALLAGHAN MADE THE PLEDGE ON BEHALF OF HIS LABORITE COLLEAGUES AT A CLOSED SESSION OF THE ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE IN REPLY TO A THREAT BY FRENCH SOCIALIST GUY MOLLET TO RESIGN AS COMMITTEE SECRETARY.
PERSONS WHO ATTENDED SAID CALLAGHAN APOLOGIZED FOR WHAT HE CALLED A MISUNDERSTANDING IN THE VOTE YESTERDAY ON A COMMITTEE REPORT PRESENTED BY MOLLET. THE REPORT EMBODIES A SERIES OF RESOLUTIONS ON EUROPEAN UNITY TO WHICH THE LABORITES OBJECTED, ALTHOUGH HUGH DALTON, BRITISH COMMITTEE MEMBER LAST YEAR, HAD APPROVED IT.
MOLLET DEMANDED IN A STORMY SESSION THAT THE BRITISH LABORITES TELL THE COMMITTEE EXACTLY WHERE THEY STAND ON THE UNIFICATION OF EUROPE, SO THE COMMITTEE WOULD KNOW HOW TO PROCEED. HE ACCUSED THEM OF TAKING ONE POSITION IN THE COMMITTEE AND ANOTHER IN PUBLIC SESSIONS.
CALLAGHAN REPLIED THAT ALL THE BRITISH LABORITE DELEGATES WERE DETERMINED, ON THEIR RETURN TO LONDON, TO PROMOTE ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS BOTH IN THE GOVERNMENT AND IN PARLIAMENT. MOLLET THEN TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT, UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES, HE WOULD BE HAPPY TO CONTINUE AS SECRETARY.
"THEY MADE A FORMAL PLEDGE," HE SAID. "WE WILL SEE IF THEY CAN OVERCOME OBJECTIONS OF THE FOREIGN OFFICE BY THE TIME WE COME BACK HERE IN NOVEMBER."
BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN HAS BEEN AN OUTSTANDING OPPONENT OF UNIFICATION SCHEMES IN THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS, THE VETO-HOLDING UPPER HOUSE. THE ASSEMBLY IS THZ VNOVHMUSE OF TPEQ

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OPPONENT OF UNIFICATION SCHEMES IN THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS, THE VETO-HOLDING UPPER HOUSE. THE ASSEMBLY IS THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE COUNCIL, A SORT OF PARLIAMENT IN WHICH DELEGATES OF 15 NATIONS PARTICIPATE.
ASSEMBLY OFFICIALS SAID MOLLET'S RESIGNATION WOULD HAVE PRECIPITATED A BITTER FIGHT ON THE ASSEMBLY FLOOR BETWEEN ADVOCATES OF CLOSER UNIFICATION AND "GO-SLOW" DELEGATES, MOSTLY BRITISH LABORITES AND SCANDINAVIANS.

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MOLLET WAS ANGERED PARTICULARLY BECAUSE DALTON LEFT THE CHAMBER FOR THE ASSEMBLY BAR DURING THE VOTE YESTERDAY ON THE COMMITTEE RESOLUTIONS. DALTON THUS DID NOT ANSWER THE ROLL CALL.
THE ASSEMBLY TODAY ELECTED A WEST GERMAN CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT, HEINRICH VON BRENTANO. AND TURKEY'S SUAD MAYRI URGUPLU, AS FIFTH AND

SIXTH VICE-PRESIDENTS, RESPECTIVELY.
IN A ROLL CALL, VON BRENTANO OBTAINED 95 OF 100 VALID VOTES CAST. THE RESULT GAVE WEST GERMANY A PLACE ON THE ASSEMBLY'S STEERING COMMITTEE AND ALSO ON THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE, WHICH RUNS ASSEMBLY AFFAIRS IN THE INTERVALS BETWEEN SESSIONS.
URGUPLU WON OVER LEON MACCAS OF GREECE, 76 TO 19. WITHOUT OBJECTION, THE ASSEMBLY ADOPTED A PROPOSAL FROM ITS STEERING COMMITTEE TO RECESS THE PRESENT SESSION SOMETIME LATE THIS MONTH.
THE MOTION INCLUDED A SIX-POINT MINIMUM PROGRAM FOR ASSEMBLY DECISIONS BEFORE THE RECESS:
1--PROPOSALS FOR A EUROPEAN POLITICAL AUTHORITY OR AMENDMENTS TO THE COUNCIL STATUTE TO GIVE THE COUNCIL EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE FUNCTIONS.
2--WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY.
3--A CONVENTION TO GUARANTEE HUMAN RIGHTS IN MEMBER STATES, INCLUDING A EUROPEAN COURT TO ENFORCE IT.
4--A EUROPEAN SOCIAL SECURITY CODE.
5--PROPOSALS INDORSING THE SCHUMAN STEEL-COAL POOL PLAN, PLUS MOTIONS BY EDOUARD BONNEFOUS OF FRANCE FOR A EUROPEAN TRANSPORT AUTHORITY, BY DALTON FOR REGULATION OF FISHING IN THE NORTH SEA AND BY CONSTANTIN TSALDARIS OF GREECE FOR A EUROPEAN TOBACCO MONOPOLY.
6--A MOTION BY BONNEFOUS TO CREATE A SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR DIPLOMATIC AFFAIRS AND EUROPEAN SECURITY.
OFFICIALS SAID THE ASSEMBLY PROBABLY WILL TAKE ITS RECESS ABOUT AUG. 29 AND RECONVENE IN MID-NOVEMBER.
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STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 19-(AP)-A FRENCH SOCIALIST TODAY DEMANDED IN THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE THAT BRITISH LABORITES PUT THEIR CARDS SQUARELY ON THE TABLE ON THE ISSUE OF EUROPEAN UNITY.
GUY MOLLET, THE FRENCHMAN, CHARGED BRITISH LABORITES TOOK ONE POSITION IN COMMITTEE AND ANOTHER ON THE FLOOR OF THE ASSEMBLY. SAID MOLLET TO THE BRITISH DELEGATES:
"I BELIEVE THAT IF WE UNITE EUROPE IT MUST BE WITH BRITAIN, FOR OTHERWISE THE UNION WOULD TEND TO BE ONE AGAINST ENGLAND. BUT FIRST WE MUST KNOW WHERE YOU STAND."
HE ASSAILED BRITISH LABORITES FOR THEIR REFUSAL TO SUPPORT RESOLUTIONS FOR EUROPEAN UNITY EMBODIED IN A COMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED TO THE ASSEMBLY YESTERDAY. THE ASSEMBLY ADOPTED THE REPORT BY 94-0 BUT WITH 12 ABSTENTIONS, MOST OF THEM BRITISH LABORITES.
THE REPORT HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED BY COMMITTEE MEMBERS WHO INCLUDED BRITAIN'S HUGH DALTON.
THE RESOLUTIONS ARE AIMED AT STRENGTHENING THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AND THE ASSEMBLY, WHICH IS AN UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT OF WESTERN EUROPE. THEY ASK THAT EACH MEMBER GOVERNMENT HAVE A EUROPEAN AFFAIRS MINISTER AND THAT ALL ASSEMBLYMEN BE ELECTED BY THEIR HOME PARLIAMENTS INSTEAD OF BEING APPOINTED.
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A182 (600)
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NIGHT LEAD BELGIAN
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
LIEGE, BELGIUM, AUG. 19-(AP)-BELGIUM'S COMMUNIST PARTY BLAMED PRO-LEOPOLDISTS TONIGHT FOR THE ASSASSINATION OF THE PARTY PRESIDENT, JULIEN LAHAUT, AND ISSUED AN ANGRY CALL FOR VENGEANCE.
A PARTY MANIFESTO URGED ALL THE COUNTRY'S WORKERS TO "GET TOGETHER TO DISARM THE MURDERERS AND STOP FASCISM." IT DEMANDED MASS DEMONSTRATIONS THROUGHOUT THIS NERVE-WRACKED COUNTRY, WHICH HAS JUST WEATHERED A VIOLENT CRISIS. THE DIVISION OF THE NATION WITH THE RETURN OF KING LEOPOLD III TO THE THRONE ALMOST STARTED A CIVIL WAR.
THE 66-YEAR-OLD COMMUNIST PRESIDENT WAS SHOT DOWN LAST NIGHT AT THE DOORSTEP OF HIS SUBURBAN HOME. LAHAUT'S WIFE SAID THE ASSASSINS WERE TWO YOUNG MEN, ONE OF WHOM PUMPED TWO BULLETS INTO LAHAUT'S HEAD AND ONE INTO HIS BODY.
THE ATTACK WAS MADE ONLY A FEW HOURS AFTER BELGIUM'S PARLIAMENT COMPLETED APPROVAL OF THE FIRST GOVERNMENT TO SERVE UNDER CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN, TO WHOM LEOPOLD DELEGATED THE ROYAL POWERS IN ORDER TO STOP CIVIL STRIFE. THE NEW PREMIER, JOSEPH PHOLIEN, QUICKLY ADDRESSED A RADIO MESSAGE TO THE NATION DEPLORING THE KILLING.
"THE GOVERNMENT STIGMATIZES THIS ODIOUS CRIME, WHICH HAS SO TERRIBLY UPSET ALL GOOD CITIZENS," SAID THE PREMIER, HEAD OF THE ALL-SOCIAL CHRISTIAN (CATHOLIC) PARTY CABINET WHICH SUPPORTS THE ROYALISTS.
"M.JULIEN LAHAUT DEFENDED ENERGETICALLY AND COURAGEOUSLY A THEORY THAT THE MAJORITY OF BELGIANS REJECTS," HE ADDED. "IN A DEMOCRATIC COUNTRY LIKE OURS, ALL OPINIONS HAVE THE RIGHT TO SHOW THEMSELVES SO LONG AS THEY RESPECT THE LAWS THE NATION HAS GIVEN ITSELF."
BUT THE COMMUNISTS ALREADY WERE IN ACTION. THEY CALLED A "MOURNING" STRIKE IN THE LIEGE METAL WORKS PLANTS IN THE SERAING SUBURB, AND SOME SOURCES SAID THE STRIKE MIGHT CONTINUE UNTIL LAHAUT'S BURIAL TUESDAY. LAHAUT, SILVER-HAIRED AND JOVIAL, ENJOYED SOME POPULARITY OUTSIDE COMMUNIST RANKS.
THE BELGIAN PARTY, ACCORDING TO SEMI-OFFICIAL FIGURES, IS NOT NUMERICALLY STRONG. THERE ARE ONLY ABOUT 25,000 PARTY MEMBERS IN A TOTAL POPULATION OF 8,500,000. BUT PARTY SYMPATHIZERS ARE ESTIMATED AT 175,000. LAHAUT WAS ONE OF SEVEN COMMUNIST MEMBERS IN THE LOWER HOUSE OF PARLIAMENT. THE COMMUNISTS HAVE THREE SENATORS.

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OFFICIALLY LAHAUT WAS HEAD OF THE PARTY, BUT THE REAL BOSS IS SAID TO BE BALD-HEADED EDGARD LALMAND, A FORMER ANTWERP GRAIN DEALER WHO IS THE PARTY'S GENERAL SECRETARY AND A MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT. LALMAND RECENTLY SPENT SEVERAL WEEKS IN RUSSIA, OSTENSIBLY ON A HOLIDAY. HE HAD LEFT BELGIUM SOON AFTER HIS PARTY GOT A BEATING AT THE POLLS IN THE JUNE 4 ELECTIONS. THEY LOST FIVE OF THEIR 12 SEATS IN THE HOUSE AND THREE OF THEIR SIX IN THE SENATE. LALMAND RETURNED ABOUT A MONTH AGO.
AN INTERESTING SIDELIGHT ON THESE EVENTS CAME FROM LONDON, WHERE THE PRO-RUSSIAN ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWS SHEET, NEW DIPLOMAT, ACCUSED BOTH THE BELGIAN AND FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTIES OF "MESSIANIC DEVIATION." THIS TERM WAS NOT EXPLAINED IN DETAIL, BUT THE ARTICLE CHARGED THAT "COMMUNIST PARTIES OF FRANCE AND BELGIUM ARE STUFFED WITH TITOISTS, CRYPTO-TROTZKYISTS AND AUTHENTIC TROTZKYISTS." THIS DEVIATION, IT SAID CANNOT CONTINUE. THE PUBLICATION IS NOT, ACCORDING TO THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS, OFFICIALLY CONNECTED WITH EITHER THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT OR ITS EMBASSY IN LONDON.
THE COMMUNIST PARTY CALLED A MEETING IN LIEGE AND RUSHED OUT A

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LEAFLET FOR DISTRIBUTION WHICH BLAMED THE ASSASSINATION ON LEO-REXISTS." (THIS IS A COMBINATION OF THE TERMS LEOPOLDIST AND REXISTS, THE LATTER BEING A PREWAR FASCIST MOVEMENT.)

"WORKERS OF ALL OPINION!," THE LEAFLETS SAID "GET TOGETHER TO DISARM THE MURDERERS AND STOP FASCISM! DEMONSTRATE IN MASS TO SHOW YOUR INDIGNATION AGAINST THE ASSASSINATION OF THE MAN WHO FOUGHT FOR DEMOCRACY AND PEACE! THE PEOPLE, BY ITS ACTION, WILL AVENGE JULIEN LAHAUT!"

THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER LE DRAPEAU ROUGE CARRIED A SIX-COLUMN HEADLINE SAYING "OUR DEAR COMRADE JULIEN LAHAUT WAS ASSASSINATED BY LEO-REXISTS."

ALL SHADES OF POLITICAL OPINION WERE CONDEMNING THE CRIME AS POLICE LAUNCHED AN EXTENSIVE HUNT FOR THE SLAYERS.

THE AUTHORITIES, QUOTING MRS.LAHAUT, PIECED THIS STORY TOGETHER:

TWO MEN, EACH ABOUT 20 YEARS OLD, DROVE UP TO THE LAHAUT HOME AND RANG THE BELL. MRS.LAHAUT ANSWERED. ONE OF THE TWO IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS A "MR.HENDRICKS" AND ASKED TO SPEAK TO LAHAUT. LAHAUT CAME OUT OF HIS KITCHEN.

ONE OF THE TWO MEN DREW A GUN AND FIRED THREE TIMES. LAHAUT FELL WITH A BULLET IN HIS BODY AND TWO IN HIS HEAD. THE MEN DROVE OFF IN THEIR CAR, WHILE LAHAUT'S WIFE SCREAMED FOR HELP.

A LARGE CROWD SOON GATHERED ABOUT THE HOUSE. POLICE STATIONED MEN ON ALL BRIDGES AROUND THE CITY, CHECKING CARS AND IDENTITY PAPERS IN A SEARCH FOR THE ASSASSINS, WHO WERE SAID TO HAVE DRIVEN AWAY IN THE DIRECTION OF LUXEMBOURG.

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LAHAUT, BORN IN 1884 AS THE SON OF A METAL WORKER, HIMSELF WAS A METAL WORKER SINCE HE WAS 14. HE WAS FIRED FROM A JOB IN THE BIG COCKERILL PLANT WHEN HE WAS 18 FOR FOMENTING A STRIKE. HE BECAME EXTREMELY ACTIVE BEFORE WORLD WAR I AS A STRIKE ORGANIZER. AFTER THE WAR HE VISITED IN RUSSIA, WHENCE HE RETURNED WITH AN ABIDING SYMPATHY FOR THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT. HE JOINED THE PARTY IN 1923 AND IMMEDIATELY BECAME A MEMBER OF THE BELGIAN POLITBURO.

HE WAS JAILED SEVERAL TIMES FOR POLITICAL ACTIVITIES. IN JUNE, 1941, HE WAS IMPRISONED BY THE GERMANS AND WOUNDED WHEN HE TRIED TO ESCAPE. THE NAZIS SENT HIM TO A NUMBER OF CONCENTRATION CAMPS, THE LAST ONE BEING THE NOTORIOUS MAUTHAUSEN DEATH CENTER, IN 1944. HOWEVER, HE WAS FREED BY THE ALLIED DRIVE IN APRIL 1945. HE BECAME PRESIDENT OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY WHEN THE LIBERATION OF BELGIUM WAS COMPLETED.

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SECOND LEAD LAHAUT

LIEGE, BELGIUM, AUG. 19-(AP)-JULIEN LAHAUT, HEAD OF THE BELGIAN COMMUNIST PARTY, WAS SHOT TO DEATH AT HIS HOME LAST NIGHT AND THE OFFICIAL PARTY NEWSPAPER CHARGED TODAY PRO-LEOPOLDISTS WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ASSASSINATION.

HIS WIFE WAS A WITNESS TO THE KILLING. HE WAS RIDDLED BY THREE (CQ) BULLETS FIRED BY ONE OF TWO GUNMEN WHO DROVE UP TO THE LAHAUT HOME IN A LIEGE SUBURB ABOUT 9:30 P.M.

MRS.LAHAUT SAID THE MEN, APPEARING ABOUT 20 YEARS OLD, RANG THE BELL AND ASKED TO SPEAK TO HER HUSBAND.

"I AM MR.HENDRICKS," SAID ONE. "I WANT TO SPEAK TO MR.LAHAUT."

LAHAUT, 66-YEAR-OLD LEADER OF BELGIAN'S ESTIMATED 100,000 COMMUNISTS, CAME OUT OF THE KITCHEN. ONE OF THE GUNMEN FIRED THREE TIMES. EACH BULLET FOUND ITS MARK AND LAHAUT FELL WITH TWO WOUNDS IN HIS HEAD AND ONE IN HIS BODY. POLICE SAID THE BULLETS WERE FIRED FROM EITHER A REVOLVER OR A SUBMACHINEGUN.

LAHAUT, A VETERAN MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, WAS BITTERLY ANTI-MONARCHIST. HE REPRESENTED INDUSTRIAL LIEGE, ONE OF THE STORM CENTERS IN THE RECENT STRIFE OVER THE ISSUE OF KING LEOPOLD'S RETURN FROM EXILE.

HE WAS CREDITED WITH SHOUTING "VIVE LA REPUBLIQUE" DURING THE JOINT SESSION OF PARLIAMENT AT WHICH CROWN PRINCE BAUDOUIN WAS SWORN IN AS PRINCE ROYAL--THUS ENDING THE IMMEDIATE THREAT OF A CIVIL WAR OVER THE RETURN OF LEOPOLD.

THE MAIN OPPOSITION TO LEOPOLD'S RETURN WAS FROM THE SOCIALISTS, WHO ARE AVOWED ANTI-COMMUNISTS. THE SOCIALISTS WERE ANTI-LEOPOLD AND NOT ANTI-MONARCHISTS. THE COMMUNISTS ARE NOT A NUMERICALLY STRONG PARTY IN BELGIUM, WITH ONLY SEVEN SEATS IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT AS TO THE IDENTITY OF THE ASSASSINS.

LE DRAPEAU ROUGE, OFFICIAL COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER, CHARGED THAT "OUR DEAR COMRADE JULIEN LAHAUT HAS BEEN ASSASSINATED BY LEO-REXISTS." THE REFERENCE WAS TO PARTISANS OF THE KING AND THE PRE-WAR FASCIST REX MOVEMENT.

LAHAUT WAS POPULAR AMONG BELGIAN WORKERS. LARGE CROWDS GATHERED BEFORE HIS HOUSE DURING THE NIGHT. A STRIKE WAS CALLED IN SERAING--SUBURB WHERE HE LIVED--IN PROTEST AGAINST THE ASSASSINATION.

HE HAD WORKED IN THE METAL INDUSTRY SINCE 14 YEARS OF AGE AND HAD LED MANY STRIKES HIMSELF.

PRIME MINISTER JOSEPH PHOLIEN ADDRESSED THIS STATEMENT TO THE NATION OVER THE BELGIAN RADIO:

"THE GOVERNMENT STIGMATIZES THIS ODIOUS CRIME WHICH HAS SO TERRIBLY UPSET ALL GOOD CITIZENS. MONSIEUR JULIEN LAHAUT DEFENDED ENERGENTICALLY AND COURAGEOUSLY THE THEORY THAT A MAJORITY OF BELGIANS REJECT. IN A DEMOCRATIC COUNTRY LIKE OURS ALL OPINIONS HAVE THE RIGHT TO SHOW THEMSELVES, SO LONG AS THEY RESPECT THE LAWS THE NATION HAS GIVEN ITSELF."

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ROME, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE SECRETARIAT-GENERAL OF ITALY'S COMMUNIST-DOMINATED GENERAL CONFEDERATION OF LABOR TONIGHT CALLED ON ALL ITALIAN UNION MEMBERS TO STOP WORK FOR A HALF HOUR MONDAY MORNING TO PROTEST THE ASSASSINATION OF BELGIAN COMMUNIST LEADER JULIEN LAHAUT.

UNION WORKERS ON RAILWAYS AND ON OTHER ESSENTIAL SERVICES ARE EXEMPT FROM THE STOPPAGE ORDER.

LAHAUT WAS SHOT LAST NIGHT AT HIS HOME IN LIEGE, BELGIUM.

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GERMAN
BY BRACK CURRY

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG. 19-(AP)-ALLIED AND GERMAN OFFICIALS REPORTED TODAY WESTERN GERMANY IS REAPING A HARVEST OF EXPORT ORDERS BECAUSE OF THE WESTERN WORLD'S REARMAMENT PROGRAMS. IT MAY DEVELOP INTO A FULL-BLOWN ECONOMIC BOOM.

WESTERN GERMANS EXPECT TO PROFIT HANDSOMELY FROM EXPORTS OFCONSUMER GOODS WHILE OTHER NATIONS CONCENTRATE ON ARMS. THEY ALSO EXPECT THE NEED FOR THEIR INDUSTRY'S OUTPUT, SPURRED BY THE [redacted] IN KOREA, TO WIPE OUT SOME WESTERN ALLIED LIMITATIONS--PARTICULARLY ON STEEL PRODUCTION.

BRITAIN AND FRANCE HAVE JOINED THE UNITED STATES IN PLACING LARGE ORDERS FOR STEEL WITH THE GERMANS, OFFICIALS SAID. MORE ORDERS ARE PREDICTED FROM THESE AND OTHER NATIONS. INDUSTRY SPOKESMEN SAY THE ORDERS CANNOT BE MET UNLESS THE PRODUCTION CEILING IS RAISED.

THE ALLIES LIMIT WEST GERMANY'S ANNUAL STEEL PRODUCTION TO 11,100,000 TONS. THIS IS ABOUT 3,500,000 TONS BELOW WHAT THE GERMANS COULD PRODUCE WITH THEIR PRESENT PLANTS. THE GERMANS WOULD LIKE THE LIMIT BOOSTED NOW TO 13,000,000 TONS A YEAR, AND LATER ON, TO 14,500,000 TONS.

GERMAN STEEL EXPERTS SAID ORDERS FOR 850,000 TONS OF STEEL WERE RECEIVED BY RUHR VALLEY PLANTS IN THE FIRST HALF OF AUGUST. OF THESE ORDERS, AMERICAN FIRMS ACCOUNTED FOR 150,000 TONS.

THREE MONTHS AGO THE GERMANS WERE NOT SELLING A PENNY'S WORTH OF STEEL TO THE UNITED STATES, AND ORDERS FOR THE ENTIRE MONTH OF JUNE FROM ALL FOREIGN FIRMS TOTALLED ONLY 200,000 TONS. AFTER THE KOREA INVASION, FOREIGN ORDERS HIT 500,000 TONS IN JULY.

THE ALLIES HAD PLACED THE LIMIT ON GERMAN STEEL PRODUCTION TO INSURE THAT THE GERMANS MIGHT NOT AGAIN HAVE THE INDUSTRIAL POWER TO BECOME AN AGGRESSOR. BUT ALLIED OFFICIALS HERE BELIEVE THE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS, MEETING NEXT MONTH, WILL RELAX THE LIMIT.

THE OFFICIALS SAY WEST GERMANY NEEDS FOREIGN EXCHANGE WHICH CAN BE EARNED BY SALES OF STEEL TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES. THEY POINT OUT ALSO THAT MUCH STEEL IS NEEDED FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF WAR-WRECKED CIVILIAN INDUSTRIES AND UTILITIES INSIDE GERMANY.

THERE IS ALSO THE POSSIBILITY WEST GERMANY MAY ONE DAY BECOME A SUPPLY BASE FOR THE WESTERN ALLIES IN THE FACE OF THREATENED COMMUNIST AGGRESSION. SOME AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES ALREADY HAVE REPORTED THE ALLIES ARE CONSIDERING INDUSTRIAL REARMAMENT OF WEST GERMANY TO MEET THE THREAT.

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BY WILLIAM OATIS

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 19-(AP)-O.JOHN ROGGE, AMERICAN VICE PRESIDENT OF THE COMMUNIST-SUPPORTED WORLD DEFENDERS OF PEACE, SAID TODAY HE IS WORKING ON A MANIFESTO AIMED AT GIVING COURAGE TO WESTERN LIBERALS WHO FEAR TO CRITICIZE RUSSIA.

ROGGE, NEW YORK ATTORNEY AND A FORMER U.S. ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL, TOLD A REPORTER HE HAD BEEN WORKING ON THE MANIFESTO SINCE APRIL 4 WITH KONNIE ZILLIACUS, FORMER INDEPENDENT LABOR MEMBER OF THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT, AND JEAN CASSOU, PARIS WRITER.

ROGGE SAID THE MANIFESTO WILL DEAL WITH THE KOREAN WAR AND THE SPLIT BETWEEN YUGOSLAVIA AND THE COMINFORM COUNTRIES.

HE SAID HE FELT MANY PROGRESSIVES IN THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE HAD REFRAINED FROM CRITICIZING "RELEVANT MISTAKES OF THE SOVIET UNION FOR FEAR OF BEING CALLED RED-BAITERS." HE ADDED THAT THE MANIFESTO "WOULD HELP MAKE THIS GROUP ARTICULATE."

ROGGE IS AN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEEMAN OF THE AMERICAN PROGRESSIVE PARTY. HENRY WALLACE, THE PARTY'S 1948 PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE AND LEADER, QUIT AUG. 8 BECAUSE HE DIFFERED WITH OTHERS OVER THE WAR IN KOREA, IN WHICH HE HELD RUSSIA THE AGGRESSOR. ROGGE SAID YESTERDAY THAT HE THOUGHT WALLACE ERRED IN RESIGNING AND SHOULD HAVE STAYED WITH THE PARTY IN ORDER TO MAKE HIS VIEWS PREVAIL.

ROGGE SAID IT IS HIS OWN VIEW THAT RUSSIA HAS MADE MISTAKES "IN INTERFERING IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF YUGOSLAVIA AND IN FAILING TO STOP AGGRESSION BY NORTH KOREA ON SOUTH KOREA."

HE BROUGHT IN RESOLUTIONS ON KOREA AND YUGOSLAVIA TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE WORLD PEACE DEFENDERS HERE YESTERDAY BUT FAILED TO GET THEM PRESENTED. HE ABSTAINED WHEN THE COMMITTEE VOTED TO CALL FOR WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN TROOPS FROM KOREA.

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 19-(AP)-A YALE UNIVERSITY MAN TOLD THE CONGRESS OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS (IUS) TODAY THAT THE COMMUNIST-INSPIRED STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION FOR BANNING ATOMIC BOMBS "SERVES ONE OF THE CONTESTANTS IN THE PRESENT CONFLICT."

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HE DID NOT SPECIFY WHICH ONE.

THE SPEECH OF ROBERT L. WEST OF NEW HAVEN, CONN., YALE UNIVERSITY GRADUATE STUDENT, CAME ON THE SIXTH DAY OF A CONVENTION OF SOME 1,500 STUDENTS FROM 72 COUNTRIES WHICH HAS BEEN MARKED BY WILD DEMONSTRATIONS FOR NORTH KOREA.

WEST, REPRESENTING THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL STUDENTS ASSOCIATION (NSA) WHICH CLAIMS 800,000 MEMBERS, SAID: "THE AMERICAN STUDENT BODY OF TODAY IS NOT MARXIST."

THE AMERICAN STUDENTS WANT PEACE, WEST SAID, BUT THEY DO NOT BELIEVE IT MUST BE "A HYPHENATED PEACE--NOT A CAPITALIST PEACE, A SOCIALIST PEACE, OR A COMMUNIST PEACE." HE ADDED:

"THEY SUBSCRIBE TO THE BELIEF THAT THERE CAN BE PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE OF THE SEVERAL POLITICAL SYSTEMS."

EVEN IF THE ATOMIC BOMB CAN BE OUTLAWED, WEST ASKED, "WOULD IT REALLY CONTRIBUTE TO THE EFFECTIVE PREVENTION OF WARS AS LONG AS MEN POSSESS SO MANY OTHER TECHNIQUES FOR RAPIDLY LIQUIDATING LARGE NUMBERS OF THEIR FELLOW MEN?"

WEST, ONE OF THREE AMERICAN OBSERVERS AT THE U.S. CONGRESS, SAID HE HAD ALREADY READ A RESOLUTION ON KOREA WHICH HE HOPED WOULD BE PUT BEFORE THE BODY OFFICIALLY. THIS RESOLUTION URGED A UNITED NATIONS CEASEFIRE, A PEACE NEGOTIATED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND UNIFICATION OF KOREA UNDER THE U.N. PLAN.

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SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG. 19-(AP)-FOUR GRENADES WERE HURLED BY TERRORISTS HERE LAST NIGHT IN ATTACKS THAT COINCIDED WITH THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UPRISING AGAINST THE FRENCH BY THE COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH.

TWO OF THE GRENADES EXPLODED IN A GAMBLING HOUSE, WOUNDING 11 OF THE CUSTOMERS. THE VIETMINH ORDERED ITS STUDENT FOLLOWERS TO BREAK WINDOWS OF FOREIGN-OWNED SHOPS AND TO PILLAGE GOODS.

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TEHRAN, IRAN, AUG. 19-(AP)-A GOVERNMENT SOURCE SAID TODAY THE RUSSIANS HAD RELEASED TWO MORE IRANIAN SOLDIERS AND A SERGEANT CAPTURED BY THEM LAST YEAR IN BORDER INCIDENTS.

THE IRANIAN SERVICE MEN WERE HANDED OVER THURSDAY AT PILEHSAVAR, NORTHEASTERN AZERBAIJAN, THE SOURCE SAID. OUT OF NINE PRISONERS SOUGHT BY IRAN FROM THE RUSSIANS, SEVEN HAVE NOW BEEN RELEASED.

PREMIER ALI RAZMARA ANNOUNCED TUESDAY THE RUSSIANS HAD RELEASED ONE IRANIAN OFFICER AND THREE SOLDIERS. THIS RUSSIAN ACTION WAS THE FIRST CONCRETE MOVE IN AN APPARENT SOVIET FRIENDSHIP CAMPAIGN AIMED AT COUNTERING AMERICAN OFFERS OF ECONOMIC AID TO IRAN.

SOVIET AND IRANIAN OFFICIALS MET MONDAY TO OPEN NEGOTIATIONS FOR A TRADE PACT AND IT WAS REPORTED THAT RAZMARA HAD INSISTED THE RUSSIANS RELEASE THE NINE PRISONERS AS PROOF OF GOOD FAITH IN THE TRADE TALKS. SOVIET AMBASSADOR IVAN SADCHIKOV WAS SAID TO HAVE PROMISED THE RELEASE OF ALL NINE.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 PM EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SATURDAY AUG. 19)

(ADVANCE) (WX) NEW YORK,AUG 19-(AP)-ONE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S TOP REPUBLICAN ADVISERS DECLARED TONIGHT THAT THE U.S. AND BRITAIN MUST COMMIT "MEN AND EQUIPMENT" TO THE DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE AGAINST THE "MORTAL DANGER" OF SOVIET AGGRESSION.

HE SAID THE "BARE-FACED AGGRESSION OF THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES, UNDOUBTEDLY DIRECTED BY MOSCOW," PLACES OTHER AREAS, (REPUBLICANS) THE WORLD IN GREAT PERIL AND WARNED THAT "UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS, THE SOVIET FORCES COULD OVERRUN EUROPE AT ANY TIME."

THIS SLASHING ATTACK ON THE SOVIET UNION COUPLED WITH SHARP CRITICISM THAT THE WESTERN NATIONS HAVE FAILED TO RESPOND ADEQUATELY TO THE DANGER TO THEMSELVES, WAS MADE BY JOHN SHERMAN COOPER. A FORMER REPUBLICAN SENATOR FROM KENTUCKY, HE IS NOW AN ADVISER TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON ON RECENT NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY DEFENSE MOVES.

IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED DELIVERED FOR A REUNION OF THE THIRD ARMY ASSOCIATION TONIGHT, COOPER SAID THAT HE SPOKE IN A PERSONAL RATHER THAN OFFICIAL CAPACITY. BUT HIS VIEWS THOUGH GOING FAR BEYOND PUBLIC EXPRESSIONS OF OFFICIALS, CLEARLY REFLECTED MUCH TOP-LEVEL THINKING IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

HIS SPEECH WAS MADE AVAILABLE AT THE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON AND IT WAS UNDERSTOOD THAT DEPARTMENT OFFICERS HAD AT LEAST ASSISTED IN ITS PREPARATION.

OUTLINING WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS THREE ESSENTIALS URGENTLY REQUIRED FOR THE DEFENSE OF EUROPE, COOPER DECLARED THAT FOR THE FIRST TIME IN ITS POSTWAR PERIOD OF EXPANSION THE SOVIET UNION HAD RESORTED "TO DIRECT MILITARY ACTION" IN KOREA. HE SAID "WE MUST CONSIDER THE POSSIBILITY OF SIMILAR ACTION UPON A FAR MORE IMPORTANT OBJECTIVE--WESTERN EUROPE."

HIS THREE ESSENTIALS ARE:

1. IMMEDIATE COMPLETION AND APPROVAL BY THE 12 ATLANTIC TREATY NATION OF A DEFENSE PLAN FOR WESTERN EUROPE WHICH WILL SPECIFY PRECISELY THE MILITARY TASKS AND MISSIONS OF EACH COUNTRY. HIS CALL FOR SUCH A PLAN MADE IT CLEAR THAT NONE YET EXISTS.

2. ESTABLISHMENT OF A UNIFIED MILITARY COMMAND "WITH AUTHORITY AND RESPONSIBILITY TO IMPLEMENT AND EXECUTE THE DEFENSE PLANS, AND TO ASSUME THE COMMAND FUNCTION IF NEEDED."

IN THIS CONNECTION COOPER DECLARED "IT IS INEVITABLE AND MORAL THAT GERMANY SHALL BE GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO DEFEND ITSELF." HE SUGGESTED THIS MIGHT BE ACCOMPLISHED BY LETTING GERMANY PARTICIPATE IN A EUROPEAN ARMY SUCH AS THAT FAVORED BY THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE. HE DECLARED THE DECISION "MUST BE MADE AND QUICKLY TO PROTECT AGAINST ANOTHER KOREA."

3. ACTION BY THE U.S. TO MAKE CLEAR "THAT IT WILL JOIN IN THE DEFENSE OF EUROPE IN THE INITIAL STAGES OF ASSAULT, SHOULD IT COME."

"THIS MEANS," COOPER CONTINUED," THAT THE U.S. AND GREAT BRITAIN MUST COMMIT MEN AND EQUIPMENT BEFORE SUCH AN ASSAULT BEGINS, EITHER IN AN OCCUPIED ZONE (OF GERMANY), OR ELSE WHERE IN EUROPE.

"I DO NOT PROPOSE THAT WE SHOULD UNDERTAKE SINGLEHANDED TO DEFEND EUROPE, OR THAT WE SHOULD IMMEDIATELY DISPOSE TROOPS, BUT ONLY UNDER A COMPLETED PLAN AND UPON A RECIPROCAL BASIS, AS EUROPEAN COUNTRIES INCREASE THEIR FORCES."

COOPER SAID THAT THE EUROPEAN PEOPLE HAVE BUT SLIGHT INTEREST IN THE IDEA THAT IF THEY WERE OVERRUN BY THE RUSSIANS THEY SHOULD BE LIBERATED EVENTUALLY BY THE U.S. THEIR INTEREST, HE ADDED, IS IN AN EFFECTIVE DEFENSE.

"THESE CONSIDERATION LEAD ME TO BELIEVE THAT THERE WILL BE NO EFFECTIVE PREPARATION OF THE DEFENSE OF EUROPE UNTIL THE U.S. MAKES CLEAR THAT IT WILL JOIN IN THE DEFENSE OF EUROPE IN THE INITIAL STAGES OF ASSAULT SHOULD THAT COME."

COOPER DECLARED THAT THE U.S. WOULD TAKE GREAT RISKS IN FOLLOWING THE COURSE HE ADVOCATED BUT HE SAID "THE ALTERNATIVE IS A GREATER RISK--THE RISK OF OUR ISOLATION ON THIS CONTINENT AND GRADUAL STRANGULATION."

THE DANGER TO WESTERN EUROPE, HE DECLARED, DERIVES NOT ONLY FROM THE POSSIBILITY OF SOVIET MILITARY CONQUESTS BUT ALSO FROM THE POSSIBILITY THAT A EUROPE UNSURE OF AN EFFECTIVE DEFENSE WOULD GRADUALLY LOSE HEART AND BE IN EFFECT ABSORBED BY SOVIET COMMUNISM.

FOR THEIR PART, COOPER ASSERTED, THE WESTERN EUROPEANS "MUST COMMIT THEMSELVES TO THE VERY LIMIT FOR THEIR OWN DEFENSE, IN TERMS OF MILITARY PRODUCTION AND OF ARMED FORCES. WE RECOGNIZE THEIR DIFFICULT ECONOMIC CONDITIONS AND KNOW THE MATERIAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL WOUNDS THAT TWO WARS HAVE BROUGHT THEM--WOUNDS THAT WE HAVE NOT EXPERIENCED --BUT THEIR HOMELANDS ARE AT STAKE AND THEY MUST MAKE THE SUPREME EFFORT TO DEFEND THEM."

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COOPER POINTED OUT THAT ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS HAVE RECENTLY DECLARED THEIR INTENTIONS OF INCREASING THEIR DEFENSE EFFORTS AND SPELLED OUT THE THINGS THEY HOPE TO ACCOMPLISH.

"THEY (THE EUROPEAN STATEMENTS ON THIS SUBJECT) MUST BE WELCOMED AS ENCOURAGING IN THAT THEY ESTABLISH THE PRINCIPLE OF INCREASED EFFORT. NEVERTHELESS, MEASURED BY THE PRESENT REQUIREMENTS FOR TROOPS, WEAPONS AND EQUIPMENT FOR DEFENSE, I MUST SAY FLATLY AND PLAINLY THAT THEIR ACTION IS INADEQUATE AND CAUTIOUS. EMERGENCIES CALL FOR EMERGENCY ACTION, AND DECISIONS REGARDING SURVIVAL CANNOT BE MADE UP ON THE BASIS OF WHETHER OR NOT ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS MIGHT BE DISTURBED."

COOPER CITED BRITISH ESTIMATES TO SHOW THAT RUSSIA HAS UNDER ARMS POSSIBLY 175 DIVISIONS, OR 2,800,000 MEN, AND THAT 80 DIVISIONS MIGHT BE EASILY AVAILABLE FOR A EUROPEAN OFFENSIVE. ALONG WITH A PROPORTIONATE

NUMBER OF RUSSIA'S 40,000 TANKS AND 19,000 PLANES.
AGAINST THIS FORCE, THE WESTERN COUNTRIES HAVE A COMBINATION OF AMERICAN, BRITISH, FRENCH, DUTCH AND BELGIAN TROOPS AMOUNTING TO LITTLE MORE THAN 12 DIVISIONS, "SERVING WITHOUT UNIFIED COMMAND."
"THE DANGER IMPLICIT IS THIS DISPARITY IN ARMS STRENGTH IS APPALLING. UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS, THE SOVIET FORCES COULD OVERRUN EUROPE AT ANY TIME. IF THE PRESENT DISPARITY IS ALLOWED TO CONTINUE, THE FUTILITY OF OPPOSING SOVIET AIMS IN WESTERN EUROPE WILL BECOME MORE AND MORE APPARENT TO EUROPEANS. THE HOPELESSNESS OF THEIR POSITION IN THE FACE OF SOVIET AGGRESSION WILL INEVITABLY SAP THEIR DETERMINATION TO RESIST AND EUROPE COULD IN TIME FALL BY DEFAULT."
IN THE U.S., COOPER SAID, "WE STAND IN UTMOST PERIL. INTERPARTY RECRIMINATION WILL NOT MEET THIS DANGER. IT MUST BE MET BY ACTION."
HE URGED CONGRESS TO APPROVE QUICKLY A PENDING BILL TO INCREASE FOREIGN MILITARY AID APPROPRIATIONS BY $4 BILLION.
COOPER HAS BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH STATE DEPARTMENT POLICY MAKING IN AN ADVISORY CAPACITY AND ON A PART-TIME BASIS FOR THE PAST YEAR. IN 1949 HE WAS A DELEGATE TO THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING. IN MAY, 1950, HE ACCOMPANIED SECRETARY ACHESON TO LONDON FOR THE MEETING OF THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL. MORE RECENTLY HE WENT WITH ACHESON'S DEPUTY, CHARLES M.SPOFFORD, TO ANOTHER LONDON SESSION OF THE COUNCIL.
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AMS BUDGET
EUROPE-REARMAMENT
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON,AUG.19-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN IS SENDING HIS SPECIALIST ON NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY DEFENSE BACK TO LONDON THIS WEEKEND TO TRY TO GET AMERICA'S WESTERN EUROPEAN ALLIES TO INCREASE AGAIN THEIR ALREADY EXPENDED EMERGENCY REARMAMENT PROGRAMS.
AMBASSADOR CHARLES M.SPOFFORD WAS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE BY PLANE FROM NEW YORK (8P.M.EST) TONIGHT AFTER TWO WEEK S OF TOP-LEVEL CONFERENCES WITH STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS TOPPED OFF BY A TALK WITH THE PRESIDENT.
IN A NEW MEETING OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL OPENING TUESDAY SPOFFORD IS EXPECTED TO TELL BRITAIN, FRANCE, AND OTHER WEST EUROPEAN COUNTRIES THAT THE DANGERS OF A SOVIE-COMMUNIST WAR IN THE NEXT FEW YEARS ARE GRAVE. THESE DANGERS MUST BE OFFSET BY AN ADEQUATE NON-COMMUNIST POWER BUILDUP, HE IS PREPARED TO URGE, AND PROGRAMS THUS FAR PUT FORWARD ARE NOT GOOD ENOUGH.
THE EUROPEAN PROGRAMS WERE CALLED "INADEQUATE AND CAUTIOUS" BY JOHN SHERMAN COOPER, A REPUBLICAN ADVISER TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT, IN A SPEECH IN NEW YORK TONIGHT. COOPER, WHO ACCOMPANIED SPOFFORD TO HIS FIRST ATLANTIC COUNCIL MEETING IN LONDON A MONTH AGO, CALLED IN EFFECT FOR AN ALL-OUT DEFENSE DRIVE BY THE ATLANTIC POWERS.
HE ACCUSED RUSSIA OF RESORTING TO "BAREFACED AGGRESSION" IN KOREA. HE SAID MOSCOW'S WILLINGNESS TO TAKE SUCH ACTION PUTS THE WHOLE WESTERN WORLD IN "MORTAL DANGER" THROUGH THE POSSIBILITY OF A SIMILAR ATTACK IN EUROPE--PERHAPS STARTING IN GERMANY.
COOPER SAID HE SPOKE HIS PERSONAL VIEWS BUT THERE WAS EVIDENCE HE REFLECTED STATE DEPARTMENT THINKING. HE CALLED FOR MORE AMERICAN AND BRITISH TROOPS IN EUROPE, CREATION OF A UNIFIED MILITARY COMMAND UNDER THE ATLANTIC PACT, AND DEVELOPMENT AT ONCE OF A SINGLE WESTERN DEFENSE PLAN SO EACH NATION CAN KNOW WHAT IT MUST DO FOR THE SURVIVAL OF ALL.
COOPER DID NOT ACCOMPANY SPOFFORD ON HIS PRESENT MISSION TO LONDON, POSSIBLY PREFERRING TO REMAIN HERE AND WARN THE NATION AND INDIRECTLY WESTERN EUROPE OF THE DANGERS AS HE SEES THEM.
SPOFFORD ACTS AS SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S DEPUTY ON THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT AT SOME POINT IN THE SESSION OPENING TUESDAY HE WILL TELL THE EUROPEANS THAT THE U.S. ADMINISTRATION IS COUNTING ON MAINTAINING A DEFENSE PROGRAM TOTALING ABOUT $35,000,000,000 ANNUALLY FOR SEVERAL YEARS.
ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS ARE STILL WORKING OVER THE FIGURES WHICH GO INTO THIS LONG-RANGE ESTIMATE. THE TOTAL INCLUDES U.S.REARMAMENT, FOREIGN MILITARY AID, FOREIGN ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE AND ATOMIC ENERGY WORK.
THE FIRST OFFICIAL WORD OF THE ESTIMATE MAY COME OUT NEXT WEEK WHEN ACHESON GOES BEFORE THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE. HE WILL ARGUE FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PROPOSAL FOR $4,000,000,000 IN EMERGENCY FOREIGN MILITARY AID, MOST OF WHICH IS SLATED FOR EUROPE.
SENATORS MAY WANT ACHESON TO TELL THEM WHAT HE THINKS THIS COUNTRY'S DEFENSE OUTLAY WILL BE AS WELL AS WHAT PLANS ITS ALLIES HAVE FOR COOPERATIVE REARMAMENT.
THE LONDON SESSION OF THE 12-NATION ATLANTIC COUNCIL IS EXPECTED TO LAST ABOUT TWO WEEKS. IT WILL BE THE SECOND MEETING HELD UNDER SPOFFORD'S CHAIRMANSHIP. ITS WORK WILL BE POINTED TOWARD THE SEPTEMBER 15-16 MEETING OF THE COUNCIL TO BE ATTENDED BY ACHESON AND OTHER FOREIGN MINISTERS. VITAL POLICY DECISIONS ON THE SECURITY OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COMMUNITY PROBABLY WILL BE MADE THEN.
THE UNITED STATES KICKED OFF THE REARMAMENT DRIVE LATE IN JULY, ARGUING THAT THERE WAS A NEW THREAT OF COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN EUROPE AND OTHER AREAS BECAUSE OF THE ATTACK IN KOREA. THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT, THROUGH SPOFFORD, REQUESTED ITS ATLANTIC ALLIES TO INDICATE BY AUGUST 5 WHAT STEPPED-UP REARMAMENT PROGRAM THEY COULD UNDERTAKE.
OFFICIALS SAID THAT VIRTUALLY ALL THE NATIONS HAVE NOW BEEN HEARD FROM. THEIR VARIOUS OFFERS COVER DIFFERENT TIME PERIODS. FOR THIS AND OTHER REASONS, THE OFFICIALS SAID, THE FIGURES CANNOT BE ACCURATELY ADDED UP NOW FOR A TOTAL OF DOLLAR EXPENDITURES THAT WOULD HAVE ANY MEANING.

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BRITAIN FORECAST A $9,500,000,000 THREE-YEAR DEFENSE SCHEDULE, PROVIDED THE UNITED STATES HELPED PAY SOME OF THE COST. FRANCE SPOKE OF HEAVY NEW EXPENDITURES AND OF ARMING 15 DIVISIONS WITH AMERICAN AID.
BUT FRANCE ALSO CALLED FOR MORE AMERICAN AND BRITISH TROOPS IN EUROPE. IN ADDITION, IT IS NOW PRESSING FOR A UNIFIED ATLANTIC PACT MILITARY COMMAND AND FOR A FINANCIAL POOL TO COVER ALL DEFENSE COSTS.
AMERICAN OFFICIAL REACTION TO THE FRENCH PROPOSAL TAKES TWO GENERAL LINES: (1.) STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAY THAT, ASSUMING CONGRESS PROVIDES FUNDS ALREADY ASKED, THE UNITED STATES IS PREPARED TO ASSIST IN FINANCING INCREASED EUROPEAN REARMAMENT, BUT (2.) THE GOVERNMENT HERE DOES NOT CONSIDER THAT WHAT THE EUROPEANS PROPOSE TO DO FOR THEIR OWN DEFENSES IS ENOUGH.

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ON THE POINT RAISED BY THE FRENCH OF GREATER CENTRALIZATION UNDER THE ATLANTIC TREATY THERE APPEARS TO BE A DIVISION OF OPINION WITHIN THE ADMINISTRATION; DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS ARE LESS INTERESTED IN THE IDEA AT THIS TIME THAN STATE DEPARTMENT POLICY MAKERS.
THIS SPLIT BRINGS UP ONE OF THE BASIC PROBLEMS IN WESTERN EUROPE'S DEFENSE PLANNING--THE PROBLEM OF EUROPE'S ATTITUDE TOWARD ITS OWN SECURITY. THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS IT HAS TO PROD THE EUROPEAN NATIONS TO GET ON WITH THE JOB OF REARMAMENT. IT SEEMS TO BE MORE

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INTERESTED IN DEFENDING THEM THAN THEY ARE IN DEFENDING THEMSELVES.
PRIVATELY OFFICIALS ADMIT THAT THIS APPEARANCE IS AN ACCURATE REFLECTION OF SOME OF THE BASIC FACTS OF LIFE IN THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE. THEY EXPLAIN THE SITUATION THIS WAY:
IN THE FIRST PLACE, THERE IS LESS OF A SENSE OF URGENCY AND DANGER AMONG THE PEOPLE OF WESTERN EUROPE THAN THERE IS IN AMERICA. THE WESTERN EUROPEANS RESIST THE EVIDENCE THAT A GREAT WAR COULD STRIKE THE WORLD AGAIN IN THE NEXT FEW YEARS. THEREFORE THEY ARE SLOWER TO ACT.
IN THE SECOND PLACE, FRANCE (AND SOME OTHER CONTINENTAL COUNTRIES) LACK CONVICTION NOW THAT WESTERN EUROPE CAN BE DEFENDED AGAINST RUSSIAN ASSAULT. FEAR OF FAILURE, COUPLED WITH THE MEMORY OF FRENCH DEFEATS IN THE LAST WAR, ARE A CONSTANT DRAIN ON THE ENERGY AND ENTHUSIASM WITH WHICH THE FRENCH PEOPLE MIGHT OTHERWISE TACKLE THE PROBLEM.
OBVIOUSLY THE ULTIMATE ANSWER TO FRANCE'S FEAR IS WHAT THE ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS ARE TRYING TO ACCOMPLISH--A MORE POWERFUL DEFENSE SYSTEM. BUT THAT TAKES TIME, PROBABLY THREE OR FOUR YEARS AT BEST. MANY STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS BELIEVE THAT IN THE INTERIM FRANCE AND WESTERN EUROPE COULD USE SOME INSPIRATION AND CONFIDENCE-BUILDING ACTION FROM THIS COUNTRY.
THE DIPLOMATS, THEREFORE, SEEM READY TO MOVE NOW TOWARD AN OVER-ALL MILITARY COMMAND UNDER THE ATLANTIC PACT, AS PROPOSED BY FRANCE.
MILITARY LEADERS, ACCORDING TO RESPONSIBLE INFORMATION, HAVE TAKEN MORE THE LINE THAT IF FRANCE AND THE EUROPEAN ALLIES WANT A CENTRAL COMMAND UNDER AN AMERICAN GENERAL AND IF THEY WANT MORE AMERICAN TROOPS IN EUROPE, THEY WILL HAVE TO MAKE A MUCH GREATER EFFORT IN THEIR OWN BEHALF.
WHILE THIS REMAINS THE OFFICIAL ATTITUDE OF THE MILITARY, THERE IS REASON TO BELIEVE THAT SOME PENTAGON AUTHORITIES ARE NOT AS DEAD SET AGAINST THE HIGH COMMAND AS THEY WERE PRIOR TO THE KOREAN CRISIS. ALSO, THEY MAY IN THE LONG RUN BE QUITE WILLING TO CONSIDER ASSIGNING MORE TROOPS TO EUROPE WHEN FORCES BECOME AVAILABLE AFTER KOREA'S DEMANDS ARE MET.

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DENVER, AUG.19-(AP)-GENERAL EISENHOWER SAID TODAY AMERICAN CITIZENS CAN SHOW THEY "MEAN BUSINESS" IN THE DEFENSE EFFORT BY "INSISTING UPON PAYING FOR ITS ENTIRE COST AT THE MOMENT THE COSTS ARE INCURRED."
IN A SPEECH RECORDED FOR BROADCAST AT GROUND-BREAKING CEREMONIES FOR A NEW AMERICAN LEGION BUILDING, EISENHOWER SAID THE CAUSE OF PEACE WILL BE ADVANCED "WHEN THE COMMUNISTS UNDERSTAND THAT WE ARE NOT ONLY DETERMINED TO DEFEND THIS NATION, BUT ARE GOING TO ASSURE THAT WE DO NOT, IN THE PROCESS, MAKE OUR CHILDREN THE SALVES OF DEBT."
UNTIL THE CRISIS IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS BEEN ELIMINATED, HE SAID PEOPLE SHOULD INSIST UPON A MINIMUM OF GOVERNMENTAL EXPENDITURES FOR ALL NON-MILITARY PURPOSES.
THE COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT, WHO HAS BEEN VACATIONING IN DENVER, SAID A UNIFIED AMERICA CAN DEVELOP A FAR GREATER POWER THAN IS POSSIBLE FOR ANY OTHER NATION.
"BUT ALWAYS," HE ADDED, "THERE IS THE CRITICAL FACTOR OF TIME REQUIRED TO TRANSLATE GREAT PURPOSES INTO CONCRETE ACTION...UNLESS THERE IS INTELLIGENT, COMPREHENSIVE AND CEASELESS PREPARATION IN ADVANCE, WE WILL ALWAYS FIND OURSELVES WOEFULLY UNREADY, IN EMERGENCY, TO MEET AGGRESSION. X X X X
"TWICE IN RECENT DECADES OUR COUNTRY HAS PROVED, ON THE BATTLEFIELD, THE STRENGTH OF AN AROUSED AND UNIFIED AMERICA. IF THE WORLD COULD KNOW THAT AMERICA IS PREPARED TO REACH, WITHOUT DELAY, A SIMILAR PEAK OF DESTRUCTIVE STRENGTH AGAINST AGGRESSION, IT WOULD BE A BOLD NATION, INDEED, THAT WOULD DELIBERATELY RISK CHALLENGING US TO A MAJOR CONFLICT."
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MARTIN (300)
(WX) OAK BLUFF,MASS.,AUG 19-(AP)-REP.JOSEPH W.MARTIN, THE HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER, SAID TODAY AMERICANS ARE BEWILDERED AND NEVER BEFORE FELT SO INSECURE OR "SO LACKING IN CONFIDENCE IN THE MEN WHO DOMINATE OUR GOVERNMENT."
MARTIN BLAMED "APPEASEMENT" POLICIES OF DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATIONS TOWARD RUSSIA, AND GOVERNMENT "BUNGLING" FOR GETTING THE NATION INTO A POSITION IN WHICH "OUR WHOLE NATIONAL LIFE IS THREATENED" BY RUSSIA.
"THERE IS NO HOPE FOR THE PEACE UNDER THIS ADMINISTRATION," MARTIN SAID IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR A CELEBRATION IN HONOR OF CLARENCE A. BARNES, A CANDIDATE FOR THE REPUBLICAN NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR.
MARTIN CALLED FOR ELECTION OF "NEW FACES IN CONGRESS" AND SAID CHANGES WERE NEEDED AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THROUGHOUT THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH.
HE SAID MEN ARE NEEDED WHO "KNOW THAT SPAIN IS ESSENTIAL TO OUR SECURITY IN EUROPE; THAT THE HAND OF GEN.MACARTHUR IN JAPAN MUST BE STRENGTHENED TO THE MAXIMUM; THAT FORMOSA X X X IS VITAL TO OUR POSITION IN ASIA."
DESCRIBING "BEWILDERMENT" OF THE AVERAGE AMERICAN, MARTIN SAID THAT YOUTHS WONDER WHETHER THEY CAN PLAN A COLLEGE CAREER; PARENTS HESITATE TO MAKE PLANS FOR THEIR CHILDREN'S FUTURE; BUSINESSMEN DON'T KNOW WHETHER TO EXPAND; COLLEGE ARE UNCERTAIN; SOME INDUSTRIES ARE NOT SURE WHETHER THEY WILL "BE SNUFFED OUT," AND YOUNG MEN WONDER WHETHER THEY CAN HAVE A JOB OR CARRY A GUN.
"WE ARE NOW MAKING A SMALL DOWN PAYMENT ON THE TRAGIC MISTAKES OF TEHRAN, YALTA AND POTSDAM," THE SPEAKER SAID.
MARTIN CRITICIZED LACK OF PREPAREDNESS FOR THE WAR IN KOREA AND SAID IT IS "SYMBOLIC" OF GOVERNMENTAL POLICY WHICH HE DESCRIBED AS WASTEFUL.
HE SAID HE WAS GLAD TO NOTE THAT "THE POLICY OF APPEASEMENT PRACTICED IN ASIA" HAD BEEN REVERSED BUT DEPLORED THAT "THE REVERSAL IS COSTING US LIVES, TURNING OUR ECONOMY UPSIDE-DOWN, AND THREATENING OUR FUTURE PEACE."

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(160) WASHINGTON,AUG 19-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES IS PLANNING TO TRANSFER OCCUPATION CONTROLS IN AUSTRIA FROM MILITARY TO CIVILIAN DIRECTION IN OCTOBER, IT WAS LEARNED TONIGHT.
WALTER J.DONNELLY, NOW AMBASSADOR TO VENEZUELA, PROBABLY WILL BE NAMED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO BE AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVE TO THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT AND UNITED STATES HIGH COMMISSIONER, AN INFORMED OFFICIAL TOLD A REPORTER.
AN AGREEMENT TO SWITCH TO CIVILIAN CONTROL WAS REACHED BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, AND FRANCE WHEN THEY MET IN LONDON LAST MAY. BRITAIN HAS MOVED AHEAD OF THIS COUNTRY IN CARRYING OUT THE PLAN. THE OBJECTIVE IS TO GRANT THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT AS MUCH FREEDOM OF OPERATION AS THE WESTERN POWERS CAN GRANT IN THE ABSENCE OF A COMPLETED AUSTRIAN INDEPENDENCE TREATY.
THE WESTERN NATIONS AND RUSSIA HAVE BEEN SEEKING TO AGREE ON A TREATY FOR MORE THAN THREE YEARS. LIKE OTHER UNDERTAKINGS REQUIRING AGREEMENT WITH THE RUSSIANS IT HAS BEEN DEADLOCKED FOR MANY MONTHS.
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(230)(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SATURDAY AUG.19)
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.19-(AP)-MORE MONEY TO FIGHT COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA THROUGH VOICE OF AMERICA BROADCASTS AND OTHER MEDIA WAS URGED TODAY BY SENATOR MYERS (D-PA).

MYERS, ASSISTANT DEMOCRATIC LEADER OF THE SENATE, SAID IN A SPEECH TRANSCRIBED FOR BROADCAST OVER PENNSYLVANIA STATIONS:

"FOR WHAT IT WOULD COST US TO BUILD TWO BATTLESHIPS, THE VOICE OF DEMOCRACY CAN BE RAISED ABOVE ITS PRESENT WHISPER AND TURNED INTO A ROAR OF TRUTH THAT WILL BE HEARD ABOVE THE BARRAGE OF FALSEHOODS THAT THE SOVIETS ARE MAINTAINING."

SUCH GOALS OF DEMOCRACY AS PEACE AND UNDERSTANDING AMONG MEN, MYERS SAID, CANNOT BE BROUGHT ABOUT ONLY THROUGH MILITARY POWER AND ECONOMIC AID. WHAT IS NEEDED IN ADDITION IS A POWERFUL PROGRAM FOR SPREADING TRUTH, HE SAID.

"I EARNESTLY HOPE THAT WITHIN A SHORT TIME THE CONGRESS WILL VOTE FUNDS NECESSARY TO COUNTER THE COMMUNIST LIE," HE SAID. "THESE FUNDS XXX SHOULD PERMIT US TO REACH OUT TO TWO THIRDS OR MORE OF THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD WITH THE STORY OF DEMOCRACY."

PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ASKED CONGRESS TO VOTE AN ADDITIONAL $89,000,000 FOR WHAT HE CALLED A "CAMPAIGN OF TRUTH."

MYERS SAID THAT UP TO NOW THE RUSSIANS HAVE BEEN MORE EFFECTIVE SPREADING LIES THAN THE DEMOCRACIES HAVE BEEN IN DISTRIBUTING TRUTH.

HE SAID RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES ARE BROADCASTING PROPAGANDA MORE THAN 800 HOURS A WEEK IN "COUNTLESS LANGUAGES," WHILE THE VOICE OF AMERICA IS BROADCASTING LESS THAN 200 HOURS A WEEK IN SOME 25 LANGUAGES AND DIALECTS.

"IN OTHER WORDS," HE SAID, "THE RED LIE IS UTTERED MORE THAN FOUR TIMES FOR EACH UTTERANCE OF THE DEMOCRATIC TRUTH."

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NEW YORK, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE NEW YORK TIMES SAYS ABOUT 100 MEN HAVE BEEN PULLED OFF SHIPS IN THE PORT OF NEW YORK DURING THE PAST TWO DAYS AS THE RESULT OF A FEDERAL GOVERNMENT SCREENING FOR COMMUNISTS.

BETWEEN 30 AND 40 SEAMEN WERE REMOVED FROM ONE U.S. LINES VESSEL NOW IN PORT AND APPROXIMATELY 40 FROM ANOTHER, THE NEWSPAPER SAYS.

THE AMERICA, QUEEN OF THE U.S. MERCHANT FLEET, AND THE WASHINGTON, BOTH ARE IN PORT HERE WAITING TO SAIL.

A COAST GUARD SPOKESMAN DECLINED COMMENT ON THE STORY.

"THE SCREENING IS BEING UNDERTAKEN WITH THE OBJECTIVE OF ELIMINATING EVERY COMMUNIST FROM THE MERCHANT MARINE AND FROM THE WATERFRONT," THE TIMES SAYS.

MARITIME LABOR LEADERS, SHIPPING INDUSTRY EXECUTIVES AND NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORITIES DECIDED ON THE PROJECT AT A CONFERENCE IN WASHINGTON LAST MONTH, THE TIMES SAYS.

AS A RESULT OF THIS CONFERENCE, THE NEWSPAPER ADDS. BOARDS REPRESENTING LABOR, INDUSTRY AND GOVERNMENT "WOULD BE SET UP IN EACH PORT TO HEAR SEAMEN WHO WISH TO DEFEND THEMSELVES" AGAINST REFUSAL TO LET THEM SIGN THE SHIP'S ARTICLES.

CAPTAIN LEWIS B. SHACKLEFORD, ONE OF THE SENIOR COAST GUARD OFFICERS IN THIS DISTRICT, IS IDENTIFIED BY THE TIMES AS HEAD OF THE SECURITY PROGRAM HERE.

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NEW YORK, AUG.19-(AP)-A SHIPMENT OF $138,000 WORTH OF RUSSIAN FURS WHICH LONGSHOREMEN HERE REFUSED TO UNLOAD WAS STILL ABOARD THE MAURETANIA TODAY AS THE BRITISH LINER SAILED FOR SOUTHAMPTON.

THE FURS, INCLUDING 116 BALES OF PERSIAN LAMB SKINS AND TWO CASES OF SOLONGI SKINS, REPRESENTED THE SECOND CARBO RETURNED TO ENGLAND IN AS MANY DAYS BECAUSE OF THE REFUSAL OF NEW YORK DOCK WORKERS TO UNLOAD SHIPMENTS FROM RUSSIA.

YESTERDAY THE CUNARD LINES' PARTHIA RETURNED TO LIVERPOOL WITH 88 TONS OF RUSSIAN CRAB MEAT CONSIGNED BY THE BRITISH MINISTRY OF FOOD TO THE UNITED KINGDOM TREASURY AND SUPPLY OFFICE HERE.

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A194WX BJT)
(650) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS-SUBVERSIVES
BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH
WASHINGTON,AUG.19-(AP)-A SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER DECLARED TODAY THAT LACK OF CONFIDENCE IN THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION IS MAINLY RESPONSIBLE FOR A STACK OF PROPOSED CHANGES IN THE SENATE'S ANTI-INFLATION BILL.

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SENATOR MILLIKIN (R-COLO) MADE THE ASSERTION AS SENATE DEMOCRATIC CHIEFS PREDICTED DEFEAT FOR ALL OF WHAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN CALLED "CRIPPLING" AND "SPECIAL PRIVILEGE" AMENDMENTS IN A CHIDING LETTER ABOUT THE BILL'S PROGRESS.

THE SENATE WILL VOTE ON THE MEASURE MONDAY.

IT WOULD GIVE MR.TRUMAN AN ALMOST FREE HAND TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS WHENEVER HE SEES FIT. IT ALSO WOULD AUTHORIZE CREDIT AND PRODUCTION CONTROLS. THE HOUSE ALREADY HAS GIVEN OVERWHELMING APPROVAL TO A SIMILAR BILL.

IN PREDICTING SENATE PASSAGE OF A MEASURE ACCEPTABLE TO THE PRESIDENT, SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC), FLOOR MANAGER OF THE BILL, CLAIMED ENOUGH VOTES TO KEEP A REPUBLICAN-SPONSORED COMMUNIST-CONTROL PROGRAM FROM BEING WRITTEN IN AS A RIDER.

THAT CLAIM WAS DISPUTED, HOWEVER, BY SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH), AUTHORS OF THE CURB-THE-COMMUNISTS BILL. THEY SAID THERE IS A GOOD CHANCE THE SENATE WILL APPROVE THE RIDER.

THE ADMINISTRATION IS OPPOSED TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE MUNDT-FERGUSON MEASURE, WHICH WOULD REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST-FRONT ORGANIZATIONS. DEMOCRATIC LEADERS ALSO OPPOSE BRINGING UP THE ISSUE ON A RIDER BASIS, SAYING THE BILL SHOULD BE TREATED SEPARATELY.

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SENATE DEMOCRATS WILL MEET MONDAY BEFORE THE VOTE IN AN EFFORT TO MUSTER A SOLID PARTY FRONT AGAINST THE RIDER. THE MAJORITY LEADERS ALREADY HAVE PROMISED THE SENATE THAT INTERNAL SECURITY LEGISLATION WILL BE BROUGHT UP FOR SEPARATE ACTION LATER AT THIS SESSION.

AT THAT TIME AN ADMINISTRATION COMMUNIST-CONTROL BILL WOULD BE PITTED AGAINST BOTH THE MUNDT-FERGUSON MEASURE--ASSUMING IT IS NOT ADOPTED MONDAY--AND A STILL BROADER BILL SPONSORED BY SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV).

MR.TRUMAN WROTE VICE PRESIDENT BARKLEY YESTERDAY THAT THE PRODUCTION AND CREDIT CONTROL POWER HE ASKED FOR IS BEING WHITTLED DOWN

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IN THE SENATE BILL.
THE PRESIDENT SAID, TOO, THAT PENDING AMENDMENTS TO THE WAGE-PRICE CONTROL SECTIONS OF THE BILL THREATEN TO "CONFUSE AND HAMPER ADMINISTRATION SHOULD IT BECOMES NECESSARY TO INVOKE THEM."
MR.TRUMAN REPEATED THAT HE WOULD BE GLAD TO HAVE THE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING POWER ON A STANDBY BASIS, EVEN THOUGH HE DID NOT ASK FOR IT. BUT HE URGED REJECTION OF "SPECIAL PRIVILEGE" AMENDMENTS WHICH HE SAID ARE BEING OFFERED. HE DID NOT NAME ANY OF THEM.
WITHOUT DISCUSSING PARTICULAR AMENDMENTS, MILLIKIN TOLD REPORTERS THE SENATE BILL WAS "HASTILY THROWN TOGETHER" AND THAT IT "UNDOUBTEDLY NEEDS SOME AMENDING."
MILLIKIN, CHAIRMAN OF THE CONFERENCE OF ALL REPUBLICAN SENATORS, ADDED:
"ONE OF THE FACTORS PLAGUING MANY SENATORS IS THE REALIZATION THAT CONTROL POWERS MUST BE ENACTED, AND THE COMPANION REALIZATION THAT THERE IS A LACK OF CONFIDENCE IN HOW THE CONTROLS WOULD BE ADMINISTERED."
FOR THAT REASON, MILLIKIN SAID, MANY SENATORS FEEL THAT THE ADMINISTRATION MUST BE TOLD, THROUGH DETAILED AMENDMENTS, JUST HOW CONGRESS WANTS THE JOB HANDLED.
MILLIKIN ALSO SAID THE ADMINISTRATION SO FAR HAS FAILED TO TELL EITHER CONGRESS OR THE PEOPLE "WHAT SIZE EMERGENCY WE ARE PREPARING FOR." HE ADDED:
"WE DON'T KNOW WHETHER WE ARE TAILORING OUR SUIT FOR A 600-POUND MAN OR A MIDGET."

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THE SENATE ALREADY HAS APPROVED ONE AMENDMENT WHICH FOES DESCRIBED AS A SPECIAL PRIVILEGE PROVISION. SPONSORED BY MAYBANK HIMSELF ON BEHALF OF THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE, IT WOULD REQUIRE ANY PRICE CEILINGS FIXED FOR THE MEAT PACKING INDUSTRY TO GUARANTEE ALL SEGMENTS OF THE INDUSTRY A REASONABLE MARGIN OF PROFIT.
MAYBANK DECLINED TO DISCUSS APPROVAL OF THAT AMENDMENT, BUT HE INDICATED BELIEF IT MIGHT BE KILLED WHEN A HOUSE-SENATE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MET NEXT WEEK TO RECONCILE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TWO BILLS. THE HOUSE VERSION HAS NO SUCH PROVISION.
SENATOR HUMPHREY (D-MINN) SAID MR.TRUMAN WAS "ABSOLUTELY RIGHT" IN SPEAKING OUT AGAINST SPECIAL TREATMENT AMENDMENTS.
"WE SEEM TO HAVE LEARNED LITTLE OR NOTHING FROM THE LAST PRICE CONTROL LAW, UNDER WHICH SOME PEOPLE IN BUSINESS FOUND OUT THAT IF THE LEGISLATION WAS RIGGED THE WAY THEY WANTED IT, THEY COULD MAKE A KILLING," HE TOLD REPORTERS.
SENATOR IVES (R-NY) SAID HE HAS BEEN CONCERNED ABOUT THE MATTER TO WHICH THE PRESIDENT CALLED ATTENTION.
"AND I'M NOT SURE," IVES ADDED, "THAT WE ARE GOING TO BE ABLE TO KEEP ALL THOSE AMENDMENTS OUT OF THE BILL. THE PRESSURE ON MEMBERS OF CONGRESS HAS BEEN BUILDING UP."
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A176WX (BJT)
(350) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD HISS-PRESSMAN
BY JOHN B.OWEN
WASHINGTON,AUG 19-(AP)-SEEKING "MISSING LINKS" IN THE HISS-CHAMBERS CASE, THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE HAS CALLED AS A WITNESS, LEE PRESSMAN, ONETIME NEW DEAL GOVERNMENT LAWYER AND A FORMER CIO LEADER.
REP.NIXON (R-CALIF). DISCLOSING THIS TODAY. SAID THE ACTION WAS HIS IDEA, PROMPTED BY PRESSMAN'S BREAK LAST WEEK WITH THE AMERICAN LABOR PARTY. PRESSMAN SAID THE PARTY COULDN'T WIN BECAUSE OF LABOR'S CONVICTION IT IS FOLLOWING THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE.
PRESSMAN HIMSELF WAS ACCUSED BY WHITTAKER CHAMBERS IN 1948 OF HAVING SERVED AS LEADER OF A "CELL" IN A RED NETWORK IN WASHINGTON DURING CHAMBERS' CAREER AS A COMMUNIST PARTY MEMBER WHICH ENDED IN 1937.
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CHAMBERS WAS THE GOVERNMENT'S STAR WITNESS IN THE PERJURY TRIALS OF ALGER HISS, WHO WAS CONVICTED FOR DENYING THAT HE HAD SUPPLIED GOVERNMENT SECRETS TO CHAMBERS AT A TIME WHEN THE [redacted] WAS A COMMUNIST SPY RING COURIER. LATTER
NIXON, WHO SAID THERE WERE "MISSING LINKS" IN THE CASE, DID NOT DESCRIBE THEM. HE TOLD REPORTERS HE BELIEVES PRESSMAN CAN SUPPLY SOME OF THEM.
HISS ACKNOWLEDGED AT HIS TRIAL IN 1949 THAT HE KNEW FIVE MEN NAMED BY CHAMBERS AS COMMUNISTS, INCLUDING PRESSMAN, BUT HE DENIED HE KNEW THEM AS COMMUNISTS.
PRESSMAN, PUBLICLY DENYING ACCUSATIONS AGAINST HIM, TERMED THE HOUSE COMMITTEE'S HEARINGS IN 1948 AS DESIGNED TO "SMEAR" HIM AND OTHERS WHO ONCE SERVED IN THE ROOSEVELT ADMINISTRATION.
PRESSMAN RESIGNED HIS $19,000 A YEAR POST AS GENERAL COUNSEL OF THE CIO IN 1948 WHEN THE CIO OPPOSED THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY CANDIDACY OF HENRY WALLACE FOR PRESIDENT. HE SUPPORTED THE WALLACE CANDIDACY AND HIMSELF WAS AMERICAN LABOR PARTY CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS IN NEW YORK.
IN HIS BREAK WITH THE AMERICAN LABOR PARTY, PRESSMAN SAID LABOR DOES NOT SUPPORT IT BECAUSE OF "AN OUTSTANDING CONVICTION" THAT ITS POLICIES, ACTIVITY AND POLITICAL DIRECTION REFLECT THE COMMUNIST PARTY.
PRESSMAN, JOINING THE GOVERNMENT IN 1933, WAS ASSISTANT GENERAL COUNSEL OF THE AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ADMINISTRATION, AND THEN GENERAL COUNSEL OF THE WORKS PROGRESS ADMINISTRATION AND THE RESETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATION. HE BECAME CIO GENERAL COUNSEL IN 1936.
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A11KX (110)
NIGHT LEAD SOBELL (290)
LAREDO, TEX., AUG.19-(AP)-MORTON SOBELL, AMERICAN RADAR EXPERT CHARGED WITH TELLING DEFENSE SECRETS TO RUSSIA, STAYED UNDER CLOSE WATCH IN JAIL TODAY WHILE HIS WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN FLEW HOME TO NEW YORK.
SOBELL WAS PERMITTED NO VISITORS. SINCE HE WAS LODGED IN THE WEBB COUNTY JAIL EARLY YESTERDAY, HE HAS BEEN VISITED ONLY BY HIS WIFE AND A NEWSPAPER PHOTOGRAPHER WHO WAS ALLOWED TO TAKE A PICTURE TODAY. SOBELL WOULDN'T DO ANY TALKING.
MRS.SOBELL TOOK HER HUSBAND FRESH CLOTHING AND CIGARETTES YESTERDAY. HE WAS PRUCED UP IN THE NEW CLOTHES TODAY---A DECIDED CONTRAST TO THE RUMPLED, UNSHAVEN MAN WHO WAS HUSTLED INTO LAREDO FROM MEXICO UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS.
SOBELL. 33. OF RUSSIA DESCENT. RAN TO MEXICO WHEN THE FBI BEGAN

SEIZING SUSPECTS IN THE KLAUS FUCHS SPY RING.
A MEXICAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL SAID LAST NIGHT SOBELL WAS ARRESTED IN MEXICO AND TURNED OVER TO THE FBI AT THE U.S. BORDER. SPECIFIC DETAILS OF THE ARREST AND TRANSFER WERE KEPT AN OFFICIAL SECRET.
SOBELL IS HELD UNDER $100,000 BOND. A FEDERAL ORDER FOR HIS REMOVAL TO NEW YORK IS EXPECTED TOMORROW OR TUESDAY.
SOBELL, EIGHTH AMERICAN CHARGED WITH GIVING DEFENSE INFORMATION TO RUSSIA, WAIVED REMOVAL PROCEEDINGS. U.S.DISTRICT ATTORNEY BRYAN ODEM OF HOUSTON WILL FILE A REMOVAL APPLICATION WITH FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE JAMES ALLRED OF CORPUS CHRISTI WHEN HE GETS A REPORT FROM U.S. COMMISSIONER FRANK Y.HILL OF LAREDO ON SOBELL'S WAIVER.
REPORTERS WERE UNABLE TO LEARN WHETHER THE FBI SENT MRS.SOBELL TO NEW YORK OR WHETHER SHE WAS PERMITTED TO GO ON HER OWN. SHE TOOK TWO BAGS AND LEFT TWO AT HER HOTEL TO BE FORWARDED TO 600 TRINITY AVE., THE BRONX.
SOBELL'S JAILERS DESCRIBED HIM AS A MODEL PRISONER. HE ISN'T ALLOWED TO TALK TO THEM OR TO OTHER PRISONERS.
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B9WX (SEGC) (250)
UN-AMERICAN-ESPIONAGE
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WASHINGTON, AUG.19-(AP)-THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE TODAY LOOKED TO THREE FORMER POLISH DIPLOMATS AS A POSSIBLE SOURCE

TODAY LOOKED TO THREE FORMER POLISH DIPLOMATS AS A POSSIBLE SOURCE OF NEW EVIDENCE ABOUT COMMUNIST ESPIONAGE.
INDICATIONS WERE THAT THE COMMITTEE WOULD GIVE THE THREE DIPLOMATS, WHO QUIT THEIR JOBS RATHER THAN GO BACK TO SOVIET-DOMINATED POLAND, A CHANCE TO TELL THEIR STORY.
CHAIRMAN WOOD (D-GA) DECLINED TO SAY WHETHER THE COMMITTEE PLANS TO QUESTION THEM. BUT REP.NIXON (R-CALIF) TOLD REPORTERS HE FELT THE TRIO SHOULD BE "INVITED TO APPEAR."
"THEY ARE IN A POSITION TO GIVE THE COMMITTEE EXTREMELY VALUABLE INFORMATION ON ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES," NIXON SAID. "THE POLISH EMBASSY ALWAYS HAS BEEN AN IMPORTANT LINK IN RUSSIA'S ESPIONAGE IN THIS COUNTRY."
OTHER COMMITTEE MEMBERS SAID PRIVATELY THEY AGREE WITH NIXON.
THE COMMITTEE, IN ITS LAST ANNUAL REPORT ISSUED IN APRIL, COMMENTED:
"EXPERIENCE DURING THE PAST FIVE YEARS HAS DEMONSTRATED THAT THE EMBASSIES OF COMMUNIST-DOMINATED COUNTRIES CONSTITUTE A FOCAL POINT OF COMMUNIST ESPIONAGE AND PROPAGANDA. SUCH ACTIVITY SHOULD BE LIMITED BY PROPER SAFEGUARDS STERNLY ENFORCED."
THE COMMITTEE HAS HEARD MUCH TESTIMONY THAT RUSSIA AND THE SOVIET BLOC COUNTRIES MAKE LIBERAL USE OF DIPLOMATIC MAIL POUCHES TO SEND AMERICAN SECRETS BACK HOM.
THE THREE POLISH DIPLOMATS WHO QUIT THEIR JOBS RATHER THAN GO HOME ARE STEFAN ROGOZINSKI, COUNSELOR OF THE EMBASSY, AND WYADYSLAW NIZINSKI, SECOND SECRETARY, BOTH IN WASHINGTON, AND JANUSZ ZOLTOWSKI, MINISTER AND FINANCIAL COUNSELOR, WHO IS IN NEW YORK.
THEY HAVE ASKED FOR ASYLUM IN THE UNITED STATES. THIS REQUEST IS EXPECTED TO BE GRANTED.
WOOD DECLINED TO COMMENT ON REPORTS THAT INVESTIGATORS FOR HIS COMMITTEE MAY HAVE TALKED TO ONE OF THE THREE ALREADY.
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CARROLLTON,GA.,AUG.19-(AP)-SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE SAMUEL BOYKIN TODAY ORDERED THE IMMEDIATE ARREST OF HOMER BATES CHASE, GEORGIA COMMUNIST PARTY HEAD.
THE ARREST WAS ORDERED WHEN CHASE FAILED TO APPEAR AT A HEARING AT WHICH THE STATE SOUGHT TO REVOKE HIS BOND ON GROUNDS HE WAS A "MENACE TO SECURITY."
JIM R.KAMM OF ATLANTA, AN ASSOCIATE OF CHASE, ALSO WAS ORDERED ARRESTED.
CHASE AND KAMM ARE FREE ON $1,000 APPEAL BONDS. THEY WERE CONVICTED OF CONTEMPT OF COURT HERE AND SENTENCED TO 20 DAYS IN JAIL FOR CIRCULATING LITERATURE CRITICIZING THE COURT IN THE TRIAL OF CLARENCE HENDERSON.
HENDERSON, A NEGRO, WAS SENTENCED TO DEATH FOR SLAYING GEORGIA TECH STUDENT CARL STEPHENS. A NEW TRIAL HAS BEEN ORDERED FOR HENDERSON.
SOLICITOR GENERAL WRIGHT LIPFORD SOUGHT REVOCATION OF THE APPEAL BONDS ON GROUNDS THAT "THE UNITED STATES IS ENGAGED IN ACTUAL WARFARE AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSORS" AND THAT CHASE AND KAMM "ARE A MENACE TO SOCIETY AND A DANGER TO THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES."
LIPFORD SAID HE BASED HIS CASE ON THE CALIFORNIA CASE IN WHICH THE BOND OF LONGSHOREMAN UNION LEADER HARRY BRIDGES WAS REVOKED ON SIMILAR GROUNDS.
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CAMP RITCHIE (300)
WASHINGTON, AUG.19-(AP)-DEFENSE OFFICIALS ARE MAKING INSPECTION VISITS TO CAMP RITCHIE IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROJECTED BUILDING AT THAT WESTERN MARYLAND SITE OF AN ALTERNATE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER FOR USE IF AERIAL ATTACK KNOCKS OUT THE PENTAGON, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.
IN ANSWER TO A REPORTER'S QUESTION, A DEFENSE SPOKESMAN SAID SUCH INSPECTIONS ARE BEING MADE "FOR TIME TO TIME," AS ARE ROUTINE CHECKS ON ALL MILITARY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS.
THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT DISCLOSED THE PLAN TO ESTABLISH WHAT IT DESCRIBED AS A "SUPPLEMENTAL COMMUNICATIONS INSTALLATION" IN A BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENT ON JULY 26.
CAMP RITCHIE, USED DURING WORLD WAR II, SUBSEQUENTLY WAS TURNED OVER TO THE MARYLAND NATIONAL GUARD. HOWEVER, WITH THE DECISION ANNOUNCED LAST MONTH STEPS WERE TAKEN TO REPOSSESS IT FOR THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE INSTALLATION WOULD BE LOCATED "AT AND NEARBY" CAMP RITCHIE, LEAVING THE IMPRESSION THAT THE PROJECT WAS OF CONSIDERABLE SIZE. IT ADDED THAT "DECISION TO LOCATE SUPPLEMENTAL COMMUNICATION FACILITIES IS THE RESULT OF LONG-RANGE PLANNING WHICH WAS BEGUN SHORTLY AFTER THE CLOSE OF WORLD WAR II."
THIS REFERENCE RECALLED THAT BACK IN 1946 A COMMITTEE OF THE OLD ARMY AND NAVY MUNITIONS BOARD BEGAN A BROAD, PRELIMINARY STUDY OF THE DESIRABILITY OF PLACING SOME KEY INDUSTRIAL PLANTS AND MILITARY HEADQUARTERS UNDERGROUNDS.
THE ORIGINAL STUDY WENT INTO THE POSSIBLE USES OF SUCH PLACES AS THE MAMMOTH CAVES IN KENTUCKY AND CARLSBAD CAVERNS IN NEW MEXICO, AS WELL AS THE USE OF ABANDONED MINES AND QUARRIES.
SUBSEQUENT STUDIES BY OTHER AGENCIES INVOLVED CONSIDERATION OF VARIOUS OTHER LOCATIONS FOR CRITICAL WAR FACTORIES AND "COMMAND POSTS"

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IN EVENT OF AN ATOMIC-AGE BLITZ.
IN THE FALL OF 1949, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, ANSWERING QUESTIONS BY SENATOR WILEY (R-WIS) ABOUT DECENTRALIZING THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT, WROTE THAT:
"THE QUESTIONS WHICH YOU RAISE ARE ONES THAT HAVE BEEN CONTINUOUSLY STUDIED WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND MORE PARTICULARLY BY THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF DURING THE COURSE OF THE LAST YEAR AND A HALF, AND CERTAIN DEFINITE STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN AGAINST THE CONTENGENCY OF A DESTRUCTIVE MILITARY ATTACK AT THE SEAT OF THIS GOVERNMENT. X X X
"THE PRIOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A JOINT COMMAND POST FOR THE ARMED FORCES AND FACILITIES FOR THIS COMMAND POST ARE ALOS UNDER STUDY. HOWEVER, CERTAIN PROJECTS IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH FACILITIES AND WITH THE COMMAND POST WILL REQUIRE THE APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS BY THE CONGRESS."
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FAMILY ALLOWANCES
BY EDWIN B.HAAKINSON
WASHINGTON, AUG. 19-(AP)-FACED BY POSSIBLE LOSS OF 25,000 SEASONED SERGEANTS AND CORPORALS, SENATORS BACKTRACKED TODAY ON A DECISION TO DIRECT THE ARMED FORCES TO DISCHARGE ALL ENLISTED PERSONNEL WITH MORE THAN THREE DEPENDENTS.
SUCH A PROVISION WAS MADE PART OF THE BILL TO ALLOW MONTHLY SUPPORT PAYMENTS TO WIVES, CHILDREN AND PARENTS OF ENLISTED PERSONNEL IN THE ARMED SERVICES WHICH THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE APPROVED THURSDAY.
UNIFORMED OFFICERS OF THE ARMED SERVICES QUICKLY POINTED OUT, HOWEVER, THAT THE PROVISION MIGHT COST THEM AS MANY AS 25,000 SEASONED NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS ALREADY ON DUTY--SOME OF THEM IN KOREA.
SO THE SENATE COMMITTEE HAS DECIDED TO REVISE ITS BILL MERELY MAKING IT THE "SENSE OF CONGRESS" THAT MEN WITH MORE THAN THREE DEPENDENTS SHOULD NOT BE INDUCTED UNDER THE DRAFT ACT IF THEY CAN SHOW THEIR DEPENDENT FAMILIES MIGHT SUFFER HARDSHIP.
ACTUAL DISCHARGES FOR HARDSHIP OF MEN ALREADY ON DUTY WHO HAVE MORE THAN THREE DEPENDENTS--INCLUDING NATIONAL GUARDSMEN AND RESERVES--WOULD BE LEFT UP TO SECRETARIES OF THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE OR COMMANDING OFFICERS.
THE SENATE COMMITTEE MADE ONE OTHER CHANGE IN THE BILL. ALLOWANCES WOULD DATE FROM JULY 1--SHORTLY AFTER THE KOREAN WAR STARTED--TO COVER ALL MEN CALLED TO DUTY SINCE THEN OR IN SERVICE AT THE TIME.
ORIGINALLY THE ADMINISTRATION SUGGESTED THAT THE FAMILY ALLOWANCES START SEPT. 1 BUT THAT THEY BE DATED BACK TO COVER AUGUST.
THE ORIGINAL ADMINISTRATION REQUEST WOULD HAVE COST AN ESTIMATED $294,000,000 FOR THE YEAR WHICH ENDS NEXT JUNE 30.
THE COST OF THE SENATE BILL, WHICH MAY BE READY FOR DEBATE NEXT WEEK, IS ESTIMATED AT $187,000,000. BOTH ESTIMATES ARE BASED ON AN ASSUMPTION THAT THE ARMED FORCES TOTAL WILL CLIMB TO 2,500,000 BY NEXT JULY 1.
BILLS BEING COMPLETED IN BOTH THE SENATE AND HOUSE ARE BASED UPON AN EXISTING SYSTEM OF SPECIAL MONTHLY ALLOWANCES FOR LIVING QUARTERS--IF NOT SUPPLIED BY THE GOVERNMENT--NOW PAID TO THE TOP THREE GRADES AMONG ENLISTED PERSONNEL OF ALL SERVICES.
THE BILLS WOULD EXTEND THESE "QUARTERS ALLOWANCES"--OF VARYING SIZES--DOWN THROUGH ALL SEVEN ENLISTED GRADES, INCLUDING RECRUITS, PRIVATES, AND PRIVATES FIRST CLASS IN THE ARMY AND CORRESPONDING GRADES IN THE OTHER SERVICES.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SAT.AUG. 19)
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE TONIGHT INVITED DOCTORS, DENTISTS AND VETERINARIANS TRAINED IN SPECIAL WORLD WAR II PROGRAMS TO ACCEPT COMMISSIONS IF THEY DO NOT HOLD THEM IN OTHER SERVICES.
A NUMBER OF SUCH PERSONS WERE DEFERRED IN THE LAST WAR TO CONTINUE THEIR EDUCATION UNDER THE ARMY SPECIALIZED TRAINING (ASTP) AND NAVY V-12 PROGRAMS.
NORMALLY, DOCTORS AND DENTISTS WOULD BE COMMISSIONED FIRST LIEUTENANTS AND VETERINARIANS SECOND LIEUTENANTS, THE AIR FORCE SAID. IT ADDED THAT PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS MIGHT JUSTIFY A HIGHER RANK IN INDIVIDUAL CASES.
THE LAW NOW ENTITLES PHYSICIANS AND DENTISTS WHO VOLUNTEER FOR SERVICE AN EXTRA $100 A MONTH ON TOP OF REGULAR PAY AND ALLOWANCES.
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A BILL COMING UP FOR HEARINGS IN THE SENATE NEXT WEEK WOULD PERMIT DRAFTING MEDICAL MEN. ITS AUTHOR, SENATOR HUNT (D-WYO), SAYS THE IDEA IS TO PERMIT INDUCTION OF THOSE DEFERRED IN THE LAST WAR TO CONTINUE THEIR TRAINING.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY SAT.AUG. 19)
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(300) WASHINGTON,AUG 19-(AP)-A NEW WARDROBE, FEATURING BLUE AND GREY AND A TRICK DRESS HAT, IS NOW OPTIONAL FOR WOMEN OF THE AIR FORCE.
NURSES, WOMEN MEDICAL SPECIALISTS AND WAFS MAY PURCHASE THE NEW CLOTHES AND WEAR THEM AS SOON AS THEY BECOME AVAILABLE AT STORES AND POST EXCHANGES.
THE NEW UNIFORMS ARE THE SAME FOR OFFICERS AND ENLISTED PERSONNEL EXCEPT FOR RANK INSIGNIA AND THE ADDITION OF A STRIPE ON THE OFFICER'S COAT SLEEVE.
ITEMS IN THE NEW OUTFIT INCLUDE:
THE OVERCOAT. THIS IS A BLUE GABARDINE MODEL, FORM-FITTING AND WITH A REMOVABLE INNER LINING OF SATIN AND WOOL.
THE RAINCOAT. IT HAS A DETACHABLE HOOD AND IS MADE OF LIGHT-WEIGHT BLUE NYLON AND VISCOE FABRIC.
THE WINTER UNIFORM. COAT AND SKIRT ARE OF SHADE 84 BLUE, THE SAME SHADE WORN BY MEN IN THE AIR FORCE. THE SKIRT HAS A STRAIGHT FRONT AND TWO INVERTED BOX PLEATS IN THE BACK. A WINTER SHIRTWAIST IS OF LIGHT BLUE OXFORD-WEAVE CLOTH.
THE SUMMER UNIFORM. THE TWO-PIECE COTTON-CORDED DUTY UNIFORM HAS A COLOR BLEND OF BLUE, BLACK AND WHITE. THE JACKET HAS CUFFED SHORT SLEEVES. A WHITE OXFORD-WEAVE SHIRTWAIST OF RAYON FABRIC ALSO IS AUTHORIZED WITH THIS OUTFIT. FOR OFF-DUTY WEAR, THERE IS A WHITE SHIRTWAIST WITH A FRENCH FRONT, FULL-LENGTH SLEEVES AND A DRESSY BACK. FOR DUTY WEAR, A SIMILAR SHIRT HAS SHORT SLEEVES AND FULLNESS.
THE DRESS HAT. THIS CONSISTS OF A HAT FRAME AND BAND TO WHICH INTERCHANGEABLE COVERS CAN BE ATTACHED. THE WINTER COVER IS OF GREY FELT, THE SUMMER ONE OF GREY COTTON-CORDED MATERIAL.
THE FLIGHT CAP. THIS IS OF 12-OUNCE BLUE SERGE. IS SHADE 84 BLUE.

AND IS MOULDED TO THE HEAD. IT IS CRUSHABLE AND FITS INTO A SPECIAL COMPARTMENT OF THE NEW PURSE.

THE ACCESSORIES. THESE INCLUDE A BLACK CALFSKIN PURSE WITH SHOULDER STRAP, A GREY COTTON SCARF AND GLOVES FOR WEAR WITH THE BLUE UNIFORM, AND WHITE GLOVES FOR SUMMER WEAR. ANY BLACK COMMERCIAL TYPE SHOES AND CONVENTIONAL HOSE ARE AUTHORIZED.

THE AIR FORCE SAYS THE NEW WARDROBE WAS DESIGNED BY THE CLOTHING BRANCH OF ITS AIR MATERIEL COMMAND WITH THE HELP OF LEADING MANUFACTURERS.

THE AIR MATERIEL COMMAND IS FURNISHING SPECIFICATIONS TO ALL INTERESTED MANUFACTURERS, ALTHOUGH THE DESCRIPTIONS ARE TENTATIVE UNTIL SERVICE TESTS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED.

FOR AN UNSPECIFIED TIME TO COME--BUT LONG ENOUGH FOR PRESENT UNIFORMS TO BE WORN OUT--THE OLD KHAKI AND DRAB WILL CONTINUE TO BE OFFICIALLY ACCEPTABLE.

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HUDSON, WIS., AUG. 19-(AP)-A DRASTIC SHAKEUP OF THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION IN TENNESSEE DUE TO "IRREGULARITIES" IN THE REHABILITATION AND EDUCATION PROGRAM WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY BY GEN. CARL R. GRAY, JR., NATIONAL VA ADMINISTRATOR.

OF 10 TOP STATE VA OFFICIALS INVOLVED, GRAY SAID, TWO WILL BE DISCHARGED, FOUR WILL BE RESTORED AND REPRIMANDED, THREE HAVE RESIGNED AND THE CASE OF THE OTHER IS PENDING.

THE PENDING CASE IS THAT OF J.M. NIXON, MANAGER OF THE VA'S STATE HEADQUARTERS AT NASHVILLE. GRAY SAID NIXON "APPARENTLY IS AN ILL MAN AND SOME OF THE DIFFICULTIES HE FOUND HIMSELF IN MAY HAVE BEEN DUE TO THAT ILLNESS."

"WE'RE GOING TO GIVE MR. NIXON A THOROUGH PHYSICAL EXAMINATION," THE NATIONAL ADMINISTRATOR SAID. "IF IT IS FOUND THAT THE DIFFICULTIES WERE DUE TO ILLNESS HE'LL BE RETIRED. IF NOT, HE'LL BE SEPARATED FROM THE SERVICE."

THE CHARGES AGAINST THE STATE VA OFFICIALS INVOLVED ALLEGED OVERPAYMENTS TO TWO GI TRAINING SCHOOLS IN THE STATE. TEN STATE VA OFFICIALS WERE SUSPENDED BY GRAY JULY 18 FOR A 30-DAY PERIOD PENDING AN INVESTIGATION.

GRAY SAID THE INVESTIGATING BOARD OF VA OFFICIALS REPORTED TO HIM YESTERDAY AT HIS SUMMER PLACE HERE.

THE VA CHIEF DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THE BOARD'S FINDINGS EXCEPT TO SAY, "THERE WERE IRREGULARITIES RELATING TO THE HANDLING OF THE VETERANS REHABILITATION AND EDUCATION PROGRAM IN TENNESSEE."

HE SAID MISS M.E. JACKSON, FINANCE OFFICER, AND BRUCE HENDERSON, VETERANS REHABILITATION AND EDUCATION DIRECTOR, BOTH OF THE NASHVILLE OFFICE. WERE TO BE "SEPARATED FROM THE SERVICE."

AT NASHVILLE NEITHER MISS JACKSON, HENDERSON NOR NIXON WOULD COMMENT ON GRAY'S DECISION. HENDERSON, A WAR VETERAN, IS ELIGIBLE TO APPEAL HIS DISMISSAL TO THE FEDERAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION. THE OTHER TWO ARE NOT ELIGIBLE.

CHARLES DONAGHY, MANAGER OF THE KNOXVILLE VA OFFICE, WILL BE RESTORED EFFECTIVE AUG. 21 AND REPRIMANDED IN WRITING, GRAY SAID. HE SAID THE SAME

CTION WOULD BE TAKEN IN THE CASES OF THREE NASHVILLE OFFICIALS--LAWRENCE GARRISON, CHIEF OF THE CONTRACTS UNIT; JOHN D. GUTHRIE, CHIEF OF VETERANS TRAINING FACILITIES, AND L.L. BEELER, ASSISTANT MANAGER.

THE THREE NASHVILLE OFFICIALS WHO RESIGNED DURING THE INVESTIGATION, GRAY SAID, ARE ROBERT R. QUARELS, REGISTRATION OFFICER, DAVID L. HARRIS, TRAINING OFFICER, AND B. FRANK BELL, CHIEF TRAINING OFFICER.

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GI INSURANCE

BY ROWLAND EVANS

WASHINGTON, AUG.19-(AP)-THERE ARE FIRM INDICATIONS CONGRESS IS MOVING TOWARD A COMPLETE ABOUTFACE ON THE TYPE OF LIFE INSURANCE IT PROVIDES FOR THE ARMED FORCES.

REPS.RANKIN (D-MISS) AND HARDY (D-VA), TWO CONGRESSMEN IN A GOOD POSITION TO KNOW MOST ABOUT GI INSURANCE, HAVE INTRODUCED HOUSE BILLS WHICH WOULD SUBSTITUTE FREE-OF-CHARGE AND AUTOMATIC INSURANCE FOR THE MUTUAL-TYPE, PREMIUM-PAYING POLICIES OFFERED IN BOTH WORLD WARS AND STILL OFFERED TODAY.

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THE TWO BILLS ARE DIFFERENT IN DETAIL, BUT SIMILAR IN OUTLINE.

THEY ARE SIGNIFICANT BECAUSE RANKIN HEADS THE HOUSE VETERANS COMMITTEE, THROUGH WHICH ANY INSURANCE LEGISLATION COVERING SERVICEMEN OR VETERANS MUST PASS, AND HARDY IS HEAD OF A SPECIAL HOUSE SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH MADE AN INTENSIVE STUDY OF THE WHOLE INSURANCE QUESTION LAST SPRING AND THIS SUMMER.

HARDY'S GROUP PUT OUT A REPORT TWO WEEKS AGO CALLING NATIONAL SERVICE LIFE INSURANCE (FOR WORLD WAR TWO VETERANS) "INEQUITABLE, RELATIVELY INEFFICIENT AND COSTLY."

DURING EXHAUSTIVE HEARINGS THE COMMITTEE HELD, HAROLD W.BREINING, VETERANS ADMINISTRATION INSURANCE CHIEF, TESTIFIED HE DIDN'T THINK THE MANPOWER WOULD BE AVAILABLE TO ADMINISTER THE PROGRAM IN ANOTHER ALL-OUT WAR.

HARDY'S NEW BILL CALLS FOR AUTOMATIC COVERAGE OF $10,000 FOR EVERY SERVICEMAN WHO DIES AS A RESULT OF "EXTRA HAZARD" WAR SERVICE.

DEATHS NOT DUE TO EXTRA-HAZARDOUS DUTY WOULD BRING AN AUTOMATIC $5,000 TO THE SERVICEMAN'S SURVIVORS.

THERE WOULD BE NO PREMIUM, NO APPLICATION FOR COVERAGE AND THE INSURANCE WOULD EXPIRE 30 DAYS AFTER DISCHARGE, WITH NO RENEWAL OPTION. HARDY SAYS THAT IF THIS SYSTEM HAD BEEN IN EFFECT DURING WORLD WAR TWO THE GOVERNMENT WOULD HAVE SAVED ABOUT $750,000,000.

RANKIN'S BILL WOULD PROVIDE $10,000 COVERAGE FOR ALL SERVICEMEN, WHETHER DEATH WAS A RESULT OF EXTRA-HAZARD DUTY (DEATH ON THE BATTLEFIELD, FOR INTANCE) OR NOT.

IT WOULD ALSO ALLOW SERVICEMEN NOW IN UNIFORM TO TAKE OUT THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THEIR PRESENT INSURANCE AND $10,000.

HARDY SAYS HIS BILL SHOULD "EVENTUALLY VASTLY REDUCE THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYES" IN THE INSURANCE DIVISION IN THE VA.

"THE SITUATION IS URGENT," HE TOLD A REPORTER. "WE MUST DO SOMETHING ABOUT THIS PROBLEM IMMEDIATELY. MEN ARE STREAMING INTO THE ARMED FORCES AND IF WE DON'T ACT NOW THE SITUATION MAY GET OUT OF HAND."

HE SAID BREINING AGREED WITH HIM.

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BY CHARLES HASLET
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, AUG.19-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES TODAY HAS MANY MORE--AND LARGER--OIL TANKERS THAN AT THE OUTSET OF WORLD WAR TWO, INTERIOR DEPARTMENT RECORDS SHOW.

AND THE TOTAL NUMBER IN SERVICE IN ALL OF THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE LIKEWISE IS UP SHARPLY. LATEST FIGURES SHOW THE HEMISPHERE, WITH THE UNITED STATES LEADING THE WAY, HAS ABOUT 60 PER CENT MORE TANKERS, INCLUDING CONVERTED WHALERS AND MOLASSES VESSELS, THAN IN THE FALL OF 1939.

BUT THAT PERCENTAGE DOESN'T TELL ALL THE STORY, OFFICIALS OF THE DEPARTMENT'S OIL AND GAS DIVISION SAY. THEY POINT OUT THAT THE LATEST TANKERS ARE BOTH FASTER AND LARGER THAN ANY IN SERVICE TEN YEARS AGO. THE NEWER SHIPS HAVE A CAPACITY OF ABOUT 116,000 BARRELS.

ON SEPTEMBER 1, 1949, LATEST FIGURES SHOW, THERE WERE 870 TANKERS IN THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE--359 MORE THAN TEN YEARS EARLIER. OF THESE, 578 WERE UNDER THE U.S. FLAG--195 MORE THAN IN 1939. AND THERE HAVE BEEN ADDITIONAL LAUNCHINGS IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS.

"THERE DOESN'T APPEAR TO BE ANY IMMEDIATE TANKER PROBLEM FOR SUPPLYING FUEL OIL AND MOTOR FUEL IN THIS COUNTRY AND FOR MILITARY REQUIREMENTS UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS," ONE OFFICIAL TOLD A REPORTER.

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HERE'S HOW THE HOME FRONT CONTROL BILL, AS PASSED BY THE HOUSE (THE SENATE IS AT WORK ON SIMILAR LEGISLATION), MIGHT AFFECT THE OIL INDUSTRY IF PRESIDENT TRUMAN SHOULD EXERCISE THE POWERS GIVEN HIM THEREIN:

1. PRIORITIES AND ALLOCATIONS OF STEEL. (THE INDUSTRY ALREADY IS WORKING ON PLANS FOR ADEQUATE STEEL ALLOTMENTS IN EVENT OF CONTROLS.)
2. RATIONING OF OIL AND GASOLINE. (MILITARY PROCUREMENT OFFICERS SAY THEY SEE NO NEED FOR SUCH A STEP UNLESS WAR SPREADS OT OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD THAN KOREA).
3. PRICE CONTROLS ON PRODUCTS THE INDUSTRY BUYS AND SELLS AND GENERAL WAGE CONTROLS.

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SPOKESMEN FOR THE OIL INDUSTRY HAVE ASKED THE HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE TO EXEMPT CRUDE OIL PRICES FROM THE RENEGOTIATION PROVISION BEING CONSIDERED BY THE COMMITTEE FOR DEFENSE CONTRACTS.

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ONE OIL OFFICIAL SAID A LARGE PART OF OIL PROFITS GO BACK INTO THE BUSINESS FOR DRILLING AND OTHER PURPOSES.

ANOTHER OFFICIAL SAID RENEGOTIATION MIGHT RUIN SMALL PRODUCERS. THEY COULD NOT AFFORD, HE SAID, TO SELL OIL TO THE GOVERNMENT AND THEN FIND OUT, MAYBE TWO YEARS LATER, THAT THE PRICE WAS LESS THAN THEY HAD FIGURED ON.

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ATTORNEYS AND OFFICIALS OF OIL COMPANIES WITH OFFSHORE LEASES CROWDED THE SENATE INTERIOR COMMITTEE ROOM THIS WEEK AS THE OLD STATE-FEDERAL CONTROVERSY OVER OWNERSHIP OF THE SO-CALLED TIDELANDS FLARED ANEW.

THE IMMEDIATE ISSUE WAS A RESOLUTION BY CHAIRMAN O'MAHONEY (D-WYO) TO GIVE THE INTERIOR DEPARTMENT JURISDICTION OVER OIL OPERATIONS IN THE OFFSHORE AREAS PENDING FINAL SETTLEMENT OF THE OWERNSHIP.

INDUSTRY LEADERS, UNDER QUESTIONING BY COMMITTEE MEMBERS, SAID THEY PROBABLY COULD OPERATE UNDER FEDERAL CONTROL OF THE LANDS AS WELL AS THEY HAVE BEEN DOING UNDER LEASES FROM THE STATES.

THE ANSWER OF REX G.BAKER OF HOUSTON, TEX., A DIRECTOR AND GENERAL COUNSEL OF THE HUMBLE OIL CO., WAS TYPICAL:

"WE COULD DEAL WITH THE LESSOR, WHOEVER HE HAPPENED TO BE."

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A89 (NYC OUT) (150)
WEST POINT,N.Y., AUG.19-(AP)-THE WIDOW OF THE LATE GEN. GEORGE S. PATTON JR., UNVEILED A BRONZE LIFE-SIZE STATUE OF THE THIRD ARMY'S WARTIME COMMANDER TODAY ON THE GROUNDS OF THE U.S. MILITARY ACADEMY.

THE STATUE, DEPICTING THE FAMED EXPONENT OF OFFENSIVE WARFARE IN BATTLE DRESS, WAS PRESENTED TO THE ACADEMY BY THE PATTON MEMORIAL FOUNDATION.

DR. DOUGLAS SOUTHALL FREEMAN, WHO SPOKE AT THE UNVEILING, SAID THAT PATTON'S DOCTRINE OF OFFENSE ALWAYS WOULD BE THE DOCTRINE OF AMERICAN WARFARE UNLESS THE NATION "BECOMES A CARTHAGE AND WE THE DECAYED SONS OF WARRIOR STOCK."

FREEMAN, BIOGRAPHER OF ROBERT E. LEE AND OTHER MILITARY LEADERS, SAID PATTON'S THIRD ARMY HAD NO BUGLE CALL FOR RETREAT, AND KNEW ONLY ONE DIRECTION -- FORWARD.

"HIS MEN FOUGHT FINER BECAUSE THEY HAD SEEN HIM WITH HIS SHOULDER TO THE WHEEL IN THE MUD," HE SAID.

A WREATH PRESENTED BY THE CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOR IN SAN GABRIEL, CALIF., WAS LAID AT THE BASE OF THE STATUE BY LIEUT. GEORGE S. PATTON III, THE GENERAL'S SON.

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A162WX (MONUMENT)
(WX LOCALS OUT)
WASHINGTON, AUG. 19-(AP)-A MARBLE MONUMENT WAS DEDICATED TODAY TO THE MEMORY OF FIVE AMERICAN AIRMEN WHO WERE SHOT DOWN EXACTLY FOUR YEARS AGO IN YUGOSLAVIA.

GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY OFFICIALS JOINED THE FAMILIES OF THE FIVE FLYERS IN THE CEREMONY AT ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY.

RETIRED AIR FORCE GEN. CARL SPAATZ LED IN THE LAYING OF MORE THAN A SCORE OF WREATHS AND FLORAL TRIBUTES.

THE FRONT OF THE MARBLE MONUMENT BEARS THE NAMES OF THE AIRMEN:

CAPT. RICHARD H.CLAEYS, ST. CHARLES, ILL.; CAPT. BLENN (CQ) H. FREESTONE, BURLEY, IDAHO; CAPT. HAROLD F.SCHREIBER, NEW ALBANY, IND., CPL. MATTHEW COMKO, MONESSEN, PA. AND CPL. CHESTER J.LOWER, ENFIELD, N.H.

THE BACK OF THE MEMORIAL CARRIES THIS SIMPLE INSCRIPTION:

"YUGOSLAVIA, AUGUST 19, 1946."

THE MONUMENT WAS PAID FOR BY MORE THAN 300 VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS, MANY BY AMERICANS OF YUGOSLAV ORIGIN.

THE INCIDENT CAUSED STRAINED RELATIONS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE TITO GOVERNMENT.

THE PLANE, AN UNARMED TRANSPORT, WAS DOWNED BY YUGOSLAV FIGHTER SHIPS WHILE ON A ROUTINE FLIGHT WHICH TOOK IT OVER THE YUGOSLAV BORDER.

AFTER LONG NEGOTIATIONS, YUGOSLAVIA AGREED TO PAY $150,000 INDEMNITY AND THE INCIDENT WAS CLOSED.

AMONG THOSE PRESENT TODAY WAS FORMER AMBASSADOR TO POLAND ARTHUR BLISS LANE, WHO TOOK AN ACTIVE PART IN COLLECTING CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE MONUMENT.

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BY A.I.GOLDBERG
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.19-(AP)-U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL MEMBERS LOOK FOR ANOTHER RUSSIAN SURPRISE MOVE NEXT WEEK. IT MAY COME IN A PRIVATE COUNCIL MEETING MONDAY, BUT IS MORE LIKELY TO SHOW UP IN THE NEXT PUBLIC SESSION TUESDAY.

DELEGATES ARE CERTAIN THAT IF THE IDEA HAS ANY RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA VALUE, COUNCIL PRESIDENT JAKOB A.MALIK WON'T TIP HIS HAND TO THE OTHERS IN THE CLOSED SESSION, BUT WILL WAIT TO SPRING THE IDEA BEFORE CROWDED GALLERIES, WITH SIMULTANEOUS ENGLISH TRANSLATION, AND WITH THE TELEVISION AND RADIO AUDIENCE HANGING ON HIS WORDS.

MALIK HAS ONLY 10 MORE BUSINESS DAYS TO GO BEFORE HIS TERM AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT IS FINISHED. HE HAS ONLY HINTED THAT HE MAY NOT COME BACK TO THE COUNCIL SEPT. 1, AS SOVIET DELEGATE. HIS PROPAGANDA DISCOURSES HAVE BEGUN TO RUN OUT OF NEW MATERIAL. HE HAS ONLY A SHORT TIME TO DELIVER SOMETHING NEW.

WHAT NEW RUSSIAN PROPOSAL COULD BE ADVANCED WAS NOT CLEARLY FORESEEN HERE. MALIK HAS ALREADY PROPOSED A "PEACE PLAN" TO STOP THE WAR WHERE IT IS AND PULL OUT ALL U.N. -- AMERICAN TROOPS. HE HAS BEEN DEFEATED AGAIN IN HIS ATTEMPT TO THROW OUT THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS AND SEAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

HE WANTS THE COUNCIL TO CONDEMN U.S. AIR FORCE BOMBINGS IN KOREA BUT KNOWS HE CAN'T GET ANYWHERE WITH THE PROPOSAL DURING THE PROCEDURAL DEADLOCK OVER HIS INSISTENCE ON KEEPING SOUTH KOREA'S REPRESENTATIVE, JOHN M.CHANGE, FROM ATTENDING COUNCIL MEETINGS.

TWO PRIVATE MEETINGS, ONE CALLED BY THE NINE NON-COMMUNIST DELEGATES AND OTHER BY MALIK, LAST THURSDAY, HAVE FAILED TO CHANGE THE POSITION OF EITHER SIDE. MALIK STILL REFUSES TO MAKE A RULING AS PRESIDENT, WHICH HE KNOWS THE MAJORITY WOULD IMMEDIATELY BAT DOWN.

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WELL-INFORMED SOURCES MAKE CLEAR THAT MALIK HASN'T SAID ANYTHING IN THE PRIVATE MEETINGS THAT HE HASN'T SAID IN PUBLIC. THEY DON'T EXPECT THAT THE MEETING WHICH HE HIMSELF ORDERED MONDAY WILL BE ANY DIFFERENT, EXCEPT THAT HE MAY TAKE THAT OCCASION TO THREATEN THE USUAL RUSSIAN "DIRE CONSEQUENCES" IF THEY CONTINUE TO BALK HIM.

OTHER DELEGATES HAVE LET THE U.S. DELEGATION KNOW THEY WERE IMPRESSED BY LAST THURSDAY'S PLEA OF WARREN AUSTIN, U.S. DELEGATE, FOR UNITY AND INDEPENDENCE OF KOREA. HIS STATEMENT LAST THURSDAY SOFT-PEDALLED THE BITTERNESS OF PREVIOUS DEBATES THAT HAD DISTURBED INDIA.

INDIA'S DETAILED PLAN FOR A COMMITTEE OF SIX COUNCIL NON-PERMANENT MEMBERS TO HANDLE THE KOREAN QUESTION WAS STILL TO BE MADE PUBLIC. UNTIL IT IS, MOST OTHER COUNCIL MEMBERS DECLINE TO PASS ANY VERDICT ON THE GENERAL OUTLINES.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SUNDAY, AUG.20)
(ADVANCE)..LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.20-(AP)-WARREN R.AUSTIN, U.S. CHIEF DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID TONIGHT THAT RUSSIA SHOULD NOT BE THROWN BODILY OUT OF THE U.N. BECAUSE, HE SAID, "IT IS BETTER FOR DIPLOMATS TO GET NERVOUS INDIGESTION (LISTENING TO THEM) THAN FOR YOUNG MEN TO GET SHOT."

IN A (NBC) TELEVISION PROGRAM, HE PICKED A LETTER FROM GERTRUDE TAYLOR, WASHINGTON, D.C., OUT OF THE THOUSANDS HE SAID HE HAS RECEIVED, AND ANSWERED HER QUERY. THE LETTER SAID "RUSSIA HAS VIOLATED EVERYTHING THE U.N. STANDS FOR, SO WHY PROLONG THE ARGUMENT? WON'T YOU, WITH THE OTHER COUNTRIES, EXPEL JAKOB MALIK (SOVIET DELEGATE) FROM THE U.N.?"

THIS WAS AUSTIN'S ANSWER: "OUR OBJECTIVE IS PEACE. WE DO NOT FIND PEACE BY THROWING OUT THE PERSON WITH WHOM WE MUST MAKE THE PEACE.

"WE MUST BE FIRM IN OUR PRINCIPLES. WE MUST BE STRONG. BUT WE MUST ALSO BE PATIENT.

"IN THE UNITED NATIONS, WE MUST KEEP TRYING TO CONVINCE MR.MALIK AND HIS GOVERNMENT OF THEIR ERRORS AND OF OUR PEACEFUL INTENTIONS. THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS WE CAN REACH THE PEOPLES OF THE SOVIET UNION AND OF OTHER COUNTRIES.

"IT IS NOT THE PEOPLE, IT IS THE 'RULING CIRCLES' THAT WE ENCOUNTER HERE. THAT CREATES A FORCE OF PUBLIC OPINION, BACKED BY MORAL AUTHORITY THAT OPPOSES AGGRESSION--AND EVEN THE SOVIET DICTATORSHIP CANNOT IGNORE SUCH A FORCE.

"IT IS A STRAIN FOR US TO LISTEN TO THE DECEIT THAT THE RUSSIAN SPOKESMAN HAS POURED OUT. BUT TRUTH WILL PREVAIL. MEANWHILE, IT IS BETTER FOR DIPLOMATS TO GET NERVOUS INDIGESTION THAN FOR YOUNG MEN TO GET SHOT."

AUSTIN APPEARED ON A PROGRAM WITH JAMES E.WEBB, UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE; DEAN RUSK, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS; AND EDWARD W.BARRETT, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR PUBLIC AFFAIRS. THEY WERE ON THE BROADCAST FROM WASHINGTON.

AUSTIN ALSO POINTED OUT THAT SUBSTANTIAL HELP WAS ON THE WAY TO KOREA FROM AMONG THE 30,000 GROUND FORCE TROOPS PLEDGED BY SEVEN NATIONS, REMARKING "WE ARE TRYING TO DO QUICKLY SOMETHING THAT NEVER HAS BEEN DONE BEFORE IN ALL HISTORY. IT IS ASTONISHING THAT THEY HAVE MOBILIZED SO MUCH SO FAST."

THE FORMER REPUBLICAN SENATOR FROM VERMONT SAID THAT THE MAIL AND TELEPHONE RESPONSE OF THE PUBLIC TO THREE WEEKS OF TELEVISION AND RADIO BROADCASTS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL MEETINGS "EXCEEDS ANYTHING I HAVE EXPERIENCED IN MY 25 YEARS OF PUBLIC LIFE."

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SUNDAY, AUG. 20).

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NEW YORK, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE TODAY ACCUSED SOVIET DELEGATE JACOB A. MALIK OF USING "OBSTRUCTIONIST TACTICS" WHILE OCCUPYING THE CHAIR OF PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL.

THE ORGANIZATION OF JEWISH LAYMEN SENT A MESSAGE TO ITS MEMBERS IN 500 CITIES SAYING THAT MALIK'S ACTIONS WITHIN THE U.N. "ARE OBVIOUSLY DESIGNED TO PREVENT THE FREE NATIONS FROM TAKING ACTION UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN BRINGING PEACE IN KOREA."

THE ORGANIZATION'S MESSAGE, MADE PUBLIC HERE, ADDED:

"IF THE UNITED NATIONS IS KEPT FROM TAKING PROPER ACTION IN KOREA, THERE WILL BE LITTLE HOPE OF STOPPING COMMUNIST AGGRESSION ELSEWHERE BY ACTION OF THE UNITED NATIONS."

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(NY) LAKE SUCCESS--FIRST ADD AUSTIN BROADCAST (A124-A127 MOVED LAST NIGHT AS ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 P.M. EST TONIGHT)
XX X PUBLIC LIFE."

BARRETT SAID THAT "WHATEVER YOU HEAR, WE HAVEN'T LOST THE

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PROPAGANDA WAR" AND THIS COUNTRY IS "STEPPING UP THE CAMPAIGN OF TRUTH."

DISCUSSING PLANS FOR EXPANSION OF THE VOICE OF AMERICA, THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S INTERNATIONAL BROADCAST DIVISION, BARRETT SAID:

"I CAN ANNOUNCE THAT EVEN TONIGHT WE ARE STARTING A NEW BROADCAST TO KOREA AND AN ADDED PROGRAM TO CHINA."

WEBB DECLARED THAT 10 DAYS FROM NOW BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN RELATIONS EXPERTS WOULD MEET IN WASHINGTON WITH AMERICAN EXPERTS TO LAY THE GROUNDWORK FOR THE MEETING OF FOREIGN MINISTERS IN NEW YORK ON SEPT. 12.

HE SAID THAT WHEN THE FOREIGN MINISTERS MEET "THE MAJOR INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS FACING US WILL HAVE BEEN THOROUGHLY CANVASSED. THEY CAN BE ACTED ON WITHOUT DELAY."

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FIRST LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (270)
BY MILTON MARMOR.
TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG 21-(AP)-THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY CLAIMED "A MAJOR VICTORY" SUNDAY AGAINST 30,000 COMMUNISTS ON THE EAST COAST--THE THIRD RED OFFENSIVE REPORTED BROKEN IN AS MANY DAYS. DESPITE THESE VICTORIES UNITED NATIONS FORCES GOT SET TODAY FOR A NEW RED PUSH.
U.S. MARINES AND INFANTRYMEN MOPPED UP IN THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR AFTER WIPING OUT A 12,000-MAN RED BULGE IN THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSES.
AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS RECAPTURED KUMHWA AND PUSHED ON A MILE AND A HALF NORTH OF THAT HIGHWAY TOWN, 12 MILES ABOVE TAEGU, IMPORTANT U.N. BASE.
BUT THE REDS WERE PROBING ALL ALONG THE 120-MILE DEFENSE LINE. ROUGHLY 50,000 NORTH KOREANS REMAINED MASSED IN THE WAEGWAN-KUMHWA SECTOR IN THE NORTHWEST, THREATENING A NEW THRUST TOWARD TAEGU, ABANDONED LAST WEEK AS TEMPORARY SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL.
HOWEVER, THE NEXT THREAT APPEARED TO BE DEVELOPING IN THE CHINJU-MASAN AREA, THE SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF THE DEFENSE LINE. "ONE OF THE GREATEST KILLS OF THE WAR" WAS MADE IN THIS SECTOR SUNDAY BY AMERICAN FORCES, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED. HE SAID 1,350 ENEMY DEAD WERE COUNTED IN A FIGHT FOR TWO MINOR HILLS.

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MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID ELEMENTS OF THE NORTH KOREAN SEVENTH DIVISION WAS REINFORCING THE BADLY MAULED SIXTH IN THIS AREA. INCREASED ENEMY ACTIVITY POINTED TO AN IMPENDING DRIVE HERE.
MORE U.N. REINFORCEMENTS TO MEET THE CONTINUALLY PRESSING REDS WERE ASSURED TODAY. BRITAIN ANNOUNCED 1,500 CRACK TROOPS WERE PACKING IN HONG KONG TO MOVE TO KOREA. THEY WILL BE THE FIRST BRITISH INFANTRYMEN TO ENTER THE FIGHT. THE TROOPS WERE IDENTIFIED AS THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE ARGYLE AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS AND THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT.
A MACARTHUR SPOKESMAN SAID THE NEXT NORTH KOREAN OFFENSIVE HAS BEEN DELAYED APPARENTLY BECAUSE THE REDS ARE "BADLY OFF BALANCE." HE SUGGESTED THEY "PROBABLY ARE MUCH WORSE HURT THAN WE IMAGINE."
NAVY PILOTS, CONCENTRATING ON TARGETS NEAR THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG, REPORTED THEY DESTROYED 36 LOCOMOTIVES, 53 RAILWAY CARS AND SIX WAREHOUSES. HEAVY DAMAGE WAS REPORTED ON OTHER COMMUNICATION TARGETS.
U.S.AIR FORCE B-29S PUT THE FINISHING TOUCHES ON THE OFT-HIT WEST SEOUL RAILWAY BRIDGE, WHILE OTHER AIR FORCE PLANES HAMMERED FOUR MORE BRIDGES.
U.S.ARMY AND NAVY CHIEFS OF STAFF--GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS AND ADM.FOREST P.SHERMAN--FLEW INTO TOKYO MONDAY FOR NEW CONFERENCES WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR ON THE WAR SITUATION.
A SPOKESMAN FOR THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY SAID FORCES OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA CRUSHED THE BEEFED-UP RED FIFTH AND SEVENTH DIVISIONS IN A TWO-DAY FIGHT NEAR POHANG AND DROVE THE INVADERS BACK 12 MILES NORTH OF THAT EAST COAST PORT CITY.
"WE HAVE WON A MAJOR VICTORY," THE SPOKESMAN DECLARED.
HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT 30,000 COMMUNIST TROOPS BEGAN A DRIVE TOWARD KYONGJU, 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF POHANG, NINE DAYS AGO. THE REDS PLANNED TO SPLIT THEIR FORCES AT KYONGJU, HE SAID, SENDING ONE SPEARHEAD WEST TOWARD TAEGU AND THE OTHER SOUTH TOWARD PUSAN, MAIN U.S.SUPPLY PORT ON THE SOUTHEAST COAST.
TWO DAYS AGO, THE SOUTH KOREANS COUNTERATTACKED, USING THE REDS' OWN TACTICS. THEY CUT THE ENEMY'S SUPPLY LINES AT THE REAR, SMASHED HIS COLUMN AT THE FRONT AND SQUEEZED IT FROM BOTH SIDES.
AMERICAN ARTILLERY, TANKS AND WARPLANES SUPPORTED THE ATTACK AND "DID A WONDERFUL JOB," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.
THE NORTH KOREANS WERE SENT REELING NORTH TOWARDS YONGDOK, APPARENTLY TO REGROUP.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID POHANG AND KIGYE, TEN MILES INLAND, ARE SAFE IN SOUTH KOREAN HANDS.
AMERICANS HOLD THE AIRFIELD SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG AND ARE REPORTED USING THE AIRSTRIP OPERATIONALLY.
A BATTLE SUMMARY FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TOKYO HEADQUARTERS SAID SOUTH KOREAN UNITS CONTINUED TO ADVANCE NORTH AND WEST OF POHANG AND KIGYE "AGAINST LITTLE OPPOSITION."
THE SUMMARY SAID THAT ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION AND FIRST MARINE BRIGADE WIPED OUT THE COMMUNISTS' CHANGNYONG BEACHHEAD EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE CENTRAL FRONT AND RECAPTURED ALL GROUND EAST OF THE RIVER IN THAT SECTOR. THE AREA IS 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

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MOPPING UP OPERATIONS CONTINUED, IT SAID.
THE REDS ORIGINALLY HAD THROWN 12,000 MEN OF THEIR FOURTH DIVISION INTO THAT BRIDGEHEAD. THAT DIVISION NOW HAS BEEN SHATTERED AND WRITTEN OFF.
THIRTEEN ENEMY ARTILLERY PIECES AND OTHER WEAPONS AND EQUIPMENT WERE CAPTURED IN THE BLOODY ERASURE OF THE BRIDGEHEAD.
ON THE SOUTHWEST FRONT, U.S.INFANTRY, ARTILLERY AND FIGHTER-BOMBERS WERE CREDITED WITH ONE OF THE GREATEST KILLS OF THE WAR SUNDAY.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED THAT AT LEAST 1,350 ENEMY BODIES WERE COUNTED AND OTHER HUNDREDS UNDOUBTEDLY DIED IN THE FIGHT FOR TWO MINOR HEIGHTS THE REDS HAD CAPTURED NEAR HAMAN AND STILL HELD AGAINST AMERICAN COUNTERATTACKS.
"WE SLAUGHTERED THEM," SAID CAPT. FRANK LAMOTHE OF NEW ORLEANS. "I FOUGHT ALL THROUGH EUROPE BUT NEVER SAW SUCH A SLAUGHTER."
A COMPANY OF THE NEGRO U.S.24TH INFANTRY REGIMENT WAS SURROUNDED BY A RED BATTALION ON THE SOUTHWEST FIGHTING LINE, BUT THE AMERICANS WERE DUG IN BEHIND BARBED WIRE.
PLANES AND OTHER NEGRO TROOPS WENT TO THE AID OF THE TRAPPED COMPANY.

A33FX
SOUTH KOREAN MARINES MEANWHILE WERE DISCLOSED TO HAVE MADE TWO MORE AMPHIBIOUS LANDINGS AGAINST THE ENEMY--A TOTAL OF THREE IN THREE DAYS.
HAVING LANDED THURSDAY ON TOKCHOK ISLAND, OFF THE WEST COAST 35 MILES SOUTHWEST OF INCHON, THEY THEN LANDED ON THE EXTREME SOUTH COAST FRIDAY AND CAPTURED THE TOWN OF TONGYONG, AND ON SATURDAY ON YONGHUNG, 18 MILES EAST OF TOKCHOK.
THE SOUTH KOREAN MARINES REPORTED THAT IN TAKING THE PENINSULAR TOWN OF TONGYONG THEY KILLED 350 NORTH KOREANS, CAPTURED 37 AND SEIZED MUCH BOOTY, INCLUDING 12 BIG 120-MILLIMETER GUNS.
TWO NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS WERE REPORTED MOVING TOWARD TONGYONG.
AN AMERICAN ADVISER TO THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVY, LT.CMDR. D.C.HOLLEY, SAID THE LANDING WAS MADE TO PREVENT COMMUNIST ATTACK ON KOJE ISLAND, EAST OF TONGYONG AND SOUTHWEST OF PUSAN.

ON THE FRONT NORTH OF TAEGU, WHERE THE ENEMY HAS BEEN REPORTED MASSING AS MANY AS 50,000 MEN FOR A NEW ATTEMPT TO TAKE TAEGU, THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS HAD RECAPTURED KUMHWA, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY AT MIDNIGHT SUNDAY SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST AND SIXTH DIVISIONS ON THAT FRONT CONTINUED TO WITHSTAND CONTINUOUS PRESSURE, BUT GAVE NO DETAILS.

A TOKYO HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE REDS SO FAR HAD BEEN UNABLE TO GET SET FOR A JUMP-OFF AGAINST TAEGU. HE ATTRIBUTED THEIR FAILURE TO DISORDER AND CONFUSION BEHIND THEIR LINES, MAINLY OWING TO AMERICAN AIR AND NAVAL BLOWS. THE SPOKESMAN SAID ENEMY SUPPLY ROUTES HAD BEEN HARD HIT.

HE MENTIONED ALSO THAT REPORTS PERSISTED THE REDS HAD RECEIVED SOME BIG RUSSIAN JOSEPH STALL III TANKS, 50-TONNERS W

SOME BIG RUSSIAN JOSEPH STALIN III TANKS, 50-TONNERS WITH 122-MILLIMET GUNS, BUT THAT NONE HAVE APPEARED IN BATTLE.

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(EDITORS: THE FOLLOWING DELAYED DISPATCH MAY BE INSERTED IN KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP IF DESIRED.)

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TOKYO, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN REDS ARE "BADLY OFF BALANCE," A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TONIGHT.

HE SUGGESTED COMMUNIST FORCES "PROBABLY ARE MUCH WORSE HURT THAN WE IMAGINE."

THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID EVIDENCE OF CONFUSION AND DISORGANIZATION IN THE ENEMY'S REAR WAS INCREASING. AIR STRIKES HAVE CRIPPLED TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATION BETWEEN ADJOINING BATTLE UNITS HAS DETERIORATED, AND IT IS LIKELY COMMUNIST OFFICER CASUALTIES HAVE BEEN HIGH.

IN SOME SECTORS THE SHORTAGE OF LOCOMOTIVES IS SO ACUTE, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, PEOPLE, OXEN AND HORSES HAVE BEEN USED TO PULL RAILWAY BOX CARS.

REPEATED RED ATTACKS HAVE BEEN THROWN OFF BALANCE, HE SAID, BECAUSE ONE OF THE ELEMENTS FAILS TO RESPOND TO A LOGICAL BATTLE PLAN. THIS INDICATES INADEQUATE COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN FIGHTING UNITS.

BUT THE REDS ARE STILL PROBING ALL ALONG THE LINE TRYING TO FIND A SOFT SPOT FOR THEIR LONG-HERALDED ATTACK.

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AP35FX
FIRST LEAD LANDING

TOKYO, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE NAVY SAID TODAY SOUTH KOREAN MARINES LANDED FRIDAY BEHIND ENEMY LINES ON THE SOUTH KOREAN COAST AND CAPTURED THE TOWN OF TONGYONG, KILLING MORE THAN 200 ENEMY TROOPS.

THE LANDING WAS MADE NEAR TONGYONG, ON A PENINSULA SOUTHEAST OF RED-HELD CHINJU.

A FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS RELEASE SAID THE MARINE LANDING WAS MADE UNDER COVER OF REPUBLIC OF KOREA NAVY GUNS AND ATTEMPTS OF THE REDS TO ESCAPE BY SEA WERE THWARTED BY SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL UNITS.

TONGYONG IS A SHORT DISTANCE FROM KOJE ISLAND, IN THE EAST CHINA SEA 25 MILES SOUTHWEST OF PUSAN.

LW1208APD NM

AP33FX
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POHANG (120)
BY DON WHITEHEAD

ON THE POHANG FRONT IN KOREA, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT TWO RED KOREAN DIVISIONS WERE MAULED, A COMMUNIST DRIVE TOWARD TAEGU HAD BEEN BROKEN AND THE ENEMY WAS ROUTED IN ONE OF THE MAJOR VICTORIES OF THE KOREAN WAR.

A SPOKESMAN SAID THE REDS WERE DEFEATED IN A TWO-DAY BATTLE IN THE POHANG AREA AND DRIVEN BACK 12 MILES NORTH OF POHANG, PORT ON THE EAST COAST.

"WE HAVE WON A MAJOR VICTORY," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT NINE DAYS AGO TWO RED DIVISIONS--THE FIFTH AND SEVENTH PLUS SEVERAL UNITS, IN ALL 30,000 TROOPS--BEGAN ATTACKING TOWARD KYONGJU, SOUTHWEST OF POHANG.

THE REDS PLANNED TO SPLIT THEIR FORCE ON REACHING KYONGJU, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, SENDING ONE TOWARD TAEGU AND THE OTHER TOWARD PUSAN.

BUT TWO DAYS AGO THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL DIVISION AND THREE REGIMENTS COUNTER-ATTACKED. ONE REGIMENT OUTFLANKED THE REDS AND CUT THEIR SUPPLY LINES.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE TOWNS OF POHANG AND KIGYE NOW ARE SAFE AND THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE RETIRED NORTHWARD TO YONGDOK, APPARENTLY TO REGROUP.

AMERICANS HOLD THE AIRFIELD SOUTHEAST OF POHANG AND REPORTEDLY ARE USING THE STRIP OPERATIONALLY.

THE SOUTH KOREANS CAPTURED CONSIDERABLE MATERIEL INCLUDING RIFLES PREVIOUSLY SEIZED FROM AMERICANS.

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THEY USED THE REDS' OWN TACTICS. ONE REGIMENT SWUNG WIDE TO HIT THE ENEMY SPEARHEAD AND GET BEHIND THE MAIN FORCE. THEN THE NORTH KOREAN FORCE WAS SQUEEZED FROM BOTH SIDES, WITH AMERICAN HEAVY ARTILLERY, TANKS AND AIR SUPPORT.

"THE AMERICANS DID A WONDERFUL JOB," THE SOUTH KOREAN SPOKESMAN SAID.

WN357APD

A23FX
(260)

POHANG FRONT, KOREA, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE SOUTH KOREAN ARM REPORTED A "MAJOR VICTORY" NEAR POHANG TODAY, STATING IT HAD MAULED AND ROUTED 30,000 COMMUNIST TROOPS IN A TWO-DAY BATTLE.

A SOUTH KOREAN SPOKESMAN SAID THE REDS HAD BEEN DRIVEN BACK 12 MILES NORTH OF POHANG ON THE EAST COAST AND THIS HAD BROKEN UP AN ENEMY DRIVE TOWARDS TAEGU, IMPORTANT ALLIED BASE CITY 45 MILES WEST OF POHANG.

"WE HAVE WON A MAJOR VICTORY," THE SPOKESMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE. HE CREDITED AMERICAN AIR SUPPORT AND ARMOR AND ARTILLERY ON THE SIDES WITH DOING A "WONDERFUL JOB" OF ASSISTANCE.

HE SAID THE NORTH KOREANS BEGAN ATTACKING NINE DAYS AGO WITH TWO DIVISIONS--THE FIFTH AND SEVENTH--PLUS AUXILIARY UNITS TO MAKE A TOTAL OF 30,000 MEN.

THE REDS AIMED TOWARDS KYONGJU, 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF POHANG, AND INTENDED ON REACHING THERE TO SEND ONE COLUMN WEST AGAINST TAEGU AND THE OTHER SOUTH TOWARDS PUSAN, MAIN AMERICAN BASE IN KOREA.

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THE ENEMY DID NOT MAKE IT, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, BECAUSE OF A COUNTERATTACK BEGUN TWO DAYS AGO THE SOUTH BY KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION PLUS THREE REGIMENTS (EQUAL TO ANOTHER DIVISION)
ONE REGIMENT OUTFLANKED THE ENEMY, GOT BEHIND THE MAIN BODY AND CUT SUPPLY LINES, USING THE VERY TACTICS THAT THE REDS THEMSELVES HAVE EMPLOYED SO OFTEN IN THE PAST, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.
ON A SINGLE LARGE HILL, 3,800 REDS WERE DRIVEN OFF OR KILLED AND MUCH AMERICAN EQUIPMENT WAS RECAPTURED FROM THE ENEMY, HE ADDED.
AS A RESULT, THE INVADERS WERE FORCED TO RETREAT A DOZEN MILES NORTHWARD TOWARDS YONGDOK, AND THE TOWNS OF POHANG AND KIGYE ARE NOW SAFE, THE SPOKESMAN DECLARED.
THE AMERICANS STILL HOLD THE AIRSTRIP SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG AND ARE REPORTED USING IT OPERATIONALLY AGAIN.
BP1039APD

A169FX
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FIRST LEAD KOREAN AERIAL
TOKYO,MONDAY,AUG.21-(AP)-ALLIED NAVAL PLANES SWEPT OVER NORTH KOREA SUNDAY, SHOOTING UP COMMUNICATIONS, THE NAVY ANNOUNCED TODAY. OTHER PLANES, TEAMED WITH UNITED NATIONS INFANTRY AND ARTILLERY, SLAUGHTERED HUNDREDS OF RED TROOPS IN SOUTHWESTERN KOREA.
FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS SAID THE SWEEPS BY NAVY PILOTS OVER NORTH KOREA DESTROYED 36 LOCOMOTIVES AND 47 BOX CARS. THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID MOST OF THE BAG WAS MADE IN THE VICINITY OF PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL.
THE NAVY ALSO REPORTED 22 TRUCKS, SIX WAREHOUSES AND NINE POWER STATIONS WERE SHOT UP.
ON THE BATTLEFRONT IN THE SOUTHWEST, AMERICAN PLANES STRAFED AND BOMBED AN ESTIMATED 5,000 NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS GROUPING FOR AN ATTACK IN A VALLEY NEAR HAMAN.
AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED FROM THAT FRONT THAT ALTHOUGH THE REDS STILL HELD ON TO TWO PIECES OF HIGH GROUND, AT LEAST 1,350 ENEMY BODIES WERE COUNTED AND HUNDREDS OF OTHER COMMUNISTS UNDOUBTEDLY DIED FROM THE COMBINED AIR, ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY BLOWS.
ALSO ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT CARRIED-BASED MARINE FIGHTERS BLASTED AN AMMUNITION DUMP NORTH OF CHINJU, STARTING A SERIES OF EXPLOSIONS THAT LASTED MORE THAN 10 MINUTES. CHINJU IS APPROXIMATELY 28 AIR MILES WEST OF MASAN.
ON THE EAST COAST, 70 AIR MILES NORTH OF PUSAN, AUSTRALIAN MUSTANGS, DESPITE BAD WEATHER, STRAFED AND BOMBED NORTH KOREAN TARGETS SUNDAY. THEY HIT COMMUNIST TROOPS ON A RIDGE AT HUNGHAE AND ROCKETED A SUPPLY DUMP AT NEARBY ANJANG.

A44FX
THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE REPORTED ITS FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS SATURDAY HAD "ONE OF THE MOST INTENSE PERIODS OF AIR ACTIVITY SINCE THE BEGINNING OF CONTINUOUS AIR FORCE SUPPORT OPERATIONS 55 DAYS AGO."
FEAF HEADQUARTERS SAID THAT THE AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN AIR ASSAULTS WERE LED BY A FLEET OF MORE THAN 90 B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES.
DETAILING SATURDAY'S ACTIVITIES, THE FEAF SAID THE B-29S DROPPED NEARLY 800 TONS OF BOMBS ON THREE GROUPS OF TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA, CAUSING "EXTENSIVE DAMAGE."
SIXTY SUPERFORTS BLASTED DEEP-WATER DOCKING FACILITIES, MARSHALLING YARDS AND THE FORMER MITSUBISHI STEEL WORKS AT CHONGJIN, ON KOREA'S NORTHEASTERN COAST.

THE COMMUNIST RADIO AT PYONGYANG, CAPITAL OF NORTH KOREA, SAID TONIGHT THAT RED ANTI-AIRCRAFT BATTERIES WERE INFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES ON AMERICAN PLANES WHICH "ARE BARBARIOUSLY BOMBING VILLAGES AND PEACEFUL CITIES."
THE BROADCAST, HEARD IN TOKYO, CLAIMED TWO B-29 WERE SHOT DOWN AT WONSAN AND SEOUL, AND SEVEN FIGHTER PLANES WERE DOWNED IN THE SEOUL AREA IN THE PAST FEW DAYS.
FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80 AND F-51 FIGHTERS FLEW MORE THAN 260 SORTIES, GIVING AIR SUPPORT TO ALLIED GROUND TROOPS IN SOUTH KOREA.

A45FX
LIGHT B-26 BOMBERS AND MARINE FIGHTERS ATTACKED TROOP CONVOYS AND RAIL AND HIGHWAY TARGETS BEHIND THE ENEMY LINES.
A DIVE-BOMBING ATTACK BY NAVY PLANES SCORED EIGHT DIRECT HITS ON A VITAL RAILROAD BRIDGE AT SEOUL FRIDAY, LEAVING IT "ZIGZAGGING."
THE TASK FORCE 77 PILOTS, IN CARRIER-BASED SKYRAIDERS, CORSAIRS AND PANTHER JETS, FLEW 142 SORTIES HITTING MILITARY TARGETS FROM HAEJU, ON THE WEST COAST A FEW MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, TO SUNCHON ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN COAST.
TWO 100-TON MOTOR COASTERS AT KUNSAN, ON THE WEST COAST OF SOUTH KOREA, WERE SUNK BY BRITISH CARRIER-BASED AIRCRAFT OPERATING WITH THE WEST COAST BLOCKADE FORCE.
BP1214APD

AP47FX
TOKYO, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN PYONGYANG RADIO SAID TODAY RED ANTIAIRCRAFT BATTERIES SHOT DOWN TWO B-29S AT WONSAN AND SEOUL AND SEVEN FIGHTER PLANES AT SEOUL AND KAESONG IN THE PAST FEW DAYS.
THE BROADCAST, MONITORED HERE, SAID THE ACK-ACK BATTERIES WERE INFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES ON AMERICAN PLANES WHICH "ARE BARBARIOUSLY BOMBING VILLAGES AND PEACEFUL CITIES."
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~~TOKY~~O, AUG. 20-(AP)-DESPITE HEAVY WEATHER AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG FIGHTERS ROARED OUT TODAY IN STRAFING AND BOMBING ATTACKS ON NORTH KOREAN BATTLEFRONT INSTALLATIONS.
THE AUSSIE FIGHTERS HIT ENEMY TROOPS ON A RIDGE NEAR HUNGHAE AFTER REFUELING THE MUSTANGS SET OFF FOR ANJANG WHERE THE AUSSIES BOMBED TWO ARTILLERY PIECES AND ROCKETED A SUPPLY DUMP.
ONE F-51 WAS DAMAGED SLIGHTLY BY FLAK.
JL703APD NM

AP32
BY WILLIAM JORDEN
TOKYO, AUG.20-(AP)-BRITISH NAVY PLANES, OPERATING FROM A CARRIER OFF THE WEST COAST, SANK TWO NORTH-KOREAN CARGO VESSELS YESTERDAY AT KUNSAN NEAR THE 36TH PARALLEL, NAVY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.
BRITISH CARRIER PLANES ALSO SANK ONE MOTOR JUNK AND SET FIRE TO A JUNK AND A LAUNCH AT INCHON, SEOUL'S PORT CITY.
IN SOUTHWEST KOREA, BRITISH FLYERS STRAFED SMALL CRAFT AT MOKPO. BACK AT KUNSAN, ROYAL NAVY PLANES BADLY DAMAGED A WAREHOUSE AND STRAFED RAILWAY BOX CARS.
RH647AED NM

A183FX
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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 21-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAVE INFLICTED MORE THAN 3,500 CASUALTIES ON KOREAN COMMUNISTS IN PUSHING THE REDS BACK AROUND KUMHWA, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY.

THE NORTHWARD PUSH AGAINST THE REDS HAS REGAINED IN HEAVY FIGHTING ALL GROUND PREVIOUSLY LOST TO THE NORTH KOREANS, HEADQUARTERS SAID.

AN OPERATIONAL SUMMARY ISSUED AT 2:30 P.M. (11:30 P.M., E.S.T., SUNDAY) REPORTED ON ACTION FOR THE PAST 72 HOURS ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, MAJOR U.N.BASE. KUMHWA IS 12 MILES NORTH-NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE SUMMARY ALSO REPORTED THAT SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS HAVE DRIVEN THE REDS FOUR MILES NORTH OF POHANG, U.N.PORT ON THE EAST COAST. THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY SAID EARLIER THE REDS HAD BEEN PUSHED 12 MILES NORTH OF POHANG. PRESUMABLY THE SOUTH KOREAN REPORT COVERED ACTION LATER THAN THE HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY.

THE SUMMARY SAID THERE WERE INDICATIONS THAT THE NORTH KOREAN SEVENTH DIVISION HAD REINFORCED THE MAULED RED SIXTH DIVISION ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT AROUND CHINJU. IT CONFIRMED EARLIER FIELD DISPATCHES THAT THE REDS APPEARED PREPARING TO MOUNT ANOTHER ATTACK IN THIS AREA AIMED AT THE MAIN U.N.SUPPORT PORT OF PUSAN. PUSAN IS 55 AIR MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

A186FX
THE REDS ATTACKED THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION AROUND KUNWI, 15 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, THE SUMMARY SAID. IT REPORTED NO DECISIVE RESULTS. THERE WAS NO ACTION, IT SAID, ON THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR NEAR WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE SUMMARY SAID THE COMMUNISTS' BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG NEAR HYONPUNG, 15 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, WAS "STILL BEING CONTAINED."

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TOKYO, AUG. 20-(AP)-RED KOREANS PROBED CONTINUOUSLY ALONG AMERICANS LINES IN THE CHINJU-MASAN AREA OF SOUTH KOREA, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TONIGHT IN ITS MIDNIGHT SUMMARY.

FIELD DISPATCHES HAVE REPORTED A BUILDUP OF NORTH KOREANS IN THIS AREA ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT.

THE SUMMARY SAID ELEMENTS OF THE NORTH KOREAN SEVENTH DIVISION HAVE REINFORCED THE BADLY MAULED RED SIXTH DIVISION. IT WAS THE SIXTH THAT TOOK THE BRUNT OF THE U.S. MARINE-DOUGHBOY OFFENSIVE TOWARD CHINJU.

AFTER ADVANCING ALMOST TO CHINJU, U.S. TROOPS WERE PULLED BACK ABOUT 20 MILES AND LARGE UNITS WERE MOVED TO THE CRITICAL NAKTONG RIVER AREA.

RED ACTIVITY WAS REPORTED INCREASING ALSO IN THE WAEGWAN AREA.

ON THE EAST COAST, ALLIED FORCES WHICH EARLIER RECAPTURED POHANG ROLLED NORTHWARD AGAINST VIRTUALLY NO RESISTANCE.

THE SUMMARY SAID THE RAIL YARDS AND DOCK AREA AT POHANG WERE IN GOOD CONDITION.

JL742APD

A188FX
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BY DON HUTH

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, MONDAY, AUG. 21-(AP)-A SOUTH KOREAN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY REPUBLICAN FORCES RETOOK STRATEGIC KOOTONG MOUNTAIN, 12 MILES SOUTHEAST OF UISONG.

UISONG IS ON A HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD THAT RUNS TO BOTH POHANG AND PUSAN.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID ONE REGIMENT WAS DESTROYED AND A DIVISIONAL CHIEF OF STAFF KILLED IN THE ATTACK ON HIS COMMAND POST.

HE PLACED NORTH KOREAN CASUALTIES AT 2,450, INCLUDING THREE OFFICERS.

THE REPUBLICANS REPORTED THREE ENEMY TANKS DESTROYED AND CAPTURE OF SEVEN ANTI-TANKS GUNS, THREE AMMUNITION TRUCKS AND 23 RIFLES.

FT11PPD NM

AP 56

BY DON HUTH

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, MOREA, AUG.20-(AP)-AT LEAST 1,000 KOREAN REDS WERE KILLED BY THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION DURING THURSDAY'S ALLIED COUNTERATTACK, EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

OTHE COMMUNIQUE SAID THERE WAS LITTLE ACTIVITY ON THE FIRST CAVALRY'S FRONT TODAY.

THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION IS CONTINUING ITS ADVANCE NORTHWARD SUPPORTED BY SOME AMERICAN UNITS.

THE SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS IN THE SOUTH REPORTED ALL QUIET ON THEIR FRONT.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID UNITED NATIONS FORCES ON THE EASTERN SECTOR ARE CONTINUING TO ADVANCE.

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FIRST LEAD NEWS BLACKOUT.

TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG 21-(AP)-A VIRTUAL BLACKOUT OF FRESH WAR NEWS FROM KOREA CONTINUED INTO THE THIRD SUCCESSIVE DAY TODAY. RADIO TRANSMISSIONS ACROSS THE PACIFIC WERE KNOCKED OUT INTERMITTENTLY BTATMOSPHERICS TO HAMPE

SIONS ACROSS THE PACIFIC WERE KNOCKED OUT INTERMITTENTLY BY ATMOSPHERICS D HAMPER FURTHER THE FLOW OF NEWS.

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE PROSPECT OF MORE COMMUNICATION FACILITIES FOR WAR CORRESPONDENTS AT ADVANCED AMERICAN HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA.

CORRESPONDENTS NOW ARE RESTRICTED TO ABOUT 60 WORDS APIECE DAILY FOR RELAY TO TOKYO WHENCE CORRESPONDENTS' STORIES ARE RELAYED TO HOME OFFICES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

THE EIGHTH ARMY ANNOUNCED IT HAD INFORMED CORRESPONDENTS "IT WOULD BE ADVISABLE TO FILE ALL COPY AT PUSAN RATHER THAN AT TAEGU IN VIEW OF REDUCED COMMUNICATION FACILITIES INCIDENT TO NEW REQUIREMENTS OF MILITARY PURPOSES AND THE POSSIBILITY COMMUNICATIONS MIGHT BE INTERRUPTED BETWEEN TAEGU AND JAPAN."

THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE NO FURTHER EXPLANATION.

IT SAID NEWSMEN WOULD BE GIVEN "ADEQUATE FACILITIES" FOR TELETYPE TRANSMISSION FROM PUSAN TO TOKYO AND WOULD "ALSO ENJOY USE OF TELEPHONES."

BUT ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH, IN A BRIEF CALL, SAID HE WAS TOLD THE PUSAN TELEPHONE WAS UNAVAILABLE FOR NEWS STORIES BETWEEN 8 A.M.. AND 6 P.M.. DAILY.

AN ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID NEWSMEN WOULD BE PERMITTED A MAXIMUM OF 2,000 WORDS TELETYPE TRANSMISSION FROM TAEGU "ON A POOLED BASIS" AND COULD USE COURIER PLANES.

PRESS TELEPHONES AT ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS WERE REMOVED. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON SAID EIGHTH ARMY OFFICERS GAVE 3.:9,-VINCING

PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON SAID EIGHTH ARMY OFFICERS GAVE "CONVINCING REASONS" FOR THE REMOVAL BUT SAID THE DETAILS COULD NOT BE DISCLOSED.

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THE 30 CORRESPONDENTS AT HEADQUARTERS TURNED DOWN THE POOL OFFER, ERICKSON REPORTED, ON THE GROUND IT "WOULDN'T WORK." AS RESULT, THE CORRESPONDENTS FIGHT TO SHARE THE 2,000 WORDS ON A CATCH-AS-CATCH-CAN BASIS.

ERICKSON SAID THE SITUATION PROBABLY WILL LAST INDEFINITELY.

SOME NEWS IS REACHING TOKYO VIA PUSAN. IT IS TELEPHONED OR SENT THERE BY COURIER.

CORRESPONDENTS OBJECT TO PULLING BACK TO PUSAN BECAUSE THE MAIN NEWS SOURCE FOR ALL FRONTS IS THE ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS. MOST OF THE NEWSPAPERMEN PLAN TO REMAIN.

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ADDING TO THE PROBLEMS OF NEWS COVERAGE HAS BEEN BAD RADIO CONDITIONS BETWEEN KOREA AND TOKYO. SEVERAL TIMES DURING SUNDAY AND MONDAY (SATURDAY AND SUNDAY U.S. TIME) ALL RADIO COMMUNICATIONS WERE BLACKED OUT.

MEANWHILE, JAPANESE RURAL POLICE SAID 25 FEET HAD BEEN CUT FROM TWO CABLES IN JAPAN EAST OF OSAKA. THE CUT WAS MADE SATURDAY NIGHT, APPARENTLY BY WIRE THIEVES.

MILITARY OPERATORS IN TOKYO SAID SUNDAY THEY WERE REFUSING PRESS CALLS TO TAEGU "UNTIL THE CABLE IS RESTORED," BUT THIS DID NOT AFFECT THE PROBLEM OF THE CORRESPONDENTS IN KOREA. THE MILITARY TELETYPE FROM KOREA WAS ON A CABLE THAT WAS NOT AFFECTED, ACCORDING TO BRIG.GEN.GEORGE I.BACK, SIGNAL OFFICER FOR TOKYO HEADQUARTERS.

JAPANESE POLICE WERE INVESTIGATING THE POSSIBILITY OF SABOTAGE IN THE CABLE CUTTING, BUT SAID THIEVES APPARENTLY WERE TO BLAME. SUCH THEFTS HAVE OCCURRED PERIODICALLY.

BP953APD NM

A166FX

(450)

BY LEIF ERICKSON.

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG 20-(DELAYED)-(AP)-LT. GENERAL WALTON H. WALKER'S UNITED NATIONS FORCES LAST WEEK WIPED OUT THE REDS NAKTONG BULGE BRIDGEHEAD AND CHECKED A KOREAN COMMUNIST PUSH ON TAEGU FROM THE NORTH.

BOTH WERE IMPORTANT SUCCESSES. THEY WERE SMARTLY EXECUTED, MUCH IN THE FASHION OF WALKER'S WORLD WAR II SUCCESSES AS COMMANDER OF THE FAMED ARMORED "GHOST CORPS" OF GENERAL PATTON'S THIRD ARMY.

UP AGAINST A STRONGER FOE, WALKER MADE QUICK, WELL-PLANNED SHIFTS OF AVAILABLE TROOPS TO HIT THE ENEMY--AND HARD--WHERE HE LEAST EXPECTED IT. THESE QUICK MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS HAVE PAID OFF IN BLUNTING AND THEN HURLING BACK THE ENEMY'S BIGGER TROOP COLUMNS.

WALKER'S DEFT, DEFENSIVE MANEUVERING HAS BEEN STRICTLY UNORTHODOX.

IN THE NAKTONG BULGE VICTORY, WALKER ORDERED THE SECOND MAJOR AMERICAN ATTACK OF THE KOREAN WAR. THE JOB WAS GIVEN TO THE FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT AND THE WEARY, THINNED U.S. 24TH DIVISION. IN JUST THREE DAYS THE AMERICANS BLASTED THE BRIDGEHEAD, DESTROYING THE FOURTH RED KOREAN DIVISION AND DRIVING ITS STRAGGLERS BACK ACROSS THE RIVER.

THE FIRST DAY OF THE MARINE ATTACK SENT THE ENEMY REELING BACKWARDS. THE DEVILDOGS TOOK A HEAVY TOLL. BY THE SECOND DAY THE ENEMY'S RETREAT WAS ALMOST A ROUT.

THE VICTORY--THE AMERICAN FOOT SOLDIERS' GREATEST OF THE WAR--COST THE REDS THOUSANDS OF TROOPS.

FOR THIS BATTLE, WALKER HAD PULLED THE U.S. MARINES OUT OF THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR WHERE THEY HAD DRIVEN ALMOST TO CHINJU.

THIS SOUTHERN OFFENSIVE--THE FIRST MAJOR ONE OF THE WAR--ENDED WITH DESTRUCTION OF A GOOD PART OF THE SIXTH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION. IT ALSO SMASHED A GRAVE THREAT TO THE VITAL AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN, 55 MILES EAST OF CHINJU.

ON THE NORTHERN FRONT, THE NORTH KOREANS MASSED FOR A DRIVE ON TAEGU, THE IMPORTANT SUPPLY HUB NEAR THE FRONT AND FORMER PROVISIONAL CAPITAL OF THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT.

BEFORE THE ENEMY WAS THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION. IT NEEDED HELP. WALKER ORDERED HIS "FIRE BRIGADE"--THE 27TH REGIMENT, COMMANDED BY COL. JOHN H. MICHAELIS--INTO THE LINE.

THE ALLIED FORCE STOPPED THE REDS WITHIN 10 MILES OF TAEGU.

IT WAS OLD STUFF FOR MICHAELIS' MEN. THEY HAD DONE THE SAME BEFORE WHEN THEY HAD RACED FROM THE NORTH TO THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR TO PLUG UP A HOLE BEFORE CHINJU.

BUT WALKER HASN'T CLOSED EVERY HOLE IN THE ALLIED BOX-LIKE DEFENSE LINE IN TIME. POHANG ON THE EAST COAST FELL BEFORE REINFORCEMENTS COULD BE SHIFTED. BUT THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY'S FAST MOVING 17TH REGIMENT MOVED IN AND POHANG IS BACK IN ALLIED HANDS, WITH THE REDS DRIVEN BACK NORTHWARD.

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STILL THE MOST CRITICAL FRONT IS THE NORTH BEFORE TAEGU ON THE KUMHWA ROAD. TAEGU IS IMPORTANT AS A MILITARY BASE AND SUPPLY CENTER AND MORE IMPORTANT PSYCHOLOGICALLY TO THE SOUTH KOREAN PEOPLE'S MORALE. ITS LOSS WOULD BE A SHOCK TO THE SOUTH KOREA REFUGEE GOVERNMENT.

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WITH THE U.S.EIGHTH ARMY IN KOREA, (VIA TELEPHONE TO TOKYO)-MONDAY, AUG.21-(AP)-RED ARTILLERY SHELLED TAEGU AGAIN DURING THE NIGHT. PREVIOUS FIRE HAS BEEN MAINLY DIRECTED AT THE RAILROAD STATION BUT LAST NIGHT'S WAS SCATTERED OVER THE WEST SIDE OF TOWN.

AT LEAST SEVEN ROUNDS WERE FIRED.

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PRECEDE SINGAPORE

HONG KONG, MONDAY, AUG. 21-(AP)-APPROXIMATELY 1,500 BRITISH TROOPS ARE "PACKING UP NOW" TO JOIN UNITED NATINS FORCES IN KOREA, IT WAS LEARNED OFFICIALLY TODAY.

THE INFORMANT IDENTIFIED THE TROOPS WHO WILL BE SENT FROM HERE AS THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE ARGYLE AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS AND THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT. BOTH OF THESE ARE CRACK REGIMENTS. THE TROOPS WILL REINFORCE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES NOW BATTLING THE NORTH KOREANS.

BRITAIN ANNOUNCED EARLY THIS MONTH SHE WOULD SEND A FORCE OF ABOUT 5,000 TROOPS TO THE BATTLE AREA AS SOON AS A "SELF-CONTAINED UNIT" OF INFANTRY TANKS, ARTILLERY AND ENGINEERS COULD BE WHIPPED INTO SHAPE. BRITISH NAVAL AND AIR UNITS ALREADY ARE AIDING U.N. FORCES IN KOREA.

GEN.SIR JOHN HARDING, COMMANDER OF THE BRITISH FAR EAST LAND FORCES, SAID YESTERDAY IN SINGAPORE THAT THE FIRST CONTINGENT OF BRITISH TROOPS WOULD BE SENT FROM HONG KONG TO KOREA "IMMEDIATELY."

THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE WILTSHIRES IS NOW EN ROUTE FROM BRITAIN ABOARD THE EMPIRE TROOPER, EXPECTED TO ARRIVE HERE SEPT. 7. ALSO, A SQUADRON OF THE FOURTH HUSSARS, A DETACHMENT OF GURKHAS, AND ARMORED CAR PERSONNEL OF UNDISCLOSED NUMBER, NOW TRAINING IN MALAYA, ARE EXPECTED IN HONG KONG "SOMETIME IN SEPTEMBER."

THE ARMY SPOKESMAN HERE SAID THE TROOPS FROM HONG KONG FOR KOREA WILL COMPRISE TWO-THIRDS OF THE 27TH BRIGADE OF THE 40TH DIVISION ND WILL BE LED BY BRIG.B.A.COAD. THEY ARE EXPECTED TO LEAVE HERE "AS SOON AS SHIPPING IS MADE AVAILABLE." THE EXACT POINT TO WHICH THEY WILL BE SENT PROBABLY WILL NOT BE DISCLOSED, SINCE "ALL MILITARY MOVEMENTS ARE NOW SECRET," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE ONLY OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT RELEASED HERE SAID: "IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA FOR THE DISPATCH OF REINFORCEMENTS WITHOUT DELAY, THE UNITED KINGDOM HAS DECIDED TO DISPATCH INFANTRY FORCES FROM HONG KONG TO KOREA IMMEDIATELY.

"THE UNITS DISPATCHED FROM HONG KONG WILL BE REPLACED DURING THE FIRST HALF OF SEPTEMBER BY THE WILTSHIRE REGIMENT, NOW EN ROUTE FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM, AND BY CERTAIN GURKHA UNITS OF FULLY TRAINED FIGHTING MEN NOW UNDERGOING ENGINEER TRAINING IN MALAYA. ONE ARMORED CAR SQUADRON IS ALSO BEING SENT FROM MALAYA TO HONG KONG."

THE TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS MARKED FOR KOREA COMPRISE APPROXIMATELY 80 PER CENT OF THIS COLONY'S FIGHTING ARMY STRENGTH. ALTHOUGH THERE ARE ROUGHLY 30,000 SOLDIERS HERE NOW, BEST ESTIMATES ARE THAT ONLY ABOUT 8,000 ARE COMBAT TROOPS.

IT IS RELIABLY UNDERSTOOD THAT THE ARMY IS PLANNING TO CHARTER A COMMERCIAL SHIP TO CARRY THE HONG KONG TROOPS TO JAPAN OR PUSAN OR ELSEWHERE ON KOREA AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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THE BRITISH NAVY HERE NOW HAS THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER UNICORN, THE CRUISER CEYLON, THE DESTROYERS CONCORD AND COSSACK AND SEVERAL FRIGATES. BUT COMMODORE L.N.BROWNFIELD IN HONG KONG SAID "THIS IS STRICTLY THE ARMY'S AFFAIR," AND CURRENT INDICATIONS MAKE THE NAVY'S PARTICIPATION IN TRANSPORTING ANY TROOPS TO KOREA APPEAR EXTREMELY UNLIKELY.

IN LONDON INFORMED SOURCES SAID THE INFANTRY BEING MOVED FROM HONG KONG TO KOREA COULD BE IN ACTION IN "LESS THAN TWO WEEKS."

SAID GEN.HARDING'S BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENT:

"IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA FOR DISPATCH OF REINFORCEMENTS WITHOUT DELAY, THE UNITED KINGDOM GOVERNMENT HAVE DECIDED TO SEND AN INFANTRY FORCE FROM HONG KONG TO KOREA IMMEDIATELY.

"REPLACEMENTS FOR UNITS COMPRISING THIS FORCE WILL SHORTLY ARRIVE IN HONG KONG."

HE SAID THAT THE UNITS BEING SENT TO KOREA FROM HONG KONG WILL BE REPLACED BY THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE WILTSHIRE REGIMENT, NOW EN ROUTE FROM ENGLAND, AND BY "CERTAIN GURKHA UNITS NOW UNDERGOING ENGINEER TRAINING IN MALAYA. ONE ARMORED CAR SQUADRON IS ALSO BEING SENT FROM MALAYA TO HONG KONG."

THE REPLACEMENTS WILL REACH HONG KONG DURING THE FIRST HALF OF NEXT MONTH.

GEN.HARDING SAID THE TRANSFER OF TROOPS FROM MALAYA TO HONG KONG WILL NOT AFFECT THE BRITISH EFFORTS TO SUBDUE COMMUNIST TERRORISTS IN MALAYA, SINCE THE GURKHA UNIT WAS "IN TRAINING AND NOT FIGHTING."

THE BRITISH AIRCRAFT CARRIER WARRIOR LEFT PORTSMOUTH TODAY WITH REINFORCEMENTS FOR BRITISH SHIPS FIGHTING OFF KOREA. IT FOLLOWED THE CARRIER THESEUS WHICH LEFT ON FRIDAY. BOTH ARE 13,350-TON VESSELS CARRYING BETWEEN 40 AND 45 PLANES EACH.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M., EST, TONIGHT, SUNDAY, AUG.20)

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BULLETIN

BY WILLIAM SHINN

A SOUTH KOREAN NAVY BASE, AUG. 20-(AP)-SOUTH KOREAN MARINES AND NAVAL FORCES LANDED TODAY ON YONGHUNG ISLAND SOUTHWEST OF INCHON, THE PORT OF SEOUL ON THE YELLOW SEA. IT WAS THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN AMPHIBIOUS OPERATION BEHIND RED KOREAN LINES IN THREE DAYS.

FIGHTING WAS REPORTED IN PROGRESS.

YONGHUNG ISLAND IS ABOUT 18 MILES EAST OF TOKCHOK ISLAND WHICH SOUTH KOREAN MARINES CAPTURED THURSDAY.

BRITISH NAVAL FORCES SUPPORTED THE TOKCHOK LANDING.

THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN LANDING WAS MADE ALONG THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA ON A JUTTING PENINSULA OPPOSITE THE LARGE ISLAND OF KOJE SOUTHWEST OF PUSAN.

SOUTH KOREAN MARINES LANDED FRIDAY NEAR TONGYONG TOWN. REINFORCEMENTS LANDED SUNDAY MORNING.

ADM.SON WON IL, SOUTH KOREAN CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, SAID THE KOREAN MARINES CAPTURED TONGYONG AND SMASHED ONE RED BATTALIOC.

BUT TWO NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS WERE REPORTED MOVING TOWARD THE TONGYONG AREA, HE ADDED.

LT.CMDR. D.C. HOLLEY, AMERICAN ADVISER TO THE KOREAN NAVY, SAID THE LANDING WAS MADE TO PREVENT ANY COMMUNIST ATTACK ON KOJE ISLAND TO THE EAST.

KOREAN NAVAL SOURCES SAID THE OTHER TWO LANDINGS ON THE WEST COAST ISLANDS NEAR INCHON ARE DESIGNED TO GIVE THE SOUTH KOREANS BASES FROM WHICH TO HARASS ENEMY SHIPPING.

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BY STAN SWINTON

ON THE SOUTHWEST FRONT IN KOREA, AUG.20-(AP)-AMERICAN INFANTRY, ARTILLERY AND FIGHTER-BOMBERS MADE ONE OF THE GREAT KILLS OF THE WAR ON THIS FRONT TODAY.

AT LEAST 1,350 ENEMY BODIES WERE COUNTED AND HUNDREDS OF OTHER NORTH KOREANS UNDOUBTEDLY DIED AS THEY PAID IN BLOOD FOR TWO MINOR HEIGHTS THEY HAD CAPTURED NEAR HAMAN AND STILL HELD AGAINST AMERICAN COUNTERATTACKS.

AMERICAN PLANES FLEW 31 SORTIES AGAINST THE SIXTH NORTH KOREAN REGIMENT TO PROTECT THE AMERICAN 35TH REGIMENT AND FLEW ANOTHER 28 SORTIES IN AID OF A COMPANY OF THE NEGRO 24TH REGIMENT WHICH A RED BATTALION HAD SURROUNDED.

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OTHER NEGRO TROOPS COUNTERATTACKED AT NIGHTFALL TO AID THE SURROUNDED COMPANY, WHICH WAS DUG IN BEHIND BARBED WIRE.

BOTH ARTILLERY AND PLANES MEANWHILE HAD A FIELD DAY AGAINST THE REDS.

CAPT. FRANK LAMOTHE, OF 2221 NAPOLEON AVE., NEW ORLEANS, LA., SAID ONE RED FORCE THAT HE ESTIMATED AT 5,000 MEN WAS HIT JUST AS IT MASSED IN A VALLEY READY TO ATTACK.

"WE SLAUGHTERED THEM," HE SAID. "AFTER JUST ONE AIR STRIKE OUR OBSERVATION POST COUNTED 200 DEAD OUT OF A GROUP OF 500.

"I FOUGHT ALL THROUGH EUROPE BUT NEVER SAW SUCH A SLAUGHTER."

ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE FRONT, SOUTH KOREAN MARINES WHO MADE A SURPRISE LANDING AT TONGYONG FRIDAY REPORTED THEY HAD KILLED 350 NORTH KOREANS, CAPTURED 37, AND CAPTURED TWELVE 120-MILLIMETER CANNON, 1,300 HAND GRENADES, TWO TRUCKS, TWO HOWITZERS, 19 HEAVY MACHINE GUNS, 23 TOMMY GUNS AND 83 RIFLES.

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TOKYO,MONDAY.AUG.21-(AP)-ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF GEN. J. LAWTON COLLINS AND CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS ADM. FOREST P. SHERMAN ARRIVED IN TOKYO TODAY FOR CONFERENCES ON THE KOREAN WAR.

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THE TWO TOP MILITARY PLANNERS WILL CONSULT WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR AND MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF. THERE WAS NO INDICATION HOW LONG THE TWO MEMBERS OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF WOULD REMAIN IN TOKYO OR WHETHER THEY WOULD GO TO THE WAR ZONE.

GENERAL MACARTHUR MET THE CHIEFS WHEN THEY ARRIVEED WITH A PARTY OF NAVY, AIR FORCE AND ARMY OFFICERS AT HANEDA AIRPORT.

ALSO ON HAND TO MEET THEM WERE:

ADM.A.W.RADFORD, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE PACIFIC FLEET; LT. GEN. L.C.SHEPHERD, COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC; LT.GEN. GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, COMMANDING THE U.S. AIR FORCE IN THE FAR EAST; VICE. ADM. CHARLES T. JOY, COMMANDER OF NAVAL FORCES IN THE FAR EAST; REAR ADM. GEORGE W. HENDERSON, COMMANDER OF FLEET AIR, JAPAN; REAR ADM.F.C.DENEBRINK, COMMANDER OF SERVICE FORCES, PACIFIC FLEET; AND MAJ.GEN.E.M. ALMOND, MACARTHUR'S CHIEF OF STAFF.

TRAVELING WITH COLLINS AND SHERMAN WERE TWO LEADING AIR FORCE OFFICERS--LT.GEN.I.H.EDWARDS, DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR OPERATIONS, AND MAJ.GEN.HARRY G. ARMSTRONG, AIR SURGEON;--AND REAR ADM.R.P. BRISCO, ASSISTANT CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS.

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BY STAN SWINTON (190)

ON THE SOUTHWEST KOREAN FRONT, AUG.19-(DELAYED)-(AP)-ON THE BODIES OF SOME DEAD NORTH KOREAN TROOPS, U.S.35TH REGIMENT INFANTRYMEN TODAY FOUND BUNDLES OF ENGLISH-LANGUAGE LEAFLETS INVITING AMERICANS TO SURRENDER AND PROMISING FINE TREATMENT.

THE SLAIN REDS APPARENTLY HAD BEEN ASSIGNED TO SPREAD THE LEAFLETS BEHIND THE LINES. THE AMERICANS LAUGHED AT THE EFFORT.

ONLY A FEW HOURS EARLIER THEY HAD RECEIVED FROM A KOREAN AN EYEWITNESS ACCOUNT OF HOW CAPTURED AMERICANS ARE TREATED.

THIS KOREAN SAID THE REDS CAPTURED SEVEN AMERICANS WHO WERE SLEEPING A FIELD, BEAT THEM AND FINALLY SHOT THEM TO DEATH WHEN THEY REFUSED TO DIVULGE THEIR UNIT POSITIONS. HIS STORY WAS NOT CONFIRMED, AND THE LOCATION WAS NOT GIVEN, BUT THE ACCOUNT CONFORMS WITH AUTHENTICATED CASES OF OTHER RED ATROCITIES.

THE RED PROPAGANDA LEAFLETS, IN STARTLING CONTRAST, INCLUDED A PICTURE OF A PRETTY KOREAN GIRL MAKING UP A COT FOR AN AMERICAN PRISONER AND A PICTURE OF PRISONERS LOUNGING "IN THEIR READING ROOM."

THERE ALSO WAS A CRUDELY-RETOUCHED PICTURE PURPORTING TO SHOW AMERICAN PRISONERS PARADING WITH BANNERS CALLING ON AMERICA TO CEASE "INTERFERING IN KOREAN INTERNAL AFFAIRS."

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BY STANLEY RICH.

HONG KONG, MONDAY, AUG 21-(AP)-COMMUNIST CHINA'S FOREIGN MINISTER CABLED THE UNITED NATIONS YESTERDAY THAT THE "KOREAN QUESTION MUST AND CAN BE SOLVED PEACEFULLY," THE RED NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY.

THIS WAS BELIEVED HERE TO BE THE FIRST OFFICIAL CHINESE COMMUNIST PRONOUNCEMENT ON KOREA.

FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI'S MESSAGE TO U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE AND RUSSIAN SECURITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT JAKOB A. MALIK FOLLOWED THE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA LINE ON THE KOREA ISSUE BY:

(1) ACCUSING THE UNITED STATES OF INSTIGATING THE WAR IN KOREA.

(2) SUPPORTING MALIK'S RESOLUTION IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL ASKING FOR PEACEFUL MEDIATION ON COMMUNIST TERMS.

(3) DEMANDING THAT COMMUNIST CHINA BE REPRESENTED ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR DISCUSSION OF THE KOREAN QUESTION.

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CHOU'S MESSAGE WAS REPORTED IN THE CHINESE COMMUNIST NEWS AGENCY'S DISPATCHES TO THE PRO-RED NEWSPAPERS WEN WEI PAO AND TA KUNG PAO.

THE AGENCY QUOTED THE FOREIGN MINISTER--WHO ALSO IS RED CHINA'S PREMIER--AS SAYING:

"KOREA, BEING CHINA'S NEIGHBOR, THE CHINESE PEOPLE COULD NOT BUT FEEL CONCERN OVER A SOLUTION OF THE KOREAN PROBLEM."

CHOU'S MESSAGE, THE AGENCY SAID, BLAMED THE UNITED STATES FOR "DELAYING TACTICS" IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL. THIS IS THE CHARGE ALSO MADE BY THE U.S.AND OTHER U.N.MEMBERS AGAINST MALIK, COUNCIL PRESIDENT FOR THIS MONTH.

THE DISPATCHES SAID CHOU ALSO "DENOUNCED AMERICA FOR CREATING THE KOREAN INCIDENT, FOR ATTEMPTING TO BROADEN THE SCOPE OF ARMED CONFLICT FOR AGGRESSION IN KOREA AND TAIWAN (FORMOSA), AND FOR BLOCKING A PEACEFUL SOLUTION OF THE KOREAN WAR."

THESE CHARGESN HURLED REPEATEDLY BY THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO IN PROPAGANDA BROADCASTS, ARE ALONG THE SAME LINE TAKEN BY MALIK BEFORE THE SECURITY COUNCIL. THE SECURITY COUNCIL ORDERED U.N. FORCES TO AID SOUTH KOREA BECAUSE THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS INVADED THE REPUBLIC.

CHOU, THE DISPATCHES SAID, ALSO SUPPORTED A PROTEST BY THE NORTH KOREAN FOREIGN MINISTER AGAINST THE "SAVAGE BOMBING OF PEACEFUL INHABITANTS IN KOREAN CITIES." THE KOREAN REDS HAVE YET TO MENTION MILITARY INSTALLATIONS OR COMMUNICATIONS BOMBED BY UNITED NATIONS PLANES, ONLY "CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS," SCHOOLS AND THE LIKE.

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NEHRU BUDGET

BY MARC PURDUE

NEW DELHI, AUG.20-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU HAS BEEN INVITED TO PEIPING BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND IS SERIOUSLY THINKING OF ACCEPTING IN ORDER TO PUSH INDIA'S CAMPAIGN TO END THE FIGHTING IN KOREA.

THIS WAS DISCLOSED TODAY BY OFFICIAL SOURCES. THEY DID NOT SAY THAT THE INVITATION WAS CONNECTED WITH THE KOREAN CONFLICT BUT MADE CLEAR NEHRU VIEWS IT AS A POSSIBLE OPPORTUNITY TO FURTHER EFFORTS TOWARD A PEACEFUL KOREAN SETTLEMENT.

THESE SOURCES SAID NEHRU, WHO HAS NOT YET REPLIED TO THE INVITATION, EITHER WILL GO TO PEIPING OR WILL LEAD AN INDIAN DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY NEXT MONTH. HE WILL TAKE THE COURSE THAT SEEMS THE MORE PRACTICABLE MEANS OF HELPING TO RESOLVE THE DETERIORATING INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

INDIA SUGGESTED AT LAKE SUCCESS A WEEK AGO THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL ENTRUST TO ITS SIX SMALL-NATION MEMBERS THE TASK OF DRAFTING A KOREAN PEACE PLAN.

THIS PROPOSAL, BY INDIA'S CHIEF DELEGATE, BENEGAL N.RAU, WOULD HAVE THE REPRESENTATIVES OF INDIA, YUGOSLAVIA, CUBA, EGYPT, NORWAY AND ECUADOR ACT AS A SORT OF "LITTLE SECURITY COUNCIL" WITH POWERS TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE FULL COUNCIL.

THUS FAR ONLY YUGOSLAVIA AND FRANCE HAVE EXPRESSED SUPPORT OF THE PLAN, WHICH STILL IS NOT IN PRINT. OTHER NATIONS HAVE REFRAINED FROM COMMITTING THEMSELVES UNTIL DETAILS ARE MADE KNOWN.

THERE HAVE BEEN REPORTS THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS WANT A NEGOTIATED SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN WAR. CHOU EN LAI, THE RED CHINA PREMIER, SUGGESTED THAT ASIAN NATIONS MEDIATE THE CONFLICT. A BRITISH COMMONWEALTH SOURCE SAID THIS OFFER WAS CONVEYED TO THE INDIAN AMBASSADOR AT PEIPING LAST MONTH.

PRESUMABLY THIS COULD PROVIDE A BASIS OF DISCUSSION IN OPENING PEACE TALKS IF NEHRU GOES TO PEIPING.

INDIA IS SUPPORTING THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA AND AT THE SAME TIME FAVORS SEATING THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN PLACE OF THE NATIONALIST REGIME IN THE WORLD PEACE ORGANIZATION.

NEHRU'S GOVERNMENT POLICY OF U.N. SUPPORT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE INDIAN PARLIAMENT. DURING A TWO-DAY DEBATE NEHRU DECLARED INDIA IS NOT FOLLOWING A POLICY OF NEUTRALITY, BUT ONE OF INDEPENDENCE OF ACTION.

"WHAT I AM AFRAID OF IS THAT WE WILL SIT COMPLACENTLY DOING NOTHING," HE SAID.

NEHRU REPORTEDLY IS CONCERNED LEST UNITED NATIONS TROOPS BE DRIVEN OUT OF KOREA ENTIRELY, IN WHICH CASE HE BELIEVES IT WOULD REQUIRE AT LEAST TWO MONTHS TO ASSEMBLE ENOUGH TROOPS TO MOUNT AN INVASION FOR A UNITED NATIONS RECONQUEST OF KOREA.

HE CONSIDERS THAT SUCH AN INTERIM WOULD BE MOST DANGEROUS TO WORLD PEACE, AND THAT PEACE EFFORTS MUST BE REDOUBLED TO PREVENT A GENERAL WORLD WAR.

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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG.20-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALIST PREMIER CHEN CHENG PREDICTED TODAY THE NEXT BIG COMMUNIST MOVE WOULD COME IN INDOCHINA.

"MOSCOW'S FIFTH COLUMN WILL START AN ERUPTION IN INDOCHINA JUST AS ITS FIFTH COLUMN DID IN KOREA," THE PREMIER SAID IN A CITY HALL ADDRESS TO NATIONALIST ARMY SUPPLY OFFICERS.

HE SAID IT WAS NO USE TO TALK ABOUT A POSSIBLE WORLD WAR III "BECAUSE WORLD WAR II IS STILL GOING ON."

HE DESCRIBED THE NATIONALIST REDOUBT OF FORMOSA AS THE LIGHTHOUSE OF FREE CHINA AND FORECAST LARGE-SCALE REVOLTS ON THE RED MAINLAND WHEN THE NATIONALISTS RETURN.

"WE HAVE FAILED IN THE PAST," CHEN ASSERTED, "BUT FAILURE IS OFTEN THE MOTHER OF SUCCESS, AND FINAL VICTORY WILL BE OURS."

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PORTSMOUTH, ENGLAND, AUG. 18-(AP)-THE BRITISH AIRCRAFT CARRIER WARRIOR STEAMED OUT OF PORTSMOUTH TODAY WITH REINFORCEMENTS FOR BRITISH SHIPS FIGHTING OFF KOREA.

THE 13,350-TON WARSHIP WAS TAKEN FROM BRITAIN'S RESERVE FLEET. PORTSMOUTH DOCKYARD WORKERS GAVE UP THEIR USUAL HOLIDAYS TO PUT THE CARRIER IN SHAPE FOR SAILING. THE NUMBER OF NAVAL PERSONNEL SHE IS TAKING WAS NOT DISCLOSED.

THE WARRIOR FOLLOWED THE 13,350-TON AIRCRAFT CARRIER THESEUS, WHICH SAILED FOR THE FAR EAST FRIDAY WITH 44 PLANES ABOARD.

THE WARRIOR'S NORMAL PEACETIME COMPLEMENT IS ABOUT 850 MEN, EXCLUDING AIR SQUADRON PERSONNEL. SHE NORMALLY CARRIES ABOUT 40 PLANES.

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STOCKHOLM, -7&. 20-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER OESTEN UNDEN SAID TODAY THAT IF A WORLD WAR ARISES OUT OF THE KOREAN SITUATION "SWEDEN'S POLICY WILL BE THAT OF ARMED NEUTRALITY."

THE FOREIGN MINISTER SAID IN A SPEECH AT LINKOEPING THAT SWEDISH SUPPORT OF U. N. ACTION IN KOREA DID NOT MEAN THIS COUNTRY IS DESERTING ITS TRADITIONAL POLICY OF NEUTRALITY AND FREEDOM FROM ALLIANCES.

BUT, HE DECLARED THIS POLICY MIGHT BE SUBJECT TO RESERVATIONS DUE TO SWEDEN'S MEMBERSHIP IN THE UNITED NATIONS. HE VIEWED THE WAR IN KOREA AS CONCERNING "THE WHOLE WORLD. AGGRESSION IS DIRECTED NOT ONLY AGAINST SOUTH KOREA BUT AGAINST THE WHOLE POLICY CONDUCTED BY THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE KOREAN QUESTION."

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TEXT

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 278, ISSUED BY FAR EAST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS AND TIMED 1:35 P.M. (10:35 P.M. SATURDAY EST) FOR THE PERIOD ENDING AT MIDNIGHT AUG. 19:

FEAF FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS MADE HEAVY STRIKES AGAINST NORTH KOREAN STRATEGIC TACTICAL OBJECTIVES AUGUST 19 IN ONE OF THE MOST INTENSE PERIODS OF AIR ACTIVITY SINCE THE BEGINNING OF CONTINUOUS AIR FORCE SUPPORT OPERATIONS 55 DAYS AGO.

LED BY A FLEET OF MORE THAN 90 B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES OF THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND COMBAT AIRCRAFT REPRESENTING BOTH THE UNITED STATES AND AUSTRALIA POUNDED NORTH KOREAN PERSONNEL AND MATERIAL IN DAY AND NIGHT ATTACKS.

SUPERFORTRESSES DROPPED NEARLY 800 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES ON THREE GROUPS OF TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA, CAUSING EXTENSIVE DAMAGE. THE HEAVIEST TONNAGE HIT DEEP-WATER DOCKING FACILITIES, A STRING OF BOMBS DIRECTLY ON THE TARGET. SPREADING FLAMES WERE OBSERVED IN WAREHOUSE DISTRICTS SURROUNDING DOCKS AND IN MARSHALLING YARDS.

OTHER B-29S SCORED HEAVILY IN A SMALLER SCALE ATTACK ON MARSHALLING YARDS AT HAMHUNG, MAJOR DEPOT ON THE EAST COAST RAIL SYSTEM. SUPERFORTRESSES ALSO CONTINUED A CONSTANT DAILY SCHEDULE OF ATTACKS ON RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80S AND F-51S CONTINUED ACTIVE CLOSE SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES ON BATTLE FRONTS OF SOUTH KOREA. MORE THAN 260 FIGHTER SORTIES, SOME FLOWN AT NIGHT, GAVE AIR COVER AND ASSISTANCE TO GROUND TROOPS.

THE HEAVIEST CONCENTRATION OF FIGHTER ATTACKS CENTERED AROUND THE NORTHWESTERN SECTOR OF THE BATTLE LINE. AIR FORCE GROUND AND AIRBORNE

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CONTROLLERS DIRECTED A CONTINUOUS SUCCESSION OF AIR STRIKES IN THE TABU AREA 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THESE ATTACKS ASSISTED IN DIS SLOWING NORTH KOREAN GROUND ACTIONS.
EVALUATED PILOT CLAIMS FOR NORTH KOREANS MATERIAL ATTACKED ANB

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EVALUATED PILOT CLAIMS FOR NORTH KOREANS MATERIAL ATTACKED AND DAMAGED BY FIGHTERS INCLUDED EIGHT TANKS, 20 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, SIX LOCOMOTIVES, FOUR FUEL DUMPS, FOUR GUN EMPLACEMENTS, THREE BRIDGES, RAIL TUNNEL AND OTHER RAIL FACILITIES.
NUMEROUS TROOP COLUMNS WERE STRAFED IN ALL AREAS. SIX BUILDINGS USED AS TROOP HOUSING OR SUPPLY STORAGE DEPOTS WERE HIT AND FIRED IN FIGHTER ATTACKS AND SIX VILLAGES ALSO IN USE AS TROOP BIVOUAC AREAS WERE BOMBED AND STRAFED.
NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS BY FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS AND MARINE FIGHTERS ATTACKED TROOP CONVOYS AS WELL AS RAIIL AND HIGHWAY TARGETS IN OR NEAR SUNCHON, CHUNGJU, CHONAN, CHINJU AND WAEGWAN.
B-26S FLYING DAYLIGHT MEDIUM ALTITUDE AND LOW ANTLTIDE BOMBING STRIKES, HIT TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN FRONT LINE AREAS AND CONDUCTED INTERDICTION FLIGHTS ALONG ROUTES OF APPROACH TO THE BATTLE ZONE PRINCIPALLY IN THE KWANGJU-KONGJU AREA.
RAIL AND HIGHWAY ROUTES WERE BOMBED AND STRAFED SOUTH OF SUNCHANG AND SOUTHWEST OF KWANGJU. A BRIDGE WAS DAMAGED IN THE KONGJU AREA AND NUMEROUS HITS WERE SCORED NEAR KAERYONG 17 MILES NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN.
FIFTH AIR FORCE TROOP CARRIER AIRCRAFT MOVED 364 PASSENGERS AND MORE THAN 66 TONS OF URGENTLY NEEDED MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT TO KOREAN BASES DURING THE DAY.
ALL OUR AIRCRAFT RETURNED SAFELY TO BASES.
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TOKYO--TEXT KOREAN RELEASE NO. 278 (AP5FX) FOURTH GRAF BEGINNING "SUPERFORTRESSES DROPPED, ETC., MAKE READ X X X EXTENSIVE DAMAGE. THE HEAVIEST TONNAGE HIT DEEP-WATER DOCKING FACILITIES, MARSHALLING YARDS AND THE FORMER MITSUBISHI IRON AND STEEL WORKS AT CHONGJIN ON KOREA'S NORTHEASTERN COAST. HUGE FIREBALLS SEVERAL HUNDRED FEET IN DIAMETER AND CLOUDS OF BLACK SMOKE RISING TO HEIGHTS 3,000 TO 5,000 FEET FOLLOWED THE BOMB DROPS AT THE MITSUBISHI PLANT. EQUAL SUCCESS WAS MET IN THE MARSHALLING YARD ATTACK. BOMBING WAS DONE VISUALLY AS SUPERFORT FORMATIONS PLACED STRING AFTER STRING OF BOMBS DIRECTLY ON THE TARGET. SPREADING FLAMES WERE OBSERVED, ETC., X X X (INSERTING DROPPED MATTER)

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TEXT (420)
TOKYO,AUG.20-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.279 ISSUED TODAY BY FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS AT 1:55 P.M. (10:55 P.M., E.S.T., SATURDAY)
PRECISION DIVE-BOMBING NAVY PILOTS SCORED EIGHT DIRECT BOMB HITS ON THE VITAL WEST RAILROAD BRIDGE AT SEOUL YESTERDAY. AIR OBSERVERS FLYING THE LENGTH OF THE BRIDGE AT LESS THAN 1,000 FEET IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE ATTACK REPORTED THE ENTIRE SPAN ZIGZAGGING AND IN UNUSEABLE CONDITION.
THE ATTACK ON THE KEY BRIDGE WAS PART OF A SERIES OF AIR STRIKES MADE YESTERDAY BY TASK FORCE 77 PILOTS ON MILITARY TARGETS FROM HAEJU IN THE NORTH TO SUNCHON IN THE SOUTH. A TOTAL OF 142 SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY CARRIER-BASED SKYRAIDERS, CORSAIRS, AND PANTHER JETS.
AT KUMCHON, HEAVY DAMAGE AND LARGE FIRES WERE STARTED BY BOMB HITS IN THE FACTORY AREA. DEPTH CHARGE DROPS ON BUILDINGS IN DOCK AREA STARTED MORE FIRES. FRAGMENTATION BOMB HITS ON A POWER STATION AND FUEL OIL DUMP ADDED TO THE GENERAL CONFLAGRATION IN THE AREA. MORE THAN 30 VEHICLES IN THE PARKING AREA WERE DESTROYED.
NORTH OF PYONGTAEK, APPROXIMATELY 20 WAREHOUSES EXPLODED WHEN HIT WITH BOMBS AND ROCKETS. AT TAEJONG, A RADIO BROADCASTING STATION WA

NORTH OF PYONGTAEK, APPROXIMATELY 20 WAREHOUSES EXPLODED WHEN HIT WITH BOMBS AND ROCKETS. AT TAEJONG, A RADIO BROADCASTING STATION WAS DESTROYED. HITS ON A FACTORY AT HAEJU STARTED A CHAIN OF EXPLOSIONS.
IN ONE CLOSE SUPPORT STRIKE EAST OF YPOPCHON FIVE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SUPPLY DUMPS WERE BOMBED AND DESTROYED BY FIRE. IN THE SAME STRIKE APPROXIMATELY 100 TROOPS WERE CAUGHT IN THE OPEN AND BOMBED AND STRAFED.
AT KIMPO A FUEL DUMP WAS SET AFIRE. AT CHONGJU A VEHICLE REPAIR FACTORY WAS BOMBED. AT SEOUL, TWO CONVERTED FERRY BOATS WERE SUNK AND THREE POWER BOATS DAMAGED.

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THE NAVY TALLY FOR THE DAY INCLUDED 51 VEHICLES DESTROYED AND 17 DAMAGED, TWO FACTORIES DESTROYED AND FOUR DAMAGED, THREE MILITARY BUILDINGS DESTROYED, SEVEN TROOP CONCENTRATIONS BOMBED AND STRAFED, FIVE SUPPLY DUMPS BURNED, MANY RAILWAY CARS STRAFED, ONE LOCOMOTIVE DAMAGED, ONE POWER STATION DESTROYED AND TWO DAMAGED, FOUR BRIDGES DAMAGED INCLUDING ONE SUBMERGED BRIDGE WEST OF SEOUL BRIDGE, AND TWO TANKS AND ONE HALFTRACK DESTROYED.
THE EAST COAST NAVAL BLOCKADE AND SUPPORT FORCE CONTINUED PATROLLING AND FIRING ON TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY, PRINCIPALLY VEHICULAR TRAFFIC ON THE COASTAL ROAD.
BRITISH CARRIER-BASED AIRCRAFT OPERATING WITH THE WEST COAST BLOCKADE FORCE, USING ROCKETS AND CANNON FIRE, SANK TWO 100-TON MOTOR COASTERS AT KUNSAN AND DAMAGED A MOTOR LAUNCH AT INCHON. A MOTOR JUNK WAS SUNK AND A MOTOR JUNK AND MOTOR LAUNCH SET AFIRE AT MOKPO. BRITISH FLIERS STRAFED A SMALL CRAFT IN A SLIP. AT KUNSAN A WAREHOUSE WAS BADLY DAMAGED AND BOXCARS STRAFED WITH ONE GOING UP IN FLAMES.
IN THE SOUTH, REPUBLIC OF KOREA MARINES UNDER COVER OF ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) NAVY GUNS LANDED AND CAPTURED THE CITY OF TONGYONG KILLING MORE THAN 200 ENEMY TROOPS IN THE PROCESS. THIS ACTION TOOK PLACE AUGUST 18. ATTEMPTS OF THE ENEMY TO ESCAPE BY SEA WERE THWARTED BY ROK NAVAL UNITS.
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TOKYO, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 280 ISSUED AT 5 P.M. (2 A.M., EST) TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:
THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD WEST OF YONGSAN HAS BEEN WIPED OUT AND ALL GROUND EAST OF THE RIVER IN THAT SECTOR HAS BEEN CAPTURED BY ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION AND THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE. ALL UNITS HAVE CONSOLIDATED AND ORGANIZED POSITIONS AND MOPPING-UP OPERATIONS

AGAINST SMALL ISOLATED POCKETS IS CONTINUING. THIS OPERATION PRODUCED VERY HEAVY ENEMY CASUALTIES AND A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF WEAPONS AND EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING 13 ARTILLERY PIECES, WAS CAPTURED BY U.S. FORCES. THE SECTOR REMAINS QUIET TODAY.

ATTACKING FORCES OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KORXA) FIRST DIVISION, REINFORCED BY U.S. ARMY UNITS, ADVANCED 19 AUGUST TO A LINE RUNNING GENERALLY NORTHEAST AND SOUTHWEST THROUGH A POINT APPROXIMATELY ONE AND A HALF MILES NORTH OF KUMHWA, AGAINST MODERATE ENEMY RESISTANCE. THE ATTACK WAS RESUMED 20 AUGUST, WITH EFFECTIVE AIR SUPPORT. TACTICAL AIR STRIKES DESTROYED TWO TANKS OF THE GROUP WHICH ATTACKED UNITED NATIONS POSITIONS IN THAT SECTOR ON THE NIGHT OF 18 AUGUST. ALL ENEMY TANKS OF THE TOTAL OF FIVE WHICH WERE INVOLVED IN THAT ACTION HAVE NOW BEEN DESTROYED. IN THIS SAME GENERAL SECTOR, ELEMENTS OF THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION WERE ATTACKED 19 AUGUST IN THE VICINITY OF HYORYONG. THE ENEMY ATTACK HAS BEEN CONTAINED IN THIS LOCATION, AND THE SITUATION STABLIZED.

ALONG THE SOUTH SECTOR, ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION WERE ATTACKED 19 AUGUST JUST EAST OF THE TOWN OF YUNOERI BY AN ESTIMATED ENEMY BATTALION, WITH ONE COMPANY POSITION BEING PENETRATED SLIGHTLY, PRINCIPALLY THROUGH INFILTRATION OF COMMUNIST FORCES. A COUNTERATTACK BY FRIENDLY FORCES STABLIZIED THE SITUATION AND PARTIALLY RESTORED THE POSITION. OUR UNITS AGAIN WERE ATTACKED THE MORNING OF 20 AUGUST BUT FRIENDLY FORCES, SUPPORTED BY TACTICAL AIR UNITS, HAVE THE SITUATION UNDER CONTROL. FURTHER SOUTH, OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE 25TH DIVISION HAVE ESTABLISHED LIGHT PATROL CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY IN THE VICINITY OF PONGAMNI.

ON THE NORTHERN FRONT ROK UNITS ARE PATROLLING AGGRESSIVELY IN AN EFFORT TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY. THE ROK CAPITOL DIVISION CONTINUES TO ADVANCE NORTH AND WEST OF KIGYE AGAINST LITTLE OPPOSITION AND OTHER ROK ARMY UNITS HAVE ADVANCED TO A POSITION 2,500 YARDS NORTH OF THE CAPTURED TOWN OF POHANG.

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THE WAEGWAN SECTOR REMAINS GENERALLY QUIET WITH ONLY SMALL-SCALE PATROL ACTIVITY. A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF ENEMY EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING TWO ARTILLERY PIECES, TWO ANTITANK GUNS AND MANY SMALL ARMS, HAS BEEN CAPTURED NORTH OF THE TOWN.

ENEMY LOSSES FOR 18 AUGUST ARE ESTIMATED AS 3,250 CASUALTIES INFLICTED BY U.S. ARMY FORCES AND SIX POWS (PRISONERS OF WAR) CAPTURED, AND 2,164 CASUALTIES INFLICTED BY THE ROK ARMY FORCES.

CARRIER AIRCRAFT OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET OPERATED YESTERDAY IN THE WESTERN AREA OF KOREA SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. AT SEOUL THE WEST BRIDGE WAS STRUCK OR UNDERWATER BRIDGE TO THE WEST OF THE MAIN BRIDGE WAS HIT WITH DEPTH CHARGES. TROOPS WERE STRAFED AT KUMCHON AND A LARGE SUPPLY DUMP AND BARRACKS WERE BURNED AT YONGI. AT CHONAN FIVE TANKS AND SIX BOXCARS WERE BADLY DAMAGED BY STRAFING. IN THE PYONGTAEK AREA FIVE VEHICLES WERE DAMAGED, AND A RAILROAD BRIDGE WAS RENDERED TEMPORARILY IMPASSABLE BY BOMBING. A WAREHOUSE WAS ROCKETED AND BURNED AT INCHON. SEE CAN

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IN A FACTORY AREA AT TAEJON 25 TANKS AND 100 TRUCKS WERE STRAFED AND ROCKETED WITH UNDETERMINED RESULTS. ALSO NEAR TAEJON 10 COAL CARS, A POWER STATION AND A DAM WERE HIT. SOUTH OF SUWON THREE STOREHOUSES WERE EXPLODED. A LOCOMOTIVE AND POWER STATION WERE STRAFED AT YONGDONG, AND AT CHUNJU AN AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR STATION WAS BOMBED. IN THE KWANGJU AREA, A BRIDGE UNDER REPAIR WAS ROCKETED, COAL CARS SET AFIRE AND A POWER STATION BURNED. ON CLOSE-SUPPORT SORTIES APPROXIMATELY FOUR MILES EAST OF HYOPCHONG SEVEN VEHICLES WERE DESTROYED OR DAMAGED, AND SIX TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE BOMBED AND STRAFED.

AT 5 A.M. 18 AUGUST, THE ROK NAVY LANDED ELEMENTS OF A ROK MARINE BATTALION AT CHANGPYONG AFTER A SHORE BOMBARDMENT. THE ROK MARINES MET LITTLE OPPOSITION IN THEIR DRIVE INLAND AND BY 10 A.M. HAD CAPTURED THE TOWN OF TONGYONG WHILE INFLICTING OVER 200 CASUALTIES ON THE ENEMY. REMAINING ENEMY FORCES, ESTIMATED AT ABOUT ONE-HALF THE ORIGINAL GARRISON, ARE ATTEMPTING TO ESCAPE BY SEA WHERE THEY ARE BEING ENGAGED BY ROK NAVY UNITS. THE U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW FIGHTER AND B-26 SORTIES ON BOMBING, STRAFING AND NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS IN THE CHINJU, TAEJON, SUWON, POKSONG AND CHONAN AREAS. REINFORCING THESE ATTACKS WERE NAVY FIGHTER AIRCRAFT ON GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS. THE COMBINED OPERATIONS OF THE TWO SERVICES RESULTED IN THE DESTRUCTION OF THREE TANKS, TWO ARTILLERY PIECES, TWO GUN EMPLACEMENTS, THREE LOCOMOTIVES, TWO BRIDGES, THREE BUILDINGS, 14 TRUCKS AND TWO MISCELLANEOUS VEHICLES, AND DAMAGE TO FIVE TANKS, ONE HALF-TRACK, THREE LOCOMOTIVES, ONE RAILROAD TUNNEL, ONE BRIDGE, ONE RAILWAY STATION, THREE BUILDINGS AND FOUR FUEL DUMPS.

FEAF (FAR EAST AIR FORCES) BOMBER COMMAND FLEW 89 B-29 SORTIES. SIXTY-THREE SUPERFORTS BOMBED THE MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS, RAILROAD SHOPS AND MARSHALLING YARDS AT CHONGJIN WITH INITIAL RESULTS ESTIMATED AS EXCELLENT. SIXTEEN B-29S BOMBED MARSHALLING YARDS AT HAMHUNG AND 10 B-29S BOMBED OTHER KEY TRANSPORTATION POINTS IN NORTH KOREA.

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TOKYO--TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 280 (A34FX), EIGHTH GRAF, STARTING "CARRIER AIRCRAFT X X X MAKE READ X X X AT SEOUL THE WEST BRIDGE WAS STRUCK WITH 500 AND 1,000 POUND BOMBS, RENDERING THAT BRIDGE UNUSABLE. A SUBMERGED OR UNDERWATER BRIDGE TO THE WEST OF THE MAIN BRIDGE WAS HIT WITH DEPTH CHARGES. TROOPS WERE X X X (INSERTING DROPPED MATTER)

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TOKYO, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 281 ISSUED AT 7:45 P.M. (4:25 A.M., EST) TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:

EXPLOSIONS LASTING FOR MORE THAN 10 MINUTES RESULTED FROM AN ATTACK BY MARINE FIGHTERS FROM A U.S. NAVAL CARRIER WHILE CONDUCTING MOPPING UP OPERATIONS YESTERDAY FOLLOWING THE ROUTE OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IN THE AREA WEST OF YONGNAN. ATTACKING AN AMMUNITION DUMP IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTION OF SAMGA, NORTH OF CHINJU, WITH 250 POUND BOMBS AND HIGH VELOCITY ROCKETS, THE MARINE FLIERS EXPLODED THE AMMUNITION DUMP.

AS THE FIGHTERS SOARED AWAY FROM THE VICINITY OF THE BLAST THEY WITNESSED A SERIES OF EXPLOSIONS THAT LASTED FOR MORE THAN 10 MINUTES SPREADING ALONG THE ROADWAY.

IN THE MOPPING UP OPERATIONS FOLLOWING THE ROUTE AT THE BRIDGEHEAD THE MARINE FLIERS STRAFED ENEMY TROOPS FLEEING THE AREA, BOMBED FOUR AREAS ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER WHER THE NORTH KOREANS SOUGHT REFUGE, STRAFED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN VILLAGES AND RAVINES WITH NAPALM. THEIR SCORE FOR THE DAY ALSO INCLUDED MANY TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, TROOP CONCENTRATION IN THE VILLAGE OF HAENGSONG, MORTAR POSITIONS ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS IN THE SAME AREA.

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TOKYO, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 282 ISSUED AT 8:45 P.M. (5:45 A.M., EST) TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:
FOR THE THIRD CONSECUTIVE DAY B-26 LIGHT INVADER BOMBERS STRUCK AT COMMUNIST RAIL SUPPLY LINES TODAY, SEVERING TRACKS, BOMBING BRIDGES AND STRAFING TRAINS AND SUPPLY VEHICLES.
THE TWIN ENGINE BOMBERS OPERATED IN AN AREA WEST OF TAEGU, STRIKING THE NORTH KOREAN'S SUPPLY SOURCES BEHIND THE BATTLE LINES.
RAILROAD LINES BETWEEN CHONGJU AND YONTAN WERE STRAFED WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS. "WE BOMBED AND SEVERED TRACKS IN THE CHONGJU RAILWAY STATION AND DAMAGED BOXCARS IN THE MARSHALLING YARDS," SAID SECOND LT. JESSE T. ALLEN, 912 REED ST., COLLEGE PARK, GA.
"WE ALSO GOT ONE SPAN OF A BRIDGE NEAR YONTAN," SAID SECOND LT. ERNEST L. LASKE, SALISBURY, MO.
IN ANOTHER MISSION TODAY SGT. BEN A. BUCK, A GUNNER FOR SUNSET LANE, CHATHAM, MASS., SAID "WE FOUND TWO VEHICLES IN THE SAME AREA, AND DESTROYED BOTH OF THEM ON STRAFING PASSES."
LATE REPORTS ON NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS FLOWN SATURDAY AND EARLY SUNDAY REVEAL THE B-26S CONTINUED TO HARASS THE ENEMY BY STRAFING CONVOYS.
"WE FOUND VEHICLES AROUND YOJU AND DAMAGED THEM," SAID SECOND LT. DONALD J. FORNS, 6504 PARK LANE, MARIEMONT, OHIO.
NEAR KUMSAN A B-26 FLOWN BY SECOND LT. GERALD D. JOHNSON, SALINA, KANSAS, SCORED A DIRECT HIT ON A CONVOY AND LEFT SOME OF THE VEHICLES BURNING.
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CONTACT HAS BEEN MADE ALONG THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION FRONT IN PROBING ACTION OF COMPANY AND BATTALION SIZE IN WHAT APPEARS TO BE PREPARATION OF ANOTHER ATTACK.
ON THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION FRONT, THE BRIDGEHEAD ESTABLISHED BY THE COMMUNIST FOURTH DIVISION HAS BEEN COMPLETELY MOPPED UP. THE BRIDGEHEAD ESTABLISHED BY THE RED 10TH DIVISION IS STILL BEING CONTAINED BY ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION.
NO ACTION WAS REPORTED ON THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION FRONT.
THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION, SUPPORTED BY U.S. TROOPS, HAS REGAINED GROUND TAKEN BY THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK OF SEVERAL DAYS AGO. IN MOVING THROUGH DEFILES, WHERE HEAVY FIGHTING TOOK PLACE DURING THE LAST 72 HOURS, MORE THAN 3,500 NORTH KOREAN CASUALTIES HAVE BEEN COUNTED.
THE ATTACK WAS MADE BY NORTH KOREANS ON THE LEFT OF THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION WITH NO DECISIVE RESULTS REPORTED.
ROK TROOPS IN THE POHANG AREA HAVE DRIVEN THE INVADERS FOUR MILES NORTH

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ROK TROOPS IN THE POHANG AREA HAVE DRIVEN THE INVADERS FOUR MILES NORTH OF TOWN.
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TEXT (150)
TOKYO, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 283 ISSUED AT 11:50 P.M. (3:50 A.M. EST) TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS.
COMMUNIST INVADERS IN THE CHINJU-MASAN AREA PROBED CONTINOUSLY ALONG AMERICAN LINES IN WHAT MAY BE A RENEWAL OF THE OFFENSIVE IN THIS SECTOR. REPORTS THAT ELEMENTS OF THE NORTH KOREAN SEVENTH DIVISION HAVE REINFORCED THE BADLY MAULED NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION PLUS INCREASED ENEMY ACTIVITY AND MOVEMENT IN REAR AREAS BEAR THIS OUT.
THE FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR WAS ALSO REPORTED AS INCREASING IN ACTIVITY AND AGGRESSIVENESS ON THE PART OF THE ENEMY. LIAISON PLANES FLYING OVER THE ENEMY IN THIS SECTOR RECEIVED HEAVY FIRE FROM SMALL ARMS.
THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST AND SIXTH DIVISION FRONT CONTINUED TO WITHSTAND CONTINUOUS PRESSURE. THE ROK EIGHTH DIVISION WAS ABLE TO MAINTAIN LITTLE CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY EVEN WITH AGGRESSIVE PATROLLING. ADVANCE BY UNITED NATIONS FORCES ON THE EAST COAST CONTINUED WITH LITTLE RESISTANCE ENCOUNTERED.
THE RAILROAD YARDS AND DOCK AREA IN POHANG WERE REPORTED IN GOOD CONDITION AFTER THE ENEMY RETREAT.
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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 21-(AP)-TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS KOREAN RELEASE MNUMBER 286 ISSUED AT 2:30 P.M. (11:30 P.M.EST SUNDAY):
INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE COMMUNIST INVADERS HAVE MOVED THEIR SEVENTH DIVISION FROM THE NORTHERN PART OF THE FRONT TO AUGMENT THE RED SIXTH DIVISION WHICH WAS BADLY MAULED BY TASK FORCE KEAN.

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TEXT (275)
TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 21-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 284 (NAVY) ISSUED AT 12:40 P.M. (9:40 P.M. SUNDAY EST):
WHILE CARRIER-BASED U.S.MARINE PILOTS WERE GIVING ARMY INFANTRYMEN THE USUAL CLOSE SUPPORT THEY GIVE MARINE GROUND FORCES YESTERDAY U.S.NAVY PILOTS OF TASK FORCE 77 RANGED OVER THE WEST AND NORTH SIDE OF KOREA RAINING DESTRUCTION ON ROLLING STOCK, COMMUNICATIONS AND SUPPLIES.
NAVY PILOTS DESTROYED 36 LOCOMOTIVES AND DAMAGED 15 MORE. THEY DESTROYED 47 BOXCARS AND DAMAGED 25. SIX TANK CARS WERE DESTROYED AND ONE DAMAGED. TWENTY-TWO TRUCKS WERE DESTROYED AND 38 DAMAGED. TEN RAILROAD YARDS WERE HEAVILY DAMAGED. SIX WAREHOUSES WERE DESTROYED. NINE POWER STATIONS WERE DESTROYED AND TWO DAMAGED. THREE RAILROAD ROUNDHOUSES WERE HEAVILY DAMAGED.
PANTHER JETS, CORSAIRS, SKYRAIDERS, FLYING A TOTAL OF 198 SORTIES, ALSO BLEW UP FOUR OIL STORAGE TANKS AND DAMAGED THREE OTHERS. ONE PC BOAT WAS SUNK. ONE SUPPLY DUMP WAS DESTROYED. TWO SAMPANS AND JUNKS WERE DESTROYED AND SEVEN DAMAGED. A CONVERTED FERRY BOAT USED AS A TROOP CARRIER WAS SUNK. ONE BRIDGE WAS BADLY DAMAGED.
AN OBSERVER FLYING OVER THE WEST BRIDGE AT SEOUL REPORTED TWO SPANS OF THE BRIDGE, HIT BY NAVY DIVEBOMBERS TWO DAYS AGO, WERE OUT OF LINE HORIZONTALLY AND VERTICALLY.
EIGHT CAMOUFLAGED AIRCRAFT BELIEVED TO BE DUMMIES ON THE GROUND AT SINMAK WERE STRAFED. MOST OF THE LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED BY NAVY PILOTS WERE IN THE VICINITY OF PYONGYANG. ATTACKING NAVY PILOTS FLEW AS FAR NORTH AS HUICHON AND AS FAR SOUTH AS CHONGJU IN A SERIES OF DAYLIGHT STRIKES.

MARINE PILOTS, OPERATING 15 MILES NORTH OF YONGSAN IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF ARMY GROUND FORCES, WENT TO WORK ON TROOP COMMUNICATIONS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS WITH ROCKETS, BOMBS, 20 MM CANNON AND NAPALM.

U.S.NAVY SHIPS PATROLLING THE EAST COAST FIRED ON TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY, MAINLY VEHICULAR TRAFFIC ALONG COASTAL ROAD.

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LONDON, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND'S EVENING COMMUNIQUE AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST STUBBORNLY RESISTING AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.

ANTIAIRCRAFT UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY SHOT DOWN ONE AMERICAN B-29 WHICH RAIDED WONSAN.

ON AUG. 18 FOUR B-29 AMERICAN BOMBERS AND ONE FIGHTER WERE SHOT DOWN. ON AUG. 19, AS ALREADY REPORTED, FIVE AMERICAN FIGHTERS WERE SHOT DOWN AND ONE AMERICAN AIRCRAFT WHICH TRIED TO BOMB KESON.

ON AUG. 20 AMERICAN AIRCRAFT RAIDED PYONGYANG FIVE TIMES AND BOMBED THE TOWN AT RANDOM. ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY DISPERSED THE AIRCRAFT.

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LONDON, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ARE WAGING FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE ENEMY, WHO IS STUBBORNLY RESISTING.

IN THE AREA OF WAEGWAN UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY DELIVERED A CRUSHING BLOW AGAINST THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, WHO WERE COUNTER--ATTACKING WITH SUPPORT OF TANKS AND AIR FORCE.

IN THE COURSE OF THESE BATTLES ARTILLERY FORCES OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY BY MEANS OF CONCENTRATED FIRE DESTROYED AND BURNED MANY ENEMY TANKS AND REPULSED A COUNTEROFFENSIVE. AT THE SAME TIME THE ENEMY SUSTAINED BIG LOSSES IN MANPOWER AND EQUIPMENT.

THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, ADVANCING ALONG THE SOUTH COAST, IS WAGING FIERCE BATTLES WITH UNITS OF THE AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION, WHICH IS OFFERING STUBBORN RESISTANCE, TAKING ADVANTAGE OF FAVORABLE TERRAIN AND USING DEFENSIVE FORTIFICATIONS.

ON AUG. 19 WHEN 12 AMERICAN BOMBERS RAIDED SEOUL, ANTI-AIRCRAFT OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY SHOT DOWN FIVE ENEMY BOMBERS, WHICH FELL IN THE DEINO DISTRICT OF SEOUL.

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(410) KWANTUNG ARMY

BY ELTON C.FAY

WASHINGTON, AUG.20-(AP)-IF ADMIRAL CHESTER NIMITZ'S BELIEF THAT REMNANTS OF THE KWANTUNG ARMY ARE FIGHTING WITH THE NORTH KOREAN REDS IS TRUE, THEN AMERICAN TROOPS ARE FACING TOUGH MILITARY UNITS CREATED BY JAPAN IN HER HEY-DAY.

AMERICAN ARMY OFFICERS WHO SERVED IN THE FAR EAST IN THE EARLY 1930S RECALLED TODAY THAT THE KWANTUNG ARMY WAS A POWERFUL, FREE-WHEELING AND FREE-BOOTING FORCE--AN OFFSPRING OF JAPAN'S IMPERIALISTIC REACH INTO CHINA.

NIMITZ EXPRESSED BELIEF IN AN INTERVIEW IN DENVER YESTERDAY THAT REMNANTS OF THE KWANTUNG ARMY MIGHT BE THE BACKBONE OF THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST FORCES.

THE FLEET ADMIRAL SAID THE KWANTUNG TROOPS DISAPPEARED INTO MANCHURIA AT THE END OF THE WORLD WAR II. HE SPECULATED THAT THEY PROBABLY RECEIVED FURTHER TRAINING FROM THE RUSSIANS THERE AND NOW HAVE BEEN HURLED AGAINST U.N. FORCES IN KOREA.

DESCRIBING THE KWANTUNG TROOPS AS "THE MOST FORMIDABLE ARMY IN THE WORLD TODAY, NOT EXCEPTING THE RUSSIANS," NIMITZ ADDED:

"THE POPULAR IDEA THAT THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE A TENTH-RATE ARMY IS RIDICULOUS. THIS IS DEFINITELY THE FIRST TEAM OUR BOYS ARE UP AGAINST.

THE KWANTUNG ARMY (NAMED AFTER THE NORTHERN CHINA PROVINCE IN WHICH IT CAME INTO EXISTENCE) WAS A SPECIAL FORCE OPERATING UNDER A SEPARATE COMMAND AND DEALT DIRECTLY WITH THE JAPANESE IMPERIAL STAFF IN TOKYO INSTEAD OF THROUGH NORMAL MILITARY CHANNELS.

WHEN WORLD WAR II STARTED, THE ARMY WAS AT AN ESTIMATED STRENGTH OF BETWEEN 300,000 AND 400,000. LATER IT WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE APPROACHED 500,000 IN STRENGTH.

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AMERICAN ARMY VETERANS OF FAR EAST ASSIGNMENTS TOLD A REPORTER THAT ABOUT 90 PERCENT OF THE ARMY WAS COMPOSED OF TOUGH, BATTLE-WISE JAPANESE. THE REMAINDER WAS RECRUITED FROM AMONG THE MANCHURIAN AND KOREAN POPULATIONS. THESE LATTER MERCENARY TROOPS WERE USED GENERALLY FOR GENDARME PURPOSES, CONTROLLING LOCAL POPULATIONS.

THE ARMY WAS ORGANIZED AFTER JAPAN SEIZED MANCHURIA IN 1931-32.

IT COMPLETED THE SEIZURE OF BOTH MANCHURIA AND KOREA, RAN A WHOLE SERIES OF CAMPAIGNS AND SMALL WARS ON THE CHINA MAINLAND, INCLUDING THE SO-CALLED "GREAT WALL WAR" OF 1933.

THE KWANTUNG ARMY WAS A PICKED OUTFIT OF TOP-NOTCH SOLDIERS AND OFFICERS, EXCELLENT FIGHTERS AND UTTERLY RUTHLESS, WELL-TRAINED AND FINELY EQUIPPED.

ALONG WITH ITS AUTONOMOUS POSITION IN THE JAPANESE MILITARY MACHINE, IT HAD ANOTHER SPECIAL FEATURE. ITS JOB WAS POLITICAL AS WELL AS MILITARY. THE ARMY HAD A POWERFUL HAND IN THE GOVERNMENT OF CONQUERED MANCHURIA--AND THUS HAD A BIG FINGER IN THE REVENUE.

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MOREOVER, THE KWANTUNG ARMY WAS ALLOWED A FREE HAND IN LOOTING CONQUERED AREAS. THIS, COMBINED WITH ITS POLITICAL OPERATIONS IN REVENUE COLLECTING, MADE THE KWANTUNG ARMY RICH.

AND THAT CREATED JEALOUSY ON THE PART OF THE REGULAR JAPANESE ARMY AND NAVY WHICH MAY HAVE ACCOUNTED FOR SOME OF THE CURIOUS SCHISMS IN MILITARY POLICY OF JAPAN.

BECAUSE THEIR THEATERS OF OPERATION WERE widely SEPARATED [redacted], THE KWANTUNG ARMY AND AMERICAN FORCES NEVER FOUGHT EACH OTHER. THE KWANTUNG FORCE, STILL IN NORTH CHINA WHEN V-J CAME, LITERALLY WAS AN UNDEFEATED ARMY, AS STRONG AS WHEN IT STARTED.

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SOLDIER VOTING (380)
BY JACK BELL

WASHINGTON, AUG. 20-(AP)-TWO REPUBLICAN SENATORS PROPOSED TODAY THAT THE MEN FIGHTING IN KOREA AND THOSE IN OCCUPATION FORCES ELSEWHERE BE SUPPLIED WITH OVERSEAS BALLOTS TO VOTE IN THE CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS.

SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH) TOLD A REPORTER HE AND SENATOR SALTONSTALL (R-MASS) WILL OFFER IN THE SENATE THIS WEEK A MEASURE PATTERNED AFTER THE FEDERAL WAR BALLOT LAW USED IN THE 1942 AND 1944 ELECTIONS.

"I THINK ALL OF THE FIGHTING MEN OUGHT TO HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO VOTE IN WHAT SEEMS LIKELY TO BE A CRITICAL ELECTION AND I'M AFRAID SOME OF THEM WON'T HAVE THE CHANCE UNLESS THERE IS SOME KIND OF FEDERAL BALLOT," BRIDGES SAID.

HE SAID HE HAS ASKED THE SENATE'S LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL TO DRAFT A BILL AND SUPPLY THE SENATE WITH INFORMATION ON HOW MANY STATES IT WOULD AFFECT.

ALTHOUGH BRIDGES DIDN'T SAY SO, REPUBLICANS APPARENTLY BELIEVE THEY CAN GET BETTER THAN AN EVEN BREAK OUT OF BALLOTS CAST BY MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES THIS YEAR.

THE THEORY OF SOME PARTY LEADERS SEEMS TO BE THAT DISSATISFACTION WITH WHAT THEY CALL THE LACK OF CLEARLY-STATED WAR AIMS, PLUS DEFICIENCES IN EQUIPMENT AND MANPOWER IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING, WILL REACT AGAINST THE DEMOCRATS.

AS THE LAW NOW STANDS, THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HANDLES POSTCARDS FOR APPLICATIONS FOR STATE ABSENTEE BALLOTS AND HELPS SUPPLY INFORMATION ABOUT VOTING.

REP. NIXON, THE REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL CANDIDATE IN CALIFORNIA, ALREADY HAS PROPOSED A WAIVER ON THE PRESENT ONE-OUNCE LIMITATION ON FREE AIRMAL TO ACCOMMODATE GI ABSENTEE BALLOTS.

HE SAID CALIFORNIA LAW PROHIBITS MAILING OF BALLOTS BEFORE OCTOBER 18, TOO LATE FOR THEM TO REACH MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES BY REGULAR MAIL TO BE RETURNED BEFORE THE NOVEMBER 13 DEADLINE.

SOME STATES DON'T HAVE ABSENTEE VOTING LAWS AND GIS FROM THOSE AREAS WOULD BE REACHED BY THE OVERSEAS BALLOT PROPOSED BY BRIDGES AND SALTONSTALL.

IN 1944, 20 STATES ACCEPTED THE THEN FEDERAL WAR BALLOT AS OFFICIAL, ALTHOUGH ONLY 84,835 VALID VOTES WERE COUNTED IN THAT MANNER OF 2,691,160 ABSENTEE VOTES CAST BY MEMBERS OF THE ARMED SERVICES IN THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

THAT YEAR PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT WAS CREDITED WITH HAVING GOT 67 PERCENT OF THIS VOTE, WINNING ONE STATE, NEW JERSEY, BY THE MARGIN OF ARMED SERVICE SUPPORT.

IN THE 1944 ELECTION, THE GI MAIL VOTE RAN ABOUT FIVE PERCENT OF THE TOTAL CAST IN STATES WHERE THERE ARE SENATORIAL ELECTIONS THIS YEAR. THE PERCENTAGE RANGED FROM A LOW OF FOUR PERCENT IN ILLINOIS TO A HIGH OF 7.2 PERCENT IN CONNECTICUT.

WITH FAR FEWER MEN OVERSEAS, POLITICIANS THINK THE GI MAIL VOTING PERCENTAGE WILL BE MUCH SMALLER THIS YEAR. BUT IT MIGHT BE DECISIVE IN CASES WHERE RACES ARE EXTREMELY CLOSE.

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WASHINGTON--SOLDIER VOTING (A3WX) 11TH GRAF, BEGINNING, IN 1944, ETC. MAKE READ:

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THAT YEAR, ETC. (REPHRASING TO CLARIFY).

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY AUG.20)
BLOOD-KOREA (160)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.20-(AP)-AMERICANS AT HOME WERE ASKED TODAY TO GIVE WHOLE BLOOD FOR THE KOREAN FIGHTING.

THE RED CROSS SAID THAT UP TO NOW THIS NEED WAS SUPPLIED BY VOLUNTEER MILITARY AND CIVILIAN DONORS STATIONED IN JAPAN.

"LARGE AMOUNTS OF WHOLE BLOOD AND PLASMA (DERIVED FROM BLOOD) ARE NOW REQUIRED NOT ONLY FOR KOREA BUT FOR THE EXPANDING ARMED FORCES IN THE UNITED STATES," THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID.

THE RED CROSS, OFFICIAL PROCUREMENT AGENCY FOR BLOOD FOR THE FIGHTING MEN, WILL OPEN SIX MORE DONOR CENTERS SHORTLY, AND ELSEWHERE IS ENLISTING "THE FACILITIES OF INDEPENDENT BLOOD BANKS."

GENERAL GEORGE C.MARSHALL, RED CROSS PRESIDENT, SAID THAT BLOOD SUPPLIES FOR CIVILIAN USE "WILL BE MAINTAINED BY INCREASED BLOOD DONATIONS THROUGHOUT THE NATION."

THE RED CROSS SAID SHIPMENTS OF WHOLE BLOOD WILL BE FLOWN REGULARLY TO THE FAR EASTERN ZONE.

"BLOOD IN EXCESS OF THAT NEEDED IN THE COMBAT AREAS WILL BE UTILIZED FOR STOCKPILING PLASMA AND OTHER DERIVATIVES FOR MILITARY USE," IT EXPLAINED.

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(NY) LENOX, MASS., AUG. 20-(AP)-KOREA'S AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES SAID TODAY HE HOPES AND EXPECTS THE UNITED NATIONS TO PUT AN END TO THE SEPARATE NORTH KOREAN STATE WHEN THE FIGHTING IS OVER IN HIS SEVERED COUNTRY.

THE AMBASSADOR, DR. JOHN M.CHANG, SPOKE AT THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF "ELM TREE TALKS" AT "ELM COURT," RESIDENCE OF THE LATE HENRY WHITE, ONETIME U.S. AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE.

THE SERIES IS SPONSORED BY A GROUP OF EDUCATORS, LAWYERS AND LECTURERS WITH THE PROCEEDS FROM ADMISSIONS USED FOR THE RED CROSS AND FOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR KOREAN BOYS IN AMERICAN COLLEGES.

"WHEN THE TIDE OF BATTLE IN KOREA SHALL HAVE TURNED, AND WHEN THE INVADING ARMIES ARE SMASHED AND DESTROYED, IT IS OUR FULL HOPE AND EXPECTATION THAT X X X THE UNITED NATIONS WILL PROCEED TO RESTORE 'PEACE AND SECURITY' IN THE WHOLE NATION.

"IT IS EXPECTED THAT THE EVERWHITE MOUNTAINS, WHICH MARK OUR TRADITIONAL BOUNDARY WITH MANCHURIA, WILL BE RESTORED AS THE NORTHERN LIMIT OF OUR NATION."

DR. CHANG SAID HE THEN EXPECTS THE U.N. WILL HOLD AN ELECTION IN NORTH KOREA TO FILL THE 100 NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SEATS HELD OPEN FOR THE NORTHERNERS IN THE RECENT SOUTH KOREA ELECTIONS.

HE REVIEWED EVENTS IN HIS COUNTRY FROM THE FIRST DAYS OF THE MILITARY OCCUPATION THAT SUCCEEDED THE 40 YEAR-OLD JAPANESE RULE TO THE HARDENING OF THE "TEMPORARY" 38TH PARALLEL BOUNDARY INTO A RIGID POLITICAL BARRIER BETWEEN THE SOVIETS AND THE SOUTH KOREANS.

HE SAID HE APPLAUDED ANY EFFORT TO BRING TRUE PEACE TO HIS COUNTRY, BUT SPOKE AGAINST ANY "COMPROMISE WITH AGGRESSION."

"THERE HAVE BEEN SOME SUGGESTIONS OF A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION," HE SAID. "THE POSITION OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA IN THIS MATTER IS SIMPLE AND CLEAR. OUR PROGRAM CONTAINS NOT THE SLIGHTEST ELEMENTS OF AGGRESSION."

CHANG THEN ADDED:

"IN ALL OUR 4,000 YEARS OF HISTORY, MY PEOPLE HAVE NEVER FOUGHT AN AGGRESSIVE WAR. WE HAVE NO DESIGNS AGAINST THE TERRITORY, THE RIGHTS, OR THE SECURITY OF ANY NATION.

"ALL WE WANT IS RESTORATION OF OUR HOMELAND, UNDER A GOVERNMENT ELECTED BY THE FREE AND FAIR CHOICE OF OUR OWN PEOPLE.

"UNTIL THAT RIGHT IS SECURED, THE TITLE TO FREEDOM OF EVERY NATION MUST REMAIN UNCERTAIN. IF AGGRESSION IS ENCOURAGED BY ONE TRIUMPH, IT WILL SEEK STILL MORE.

"SURELY THIS IS ONELESSON THAT THE 20TH CENTURY HAS HAD MUCH CAUSE TO LEARN."

DR. E.A.J. JOHNSON, DIRECTOR OF ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION FOR KOREA, TOLD THE AUDIENCE OF SOME 400 THAT SOUTH KOREA WAS MAKING SIGNIFICANT PROGRESS UNDER ECA BEFORE THE WAR.

JOHNSON SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS, WITH AMERICAN PARTICIPATION AND ADVICE, "HAD BOOSTED FOOD PRODUCTION ENOUGH TO BECOME NOT ONLY SELF-SUFFICIENT BUT CAPABLE OF EXPORTING 100,000 METRIC TONS OF RICE."

HE DECLARED MORE KOREAN CHILDREN HAD BEEN PLACED IN SCHOOLS THAN EVER BEFORE IN THE HISTORY OF KOREA.

ANOTHER ECA ACCOMPLISHMENT, HE SAID, WAS SWEEPING LAND REFORMS BY WHICH SOME 700,000 ACRES OF FARM LAND WERE SOLD TO TENANTS ON A LIBERAL PAYMENT PLAN.

THE TALKS WERE DELIVERED NEAR A 307-YEAR-OLD ELM TREE UNDER WHICH AMBASSADOR WHITE CONVERSED WITH LEADING FIGURES OF WORLD WAR ONE.

AMONG THOSE WHO MET THERE WITH WHITE, ACCORDING TO THE SPONSORS, WERE THE LATE PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON, GENERAL JOHN J.PERSHING, WINSTON CHURCHILL, AND MARSHALL FOCH AND GENERAL PETAIN OF FRANCE.

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(EDITORS: THE FOLLOWING STORY DEALS WITH WIREPHOTO NY5, MOVED AUG.19)

BY BOB JOHNSON, JR.

DALLAS, AUG.20-(AP)-AN EX-SERGEANT OF INFANTRY SAID TODAY A PICTURE THE COMMUNISTS DESCRIBE AS SHOWING AMERICAN PRISONERS IN KOREA IS STRICTLY A PHONEY. HE SAID IT WAS TAKEN ON A PONTOON BRIDGE HE GUARDED IN FRANCE IN 1944--AND SHOWS EUROPEANS FREED FROM A GERMAN LABOR CAMP.

LLOYD MABRAY, LEAN, BLOND FORMER FIRST SERGEANT WHO NOW MANAGES A DALLAS HAMBURGER DRIVE-IN, SAID THE PICTURE APPEARED IN THE ARMY NEWSPAPER STARS AND STRIPES AND IN A LONDON NEWSPAPER WHILE HE WAS OVERSEAS.

"IT WAS THE IDENTICAL SHOT," HE SAID.

THE PICTURE SHOWS A COLUMN OF MEN MARCHING OVER A PONTOON BRIDGE PAST STONE ARCHWAYS.

THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED GERMAN NEWS AGENCY ADN DISTRIBUTED THE PICTURE YESTERDAY WITH A CAPTION SAYING IT SHOWS AMERICAN PRISONERS OF THE NORTH KOREAN REDS CROSSING A HAN RIVER BRIDGE NEAR SEOUL ON THEIR WAY INTO CAPTIVITY BEHIND THE BATTLE LINES.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS DISTRIBUTED THE PICTURE IN THE UNITED STATES, LABELING IT AS A COMMUNIST RELEASE AND QUOTING THE DESCRIPTION GIVEN BY THE COMMUNISTS.

MABRAY SAW IT TODAY IN THE DALLAS NEWS.

MABRAY SAID THE RIVER IS REALLY THE MOZELLE, IN FRANCE, AND THE FREED EUROPEANS WERE BEING TAKEN TO NANCY, FRANCE. HE SAID THEY LOOKED LIKE AMERICANS BECAUSE THE RED CROSS HAD GIVEN THEM CLOTHES AND THEY HAD PICKED UP OLD UNIFORMS DISCARDED BY AMERICAN SOLDIERS.

"A LOT OF MEN WOULDN'T REMEMBER THAT BRIDGE BECAUSE THEY CROSSED IT AT NIGHT OR UNDER SUCH HEAVY FIRE THEY DIDN'T HAVE TIME TO MAKE ANY MENTAL PICTURES,"MABRAY SAID.

"BUT I GUARDED IT FOR THREE DAYS AND NIGHTS, AND I SURE REMEMBER IT.

"ANOTHER THING, I HAVE THE PICTURE FROM STARS AND STRIPES IN A SCRAPBOOK AT MY HOME IN SALINAS, CALIF., AND I'M GOING TO WRITE FOR IT. I KNOW IT'S THE SAME PICTURE."

LOOKING AT AN ENLARGEMENT OF THE PICTURE, MABRAY POINTED OUT DETAILS OF THE BRIDGE HE SAID HE REMEMBERED. HE NOTED ALSO THAT THE BRIDGE APPEARED SNOW-COVERED.

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ZIT WAS WINTER AND SNOW AS ON THE BRIDGE WHEN I WAS THERE," HE SAID. "I HAVEN'T HEARD OF ANY SNOW IN KOREA AT THIS TIME OF YEAR."

HE SAID THE BRIDGE WAS ABOUT FOUR KILOMETERS FROM A FRENCH VILLAGE WHOSE NAME HE HAD FORGOTTEN. UP AND DOWN THE BANKS OF THE STREAM, HE SAID, WERE FISHING SHACKS.

MABRAY SAID HIS OUTFIT, THE 35TH INFANTRY DIVISION, WAS MOVING TOWARD METZ AT THE TIME HE WAS POSTED TO GUARD THE BRIDGE.

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MABRAY SAID HE REMEMBERED THAT ONE OF THE SOLDIERS GUARDING THE BRIDGE WAS A LIEUTENANT DALEY OF OMAHA, NEB.

HE SAID MEN WHO WERE IN THE 29TH INFANTRY DIVISION AND SOME OF THOSE WHO WERE IN THE 5TH AND 2ND INFANTRY DIVISIONS SHOULD RECOGNIZE THE BRIDGE BECAUSE THEY MADE DAYLIGHT CROSSINGS.

MABRAY SAID HE SAW THE PICTURE IN STARS AND STRIPES JUST BEFORE CHRISTMAS OF 1944. THE STARS AND STRIPES CAPTAIN DESCRIBED THE MEN IN THE PICTURE AS FORMER PRISONERS OF GERMANY AND SAID THEIR CLOTHING WAS GIFTS FROM THE RED CROSS OR CAST-OFF ARMY UNIFORMS.

"STARS AND STRIPES SAID THE MEN WERE CZECHS AND POLES AND A LOT OF OTHER NATIONALITIES," MABRAY SAID.

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AFTER HIS TOUR OF DUTY ON THE BRIDGE, MABRAY SAID, HE MOVED ON UP WITH HIS OUTFIT AND WAS WOUNDED TAKING A PILL BOX NEAR FRANKFURT, GERMANY.

HE SAID HE WAS SENT BACK TO THE 132ND GENERAL HOSPITAL NEAR DERBY, ENGLAND, AND WHILE THERE, IN FEBRUARY OF 1945, SAW THE PICTURE AGAIN ON THE FRONT PAGE OF A LONDON NEWSPAPER, WITH THE SAME CAPTION AS IN STARS AND STRIPES.

"I'M SORRY, BUT I CAN'T REMEMBER THE NAME OF THAT PAPER," HE SAID. "IT SEEMS TO ME IT WAS THE LONDON GAZETTE, BUT I'M NOT EVEN SURE THERE IS A PAPER OF THAT NAME IN LONDON."

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(ADVANCE FOR RELEASE EXPECTED ABOUT 8:30 P.M. EST, TODAY, SUN. AUG. 20)
(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, AUG. 20-(AP)-HALTING THE WORLD'S ARMAMENTS RACE IS AN EVEN GREATER "PROBLEM OF OUR DAY" THAN CURRENT HOSTILITIES IN KOREA, SEN.BRIEN MCMAHON (D-CONN) SAID TODAY.
"IT IS KOREA, I SUPPOSE, THAT MOST PEOPLE NOW REGARD AS THE WORLD'S NO. 1 PROBLEM," THE CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT HOUSE AND SENATE COMMITTEE ON ATOMIC ENERGY TOLD 2,500 DELEGATES AND THEIR GUESTS AT A HADASSAH CONVENTION THAT OPENED TONIGHT.
"I BELIEVE, HOWEVER, THAT KOREA IS NOT THE GREATEST PROBLEM NOW CONFRONTING US," MCMAHON SAID. "I BELIEVE THAT THE SUPREME AND OVERRIDING PROBLEM OF OUR DAY IS HALTING THE ARMAMENTS RACE UPON WHICH THE WORLD IS EMBARKED."
DRIVING THE COMMUNISTS BACK ACROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL IN KOREA WON'T "SOLVE THE HEART PROBLEM OF WORLD PEACE," MCMAHON ASSERTED.
"THE HEART PROBLEM," HE DECLARED, "CONSISTS OF THE FACT THAT WEEK BY WEEK, MONTH BY MONTH AND YEAR BY YEAR, WE DRAW NEARER TO THAT POINT IN TIME WHEN THE SOVIET UNION WILL POSSESS THE CAPABILITY OF DESTROYING IRREVOCABLY OUR CITIES AND OUR CIVILIZATION."
"AS LONG AS THE SOVIETS CONTINUE MANUFACTURING ATOMIC WEAPONS," MCMAHON SAID, "AS LONG AS TANKS ROLL OFF RED ASSEMBLY LINES, AS LONG AS THE SOVIETS CONTINUE BUILDING PLANES CAPABLE OF REACHING OUR CITIES, THERE CAN BE NO RELIEF FROM THE FEAR THAT WEIGHS HEAVILY ON THE FREE WORLD."
AS A SOLUTION, MCMAHON SAID "WE MUST TRY TO COMPOSE OUR DIFFERENCES WITH RUSSIA AT EVERY POINT WHERE THE IRON CURTAIN DIVIDES THE FREE WORLD FROM THE COMMUNIST WORLD."
"IF WE PUT THE ISSUE OF WAR OR PEACE SQUARELY ON THE KREMLIN'S DOORSTEP, WHERE IT BELONGS, WE CAN WIN THE PEACE," MCMAHON SAID.
HE ADDED:
"LAST FEBRUARY AND AGAIN IN MARCH X X X I CALLED FOR A GREAT MORAL CRUSADE FOR PEACE."
MCMAHON SAID THIS CRUSADE WAS "GAINING MOMENTUM" AND CITED AS EVIDENCE THE PROPOSAL BY SEN.WILLIAM BENTON (D-CONN) FOR A MARSHAL PLAN OF IDEAS, PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S POINT FOUR PROGRAM AND STEPPED-UP BROADCASTS BY THE VOICE OF AMERICA.
"IN SUCH APPROACHES," MCMAHON SAID, "I SEE REAL HOPE THAT THE DECENT PEOPLE OF THE WORLD CAN MAKE THEIR OPINIONS FELT EVEN BEHIND THE STONE WALLS OF THE KREMLIN. I SEE REAL HOPE THAT WE CAN PENETRATE THE IRON CURTAIN AND GAIN THE EAR OF THE ORDINARY RUSSIAN--WHO WANTS WAR NO MORE THAN WE DO, AND WHO WILL NOT MARCH AT THE KREMLIN'S ORDERS IF HE KNOWS THE TRUTH."
HADASSAH, A WOMEN'S ZIONIST ORGANIZATION, HAS 1,056 CHAPTERS THROUGHOUT THE U.S. AND CLAIMS 300,000 MEMBERS.
(END ADVANCE FOR RELEASE EXPECTED ABOUT 8:30 P.M., EST, TODAY, SUNDAY, AUG. 20).
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NEW YORK, AUG. 20-(AP)-A NATIONAL EPISCOPAL WEEKLY SAID TODAY THAT 469 PROTESTANT CHURCMAN "FAVOR EVERY EFFORT IN THE DIRECTION OF PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT IN KOREA."
EVEN SUCH PROPOSALS AS INDIA'S--WHICH WOULD SEAT COMMUNIST CHINA IN THE UNITED NATIONS--ARE WORTHY OF CONSIDERATION, THE WEEKLY "THE WITNESS" QUOTED THE CHURCHMEN AS SAYING.
THE WITNESS SAID 27 PROTESTANT DENOMINATIONS ARE REPRESENTED BY THE 469 CHURCHMAN.
THEIR STATEMENT AS QUOTED BY THE WITNESS SAID IN PART:
"WE FAVOR EVERY EFFORT IN THE DIRECTION OF PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT IN KOREA, SUCH AS THE PROPOSALS OF PREMIER NEHRU WHICH INCLUDE THE RECOMMENDATION THAT THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC BE SEATED IN THE UNITED NATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CHARTER, AND OTHER STEPS NECESSARY TO RESTORE THE UNITED NATIONS AS AN EFFECTIVE AGENCY OF MEDIATION.
"THE MORAL ATMOSPHERE IN OUR LAND TODAY IS DANGEROUSLY PESSIMISTIC AND WAR-LIKE. A POSITIVE EFFORT BY THE AMERICAN PEOPLE ON BEHALF OF RECONCILIATION AMONG THE NATIONS IS NEEDED TO CREATE A CLIMATE WHICH WILL CONSTRAIN OUR GOVERNMENT TO GIVE FULLER SUPPORT TO ATTEMPTS AT PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT IN KOREA.
"THE UNITED NATIONS IS OUR GREAT MODERN ACT OF FAITH THAT CONFLICTS LIKE THAT IN KOREA CAN BE SETTLED BY MEANS OTHER THAN WAR. IF WE DO NOT WILL THE MEANS, WE DO NOT WILL THE END."
AMONG CHURCHMEN WHO SIGNED THE STATEMENT, THE WITNESS SAID, WERE FIVE EPISCOPAL AND TWO METHODIST BISHOPS.
THE WEEKLY LISTED THE EPISCOPAL BISHOPS AS BENJAMIN DAGWELL OF OREGON AND W.A.LAWRENCE OF WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS, AND RETIRED BISHOPS WALTER MITCHELL OF ARIZONA, EDWARD L.PARSONS OF CALIFORNIA, AND ROBERT E.GOODEN OF LOS ANGELES.
METHODIST BISHOPS LISTED WERE MARSHALL R. REED OF DETROIT AND JOHN WESLEY LORD OF BOSTON.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SUNDAY, AUG.20)
BY ARTHUR GAVSHON
(ADVANCE)..LONDON, AUG.20-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES WILL TELL ITS ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES TUESDAY THEY ARE DRAGGING THEIR FEET IN THE RACE TO REARM AGAINST RUSSIA.
INFORMED SOURCES SAID THIS WORD WILL BE PASSED TO THE 12-NATION COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES BY ITS AMERICAN CHAIRMAN, CHARLES M.SPOFFORD, AT ITS SECOND SESSION HERE.
SPOFFORD, JUST BACK FROM WASHINGTON AFTER PRESIDING AT THE FIRST TALKS LAST MONTH, IS EXPECTED TO TELL HIS COLLEAGUES THAT THEIR PLANS FAIL TO PROVIDE ENOUGH MANPOWER, SKIMP ON THE SWITCHOVER FROM PEACE TO WAR PRODUCTION, ARE TOO SLOW AND LEAN TOO HEAVILY ON THE UNITED STATES FOR MONEY, MEN AND MATERIALS.
SPOFFORD TOLD NEWSMEN THAT HE FOUND IN WASHINGTON "A VERY GREAT DETERMINATION THAT THE UNITED STATES IS PREPARED TO DO ITS FULL PART IN THE SPEEDY BUILD UP OF THE DEFENSES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA--BASED ON THE CONFIDENCE THAT THE OTHER MEMBERS ARE PREPARED TO DO THEIR FULL PART."
"RETURNING NOW FOR THE SECOND SESSION, WE HOPE TO TAKE OTHER CONCRETE STEPS IN THAT DIRECTION." HE ADDED.
IMMEDIATE JOB OF THE DEPUTIES IS TO ARM AND MAN WESTERN DEFENSES FROM THE ARCTIC TO THE AEGEAN INSIDE THE NEXT TWO YEARS. FOUR MAIN SUBJECTS ON THEIR AGENDA FOR TUESDAY:
1. MANPOWER. HERE THE IMMEDIATE POSER IS HOW TO TREBLE--AT LEAST--THE COMBAT FORCES AVAILABLE FOR DEFENDING EUROPE. PRESENT ESTIMATED WESTERN STRENGTH IN EUROPE IS AROUND 14 DIVISIONS. THE IDEA IS TO HAVE A CENTRAL WESTERN ARMY BASED IN EUROPE.

2. MONEY. THE FRENCH HAVE SUGGESTED FINANCING THE OVERALL REARMAMENT PROGRAM BY SETTING UP A POOL TO WHICH EACH NATION WOULD CONTRIBUTE PROPORTIONATELY. ECONOMICALLY WEAK NATIONS WOULD GET MORE HELP THAN ECONOMICALLY STRONG NATIONS. THE BRITISH HAVE A COUNTER-PLAN WHICH THEY BASE ON "FAIR SHARES FOR ALL." IT'S STILL SECRET.

3. ARMS. THE PROBLEM IS TO GET PRODUCTION WHEELS ROLLING AT ONCE, WITHOUT TOO GREATLY DAMAGING INDIVIDUAL ECONOMIC RECOVERY PROGRAMS. ALL AGREE SACRIFICES BY INDIVIDUAL NATIONS ARE INEVITABLE. FEW AGREE ON THE EXTENT TO WHICH EXTRA BURDENS SHOULD BE UNDERTAKEN.

4. ORGANIZATION. THIS INCLUDES SETTING UP AN INTERNATIONAL STAFF AND PROVIDING FOR MUCH CLOSER COORDINATION BETWEEN THE PARTNERSHIP'S SEVERAL AGENCIES.

THE AMERICAN ARGUMENT IS THAT SOME EUROPEAN NATIONS FAIL SUFFICIENTLY TO GRASP THE URGENCY OF THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

FRENCH INSISTENCE, FOR INSTANCE, THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD SEND A MINIMUM OF SIX DIVISIONS TO BE BASED PERMANENTLY IN EUROPE IS HELD TO LEAVE OUT OF ACCOUNT THE AMERICAN EFFORT IN KOREA.

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THE FRENCH COUNTER THAT BY POINTING TO THEIR BURDEN IN STRIFE-TORN INDOCHINA WHERE 150,000 TROOPS ARE TRYING TO BEAT DOWN A RED-LED NATIONAL REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT.

THE COMPLAINT AGAINST BRITAIN SEEMS TO BE THAT AT THE END OF THIS COUNTRY'S THREE-YEAR $9,520,000,000 DEFENSE PROGRAM--FOR WHICH THE U.S. IS ASKED TO HELP PAY--THERE WILL BE FEW IF ANY MORE COMBAT DIVISIONS UNDER ARMS.

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ONE THING THE BRITISH ARE PLANNING TO DO: RAISE THE TERM OF SERVICE IN THE NATION'S CONSCRIPT ARMY FROM 18 TO 24 MONTHS. ADDITIONALLY SOME CLASSES OF ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE RESERVISTS MAY BE CALLED UP.

IN THE AMERICAN VIEW THE CURRENT ARMS RACE MUST END IN PARTIAL IF NOT FULLSCALE MOBILIZATION.

IT'S AN OPEN SECRET AMONG OFFICIALS HERE THAT THE DEPUTIES ARE A LONG WAY FROM AGREEMENT OVER THESE AND OTHER TANGLED ISSUES BEFORE THEM.

IF DIFFERENCES CONTINUE THEY WILL COME UP BEFORE THE PACT'S COUNCIL OF FOREIGN MINISTERS WHO GET TOGETHER IN NEW YORK NEXT MONTH.

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BY GLENN WILLIAMS

(ADVANCE) LONDON, AUG. 20-(AP)-BRITAIN'S LABOR PARTY CALLED TODAY FOR A NEW, LONG TERM "WORLD PLAN FOR MUTUAL AID" TO SUCCEED THE MARSHALL PLAN IN 1952.

THE IDEA IS TO BEAT COMMUNISM WITH BUTTER INSTEAD OF GUNS.

BRITAIN AND OTHER FREE WESTERN NATIONS WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO IT AS WELL AS THE UNITED STATES.

THE PARTY'S POWERFUL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, WHICH INCLUDES PRIME MINISTER CLEMENT ATTLEE AND SEVERAL OTHER CABINET MEMBERS, SET FORTH THE IDEA IN A PAMPHLET LAYING OUT, IN GENERAL TERMS, SOME OF ITS IDEAS FOR A NEW ELECTION PLATFORM.

THE PAMPHLET, ENTITLED "LABOR AND THE NEW SOCIETY", CALLED ALSO FOR ARMED DEFENSES "STRONG ENOUGH TO RESIST AGGRESSION."

BUT, IT ADDED, "RELIANCE ON ARMED STRENGTH IS NOT ENOUGH. THE DEMOCRACIES MUST BE POSITIVE, CONSTRUCTIVE AND PROGRESSIVE, NOT MERELY DEFENSIVE. THEY SHOULD LAUNCH A PROGRAM OF MUTUAL AID FOR WORLD ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

IT SAW A NEW, LONG RANGE ECONOMIC PLAN AS AN ESSENTIAL DEFENSE AGAINST THE ONRUSH OF RUSSIAN-LED COMMUNISM.

"RISING STANDARDS OF LIVING ARE THE STRONGEST DEFENSE AGAINST INFILTRATION BY COMMUNISM AND FASCISM," THE BOOKLET SAID. "POVERTY AND DESPAIR ARE THEIR BEST ALLIES."

MORGAN PHILLIPS, SECRETARY OF THE PARTY, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT BRITAIN ITSELF WOULD TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN PROPOSING AND PLANNING SUCH A PROGRAM. HE SAID IT WOULD CARRY FURTHER THE IDEA EXPRESSED IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S INAUGURAL ADDRESS OF HELPING DEVELOP "BACKWARD AREAS" OF THE WORLD.

THE PARTY STATEMENT SAID "WORK SHOULD START NOW ON THE PREPARATION" OF THE NEW PROGRAM, ALTHOUGH THE MARSHALL PLAN STILL HAS SOME TWO YEARS TO RUN. PHILLIPS ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE UNITED STATES ALREADY IS AT WORK ON FUTURE PLANS FOR ECONOMIC RECOVERY OF THE REST OF THE WORLD.

"ALL THE FREE PEOPLES WOULD BE EXPECTED TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE WORLD PLAN ACCORDING TO THEIR ABILITY," THE PARTY SAID. "THE PLAN WOULD BE CARRIED OUT THROUGH PUBLIC AS WELL AS PRIVATE INVESTMENT, THROUGH NATIONAL AS WELL AS INTERNATIONAL ACTION, THROUGH COLONIAL DEVELOPMENT AS WELL AS THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS.

"THE GUIDING PURPOSE OF SUCH A PLAN WOULD BE TO HELP THE POORER PEOPLES TO HELP THEMSELVES, AND THE EXTENSION OF DEMOCRATIC SELF GOVERNMENT WOULD ACCOMPANY ECONOMIC PROGRESS."

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PHILLIPS SAID THAT RUSSIA AND OTHER COMMUNIST NATIONS WOULD NOT BE SPECIFICALLY EXCLUDED FROM SUCH A PLAN BUT DECLARED "WE WOULD NOT WANT A VETO." THIS APPARENTLY WOULD EXCLUDE THE RUSSIANS, ANYHOW.

FRANCE'S SCHUMAN PLAN FOR UNITING EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL INDUSTRIES WAS NOT DISCUSSED. A PREVIOUS PARTY PUBLICATION ON EUROPEAN UNITY REJECTED ANY KIND OF SUPRANATIONAL ORGANIZATION WHICH COULD DICTATE ECONOMIC DECISIONS TO MEMBER NATIONS.

THE PARTY BACKTRACKED ON AN ASSERTION IN A PREVIOUS PAMPHLET THAT BRITAIN COULD COOPERATE ONLY WITH SOCIALIST GOVERNMENTS.

"WE DO NOT EXPECT ALL THE COUNTRIES WITH WHICH WE COOPERATE TO BE SOCIALIST," THE NEW PAMPHLET SAID. ALL WE ASK IS THAT THEY SHOULD HAVE SUFFICIENT MASTERY OVER THEIR OWN ECONOMIC SYSTEMS TO FULFIL THEIR OBLIGATIONS IN INTERNATIONAL PLANNING."

THE PUBLICATION WILL BE LAID BEFORE THE PARTY'S ANNUAL CONFERENCE FOR DISCUSSION IN OCTOBER. AFTER THE CONFERENCE, THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE WILL DRAW UP AN ELECTION PLATFORM "THE MOMENT IT IS NECESSARY."

POLITICAL OBSERVERS OF BOTH PARTIES EXPECT THE LABOR GOVERNMENT TO STAY IN OFFICE AT LEAST UNTIL NEXT SPRING, DESPITE ITS SHAKY MAJORITY IN PARLIAMENT.

THE PAMPHLET SET A LIMIT TO MORE SOCVAL WELFARE MEASURES, HEMMING IT IN BY DEFENSE NEEDS AND THE REQUIREMENT TO PRODUCE MORE GOODS MORE EFFICIENTLY AND MORE CHEAPLY.

IT SAID STATE OWNERSHIP OF IRON AND STEEL WILL BE CARRIED THROUGH. THE NATIONALIZATION LAW REQUIRES THE GOVERNMENT TO TAKE OVEC THE INDUSTRY BY THE END OF DECEMBER, 1951.

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SUCH INDUSTRIES AS CEMENT AND SUGAR ALSO WILL BE NATIONALIZED, PHILLIPS SAID, ALTHOUGH THE GENERALIZED PAMPHLET DID NOT SAY SO.

THE PARTY STATEMENT SHOWED A CONSIDERABLE SHIFT IN EMPHASIS.

INTERNATIONAL ISSUES NOW TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER DOMESTIC PROBLEMS, AND THE PANACEA OF STATE OWNERSHIP ADVOCATED IN 1945 HAS ALTERED.

"PUBLIC OWNERSHIP CAN TAKE MANY FORMS," THE PARTY SAID. AMONG THESE IT LISTED MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP, COMPETITIVE PUBLIC ENTERPRISES TO COMPETE WITH PRIVATE FIRMS, CO-OPERATIVES, AND THE LEASING OF STATE OWNED FACTORIES TO PRIVATE MANUFACTURERS.

"MONOPOLIES," IT ADDED, "WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO PUBLIC OWNERSHIP IF THEY CANNOT BE DEALT WITH IN ANY OTHER WAY."

THE PARTY CONDEMNED PRICE RINGS AND OTHER BUSINESS AGREEMENTS SUCH AS WOULD BE PROSECUTED UNDER AMERICAN LAW BUT SET OUT NO CLEAR POLICY OF DEALING WITH THEM.

THE PAMPHLET DISCLOSED APPARENT DISSATISFACTION IN THE PARTY AT THE WAY SOME STATE OWNED INDUSTRIES ARE WORKING. IT PROPOSED THAT "THERE SHOULD, FROM TIME TO TIME, BE INDEPENDENT REVIEWS OF EACH PUBLIC INDUSTRY."

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LONDON, MONDAY, AUG. 21-(AP)-TWO LONDON NEWSPAPERS SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES IS SPEEDING UP PLANS TO BASE A HUGE FIGHTER AND BOMBER AIR FLEET IN BRITAIN.

THE LABORITE DAILY HERALD SAID ABOUT "1,000 AMERICAN AIRCRAFT MIGHT BE BASED" IN BRITAIN AS PART OF NEW PLANS FOR WESTERN EUROPEAN AIR DEFENSE. THE NEWSPAPER ADDED:

"ALTHOUGH PLANS HAVE BEEN DRAWN UP TO INCREASE CONSIDERABLY THE NUMBER OF UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BOMBERS BASED IN BRITAIN, NO DETAILS AS TO NUMBER ARE AVAILABLE FOR SECURITY REASONS.

"BUT IT IS KNOWN INSTRUCTIONS HAVE BEEN GIVEN FOR A LARGE NUMBER OF WARTIME BOMBER AIRFIELDS TO BE REOPENED AND EXTENDED FOR USE BY THE LARGEST BOMBER NOW IN SERVICE, THE SUPERFORTRESS."

THE LIBERAL NEWS CHRONICLE SAID THE EXPANSION PLANS "ARE BELIEVED TO ENVISAGE BASING IN BRITAIN A FORCE OF SEVERAL HUNDRED LONG RANGE BOMBERS PLUS AN ADEQUATE FIGHTER FORCE FOR DEFENSIVE PURPOSES."

THE AMERICANS ALREADY ARE USING THREE AIRFIELDS IN BRITAIN TO BASE BOMBERS. U.S. AIR FORCE SPOKESMEN HERE WERE NOT AVAILABLE FOR COMMENT ON THE REPORTED EXPANSION PLAN. DASH

IN WASHINGTON, AIR FORCE OFFICIALS HAD NO COMMENT ON THE REPORTS IN THE TWO LONDON PAPERS THAT THE UNITED STATES PLANNED TO EXPAND ITS FORCES IN BRITAIN.

THE USAF FOR SOME TIME HAS HAD THREE BOMBER GROUPS OPERATING FROM BRITISH FIELDS ON A ROTATIONAL TRAINING PROGRAM. RECENTLY A FIGHTER GROUP WAS ADDED. THE PURPOSE IS TO GIVE AMERICAN FLIERS EXPERIENCE IN THAT THEATER.

ALTHOUGH THERE WAS NO STATEMENT FROM AMERICAN AUTHORITIES, THE GENERAL IDEA OF EXPANDING U.S.AIR OPERATIONS IS IN LINE WITH THE GRAND STRATEGY OF THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE NATIONS. UNDER THAT PLAN, ADOPTED BY DEPUTY MINISTERS SEVERAL MONTHS AGO AND SINCE APPROVED BY THEIR GOVERNMENTS, THE U.S.HAS THE PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR STRATEGIC BOMBING AND NAVAL POWER OPERATIONS.

BECAUSE OF THIS PLAN, WHICH HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED, IT HAS BEEN EXPECTED THAT AS AIR STRENGTH BECAME AVAILABLE THIS COUNTRY WOULD INCREASE THE SIZE OF ITS FORCES IN EUROPE. THE FRENCH RECENTLY HAS ASKED FOR MORE DIVISIONS OF AMERICAN TROOPS IN EUROPE. WHILE THESE ARE NOT NOW AVAILABLE, DIPLOMATIC AUTHORITIES HAVE FELT THAT INITIAL MOVES TO REASSURE THE FRENCH MIGHT INCLUDE DISPOSITION OF ADDITIONAL AIR UNITS IN EUROPE.

BRITISH FIELDS WERE A CENTER OF U.S.AIR OPERATIONS IN THAT THEATER IN WORLD WAR II.

AIR SECRETARY THOMAS K.FINLETTER AND UNDERSECRETARY JOHN A.MC CONE FLEW TO EUROPE LAST WEEK BUT THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL INDICATION AS TO PURPOSE OF THEIR MISSION. USUALLY INFORMED CIRCLES HELD THE BELIEF THEIR TRIP INCLUDED TALKS ON AIR POWER WITH TOP AIR OFFICIALS IN SOME OF THE MAJOR NORTH ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS.

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LONDON, AUG. 20-(AP)-BULGARIA ACCUSED NEIGHBORING YUGOSLAVIA TONIGHT OF INDISCRIMINATELY IMPRISONING AND PERSECUTING BULGARIAN CITIZENS.

IT SAID IN A NOTE TO THE YUGOSLAV FOREIGN MINISTRY THAT AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF BULGARIANS HAD BEEN IMPRISONED--WITHOUT CHARGES--IN THE PAST YEAR. IT ADDED THAT BULGARIAN OFFICIALS IN BELGRADE HAVE BEEN "DEPRIVED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING WHICH BULGARIAN CITIZENS PRECISELY ARE BEING KEPT IN PRISONS OF THE YUGOSLAV SECRET POLICE AND IN CONCENTRATION CAMPS AND WHICH OF THEM HAVE BEEN SENTENCED AND ON WHAT GROUNDS."

THE CHARGES WERE CONTAINED IN A NOTE SENT TO YUGOSLAV PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S FOREIGN MINISTRY AUG. 17 BUT DISCLOSED TONIGHT BY THE BULGARIAN TELEGRAPH AGENCY, BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO, AND HEARD HERE.

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STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 20-(AP)-DETAILED PLANS FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY WITH AN INTERNATIONAL DEFENSE MINISTER AS PROPOSED BY WINSTON CHURCHILL APPEARED TODAY TO HAVE BEEN JUNKED BY THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY'S SUBCOMMITTEE ON SECURITY.

LEON MACCAS OF GREECE, SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, SAID IT WOULD PROBABLY CONTENT ITSELF WITH A DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES AT ITS MEETING TOMORROW INSTEAD OF TRYING TO WORK OUT A COMPLETE ARMY PLAN.

MACCAS LEFT TODAY FOR ATHENS BECAUSE OF THE POLITICAL CRISIS BROUGHT ON BY THE FALL OF THE PLASTIRAS GOVERNMENT.

OTHER OFFICIALS PREDICTED THE SUBCOMMITTEE WOULD BRING OUT A PROJECT FOR A EUROPEAN DEFENSE CONVENTION AND PROVIDE FOR "PROPER DEMOCRATIC CONTROL" THROUGH THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, THE CONTINENT'S UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT.

THE ASSEMBLY IS THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT.
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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG. 20-(AP)-A GATHERING OF 10,000 GERMANS APPLAUDED WILDLY TODAY WHEN SPEAKERS AT THE FIRST INTERNATIONAL SOCIALIST RALLY HERE SINCE 1928 CONDEMNED PROPOSALS FOR REARMING GERMANY.

DR. ERICH OLLENHAUER, DEPUTY CHAIRMAN OF THE WEST GERMAN SOCIALISTS, DECLARED THAT CONDITIONS IN WESTERN GERMANY ARE TOO UNSETTLED FOR SUCH AN "ADVENTURE" AS REMILITARIZATION.

HIS DECLARATION CAME ONLY TWO DAYS AFTER WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR DR. KONRAD ADENAUER WAS QUOTED AS PROPOSING CREATION OF A WEST GERMAN DEFENSE FORCE EQUAL IN SIZE AND STRENGTH TO THE POWERFUL EAST GERMAN "PEOPLES' ARMY." INFORMED BERLIN ESTIMATES PUT THIS COMMUNIST FORCE AT ABOUT 80,000 MEN AND SAY IT IS STILL BEING ENLARGED.

"WE (GERMAN SOCIALISTS) SAY "NO" TO GERMAN REMILITARIZATION BECAUSE IT WOULD ONLY HAVE POLITICAL AND PSYCHOLOGICA DISADVANTAGES AND WOULD SERVE NOBODY," SAID OLLENHAUER.

SOLOMON GRUMBACH, LEADING FRENCH SOCIALIST, LED OFF THE ATTACK BY DECLARING THAT REMILITARIZATION WOULD DESTROY THE NEW WEST GERMAN DEMOCRACY AND AROUSE SUSPICION IN OTHER COUNTRIES.

FRENCH SOCIALISTS FLATLY REJECT THE IDEA OF GERMAN REMILITARIZATION, GRUMBACH SAID, ADDING THAT THE OCCUPATIONAL POWERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE.

NEITHER GRUMBACH NOR OLLENHAUER REFERRED DIRECTLY TO PROPOSALS FOR SETTING UP A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY IN WHICH GERMANS WOULD SERVE, BUT THEIR REMARKS INDICATED THEY OPPOSED THE ARMING OF GERMANS UNDER ANY CONDITIONS.

GERMAN SOCIALISTS -- PRINCIPAL OPPOSITION PARTY TO THE GOVERNMENT COALITION HEADED BY ADENAUER -- CONSISTENTLY HAVE OPPOSED PROPOSALS FOR GERMAN MILITARIZATION.

FRITZ STERNBERG OF NEW YORK CITY, WHO SAID HE IS A WRITER, TOLD THE RALLY THE UNITED STATES SHOULD HELP WIPE OUT FEUDALISM IN ASIA IF IT IS TO COMBAT COMMUNISM SUCCESSFULLY.

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DORTMUND, GERMANY, AUG. 20-(AP)-TWO GERMAN POLICEMEN WERE INJURED HERE TODAY WHEN THEY WERE ATTACKED BY COMMUNISTS TRYING TO HOLD A MEETING IN DEFIANCE OF A POLICE BAN.

THE COMMUNISTS--MEMBERS OF A SO-CALLED "PEACE COMMITTEE"-- HAD ASSEMBLED IN THE CITY SQUARE. THE POLICE ORDERED THEM TO DISPERSE. THE COMMUNISTS REFUSED. WHEN THE POLICE TRIED TO BREAK UP THE MEETING, STICK WIELDING COMMUNISTS ATTACKED THEM.

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HONG KONG, AUG.20-(AP)-THREE HUNDRED ANTI-COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE STORMED THE TOWN OF KWANGNING TODAY AND FOUGHT A TWO-HOUR STREET BATTLE WITH RED SOLDIERS.

KWANGNING IS 75 MILES NORTHWEST OF CANTON.

THE INDEPENDENT HONG KONG PAPER WAH KIU YAT PO, WHICH REPORTED THE RAID, SAID 40 OF THE RED GARRISON AND 13 TO 15 OF THE GUERRILLAS WERE KILLED AND THAT THE GUERRILLAS BURNED A NUMBER OF BUILDINGS AND TOOK AWAY 50 BAGS OF RICE.

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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, [illegible] 20-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER DAVID BEN-GURION DECLARED LAST NIGHT ISRAEL WOULD RESIST ATTEMPTS BY ANY POWER TO IMPOSE ITS IDEOLOGIES UPON THIS COUNTRY.

HE DID NOT REFER TO ANY COUNTRY BY NAME. HE MADE THE COMMENT IN ADDRESSING A CLOSING SESSION OF THE MAPAI PARTY, WHICH IS ANTI-COMMUNIST. HE LEADS THE PARTY.

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ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT, AUG. 20-(AP)-INFORMANTS SAID THE ARAB STATES TONIGHT ADOPTED AN ATTITUDE OF STUBBORN NEUTRALITY IN THE EAST-WEST CONFLICT BECAUSE OF WHAT THEY TERM "UNFAIR TREATMENT" FROM THE WESTERN POWERS.

THE POLICY WAS AGREED ON, THE SOURCES SAID, BY THE SEVEN-NATION ARAB LEAGUE'S POLITICAL COMMITTEE, COMPOSED OF TOP ARAB LEADERS. IT WAS BASED ON THE FAILURE OF THE WEST TO RECOGNIZE WHAT IS REGARDED AS THE "NATIONAL ASPIRATIONS" OF THE ARAB STATES.

OBSERVERS SAID THEY THOUGHT THE NEW ACTION MOST LIKELY CONSTITUTED A THREAT TO THE WEST TO OBTAIN WHAT THE ARAB STATES FEEL IS THEIR DUE.

ABDEL RAHMAN AZZAM PASHA, LEAGUE SECRETARY-GENERAL, TOLD A REPORTER THE COMMITTEE HAD DECIDED THE ARAB STATES NO LONGER WILL BASE THEIR POLICY ON "LINES OF EAST AND WEST." INSTEAD THEIR POLICY WILL BE BASED ON THE NATIONAL ASPIRATIONS OF THE ARAB STATES AND INTERNATIONAL PEACE, HE SAID.

AN OFFICIAL LEAGUE STATEMENT SAID THE ARAB COUNTRIES NOW ARE RECEIVING "UNFAIR TREATMENT" AND IN THIS LIGHT WILL FORMULATE THEIR POLICIES IN THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

QUALIFIED INFORMANTS OUTLINED ARAB ASPIRATIONS AS:

1--ABILITY TO OBTAIN MORE ARMAMENTS. ARAB LEADERS FEEL THE WEST HAS BEEN DELINQUENT IN MAKING ARMS AVAILABLE.

2--MEETING EGYPT'S DEMANDS FOR AUNION OF THE ANGLO-EGYPTIAN SUDAN WITH EGYPT AND THE EVACUATION OF BRITISH TROOPS FROM THE SUEZ CANAL ZONE.

3--RECOGNITION OF ARAB INTERESTS IN THE SOLUTION OF THE PALESTINE PROBLEM.

THE OBSERVERS POINTED OUT THAT THE UNITED STATES IS WIDELY BLAMED IN ARAB COUNTRIES FOR WHAT IS REGARDED AS WASHINGTON'S OPEN SUPPORT OF ISRAEL.

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THE COMMITTEE ALSO DECIDED TO CONTINUE SUPPORTING NATIONALIST CHINA IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

AZZAM PASHA SAID THE COMMITTEES HAD AGREED TO ACCEPT AN IRAQI AMENDMENT TO THE LEAGUE'S COLLECTIVE SECURITY PACT SIGNED LAST JUNE BY EGYPT, SYRIA, LEBANON, SAUDI ARABIA AND YEMEN.

HE SAID THE AMENDMENT CALLS FOR A COUNCIL OF CHIEFS OF STAFF AS A SUPERVISORY BODY. THIS WAS PREVIOUSLY OPPOSED BY EGYPT ON THE GROUNDS THAT IT WOULD BRING IN JOHN GLUBB PASHA, BRITISH HEAD OF JORDAN'S ARAB LEGION.

AZZAM PASHA SAID IRAQ IS EXPECTED TO SIGN THE PACT NEXT MONTH. IF SHE DOES, THIS WILL LEAVE ONLY JORDAN TO ADD HER SIGNATURE. THERE IS NO INDICATION WHETHER THE LATTER WILL SIGN.

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SEAGRAVE BUDGET (750)

BY DOUGLAS LACKERSTEEN

RANGOON, BURMA, AUG.20-(AP)-DR. GORDON ROBERT S.SEAGRAVE, KNOWN TO MILLIONS AS THE "BURMA SURGEON," HAS BEEN ARRESTED ON SUSPICION OF AIDING KAREN REBELS, THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT DISCLOSED TODAY.

THE U.S. EMBASSY VIEWED THE ARREST OF THE 53-YEAR OLD AMERICAN SURGEON WHO HAS SPENT A LIFETIME GIVING MEDICAL CARE TO THE BURMESE PEOPLE, AS A SERIOUS MATTER." IT WITHHELD DETAILED COMMENT.

SEAGRAVE, A LIEUTENANT COLONEL IN THE MEDICAL CORPS OF THE U.S. ARMY WHEN HE ACCOMPANIED THE LATE GEN. JOSEPH STILWELL ON HIS FAMOUS 1942 JUNGLE RETREAT THROUGH BURMA TO INDIA, WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY ON FRIDAY AT HIS MISSION HOSPITAL AT NAMKHAM, NEAR THE CHINESE-BURMESE BORDER. HE WAS FLOWN TO RANGOON YESTERDAY UNDER HEAVY GUARD AND IS BEING HELD AT AN UNDISCLOSED JAIL HERE.

NO FORMAL CHARGES HAVE YET BEEN LAID AGAINST SEAGRAVE. OFFICIALS SAID HE WOULD APPEAR SHORTLY BEFORE A BURMESE COURT. A BURMESE GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID SEAGRAVE IS SUSPECTED OF AIDING THE KARENS, WHO HAVE BEEN FIGHTING FOR TWO YEARS, SEEKING TO SET UP AN INDEPENDENT STATE.

THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT HAS GIVEN PERMISSION FOR AMERICAN OFFICIALS TO VISIT SEAGRAVE IN RANGOON AND LEGAL COUNSEL IS BEING ARRANGED FOR HIM.

AN AMERICAN EMBASSY OFFICIAL SAID SEAGRAVE IS "IN GOOD HEALTH AND RECEIVING GOOD TREATMENT." THE EMBASSY SUPPLIED HIM WITH CERTAIN MATERIAL COMFORTS HE REQUESTED.

A BURMESE GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THE GOVERNMENT HAD REASON TO BELIEVE, THAT SEAGRAVE AIDED THE KACHIN REBEL CHIEF NAW SENG TO ESCAPE ACROSS THE CHINESE BORDER. NAW SENG HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTING TO OVERTHROW THE KACHIN STATE GOVERNMENT.

NAW SENG LAST YEAR JOINED HIS KACHIN REBEL FORCES WITH THE KARENS AND TOGETHER THEY CAPTURED THE CENTRAL BURMA CITY OF TOUNGOO. GOVERNMENT FORCES LATER OVERWHELMED THE REBELS. NAW SENG WAS REPORTED TO HAVE ESCAPED ACROSS THE BORDER AND JOINED CHINESE COMMUNIST FORCES.

KACHIN REBELS SAID TO HAVE BEEN COMMANDED BY NAW SENG LAST SEPTEMBER OCCUPIED NAMKHAM, THE TOWN WHERE DR. SEAGRAVE'S FAMOUS HOSPITAL IS LOCATED. IT LIES 80 MILES NORTH OF LASHIO, THE STARTING POINT OF THE WARTIME BURMA ROAD TO CHINA.

KACHIN STATE TROOPS DROVE OUT THE REBELS AFTER A FIERCE BATTLE RAGED AROUND THE SEAGRAVE HOSPITAL WHERE THE REBELS WERE ENTRENCHED.

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BURMA HAS BEEN PLAGUED BY CIVIL WAR SINCE IT WON ITS INDEPENDENCE FROM THE BRITISH IN JANUARY, 1948. MUCH OF THE FIGHTING HAS BEEN BETWEEN GOVERNMENT FORCES AND REBEL TRIBESMEN. ONLY A WEEK AGO, SAW BA U GYI "PREMIER" OF THE KAREN REBELS, WAS SLAIN BY GOVERNMENT TROOPS.

SEAGRAVE, THE YOUNGEST OF FOUR CHILDREN WAS BORN TO AN AMERICAN MISSIONARY FAMILY IN THARRAWADDY, SOUTH BURMA IN 1897. HE LEARNED TO SPEAK IN THE KAREN LANGUAGE BEFORE HE LEARNED ENGLISH. HIS FATHER, THE REV. A.S. SEAGRAVE, GRANDATHER GREAT-GRANDFATHER AND SEVERAL AUNTS AND UNCLES HAD BEEN BAPTIST MISSIONARIES IN BURMA. HE RECEIVED HIS M.D. DEGREE FROM JOHNS HOPKINS IN 1921, AND STARTED HIS MISSION HOSPITAL WITH A WASTEBASKETFUL OF MEDICAL INSTRUMENTS DISCARDED BY A BALTIMORE HOSPITAL.

SEAGRAVE'S FAMOUS 1942 TREK WITH HIS CLOSE FRIEND, GEN.STILWELL, WHEN THEY WERE PUSHED WESTWARD BY THE INVADING JAPANESE, WAS RECOUNTED IN HIS BEST-SELLER "BURMA SURGEON." THE SEQUEL "BURMA SURGEON RETURNS," THE STORY OF VICTORY OVER THE JAPANESE, HAS ENJOYED AN EQUALLY LARGE CIRCULATION. THE BOOKS WON HIM THE TITLE "BURMASURGEON."

THE SURGEON, GRAY-HAIRED AND OF MEDIUM HEIGHT, IS HIGHLY REGARDED BY HIS BURMESE NURSES WHOM HE TRAINED HIMSELF. HIS FIRST PUPIL WAS A KACHIN AND WHILE HE TALKED TO HER IN KACHIN HE TAUGHT ANOTHER GIRL, A SHAN, SPEAKING IN THE SHAN LANGUAGE.

FOR NEARLY A QUARTER CENTURY SEAGRAVE HAS CONDUCTED A ONE-MAN WAR AGAINST DISEASE AND HUMAN SUFFERING IN THE WILDS OF BURMA. "ALL I WANTED," HE WROTE, "WAS PLENTY OF JUNGLE AND THOUSANDS OF SICK PEOPLE TO TREAT, PREFERABLY WITH SURGERY."

HE GOT HIS WISH WHEN WAR CAME TO BURMA. REGARDLESS OF PERSONAL RISK, DR.SEAGRAVE WAS THROWN INTO THE THICK OF THE FIGHTING. HE PERFORMED THE MOST DIFFICULT SURGICAL OPERATIONS WITH SCANTY AND SOMETIMES CRUDE EQUIPMENT. HE SOMETIMES OPERATED UNINTERRUPTEDLY FOR AS LONG AS 36 HOURS WHILE SHELLS AND BOMBS FELL ALL AROUND HIS FRONT-LINE HOSPITALS.

HE ORGANIZED MEDICAL UNITS TO SERVE THE CHINESE ARMY OVER A FRONT EXTENDING SEVERAL HUNDRED MILES. IN RECOGNITION OF HIS SERVICES THE BRITISH ARMY OFFERED HIM A COMMISSION AS A LIEUTENANT COLONEL, WHICH HE REFUSED FOR FEAR OF LOSING HIS UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP. HE WAS HONORED WITH A DECORATION BY KING GEORGE VI AND RECEIVED THE U.S. ORDER OF THE PURPLE HEART.

WHEN STILWELL ARRIVED TO TAKE COMMAND OF THE AMERICAN ARMY IN BURMA, SEAGRAVE'S MEDICAL UNITS WERE TRANSFERRED FROM THE BRITISH LIAISON MISSION TO THE AMERICAN ARMY. HE WAS FIRST COMMISSIONED AS A MAJOR AND WAS ELEVATED TO THE RANK OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL WITH THE MEDICAL CORPS OF THE U.S. ARMY.

HE, WITH HIS FRAIL-LOOKING BUT CHEERFUL AND COURAGEOUS NURSES MADE THE RETREAT TO INDIA WITH STILWELL. AT FIRST THEY TRAVELED IN TRUCKS AND JEEPS BUT LATER HAD TO PLOD THEIR WAY THROUGH THICKEST JUNGLE. BY SHEER WILL-POWER, THEY MANAGED TO GET TO INDIA.

SEAGRAVE CAME TO THE UNITED STATES WITH HIS FAMILY WHEN HE WAS 12 YEARS OLD. THEY SETTLED IN THE UNIVERSITY TOWN OF GRANVILLE, OHIO. HE WORKED HIS WAY THROUGH DENISON UNIVERSITY THERE AND WAS GRADUATED IN ARTS. HE RETURNED TO BURMA IN 1922, WHEN HE SET UP HIS FIRST CRUDE HOSPITAL AT NAMKHAM.

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(EDITOR'S NOTE: DANIEL DE LUCE, PULITZER PRIZE-WINNING CORRESPONDENT OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, WAS IN BURMA DURING THE WAR WITH DR.GORDON S.SEAGRAVE. HE GIVES HIS RECOLLECTIONS OF THE FAMED DOCTOR IN THIS DISPATCH FROM BERLIN, DE LUCE'S PRESENT POST.)

WITH RANGOON

BY DANIEL DE LUCE

BERLIN, AUG. 20-(AP)-TENS OF THOUSANDS OF DR.GORDON S.SEAGRAVE'S ADMIRERS AROUND THE WORLD WILL BE SHOCKED AT TODAY'S ACTION OF THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT IN JAILING THE "BURMA SURGEON" IN RANGOON ON SUSPICION OF COLLABORATING WITH REBEL KARENS.

"MR. MERCY" IS IN JAIL IN THE EXOTIC EASTERN LAND WHERE ALL HIS LIFE HE HAS MINISTERED TO HUMANITY.

"MR. MERCY" IS A FEARLESS AMERICAN DOCTOR WITH INEXHAUSTIBLE FAITH. HE IS A BAPTIST MISSIONARY, FOURTH GENERATION OF HIS FAMILY TO SERVE THE MANY PEOPLES AND TRIBES WHICH LIVE IN BURMA.

HE HAS SAVED MORE LIVES THAN HE HAS SUNG PSALMS.

"MR. MERCY" NEVER JUDGED THE SICK OR WOUNDED MAN BY HIS POLITICS. DEATH WAS THE ENEMY HE FOUGHT. THE OPERATING TABLE WAS HIS BATTLEFIELD. MANY TIMES HE WON. HIS VICTORIES WERE THE SIMPLE BROWN-SKINNED PEASANTS OF THE PLAINS AND HILLS TO WHOM HIS PHENOMENAL SKILL GAVE BACK LIFE.

THIS CORRESPONDENT FIRST MET THE RUGGED BAPTIST SURGEON WHEN A JAPANESE BOMBING RAID BURNED DOWN THE BURMESE VILLAGE OF PYINMANA AROUND HIS LITTLE IMPROVISED FIELD HOSPITAL.

IT WAS THE SPRING OF 1942. DR.SEAGRAVE HAD LEFT HIS QUIET MISSION IN THE NORTHERN SHAN STATES NEAR THE CHINESE FRONTIER A FEW WEEKS EARLIER. FAR TO THE SOUTH, JAPANESE SPEARHEADS HAD BROKEN INTO BURMA AND WERE THREATENING A MIXED DEFENDING FORCE OF BRITISH, BURMANS AND CHINESE WITH DISASTER.

THE ALLIED LEFT FLANK WAS COMPOSED OF FIFTH AND SIXTH NATIONALIST CHINESE ARMIES--SOME 40,000 TROOPS IN ALL. THEY HAD NO MEDICAL CORPS OF ANY SORT.

U.S. GEN. JOSEPH STILWELL, ADVISER OF THE CHINESE WAR EFFORT IN BURMA, GRASPED AT SEAGRAVE'S OFFER OF HIS SERVICES WITH THE HEARTIEST SIGH OF RELIEF.

THE MISSIONARY, PLUS SOME 20 BURMESE GIRLS HE HAD CAREFULLY TRAINED AS NURSES, BECAME THE SOLE MEDICAL SUPPORT OF 40,000 CHINESE SOLDIERS.

IN PITCHED BATTLES AT TOUNGU AND ELSEWHERE ON THE "ROAD TO MANDALAY" HUNDREDS OF CHINESE FELL. LESS THAN A DOZEN MILES BEHIND THE RAPIDLY COLLAPSING FRONT, SEAGRAVE RECEIVED AN UNENDING STREAM OF CASUALTIES AT HIS MOBILE EMERGENCY HOSPITAL.

HE OPERATED SOMETIMES MORE THAN 24 HOURS WITHOUT BREAK WITH COAL OIL LANTERNS GIVING HIM LIGHT.

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STILWELL GAVE "MR. MERCY" THE BATTLEFIELD COMMISSION OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL BUT SEAGRAVE NEVER BOTHERED WITH THE RANK. HE DID HIS OPERATING IN KHAKI SHORTS, BARE TO THE WAIST, SWEAT GLISTENING ON HIS FOREHEAD IN THE MUGGY HEAT.

BURMA WAS HIS HOME, THE LAND OF HIS BIRTH, AND HE OBEYED ONLY RELUCTANTLY WHEN THE ALLIED MILITARY ORDER CAME FOR FINAL RETREAT OVER THE NAGA RANGE INTO INDIA.

HE WAS SURE HE WOULD COME BACK. AND HE DID. HE LOOKED FORWARD TO "ANOTHER GOOD 20 YEARS" AT THE MISSION HOSPITAL AT NAMKHAM WHICH HE BUILT HIMSELF.

HE CALLED HIMSELF "A WASTEBASKET SURGEON" AND JOKED DRILY OF THE MEDICAL IMPROVIZATIONS WITH WHICH HE CARRIED ON IN THE ASIATIC WILDERNESS.

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A106 (210)
BY MARC PURDUE

NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 20-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS MEDIATOR SIR OWEN DIXON WAS RELIABLY REPORTED TONIGHT TO BE PLANNING TO DEPART FOR EUROPE WEDNESDAY TO PREPARE A REPORT ON THE FAILURE OF HIS MISSION TO END THE INDIAN-PAKISTANI CONFLICT OVER KASHMIR.

DIXON HAD WHAT APPEARED TO BE A FINAL TALK WITH PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU AND IS LEAVING NEW DELHI TOMORROW. HE WILL MEET WITH PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN OF PAKISTAN IN KARACHI TUESDAY AND WILL LEAVE BY AIR FOR EUROPE WEDNESDAY, UNLESS THERE IS A CHANGE IN THE STAND OF THE CONTENDING GOVERNMENTS.

THE COLLAPSE OF HIS NEGOTIATION ATTEMPT TO END THE DISPUTE OVER THE NORTHERN PRINCELY STATE WAS ACCEPTED BY OBSERVERS HERE AS FINAL. THE DISPUTE HAS BEEN GOING ON FOR NEARLY FOUR YEARS.

RELIABLE INFORMANTS SAID THE MEDIATOR FOUND THE DISPUTANTS UNABLE OR UNWILLING TO AGREE TO EVEN A PRELIMINARY BASIS FOR ENDING THE DISPUTE.

DIXON OFFERED TO PRESENT HIS OWN SETTLEMENT PLAN AS A BASIS FOR NEGOTIATION TO NO AVAIL.

INDIA TOOK THE KASHMIR CASE TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN 1947 COMPLAINING OF AGGRESSION WHEN RAIDERS, ALLEGEDLY INSPIRED AND SUPPORTED BY PAKISTAN, SWEPT INTO THE STATE FROM THE NORTHWESTERN MOUNTAINS.

BOTH INDIA AND PAKISTAN CLAIM THE STATE WAS INCLUDED IN THEIR RESPECTIVE TERRITORIES UNDER PROVISIONS OF THE PARTITION OF THE SUBCONTINENT WHEN THE BRITISH LEFT.

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GERMAN (400)
BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, AUG. 20-(AP)-GERMANY'S ROLE IN WESTERN EUROPE'S DEFENSES AGAINST RUSSIA WILL BE DEVELOPED IN THREE STAGES, IT APPEARED TODAY.

TIMING DEPENDS BOTH ON DECISIONS BY THE NORTH ATLANTIC POWERS CONCERNING ARMS PRODUCTION AND BY THE WESTERN OCCUPATION POWERS ON CONTROL POLICY INSIDE GERMANY.

DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS SAID TODAY BOTH PROBLEMS ARE CERTAIN TO COME UP AT THE MEETING OF FOREIGN MINISTERS BEVIN, SHUMAN AND ACHESON AND THE MEETING OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL IN NEW YORK NEXT MONTH.

THE THREE STAGES BY WHICH GERMAN POWER AND RESOURCES WILL BE TIED INTO WESTERN DEFENSE ARRANGEMENTS, IN THE OPINION OF HIGHLY PLACED OFFICIALS HERE, ARE:

1. PRODUCTION OF NON-COMBAT EQUIPMENT FOR WESTERN EUROPE'S ARMIES. IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO UNDERTAKE ON A BROAD SCALE UNTIL THE ATLANTIC TREATY POWERS HAVE DECIDED WHAT ITEMS OF EQUIPMENT (TRUCKS, BARBED WIRE, UNIFORMS AND THE LIKE) THEY NEED AND PARTICULARLY WHAT THEY WOULD LIKE TO HAVE TURNED OUT BY GERMAN FACTORIES.

2. PRODUCTION OF COMBAT OR PARTS OF COMBAT EQUIPMENT. THE GERMAN INDUSTRIAL SYSTEM IS NOW PROHIBITED BY OCCUPATION STATUTE FROM MANUFACTURING A LONG LIST OF WAR WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION.

THE GENERAL OPINION HERE AND APPARENTLY ALSO IN BRITAIN, BUT MUCH LESS IN FRANCE, IS THAT WITH WESTERN EUROPE IN GRAVE DANGER OF RUSSIAN ASSAULT, AS OFFICIALS NOW INSIST IT IS, THE OCCUPATION RESTRICTIONS SHOULD BE CHANGED TO PERMIT THE GREAT FACTORIES OF THE RUHR TO MAKE WAR MATERIAL ONCE AGAIN.

3. USE OF GERMAN MANPOWER. THERE IS GENERAL AGREEMENT HERE AND ABROAD THAT IF GERMAN MANPOWER AGAIN TAKES UP ARMS IT SHOULD BE AS PART OF SOME KIND OF INTERNATIONAL FORCE, NOT AS A REVIVED GERMAN NATIONAL ARMY.

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AMERICAN OFFICIALS ARE WATCHING WITH KEEN INTEREST THE EFFORTS OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN LEADERS TO WORK OUT THROUGH THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE SOMETHING ALONG THE LINE OF WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL FOR A WESTERN EUROPEAN ARMY.

QUITE ASIDE FROM CREATING A NEW DEGREE OF UNITY IN WESTERN EUROPE, SUCH AN ORGANIZATION WOULD OFFER A SYSTEM BY WHICH GERMAN MEN COULD BE ORGANIZED TO FIGHT FOR THE DEFENSE OF THEIR OWN COUNTRY AND OF THE WEST.

OBVIOUSLY ANY EFFORT TO GET GERMAN MEN UNDER ARMS AGAIN WILL REQUIRE HIGH POLICY DECISIONS.

WHILE THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS SEEM CERTAIN THAT EVENTUALLY A SATISFACTORY SOLUTION

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ASATISFACTORY SOLUTION WILL BE FOUND FOR THIS PROBLEM, THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT IS NOT PRESSING IT AT THE PRESENT TIME. THE REASON LIES IN FRANCE'S VITAL INTEREST IN THE MATTER. THE BELIEF HERE IS THAT FRENCH OPINION ABOUT GERMANY MAY CHANGE CONSIDERABLY, WITH OLD FEARS DYING OUT, AS THE SHUMAN PLAN FOR FRANCO-GERMAN COAL-STEEL POOLING DEVELOPS.

THE QUESTIONS REGARDING GERMAN CAPACITY TO AID WILL BE TAKEN UP BY THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY COUNCIL SESSION OPENING IN LONDON TOMORROW.

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FIRST LEAD GABRIELSON

DES MOINES, AUG. 20-(AP)-NATIONAL REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN GUY G. GABRIELSON SAID LAST NIGHT HE HOPES THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WILL NOT FORGET SENATOR MC CARTHY (R-WIS) FOR "THE SERVICE HE PERFORMED" THROUGH HIS CHARGES OF COMMUNISM IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

THE GOP LEADER SAID MCCARTHY'S ACTION IN "REVEALING THE PINK TREASON --IF NOT ACTUAL TREASON--IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT" WAS A REAL SERVICE AND HE HOPED THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WOULD REMEMBER IT.

GABRIELSON DEPARTED FROM HIS PREPARED TEXT TO MENTION MCCARTHY AT A BANQUET OF MIDWESTERN G.O.P.CHAIRMEN AND OTHER PARTY MEMBERS. THE SPEECH CLIMAXED A TWO-DAY 12-STATE SESSION DEVOTED TO A DISCUSSION OF MEANS OF WINNING THE NOVEMBER ELECTION.

THE NATIONAL CHAIRMAN DESCRIBED MCCARTHY AS "A TOUGH HOMBRE--A MARINE" WHO "HAD THE NERVE TO TRY TO DRIVE COMMUNISTS OUT OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT."

THE BANQUET CROWD OF ABOUT 225 REPUBLICANS APPLAUDED GABRIELSON'S REFERENCE TO MCCARTHY.

GABRIELSON SAID THE COMMITTEE WHICH INVESTIGATED MC CARTHY'S CHARGES "PERSECUTED HIM, TURNED THE HEAT ON HIM TO COVER UP FOR THEMSELVES."

BUT MC CARTHY, GRABRIELSON CONTINUED, "DROVE AHEAD (IN HIS ACCUSATIONS AGAINST THE STATE DEPARTMENT) UNDER ALL THE ABUSE THEY GAVE HIM."

GABRIELSON SAID THE ADMINISTRATION "WAITED UNTIL THE KOREAN WAR AND THEN SLID THE COMMITTEE OUT OF EXISTENCE WITHOUT LETTING IT DISCHARGE ITS DUTY." HE SAID MC CARTHY PERFORMED A REAL SERVICE AND HE HOPED AMERICA WOULD REMEMBER IT.

IN HIS PREPARED SPEECH GABRIELSON SAID COMMUNISM IS A MENACE IN THIS COUNTRY AND ABROAD AND THAT WHILE REPUBLICANS WILL "SUPPORT EVERY PROPER STEP TO DEFEND AMERICAN FREEDOM" THEY WILL NOT ENTER INTO A "CONSPIRACY OF SILENCE" WHICH WOULD OVERLOOK MISTAKES OF THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION."

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG.20-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS REPORTED TODAY THEY HAD CAPTURED NANPENG ISLAND, 140 MILES WEST OF HONG KONG AND 20 MILES OFF THE CHINA MAINLAND. see Cor

A PEIPING BROADCAST HEARD BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN SAN FRANCISCO SAID THE ISLAND WAS TAKEN AUG.9 BY UNITS OF THE RED FOURTH FIELD ARMY AND THAT 400 CHINESE NATIONALISTS WERE "WIPED OUT" IN A TWO-HOUR FIGHT. THE ISLAND WAS DESCRIBED AS THE LAST HIDEOUT FOR REMNANT NATIONALIST TROOPS ALONG THE KWANGTUNG PROVINCE COAST.

MENTION OF THE FOURTH FIELD ARMY IS INTERESTING IN VIEW OF WIDE-SPREAD BUT UNCONFIRMED REPORTS THAT THIS ARMY RECENTLY HAD MOVED TO MANCHURIA, NEAR THE SCENE OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT.

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SAN FRANCISCO--CHINESE REDS TAKE ISLAND (A24FX) IN THE FIRST GRAF MAKE IT READ X X X CAPTURED NANPENG (NANPANG) ISLAND, 140 MILES WEST-SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG, ETC. (INSERTING ALTERNATE SPELLING OF ISLAND AND MORE SPECIFIC DIRECTION).

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SEATTLE, AUG 20-(SUNDAY)-(AP)-DR.WELLINGTON KOO, CHINESE NATIONALIST AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES, ARRIVED HERE BY PLANE EARLY TODAY ENROUTE TO WASHINGTON, D.C., AFTER A TWO-WEEK TRIP TO FORMOSA.

"I CONFERRED WITH CHIANG KAI SHEK AND MADE AN INTENSE SURVEY OF OUR MILITARY, POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC SITUATION IN FORMOSA," HE SAID. "IT WAS VERY ENCOURAGING."

HE SAID HE PAID A COURTESY VISIT TO GENERAL MAC ARTHUR IN TOKYO BUT DECLINED TO DISCUSS ANY DETAILS.

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UN--KOREA (260)

BY A. I. GOLDBERG

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 20-(AP)-A U. S. SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY AMERICAN DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN WILL LET GO A "HAYMAKER" THIS WEEK IN THE BITTER SECURITY COUNCIL TUSSLE WITH RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK.

LAST THURSDAY AUSTIN DELIBERATELY DELIVERED A TONED-DOWN STATEMENT IN PRESENTING A PROPOSAL THAT THE UNITED NATIONS BEGIN NOW TO FRAME A PROGRAM FOR SETTING UP KOREA AS A UNIFIED INDEPENDENT COUNTRY WHEN THE SHOOTING ENDS.

HIS SOFT WORDS FAILED TO TURN AWAY AN IRATE ANSWER BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT MALIK, WHO REPEATED OLD ATTACKS CHARGING THE UNITED STATES WITH AGGRESSION IN KOREA AND ACCUSING NATIONS HELPING THE U.N. EFFORT OF BEING "MARSHALLIZED" AND DICTATED TO.

"AUSTIN WILL LET GO A HAYMAKER THIS WEEK," A U.S. SPOKESMAN SAID. "WE'RE NOT GOING TO LET MALIK GET AWAY WITH THE CHARGES HE HAS BEEN MAKING IN ALL HIS SPEECHES DURING THE LAST 10 DAYS."

STARTING WITH TOMORROW'S CLOSED INFORMAL COUNCIL MEETING TO TALK OVER THE PROCEDURAL DEADLOCK AGAIN, MALIK HAS 10 BUSINESS DAYS LEFT AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT. HE SAID LAST THURSDAY THAT HIS REMARKS THEN WERE JUST A BRIEF COMEBACK ON THE SPOT AND THAT HE WOULD HAVE A LOT MORE TO SAY IN ANSWER TO AUSTIN LATER.

DELEGATES EXPECT HIM TO MAKE SOME NEW SURPRISE PROPOSAL AT TUESDAY'S PUBLIC SESSION, COUPLING IT WITH A REPETITION OF HIS ATTACKS ON THE U.S., NORWAY, FRANCE, BRITAIN AND VARIOUS OTHER COUNCIL MEMBERS.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 20-(AP)-BRITAIN, THE UNITED STATES AND AUSTRALIA ASKED TODAY THAT THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY INVESTIGATE AT ITS FALL MEETING WHY RUSSIA HAS NOT REPATRIATED ALL WORLD WAR II PRISONERS TAKEN BY THE SOVIETS.

A TELEGRAM ADDRESSED TO U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE ASKING THAT THIS ITEM BE ADDED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AGENDA WAS RECEIVED TODAY AT U.N. HEADQUARTERS HERE. THE TELEGRAM WAS SIGNED BY KEITH SHANN OF AUSTRALIA, SIR GLADWYN JEBB OF BRITAIN AND WARREN R. AUSTIN OF THE UNITED STATES. IT READ:

"THE REPRESENTATIVES OF AUSTRALIA, THE UNITED KINGDOM, AND THE U.S.A. REQUEST THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO PLACE ON THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF THE FIFTH REGULAR SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AN ITEM: FAILURE OF THE U.S.S.R. TO REPATRIATE OR OTHERWISE ACCOUNT FOR PRISONERS-OF-WAR DETAINED IN SOVIET TERRITORY.

"AN EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM WILL FOLLOW."

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WILL OPEN ITS FALL SESSION SEPT. 19.

ON APRIL 22 A RUSSIAN STATEMENT RELEASED BY TASS, OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY, SAID ALL JAPANESE PRISONERS-OF-WAR HAD BEEN REPATRIATED EXCEPT 1,487 CONVICTED OR UNDER INVESTIGATION FOR ALLEGED WAR CRIMES; 971 WHO WERE BEING TURNED OVER TO COMMUNIST CHINA ON WAR CRIMES CHARGES, AND NINE UNDERGOING MEDICAL TREATMENT.

ON MAY 5 MOSCOW ANNOUNCED THAT ALL THE MILLIONS OF GERMANS CAPTURED BY THE RED ARMY HAD BEEN SENT HOME EXCEPT 13,546 STILL HELD AS WAR CRIMINALS, FOR INVESTIGATION, OR FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT.

THE BIG THREE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS ISSUED A STATEMENT IN LONDON MAY 12 CHARGING RUSSIA WITH FAILURE TO REPATRIATE "NUMEROUS NATIONALS OF GERMAN-OCCUPIED COUNTRIES TAKEN PRISONER DURING THE WAR, AS WELL AS MORE THAN 300,000 JAPANESE NATIONALS WHO STILL REMAIN UNACCOUNTED FOR IN SOVIET TERRITORY."

GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S DIPLOMATIC SPOKESMAN IN TOKYO, WILLIAM J. SEBALD, ESTIMATED EARLY IN JUNE THAT 370,000 JAPANESE PRISONERS WERE STILL UNACCOUNTED FOR IN RUSSIAN TERRITORY.

ON JULY 14 THE THREE WESTERN POWERS CHARGED IN SUBSTANCE THAT RUSSIA HAD LIED IN SAYING SHE HAD FREED ALL HER GERMAN WAR PRISONERS.

THE RUSSIAN ANNOUNCEMENT SHOCKED WEST GERMANS, WHO CLAIMED THE SOVIET UNION STILL WAS HOLDING SEVERAL HUNDRED THOUSAND GERMAN PRISONERS. THE WEST GERMAN PARLIAMENT AT BONN ADOPTED A RESOLUTION JULY 26 CALLING ON THE RUSSIANS TO REPATRIATE ALL PRISONERS NOT GUILTY OF WAR CRIMES.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 20-(AP)-SEN.WILLIAM BENTON (D-CONN) URGED TODAY THAT COMMISSIONS OF 100 PERSONS FROM EACH NATION BE INVITED TO VISIT THIS COUNTRY AND DISPROVE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA ABOUT IT.

SPEAKING ON THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO ROUNDTABLE OVER NBC, THE SENATOR SAID AMERICANS FIND IT HARD TO BELIEVE THAT "OUTRAGEOUS" COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA AGAINST THE UNITED STATES IS EFFECTIVE.

HE SAID HE BELIEVED, HOWEVER, THAT THE "VERY WIDE APPEAL" OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA WAS "THE MOST IMPORTANT FACT IN TODAY'S WORLD."

THE SENATOR ADDED:

"ALL I NEED DO IS POINT TO THE WAY THESE NORTH KOREANS ARE FIGHTING AS EVIDENCE OF THE WAY THEY BELIEVE THE RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA." X X X

BENTON SAID THE EFFECTIVENESS OF RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA WAS THE REASON FOR HIS PROPOSAL THAT CONGRESS APPROPRIATE $500,000,000(M) FOR A COUNTER PROPAGANDA PROGRAM, WITH $200,000,000(M) TO BE SPENT FOR A WORLD-WIDE RADIO NETWORK.

HE STATED HE HAD SUGGESTED DURING A VISIT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN "THAT HE INVITE TO THIS COUNTRY FROM ALL THE COUNTRIES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD COMMISSIONS OF 100 PEOPLE FROM EACH COUNTRY, COMMISSIONS OF JOURNALISTS, PROFESSORS, LABOR UNION LEADERS AND INDUSTRIALISTS."

THESE COMMISSIONS, HE PROPOSED, SHOULD SPEND 60 DAYS IN THE UNITED STATES AND TRAVEL THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY, THEN REPORT BACK TO THEIR COUNTRIES ON WHETHER RUSSIAN PROPAGANDA ABOUT THE UNITED STATES IS TRUE.

"ARE WE WAR MONGERS?" HE SAID. "ARE WE IMPERIALISTS? ARE WE EXPLOITING OUR LABOR? ARE WE DEPRIVING OUR CHILDREN OF SCHOOLS?" X X X

OTHER SPEAKERS ON THE BROADCAST WERE DAVID SARNOFF, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF THE RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA, AND PROF.HAROLD D. LASSWELL, SPECIALIST ON PROPAGANDA ANALYSIS AT YALE UNIVERSITY.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EST, TODAY, SUNDAY, AUG. 20)

(ADVANCE)..NEW YORK, AUG. 20-(AP)-THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY SAID TODAY THE IMPRISONMENT OF HARRY BRIDGES AND THE GOVERNMENT'S EFFORT TO REVOKE THE BAIL OF THE 11 COMMUNIST LEADERS "SUBSTITUTE NAZI CONCENTRATION CAMP METHODS FOR THE GUARANTEES OF THE BILL OF RIGHTS."

THE PARTY'S STATEMENT WAS ISSUED BY ITS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, WHICH RECENTLY CONDEMNED AMERICAN INTERVENTION IN KOREA. THE ENDORSEMENT OF THIS STAND BY THE PARTH'S RANK AND FILE LED TO THE RESIGNATION OF ITS LEADER, HENRY WALLACE, TWO WEEKS AGO.

IN ITS PROTEST ON THE BAIL ISSUE, THE PARTY SAID "THE CASES OF HARRY BRIDGES AND THE COMMJNIST LEADERS INVOLVE FUNDAMENTAL CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS OF FREE SPEECH, PRESS AND ASSOCIATION WHICH MUST ULTIMATELY BE PASSED UPON BY THE SUPREME COURT.

"THE CONSTITUTION AND THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES GRANT THEM THE RIGHT TO FREEDOM ON BAIL UNTIL THE COURT ACTS."

THE 11 COMMUNISTS WERE CONVICTED OF CONSPIRACY TO TEACH AND ADVOCATE THE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT, AND BRIDGES WAS CONVICTED OF PERJURY IN DENYING HE HAD BEEN A COMMUNIST WHEN HE APPLIED FOR NATURALIZATION.

"IF MEN CAN BE STRIPPED OF THEIR RIGHT TO BAIL MERELY BECAUSE THEY OPPOSE GOVERNMENT POLICY, THEN THE LIBERTIES OF ALL AMERICANS CAN BE DESTROYED," THE PARTY STATEMENT SAID.

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BY A.L.MCINTYRE

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SINGAPORE, AUG. 19-(AP)-MALAYAN TIN SMELTERS MEN ARE MYSTIFIED AS TO HOW SOVIET RUSSIA OBTAINS HER SUPPLIES OF TIN - A VITAL WAR COMMODITY.

WHILE SHE IMPORTS EVER INCREASING AMOUNTS OF RUBBER FROM MALAYA, THERE IS NO TRACE OF ANY APPRECIABLE QUANTITIES OF THE METAL GOING TO THE SOVIET UNION SINCE THE END OF THE LAST WAR.

REPORTS CIRCULATED RECENTLY THAT RUSSIA WAS BUYING TIN SECRETLY FROM MALAYA THROUGH INDIAN AGENTS IN BOMBAY.

THESE PURCHASES, HOWEVER, HAD BEEN ONLY FOR SMALL AMOUNTS OF

AROUND TEN TONS OF LESS EACH TIME. TIN CIRCLES, THEREFORE, CONCLUDED THESE COULD BE INTENDED ONLY FOR INDIA'S OWN CONSUMPTION.

TIN MEN HERE SAY THAT DURING THE LEND-LEASE YEARS, SOVIET TIN IMPORTS REACHED 11,900 TONS A YEAR.

MANY BELIEVE RUSSIA IS IN FACT GETTING MALAYAN TIN, BUT THINK IT IS GOING THROUGH EUROPEAN AGENTS WHO BUY IT DIRECT FROM SINGAPORE.

OBSERVERS ARE PUZZLED AT THE SECRECY, FOR THAT COUNTRY'S BUYING OF ANOTHER WAR COMMODITY - RUBBER - DURING THE LAST TWO YEARS HAS BEEN OPEN TO THE POINT OF HAVING IT SHIPPED IN RUSSIAN FREIGHTERS.

SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR, RUSSIA HAS STEPPED UP HER RUBBER IMPORTS FROM MALAYA. ARRANGEMENTS INDICATE THAT HER MONTHLY QUOTA OF AROUND 7,000 TONS IS BEING DOUBLED. DURING AUGUST TWO SOVIET FREIGHTERS, THE ETRUSCO AND LERMONTOV, ARE SCHEDULED TO LOAD 14,000 TONS FOR RUSSIAN PORTS.

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RUSSIA MAINTAINS THIRD PLACE BEHIND THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN AS THE LARGEST IMPORTER OF MALAYAN RUBBER. SHE TOOK 34,662 TONS IN THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF THIS YEAR.

RUBBER MEN ALSO REPORT THAT RUSSIA IS TRYING TO ESTABLISH A STOCKPILE OF RUBBER IN COMMUNIST CHINA. THEY SAY SOVIET AGENTS IN HONG KONG HAVE ORDERED CONSIDERABLE QUANTITIES OF MALAYAN RUBBER DURING THE PAST MONTHS.

RUSSIA APPARENTLY HAS BEEN ENCOURAGED TO DO THIS SINCE SHIPS ARE NOW FREE TO SAIL TO RED CHINA PORTS UNMOLESTED BY THE NATIONALIST NAVY. PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ASKED THE NATIONALISTS TO CEASE OPERATIONS AGAINST THE MAINLAND AND PLACED THE U.S.SEVENTH FLEET TO STAND GUARD IN THE FORMOSA STRAITS.

A NUMBER OF FREIGHTERS ALSO ARE SCHEDULED TO SAIL FROM HERE FOR TIENTSIN AND TAKU BAR WITH MALAYAN RUBBER AND OTHER STRATEGIC MATERIALS.

ALL RUSSIAN PURCHASES FROM STERLING AREAS ARE OPERATED THROUGH A UNITED KINGDOM-RUSSIA TRADE AGREEMENT. THEY ARE REGULATED BY RUSSIAN DELIVERIES TO THE U.K.

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.19-(AP)-THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK SAID TONIGHT IT IS MAKING $22,100,000 AVAILABLE TO INDONESIA TO REBUILD ITS HIGHWAY TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM, CRIPPLED DURING THE JAPANESE OCCUPATION.

THE BANK SAID A SHORTAGE OF TRUCKS, BUSSES AND CARS AND LACK OF ROAD BUILDING EQUIPMENT HAVE RESTRICTED INDONESIA'S AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL EXPANSION.

THE NEW CREDITS ARE ALLOCATIONS FROM A PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED $100,000,000 BANK COMMITMENT TO INDONESIA.

A CREDIT OF $20,000,000 WILL GO TO BUY BUSSES, TRUCKS AND SPARE PARTS. ANOTHER $2,100,000 WAS EARMARKED FOR ROAD BUILDING EQUIPMENT.

INDONESIA PLANS TO BUILD ABOUT 1,000 MILES OF NEW HIGHWAYS IN THE NEXT FIVE YEARS, MAINLY IN SUMATRA, THE BANK SAID.

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BY A.I. GOLDBERG

(ADVANCE) LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 19-(AP)-THE EFFECT OF A YEAR'S DEVALUATION ON WORLD CURRENCIES AND ECONOMY COME UP FOR THEIR FIRST MEMBERSHIP ROUND-TABLE DISCUSSION IN THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND WHEN THE FUND AND THE WORLD BANK MEET IN PARIS SEPT.6.

THE MEETINGS WERE ANNOUNCED HERE TODAY. THE GOVERNING BOARDS OF BOTH GROUPS WILL HOLD SESSIONS THROUGH SEPT.14 AT THE ANNEX OF THE BANK OF FRANCE IN PARIS.

IT WILL BE THE FIRST MEETING OF THE FUND SINCE BRITAIN DEVALUED THE POUND IN SEPTEMBER 1949 AND WAS FOLLOWED BY A SUCCESSION OF OTHER COUNTRIES DEVALUING THEIR CURRENCIES.

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A FUND SPOKESMAN SAID THE FUND BOARD MAY CONSIDER WHETHER ANY MORE DEVALUATIONS ARE IN PROSPECT, BUT DECLINED TO SAY WHETHER FUND OFFICIALS KNOW OF ANY.

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SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP

BY MILTON MARMOR

TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 21-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN REDS LAUNCHED A NEW ATTACK ON TAEGU AND SLASHED TWO MILES ALONG MOUNTAIN RIDGES BEFORE THEY WERE HALTED TODAY 15 MILES NORTH OF THAT KEY CITY.

THE NEW ATTACK WAS REPORTED IN A FRONT DISPATCH FROM ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD, SHORTLY AFTER GENERAL MACARTHUR ANNOUNCED UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAD RETAKEN ALL GROUND THE REDS GAINE IN THEIR DRIVE LAST WEEK ON TAEGU FROM THE NORTH.

WHITEHEAD REPORTED MUSTANG FIGHTERS WERE CALLED TO MAKE ON OF THEIR FIRST NIGHT ATTACKS TO HALT THE NEW ENEMY THRUST. ARTILLERY THREW WHITE PHOSPHORUS SHELLS TO LIGHT UP ENEMY TARGETS FOR THE MUSTANGS.

THE RED ADVANCE SLICED THROUGH SMALL SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE AMERICAN LINE. A FOUR-HOUR AMERICAN AIR AND ARTILLERY ATTACK CHECKED THEM.

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SIMULTANEOUSLY THE REDS WERE MANEUVERING FOR A NEW SOUTHERN DRIVE TOWARD PUSAN, THE MAIN SUPPLY PORT. MACARTHUR'S 2:30 P.M. WAR SUMMARY (11:30 P.M. E.S.T., SUNDAY) SAID THIS WAS INDICATED BY NORTH KOREAN REINFORCEMENTS IN THE SOUTH AND PROBING OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION'S LINES IN THE MASAN-CHINJU AREA WEST OF PUSAN.

THE NEW STAB AT TAEGU DEVELOPED AS UNITED NATIONS TROOPS COUNTED NEARLY 6,000 ENEMY CASUALTIES IN THEIR OWN SUCCESSFUL COUNTERATTACKS NORTH OF THE FORMER SOUTH KOREAN PROVISIONAL CAPITAL.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS INFLICTED 3,500 CASUALTIES IN THEIR THREE-DAY PUSH WHICH REGAINED ALL GROUND LOST IN THE KUMHWA AREA. LAST WEEK THE REDS HAD PUSHED THROUGH KUMHWA TO WITHIN TEN MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

A SOUTH KOREAN SPOKESMAN SAID REPUBLICAN FORCES DESTROYED ONE REGIMENT AND KILLED AN ENEMY DIVISIONAL CHIEF OF STAFF IN THE UISONG SECTOR, ON THE EAST FLANK OF THE KUMHWA FRONT. HE PLACED ENEMY CASUALTIES AT 2,450.

SOUTH KOREANS ALSO CLAIMED "A MAJOR VICTORY" AGAINST 30,000 REDS ON THE EAST COAST NEAR POHANG.

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MACARTHUR REPORTED U.S. MARINES AND 24TH DIVISION INFANTRY HAD "COMPLETELY MOPPED UP" REMNANTS OF 12,000 COMMUNISTS AROUND CHANGNYONG, SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. TODAY, HEADQUARTERS SAID, THE 24TH WAS BUSY HOLDING BACK A NEW BRIDGEHEAD ON THEIR NORTHERN FLANK BY THE RED TENTH DIVISION. THIS WAS NEAR HYONPUNG, 15 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. FOR TWO DAYS RED ARTILLERY HAS BEEN FIRING A FEW SHELLS INTO TAEGU.

IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, AN 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE REPORTED THE REDS WERE BUILDING UP A CONCENTRATION OF TROOPS, TANKS, AND ARTILLERY. MOST OF THE GROWING CONCENTRATION WAS OUT OF RANGE OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ARTILLERY.

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IN THIS SAME CHINJU-MASAN AREA, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED, AMERICANS MADE "ONE OF THE GREATEST SKILLS OF THE WAR"--1,350 ENEMY DEAD IN A FIGHT FOR TWO MINOR HILLS.

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS X X X 6TH GRAF 1ST LEAD.

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B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS ALSO CONCENTRATED ON TRANSPORT TARGETS IN DAY AND NIGHT RAIDS.
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THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.22-(AP)-RED TROOPS HAMMERED PERSISTENTLY TODAY AT UNITED NATIONS FORCES GUARDING THE ROADS TO PUSAN AND TAEGU, MAJOR ALLIED BASES IN KOREA. NOWHERE DID THE COMMUNISTS GET ROLLING.
THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION, BLOCKING THE WAY TO PUSAN IN THE SOUTH, WAS "UNDER HEAVY ATTACKS THIS MORNING", GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED.
AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN GAVE WAY AT FIRST ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THIS HAMAN-MASAN SECTOR, BUT COUNTERATTACKED THREE TIMES, REGAINING ALL LOST GROUND. A SIMULTANEOUS ATTACK ON THE NORTHERN FLANK OF THIS FRONT, WHERE THE REDS ARE BUILDING UP FOR THEIR EXPECTED NEXT MAJOR PUSH, FAILED TO DENT THE 25TH'S LINE, MACARTHUR'' EARLY AFTERNOON WAR SUMMARY REPORTED.
AMERICAN ARMOR AND RUSSIAN-MADE NORTH KOREAN TANKS BATTLED SOME 15 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU WHERE THE COMMUNISTS CONSTANTLY PROBED THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE 120-MILE U.N. DEFENSE LINE.
NINE RED TANKS LED THE RED ASSAULT AGAINST THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION, SUPPORTED BY AMERICAN UNITS. U.S. TANKS KNOCKED OUT TWO ATTACKING TANKS AND GROUND FORCES WERE CREDITED WITH A THIRD. FIELD DISPATCHES SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAVE LOST TEN TANKS IN THIS AREA IN THREE DAYS.
A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID THE CRACK U.S. 27TH REGIMENT, FIGHTING ALONGSIDE THE SOUTH KOREANS ON THE ROADS TO TAEGU, KNOCKED OUT SEVERAL ENEMY TANKS IN A PREDAWN BATTLE WITH A BATTALION OF ATTACKING REDS.

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EVERY ENGAGEMENT INCREASED THE TOLL OF ENEMY CASUALTIES, ESTIMATED AT MORE THAN 15,000 IN FOUR DAYS.
FIELD DISPATCHES AND HEADQUARTERS REPORTS GAVE THIS PICTURE AROUND THE 120-MILE FRONT FROM EAST TO WEST TO SOUTH:
EAST COAST--THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION HAS PUSHED NINE MILES NORTH OF POHANG, EAST COAST ANCHOR OF THE U.N. DEFENSE LINE.
NORTH--THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION ADVANCED AGAINST INCREASING ENEMY PRESSURE.
NORTHWEST--THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT AND SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION HALTED REPEATED COMMUNIST THRUSTS FROM THE NORTH TOWARD TAEGU, KEY ALLIED BASE. IT WAS QUIET ON THE U

ALLIED BASE. IT WAS QUIET ON THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR NORTHWEST AND WEST OF TAEGU.
WEST--THE REDS STILL HELD A SMALL BRIDGEHEAD ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION NEAR HYONPUNG SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.
SOUTHWEST--THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION WAS "UNDER HEAVY ATTACKS" ON BOTH FLANKS BUT HAD "THE SITUATION IN HAND" IN THE REDS' BUILDUP AREA WEST OF PUSAN, THE MAIN U.N. SUPPLY PORT.
SOUTH--REDS ATTACKED SOUTH KOREAN MARINES WHO HAVE ADVANCED 20 MILES IN FOUR DAYS SINCE THEIR LANDING AT TONGYONG IN AN EFFORT TO LINK UP WITH THE HAMAN-MASAN DEFENSE LINE IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR.

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RED PROBING NORTHWEST OF TAEGU HAS BEEN INCESSANT. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD SAID THE 27TH REGIMENT, LED BY COL. JOHN "MIKE" MICHAELIS, THREW BACK A SMALL COMMUNIST FORCE THAT CAME DOWN THE KUMHWA-TAEGU ROAD SHORTLY BEFORE MIDNIGHT. THE AMERICANS ATTACKED RED INFANTRY ATTEMPTING TO CLEAR AWAY MINEFIELDS FOR TANKS THAT FOLLOWED.
ARTILLERY ILLUMINATED THE ROAD WITH FLARES, AND U.S. MACHINEGUNNERS DROVE THE NORTH KOREANS TO COVER. SIMILAR TACTICS WERE USED THE NIGHT BEFORE IN A PHOSPHOROUS-LIGHTED AIR ARTILLERY BARRAGE WHICH HALTED A RED THRUST ON THE REGIMENT'S RIGHT FLANK.
ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION BEAT BACK A RED ATTACK IN A FOUR-HOUR BATTLE WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND. IT DID NOT MENTION THE OTHER RED THRUST OR COUNTERATTACKS ON THIS SECTOR REPORTED IN MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY RELEASED LATER.

AMERICANS LAUNCHED TWO COUNTERATTACKS AROUND THE HAMAN COMMUNICATIONS CENTER IN THE SOUTHWEST, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED.
HE SAID A FIERCE FIGHT WAS BEING FOUGHT THIS MORNING FOR MOUNTAINS NEAR SOBUK WHICH THE U. S. FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WAS TRYING TO RETAKE.
A NEW BATTLE WAS UNDER WAY FOR BLOODY BATTLE MOUNTAIN WHICH HAS CHANGED HANDS FOUR TIMES IN THREE DAYS. THE U. S. 24TH REGIMENT WAS TRYING TO TAKE IT BACK.
WHILE THESE FIGHTS WERE UNDER WAY, SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE VISITED THIS FRONT.

OTHER SECTORS HELD BY AMERICAN TROOPS WERE REPORTED QUIET DURING THE NIGHT AND EARLY MORNING.
HEAVY U.S. GUNS SHELLED COMMUNIST POSITIONS IN THE WAEGWAN AREA WHERE THE REDS WERE BELIEVED REGROUPING NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THERE WAS NO ANSWERING FIRE.

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THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID THE SITUATION WAS QUIET SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU WHERE THE NORTH KOREANS HOLD A POCKET EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE IN THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION SECTOR.
IN THE FAR SOUTH, NEAR THE SCENE OF TODAY'S CLASH ON THE MASAN FRONT, AMERICAN PILOTS HAVE REPORTED A "TERRIFIC BUILD UP" OF REDS FOR A NEW ATTEMPT TO BREAK THROUGH TOWARD THE KEY AMERICAN BASE AT PUSAN ON THE SOUTHEASTERN TIP OF KOREA.
THE REDS HAVE MADE A MINOR PENETRATION ON THIS SOUTHWEST FRONT BUT TODAY'S ATTACK FAILED TO IMPROVE IT. THE ASSAULT WAS PRECEDED BY A HEAVY MORTAR BARRAGE. RED INFANTRY ATTACKED AT 4 A.M. (1P.M. MONDAY E.S.T). THEY BROKE OFF AT 8 A.M.

NEARBY, MARINE PILOTS ENGAGED IN A WEIRD AIR OPERATION---TRYING TO SEAL OFF THE ENTRANCE OF A MINE TO TRAP COMMUNIST TROOPS HIDING INSIDE.
ALLIED PILOTS JOINED SOUTH KOREAN MARINES IN HAMMERING AT A RED ATTACK NEAR TONGYONG, 27 MILES SOUTH OF HAMAN.
A SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL SPOKESMAN TOLD ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH THE MARINES HAVE ADVANCED 20 MILES NORTHWARD SINCE THEY LANDED AT TONGYONG LAST FRIDAY. THEY ARE TRYING TO ESTABLISH A LINK WITH UNITED NATIONS FORCES TO THE NORTH. TONGYONG IS A HIGHWAY TERMINUS ON THE SOUTH COAST.

AT THE FRONT'S OPPOSITE EXTREME ON THE NORTHEAST COAST, THE REDS WERE STEADILY LOSING GROUND BEFORE UNITED NATIONS FORCES. THE COMMUNIQUE NOTED, HOWEVER, THAT PROGRESS AGAINST THE REDS WAS SLOW.
NORTH KOREAN ATTEMPTS TO FIND A SOFT SPOT AND CRASH THROUGH ALLIED LINES HAVE TAKEN SUCH A HEAVY TOLL IN MEN AND EQUIPMENT, THAT U.S. INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS NOTED THE REDS WERE ECONOMIZING IN THE USE OF

TANKS. BUT THEY WERE SPENDING MEN WITH THE SAME RECKLESSNESS AS BEFORE.

TOTAL ENEMY LOSSES IN THE LAST FOUR DAYS COULD BE COMPUTED--MAINLY ON THE BASIS OF BODIES COUNTED--AT 15,000 OR MORE.

BUT OFFICERS AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS EMPHASIZED THAT UNCOUNTED CASUALTIES FROM INCESSANT AERIAL STRAFING OF TROOPS MOVING INTO POSITION BEHIND LINES COULD MAKE THE TOLL EVEN GREATER.

AMERICAN WARPLANES WERE OUT AT DAWN TODAY, RESUMING THEIR HEAVY HAMMERING OF RED GROUND FORCES. MONDAY, IN A TYPICAL DAY FOR THE CURRENT AIR SUPPORT, THE FAR EASTERN AIR FORCE FLEW 500 SORTIES, INCLUDING MORE THAN 300 IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES OR AGAINST COMMUNIST LINES TO THE FRONT.

THE REDS, WHO INVADED SOUTH KOREA JUNE 25, WAS STRIVING DESPERATELY TO CARRY OUT THE PUBLIC ORDERS OF NORTH KOREAN PREMIER KIM IL SUNG TO CONQUER THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS BY AUG.31. BUT THEIR PUNCH HAD LOST MUCH OF ITS STEAM.

SOME AMERICANS CAUTIOUSLY SPECULATED THAT THE FORTHCOMING DRIVE MIGHT BE THEIR LAST MAJOR EFFORT. A TOKYO HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THE ENEMY WAS "BADLY OFF BALANCE" AND PROBABLY "MUCH WORSE HURT THAN WE IMAGINE."

THE REDS SUFFERED THEIR HEAVIEST WEEKEND LOSSES ON THE NORTH-CENTRAL FRONT. THERE THEY MADE A COSTLY TWO-MILE GAIN A DOZEN MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, IMPORTANT AMERICAN FORWARD BASE, BUT WERE STOPPED BY A NOVEL AMERICAN AIR-ARTILLERY COMBINATION IN THE NIGHT OF SUNDAY-MONDAY.

THE RED LOSSES, MAINLY IN KILLED, TOTAL A MINIMUM OF 11,000 AND POSSIBLY UP TO 15,000 FOR THE PAST THREE DAYS. AND THEY ARE MOUNTING.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TOKYO HEADQUARTERS LISTED RED CASUALTIES ON THE ENTIRE FRONT FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AT 10,092. THIS INCLUDED ONLY AN UNSPECIFIED PART OF 3,500 CASUALTIES REPORTED FOR THE ENEMY IN THE SECTOR NORTH OF TAEGU.

AFTER A SINGLE ACTION ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FRONT, SUNDAY, AT LEAST 1,350 ENEMY DEAD WERE COUNTED BY AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION TROOPS.

A SOUTH KOREAN SPOKESMAN REPORTED 2,450 RED CASUALTIES INFLICTED BY SOUTH KOREANS IN RECAPTURING A HILL NORTH EAST OF TAEGU.

ADDITIONAL HEAVY BUT UNDETERMINED CASUALTIES FOR THE ENEMY RESULTED FROM THE SINKING OF A RED TROOP AND AMMUNITION SHIP OFF THE SOUTH COAST BY SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL FORCES. ANOTHER SIMILAR SHIP WAS REPORTED DAMAGED.

THE RED RADIO IN PYONGYANG QUIT CLAIMING UNQUALIFIED SUCCESSES AND ADMITTED THAT ALLIED FORCES "ARE HEAVILY COUNTER-ATTACKING ON ALL SECTORS."

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NEVERTHELESS, U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE FLIERS REPORTED THEY OBSERVED A "TERRIFIC ATTEMPT" BY THE REDS MONDAY TO BUILD UP FOR A NEW OFFENSIVE ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FRONT IN THE CHINJU AREA AND EVIDENCE OF SIMILAR BUILDUPS IN THE NORTH AND NORTHEAST.

MOST SPECTACULAR ACTION WAS ON THE FRONT NORTH OF TAEGU.

THERE NIGHT-FLYING WAR PLANES, GUIDED TO THEIR TARGETS BY WHITE PHOSPHORUS SHELLS FROM U.S. 27TH REGIMENT ARTILLERY, BROKE UP THE RED ATTEMPT TO OUTFLANK THE U.S. 27TH WOLFHOUND REGIMENT NORTH OF TAEGU.

IT WAS PERHAPS THE FIRST TIME IN ANY WAR THAT ARTILLERY ACTED AS NIGHT SPOTTERS FOR PILOTS. THE BIG GUNS LOBBED SHELLS INTO ENEMY POSITIONS AND THE BRIGHTLY EXPLODING MISSILES NOT ONLY DAMAGED THE ENEMY BUT LIGHTED THE TARGET FOR THE AIRMEN.

THE REDS WITH A FEW TANKS ADVANCED TWO MILES ALONG A RIDGE 15 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, OVERRUNNING SOME SMALL SOUTH KOREAN POSITIONS ON THE AMERICAN RIGHT FLANK, BEFORE THE ARTILLERY AND PLANES BROKE THE ATTACK.

THE NIGHT OPERATION WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE CHECKED TEMPORARILY A MAIN ENEMY THRUST AT THE FORMER EMERGENCY CAPITAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.

AMERICAN NEGRO INFANTRYMEN WERE DRIVEN OFF BATTLE MOUNTAIN ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT MONDAY BY A CHARGE OF 1,500 NORTH KOREANS, BUT THE U.S. TROOPS IMMEDIATELY BEGAN A COUNTERATTACK UNDER COVER OF AMERICAN FIGHTER-BOMBERS.

THE MOUNTAIN IS LESS THAN TWO MILES SOUTHWEST OF HAMAN, 20 MILES EAST OF CHINJU. IT IS THE KEY TO OTHER U.S. POSITIONS IN THE IMMEDIATE SECTOR.

THE NEGRO 24TH REGIMENT HAD RECAPTURED THE MOUNTAIN MONDAY MORNING. IT HAS CHANGED HANDS FOUR TIMES IN THREE DAYS OF BLOODING FIGHTING. IT WAS IN THAT SECTOR THAT 1,350 RED DEAD WERE COUNTED AFTER COMBINED U.S. AIR, ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY ATTACKS SUNDAY.

IN ADDITION TO THE CLOSE TACTICAL SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES, AMERICAN PLANES MADE A STRATEGIC ATTACK MONDAY ON THE SEOUL AREA AND RAIL YARDS NORTHWEST OF PYONGYANG, THE ENEMY CAPITAL.

B-29 SUPERFORT FLIERS WHO MADE THE RAID REPORTED THEY FINALLY HAD KNOCKED OUT THE MAIN RAILWAY BRIDGE AT SEOUL. IT HAD BEEN REPEATEDLY ATTACKED AND CUT BUT EACH TIME REPAIRED BY THE REDS.

THE B-29S ALSO BLASTED THE SEOUL RAIL YARDS AND HIT INDUSTRIAL AREAS OF THE NORTH KOREAN CITY OF HAMHUNG.

EIGHTY TONS OF BOMBS WERE RAINED ON THE RAIL YARDS OF PYONGYANG IN A VISUAL ATTACK THAT WAS OFFICIALLY DESCRIBED AS HAVING "EXCELLENT RESULTS."

LIGHT B-26 BOMBERS WERE OUT DAY AND NIGHT, HITTING ENEMY RAIL AND HIGHWAY ROUTES.

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SZCOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (350)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG.22-(AP)-COMMUNIST CASUALTIES, TOTALLING A MINIMUM OF 11,000 AND POSSIBLY AS HIGH AS 15,000 IN THREE DAYS, SOARED MONDAY AS THE NORTH KOREAN REDS STROVE IN DESPERATION TO CRACK THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINES IN SOUTH KOREA.

DESPITE THEIR PUNISHING LOSSES, MOSTLY IN DEAD, THE RED INVADERS WERE CONTINUING TO MASS MEN AND TO PROBE THE LINES ON THE CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN FRONTS FOR THE BIG PUSH WHICH AMERICANS PREDICT MAY BE THEIR LAST. THEY ARE UNDER ORDERS FROM THEIR HIGH COMMAND TO WIPE OUT THE DEFENSE BY AUG. 31.

AT ONE POINT NORTH OF TAEGU ON THE NORTH CENTRAL FRONT THE REDS MADE A TOUGH TWO-MILE GAIN BEFORE BEING HALTED BY A BRILLIANT NIGHT AIR-ARTILLERY COOPERATION. TODAY, HOWEVER, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TOKYO HEADQUARTERS OMITTED ITS USUAL EARLY-MORNING COMMUNIQUE, SAYING THE SITUATION HAD NOT CHANGED SINCE.

SIGNIFICANTLY, THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIQUE, BROADCAST BY THE PYONGYANG RADIO, DROPPED ITS USUAL "TOTAL SUCCESS" THEME AND COMPLAINED THAT THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES "ARE HEAVILY COUNTERATTACKING ON ALL SECTORS."

TOKYO HEADQUAPTERS PUT THE TOTAL RED CASUALTIES ON THE ENTIRE FRONT FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AT 10,092.

THIS INCLUDED ONLY AN UNSPECIFIED PART OF THE 3,500 CASUALTIES IT LISTED AS BEING INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY IN THE REGION NORTH OF TAEGU ALONE.

IN ADDITION, FRONTLINE DISPATCHES REPORTED AT LEAST 1,350 ENEMY DEAD COUNTED IN A SINGLE ACTION ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FRONT, AND A SOUTH KOREAN SPOKESMAN REPORTED 2,450 RED CASUALTIES INFLICTED BY THE SOUTH KOREANS IN RECAPTURING A HILL ON THE NORTHEAST FLANK OF THE FRONT ABOVE

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SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL FORCES REPORTED THEY SANK ONE RED TROOP AND AMMUNITION SHIP AND DAMAGED ANOTHER OFF THE SOUTH COAST, CAUSING HEAVY BUT UNDETERMINED CASUALTIES.
EVEN ALLOWING FOR MANY DUPLICATIONS, THE NORTH KOREAN LOSSES WERE TERRIFIC.

THE ALLIES YIELDED TO A TANK-LED COLUMN IN ONLY ONE SECTOR FOR A TWO-MILE LOSS A DOZEN MILES NORTH OF TAEGU ON THE CENTRAL FRONT. BUT THERE THE REDS WERE STOPPED BY A FLARE-LIT AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND PLANE ATTACK BY NIGHT. FIVE RED TANKS WERE DESTROYED IN THE ACTION.

THE BACK OF THIS MOST IMMEDIATELY THREATENING LUNGE AT TAEGU WAS BELIEVED BROKEN BY THE UNUSUAL TEAMING UP OF PLANES WITH BIG GUNS AT CLOSE QUARTERS.
THE NIGHT-FLYING FIGHTER-BOMBERS WERE GUIDED TO THEIR TARGETS BY THE BRIGHT GLOW OF PHOSPHOROUS SHELLS POURED AMONG ENEMY TROOPS BY FIELD ARTILLERY

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THE OTHER IMMEDIATE THREAT APPEARED TO BE IN THE DEEP SOUTH WHERE THE REDS WERE BUILDING AT CHINJU FOR A NEW OFFENSIVE AIMED AT PUSAN, THE MAIN ALLIED PORT ON THE SOUTHEASTERN TIP OF THE PENINSULA.
IN FIGHTING OVER THE WEEKEND FROM TIP TO TIP OF THE 120-MILE LONG FRONT, THE REDS LOST NEARLY 2,000 MEN IN THE SOUTH, 6,000 ON THE CENTRAL FRONT AND THE BALANCE ON THE EAST COAST LINE NORTH OF POHANG.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED FROM THE SOUTHERN FRONT THAT AMERICANS LOST A KEY AND BITTERLY DISPUTED MOUNTAIN POSITION IN A GIVE AND TAKE BATTLE TWO MILES SOUTHWEST OF HAMAN TO 1,500 WILDLY CHARGING REDS.
FIGHTING HAS RAGED AROUND HAMAN SINCE SATURDAY. THE SECTOR IS DEFENDED BY THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION. IT IS 10 MILES NORTHWEST OF THE SOUTH COAST PORT OF MASAN, 27 AIRLINE MILES WEST OF PUSAN.
SUSTAINED AIR AND ARTILLERY ATTACKS HALTED THE RED DRIVE TOWARD TAEGU FROM A COMMUNIST COLUMN NORTH OF ALLIED-RECAPTURED KUMHWA. TWO RED DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED IN THE PUSH.

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ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD ON THE TAEGU FRONT REPORTED NIGHT FLYING U.S. WARPLANES GUIDED BY PHOSPHOROUS SHELLS HAMMERED AT THE REDS FOR FOUR HOURS.
THE COMMUNISTS GAINED TWO MILES BEFORE THE AMERICAN 27TH "WOLFHOUND" REGIMENT AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS STOPPED THEM. PREVIOUSLY GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD REPORTED THESE FORCES HAD REGAINED ALL GROUND LOST LAST WEEK TO THE REDS MOVING ON TAEGU.
AP CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH ON THE DEEP SOUTH FRONT, SAID THAT PILOTS REPORTED OBSERVING "A TERRIFIC BUILDUP" OF SUPPLIES BY THE REDS SIXTH DIVISION AROUND CHINJU. MACBETH SAID IT WAS POSSIBLE THE RED SEVENTH INFANTRY DIVISION HAD BEEN RUSHED TO REINFORCE THE SIXTH FOR AN IMPENDING STAB AT PUSAN.
MACBETH SAID OTHER PILOTS REPORTED A SIMILAR BUILDUP IN THE EAST WHERE TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS PUSHED NORTHWARD OF THE KIGYE-POHANG LINE IN A CONTINUING BLOODY OFFENSIVE THAT COST THE REDS HEAVILY.
THESE DEVELOPMENTS CAME AFTER WEEKEND AMPHIBIOUS LANDINGS OF ALLIED SOUTH KOREAN MARINES ON THE SOUTH KOREAN COAST, SOUTHEAST OF CHINU, AND ON YONGHUNG ISLAND, SOUTHWEST OF INCHON, PORT FOR SEOUL.

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GENERAL MACARTHUR WARNED NORTH KOREAN PREMIER KIM IL SUNG THAT HE WOULD HOLD KIM PERSONALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY MORE ATROCITIES SUCH AS THE MASSACRE OF MORE THAN 30 AMERICAN TROOPS LAST WEEK BY THE NORTH KOREANS.
THE COMMUNISTS, WITH 10 DAYS TO GO FOR THE VICTORY DEADLINE SET LAST WEEK BY PREMIER KIM, PUT THEIR MAIN EFFORTS INTO THE TAEGU AND SOUTH COAST THREATS.
CORRESPONDENT WHITEHEAD SAID THE RED FLANKING ATTACK ABOVE TAEGU WAS STOPPED BY A FLARE-LIT BARRAGE THROWN OUT BY AMERICAN PLANES AND ARTILLERY.

THE PLANES AND ARTILLERY WERE CALLED INTO ACTION JUST BEFORE MIDNIGHT SUNDAY TO HELP SOUTH KOREAN FORCES THAT WERE BEING FORCED TO GIVE GROUND NORTH AND SLIGHTLY WEST OF THE FORTRESS CITY. THE FRONT WAS 12 TO 15 MILES FROM TAEGU.
ARTILLERY LOBBED OVER PHOSPHOROUS SHELLS TO LIGHT UP TARGETS. F-51 MUSTANGS RAKED THE ENEMY TO A STANDSTILL IN THE EERIE LIGHT.
BY 3 A.M. THE SOUTH KOREANS' LINE HELD AFTER YIELDING TWO MILES. IT WAS ONE OF THE FEW OCCASIONS WHEN MUSTANGS WERE USED IN THE KOREAN WAR AS NIGHT FIGHTER-BOMBERS.
TWO RED ATTACKS IN OTHER SECTORS WERE BEATEN BACK.
A HEADQUARTERS GENERAL STAFF OFFICER SAID OFFICIALLY THE REDS WERE BADLY OFF BALANCE AND MAY HAVE BEEN HURT WORSE BY ALLIED POWER THAN IMAGINED.
TWO SOUGH KOREAN DIVISIONS, BACKED BY AMERICANS, DROVE NORTHWARD ALONG THE VITAL EASTERN ANCHOR BATTLELINE ABOVE POHANG ON THE SEA OF JAPAN COAST. THE SECOND DAY OF THIS OFFENSIVE ALREADY HAS BROUGHT A SOUTH KOREAN CLAIM OF A MAJOR VICTORY.
FRONTLINE DISPATCHES SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL DIVISION WAS SIX MILES NORTH OF KIGYE, WHICH LIES NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG. THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION WAS BETWEEN THREE AND FOUR MILES NORTH OF POHANG. POHANG IS THE NO. 2 EAST COAST PORT OF SOUTH KOREA.

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IN THE FAR SOUTH, THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION THREW BACK TWO SEPARATE REGIMENTAL ATTACKS ON THE MASAN-CHINJU FRONT WEST OF PUSAN, NO. 1 SOUTH KOREAN HARBOR ON THE SOUTHEAST TIP OF THE PENINSULA.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S MONDAY AFTERNOON WAR SUMMARY SAID THE REDS GAINED SOME GROUND ABOUT 10 MILES NORTH AND WEST OF MASAN, SOUTH COAST PORT, BUT LOST IT LATER TO AMERICAN INFANTRY CHARGES.
THE REDS IN THE SOUTH WERE CONSERVING THEIR TANK FORCES. NONE WAS USED IN THE ATTACK NORTHWEST OF MASAN, MACARTHUR NOTED.
BUT TANK-LED ELEMENTS OF THE RED DIVISIONS NORTHWEST OF TAEGU WERE THRUST AGAINST THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT, THE FIRE-BRIGADE USED TO STOP THE COMMUNISTS ON THREE FRONTS.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THE FLARE-LIT BATTLE OCCURRED IN THE MOUNTAIN RIDGES SUNDAY NIGHT. HE SAID THE REDS GAINED TWO MILES ON THE UNITED NATIONS RIGHT FLANK BEFORE THE THUNDEROUS ARTILLERY AND PLANE ATTACK SLOWED AND STOPPED THE REDS.
ON THE NAKTONG FRONT AT CHANGNYONG, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE COMMUNISTS HAD BEEN POUNDED INTO A BLOODY PULP.
THEIR CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD HAD BEEN ERASED BY AMERICAN MARINES AND U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION TROOPS.
ALLIED FORCES CROSSED THE NAKTONG TO THE WEST--RED SIDE--MONDAY NIGHT TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH THE NORTH KOREANS THERE.
THE REDS WERE REINFORCING ANOTHER BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG AT HYONPUNG, 15 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.
AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAD THROWN AN

ESTIMATED 300 MEN AND TWO TANKS ACROSS THE RIVER TO REINFORCE A FULL REGIMENT OF THE 10TH NORTH KOREAN DIVISION CLINGING TO THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER ON THE ALLIED SIDE.
ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION FACED THE NORTH KOREAN RIVER CROSSERS.

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A NEW BUILDUP OF RED STRENGTH ACROSS THE NAKTONG DUE WEST OF WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, HAD BEEN STARTED.
THE RED BUILDUP WAS JUST OUT OF RANGE OF THE PROBING GUNS OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION.
A SPOKESMAN FOR GENERAL MACARTHUR SAID THE REDS WERE ON THE DEFENSIVE IN THE POHANG AREA.
HE ADDED A BUILDUP OF FORCES FOR A THRUST TOWARD PUSAN WAS DEVELOPING NEAR THE CHINJU AREA IN THE DEEP SOUTH.

IT COINCIDED WITH THE SECOND WAR FRONT VISIT OF GEN. J. LAWTON COLLINS, U.S. ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, AND ADM. FOREST P. SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, WHO ARRIVED IN TOKYO MONDAY MORNING FOR CONSULTATION WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR.
THE NORTH KOREANS, MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID, FACE A MOUNTING PROBLEM OF SUPPLYING THEIR FRONTLINES UNDER CONSTANT AIR ASSAULT.
NAVY CARRIER PILOTS OF TASK FORCE 77 REPORTED DESTRUCTION OF 36 LOCOMOTIVES AND DAMAGING 15 MORE IN 198 SORTIES SUNDAY.
LOCOMOTIVE SHORTAGES ALREADY HAVE BEEN REPORTED CAUSING THE REDS TO HARNESS OXEN AND MEN TO MOVE BOXCARS.
THE U.S. NAVY 96TH TASK FORCE SENT CARRIER PLANES ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER SUNDAY. LAND BASED FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS ROARED TO THE ATTACK IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS.
B-29 BOMBERS MONDAY DROPPED 80 TONS OF BOMBS ON RAILROAD YARDS TWO MILES FROM THE HEART OF PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL.
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GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE REDS WERE TRYING TO WELD THEIR AIR-BATTERED POWER FOR A CLIMACTIC BLOW AT TAEGU.
RED ARTILLERY SHELLS WERE PUMPED INTO WEST SIDE OF TAEGU, A FORMER EMERGENCY CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA.
THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST AND SIXTH DIVISIONS, SUPPORTED BY THE U.S. 27TH (WOLFHOUND) INFANTRY REGIMENT, STOOD BEFORE THE ESTIMATED THREE DIVISIONS OF COMMUNISTS IN THE MOUNTAIN PASSES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.
A GENERAL STAFF OFFICER SAID THE VIGOROUS ATTACKS OF THE ALLIES HAD PUT THE GENERAL RED WAR PLAN OFF BALANCE. BUT, HE ADDED, THE NORTH KOREANS HAD REGAINED SOME STABILITY AFTER THEY LOST MOST OF THEIR FOURTH DIVISION IN THE FURIOUS BATTLE FOR THE CHANGNYONG BULGE LAST WEEK.
THE GENERAL FLAREUP ON THE TAEGU FRONT CAME AS THE BRITISH MADE READY THEIR FIRST GROUND TROOPS AT HONG KONG FOR QUICK SHIPMENT TO KOREA. GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD ASKED FOR THEM URGENTLY, THE BRITISH SAID.

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TOKYO, AUG. 21-(AP)-AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS WAS EXPLAINING TO CORRESPONDENTS TODAY THAT HE WAS PUZZLED ABOUT THE LOCATION OF ONE RED DIVISION--THE SEVENTH.
HE SAID HE WOULD PLACE THE DIVISION DEFINITELY ON THE SOUTH COAST, EXCEPT FOR ONE FACT:
"WE HAVE 19 OR 20 PRISONERS FROM THAT DIVISION IN JAIL AT POHANG."
POHANG IS ON THE EAST COAST AT THE OPPOSITE END OF THE 120-MILE BATTLE LINE.

"DID YOU SAY THEY ARE IN THE POHANG JAIL?" ASKED A CORRESPONDENT. "WHY?"
"FOR DISTURBING THE PEACE," SNAPPED THE OFFICER.
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TOKYO, AUG. 21-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN FOREIGN MINISTER PACK HEUNG YUNG TODAY CONFIRMED RECEIPT OF A TELEGRAM FROM U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE ON DESIGNATION OF THREE AMERICAN HOSPITAL SHIPS, PYONGYANG RADIO SAID.
THE RADIO REPORTED THAT PACK REPLIED HIS GOVERNMENT WILL PUT RED CROSS MARKINGS ON ALL HOSPITALS.
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TOKYO, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE U.S. ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, GEN. J. LAWTON COLLINS, AND ADM. FOREST P. SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, ENGAGED IN CONFERENCES IN TOKYO TODAY BUT DECLINED TO DISCLOSE THEIR NATURE.
VICE ADM. CHARLES T. JOY, COMMANDER OF NAVAL FORCES IN THE FAR EAST, SAID SHERMAN'S VISIT WAS "TO DISCUSS MATTERS WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR AND ME." HE WOULD NOT COMMENT AS TO WHETHER HIS CHIEF INTENDED TO GO TO KOREA. SHERMAN WAS A GUEST AT JOY'S HOME TONIGHT.
GENERAL COLLINS WAS A DINNER GUEST AT THE HOME OF MAJ. GEN. E.M. ALMOND, MACARTHUR'S CHIEF OF STAFF. AN AIDE SAID COLLINS HAD CONFERRED ALL DAY WITH STAFF OFFICERS "ON PROBLEMS PERTAINING TO THE SITUATION AT HAND TO OBTAIN FIRST-HAND INFORMATION TO TAKE BACK TO WASHINGTON."
ASKED IF THIS MEANT THE GENERAL WOULD NOT VISIT KOREA PERSONALLY THE SPOKESMAN SAID HE LACKED INFORMATION ON THE GENERAL'S PLANS.
COLLINS AND SHERMAN ARRIVED FROM THE UNITED STATES MONDAY MORNING.
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FIRST LEAD AERIAL.
TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG 22-(AP)-ALLIED WARPLANES SWARMED OVER THE FIGHTING FRONTS AND ENEMY TRANSPORTATION ROUTES TODAY IN THEIR STEADY POUNDING OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND SUPPLY LINES.
FAR BEHIND THE LINES, THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED, B-29 SUPERFORTS "SCORED HEAVILY" YESTERDAY WITH 200 TONS OF BOMBS WHICH BLANKETED RAILWAY YARDS AT PYONGYANG AND SEOUL.
CARRIER-BASED BRITISH PLANES RAKED THE ENEMY-HELD WEST COAST AND SANK A NORTH KOREAN PATROL CRAFT AND DAMAGED TWO OTHER VESSELS.
AN FEAF OPERATIONAL SUMMARY ISSUED AT 9:45 A.M., (6:45 P.M., E.S.T., MONDAY) SAID U. S. FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS TOOK ADVANTAGE OF CLEARING WEATHER YESTERDAY TO FLY 500 SORTIES. MORE THAN 300 OF THESE FLIGHTS WERE IN CLOSE GROUND SUPPORT OR AGAINST RED SUPPLY LINES TO THE FRONT.
SUPERFORTRESS BOMBERS YESTERDAY UNLOADED 80 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES ON THE RAILWAY YARDS AT PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL. FEAF SAID CREWS REPORTED "EXCELLENT" RESULTS FROM THE VISUAL BOMBING.
FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS STRUCK DAY AND NIGHT AT RED CONVOYS AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE CHINJU AREA ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT WHERE THE NORTH KOREANS WERE REPORTED BUILDING UP FOR ANOTHER DRIVE.
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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUF. 22-(AP)-CARRIER-BASED BRITISH BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS MONDAY SANK AN ENEMY PATROL CRAFT AND DAMAGED TWO OTHER VESSELS IN SWEEPS ALONG THE WEST COAST OOF KOREA, FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

OPERATING WITH THE WEST COAST BLOCKADE FORCE, THE BRITISH FLIERS SNAK A PC BOAT CLOSE TO THE SHORE JST NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

AT MOKPO, THE FORMER SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL BASE AT THE TIP OF THE PENINSULA, A 50-TON MOTOR VESSEL WAS BADLY DAMAGED, SAID A NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT ISSUED AT 12:10 P.M. (9:10 P.M., E.S.T., MONDAY).

THE BRITISH PLANES DAMAGED A SMALL COASTER VESSEL AT INCHON, PORT CITY FOR THE FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF SEOUL.

THE BRITISH BLOCKADE FORCE ALSO SENT PLANES AGAINST CHINNAMPO AT THE MOUTH OF THE TAEDONG RIVER WHICH LEADS TO THE RED CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG. THERE THEY HIT BOXCARS, SMALL CRAFT AND OIL TANKS.

ON THE EAST COAST, A U. S. DESTROYER SILENCED AN ENEMY SHORE BATTERY AT SAMCHOK, 38 MILES SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

CARRIER-BASED U. S. MARINE PILOTS GAVE CLOSE SUPPORT TO GROUND FORCES. THEY CAUGHT RED TROOPS IN THE OPEN NEAR HAMAN IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR AND INFLICTED HEAVY CASUALTIES.

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SOUTHWEST SECTOR AND INFLICTED HEAVY CASUALTIES.

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ABOUT FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF HAMAN, THE MARINES TRIED TO SEAL TROOPS IN A MINE. RESULTS WERE NOT OBSERVED FROM THE AIR.

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WARNEWS BLACKOUT

TOKYO, AUG. 21-7AP)-WAR NEWS DRIBBLED OUT OF KOREA TODAY IN SLIGHTLY HEAVIER VOLUME THAN IN THE LAST TWO DAYS WHEN IT WAS CUT TO A TRICKLE.

THE BLACKOUT BEGAN WHEN THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY REMOVED ALL PRESS TELEPHONES AND TELETYPES FROM ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS.

IT SAID IT HAD INFORMED CORRESPONDENTS:

"IT WOULD BE ADVISABLE TO FILE ALL COPY AT PUSAN RATHER THAN AT TAEGU IN VIEW OF REDUCED COMMUNICATION FACILITIES INCIDENT TO NEW REQUIREMENTS OF MILITARY PURPOSE AND THE POSSIBILITY COMMUNICATIONS MIGHT BE INTERRUPTED BETWEEN TAEGU AND JAPAN."

THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE NO FURTHER EXPLANATION.

CORRESPONDENTS WERE CUT TO 60 WORDS EACH DAILY FOR RELAY TO TOKYO FROM ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS.

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ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT LEIF ERICKSON AT HEADQUARTERS SAID THE ARMY HAD OFFERED A MAXIMUM OF 2,000 WORDS TELETYPE TRANSMISSION FROM TAEGU "ON A POOLED BASIS" AND CORRESPONDENTS COULD USE COURIER PLANES.

THE 30 CORRESPONDENTS AT HEADQUARTERS TURNED DOWN THE POOL OFFER AS UNWORKABLE.

WHILE THE NEWS FLOW FROM ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS VIRTUALLY WAS SHUT OFF, THE ARMY SAID FACILITIES WERE AVAILABLE AT PUSAN, CORRESPONDENTS WERE UNWILLING TO LEAVE FRONT AREAS WHERE THE NEWS DEVELOPS BUT WERE FINDING WAYS OF BRIDGING THE GAP BETWEEN TAEGU AND PUSAN.

BAD RADIO CONDITIONS BETWEEN KOREA AND JAPAN, AND BETWEEN JAPAN AND THE UNITED STATES, HAVE ADDED TO THE PROBLEM.

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TOKYO, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO SAID TONIGHT THAT AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES "ARE HEAVILY COUNTERATTACKING ON ALL SECTORS."

THE BROADCAST HEARD HERE QUOTED A NORTH KOREAN ARMY COMMUNIQUE. IT SAID "AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE REMNANT FORCES ARE MOBILIZING THEIR FULL STRENGTH INCLUDING AIR, TANK AND ARTILLERY." RHEE IS PRESIDENT OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC.

NORTH KOREAN FORCES MET STRONG RESISTANCE INFLICTING A HEAVY BLOW ON THE U.S. ARMY 25TH DIVISION AND MARINES, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID. IT ADDED THAT COMMUNIST FORCES ON ALL FRONTS WERE INFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES, ESPECIALLY TO UNITED NATIONS ARTILLERY UNITS.

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TOKYO,AUG.21-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 285, ISSUED AT 1:35 P.M. (10:35 P.M. SUNDAY, E.S.T.) COVERING AIR ACTION FROM MIDNIGHT SATURDAY TO MIDNIGHT SUNDAY:

THE U.S. FEAF (FAR EAST AIR FORCE) CONTINUED TO LAUNCH CONSISTENTLY SUCCESSFUL ATTACKS ON NORTH KOREAN TROOPS, MATERIEL AND TARGETS AUG. 20, ALTHOUGH HEAVY RAINS AND LOW CEILINGS IN THE SOUTHERN SECTORS HAMPERED THE EFFECTIVENESS OF CLOSE SUPPORT MISSIONS DIRECTLY BEHIND THE NORTH KOREAN LINES.

B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES OF THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND STRUCK AGAIN AT THE SEOUL WEST RAILROAD BRIDGE, TARGET FOR REPEATED ATTACKS DURING THE 56 DAYS OF CONTINUOUS AIR FORCE ASSISTANCE TO THE UNITED NATIONS WAR EFFORT IN KOREA.

THE SUPERFORTS REPORTED TWO SPANS OF THE BRIDGE WERE ALREADY IN THE WATER ON THEIR ARRIVAL. EXTENSIVE DAMAGE TO THE CENTER SPANS HAD BEEN OBSERVED ON A PREVIOUS STRIKE AUG. 18. MORE THAN 50 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVE WERE DROPPED IN THE AUG. 18 ATTACK AND NUMEROUS DIRECT HITS WERE SCORED BUT COMPLETE DESTRUCTION OF THE SPANS HAD NOT BEEN CONFIRMED.

A THIRD SPAN WAS DOWNED IN YESTERDAY'S ACTION, DENYING USE OF THIS KEY BRIDGE FOR NORTH KOREAN RAIL OR TRUCK TRAFFIC FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD.

FOUR ADDITIONAL BRIDGES WERE HIT. ONE, A RAILROAD BRIDGE 16 MILES EAST OF SEOUL, LOST A SPAN, AND A HIGHWAY BRIDGE ONE MILE SOUTH OF CHORWON WAS EXTENSIVELY DAMAGED.

THE B-29S STAGED MAJOR ATTACKS AGAINST MARSHALLING YARDS AT SEOUL AND HAMHUNG ON THE EAST COAST. A VIOLENT EXPLOSION FOLLOWED DIRECT HITS ON THE HAMHUNG MARSHALLING YARDS. SMOKE PREVENTED DETAILED OBSERVATION. AT THE SEOUL MARSHALLING YARD DIRECT HITS INTERRUPTED RECONSTRUCTION UNDER WAY AFTER A DEVASTATING ATTACK EARLIER IN THE MONTH.

FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS FLEW DAYLIGHT INTERDICTION MISSIONS AT ROAD AND RAIL TARGETS SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. RAIL INSTALLATIONS AND TRACKAGE WERE HIT BETWEEN MOKPO AND SONGJONG, KWANGJU AND POSONG AND IN CHONGJU AND OTHER CARS DAMAGED AT KWANGI, 15 MILES NORTH OF KOCHANG.

NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS FLOWN BY B-26S, U.S. MARINE F-4U FIGHTERS AND F82 FIGHTERS OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE, ATTACKED LIGHTED CONVOYS AND

OTHER MILITARY TARGETS OVER A WIDE AREABEAHIND THE NORTH KOREAN LINES. NIGHT BOMBING AND STRAFING MISSIONS WERE FLOWN IN THE VICINITY OF TAECHON, CHONGJU, SUWON, KWANGJU, INCHON, KOCHANG, ANUI AND OTHER CITIES AND TOWNS ON NORTH KOREAN SUPPLY ROUTES TO THE BATTLE FRONT.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS TURNED IN EVALUATED CLAIMS FOR 38 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES AND 10 BOXCARS DAMAGED IN CLOSE SUPPORT MISSIONS. SUPPLY DUMPS WERE STRAFED AND FIRED AT ANDONG AND KWANGJU AND ONE SPAN WAS KNOCKED OUT ON A BRIDGE NORTH OF CHONGJU. TWO OTHER BRIDGES WERE DAMAGED. TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE STRAFED AT CHINJU, WAEGWAN AND OTHER FRONT LINE ASSEMBLY AREAS, AND NUMBEROUS CASUALTIES INFLICTED.

CARGO AIRCRAFT OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE CARRIED 224 PASSENGERS AND MORE THAN 61 TONS OF PRIORITY MILITARY SUPPLIES TO KOREAN BASES DURING THE DAY DESPITE POOR WEATHER CONDITIONS.

NO NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED AND NONE OF OUR AIRCRAFT WAS LOST AS A RESULT OF ANTIAIRCRAFT OR GROUND FIRE.

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TOKYO, AUG. 21-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 287 (ARMY) ISSUED AT 4:30 P.M. (1:30 A.M. EST):

THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION INFLICTED HEAVY CASUALTIES ON COMMUNIST FORCES AUG. 20 IN THE AREA WEST OF MASAN.

AFTER SEPARATE ENEMY ATTACKS NEAR THE TOWNS OF CHUNGAM AND PYONGAM, EACH OF ESTIMATED REGIMENTAL STRENGTH, COMBINED INFANTRY, ARTILLERY AND AIR COUNTERATTACKS REGAINED OUR ORIGINAL POSITION. FIGHTING IN THIS AREA CONTINUED INTO THE NIGHT OF AUG. 20, BUT WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND BY UNITED STATES UNITS. HEAVY FIGHTING CEASED EARLY AUG. 21, AND THE ATTACK HAS NOT BEEN RESUMED BY THE RED FORCES.

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FURTHER NORTH, TROOPS OF THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION CONTINUED TO SEARCH OUT ISOLATED ENEMY GROUPS LEFT BEHIND AS THE ENEMY WAS FORCED FROM HIS BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER. THIS AREA IS NOW COMPARATIVELY QUIET AND UNITED STATES PATROLS HAVE CROSSED THE RIVER IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY. OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION CONTINUE TO CONTAIN THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD IN THE VICINITY OF HYONGPUNG.

ALONG THE WAEGWAN FRONT ARTILLERY UNITS OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ENGAGED TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY ACROSS THE RIVER, DESTROYING ONE AMMUNITION DUMP AND SEVERAL ARTILLERY PIECES.

DURING THE NIGHT AUG. 20-21, ENEMY FORCES ATTACKED U.S. AND ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FORWARD POSITIONS IN THE SECTOR OF THE ROK FIRST DIVISION.

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THE ATTACK, WHICH WAS LED BY TANKS, WAS REPULSED WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND AND ONE ENEMY TANK WAS DESTROYED. A LIGHT FIRE FIGHT CONTINUED BUT WITHOUT CAUSING ANY CHANGE IN OUR POSITIONS. THAT SECTOR IS GENERALLY QUIET TODAY.

AN ENEMY ATTACK IN THE VICINITY OF MASI AUG. 20 FORCED ELEMENTS OF THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION TO WITHDRAW SLIGHTLY BUT A COUNTERATTACK BY OTHER ELEMENTS OF THAT DIVISION COMPLETELY RESTORED THE ORIGINAL POSITIONS. ~~SOME ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE IS FALLING IN THE SECTOR OF~~ THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION TODAY, BUT NO FURTHER ATTACK HAS DEVELOPED.

IN THE POHANG AREA THE ROK CAPITOL AND THIRD DIVISIONS CONTINUE TO ADVANCE NORTH AGAINST INCREASING ENEMY RESISTANCE. ELEMENTS OF THE CAPITOL DIVISION HAVE NOW ADVANCED TO A POINT APPROXIMATELY SIX MILES NORTH OF KIGYE AND THE ROK THIRD DIVISION HAS ADVANCED APPROXIMATELY THREE MILES NORTH OF POHANG.

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ESTIMATED ENEMY CASUALTIES FOR AUG.19 INCLUDE 1,055 CASUALTIES INFLICTED BY UNITED STATES FORCES AND 34 POWS CAPTURED, AND 3,078 CASUALTIES INFLICTED BY ROK ARMY FORCES WITH 241 POWS.

CARRIER BASED AIRCRAFT OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET CONTINUED THEIR HEAVY ATTACKS AUG.20 AGAINST MILITARY TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA. SPECIAL ATTENTION WAS GIVEN TO TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES, WITH A LARGE NUMBER OF LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED OR DAMAGED.

MARSHALLING YARDS AND RAIL CENTERS AT PYONGYANG, SARIWON, SINANJU, CHONGJU, KUNRI, SUNCHON, SAINJANG, CHAERYONG AND KYOMIPO WERE HIT AND HEAVILY DAMAGED. SHIPPING WAS HIT AT WONSAN AND YONGYU AND A SUB-CHASER WAS BURNED AT CHANGYON. POWER STATIONS WERE HIT AND BURNED AT YONGYU, ANJU, KUMCHON AND AT PAKCHON, WHERE FIRES WERE VISIBLE FOR 50 MILES. AT WOHUN, SEVEN LARGE OIL TANKS WERE STRAFED, FOUR OF WHICH BURNED. TWO TANK CARS AND FIVE BOXCARS WERE STRAFED AND SET AFIRE AT SINANJU AND A TROOP LADEN JUNK WAS STRAFED AT YONGJU. TWENTY BOXCARS WERE HIT AT KUMCHON.

ELEMENTS OF U.S. TASK FORCE 96 FLEW SORTIES AUG.20 IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT. TARGETS ATTACKED WERE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND ARTILLERY POSITIONS.

ROK MARINE UNITS, SUPPORTED BY THE ROK NAVY, CONSOLIDATED POSITIONS IN THE VICINITY OF TONGYONG. PRISONERS AND LARGE QUANTITIES OF ENEMY EQUIPMENT AND ARMS WERE TAKEN IN THIS AREA.

U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS FLEW CLOSE SUPPORT AND INTERDICTION MISSIONS IN THE CHINJU, KOCHANG, SUNCHON, ANDONG AND MASAN AREAS. REINFORCING THESE AIR FORCE STRIKES WERE U.S. NAVY FIGHTERS WHO FLEW SORTIES IN SUPPORT OF GROUND ACTION. PRELIMINARY MISSION REPORTS INDICATE THAT NINE MISCELLANEOUS VEHICLES, TWO TRUCKS, THREE GUN EMPLACEMENTS, A RAILROAD TUNNEL AND TWO RAILROAD BRIDGES WERE DESTROYED; WHILE 19 MISCELLANEOUS VEHICLES, EIGHT TRUCKS, FIVE BUILDINGS, ONE SUPPLY DUMP, TEN BOXCARS AND ONE BRIDGE WERE DAMAGED.

FEAF BOMBER COMMAND SUPERFORTS BOMBED TRANSPORTATION CENTERS AND INDUSTRIAL TARGETS. THE SEOUL AND HAMHUNG MARSHALLING YARDS WERE HEAVILY DAMAGED, AND SPANS WERE KNOCKED OUT OF BRIDGES AT PUNWON-NI AND CHUNCHON. THE WEST RAILWAY BRIDGE AT SEOUL WAS KNOCKED OUT, WITH THREE SPANS IN THE RIVER.

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TOKYO, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 288 (AERIAL) ISSUED AT 7. P.M. (4A.M., EST) TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:

RAILROAD YARDS NORTHWEST OF PYONGYANG WERE STRUCK WITH 80 TONS OF BOMBS BY U.S. AIR FORCE B-29 SUPERFORTS TODAY TO FURTHER DISRUPT RAIL TRAFFIC DIVERTED SOUTHWARD FROM NORTHWEST AND NORTHEAST COAST KOREAN CITIES.

THE ATTACK WAS VISUAL. RETURNING CREWS REPORTED EXCELLENT RESULTS. THEY ENCOUNTERED SOME FLAK BUT NO NORTH KOREAN FIGHTER AIRPLANES WERE SIGHTED. ALL AIRCRAFT RETURNED SAFELY.

THE TARGET WAS THE SHUNTING AND CLASSIFICATION YARD LOCATED ABOUT TWO MILES FROM THE CENTER OF THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL CITY. THE PYONGYANG MARSHALLING YARDS AND ARSENAL, LOCATED IN A DIFFERENT AREA, WERE ELIMINATED AS MAJOR TARGETS BY PREVIOUS B-29 ATTACKS.

ONE OF THE GUNNERS ON TODAY'S MISSION, CPL. WILLIAM OERTELL, POMONA, CALIF., SAID: "THE SHUNTING YARDS BECAME A PERFECT SQUARE OF SMOKE AND FLAME AFTER THE BOMBS STRUCK. WE WERE ONE OF THE FIRST PLANES BUT EVEN THEN SMOKE ROSE TO 3,000 FEET."

SGT. WALLER BUCHTAN, BROOKSVILLE, FLA., SAID THE YARDS WERE ABOUT HALF FULL OF FREIGHT CARS. "ONE OF THE FIRST BOMBS MUST HAVE HIT SOME TANK CARS FOR THERE WERE LARGE FLAMES," HE SAID.

ON RETURN TO BASE, 1ST LT. OWEN A. MCLAUGHLIN OF MIAMI, FLA., SAID HE BELIEVED BOMBS HIT AMMUNITION CARS OR GASOLINE TANKERS.
"REDDISH SMOKE AND FLAMES BILLOWED UP THROUGH BLACK SMOKE WHICH COVERED THE AREA," HE SAID.
AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS CONTINUED THEIR ASSAULT TODAY IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS. A GROUND CONTROLLER IN THE MASAN AREA TOLD SECOND LT. GLENN PAYNE OF HILLSBORO, TEXAS, THAT HE HAD DONE "A GREAT JOB" IN FIRING ON NORTH KOREAN TROOPS ON ONE SIDE OF A RIDGE. "WE COULD SEE U.S. TROOPS ON THE OTHER SIDE," SAID LIEUTENANT PAYNE. "OUR FLIGHT FIRED ABOUT 15 ROCKETS AND EMPTIED OUR MACHINEGUNS IN 10 MINUTES. THE CONTROLLER ASSURED US WE KILLED QUITE A FEW ENEMY TROOPS." LIEUTENANT PAYNE FLEW AN F-80 JET SHOOTING STAR.
ON AN ARMED RECONNAISSANCE MISSION TO SEOUL TODAY SECOND LT. WILLIAM PETCOFF OF BERKLEY, MICH., ANOTHER F-80 PILOT, FLEW SOUTHWARD TO THE CHOCHIWON MARSHALLING YARDS. "WE SENT ROCKETS INTO SEVERAL CAMOUFLAGED BUILDINGS AND AT LEAST ONE BUILDING BURNED. WE HIT THREE TRUCKS A GOOD WALLOP," HE SAID.
B26 LIGHT BOMBERS SET OFF TWO EXPLOSIONS WHICH FOLLOWED AN ATTACK ON A CONVOY EAST OR INCHON. "FIRES WERE NUMEROUS AFTER WE HIT THE VEHICLES," SAID FIRST LT.BILLY REYNOLDS (ROUTE 2), CLEVELAND,MISS.

THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION LAUNCHED AN ATTACK YESTERDAY WITH ONE BATTALION OF THE 11TH REGIMENT GAINING ITS OBJECTIVE AND THE 12TH REGIMENT MOVING FORWARD AGAINST STRONG ENEMY RESISTANCE. THE 13TH REGIMENT WAS FORCED BACK 1,000 YARDS BUT REGAINED 800 YARDS. THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT REPELLED AN ENEMY TANK-SUPPORTED ATTACK DURING THE NIGHT, KNOCKING OUT ONE TANK.
THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION CAPTURED A HILL ONE MILE NORTH OF SUDONG AND THE CAPITOL DIVISION CONTINUED ITS ADVANCE IN THE POHANG AREA.

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CAPT. GERALD K. HANNAFORD, 1106 N. LUKE BLVD., AUSTIN, TEX., TOOK OFF AT FIRST LIGHT IN A B-26 TODAY ON A FLIGHT AGAINST A SPECIALLY SELECTED TARGET -- A COMMUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATION IN THE MOUNTAIN AREA NEAR TAEJON. A SPOTTER AIRPLANE DIRECTED THE B-26 TO A TROOP CONCENTRATION. "WE STRAFED THE MEN, ARTILLERY AND VEHICLES WITH GOOD RESULTS," SAID CAPTAIN HANNAFORD. "OUR BOMBS STARTED THREE SMALL FIRES AND A LARGE ONE."
FLYING WITH HANNAFORD WERE FIRST LT. ROBERT E. HERVEY, 42 MERRIMAN RD., AKRON, OHIO, AND STAFF SGT. EDWARD H. LANNIN, 416 MONA LAKE, MUSKEGON HEIGHTS, MICH.
THE MARSHALLING YARD AT CHONAN AND THE DOCK AREA AT INCHON WERE BOMBED BY CAPT. RICHARD H. SMITH., ATLANTA, GA., IN A NIGHT INTRUDER MISSION. "THE BOXCARS WERE BURNING WHEN WE LEFT THE AREA," HE SAID.
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TEXT (200)
TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 289, ISSUED AT 9:45 A.M. (6:45 P.M., MONDAY, E. S. T.):
U. S. AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS TOOK ADVANTAGE OF GENERALLY EXCELLENT WEATHER YESTERDAY (MONDAY) AND WITH MORE THAN 500 SORTIES LASHED AT NORTH KOREAN TARGETS.
THIS MORNING FIGHTERS WERE OFF AT FIRST LIGHT IN SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES, FLYING AGAINST SELECTED TARGETS.
MORE THAN 300 OF THESE FLIGHTS WERE IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES AND IN THE PLAN TO INTERDICT SUPPLIES ENROUTE TO COMMUNIST TROOPS.
F-82 TWIN MUSTANG ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS JOINED B-26 LIGHT INVADER BOMBERS IN INTRUDER ATTACKS LAST NIGHT AND EARLY TODAY AGAINST CONVOYS AND TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS. THE TWIN MUSTANGS FOUND CONVOYS AT CHINJU AND KUMCHON, BUT THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE INDICATION OF THE RESULT EARLY THIS MORNING.
B-26S FLEW INTRUDER ATTACKS AGAINST TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AT INCHON, YONGDONG, TAEJON AND TEN OTHER SOUTH KOREAN CITIES, GENERALLY COVERING THE ENTIRE AREA IN THE SOUTH WEST PORTION OF THE PENINSULA.
THE F-80 JETS AND F-51 MUSTANGS, SUPPORTING THE UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES, DESTROYED TWO OIL FUEL DUMPS, ONE NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF KAERYONG AND THE OTHER FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF KORYONG. THEY ALSO KNOCKED OUT SIX ARTILLERY PIECES.
BOMBER COMMAND B-29 SUPERFORTS DROPPED 80 TONS OF BOMBS ON THE RAILROAD YARDS NORTHWEST OF PYONGYANG. THE DROP WAS VISUALLY AND RESULTS WERE REPORTED BY RETURNING CREWS TO BE EXCELLENT.
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TEXT (320)
TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.22-(AP)-TEXT OF (NAVY) KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 290 ISSUED AT 12:10 P.M. (9:10 P.M. EST MONDAY):
BRITISH CARRIER-BASED FIREFLY BOMBERS AND SEAFIRE FIGHTERS, WORKING WITH THE WEST COAST BLOCKADE FORCE, YESTERDAY PATROLLED FROM MOKPO IN SOUTH TO CHINNAMPO IN NORTH AND ON UP THE TAEDONG RIVER TO PYONGYANG.
IN ROCKET ATTACK BRITISH FLIERS SANK CAMOUFLAGED PC BOAT CLOSE IN SHORE IN LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 38 DEGREES 11 MINUTES NORTH.
AT MOKPO THEY BADLY DAMAGED A 50-TON MOTOR VESSEL IN THE SLIP.
AT INCHON A SMALL COASTER VESSEL WAS BADLY DAMAGED. AT KUNSAN A TUG BOAT AND WAREHOUSES IN THE DOCK AREA WERE DAMAGED.
IN THE CHINNAMPO AREA THE SEAFIRES AND FIREFLIES ATTACKED BOXCARS, SMALL CRAFT AND OIL TANKS.
ON THE EAST COAST A U.S. NAVY DESTROYER PATROLLING PAST SAMCHOK WAS TAKEN UNDER FIRE BY SHORE BATTERIES. THE DESTROYER SILENCED THE BATTERIES WITHOUT SUSTAINING ANY DAMAGE TO PERSONNEL OR MATERIEL.
OTHER EAST COAST UNITS PROVIDED CALL-FIRE SUPPORT FOR GROUND FORCES IN THE POHANG AREA.
CARRIER BASED U.S. MARINE PILOTS ATTACKED WITH CUSTOMY FURY YESTERDAY IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) SECOND ARMY CORPS AND THE U.S. 24TH AND 25TH INFANTRY DIVISIONS.

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MARINE BOMBING AND STRAFING AT SAMHAK DROVE ENEMY TROOPS INTO THE HILLS. FOUR SLOPES IN THE SAME AREA WERE THOROUGHLY STRAFED. ON RIDE NEAR HAMAN A LARGE NUMBER OF ENEMY TROOPS WERE CAUGHT IN OPEN. MARINE CORSAIRS MADE PASS AFTER PASS, INFLICTING HEAVY CASUALTIES.
GROUND CONTROLLERS REPORTED EXCELLENT STRAFING COVERAGE OF A HEAVILY OCCUPIED REVERSE SLOPE NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. A COMMAND POST NEAR CHUNGHO WAS HIT BY A 500 POUND BOMB. A SECOND COMMAND POST WAS DESTROYED BY TWO 500 POUND BOMB HITS. TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS IN TAEJONG AND HYOPCHONG WERE HEAVILY BOMBED AND STRAFED.
TROOPS IN HOUSES NEAR KANGJURI WERE STRAFED.
AN ATTEMPT TO SEAL A TROOP-OCCUPIED MINE FIVE MILES SOUTHWEST OF HAMAN WAS MADE WITH RESULTS UNOBSERVED FROM THE AIR. THE MARINE

FLYERS DESTROYED TWO ARTILLERY PIECES AND FOUR TRUCKS AND DAMAGED ONE TRUCK.
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TEXT
TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.22-(AP)-THE TEXT OF NORTH KOREAN RELEASE 291, TIMED AT 1:35 P.M. (10 P.M. E.S.T.) COVERING AIR OPERATIONS UP TO MIDNIGHT MONDAY:
HEAVY UNITED NATIONS FAR EAST AIR FORCES STRIKES DAMAGED NORTH KOREAN SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT FACILITIES, AND ALSO BACKED UP THE UNITED NATIONS GROUND TROOPS IN KOREA WITH DIRECT AIR SUPPORT AUG. 21.
MORE THAN 500 SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY ALL TYPES OF UNITED STATES AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE AIRCRAFT.
FEAF BOMBER COMMAND B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES DROPPED 200 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES ON THE PYONGYANG AND SEOUL MARSHALLING YARDS AND ON SELECTED BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 37TH PARALLEL.
THE SUPERFORST SCORED HEAVILY, BOMB BURSTS BLANKETING BOTH MARSHALLING YARDS. A RAILROAD BRIDGE TWO AND ONE-HALF MILES NORTH OF CHUNCHON ON THE IMPORTANT RAIL LINK BETWEEN YANGYANG ON THE EAST COAST AND SEOUL WAS IN THE WATER AS A RESULT OF DIRECT HITS. A SECOND RAIL BRIDGE 14 MILES SOUTHEAST OF KAESONG ALSO WAS HIT.
FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS TORE UP TRACKAGE AT RAIL JUNCTIONS AND OTHER SELECTED KEY POINTS FROM SAMCHOK ON THE EAST TO SUWON ON THE WEST. APPROXIMATELY 18 BOXCARS WERE BOMBED AND DAMAGED BY THE B-26S SOUTHWEST OF SAMCHOK.
NIGHT INTRUDER B-26S, TOGETHER WITH U.S. MARINE 4-FU FIGHTERS AND FIFTH AIR FORCE F-82 ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS, HIT MILITARY TARGETS IN MORE THAN 15 TOWN AND CITY AREAS BEHIND THE LINES. THEY HIT ROAD AND RAIL CONVOYS, SUPPLY DISTRIBUTION CENTERS AND TROOP MOVEMENTS ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER AND WEST TO TAECHON ON THE COAST 26 MILES NORTH OF KUNSAN.

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CONTINUING PHOTOGRAPHIC RECONNAISSANCE INDICATES EXCELLENT PROGRESS IN THE AIR INTERDICTION PROGRAM DESIGNED TO ISOLATE COMMUNIST COMBAT TROOPS FROM THEIR SOURCES OF SUPPLY BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES ARE DOWN ON NEARLY ALL THE MAJOR ROUTES TO THE BATTLE ZONES.
APPROXIMATELY 300 COMBAT SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY THE FIFTH AIR FORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES, A MAJORITY IMMEDIATELY BEHIND THE BATTLE LINES UNDER THE DIRECTION OF AIR FORCE FORWARD CONTROLLERS AND IN CLOSE LIAISON WITH GROUND TROOPS. THE FIGHTERS HIT NORTH KOREAN TROOP COLUMNS, RAIL AND ROAD VEHICLES AND COMMUNIST SUPPLY INSTALLATIONS.

FUEL DUMPS NEAR KAERYONG AND KORYONG WERE FIRED IN ROCKET STRIKES AND SIX GUN POSITIONS WERE PUT OUT OF ACTION ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER. FIGHTER OPERATIONS WERE MOST HEAVILY CONCENTRATED IN THE SECTORS DEFENDED BY THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY.
MORE THAN 20 BUILDINGS, INCLUDING WAREHOUSES, SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND OTHER LARGE STRUCTURES USED FOR TROOP LIVING QUARTERS OR TEMPORARY SUPPLY STORAGE WERE FIRED IN FIGHTER ATTACKS. EVALUATED PILOT CLAIMS FOR NORTH KOREAN VEHICULAR EQUIPMENT DAMAGED INCLUDED NINE TANKS, 10 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEV

FOR NORTH KOREAN VEHICULAR EQUIPMENT DAMAGED INCLUDED NINE TANKS, 10 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, ONE LOCOMOTIVE AND 37 BOXCARS. ONE HIGHWAY BRIDGE WAS DAMAGED AT POKSONG.
NO NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION WAS MET DURING THE DAY, ALTHOUGH ONE F-80 MISSION REPORTED SIGHTING AN AIRCRAFT IDENTIFIED AS AN LA-9 IN THE WAEGWAN AREA. THE AIRCRAFT TOOK EVASIVE ACTION AND THERE WAS NO ENGAGEMENT.
CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED 511 PASSENGERS AND 129 TONS OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES, MILITARY EQUIPMENT AND OTHER PRIORITY SHIPMENTS TO KOREA.
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TEXT (120)
TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG 22-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 292 ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 1:45 P.M., (10:45 P.M., E.S.T., MONDAH):
THE COMBAT TEAMS OF THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION HAVE BEEN UNDER HEAVY ATTACKS THIS MORNING. THE ATTACK ON THE NORTH OF THIS DIVISION HAS BEEN CONTAINED. THE ATTACKS ON THE SOUTH HAVE MADE GAINS, BUT EACH OF THREE CONSECUTIVE COUNTERATTACKS HAS REGAINED THE GROUND THAT WAS LOST. THE SITUATION IS IN HAND.
THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) CAPITAL DIVISION ON THE RIGHT OF THE NORTH SECTOR HAS MOVED FORWARD WITH INCREASINGLY MORE PRESSURE.
THE ROK THIRD DIVISION HAS GAINED NINE MILES NORTH OF POHANG. ON THE FRONT OF THE ROK FIRST DIVISION, WHICH IS REINFORCED BY AMERICAN TROOPS, AN ENEMY ATTACK IN WHICH NINE TANKS WERE USED WAS REPULSED. THREE TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT, TWO OF THEM BEING DESTROYED BY OUR TANKS.
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TEXT (190) U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HDQTRS
TOKYO,AUG.21-(AP)-TEXT OF U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 51 ISSUED AT 4:45 P.M. 1:45 A.M. EST):
IN THE 25TH DIVISION AREA, THE 35TH REGIMENT WAS ATTACKED YESTERDAY BY AN ESTIMATED NORTH KOREA REGIMENT. THE ATTACK WAS SUCCESSFULLY REPULSED WITH NO LOSS OF GROUND. THE 24TH REGIMENT WAS ALSO ATTACKED BY AN ESTIMATED NORTH KOREAN REGIMENT AND LOST 300-400 YARDS. A COUNTERATTACK REGAINED TO THE EDGE OF THE U.S. POSITION AGAINST LIGHT ENEMY PRESSURE.
THE ENEMY POCKET IN THE NORTH OF THE 24TH DIVISION SECTOR WAS SHELLED AND HIT FROM THE AIR. NO PARTICULAR RESULTS WERE REPORTED. THERE WAS NO OFFENSIVE ACTION FROM THIS FORCE.
THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR WAS GENERALLY QUIET. THERE IS AN ENEMY BUILDUP OPPOSITE THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE DIVISION, INCLUDING ARTILLERY PIECES, TANKS, VEHICLES AND PERSONNEL. MOST OF THIS WAS BEYOND ARTILLERY RANGE BUT SOME TARGETS WERE TAKEN UNDER FIRE, RESULTING IN THE DESTRUCTION OF ONE ARTILLERY PIECE, THREE VEHICLES AND 50 NORTH KOREAN TROOPS.
(EDITORS: THE REMAINDER OF THIS COMMUNIQUE WAS GARBLED IN TRANSMISSION FROM TOKYO; IT WILL BE SENT AS AN ADD WHEN IT BECOMES AVAILABLE IN READABLE FORM).
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130)TEXT
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE NO. 52 ISSUED AT 8 P.M. (5 A.M., EST) TODAY:
AN ESTIMATED FORCE OF 1,000 ENEMY TROOPS IN THE VICINITY OF YUCHON ARE RESISTING ELEMENTS OF THE 24TH RCT (REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM) WHICH IS ATTEMPTING TO RESTORE A COMPANY POSITION LOST IN YESTERDAY'S

ACTION.
THE ENEMY CONTINUES TO EXERT HEAVY PRESSURE ALL ALONG THE WAEGWAN-KUNWI FRONT. THE U.S. 27TH RCT, HOWEVER, SENT A DAYLIGHT RAIDING FORCE OF TWO TANKS AND AN INFANTRY PLATOON ONE MILE BEHIND THE ENEMY LINE. THE FORCE RAIDED THE VILLAGE OF SINJUMAK, INFLICTED CASUALTIES AND DESTROYED TWO SELF-PROPELLED GUNS, ONE ANTITANK GUN AND O

INFLICTED CASUALTIES AND DESTROYED TWO SELF-PROPELLED GUNS, ONE ANTITANK GUN AND ONE TANK WHICH WAS ALREAJY DAMAGED.
THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FORCE IN THE POHANG AREA CONTINUED TO ADVANCE AGAINST LIGHT ENEMY RESISTANCE.
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TEXT (180)
U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,TUESDAY,AUG.22-(AP)-TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 53 ISSUED AT 10:30 A.M. (7:30 P.M. EST, MONDAY):
IN THE 24TH DIVISION SECTOR THE 35TH REGIMENT WAS ATTACKED THIS MORNING AT 4 O'CLOCK BUT REPELLED THE ENEMY WITH NO LOSS OF GROUND. THE ATTACK, WHICH WAS PRECEDED BY HEAVY MORTAR FIRE, HAD SUBSIDED BY 8 A.M.
THE 24TH REGIMENT REPORTED ON GAINS IN ITS COUNTERATTACK TO RETAKE THE REMAINDER OF ITS POSITION LOST ON AUG.20.
THE 24TH DIVISION SECTOR WAS QUIET WITH NO ACTIVITY FROM THE ENEM' POCKET IN THE NORTH OF THE SECTOR.
THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION REPORTED NO ACTION EXCEPT PATROLS. IT ALSO REPORTED CONSIDERABLE ENEMY ACTIVITY IN THE VICINITY WEST OF WAEGWAN YESTERDAY.
THE 13TH REGIMENT OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION MADE SLOW PROGRESS YESTERDAY IN VERY DIFFICULT TERRAIN, TAKING A HILL THREE MILES NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN. THE U.S.27TH REGIMENT REPELLED A TANK SUPPORTED ATTACK OF BATALLION STRENGTH TODAY AT 4:30 A.M. SEVERAL TANKS WERE DESTROYED.
THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION REPULSED A LIGHT ENEMY ATTACK YESTERDAY MORNING AND IS IN FIRM CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY THROUGHOUT ITS SECTOR.
THE ROK FORCES IN THE POHANG AREA ARE MAKING SLOW PROGRESS.
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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG 22-(AP)-U.S. 25TH DIVISION TROOPS WERE UNDER "HEAVY" ATTACK ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT TODAY BUT "THE SITUATION IS IN HAND," GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS REPORTED.
AN OPERATIONAL SUMMARY ISSUED AT 1:45 P.M., (10:45 P.M., E.S.T., MONDAY) ALSO REPORTED A RED ATTACK LED BY NINE TANKS HAD BEEN STOPPED TO THE NORTH ON THE TAEGU FRONT. TWO RED TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT BY AMERICAN TANKS AND A THIRD WAS DESTROYED BY GROUND FORCES.
ON THE EAST COAST, SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS HAVE PUSHED THEIR ADVANCE NINE MILES NORTH OF THE PORT OF POHANG, THE SUMMARY SAID. SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ON THE NORTHERN FRONT WERE REPORTED ADVANCING UNDER INCREASED COMMUNIST PRESSURE.
THE REDS MADE TWO ATTACKS IN THE SOUTHWEST WHERE THEY HAVE BEEN REPORTED BUILDING UP FOR ANOTHER OFFENSIVE TOWARD PUSAN, MAIN UNITED NATIONS SUPPLY PORT.

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HEADQUARTERS SAID ONE RED PUSH, AGAINST THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE 25TH DIVISION, WAS "CONTAINED." TO THE SOUTH, HOWEVER, ANOTHER RED ATTACK GAINED SOME GROUND BUT ALL WAS REGAINED BY THREE AMERICAN COUNTERATTACKS
ON THE TAEGU FRONT, THE TANK-LED RED ATTACK WAS STOPPED BY THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION WITH THE AID OF SOME AMERICAN UNITS WHICH HEADQUARTERS DID NOT IDENTIFY.
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A71FX
TAEGU ATTACK--PRECEDE WHITEHEAD'S A3FX FIELD DISPATCH
BY DON WHITEHEAD.
U.S. 27TH REGIMENT, KOREA, AUG. 21-(AP)-AMERICAN NIGHT-FLYING PLANES GUIDED BY FLARES SHOT FROM U.S. ARTILLERY BROKE UP A RED KOREAN ATTEMPT TO OUTFLANK THIS CRACK INFANTRY REGIMENT IN THE--- OVERNIGHT DARKNESS OF SUNDAY-MONDAY.
PERHAPS FOR THE FIRST TIME IN ANY WAR, ARTILLERY WEAPONS ACTED AS SPOTTERS FOR PILOTS. THE BIG GUNS GUIDED PLANES TO TARGETS WITH A FLARE-UP OF PHOSPHOROUS SHELLS BREAKING THE DARKNESS.
THE NIGHT RAID WAS BELIEVED TO HAVE BROKEN THE BACK OF THE ENEMY FLANKING MOVE 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU CITY.
ON THE GROUND INFANTRY BEAT BACK AN ENEMY COUNTER-ATTACK DURING THE NIGHT. THIS MORNING A PATROL FOUND FIVE ENEMY TANKS DESTROYED; TWO SELF-PROPELLED GUNS, A TROOP CARRIER, AND THREE TRUCKS KNOCKED OUT BY ARTILLERY MORTARS AND ROCKET FIRE.
THESE ACTIONS STALLED THE ENEMY'S DESPERATE EFFORT TO OPEN A DRIVE INTO TAEGU.
THE RED ARMY'S 15TH, 13TH AND 3RD DIVISIONS WERE BELIEVED TO HAVE ENGAGED IN THE BATTLE NORTH OF TAEGU. BUT THE RED PUSH WAS HELD BY THE U.S. 27TH (WOLFHOUND) REGIMENT AND BY FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION, WORKING ACROSS MOUNTAINS AND VALLEYS.
THE ENEMY SUCCEEDED YESTERDAY IN GETTINXTWO PNFANTRY BATTALIONS AROUND A MOM
THE ENEMY SUCCEEDED YESTERDAY IN GETTING TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS AROUND A MOUNTAIN ON THE WOLFHOUNDS' FLANK. THE REDS PENETRATED THROUGH A SOUTH KOREAN FORCE AND WORKED THEIR WAY ABOUT 4,000 YARDS TOWARD TAEGU.
OBSERVERS SPOTTED THE MOVE AOD PIN-POINTED THE REDS' POSITION. CAPT. WILLARD W. HAWKE OF (3608 22ND AVE) SEATTLE, SAID HE BELIEVED THE ENEMY WAS FIGHTING FOR TAEGU WHILE TRYING TO OUTFLANK THE U.N. FORCES.
AFTER DARK SUNDAY AN AIRFORCE TACTICAL AIR CONTROL OFFICER WORKING WITH REGIMENTAL ARTILLERY GAVE THE GUNNERS THE POSITION OF ENEMY TROOPS. WHILE NIGHT FIGHTERS ROARED OVERHEAD, THE ARTILLERY FIRED PHOSPHOROUS SHELLS INTO RED POSITIONS.
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THEY GAVE THE PILOTS THEIR TARGETS. PLANES THEN STRAFED AND DIVE-BOMBED THE AREA.
"AIR DID A GREAT JOB," CAPTAIN HAWKE TOLD REPORTERS. "WE HAVE HAD NO TROUBLE FROM THE ENEMY IN THAT SECTOR SINCE THE RAID."
THE ARTILLERY ALSO EXPLODED AN ENEMY AMMUNITION DUMP, WHICH BLAZED IN THE NIGHT.
"THERE ARE INDICATIONS THAT WE HAVE PLASTERED HELL OUT OF THE ENEMY IN THE LAST THREE DAYS," HAWKE SAID. "EACH ATTACK HAS BEEN A DISMAL FAILURE FOR THEM."
"E" COMPANY OF THE SECOND BATTALION SENT OUT A PATROL MONDAY MORNING LED BY SERGEANT EDWARD J. SOKOLOWSKY OF TURNERS FALLS, MASS., TO MAKE SURE THE ENEMY TANKS WERE DESTROYED AND COULD NOT BE SALVAGED. ONE TANK FOUND DAMAGED WAS DYNAMITED. SOKOLOWSKY'S PATROL WENT FORWARD INTO A VILLAGE TO FEEL OUT THE ENEMY POSITIONS. IT WITHDREW AFTER IT MET MACHINE-GUN AND MORTAR FIRE.
BEFORE WITHDRAWING THE SQUAD KNOCKED OUT A RED TRUCK LOADED WITH WHEELS AND OTHER PARTS FOR A KNOCKED-OUT TANK.
AT A FORWARD COMMAND POST LT. EDMUND H. HIMPON OF CHADDS FORD, PA., RELAXED FROM DUTIES FOR A MOMENT, SQUATTING IN A STRAW PILE IN A GROVE OF TREES. DURING THE NIGHT AND DAY BEFORE THE POSITION HAD BEEN UNDER ENEMY MORTAR FIRE BUT NOW THE SHOOTING WAS ALL UP ON RIDGES. NOTHING WAS FALLING NEARBY.
"THAT OLD FOXHOLE WAS BEGINNING TO FEEL LIKE HOME," HIMPON GRINNED.
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BY DON WHITEHEAD (260)
WITH JOINT AMERICAN-SOUTH KOREAN FORCE ON TAEGU FRONT, MONDAY, AUG. 21-(AP)-A NORTH KOREAN ATTACK AIMED AT TAEGU GAINED TWO MILES BUT FINALLY WAS STOPPED EARLY TODAY BY A COMBINED AMERICAN AIR AND ARTILLERY ATTACK.
THE RED PUSH BEGAN SUNDAY NIGHT ALONG A RIDGE 15 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, THE IMPORTANT U.S. FRONT LINE SUPPLY BASE.
AT 11 P.M. SUNDAY (8 A.M. EST SUNDAY), THE AMERICANS BEGAN A FOUR HOUR AIR-ARTILLERY ASSAULT.
THE RED ADVANCE WAS MADE ALONG HIGH GROUND TO THE RIGHT OF THE AMERICAN LINE. SEVERAL SMALL REPUBLICAN ARMY OUTPOSTS WERE OVERRUN BY THE INVADERS.

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MUSTANG FIGHTERS WERE CALLED IN TO MAKE ONE OF THEIR FIRST NIGHT ATTACKS IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES. ARTILLERY PUMPED WHITE PHOSPHOROUS SHELLS AT THE ENEMY, LIGHTING UP TARGETS FOR THE F-51S.
THE FIGHTER PLANES BOMBED AND STRAFED THE NORTH KOREANS UNTIL 3 A.M. MONDAY (12 NOON EST SUNDAY).
SOUTH KOREANS ON THEIR OWN LEFT FLANK WERE REPORTED FIGHTING BACK ALONG THE RIDGE GROUND AND HOLDING THEIR OWN. AMERICANS MADE NO EFFORT THIS MORNING TO REGAIN LOST GROUND BUT THEY SENT A STRONG PATROL UP THE NORTH-SOUTH ROAD TO A TOWN 1,000 YARDS IN FRONT OF THEIR OWN FORWARD POSITIONS.
THE PATROL FOUND NO ENEMY TROOPS IN THE TOWN BUT REPORTED SOME INEFFECTIVE SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM NEARBY HIGH GROUND.
THE RECONNAISSANCE GROUP SAID THE NIGHT AIR AND ARTILLERY ATTACK HAD KNOCKED OUT TWO RED TANKS, A HEAVY FIELD PIECE, A TROOP CARRIER AND THREE TRUCKS.
SUNDAY NIGHT'S ACTION WAS THE THIRD NORTH KOREAN ATTACK IN A ROW AGAINST AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS GUARDING THE VITAL HIGHWAY RUNNING SOUTH INTO TAEGU.
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BY DON WHITEHEAD
U.S.27TH REGIMENT,KOREA,AUG.21-(AP)-FIVE DUSTY DOUGHBOYS--THREE OF THEM NAMED SMITH--TROOPED INTO A FRONTLINE COMMAND POST TODAY.THEY PLEADED FOR PERMISSION TO JOIN INFANTRY FIGHTING THE NORTH KOREANS IN THE MOUNTAINS ABOVE THEM.
THEY HAD SLIPPED OFF THEIR JOBS AS TRUCK DRIVERS AND FREIGHT HANDLERS AT A SOUTHERN PORT AND HITCH-HIKED TO THE FRONT.
"IF THEY DON'T TAKE US IN THIS OUTFIT THEN WE WILL GO ON UNTIL WE FIND SOMEBODY WHO WILL" SAID PVT.BILLY G.SMITH OF IRVING,TEXAS. THAT SMITH AND HIS FOUR PALS--TWO OF WHOM ALSO HAIL FROM TEXAS--WERE MEMBERS OF THE QUARTERMASTER SERVICE UNIT IN THE REAR AREA.
"WE WERE WORKING ALL DAY AND SNIPERS KEPT US AWAKE ALL NIGHT," SAID PVT.EARL B.BENSON OF CHILLICOTHE,OHIO. "WE WANTED TO GO INTO THE HILLS AFTER THE SNIPERS BUT THEY WOULD NOT LET US. AND THEY WOULD NOT LET US SHOOT BACK. I GUESS THEY FIGURED THE BLAST OF OUR GUNS WOULD DRAW MORE SNIPER FIRE."
THE FIVE YOUTHS APPEARED AT THE COMMAND POST OF THE SECOND BATTALION OF THE 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, ONE OF THE CRACK OUTFITS OF THE AMERICAN EIGHTH ARMY.
BILLY SMITH AND BENSON WERE ACCOMPANIED BY PRIVATE JAMES H.SMITH OF HILLSBORO,TEX., PVT.ROBERT R.HALL, DALLAS,TEXAS, AND PVT. NORMAN B.SMITH OF POCATELLO,IDAHO.
BENSON AND NORMAN SMITH WERE TRUCK DRIVERS IN THE UNIT AND THE OTHERS WERE FREIGHT HANDLERS AT THE DOCKS.
COL.JOHN (MIKE) MICHAELIS OF LANCASTER,PA., COMMANDING THE 27TH LISTENED TO THEIR STORY AND GRINNED:
"IF THE SOLDIERS WANT TO FIGHT SO MUCH THEY'LL HITCH-HIKE TO THE FRONT THEN I AM GOING TO SEE THAT THEY STAY WITH US AND GET INTO NO TROUBLE WITH THE QUARTERMASTER."
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BY DON HUTH
U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA,AUG.21-(AP)-AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE REPORTED TODAY A NORTH KOREAN FORCE ESTIMATED AT TWO REGIMENTS MADE A HIT-AND-RUN ATTACK ON THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT SUNDAY NIGHT.
THE AMERICAN 35TH REGIMENT HELD FAST IN THE FACE OF AN ASSAULT BY ONE ENEMY REGIMENT. THE 24TH REGIMENT WAS FORCED BACK 400 OR 500 YARDS BUT RETOOK THE GROUND IN A LATER AFTERNOON COUNTERATTACK.
TO THE NORTH ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE ABOVE WAEGWAN, THE REDS WERE REPORTED BUILDING UP WITH TROOPS, TANKS, ARTILLERY AND VEHICLES.
THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION'S ARTILLERY WAS HITTING WHAT IT COULD, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID, BUT MOST OF THE ENEMY BUILDUP WAS OUT OF RANGE OF AMERICAN GUNS.
WAEGWAN IS 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, IMPORTANT ADVANCE AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE.

BETWEEN THE FIRST CAVALRY AND THE 25TH ON THE SOUTH, ARTILLERY OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION WAS HITTING AN ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD IN THE HYONPUNG AREA ABOUT 15 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. THIS WAS THE ONLY ACTION REPORTED IN THIS GENERALLY QUIET SECTOR.

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UP NORTH WHERE AMERICAN FORCES MADE CONTACT WITH SOUTH KOREANS ON THEIR RIGHT, THE 27TH REGIMENT REPORTEDLY STOPPED A TANK-LED ENEMY ATTACK SUNDAY, THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID. ONE TANK WAS KNOCKED OUT.

THE SOUTH KOREANS, MEANWHILE, BEGAN AN ATTACK BY THE FIRST DIVISION. ONE REGIMENT, THE 11TH, GAINED GROUND BUT THE 12TH HIT STIFF ENEMY RESISTANCE WITH THE RESULT OF THE BATTLE UNDETERMINED.

THE 13TH SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENT WAS THROWN BACK A HALF-MILE BUT BY SUNDAY HAD REGAINED MOST OF THE LOST GROUND.

THE SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION ADVANCED AND TOOK A HILL ONE MILE NORTH OF SUNDONG, ABOUT 13 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

THERE WERE NO REPORTS OF ACTION ALONG THE EAST COAST IN THE POHANG AND KIGYE SECTORS, THE EIGHTH ARMY ADDED.

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U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA,TUESDAY,AUG.22-(AP)-THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID TWO SEPARATE ENEMY ATTACKS--AT LEAST ONE TANK-LED--WERE REPULSED EARLY TODAY BY UNITED NATIONS FORCES.

IN THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR, THE U.S.25TH DIVISION'S 35TH REGIMENT CAME UNDER A FOUR HOUR ASSAULT BUT YIELDED NO GROUND, A COMMUNIQUE REPORTED. BY 8 A.M. (5 P.M. EST, MONDAY) THE RED ATTACK, PRECEDED BY HEAVY MORTAR FIRE, HAD SUBSIDED.

THE U.S.27TH DIVISION REPELLED A TANK SUPPORTED ATTACK OF BATTALION STRENGTH ON THE TAEGU FRONT. THE FIGHTING BEGAN AT 4:30 A.M., SAID COMMUNIQUE NO.53 ISSUED AT 10:30 A.M. (7:30 P.M., E.S.T., MONDAY.)

ON ONE FLANK OF THE 27TH, THE SOUTH KOREAN'S 13TH REGIMENT MADE SLOW PROGRESS IN DIFFICULT TERRAIN THREE MILES NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN. AN IMPORTANT HILL WAS CAPTURED.

A LIGHT ENEMY ATTACK MONDAY WAS SMASHED BY THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION. THE OUTFIT IS IN "FIRM CONTACT" WITH THE ENEMY THROUGHOUT THE SECTOR, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

ON THE EAST COAST IN THE POHANG AREA, SOUTH KOREAN FORCES CONTINUED TO MAKE SLOW PROGRESS.

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CHINJU-AIERIAL (200)

BY JACK MACBETH

U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE SAID PILOTS EARLY TODAY OBSERVED A "TERRIFIC ATTEMPT" BY THE ENEMY TO BUILD UP FOR AN OFFENSIVE IN THE CHINJU AREA OF DEEP SOUTH KOREA.

THIS COULD SIGNAL ANOTHER MAJOR RED KOREAN DRIVE TOWARD PUSAN ALONG THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

AN OFFICIAL SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS TONIGHT A SIMILAR BUILDUP ATTEMPT WAS SEEN BY PILOTS FLYING OVER LINES HELD BY SOUTH KOREANS ON THE EASTERN END OF THE BATTLEFRONT.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE AIR FORCE CARRIED OUT 200 SORTIES UP TO MID-AFTERNOON WITH NO PLANES REPORTED MISSING. THE SORTIES WERE DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS:

IN THE SOUTH KOREAN SECTOR, 68; FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR, 25; 24TH DIVISION SECTOR, 32; 25TH DIVISION SECTOR, 33.

IN ALL THESE FORAYS NUMEROUS CASUALTIES AND DAMAGE WAS REPORTED INFLICTED ON ENEMY TROOPS, ARTILLERY, OTHER ARMS AND EQUIPMENT. MANY BUILDINGS, INCLUDING BARRACKS, WERE BURNED.

THE AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED STRIKES WERE MADE IN THE NORTH AT INCHON, SEOUL AND KIMPO AIRFIELD WITH ROCKETS, BOMBS AND MACHINE-GUN FIRE. ONE LONG TRAIN WAS CAUGHT NEAR SEOUL. THREE BOX CARS WERE DESTROYED AND 17 DAMAGED.

SEVERAL RAIDS IN THE SOUTH INCLUDED A HEAVY STRIKE AT CHINJU WHERE 37 BOXCARS WERE REPORTED SET AFIRE. THE SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED ONE T-6 TRAINER-OBSERVER PLANE WAS LOST LAST NIGHT NEAR WAEGWAN.

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A79FX

BATTLE MOUNTAIN (250)

BY STAN SWINTON

U.S. 25TH DIVISION, KOREA, AUG. 21-(AP)-A SCREAMING CHARGE BY 1,500 RED KOREANS DROVE AMERICAN NEGRO INFANTRYMEN OFF BATTLE MOUNTAIN TODAY.

AMERICAN FIGHTER BOMBERS IMMEDIATELY BEGAN HAMMERING THE POSITION AND NEGRO INFANTRYMEN MOVED UP TO COUNTER-ATTACK.

THE MOUNTAIN IS LESS THAN TWO MILES SOUTHWEST OF HAMAN, 20 MILES EAST OF CHINJU ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. IT DOMINATES OTHER U.S. POSITIONS IN THE IMMEDIATE SECTOR.

ONLY THIS MORNING THE 24TH REGIMENT HAD RECAPTURED BATTLE MOUNTAIN. IT HAS CHANGED HANDS FOUR TIMES IN THREE DAYS OF BLOODY FIGHTING.

AMERICAN PLANES SUPPORTING THE 24TH REGIMENT KNOCKED OUT ONE TANK, ONE ARTILLERY PIECE AND 20 VEHICLES.

TWENTY-FIVE NEGRO INFANTRYMEN FOUGHT A DAY-LONG BATTLE ALONE ON THE MOUNTAIN WHEN THE NORTH KOREANS CUT THEM OFF.

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THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM BRIGHTENED THE PICTURE WITH A SUCCESSFUL ATTACK TO THE SOUTH. THE AMERICANS ENTERED SOBUKSAN, FOUR MILES DUE SOUTH OF HAMAN, AND STRENGTHENED U.S. LINES.

NORTH KOREANS HAD INFILTRATED THIS AREA THREATENING THE AMERICAN FLANK POSITIONS. THEY WERE MOVING UP TO HIGH GROUND DOMINATING THE SECTOR.

NORTH KOREAN LOSSES IN KILLED ALONE WERE 1,350 ON THIS FRONT SUNDAY. CASUALTIES WERE CAUSED BY AMERICAN INFANTRY, ARTILLERY AND FIGHTER-BOMBERS.

CASUALTIES REDUCED ACTIVITIES IN OTHER SECTORS BUT THE REDS SUCCEEDED IN MASSING A BIG FORCE FOR THE ATTACK ON THE 24TH REGIMENT DESPITE 31 AIR STRIKES THROWN AGAINST THEM IN THIS IMMEDIATE AREA.

JL458APD NM

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BY STAN SWINTON

WITH U.S. 25TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 20-(DELAYED)(AP)-INFANTRYMEN OF THE 35TH REGIMENT HAVE CAPTURED A BRAND NEW 1950 MODEL RUSSIAN MACHINEGUN. IT WAS TURNED OVER TO THE UNITED NATIONS FRONT LINE TEAM.

IT WILL BE FLOWN TO LAKE SUCCESS, NEW YORK, AS MORE EVIDENCE AGAINST SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE JAKOB A. MALIK'S CLAIM THAT THE SOVIET UNION HAS GIVEN NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO NORTH KOREA SINCE 1948.

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A12KX (CX)

(650)

BY JACK MACBETH

WITH U.S.24TH DIVISION IN KOREA,AUG.21-(AP)-THE FIGHTING 24TH

INFANTRY DIVISION, BATTERED BY THE RED KOREAN WARMACHINE FROM SUWON TO THE NAKTONG, FINALLY GOT ITS REVENGE--BUT AT HEAVY COST.

REINFORCED BY FIRST DIVISION MARINES AND ARMY SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION UNITS, THE 24TH HELD ON THE NAKTONG RIVER BULGE NEAR CHANGNYONG.

FINALLY, IN A BITTER TWO-DAY OFFENSIVE, IT KNOCKED OUT THE RED ENEMY AND FLATTENED THE BULGE, ELIMINATING A TWIN THREAT TO TAEGU AND PUSAN.

THE BITTER REVENGE HAD A TOUCH OF SWEETNESS. IN THE NAKTONG BULGE FIGHT, THE 24TH WRECKED THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION, ITS MAIN TORMENTOR DURING THE RUGGED FIRST SIX WEEKS.

HERE'S THE STORY OF THE 24TH DIVISION'S REVENGE:

DURING THOSE FIRST SIX WEEKS, MANY GI'S LOST THEIR LIVES AND STILL MORE WERE WOUNDED. GEN. WILLIAM F.DEAN, ITS COMMANDER, WAS REPORTED MISSING IN THE FLAMING TAEJON BATTLE.

IT WAS A BADLY DEPLETED DIVISION THAT STOOD NEAR THE BANKS OF THE NAKTONG AUG. 5 WHEN AN ESTIMATED BATTALION OF NORTH KOREANS CROSSED THE RIVER.

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RIVER, AND ESTABLISHED THE NAKTONG BULGE.

MAJ.GEN. JOHN H. CHURCH, WHO STEPPED INTO THE 24TH COMMAND POST AFTER GENERAL DEAN DISAPPEARED, QUICKLY DIAGNOSED THE BULGE AS THE ENEMY'S MAIN EFFORT AT CRACKING THE SHRUNKEN ALLIED DEFENSE LINE IN SOUTH KOREA.

CHURCH'S REACTION WAS JUST AS QUICK AS HIS JUDGEMENT. HE PROMPTLY DEPLOYED THE BULK OF HIS FORCES, ABOUT 4,000 MEN, ALONG A LINE RUNNING SOUTH SOUTHEAST FROM A POINT ON THE RIVER DUE WEST OF YONGSAN.

ON THE MORNING OF AUG.6 ANOTHER STRONG FORCE OF NORTH KOREANS CROSSED THE RIVER. IT WAS LEARNED AT THIS POINT THAT THE 24TH WAS AGAIN FACING THE ENEMY'S FOURTH DIVISION.

REALIZING THE NUMERICAL ODDS AGAINST HIM, GENERAL CHURCH CALLED FOR AND GOT SUPPORT FROM ELEMENTS OF TWO REGIMENTS OF THE SECOND DIVISION. THESE WERE THE NINTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND A BATTALION OF THE 23RD INFANTRY REGIMENT.

MEANWHILE, THE 34TH, 19TH AND 21ST REGIMENTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION WERE CARRYING OUT REPEATED BUT LIMITED COUNTER-ATTACKS TO KEEP THE ENEMY OFF BALANCE.

WHEN IT BECAME CLEAR THAT THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE AMERICAN LINE DEFINITELY WAS THREATENED, CHURCH THREW IN HIS RESERVES FROM THE SECOND DIVISION IN THIS SECTOR.

BLOODY FIGHTING ENSUED, BUT THE LINE HELD FAST.

AT DAWN ON MONDAY, AUGUST 14, CHURCH LAUNCHED A FULL DIVISIONAL COUNTERATTACK. THE ENEMY WAS SITTING ON TOP OF THE HILLS COMMANDING THE NAKTONG, AND PROGRESS WAS SLOW AND COSTLY. IN THE FIRST 24 HOURS AN AVERAGE GAIN OF 2,000 YARDS ALONG THE LINE WAS RECORDED.

ALTHOUGH THE YARDAGE GAINED IN THIS COUNTER-OFFENSIVE WAS LIMITED, ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE HIGH AND, AGAIN, CHURCH WAS FORCED TO FIGHT DEFENSIVELY PRECLUDING ANY POSSIBILITY OF AN ADVANCE.

GENERAL CHURCH NOW REALIZED THAT TO ELIMINATE THE BRIDGEHEAD COMPLETELY HE NEEDED MORE TROOPS. HE GOT THEM. ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE CAME UP FROM THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

AT FIRST LIGHT ON AUG.17 LEATHERNECKS AND DOUGHBOYS LIT INTO THE ENEMY WITH EVERYTHING THEY HAD. BY NIGHTFALL ALL THEIR MAJOR OBJECTIVES HAD BEEN TAKEN. THE COST IN AMERICAN LIVES WAS HEAVY BUT IT WAS HEAVIER TO THE ENEMY.

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AN OFFICIAL DIVISION SPOKESMAN SAID ONLY "A COUPLE OF HUNDRED" REDS MANAGED TO SCAMPER ACROSS THE NAKTONG TO SAFETY.

GENERAL CHURCH HAD SAID HE WANTED TO DESTROY THE FOURTH DIVISION ON THIS SIDE OF THE RIVER. HE DID IT. ASIDE FROM RUBBING OUT THE DIVISION, HIS COMBINED FORCE TOOK MORE THAN 50 PRISONERS, KNOCKED OUT NINE TANKS AND CAPTURED A CONSIDERABLE QUANTITY OF ENEMY ARTILLERY, OTHER ARMS AND AMMUNITION.

FOR SECURITY REASONS, THE NUMBERS OF AMERICAN CASUALTIES CAN NOT BE GIVEN. ALL OBSERVERS AGREE THEY WERE HEAVY.

DURING THE LAST THREE DAYS OF THE BULGE BATTLE AN ALMOST CONTINUOUS STREAM OF AMBULANCES CARRIED DEAD AND WOUNDED BACK FROM THE BATTLEGROUND.

BOTH GENERAL CHURCH AND BRIG.GEN. EDWARD A.CRAIG, COMMANDING THE MARINES, WERE HAPPY OVER THE RESULT OF THE OFFENSIVE, BUT EACH EXPRESSED REGRET IT HAD COST SO MUCH IN MEN.

ALTHOUGH ELIMINATION OF THE NAKTONG BULGE COULD NOT HAVE BEEN ACCOMPLISHED WITHOUT THE HELP OF THE MARINES AND SECOND DIVISION ELEMENTS, IT WAS PRIMARILY A 24TH DIVISION SHOW, PLANNED AND EXECUTED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF GENERAL CHURCH.

HOUNDED AND PUMMELED BY THE NORTH KOREANS FOR SIX WEEKS, THE 24TH SHOWED WHAT STAMINA, EFFICIENCY AND COURAGE CAN DO TO A NUMERICALLY SUPERIOR ENEMY.

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A57KX

WITH U. S. FORCES IN KOREA, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE FIRST U. S. HOSPITAL SHIP TO REACH KOREA WAS PAID AN OFFI IAL VISIT TODAY BY BRIG. GEN. CRUMP GARVIN, COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE PUSAN LOGISTIC COMMAND.

THE SHIP IS THE CONSOLATION, A 496-FOOT NAVY VESSEL, COMMISSIONED IN 1945 AND ONE OF THE MOST MODERN HOSPITAL SHIPS AFLOAT. IT IS AIR CONDITIONS THROUGHOUT.

THE SHIP, COMMANDED BY CAPT. CHARLES M. RYAN, SAILED FROM NORFOLK, VA., JULY 5. (THE SHIP'S ARRIVAL DATE IN KOREA WAS NOT DISCLOSED.)

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BY STAN SWINTON (175)

SOUTHWEST FRONT, KOREA,TUESDAY,AUG.22-(AP)-SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE VISITED THE SOUTHWEST FRONT TODAY AS ENEMY PRESSURE INTENSIFIED AGAINST HAMAN, KEY SOUTHERN COMMUNICATIONS CENTER.

AMERICAN FORCES, FIGHTING IN A LONG ARC AROUND THE DUSTY CLAPBOARD VILLAGE, MADE TWO COUNTERATTACKS AND WERE HIT BY ONE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK TODAY.

THE NORTH KOREANS CRACKED AGAINST THE 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENT'S LINES SIX MILES NORTHEAST OF HAMAN AT DAWN. FIRST REPORTS SAID THEY WERE STOPPED.

TWO MILES SOUTHWEST OF HAMAN, THE 24TH REGIMENT INFANTRYMEN ONCE MORE ATTACKED BATTLE MOUNTAIN. THIS BLOODY SLOPE HAS CHANGED HANDS FOUR TIMES IN THREE DAYS. THE ENEMY HELD IT THIS MORNING.

ANOTHER ATTACK BY THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII RAN INTO FIERCE OPPOSITION ON THE MOUNTAINS DOMINATING SOBUK, A TOWN WHICH THEY CAPTURED YESTERDAY. A FIERCE FIGHT WAS IN PROGRESS TODAY.

ON THE EXTREME SOUTHWEST FLANK, THE NORTH KOREANS LAUNCHED A DAYLIGHT ATTACK AGAINST SOUTH KOREAN MARINES AT TONGYANG. AMERICAN WARPLANES WENT TO AID THE REPUBLICAN TROOPS.

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A111FX
BULLETIN
BY WILLIAM SHINN
A SOUTH KOREAN PORT, AUG. 21-(AP)-AAN ALLIED SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVY HAS KNOCKED OUT TWO RED KOREAN SHIPS LOADED WITH TROOPS AND AMMUNITION OFF SOUTHWESTERN KOREA. RED CASUALTIES WERE REPORTED HEAVY.
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A112FX
BULLETIN MATTER
A SOUTH KOREAN PORT--FIRST ADD NAVY X X X HEAVY.
ONE RED SHIP WAS SUNK AND ONE DAMAGED IN NAVAL SHELLING OFF USUYONG NEAR MOKPO ON KOREA'S SOUTHWESTERN TIP, THE SPOKESMAN SAID. HE GAVE NO DETAILS ON THE NUMBER OF TROOPS INVOLVED OR THE SIZE OF THE VESSELS.

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THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE REDS WERE RETREATING WITH HEAVY CASUALTIES IN THE TONGYONG AREA SOUTHEAST OF CHINJU. SOUTH KOREAN MARINES LANDED ON THE COAST THERE BEHIND ENEMY LINES AND CAPTURED TONGYONG TOWN.
"IT IS ONLY A MATTER OF TIME TO CLEAN UP THE ENEMY STRAGGLERS," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.
THE SPOKESMAN IS A SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL OFFICIAL. HE SAID SOUTH KOREAN MARINES WERE FIGHTING WITH HIGH MORALE.
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ATROCITY HILL (570)
BY HAL BOYLE
TAEGU, KOREA, AUG. 20-(DELAYED)(AP)-IN MOST MILITARY CAMPAIGNS ONE OR MORE HILLS GAIN A BRIEF OR LONG RENOWN AS GIANT MEMORIAL GRAVESTONES FOR THE MEN WHO BLED UPON THEIR SLOPES.
IN WAR YOU'VE GOT TO CONTROL THE HIGH GROUND TO WIN.
THERE WAS HILL 609 IN TUNISIA, TROINA IN SICILY, MONTE CASSINO IN ITALY, MOUNT SURIBACHI ON IWO JIMA AND SUGAR LOAF HILL ON OKINAWA.
NOW A NEW NAME CAN BE ADDED TO THIS HISTORIC LIST--"ATROCITY HILL", SCENE OF A FOUR DAY FIGHT THAT RANKS AS ONE OF THE BITTEREST OF THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN.
IT WAS IN A RAVINE OF HORROR ON THIS HILL THAT RED GUARDS EXECUTED WITH BURP GUN FIRE 36 BOUND AMERICAN PRISONERS.
THIS MASSACRE GAVE THE HILL ITS NICKNAME--ON THE MAP IT IS MARKED ONLY AS HILL NUMBER 303--AND THAT IS PROBABLY THE THING THOSE WHO FOUGHT THERE WILL REMEMBER MOST ABOUT IT. THAT--AND THE HEAT AND THE STENCH OF DEATH UNDER A BLAZING SUN.
BUT THE LASTING IMPORTANCE OF THE BATTLE OF ATROCITY HILL IS THAT IT ENDED IN THE DESTRUCTION OF A GROWING BEACHHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER THAT HAD PUT THE ENEMY WITHIN 12 AIR MILES OF TAEGU, THEN THE PROVISIONAL CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA.
TO SAVE TAEGU, THE UNITED STATES FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HAD TO HOLD THIS FROWNING RIDGE THAT STANDS AS A SENTINEL BULWARK EAST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. IT IS A STEEP RUGGED, WOODED HILL ABOUT 1,000 FEET HIGH, TWO MILES NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN, AND OVERLOOKS THE MAIN HIGHWAY LEADING FROM SEOUL THROUGH TAEGU TO THE SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN AT THE SOUTH END OF THE PENINSULA.
THE BATTLE BEGAN LAST TUESDAY. SOME STRAY DOGS CAME UP AND SNIFFED THE FOXHOLES WHERE A COMPANY OF AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN WERE DUG IN ON THE MILE-LONG RIDGE. THEN THE DOGS RAN BACK.
"WITHIN 15 MINUTES TO HALF AN HOUR THE ATTACK BEGAN," SAID SGT. HORST W. SCHROEDER, 7245 METROPOLITAN AVE., MIDDLE VILLAGE, N.Y. "AND OUR DOUGHBOYS ARE CONVINCED THE DOGS LED THEM TO OUR POSITIONS. WE CAN'T PROVE THEY WERE PATROL DOGS--BUT THAT IS WHAT THE BOYS BELIEVE.'
THE REDS CAME IN WAVES. IN A VARIATION OF FOOTBALL'S "DOUBLE PLATOON" SYSTEM, THE REDS DROVE BACK THE THIN AMERICAN LINE AND TOOK THE RIDGE.
IT THEN BECAME A BATTLE IN WHICH THE AMERICANS WOULD ATTACK BY DAY AND PAINFULLY REGAIN THE RIDGE AFTER A HEAVY AIR, MORTAR AND ARTILLERY BOMBARDMENT. BUT AT NIGHT THE NORTH KOREANS WOULD BRING UP FRESH STRENGTH. THEY FILTERED IN LIKE GHOSTLY INDIANS CROSSING A SUNKEN LOG BRIDGE THEY HAD BUILT ACROSS THE RIVER UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS. AND BY DAWN THEY WERE AGAIN IN CONTROL OF THE HILL.
BUT EITHER ORDINARY BATTLE ATTRITION OR THE DUMPING OF 860 TONS OF BOMBS BY 98 B-29 BOMBERS ON RED POSITIONS WEST OF THE RIVER INTERRUPTED THE ENEMY ABILITY TO REINFORCE.
ON THURSDAY DOUGHBOYS SMASHED AGAIN TO THE RIDGE. THEY WENT ON DOWN THE OTHER SIDE. AND 33 MORTAR MEN AND THREE MEDICS CAPTURED BY THE REDS COULD HEAR AMERICAN PATROLS APPROACHING WHEN THEIR GUARD SHOT THEM TO DEATH AND RAN FOR THE RIVER.
IT MUST HAVE BEEN BITTER TO DIE WITH RESCUE SO NEAR.
THAT NIGHT THE HILL HAD A NEW NAME--"ATROCITY HILL." AND THE REDS DIDN'T HAVE THE MUSCLE TO RETAKE IT. THE NEXT DAY THE AMERICANS--WITH A BROOM OF CLEANSING FIRE--SWEPT IT CLEAN OF ALL ORGANIZED ENEMY RESISTANCE.
ITS RECAPTURE ENDED A MAJOR THREAT TO TAEGU AND PRESERVED THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSIVE LINE. BUT "ATROCITY HILL" ALSO HELPED EDUCATE AN AMERICAN ARMY THAT HAS NEEDED THE IMPULSE OF ANGER TO FIRM IT TO ITS PURPOSE.
DEATH STILL LURKS IN ITS GULLEYS. PATROLS TRY TO AMBUSH EACH OTHER IN THE BLUE SHADOWS.
"THIS BATTLE" SAID A GENERAL OFFICER GRIMLY "TAUGHT OUR MEN IT IS BETTER TO STAND AND DIE NO MATTER WHAT THE ODDS RATHER THAN SURRENDER TO AN ENEMY OF THE TYPE WE ARE FIGHTING."
THAT IS THE LESSON OF ATROCITY HILL.
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A16KX (210)
NIGHT LEAD BRITISH TROOPS
BY STANLEY RICH
HONG KONG,AUG.21-(AP)-TWO CRACK BRITISH INFANTRY BATTALIONS AND A SMALL BRITISH MARINE COMMANDO UNIT WERE ASSIGNED TODAY TO JOIN UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.
A PARTY OF BRITISH LIAISON OFFICERS WILL LEAVE TOMORROW BY PLANE FOR TOKYO TO PREPARE FOR THE TRANSFER OF THE INFANTRY BATTALIONS.
THE TWO BATTALIONS, SOME 1,500 STRONG, ARE OF THE ARGYLE AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS AND THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENTS. THEY WILL BECOME THE FIRST UNITED NATIONS GROUND TROOPS TO JOIN THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS IN THE DEFENSE OF KOREA.
THE MARINE COMMANDO UNIT WILL SOON BE FLOWN TO KOREA, POSSIBLY ARRIVING THERE AT THE SAME TIME AS THE INFANTRY FORCE, THE BRITISH ADMIRALTY SAID TONIGHT IN LONDON. IT DID NOT ANNOUNCE THE SIZE AND COMPOSITION OF THE UNIT.
A BRITISH ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT THE BATTALIONS "HAVE THE FINEST MILITARY HISTORY AND ARE KEEN TO SEE ACTION."
HE SAID THEY WERE "STRICTLY INFANTRY" AND WOULD TAKE AUTOMATIC WEAPONS, MORTARS AND RIFLES, BUT NO HEAVY EQUIPMENT.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE TROOPS "REACTED WONDERFULLY" WHEN THEY GOT THEIR ASSIGNMENT TODAY.
THE UNITS WERE ASSIGNED AFTER GEN.SIR JOHN HARDING HAD ANNOUNCED IN SINGAPORE THAT A BRITISH INFANTRY FORCE WOULD BE SENT TO KOREA.

IMMEDIATELY.
HARDING, COMMANDER OF THE BRITISH FAR EAST LAND FORCES, SAID GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD ASKED FOR REINFORCEMENTS WITHOUT DELAY.
THEY WILL BE THE FIRST OF 5,000 TROOPS PROMISED BY THE UNITED KINGDOM FOR THE KOREAN FIGHT. BRITISH SEA AND AIR FORCES ALREADY ARE FIGHTING.
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FIRST LEAD BRITISH TROOPS (140)
BY STANLEY RICH
HONG KONG,AUG.21-(AP)-TWO FAMED BRITISH BATTALIONS, PACKING TO JOIN UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA, WILL TAKE AUTOMATIC WEAPONS, MORTARS AND RIFLES, BUT NO HEAVY EQUIPMENT SUCH AS TANKS AND BIG GUNS, A BRITISH ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT.
THESE MEN OF THE ARGYLE AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS AND THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENTS, WHO WILL BE THE FIRST UNITED NATIONS FIGHTERS TO JOIN THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE OF KOREA, "ARE STRICTLY INFANTRY," THE SPOKESMAN EXPLAINED.
HE SAID THE TROOPS "REACTED WONDERFULLY" WHEN THEY GOT THE ASSIGNMENT TODAY, ADDING, "THESE TWO BATTALIONS HAVE THE FINEST MILITARY HISTORY AND ARE KEEN TO SEE ACTION."
BATTALION LIAISON OFFICERS WILL LEAVE FOR TOKYO BY AIR TUESDAY.

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AN OFFICIAL SOURCE NAMED THE UNITS, 1,500 STRONG, AFTER GEN. SIR JOHN HARDING ANNOUNCED IN SINGAPORE THAT A BRITISH INFANTRY FORCE WOULD BE SENT TO KOREA IMMEDIATELY.
HARDING, COMMANDER OF THE BRITISH FAR EAST LAND FORCES, SAID GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD ASKED HIM FOR REINFORCEMENTS WITHOUT DELAY.
BRITAIN ALREADY HAS SEA AND AIR FORCES FIGHTING BUT THESE WILL BE HER FIRST GROUND TROOPS IN KOREA. SHE HAS PROMISED 5,000.
BRITAIN'S DECISION CAME AS RED CHINA'S PREMIER-FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI SAID THE "KOREAN QUESTION MUST AND CAN BE SOLVED PEACEFULLY."
CHOU GAVE RED CHINA'S PROPOSALS IN MESSAGES TO TRYGVE LIE, UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL, AND JAKOB A. MALIK OF RUSSIA, PRESIDENT FOR AUGUST OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL AT LAKE SUCCESS.
RED CHINA'S TERMS, AS REPORTED BY THE COMMUNIST NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY ACCEPT RUSSIA'S PROPOSAL FOR SEATING RED CHINA IN THE U.N. AND THEN START TALKING OVER THE KOREAN QUESTION IN THE COUNCIL WITH A RED KOREAN REPRESENTATIVE AT THE TABLE AS A WITNESS.
THE RED AGENCY SAID CHOU'S MESSAGE "DENOUNCED AMERICA FOR CREATING THE KOREA INCIDENT, FOR ATTEMPTING TO BROADEN THE SCOPE OF ARMED CONFLICT, FOR AGGRESSION IN KOREA AND TAIWAN (FORMOSA) AND FOR BLOCKING PEACEFUL SOLUTION OF THE KOREAN WAR."
CHOU ALSO BLAMED THE UNITED STATES FOR WHAT HE CALLED "DELAYING TACTICS" IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL, DENOUNCED "SAVAGE BOMBING" OF KOREAN CITIES AND ASKED THE COUNCIL TO SUPPRESS "AMERICAN VIOLENCE."
(RED CHINA TROOPS ALSO WERE ACTIVE. A PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST HEARD IN SAN FRANCISCO SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAD CAPTURED NANPANG ISLAND 140 MILES SOUTHWEST OF HONG KONG, WIPING OUT 400 CHINESE NATIONALIST TROOPS).
IN TAIPEI, FORMOSA, NATIONALIST PREMIER CHEN CHENG PREDICTED THE NEXT BIG COMMUNIST MOVE WOULD COME IN INDOCHINA.
"MOSCOW'S FIFTH COLUMN WILL START AN ERUPTION IN INDOCHINA JUST AS ITS FIFTH COLUMN DID IN KOREA," CHEN TOLD ARMY OFFICERS.
INSIDE CHINA, GUERRILLAS WERE KICKING UP TROUBLE AGAIN. A NATIONALIST CHINESE PRESS DISPATCH SAID 300 GUERRILLAS STORMED INTO KWANGNING YESTERDAY, KILLED 40 RED SOLDIERS IN A TWO-HOUR STREET BATTLE AND FLED WITH 50 BAGS OF RICE.
KWANGNING IS 75 MILES NORTHWEST OF CANTON, SOUTH CHINA'S MAIN CITY.
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B99 (140) Q
SINGAPORE,AUG.21-(AP)-A BRITISH FAR EASTERN NAVAL HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE RELEASED HERE SAID TODAY BRITISH CARRIER-BASED PLANES HAVE SUNK TWO 100-TON ENEMY COASTING VESSELS OFF KUNSAN, SOUTHWEST KOREA.
THE BULLETIN SAID BRITISH FLIERS STRAFED AND SET AFIRE SMALL CRAFT AND JUNKS AT INCHON AND KIMPO, SEOUL'S PORT AND AIRFIELD. IT ALSO REPORTED THAT SOUTH KOREAN MARINES KILLED MORE THAN 200 RED TROOPS IN AN ASSAULT WHICH CAPTURED THE TOWN OF TONGYONG ON A SOUTHERN KOREAN PENINSULA. THIS OPERATION WAS CARRIED OUT WITH SUPPORT BY THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVY, IT SAID.
(A DISPATCH FROM "A SOUTH KOREAN PORT" CREDITED THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVY WITH KNOCKING OUT TWO ENEMY SHIPS LOADED WITH TROOPS AND AMMUNITION, AND ALSO TOLD OF THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPTURE OF TONGYONG. IT COULD NOT BE LEARNED AT ONCE WHETHER THE BRITISH COMMUNIQUE'S REPORT ON THE SINKINGS DUPLICATED THE SOUTH KOREAN REPORT ON THIS ACTION.)
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LONDON, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:
ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE ENEMY, WHO IS OFFERING VIOLENT RESISTANCE.
AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, WITH STRONG SUPPORT FROM AIRCRAFT, TANKS AND ARTILLERY, ARE STIFFLY RESISTING, IN AN ATTEMPT TO COMPENSATE FOR THEIR TREMENDOUS LOSSES. UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY REPULSED ENEMY ATTEMPTS TO GO OVER TO A COUNTEROFFENSIVE AND ARE STRIKING FRESH BLOWS AT THE ENEMY.
ON THE SOUTH COAST ADVANCING UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ARE INFLICTING LOSSES ON THE STUBBORNLY RESISTING AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION AND DETACHMENTS OF MARINES, AND, PURSUING RETREATING ENEMY UNITS, CONTINUE TO PRESS FORWARD.
ON AUGUST 20, LAND TROOP OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WITH HEAVY MACHINE GUN FIRE BROUGHT DOWN TWO AMERICAN FIGHTER PLANES WHICH WERE RAIDING IN THE AREAS OF SARIWON.

THE EVENING COMMUNIQUE:
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ON ALL FRONTS CONTINUE TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST STIFFLY RESISTING AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.
AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, HAVING MOBILIZED ALL THEIR FORCES SUPPORTED BY AIRCRAFT, TANKS AND ARTILLERY, ARE EVERYWHERE CONDUCTING A FIERCE COUNTER-OFFENSIVE.
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, WITH UNINTERRUPTED BLOWS, ARE INFLICTING LOSSES ON THE ENEMY.
AMERICAN AIRCRAFT IN AN EFFORT TO COVER THE DEFEATS OF THE AMERICAN TROOPS AT THE FRONT ARE STILL MORE FIERCELY AND CRUELLY BOMBING KOREAN TOWNS AND VILLAGES.
ON AUGUST 20 AMERICAN PLANES RAIDED HAEJU (KAISHU), WONSAN (GENZAN), PYONGYANG AND RURAL DISTRICTS OF SOUTH PYONGYANG PROVINCE, SUBJECTING THEM TO BARBAROUS BOMBING.
AS A RESULT OF THESE BARBAROUS BOMBINGS RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS IN THE TOWNS AND PEASANT FARMS IN THE RURAL DISTRICTS WERE DESTROYED.
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(110)
LONDON, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE BRITISH ADMIRALTY SAID TONIGHT A SMALL MARINE COMMANDO UNIT WILL SOON BE FLOWN TO KOREA FOR SERVICE WITH UNITED NATIONS FORCES.
"FOR REASONS OF OPERATIONAL SECURITY, IT IS NOT DESIRABLE TO PUBLICIZE THESIZE AND COMPOSITION, OR THE TIMES OF DEPARTURE AND ARRIVAL OF THIS UNIT," THE ANNOUNCEMENT ADDED.
IT WAS STRESSED, HOWEVER, THAT PARTICIPATION OF A BRITISH COMMAND UNIT IN THE KOREA FIGHTING WAS REGARDED AS A MATTER OF URGENCY, AND THAT THEREFORE IT WAS DECIDED TO SEND THE UNIT BY AIR. IT WAS REGARDED POSSIBLE THAT THEY WOULD BE IN KOREA AT THE SAME TIME AS A BRITISH INFANTRY FORCE BEING SENT FROM HONG KONG.
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A10
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE PRAGUE RADIO SAID TONIGHT 100,000 YOUNG MEN IN THE SEOUL AREA HAVE VOLUNTEERED FOR SERVICE IN THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY IN THE LAST THREE DAYS. SEOUL IS THE FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL NOW IN THE HANDS OF THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS.
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A91
WITH HONG KONG
CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, AUG. 21-(AP)-ACTING PRIME MINISTER ARTHUR FADDEN SAID TODAY THAT BRITISH, AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND TROOPS SENT TO KOREA WOULD BE GROUPED INTO A BRITISH COMMONWEALTH FORCE.
FADDEN SAID AN AUSTRALIAN BATTALION WOULD BE JOINED BY TWO BRITISH ARMY BATTALIONS TO FORM THE INITIAL CONTINGENT. FOR SECURITY REASONS HE ADDED, THE TIMETABLE FOR THE FORCE'S ASSEMBLY COULD NOT BE DISCLOSED. BUT FADDEN SAID THE AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BATTALION NOW ON OCCUPATION DUTY IN JAPAN WAS BEING BUILT UP TO WAR STATUS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
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A23WX
(480) PMS BUDGET
RUSSIA-KOREA
BY ELTON C. FAY
AP MILITARY AFFAIRS REPORTER
WASHINGTON, AUG. 21-(AP)-WHAT WILL RUSSIA DO WHEN HER NORTH KOREAN SATELLITE BEGINS TO LOSE THE WAR?
REVERSES FOR THE RED KOREAN ARMY WILL FORCE A DECISION BY THE SOVIETS ON WHETHER TO MOVE OPENLY INTO THE ASIATIC WAR OR BIDE THEIR TIME FOR ANOTHER DAY WHEN THE STAKES COULD BE GREATER AND THE ODDS BETTER.
THE TIME FOR MOSCOW'S DECISION APPARENTLY IS COMING NEARER.
THE SWIFT AND LONG ADVANCE OF THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY HAS GROUND DOWN TO AT LEAST A TEMPORARY HALT. THE BUILD-UP OF STRENGTH BY AMERICAN FORCES, WITH MORE HELP FROM OTHER UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS IN THE OFFING, IS UNDER WAY. AN OFFENSIVE TO DESTROY THE KOREAN RED MILITARY FORCE IS IN PROSPECT FOR THE MONTHS JUST AHEAD. AND IT IS THEN RUSSIA WILL HAVE TO DECIDE.
SHE WILL HAVE TO WEIGH THE POSSIBLE EFFECT ON OTHER NATIONS WITHIN THE SOVIET SPHERE OF DEFEAT FOR HER KOREAN COMMUNIST STATE AGAINST THE RISKS OF TAKING A DIRECT HAND IN WAR WITH THE UNITED STATES AND UNITED NATIONS.
RUSSIA, FOR REASONS OF HER OWN, MAY CONCLUDE THE TIME TO MOVE ISN'T NOW BUT LATER WHEN HER MILITARY STRENGTH IS EVEN GREATER, MEANWHILE USING THE KOREAN SITUATION AS MATERIAL FOR HER PECULIAR PROPAGANDA TECHNIQUE.
SOME OFFICIALS AT HIGH LEVEL IN WASHINGTON INCLINE TO THE BELIEF THAT RUSSIA DOESN'T WANT TO PROVOKE A WORLD WAR UNTIL LATER, WHEN SHE IS FULLY PREPARED.
THE TIMETABLE THEY USE IN THESE GUESSES VARIES CONSIDERABLY--FROM TWO TO FIVE YEARS.
THE SOVIETS HAVE AN IMMENSE ARMY--SOME ESTIMATES RANGE AROUND 4,000,000--WHICH IS EQUIPPED WITH SUPERIOR TANKS AND EXCELLENT ARTILLERY. THEY HAVE A LARGE TACTICAL AIR FORCE FOR SUPPORT OF THE GROUND ARMY.
BUT THE RUSSIANS MAY WANT MORE TIME TO IMPROVE AND AUGMENT WEAPONS IN THE HIGHLY TECHNICAL CATEGORY.
ANOTHER TWO OR THREE YEARS MAY BE NEEDED FOR THEM TO STOCKPILE A LARGER NUMBER OF ATOMIC BOMBS.
THEY HAVE THE BEGINNING OF A LONG RANGE BOMBER FORCE FOR DELIVERY OF THE BOMBS, BUT MAY NEED CONSIDERABLY MORE LONG RANGE BOMBARDMENT AVIATION.
THEY HAVE BEGUN A HUGE EXPANSION OF THEIR SUBMARINE FLEET. ALTHOUGH THE RUSSIAN UNDERSEA FLEET MAY NUMBER AS MANY AS 300 SUBMARINES ONLY A SMALL PORTION OF THAT FLEET IS BELIEVED TO BE OF THE MODERN HIGH SPEED TYPE, EQUIPPED WITH SNORKELS FOR LONG UNDERWATER CRUISES.

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THESE ESTIMATES AND HOPES THAT RUSSIA MAY NOT BE READY FOR WAR NOW ARE PREDICATED ON "EVALUATIONS" MADE BY THE MILITARY-POLITICAL INTELLIGENCE SYSTEM.
THE DANGER IS THAT THE INTELLIGENCE MAY BE FAULTY, AS IT HAS BEEN ON SOME PAST OCCASIONS.
WORLD WAR II DID MUCH TO IMPROVE AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE MACHINERY. SINCE THEN IT HAS BEEN COORDINATED, THE OPERATIONS OF THE THREE MILITARY INTELLIGENCE UNITS BEING MESHED WITH ACTIVITIES OF OTHER GOVERNMENT UNITS LIKE THE STATE DEPARTMENT--ALL UNDER GENERAL DIRECTION OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY.
ONE HIGH OFFICIAL PRIVATELY RATES AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE AS IMPROVING BUT NOT YET GOOD. HOWEVER, IT IS TO BE ASSUMED THAT CONSIDERABLE INFORMATION PICKED UP BY THE INTELLIGENCE SERVICES OF OTHER NORTH ATLANTIC NATIONS IS POOLED WITH OURS IN ARRIVING AT EVALUATIONS OF RUSSIAN CAPABILITIES AND INTENTIONS.
ON THE OTHER HAND, THE ALREADY EFFICIENT OPERATIONS OF RUSSIAN COUNTER-INTELLIGENCE BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN APPEAR TO HAVE BEEN GREATLY INCREASED DURING THE LAST FEW YEARS OF EAST-WEST TENSION.
THERE ARE REASONS TO BELIEVE THE SOVIETS ARE LOCATING AND LIQUIDATING MORE AND MORE SOURCES OF INTELLIGENCE WITHIN RUSSIA AND THE SATELLITE NATIONS, THINNING THE ALREADY SLIM TRICKLE OF INFORMATION FROM THOSE COUNTRIES.
THE OUTSTANDING MISJUDGMENT OF RUSSIAN CAPABILITIES, OF COURSE, WAS THE MATTER OF THE ATOMIC BOMB. THE SOVIETS PRODUCED AN ATOMIC EXPLOSION AT LEAST TWO YEARS EARLIER THAN WAS THOUGHT PROBABLE BY WESTERN MILITARY AND SCIENTIFIC INTELLIGENCE EXPERTS.
RUSSIAN ABILITY TO PRODUCE AIRCRAFT, ESPECIALLY THE COMPLEX, JET FIGHTER VERSIONS, ALSO PROVED TO BE FAR BETTER THAN ESTIMATED. IN SOME AIRCRAFT CATEGORIES, IT NOW IS ESTIMATED THAT RUSSIAN PRODUCTION IS MORE THAN 90 PERCENT AHEAD OF AMERICAN PRODUCTION.
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B86WX
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE(200)
WASHINGTON,AUG.21-(AP)-THE BODY OF SERGEANT ERNEST K.TURNER OF BERWICK,PA., WHO WAS FATALLY WOUNDED IN KOREA, ARRIVED HERE TODAY AND WAS TAKEN TO ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY TO AWAIT BURIAL.
SERVICES ARE SCHEDULED TENTATIVELY FOR 1 P.M.,EASTERN STANDARD TIME WEDNESDAY.
SERGEANT TURNER, AN INFANTRYMAN, WILL BE THE FIRST ENLISTED CASUALTY OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING TO BE BURIED IN ARLINGTON.
THE SERGEANT'S FAMILY AND FRIENDS, REPRESENTATIVES OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AND AMERICAN LEGION, AND HIGH ARMY AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WILL ATTEND THHE MILITARY FUNERAL.
THE BODY WAS MET AT UNION STATION TODAY BY AN HONOR GUARD FROM THE 3D "OLD GUARD" INFANTRY REGIMENT OF NEARBY FORT MYER,VA.
SSERGEANT TURNER, WHO WAS WOUNDED IN KOREA JULY 24 AND DIED IN A TOKYO HOSPITAL FOUR DAYS LATER, HAD 256 DAYS OF COMBAT SERVICE IN WORLD WAR II. HIS HONORS INCLUDED THE SOLDIER'S MEDAL, SILVER STAR, BRONZE STAR AND A PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION.
A BROTHER, STAFF SERGEANT DAY (CQ) G.TURNER, WAS AWARDED THE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR POSTHUMOUSLY FOR HEROIC SERVICE IN WORLD WAR II.
SURVIVORS INCLUDE ANOTHER BROTHER, ROBERT H.TURNER, A WOUNDED COMBAT VETERAN OF WORLD WAR II; HIS MOTHER, MRS.LEONA BELLE TURNER OF BERWICK, AND A SISTER, MRS.LOIS MARIE HUTTON OF BERWICK.
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(140) KOREA-ECA
WASHINGTON, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION TODAY ANNOUNCED IT HAS SWITCHED ITS KOREAN PROGRAM TO AN EMERGENCY BASIS.
IN ORDER TO SPEED UP APPROVAL OF NEW PURCHASES NEEDED DURING THE WAR, THE ECA MISSION WITH HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO IS AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE EMERGENCY APPROVAL ORDERS AGAINST A $10,000,000 FUND SET UP FOR THAT PURPOSE.
AT THE SAME TIME, THE ECA ANNOUNCED IT IS CANCELLING $20,000,000 WORTH OF ORDERS FOR SUCH THINGS AS FERTILIZER, COTTON, LUMBER PRODUCTS AND INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY.
THESE GOODS HAD BEEN EARMARKED FOR KOREA BEFORE THE INVASION, AND THE ECA SAID THEY ARE NOT NEEDED AT THIS TIME.
IN ADDITION TO THE $10,000,000 FUND SET UP FOR THE TOKYO OFFICE, ECA HAS ISSUED PURCHASE APPROVALS TOTALING $6,612,000 SINCE JUNE 26. THESE PURCHASES INCLUDE ITEMS OF VALUE IN THE CURRENT WAR, AND FOR REBUILDING AFTER VICTORY.
MUCH OF IT IS FOR TRANSPORTATION, SUCH AS RAILROAD EQUIPMENT AND PARTS, COAL, PETROLEUM, DRUGS, PARTS FOR BRIDGE REPAIRS.
ECA STOPPED ANNOUNCING KOREAN AUTHORIZATIONS JUNE 26, BUT SAID TODAY IT WILL RESUME THEM NOW.
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A7WX
KOREAN-MILITARY (140)
WASHINGTON,AUG.21-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY HAS 15 DIVISION IN THE FIELD, DEFENSE SPOKESMEN SAID TODAY.
BRIEFING OFFICERS TOLD NEWSMEN THAT THREE OF THE DIVISIONS, WHOSE NUMBERS ARE NOT YET KNOWN, HAVE BEEN MOVED INTO REAR POSITIONS TO SUPPORT THE 12 DIVISIONS MANNING THE LINE AGAINST UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND UNITS.
TWO DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN LOCATED NEAR TAEJON, ABOUT 70 MILES NORTHWEST OF U.S.FIELD HEADQUARTERS AT TAEGU. THE THIRD SUPPORTING DIVISION IS BELIEVED TO BE AT CHIRYE, 20 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.
AN ARMY SPOKESMAN PRAISED THE RECENT OFFENSIVE SPIRIT AND ACTIVITY OF THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY. HE NOTED THAT RECENT AMERICAN DISPATCHES HAD REPORTED FREQUENT ATTACKS AND FORWARD MOVEMENTS BY THE SOUTH KOREANS. THEY STILL SUPPLY MOST THE FIGHTING MANPOWER THAT IS HOLDING AND PUSHING BACK THE ENEMY ON THE VITAL NORTH AND NORTH CENTRAL SECTORS OF THE ALLIED FRONT IN SOUTH KOREA.
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A178WX
WASHINGTON,AUG 21-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY IT IS "GRATIFIED" AT BRITAIN'S MOVE TO SEND TWO BATTALIONS OF BRITISH INFANTRY TO HONGKONG TO KOREA.
"ASIDE FROM THEIR MILITARY VALUE, THESE TROOPS WILL REEMPHASIZE THE COLLECTIVE NATURE OF THE KOREAN ACTION," IT SAID.
PRESS OFFICER MICHAEL MCDERMOTT TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE BRITAIN WILL SEND ADDITIONAL TROOPS LATER TO MAKE UP THE BRIGADE IT HAS PROMISED TO SEND TO KOREA. THE TOTAL FORCE WOULD BE AROUND 5,000 TO 7,000 MEN, INCLUDING ARMOR AND ARTILLERY, HE SAID.
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WASHINGTON, AUG. 21-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON TODAY THANKED THE NORWEGIAN GOVERNMENT FOR THE "OUTSTANDING SERVICES" OF A NORWEGIAN FREIGHTER IN EVACUATING 650 AMERICAN WOMEN AND CHILDREN FROM KOREA SHORTLY AFTER THE COMMUNIST INVASION.
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B86CO (Q)
COLUMBUS,O.,AUG.21-(AP)-SECRETARY OF LABOR TOBIN TODAY CALLED CRITICISM OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S POLICY IN KOREA "SIMPLY NOT JUSTIFIED."
TOBIN, WHO ADDRESSED THE OHIO FEDERATION OF LABOR'S ANNUAL CONVENTION, REFERRED CHIEFLY TO CRITICISM BY U.S.SEN.ROBERT A.TAFT (R-OHIO).
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"MR.TAFT'S RECORD IS NOT TO BE CRITICIZED MERELY BECAUSE HE OPPOSED THE POLICIES OF THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION," TOBIN SAID. "WE NEED A HELPFUL OPPOSITION IN A DEMOCRACY. BUT THERE IS A POINT X X X WHERE OPPOSITION BECOMES NOTHING BUT PARTISAN OBSTRUCTIONISM, AND SUCH OBSTRUCTIONISM IS HARMFUL TO THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE NATION. FOR ANYONE TO SAY THAT WE ASKED FOR THIS ATTACK BECAUSE OF OUR FOREIGN POLICY IS SIMPLY NOT JUSTIFIED IN THE LIGHT OF THE HISTORICAL FACTS, AND CERTAINLY NOT IN THE LIGHT OF THE CRITICS' OWN RECORD."
BOTH THE AFL ORGANIZATION, WHICH TOBIN ADDRESSED, AND THE OHIO CIO HAVE ENDORSED TAFT'S DEMOCRATIC OPPONENT IN THE NOV. 7 ELECTION, STATE AUDITOR JOSEPH T.FERGUSON. THE OHIO FEDERATION OF LABOR HAS GIVEN A "BEAT TAFT" PROGRAM NUMBER ONE PRIORITY AT ITS CONVENTION.
REFERRING TO TAFT'S VOTING RECORD, THE LABOR SECRETARY SAID:
"SENATOR TAFT, WHO WAS AGAINST ARMS AID FOR KOREA, WHO WAS AGAINST THE MILITARY ARMS PACT WITH WESTERN EUROPE, AND WHO SPOKE AGAINST THE DRAFT LAW AS LATE AS FOUR DAYS AFTER THE INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA, WAS WILLING TO SAY ON JULY 28 THAT OUR KOREAN POLICY INVITED THE ATTACK."
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PRECEDE LONDON DAY (170)
BONN, GERMANY, AUG. 21-(AP)-WEST GERMANY'S REPRESENTATIVE AT THE MEETING OF THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL RETURNED HERE TODAY TO DISCUSS WITH THE CABINET GERMANY'S PROSPECTIVE CONTRIBUTIONS TO A EUROPEAN ARMY.
DR. HEINRICH BRENTANO SAID ON HIS ARRIVAL FROM STRASBOURG HE WOULD DISCUSS TOMORROW WITH THE CABINET THE PROPOSALS OF BRITISH CONSERVATIVE LEADER WINSTON CHURCHILL FOR THE UNIFIED DEFENSE OF EUROPE AGAINST THE THREAT OF SOVIET AGGRESSION.
AT THE SAME TIME, BRITAIN'S TOP MAN IN WEST GERMANY WAS BACK IN LONDON, CARRYING WITH HIM A BONN GOVERNMENT PLAN FOR SETTING UP THE HARD CORE OF A NEW GERMAN ARMY.
DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS SAID THE BONN PROPOSAL WOULD SET UP A WELL ARMED FORCE OF WEST GERMAN VOLUNTEERS STRONG ENOUGH TO MATCH THE "PEOPLE'S ARMY" CREATED UNDER SOVIET AUSPICES IN COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY. THE COMMUNIST FORCE MAY RUN AS HIGH AS 300,000 MEN.
BRITAIN HAS, IN THE PAST, OPPOSED A WEST GERMAN ARMY, AND A BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THE BRITISH ATTITUDE HAS NOT CHANGED.
PROPONENTS OF THE WEST GERMAN ARMY HAVE ADVANCED IT AS A MEANS OF WARDING OFF A "KOREA" IN GERMANY, SUCH HAS BEEN OPENLY THREATENED BY THE EASTERN COMMUNISTS.
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LONDON, AUG.21-(AP)-BRITAIN'S TOP MAN IN WEST GERMANY ARRIVED TODAY REPORTEDLY CARRYING A BONN GOVERNMENT PLAN FOR CREATING THE HARD CORE OF A NEW GERMAN ARMY.
HE IS SIR IVONE KIRKPATRICK, WHO WITH HIS AMERICAN AND FRENCH FELLOW HIGH COMMISSIONERS, HEARD AN OUTLINE OF THE PROPOSAL FROM GERMAN CHANCELLOR DR.KONRAD ADENAUER LAST THURSDAY.
DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS SAID THE PROPOSAL CALLS FOR SETTING UP A WELL-ARMED FORCE OF WEST GERMAN VOLUNTEERS, STRONG ENOUGH TO MATCH THE SO-CALLED PEOPLE'S POLICE OF EAST GERMANY.
NOBODY IN THE WEST KNOWS QUITE THE SIZE OF THE PEOPLE'S POLICE, WHICH THE WESTERN WORLD REGARDS AS AN ARMY. ITS STRENGTH HAS BEEN ESTIMATED VARIOUSLY FROM 53,000 TO 300,000 MEN.
KIRKPATRICK WILL SEE SIR DONALD GAINER, HEAD OF THE GERMAN SECTION OF THE FOREIGN OFFICE, AND PROPOBABLY FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN.
HIS DISCUSSIONS, A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN ADDED, ALMOST CERTAINLY WOULD TAKE IN THE QUESTION OF WEST GERMAN SECURITY WHICH HAS LONG BEEN ENGAGING THE ATTENTION OF THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION.
BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE TO THE WHOLE QUESTION OF REARMING THE GERMANS, HE SAID IN REPLY TO A QUESTION, "REMAINS UNCHANGED."
IN THE PAST, BRITAIN'S ATTITUDE HAS BEEN ONE OF ~~DOGGED~~ STRONG OPPOSITION.
ADENAUER REPORTED WANTS THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO SEND MORE COMBAT TROOPS TO WEST GERMANY TO ENSURE NO "KOREA" EVER TAKES PLACE IN GERMANY. OTHER DETAILS:
THE BONN GOVERNMENT SHOULD BE EMPOWERED TO RAISE A VOLUNTEER FORCE, EQUIPPED WITH ARMOR AND GUNS. THIS FORCE WOULD BE FEDERALLY-CONTROLLED ALTHOUGH ITS OPERATIONS WOULD BE DIRECTLY SUPERVISED BY THE OCCUPYING POWERS.
SOME WESTERN DIPLOMATS HERE HAVE PRIVATELY DECLARED THAT THE FORMATION OF ANY NEW BIG ARMED GERMAN FORCE AT THIS TIME COULD HAVE NO PURPOSE OTHER THAN TO PRELUDE THE FORMATION OF A WEST GERMANY ARMY.
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A69 (260)
LONDON,AUG.21-(AP)-BRITAIN'S LABOR PARTY HAS OUTLINED A NEW WORLD PLAN OF MUTUAL AID DESIGNED TO SUCCEED THE MARSHALL PLAN WHEN IT EXPIRES IN 1952.
THE PROPOSAL WAS CONTAINED IN A PAMPHLET BY THE PARTY'S POWERFUL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. THE PAMPHLET, MADE PUBLIC OVER THE WEEKEND, SETS FORTH SOME OF THE COMMITTEE'S IDEAS FOR A NEW ELECTION PLATFORM.
BRITAIN, AMERICA AND OTHER FREE WESTERN NATIONS WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO THE MUTUAL AID PLAN.
THE PAMPHLET CALLED FOR ARMED DEFENSES TO RESIST THE ON-RUSH OF COMMUNISM, BUT ADDED:
"RELIANCE ON ARMED STRENGTH IS NOT ENOUGH. THE DEMOCRACIES MUST BE POSITIVE, CONSTRUCTIVE AND PROGRESSIVE, NOT MERELY DEFENSIVE. THEY SHOULD LAUNCH A PROGRAM OF MUTUAL AID FOR WORLD ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."
MORGAN PHILLIPS, PARTY SECRETARY, TOLD REPORTERS BRITAIN WOULD TAKE THE LEAD IN PLANNING SUCH A PROGRAM. HE SAID IT WOULD DEVELOP THE IDEA--EXPRESSED IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S INAUGURAL ADDRESS--OF HELPING DEVELOP "BACKWARD AREAS" OF THE WORLD.
THE PAMPHLET, ENTITLED "LABOR AND THE NEW SOCIETY", SAID "WORK SHOULD START NOW ON THE PREPARATION" OF THE NEW PROGRAM, ALTHOUGH THE MARSHALL PLAN STILL HAS SOME TWO YEARS TO RUN.
THE PAMPHLET WILL BE DISCUSSED AT THE PARTY'S ANNUAL CONFERENCE IN OCTOBER. AFTER THE CONFERENCE, THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE WILL DRAW UP AN ELECTION PLATFORM "THE MOMENT IT IS NECESSARY."
THE PAMPHLET DID NOT DISCUSS FRANCE'S SCHUMAN PLAN FOR POOLING EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL. A PREVIOUS PARTY PUBLICATION ON EUROPEAN UNITY REJECTED ANY KIND OF SUPRANATIONAL ORGANIZATION WHICH COULD DICTATE ECONOMIC DECISIONS TO MEMBER NATIONS.
THE STATEMENT REVERSED PREVIOUS LABOR ASSERTIONS THAT BRITAIN COULD COOPERATE ONLY WITH SOCIALIST GOVERNMENTS. IT DECLARED THAT SHE ONLY ASKED THAT OTHER GOVERNMENTS HAVE ENOUGH CONTROL OVER THEIR ECONOMIC SYSTEMS TO FULFILL THEIR OBLIGATIONS IN ECONOMIC PLANNING.
THE PAMPHLET SAID STATE OWNERSHIP OF IRON AND STEEL WILL BE CARRIED THROUGH. PHILLIPS ADDED THAT SUCH INDUSTRIES AS CEMENT AND SUGAR ALSO WILL BE NATIONALIZED.
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A191 (340)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 3 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, MONDAY, AUG. 21)
(ADVANCE)..LONDON, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY TOLD LEADERS OF THE RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH TODAY THEIR RECENT BAN-THE-A-BOMB APPEAL FALLS FAR SHORT OF A FORMULA FOR WORLD PEACE.
THE HEAD OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND--DR.GEOFFREY FISHER--DECLARED:
"THIS SUGGESTION RELATING TO THE ATOMIC WEAPON ISOLATES ONE ASPECT OF THE PROBLEM ONLY, ONE WEAPON ONLY OUT OF ALL THE POSSIBLE WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION, SOME OF WHICH ARE AS FRIGHTFUL AS THE ATOMIC BOMB.
"ALL SUCH WEAPONS SHOULD BE ABOLISHED IN CIVILIZED STATES. BUT SO SHOULD WAR ITSELF."
THE ARCHBISHOP ADDRESSED HIS REPLY TO THE PATRIARCH OF MOSCOW, HEAD OF THE ORTHODOX CHURCH IN THE SOVIET UNION. THE PATRIARCH AND HEADS OF THE CHURCH IN ARMENIA AND THE SOVIET PROVINCE OF GEORGIA ISSUED THE PEACE APPEAL RECENTLY "TO CHRISTIANS EVERYWHERE."
THE ORTHODOX CHURCH LEADERS URGED SUPPORT OF THE STOCKHOLM

PETITION FOR BANNING THE A-BOMB WHICH IS BEING PUSHED BY COMMUNISTS EVERYWHERE.

DR. FISHER REMARKED:

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"I DO NOT THINK IT IS RIGHT OR REASONABLE AT THIS STAGE TO SUGGEST TO GOVERNMENTS THAT THE ATOMIC BOMB BE BANNED OUTRIGHT AND UNCONDITIONALLY. NOR MUST THOSE WHO SUPPORT SUCH A SUGGESTION THINK THAT THEY ALONE ARE FIGHTERS FOR PEACE. X X X

"THERE MUST FIRST BE SUCH EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL CONTROL AS TO PREVENT THE USE OF THE BOMB. BEFORE A BAN CAN BE EFFECTED, THERE MUST BE CONFIDENCE: AND AGREEMENT AS TO INTERNATIONAL CONTROL IS NECESSARY AS EVIDENCE OF THAT CONFIDENCE."

RUSSIA HAS SO FAR BLOCKED IN THE UNITED NATIONS PROPOSALS BY NATIONS OF THE WEST WHAT THE LATTER REGARD AS AN EFFECTIVE INSPECTION SYSTEM TO ENFORCE A BAN ON THE BOMB.

"THE PEACE MOVEMENT BEFORE THE LAST WORLD WAR," DR. FISHER SAID, "WAS MUCH ENCOURAGED BY HITLERITE GERMANY, IN THE HOPE THAT IT WOULD ENCOURAGE AN ATTITUDE OF APPEASEMENT IN THIS COUNTRY AND THUS LEAVE HITLER AND HIS ACCOMPLICES A FREE HAND TO DO AS THEY LIKED IN EUROPE.

"THERE IS SOME EVIDENCE THAT THE PRESENT STOCKHOLM MANIFESTO, TOO, MAY BE USED BY SOME PERSONS FOR POLITICAL PURPOSES, AND I HAVE THEREFORE FELT BOUND TO ADVISE MY CLERGY NOT TO ASSOCIATE THEMSELVES WITH IT."

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LONDON, AUG.21-(AP)-THE LONDON DAILY MAIL SAID TODAY SECRETS OF THE NATURE OF COSMIC RAYS HAVE BEEN TAKEN TO HUNGARY BY A BRITISH-TRAINED SCIENTIST WHO ACCEPTED A COMMUNIST OFFER TO WORK IN BUDAPEST.

THE MAIL SAID THE EXPERT IS 38-YEAR-OLD PROF. LAJOS JANOSSY, WHO UP TO TWO WEEKS AGO WAS A PROFESSOR OF PHYSICS AT THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED SCIENCES IN DUBLIN. THE MAIL STORY SAID:

JANOSSY, WHO FOR A TIME WORKED IN CLOSE ASSOCIATION WITH ATOMIC SCIENTISTS IN BRITAIN, TRAVELED TO BUDAPEST BY AIR ON AUG.11 WITH HIS GERMAN-BORN WIFE AND FOUR CHILDREN.

JANOSSY'S COLLEAGUES IN DUBLIN SAID THAT HE INFORMED THEM HUNGARIAN OFFICIALS HAD OFFERED HIM AN ATTRACTIVE VILLA IN BUDAPEST AND THAT HE CONTEMPLATED TAKING A POST AT BUDAPEST UNIVERSITY. SEVERAL MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY LIVE IN BUDAPEST.

DURING THE WAR JANOSSY DID RESEARCH WORK IN COSMIC PHYSICS AT MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY, WHERE THE BRITISH ATOMIC RESEARCH TEAM PURSUED ITS STUDIES. IT WAS SAID THAT HE WAS NOT DIRECTLY CONCERNED WITH ATOMIC RESEARCH, BUT THAT HE DEALT WITH RELATED SUBJECTS.

AT MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY SCIENTISTS SAID THAT IT IS NOT LIKELY THAT INFORMATION POSSESSED BY JANOSSY HAD ANY IMMEDIATE PRACTICAL IMPORTANCE BUT THAT HIS UNDERSTANDING OF COSMIC RADIATION MIGHT EVENTUALLY BE OF GREAT USE.

THE DAILY MAIL PUBLISHED A PHOTOGRAPH OF JANOSSY SITTING BESIDE KLAUS EMIL FUCHS, GERMAN-BORN BRITISH SCIENTIST WHO WAS SENTENCED TO 14 YEARS IMPRISONMENT LAST MARCH FOR BETRAYING ATOMIC SECRETS TO RUSSIA. THE PHOTOGRAPH, SAID THE MAIL, WAS TAKEN AT A SCIENTIFIC MEETING IN 1949, BUT INVESTIGATORS HAVE NOT DETERMINED WHETHER THEY WERE INTIMATE FRIENDS OR SCIENTIFIC COLLABORATORS.

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LONDON, AUG 21-(AP)-TH BRITISH GOVERNMENT TONIGHT ANNOUNCED THE CREATION OF A CHIEF EXECUTIVE FOR GUIDED WEAPONS TO SPEED RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT AND PRODUCTION OF SUCH ARMS. THE APPOINTMENT WENT TO AIR CHIEF MARSHAL SIR W. ALEC CORYTON.

CORYTON, COMPTROLLER FOR AIR SUPPLIES FOR THE SUPPLY MINISTRY, TAUGH KING GEORVE VI TO FLY IN 1919.

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BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

LONDON, AUG.21-(AP)-TWELVE ATLANTIC ALLIES MEET TOMORROW TO TOTAL THE DOLLARS AND CENTS NEEDED TO FINANCE A BIGGER WESTERN REARMAMENT PROGRAM AGAINST COMMUNISM.

SEVERAL WAYS OF FINANCING THE OVERALL WESTERN EFFORT WILL CONFRONT DEPUTIES OF THE 12-NATION ALLIANCE. ALL STEM FROM THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE UNITED STATES, AS THE RICHEST AND STRONGEST PACT NATION, WILL PROVIDE BASIC MATERIAL AND MONEY AID.

BRITAIN WAS REPORTED READY TODAY TO HAND IN A PLAN WHICH SEEMS TO BE A NEW DEVELOPMENT OF AMERICA'S WARTIME LEND-LEASE PROGRAM.

QUALIFIED INFORMANTS SAID THE BRITISH IDEA CALLS FOR A FREE TRANSFER OF MONEY AND GOODS AMONG THE PACT'S MAIN PRODUCERS OF ARMS AND EQUIPMENT.

THE TWO MAIN PRODUCERS ARE, OF COURSE, THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN. THEY WILL SERVE TOGETHER AS A SORT OF ARSENAL FOR THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD, IF ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE WORKED OUT FOR THE FREE FLOW OF MACHINE TOOLS, COMPONENTS AND RAW MATERIALS BETWEEN THEM.

THOSE ARRANGEMENTS IN NO WAY WOULD PRECLUDE THE INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES OF COUTVVES LIKE CANADA, BELGIUM OR FRANCE BEING USED IN THE COMMON INTEREST, THE INFORMANTS SAID.

PRESS DISPATCHES FROM OTTAWA REPORTED TODAY CANADA HAS DEVISED A SIMILAR PLAN. CANADA WOULD TRANSFER GUNS, AIRCRAFT AND OTHER MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO HER EUROPEAN PARTNERS IN RETURN FOR MATERIAL SHE NEEDS--LIKE AMERICAN TANKS.

FRANCE ALSO HAS A FINANCE PLAN TO SUBMIT. SHE IS ADVOCATING A 12-NATION MONEY POOL AND A "FREEDOM LOAN" BY PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTION IN EACH OF THE PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES.

AMERICAN CHAIRMAN CHARLES M.SPOFFORD IS EXPECTED TO TELL SOME OF THE EUROPEAN PACT NATIONS THAT THEY COULD DO MORE IN THE WAY OF GENERAL REARMAMENT THAN THEIR PUBLISHED PLANS SUGGEST IS POSSIBLE.

THE UNITED STATES IS HELD TO BELIEVE SOME COUNTRIES ARE DRAGGING THEIR FEET IN THE RACE FOR FULL WESTERN MILITARY PREPAREDNESS.

THE ATLANTIC ALLIES NOW HAVE ABOUT 14 COMBAT DIVISIONS IN EUROPE. THEIR TARGET IS TO RAISE IN THE NEXT TWO YEARS AROUND 50 COMBAT DIVISIONS TO BE BASED ON THE CONTINENT.

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NIGHT LEAD EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY (340)

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.21-(AP)-BRITISH LABORITES BOYCOTTED DISCUSSION OF WINSTON CHURCHILL'S EUROPEAN ARMY PROPOSAL TODAY.

DELEGATES OF OTHER NATIONS IN THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE

ASSEMBLY'S SUBCOMMITTEE ON SECURITY WENT AHEAD WITH THE TALKS, ANYWAY.

AN AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE SAID THE GROUPS REACHED "A MEASURE OF AGREEMENT" ON HOW THE UNIFIED ARMY AND THE PROPOSED EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTRY SHOULD BE LINKED WITH THE PRESENT ATLANTIC PACT SYSTEM.

IN OTHER ASSEMBLY DEVELOPMENTS: 1--THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE DRAFTED A REPLY TO A REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS--THE ASSEMBLY'S ALL-POWERFUL COUNTERPART IN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL--RAPPING THE MINISTERS' KNUCKLES FOR FAILURE TO TAKE ACTION ON ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS. THE REPLY RECOMMENDED REVISION OF COUNCIL STATUES TO GAVE THE ASSEMBLY "LIMITED BUT REAL POWERS."

2--THE ECONOMICS COMMITTEE HAILED THE SCHUMAN COAL-STEEL POOL PLAN AND ASKED FOR A PERMANENT LINK BETWEEN THE POOL'S SUPRA-NATIONAL AUTHORITY AND THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL. THERE WAS NO MENTION OF A BRITISH CONSERVATIVE COUNTERPROPOSAL WHICH WOULD WATER DOWN THE POOL'S AUTHORITY AND ESTABLISH THE RIGHT OF ANY GOVERNMENT TO VETO DECISIONS AFFECTING IMPORTANT NATIONAL POLICIES.

3--THE LEGAL COMMITTEE DRAFTED TWO AMENDMENTS TO A PROPOSED EUROPEAN CONVENTION ON HUMAN RIGHTS, ESTABLISHING: THE RIGHT OF PARENTS TO CHOOSE THEIR CHILDREN'S EDUCATION, AND THE RIGHT OF PERSONS TO OWN PROPERTY. THIS REVERSED A DECISION BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS SCRATCHING THE TWO RIGHTS AS CONTROVERSIAL.

THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE AGREED AON BASIC PRINCIPLES OF A EUROPEAN SOCIAL SECURITY CODE WHICH WOULD EXTEND BASIC SOCIAL SECURITY RIGHTS BEYOND NATIONAL BORDERS. THE ACTUAL CODE WILL BE DRAWN BY EXPERTS, MOSTLY IN THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR OFFICE (ILO).

THE BRITISH LABOR BOYCOTT OF THE SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE FOLLOWED THREATS OF A WALKOUT LAST WEEK BY JAMES GALLAGHAN, PARLIAMENTARY UNDERSECRETARY FOR THE ADMIRALTY. GALLAGHAN, OTHER BRITISH LABORITES AND A MAJORITY OF SCANDINAVIAN ASSEMBLYMEN CONTEND THE COUNCIL'S STATUTES EXPRESSLY FORBID ANY DISCUSSION OF MILITARY DEFENSE MEASURES. THEY HAVE ARGUED THAT THE POWERLESS ASSEMBLY IS NO PLACE TO DISCUSS GOVERNMENT-LEVEL MATTERS.

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FIRST LEAD EUROPE COUNCIL (180)

BY JOSEPH DYNAN

STRASBOURG, FRANCE,AUG.21-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY'S ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE ASKED TODAY FOR A PERMANENT LINK BETWEEN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AND THE SCHUMAN STEEL-COAL POOL PLAN.

THE COMMITTEE VOTED UNANIMOUSLY, WITH ONE ABSTENTION, A RESOLUTION, CALLING FOR REGULAR REPORTS TO THE ASSEMBLY ON OPERATIONS OF AN OVERALL AUTHORITY ENVISAGED UNDER THE PLAN.

THE RESOLUTION ALSO SAID THAT THE MEMBERS OF A SIX NATION COMMON PARLIAMENT, WHICH WOULD SUPERVISE THE AUTHORITY SHOULD BE PICKED FROM REPRESENTATIVES IN THE ASSEMBLY HERE IN STRASBOURG.

THE SCHUMAN PLAN CALLS FOR A COMMON PARLIAMENT OF DELEGATES FROM THE FRENCH, BELGIAN, WEST GERMAN, DUTCH, ITALIAN AND LUXEMBOURG LEGISLATURES.

PAUL REYNAUD OF FRANCE, COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, SAID THAT BOTH HUGH DALTON, BRITISH LABORITE, AND LORD-LAYTON, BRITISH LIBERAL, SUPPORTED THIS MOTION.

THE RESOLUTION ASKED THE SIX NATIONS IN THE POOL PLAN TO ESTABLISH SOME MACHINERY WHEREBY NON-POOL NATIONS, SUCH AS BRITAIN, CAN EVENTUALLY BE ASSOCIATED WITH IT.

A PLEDGE BY THE BRITISH LABOR COUNCIL DELEGATES HERE TO BACK RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT STRASBOURG APPEARS TO HAVE GIVEN BRITISH CONSERVATIVES THE OPPORTUNITY TO JAM THROUGH EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY PROJECTS AT WILL.

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BRITISH LABORITE JAMES CALLAGHAN MADE THE PLEDGE SATURDAY ON BEHALF OF HIS EIGHT LABORITE COLLEAGUES, AFTER FRENCH SOCIALIST GUY MOLLET HAD THREATENED TO RESIGN AS COMMITTEE SECRETARY UNLESS THE LABORITES MADE PUBLIC ACTIONS CONFORM WITH THEIR VOTES IN CLOSED COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

IN VIEW OF LABOR'S SCANT SIX-VOTE MARGIN IN COMMONS, THE PLEDGE PUT WINSTON CHURCHILL'S TORIES IN A POWERFUL POSITION.

IF THE NINE LABOR ASSEMBLYMEN--WHO ALSO ARE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT--KEEP THEIR PROMISE, THE CONSERVATIVES WILL BE IN A POSITION TO FORCE ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS THROUGH PARLIAMENT, REGARDLESS OF THE GOVERNMENT'S ATTITUDE ON THEM.

CHURCHILL ALREADY HAS ANNOUNCED HE INTENDS TO BRING BEFORE PARLIAMENT ALL RESOLUTIONS WHICH WIN A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY IN THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHETHER CALLAGHAN'S PLEDGE COVERED ALL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS OR ONLY THOSE WHICH THE LABORITES HAD SUPPORTED IN THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, WAS NOT MADE CLEAR. THESE INCLUDE, HOWEVER, PROPOSALS WHICH FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN HAS BEEN VETOING IN THE COUNCIL'S POWERFUL COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS.

PRESUMABLY THE CONSERVATIVES CAN NOW FORCE THESE, AT LEAST, ON THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

MEANWHILE, THE ASSEMBLY'S SUBCOMMITTEE ON SECURITY APPEARED TO HAVE DISCARDED DETAILED PLANS FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY WITH AN INTERNATIONAL DEFENSE MINISTER AS PROPOSED BY CHURCHILL.

THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, LEON MACCAS OF GREECE, SAID THE GROUP PROBABLY WOULD LIMIT ITSELF TO A DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES AT ITS MEETING TODAY INSTEAD OF TRYING TO WORK OUT A COMPLETE ARMY PLAN.

OTHER OFFICIALS PREDICTED THE COMMITTEE WOULD RECOMMEND A EUROPEAN DEFENSE CONVENTION AND PROVIDE FOR "PROPER DEMOCRATIC CONTROL" THROUGH THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE.

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FONTAINEBLEAU, FRANCE, AUG. 21-(AP)-BOMBERS AND JET FIGHTERS WILL STREAK ACROSS WESTERN EUROPE THIS WEEK IN "OPERATION CUPOLA," THE BIGGEST JOINT EXERCISE YET PLANNED BY THE FOUR NATIONS OF THE BRUSSELS PACT.

THE COMBINED AIR FORCES OF GREAT BRITAIN, FRANCE, BELGIUM AND THE NETHERLANDS WILL SEEK WITH THE COOPERATION OF AMERICAN SUPERFORT BOMBERS TO TEST WHAT KIND OF PROTECTIVE UMBRELLA MIGHT BE RAISED OVER EUROPE'S INDUSTRIAL CENTERS IF AN ATTACK SHOULD COME. LUXEMBOURG IS THE FIFTH MEMBER OF THE BRUSSELS PACT.

THE AREA TO BE COVERED IN THE OPERATION STRETCHES FROM THE NORTH OF HOLLAND SOUTHWARD TO A POINT JUST WEST OF PARIS, AND FROM THE MOUTH OF THE SEINE EASTWARD TO THE RHINE.

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STOCKHOLM, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE SOVIET NAVAL ATTACHE TO SWEDEN WAS OFFICIALLY REBUKED TODAY FOR HAVING DISOBEYED REGULATIONS FOR FOREIGNERS DURING A WEEK-LONG SAILING TRIP OFF THE SWEDISH COAST.

CMDR. DMITRI LARITCHEV, THE ATTACHE, WAS SUMMONED TO THE DEFENSE COMMAND OFFICE, WHERE GEN. PER KELLGREN SEVERELY REPRIMANDED HIM FOR DISREGARDING THE REGULATIONS.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID LARITCHEV, CMDR. VASSILI KONDRACHKOV, HIS ASSISTANT. AND TWO OTHER EMBASSY OFFICIALS ENTERED A

PROHIBITED PASSAGE WHILE ON A SAILING TRIP JULY 27-AUG. 3.
THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID IT WAS INFORMED BY EYEWITNESSES THAT THE RUSSIANS TOOK PICTURES AND MADE OTHER OBSERVATIONS OF THE SHORE, BUT THAT THIS WAS DENIED BY LARITCHEV, WHO HAS DECLINED TO GIVE UP AN PICTURES TAKEN BY HIM OR HIS CREW DURING THE CRUISE.

THE RUSSIANS WERE SAID TO HAVE APPROACHED WITHIN 150 YARDS OF OEJALAANDET, ONE OF THE MANY DISTRICTS IN THE STOCKHOLM ARCHIPELAGO WHICH ARE "OFF LIMITS" TO FOREIGNERS BECAUSE OF COASTAL DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS.
THERE WAS NEWSPAPER SPECULATION THAT THE SOVIET ATTACHE MAY BE ORDERED HOME BECAUSE OF THE INCIDENT.
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BERLIN, AUG.21-(AP)-TWENTY RUSSIAN OFFICERS, ALL ARMED WITH PISTOLS, RODE INTO THE U.S. SECTOR OF BERLIN IN A TRUCK LAST NIGHT AND WERE CHASED BACK TO THE SOVIET AREA BY THE WEST GERMAN POLICE.
THE POLICE SAID THE RUSSIANS HAD APPARENTLY BEEN DRINKING AND WERE OUT ON A LARK WITHOUT REALIZING THEY HAD CROSSED THE BORDER SEPARATING EAST FROM WEST. RUSSIANS ARE PERMITTED THE FREEDOM OF THE WEST SECTORS BUT THEY MUST BE UNARMED.
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BERLIN, AUG. 21-(AP)-U.S. OFFICIALS SAID TODAY 180 EAST GERMAN PEOPLE'S POLICE HAVE DESERTED AND ASKED ASYLUM IN THE WEST BERLIN SINCE THE KOREAN WAR STARTED EIGHT WEEKS AGO.
MANY OF THEM EXPLAINED THEY FEARED THEY WOULD BE SENT TO NORTH KOREA TO HELP THE COMMUNIST ARMY, AMERICAN PUBLIC SAFETY AUTHORITIES SAID.
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BIELEFELD, GERMANY, AUG.21-(AP)-A YOUNG GERMAN GIRL WHO SPIED ON BRITISH FORCES IN GERMANY, WAS SENTENCED TO SIX YEARS IMPRISONMENT TODAY BY A BRITISH COURT.
MARGOT GENNING, 21, BORN IN BERLIN, PLEADED GUILTY TO TWO CHARGES.
SHE WAS CHARGED WITH GIVING AWAY UNAUTHORIZED INFORMATION WHICH MIGHT BE DANGEROUS TO THE OCCUPATION FORCES AND WITH CONSPIRING WITH ANOTHER PERSON TO THE PREJUDICE OF THE OCCUPATION FORCES.
A BRITISH OFFICIAL SAID THE GIRL WAS SENT FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA. SHE WAS ARRESTED AFTER BEING IN THE BRITISH ZONE ONLY FIVE DAYS.
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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, -7&. 21-(AP)-THE WESTERN ALLIED CRACKDOWN ON COMMUNISTS NEWSPAPERS IN WEST GERMANY CONTINUED TONIGHT WITH THE 90-DAY SUSPENSION OF THE COMMUNIST SUEDBAYRISCHE VOLKSZEITUNG (SOUTH BAVARIAN PEOPLE'S NEWSPAPER) IN MUNICH.
THE VOLKSZEITUNG WAS THE 13TH COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER TO BE SUSPENDED IN THE WESTERN ZONES SINCE THE ALLIES BEGAN THEIR CAMPAIGN EARLY THIS MONTH. THERE ARE ONLY THREE COMMUNIST PUBLICATIONS NOW IN OPERATION IN THE WEST.
THE VOLKSZEITUNG WAS ACCUSED OF MALICIOUSLY DISTORTING NEW REGULATIONS CONTROLLING THE IMPORT OF WAR MATERIALS INTO GERMANY, AND OF PRINTING A DELIBERATE MISSTATEMENT IN REGARD TO THE KOREAN WAR.
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LUENEBURG, GERMANY, AUG. 21-(AP)-DR.HJALMAR SCHACHT, HITLER'S FORMER FINANCIAL WIZARD, WENT ON TRIAL HERE TODAY FOR THE FIFTH TIME ON CHARGES THAT HE WAS A NAZI.
BOTH SCHACHT AND HIS JUDGES HOPED THAT THIS WOULD BE THE LAST ACT IN THE PROLONGED DENAZIFICATION PROCEEDINGS AGAINST HIM.
HE HAS BEEN IN AND OUT OF DENAZIFICATION COURTS SINCE 1946, WHEN HE WAS ACQUITTED OF WAR CRIMES CHARGES BY THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL AT NUERNBERG. AN EIGHT YEAR SENTENCE IN A LABOR CAMP IMPOSED UPON HIM IN THE FIRST TRIAL WAS SUBSEQUENTLY REVERSED BY AN APPEALS COURT. THEN HE WAS TRIED IN ABSENTIA BUT NOTHING EVER CAME OF LATER PROCEEDINGS.
SCHACHT HAS DEVOTED HIS TIME RECENTLY TO COMPOSING AN OPERETTA.
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NIGHT LEAD STUDENTS
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 21-(AP)-CHESTER DAVIS, AN AMERICAN NEGRO, SPEAKING BEFORE AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT GROUP TODAY, DENOUNCED UNITED STATES INTERVENTION IN KOREA AND DEMANDED A WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN TROOPS.
DAVIS SAID HE WAS A SPOKESMAN FOR THE COMMITTEE FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENT COOPERATION IN THE UNITED STATES. THE GROUP BELIEVED, HE ADDED, THAT THE KOREAN WAR WAS BEING WAGED "AGAINST THE DEMOCRATIC INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE OF KOREA."
DAVIS REFUSED TO GIVE HIS ADDRESS OR THE NAME OF HIS SCHOOL TO NEWSMEN. ANOTHER AMERICAN STUDENT SAID HE UNDERSTOOD DAVIS WAS FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO. THE REMARKS BY DAVIS WERE MADE BEFORE THE SECOND CONGRESS OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS (IUS).
DAVIS SAID AMERICAN STUDENTS "LIVE AND STUDY IN THE HEADQUARTERS OF WORLD REACTION AND WAR." HE SAID PROFESSORS WERE FIRED FOR SPEAKING FOR PEACE AND FRIENDSHIP WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND CHARGED THAT PEOPLE HAD BEEN ARRESTED FOR CIRCULATING THE SO-CALLED STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL, WHICH IS COMMUNIST SUPPORTED.
A YALE UNIVERSITY STUDENT, ROBERT L.WEST, OF NEW HAVEN, CONN., TOLD THE CONGRESS SATURDAY THAT THE COMMUNIST-INSPIRED STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION FOR BANNING ATOMIC BOMBS "SERVES ONE OF THE CONTESTANTS IN THE PRESENT (KOREAN) CONFLICT." HE DID NOT IDENTIFY THE CONTESTANT HE REFERRED TO.
WEST REPRESENTING THE U.S. NATIONAL STUDENTS ASSOCIATION, ALSO SAID AMERICAN STUDENTS BELIEVE THE IUS "WAS ACTING MORE IN SUPPORT OF THE POLITICAL CONVICTIONS OF ITS LEADERS" THAN FOR STUDENT NEEDS.
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS PASS TO THE CONGRESS, WHICH BEGAN A WEEK AGO, WAS UNEXPECTEDLY CANCELLED TODAY AND THE AP CORRESPONDENT, WILLIAM OATIS, ESCORTED FROM THE GROUNDS OF THE PRAGUE TRADE FAIR EXHIBITION HALL, WHERE THE MEETING IS BEING HELD. THE AP PASS HAD BEEN OBTAINED ONLY THURSDAY AFTER IT HAD BEEN SOUGHT FOR A WEEK. OATIS IS A U.S. CITIZEN ACCREDITED BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK FOREIGN MINISTRY AS A FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT.
THE CORRESPONDENT WAS TOLD BY A SPOKESMAN FOR THE CONGRESS ORGANIZING COMMITTEE THE PASS HAD BEEN CANCELLED BECAUSE "YOU DID NOT BEHAVE LIKE A JOURNALIST ONLY." HE EXPLAINED THE REPORTER HAD LEFT THE PRESS BOX AND GONE ON THE CONVENTION FLOOR. THE CORRESPONDENT EXPLAINED HE HAD NOT BEEN TOLD TO REMAIN IN THE PRESS BOX AND HAD GONE ON THE FLOOR TO SPEAK TO ENGLISH, SCOTTISH AND AMERICAN DELEGATES.
THE CONGRESS WILL END WEDNESDAY. SOME 1,500 DELEGATES HAVE BEEN ATTENDING THE SESSIONS FROM 72 COUNTRIES.
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 21-(AP)-AN AMERICAN TOLD THE SECOND WORLD STUDENT CONGRESS TODAY THAT U.S.SOLDIERS SHOULD GET OUT OF KOREA.

CHESTER DAVIS, A NEGRO SPEAKING FOR THE COMMITTEE FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENT COOPERATION IN THE UNITED STATES, SAID THAT "OUR DELEGATION CALLS FOR AN END TO THE UNITED STATES INTERVENTION IN KOREA.

"WE DEMAND A CESSATION OF THE INHUMAN BOMBING OF POPULATIONS X X X WE STAND FIRM IN OUR PLEDGE TO WORK FOR AN END TO THE WAR IN KOREA."

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DAVIS REFUSED TO TELL REPORTERS HIS ADDRESS OR THE NAME OF HIS SCHOOL. HE SAID HE FEARED DISTORTION OF HIS REMARKS. ANOTHER AMERICAN STUDENT SAID HE UNDERSTOOD DAVIS WAS FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.

(UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO OFFICIALS SAID A CHESTER DAVIS, 22-YEAR-OLD NEGRO, IS REGISTERED FOR A CLASS IN FRENCH FOR THE SUMMER QUARTER. THEY SAID DAVIS HAD NOT ATTENDED CLASS FOR FOUR OR FIVE WEEKS. THE UNIVERSITY HAS NO COMMITTEE FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENT COOPERATION ON ITS CAMPUS.)

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"WE ARE CONVINCED THE WAR IS BEING WAGED AGAINST THE DEMOCRATIC INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE OF KOREA AND IS CONTRARY TO THE LONG-STANDING DEMOCRATIC TRADITION OF THE UNITED STATES" X X X HE SAID.

"THE WAR IN KOREA PLACES IN BOLD RELIEF THE INTENSE PREPARATIONS FOR WAR THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN MAKING FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS.

DAVIS SAID AMERICAN STUDENTS "LIVE AND STUDY IN THE HEADQUARTERS OF WORLD REACTION AND WAR."

HE SPOKE OF "OPPRESSION AND DISCRIMINATION AGAINST THE NEGRO PEOPLE," SAID PROFESSORS WERE FIRED FOR SPEAKING FOR PEACE AND FRIENDSHIP WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND CHARGED PEOPLE HAVE BEEN ARRESTED FOR CIRCULATING THE STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL, WHICH IS COMMUNIST SUPPORTED.

DAVIS SAID THAT TO ADMIT BEING A COMMUNIST IN THE UNITED STATES IS TO INVITE REPRISALS. HIS DELEGATION NUMBERS ABOUT 30, INCLUDING SEVERAL NEGROS.

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A139 (220
BY WILLIAM OATIS

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG.21-(AP)-THE ASSOCIATED PRESS PASS TO THE SECOND WORLD STUDENT CONGRESS WAS CANCELLED TODAY AND THIS CORRESPONDENT WAS ESCORTED FROM THE GROUNDS.

THE SECOND CONGRESS OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS BEGAN IN THE PRAGUE TRADE FAIR EXHIBITION HALL A WEEK AGO.

THE AP FINALLY GOT A PASS LAST THURSDAY AFTER A WEEK OF TRYING. THIS MORNING I WAS ALLOWED INTO THE HALL BUT LATER WENT OUT. WHEN I RETURNED, A BLUE-SHIRTED GUARD FROM THE CZECHOSLOVAK YOUTH MOVEMENT DISAPPEARED INSIDE WITH THE PASS, A WHITE CARD.

LATER A SPOKESMAN FOR THE CONGRESS ORGANIZING COMMITTEE, WHO WOULD NOT GIVE HIS NAME, CAME BACK WITH THE CARD TORN ALMOST IN TWO. HE SAID THE COMMITTEE HAD CANCELLED IT BECAUSE "YOU DID NOT BEHAVE LIKE A JOURNALIST ONLY."

HE EXPLAINED THAT INSTEAD OF STAYING IN THE PRESS BOX I HAD GONE ON TO THE CONVENTION FLOOR. WHEN I SAID I HAD NEVER BEEN TOLD TO STAY PUT, THE SPOKESMAN REFUSED TO DISCUSS THE POINT. LATER ANOTHER BLUESHIRT ESCORTED ME TO THE FAIRGROUNDS GATE.

I HAD GONE ONTO THE FLOOR THREE TIMES TO SPEAK TO ENGLISH, SCOTTISH AND AMERICAN DELEGATES.

THE CONGRESS SAYS IT HAS NO POLITICAL AFFILIATION, BUT ITS HEADQUARTERS HERE ISSUES ENDORSEMENTS OF THE COMMUNIST-BACKED WORLD PEACE MOVEMENT.

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NIGHT LEAD GREEK (260)

ATHENS, GREECE, AUG. 21-(AP)-LIBERAL PARTY LEADER SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS WAS SWORN IN AS GREECE'S NEW PREMIER TODAY TO HEAD AN EMERGENCY CABINET OF SEVEN MEMBERS OF HIS OWN PARTY.

THE NEW GOVERNMENT, REPLACING THAT OF FORMER PREMIER GEN. NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS WHO RESIGNED LAST FRIDAY, WILL RUN THE NATION'S AFFAIRS UNTIL A FULL-SCALE CABINET ACCEPTABLE TO THE MAJORITY IN PARLIAMENT CAN BE FORMED.

VENIZELOS, WHO LAST MARCH HELD THE PREMIERSHIP BRIEFLY, TOOK HIS OATH OF OFFICE ALONG WITH MEMBERS OF HIS CARETAKER GOVERNMENT BEFORE KING PAUL I. HE ALSO WAS NAMED FOREIGN MINISTER, MINISTER OF INTERIOR AND MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENSE. THE OTHER CABINET MEMBERS ALL WERE GIVEN MULTIPLE PORTFOLIOS.

THE EMERGENCY CABINET WAS FORMED AFTER VENIZELOS APPARENTLY WAS UNSUCCESSFUL IN FORMING A COALITION GOVERNMENT. HE WILL CONTINUE HIS EFFORTS, HOWEVER, AFTER THE RETURN FROM WASHINGTON OF SOCIALIST-DEMOCRAT PARTY LEADER GEORGE PAPANDREOU AND PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN LEADER EMMANUEL TSOUDEROS. BOTH MEN ARE REPORTEDLY BEING CONSIDERED FOR KEY POSTS.

PAPANDREOU WAS DEPUTY PREMIER IN THE PLASTIRAS REGIME, WHICH FELL AFTER FIVE LIBERAL PARTY MEMBERS SAID THEY WOULD RESIGN IN PROTEST AGAINST THE LEFTIST LEADER'S POLICY OF GRANTING AMNESTY TO COMMUNISTS CONVICTED OF TREASON.

MINISTERS SWORN INTO OFFICE WITH VENIZELOS TODAY WERE:

NICHOLAS BACOPOULOS--EDUCATION, JUSTICE, TRANSPORT, POSTS TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH.

PHOCION ZAIMIS--WELFARE, HYGIENE, RECONSTRUCTION, COORDINATION AND FINANCE.

EVANGELOS AVEROFF--AGRICULTURE, NATIONAL ECONOMY AND SUPPLY.

GREGORY CASSIMATIS--LABOR, PUBLIC WORKS AND PUBLIC ORDER.

STAVROS COSTOPOULOS--MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO TO THE PREMIER, MERCHANT MARINE AND UNDERSECRETARY OF PRESS INFORMATION.

LEONIDAS IASSONIDES -- GOVERNOR GENERAL OF NORTHERN GREECE.

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ATHENS, GREENCE, AUG. 21-(AP)-LIBERAL LEADER SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS, ASSIGNED BY KING PAUL I TO FORM A NEW GREEK GOVERNMENT, SAID TODAY HE WILL BE SWORN IN AS PREMIER TO HEAD AN EMERGENCY SKELETON CABINET OF SIX OR SEVEN OF HIS OWN PARTY MEMBERS.

HE IS EXPECTED TO TAKE THE OATH OF OFFICE TONIGHT.

VENIZELOS SAID HE WOULD CONTINUE HIS EFFORTS TO FORM A FULL CENTER COALITION GOVERNMENT AFTER THE RETURN FROM WASHINGTON OF DEPUTY PREMIER GEORGE PAPANDREOU AND LEFTIST PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN PARTY LEADER EMMANUEL TSOUDEROS, BOTH OF WHOM HE IS REPORTEDLY CONSIDERING FOR KEY

CABINET POSTS. HE MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT AFTER A CONFERENCE WITH THE KING.

PAPANDREOU HEADS THE MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROAD SOCIALIST-DEMOCRATIC PARTY WHICH MADE UP PART OF THE GOVERNMENT OF FORMER PREMIER GEN.NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS, WHO RESIGNED SUDDENLY LAST FRIDAY.

PLASTIRAS, LEADER OF THE LEFTIST NATIONAL PROGRESSIVE UNION, QUIT AFTER FIVE LIBERAL MEMBERS OF HIS CABINET ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD RESIGN IN PROTEST AGAINST HIS POLICY OF GRANTING PARDONS TO COMMUNISTS CONVICTED OF TREASON.

IN TRYING TO FORM A GOVERNMENT THAT WILL MEET PARLIAMENTARY APPROVAL, VENIZELOS IS SAID TO BE DETERMINED NOT TO INCLUDE PLASTIRAS. THE LIBERAL PARTY DECLARED FRIDAY THAT THE PLASTIRAS GOVERNMENT HAD "LOST COMPLETELY THE CONFIDENCE OF PUBLIC OPINION." THERE ARE INDICATIONS, HOWEVER, THAT HE IS HAVING DIFFICULTY FORMING A GOVERNMENT WITHOUT PLASTIRAS.

VENIZELOS HELD THE PREMIERSHIP BRIEFLY ONCE BEFORE, AFTER THE MARCH 5 PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS, BUT RESIGNED BECAUSE HIS LIBERAL PARTY CABINET DID NOT REPRESENT THE BROAD MAJORITY.

SOURCES CLOSE TO VENIZELOS SAY THE LIBERAL PARTY LEADER WILL INSIST ON NEW PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS IF HE IS UNABLE TO GAIN MAJORITY APPROVAL OF HIS CABINET.

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NIGHT LEAD WESTERLING

SINGAPORE, TUESDAY, AUG 22-(AP)-R.P.P. (TURK) WESTERLING, FORMER DUTCH ARMY OFFICER WHO LED A REVOLT AGAINST THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT IN WEST JAVA LAST JANUARY, LEFT BY PLANE TODAY FOR LONDON.

WESTERLING SUBSEQUENTLY FLED INDONESIA AND WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY BRITISH AUTHORITIES HERE FOR ILLEGAL ENTRY. INDONESIA SOUGHT TO GAIN CUSTODY OF HIM THROUGH EXTRADITION TO TRY HIM ON CHARGES OF MURDER AND OTHER CRIMES IN CONNECTION WITH HIS SHORT-LIVED, ABORTIVE REVOLT. A SINGAPORE COURT RULED HE SHOULD BE DEPORTED AND THAT COUNSEL FOR THE INDONESIANS HAD MADE OUT NO CASE JUSTIFYING HIS EXTRADITION.

FROM LONDON WESTERLING IS EXPECTED TO GO TO BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, A FREE MAN.

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SINGAPORE, AUG. 21-(AP)-R.P.P. "TURK" WESTERLING, DUTCH REBEL WHO RECENTLY LED A REVOLT IN INDONESIA, WILL LEAVE BY PLANE TOMORROW FOR LONDON AND PROBABLY BRUSSELS--A FREE MAN.

GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES SAID WESTERLING WOULD BOARD A BRITISH OVERSEAS AIRWAYS (BOAC) PLANE DEPARTING AT DAWN FROM SINGAPORE'S KALLANG AIRPORT. AUTHORITIES HERE HAD TRIED TO KEEP HIS DEPARTURE SECRET.

THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT WANTS WESTERLING BACK TO TRY HIM ON CHARGES OF MURDER AND OTHER CRIMES IN CONNECTION WITH HIS SHORT-LIVED WEST JAVA REVOLT LAST JANUARY.

THE INDONESIANS FAILED IN THEIR ATTEMPT TO EXTRADE THE REBEL LEADER, WHOSE FORCES CAPTURED BANDOENG IN 90 MINUTES AGAINST WEAK INDONESIAN RESISTANCE.

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NIGHT LEAD SEAGRAVE

BY DOUGLAS LACKERSTEEN

RANGOON, BURMA, AUG.21-(AP)-A BURMESE LAWYER WILL DEFEND DR. GORDON S.SEAGRAVE, 53-YEAR-OLD AMERICAN SURGEON, IMPRISONED AND ACCUSED OF COLLABORATING WITH REBEL KAREN AND KACHIN TRIBESMEN. HE IS KYAW MYINT, A FORMER BURMESE SUPREME COURT JUDGE.

SEAGRAVE, KNOWN TO MILLIONS AS THE "BURMA SURGEON," WAS ARRESTED FRIDAY AT HIS MISSION HOSPITAL AT NAMKHAM, NEAR THE CHINA-BURMA BORDER. AN INFORMANT SAID THAT WHEN TAKEN INTO CUSTODY, SEAGRAVE OFFERED NO RESISTANCE AND AGREED TO ACCOMPANY A HIGH-RANKING POLICE OFFICIAL. HE WAS BROUGHT HERE BY PLANE AND TAKEN TO RANGOON CENTRAL JAIL.

(IN PARKERSBURG, W.VA., MRS.SEAGRAVE, PRETTY WIFE OF THE FAMED SURGEON, VOICED STOUT CONFIDENCE IN HIS INNOCENCE. SHE SAID SHE KNEW "HE'S HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THE ANTI-GOVERNMENT FORCES," SHE SAID HER HUSBAND HAD INDICATED IN HIS MOST RECENT LETTERS THAT THE CIVIL STRIFE BETWEEN THE KARENS AND THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT WAS SUBSIDING.

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(MRS.SEAGRAVE NOTED, HOWEVER, THAT SEAGRAVE'S HOSPITAL IS 500 MILES NORTH OF RANGOON, AND WAS CONCERNED AT THE APPARENT GRAVITY OF THE INCIDENT THAT WOULD PROMPT OFFICIALS TO TRANSPORT HER HUSBAND SUCH A DISTANCE, MRS.SEAGRAVE, WHO LIVED FOR MANY YEARS IN BURMA, EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE U.S. OFFICIALS WOULD DO ALL POSSIBLE TO PROTECT HER HUSBAND'S INTERESTS).

EMBASSY OFFICIALS, WHO REGARD THE SURGEON'S ARREST AS A "SERIOUS MATTER," SAID SEAGRAVE WAS BEING HELD IN A SPECIAL CLASS, ENTITLING HIM TO PRIVILEGES AND AMENITIES UNAVAILABLE TO ORDINARY PRISONERS. THEY REPORTED HIM IN "GOOD SPIRITS."

A BURMESE GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID SEAGRAVE IS ACCUSED NOT ONLY OF AIDING THE KARENS BUT OF HELPING KACHIN CHIEF NAW SENG TO FLEE ACROSS THE CHINESE BORDER, WHERE REPORTEDLY HE IS WITH CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

THE KARENS ARE THE LARGEST GROUP REBELLING AGAINST BURMA'S NATIONAL GOVERNMENT. ALSO IN THE CONGLOMERATE REVOLT ARE TROTSKYITE "RED FLAG" COMMUNISTS AND STALINIST "WHITE FLAG" REDS.

THE KARENS HAVE AT TIMES COOPERATED WITH THE COMMUNISTS, WHEN IT WAS TO THEIR ADVANTAGE, BUT MORE OFTEN THEY HAVE FOUGHT AGAINST THEM AT THE SAME TIME THEY WERE BATTLING GOVERNMENT FORCES. THE KARENS WANT A SEPARATE STATE OF KARENISTAN INSIDE BURMA.

AN EMBASSY STATEMENT SAID AMERICAN DIPLOMATS WERE TOLD IN ADVANCE THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT INTENDED TO ARREST SEAGRAVE AND BRING HIM TO RANGOON FOR TRIAL. STRICTEST SECRECY SURROUNDED HIS ARRIVAL HERE FRIDAY.

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THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED SEAGRAVE'S ARREST TODAY, SAYING "THERE IS SUBSTANTIAL EVIDENCE OF HIS CLOSE COLLABORATION WITH KAREN INSURGENTS."

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER, DAILY GAZETTE, TOLD ITS READERS ONE OF SEAGRAVE'S CLOSEST ASSOCIATES IS A KAREN DOCTOR, BA SAW, WHO IS CLOSELY LINKED WITH THE REBEL OCCUPATION OF NAMKHAM. THE PAPER ALLEGED BA SAW WAS MAINLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE TOWN FALLING INTO REBEL HANDS. IT DID NOT MAKE CLEAR WHETHER BA SAW WAS ARRESTED, IMPRISONED OR BROUGHT TO TRIAL.

BURMESE JUDICIAL SECRETARY SAN NYUN REFUSED PERMISSION TODAY TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS TO SEE SEAGRAVE. PERSONS AWAITING TRIAL HERE ARE NOT PERMITTED TO SEE ANYONE BUT CLOSE RELATIVES OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES.

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EMBASSY RECORDS SHOW SEAGRAVE WAS BORN IN RANGOON. HE RECEIVED HIS M.D. DEGREE FROM JOHNS HOPKINS IN 1921 AND BEGAN HIS MISSION HOSPITAL WITH MEDICAL INSTRUMENTS DISCARDED BY A BALTIMORE HOSPITAL. SEAGRAVE HOLDS AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP.

HE HAS DEVOTED MOST OF HIS LIFE TO FIGHTING DISEASE AND SUFFERING IN THE WILDS OF BURMA. DURING THE JAPANESE WAR HE PERFORMED MANY DELICATE OPERATIONS WITH INADEQUATE EQUIPMENT, AS SHELLS FELL AROUND HIS FRONTLINE HOSPITALS.

HE WAS DECORATED BY KING GEORGE VI AND RECEIVED THE U.S. ORDER OF THE PURPLE HEART. WHEN THE LATE GEN. JOSEPH STILWELL TOOK OVER THE AMERICAN COMMAND IN BURMA, SEAGRAVE WAS TRANSFERRED TO THE AMERICAN ARMY.

AFTER THE WAR HE RETURNED TO BURMA AND RESUMED HIS MEDICAL WORK.

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RANGOON, BURMA, AUG. 21-(AP)-DR. GORDON S.SEAGRAVE, FAMED AMERICAN DOCTOR WHO HAS SPENT A LIFETIME CARING FOR BURMESE SICK, IS BEING HELD ON SUSPICION OF AIDING THE KAREN REBELS, THE BURMA GOVERNMENT HAS DISCLOSED.

OFFICIALS SAID NO CHARGES HAVE BEEN PLACED AGAINST SEAGRAVE, WHOSE BOOK "BURMA SURGEON" MADE HIM KNOWN TO MILLIONS. THEY SAID HE WILL APPEAR SHORTLY BEFORE A BURMESE COURT. HE IS BEING HELD IN AN UNDISCLOSED JAIL IN RANGOON.

A BURMESE GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID SEAGRAVE IS SUSPECTED OF AIDING THE KAREN TRIBESMEN, WHO HAE BEEN FIGHTING FOR TWO YEARS TO SET UP AN INDEPENDENT STATE.

U.S. EMBASSY OFFICIALS SAID THE 53-YEAR-OLD SURGEON'S ARREST WAS A "SERIOUS MATTER." AN EMBASSY SPOKESMAN SAID AMERICAN OFFICIALS HAD BEEN PERMITTED TO VISIT THE DOCTOR IN JAIL AND FOUND HIM "IN GOOD HEALTH AND RECEIVING GOOD TREATMENT."

SEAGRAVE WILL BE DEFENDED BY FORMER BURMESE SUPREME COURT JUDGE KYAW MYINT. HE IS A BROTHER OF FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER TIN TUT, WHO WAS SLAIN IN 1948.

KYAW MYINT, WHO WAS ENGAGED AT SEAGRAVE'S REQUEST, IS EXPECTED TO MEET THE AMERICAN DOCTOR TODAY.

SEAGRAVE WAS ARRESTED FRIDAY AT HIS MISSION HOSPITAL AT NAMKHAM, NEAR THE CHINA-BURMA BORDER. HE WAS FLOWN TO RANGOON THE NEXT DAY.

THE DOCTOR ACCOMPANIED THE LATE GEN. JOSEPH STILWELL ON HIS FAMOUS 1942 JUNGLE RETREAT THROUGH BURMA TO INDIA. HE SERVED AS A LIEUTENANT COLONEL IN THE MEDICAL CORPS OF THE U.S. ARMY DURING THE WAR. HIS BEST-SELLING BOOK TOLD OF THE HEROIC TREK.

THE BURMESE SPOKESMAN SAID THE GOVERNMENT SUSPECTED SEAGRAVE OF AIDING KACHIN REBEL CHIEF NAW SENG TO FLEE ACROSS THE CHINESE BORDER, AFTER AN ALLEGED ATTEMPT BY NAW SENG TO OVERTHROW THE KACHIN STATE GOVERNMENT.

NAW SENG'S KACHIN REBELS AND THE KARENS SEIZED THE CENTRAL BURMA CITY OF TOUNGOO LAST YEAR. LATER THEY WERE OVERWHELMED BY GOVERNMENT FORCES. NAW SENG REPORTEDLY IS NOW WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

BURMA HAS BEEN IN THE THROES OF CIVIL WAR SINCE IT WON ITS INDEPENDENCE FROM THE BRITISH IN JANUARY, 1948. MUCH OF THE FIGHTING HAS BEEN BETWEEN GOVERNMENT FORCES AND REBEL TRIBESMEN.

THE KARENS ARE THE LARGEST GROUP REBELLING AGAINST BURMA'S NATIONAL GOVERNMENT. ALSO IN THE MANY-SIDED REBELLION ARE TROTSKYITE "RED FLAG" COMMUNISTS AND STALINIST "WHITE FLAG" COMMUNISTS. THE KARENS SOMETIMES HAVE COOPERATED WITH THE COMMUNIST GROUPS WHEN IT HAS BEEN TO THEIR ADVANTAGE. BUT MORE OFTEN THEY HAVE FOUGHT AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS AT THE SAME TIME THEY WERE ENGAGED IN BATTLING GOVERNMENT FORCES.

SEAGRAVE WAS BORN IN ~~THARRAWADDY~~, SOUTH BURMA, OF A LONG LINE OF MISSIONARIES. HE SPOKE KAREN BEFORE HE LEARNED TO SPEAK ENGLISH. HE RECEIVED HIS M.D. DEGREE FROM JOHNS HOPKINS IN 1921 AND STARTED HIS MISSION HOSPITAL WITH A WASTEBASKETFUL OF MEDICAL INSTRUMENTS DISCARDED BY A BALTIMORE HOSPITAL. RANGOON

FOR MOST OF HIS LIFE HE HAS CONDUCTED A CAMPAIGN AGAINST DISEASE AND HUMAN SUFFERING IN THE WILDS OF BURMA.

WHEN WAR CAME TO BURMA, HE WAS THROWN INTO THE THICK OF IT. HE PERFORMED DELICATE SURGICAL OPERATIONS WITH SCANTY EQUIPMENT AS BOMBS AND SHELLS FELL AROUND HIS FRONTLINE HOSPITALS. HIS MEDICAL MISSIONS OPERATED WITH THE CHINESE ARMY AND WITH BRITISH LIAISON FORCES.

IN RECOGNITION OF HIS SERVICES, THE BRITISH ARMY OFFERED HIM A LIEUTENANT COLONEL'S COMMISSION. HE REFUSED, FEARING IT MIGHT LOSE HIM HI SAMERICAN CITIZENSHIP. HE WAS DECORATED BY KING GEORGE VI AND RECEIVED THE U.S. ORDER OF THE PURPLE HEART (WOUND MEDAL).

WHEN STILWELL TOOK OVER THE AMERICAN COMMAND IN BURMA, SEAGRAVE WAS TRANSFERRED TO THE AMERICAN ARMY. AFTER THE WAR HE RETURNED TO BURMA AND RESUMED HIS MEDICAL WORK, TELLING OF VICTORY OVER THE JAPANESE IN "BURMA SURGEON RETURNS." LIKE HIS PREVIOUS BOOK, IT ALSO WAS A BEST-SELLER.

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FOLLOW RANGOON

PARKERSBURG, W.VA., AUG 21-(AP)-MRS.GORDON S.SEAGRAVE, PRETTY WIFE OF THE FAMED "BURMA SURGEON" WHO IS UNDER ARREST IN RANGOON, BURMA, VOICED STOUT CONFIDENCE IN HIS INNOCENCE TODAY.

"I KNOW THAT HE'S HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH

BURMA, VOICED STOUT CONFIDENCE IN HIS INNOCENCE TODAY.

"I KNOW THAT HE'S HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THE ANTI-GOVERNMENT FORCES," SAID MRS.SEAGRAVE, WHO HAS BEEN LIVING THE LIFE OF AN AMERICAN HOUSEWIFE THE LAST FEW MONTHS IN THIS WEST VIRGINIA CITY OF 30,000.

SHE WAS COOKING LUNCH YESTERDAY FOR HERSELF AND HER TWO TEEN-AGE SONS WHEN THE NEWS OF DR.SEAGRAVE'S DETENTION AS A POLITICAL PRISONER CAME OVER THE RADIO.

MRS.SEAGRAVE EVEN TODAY WAS STILL VISIBLY UPSET AT TH NEWS ABOUT HER HUSBAND.

SHE LIVED FOR MANY YEARS IN BURMA. MRS.SEAGRAVE SAID SHE KNEW WHAT THE JAIL AT RANGOON WAS LIKE, BUT SHE ALSO EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT THE AMERICAN EMBASSY OFFICIALS THERE WOULD DO ALL POSSIBLE TO PROTECT THE MEDICAL MISSIONARY'S INTERESTS.

SHE NOTED THAT SEAGRAVE'S HOSPITAL IN NAMHKAHM IS 500 MILES NORTH OF RANGOON, AND WAS CONCERNED AT THE APPARENT GRAVITY OF THE INCIDENT THAT WOULD PROMPT OFFICIALS TO TRANSPORT HER HUSBAND SUCH A DISTANCE.

MRS.SEAGRAVE DECLINED TO DISCUSS THE SITUATION BEYOND SAYING THAT HER HUSBAND HAD INDICATED IN HIS MOST RECENT LETTERS THAT THE CIVIL STRIFE BETWEEN THE KARENS (HILL TRIBES) AND THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT WAS SUBSIDING.

MRS.SEAGRAVE, WHO IS EXTREMELY YOUTHFUL IN APPEARANCE, HAS ANOTHER SON, WESTON SEAGRAVE, AT THE NAVAL TRAINING STATION IN PENSACOLA, FLA., AND A DAUGHTER, MRS.RICHARD BUTTERMORE, WIFE OF A JEWELRY STORE OWNER, LIVING IN PARKERSBURG.

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SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG.21-(AP)-THE AMERICAN FREIGHTER STEEL VENDOR ARRIVED LAST NIGHT WITH THE SECOND SHIPMENT OF COMBAT EQUIPMENT TO BE DELIVERED IN INDOCHINA UNDER THE UNITED STATES MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

AMERICAN OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID THAT FROM NOW ON REGULAR DELIVERIES OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT WILL BE MADE TO FRENCH AND INDOCHINESE GOVERNMENT FORCES FIGHTING THE COMMUNIST LED VIETMINH.

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A59 (250)
BY MARC PURDUE

NEW DELHI, AUG.21-(AP)-INDIA'S PRIME MINISTER NEHRU CONSIDERED TODAY WHETHER A TRIP TO PEIPING OR TO LAKE SUCCESS WOULD BEST SERVE THE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE.

OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID THE INDIAN LEADER HAS BEEN INVITED BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TO VISIT THEIR CAPITAL BUT HAS NOT DECIDED WHETHER TO GO THERE OR TO LEAD HIS COUNTRY'S DELEGATION AT THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY NEXT MONTH.

HE WILL TAKE THE COURSE, THESE SOURCES SAID, THAT SEEMS TO OFFER THE BEST CHANCE OF HELPING TO RESOLVE THE DETERIORATING INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

THE SOURCES DID NOT SAY THE CHINESE REDS' INVITATION WAS CONNECTED WITH THE KOREAN WAR. THEY MADE CLEAR, HOWEVER, THAT THE INDIAN LEADER VIEWED IT AS A POSSIBLE OPENING FOR WORK TOWARD A KOREAN PEACE.

CHOU EN-LAI, CHINESE COMMUNIST PREMIER, CABLED THE UNITED NATIONS YESTERDAY THAT THE "KOREAN QUESTION MUST AND CAN BE SOLVED PEACEFULLY." HE DEAMDNED THAT HIS GOVERNMENT--WHICH INDIA HAS RECOGNIZED--PARTICIPATE IN SECURITY COUNCIL DISCUSSION OF THE KOREAN QUESTION.

CHOU LAST MONTH SUGGESTED TO INDIA'S AMBASSADOR IN PEIPING THAT ASIAN NATIONS MEDIATE THE KOREAN CONFLICT.

THOUGH INDIA IS SUPPORTING UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN SUPPORT OF THE SOUTH KOREANS, NEHRU HAS PUT FORWARD TWO PEACE PLANS FOR KOREA.

IN JULY HE WROTE TO RUSSIA'S GENERALISSIMO STALIN AND U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, RECOMMENDING THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS BE ADMITTED TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL AS THE FIRST STEP IN NEGOTIATING A PEACE SETTLEMENT. STALIN ENDORSED THE PROPOSAL; ACHESON REJECTED IT.

A WEEK AGO INDIA'S SECURITY COUNCIL DELEGATE, SIR BENEGAL N.RAU, SUGGESTED THAT THE COUNCIL'S SIX SMALL-NATION MEMBERS STUDY ALL PROPOSALS FOR A KOREAN SETTLEMENT AND DRAFT A PEACE PLAN. THUS FAR ONLY YUGOSLAVIA AND FRANCE HAVE EXPRESSED SUPPORT OF THE INDIAN SUGGESTION.

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B21 HKUP (200)

NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG.21-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS MEDIATOR SIR OWEN DIXON IS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE NEW DELHI TODAY, REPORTEDLY ENROUTE TO REPORT FAILURE IN HIS EFFORTS TO END THE INDIAN-PAKISTANI CONFLICT OVER KASHMIR.

DIXON HAD WHAT WAS ASSUMED TO BE HIS FINAL TALK WITH PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU. HE WAS EXPECTED TO SPEAK WITH PAKISTAN PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN TUESDAY IN KARACHI, THEN LEAVE BY AIR FOR EUROPE WEDNESDAY UNLESS THE TWO GOVERNMENTS MADE A DRASTIC REVERSAL IN THEIR STAND SO CHANCES OF SUCH A CHANGE APPEARED REMOTE.

THOUGH DIXON'S REPORT TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL WAS AWAITED FOR A COMPLETE ACCOUNT OF HIS MISSION'S FAILURE, RELIABLE INFORMANTS SAID THE TWO GOVERNMENTS HAD BEEN UNABLE OR UNWILLING TO AGREE EVEN ON A PRELIMINARY BASIS FOR ENDING THE DISPUTE. A PREVIOUS UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION HAD FOUNDERED ON THE SAME ADAMANT ATTITUDES.

INDIA PUT THE KASHMIR CASE BEFORE THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN 1947, CHARGING THAT PAKISTAN-SUPPORTED RAIDERS HAD SWEPT INTO THE STATE. BOTH INDIA AND PAKISTAN-SUPPORTED RAIDERS HAD SWEPT INTO THE STATE. BOTH INDIA AND PAKISTAN CLAIMED KASHMIR AS PART OF THEIR TERRITORY.

HOSTILITIES BETWEEN THE INDIAN ARMY AND THE PAKISTAN-BACKED AZAD (FREE) KASHMIR TROOPS WERE HALTED BY A U.N.-SPONSORED CEASE FIRE EARLY THIS YEAR. SINCE THEN THE CEASE FIRE LINE HAS BECOME A VIRTUAL PARTITION BOUNDARY POLICED BY U.N. MILITARY OBSERVERS.

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B28 HKUP (200)

ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT, AUG.21-(AP)-ARAB LEADERS, IRKED AT WHAT THEY TERM "UNFAIR TREATMENT" BY THE WESTERN POWERS, APPARENTLY ARE RESOLVED TO REMAIN ALOOF FROM THE EAST-WEST CONFLICT.

INFORMANTS SAID THIS POLICY OF NEUTRALITY WAS AGREED ON BY THE POLITICAL COMMITTEE OF THE SEVEN-NATION ARAB LEAGUE.

THESE SOURCES SAID THEY THOUGHT THE ACTION CONSTITUTED A PRESSURE ON THE WEST TO OBTAIN WHAT THE ARAB STATES FEEL IS THEIR DUE. BUT WHETHER THE POLICY OF STUBBORN NEUTRALITY REPRESENTED A RACIAL CHANGE IN RELATIONS WITH THE WEST COULD NOT BE DETERMINED IMMEDIATELY. THE ARAB LEAGUE IN THE PAST HAS MADE IMPORTANT SOUNDING STATEMENTS THAT TURNED OUT TO BE MEANINGLESS.

ABDEL RAHMAN AZZAM PASHA, LEAGUE SECRETARY-GENERAL SAID THE COMMITTEE HAD DECIDED THAT THE ARAB STATES NO LONGER WILL BASE THEIR POLICY ON "LINES OF EAST AND WEST." INSTEAD, HE SAID, THEIR POLICY WILL HINGE ON THE NATIONAL ASPIRATIONS OF THE ARAB STATES AND INTERNATIONAL PEACE.

OBSERVERS SAID THE ARABS HOPE THIS POLICY WILL GET THEM MORE ARMAMENTS FROM THE WEST, WIN RECOGNITION OF ARAB INTEREST IN THE SOLUTION OF THE PALESTINE PROBLEM AND SATISFY EGYPT'S DEMANDS FOR A UNION OF THE ANGLO-EGYPTIAN SUDAN WITH EGYPT.

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CAIRO, EGYPT, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE ARAB NEWS AGENCY SAID TONIGHT TRIBAL FEUDING IN FORMER ITALIAN SOMALILAND, NOW UNDER UNITED NATIONS TRUSTEE SHIP, HAS RESULTED IN MORE THAN 200 DEATHS IN PITCHED BATTLES.

THE BRITISH-CONTROLLED AGENCY, IN A DISPATCH FROM THE ADEN PROTECTORATE, SAID SOME OF THE NATIVE LEADERS BLAME THE ITALIAN POLICY OF "DIVIDE AND RULE" FOR INCREASED FRICTION AMONG THE TRIBES.

ITALY HAS BEEN ADMINISTERING HER PREWAR COLONY AS TRUSTEE FOR THE U.N.

THE ARAB AGENCY SAID ITALIAN TROOPS USING TANKS AND MACHINEGUNS HAD QUELLED DISTURBANCES IN SOMALILAND.

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TEHRAN, IRAN, AUG. 21-(AP)-DR.SEYED HASSAN IMAMI, ONE OF THE MOST NOTED MOSLEM RELIGIOUS LEADERS IN IRAN AND PASTOR OF THE MOST NOTED MOSLEM RELIGIOUS LEADERS IN IRAN AND PASTOR OF THE SHAH MOSQUE IN TEHRAN, WAS STABBED TONIGHT WITH A RAZOR BLADE WHILE ENTERING HIS CAR AT THE DOOR OF THE MOSQUE.

A MAN WHOSE IDENTITY HAS NOT BEEN DISCLOSED APPROACHED AND HANDED DR.HASSAN A LETTER, THEN IMMEDIATELY ATTACKED HIM, WOUNDING HIM ON THE NECK. THE ASSAILANT WAS ARRESTED.

DR. HASSAN WAS TAKEN TO AN ARMY HOSPITAL. HIS PHYSICIAN SAID HE IS EXPECTED TO RECOVER.

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BULLETIN
THIRD NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS
WASHINGTON, AUG. 21-(AP)THE SENATE TONIGHT PASSED A HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION BILL WHICH WOULD GIVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN POLXX POWER TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS AND OTHER ANTI-INFLATION CURBS AT ANY TIME.
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BULLETIN MATTER
WASHINGTON--FIRST ADD THIRD NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS X X CURBS.
OVERRIDING ADMINISTRATION OPPOSITION, THE SENATE WROTE INTO THE EMERGENCY MEASURE A PROVISION DIRECTING MR.TRUMAN TO PUT WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS INTO EFFECT SIMULTANEOUSLY AND VIRTUALLY ACROSS THE BOARD IF HE INVOKED THEM AT ALL.
THE PRESIDENT, HOWEVER, WOULD HAVE A FREE HAND TO ORDER RATIONING OF CONSUMER GOODS WITHOUT REGARD TO WAGE AND PRICE CURBS.
MR.TRUMAN DID NOT ASK CONGRESS FOR AUTHORITY TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS AND RATIONING. BUT HE SAID HE WOULD WELCOME THE STANDBY AUTHORITY SO LONG AS THERE WERE NO RESTRICTIONS ON USE OF IT.

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THE SENATE DIRECTIVE TYING WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS TOGETHER AND STRIPPING THE BILL OF AUTHORITY TO IMPOSE THE CURBS ON A SELECTIVE BASIS IS CLEARLY NOT THE SORT OF PROVISION THE PRESIDENT HOPED TO GET.
MR.TRUMAN HAS SAID HE SEES NO NEED FOR WAGE-PRICE CURBS OR RATIONING AT THIS TIME.
THE SENATE SWAMPED, 75 TO 6, A PROPOSAL BY SENATOR CAPEHART (R-IND) TO YANK OUT OF THE BILL ALL AUTHORITY FOR WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS.

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THE BILL NOW GOES TO A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE FOR IRONING OUT OF DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE SENATE MEASURE AND THE BILL PASSED EARLIER BY THE HOUSE.
THE HOUSE BILL WOULD GIVE MR.TRUMAN ALMOST FULL DISCRETION TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS AND RATIONING AT ANY TIME. HE COULD IMPOSE THEM ACROSS THE BOARD OR ON A SELECTIVE BASIS.

LIKE THE HOUSE MEASURE, THE SENATE BILL ALSO WOULD AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT TO CONTROL CONSUMER CREDIT AS IT WAS DURING WORLD WAR II, AND TO REGULATE REAL ESTATE CREDIT ON NEW CONSTRUCTION AND MAJOR REMODELING.
NEITHER BILL, HOWEVER, CONTAINS THE AUTHORITY WHICH MR.TRUMAN SOUGHT TO CONTROL COMMODITY SPECULATION.
AS CLOSE AS THE SENATE CAME TO MEETING THAT REQUEST WAS TO APPROVE AN AMENDMENT CALLING FOR VOLUNTARY POLICING OF SPECULATIVE TRADING, BY THE COMMODITY EXCHANGES.
THE SENATE BILL, LIKE THE HOUSE MEASURE, ALSO AUTHORIZES ALLOCATION OF SCARCE INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS AND ASSIGNMENT OF PRIORITIES TO PUT DEFENSE PRODUCTION JOBS AHEAD OF EVERYTHING ELSE.
BOTH BILLS ALSO CONTAIN AN ANTI-HOARDING PROVISION PROHIBITING ACCUMULATION OF EXCESSIVE SUPPLIES OF GOODS DESIGNATED AS SCARCE BY THE PRESIDENT. VIOLATORS COULD BE FINED $10,000 AND BE JAILED FOR A YEAR.

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ANOTHER PROVISION IN BOTH BILLS WOULD SET UP A $2,000,000,000 FEDERAL LOAN AND LOAN GUARANTEE PROGRAM TO SPUR DEFENSE PRODUCTION. THE GOVERNMENT ALSO WOULD BE AUTHORIZED TO TAKE OVER PRIVATELY OWNED PLANTS AND OTHER FACILITIES IF NECESSARY.
THE SENATE KNOCKED DOWN THE MOVE OF SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) TO STRIKE THE LABOR-MANAGEMENT SECTION FROM THE BILL, 57 TO 29.
THE AMENDMENT WAS DESIGNED TO JUNK THE SECTION AUTHORIZING CREATION OF SPECIAL MACHINERY TO DEAL WITH SETTLEMENT OF LABOR DISPUTES AFFECTING NATIONAL DEFENSE.
TAFT SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHAT THE SECTION MEANT, NOR WHY IT WAS IN THE BILL.
"I HAVE NEVER SEEN SUCH A WIDE OPEN GRANT OF AUTHORITY," HE TOLD THE SENATE.
TAFT IS CO-AUTHOR OF THE PRESENT TAFT-HARTLEY LABOR ACT WHICH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND ORGANIZED LABOR HAVE UNSUCCESSFULLY TRIED TO GET CONGRESS TO KILL.
THE REQUIREMENT THAT THE PRESIDENT MUST INVOKE WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS SIMULTANEOUSLY AND VIRTUALLY ACROSS THE BOARD IF HE IMPOSES THEM AT ALL WAS EMBODIED IN AN AMENDMENT INTRODUCED BY REPUBLICAN SENATORS BRICKER (OHIO) AND WHERRY (NEB).
THAT AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED 50 TO 35.

IT WAS A MAJOR SETBACK FOR ADMINISTRATION FORCES BATTLING TO GIVE MR.TRUMAN A FREE HAND TO IMPOSE WAGE-PRICE-RATION CURBS ANY TIME HE DEEMS THEM NECESSARY.
THE VOTE CAME AS THE SENATE WADED THROUGH A STACK OF AMENDMENTS IN A DRIVE TO REACH A FINAL VOTE TONIGHT ON THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS MEASURE.

THE SENATE SHOWED ITS DETERMINATION TO GRANT EMERGENCY POWERS WHEN IT OVERWHELMINGLY BATTED DOWN AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR CAPEHART (R-IND) TO STRIP THE BILL OF ALL AUTHORITY FOR WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.
THE VOTE AGAINST EHC CAPEHART AMENDMENT WAS 75 TO 6.
CAPEHART SAID THE BILL IS "A HODGE PODGE--A MONSTROSITY THAT NOBODY COULD ADMINISTER," AND THAT THE PRESIDENT MIGHT BE FORCED TO VETO IT.
THE SENATE NEXT VOTED DOWN, 74 TO 11, AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR WILLIAMS (R-DEL) TO REQUIRE THE PRESIDENT TO USE THE SAME 30-DAY BASE PERIOD FOR WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS. THE PERIOD WOULD HAVE BEEN PRIOR TO JUNE 25, WHEN THE KOREAN WAR BROKEOUT.
SENATOR DOUGLAS (D-ILL), OPPOSING THE WILLIAMS AMENDMENT, SAID THAT SINCE WAGES LAG BEHIND PRICES, THE SAME PERIOD FOR THE CONTROL OF BOTH WOULD GIVE WAGES NO CHANCE TO CATCH UP WITH PRICES.
THE RESULT, DOUGLAS SAID, WOULD BE TO LOWER THE STANDARD OF LIVING FOR THE WORKING MAN.

THE BRICKER-WHERRY AMENDMENT STRIPPED THE BILL OF ALL AUTHORITY FOR THE PRESIDENT TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS ON A SELECTIVE BASIS.

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IT ALSO SCUTTLED A SECTION WHICH WOULD HAVE PERMITTED FIXING OF PRICE CONTROLS WITHOUT WAGE CEILINGS SO LONG AS A SUBSTANTIAL PART OF THE ECONOMY WAS NOT UNDER PRICE CONTROL.
ADMINISTRATION LEADERS PLEADED IN VAIN FOR RETENTION OF THE PROVISION WHICH WOULD LET THE PRESIDENT FIX CONTROLS ON SELECTED COMMODITIES--MEAT, FOR EXAMPLE--IN ADVANCE OF ANY GENERAL CONTROLS PROGRAM.

MR.TRUMAN DID NOT ASK CONGRESS FOR WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING POWER, BUT URGED THAT HE BE GIVEN A FREE HAND IF THIS AUTHORITY WAS VOTED.

THE BRICKER-WHERRY AMENDMENT WOULD HAVE NO EFFECT ON A SECTION OF THE BILL WHICH SPECIFICALLY EXEMPTS NEWSPAPER SUBSCRIPTION AND ADVERTISING RATES FROM PRICE CONTROL, AS THEY WERE DURING WORLD WAR II.

THE AMENDMENT ALSO DOES NOT AFFECT ANOTHER SECTION AUTHORIZING DISCRETIONARY EXEMPTIONS BY THE PRESIDENT UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.

A SUGGESTION THAT THE SENATE TAKE AN HOUR'S RECESS IN ORDER TO EAT WAS REJECTED SHORTLY AFTER THE LAWMAKERS HAD BEEN IN SESSION MORE THAN SIX HOURS.

SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC), FLOOR MANAGER FOR THE CONTROLS BILL, SAID SOME SENATORS HAD SUGGESTED A BREAK FOR AN HOUR. HE SAID THE SENATE HAD ACTED UPON 21 AMENDMENTS UP TO THEN AND HAD 35 MORE TO CONSIDER ALTHOUGH ALL OF THEM WOULD NOT BE ACTED UPON.

BOTH DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS OF ILLINOIS AND REPUBLICAN LEADER WHERRY OF NEBRASKA OPPOSED THE RECESS. THEY SAID THE SENATE WOULD GET ITS JOB DONE QUICKER BY GRINDING AWAY WITHOUT A RECESS.

"IF WE TOOK AN HOUR OFF, WE MIGHT BE HERE PAST MIDNIGHT BEFORE WE WOULD GET THROUGH," LUCAS SAID.

EARLIER, THE SENATE SHOUTED DOWN A PROPOSAL TO ROLL BACK FARM PRICES TO PRE-KOREAN WAR LEVELS UNDER ANY PRICE CONTROL POWERS GRANTED TO THE PRESIDENT.

THE PROPOSED MEASURE WOULD AUTHORIZE MR.TRUMAN TO GEAR THE NATION'S HOME FRONT ECONOMY TO A VIRTUAL WARTIME BASIS. THE HOUSE ALREADY HAS PASSED A SIMILAR BILL.

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THE FULL LEGISLATION, IF APPROVED, WOULD GIVE MR.TRUMAN AUTHORITY TO INVOKE PRICE-WAGE-RATION CONTROLS--IF HE DEEMED THEM NECESSARY--AND POWER TO RESTRICT CREDIT AND ALLOT SCARCE MATERIALS.

WITH A STACK OF SOME 50 AMENDMENTS ON FILE, THE LAWMAKERS FACED A LONG SESSION PROBABLY RUNNING LATE INTO THE NIGHT, DESPITE A 10-MINUTE TIME LIMIT ON DEBATE ON EACH AMENDMENT. IT WAS AGREED TO REMAIN IN SESSION UNTIL ACTION ON THE BILL WAS COMPLETED.

AT THE OUTSET, A REPUBLICAN DRIVE TO TACK ON ANTI-COMMUNIST "RIDER" ONTO THE GENERAL CONTROLS BILL WAS CALLED OFF.

SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH), CO-SPONSORS, WITHDREW THE ANTI-RED AMENDMENT. THE DEMOCRATIC LEADERSHIP HAD PROMISED TO FIGHT SUCH A RIDER BUT TO CALL FOR EARLY ACTION ON SEPARATE CURB-THE-COMMUNISTS LEGISLATION.

THE SENATE BEGAN ITS LONG ORDEAL AT A SWIFT PACE, CLICKING OFF ONE AMENDMENT AFTER ANOTHER BY VOICE VOTE.

HOWEVER, THE LEGISLATORS SOON FELL INTO A SHOUTING ROW OVER AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) WHICH WOULD GIVE THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHT TO HANDLE THE ALLOCATIONS AND PRIORITIES PROGRAM AUTHORIZED UNDER THE BILL.

THE SHOWDOWN BROUGHT THE FIRST DEFEAT FOR ADMINISTRATION FORCES.

OVERRIDING PROTESTS FROM MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS (D-ILL), THE SENATE ADOPTED THE JOHNSON AMENDMENT BY A VOTE OF 47 TO 42. THE CHAMBER THEN BEAT DOWN, BY THE SAME COUNT, AN ADMINISTRATION MOVE TO REVERSE THE VOTE.

ON BOTH ROLLCALL TESTS, 38 REPUBLICANS AND NINE DEMOCRATS WERE ON THE WINNING SIDE. THE LOSERS WERE 40 DEMOCRATS AND TWO REPUBLICANS.

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LUCAS CONTENDED THAT THE JOHNSON AMENDMENT WOULD GIVE THE SECRETARY OF COMMERCE "MORE POWER THAN THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES."

SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) ARGUED THAT THE AMENDMENT WAS "THE MOST FAR-REACHING" YET CONSIDERED AND SAID MANY SENATORS WHO VOTED FOR IT APPARENTLY DID NOT REALIZE WHAT WAS INVOLVED.

LUCAS CONTENDED THAT THE PRESIDENT SHOULD HAVE DISCRETION TO ASSIGN THE ALLOCATION OF SCARCE MATERIALS AND THE FIXING OF PRIORITIES TO ANY GOVERNMENT AGENCY.

JOHNSON EXPLAINED THAT THE OBJECTIVE WAS TO HAVE THE PROGRAM HANDLED BY A SINGLE AGENCY RATHER THAN HAVING IT "SCATTERED ALL OVER THE PLACE."

THE AMENDMENT WOULD NOT AFFECT THE POSSIBLE RATIONING OF CONSUMER GOODS.

BY VOICE VOTE, THE CHAMBER ADOPTED ANOTHER AMENDMENT BY SENATOR JOHNSON GIVING MR.TRUMAN BLANKET AUTHORITY TO MAKE ANY NEEDED IMPROVEMENTS IN GOVERNMENT-OWNED WAR PLANTS.

IN OTHER ACTIONS, THE SENATE APPROVED:

1. AN AMENDMENT BY SENATORS WHERRY (R-NEB) AND SPARKMAN (D-ALA) WHICH WOULD REQUIRE THE GOVERNMENT, IN ALLOCATING SCARCE MATERIALS, TO MAKE SURE THAT THE REMAINING SUPPLY IS DISTRIBUTED FAIRLY FOR CIVILIAN NEEDS.

DISTRIBUTION WOULD BE BASED ON SHARES OF MATERIAL RECEIVED BY INDIVIDUAL COMPANIES DURING A PERIOD PRIOR TO JUNE 24,1950.

2. AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO) WHICH WOULD AUTHORIZE GOVERNMENT LOANS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF METAL RESOURCES. THIS WOULD OPERATE UNDER A SECTION OF THE BILL AUTHORIZING $2,000,000,000 IN FEDERAL LOANS AND LOAN GUARANTEES TO SPUR DEFENSE PRODUCTION.

3. AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR IVES (R-NY) AND SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC) WHICH WOULD AUTHORIZE THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE TO DETERMINE MINIMUM PRICE CEILINGS FOR MILK IN AREAS NOT COVERED BY FEDERAL MARKETING AGREEMENTS.

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IN ITS FIRST IMPORTANT DECISION, THE CHAMBER REJECTED AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR WILLIAMS (R-DEL) WHICH HE SAID WOULD HAVE MADE IT MANDATORY TO ROLL BACK ALL FARM PRICES TO LEVELS WHICH PREVAILED BEFORE THE KOREAN WAR, IF PRICE CONTROLS ARE PUT INTO EFFECT.

THE DEFEAT OF WILLIAMS' AMENDMENT STILL LEFT IN THE BILL A PROVISION SAYING THAT PRICE CEILINGS SET FOR FARM COMMODITIES SHOULD BE NO LOWER THAN:

1. THE PARITY PRICE--THAT IS, THE PRICE COMPUTED TO GIVE FARMERS THE SAME RELATIVE PURCHASING POWER THEY HAD IN A PAST FAVORABLE PERIOD.

2. OR, THE AVERAGE PRICE RECEIVED BY PRODUCERS DURING THE PERIOD OF MAY 24--JUNE 24 THIS YEAR.

WILLIAMS SAID HIS AMENDMENT WOULD HAVE STRUCK OUT THE PARITY YARDSTICK. HE SAID PARITY PRICES NOW ARE HIGHER THAN THE AVERAGE PRICES OF THE MAY 24--JUNE 24 PERIOD.

BY VOICE VOTE, THE SENATE ADOPTED AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR GILLETTE (D-IOWA) DESIGNED TO INSURE THAT COMMODITY EXCHANGES APPLY "REASONABLE" REGULATIONS FOR TRADING, AND POLICE THEMSELVES.

EARLIER, THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE HAD KNOCKED OUT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S REQUEST FOR AUTHORITY TO FIX MARGINS ON SPECULATIVE TRADING.

UNDER GILLETTE'S PROPOSAL, THE QUESTION OF WHETHER THE REGULATIONS WERE "REASONABLE" OR NOT WOULD BE LEFT UP TO THE DISTRICT COURTS TO DECIDE. THEY COULD BE CHALLENGED BY PRIVATE CITIZENS.

THE AMENDMENT CARRIES A PENALTY CLAUSE, WITH A $5,000 FINE FOR FAILURE TO APPLY "REASONABLE" RULES. THE FINE WOULD BE LEVIED AGAINST THE EXCHANGE, NOT AGAINST INDIVIDUAL TRADERS.

GILLETTE SAID PRICES ON THE COMMODITY EXCHANGES IN THE PAST FEW WEEKS HAVE BEEN RUNNING "HOG WILD."

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WASHINGTON--THIRD NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS (A87WX) INSERT AFTER SECOND GRAF, THE VOTE WAS 84 TO 3.

THOSE VOTING AGAINST WERE THREE REPUBLICANS, SENATORS ECTON OF MONTANA, MALONE OF NEVADA AND WILLIAMS OF DELAWARE.

OVERRIDING, ETC. AS BEFORE.

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A21 WX
(570) PMS BUDGET
REARMAMENT
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION WILL DRIVE ON TWO FRONTS THIS WEEK FOR A SPEED-UP OF WESTERN REARMAMENT TO MEET ANY THREAT OF SOVIET AGGRESSION IN EUROPE.
IN MID-WEEK, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WILL APPEAR BEFORE THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE TO PRESS FOR IMMEDIATE APPROVAL OF AN EMERGENCY $4,000,000,000(B) FOREIGN ARMS AID FUND TO STRENGTHEN AMERICA'S ALLIES IN EUROPE, THE MIDDLE EAST AND THE FAR EAST.
TOMORROW, ACHESON'S DEPUTY, FRESH FROM A CONFERENCE WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN, WILL MEET IN LONDON WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS TO URGE THAT THEY GREATLY EXPAND THEIR DEFENSE PROGRAMS BEYOND PROPOSALS THEY HAVE ALREADY LAID OUT. Chas. M. Shepherd
THE UNITED STATES IS TAKING AN EXTRAORDINARILY FIRM POSITION IN ITS DEALINGS WITH BRITAIN, FRANCE AND THE OTHER TREATY POWERS BECAUSE OF WHAT OFFICIALS HERE CONCEIVE TO BE THE DANGERS OF A SOVIET CONQUEST OF WESTERN EUROPE.
ACHESON IS EXPECTED TO STRESS THIS THEME IN HIS APPEARANCE BEFORE THE SENATE COMMITTEE, URGING THAT THE UNITED STATES ESPECIALLY SHOULD NOT LOSE THE MOMENTUM IN DEFENSE PREPARATIONS WHICH IT PICKED UP LAST MONTH IN MEETING THE KOREAN CRISIS.
STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS AND THE PRESIDENT HIMSELF HAVE BEEN GENERALLY RESTRAINED IN THEIR PUBLIC STATEMENTS ON THE POSITION OF THE WEST, BUT ONE OF THEIR ASSOCIATES PUT ASIDE HIS OFFICIAL CLOAK SATURDAY NIGHT TO REFLECT THEIR VIEW THAT THE U.S. AND ITS FRIENDS MUST MAKE A FAR GREATER EFFORT THAN THEY ARE NOW MAKING TO SHORE UP THEIR DEFENSES.
THE MAN WHO CALLED FOR ALL-OUT REARMAMENT IS JOHN SHERMAN COOPER, FORMER REPUBLICAN SENATOR FROM KENTUCKY AND RECENTLY AN ADVISER TO ACHESON ON ATLANTIC TREATY DEFENSE NEGOTIATIONS. HE SPOKE IN NEW YORK.
COOPER BARRED NO HOLDS IN HIS ORATORICAL ATTACK ON THE SOVIET UNION.
HE BRANDED THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS AS TOOLS OF MOSCOW AND SAID FLATLY THAT RUSSIA DIRECTED "THE BARE FACED AGGRESSION" AGAINST SOUTH KOREA.
THAT MEANS, COOPER ASSERTED, THAT THERE IS A GRAVE THREAT OF SOVIET AGGRESSION ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD. HE SAID WESTERN EUROPE, VITAL TO THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES, IS IN "MORTAL DANGER."
THE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES AND THE UNITED STATES TOGETHER, COOPER SAID, HAVE LITTLE MORE THAN 12 DIVISIONS SCATTERED AMONG SEVERAL NATIONAL ARMIES TO STAND AGAINST A RUSSIAN FORCE OF 80 DIVISIONS WHICH MIGHT BE READILY AVAILABLE FOR AN ATTACK IN EUROPE. HE PLACED RUSSIA'S PROBABLE OVERALL STRENGTH AT 175 DIVISIONS.

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THE SOVIET UNION "COULD OVERRUN EUROPE AT ANY TIME" UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS, COOPER SAID.
HE LAID DOWN THREE ESSENTIAL CONDITIONS FOR EUROPE'S DEFENSE. THEY ACCORD CLOSELY WITH THE MOST ADVANCED TOP LEVEL THINKING IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT. IN FACT, COOPER'S SPEECH WAS MADE AVAILABLE BY THE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON AND IS UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE BEEN PREPARED IN PART BY DEPARTMENTAL OFFICIALS EVEN THOUGH COOPER HIMSELF IS NOT A REGULAR STAFF OFFICER.
THE THREE ESSENTIALS HE LISTED:
1. URGENT AGREEMENT OF THE 12 ATLANTIC NATIONS ON A DETAILED DEFENSE PLAN FOR WESTERN EUROPE UNDER WHICH EACH COUNTRY WOULD KNOW WHAT TASKS IT WOULD HAVE TO PERFORM AND WHAT ARMS IT WOULD HAVE TO PRODUCE.
2. ORGANIZATION OF A UNIFIED MILITARY COMMAND TO CARRY OUT THE STRATEGIC PLAN WITH SOME WAY TO BE FOUND OF MAKING USE OF GERMAN MANPOWER AND RESOURCES.
3. FULL PARTICIPATION BY THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN IN EUROPEAN DEFENSE PREPARATIONS--BOTH TO DISCOURAGE OR REPEL RUSSIAN ATTACK AND TO KEEP THE WESTERN EUROPEANS THEMSELVES FROM SUFFERING A DISASTROUS LOSS OF CONFIDENCE IN THEIR SECURITY.
TO ACCOMPLISH THIS, COOPER DECLARED THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN MUST COMMIT MEN AND EQUIPMENT TO WESTERN EUROPE--BY WHICH HE MEANT THAT THE TWO NON-CONTINENTAL POWERS SHOULD GREATLY REENFORCE THE FEW HUNDRED THOUSAND MEN THEY NOW HAVE IN OCCUPIED GERMANY.
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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE (140)
WASHINGTON, AUG.21-(AP)-A DOZEN AIR FORCE OFFICERS HAVE WON BRITISH DECORATIONS FOR "VALUABLE SERVICES PERFORMED IN CONNECTION WITH THE BERLIN AIR LIFT," THE BRITISH INFORMATION SERVICE SAID TODAY.
THE AWARDS COME ON THE HEELS OF SEVEN AIRLIFT DECORATIONS GIVEN BRITISH R.A.F. OFFICERS BY THIS COUNTRY.
THOSE HONORED TODAY AND THE AWARDS THEY WON INCLUDE:
LT. COL. MALCOLM K. MARTIN, OF GRAHAM, TEX.; COL. GLEEN R. BIRCHAR OF BAY CITY, MICH.; LT. COL. WILLIAM LACEY, PHILPOT, KY.; COL. THOMAS K. HAMPTON, LOS ANGELES, CAL.; ALL TO BE HONORARY OFFICERS OF THE MILITARY DIVISION OF THE MOST EXCELLENT ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.
MAJOR JOHN L. GREGORY, JR.; BRYAN, TEX.; AND MAJOR CLARENCE S. PARKER, HOUSTON, TEX., TO BE HONORARY MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY DIVISION OF THE MOST EXCELLENT ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.
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AMS BUDGET (450) NIGHT LEAD TIMETABLE-COMMUNISTS
WASHINGTON,AUG.21-(AP)-SENATE ADMINISTRATION LEADERS TODAY SET UP A STIFF WORK SCHEDULE FOR MAJOR LEGISLATION AND PLEDGED ACTION THIS WEEK OR NEXT ON CURB-THE-COMMUNIST MEASURES.
MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS (D-ILL) TOLD NEWSMEN HE STILL HOPED CONGRESS COULD RECESS ON A STANDBY BASIS--FOR THREE DAYS AT A TIME--"PRETTY CLOSE" TO LABOR DAY, MONDAY, SEPT.4.
LUCAS SAID A CAUCUS OF DEMOCRATIC SENATORS AGREED TO EARLY ACTION ON VARIOUS COMMUNIST-CONTROL BILLS.
BUT HE SAID IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY AGREED THAT ANTI-RED LEGISLATION HAD NO PLACE IN THE PENDING ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL, WHICH REACHED THE VOTING STATE IN THE SENATE TODAY. REPUBLICAN THREATS TO TACK IT ON AS A "RIDER" FINALLY WERE ABANDONED AFTER A CONFERENCE WITH ADMINISTRATION LEADERS. DEMOCRATS HAD AGREED TO BATTLE SUCH A "RIDER" MOVE.
ON THE OTHER SIDE OF CAPITOL HILL, THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE CALLED FOR HOUSE ACTION--POSSIBLY THURSDAY--ON STRINGENT ANTI-COMMUNIST LEGISLATION.
THE PROPOSED HOUSE MEASURE WOULD WRAP UP IN A SINGLE PACKAGE THE MAJOR PROVISIONS OF THE CONTROVERSIAL MUNDT-NIXON-FERGUSON BILL AND A MEASURE BY CHAIRMAN WOOD (D-GA) MAKING IT UNLAWFUL FOR COMMUNISTS OR MEMBERS OF RED "FRONT" ORGANIZATIONS TO HOLD GOVERNMENT JOBS OR WORK ON DEFENSE PROJECTS.
UNDER A SENATE TIME-TABLE WORKED OUT BY ADMINISTRATION CHIEFS, THE ANTI-COMMUNIST MEASURES WOULD BE TAKEN UP AS NO.5 PRIORITY.
LUCAS OUTLINED THE SENATE PROGRAM AS FOLLOWS:
1. PASS THE HOME-FRONT ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL TODAY, AT A SESSION PROBABLY EXTENDING LATE INTO THE NIGHT.

2. ON TUESDAY, TAKE UP A $500,000,000 FEDERAL HIGHWAY AID BILL COVERING AUTHORIZATIONS FOR TWO YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1953.

3. NEXT, TAKE UP A BILL GRANTING MONTHLY FAMILY SUPPORT PAYMENTS TO ENLISTED MEN IN THE ARMED SERVICES.

4. THEN TAKE UP A $5,000,000,000 "FIRST INSTALLMENT" TAX BILL TO HELP FIGHT INFLATION AND PAY FOR THE KOREAN WAR. IT WAS INDICATED THIS MAY BE READY FOR SENATE ACTION THURSDAY.

5. ONCE THE TAX BILL IS CLEARED AWAY, BEGIN DEBATE ON THE VARIOUS ANTI-RED "INTERNAL SECURITY" BILLS.

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LUCAS SAID HE HOPED THE TAX BILL COULD BE PASSED BEFORE THE END OF THE WEEK.

ADMINISTRATION LEADERS MADE IT CLEAR THEY WILL PRESS FOR A WHITE HOUSE VERSION OF THE ANTI-COMMUNIST LEGISLATION RATHER THAN ACCEPT A MEASURE SPONSORED BY SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH). ONE OF ITS MAIN FEATURES IS A REQUIREMENT FOR COMMUNIST REGISTRATION.

ALSO PENDING IS A MEASURE BY SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NM), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, WHICH EMBRACES THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL. OTHERWISE IT STRONGLY RESEMBLES THE ADMINISTRATION BILL, DEALING IN GENERAL WITH SUBVERSIVES, ALIENS, NATURALIZATION AND RELATED SUBJECTS.

FERGUSON, WHO ANNOUNCED TO THE SENATE ABANDONMENT OF THE ATTEMPT TO TACK ON THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL TO THE CONTROLS LEGISLATION, SAID THAT MCCARRAN HAD AGREED TO ALTER HIS BILL IN SOME WAYS TO MEET REQUESTS OF MUNDT AND FERGUSON.

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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE (300)

WASHINGTON, AUG.21-(AP)-DELEGATE FARRINGTON OF HAWAII ANNOUNCED TODAY HE WILL SEEK REELECTION.

FARRINGTON, A REPUBLICAN, NOW IS SERVING HIS FOURTH TWO-YEAR TERM.

HE SAID IN A STATEMENT HE WAS MAKING THE ANNOUNCEMENT AT THIS TIME "SO THAT EVERYONE MAY KNOW THAT THE FIGHT TO WIN STATEHOOD FOR HAWAII WILL BE CARRIED TO THE NEXT CONGRESS IF IT IS NECESSARY TO DO SO."

HE SAID HE IS HOPEFUL THE HAWAIIAN STATEHOOD ISSUE WILL NOT GO OVER TO THE NEXT CONGRESS, ADDING:

"I BELIEVE THAT IF THOSE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE WHO ARE NOW RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DELAY IN BRINGING THIS MEASURE TO A VOTE WERE AWARE OF ITS IMPORTANCE IN THE FIGHT WE ARE CARRYING ON AGAINST COMMUNISM IN KOREA THEY WOULD CERTAINLY ACT PROMPTLY TO FULFILL THE PROMISE LONG MADE TO US OF HAWAII.

"THE SACRIFICES BEING MADE IN KOREA MAKE FURTHER POSTPONEMENT OF ACTION ON THIS LEGISLATION NOT ONLY UNFAIR AND UNJUST BUT TRAGIC."

HE SAID HE WILL ASK THAT HIS NOMINATING PAPERS BE CIRCULATED IMMEDIATELY, AND THAT HE WILL RETURN TO HAWAII TO CAMPAIGN AS SOON AS HIS CONGRESSIONAL DUTIES PERMIT.

FARRINGTON AT THE SAME TIME URGED THAT THE HAWAIIAN LEGISLATURE BE CALLED INTO SPECIAL SESSION "TO APPROVE THE MAGNIFICENT CONSTITUTION DRAFTED BY THE STATE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION." HE ADDED:

"I AM STRONGLY IN FAVOR OF THE PLAN WHICH WILL BE PRESENTED TO MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE TO APPROVE THE CONSTITUTION SO THAT IT CAN BE SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS IN THE GENERAL ELECTION ON NOV.7 OF THIS YEAR.

"WE SHOULD PROCEED ALONG THESE LINES SO THAT OUR DETERMINATION TO WIN IMMEDIATE STATEHOOD FOR HAWAII IS MADE COMPLETELY CLEAR TO ALL CONCERNED.

"THE SPECIAL SESSION WILL BE UNNECESSARY IF THE SENATE ACTS, BUT THIS SHOULD NOT PREVENT US FROM PROCEEDING UNDER THIS PLAN.

"THE TIME FOR VICTORY CERTAINLY CANNOT BE FAR OFF IF THE FIGHT IS CONTINUED ALONG PRESENT LINES.

"SO FAR AS I AM CONCERNED, IT MOST CERTAINLY WILL BE."

THE HOUSE APPROVED THE HAWAIIAN STATEHOOD BILL MARCH 7,1950.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 21-(AP)-ARGENTINA TODAY DEPOSITED HER RATIFICATION OF THE RIO MUTUAL DEFENSE TREATY, THE 17TH AMERICAN REPUBLIC TO DO SO. THE PACT BECAME EFFECTIVE IN 1948.

SECRETARY-GENERAL ALBERTO LLERAS OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES SAID THAT THE STEP WAS TAKEN BY ARGENTINA "PRECISELY BECAUSE OF EVENTS IN KOREA WHICH SERIOUSLY THREATEN THE PEACE OF THE WORLD."

THE SIGNING MADE ARGENTINA AN ACTIVE PARTICIPANT IN THE HEMISPHERE DEFENSE TREATY WHICH IS DESIGNED TO PROTECT 21 AMERICAN COUNTRIES FROM AGGRESSION.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 21-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT HAD BEEN SUED IN THE U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS HERE FOR $10,000,000 DAMAGES FOR THE ALLEGED USE OF AN ATOM BOMB PROCESS WITHOUT PAYING FOR IT.

LAWRENCE BERNARD, AN ATTORNEY, SAID TONIGHT HE HAD FILED THE SUIT FOR G.M.GIANNINI AND COMPANY, INC., OF PASADENA, CALIF., HOLDER OF THE PATENT RIGHTS.

BERNARD SAID THE PROCESS IS THE INVENTION OF DR.ENRICO FERMI, PHYSICIST WHO HOLDS A NOBEL PRIZE.

THE COMPANY ALSO HAS FILED A CLAIM WITH THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION FOR USING THE PROCESS.

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AUSTRIA

WASHINGTON, AUG.21-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES IS REPORTED PLANNING TO TRANSFER THE OCCUPATION OF AUSTRIA FROM MILITARY TO CIVILIAN DIRECTION IN OCTOBER.

INFORMED DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS WHO REPORTED THIS OVER THE WEEKEND ALSO SAID WALTER J.DONNELLY PROBABLY WILL BE NAMED U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR THE AMERICAN ZONE OF AUSTRIA. DONNELLY IS NOW AMBASSADOR TO VENEZUELA.

THE MOVE, DESIGNED TO GIVE AUSTRIA'S GOVERNMENT AS MUCH FREEDOM OF OPERATION AS POSSIBLE PENDING A FINAL PEACE TREATY, WAS AGREED UPON BY THE U.S., BRITAIN AND FRANCE LAST MAY, BUT NO TIMETABLE WAS THEN SET UP.

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(ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE, EXPECTED MOMENTARILY)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.21-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY FORMALLY NOMINATED LT.GEN.WALTER BEDELL SMITH AS DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE.

THE NOMINATION WENT TO THE SENATE JUST A FEW DAYS AFTER SMITH'S SELECTION TO SUCCEED REAR ADM.ROSCOE H.HILLENKOETTER WAS ANNOUNCED.

HILLENKOETTER IS BEING ASSIGNED TO COMMAND OF A CRUISER DIVISION.

THE PRESIDENT ALSO NOMINATED REAR ADM.JERAULD WRIGHT FOR PROMOTION TO THE RANK OF VICE ADMIRAL AS COMMANDER OF THE AMPHIBIOUS FORCE OF THE ATLANTIC FLEET.

(END ADVANCE TO BE HELD FOR RELEASE, EXPECTED MOMENTARILY)

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, MONDAY, AUG.21)
BRANNAN
(ADVANCE) (WX) CARLISLE, IND., AUG.21-(AP)-SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE BRANNAN SAID TODAY THAT FARMERS ARE IN "FINE SHAPE" TO PROVIDE PLENTY OF FOOD FOR SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS.

"EVEN ALLOWING FOR INCREASES IN MILITARY FOOD REQUIREMENTS," HE SAID, "WE EXPECT TO HAVE ENOUGH FOOD SO THAT CIVILIANS CAN CONTINUE CONSUMING AS MUCH AS IN THE LAST TWO YEARS."

IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR THE SULLIVAN COUNTY FAIR, BRANNAN ALSO:

SAID THERE ARE GROUNDS FOR HOPE THAT ECONOMIC CONTROLS FOR AGRICULTURE CAN BE POSTPONED FOR A CONSIDERABLE TIME OR PERHAPS AVOIDED ENTIRELY--"UNLESS THE EMERGENCY BECOMES MUCH WORSE."

PUT IN ANOTHER PLUG FOR THE BRANNAN FARM PROGRAM, ALTHOUGH HE SAID HE DIDN'T WANT TO "USE THE PRESENT SITUATION OR WAVE THE FLAG" AS AN ARGUMENT FOR HIS POSITION.

THE SECRETARY SAID FARMERS ARE READY TO ASSURE THE NATION THEY WILL PRODUCE ENOUGH FOOD AND FIBER, WHATEVER THE DEMANDS MAY BE.

"RIGHT NOW WE ARE IN VERY FINE SHAPE," HE SAID. "OUR FOOD PRODUCTION RESOURCES ARE FAR AND AWAY THE GREATEST IN THE WORLD. AMERICAN FARMERS HAVE THE KNOW-HOW THAT IT TAKES. AND THEY HAVE BEEN PLOWING BACK INTO THEIR BUSINESS THE GAINS OF RELATIVE PROSPERITY, MAKING FARMING MORE EFFICIENT THAN EVER BEFORE.

"ANOTHER YEAR OF VERY LARGE FARM OUTPUT IS IN PROSPECT."

THERE ARE BIG RESERVES OF WHEAT AND OTHER GRAINS, BRANNAN SAID, AND WE HAVE LOTS OF COTTON AND OTHER FIBERS.

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BIG AS PRODUCTION NOW IS, HE SAID, "WE CAN BOOST IT A GOOD DEAL HIGHER IF WE SHOULD HAVE TO."

FARMERS THEMSELVES, THE SECRETARY SAID, CAN HELP PUT OFF CONTROLS FOR AGRICULTURE "BY SIMPLY FOLLOWING THEIR NATURAL DESIRES TO PRODUCE EFFICIENTLY AND ABUNDANTLY."

HE URGED THEM TO MAINTAIN PRODUCTION AND KEEP "TOOLED UP FOR ABUNDANCE" BY MAKING SURE MACHINERY AND BUILDINGS ARE IN CONDITION, GETTING RID OF FIRE HAZARDS AND ACCIDENT TRAPS, IMPROVING LAND AND LIVESTOCK, CONTROLLING INSECTS AND DISEASES, AND SEEING THERE IS AMPLE STORAGE.

FOR ITS PART, BRANNAN SAID, THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT WILL TRY TO KEEP FARMERS SUPPLIED WITH PRODUCTION INFORMATION, GEAR PROGRAMS TO ACTUAL CONDITIONS, ANNOUNCE ACREAGE ALLOTMENTS AS FAR IN ADVANCE AS IT CAN, SET PRODUCTION GOALS WHERE NEEDED, AND KEEP TAB ON THE SUPPLY OF FARM EQUIPMENT.

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PRESENT PLANS, HE SAID, CALL FOR CONTINUING THE AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM AND SOIL CONSERVATION AID IN 1951 AND AT THE SAME LEVEL AS IN 1950.

TALKING UP THE BRANNAN PLAN, THE SECRETARY SAID WE NEED A PROGRAM WHICH "SOLIDLY PROTECTS FARM PRICES IN CASE OF A SUDDEN SLACKENING OF DEMAND" YET "PUTS AN ABUNDANCE OF MILK, EGGS AND OTHER PERISHABLES IN THE HANDS OF CONSUMERS AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES."

UNDER THE BRANNAN PLAN, A FARMER WOULD SELL HIS PERISHABLE PRODUCTS FOR WHAT THEY WOULD BRING ON THE MARKET. IF HE DIDN'T GET WHAT THE GOVERNMENT CONSIDERED A FAIR RETURN, UNCLE SAM WOULD PLAY HIM ENOUGH ABOVE THE AVERAGE MARKET PRICE TO GET HIM ONE.

UNDER THE PRESENT PROGRAM OF SLIDING SCALE PRICE SUPPORTS, THE SECRETARY SAID, THE SUPPORT LEVEL IS LOWEST WHEN SUPPLIES ARE BIGGEST AND FARMERS NEED SUPPORTS MOST. HE SAID IT FAILS TO ASSURE SUPPORT ON SOME OF THE MOST IMPORTANT COMMODITIES AND OFFERS NO INCENTIVE FOR NECESSARY PRODUCTION SHIFTS.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EST,TODAY, AUG.21)

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CHICAGO, AUG.21-(AP)-A 38 YEAR OLD CHICAGO BUSINESSMAN, LEADER OF THE "CHRISTIAN ACTION PARTY," VOLUNTEERED TODAY TO FLY OVER MOSCOW AND DROP AN ATOMIC OR HYDROGEN BOMB ON THE KREMLIN.

HE IS LAR DALY, OPERATOR OF A STOOL AND CHAIR FACTORY. HE SAYS HE IS FOUNDER OF THE PARTY WHOSE SLOGAN IS "WAR NOW WITH RED RUSSIA." HE FAILED TO GET ON THE APRIL 11 ILLINOIS PRIMARY BALLOT AS A NOMINEE FOR U.S. SENATOR, BUT IS TRYING TO GET THE PARTY ON THE NOV.7 ELECTION BALLOT.

HE MADE HIS OFFER IN A LETTER ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND MADE PUBLIC TODAY. THE LETTER SAID THE PARTY HOPES TO BE ON ALL STATE BALLOTS BY 1952, AND TO HAVE A PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE THEN.

THE LETTER SAID THE PATY PROPOSES TO "SAVE CHRISTIANITY AND WORLD FREEDOM," AND IT ADVOCATES USE OF THE A-BOMB AND THE H-BOMB AGAINST "THE FORCES OF ANTI-CHRIST." DALY ADDED:

"AS FOUNDER AND LEADER OF THE CHRISTIAN ACTION PARTY, I HEREBY VOLUNTEER TO ACCOMPANY THE CREW OF THE FIRST AMERICAN AIRPLANE TO FLY OVER MOSCOW AND DROP THE BOMB SQUARELY IN THE CENTER OF THE KREMLIN."

DALY SAID HE ASKS ONLY THAT HE BE ALLOWED TO RELEASE THE BOMB PERSONALLY, SO HE CAN BEAR THE "MORAL AS WELL AS THE PHYSICIAL RESPONSIBILITY," AND THAT HE BE FIRST INDUCTED INTO UNITED STATES ARMY OR AIR FORCE AS A PRIVATE "WITH ALL THE PRIVILEGES, RIGHTS AND BENEFITS ATTACHED THERETO, IN CASE OF MY BEING KILLED IN ACTION AGAINST THE MORTAL ENEMY OF GOD AND AMERICA."

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PRECEDE LAREDO SOBELL

HOUSTON, TEX., AUG. 21-(AP)-MORTON SOBELL, CHARGED WITH GIVING DEFENSE SECRETS TO RUSSIA, WAS ORDERED TODAY MOVED FROM LAREDO TO NEW YORK.

FEDERAL JUDGE ALLEN B. HANNAY SIGNED THE ORDER, AND A DEPUTY U. S. MARSHALL LEFT IMMEDIATELY FOR LAREDO. SOBELL, 33, HAS BEEN HELD THERE SINCE FRIDAY, WHEN MEXICAN OFFICERS TURNED HIM OVER TO THE FBI AT THE BORDER.

U. S. MARSHALL CLIFTON C. CARTER SAID SOBELL WILL BE BROUGHT TO THE HARRIS COUNTY JAIL HERE LATE TOMORROW AND PROBABLY WILL BE TAKEN WEDNESDAY TO NEW YORK BY PLANE.

IT HAD BEEN REPORTED EARLIER THAT THE REMOVAL ORDER WAS SENT TO FEDERAL JUDGE JAMES ALLRED IN CORPUS CHRISTI. BUT ASSISTANT UNITED STATES DISTRICT ATTORNEY JOHN C. SNODGRASS BROUGHT IT TO JUDGE HANNAY.

SOBELL WAIVED A REMOVAL HEARING LAST WEEK. HE HAS BEEN HELD ON $100,000 BOND.

SNODGRASS SAID THE COMPLAINT WAS FILED IN NEW YORK BY THE FBI ON AUG. 3 AND ALLEGES SOBELL VIOLATED THE ESPIONAGE ACT BY TRANSMITTING TO RUSSIAN AGENTS PAPTERS, SKETCHES, DOCUMENTS AND OTHER INFORMATION RELATING TO NATIONAL DEFENSE.

SOBELL, AN AMERICAN RADAR EXPERT, WAS TAKEN IN CUSTODY BY U. S. OFFICIALS HERE LAST FRIDAY AFTER A PRE-DAWN RENDEZVOUS WITH MEXICAN OFFICIALS. SOBELL WAS REPORTED TO HAVE FLED TO MEXICO WHEN THE FBI BEGAN NABBING SUSPECTS IN THE KLAUS FUCHS SPY RING.

OFFICIALS SAID SOBELL WAS A MODEL PRISONER. THEY HAVE GRANTED HIS REQUEST FOR NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES. HE ALSO HAS ASKED FOR FRUIT, EXPLAINING THAT HE GETS HUNGRY AT NIGHT.

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NIGHT LEAD HADASSAH (190)

NEW YORK, AUG.21-(AP)-A JEWISH MOVEMENT IS "RACING AGAINST TIME TO DELIVER 35,000 JEWISH CHILDREN FROM THE IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES TO ISRAEL," A SPOKESMAN OF THE MOVEMENT SAID TODAY.

MOSHE KOL, CHAIRMAN OF THE YOUTH ALIYAH (IMMIGRATION) MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE OF THE JEWISH AGENCY IN JERUSALEM, MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT AT THE 36TH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF HADASSAH, WOMEN'S ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA.

HE CALLED FOR AN ALL-OUT EFFORT TO "RESCUE" THESE CHILDREN BECAUSE, IN THE EVENT OF HEIGHTENED INTERNATIONAL TENSION OR WAR, "FATE WOULD BE BLACK FOR JEWISH YOUTH IN THESE NATIONS WHERE THEY ARE CONSIDERED "UNDESIRABLE ELEMENTS.'"

"THERE ARE 20,000 IN POLAND AND ROMANIA, WHOSE DOORS ARE CURRENTLY OPEN TO JEWISH EMIGRATION," KOL SAID. THE OTHER 15,000 ARE IN HUNGARY, WHERE JEWISH EMIGRATION STILL IS CONSIDERED ILLEGAL, HE ASSERTED.

HUNGARIAN CHILDREN WHO HAVE FOUND THEIR WAY TO ISRAEL HAVE DONE SO VTHROUGH DEVIOUS ROUTES AND WITH THE AID OF TRANSIT CAMPS IN FRIENDLY NATIONS, KOL SAID.

TERMING THE SITUATION GRIM, KOL SAID ONLY 1200 BOYS AND GIRLS FROM IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES HAD SUCCEEDED IN GETTING TO ISRAEL IN THE PAST 10 MONTHS.

MRS.ABRAHAM TULIN OF NEW YORK, NATIONAL TREASURER OF HADASSAH, SAID THE WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION HAD RAISED $9,000,000 IN THE PAST 10 1/2 MONTHS FOR ITS PROJECTS IN ISRAEL AND ITS WORK IN THE UNITED STATES.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT BEGAN AN ACTION TODAY SEEKING DISMISSAL OF JUDITH COPLON'S APPEAL FROM HER CONVICTION LAST MARCH ON ESPIONAGE CONSPIRACY CHARGES.

U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING SAYPOL FILED A MOTION, RETURNABLE BEFORE THE U.S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS, CHARGING MISS COPLON FAILED TO FILE A TRANSCRIPT OF THE RECORD OF HER TRIAL.

THE FORMER JUSTICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYE WAS SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS IMPRISONMENT LAST MARCH 9. ON THE SAME DAY SHE FILED A NOTICE OF APPEAL. SINCE THAT TIME SHE HAS RECEIVED TWO EXTENSIONS OF TIME TO FILE THE RECORD, THE SECOND OF WHICH EXPIRED AUG.1.

MISS COPLON WAS CONVICTED WITH VALENTIN A.GUBITCHEV, SOVIET ENGINEER, WHO SURRENDERED HIS RIGHT TO APPEAL BY LEAVING THE COUNTRY AT THE REQUEST OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

AT LIBERTY UNDER $40,000 BAIL, SHE WAS MARRIED LAST MAY 28 TO ALBERT H.SOCOLOV, ASSOCIATED WITH A LAW FIRM THAT DEFENDED HER AT HER TRIAL HERE.

BEFORE HER TRIAL IN NEW YORK SHE WAS CONVICTED IN WASHINGTON AND SENTENCED TO 40 MONTHS IN PRISON ON A CHARGE OF STEALING GOVERNMENT SECRETS WHILE AN EMPLOYE OF THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.

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(150) KX FOR FRISCO (APWS)

NEW YORK, AUG.21-(AP)-DR.SAIFPOUR FATOMI, AUTHOR AND FORMER MEMBER OF THE IRANIAN PARLIAMENT, PREDICTED TODAY THAT WITHIN A MONTH THE UNITED STATES WILL SIGN A PEACE TRETY WITH JAPAN AND ALLOW IT TO REARM TO PROTECT THE JAPANESE COASTLINE.

FATOMI MADE THE STATEMENT AT A NEWS CONFERENCE AT TETERBORO, N.J.

HE SAID JAPAN IS A HIGHLY STRATEGIC AREA WHERE UNITED NATIONS FORCES SHOULD CLAMP DOWN ON ANY THREAT OF COMMUNIST AGGRESSION THAT MAY LEAD TO A FULL-SCALE THIRD WORLD WAR.

HE TOLD NEWSMEN HE BELIEVES WEST GERMANY ALSO WILL BE PERMITTED TO REARM AS A DEFENSE AGAINST POSSIBLE RED ATTACK.

FATOMI IS WRITING A POLITICAL HISTORY OF THE RISE OF COMMUNISM IN THE FAR EAST. HE LAYS STRESS ON THE THESIS THAT THE ORIGINAL AIM OF COMMUNISM AT ITS INCEPTION WAS TO AROUSE THE ASIANS AGAINST THE OCCIDENTALS AND THUS CONQUER THE WORLD.

HE DESCRIBED THE PRESENT DEBATES IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL, WITH RUSSIA'S MALIK MAKING BITTER ATTACKS ON THE UNITED STATES, "AN ATTEMPT TO STIR UP ASIATIC ILL WILL AGAINST THE WEST."

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NEW YORK, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE NEW YORK TIMES SAID TODAY THAT IT MAY REQUIRE A YEAR FOR THE NEGOTIATION OF A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY AND RATIFICATION BY GOVERNMENTS CONCERNED.

A TIMES EDITORIAL SAID:

"NEVERTHELESS EVEN A BEGINNING AT SUCH NEGOTIATIONS WILL BE BETTER THAN THE PRESENT STALEMATE, WHICH CASTS IT OWN SHADOW OVER ASIA AND PLAYS INTO SOVIET HANDS. JAPAN AS A CONQUEROR INFLICTED TERRIBLE SUFFERING ON MANY ASIATIC PEOPLES. BUT IT IS NOW A CONQUERED ASIATIC COUNTRY UNDER ALIEN, PRIMARILY AMERICAN, RULE, AND IN THE EYES OF ASIA ALL ALIEN RULE IS SUSPECT.

"HOWEVER BENEVOLENT OUR RULE MAY BE, IT IS STILL A CONQUEROR'S RULE WHICH LIMITS THE FREEDOM OF THE CONQUERED, AND ITS INDEFINITE PROLONGATION CAN ONLY INCREASE SUSPICION AND PROVIDE NEW GRIST FOR SOVIET PROPAGANDA MILLS. MOREOVER, THE FIRST AIM OF ALL POLICIES IS PEACE, AND THERE IS NO BETTER WAY OF PROVIDING THE SINCERITY OF OUR OWN PEACE CAMPAIGN THAN TO MAKE PEACE WHEREVER POSSIBLE. NOR IS THERE A BETTER WAY OF REFUTING THE SOVIET LIES ATTRIBUTING TO US THE SAME IMPERIALISTIC DESIGNS OF CONQUEST PURSUED BY THE SOVIETS THEMSELVES."

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DRAFTS FOR THE TREATY, THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT IS "SWINGING INTO LINE" AND THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL IS EXPECTED TO MAKE THE FINAL DECISIONS SOON.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 21-(AP)-UNION FREIGHT HANDLERS TIGHTENED THEIR OCEAN BOYCOTT OF RUSSIAN-MADE GOODS TODAY AND SPREAD IT TO AIR SHIPMENTS AS WELL.

MEMBERS OF THE INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION (AFL) REFUSED TO UNLOAD A SHIPMENT OF RUSSIAN FURS FROM THE BRITISH LINER QUEEN ELIZABETH. LAST WEEK THEY TURNED BACK TWO SHIPMENTS OF SOVIET-MADE GOODS BECAUSE THEY SAID THEY RESENTED COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN KOREA.

MEANWHILE, THE CIO TRANSPORT WORKERS (TWU) WERE ORDERED NOT TO TOUCH ANY RUSSIAN CARGO THAT COMES INTO THIS COUNTRY BY AIR.

"TRAFFIC IN RUSSIAN FURS, CRABMEAT AND ANY OTHER COMMODITIES IS HELPING TO HAMSTRING OUR GI'S IN SOUTH KOREA," SAID PRESIDENT MICHAEL J. QUILL OF THE TWU.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE CUNARD LINE SAID THE FURS ABOARD THE QUEEN ELIZABETH WOULD BE RETURNED TO SOUTHAMPTON.

AT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, SCANDINAVIAN AIRLINES SYSTEM SAID THAT DURING THE PAST MONTH IT HAD CARRIED 1,500 POUNDS OF FURS WEEKLY TO NEW YORK FROM RUSSIA, VIA HELSINKI, FINLAND.

PAN AMERICAN WORLD AIRWAYS REPORTED IT CARRIED FALL FUR SHIPMENTS FROM BRUSSELS AND LONDON, BUT SAID IT DID NOT KNOW PRESENTLY WHETHER THE FURS ORIGINATED IN RUSSIA.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 21-(AP)-FLIER JACQUELINE COCHRAN, RETURNING FROM A TRIP TO MOSCOW, SAID TODAY THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY THERE REQUIRED AMERICANS TO TRAVEL IN PAIRS OR FOURSOMES AS A SAFETY MEASURE.

MEMBERS OF SOME OTHER EMBASSIES IN MOSCOW HAVE "DISAPPEARED," SHE TOLD REPORTERS AS SHE DISEMBARKED FROM THE CUNARD LINER QUEEN ELIZABETH. THE TRIP TO MOSCOW WAS PART OF A PLEASURE TOUR THROUGH VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

THE FLIER, WIFE OF FLOYD ODLUM, MANUFACTURER, SAUD SHE FOUND RUSSIA "PERMEATED BY FEAR."

SHE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT AS A GUEST OF U. S. AMBASSADOR ALAN G. KIRK, SHE WAS PERMITTED TO TRAVEL TO THE GRAVE OF LEO TOLSTOY, RUSSIAN WRITER, 180 MILES FROM MOSCOW.

VISITORS ORDINARILY CANNOT GO MORE THAN 25 MILES FROM MOSCOW WITHOUT SPECIAL PERMISSION, SHE SAID.

DESCRIBING SHOPPING IN MOSCOW, SHE SAID A RESTAURANT CHARGED HER $20 FOR A MEAL THAT WOULD COST ABOUT $2.50 IN THE UNITED STATES. AN ICE CREAM CONE COST THE EQUIVALENT OF ABOUT 75 CENTS IN AMERICAN MONEY, SHE SAID.

SHE SAID SHE WAS NOT PERMITTED TO TAKE ANY PURCHASES FROM RUSSIA.

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NIGHT LEAD U.N. (400)

BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 21-(AP)-CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND RED CHINA TODAY JOINED IN RUSSIA'S CAMPAIGN TO BLAME THE UNITED STATES BOTH FOR THE WAR IN KOREA AND FOR THE PROCEDURAL STALEMATE IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

ANTI-AMERICAN BLASTS BY THESE TWO GOVERNMENTS WERE RECEIVED HERE AS THE SECURITY COUNCIL ONCE AGAIN FAILED IN A CLOSED-DOOR SESSION TO BREAK THE DEADLOCK OVER KOREAN REPRESENTATION IN U.N. DEBATE.

CHOU EN-LAI, FOREIGN MINISTER OF THE RED PEIPING REGIME, DEMANDED IN A CABLE TO RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK, AUGUST PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, THAT RED CHINA AND RED NORTH KOREA BE GIVEN SEATS IN THE CURRENT TALKS.

CHOU ALSO INJECTED THE FORMOSAN QUESTION INTO THE COUNCIL BY CHARGING THE UNITED STATES "INVADED THE TERRITORY OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, TAIWAN (FORMOSA), WITH HER SEVENTH FLEET, ATTEMPTING THEREBY TO ENLARGE THE WAR AND ATTAIN HER GOAL OF SUBJUGATING ASIA." FORMOSA IS THE LAST MAJOR STRONGHOLD OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S FOREIGN MINISTER, VILIAM SIROKY, ALSO CALLED FOR THE SEATING OF A NORTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVE.

A SIMILAR DEMAND WAS RECEIVED LATE LAST WEEK FROM THE POLISH GOVERNMENT. ALL THREE OF THESE MESSAGES REPEATED RUSSIA'S CHARGES OF "INHUMAN AND BARBAROUS" BOMBING OF KOREAN CIVILIANS BY THE UNITED STATES AND CALLED FOR U.N. ACTION TO STOP SUCH BOMBINGS.

MALIK IS EXPECTED TO READ ALL THESE COMMUNICATIONS AT THE OPENING OF TOMORROW'S (2 P.M. EST) COUNCIL MEETING, AS PART OF HIS PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN.

AFTER TODAY'S CLOSED SESSION THE SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER ISSUED A BRIEF COMMUNIQUE IN RUSSIAN SAYING SIMPLY THAT THE COUNCIL HAD "AN INFORMAL EXCHANGE OF OPINIONS ON THE QUESTION OF INVITATION OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA. NO AGREEMENT ON THE QUESTION WAS ACHIEVED."

MALIK HAS EXPRESSED A WILLINGNESS TO SEE REPRESENTATIVES OF BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA INVITED, BUT THE UNITED STATES AND OTHER NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES HAVE ARGUED THAT NORTH KOREA IS AN AGGRESSOR AND SHOULD NOT BE INCLUDED IN THE TALKS AS LONG AS IT DEFIES THE U.N. CEASE-FIRE.

MALIK DID NOT INDICATE WHETHER ANY MORE INFORMAL MEETINGS WOULD BE HELD. THE DELEGATES, HOWEVER, ARE SURE TO CONTINUE THE PRIVATE TALKS THEY HAVE BEEN CARRYING ON IN GRUPS OF TWO

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MEANWHILE, IT WAS LEARNED THAT SOUTH KOREAN AMBASSADOR JOHN M. CHANG HAS CIRCULATED A LETTER TO U.N. MEMBERS CHARGING THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS WITH GENOCIDE AGAINST 400,000 PROTESTANTS AND 300,000 ROMAN CATHOLICS IN KOREA.

GENOCIDE HAS BEEN DEFINED BY THE U.N. AS MEANING MASS EXTERMINATION OF RACIAL, RELIGIOUS OR POLITICAL MINORITIES.

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LEAD DAY U.N.

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 21-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL FAILED AGAIN TODAY IN ANOTHER CLOSED-DOOR EFFORT TO BREAK ITS PROCEDURAL DEADLOCK OVER KOREA.

THE PRIVATE MEETING, CALLED BY RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK, AUGUST PRESIDENT, MET ONLY 40 MINUTES.

IN HIS OWN HANDWRITING, MALIK ISSUED A BRIEF COMMUNIQUE IN RUSSIAN WHICH SAID THE COUNCIL HAD "AN INFORMAL EXCHANGE OF OPINIONS ON THE QUESTION OF INVITATION OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA NO AGREEMENT ON THE QUESTION WAS ACHIEVED."

MALIK MISDATED THE COMMUNIQUE "AUGUST 25" AND THE SECRETARIAT CORRECTED THE DATE IN ISSUING IT.

ONE WESTERN DELEGATE EMERGED FROM THE MEETING WITH THE STATEMENT

"IT WAS JUST THE SAME OLD STUFF ON THE SAME OLD QUESTION."
MALIK DID NOT INDICATE THAT ANY MORE INFORMAL MEETINGS WILL BE HELD.
A REGULARLY SCHEDULED PUBLIC SESSION WILL BE HELD TOMORROW AT 2 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME.
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FIRST LEAD U.N.
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.21-(AP)-RED CHINA MADE A FORMAL DEMAND TODAY FOR REPRESENTATION IN UNITED NATIONS KOREAN DISCUSSIONS.
THE DEMAND WAS PRESENTED IN A TELEGRAM FROM FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI TO U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE AND TO RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK, AUGUST PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL.
THE TELEGRAM WAS CIRCULATED AS THE COUNCIL DELEGATES PREPARED TO MEET IN ANOTHER INFORMAL CLOSED-DOOR SESSION TO CONSIDER THE PROCEDURAL STALEMATE OVER KOREAN REPRESENTATION. THE CHINA REPRESENTATION ISSUE HAS BEEN LINKED TO THE KOREAN QUESTION BY MALIK.

MALIK'S REFUSAL TO RULE FORMALLY ON THE COUNCIL'S PREVIOUS INVITATION TO THE SOUTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVE HAS DEADLOCKED THE GROUP SINCE SOON AFTER HE ENDED THE RUSSIAN BOYCOTT OF COUNCIL SESSIONS TO ASSUME THE PRESIDENCY ON AUG. 1.
CHIEF INTEREST HERE CENTERED NOT ON TODAY'S PRIVATE SESSION BUT ON TOMORROW'S PUBLIC COUNCIL MEETING. MALIK HAS ANNOUNCED HE WILL SPEAK AT LENGTH IN ANSWER TO THE DEMAND FOR UNIFICATION OF KOREA UNDER U.N. AUSPICES, PRESENTED LAST THURSDAY BY U.S. DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN.
AUSTIN AT THAT TIME VOICED ONLY MILD CRITICISM OF THE SOVIET UNION'S ROLE IN THE KOREAN WAR. HOWEVER, A U.S. SPOKESMAN LATER SAID AUSTIN WOULD HAVE A "HAYMAKER" FOR THE RUSSIANS THIS WEEK.
"WE'RE NOT GOING TO LET MALIK GET AWAY WITH THE CHARGES HE HAS MADE DURING THE LAST 10 DAYS," THE SPOKESMAN SAID.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (550)

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 22-(AP)-AMERICAN SOLDIERS, PLANES, TANKS AND ARTILLERY FORCED THE REDS INTO A SLOW, BLOODY RETREAT TODAY IN THE AREA OF GREATEST MENACE NORTH OF TAEGU.

AFTER SMASHING A PENETRATION BY 1,000 COMMUNISTS ABOUT 10 MILES FROM THAT KEY AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE, THE AMERICANS ADVANCED A HALF MILE THIS MORNING DESPITE HEAVY RED RESISTANCE.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD SAID A RED CONCENTRATION THERE MAY BE EXPECTED TO ATTEMPT AN OFFENSIVE WITHIN 48 HOURS.

HE QUOTED THE U. S. COMMANDING OFFICER IN THE SECTOR AS SAYING "THERE COULD BE A DECISION IN THE NEXT 48 HOURS AND IF WE STOP THEM WE WILL BREAK THE BACK OF THIS DRIVE."

SUPPORTED BY SOUTH KOREANS, THE AMERICANS OVERRAN THE WEDGE MADE IN THEIR LINES BY THE COMMUNISTS. THEN THEY ENGAGED THE MAIN NORTH KOREAN FORCE WHICH HAD BEEN BROUGHT UP TO EXPLOIT ANY BREAKTHROUGH.

AT DAWN TODAWN TODAY, AMERICAN PLANES ATTACKED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS. JETS AND MUSTANGS FLEW LOW OVER HILLS AND VALLEYS. THEY GUNNED TROOP MASSES ANDDESTROYED A TANK.

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IN THIS SECTOR NORTH OF TAEGU, THREE ENEMY DIVISIONS TOTALLING PROBABLY 30,000 MEN AND PACED BY TANKS HAVE BEEN BEATING AGAINST THE ALLIED DEFENSE WALL SINCE SUNDAY. TOTAL STRENGTH OF THE REDS MASSES ON THE FRONT NORTH AND WEST OF TAEGU, HAS BEEN ESTIMATED AT 60,000 MEN.

DURING LAST NIGHT, THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS STOPPED THREE PROBING ATTACKS DOWN THE ROAD TOWARD TAEGU---VITAL COMMUNICATIONS CENTER BECAUSE OF ITS DOUBLE-TRACK RAILROAD SUPPLY LINE TO THE MAIN PORT OF PUSAN.

IN THE OTHER MENACING SECTOR, ON THE SOUTH END OF THE FRONT DEFENDING PUSAN, TWO RED ATTACKS WERE BEATEN BACK DURING LAST NIGHT AND A THIRD AT DAWN TODAY. THE REDS WERE MAKING AN EFFORT TO RECAPTURE HIGH GROUND ON BOTH SIDES OF THE CITY OF HAMAN WHICH HAS CHANGED HANDS FIVE TIMES IN THREE DAYS OF BITTER FIGHTING.

HAMAN IS NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN AND 35 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

THE REDS HAVE LOST 10 TANKS IN THREE NIGHTS OF FIGHTING. FOUR WERE KNOCKED OUT BY BIG AMERICAN PERSHING TANKS AND ARTILLERY IN A DUEL AT 300 YARDS TUESDAY. THIS OCCURRED MORE THAN 10

KNOCKED OUT BY BIG AMERICAN PERSHING TANKS AND ARTILLERY IN A DUEL AT 300 YARDS TUESDAY. THIS OCCURRED MORE THAN 10 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU IN THE SAME AREA WHERE THE 1,000 REDS INFILTRATED TO HARASS SUPPLY LINES TO THE FRONT.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THAT THE REDS' "STUPID TACTICS" IN THE NORTH AND CENTRAL SECTORS PUZZLED THE U. S. 27TH REGIMENTAL COMMANDER, COL. JOHN MICHAELIS, OF LANCASTER, PA.

"I HOPE THEY KEEP RIGHT ON DOING IT," HE SAID.

IT WAS COLONEL MICHAELIS' REGIMENT WHOSE SUPPLY LINES HAD BEEN MENACED BY THE RED INFILTRATION TACTICS.

REPORTS POURED IN FROM ALL SECTORS THAT RED MORALE WAS CRACKING. PRISONERS OF WAR SAID THEY WERE HUNGRY AND SHORT OF SUPPLIES. SOME WERE 'TEENAGERS WHO HAD BEEN CONSCRIPTED.

NEVERTHELESS NORTH KOREAN COMMANDERS DROVE THEM INTO SEARING AMERICAN MACHINEGUN AND RIFLE FIRE POURED DOWN FROM DEFENSVSITIONS ON HIGH GROUND. WHEN T

AMERICAN MACHINEGUN AND RIFLE FIRE POURED DOWN FROM DEFENSE POSITIONS ON HIGH GROUND. WHEN THE REDS RETREATED, AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND MORTARS POUNDED THEM AS LONG AS THEY WERE IN RANGE.

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THE RED PENETRATION BEHIND THE U. S. 27TH REGIMENT AND FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION WAS MADE UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS LAST NIGHT, A SOUTH KOREAN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID.

TODAY'S U. S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID "THE MISSION OF THE U. S. ATTACK THIS MORNING WAS TO CLEAR THE AREA OF ENEMY TROOPS AND SECURE THE SUPPLY ROAD."

A SECOND COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE AIMED DIRECTLY AT PUSAN WAS REPORTED STILL BUILDING UP ON THE SOUTH FRONT BEFORE MASAN. SOUTH KOREAN MARINES, DRIVING INLAND FROM POINTS WHERE THEY HAVE MADE AMPHIBIOUS LANDINGS ON THE SOUTH COAST, RAN INTO STRONG RED RESISTANCE LATE TUESDAY. THEY WERE HIT BY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE. THESE MARINES ARE OPERATING ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION.

-OUTNUMBERED U.S. TANKS SMASHED AN ATTACK BY RUSSIAN-BUILT NORTH KOREAN TANKS IN A HEADON CLASH NORTH OF TAEGU TUESDAY AS ALLIED TROOPS HELD FIRM OR ADVANCED AGAINST 90,000 REDS DESPERATELY BATTERING AT THE 120-MILE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINE IN KOREA.

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FOUR 45-TON AMERICAN GENERAL PERSHING TANKS BESTED NINE LIGHTER AND MORE MANEUVERABLE T-34 ENEMY TANKS IN A FURIOUS TWO HOUR BATTLE AT 300-YARD RANGE ON A VALLEY ROAD 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

THE PERSHINGS KNOCKED OUT TWO RED TANKS, U.S. ARTILLERY DESTROYED TWO OTHERS AND THE FIVE REMAINING WERE SENT RUNNING FOR COVER. THE U.S. TANKS ESCAPED SERIOUS DAMAGE.

LOSS OF THE FOUR T-34S BOOSTED TO TEN THE NUMBER OF TANKS THE REDS HAVE LOST IN THREE DAYS OF TRYING TO PUSH DOWN THAT ROAD TO TAEGU.

WHILE THE TANK FIGHT ROARED, U.S. GROUND TROOPS AND WARPLANES SMASHED A ROADBLOCK SET UP BY INFILTRATING REDS TWO MILES FARTHER BACK ALONG THE SAME ROAD FROM THE AMERICAN FRONT AT TAEGU.

THE ROADBLOCK CUT OFF SUPPLIES FROM TAEGU FOR THE FRONT FOR TWO HOURS.

THE REDS HAD GAINED CONTROL OF THE SUPPLY ROAD BY SNEAKING SMALL ARMS, MORTARS AND MACHINEGUNS TO THE TOP OF A RIDGE THAT WAS HIGHER THAN THE ONE AMERICANS OCCUPIED TO SAFEGUARD THE ROAD.

BUT ARTILLERY FIRE FROM THE U.S.27TH REGIMENT AND MACHINEGUN AND ROCKET STRAFING ATTACKS BY U.S.NAVY, MARINE AND AIR FORCE PLANES DROVE THE INVADERS FROM THEIR VANTAGE POINT AFTER THREE HOURS OF HEAVY FIGHTING.

AS NIGHT FELL, THE REDS WERE EDGING GRADUALLY SOUTH,APPARENTLY TRYING TO OUTFLANK OR BY-PASS THE 27TH INFANTRY AND OTHER U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN UNITS.

DURING THE DAY A GROUP OF 40 OR 50 NORTH KOREANS TRIED A "BANZAI" ATTACK AGAINST AN AMERICAN UNIT LED BY SGT.STEPHAN WALSTON OF GREENVILLE,N.C.

ASKED IF HIS MEN HAD TURNED BACK THE REDS SCREAMING THE JAPANESE BATTLE CRY AS THEY ATTACKED WALSTON COMMENTED ONLY: "WE KILLED THEM."

IN OTHER BLAZING ACTION TUESDAY, AMERICAN INFANTRY SOLIDIFIED THEIR

LINES IN THE RUGGED MOUNTAINS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WHERE THE REDS WERE KNOCKING AT THE GATEWAY TO PUSAN, VITAL ALLIED SUPPLY PORT.

THE AMERICAN SOUTHERN FLANK WAS STRAIGHTENED OUT AND ALL GROUND LOST THERE MONDAY REGAINED BY THESE ACTIONS:

THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM PUSHED AN OUTNUMBERING ENEMY FORCE OFF A COMMANDING RIDGE NEAR THE FRONTLINE VILLAGE OF CHUNGAM.

THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM STORMED UP STEEP SOBUK HILLS TO TAKE HIGH GROUND NEAR TUNDOK, JUST SOUTH OF CHUNGAM.

NEGRO TROOPS OF THE 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENT RETOOK "BATTLE" MOUNTAIN FOR THE FIFTH TIME IN FOUR DAYS.

ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION ARTILLERY LOBBED SHELLS INTO RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SUPPLY DUMPS ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION PUNCHED OUT A SHORT ADVANCE EAST OF WAEGWAN.

THE EASTERN END OF THE ALLIED DEFENSE LINE WAS QUIET BUT THE SOUTH KOREAN FORCES MANNING IT REPORTED STIFFENING ENEMY RESISTANCE TO THEIR PATROL ACTIONS.

SOUTH KOREAN MARINES MADE THEIR THIRD ISLAND LANDING MONDAY OFF INCHON, THE PORT FOR COMMUNIST CAPTURED SEOUL ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA.

THE LANDING WAS ON EJAK ISLAND. NO DETAILS WERE GIVEN. SOUTH KOREAN FORCES ALREADY HAD BEEN PUT ASHORE ON TOKCHOK AND YONGHUNG ISLANDS IN THE SAME GENERAL AREA, DEEP IN ENEMY TERRITORY AND FARM FROM THE MAIN AREA OF UNITED NATIONS OPERATIONS.

OTHER SOUTH KOREAN MARINES, WITH THE AID OF THE U.S.AIR FORCE, WERE MOPPING UP ENEMY FORCES ON KOJE ISLAND, JUST EAST OF THE TONGYONG PENINSULA ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN COASTAL FRONT. A STRONG ENEMY FORCE ON THE ISLAND COULD POSE A THREAT TO THE U.S.SUPPLY BASE OF PUSAN AND THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL PORT OF CHINHAE.

BOYISH RED PRISONERS TAKEN ON KOTE ISLAND WERE QUOTED BY A SOUTH KOREAN NAVY SPOKESMAN AS SAYING THEIR SUPPLIES WERE BECOMING INCREASINGLY SCARCE.

IN TUESDAY'S AIR ACTION, TWO FLEETS OF B-29S POURED 850 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES ON ENEMY TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA.

ONE GROUP OF 70 BLASTED CHONGJIN, ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA 60 MILES SOUTHWEST OF RUSSIA'S MARITIME PROVINCE. THEY HIT IN A ONE-HOUR ATTACK WITH 700 TONS OF GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS. THE TARGETS WERE RAIL YARDS, THE CITY'S DEEP-WATER DOCK FACILITIES AND THE FORMER MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS.

THE OTHER GROUP SLAMMED 150 TONS OF BOMBS ON BRIDGES AND SMALLER INDUSTRIAL TARGETS IN THE INVADERS HOME TERRITORY.

AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN FIGHTERS TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE SECOND CONSECUTIVE DAY OF PERFECT FLYING WEATHER AND STRAFED COMMUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SUPPLY COLUMNS.

THE ATTACKS, RETURNING AIRMEN SAID, "COST THE NORTH KOREANS IMPORTANT EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES THEY COULD ILL AFFORD TO LOSE."

THE COMMUNIST KOREAN RADIO AT PYONGYANG COMPLAINED IN A BROADCAST MONITORED HERE THAT ALLIED AIR ACTION HAD KILLED OR WOUNDED 11,582 CIVLIANS AND DESTROYED 11 IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL PLANTS.

TO THE SURPRISE OF OFFICERS AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TOKYO HEADQUARTERS, THE RADIO AT THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL IS BROADCASTING A 14,000-WORD REPORT ON THE BOMBINGS IN DAILY INSTALLMENTS. IF TRUE, THE ACCOUNTS OF DESTRUCTION TO INDUSTRIAL AREAS ARE OF VITAL IMPORTANCE TO UNITED NATIONS INTELLIGENCE.

ONE OFFICER SAID THE REDS WERE MAKING THE ADMISSIONS IN THE HOPE THE ALLIES WOULD CEASE THEIR BOMBINGS AND IN AN EFFORT TO AROUSE SYMPATHY AMONG OTHER ASIATIC NATIONS.

THE INCREASING RED PRESSURE ON THE PERIMETER OF THE ALLIED BEACHHEAD IN KOREA GAVE INDICATION THAT THE REDS WERE STILL DETERMINED ON A GENERAL OFFENSIVE TO WIN THE WAR BY AUG.31, THE DATE SET BY NORTH KOREAN PREMIER KIM IL SUNG.

BUT THEIR BIG PUSH WAS BEHIND SCHEDULE--IT WAS FIRST ADVERTISED TO OPEN ON LIBERATION DAY, AUG.15--AND CONFIDENCE MOUNTED IN ALLIED QUARTERS THAT THE REDS HAD MISSED THEIR REAL CHANCE FOR A KNOCKOUT PUNCH AT THE ALLIES.

ARMY QUARTERS IN WASHINGTON WERE NOT SO CONFIDENT, HOWEVER. AN ARMY SPOKESMAN THERE SAID THE NORTH KOREANS STILL WERE CAPABLE OF ATTACKS ON THE ALLIED SOUTHERN FLANK, AIMED AT PUSAN, AND AGAINST THE CENTRAL SECTOR, AIMED AT TAEGU.

THERE WAS NO CONFIRMATION AT TOKYO HEADQUARTERS OR IN WASHINGTON OF A BATTLEFRONT REPORT THAT MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM F.DEAN, FORMER COMMANDER OF THE U.S.24TH INFANTRY DIVISION, MISSING IN ACTION IN THE FIGHT FOR TAEJON, HAD BEEN CAPTURED BY NORTH KOREANS AND EXECUTED.

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SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP
BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG 23-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS AND TANKS WIPED OUT A THREATENING RED KOREAN ROADBLOCK 10 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU TUESDAY. THEIR MATES TOOK THREE COMMANDING HILLS TO BLOCK THE COASTAL GATEWAYS TO PUSAN PORT IN THE SOUTH.

THE REDS' BEHIND-THE-LINES ROADBLOCK NEAR TAEGU HAD CHOKED OFF ALL ALLIED SUPPLIES FROM TAEGU FOR TWO HOURS AND THREATENED TO TRAP TROOPS OF THE U.S. 27TH "WOLFHOUND" INFANTRY ~~DIVISION~~ REGIMENT.

THE CENTRAL FRONT AND EXTREME SOUTHERN FIGHTING WAS THE MOST BITTER OF THE 24-HOUR PERIOD ENDED TUESDAY MIDNIGHT.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED ITS MIDNIGHT COMMUNIQUE WOULD BE OMITTED AS THERE WAS NO CHANGE IN THE SITUATION.

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ALL ALONG THE 120-MILE PERIMETER OF THE ALLIED BEACHHEAD UNITED NATIONS TROOPS HELD FIRM OR ADVANCED.

SOUTH KOREAN MARINES, IN THEIR THIRD LANDING WITHIN A WEEK DEEP BEHIND ENEMY LINES, MOVED INTO EJAK ISLAND, OFF INCHON, THE WEST COAST PORT OF SEOUL. NO ADDITIONAL DETAILS WERE GIVEN.

OTHER SOUTH KOREAN MARINES, AIDED BY ALLIED PLANES, WERE MOPPING UP ENEMY FORCES ATTEMPTING TO LAND ON KOJE ISLAND, SOUTH OF CHINHAE, 21 MILES ~~NORTHEAST OF PUSAN~~ southwest

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TUESDAY'S AIR ACTION WAS TOPPED BY A FLEET OF 70 B-29S BOMBING CHONGJIN WITH 700 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES. CHONGJIN IS NOT FAR FROM THE SOVIET SIBERIAN BORDER.

THE REDS HAD SHOVED 90,000 MEN--NINE DIVISIONS--AGAINST THE ALLIED DEFENSE LINE.

FOR THE THIRD STRAIGHT NIGHTLTHE NORTH KOREANS TRIED TO PUSH ELEMENTS OF THREE DIVISIONS DOWN THE SAME ROAD TO TAEGU.

AMERICAN TANKS AND MEN STOPPED THEM 12 MILES NORTH OF THE CITY.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD WITH THE AMERICANS NORTH OF TAEGU SAID INFILTRATING RED SNIPERS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE PINNED DOWN TROOPS AND CORRESPONDENTS ALONG THE MOUNTAIN ROAD.

THE TWO-HOUR TANK BATTLE, PITTING BIG AMERICAN PERSHINGS AGAINST RUSSIAN MADE T-34S, BLAZED IN TUESDAY'S EARLY MORNING DARKNESS.

FOUR 45-TON AMERICAN TANKS CAUGHT NINE 32-TON RUSSIAN-BUILT MACHINES ON THE SAME ROAD THE REDS HAVE TRIED TO COME DOWN THREE STRAIGHT

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NIGHTS TOWARD TAEGU.
THE TANKS BLAZED AWAY AT 300 YARDS.

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CAPT. OTIS D. SAUM OF WATERBURY, CONN., IN COMMAND OF THE U.S. TANKS FROM THE 73RD TANK COMPANY, SAID U.S. GUNS KNOCKED OUT THE SECOND TANK IN THE COLUMN WITH A SHELL THROUGH THE RIGHT FRONT TRACK.
"THEN WE GOT A HIT UNDER THE TURRET OF THE LEADING TANK," CAPTAIN SAUM SAID, "AND IT WAS SET AFIRE BY THE WHITE PHOSPHOROUS SHELL."
THE TANKS HAMMERED AT EACH OTHER, SAUM SAID, WITH AMERICAN ARTILLERY JOINING IN THE BATTLE.
U.S. TANKS GOT TWO OF THE REDS TANKS AND ARTILLERY GOT THE OTHER TWO. THAT BOOSTED THE NUMBER KNOCKED OUT IMMEDIATELY NORTH OF TAEGU IN THREE DAYS BY THE AMERICANS TO 10 RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS.
ALL THE AMERICAN TANKS ESCAPED SERIOUS DAMAGE.
ON THE BLAZING SOUTHERN FRONT THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION AND THE 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII HELD FIRMLY ASTRIDE THE BLOODSTAINED ROAD TO PUSAN, 35 MILES TO THE EAST.
THE 35TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM TUESDAY DROVE A NUMERICALLY SUPERIOR RED FORCE FROM A COMMANDING RIDGE NEAR CHUNGAM, FOUR MILES NORTHWEST OF THE DUSTY, CLAPBOARD VILLAGE OF HAMAN.
THE 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM STORMED UP THE STEEP SOBUK HILLS NEAR TUNDOK, JUST SOUTH OF CHUNGAM.
NEGRO TROOPS OF THE 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENT RETOOK NEARBY "BATTLE MOUNTAIN" FOR THE FIFTH TIME IN FOUR DAYS.
THAT STRAIGHTENED OUT THE AMERICAN BATTLE LINE.
AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON IN A DISPATCH TIMED AFTER THE U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE AT 8:10 P.M. TUESDAY (5:10 A.M. EST) SAID RECAPTURE OF THE MOUNTAIN WON BACK FOR THE AMERICANS ALL THE GROUND THEY HAD LOST MONDAY.
THE 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE HAD SAID THE REDS WERE ATTACKING THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM AND THE NEGRO FIGHTERS WERE TRYING TO RETAKE THEIR FORMER POSITIONS.

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NORTH OF THIS FIERCE ACTION, THE BATTLE WEARY U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION DUG IN ALONG THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER'S EAST BANK. IT KEPT A CLOSE WATCH ON A SMALL RED BRIDGEHEAD THROWN ACROSS THE RIVER AT HYONGPUNG, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.
FARTHER UP THE RIVER THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION LOBBED ARTILLERY SHELLS AT A COMMUNIST SUPPLY AND TROOP BUILDUP ON THE REDS' WEST BANK OF THE RIVER.
EAST OF WAEGWAN, ON THE CURVING CENTRAL FRONT, THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION ADVANCED IN THE MOUNTAINOUS COUNTRY BETWEEN MANGJONG AND INDONG.
ONE SOUTH KOREAN PATROL KNIFED A MILE AND A HALF INTO ENEMY TERRITORY. IT DISABLED ONE RED TANK AND THREE ARTILLERY PIECES AND SAW FIVE DISABLED RED TANKS AND 20 DEAD.
THE 30-MILE ARC FROM THIS BATTLE ZONE TO THE ALLIED DRIVE FORWARD NORTH OF POHANG, NO.2 ALLIED PORT ON THE SEA OF JAPAN, WAS QUIET. BUT RED FORCES WERE THERE AND THEIR FEELERS WERE NOTED BY ALLIED TROOPS ALL ALONG THE LINE.
STIFFENING RESISTANCE WAS FELT WHERE THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD INFANTRY DIVISION PUSHED TO A POINT NINE MILES NORTH OF POHANG.
THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL DIVISION, IN A PARALLEL DRIVE, KNIFED NORTHWARD ABOVE KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, AGAINST ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE ECHOING FROM MOUNTAIN BATTLEFIELDS.
MOST ALLIED BATTLE PLANS CALLED FOR ADVANCES ALONG THE LINE. ELSEWHERE, THE ALLIES WAITED FOR THE LONG EXPECTED COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE.
AP CORRESPONDENT BILL SHINN REPORTED SOUTH KOREAN MARINES A DED BY UNITED STATES AIR FORCE MEN WERE CLEANING OUT RED FORCES THAT TRIED TO OCCUPY KOJE ISLAND SOUTH OF CHINHAE, SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF MASAN. CHINHAE IS A NAVAL BASE. KOJE
LT. CMDR. D.C. HOLLY, AMERICAN ADVISER TO THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVY, SAID FLIGHTS OF UNITED NATIONS PLANES WERE MADE MONDAY AND TUESDAY FROM THE TONGYONG AREA, BELOW KOSONG, OCCUPIED LAST WEEK BY SOUTH KOREAN MARINES.
THE SOUTH KOREAN AMPHIBIOUS FORCE WAS TRYING TO LINK UP ITS POSITION WITH THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION WEST OF MASAN.

SOUTH KOREAN PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE VISITED THE MASAN AREA TUESDAY--AN AREA THE RED RADIO BOASTED WAS UNDER ATTACK FROM NORTH KOREAN TROOPS. THE RED RADIO SAID WITH SEEMING CONTRADITION THAT "THE ROUTED U.S. 25TH DIVISION IS RESISTING STUBBORNLY."
THE WHOLE UNITED NATIONS LINE WAS HOLDING AGAINST NINE NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS.
UNITS OF THE 90,000 REDS WERE TESTING ALMOST EVERY MILE OF THE LONG DEFENSE LINE FOR A WEAK SPOT THROUGH WHICH TO HACK TOWARD EITHER CITY--TAEGU AND PUSAN--OR BOTH.
THE COMMUNISTS HAD ONLY EIGHT MORE DAYS TO CARRY OUT THEIR PREMIER'S ORDER OF LAST WEEK TO OUST THE ALLIED TROOPS FROM KOREA BY AUG. 31.
ALLIED INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS FELT THEY WOULD TRY IT WITH THE NINE DIVISIONS ON THE FRONT. THEY SAID AERIAL PHOTOS SHOWED RED SUPPLY ROUTES SMASHED ON ALL FRONTS. THE COMMUNISTS WERE DESCRIBED AS SHORT OF FOOD AND AMMUNITION.

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THE AIR-SEA BLOCKADE WAS TIGHTENED WITH BIG BRITISH SUNDERLAND FLYING BOATS FROM HONG KONG.
SHORTLY BEFORE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE B-29 STRIKE AGAINST CHONGJIN, THE RED RADIO AT PYONGYANG IN A REVEALING BROADCAST SAID ALLIED BOMBINGS BETWEEN JULY 2 AND AUG9 3 HAD KILLED OR WOUNDED 11,582 CIVILIANS AND DESTROYED 16,504 HOMES. ELEVEN IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL PLANTS WERE KNOCKED OUT BY THE ALLIED PLANES IN THAT SAME PERIOD, THE REDS SAID.

SINCE THAT TIME ALLIED AIR ATTACKS HAVE BEEN STEPPED UP WITH BIGGER AND MORE FREQUENT RAIDS. SOME 500 SORTIES WERE FLOWN TUESDAY BEFORE THE 70 B-29 BOMBERS DUMPED THEIR 700-TON EXPLOSIVE CARGO ON CHONGJIN, NOT MANY MILES FROM THE SOVIET SIBERIAN BORDER ON THE NOHEAST COAST.
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NORTH KOREAN BATTLE CASUALTIES FOR THE LAST FOUR DAYS TOTALLED LMOST 15,000 MEN--NEARLY 4,000 A DAY.

RED AIR LOSSES SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE WAR WERE REPORTED TO STAND AT 74 PLANES. ONLY ONE COMMUNIST PLANE HAS BEEN SEEN RECENTLY. IT WAS A SINGLE-ENGINE RUSSIAN FIGHTER SPOTTED TUESDAY BY PILOTS. IT GOT AWAY.
ALLIED LAND BASED PLANE LOSSES KNOWN TO THE ENEMY AS ANNOUNCED TUESDAY TOTALLED 55 WARPLANES. MOST OF THEM WERE SHOT DOWN BY ANTI-AIRCRAFT OR SMALL ARMS FIRE. OTHER ALLIED OPERATIONAL LOSSES HAVE NOT BEEN RELEASED.
ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE IS INCREASING IN SOME RED AREAS, PARTICULARLY OVER PYONGYANG, THE NORTHERN CAPITAL, WHERE ACCURATE BATTERIES HAVE OPERATED CONSISTENTLY.

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ONLY LIGHT FIRE HAS BEEN NOTED AROUND SOME VITAL INDUSTRIAL AREAS.

THE BRITISH SUNDERLAND FLYING BOAT UNIT, UNDER THE COMMAND OF SQUADRON LEADER MICHAEL HELME, ROVED FROM THE FORMER NAVAL BASE OF MOKPO, IN THE SOUTHWEST, AS FAR NORTH AS THE MANCHURIAN BORDER.

CARRIER-BASED BRITISH FIREFLY BOMBERS AND SEAFIRE FIGHTERS ROAMED THE WEST COAST AS FAR NORTH AS CHINNAMPO AND INLAND UP THE TAEDONG RIVER TO PYONGYANG.

THEY SANK A PATROL BOAT AND DAMAGED A MOTOR VESSEL, A SMALL FREIGHTER, SMALL COASTAL CRAFT, BOXCARS AND OIL TANKS.

A U.S. NAVAL PATROL OFF THE EAST COAST KNOCKED OUT A COMMUNIST SHORE BATTERY THAT FIRED ON IT FROM SAMCHOK, JUST BELOW THE 38TH PARALLEL. THE U.S. DESTROYER WAS NOT HIT BY THE SHORE FIRE.

THESE WERE THE DAY'S FIERCEST BLAZING ACTIONS ON THE 120-MILE KOREAN BEACHHEAD BATTLEFRONT.

ALLIED FIGHTING MEN AND TANKS HELD FIRM OR COUNTER-ATTACKED ALL ALONG THE LINE AGAINST THE COMBINED WEIGHT OF NINE ENEMY DIVISIONS --90,000 MEN--STACKED UP WITH ARMOR TO DRIVE ON TAEGU AND PUSAN.

THE FIGHTING ON THE SOUTH COASTAL APPROACHES TO PUSAN, NO. 1 ALLIED SEAPORT ON THE SOUTHEAST TIP OF THE PENINSULA, ROARED FOR THE THIRD SUCCESSIVE DAY.

THREE TIMES THE MEN OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION INFANTRY BEAT BACK THE ATTACKING REDS ON THAT BLOODSTAINED ROAD.

FIRST, THE U.S. 35TH REGIMENT DROVE A NUMERICALLY SUPERIOR NORTH KOREAN FORCE OFF A KEY RIDGE NEAR CHUNGAM, 35 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

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THEN NEGRO TROOPS OF THE 24TH REGIMENT RECAPTURED NEARBY "BATTLE MOUNTAIN" FOR THE FIFTH TIME IN FOUR DAYS. AND THE 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII FOUGHT ITS WAY BACK TO COMMANDING HEIGHTS OF THE SOBUK HILLS NEAR TUNDOK, JUST SOUTH OF CHUNGAM.

AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED FROM THE SOUTHERN FRONT THAT THE 25TH DIVISION REGAINED ALL THE GROUND LOST PREVIOUSLY TO ATTACKING TROOPS OF THE RED KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION.

SWINTON'S DISPATCH WAS TIMED AFTER THE U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE RELEASED AT 8:10 P.M. 573'S-6 (5:10 A.M. EST), WHICH SAID THE 5TH REGIMENT WAS ATTACKING A HILL LOST TO THE REDS MONDAY.

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IN THE NORTH ABOVE TAEGU, 45-TON PERSHING TANKS DROVE BACK A RED ASSAULT LED BY NINE TANKS IN THE FOURTH DAY OF CONTINUAL THRUSTS AT THE CENTRAL FRONT ALLIED SUPPLY BASE.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD, WITH THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT BEFORE TAEGU, SAID AMERICAN TANKMEN KNOCKED OUT TWO RUSSIAN MADE T-34 TANKS AND U.S. ARTILLERY POLISHED OFF TWO MORE IN A TWO-HOUR BATTLE THAT KICKED BACK A RED BATTALION.

THEN THE AMERICANS WHIRLED TO KNOCK OUT THE COMMUNIST ROADBLOCK 10 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU AND BEHIND THE LINES OF THE 27TH REGIMENT.

CORRESPONDENT WHITEHEAD SAID INFILTRATING REDS PINNED DOWN THE AMERICANS ALONG THE MOUNTAIN ROAD WITH SNIPER AND MACHINEGUN FIRE. WHITEHEAD WAS AMONG THE AMERICANS TRAPPED UNDER FIRE UNTIL THE ROADBLOCK WAS WIPED OUT.

ALLIED INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAD SHOVED NINE DIVISIONS UP TO THE WINDING BATTLELINE WHICH EXTENDS FROM THE SOUTHERN PORT OF MASAN NORTH TO WAEGWAN ABOVE TAEGU AND THENCE EAST TO NINE MILES NORTH OF POHANG, SOUTH KOREA'S NO. 2 PORT.

U.S. B-29S HAMMERED CHONGJIN, NORTH KOREAN CITY NEAR THE SOVIET SIBERIAN BORDER. SEVENTY BOMBERS LOOSED 700 TONS OF BOMBS ON INSTALLATIONS.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE B-29 RAID WAS MADE AS THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO SAID IN A BROADCAST THAT ALLIED BOMBINGS HAD KILLED OR WOUNDED 11,582 CIVILIANS AND DESTROYED 11 IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL PLANTS.

THE BROADCAST SAID HALF THE CASUALTIES WERE KILLED. THE RED RADIO ADDED 16,504 HOUSES WERE DESTROYED BETWEEN JULY 2 AND AUG. 3 WHEN THE LARGER ALLIED BOMBING RAIDS WERE STARTED.

ASIDE FROM THE ROARING SOUTHERN BATTLE AND THE CONTINUOUS PROBING PATROLS NORTH OF TAEGU, THE REST OF THE CURLING FRONT WAS QUIET TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

A SMALL RED BRIDGEHEAD AT HYONGPUNG, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, WAS ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER. BUT AMERICAN FORCES HAD IT UNDER CLOSE WATCH.

ACROSS FROM THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION STRUNG ALONG THE CENTRAL FRONT ON THE NAKTONG RIVER, THE REDS WERE TRYING TO MASS MEN AND SUPPLIES FOR A SURGE TOWARD TAEGU.

NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN, WHERE AN ESTIMATED 60,000 ENEMY TROOPS HAVE BEEN MASSED IN THE MOUNTAINS FOR A LUNGE AT TAEGU, THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION GAINED MOUNTAINOUS GROUND BETWEEN THE TOWNS OF MANGJONG AND INDONG. FIVE DISABLED NORTH KOREAN TANKS WERE SPOTTED BY SOUTH KOREAN PATROLS.

THE REDS WERE THROWN BACK IN A TRY TO MOVE ON TAEGU MONDAY BY A COMBINATION U.S. PLANE AND ARTILLERY BOMBARDMENT BY NIGHT. PHISPHOROUS SHELLS LIGHTED THE WAY TO THE TARGETS FOR THE PLANES. TUESDAY IN THE SAME AREA THE REDS TRIED ONLY THE PROBING ATTACK IN SMALL FORCE. IT WAS HURLED BACK.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TUESDAY AFTERNOON WAR SUMMARY SAID THE TAEGU AREA WAS QUIET AFTER THE NINE-TANK ATTACK ON THE AMERICAN 27TH REGIMENT TUESDAY MORNING.

ARTILLERY OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION POUNDED RED TROOPS ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

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ON THE EAST COAST, THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD VISION INCHED NORTH OF POHANG PORT WITH COVER OF U.S. NAVAL SHELLS. SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE REPORTED NINE MILES NORTH OF SOUTH KOREA'S NO. 2 ALLIED PORT.

THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL DIVISION MOVED NORTH AND EAST FROM KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG.

NORTH KOREAN LOSSES IN MEN MOUNTED WITH EVERY ENGAGEMENT. THEIR CASUALTIES IN FOUR DAYS HAVE AVERAGED ALMOST 4,000 A DAY, HEADQUARTERS ESTIMATED.

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IN THE DEEP SOUTH RED TROOPS ATTACKED ALLIED SOUTH KOREAN MARINES WHO HAD ADVANCED 20 MILES IN FOUR DAYS SINCE LANDING AT TONGYONG.

THE SOUTH KOREAN AMPHIBIOUS TROOPS WERE TRYING TO LINK UP THEIR COASTAL POSITION NEAR KOSONG WITH AMERICAN FORCES CENTERED IN THE HAMANMASAN AREA, 35 MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

SOUTH KOREA'S PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEELREVISITED THE SOUTH COASTAL FRONT AROUND MASAN PORT TUESDAY. HE HAD LEFT THREATENED TAEGU WITH HIS GOVERNMENT LAST WEEK TO SET UP A NEW PROVISIONAL CAPITAL BEHIND THE FIGHTING FRONT.

WEST OF HAMAN, A DUSTY, CLAPBOARD VILLAGE ON THE SOUTH COAST, U.S. MARINE CORSAIRS HAD A FIELD DAY STRAFING A LARGE GROUP OF RED TROOPS CAUGHT IN THE OPEN.

THE CORSAIRS STRAFED BACKWARD AND FORWARD OVER THE CROUCHING TROOPS, INFLICTING MANY CASUALTIES. MARINE CARRIER BASED PLANES BOMBED AND STRAFED A COMMUNIST COMMAND POST NEAR CHUNGCHON IN THE SAME AREA.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S TUESDAY AFTERNOON WAR SUMMARY SAID LAND BASED UNITED NATIONS PLANES IN HINTERLAND RAIDS, DESTROYED EIGHT RED TANKS, SIX BUILDINGS, THREE BOXCARS, TWO TRUCKS, FOUR ARTILLERY POSITIONS AND ONE ARMORED CAR. THE PILOTS REPORTED DAMAGE ON 34 BOXCARS, THREE TRUCKS AND ONE ARTILLERY POSITION.

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NORTH KOREA TARGETS WERE ATTACKED BY U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES BOMBERS. THEY HIT BRIDGES AND RAILWAY YARDS. B-26 BOMBERS IN MONDAY NIGHT RAIDS HIT AIRFIELD AREAS AROUND SUNGCHON, TAEJON AND HAMCHONG.

TO COPE WITH THE REDS SNEAKING SUPPLIES DOWN NUMEROUS WEST COAST CHANNELS, A BRITISH SUNDERLAND SQUADRON WAS PUT ON PATROL THERE. THE FLYING BOAT UNIT IS UNDER THE COMMAND OF SQUADRON LEADER MICHAEL HELME. IT FORMERLY WAS BASED IN HONG KONG.

THE SUNDERLAND SQUADRON PATROLED FROM THE FORMER KOREAN NAVAL BASE AT MOKPO, IN THE DEEP SOUTHWEST, AS FAR NORTH AS THE MANCHURIAN BORDER.

CARRIER-BASED BRITISH FIREFULY BOMBERS AND SEAFIRE FIGHTERS COVERED THE WEST COAST AND INLAND UP THE TAEDONG RIVER TO PYONGYANG, NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

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THE BRITISH PLANES WERE CREDITED WITH SINKING A PATROL BOAT AND DAMAGING A MOTOR VESSEL, A SMALL COASTAL FREIGHTER, BOXCARS, OIL TANKS AND SEVERAL SMALL CRAFT.

EAST, SOUTH AND WEST COAST PATROLS OF THE U.S. NAVY CONTINUED. ONE EAST COAST PATROL BOMBARDED AND SILENCED A NORTH KOREAN SHORE BATTERY THAT FIRED ON IT FROM SAMCHOK, JUST SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. THE U.S. DESTROYER ESCAPED DAMAGE IN THE EXCHANGE OF FIRE.

OTHER NAVAL UNITS USED THEIR BIG GUNS TO SUPPORT SOUTH KOREAN GROUND TROOPS GRINDING NORTH FROM POHANG ON THE EAST COAST.

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A135KA (AX FW)

SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN AERIAL (150) SEE THIRD NIGHT LEAD

TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,AUG.23-(AP)-THREE NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST INDUSTRIAL CITIES WERE POUNDED TUESDAY BY U.S. B-29S WITH NEARLY 850 TONS OF 500-POUND HIGH EXPLOSIVE BOMBS.

A FAR EAST AIR FORCE SUMMARY ADDED THAT THE BIG SUPERFORTRESSES ALSO SWEPT TO THE WEST COAST TO STRIKE AT RAILROAD YARDS IN THE COMMUNIST CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG. IN ALL THE B-29S FLEW ABOUT 70 (CORRECT) SORTIES YESTERDAY.

AT THE CRACK OF DAWN TODAY FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS ROARED INTO CLEARING KOREAN SKIES TO GIVE CLOSE SUPPORT TO ALLIED GROUND FORCES. TUESDAY THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS AND THE B-29S FLEW 550 SORTIES.

THE HEAVY B-29 BOMB LOADS FELL ON THE EAST COAST CITIES OF CHONGJIN, SONGJIN AND HAMHUNG.

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HEAVIEST STRIKE WAS AGAINST CHONGJIN, JUST 60 MILES FROM SOVIET TERRITORY. THE BOMBERS, IN A ONE HOUR ATTACK, DROPPED 500 TONS OF BOMBS ON THE RAILROAD YARDS, THE DEEP-WATER PORT AND DOCK FACILITIES AND THE IRON WORKS, FORMERLY KNOWN AS MITSUBISHI.

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CHONGJIN, A LARGE INDUSTRIAL CITY, IS LOCATED ON THE EAST COAST OF NORTH KOREA, 40 MILES FROM THE MANCHURIAN BORDER AND LESS THAN 60 MILES FROM RUSSIAN MARITIME PROVINCES.

THE 500-BOMB POUNDS WERE DROPPED ON THE CHONGJIN TARGETS THROUGH AN OVERCAST. THE BOMBS WERE RELEASED BY RADAR. ONE OF THE B-29 OFFICERS SAID "A RIFT IN THE CLOUDS APPEARED JUST IN TIME FOR US TO GET A SIGHT OF THE BOMBS STRIKING THEIRTKCATS."

THE OTHER FLEET OF SUPERFORTS IN SMALLER FORMATIONS CASCADED 150 TONS OF BOMBS ON BRIDGES AND SMALLER INDUSTRIAL TARGETS. THE SIZE OF THE SMALLER FLEET WAS NOT MENTIONED IN AN AERIAL RELEASE.

A SENIOR OFFICER WHO WENT ON TODAY'S B-29 STRIKES SAID A TRAFFIC JAM AT THE CHONJIN MARSHALLING YARDS WAS "AN INDICATION THAT THE U.S. AIR FORCES INTERDICTION PROGRAM TO DESTROY TERMINAL RAIL POINTS, PARTICULARLY IN THAT AREA, HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL."

FOR THE SECOND CONSECUTIVE DAY, THE U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE AND THE ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE TOOK ADVANTAGE OF PERFECT FLYING WEATHER TO LAMBAST COMMUNIST TROOPS AND VEHICLES.

RETURNING PILOTS REPORTED THE COMBINED JOB "COST THE NORTH KOREANS IMPORTANT EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES THEY COULD ILL AFFORD TO LOSE."

TAKING PART WERE JETS, B-26 LIGHT INVADER BOMBERS, F-51 MUSTANGS AND F-82 TWIN MUSTANG ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS. THEY STRAFED TROOPS AND HIT A TANK NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, MACHINEGUNNED SUPPLIES HIDDEN IN AN ORCHARD AND BLASTED ENEMY ENTRENCHMENTS AND GUN POSITIONS ON A MOUNTAIN TOP NEAR POHANG, ON THE EAST COAST.

AUSTRALIAN MUSTANG FIGHTERS DID SOME EXPERT FIGHTING IN LATE AFTERNOON STRIKES EAST OF CHINJU AND NORTH OF TAEGU IN SOUTH CENTRAL KOREA. THEY BLASTED ENEMY ARTILLERY POSITIONS WITHIN 150 YARDS OF ALLIED TROOPS.

AN ANNOUNCEMENT SAID "ALTHOUGH RESULTS COULD NOT BE SEEN BY THE PILOTS," CONTROLLERS WERE PLEASED WITH THE RESULTS."

THE AUSTRALIAN SQUADRON CLAIMED IT HAS KNOCKED OUT 32 TANKS, 145 TRUCKS AND 17 OTHER VEHICLES, PLUS FOUR BRIDGES, TWO LOCOMOTIVES, FOUR BOXCARS, 15 BUILDINGS, 10 AMMUNITION DUMPS AND TWO LARGE VESSELS.

THE BRITISH NAVY TIGHTENED ITS CONTROL OF THE WEST COAST OF KOREA WITH THE ADDITION OF A SQUADRON OF SUNDERLAND FLYING BOATS. THE SQUADRON OF FOUR-ENGINE PLANES, ATTACHED TO THE U.S. NAVY FOR OPERATIONAL PURPOSES, FLEW TO THE WAR ZONE SEVERAL WEEKS AGO FROM HONG KONG. ITS ARRIVAL WAS NOT REPORTED OFFICIALLY UNTIL TUESDAY.

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THE SQUADRON IS USED TO FORESTALL ANY ATTEMPT BY RED FORCES TO RUN SUPPLIES BY CLOSE SHORE WATER ROUTES TO THEIR FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA.

THE RED RADIO IN PYONGYANG, CAPITAL OF NORTH KOREA, IS BROADCASTING RESULTS OF ALLIED BOMBINGS. GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID A 14,000-WORD REPORT ON THE BOMBING IS BEING BROADCAST IN DAILY INSTALLMENTS BY THE ENEMY RADIO.

THE PUZZLING BROADCAST, HEARD HERE, SAID THE ALLIES HAVE KILLED OR WOUNDED 11,582 COMMUNIST CITIZENS AND DESTROYED 11 IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL PLANTS.

OFFICERS AT HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO SAID ONE EXPLANATION FOR THE COMMUNIST ADMISSIONS WAS THAT THE REDS PROBABLY HOPED THE ALLIES WOULD DISCONTINUE BOMBING THE PLANTS.

ONE OFFICER SAID "THE NORTH KOREANS MAY BE TRYING TO AROUSE SYMPATHY AMONG OTHER ASIATIC NATIONS." HE DID NOT SPECIFY THE NATIONS.

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AERIAL

BY O.H.P.KING

TOKYO,AUG.22-(AP)-SEVENTY B-29S, ROARING WITHIN 60 MILES OF RUSSIAN TERRITORY, SLAMMED NEARLY 700 TONS OF BOMBS AT NORTH KOREAN MILITARY AND INDUSTRIAL TARGETS TODAY.

THE PRINCIPAL TARGET WAS CHONGJIN, EAST COAST INDUSTRIAL CITY ON THE SEA OF JAPAN, U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES HEADQUARTERS SAID.

CHONGJIN IS 40 MILES FROM THE MANCHURIAN BORDER AND LESS THAN 60 MILES FROM THE RUSSIAN MARITIME PROVINCES.

THE B-29S PLASTERED CHONGJIN WITH MORE THAN 500 TONS OF BOMBS DROPPED THROUGH CLOUDS. TARGETS WERE THE RAILYARDS, DEEP WATER PORT AND THE FORMER JAPANESE MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS.

B-29S ROARED OVER THE TARGET IN WAVES FOR ALMOST AN HOUR.

RETURNING CREWMEN SAID "WE HAD EXCELLENT SCOPE DEFINITION" FOR THE BOMB DROPS BY RADAR.

OTHER B-29S STRUCK AT BRIDGES AND SMALLER INDUSTRIAL TARGETS.

THE BOMBERS, FROM JAPAN AND OKINAWA, RAN INTO HEAVY ICING CONDITIONS.

MAJ.LESLIE J.WESTBERG, MILWAUKEE, SAID HIS CREW SAW THEIR BOMBS HIT INTO THE DOCK AREA AT CHONGJIN.

"A RIFT IN THE CLOUDS APPEARED JUST IN TIME FOR US TO GET A SIGHT OF THE BOMBS STRIKING THEIR TARGET," HE EXPLAINED.

MAJ.RICHARD M.HOBAN, LITTLE ROCK, WHO FLEW IN WAVES BOMBING RAILYARDS AND FACTORIES AT SONGJIN, SAID:

"OUR FIRST BOMBS STRUCK A LARGE FACTORY NORTH OF THE CITY. A BRILLIANT BURST OF ORANGE AND YELLOW APPEARED FROM THE BUILDING, FOLLOWED BY A HEAVY CLOUD OF BLACK SMOKE WHICH CLIMBED MANY THOUSANDS OF FEET."

"FLAMES SHOT UP A THOUSAND FEET," SAID CAPT.JACK R.PACKWOOD, CHEHALIS, WASH.

PACKWOOD SAID HIS WAVE BOMBED A LARGE FACTORY PARTIALLY HIDDEN BESIDE A HILL. "WE MUST HAVE STRUCK SOMETHING, FOR LARGE CLOUDS OF WHITE SMOKE PUFFED UP AND THEN BLEW ACROSS THE CITY."

SONGJIN, ALSO ON THE JAPAN SEA, IS 35 AIR MILES SOUTH OF CHONGJIN.

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CREWS SAID THE SONGJIN RAILYARDS WERE JAMMED WITH TRAFFIC. BOMBS HIT ROLLING STOCK AND STARTED FIRES.

AN OFFICER SAID THE TRAFFIC JAM INDICATED THAT U.S. AIR FORCE RAIDS TO DESTROY TERMINAL RAIL POINTS HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL.

THE NORTH KOREAN PYONGYANG RADIO BROADCAST THAT ALLIED BOMBINGS HAD DESTROYED 11 IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL PLANTS AND KILLED OR INJURED 11,582 CIVILIANS BETWEEN JULY 2 AND AUG. 3. HALF THE CASUALTIES WERE KILLED, THE BROADCAST SAID. IT ADDED THAT 16,504 HOUSES HAD BEEN DAMAGED.

WHILE THE B-29S HIT NORTH KOREA, U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN FIGHTERS ATTACKED COMMUNIST TROOPS AND VEHICLES IN THE BATTL AREA.

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS AND F-82 TWIN MUSTANGS FLEW NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS. DAY FIGHTERS ROARED OUT AT DAWN.

LT.JOHN M.RAGLAND, LIBERAL, KAS., DAMAGED A RED TANK WITH A ROCKET SALVO.

FOUR F-80 SHOOTING STAR JETS ROCKETED AND MACHINEGUNNED ENEMY ENTRENCHMENTS AND GUN POSITIONS ON A MOUNTAIN TOP NEAR POHANG.

SECOND LT.WILLIAM L.LOGETTE, LITTLE ROCK, SAID A NUMBER OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE KILLED.

MAJ.MICHAEL C.MORGAN, FAIRMONT, MINN., LED A FLIGHT OF JETS IN STRAFING ATTACKS ON RED TROOPS AND ARTILLERY 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

THE B-26S POUNDED TARGETS FROM SAMCHOK TO NONSAN. THEY DAMAGED RAILYARDS, A BRIDGE AND HIT "AT LEAST 13 TROOP CONCENTRATIONS," HEADQUARTERS SAID.

LT.JAMES M.MORROW, SWEETWATER, TEX., SAID "WE SCORED DIRECT HITS ON THE YARD AT CHONDU. FIRES FOLLOWED THE ATTACK. WE THEN DIVE BOMBED RAILROAD TRACKS IN TWO SECTORS, SCORING DIRECT HITS.

SECOND LT.MELVIN R.STAHL, ADEL, IOWA, SAID CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE WAS INFLICTED ON A RED COMMAND POST AT CHINJU, RED-HELD TOWN ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. HE ADDED: "WE WEREN'T CONSERVATIVE IN THE USE OF AMMUNITION AGAINST THAT KIND OF TARGET."

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A152KX

TOKYO, AUG. 22-(AP)-O.H.P. (OKEY) KING, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WHO WAS IN KOREA WHEN THE WAR BROKE OUT AND COVERED MUCH OF THE BITTER EARLY FIGHTING, RECEIVED A LETTER A FEW DAYS AGO AT ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS FROM AN INSURANCE COMPANY. IT SAID IN PART:

"YOU'RE IN A BAD POSITION. YOUR . . . ACCIDENT INSURANCE HAS LAPSED. . .

U "ACCIDENTS HAVE AN UNCANNY WAY OF HAPPENING WHEN INSURANCE IS LAPSED. SO BE SURE TO SIGN YOUR CARD BEFORE YOU FORGET IT AGAIN AND SEND IT BACK TODAY."

KING MAILED THE CARD--PRONTO.

--DASH--

IN CHICAGO, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE INSURANCE COMPANY SAID "WE DIDN'T KNOW KING WAS IN KOREA WHEN WE SENT THE CARD. IT WAS MAILED TO HIS PERMANENT ADDRESS.

"WE WOULD HAVE TO STUDY THE CASE, BUT I DOUBT VERY MUCH IF WE COULD GIVE KING A RENEWAL. WE HAVEN'T COME TO A FULL DECISION AS TO WHAT TYPE OF WAR CLAUSE WE'RE GOING TO ADOPT. THE POLICY WOULD DO HIM NO GOOD IF HE WERE PAYING FOR SOMETHING HE WASN'T COVERED ON."

THE SPOKESMAN SAID MOST ACCIDENT POLICIES DO NOT EXTEND OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA. HE SAID HIS FIRM'S DID, BUT EXCLUDED ANY COUNTRY IN A STATE OF WAR OR INSURRECTION.

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U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA,WEDNESDAY,AUG.23-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS TODAY LAUNCHED AN ATTACK ON INFILTRATING REDS WHO HAD WORMED BEHIND THE U.S. 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT YESTERDAY, EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED.

THE MISSION OF THE ATTACK, A COMMUNIQUE SAID, WAS TOO CLEAR THE AREA OF ENEMY TROOPS AND SECURE THE SUPPLY ROAD. IT WAS IN THIS AREA YESTERDAY THAT THE AMERICANS KNOCKED OUT A ROADBLOCK THE REDS HAD SET UP BEHIND THE AMERICAN LINES.

THE REDS YESTERDAY HAD INFILTRATED BEHIND THE FAMED U.S. REGIMENT COMMANDED BY COL. JOHN (MIKE) MICHAELIS ON THE FRONT ABOUT 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THE REDS WERE PUSHED BACK 1,000 YARDS YESTERDAY, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

THE REDS LAUNCHED LIGHT ATTACKS DURING THE NIGHT AGAINST BOTH THE 27TH REGIMENT AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES IN THE AREA BUT ALL WERE REPELLED, THE COMMUNIQUE SAID. THREE RED TANKS WERE USED AGAINST THE 27TH.

ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, THE COMMUNIQUE REPORTED THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION YESTERDAY REGAINED GROUND LOST TO THE REDS IN THE PAST TWO DAYS. SOUTH KOREAN MARINES, ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE 25TH, WERE HEAVILY ENGAGED BY THE REDS YESTERDAY AND PLACED UNDER ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE.

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B25KX (EGQS) (AWARDS)

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U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG.22-(AP)-THE EIGHTH ARMY TODAY ANNOUNCED THE AWARD OF 25 BRONZE STAR MEDALS AND ONE OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE BRONZE STAR TO MEN AND OFFICERS OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY, 24TH AND 25TH DIVISIONS.

M/SGT.CARLETON R.CATON, 25TH DIVISION, OF MERIDIAN, MISS., WAS AWARDED THE BRONZE STAR POSTHUMOUSLY.

LT.-COL. PAUL T.CLIFFORD, FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION, RECEIVED THE OAK LEAF CLUSTER.

TWENTY-FOURTH DIVISION BRONZE STAR AWARDS INCLUDED: PFC ERNEST D.

MCDONALD, SPENCER, W.VA., PFC EDWARD W.WAHLERT, DEXTER, IA.; PFC HAROLD L.JONES, INDIANAPOLIS; SGT.DWIGHT L.CONDREY, ATLANTA; PFC CHESTER L.BAILEY OF KENTUCKY AND CPL.HERMAN B.CRITCHFIELD OF MISSOURI.

TWENTY-FIFTH DIVISION INCLUDED:

SGT.JEWELL H.EAGLEBARGER OF GEORGIA; PFC.HENRY L.OCAIN OF SOUTH CAROLINA; PFC. HOWARD E.BASYE OF OHIO; PFC. MERRILL L.LLILLPOP OF INDIANA; CPL. ROBERT MCCRAY OF OHIO AND PFC.WILLIAM E.STRICKLAND OF MARYLAND.

FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION INCLUDED:

WARRANT OFFICER CULLEN LEE DAVIDSON OF TENNESSEE; PVT KENNETH S. GATES OF MICHIGA AND PFC KENNETH D.STRONBRAKER OF PENNSYLVANIA.

(EDS: HOME TOWNS WERE NOT PROVIDED BY THE ARMY WHERE MISSING).

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BA (160)

WITH U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA,AUG.22-(AP)-PVT.JOSEPH WILKINSON OF BALTIMORE SAT DOWN TO "THE BEST MEAL I'VE EVER HAD" AFTER SWEATING OUT SEVEN DAYS BEHIND ENEMY LINES IN A DESERTED VILLAGE.

THE VILLAGE WAS PATROLED CONSTANTLY BY NORTH KOREAN TROOPS.

WILSON BECAME SEPARATED FROM HIS COMPANY WHEN IT WAS SURROUNDED ON THE NAKTONG RIVER. HE THOUGHT HE FLED SOUTH BUT ACTUALLY WENT NORTH.

WHEN HE CAME TO A DESERTED VILLAGE HE CRAWLED UNDER A HOUSE.

AN HOUR LATER A PATROL OF NORTH KOREANS SEARCHED THAT HOUSE AND OTHERS BUT DIDN'T FIND HIM, WILKINSON SAID.

THEY LEFT THE VILLAGE AT NIGHT AND WILKINSON ROAMED AROUND HELPING HIMSELF TO FOOD. HE ALSO PICKED APPLES IN A NEARBY ORCHARD.

"AFTER THE SEVENTH NIGHT," WILKINSON SAID, "THE PATROL DID NOT RETURN SO I MADE A BREAK FOR IT." HE SAID HE MET NO ENEMY SOLDIERS. FINALLY HE STUMBLED ON AN AMERICAN IN A FOXHOLE.

THE SOLDIER'S PLATOON SERGEANT, WILKINSON SAID, "SENT ME BACK TO THE BATTALION COMMAND POST FOR THE BEST MEAL I'VE EVER HAD."

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(550)
BY STAN SWINTON

WITH U.S. 25TH DIVISION ON THE SOUTHWEST KOREAN FRONT, AUG. 21 (DELAYED)-(AP)-THREE HUNDRED NORTH KOREANS SUNDAY CAUGHT 25 GALLANT NEGRO INFANTRYMEN AND THEIR WHITE CAPTAIN IN A TRAP.

ALTHOUGH ENCIRCLED, THE SMALL BAND OF AMERICANS DIDN'T GIVE UP. THIRTEEN HOURS LATER, WITH THE HELP OF CLOSE AERIAL SUPPORT, THEY BATTLED THEIR WAY TO FRIENDLY UNITS.

"THEY (THE ENEMY) WERE SO CLOSE WE COULD JUST ABOUT SHAKE HANDS," SAID SGT. FIRST CLASS LEONARD FORD OF 5128 WAKEFIELD ST., PHILADELPHIA.

THEIR AIR SUPPORT WAS PROBABLY THE CLOSEST OF THE WAR. AN ARTILLERY LIAISON PILOT SAW CAPT. LAWRENCE M. CORCORAN WAVE HIS CARBINE. FIGHTER PLANES WERE ORDERED TO ATTACK.

THEY SWEPT IN SO CLOSE THAT ONE NEGRO INFANTRYMAN WAS WOUNDED; BUT IT CHECKED THE ONRUSHING REDS.

THEN FOUR MINUTES AFTER CORCORAN CALLED HIS MEN DOWN FROM THE HIGHEST PEAK, AMERICAN BOMBERS PLASTERED THE AREA WITH 500 BOMBS. LOOSENED STONES INJURED THREE MORE AMERICANS.

"I LOST MY HELMET AND WAS HOLDING A BORROWED ONE OVER MY HEAD WHEN ONE ROCK SMASHED INTO IT. THAT WAS REALLY A CLOSE ONE," RECALLED CORCORAN.

THE COMPANY WAS ON BATTLE MOUNTAIN--THAT'S THE BLOOD SOAKED PEAK ABOUT TWO MILES SOUTHWEST OF HAMAN. IT HAS SINCE BEEN REGAINED AND LOST AGAIN TO THE KOREAN REDS.

LT.WILLIAM BLACKBURNE OF 672 LANGLEY ST., CHICAGO, PHONED TO CORCORAN THAT AN ENEMY COMPANY HAD ATTACKED HIS PLATOON.

BLACKBURNE'S PLATOON AND ANOTHER WERE DRIVEN OFF THE SLOPE. CONCUSSION FROM A GRENADE BLEW THE LIEUTENANT DOWN THE SLOPE BUT HE WAS UNHURT.

LATER BLACKBURNE GUIDED COUNTER-ATTACKING FORCES.

BACK ON THE HILL, CORCORAN RECALLED, "THE GOOKS (ENEMY) WERE CLOSE UP AND THROWING PERCUSSION GRENADES, BIG BLACK THINGS THAT FLASH. I COUNTED 25 FLANKING US. I STARTED UP THE HILL BUT WAS DRIVEN BACK. THE GOOKS HAD BROKEN OUR LINE. ALL BUT 25 OF MY MEN HAD BEEN DRIVEN BACK. I GATHERED THEM TOGETHER."

SGT. FORD, WHO IS FILLING A LIEUTENANT'S JOB BY COMMABDING A PLATOON, ADDED:

"WE HAD TWO MACHINEGUNS. THEY RAN TOWARD US AND WE KEPT CUTTING THEM DOWN."

THE MACHINEGUNNERS WERE PFC JOE KORNEGAY OF KINSTON, N.C., AND CPL. WILLIAM MCGOWAN OF NEWPORT, KY.

"DAWN BROKE JUST BEFORE THAT," MCGOWAN SAID. "THEY WERE ON THE SKYLINE MAKING LOTS OF NOISE. WE STARTED CUTTING THEM DOWN. A SNIPER ALMOST GOT TWO OF OUR BOYS SO I SHOT HIM AND ANOTHER. KORNEGAY GOT FOUR MORE JUST THEN."

PFC JAMES TRAVIS OF CAMBRIDGE, MASS., A BAZOOKAMAN, SENT ONE ROUND INTO A BUNCH OF THE REDS. THREE WERE KILLED.

"YOU KNOCK ONE DOWN AND THREE OR FOUR MORE COME UP," CORCORAN SAID. "THERE WERE A COUPLE OF HUNDRED JUST AROUND US. AFTER THEY BROKE THROUGH WE STAYED THERE CLEANING UP THOSE PEOPLE. WE WERE PICKING THEM OFF LIKE DUCKS TWO AT A TIME."

AMMUNITION WAS RUNNING SHORT BUT PFC JOHN M. MOORE OF 4510 WILLIAMS ST., DETROIT, AN AMMUNITION BEARER, DARINGLY MOVED ABOUT GETTING IT TO THE GUNS.

THE PLANES CAME OVER 31 TIMES HITTING THE NEARBY ENEMY WITH ROCKETS, FIREBOMBS AND 50 CALIBER BULLETS.

AFTER DARK CORCORAN ORDERED HIS MEN TOGETHER AND THEY FOUGHT THEIR WAY OUT. THREE MORE WERE WOUNDED BUT THE GALLANT LITTLE BAND GOT THEM TO SAFETY.

"I WAS IN OKINAWA AND IN THE PHILIPPINES BUT THIS WAS MY TOUGHEST EXPERIENCE," CORCORAN CONCLUDED LATE MONDAY.

THEN HE REASSEMBLED HIS COMPANY AND MOVED BACK UP THE SAME HILL AGAIN.

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A85FX
SOUTHERN FRONT (200)
BY STAN SWINTON

WITH U.S. 25TH DIVISION IN KOREA,AUG.22-(AP)-25TH DIVISION INFANTRYMEN GRABBED BACK EVERY BIT OF GROUND THE NORTH KOREANS HAD GAINED EARLY TODAY IN THEIR DRIVE TOWARD HAMAN ON THE SOUTHWEST KOREA FRONT.

"BATTLE MOUNTAIN"--KEY POSITION TWO MILES SOUTHWEST OF HAMAN--CHANGED HANDS FOR THE FIFTH TIME IN FOUR DAYS AS NEGRO INFANTRYMEN OF THE 24TH REGIMENT DROVE THE REDS OFF. A VANGUARD CHARGE BY 1,500 COMMUNISTS HAD CAPTURED BATTLE MOUNTAIN ONLY THIS MORNING.

SIX MILES NORTHWEST OF HAMAN THE 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENT FOUGHT BACK AFTER THE ATTACKING REDS HAD MADE SOME ADVANCES. BY TUESDAY NIGHT THE 35TH SOLIDLY HELD ITS ORIGINAL POSITION.

THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII FOUGHT ITS WAY UP SOBUK MOUNTAIN TUESDAY AGAINST TOUGH OPPOSITION. THE TOWN AT THE FOOT OF SOBUK HAD BEEN CAPTURED MONDAY. THE FIFTH RCT ATTACK STRAIGHTENED AMERICAN LINES ON THE SOUTHWEST FRONT.

SOUTH KOREAN MARINES BROUGHT IN ANOTHER 22 PRISONERS FROM THE

TONGYONG FRONT WHERE THEY MADE AN AMPHIBIOUS ASSAULT FRIDAY FAR TO THE SOUTH OF THE AMERICAN LINE. THE MARINES, DUG IN ON THE NECK OF THE PENINSULA, BEAT BACK A COUNTERATTACK TUESDAY.

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(250)

WITH U.S. 27TH REGIMENT--FIRST ADD TAEGU (A59, BY WHITEHEAD) X X X WAS REOPENED.

COL.JOHN "MIKE" ~~MACHAELIS~~ MICHAELIS OF LANCASTER, PA., COMMANDER OF THE 27TH WOLFHOUND REGIMENT, SAID HE COULD NOT UNDERSTAND THE RED TACTICS OF THROWING ATTACKS THREE NIGHTS IN A ROW AGAINST THE SAM POSITIONS.

"I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY THEY REPEAT THESE STUPID TACTICS," HE SAID. "BUT I HOPE THEY KEEP RIGHT ON DOING IT."

THE RED TANKS WERE 32-TON RUSSIAN-MADE T-34S MOUNTING HIGH VELOCITY 76-MM GUNS.

THE TANK BATTLE WAS FOUGHT BY FOUR AMERICAN PERSHING TANKS AGAINST NINE ENEMY TANKS WHICH ROLLED AGAINST AMERICAN POSITIONS AT 3/30 A.M. TODAY. THE ENEMY RAN HEADON INTO FOUR TANKS FROM COMPANY C OF THE 73RD TANK BATTALION COMMANDED BY CAPT.OTIS D.SAUM, 30 BRONSON 1, WATERBURY, CONN.

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OF THE 73RD TANK BATTALION COMMANDED BY CAPT.OTIS D.SAUM, 30 BRONSON ST., WATERBURY, CONN.

"THEY BROUGHT FOUR VEHICLES DOWN THE ROAD AND OUR TANKS KNOCKED THEM OUT," SAUM SAID. "THEN THE RED TANKS CAME IN. THE TANKS WERE FIRING AT 300 YARDS.

"THE SECOND TANKS WAS KNOCKED OUT WHEN A SHELL WENT THROUGH THE RIGHT FRONT TRACK AND HIT A BOGIE WHEEL. THEN WE GOT A HIT UNDER THE TURRET OF THE LEADING TANK AND IT WAS SET AFIRE BY THE WHITE PHOSPHOROUS SHELL."

THE TANKS BLAZED AWAY AT EACH OTHER FOR TWO HOURS, SAUM SAID, WITH AMERICAN ARTILLERY ALSO POUNDING THE RED COLUMN.

THE ONLY DAMAGE TO THE AMERICAN TANKS WAS A SMALL DENT FROM A 20-MM SHELL.

THE AMERICANS SENT OUT A TANK RETRIEVER TO HAUL ONE OF THE RED TANKS BACK TO AN ORDNANCE DEPOT WHERE TANK EXPERTS COULD STUDY THE RUSSIAN ARMOR.

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A59FX (WHITEHEAD)

TAEGU (350)

BY DON WHITEHEAD

WITH U.S. 27TH REGIMENT IN KOREA, AUG.22-(AP)-A RED KOREAN ROADBLOCK TWO MILES BEHIND AMERICAN LINES AND 10 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU WAS WIPED OUT TODAY AFTER IT HAD STYMIED ALL ALLIED SUPPLIES TO THE CENTRAL BATTLEFRONT FOR TWO HOURS.

AMERICAN FORCES KNOCKED OUT THE ROADBLOCK UNDER HEAVY ENEMY ARTILLERY FIRE.

THE RED DRIVE TOWARD TAEGU ROARED THROUGH THE FOURTH DAY WITH AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS BATTLING TO STEM THE MAIN NORTH KOREAN FORCE 12 MILES NORTH OF THE CITY.

RED SNIPERS AND GUNNERS SLIPPED ACROSS THE RIDGES AND RAKED THE MAIN AMERICAN SUPPLY ROAD WITH BULLETS. OTHERS DROPPED MORTAR SHELLS INTO AMERICAN ARTILLERY POSITIONS AND SUPPLY AREAS THAT WOULD BE CONSIDERED SAFE IN ANY NORMAL WAR.

THE MAIN AMERICAN POSITIONS HELD STEADY UNDER PRESSURE OF THREE RED DIVISIONS NOW IDENTIFIED AS THE 13TH, THIRD AND FIRST. BUT THE ROAD TO TAEGU WAS UNDER FIRE BY SMALL ENEMY GROUPS AS MUCH AS THREE MILES BEHIND THE FRONT.

I VISITED THE FORWARD BATTALION OF AMERICAN TROOPS FOR SIX HOURS DURING THE DAY. BUT I SPENT HALF THE TIME DIVING FOR COVER FROM ENEMY MACHINEGUN FIRE OR LYING IN A DITCH WITH SNIPER BULLETS WHIPPING THE WEEDS ALONG THE ROAD.

THIS ILLUSTRATES THE TYPE OF WARFARE ALONG THE ENTIRE FRONT AND EVEN THE SO-CALLED "REAR AREAS." THESE BECOME ISOLATED BATTLEGROUNDS, FORCING ENGINEERS, ARTILLERYMEN AND SUPPLY PERSONNEL TO ASSUME THE ROLE OF INFANTRYMEN.

THE REDS MADE A FRONTAL ATTACK ON THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE 27TH REGIMENT. AMERICAN TANKS FOUGHT IT OUT WITH THE ENEMY AT 400 YARDS. AMERICAN ARMOR SCORED A CLEAN CUT VICTORY.

THE AMERICANS KNOCKED OUT FOUR TANKS IN THIS BATTLE. TANKMEN AND ARTILLERY EACH ACCOUNTED FOR TWO. INFANTRYMEN ALSO DESTROYED A NORTH KOREAN SELF-PROPELLED GUN WITH 3.5-INCH ROCKET FIRE.

NO AMERICAN TANKS WERE HIT.

IN THREE NIGHTS AMERICAN FORCES HAVE KNOCKED OUT 10 ENEMY TANKS. THERE WERE NINE NORTH KOREAN TANKS IN TODAY'S TANK BATTLE.

THE COMMUNIST ROADBLOCK WAS ON THE SAME ROAD THE REDS HAD TRIED TO COME DOWN TOWARD TAEGU FOR THE LAST FEW DAYS. AMERICAN POSITIONS WERE REPORTED UNDER VERY HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE DURING THE TIEUP AND A NUMBER OF TROOPS AND CORRESPONDENTS WERE IN A PRECARIOUS POSITION UNTIL THE ROAD WAS REOPENED.

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BY DON WHITEHEAD

EON THE NORTHERN AMERICAN FRONT IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE U. S. 27TH REGIMENT TODAY EXPECTED AN ENEMY OFFENSIVE TOWARD TAEGU WITHIN 48 HOURS.

"THIS IS A CRITICAL PHASE," SAID COL. JOHN MICHAELIS AT HIS COMMAND POST. "THERE COULD BE A DECISION IN THE NEXT 48 HOURS AND IF WE STOP THEM WE WILL BREAK THE BACK OF THIS DRIVE."

(WHITEHEAD'S DISPATCH MADE NO MENTION OF AN ATTACK BY THE 27TH REGIMENT WHICH U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID BEGAN WEDNESDAY MORNING.)

ONE PENETRATION BY A SMALL GROUP OF REDS HAD MOVED TO WITHIN EIGHT MILES OF THE KEY CITY OF TAEGU. THE ENEMY WAS RAKING THE MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE WITH MACHINEGUN FIRE AT INTERVALS.

SPEARHEAD ELEMENTS OF THREE RED DIVISIONS PROBED AND SLASHED AT AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN POSITIONS ALONG THE ROAD LEADING NORTH FROM TAEGU.

AMERICAN TROOPS WERE ALERT AND READY FOR ACTION ALL ALONG THAT ROAD, EVEN AS MUCH AS FIVE MILES BEHIND THE FRONT LINES WHICH ARE 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

MICHAELIS SAID HE WAS CONFIDENT HIS TROOPS WOULD HOLD FAST AT THE FRONT. HIS MAIN WORRY WAS THAT THE REDS BY A FLANKING MOVE WOULD CUT HIS MAIN LINE OF SUPPLY.

REINFORCEMENTS WERE BEING MOVED INTO HIGH GROUND THIS MORNING IN AN EFFORT TO KNOCK THE ENEMY BACK.

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A22KX

ROADBLOCK (500)

BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH U.S. FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA, AUG 22-(AP)1AN ESTIMATED 1,000 NORTH KOREANS PRESSED A STRONG FLANK ATTACK TONIGHT ON AMERICAN FORCES IN A MENACING THRUST TOWARD TAEGU.

THE REDS, ON A HIGHER RIDGE THAN THE ONE THE AMERICANS OCCUPIED TO SAFEGUARD THEIR MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE TO THE NORTHERN FRONT, CHOPPED AWAY WITH SMALL ARMS, MORTARS AND MACHINEGUNS. THEIR TARGETS WERE U.S. ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY POSITIONS AND THEY WERE ABLE TO BRING THE ROAD LEADING TO TAEGU UNDER STIFF HARASSING FIRE.

(LATER FIELD DISPATCHES SAID AMERICAN FORCES CLEARED THE ROADBLOCK DESPITE HEAVY ENEMY ARTILLERY FIRE.)

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THE NORTH KOREANS WHO HAD BEEN INFILTRATING FOR SEVERAL DAYS AND NIGHTS THROUGH A GAP IN THE AMERICAN-SOUTH KOREAN FRONT LINE, BROUGHT THE U.S. 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT COMMAND POST UNDER SMALL ARMS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE. THEY DROVE THE ARTILLERY MEN FROM SOME 105 MILLIMETE GUN BATTERIES.

AS NIGHT FELL THE REDS WERE EDGING GRADUALLY SOUTH, APPARENTLY TRYING TO FLANK OR BYPASS THE 27TH WOLFHOUNDS AND OTHER U.S. UNITS, AND PRESS FOR TAEGU.

THE COMMUNISTS WERE ATTACKED BY NAVY AND MARINE CORSAIRS, F-51 MUSTANGS AND SCREAMING JET SHOOTING STARS. THE PLANES WERE FLYING PERILOUSLY LOW.

THEY RIPPED THE REDS WITH MACHINEGUN FIRE AND ROCKETS IN PLAIN VIEW OF THE COMMAND POST.

SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE MOVING UP TO STEM THE COMMUNIST ATTACK. ARTILLERY BLASTED AWAY AT THE REDS, FIRING OVER THE HEADS OF MACHINEGUNNERS AND INFANTRYMEN WHO WERE CONTESTING THE NORTH KOREAN ADVANCE.

FIRST LT. RICHARD HAGER OF MOORESVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA, AN OFFICER IN A 105-MILLIMETER ARTILLERY BATTERY, SAID THE REDS ATTACKED HIS POSITION ABOUT 5 A.M. TODAY WITH SMALL ARMS, MACHINEGUNS AND MORTARS. HE SAID ONE MORTAR ROUND FELL ON A TENT, KILLING OR WOUNDING ALL BUT ONE MAN. (THERE WAS NO INDICATION OF THE NUMBER OF MEN IN THE TENT.)

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RED FIRE CONTINUED TO SWEEP THE AREA.

"AT ONE TIME I THOUGHT I WAS THE ONLY OFFICER ALIVE IN THE BATTALION," HAGER SAID. HE FOUND LATER A CAPTAIN HAD LED 15 MEN FROM THE POSITION.

ABOUT ONE HOUR LATER, RED INFANTRYMEN DROVE SOUTH AGAINST A RIDGE OCCUPIED BY AN AMERICAN UNIT.

SGT. FIRST CLASS STEPHAN WALSTON OF GREENVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA, SAID HIS UNIT KILLED 40 OR 50 NORTH KOREANS WHO ROARED "BANZAI" AS THEY ATTACKED. THE CHARGE TOOK PLACE ABOUT 4:30 P.M. AFTER THREE HOURS OF SNIPING AND HARASSING FIRE.

WALSTON, TIRED AND HAGGARD, SAID "WE KILLED THEM," WHEN ASKED IF HIS UNIT HAD DRIVEN BACK THE NORTH KOREANS.

THE RED FIRE ON THE 27TH REGIMENTAL COMMAND POST AND OTHER POSITIONS WAS BLUNTED DURING THE AFTERNOON BY IMPRESSIVE AIR STRIKES AND ARTILLERY FIRE.

BUT BY 8 P.M. TONIGHT COMMUNIST SNIPERS AND MACHINEGUNNERS STILL WERE BUSY.

CAPT. EEL ACE (SIC), A DOCTOR, OF DELAWARE WATER GAP, PA., A KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP LIAISON OFFICER WITH THE 27TH REGIMENT, TOOK A BULLET THROUGH THE WINDSHIELD OF HIS JEEP AS HE RACED SOUTH FROM THE BATTLE SCENE. ACE SAID RED ARTILLERY, MORTARS, MACHINEGUNS AND RIFLE FIRE FELL ON THE 27TH COMMAND POST DURING THE DAY. THE KOREAN REDS, HE SAID, APPROACHED "CLOSE ENOUGH SO WE COULD SEE THEM."

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KOREAN MARINES (280)

BY WILLIAM SHINN

A KOREAN PORT, AUG. 22-(AP)-A KOREAN NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY SOUTH KOREAN MARINES LANDED YESTERDAY ON EJAK ISLAND OFF INCHON, PORT OF SEOUL ON THE YELLOW SEA.

THE LANDING WAS THE THIRD MADE IN THE PAST WEEK FAR BEHIND ENEMY LINES IN THAT AREA.

NO DETAILS WERE GIVEN.

SOUTH KOREAN MARINES AIDED BY ALLIED PLANES WERE MOPPING UP ENEMY FORCES IN THE TONGYONG AREA ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN COASTAL FRONT.

THE MARINES LANDED FROM THE SEA FRIDAY ON THE SOUTH COAST TO PREVENT A POSSIBLE INVASION OF KOJE ISLAND JUST EAST OF THE TONGYONG PENINSULA.

CAPTURE OF KOJE BY THE REDS WOULD THREATEN THE MAIN ALLIED SUPPLY BASE AT PUSAN.

LT.CMDR. D.C.HOLLY, AMERICAN ADVISER TO THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVY, SAID IT BOMBARDED RED POSITIONS AT 5 P.M. YESTERDAY. THEN ALLIED PLANES HIT THE NORTH KOREANS AND THE SOUTH KOREAN MARINES MOVED IN FOR THE MOP-UP.

SOME RED FORCES HELD OUT. THE PLANES ATTACKED AGAIN TODAY.

LT. CMDR. CHUNG TAL BIN OF THE SOUTH KOREAN NAVY SAID THE KOREAN MARINES CAPTURED MORE THAN 100 RED TROOPS. THIRTY-TWO WERE TAKEN TO PUSAN FOR QUESTIONING.

CHUNG SAID THE PRISONERS, MOSTLY YOUNGSTERS, REPORTED SUPPLIES WERE BECOMING INCREASINGLY SCARCE AND THEY FELT THERE WAS LITTLE CHANC FOR THE REDS TO WIN.

TWO PRISONERS SAID THEY WERE FORCED INTO THE RED ARMY AND AFTER ONLY 20 DAYS OF TRAINING WERE RUSHED SOUTH "TO LIBERATE PEOPLE OPPRESSED BY THE IMPERIALISTIC UNITED STATES."

THE CAPTIVES SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN AMPHIBIOUS OPERATION PREVENTED THE REDS FROM REINFORCING 200 NORTH KOREANS WHO ENTERED TONGYONG AT DAWN THURSDAY.

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(EDITOR'S NOTE: THE FOLLOWING DISPATCH BY AP'S AMERICAN EDUCATED KOREAN CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM SHINN IS ONE OF THE RARE INSTANCES IN WHICH A REPORTER HAS BEEN ABLE TO TALK WITH NORTH KOREA CAPTIVES IN THEIR NATIVE TONGUE. SHINN, A NORTH KOREAN BY BIRTH, IS LOYAL TO THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT. HE COVERED THE REPUBLICAN CAPITAL IN SEOUL BEFORE THE INVASION AND RETREATED SOUTH WITH THE RHEE GOVERNMENT.)

BY WILLIAM SHINN

WITH U. S. FORCES IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 23-(AP)-A NORTH KOREAN ARMY CAPTAIN---NOW A PRISONER OF WAR---SAID TODAY HE SERVED WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNIST 8TH ROUTE ARMY UNTIL ORDERED TO JOIN THE NORTH KOREAN RED ARMY IN JULY, 1947.

CAPTAIN PAK TONG HYUP TOLD ME THAT HE WAS ONE OF 1,500 KOREANS IN THE FIRST REGIMENT OF THE 166TH DIVISION OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY. THESE KOREAN SOLDIERS CROSSED THE YALU RIVER INTO NORTH KOREA AT SINUIJU IN JULY, 1947. SINUIJU IS JUST ACROSS THE MANCHURIAN BORDER IN THE NORTHWESTERN SECTION OF KOREA.

PAK SAID THESE NORTHERN KOREANS, TRAINED BY THE CHINESE REDS, WERE STATIONED ON SINUIJU UNTIL JUNE 16, 1950, WHEN THEY WERE ORDERED TO MOVE DOWN TO THE 38TH PARALLEL, NEAR KAESONG, FOR THE INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA. MOST OF THEM, HE SAID, WERE BORN AND RAISED IN MANCHURIA.

PAK TOLD ME THAT THE 164TH DIVISION OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY ALSO HAD AREGIMENT COMPOSED OF KOREANS ONLY. THEY CROSSED THE YALU RIVER TO JOIN THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY.

PAK'S REGIMENT HAD SIX RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS AND A RUSSIAN ADVISER WHO WORKED BEHIND THE LINES, THE CAPTIVE SAID IN AN INTERVIEW.

THE 25-YEAR-OLD PRISONER OF WAR IS ONE OF 1,043 IN A PRISON CAMP COMMANDED BY MAJN. JOHN B. KOAR, JR., WHO HANDLED GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR AT FORT BEVEN, MASS., IN THE LAST WAR.

ASKED WHO STARTED THE WAR, PARK SAID "WE DID."

PAK SAID THE NORTH KOREANS STARTED SHOOTING AT 4 A. M. ON JUNE 25.

THE CAPTAIN SAID HIS FAMILY IS IN ...NCHURIA WHERE HE WENT TO SCHOOL AND JOINED THE CHINESE RED ARMY AFTER GRADUATING FROM A MILITARY ACADEMY IN KANDO, NEAR THE MANCHURIAN-KOREAN-RUSSIAN BORDER. HE SAID HE EARNED HIS CAPTAINCY IN THE CHINESE RED ARMY.

PAK AND NINE OTHER REDS OF THE KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION WEGE CAPTURED NEAR CHINJU ON AUG. 11 BY AMERICAN TROOPS.

HE SAID HE HAS NOT BEEN MISTREATED. ASKED WHY HE FOUGHT , HE SAID "FOR UNIFICATION OF THE FATHERLAND."

PAK AND ANOGHER CAPTURED NORTH KOREAN OFFICER, COMMANDER CHOI CHUNG SUN, SAID THE NORTH KOREANS DO NOT LIKE TO KILL THEIR OWN BROTHERS IN SOUTH KOREA. THEY ONLY WANT TO UNIFY THE COUNTRY, THEY SAID. CHOI COMMANDED A RED TORPEDO BOAT UNTIL HE WAS TAKEN PRISONER BY A BRITISH CRUISER ON AUG. 2.

OF FIVE PRISONERS OF WAR INTERVIEWED, TWO SAID THEY WERE IMPRESSED INTO THE RED ARMY IN SEOUL AFTER THE FALL OF THAT SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL EARLY IN THE WAR. ONE PRISONER WAS 50 YEARS OLD, THE OTHER 18.

THE YOUNGEST POW IN THE CAMP WAS A 13-YEAR-OLD BOY.

THE PRISONERS HAVE COTS, BLANKETS AND NECESSARY TOILET ARTICLES FURNISHED BY THE AMERICAN ARMY. THEY GET FIVE DOUBLE HANDFULS OF RICE AND TWO CIGARETTES A DAY.

THEY ARE AFRAID TO HAVE THEIR NAMES REPORTED TO THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS AUTHORITIES IN GENEVA FOR FEAR THEIR FAMILIES MAY BE PERSECUTED AT HOME BY COMMUNIST OFFICIALS. NORTH KOREANS, THEY SAID, HAVE BEEN ORDERED NOT TO BE TAKEN PRISONER.

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TOKYO,AUG.22-(AP)-THE BRITISH NAVY HAS CLAMPED HARDER PRESSURE ON THE BLOCKADED WEST COAST OF KOREA WITH A SQUADRON OF BIG FOUR-ENGINE SUNDERLAND FLYING BOATS. THE SUNDERLANDS ALREADY HAVE SEEN ACTION.

THE SQUADRON FLEW TO THE WAR ZONE SEVERAL WEEKS AGO FROM HONG KONG BUT ITS ARRIVAL WAS NOT REPORTED OFFICIALLY UNTIL TODAY.

THE UNIT IS COMMANDED BY SQUADRON LEADER MICHAEL HELME.ROYAL AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS SAID THE SEAPLANES HAVE BEEN PATROLLING THE KOREAN COAST FROM MOKPO ALMOST TO THE MANCHURIAN BORDER IN NIGHT OPERATIONS.

THEY HAVE TAKEN OVER A MAJOR ROLE IN THE TIGHTENING BLOCKADE.THE KOREA WEST COAST IS STUDDED WITH THOUSANDS OF SMALL ISLANDS AND SHALLOW WATERWAYS INACCESSIBLE TO SHIPS.

COMMUNISTS HAVE BEEN STEPPING UP EFFORTS TO BRING SUPPLIES SOUTH BY SMALL CRAFT, ESPECIALLY SINCE LAND ROUTES ARE KEPT UNDER A STEADY DEMOLITION PROGRAM.

THE NAVY ANNOUNCED THAT BRITISH FIREFLY BOMBERS AND SEAFIRE FIGHTERS SANK ONE ENEMY PATROL CRAFT AND DAMAGED A 50-TON MOTOR VESSEL AT MOKPO MONDAY. AT CHINNAMPO BRITISH PLANES SHOT UP OIL STORAGE TANKS, BOXCARS AND SMALL CRAFT.

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NAVAL

TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,AUG.23-(AP)-A FAR EAST NAVAL SUMMARY SAID TODAY AN AMERICAN DESTROYER CARRIED OUT A "HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL" BOMBARDMENT SUNDAY OF CHONGJIN, THE IMPORTANT NORTH KOREA EAST COAST INDUSTRIAL CENTER.

CHONGJIN, ONLY 60 MILES FROM RUSSIAN TERRITORY, WAS HIT WITH 550 TONS OF BOMBS BY AIR FORCE SUPERFORTS SATURDAY AND THE B-29S REVISITED THE CITY TUESDAY AND DROPPED MORE THAN 500 TONS.

THE DELAYED REPORT OF THE DESTROYER'S NIGHT BOMBARDMENT SAID THE SHIP STARTED FIRES THAT WERE VISIBLE 18 MILES AT SEA.

TARGETS OF THE NAVAL GUNS WERE THE FORMER MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS, RAILROAD SPURS AND YARDS, HARBOR INSTALLATIONS, WAREHOUSES AND A RADIO STATION.

THE IRON WORKS, ONCE RUN BY THE JAPANESE, ALSO WAS A KEY TARGET FOR THE B-29S.

THE NEXT NIGHT AMERICAN WARSHIPS HIT THE COASTAL CITY OF SONJIN STARTING FIRES.

JM744PCS

A154KX

TOKYO, AUG 22-(AP)-THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES SAID TODAY IT HAS EVACUATED 2,838 SERVICEMEN FROM KOREA TO HOSPITALS IN JAPAN.

MORE THAN 2,000 WERE BATTLE CASUALTIES, COL. CLYDE L. BROTHERS, FEAF SURGEON, SAID IN A REPORT. THE OTHERS SUFFERED NON-COMBAT INJURIE OR FEAVER.

THE EVACUATION WAS CARRIED OUT BY C-46S, C-47S AND C-54 TRANSPORTS. ON WESTBOUND TRIPS THEY HAULED TROOPS AND SUPPLIES TO KOREA.

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A151KX (160)
ATMOSPHERICS BLACKOUT

TOKYO,AUG.22-(AP)-THE "ATMOSPHERICS CURTAIN" THAT HAD DISRUPTED THE FLOW OF KOREAN WAR NEWS FROM THE TOKYO RELAY POINT FOR THREE DAYS LIFTED LAST NIGHT. NEWS CAME THROUGH TO THE UNITED STATES WITHOUT TROUBLE.

THERE WAS NO WORD OF ANY CHANGE IN CONDITIONS AT U.S.EIGHTH ARMY ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, WHERE ALL PRESS TELEPHONE AND TELETYPE COMMUNICATIONS WERE REMOVED SEVERAL DAYS AGO.

THE ARMY SAID IT NEEDED THEM ELSEWHERE.

BUT FRONTLINE CORRESPONDENTS WERE ROUTING THEIR REPORTS BY VARIOUS MEANS TO PUSAN, ALLIED REAR BASE. FROM THERE THEY WERE TELEPHONED TO TOKYO.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD, WHO SPENT SIX HOURS IN THE FRONT LINES TODAY A DOZEN MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU--"HALF THE TIME DODGING ENEMY MACHINEGUN FIRE OR LYING IN A DITCH WITH SNIPER BULLETS WHIPPING THE WEEDS"--SENT A 600-WORD STORY ON THE BITTER FIGHTING IN THAT AREA. IT WAS TELEPHONED TO TOKYO SOMEHOW. THE FIGHTING RAGED ABOUT 65 MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN.

AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED MORE BRIEFLY BY TELEPHONE FROM SOUTHWESTERN FRONT.

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A94FX
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RED CAST (200)

TOKYO, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE RED KOREAN RADIO IN A PUZZLING BROADCAST SAID TODAY ALLIED BOMBINGS HAD KILLED OR WOUNDED 11,582 CIVILIANS AND DESTROYED 11 IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL PLANTS.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID A 14,000-WORD REPORT ON THE BOMBINGS IS BEING BROADCAST IN DAILY INSTALLMENTS FROM NORTH KOREA.

IF TRUE, THE ACCOUNTS OF DESTRUCTION TO INDUSTRIAL AREAS ARE VITALLY IMPORTANT TO UNITED NATIONS FORCES INTELLIGENCE.

THE BROADCAST SAID HALF OF THE CASUALTIES WERE KILLED. IT SAID 16,504 HOUSES HAD BEEN DAMAGED BETWEEN JULY 2 AND AUG. 3.

IT LISTED AS "OUT OF OPERATION" THE PYONGYANG RAILWAY FACTORY, PYONGYANG SPINNING MILLS, PYONGYANG MACHINE TOOP PLANT, PYONGYANG SOYABEAN PLANT, WONSAN AND NAMPO OIL REFINERIES, HUNGNAM FERTILIZER FACTORY, HONGU CARBIDE FACTORY, YONGSAN MACHINE TOOL PLANT, SARAWAN SPINNING MILLS AND NAMPO SHIPYARDS.

SOME OF THESE ARE FACTORY COMPLEXES AND NOT SINGLE BUILDINGS,

30.24- 14395

MACARTHURS' INTELLIGENCE SECTION SAID.
ONE THEORY ADVANCED AT HEADQUARTERS FOR RED ADMISSION OF THIS DAMAGE WAS THAT THE NORTH KOREANS HOPED THE ALLIES WOULD DISCONTINUE BOMBINGS. ANOTHER POSSIBLE REASON, OFFICERS SAID, WAS THAT "NORTH KOREANS MAY BE TRYING TO AROUSE SYMPATHY AMONG OTHER ASIATIC NATIONS."
CY527APD NM

A48FX
NAGOYA,JAPAN,AUG.22-(AP)-A KOREAN SURRENDERED AND ADMITTED HE CUT TWO 25-FOOT SECTIONS FROM A JAPAN-KOREA TELEPHONE CABLE, POLICE AT NEARBY YOKKAICHI REPORTED TODAY.
THE MAN WAS IDENTIFIED BY POLICE AS BOK KI MAN, 43. POLICE DID NOT SAY WHETHER THE CABLE-CUTTING WAS THIEVERY OR SABOTAGE.
THE DAMAGED CABLE WAS REPAIRED SUNDAY.
CC253APD AUG 23 1950

A79KX
TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN REDS BROADCAST A CLAIM TODAY OF SINKING A UNITED STATES DESTROYER---THEN IDENTIFIED ONE WHICH WAS SUNK BACK IN WORLD WAR II.
A KOREAN LANGUAGE BROADCAST FROM PYONGYANG, SAID SHORE BATTERIES SANK THE DESTROYER SUNDAY WHILE THE WARSHIP WAS SHELLING THE EAST COAST TOWN OF PURIYONG SOUTH OF THE 41ST PARALLEL. COMMUNIST HEADQUARTERS IDENTIFIED THE VESSEL IN A COMMUNIQUE AS NO. 726.
NAVAL SOURCES IN TOKYO SAID 726 WAS LOST IN WORLD WAR II; THAT NO U. S. DESTROYERS HAVE BEEN LOST TO ENEMY ACTION IN KOREAN WATERS.
FJ70SPCS

TOKYO,WEDNESDAY,AUG.23-(AP)-CORRESPONDENTS COVERING THE KOREAN WAR NOW CAN WEAR SHOULDER PATCHES, BEARING THE LEGEND "U.N. WAR CORRESPONDENT."
THE SQUARE PATCH WORN JUST BELOW THE SHOULDER SEAM IS ABOUT AS LARGE AS A MILITARY UNIT PATCH. THE U.N. PATCH IS WHITE ON A BLUE FIELD AND THE WORDS "WAR CORRESPONDENT" ARE IN BLUE ON WHITE.
WILLIAM COSTELLO, CBS BROADCASTER, HEADED A GROUP OF CORRESPONDENTS WHO DESIGNED THE PATCH. IT WAS APPROVED BY MAJ.GEN.E.M.ALMOND, GEN. MACARTHUR'S CHIEF OF STAFF AND COL.M.P.ECHOLS, HEADQUARTERS PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER.
JM8PCS NM

A51FX
(120)
TOKYO,AUG.22-(AP)-A MOVEMENT "TO EXPRESS GRATITUDE TO THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES" FIGHTING THE RED KORANS HAS EMERGED IN JAPAN.
THE SPONSORING GROUP IS HEADED BY YAOZO KIKUOKA, PRESIDENT OF THE NEWSPAPER NIPPON SEIKEI IN TOKYO.
THE PROSPECTUS SAID THE U.N. ACTION IN KOREA HAD WIPED OUT THE UNEASINESS OF THE JAPANESE OVER THE EASTWARD ADVANCE OF THE RED TIDE.
KIKUOKA SAID SPONSORS PLAN TO GET 10,000,000 (M) SIGNATURES.
THE MOVEMENT CALLS FOR SENDING MISSIONS TO THANK AND COMFORT SOLDIERS AT THE FRONT AND PUBLICATION OF PAMPHLETS, LECTURES AND MOTION PICTURES ON WORK OF THE U.N.
THE WORK WILL BE FINANCED BY PUBLIC DONATIONS.
CC258APD NM

A50FX
TOKYO,AUG.22-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS TODAY RECEIVED 1,000 YEN (ABOUT $3) FROM A JAPANESE WITH THIS NOTATION:
"A TOKEN OF GRATITUDE FOR THE SERVICES AND SACRIFICES OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS ON THE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT."
THE ANONYMOUS DONOR SUGGESTED THE MONEY BE SPENT FOR FLOWERS FOR SOLDIER GRAVES. IT WAS TURNED OVER TO THE AMERICAN RED CROSS.
CC256APD

B28KX Q
(APW)
TOKYO, AUG.22-(AP)-DR.ANUP SINGH OF INDIA BECAME CHAIRMAN OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON KOREA TODAY UNDER A SYSTEM OF ROTATING THE CHAIRMANSHIP.
A MESSAGE FROM THE COMMISSION SAID DR.SINGH WILL HOLD THE POST THE NEXT THREE WEEKS.
CAPT.FIDEL SANCHEZ HERNANDEZ OF EL SALVADOR, ALTERNATE REPRESENTATIVE, REJOINED THE COMMISSION AFTER A VISIT HOME.
FR351ACS NM

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TEXT (600)
TOKYO,AUG.22-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 293 ISSUED AT 4:15 P.M. (1:15 A.M. EST) TODAY:
HEAVY FIGHTING IS IN PROGRESS ALONG THE SOUTHERN FRONT OCCUPIED BY THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION. FOR THE SECOND SUCCESSIVE DAY SUPERIOR NUMBERS OF ENEMY FORCES ATTACKED OUR DEFENSIVE POSITIONS ALONG THE SOBUK RIDGE, SOUTH OF THE TOWN OF TUNDOK. CRITICAL POSITIONS ALONG THAT RIDGE HAVE CHANGED HANDS SEVERAL TIMES, AND UNITS OF THE 25TH DIVISION ARE NOW COUNTERATTACKING TO RESTORE POSITIONS WHICH HAVE SUFFERED MINOR PENETRATIONS BY THE ENEMY.
FURTHER NORTH IN THE VICINITY OF CHUNGAM OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE 25TH DIVISION WERE ATTACKED BY THE ENEMY EARLY AUG. 22, CAUSING PARTIAL WITHDRAWAL TO PREPARED POSITIONS. A COUNTERATTACK BY OUR FORCES IN THIS AREA RESTORED THE POSITION AND HEAVY FIGHTING ENDED BY MID-MORNING.
AMERICAN UNITS FIGHTING WITH THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION WERE ATTACKED SHORTLY AFTER MIDNIGHT AUG. 22 BY AN ESTIMATED ENEMY BATTALION, SUPPORTED BY NINE TANKS. WITHIN A SHORT TIME THE ATTACK HAD BEEN REPULSED AND THREE OF THE ENEMY TANKS ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN DESTROYED. THE SECTOR HAS REMAINED STABLE FOLLOWING THIS ACTION.
OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE ROK FIRST DIVISION HAVE MADE GAINS IN THE AREA NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN IN THE MOUNTAINOUS TERRAIN BETWEEN THE TOWNS OF MANGJONG AND INDONG. ONE PATROL FROM THE ROK FIRST DIVISION HAS PENETRATED ENEMY-HELD POSITIONS SOUTH OF CHANGCHON AND DESTROYED ONE ANTI-TANK GUN, TWO SELF-PROPELLED ARTILLERY PIECES AND DISABLED ONE TANK. THE PATROL COUNTED 20 ENEMY DEAD AND FIVE DISABLED TANKS IN A VILLAGE ONE AND ONE-HALF MILES NORTH OF THE FRONT LINES.
THE SECTOR OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION REMAINS QUIET WITH OUR PATROLS PROBING AND HARASSING THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD IN THE HYONPUNG AREA.
ARTILLERY UNITS OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HAVE BEEN ACTIVE AGAINST TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY WITHIN ENEMY TERRITORY ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER. THE PRINCIPAL TARGETS WHICH HAVE BEEN ATTACKED SUCCESSFULLY INCLUDE ENEMY VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT AND TROOP CONCENTRA-

TIONS.
IN THE POHANG AREA THE ROK THIRD DIVISION HAS ADVANCED TO A POINT APPROXIMATELY FIVE MILES NORTH OF THAT TOWN AND ELEMENTS OF THE ROK CAPITOL DIVISION CONTINUE TO ADVANCE NORTH AND EAST OF KIGYE. THESE ROK DIVISIONS ARE ENCOUNTERING INCREASED RESISTANCE IN THIS AREA AND HAVE RECEIVED SOME ENEMY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE. THE REMAINDER OF THE NORTHERN FRONT IS QUIET WITH ONLY LIGHT CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY.

UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES CONTINUE PATROL ACTION OFF THE EAST, SOUTH AND WEST COASTS OF KOREA.
ELEMENTS OF THE EAST COAST PATROL BOMBARDED AND SILENCED A RED SHORE BATTERY NEAR SAMCHOK. OTHER EAST COAST UNITS FIRED ON TARGETS ALONG THE COAST NORTH OF POHANG IN SUPPORT OF THE ADVANCING GROUND FORCES.
CARRIER BASED AIRCRAFT FURNISHED CLOSE AIR SUPPORT FOR UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES ON THE FRONT OF THE U.S. 25TH AND 24TH DIVISIONS AND ROK FIRST DIVISION. MANY CASUALTIES WERE INFLICTED ON A LARGE GROUP OF ENEMY TROOPS WHO WERE IN THE OPEN WEST OF HAMAN. COMMAND POSTS WERE HIT NEAR CHUNGCHON WITH BOMBS AND BY STRAFING.
UNITED NATIONS AIRCRAFT CONTINUED CLOSE SUPPORT AND INTERDICTION MISSIONS AGAINST ENEMY TARGETS. FIFTH AIR FORCE AND RAAF FIGHTERS FLEW MISSIONS IN THE TAEJON, TUKSONG, YONGDONG, MASAN, ANDONG, SEOUL, KUMCHON AND KIMPO AIRFIELD AREAS. THESE STRIKES WERE ALSO AUGMENTED BY SORTIES FLOWN BY U.S. NAVY CARRIER FIGHTERS.
PRELIMINARY MISSION REPORTS INDICATED THE FOLLOWING RESULTS: EIGHT TANKS, SIX BUILDINGS, THREE BOXCARS, TWO TRUCKS, ONE ARMORED CAR, FOUR ARTILLERY POSITIONS DESTROYED; DAMAGED INCLUDED 34 BOXCARS, ONE ARTILLERY POSITION AND THREE TRUCKS.
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE B-26S FLEW NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS IN THE SUNGCHON, INCHON, TAEJON AND HAMCHONG AREAS.
FEAF (FAR EAST AIR FORCES) BOMBER COMMAND ATTACKED TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA--PRINCIPALLY BRIDGES, RAILWAY AND MARSHALLING YARDS. THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT SEOUL WERE HIT, WITH BOMBS COVERING THE TARGET AREA.
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TOKYO, AUG.22-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 294 (NAVY) ISSUED AT 4:15 P.M. (1:15 A.M. EST) TODAY:
PATROLLING FORCES OF THE BRITISH NAVY HAVE TIGHTENED THEIR CONTROL OF THE WEST COAST OF KOREA WITH THE ADDITION OF A SQUADRON OF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE PATROLLING THAT AREA.
IN AN EFFORT TO SLASH ANY ATTEMPT BY THE ENEMY TO MOVE SUPPLIES TO FORCES IN THE SOUTH, A SUNDERLAND SQUADRON, HEADED BY SQUADRON LEADER MICHAEL HELME, AFC, RAF, HAS BEEN CONDUCTING LONG NIGHT PATROLS FROM MOKPO, IN THE SOUTHWEST, AS FAR NORTH AS THE MANCHURIAN BORDER.
THE SUNDERLAND SQUADRON IS ATTACHED TO THE U.S. NAVY FOR OPERATIONAL PURPOSES TO FORESTALL ANY ATTEMPT BY NORTH KOREAN FORCES TO RUN SUPPLIES BY CLOSE SHORE WATER ROUTES TO THEIR FORCES ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.
ORIGINALLY BASED AT HONG KONG, THE SUNDERLAND SQUADRON HAS BEEN UNDER THE COMMAND OF SQUADRON LEADER HELME SINCE APRIL OF THIS YEAR.
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TEXT (800)
TOKYO, AUG. 22-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 295 (AERIAL) ISSUED AT 9:20 P.M. (6:20 A.M. EST) TODAY:
NORTH KOREAN MILITARY-INDUSTRIAL TARGETS WERE STRUCK HEAVY BLOWS TODAY BY NEARLY 700 TONS OF 500 POUND GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS DROPPED FROM 70 B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES OF THE U.S. FAR EAST FORCES.

SEISHIN (CHONGJIN) BORE THE BRUNT OF THE ATTACK WHEN MORE THAN 500 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES CASCADED THROUGH AN OVERCAST ON THE MARSHALLING YARDS, THE DEEP WATER PORT AND DOCK FACILITIES AND THE IRON WORKS (FORMERLY KNOWN AS MITSUBISHI).
THE FAR NORTHERN KOREAN INDUSTRIAL CENTER WAS UNDER SUSTAINED ATTACK FOR ALMOST AN HOUR AS THE FOUR-MOTOR BOMBERS PASSED OVER THE TARGETS IN SUCCESSIVE WAVES. BOMBS WERE RELEASED BY RADAR AND AT THE TIME OF THE DROP "WE HAD EXCELLENT SCOPE DEFINITION," RETURNING CREW MEN SAID.
OTHER B-29S OPERATING IN SMALLER FORMATIONS TODAY UNLEASHED 150 TONS OF BOMBS ON BRIDGES AND SMALLER INDUSTRIAL TARGETS.
TODAY'S MISSION AGAINST SEISHIN FOLLOWED THE PATTERN OF PREVIOUS STRIKES AGAINST MAJOR STRATEGIC TARGETS. THE BOMBERS DEPARTED THEIR BASES IN JAPAN AND OKINAWA AT DAYLIGHT. THEY CLIMBED THROUGH HEAVY CLOUDS, ENCOUNTERING CONSIDERABLE ICE ON THE WINGS. THEY RENDEZVOUSED OVER THE PACIFIC OCEAN OFF THE COAST OF KOREA ABOUT HALFWAY TO THE TARGET AND THEN THE AIRPLANES WENT OVER SEISHIN IN WAVES, WITH THE 500 POUNDERS HURTLING TO THE EARTH AS THE BOMBARDIERS PRESSED THE BUTTONS FOR THE DROPS.
MAJ. LESLIE J. WESTBERG OF MILWAUKEE SAID HIS CREW COULD SEE THE BOMBS HIT INTO THE DOCK AREA. "A RIFT IN THE CLOUDS APPEARED JUST IN TIME FOR US TO GET A SIGHT OF THE BOMBS STRIKING THEIR TARGETS," HE SAID.
MAJ. RICHARD M. HOBAN OF LITTLE ROCK, ARK. FLEW IN ONE OF THE WAVES WHICH MADE FOUR BOMBING RUNS ON TWO FACTORIES AND THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT SONGJIN.
"OUR FIRST BOMBS STRUCK A LARGE FACTORY NORTH OF THE CITY," HE SAID. "A BRILLIANT BURST OF ORANGE AND YELLOW APPEARED FROM THE BUILDING, FOLLOWED BY A HEAVY CLOUD OF BLACK SMOKE WHICH CLIMBED MANY THOUSANDS OF FEET IN THE AIR."
"FLAMES SHOT UP A THOUSAND FEET," SAID CAPT. JACK R. PACKWOOD OF CHEHALIS, WASH.

CAPTAIN PACKWOOD SAID HIS WAVE THEN BOMBED A LARGE FACTORY PARTIALLY HIDDEN BESIDE A HILL. "WE MUST HAVE STRUCK SOMETHING, FOR VERY LARGE CLOUDS OF WHITE SMOKE PUFFED UP AND THEN BLEW ACROSS THE CITY.
RETURNING CREWS REPORTED THAT THE SONGJIN MARSHALLING YARD WAS JAMMED WITH RAIL TRAFFIC. THE ROLLING STOCK WAS HIT BY THE BOMBS, WITH FIRES STARTED IN THE NORTH END OF THE YARD.
A SENIOR OFFICER ON TODAY'S MISSION AS AN OBSERVER SAID THE TRAFFIC JAM IN THE MARSHALLING YARD IS AN INDICATION THAT THE U.S. AIR FORCES INTERDICTION PROGRAM TO DESTROY TERMINAL RAIL POINTS, PARTICULARLY IN THAT AREA, HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL.
IN THE IMMEDIATE BATTLE AREA U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE AIRPLANES TOOK ADVANTAGE OF PERFECT FLYING WEATHER FOR THE SECOND DAY IN A ROW BY LAMBASTING COMMUNIST TROOPS AND VEHICLES TODAY.
TODAY'S MISSIONS COST THE NORTH KOREANS IMPORTANT EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES THEY COULD ILL AFFORD TO LOSE, ACCORDING TO MISSION REPORTS MADE BY RETURNING FIGHTER PILOTS THIS AFTERNOON. THE SUSTAINED ATTACKS TODAY WERE CARRIED OUT BY ALL TYPES OF U.S. PLANES, INCLUDING F-80 JET SHOOTING STARS, B-26 LIGHT INVADER BOMBERS, F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTERS AND F-82 TWIN MUSTANG ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS.
THERE WAS NO BREATHING SPELL FOLLOWING THE MORE THAN 500 SORTIES FLOWN AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS YESTERDAY.
THE B-26S AND F-82S FLEW INTRUDER MISSIONS WELL PAST MIDNIGHT. AND THE DAY FIGHTERS TOOK OVER AT FIRST LIGHT THIS MORNING.
FOUR ROCKETS FIRED FROM AN F-80 NORTHWEST OF TAEGU BY FIRST LT. JOHN M. RAGLAND OF LIBERAL, KAN., SERIOUSLY DAMAGED A TANK.
"OUR FLIGHT DETECTED SUPPLIES PARTIALLY HIDDEN IN AN ORCHARD."

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SAID RAGLAND.
"WE MACHINEGUNNED THEM AND STARTED SEVERAL FIRES. WE ALSO GOT THE TANK."
ENEMY ENTRENCHMENTS AND GUN POSITIONS ON A MOUNTAIN TOP NEAR POHANG WERE DESTROYED IN A SLASHING ATTACK BY FOUR F-80 JETS.
"THE GROUND CONTROLLERS GAVE US PIN POINT DIRECTIONS TO THEM AND WE FIRED ROCKETS AND EMPTIED OUR MACHINE GUNS SMACK INTO THE TARGET," SAID SECOND LT. WILLIAM L. LOCETT OF LITTLE ROCK, ARK.
LOGETTE SAID THE CONTROLLER CONFIRMED THE DAMAGE, WHICH ALSO INCLUDED A NUMBER OF DEAD NORTH KOREAN TROOPS.
MAJ. MICHAEL C. HORGAN OF FAIRMONT, MINN., LED A FLIGHT OF F-80S THAT HIT TROOPS AND ARTILLERY PIECES ABOUT 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.
"WE STRAFED THEM AND THEN STRAFED THEM AGAIN. THE CONTROLLER SAID WE HAD DONE AN OUTSTANDING JOB," SAID MAJOR HORGAN.
B-26S CONTINUED THEIR DAY AND NIGHT INTRUDER ATTACKS.
ENEMY SUPPLY LINES FROM SAMCHOK TO NONSAN WERE POUNDED BY THE LIGHT BOMBERS, WITH RAILWAY LINES AND AT LEAST 13 TROOP CONCENTRATIONS DAMAGED.
THE B-26S ALSO ACCOUNTED FOR A BRIDGE, SERIOUS DAMAGE TO A MARSHALLING YARD AND A REPAIR SHOP.
"WE SCORED DIRECT HITS ON THE YARD AT CHONDU," SAID FIRST LT. JAMES M. MORROW OF SWEETWATER, TEXAS.
"FIRES FOLLOWED THE ATTACK. WE THEN DIVE BOMBED RAILROAD TRACKS IN TWO SECTORS, SCORING DIRECT HITS."
CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE WAS INFLICTED ON A COMMUNIST COMMAND POST AT CHINJU. "WE BOMBED AND STRAFED IT," SAID SECOND LT. MELVIN R. STAHL OF ADEL, IOWA.
"WE WEREN'T CONSERVATIVE IN THE USE OF AMMUNITION AGAINST THAT KIND OF A TARGET."
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TEXT (280)
TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 23-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 296 ISSUED AT 10:50 A.M. (7:50 P.M., EST TUESDAY):
U. S. AIR FORCE AIRPLANES FLEW MORE THAN 550 SORTIES YESTERDAY FOR THE THIRD TIME IN A PERIOD OF TWO WEEKS, ACCORDING TO MISSION REPORTS TABULATED THIS MORNING.
F-IP JETS AND F-51 MUSTANGS ALONE FLEW 295 SORTIES. B-29 SUPERFORTS FLEW ABOUT 70 SORTIES, SPREADING THEIR 500-POUND GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS ON STRATEGIC TARGETS WHICH INCLUDED THE SEISHIN (CHONGJIN) MARSHALLING YARDS, IRON WORKS AND DOCK AREA, FACTORIES AT SONGJIN, THE SHUNTING MARSHALLING YARDS AT PYONGYANG AND THE RAILWAY JUNCTION AT HAMHUNG.
SOME OF THE FIGHTER AIRPLANES WERE OFF AT FIRST LIGHT TODAY AFTER WEATHER REPORTS THROUGHOUT KOREA WERE CHECKED. EXCEPT FOR THE EXTREME EASTERN COAST, THE WEATHER TODAY APPEARS GOOD FOR OPERATIONS.
TOWARD THE CLOSE OF FIGHTER-BOMBER BUSINESS YESTERDAY, U. S. AIR FORCE FLYERS BLASTED COMMUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATIONS. LT. EVAN W. ROSENCRANS OF TOWANDA, PA., REPORTED BACK TO HIS BASE TOWARD DARK THAT HIS FLIGHT OF F-80S HAD HELPED TO PREVENT U. N. TROOPS FROM BEING ENCIRCLED AT TABU, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.
"WE STRAFED AND ROCKETED LARGE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN A NARROW VALLEY NORTH OF THE TOW," LT. ROSENCRANS SAID. "THE GROUND AND AIR CONTROLLERS SAID OUR AMMUNITION REALLY TORE INTO THE MEN."
B-26S OF THE THIRD BOMB GROUP WERE ORDERED TO THE SAME POSISITION LATE YESTERDAY. LT. HARRISON LOBBELL OF LOS ANGELES SAID:
"WE ALSO BOMBED AND STRAFED THE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND THE SPOTTERS SAID WE DID FINE."
THE B-26S WOUND UP LATE YESTERDAY WITH ABOUT 30 MISSIONS TO THEIR CREDIT.
IN ANOTHER LATE AFTERNOON ATTACK BY F-80S TWO SUPPLY WAREHOUSES AT KOSONG, WEST OF MASAN, WERE LEFT IN FLAMES.
"ONE OF THE BUILDINGS WAS VERY LARGE, WHILE THE OTHER WAS SMALL," CAPT. WARREN BENNETT OF FARGO, N. D., SAID.
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TEXT (180)
TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 23-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 297 ISSUED TODAY AT 10:50 A.M. (7:50 P.M. EST TUESDAY) BY FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS:
A DELAYED REPORT FROM A U.S. NAVY DESTROYER INDICATES A HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL BOMBARDMENT OF CHONGJIN ON THE FAR NORTHEAST COAST OF KOREA THE NIGHT OF AUGUST 20. LARGE FIRES WERE VISIBLE 18 MILES AT SEA.
TARGETS FOR THE BOMBARDMENT WERE THE MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS, RAILROAD SPURS AND YARDS, HARBOR INSTALLATIONS, WAREHOUSES AND A RADIO STATION.
THE FOLLOWING NIGHT A SUCCESSFUL BOMBARDMENT OF MILITARY TARGETS IN THE COASTAL CITY OF SONGJIN WAS CARRIED OUT, WITH TOWERING COLUMNS OF SMOKE VISIBLE 12 HOURS AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE FIRING.
OTHER UNITS OF THE EAST COAST PATROL AND SUPPORT FORCE OPERATING OFF THE POHANG AREA FIRED ON 16 SELECTED TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS WITH RESULTS CHARACTERIZED BY A KMAG (KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP) REPRESENTATIVE AS "EXCELLENT."
AMPLIFYING DETAILS ON YESTERDAY'S REPORTS OF A U.S. NAVY DESTROYER SILENCING SHORE BATTERIES AT SAMCHOK SHOW THAT FROM FIVE TO EIGHT 75 MM. GUNS WERE ENGAGED AT 6,000 YARDS. BEFORE THEY WERE SILENCED THE SHORE BATTERIES MANAGED TO STRADDLE THE DESTROYER BUT DID NOT SCORE ANY HITS.
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U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG. 22-(AP)-TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 54 ISSUED AT 8:10 P.M. (5:10 A.M., EST) TODAY:
IN THE U.S. LINE WEST OF MASAN THE 24TH REGIMENT TODAY REGAINED THE POSITION LOST IN YESTERDAY MORNING'S ACTION.
THE FIFTH REGIMENT LAUNCHED A LIMITED ATTACK AT NOON TODAY AGAINST 500 TO 1,000 ENEMY TROOPS ON A HILL WHICH THE U.S. UNIT LOST YESTERDAY.
THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION MADE SMALL GAINS AGAINST LIGHT TO MODERATE ENEMY RESISTANCE.
COMMUNIST TROOPS INFILTRATED BEHIND THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT AND BLOCKED THE ROAD LATE THIS AFTERNOON.
AT LAST REPORT A U.S. FORCE WAS ENGAGED IN REDUCING THE ROAD BLOCK.
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TEXT (180)
U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 23-(AP)-TEXT OF A U. S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 55 ISSUED AT 11:11 A.M. (8:11 P.M. EST, TUESDAY):
THE ELEMENTS OF THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION YESTERDAY REGAINED THE GROUND LOST TO THE ENEMY IN THE LAST TWO DAYS ACTION. THE 24TH

REGIMENT REPELLED COMMUNIST COUNTERATTACKS LAST NIGHT AT 8:45 P.M. AND THIS MORNING AT 6:30 A. M. WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND. ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) MARINES, OPERATING ON THE SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE 25TH DIVISION, WERE HEAVILY ENGAGED BY THE ENEMY YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AND WERE RECEIVING ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE.

THIS MORNING U. S. TROOPS ATTACKED A COMMUNIST FORCE WHICH INFILTRATED BEHIND THE U. S. 27TH REGIMENT YESTERDAY AND ATTACKED THE PERIMETER DEFENSE OF FRIENDLY ARTILLERY. THE ENEMY FORCE WAS PUSHED BACK 1,000 YARDS YESTERDAY AND HIT EFFECTIVELY FROM THE AIR. THE MISSION OF THE U. S. ATTACK THIS MORNING WAS TO CLEAR THE AREA OF ENEMY TROOPS AND SECURE THE SUPPLY ROAD.

BOTH THE ROK FIRST DIVISION AND THE U. S. 27TH REGIMENT REPELLED LIGHT ENEMY ATTACKS DURING THE NIGHT. THE ATTACK ON THE 27TH WAS SUPPORTED BY THREE TANKS. THE 19TH REGIMENT OF THE ROK CAPIOL DIVISION WITHDREW ABOUT 500 YARDS UNDER ENEMY PRESSURE TO BETTER DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.

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A161 (120)

LONDON, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:

"ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ARE DEALING BLOWS TO THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE PUPPET TROOPS WHO CONTINUE TO OFFER STUBBORN RESISTANCE WITH THE SUPPORT OF AIR FORCE AND ARMORED UNITS.

"IN CERTAIN AREAS THE ENEMY ATTEMPTED TO LAUNCH COUNTERATTACKS WHICH THE TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY REPELLED, INFLICTING LOSSES ON THE ENEMY.

"ON THE SOUTHERN COAST THE ADVANCING TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY HAVING BROKEN THE DEFENSE OF THE AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION AND MARINES, ARE CONTINUING TO DEVELOP THEIR OFFENSIVE.

"ANTI AIRCRAFT UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY HAVE BROUGHT DOWN THREE AMERICAN FIGHTERS WHICH RAIDED THE AREA OF P[illegible] SINANIJU (SENANHUI) AND ONE FIGHTER IN THE AREA OF PYONGYANG." AUG 23 1950

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LONDON, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND'S EVENING COMMUNIQUE AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO CONDUCT FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.

AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS AND FORCIBLY MOBILIZED SO-CALLED POLICE AND YOUNG DEFENSE DETACHMENTS WITH THE SUPPORT OF TANK AND MOTORIZED UNITS ARE OFFERING RESTANCE AND ON SOME SECTORS OF THE FRONT ARE CONDUCTING OFFENSIVE BATTLES.

THE AMERICAN AIR FORCE IS DAILY RAIDING DISTRICTS OF THE SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN PARTS OF THE COUNTRY, SUBJECTING THEM TO BARBAROUS BOMBING.

ON AUG. 19 OVER 30 AMERICAN PLANES WHICH RAIDED CHONGJU DROPPED OVER 500 BOMBS ON THE CENTRAL PART OF THE TOWN, AS A RESULT OF WHICH MANY DWELLING HOUSES, SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS, A THEATER AND OTHER CULTURAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS WERE DESTROYED.

THERE ARE KILLED AND WOUNDED AMONG THE POPULATION.

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GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO SAYS THERE IS NO CONFIRMATION OF REPORTS THAT GEN.DEAN WAS CAPTURED BY THE NORTH KOREANS AND EXECUTED. TOKYO IS PURSUING THE REPORT IN THE FIELD.

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NIGHT LEAD KOREAN (240)

BY GODFREY ANDERSON

RAMBOUILLET, FRANCE, AUG.22-(AP)-FRANCE WILL SEND A SPECIAL INFANTRY BATTALION OF PROBABLY 800 SOLDIERS TO FIGHT IN THE UNITED NATIONS RANKS IN KOREA, INFORMED SOURCES SAID TODAY.

THE CABINET DECIDED TO SEND A LAND FORCE AFTER AN ALL-DAY MEETING HERE AT THE SUMMER CHATEAU OF PRESIDENT VINCENT AURIOL.

THIS DECISION WAS TAKEN IN RESPONSE TO THE RECENT APPEAL BY U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TO 53 U.N. MEMBERS FOR SUBSTANTIAL AID TO THE UNITED STATES AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES BATTLING THE NORTH KOREAN INVASION.

THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED ITS DECISION IN A LETTER DISPATCHED TO LIE, BUT WITHHELD DETAILS UNTIL THE LETTER IS RECEIVED AT LAKE SUCCESS.

A DEFENSE MINISTRY SPOKESMAN IN PARIS SAID "I HAVE NO IDEA JUST WHEN THE TROOPS WILL BE SENT." HE SAID THEY PROBABLY WILL BE VOLUNTEERS FROM THE FRENCH REGULARS NOW ASSIGNED IN INDOCHINA.

IT WAS A SURPRISE DECISION FOR, UP TO NOW, GOVERNMENT INFORMANTS HAD SAID FRANCE COULD NOT SEND ANY SOLDIERS TO KOREA. THE OFFICIAL LINE WAS THAT FRANCE WAS ALREADY DOING HER PART IN FIGHTING COMMUNISM, WITH 150,000 TROOPS ENGAGED AGAINST RED-LED INDOCHINESE GUERRILLAS. FRANCE'S CONTRIBUTION TO U.N. FORCES HAD BEEN LIMITED TO A NAVAL SLOOP.

AUSTRALIA, BRITAIN, CANADA, NEW ZEALAND, TURKEY AND THAILAND ARE AMONG OTHER NATIONS WHICH HAVE PLEDGED TROOPS FOR THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN. UNOFFICIAL SOURCES IN BRUSSELS REPORTED TODAY BELGIUM IS TO SEND ABOUT 1,000 MEN, SUBJECT TO A DECISION BY THE BELGIAN CABINET FRIDAY.

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BULLETIN

RAMBOUILLET, FRANCE, AUG. 22-(AP)-FRANCE'S CABINET DECIDED TODAY TO SEND A FRENCH LAND FORCE TO FIGHT WITH UNITED NATIONS TROOPS IN KOREA.

FRANCE'S CONTRIBUTION WILL BE COMPOSED OF AN INFANTRY BATTALION, PROBABLY NUMBERING 800 SOLDIERS, MANY OF WHOM WILL BE VOLUNTEERS, INFORMED SOURCES SAID.

THE DECISION WAS REACHED AFTER AN ALL-DAY CABINET MEETING HELD HERE AT THE SUMMER CHATEAU OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC, VINCENT AURIOL.

FRENCH AID IN KOREA UP TO NOW HAS BEEN CONFINED TO A NAVAL SLOOP FROM INDOCHINA.

FRENCH LEADERS HAD ARGUED THAT FRANCE COULD NOT AFFORD TO SEND TROOPS BECAUSE OF THEIR HEAVY COMMITMENTS IN INDOCHINA, WHERE THEY ARE FIGHTING A REBELLION LED BY COMMUNIST HO CHI MINH.

THE DECISION TO SEND TROOPS WAS TAKEN ON THE APPEAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL, TRYGVE LIE, TO U.N. MEMBERS, URGING THEM TO AID IN ANY WAY THE EXECUTION OF A SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION TO REPEL THE NORTH KOREAN INVASION.

THE CABINET HEARD A REPORT ON THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION FROM FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN BEFORE IT TOOK THE ACTION.

IN WASHINGTON, THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WELCOMED FRANCE'S ACTION.

STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER MICHAEL MCDERMOTT TOLD NEWSMEN "WE ARE PLEASED WITH THE ACTION OF THE FRENCH IN MAKING GROUND TROOPS AVAILABLE TO THE UNITED NATIONS IN KOREA."

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WITH RAMBOUILLET

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 22-(AP)-UNOFFICIAL REPORTS SAID TODAY BELGIUM WILL SEND 1,000 VOLUNTEERS TO FIGHT WITH UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

A FINAL DECISION IS TO BE TAKEN IN THE MATTER BY THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT FRIDAY

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COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, AUG. 22-(AP)-DENMARK OFFERED TODAY TO PLACE ANOTHER SHIP AT THE DISPOSAL OF UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA. FOUR DAYS AGO THE DANISH GOVERNMENT OFFERED A FULLY EQUIPPED HOSPITAL SHIP.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY THAT NO RATION OF LIQUOR OR BEER IS ISSUED TO AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA.

IN RESPONSE TO AN INQUIRY, AN ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS NO BEER HAS BEEN SHIPPED FROM THE U.S. TO THE FAR EAST SINCE THE KOREAN FIGHTING BEGAN. HE DECLARED THE ARMY NEVER SHIPS LIQUOR THERE.

OFFICERS AND MEN IN JAPAN ARE FREE TO BUY LIQUOR AND BEER PRODUCED IN THAT COUNTRY OR SHIPPED IN COMMERCIALLY. IT IS PRESUMED HERE THAT RICE WINE AND BEER ALSO ARE OBTAINABLE FROM LOCAL SOURCES IN KOREA.

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copenhagen, denmark, aug. 22(ap)-denmark offered today to place anot ship at the disposal of united nations forces in korea. four days ago the danish government offered a fully equipped hospital ship.

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NIGHT LEAD JOHNSON-KOREA

BY DOUGLAS B. CORNELL

WASHINGTON, AUG.22-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON FIGURES THAT, IF EVERYTHING CLICKS, IT MAY BE POSSIBLE TO SHOVE THE NORTH KOREANS BACK TO NORTH KOREA BY FEBRUARY.

SHOULD THERE BE A HITCH IN THE TIMETABLE OR IN CAMPAIGN OPERATIONS, THE SECRETARY SAYS THE $10,500,000,000 (B) PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ASKED FOR REARMING MIGHT NOT BE ENOUGH.

SO FAR, MR.TRUMAN HASN'T INDICATED WHETHER HE THINKS UNITED NATIONS FORCES WILL HAVE TO CARRY THE WAR BEYOND THE 38TH PARALLEL, THE LINE THAT DIVIDES NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA. HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE LAST MONTH THAT DECISION WILL BE MADE WHEN IT BECOMES NECESSARY.

BUT THERE HAVE BEEN NAVAL AND AIR RAIDS ABOVE THE LINE--ONE AIR STRIKE TO WITHIN 17 MILES OF SOVIET TERRITORY. AND IF THE U.N. DECIDED POLICE ACTION BY GROUND TROOPS WAS NECESSARY BEYOND THE BOUNDARY, THE UNITED STATES PROBABLY WOULD HAVE TO DIG UP EVEN MORE THAN THE $10,500,000,000 (B).

JOHNSON'S APPRAISAL OF THE SITUATION WAS GIVEN JULY 25 TO A HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE CONSIDERING THE REQUEST FOR THAT SUM. THE TESTIMONY WAS MADE PUBLIC TODAY.

OTHER DEFENSE OFFICIALS TOLD WHAT THE EXTRA MONEY, ALONG WITH REGULAR FUNDS, WILL MEAN IN THE WAY OF MORE FIGHTING MEN AND MACHINES:

THREE MORE ARMY DIVISIONS, ONE COMBAT AND TWO TRAINING, TO BRING THE TOTAL TO 17. THERE THEN WILL BE 11 COMBAT DIVISIONS AND SIX REPLACEMENT TRAINING DIVISIONS. BY JUNE 30, THE ARMY EXPECTS TO HAVE A STRENGTH OF 834,000 MEN AGAINST 590,000 JUST BEFORE THE KOREAN SCRAPPING STARTED.

A 69 GROUP AIR FORCE--4,428 MORE PLANES FOR THE AIR FORCE AND 3,194 FOR THE NAVY.

AN INCREASE IN NAVAL FIGHTING SHIPS FROM 243 TO 282; AN INCREASE IN EMPHIBIOUS-TYPE AND AUXILIARY SHIPS FROM 389 TO 629; A TOTAL OF 911 SHIPS IN OPERATION.

THERE WILL BE 23 CARRIERS OF ALL TYPES IN SERVICE, NINE OF THEM BIG ONES. THERE WILL BE THREE MORE ATTACK CARRIER GROUPS, THREE ANTISUBMARINE CARRIER GROUPS, SEVEN MORE PATROL SQUADRONS, WITH THE NAVY AND MARINES BOOSTING THE NUMBER OF PLANES OPERATING FROM 5,233 TO 7,335.

THE MARINES ARE EXPANDING BY 2,997 OFFICERS AND 60,575 MEN SO THAT THE TOTALS BY NEXT JUNE 30 WILL BE 10,314 OFFICERS AND 127,699 MEN.

AT THE START OF THE KOREAN WAR, THE ARMY WAS 40,000 MEN SHORT OF THE 630,000 STRENGTH FIXED BY THE BUDGET. FOUR DIVISIONS IN THE FAR EAST WERE SHORT 11 INFANTRY BATTALIONS AND 11 ARTILLERY BATTERIES.

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FIRST LEAD KOREAN WAR

BY ELTON C.FAY

AP MILITARY AFFAIRS REPORTER

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 22-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS DECISION TO PUSH ITS POLICE ACTION IN KOREA NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL MAY REQUIRE MORE U.S. FUNDS THAN THE $10,500,000,000 WHICH PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ASKED.

SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON ESTIMATES THAT THE KOREAN FIGHTING MAY END ABOUT FEBRUARY. HE PREDICATED THAT GUESS, HOWEVER, ON A CAMPAIGN TO PUSH THE COMMUNISTS BACK ONLY TO THEIR PRE-WAR BORDER.

WHETHER THE U.N. POLICE ACTION WILL STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL OR SHOVE ON INTO NORTH KOREA IN AN EFFORT TO CRUSH THE COMMUNIST ARMY PRESUMABLY HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED.

HIGH COMMAND PLANNING--AT LEAST UP UNTIL LATE IN JULY--WAS BASED ON AN ASSUMPTION THAT THE WAR WOULD NOT BE CARRIED NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THESE ESTIMATES CAME TO LIGHT TODAY WITH RELEASE OF TESTIMONY GIVEN BY MILITARY LEADERS LAST MONTH BEFORE A HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS

SUBCOMMITTEE IN BEHALF OF THE PRESIDENT'S REQUEST FOR NEW FUNDS FOR MILITARY SPENDING.

JOHNSON'S DISCLOSURE OF THE PLANS WAS GIVEN ON JULY 25, 10 DAYS BEFORE PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS ASKED AT A NEWS CONFERENCE IF UNITED NATION'S POLICE ACTION IN KOREA WOULD END AT THE 38TH PARALLEL, WHICH DIVIDES NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA. THE PRESIDENT REPLIED THAT DECISION WOULD BE MADE WHEN IT BECAME NECESSARY. PRESUMABLY IT WOULD BE ONE IN WHICH THE U.N. WOULD TAKE PART.

THE DEFENSE SECRETARY WAS ASKED BY CHAIRMAN MAHON (D-TEX) OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE HOW MUCH OF THE SUPPLEMENTAL MONEY WOULD BE NEEDED TO FIGHT THE KOREAN WAR, HOW MUCH FOR GENERAL EXPANSION OF THE ARMED FORCES AND REARMAMENT.

JOHNSON SPOKE OF VARIOUS UNKNOWN FACTORS IN MAKING SUCH AN ESTIMATE, THEN SAID:

"THE OTHER IMPONDERABLE IS THAT THIS MONEY FOR THE KOREAN OPERATION IS BASED ON ITS RUNNING THE NORMAL COURSE OF WHAT IT MIGHT TAKE FOR US (1) TO STABILIZE, (2) TO BUILD UP THE NECESSARY EQUIPMENT TO GO FORWARD, AND GOING FORWARD, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLANNING OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF AND GENERAL MACARTHUR, TO THE 38TH PARALLEL.

"THERE IS MORE MONEY THAN WE NEED IN KOREA IF THESE TROOPS FROM NORTH KOREA SHOULD NOW OR AT AN EARLY DATE WITHDRAW TO THE 38TH PARALLEL IF THERE SHOULD BE PERCHANCE MISADVENTURE AND IF THE CAMPAIGN SHOULD NOT MOVE ACCORDING TO THE BEST ESTIMATES OF GENERAL MACARTHUR AND THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, WE MIGHT NEED MORE MONEY."

AS TO THE TIME TABLE, JOHNSON SAID, IN ANSWER TO ANOTHER QUESTION, THAT:

"THE KOREAN SITUATION, I HOPE, IS A SIX OR EIGHT MONTHS' PROPOSITION."

OTHER TESTIMONY INDICATED THAT THE KOREAN FIGHTING AND THE RESULTING EMPHASIS ON BOLSTERING DEFENSES WILL GIVE THE NATION A STRENGTH OF 17 ARMY DIVISIONS, AN AIR FORCE OF 69 GROUPS AND A FLEET INCLUDING 23 CARRIERS OF VARIOUS TYPES.

JOHNSON INDICATED THAT THE DECISION TWO YEARS AGO TO WITHDRAW AMERICAN OCCUPATION FORCES FROM KOREA AND WRITE IT OFF AS A MILITARY BASE WAS MADE AT LEVELS ABOVE THE MILITARY. REP.SHEPPARD (D-CALIF) ASKED IF THAT "WAS A DECISION OF TOP ECHELON AND NOT AT THE MOMENT A PART OF THE MILITARY CONCLUSIONS AS SUCH?"

"CORRECT, SIR," JOHNSON REPLIED.

ADMIRAL FORREST P.SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, SAID DURING HIS TESTIMONY THAT THE COMMUNIST ATTACK, LAUNCHED ON JUNE 25, MIGHT HAVE BEEN SLOWED DOWN OR HALTED SOONER IF THE U.S. HAD THEN HAD MORE MILITARY STRENGTH IN THE FAR EAST.

"IF WE HAD A STRONGER FLEET OUT THERE AND THE DIVISIONS IN JAPAN HAD BEEN UP TO FULL STRENGTH, THE DIFFICULTY WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN AS GREAT AND WE WOULD HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DO MORE IN CASE OF AN ATTACK ON KOREA," HE SAID. "WE WOULD HAVE BEEN ABLE TO SLOW THE THING DOWN MORE, AND PROBABLY STABILIZED IT SOONER."

TO WHICH REP.ENGEL (R-MICH) RETORTED:

"THERE PROBABLY WOULD HAVE BEEN NO ATTACK. ON THE OTHER HAND, WHEN THE STATEMENT WAS MADE THAT WE WOULD NOT DEFEND KOREA X X X WOULD NOT THAT IN ITSELF HAVE BEEN AN INVITATION FOR THEM TO COME IN?"

THE ALREADY HOTLY DEBATED QUESTION OF WHETHER AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE SHOULD HAVE KNOWN AND WARNED OF THE ATTACK CAME UP. JOHNSON INDICATED THERE WAS NO SPECIFIC WARNING THAT THE ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREA WAS IMMINENT.

ASKED IF THE INTELLIGENCE SYSTEM WAS PROVIDING INFORMATION THAT SHOULD BE EXPECTED, JOHNSON REPLIED.

"I SUPPOSE NO ONE IS FULLY SATISFIED WITH THE INTELLIGENCE THAT COMES IN, BUT I THINK WE HAVE A RIGHT TO EXPECT NOW THAT OUR INTELLIGENCE IS GOING TO BE PRETTY GOOD."

REP.SIKES (D-FLA) COMMENTED THAT THERE HAD TO BE A BUILD-UP OF MEN, MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT AND FUEL BY THE NORTH KOREANS AND SAID THAT "SURELY OUR INTELLIGENCE CAN SPOT THOSE THINGS."

"THE INTELLIGENCE DID SPOT THEM AND REPORTED SUNDAY MORNING RAIDS FOR A YEAR OR SO, AND THAT A BUILD-UP HAD EXISTED FOR A PERIOD OF A YEAR OR SO," JOHNSON SAID.

"WAS THERE NO REPORT OF SUCH A BUILD-UP JUST PRIOR TO THE ACTUAL ATTACKS IN KOREA?" SIKES PRESSED.

"NONE OF A SPECIAL NATURE," JOHNSON ANSWERED.

GEN.OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT "IT IS NOW APPARENT THAT THE AGGRESSION IN KOREA WAS WELL PLANNED AND WELL PREPARED AND THAT MILITANT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNISM INSPIRED THE NORTHERN INVADERS." THEN HE OBSERVED:

"IT IS ALSO APPARENT THAT COMMUNISM IS WILLING TO USE ARMS TO GAIN ITS ENDS. THIS IS A FUNDAMENTAL CHANGE, AND IT HAS FORCED A CHANGE IN OUR ESTIMATE OF THE MILITARY NEEDS OF THE UNITED STATES.

"WE HAVE COME TO THE ONLY CONCLUSION POSSIBLE TO A FREE PEOPLE. WE HAVE HAD ENOUGH OF AGGRESSION, AND WE HAVE FINALLY DRAWN THE LINE ACROSS ITS PATH."

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(310) KOREA-MILITARY

WASHINGTON,AUG.22-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY THAT THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS STILL HAVE THE ABILITY TO LAUNCH A MAJOR ATTACK DESPITE THE FACT THAT THEY HAVE SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS AT THIS MORNING'S REGULAR PENTAGON BRIEFING THAT THE NORTH KOREANS ARE STILL CAPABLE OF ATTACKS IN TWO SECTORS:

1. ON THE SOUTH, WHERE THE BADLY MAULED COMMUNIST SIXTH DIVISION IS BELIEVED TO HAVE RECEIVED REINFORCEMENTS FROM THE SEVENTH DIVISION AND POSSIBLY FROM A THIRD DIVISION WHICH HAS NOT BEEN IDTNTIFIED.

2. THE CENTRAL SECTOR, WHERE THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE LARGE CONCENTRATIONS AND "STILL HAVE THE CAPABILITY OF A MAJOR ATTACK."

AN ATTACK IN THE SOUTH WOULD BE AIMED AT THE AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN. ONE IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR WOULD HAVE AS ITS IMMEDIATE OBJECTIVE THE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER OF TAEGU.

THE AIR FORCE REPORTED AT THE BRIEFING THAT ITS PLANES HAVE FLOWN MORE THAN 13,000 COMBAT SORTIES AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS.

A SORTIE IS A SINGLE FLIGHT BY A SINGLE PLANE.

AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT ABOUT HALF OF THE TOTAL SORTIES HAD BEEN FLOWN BY F80 JET FIGHTER-BOMBERS, BASED IN JAPAN.

HE SAID THAT, DURING A 42-DAY PERIOD FROM JULY 1 TO AUG.11,EACH F80 ASSIGNED TO KOREAN OPERATIONS FLEW COMBAT MISSIONS ON AN AVERAGE OF 39 1/2 DAYS.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THIS RATE OF OPERATIONS WAS THE HIGHEST FOR ANY PLANE THE AIR FORCE HAS FLYING OVER KOREA. HE SAID PISTON-ENGINED F51 FIGHTER BOMBERS WERE-OPERATIONAL-ON AN AVERAGE OF 30 DAYS DURING THE SAME PERIOD.

ASKED ABOUT THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE F80S, HE EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT THEY ARE EQUALLY EFFECTIVE--IF NOT MORE SO--THAN THE PISTON ENGINED F51S.

IN RESPONSE TO ANOTHER QUESTION, THE AIR FORCE OFFICER INDICATED THAT MANY OF THE F80S NOW IN THE FAR EAST ARE GUARDING JAPAN AND THE PHILIPPINES AGAINST THE POSSIBILITY OF AIR ATTACK. HE SAID HE BELIEVED IT HAS BEEN CONFIRMED THAT THERE ARE MORE THAN 500 F80S IN THE FAR EAST, BUT THAT THEY ARE NOT ALL WORKING OVER KOREA.

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KOREAN IMPACT
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 22-(AP)-THE IMPACT OF THE KOREAN WAR AND THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM WILL GIVE THE NATION 17 ARMY DIVISIONS, A FLEET WHICH WILL INCLUDE 23 CARRIERS OF VARIOUS TYPES IN OPERATION AND AN AIR FORCE OF 69 GROUPS.

THAT OUTLINE OF THE AUGMENTED FORCE EMERGED TODAY IN THE RELEASE OF TESTIMONY BY DEFENSE OFFICIALS ON PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S REQUEST FOR A $10,500,000,000 (B) SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION, TO BE ADDED TO THE REGULAR FUNDS FOR THE CURRENT YEAR.

THE ARMY WILL GET THIS: ANOTHER COMBAT DIVISION, TO BRING THE NUMBER OF SUCH UNITS TO 11; TWO ADDITIONAL REPLACEMENT TRAINING DIVISIONS TO BE ADDED TO FOUR NOW IN OPERATION.

THE COMMITTEE WAS GIVEN THIS PICTURE OF HOW THE ARMY WAS UNDER STRENGTH AT THE START OF THE KOREAN WAR: THERE WERE 10 DIVISIONS, BUT WITH THE EXCEPTION OF TWO, THEY WERE "CONSIDERABLY BELOW" THE ORGANIZATIONAL TABLE FOR PEACETIME STRENGTH. 24 HOUR APPROPRIATION SUB

IN THE FAR EAST COMMAND, EACH INFANTRY REGIMENT, EXCEPT ONE, WAS SHORT AN INFANTRY BATTALION--A TOTAL SHORTAGE OF 11 BATTALIONS IN THE FOUR DIVISIONS IN JAPAN. THERE WAS A FURTHER SHORTAGE OF 11 ARTILLERY BATTERIES IN THE FOUR DIVISIONS. THROUGHOUT THE ARMY, INCLUDING THE FAR EAST, THE ARMY WAS 40,000 UNDER ITS BUDGET-FIXED STRENGTH OF 630,000 (THE CEILING SINCE HAS BEEN LIFTED.) BY NEXT JUNE 30, THE ARMY EXPECTS TO HAVE A STRENGTH OF 834,000 MEN.

THE EXPANSION PROGRAM NOW UNDER WAY IS DESIGNED TO BRING UNITS IN THE FAR EAST UP TO FULL WARTIME MANPOWER STRENGTH; TO BRING UNITS IN THE UNITED STATES DESTINED FOR THE FAR EAST TO FULL STRENGTH; AND TO REPLACE IN THE SO-CALLED GENERAL RESERVE UNITS BEING SHIPPED OVERSEAS. THE PROGRAM, OF COURSE, ALSO INCLUDES PROVISIONS FOR REPLACEMENTS AT THE FRONT.

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OFFICIALS OF THE ARMY MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, ON A PURELY ACTURIAL BASIS, ESTIMATED THAT BATTLE LOSSES IN KOREA WILL BE ABOUT FIVE PER CENT PER MONTH.

GENERAL J.LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, IS DEPICTING THE BROAD PROGRAM FOR THE EXPANDING ARMY, SAID THAT "WE ARE GOING TO FOLLOW THE BASIC CONCEPT OF KEEPING THE REGULAR FORCES OF THE ARMY DOWN TO THE MINIMUM AND RELYING LARGELY ON OUR NATIONAL GUARD AND ORGANIZED RESERVE FOR THE BUILD-UP.

COLLINS SAID THAT "AT THIS STAGE OF THE GAME THE MAJOR NEED OF THE ARMY IS TO MODERNIZE ITS EQUIPMENT." SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT EMPHASIS WOULD BE PUT ON TANK PRODUCTION.

NAVY OFFICIALS SAID THE EXPANSION PROGRAM FOR THE FLEET AND ITS /IATION WAS LIKE THIS: COMBATANT SHIPS WILL BE INCREASED FROM 243 NDER THE PRESENT BUDGET TO 282; AMPHIBIOUS-TYPE AND AUXILIARY CRAFT WILL BE INCREASED FROM 336 TO 629, BRINGING THE TOTAL NUMBER OF OPERATING SHIPS TO 911.

IN THE AIR, THERE WILL BE THREE MORE ATTACK CARRIER GROUPS, THREE ANTISUBMARINE CARRIER GROUPS, SEVEN MORE PATROL SQUADRONS. THE NEW TOTAL OF PLANES OPERATED BY THE NAVY AND MARINES WILL RISE FROM 6,233 TO 7,335.

THE CARRIER PROGRAM AS PROPOSED UNDER THE SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST WOULD MAKE THE OPERATING FORCE CONSIST OF: NINE LARGE CARRIERS; 10 SMALL CARRIERS, PLUS ONE FOR TRAINING AND THREE TRANSPORT CARRIERS (APPARENTLY FOR FERRYING PLANES AS HAS BEEN DONE IN EMERGENCY SHIPMENTS TO KOREA.)

MARINE CORPS OFFICIALS SAID THAT TO MEET THE EXPANSION REQUIREMENTS AND THE KOREAN WAR NEEDS, 2,997 OFFICERS AND 60,579 MEN WOULD BE REQUIRED AND THAT THE NEW FIGURE FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR THEN WOULD BE 10,314 OFFICERS AND 127,699 MEN.

MOST OF THEM WILL COME FROM THE RESERVES, SAID GEN.CLIFTON B.CATES, MARINE COMMANDANT.

CATES TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT 80 PERCENT OF THE INCREASED STRENGTH WOULD GO INTO COMBAT UNITS.

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(500) AMS BUDGET
WAR INTERPRETIVE

BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON, AUG.22-(AP)-PENTAGON SOURCES SAID TODAY THAT THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS, DESPITE RECENT HEAVY LOSSES, ARE STILL CAPABLE OF LAUNCHING A MAJOR ATTACK AGAINST THE VITAL UNITED NATIONS RAILHEAD AT TAEGU.

THESE SOURCES SAID THAT SIX COMMUNIST DIVISIONS IN THE BATTLE AREA ARE AIMED AT THE RAIL AND ROAD CENTER, WITH THREE OTHERS IN RESERVE NOT FAR AWAY.

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ALTHOUGH ELEMENTS OF TWO AND POSSIBLY THREE RED DIVISIONS IN THE FAR SOUTH ARE NEAR THE UNITED NATIONS' PRINCIPAL SUPPLY PORT AT PUSAN, MILITARY OFFICIALS SAID THE FORCE AIMED AT TAEGU IS THE MAIN COMMUNIST THREAT.

THE REASON WHY IT IS CONSIDERED SO IMPORTANT LIES NOT ONLY IN ITS SIZE BUT IN THE VALUE OF THE OBJECTIVE.

TAEGU IS THE HUB OF A RAIL AND ROAD NETWORK SUPPLYING AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS ON A WIDE SECTOR OF THE CENTRAL FRONT.

IT IS LINKED BY A DOUBLE-TRACK RAILWAY WITH THE PORT OF PUSAN AND THE RAILWAY FERRY FROM JAPAN. SIDINGS ARE AVAILABLE AT TAEGU ON WHICH TRAINS CAN BE UNLOADED, AND MINOR ENGINE REPAIRS CAN BE MADE.

A SINGLE-TRACK BRANCH RAILWAY RUNS EAST TO KYONGJU, WHERE IT CONNECTS WITH A LINE THAT RUNS SOUTH TO THE PORT OF PUSAN AND NORTH TO ANOTHER PORT AT POHANG-DONG.

ANOTHER BRANCH LINE RUNS TO THE SOUTHWEST, NORMALLY CROSSING THE NAKTONG RIVER AND SERVING A LARGE AREA NOW HELD BY THE COMMUNISTS. HIGHWAYS FROM TAEGU LEAD TO THE PORTS OF PUSAN, POHANG-DONG AND MASAN TO THE SOUTH.

THE RAIL AND ROAD NETWORK OF WHICH TAEGU IS THE CENTER ENABLES AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES NOT ONLY TO OBTAIN SUPPLIES QUICKLY BUT TO MOVE THEIR SLOWLY GROWING RESERVES RAPIDLY TO POINTS THAT ARE ATTACKED. THUS THE UNITED NATIONS FORCE CAN EXPLOIT ITS FREEDOM TO MOVE WITHOUT DANGER OF BOMBING OR STRAFING BY ENEMY PLANES.

LOSS OF TAEGU WOULD NOT ONLY HAMPER THE PRESENT MOVEMENT OF UNITED NATIONS SUPPLIES AND REINFORCEMENTS; IT WOULD REDUCE THE ABILITY OF THE UNITED NATIONS TO KEEP AN OFFENSIVE ROLLING ONCE IT IS GOTTEN UNDERWAY. THE DOUBLE TRACKED RAILWAY FROM PUSAN TO TAEGU IS BY FAR THE BEST LINE OF COMMUNICATIONS TO THE HEART OF THE COMMUNIST POSITION. THE GREATER THE MILEAGE HELD, THE FARTHER AN EVENTUAL OFFENSIVE SHOULD BE ABLE TO GO WITHOUT BOGGING DOWN FOR LACK OF GASOLINE AND OTHER SUPPLIES.

FOR EXAMPLE, IT WAS LACK OF GASOLINE, NOT GERMAN OPPOSITION, THAT FINALLY STOPPED GENERAL GEORGE PATTON'S THIRD ARMY AFTER ITS DASH ACROSS FRANCE IN WORLD WAR II.

THE DOUBLE TRACK RAILWAY BETWEEN PUSAN AND TAEGU SHOULD BE OF TREMENDOUS VALUE IN MOUNTING AND PUSHING AN OFFENSIVE.

DESPITE TAEGU'S IMPORTANCE, HOWEVER, ITS FALL WOULD NOT BE DISASTROUS TO ALLIED CHANCES OF HOLDING A BEACHHEAD IN KOREA. THERE ARE MANY NATURALLY STRONG DEFENSIVE POSITIONS TO THE EAST AND SOUTH OF THE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER.

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NIGHT LEAD ATLANTIC (430)

BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

LONDON, AUG.22-(AP)-THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT'S CIVILIAN DIRECTORS RESUMED WORK TODAY ON STRENGTHENING OF THE WEST'S DEFENSES AGAINST THE POSSIBILITY OF AGGRESSION FROM THE EAST. THEY WERE FRESH FROM TALKS WITH THEIR HOME GOVERNMENTS.

CHARLES M.SPOFFORD OF THE UNITED STATES PRESIDED OVER THE TALKS BY THE GROUP, CALLED THE COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES. A COMMUNIQUE SAID:

"THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES X X X RESUMED THEIR CONSIDERATION OF VARIOUS MEASURES TO ACCELERATE THE STRENGTHENING OF THE OVERALL DEFENSES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA, STEPS TO INCREASE EFFECTIVE MILITARY FORCES; THE PRODUCTION OF EQUIPMENT, ESPECIALLY ITEMS OF HIGH PRIORITY; AND THE FINANCIAL MEANS FOR THESE PURPOSES.

"THE DEPUTIES WILL CONTINUE THEIR MEETINGS UNTIL EARLY SEPTEMBER."

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THE DOLLAR-AND-CENTS ASPECT OF THE DEPUTIES DISCUSSIONS REVOLVED AROUND QUESTIONS LIKE THESE:

JUST HOW IS WESTERN REARMAMENT TO BE PAID FOR?

JUST WHAT HELP IS THE UNITED STATES, AS THE RICHEST AND STRONGEST MEMBER OF THE 12-NATION PARTNERSHIP, GOING TO GIVE EACH OF ITS ALLIES?

ALL THE PACT PARTNERS HAVE REPORTED DETAILS OF THEIR PLANS DIRECTLY TO THE UNITED STATES.

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A PICTURE OF THE DEFENSE PROGRAMS PROJECTED BY THE MAIN EUROPEAN MEMBERS OF THE PACT:

BRITAIN PROPOSES TO SPEND $9,520,000,000 OVER THE NEXT THREE YEARS. THIS REPRESENTS AN INCREASE OF SOMETHING LIKE $2,800,000,000 OVER HER PRE-KOREA PROGRAM. SHE WANTS THE UNITED STATES TO PROVIDE HELP FOR ABOUT HALF THE PROPOSED INCREASE--AROUND $1,400,000,000. THIS COUNTRY HAS ABOUT 5,000,000 MEN ALREADY TRAINED OR IN TRAINING AND SO FEELS SHE CAN HELP BEST BY PRODUCING ARMS.

FRANCE SUGGESTS PUTTING AN ADDITIONAL 15 DIVISIONS IN THE FIELD WITHIN THREE YEARS AT A COST OF $5,600,000,000 MORE THAN SHE IS SPENDING ON DEFENSE NOW. THE FRENCH NOTE THEIR EFFORT DEPENDS ON AMERICA AND BRITAIN SENDING A MINIMUM OF ABOUT SIX DIVISIONS EACH TO THE CONTINENT RIGHT AWAY.

THE NETHERLANDS IS PLANNING TO RAISE AN EXTRA THREE DIVISIONS AND TO BOOST MILITARY PRODUCTION.

BELGIUM IS THINKING OF STEPPING UP HER DEFENSE BUDGET OF AROUND $270,000,000 BY MORE THAN A THIRD.

DENMARK HOPES TO INCREASE HER $50,000,000 DEFENSE BILL.

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SOME INDIVIDUAL EFFORTS HAVE COME IN FOR INFORMAL U. S. CIRITICISM.

THE NUB OF THE AMERICAN COMPLAINT SEEMS TO BE THAT SOME EUROPEAN NATIONS, SUCH AS BRITAIN AND FRANCE, ARE COUNTING TOO MUCH ON THE UNITED STATES FOR MONEY AND MATERIAL HELP; THAT THEY ARE NOT SACRIFICING ENOUGH IN THE COMMON CAUSE OF CONTAINING COMMUNISM; AND THAT THERE'S TOO MUCH OF A "BUSINESS AS USUAL" AIR ABOUT THE WHOLE EUROPEAN APPROACH.

BRITAIN, FOR ONE, COUNTERS BY POINTING TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S OWN DIRECTIVE, WHICH SAID IN EFFECT THAT THE BUILD-UP OF MILITARY SECURITY SHOULD NOT UNDULY UPSET THE ECONOMIC STABILITY OF THE NATIONS.

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BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

LONDON, AUG.22-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA HAS COMPLAINED TO BRITAIN SHE THINKS THE WEST COULD DO MUCH MORE TO HELP HER IN HER FIGHT AGAINST THE RUSSIAN-LED COMINFORM.

DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS REPORTED TODAY THE BELGRADE GOVERNMENT SIMULTANEOUSLY CALLED ON BRITAIN TO HELP BRING ABOUT YUGOSLAV-GREEK AND YUGOSLAV-ITALIAN RECONCILIATIONS.

AS A RESULT FOREIGN SECRETARY BEVIN THIS MONTH SENT HIS DEPUTY, ERNEST DAVIES, TO THE CAPITALS OF THE THREE COUNTRIES IN THE HOPE OF RESTORING NORMAL RELATIONS AMONG THEM.

DAVIES HAS BEEN IN TOUCH WITH ITALIAN, GREEK AND YUGOSLAV LEADERS ON THE SUBJECT. AT THE MOMENT HE IS IN YUGOSLAVIA.

THE YUGOSLAV CASE WAS PUT TO THE BRITISH MINISTER OF STATE KENNETH YOUNGER SOME WEEKS AGO BY AMBASSADOR JOSE BRILLEJ.

WITHOUT SAYING SPECIFICALLY WHAT THE WEST COULD OR SHOULD DO, BRILLEJ REPORTEDLY NOTED:

1. THE YEAR-OLD ANGLO-YUGOSLAV TRADE PACT-- WHICH PROVIDES FOR A TURNOVER OF BUSINESS TOTALLING AROUND $2,800,000,000 FOR FIVE YEARS-- FUNCTIONS TOO MUCH ON A CASH-AND-CARRY BASIS. THE IMPLICATION SEEMS TO BE YUGOSLAVIA NEEDS BIGGER CREDITS FROM THE WEST THAN SHE NOW IS RECEIVING.

2. YUGOSLAVIA, FOR POLITICAL REASONS, COULD NOT ACCEPT AMERICAN HELP UNDER THE MARSHALL PLAN, BUT THE NEED FOR AID NEVERTHELESS REMAINED IF SHE IS TO FULFILL THE TARGETS OF HER FIVE-YEAR PLAN. THIS SEEMS A HINT THAT AMERICA MIGHT FIGURE OUT SOME OTHER FORMULA FOR HELPING HER.

THE TITO REGIME HAS BEEN IN THE COMINFORM DOGHOUSE SINCE 1948 WHEN IT WAS EXPELLED BECAUSE OF ALLEGED DEVIATIONS FROM THE LINE OF RUSSIAN-TYPE COMMUNISM.

SINCE THEN RUSSIA AND HER FRIENDS HAVE BEEN TURNING THE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC HEAT ON YUGOSLAVIA IN THE HOPE THAT TITO AND HIS GOVERNMENT WILL BE OVERTHROWN.

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BY GLENN WILLIAMS

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LONDON, AUG 22-(AP)-THE PERMANENT CIVILIAN HIGH COMMAND OF THE 12-NATION ATLANTIC ALLIANCE CAME BACK TO WORK TODAY TO FIT TOGETHER THE ALLIES' NEW PLANS FOR STRONGER FIGHTING FORCES TO RESIST COMMUNISM.

SEMI-SECRECY SURROUNDED THEIR MEETING (AT 9 A.M., EST) AT THEIR PERMANENT HEADQUARTERS IN LANCASTER HOUSE, WHERE THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE DOZEN ALLIES CREATED THIS DEPUTY COUNCIL IN MAY.

THE OFFICE OF CHARLES M.SPOFFORD, AMERICAN CHAIRMAN OF THE HIGH COMMAND COUNCIL, AND THE COUNCIL SECRETARIAT REFUSED ANY PRECISE INFORMATION ABOUT WHAT WAS TO BE DISCUSSED. IT DISCLOSED, HOWEVER, THAT DOCUMENTS RECENTLY DRAWN BY MEMBER COUNTRIES ON HOW MUCH THEY INTEND TO INCREASE THEIR ARMED FORCES AND THEIR OUTPUT OF ARMS ARE TO BE CONSIDERED.

TWO MAJOR QUESTIONS ALREADY HAVE BEEN RAISED OVER THESE PLANS.

DO THEY MEAN ENOUGH DEFENSE SOON ENOUGH, OR WILL IT BE TOO LITTLE AND TOO LATE?

HOW WILL THE ARMING BE PAID FOR, AND ARE THE VARIOUS ALWIES DIGGING DEEP ENOUGH INTO THEIR OWN POCKETS OR COUNTING TOO HEAVILY ON AMERICAN ARMS AND MONEY?

THE UNITED STATES ALREADY HAS INDICATED A FEELING THAT SOME OF THE PARTNERS HAVE BEEN DAWDLING. SPOFFORD, FRESH FROM WASHINGTON CONFERENCES WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, IS EXPECTED TO URGE A GREATLY EXPANDED ARMS PLAN FOR THE ATLANTIC ALLIES.

INVOLVED IN THE WHOLE QUESTION OF REARMAMENT IS AN URGENCY FOR SPEED--AN URGE EXPRESSED MOST VIGOROUSLY BY THE UNITED STATES, WHERE CRITICS ASSERT THE EUROPEAN ALLIES ARE MOVING TOO SLOWLY.

THE EUROPEANS COUNTER THAT THEY ARE DOING ALL THEIR ECONOMIES, JUST NOW RECOVERING FROM THE BATTERING OF WORLD WAR II, CAN SUPPORT.

AMONG THE MAJOR PLANS SUBMITTED IS THE FRENCH BLUEPRINT FOR INCREASING ITS ARMY BY ANOTHER 15 DIVISIONS IN THREE YEARS. THERE ALSO IS BRITAIN'S NOTE TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN BOOSTING DEFENSE SPENDING TO £3,400,000,000 ($9,250,000,000)--EQUAL TO ABOUT 10 PER CENT OF THE COUNTRY'S NATIONAL INCOME---OVER THE NEXT THREE YEARS.

BOTH NATIONS COUNT HEAVILY ON U.S. AID.

FRANCE PLANS TO CONTRIBUTE MANPOWER. BRITAIN, WITH STRONG RESERVES OF BOTH VETERANS AND POST-WAR CONSCRIPTS, IS SPEEDING AN ARMS BUILDING PROGRAM.

BRITAIN HAS PREPARED A PLAN FOR A SORT OF SUPER LEND-LEASE THROUGH WHICH THE ALLIES WOULD EXCHANGE ARMS AND MONEY, DIVIDING DEFENSE TASKS ON THE BASIS OF EFFICIENCY AND "FAIR SHARES."

FRANCE IS SUBMITTING A PLAN FOR A 12-NATION MONEY POOL AND FOR AN INTERNATIONAL "FREEDOM LOAN" TO BE RAISED THROUGH BOND SALES AS A WAY OF RAISING MONEY AND PROPAGANDIZING DEFENSE AT THE SAME TIME.

ANOTHER QUESTION TO BE DISCUSSED IS THE ADVISABILITY OF REARMING WEST GERMANY AS AN ALLY AGAINST COMMUNISM.

THE JOB OF THE DEPUTIES IS TO PREPARE QUICK AND THOROUGH RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ACTION BY THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 COUNTRIES. THE MINISTERS MEET IN NEW YORK NEXT MONTH.

NATIONS PARTICIPATING IN THE 16-MONTH OLD ALLIANCE ARE THE U.S., CANADA, BRITAIN, FRANCE, NORWAY, DENMARK, HOLLAND, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, ITALY, PORTUGAL AND ICELAND.

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Moscow, Aug. 22---(ap)---Soviet papers reported today that the united states is exerting strong pressure on britain to step-up preparations for war.

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A dispatch from london said the british press is giving major attention to this question.

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It was in this connection that Moscow papers have reported the visit of Charles M. Spofford (the american deputy

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to the north atlantic alliance) to london.

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LONDON, AUG.22-(AP)-PROF.LAJOS JANOSSY, A SCIENTIFIC ACQUAINTANCE OF ATOMIC SPY, DR. KLAUS EMIL FUCHS, HAS DELIVERED HIS SERVICES AND COSMIC RAY SECRETS TO COMMUNIST HUNGARY, ACCORDING TO THE LONDON DAILY MAIL.

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JANOSSY, 38, WAS REPORTED TO HAVE SWITCHED FROM THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED SCIENCES IN DUBLIN TO BUDAPEST UNIVERSITY. POSSESSING FAMILY TIES IN BUDAPEST, JANOSSY WAS QUOTED BY COLLEAGUES THAT HUNGARIAN AUTHORITIES OFFERED HIM AN ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE.

DURING THE WAR, JANOSSY ENGAGED IN COSMIC RAY RESEARCH AT MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY. UNIVERSITY AUTHORITIES MINIMIZED THE IMMEDIATE PRACTICAL VALUE OF JANOSSY'S INFORMATION, BUT CONCEDED HIS KNOWLEDGE OF COSMIC RADIATION EVENTUALLY MIGHT BE OF GREAT USE.

A PUBLISHED PHOTOGRAPH SHOWED JANOSSY SITTIN BESIDE FUCHS AT A SCIENTIFIC MEETING LAST YEAR, BUT THE MAIL SAID THE EXTENT OF THEIR ACQUAINTANCESHIP HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED.

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LONDON, AUG. 22-(AP)-WEST GERMANY HAS URGED SPEEDY FORMATION OF A FULLY ARMED POLICE-ARMY TO COPE WITH THE RUSSIAN-BACKED EAST GERMAN "PEOPLE'S POLICE" AS THE FIRST STEP IN PREVENTING A SECOND "KOREA" IN GERMANY, DIPLOMATIC SOURCES SAID TODAY.

WEST GERMANY'S CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER WAS SAID TO HAVE REQUESTED PERMISSION OF THE THREE WESTERN OCCUPYING POWERS TO ORGANIZE A POLICE-ARMY OF 65,000, EQUIPPED WITH ARMOR AND ARTILLERY.

THE BONN GOVERNMENT CHIEF ALSO HAS CALLED FORMALLY FOR A BIG BUILD-UP OF ALLIED ARMED FORCES, INCLUDING AT LEAST 10 AMERICAN TANK DIVISIONS, THE INFORMANTS SAID. HE HAS URGED THE UNITED STATES TO SEND AN EXTRA TWO OR THREE DIVISIONS TO WEST GERMANY BY WINTER.

THE REQUESTED GERMAN POLICE FORCE WOULD TOP THE ESTIMATED 53,000 FORCE WHICH THE RUSSIANS HAVE ORGANIZED ALONG THE LINES OF REGULAR INFANTRY TROOPS IN THEIR ZONE OF GERMANY.

SIR IVONE KIRKPATRICK, BRITISH HIGH COMMISSIONER IN GERMANY, CONFERRED FOR THE SECOND SUCCESSIVE DAY WITH FOREIGN MINISTER ERNEST BEVIN ON THE GERMAN DEMAND.

A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID, HOWEVER, THAT ANY DECISION ON THE REQUEST WOULD BE MADE BY THE BRITISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN FOREIGN MINISTERS WHEN THEY MEET IN NEW YORK SEPT. 12.

AT BONN, GERMAN LEADERS MET FOR THREE HOURS IN A CLOSED SESSION TO DISCUSS THE PROPOSED FORMATION OF A EUROPEAN ARMY TO INCLUDE GERMAN UNITS.

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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, AUG.23-(AP)-THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID TODAY THAT LEADERS OF THE RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH HAVE PROTESTED TO THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL AGAINST UNITED STATES INTERFERENCE IN KOREA AND THE BOMBING OF THE "PEACEFUL POPULATION OF KOREA BY AMERICAN AIRCRAFT."

THE STATEMENT WAS SIGNED BY ALEXEI, PATRIARCH OF MOSCOW, AND BY MEMBERS OF THE HOLY SYNOD, RULING BODY OF THE CHURCH.

THE STATEMENT DEMANDED WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN TROOPS FROM KOREA AND THE "COMPLETE ENDING OF THE ILLEGAL WAR."

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Southampton, Eng., Aug. 22--(ap)--Joseph M. Byrne, Jr., Vice chairman of the port of New York authority, arrived in Britain tonight for talks with London port officials on bomb defense measures. He was met by Sir John Anderson, chairman of the London Port authority.

Byrne told newsmen:

"Britain is far ahead of everybody else in precautions against bombing from the air because of what [redacted] she went through in World War II.

"You (British) have had a rugged experience and we may have to go through the same in the United States in the near future. We do not know what it is to have our docks, houses and communications shattered."

He said that air raid precautions "have been stepped up very fas throughout the New York metropolitan area since the Korean war started June 25.

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NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY (370)

BY PHILIP CLARKE

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 22-(AP)-A BIGGER AND MORE POWERFUL COUNCIL OF EUROPE WAS PROPOSED IN RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED TODAY BY THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FORMER FRENCH PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT, CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE, SAID THE RESOLUTIONS ARE "A GREAT STEP TOWARD REAL EUROPEAN UNITY."

THEY WOULD:

1--FORCE ACTION BY THE GOVERNMENT AND PARLIAMENTS OF THE 15 MEMBER NATIONS ON DECISIONS MADE BY THE ASSEMBLY. ALL DELEGATES WHO VOTED FOR RESOLUTIONS ON THE SUXMBLYLOO WOULD BE OBLIGATED TO BACK THEM IN THEIR HOME CAPITALS.

2--OPEN THE WAY TO REGIONAL FEDERATIONS AND PACTS WITHIN THE COUNCIL.

3--GIVE REPRESENTATION TO PEOPLES BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN THROUGH THEIR EXILED LEADERS.

THE RESOLUTIONS ARE INTENDED TO REMOVE THE ASSEMBLY FROM A STRAITJACKET OF STATUTES AND TRANSFORM IT FROM AN INTERNATIONAL DEBATING SOCIETY INTO A UNITED BODY WITH LIMITED REAL POWERS. THE ASSEMBLY IS NOW UNDER THE THUMB OF THE UPPER HOUSE, THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS. THE MINISTERS ARE EMPOWERED TO KILL ASSEMBLY PROPOSALS AT WILL BY VETO.

IN PROPOSING REGIONAL PACTS WITHIN THE COUNCIL, THE COMMITTEE SOUGHT TO COMPROMISE A BITTER STRUGGLE BETWEEN CONTINENTAL FEDERALISTS AND ANTI-FEDERALISTS LED BY BRITAIN AND SCANDINAVIA.

THIS COMPROMISE WOULD PROVIDE FOR "SPECIAL CONVENTIONS" BETWEEN MEMBER NATIONS OF THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL. BIDAULT EXPLAINED THAT THIS WOULD PERMIT THE POLITICAL FEDERATION OF THOSE STATES NOW DESIRING IT. AT THE SAME TIME, IT WOULD KEEP THE FEDERATION OR FEDERATIONS WITHIN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL AND THUS ON FRIENDLY TERMS WITH OTHER NON-FEDERATED NATIONS.

BIDAULT ADDED THAT ECONOMIC CONVENTIONS, SUCH AS THE SCHUMAN STEEL-COAL POOL PLAN, COULD BE ON THE SAME BASIS.

A SUBCOMMITTEE ON SECURITY WRANGLED INCONCLUSIVELY OVER HOW FAR TO GO ON WINSTON CHURCHILL'S EUROPEAN ARMY PROPOSAL. DUTCH AND SCANDINAVIAN DELEGATES WERE REPORTED HOLDING OUT AGAINST ANY DETAILED ASSEMBLY ACTION ON MILITARY DEFENSE MEASURES.

BRITISH LABORITIES CONTINUED A TWO-DAY BOYCOTT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE'S SESSIONS AND A LABOR LEADER SAID IT WOULD GO ON "FOREVER" AS LONG AS MILITARY DEFENSE MEASURES ARE BEING DEBATED.

THE LABORITES AND SCANDINAVIANS ARE DEAD SET AGAINST ANY ASSEMBLY ATTEMPT TO IMPLEMENT CHURCHILL'S PROPOSALS. THEY POINT TO STATUTES FORBIDDING DISCUSSION OF DEFENSE MATTERS AND ARGUE THAT SUCH MATTERS BELONG IN THE GOVERNMENT FIELD ANYWAY.

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BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN

STRASBOURG, FRANCE,AUG.22-(AP)-A COMMITTEE OF THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY MEETS TODAY TO APPROVE STEPS TO FIT THE PROPOSED EUROPEAN ARMY INTO THE OVERALL ATLANTIC PACT SETUP.

THE ASSEMBLY'S SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE AGREED IN PRINCIPLE YESTERDAY THAT THE ARMY AND DEFENSE MINISTER, PROPOSED BY WINSTON CHURCHILL, MUST BE A PILLAR, NOT A RIVAL, OF THE PACT.

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AGREEMENT CAME AFTER THE COMMITTEE'S MEMBER FROM THE BRITISH LABOR PARTY BOYCOTTED THE SESSION. ONE LABOR DELEGATE SAID HIS PARTY DID NOT FEEL THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY HAS JURISDICTION OVER SUCH MATTERS.

THIS SEEMED TO FORECAST A BITTER FIGHT ON THE ASSEMBLY FLOOR WHEN TH ARMY-DEFENSE MINISTER PROPOSAL COMES UP FOR PUBLIC DEBATE. THE SWEDISH AND IRISH DELEGATES ALSO MAY OPPOSE IT, SINCE NEITHER NATION HAS SIGNED THE ATLANTIC TREATY.

ONE MEMBER OF THE SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTED WHAT HE TERMED A SURPRISINGLY STRONG FEELING IN THE GROUP THAT WHATEVER EUROPEAN NATIONS DO FOR DEFENSE MUST REST ON THE ATLANTIC PACT.

"WE HAD EXPECTED SOME DELEGATES TO TAKE A NARROW EUROPEAN VIEW," HE SAID.

THIS SOURCE CONFIRMED EARLIER REPORTS THAT BACKERS OF CHURCHILL'S PROPOSALS WOULD SEEK ASSEMBLY APPROVAL OF ONLY GENERAL PRINCIPLES FOR TH EUROPEAN ARMY. THEY HAVE ABANDONED ANY THOUGHT OF PUSHING FOR

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ADOPTION OF DETAILED PLANS, HE EXPLAINED.

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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS

BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, AUG. 22-(AP)-EAST GERMANY BLEW THE WHISTLE TONIGHT FOR A NEW DRIVE TO SPREAD COMMUNISM WEST TO THE RHINE RIVER.

THE RUSSIAN ZONE'S COMMUNIST LEADERS SUMMONED A SO-CALLED NATIONAL CONGRESS TO MEET HERE FRIDAY AND RUBBERSTAMP A CAMPAIGN DESIGNED TO:

1--UNDERMINE THE PRESTIGE OF THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH OCCUPATION FORCES IN WEST GERMANY AND WEST BERLIN.

2--SABOTAGE THE LEGALLY ELECTED ANTI-COMMUNIST REPUBLIC OF WEST GERMANY, SEATED AT BONN ON THE RHINE.

3--PERSUADE WEST GERMAN BUSINESSMEN TO TURN EAST FOR THEIR FUTURE.

4--PREY ON THE WAR FEARS AND ECONOMIC WORRIES OF THE MAN IN THE STREET WITH THE LINE HE SHOULD ENTER THE COMMUNIST FOLD BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE.

THE ENTIRE PROPAGANDA MACHINERY OF THE EAST ZONE WAS MARSHALLED TO PUMP UP THE GATHERING.

THREE THOUSAND HAND-PICKED DELEGATES, HALF OF THEM PURPORTED TO BE FROM WEST GERMANY, WILL PARTICIPATE.

THE EAST GERMAN POLITBURO HAS ASSIGNED TRUCKS AND BUSES TO MEET PRO-COMMUNIST WEST GERMANS AT THE SOVIET ZONE BORDER AND BRING THEM TO BERLIN. THE POLITBURO HAS KNOWN FOR WEEKS EXACTLY WHICH INDIVIDUALS WOULD HOLD SEATS IN THE CONGRESS.

THE POLITBURO BOSSES PUT THE SOVIET ZONE'S OCT. 15 ELECTIONS AT THE TOP OF BUSINESS FOR THE CONGRESS.

THE DELEGATES WILL BE ASKED TO APPROVE THE PRINCIPLE THAT THE EAST ZONE WILL BE VOTING FOR AN "ALL-GERMANY" GOVERNMENT.

THE BALLOT IS MADE UP NOW WITH THE COMMUNISTS IN CONTROL. A SMALL VOICE IS GIVEN TO COLLABORATING MINOR PARTIES, THE UNIONS, YOUTH BRIGADES AND WOMEN'S LEAGUE.

THIS IS WHAT THE GERMAN COMMUNISTS CALL "THE NATIONAL FRONT."

GERHART EISLER, SOVIET ZONE PROPAGANDA CHIEF, SAID THE CONGRESS, ACTING FOR "THE NATIONAL FRONT." WOULD DECLARE AGAINST:

"THE SPLITTING OF GERMANY, THE ESTABLISHMENT OF MERCENARY ARMIES, THE DEGRADATION OF THE ECONOMY AS AN ARMAMENT HANGER-ON OF AMERICAN WAR-MAKERS AND THE UNLEASHING OF WAR ON GERMAN SOIL, WHICH IS THE AMERICAN WAY."

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BY DANIEL DE LUCE

BERLIN, AUG.22-(AP)-RUSSIA'S NEW CAMPAIGN TO WIN WESTERN GERMANY FROM THE ALLIES ROLLED AHEAD TODAY WITH TOP PROPAGANDISTS WARNING OF

THE HORRORS OF WAR FOR ANTI-COMMUNISTS BUT OFFERING MULTI-MILLION DOLLAR ECONOMIC REWARDS FOR COLLABORATORS.

. SOVIET CONTROLLED PRESS AND RADIO NETWORKS IN EAST GERMANY SOUGHT TO FOCUS THE ATTENTION OF 66,000,000 GERMANS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ELBE FRONTIER ON THE "NATIONAL CONGRESS" WHIVHMMEETS HERE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY TO "SPEAK FOR ALL GERMANY."

THE CONGRESS WILL ENDORSE A "PROGRAM OF NATIONAL RESISTANCE" AGAINST THE WESTERN POWERS AND THEIR "ILLEGAL INTERVENTION TROOPS."

THE SHIFT OF COMMUNIST TACTICS FROM MERE VOCAL OPPOSITION TO OPEN RESISTANCE WAS ANNOUNCED LAST MONTH UNDER THE IMPACT OF THE KOREAN WAR AT THE ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY, THE KREMLIN'S CHOSEN POLITICAL INSTRUMENT IN GERMANY.

GERHART EISLER, SOVIET ZONE PROPAGANDA CHIEF AND FUGITIVE FROM U.S. PROSECUTION, SUMMED UP THE CLAIMS OF THE "NATIONAL CONGRESS" IN A BITTER STATEMENT IN BERLIN TODAY.

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THIS BODY, HANDPICKED BY COMMUNISTS IN CLOSED MEETINGS IN EAST AND WEST GERMANY, WILL NUMBER ABOUT 3,000 DELEGATES--ALLEGEDLY HALF OF THEM FROM THE ALLIED ZONES.

MEMBERSHIP IS OPEN TO "ALL PATRIOTIC GERMANS." BUT THE MACHINERY OF THE CONGRESS IS ENTIRELY IN THE HANDS OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY PARTY'S POLITBURO, LED BY THE FORMER MOSCOW EXPATRIATE, WALTER ULBRIGHT, EAST GERMAN DEPUTY PREMIER.

EISLER SAID THE CONGRESS, THROUGH ITS "NATIONAL FRONT," WOULD FIGHT AGAINST "THE SPLITTING OF GERMANY, THE ESTABLISHMENT OF (WEST GERMAN) MERCENARY ARMIES, THE DEGRADATION OF THE (WEST GERMAN) ECONOMY AS AN ARMAMENT HANGER-ON OF AMERICAN WAR-MAKERS, AND THE UNLEASHING OF WAR ON GERMAN SOIL, WHICH IS THE AMERICAN WAY."

EISLER CALLED FOR "STRONG PEACEFUL TIES WITH THE SOVIET UNION," ADDING: "THIS FRIENDSHIP IS THE IRON FOUNDATION FOR THE FOREIGN POLICY OF THE NATIONAL FRONT OF DEMOCRATIC GERMANY.

"GERMANY SEES THE ANGLO-AMERICAN WAR-MAKERS AS THE DEADLY ENEMY OF THE NATION, AGAINST WHOM IT OPPOSES THE MOST ACTIVE RESISTANCE," HE DECLARED.

THE POLITBURO ORDERED ALL COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED TRADE UNIONS, THE "FREE GERMAN YOUTH," AND OTHER MASS ORGANIZATIONS TO APPEAR AT A HUGE RALLY FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT EAST BERLIN'S LUSTGARTEN.

STRONG WEST BERLIN POLICE DETACHMENTS WILL BE ON THE ALERT TO PREVENT RED DEMONSTRATORS FROM MARCHING INTO ALLIED SECTORS.

NUMBER ONE OBJECTIVE OF THE PRESENT COMMUNIST AGITATION, OBSERVERS SAID, APPEARS TO BE TO BEWILDER AND DISMAY THE 46,000,000 GERMANS UNDER ALLIED OCCUPATION ABOUT THE PROBLEM OF WEST GERMANY'S DEFENSE.

ALL THE TRADITIONAL SABOTAGE MANEUVERS ON BOLSHEVIK HISTORY ARE REPORTED LIABLE TO BE REPEATED IN THE ALLIED ZONES TO DELAY AND WEAKEN WEST GERMANY'S PROSPECTIVE REARMAMENT.

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ALTHOUGH THE OFFICIAL COMMUNIST PARTY IS ALMOST IMPOTENT IN WEST GERMANY'S POLITICAL LIFE, THE POLITBURO APPEARS HOPEFUL OF LURING A LARGE CONFUSED SECTION OF WEST GERMAN BUSINESSMEN INTO THE "NATIONAL FRONT."

RUDOLF HERRNSTADT, POLITBURO MEMBER AND CHIEF EDITOR OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY ORGAN, NEUES DEUTSCHLAND, OFFERED IN THE NEWSPAPER TODAY TO ARRANGE IMMEDIATE CONTRACTS FOR 2,000,000,000 MARKS ($576,000,000) WORTH OF WEST GERMAN GOODS IN EASTERN EUROPE.

THIS EASTERN MARKET, HE SAID, WOULD ENABLE 400,000 WEST GERMAN UNEMPLOYED TO RETURN AT ONCE TO WORK.

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BERLIN, AUG.22-(AP)-THE SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION ADMITTED TODAY THAT TWO MISSING GERMANS, EMPLOYED BY PATHE NEWSREEL, ARE IN JAIL IN EAST GERMANY.

HEINZ TOCHTERMANN AND SIEGFRIED ROGGE DISAPPEARED WHILE DRIVING JUNE 30 FROM BERLIN TO WEST GERMANY ON THE SOVIET ZONE AUTOBAHN (HIGHWAY) IN A NEWSREEL COMPANY CAR LOADED WITH PHOTOGRAPHIC EQUIPMENT.

THE AMERICAN CORRESPONDENTS' ASSOCIATION OF BERLIN WROTE WILHELM ZAISSER, CHIEF OF EAST GERMAN SECURITY POLICE, APPEALING FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THE MISSING MEN AFTER OFFICIAL U.S. INQUIRIES TO THE RUSSIANS HAD GONE UNANSWERED FOR A MONTH.

A LETTER FROM COLONEL N.A.PIRAGOV, SOVIET LIAISON OFFICER, INFORMED THE U.S. HIGH COMMISSIN TODAY THAT THE TWO MEN ARE HELD BY EAST GERMAN AUTHORITIES "FOR ENGAGING IN ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES ON THE TERRITORY OF THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC."

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PIRAGOV DID NOT DIVULGE WHEN, IF EVER, THE PAIR WOULD BE GIVEN A HEARING, NOR DID HE REFER TO THE MISSING CAR AND EQUIPMENT OF PATHE NEWSREEL.

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WIESBADEN, GERMANY, AUG.22-(AP)-AN AMERICAN PRIVATE WHO CLAIMS HE WAS HELD FOR SIX MONTHS BY THE RUSSIANS WAS CONVICTED OF DESERTION TODAY BY AN AIR FORCE COURT MARTIAL, AIR FORCE OFFICIALS ANNOUNCED.

THE OFFICIALS IDENTIFIED THE MAN AS PRIVATE B.P.MARTIN OF 2 KEHOE DRIVE, ADA, MICH.

MARTIN WAS ACCUSED OF DESERTING IN JUNE, 1949, FROM AN AIR FORCE UNIT STATIONED AT FASSBURG IN THE BRITISH ZONE, AIR FORCE OFFICIALS SAID.

IN A STATEMENT READ TO THE COURT, MARTIN CLAIMED HE WAS KIDNAPPED BY THE RUSSIANS IN BERLIN IN JULY, 1949, AFTER HE LEFT FASSBERG, THE OFFICIALS SAID. HE SAID HE WAS TAKEN TO THE RUSSIAN ZONE AND HELD UNTIL JANUARY OF THIS YEAR.

MARTIN SURRENDERED TO FRENCH AUTHORITIES IN BERLIN AND WAS TURNED OVER TO THE U.S. AIR FORCE FOR TRIAL.

AIR FORCE OFFICIALS SAID MARTIN WAS SENTENCED TO A DISHONORABLE DISCHARGE AND CONFINEMENT FOR A YEAR AND A HALF AT HARD LABOR. THE COURT MARTIAL SENTENCE IS SUBJECT TO REVIEW.
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BREMERHAVEN, GERMANY, AUG.22-(AP)-U.S. HIGH COMMISSION COURT TODAY SENTENCED PAUL J.SCHNEIDER OF DETROIT, MICH. TO SIX MONTHS IMPRISONMENT FOR ENTERING GERMANY ILLEGALLY.

FIVE MONTHS OF THE SENTENCE WERE SUSPENDED ON CONDITION OF GOOD BEHAVIOR. SCHNEIDER WAS ORDERED RETURNED TO THE U.S. AFTER SERVING THE SENTENCE IN THE BREMERHAVEN STOCKADE.

SCHNEIDER TOLD THE COURT THAT HE WANTED TO LEAVE HIS JOB AS A RAILWAY WORKER IN CANADA TO WORK IN GERMANY FOR THE OCCUPATION AUTHORITIES. HE SAID HE WAS SENT HERE BY CANADA AFTER TELLING CANADIAN AUTHORITIES THAT HE WAS A GERMAN STOWAWAY WHO HAD ENTERED CANADA ILLEGALLY.

GERMAN AUTHORITIES HERE ACCEPTED HIS STORY AND ISSUED HIM PAPERS.

SCHNEIDER SAID. HE THEN STARTED OUT FOR BERLIN BUT WAS ARRESTED IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE. HE ESCAPED BUT WAS PICKED UP IN BERLIN BY THE COMMUNIST POLICE.

HE WAS TURNED OVER TO AMERICAN AUTHORITIES LAST MONTH.

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NIGHT LEAD ADENAUER (420)
BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD
BONN, GERMANY, AUG.22-(AP)-CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER FAILED TODAY IN AN EFFORT TO LINE UP SOCIALIST SUPPORT FOR HIS PROPOSAL THAT WEST GERMANY BE ALLOWED AN ARMED DEFENSE FORCE OF ABOUT 65,000 MEN.

SOCIALIST LEADER KURT SCHUMACHER AND THE CHANCELLOR TALKED PRIVATELY NEARLY THREE HOURS. ADENAUER HOLDS THAT THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC NEEDS SUCH A FORCE TO COUNTERBALANCE THE HEAVILY ARMED COMMUNIST "PEOPLE'S POLICE" OF EAST GERMANY.

SCHUMACHER WAS ASKED BY A REPORTER AFTER THE MEETING: AUG 23 1950
"IS THE VIEWPOINT OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC (SOCIALIST) PARTY CHANGED AS A RESULT OF YOUR MEETING WITH THE CHANCELLOR?"

SCHUMACHER REPLIED WITH AN EMPHATIC "NO."

ADENAUER MADE HIS PROPOSAL FOR A DEFENSE FORCE IN A NEWSPAPER INTERVIEW LAST WEEK, WITHOUT PRIOR CONSULTATION WITH HIS CONSERVATIVE CABINET OR HIS PARLIAMENTARY OPPOSITION. THE SOCIALISTS ARE THE STRONGEST OF THE OPPOSITION.

QUALIFIED DIPLOMATIC INFORMANTS REPORTED IN LONDON TODAY THAT ADENAUER HAS ASKED THE WEST FOR PERMISSION TO ORGANIZE QUICKLY A POLICE-ARMY OF AROUND 65,000 MEN. UNDER THE PLAN THE UNITED STATES WOULD SUPPLY THE ARMS. THE STRENGTH OF THE COMMUNIST PEOPLE'S POLICE OF EAST GERMANY IS VARIOUSLY ESTIMATED FROM 53,000 TO 300,000.

ADENAUER HAS ALSO CALLED FOR A BIG BUILDUP OF ALLIED OCCUPATION FORCES IN WEST GERMANY WHICH, HE SAID, SHOULD INCLUDE AT LEAST 10 AMERICAN ARMORED DIVISIONS. HE ARGUED THAT THESE MEASURES WOULD HOLD OFF THE CHANCE OF GERMANY BECOMING ANOTHER KOREA.

A BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS ADENAUER'S CALL FOR A WEST GERMAN DEFENSE FORCE WILL HAVE TO BE DECIDED UPON BY THE UNITED STATES, BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS WHEN THEY MEET IN NEW YORK SEPT.12.

ALLIED OBSERVERS IN BONN SAY PUBLIC OPINION IN WEST GERMANY IS AS YET BY NO MEANS IN FAVOR OF REARMING. THE BULK OF THE OPPOSITION IS AMONG THE WORKING CLASSES WHO SUPPORT SCHUMACHER'S PARTY.

ADENAUER PLANS TO EXPLAIN HIS VIEWS TOMORROW TO HIS CABINET, MADE UP OF MEMBERS OF HIS OWN CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC UNION AND TWO OTHER RIGHT-WING PARTIES.

ONE OF ADENAUER'S RIGHT HAND MEN, HEINRICH VON BRENTANO, SAID THE CHANCELLOR SUPPORTS WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PLAN FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY, INCLUDING A GERMAN CONTINGENT, BUT ONLY "ON A BASIS OF ABSOLUTE EQUALITY."

VON BRENTANO IS A DELEGATE TO THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY IN STRASBOURG, FRANCE, WHERE CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL IS PENDING.

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at bonn, german leaders met for three hours in a closed session to discuss the proposed formation of a european army to include german units.

adenauer's right-hand man, heinrich von brentano, said the chancellor was in "complete agreement" with the decision of the european council at strasbourg, france, favoring winston churchill's plan for a unified european army controlled by a european defense minister.

brentano said that "while the chancellor agrees with a german contribution to the european army, he insists it must be on a basis

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absolute equality."

adenauer is to meet socialist ~~opposition~~ leader kurt schumache later today to ~~beg~~ urge him to reverse his bitter opposition to the rearming of west germans.

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ROME, AUG. 22-(AP)-PALMIRO TOGLIATTI, ITALIAN COMMUNIST BOSS, WAS SLIGHTLY INJURED IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT AT IVREA, NORTHERN ITALY, TODAY. A WOMAN COMPANION, LEONILDE IOTTI, WITH WHOM IS NAME HAS BEEN LINKED ROMANTICALLY, WAS UNHURT.

MISS IOTTI, A COMMUNIST DEPUTY, WAS IN ROME WITH TOGLIATTI JULY 14, 1948, WHEN A SICILIAN STUDENT WOUNDED HIM IN AN ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT.

TOGLIATTI AND MISS IOTTI, 30, TODAY WERE ON THEIR WAY TO AOSTA, A SUMMER RESORT TOWN. THE DRIVER OF TOGLIATTI'S CAR SWERVED IT TO AVOID A TRUCK AND TUMBLED THE CAR INTO A FIELD. TOGLIATTI IS REPORTED UNDER TREATMENT AT AN IVREA HOSPITAL FOR BRUISES OF THE CHEST AND RIGHT ARM AND A SLIGHT INJURY TO HIS RIGHT EYE.

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VIGO, SPAIN, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 3-(AP)-THIRTY-NINE FALANGIST MEMBERS OF GENERALISSIMO FRANCISCO FRANCO'S GUARD ARE FEARED TO HAVE PERISHED IN A MOTORBOATING ACCIDENT NEAR HERE, MARITIME OFFICIALS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

SEVENTY FALANGISTS, VACATIONING AT THE NEARBY SAN SIMON CAMP, WERE ABOARD A CRAFT WHICH CAPSIZED IN THE VIGO ESTUARY YESTERDAY. DURING THE CRUISE, ONE MEMBER FELL OVERBOARD. IN THE RUSH TO RESCUE HIM, MANY OF THOSE ABOARD CROWDED TO ONE SIDE OF THE SHIP, CAUSING IT TO OVERTURN AND SINK ALMOST IMMEDIATELY.

MARITIME AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED THAT 10 FALANGISTS ARE KNOWN TO HAVE DROWNED AND 29 OTHERS ARE MISSING AND FEARED DEAD.

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B60 Q

BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 22-(AP)-REIGNING PRINCE BAOUDOUIN WAS TAKEN SECRETLY TO THE BELGIAN UNKNOWN SOLDIER MONUMENT TODAY TO LAY A WREATH.

NO ANNOUNCEMENT OF THIS CEREMONY HAD BEEN MADE BY THE GOVERNMENT OR PALACE PRESS OFFICES AND THE PRESS OFFICER OF THE CABINET REQUESTED A CORRESPONDENT, ACCIDENTALLY ON THE SPOT, TO MOVE AWAY.

PRINCE BAUDOUIN ARRIVED UNDER POLICE ESCORT, WAS WELCOMED BY PRIME MINISTER JOSEPH PHOLIEN, LAID A WREATH AND DEPARTED AGAIN UNDER POLICE ESCORT.

RECOGNIZED BY A FEW WOMEN ON THE WIDEWALK, HE WAS BRIEFLY CHEERED, "VIVE LE PRINCE."

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B45 Q

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG.22-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES TODAY DESCRIBED THE COMMUNIST "PEACE CAMPAIGN" AS "TREACHEROUS AND HYPOCRITICAL."

THIS, SAID THE ORGANIZATION OF PROTESTANT CHURCHES, WAS EVIDENCED BY "THE PUBLISHED DOCTRINE OF J.STALIN OF THE INEVITABILITY OF WAR, AND HIS OBVIOUS PREPARATIONS FOR WAR."

A RESOLUTION ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY BY THE SECOND PLENARY CONGRESS OF THE COUNCIL SAID THE REALIZATION OF COMMUNISM "HAS RESULTED IN THE DESTRUCTION OF HUMAN LIBERTY, IN MASS SLAVERY AND IN FREQUENT BLOOD PURGES."

THE RESOLUTION UPHELD "THE ACTION OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN OPPOSING THE NAKED, UNPROVOKED AGGRESSIONS OF THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS" AND URGED THE UNITED NATIONS "TO TAKE SIMILAR DECISIVE ACTION WHEREVER THE LIBERTY OF ANY PEOPLE IS ATTACKED."

"IN THUS CONDEMNING COMMUNISM, WE WISH TO MAKE IT CLEAR THAT WE CONDEMN EXPLOITATION AND TOTALITARIAN DICTATORSHIP WHEREVER IT MAY APPEAR AND UPHOLD THE TEACHING OF THE BIBLE OF THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL TO GOD RATHER THAN THE STATE, AND IN THE LIGHT OF THE TEN COMMANDMENTS WE UPHOLD HIS GOD-GIVEN RIGHT TO OWN PROPERTY AND USE THE SAME IN FAITHFUL STEWARDSHIP AND TO ENGAGE IN FREE ENTERPRISE TO THE GLORY OF GOD."

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A165

ROTTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG. 22-(AP)-A DOCK WORKERS' STRIKE FOR HIGHER WAGES, INVOLVING SOME 10,000 MEN, ENDED TODAY. ALL MEN RESUMED WORK AT THE PRE-STRIKE CONDITIONS.

WD113PED

A54

ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT, AUG.22-(AP)-STATE MINISTER HAMED ZAKI BEY SAID TODAY THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT HAS INSTRUCTED PORT AUTHORITIES TO DENY DRINKING WATER AND FOOD SUPPLIES TO BLACKLISTED SHIPS SUSPECTED OF TAKING WAR AND OTHER "ESSENTIAL MATERIAL" TO ISRAEL. HE DID NOT ELABORATE ON THE CLASSIFICATIONS OF RESTRICTED CARGOES.

JB754PED

A14

CAIRO, EGYPT, AUG. 22-(AP)-MORE THAN 200 NATIVES HAVE BEEN KILLED IN TRIBAL DISTURBANCES IN FORMER ITALIAN SOMALILAND, ACCORDING TO THE

BRITISH-CONTROLLED ARAB NEWS AGENCY.

THE AREA WAS RETURNED TO ITALY BY THE UNITED NATIONS LAST FEBRUARY UNDER A 10-YEAR TRUSTEESHIP, TO BE FOLLOWED BY INDEPENDENCE.

THE ARAB AGENCY SAID NATIVE CHIEFS CHARGED ITALY WITH A "DIVIDE AND RULE" POLICY DIRECTED AT PROVOKING OUTBREAKS. IT ADDED THAT ITALIAN TROOPS ARE USING TANKS AND MACHINE GUNS TO PUT DOWN SOMALILAND FEUDS.

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AUG 23 1950

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NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG.22-(AP)-A GOVERNMENT OF INDIA PRESS RELEASE SAID TODAY THERE IS NO PROSPECT OF PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU VISITING COMMUNIST CHINA "IN THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE."

THE NOTE SAID THAT NO OFFICIAL INVITATION HAD BEEN RECEIVED BY NEHRU TO VISIT PEIPING, THE CHINESE CAPITAL.

IT DID NOT DENY, HOWEVER, THAT NEHRU RECEIVED A SEMI-OFFICIAL OR UNOFFICIAL INVITATION FROM PEIPING AS REPORTED BY OFFICIAL SOURCES HERE SUNDAY.

RELIABLE REPORTS PERSIST THAT NEHRU RECEIVED AN INVITATION TO VISIT CHINA FROM MADAME SUN YAT-SET, VICE-CHAIRMAN OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT. INFORMANTS SAID EARLIER THAT NEHRU WAS GIVEN CAREFUL CONSIDERATION TO THE INVITATION AS A POSSIBLE OPPORTUNITY TO FURTHER HIS EFFORTS TOWARD A PEACEFUL KOREAN SETTLEMENT.

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KARACHI, PAKISTAN, AUG.22-(AP)-U.N. MEDIATOR SIR OWEN DIXON SAID TODAY HIS EFFORTS TO END THE DISPUTE BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN OVER KASHMIR HAVE ENDED IN STALEMATE.

JUST BEFORE LEAVING FOR LONDON EN ROUTE TO REPORT TO THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL, DIXON SAID IN A 1,500-WORD STATEMENT THAT HE FELT THERE WAS NOTHING MORE HE COULD DO TO END THE DISPUTE.

"I REGRET TO ANNOUNCE," HE SAID, "THAT I HAVE COME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT THERE IS NO IMMEDIATE PROSPECT OF INDIA AND PAKISTAN COMPOSING ANY OF THEIR DIFFERENCES OVER THE STATE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR."

HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT HE STILL BELIEVED THE TWO COUNTRIES COULD RESOLVE THE PROBLEM OF THE AREA WHICH LIES BETWEEN THEM THROUGH DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS.

"I TRUST THAT THEY WILL," HE ADDED.

"NO PURPOSE CAN BE SERVED," HE ADDED, "BY MY REMAINING ANY LONGER IN THE SUB-CONTINENT."

HE SAID HE HAD SPENT FIVE DAYS IN NEW DELHI TRYING TO GET THE TWO PREMIERS TO AGREE TO HIS PROPOSAL THAT THEY REMOVE THEIR TROOPS FROM THE DISPUTED AREA BEFORE THE QUESTION OF WHICH COUNTRY IT SHOULD BELONG TO WAS PUT BEFORE THE PEOPLE IN A PLEBISCITE. HE SAID NEHRU TURNED DOWN THE PROPOSED DEMILITARIZATION.

DIXON MADE A COMPROMISE PROPOSAL THAT SECTIONS OF THE STATES WHERE THE WISHES OF THE MAJORITY ALREADY WERE KNOWN SHOULD BE TURNED OVER TO THE COUNTRY OF THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE AND THAT THE PLEBISCITE SHOULD BE HELD IN ONLY THOSE LIMITED SECTIONS WHERE THE POPULAR WISH WAS IN DOUBT.

"I FOUND, HOWEVER, THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN CONTINUED TO STAND UPON THE AGREED RESOLUTIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION (ON KASHMIR) SPECIFYING AN OVERALL PLEBISCITE AS A MANNER OF SETTLEMENT," DIXON SAID. INDIA, HOWEVER, INDICATED SHE WAS PREPARED TO CONSIDER SETTLEMENT ON THESE LINES, DIXON SAID.

THE BRITISH MEDIATOR SAID THAT EVEN IF IT HAD BEEN POSSIBLE TO ARRANGE A PARTITION OF KASHMIR WITHOUT A PLEBISCITE--DIVIDING THE STATE BETWEEN THE TWO NEIGHBORS--"IT WAS EVIDENT THAT BOTH PARTIES WOULD IN THAT EVENT INSIST UPON HAVING THE VALLEY OF KASHMIR."

THE RICH VALLEY IS THE MOST PRODUCTIVE AND MOST IMPORTANT SECTION OF THE MOUNTAINOUS COUNTRY JUST SOUTH OF THE HIMALAYAS.

AS IT STANDS NOW, KASHMIR IS DIVIDED BETWEEN OCCUPYING TROOPS OF THE TWO COUNTRIES, HOLDING THEIR LINESHUNDER A U.N. CEASE FIRE ORDER. THERE HAVE BEEN NO OPEN CONFLICTS SINCE THE END OF 1948, ACCORDING TO DIXON.

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(150)

SRINGAR, KASHMIR, AUG.22-(AP)-TRIBESMEN ARRIVING HERE REPORT THAT THE REMOTE WESTERN CHINESE PROVINCE OF SINKIANG HAS BECOME AN ARMED CAMP IN PREPARATION FOR A COMMUNIST INVASION OF TIBET.

THE CHINESE TRIBESMEN, WHO CAME HERE VIA HIGH HIMALAYAN MOUNTAIN TRAILS, ALSO REPORTED ANTI-COMMUNIST GUERRILLAS IN SINKIANG WERE CONTINUING TO HARASS THE RED GOVERNMENT THERE.

GUERRILLA ACTIVITY, PARTICULARLY NEAR THE PROVINCIAL CAPITAL OF TIHWA, WAS REPORTED SOME MONTHS AGO BY OFFICIALS FOR THE FORMER SINKIANG GOVERNMENT WHO FLED HERE AFTER THE COMMUNIST SEIZURE OF POWER.

MEANWHILE BUDDHISTS FROM TIBET WHO VISITED LADAKH, KASHMIR, TO INSPECT RELIGIOUS RELICS SAID THERE WAS "SOME COMMUNIST PRESSURE" ON THE EASTERN AND NORTHWESTERN BORDERS OF THEIR REMOTE "LAND OF THE LAMAS." TRADE BETWEEN LADAKH AND TIBET HAS CONTINUED NORMAL, HOWEVER.

THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME HAS ANNOUNCED SEVERAL TIMES IT PLANNED TO EXTEND ITS AUTHORITY TO TIBET. PREPARATIONS FOR AN INVASION HAVE BEEN RUMORED FOR SEVERAL MONTHS.

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(150)

RANGOON, BURMA, AUG.22-(AP)-DR.GORDON S.SEAGRAVE'S MISSIONARY SISTER EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE TODAY THAT "EVERYTHING WILL BE ALL RIGHT" FOR HER BROTHER HELD HERE ON SUSPICION OF AIDING THE REBEL KARENS.

SEAGRAVE, FAMOUS VETERAN OF THE LATE GEN. JOSEPH STILWELL'S WARTIME RETREAT FROM BURMA, IS HELD HERE AT THE RANGOON CENTRAL JAIL WHILE THE GOVERNMENT INTERROGATES HIM ABOUT HIS ALLEGED CONNECTIONS WITH THE KARENS.

HIS SISTER, REBECCA SEAGRAVE, LOOKED WORRIED AND DISTRESSED AS SHE SAID SHE WAS SATISFIED ALL "THAT CAN BE DONE FOR GORDON IS BEING DONE."

SHE LIVES HERE IN A SHABBY, TIME-SCARRED HOUSE BUILT ON MISSION PROPERTY BY AMERICAN BAPTISTS IN 1855. THE PROPERTY HOUSES KARENS, LOYAL TO THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT, WHO LOST THEIR HOMES DURING THE REBELLION.

MISS SEAGRAVE INDICATED HER BROTHER'S ARREST CAME AS A SURPRISE. SHE SAID SHE HAD NOT HEARD FROM HIM FOR SEVERAL MONTHS BECAUSE THERE HAD BEEN NO ADEQUATE MAIL SERVICE BETWEEN RANGOON AND THE REMOTE INTERIOR, WHERE HIS HOSPITAL WAS LOCATED ON THE CHINA-BURMA BORDER.

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B23 (Q)
KX (APW)

RANGOON, BURMA, AUG.22-(AP)-THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY ITS NAVAL UNITS RECAPTURED THE RIVER TOWN MYA-GYI, SEAT OF THE REBEL KAREN GOVERNMENT IN THE RICE-GROWING IRRAWADDY DELTA. IT LIES 85 MILES SOUTHWEST OF RANGOON.

A COMMUNIQUE ADDED THAT NAVAL UNITS ATTACKED TWO NEARBY KAREN STRONGHOLDS WHERE FIERCE FIGHTING BROUGHT HEAVY LOSSES TO THE KAREN TRIBESMEN.

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A156FX

MANILA,WEDNESDAY,AUG.23-(AP)-SECRETARY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS CARLOS P.ROMULO WILL AGAIN HEAD A FIVE-MAN PHILIPPINES DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT LAKE SUCCESS.

THE FOREIGN OFFICE ANNOUNCED ALSO TODAY THAT SENATOR JUSTINIANO MONTANO OF CAVITE PROVINCE WOULD BE A MEMBER OF THE DELEGATION. NAMES OF THE OTHER THREE WERE WITHHELD.

ROMULO IS PRESIDENT OF THE FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHICH ENDS IN SEPTEMBER.

CK1045PPD

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(110)

MANILA, AUG. 22-(AP)-A U.S. 13TH AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY AUTHORITIES ARE INVESTIGATING THE SMUGGLING OF $500,000 WORTH OF NARCOTICS INTO THE PHILIPPINES IN CASKETS CONTAINING THE BODIES OF AMERICAN WORLD WAR II DEAD.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE AIR FORCE HAS DETAINED A U.S. ARMY OFFICER IN CONNECTION WITH THE INVESTIGATION. NO CHARGES HAVE BEEN FILED.

MANILA POLICE WERE ASKED TO ASSIST. THEY WERE QUESTIONING SEVERAL CHINESE.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE CASKETS WERE FLOWN FROM HONG KONG TO THE PHILIPPINES AND RESHIPPED TO THE UNITED STATES AFTER THE NARCOTICS, MOSTLY OPIUM, HAD BEEN REMOVED.

JM1152ACS

B48KX Q
APW

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG.22-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA'S MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS TODAY CLEARED THE PANAMANIAN REGISTERED STEAMER SWALLOW TO SAIL FOR HONG KONG. IT WAS SEIZED JAN.17 AS A SUSPECTED BLOCKADE RUNNER.

A NATIONALIST WARSHIP HALTED THE 580-TON, BRITISH-OFFICERED SWALLOW NEAR THE RED CHINA PORT OF AMOY. IT ESCORTED THE VESSEL TO KAOHSIUNG, SOUTHWEST FORMOSA, WHERE THE CARGO WAS CONFISCATED.

THE MASTER, WILLIAM GORDON OF ALDEBURGH, SUFFOLK, ENGLAND, SAID HE WOULD SAIL THURSDAY.

VR650ACS

A158FX

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,WEDNESDAY,AUG.23-(AP)-THE CHINESE NATIONALIST CABINET TODAY APPOINTED FOREIGN MINISTER GEORGE YEH TO HEAD THE

CHINESE DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN SEPTEMBER.

CK1048PPD NM

A119FX

TAIPEI,FORMOSA,AUG.22-(AP)-GOV.K.C.WU SAID TODAY THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT WILL ADOPT THE ENGLISH TRIAL SYSTEM UNDER WHICH A PERSON IS PRESUMED INNOCENT UNTIL PROVED GUILTY.

WU SAID THE NATIONALISTS ALSO WOULD BAN ARRESTS WITHOUT WARRANTS.

CC653APD

A35

SINGAPORE, AUG.22-(AP)-SAVED BY A SINGAPORE COURT FROM MURDER CHARGES IN INDONESIA, R.P.P. (TURK) WESTERLING WAS ENROUTE TO LONDON BY PLANE TODAY.

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WESTERLING, A FORMER DUTCH ARMY OFFICER, FLED TO SINGAPORE LAST JANUARY AFTER LEADING AN ABORTIVE REBELLION IN WEST JAVA. INDONESIAN EFFORTS TO HAVE HIM EXTRADITED FAILED, ALTHOUGH WESTERLING SERVED TWOT BRIEF TERMS IN SINGAPORE JAILS--THE FIRST FOR ILLEGAL ENTRY, THE SECOND FOR BREAKING A CELLMATE'S JAW WHILE IN PRISON.

FROM LONDON, WESTERLING IS EXPECTED TO GO TO BRUSSELS, BELGIUM.

HA448AED

A80KX

(140)

HONG KONG,AUG. 22-(AP)-THE BIG RAIL CENTER OF PENGPU IN CENTRAL CHINA HAS BEEN UNDER FLOOD WATERS FOR ALMOST A MONTH, A REPORT FROM A WELL-PLACED INFORMANT IN COMMUNIST CHINA SAID TODAY.

THE REPORT ADDED THAT OTHER CITIES IN NORTH ANHWEI PROVINCE ALONG THE FLOODING HWAI RIVER AND TASAO LAKE "ARE EVEN WORSE, IN SOME PLACES WATER BEING SOME TEN FEET DEEP."

OFFICIAL COMMUNIST REPORTS SAID EARLIER THAT 10,000,000 PEOPLE WERE AFFECTED BY THE FLOODS AND THAT TWO-THIRDS OF THESE NEEDED IMMEDIATE RELIEF.

THE INFORMANT SAID DIKES IN THE YELLOW AND HWAI RIVERS BREACHED SUDDENLY AT NIGHT DURING A TORRENTIAL RAIN.

"HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE WERE CAUGHT UNAWARES AND DROWNED," THE INFORMANT SAID. "HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS MANAGED TO SAVE THEMSELVES BY CRAWLING ON TOP OF THEIR HOUSES AND UP TREES. MANY OF THOSE THUS MAROONED WERE SAID TO HAVE BEEN RESCUED LATER BY EMERGENCY SQUADS SENT BY THE GOVERNMENT, BUT NO DOUBT THOUSANDS MUST HAVE PERISHED."

FJ709PCS

A49FX

HONG KONG,AUG.22-(AP)-A THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS SAY THEY HAVE CAPTURED "OLD MADAME CHAO, MOTHER OF THE GUERRILLAS."

A CHUNGKING DISPATCH TO THE PRO-COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER WEN WEI PO ASSERTED HER CAPTURE BROKE THE BACK OF THE GUERRILLA RESISTANCE IN SOUTHWEST CHINA.

"OLD MADAME CHAO" IS CHAO HUNG-WENKUO, WHOM THE NATIONALISTS GAVE THE TITLE OF "COMMANDER OF CHINESE PEOPLES NATIONAL SALVATION ARMY."

CC254APD

B87KX (Q)

APW

HONG KONG, AUG. 22-(AP)-DENETHE N. PYLIOTIS, CHARGE D'AFFAIRES OF THE GREEK EMBASSY IN CHINA, ARRIVED TODAY FROM COMMUNIST SHANGHAI EN ROUTE TO A NEW POST IN PRETORIA, SOUTH AFRICA.

HE DECLINED COMMENT ON CONDITIONS IN RED CHINA.

PYLIOTIS TOLD NEWSMEN GREEK CONSULATES ARE OPERATING "UNOFFICIALLY" IN SHANGHAI AND TIENTSIN. HE SAID THERE ARE 400 GREEKS IN RED CHINA, ALMOST ALL IN HARBIN AND DAIREN.

PYLIOTIS ARRIVED WITH HIS WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN ABOARD THE DANISH STEAMSHIP HEINRICH JESSEN.

ALSO ABOARD WERE 35 BRITISH, 33 AMERICAN, 20 FRENCH, 13 PORTUGUESE, 21 GERMAN, FIVE CANADIAN AND NINE WHITE RUSSIAN EVACUEES.

FJ853PCS

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B88KX (Q)

APW

HONG KONG, AUG. 22-(AP)-CABLE AND WIRELESS, A BRITISH COMMUNICATIONS FIRM, PLANS TO OPEN RADIO TELEPHONE SERVICE FROM HONG KONG TO CANADA, CUBA AND MEXICO IN ABOUT TEN DAYS.

TESTS ARE BEING MADE ON SIMILAR SERVICE TO AUSTRALIA. IF FEASIBLE, THE SERVICE WILL BE OPENED AROUND THE MIDDLE OF SEPTEMBER.

FJ855PCS

HONG KONG, WEDNESDAY, AUG.23-(AP)-DEPARTURE WITHIN A WEEK OF 1,500 BRITISH TROOPS FOR KOREA WILL BE NO GREAT SECRET.

BUT WHETHER THE BRITISH TOMMIES FROM THE ARGYLE AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS AND THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT WILL GO DIRECTLY TO KOREA OR FIRST TO JAPAN IS A SECRET.

THE TROOPS PROBABLY WILL TRAVEL BY MERCHANT SHIP BUT SOME MAY GO BY AIR.

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(200)
HONG KONG, AUG.22-(AP)-COMMUNIST CHINA'S APPEAL TO THE UNITED NATIONS FOR A "PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT" IN KOREA WAS SEEN BY SOME OBSERVERS TODAY AS A RED ATTEMPT TO SAVE FACE AND MAKE THE BEST OF A WORSENING KOREAN SITUATION.
ALTHOUGH THE APPEAL BY CHINESE RED PREMIER AND FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI ECHOED THE SETTLEMENT DEMANDS OF SOVIET RUSSIA IN THE U.N., OBSERVERS POINTED OUT:
CHOU'S MESSAGE CAME AT A TIME WHEN PRIVATE INFORMATION REACHING HONG KONG FROM COMMUNIST CHINA DESCRIBED RED LEADERS AS "LOSING HEART" OVER THE WAR DEVELOPMENTS IN KOREA.
THIS INFORMATION IS THAT CHINESE RED NEWSPAPERS HAVE SWUNG AWAY FROM THE ENTHUSIASM THAT MARKED THE EARLIER STAGES OF THE WAR WHEN THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS WERE SCORING RAPID ADVANCES.
AN INFORMANT CITED AN EDITORIAL IN THE PEIPING PEOPLES DAILY, AN OFFICIAL CHINESE COMMUNIST MOUTHPIECE WHICH HAS VOICED SUPPORT OF RUSSIA'S PEACE FORMULA FOR KOREA. THE INFORMANT SAID:
"THOUGH IT DIDN'T SAY SO IN SO MANY WORDS, THE PRESUMPTION IS THAT IT SAW LITTLE OR NO HOPE OF THE KOREANS PUSHING UNITED NATIONS FORCES OUT OF KOREA AND THAT STEPS MUST NOW BE TAKEN TO SALVAGE THE SITUATION BEFORE KOREAN COMMUNIST FORCES ARE DRIVEN BACK TO WHERE THEY CAME FROM."
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A55
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, TUESDAY, AUG. 22)
(ADVANCE) OTTAWA, AUG.22-(AP)-CANADA'S NAVY CHIEF SAID TONIGHT CANADA IS TAKING ALL OF ITS DESTROYERS OUT OF MOTHBALLS AND EQUIPPING THEM WITH THE "VERY LATEST ANTI-SUBMARINE GEAR."
OVER A PERIOD OF TIME THAT WILL PUT MORE THAN A DOZEN OF THEM AT SEA.
REAR ADMIRAL H.T.W.GRANT SAID THE NAVY'S PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM IS BEING SPEEDED THROUGH FASTER PRODUCTION OF ANTI-SUBMARINE ESCORT VESSELS, OF MINESWEEPERS, OF RADAR AND IN OTHER WAYS. BUT THE GREATEST NEED OF ALL IS FOR MEN, INCLUDING YOUNG PILOTS FOR THE FLEET AIR ARM, HE SAID.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8 P.M., EST., TONIGHT, TUESDAY, AUG.22)
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B127
(150)
NEW YORK, AUG.22-(AP)-LT.GEN.CLARENCE R.HUEBNER, FORMER COMMANDER OF U.S. OCCUPATION FORCES IN EUROPE, SAID TODAY THE MAJORITY OF GERMANS "WANT TO BELONG TO THE WEST."
HUEBNER ARRIVED FROM BREMERHAVEN ABOARD THE NAVY TRANSPORT GENERAL MAURICE ROSE.
HE SAID THE AVERAGE GERMAN'S FEELING TOWARD FORMATION OF A WESTERN ZONE DEFENSE FORCE WAS "MIXED."
"THE MAJORITY OF GERMANY THINK THEY MUST CARRY ON THEIR OWN DEFENSE," HE SAID. "BUT YOU'VE GOT TO REMEMBER THEY'VE BEEN DEFEATED IN THE LAST TWO WARS AND ARMIES AS SUCH DON'T RECALL HAPPY MEMORIES TO THE GERMANS."
AS TO GERMANY'S FUTURE ROLE, HE SAID THAT IT "MUST TAKE ITS PLACE IN THE UNION OF NATIONS WHEN THE TIME COMES. WITHOUT GERMANY THERE CAN BE NO EUROPE. THE ECONOMY OF THE WHOLE EUROPE IS SO INTERWOVEN THAT THIS IS NECESSARY TO A GOOD LIFE."
THE 62-YEAR-OLD GENERAL, A NATIVE OF BUSHTON, KANS., WILL RETIRE FROM THE ARMY NOV.3. HE WAS SUCCEEDED IN THE EUROPEAN POST BY LT.GEN.STANTON EDDY.
HUEBNER LATER RECEIVED AN OFFICIAL WELCOME AT CITY HALL FROM MAYOR WILLIAM O'DWYER AFTER A PARADE UP BROADWAY FROM THE BATTERY.
JM251PED

B41 Q
NEW YORK, AUG.22-(AP)-THE UNION BOYCOTT ON RUSSIAN IMPORTS HAS SPREAD FROM NEW YORK CITY DOCKS TO AIRPORTS.
THE BAN WAS FIRST APPLIED LAST WEEK TO RUSSIAN-PRODUCED CRABMEAT AND FURS. YESTERDAY AFL LONGSHOREMEN REFUSED TO HANDLE ANOTHER CARGO OF RUSSIAN FURS ABOARD THE LINER QUEEN ELIZABETH.
AT THE SAME TIME THE CIO TRANSPORT WORKERS UNION SAID LOCAL 504 OF ITS AIR TRANSPORT DIVISION WAS ALERTED TO WATCH FOR AIR SHIPMENTS OF RUSSIAN FURS.
A NUMBER OF THESE HAVE ARRIVED IN RECENT MONTHS.
SCANDINAVIAN AIRLINES SYSTEM SAID IT HAS CARRIED 1,500 POUNDS OF FURS A WEEK TO NEW YORK FROM RUSSIA VIA FINLAND.
HA818AED

B85
(100)
NEW YORK, AUG.22--(AP)-HADASSAH, WOMEN'S ZIONIST ORGANIZATION, TONIGHT BACKED THE UNITED NATIONS STAND AGAINST AGGRESSION IN KOREA.
THE SUPPORT OF THE KOREAN ACTION CAME IN A RESOLUTION UNANIMOUSLY PASSED BY SOME 2,000 DELEGATES TO HADASSAH'S 36TH ANNUAL CONVENTION.
THE CONVENTION ALSO UNANIMOUSLY PASSED A RESOLUTION URGING IMMEDIATE PASSAGE BY THE UNITED STATES SENATE OF THE U.N. GENOCIDE CONVENTION, OUTLAWING DESTRUCTION OF ETHNIC, RACIAL OR RELIGIOUS GROUPS.
THE RESOLUTION ON KOREA URGED HADASSAH'S 300,000 MEMBERS TO EXERT THEIR INFLUENCE THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY IN SUPPORT OF U.S. REPRESENTATIVES IN THE U.N. "IN HALTING AGGRESSION IN KOREA AND WHEREVER ELSE IT MAYOCCUR."
SJ1048PED

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A43
SECOND NIGHT LEAD U.N. (290)
BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.22-(AP)-RUSSIA DEMANDED TODAY THAT THE UNITED NATIONS END ITS "COLOSSAL INTERNATIONAL BLUFF" AND ORDER U.N. TROOPS TO LEAVE KOREA AT ONCE. THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN STRUCK BACK WITH BLISTERING ATTACKS ON THE SOVIET ANTI-AMERICAN PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN.
SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER JAKOB A.MALIK SAID CONTINUED INTERVENTION IN KOREA WILL ONLY EXTEND THE CONFLICT AND THE UNITED STATES WILL HAVE TO BEAR THE BLAME FOR "DIRE CONSEQUENCES."
CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN CALLED MALIK'S CHARGES OF U.S. AGGRESSION IN KOREA "A BIG LIE" AND "APPLESAUCE." HE SAID SOME OF RUSSIA'S STATEMENTS APPEARED TO BE BASED ON "PHILOSOPHY WORTHY OF SOME WITCH DOCTOR."
AUSTIN ALSO BROUGHT BEFORE THE COUNCIL FOR THE FIRST TIME A DIRECT U.S. CHARGE THAT MALIK HAD MADE A FALSE STATEMENT WHEN HE CLAIMED RUSSIA HAD SUPPLIED NO MILITARY AID TO THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS SINCE 1948.
REFERRING TO THE DISCOVERY OF A RUSSIAN-MADE SHELL IN KOREA DATED 1950, AUSTIN SAID:
"THIS SHELL DID NOT EXPLODE ON THE BATTLEFIELD. IT EXPLODES IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL. OF COURSE, I RECOGNIZE THAT THIS MAY BE JUST ANOTHER CASE OF FALSE SOVIET LABELLING."
MALIK EARLIER HAD IMPLIED TO A REPORTER THAT U.N. FORCES MAY HAVE FAKED THE DATE ON THE SHELL. "IT'S EASY TO PUT A STAMP ON IT," HE SAID WHEN ASKED FOR COMMENT ON THE SHELL.
AUSTIN AGAIN INSISTED THAT RUSSIA AND ONLY RUSSIA IS IN A POSITION TO PUT AN END TO THE KOREAN FIGHTING IMMEDIATELY BY CALLING OFF THE NORTH KOREAN TROOPS.
HITTING AT MALIK'S CHARGES THAT ALL COUNTRIES TAKING PART IN THE

U.N. OPERATIONS IN KOREA WERE UNITED STATES SATELLITES, AUSTIN SAID:
"THIS IS A PHILOSOPHY WORTHY OF SOME WITCH-DOCTOR WHO HAS CREATED SO MANY SOULLESS ZOMBIES IN HIS OWN GRAVEYARD THAT HE ENDS UP BELIEVING THE EARTH IS PEOPLED ENTIRELY BY SUCH CREATURES."
AUSTIN ADDED:
"THE REAL TASK BEFORE US IS TO DISPOSE OF PROPAGANDA TRICKS, TO STOP DODGING THE REAL ISSUES OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT, AND TO CARRY FORWARD WITH THE CENTRAL ISSUE OF RESTORING PEACE AND SECURITY TO THE AREA."

BRITAIN REPLIED THAT RUSSIA HAD BUILT ITS OWN KOREAN PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN ON THE "GIGANTIC FALSEHOOD" OF AMERICAN AGGRESSION, WHILE TRYING TO SCREEN HER OWN AGGRESSIVE AIMS BEHIND A "PEACE OFFENSIVE."
BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB TOLD THE 11-NATION SECURITY COUNCIL THAT IF THE FREE WORLD REMAINS UNITED "IT WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT TO ACHIEVE BY VIOLENCE, DIRECT OR INDIRECT, THOSE ENDS WHICH AT THE MOMENT THEY SEEM DETERMINED TO SECURE."
IN A 45-MINUTE SPEECH, WHICH OBVIOUSLY WAS AIMED MORE AT THE MILLIONS OF ASIANS THAN AT HIS FELLOW SECURITY COUNCIL DELEGATES, MALIK CHARGED THAT THE WHOLE KOREAN WAR WAS PLOTTED BY THE RULING CIRCLES IN THE UNITED STATES TO FURTHER COLONIAL AMBITIONS.
"THIS IS ONLY A COLONIAL WAR AGAINST THE FREEDOM LOVING PEOPLES OF ASIA," MALIK SAID. "WE SHOULD PUT AN END TO THIS BLUFF. WE SHOULD FORCE THE AGGRESSOR TO WITHDRAW."
THE SOVIET DELEGATE, WHO IS PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL FOR THIS MONTH, SAID "NO AMOUNT OF U.N. FLAGS" SENT BY SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TO GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR COULD HIDE THE "STARK FACT OF UNITED STATES AGGRESSION" IN KOREA.
"IT IS THE DUTY OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL," MALIK SAID, "TO TAKE IMMEDIATE STEPS TO PUT AN END TO THE MILITARY ACTION IN KOREA TO PREVENT THE CONFLICT FROM SPREADING."
DEVELOPING THE IDEA THAT THE KOREAN WAR IS ONLY AN AMERICAN VENTURE, MALIK SAID THE U.S. WAS BACKED ONLY BY BRITAIN AND HER DOMINIONS INSTEAD OF THE 53 NATIONS CLAIMED BY CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN.
"THE UNITED STATES IS NOW TRYING TO FORCE OTHERS TO SEND THEIR MEN AS CANNON FODDER," HE SAID. HE ADDED THAT THEY MIGHT GET SOME "TO JOIN THEM IN THIS DIRTY, SHAMEFUL COLONIAL WAR THAT BEGAN IN 1945 IN INDONESIA AND IS BEING CARRIED ON BY FRANCE IN INDOCHINA."

JEBB SAID RUSSIA'S REPEATED ATTACKS ON IMPERIALISM "IS REALLY NOTHING BUT AN ATTEMPT TO CONCEAL THE FACT THAT IT IS NOT AMERICA, BUT QUITE ANOTHER POWER WHICH IS TRYING TO CLAMP DOWN A DESPOTISM ON THE WORLD AS A WHOLE."
JEBB ADDED:
"PEACE PROPAGANDA, WHETHER IT TAKES THE FORM OF SIGNATURES FOR AN AMBIGUOUS DECLARATION OR OF PROPOSALS FOR GETTING 'BOTH SIDES' TO AGREE ON A 'PEACEFUL SOLUTION' IN KOREA, IS ESSENTIALLY ONLY A MEANS FOR SECURING AGGRESSION AND MAKING IT EVEN MORE SUCCESSFUL IN THE FUTURE.
JEBB SAID THE SOVIET RULERS HAVE ALWAYS HAD SOME "PECULIAR VIEWS ABOUT AGGRESSION." STALIN HIMSELF, JEBB RECALLED, HAD BLAMED BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN 1939 FOR STARTING THE WAR AGAINST GERMANY.
"IF STALIN HIMSELF SUBSCRIBED TO THIS REMARKABLE ANALYSIS OF AGGRESSION IN 1939," JEBB SAID, "WHO IS GOING TO BELIEVE SOVIET THEORIES OF AGGRESSION IN 1950? THE TRUTH IS THAT UNLESS THESE MAD DETERMINISTIC IDEAS ARE ABANDONED, PEACE CANNOT BE FINAL AND THE POSSIBILITY OF WAR MUST ALWAYS BE THERE."

THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED UNTIL FRIDAY.
AUSTIN TOLD THE COUNCIL THAT "ONLY IN THE WIERD WORLD OF SOVIET PROPAGANDA IS THERE ANY DOUBT CONCERNING THE ORIGIN OF THE AGGRESSION IN KOREA. THE AGGRESSOR IS THE REGIME ESTABLISHED IN PYONGYANG WHEN THE SOVIET UNION WAS IN MILITARY OCCUPATION OF THE NORTHERN AREA. THE AGGRESSOR IS THE NORTH KOREAN REGIME THAT WAS ESTABLISHED IN DIRECT DEFIANCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THAT HAS CONTINUED TO DEFY BOTH THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY."
AUSTIN SAID CHARGES OF U.S. AGGRESSION ARE BASED UPON "A FALSEHOOD SO GROTESQUE THAT EVEN THE TECHNIQUE OF THE BIG LIE CANNOT DISGUISE IT."
AUSTIN CONCLUDED:
"WE HAVE HEARD MANY DECLARATIONS FROM THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE TO THE EFFECT THAT THE SOVIET UNION DESIRES A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT IN KOREA. X X X UNFORTUNATELY, OUR EXPERIENCE TO DATE CAUSES US TO TREAT THIS STATEMENT WITH RESERVE UNTIL WE FIND EVIDENCE THAT THE SOVIET UNION WILL ACT FOR PEACE AS WELL AS TALK FOR PEACE.
"MY COUNTRY IS SACRIFICING THE LIVES OF MANY OF ITS YOUNG MEN IN ORDER TO BRING REAL PEACE TO KOREA. OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS ARE MAKING OR ARE PREPARING TO MAKE SIMILAR SACRIFICES. WE, THEREFORE, HAVE URGENT REASON FOR TAKING ACTION, COMPATIBLE WITH UNITED NATIONS OBJECTIVES, TO ATTAIN PEACE IN KOREA.Z X X X
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BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 22-(AP)-RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK CHARGED TODAY THAT THE UNITED NATIONS FORCE IN KOREA IS A "COLOSSAL INTERNATIONAL BLUFF" AND SAID SUCH BLUFFS HAD BEEN UNMASKED BY RUSSIA BEFORE.
"THIS IS ONLY A COLONIAL WAR AGAINST THE FREEDOM LOVING PEOPLES OF ASIA," THE SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER TOLD THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN A NEW BLAST AT THE UNITED STATES.
MALIK SAID:
"WE SHOULD PUT AN END TO THIS BLUFF. WE SHOULD FORCE THE AGGRESSOR TO WITHDRAW."
HE ADDED THAT THE ONLY WAY THAT THE KOREAN CONFLICT CAN BE LOCALIZE IS FOR THE UNITED STATES TO GET OUT OF KOREA.

MALIK SAID THE UNITED STATES CLAIMED 53 NATIONS WERE HELPING HER FIGHT TH COMMUNIST NORTH K

FIGHT THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREANS, BUT THERE IS ONLY ONE COLONIAL POWER-- BRITAIN-- AND HER DOMINIONS HELPING.
"THE UNITED STATES IS NOW TRYING TO FORCE OTHERS TO SEND THEIR MEN AS CANNON FODDER," HE SAID, ADDING THAT THEY MIGHT "GET SOME TO JOIN THEM IN THIS DIRTY, SHAMEFUL COLONIAL WAR THAT BEGAN IN 1945 IN INDONESIA AND IS BEING CARRIED ON BY FRANCE IN INDOCHINA."
"IT IS QUITE CLEAR," MALIK SAID, "THAT THE RULING CIRCLES HATE THE FREEDOM MOVEMENTS IN ASIA AND THE COLONIAL POWERS HAVE TRIED TO MAINTAIN THEIR POSITION IN THE FAR EAST."
MALIK'S SPEECH APPARENTLY WAS AIMED DIRECTLY AT THE EARS OF THE MILLIONS OF ASIANS WHO HAVE BEEN THE TARGET OF HIS THREE-WEEKS ANTI-AMERICAN PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN HERE.

MALIK SAID THE COLONIAL POWERS HAVE NOW TAKEN THE ROLE OF POLICEMEN IN ASIA IN AN ATTEMPT TO TURN BACK HISTORY AND TURN THE PEOPLE BACK TO SLAVERY.
"THEY ARE TRYING TO GET THEIR MARSHALLIZED LACKEYS IN THE PHILIPPINES, GREECE AND SO FORTH TO SEND THEIR TROOPS INTO KOREA IN AN ATTEMPT TO GIVE PROTECTIVE COLORING TO THE UNITED STATES IMPERIALISTIC

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PLAN," HE SAID.
HE ASSERTED THAT THE U.S. WANTS TO PROTECT ITS INVESTMENTS IN THE FAR EAST AND TO PRESERVE ITS MASTERY THERE.
"ONLY SLAVES WHO HAVE NO DIGNITY CAN BE COUNTED ON TO CARRY OUT THE DIRTY WORK OF THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES," HE WENT ON.

THE SOVIET DELEGATE SAID SOUTH KOREA IS "A GROUP OF AMERICAN SLAVES CONTROLLED BY AMERICAN GAULEITERS." PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE, HE SAID, IS TRYING "TO TURN KOREA INTO A COLONY OF THE UNITED STATES."
"THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH KOREA ARE IN A WORSE POSITION THAN THEY WERE UNDER JAPAN," HE CONTINUED. "POVERTY AND UNEMPLOYMENT ARE RIFE" AS A RESULT OF U.S. POLICY OF "DIS-INDUSTRIALIZATION," HE SAID.
"THE PEOPLE OF KOREA HAVE RISEN IN A HOLY WAR FOR THE LIBERATION OF KOREA." MALIK DECLARED.

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MALIK TOOK THE FLOOR IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE 11-NATION SECURITY COUNCIL CONVENED AT 2:16 P.M. (EST) TO RESUME ITS LONG WRANGLE OVER THE KOREAN PROBLEM. HE ANNOUNCED HE WOULD REPLY TO THE SPEECH MADE BY CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN IN THE COUNCIL LAST THURSDAY.
AUSTIN AND BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB WERE ON THE SPEAKERS LIST READY TO SLAP BACK AT MALIK WHEN HE FINISHED.
MALIK REPEATED HIS EARLIER ASSERTIONS THAT THE FIGHTING IN KOREA ORIGINALLY WAS A CIVIL WAR AND THAT THE ONLY AGGRESSION THERE WAS UNITED STATES INTERVENTION.
"THE UNITED NATIONS FLAG," MALIK SAID, "CANNOT HIDE THE BRUTAL AGGRESSION BY AMERICAN TROOPS."
MALIK CALLED THE AMERICAN BOMBINGS IN KOREA "ATROCIOUS, INHUMAN, IMPOSSIBLE."
HE SAID AUSTIN HAD TALKED ABOUT OBJECTIVES IN KOREA AFTER THE FIGHTING, BUT HAD NOT ONCE MENTIONED THE BOMBINGS. THIS WAS A REFERENCE TO AUSTIN'S STATEMENT THAT AN INDEPENDENT UNIFIED KOREA MUST BE INCLUDED IN ANY LONG-RANGE OBJECTIVES.
MALIK SAID THE KOREAN INTERVENTION BY THE UNITED STATES WAS AN EXTENSION OF "THE NOTORIOUS TRUMAN DOCTRINE PROCLAIMED THREE YEARS AGO."

DESPITE HIS OWN FAILURE EARLIER IN THE MONTH TO OUST THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS AND SEAT COMMUNIST CHINA, MALIK WAS EXPECTED TO PRESENT A SIMILAR DEMAND MADE THIS WEEK BY RED CHINA'S FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI. CHOU, LIKE RUSSIA, ALSO SEEKS PARTICIPATION OF NORTH KOREAN REPRESENTATIVES IN THE COUNCIL DEBATES ON THE KOREAN WAR.
OTHER COUNCIL MEMBERS WERE CERTAIN TO GREET CHOU'S DEMAND AS COLDLY AS THEY EARLIER REJECTED MALIK'S.
NOR WAS THERE ANY PROGRESS IN THE PROCEDURAL DEADLOCK WHICH HAS STALLED DECISIVE COUNCIL ACTION.
THE COUNCIL MET INFORMALLY IN CLOSED SESSION YESTERDAY. MALIK, WHOSE ONE-MONTH TENURE AS THE GROUP'S PRESIDENT EXPIRES AUG. 31, PROPOSED AGAIN THAT THE NORTH KOREANS BE INVITED TO THE PUBLIC MEETINGS. OTHER COUNCIL MEMBERS--WHO WANT ONLY SOUTH KOREA REPRESENTED--REFUSED AGAIN. THE MEETING BROKE UP WITHOUT AGREEMENT.
"IT WAS THE SAME OLD STUFF ON THE SAME OLD QUESTION," ONE DELEGATE SAID.
MALIK HAD TWO OTHER COMMUNICATIONS, FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S FOREIGN MINISTER VILIAM SIROKY. SIROKY CALLED ON THE COUNCIL TO ADOPT MALIK'S "PEACE PLAN" FOR AN IMMEDIATE CEASE-FIRE IN KOREA AND WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN TROOPS.
LIKE AN EARLIER CABLE FROM POLAND, THE CZECH MESSAGES ALSO DEMANDED THAT THE COUNCIL CONDEMN U.S. AIR FORCE BOMBINGS IN THE WAR ZONE.
INDIA'S DELEGATION YESTERDAY KEPT UP PRIVATE CONSULTATIONS WITH OTHER DELEGATES ON THE GENERAL OUTLINES OF ITS PROPOSAL TO HAVE THE KOREAN QUESTION TAKEN OVER BY THE "LITTLE SIX" ELECTED NATIONS ON THE COUNCIL.
AN INDIAN SPOKESMAN SAID THE PROPOSAL, STILL IN ONLY THE MOST GENERAL TERMS, MAY NOT EVEN BE PRESENTED FORMALLY. THE DELEGATION, HE SAID, WILL NOT SUBMIT A FORMAL RESOLUTION COVERING IT UNTIL AFTER OTHER DELEGATES HEAR FROM THEIR HOME GOVERNMENTS AND ALL POSSIBLE AMENDMENTS ARE CONSIDERED. THAT MAY TAKE A WEEK.

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"MONOPOLY" SEPARATE (290)
BY STANLEY JOHNSON
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES CHALLENGED RUSSIA TODAY TO BACK UP WITH PROOF ITS REPEATED ASSERTIONS THAT AMERICAN FIRMS ARE EXPLOITING KOREA.
U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN TOLD RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK THAT THE SOVIET UNION CAN'T PROVE THE U.S. EVER GOT ANY DOLLARS BACK FROM KOREA IN RETURN FOR THE MILLIONS IT POURED IN.
AUSTIN, IN A GLOVES-OFF EXCHANGE WITH THE SOVIET DIPLOMAT, SAID A RUSSIAN CHARGE THAT FOUR AMERICAN FIRMS HAD BEEN GIVEN MONOPOLY RIGHTS IN KOREA WAS ONE OF THE KREMLIN'S "BIGGEST LIES."
MALIK HAD LISTED THE FIRMS AS:
1. THOMAS BORNE ASSOCIATES OF WASHINGTON, D.C., WHO, HE SAID, WERE GIVEN CONTROL OF KIMPO AIRFIELD NEAR SEOUL.
2. THE KOREAN OIL STORAGE COMPANY OF NEW YORK. MALIK SAID THIS FIRM WAS GIVEN THE "MONOPOLY PRIVILEGE" OF EXPLOITING KOREAN OIL RESOURCES.
3. THE GILBERT ASSOCIATION OF PENNSYLVANIA WHICH, HE DECLARED, WAS GIVEN COMPLETE CONTROL OF ALL ELECTRIC POWERHOUSES IN KOREA.
4. TUNGSTEN ASSOCIATES. HE STATES THIS GROUP HAD MONOPOLY CONTROL OVER KOREAN TUNGSTEN MINES.
AUSTIN THEN REELED OFF WHAT HE SAID WAS THE ACTUAL BUSINESS OF EACH OF THESE CONCERNS.
BORNE ASSOCIATES, HE SAID, WAS EMPLOYED TO REBUILD KIMPO FIELD FOR THE KOREANS' BENEFIT. IT HAD NO CONTROL OF THE AIRPORT EXCEPT THAT, AT THE REQUEST OF THE KOREAN GOVERNMENT, IT WAS OPERATING THE CONTROL TOWER AT THE TIME WAR BROKE OUT.
THE KOREAN OIL STORAGE COMPANY "IS A WAREHOUSE X X X NOT A MONOPOLY. COMPETITIVE OPPORTUNITIES ARE UNRESTRICTED."
GILBERT ASSOCIATES WAS "IN KOREA TO CONDUCT AN ELECTRIC POWER SURVEY DESIGNED TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF ELECTRIC POWER AVAILABLE TO THE PEOPLE OF KOREA. IT IS NOT A CONSTRUCTION CONCERN."
TUNGSTEN ASSOCIATES, AUSTIN SAID, IS OWNED BY THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA AND SELLS TO BUYERS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD.
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ITHACA, N.Y., AUG.22-(AP)-CORNELL UNIVERSITY TODAY CONSIDERED EXPELLING OR PUNISHING A STUDENT WHO WAS REPORTED TO HAVE CALLED FOR "AN END TO THE BRUTAL AMERICAN AGGRESSION IN KOREA."
THE STUDENT, IDENTIFIED IN ONE REPORT BY THE CZECHOSLOVAK NEWS AGENCY AS JOHN MARQUSEE, WAS SAID TO HAVE MADE THE STATEMENT LAST WEEK AT A MEETING OF THE WORLD STUDENT CONGRESS IN PRAGUE.
MRS. JACK MARQUSEE SAID TODAY AT HER HOME IN WOODMERE, N.Y., THAT SHE HAD RECEIVED A CABLE FROM HER 22-YEAR-OLD SON, DENYING THAT HE HAD MADE ANY "INDIVIDUAL STATEMENT."
MARQUSEE COULD NOT BE REACHED IN PRAGUE.
CORNELIS (CQ) W. DE KIEWIET, ACTING PRESIDENT OF CORNELL, SAID HE HAD ASKED THE UNIVERSITY'S FACULTY COMMITTEE ON STUDENT CONDUCT TO

CONSIDER ACTION AGAINST THE STUDENT. THE COMMITTEE HAS THE POWER TO EXPEL A STUDENT OR METE OUT LESSER PUNISHMENT FOR CONDUCT IT FROWNS UPON.

DE KIEWIET BRANDED MARQUSEE'S REPORTED REMARK "OUTRAGEOUS AND INDEFINSIBLE."

MEANWHILE, THE ITHACA CENTRAL LABOR UNION ANNOUNCED IT HAD OUSTED MARQUSEE AS A DELEGATE. LOCAL 961, HOTEL AND RESTAURANT EMPLOYES AND BARTENDERS INTERNATIONAL UNION, CIRCULATED A PETITION AMONG ITS MEMBERS, ASKING INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS TO DISMISS MARQUSEE AS ITS BUSINESS AGENT.

MARQUSEE, A SENIOR IN THE STATE SCHOOL OF INDUSTRIAL AND LABOR RELATIONS AT CORNELL, IS AN ENROLLED MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN LABOR PARTY.

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PHILADELPHIA, AUG.22-(AP)-A LETTER FROM KOREA WRITTEN BY A POTTSVILLE, PA., ARMY CORPORAL AND ENCLOSING A $101.70 CHECK FOR 1949 INCOME TAXES REACHED THE PHILADELPHIA INTERNAL REVENUE OFFICE TODAY.

THE CHECK, HOWEVER, WAS UNSIGNED AND WILL HAVE TO GO ALL THE WAY BACK ACROSS THE PACIFIC FOR THE SOLDIER'S SIGNATURE. ASSISTANT COLLECTOR JOSEPH F.J.MAYER DECLINED TO GIVE THE CORPORAL'S NAME.

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NIGHT LEAD ATOMIC OVEN (240)

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BROOKHAVEN, N.Y., AUG.22-(AP)-THE MOST POWERFUL RESEARCH ATOMIC OVEN IN THE UNITED STATES AND PROBABLY IN THE WORLD STARTED MAKING HEAT AND RADIOACTIVITY TODAY.

THERE IS NO OTHER AS POWERFUL FOR RESEARCH UNLESS IN RUSSIA.

THE BROOKHAVEN REACTOR IS A CUBE OF GRAPHITE NEARLY 40 FEET ON A SIDE. THE GRAPHITE IS HONEYCOMBED WITH HOLES INTO WHICH ARE THRUST CANS OF ALUMINUM CONTAINING URANIUM METAL.

THIS GREAT OVEN WAS STARTED AT 2:30 A.M. MERELY BY SLIDING SOME BORON-STEEL RODS THAT HAD BEEN STICKING INTO HOLES IN THE GRAPHITE, PART OF THE WAY OUT. WHEN THE REACTOR RUNS FULL STRENGTH IT WILL PUT OUT THE EQUIVALENT OF 30,000 KILOWATTS OF ELECTRICITY PER DAY.

THIS REACTOR WILL NOT MAKE ELECTRICITY. IT WILL PRODUCE STREAMS OF NEUTRONS, THE HEAVY PARTICLES WHICH FORM PART OF ATOMS. IT WILL PRODUCE SEVERAL TIMES GREATER QUANTITIES OF THESE MAGIC PARTICLES THAN ARE MADE BY THE OAK RIDGE, TENN., REACTOR WHICH UNTIL NOW HAS BEEN THE MOST POWERFUL IN RESEARCH.

THE NEUTRONS WILL MAKE ALL KINDS OF RADIOACTIVE ATOMS, FOR USE IN MEDICINE, CHEMISTRY, INDUSTRY AND BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES. THE MAIN PURPOSE IS SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY FOR PEACETIME PURPOSES.

THE PLANT, EVEN AT 30,000 KILOWATTS, WILL BE NOISELESS, VIBRATIONLESS AND WITHOUT ODORS. IT WILL BE ONE OF THE CLEANEST PLANTS IN THE WORLD BECAUSE DUST OF ANY KIND MIGHT BECOME RADIOACTIVE.

CANCER PATIENTS FROM NEW YORK CITY'S MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, 75 MILES AWAY, ALREADY ARE COMING HERE FOR SPECIAL TREATMENTS WITH RADIOACTIVITY.

THE REACTOR COST 25 MILLION DOLLARS AND WAS BUILT BY THE U.S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSIONGM

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FIRST LEAD ATOMIC (750)

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BROOKHAVEN,N.Y.,AUG.22-(AP)-THE FIRST BIG POST-WAR ATOMIC OVEN, OR REACTOR--BARRING WHAT RUSSIA MAY HAVE--WENT INTO ACTION HERE AT THE BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORY AT 2.30 A.M. (EST) TODAY.

THIS REACTOR IS DESIGNED WHOLLY FOR RESEARCH. IT CAN PRODUCE HEAT ENOUGH TO MAKE ELECTRIC POWER FOR A VILLAGE OF 2,000 TO 3,000 INHABITANTS.

OPENING THIS REACTOR IS ONE OF THE BIG EVENTS IN ATOMIC WORK, BECAUSE OF THE OVEN'S MANY IMPORTANT USES. ESPECIALLY AT THIS TIME, THE RESEARCH FITS INTO NOT ONLY PEACETIME SCIENCE, BUT H-AND OTHER BOMBS AND NAVAL AND AVIATION ATOMIC ENGINES. THIS REACTOR IS EQUIPPED BETTER THAN ANYTHING ELSE OF ITS KIND TO DO RESEARCH ON THE DISCOVERIES STILL AHEAD BOTH IN MILITARY AND PEACETIME ATOMIC PROGRESS.

OTHER REACTORS HAVE BEEN BUILT SINCE THE WAR, IN CANADA, ENGLAND, FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES, BUT NONE SO POWERFUL AS THIS ONE. AT FULL POWER, THIS NEW REACTOR ENERGY OUTPUT IN A FEW MONTHS EQUALS THE EXPLOSION OF AN ATOM BOMB.

THE REACTOR STANDS ON THE SIDE OF A SAND DUNE, JUST 75 MILES FROM NEW YORK CITY. ALL THAT ANYONE IS ALLOWED TO SEE IS A SIX-STORY, BOX-SHAPED, BRICK AND CONCRETE BUILDING, HAVING TWO ENORMOUS WINDOWS, OF GREEN GLASS, 53 FEET HIGH BY 33 WIDE. THE REASON FOR THE QUEER WINDOWS HAS NOT BEEN EXPLAINED.

AT 2.30 DR. LYLE BORST, IN CHARGE OF OPERATIONS, STOOD BEFORE THE CONTROLS OF THE GREAT REACTOR SET ON THE GROUND FLOOR OF THIS BUILDING.

THE CONTROLS LOOK LIKE THE CONSOLE OF A GREAT PIPE ORGAN. THIS CONTROL ROOM IS ENCLOSED IN GLASS. EVEN THE FEW PERSONS PERMITTED TO SEE IT MUST MOSTLY STAY OUTSIDE THE GLASS--FOR THE SAKE OF SECRECY.

THIS ATOMIC CONSOLE IS SET AT THE SIDE OF A GREAT, SQUAT, SQUARE BOX OF CONCRETE, ITS WALLS SEVERAL FEET THICK, TO SHIELD AGAINST THE RAYS OF THE REACTOR WHICH LIES INSIDE.

THE INNER AREA OF THE BOX IS 38 FEET SQUARE. HERE, FITTED CLOSELY INSIDE, LIES THE HEART OF ATOMIC SECRETS, KNOWN AS A PILE, OVEN OR REACTOR. IT IS SQUARE. IT IS MADE OF 60,000 HUGE, GRAPHITE BRICKS, PERFORATED TO FORM A HONEYCOMB.

THE HONEYCOMB HOLES CONTAIN LONG, NARROW ALUMINUM CANS, EACH FILLED WITH METALLIC URANIUM. THIS IS ORDINARY URANIUM, CONTAINING BOTH THE NON-EXPLOSIVE VARIETY AND THE 235 WHOSE SPLITTING INITIATES ALL THE ATOMIC POSSIBILITIES, FROM BOMBS TO MEDICINE.

THE GREAT BRICKS ARE MACHINED AS TRUE AS A RIFLE'S MECHANISM. THERE ARE 2600 DIFFERENT SHAPES OF BRICK USED TO ATTAIN THIS PERFECTION.

DR. BORST THREW A SWITCH ON THE CONSOLE. THE SILENCE WAS BARELY BROKEN BY THE SOUND OF ELECTRIC MOTORS STARTING INSIDE THE CONCRETE BOX. THESE MOTORS SLOWLY PUSHED SOME LONG RODS WHICH WERE STICKING, FULL-LENGTH, INTO THE REACTOR, LIKE HATPINS THROUGH THE SIDE OF PA HAT.

THE RODS WERE OF BORON-STEEL. THE METALLIC BORON ABSORBS NEUTRONS, THE PARTICLES WHICH SPLIT URANIUM ATOMS. AS THE RODS CAME OUT, MORE AND MORE ATOMS SPLIT INSIDE THE REACTOR, AND IT BEGAN TO EMIT HEAT AND RADIOACTIVITY. BOTH THESE FORCES ROSE UNTIL DR. BORST TURNED A CONTROL DIAL. THAT STOPPED THE MOVEMENT OF THE RODS THAT HELD THE HEAT AND RADIOACTIVITY STEADY.

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THE ONLY SOUND THEREAFTER WAS THE HUM OF FANS BLOWING AIR AT FORTY MILES AN HOUR TO COOL THE REACTOR. THIS HOT AIR WAS RADIOACTIVE. IT RAN UNDERGROUND SEVERAL HUNDRED FEET AND THEN INTO A 320 FOOT-TALL, RED AND WHITE STACK. BY THE TIME THE AIR REACHED THE TOP NEARLY ALL THE RADIOACTIVITY WAS FINISHED, EXCEPT FROM THE ARGON, WHICH IS A TINY PERCENTAGE OF AIR.

IT WAS JUST THREE YEARS AND 11 DAYS SINCE GROUND HAD BEEN BROKEN FOR THIS REACTOR. THE COST OF THE GREAT APPARATUS WAS $25,000,000 (M), PAID BY THE UNITED STATES ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

ALTHOUGH THIS GREAT REACTOR CARRIES THE POWER OF A BOMB, IT CANNOT EXPLODE, BECAUSE THE URANIUM IN THE GRAPHITE IS TOO WIDELY SCATTERED. IF THE MONSTER GOT OUT OF CONTROL, IT COULD AFTER MANY HOURS GET HOT ENOUGH TO MELT ITSELF AND ITS CONCRETE WALLS. TO PREVENT THAT THERE ARE EMERGENCY CONTROLS FOR STOPPING THIS ATOMIC FIRE ALMOST INSTANTLY.

ONE OF THESE IS THE "SCRAM." PULL DOWN A HANDLE ON THE WALL NEAR THE CONSOLE AND THAT ACTION DUMPS A BIG LOAD OF BORON -STEEL SHOT DOWN INTO THE MIDDLE OF THE REACTOR. THE BORON QUENCHES THE NEUTRON SPARKS IMMEDIATELY.

FOR RESEARCH WORK, CASH CARRIER TYPE OF CAPSULES RUN INTO AND OUT OF THE REACTOR, OPERATED BY REMOTE CONTROL. THERE ARE TUNNELS UNDERNEATH THE REACTOR TO GET AT ENERGY THERE. THERE ARE OPENINGS LIKE DOORS WHICH CAN BE USED TO LEAD THE GREAT BEAMS OF RADIOACTIVITY OUT IN CONTROLLED STREAMS.

SOMEDAY SICK PEOPLE ARE EXPECTED TO BE MOVED CLOSE TO SUCH A STREAM OF RADIOACTIVITY. THE BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORY HAS A MEDICAL RESEARCH UNIT ALREADY UNDER WAY, AND WILL HAVE A SPECIAL HOSPITAL FOR RESEARCH.

THIS REACTOR IS EXPECTED TO FURNISH SOME OF THE ANSWERS NEEDED FOR SUBMARINE AND NAVAL POWER, FOR AVIATION, MEDICINE, INDUSTRY, CHEMISTRY, BIOLOGY AND METALLURGY.

IT AUTOMATICALLY MAKES SOME PLUTONIUM, THE ATOMIC BOMB METAL. IT CAN READILY MAKE SOME TRITIUM, THE TRIPLE-WEIGHT HYDROGEN WHICH IS SAID TO BE NECESSARY IN AT LEAST SMALL AMOUNTS FOR H-BOMBS.

IT CAN FURNISH FACTS ABOUT ATOMIC BREEDING, WHICH MEANS MAKING MORE ATOMIC FUEL THAN YOU BURN.

COMPLETION OF THE NEW PILE WAS DELAYED SEVERAL TIMES TO PERMIT IMPROVEMENTS FROM DISCOVERIES MADE SINCE THE WAR.

MILITARY AUTHORITIES REFUSED PERMISSION TODAY TO PHOTOGRAPH THE BUILDINGS AND SITE OF THE REACTOR, DESPITE THE FACT THAT PHOTOS WERE PERMITTED WHEN THIS CONSTRUCTION WAS IN SKELETON FORM.

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BROOKHAVEN, N.Y., AUG 22-(AP)-THE FIRST BIG ATOMIC PIGE BUILT IN THE UNITED STATES SINCE THE END OF THE WAR WENT INTO OPERATION TODAY AT THE BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORIES ON LONG ISLAND.

THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION SAID IT WAS POWERFUL ENOUGH--IF USED INDUSTRIALLY--TO PROVIDE ELECTRICITY FOR A TOWN OF 2,000 TO 3,000 PEOPLE.

IT WILL BE USED, HOWEVER, FOR GOVERNMENT RESEARCH INTO FURTHER ATOM SECRETS.

THE PILE, OR REACTOR AS IT IS CALLED, WAS SCHEDULED TO START A YEAR AGO BUT WAS HELD UP FOR ADVANCED DESIGN CHANGES.

IT USES THE RADIOACTIVE URANIUM 235 AS ITS BASIC ATOMIC "FUEL" AND GENERATES THE OTHER RADIOACTIVE ELEMENT, PLUTONIUM, THAT IS USED IN ATOMIC BOMBS.

THE PILE IS HOUSED IN A BIG SIX-STORY CONCRETE BUILDING -- ALL PART OF THE BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORIES OPERATED BY SEVERAL UNIVERSITIES UNDER GOVERNMENT SPONSORSHIP.

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ATOMIC

WASHINGTON, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE SENATE TONIGHT UNANIMOUSLY CONFIRMED THOMAS KEITH GLENNAN, PRESIDENT OF THE CASE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, CLEVELAND, FOR A FIVE-YEAR TERM ON THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

HE SUCCEEDS LEWIS L.STRAUSS, WHO RESIGNED LAST APRIL 15.

GLENNAN'S CONFIRMATION BRINGS THE AEC UP TO ITS FULL FIVE-MEMBER STRENGTH FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE LAST FEB. 15, WHEN DAVID E.LILIENTHAL RESIGNED AS CHAIRMAN.

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NIGHT LEAD UMT
BY WILLARD H.MOBLEY

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WASHINGTON,AUG.22-(AP)-A TOPHEAVY MAJORITY OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE GOT SOLIDLY BEHIND UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING TODAY WITH A DEMAND THAT CONGRESS STAY IN SESSION UNTIL IT BECOMES A LAW.

NINE MEMBERS OF THE 12-MAN GROUP STATED THEIR VIEWS SEPARATELY AS THE COMMITTEE HEARD GRAVE WARNINGS FROM THE NATION'S TOP CIVILIAN AND UNIFORMED DEFENSE LEADERS THAT "THERE WILL BE NO SECURITY FOR AMERICA WITHOUT UMT."

THE ACTUAL WORDS WERE IN TESTIMONY BY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON BUT GEN.OMAR BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, ANOTHER WITNESS, MADE VIRTUALLY THE SAME POINT.

"MANY YEARS OF TENSION IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS" PROBABLY LIE AHEAD, THE GENERAL SAID, AND UMT IS "THE ONLY SATISFACTORY LONG-RANGE ANSWER" TO THE TRAINED MANPOWER NEEDS GENERATED BY THAT WORLDWIDE PRESSURE.

THE HEARING WAS ON A BILL, PROPOSED BY SECRETARY JOHNSON AND STRONGLY BACKED BY CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE, FOR SIX MONTHS OF INTENSIVE MILITARY TRAINING PLUS SIX MONTHS OF DUTY WITH ACTIVE NATIONAL GUARD OR RESERVE UNITS, FOR ALL AMERICAN MEN BETWEEN THE AGES OF 18 AND 20.

THE SENATORS' STATEMENTS TOOK VIRTUALLY THE SAME LINE AS JOHNSON AND BRADLEY--THAT THE NATION CAN BE SECURE ONLY IF ITS YOUNG MEN GET MASS TRAINING FOR ITS DEFENSE.

THE NINE WERE DEMOCRATS TYDINGS, BYRD (VA), CHAPMAN (KY), JOHNSON (TEX) AND HUNT (WYO); AND REPUBLICANS GURNEY (SD), MORSE (ORE), BRIDGES (NH), AND KNOWLAND (CALIF).

THEY WERE THE ONLY MEMBERS PRESENT AT THE HEARING. OTHER MEMBERS ARE DEMOCRATS RUSSELL (GA) AND KEFAUVER (TENN), AND REPUBLICAN SALTONSTALL (MASS).

SECRETARY JOHNSON BROUGHT HIS ARGUMENT FOR THE MEASURE RIGHT DOWN TO THE PRESENT MOMENT WITH THE ASSERTION THAT THERE ARE TWO GREAT GAPS IN THE NON-COMMUNIST WORLD'S DEFENSES:

1. "LACK OF AN INTEGRATED MILITARY FORCE IN WESTERN EUROPEA OF SUFFICIENT STRENGTH TO HOLD A POTENTIAL AGGRESSOR UNTIL HELP ARRIVES."

2. "LACK OF THOSE ELEMENTS OF READINESS FOR MANPOWER MOBILIZATION IN THE UNITED STATES WHICH WOULD ENABLE US TO MEET THE THREAT OF TOTAL WAR WITHIN THE TIME LIMITS WHICH PRESENT CONDITIONS IMPOSE."

TO TAKE CARE OF ITEM NO.1, THE UNITED STATES NOW IS PUTTING PRESSURE ON WESTERN EUROPE TO SPEED ITS OWN DEFENSE DEVELOPMENT, AND JOHNSON SAID UMT IS THE LONG-RANGE SOLUTION FOR HIS SECOND ITEM.

THE DEFENSE SECRETARY CONCEDED THE POINT RECENTLY STATED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN THAT IN VIEW OF THE CRISIS IN KOREA "IT WOULD NOT BE ADVISABLE TO DIVERT THE EFFORTS OF THE MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT IMMEDIATELY TO THE PROBLEM OF PUTTING UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING INTO EFFECT."

HE SUGGESTED A PROVISION TO LET THE PRESIDENT PUT IT INTO EFFECT WHEN HE SEES A BETTER CHANCE.

DENYING THAT THE SUGGESTED LEGISLATION IS "PREMATURE" AT A TIME WHE THE COUNTRY IS ALREADY MILITARILY BUSY, JOHNSON SAID ENACTMENT NOW ON A STANDBY BASIS WOULD HAVE A "PYSCHOLOGICAL EFFECT ABROAD" WHICH WOULD "BE OF INCALCULABLE VALUE IN THE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE."

THERE WILL BE NO TIME IN THE NEXT WAR TO TRAIN FOR DEFENSE, JOHNSON SAID, AND WENT ON:

"THE CONDITIONS OF MODERN WAR, WHICH HAVE TELESCOPED TIME AND SPACE, DEMAND THAT EVERY QUALIFIED AMERICAN BE TRAINED AND READY TO FIGHT WHEN THE NEED ARISES."

GENERAL BRADLEY SAID IT WOULD BE "IMPRACTICABLE TO INITIATE UMT RIGHT NOW" BECAUSE OF THE LOAD ALREADY ON THE ARMED FORCES, BUT SAID THERE IS NEED FOR "A LAW ON OUR BOOKS WITH PROVISION FOR INITIATING IT WHEN POSSIBLE."

SENATOR GURNEY, WHO WAS ARMED SERVICES CHAIRMAN WHEN THE REPUBLICANS CONTROLLED CONGRESS, SAID HE WANTED A MANDATORY LAW TO GO INTO EFFECT AS SOON AS THE KOREAN CRISIS ENDS. THE COMMITTEE UNDER GURNEY HELD LONG HEARINGS ON UMT TWO YEARS AGO AT THE REQUEST OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

KNOWLAND, LEADING OFF IN THE DEMANDS THAT CONGRESS STAY HERE FOR ACTION ON THE SUBJECT, OBSERVED THAT "THERE IS NO RECESS FOR THE TROOPS IN KOREA."

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FIRST LEAD UMT

WASHINGTON, AUG. 22-(AP)-NINE SENATORS WHO FORM MORE THAN A MAJORITY OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE DEMANDED TODAY THAT CONGRESS STAY IN SESSION UNTIL IT APPROVES UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING LEGISLATION.

THE SENATORS SAID ONE BY ONE IN BRIEF STATEMENTS THAT THE SAFETY OF THE NATION CAN BE SECURED ONLY IF YOUNG MEN ARE TRAINED IN MASS TO BEAR ARMS.

THEIR STATEMENTS CAME AS SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT WESTERN EUROPE LACKS SUFFICIENT MILITARY STRENGTH TO SLOW DOWN AN AGGRESSOR UNTIL AMERICAN HELP ARRIVES.

HE SAID THE UNITED STATES DOESN'T NOW HAVE ENOUGH TRAINED MEN TO "MEET THE THREAT OF TOTAL WAR WITHIN THE TIME LIMITS WHICH PRESENT CONDITIONS IMPOSE."

GEN.OMAR N.BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, ALSO TESTIFIED THAT UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING "IS THE ONLY SATISFACTORY LONG RANGE ANSWER" TO THE NEED FOR A RESERVOIR OF TRAINED MEN TO MEET THE "MANY YEARS OF TENSION IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS" HE SAID PROBABLY LIES AHEAD AFTER THE KOREAN SITUATION IS SETTLED.

HE SAID THAT "IT WOULD BE IMPRACTICAL TO INITIATE UMT RIGHT NOW," BECAUSE OF THE DEMANDS ALREADY BEING MADE ON THE ARMED FORCES.

"HOWEVER, IF SUCH A LAW WERE ON OUR BOOKS WITH PROVISION FOR INITIATING IT WHEN POSSIBLE, WE CAN START THE NECESSARY TRAINING," HE SAID.

HE SAID THAT UMT AND SELECTIVE SERVICE CAN BE DOVETAILED.

THE NINE MEMBERS WHO DEMANDED IMMEDIATE ACTION ON UMT INCLUDED ALL WHO WERE PRESENT AT THE MEETING. THEY WERE CHAIRMAN TYDINGS OF MARYLAND, AND SENATORS BYRD OF VIRGINIA, CHAPMAN OF KENTUCKY, JOHNSON OF TEXAS, AND HUNT OF WYOMING, ALL DEMOCRATS, AND SENATORS GURNEY OF SOUTH DAKOTA, MORSE OF OREGON, BRIDGES OF NEW HAMPSHIRE AND KNOWLAND OF CALIFORNIA, ALL REPUBLICANS.

TYDINGS SAID HE WILL PRESS FOR QUICK PASSAGE OF THE MEASURE "BECAUSE I BELIEVE THIS IS OUR LAST CHANCE TO GET IT THROUGH CONGRESS."

"I'M GOING AHEAD," TYDINGS TOLD A REPORTER, "BECAUSE THE PRESIDENT REALLY WANTS IT BUT FEARED THAT ASKING IT NOW MIGHT DELAY OTHER LEGISLATION HE REGARDS AS MORE IMPORTANT TO THE KOREAN WAR."

THE PRESIDENT, WHO HAS ASKED CONGRESS FIVE TIMES FOR UMT LEGISLATION, HAS SAID HE WILL NOT PRESS FOR ACTION THIS YEAR. CONGRESS, STRIVING FOR AN EARLY GETAWAY FROM WASHINGTON, IS LIKELY TO TAKE THAT AS THE FINAL WORD.

TYDINGS CALLED THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE HE HEADS INTO SESSION TODAY (9:30 AM EST) TO HEAR TESTIMONY ON THE CONTROVERSIAL PROPOSAL THAT CONGRESS HAS IGNORED IN THE PAST. SCHEDULED TO GIVE THEIR VIEWS FIRST WERE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON AND GEN.OMAR N. BRADLEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF.

A SECOND TOUCHY ISSUE--THE DRAFTING OF DOCTORS, DENTISTS AND OTHER MEDICAL MEN--ALSO CAME UP FOR HEARINGS BY A SENATE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE (12 NOON EST).

SENATOR HUNT (D-WYO) SAID HE EXPECTED THE BILL, TO REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF MEMBERS OF THE MEDICAL PROFESSION UP TO 45 YEARS OLD FOR POSSIBLE INDUCTION INTO THE ARMED SERVICES, TO BE APPROVED BY CONGRESS.

THE UMT BILL, URGED STRONGLY UPON CONGRESS BY THE AMERICAN LEGION, WOULD REQUIRE MILITARY TRAINING FOR ALL MENTALLY AND PHYSICALLY QUALIFIED YOUNG MEN BETWEEN 18 AND 20 YEARS OLD.

THIS TRAINING WOULD INCLUDE SIX MONTHS OF INTENSIVE BASIC MILITARY TRAINING AND ANOTHER SIX MONTHS OF RELATED DUTY IN RESERVE OR NATIONAL GUARD UNITS.

THE BILL, DRAWN BY THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, WOULD ALLOW THE PRESIDENT TO SET THE PROGRAM INTO OPERATION WHEN HE SAW FIT.

A SUGGESTION THAT A CIVILIAN AGENCY DETERMINE HOW MANY DOCTORS, DENTISTS AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL MEN SHOULD BE ASSIGNED THE MILITARY SERVICES CAME FROM DR.PHILIP E.ADAMS OF BOSTON, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN DENTAL ASSOCIATION.

HE SUPPORTED THE PROPOSAL FOR A REGISTRATION AND DRAFT OF DOCTORS, DENTISTS AND RELATED PROFESSIONS, BUT SAID THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD SHOULD "ESTABLISH AND ENFORCE BASIC RATIOS FOR MILITARY AND CIVILIAN NEEDS X X X IN THE EVENT OF A NATIONAL EMERGENCY."

DR.ADAMS SET FORTH HIS VIEWS IN A STATEMENT FOR THE SUBCOMMITTEE CONSIDERING THE DOCTOR REGISTRATION BILL.

IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE FOR THE MILITARY FORCES TO STRIP THE CIVILIAN POPULATION OF ESSENTIAL HEALTH PERSONNEL, HE SAID, IF THE ARMED SERVICE COMPETED WITH EACH OTHER FOR THE AVAILABLE MANPOWER IN THESE FIELDS.

FIRST DOCTORS AND DENTISTS INDUCTED SHOULD BE THOSE "PROFESSIONAL MEN TRAINED AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSES OR DEFERRED DURING WORLD WAR II TO COMPLETE THEIR PROFESSIONAL EDUCATIONS," DR.ADAMS SAID.

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DOCTORS DRAFT

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BY EDWIN B.HAAKINSON

WASHINGTON,AUG 22-(AP)-A COUNTRY DOCTOR WARNED CONGRESS TODAY AGAINST STRIPPING RURAL AREAS OF PHYSICIANS AND DENTISTS BY A PROPOSED DRAFT OF MEDICAL MEN FOR THE ARMED SERVICES.

DR.JUNIUS C.MCHENRY OF GILLETTE, WYO., TOLD A SENATE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE THAT DURING THE LAST WAR HE "WAS THE ONLY M.D. LEFT IN OUR COUNTY FOR MORE THAN 6,000 PEOPLE."

ALTHOUGH JOINING LEADERS OF THE MEDICAL AND DENTAL PROFESSIONS IN SUPPORTING THE PROPOSED DRAFT, DR.MCHENRY SAID IT SHOULD NOT OPERATE "TO TAKE EIGHT DOCTORS OUT OF WYOMING FOR ONE OUT OF NEW YORK CITY."

THE WYOMING PHYSICIAN, WHO ALSO IS STATE COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION. SUGGESTED THE NUMBER OF DOCTORS AND DENTISTS TAKEN FROM ANY

COMMUNITY BE IN RATIO TO THE MEN WHO VOLUNTEER OR ARE DRAFTED INTO THE ARMED SERVICES.

SENATORS HUNT (D-WYO), GURNEY (R-SD) AND CHAPMAN (D-KY), CONDUCTING THE HEARING, ASSURED THE COUNTRY DOCTOR THAT HIS IDEAS WOULD BE INCLUDED IN THE LEGISLATION.

PENDING IS A BILL INTRODUCED BY GURNEY FOR DRAFT REGISTRATION OF ALL DOCTORS, DENTISTS, TECHNICIANS AND OTHER SCIENTIFIC SPECIALISTS UP TO 45 YEARS OLD.

THE PRESENT SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT REQUIRES REGISTRATION OF ALL MEN 18 THROUGH 25 YEARS WITH THOSE 19 THROUGH 25 SUBJECT TO THE DRAFT.

SPOKESMEN FOR THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, THE AMERICAN DENTAL ASSOCIATION AND OTHER LEADERS SUPPORTED THE GENERAL PURPOSES OF THE BILL. SOME SUGGESTED AMENDMENTS.

ALL WITNESSES ALSO AGREED THAT THE FIRST TO BE DRAFTED SHOULD BE SEVERAL THOUSAND YOUNG DOCTORS, DENTISTS AND TECHNICIANS WHO WERE DEFERRED FROM THE DRAFT DURING THE LAST WAR AND COMPLETED THEIR EDUCATION AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD FAMILY ALLOWANCES

WASHINGTON, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE SENATE SPEEDILY PASSED TONIGHT A BILL FOR CASH ALLOWANCES RANGING FROM $85 TO $155 A MONTH FOR FAMILIES OF ENLISTED MEN IN THE ARMED FORCES.

THE MEASURE GOES TO THE HOUSE WHERE A PLAN VARYING IN SOME RESPECTS CAME OUT OF COMMITTEE TODAY. THE HOUSE LEADERSHIP HOPES FOR ACTION THIS WEEK.

THE SENATE RUSHED ITS BILL THROUGH ON A SHOUTED VOICE VOTE AFTER A BRIEF EXPLANATION FROM CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE WHICH BROUGHT OUT THE MEASURE YESTERDAY.

ITS AIM IS TO HELP THE FAMILIES OF ALL MEN IN THE ARMY, NAVY, AIR FORCE, MARINES AND COAST GUARD.

UNDER THE SENATE BILL A WIFE, CHILD OR PARENT OF AN ENLISTED MAN WOULD GET A MINIMUM OF $85 MONTHLY. THE MAN WOULD CONTRIBUTE $40 AND THE GOVERNMENT $45.

TWO DEPENDENTS WOULD RECEIVE A MINIMUM OF $107.50 AND THREE OR MORE $115 MONTHLY. OF THIS THE SERVICEMAN WOULD PAY $40.

FAMILIES OF ENLISTED MEN IN THE UPPER GRADES--WHO ARE NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS SUCH AS SERGEANTS IN THE ARMY--WOULD GET LARGER MONTHLY PAYMENTS. BUT THESE NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS WOULD BE FORCED TO CONTRIBUTE MORE--EITHER $60 OR $80 MONTHLY FROM THEIR PAY.

THE TOTAL PAYMENT TO A FAMILY WOULD RANGE UP TO $155 FOR THE WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN OF AN ARMY MASTER SERGEANT OR NAVY CHIEF PETTY OFFICER.

FAMILY ALLOWANCES WERE PAID DURING WORLD WAR II BUT THESE WERE ORDERED TAPERED OFF GRADUALLY LAST YEAR. CONGRESS AT THAT TIME APPROVED A GENERAL PAY HIKE IN ALL OF THE ARMED SERVICES.

THE NEW LEGISLATION USES A SYSTEM OF MONTHLY ALLOWANCES FOR LIVING QUARTERS--PREVIOUSLY PAID ONLY TO THE HIGHER RANKING ENLISTED MEN WHEN SUCH QUARTERS WERE NOT SUPPLIED BY THE GOVERNMENT--AS THE BASIS FOR THE NEW SYSTEM.

THE SENATE BILL, LIKE THE ONE IN THE HOUSE, CUTS OFF INCREASES IN THE BENEFITS AFTER MAKING PROVISION FOR THREE DEPENDENTS. IT INCLUDES A SUGGESTION THAT MEN WITH MORE THAN THREE DEPENDENTS SHOULD NOT BE DRAFTED INTO THE ARMED SERVICES OR ENLISTED IN THE LOWER GRADES.

THE HOUSE BILL GOES INTO THE SAME PROBLEM FROM A SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT ANGLE.

THE SENATE BILL TAKES $40 A MONTH FROM THE PAY OF THE BOTTOM THREE GRADES--RECRUIT, PRIVATE AND PRIVATE FIRST CLASS IN THE ARMY, AND RECRUIT, APPRENTICE AND SEAMAN IN THE NAVY--AND ADDS $45 TO IT TO MAKE $85 FOR ONE DEPENDENT.

THE DEDUCTION FROM THE MAN'S PAY STAYS THE SAME NO MATTER HOW MANY DEPENDENTS THERE ARE, BUT THE GOVERNMENT PUTS IN $67.50 FOR A TOTAL OF $107.50 TO TWO DEPENDENTS SUCH AS A WIFE AND CHILD, AND $75 FOR A TOTAL OF $115 IF THERE ARE MORE THAN TWO DEPENDENTS.

FOR AN ARMY CORPORAL OR SERGEANT, OR A NAVY PETTY OFFICER THIRD CLASS OR SECOND CLASS, THE CONTRIBUTION OUT OF PAY IS $60. THE GOVERNMENT PUTS IN $67.50 FOR EITHER ONE OR TWO DEPENDENTS FOR A TOTAL OF $127.50. FOR MORE THAN TWO DEPENDENTS THE GOVERNMENT SHARE BECOMES $75 AND THE TOTAL $135.

A SERGEANT FIRST CLASS OR MASTER SERGEANT IN THE ARMY, OR A PETTY OFFICER FIRST CLASS OR CHIEF PETTY OFFICER IN THE NAVY, PUTS UP $80. THE GOVERNMENT SHARE STAYS AT $67.50 FOR ONE OR TWO DEPENDENTS AND $75 FOR MORE THAN TWO, FOR TOTALS OF $147.50 OR $155.

THE HOUSE PLAN WOULD MAKE THE PAYMENTS RETORACTIVE TO AUG. 1. ITS COST IS ESTIMATED AT $242,000,000(M) FROM THEN TO JUNE 30, 1951. IT WOULD TERMINATE APRIL 30, 1953. THE SENATE PLAN GOES FARTHER BACK, TO JULY 1.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE SET UP A PROGRAM FOR KEEPING MEN WITH TOO MANY DEPENDENTS OUT OF THE SERVICE, BUT IT DIDN'T SPECIFY HOW MANY. THE SECTION MERELY DIRECTS THE SECRETARIES OF THE MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT TO ESTABLISH POLICIES UNDER WHICH ENLISTED MEN WITH DEPENDENTS MAY BE DISCHARGED FOR HARDSHIP.

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IN WORLD WAR II THE FAMILY ALLOTMENT PLAN PROVIDED PAYMENTS FOR EACH DEPENDENT. IN CASES WHERE A MAN HAD MANY CHILDREN THE AMOUNT WAS SIZEABLE.

IN THE SAME PATTERN AS THE SENATE BILL, THE HOUSE MEASURE PROVIDES A CUT-OFF POINT WITH INCREASES IN THE ALLOWANCE FOR EACH DEPENDENT UP TO A TOTAL OF THREE, BUT NO MORE AFTER THAT.

THE HOUSE FORMULA PROVIDES AN ALLOWANCE OF $45 IN THE CASE OF AN ENLISTED MAN WHO IS IN ONE OF THE THREE LOWER GRADES AND WHO HAS ONE DEPENDENT, SUCH AS A WIFE. IN THE ARMY THE THREE LOWER GRADES ARE PRIVATE, PRIVATE FIRST CLASS AND CORPORAL. THE SAME ALLOWANCE WOULD BE MADE FOR COMPARABLE GRADES IN OTHER SERVICES.

THE ALLOWANCE GOES UP TO $70 FOR TWO DEPENDENTS AND $85 FOR MORE THAN TWO.

IN ADDITION THE SERVICE MAN WOULD HAVE TO CONTRIBUTE $40 FROM HIS OWN PAY.

THUS THE WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN OF A PRIVATE, FOR INSTANCE, WOULD GET A TOTAL OF $125.

THE PRIVATE WOULD HAVE LEFT FOR HIMSELF $40 OF HIS $80 PAY.

THE LOWER ENLISTED GRADES UNDER PRESENT LAW GET NO ALLOWANCE FOR FAMILY QUARTERS.

UNDER PRESENT LAW THE HIGHER ENLISTED GRADES GET A FAMILY QUARTERS ALLOWANCE IF THEY LIVE OFF POST. SUCH MEN--"BUCK" SERGEANT UP THROUGH MASTER SERGEANT IN THE ARMY AND CORRESPONDING GRADES IN THE OTHER SERVICES--GET $67.50 FOR ONE DEPENDENT AND $70 FOR TWO OR MORE.

UNDER THE HOUSE BILL FORMULA THE ALLOWANCE WOULD BE $70 FOR A MAN HAVING "NOT OVER TWO DEPENDENTS." IF HE HAS MORE THE ALLOWANCE BECOMES $85.

THERE IS NO REQUIRED DEDUCTION FROM THE PAYCHECKS OF THE UPPER GRADES.

THE SENATE BILL, ON THE OTHER HAND, REQUIRES BIGGER CONTRIBUTIONS FROM PAY IN THE HIGHER GRADES. IT WOULD TAKE $80 FROM THE PAY OF A MASTER SERGEANT, FOR INSTANCE, AND HIS FAMILY OF WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN WOULD GET A TOTAL OF $155.

A FAMILY MEDICAL SERVICE PROVISION WHICH HAD BEEN IN HOT CONTROVERSY WAS WITHDRAWN BY ITS AUTHOR, REP.RIVERS (D-SC) UNDER AN AGREEMENT TO CONSIDER IT IN A SEPARATE BILL. CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE SAID HEARINGS WILL BEGIN THURSDAY.

THE RIVERS PROPOSAL WAS TO DIRECT THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE "WHERE PRACTICABLE" TO REACTIVATE MILITARY HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES TO CARE FOR SERVICEMEN'S DEPENDENTS.

THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION CRITICIZED THE PLAN YESTERDAY AS ONE THAT WOULD BENEFIT ONLY FAMILIES LIVING NEAR MILITARY HOSPITALS, IMPAIR MEDICAL CARE FOR OTHERS BY DRAWING DOCTORS AWAY FROM THEIR REGULAR PRACTICES INTO SUCH HOSPITALS, AND HINDER MEDICAL CARE FOR MILITARY PERSONNEL.

RIVERS, WHO HEADED A SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH INQUIRED LAST SPRING INTO THE SHUT-DOWN OF FIVE MILITARY HOSPITALS AS "AN ECONOMY MEASURE," TOLD THE COMMITTEE THAT "A CERTAIN SEGMENT" IN THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT AND THE MEDICAL PROFESSION WANTS TO ABOLISH GOVERNMENT MEDICAL CARE FOR DEPENDENTS.

THE TRADITIONAL MILITARY POLICY HAS BEEN TO CARE FOR THEM IN SERVIC HOSPITALS IF BED SPACE IS AVAILABLE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, TUESDAY, AUG. 22)

AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG 22-(AP)-THE ARMY PLANS TO SEND MORE MEN TO ALASKA AS IT CARRIES ON ITS PRESENT EXPANSION.

AND IT WANTS CONGRESS TO APPROPRIATE $29,305,640 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF FACILITIES FOR THEM.

THIS WAS REVEALED TODAY IN TESTIMONY MADE PUBLIC BY THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE ON A SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST FOR $10,486,976,000 (B) FOR THE ARMED SERVICES FOR THE YEAR THAT BEGAN JULY 1.

NO FIGURES WERE GIVEN ON THE SIZE OF THE FORCE IT WAS CONTEMPLATED TO PUT IN THE TERRITORY.

"THIS IS ALL PART OF THE ALASKAN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR THE DEFENSE OF THIS COUNTRY FROM THAT AREA," BRIG.GEN.W.L.BARRIGER, CHIEF OF THE ARMY'S SERVICE DIVISION, TOLD THE COMMITTEE.

"WE DO NOT HAVE THE FACILITIES THERE NOW TO PUT THE ROOPS IN THAT SHOULD BE IN THAT AREA.

"AS A RESULT OF EXPANSION OF THE ARMY WE WILL GET THEM IN THAT AREA AND WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THIS (APPROPRIATION) TO TAKE CARE OF THEM."

THE ARMY'S REQUEST FOR ALASKAN CONSTRUCTION IS BROKEN DOWN THIS WAY:

FORT RICHARDSON, $16,325,000

LADD AIR FORCE BASE, $2,796,000

EIELSON AIR FORCE BASE, $978,500

A COMMUNICATIONS STATION, UTILITIES, ROADS, WALKS, DRAINAGE, STREET LIGHTING AND OTHER SIMILAR ITEMS, $9,205,940.

THE LOCATION OF THIS WAS NOT MENTIONED. IT WAS DESCRIBED AS A "CLASSIFIED PROJECT."

GENERAL BARRIGER TOLD THE COMMITTEE THE FUNDS SOUGHT WOULD BRING ARMY INSTALLATIONS IN ALASKA TO 75 PER CENT OF FULL READINESS.

COL.G.E.GALLOWAY, CHIEF OF THE ARMY ENGINEERS CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS DIVISION, ESTIMATED THAT THE NEW FACILITIES WOULD BE READY WITHIN TWO YEARS.

GALLOWAY SAID THE REQUEST INCLUDES NO FUNDS FOR NEW BARRACKS.

"THEY ARE UNDER CONSTRUCTION OR ON THE WAY," HE SAID.

REAR ADMIRAL J.F.JELLEY, CHIEF OF THE NAVY BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS, ASKED THE COMMITTEE TO APPROVE A TOTAL OF $1,548,000 FOR NAVY INSTALLATIONS AT KODIAK, ALASKA.

OF THIS, $835,000 WOULD GO TOWARD CONSTRUCTION OF PERMANENT COMMUNICATION FACILITIES AT 17TH NAVAL DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS.

THE OTHER $713,000 WOULD BE SPENT ON REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT OF DOCKS AND PIER AT THE NAVAL OPERATING BASE IN KODIAK.

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(180) APPROPRIATIONS

WASHINGTON,AUG 22-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN IS REPORTED TO HAVE TOLD SENATORS HE MIGHT VETO THE $34,000,000,000 APPROPRIATION BILL BECAUSE THE SENATE WROTE INTO IT A PROVISION FOR A $100,000,000 GOVERNMENT LOAN TO SPAIN.

SENATOR ROBERTSON (D-VA) TOLD NEWSMEN TODAY THE PRESIDENT MADE THE REMARK WHEN SEVERAL SENATORS CALLED ON HIM LAST WEEK TO URGE AN EXPANSION OF "VOICE OF AMERICA" BROADCASTS TO RUSSIA.

THE PRESIDENT HIMSELF BROUGHT UP THE SUBJECT OF THE SINGLE-PACKAGE APPROPRIATIONS BILL, OBSERVING THAT THE SENATE HAD WRITTEN TOO MANY RESTRICTIONS INTO IT, ROBERTSON SAID, ADDING:

"THE PRESIDENT WAS QUITE VIGOROUS IN CONDEMNING THOSE WHO VOTED FOR THE LOAN TO SPAIN."

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ROBERTSON SAID HE VOTED FOR THE PROVISION DIRECTING THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK TO MAKE THE LOAN. HE SAID HE TOLD MR.TRUMAN HE COULD SEE NO MORE HARM IN LENDING MONEY TO SPAIN THAN TO THE YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT OF MARSHALL TITO.

THERE WAS NO MENTION AT THE MEETING OF THE SENATE'S ACTION IN VOTING FOR A 10 PER CENT CUT IN NON-GOVERNMENT SPENDING, ROBERTSON SAID. THE APPROPRIATIONS BILL IS NOW IN THE HANDS OF A SENATE-HOUSE COMMITTEE WHICH IS TRYING TO IRON OUT DIFFERENCES IN SENATE AND HOUSE VERSIONS.

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BY MARVIN L.ARROWSMITH

WASHINGTON,AUG 22-(AP)-OVERWHELMING SENATE APPROVAL OF A HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION BILL VIRTUALLY ASSURED PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY THE POWER TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS AND OTHERWISE GEAR THE NATION TO A WARTIME FOOTING.

THE SENATE PASSED THE EMERGENCY MEASURE LAST NIGHT BY A WHOPPING 85 TO 3 VOTE. IT DID SO AFTER WRITING IN SOME RESTRICTIONS ON THE PRESIDENT'S AUTHORITY WHICH ADMINISTRATION FORCES BATTLED AGAINST IN VAIN.

THE SENATE BILL AND AN ECONOMIC CONTROLS MEASURE WHICH THE HOUSE APPROVED ON AUG. 10 ARE VASTLY DIFFERENT IN SOME ESSENTIAL DETAILS, BUT BOTH AUTHORIZE MR.TRUMAN TO IMPOSE WAGE-PRICE CURBS AND OTHER INFLATION CONTROLS.

SO THE BILL WHICH FINALLY GOES TO THE WHITE HOUSE--AFTER A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE IRONS OUT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TWO VERSIONS--CERTAINLY WILL CARRY WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING AUTHORITY.

OVERRIDING VIGOROUS ADMINISTRATION OPPOSITION, THE SENATE VOTED 50 TO 36 TO REQUIRE THE PRESIDENT TO INVOKE WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS SIMULTANEOUSLY AND VIRTUALLY ACROSS THE BOARD IF HE IMPOSED THEM AT ALL. THE AMENDMENT WAS SPONSORED BY REPUBLICAN SENATORS BRICKER (OHIO) AND WHERRY (NEB).

THAT DIRECTIVE KILLED A SECTION OF THE ADMINISTRATION BILL WHICH WOULD HAVE LET MR.TRUMAN PUT WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS INTO EFFECT ON A

SELECTIVE BASIS IF HE CARED TO. IN ADVANCE OF ANY OVERALL PROGRAM. UNDER THAT PLAN, HE WOULD NOT HAVE HAD TO INVOKE GENERAL WAGE CEILINGS UNTIL A SUBSTANTIAL PART OF THE ECONOMY WAS UNDER PRICE CONTROL.

THE HOUSE BILL PERMITS SELECTIVE CONTROLS.

ON THE OTHER HAND, THE SENATE REFUSED TO STRIP FROM THE BILL ALL OF THE AUTHORITY FOR WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS. AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR CAPEHART (R-IND) TO DO THAT WAS SWAMPED, 75 TO 6.

THE ADMINISTRATION SUFFERED A SETBACK ON APPROVAL, 47 TO 42, OF AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) GIVING THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT EXCLUSIVE HANDLING OF (1) THE ALLOCATION OF SCARCE INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS AND (2) ASSIGNMENT OF PRIORITIES TO SPEED DEFENSE PRODUCTION.

THE BILL HERETOFORE HAD GIVEN MR.TRUMAN DISCRETION TO PARCEL OUT THOSE TWO JOBS TO ANY OF THE GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.

SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) CHIEF DRAFTER OF THE BILL, CALLED THAT AMENDMENT AND THE ONE ELIMINATING SELECTIVE WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS "THE MOST DAMAGING OF ALL THE CHANGES MADE."

SPARKMAN AND SENATOR DOUGLAS (D-ILL) BOTH EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT THE TWO AMENDMENTS WOULD BE SCUTTLED IN CONFERENCE.

THE HOUSE BILL WOULD GIVE THE PRESIDENT A FREE HAND TO SET UP THE ALLOCATION AND PRIORITIES PROGRAMS AS HE SEES FIT.

THE VOTE ON THE SENATE BILL CAME AFTER EIGHT HOURS OF DEBATE AND BALLOTING ON ABOUT 30 AMENDMENTS, MANY OF THEM COMPARATIVELY MINOR AND TECHNICAL.

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SPARKMAN SAID, HOWEVER, THAT "IT PROBABLY WILL TAKE US A COUPLE OF DAYS TO ANALYZE THE AMENDMENTS ADOPTED TO DETERMINE JUST WHAT EFFECT THEY WOULD HAVE."

ON THE FINAL VOTE, ONLY THREE REPUBLICANS VOTED AGAINST THE BILL--SENATORS ECTON (MONT), MALONE (NEV) AND WILLIAMS (DEL).

BESIDES THE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING AUTHORITY AND THE ALLOCATION AND PRIORITIES POWERS, THE MEASURE PROVIDES FOR:

1. CONTROL OF CONSUMER CREDIT, AND CREDIT COVERING NEW CONSTRUCTION AND MAJOR REMODELING STARTED AFTER AUG. 3.

2. A BAN ON HOARDING OF SCARCE CONSUMER GOODS AND INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS. THE PRESIDENT WOULD DESIGNATE SCARCE ITEMS. VIOLATORS WOULD BE SUBJECT TO PENALTIES RANGING UP TO A $10,000 FINE AND A YEAR IN JAIL.

3. GOVERNMENT SEIZURE OF PRIVATELY OWNED PLANTS AND OTHER FACILITIES IF THEY WERE NEEDED IN THE DEFENSE EFFORT. PROVISION IS MADE FOR JUST COMPENSATION AND RETURN TO OWNERS AFTER THE EMERGENCY.

4. A $2,000,000,000 GOVERNMENT LOAN AND LOAN GUARANTEE PROGRAM TO ENCOURAGE DEFENSE PRODUCTION.

5. CONSIDERATION BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE WAGE AND PRICE LEVELS OF THE PERIOD MAY 24-JUNE 24, 1950, IN THE FIXING OF WAGE-PRICE CEILINGS. THE BILL PERMITS BUT DOES NOT REQUIRE A ROLLBACK TO THAT PERIOD, WITH SOME EXCEPTIONS WHICH MIGHT INCLUDE ALL FARM COMMODITIES.

6. SETTING UP SPECIAL MACHINERY FOR THE MEDIATION AND ARBITRATION OF LABOR DISPUTES AFFECTING NATIONAL DEFENSE. THE PROCEDURE WOULD HAVE TO BE IN LINE WITH TERMS OF THE TAFT-HARTLEY LAW AND OTHER EXISTING LABOR ACTS.

7. EXEMPTION FROM THE ANTI-TRUST LAWS AND THE FEDERAL TRADE ACT IN THE CASE OF VOLUNTARY AGREEMENTS ENTERED INTO BY BUSINESS FIRMS AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT.

ALL OF THOSE PROVISIONS ARE IN THE HOUSE BILL IN SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME FORM, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE SECTION SETTING UP LABOR DISPUTES MACHINERY. THE HOUSE STRUCK THAT OUT.

SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) TRIED TO HAVE IT REMOVED FROM THE SENATE BILL, TOO, BUT THE AMENDMENT WAS REJECTED, 57 TO 29.

MR.TRUMAN DID NOT ASK FOR AUTHORITY TO INVOKE WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS AND RATIONING, BUT HE SAID HE WOULD BE GLAD TO HAVE THE STANDBY POWER IF CONGRESS DID NOT RESTRICT THE USE OF IT. HE ALSO HAS SAID THAT HE SEES NO NEED FOR USING THOSE POWERS AT THIS TIME.

SENATE ADMINISTRATION LEADERS PROTESTED THAT MR.TRUMAN CERTAINLY WOULD HAVE NO FREE HAND UNDER THE WHERRY-BRICKER AMENDMENT REQUIRING HIM TO PUT WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS INTO EFFECT AT THE SAME TIME AND VIRTUALLY ACROSS THE BOARD IF HE INVOKED THE CONTROLS AT ALL.

SENATOR DOUGLAS (D-ILL) SAID THE WHOLE IDEA OF PROPOSING TO LET THE PRESIDENT INVOKE CONTROLS ON A SELECTIVE BASIS WAS TO PERMIT HIM TO CRACK DOWN ONLY WHERE THERE HAD BEEN RUNAWAY PRICES.

SPARKMAN SAID THAT IF THE PRESIDENT COULD DO THAT, "WE MIGHT NEVER HAVE ANY NEED FOR OVERALL CONTROLS."

"IT'S JUST SILLY TO THINK THAT ANYONE CAN DO A JOB UNLESS YOU GO CLEAR ACROSS THE BOARD."

THE WHERRY-BRICKER AMENDMENT WOULD NOT RESTRICT MR.TRUMAN IN ANY WAY WITH RESPECT TO RATIONING OF CONSUMER GOODS.

NOR WOULD IT HAVE ANY EFFECT ON A PROVISION WHICH SPECIFICALLY EXEMPTS CERTAIN ITEMS FROM PRICE CONTROL, SUCH AS NEWSPAPER SUBSCRIPTION AND ADVERTISING RATES. THE AMENDMENT ALSO DID NOT TOUCH ANOTHER SECTION WHICH GIVES THE PRESIDENT DISCRETION TO ORDER EXEMPTIONS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.

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ALL OF THE POWERS AUTHORIZED IN THE SENATE BILL WOULD REMAIN IN EFFECT THROUGH JUNE 30, 1952. SENATOR BYRD (D-VA) TRIED TO WRITE IN A TIME LIMIT OF AUG. 31, 1951, BUT THE SENATE REJECTED THE AMENDMENT. THE HOUSE VOTED AN EXPIRATION DATE OF JUNE 30, 1951.

REPUBLICAN SENATORS MUNDT (SD) AND FERGUSON (MICH) HAD THREATENED TO TRY TO WRITE THEIR ANTI-COMMUNIST BILL INTO THE ECONOMIC CONTROLS BILL AS A RIDER, BUT THEY WITHDREW THE AMENDMENT AFTER ADMINISTRATION LEADERS SCHEDULED SEPARATE SENATE ACTION, POSSIBLY NEXT WEEK, ON COMMUNIST-CONTROL LEGISLATION.

NEITHER THE HOUSE NOR THE SENATE ECONOMIC CONTROLS MEASURE PROVIDES FOR COMPULSORY REGULATION OF COMMODITY SPECULATION, AS REQUESTED BY MR.TRUMAN. THE HOUSE BILL DOES NOT DEAL WITH THE MATTER AT ALL.

THE SENATE DID ADOPT AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR GILLETTE (D-IOWA) WHICH CALLS FOR VOLUNTARY POLICING OF SPECULATION BY THE COMMODITY EXCHANGES. IF THEY FAILED TO SET UP REASONABLE CONTROLS, AS DETERMINED BY THE FEDERAL COURTS, THE EXCHANGES COULD BE FINED UP TO $5,000.

STILL IN THE SENATE BILL ARE AMENDMENTS ADOPTED LAST WEEK WHICH THE CIO HAS SAID WOULD BE LIKELY TO COST CONSUMERS BILLIONS OF DOLLARS. ONE OF THOSE PROVISIONS WOULD GUARANTEE THE MEAT PACKING INDUSTRY A REASONABLE MARGIN OF PROFIT UNDER ANY PRICE CEILINGS FIXED. ANOTHER WOULD DO SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME THING FOR THE PROCESSORS OF FARM COMMODITIES.

SENATOR WILLIAMS (R-DEL) OFFERED AN AMENDMENT YESTERDAY WHICH WOULD HAVE REQUIRED A ROLLBACK OF FARM PRICES TO PRE-KOREAN WAR LEVELS, IF PRICE CONTROLS WERE ESTABLISHED FOR FARM COMMODITIES. THE PROPOSAL WAS REJECTED ON A VOICE VOTE.

AS THE BILL PASSED, FARM PRICE CEILINGS WOULD BE THE HIGHER OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. THE PARITY PRICE--A PRICE COMPUTED TO GIVE FARMERS THE SAME RELATIVE PURCHASING POWER THEY HAD IN A PAST FAVORABLE PERIOD.

2. THE AVERAGE PRICE RECEIVED BY PRODUCERS DURING THE PERIOD MAY 24-JUNE 24 OF THIS YEAR.

WILLIAMS' AMENDMENT WOULD HAVE ELIMINATED THE PARITY YARDSTICK. HE SAID PARITY PRICES ARE NOW HIGHER THAN THE AVERAGE PRICES OF THE MONTH WHICH PRECEDED THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR.

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(200) (ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY TUESDAY, AUG. 22)

FIRST LEAD COST OF LIVING

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG.22-(AP)-PRICE RISES SPARKED IN PART BY WAR IN KOREA SHOVED THE GOVERNMENT'S COST OF LIVING INDEX UP 1.4 PER CENT FROM JUNE 15 TO JULY 15, TO THE HIGHEST LEVEL IN NEARLY TWO YEARS.

ADDED TO LESSER INCREASES IN THE PREVIOUS TWO MONTHS, THE BOOST TOTALLED 3 PER CENT FOR THE QUARTER AND WAS BIG ENOUGH TO BRING A 5 CENT HOURLY PAY RAISE FOR 335,000 GENERAL MOTORS WORKERS, WHOSE RATES ARE TIED TO THE BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS FIGURES.

THERE HAD BEEN SPECULATION THAT THE WAGE INCREASE MIGHT SET OFF A PRICE RISE FOR GENERAL MOTORS AUTOMOBILES AND TRUCKS BUT THE COMPANY ANNOUNCED IMMEDIATELY THAT NO SUCH CHANGES ARE NOW IN SIGHT.

THE COMPANY, IN A STATEMENT, MENTIONED OTHER COST INCREASES BUT SAID IT IS TRYING TO MAINTAIN PRICES AND EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT GENERAL UPWARD PRICE TRENDS ARE ONLY TEMPORARY.

THE RISE IN THE CONSUMER INDEX WAS FROM 170.2 PER CENT OF THE 1935-39 LEVEL ON JUNE 15 TO 172.5 PER CENT ON JULY 15, OR 2.3 PERCENTAGE POINTS. THE NEW FIGURE IS THE HIGHEST SINCE OCTOBER, 1948.

SHARP INCREASES IN THE PRICES OF MEATS, FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES WHICH FOLLOWED THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR, HELPED TO BOOST THE INDEX, THE BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS SAID.

THE INCREASE WAS ENOUGH TO GIVE 335,000 GENERAL MOTORS WORKERS A FIVE CENT HOURLY WAGE INCREASE UNDER THEIR SPECIAL TAIL-IN WITH THE STATISTICS.

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GENERAL MOTORS, UNDER THE CONTRACT OF MAY 29, 1948 WHICH WAS RENEWED FOR FIVE YEARS LAST SPRING, RAISES THE HOURLY RATE OR LOWERS IT ONE PENNY FOR EVERY 1.14 PERCENTAGE POINT CHANGE IN THE BLS INDEX.

IN ADDITION TO THE 335,000 HOURLY-RATED GM WORKERS WHO WILL GET THE EXTRA NICKEL BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1, ABOUT 76,000 SALARIED EMPLOYES WILL RECEIVE A COST OF LIVING ALLOWANCE OF $25.

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THE GM PAY BOOST IS HINGED TO THE BLX INDEX RISE OVER A FULL QUARTER OF THE YEAR RATHER THAN THE SINGLE MONTH.

ON APRIL 15 WHEN THE LAST REVISION WAS MADE FOR THOSE WORKERS, THE INDEX STOOD AT 167.3. THE QUARTERLY RISE WAS 3 PER CENT OR 5.2 PERCENTAGE POINTS.

BESIDES THE PAY ALLOWANCE FOR THE RISE IN THE COST OF LIVING CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, GENERAL MOTORS A YEAR AGO AGREED TO ADD 0.3 POINTS TO THE OFFICIAL INDEX TO COMPENSATE FOR A RECOGNIZED UNDERSTATEMENT IN THE RENT FIGURES WHICH HELPED TO MAKE UP THE INDEX.

THUS, ADDING 0.3 TO THE JULY 15 INDEX OF 172.5, A TOTAL INDEX FIGURE OF 173.3 IS REACHED TO ACCOUNT FOR THE FIVE CENT ADJUSTMENT.

THE COMPANY SAID GM WORKERS HAVE BEEN RECEIVING A THREE CENT HOURLY COST OF LIVING ALLOWANCE DURING THE CURRENT QUARTER-YEAR.

THE NEW BOOST WILL BRING THEM A TOTAL OF 8 CENTS NET GAIN AS A RESULT OF THE SLIDING SCALE CLAUSE.

UNDER THE COST OF LIVING FORMULA, THE SALARIED WORKERS GET $5 PER QUARTER FOR EACH 1 CENT OF HOURLY INCREASE FOR WAGE WORKERS.

THUS THEY ARE ALREADY GETTING $15 FOR THE CURRENT QUARTER.

THAT $15 ALSO CARRIES OVER INTO THE NEW QUARTER, IN WHICH THEY WILL GET $25 ADDITIONAL, OR A TOTAL OF $40 RESULTING FROM THE COST OF LIVING FORMULA.

THE WINDFALL WHICH WILL GO TO GENERAL MOTORS WORKERS AS A RESULT OF THEIR SLIDING-SCALE CONTRACT, WILL NOT MEAN A PRICE BOOST IN GM PRODUCTS.

C.E.WILSON, PRESIDENT OF GM, ANNOUNCED IMMEDIATELY THAT "NO PRICE CHANGES ARE CONTEMPLATED BY GENERAL MOTORS AT THIS TIME."

"DESPITE THE SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN OUR LABOR COSTS AND THE CONTINUED UPWARD TREND IN THE PRICE OF RUBBER AND OTHER BASIC MATERIALS, WE ARE CAREFULLY EVALUATING OUR OPERATION IN AN EFFORT TO MAINTAIN OUR PRESENT PRICES," WILSON SAID IN A FORMAL STATEMENT.

"IT IS HOPED THAT THE COST OF LIVING INCREASE AND THE UPWARD PRICE TREND IN BASIC COMMODITIES ARE OF A TEMPORARY NATURE ONLY."

THE BLS SAID SHARP INCREASES IN PRICES OF MEATS, FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES WERE CHIEFLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE 1.4 PER CENT INDEX RISE SINCE JUNE 15.

HOWEVER, A SPECIAL SURVEY OF FOOD PRICES REVEALED THAT SHARP SEASONAL DECLINES IN RETAIL PRICES OF FRESH VEGETABLES AND LOWER PRICES FOR FRESH PORK MORE THAN OFFSET INCREASES REPORTED FOR MOST OTHER FOODS BETWEEN JULY 15 AND JULY 31.

IT WAS ESTIMATED THE FOOD PRICES ON JULY 31 WERE SLIGHTLY LOWER ON THE AVERAGE THAN THE JULY 15 PRICES, EVEN THOUGH A NUMBER OF PRODUCTS, INCLUDING BREAD AND COFFEE, REACHED NEW HIGHS BY THE END OF THE MONTH.

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A PRELIMINARY TABULATION FOR THE WEEK OF AUG. 14 INDICATED THAT RETAIL FOOD PRICES DECLINED SLIGHTLY FROM MID-JULY TO MID-AUGUST.

THE LARGEST ADVANCE DURING THE MONTH FROM JUNE 15 TO JULY 15 WAS A 2.6 PER CENT RISE IN FOOD PRICES. THIS IS THE GREATEST PERCENTAGE INCREASE IN FOOD DURING ANY MONTH SINCE APRIL, 1948 WHEN IT ROSE 2.8 PER CENT.

FRACTIONAL INCREASES WERE REPORTED FOR HOUSE FURNISHINGS, MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES, RENTS AND FUELS. APPAREL WAS THE ONLY MAJOR GROUP IN WHICH PRICES AVERAGED SLIGHTLY BELOW THE JUNE 15 LEVEL.

THE RETAIL FOOD PRICE INDEX ON JULY 15, WAS 210 PER CENT OF THE 1935-39 AVERAGE--4.1 PER CENT ABOVE A YEAR AGO, 3.1 PER CENT BELOW THE RECORD HIGH OF JULY, 1948, AND ABOUT 44 PER CENT HIGHER THAN IN JUNE, 1946.

SALT LAKE CITY WAS THE ONLY CITY AMONG 56 SURVEYED IN WHICH FOOD PRICES DROPPED BETWEEN MID-JUNE AND MID-JULY.

THE JULY 15 GENERAL INDEX WAS 2.4 PER CENT HIGHER THAN A YEAR EARLIER AND 29.4 PER CENT HIGHER THAN IN JUNE, 1946, WHEN MOST OPA CONTROLS WERE SHED. THE INDEX WAS 75 PER CENT ABOVE THE PREWAR LEVEL OF AUGUST, 1939.

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PRICE SUPPRTS

WASHINGTON,AUG 22-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT WILL CONTINUE WHEAT PRICE SUPPORTS NEXT YEAR AT 90 PER CENT OF PARITY--THE MAXIMUM ALLOWED BY LAW--AND AT NOT LESS THAN $1.99 A BUSHEL.

THOSE SUPPORTS, PLEDGED YESTERDAY, ARE THE SAME AS THOSE THAT APPLY IN THE 1950 CROP YEAR.

THE ACTUAL PARITY PRICE WILL NOT BE CALCULATED UNTIL NEXT JULY 1, BUT YESTERDAY'S ANNOUNCEMENT IS A FEDERAL GUARANTEE TO THE FARMER THAT THE SUPPORT PRICE WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO SLUMP BELOW THE $1.99 FIGURE. IF THE PARITY PRICE IS HIGHER THAN THAT, THE SUPPORT PRICE WILL BE RAISED.

WHEAT PRICES WERE QUOTED ON THE CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET YESTERDAY AT ABOUT $2.23 A BUSHEL.

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE BRANNAN, WHO FIXED THE SUPPORT LEVELS, DECLARED IN A SPEECH LAST NIGHT AT CARLISLE, IND., THAT THE NATION'S FARMERS ARE IN "FINE SHAPE" TO MEET THE NEEDS OF BOTH THE ARMED FORCES

AND THE CIVILIAN POPULATION, WITHOUT ANY BELT TIGHTENING.
HE SAID "WE EXPECT TO HAVE ENOUGH FOOD SO THAT CIVILIANS CAN CONTINUE CONSUMING AS MUCH AS IN THE LAST TWO YEARS"OF BUMPER CROPS. HE RIDICULED HOARDERS.
BRANNAN ADDED THERE ARE GROUNDS TO HOPE THAT ECONOMIC CONTROLS FOR AGRICULTURE MAY BE POSTPONED FOR A CONSIDERABLE TIME AND PERHAPS AVOIDED "UNLESS THE EMERGENCY BECOMES MUCH WORSE."
BRANNAN ALREADY HAS FIXED THE 1950 WHEAT CROP ALLOTMENT AT 72,800,000 ACRES. WITH AVERAGE PER ACRE YIELDS, THAT WOULD MEAN A CROP OF 1,150,000,000 (B) BUSHELS, COMPARED WITH THIS YEAR'S ESTIMATED 996,000,000 BUSHEL HARVEST.
ONLY FARMERS WHO STAY WITHIN THEIR ALLOTTED ACREAGE ARE ELIGIBLE FOR PRICE SUPPORT BENEFITS, DESIGNED TO PREVENT PRICE DIPS COSTLY TO THE GROWER.
PARITY IS A LEGAL PRICE LEVEL, WORKED OUT BY FORMULA, DESIGNED TO BE FAIR BOTH TO PRODUCERS AND CONSUMERS.
BRANNAN ANNOUNCED THERE WILL BE NO FARM STORAGE PAYMENTS NEXT YEAR TO PRODUCERS. THE COMMODITY CREDIT CORP. FOR SEVERAL YEARS HAS PAID A SEVEN CENTS A BUSHEL ALLOWANCE FOR STORING WHEAT COVERED BY SUPPORT LOANS. BRANNAN SAID THE CCC WILL NOT ASSUME ANY WAREHOUSING CHARGES, EXCEPT RECEIVING CHARGES, ACCRUING PRIOR TO MAY 1, 1952.
HE SAID THE CHANGE PLACES WHEAT ON THE SAME STORAGE CHARGE BASIS AS OTHER GRAINS.
PRICE SUPPORTS FOR OTHER BASIC CROPS WILL BE ANNOUNCED LATER. THESE INCLUDE CORN, COTTON, RICE AND PEANUTS. THE LAW REQUIRES THAT TOBACCO BE SUPPORTED AT 90 PER CENT OF PARITY.

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NIGHT LEAD TAXES
BY FRANCIS M.LE MAY
WASHINGTON,AUG 22-(AP)-THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE STAMPED ITS FINAL APPROVAL ON THE $5,000,000,000 TAX BOOSTING BILL TODAY, AFTER PUTTING IN A FORMULA EXEMPTING FROM TAXATION ALL PAY RECEIVED BY GI'S IN COMBAT ZONES. IT ALSO VOTED TO EXEMPT $200 A MONTH OF THE INCOME RECEIVED BY THEIR OFFICERS.
CHAIRMAN GEORGE (D-GA) SAID THE SENATE WILL BEGIN DEBATE ON THE BILL THURSDAY, WITH PASSAGE ASSURED BY BI-PARTISAN BACKING.
SHORTLY AFTER THE COMMITTEE ACTED SENATOR O'MAHONEY (D-WYO) SOFTENED HIS EXCESS PROFITS TAX PROPOSAL TO MAKE THE TOP TAX 85 PER CENT, INSTEAD OF 100 PER CENT, ON HIGHEST CORPORATION EARNINGS THAT EXCEED "NORMAL" PROFITS.
THIS CHANGE WAS MADE, HE SAID, "TO REMOVE ANY DANGER THAT THE EXCESS PROFITS TAX MIGHT ADVERSELY AFFECT THE INCENTIVES TO PRODUCE."
THE COMMITTEE BILL INCLUDES NO EXCESS PROFITS LEVY BUT THE WYOMING SENATOR, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE-SENATE ECONOMIC COMMITTEE, PREDICTED THE SENATE WILL WRITE IT IN. HE ESTIMATED THE TAX WOULD BRING IN AN EXTRA $3,500,000,000.
THE FIGHTING MEN'S EXEMPTION WOULD BE CONFINED STRICTLY TO PERSONNEL OF THE ARMED SERVICES IN COMBAT ZONES, AND WOULD NOT EXTEND TO ALL SERVICE PEOPLE AS WAS THE CASE IN WORLD WAR II.
A GI WOULD OWE NO TAXES ON PAY HE RECEIVED WHILE ACTUALLY IN KOREA OR ANY OTHER FIGHTING ZONE. HE WOULD PAY TAXES ON INCOME RECEIVED WHILE SERVING ELSEWHERE.
THE BILL APPROVED BY THE COMMITTEE GIVES PRESIDENT TRUMAN POWER TO DEFINE COMBAT AREAS, FOR PURPOSES OF APPLYING THE TAX EXEMPTIONS.
THE COMMITTEE APPROVED THE $5,000,000,000 TAX BOOST UNANIMOUSLY LAST THURSDAY. TODAY IT WENT THROUGH THE FORMALITY OF APPROVING LEGISLATIVE LANGUAGE DRAWN BY ITS STAFF, INCLUDING THE FORMULA FOR COMBAT AREA EXEMPTIONS.
THE MEASURE MAY BE PASSED AND PUT ON MR.TRUMAN'S DESK BY

SEPTEMBER 1, UNLESS THE SENATE BECOMES STYMIED IN THE FIGHT OVER EXCESS PROFITS TAXES.

GEORGE HAS SAID THE BILL WILL PASS WITHOUT AN EXCESS PROFITS LEVY "OR THERE WILL BE NO BILL AT ALL." HE INSISTS THAT IMPOSITION OF SUCH A LEVY NEEDS TIME FOR STUDY OF ITS APPLICATION, AND HE HAS PREDICTED CONGRESS WILL WRITE A $7,000,000,000 "SECOND INSTALLMENT" TAX BILL, INCLUDING AN EXCESS PROFITS LEVY EFFECTIVE AS OF JANUARY 1, 1951.
O'MAHONEY WOULD MAKE HIS EXCESS PROFITS LEVY EFFECTIVE AS OF JULY 1, 1950--OR ON ONE-HALF OF 1950 CORPORATION INCOME.
IN THE REVISION OF HIS PROPOSAL TODAY, O'MAHONEY NOT ONLY SOFTENED THE SUGGESTED RATES BUT ALSO INSERTED AN EXTRA EXEMPTION OF $25,000 FOR DOMESTIC CORPORATIONS WHICH COMMENCED BUSINESS AFTER SEPTEMBER 1, 1945.
UNDER HIS NEW PROPOSAL, O'MAHONEY WOULD SET A BASIS OF "NORMAL PROFITS" AT 75 PER CENT OF A CORPORATION'S AVERAGE EARNINGS IN 1947, 1948 AND 1949, PLUS $25,000 (IT WOULD BE PLUS $50,000 IF THE CORPORATION COMMENCED BUSINESS AFTER SEPTEMBER 1, 1945).
THEN HE WOULD APPLY AN EXCESS PROFITS TAX OF 65 PER CENT ON PROFITS BETWEEN 1 AND 15 PER CENT ABOVE THE BASE PERIOD; PLUS 75 PER CENT ON PROFITS BETWEEN 15 AND 25 PER CENT ABOVE THE BASE; AND PLUS 85 PER CENT OF PROFITS MORE THAN 25 PER CENT ABOVE THE BASE.
DURING WORLD WAR II THE EXCESS PROFITS RATE WAS 85.5 PERCENT ON CORPORATION INCOME ABOVE THE AVERAGE OF 1936-39. SOME CORPORATIONS EXCESS PROFITS WERE DETERMINED ON THE BASIS OF INVESTED CAPITAL.
THE MEASURE COMPLETED IN COMMITTEE RAISES INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAXES BY ALMOST $3,000,000,000, BOOSTS CORPORATION LEVIES BY $1,500,000,000 A YEAR, AND PICKS UP OTHER MILLIONS BY PLUGGING LOOPHOLES AND MAKING OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES.
FOR MANY MILLIONS OF INDIVIDUAL TAXPAYERS, THE INCREASES IN TAXES WILL RUN ABOUT 20 PER CENT.

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(600) NIGHT LEAD CRIME
WASHINGTON, AUG. 22-(AP)-A NEW YORK CANDY MANUFACTURER TESTIFIED TODAY HE PAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S FORMER SECRETARY TO HELP GET A WARTIME SUGAR QUOTA THA NEVER CAME THROUGH.
HE ALSO TESTIFIED THAT HE TRIED TO GET SUGAR BY TAKING IN PARTNERS HE LATER LEARNED WERE HOODLUMS AND LOST ABOUT ALL HE HAD IN A COMPANY WORTH NEARLY $1,000,000 (M).
DAVID LUBBEN, WHO LIVES AT HILLSDALE, N.J., TOLD THE SENATE CRIME COMMITTEE HE PAID $1,000 TO $1,500 TO VICTOR MESSALL, WHO TOLD HIM HE HAD BEEN A TRUMAN CAMPAIGN MANAGER. SENATE RECORDS SHOW MESSALL WAS MR.TRUMAN'S SECRETARY FROM 1935 TO 1941, WHILE THE PRESIDENT WAS A SENATOR.
THE COMMITTEE PROMPTLY HUNTED UP MESSALL AND PUT HIM ON THE WITNESS STAND.
HE LOOKED AT LUBBEN AND SAID HE DIDN'T REMEMBER HIM OR REPRESENTING HIM. BUT AFTER SOME REMINDERS HE SAID HE MIGHT HAVE ACTED FOR LUBBEN WITHOUT REMEMBERING IT.
MESSALL SAID HE NOW IS A WASHINGTON PUBLIC RELATIONS COUNSEL. HE SAID HE MANAGED MR.TRUMAN'S 1940 CAMPAIGN FOR RE-ELECTION TO THE SENATE. (DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE OFFICIALS SAID HE WAS ONE OF THE MANAGERS.)
CHAIRMAN KEFAUVER (D-TENN) WANTED TO KNOW WHETHER MESSALL USED HIS ONE-TIME ASSOCIATION WITH MR.TRUMAN FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

"I DON'T ADVERTISE IT," MESSALL REPLIED, "BUT I WAS PROUD OF IT."

LUBBEN TOLD A COMPLICATED STORY OF ORGANIZING THE EATSUM FOOD PRODUCTS COMPANY, A BRONX FIRM, TO MAKE AND PACK CANDY. HE TOLD OF BUYING BLACK MARKET SUGAR TO KEEP GOING, AND OF PAYING THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS TO SEVERAL PEOPLE, INCLUDING MESSALL, TO TRY TO GET HIM A GOVERNMENT SUGAR QUOTA THAT NEVER MATERIALIZED.

THEN, HE SAID, HE WAS INFORMED THAT FRANK LIVORSI, WILLIAM J.GIGLIO AND OTHERS COULD GET HIM A QUOTA--IF HE TOOK THEM IN AS PARTNERS. LUBBEN SAID HE SOLD THEM A HALF INTEREST IN THE BUSINESS FOR $35,000 OR $40,000 IN THE SPRING OF 1945, LEARNED LATER THEY WERE HOODLUMS, AND FINALLY GOT OUT OF THE MILLION-DOLLAR FIRM AT A LOSS OF ALMOST ALL HE HAD INVESTED IN IT.

LUBBEN SAID HE WAS TOLD A DOZEN TIMES THE REAL BOSS OF THE PARTNERS WAS FRANK COSTELLO. IN PREVIOUS HEARINGS, COSTELLO HAS BEEN DESCRIBED AS A BIG-SHOT NEW YORK GAMBLER AND SLOT-MACHINE CZAR.

LIVORSI WAS CALLED AS A WITNESS AND TESTIFIED THAT HE SERVED TIME ON A NARCOTICS CHARGE, HAD BEEN ARRESTED ON OTHER CHARGES, AND KNOWS COSTELLO, ALTHOUGH "NOT TOO WELL".

LIVORSI SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT BUSINESS BUT GOT $1,000 A WEEK SALARY AND $35,000 IN PROFITS SPLITS FROM THE EATSUM COMPANY. HE SAID THE COMPANY WENT BROKE AND THAT HIS PRESENT BUSINESS IS "FOLLOWING THE HORSES FROM NEW YORK TO FLORIDA."

WHAT THE COMMITTEE IS TRYING TO FIND OUT IS THE EXTENT TO WHICH ORGANIZED RACKETEERS MAY BE MUSCLING INTO APPARENTLY LEGITIMATE BUSINESS. TODAY'S HEARING WAS THE FIRST AIMED IN THAT DIRECTION.

LUBBEN WAS A BIT VAGUE ABOUT MESSALL AT FIRST--THOUGHT HE WAS A WASHINGTON LAWYER WHO WAS "SUPPOSED TO HAVE DONE SOMETHING FOR MR. TRUMAN WHEN HE WAS A CONGRESSMAN OR A SENATOR." HE SAID MESSALL'S OFFICE WAS LINED WITH PICTURES OF WASHINGTON BIGWIGS.

HE SAID HE GOT IN TOUCH WITH MESSALL THIS WAY:

HE USED TO WORK FOR THE KROGER GROCERY COMPANY. ANOTHER FORMER EMPLOYE WAS LT.FRANK HARRIS, WHO WENT INTO THE ARMY. IT WAS HARRIS WHO TOOK HIM TO SEE MESSALL.

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WHEN LUBBEN STOOD UP AND MESSALL FAILED TO IDENTIFY HIM, RUDOLPH HALLEY, CHIEF COUNSEL FOR THE COMMITTEE, READ A LETTER ADDRESSED TO HARRIS AND SIGNED BY MESSALL.

IT WAS DATED AUG. 24, 1945, AND REFERRED TO EFFORTS TO GET THE EATSUM COMPANY AN ADDITIONAL ALLOWANCE OF CORN SYRUP FROM THE FEDERAL COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION.

PROBABLY, MESSALL SAID, AN ASSOCIATE DICTATED THE LETTER AND HANDLED THE CASE. HE SAID HE HAD EIGHT OR NINE EMPLOYES IN THE PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE HE SET UP HERE AFTER QUITTING AS MR.TRUMAN'S SECRETARY IN MARCH, 1941.

MESSALL INSISTED HE NEVER TOLD ANYBODY HE HAD ANY SPECIAL INFLUENCE BECAUSE OF HIS ASSOCIATION WITH MR.TRUMAN. BUT HE SAID HE DID HAVE SOME PICTURES OF SENATORS AND OTHER NOTABLES AND MANY OF THEM ARE IN HIS OFFICE. AND LUBBEN HAD TESTIFIED:

"THAT MADE AN IMPRESSION ON ME, COMING FROM OUT OF TOWN, BECAUSE I KNEW HE DIDN'T GET THOSE PICTURES BY STAYING HOME AT NIGHT."

THROUGH A RONALD STONE WHO HAD BEEN HELPFUL TO HIM IN HIS BUSINESS, LUBBEN SAID, HE MET A LEWIS J. ROTH, AND THIS MEETING LED TO HIS SELLING PARTNERSHIPS TO LIVORSI AND GIGLIO. IT ALSO WAS ROTH, LUBBEN SAID, WHO TOLD HIM COSTELLO WAS THE "REAL BOSS" OF THE PARTNERS.

IN SOMETHING LIKE A WEEK AFTER THE PARTNERSHIP WAS FORMED, THE WITNESS SAID, HE BEGAN HUNTING A WAY OUT. WHEN HE FINALLY DID GET OUT SOME NINE MONTHS LATER, HE SAID, IT WAS AT A LOSS OF ALMOST ALL HE HAD IN THE CANDY COMPANY.

EVENTUALLY, HE SAID, HE BOUGHT A COMPANY WITH A SUBSTANTIAL SUGAR QUOTA.

"THEN I WAS FREE," HE SIGHED.

BUT THAT, HE SAID, WAS NOT UNTIL HE HAD PAID ROTH $7,500 ON TWO OCCASIONS TO STOP A GOVERNMENT ALCOHOL TAX UNIT MAN FROM BOTHERINV HIM.

DURING THE LAST FIVE MONTHS OF 1945, LUBBEN SAID, THE EATSUM COMPANY GOT AROUND $400,000 IN CASH FROM CORN SYRUP DEALINGS. HE SAID BUNDLES OF CASH WERE SENT OUT WEST TO BUY THE SYRUP ABOVE CEILING PRICES FOR RESALE TO REFINERS.

MICHAEL COHEN OF NEW YORK, WHO SAID HE NOW IS IN THE VENDING MACHINE BUSINESS, TESTIFIED HE WAS A FOOD BROKER AFTER THE WAR, KNEW BOTH GIGLIO AND ROTH, AND BOUGHT CORN SYRUP FROM EATSUM. HE SAID HE PAID THE CEILING PRICE OF SIX AND ONE-HALF CENTS A POUND AND AN EXTRA, ILLEGAL PRICE OF FIVE AND ONE-HALF CENTS A POUND, A TOTAL OF 12 CENTS.

THE WITNESS SAID ROTH CLAIMED TO HAVE INFLUENCE IN WASHINGTON TO OBTAIN SCARCE SUGAR QUOTAS AND TO FIX OPA CASES. COHEN SAID HE ONCE GAVE ROTH $10,000 TO USE AS A BRIBE TO SETTLE AN OPA COMPLAINT.

ON ANOTHER OCCASION, COHEN SAID, HE WENT TO ROTH'S OFFICE AND GAVE HIM $3,000 TO TURN OVER TO AN ALCOHOL TAX UNIT AGENT TO FIX A CASE. COHEN SAID THE AGENT WAS PRESENT AND THAT HE BELIEVED HIS LAST NAME WAS ANDERSON. HE SAID HE DID NOT ACTUALLY SEE THE MONEY PASSED.

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BEFORE THE COMMITTEE FINISHED THE HEARING TONIGHT, ROTH AND GIGLIO TOOK THE WITNESS CHAIR TO CONTRADICT SOME OF THE EARLIER TESTIMONY.

ROTH, WHO SAID HE WAS "A LITTLE NERVOUS" AND FREQUENTLY JUMPED TO HIS FEET TO TESTIFY, URGED THE COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE LUBBEN. HE ACCUSED LUBBEN OF A "SMEAR CAMPAIGN" AND OF PAINTING HIMSELF AS A NAIVE, INNOCENT MAN WHO WAS TAKEN IN BY "CUT-THROATS".

ROTH SAID THAT LUBBEN, BY HIS OWN STATEMENTS, HAD "BLACK MARKET INTERESTS" BOTH BEFORE AND AFTER HIS CONNECTION WITH GIGLIO AND LIVORSI.

RUDOLPH HALLEY, CHIEF COUNSEL FOR THE COMMITTEE, SAID HE GATHERED FROM THE TESTIMONY THAT ROTH WAS ACCUSED AS A "FIXER". HALLEY WANTED TO KNOW IF ROTH WOULD SAY WHETHER HE EVER RECEIVED ANY CASH PAYMENTS FROM COHEN OR LUBBEN.

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IN EACH CASE, ROTH ANSWERED "TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, I NEVER DID."

ROTH SAID HE NEVER HAD BEEN TO AN ALCOHOL TAX UNIT OFFICE AND WOULDN'T EVEN KNOW WHERE TO GO TO TRY TO FIX A CASE WITH IT.

IN ANSWER TO OTHER QUESTIONS, ROTH SAID HE HAD NEVER SEEN COSTELLO AND NEVER TOLD LUBBEN THAT COSTELLO WAS THE MAN BEHIND THE PARTNERS LUBBEN TOOK IN.

GIGLIO, IN HIS TESTIMONY, SAID THAT THE RUNNING OF EATSUM "WAS ENTIRELY IN THE HANDS OF ONE MAN--DAVID LUBBEN."

GIGLIO SAID IT WAS TRUE THAT A LOT OF CASH WAS BROUGHT INTO THE COMPANY BY WHAT HE CALLED LUBBEN'S CORN SYRUP DEALINGS.

SO FAR AS HE KNEW, HE SAID, IT WAS IN LUBBEN'S POSSESSION AND WHEN THE PARTNERSHIP WAS BROKEN UP THIS CASH AMOUNTED TO $140,000.

GIGLIO SAID HE GOT $70,000 OF THIS FROM LUBBEN, TESTIFYING THIS WAS HIS "FAIR SHARE". HE SAID HE GAVE HALF OF THIS $70,000 TO LIVORSI--ACCOUNTING FOR THE $35,000 WHICH LIVORSI HAD SAID EARLIER THAT HE RECEIVED.

PRIOR TO THEIR PARTNERSHIP WITH LUBBEN, GIGLIO AND LIVORSI HAD BECOME PARTNERS IN THE TAVERN FRUIT JUICE COMPANY, MAKERS OF JELLY.

GIGLIO TESTIFIED HE TOOK LIVORSI IN WITH HIM BECAUSE "HE HAS A LOVELY FAMILY AND IS A LOVELY FELLOW HIMSELF." HE ADDED HE THOUGHT LIVORSI, A LONG-TIME FRIEND, WAS ENTITLED TO A BREAK AFTER SERVING HIS JAIL TERM.

GIGLIO SAID HE THOUGHT THE MOST IMPORTANT REASON THAT LUBBEN "WANTED ME FOR A PARTNER" WAS THAT GIGLIO AGREED TO PERMIT EATSUM TO WHOLESALE JELLIES MADE BY TAVERN FRUIT JUICE.

AS A RESULT, HE SAID, EATSUM WAS ABLE TO SELL THE JELLIES AT A

15 PER CENT MARKUP TO BIG BAKERY COMPANIES. HE SAID THIS BUSINESS REPRESENTED A PROFIT TO EATSUM OF $200,000 TO $250,000.

GIGLIO DENIED THAT LUBBEN RECEIVED A "PITTANCE" WHEN THE EATSUM PARTNERSHIP WAS DISSOLVED.

HE SAID IF THE COMPANY HAD $200,000 IN THE BANK, AS LUBBEN TESTIFIED, "I'LL EAT THE BANK BOOK."

HE ALSO SAID THE PICTURE DRAWN BY LUBBEN FAILED TO ALLOW FOR THE ACCOUNT PAYABLE AND FOR AROUND $300,000 OWED A FACTOR.

WHAT'S MORE, HE SAID, THE PLANT AND EQUIPMENT WHICH LUBBEN GOT WERE ON THE BOOKS FOR ABOUT $150,000 AND PROBABLY WERE WORTH MORE.

GIGLIO TESTIFIED THAT IN THE SPRING OF 1946 HE HAD BOUGHT THE ESTATE OF THE LATE U.S.SENATOR WARREN BARBOUR OF NEW JERSEY FOR ABOUT $100,-000.

GIGLIO SAID HE AND HIS FAMILY LIVED THERE UNTIL HE SOLD THE ESTATE. HE TESTIFIED UNDER QUESTIONING THAT HE DID HAVE TWO ROULETTE WHEELS THERE FOR A TIME.

GIGLIO SAID HE NEVER HAD BEEN A GAMBLER BUT THAT HE HAD BOUGHT THE ROULETTE WHEELS BECAUSE HE HAD BEEN OFFERED A DEAL WHEREBY HE WAS TO GET A LICENSE TO RUN A GAMBLING CASINO IN PANAMA.

THE DEAL FELL THROUGH, HE SAID, AND THE ROULETTE WHEELS LAY ON HIS PROPERTY UNTIL THEY WERE "WARPED AND USELESS".

GIGLIO SAID HE IS GENERAL MANAGER OF THE HEPARIN CORPORATION OF NEW JERSEY, WHICH HE SAID MAKES A DRUG FOR HEART DISEASE.

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NIGHT LEAD PLUTONIUM THEFT

DENVER, AUG. 22--(AP)-A SLIGHT, SMILING YOUNG RESEARCH SCHIENTIST WAS JAILED TODAY ON CHARGES THAT HE ROBBED THE LOS ALAMOS ATOMIC PROJECT OF PLUTONIUM---A VITAL ATOM BOMB COMPONENT.

SANFORD LAWRENCE SIMONS, 28 AND A FATHER, WAS HELD IN DEFAULT OF $10,000 BOND TO AWAIT TRIAL UNDER THE ATOMIC ENERGY ACT---WITH CONVICTI CARRYING A MAXIMUM PENALTY OF FIVE YEARS' IMPRISONMENT AND A $10,000 FINE.

FBI AGENT RUSSELL KRAMER SAID THE STOLEN PLUTONIUM WAS RECOVERED INTACT FROM A HIDING PLACE UNDER SIMONS'S DENVER HOME. HE SAID IT WAS IN A SMALL GLASS VIAL BUT DECLINED TO DISCLOSE THE QUANTITY OR THE VALUE---ADDING HE HAD HEARD REPORTS OF ITS WORTH VARYING FROM $500 TO $200,000.

KRAMER SAID SIMONS HAD BEEN EMPLOYED AS A RESEARCH SCIENTIST AT THE UNIVERSITY OF DENVER SINCE SEPTEMBER OF 1948 AND, AS FAR AS AUTHORITIES KNOW NOW, HAS NO CONNECTION WITH ANY ORGANIZED ESPIONAGE OR WITH PERSONS PREVIOUSLY ARRESTED AS SPY SUSPECTS. NOR HAS SIMONS ANY KNOWN LINK WITH COMMUNIST OR SUBVERSIVE ORGANIZATIONS.

THE FBI AGENT SAID THE BESPECTACLED, PIPE-SMOKING SIMONS READILY ADMITTED TAKING THE HIGHLY FISSIONABLE PLUTONIUM BUT CLAIMED THAT HE HA IT ONLY AS A "SOUVENIR" OF LOS ALAMOS WHERE HE SERVED AS AN ENLISTED MAN IN THE ARMY FROM AUGUST, 1944, TO MARCH, 1946, AND AS A CIVILIAN SCIENTIST FROM MARCH, 1946, TO JULY, 1946, KRAMER SAID

SIMONS APPARENTLY MADE NO EFFORT TO DISPOSE OF THE PLUTONIUM DURING THE MORE THAN FOUR YEARS HE HAD IT.

SIMONS TALKED FREELY WITH NEWSMEN AND SEEMED LITTLE PERTURBED BY HIS PLIGHT. HE SAID HE HAD EXPECTED ARREST, COMMENTING "I HAD A BULL BY THE TAIL ALL THE TIME---AND I KNEW IT." HE ADDED THAT HE HAD HIDDEN THE PLUTONIUM UNDER HIS HOUSE BECAUSE IT IS RADIO ACTIVE AND HE HAD FEARED ONE OF HIS CHILDREN MIGHT COME IN CONTACT WITH IT.

THE YOUNG SCIENTIST WAS MARRIED THREE YEARS AGO TO A DENVER SCHOOL TEACHER AND THEY HAVE ONE CHILD, A TWO-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER. HE IS THE STEPFATHER OF TWO BOYS, ONE NINE AND ONE FOUR, HIS WIFE'S CHILDREN BY A FORMER MARRIAGE.

SIMONS WAS BORN IN NEW YORK CITY, WHERE HE ATTENDED SCHOOL. HE GRADUATED FROM HIGH SCHOOL IN ELMHURST, LONG ISLAND, N. Y., THEN IN 1944 EARNED A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM THE MISSOURI SCHOOL OF MINES AND METALURGY IN ROLLA, MO.

HE DID RESEARCH WORK AS A METALURGICAL ENGINEER WITH THE BATTELLE INSTITUTE, COLUMBUS, OHIO, AFTER HIS GRADUATION, AND FOLLOWING HIS RELEASE FROM THE LOS ALAMOS PROJECT IN NEW MEXICO HE WAS A CONSULTING ENGINEER IN DENVER BEFORE JOINING THE UNIVERSITY STAFF.

KRAMER SAID THAT SIMONS "HAS NEVER BEEN IN ANY TROUBLE AT ALL." IN RESPONSE TO A REMARK THAT "TAKING THE PLUTONIUM AS A SOUVENIR IS A PRETTY CORNY EXCUSE," KRAMER SAID, "HE'S A PRETTY CORNY GUY."

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PRECEDE WASHN (170)

DENVER,AUG.23-(AP)-A YOUNG RESEARCH SCIENTIST WAS ARRESTED HERE TODAY AND CHARGED WITH THE THEFT OF SOME PLUTONIUM--A VITAL ATOM BOMB COMPONENT--FROM THE LOS ALAMOS ATOMIC PROJECT IN NEW MEXICO.

SANFORD LAWRENCE SIMONS, 28-YEAR-OLD FATHER OF THREE CHILDREN, WAS ACCUSED OFFICIALLY OF VIOLATING THE ATOMIC ENERGY ACT AND WAS HELD IN DEFAULT OF $10,000 BOND AFTER ARRAIGNMENT TODAY.

RUSSELL P.KRAMER, AGENT IN CHARGE OF THE FBI OFFICE HERE, SAID THAT THE STOLEN PLUTONIUM--A HIGHLY FISSIONABLE AND VERY VALUABLE MATERIAL--WAS RECOVERED A FEW DAYS AGO FROM A HIDING PLACE UNDER SIMONS'S HOUSE. IT WAS IN A SMALL GLASS VIAL.

KRAMER SAID SIMONS ADMITTED THE THEFT.

AT THE TIMEHOKHIS ARREST, SIMONS WAS EMPLOYED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF DENVER, DOING RESEARCH WORK AT AN ARMY ROCKET PROJECT.

KRAMER SAID HE DID NOT KNOW EXACTLY WHEN THE PLUTONIUM WAS STOLEN BUT SAID SIMONS WAS AT LOS ALAMOS AS AN ENLISTED MAN IN THE ARMY FROM AUGUST, 1944, TO MARCH OF 1946 AND FROM MARCH OF 1946 TO JULY OF 1946 WAS EMPLOYED AS A CIVILIAN SCIENTIST AT THE A-BOMB ESTABLISHMENT.

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BULLETIN

WASHINGTON, AUG.22-(AP)-THE FBI TODAY ANNOUNCED THE ARREST OF A ROCKET PROJECT EXPERT AT DENVER, COLO., ON CHARGES OF VIOLATING THE ATOMIC ENERGY ACT.

FBI DIRECTOR J. EDGAR HOOVER SAID THE MAN IS SANFORD LAWRENCE SIMONS, 28, EMPLOYED AT DENVER UNIVERSITY AND NOW ASSIGNED TO AN ARMY ROCKET PROJECT IN THAT AREA.

FORMERLY CONNECTED WITH THE LOS ALAMOS, N.MEX., ATOM-BOMB PROJECT, SIMONS WAS ACCUSED OF HAVING TAKEN "AN EXTREMELY VALUABLE PIECE OF PLUTONIUM" AWAY FROM THE PROJECT.

HOOVER SAID THE PLUTONIUM, A HIGHLY FISSIONABLE MATERIAL, HAD BEEN RECOVERED BY FBI AGENTS AT SIMONS' HOME WHERE IT WAS FOUND IN A GLASS VIAL BURIED UNDER HIS HOUSE.

SIMONS WAS ONCE STATIONED AT LOS ALAMOS WHILE HE WAS IN THE ARMY, FROM AUGUST, 1944, TO MARCH, 1946. FOLLOWING HIS DISCHARGE FROM THE ARMY, HE WAS EMPLOYED AS A CIVILIAN BY CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY IN THE METAL PRODUCTION DIVISION AT LOS ALAMOS BETWEEN MARCH AND JULY, 1946.

HOOVER QUOTED SIMONS AS SAYING, AFTER THE PLUTONIUM WAS RECOVERED, THAT HE SIMPLY WANTED IT "AS A SOUVENIR."

THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID ARRANGEMENTS HAD BEEN MADE FOR A PROMPT ARRAIGNMENT OF SIMONS BEFORE A U.S. COMMISSIONER IN DENVER ON THE CHARGE OF ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF FISSIONABLE MATERIAL IN VIOLATION OF THE 1946 ATOMIC ENERGY ACT.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID SIMONS WAS BORN APRIL 10, 1922, IN NEW YORK CITY, ATTENDED NEWTOWN HIGH SCHOOL AT ELMHURST, LONG ISLAND, AND LATER RECEIVED HIS BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE AT MISSOURI SCHOOL OF MINES, ROLLA, MO.

THE BUREAU SAID THAT SIMONS, MARRIED AND THE FATHER OF THREE SMALL CHILDREN, LIVES AT 221 EAST MAPLE STREET, DENVER.

THE FBI SAID THERE IS NOTHING IN THE SIMONS CASE TO INDICATE ANY CONNECTION WITH THE MORE THAN HALF-DOZEN OTHER AMERICANS RECENTLY ARRESTED ON ESPIONAGE CHARGES. THEY WERE ACCUSED OF WORKING WITH KL FUCHS, THE NOW IMPRISONED BRITISH SCIENTIST, TO PASS U.S. ATOMIC SECRETS ON TO RUSSIAN AGENTS.

THE CHARGE OF ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF PLUTONIUM AGAINST SIMONS CARRIES A MAXIMUM PENALTY OF FIVE YEARS IN PRISON AND $10,000 FINE.

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(400) SUBVERSIVES
BY OLIVER W.DEWOLF

WASHINGTON,AUG.22-(AP)-KEY ADMINISTRATION LAWMAKERS CONCEDED TODAY THAT THE SENATE IS LIKELY TO PASS A MORE STRINGENT SET OF CURBS ON HOME FRONT COMMUNISTS THAN PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS ASKED FOR.

DEBATE PROBABLY WILL BEGIN EARLY NEXT WEEK.

THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE MEANWHILE LAUNCHED A DRIVE TO BRING UP FOR DEBATE THIS WEEK A BILL IMPOSING RIGID CURBS ON COMMUNISTS AND SUBVERSIVES. IT NEEDS CLEARANCE BY THE RULES COMMITTEE.

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IT, TOO, WOULD GO A LOT FURTHER THAN THE RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY MR.TRUMAN IN A SPECIAL MESSAGE TO CONGRESS LAST AUGUST 8.

MR.TRUMAN ASKED FOR (A) REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN-TRAINED ESPIONAGE AGENTS AND SABOTEURS; (B) BROADER AUTHORITY TO PROTECT MILITARY BASES AND DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS AND (C) CLOSER SUPERVISION OF ALIENS.

SENATE LIEUTENANTS ORIGINALLY HAD PLANNED TO CALL UP A RELATIVELY MINOR HOUSE-APPROVED INTERNAL SECURITY BILL AND THEN MOVE TO REPLACE WITH A BILL CARRYING OUT MR.TRUMAN'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

BUT A SENATE DEMOCRATIC CONFERENCE YESTERDAY DECIDED INSTEAD TO CALL UP THE MUCH BROADER OMNIBUS INTERNAL SECURITY MEASURE SPONSORED BY CHAIRMAN MCCARRAN (D-NEV) OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

AS A SEQUEL TO THIS ACTION, SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD) AND FERGUSON (R-MICH) ABANDONED THEIR PLAN TO TACK THEIR COMMUNIST REGISTRATION BILL ONTO THE BILL GIVING MR.TRUMAN POWER TO IMPOSE ECONOMIC CONTROLS.

MUNDT TOLD REPORTERS THE MCCARRAN BILL WILL INCORPORATE THE MUNDT-FERGUSON BILL AS IT NOW IS WRITTEN.

IN ADDITION TO REQUIRING THE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNIST-FRONT ORGANIZATIONS, IT WOULD OUTLAW CONSPIRACIES TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT BY FORCE AND BAR COMMUNISTS FROM GETTING PASSPORTS AND GOVERNMENT JOBS.

MCCARRAN'S "ONE-PACKAGE" BILL ALSO WOULD TIGHTEN THE ESPIONAGE LAW AND EXTEND THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS ON ESPIONAGE ACT VIOLATIONS FROM THREE TO 10 YEARS; AND BROADEN THE DEPORTATION POWERS OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND GIVE HIM AUTHORITY TO JAIL DEPORTABLE ALIENS FOR SIX MONTHS.

SENATOR MAGNUSON (D-WASH), WHO WITH SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS OF ILLINOIS AND OTHERS IS SPONSORING THE ADMINISTRATION BILL, TOLD A REPORTER THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT IS NOW WORKING OVER THE BILL TO MAKE IT MORE DRASTIC. THE IDEA IS TO TRY TO SUBSTITUTE IT FOR MCCARRAN'S BILL.

SEVERAL KEY SENATORS WHO DID NOT WANT TO BE NAMED AGREED THAT THE ADMINISTRATION BILL HAS LITTLE OR NO CHANCE OF CROWDING OUT THE MCCARRAN MEASURE. THERE WERE SOME WHO DOUBTED IF IT WOULD EVEN BE OFFERED.

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(250) WASHINGTON, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY THAT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S LIST OF "SUBVERSIVE" ORGANIZATIONS IS BEING CONSIDERED--AMONG MANY OTHER FACTORS--AS A GUIDE TO PREVENT THE ENTRY OF DISLOYAL PERSONS INTO THE ARMED SERVICES.

A SPOKESMAN MADE THIS REPLY TO AN INQUIRY WHETHER THE ARMY IS USING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S LIST IN SCREENING DRAFTED MEN FOR LOYALTY.

THE LIST OF "SUBVERSIVE" ORGANIZATIONS WAS ISSUED IN SEPTEMBER, 1949, TO THE LOYALTY BOARD OF THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION. IT HAS BEEN AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME AND NOW CONTAINS THE NAMES OF ABOUT 125 ORGANIZATIONS WHICH THE ATTORNEY GENERAL CONSIDERS SUBVERSIVE.

A DEFENSIVE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN DECLINED TO GIVE ANY FURTHER INFORMATION BEYOND REPEATING A PREVIOUS DEPARTMENT STATEMENT, WHICH SAID:

"A COORDINATED PROGRAM HAS BEEN IN EFFECT FOR SOME TIME TO PREVENT THE INFILTRATION OF DISLOYAL PERSONS INTO THE ARMED SERVICES. ESTABLISHED BY THE PERSONNEL POLICY BOARD OF THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, IT PROVIDES FOR THE EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AGENCIES CONCERNING THE POSSIBLE DISLOYALTY OF ANY MEMBER OF THE MILITARY SERVICE. THERE IS NO BAN ON THE INDUCTION OF SUCH PERSONS, SINCE IT WOULD PROVIDE A LOOPHOLE FOR PERSONS SEEKING TO ESCAPE MILITARY SERVICE. THIS MAKES THE PROBLEM OF DETECTION AND DISPOSITION A MATTER FOR THE RESPECTIVE MILITARY SERVICES."

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(300) (KX-REDDING, CALIF. ASKED)
BY HARRISON HUMPHRIES
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

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WASHINGTON, AUG.22-(AP)-REP.ENGLE (D-CALIF) TODAY ACCUSED THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY OF SEEKING REACTIVATION OF WARTIME MAGNESIUM PLANTS TO PREVENT COMPETITION AFTER THE KOREAN EMERGENCY.

ENGLE MADE PUBLIC A LETTER TO CHAIRMAN HUBERT E.HOWARD OF THE WAR MUNITIONS BOARD PROTESTING THE MOVE.

HE SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THAT THE DOW CHEMICAL MEMBER OF AN INDUSTRY ADVISORY COMMITTEE INFLUENCED A COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION FRIDAY THAT "HIGH PRODUCTION COST WORLD WAR II MAGNESIUM PLANTS BE REACTIVATED."

ENGLE IS SEEKING TO HAVE SHASTA DAM POWER, IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA, RELEASED TO SUPPLY A PROPOSED NEW ALUMINUM OR MAGNESIUM PLANT NEAR REDDING, CALIF.

"A MAGNESIUM DEVELOPMENT BUILT AROUND SHASTA DAM POWER CAN PROVIDE THE MAGNESIUM NECESSARY IN THE PRESENT EMERGENCY CHEAPER AND FASTER THAN REACTIVATING THE HIGH COST, WAR PLANTS AND IN ADDITION WILL PROVIDE PERMANENT PEACETIME PRODUCTION CAPACITY WHICH WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THE NATION," ENGLE WROTE.

"DOW CHEMICAL IS THE ONLY COMPANY NOW OPERATING A MAGNESIUM PLANT.

"IT IS EASY TO SEE WHY DOW CHEMICAL WANTS THE HIGH COST WORLD WAR II MAGNESIUM PLANTS REACTIVATED. IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO PAY PREMIUM PRICES FOR THE PRODUCTION OF THESE PLANTS AS WELL AS THE COST OF REACTIVATION--AND WILL STILL LEAVE THE INDUSTRY WITH ONLY ONE PRODUCER WHEN THE WAR OR EMERGENCY PERIOD IS OVER.

"IN SHORT, DOW CHEMICAL WILL STILL HOLD A MONOPOLY POSITION IN MAGNESIUM PRODUCTION BECAUSE AS SOON AS THE EMERGENCY IS OVER, THE GOVERNMENT WILL CLOSE DOWN THE REACTIVATED WAR BABIES."

ENGLE SUGGESTED THAT THE MUNITIONS BOARD "LOOK WITH SUSPICION UPON A RECOMMENDATION WHICH IS LARGELY THE WORK OF ONE COMPANY WHICH HAS AN ECONOMIC INTEREST IN PREVENTING DEVELOPMENT OF PEACE TIME COMPETITION."

A MUNITIONS BOARD SPOKESMAN SAID THAT THE BOARD IS UNDER NO OB-

LIGATION TO ACCEPT RECOMMENDATIONS OF ITS INDUSTRY ADVISORY COMMITTEES.

ASKED SPECIFICALLY ABOUT THE PROPOSED NEW ALUMINUM OR MAGNESIUM PLANT NEAR SHASTA DAM, THE SPOKESMAN SAID: "WE DON'T HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH THAT."

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(110) RUSSIA-LEND LEASE

WASHINGTON,AUG.22-(AP)-REP.NORBLAD (R-ORE) SAID TODAY AMERICAN LEND-LEASE SHIPMENTS TO RUSSIA AFTER THE END OF WORLD WAR II "MATERIALLY HELPED TO BUILD UP THE STRENGTH OF OUR GREATEST POTENTIAL ENEMY."

HE CALLED THE POSTWAR AID "A VERY SHORTSIGHTED POLICY OF OUR GOVERNMENT."

NORBLAD SAID IN A STATEMENT THE UNITED STATES SENT RUSSIA MORE THAN $279,000,000 WORTH OF TANKS, GUNS, SHIPS, AGRICULTURAL, INDUSTRIAL AND OTHER COMMODITIES BETWEEN SEPTEMBER 1945 AND JUNE 1949.

"RATHER THAN CUTTING OFF SUPPLIES UNDER LEND LEASE AT THE END OF THE WAR," NORBLAD SAID, "WE CONTINUED TO BUILD AND SUPPLY THE RUSSIANS WITH LARGE QUANTITIES OF MATERIAL WHICH HAS GREATLY STRENGTHENED THEIR MILITARY AND NAVAL POSITION.

"IT IS INTERESTING TO SPECULATE ON JUST HOW MUCH OF THIS MATERIAL MAY BE IN ACTIVE USE AGAINST OUR MEN IN THE KOREAN BATTLES."

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BY J.FRANK TRAGLE
AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE

WASHINGTON,AUG 22-(AP)-GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR HAS CABLED CONGRATULATIONS TO REP.WALTER (D-PA) FOR HIS EFFORTS IN BEHALF OF A BILL TO MAKE IT POSSIBLE FOR ASIATICS RESIDING IN THIS COUNTRY TO BECOME CITIZENS.

THE CABLE, WHICH WALTER MADE AVAILABLE TO A REPORTER TODAY, READ AS FOLLOWS:

"CONGRATULATIONS. A GREAT TRIBUTE TO YOUR WISDOM AND PERSEVERANCE."

IT WAS SIGNED, "MACARTHUR, COMMANDER IN CHIEF FAR EAST COMMAND, TOKYO, JAPAN."

THE BILL, INTRODUCED BY WALTER MAY 9, 1949, HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE HOUSE AND SENATE.

THE HOUSE AND THE SENATE ALSO BOTH APPROVED A COMPROMISE OF THE DIFFERENT VERSIONS THEY ORIGINALLY PASSED BUT SENATOR LUCAS (D-ILL) LODGED A MOTION FOR THE SENATE TO RECONSIDER ITS ACTION AND THIS IS STILL PENDING.

UNTIL THIS MOTION IS DISPOSED OF, THE COMPROMISE CANNOT BE SENT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR HIS CONSIDERATION.

WALTER SAID IN AN INTERVIEW THAT THE BILL WOULD PUT A HALT TO ONE PHASE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE BEING DISTRIBUTED IN THE FAR EAST. FOR THAT REASON, HE SAID, GENERAL MACARTHUR HAS BEEN INTERESTED IN THE MEASURE SINCE ITS INTRODUCTION.

THE COMMUNISTS, SAID WALTER, ARE MAKING MUCH OF THE FACT THAT THE UNITED STATES DENIES CITIZENSHIP TO THE PARENTS OF JAPANESE-AMERICANS WHO FOUGHT WITH UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE LAST WAR.

HIS BILL WOULD NOT CHANGE THE LAW CONCERNING THE IMMIGRATION INTO THIS COUNTRY OF ASIATICS AND OTHER NON-WHITE RACES. BUT IT WOULD PERMIT ASIATICS WHO ARE LEGALLY RESIDING IN THIS COUNTRY TO BECOME CITIZENS.

A REPORT ON THE BILL ESTIMATED THAT THE MEASURE WOULD AFFECT 47,305 JAPANESE RESIDING IN THE UNITED STATES AND 37,353 IN HAWAII; 749 KOREANS IN THE UNITED STATES AND 2,390 IN HAWAII, AND 104 OTHER ASIATICS IN THE UNITED STATES AND 41 IN HAWAII--A TOTAL OF 87,942.

THE BILL CONTAINS WHAT ITS SPONSORS DESCRIBED AS SAFEGUARDS CALCULATED TO PREVENT SUBVERSIVES AND OTHER UNDESIRABLES FROM BECOMING CITIZENS.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 22-(AP)-THE WORLD BANK TODAY MADE A LOAN OF $100,000,000 TO AUSTRALIA.

THE LOAN, THE FIRST MADE BY THE BANK TO AUSTRALIA AND THE FIRST TO ANY SOUTHWEST PACIFIC COUNTRY, WILL BE USED FOR DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS, BOTH PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENTAL, IN THE NEXT TWO YEARS.

EUGENE R.BLACK, PRESIDENT OF THE BANK, ANNOUNCED ALSO THAT THE BANK HAS INDICATED TO THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT THAT IT IS WILLING, PRINCIPLE, TO MAKE FURTHER LOANS DURING THE NEXT FIVE YEARS.

THE LARGEST LOAN THE BANK HAS YET MADE WAS $250,000,000 TO FRANCE, AND THE SECOND LARGEST $195,000,000 TO HOLLAND.

THE AUSTRALIAN LOAN IS FOR 25 YEARS. THE INTEREST IS THREE AND ONE FOURTH PER CENT PLUS A COMMISSION AT THE RATE OF ONE PER CENT A YEAR WHICH IS PUT INTO A SPECIAL RESERVE FUND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BANK'S ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT. AUSTRALIA WILL BEGIN MAKING PAYMENTS ON SEPT. 1, 1955.

THE BANK WILL SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO AUSTRALIA THIS FALL TO STUDY AUSTRALIA'S FIVE YEAR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM AND DETERMINE THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE BANK CAN TAKE PART WITH FURTHER LOANS. THE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS INCLUDE AGRICULTURAL PROJECTS, PUBLIC UTILITIES, RAILROADS, MINING IRON AND STEEL, AND OTHER MANUFACTURING.

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THE BANK SAID AUSTRALIA IS BEGINNING A PERIOD OF "RAPID ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT." IMMIGRATION HAS RISEN TO 200,000 A YEAR AND IT IS A DELIBERATE AIM OF AUSTRALIAN POLICY, THE BANK SAID, TO PROMOTE A RATE OF IMMIGRATION AT LEAST AS HIGH AS THIS FOR THE NEXT 10 YEARS. THIS GIVES RISE TO LARGE INVESTMENT REQUIREMENTS FOR NEW PRODUCTION, HOUSING AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

THE BANK SAID THAT AUSTRALIA HAS BORROWED MAINLY IN LONDON IN THE PAST, BUT ALSO IN NEW YORK, AND "HAS AT ALL TIMES HONORED HER FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS ABROAD."

THE LOAN AGREEMENT WAS SIGNED TODAY. NEGOTIATIONS STARTED AUG.2. BLACK SAID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT THIS WAS THE QUICKETS LOAN THE BANK HAS EVER MADE.

REPLYING TO QUESTIONS HE SAID THE STRATEGIC MILITARY POSITION OF AUSTRALIA HAD NO BEARING ON THIS LOAN WHICH IS FOR PURELY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND NOT FOR MILITARY PURPOSES.

BLACK SAID THE PRIVATE MARKET HAD DECLINED TO MAKE SUCH A LOAN TO AUSTRALIA. HE SAID HE COULD NOT GIVE THE REASON FOR THE ACTION.

THE AUSTRALIAN LOAN IS UNSECURED, MADE ONLY ON "FULL FAITH AND CREDIT" OF AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT, A WORLD BANK SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE BANK CAN MAKE SECURED LOANS, AND SOMETIMES DOES, BUT NOT USUALLY WHEN THE LOAN IS TO A GOVERNMENT.

THE BANK, KNOWN FORMALLY AS THE INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT, IS A SPECIALIZED AGENCY OF THE UNITED NATIONS BUT OPERATES COMPLETELY INDEPENDENT OF U.N. CONTROL. IT HAS 48 MEMBER COUNTRIES.

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THE U.S. SUBSCRIPTION IS $635,000,000 (M), ALREADY PAID IN. THE U.S. HAS PUT UP ANOTHER $2,540,000,000 (B) AS A RESERVE FUND, CALLABLE ONLY IF BANK CAN'T MEET OBLIGATIONS. SO FAR, THE BANK HAS NOT HAD TO CALL ON SUCH RESERVES.

THE OTHER COUNTRIES HAVE PAID IN A TOTAL OF $1,025,000,000 (B).

THE BANK'S TOTAL CAPITAL, PAID AND UNPAID, IS $8,323,000,000 (B), A SPOKESMAN SAID, THE SHARES RANGING FROM PANAMA'S $200,000 TO $1,300,000,000 (B) FOR BRITAIN. EACH HAS PAID IN 20 PER CENT.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 PM EST TODAY TUESDAY AUGUST 22)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.22-(AP)-THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK TODAY ANNOUNCED A $1,800,000(M) CREDIT TO CHILE TO AID IN BUILDING A 300-MILE STRIP OF THE PAN AMERICAN HIGHWAY.

THE MONEY WILL GO TO CORPORACION DE FOMENTO DE LA PRODUCCION, AN AGENCY OF TE GOVERNMENT, TO BUY AND SHIP TO CHILE U.S.ROAD-BUILDING MACHINERY,EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES AND PARTS.

THE EQUIPMENT WILL BE USED INITIALLY IN THE RELOCATION AND CONSTRUCTIN OF THE PAN AMERICAN HIGHWAY FROM SANTIAGO NORTH TO LA SERENA IN THE PROVINCE OF COQUIMBA, AN IMPORTANT FARMING AND MINING AREA. LATER IT WILL BE USED ON OTHER ROADS AND PROJECTS.

THE GOVERNMENT HAS GUARANTEED THE NOTES, WHICH WILL BEAR INTEREST OF 3 1/2 PER CENT PER ANNUM. THE PRINCIPAL WILL BE REPAYABLE IN 12 SEMI-ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING JANUARY 31,1952.

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(260) WASHINGTON,AUG.22-(AP)-THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) SAID TODAY THAT WESTERN EUROPE'S TRADE WITH RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES IS A TWO-WAY STREET WHICH IS HELPING STRENGTHEN THE WEST AGAINST POSSIBLE COMMUNIST ATTACK.

SENATOR LODGE (R-MASS) WROTE THE ECA EARLIER IN THE MONTH THAT THERE OUGHT TO BE "NO REPETITION OF THE EVENTS WHICH OCCURRED PRIOR TO WORLD WAR II WHEN WE SENT LARGE QUANTITIES OF SCRAP IRON TO JAPAN WHICH SUBSEQUENTLY WERE THROWN BACK AT US IN THE FORM OF SHELLS AND BULLETS."

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REPLYING, WILLIAM FOSTER, ACTING ECA ADMINISTRATOR, SAID THERE IS A BIG DIFFERENCE, IN THAT WESTERN EUROPE IS GETTING MILITARY MATERIALS BACK FROM RUSSIA WHEREAS THE UNITED STATES WAS GETTING NOTHING BACK FROM JAPAN.

"IN THE CASE OF EAST-WEST TRADE," HE WROTE LODGE," CHROME, MANGANESE, COAL, TIMBER, FOOD AND FUEL ARE ESSENTIALS WHICH HELP TO STRENGTHEN THE ECONOMY OF THE WEST, WHICH IS THE FOUNDATION UPON WHICH MILITARY SECURITY IS BEING BUILT."

FOSTER SAID THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS SHIPPED SOME MACHINERY, VEHICLES AND CHEMICALS, BUT EXPLAINED ALL THESE SHIPMENTS WERE SCREENED FIRST BY THE COMMERCE, STATE, DEFENSE, AGRICULTURE AND INTERIOR DEPARTMENTS, THE ECA, NATIONAL SECURITIES RESOURCES BOARD, ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION AND CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY.

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THROUGH ECA DISCUSSIONS, COUNTRIES WHICH GET AMERICAN ECONOMIC AID EITHER EMBARGO OR STRICTLY CONTROL SHIPMENT OF STRATEGIC MILITARY ITEMS TO IRON CURTAIN COUNTRIES, FOSTER SAID.

"WE MUST JUDGE EAST-WEST TRADE IN TERMS OF WHAT BEST SECURES A NET ADVANTAGE FOR WESTERN EUROPE IN THE LIGHT OF ITS ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL WELFARE, WHICH UNDERLIES ITS ABILITY TO PLAY ITS PART IN DEFENDING MUTUAL SECURITY INTERESTS," FOSTER SAID.

FOSTER SAID THAT A SHIPMENT OF 60 LOCOMOTIVES BY ITALY WILL BRING IN RETURN RUSSIAN SHIPMENTS WHICH WILL INCLUDE 200,000 TONS OF IRON ORE, 100,000 TONS OF PIG IRON, 100,000 TONS OF PETROLEUM, 300,000 TONS OF HIGH GRADE WHEAT, 75,000 TONS OF STEEL INGOTS AND OTHER MATERIALS.

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STEEL

WASHINGTON, AUG.22-(AP)-DEFENSE OFFICIALS TOLD CONGRESS TODAY THAT THERE HAS BEEN "A LOT OF MISINTERPRETATION" ABOUT THE IMPACT OF THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM ON THE NATION'S METAL PRODUCTION.

DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON AND OTHER MILITARY OFFICIALS GAVE TONNAGE FIGURES FOR VARIOUS MATERIALS TO BE USED IN THE EXPANDED MILITARY PROGRAM PROPOSED UNDER PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S $10,500,000,000(B) SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET REQUEST.

TESTIMONY OF THE HEARINGS LAST MONTH WAS MADE PUBLIC TODAY.

JOHNSON PRESENTED FIGURES FROM THE MUNITIONS BOARD WHICH HE SAID INDICATED THE AMOUNT OF STEEL INVOLVED IN THE NEW AND ORIGINAL MILITARY PROGRAM WOULD BE ABOUT 4,000,000 TONS OR ABOUT FOUR PER CENT OF THE STEEL OUTPUT.

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HE POINTED OUT THAT THIS TIME, UNLIKE THE WORLD WAR II PROGRAM, THERE IS NO BIG SHIP BUILDING PROJECT.

THE AMOUNT OF COPPER FOR THE WHOLE 1951 FISCAL YEAR PROGRAM, HE SAID, IS ABOUT 175,000 TONS, OR SEVEN PER CENT OF PRODUCTION.

ALUMINUM REQUIREMENTS WILL BE ABOUT 100,000 TONS, HE ADDED, OR 14 PER CENT OF CURRENT OUTPUT.

REP.SHEPPARD (D-CALIF) ASKED IF THE MILITARY WASN'T "SOMEWHAT OPTIMISTIC" ABOUT GETTING STEEL WHEN THE DOMESTIC ECONOMY WAS USING THE FULL OUTPUT OF THE NATION'S STEEL MILLES. HE ASKED HOW IT COULD BE DONE "WITH AN UNREGULATED STEEL INDUSTRY OR WITHOUT PRIORITY PROCEDURE."

MAJ.GEN.W.O.REEDER, ARMY DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR SUPPLIES AND

PROCUREMENT, REPLIED:

"WE HAVE TAKEN ALL THE STEPS WHICH THE ARMY CAN. WE HAVE ASKED THE MUNITIONS BOARD TO ASK FOR VOLUNTARY STEEL ALLOCATIONS, OR ALLOCATIONS UNDER MANDATORY ORDER AND PRIORITY, AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO EFFECT WAR PRODUCTION."

THE ARMY MEN TOLD THE SUBCOMMITTEE THAT TANKS AND AMMUNITION REQUIRED THE GREATEST AMOUNT OF STEEL.

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(100) ARMS
WASHINGTON,AUG.22-(AP)-A TOP OFFICIAL SAYS NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY NATIONS WILL GET NO AMERICAN ARMS AND MUNITIONS UNLESS THEY HAVE THE ORGANIZED MANPOWER TO USE IT.

MAJ.GEN.LYMAN L.LEMNITZER, DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF MUTUAL ASSISTANCE, MADE THAT CLEAR TO THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE DURING RECENT SECRET HEARINGS ON REQUESTS FOR MORE FOREIGN MILITARY AID FUNDS. THE COMMITTEE MADE PUBLIC HIS TESTIMONY TODAY.

LEMNITZER EMPHASIZED THAT EQUIPMENT OBTAINED WITH AMERICAN MONEY WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO FOREIGN NATIONS ONLY "TO THE EXTENT THAT FORCES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE WHICH CAN EFFECTIVELY UTILIZE THE EQUIPMENT."

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B28WX (Q)
(SAN FRANCISCO AXD)
(330) WASHINGTON, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE MARITIME ADMINISTRATION SAID TODAY IT HAS BEEN ASKED BY THE NAVY TO ACQUIRE THE LINERS MONTEREY AND MARIPOSA NOW LAID UP AT SAN FRANCISCO, FOR OUTFITTING AS TROOP SHIPS.

BUT A MARITIME ADMINISTRATION SPOKESMAN SAID THE AGENCY DOES NOT HAVE THE NECESSARY AUTHORITY FROM CONGRESS TO TAKE OVEG THE VESSELS, NOR THE FUNDS TO OUTFIT THEM.

A BILL NOW BEFORE THE HOUSE MERCHANT MARINE COMMITTEE WOULD GIVE GENERAL AUTHORITY TO THE MARITIME ADMINISTRATION TO TAKE OVER SHIPS. A SPOKESMAN FOR THAT COMMITTEE SAID NO HEARINGS HAVE YET BEEN SCHEDULED ON THE BILL.

THE TWO VESSELS, OWNED BY THE OCEANIC STEAMSHIP CO., A SUBSIDIARY OF THE MATSON LINES, WERE OPERATED BY OCEANIC BEFORE THE WAR.

IN WARTIME THEY WERE REQUISITIONED BY THE WAR SHIPPING ADMINISTRATION AND USED AS TROOP SHIPS. THEY WERE RETURNED TO THE COMPANY IN 1946. INSTEAD OF PUTTING THEM BACK IN THEIR PRIOR CONDITION, THE GOVERNMENT MADE A CASH SETTLEMENT UNDER WHICH THE COMPANY WOULD RESTORE THE SHIPS FOR COMMERCIAL USE.

THE MARITIME ADMINISTRATION SPOKESMAN TOLD A REPORTER THAT BECAUSE OF RAPIDLY RISING COSTS, AND NEW HIGH STANDARDS FOR PASSENGER STEAMERS, THE COMPANY FOUND IT IMPOSSIBLE TO COMPLETE THE JOB WITH THE MONEY IT GOT. SO THE SHIPS HAVE BEEN IDLE SINCE THE WAR.

VARIOUS PROPOSALS HAVE BEEN MADE AND AN AGREEMENT FINALLY REACHED--BEFORE THE KOREAN FIGHTING BEGAN--UNDER WHICH THE GOVERNMENT WOULD ACQUIRE ONE OF THE SHIPS AND THE COMPANY WOULD PUT THE OTHER ONE IN SHAPE FOR COMMERCIAL USE. BUT THAT AGREEMENT WOULD REQUIRE LEGISLATION IN CONGRESS. A BILL WAS INTRODUCED TO MAKE THIS AGREEMENT EFFECTIVE. THIS IS THE MEASURE NOW PENDING. BOTH THE MARITIME ADMINISTRATION AND THE COMMITTEE SPOKESMAN SAID THE BILL, HOWEVER, WOULD NOT APPLY MERELY TO THOSE SHIPS BUT WOULD GIVE GENERAL AUTHORITY TO ACQUIRE VESSELS. IF IT PASSES, THE MARITIME ADMINISTRATION WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE OVER ONE OR BOTH OF THE TWO SHIPS.

THE MARITIME ADMINISTRATION SAID THAT EVEN WITH THIS AUTHORITY, AN APPROPRIATION FROM CONGRESS WOULD BE NEEDED BEFORE THEY COULD BE OUTFITTED AGAIN AS TROOP SHIPS.

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B133CX (Q)
(300)
CHICAGO, AUG. 22-(AP)-GOV. JAMES H. DUFF OF PENNSYLVANIA SAID TODAY THAT FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HISTORY, AMERICA IS THREATENED ON TWO FRONTS—BOTH WITHIN AND WITHOUT.

THE GOVERNOR ADDRESSSED THE 62ND ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE LOYAL ORDER OF THE MOOSE. SOME 10,000 MEMBERS ARE ATTENDING THE FIVE-DAY SESSION.

GOV. DUFF TOLD THE DELEGATES "WE ARE IN A CONDITION WHERE WE HAVE ALLOWED OUR COMMITMENTS AS A NATION TO OVERRUN OUR ABILITY TO PERFORM BECAUSE WE HAVE NOT KEPT OUR MIGHT UP TO OUR PROMISES."

HE SAID STALIN HAS GIVEN US AMPLE WARNING IN HIS BOOK, "REFLECTIONS ON LENINISM," IN WHICH HE HAS WRITTEN THAT THE SOVIET UNION AND DEMOCRACY CANNOT EXIST SIDE BY SIDE.

"STALIN DESCRIBED THE METHODS OF DESTRUCTION," THE GOVERNOR SAID. "BY INFILITRATION AND SABOTAGE AND THE FIFTH COLUMN, HE WOULD BREAK DOWN DEMOCRACIES FROM THE INSIDE, AND HE WOULD GO AFTER THEM FROM THE OUTSIDE BY FORCE AND VIOLENCE."

GOV. DUFF SAID HITLER GAVE SIMILAR WARNINGS IN "MEIN KAMPF" AND NOBODY BELIEVED HIM. HE ADDED:

"WE'D BETTER START TAKING WHAT STALIN SAID HE'D DO TO US AT FACE VALUE.

"THERE IS AN ORGANIZED UNDERGROUND GOING ON IN THE UNITED STATES NOW WITH THE PURPOSE OF COMMITTING SABOTAGE. IT WOULD COMMIT THE GREATEST SABOTAGE WHEN THERE IS PANIC AND FEAR IN THE UNITED STATES AS A RESULT OF AN OUTSIDE ATTACK.

"PEOPLE IN THE UNITED STATES WHO HAVE BEEN GIVING INFORMATION TO RUSSIA SHOULD BE TREATED LIKE ANY OTHER TRAITORS AND IF CONVICTED OUGHT TO BE EXECUTED."

HE ADDED: "THE OVERALL WORLD WITUATION MEANS IT'S A CASE OF THE SOVIET UNION SURVIVING OR THE UNITED STATES. I'M IN FAVOR OF DOING ANYTHING TO MAKE OUR SURVIVAL EFFECTIVE."

THE GOVERNOR IS A REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR U.S. SENATOR. HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE FOLLOWING HIS SPEECH THAT HIS STEEL-PRODUCING STATE IS ACTING ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT "IF ANY PLACE IS HIT BY AN ATOM, WE'LL BE IT." HE SAID A STATE GUARD, MADE UP OF 10,000 WORLD WAR II VETERANS, IS BEING ORGANIZED TO REPLACE NATIONAL GUARDSMEN CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY. THE STATE ALSO HAS SET UP CIVIL DEFENSE UNITS IN ALL OF ITS 67 COUNTRIES, AND A DRIVE BACKED BY INDUSTRY AND LABOR, IS UNDERWAY TO RID INDUSTRY OF DEFINITELY KNOWN COMMUNISTS.

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A65CO
(170)
CLEVELAND,AUG.22-(AP)-CONTINUANCE OF RED AGGRESSION WILL BRING A "DELUGE OF ATOM BOMBS" TO RUSSIA, A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE DECLARED TODAY.

"THE ENEMY HAS PUSHED THE UNITED NATIONS AS FAR AS IT IS GOING TO GO," SAID REP.JOHN WALSH (D-IND.) "I CAN SAY THAT IF THE ENEMY'S BRUTAL CONDUCT CONTINUES, WE SHALL USE THE ATOM BOMB AND STRIKE AT ITS HEART."

WALSH, A FIRST TERM CONGRESSMAN, SPOKE BEFORE THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF POST OFFICE CLERKS AT ITS 26TH ANNUAL BIENNIAL CONVENTION HERE.

HE SAID RUSSIA EXPECTS TO "WEAR US OUT WITH LITTLE WARS ALL OVER THE WORLD X X X EXPECTING AMERICA TO BECOME WEARY AND COMPROMISE TO LIVE WITH COMMUNISM."

"BUT WE SHALL NOT ALLOW OUR BOYS TO FIGHT ON SIX OR SEVEN FRONTS. THE ONLY WAY TO DESTROY ON OCTUPUS IS TO STRIKE AT ITS HEART."

IF THE U.S. DOES DECIDE TO USE THE UTOM BOMB, WALSH SAID, "IT WILL BE A DELUGE. WE HAVE AT LEAST 250 BOMBS AND 100 WAYS OF REACHING RUSSIA. WE'LL GET THERE FAST."

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A100NA (AD F)
(190)

NEW ALBANY,IND.,AUG.22-(AP)-THE "FIGHTING MC KIMS" WERE BROKEN UP AS A COMBAT TEAM TODAY BY THE DEATH OF ONE OF THEM IN ACTION IN KOREA.

BUT ANOTHER MC KIM IS CARRYING ON IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT AND THE OTHER, OUT OF SERVICE FOR MEDICAL REASONS, IS WORKING ON THE HOME FRONT.

A TELEGRAM NOTIFIED MR. AND MRS. PAUL J.MC KIM THAT THEIR SON, PFC. ROBERT B.MC KIM, HAD BEEN WOUNDED FATALLY IN KOREA.

"I WOULD HAVE BEEN WITH BOB IF THE ARMY HADN'T DISCHARGED ME," SOBBED THE 42-YEAR-OLD MC KIM, A TAXICAB DRIVER.

MC KIM AND HIS SON ENLISTED TOGETHER IN JUNE, 1948, AND SAILED TOGETHER FOR JAPAN WITH THE FIRST CAVALRY. THE FATHER WAS MEDICALLY DISCHARGED IN NOVEMBER, 1948.

THE THIRD MEMBER OF THE "FIGHTING MC KIMS"--PVT.ELVIN B.MC KIM, 18--IS STILL IN THE THICK OF THE FIGHTING WITH THE FIRST CAVALRY.

PRIVATE BOB MC KIM STARTED HIS MILITARY CAREER PREMATURELY BY ENLISTING IN THE ARMY DURING WORLD WAR II AT THE AGE OF 14. THE ARMY LEARNED HIS TRUE AGE JUST AS HE WAS ABOUT TO BE SHIPPED OVERSEAS AND SENT HIM HOME INSTEAD.

THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT TELEGRAM SAID THE 20-YEAR-OLD SOLDIER WAS KILLED AUG. 9. THE LAST LETTER HE WROTE TO HIS PARENTS SAID HE HAD BEEN HAVING A "BAD TIME" DURING 15 CONSECUTIVE DAYS AT THE FRONT BUT WAS WRITING DURING A BRIEF STAY BEHIND THE LINES.

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FREEPORT, ILL., AUG.22-(AP)-ADMIRAL NIMITZ SAID TONIGHT IT WOULD BE "TERRIBLE" FOR U.N.FORCES IN KOREA TO STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL.

BUT HE EMPHASIZED HE SPOKE ONLY FOR HIMSELF, AND DID NOT EXPRESS AN OFFICIAL VIEW.

NIMITZ ADDRESSED THE FREEPORT ROTARY CLUB'S INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING. REPLYING TO A QUESTION, HE SAID:

"AS A MILITARY OPERATION IT WOULD BE TERRIBLE TO STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL. A MILITARY OBJECTIVE INVOLVES CRUSHING THE ENEMY'S WILL TO FIGHT.

"HE MUST BE DRIVEN OUT OF THE COUNTRY. WE CANNOT STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL."

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B106KX
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(120)

HOUSTON,TEX.,AUG.22-(AP)-RADAR EXPERT MORTON SOBELL OF NEW YORK, CHARGED WITH PASSING DEFENSE SECRETS TO RUSSIA, WAS BROUGHT HERE LATE TODAY FROM LAREDO, TEXAS.

DEPUTY U.S.MARSHAL ELLIS BINFORD PLACED THE 33-YEAR-OLD SOBELL IN THE HARRIS COUNTY JAIL. SOBELL WILL REMAIN THERE UNTIL HIS TRANSFER TO NEW YORK. U.S.MARSHAL CLIFTON CARTER SAID THE TRANSFER WOULD PROBABLY BE MADE TOMORROW BY PLANE.

BINFORD SOBELL, AND A SPECIAL GUARD, LEFT THE WEBB COUNTY JAIL AT LAREDO THIS MORNING BY AUTOMOBILE. THEY ARRIVED HERE AT 6:15 P.M. (CST).

SOBELL HAD BEEN HELD IN LAREDO SINCE MEXICAN OFFICIALS TURNED HIM OVER TO FBI AGENTS AT THE MEXICAN BORDER FRIDAY. AN ORDER FOR SOBELL'S TRANSFER TO NEW YORK WAS SIGNED HERE YESTERDAY BY FEDERAL JUDGE ALLAN B.HANNAY.

THE NEW YORK ENGINEER HAD WAIVED A REMOVAL HEARING BEFORE THE U.S. COMMISSIONER AT LAREDO, AND HIS BOND WAS SET AT $100,000.

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B75KX (Q) (COOKS AND STEWARDS)
(250)

SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 22-(AP)-THE MARINE COOKS AND STEWARDS' UNION TODAY DEMANDED A 15 PER CENT WAGE INCREASE, PROTEST ED THE JAILING OF HARRY BRIDGES AND EXPRESSED ITSELF ON THE KOREAN CONFLICT.

THE CIO ORGANIZATION, OF WHICH A NUMBER OF MEMBERS HAVE BEEN PROHIBITED FROM SHIPPING TO FOREIGN PORTS BECAUSE THEY ARE REGARDED AS BAD SECURITY RISKS, TOOK THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS:

1. URGED ITS MEMBERS TO SIGN A "PEACE APPEAL" CALLING FOR NEGOTIATIONS TO PROHIBIT USE OF THE ATOMIC BOMB. THESE NEGOTIATIONS WOULD BE CONDUCTED THROUGH "A REPRESENTATIVE UNITED NATIONS, INCLUDING THE SOVIET UNION AND THE NEW GOVERNMENT OF CHINA."
2. CALLED FOR SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT BY "PEACEFUL MEANS." THIS, THE UNION EXPLAINED, MEANT ENDORSEMENT OF A PLAN TO RECOGNIZE THE "PEOPLE'S GOVERNMENT OF CHINA" IN THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL.

IN THIS WAY, THE UNION CONTENDED, THE U. S., THE USSR AND CHINA, WITH THE ASSISTANCE AND COOPERATION OF OTHER PEACE LOVING NATIONS, "CAN FIND A BASIS FOR PEACE."

3. DEMANDED A 15 PER CENT WAGE INCREASE AND THREATENED TO STRIKE IF THE UNION'S OUTLAWED HIRING HALL IS NOT PRESERVED. THIS ACTION WAS SIMILAR TO THAT TAKEN LAST WEEK BY CIO WEST COAST LONGSHOREMEN, WHO MADE THE SAME STRIKE THREAT BUT ASKED FOR ONLY A 10 PER CENT INCREASE.
4. CRITICIZED THE GOVERNMENT FOR REVOKING BRIDGES' BAIL AND JAILING HIM AS A THREAT TO NATIONAL SECURITY.

THE UNION'S POLICIES WERE APPROVED AT AN ANNUAL MEETING OF ITS GENERAL COUNCIL, COMPOSED OF OFFICERS AND PORT AGENTS OF THE 7,000 MEMBER ORGANIZATION.

THE WAGE DEMAND, IT SAID, WILL BE "WRAPPED UP IN AN ACROSS THE BOARD PROPOSAL AND PRESENTED TO WEST COAST SHIPOWNERS ON SEPT. 1, AS PART OF AN ANNUAL WAGE REVIEW.

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SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 22-(AP)-A LONDON WAR WIDOW FILED SUIT IN FEDERAL COURT HERE TODAY TO RECOVER $3,670 SHE CONTENDED SHE SPENT IN COMING TO AMERICA TO BE MARRIED.

THE SUIT WAS FILED ON BEHALF OF MRS. JOSEPH KEHOE AGAINST STANLEY C. POMEROY OF ALAMEDA, CALIF., NEAR SAN FRANCISCO.

ATTORNEY JOHN E. ANDERTON, REPRESENTING MRS. KEHOE, IDENTIFIED POMEROY AS A PSYCHIATRIST. POMEROY TOLD NEWSMEN "NO COMMENT."

ATTORNEY ANDERTON SAID MRS. KEHOE WAS ABOUT 38 YEARS OLD, WIDOW OF A BRITISH SERVICEMAN, AND MOTHER OF A SON.

MRS. KEHOE'S SUIT SAID SHE EXPENDED HER OWN MONEY TO COME TO THE UNITED STATES. THE COURT ACTION SAID THAT POMEROY LAST NOVEMBER I WROTE HER A PROPOSAL OF MARRIAGE AND SHE ACCEPTED. SHE SAID SHE ARRIVED IN ALAMEDA JANUARY 20 TO LEARN POMEROY WAS MARRIED.

FURTHER, THE SUIT CHARGED, POMEROY "AT NO TIME HAD ANY INTENTION OF CONSUMMATING HIS PROMISE OF MARRIAGE" AND MADE THE PROMISE FOR THE SOLE PURPOSE OF GETTING FUNDS FROM MRS. KEHOE AND TO HAVE HER "ENTER A MERETRICIOUS RELATIONSHIP" WITH HIM.

ATTORNEY ANDERTON SAID MRS. KEHOE'S SUIT WAS INSTITUTED IN LONDON BY SOLICITORS, CLIFTONS, 7 NEW SQUARE, LINCOLN'S INN, LONDON. ANDERTON SAID SHE DID NOT HAVE HER LONDON STREET ADDRESS.

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A132KX

SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.22-(AP)-SABOTAGE IS REGARDED BY GOV.EARL WARREN AS THE WEST'S MOST CRITICAL DEFENSE PROBLEM AT THIS TIME.

MEETING WITH GOVERNORS DAN E.GARVEY OF ARIZONA AND VAIL PITTMAN OF ARIZONA TO COORDINATE DEFENSE PLANS FOR THE THREE STATES, WARREN EMPHASIZED:

"AN ATOMIC ATTACK IS A POSSIBILITY. THE RESULTS OF SUCH EXPLOSION WOULD BE SO TERRIBLE THAT WE MUST PREPARE NOW.

"BUT SABOTAGE IS A VERY DISTINCT PROBABILITY AND WE CAN PREPARE AGAINST IT BETTER THAN WE CAN AGAINST AN ATOMIC ATTACK BECAUSE WE KNOW MORE ABOUT IT."

BOTH GOV.GARVEY AND GOV.PITTMAN AGREED WITH WARREN.

THEIR THREE-HOUR SESSION TODAY WAS THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF CONFERENCES WHICH WILL BRING THE GOVERNORS TOGETHER WITH LT.GEN. ALBERT C.WEDEMEYER, COMMANDER OF THE SIXTH ARMY, TO CONSIDER WHAT SHOULD BE DONE ABOUT CIVILIAN DEFENSE.

GEN.WEDEMEYER ALREADY HAS ADVISED THE GOVERNORS HE WILL ASSIGN STAFF OFFICERS--ALL OF THEM EXPERIENCED IN PLANNING--TO EACH OF THE STATE DISASTER PLANNING BOARDS.

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A150KX

RED KOREAN (100)

SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.22-(AP)-RED CHINA'S PEIPING RADIO BROADCAST A KOREAN COMMUNIST WAR COMMUNIQUE TODAY SAYING AMERICAN FORCES WERE ROUTED BUT RESISTING STUBBORNLY ON THE DEEP SOUTH KOREAN FRONT. THE BROADCAST WAS PICKED UP HERE.

THE PARAGRAPH CONTAINING THE SEEMING CONTRADICTION SAID:

"PEOPLE'S ARMY UNITS (NORTH KOREAN REDS) ATTACKING ALONG THE SOUTHERN COAST (OF KOREA) ARE WAGING FIERCE BATTLES WITH THE ROUTED U.S. 25TH DIVISION WHICH IS RESISTING STUBBORNLY."

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED FROM THE SOUTHERN FRONT THAT U.S.TROOPS WERE DRIVEN BACK BY AN EARLY MORNING RED ATTACK TODAY BUT REWON ALL LOST GROUND.

DV1040ACS

A176KX

SEATTLE,AUG.22-(AP)-[redacted] KOSHIRO FURUKAWA RECEIVED TWO NOTICES YESTERDAY.

[redacted] SAID THEIR SON, SGT.FRED Y.FURUKAWA, SERVING WITH THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION IN KOREA, HAS BEEN AWARDED THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL FOR HEROIC ACHIEVEMENT ON JULY 6 NEAR PYONGTAEK. FRED LED A MACHINEGUN SECTION TO SAFETY FROM AN ENEMY TRAP.

THE SECOND NOTICE SAID THAT ANOTHER SON, SGT.ISAAC FURUKAWA, HAD BEEN KILLED IN ACTION IN KOREA. THERE WERE NO DETAILS.

BOTH WERE WORLD WAR TWO VETERANS.

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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, AUG. 22-(AP)-A PRACTICE EVACUATION TO PREPARE DEPENDENTS OF MILITARY PERSONNEL FOR POSSIBLE ATTACK OF ALASKA BY AN ENEMY WILL BE STAGED HERE SATURDAY MORNING WITH A 50-MILE "WITHDRAWAL" UP THE HIGHWAY TO PALMER.

DEPENDENTS OF ELMENDORF AIR FORCE BASE AND FORT RICHARDSON TROOPS WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE PART-THEORY, PART-PRACTICE ACTION. ITS PURPOSE IS TO SET UP A QUICK, ORDERLY PROCEDURE FOR EVACUATION TO THE UNITED STATES WITHOUT CLOGGING TRAVEL ARTERIES OR SNARLING MILITARY TRAFFIC.

IN THEORY, IT WILL BE TERRITORY-WIDE AND INCLUDE AIR TRAVEL. IN FACT, AS SET UP BY LT. GEN. WILLIAM KEPNER, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF ALASKA, IT WILL NOT INCLUDE CIVILIANS LIVING IN ANCHORAGE, FAIRBANKS AND OTHER CITIES.

IT DOES NOT, MILITARY OFFICIALS SAID, POINT TO THE NEED FOR EVACUATION AT THIS TIME.

"OUR MAIN CONCERN," ONE OFFICER SAID, "IS TO AVOID A PANICKY POPULACE. WE ARE NOT GOING TO PUNCH A PANIC BUTTON."

AS WORKED OUT, THE DEPENDENTS WILL GATHER AT DESIGNATED COLLECTION POINTS WHEN THE SIGNAL IS GIVEN SATURDAY MORNING. THEY WILL BE PICKED UP BY BUSES AND DRIVEN AS FAR AS PALMER, "CAPITAL" OF THE MATANUSKA VALLEY. THERE THEY WILL BE PROCESSED AS IF THEY WERE BEGINNING THE LONG DRIVE TO THE RECEPTION STATION, AT GREAT FALLS, MONT. THIS WOULD BE VIA THE GLENN AND RICHARDSON HIGHWAYS TO BIG DELTA, ON THE ALASKAN HIGHWAY.

IN A GENUINE EVACUATION THE DEPENDENTS WOULD BE TAKEN IN CONVOYS ACROSS CANADA BY THE U. S. ARMY. IN ACTUALITY SATURDAY, HOWEVER, THEY WILL RETURN HERE BY BUS FROM PALMER.

AIRCRAFT ALSO WOULD BE USED IN ANY MASS EVACUATION, BUT OFFICIALS POINTED OUT THAT SUCH TRAVEL MEANS PROBABLY WOULD BE IN SHORT SUPPLY.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, AUG. 22)

(ADVANCE) THE HAGUE, AUG.22-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL TIN STUDY GROUP ESTIMATED IN ITS ADVANCE STATISTICS WORLD PRODUCTION OF TIN-IN-CONCENTRATES IN JUNE AT 13,300 LONG TONS AGAINST 14,100 TONS IN

MAY.

BOLIVIAN EXPORTS ROSE SHARPLY IN MAY FROM 2,362 TONS TO 3,261 TONS IN JUNE. BOTH MALAYAN AND INDONESIAN PRODUCTION DECREASED SLIGHTLY TO 4,739 TO AND 2,605 TONS RESPECTIVELY.

WORLD TIN METAL PRODUCTION IN JUNE WAS 15,200 TONS, COMPARED WITH 16,000 TONS IN MAY. THE MALAYAN FIGURE AT 6,092 TONS IS HIGHER BUT BOTH NETHERLANDS AND THE U.S. AT 2,621 AND 2,253 TONS WERE LOWER.

U.K. PRODUCTION IN JUNE WAS ESTIMATED AT 2,150 TONS.

MALAYAN EXPORTS OF TIN METAL IN JULY AT 8,399 TONS REPRESENTED A POST-WAR RECORD. THESE EXPORTS INCLUDED 4,806 TONS TO THE U.S., 760 TONS TO ITALY AND 1,224 TONS TO INDIA.

WORLD OVER-ALL STOCKS WHICH HAD BEEN 126,200 TONS AT THE END OF APRIL SHOWED LITTLE CHANGE TO 126,900 TONS AT THE END OF MAY. COMPLETE JUNE FIGURES ARE NOT YET AVAILABLE.

WORLD CONSUMPTION IN MAY WAS 12,000 TONS AS COMPRED WITH 12,100 TONS IN APRIL. U.S. CONSUMPTION IN MAY AT 5,958 TONS (OF WHICH 3,184 TONS WENT INTO TINPLATE) WAS HIGHER THAN ANY FIGURE REPORTED SINCE 1947. WORLD TINPLATE PRODUCTION INCREASED FROM 432,000 TONS IN APRIL TO 513,000 TONS IN MAY.

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[redacted] SAID THE RESUMPTION OF WORK IN THE REFINERIES ALSO WOULD BE OF POLITICAL IMPORTANCE, SINCE IT WOULD MARK THE BREAKING OF THE ARABS' ECONOMIC BLOCKADE OF ISRAEL.

BRITISH OIL COMPANIES, WHICH WERE NOT NAMED HERE, ARE TO SUPPLY 60 PER CENT OF ISRAELIS OIL NEEDS. THE BALANCE OF THE CRUDE OIL SHIPMENTS ARE TO COME FROM UNITED STATES COMPANIES.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE IN P.M.'S OF TUESDAY, AUG. 22)

(ADVANCE)--TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG.22-(AP)-JUBILANT ISRAELIS SAY THEY HAVE BROKEN ATTEMPTS OF NEIGHBORING ARAB STATES--PARTICULARLY EGYPT--TO STRANGLE THEIR COUNTRY THROUGH AN ECONOMIC BLOCKADE.

THE BIG HAIFA OIL REFINERIES ARE SHORTLY GOING BACK INTO OPERATION--WITH SUPPLIES COMING FROM AMERICAN AND BRITISH OIL COMPANIES.

THESE REFINERIES HAVE BEEN CLOSED DOWN FOR MANY MONTHS--EVER SINCE THE 1948-49 ARAB-JEWISH WAR--WHEREBY IRAQ CUT OFF THE FLOW OF OIL FROM FIELDS THERE INTO ISRAEL BY PIPELINE.

ISRAEL'S POSITION WAS FURTHER AGGRAVATED BY EGYPT'S ACTION IN REFUSING TO PERMIT THE PASSAGE THROUGH THE SUEZ CANAL OF OIL TANKERS BOUND FOR HAIFA OR ANY OTHER ISRAELI PORT. EGYPT ALSO REFUSED TO PERMIT ANY CARGO SHIP TO LEAVE HER PORTS BOUND FOR ISRAEL. SO THE ISRAELIS FINALLY DECIDED TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT.

[redacted] ASSERTED THE REOPENING OF THE HAIFA REFINERIES WOULD SAVE THE REFINING NATION IN FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

HE ESTIMATED BETWEEN 600 AND 700 WORKERS WOULD BE EMPLOYED AND PREDICTED IMPORTANT CHEMICAL BY-PRODUCTS WOULD BE OBTAINED.

THEY SENT THERE ARE TROUBLE-SHOOTER, DAVID HOROWITZ, ON OIL BUYING MISSIONS TO THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES THIS SUMMER.

HOROWITZ, ECONOMIC ADVISER TO THE GOVERNMENT AND DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE ISRAELI FINANCE MINISTRY, ANNOUNCED HERE THE OIL AGREEMENTS HE SIGNED IN LONDON AND WASHINGTON WOULD SAVE ISRAEL 1,250,000 POUNDS ($3,500,000) ANNUALLY IN FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

HE SAID THE APPROXIMATE 500,000 TONS OF REFINED OIL WHICH THE COUNTRY IS EXPECTED TO CONSUME IN ME MONTHS WOULD COST ABOUT 8,500,000 POUNDS ($23,800,000). HE ESTIMATED CRUDE OIL SHIPMENTS TO BE BROUGHT INTO HAIFA BY TANKERS WOULD ENTAIL AN OUTLAY OF 7,250,000 POUNDS ($20,300,000).

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD AERIAL (150)
TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG.23-(AP)-ALLIED WAR PLANES, FROM LITTLE JETS TO BIG B-29S, RANGED OVER KOREA TUESDAY "IN THE MOST ACTIVE DAY OF AIR OPERATIONS SINCE THE WAR BEGAN ALMOST TWO MONTHS AGO."
AMPLIFYING EARLIER REPORTS ON THE TUESDAY STRIKES, AN AIR FORCE RELEASE AT 2:20 P.M. (11:20 P.M. TUESDAY EST) SAID B-29S DROPPED MORE THAN 600 TONS (CORRECT) ON CHONGJIN, NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST PORT AND FACTORY CITY, WITHIN 60 MILES OF SOVIET TERRITORY. THE ONE-HOUR ATTACK CAUSED FIRES AND EXPLOSIONS WHICH SENT UP SMOKE COLUMNS FOR MORE THAN 4,000 FEET.
ANOTHER 200 TONS WERE DROPPED OON OTHER TARGETS NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, INCLUDING THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT PYONGYANG, NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL.
OTHER TARGETS WERE WONSAN, SONGJIN, CHANGJON AND HUNGNAM, AND A KEY RAIL BRIDGE 23 MILES NORTH OF SEOUL.
CHONGJIN, A LARGE THIRD GRAF NIGHT LEAD (DELETING SECOND NIGHT LEAD).
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THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOKYO, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 23-(AP)-ANTICIPATING A BIG COMMUNIST ONSLAUGHT TANK-LED UNITED NATIONS FORCES ATTACKED TODAY NORTH OF TAEGU. IF THE REDS REACT, AS EXPECTED, THE FATE OF THAT KEY AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE MAY BE DECIDED WITHIN THE NEXT 48 HOURS.

THIS IS A CRITICAL PHASE," SAID COL. JOHN MICHAELIS, OF LANCASTER, PA., COMMANDING THE U. S. 27TH REGIMENT.

"THERE COULD BE A DECISION IN THE NEXT 48 HOURS AND IF WE STOP THEMM, WE WILL BREAK THE BACK OF THIS DRIVE."

THE OFFENSIVE ACTION, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU WAS BY AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS WHO ADVANCED A HALF MILE, COVERED BY PLANES AND AN ARTILLERY BOMBARDMENT. BUT AS MANY AS THREE RED DIVISIONS, TOTALLING 30,000 MEN OR MORE, WERE EXPECTED AT ANY MOMENT TO LASH OUT IN THEIR LONG AWAITED BID FOR TAEGU.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S OPERATIONAL SUMMARY AT 4:05 P.M. TODAY (1:05 A.M., EST, WEDNESDAY) SAID OF THIS AREA:
"IN THE NORTHWEST SECTOR, THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION AND U.S. UNITS SUPPORTING THAT DIVISION ARE UNDER CONTINUOUS ENEMY PRESSURE . . . . U.S. UNITS ATTACKED THE ENEMY IN THIS AREA EARLY AUGUST 23 TO ELIMINATE THAT THREAT TO OUR POSITIONS. THE FRONT LINE REMAINS GENERALLY STATIC IN THIS SECTOR."
THE SUMMARY REFERRED ANEW TO "ENEMY INFILTRATION."

TUESDAY THEIR PROBING PATROLS, SEEKING THE WEAK SPOT FOR A BREAKTHROUGH, MOVED DOWN TO WITHIN EIGHT MILES OF TAEGU. THEY WERE THROW BACK AFTER A TWO-HOUR TANK BATTLE, WON BY AMERICAN ARMOR, DESPITE NUMERICAL INFERIORITY ODDS OF FOUR TO NINE, AND AFTER INFILTRATING REDS HAD PUT A BEHIND-THE-FRONT SUPPLY ROAD UNDER HARASSING FIRE.

THIS MORNING, COLONEL MICHAELIS' MEN AND SOUTH KOREA'S FIRST DIVISION ELEMENTS OVERRAN THESE COMMUNISTS, DROVE THEM NORTH AND ENGAGED THE MAIN NORTH KOREAN FORCE 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DOON WHITEHEAD REPORTED FROOM THE THE VITAL NORTH SECTOR AT NOON TODAY (9 P.M., EST, TUESDAY) THAT COLONEL MICHAELIS' MEN WERE ON THE ALERT AS FAR AS FIVE MILES BEHIND THE FRONT LINES. THEIR COMMANDER'S MAIN WORRY WAS THAT A RED FLANKING MOVE MIGHT CUT HIS SUPPLY LINE. YESTERDAY A RED ROAD BLOCK

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DID CUT THAT ROAD BRIEFLY.

ONE THREAT BY THE REDS TO ENCIRCLE UNITED NATIONS TROOPS 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU WAS BROKEN UP BY FIGHTER-BOMBERS. TODAY, FAVORED NBY GOOD WEATHER, PLANES TO THE ATTACK ON TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE NORTH SECTOR AND SHOT UP A TANK---THE TENTH THE REDS HAVE LOST WITHIN THE PAST THREE DAYS IN THE AREA.

THERE WAS SOME EVIDENCE OF AN OFFENSIVE BY RED FORCES BUILDING UP 50 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, AIMED AT THE MAIN PORT OF PUSAN. THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION TODAY WAS MEETING PROBING ATTACKS AIMED AT TAKING HIGH GROUND.

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BUT THE MAIN CONCERN, AS IT HAS BEEN FOR NEARLY A WEEK, WAS THE NORTH AND NORTHWEST SECTOR. AS MANY AS 60,000 RED TROOPS HAVE BEEN REPORTED MASSED IN A 20-MILE ARC EXTENIDING FROM WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, TO THE KUNWI AREA. KUNWI IS 25 MILES DUE NORTH OF TAEGU.

LAST NIGHT, THREE RED STABS DOWN THE MAIN NORTH ROAD TO TAEGU WERE HURLED BACK.

WHITEHEAD REPORTED THAT COLONEL MICHAELIS WAS PUZZLED BY THE REDS' "STUPID TACTICS" IN THE SECTOR. HE SAID NORTH KOREAN COMMANDERS SENT THEIR MEN INTO SEARING AMERICAN MACHINEGUN AND RIFLE FIRE POURED DOWN FROM HIGH GROUND. THEN THE REDS WOULD FALL BACK, POUNDED BY ARTILLERY AND MORTARS AS LONG AS THEY WERE WITHIN RANGE.
"I HOPE THEY KEEP RIGHT ON DOING IT," THE COLONEL SAID.

THE 120-MILE BATTLEFRONT PERIMETER, STARTING ON THE EAST COAST AT POHANG AND CURVING WEST AND SOUTH, LOOKED LIKE THIS:

POHANG--IN TODAY'S OPERATIONAL SUMMARY, GENERAL MACARTHUR SAID SOUTH KOREA'S CAPITOL AND THIRD DIVISIONS CONTINUED TO ADVANCE UP THE EAST COAST IN THE VICINITY OF HUNGHAE, WHICH IS 10 MILES WEST AND SLIGHTLY NORTH OF POHANG.

KUNWI--THE U. S. 27TH REGIMENT AND SOUTH KOREA'S FIRST DIVISION, BUMPING AGAINST THE REDS' MAIN FORCE 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU WHILE ALERT FOR ANY RED FLANKING MOVES.

KUNWI--ETC 19TH GRAF.
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FOR 20TH GRAF BEGINNING WAEGWAN X X X NAKTONG RIVER SUB FOLLOWING:

WAEGWAN--TODAY'S OPERATIONAL SUMMARY SAID THAT SECTOR OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AND SOUTHWARD TOWARD THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR "IS GENERALLY QUIET."

CHANGNYONG--NO EVIDENCE OF RED ACTION THERE SINCE A 12,000 MAN BRIDGEHEAD WAS WIPED OUT BY THE U. S. FIRST MARINE BRIGADE AND 24TH DIVISION INFANTRYMEN.

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CHINJU--REDS BUILDING UP TROOPS IN THIS AREA. REDS SEEKING HIGH GROUND. TWICE LAST NIGHT AND AGAIN AT DAWN TODAY, U. S. 25TH DIVISIO ELEMENTS BEAT BACK ATTEMPTS BY THE COMMUNISTS TO RECAPTURE COMMANDING HEIGHTS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE TOWN OF HAMAN, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN. HAMAN HA' :£-,&3$ £-,$' 18;3 58.3' 8, 5£433

NORTHWEST OF MASAN. HAMAN HAS CHANGED HANDS FIVE TIMES IN THREE DAYS OF BLOODY FIGHTING. ON THE 25TH'S LEFT FLANK ALONG THE SOUTHEAST COAST, SOUTH KOREAN MARINES, WHO MADE AMPHIBIOUS LANDINGS RECENTLY, LATE YESTERDAY RAN INTO STIFF RED RESISTANCE, INCLUDING ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE.

A FAR EAST AIR FORCE RELEASE TODAY AT 10:50 A.M. (7:50 EST, TUESDAY) SAID PLANES FLEW MORE THAN 550 SORTIES TUESDAY, "[illegible] THE THIRD TIME IN A PERIOD OF TWO WEEKS'" AND FIGHTERS "WERE OFF AT THE FIRST LIGHT TODAY."

B-29S FLEW FAR UP THE EAXST COAST TO WIITHIN 60 MILES OF SOVIET

TERRITORY YESTERDAY TO ATTACK CONGJIN WHICH HAS BEEN PLASTERED WITH MORE THAN 1,000 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES WITHIN THE PAST FOUR DAYS. THEY AGAIN STRUCK MARSHALLING YARDS, IRON WORKS AND DOCKS. OTHER TARGETS INCLUDED PYONGYANG, THE CAPITAL OF NORTH KOREA.

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.24-(AP)-BOMBED AND SHELLED KOREAN REDS APPEARED TODAY TO BE PULLING TROOPS OUT OF HITHERTO HEAVILY MANNED FRONTS TO BOLSTER THEIR MAJOR FORCE NORTH OF TAEGU.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE REDS WERE REPORTED BY ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT TO BE SHIFTING THAT MAJOR FORCE EASTWARD. SOME AMERICAN OFFICERS THOUGHT THEY WERE MERELY REGROUPING, OTHERS THAT THEY MIGHT BE PLANNING A FLANKING ATTACK.

IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, WHERE B-29S LAST WEEK AIMED MORE THAN 850 TONS OF BOMBS AT RED CONCENTRATIONS, THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION CROSSED TO THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER WITHOUT ENCOUNTERING THE ENEMY. LAST WEEK AFTER THE B-29 RAID, FIRST CAVALRY PATROLS WERE THROWN BACK THERE.

ALONG THE NAKTONG FRONT SOUTH OF WAEGWAN, U.S. 24TH DIVISION PATROLS ALSO MET NO OPPOSITION IN A SECTOR WHERE THERE HAD BEEN STIFF RESISTANCE.

RED PRESSURE EASED TODAY FOR THE FIRST TIME IN FIVE DAYS IN THE AREA POSING THE GRAVEST MENACE TO TAEGU, KEY COMMUNICATIONS AND SUPPLY BASE. FOR FOUR DAYS THE REDS HAD THROWN PUNCHES DOWN A VALLEY ROAD 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. IN THIS DEATH-RIDDEN "BOWLING ALLEY" WHERE THE REDS HAVE LOST 11 TANKS AND HUNDREDS OF SOLDIERS, AN AMERICAN BATTALION CLEANED OUT ENEMY INFILTRATORS WEDNESDAY. THIS WAS REPORTED AT 12:55 P.M. (9:55 P.M. WEDNESDAY EST) BY A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE.

GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, U.S. ARMY CHIEF OF TAFF, AFTER A FROCT LINE VISIT RETURNED TO TOKYO TODAY FROM KOREA AND SAID "THINGS ARE COMING ALONG VERY WELL OVER THERE." HE VISITED THE NORTH SECTOR WHERE THE RED CONCENTRATIONS HAVE BEEN VARIOUSLY ESTIMATED AT FROM 30,000 TO 50,000.

BULWARKING THIS PICTURE, ADM. FORREST SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS SAID THE NAVY'S KOREAN WAR FORCE NOW TOTALS 150 SHIPS AND 90,000 MEN.

IN A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY, SHERMAN ALSO SAID HE UNDERSTOOD AMERICAN AUTHORITIES HAVE EVIDENCE THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE SUPPLIED THE NORTH KOREANS WITH WAR EQUIPMENT SINCE THE START OF HOSTILITIES. THE SOVIET UNION HAS MAINTAINED IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL NONE HAS BEEN FURNISHED THE KOREAN REDS SINCE 1948.

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HERE IS A QUICK LOOK ALONG THE 120-MILE BATTLEFRONT PERIMETER, BEGINNING AT THE EAST COAST ANCHOR OF POHANG AND CURVING WEST AND SOUTH:

POHANG -- THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD AND CAPITOL DIVISIONS, DRIVING NORTH FROM THAT COAST CITY, WERE HARD PRESSED BY THE REDS AND A CAPITOL REGIMENT HAD TO WITHDRAW WEDNESDAY. BOTH DIVISIONS PREPARED TO ATTACK THURSDAY.

KUMHWA-- RED PRESSURE EASED IN THIS SECTOR 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

WAEGWAN -- U.S. FIRST DIVISION CAVALRY PATROLS CROSSED TO THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU WEDNESDAY NIGHT WITHOUT ENCOUNTERING ANY REDS. THIS PROMPTED A SPOKESMAN TO SAY "THEY SEEM TO BE PULLING OUT FROM IN FRONT OF US."

HYONPUNG -- THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE THURSDAY SAID AN ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD ON THE EAST BANK ABOUT 15 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU WAS QUIET. ON THE OTHER SIDE WERE REINFORCEMENTS OF APPROXIMATELY 600 TROOPS WITH SOME ARMOR.

MASAN -- IN THIS SUTHERN SECTOR AREA, A COMPANY FROM THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION REPELLED A SMALL RED ATTACK THURSDAY. SOUTH KOREANS, MANNING THE LEFT FLANK ALONG THE COAST, REPORTED THAT THE REDS IN THIS SECTOR HAVE THE EQUIVALENT OF TWO DIVISIONS. UNITED NATIONS FORCES HOLD HEIGHTS IN THIS SECTOR BARRING A LEVEL GROUND APPROACH TO THE MAIN PORT CITY OF PUSAN, SLIGHTLY MORE THAN 30 MILES TO THE SOUTHEAST.

OFF THE EXTREME SOUTHWESTERN TIP OF KOREA, FAR BEHIND THE BATTLE-FRONT, SOUTH KOREAN MARINES WERE REPORTED BY ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM SHINN TO HAVE LANDED ON THE ISLAND OF UIDO. THIS OPERATION, COVERED BY GUNS OF SOUTH KOREA'S TINY NAVY, WAS AIMED AT HARRASSING COASTAL LINES ALONG WHICH THE REDS BRING SUPPLIES BY SMALL CRAFT TO THE BATTLEFRONTS.

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THE COMMUNISTS' RAIL AND HIGHWAY SUPPLY LINES HAVE BEEN HEAVILY DISRUPTED BY AIR ATTACKS. AN AIR FORCE SUMMARY THURSDAY SAID B-29S WEDNESDAY BLASTED KEY RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES "IN AN INCREASINGLY SUCCESSFUL EFFORT TO BLOCK THE FLOW OF REINFORCEMENTS AND SUPPLIES TO NORTH KOREAN ARMIES ON THE SOUTHERN BATTLE FRONTS."

THE SUPERFORTS, STRIKING AT BRIDGES FROM SEOUL NORTH TO PYONGYANG, THE REDS' CAPITAL CITY, REPORTED THAT FOUR BRIDGES ATTACKED HAD SPANS DOWN IN THE WATER AND THAT THE ATTACKS SERIOUSLY DAMAGED SEVEN OTHERS.

THE SUPPLY LINES BLASTED "CARRY A LARGE PERCENTAGE OF THE COMMUNIST WAR MATERIEL", THE SUMMARY STATED.

SHORTLY AFTER DAWN THURSDAY, FAVORED BY GOOD WEATHER, F80 JETS SWEPT FOR TWO HOURS OVER THE RED CONCENTRATIONS IN THE MASAN SOUTH SECTOR, POURING MACHINEGUN FIRE AND ROCKETS INTO THESE MASSES.

A NAVAL SUMMARY THURSDAY SAID FIRES VISIBLE FOR 10 MILES AT SEA WERE SET WEDNESDAY BY A UNITED STATES DESTROYER WHICH BOMBARDED IRON WORKS, DOCKS AND RAILROAD YARDS AT CHONGJIN FOR THE SECOND TIME. THAT HARD HIT INDUSTRIAL CITY FAR UP THE EAST COAST IN NORTH KOREA, WITHIN 60 MILES OF SOVIET TERRITORY, HAS BEEN BLASTED BY MORE THAN 1,100 TONS OF EXPLOSIVES DROPPED BY B-29S.

ENEMY MORTAR FIRE TODAY WOUNDED TWO NEWSMEN, ONE THE SON OF WINSTO CHURCHILL.

THE TWO WERE RANDOLPH CHURCHILL,A CORRESPONDENT FOR THE LONDON DAILY TELEGRAPH, AND FRANK EMERY, INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE CORRESPONDENT. NEITHER WAS REPORTED INJURED SERIOUSLY.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.24-(AP)-KOREAN RED PRESSURE NORTH OF TAEGU EASED TODAY. AN AMERICAN OFFICER SAID THE COMMUNISTS APPEARED TO BE ABANDONING SOME OTHER SECTORS IN ORDER TO REPLACE THEIR LOSSES IN THE BLOODY "BOWLING ALLEY."

THE "BOWLING ALLEY" IS A STRAIGHT STRETCH BETWEEN MOUNTAINS 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. THE REDS HAVE MADE REPEATED STABS DOWN THIS CORRIDOR WHILE ALSO INFILTRATING ON THE FLANKS.

THE COMMUNISTS MOUNTED NO ATTACKS DURING WEDNESDAY NIGHT. THERE WAS NO RESPONSE TO A TWO-HOUR AMERICAN ARTILLERY BOMBARDMENT.

INDICATIONS THAT THE REDS WERE WITHDRAWING IN SOME PLACES TO SHOVE REINFORCEMENTS INTO THE "BOWLING ALLEY" DEVELOPED ON THE WAEGWAN SEC-TOR 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF THE KEY COMMUNICATIONS CITY.

FROM THIS FRONT ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH REPORTED

PATROLS OF THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION MADE DEEP PENETRATIONS INTO ENEMY TERRITORY WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER DURING THE NIGHT. THEY WENT FORWARD WITHOUT DRAWING FIRE. THEY ALSO FAILED TO FIND NORTH KOREAN UNITS IN POSITIONS PREVIOUSLY HEAVILY MANNED BY THE REDS.

A FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SPOKESMAN SAID "THEY SEEM TO BE PULLING OUT FROM IN FRONT OF US."

HE EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT THE REDS ARE SLIPPING NEW UNITS NORTH AND EASTWARD TO REINFORCE BATTERED UNITS. FOR FOUR DAYS THE REDS HAVE BEEN HITTING AN AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN LINE ROUGHLY 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

A U.S.EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE TODAY AT 12:55 P.M. (9:55 P.M. EST WEDNESDAY) SAID A BATTALION OF U.S.TROOPS SUCCEEDED WEDNESDAY IN CLEARING THE SUPPLY LINE ROAD OF INFILTRATORS.

GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, U.S.ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, SAID THURSDAY IN TOKYO AFTER A VISIT TO THE WAR FRONT IN KOREA THAT "THINGS ARE COMING ALONG VERY WELL OVER THERE."

HE SAID THERE IS NO HYSTERIA OR FEAR AT TAEGU OR AT THE MAIN PORT OF PUSAN.

RED CASUALTIES IN MEN AND MECHANIZED EQUIPMENT HAVE NOT BEEN SUMMARIZED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS. BUT THE FURY OF THE FIGHTING NORTH OF TAEGU MAY BRING THE TOTALS UP TO THOSE IN THE CHANGNYONG BULGE.

IN THE BULGE, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, 12,000 REDS OF THE KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION WERE SO CUT TO PIECES THAT THE DIVISION WAS WRITTEN OFF AS A FIGHTING GROUP.

CORRESPONDENT HUTH SAID THE DURABLE U.S.27TH "WOLFHOUND" REGIMENT NORTH OF TAEGU HELD FIRM IN ALL ITS VITAL POSITIONS. THIS REGIMENT HAD BEEN MEETING AND THROWING BACK RED UNITS VASTLY SUPERIOR IN NUMBERS AND BACKED BY MORE TANKS AND MECHANIZED EQUIPMENT.

THE 27TH IS PLUGGING THE MAIN ROAD IN THE SECTOR WHILE SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS HOLD MOUNTAIN DEFENSES ON THE LEFT AND RIGHT FLANKS.

AMERICAN OFFICERS TOLD HUTH THAT THE KUMHWA-TAEGU CORRIDOR STILL APPEARED TO BE THE REGION OF THE REDS' MAIN EFFORT DESPITE TERRIBLE COMMUNIST LOSSES.

A FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SPOKESMAN SAID THE REDS MAY BE SHIFTING THEIR STRENGTH FROM THE WAEGWAN SECTOR AND ALSO FROM THE U.S.24TH DIVISION FRONT FURTHER SOUTH.

THESE SHIFTED FORCES, THE SPOKESMAN THEORIZED, MAY INTEND TO HIT SECTIONS OF THE LINE HELD BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS NORTH OF TAEGU WHILE THE FRONTAL ASSAULT IS ATTEMPTED AGAINST THE U.S.27TH REGIMENT.

THE REDS ALSO ABANDONED THEIR EFFORTS TO SLIP SMALL GROUPS OVER THE HILLS DURING THE NIGHT TO BRING MACHINEGUN AND SMALL ARMS FIRE TO THE REAR OF THE AMERICANS.

THE U.S.24TH DIVISION, WHICH HAD TEAMED WITH THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE TO WIPE OUT THE CHANGNYONG BULGE, REPORTED NO ENEMY ACTIVITY WEDNESDAY NIGHT. THEIR PATROLS ROVED THROUGH COMMUNIST TERRITORY WITHOUT DRAWING ANY REACTION.

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THE SOUTH COAST SECTOR, WHERE AMERICAN TROOPS HELD CONTROLLING POSITIONS IN THE RIDGES, BLAZED UP BRIEFLY, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON SAID. A NORTH KOREAN PATROL WAS SWEPT BACK WEDNESDAY ABOUT SIX MILES FROM HAMAN IN A SHORT FIRE FIGHT. HAMAN, IS NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN.

SWINTON REPORTED THERE WERE NEW INDICATIONS OF A RED BUILDUP IN THAT AREA WHERE FLAT GROUND BEYOND THE RIDGES LEADS DIRECTLY TOWARD PUSAN, AMERICAN LIFELINE PORT SLIGHTLY MORE THAN 30 MILES TO THE SOUTHEAST.

SOUTH KOREAN MARINES, OPERATING ALONG THE SOUTHEAST COAST ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE U.S.25TH DIVISION, SAID RED TROOPS EQUALLING TWO DIVISIONS IN STRENGTH WERE CONCENTRATED IN THAT SECTOR.

SOON AFTER DAWN THURSDAY, AMERICAN JET FIGHTERS SWEPT THAT SECTOR, EMPTYING THEIR MACHINEGUNS AND FIRING ALL THEIR ROCKETS AT TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SUPPLIES. THEIR SWEEPS CONTINUED FOR TWO HOURS.

AN AIR FORCE SUMMARY SAID THE WEATHER IN ALL SECTORS FAVORED AIR ATTACKS, FOLLOWING UP WEDNESDAY'S BUSY DAY WHEN NEARLY 500 SORTIES WERE FLOWN.

AT THE EXTREME SOUTHWESTERN TIP OF KOREA, SOUTH KOREAN MARINES HAVE LANDED ON THE ISLAND OF UIDO UNDER COVER OF A BOMBARDMENT FROM SOUTH KOREAN NAVY VESSELS, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM SHINN REPORTED.

UIDO IS NORTHWEST OF THE PENINSULAR POINT OF CHINDO.

THIS LANDING APPARENTLY WAS PART OF A PLANNED PROGRAM TO OCCUPY KEY ISLANDS USED BY NORTH KOREANS AS POINTS IN A CHAIN OF SEABORNE COMMUNICATIONS. ALONG THIS LINE THE REDS HAVE BEEN BRINGING SUPPLIES BY SMALL CRAFT FROM THE NORTH TO THE BATTLEFRONTS.

SHINN SAID AN ARMY SPOKESMAN WAS UNABLE TO CONFIRM A REPORT THAT BRITISH SHIPS OR MEN PARTICIPATED IN THE LANDING.

WEDNESDAY IN THE CRITICAL AREA NORTH OF TAEGU, NEW AND AS YET UNIDENTIFIED AMERICAN UNITS WENT INTO THE LINE TO HALT RED INFILTRATORS WHO HAD PENETRATED TO WITHIN EIGHT MILES OF THE SUPPLY CENTER.

SHOULD THE REDS FIND A WEAK SPOT, THEY COULD POUR THE BULK OF A FIVE-DIVISION, 50,000-MAN, STRIKING FORCE THROUGH THE HOLE.

THE COMMUNISTS ALSO HAD BUILT UP A TWO-DIVISION CONCENTRATION NEAR KOSONG TO THE SOUTH AT THE SOUTHERN END OF THE 120-MILE LONG BATTLE PERIMETER. BUT HERE, AS ON THE OTHER END OF THE LINE NEAR THE ALLIED-HELD EAST COAST PORT OF POHANG, THE ACTION WAS SUBORDINATED BY THE CRITICAL TAEGU FIGHTING.

HOUR-BY-HOUR TENSION MOUNTED ON THE NORTH-CENTRAL TAEGU SECTOR AS SIGNS INCREASED THAT THE REDS HOPED TO SOON CRUNCH AHEAD WITH AN ALL-OUT DRIVE FOR THE KEYSTONE CITY OF THE U.N. CENTRAL DEFENSE LINE.

IDENTITY OF FRESH AMERICAN FORCES IN THIS SECTOR WAS NOT DISCLOSED.

THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL WORD THAT THE EXPECTED ONSLAUGHT HAD BEGUN IN FULL STRENGTH. BUT A REGIMENTAL COMMANDER TOLD AP CORRESPONDENT DO WHITEHEAD

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LATEST FRONT DISPATCHES SAID ATTEMPTS OF SOME 1,500 REDS TO BLAST A HOLE IN U.N. DEFENSES BY STRIKING FROM BEHIND WERE BEING HURLED BACK.

AND OTHER REPORTS TOLD OF NEW LOSSES TO HOARDED COMMUNIST TANKS WHICH THE REDS HAD KEPT LARGELY OUT OF RANGE DURING THE BUILD-UP STAGE OF THE TAEGU FIGHTING. AT LEAST 11 OF THE VITAL ARMORED VEHICLES HAVE BEEN KAYOED IN THE LAST FOUR DAYS.

COL. JOHN MICHAELIS, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. 27TH "WOLFHOUND" REGIMENT, TOLD WHITEHEAD OF THE LOSSES INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY'S TANK ASSAULTS.

FOR THE FOURTH STRAIGHT NIGHT, MICHAELIS SAID, THE NORTH KOREANS TRIED TO EXPLOIT GAINS BY AN INFILTRATING FORCE WHICH HIT THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE AMERICAN LINE SOME EIGHT TO TWELVE MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

BUT EACH TIME THE ENEMY WAS DRIVEN OFF, THE COLONEL REPORTED.

"THEY CAME OVER HERE WITH 14 TANKS WHEN THEY STARTED," HE TOLD WHITEHEAD, "AND WE'VE KNOCKED OUT 11 OF THEM."

ASSOCIATED PRESS STAFFER TOM LAMBERT ESIMATED THE COMMUNISTS HAVE SEEPED SUFFICIENT FORCES THROUGH ALLIED LINES TO MOUNT AN ATTACK IN REGIMENTAL STRENGTH OF ABOUT 3,000 MEN.

AIR AND GROUND BOMBARDMENT SMACKED INTO THE AREA WHERE THE ENEMY ROAMED AS THE BIG GUNS AND PLANES MADE SEGMENTS OF THE FLAMING FRONT A NO-MAN'S LAND.

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FIERCEST COMBAT RAGED ALONG THE KUMWHA-TAEGU MOUNTAIN HIGHWAY. ALL-DAY FIGHTS FLARED AS AMERICANS SOUGHT TO KICK THE ENEMY OFF STRATEGIC HIGH GROUND WHERE SAW-TOOTHED RIDGES GAVE THE REDS TROUBLESOME ARTILLERY POSITIONS.

IN THIS AREA, WHITEHEAD REPORTED, THE COMMUNISTS SNEAKED A MACHINE GUN TO WITHIN 75 YARDS OF A U.S.MEDICAL STATION AND ARTILLERY FIRE DIRECTION CENTER. THE RED AMBUSH-TYPE ASSAULT CAUSED HEAVY CASUALTIES.

LAMBERT'S LATEST FRONT DISPATCH SAID THE COMMUNISTS ATTACKED IN PLATOON OR COMPANY STRENGTH IN SEVERAL PLACES WEDNESDAY AND THAT NIGHT. ONE OF THE ATTACKS HIT A U.S.ARTILLERY POSITION FIVE MILES BEHIND THE FOREMOST AMERICAN POSITION. OTHER NIGHT-PROWLING REDS SNEAKED TO WITHIN EIGHT MILES OF TAEGU.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS OMITTED THE REGULAR POST-MIDNIGHT COMMUNIQUE. PRESUMABLY THERE WAS NOTHING NEW TO REPORT.

AMERICAN AND OTHER ALLIED PLANES CONTINUED TO LASH OUT IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS. BUT THE COMMUNISTS CAME BACK FOR THE FIRST TIME IN DAYS WITH AIR ACTION OF THEIR OWN.

TWO RUSSIAN-BUILT YAK FIGHTER PLANES TUESDAY NIGHT ATTACKED THE BRITISH DESTROYER COMUS AND TWO OTHER RED PLANES -- POSSIBLY THE SAME TWO -- HIT A SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL CRAFT WEDNESDAY MORNING.

AP CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH SAID THE COMUS WAS NOT DAMAGED NOR WAS WORD RECEIVED OF INJURY TO THE SOUTH KOREAN VESSEL.

SHOULD THE RED AIR ACTIVITY PRESAGE FURTHER SKY ATTACKS BY THE ENEMY, MACBETH SAID, IT CERTAINLY WOULD BE GIVEN CLOSE SCRUTINY BY AMERICAN AND BRITISH CARRIERS WHICH HAD BEEN OPERATING CLOSE-IN TO ENEMY SHORES FOR MUCH OF THE WAR.

THE SOUTH KOREAN CRAFT WAS ATTACKED IN THE YELLOW SEA WEST OF KOREA. THE BRITISH DESTROYER'S LOCATION WAS NOT GIVEN BUT IT WAS BELIEVED THE SHIP WAS PART OF THE U.N. FORCE BLOCKADING THE EAST COAST.

AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS REPORTED THAT ALLIED AIR STRIKES AGAINST ENEMY COMMUNICATIONS WERE PAYING OFF. THEY SAID THE REDS NOW ARE EXPERIENCING SUPPLY SHORTAGES OF MANY VITAL NEEDS.

IN LATEST AIR ACTION, ONE GROUP OF U.S. B-26 BOMBERS WERE CALLED IN TO SUPPORT A GROUND ATTACK ON THE CRUCIAL TAEGU FRONT. THE TWIN-ENGINE PLANES--ORIGINALLY ON A MISSION AGAINST TARGETS OBSCURED BY CLOUDS--PLASTERED ENEMY GROUND POSITIONS ON THE FRONT.

IN ALL, ALLIED PLANES FLEW A TOTAL OF 550 SORTIES AND GROUND SUPPORT ACTION WAS SO CLOSE THAT AT ONE POINT U.S.PLANES SWEPT DOWN ON RED TROOPS WITHIN 100 YARDS OF ALLIED FORCES.

AN INTELLIGENCE SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS EXPRESSED THE OPINION THAT ENEMY MORALE HAS STEADILY DETERIORATED AS A RESULT OF THE INCESSANT AIR STRIKES.

NEAR WAEGWAN, ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, LAMBERS SAID THE SITUATION WAS "RELATIVELY QUIET."

THERE THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AND FARTHER SOUTH THE 24TH ARMY DIVISION AND MARINES HOLD THE LINE. RELATIVE QUIET ALSO WAS REPORTED ON THE NORTHERN FRINGE WHERE THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS ARE LOCATED.

IN THE POHANG SECTOR, THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA'S THIRD AND CAPITOL DIVISIONS CONTINUED FORWARD DRIVES ALTHOUGH ENEMY RESISTANCE STIFFENED SUFFICIENTLY TO FORCE ELEMENTS OF THE CAPITOL DIVISION INTO DEFENSIVE POSITIONS IN THE YONGGI AREA.

WHILE AMERICAN FORCES HIT ADVANCED RED POSITIONS IN THE TAEGU FRONT, OTHER U.S. TROOPS--THOSE IN THE 25TH DIVISION'S 24TH REGIMENT--BEAT BACK TWO COMMUNIST ASSAULTS OF BATTALION STRENGTH IN THE SOUTHWEST FRONT.

AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON SAID THE AMERICANS HOLD HIGH GROUND AND VANTAGE POINTS WON IN FOUR DAYS OF BLOODY STRUGGLE AND THAT RED PRESSURE NOW IS LESSENING.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS WARNED. HOWEVER. THAT THE RED THREAT IN THE SOUTHWEST IS STILL MENACING BECAUSE THE ROAD TO PUSAN, PRINCIPAL ALLIED PORT CITY, IS SHORTEST IN THIS SECTOR.

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SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (ABOUT 1,000)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.24-(AP)-DOUGHBOYS DROVE BACK VANGUARDS OF 50,000 RED KOREANS PRESSING DOWN FROM THE NORTH AGAINST TAEGU ON THE KOREAN CENTRAL WARFRONT WEDNESDAY.

A COMBINED AMERICAN-SOUTH KOREAN ATTACK WAS HURLED AT NORTH KOREAN FLANKING INFILTRATORS AT DAWN. SOME REDS HAD PENETRATED WITHIN EIGHT MILES OF TAEGU.

THE HEAVIEST FIGHTING ON THE WHOLE 120-MILE LONG KOREAN BATTLELINE WAS ON THE AMERICAN RIGHT FLANK BEFORE TAEGU.

A BREAK-THROUGH BY RED FORWARD ELEMENTS WOULD UNLEASH FIVE COMMUNIST DIVISIONS FOR A DRIVE ON TAEGU, 12 MILES TO THE SOUTH OF THE BLOODIEST FIGHTING.

A BIG PUSH FOR TAEGU WAS CONSIDERED IMMINENT BUT THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL MENTION OF IT AT HEADQUARTERS. GENERAL MACARTHUR OMITTED HIS EARLY MORNING WAR SUMMARY, A USUAL INDICATION THAT THE SITUATION IS GENERALLY UNCHANGED.

ON THE TAEGU FRONT TROOPS FOUGHT OVER A 100-YARD-WIDE NO-MAN'S LAND. BIG GUNS AND PLANES POURED DEADLY FIRE INTO THE NARROW LINE AND CASUALTIES WERE BELIEVED TO BE HEAVY.

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THE REDS BROUGHT OUT HOARDED TANKS BUT KEPT THEM OUT OF RANGE. THEY LOST 11 OF THEM IN FOUR DAYS' FIGHTING BEFORE TAEGU.

COL.JOHN MICHAELIS, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. 27TH "WOLFHOUND" REGIMENT, SAID HE EXPECTED THE OPENING PHASE OF AN ALL-OUT RED DRIVE ON THE TAEGU SUPPLY AND RAIL HUB WAS NEAR AT HAND WEDNESDAY.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD AT THE FRONT QUOTED COLONEL MICHAELIS AS SAYING:

"THE NEXT 48 HOURS COULD BRING A DECISION. IF WE CAN STOP THEM, WE WILL BREAK THE BACK OF THIS DRIVE."

AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED FROM THE TAEGU FRONT THAT HUNDREDS OF REDS ATTACKED AMERICAN ARTILLERY POSITIONS THAT WERE POUNDING A WEDGE THE COMMUNISTS HAD SHOVED INTO THE FRONTLINE. NO U.S. GUNS WERE KNOCKED OUT IN THAT ATTACK.

LAMBERT SAID THE NORTH KOREANS TRIED TO CUT THE ALLIED ROAD FROM TAEGU BUT SUCCEEDED IN SLOWING SUPPLIES ONLY BRIEFLY WEDNESDAY.

THE MAIN KUMWHA-TAEGU MOUNTAIN HIGHWAY FROM THE NORTH WAS THE BATTLELINE. RIDGES LINING IT WERE COMMANDED BY THE REDS WHEN THE DOUGHBOYS JUMPED OFF AGAINST THEM.

IN AN ALL-DAY FIGHT THE AMERICANS DROVE THE REDS FROM SEVERAL COMMANDING RIDGES. ONE ANNOYING RED ARTILLERY POSITION WAS SILENCED EARLY.

THE COMMUNISTS MET THE AMERICAN-SOUTH KOREAN ATTACK WITH HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE.

FIRST AMERICANS TO BREAK THROUGH THE COMMUNIST VANGUARD TOOK HIGH GROUND, SILENCING RED ARTILLERY THAT HAD BEEN HAMPERING ALLIED ADVANCES

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ONE U.S. UNIT, ATTACKING OVER RIDGES TO THE EAST OF THE MAIN SUPPLY ROAD, DROVE THE REDS BACK ON THE AMERICAN RIGHT FLANK, CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT SAID.

THE SHIFTING NORTH KOREANS FORCED SOME U.S. ENGINEERS FROM THEIR

POSITIONS IN THE LINE.
THE ENGINEERS, WHO CALLED THEMSELVES "ENGINFANTRY," COUNTERATTACKED AND REGAINED THEIR POSITIONS AFTER KILLING 52 NORTH KOREANS.
LT. ANTHONY PECORARO OF SOUTH WINDHAM, MAINE, HIS VOICE TREMBLING WITH RAGE, TOLD CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT OF ONE INCIDENT OF THE BATTLE:
"I GOT WORD ONE OF MY MACHINEGUNNERS HAD BEEN KILLED. A MEDIC AND TWO INFANTRYMEN HAD GONE OUT TO THE MACHINEGUNNER.
"THEY WERE BENDING OVER THE GUNNER WHEN 12 OF THOSE RED BASTARDS CAME UP. THE MEDIC GRABBED THE BAR (BROWNING AUTOMATIC RIFLE) AND TURNED IT ON THEM BUT IT JAMMED. THE REDS SHOT HIM IN THE STOMACH AND BAYONETTED THE TWO SOLDIERS. THEN THEY SHOT THE MEDIC IN THE BACK."
IT WAS MAN-TO-MAN FIGHTING AT SOME STAGES OF THE ALLIED ATTACK.
BUT LATE WEDNESDAY THE U.S.-SOUTH KOREAN POWER TOLD ON THE REDS WHO PULLED BACK TOWARD THEIR MAIN LINE, THE FULL 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. AT SUNSET THE FORWARD AREA WAS QUIET, CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT REPORTED.
AFTER DARK DOUGHBOYS AS FAR AS FIVE MILES BEHIND THE FRONT LINE WERE STILL FIGHTING REDS WHO TRIED TO DYNAMITE THE SUPPLY ROAD IN ONE SECTOR. IN ANOTHER THE REDS WERE CAUGHT TRYING TO LAY A MINE FIELD.
THE AMERICANS BROKE UP BOTH ATTEMPTS WITH MORTAR AND ARTILLERY SHELLING.
ALLIED PLANES SWARMED OVER THE BATTLEFRONT ALL DAY AND INTO THE NIGHT.
THE DAY'S FIGHTING BROUGHT OUT TWO OF THE SELDOM-SEEN RUSSIAN-MADE YAK FIGHTER PLANES FOR NORTH KOREAN ATTACKS ON SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL UNITS IN THE YELLOW SEA. NOTHING WAS SAID ABOUT DAMAGE.
TWO OTHER YAKS--POSSIBLY THE SAME PAIR--HAD BOMBED AND STRAFED THE BRITISH DESTROYER COMUS TUESDAY WITHOUT CAUSING ANY DAMAGE.

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ALLIED BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS CONTINUED TO POUND STRATEGIC ENEMY TARGETS AND SUPPLIES FAR AND NEAR.
AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS NOTED A SHORTAGE OF SOME OF CRITICAL RED WAR NEEDS, BUT THEY SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE STILL CAPABLE OF MOUNTING A REAL OFFENSIVE.
GENERAL MACARTHUR SAID ENEMY ATTACKS ON THE VITAL SOUTHERN FRONT BEFORE THE MAIN HARBOR OF PUSAN HAD DIMINISHED.
THE LINE WEST OF TAEGU WAS REPORTED QUIET WITH THE REDS SHOVING 6,000 MEN ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER AT HYONPUNG, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE FORTRESS CITY.
THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION WAS GUARDING THIS SECTOR ALONG THE NAKTONG.
FARTHER NORTH NEAR WAEGWAN, THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION CONSTANTLY RAKED THE REDS' WEST BANK OF THE RIVER WITH ARTILLERY FIRE AIMED TO BREAK UP TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.
ON THE EAST COAST ABOVE POHANG PORT STIFFENING RED RESISTANCE FORCED THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL DIVISION TO TAKE DEFENSIVE POSITIONS.
THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION STILL INCHED FORWARD CAUTIOUSLY IN THAT AREA. IT WAS BETWEEN SIX AND NINE MILES NORTH OF POHANG.

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DESCRIBING THE SITUATION ON THE TAEGU FRONT, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WEDNESDAY OPERATIONAL SUMMARY SAID:
"THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION AND U.S. UNITS SUPPORTING THAT DIVISION ARE UNDER CONTINUING PRESSURE, CHARACTERIZED BY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR ATTACKS AND ENEMY INFILTRATION INTO OUR REAR AREAS."
A REAR LINES HIGHWAY THE REDS HAD MANAGED TO BLOCK NEAR TABU, 11 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, WAS RE-OPENED TUESDAY NIGHT BY AMERICANS IN A TANK, ARTILLERY AND RIFLE BATTLE.
THAT WAS WHERE 11 ENEMY TANKS HAD BEEN DESTROYED IN FOUR DAYS OF BATTLE.
IN THE DEEP SOUTH, THE AMERICAN 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION, HOLDING THE COASTAL ANCHOR, BEAT OFF TWO NIGHT ATTACKS. THE DAY WAS QUIET FOR THEM.
BUT A SOUTH KOREAN SPOKESMAN WARNED THAT RED REDS HAD PUT TWO DIVISIONS IN THE COASTAL TOWN OF KOSONG, 20 MILES BELOW THE AMERICAN POSITIONS.

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PRESSURE FROM THESE TWO DIVISIONS WAS ON SOUTH KOREAN MARINES WHO HAD LANDED ALONG THE COAST AND TRIED TO LINK UP WITH THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION BEFORE MASAN, A PORT 27 AIRLINE MILES WEST OF PUSAN.
ON ALL FRONTS THERE WAS MORE TALK OF RED MORALE DETERIORATING.
AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED A RED REGIMENTAL COMMANDER SURRENDERED WITH A WHITE FLAG ON ONE FRONT.
THE COMMANDER, A 27-YEAR-OLD LIEUTENANT COLONEL, SAID:
"I DON'T WANT TO SEE ALL OF KOREA RUN THE WAY THE COMMUNISTS NOW RUN NORTH KOREA."
THE LIEUTENANT-COLONEL SPOTTED TARGETS AMONG THE REGIMENT HE DESERTED FOR ALLIED ATTACK.
AP CORRESPONDENT BILL SHINN, A NATIVE OF NORTH KOREA WHO IS A CITIZEN OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC, TALKED WITH SOME OF 1,043 COMMUNIST PRISONERS HELD BY THE ALLIES. SHINN LEARNED THAT MANY OF THEM FORMERLY WERE IN THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY IN MANCHURIA. SO WAS THE SURRENDERED LIEUTENANT COLONEL.
ONE RED POW COMPLAINED HE HAD BEEN FORCED TO FIGHT THREE DAYS WITHOUT FOOD OR WATER. OTHERS SPOKE OF HARDSHIPS AND SEVERAL SAID THEY HAD BEEN CONSCRIPTED. ONE CAPTIVE CONSCRIPT WAS 13, ANOTHER WAS 50.
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FIRST LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (250)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, AUG. 23-(AP)-ALLIED FORCES POUNDED BACK A WEDGE PUSHED INTO THEIR CENTRAL KOREAN BATTLELINE TODAY BY THE VANGUARD OF 50,000 REDS MASSED FOR ATTACK ON TAEGU FROM THE NORTH.
TROOPS FOUGHT OVER A 100-YARD-WIDE NO-MAN'S LAND. PLANES AND ARTILLERY POURED DEADLY FIRE INTO THE NARROW LINE.
ENEMY DEAD PILED UP BEFORE THE COUNTER-ATTACKING AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS.
A CRACK IN THE ALLIED LINE WOULD RELEASE FIVE NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS ON THE TAEGU SUPPLY CENTER 12 MILES TO THE SOUTH.
AN AMERICAN REGIMENTAL COMMANDER SAID THIS APPEARED TO BE THE OPENING PHASE OF AN ALL-OUT NORTH KOREAN DRIVE ON TAEGU.
THE REDS ATTACKED ALLIED ARTILLERY POSITIONS WITH HUNDREDS OF MEN ON THE AMERICAN RIGHT FLANK.

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ON ALL OTHER KOREAN GROUND FRONTS THE ALLIES HELD FIRM.
TWO RUSSIAN-MADE YAK PLANES ATTACKED THE BRITISH DESTROYER COMUS TUESDAY IN THE FIRST SHOW OF NORTH KOREAN WARPLANES IN WEEKS.
THE U.S. 5TH AIR FORCE SAID THE SHIP WAS NOT DAMAGED. THE DESTROYER WAS OPERATING ON THE WEST SIDE OF KOREA IN THE YELLOW SEA.
A PAIR OF YAKS---POSSIBLY THE SAME ONES---BOMBED AND STRAFED SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL UNITS IN THE YELLOW SEA WEDNESDAY. RESULTS WERE NOT DISCLOSED.
THE GROUND BATTLE BEFORE TAEGU OPENED AT DAWN. DOUGHBOYS RAMMED THEIR ATTACK INTO ADVANCED NORTH KOREAN POSITIONS. THE REDS HAD SEEPED IN UNDER THE COVER OF DARKNESS.

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SOME COMMUNISTS WERE WITHIN EIGHT MILES OF TAEGU. BUT THE MAIN BATTLE LINE STRETCHED THROUGH RUGGED MOUNTAINS AS MUCH AS 12 MILES NORTH OF THE FORTRESS CITY AND IMPORTANT RAIL HUB.

THE FIRST AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN ASSAULTS PUSHED THE REDS BACK HALF A MILE.

THE TAEGU CORRIDOR FIGHTING WAS THE HEAVIEST ANYWHERE ON THE CURVING 120-MILE KOREAN WAR PERIMETER.

GENERAL MACARTHUR SAID ENEMY ATTACKS ON THE SOUTHERN COASTAL FRONT HAD DIMINISHED. THE FRONT TO THE WEST OF TAEGU WAS REPORTED QUIET. ON THE EAST COAST THE NORTH KOREANS STIFFENED AND FORCED ADVANCING SOUTH KOREANS INTO DEFENSE POSITIONS.

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AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS BRACED AGAINST A BUILDING POWERHOUSE BLOW EXPECTED FROM FIVE NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS.

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AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED THE REDS HAD DRIFTED ALONG FLANKING RIDGES IN SUFFICIENT NUMBERS TO MOUNT A REGIMENTAL ATTACK OF PERHAPS 3,000 MEN.

INTENSIVE ALLIED AIR AND GROUND BOMBARDMENT BLUNTED THAT WEDGE. FORTY-FOUR THOUSAND POUNDS OF BOMBS WERE USED.

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THE ALLIED ATTACK WEDNESDAY MORNING WAS INTENDED TO CLEAN THE REDS OUT OF AREAS SOUTH OF THE MAIN FRONT.

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AFTER PUSHING THE FORWARD COMMUNISTS BACK, THE AMERICAN DOUGHBOYS BUCKED INTO LARGER ENEMY FORCES.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD AT THE FRONT REPORTED ONE NORTH KOREAN SPEARHEAD MOVED TO WITHIN EIGHT MILES OF TAEGU IN THE PRE-DAWN OF WEDNESDAY. IT THREATENED AMERICAN SUPPLY LINES.

THREE TIMES DURING THE TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY DARKNESS ALLIED SOLDIERS BATTLED INFILTRATING REDS BACK.

BUT WHEN DAWN CAME THE REDS HELD HIGHER GROUND THAN THE ALLIES AND POURED HEAVY FIRE INTO THE ATTACKING UNITED NATIONS MEN.

INFILTRATED REDS CHOPPED AT AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY POSITIONS WITH MORTARS, MACHINEGUNS AND SMALL ARMS.

U.S. FIGHTER PLANES WERE CALLED UP TO ROCKET AND BOMB THE ENEMY FROM THEIR POSITIONS.

PILOTS REPORTED SUCCESSFULLY STRIKING TROOP CONCENTRATIONS BEHIND THE LINES.

A REAR LINES HIGHWAY WHICH THE REDS HAD MANAGED TO BLOCK WITH SMALL ARMS FIRE NEAR TABU, 11 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, WAS OPENED BY AMERICAN TROOPS IN A TANK, ARTILLERY AND RIFLE BATTLE.

ELEVEN ENEMY TANKS HAD BEEN DESTROYED IN FOUR DAYS OF FIGHTING.

ALONG THE SOUTHERN COASTAL APPROACH TO PUSAN, THE ALLIES ALL-IMPORTANT SOUTH KOREAN PORT, THE AMERICAN 25TH INFANTRY BEAT BACK TWO LIGHT RED ASSAULTS.

THE AMERICANS IN THE SOUTH WERE HIT AT 6:30 A.M. WEDNESDAY (3:30 P.M. EST TUESDAY) WITH TWO SMALL ATTACKS AFTER THEY HAD HURLED BACK AN ATTACK TUESDAY NIGHT AGAINST THEIR POSITIONS ON SOBUK RIDGE SOUTH OF TUNDOK.

A U.S. INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID THE THREAT WEST OF MASAN, 27 AIRLINE MILES WEST OF PUSAN, WAS STILL MENACING BECAUSE THE SOUTHERN ROUTE IS THE SHORTEST TO PUSAN.

HE SAID CONTINUED RED PRESSURE MAY BE EXPECTED AROUND HAMAN AND CHUNGAM, NORTHWEST OF MASAN.

IN THE EXTREME SOUTH COASTAL AREA THE COMMUNISTS HEIGHTENED THEIR RESISTANCE TO ADVANCING SOUTH KOREAN MARINES.

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ALONG THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID, THE NORTH KOREANS HAD BUILT UP THEIR BRIDGEHEAD OPPOSITE HYONPUNG TO 6,000 MEN. HYONPUNG IS 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THERE WAS LITTLE ACTIVITY IN THIS AREA GUARDED BY THE AMERICAN 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION.

HE SAID THE COMMUNISTS WERE USING ARTILLERY IN AN EFFORT TO WIDEN THEIR EASTERN BANK BRIDGEHEAD.

INCESSANT AIR BLOWS AT THE NORTH KOREANS WERE HAVING A TELLING EFFECT ON ALL FRONTS.

RED SUPPLY LINES LAGGED AND MEN AND OXEN WERE BEING PRESSED INTO HARNESS TO MOVE FOOD AND AMMUNITION.

EXAMPLES OF THE CRACKING MORALE OF THE NORTH KOREANS CAME FROM TWO SOURCES.

AP CORRESPONDENTS HAL BOYLE AND BILL SHINN INTERVIEWED TWO CAPTIVE RED OFFICERS ON SEPARATE FRONTS.

BOYLE REPORTED THE 27-YEAR-OLD COMMANDER OF A RED ARTILLERY REGIMENT SURRENDERED UNDER A WHITE FLAG TO THE SOUTH KOREANS NEAR TABU WITH THE STATEMENT:

"I DON'T WANT TO SEE ALL KOREA RUN THE WAY THE COMMUNISTS NOW RUN NORTH KOREA. I DON'T LIKE THE WAY THEY TREAT HUMAN BEINGS. MOST OF MY REGIMENT WOULD LIKE TO SURRENDER BUT THEY ARE TOO CLOSELY WATCHED BY SECRET POLITICAL AGENTS (COMMISSARS) IN THE ARMY. NO ONE CAN TRUST ANOTHER FOR FEAR HE IS A SECRET AGENT."

THE PRISONER IS A LIEUTENANT COLONEL WHOSE NAME WAS WITHHELD TO PROTECT HIS FAMILY IN NORTH KOREA.

THE REGIMENTAL COMMANDER PINPOINTED HIS 22 ARTILLERY PIECES IN AN ORCHARD FOR AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND PLANE ATTACK.

CORRESPONDENT SHINN, AN AMERICAN-EDUCATED FORMER NORTH KOREAN, TALKED WITH CAPT. PAK TONG HYUP AT A PRISON CAMP WHERE 1,043 OTHER RED PRISONERS WERE HELD.

SHINN REPORTED THE CAPTAIN ONCE BELONGED TO THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY AND WAS TRANSFERRED TO THE NORTH KOREAN RED FORCES IN JULY, 1947.

ANOTHER OF THE PRISONERS TOLD OF FIGHTING THREE DAYS WITHOUT FOOD OR WATER BECAUSE OF SUPPLY DIFFICULTIES.

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TO FURTHER COMPLICATE THE NORTH KOREAN SUPPLY PROBLEM ALLIED PLANES LAMBASTED NORTHERN TARGETS AGAIN.

B-29S HIT THREE NORTHERN EAST COAST CITIES -- CHONGJIN, SONGJIN AND HAMHUNG.

THE BIG BOMBERS ALSO BLASTED RAILROAD YARDS AT PYONGYANG, THE NORTHERN CAPITAL. A SENIOR OFFICER ON THE RAID SAID THE B-29S CAUGHT A BACKLOG OF NORTH KOREAN SUPPLIES PILED UP BY BLASTED-OUT RAILS LEADING TO THE SOUTH.

AT THE CRACK OF DAWN WEDNESDAY AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN FIGHTERS TOOK TO THE AIR TO SUPPORT ALLIED TROOPS AT THE FRONT. THEY MACHINE-

GUNNED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WITH GOOD EFFECT, FRONT REPORTS SAID.

NAVAL PATROLS ALONG THE EAST AND WEST COASTS CONTINUED. SHORE BOMBARDMENTS OF EAST COAST PORTS WERE REPORTED.

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TOKYO--FOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (ORIGINAL, A35-38FX) 8TH GRAPH FROM END MAY READ X X X AMERICAN-EDUCATED NATIVE OF NORTH KOREA WHO IS A CITIZEN OF THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC, TALKED WITH X X X

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD AERIAL

TOKYO,THURSDAY, AUG. 24-(AP)-AMERICAN JETS SHOT UP KOREAN COMMUNIST TROOPS AND SUPPLIES TODAY ON THE SOUTHERN END OF THE BATTLEFRONT IN THE MASAN SECTOR.

A FAR EAST AIR AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS AT 9:40 A.M. (6:40 P.M., WEDNESDAY, EST) SAID:

"F-80 JETS WERE IN THE AIR AT 6:04 THIS MORNING FOR ENEMY TROOP TARGETS SOUTHWEST OF MASAN. THEY USED ALL THEIR AMMUNITION AND ROCKETS BY 8 A. M. AND THE CONTROLLERS REPORTED A NUMBER OF TROOPS AND SUPPLIES SHOT UP."

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS ALSO WERE OUT EARLY TODAY BUT THE SUMMARY DID NOT SPECIFY THE TARGETS.

GOOD WEATHER REPORTS FROM ALL SECTORS PRESAGED ANOTHER BUSY DAY BY THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE WHICH WEDNESDAY FLEW NEARLY 500 SORTIES.

A FIELD DISPATCH FROM FIFTH AIR FORCE ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA SAID UNITED NATIONS WARPLANES FLEW 559 SORTIES WEDNESDAY. THE FIGHTER-BOMBER PILOTS CONCENTRATED ON GROUND SUPPORT MISSIONS, A SPOKESMAN ADDED, WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON RED TROOPS ON THE NORTHERN FRONT.

BIG SUPERFORT BOMBERS RANGED NORTHWARD WEDNESDAY HITTING KEY RAILROAD AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES, THE SUMMARY SAID, ADDING THEY BOMBED KAESONG'S RAILWAY YARDS WITH "GOOD RESULTS."

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS ALSO ATTACKED RED MARSHALLING YARDS WEDNESDAY NIGHT WITH ONE OF THEIR TARGETS ALSO KAESONG, JUST SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL AND THE FIRST CITY TAKEN BY THE REDS IN THEIR INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA.

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NIGHT LEAD AERIAL (600)

TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.24-(AP)-THE BRITISH DESTROYER COMUS AND SOME SOUTH KOREAN VESSELS WERE ATTACKED TUESDAY NIGHT AND WEDNESDAY BY TWO RARELY-SEEN RUSSIAN-MADE YAK FIGHTERS OF THE NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE.

THE YAKS STRAFED AND BOMBED THE COMUS TUESDAY NIGHT IN THE YELLOW SEA OFF THE WEST COAST OF KOREA. THE DESTROYER, HELPING TO PROVIDE A SEA BLOCKADE OF THE WEST COAST, DID NOT MAKE A DAMAGE REPORT.

THE SOUTH KOREAN VESSELS WERE ATTACKED WEDNESDAY MORNING SOUTHWEST OF SEOUL, FORMER REPUBLICAN CAPITAL NEAR THE WEST COAST. IT WAS NOT REPORTED WHETHER THE VESSELS WERE DAMAGED.

BOTH ATTACKS PROBABLY WERE MADE BY THE SAME PLANES. THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS SELDOM PUT PLANES INTO THE AIR. THEY EITHER ARE TRYING TO CONSERVE THEM, OR ARE FINDING THEMSELVES TOO OUTNUMBERED TO TAKE THE RISK.

THE ALLIES, ON THE OTHER HAND, ARE PUTTING ALL TYPES OF PLANES INTO THE AIR ON AN AROUND-THE-CLOCK BASIS, FLYING BOTH STRATEGIC AND TACTICAL MISSIONS. MORE THAN 550 SORTIES WERE FLOWN TUESDAY IN ONE OF THE BIGGEST DAYS OF THE TWO-MONTH OLD WAR.

AUSTRALIAN MUSTANGS, FLYING FROM THEIR BASES IN JAPAN, PLASTERED A VEHICLE CONVOY WEDNESDAY SOUTH OF WONSAN WITH ROCKET AND MACHINEGUN FIRE. WONSAN IS AN IMPORTANT RED SEAPORT ON THE EAST COAST OF NORTH KOREA.

OTHER FLIGHTS OF AUSSIE MUSTANGS WEDNESDAY CONTINUED CLOSE GROUND SUPPORT NORTH OF KIGYE, JUST WEST OF POHANG, SOUTH KOREA'S NO.2 PORT ON THE EAST COAST.

THE AUSTRALIANS STRADDLED AN ENEMY ARTILLERY POST NORTH OF KIGYE WITH 250 AND 500-POUND BOMBS.

AN ENEMY-HELD RIDGE NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN, 13 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, WAS BOMBED AND STRAFED.

U.S. FORCES ARE HELPING THE SOUTH KOREANS TO ESTABLISH THEIR OWN AIR FORCE, DIVIDING THEIR TIME BETWEEN TEACHING THE SOUTH KOREANS AND GOING OUT ON MISSIONS THEMSELVES. THE "FLYING SCHOOL TEACHERS" ARE OFFICIALLY KNOWN AS THE KOREAN AIR FORCE ADVISORY GROUP, LED BY MAJ.DEAN HESS OF MARIETTA, OHIO.

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THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED THAT "THE GROWING AIR POTENTIAL" OF U.S. AND AUSTRALIA AIR FORCES IN KOREA WAS HURLED AGAINST THE ENEMY TUESDAY IN "THE MOST ACTIVE DAY OF AIR OPERATIONS SINCE THE WAR BEGAN ALMOST TWO MONTHS AGO.

THE FEAF SAID "THERE IS A GROWING PAUCITY OF GROUND TARGETS NOTED IN THE PAST TWO OR THREE DAYS."

THE SCARCITY WAS ATTRIBUTED "PARTIALLY TO DIMINISHING STOCKS OF NORTHKOREAN MECHANIZED EQUIPMENT AND PARTIALLY TO DETERMINED EFFORT OF COMMUNIST FORCES TO AVOID AIR ATTACKS BY KEEPING REMAINING EQUIPMENT OUT OF SIGHT DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS."

FIGHTER BOMBERS OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE LAUNCHED THEIR FIRST ATTACKS TUESDAY, STRIKING THE ENEMY'S CRIPPLED TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM AND RED ARMOR.

ONE FLIGHT OF F-51 MUSTANGS LED BY CAPT.ARNOLD MULLINS OF ASHLAND, KY., DAMAGED 10 BOXCARS, TWO TRUCKS AND FOUR LOCOMOTIVES IN A PRE-DAWN ATTACK ON MARSHALLING YARDS NORTH OF SEOUL.

JETS ROCKETED AND STRAFED A RAILROAD TUNNEL NORTHEAST OF KUNWI, WHERE THE ENEMY WAS REPORTED TAKING REFUGE. KUNWI IS 25 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. OTHER TARGETS NEAR TAEGU WERE ATTACKED.

TEN LOCOMOTIVES WERE LEFT IN SMOKING RUINS WHEN SIX F-51 MUSTANGS STRUCK SARIWON, IN CENTRAL KOREA NEAR THE WEST COAST. TWO MORE LOCOMOTIVES AND 15 BOXCARS WERE REPORTED DAMAGED BY A LATER ATTACK.

SIX VILLAGES ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WERE STRAFED AND BOMBED.

RED TROOPS AND SUPPLIES AT SONSAN, 30 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, WERE TARGETS OF 100-POUND ANTI-PERSONNEL BOMBS. LT.COL.LELAND WALKER, SALT LAKE CITY, SAID A COLUMN OF SMOKE AND FLAME SHROUDED THE TARGET AFTER THE BOMBS WERE DROPPED.

OTHER LIGHT BOMBER ATTACKS WERE MADE ON SUNCHON, 30 MILES NORTH OF PYONGYANG. A CONVOY AT SANGJU, 45 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, AND RAILYARDS NORTH OF SEOUL WERE OTHER TARGETS.

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THE THURSDAY MORNING SUMMARY REPORTED THESE OPERATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS:

"ACCORDING TO YESTERDAY LATE MISSION REPORTS, OXCARTS LOADED WITH SUPPLIES FOR THE COMMUNISTS EXPLODED AND BURNED IN A SMALL VILLAGE WEST OF SINDAM FOLLOWING AN ATTACK BY FOUR F-80 JETS." THE MISSION WAS LED BY LT.PHILLIP R.SAFORD, 19015 SHELBURNE ROAD, CLEVELAND.

IN THE KUNWI SECTOR, NORTH OF TAEGU WHERE THE COMMUNISTS HAVE MASSED OSTENSIBLY FOR AN IMPENDING DRIVE, LT.RICHARD BARTLY, OF LOS ANGELES, REPORTED THAT A LATE WEDNESDAY MISSION OF F-80 JETS KNOCKED OUT A RAILROAD BRIDGE.

CAPT.ELBERT M.STRINGER, OF MOBERLY, MO., LED THE B-26S ON NIGHT MISSIONS AGAINST MARSHALLING YARDS.

"WE HIT BOXCARS AND INFLICTED DAMAGE AT ALL PLACES," CAPTAIN STRINGER SAID.

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A2WX (DEAN)

DEAN

WASHINGTON, AUG.23-(AP)-THE ARMY SAID TODAY IT HAS RECEIVED NO INFORMATION INDICATING THAT MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM F. DEAN, FORMER COMMANDER OF THE 24TH DIVISION IN KOREA, HAS BEEN KILLED BY THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN MADE THIS STATEMENT IN RESPONSE TO A REPORTER'S INQUIRY.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID DEAN IS LISTED OFFICIALLY AS MISSING IN ACTION. HE WAS LAST SEEN BY HIS MEN DURING THE BITTER FIGHTING AROUND TAEJON FIVE WEEKS AGO.

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BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 24-(AP)--ADM.FORREST SHERMAN, U.S. CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, SAID TODAY HE UNDERSTANDS AMERICAN AUTHORITIES HAVE EVIDENCE THE RUSSIANS HAVE SUPPLIED EQUIPMENT TO THE KOREAN REDS SINCE THE WAR BEGAN IN KOREA.

THE ADMIRAL SAID ON HIS RETURN FROM A BRIEF VISIT TO THE KOREAN WAR FRONT:

"NOBODY BELIEVES THE NORTH KOREANS ARE MANUFACTURING THEIR OWN WAR MATERIEL."

ASKED SPECIFICALLY IF HE KNEW WHETHER THE NORTH KOREANS HAD RECEIVED SOVIET SUPPLIES SINCE THE START OF THE WAR, HE REPLIED:

"THE AUTHORITIES HERE KNOW MORE ABOUT THAT THAN I DO. BUT IS IS MY UNDERSTANDING THERE IS EVIDENCE."

IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL, RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK HAS MAINTAINED THE SOVIET UNION HAS NOT FURNISHED MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO THE KOREAN REDS SINCE 1948.

THE ADMIRAL SAID THE NAVY'S FAST INCREASING KOREAN WAR FORCE NOW TOTALS 150 SHIPS OF ALL CLASSES AND 90,000 MEN. HE ADDED THAT THE FLEET BUILDUP WOULD INCLUDE MORE SUBMARINES AND ANTI-SUBMARINE UNITS.

THE NAVY NOW IS OPERATING, IN CONNECTION WITH KOREAN HOSTILITIES, A FAST CARRIER TASK FORCE, AN ESCORT TASK FORCE, A BLOCKADING SQUADRON, AN AMPHIBIOUS FORCE, AN AERIAL PATROL FORCE AND A "GREAT MANY AUXILIAIRES."

THE ADMIRAL SAID THAT WARSHIPS, IN THEIR SHORE BOMBARDMENTS, HAVE PROVED TO BE "ARTILLERY WITH THE VERY GREATEST MOBILITY." HE ADDED THAT THE CAMPAIGN ALREADY HAS SHOWN THE "OUTSTANDING CAPABILITY OF CARRIER AIR POWER."

HE STRESSED THE "IMPORTANCE OF UNDERSTANDING THE MAGNITUDE OF MOVING MEN AND SUPPLIES" OVER THOUSANDS OF OCEAN MILES FROM THE UNITED STATES TO THE WAR ZONE.

ADMIRAL SHERMAN DECLINED TO SAY IF HE THOUGHT THE DANGER OF INVASION OF FORMOSA BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAD PASSED BUT REMARKED "IT HASN'T HAPPENED YET."

THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET AND ITS PLANES ARE PATROLLING THE AREA BETWEEN FORMOSA AND CHINA'S COMMUNISTS ON THE MAINLAND.

THE ADMIRAL SAID THE FLEET BUILDUP WOULD INCREASE BOTH THE PACIFIC AND ATLANTIC NAVAL FORCES AND WOULD MAINTAIN A BALANCE IN ALL CATEGORIES.

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TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 24-(AP)- GEN. J. LAWTON COLLINS, U. S. ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, RETURNED FROM KOREA TODAY AND SAID "THINGS ARE COMING ALONG VERY WELL OVER THERE."

COLLINS SAID HE IS "WELL PLEASED" WITH THE MORALE OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES. HE EXPRESSED PARTICULAR ADMIRATION FOR THE ROCK-LIKE DEFENSE OF THE AMERICAN 27TH "WOLFHOUND" REGIMENT IN THE BATTLE FOR TAEGU.

HE PRAISED COOPERATION BETWEEN AMERICANAND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.

EQUIPMENT STILL IS NEEDED, COLLINS SAID, ADDING:

"WE HAVE A TOUGH JOB STILL AHEAD."

FORCES FROM OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS WOULD BE "EXTREMELY WELCOME" COLLINS SAID. HE ADDED: "THERE INEVITABLY WILL BE PROBLEMS OF SUPPLY AND LANGUAGE, BUT I AM SURE WE WILL BE ABLE TO INTEGRATE THEM."

THE CHIEF OF STAFF SAID "I GOT THE IMPRESSION ENEMY MORALE IS GOING DOWN---DEFINITELY DOWN. THERE HAVE BEEN SOME SURRENDERS RECENTLY THAT WERE RATHER SURPRISING. HOWEVER, I DON'T WANT TO GIVE THE IMPRESSION THIS THING IS FOLDED UP BY ANY MEANS."

COLLINS SAID THERE IS NO ATMOSPHERE OF HYSTERIA OR FEAR AT EITHER TAEGU , KEY BASE BEHIND THE U. S.-SOUTH KOREAN FRONT, OR AT PUSAN, THE MAIN SUPPLY PORT AT THE SOUTHEASTERN TIP OOF THE PENINSULA.

HE SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN GOVERNMENT AND POLICE WERE "DOING A GOOD JOB."

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B29KX (Q) (RAAF)

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TOKYO, AUG. 23-(AP)-WING COMMANDER LOUIS T. SPENCE OF BRISBANE, QUEENSLAND, TUESDAY WAS PRESENTED THE LEGION OF MERIT BY LT.GEN. GEORGE E. STRATEMEYER, CHIEF OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES.

SPENCE IS COMMANDER OF THE AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER SQUADRON WORKING CLOSELY WITH THE FIFTH AIR FORCE IN THE KOREAN WAR.

THE AMERICAN DECORATION WAS PRESENTED TO THE AUSTRALIAN FLIER JUST AFTER HE RETURNED FROM AN OPERATIONAL FLIGHT.

THE CITATION, READ BY STRATEMEYER, PRAISED SPENCE'S OUTSTANDING QUALITIES AS LEADER OF THE AUSTRALIAN 77TH SQUADRON AND THE EXCELLENT JOB THE AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER PILOTS HAD DONE IN THEIR ATTACKS ON ENEMY'S TROOPS AND SUPPLIES.

STRATEMEYER SAID HE WAS PROUD OF THE AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER SQUADRON'S ACHIEVEMENTS AS WELL AS THOSE OF SPENCE'S INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE.

THE CITATION SAID:

"WING COMMANDER LOUIS T. SPENCE. RAAF. HAS DEMONSTRATED OUTSTAN-

DING LEADERSHIP IN PREPARATION OF HIS UNIT FOR COMBAT. UNDER SUPERVISION OF THIS OFFICER THE 77TH SQUADRON, RAAF, ENTERED COMBAT WITH ALL AIRCRAFT OPERATIONAL RESULTING IN IMMEDIATE AND EFFECTIVE AIR STRIKES AGAINST THE AGGRESSORS. DURING THE PERIOD OF JULY 16 TO AUGUST 21 A TOTAL OF 553 COMBAT SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY THISTO

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AUGUST 21 A TOTAL OF 553 COMBAT SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY THIS UNIT WITH HEAVY LOSSES INFLICTED UPON ENEMY IN PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT. WING COMMANDER SPENCE HAS BEEN A CONSTANT SOURCE OF INSPIRATION TO OFFICERS AND MEN OF HIS COMMAND. HIS DEEP DEVOTION TO DUTY AND PERSONAL COURAGE REFLECT GREAT CREDIT UPON HIMSELF AND THE RAAF."

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TOKYO,THURSDAY, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST RADIO SAID TODAY 21 COMMUNIST CHINA ORGANIZATIONS HAVE ISSUED A STATEMENT PROTESTING UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BOMBINGS IN KOREA.

A BROADCAST FROM PEIPING SAID THE AIR ATTACKS HAVE CREATED "GHOST AREAS IN WHICH ALL LIFE AND HABITATION HAS BEEN DESTROYED."

THE CHINESE RED STATEMENT SAID THE AMERICANS HAVE NOT THE SLIGHTEST HUMAN FEELING FOR EITHER THE PEOPLE OF NORTH OR SOUTH KOREA.

PARTIES AND GROUPS SIGNING THE STATEMENT RANGED FROM THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CHINA TO THE ALL-CHINA FEDERATION OF LITERATURE AND ARTS. SIGNATORS ALSO INCLUDED THE TAIWAN (FORMOSA) DEMOCRATIC SELF-GOVERNMENT LEAGUE.

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TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 23-(AP)-RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, SON OF THE FORMER PRIME MINISTER, AND FRANK EMERY, AN AMERICAN NEWSMAN, WERE WOUNDED BY MORTAR FIRE IN KOREA, A PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER ANNOUNCED TODAY.

CHURCHILL, A CORRESPONDENT FOR THE LONDON DAILY TELEGRAPH, WAS HIT ONCE IN THE RIGHT LEG.

EMERY, CORRESPONDENT FOR INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE, WAS HIT THREE PLACES---THE LEFT THIGH, SIDE AND LEG.

THE ARMY SAID NEITHER CHURCHILL NOR EMERY WAS WOUNDED SERIOUSLY. BOTH WERE ABLE TO WALK.

CHURCHILL AND EMERY WERE ACCOMPANYING AN AMERICAN PATROL ACROSS THE NAKTONG WHEN THEY WERE HIT. THE PATROL HAD STARTED BACK WHEN ENEMY MORTAR SHELLS DROPPED AMONG THEM.

ONE SOLDIER WAS HIT SO BADLY THAT HE WAS LEFT BEHIND.

CHURCHILL AND EMERY WERE TREATED AT A BATTALION AID STATION, THE ARMY REPORTED. SURGEONS FOUND A HOLE THE SIZE OF A HALF DOLLAR NEAR CHURCHILL'S SHINBONE. SPLINTERS WERE BURIED THERE.

CHURCHILL RADIOED HIS FATHER IMMEDIATELY WHEN HE RETURNED TO THE PRESS CAMP ASSURING HIM HE WAS ALL RIGHT.

EMERY, MIDDLE AGED VETERAN CORRESPONDENT OF THE LAST WAR, WAS CHIEF OF BUREAU IN MANILA BEFORE HIS TRANSFER TO KOREA TO COVER HOSTILITIES THERE.

HE IS A NATIVE OF BEVERLY HILLS, CALIF.

THEIR WOUNDS BRING CORRESPONDENTS' CASUALTIES IN KOREA TO 17.

EDITOR AND PUBLISHER LISTS WAR CORRESPONDENTS' PREVIOUS CASUALTIES IN KOREA AS EIGHT DEAD,TWO MISSING, ONE CAPTURED AND FOUR INJURED.

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TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN PYONGYANG RADIO SAID TODAY AMERICAN FORCES WERE COUNTERATTACKING ON BOTH THE TAEGU AND SOUTH COAST FRONTS.

THE RED ARMY COMMUNIQUE ADDED THAT COMMUNIST FORCES HAD REPULSED THE U. S. ASSAULTS.

FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT AY, THE BROADCAST,

FOR THE SECOND STRAIGHT DAY, THE BROADCAST, MONITORED HERE, REPORTED THE SINKING OF AN AMERICAN DESTROYER. THIS LATEST SINKING THE REDS SAID, TOOK PLACE TUESDAY SOUTHWEST OF INCHON.

(THE FAR EAST NAVY COMMAND HAS NOT REPORTED THE LOSS OF ANY AMERICAN WARSHIPS).

THE NORTH KOREANS ALSO SAID THEY KNOCKED DOWN TWO U. S. FIGHTER PLANES RAIDING PYONGYANG WEDNESDAY.

(AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED THE LOSS OF A F-51 TO ENEMY GROUND FIRE TUESDAY

BUT DID NOT SPECIFY IN WHAT AREA.)

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TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.24-(AP)-AN AMERICAN DESTROYER WEDNESDAY SHELLED CHONGJIN, THE BATTERED NORTH KOREA EAST COAST PORT JUST 60 MILES FROM RUSSIAN TERRITORY, STARTING FIRES VISIBLE 10 MILES AT SEA.

A FAR EAST NAVY SUMMARY SAID IT WAS THE SECOND TIME THAT U.S. NAVAL GUNS HAS BOMBARDED TARGETS IN THE PORT CITY. THE NAVY ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THAT A DESTROYER HAD SHELLED THE CITY SUNDAY.

IN THE PAST FIVE DAYS U.S. B-29S HAVE PLASTERED THE CITY WITH 1,100 TONS OF BOMBS.

THE NAVY SAID ANOTHER AMERICAN DESTROYER BLEW UP A TRAIN SHED AND A FACTORY ON THE EAST COAST. THIS SAME DESTROYER ALSO SCORED HITS ON AN OIL STORAGE TANK, A FACTORY AND A WAREHOUSE.

OTHER UNITS OF AN EAST COAST BLOCKADE FORCE BOMBARDED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, ROADS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS IN THE POHANG AREA.

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PRECEDE WASHINGTON DEAN (200)

TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 24-(AP)-A REPORT THAT MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM F. DEAN, FORMER COMMANDER OF THE U. S. 24TH DIVISION, HAD BEEN CAPTURED AND MURDERED BY NORTH KOREANS COULD NOT BE CONFIRMED OFFICIALLY HERE TODAY.

THE INFORMATION ABOUT DEAN REPORTEDLY CAME FROM CAPTURED COMMUNIST TROOPS.

ONE OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID TODAY:

"WE KNOW NOTHING ABOUT IT. I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHO THE PRISONERS WERE AND WHAT THEY SAID."

NORMALLY INFORMATION OF THIS TYPE FROM FIELD INTERROGATIONS IS RELAYED PROMPTLY TO THIS OFFICIAL.

GENERAL DEAN IS OFFICIALLY LISTED AS MISSING IN ACTION.

THE LAST AUTHENTICATED INFORMATION ABOUT HIM WAS HIS AIDES' REPORT THAT THE GENERAL GOT OUT OF THE FLAMING BATTLE FOR TAEJON JULY 22 AND WAS LAST SEEN UNINJURED ON A MOUNTAIN RIDGE NEAR THE CITY.

THE GENERAL TOLD A GROUP OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS TO WAIT FOR HIM WHILE HE WENT DOWN INTO A RAVINE LOOKING FOR STRAGGLRS. THE PARTY WENT ON WITHOUT HIM AFTER WAITING FOR TWO HOURS. AT THE TIME, THE AMERICANS WERE NOT UNDER FIRE.

REPORTS PUBLISHED HERE SAID UNIDENTIFIED RED PRISONERS REPORTED THE GENERAL HAD BEEN SHOT, THEN STABBED TO DEATH BY NORTH KOREANS. NOTHING IN THESE STORIES INDICATED HOW THE PRISONERS IDENTIFIED

THE GENERAL OR WHETHER ANY OF THE CAPTIVES ACTUALLY WAS SUPPOSED TO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN THE REPORTED MURDER.
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TAEGU (600)
BY HAL BOYLE
TAEGU FRONT, KOREA, AUG. 22-(DELAYED FOR SECURITY REASONS)-(AP)--THE 27-YEAR-OLD COMMANDER OF A RED KOREAN ARTILLERY REGIMENT WALKED UP TO THE SOUTH KOREAN LINES TODAY WITH A WHITE FLAG AND SURRENDERED. HE IS THE HIGHEST RANKED ENEMY IN ALLIED HANDS.

"I DON'T WANT TO SEE ALL KOREA RUN THE WAY THE COMMUNISTS NOW RUN NORTH KOREA," SAID THE COMMANDER, A LIEUTENANT COLONEL. "I DON'T LIKE THE WAY THEY TREAT HUMAN BEINGS."

HE COMMANDED THE 13TH REGIMENT OF THE NORTH KOREAN 15TH DIVISION. NOW HE IS SPOTTING RED POSITIONS FOR ALLIED AIR AND ARTILLERY ATTACKS.

"MOST OF MY REGIMENT WOULD LIKE TO SURRENDER," HE SAID, "BUT THEY ARE TOO CLOSELY WATCHED BY SECRET POLITICAL AGENTS IN THE ARMY. NO ONE CAN TRUST ANOTHER FOR FEAR HE IS A SECRET AGENT."

HE SAID ANOTHER OBSTACLE TO A MASS SURRENDER OF HIS REGIMENT WAS THE FACT HE COULDNT GET HIS TROOPS TOGETHER IN LARGE NUMBERS BECAUSE OF INCESSANT AMERICAN AIR ATTACKS AND ARTILLERY BARRAGES.

HE CAME THROUGH THE SOUTH KOREAN LINES ALONE AT 10 A.M. NEAR TABU 11 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU AFTER HIS PERSONAL MESSENGER REFUSED TO ACCOMPANY HIM.

THIS DEFECTION BY THE REGIMENTAL COMMANDER GAVE THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES THEIR HIGHEST RANKING PRISONER OF WAR AND CONFIRMED REPORTS THAT MORALE IS BAD AMONG ENEMY TROOPS MASSED FOR ALL-OUT ATTACK TO SEIZE TAEGU. ANOTHER PRISONER SAID HE HAD FOUGHT FOR THREE DAYS WITHOUT FOOD OR WATER BECAUSE OF SUPPLY DIFFICULTIES.

THE LIEUTENANT COLONEL, NEATLY CLAD IN BLACK BOOTS AND KHAKI UNIFORM WITH RED PIPING AND FIELD CAP BEARING A RED STAR, WAS A POLITE, CHEERFUL AND OBLIGING PRISONER.

HE PINPOINTED THE POSITION OF HIS 22 ARTILLERY PIECES HIDDEN IN AN APPLE ORCHARD. FIGHTER PLANES CARRYING NAPALM (JELLIED GASOLINE) BOMBS WERE IMMEDIATELY SENT TO ATTACK THE ORCHARD AND AMERICAN ARTILLERY BEGAN TO BOMBARD IT.

WHEN THE COMMANDER GAVE HIMSELF UP, SOUTH KOREANS CALLED LT. FRANK DIETRICH OF TRAVERS CITY, MICH., COMMANDING A HEAVY MORTAR COMPANY THAT HAS BEEN SUPPORTING REPUBLIC OF KOREA TROOPS.

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DIETRICH TOOK THE LIEUTENANT COLONEL TO THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE U.S. 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT. DIRT-STAINED DOUGHBOYS LOOKED WITH INTEREST AT THE ERECT LITTLE MAN CARRYING A LEATHER MAP CASE SLUNG FROM HIS SHOULDER. THEY HAD NEVER SEEN ANYTHING LIKE HIM--AND THEY HAD BEEN FIGHTING THE ENEMY MORE THAN A MONTH WITH LITTLE REST.

"WHAT IS HE?" ASKED ONE SOLDIER.

"HE IS A BRASS GOOK," ANSWERED ANOTHER.

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"HE IS A BRASS GOOK," ANSWERED ANOTHER.

THE NORTH KOREAN TOOK THE INSPECTION WITH COMPOSURE AND THEN WALKED BRISKLY TO A TENT TO BE QUESTIONED. HE TOOK OUT HIS OWN PERSONAL MAPS TO POINT OUT THE EXACT LOCATION OF HIS GUN BATTERIES. HE SMILED AND APPEARED AT EASE.

"HE IS VERY FRIENDLY," SAID LT. DIETRICH. "WHEN I FIRST MET HIM HE JUMPED RIGHT UP AND WANTED TO SHAKE HANDS. HE SPEAKS A FEW WORDS OF ENGLISH--BUT I COULDN'T UNDERSTAND HIM."

FORMAL INTERROGATION WAS IN JAPANESE WITH LT. HENRY H. KUWABARA OF 144 WEST FIRST ST. SOUTH, SALT LAKE CITY AS INTERPRETER.

THE LIEUTENANT COLONEL SAID HE HAD SERVED IN THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY ORIGINALLY, THEN TRANSFERRED TO THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY AFTER THE LIBERATION OF KOREA.

"I WANTED TO GET OUT BUT COULDN'T," HE SAID, ADDING THAT HE HAD TWO BROTHERS AND MANY CLOSE FRIENDS IN SOUTH KOREA.

"MY OWN ARMY DOES NOT TRUST ME. THEY DO NOT THINK I HAVE CARRIED OUT MY ARTILLERY MISSION SUCCESSFULLY," THE LIEUTENANT COLONEL SAID.

HE SAID HE CAME FROM HOKPO, A VILLAGE IN NORTHWEST KOREA, AND THAT HE HAD ONCE BELONGED TO THE NORTH KOREAN YOUTH PARTY, A RIGHT WING ORGANIZATION. HE DID NOT EXPLAIN HOW HE HAD COME TO JOIN THE COMMUNIST ARMY IN CHINA.

"I WANT ALL KOREA TO BE RUN AS SOUTH KOREA IS RUN," HE SAID. HE ADDED THAT COUNTER-INTELLIGENCE AGENTS IN THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY HAVE THE DUTY OF FINDING AND DESTROYING ALL PROPAGANDA LEAFLETS DROPPED BY THE AMERICANS.

"THOSE CAUGHT READING THEM ARE PUNISHED," HE SAID.

(EDITORS: THE NAME OF THE RED KOREAN LIEUTENANT COLONEL IS BEING WITHHELD AT THE REQUEST OF U.S. ARMY OFFICIALS IN KOREA).

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IN CONNECTION WITH HAL BOYLE'S SURRENDER OF A RED LIEUTENANT COLONEL (A13FX) YOUR ATTENTION IS CALLED TO WILLIAM SHINN'S STORY OF A CAPTURED RED CAPTAIN IN LAST NIGHT'S REPORT. THE FOLLOWING HIGHLIGHT UNDATED IS OFFERED AS A PRECEDE FOR PAPERS WANTING TO RUN THE TWO STORIES AS COMPANION PIECES.

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UNDATED RED PRISONERS (170) AUG 24 1950
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TWO NORTH KOREAN OFFICERS, NOW PRISONERS OF WAR, ARE TALKING FREELY WITH ALLIED INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS ON THE RUSSIAN AND CHINESE COMMUNIST BACKGROUND OF THE KOREAN WAR.

ONE, A 27-YEAR-OLD LIEUTENANT COLONEL WHO COMMANDED A RED KOREAN ARTILLERY REGIMENT, WALKED INTO SOUTH KOREAN LINES WEDNESDAY UNDER A WHITE FLAG AND SURRENDERED NEAR TAEGU. HE IS THE HIGHEST RANK RED KOREAN IN ALLIED HANDS. HIS NAME WAS WITHHELD FOR SECURITY REASONS.

THE LIEUTENANT COLONEL WILLINGLY SPOTTED RED KOREAN MILITARY TARGETS, ON MAPS HE CARRIED, FOR ALLIED AIR AND ARTILLERY ATTACK.

THE OTHER, CAPT.PAK TONG HYUP, WAS CAPTURED AUG. 11 NEAR CHINJU ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT.

BOTH SAID THEY HAD SERVED IN THE CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY IN MANCHURIA.

THE LIEUTENANT COLONEL SAID MOST MEN OF HIS REGIMENT WOULD LIKE TO SURRENDER BUT WERE WATCHED TOO CLOSELY BY SECRET POLITICAL COMMISSARS IN THE ARMY.

THE CAPTAIN WAS ASKED WHO STARTED THE WAR AND SAID: "WE DID."

HE SAID HIS OUTFIT WAS ORDERED TO THE SOUTH KOREAN BORDER JUNE 16 FOR THE INVASION AND STARTED SHOOTING AT 4 A.M., JUNE 25. HIS OUTFIT HAD A RUSSIAN ADVISER, HE SAID.

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A180KX
(500)
BY DON WHITEHEAD
ON THE NORTHERN AMERICAN FRONT IN KOREA,AUG.23-(AP)-FOR THE FOURTH STRAIGHT NIGHT NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS TRIED TO DRIVE THROUGH AMERICAN FORWARD POSITIONS, NORTH OF TAEGU, WITH A TANK-LED PUSH.

BUT FOR THE FOURTH TIME, THEY WERE DRIVEN BACK.

COL.JOHN MICHAELIS, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT ESTIMATED THERE WERE 1,500 NORTH KOREANS WHO INFILTRATED THROUGH THE RIDGES ALONG THE RIGHT FLANK OF HIS POSITION.

"WE WILL STAY HERE," HE SAID, "BUT IT WILL BE A TOUGH SHOW."

I TRAVELED THIS ROAD YESTERDAY VISITING THE COMBINED COMMAND WHEN THE RED ATTACK FROM THE RIDGES FIRST OPENED. BUT TODAY THE WHOLE ATMOSPHERE AND FEEL OF THE VALLEY WAS CHANGED--CHARGED WITH THE TENSION OF COMBAT DEEP BEHIND THE LINES.

REFERRING TO THE NIGHT ASSAULT BY RED TANKS, MICHAELIS SAID:

"THEY CAME OVER THERE WITH 14 TANKS FOR THIS FIGHT, AND WE'VE KNOCKED OUT 11 OF THEM."

THE ENEMY STRUCK AT THE FLANKS OF THE AMERICANS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AND LAST NIGHT IN A SERIES OF THRUSTS.

AT ONE POINT TWO MILES WITHIN THE AMERICAN LINE, COMMUNIST MACHINE-GUNS SHOT UP AN AID STATION AND RAKED A FIRE DIRECTION CONTROL CENTER AS OFFICERS WERE WORKING OVER A TABLE.

THE MEN SLUMPED TO THE GROUND, DEAD OR WOUNDED, OR SEEKING COVER FROM THE FIRE.

THIS NORTH KOREAN GUN HAD BEEN SNEAKED DOWN A RIDGE TO WITHIN 75 YARDS OF THE AMERICAN REAR POSITION. THE AMERICANS STRUCK BACK WITH ONE OF THE MOST UNUSUAL BOMBING RAIDS OF THE WAR.

A GROUP OF B-26 ATTACK BOMBERS WAS RETURNING FROM A MISSION WITH BOMBS IN THEIR RACKS. THEY HAD NOT DROPPED THE BOMBS BECAUSE THEIR TARGET HAD BEEN OBSCURED BY STORM CLOUDS OVER NORTH KOREA.

A TACTICAL AIR CONTROL OFFICER CALLED THE LIGHT BOMBERS OVER THE RIDGE WHERE THE ENEMY TROOPS WERE FIRING DOWN ON THE AMERICANS. THEY LOOSED THEIR 100 POUND ANTI-PERSONNEL BOMBS ON THE TARGETS IN AN AREA WHERE THE REDS ARE MASSING FIVE DIVISIONS FOR THE ASSAULT ON TAEGU, AND PLASTERED RED RIDGE POSITION.

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AT ONE POINT INFANTRYMEN WERE MOVING ALONG THE ROAD INTO RIDGES RISING TO 4,000 FEET ABOVE THE VALLEY FLOOR. THE SMOKE OF FIRES AND BURSTING SHELLS DRIFTED ALONG THE RIDGE AND THERE WAS THE CRACKLE OF MACHINEGUN AND RIFLE FIRE.

A TANK MOVED AHEAD OF US ON THE ROAD. A SOLDIER CROUCHED BEHIND THE TURRET WITH HIS RIFLE READY TO FIRE.

ON THE SIDE OF THE ROAD A TANK WAS SHELLING A HIGH PEAK.

THE SHELLS RUSHED IN FLAMING RED BALLS INTO THE RIDGE AND THE EXPLOSIONS ECHOED DOWN THE VALLEY.

THERE WERE NO SMALL GROUPS OF SOLDIERS LOUNGING BY THE ROADSIDE, OR GATHERED AROUND THEIR VEHICLES HUNCHED ON THE ROAD.

THE MEN WERE IN HOLES AND THEIR VEHICLES WERE DISPERSED OR TAKEN TO THE REAR.

THE ROAD WAS BARE EXCEPT FOR THE TANKS MOVING UP AND A FEW VEHICLES MOVING WITH THEM.

TENSION STILL RUNS THROUGH THE WHOLE VALLEY--THE TENSION OF MEN ALERT FOR COMBAT AND PREPARED FOR THE ENEMY.

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A30KX
(650)
SLOGGERVILLE
BY DON WHITEHEAD
WITH THE 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT IN KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE ROAD FROM TAEGU CROSSES THE NAKTONG RIVER AND THEN WINDS ACROSS A DEEP VALLEY UNTIL IT REACHES "SLOGGERVILLE."

THAT'S THE NAME GIVEN BY CORRESPONDENTS TO THE AREA ALONG THE FRONTLINES.

THAT'S WHERE THE FIGHTING SOLDIERS LIVE---UP IN SLOGGERVILLE---WHERE THE SLOGGING INFANTRY IS BATTLING TO SAVE THE CITY OF TAEGU FROM THE REDS.

DEATH RIDES WITH THE WHISPER OF A BULLET IN SLOGGERVILLE, OR THE GRUMP OF A MORTAR OR THE VICIOUS WHACK OF ARTILLERY. BUT THE INFANTRY-MEN ACCEPT THE DANGERS WITH A COOL RESERVE OF COURAGE THAT CEASES TO BE ASTONISHING. AND IN THE DRUMFIRE OF THE GUNS THERE IS A NEVER-ENDING BATTLE OF WITS WITH THE ENEMY.

AT ONE POINT IN THE ROAD A PATH RUNS ACROSS A RICE PADDY AND INTO A ROCKY RAVINE WHERE LIEUT. COL. GILBERT CHECK HAS A TEMPORARY COMMED
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ROCKY RAVINE WHERE LIEUT. COL. GILBERT CHECK HAS A TEMPORARY COMMAND POST FOR HIS FIRST BATTALION. THIS IS ONE OF THE NERVE CENTERS FOR SLOGGERVILLE---THE MAYORS OFFICE, THE CITY HALL AND THE TELEPHONE EXCHANGE.

CAPTAIN DON R. HICKMAN OF SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, ROUSED HIMSELF FROM A MIDDAY NAP ON A BLANKET SPREAD ON THE ROCKS. HE RUBBED HIS EYES AND SQUATTED BY A TELEPHONE JUST AS THREE MORTAR SHELLS WHISTLED IN AND BURST ON THE BANK ABOVE THE NARROW RAVINE.

AT THAT MOMENT, A TELEPHONE RANG AND A PRIVATE REPORTED TO HICKMAN THAT CHARLIE COMPANY WAS GETTING ENEMY FIRE INTO THE C. P. FROM A GROUP OF REDS WHO HAD SLIPPED INTO THE AMERICAN LINES.

HICKMAN PICKED UP THE PHONE AND CALLED REGIMENT. "THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE BROKEN IN BEHIND THE LINES OF CHARLIE COMPANY," HE SAID. "ALSO, THEIR MORTARS HAVE STARTED TO ZERO ON OUR C. P.

HICKMAN AND HIS LITTLE GROUP HAD LITTLE SLEEP FOR THREE STRAIGHT NIGHTS AS THE ENEMY ATTACKED WITH TANKS AND INFANTRY.

"IT WAS FUNNY," A SOLDIER SAID, "HOW YOU GET USED TO GOING WITHOUT SLEEP. I NEVER THOUGHT I COULD DO IT. BUT YOU DO IF YOU HAVE TO."

THE INCOMING CALLS CAME FAST AND THEN THERE WAS THE VICIOUS WHIZZING OF BULLETS JUST OVER OUR HEADS. THE REPORTS FROM THE COMPANIES SAID THE ENEMY NOT ONLY HAD CHARLIE COMPANY PINNED DOWN BUT THAT THE NORTH KOREANS HAD PUSHED ON TO THE RIDGE ABOVE THE C. P.

CHARLIE COMPANY'S COMMANDER, CAPT. ALFRED S. BURNETT OF KNOXVILLE, TENN.., WAS UNABLE TO GET TO THE PHONE. HE WAS IN A FOXHOLE AND HAD TO SHOUT MESSAGES TO HIS TELEPHONE OPERATOR IN ANOTHER HOLE WHO RELAYED THEM TO THE BATTALION COMMAND POST.

HICKMAN ALERTED A COMPANY TO GET SOME COUNTER MORTAR FIRE ON THE ENEMY UP ON THE RIDGES.

"THEY ARE ON THE RIDGE WHERE THE SOUTH KOREANS ARE SUPPOSED TO BE," HE SAID, "AND THEY ARE HEADED TOWARD OUR C. P."

THE OFFICERS AND MEN HUGGED THE STONY SIDES OF THE RIDGE FOR PROTECTION FROM THE BULLETS ZIPPING DOWN THE DRAW. DINALLY LT. HAMES BETTS OF (53 GROVE AVE.) FLOURTOWN, PA., CASUALLY STOOD UP.

"I CAN'T PUT UP WITH THIS," HE SAID, "I'VE GOT TO GO TO WORK."

HE WAS BATTALION COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER AND IT WAS HIS JOB TO SEE THAT ALL TELEPHONE AND RADIO COMMUNICATIONS WERE OPEN.

"IT'S A HELL OF A JOB SOMETIMES," HE EXPLAINED, ""TRYIG O KEEP

"IT'S A HELL OF A JOB SOMETIMES," HE EXPLAINED "TRYING TO KEEP OUR LINES OPEN WHEN THEY ARE CUT BY ARTILLERY FIRE AT NIGHT. THEN OUR

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UIPMENT IS SCARCE AND IS BEGINNING TO WEAR OUT."
A LANKY LIEUTENANT WALKED DOWN THE DRAW TO THE C. P.
"WHERE'S THAT STUFF COMING FROM?" HICKMAN SAID AS THE BULLETS RIPPED THROUGH THE WEEDS.
"IT'S COMING FROM HAT HIGHEST PEAK UP THERE," THE LIEUTENANT SAID, POINTING TO THE PEAK WHERE THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD BEEN EARLIER IN THE DAY.
HICKMAN ORDERED AN OFFICER TO GO OUT AND REORGANIZE THE SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS AND GET THEM BACK ONTO THE HIGH RIDGE.
"THIS IS SERIOUS AND WE'VE GOT TO GET THEM BACK UP THERE," HE SAID.
FROM THE RAVINE, HICKMAN SEEMINGLY COULD VISUALIZE THE ENTIRE BATTLEFIELD, THE POSITIONS OF THE ENEMY AND THE POSITIONS OF THE COMPANIES IN THE FIRST BATTALION. WITH HIS COLONEL AWAY IT WAS HIS JOX TO HANDLE OPERATIONS.
GRADUALLY THE FIRST BATTALION WORKED OUT OF A BAD SPOT WITH FIRE-POWER THAT DROVE THE ENEMY BACK. CHARLIE COMPANY DROVE BACK THE REDS WHO HAD INFILTRATED. AND THE REDS WERE PUSHED BACK FROM THE RIDGE-TOP FROM WHICH THEY HAD POURED FIRE DOWN ON THE BATTALION C. P.
LIFE WENT ON AS USUAL IN SLOGGERVILLE---THE PLACE WHERE THE WAR IS BEING DECIDED BY THE MEN WHO DO THE FIGHTING.
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A49KX
(460)
BY TOM LAMBERT
WITH THE U. S. 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT IN KOREA, AUG. 23-(AP)-IT WAS ALL QUIET TODAY ALONG F (FOX) COMPANY'S "BOWLING ALLEY" --- AND FOX COMPANY WAS DELIGHTED.
THE "BOWLING ALLEY" IS A LONG, STRAIGHT STRETCH OF ROAD RUNNING NORTH INTO RED TERRITORY ON WHICH THE COMMUNISTS RECENTLY SET UP 11 TANKS. FOX COMPANY'S SUPPORTING TANKS AND ARTILLERY KNOCKED THE RED TANKS OVER LIKE TENPINS.
THE NORTH KOREANS, IN WHAT REGIMENTAL COMMANDER JOHN "MIKE" MICHAELIS OF LANCASTER, PA., CALLS "STUPID" MOVES, BOWLED TANKS AND SELF-PROPELLED GUNS DOWN THE "BOWLING ALLEY" THREE TIMES.
THE FIRST TIME FOX COMPANY KNOCKED OFF THREE. THE NEXT TIME THREE MORE AND THE THIRD TIME, FIVE.
THE REDS ALMOST RACKED UP A STRIKE--SPEAKING IN BOWLING TERMS--- ON ONE ATTEMPT.
THERE WERE THREE RUSSIAN-MADE NORTH KOREAN TANKS AND ONE SELF-PROPELLED GUN WITHIN A FEW HUNDRED YARDS OF FOX COMPANY'S POSITION TODAY. TWO TANKS WERE SCORCHED AND BURNED, THE 85 MM GUN MUZZLE ON ONE FLARED AND SPLIT LIKE AN EXPLODED FIRECRACKER. THE THIRD, TILTED ON THE SHOULDER OF THE ROAD, WAS PIANTED A GREEN COLOR.
ON ONE OF THE BURNED-OUT TANKS SOME PROUD MEMBER OF FOX COMPANY HAD PAINTED IN HUGE WHITE LETTERS: "27TH INFANTRY, COURTESY OF FOX COMPANY."
FOX COMPANY WAS NONCHALANT ABOUT THE TANKS TODAY, BUT THERE WASN'T MUCH NONCHALANCE THE NIGHT THEY CAME CLATTERING DOWN THE "BOWLING ALLEY."
MACHINEGUNNER CPL. PRENTISS THROWER OF BENNETTSVILLE, S. C., AFTER THUMBING A FEW ROUNDS FROM HIS 30-CALIBRE AT AN ESTIMATED ONE DOZEN REDS PROWLING A DISTANT HILLSIDE, DECLARED "BOY, WAS I SCARED" WHEN THE RED TANKS ROLLED IN.
"I WAS ABOUT TO SHAKE MYSELF OUT OF THAT HOLE," IN WHICH HIS FEET WERE DANGLING AT THE MOMENT.
HIS BUDDIES NODDED. "ONE GUY RAISED UP AND HOLLERED "I'M GONNA SHOOT" AND I HOLLERED "I DON'T CARE WHAT THE HELL YOU DO"
RECOUNTED ANOTHER GI:
"JUST THEN OUR TANKS HIT ONE OF THEM AND THE BAZOOKA GUYS GOT ANOTHER. YOU SEE THAT SELF-PROPELLED GUN? LOOK AT THAT GUN. ZEROED RIGHT IN ON US. SEE THAT HOLE RIGHT THERE?" -- POINTING TO GOUGE IN THE ROCKY SOIL ABOUT SIX FEET AWAY---"HE THREW ONE RIGHT HERE BEFORE THEY GOT HIM."
FARTHER UP THE "BOWLING ALLEY," OUT IN NO MAN'S LAND ON THAT TREE-LINED ROAD, TWO

FARTHER UP THE "BOWLING ALLEY," OUT IN NO MAN'S LAND ON THAT TREE-LINED ROAD, TWO MORE BURNED OUT TANKS WERE VISIBLE. THE OTHERS, THE GI'S SAID, WERE STILL FARTHER NORTH.
AND FARTHER NORTH THE REDS WERE BUSY. FOX COMPANY COMMANDER CAPTAIN MARTIN L. V. MERCHANT OF ILION, N. Y., RECEIVED REPORTS THE NORTH KOREANS WERE TRYING TO LAY MINEFIELD.
A FOX COMPANY SUPPORTING TANK, A PERSHING WITH A 90 MM. GUN, WADDLED ONTO THE "BOWLING ALLEY" AMONG THE DESTROYED RED TANKS AND FIRED A ROUND AT THE BASE OF A SUN-DRENCHED HILL. MORTARS FLUTTERED OVERHEAD AND BURST ON THE HILL IN STRIKINGLY WHITE CLOUDS OF PHOSPHORUS, OR THE DUSTY FOUNTAINS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVE SHELLS. ON RIDGE TO THE WEST A LIGHT MACHINEGUN SET UP A WOODPECKER BEAT.
AS WE LEFT, A FOX COMPANY INFANTRY MAN AND A CREWMAN FROM ONE OF THE COMPANY'S SUPPORTING TANKS, ALLUNMINDFUL OF THE WARLIKE ACTIV-ITY GOING ON, WERE ARGUING VOCIFEROUSLY ABOUT WHO WAS ATTACHED TO WHOM.
"YOU'RE ATTACHED TO US," THE BEARDED TANKER WAS DECLARING LOUDLY.
"WHAT A YOU MEAN?" REPLIED THE INFANTRYMAN. "WE WERE UP HERE FIRST."
"YEAH, BUT WE WERE UP HERE, TOO," CAME BACK THE TANKER.
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TAEGU (230)
BY TOM LAMBERT
WITH U.S. FORCES IN KOREA, AUG. 23-(AP)-AMERICAN AIRPOWER, ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY BLUNTED A RED FLANKING ATTACK ON TAEGU BUT THE NORTH KOREANS CONTINUED TO BUILD TODAY FOR A MAJOR THRUST ON THE IMPORTANT RAIL-HIGHWAY CITY. (THIS DISPATCH WAS SENT FROM KOREA AT 6 P.M., WEDNESDAY, 3A.M., EST).
THERE WERE FIVE RED DIVISIONS MASSING NORTH OF THE CITY.
ONE NEW COMMUNIST DIVISION IN THE LINE WAS IDENTIFIED AS THE SECOND. IT IS ON THE ALLIED RIGHT FLANK.
OTHER COMMUNIST DIVISIONS ALREADY IN THE SECTOR ARE THE FIRST, THIRD, 13TH AND 15TH.
THE REDS ALSO HAD ONE TANK BRIGADE OF AT LEAST 14 TANKS. ELEVEN OTHER TANKS HAVE BEEN KNOCKED OUT BY U.S. TANKS, ARTILLERY, MORTARS OR BAZOOKAS IN THE PAST FIVE DAYS.
THE REDS WEDNESDAY BEGAN DRIFTING EASTWARD TO THE RIGHT OF AMERICAN POSITIONS, POSSIBLY HOPING TO DRIVE SOUTH ALONG THE FLANK OF THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT AND ANOTHER INFANTRY REGIMENT IN THE LINE.
THE REDS MOUNTED A REGIMENTAL ATTACK YESTERDAY ON THAT FLANK BUT WERE HALTED AND QUIETED AT LEAST TEMPORARILY BY AN AIR AND ARTILLERY BOMBARDMENT LAST NIGHT AND TODAY WHICH INCLUDED 44,000 POUNDS OF BOMBS DROPPED BY B-26S.
THE REDS NEVERTHELESS ATTACKED IN PLATOON OR COMPANY STRENGTH IN SEVERAL PLACES ALONG THE U.S. RIGHT FLANK TODAY. ONE SUCH ATTACK HIT AN ESTIMATED FIVE MILES BEHIND THE FOREMOST U.S. POSITIONS.
THIS ATTACK WAS DIRECTED AT A U.S. ARTILLERY BATTERY.

THE COMMUNISTS HARASSED THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS THROUGHOUT TUESDAY NIGHT. BUT U.S. HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE KEPT THEM FROM CUTTING THE MAIN SUPPLY ROAD OR KNOCKING OUT ANY ARTILLERY POSITION.
IT ALSO BLOCKED THE REDS FROM DRIVING ANY CONSIDERABLE DISTANCE

TOWARD TAEGU, ABOUT 12 MILES SOUTH.
ONE UNIT OF THE 23RD REGIMENT, ATTACKING TO THE EAST OF THE MAIN SUPPLY ROAD WEDNESDAY, DROVE ABOUT 200 REDS OFF SOME STRATEGIC HIGH GROUND ON THE RIGHT FLANK.
A FEW HOURS LATER, HOWEVER, THE REDS FORCED A U.S. ENGINEER PLATOON OUT OF ITS POSITION TO THE NORTH. THE ENGINEERS, WHO CALLED THEMSELVES "ENGINFANTRY," COUNTERATTACKED AND KILLED 52 NORTH KOREANS. THEY REGAINED THEIR ORIGINAL POSITIONS.
LT. ANTHONY PECORARO, SOUTH WINDHAM, MAINE, SAID THE REDS ATTACKED ONE OF HIS ENGINEER PLATOONS WHICH WAS "SPREAD FROM HELL TO BREAKFAST" ALONG THE RIDGETOP.
"I GOT WORD ONE OF MY MACHINEGUNNERS HAD BEEN KILLED," HE SAID. "THEN ONE OF MY SERGEANTS CALLED AND SAID 100 GOOKS WERE COMING INTO OUR POSITION. A MEDIC AND TWO INFANTRYMEN HAD GONE OUT TO GET THE MACHINEGUNNER. THEY ARRIVED AT THE GUN AND WERE BENDING OVER THE GUNNER WHEN 12 OF THOSE RED BASTARDS CAME UP.
"THE MEDIC GRABBED THE BAR (BROWNING AUTOMATIC RIFLE) AND TURNED IT ON THEM BUT IT JAMMED. THE REDS SHOT HIM IN THE STOMACH AND BAYONETTED THE TWO SOLDIERS. THEN THEY SHOT THE MEDIC IN THE BACK."
PECORARO'S VOICE TREMBLED WITH RAGE AS HE TOLD THE STORY.
AN AMERICAN PATROL DROVE THE REDS OUT AND HAULED THE WOUNDED MEDIC SEVERAL THOUSAND TORTUOUS YARDS TO AN AID STATION.
THE REDS NORTH AND WEST OF AMERICAN POSITIONS IN THIS AREA APPEARED TO BE SHIFTING THEIR WEIGHT TO THE EAST TOWARD THE RIGHT FLANK WHERE THEY HAD INFILTRATED AN ESTIMATED 3,000 TROOPS WITHIN THE PAST FEW DAYS. IT WAS THIS FORCE THAT WAS HIT TUESDAY NIGHT.
ABOUT 5:30 A.M. THE REDS POURED WHAT ONE [redacted] REGIMENTAL OFFICER CALLED A "FAIRY HEAVY CONCENTRATION" OF ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE INTO U.S. LINES. AN ATTACK BY 23RD REGIMENT INFANTRYMEN, HOWEVER, WON SOME HIGH GROUND ON WHICH THE REDS PROBABLY HAD THEIR ARTILLERY OBSERVER. SHELLS CEASED FALLING THEREAFTER.
THE REDS, WHO HAVE TRIED TANK THRUSTS THREE TIMES AGAINST FOREMOST AMERICAN POSITIONS, MOVED UP THREE TANKS AGAIN LAST NIGHT BUT KEPT THEM OUT OF RANGE OF U.S. TANKS AND GUNS. IN THE LAST FIVE DAYS THE ENEMY HAS LOST 11 RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS IN THIS SECTOR.
IN ONE SECTOR THE REDS DYNAMITED THE MAIN ROAD THROUGH THEIR AREA AND ATTEMPTED TO LAY A MINE FIELD. THEY WERE SHELLED AND MORTARED HEAVILY BY AMERICANS WHO HAD THEM UNDER OBSERVATION.
AT LEAST ONE AMERICAN COMMANDER SAYS THE MASSING REDS ARE PREPARED FOR ONE MORE MAJOR THRUST AT TAEGU AND THE CRISIS IS IMMINENT.
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BY TOM LAMBERT
WITH U.S. 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION, CONVERTED TO INFANTRY AFTER WORLD WAR II, NO LONGER IS ENTIRELY DISMOUNTED.
CAVALRY FOOT TROOPS FOUND TWO HORSES IN A RAIL TUNNEL NEAR WAEGWAN. ONE IS A BAY MARE WHICH SHOULD MAKE A GOOD SADDLE HORSE. THE OTHER IS A DINGY BLACK HORSE OF SHAMBLING GAIT AND UNCERTAIN YEARS.
THE FIRST CAVALRY'S TRADITION GOES BACK TO HORSE PATROLS AND SABER ATTACKS IN THE INDIAN WARS. BUT THE HORSES PRESENT A MAJOR PROBLEM; TODAY'S CAVALRYMEN ARE FAR MORE FAMILIAR WITH JEEPS AND TANKS THAN BRIDLES AND SADDLES.
SECOND LT. ALLAN M. HENSLEE, PASADENA, CALIF., SAID HE WOULD OFFER THE SPRIGHTLY MARE TO MAJ. GEN. HOBART GAY, FIRST CAVALRY COMMANDER.
THE DINGY BLACK? MAYBE THE COOK WILL WANT IT.
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TOM LAMBERT
WITH FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 23-(AP)-SERGEANT FIRST CLASS GEORGE LEWIS OF ST. LOUIS, MO., HAS WHAT THE ARMY CALLS A "NON-POLITICAL" JOB.
THAT MEANS HE ISN'T SUPPOSED TO DO MUCH SHOOTING.
BUT THE SERGEANT, WHO HELPS SUPERVISE THE MOVEMENT OF KOREA REFUGEES TO THE REAR OF ALLIED LINES, POINTS OUT THATA GREAT NUMBER OF THE REFUGEES TURN OUT TO BE PISTOL-PACKING PEOPLE.
"WHAT STARTS OUT TO BE A PEACEFUL MISSION OCCASIONALLY TURNS TAGTICAL," SGT. LEWIS EXPLAINED, "ESPECIALLY WHEN THE REDS OPEN UP ON US NON-TACTICAL MEN."
PERHAPS THE ARMY DEFINITION OF HIS JOB SHOULD BE CHANGED, HE SPECULATED.
CARL MYDANS, LIFE MAGAZINE PHOTOGRAPHER, AND THIS CORRESPONDENT BUMMED A RIDE WITH LEWIS.
ALREADY IN THE JEEP WERE AN ANCIENT, LIMPING KOREAN AND A SHRILLY CHATTERING TOOTHLESS KOREAN WOMAN. LEWIS WAS DRIVING THEM SOUTH BECAUSE HE DIDN'T THINK THEY COULD MAKE THE LONG TRIP TO THE REAR AFOOT.
LEWIS DROVE ACROSS A BRIDGE OVER A SMALL POND ON WHICH A DOZEN YELLOW DUCKLINGS WERE PADDLING.
"MY DUCKS," LEWIS SAID.
"YOURS?"
"YEP, AND THAT'S JUST PART OF MY LIVESTOCK. THESE REFUGEES ARE DRIVING ME NUTS WITH STUFF THEY'RE GIVING ME. I ALREADY GOT THOSE DUCKS, DOGS GALORE, I DON'T KNOW HOW MANY GOATS AND AT LEAST A DOZEN BULLS. WHAT CAN I DO WITH THEM?"
LEWIS CONTINUED, "I'VE BEEN GIVING 'EM TO THE SOUTH KOREAN POLICE, ALL EXCEPT ONE DOG. THE MAJOR TOOK HIM. PRETTY GOOD LOOKING DOG."
THE OLD WOMAN CREAKED OUT OF THE JEEP WHEN IT STOPPED. SHE WAS SMILING AND SHRILLING HER THANKS. LEWIS REPLIED IN A MUMBLE OF ENGLISH, KOREAN AND JAPANESE.
THEN HE SUMMONED A KOREAN POLICE OFFICER AND TOLD HIM THE OTHER AGED PASSENGER WAS CRIPPLED AND INJURED. LEWIS ASKED THE POLICEMAN TO HALT THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN TRUCK TO TAKE THE OLD MAN TO A HOSPITAL.
"THEY COULDN'T UNDERSTAND THIS," LEWIS REMARKED. "A KOREAN OFFICER TOLD ME THE OTHER DAY THE KOREANS HAVE NO FEELING FOR THEIR OWN PEOPLE."
THE KOREAN POLICE OFFICER CHATTERED WITH THE OLD MAN STILL SEATED IN THE JEEP. THE OLD MAN POINTED TO HIS LEG, THEN WAS SILENT.
THE OFFICER TURNED TO LEWIS. "HE SAYS NO." APPARENTLY THE POLICEMAN MEANT---OR DECIDED---THE OLD MAN DIDN'T WANT ANY TRUCKRIDE TO A HOSPITAL.
LEWIS BECKONED TO ANOTHER KOREAN POLICEMAN TO HELP THE OLD MAN FROM THE JEEP, THEN TURNED TO THE FIRST POLICE OFFICER.
"YES," LEWIS SAID FIRMLY, "YES."
THEN THE OLD MAN JUST STOOD THERE ALONGSIDE THE ROAD.
CHANCES WERE HE WOULD GET A TRUCKRIDE TO A HOSPITAL.
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BY WILLIAM SHINN (250)
PUSAN, KOREA, AUG. 23-(AP)-U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE'S REPRESENTATIVE IN KOREA TODAY PRAISED THE U.S. 24TH AND FIRST CAVALRY DIVISIONS AND SOUTH KOREANS FOR THEIR "HEROIC AND TENACIOUS STAND" AGAINST RED KOREANS.
COL. ALFRED G. KATZIN OF SOUTH AFRICA SAID:
"THE UNITED NATIONS AND ALL PEOPLES HOLDING TO THE PRINCIPLES OF RESISTANCE TO AGGRESSION AND THE SETTLEMENT OF DIFFERENCES BY PEACEFUL MEANS OWE AN INDELIBLE DEBT OF GRATITUDE TO AMERICAN GIS

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AND U.N. COMMAND OFFICERS WHO HAVE STEMMED THE ADVANCE OF THE AGGRESSORS."

KATZIN ADDED, IN A STATEMENT ISSUED AFTER A VISIT TO FRONTLINES YESTERDAY, THAT THE U.S. 24TH AND FIRST CAVALRY DIVISIONS ALONG WITH SOUTH KOREANS, WERE "MAINLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FACT THAT THE UNITED NATIONS STILL HOLDS THE INITIATIVE IN KOREA."

"HAD IT NOT BEEN FOR THEIR DETERMINED RESISTANCE IN THE INITIAL STAGES, IN FACE OF OVERWHELMING ODDS, IT WOULD HAVE BEEN IMPOSSIBLE TO BUILD SUPPORT AND STRENGTH, AND TO HOLD A BRIDGEHEAD INTO WHICH THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES CAN VERY SOON BE DEPLOYED TO UNDERTAKE DECISIVE ACTION AGAINST THE AGGRESSOR," HE SAID.

"I HOPE THAT THEIR SACRIFICE WILL NEVER BE FORGOTTEN."

KATZIN VISITED THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER, LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER AT HIS HEADQUARTERS, AND FRONT LINE FORCES OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION NEAR WAEGWAN.

KATZIN WAS ACCOMPANIED BY THREE U.N. MILITARY OBSERVERS: LT. COL. FRANK E. WHITE OF CANADA; LT. COL. L. CASTLAR OF EL SAVADOR, AND MAJ. F.S.B. PEACH OF AUSTRALIA.

LW750APD NM

A74FX (95)

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WITH ALLIED FORCES, KOREA, AUG. 23-(AP)-TWO RED YAK FIGHTER PLANES LAST NIGHT STRAFED AND BOMBED THE BRITISH DESTROYER COMUS.

THE U. S. FIFTH AIR FORCE JOINT OPERATION CENTER SAID NO DAMAGE WAS REPORTED IN THE ATTACK BY THE RUSSIAN-MADE PLANES.

BRITISH SHIPS HAVE BEEN OPERATING ALONG THE KOREAN WEST COAST IN THE YELLOW SEA.

TWO YAKS BOMBED SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL VESSELS TODAY IN THE YELLOW SEA SOUTHWEST OF SEOUL. THE OPERATION CENTER DID NOT REPORT ON DAMAGE.

LW444APD NM

B28KX (GQ) (AWARDS)

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WITH U.S.FORCES IN KOREA,AUG.23-(AP)-SILVER STARS AND AN OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO A SILVER STAR HAVE BEEN AWARDED TO AMERICAN SOLDIERS FOR GALLANTRY IN ACTION, DIVISION HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY.

ANOTHER MAN HAS BEEN RECOMMENDED FOR AN OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO A SILVER STAR AWARDED HIM EARLIER IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING.

AN OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO A SILVER STAR WAS AWARDED SECOND LT.FRANK L. DIETRICH OF THE 25TH DIVISION. HE IS FROM MICHIGAN.

OTHERS RECEIVING SILVER STARS INCLUDED:

LT.MARTIN L.V.MERCHANT, 25TH DIVISION, OF NEW YORK STATE; PFC JOHN VINTERELLA, NEW ORLEANS; PFC CARL R.EISENHOUWER, 25TH DIVISION, OF PENNSYLVANIA; AND PVT.JESSE F.LAKE, 24TH DIVISION, WHOSE HOME STATE NOT ANNOUNCED.

VINTERELLA, SON OF MRS.JULIA VINTERELLA OF NEW ORLEANS, LA., JOINED A 105 HOWITZER SECTION AS A COOK. ALTHOUGH WOUNDED, HE KEPT LOADING AND FIRING THE HOWITZER BY HIMSELF AFTER THE REGULAR GUNNERS WERE HIT, THE CITATION SAID.

PFC MARVIN KOPPELMAN OF BROOKLYN HAS BEEN RECOMMENDED FOR HIS SECOND DECORATION OF THE WAR--AN OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO A SILVER STAR.

HIS LATEST BRAVERY UNDER FIRE OCCURRED ON AUGUST 6 WHEN HIS BATTERY WAS OVERRUN BY COMMUNISTS. HE TOOK A 3.5 ROCKET LAUNCHER AND HELD OFF THE ENEMY UNTIL THE REST OF HIS UNIT COULD PULL OUT. KNOCKED DOWN BY MORTAR CONCUSSION, KOPPELMAN RECOVERED, DIRECTED SURROUNDED MEN TO AN AMBULANCE AND THEN DROVE THEM SAFELY THROUGH MACHINEGUN FIRE.

KOPPELMAN'S SISTER, MRS.LEATRICE TROMBAY, LIVES AT 513 CHRISTOPHER AVE., BROOKLYN.

KOPPELMAN WAS FIRST DECORATED FOR KNOCKING OUT TWO ENEMY ROAD BLOCKS WHICH PERMITTED HIS UNIT TO WITHDRAW FROM TAEJON.

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U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, THURSDAY, AUG. 24-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS CLEARED THE MAIN SUPPLY ROAD IN THE VITAL TAEGU-KUMHWA CORRIDOR YESTERDAY, AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCED TODAY.

NORTH KOREAN REDS HAD INFILTRATED THE AREA DEFENDED BY AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES. FOR A TIME THE REDS HAD A ROADBLOCK THAT PLUGGED THE SUPPLY ROAD.

THE COMMUNIQUE, ISSUED AT 1 P.M., (10 P.M., E.S.T.) WEDNESDAY) REPORTED SMALL HARASSING ACTIONS BY THE REDS ON THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION WHICH MANS THE LINE NORTH OF TAEGU WITH THE U. S. 27TH INFANTRY REGIMENT.

THESE ACTIONS COVERED BY THE COMMUNIQUE HAD BEEN COVERED EARLIER BY FIELD DISPATCHES.

FJ930PCS

A28KX

BY STAN SWINTON (650)

A FORWARD FIGHTING STRIP IN KOREA,AUG.23-(AP)-THE "FIGHTING SCHOOLTEACHERS"--FIGHTER PILOTS WHO INTERRUPT THEIR CLASSES SEVERAL TIMES A DAY TO ROAR DOWN ON ENEMY POSITIONS THREE MINUTES FLYING TIME AWAY--ARE BUILDING THE NUCLEUS OF A NEW SOUTH KOREAN AIR FORCE HERE.

OFFICIALLY, THIS IS THE KOREAN AIR FORCE ADVISORY GROUP. ACTUALLY, IT IS JUST ABOUT THE MOST FABULOUS GROUP OF AIR FORCE FIGHTERS IN KOREA. IT IS LED BY MAJ.DEAN HESS, WHO HAS FLOWN "75 OR 80--GEE, I'VE LOST COUNT" MISSIONS HIMSELF IN THREE WEEKS.

HESS, WHO HAS A WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN BACK IN MARIETTA, OHIO, IS A SCHOLAR WHO FLIES THE UNITED NATIONS FLAG OVER HIS HEADQUARTERS AND HOLDS A MASTER'S DEGREE FROM OHIO STATE IN DIPLOMATIC HISTORY.

"HE IS THE MOST OUTSTANDING CLOSE SUPPORT PILOT IN THE KOREAN WAR," AN INFANTRY GENERAL SAID OF HESS.

BUT HESS' BURNING INTEREST IS IN THE SCHOOL WHERE 62 BRIGHT-EYED SOUTH KOREANS FROM 19 TO 23 YEARS OF AGE THIS WEEK STARTED SOUTH KOREA ON THE ROAD TO AIR POWER.

TYPICAL IS SON KYOUNG WOOK.

"KOREA MUST LEARN TO DEFEND HERSELF," SON SAID. WE DO NOT HAVE THE MONEY OR TIME TO BUILD UP A BIG NAVY OR BUY EXPENSIVE WEAPONS. IT IS QUICKER TO GET AN AIRFORCE. THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT--IF IT WERE NOT WE WOULD BE ON THE FRONT LINE WITH RIFLES."

THE OTHERS "ARE MORE EAGER THAN I AM. WE ALL FEEL THE SAME," SAID SON.

"THESE ARE BRIGHT BOYS," SAID T/SGT.JOHN J.DAWSON, (163 16TH ST.), WHEELING, W.VA., WHO WAS TEACHING A ROOMFUL OF STUDENTS ABOUT BASIC AIRCRAFT TYPES.

"IN THE BREAKS BETWEEN CLASSES THEY NEVER RELAX--THEY KEEP ON STUDYING AND ASKING QUESTIONS," HE SAID.

THE SCHOOL IS OPERATING ALMOST WITHOUT EQUIPMENT.

CAPT.JACK WERNER (15 N.BOSTON AVE.) ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., WHO HAS FLOWN 29 COMBAT MISSIONS IN KOREA, TOOK THREE ENGINES FROM CRASHED AMERICAN PLANES. THEY ARE USED TO SHOW THE STUDENTS HOW AIRPLANE

ENGINES WORK.
WITH THE OFFICER PILOTS SO BUSY ON COMBAT MISSIONS, ENLISTED MEN LIKE SGT.WILLIAM T.PARKER OF TYRONE, PA., TEACH MANY OF THE CLASSES.

"WE SHOULD HAVE 12 CADETS READY TO GO TO AMERICA FOR FLIGHT TRAINING BEFORE LONG," SAID HESS.
AMERICAN AIRMEN HERE YESTERDAY CHIPPED IN THEIR POST EXCHANGE RATIONS--CIGARETS AND CANDY. T/SGT.STANFORS SIMON, SAN FRANCISCO, WENT OVER AND DISTRIBUTED THEM TO EACH WOUNDED SOUTH KOREAN IN A NEARBY HOSPITAL.
THERE'S A SIGN ON THE WALL--REMEMBER TO TREAT ALL KOREANS, INCLUDING KITCHEN POLICE, DEMOCRATICALLY."
THE DARK 32-YEAR-OLD HESS, WHO LOOKS SOMETHING LIKE GREGORY PECK AND TALKS LIKE A UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR, IS THE MAN WHO HAS MIXED FIGHTING EDUCATION AND DEMOCRACY IN THE MIDDLE OF THIS TOUGH WAR.
HE FLEW 63 MISSIONS IN WORLD WAR II AND VOLUNTEERED FOR COMBAT AGAIN WHEN THE KOREAN WAR BROKE OUT. HE IS A LEGEND--BUT HE WOULD RATHER TALK EUROPEAN DIPLOMATIC HISTORY THAN TELL ABOUT HIS EXPLOITS.
ONCE HESS SHOT UP HUNDREDS OF NORTH KOREANS CROSSING A RIVER. HE RELATED:
"IT WAS A GORY MESS. WITH THE NORTH KOREANS YOU HAVE A FEELING OF KILLING PEOPLE WHO ARE NOT HUMAN BEINGS AT ALL. BUT YOU KEEP WONDERING IF THEY HAVE FORCED SOME POOR REFUGEE TO MOVE WITH THEM AND YOU ARE HITTING THEM."
HESS HAS BEEN RECOMMENDED FOR A DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS BY AN INFANTRY DIVISION. HE DOESN'T KNOW ABOUT IT YET. NOR OF THE PERSONAL LETTER OF THANKS WRITTEN HIS COMMANDING GENERAL BY MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM B.KEAN, COMMANDER OF THE 25TH DIVISION.
THAT'S FOR THE DAY WHEN A YAK FIGHTER JUMPED HESS WHEN HIS AMMUNITI(WAS GONE. INSTEAD OF RUNNING FOR SAFETY WITH HIS F-51, HESS LET THE YAK GET ON HIS TAIL SO HIS WINGMAN WOULD HAVE A CHANCE TO SHOOT THE RED PLANE DOWN.
HESS DOESN'T TALK MUCH ABOUT THINGS LIKE THAT. HE'D RATHER TELL YO ABOUT HIS HOPES OF GETTING A PROFESSORSHIP TEACHING DIPLOMATIC HISTORY WHEN THE KOREA WAR IS OVER.
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A93KX
BY STAN SWINTON (550)
WITH SOUTH KOREAN MARINES ON THE SOUTHWEST FRONT,AUG.23-(AP)-SOUTH KOREA'S YEAR-OLD MARINE CORPS IS KICKING THE COMMUNISTS AROUND IN A PRIVATE WAR OF ITS OWN ON THIS FORGOTTEN FRONT.
THEY FORGOT TO TELL THE HIGH COMMAND THEY WERE STARTING IT, BUT THAT'S ALL FIXED UP NOW. THEY FIXED IT UP BY KILLING SO MANY NORTH KOREANS THE HIGH COMMAND TOOK NOTICE.
INSPIRED BY THE FAME OF U.S. LEATHERNECKS, THE COCKY SOUTH KOREAN YOUNGSTERS TRAINED BY RUNNING UP AND DOWN MOUNTAINS ARMED WITH BAMBOO SPEARS.
THE SOUTH KOREAN MARINES FOUGHT TWO MAINLAND BATTLES AND THEN WITH A RAGGLE-TAGGLE BUNCH OF U.S., JAPANESE AND CAPTURED RUSSIAN ARMS, THEY CLAMBERED INTO LITTLE COASTAL LAUNCHES.
FOUR DAYS AGO THEY ASSAULTED THE TONGYONG PENINSULA TO THE SOUTH OF THE AMERICAN'S SOUTHWEST FLANK IN AN AREA SWARMING WITH COMMUNISTS WHO HAD INFILTRATED BEHIND THE LINES.
THE NEXT DAY HARDBOILED, 27-YEAR-OLD CAPT. KIM SUNG UN BROKE THE NEWS OF HIS ASSAULT WITH A MESSAGE.
THE MESSAGE: HIS MARINES HAD KILLED 350 COMMUNISTS, ALMOST WIPING OUT THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE 33RD REGIMENT OF THE NORTH KOREAN SEVENTH DIVISION. THE RED REGIMENTAL COMMANDER HAD TO DRESS UP AS A FARMER AND IGNOMINOUSLY FLEE TO ESCAPE CAPTURE.
THE INFANT MARINE CORPS ALSO TOOK 44 PRISONERS OF WAR, INCLUDING TWO OFFICERS. CAPTURED MATERIEL INCLUDED: A 122 MM CANNON, TWO HOWITZERS, 12 TRUCKS AND RUSSIAN-MADE JEEPS, 15 LIGHT MACHINEGUNS, 19 HEAVY MACHINEGUNS, 29 TOMMY GUNS, 1,300 GRENADES, 103 RIFLES AND TWO PISTOLS.
IN FACT, CAPTAIN KIM REPORTED THEY HAD SO MUCH EQUIPMENT NOW THEY DECIDED THEY MIGHT JUST AS WELL SET UP A NEW FRONT. SO THE SOUTH KOREAN MARINES HELD THE NARROW NECK OF THE PENINSULA AGAINST ENEMY REINFORCEMENTS RUSHED SOUTH FROM KOSONG.
THE SOUTH KOREANS HAVE TWO RULES:
1. FIGHT WITH BAYONETS WHEN YOU CAN.
2. NEVER SHOOT AT ANYONE UNTIL YOU CAN SEE HIS FACE.
U.S. MARINES ARE CALLED DEVIL DOGS OR LEATHERNECKS. SOUTH KOREANS ARE CALLED--IN A PHRASE WHICH DOES NOT TRANSLATE WELL INTO ENGLISH--"THE MEN WHO DO NOT RAISE THEIR HANDS."
THEY FOUGHT WITH AMERICAN TROOPS AT CHINGDON. THEY GOT AHEAD OF THE YANKS AND SUDDENLY FOUND NORTH KOREANS FIRING FROM THE FRONT AND THE AMERICANS FROM BEHIND.

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"PUT UP YOUR HANDS AND MOVE BACK TOWARD THE AMERICAN LINES," THEIR COMMANDER ORDERED. THAT WAS AN AGREED SIGNAL FOR THE AMERICAN TROOPS TO HALT IF THEY MISTOOK SOUTH KOREANS FOR COMMUNISTS. BUT THE NEW MARINES TO THE MAN REFUSED TO RAISE THEIR HANDS--IF THAT MEANT THEY WERE AFRAID. THEY STUCK IT OUT UNTIL FORWARD ELEMENTS IDENTIFIED THEM.
"I NEVER SAW MEN TAKING MORE CHANCES," SAID CAPT. KIM SONG SAN.
TODAY THE NORTH KOREANS THREW A COUNTERATTACK AGAINST THEM. THE MARINES ACTED LIKE AMERICAN LEATHERNECKS--THEY WENT IN AND DUG THE REDS OUT.
LOOK AT THEM AND ITS HARD TO TELL HOW THEY FIGHT. EACH RIFLE SEEMS TO TAKE A DIFFERENT TYPE OF AMMUNITION. THEY HAVE NO ARTILLERY.
WHEN FIVE ENEMY ARTILLERY PIECES OPENED UP, A LITTLE SOUTH KOREAN GUNBOAT CAME UP THE COAST AND BRAVELY TRIED TO KNOCK THEM OUT.
THEY HAVEN'T EVEN GOT RADIOS AND OTHER MUCH NEEDED AIDS. BUT THEY KILL REDS. SO FAR THEY HAVE HAD THE INCREDIBLY SMALL CASUALTY TOLL OF TWO KILLED AND SEVEN WOUNDED.
"MOST OF THE WOUNDED LOST THEIR FEET BECAUSE THEY TRIED TO KICK AWAY GRENADES THAT FELL CLOSE," SAID CAPTAIN KIM SONG, COMMANDER OF THE NEARBY SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL BASE WHERE THE WOUNDED WERE SENT.
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A141KX (PX FW)
(280)
AUG 24 1950
BY DON HUTH
SOMEWHERE ON THE KOREAN FRONT, AUG. 22-(DELAYED)-(AP)- THE U. S. ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF TODAY VISITED FORWARD AMERICAN POSITIONS IN KOREA TODAY---AND A FEW MINUTES AFTER HE LEFT A COMMAND POST "ALL HELL BROKE LOOSE" FROM INFILTRATING RED TROOPS.
GEN. J. LAWTON COLLINS PASSED OVER A ROAD THAT WAS RAKED BY RED MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE A FEW MINUTES AFTER HE HAD PASSED.
THE GENERAL'S SIX-JEEP CONVOY HAD STARTED BACK WHEN REDS ON THE AMERICAN OFFICERS WERE KILLED AND WOUNDED IN THE ATTACK.
GENERAL COLLINS, ACCOMPANIED BY LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE U. S. EIGHTH ARMY, WENT WITHIN ONE MILE OF THE MOST FORWARD POSITIONS ON THE KOREAN BATTLEFRONT. HE INSPECTED THE ADVANCE COMMAND POST OF THE AMERICAN 27TH REGIMENT WHERE THE CRUCIAL BATTLE FOR STRATEGIC TAEGU WAS IN PROGRESS TO THE NORTH OF THE CITY.
COL. JOHN (MIKE) MICHAELIS, 27TH REGIMENT COMMANDER, SAID:
"THEY NEVER WILL BELIEVE IT BUT 15 MINUTES AFTER THE GENERAL LEFT THE FORWARD COMMAND POST ALL HELL BROKE LOOSE."
THERE WAS NO ENEMY ACTI ITY AROUND THE POST WHILE COLLINS PARTY

WAS THERE.
THE COMMUNISTS HAD INFILTRATED ALONG THE RIDGES OF THE AMERICAN RIGHT FLANK.
AT A POINT TWO MILES WITHIN THE AMERICAN LINES RED MACHINEGUNNERS SPRAYED AN AID STATION NEAR THE ROAD. THEY ALSO RAKED AN ARTILLERY FIRE DIRECTING CONTROL CENTER BESIDE THE ROAD NEAR THE AID STATION, KILLING FOUR OFFICERS AND WOUNDING SEVERAL OTHERS AS THEY WORKED OVER A TABLE.
GENERAL COLLINS' CONVOY HAD PASSED BOTH THESE POSTS BEFORE THE ATTACK.
THE GENERAL, WHO IS IN KOREA TO GET A FIRST HAND PICTURE OF THE WAR, SPENT ABOUT 15 MINUTES AT THE COMMAND POST TALKING TO OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN. EARLIER HE HAD VISITED THE COMMAND POST OF THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION IN THE SAME AREA.

GEN.PAIK SUN YUP, COMMANDER OF THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST INFANTRY DIVISION, TOOK GENERAL COLLINS ON AN INSPECTION TOUR OF HIS POST. COLLINS EXAMINED SEVERAL PIECES OF CAPTURED EQUIPMENT AND DISPLAYED A QUICK KNOWLEDGE IN IDENTIFYING THEM.
THE GENERAL, RIDING IN THE FRONT SEAT OF THE LEAD JEEP, SHOWED CONSIDERABLE INTEREST IN STUDYING THE TERRAIN AS THE CONVOY BUMPED ITS WAY TO THE FRONT. HE WAS RIDING IN WALKER'S FAMILIAR JEEP, STYLED TO COMFORTABLY ACCOMMODATE WALKER'S SHORT, STOCKY LEGS. WALKER RODE IN THE REAR SEAT.
COLLINS WAS ONE OF FOUR TOP RANKING U.S. MILITARY STRATEGISTS TO ARRIVE IN KOREA TODAY.
COLLINS, LT.GEN.I.H.EDWARDS, DEPUTY FOR OPERATIONS U.S. AIR FORCE; LT.GEN.LEMUEL C.SHEPERD, CHIEF OF MARINE OPERATIONS IN THE PACIFIC, AND ADMIRAL FORREST P.SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, CAME BY PLANE FROM TOKYO.
THEY LANDED IN SEPARATE PLANES WITH THEIR RESPECTIVE PARTIES AT THE DUSTY FIFTH AIR FORCE STRIP NEAR EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS.
GENERAL WALKER MET THE VISITORS AT THE AIRPORT. THEY DROVE TO HEADQUARTERS WHERE A SERIES OF CONFERENCES BEGAN.
COLLINS AND SHERMAN, NATTILY DRESSED IN SUNTANS, MET BRIEFLY AT NOON WITH A BEDRAGGLED GROUP OF CORRESPONDENTS IN ARMY FATIGUES.
COLLINS SAID HE AND THE OTHER TOP RANKING OFFICERS HAD COME TO KOREA "TO SEE AT FIRST HAND WHAT THE SITUATION IS AND WHAT FURTHER WE COULD DO AT HOME TO BE OF HELP HERE."
THE ARMY GENERAL DECLINED TO DISCUSS THE TACTICAL SITUATION OF THE WAR BUT DECLARED "THERE NEVER HAS BEEN A DOUBT IN MY MIND THAT THE EIGHTH ARMY WOULD STOP THEM (THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS)."
HE ADDED:
"WHAT WE ARE MAINLY INTERESTED IN IS WINNING THE WAR."
"IT IS A LONG WAY FROM HERE TO HOME. THERE IS NOTHING LIKE GETTING INTO THE FIELD TO SEE AT FIRST HAND WHAT IS BEING DONE."
SHERMAN EMPHASIZED THE PART THE NAVY IS PLAYING IN THE KOREAN WAR AND SAID HE WAS HERE TO "SOAK IN A LITTLE KNOWLEDGE SO WE CAN DO A BETTER JOB."
SHERMAN LEFT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS LATE TODAY FOR A SOUTH KOREAN PORT WHERE HE BOARDED HIS SHIP.
THE ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF WAS ACCOMPANIED BY MAJ.GEN.DOYLE O.HICKEY AND OTHER SENIOR RANKING OFFICERS. ADMIRAL CHARLES T.JOY, COMMANDER OF NAVAL FORCES IN THE FAR EAST, BROUGHT SHEPERD AND SHERMAN TO KOREA.
WHILE COLLINS AND SHERMAN MET WITH GENERAL WALKER, EDWARDS TOOK A TOUR OF AIR INSTALLATIONS IN THE HEADQUARTERS AREA. HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY MAJ.GEN.O.P.WEYLAND, VICE COMMANDER OF AIR OPERATIONS FOR FAR EAST AIR FORCES; MAJ.GEN.HARRY ARMSTRONG, SURGEON GENERAL UNITED STATES AIR FORCES; LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, COMMANDER OF UNITED STATES AIR FORCES IN THE FAR EAST, AND COL.C.L.BROTHERS, CHIEF SURGEON OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCE.
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C O R R E C T I O N

SOMEWHERE ON THE KOREAN FRONT---IN GEN. COLLINS ESCAPE (A141KX) THIRD GRAF "THE GENERAL'S ETC" MAKE READ: "X X X REDS ON THE AMERICAN RIGHT FLANK ZEROED THEIR FIRE ALONG THE DUSTY ROAD. SEVERAL AMERICAN OFFICERS, ETC (INSERTING DROPPED LINE)
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FJ1129PCS

A133KX
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AUG 24 1950
TEXT (250)
U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KORE, THURSDAY, AUG. 24-(AP)-TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 56 ISSUED TODAY AT 12:55 P.M. (9:55 P.M., E. S. T., WEDNESDAY):
IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR A COMPANY OF THE 24TH REGIMENT REPELLED A SMALL ENEMY ATTACK AT 0645 HOURS. A COMPANY OF THE 5TH REGIMENT ATTACKED AN ENEMY FORCE ON HIGH GROUND YESTERDAY BUT FAILED TO TAKE THE POSITION. PATROLS OF THE 35TH REGIMENT WHICH RANGED 2000 TO 3000 YARDS TO THEIR FRONT REPORTED NO CONTCT WITH THE COMMUNISTS.
THE ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD TWO MILES WEST OF HYPONPUNG (15 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU) REMAINED QUIET. ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) PATROLS REPORT THAT THE COMMUNIST REINFORCEMENTS IMMEDIATELY ACROSS THE RIVER FROM THE BRIDGEHEAD CONSIST OF APPROXIMATELY 600 TROOPS AND SOOME ARMOR.
A BATTALION OF U. S. TROOPS SUCCESSFULLY CLEARED THE MAIN SUPPLY ROUTE OF THE U. S. 27TH REGIMENT YESTERDAY AS THEY DROVE ENEMY INFILTRATIONS FROM COMMAND OF THE ROAD. THESE ENEMY TROOPS MADE SMALL HARASSING ATTACKS ON RESERVE ELEMENTS IN THE ROK FIRST DIVISION LAST NIGHT. U. S. TROOPS AND THE ROK 10TH REGIMENT ENGAGED AN ENEMY COMPANY TWOMILES SOUTHEAST OF TABU, CAPTURING PRISONERS.
THE ROK 6TH DIVISION WAS SUBJECTED TO INTENSE AND PROLONGED ARTILLERY FIRE YESTERDAY BUT NO ENEMY ACTION FOLLOWED THE CONCENTRATION.
IN THE ROK FIRST CORPS SECTOR THE EIGHTH DIVISION LOST A HILL ON ITS LEFT FLANK BUT AN ATTACK BY ITS 16TH REGIMENT CAPTURED AND KILLED 350 COMMUNIST TROOPS.
AN ENEMY ATTACK CAUSED THE 25TH REGIMENT OF THE ROK CAPITOL DIVISION TO WITHDRAW BUT THIS MORNING BOTH THE CAPITOL AND THE THIRD DIVISION WERE PREPARED TO ATTACK.
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B7KX SECG) (TEXT)
TEXT (670)
TOKYO,AUG.23-(AP)-TEXT OF FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE NO. 298 ISSUED AT 2:20 P.M. (11:20 P.M. EST TUESDAY):
THE GROWING AIR POTENTIAL OF US FAR EAST AIR FORCES AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE FIGHTING IN SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS WAR EFFORT IN KOREA WAS UNLEASHED YESTERDAY IN THE MOST ACTIVE DAY OF AIR OPERATIONS SINCE WAR BEGAN ALMOST TWO MONTHS AGO.
MORE THAN 550 SORTIES BY ALL TYPES AIRCRAFT WERE FLOWN DURING THE DAY. GOOD VISIBILITY IN SOUTHERN SECTORS ALLOWED FIFTH AIR FORCE AND RAAF TO STAGE NEARLY 300 FIGHTER SORTIES IN INTIMATE COOPERATION WITH

U.N. GROUND FORCES ALONG ENTIRE BATTLE LINES.
USING RADAR, B-29 SUPERFORTS DROPPED MORE THAN 600 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES N THE KEY NORTH KOREAN IND

EXPLOSIVES ON THE KEY NORTH KOREAN INDUSTRIAL AND PORT CITY OF CHONGJIN ON THE EAST COAST IN ONE OF THE HEAVIEST ATTACKS ON A STRATEGIC TARGET TO DATE. MARSHALLING YARDS, PORT FACILITIES AND A LARGE IRON AND STEEL PLANT ORIGINALLY BUILT BY THE JAPANESE MITSUBISHI INTERESTS WERE HIT.

VISUAL BOMBING WAS POSSIBLE ON DOCK AND WAREHOUSE AREAS ALONG THE WATERFRONT. DIRECT HITS WERE SCORED ON PORT FACILITIES AND IN WAREHOUSE DISTRICTS CAUSING FIRES AND EXPLOSIONS WHICH FORCED SMOKE COLUMNS TO MORE THAN 4,000 FEET.

ANOTHER 200 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED BY SUPERFORTS ON SIX SELECTED TARGETS OR TARGET COMPLEXES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

CLOUD COVER AT PYONGYANG MARSHALLING YARDS, A MAJOR TARGET FOR SUPERFORT ATTACKS, REQUIRED RADAR SIGHTING ON BOMB RUNS BUT SMALLER STRIKES AT MARSHALLING YARDS AT WONSAN, SONGJIN, CHANGJON AND HUNGNAM WERE ACCOMPLISHED WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS. WAREHOUSE AND STORAGE AREAS AT HUNGNAM RAILROAD YARDS WERE 50 PERCENT DESTROYED.

ONE BRIDGE, A KEY TARGET ON THE RAIL LINE 23 MILES NORTH OF SEOUL, WAS PUT OUT OF ACTION WITH ONE SPAN DOWN IN THE WATER. THE IMPORTANT RAIL JUNCTION 8 MILES NORTH OF HUNGNAM ALSO WAS HIT WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS.

THE SUCCESS OF INTERDICTION BOMBING BY SUPERFORTS WAS INDICATED IN STRENUOUS EFFORTS BEING MADE BY COMMUNIST FORCES TO REPLACE BRIDGES ACROSS THE HAN RIVER AT SEOUL, KNOCKED OUT IN MEDIUM BOMBER ATTACKS. FOUR PONTOON BRIDGES HAVE BEEN BUILT OR ARE IN PROCESS OF CONSTRUCTION ALTHOUGH ONLY ONE IS CONSIDERED CAPABLE OF CARRYING ANY VOLUME OF TRAFFIC.

FIFTH AIR FORCE RAAF UNITS MADE TACTICAL COMBAT SORTIES ON ROUND-THE-CLOCK SCHEDULE WITH F-80 JETS AND F-51 FIGHTERS WORKING FROM DAWN TO DUSK IN AREAS CLOSE TO FIGHTING LINES.

NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS FLOWN BY B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS, F-82 ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS AND U.S. MARINE F-4U FIGHTERS KEPT UP DIRECT AIR SUPPORT AND INTERDICTION OPERATIONS TO ROUND OUT 24-HOUR PERIOD. NIGHT INTRUDERS ATTACKED MILITARY TARGETS IN OR NEAR 16 TOWNS. A POWER STATION WAS DAMAGED IN F-82 STRIKES EAST OF SONGJU AND TRUCKS DAMAGED IN B-26 AND F-4U ATTACKS ON COMMUNIST TROOP SUPPLY MOVEMENT ALONG HIGHWAYS LEADING TO BATTLE ZONES.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER PILOTS CONCENTRATED ON TARGETS CLOSE TO LINES IN NORTHERN SECTORS.

FIVE LARGE WAREHOUSES WERE BURNED AND A SMALL BRIDGE DESTROYED NEAR SONGJU AND THREE RAIL TUNNELS DAMAGED NEAR POKSONG.

OTHER CLAIMS FOR MATERIEL DAMAGES INCLUDED: NINE TRUCKS, SEVEN VEHICLES, ONE TANK, ONE LOCOMOTIVE AND FOUR BOXCARS.

THE GROWING PAUCITY OF GROUND TARGETS NOTED IN THE PAST TWO OR THREE DAYS WAS ATTRIBUTED PARTIALLY TO DIMINISHING STOCKS OF NORTH KOREAN MECHANIZED EQUIPMENT AND PARTIALLY TO DETERMINED EFFORT OF COMMUNIST FORCES TO AVOID AIR ATTACKS BY KEEPING REMAINING EQUIPMENT OUT OF SIGHT DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS.

RAAF MUSTANGS WITH A TOTAL OF NEARLY 600 COMBAT SORTIES TO THEIR CREDIT SINCE THE EARLY DAYS OF THE FRONT. AUSTRALIANS BOMBED, ROCKETED AND STRAFED NORTH KOREAN TROOPS LESS THAN 100 YARDS IN ADVANCE OF U.N. POSITIONS AND INFLICTED NUMEROUS CASUALTIES. FIVE BUILDINGS HOUSING SUPPLIES OR TROOPS WERE HIT AND SET ON FIRE AND EIGHT TRUCKS WERE LEFT IN FLAMES AFTER MUSTANG ROCKET-MACHINE GUN STRIKES.

OTHER AUSTRALIAN CLAIMS FOR THE DAY LISTED A TRUCK AND TANK REPAIR DEPOT 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF SAMCHOK AS EXTENSIVELY DAMAGED OR DESTROYED. AN AMMUNITION DUMP AND TWO LARGE WAREHOUSES WERE DESTROYED AND SUCCESSFUL ATTACKS ON SEVERAL ARTILLERY POSITIONS WERE MADE.

CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED 352 PASSENGERS AND 47 TONS OF PRIORITY MILITARY SUPPLIES TO KOREA DURING THE DAY.

ONE AIR FORCE F-51 WAS LOST TO INTENSE GROUND FIRE FROM NORTH KOREAN REAR POSITIONS.

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B13KX (SEG) (CQN)

C O R R E C T I O N

TOKYO--TEXT NO. 298-AIR (B7-8KX), IN 16TH GRAF STARTING "RAAF MUSTANGS" FIRST SENTENCE READ "SINCE THE EARLY DAYS OF THE KOREAN WAR SCORED HEAVILY IN CLOSE SUPPORT STRIKES ON ALL SECTORS OF THE FRONT. AUSTRALIANS X X X".

(INSERTING DROPPED LINE.)

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TEXT (320)

TOKYO, AUG.23-(AP)-TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 299 ISSUED AT 4:05 P.M. (1:05 A.M. EST):

THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION, IN A SERIES OF COUNTERATTACKS 22 AUG., REGAINED POSITIONS ON THE DEFENSE LINES WEST OF MASAN WHICH HAVE BEEN THE OBJECT OF HEAVY FIGHTING FOR THE PAST THREE DAYS, AND WHICH HAVE CHANGED HANDS SEVERAL TIMES DURING THAT PERIOD. TODAY THE 25TH DIVISION IS ENGAGED IN STRENGTHENING POSITIONS AND IN DEFENDING AGAINST DIMINISHING ENEMY ATTACKS.

ABOUT 9 P.M. 22 AUG., ELEMENTS OF THE 25TH DIVISION, AFTER HAVING GAINED CRITICAL POSITIONS ALONG THE SOBUK RIDGE, RECEIVED AN ENEMY ATTACK IN THE AREA BETWEEN TUNDOK AND PYONGAM WHICH WAS REPULSED WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND. AGAIN AT 6:30 A.M., 23 AUG., ANOTHER ENEMY ATTACK WAS LAUNCHED AGAINST THE SAME POSITION, WHICH ALSO WAS REPULSED. FARTHER NORTH IN THE SAME SECTOR, IN THE VICINITY OF CHUNGAM, WHERE ENEMY FORCES HAD PREVIOUSLY EXERTED A MAJOR EFFORT, OUR FORCES REPORT ONLY LIGHT CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY.

IN THE NORTHWEST SECTOR, THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION AND U.S. UNITS SUPPORTING THAT DIVISION ARE UNDER CONTINUOUS ENEMY PRESSURE, CHARACTERIZED BY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR ATTACKS AND ENEMY INFILTRATION INTO OUR REAR AREAS. ON 22 AUG., AMERICAN UNITS IN THIS SECTOR REPULSED AN ENEMY ATTACK ON ONE OF OUR ARTILLERY POSITIONS AND ENGAGED THE ENEMY FORCE WHICH HAD ESTABLISHED A ROAD BLOCK NEAR THE TOWN OF TABU. U.S. UNITS ATTACKED THE ENEMY IN THIS AREA EARLY 23 AUG., TO ELIMINATE THAT THREAT TO OUR POSITIONS. THE FRONT LINE REMAINS GENERALLY STATIC IN THIS SECTOR.

THE ROK CAPITOL AND THIRD DIVISIONS CONTINUE TO ADVANCE IN THE POHANG AREA, ALTHOUGH AGAINST STIFFENING ENEMY RESISTANCE WHICH HAS FORCED ELEMENTS OF THE CAPITOL DIVISION INTO DEFENSIVE POSITIONS IN THE VICINITY OF YONGGI. THE LINE OF ADVANCE NORTH OF POHANG RUNS GENERALLY EAST AND WEST THROUGH A POINT IN THE VICINITY OF HUNGHAE.

THE CENTRAL FRONT, INCLUDING THE SECTORS OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AND THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION, IS GENERALLY QUIET, AS IS THE NORTHERN FRONT OF THE ROK SIXTH AND EIGHTH DIVISIONS.

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TEXT (290)

TOKYO,AUG.23-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.300 (AERIAL ISSUED AT 8 P.M. (5 A.M. EST) TODAY:

B-26 INVADER BOMBERS SLASHED ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SUPPLIES AT SONSAN THIS MORNING WITH 100 POUND BOMBS. THE CRAFT, LED BY LT. COL. LELAND WALKER, KR. 1282 EMERSON AVE., SALT LAKE CITY, PASTED NORTH KOREANS FROM 8,000 FEET SCORING MANY HITS. "A COLUMN OF S SMOKE AND FLAME ENVELOPED THE TARGET AS WE LEFT," WALKER SAID.

MARSHALLING YARDS AT SUNCHON ALSO TOOK DIRECT HITS FROM 1,000 POUNDERS IN ANOTHER DAYLIGHT MISSION LED BY CAPT. SAMUEL CROSBY, JR., OF EL PASO. RESULTS WERE EXCELLENT, STATED CROSBY. THIRTY TO 50 BOX CARS IN THE YARD WERE BURNING OR WRECKED AFTER THE ATTACK.

OTHER B-26S FLYING NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS CONTINUED TO POUND THE COMMUNISTS' ALREADY CRITICAL SUPPLY CHANNELS. FIRST LT. WILLARD MATTSON OF 426 HATCH AVE., ST.PAUL, MINN., BOMBED A CONVOY AT SANGJU AND DAMAGED 12 VEHICLES AND THREE BOX CARS.

FIGHTER BOMBERS OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE LAUNCHED THEIR FIRST ATTACKS AT DAWN TODAY STRIKING THE COMMUNISTS' CRIPPLED TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM, A ALSO NORTH KOREAN ARMOR.

ONE FLIGHT OF F51 MUSTANGS LED BY CAPT. ARNOLD MULLINS OF 1825. BELMONT ST., ASHLAND, KY., LEVELED A SURPRISE PRE-SUNRISE BLAST AT THE BUSY MARSHALLING YARD NORTH OF SEOUL, STRAFING A TRAIN AND NEARBY RADIO TOWER.

TEN BOX CARS, TWO TRUCKS AND FOUR LOCOMOTIVES SHUTTLING FREIGHT CARS WERE DESTROYED OR DAMAGED.

LT. RALPH PARR, JR., OF WASHINGTON, D.C., TOLD HOW HIS FLIGHT OF F-80 JET FIGHTERS LAUNCHED ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN SLUGS INTO A RAILROAD TUNNEL WHERE ENEMY TANKS HAD TAKEN REFUGE. "THE AIRBORNE CONTROLLER DIRECTED US TO A RAILWAY TUNNEL SOUTH OF UISONG, A FEW MILES NORTHEAST OF KUNWI, WHERE RED TANKS WERE HIDING. THE WHOLE FLIGHT FIRED OUR LOAD OF ROCKETS INTO THE TUNNEL MOUTH AND THEN WENT BACK TO STRAFE IT WITH OUR MACHINEGUNS. THE CONTROLLER, WHO COULD SEE THE WHOLE SHOW, REPORTED NO ENEMY ACTIVITY IN THE TUNNEL."

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TEXT (250)

TOKYO,THURSDAY,AUG.24-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.301, TIMED AT 9:40 A.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (6:40 P.M., EST, WEDNESDAY) FOLLOWS:

FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS OF THE U.S.AIR FORCE GOT AN EARLY START AGAINST NORTH KOREAN TARGETS THIS MORNING, TAKING ADVANTAGE OF GOOD WEATHER PREDICTED FOR ALL SECTORS OF THE PENINSULA.

F-80 JETS WERE IN THE AIR AT 6:04 THIS MORNING FOR ENEMY TROOP TARGETS SOUTHWEST OF MASAN. THEY USED ALL THEIR AMMUNITION AND ROCKETS BY 8 A.M. AND THE CONTROLLERS REPORTED A NUMBER OF TROOPS AND SUPPLIES SHOT UP.

THE THIRD BOMB GROUP B-26S ALSO WERE IN THE AIR EARLY TODAY. IN YESTERDAY'S LATE REPORTS, CAPT.ELBERT M.STRINGER, MOBERLY, MO., LED A FLIGHT IN NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS AGAINST THREE MARSHALLING YARDS, AT MUNAN, KAESONG AND SAMDUNG. "WE HIT BOXCARS AND INFLICTED DAMAGE AT ALL PLACES," HE SAID.

YESTERDAY, APPROXIMATELY 500 MISSIONS OF ALL TYPES WERE FLOWN. THE FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS OPERATED IN THE AREAS NORTH AND NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN, WHILE THE B-29 SUPERFORT MEDIUM BOMBERS RESUMED THEIR ATTACK ON KEY RAILROAD AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 37TH PARALLEL. THEY ALSO HIT THE KAESONG RAILWAY YARDS WITH GOOD RESULTS.

ACCORDING TO YESTERDAYS LATE MISSION REPORTS, OXCARTS LOADED WITH SUPPLIES FOR THE COMMUNISTS EXPLODED AND BURNED IN A SMALL VILLAGE WEST OF SINDAM FOLLOWING AN ATTACK BY FOUR F-80 JETS. THE MISSION WAS LED BY 1ST LT.PHILLIP R.SAFORD, (19015 SHELBURNE RD.,) CLEVELAND, OHIO. "CLOUDS OF SMOKE OBSCURED OUR VIEW AFTER THE ROCKETS HAD BEEN FIRED, CAUSING THE EXPLOSION. NO DOUBT THOSE CARTS WERE HEAVILY LOADED WITH SUPPLIES AND AMMUNITION."

F-80 JETS KNOCKED OUT A RAILROAD BRIDGE NEAR KUNWI, ACCORDING TO 1ST LT.RICHARD BARTLY, LOS ANGELES, IN A MISSION LATE WEDNESDAY.

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TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 24-(AP)-TEXT OF A FAR EAST NAVAL KOREAN RELEASE NO. 302 ISSUED AT 12:35 P.M., (9:35 P.M., EST WEDNESDAY)

FOR THE SECOND TIME IN THREE DAYS THE INDUSTRIAL CENTER AT CHONGJIN, ON THE FAR NORTHEAST COAST OF KOREA, UNDERWENT BOMBARDMENT YESTERDAY BY A U. S. NAVY DESTROYER WITH RESULTING FIRES VISIBLE FOR 10 MILES AT SEA.

THE MITSUBISHI IRON WORKS, DOCK YARDS AND RAILROAD YARDS WERE AGAIN THE TARGETS OF THE EARLY MORNING BOMBARDMENT. DAMAGE WAS ESTIMATED AS HEAVY.

ANOTHER U. S. DESTROYER PATROLLING THE COAST BLEW UP A TRAIN SHED AT LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 38 DEGREES 15 MINUTES NORTH AND A FACTORY AT LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 37 DEGREES 30 MINUTES NORTH. ELSEWHERE ALONG THE COAST THE SAME DESTROYER SCORED HITS ON AN OIL STORAGE TANK, A FACTORY AND A WAREHOUSE WITH RESULTING LARGE FIRES.

YESTERDAY UNITS OF THE EAST COAST PATROL AND SUPPORT FORCE UNDER THE COMMAND OF REAR ADM. JOHN M. HIGGINS, USN, BOMBARDED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, ROADS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS IN THE POHANG AREA AS REQUESTED BY KMAG (KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP) REPRESENTATIVES. ONE MORTAR POSVTKON WAS DESTROYED, ACCORDING TO A SPOTTER, AND 35 PER CENT CASUALTIES WERE SUSTAINED IN ONE HEAVY CONCENTRATION OF TROOPS EAST OF HUNGHAE.

DURING THE NIGHT ALL FIRE SUPPORT WAS SUPPLIED WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS AGAINST TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE HUNGHAE AREA. A KMAG REPRESENTATIVE REPORTED HEAVY ENEMY CASUALTIES AND THE TOWN OF HUNGHAE IN RUINS.

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TEXT

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TOKYO, THURSDAY, AUG. 24-(AP)-TEXT OF FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 303 ISSUED AT 1:25 P.M. (10:25 P.M. EST WEDNESDAY):

UNITED STATES FAR EAST AIR FORCE B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES CONTINUED THEIR STEADY POUNDING AT KEY RAIL AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES AUG.23 IN AN INCREASINGLY SUCCESSFUL EFFORT TO BLOCK THE FLOW OF REINFORCEMENTS AND SUPPLIES TO NORTH KOREAN ARMIES ON THE SOUTHERN BATTLE FRONTS.

FOUR OUT OF FOURTEEN BRIDGES ATTACKED HAD SPANS DOWN IN THE WATER AND SEVEN OTHERS WERE SERIOUSLY DAMAGED WITH DIRECT HITS. MOST OF THE RAIL AND HIG

HWAY BRIDGES WERE ON LINES LEADING FROM SEOUL NORTH TO

PYONGYANG OR ACROSS THE PENINSULA TO WONSAN ON THE EAST COAST. THESE LINES CARRY A LARGE PERCENTAGE OF THE COMMUNIST WAR MATERIEL BEING MOVED SOUTH FROM STOCKPILES IN NORTH KOREA.

THE SUPERFORTRESSES ALSO SCORED DIRECT HITS ON A ROAD AND RAIL JUNCTION NEAR CHORWON AND THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT KAESONG, NORTHWEST OF SEOUL.

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FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26S MOUNTED HEAVY STRIKES AGAINST THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT SUNCHON, WHERE TRACKAGE, RAIL INSTALLATIONS AND AN ESTIMATED 30 TO 40 BOXCARS WERE DAMAGED. AT ANOTHER MARSHALLING YARD, SOUTH OF CHONAN, TRACKS WERE CUT AND ROLLING STOCK HIT AND DAMAGED. THE B-26 S ALSO FLEW MEDIUM ALTITUDE CLOSE SUPPORT BOMB STRIKES TO SONSAN, CLOSE TO THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE, HITTING TROOP AND VEHICULAR TARGETS IN THE TOWN. RAIL INSTALLATIONS AND TRACKAGE WERE DAMAGED SOUTHEAST OF CHONUI.

NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS BY B-26S AND F-82-ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS STRUCK AT CONVOYS ON LINES OF COMMUNICATION AND CENTRAL SUPPLY AND MILITARY PERSONNEL CONCENTRATION POINTS IN MANY SETTLED AREAS BEHIND THE LINES. NO ACCURATE EVALUATION OF THE DAMAGE TO ALL TARGETS COULD BE MADE BUT IT WAS CONSIDERED THAT LARGE NUMBERS OF VEHICLES WERE DAMAGED OR DESTROYED IN STRIKES ON LIGHTED CONVOYS.

MORE THAN 500 SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY FAR EAST AIR FORCES AIRCRAFT IN THE COURSE OF THE 59TH DAY OF CONTINUOUS AIR FORCE ACTIVITIES IN COOPERATION WITH THE UNITED NATIONS WAR EFFORT IN KOREA.

A MAJORITY WERE FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80 JET AND F-51 FIGHTER STRIKES AT COMMUNIST TROOPS, MATERIEL AND OTHER TARGETS CLOSE TO THE BATTLE LINES, ALTHOUGH FIGHTER OPERATIONS WERE CONDUCTED OVER A WIDE AREA.

ONE FIGHTER MISSION ON ARMED RECONNAISSANCE NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL STRAFED AN AIRFIELD NEAR CHORWON DESTROYING TWO YAK-TYPE SINGLE ENGINE FIGHTERS AND DAMAGING ANOTHER OF AN UNIDENTIFIED TYPE ON THE GROUND.

FIGHTERS PROVIDING DIRECT SUPPORT FOR THE UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES CONCENTRATED THEIR ATTACKS ON THE ACTIVE SECTORS DEFENDED BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS NORTH AND EAST OF WAEGWAN. FIGHTERS, FLYING UNDER THE DIRECTION OF AIR FORCE FOWARD CONTROLLERS, WERE IN THE AIR AND READY FOR ACTION IN ANY SECTOR THROUGHOUT THE DAY.

CONSERVATIVE DAMAGE CLAIMS FOR NORTH KOREAN VEHICULAR EQUIPMENT AND GROUND INSTALLATIONS INCLUDED 14 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, TWO LARGE BUILDINGS HOUSING TROOPS, THREE LOCOMOTIVES, 14 BOXCARS, ONE TANK AND TWO GUN EMPLACEMENTS.

TROOP COLUMNS AND BARRACKS AREAS WERE BOMBED AND STRAFED IN MANY SECTORS CAUSING AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF CASUALTIES.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE MUSTANGS FLEW NEARLY 30 CLOSE SUPPORT AND ARMED RECONNAISSANCE SORTIES. THE AUSTRALIANS DAMAGED SEVEN TRUCKS AND THREE BOXCARS AND FIRED TWO SCHOOL BUILDINGS USED AS TROOP OR SUPPLY SHELTERS. ROADS AND TROPP CONCENTRATIONS WERE STRAFED ALL ALONG THE FRONT LINES.

CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED MORE THAN 46 TONS OF ESSENTIAL MILITARY SUPPLIES AND 371 PASSENGERS TO KOREA DURING THE DAY. NO AMERICAN OR AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT WERE LOST OR DAMAGED DURING THE DAYS OPERATIONS AND NO NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION WAS REPORTED.

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LONDON,AUG.23-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:

"ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO CRUSH THE RESISTANCE AND REPULSE THE COUNTERATTACKS OF THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS SUPPORTED BY AIRCRAFT, INFLICTING LOSSES IN ARMS AND EQUIPMENT ON THE ENEMY.

"UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY OPERATING IN THE AREA OF SUNJI AND IN THE AREA OF THE SOUTHERN COAST, CONTINUED THEIR OFFENSIVE.

"AMERICAN WARSHIPS CONTINUE TO ATTACK POPULATED PLACES IN THE EAST COAST NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL AND TO SHELL THEM.

"ON AUG.20, U.S.DESTROYER NO. 726 ATTACKED AN AREA ON THE EAST COAST OF NORTH KOREA SOUTH OF HAMHUMG (KANKO) AND TRIED TO SHELL IT. AS A RESULT MASSED FIRE FROM COASTAL ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, THE SHIP RECEIVED 27 DIRECT HITS. ON THE SHIP THREE HEAVY CALIBER GUNS, TWO LIGHT CALIBER, THE MASTS, FUNNELS AND CENTRAL PART OF THE SHIP WERE DESTROYED. A GREAT NUMBER OF ITS CREW WERE KILLED.

"THE BURNING SHIP, WHICH COULD HARDLY MAINTAIN A SPEED OF SEVEN KNOTS MADE OFF FOR THE SOUTH AND, ACCORDING TO REPORTS FROM EYE WITNESSES FROM THE COASTAL AREA, SANK AFTER A HEAVY EXPLOSION."

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LONDON, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE EVENING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HBARD HERE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST VIOLENTLY COUNTERATTACKING AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY HAVING REPULSED ENEMY COUNTERATTACKS INFLICTED HEAVY LOSSES.

ON AUG. 16, AUG 17 AND AUG.18, TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG INFLICTED SERIOUS BLOWS ON AMERICAN TROOPS.

THE ENEMY SUFFERED LOSSES IN MANPOWER AND EQUIPMENT. IN THREE DAYS OF FIGHTING UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WIPED OUT OR WOUNDED MORE THAN 5,000 ENEMY OFFICERS AND MEN AND CAPTURED LARGE QUANTITIES OF WAR MATERIAL.

SUPPORTING THE OFFENSIVE OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY PARTISAN DETACHMENTS OPERATING IN THE AREA BETWEEN PUSAN AND TAEGU HAVE BEEN CONDUCTING MORE ACTIVE OPERATIONS AND HAVE ACHIEVED IMPORTANT SUCCESSES.

PARTISANS ARE CUTTING THE ROAD BETWEEN PUSAN AND TAEGU AND ARE DISLOCATING THE ENEMY REAR.

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A12

LONDON, AUG.823-(AP)-LLOYDS OF LONDON QUOTED A PREMIUM OF 10 PER CENT TODAY FOR ACCIDENTAL DEATH INSURANCE ON NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENTS COVERING THE WAR IN KOREA.

THIS IS DOUBLE THE PREMIUM QUOTED JUST BEFORE D-DAY IN 1944 FOR THE SAME KIND OF INSURANCE ON NEWSMEN.

LLOYDS-- WORLD'S LARGEST INSURANCE BROKER-- SAID 18 ACCIDENT AND DEATH POLICIES ON CORRESPONDENTS IN KOREA HAVE BEEN PAID OUT SINCE THE FIGHTING BEGAN THERE ON JUNE 25.

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A15 (KX AERIAL FW)
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M. EST., TODAY, WEDNESDAY, AUG.23.)
(ADVANCE) LONDON, THURSDAY, AUG.24-(AP)-THE ADMIRALTY SAID TODAY IT WILL TAKE 86 WARSHIPS OUT OF MOTHBALLS TO STRENGTHEN THE ROYAL NAVY DURING THE PRESENT INTERNATIONAL CRISIS.
SHIPS WHICH WILL BE REFITTED FOR ACTIVE SEA DUTY INCLUDE SEVEN DESTROYERS, NINE FRIGATES AND 16 MINESWEEPERS. THE OTHER VESSELS ARE SMALL CRAFT, SUCH AS MOTOR TORPEDO BOATS, LANDING CRAFT AND SALVAGE BOATS.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M. EST, TODAY, WEDNESDAY, AUG.23)
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A82
LONDON, AUG.23-(AP)-HEADS OF THE POWERFUL BRITISH TRADES UNION CONGRESS PLEDGED FULL SUPPORT TO THEIR GOVERNMENT AND THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY IN FIGHTING NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION.
THE GENERAL COUNCIL OF THE TUC, REPRESENTING 8,000,000 MEMBERS, GAVE ITS APPROVAL TO THE U.N. POLICIES IN A DECLARATION PREPARED FOR PRESENTATION TO THE ANNUAL TUC CONGRESS SEPT.4.
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A87
(110)
MOSCOW, AUG.23-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIQUES PUBLISHED HERE HAVE CLAIMED SINCE JULY 1 THE SHOOTING DOWN OR CAPTURE OF 89 PLANES.
THE COMMUNIQUES HAVE CLAIMED THE CAPTURE OF 594 AUTOMOBILES, APPARENTLY INCLUDING TRUCKS.
THE OTHER FIGURES GO LIKE THIS:
105MM. GUNS--82.
TANKS--41.
AMORED CARS--54.
THE COMMUNIQUES REPORTED THE CAPTURE OF MANY THOUSANDS OF RIFLES, MACHINEGUNS, ANTI-TANK WEAPONS, MINES, ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS AND THE LIKE. THE FIGURES DO NOT INCLUDE THOSE OF A SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT COVERING THE PERIOD OF AUG.2-12 IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR ALONE. THIS COMMUNIQUE SAID THAT FOR THE 10 DAY PERIOD, THE NORTH KOREANS KILLED OR WOUNDED MORE THAN 5,000, TOOK MORE THAN 2,000 PRISONERS, KNOCKED OUT 29 TANKS, 400 AUTOMOBILES, 24 OF THE 105 MM GUNS AND 15 OF THE 155MM GUNS.
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A145
HONG KONG, AUG. 23-(AP)-BRITISH TROOPS BEGAN LOADING EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES ABOARD THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER H.M.S.UNICORN TODAY, BUT OFFICIALS WOULD NOT SAY WHETHER THE VESSEL WAS TO CARRY THE MORE THAN 1,500 BRITISH SOLDIERS SLATED FOR THE KOREA WAR FRONT.
UNCONFIRMED REPORTS IN HONG KONG SAID THE UNICORN--WHICH HAS BEEN USED PRIMARILY AS A TRANSPORT SHIP AND NOW CARRIES LESS THAN A DOZEN PLANES--AND THE CRUISER CEYLON HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED TO TAKING THE TROOPS TO KOREA.
A BRITISH ARMY SPOKESMAN REFUSED TO COMMENT ON REPORTS THAT THE GROOPS BEING SENT TO BOLSTER U.N.FORCES FIGHTING THE COMMUNISTS UNDER GENERAL MACARTHUR WOULD LEAVE HERE BY MIDNIGHT TOMORROW NIGHT.
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HONG KONG, WEDNESDAY, AUG.23-(AP)-DEPARTURE WITHIN A WEEK OF 1,500 BRITISH TROOPS FOR KOREA WILL BE NO GREAT SECRET.
BUT WHETHER THE BRITISH TOMMIES FROM THE ARGYLE AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS AND THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT WILL GO DIRECTLY TO KOREA OR FIRST TO JAPAN IS A SECRET.
THE TROOPS PROBABLY WILL TRAVEL BY MERCHANT SHIP BUT SOME MAY GO BY AIR.
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KOREAN-PIPS (150)
MANILA, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE PHILIPPINES IS SENDING THE 10TH BATTALION COMBAT TEAM, BEST TRAINED AND EQUIPPED OF ITS FIGHTING FORCES, TO JOIN UNITED NATIONS TROOPS IN KOREA.
THE TEAM INCLUDES A FULL-STRENGTH INFANTRY BATTALION, A COMPANY OF MEDIUM TANKS, A COMPANY OF LIGHT TANKS AND ARMORED RECONNAISSANCE CARS, A BATTERY OF SELF-PROPELLED ARTILLERY AND MEDICAL, ENGINEER, SIGNAL CORPS AND SUPPLY UNITS.
IT IS DESIGNED TO OPERATE INDEPENDENTLY IF NECESSARY.
LT. COL. MARIANO AZURIN, GRADUATE OF THE U.S. ARMY'S ARMORED SCHOOL AT FT. KNOX, KY., WILL LEAD THE BATTALION.
LT. COL. MARCELO BARBERO OF PHILIPPINES DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS SAID THE COMBAT TEAM WILL RECEIVE ITS COLORS SEPT. 2 AND THEN "GO BEHIND A STEEL CURTAIN."
"THE NEXT THING YOU HEAR FROM THEM WILL BE FROM KOREA," HE SAID. BUT BARBERO HINTED THERE MIGHT BE PRELIMINARY TRAINING IN JAPAN.

--DASH--
PHILIPPINES AMBASSADOR JOAQUIN M.ELIZALDE DISCUSSED WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON IN WASHINGTON TODAY PLANS FOR USING THE PHILIPPINE TROOPS IN KOREA.
ELIZALDE BROUGHT WORD FROM PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO THAT THE BATTALION WILL CONSIST OF ABOUT 1,200 MEN AND "IS READY TO GO." THESE ARE THE FIRST OF THE 5,000 TROOPS OFFERED BY THE PHILIPPINES FOR THE KOREAN FIGHTING.
THE AMBASSADOR SAID THE PHILIPPINES WILL PAY THE ENTIRE BILL FOR THE FORCE, AND THAT IT WILL BE FULLY EQUIPPED.
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EDITORS:
CONCERNING REPORTS THAT BRITISH MARINES HAVE MADE A RAID IN KOREA, TOKYO ADVISES THAT FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS' PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE SAYS IT HAS HEARD NOTHING OF SUCH AN OPERATION.
THE NAVY PIO SAID IT WILL MAKE A CHECK BUT IS INCLINED TO DOUBT THERE IS ANY SUBSTANTIAL BASIS FOR THE REPORTS.
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FJ702PCS NM

A163 (190)
OTTAWA, AUG. 23-(AP)-CANADIAN SEAMEN FROM THE DESTROYER ATHABASKAN HAVE MADE TWO LANDINGS ON ISLANDS OFF THE COMMUNIST-HELD COAST OF SOUTH KOREA, THE NAVY ANNOUNCED TODAY.
IN THE FIRST OPERATION, A LANDING PARTY FROM THE ATHABASKAN SUPPORTED SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL PERSONNEL IN THE CAPTURE OF AN ISLAND. THE LANDING FORCE WENT ASHORE UNOPPOSED AND OCCUPIED A VILLAGE. THE CANADIAN SEAMEN LATER WERE WITHDRAWN.
IN THE SECOND OPERATION ATHABASKAN SEAMEN LANDED AND DEMOLISHED

AN ENEMY INSTALLATION.
COMMANDED BY CMDR.R.P.WELLAND OF MCCREARY, MANITOBA, THE ATHABASKAN HAS TAKEN PART IN TWO OTHER ACTIONS RECENTLY, THE NAVY SAID. ON BOTH OCCASIONS THE POWERFUL TRIBAL CLASS DESTROYER BOMBARDED TARGETS ON THE ENEMY-OCCUPIED WEST COAST OF SOUTH KOREA.
THE CANADIAN DESTROYER SIOUX, COMMANDED BY CMDR.PAUL TAYLOR OF VICTORIA, B.C., ALSO CARRIED OUT A BOMBARDMENT ASSIGNMENT RECENTLY ON ENEMY INSTALLATIONS ON AN ISLAND OFF THE SOUTH KOREAN COAST.
THE CAYUGA, UNDER CAPTAIN J.V.BROCK OF WINNIPEG, MAN., AND SENIOR SHIP OF THE THREE CANADIAN DESTROYERS IN THE KOREAN THEATER, WAS THE FIRST CANADIAN SHIP TO SEE ACTION.
CAYUGA, WITH A ROYAL NAVY FRIGATE, PENETRATED AN ENEMY-HELD PORT ON THE SOUTH KOREAN COAST AND DESTROYED OR HEAVILY DAMAGED SHIPS, RAIL TERMINALS AND HARBOR INSTALLATIONS.
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(700) AMS BUDGET

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NIGHT LEAD UMT
WASHINGTON, AUG.23-(AP)-IMMEDIATE UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING IS THE KEY TO SURVIVAL FOR AMERICA IN AN "INEVITABLE" WAR WITH RUSSIA, AN AMERICAN LEGION SPOKESMAN TOLD CONGRESS TODAY.
"HOW SOON WE BEGIN MOBILIZING TO MEET THIS CONFLICT THAT IS SURE TO COME WILL MEASURE OUR CHANCES OF SURVIVAL," SAID EARL J.COCKE, JR., OF DAWSON, GA., CHAIRMAN OF THE LEGION'S NATIONAL SECURITY COMMITTEE.
ON THE OTHER HAND ELIZABETH SMART OF EVANSTON, ILL., REPRESENTING THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION, WARNED AGAINST LEGISLATING "IN FRANTIC HASTE AND IN AN ATMOSPHERE OF WAR HYSTERIA." SHE SAID THE W.C.T.U. IS OPPOSED TO PEACETIME CONSCRIPTION.
THEY PRESENTED THEIR VIEWS TO THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE SHORTLY BEFORE THAT GROUP CLOSED OUT PUBLIC HEARINGS ON UMT AND ARRANGED TO START WORK BEHIND CLOSED DOORS MONDAY ON FINISHING TOUCHES FOR A BILL TO BE LAID BEFORE THE SENATE. CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) SAID HE HOPES TO GET THE MEASURE OUT NEXT WEEK.
A HEAVY MAJORITY OF THE COMMITTEE HAS COME OUT PUBLICLY FOR THE PLAN, WITH A DEMAND THAT CONGRESS STAY IN SESSION UNTIL IT IS ENACTED.
THE ACTUAL PROPOSAL ORIGINATED WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON. BUT PRESIDENT TRUMAN, WHILE REPEATING HIS OFT-MADE STATEMENT THAT HE FAVORS UMT, HAS SAID HE DID NOT PLAN TO PUSH IT AT THIS SESSION OF CONGRESS. THE PRESIDENT SAID HE DID NOT WANT TO START A CONTROVERSY THAT MIGHT GET IN THE WAY OF LEGISLATION HE CONSIDERS MORE IMMEDIATELY VITAL FOR THE WAR IN KOREA. HE SUGGESTED THAT THE ARMED SERVICES DO NOT HAVE TIME RIGHT NOW TO HANDLE UMT.
THE DEMOCRATIC LEADERSHIP HAS NOT YET GIVEN THE TRAINING PROPOSAL A PLACE ON THE SENATE CALENDAR, AND NO PLANS FOR ACTION HAVE APPEARED IN THE HOUSE.
THE PROPOSAL CALLS FOR SIX MONTHS OF INTENSIVE TRAINING, AND ANOTHER SIX MONTHS IN AN ACTIVE RESERVE OR NATIONAL GUARD UNIT, FOR YOUTH BETWEEN THE AGES OF 18 AND 20.
THE UMT PLAN GOT STRONG BACKING, AND A MEASURE OF OPPOSITION, FROM OTHER CLOSING-DAY WITNESSES.
JAMES FINUCANE, ASSOCIATE SECRETARY OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR THE PREVENTION OF WAR, CARRIED THE LOAD FOR OPPONENTS OF THE PLAN.
HE SAID IT WOULD BE NO HELP IN THE KOREAN SITUATION BUT IF ADOPTED WOULD BE "SADDLED UPON US" FOR DECADES.
COCKE GOT TOP BILLING AMONG THE UMT BACKERS EVEN THOUGH HE DID NOT PRESENT HIS ARGUMENTS ORALLY.
THE LEGION OFFICIAL WAS ON HAND BUT EXPLAINED THAT IN THE INTEREST OF SPEED HE WAS GIVING HIS STATEMENT TO THE COMMITTEE ONLY IN WRITTEN FORM.
"I BELIEVE THAT I IS INEVITABLE THAT THERE SHALL BE A WAR WITH RUSSIA," COCKE SAID.
HE QUOTED "THE LORDS OF THE KREMLIN" AS SAYING REPEATEDLY THAT SUCH A COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT AS THEIRS CANNOT EXIST ALONG WITH A CAPITALIST U.S.
ASSERTING THAT MANPOWER IS THE BEST MEASURE OF PREPAREDNESS, COCKE SAID "UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING WOULD PROVIDE THE BASIS FOR KEEPING THIS SHOW OF STRENGTH BEFORE THE EYES OF THE LEADERS OF RUSSIA AND ANY OTHER WOULD-BE AGGRESSOR AT ALL TIMES."
HE DESCRIBED SELECTIVE SERVICE AS A NECESSARY ADJUNCT TO UMT AND EXPRESSED THE VIEW THAT IT "WILL BE WITH US AS LONG AS WE HAVE DEMOCRACY."
PERRY BROWN OF BEAUMONT, TEX., PAST NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, AND MRS. LAURA GOODE, PAST NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE LEGION AUXILIARY, BACKED COCKE'S ARGUMENTS.
THE CLOSING WITNESS FOR UMT WAS MAJ. GEN. LEWIS B. HERSHEY, DIRECTOR OF SELECTIVE SERVICE, WHO TESTIFIED THAT THE LACK OF SUCH A LAW "HAS BEEN AND IS TODAY DANGEROUS TO THE SECURITY OF THE NATION."
KARL T. COMPTON, CHAIRMAN OF THE MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, WHO HEADED A COMMISSION WHICH STUDIED UMT AT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S DIRECTION MORE THAN THREE YEARS AGO, FILED A STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF THE PLAN.
HE ARGUED THAT IT COULD BE A WAR-PREVENTION MEASURE.
COMPTON, A NOTED SCIENTIST, SAID ALSO THAT THE TECHNICAL AND SCIENTIFIC NATURE OF MODERN WAR MAKE ADVANCE TRAINING MORE IMPORTANT THAN EVER.
THE AMERICAN VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II (AMVETS) MADE EVEN MORE OF AN ISSUE OF SPEED ON UMT THAN DID COCKE.
MARVIN L. GOLDBERGER, AMVETS NATIONAL LEGISLATIVE DIRECTOR, URGED THAT A PROVISION BE INSERTED IN THE BILL REQUIRING AN IMMEDIATE START OF UMT TRAINING.
HE SUGGESTED THAT TRAINING COULD BE GIVEN WITHOUT ADDITIONAL STRAIN ON THE REGULAR MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT BY CALLING BACK OFFICERS OF WORLD WAR II.
BERNARD WEITZLER, FOR THE JEWISH WAR VETERANS, ALSO URGED SPEED.
BLAKE R. VAN LEER, PRESIDENT OF GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, FILED A STATEMENT ASSERTING THAT "NATIONS, LIKE PEOPLE, DO NOT PICK FIGHTS WITH THOSE WHO ARE STRONG AND READY."
FINUCANE ARGUED FOR HIS WAR PREVENTION GROUP THAT UMT WOULD "DEGRADE" THE COUNTRY'S YOUTH, INTERFERE WITH THEIR EDUCATION, TEMPT THEM TO IMMORALITY AND IMPOSE "SENSELESS MILITARY BURDENS" ON AMERICA.
SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) ACCUSED FINUCANE OF USING THE HEARING AS A SOUNDING BOARD FOR "MISREPRESENTATION."
J. HAROLD SHERK OF AKRON, PA., WHO SAID HE IS SECRETARY OF THE PEACE SECTION OF THE MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, AND A. STAUFFER CURRY OF WASHINGTON, APPEARING FOR THE NATIONAL SERVICE BOARD FOR RELIGIOUS OBJECTORS, OPPOSED THE BILL AND PROTESTED THAT IT DOES NOT MAKE ENOUGH PROVISION TO EXEMPT CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS.
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FIRST LEAD YAKS-AERIAL ROUNDUP (370)
BY JACK MACBETH
WITH ALLIED FORCES,KOREA,AUG.23-(AP)-RUSSIAN-MADE YAK FIGHTER PLANES OF THE RED KOREAN AIR FORCE ATTACKED THE BRITISH DESTROYER COMUS TUESDAY NIGHT.
THEY FOLLOWED UP WITH ATTACKS ON ALLIED SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL UNITS WEDNESDAY IN THE YELLOW SEA. THE DESTROYER WAS OFFICIALLY REPORTED UNDAMAGED. RESULTS ON THE SOUTH KOREAN CRAFT WERE NOT REPORTED.
EACH BOMBING AND STRAFING ATTACK WAS MADE BY A PAIR OF SELDOM-SEEN

YAKS--PERHAPS THE SAME PAIR.
ALLIED PLANES HIT NORTH KOREAN ARMOR, TROOPS AND TRANSPORT CENTERS IN 257 SORTIES THROUGH MIDAFTERNOON WEDNESDAY.
AMERICAN F-80 SHOOTING STAR JETS ROARED DOWN ON A RAILROAD TUNNEL NORTHEAST OF KUNWI WHERE RED TANKS WERE REPORTED HIDING AND BOWLED ROCKETS INTO THE TUNNEL MOUTH.
LT.RALPH RARR, JR., WASHINGTON, D.C., SAID HIS FLIGHT RETURNED AND STRAFED THE TUNNEL. AN AIR CONTROLLER REPORTED NO ENEMY ACTIVITY WAS VISIBLE THERE AFTER THE ATTACK.
SIX F-51 MUSTANG PILOTS STRUCK SARIWON AND SAID THEY LEFT 10 LOCOMOTIVES IN SMOKING RUINS. IN A LATER ATTACK, TWO MORE LOCOMOTIVES AND 15 BOXCARS WERE REPORTED DAMAGED.
THE PILOTS SAID THE RAIL YARDS WERE JAMMED WITH WAR SUPPLIES.
FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS PLASTERED SIX VILLAGES IN THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION SECTOR ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WHERE ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS HAD BEEN REPORTED.
THEY ALSO STRUCK NORTH OF TAEGU WHERE FIVE RED KOREAN DIVISIONS ARE POSED FOR AN OFFENSIVE, AND HIT OTHER POINTS ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE.
B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS CRASHED 100 POUND ANTI-PERSONNEL BOMBS ON RED TROOPS AND SUPPLIES AT SONSAN. LT.COL.LELAND WALKER, JR., OF 1282 EMERSON AVE., SALT LAKE CITY, SAID A COLUMN OF SMOKE AND FLAME ENVELOPED THE TARGET.

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CAPT.SAMUEL CROSBY, JR., EL PASO, TEX., LED AN ATTACK AGAINST THE SUNCHON RAIL YARDS. HE REPORTED 30 TO 50 BOXCARS WERE LEFT BURNING.
LT.WILLARD MATTSON, 426 HATCH AVE., ST.PAUL, MINN., BOMBED A CONVOY AT SANGJU, DAMAGING 12 VEHICLES AND THREE BOXCARS.
CAPT.ARNOLD MULLINS, 1525 BELMONT ST., ASHLAND, KY., LED A FLIGHT OF MUSTANGS IN A PRE-SUNRISE ATTACK ON THE RAIL YARDS NORTH OF SEOUL. THE AIRMEN DESTROYED OR DAMAGED FOUR LOCOMOTIVES, 10 BOXCARS AND TWO TRUCKS.
OTHER PLANES DROPPED 1,000 POUND BOMBS ON THE SUNCHON RAIL YARDS. PILOTS SAID THE YARDS THERE NO LONGER ARE OPERABLE.
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PMS BUDGET
TANKS
BY C.YATES MCDANIEL
WASHINGTON,AUG 23-(AP)-TANK FOR TANK, THE HEAVIER AMERICAN MODELS NOW FIGHTING IN KOREA WERE REPORTED TODAY TO BE MORE THAN A MATCH FOR THE BEST THE COMMUNISTS HAVE THROWN AGAINST THEM.
ARMY OFFICIALS WHO MADE THIS CLAIM ALSO SAID A NEW LIGHT TANK GUN WHICH WILL BE AVAILABLE SHORTLY SHOULD BE ABLE TO "HANDLE ANY RUSSIAN MEDIUM TANK."
MUCH OF THE KOREAN REDS' EARLY SUCCESS WAS ATTRIBUTED TO SUPERIOR TANKS. UNITED STATES FORCES HAD FEW TANKS AND FRONTLINE DISPATCHES REPORTED THAT THE GENERAL CHAFFEE, THE FIRST AMERICAN MODEL USED THERE, WAS NO MATCH FOR THE RUSSIAN T-34.
ARMY OFFICERS SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE PATTON AND PERSHING MODELS RUSHED TO KOREA HAVE PROVED FAR SUPERIOR TO THE T-34, A 30-TON TANK. THEY SAID UNDER SOME CONDITIONS THE GENERAL PATTON'S 90 MILLIMETER GUNS WOULD GIVE "CONSIDERABLE TROUBLE" TO THE JOSEF STALIN III, THE RED ARMY'S LARGEST KNOWN TANK. IT WEIGHS AN ESTIMATED 50 TO 70 TONS AND MOUNTS A 122 MILLIMETER GUN.
THE 47 1/2-TON GENERAL PATTON IS THE HEAVIEST U.S. TANK NOW IN ACTUAL PRODUCTION, ARMY SPOKESMEN SAID. THEY DESCRIBED IT AS THE TRANSITION VEHICLE BETWEEN WORLD WAR II TYPES AND A NEW FAMILY OF THREE MODELS BEING DEVELOPED AS A RESULT OF MILITARY POLICY REVISION.
THE NEW POLICY GIVES PRIORITY IN TANK DESIGN TO FIREPOWER. MOBILITY RATES SECOND AND PROTECTION THIRD. WORLD WAR II TANKS STRESSED MOBILITY FIRST AND FIREPOWER SECOND.
"IN ANY FUTURE CONFLICT AMERICAN TANKS WILL NOT BE INFERIOR IN FIREPOWER TO ANY FOREIGN TANK," ONE OFFICER SAID.
THE FIRST MEMBER OF THE NEW TANK FAMILY, KNOWN AS THE T-41, WILL BE PRODUCED BY THE CADILLAC DIVISION OF GENERAL MOTORS, WHICH WAS ALERTED TO THE TASK LONG AGO.
DETAILS OF THIS NEW LIGHT TANK, WHICH SO FAR HAS BEEN GIVEN NO NICKNAME, ARE STILL SECRET. OFFICIALS SAID, HOWEVER, THAT IT HAS FAR SUPERIOR FIRE CONTROL, SIGHTING EQUIPMENT AND ENGINES THAN ANY USED IN THE LAST WAR.
THE NEW MODEL'S ENGINES WERE DESCRIBED AS BEING AIRCOOLED, LIGHTER, LONGER-LASTING AND CHEAPER TO BUILD THAN ANY WORLD WAR II COUNTERPARTS. THEY WILL HAVE AN AUTOMATIC GEAR SHIFT.
FIREPOWER WILL BE STEPPED UP, MILITARY MEN SAID, BY IMPROVING THE METAL USED IN GUN BARRELS AND ALSO BY NEW TYPES OF AMMUNITION THAT "ABOUT DOUBLE THE DESTRUCTIVE EFFECTIVENESS."
THE OFFICER MADE NO CLAIM THAT ANY BUT THE NEW LIGHT TANK WOULD BE AVAILABLE FOR USE IN THE NEAR FUTURE. ONE OFFICER SAID THE ARMY HAD SEVERAL CHOICES FOR A SUCCESSOR TO THE GENERAL PATTON MEDIUM TANK AND THAT THE PROPOSED HEAVY TANK WAS STILL IN THE DEVELOPMENT STAGE.
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A126WX (160)
AIR FORCE-KOREAN
WASHINGTON,AUG 23-(AP)-THE AIR FORCE SAID TODAY MORE THAN 20 AIR-GROUND TEAMS ARE DIRECTING ITS FIGHTER PLANES IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN ARMIES.
EACH TEAM IS COMPOSED OF AN AIR FORCE PILOT, THE GROUND OBSERVER AND A RADIO OPERATOR AT A FORWARD GROUND POST AND AN AIR FORCE PILOT AND A GROUND OBSERVER IN A NORTH AMERICAN T-6 PLANE ABOVE THE ENEMY LINES. THE UNITS IN THE AIR AND ON THE GROUND SPOT ENEMY TARGETS, DIRECT FIGHTER PLANES TO BOMB AND STRAFE THEM AND ADVISE THE FIGHTER PILOTS ON THE ACCURACY OF THEIR ATTACKS.
AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS THERE ARE JUST OVER 20 OF THESE FORWARD AIR CONTROL PARTIES--ABOUT THREE TO EACH DIVISION SUPPORTED. HE SAID THE T-6 SPOTTING PLANES HAVE BEEN FLYING ABOUT 40 MISSIONS A DAY.
THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE AIR FORCE FLEW 453 COMBAT SORTIES OVER KOREA YESTERDAY INCLUDING MORE THAN 300 FIGHTER SORTIES IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES. A SORTIE IS A FLIGHT OF AN INDIVIDUAL PLANE.
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DAVIES(140)
WASHINGTON,AUG.23-(AP)-REP.DAVIES (D-NY) SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN INDICATED TODAY HE HAS NOT "DECIDED IN HIS OWN MIND" HOW FAR UNITED NATIONS TROOPS SHOULD GO ONCE THEY ARE ABLE TO ASSUME THE OFFENSIVE IN KOREA.
DAVIES SAID THIS IS ONE OF THE PRESIDENT'S BIG PROBLEMS: "WHEN THE NORTH KOREANS START RUNNING, WHEN SHOULD WE STOP CHASING THEM?"
DAVIES TALKED TO REPORTERS AFTER MEETING WITH MR.TRUMAN.
"THE PRESIDENT INDICATED HE IS NOT DECIDED IN HIS OWN MIND HOW FAR WE SHOULD GO," DAVIES SAID. "IN OTHER WORDS, WHETHER WE SHOULD STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL."
HE SAID MR.TRUMAN TOLD HIM THAT THE NORTH KOREAN SUPPLY LINES "HAVE

BEEN PRETTY WELL NEUTRALIZED."
"EVEN IF THE RUSSIANS PROVIDE MORE SUPPORT FOR THE RED FORCES," DAVIES SAID, "THEY WILL HAVE DIFFICULTY GETTING SUPPLIES TO THE FRONT."
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MEAT
WASHINGTON, AUG. 23-(AP)-AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA SOON WILL BE EATING MEXICAN CANNED BEEF AND GRAVY, THE ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY.
THE ARMY SAID THAT 10,000,000 (M) POUNDS OF MEXICAN MEAT HAVE BEEN TAKEN OVER FROM THE COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION.
"THE MEAT IS URGENTLY NEEDED TO MEET IMMEDIATE REQUIREMENTS OF TROOPS IN THE FAR EAST," THE ARMY STATED.
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PMS BUDGET
WAR COST
BY ELTON C FAY
AP MILITARY AFFAIRS REPORTER

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WASHINGTON, AUG 23-(AP)-IF THE ARMED FORCES CAN WIN A KOREAN VICTORY WITHOUT ANY MORE MONEY THAN THEY HAVE ASKED FOR UP TO NOW THIS WAR WILL BE CHEAP IN DOLLARS--AS MODERN CONFLICTS GO.
JUST HOW MUCH OF THE EXTRA MONEY ASKED SINCE THE FIGHTING STARTED WILL GO TO PROSECUTING THE KOREAN CONFLICT THE MILITARY DOESN'T SAY PUBLICLY. HOWEVER, SOME GUESSES RANGE ABOUT $5,000,000,000 (B) BUT THERE IS NO CERTAINTY THE OUTLAY WILL STOP THERE. SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON AND OTHER MILITARY LEADERS HAVE CAUTIONED CONGRESS THEY MAY HAVE TO COME BACK FOR MORE MONEY.
THE NAVY AND AIR FORCE DISCLOSED THEIR ESTIMATES IN PUBLISHED TESTIMONY AT HEARINGS ON THE REQUEST FOR $10,500,000,000 (B) IN NEW DEFENSE FUNDS SENT TO CONGRESS BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON JULY 24. ANOTHER SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST ON AUG. 4 TOTALED ABOUT $1,100,000,000 (B).
THE NAVY SAID THAT ONLY ABOUT $1,000,000,000 (B) OF ITS PROPOSED $2,648,029,000 SLICE OF THE $10,500,000,000 APPROPRIATION WAS BELIEVED NEEDED FOR THE KOREAN WAR.
AIR FORCE OFFICIALS SAID THEY WERE "CARRYING AN ESTIMATE OF $1,-600,000,000," FOR THE KOREAN OPERATION.
THE ARMY SET DOWN NO ESTIMATE IN THE PUBLISHED VERSION OF THE TESTIMONY. OFFICIALS EXPLAIN THAT ONE OF THE REASONS FOR THIS IS THAT REQUESTS FOR MATERIEL AND MANPOWER MADE BY THE FAR EAST COMMAND ARE CHANGING CONSTANTLY.
HOWEVER, THE ARMY IS CARRYING BY FAR THE HEAVIEST SHARE OF THE HARD FIGHTING IN KOREA. ITS EXPENDITURE OF AMMUNITION, ITS LOSS OF EQUIPMENT AND MATERIEL, ITS MAINTENANCE OF MEN AND WAR GEAR IS FAR BEYOND THOSE FOR THE OTHER SERVICES--PERHAPS MORE THAN DOUBLE THE TOTAL OVM OJC

MENT AND MATERIEL, ITS MAINTENANCE OF MEN AND WAR GEAR IS FAR BEYOND THOSE FOR THE OTHER SERVICES--PERHAPS MORE THAN DOUBLE THE TOTAL OF THE OTHER TWO.
THE EXTRA APPROPRIATION REQUESTS SENT TO CAPITOL HILL BY MR.TRUMAN WERE FOR A DUAL PURPOSE--PART TO WAGE THE KOREAN WAR, PART TO GO INTO THE REARMAMENT PROGRAM TO EXPAND AND IMPROVE THE ARMED FORCES.
WHAT ABOUT THE COSTS FOR OTHER RECENT WARS?
THE FIRST COST OF WORLD WAR I WAS ABOUT $27,000,000,000 (B). BUT BY 1950 SUCH ITEMS AS VETERANS PAYMENTS AND LOANS TO ALLIES HAD BOOSTED THE TOTAL TO ABOUT $57,000,000,000, PRESIDENT COOLIDGE ESTIMATED THE ULTIMATE COST MIGHT BE NEARLY $100,000,000,000 (B).
THE INITIAL COST OF AMERICAN PARTICIPATION IN WORLD WAR II WAS ABOUT $350,000,000,000. BUT SOME EXPERTS HAVE ESTIMATED THE ULTIMATE COST TO THE UNITED STATES OF THAT GLOBAL CONFLICT MAY CLIMB TO $1,404,000,000,000 (T).

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THE RELATIVELY LOW ESTIMATES BY THE NAVY AND AIR FORCE FOR THEIR PART IN THE KOREAN WAR REFLECTS THE FACT THAT NEITHER SERVICE UP TO NOW HAS HAD TO RECKON WITH ANYTHING BUT MINOR LOSSES OF EQUIPMENT.
THERE IS NEITHER A NORTH KOREAN AIR FORCE NOR NAVY WORTHY OF NOTE.
THE NAVY HAS REPORTED NO LOSSES OF SHIPS. THE AIR FORCE HAS LOST ONLY A HANDFUL OF PLANES TO ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE.
THE BIG ITEMS FOR BOTH SERVICES ARE EXPENDITURE OF AMMUNITION--TONS UPON TONS OF SHELLS IN NAVAL BOMBARDMENT OF ENEMY TARGETS ASHORE AND SMALL CRAFT AFLOAT AND OF HIGH EXPLOSIVE BOMBS BY PLANES OF BOTH THE AIR FORCE AND NAVY.
THE MERE ITEM OF DAILY OPERATION OF A REASONABLY LARGE FORCE OF SHIPS AND AIRCRAFT, WITH THE THOUSANDS OF MEN MANNING AND MAINTAINING THEM, IS A FACTOR, TOO. THE NAVY NOW HAS MORE THAN 150 SHIPS OF ALL SIZES IN OR NEAR THE WAR ZONE. THE AIR FORCE HAS ABOUT 100 B-29 BOMBERS AND HUNDREDS OF FIGHTERS AND TRANSPORTS.
ALL THIS INVOLVES WHAT THE MILITARY CALLS "ATTRITION"--THE WEARING OUT AND LOSS OF EQUIPMENT BY ACCIDENT.
BUT IT IS THE GROUND FORCE, THE ARMY AND MARINES, WHICH USE MOUNTAINS OF MATERIAL TO HOLD BACK THE RED ARMY AND BUILD UP STRENGTH FOR AN EVENTUAL COUNTER OFFENSIVE.
ALMOST A DOZEN AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS, OR THEIR EQUIVALENT, ARE IN ACTION. (WE SUPPLY THE SOUTH KOREANS.) IN THE ITEM OF AMMUNITION ALONE, A DIVISION EATS UP ABOUT 230 TONS IN A SINGLE DAY OF ACTION LIKE THAT NOW GOING ON. EXPENDITURE OF ABOUT 3,000 TONS OF AMMUNITION A DAY COSTS PLENTY--AND THAT IS ONLY A SINGLE ITEM OF GROUND FORCE EXPENDITURE.
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A3WX
(600) PMS BUDGET
KENNAN-FOREIGN
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, AUG 23-(AP)-STATE DEPARTMENT COUNSELOR GEORGE F. KENNAN, STEPPING ASIDE AFTER SEVERAL YEARS AS A TOP FOREIGN POLICY MAKER, BELIEVES THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WILL HAVE TO MAINTAIN A LARGE MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT FOR MANY YEARS TO COME.
BUT HE HOPES THEY WILL NOT ACCEPT WAR WITH RUSSIA AS INEVITABLE.
KENNAN GAINED FAME IN 1947 AS THE BEHIND-THE-SCENES ARCHITECT OF THE POLICY OF CONTAINMENT BY WHICH THE U.S. BEGAN TO TRY TO BLOCK THE SPREAD OF SOVIET COMMUNISM IN THE WORLD.
TODAY, DESPITE OCCASIONAL CRITICISMS THAT THE POLICY WAS TOO DEFENSIVE OR TOO NARROWLY CONCEIVED, KENNAN BELIEVES IT WAS THE BEST WAY TO MEET THE RUSSIAN CHALLENGE AND THAT DESPITE REVERSES IN ASIA IT HAS PAID OFF IN HOLDING AND EVEN ADVANCING THE AREA OF NON-SOVIET INFLUENCE IN EUROPE.
FOR THE FUTURE, KENNAN LAID BEFORE REPORTERS YESTERDAY FOUR PRINCIPLES WHICH HE BELIEVES ESSENTIAL IF THE U.S. IS TO OBTAIN ITS OBJECTIVES IN WORLD AFFAIRS:
1. THIS COUNTRY SHOULD "NEVER MAKE THE MISTAKE OF REGARDING WAR AS INEVITABLE AND THEREBY WRITING OFF THE CHANCES OF PEACE."
2. THE AMERICAN PEOPLE MUST MAINTAIN AN "ADEQUATE DEFENSE POSTURE" AND DO SO OVER A LONG PERIOD OF TIME "IF NECESSARY." THERE IS NO DOUBT AMONG THOSE FAMILIAR WITH HIS VIEWS THAT KENNAN BELIEVES THE COLD WAR WITH RUSSIA MUST BE EXPECTED TO CONTINUE FOR MANY YEARS.
3. AMONG FRIENDLY NATIONS ABROAD THE U.S. MUST DEVELOP AND MAINTAIN THE REPUTATION OF BEING "A DETERMINED PEOPLE AND RELIABLE ALLIES."

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AT THE SAME TIME, IT MUST DO WHAT IT CAN TO STIMULATE THE RECOGNITION BY ALLIED COUNTRIES THAT THE U.S. HAS NO "ULTERIOR MOTIVES" IN MAINTAINING A SOLID FRONT WITH OTHER COUNTRIES AGAINST RUSSIAN PRESSURE.

4. ON THE HOME FRONT THE U.S. MUST DEMONSTRATE "THAT WE ARE MAKING A SUCCESS OF OUR OWN NATIONAL DEFENSE" WHICH WILL OFFER FOREIGNERS MORE CONVINCING PROOF THAN ANY PROPAGANDA OF THE EFFECTIVENESS OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY.

KENNAN ADDED TO THESE PRINCIPLES HIS BELIEF THAT "WE SHOULD DEMONSTRATE THAT WE HAVE THE COURAGE OF OUR CONVICTIONS AND CONFIDENCE IN OURSELVES." THAT'S A DIPLOMATIC WAY OF EXPRESSING HIS IDEA THAT THE NATION SHOULD AVOID JITTERY EXCITEMENT IN TIMES OF INTERNATIONAL STRESS. HE ALSO DECLARED:

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"WE SHOULD BE VERY CAREFUL--NOW THAT WE ARE ENTERING A PERIOD WHERE MILITARY AND POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS INTERMINGLE--TO AVOID HASTY AND EMOTIONAL JUDGMENT."

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WHAT IS REQUIRED OF THE U.S. TODAY, HE CONTINUED, IS THAT IT DEAL WITH PROBLEMS COOLY AND CAREFULLY, AWARE THAT IT IS NOW "FOR THE FIRST TIME, AS A NATION FACING THE TEST OF MATURITY AND WORLD LEADERSHIP."

KENNAN IS LEAVING THE STATE DEPARTMENT NEXT WEEKEND FOR AN ABSENCE OF AT LEAST A YEAR TO JOIN THE INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDY AT PRINCETON UNIVERSITY.

KENNAN ENTERED THE FOREIGN SERVICE A QUARTER CENTURY AGO AND HAS SPENT THE INTERVENING YEARS STUDYING RUSSIAN AFFAIRS AND LATELY SHAPING AMERICAN POLICIES TOWARD THE SOVIET UNION. HE IS THE LAST OF A LITTLE GROUP OF MEN THUS EXPERIENCED TO STEP OUT OF TOP POLICY JOBS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

DESPITE HIS YEARS OF EXPERIENCE STUDYING RUSSIAN CONDUCT, KENNAN DECLINED PUBLIC DISCUSSION OF PRESENT OR FUTURE KREMLIN BEHAVIOR EXCEPT IN THE MOST GENERAL TERMS.

HE SAID HE BELIEVES THAT THE ACTIONS OF MOSCOW WHICH HAVE CAUSED SO MUCH CONCERN AND TROUBLE IN THE WORLD ARE "BASED ON DEEP MIS-ESTIMATIONS OF THE WORLD WE LIVE IN."

THE RUSSIANS, HE ADDED, ARE GUILTY OF A "TRAGIC FAILURE TO REALIZE THAT INTERNATIONAL PROGRESS CAN NEVER BE MADE ON THE BASIS OF HOSTILITY AND ANTAGONISM."

THE POLICY OF CONTAINMENT WHICH EARNED KENNAN HIS INTERNATIONAL REPUTATION WAS DEVELOPED BY HIM DURING A PERIOD OF SERVICE IN MOSCOW. ITS CENTRAL THEME WAS AND IS THAT THE WAY TO MEET THE THREAT OF COMMUNISM IS FOR THE U.S. AS FAR AS POSSIBLE TO STRENGTHEN THE NATIONS WHICH COMMUNISTS SEEK TO TAKE OVER.

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A36WX
NIGHT LEAD TURNER (220)

WASHINGTON,AUG.23-(AP)-BENEATH A RAIN-SOAKED CANOPY, THE BODY OF SGT.ERNEST K.TURNER OF BERWICK, PA., WAS BURIED WITH MILITARY HONORS IN ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY TODAY.

SGT.TURNER, A 35-YEAR-OLD INFANTRYMAN WITH EIGHT YEARS OF ARMY SERVICE, WAS THE FIRST ENLISTED CASUALTY OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING TO BE BURIED IN THE CEMETERY WHERE REST THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER AND OTHER NATIONAL HEROES.

LIKE THE WET, DREARY WEATHER THAT HAS MARKED MUCH OF THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN, A PERSISTENT RAIN FELL THROUGHOUT THE SERVICES AT THE FORT MYER CHAPEL AND AT THE GRAVE.

THE SERVICES WERE ATTENDED BY HIGH MILITARY, GOVERNMENT, CONGRESSIONAL AND DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES.

THESE INCLUDED SECRETARY OF THE ARMY FRANK PACE, JR.; LT.GEN.WADE H.HAISLIP, ARMY VICE CHIEF OF STAFF; MAJ.GEN.THOMAS W.HERREN, COMMANDING THE MILITARY DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON; SENATORS MYERS AND MARTIN OF PENNSYLVANIA; REP.GAVIN OF PENNSYLVANIA, A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE, AND SAE SUN KIM, CHARGE D'AFFAIRES OF THE KOREAN EMBASSY.

FAMILY MEMBERS PRESENT INCLUDED THE SERGEANT'S PARENTS, MR. AND MRS. RUSSELL TURNER AND A BROTHER, ROBERT, A WOUNDED VETERAN OF THE LAST WAR. ANOTHER BROTHER, STAFF SGT.DAY G.TURNER, WAS AWARDED THE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR AFTER HIS DEATH IN WORLD WAR II.

TO SERGEANT TURNER AND ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED FIGHTING WITH HIM, "WE DECLARE WITH HIGH RESOLVE THAT WE SHALL NOT FORGET," MAJ.GEN. ROY H.PARKER. CHIEF OF ARMY CHAPLAINS, SAID IN THE FUNERAL SERVICE.

LT.COL.ROBERT M.HOMISTON, CHAPLAIN OF FORT MYER, ASSISTED GENERAL PARKER IN CONDUCTING THE PROTESTANT FUNERAL SERVICE.

AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE CHAPEL CEREMONY, THE ARMY BAND WAITING OUTSIDE PLAYED "NEARER MY GOD TO THEE" AS THE FLAG-COVERED CASKET WAS LIFTED TO THE CAISSON WHICH, DRAWN BY SEVEN MATCHED GREYS, THEN PROCEEDED TO THE ADJOINING CEMETERY.

SEATED BESIDE THE CASKET AT THE CANOPY-COVERED GRAVE, THE SERGEANT'S MOTHER AND FATHER AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY WEPT QUIETLY AS THE FINAL SERVICES WERE CONCLUDED.

THREE GUN VOLLEYS RANG OUT, TAPS WAS SOUNDED, AND THEN THE FLAG, WET FROM THE RAIN THAT DRENCHED IT EN ROUTE FROM THE CHAPEL, WAS SOLEMNLY FOLDED AND PRESENTED TO THE SERGEANT'S MOTHER.

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BESIDES THE PARENTS AND BROTHER, THOSE IN THE FAMILY PARTY WERE TWO SISTERS, MRS.LOIS MARIE HUTTON AND MRS.JANE STOUT; A SISTER-IN-LAW, MARJORIE STOUT, AND A CLOSE FRIEND OF SERGEANT TURNER, RAY YOHEY, ALL OF BERWICK.

ALSO PRESENT WERE MEMBERS OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS AND AMERICAN LEGION POSTS TO WHICH SERGEANT TURNER BELONGED, AND STATE AND NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES OF THOSE ORGANIZATIONS.

SERGEANT TURNER WON A NUMBER OF DECORATIONS DURING HIS WORLD WAR II SERVICE.

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B128CO (Q)
(150)

CLEVELAND, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE MAN WHO RAN THE AIRSTRIP AT POHANG, SOUTH KOREA, SAID TODAY HE HOPES HE'LL BE SENT BACK TO KOREA.

COL. ROBERT W.WITTY CAME HOME FOR A BRIEF LEAVE AND SAID HE WILL REPORT TO WASHINGTON FOR NEW ORDERS.

"THE LAST THING IN THE WORLD I WANT IS A DESK JOB AND I'D SURE LOVE TO GO BACK TO KOREA," HE SAID AS HIS WIFE PERLE MET HIM AT CLEVELAND MUNICIPAL AIRPORT.

POHANG'S AIRSTRIP HAD BEEN DUBBED "CLEVELAND MUNICIPAL AIRPORT" BECAUSE WITTY AND A LOT OF OTHER CLEVELANDERS WERE OPERATING IT. THE COLONEL HAD ESTABLISHED THE AIRSTRIP AND OBEYED ORDERS TO MOVE OUT WHEN NORTH KOREAN FORCES ENTERED POHANG AND ENDANGERED THE FIELD. HE WAS AWARDED THE BRONZE STAR FOR HIS WORK THERE.

"WHEN WE WERE FORCED TO LEAVE POHANG WE FLEW EVERYTHING OUT," SAID WITTY. "THERE WASN'T A THING LEFT FOR THE REDS."

BEFORE THE KOREAN WAR BEGAN, THE COLONEL WAS FINISHING A TOUR OF DUTY AS COMMANDER OF AN AIR FORCE BASE IN JAPAN. HE VOLUNTEERED FOR THE JOB AT POHANG.

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B65CX
(3EO)
GREAT LAKES, ILL., AUG 23-(AP)-FOUR YOUNG GIS WHO WERE WOUNDED IN KOREA TOLD ABOUT THEIR WAR EXPERIENCES TODAY.
FROM THEIR HOSPITAL BEDS AT GREAT LAKES NAVAL TRAINING STATION, THE FOUR HELD A NEWS CONFERENCE ARRANGED BY THE FIFTH ARMY.
PFC. KENDEL EUGENE JENKINS, 21, OF 310 N. MAIN ST., NEW CARLISLE, O., IS AN INFANTRY RIFLEMAN. SHIPPED FROM OCCUPATION DUTY IN JAPAN TO KOREA JULY 18, HE WAS SENT TO THE FRONT LINES THE SAME DAY HE ARRIVED. HE SAID:
"I WAS DRIVING A JEEP, WE WERE BLOWING UP A BRIDGE OVER THE NAKTONG RIVER TO PREVENT THE REDS FROM CROSSING. I WAS STANDING ON THE BANK BY THE BRIDGE AND WHEN IT BLEW UP, A PIECE OF STONE HIT ME. THEY TOOK ME TO FIRST AID AND FROM THERE TO A HOSPITAL. I GOT A FRACTURED SKULL."
HIS BROTHER, EARL, 19, ENLISTED WITH KENDEL JULY 15, 1948. THE TWO WERE TOGETHER ALL ALONG UNTIL KENDEL WAS WOUNDED. EARL STILL IS IN KOREA.
PFC. DONALD G. KEENER, 22, OF ROUTE 73, MORGANTOWN, W.VA., WAS WOUNDED IN THE LEFT LEG AND FOOT DURING AN ENEMY ARTILLERY ATTACK. A JEEP DRIVER, HE HAD JUST TAKEN FOUR WOUNDED BUDDIES TO AN AID STATION.
"I WAS GOING BACK," HE SAID, "WHEN THEY MACHINE-GUNNED THE JEEP. THERE WERE EIGHT HOLES IN THE JEEP, BUT I KEPT DRIVING ON UP TO THE FRONT LINES." HE HAD BEEN IN KOREA THREE WEEKS WHEN HE WAS HIT.
THE AMERICAN TROOPS IN KOREA AREN'T WORRIED, AND MORALE IS HIGH, KEENER SAID. HE ADDED:
"WE'RE JUST OVER THERE FIGHTING THE REDS SO WE WON'T HAVE TO FIGHT THEM OVER HERE."
PFC. DARRELL PFOUTS, 19, OF SHREVE, O., ALSO WAS WOUNDED IN THE LEFT LEG.
"THE ENEMY HAD SET UP A ROAD BLOCK AND I WAS RIDING IN A JEEP IN CONVOY," PFOUTS RECALLED. "I WAS AMBUSHED BY MACHINE GUN FIRE ACROSS THE ROAD. THE ENEMY HAD GOTTEN BEHIND US AND SET UP A BLOCK OF TWO MACHINE GUNS. THEN, WHEN WE RETREATED, I GOT IT.

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PFOUTS, IN KOREA TWO WEEKS WHEN HE WAS WOUNDED, SAID: "I WOULD LIKE TO GO BACK AND PUT THEM (THE REDS) IN THE POSITION WE WERE IN."
PVT. ROBERT D. DICKSON, AT 17 THE YOUNGEST OF THE FOUR WAS TOO UPSET TO TALK MUCH. DICKSON'S RIGHT ARM WAS AMPUTATED AFTER HE WAS WOUNDED BY AN ENEMY GRENADE JULY 21.
"WE WERE DIGGING IN AFTER WE HAD BACKED UP (RETREATED) AND I WAS HIT BY A GRENADE THROWN BY THE ENEMY," DICKSON, OF 230 WILBUR ST., GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., SAID.
HE ENLISTED IN THE ARMY LAST FEBRUARY AND WAS SENT TO TOKYO IN JUNE. HE WAS WOUNDED AFTER ONLY FOUR DAYS IN KOREA.
DICKSON'S BROTHER, WILLIAM, AND WILLIAM'S WIFE, OF CHICAGO, WERE VISITING HIM AT THE TIME OF THE INTERVIEWS.
SO DICKSON'S ATTENTION WAS TAKEN UP, BUT HE DID REMARK:
"I WORKED AS A COOK IN A RESTAURANT IN GRAND RAPIDS BEFORE I WENT INTO SERVICE. I THINK I'D LIKE TO BE A COOK AGAIN."
SM802PCD

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MUNCIE,IND.,AUG.23-(AP)-AT 7 A.M., YESTERDAY A MESSENGER DELIVERED A TELEGRAM TO MRS.FRED CONRAD INFORMING HER THAT HER SON, RICHARD, WAS MISSING IN ACTION IN KOREA.
AT 6 P.M., ANOTHER TELEGRAM CAME. IT STATED THAT ANOTHER SON, JACK, ALSO WAS REPORTED MISSING.
THE TWO BROTHERS ENLISTED AUG. 8, 1949, WENT THROUGH BASIC AND ADVANCED TRAINING TOGETHER AND LEFT FOR OVERSEAS LAST JUNE.
RICHARD IS 20 AND JACK 18.
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A15DT PX WX FW
CAMP CRAYLING, MICH., AUG. 23-(AP)-MICHIGAN NATIONAL GUARDSMEN GOT A TASTE OF PROPAGANDA WARFARE TODAY.
THE 46TH DIVISION, IN MANEUVERS HERE, WAS SHOWERED WITH MIMEOGRAPHED LEAFLETS FROM PLANES.
THE LEAFLETS READ:
"MEN OF THE 46TH DIVISION: A PERSONAL INVITATION TO YOU --
"IF YOU WOULD RATHER EAT STEAKS THAN C-RATIONS; RATHER DRINK BEER THAN WATER; RATHER SLEEP ON SOFT BEDS WITH CLEAN SHEETS THAN ON THE HARD, WET GROUND; THEN, NOW IS THE TIME FOR YOU TO GIVE YOURSELF UP TO THE AGGRESSOR FORCES! THE AGGRESSOR TREATS YOU RIGHT. DON'T THINK IT OVER TOO LONG."
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A145CO
NIGHT LEAD POHANG COMMANDER
CLEVELAND, AUG.23-(AP)-THE FORMER COMMANDING OFFICER OF THE POHANG AIRFIELD IN KOREA TODAY SAID THAT JET PLANES AT PRESENT ARE NOT SUITABLE FOR OPERATING IN THE KOREAN FIGHT.
COL.ROBERT W.WITTY, WHO RETURNED HERE TODAY FOR LEAVE AND A NEW ASSIGNMENT, SAID NO FIELDS NOW HELD BY UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA HAVE RUNWAYS LONG AND SMOOTH ENOUGH FOR JETS.
WHEN THEY USE FIELDS IN JAPAN, THE OPERATING RANGE OF THE JETS IS NOT LONG ENOUGH TO ALLOW THEM TO REMAIN OVER A TARGET FOR MORE THAN A FEW MINUTES, HE TOLD REPORTERS.
THE 34-YEAR-OLD CLEVELAND RESIDENT ESTABLISHED THE POHANG FIELD. IT WAS KNOWN JOKINGLY AS "CLEVELAND MUNICIPAL AIRPORT" BECAUSE COL. WITTY AND A GOOD MANY OTHER CLEVELAND CITIZENS RAN IT WHILE U.S. AIR FORCE FIGHTERS WERE USING IT AS A BASE.
RS1148PES

B87CO
COLUMBUS, O., AUG.23-(AP)-THE SECRETARY OF LABOR FOR THE SOUTH KOREAN INTERIM GOVERNOR FROM 1945 TO 1948 THINKS THE WAR WOULD COLLAPSE OVER NIGHT IF RUSSIA WITHDREW ITS SUPPORT TO NORTH KOREA.
THE SOUTH KOREAN, DAI WI LEE, ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL SPEAKERS AT THE 65TH ANNUAL OHIO CONVENTION OF THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR, MADE KNOWN HIS BELIEF IN AN INTERVIEW.
BUT, SAID DAI WI LEE, REGARDLESS OF THE OUTCOME OF THE PRESENT KOREAN WAR, A WORLD WAR WITH RUSSIA IS INEVITABLE.
THE ALL-PERVADING DESIRE OF THE SOVIET UNION FOR WORLD COMMUNIST DOMINATION, SAID THE KOREAN, WILL BRING ABOUT THE WAR REGARDLESS OF OTHER EVENTS.
RS920PES

A62KX
(130)
PASADENA, CALIF., AUG. 23-(AP)-SUCCESS OF THE ECA IN SOUTH KOREA, NOT U. S. ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL FAILURES, WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE RED INVASION THERE, ECA ADMINISTRATOR PAUL G. HOFFMAN ASSERTED TODAY.
HOFFMAN, FULLY RECUPERATED FROM AN OPERATION, WILL RETURN TO HIS WASHINGTON OFFICE FROM HIS PASADENA HOME FRIDAY.
"THE ECA PROGRAM IN SOUTH KOREA WAS WORKING FINE," HOFFMAN SAID IN AN INTERVIEW. "THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY THERE WAS FAR BETTER THAN OUR WILDEST DREAMS. POLITICALLY, GREAT STRIDES WERE BEING MADE ALONG DEMOCRATIC LINES. WITH ECONOMIC RECOVERY AND THE GROWTH OF DEMOCRACY, COMMUNISM WAS STEADILY ON THE WANE.
"FAMILIAR COMMUNIST TACTICS, SUCH AS FALSE PROPAGANDA, FAILED COMPLETELY. THIS. IN MY OPINION. IS THE RREASON WHY NORTH KOREA MOVED

ACROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL."
HOFFMAN SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAD INFILTRATED AGENTS INTO SOUTH KOREA AND HAD SPREAD PROPAGANDA BUT HAD STILL LOST GROUND. HE SAID IT WAS FOR THIS REASON THE COMMUNISTS RESORTED TO "EXTERNAL AGGRESSION."
FJ636PCS

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B102KX (Q)
(230)
BY SANKY TRIMBLE
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., AUG. 23-(AP)-ADMINISTRATION LEADERS ARE CONCERNED ABOUT WHAT HAPPENS NEXT IN THE INTERNATIONAL CRISIS, VICE PRESIDENT ALBEN BARKLEY DECLARED TONIGHT.
BUT, HE ADDED, DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATIONS OF THE PAST 18 YEARS HAVE STRENGTHENED THE NATION'S ECONOMY SO IT IS PREPARED TO MEET PEACE OR WAR.
BARKLEY SPOKE BEFORE MORE THAN 2,500 NEW MEXICO DEOCRATS GATHERED FOR THEIR ANNUAL JEFFERSON-JACKSON DAY DINNER.

B114KX Q
FIRST LEAD (180)
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., AUG. 23-(AP)-VICE PRESIDENT ALBEN BARKLEY DECLARED TONIGHT THAT REGARDLESS OF TIME OR COST, "WE WILL PUSH THE AGGRESSORS BACK BEYOND THE 38TH PARALLEL" IN KOREA.
HE TOLD NEWSMEN QUICKLY, HOWEVER, THAT "NO IMPLICATIONS ARE TO BE DRAWN FROM THAT STATEMENT." ADMINISTRATION LEADERS ARE CONCERNED ABOUT WHAT HAPPENS NEXT IN THE INTERNATIONAL CRISIS, BARKLEY ADDED.
SHORTLY BEFORE RETURNING TO WASHINGTON, THE VICE PRESIDENT SAID IT IS OBVIOUS THAT RED TROOPS MUST BE BATTLED BACK BEYOND THE 38TH "ELSE THEY WILL BE BELOW OR STRADDLE THE LINE."
HE SAID WHAT HAPPENS WHEN THEY ARE FORCED TO THAT POINT" IS SOMETHING TO BE DECIDED LATER."
THE VICE PRESIDENT DECLARED THAT THE UNITED STATES MUST TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN "STOPPING AGGRESSION WHICH MIGHT LEAD TO WORLD WAR THREE."
LIKENING THE PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION TO THE DAYS JUST BEFORE WORLD WAR TWO, BARKLEY COMMENTED:
"IF HITLER HAD MET OPPOSITION WHEN HE BROUGHT HIS AGGRESSIVE TACTICS AGAINST THE RUHR AND AUSTRAIA WORLD WAR TWO MIGHT NEVER HAVE TAKEN PLACE."
CONFIDENTIALLY, HE TOLD MORE THAN 2,500 NEW MEXICO DEMOCRATS GATHERED FOR THEIR ANNUAL JEFFERSON-JACKSON DAY DINNER THAT THE NATION'S ECONOMY HAS BEEN STRENGTHENED TO MEET PEACE OR WAR BY DEMOCRATIC ADMINISTRATIONS OF THE PAST 18 YEARS.
IN A PRE-DINNER INTERVIEW, THE VICE-PRESIDENT SAID "EVERYONE WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT THE KOREAN SITUATION."

ASKED IF HE AGREED WITH THE FORECAST OF SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON THAT THE KOREAN POLICE ACTION WILL BE TERMINATED IN FEBRUARY IF ALL GOES WELL, BARKLEY COMMENTED:
"WE ALL NATURALLY HOPE IT WILL BE OVER BEFORE THEN. BUT NO ONE KNOWS WHAT IS GOING TO HAPPEN."
HE SAID THE NATION'S LEADERS ARE CONCERNED ABOUT POSSIBILITY OF FURTHER OUTBREAK OF VIOLENCE IN THE WORLD BETWEEN NOW AND THE FEBRUARY FORECAST.
"THERE CAN BE NO DISPUTE, HOWEVER," HE SAID, "OVER THE FACT THAT THIS COUNTRY IS IN MUCH BETTER ECONOMIC SHAPE NOW THAN WHEN THE DEMOCRATS TOOK OVER ITS ADMINISTRATION IN 1933."
HE SAID THE NATION'S ECONOMY IS STRONG AND SOUND "AS IS NECESSARY IF WE HAVE AN EXTENSIVE INTERNATIONAL CONFLICT."
PRAISING PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR PROMPT ACTION IN SENDING TROOPS TO FIGHT IN KOREA, HE SAID THE ACTION "SHOULD BE FINISHED IN A FEW MONTHS."
BUT HE WARNED THAT:
"NO ONE CAN BE SURE." AND HE ADDED IT COULD DEVELOP INTO ANOTHER WORLD WAR.
HE ATTACKED THE REPUBLICAN RECORD ACROSS THE TABLE ON BOTH DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL ISSUES AND DECLARED THAT CONTINUATION OF GOP POLICIE DURING THE LAST 18 YEARS WOULD NOT ONLY HAVE RESULTED IN "DISASTEROUS" ECONOMIC CONDITIONS, BUT FAILURE IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AS WELL.
FJ941PCS

A DISPATCH FROM AMSTERDAM SAID SO FAR 1,933 VOLUNTEERS HAD BEEN REGISTERED.
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A48KX
(150)
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 23-(AP)-TWO THOUSAND DUTCH INFANTRYMEN WILL JOIN UNITED NATIONS FORCES FIGHTING IN KOREA WITHIN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS J. P. BOURDREZ, HEAD OF THE NETHERLANDS INFORMATION BUREAU, SAID TODAY.
THE EXCACT MAKEUP OF THE CONTIINGENT WILL BE DETERMINED BY HIS GOVERNMENT BY SATURDAY, HE SAID.
BOURDREZ SAID THIS WAS THE FIRST DEFINITE DISCLOSURE THAT HOLLAND WILL SEND GROUND TROOPS IN KOREA. PREVIOUS REPORTS INDICATED THE NETHERLANDS COULD NOT FURNISH INFANTRYMEN. A DUTCH DESTROYER HAS BEEN IN ACTION SINCE EARLY IN THE FIGHTING.
THE INFORMATION DIRECTOR DESCRIBED THE FORTHCOMING FORCE AS VOLUNTEERS, MOST OF THEM VETERANS OF GUERRILLA FIGHTING IN INDONESIA AND ABOUT ONE-THIRD OF THEM MARINES TRAINED IN THE UNITED STATES DURING WORLD WAR II. SOME DUTCH WACS HE SAID, ALSO WILL BBE INCLUDED AS MEDICAL CLERICAL AND LIAISON PERSONNEL.
BOURDREZ SAID THE FORCE WILL HAVE UNIFORMS AND RIFLES BUT WILL DEPEND UPON THE UNITED STATES FOR ARTILLERY AND TANK SUPPORT. HE SAID THEY WILL NOT BE REGULAR ARMY MEN BUT VETERANS WHO HAVE REGISTERED IN HOLLAND THE PAST FEW WEEKS FOR VOLUNTARY SERVICE IN KOREA.

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LOCALS, OAK OUT
ATOMIC DEFENSE (190)
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 23-(AP)-A PLAN TO EVACUATE MILLIONS OF CALIFORNIANS TO ARIZONA AND NEVADA IN CASE OF AN A-BOMB ATTACK IS BEING STUDIED BY THE GOVERNORS OF THE THREE STATES.
THE THREE HELD A CIVILIAN DEFENSE PARLEY WITH LT. GEN. ALBERT WEDEMEYER, COMMANDER OF THE SIXTH ARMY, YESTERDAY.
CALIFORNIA'S GOVERNOR, EARL WARREN, ACKNOWLEDGED THE A-BOMB DANGER BUT SAID THE MOST PRESSING PROBLEM IS SABOTAGE.
"AN ATOM BOMB ATTACK IS A POSSIBILITY," HE DECLARED, "BUT SABOTAGE IS A VERY DISTINCT PROBABILITY AND WE CAN PREPARE AGAINST IT BETTER THAN WE CAN AN ATOM ATTACK BECAUSE WE KNOW MORE ABOUT IT."
WARREN HAS CALLED A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE FOR SEPT. 20 TO TIGHTEN ANTI-SABOTAGE LAWS AND PLAN CIVILIAN DEFENSE.
THE GOVERNORS' MEETING WAS THE FIRST OF A SERIES TO BE HELD WITH WEDEMEYER. THE NEXT IS SCHEDULED OCT. 3.
GOVERNORS VAIL PITTMAN OF NEVADA AND DAN E. GARVEY OF ARIZONA SAID THEY WERE PRIMARILY CONCERNED WITH TAKING CARE OF CALIFORNIANS

FOLLOWING AN A-BOMBING OF KEY CITIES.
PITTMAN SAID NEVADA ALSO HAS SEVERAL PRIME BOMBING TARGETS--NOTABLY HOOVER AND DAVIS DAMS.
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B68KX (Q)
(220)

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SAN DIEGO, CALIF., AUG. 23-(AP)-THE FIRST DEATH IN ACTION OF A SENIOR NAVY AVIATOR IN THE KOREANN WAR WAS ANNOUNCED HERE TODAY. HE WAS CMDR. RAYMOND W.VOGEL, JR., 35, AIR GROUP COMMANDER.
PACIFIC FLEET AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS ALSO ANNOUNCED THAT JET FIGHTER PILOT ENSIGN CURTIS L.SMITH, 25, WAS KILLED IN ACTION DURING A CARRIER TASK FORCE ATTACK ON KOREAN INSTALLATION. HE WAS THE SON OF MRS.EDITH SMITH OF (57-24 65TH ST.) MASPETH, N.Y., AND HUSBAND OF MRS. CLAIRME SMITH OF CORONADO, CALIF.
COMMANDER VOEGL WAS THE FATHER OF FIVE SMALL CHILDREN. HIS WIDOW, WHO HAD BEEN LIVING AT CORONADO, PLANNED TO LEAVE WITH THEM TONIGHT FOR HER HOME IN ANNAPOLIS, MD. SHE IS THE FORMER MISS CLAIRE O'NEILL OF ANNAPOLIS.
THE VETERAN PILOT, WHO FLEW AGAINST THE JAPANESE IN THE PACIFIC DURING WORLD WAR II, WAS BORN IN ANN ARBOR, MICH. HIS FATHER, RAYMOND W.VOGEL, SR., LIVES IN THAT CITY (315 N. ASHLEY ST.)
HE WAS A STAR FOOTBALL LINESMAN AT THE NAVAL ACADEMY IN 1934-35-36 AND WAS A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL "HALL OF FAME ASSOCIATION."
FLEET AIR HEADQUARTERS SAID VOGEL WAS KILLED WHILE ON AN AIR STRIKE FROM AN UNNAMED CARRIER AGAINST KOREAN RED GUN EMPLACEMENTS NEAR SEOUL.
OTHER PILOTS REPORTED SEEING HIS PLANE AFIRE IN A DIVE AFTER FLYING THROUGH ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE. HE BAILED OUT AT A LOW ALTITUDE BUT HIS PARACHUTE DID NOT OPEN.
ENSIGN SMITH TRAINED AT ATHENS, GA., AND HAD SERVED AT NAVAL AIR STATIONS AT CORPUS CHRISTI, TEX., PENSACOLA, FLA., AND SAN DIEGO.
CO707PCS

A88
BY ARTHUR GAVSHON (450)
LONDON, AUG. 23-(AP)-BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OFFICIALS SAID TONIGHT THEY HAD HEARD THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS GIVEN UP THE IDEA OF CALLING A JAPANESE PEACE CONFERENCE.
INSTEAD THE UNITED STATES IS THINKING OF SUGGESTING THAT ALL LIKE MINDED GOVERNMENTS CONCLUDE SEPARATE OR BILATERAL PEACE TREATIES WITH THE CONQUERED COUNTRY, THE OFFICIAL REPORTED.
THERE WAS NO CONFIRMATION FROM OFFICIAL AMERICAN SOURCES THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS TAKEN ANY SUCH DECISION. ONE AMERICAN INFORMANT SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE IDEA IS NOT NEW AND PROBABLY STILL IS "ALIVE AND KICKING" AROUND WASHINGTON.
IT IS KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN DISCUSSED WITH THE BRITISH. IT IS LIKELY, THE INFORMANT SAID, THAT THE SUBJECT WILL COME UP BEFORE THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS WHEN THEY MEET IN NEW YORK SEPT. 12.
(INFORMED STATE DEPARTMENT SOURCES IN WASHINGTON SAID THE U.S. HAS NOT MADE ANY SUCH PROPOSAL. INDICATIONS WERE THAT ALTHOUGH THE IDEA MAY HAVE BEEN CONSIDERED, IT DID NOT SEEM LIKELY TO BE ADOPTED
THE PLAN, IF TRUE, WOULD CUT ACROSS THE ALLIED DECLARATION OF 1942 AND THE POTSDAM PACT OF 1945 WHICH BOUND THE POWERS NOT TO CONCLUDE ANY SEPARATE TREATIES WITH ENEMY NATIONS OF WORLD WAR II.
AGAINST THIS, THE COMMONWEALTH INFORMANTS NOTED, THE PLAN WOULD HAVE THESE MATERIAL ADVANTAGES FOR AMERICA AND HER FRIENDS:
1--IT WOULD BRING STRATEGIC JAPAN FIRMLY INTO THE CAMP OF THE WEST AT A TIME WHEN ALLIES ARE NEEDED IN THE DRIVE AGAINST COMMUNISM IN ASIA.
2--IT WOULD ALLOW THE UNITED STATES TO REACH AN AGREEMENT WITH JAPAN GIVING LAND, AIR AND SEA BASES TO AMERICA.
3--IT WOULD GIVE THE UNITED STATES, AS MAIN OCCUPYING POWER, A CHANCE TO WRITE A LIBERAL TREATY WITH THE JAPANESE, THUS SETTING A STANDARD WHICH COUNTRIES LIKE BRITAIN, FRANCE, INDIA AND AUSTRALIA WOULD BE OBLIGED TO FOLLOW.
AT LEAST THREE COMMONWEALTH REPRESENTATIVES IN LONDON HAVE TOLD THEIR GOVERNMENTS THEY THINK THE UNITED STATES IS IN FAVOR OF THE PLAN FOR SEPARATE PEACE TREATIES.
ASSURED OF BRITISH SUPPORT, THE UNITED STATES HAD BEEN THINKING SERIOULY OF CALLING A JAPANESE PEACE CONFERENCE BEFORE THE KOREAN WAR BROKE OUT. MOST WESTERN POWERS WERE REPORTED EARLY THIS YEAR TO BE READY TO ATTEND SUCH A CONFERENCE. WHAT THE ATTITUDE OF RUSSIA AND CHINA WOULD HAVE BEEN IS NOT KNOWN FOR CERTAIN.

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BOTH COUNTRIES, EVEN WHEN CHINA WAS RULED BY GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST REGIME, DISAGREED WITH THE U.S.OVER HOW THE JAPANESE PEACE TREATY SHOULD BE WRITTEN AND WHO SHOULD WRITE IT.
THE KOREAN WAR CHANGED THE WHOLE PICTURE, DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS HERE BELIEVE. SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF FIGHTING THIS SUMMER AMERICAN SOURCES HAVE ADMITTED FREELY THAT THE IDEA OF A CONFERENCE IN WHICH RUSSIA WOULD TAKE PART HAS BEEN SHELVED.
DIPLOMATS SAID ONE IMPORTANT FACTOR IN THE CHANGING ATTITUDE IS THAT THE WEST FEELS THE NEED FOR JAPANESE FRIENDSHIP MUCH MORE THAN BEFORE THE KOREAN AFFAIR BEGAN.
FOR ANOTHER THING MANY WESTERN OFFICIALS FEEL THE JAPANESE--WHO ARE AS ASIAN AS THE KOREANS--MAY NOT BE AS DOCILE UNDER MILITARY OCCUPATION IN SIX MONTHS OR A YEAR, ESPECIALLY IF CONDITIONS THROUGHOUT ASIA BECOME MORE TURBULENT.
ANOTHER IMPORTANT RESULT OF PEACE NEGOTIATIONS WITH JAPAN WOULD BE THE CHANCE FOR THE UNITED STATES TO CLARIFY AND POSSIBLY SETTLE THE THORNY QUESTION OF FORMOSA. THAT ISLAND, ALTHOUGH RULED BY JAPAN SINCE 1895, HAS BEEN PROMISED TO CHINA AND NOW IS RULED IN FACT BY THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS.
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B65 Q (150)
LONDON, AUG.23-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE DECIDED TODAY TO MAKE TWO RADIO BROADCASTS SOON--A FIRESIDE CHAT ON THE NEED FOR REARMAMENT AND A POLITICAL TALK TO STAVE OFF CONSERVATIVE CRITICISM OF HIS LABOR REGIME'S PROGRAM AS TOO LITTLE AND TOO LATE.
THE POLITICAL TALK WAS SET FOR SEPT.2 WHEN ATTLEE WILL ANSWER CONSERVATIVE LEADER WINSTON CHURCHILL'S CHARGES THE GOVERNMENT IS NOT ACTING QUICKLY ENOUGH TO MEET THE PRESENT EMERGENCY. CHURCHILL SPEAKS TO THE NATION SATURDAY.
IN HIS FIRESIDE CHAT, THE DATE FOR WHICH HAS NOT BEEN SET, THE PRIME MINISTER IS EPECTED TO ANNOUNCE PAY BOOSTS TO ATTRACT MORE ENLISTMENTS, AND PROBABLY A LENGTHENING OF SERVICE FOR CONSCRIPTS FROM THE PRESENT 18 MONTHS TO TWO YEARS.
CHURCHILL, GRIM AND UNSMILING, CALLED ON ATTLEE LAST WEEK TO DEMAND IMMEDIATE RECALL OF PARLIAMENT TO DEAL SWIFTLY WITH NEW DEFENSE MEASURES. HE HAD JUST RETURNED FROM ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE WHERE HE URGED THE FORMATION OF A EUROPEAN ARMY AND A SINGLE EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTER. ATTLEE, HAVING ALREADY RECALLED PARLIAMENT FOR SEPT. 12--FIVE WEEKS AHEAD OF SCHEDULE--TURNED DOWN CHURCHILL'S REQUEST.
BJ1012AED

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(250)

LONDON, AUG.23-(AP)-A BRITISH-TRAINED EXPERT ON COSMIC RAYS WHO TOOK HIS SECRETS TO HUNGARY LAST WEEK SAID TODAY HE WILL CONTINE HIS WORK IN BUDAPEST TO FURTHER "THE CAUSE OF PEACE."

"IN THE WEST THEY HAVE WANTED TO USE THE RESULTS OF MY RESEARCHES FOR FURTHER PREPARATIONS FOR WAR," THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS QUOTED THE SCIENTIST, LAJOS JANOSSY, AS SAYING.

"HERE IN HUNGARY THESE RESULTS ARE OF SERVICE TO PEACEFUL CONSTRUCTION. I WILL CONTINUE MY RESEARCH IN THE SPHERE OF COSMIC RAYS AND HAVE CONFIDENCE THAT MY WORK WILL BE OF USE TO THE CAUSE OF PEACE."

THE TASS DESPATCH FROM BUDAPEST WAS DISTRIBUTED HERE BY THE SOVIET MONITOR.

AT ONE TIME THE 38-YEAR-OLD JANOSSY WORKED WITH ATOMIC SCIENTISTS IN BRITAIN. IN 1949 HE WAS PHOTOGRAPHED AT A SCIENTIFIC MEETING WITH KLAUS FUCHS, PHYSICS EXPERT WHO WAS SENTENCED TO 14 YEARS LAST MARCH FOR PASSING BRITISH ATOMIC INFORMATION TO RUSSIA.

DURING THE WAR JANOSSY, WHO IS OF HUNGARIAN BIRTH, DID RESEARCH WORK IN COSMIC PHYSICS FOR THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

LATER HE ACCEPTED A POST AT THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED SCIENCES IN DUBLIN, WHERE UNTIL TWO WEEKS AGO HE WAS A PROFESSOR OF PHYSICS. SHORTLY AFTER HE LEFT FOR BUDAPEST FRIENDS QUOTED HIM AS SAYING HE HAD ACCEPTED COMMUNIST VIEWS.

SCIENTISTS WHO WORKED WITH JANOSSY SAID HIS UNDERSTANDING OF COSMIC RAYS MIGHT SOME DAY BE OF GREAT IMPORTANCE.

TASS QUOTED JANOSSY AS SAYING:

"SINCE THE LIBERATION OF HUNGARY I HAVE VISITED THE COUNTRY SEVERAL TIMES AND WITNESSED THE TREMENDOUS PROGRESS THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE HAVE ACHIEVED IN ALL WALKS OF LIFE. I REALIZED THAT THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE'S DEMOCRACY HAS OPENED UP TREMENDOUS PROSPECTS FOR SCIENCE."

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LONDON, AUG.23-(AP)-THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT WAS REPORTED TODAY STUDYING NEW YUGOSLAV APPEALS FOR HELP IN KEEPING MARSHAL TITO'S HEAD ABOVE THE SWIRLING COMINFORM WATERS.

TITO HAS BEEN ON THE SOVIET SPOT SINCE 1948 FOR HIS REFUSAL TO BECOME A DOCILE DISCIPLE OF RUSSIAN-TYPE COMMUNISM.

DIPLOMATIC AUTHORITIES SAY THERE HAVE BEEN STRONG HINTS FROM YUGOSLAVIA THAT SHE NEEDS MORE ECONOMIC AID FROM THE WEST.

YUGOSLAV AMBASSADOR JOSE BRILLEJ REPORTEDLY RECENTLY INTIMATED TO BRITISH MINISTER OF STATE KENNETH YOUNGER THAT BELGRADE WAS CHAFING UNDER TOO HEAVY CASH-ON-THE-LINE PAYMENTS AS PROVIDED IN THE ANGLO-YUGOSLAV TRADE AGREEMENT.

THERE ALSO APPEAR TO HAVE BEEN SUGGESTIONS FOR SOME SPECIAL FORMULA OF AMERICAN HELP TO YUGOSLAVIA, WITHOUT THE POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS INHERENT IN THE MARSHALL PLAN.

AT THE SAME TIME, FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN'S TROUBLESHOOTER, ERNEST DAVIES, IS REPORTED IN YUGOSLAVIA ON A PACIFYING MISSION. DAVIES WAS SENT TO THE BALKANS AFTER THE BELGRADE REGIME ASKED LONDON'S HELP IN ENDING LONG-STANDING FRICTIONS WITH ITALY AND GREECE. DAVIES ALREADY HAS BEEN IN TOUCH WITH THE GREEKS AND ITALIANS.

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LONDON, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT BOARD OF TRADE SAID TONIGHT IT WILL AUTHORIZE THE IMPORT OF A "LIMITED QUANTITY" OF HARDWOOD FROM JAPAN BETWEEN NOW AND NEXT JUNE 30.

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NIGHT LEAD EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY

BY PHILIP CLARKE (360)

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.23-(AP)-EUROPEAN SOCIALIST LEADERS HAVE DRAFTED A DECLARATION OF STRASBOURG (CAPS D AND S) CALLING FOR "PEACE WITHOUT APPEASEMENT."

THE DECLARATION WILL SEEK TO COOUNTERACT THE COMMUNIST SPONSORED STOCKHOLM "PEACE APPEAL" THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

IT WILL BE PRESENTED ON THE FLOOR OF THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK WITH THE POWERFUL BACKING OF BRITISH LABORITES AND EUROPEAN SOCIALISTS. QUICK ASSEMBLY ADOPTION IS EXPECTED.

THE DECLARATION "WILL BE THE WEST'S ANSWER TO COMMUNISM'S PHONEY PEACE TALK," SAID ONE LEADING SOCIALIST.

THE DECLARATION ASKS THE STRASBOURG ASSEMBLY, COMPOSED OF 125 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 15 WESTERN NATIONS, TO PLEDGE:

1--SUPPORT TO THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT AND SUPPORT AGAINST AGGRESSION WHEREVER IT EXISTS.

2--OPPOSITION TO APPEASEMENT OF AGGRESSORS IN ANY FORM.

3--ACTIVE EFFORTS TO SOLVE THE WORLD'S PROBLEMS PEACEFULLY.

CHIEF AUTHORS OF THE DECLARATION ARE MAURICE EDELMAN, LABOR MEMBER OF THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT, AND BELGIAN SOCIALIST LEADERS HENRI ROLLIN AND VICTOR LAROCK.

THE DECLARATION AT FIRST WILL BE OPEN TO THE SIGNED SUPPORT OF ALL ASSEMBLY MEMBERS. IT MAY BE OPENED LATER TO SIGNATURE BY THE CITIZENS OF ALL THE FREE WORLD JUST AS HAS THE COMMUNIST INSPIRED STOCKHOLM APPEAL.

WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY FACED A THREE-MONTH DELAY DUE AT LEAST PARTLY TO BRITISH LABORITE AND SCANDINAVIAN OPPOSITION. BRITISH CONSERVATIVE DUNCAN SANDYS, WHO DRAFTED A 20-POINT BLUEPRINT FOR THE ARMY AND A EUROPEA

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AND SCANDINAVIAN OPPOSITION. BRITISH CONSERVATIVE DUNCAN SANDYS, WHO DRAFTED A 20-POINT BLUEPRINT FOR THE ARMY AND A EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTRY, TOLD REPORTERS ONLY A PROGRESS REPORT HAS GONE TO THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE. IT IS UNDERSTOOD TO COVER SIX OF THE ORIGINAL 20 POINTS.

"WE DON'T WANT TO COME UP WITH A MOUSE," SANDYS EXPLAINED. "IT'S TOO BIG A THING TO WORK OUT IN A FORTNIGHT."

SANDYS EXPRESSED PLEASURE IN WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S ANNOUNCED SUPPORT FOR THE EUROPEAN ARMY. "IT'S A HOPEFUL SIGN," HE SAID.

MEANTIME, AUSTRALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER PERCY SPENDER, IN A NEWS CONFERENCE HERE, WARNED THAT WESTERN EUROPE MUST UNITE IN DEFENSE OR PERISH. THIS WAS TAKEN AS SUPPORT FOR THE CHURCHILL PROPOSAL AND A SLAP AT THE BRITISH LABOR GOVERNMENT'S "WAIT-AND-SEE" ATTITUDE ON CLOSER TIES WITH THE CONTINENT.

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BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG 23-(AP)-BRITISH LABORITE AND SCANDINAVIAN OPPOSITION FORCED THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TODAY TO DELAY FOR THREE MONTHS ITS PLANNING FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY.

THE OPPOSITION LOOKED LIKE THE BEGINNING OF A FULL-SCALE REVOLT AGAINST THE ASSEMBLY'S COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS. THE EUROPEAN

COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE.

DUNCAN SANDYS, A [illegible]ONSERVATIVE AND SECRETARY OF THE [illegible] SUBCOMMITTEE ON SECUR[illegible]. [illegible]IS GROUP NOW WOULD PRESENT ONLY AN INTERIM PROGRESS REPORT ON WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL OF AN ARMY UNDER A SINGLE EUROPEAN DEFENSE MINISTER. SANDYS, CHURCHILL'S SON-IN-LAW AND AUTHOR OF THE MOTION TO CREATE SUCH AN ARMY AND MINISTRY, SAID THE SUBCOMMITTEE HOPED TO HAVE A DEFINITE REPORT READY FOR THE SECOND HALF OF THE ASSEMBLY SESSION, TENTATIVELY SET FOR NOVEMBER.

BRITISH LABORITES BOYCOTTED SUBCOMMITTEE SESSIONS IN PROTEST AGAINST DISCUSSION OF THE UNIFIED ARMY MEASURE. SCANDINAVIAN DELEGATES OPPOSED IT.

THE BEGINNING OF THE REVOLT CAME YESTERDAY WHEN THE ASSEMBLY GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED A RESOLUTION BINDING EACH ASSEMBLYMAN TO TAKE THE ASSEMBLY'S DECISIONS TO THE FLOOR OF HIS OWN LEGISLATURE, THUS BYPASSING THE MINISTER'S COMMITTEE.

UNDER THE COUNCIL'S STATUTE, THE FOREIGN MINISTERS' COMMITTEE'S APPROVAL IS NEEDED BEFORE ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS CAN BE SENT TO THE GOVERNMENTS. A SINGLE MINISTER CAN VETO ANY PROPOSAL.

THE EUROPEAN ARMY PLAN RECEIVED A BOOST WITH THE ANNOUNCEMENT IN BONN THAT WEST GERMANY'S CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER APPROVES SUCH AN ARMY INCLUDING A GERMAN CONTINGENT.

MEMBERS OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE DECLINED IMMEDIATE COMMENT ON THE GERMAN POSITION.

THE GENERAL AFFAIRS GROUP ALSO ENDORSED A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING REGIONAL AGREEMENTS -- SUCH AS THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR A COAL-STEEL POOL OR PLANS FOR POLITICAL FEDERATIONS -- AMONG MEMBER STATES WITHIN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S FRAMEWORK.

THE PLAN FOR DIRECT ACTION IN THE NATIONAL LEGISLATURES CAN BE APPLIED TO THE CHURCHILL ARMY PROPOSAL OR ANY OTHER PROJECT WHICH THE ASSEMBLY'S OFFICERS, ACTING TOGETHER AS ITS STANDING COMMITTEE, CONSIDER IMPORTANT ENOUGH.

EACH MEMBER OF THE ASSEMBLY WOULD BE PLEDGED TO SEE THAT THE RESOLUTIONS WERE DISCUSSED IN HIS HOME PARLIAMENT. EACH MEMBER WOULD BE PLEDGED ALSO TO SUPPORT ACTIVELY AT HOME ALL RESOLUTIONS FOR WHICH HE HIMSELF VOTED AT STRASBOURG.

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STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG 23-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN FOREIGN AFFAIRS MINISTER PERCY SPENDER SAID TODAY WESTERN EUROPE MUST UNITE IN DEFENSE OR PERISH.

HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HERE THAT "AUSTRALIANS REALIZE HOW IMPORTANT IT IS TO CREATE A STRONG EUROPE. WE BELIEVE THE INDIVIDUAL NATIONS OF WESTERN EUROPE CANNOT ALONE RESIST AGGRESSION. SOME METHOD OF INTEGRATION OF DEFENSES IS NECESSARY."

SPENDER SAID THAT AUSTRALIA, AS A MEMBER OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OF NATIONS, "SEES NO CONFLICT" BETWEEN COMMONWEALTH INTERESTS AND BRITISH PARTICIPATION IN EUROPEAN UNITY.

SPENDER SAID AUSTRALIA FAVORS THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE CONCLUSION OF A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY TO CONSOLIDATE THE PRESENT "BIT-BY-BIT" PROGRESS TOWARDS A PEACE SETTLEMENT WITH THAT NATION.

HE ADDED THAT AUSTRALIA BELIEVES "EVERY PRECAUTION SHOULD BE TAKEN TO PREVENT A RESURGENCE OF MILITARISM IN JAPAN. WE HAD ONE EXPERIENCE AND WE DON'T WANT ANOTHER."

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BERN, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE SWISS FEDERAL COUNCIL ASSURED THAT NATION TODAY THAT THE GOVERNMENT'S PRINT OF RATION CARDS AND RECOMMENDATION THAT SWISS CITIZENS LAY IN FOOD STOCKS WERE ONLY "PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES."

A SOCIALIST MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT IN A PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION, SAID THE GOVERNMENT MEASURES HAD CREATED UNREST AMONG THE SWISS AND CAUSED RUMORS THAT "THE FEDERAL COUNCIL IS EXPECTING AN EARLY OUTBREAK OF WAR."

THE COUNCIL, IN ITS ANSWER TODAY, SAID "IT IS A CLEAR PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE, THAT IS ALSO TRUE OF THE PRINTING OF RATION CARDS."

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B47 (Q)

COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, AUG. 23-(AP)-REAR-AD. SVEND RAMLAY-HANSEN, NOW SECOND IN COMMAND OF THE DANISH NAVY, HAS BEEN APPOINTED CHIEF OF THE DANISH ATLANTIC PACT STAFF IN WASHINGTON. HE TAKES OFFICE SEPT. 15.

HE SUCCEEDS REAR-ADM. E.J.C. QVISTGAARD, WHO HAS BEEN APPOINTED COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF ALL DANISH ARMED FORCES.

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NIGHT LEAD YANKOW

BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, AUG. 23-(AP)-PVT.ALFRED H.YANKOW, 27, OF TAMPA, FLA., SAID TODAY HE DOESN'T HAVE THE FAINTEST IDEA WHY HE WAS SLUGGED FOUR MONTHS AGO AND SHANGHAIED INTO THE RUSSIAN ZONE FOR STEADY INTERROGATION.

HE HAD A HUNCH, HE TOLD NEWSPAPERMEN, THAT EAST ZONE COMMUNISTS:

1. MAY HAVE CHOSEN HIM AS A LIKELY PROSPECT TO DESERT AND BE USED AS A SUBJECT FOR PROPAGANDA, OR

2. HE MAY HAVE BEEN MISTAKEN FOR ANOTHER SOLDIER ATTACHED TO SOME SECURITY DETAIL.

YANKOW DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS A "SIMPLE RIFLEMAN" WITHOUT ANY KNOWLEDGE OF, OR ACCESS TO, MILITARY INFORMATION OF IMPORTANCE IN ESPIONAGE. AT ONE PLACE, HE SAID, A RUSSIAN MAJOR ASKED HIM A LOT OF QUESTIONS ABOUT U.S. TROOP INSTALLATIONS AND DISPLAYED CONSIDERABLE INTEREST IN THE U.S. DOCUMENT CENTER IN BERLIN.

"I TOLD HIM I DIDN'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THAT AND HE SAID I MUST BE A PRETTY DAMN DUMB SOLDIER," YANKOW RELATED. "I TOLD HIM I COULDN'T HELP THAT."

HE SAID HE WAS ABDUCTED BY TWO MEN IN A CAR ONLY THREE BLOCKS FROM THE TOP SECRET AMERICAN DOCUMENT CENTER IN WEST BERLIN, WHERE ALL THE OLD NAZI FILES ARE STORED. YANKOW SAID HE HARDLY KNEW THE PLACE EXISTED AND WAS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD ONLY TO CALL ON A GERMAN GIRL.

HE HAD BEEN ABSENT FROM HIS RIFLE COMPANY SINCE APRIL 7 AND FINALLY WAS RELEASED AFTER CONSIDERABLE NEGOTIATION ON AUG. 14. THE ARMY WITHHELD HIS STORY UNTIL TODAY IN ORDER TO CHECK IT AND TO MAKE SURE YANKOW HAD SUFFERED NO ILL EFFECTS FROM HIS WEEKS ON SHORT RATIONS IN EAST ZONE JAIL CELLS.

THE BERLIN MILITARY POST SAID HIS STORY CHECKED AND THAT HIS RUGGED PHYSIQUE WAS NOT AFFECTED BY IMPRISONMENT. YANKOW SAID HE GUESSED HE HAD BEEN SLUGGED WITH A BLACKJACK BY THE TWO MEN WHO KIDNAPPED HIM, BECAUSE "EVERYTHING WENT BLACK."

THEY PUT HIM IN AN ATTIC AND HE BROKE THE TILES WITH HIS FIST AND ESCAPED. BY CHANCE HE STUMBLED INTO A SOVIET MANEUVER AREA AND TWO EAST GERMAN POLICE PICKED HIM UP AND "ARRESTED ME, I GUESS." THEY TOOK HIM "TO A PLACE CALLED MAHLOW," ABOUT 20 MILES SOUTH OF BERLIN.

"THEY NEVER TOLD ME WHAT FOR AND NOBODY EVER DID AFTER THAT

ALTHOUGH I KEPT ASKING EVERY DAY WHAT THIS WAS ALL ABOUT," YANKOW SAID.
AFTER HIS CONVERSATION WITH THE SOVIET MAJOR WHO SAID YANKOW WAS DUMB, THE RUSSIANS TURNED HIM OVER TO THE GERMAN PEOPLES' POLICE. THEY MOVED HIM TO SCHWERIN, A SMALL PRISON IN BRANDENBURG.

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"THERE THEY KEPT ASKING ME WHY I DON'T GIVE UP MY CITIZENSHIP AND LIVE IN THE RUSSIAN PARADISE," YANKOW CONTINUED. "I SAID TO THEM: 'DO YOU THINK I'M CRAZY?' AND THEY SOON DROPPED THAT KIND OF TALK."
ON JUNE 17 HE BROKE OUT AGAIN, BUT A GENERAL ALARM RESULTED IN A MANHUNT FOR HIM AND HE SURRENDERED HIMSELF AFTER HIDING IN A SWAMP FOR 24 HOURS. AFTER THAT THE GERMANS MOVED HIM TO ANOTHER PRISON AT EICKWALDE, WHERE HE WAS HELD UNTIL LAST WEEK. FOR ONE WEEK, HE SAID, HE HAD NO FOOD, UNTIL A RUSSIAN DOCTOR ORDERED THAT HE BE GIVEN SOME.
HE ALSO GOT FOUR CIGARETTES A DAY--A BRAND CALLED SOLO, MADE IN DRESDEN.
"TASTED LIKE GRASS," YANKOW SAID.
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BERLIN, AUG. 23-(AP)-A TALL, STEADY-EYED AMERICAN SOLDIER TOLD A STORY TODAY OF BEING BLACKJACKED IN WEST BERLIN AND SHANGHAIED INTO FOUR MONTHS OF RUSSIAN ZONE CAPTIVITY.
PRIVATE ALFRED W.YANKOW, 27, OF TAMPA, FLA. TOLD CORRESPONDENTS HE WAS SHUTTLED FROM ONE RUSSIAN OR GERMAN INTERROGATOR TO ANOTHER AND NEVER DID LEARN WHY HE WAS SINGLED OUT FOR SUCH TREATMENT.
REPEATED U.S. ARMY REQUESTS TO THE RUSSIANS FOR INFORMATION ON THE MISSING YANKOW FINALLY EFFECTED HIS RELEASE THROUGH THE SOVIET KOMMANDANTURA IN BERLIN AUG. 14. HE WAS ABSENT FROM HIS RIFLE COMPANY SINCE APRIL 7.
YANKOW CAME BACK WITH ONLY TWO CLUES TO THE EASTERN REASONING BEHIND THE INCIDENT:
HE MAY HAVE BEEN CHOSEN AS A LIKELY PROSPECT TO DESERT AND BE USED FOR THE EAST ZONE'S "PEACE FIGHT" PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN, OR HE MAY HAVE BEEN MISTAKEN FOR ANOTHER SOLDIER ATTACHED TO SOME SECURITY DETAIL. YANKOW DESCRIBED HIMSELF AS ONLY A "SIMPLE RIFLEMAN" WITHOUT ACCESS TO ANY MILITARY INFORMATION.
THE U.S. ARMY WITHHELD YANKOW'S STORY UNTIL TODAY TO CHECK ON IT AND TO MAKE SURE THE SOLDIER BORE NO ILL EFFECTS FROM WEEKS ON SHORT RATIONS IN DANK CELLS.
THE BERLIN MILITARY POST SAID THE PRIVATE'S STORY STOOD UP UNDER INQUIRY. A COMBAT SOLDIER WITH THREE BATTLE STARS FROM THE NORTH AFRICAN CAMPAIGN, YANKOW'S RUGGED PHYSIQUE WAS UNAFFECTED BY THE IMPRISONMENT.
ACCORDING TO YANKOW'S STORY, HE WAS SNATCHED BY TWO MEN IN CIVILIAN CLOTHES AT THE POINT OF A GUN OUTSIDE THE KRUMMELANKE SUBWAY STATION IN ZEHLENDORF, BERLIN, THE HEART OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY.
HE SAID HE WAS CALLING ON A GERMAN GIRL IN THAT NEIGHBORHOOD WHEN THE TWO MEN IN A BLACK SEDAN MOTION HIM TO STOP.
"I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT THEY WANTED AND WASN'T THINKING OF ANYTHING IN PARTICULAR," YANKOW RELATED. "THEN ONE PULLED A PISTOL OUT OF HIS COAT AND ORDERED ME TO 'GET IN'. HE SPOKE ENGLISH. WHEN I BENT TO DO THAT, EVERYTHING WENT BLACK. LATER I GATHERED THAT I HAD BEEN SLUGGED WITH A RUBBER BLACKJACK."
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B50 (Q)
BERLIN, AUG. 23-(AP)-RUSSIA'S OFFICIAL GERMAN-LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER, TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU, CHARGED TODAY THE ALLIED OCCUPATION TROOPS IN WEST GERMANY "HAVE BECOME A NAKED INTERVENTION ARMY."
THE SOVIET ORGAN PREDICTED THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED "NATIONAL CONGRESS," MEETING HERE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, WOULD DEMAND THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE "ILLEGAL" ALLIED FORCES.
"WHEREVER INTERVENTION TROOPS ARE FOUND, WHETHER IN KOREA OR WEST GERMANY, THEIR PRESENCE IS IN VIOLATION OF JUSTICE," TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU ASSERTED.
"TO REQUIRE THEIR WITHDRAWAL IS THE INDISPUTABLE RIGHT OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE."
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URANIUM
(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 P.M. (CQ) EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 23)
BY THOMAS A.REEDY
(ADVANCE)..BERLIN, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE BRITISH SAID TONIGHT SOVIET RUSSIA HAS STEPPED UP ITS SEARCH FOR URANIUM IN EAST GERMANY TO A "FRANTIC" PACE, FAR BEYOND PEACEFUL NEEDS.
A RAGGED ARMY OF 300,000 GERMAN MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN HAS BEEN DRAFTED BY THE RUSSIANS AND THEIR GERMAN COMMUNIST FRONT MEN TO DIG THE ORE, BASIS OF ATOMIC WEAPONS, THE BRITISH SAID.
A DETAILED 5,000-WORD DESCRIPTION OF THE SOVIET URANIUM ACTIVITY IN EAST GERMANY EVER SINCE IT STARTED IN 1946 WAS ISSUED BY BRITISH CONTROL COMMISSION AUTHORITIES WHO CONCLUDE:
"THE RUSSIANS HAVE RECENTLY INTENSIFIED TO A SCALE HITHERTO UNKNOWN IN PEACETIME THEIR FRANTIC DRIVE IN EAST GERMANY AIMED AT PRODUCING A MAXIMUM OF URANIUM REGARDLESS OF WASTAGE IN MANPOWER AND MATERIAL.
"THE MINES ARE BEING WORKED 24 HOURS A DAY...
"THE ONLY BENEFICIARIES OF THIS EXTRAVAGANT DRIVE ARE THE RUSSIANS. THE EAST GERMAN ECONOMY GETS NOTHING OUT OF IT BUT IS EVEN DISRUPTED BY THE INEXHAUSTIBLE DEMANDS.
"IT IS SCARCELY TO BE BELIEVED THAT THIS FRANTIC DRIVE, THE COMPLETE DISREGARD FOR THE NEEDS OF EAST GERMAN RECONSTRUCTION, THE MASS EXPLOITATION OF LARGE NUMBERS OF EAST GERMANS, ARE NECESSARY TO SATISFY RUSSIA'S NORMAL INDUSTRIAL REQUIREMENTS. IT CAN ONLY BE CONCLUDED THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE IN URGENT NEED OF URANIUM FOR PURPOSES OTHER THAN PEACEFUL RECONSTRUCTION."
THE STATEMENT DESCRIBED THE ACTIVITIES OF THE SOVIET MONOPOLY WHICH RUNS THE URANIUM WORKINGS IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE. IT IS NAMED THE WISMUTH A.G. WITH AN ALL-RUSSIAN DIRECTORATE, ITS OWN STAFF OF 5,000 NKVD (SECRET POLICE) AGENTS, IMMUNITY BEFORE ALL GERMAN COURTS, POWER OF LIFE AND DEATH OVER THE MINERS, AUTHORITY TO TAKE OVER ANY VILLAGE OR PROPERTY AND UNLIMITED ACCESS TO EAST GERMAN FUNDS.
THE BRITISH SAID THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY AND ITS SATELLITE UNIONS, YOUTH BRIGADES AND OTHER POLITICAL GROUPS, OBEY THE SLIGHTEST WHIM OF THE RUSSIANS. OUT OF THIS ALLIANCE, THE STATEMENT ASSERTED, GREW WHAT HAS AMOUNTED TO A VIRTUAL "SLAVE LABOR" PROGRAM.
WISMUTH HOLDS THE POSITION OF BEING "A STATE WITHIN A STATE." UNDER THIS ARRANGEMENT, AS NEW LABOR IS NEEDED, THE ORDER GOES OUT FROM WISMUTH AND THE SED PARTY LEADERS SEE THAT THE LABOR IS PROVIDED.

THE BRITISH ANALYSIS SAID. WORKERS ARE LAID OFF THEIR REGULAR JOBS AND DENIED FOOD RATION CARDS UNLESS THEY ACCEPT A JOB IN THE MINES. OTHERS ARE SIMPLY "SHANGHAIED." POLITICAL OPPONENTS ARE "SENTENCED" TO THE MINES. ALONG WITH OTHER CONVICTED CRIMINALS.

THE BRITISH DESCRIPTION CONTINUED:

MALES ARE CONSCRIPTED BETWEEN THE AGES OF 17 AND 50. FEMALES FROM 18 TO 55. SOME FDJ (FREIE DEUTSCHE JUGEND--OR FREE GERMAN YOUTH) BLUE SHIRTS UNDER 17 HAVE BEEN INDUCED TO "VOLUNTEER." MOTHERS TOIL IN THE UNDERGROUND WORKINGS, SEPARATED FROM THEIR CHILDREN BY SOMETIMES AS MUCH AS 50 MILES WITHOUT VISITOR PRIVILEGES. ONLY APPROVED WORKERS GET INSIDE BARBED WIRE SURROUNDING THE PRINCIPAL SHAFTS.

QUARTERS FOR THE LABORERS ARE "SQUALID." PAY RANGES UP TO 1,400 EAST MARKS A MONTH FOR THE "ELITE" ACTIVISTS. AN EAST MARK IS WORTH ABOUT FOUR CENTS. THE AVERAGE PAY, HOWEVER, IS LESS THAN 200 MARKS MONTHLY, THE USUAL STIPEND FOR UNSKILLED LABOR.

WORKING CONDITIONS ARE FOUL AND RUSSIAN DOCTORS DECLARE ALL MINERS ABLE TO CONTINUE IF THEY ARE NOT MORE THAN 50 PER CENT DISABLED. SAID THE REPORT:

"HOSPITALS ARE FULL OF MINERS WHO HAVE EITHER SUSTAINED INJURIES OR FALLEN ILL. THE MAIN ILLNESSES ARE RESPIRATORY TRUBLES, HEART AND LUNG TROUBLES, FROST BITE AND ORE POIISONING."

CNCER OF THE LUNGS IS PREVALENT AMONG MINERS WHO HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO THE URANIUM FUMES LONGER THAN A YEAR.

TIGHT SECURITY IS MAINTAINED. THE MINE BOSSES CARRY THE SECRECY OF THE CONDITIONS SO FAR, THE BRITISH SAID, THAT EAST GERMANS WITH RELATIVES IN THE WEST ARE NOT BEING HIRED ANY MORE.

IN A PREAMBLE TO THE STATEMENT, THE BRITISH ASSERTED:

"AS PART OF THE SOVIET SPONSORED 'PEACE CAMPAIGN' THE COMMUNISTS HAVE ANNOUNCED THAT THEY HAVE COLLECTED IN EAST GERMANY 17,000,000 SIGNATURES TO THE STOCKHOLM RESOLUTION OUTLAWING THE ATOM BOMB. THEY MAKE NO REFERENCE TO ANOTHER AMPAIGN WHICH THEY ARE RUNNING AT THE SAME TIME AND WHICH PROVIDES RUSSIA WITH MILLIONS OF TONS OF GERMAN URANIUM ORE.

"THIS SECOND CAMPAIGN SUPPLIES SOVIET RUSSIA WITH THE ESSENCE OF THE ATOM BOMB WHICH THEY SO VOCIFEROUSLY CONDEMN. THE SOVIETS HAVE EVERY GOOD REASON TO HIDE THE FACT THAT IN THIS CAMPAIGN A CONSIDERABLE PART OF EAST GERMAN RESOURCES AND MANPOWER ARE BEING EXPLOITED THE THE SOLE BENEFIT OF THE RUSSIAN WAR MACHINE.

BRITISH OFFICIALS SAID THE MATERIAL FOR THE STATEMENT WAS OBTAINED FROM EAST GERMAN SOURCES. THEY DECLINED TO ELABORATE.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 P.M. EST TODAY WEDNESDAY AUG. 23)

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NIGHT LEAD GERMAN

BY GEORGE BOULTWOOD

BONN, GERMANY, AUG. 23-(AP)-WEST GERMAN POLITICAL LEADERS INCLUDING OPPOSITION SOCIALISTS TODAY DEMANDED MORE AMERICAN AND ALLIED TROOPS FOR PROTECTION AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

AMERICAN OFFICIAL SOURCES SAID WASHINGTON WAS CONSIDERING INCREASING THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION FORCE IN GERMANY.

AT THE SAME TIME THE SUDDEN DRIVE TO REARM WESTERN GERMANS GAINED IMPETUS WITH CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER REQUESTING A GERMAN ARMED POLICE FORCE AT LEAST EQUAL TO THAT BEING BUILT UP BY THE RUSSIANS IN EASTERN GERMANY.

ADENAUER DESCRIBED HIS STATEMENT AT A NEWS CONFERENCE AS A "CRY FOR HELP TO AMERICA IN EUROPE'S GRAVEST HOUR."

(IN WASHINGTON, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON SAID STATE DEPARTMENT REPORTS ON ADENAUER'S REMARKS TO THE WESTERN ALLIED HIGH COMMISSIONERS SHOWED THE WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR WAS CONCERNED OVER THE REMILITARIZATION OF EAST GERMANY. HE SAID HIS REPORTS WERE THAT ADENAUER WAS PRESSING FOR A GENERAL STRENGTHENING OF WESTERN EUROPE BUT IS LEAVING THE PRECISE STEPS TO THE WESTERN POWERS TO DECIDE.)

SOCIALIST OPPOSITION LEADER KURT SCHUMACHER ALSO DEMANDED MORE ALLIED TROOPS AT ANOTHER NEWS CONFERENCE. IT WAS ONE OF THE FEW OCCASIONS SINCE THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC WAS FOUNDED THAT SAW SCHUMACHER AND ADENAUER UNITED ON A POLICY.

WHILE ADENAUER APPEALED FOR ARMS AND AMERICAN OFFICIALS HERE SAID THE ALLIES WOULD AGREE TO CREATION OF A FEDERAL POLICE FORCE, THE WESTERN ALLIES WERE SPENDING A MILLION DOLLARS A YEAR TO SEE THAT WEST GERMANY KEPT DISARMED. THIS WAS THE COST TO MAINTAIN THE THREE POWER SECURITY BOARD IN BERLIN WHICH IS CHARGED WITH KEEPING GERMANY MILITARILY IMPOTENT.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS IN FRANKFURT SAID THEY WERE WHOLEHEARTEDLY IN FAVOR OF INCREASING AMERICAN DEFENSE FORCES HERE. THE DECISION OF WHEN AND BY HOW MUCH WAS BEING DEBATED IN WASHINGTON.

WHILE THE UNITED STATES WAS EXPECTED TO MAKE SOME INCREASE IN ITS PRESENT TWO DIVISION OCCUPATION FORCES THERE WAS NO POSSIBILITY OF INCREASING THEM TO ANY POINT WHICH COULD MATCH THE 20 COMBAT DIVISIONS RUSSIA HAS IN EAST GERMANY.

NOR WAS IT LIKELY THERE WOULD BE ANY INCREASE BEFORE THE KOREAN CONFLICT ENDED.

ADENAUER WAS SAID TO HAVE DEMANDED A FORCE OF AT LEAST 65,000 WELL ARMED AND MILITARILY TRAINED WEST GERMAN POLICE TO BALANCE THE GERMAN COMMUNIST POLICE ARMY BUILT BY RUSSIA IN THE EAST.

HE DISMISSED AS "TOTALLY INADEQUATE" AN ALLIED-AGREED PROPOSAL FOR A LOOSELY INTEGRATED FEDERAL POLICE FORCE OF 10,000 MEN.

IT WAS APPARENT THAT NEITHER THE GERMANS NOR WESTERN MILITARY LEADERS CONSIDERED THIS FORCE ADEQUATE FOR WEST GERMAN SECURITY.

NEW PROPOSALS FOR A STRONGER FORCE, POSSIBLY AS LARGE AS THE 65,000 ADENAUER WAS SAID TO HAVE ASKED, WERE KNOWN TO BE UNDER DISCUSSION.

THE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS WERE EXPECTED TO MAKE A FINAL DECISION ON THIS NEXT MONTH.

ADENAUER ALSO FAVORS GERMAN PARTICIPATION IN A UNIFIED WESTERN EUROPEAN ARMY IF ONE IS CREATED. THIS WOULD BE IN ADDITION TO THE WEST GERMAN FEDERAL POLICE FORCE.

THE SOCIALIST OPPOSITION PARTY TO THE GOVERNMENT OPPOSES GERMAN REMILITARIZATION OR PARTICIPATION IN A WESTERN EUROPE DEFENSE FORCE UNTIL THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE ENOUGH TROOPS TO INSURE AGAINST SOVIET ATTACK.

WESTERN MILITARY MEN HAVE EXPRESSED BELIEF NO EFFECTIVE WESTERN EUROPE DEFENSIVE FORCE COULD BE CREATED WITHOUT GERMAN MANPOWER.

SCHUMACHER ATTACKED THE ADENAUER GOVERNMENT'S PRESSURE FOR REARMAMENT AS LIKELY TO GIVE THE UNITED STATES AN EXCUSE NOT TO SEND ANY MORE TROOPS TO GERMANY.

"WHETHER THE GERMAN FORCE COULD BE CALLED A POLICE FORCE OR AN ARMY IS IMMATERIAL," HE SAID. "THE FORCE WOULD BE INADEQUATE AND TOO LATE. MILITARY WEAKNESS ATTRACTS WAR AND INSTEAD OF MAKING THESE SENSELESS PLANS THE WESTERN DEMOCRACIES SHOULD THINK REALISTICALLY," SCHUMACHER SAID.

HE RIDICULED ADENAUER'S FEAR OF THE SOVIET ZONE "PEOPLE'S POLICE." THE RUSSIANS WOULD ATTACK FIRST, HE SAID, THEN THE "PEOPLE'S POLICE" WOULD MOVE IN TO CONSOLIDATE SOVIET POWER.

THE SOCIALIST LEADER SAID THAT PERSONS "THINKING ONLY OF THEIR OWN COUNTRIES" WERE TRYING TO PERSUADE GERMANY TO REARM BY OFFERING CONCESSIONS SUCH AS REVISING THE OCCUPATION STATUTE.

BUT THE PRIMARY PROBLEM WAS LACK OF TIME, HE SAID, ADDING:

"NO MORE TIME MUST BE GIVEN TO THE RUSSIANS. THE TIME ALREADY

LOST CANNOT BE MADE GOOD BY REARMING GERMANY."
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PRECEDE BONN (A54) (190)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG. 23-(AP)-HIGH AMERICAN OFFICIALS DISCLOSED HERE TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES IS CONSIDERING A BUILD-UP OF ITS ARMED FORCES IN GERMANY TO BOLSTER THE DEFENSE OF WEST EUROPE AGAINST POSSIBLE COMMUNIST ATTACK.

DISCUSSIONS ARE NOW GOING ON IN WASHINGTON, THE OFFICIALS SAID, ON HOW MANY MORE TROOPS SHOULD BE SENT.

WASHINGTON ALSO IS DISCUSSING THE POSSIBILITY OF ACCEDING TO WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER'S DEMAND FOR A WELL-ARMED POLICE ARMY TO COUNTER THE RUSSIAN-SPONSORED "PEOPLE'S ARMY IN EAST GERMANY. DETAILS OF THE STRENGTH OF SUCH A POLICE FORCE ARE NOW BEING WORKED OUT, THE INFORMANTS SAID.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS WERE SAID TO FAVOR WHOLEHEARTEDLY THE PROPOSED REINFORCEMENT OF THE U.S.OCCUPATION FORCES HERE.

THEY POINT OUT THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE AN ESTIMATED 20 OR MORE COMBAT DIVISIONS, NUMBERING ABOUT 300,000 MEN IN THEIR EAST GERMAN ZONE, MAKING UP PART OF THE 60 DIVISIONS THEY ARE SAID TO HAVE IN EUROPE.

THE AMERICANS, BRITISH AND FRENCH TOGETHER HAVE A TOTAL OF ONLY FIVE COMBAT DIVISIONS, PLUS SERVICE TROOPS IN GERMANY. THE AMERICAN CONTINGENT NOW NUMBERS AROUND 100,000 MEN.

IN PARIS A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID FRANCE IS AGREEABLE TO REINFORCING THE WEST GERMAN POLICE FORCE IN GERMANY, BUT STILL IS OPPOSED TO CREATING A GERMAN ARMY OR USING GERMAN INDUSTRY FOR ARMS PRODUCTION.

SOCIALIST LEADER KURT SCHUMACHER ALSO DEMANDED THAT THE ALLIES SEND MORE TROOPS TO GERMANY.

"A CONCENTRATION OF ALLIED POWER IN GERMANY IS THE ONLY SOLUTION," SAID SCHUMACHER AT A NEWS CONFERENCE. IT WAS ONE OF THE FEW TIMES THE OPPOSITION LEADER HAS AGREED WITH ADENAUER'S POLICY.

SCHUMACHER EXPLAINED THAT HE CONTINUED TO OPPOSE STRONGLY GERMANY'S REARMAMENT OR PARTICIPATION IN A WESTERN EUROPEAN DEFENSE FORCE UNTIL THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE ENOUGH TROOPS TO INSURE AGAINST SOVIET ATTACK.

HE SAID A WEST GERMAN POLICE ARMY SUCH AS THAT URGED BY ADENAUER WOULD BE "INADEQUATE AND TOO LATE."

THE WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR SAID HE WANTED A POLICE FORCE--"DON'T CALL IT A DEFENSE FORCE", HE URGED NEWSMEN -- STRONG ENOUGH TO GUARANTEE THE INTERNAL SECURITY OF THE BONN REPUBLIC.

ADENAUER DESCRIBED THE FORCE'S TASKS AS:

1--THE PROTECTION OF WEST GERMANY'S FRONTIER WITH THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE.

2--KEEPING ORDER INTERNALLY.

3--SUPPORTING THE BONN GOVERNMENT AGAINST COMMUNIST SUBVERSIVES.

"THIS IS EUROPE'S GRAVEST HOUR AND WEST GERMANY IS IN PERIL OF BEING UNDERMINED BY COMMUNISTS," ADENAUER SAID.

THE WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR DID NOT GIVE ANY SPECIFIC FIGURE FOR HIS PROPOSED FORCE. DIPLOMATIC SOURCES IN LONDON YESTERDAY SAID HE SOUGHT 65,000 MEN, AND ASKED THAT UNITED STATES FORCES IN WESTERN GERMANY BE INCREASED TO A TOTAL OF 10 ARMORED DIVISIONS.

ADENAUER ANSWERED QUESTIONS BY SAYING THE FORCE SHOULD BE BIG ENOUGH TO MATCH THE HEAVILY ARMED "PEOPLE'S POLICE" IN EAST GERMANY, LATELY REPORTED TO NUMBER MORE THAN 80,000 MEN ARMED WITH ARTILLERY AND TANKS. OTHER ESTIMATES OF THE EAST ZONE FORCE RANGE TO 200,000, IF PATROLMEN AND ADMINISTRATORS ARE COUNTED.

THE CHANCELLOR SAID HE WAS AGAINST A NEW GERMAN WEHRMACHT.

"WE HAVE LEFT THE STAGE WHERE WE CAN THINK OF A RELATIVELY SMALL WEST EUROPEAN COUNTRY BEING ABLE TO DEPEND ON ITS OWN FORCES IN CASE OF WAR", HE SAID.

BUT ADENAUER DID FAVOR THE CREATION OF A UNIFIED WEST EUROPEAN ARMY, AS URGED BY WINSTON CHURCHILL.

"IF GERMANY IS CALLED UPON TO PROVIDE A CONTINGENT FOR THIS ARMY, GERMANY IS READY--UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS--TO MAKE SACRIFICES FOR HER OWN AND WESTERN EUROPE'S SAKE", HE SAID.

ADENAUER WAS SCHEDULED TO OUTLINE HIS PROPOSALS TO HIS CONSERVATIV CABINET AT A MEETING LATER TODAY. #

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FOLO BONN

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG.23-(AP)-U.S.HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY DECLARED TONIGHT "WESTERN EUROPE MUST AND WILL BE STRENNGTHENED" AND SAID THAT INCLUDES GERMANY.

THE U.S.HIGH COMMISSIORNER COMMENTED ON REMARKS MADE AT A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY BY WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER IN WHICH ADENAUER CALLED FOR MORE AMERICAN AND ALLIED TROOPS FOR PROTECTION AGAINST RUSSIA.

MCCLOY SAID THE ALLIED GOVERNMENTS HAVE BEEN MAKING PLANS TO STRENGTHEN THE SECURITY AND DEFENSE OF WESTERN EUROPE, INCLUDING GERMANY.

"THESE SECURITY NEEDS, INCLUDING THOSE OF GERMANY, HAVE BEEN CONSIDERED AND DEALT WITH BY THE HIGH COMMISSIONERS IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE HIGHEST AUTHORITIES IN WASHINGTON, PARIS AND LONDON," HE SAID.

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WASHINGTON,AUG 23-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON SAID TODAY HIS OWN REPORTS FROM GERMANY ARE THAT CHANCELLOR ADENAUER IS PRESSING FOR A GENERAL STRENGTHENING OF WESTERN EUROPE BUT IS LEAVING THE PRECISE STEPS TO THE WESTERN POWERS TO DECIDE.

ACHESON TOLD A SOMEWHAT CONFUSING NEWS CONFERENCE THAT THE WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR HAS NOT TRIED TO "PREJUDGE THE EXTENT OR MANNER OF GERMAN PARTICIPATION IN INCREASING THIS STRENGTH."

DISPATCHES FROM BONN SAID ADENAUER TODAY HAD REPEATED HIS DEMANDS THAT WEST GERMANY IMMEDIATELY BE ALLOWED AN ARMED POLICE FORCE AND THAT THE WESTERN ALLIES SEND MORE TROOPS TO GERMANY.

ACHESON OPENED HIS NEWS CONFERENCE WITH A CAUTIOUSLY WORDED STATEMENT ON ADENAUER'S MEETING WITH MEMBERS OF THE THREE-POWER ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION. HE SAID HIS REPORT OF THE MEETING, FROM U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY, PLACED A DIFFERENT EMPHASIS ON THE MEETING THAN THAT GIVEN IN PRESS REPORTS.

READING FROM HIS STATEMENT, ACHESON SAID THE PRESS REPORTS STRESSED THE "FACT" THAT THE CHANCELLOR HAD "DEMANDED THE REMILITARIZATION OF GERMANY AND THAT HE SPECIFICALLY ASKED FOR A GERMAN ARMY OF 'X THOUSAND' MEN."

AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE NEWS CONFERENCE, THE STATE DEPARTMENT DISTRIBUTED COPIES OF THE STATEMENT. THESE SAID THE PRESS REPORTS HAD STRESSED "THE ALLEGED FACT" OF ADENAUER'S DEMANDS.

THE STATEMENT CONTINUED:

"THIS WAS NOT THE TONE OR CHARACTER OF THE MEETING ACCORDING TO MY REPORT. CHANCELLOR ADENAUER PRESENTED THE SECURITY SITUATION AS HE SAW IT. PARTICULARLY THE REMILITARIZATION GOING ON IN EASTERN

GERMANY, WHICH HE CHARACTERIZED AS BEING ENTIRELY OUTSIDE THE POLICE FIELD AND ALONG THE LINE OF STRAIGHT REMILITARIZATION. THIS WAS APPARENTLY THE BASIS FOR THE MEETING AND FOR HIS REMARKS.

"HE DID MAKE A PLEA FOR GREATER STRENGTH IN WESTERN EUROPE, INCLUDING GERMANY. I BELIEVE FROM THE REPORT I HAVE THAT THIS IS HIS GREATEST CONCERN AND THAT HE HAS NOT ATTEMPTED TO PREJUDGE THE EXTENT OR MANNER OF GERMAN PARTICIPATION IN INCREASING THIS STRENGTH."

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REPORTERS TOLD ACHESON THERE WERE REPORTS FROM GERMANY THAT AMERICAN OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON WERE CONSIDERING INCREASING UNITED STATES TROOP STRENGTH IN GERMANY.

ACHESON SAID THE WHOLE QUESTION OF THE SGRENGTH OF FORCES AND THEIR COMPOSITION IS CONSTANTLY BEING REVIEWED. HE SAID AS HE UNDERSTOOD IT ONE REPORT WAS PRINTED IN AN EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST ZONE NEWSPAPER AND THAT THE NEWSPAPER OBVIOUSLY WANTED TO SEE WHETHER WASHINGTON WOULD GIVE THEM ANY INFORMATION.

HE SAID HE DID NOT, OF COURSE, INTEND TO DO THAT AND ANY INFORMATION WOULD HAVE TO COME FROM THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT.

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BERLIN, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE ROMANIAN DANUBE CITY BRASOV WAS RENAMED STALIN AT THE "EXPRESS WILL" OF THE LOCAL POPULATION, THE SOVIET-LICENSED NEWS AGENCY ADN REPORTED TODAY. THE RENAMING TOOK PLACE TO CELEBRATE THE SIXTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE LIBERATION OF ROMANIA BY THE SOVIET ARMY, THE REPORT SAID.

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MUNICH, GERMANY, AUG.23-(AP)-HANS FRITZSCHE, NAZI RADIO COMMENTATOR AND AN IMPORTANT COG IN HITLER'S PROPAGANDA MACHINE, PROBABLY WILL BE RELEASED FROM A GERMAN PRISON SEPT.29, A BAVARIAN GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT.

FRITZSCHE, ACQUITTED OF WAR CRIMES AT THE NUERNBERG TRIALS, LATER WAS SENTENCED TO NINE YEARS BY A GERMAN DENAZIFICATION COURT.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID FRITZSCHE'S TERM WOULD BE COUNTED FROM HIS ARREST BY GERMAN AUTHORITIES SEPT.29, 1945, MAKING HIS ELAPSED TIME IN JAIL TOTAL FIVE YEARS. HE GAVE NO REASON WHY CLEMENCY WOULD BE EXTENDED.

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BY WILLIAM OATIS

PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG.23-(AP)-THE WORLD STUDENT CONGRESS DECLARED ITS SUPPORT TODAY FOR THE COMMUNIST-INSPIRED WORLD PEACE MOVEMENT.

AT THE LAST FULL SESSION OF THIS SECOND CONVENTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS (IUS), THE GROUP, CLAIMING TO REPRESENT MORE THAN 5,000,000 STUDENTS IN 71 COUNTRIES, URGED STUDENTS TO WORK AGAINST "THE ABUSE OF SCIENCE FOR WAR PURPOSES" AND FOR THE STOCKHOLM PETITION BACKED BY THE COMMUNISTS TO OUTLAW THE ATOM BOMB.

THE CONGRESS DECLARED ITSELF IN SUPPORT OF THE SECOND WORLD PEACE CONGRESS WHICH IS TO BE HELD IN LONDON NOV.13 TO 19. IT URGED "PEACE COMMITTEES" FOR ALL SCHOOLS.

THE RESOLUTIONS EMBODYING THESE IDEAS WAS ADOPTED WITH 28 OF THE 452 OFFICIAL DELEGATES ABSTAINING FROM THE VOTING. THE OFFICIAL CZECHOSLOVAK NEWS AGENCY SAID THOSE WHO ABSTAINED INCLUDED DELEGATIONS OF THE BRITISH NATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS, THE SCOTTISH UNION OF STUDENTS AND THE DANISH AND SOUTH AFRICAN UNIONS, ALONG WITH SOME FRENCH DELEGATES.

THE RESOLUTION DEMANDED "GENERAL REDUCTION AND CONTROL OF ARMAMENT," AND THE END OF INTERVENTION IN KOREA. IT TOOK NOTE OF AN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT BLAMING THE UNITED STATES FOR THE KOREAN WAR.

THE COMMUNIST PREMIER OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ANTONIN ZAPOTOCKY, ADDRESSED THE FINAL FULL MEETING OF THE IUS, WHICH HAS BEEN IN SESSION HERE 10 DAYS.

"WE THANK YOUR CONGRESS FOR THE UNCOMPROMISING STAND YOU HAVE TAKEN ON THE SIDE OF PEACE AND AGAINST THE WARMONGERS AND AGGRESSORS," ZAPOTOCKY SAID. "WE HAVE NO AGGRESSIVE INTENTIONS. WE DO NOT WISH TO HAMMER OUR IDEAS INTO THE HEADS OF OTHER NATIONS WITH BAYONETS.

"THE SO-CALLED CIVILIZATION AND CULTURE OF THE CAPITALIST WORLD WAS ALWAYS SPREAD BY AGGRESSIVE WARS AND DESTRUCTION AND MURDER. THE OLD SPANIARDS DID THIS AGAINST THE INDIANS, AND THE BRITISH CAPITALIST MAGNATES AGAINST THE NEGROES, AND TODAY THE AMERICAN BANKERS ARE DOING THIS AGAINST THE KOREANS."

THE ORGANIZATION FORMALLY ASKED THE NATIONAL STUDENT UNIONS OF FRANCE, DENMARK AND AUSTRALIA TO RETURN TO THE IUS. THESE UNIONS HAD GIVEN NOTICE OF DISAFFILIATION EFFECTIVE AFTER ONE YEAR. SOME WESTERN STUDENT LEADERS CHARGE THE IUS LEADERSHIP WITH FOLLOWING THE COMMUNIST LINE.

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PRAGUE, AUG.23-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL CZECHOSLOVAK NEWS AGENCY SAID THE SECOND WORLD STUDENT CONGRESS ACCEPTED TODAY A RESOLUTION CRITICIZING THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AND UNITED PRESS.

THE RESOLUTION SAID THE MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS (IUS) HAD HEARD ABOUT "THE MISERABLE DEEDS OF SOME OF THE PRESS, BY WHICH THE STUDENTS AT THIS CONGRESS WERE TO BE INTIMIDATED."

IT CALLED THIS "ANOTHER MALEVOLENT EFFORT TO SILENCE THOSE WHO RAISE THEIR VOICES FOR PEACE."

"THE CONGRESS," IT CONCLUDED, "ASKS THAT THE AGENCIES, THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AND UNITED PRESS, PUT AN END TO THESE ACTIVITIES AND THAT THEY MAKE PUBLIC THE NECESSARY RETRACTIONS."

THE RESOLUTION DID NOT SAY WHICH STATEMENTS THE CONGRESS WANTED THE AGENCIES TO RETRACT. IN FACT, IT MADE NO MENTION OF ANY REPORTS THEY HAD CARRIED, AND IT FAILED TO STATE IN WHICH WAY INTIMIDATION HAD OCCURRED OR TO CITE ANY INSTANCE OF IT.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS LEARNED OF THE RESOLUTION FOR THE FIRST TIME FROM THE CZECHOSLOVAK AGENCY'S REPORT. ITS CORRESPONDENT, WILLIAM N.OATIS, HAD BEEN BARRED FROM THE CONGRESS HALL SINCE MONDAY, WHEN HIS PASS WAS CANCELLED.

THE UNITED PRESS CORRESPONDENT, RUSSELL JONES, SAID HE ALSO HEARD OF THE ACTION ONLY AFTER IT HAD BEEN TAKEN. HE WAS INFORMED WHILE SITTING IN THE CONGRESS HALL TODAY THAT THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE HAD WITHDRAWN HIS PASS TOO, HE SAID.

WHEN AN ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTER TELEPHONED THE HALL IN AN EFFORT TO GET A CLARIFICATION OF THE RESOLUTION, HE WAS TOLD TO CALL AGAIN TOMORROW. AT THE HOME OF IUS PRESIDENT JOSEF GROHMAN, NOBODY ANSWERED THE TELEPHONE.

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WITH STUDENT CONGRESS (B 134 DAY)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 23-(AP)-AN AMERICAN VISITOR TO COMMUNIST-LED CZECHOSLOVAKIA TOLD A PRAGUE CROWD TONIGHT HE AND HIS FRIENDS HAD "SEEN THE SHADOW OF A BEAUTIFUL PROGRESSIVE FUTURE" HERE.
HE WAS INTRODUCED AS HALSTEAD HOLMAN, AMERICAN VICE PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS. HE SPOKE AT A PUBLIC CELEBRATION FOLLOWING THE UNION'S 10-DAY CONGRESS.
HOLMAN, (EDS: ADDRESS UNABAILABLE), A DELEGATE OF THE ASSOCIATION OF INTERNS AND MEDICAL STUDENTS, SAID HIS DELEGATION DEMANDED "AN END TO INTERVENTION IN KOREA AND ESTABLISHMENT OF AN INDEPENDENT KOREA UNDER A PROPERLY CONSTITUTED UNITED NATIONS."
MORE THAN 1,000 PEOPLE CARRYING HUNDREDS OF FLAGS MARCHED INTO PRAGUE'S OLD TOWN SQUARE FOR THE CELEBRATION. THEY HEARD SPEECHES BY DELEGATES TO THE CONGRESS AND CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.
OCCASIONALLY THE CROWD BROKE INTO CHANTS OF NAMES OF WORLD COMMUNIST LEADERS OR OF THE SLOGAN "HANDS OFF KOREA." AT ONE POINT 30 WHITE PIGEONS SYMBOLIC OF PEACE WERE SET FREE.
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B49 (Q) (160)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF JOURNALISTS SAID TODAY THAT IT HAS PROTESTED TO WASHINGTON THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S DENIAL OF A PASSPORT TO ALBERT KAHN, AMERICAN WRITER.
THE IOJ SECRETARIAT HERE CHARGED VIOLATION OF KAHN'S PERSONAL FREEDOM AND OF FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, ON THE BASIS OF A CABLED COMPLAINT FROM THE AUTHOR IN NEW YORK.
KAHN, WHO HAD BEEN INVITED TO THE ORGANIZATION'S THIRD CONGRESS IN HELSINKI, FINLAND, SEPT. 15-17, WAS QUOTED AS REPORTING HE HAD BEEN "DENIED A PASSPORT AND REFUSED PERMISSION TO TRAVEL ABROAD FOR ANY PURPOSE."
THE JOURNALIST ORGANIZATION ALSO ANNOUNCED A PROTEST TO UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE AT ITS EXPULSION FROM THE U.N. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL, THE OFFICIAL CZECHOSLOVAK NEWS AGENCY SAID.
IT PROTESTED THAT THE COUNCIL, WHICH WITHDREW THE IOJ'S CONSULTATIVE STATUS IN GENEVA JULY 20, AT THE SAME SESSION ACCEPTED ROTARY INTERNATIONAL AND LIONS INTERNATIONAL.
"ON ONE SIDE WE SEE HOW SERIOUS INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS ARE BEING REMOVED FROM THE AGENCIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS, WHILE ON THE OTHER HAND ORGANIZATIONS OF AMERICAN BUSINESSMEN ARE ACCEPTED. WE THINK THAT THESE FACTS SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES," THE PROTEST WAS QUOTED AS SAYING.
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IN NEW YORK, KAHN, CO-AUTHOR OF "THE GREAT CONSPIRACY" AND AUTHOR OF "SABOTAGE" AND "HIGH TREASON," CHARGED YESTERDAY THAT HE WAS REFUSED A PASSPORT BECAUSE OFFICIALS "DO NOT LIKE WHAT I WRITE."
"THE GREAT CONSPIRACY" HAS BEEN ENTERED FOR THE LITERARY PEACE PRIZE OF THE COMMUNIST-SUPPORTED WORLD DEFENDERS OF PEACE.
KAHN ALSO HAS PROTESTED THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S ACTION TO THE U.N. COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND THE COMMITTEE OF FREEDOM OF THE PRESS.
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG.23-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL CZECH NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY THAT ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIESTS OF THE BRNO REGION OF MORAVIA HAVE PROTESTED AGAINST THE UNITED STATES POLICY IN KOREA.
THE GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED NEWS AGENCY SAID THE PRIESTS OF ONE OF THE DISTRICTS SENT A RESOLUTION TO THE UNITED NATIONS DEMANDING "THE JUST SOLUTION OF THE KOREAN QUESTION AND THE RECALL OF AMERICAN ARMIES." THEY WERE QUOTED AS SAYING THEY SPOKE AS "HERALDS OF THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST, TEACHER OF PEACE."
(THE COMMUNIST-LED CZECH GOVERNMENT HAS TAKEN BROAD MEASURES TO CONTROL THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, ESPECIALLY WITH REGARD TO PUBLIC STATEMENTS BY THE CLERGY. IN ITS BITTER FEUD WITH THE CATHOLIC HIERARCHY, THE GOVERNMENT HAS INSISTED THAT THE CHURCH STICK TO RELIGION AND STAY OUT OF POLITICS. PUBLIC STATEMENTS BY THE CLERGY NOT APPROVED BY THE GOVERNMENT'S CHURCH MINISTRY ARE CONSIDERED ILLEGAL.)
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CHINESE-U.N. (260)
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 23-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA'S CABINET TODAY NAMED A FIVE-MAN DELEGATION TO PRESS ITS LONG-STANDING CHARGES OF SOVIET AGGRESSION IN CHINA AT THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY OPENING IN NEW YORK NEXT MONTH.
THE CHINESE CHARGES GOT NOWHERE IN THE 1949 ASSEMBLY OF THE 59 NATIONS OR IN THE RUSSIAN-BOYCOTTED U.N. LITTLE ASSEMBLY THIS YEAR. BUT THE NATIONALISTS EXPECT A MORE FAVORABLE HEARING IN THE LIGHT OF THE KOREAN WAR DEVELOPMENTS.
THE DELEGATION WILL AGAIN ATTACK RUSSIA FOR AID TO RED CHINA IN VIOLATION OF THE U.N. CHARTER PROVISIONS AND OF THE RUSSIAN-CHINESE TREATY OF AUGUST, 1945.
GEORGE YEH, 46-YEAR-OLD FOREIGN MINISTER EDUCATED AT HARVARD AND BRITAIN'S CAMBRIDGE, WILL HEAD THE DELEGATION.
IT WILL INCLUDE A NATIVE FORMOSAN, THE FIRST EVER TO REPRESENT CHINA AT AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE.
HE IS HUANG CHAO-CHIN, SPEAKER OF THE FORMOSAN PEOPLE'S POLITICAL COUNCIL.
THE OTHER THREE MEMBERS ARE DR. T.F. TSIANG, NATIONALIST CHINA'S REPRESENTATIVE ON THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL; DR. P.C. CHANG, REPRESENTATIVE ON THE U.N. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL, AND DR. LIU SHIH-SHUN, REPRESENTATIVE ON THE U.N. TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL.
THE CABINET ALSO NAMED FINANCE MINISTER C.K. YEN TO REPRESENT NATIONALIST CHINA AT THE SEPTEMBER INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND CONFERENCE IN PARIS.
IT APPOINTED YUAN SHOU-CHIEN, POLITICAL VICE MINISTER OF DEFENSE, ACTING MINISTER OF DEFENSE.
HARVARD-EDUCATED GEN. YU TA-WEI, WHO WAS NAMED MINISTER OF DEFENSE WHEN PREMIER CHENG CHEN FORMED HIS CABINET IN MARCH, NEVER HAS TAKEN UP THE POST.
YU IS STILL IN THE UNITED STATES.
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NIGHT LEAD INDOCHINA (290)

BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG.23-(AP)-THE FRENCH HIGH COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE CHARGED TODAY COMMUNIST CHINA HAS PROMISED TO SEND FIVE RED DIVISIONS TO HELP MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI-MINH'S GUERRILLAS.

THE COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE SAID IT LEARNED OF THE CHINESE PLEDGE FROM DOCUMENTS CAPTURED BY FRENCH FORCES IN MILITARY OPERATIONS AGAINST THE REBELS.

FOREIGN OBSERVERS HERE RECEIVED THE NEWS WITH CONSIDERABLE RESERVE. FRENCH OFFICIALS SAID THEY COULD NOT GUARANTEE THAT THE CAPTURED DOCUMENTS ARE OFFICIAL TEXTS, BUT BELIEVE THE INFORMATION IS CORRECT.

THE CHARGE THAT RED CHINA PLANS DIRECT MILITARY INTERVENTION IN THE WAR BETWEEN THE COMMUNIST-RECOGNIZED GUERRILLAS AND THE FRENCH-BACKED VIETNAM GOVERNMENT CAME 10 DAYS AFTER A NEWSPAPER REPORTED THE START OF A COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM OF CHINESE AID FOR HO.

THE SEMI-OFFICIAL ECHO DU VIETNAM SAID AUG.12 THAT THE CHINESE HAD PLEDGED FREE ARMS TO THE GUERRILLAS, USE OF TWO TRAINING CAMPS IN CHINA, AND THE GUIDANCE OF A 300-MAN MILITARY MISSION.

THE NEW CHARGE, BASED ON INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE DOCUMENTS, ALLEGES THAT REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT AND HO'S VIETMINH REGIME SIGNED A TREATY OF ALLIANCE AT MENGTZ, CHINA, JUNE 5.

THE FRENCH SAID THE PACT CALLED FOR THE DISPATCH OF FIVE CHINESE DIVISIONS TO INDOCHINA AND THE EVENTUAL SUPPORT OF THE CHINESE RED AIR FORCE AND NAVY FOR AN ALL-OUT OFFENSIVE AGAINST FRENCH AND FRENCH-BACKED FORCES.

THEY DECLARED IT WAS SIGNED BY GEN.CHEN KENG, GOVERNOR OF YUNNAN PROVINCE, FOR CHINA AND BY VAN GUYEN GIAP, COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE VIETMINH ARMY.

THE GUERRILLAS ARE ESTIMATED TO NUMBER 100,000 FRONT-LINE TROOPS BACKED BY THOUSANDS OF IRREGULARS. THEY ARE OPPOSED BY AN ARMY OF 150,000 MADE UP OF FRENCH TROOPS, FOREIGN LEGIONARIES, COLONIALS AND VIETNAM AUXILIARIES.

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BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

SAIGON, VIETNAM, INDOCHINA, AUG.23-(AP)-THE FRENCH HIGH COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE SAID TODAY THAT CAPTURED DOCUMENTS INDICATE FIVE CHINESE COMMUNIST DIVISIONS ARE SCHEDULED TO ENTER INDOCHINA IMMEDIATELY TO FIGHT ALONGSIDE MOSCOW-BACKED HO CHI MINH'S ANTI-FRENCH GUERRILLAS.

THE DOCUMENTS, THE FRENCH SAID, INDICATED COMMUNIST CHINA HAD SIGNED A MILITARY PACT WITH HO'S VIET MINH REGIME PROVIDING ALSO FOR MORE RED CHINESE GROUP TROOPS, AS WELL AS AIR AND NAVAL FORCES, EVENTUALLY TO ENTER INDOCHINA TO AID THE GUERRILLAS FIGHTING THE FRENCH AND VIETNAMESE TROOPS SUPPORTING THE REGIME OF FORMER EMPEROR BAO DAI.

THE FRENCH OFFICIALS SAID THEY COULD NOT BE SURE THE CAPTURED DOCUMENTS ARE OFFICIAL TEXTS OF A CHINESE-VIET MINH PACT. BUT THEY SAID THEY BELIEVED THEY WERE AUTHENTIC.

THERE WAS NO CONFIRMATION OF THE EXISTENCE OF SUCH A PACT FROM OTHER FOREIGN SOURCES HERE.

OFFICIAL SOURCES HERE RECENTLY REPORTED 20,000 VIET MINH TROOPS WERE BEING TRAINED BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN CAMPS IN SOUTH CHINA.

LATER THE HIGH COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE RELEASED THE TEXT OF THE PURPORTED AGREEMENT CONSISTING OF TWELVE PROVISIONS.

IT SAID IT WAS SIGNED ON JUNE 5 AT MENGTSE, IN CHINA'S YUNNAN PROVINCE, FOLLOWING A MILITARY CONFERENCE BETWEEN CHINESE COMMUNIST AND VIET MINH REPRESENTATIVES.

FRENCH OFFICIALS SAID THAT THEIR COPY OF THE TEXT, WHICH WAS SIGNED ONLY BY THE VIET MINH MILITARY COMMITTEE, WAS CAPTURED DURING THE MILITARY OPERATIONS IN NORTH VIETNAM. THE FIRST REACTION OF NEUTRAL POLITICAL OBSERVERS HAS BEEN TO TREAT THE REPORT OF THE PACT WITH CONSIDERABLE RESERVE.

ARTICLE NINE OF THE FRENCH LANGUAGE TEXT NAMES GENERAL CHEN KENG, THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNOR OF YUNNAN PROVINCE, AND VON GUYEN GIAP, COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE VIET MINH ARMY, AS PLENIPOTENTIARIES IN EXECUTION OF THE PACT. THEY WOULD ACT AS COMMANDERS OF THEIR RESPECTIVE ARMIES IN WAR OPERATIONS RESULTING FROM THE AGREEMENT.

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KARACHI, PAKISTAN, AUG.23-(AP)-PAKISTAN'S PRIME MINISTER LIAQUAT ALI KHAN TODAY PLACED RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FAILURE OF U.N. MEDIATOR SIR OWEN DIXON TO SETTLE THE KASHMIR DISPUTE "SQUARELY ON THE SHOULDERS OF INDIA" AND ON INDIAN PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU.

THE PAKISTANI PRIME MINISTER CHARGED NEHRU WITH PUTTING FORWARD "DEMANDS WHICH WERE NOT ONLY UNREASONABLE BUT CONTRARY TO THE AGREED SOLUTION GIVEN BY THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL."

SIR OWEN LEFT KARACHI YESTERDAY TO REPORT BACK TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL AT LAKE SUCCESS. BEFORE LEAVING HE DECLARED THAT HIS ATTEMPTS TO BRING INDIA AND PAKISTAN TOGETHER ON A SETTLEMENT OF THE KASHMIR FEUD HAD ENDED IN STALEMATE.

LIAQUAT SAID NEHRU'S REFUSAL TO WITHDRAW INDIA'S TROOPS FROM KASHMIR AS A PRELIMINARY TO A PLEBISCITE IN THAT AREA WAS "IN DEFIANCE OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL'S RESOLUTION AND A CHALLENGE TO THE UNITED NATIONS."

"THE SECURITY COUNCIL MUST FACE THE FACTS," LIAQUAT SAID, "AND ENSURE THAT INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS ARE RESPECTED AND CARRIED OUT."

HE SAID FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN IS NOT POSSIBLE UNTIL THE KASHMIR QUESTION IS SETTLED "JUSTLY AND FAIRLY."

HE COMMENTED BITTERLY ON NEHRU'S REPORTED ACCEPTANCE OF A COMPROMISE PLAN WHEREBY SOME SECTIONS OF KASHMIR WOULD BE HANDED TO THE COUNTRY THEY FAVOR AND A LIMITED PLEBISCITE WOULD DETERMINE THE FATE OF THE REST.

"INDIA'S MOVE (OF ACCEPTANCE)", LIAQUAT SAID, "WAS SOLELY DESIGNED TO ENABLE INDIA TO GET OUT OF ITS COMMITMENT FOR AN OVERALL PLEBISCITE."

HE SAID HE WAS PREPARED TO WITHDRAW PAKISTANI TROOPS FROM THE AREA PROVIDED INDIA WITHDREW HER TROOPS. BOTH COUNTRIES OCCUPY THE COUNTRY UNDER A U.N. TRUCE.

IT WAS LEARNED HERE THAT DIXON HAD PROPOSED THAT THE MOSLEM DISTRICTS IN THE JAMMU PROVINCE GO TO PREDOMINANTLY MOSLEM PAKISTAN, THE HINDU DISTRICTS TO INDIA AND A U.N.-SUPERVISED PLEBISCITE TO BE HELD IN THE RICH KASHMIR VALLEY. SIR OWEN SAID YESTERDAY THAT BOTH COUNTRIES WERE DEMANDING CONTROL OF THE KASHMIR VALLEY.

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SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, AUG. 23-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G.MENZIES ARRIVED HOME TODAY AFTER OBTAINING A $100,000,000 LOAN FOR AUSTRALIA FROM THE WORLD BANK IN WASHINGTON.
MENZIES SAID THE MAIN REASON FOR HIS TRIP ABROAD WAS TO OBTAIN THE LOAN. EXPRESSING SATISFACTION, HE SAID:
"I GOT WHAT I ASKED FOR, AND IN RECORD TIME."
THE PRIME MINISTER WARNED, HOWEVER, THAT AUSTRALIA WOULD NOT HAVE ANY DOLLARS TO PLAY WITH, IN SPITE OF THE LOAN.
"DO NOT GET THE IDEA THAT THE DOLLAR STRINGENCY IS OVER FOR AUSTRALIA," HE SAID.
MENZIES SAID THE DOLLAR LOAN WOULD BE USED FOR DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS.
HE NOTED THAT IN ALL THE COUNTRIES HE VISITED, THERE WAS A GROWING AWARENESS OF THE COMMUNIST THREAT.
ASKED IF HE CONSIDERED THE POSSIBILITY OF WAR MORE LIKELY NOW THAN DURING THE BERLIN CRISIS OF 1938, MENZIES SAID HE THOUGHT IT "AT LEAST AS CRITICAL, AND POSSIBLY MORE WIDESPREAD THAN IN THE TIME PRECEDING 1939."
MENZIES SAID THAT ALTOGETHER AUSTRALIA WOULD GET LOANS FROM AMERICA TOTALLING $250,000,000 OVER THE NEXT FIVE YEARS AT AN AVERAGE OF $50,000,000 A YEAR.
"THIS IS PRECISELY WHAT WE ASKED FOR" HE SAID.
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JERUSALEM, AUG. 23-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER DAVID BEN-GURION SAID TODAY ISRAEL WANTS THE HELP OF AMERICAN JEWS BUT WOULD NEVER INTERFERE WITH THEIR ATTACHMENT TO THE UNITED STATES.
ADDRESSING A LUNCHEON HERE HONORING JACOB BLAUSTEIN OF BALTIMORE, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID:
"JEWS OF THE UNITED STATES AND AS A COMMUNITY AND AS INDIVIDUALS HAVE ONLY ONE POLITICAL ATTACHMENT AND THAT IS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. THEY OWE NO POLITICAL ALLIEGIANCE TO ISRAEL."
BEN-GURION RECENTLY CALLED UPON JEWS OF THE WORLD, AND PARTICULARLY AMERICAN JEWS, TO RAISE $1,680,000,000 (B) TO ASSURE ISRAEL SUFFICIENT FUNDS TO BRING AND SETTLE HERE ANOTHER 600,000 JEWS.
BLAUSTEIN SAID TODAY THAT AMERICAN JEWS ARE PROUD TO BE AMERICANS AND VIGOROUSLY REPUDIATE ANY SUGGESTION OR IMPLICATION THAT THEY ARE IN EXILE.
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jerusalem, aug. 23—(ap)—the u.n. palestine commission will leave for damascus by plane tomorrow, continuing their tour of the middle east before returning to lake success to report to the u.n. general assembly.

the commission announced it planned to confer with syrian and lebanese officials, return for a final talk with israel officials and then make a courtesy call on turkey before proceeding to the u.s.

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observers here feel that the commissions report on its efforts to bring about a peace treaty between israel and her arab neighbors will NOT be optimistic. authoritative sources said today that the israeli government believes the hope of peace is less hopeful than at any time during the past year. they point out that even hashemite jordan, which often has been at odds with the rest of the arab bloc, has joined in the arab league opposition to negotiating with israel on a treaty.

meanwhile, maj. gen. william e. riley, u.s. chief of u.n. military observers in palestine, is scheduled to meet tomorrow with an israeli-lebanese armistice commission to "take corrective action with a view to the elimination of border incidents" between the two countries.

high on the list of subjects to be discussed will be the incident july 24 when israeli fighter planes fired on a lebanese passenger plane, killing two passengers and wounding seven others.

lebanon protested to the u.n. on the incident, charging that the israeli fighter was over lebanese territory when it fired. israel claims that the transport xxxxxxxx violated jewish territory and refused to land after warning shots were fired.

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BIRMINGHAM, ENG., AUG.23-(AP)-BRITAIN MAY BE MAKING ELECTRIC POWER FROM URANIUM WITHIN FIVE YEARS.

BUT IT WILL BE ON AN EXPERIMENTAL BASIS, SIR JOHN COCKROFT, HEAD OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY RESEARCH ESTABLISHMENT AT HARWELL, SAID TODAY.

SIR JOHN PREPARED A STATEMENT EXHIBITED HERE WITH A SMALL QUANTITY OF URANIUM AT AN "ENERGY IN THE SERVICE OF MAN" DISPLAY.

HE SAID IT WOULD TAKE ABOUT FIVE YEARS TO MAKE THE FIRST MACHINES WHICH WOULD BURN NUCLEAR FUEL AND CONVERT IT INTO ELECTRIC POWER.

"DURING THE FOLLOWING FIVE YEARS, OPERATING EXPERIENCE MAY BE GAINED AND THE FIRST FULL SCALE NUCLEAR POWER PRODUCERS CAN BE DESIGNED," HE SAID.

"AT LEAST THE SAME PERIOD WILL PROBABLY BE REQUIRED FOR THE NECESSARY CHEMICAL ENGINEERING AND METALLURGICAL DEVELOPMENTS REQUIRED TO PRODUCE ECONOMICAL PROCESSES.

"WE ARE UNLIKELY, THEREFORE, TO EMBARK ON LARGE SCALE DEVELOPMENT OF NUCLEAR POWER BEFORE AT LEAST THE FOLLOWING DECADE."

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OTTAWA, AUG.23-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES IS GIVING CANADA SOME HELP IN ERECTING RADAR STATIONS TO SCREEN VITAL TARGETS, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.

TEN U.S. ARMY ENGINEERS HAVE ARRIVED IN NORTHERN ONTARIO TO WORK WITH CANADIAN DEFENSE PERSONNEL IN PICKING SITES.

THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SAID ALL RADAR SITES ARE SECRET.

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TORONTO, AUG.23-(AP)-THE GLOBE AND MAIL REPORTED TODAY THAT 10 UNITED STATES ARMY ENGINEERS HAVE ARRIVED IN NORTHERN ONTARIO FOR WHAT IS BELIEVED TO BE A SURVEY FOR THE LOCATION OF A CHAIN OF RADAR STATIONS ACROSS THE NORTH.

THEY HAVE SET UP QUARTERS AT RAMORE, 57 MILES SOUTHEAST OF TIMMINS, THE PAPER ADDS. THE ENGINEERS WERE ACCOMPANIED BY THREE ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE SIGNALS OFFICERS FROM OTTAWA.

"THE R.C.A.F. OFFICERS SAID THAT AN ANNOUNCEMENT CONCERNING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE AMERICANS WOULD BE MADE SOME TIME SOON FROM OTTAWA," THE NEWSPAPER SAID.

DURING THE SECOND WORLD WAR THE U.S. ARMY MAINTAINED RADAR STATIONS IN NORTHERN ONTARIO AT COCHRANE, KAPUSKASING, HEARST AND NAKINA AS AN ADVANCE SCREEN TO PROTECT THE SHIP CANALS AT SAULT STE.MARIE.

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(300) UN DELEGATION

WASHINGTON,AUG.23-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN WAS REPORTED TODAY TO HAVE PICKED SENATORS SPARKMAN (D-ALA) AND LODGE (R-MASS) AS MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING IN SEPTEMBER.

CONGRESSIONAL SOURCES SAID THAT THE GROUP ALSO WILL INCLUDE WARREN R.AUSTIN, CHIEF AMERICAN DELEGATE, JOHN FOSTER DULLES, REPUBLICAN ADVISER TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE, AND MRS.ELEANOR ROOSEVELT.

SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON IS EXPECTED TO ATTEND THE OPENING SESSIONS. WHEN HE RETURNS TO WASHINGTON AUSTIN BECOMES ACTING HEAD OF THE DELEGATION.

ALTERNATES ARE EXPECTED TO INCLUDE JOHN SHERMAN COOPER, REPUBLICAN ADVISER TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE, BENJAMIN COHEN, WHO HAS SERVED IN THE POST BEFORE, AND MRS.EDITH SAMPSON, CHICAGO WOMAN NEGRO LAWYER.

THE PRESIDENT'S SELECTION OF SPARKMAN AND LODGE WAS IN LINE WITH A NEW POLICY UNDER WHICH TWO SENATORS WILL BE NAMED TO THE U.N.GROUP IN EVEN NUMBERED YEARS AND TWO HOUSE MEMBERS WILL BE CHOSEN IN ODD NUMBERED YEARS. CHOICE OF THE LAWMAKERS WILL BE LIMITED TO THOSE WHO ARE NOT CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION AT THE TIME.

THE PRESIDENT'S CHOICE OF LODGE WAS SAID TO HAVE BEEN MADE ON A ROUTINE BASIS, DESPITE HIS AUTHORSHIP OF A RECENT BLAST ISSUED BY REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE AGAINST ADMINISTRATION FOREIGN POLICIES IN THE FAR EAST.

THE GOP REPORT, SIGNED BY LODGE AND REPUBLICAN SENATORS H.ALEXANDER SMITH OF NEW JERSEY, HICKENLOOPER OF IOWA AND WILEY OF WISCONSIN.

CHARGED THE ADMINISTRATION WITH VIRTUALLY INVITING THE ATTACK ON KOREA BY A HANDS-OFF POLICY THERE.

SMITH WAS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN OFFERED THE POST AS THE REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL MEMBER OF THE U.N. DELEGATION BUT TO HAVE DECLINED ON THE GROUND THAT THE PRESS OF HIS SENATORIAL WORK IS TOO HEAVY.

SMITH EXPECTS TO ATTEND THE INTERPARLIAMENTARY UNION MEETING IN DUBLIN THIS FALL AND TO MAKE A PERSONAL INSPECTION OF THE MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM IN EUROPE.

THE NO-CANDIDATE RULE REMOVED HICKENLOOPER AND WILEY FROM CONSIDERATION THIS YEAR. SENATOR VANDENBERG (R-MICH), TOP REPUBLICAN MEMBER OF THE FOREIGN RELATIONS GROUP, IS ILL.

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PMS BUDGET
ECONOMY-SPAIN
BY JACK BELL

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WASHINGTON, AUG 23-(AP)-WITH CONGRESS FACING EARLY VOTES ON HIGHER TAXES AND BIGGER MILITARY OUTLAYS, ECONOMY ADVOCATES GAINED GROUND TODAY IN THEIR EFFORTS TO WHITTLE DOMESTIC SPENDING.

A $1,138,000,000 (B) TWO-YEAR HIGHWAY BUILDING BILL WENT TO THE HOUSE AFTER SENATORS HAD CARVED $119,000,000 (M) OFF PROPOSED OUTLAYS PREVIOUSLY CUT $240,000,000 (M) AT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S REQUEST. THE SENATE PASSED IT YESTERDAY BY VOICE VOTE.

THE BILL SETS A LIMIT ON THE AMOUNT TO BE APPROPRIATED LATER BY CONGRESS FOR ROAD BUILDING UP TO JUNE 30, 1953.

THE ECONOMIZERS, LED BY SENATOR BYRD (D-VA), REGARDED AS A NOTABLE VICTORY THEIR SUCCESS IN TRIMMING A MEASURE THAT OFFERS FEDERAL AID MONEY FOR EVERY STATE--THE KIND OF A BILL THAT SELDOM FEELS THE KEEN EDGE OF THE PRUNING KNIFE.

BYRD TOLD A REPORTER HE IS HOPEFUL THE SENATE'S ACTION MEANS THAT SOME REAL ECONOMIES WILL BE MADE IN NON-DEFENSE SPENDING.

"WE ARE LIKELY TO HAVE A $75,000,000,000 (B) A YEAR BUDGET BEFORE WE ARE THROUGH AND THAT WILL MEAN THE KIND OF TAXES THAT IT WILL BE DIFFICULT FOR THE COUNTRY TO BEAR," BYRD SAID. "WE MUST CUT THESE NON-DEFENSE OUTLAYS."

HE SAID HE HOPES A 10 PER CENT SENATE CUT IN NON-DEFENSE ITEMS IN THE $4,000,000,000 (B) SINGLE-PACKAGE APPROPRIATION BILL WILL STAND UP.

THAT SLASH FACED A NEW THREAT, HOWEVER, IN A REPORTED STATEMENT BY MR. TRUMAN THAT HE IS CONSIDERING VETOING THE BILL BECAUSE IT NOW CONTAINS A PROVISION FOR A $100,000,000 (M) LOAN TO SPAIN.

SENATOR ROBERTSON (D-VA) TOLD REPORTERS THAT DURING A RECENT VISIT HE AND OTHER SENATORS MADE TO THE WHITE HOUSE THE PRESIDENT SPOKE OUT AGAINST THE LOAN.

"HE SAID THE SENATE HAD WRITTEN TOO MANY RESTRICTIONS INTO THE BILL AND HE WAS CONSIDERING VETOING IT," ROBERTSON SAID. "THE PRESIDENT WAS QUITE VIGOROUS IN CONDEMNING THOSE WHO VOTED FOR THE LOAN TO SPAIN."

ROBERTSON, WHO VOTED FOR THE LOAN, DEFENDED THE ACTION ON THE GROUND THAT THIS COUNTRY HAD GRANTED A SIMILAR LOAN TO MARSHAL TITO'S YUGOSLAVIA.

SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV), RHO RAMRODDED THE SPANISH LOAN THROUGH THE SENATE, TOLD A REPORTER HE THINKS THERE IS A GOOD CHANCE THAT THE HOUSE WILL ACCEPT THE PROVISION.

IT WAS INSERTED IN THE SECTION OF THE BILL DEALING WITH ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION (ECA) APPROPRIATIONS.

MCCARRAN AND SOME OTHERS APPARENTLY REGARDED THE PRESIDENT'S VETO THREAT AS A MOVE AIMED AT GETTING CONGRESS TO KNOCK OUT THAT PROVISION BEFORE IT ACTS FINALLY ON THE BILL.

FEW LAWMAKERS THOUGHT MR. TRUMAN, TO BLOCK A LOAN TO SPAIN, WOULD GO TO THE LENGTHS OF REJECTING THE HUGE MONEY BILL, CARRYING $14,000,000,000 (B) IN MILITARY FUNDS.

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B120WX (ASKED) (Q)
(200) FIRST LEAD SIDOR

WASHINGTON, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE SAID TODAY THAT KAROL SIDOR (CQ), A TEMPORARY SLOVAKIAN VISITOR, WILL BE GIVEN NO EXTENSION OF HIS THREE-MONTHS ENTRY PERMIT WHICH EXPIRES AT MIDNIGHT TONIGHT.

IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS SAID THAT IF SIDOR HAS NOT TAKEN STEPS TO LEAVE THE UNITED STATES BY THAT TIME, FORMAL EXCLUSION ACTION WILL BE TAKEN AGAINST HIM.

SIDOR, 49, WAS ADMITTED FROM CANADA IN MAY ON A TEMPORARY VISA TO VISIT RELATIVES IN SCRANTON, PA. HE LATER MADE A LECTURE TOUR IN THIS COUNTRY, SPEAKING TO VARIOUS SLOVAKIAN GROUPS.

REP. KLEIN (D-NY), HAS PROTESTED TO THE JUSTICE AND STATE DEPARTMENTS AGAINST SIDOR'S PRESENCE IN THIS COUNTRY.

KLEIN PUT IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD LAST MONTH A STATEMENT SAYING SIDOR HAD BEEN AN ACTIVE MEMBER AND LEADER OF NAZI ORGANIZATIONS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA DURING THE HITLER REGIME.

KLEIN SAID HE HAD RECEIVED NUMEROUS REQUESTS FROM SLOVAK AND JEWISH GROUPS, ASKING THAT SIDOR NOT BE PERMITTED TO ESTABLISH PERMANENT RESIDENCE HERE.

KLEIN ALSO SAID HE HAD INFORMATION THAT SIDOR ATTEMPTED TO COME TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1947 THROUGH NAPLES, ITALY, BUT WAS TURNED DOWN BY THE AMERICAN CONSUL THERE.

SIDOR, 49-YEAR-OLD NATIVE OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, LIVES IN CANADA AND WAS ADMITTED FROM THAT COUNTRY THROUGH CLEVELAND, O., IN MAY. HE HAS SINCE APPEARED AS A SPEAKER BEFORE VARIOUS SLOVAK ORGANIZATIONS IN THIS COUNTRY.

THE DEPARTMENT SAID THAT SINCE HIS ARRIVAL, IT HAD RECEIVED SOME PROTESTS ABOUT HIS PRESENCE IN THE UNITED STATES. OFFICIALS, HOWEVER, DECLINED TO IDENTIFY THE SOURCE OF THESE PROTESTS.

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SPAIN

WASHINGTON, AUG 23-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV) SAID TODAY THAT THE OPPOSITION TO THE PROPOSED $100,000,000 U.S. LOAN TO SPAIN "SHOWS TOO MUCH CONCERN FOR THOSE SEGMENTS OF EUROPEAN AND ASIATIC POPULATIONS THAT ARE ALREADY SOLD ON COMMUNISM."

MCCARRAN, WHO SUCCEEDED IN GETTING THE SENATE TO APPROVE THE LOAN AS AN AMENDMENT TO THE MARSHALL PLAN SECTION OF THE APPROPRIATIONS BILL, WARMLY DEFENDED THE MOVE AS A BLOW AGAINST COMMUNISM.

HE SPOKE OUT IN A SENATE ADDRESS A DAY AFTER LAWMAKERS REPORTED THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN IS CONSIDERING VETOING THE BILL BECAUSE OF THE SPANISH LOAN AND OTHER PROVISIONS.

MCCARRAN SAID HE RECOGNIZES THAT THE SPAN

SPANISH LOAN AND OTHER PROVISIONS.

MCCARRAN SAID HE RECOGNIZES THAT THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT OPERATES IN AN AUTHORITARIAN MANNER AND PRACTICES A DEGREE OF SUPPRESSION OF PERSONAL LIBERTIES WHICH AMERICANS WOULD NOT ACCEPT.

BUT HE ARGUED THIS IS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE SPANISH CIVIL WAR WHICH HE SAID THE FRANCO GOVERNMENT BELIEVES NECESSARY BECAUSE OF THE

COMMUNIST BLOC IN SPAIN.
"I BELIEVE," MCCARRAN CONTINUED, "THAT IF SPAIN SHOULD BE GIVEN TO UNDERSTAND THAT OTHER NATIONS APPRECIATE HER DILEMMA, EVEN THOUGH THEY ARE NOT ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT HER METHODS OF DEALING WITH IT, SPAIN WILL MOVE PROGRESSIVELY IN THE DIRECTION OF THE WEST."
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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, AUG 23-(AP)-HOMER SHERMAN FOX, 57, A STATE DEPARTMENT CAREER DIPLOMAT, HAS BEEN NAMED ACTING CHIEF OF THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION MISSION TO BELGIUM.
WILLIAM C. FOSTER, ACTING HEAD OF THE CA, SAID FOX REPLACES JOHN NUVEEN, JR., A CHICAGO INVESTMENT BANKER, WHO IS RETURNING TO PRIVATE LIFE AFTER SERVICE WITH ECA IN GREECE AND BELGIUM.
FOX IS A NATIVE OF MANISTIQUE, MINN., AND HAS BEEN WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT SINCE 1922.
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WASHINGTON, AUG. 23-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY DESIGNATED JOSIAH MARVEL, JR., AS CHAIRMAN OF THE INTERNATIONAL CLAIMS COMMISSION.
THE COMMISSION IS A THREE-MAN BOARD CREATED BY CONGRESS TO DIVIDE $17,000,000 (M) AMONG AMERICANS WHOSE PROPERTY WAS CONFISCATED BY THE YUGOSLAV GOVERNMENT.
MARSHALL TITO'S GOVERNMENT GAVE THIS SUM TO THE UNITED STATES IN JULY, 1948, AS FINAL SETTLEMENT FOR ALL AMERICAN CLAIMS FOR COMPENSATION.
MARVEL, WHOSE HOME IS GREENVILLE, DEL., IS FORMER AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO DENMARK.
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(120)
WASHINGTON, AUG 23-(AP)-A COMMERCE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO., HAS BEEN SELECTED TO DIRECT A PRIORITIES AND ALLOCATION DIVISION IN THE DEPARTMENT.
THE DIVISION WOULD FUNCTION UNDER THE HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION BILL AWAITING FINAL ACTION BY CONGRESS. A CONFERENCE COMMITTEE IS WORKING ON DIFFERENCES BETWEEN HOUSE AND SENATE.
DURING WORLD WAR ONE, HARRISON WAS DIRECTOR OF PRODUCTION IN THE WAR PRODUCTION BOARD. LATER, AS A MAJOR GENERAL, HE HEADED THE PURCHASING DIVISION OF THE ARMY SIGNAL CORPS.
THE HEAD OF THE NEW COMMERCE DIVISION WOULD BE IN CHARGE OF PRIORITIES, ALLOCATION AND INVENTORY CONTROL OF INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS.
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CHICAGO, AUG 23-(AP)-REPRESENTATIVES FROM GREAT BRITAIN AND CANADA, AS WELL AS FROM NEARLY EVERY STATE AND EVERY LARGE CITY IN THIS COUNTRY, WILL BE IN CHICAGO NEXT MONTH TO STUDY EFFECTS OF A MOCK ATOM BOMB ATTACK.
COL. JOHN B. WARDEN, CIVIL DEFENSE COORDINATOR FOR THE NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD, SAID A MAKE-BELIEVE ATTACK WILL BE CONDUCTED HERE TO EVALUATE DEFENSE METHODS BEING DRAWN UP FOR THE CIVILIAN POPULATION IN EVENT OF ATOMIC DISASTER. THE ATTACK DATE WILL BE ANNOUNCED SEPT. 11. IT WILL BE HELD BEFORE SEPT. 25.
FOR FIVE DAYS STARTING SEPT. 25, OBSERVERS WILL HOLD MEETINGS TO DISCUSS THE BEST MEANS OF METROPOLITAN CIVIL DEFENSE.
THE ATTACK WILL BE ON PAPER ONLY. THERE WILL BE NO FIELD OPERATIONS. ALL PROBLEMS WILL BE WORKED OUT THEORETICALLY.
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(160)
NIGHT LEAD SIMONS
DENVER, AUG. 23-(AP)-SANFORD L. SIMONS, 28-YEAR-OLD RESEARCH SCIENTIST, DESCRIBED IN SIX WORDS TODAY HOW HE "STOLE" A VIAL OF PLUTONIUM FROM THE LOS ALAMOS, N. M., ATOMIC PROJECT.
"I JUST WALKED OUT WITH IT."
SIMONS, WHO WAS ARRESTED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF DENVER YESTERDAY AND CHARGED WITH THEFT OF PLUTONIUM, A RADIOACTIVE ATOM BOMB MATERIAL, WAS INTERVIEWED IN THE WARDEN'S OFFICE AT THE COUNTY JAIL.
"THERE WAS NO REAL CHECKUP ON WHAT WAS TAKEN OUT OF THE PLACE (LOS ALAMOS) AT THAT TIME," HE SAID.
"THIS SAMPLE WAS ON MY DESK."
"YOU KNOW," HE COMMENTED, "THE ATTITUDE OF THE GOVERNMENT HAS CHANGED VERY DEFINITELY OVER THE YEARS.
"THE LOSS OF THAT PLUTONIUM WAS A MINOR MATTER THEN. NOW IT'S A MAJOR CALAMITY.
"I'M CURIOUS TO KNOW WHAT THEY WOULD HAVE DONE IF I HAD BEEN CAUGHT THEN. I THINK I'D HAVE RECEIVED NOTHING MORE THAN A REPRIMAND."
"WHY DID I TAKE IT? WELL, IT SEEMS PRETTY SILLY NOW, BUT I'VE ALWAYS COLLECTED MINERAL SAMPLES.
"I REALIZED ALMOST INSTANTLY THAT I DIDN'T WANT IT, BUT IT WAS LIKE HAVING A BULL BY THE TAIL. I COULDN'T LET GO!"
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DENVER, AUG. 23-(AP)-FEDERAL CHARGES OF STEALING PLUTONIUM--VITAL IN ATOM BOMB PRODUCTION--HAVE BEEN FILED AGAINST SANFORD LAWRENCE SIMONS, 28, RESEARCH SCIENTIST AT DENVER UNIVERSITY.
FBI AGENT RUSSELL KRAMER SAID A SMALL GLASS VIAL OF PLUTONIUM WAS RECOVERED FROM A HIDING PLACE BENEATH SIMONS' DENVER HOME. HE WAS HELD IN DEFAULT OF $10,000 BOND. SIMONS WILL BE TRIED UNDER THE ATOMIC ENERGY ACT. THE MAXIMUM PENALTY IS FIVE YEARS' IMPRISONMENT AND A $10,000 FINE.
KRAMER SAID THE PLUTONIUM WAS TAKEN FROM THE LOS ALAMOS, N.MEX., ATOMIC PROJECT FOUR YEARS AGO. THE FBI SAID SIMONS ADMITTED TAKING THE PLUTONIUM AS A "SOUVENIR" AND THAT HE HAD PLACED IT UNDER HIS HOUSE SO THAT HIS CHILDREN WOULDN'T PLAY WITH THE RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCE.
SIMONS SERVED AS AN ARMY ENLISTED MANAT LOS ALAMOS FROM AUGUST, 1944, TO MARCH, 1946. HE WAS A CIVILIAN SCIENTIST THERE FROM MARCH, 1946, TO JULY, 1946. SINCE SEPTEMBER 1948, SIMONS HAS BEEN A RESEARCH SCIENTIST AT DENVER UNIVERSITY.
THE FBI WOULD NOT DISCLOSE THE QUANTITY OR VALUE OF THE PLUTONIUM. KRAMER SAID HE HAD HEARD VARYING REPORTS THE SUBSTANCE WAS WORTH FROM $500 TO $200,000.
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HOUSTON,AUG.23-(AP)-MORTON SOBELL, ACCOMPANIED BY A U.S. MARSHAL AND A SPECIAL GUARD DESCRIBED AS A "CRACK PISTOL SHOT," LEFT FOR NEW YORK CITY BY PLANE AT 3:30 P.M. (CST) TODAY.
THE 33-YEAR-OLD RADAR EXPERT IS CHARGED WITH VIOLATION OF THE ESPIONAGE ACT BY PASSING DEFENSE INFORMATION TO RUSSIA. HE WAS ARRESTED BY MEXICAN AUTHORITIES IN MEXICO CITY LAST WEEK AND TURNED OVER TO FBI AGENTS AT LAREDO FRIDAY.
ACCOMPANYING HIM TO NEW YORK WERE U.S.MARSHAL CLIFTON CARTER AND THE SPECIAL GUARD, HENRY KUEMPEL, MANAGER OF A HOUSTON SOFT DRINK FIRM.
THE EASTERN AIRLINES PLANE WAS TO MAKE A FIVE-MINUTE STOP AT WASHINGTON, D.C., AT 8:55 P.M. (EST) BEFORE COMPLETING ITS FLIGHT AT 10:15 P.M. (EST) AT NEWARK, N.J. (CQ).
SOBELL WAS BROUGHT HERE YESTERDAY UNDER SPECIAL GUARD BY AUTOMOBILE FROM LAREDO. FEDERAL JUDGE ALLEN B.HANNAY ON MONDAY SIGNED AN ORDER HERE FOR REMOVAL OF THE PRISONER FROM LAREDO TO NEW YORK.
SOBELL WAIVED A REMOVAL HEARING AT LAREDO AND BOND WAS SET AT $100,000.
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PRECEDE HOUSTON
NEW YORK, AUG.23-(AP)-MORTON SOBELL, ALLEGED SPY FOR RUSSIA, ARRIVED TONIGHT FROM HOUSTON, TEX.
SOBELL WAS MET AT THE NEWARK, N.J., AIRPORT BY U.S. MARSHAL WILLIAM A.CARROLL AND TWO DEPUTY MARSHALS, WHO TOOK HIM TO THE FEDERAL HOUSE OF DETENTION IN MANHATTAN.
HE WILL BE ARRAIGNED TOMORROW.
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NEW YORK, AUG.23-(AP)-HENRY WALLACE SAID TODAY HE BEGAN TO HAVE MISGIVINGS ABOUT RUSSIA'S CONDUCT EVEN BEFORE THE COMMUNIST INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA.
WRITING IN THE CURRENT ISSUE OF THE NEW LEADER, OUT TODAY, THE FORMER VICE PRESIDENT AND THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY'S 1948 PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE SAID:
"I HAD ALWAYS HOPED AND EXPECTED THAT RUSSIA, EITHER IN THE OPEN OR UNDER COVER, WOULD NOT STEP OVER DUE BOUNDS.
"MY HOPES IN THIS REGARD BEGAN TO LESSEN WHEN I HEARD FROM PROGRESSIVE PARTY PEOPLE OF CZECH ORIGIN AS TO JUST WHAT HAS BEEN HAPPENING TO SOME OF THEIR RELATIVES DURING THE PAST YEAR."
LAST MONTH, WALLACE QUIT THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY WHEN IT REFUSED TO SUPPORT THE UNITED STATES STAND IN KOREA. HE CALLED RUSSIA THE AGGRESSOR THERE.
THE NEW LEADER, AN ANTI-COMMUNIST WEEKLY, SAID IN PUBLISHING WALLACE'S ARTICLE THAT IT DID SO IN HOPE THAT IT "WOULD HELP PRODUCE FURTHER CLEAVAGES IN THE SOVIET FRONT" AND BECAUSE "WE BELIEVE IN EXCHANGING IDEAS WITH EX-FELLOW-TRAVELERS X X X STILL SUSCEPTIBLE TO CHANGE."
WALLACE WROTE THAT MAIL HE HAS RECEIVED CONVINCES HIM "THAT FULLY HALF OF THE RANK AND FILE" OF THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY "IS WITH ME" IN BACKING U.S.-UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA.
"BUT I KNOW THAT THE TOP LEADERSHIP IS ALMOST 100 PER CENT AGAINST ME," HE SAID, ADDING THAT HE "COULD NO LONGER SERVE THE CAUSE OF PEACE "THROUGH THE PARTY.
HE SAID "VICTORY FOR THE U.S. AND U.N. IS THE ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL FIRST STEP ON THE ROAD TO PEACE."
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NEW YORK, AUG.23-(AP)-A CAPTURED NORTH KOREAN SOLDIER SAID IN A RADIO INTERVIEW TODAY THAT HE HAD SEEN RUSSIAN OFFICERS DIRECTING ATTACKS OF NORTH KOREAN MILITARY FORCES.
THE PRISONER, IDENTIFIED AS 27-YEAR-OLD SUN WU HAW, SPOKE THROUGH AN INTERPRETER IN A TRANSCRIBED INTERVIEW CARRIED OVER THE MUTUAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM.
ASKED BY MBS CORRESPONDENT PAT MICHAELS IF "YOU HAVE EVER SEEN ANY RUSSIAN OFFICERS WITH YOUR FORCES?" THE PRISONER REPLIED:
"YES, I'VE SEEN RUSSIAN OFFICERS AT THE RADIO DIRECTING ATTACKS."
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NIGHT LEAD U.N. (100)
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.23-(AP)-A NEW REPORT ON THE KOREAN FIGHTING WILL BE SUBMITTED BY GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR EITHER LATE THIS WEEK OR EARLY NEXT WEEK, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.
MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL, MEANWHILE, HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED BY RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK THAT HE WILL OBSERVE THE USUAL PRACTICE OF GIVING A DINNER FOR HIS FELLOW DELEGATES BEFORE FINISHING HIS MONTH AS PRESIDENT.
THE DINNER WILL BE HELD AT THE WALDORF-ASTORIA AUG.30, ONE DAY BEFORE MALIK STEPS DOWN FROM THE PRESIDENCY TO BE SUCCEEDED BY BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB.
DIPLOMATIC QUARTERS EXPECT ONLY ABOUT THREE MORE MEETINGS UNDER MALIK, INCLUDING THE ONE NOW SCHEDULED FOR NEXT FRIDAY.
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U.N.--KOREA
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 23-(AP)-THE UNITED NATIONS DISCLOSED TODAY IT HAD RECEIVED A PROTEST FROM COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA CHARGING THE UNITED STATES WITH BOMBING HOSPITALS AND AMBULANCES IN VIOLATION OF THE GENEVA CONVENTION.
THE MESSAGE WAS SIGNED BY FOREIGN MINISTER PAK HEN NEN AND WAS DATED AUG. 18. IT WAS IN REPLY TO THREE MESSAGES SENT BY U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE NOTIFYING NORTH KOREA THAT THE UNITED STATES NAVY HAD DESIGNATED THE U.S.S.BENEVOLENCE, THE U.S.S. CONSOLATION AND THE U.S.S.REPOSE AS HOSPITAL SHIPS.
THE NORTH KOREAN FOREIGN MINISTER ACKNOWLEDGED RECEIPT OF LIE'S CABLES AND SAID THEY HAD BEEN REFERRED TO THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES.
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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.23-(AP)-SECURITY COUNCIL DELEGATES STUDIED RUSSIAN JAKOB A.MALIK'S LATEST SPEECH CLOSELY TODAY FOR HINTS OF A NEW WAR THREAT.

THEY WEIGHED MALIK'S STATEMENT TO THE COUNCIL YESTERDAY THAT "CONTINUATION OF MILITARY OPERATIONS IN KOREA WOULD LEAD NOT TO A LOCALIZATION OF THE CONFLICT, AS THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES SO DILIGENTLY TRIES TO CONVINCE US, BUT WOULD INEVITABLY LEAD TO A BROADENING OF THE CONFLICT FRAUGHT WITH SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES.'

"THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THIS WOULD LIE FULLY UPON THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THEIR DELEGATION IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL," MALIK DECLARED.

THE UNITED STATES HAS DEMANDED THAT U.N. MEMBERS WORK TO LOCALIZE THE KOREAN WAR AND THAT THE NORTH KOREANS WITHDRAW TO THE 38TH PARALLEL. RUSSIA HAS CALLED FOR WITHDRAWAL OF ALL FOREIGN TROOPS FROM KOREA.

IN A 48-MINUTE ATTACK THE RUSSIAN ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES, AIDED BY GREAT BRITAIN, OF WAGING AN "OPEN ARMED AGGRESSION AGAINST THE KOREAN PEOPLE AND OTHER ASIATIC PEOPLE WHO STRUGGLE FOR THEIR INDEPENDENCE AND NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY." THE U.S., HE ASSERTED, ATTEMPTS "TO COVER UP THIS AGGRESSION WITH THE LABEL OF THE FLAG OF THE UNITED NATIONS."

IT WAS THE NINTH "NO ACTION" SESSION OF THE COUNCIL SINCE MALIK ENDED THE SEVEN-MONTH SOVIET BOYCOTT AND TOOK OVER THE GROUP'S PRESIDENCY AUG.1. HIS TERM ENDS AUG.31.

BOTH U.S. REPRESENTATIVE WARREN AUSTIN AND BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB IN REPLY CHARGED MALIK WITH USING HITLERIAN PROPAGANDA TECHNIQUES.

THE RUSSIAN CHARGE, SAID AUSTIN, IS "A LIE, A BIG LIE." JEBB TERMED MALIK'S STATEMENT A "GIGANTIC FALSEHOOD," ADDING THAT IN PROPAGANDA, "THE BIGGER THE FALSEHOOD, THE BETTER THE CHANCE IT HAS OF BEING BELIEVED."

AUSTIN SAID MALIK WAS EMPLOYING HITLER'S TRICK OF "CONCEALING GUILT BY ACCUSATION." JEBB RECALLED THAT STALIN IN 1939 HAD CHARGED FRANCE AND BRITAIN WITH ATTACKING GERMANY. HE QUERIED:

"IF STALIN HIMSELF SUBSCRIBED TO THIS REMARKABLE ANALYSIS OF AGGRESSION IN 1939, WHO IS GOING TO BELIEVE SOVIET THEORIES OF AGGRESSION IN 1950?"

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MALIK REPEATED HIS DEMAND THAT THE U.N. WITHDRAW FOREIGN TROOPS FROM KOREA AND END WHAT HE CHARGED WAS A "COLOSSAL INTERNATIONAL BLUFF' OF MASKING "ARMIES OF AMERICAN AGGRESSORS" AS INTERNATIONAL ARMIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

THE RUSSIAN IN HIS LENGTHY REVIEW OF THE SOVIET VERSION OF THE KOREAN WAR, CHARGED THAT THE "AMERICAN BLOC," HEADED BY THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN, WAS "ATTEMPTING TO ACHIEVE NOT A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTIONGN BUT A BROADENING

MENT OF THE KOREAN QUESTION, BUT A BROADENING OF THE SCALE OF AMERICAN AGGRESSION AGAINST THE KOREAN PEOPLE AND THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS INTO AN OBEDIENT TOOL OF THE AGGRESSIVE POLICY OF THE AMERICAN RULING CIRCLES."

THE NORTH KOREANS AND THEIR SUPPORTERS, HE DECLARED, HAD MADE THE KOREAN CONFLICT "A POPULAR WAR, A HOLY WAR FOR LIBERTY AND UNITY FOR THE INDEPENDENCE OF KOREA."

HE CONTINUED:

"AT THE CALL OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE KOREAN DEMOCRATIC PEOPLES REPUBLIC, PEOPLE ROSE UP IN ARMS IN ORDER TO CONDUCT THIS HOLY WAR. THEY WANTED TO FIGHT AGAINST THE FOREIGN INTERVENTIONISTS FOR THE HONOR, THE FREEDOM AND THE INDEPENDENCE OF THEIR COUNTRY.

"THIS WAS THE REPLY THEY GAVE TO THE INTENTIONS OF THE AMERICAN INTERVENTIONISTS WHO WANTED TO INCREASE THEIR AGGRESSION IN KOREA AND TO WIDEN THE SCOPE OF THE WAR UNDER THE COVER OF LIES AND WORDS REFERRING TO THE 'LOCALIZATION OF THE CONFLICT'."

FOLLOWING THE REPLIES OF AUSTIN AND JEBB, MALIK TRIED TO TAKE THE FLOOR AGAIN BUT WAS CUT OFF IN A PARLIAMENTARY CLASH THAT ENDED IN ADJOURNMENT UNTIL NEXT FRIDAY AFTERNOON. FRENCH TRANSLATIONS OF YESTERDAY'S SPEECHES HAD BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL THE NEXT MEETING AND FRIDAY'S MEETING MAY BE DEVOTED ALMOST ENTIRELY TO THAT PROCESS.

YESTERDAY'S MEETING SHOWED THAT THE DELEGATES HAVE GIVEN UP ANY PRETENSE OF TRYING TO GET ANYWHERE--TOWARD CARRYING OUT COUNCIL DECISIONS MADE IN JUNE AND JULY TO SEAT THE SOUTH KOREAN REPUBLIC'S REPRESENTATIVE, OR CONSIDERING ANY NEW RESOLUTIONS--IN THE FACE OF MALIK'S OBSTRUCTIONS. STARTING WITH MALIK'S SPEECH, THE MEETING WAS AN OUT-AND-OUT PROPAGANDA SESSION LASTING THREE AND ONE-HALF HOURS.

WEBB SAID RUSSIA HAD BOYCOTTED THE U.N. COMMISSION ON KOREA "BECAUSE THEY FEAR IT MIGHT FIND OUT WHAT WAS REALLY HAPPENING BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN IN KOREA."

THE FACT THE COMMISSION WAS EXCLUDED FROM NORTH KOREA, HE SAID, "IS IN ITSELF PRETTY GOOD EVIDENCE THAT THE COMMUNISTS IN NORTH KOREA WERE ENGAGING IN SOME FORM OF ACTIVITY WHICH WOULD REVOLT ANY NON-COMMUNIST SPECTATOR."

JEBB (CORRECT) ASSERTED THAT "IF BY PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT IS MEANT ANYTHING EXCEPT A DEMONSTRATION THAT AGGRESSION DOES NOT PAY AND THAT COMMUNIST GOVERNMENTS MUST NOT INDULGE IN THIS KIND OF VIOLENT ACTIVITY ANY MORE, IT WILL NOT BE A SETTLEMENT WHICH WILL BRING PEACE TO OUR TROUBLED WORLD."

AUSTIN CHARGED THAT MALIK'S STATEMENTS TO THE COUNCIL HAVE FOLLOWED PROPAGANDA TRICKS OF FALSE LABELS, CONCEALING GUILT BY ACUSATION, AND "THE TECHNIQUE OF THE BIG LIE."

HE SAID MALIK'S CHARGE THE U.S. INTERVENED IN KOREA WHEN IT SAW PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE'S REGIME COLLAPSING WAS LIKE PUTTING A PEACH LABEL ON A JAR CONTAINING APPLESAUCE.

"I AM IN A POSITION TO OPEN THAT FALSELY LABELED JAR AND LET THE WORLD SEE WHAT IS INSIDE--APPLESAUCE," AUSTIN SAID.

HE ACCUSED RUSSIA OF FOLLOWING HITLER'S EXAMPLE IN CRYING "STOP THIEF" WHEN IT ACCUSED THE U.S. OF TRYING TO TAKE OVER KOREA--LIKE HITLER AND RUSSIA DID WHEN THEY AGREED SECRETLY TO DIVIDE UP POLAND IN 1939, AND THEN ACCUSED POLAND OF AGGRESSION.

AUSTIN DENIED HEATEDLY THAT AMERICAN FIRMS--WHICH MALIK CALLED MONOPOLISTS--HAD GAINED A SINGLE DOLLAR'S PROFIT FROM THE MILLIONS THE U.S. HAD POURED INTO KOREA. AMERICAN INVESTMENTS IN KOREA, HE SAID, "ARE OF A VERY SPECIAL KIND--IN CHURCHES, SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS AND CLINICS. MISSIONARIES, TEACHERS DOCTORS AND NURSES ARE THE MONOPOLISTS AND RULING CIRCLES YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT."

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HE ADDED "ONLY IN THE WEIRD WORLD OF SOVIET PROPAGANDA IS THERE ANY DOUBT CONCERNING THE ORIGIN OF THE AGGRESSION IN KOREA. THE AGGRESSOR IS THE REGIME ESTABLISHED IN PYONGYANG WHEN THE SOVIET UNION WAS IN MILITARY OCCUPATION OF THE NORTHERN AREA.

"THE AGGRESSOR IS THE NORTH KOREAN REGIME THAT WAS ESTABLISHED IN DIRECT DEFIANCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND THAT HAS CONTINUED TO DEFY BOTH THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

"TO CALL THE ACTION OF THOSE GOVERNMENTS WHO ARE SEEKING TO SUPPORT THE RESOLUTIONS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL AN ACT OF AGGRESSION IS A FALSEHOOD SO GROTESQUE THAT EVEN THE TECHNIQUE OF THE BIG LIE CANNOT DISGUISE IT."

THE RUSSIANS, AUSTIN SAID, HAD HAD PLENTY OF TIME TO COMPLAIN TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL LAST JUNE 25 THAT EITHER THE U.S. OR SOUTH KOREA HAD ATTACKED NORTH KOREA, BUT DIDN'T BECAUSE THE AGGRESSOR WAS NORTH

KOREA.
HE SLAMMED AT MALIK'S CHARGE THAT THOSE WHO FAILED TO AGREE WITH THE RUSSIANS WERE THUS AMERICAN SATELLITES. AUSTIN SAID THAT HE COULD UNDERSTAND HOW SOVIET DELEGATES CAN'T COMPREHEND ANYTHING BUT BIG NATIONS USING FORCE ON SMALL NATIONS.
"THIS IS A PHILOSOPHY WORTHY OF SOME WITCH-DOCTOR WHO HAS CREATED SO MANY SOULLESS ZOMBIES IN HIS OWN GRAVEYARD THAT HE ENDS UP BELIEVING THE EARTH IS PEOPLED ENTIRELY BY SUCH CREATURES," AUSTIN SAID.
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(ADVANCE) NEW YORK, AUG. 23-(AP)-A LEADER IN THE COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY SAID TODAY THE KOREAN WAR HAS "VIRTUALLY ELIMINATED THE ORIGINAL BASIC REASON FOR PROPOSING FURTHER TARIFF CUTS ON U.S. IMPORTS."

GEORGE P.SWIFT, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN COTTON MANUFACTURERS INSTITUTE, SAID AMERICAN INDUSTRY "MUST BE SAFEGUARDED FROM LOW-WAGE FOREIGN COMPETITION WHILE PERFORMING WAR DUTIES TO HELP SECURE WORLD PEACE."

HE MADE HIS COMMENTS AFTER FILING A SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT BY TEXTILE GROUPS WITH THE COMMITTEE FOR RECIPROCITY INFORMATION RELATIVE TO TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS SCHEDULED TO OPEN AT TORQUAY, ENGLAND, SEPT. 28.

HE SAID THE NEW STATEMENT COVERS DEVELOPMENTS SINCE THE INDUSTRY FILED ITS ORIGINAL BRIEF MAY 17, OPPOSING ADDITIONAL TARIFF CUTS.

THE COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY, HE SAID, IS MOVING INTO AN ERA OF LARGE SCALE MILITARY PRODUCTION, COMBINED WITH HIGHER PRICES.

IT FEARS IT WILL BE UNABLE TO COMPETE IN ITS DOMESTIC MARKET, HE ADDED, WITH LOW-COST IMPORTS IF TARIFFS ARE CUT ANY FURTHER.

"SHOULD THE NORMAL, PEACETIME MARKETS OF AMERICAN MILLS BE LOST BECAUSE OF TARIFF MEDDLING," SWIFT SAID, THEN THE JOBS, WAGES AND TAX REVENUES WHICH THE AMERICAN INDUSTRY PROVIDES, AND WHICH WILL BE NEEDED TO HELP LIQUIDATE THE MOUNTING DEBT OF OUR COUNTRY, WILL BE

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LOST IRRETRIEVABLY."

SWIFT SAID WESTERN EUROPEAN TEXTILE PRODUCTION HAS INCREASED 20 PER CENT OVER PRE-WAR LEVELS.

COMMODITY EXPORTS FROM ENGLAND, FRANCE AND OTHER EUROPEAN TEXTILE NATIONS ARE EXPANDING RAPIDLY, HE SAID, SPARKED BY SALES TO THE UNITED STATES.

WITH U.S. STOCKPILING PROCUREMENTS MOUNTING INDEFINITELY EVEN THOUGH THE KOREAN CONFLICT SHOULD BE OF SHORT DURATION, SWIFT SAID:

"INCREASING PHYSICAL VOLUME WILL COMBINE WITH RISING PRICES TO ASSURE A SHARP EXPANSION OF IMPORTS AND OUR NET TRADE BALANCE MAY EASILY SHIFT TO THE DEBIT SIDE WITHIN THE NEAR FUTURE."

"IT WOULD BE IRONICAL INDEED," SWIFT SAID, "IF ANY MAJOR INDUSTRY OF THIS COUNTRY WERE FORCED TO SACRIFICE, PERHAPS FOREVER, ITS OWN HOME MARKETS IN THE COURSE OF WAR-TIME SERVICE DURING A DEFENSE-EMERGENCY PERIOD THAT MIGHT GO ON FOR YEARS."

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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (200)

TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 25-(AP)-TANK-SUPPORTED RED KOREAN FORCES HURLED COORDINATED ATTACKS BEFORE DAWN FRIDAY NORTH OF TAEGU AND WAGED A CLOSE QUARTER HAND GRENADE FIGHT ON THE SOUTH SECTOR.

THE REDS, STRIKING NORTHEAST AND NORTH OF TAEGU AT POINTS ABOUT 15 MILES FROM THE AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE, SUCCEEDED IN SLIGHTLY PENETRATING SOUTH KOREAN LINES AT ONE POINT BEFORE BEING CONTAINED. ONE OF THESE ATTACKS WAS MADE BY TWO REGIMENTS, POSSIBLY 5,000 MEN.

IN THE SOUTH SECTOR, DEFENDING THE PORT CITY OF PUSAN, A DISPATCH AT 4 P.M. (1 A.M. EST) FRIDAY BY ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON SAID THE REDS WERE STILL PRESSING AN ATTACK THEY LAUNCHED AN HOUR AFTER MIDNIGHT. SWINTON SAID THE REDS, OPPOSED BY THE U.S. 24TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION, WERE BEING SHELLED BY AMERICAN ARTILLERY.

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"THE FIGHTING WAS CLOSE ENOUGH FOR AN EXCHANGE OF GRENADES," SWINTON REPORTED.

THUNDERING FLEETS OF AMERICAN BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS RAINED HEAVY BLOWS FRIDAY ON CONCENTRATIONS OF TWO RED DIVISIONS IN THIS SOUTHERN SECTOR.

AS THE NORTH KOREAN THREAT GREW ON THE SOUTHERN END OF THE WAR FRONT, OTHER COMMUNISTS HEAVILY ATTACKED THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION, 15 MILES NORTH OF THE KEY AMERICAN ADVANCED SUPPLY BASE OF TAEGU. EARLY FRIDAY 2,000 OF THESE REDS, SUPPORTED BY 14 TANKS, MADE A "SMALL PENETRATION," THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY REPORTED.

WHETHER THE NORTHERN ACTION WAS A NEW ATTEMPT TO PUSH TOWARD TAEGU FROM THE NORTHEAST OR MASKED A REGROUPING OPERATION WAS NOT CLEAR. BUT THERE WAS NO DOUBT ABOUT THE BUILDUP IN THE SOUTH.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED THAT LONG COLUMNS OF COMMUNIST INFANTRY WERE STREAMING DOWN THE ROADS. THESE WERE IDENTIFIED AS MEMBERS OF THE RED SEVENTH DIVISION BY INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS. THE RED SIXTH DIVISION ALREADY WAS IN THE AREA.

OPENING THE THIRD MONTH OF THE WAR, SWARMS OF PLANES ATTACKED THESE CONCENTRATIONS AT DAWN TODAY WITH BOMBS, ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUN FIRE.

IN ALL, THE REDS MADE THREE FRIDAY PRE-DAWN ATTACKS, TWO ON THE NORTH FRONT, ONE ON THE SOUTH.

AT 1:45 A.M., (10:45 A.M. THURSDAY EST), A COMPANY OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION WAS ATTACKED BY THE REDS A FEW MILES WEST OF HAMAN AND WAS FORCED TO WITHDRAW. HAMAN IS 35 AIR MILES FROM PUSAN. A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID THE COMPANY, PART OF THE DIVISION'S 24TH REGIMENT, PREPARED TO COUNTERATTACK.

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THE BATTLE-HARDENED 24TH, A NEGRO OUTFIT, HOLDS MOST OF THE KEY RIDGES IN THE SOUTH WHICH FORM THE GATE TO LEVEL GROUND WEST OF PUSAN.

ALLIED PLANES THIS WEEK REPEATEDLY HAVE POUNDED THE RED CONCENTRATIONS. A NAVY SUMMARY AT 12:55 P.M. FRIDAY (9:55 P.M. THURSDAY EST) SAID MARINE CORSAIRS ON THURSDAY CLEARED THE REDS FROM A RIDGE 12 MILES WEST OF MASAN, WHERE OTHER U.S. 25TH DIVISION INFANTRYMEN WERE UNDER HEAVY ATTACK.

THE ATTACK BY THE REDS NORTH OF TAEGU WAS TO THE EAST OF A CORRIDOR ROAD MANNED BY THE U.S. 27TH (WOLFHOUND) REGIMENT. THIS CONFIRMED EARLIER REPORTS THAT THE REDS HAD SLIGHTLY SHIFTED THE WEIGHT OF THEIR FORCE EASTWARD.

THE PUNCH BY 2,000 REDS WAS DEALT AT 1:30 A.M. FRIDAY BACKED BY 14 TANKS USED AS ARTILLERY. GENERAL MACARTHUR'S MIDDAY WAR SUMMARY NOTED THE COMMUNISTS ARE USING AT LEAST 30 TANKS ALONG THE WAR FRONT IN SUCH A ROLE.

JUST TO THE WEST OF THE 6TH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT REPELLED A COMMUNIST FLANK ATTACK ALSO SUPPORTED BY RED TANK FIRE. THIS ASSAULT CAME AT 1 A.M., ONE HALF HOUR EARLIER THAN THE RED BLOW ON THE 6TH DIVISION.

WHERE THE MAIN WEIGHT OF THE NEXT RED DRIVE WOULD FALL STILL WAS NOT CLEAR. BUT IT BECAME INCREASINGLY EVIDENT THAT THE COMMUNISTS TOOK A SEVERE BEATING IN THE BATTLE FOR THE MAIN NORTH CORRIDOR TO TEAGU. THE BURNED OUT HULKS OF 11 NORTH KOREAN TANKS AND PILES OF NORTH KOREAN CORPSES STILL WERE TO BE SEEN IN FRONT OF THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT'S POSITION THERE.

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THE SHIFTING DISPOSITION OF NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS APPEARED TO BE BOTH SOUTH AND EAST OF WHAT HAS BEEN, SINCE SUNDAY, THE MAIN THEATER OF FIGHTING NORTH OF TAEGU. EIGHT RED DIVISIONS, TOTALLING AT LEAST 80,000 MEN, ARE NOW ESTIMATED OPERATING NORTHWEST OF WAEGWAN AND NORTH OF KUMHWA. WAEGWAN IS 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU AND KUMHWA 12 MILES NORTH.

SUPPORTING EVIDENCE THAT THE SHIFT HAS BEEN AWAY FROM THE HITHERTO HEAVILY MANNED WAEGWAN AREA, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH SAID U.S. FIRST CAVALRY PATROLS LAST NIGHT CROSSED TO THE NAKTONG RIVER'S WEST BANK. THEY MOVED FIVE MILES WITHOUT FINDING ANY HEAVY CONCENTRATIONS.

ON THE EAST COAST ANCHOR OF THE LINE, MANNED BY SOUTH KOREANS, THE UNITED NATIONS HELD THE OFFENSIVE. GENERAL MACARTHUR'S MIDDAY SUMMARY FRIDAY SAID THE REPUBLIC'S CAPITOL AND THIRD DIVISION JUMPED OFF IN A COORDINATED ATTACK. THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID THE THIRD ADVANCED THURSDAY 500 YARDS TO HUNGHAE, WHICH IS EIGHT MILES UP THE COAST FROM POHANG.

WHILE PLANES IN ALL CATEGORIES AND BOMBARDING WARSHIPS STRUCK AT COMMUNIST LAND SUPPLY LINES, DARING COMMANDO TACTICS STRUCK THEIR LINE OF SEA SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATION.

A BRITISH COMMANDO FORCE LANDED THURSDAY ON THE WEST COAST NEAR THE BIG RED-HELD PORT OF INCHON, NEAR SEOUL. THEY WENT ASHORE ON AN ISLAND, BLEW UP A SUPPLY DUMP AND DESTROYED RADIO INSTALLATIONS.

SOUTH KOREANS HAVE STAGED SIMILAR ISLAND RAIDS.

AN AMERICAN NAVAL SPOKESMAN, WHILE CALLING THEM "COMMANDO RAIDS" ADDED:

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"SOMETIMES THE SOUTH KOREANS WILL BE STAYING ASHORE."

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THE UNITED NATIONS' AIR FORCE OPERATED ON A ROUND-THE-CLOCK SCHEDULE.

DURING THURSDAY NIGHT B-26 BOMBERS AND F-82 FIGHTERS WENT AFTER TROOP CONVOYS AND RAILWAYS NEAR THE FRONT. AT DAWN FRIDAY JETS AND F-51S RANGED OVER THE WHOLE BATTLE LINE AT LOW LEVELS, HUTNING TROOPS, TANKS AND VEHICLES.

B-29S THURSDAY HIT NORTH KOREAN TARGETS WHICH INCLUDED THE RED CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG.

A NAVAL SUMMARY FRIDAY SAID A U.S. HEAVY CRUISER BOMBARDED 200 LOADED BOXCARS AT SONGJIN, ON THE EAST COAST 160 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. ANOTHER CRUISER "NEUTRALIZED" THREE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THE POHANG AREA, AND SUPPLIED STAR SHELL ILLUMINATION FOR SOUTH KOREANS IN A NIGHT BATTLE AGAINST THE REDS.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM SHINN SAID THAT SHELLFIRE BY SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL VESSELS THURSDAY DISPERSED A COMPANY OF COMMUNIST TROOPS ON SOROK ISLAND OFF THE SOUTHWEST (CORRECT) COAST OF KOREA, 18 MILES SOUTH OF POSONG. THE SOUTH KOREAN SHIPS ALSO DESTROYED A 100-TON ENEMY TRANSPORT, FIVE OTHER VESSELS AND A WAREHOUSE.

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TOKYO, THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (A157) IN SIXTH GRAF AT START MAKE READ: IN ALL, THE REDS MADE FOUR FRIDAY PRE-DAWN ATTACKS, THREE ON THE NORTH ETC.

INSERT AFTER 12TH GRAF BEGINNING: JUST TO THE WEST ETC AND ENDING: X X X ON THE 6TH DIVISION:

STILL FURTHER WEST NEAR KUMHWA, A ROAD JUNCTION, 12 MILES DUE NORTH OF TAEGU, AT 1:30 A.M. THE REDS MADE A TANK-LED ATTACK ON THE U.S. 27TH AND THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION. THIS WAS REPULSED WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND.

WHERE THE MAIN WEIGHT ETC 13TH GRAF.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP

BY MILTON MARMOR

TOKYO,FRIDAY, AUG. 25-(AP)-RED KOREANS REOPENED FIGHTING NORTH OF TAEGU WITH A HEAVY ATTACK THURSDAY NIGHT AND MOVED A DIVISION FORWARD IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR, ABOUT 40 ROAD MILES FROM THE PORT CITY OF PUSAN.

IN A STAB ON THE OTHER SIDE OF KOREA FROM THE BATTLEFRONT, BRITISH COMMANDOS THURSDAY NIGHT LANDED ON AN ISLAND NEAR THE RED-HELD WEST COAST PORT OF INCHON AND DESTROYED A SUPPLY DUMP AND RADIO STATIION. THIS DARING RAID WAS DISCLOSED FRIDAY BY A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY SPOKESMAN.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT ~~JACK MACBETH~~ SAID ONE AND A HALF COMMUNIST REGIMENTS---POSSIBLY 4,000 MEN -- HIT HARD AT THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION IN THE NORTH SECTOR. AT THE SAME TIME, TWO RED COMPANIES WERE REPULSED IN A FLANK ATTACK ON THE U. S. 27TH (WOLF-HOUND) REGIMENT. DON HUTH

THE 27TH IS DEFENDING A STRAIGHT STRETCH OF ROAD THROUGH A MOUNTAIN CORRIDOR ABOUT 15 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU WITH SOUTH KOREANS IN THE HEIGHTS ON ITS FLANKS. THE NEW ATTACKS RESUMED FIGHTING WHICH HAD SUBSIDED ON THURSDAY AFTER THE REDS HAD FAILED IN SIMILAR STABS ON FOUR PREVIOUS DAYS. HUTH'S

~~MACBETH'S~~ DISPATCH DID NOT SAY WHAT WAS THE EFFECT OR OUTCOME OF THE REDS' HEAVY ATTACK AGAINST THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH.

THE 27TH, WHILE REPULSING THE LEFT FLANK ATTACK, ALSO WAS UNDER HEAVY MORTAR AND ARTILLERY FIRE ON THE RIGHT FLANK.

IN THE SOUTHERN SECTOR, WHERE ONE OF TWO RED DIVISIONS WAS REPORTED MOVING TOWARD U. S. 25TH DIVISION POSITIONS WEST OF MASAN, AMERICAN FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS SWARMED TO THE ATTACK FRIDAY. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON SAID THE PLANES, OPENING THE THIRD MONTH OF THE WAR, HT T YR

OF THE WAR, HIT AT HEAVY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.

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INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS TOLD SWINTON A RED ATTACK ON MASAN APPEARED IMMINENT.

EARLY FRIDAY, THE REDS MADE A SMALL SCALE ATTACK AGAINST NEGRO INFANTRYMEN OF THE 24TH REGIMENT OF THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION. IT WAS REPULSED.

IT IS OPPOSITE THE 24TH REGIMENT THE REDS IN THE SOUTH SECTOR HAVE CONCENTRATED THEIR STRENGTH.

THE RED SOUTHERN THRUST BEGAN THURSDAY NIGHT.

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ON THE EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE LINE, NORTH OF THE PORT CITY OF POHANG, A SOUTH KOREAN SPOKESMAN TOLD ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM SHINN THAT IN ONE ACTION THE SOUTH KOREANS HAVE KILLED 500 REDS AND TAKEN 145 PRISONER--INCLUDING THE COMMANDER OF A RED COMPANY.

THE SPOKESMAN QUOTED THIS COMMANDER AS SAYING ONLY ABOUT 20 BULLETS HAD BEEN ISSUED TO SOLDIERS IN HIS COMPANY AND THAT MANY WERE ARMED WITH "FIRECRACKERS."

"THEY (THE REDS) ARE LOOKING FOR A CHANCE TO SURRENDER," THE SPOKESMAN SAID OF THE COMMUNISTS IN THAT SECTOR.

THE COMMUNIST DIVISION IN THE SOUTH, IDENTIFIED AS THE SEVENTH, PUSHED FORWARD IN THREE COLUMNS OF TROOPS AND TRUCKS UNDER A STORM OF AMERICAN BOMBS AND ROCKETS TOWARDS U.S.25TH DIVISION DEFENSES AROUND MASAN. THAT TOWN IS 27 MILES BY AIR AND 41 BY ROAD WEST OF THE ALL-IMPORTANT DEFENSE PORT OF PUSAN.

THE RED SEVENTH DIVISION, ORIGINALLY TRAINED FOR SECURITY POLICE PURPOSES, WAS SAID BY INTELLIGENCE SOURCES TO HAVE NEVER BEFORE BEEN COMMITTED TO BATTLE. HOWEVER, AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID LAST MONDAY THAT ABOUT 20 OF ITS MEMBERS WERE PRISONERS AT POHANG ON THE NORTHEAST FRONT--A MATTER HE WAS AT A LOSS TO EXPLAIN.

A MAJOR COMMUNIST ATTACK ON MASAN WAS DEEMED IMMINENT BY AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS. AMERICAN FORCES WERE AT FULL ALERT.

AN OFFENSIVE BY COMMUNIST FORCES IN THIS SECTOR HAS BEEN BREWING FOR SOMETIME. TWO ENEMY DIVISION HAD BEEN SPOTTED BY AERIAL PATROLS WHO NOTED A HUGE BUILDUP OF TROOPS AND VEHICLES WEST OF MASAN.

THE RED DIVISION ADVANCE WAS UNDERWAY BY DUSK. THE COMMUNISTS MOVED STEALTHILY IN SMALL CLUSTERS AT WELL SPACED INTERVALS TO MINIMIZE SLASHINGS BY AMERICAN AIR ATTACK. ENEMY TRUCKS, HOWEVER, ROLLED IN LARGE GROUPS. ONE WAS SEEN BY ALLIED FLIERS TO CONTAIN 30 VEHICLES.

FIGHTERS, BOMBERS AND JETS SWEPT OUT AFTER THE RED DIVISION. WITH NIGHTFALL THE TASK WAS TURNED OVER TO B-26 ~~NIGHT FIGHTERS~~ INVADER BOMBERS.

SOME 15 MILES WEST OF MASAN MEANWHILE A BITTER BATTLE RAGED FOR THE FOURTH GRIM DAY. THE STRUGGLE FOR THE STRATEGIC MOUNTAIN OF SOBUK WAS NOT TOO BIG AN ISSUE, BUT IT HAD A POINTED MEANING IN THE UNITED NATIONS STRUGGLE.

FOR AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN RIFLEMEN WERE BATTLING SHOULDER TO SHOULDER IN THE LINE--THE FIRST TIME THESE NEW COMPOSITE UNITED NATIONS UNITS OF THREE AMERICANS AND ONE SOUTH KOREAN HAD MOVED ONTO BATTLELINE FIGHTING.

AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED THE NORTH KOREANS WERE CLINGING BLOODILY BUT STUBBORNLY TO SOBUK.

THE ENEMY PRESSURE DEFINITELY HAD EASED UP ON THE CENTRAL FRONT NORTH OF TAEGU.

AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES WENT CAUTIOUSLY FORWARD WHERE THE REDS HAD SUDDENLY WITHDRAWN TOWARDS THE EAST.

AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT SAID THE ABRUPT AND UNEXPLAINED DRIFT OF THE COMMUNISTS AWAY FROM THAT FRONT LINE HAD DIMINISHED THE IMMEDIATE THREAT TO TAEGU. HE SAID OPINION AT THE FRONT WAS THAT THE REDS WERE NOT FINISHED.

INSTEAD, THEY WERE BELIEVED TO BE MERELY LOOKING FOR ANOTHER PLACE TO STRIKE.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY THURSDAY TOLD OF "DECREASING ENEMY PRESSURE" ON THIS MOUNTAINOUS TERRAIN WHERE REPEATEDLY ITS THRUSTS IN STRENGTH HAD BEEN BLUNTED AT THE COST OF 11 RED TANKS.

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RED ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE ALSO DECREASED ON THE FIFTH DAY OF THE BATTLE FOR THE ROAD THAT POINTS SOUTH TOWARDS TAEGU. LOCALIZED ENEMY ASSAULTS ON ALLIED FLANKS WERE BEATEN BACK, AS WERE NORTH KOREAN INFILTRATIONS BACK INTO THE HILLS EASTWARD OF THE MAIN KUMHWA - TAEGU ROAD, NOW SECURE FROM ENEMY HARASSMENT.

AN ENEMY PULLBACK WAS NOTED, NOT ONLY NORTH OF TAEGU, BUT ALSO IN THE WAEGWAN SECTOR, ON THE WEST, OPPOSITE THE FIRST CAVALRY. THE ONLY RED BRIDGEHEAD OVER THE NAKTONG - THE ONE AT HYONPUNG, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU - WAS QUIET.

REDS IN THE TAEGU SECTOR HAVE BEEN CONTAINED, RATHER THAN ELIMINATED, HOWEVER, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN WARNED.

SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE AMERICANS NORTH OF TAEGU SEIZED A STRATEGIC HIGH RIDGE KNOWN AS "THE CITADEL." FROM IT THE ENEMY HAD LOOKED DOWN ON THE DEFENSE POSITIONS.

THE SEIZURE WAS AIDED POWERFULLY BY AMERICAN PLANES.

OVER IN THE EAST COAST AREA, OTHER SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS KEPT PUSHING NORTHWARD, BUT THEY ENCOUNTERED STIFF RESISTANCE THURSDAY. THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION TOOK HIGH GROUND NORTH OF KIGYE, WHILE THE THIRD DIVISION MAINTAINED ITS ADVANCE NORTH OF THE COAST TOWN OF HUNGHAE.

THE RED INVADERS OF THE KOREAN REPUBLIC ARE UNDER ORDERS OF THEIR PREMIER, KIM IL SUNG, TO WIPE OUT THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN BEACHHEAD BY AUG. 31--LESS THAN A WEEK AWAY.

MAJ. GEN. HOBART R. GAY, COMMANDER OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION, TOLD NEW YORK HERALD-TRIBUNE CORRESPONDENT HOMER BIGART IT WAS HIS OPINION THE REDS MUST STRIKE THEIR DECISIVE BLOW BEFORE SEPT. 15 OR GO DOWN TO DISMAL DEFEAT.

"PROBABLY IT IS TOO LATE ALREADY," GAY ADDED.

OBSERVERS PONDERED WHAT THE REDS WERE DOING BEHIND THE NAKTONG LINE NOW THAT THEY HAVE BEEN HURLED BACK FROM THEIR FURTHEST PUSH IN THE BATTLE OF THE CHANGNYONG BULGE AND HAVE FAILED TO BREAK THROUGH IN THE KUNHWI SECTOR NORTH OF TAEGU.

"I DON'T KNOW WHETHER THEY'RE BUILDING UP A NEW PUSH OR MERELY PLANNING A DELAYING ACTION WHEN WE TAKE THE OFFENSIVE," GAY SAID.

THE AIR WAR THURSDAY SAW THE FIFTH AIRFORCE KEEP UP ITS POUNDING OF ENEMY POSITIONS ALONG THE BATTLE LINES WHILE THE BIG B29'S THUNDERED UP TO KONAN, WHERE 290-ONE-THOUSAND POUNDERS WERE UNLEASHED ON ISOLATED INSTALLATIONS OF ONE OF THE LARGEST CHEMICAL COMPLEXES OF EAST ASIA.

EXCELLENT RESULTS WERE ATTAINED IN THE STRIKE AGAINST TARGET AREAS NOT PREVIOUSLY ATTACKED BY THE SUPERFORTS.

THE B-29S ALSO ATTACKED MILITARY AND INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATIONS, SECONDARY MARSHALLING YARDS AND KEY RAILROAD BRIDGES NORTH OF THE THIRTY-EIGHTH PARALLEL.

THE KONAN SMASH WAS "MORE OR LESS A MOPUP OPERATION TO NEUTRALIZE EVERY VEISTIGE OF THIS IMPORTANT TARGET," A COMMAND SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE SUPERFORTS ENCOUNTERED NO ENEMY AIRCRAFT OR ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE.

JUST BACK FROM THE KOREAN BATTLE FRONT, WERE THE TWO TOP AMERICAN OFFICERS - GEN. J. LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, AND ADM. FORREST SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS.

THEY VISITED AN ADVANCED COMMAND POST ON THE TAEGU FRONT AND RETURNED ONLY A FEW MINUTES BEFORE REDS FIRED ON THE POSITION.

COLLINS PRAISED THE MORALE OF AMERICAN FORCES AND COMMENTED THAT RED KOREAN MORALE SEEMED TO BE SLIPPING.

A STEADY BOOST IN ALLIED MORALE AND CONVICTION THAT THE ENEMY HAD MISSED ITS GREATEST OPPORTUNITIES SEEMED TO BE GROWING IN VARIOUS QUARTERS.

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SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (ABOUT 1,000)
BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG.25-(AP)-A HEAVILY ARMED RED KOREAN DIVISION ROLLED EASTWARD THURSDAY NIGHT TOWARD AMERICAN POSITIONS ON THE KOREAN SOUTH COAST.

IN THREE COLUMNS OF MEN AND MACHINES THE DIVISION MOVED UP A NEW THREAT TO THE ALL-IMPORTANT ALLIED SOUTHEASTERN PORT OF PUSAN SOME 50 MILES AWAY.

THE THREAT APPEARED IN THE SOUTH AFTER PRESSURE HAD EASED ON THE CENTRAL FRONT ABOVE TAEGU WHERE PROBERS FOR FIVE RED DIVISIONS WERE THROWN BACK FOR FIVE CONSECUTIVE DAYS.

THE 50,000 RED SOLDIERS A DOZEN MILES NORTH OF TAEGU SLANTED AWAY FROM THEIR MOUNTAIN POSITIONS, APPARENTLY LOOKING FOR AN EASIER AVENUE FOR A SMASH ON TAEGU.

THE NORTH KOREANS TRIED FOUR TIMES LAST WEEK TO DRIVE FIVE DIVISIONS DOWN THE ROCKY, BLOODY "BOWLING ALLEY" CORRIDOR TO TAEGU.

AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON ON THE SOUTH REPORTED THE THREE EASTBOUND RED COLUMNS WERE MARCHING FROM THE CHINJU AREA, WHERE TWO RED DIVISIONS WERE REPORTED GETTING READY TO DRIVE ON ALLIED FORCES SPREAD BEFOREMASAN, 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

THE AMERICAN 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION 10 MILES WEST OF MASAN, WAS ALERTED FOR BATTLE.

U.S.PLANES BOMBED AND STRAFED THE APPROACHING SOUTHERN REDS. PILOTS SAID THERE WERE MANY VEHICLES IN THE THREE COLUMNS. BUT THE COMMUNISTS WERE MOVING IN SMALL GROUPS TO MINIMIZE THEIR CHANCES OF BEING HIT FROM THE AIR.

THE NEW FORCE WAS REPORTED A PART OF THE NORTH KOREAN SEVENTH DIVISION, A DIVISION ORIGINALLY TRAINED FOR POLICE PURPOSES.

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ON THE MASAN FRONT AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN RIFLEMEN FOUGHT SHOULDER TO SHOULDER IN A BITTER OLD BATTLE FOR COMMANDING HEIGHTS OF SOBUK RIDGE, 10 MILES FROM MASAN PORT.

THE SUDDEN, UNEXPLAINED SHIFT OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS NORTH OF TAEGU LEFT THEIR MOUNTAIN POSITIONS TO ALLIED TROOPS, 13 MILES NORTH OF THE FORTRESS CITY. BEFORE SETTLING IN THEM THURSDAY NIGHT U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN INFANTRYMEN BEAT OFF FLANKING ATTACKS.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD ON THE CENTRAL FRONT QUBTED KOL. JOHN (MIKE) MICHAELIS, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. 27TH "WOLFHOUND" REGCMENT BEFORE TAEGGCR AS SAYING:

"WE WILL STAY HERE BUT IT WILL BE ROUGH."

AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED THE CHANGING POSITION OF THE 50,000-MAN FORCE REMOVED THE IMMEDIATE THREAT TO TAEGU--LARGEST CITY LEFT IN THE ALLIED DEFENSE PERIMETER IN SOUTHEAST KOREA.

FRONTLINE OPINION WAS THAT THE REDS WERE LOOKING FOR A SOFTER SPOT TO TRY TO HAMMER THEIR FIVE DIVISIONS THROUGH.

THE COMMUNISTS WERE UNDER ORDERS FROM THEIR PREMIER, KIM IL SUNG, TO WIN THE KOREAN WAR BY AUG.31 -- JUST A WEEK AWAY. THEY ALREADY HAD FAILED TO MEET THE DEADLINE FOR CAPTURE OF TAEGU BY AUG. 15--ANNIVERSARY OF KOREAN INDEPENDENCE FROM JAPAN.

THE SHIFT TO THE EAST AROUND THE HEART OF THE KOREAN CENTRAL WAR-FRONT WAS MADE AFTER THE REDS HAD TRIED TO SMOVE FORWARD TROOPS OF FIVE DIVISIONS THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS TO TAEGU.

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IT HAD BEEN A COSTLY COMMUNIST EFFORT IN TIME AND MEN. THE REDS

SUFFERED 3,500 CASUALTIES IN ONE 72-HOUR PERIOD. AND MARINE PILOTS THURSDAY SAID THEY KILLED 300 MORE IN A ROCKET ATTACK ON TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.

THURSDAY NIGHT ABOUT 1,000 COMMUNIST INFILTRATORS WERE HOLED UP IN THE CRAGGY HEIGHTS OF A SAWTOOTH MOUNTAIN EIGHT MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, BUT WERE REPORTED NOT TO BE A SERIOUS THREAT.

CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT SAID SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS, ADVANCING EASTWARD UNDER ALLIED PLANE COVER, THURSDAY CAPTURED "THE CITADEL," A STEEP MOUNTAIN NORTH OF TAEGU FROM WHICH RED SPOTTERS HAD WATCHED ALLIED TROOP MOVEMENTS.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S FINAL THURSDAY WAS SUMMARY SAID ENEMY PRESSURE NORTH OF TAEGU WAS DECREASING.

GEN. J.LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, VISITED THE FRONT THURSDAY. HE RETURNED TO TOKYO OPTIMISTIC AFTER A CLOSE SHAVE WITH RED ROADBLOCK FIRE THAT HE LEARNED ABOUT LATER.

THE GENERAL, WHO WAS ACCOMPANIED BY ADM.FORREST P.SHERMAN, U.S. NAVAL CHIEF OF OPERATIONS, SAID HE FOUND ALLIED MORALE HIGH AND COMMENTED "THINGS ARE COMING ALONG VERY WELL."

THE ROADBLOCK FIRE, WHICH BROKE OUT 15 MINUTES AFTER COLLINS VISITED A FORWARD POSITION OF THE "WOLFHOUND" REGIMENT NORTH OF TAEGU, KILLED FOUR AMERICAN OFFICERS. SEVERAL MORE WERE WOUNDED.

COLONEL MICHAELIS REMARKED:

"THEY NEVER WILL BELIEVE IT BUT 15 MINUTES AFTER THE GENERAL LEFT THE FORWARD COMMAND POST ALL HELL BROKE LOOSE."

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ADMIRAL SHERMAN, WHOSE PLANE GOT BACK TO TOKYO AFTER GENERAL COLLINS RETURNED, SAID THE NAVY IS SENDING MORE MARINES AND AIRMEN TO THE KOREAN WAR. HE SAID THERE WERE 150 SHIPS OF ALL TYPES THERE NOW AND 90,000 MEN.

THE ADMIRAL SAID HE ALSO UNDERSTOOD AMERICAN OFFICERS HAD EVIDENCE RUSSIA HAD BEEN SUPPLYING MATERIAL TO THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF HOSTILITIES ON JUNE 25.

RUSSIA IS CONTENDING IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL THAT SHE HAS NOT SUPPLIED NORTH KOREA SINCE 1948.

THE SHIFTING OF RED TROOPS NORTH OF TAEGU WAS PRECEDED BY THE PULLBACK OF COMMUNISTS AROUND WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THEY WERE QUIET AT THE NAKTONG RIVER BRIDGEHEAD NEAR HYONPUNG, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

PATROLS FROM THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AND THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION CROSSED THE NAKTONG RIVER AT BOTH POINTS. ONE PATROL MOVED TWO MILES BEHIND THE RIVER.

BUT ANOTHER, IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, WAS AMBUSHED BY RED MORTAR MEN AND TWO CORRESPONDENTS AND A SOLDIER WERE WOUNDED.

THE CORRESPONDENTS ARE RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, SON OF WARTIME BRITISH PRIME MINISTER WINSTON CHURCHILL, AND FRANK EMERY, AN AMERICAN REPORTING FOR THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE. NEITHER WAS HURT SERIOUSLY. BUT THE WOUNDED SOLDIER HAD TO BE LEFT ON THE REDS' WEST BANK OF THE RIVER AND EFFORTS TO RESCUE HIM FAILED.

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AROUND KOSONG ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN COAST SOUTH KOREAN MARINES TRIED TO LINK THEIR NEWLY WON COASTAL POSITIONS WITH THE U.S.25TH DIVISION NEAR MASAN.

OTHER SOUTH KOREAN MARINES LANDED ON UIDO ISLAND ON THE EXTREME SOUTHWESTERN KOREA COAST.

ON THE UPPER EAST COAST, ABOUT 70 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN, TWO SOUTH KOREAN UNITS -- THE THIRD AND THE CAPITOL DIVISIONS -- PLODDED NORTHWARD FROM THE POHANG-KIGYE AREA AGAINST STIFFENING RESISTANCE. ABOUT 15,000 POHANG RESIDENTS RETURNED TO THE CITY.

B-29S BEAT UP ONE OF EAST ASIA'S LARGEST CHEMICAL COMPLEXES AT KONAN WITH 1,000 POUND BOMBS IN AN EFFORT TO ELIMINATE IT.

AP CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED MAJ.GEN. EARLE E.PARTRIDGE, FIFTH AIR FORCE COMMANDER, ORDERED HIS FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS TO CARRY OUT AN INTENSIVE CAMPAIGN AGAINST "EVERYTHING THAT MOVES IN THE REAR OF THE FRONT LINES."

MAJOR EMPHASIS WAS PLACED ON THE RED AREA NORTH OF TAEGU. PILOTS DROPPED NAPALM (JELLIED FIRE) BOMBS AT BOTH ENDS OF A TUNNEL NEAR WAEGWAN AND REPORTED A"TREMENDOUS EXPLOSION" WHICH APPARENTLY CAME FROM AMMUNITION STORES.

ONE F-51 MUSTANG PILOT WAS REPORTED LOST DUE TO ENEMY ACTION.

ON THE NORTHERN EAST COAST AN AMERICAN DESTROYER CREPT NEAR CHONGJI AND STARTED A HUGE FIRE WITH A SHORE BOMBARDMENT.

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FIRST LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (250)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, AUG. 24-(AP)-ALLIED FORCES BEAT BACK FRALNK ATTACKS ON THE TAEGU FRONT TODAY AND EDGED AHEAD INTO POSITIONS GIVEN UP BY A SUDDEN AND UNEXPLAINED SHIFTING OF RED KOREAN TROOPS TO THE EAST.

AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENT AWAY FROM ALLIED FRONT LINES, NOW 13 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, REDUCED THE IMMEDIATE THREAT TO THE RAILHEADCITY.

ABOUT 1,000 REDS WERE DUG INTO POSITIONS BEHIND ROCK BARRICADES ON THE SHOULDERS OF A 3,000-FOOT SAWTOOTH MOUNTAIN NEAR NAMWON, ABOUT EIGHT MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. BUT THEY WERE REPORTED NOT SERIOUSLY THREATENING ALLIED FORCES.

THE REDS APPEARED TO BE PROBING FOR A SOFTER SPOT TO HIT WITH THEIR FIVE DIVISIONS ON THE CENTRAL FRONT.

PRESSURE BY THESE 50,000 REDS DIMINISHED ON THE FIFTH DAY OF BITTER BATTLING ALONG THE ROCKY CORRIDOR TO TAEGU.

U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS SMASHED FOUR RED LUNGES IN THE FIVE-DAY PERIOD.

THE REDS ORIGINALLY WERE SCHEDULED TO CAPTURE TAEGU ON AUG. 15--THE ANNIVERSARY OF KOREAN LIBERATION FROM JAPAN.

UNDER THE SAME TIMETABLE THE REDS WERE SCHEDULED TO END THE WAR IN VICTORY BY AUG. 31 ON ORDERS FROM NORTH KOREAN PREMIER KIM IL SUNG.

CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT SAID SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS, ADVANCING EASTWARD UNDER ALLIED PLANE ATTACKS, CAPTURED "THE CITADEL," A CRAGGY, HIGH RIDGE NORTH OF TAEGU FROM WHICH RED OBSERVERS HAD LOOKED DOWN ON UNITED NATIONS POSITIONS.

OTHER LOCALIZED FLANK ATTACKS, INCLUDING TWO OF COMPANY STRENGTH--ABOUT 200 MEN EACH--WERE REPULSED.

BY THURSDAY AFTERNOON GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY REPORTED "DECREASING ENEMY PRESSURE" IN THE BLOODY MOUNTAIN BATTLEFIELD WHERE IN ONE 72-HOUR PERIOD 3,500 CASUALTIES WERE INFLICTED ON THE REDS.

MARINE AIRMEN SAID THEY KILLED 300 NORTH KOREANS THURSDAY IN A ROCKET AND STRAFING ATTACK ON HEAVY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.

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KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (ABOUT 1,000)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE 50,000-MAN RED FORCE NORTH OF TAEGU HUNTED TODAY FOR A SOFTER SPOT AFTER THEIR PROBERS TOOK FOUR BEATINGS FROM ALLIED DEFENDERS IN THE HEART OF THE KOREAN CENTRAL WARFRONT.

AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED UNITS OF THE MAIN NORTH KOREAN FORCE DRIFTED EASTWARD ALONG THE AMERICAN-SOUTH KOREAN FRONTLINE

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DEFENSE POSITIONS 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S LATE THURSDAY WAR SUMMARY TOLD OF "DECREASING ENEMY PRESSURE" ON THIS MOUNTAIN BATTLEFRONT WHERE THE COMMUNISTS HAVE MASSED THEIR GREATEST WEIGHT OF ARMS FOR A CLIMACTIC DRIVE ON THE FORTRESS RAILHEAD CITY.
THE U.S. ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, GEN. J. LAWTON COLLINS, VISITED THE KOREAN WARFRONT THURSDAY. HE RETURNED TO TOKYO OPTIMISTIC AFTER A CLOSE SHAVE WITH RED ROADBLOCK FIRE THAT HE LEARNED ABOUT AFTERWARD.
HE SAID "THINGS ARE COMING ALONG VERY WELL OVER THERE" AND THAT HE WAS WELL PLEASED WITH THE MORALE OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.
GENERAL COLLINS AND ADM. FORREST P. SHERMAN, U.S. NAVY CHIEF OF OPERATIONS, SLIPPED THROUGH THE BATTLEZONE WITHOUT INJURY.
THE FIRING BROKE OUT JUST AFTER COLLINS WAS AT A FORWARD POSITION OF THE 27TH INFANTRY "WOLFHOUND" REGIMENT NORTH OF TAEGU.
COL. JOHN (MIKE) MICHAELIS, REGIMENTAL COMMANDER SAID:
"THEY NEVER WILL BELIEVE IT BUT 15 MINUTES AFTER THE GENERAL LEFT THE FORWARD COMMAND POST ALL HELL BROKE LOOSE."
THE HEAVY FIRING KILLED FOUR AMERICAN OFFICERS AND WOUNDED SEVERAL.
U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS BEAT OFF LOCALIZED ENEMY INFILTRATING ATTACKS ON THEIR FLANKS AND CONTINUED THEIR FRONTAL THRUST THURSDAY IN THE FACE OF REDUCED RED ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE. THIS WAS THE FIFTH DAY OF CONTINUOUS BATTLE FOR THE BLOODY "BOWLING ALLEY" CORRIDOR OF THE MOUNTAIN PASSES.
AN AMERICAN ATTACK WEDNESDAY DROVE COMMUNIST INFILTRATORS INTO THE HILLS EAST OF THE MAIN KUMHWA-TAEGU ROAD. THE U.S. TROOPS OPENED THE HIGHWAY AFTER SNIPERS HAD INTERRUPTED SUPPLY TRAFFIC FOR TWO DAYS.

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THE REDS ALSO APPEARED TO BE PULLING BACK FROM THE WAEGWAN AREA, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU. THEY WERE QUIET AT A BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR HYONPUNG, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE RAIL HUB.
THE AMERICAN FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION FACING THE WAEGWAN AREA SENT PATROLS ACROSS THE RIVER THURSDAY WITHOUT MEETING ANY OPPOSITION. THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION GUARDS THE NAKTONG FRONT SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.
U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION TROOPS RENEWED AN ATTACK THURSDAY TO WIN POSITIONS IN THE DOMINATING SOBUK RIDGE ON THE EOATTWESTERN FRONT AT THE OUTER APPROACHES TO PUSAN, MAIN U.S. HARBOR ON THE SOUTHEASTERN COAST.
THE 25TH INFANTRYMEN WERE HELD UP BY HEAVY MORTAR AND SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM DEEPLY ENTRENCHED REDS, WHO WERE THE ADVANCE UNITS OF TWO COMMUNIST DIVISIONS BELIEVED PREPARING A FRESH ASSAULT IN THE DEEP SOUTH TOWARD PUSAN.
SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS, MOVING NORTHWARD FROM THE POHANG-KIGYE AREA ON THE EAST COAST, RAN INTO STIFF BUT LOCALIZED RED RESISTANCE.
THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL DIVISION CAPTURED COMMANDING HEIGHTS IN THE LOFTY MOUNTAINS NEAR ODOK, ABOUT EIGHT MILES NORTH OF KIGYE.
THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION CONTINUED TO ADVANCE NORTH OF HUNGHAE ON THE EAST COAST.
IN GENERAL, THURSDAY WAS A DAY OF TESTING AND SEARCHING FOR INFORMATION BY AMERICAN PATROLS THRUST AHEAD OF THEIR LINES.
A PATROL PROBING ACROSS THE NAKTONG RAN INTO A MORTAR ATTACK AND TWO WAR CORRESPONDENTS WERE WOUNDED, NEITHER SERIOUSLY. THEY ARE RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, SON OF BRITAIN'S WAR TIME PRIME MINISTER WINSTON CHURCHILL, AND FRANK EMERY OF INTERNATIONAL SERVICE, AN AMERICAN.
A MORTAR FRAGMENT TORE A HALF-DOLLAR-SIZE HOLE IN CHURCHILL'S LEG AND EMERY WAS HIT IN THREE PLACES. A U.S. SOLDIER OF THE PATROL WAS WOUNDED SO BADLY HE HAD TO BE LEFT ON THE COMMUNIST WEST BANK OF THE RIVER AND EFFORTS TO RESCUE HIM WERE BEATEN OFF.
CHURCHILL WORKED FOUR HOURS ON HIS STORY FOR A LONDON NEWSPAPER AND THEN WAS FLOWN TO JAPAN.

A50FX
SOUTH KOREAN MARINES, A TOUGH, RAG-TAG OUTFIT EQUIPPED WITH U.S., JAPANESE AND SOUTH KOREAN CASTOFF ARMS, LANDED ON THE ISLAND OF UIDO, OFF THE EXTREME SOUTHWEST TIP OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA.
ADMIRAL SHERMAN SAID ON HIS RETURN FROM KOREA THAT MOREIMARINE RIFLEMEN AND MARINE AIR UNITS WOULD COME ALONG IN A STEADY, BALANCED BUILDUP OF AMERICAN NAVAL FORCES. HE SAID THESE FORCES NOW IN THE KOREA AREA TOTAL 150 SHIPS OF ALL TYPES AND 90,000 MEN.
THE ADMIRAL SAID HE ALSO UNDERSTOOD AMERICAN OFFICERS HAD EVIDENCE RUSSIA HAS BEEN SUPPLYING MATERIAL TO THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF HOSTILITIES.
RUSSIA IS CONTENDING IN THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL THAT SHE HAS NOT SUPPLIED NORTH KOREA SINCE 1948.
CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT ON THE MAIN FIGHTING FRONT REPORTED SOME U.S. OFFICERS BELIEVED THE RED FORCES DRIFTING EASTWARD ABOVE TAEGU WERE SEEKING A FLANKING ROUTE TO RENEW THEIR DRIVE TOWARD TAEGU. OTHERS SAID THEY MIGHT BE PULLING BACK TO REGROUP.
U.S. FIRST CAVALRY OFFICERS TOLD ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH THE ENEMY SEEMED TO BE WITHDRAWING AROUND WAEGWAN. THIS LED TO BELIEF THAT UNITS ASSEMBLED THERE IN A MAJOR BUILDUP, MIGHT BE GOING NORTHWARD TO REPLACE LOSSES SUFFERED BY THE MAIN RED FORCE BEFORE TAEGU.
THE RED PROBING DOWN THE MAIN MOUNTAIN-HEDGED HIGHWAY TO TAEGU BEGAN SUNDAY. THREE TANK-LED ATTACKS WERE BEATEN BACK BY ALLIED FRONTLINE TROOPS, ARTILLERY AND PERSHING TANKS.
ELEVEN RED TANKS OUT A KNOWN TOTAL OF 14 WERE DESTROYED.
THEN THE REDS SIFTED DOWN A VALLEY BACK OF THE AMERICAN LINES AND MOVED TO DOMINATING RIDGE POSITIONS EAST OF THE MAIN ROAD. FROM THERE MORTAR AND ARTILLERY FIRE HELD UP ROAD TRAFFIC AND KNOTS OF RED ATTACKERS FLAILED AT AMERICAN POSITIONS, ESPECIALLY THE U.S. LONG GUNS.
WEDNESDAY'S COUNTER-ATTACK DROVE THE REDS INTO THE EASTERN HILLS OUT OF RANGE OF THE ROAD.
A SPOKESMAN FOR GENERAL MACART

A SPOKESMAN FOR GENERAL MACARTHUR SAID THAT THE FORCE WAS CONTAINED--NOT ELIMINATED.
CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT SAID FRONTLINE OFFICERS BELIEVED A REGIMENT --ABOUT 3,000 MEN--HAD INFILTRATED BEHIND THE LINES.
TWO RED COMPANY-STRENGTH ATTACKS WERE REPULSED THURSDAY. U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS HELD FIRM IN THEIR POSITIONS.
THE FRONTAL ATTACK AND THE INFILTRATION EFFORT, BOTH BEATEN BACK, MARKED THE FOURTH MAJOR RED FAILURE TO CUT A HOLE IN THE ALLIED DEFENSE LINE FOR FIVE RED DIVISIONS TO POUR THROUGH.
THE FRONTLINE THURSDAY NIGHT WAS ABOUT HALF A MILE NORTH OF KUMWHA, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

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A51FX
AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD QUOTED THE WOLFHOUNDS' COLONEL MICHAELIS AS SAYING:
"WE WILL STAY HERE BUT IT WILL BE A ROUGH SHOW."
AIR POWER AGAIN POUNDED THE COMMUNIST WEDGE ON THIS FRONT AND HAMMERED POSITIONS ELSEWHERE ALONG THE 120-MILE LONG BATTLELINE.
B-29S, LEAVING MANGLED RAIL LINES ALONG THE EAST COAST, STRUCK AT THE MAIN WESTERN RAILROAD RUNNING ACROSS SOUTH KOREA TOWARD THE FRONT

THURSDAY.
AN AMERICAN DESTROYER IN A SECOND BOMBARDMENT OF CHONGJI ON THE NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST STARTED FIRES THAT COULD BE SEEN 10 MILES AT SEA.
CY/CC239APD

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A90FX
CHURCHILL (330)
BY JACK MCBETH
U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG. 24-(AP)-WAR CORRESPONDENT RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, SON OF BRITISH WARTIME PRIME MINISTER WINSTON CHURCHILL WAS WOUNDED TODAY BY A MORTAR BURST ON A NAKTONG RIVER-CROSSING FORAY INTO ENEMY TERRITORY WITH A U.S. PATROL.
AN AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT, FRANK EMERY OF INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE, WAS HIT IN THE SAME ACTION.
NEITHER WAS HURT SERIOUSLY THE ARMY SAID.
AN AMERICAN SOLDIER WAS SO BADLY WOUNDED BY THE MORTAR BURST THAT HE COULD NOT BE MOVED AND WAS LEFT IN ENEMY TERRITORY ON THE REDS' WEST BANK. LATER ATTEMPTS TO RESCUE HIM WERE REPULSED.
THE SHELL FRAGMENT TORE A HOLE ABOUT THE SIZE OF A U.S. HALF DOLLAR (OR A HALF-CROWN PIECE) IN CHURCHILL'S LEG, ARMY MEDICS SAID.
EMERY WAS HIT THREE TIMES.
THE CORRESPONDENTS WENT OUT WITH A SIX-MAN PATROL AFTER WEDNESDAY MIDNIGHT, THE PATROL, HUNTING LOCATIONS OF COMMUNIST INFANTRY, WAS LED BY M/SGT ROY PRUITT OF EL PASO, TEX., AND SGT. EARL JOHNSON OF SAN RAFAEL, CALIF.
AFTER PROWLING ENEMY TERRITORY FOR FOUR HOURS THE PATROL STARTED BACK. THEN THE SHELL HIT.
AT A FIRST AID STATION CHURCHILL SAID IT WAS THE NARROWEST ESCAPE OF HIS LIFE.
AN AMERICAN MEDICAL CORPSMAN WORKING ON OTHER WOUNDED ASKED IF THIS WAS THE SON OF WINSTON CHURCHILL. THE CORRESPONDENT SNAPPED:
"I DAMN WELL AM NOT CLEMENT ATTLEE'S SON." WINSTON CHURCHILL IS LEADER OF THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY OPPOSITION TO PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE'S GOVERNMENT IN PARLIAMENT.

A91FX
AFTER RECEIVING FIRST AID, CHURCHILL WAS CARRIED TO A PRESS CAMP WHERE HE SPENT FOUR HOURS WRITING HIS STORY OF THE INCIDENT FOR THE LONDON DAILY TELEGRAPH.
HE THEN WAS EVACUATED BY PLANE TO JAPAN.
THE YOUNGER CHURCHILL HAS DABBLED IN POLITICS, ARMY SERVICE AND WAR CORRESPONDING.
HIS FATHER, WHO WAS DEFEATED BY THE CURRENT LABOR GOVERNMENT AFTER V-E DAY IN 1945, WON FAME IN ALL THREE PROFESSIONS.
AS A YOUNG MAN, WINSTON CHURCHILL COVERED THE BOER WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA AND MADE A SENSATIONAL ESCAPE FROM CONFINEMENT AS A WAR PRISONER AT LADYSMITH.
CY510APD

A15KX (250)
PRECEDE EIGHTH ARMY DAY
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG.25-(AP)-WAR CORRESPONDENT RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, SON OF BRITAIN'S WARTIME PRIME MINISTER WINSTON CHURCHILL, RETURNED TO TOKYO TODAY AFTER BEING WOUNDED SLIGHTLY IN KOREA.
FRANK EMERY, AN AMERICAN NEWSMAN WITH INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE, ALSO WAS HIT BY THE SAME MORTAR BURST THAT GAVE CHURCHILL A LEG INJURY THE ARMY SAID NEITHER WAS HURT SERIOUSLY.
EMERY REMAINED AT U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, HIS OFFICE SAID. CHURCHILL FLEW BACK TO TOKYO TO WRITE HIS STORY OF THE ACTION IN WHICH THE TWO CORRESPONDENTS WERE HIT.
AN AMERICAN SOLDIER WAS SO BADLY WOUNDED IN THE SAME ACTION--A PATROL INTO ENEMY TERRITORY ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT--THAT HE COULD NOT BE MOVED. LATER ATTEMPTS TO RESCUE THE UNIDENTIFIED GI WERE REPULSED.
CHURCHILL WAS UNSHAVEN AND SHORT-TEMPERED WHEN HE ARRIVED AT HANEDA AIRPORT. HE REFUSED ASSISTANCE DOWN THE PLANE RAMP AND LEFT FOR THE CITY IN A PRIVATE CAR AFTER TURNING DOWN AN ARMY OFFER OF AN AMBULANCE.
THE BRITISH REPORTER RECEIVED AN INJURY ABOUT THE SIZE OF A HALF DOLLAR. EMERY WAS HIT THREE TIMES.
THE CORRESPONDENTS WERE WITH A SIX-MAN PATROL PROBING BEHIND ENEMY LINES WEDNESDAY NIGHT.
WHEN ASKED BY AN ARMY MEDIC AT AN AID STATION IF HE WAS THE SON OF WINSTON CHURCHILL, THE CORRESPONDENT SNAPPED:
"I DAMN WELL AM NOT CLEMENT ATTLEE'S SON."
ATTLEE IS BRITAIN'S LABOR PRIME MINISTER AND THE ELDER CHURCHILL IS LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION CONSERVATIVE PARTY.
AS A YOUNG MAN, WINSTON CHURCHILL ALSO WAS A WAR CORRESPONDENT AND COVERED CAMPAIGNS IN SOUTH AFRICA, CUBA AND ELSEWHERE.
PR305PCS

52KX (140)
EIGHTH U. S. ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG. 24-(AP)-ONE AMERICAN SOLDIER WAS SLIIGHTLY WOUNDED AND FIVE SOUTH KOREAN CIVILIANS WERE KILLED AND 11 WOUNDED BY NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST ARTILLERY SHELLING OF TAEGU ON AUG. 17, 19 AND 20.
RESULTS OF THE SHELLING WERE DISCLOSED TODAY BY CAPT. EMMETT COX, DEPUTY PROVOST MARSHAL OF EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS. THE SHELLS STRUCK HOUSES WITHIN THE CITY ON THE NORTH SIDE OF TOWN NEAR THE RAILWAY STATION.
COX SAID FRAGMENTS INDICATED THE MISSILES CAME FROM A RUSSIAN-MADE 120-MILIMETER GUN. ABOUT A HALF DOZEN ROUNDS WERE FIRED ON EACH OCCASION. THE FIRING STARTED USUALLY AFTER MIDNIGHT.
COX ALSO DISCLOSED THAT ONE CIVILIAN WAS KILLED AND SEVEN WERE WOUNDED WHEN AN AMERICAN PLANE FIRED A SHORT BURST FROM ITS GUNS OVER TAEGU EARLY LAST MONDAY MORNING. THE CASUALTIES WERE ACCIDENTAL. THE PILOT APPARENTLY WAS CLEARING HIS GUNS.
FJ520PCS

A62KX
BULLETIN DON HUTH
U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG.25-(AP)-RED FORCES HIT THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION NORTH OF TAEGU THURSDAY NIGHT WITH A HEAVY ATTACK.
CO546PCS AUG 25 1950

A63KX
BULLETIN MATTER
U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA--FIRST ADD RED ATTACK X X X HEAVY ATTACK.
THE COMMUNIST ATTACK WAS MOUNTED BY ONE AND A HALF REGIMENTS, POSSIBLY 4,000 MEN.
EARLY REPORTS TO HEADQUARTERS INDICATED THE NORTH KOREAN DRIVE WAS LED BY TANKS, A SOUTH KOREAN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID.
LATER INFORMATION FROM THE FIELD, HOWEVER, FAILED TO CONFIRM THE USE OF ENEMY ARMOR.
TO THE LEFT OF THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH, TWO COMPANIES OF RED INFANTRY OPENED AN ATTACK ON THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM.

A64KX
THE ATTACK WAS REPULSED WHEN THE ENEMY WAS BLANKETED WITH AMERICAN

ARTILLERY MORTAR AND SMALL ARMS FIRE.
ON THE 27TH'S RIGHT FLANK, THE REDS PUT UP A HEAVY MORTAR AND ARTILLERY BARRAGE. BUT THERE WAS LITTLE GROUND ACTIVITY.

ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY SECTOR, AN ENEMY PATROL WAS BEATEN OFF LAST NIGHT (THURSDAY NIGHT) WHEN IT RAN INTO A MINEFIELD ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

PATROLS FROM THE FIRST CAVALRY, MEANWHILE, CROSSED OVER TO THE WEST BANK AND MOVED AS FAR AS FOUR OR FIVE MILES INTO ENEMY TERRITORY.

THEY REPORTED THEY FOUND NO HEAVY COMMUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATIONS.

FARTHER SOUTH, THERE WAS LITTLE ACTION ALONG THE 24TH DIVISION FRONT BEYOND PATROL ACTIVITY.

CO604PCS

A94KX

BULLETIN

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, FRIDAY, AUG. 25-(AP)-AN AMERICAN MILITARY SPOKESMAN DISCLOSED TODAY THAT BRITISH NAVAL FORCES MADE A COMMANDO RAID LAST NIGHT ON AN ISLAND FORMING A PART OF THE PORT OF INCHON.

FJ722PCS

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A97KX

BULLETIN MATTER

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, BY DON HUTH, FIRST ADD COMMANDO RAID X X X OF INCHON.

THE COMMANDOS DESTROYED AN ENEMY SUPPLY DUMP AND A RADIO INSTALLATION.

THE ISLAND WAS NOT IDENTIFIED AND THERE WERE NO FURTHER DETAILS THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

INCHON IS THE WEST COAST PORT OF SEOUL, 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE FORMER REPUBLICAN KOREAN CAPITAL.

FJ724PCS

B50KX (Q)
(230)

U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS,KOREA,AUG.24-(AP)-THREE SILVER STAR MEDALS, FIVE BRONZE STARS AND ONE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER HAVE BEEN AWARDED TO THREE OFFICERS AND SIX MEN OF THE 24TH AND 25TH DIVISIONS, HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

PVT.ARTHUR M.MCANALLAN OF BUTLER, PA., EARNED A SILVER STAR FOR HIS ACTIONS AS ASSISTANT MACHINEGUNNER IN THE 24TH DIVISION. AFTER TRIPS FOR AMMUNITION HE KEPT HIS GUN FIRING WHILE AN EVACUATION WAS COMPLETED.

PFC WILLIAM M.PARKS OF GARY, IND., FORWARD OBSERVER WITH THE 24TH, KEPT RADIO CONTACT WITH THE FIRE DIRECTION CENTER CONDUCTING SEVERAL FIRE MISSIONS IN THE ABSENCE OF HIS SUPERIOR OFFICER. HE RECEIVED THE SILVER STAR.

PVT.CLINTON HASKINS OF CLEVELAND, O., ALSO OF THE 24TH DIVISION, WON THE THIRD SILVER STAR BY JUMPING INTO THE DRIVER'S SEAT OF A 3/4-TON VEHICLE BLOCKING THE ROAD AND OPERATING A MACHINEGUN AGAINST ENEMY TROOPS, THUS CLEARING AN EVACUATION ROUTE FROM TAEJON.

A BRONZE STAR WENT TO M/SGT. R.CATON OF MERIDIAN, TENN., POSTHUMOUSLY.

OTHERS OF THE 24TH DIVISION DECORATED INCLUDED MAJ.ARCHIE C.WATERS OF LOUISVILLE, KY.; CPL.ROBERT MCCRAY OF OHIO (HOMETOWN UNAVAILABLE); AND PFC WILLIAM E.STRICKLAND OF MARYLAND (HOMETOWN UNAVAILABLE).

LIEUT.LESLIE C.BOYD, OF TENNESSEE (HOMETOWN UNAVAILABLE) WON THE THIRD OAK LEAF CLUSTER TO THE AIR MEDAL FOR MAKING TEN COMBAT MISSIONS TO ADJUST U.S. ARTILLERY FIRE TO KNOCK OUT RED GUNS, THUS HELPING BREAK UP ENEMY COUNTERATTACKS.

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B79KX (Q)
(450)
BY DON HUTH

U. S. EIGITH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG. 24-(AP)-AMERICAN MILITARY POLICE ARE FIGHTING IN KOREA. THEY USUALLY ARE STRICTLY GI POLICE.

LIMITED MANPOWER IN THIS UNITED NATIONS BATTLE AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS HAS HAD THE MP'S DOING MANY OF THE TASKS USUALLY ASSIGNED TO THE INFANTRYMEN.

THEY HAVE GONE ON RECONNAISSANCE PATROLS, ESTABLISHED DEFENSIVE POSITIONS AROUND VITAL INSTALLATIONS, FOUGHT TO WIPE OUT ENEMY ROAD BLOCKS AND PROTECTED IMPORTANT PERSONS ON THEIR VISITS TO FORWARD POSITIONS.

DURING A CRITICAL PHASE OF THE WAR THEY GUIDED THE ENTIRE 25TH DIVISION FROM ONE END OF THE BATTLEFRONT TO ANOTHER IN A MOVEMENT THAT WILL STAND AS ONE OF THE MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS OF THIS WAR.

COL. EDWARD I. SACHS, PROVOST MARSHAL OF THE U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS WHOSE MOTHER, MRS. JOHN M. VEY, LIVES AT MESA, ARIZ., AND CAPT. EMMETT COX, ASSISTANT PROVOST MARSHALL OF (10625 CALUMET AVEM) CHICAGO, SAY SOME OF THEIR MEN ARE SEEING AS MUCH ACTION AS MANY FRONTLINE INFANTRYMEN.

TAKE THE CASE OF SGT. JAMES A. CAWTHORNE OF (359 OSBURN ST.), BROOKLYN, TWO WEEKS AGO CAWTHORNE WAS ASSIGNED TO GUIDE AN AMERICAN TASK FORCE SENT TO POHANG ON THE EAST COAST NEAR WHERE THE REDS WERE DRIVING TOWARD AN AMERICAN AIRFIELD.

WHEN CAWTHORNE PILOTED THE CONVOY INTO POHANG, HE LEARNED THAT ONLY HALF OF THE CONVOY HAD REACHED THE CITY BECAUSE OF A RED ROADBLOCK.

CAWTHORNE TURNED HIS JEEP AROUND AND GUIDED AN INFANTRY COMPANY BACK TO CLEAR THE ROADBLOCK. WHEN THEY ARRIVED ON THE SCENE, CAWTHORNE'S VEHICLE WAS BROUGHT UNDER MACHINEGUN FIRE. HE LEAPED FROM THE CAR INTO A DITCH. ANOTHER MP IN THE JEEP WAS KILLED BY THE BURST.

CAWTHORNE SILENCED THE MACHINEGUN BEFORE THE INFANTRYMEN HAD MOVED IINTO POSITION, BUT WAS PINNED DOWN BY OTHER ENEMY FIRE UNTIL DAWN WHEN THE REDS WITHDREW.

B80KX (Q)

THE ROADBLOCK CLEARED AWAY, CAWTHORNE TURNED HIS JEEP AND GUIDED THE REMAINDER OF THE CONVOY BACK TO POHANG. BY THIS TIME THE REDS HAD INFILTRATED INTO THE COASTAL CITY AND CAWTHORNE'S JEEP, LOADED WITH WOUNDED, WAS AGAIN BROUGHT UNDER FIRE. BUT CAWTHORNE GOT THE ENTIRE CONVOY INTO ITS BIVOUAC AREA.

COX SAID CAWTHORNE HAD BEEN RECOMMENDED FOR A CITATION.

WHEN THE AMERICANS WITHDREW BEHIND THE NAKTONG RIVER DEFENSE LINE, IT TOOK ALL THE MANPOWER AVAILABLE TO STRENGTHEN THESE POSITIONS AGAINST A HARD DRIVING RED FORCE.

REPORTS REACHED HEADQUARTERS THAT THE ENEMY WAS MAKING A CROSSING SOUTHWEST TO TAEGU, STRATEGIC CITY WITHIN THE AMERICAN PERIMETER.

CAPT. HUSTON W. BLACKLEDGE, WHOSE MOTHER, MRS. S. A. BLACKLEDGE LIVES IN MEMPHIS, TENN., (NO STREET ADDRESS GIVEN) AND HIS DRIVER, PRIVATE JAMES O'LEARY OF (322 NATIONAL AVE.) DETROIT, MICH.. WERE SENT TO INVESTIGATE.

THEY FOUND THE CROSSING WAS BEING MADE BY REFUGEES STREAMING INTO THE SHRINKING UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE POSITIONS BEHIND THE AMERICAN TROOPS.

WHEN THE COMMUNISTS MADE THEIR MAJOR THRUST TOWARD THE MAIN U. S. SUPPLY BASE OF PUSAN, THE 25TH DIVISION NEAR WAEGWAN HAD TO BE MOVED QUICKLY FROM ITS POSITIONS IN THE NORTH TO STRENGTHEN THE MEAGRE AMERICAN FORCES ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

EIGHTY FIVE MP'S WERE SPREAD ALONG THE ROUTE TO KEEP THE CONVOY MOVING IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION. FOR 72 HOURS THEY WAVED TRUCKS ALONG.

NOT ONE TRUCK GOT OFF THE CONVOY ROUTE AND NOT A PIECE OF EQUIPMENT WAS LOST.

A PLATOON OF MP'S IS PRESENTLY DEFENDING TWO VITAL INSTALLATIONS ON AN IMPORTANT SUPPLY ROAD WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINES.

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A61FX

WITH COLLINS-SHERMAN (140)

ABOARD A U.S. 7TH FLEET AIRCRAFT CARRIER,AUG.24-(AP)-AMERICAN WARSHIPS HAMMERING THE KOREAN COAST ARE ONLY "THE ADVANCE GUARD UNTIL MORE HELP CAN COME," ADM.FORREST P.SHERMAN TOLD THIS SHIP'S COMPANY.

SPEAKING TO MORE THAN 2,000 MEN ON THE HANGAR DECK OF THIS 27,000-TON CARRIER YESTERDAY, THE U.S. CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS SAID:

"YOUR JOB IS APPRECIATED FROM THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF THE GOVERNMENT DOWN TO THE LOWEST. THE WHOLE COUNTRY KNOWS THE JOB THE NAVY HAS BEEN DOING AND HAS THE HIGHEST PRAISE FOR THE SUPERLATIVE WORK YOU HAVE DONE OUT HERE.

"I KNOW YOU HAVE CARRIED OUT AS MANY AS SEVEN STRIKE DAYS IN NINE SINCE YOUR ARRIVAL IN THIS AREA.

"THE SHIPS GATHERED HERE ARE ONLY PART OF THE ADVANCED GUARD UNTIL MORE HELP CAN COME. ON BEHALF OF THE ENTIRE NAVAL SERVICE LET ME GIVE YOU A VERY HEARTY, 'WELL DONE.'"

ADMIRAL SHERMAN HAS RETURNED TO TOKYO.

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CC327APD

A58FX

TAEGU (150)

BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH U.S.FORCES IN KOREA,AUG.24-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS TROOPS TIGHTENED THEIR LINES AND EDGED NORTH AND EAST TODAY ON THE TAEGU FRONT INTO TERRITORY THE REDS HELD EARLIER IN THE DAY.

SOUTH KOREANS, AIDED BY U.S. AIR FORCE FIGHTER-BOMBERS, CAPTURED "THE CITADEL," HIGHEST PEAK ON THE U.N. RIGHT FLANK. UNTIL TODAY THE CITADEL HAD BEEN A RED OBSERVATION POST.

FROM THERE THE NORTH KOREANS HAD OVERLOOKED MOST OF THE SOUTH KOREAN AND AMERICAN POSITIONS IN THIS SECTOR.

THE IMPROVED ALLIED POSITIONS GAVE RISE TO CAUTIOUS OPTIMISM TONIGHT.

THE NORTH KOREAN THREAT AGAINST TAEGU APPEARED ABATED, AT LEAST TEMPORARILY.

BUT THE REDS STILL HAVE STRONG FORCES IN THIS AREA. THERE WAS A POSSIBILITY THEY MAY MOVE FARTHER EAST AND ATTEMPT TO DRIVE SOUTH ALONG THE AMERICAN RIGHT FLANK.

THERE WAS LITTLE ACTIVITY IN THIS AMERICAN SECTOR TODAY. SOLDIERS WHO HAVE BEEN FIGHTING OR HAVE BEEN ON THE ALERT FOR DAYS RELAXED OVER MAIL FROM HOME, IMPROVED THEIR EMPLACEMENTS, OR CLEANED UP.

CC316APD

A80KX (LAMBERT)

BY TOM LAMBERT (600)

WITH U. S. FORCES IN KOREA, AUG. 24-(AP)-"LOUIS" AND "LITTLE LULU" RUMBLED THROATILY UP THE EMPTY ROAD, PAST THE BARBED WIRE BARRICADE, THE FRONT LINES AND PAST TWO SCORCHED AND SILENT RUSSIAN-MADE TANKS.

THEY HALTED BESIDE A THIRD, EQUALLY SILENT BUT BEARING FEW MARKS OF CONFLICT.

IN THE FRONTLINE FOXHOLE, THE GI'S GRINNED PLEASURABLY. THEY HAD KNOCKED OUT THE TANK WITH A BAZOOKA.

"LOUIS" AND "LITTLE LULU" TWO U. S. ARMY TANK RETRIEVERS, WERE WELCOME TO IT.

ONE OF "LITTLE LULU'S" SERGEANTS BELLOWED TO PFC. JACK DETWILER OF ROARING SPRING, PA., TO "GET A PANEL ON THERE" SO U. S. FIGHTERS WOULDN'T BLOW THIS PRIZE OUT OF THEIR HANDS.

IN PLAIN VIEW OF THE REDS OCCUPYING THE NEARBY HILLS, DETWILER CLIMBED NIMBLY UP ON THE ENEMY TANK AND LASHED ON AN OIL CLOTH PANEL WHICH WOULD IDENTIFY IT AS AMERICAN.

THEN THE SERGEANT HOISTED AN ACETYLENE TORCH OUT OF "LITTLE LULU'S" BAG OF TOOLS AND BEGAN CUTTING THE 12 SPOKES OF ONE BOGGY WHEEL ON THE ENEMY TANK WHICH HAD BEEN JAMMED BY A BAZOOKA ROCKET.

THE RETRIEVER'S CREWMEN PAID NO ATTENTION TO SEVERAL AMERICAN ANTI-TANK MINES LAID MENACINGLY ON THE SHOULDER OF THE ROAD. THEY HAD BEEN TOSSED THERE BY RED INFANTRYMEN WHO PRECEDED THEIR TANK UNTIL IT HAD BEEN KNOCKED OUT BY BAZOOKAS.

THE SERGEANT HACKED AWAY AT THE SPOKES WITH HIS TORCH. "LOOKS LIKE THIS IS OUR DAY....." HE GRINNED.

THEN TWO U. S. JETS SLID INTO VIEW. "...IF ONLY THOSE JETS LEAVE US ALONE," THE SERGEANT ADDED ANXIOUSLY. THEY DID.

THE CREWMEN HAD GRINNINGLY ASSURED HIM THE IDENTIFICATION PANEL WAS IN PLACE. WITHIN A FEW MINUTES HE HAD SHEARED THE SPOKES OFF THE WHEEL.

"LITTLE LULU" GRUMBLED A FEW YARDS CLOSER AND A CREWMAN BEGAN HITCHING UP A CABLE.

JOHN DAVIES OF THE NEWARK NEWS, JIM BELL OF TIME---LIFE INC., AND THIS CORRESPONDENT CLIMBED A SMALL RIDGE TO BE WITH THE GI'S AS THE TANK WAS YANKED OUT.

A81KX

THE HITCHING WAS COMPLETED NOW AND A RETRIEVER CREWMAN WAVED TO "LITTLE LULU'S" DRIVER TM GO AHEAD.

"LITTLE LULU'S" ENGINE ROARED HARSHLY. THE CLUTCH GRATED AND THE CABLE TIGHTENED.

THERE WAS A ROARING EXPLOSION.

A MUSHROOMING CLOUD OF SMOKE HID THE RETRIEVER AND THE ENEMY TANK. CHUNKS OF METAL OR STONES WHISTLED VICIOUSLY OUT OF SMOKE PAST OUR HILLSIDE POSITION.

OUT OF THE SMOKE AN UNSEEN VOICE CALLED FOR A "MEDIC."

IN A FOXHOLE, ARTILLERY OBSERVER MASTER SGT. CLARENCE JACOBSON OF PERLEY, MINN., TELEPHONED A COMMAND POST. QUIETLY BUT URGENTLY HE REQUESTED MEDICS AND AMBULANCES.

ABOVE HIM A GI STOOD STARING WOODENLY INTO THE SMOKE CLOUD, BLOOD RUNNING DOWN HIS FACE FROM A CUT OVER HIS EYES.

THE SMOKE CLEARED AND OUT OF ITS FINAL WISPS STUMBLED THE SERGEANT WHO A MOMENT AGO HAD BEEN ANXIOUS ABOUT THE U. S. AIRPLANES.

BLOOD OOZED FROM HIS EYES, HE SHOOK AS IF WITH PALSY. "GIVE ME A CIGARETTE," HE CROAKED. SOMEONE HANDED HIM ONE.

TWO MEN HEAVILY LABOURED DOWN THE ROAD, SUPPORTING AN OFFICER WHOSE FACE WORE THE STARING EXPRESSION OF GREAT SHOCK AND PAIN.

THE SMOKE HAD LIFTED NOW. "LITTLE LULU" STOOD UNHURT. THE RED TANK LEANED A LITTLE MORE HEAVILY TO ONE SIDE. A STREAM OF RICE BLED FROM A PUNCTURED STRAW SACK TIED TO THE TANK.

AS "LITTLE LULU" HAD JERKED THE RED TANK FORWARD A FEW MOMENTS BEFORE, IT HAD STRUCK ONE OF THE AMERICAN MINES THROWN TO THE ROADSIDE SEVERAL DAYS AGO BY RED SOLDIERS WHO HAD BEEN CLEARING THE WAY FOR THEIR TANK.

IN THE ROARING EXPLOSION---THREE OFFICERS AND FOUR MEN---NOT THOSE NAMED ANOVE---WERE WOUNDED. THE JEEP AMBULANCE HELPED THEM TO THE REAR. "LITTLE LULU" AND "LOUIS" RUMBLED SOUTH.

THE DAMAGED RED TANK STILL SQUATTED THERE.

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BY STAN SWINTON

MASAN FRONT, KOREA, AUG. 24-(AP)-A FULL RED KOREAN DIVISION WAS REPORTED MOVING UP THURSDAY NIGHT TOWARD U.S. 25TH DIVISION POSITIONS ON THE SOUTHERN KOREA COASTAL FRONT.

THEY WERE COMING UP IN THREE LONG COLUMNS.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS FIGURED A MAJOR COMMUNIST ATTACK MAY BE IMMINENT--AIMED AT MASAN, WESTERN BULWARK BEFORE THE MAIN AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.

AMERICAN FORCES WERE AT FULL ALERT.

AIR OBSERVERS REPORTED THEY SAW REDS MARCHING IN CLUSTERS OF EIGHT AND TEN VEN, SPACED AT 50-FOOT INTERVALS TO MINIMIZE THE DANGER FROM AMERICAN AIR ATTACK.

MANY VEHICLES WERE SEEN WITH THEM. MORE THAN 30 TRUCKS WERE IN ONE GROUP.

AMERICAN FIGHTERS, BOMBERS AND JET PLANES HAMMERED THE COLUMNS AT DUSK WHEN THE COMMUNIST MOVEMENTS WERE REPORTED.

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MAJ. DEAN HESS, THE "ONE MAN AIR FORCE" FROM MARIETTA, O., BLEW UP ONE ENEMY SUPPLY DUMP.

TWO B-26 BOMBERS HIT AGAIN AT ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS WHICH APPARENTLY HAD BEEN MARSHALLED AT CHINJU AND UIRYONG, ABOUT 15 MILES NORTHEAST OF CHINJU. CHINJU IS 55 AIRLINE MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

PRELIMINARY REPORTS INDICATED THE ENEMY UNITS WERE OF THE NORTH KOREAN SEVENTH DIVISION, A NEW DIVISION ORIGINALLY TRAINED FOR SECURITY POLICE PURPOSES.

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BY STAN SWINTON (440)

MASAN FRONT, KOREA, AUG.24-(AP)-A COMPOSITE UNIT OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN RIFLEMEN MOVED INTO THE LINE THURSDAY AS THE BITTER LITTLE BATTLE OF SOBUK MOUNTAIN WENT INTO ITS FOURTH DAY.

IT IS ONE OF THE FIRST TIMES ONE OF THE NEW COMPOSITE UNITS--THIS ONE COMPOSED OF THREE AMERICANS TO EACH SOUTH KOREAN--HAS BEEN IN BATTLE.

THE UNHERALDED FIGHT BEGAN IN WHAT THE AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION THOUGHT WOULD BE A ROUTINE OCCUPATION OF LIGHTLY-HELD ENEMY TERRITORY TO STRAIGHTEN AMERICAN LINES. IT WAS A PROTECTIVE ACTION WHERE THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS HAVE BUILT UP A MENACING CONCENTRATION AROUND THEIR SEVENTH DIVISION.

THE OBJECTIVE WAS SOBUK MOUNTAIN, 15 MILES WEST OF MASAN, THE CHIEF WESTERN BULWARK AGAINST AN ENEMY ATTACK ON THE MAIN AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.

HAWAII'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM UNDER LIEUT. COL. JOHN THROCKMORTON OF SCHOFFIELD BARRACKS, HAWAII, MOVED DOWN A LONG NARROW VALLEY.

WITHOUT OPPOSITION IT CAPTURED THE VILLAGE OF SOBUK, A LITTLE CLUSTER OF THATCHED HUTS ON THE FORWARD SLOPES OF THE JAGGED, TREE-DOTTED MOUNTAIN PEAK.

THE PEAK LOOPS DOWN TO A SMALLER NUB AND THEN RISES TO SECONDARY ELEVATION--"LITTLE SOBUK MOUNTAIN."

NOT UNTIL TOO LATE DID THE INFANTRYMEN DISCOVER THAT "LITTLE SOBUK MOUNTAIN"--NOT THE HIGHER PEAK--DOMINATED THE VALLEY TO THE WEST. THE VALLEY IS THE BIG NORTH KOREAN ASSEMBLY AREA FOR THE ENTIRE SOUTHWEST FRONT WITH UP TO 6,000 ENEMY TROOPS GROUPED THERE.

THE DISCOVERY CAME WHEN A COMBAT PATROL MOVED ONTO THE PEAK OF LITTLE SOBUK WITHOUT OPPOSITION AND WAVED THE REMAINDER OF AN INFANTRY COMPANY TO FOLLOW.

THE PEAK AND THE WHOLE VALLEY SEEMED SECURE BUT ONCE THE AMERICAN COMPANY WAS ON THE PEAK HUNDREDS OF NORTH KOREANS HIDING IN CAVES AND ROCK CREVICES BEGAN SMALL ARMS FIRE.

THE COMPANY COMMANDER WAS KILLED. LT. HEYRT EMERSON OF MILFORD, PA., A 1947 WEST POINT GRADUATE, TOOK OVER COMMAND AS THE AMERICANS HURLED GRENADES AND SHOT COMMUNISTS WITHIN 25 FEET OF THEIR POSITIONS.

EMERSON SAW AT LEAST 150 REDS ASSAULTING FROM THE EAST AND 100 FROM DIRECTLY BEHIND HIS POSITION. ENEMY BULLETS WERE COMING IN FROM THREE SIDES.

"THAT COMPANY STAYED UP THERE MAGNIFICENTLY" SAID LT.COL. THOMAS ROELOFS OF CORRY, PA., BATTALION COMMANDER.

"EMERSON AND SGT. LYONS (ROBERT L.LYONS OF CAMBRIDGE, MD.,) TO WHOM I'M GOING TO GIVE A COMBAT COMMISSION HELD THEM TOGETHER".

"THE ENEMY KEPT SENDING MEN IN. SMALL ARMS, ARTILLERY AND AIR KILLED 300 OR 400 NORTH KOREANS BUT THEY KEPT SENDING IN MEN," SAID LT. RICHARD T.MESKELL OF HARTFORD, CONN., 36TH DIVISION VETERAN.

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BY BILL SHINN

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SOMEWHERE IN KOREA, AUG. 23-(DELAYED)-(AP)-COMMUNIST PRISONERS OF WAR ARE MUCH BETTER OFF THAN CIVILIAN REFUGEES.

AFTER A TOUR AROUND THE PRISONER OF WAR STOCKADE AND REFUGEE CENTER, AN OBSERVER SAID "I WOULD RATHER BE IN A POW CAMP IN SOUTH KOREA THAN IN A REFUGEE CENTER."

COMMUNIST WAR PRISONERS WERE SLEEPING ON AMERICAN GI COTS WITH GI BLANKETS IN LARGE SQUAD TENTS. THEY WERE WELL FED AND WELL CLOTHED.

ON THE OTHER HAND, THE WAR-STRICKEN REFUGEES, INCLUDING A LARGE NUMBER OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN, HAD TO SLEEP ON STRAW MATS ON THE GROUND UNDER LEAKING ROOFS AND WITHOUT BLANKETS OR COVERING. THEY WERE SUFFERING FROM HUNGER, DISEASE AND EXPOSURE.

THE POW'S WERE GIVEN TOWELS, SOAP AND OTHER TOILET NEEDS AS WELL AS GOOD MEDICAL CARE. THE REFUGEES GET NO SUCH TREATMENT.

THE RPSIONERS WERE LEISURELY SMOKING POPULAR BRANDS OF AMERICAN CIGARETTES WHILE THE REFUGEES COULD BE SEEN SNATCHING BUTTS FROM THE STREET.

POW COMMANDER MAJ. JOHN B. HOAR, JR., SAID IN AN IN MEN." THE GRAY-H

POW COMMANDER MAJ. JOHN B. HOAR, JR., SAID IN AN INTERVIEW "PO'S HERE GET EVERYTING AMERICAN SOLDIERS GET. I TREAT THEM AS I WOULD MY KOWN MEN MY OWN MEN." THE GRAY-HAIRED VETERAN POW COMMANDER CONTINUED:

"OUT OF 1.043 PRISONERS. 39 ARE IN THE HOSPITAL FOR TREATMENT OF

BATTLE WOUNDS AND ARE NOW ON THE ROAD TO RECOVERY."
THE CAPTURED COMMUNISTS' DAILY RICE RATION IS FIVE HOP (BOWLS) PER MAN DAILY.
PYO MAN EEH, HEAD OF THE YONGDO REFUGEE CENTER, SAID TODAY THE 2,030 REFUGEES RECEIVED ONLY TWO BOWLS OF RICE DAILY
TO PROVIDE MEDICAL CARE FOR 2,000 REFUGEES THERE WERE ONLY THREE DOCTORS, TWO NURSES AND ONE NURSE AIDE. THE MEDICAL STATION WAS SHORT OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES.
DR. CHEUNG TU SAID HE AND HIS MEDICAL TEAM AT THE REFUGEE CENTER TREAT FROM 120 TO 130 PATIENTS DAILY.
THE ELDERLY DOCTOR SAID TWO BOWLS OF RICE ARE NOT ENOUGH FOOD. "HUNGER IS OUR GREATEST PROBLEM HERE," HE SAID.
THE HEARTBROKEN REFUGEES SEEMED TO BE HEADING FOR MORE MISERY AND SORROW AND THEIR FUTURE WAS NOT AS SECURE AS THE POW'S.
OUT OF 2,030 REFUGEES IN THE PARTICULAR CENTER, 1,841 WERE WOMEN AND CHILDREN.
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A94FX
(140)
BY WILLIAM SHINN
SOMEWHERE IN KOREA, AUG. 24-(AP)-PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA MADE IT CLEAR TODAY THAT COMPULSORY CONSCRIPTION WILL NOT BE PRACTICED AND NO SOUTH KOREAN WILL BE IMPRESSED INTO THE ARMY.
IN A STATEMENT, HE SAID HIS COUNTRY HAS ENOUGH MANPOWER TO FIGHT THE INVADING COMMUNISTS BUT LACKED SUFFICIENT ARMS. CORRESPONDENTS IN THE FIELD HAVE OBSERVED TRAINEES WITH WOODEN GUNS OR OLD DISMANTLED JAPANESE RIFLES. OTHERS ARE WITHOUT ANY ARMS.
THE WHITE-HAIRED PRESIDENT SAID IT WAS DISCOURAGING THAT HIS GOVERNMENT "SO FAR HAS BEEN UNABLE TO GIVE ARMS TO THOSE YOUNG PEOPLE FROM THE KOREAN YOUTH GROUP WHO ARE SO WILLING TO FIGHT."
RHEE SAID THAT SINCE ALL PATRIOTIC YOUNG PEOPLE WOULD BRAVELY FIGHT TO PROTECT THEIR HOMES AND COUNTRY FROM COMMUNISTS, THERE WAS NO NEED OF CONSCRIPTING THEM.
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ON THE SOUTHWEST KOREAN FRONT, FRIDAY, AUG. 25-(AP)-RED GUERRILLAS FIRED SIX SHOTS INTO A HOSPITAL TRAIN CARRYING AMERICAN WOUNDED BACK FROM THE SOUTHERN FRONT LATE THURSDAY NIGHT.
NO ONE WAS HIT.
THE ATTACK WAS REPORTED FRIDAY TO UNITED NATIONS OBSERVERS WHO ARE RECORDING VIOLATIONS OF THE RULES OF WAR.
IT OCCURRED AT SAMNANGJIN, 25 AIR MILES NORTHWEST OF PUSAN AND 22 MILES NORTHEAST OF MASAN IN DEEP SOUTH KOREA.
THERE ARE KNOWN TO BE MANY RED SYMPATHIZERS IN THAT VICINITY.
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APW (450)
BY WILLIAM JORDEN
AN AMERICAN AIRBASE, JAPAN, AUG. 24-(AP)-A BRITISH PILOT FROM NEW ZEALAND FLEW AN AMERICAN B-29 ON A COMBAT MISSION OVER KOREA FOR THE FIRST TIME TODAY.
WING COMMANDER ALAN H.C. BOXER, VETERAN OF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE BOMBER COMMAND IN EUROPE, PILOTED THE SUPERFORT ON A RAID ON THE KONAN AREA, HEART OF NORTH KOREA'S CHEMICAL INDUSTRY AND A FREQUENTLY HIT TARGET. HE WAS THE FIRST RAF PILOT TO SEE ACTION OVER KOREA AS A MEMBER OF AN AMERICAN PLANE CREW.
BOXER IS ONE OF ABOUT 100 BRITISH PILOTS ASSIGNED TO THE U.S. AIR FORCE IN THE POSTWAR EXCHANGE PROGRAM THAT ALSO SENT AMERICAN FLIERS TO UNITS OF THE RAF. HE WAS THE ONLY EXCHANGE PILOT WHOSE UNIT, THE 92ND BOMBER SQUADRON, WAS ASSIGNED TO JAPAN AFTER THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR.
BOXER, A WELL-BUILT, FRIENDLY MAN WITH A SQUARE JAW AND CLEAR BLUE EYES, HAS BECOME PART OF THE BOMBER GROUP HE JOINED 18 MONTHS AGO. HE STILL WEARS HIS RAF UNIFORM AND TALKS OF GOING BACK TO HIS OWN BOMBER COMMAND NEXT MARCH. BUT RIGHT NOW THE 92ND IS HIS OUTFIT.
HE DESCRIBES HIS EXPERIENCE WITH HIS AMERICAN FELLOW PILOTS AND CREWMEN WITH ENTHUSIASM.
"THEY HAVE BEEN WONDERFUL TO ME," HE SAID, "AND I CONSIDER MYSELF EXTREMELY FORTUNATE TO HAVE HAD THIS CHANCE."
BOXER SAYS THE BEST THING ABOUT HIS EXCHANGE STATUS HAS BEEN THAT IT GAVE HIM A CHANCE TO "MEET AND GET TO KNOW AMERICANS." HE SAID THAT FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HIS LIFE HE HAD BEGUN TO UNDERSTAND HOW AMERICANS THINK AND WHY THEY ACT AS THEY DO.
BOXER'S HOME IS IN NELSON, NEW ZEALAND, ALTHOUGH HE HAS BEEN AWAY IN THE RAF SINCE 1938. DURING THE WAR HE SERVED IN THE BOMBER COMMAND AND THEN JOINED THE AIR STAFF. HE SERVED AT THE BRITISH STAFF COLLEGE IN HAIFA, PALESTINE, IN 1945-46 AND THEN WAS ASSIGNED TO JOINT INTELLIGENCE.
BOXER WAS PICKED FOR THE EXCHANGE PROGRAM IN EARLY 1949 AND WAS ASSIGNED TO THE 92ND IN SPOKANE, WASH. HIS WIFE AND THREE CHILDREN LIVE NEAR THE BASE THERE.
THE BRITISH FLIER WAS IN IDAHO FISHING WHEN THE BOMBER SQUADRON WAS ALERTED TO COME TO JAPAN LAST MONTH. HE MISSED THE FLIGHT OVER BUT SOON REJOINED THE OUTFIT AT THIS BASE.
TODAY'S RAID WAS BOXER'S SECOND. HE DID NO FLYING THE FIRST TIME, A STRIKE AT THE OIL REFINERIES AT WONSAN.
TODAY, BOXER WAS AT THE CONTROLS MOST OF THE TIME, SWITCHING OFF WITH THE PLANE COMMANDER CAPT. JACK PACKWOOD OF CHEHALIS, WASH. AS THEY NEARED THEIR BASE IN JAPAN A HEAVY RAIN BEGAN TO FALL.
PACKWOOD TURNED TO BOXER AND SAID, "HERE YOU BETTER TAKE OVER. YOU'RE USED TO THIS KIND OF WEATHER BACK HOME."
"IT WAS A BIT STICKY UP THERE," BOXER SAID. "WE WERE JUST ABOUT TO GIVE UP TRYING TO FIND THE FIELD AND GO TO ANOTHER WHEN PACKWOOD SPOTTED IT. AND WE BROUGHT IT IN.
"I TOLD PACKWOOD I HADN'T FLOWN SINCE MARCH, BUT HE DIDN'T SEEM TO MIND. AND WHEN WE LANDED, THERE WAS SOME BUMP I DON'T MIND TELLING YOU. I LOST A CASE OF BEER ON THAT ONE."
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BY STANLEY SWINTON
WITH THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION ON THE SOUTHWEST KOREAN FRONT, FRIDAY, AUG. 25-(AP)-AMERICAN FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS BEGAN HITTING EARLY TODAY AT HEAVY ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS BUILT UP OPPOSITE THE 25TH DIVISION.
INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS ESTIMATE THE ENEMY STRENGTH THERE IS AT LEAST ONE FULL DIVISION (UPWARDS OF 10,000 MEN).
THEY ALSO BELIEVE A RED ATTACK AIMED AT MASAN, 27 AIR MILES WEST OF THE BIG U.S. SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN, IS IMMINENT.
EARLY TODAY THE COMMUNISTS THREW A SMALL SCALE ATTACK AT THE 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENT. THE ATTACK WAS REPULSED BY THESE VETERAN NEGRO INFANTRYMEN.
THE HEAVIEST CONCENTRATION OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS IS MASSED IN POSITIONS OPPOSITE THE 24TH.
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B140KX (Q)
BY STAN SWINTON (480)
U.S. 25TH DIVISION, KOREA, AUG.20-(DELAYED)-(AP)-THE BOOK SAYS AN INFANTRY COMPANY IS 205 MEN. IT ISN'T IN KOREA--NOT EVEN WITH THE KIDS WHO COME UP THE NIGHT BEFORE A BATTLE, SAY HELLO, AND DIE IN THE NIGHT.

AN INFANTRY COMPANY IS AN OBSCURE LITTLE UNIT DOWN AT THE BOTTOM OF THE MILITARY ECHELON WHICH DOES THE FIGHTING. THE MEN IN A RIFLE COMPANY LIVE IN HOLES. THEY FIGURE SOME PEOPLE ARE GOING TO SURVIVE. AND EACH FIGURES HE IS ONE WHO WILL LIVE.

THE NIGHTS ARE LONELY AND THE MEN UNSELFISH.

A RIFLE COMPANY IS MADE UP OF PEOPLE LIKE PFC HARRY HAYDEN OF BRISTOL, VA., WHO CAME TO "A" COMPANY OF THE 35TH REGIMENT AS A REPLACEMENT TWO DAYS AGO. HE HAS BEEN FIGHTING ALMOST EVERY HOUR SINCE. HAYDEN RECALLS THAT 12 DAYS AGO HE WAS HAVING A BEER AT FORT LEWIS, WASH., AND COMMENTS:

"IT DON'T SEEM RIGHT. IT SURE WAS BETTER IN THE STATES."

AN INFANTRY COMPANY HAS GUYS LIKE PLATOON LEADER RAY KINNEY, A TALL, BLONDE 23-YEAR-OLD WITH GLASSES FROM BOLIVAR, N.Y., WHO--HIS PALS SAY--"STOOD RIGHT UP IN THE FIRE TELLING US WHERE THERE WERE FOUR CASES OF BEER UP THAT HILL AND WE BETTER TAKE THE DAMN PLACE BACK. SURE A REAL MAN."

"A" COMPANY IS LED BY YOUNG LT. JOHN B.WOODALL OF CORAL, MICH., HE LED THE COMPANY THROUGH TWO BITTER DAYS ON THE HAMAN FRONT IN WHICH 50 OF HIS MEN WERE KILLED OR WOUNDED. WHAT USED TO BE A NORTH KOREAN REGIMENT TRIED TO KILL THEM ALL.

HUNDREDS OF THOSE NORTH KOREANS NOW ARE DEAD.

IT STARTED ON A THURSDAY NIGHT. "A" COMPANY WAS ON HIGH GROUND BEHIND BARBED WIRE. THE NORTH KOREANS CAME DOWN THE OLD ROAD BEHIND THREE TANKS IN A FRONTAL ATTACK. THEY CAME RIGHT UP TO THE BARBED WIRE.

"THEY CAME IN ONE OF THOSE BANZAI ATTACKS," WOODALL SAID, "AWHOOPING AND AHOLLERING.

"I GUESS WE KILLED FIVE OR SIX HUNDRED. THE TANKS OPENED UP AND THE MACHINE GUNS AND THE RIFLES."

PVT. NORMAN WALLACE OF (562 MERSIN ST). DETROIT AND PVT. DONALD OWITZ OF (1051 SHERMAN AVE., THE BRONX NEW YORK), WERE AT AN OUTPOST WITH EIGHT OTHER MEN. THEY HAD A BAZOOKA. THEY FIRED ALL THEIR AMMUNITION AND THEN WERE CAUGHT IN A CROSS FIRE. THEY FELL BACK, AS DID TWO PLATOONS.

THE NORTH KOREANS KEPT COMING ALL THE WAY TO THE COMPANY COMMAND POST. THAT'S A FANCY NAME FOR ANOTHER HOLE IN THE GROUND. BUT IT HAD A RADIO.

"THEY'RE FUNNY," WOODALL SAID. "THEY KEEP ON COMING."

PFC WILFRED VOUCHER OF (116 COBIN ST.) LOWELL, MASS., PUT IN: "THEY GOT NO SIGN OF FEAR, THOSE GOOKS."

"YOU GOTTA KILL THEM, THAT'S ALL," SAID CPL. ROVER BERTRAM OF (1805 H AVE.) NEWCASTLE, IND.

NIGHT CAME, AND ANOTHER DAY, AND MORE NORTH KOREANS.

A BUNCH OF THEM HAD A LITTLE MEETING. THEN SOMEBODY BLEW A WHISTLE THREE TIMES AND UP THEY CAME. THEY HAD A MACHINE GUN.

"I ACCOUNTED FOR THAT HEAVY MACHINE GUN," SAID PFC RICHARD AMRAL OF HILO, HAWAII. "THEN WE WENT BACK BECAUSE THAT OTHER HEAVY MACHINE GUN WAS ACCOUNTING FOR US."

IT WENT ON THAT WAY UNTIL AN ORDER CAME IN THE NIGHT TO MOVE DOWN TO A NEW POSITION. "A" COMPANY MOVED DOWN. SUNDAY THEY DUG IN AGAIN ON A RIDGE.

"YOU COULD WRITE SOMETHING ABOUT ALL OF THEM," SAID WOODALL, "EVERY SINGLE ONE. I FOUGHT THROUGH EUROPE BUT NOBODY WAS AS GOOD AS THESE GUYS."

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COLLINS-SHERMAN (430)

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TOKYO,AUG.24-(AP)-GEN.J.LAWTON COLLINS, U.S. ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, SCRAPED CLOSE WITH DEATH ON A FLYING VISIT TO KOREAN WARFRONTS WEDNESDAY, BUT CAME BACK OPTIMISTIC.

HE MISSED A RAKING OF RED KOREAN ROADBLOCK FIRE BY 15 MINUTES NEAR TAEGU.

ON HIS RETURN TO TOKYO COLLINS SAID: "THINGS ARE COMING ALONG VERY WELL OVER THERE."

HE SAID HE WAS WELL PLEASED WITH MORALE AMONG AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.

COLLINS AND ADM.FORREST P.SHERMAN, U.S. CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, FLEW TO KOREA IN SEPARATE PLANES. THEY WERE MET BY LT.GEN.WALTON H. WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY.

COLLINS VISITED THE NORTHERN FRONT ABOVE TAEGU AND THE 25TH DIVISION ON THE SOUTHWEST SECTOR. HE TOLD THE 25TH:

"I CAME TO SEE WHAT WE CAN SEND OVER HERE. THERE IS NO QUESTION ABOUT IT, OUR MEDIUMS (SHERMAN TANKS) ARE KNOCKING OVER THE ENEMY'S (RUSSIAN-MADE) T-34S. THE MEDIUMS HAVE DONE VERY, VERY WELL.

"THE EIGHTH ARMY IS DOING A GRAND JOB. I NEVER HAD ANY DOUBT THAT WE COULD HOLD A CONSIDERABLE BRIDGEHEAD."

HE ADDED "THERE IS NO WAY TO GET TOUGH TROOPS EXCEPT IN WAR."

WALKER AND COLLINS TOGETHER VISITED AN ADVANCED COMMAND POST OF THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT NORTH OF TAEGU. THEY WENT WITHIN A MILE OF AMERICA'S MOST FORWARD POSITIONS.

ABOUT 15 MINUTES AFTER THEY LEFT THE COMMAND POST, THE ROAD THEIR SIX-JEEP CONVOY TRAVELED CAME UNDER FIRE OF INFILTRATING REDS.

FOUR AMERICAN OFFICERS WERE KILLED AND SEVERAL WOUNDED.

COL.JOHN (MIKE) MICHAELIS, 27TH REGIMENT COMMANDER, COMMENTED:

"THEY NEVER WILL BELIEVE IT BUT 15 MINUTES AFTER THE GENERAL LEFT THE FORWARD COMMAND POST ALL HELL BROKE LOOSE."

COLLINS ALSO VISITED A SOUTH KOREAN FRONT LINE DIVISION.

BOTH SHERMAN AND COLLINS MET WITH CORRESPONDENTS AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA.

NEWS OF THEIR VISIT WAS WITHHELD UNTIL TODAY FOR SECURITY REASONS.

THE NAVAL CHIEF TOLD CORRESPONDENTS HE WAS IN KOREA TO "SOAK IN A LITTLE KNOWLEDGE SO WE CAN DO A BETTER JOB."

BACK IN TOKYO, SHERMAN EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT RUSSIANS HAD BEEN SUPPLYING THE KOREAN REDS SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF FIGHTING AND ADDED:

"NOBODY BELIEVES THE NORTH KOREANS ARE MANUFACTURING THEIR OWN WAR MATERIEL."

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THE RUSSIANS HAVE CONTENDED IN THE UNITED NATIONS THAT THEY HAVE NOT SUPPLIED THE RED KOREANS SINCE 1948.

SHERMAN SAID THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN HAD PROVED THAT ON SHORT NOTICE ALL THREE SERVICES CAN GET INTO ACTION.

HE SAID THE NAVY IS STEADILY INCREASING ITS KOREAN WAR FORCE AND HAS 150 SHIPS AND 90,000 MEN IN THE OPERATION.

HE SAID MORE MARINES AND MARINE AIR UNITS WILL BE INCLUDED IN A BALANCED BUILDUP OF U.S. NAVAL FORCES.

THE ADMIRAL PRAISED COOPERATION OF THE BRITISH, DUTCH, FRENCH, AUSTRALIAN AND SOUTH KOREANS AND SAID THE UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES ARE WORKING WELL TOGETHER.

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DEAN (290)
BY O.H.P.KING
TOKYO,AUG.24-(AP)-THERE IS A CONVICTION AMONG SOME SOUTH KOREANS THAT MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM F.DEAN, MISSING EX-COMMANDER OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION, DIED OF BATTLE WOUNDS AND WAS BURIED BY FRIENDLY SOUTH KOREANS.
THERE IS NO OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION THAT GENERAL DEAN IS DEAD. HE IS STILL LISTED BY HEADQUARTERS AS MISSING IN ACTION SINCE JULY 22 IN THE BATTLE OF TAEJON.
AN UNCONFIRMED STORY CIRCULATING AMONG SOUTH KOREANS, WHICH I HEARD REPEATEDLY BEFORE RETURNING RECENTLY FROM KOREA TO TOKYO, RAN LIKE THIS:
THE GENERAL WAS WOUNDED AFTER ESCAPING FROM FLAMING TAEJON. A SOUTH KOREAN FAMILY GAVE HIM SHELTER AND TRIED TO NURSE HIM BACK TO HEALTH. BUT HE DIED AND WAS BURIED BY HIS FRIENDS. THEY SAID NOTHING ABOUT IT FOR FEAR OF PUNISHMENT BY NORTH KOREAN REDS WHO OCCUPY THE AREA.
IT WAS FELT THAT IF THE NORTH KOREANS HAD CAPTURED THE GENERAL, THEY WOULD HAVE BOASTED ABOUT IT OVER THEIR PYONGYANG RADIO, AS THEY HAVE BOASTED OF THE CAPTURE OF MANY AMERICANS OF LESSER RANK.
STORIES PUBLISHED IN TOKYO SAID UNIDENTIFIED PRISONERS REPORTED NORTH KOREAN REDS SHOT DEAN AND THEN STABBED HIM TO DEATH. BUT OFFICIAL SOURCES AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS DISCLAIMED KNOWLEDGE OF SUCH REPORTS.
"WE KNOW NOTHING ABOUT IT," AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SAID. "I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHO THE PRISONERS WERE AND WHAT THEY SAID."
HE NORMALLY IS INFORMED PROMPTLY OF FIELD QUESTIONING OF CAPTIVES.
THE TOKYO STORIES THAT DEAN WAS STABBED DID NOT INDICATE HOW HE WAS IDENTIFIED OR WHETHER THOSE TELLING THE STORY WERE SUPPOSED TO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN THE REPORTED MURDER.
ALL THAT IS KNOWN AS REASONABLY CERTAIN IS THAT GENERAL DEAN ESCAPED FROM TAEJON UNWOUNDED. HE LEFT A PARTY OF HIS MEN ON THE HILL OUTSIDE TAEJON TO ROUND UP STRAGGLERS AND LEAD THEM BACK TO AMERICAN LINES. HE HAS NOT BEEN HEARD FROM SINCE.
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BULLETIN MORIN
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG.25-(AP)-EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS TODAY REPORTED 14 NORTH KOREAN TANKS AND AN ESTIMATED 2,000 TROOPS MADE A "SMALL PENETRATION IN AN AREA HELD BY THE 6TH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION.
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BULLETIN MATTER
TOKYO----FIRST ADD "SMALL PENETRATION" (BY RELMAN MORIN)
XXX SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION.
THE REDS ATTACKED AT 1:30 A.M.FRIDAY ON SOUTH KOREAN FORCES DEPLOYED EASTWARD OF THE TAEGU CORRIDOR.
THIS IS IN AN AREA SOME 15 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, KY U.S.ADVANCED BASE AND SUPPLY HUB.
THE ONLY OTHER RED ATTACK WAS REPORTED ON THE SOUTH KOREAN COAST AGAINST A COMPANY OF THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY REGIMENT. THE COMPANY MADE A "SLIGHT WITHDRAWAL."

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S MIDDAY COMMUNIQUE ISSUED SHORTLY AFTER THE 8TH ARMY WAR SUMMARY PARTIALLY CONFIRMED EARLIER REPORTS THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE SHIFTED THEIR MAIN ATTACK FROM THE TAEGU CORRIDOR EASTWARD TO AN ADJOINING SECTOR HELD BY THE SOUTH KOREAN 6TH DIVISION.
MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY SPOKE OF "DISENGAGEMENT" OF THE REDS FROM THE FRONT HELD BY THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION AND THE U. S. 27TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM.
MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE COMMUNISTS FAILED TO MAKE MATERIAL GAINS DESPITE "HEAVY PRESSURE" ON THE SOUTH KOREAN 6TH DIVISION.
FJ1011PCS NM

A7FX
BULLETIN
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 25-(AP)-AN ENEMY ATTACK LED BY TANKS WAS REPULSED BY AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN UNITS WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND NEAR THE MAIN ROAD JUNCTION OF KUMHWA, HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED AT 4:20 P.M. TODAY (1:20 A.M. FRIDAY EST)
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BULLETIN MATTER
TOKYO--FIRST ADD ATTACK X X X FRIDAY EST) AUG 25 50
THE NORTH KOREAN FORCE HAD INFILTRATED BEHIND THE LINES OF SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION.

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THE ORIGINAL STRENGTH OF THE INFILTRATING FORCE, ESTIMATED AT 1,000, WAS REDUCED TO LESS THAN 200 IN LATER APPRAISALS.
RED ATTACKS ON A REDUCED SCALE ALSO CONTINUE ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, HEADQUARTERS ADMITTED.
FT1141PPD NM

A85KX
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NIGHT LEAD AERIAL (300)
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 25-(AP)-FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS OPENED THE THIRD MONTH OF THE KOREAN WAR TODAY BY SWARMING TO THE ATTACK AGAINST HEAVY RED CONCENTRATIONS ON THE SOUTHERN SECTOR OF THE FRONT DEFENDING THE PORT CITY OF PUSAN.
AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME THAT AN OFFICIAL AIR SUMMARY REPORTED DAWN TAKEOFFS FROM JAPAN BASES, A FRONT LINE DISPATCH DISCLOSED ALLIED TARGETS.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON WITH THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION IN THE MASAN SECTOR, ABOUT 30 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, SAID THE PLANES STRUCK AT CONCENTRATIONS OF ADVANCING TROOPS. THE REDS ARE ESTIMATED TO HAVE TWO DIVISIONS IN THIS AREA.

FAR EAST AIRFORCE HEADQUARTERS SAID AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN FIGHTERS FLEW MORE THAN 260 SORTIES IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES ALONG THE WHOLE BATTLE FRONT, AND ON ARMED RECONNAISSANCE MISSIONS.
ONE MUSTANG FIGHTER WAS LOST TO ENEMY GROUND FIRE.
MOST OF THURSDAY'S FIGHTER STRIKES WERE MADE ON THE NORTHER FRONT, OPPOSITE SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE POSITIONS. A KOREAN RED BUILDUP HAS BEEN IN PROGRESS THERE FOR THE PAST WEEK.
THE AIRFORCE SAID DAMAGED ENEMY TARGETS INCLUDED 33 BUILDINGS USED BY THE COMMUNISTS AS TROOP BILLETS OR FOR SUPPLY STORAGE. LOW LEVEL AIR ATTACKS ALSO SMASHED AT 11 TRUCKS, 31 RAILROAD CARS AND EIGHT LOCOMOTIVES AS THE POUNDING OF ENEMY SUPPLY LINES CONTINUED.

30.24- 14491

THE AIR FORCE SUMMARY, ISSUED AT 8:40 A.M. (5:40 P.M., THURSDAY, EST) LISTED AS THURSDAY NIGHT TARGETS:

KUMCHON, RAIL AND HIGHWAY CENTER, 49 MILES NORTHEAST OF SEOUL, WHERE FIGHTER-BOMBERS BLASTED TWO SPANS OF AN IMPORTANT HIGHWAY BRIDGE WITH 500-POUND BOMBS.

A86KX

KUNSAN, ON KOREA'S WEST COAST, 110 MILES SOUTHWEST OF SEOUL, WHERE B-26 BOMBERS STRUCK UNSPECIFIED MILITARY TARGETS WITH FIRE-SETTING FRAGMENTATION BOMBS.

AN EARLIER AIR FORCE SUMMARY HAD TOLD HOW B-29S ON THURSDAY COMPLETED THE DESTRUCTION OF "ONE OF THE LARGEST CHEMICAL COMPLEXES IN EAST ASIA" AT HUNGMAN (CALLED "KONAN" BY THE JAPANESE). HUNGMAN IS ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA, 90 AIR MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THE PREVIOUSLY BOMBED CHEMICAL WORKS WERE PLASTERED THURSDAY BY 290 1,000-POUND BOMBS.

THE PRINCIPAL TARGETS THERE "HAVE BEEN COMPLETELY DEVASTATED," SAID CAPT. THOMAS P. RYAN, JR., 2900 CONNECTICUT AVE., WASHINGTON, D. C. AN OPERATIONS ANALYST OF THE FAR EAST AIRFORCE BOMBER COMMAND STAFF.

"THE FERTILIZER FACTORY IS COMPLETE BURNED OUT AND THE EXPLOSIVE FACTORY IS A CHARRED AND BLACKENED RUIN."

FJ703PCS NM

AUG 25 1950

A16KX (260)

NIGHT LEAD..GENERAL KIM

TOKYO, AUG.24-(AP)-AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID TODAY THAT A CHINA-TRAINED KOREAN COMMUNIST IS DIRECTING OPERATIONS OF THE NORTH KOREAN SECOND CORPS.

HE WAS IDENTIFIED AS GEN.KIM MU-CHONG, 45-YEAR-OLD PROFESSIONAL SOLDIER WHO ROSE TO PROMINENCE AS A COMMANDER OF UNITS IN THE FAMED CHINESE COMMUNIST EIGHTH ROUTE ARMY.

INTELLIGENCE SAID KIM WAS BORN IN NORTH KOREA BUT WENT TO CHINA WHEN HE WAS 14. HE ATTENDED WHAMPOA MILITARY ACADEMY, ONCE CHINA'S "WEST POINT," AND TURNED COMMUNIST SOMETIME AROUND 1925.

THE CHINESE EIGHTH ROUTE ARMY--CELEBRATED FOR ITS "LONG MARCH" OF 6,000 MILES ACROSS CHINA IN THE MID-1930'S--WAS THE SPEARHEAD OF THE COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE AGAINST NATIONALIST ARMIES AFTER WORLD WAR TWO.

U.S.ARMY OFFICERS SAID KIM WAS REGARDED AS INFLUENTIAL IN CHINESE COMMUNIST CIRCLES AS LONG AGO AS 1930. HE REAPPEARED IN NORTH KOREA IN 1948 AS ARTILLERY COMMANDER OF UNITS THE NORTH KOREANS WERE THEN ASSEMBLING.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS SAID THEY DID NOT KNOW THE MAKE-UP OF THE SECOND CORPS COMMANDED BY KIM. THE NORTH KOREAN'S HEADQUARTERS, HOWEVER, WAS SAID TO BE AT MUNGYONG, INDICATING HE IS DIRECTING SOME PHASE OF THE TAEGU BATTLEFRONT AND MAY ALSO BE COMMANDING SOME NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS OPERATING ON THE EAST COAST.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT BILL SHINN REPORTED FROM KOREA THAT MAJ.KIM SE BONG OF THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION TOLD HIM THE NORTH KOREAN FIFTH DIVISION IS COMPOSED OF KOREANS FROM RED CHINA'S EIGHTH ROUTE ARMY.

MAJ.KIM SAID THIS DIVISION RETAINS CONTACT WITH COMMUNIST CHINA, SHINN REPORTED. THE NORTH KOREAN FIFTH DIVISION IS OPERATING ON THE EAST COAST OF THE EMBATTLED PENINSULA.

PR311PCS

A85FX

AERIAL (100)

TOKYO,AUG.24-(AP)-U.S. MARINE AIRMEN SAID TODAY THEY KILLED 300 NORTH KOREAN REDS IN A ROCKET AND STRAFING ATTACK ON HEAVY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS FACING TAEGU.

THE ENEMY FORCE, CAUGHT EIGHT MILES WEST OF TAEGU AT SONGJU, WAS ONE OF 16 NORTH KOREA TROOP CONCENTRATIONS RIDDLED BY CARRIER-BORNE MARINE PILOTS, THE NAVY SAID IN A THURSDAY NIGHT RELEASE.

F-80 JETS THURSDAY CONCENTRATED ON TROOP CONCENTRATIONS SOUTHWEST OF MASAN ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT.

ENEMY TROOPS WERE THE NO. 1 TARGET OF FIGHTER-BOMBERS WEDNESDAY WHEN 559 SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY UNITED NATIONS AIRMEN. B-29S AGAIN HIT TRAFFIC FACILITIES IN THE EAR.

THE MAIN B-29 TARGET WAS ONE OF THE LARGEST CHEMICAL COMPLEXES IN EAST ASIA, AT KONAN. THEY DROPPED 290 THOUSAND-POUND BOMBS. A SPOKESMAN CALLED IT A "MOP-UP OPERATION TO NEUTRALIZE EVERY VESTIGE OF THIS IMPORTANT TARGET."

THE B-29S ENCOUNTERED NO OPPOSITION.

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A203KX

BULLETIN

TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG.25-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS TODAY DEMANDED THAT THE UNITED NATIONS ORDER WITHDRAWAL OF ALL AMERICAN FORCES FROM FORMOSA AND ANNOUNCED THE RED INTENTION TO "LIBERATE" THAT ISLAND FROM THE NATIONALISTS.

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AUG 25 1950

A204KX

BULLETIN MATTER

TOKYO--FIRST ADD CHINESE XXX THE NATIONALISTS.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE PEIPING RADIO WAS HEARD BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS IN TOKYO. IT SAID THE DEMAND FOR AMERICAN WITHDRAWAL WAS SENT BY CHINESE COMMUNIST FOREIGN MINISTER COU EN-LAI TO THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL AND SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE.

THE UNITED STATES HAS NO ARMED FORCES ON FORMOSA, LAST MAJOR REDOUBT OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS, BUT THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET IS PATROLLING THE FORMOSA STRAIT TO PREVENT AN OFTEN-THREATENED RED ATTACK.

GROUND

AMERICAN MILITARY EXPERTS ALSO HAVE BEEN BOLSTERING THE NATIONALIST DEFENSES BY INSTRUCTING AND TRAINING CHINESE MANPOWERE

ATIONALIST DEFENSES BY INSTRUCTING AND TRAINING CHINESE MANPOWER. GENERAL MACARTHUR HAS SAID HE WILL HELP PROVIDE THE NATIONALISTS WITH WAR EQUIPMENT TO BEAT OFF ANY INVASION ATTEMPTS.

U. S. JET FIGHTER PLANES WERE REPORTED AT TAIPEI, FORMOSA'S CAPITAL, EARLY THIS MONTH AND THE NAVY TANKER CIMARRON RECENTLY TOOK A CARGO OF HIGH OCTANE AVIATION GAS TO THE ISLAND BASTION.

"THE PEOPLE OF CHINA CANNOT TOLERATE THE ACTION OF ARMED AGGRESSION BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT ON THE TERRITORY OF CHINA," THE RADIO QUOTED CHOU'S MESSAGE TO THE U.N.

IT WENT ON TO CITE THE PRESENCE OF THE SEVENTH FLEET AND OF SOME AMERICAN AIR FORCE CONTINGENTS ON FORMOSA.

CHOU CHARGED THAT THE AMERICAN PRESENCE WAS "AN OPEN ENCROACHMENT ON THE TERRITORY OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA" (THE OFFICIAL NAME OF THE RED REGIME).

HE ASSERTED IT WAS DIRECT ARMED AGGRESSION AND WAS A TOTAL VIOLATION OF THE U.N. CHARTER.

A207KX

CHOU DEMANDED THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL CONDEMN THE U.S. GOVERNMENT "FOR ITS CRIMINAL ACT - - - AND TAKE IMMEDIATE MEASURES TO BRING ABOUT THE COMPLETE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL THE UNITED STATES INVADING FORCES FROM TAIWAN (FORMOSA) AND FROM OTHER TERRITORIES BELONGING TO CHINA."

NN127PCS

AUG 25 1950

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TEXT (300)

TOKYO,AUG.24-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 304, TIMED 4:15 P.M. (1 A.M. THURSDAY EST) FOLLOWS:

UNITS OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) 1ST DIVISION AND AMERICAN UNITS IN THAT SECTOR CONTINUED TO DEFEND THEIR POSITIONS NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN AUG. 23 AGAINST DECREASING ENEMY PRESSURE. AMERICAN ELEMENTS OPERATING WITH THE ROK FORCES REPULSED ENEMY PROBING ATTACKS TO THE FRONT AND FLANKS WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND AND SUPPORTED UNITS OF THE ROK 1ST DIVISION WITH ARTILLERY FIRE.

UNITED STATES FORCES WHICH ATTACKED INFILTRATED ENEMY GROUPS BEHIND OUR LINES AUG. 23 ACHIEVED THEIR OBJECTIVE OF SECURING THE MAIN ROAD AND OUR ARTILLERY POSITIONS, AND HAVE CONTAINED THE ENEMY FORCE IN THE AREA NORTH OF NAMWON. TWO MINOR ENEMY ATTACKS SUBSEQUENTLY LAUNCHED FAILED TO CHANGE OUR POSITIONS. ROK AND AMERICAN UNITS TODAY CONTINUED THEIR COORDINATED ATTACK TO THE NORTHWEST.

THERE IS LITTLE ACTIVITY ON THE SOUTHERN SECTOR OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF AN ATTACK BY ELEMENTS OF THAT DIVISION TO GAIN POSITIONS ALONG THE CREST OF SOBUK RIDGE. HEAVY MORTAR AND SMALL ARMS FIRE FROM WELL DUG-IN ENEMY POSITIONS ON THIS HIGH GROUND HAVE HELD UP OUR ADVANCE IN THIS SECTOR. AMERICAN UNITS ARE ATTACKING AUG. 24 TO GAIN COMMANDING POSITIONS ALONG THIS LINE.

THE CENTRAL FRONT REMAINS QUIET WITH ACTIVITY CONFINED TO AGGRESSIVE PATROLLING. OUR ARTILLERY CONTINUES TO FIRE ON TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY AND TO INTERDICT ENEMY LINES OF COMMUNICATION.

AFTER BEING HELD UP AUG. 23 BY STIFFENING ENEMY RESISTANCE, THE ROK CAPITOL DIVISION HAS RESUMED ITS ATTACK TO THE NORTH AND HAS CAPTURED HIGH GROUND IN THE VICINITY OF ODOK. THE ROK 3RD DIVISION MET HEAVY ENEMY RESISTANCE AUG.23 BUT TODAY RESUMED THE ATTACK AGAINST DECREASING RESISTANCE.

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TEXT (120)

TOKYO,AUG.24-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 305, NAVY, TIMED AT 7 P.M. (4 A.M., E.S.T.) TODAY:

CARRIER-BASED U.S. MARINE FLYERS OPERATING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES DURING THE PAST TWO DAYS BOMBED AND STRAFED 16 TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, DESTROYED TEN TRUCKS WHILE DAMAGING NINE, DESTROYED FIVE SUPPLY DUMPS, ONE TRANSFORMER STATION, THREE MORTARS AND ONE ARTILLERY POSITION.

HEAVY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND SUPPLY DUMPS IN THREE VILLAGES NEAR SONGJU WERE HEAVILY BOMBED AND STRAFED. AN AIR CONTROLLER REPORTED AT LEAST 300 DEAD AND SUPPLY DUMPS BURNING VIGOROUSLY.

BOMB AND ROCKET HITS LEFT FIVE GROUPS OF STORAGE BUILDINGS NEAR URIYONG BURNING FIERCELY.

IN THE TWO-DAY PERIOD THE MARINE FLYERS ATTACKED TARGETS AROUND PRACTICALLY THE ENTIRE PERIMETER OF THE BATTLE LINE.

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B54KX (Q) (TEXT)
TEXT (720)

AUG 25 1950

TOKYO,AUG.24-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.306, AIR, TIMED AT 8:15 P.M. (5:15 A.M., E.S.T.) TODAY:

B29S OF THE U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES TODAY ATTACKED MILITARY-INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATIONS, SECONDARY MARSHALLING YARDS AND KEY RAILROAD BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS WERE ACTIVE IN THE IMMEDIATE BATTLE AREA.

KONAN (HUNGNAM) RECEIVED THE HEAVIEST WEIGHT OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES WHEN 290 ONE-THOUSAND POUND BOMBS CASCADED ONTO ISOLATED INSTALLATIONS OF ONE OF THE LARGEST CHEMICAL COMPLEXES IN EAST ASIA.

TODAY'S TARGETS INCLUDED FACTORY BUILDINGS USED IN CHEMICAL EXTRACTION PROCESSES AND WERE NOT INCLUDED IN THE TARGET AREAS PREVIOUSLY BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK BY THE SUPERFORTS.

WEATHER WAS EXCELLENT AND THE SUPERFORTS WENT INTO THE TARGET AREA IN THREE MASSIVE WAVES TO BOMB VISUALLY.

"OUR ATTACK TODAY IS MORE OR LESS A MOP-UP OPERATION TO NEUTRALIZE EVERY VESTIGE OF THIS IMPORTANT TARGET," AN AIR FORCE BOMBER SPOKESMAN SAID.

NEITHER ENEMY AIRCRAFT NOR ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE OPPOSED THE SUPERFORTS DURING THE 35 MINUTES REQUIRED TO DROP THE BIG 1,000 POUNDERS.

ELSEWHERE IN NORTH KOREA, SMALLER FORMATIONS OF B-29S ATTACKED A SECONDARY MARSHALLY YARD AT PYONGYANG, IN WHICH NORTH KOREAN RAIL TRANSPORTATION HAS BEEN BOTTLENECKED AS A RESULT OF THE STRATEGIC INTERDICTION PROGRAM.

FLASH REPORTS ONLY HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM THESE MISSIONS AND FROM THE B-29 FORMATIONS WHICH CONTINUED THE PLANNED PROGRAM FOR THE DESTRUCTION OF KEY RAILWAY AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES ESSENTIAL TO THE MOVEMENT OF MILITARY SUPPLIES TOWARD THE BATTLE LINES.

CAPT.THOMAS P.RYAN, JR., 2900 CONNECTICUT AVE., N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C., ONE OF THE OPERATIONS ANALYSTS ON THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND STAFF WHO HAS BEEN EVALUATING FROM PHOTOS THE DAMAGE WROUGHT TO THE KONAN COMPLEX, TODAY SAW FOR HIMSELF THE DESTRUCTION PREVIOUS STRIKES HAD DONE TO THE CHEMICAL INSTALLATIONS.

"THE THREE PRINCIPAL TARGETS HAVE BEEN COMPLETELY DEVASTATED," CAPTAIN RYAN SAID, "AND BLACKENED RUINS WITH NO SIGN OF LIFE ARE ALL THAT CAN BE SEEN. THE FERTILIZER FACTORY IS COMPLETELY BURNED OUT AND THE EXPLOSIVE FACTORY IS A CHARRED AND BLACKENED RUIN," HE ADDED.

30.24- 14493

B55KX (Q)
CAPTAIN RYAN, VETERAN NIGHT FIGHTER PILOT OF THE ITALIAN CAMPAIGN OF WORLD WAR II WITH 60 NIGHT MISSIONS TO HIS CREDIT, TODAY FLEW HIS FIRST DAYTIME MISSION AND ALSO HIS FIRST IN FOUR-ENGINE BOMBERS.
CAPT.JOSEPH E.COSGROVE, 1822 EAST 22ND ST., CHEYENNE, WYO., WAS IN THE LAST PLANE OVER THE TARGET.
"FLASHES OF THE FALLING BOMBS WERE BARELY VISIBLE IN THE HEAVY BLACK SMOKE," HE SAID. "THEY WERE FOLLOWED BY SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS. A PECULIAR DENSE ORANGE SMOKE BEGAN POURING FROM THE CHEMICAL PLANT AS WE TURNED AWAY FROM OUR BOMB-RUN. IT WAS PROBABLY CAUSED BY THE SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS IN THE CHEMICALS MANUFACTURED IN THE PLANT."
THE CHEMICAL EXTRACTION PLANT LIES TO THE WEST OF THE NITROGEN CHEMICAL FACTORY DESTROYED ON THE 31ST OF JULY BY B-29S. THE THREE PRIMARY TARGETS IN THE COMPLEX HAD ALREADY BEEN WRITTEN OFF THE CURRENT TARGET LIST.
WING COMMANDER ALLAN H.C.BOXER OF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE, WHOSE HOME IS IN NEW ZEALAND, FLEW WITH THE B-29S TODAY AS AIRPLANE COMMANDER. HE HAS BEEN AN EXCHANGE OFFICER WITH THE BOMB GROUP FOR 18 MONTHS AND IS ASSISTANT GROUP OPERATIONS OFFICER. WING COMMANDER BOXER IS THE FIRST OFFICER OTHER THAN UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO PILOT A B-29 ON A COMBAT MISSION.
ROUND THE CLOCK ATTACKS WERE CONTINUED TODAY BY B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS. CAPT.BEN CROSBY, EL PASO, TEX., RETURNED LATE TODAY FROM A MISSION TO TANYANG, NORTHWEST OF ANDONG, WITH A REPORT THAT ONE SPAN HAD BEEN BLASTED FROM A RILWAY BRIDGE.
"WE SCORED CLEAN HITS ON IT WITH OUR BOMBS," HE SAID.
"THE LOCOMOTIVE EXPLODED AFTER WE STRAFED AND BOMBED IT," SAID LT. MEREDITH, WHO BLEW THE B-26. CAPT.HILL, HIS NAVIGATOR, SAID AT LEAST THREE CARS ON THE TRAIN WERE DESTROYED. "OTHERS WERE SEVERELY DAMANGED," HE SAID.
MEREDITH SAID THE B-26S FLYING WITH HIM ALSO HAD GOOD LUCK AGAINST MEDIUM TANKS IN THE AREA, ALTHOUGH NONE WERE CLAIMED TO BE PERMANENTLY DESTROYED. "THE OTHER B-26 FLIERS HIT SEVERAL OF THEM CLEANLY," HE SAID.
COMMUNIST TROOPS ALSO WERE PRIORITY TARGETS FOR THE VERY ACTIVE F-80 JET PILOTS TODAY. A NUMBER OF THEM WERE LOCATED ON A HILL HELD BY THE ENEMY WEST OF MASAN. "WE EXPENDED ALL OUR ROCKETS AND AMMUNITION INTO THE CONCENTRATION," SAID CAPT.HARRY H.HERMANN, GAINESVILLE, TEX.
HE ADDED THAT HIS FLIGHT KNOCKED OUT A RADIO POSITION ON THE HILL WITH ROCKETS.
ANOTHER FLIGHT OF F-80S FLEW GROUND SUPPORT NORTH OF TAEGU. "WE WERE DIRECTED TOWARD ENEMY TROOPS WELL CAMOUFLAGED IN THE WOODED AREA," SAID FIRST LT.ORVILLE J.NORDGREN, SANTA MARIA, CALIF. "WE PUT OUR AMMUNITION WHERE THE CONTROLLERS TOLD US TO, BUT COULDN'T OBSERVE THE RESULTS."
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AUG 25 1950

B48KX (TEXT) (Q)
TEXT
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG.25-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 307, ISSUED AT 8:40 A.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (5:40 P.M., EST, THURSDAY) FOLLOWS:
FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS OF THE U.S.AIR FORCE TOOK OFF BY 6:35 A.M. TODAY FROM BASES IN JAPAN IN SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES AS THE KOREAN WAR BEGAN ITS THIRD MONTH.
WEATHER IN THE BATTLE AREA LOOKS GENERALLY GOOD. FIRST AIRPLANES TO TAKE OFF TODAY WERE F-80 JETS AND B-26 INVADER BOMBERS. THE LATTER ARE NOW OPERATING PRACTICALLY AROUND THE CLOCK.
AN IMPORTANT HIGHWAY BRIDGE NORTHWEST OF KUMCHON WAS DAMAGED IN AN F-82 TWIN MUSTANG MISSION FLOWN LATE LAST NIGHT BY LT.COL. ALLIN E. WEST OF SALEM, OHIO. HE SAID HE DROPPED TWO 500-POUND GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS. "TWO SPANS ALREADY WERE KNOCKED OUT BUT THE NORTH KOREANS HAD IMPROVISED THE BRIDGE WITH PLANKS AND I COULD SEE THEM CARRYING SUPPLIE OVER IT," HE SAID. "MY BOMBS FURTHER INCONVENIENCED THEM."
B-26'S FLEW NINE NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS, WITH ALL RETURNING TO BASE BY 6:00 A.M. AFTER BOMBING AND STRAFING TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY. MILITARY TARGETS IN KUNSAN ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA WERE HIT BY FRAG BOMBS, WITH LARGE FIRES RESULTING. FIRST LT.WILLARD G.MATTSON OF (426 HATCH AVE) ST.PAUL, MINN., SAID HE OBSERVED THE RESULTS ON THAT TARGET.
U.S. AIR RESCUE SERVICE REPORTED THAT FIVE EVACUATION MISSIONS AND TWO AERIAL DELIVERIES OF WHOLE BLOOD WERE MADE YESTERDAY IN SUPPORT OF U.N. GROUND TROOPS. ONE CRITICALLY WOUNDED SOLDIER WAS PICKED UP BY HELICOPTER AND FLOWN FROM THE FRONT LINE TO A FIELD HOSPITAL. THE OTHERS WERE EVACUATED FROM A FIELD HOSPITAL TO AN AIRSTRIP AND WILL BE BROUGHT TO JAPAN.
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AUG 25 1950

B85KX (Q) (TEXT)
TEXT (330)
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG.25-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE (NAVAL) NUMBER 308, ISSUED BY GEN.MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 12:55I.M., JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME (9:55P.M., THURSDAY EST):
A U.S. HEAVY CRUISER REPORTED TODAY BOMBARDMENT OF APPROXIMATELY 200 LOADED BOX CARS AT SONGJIN LATE YESTERDAY. RESULTS OF THE FIRING HAVE NOT BEEN RECEIVED. THE HEAVY CRUISER FLIES THE FLAG OF REAR ADM.C.C. HARTMAN, U.S.N., IN COMMAND OF THE NAVAL PATROL AND SUPPORT FORCES FOR ALL OF KOREA.
WHILE CARRIER-BASED U.S. MARINE FLYERS WERE OPERATING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES ON THE WESTERN FRONT YESTERDAY U.S. NAVAL FORCES WERE LENDING GUN FIRE SUPPORT TO FORCES TO THE NORTH IN THE POHANG AREA.
THE MARINE CORSAIRS HIT TROOPS AND SUPPLIES IN TWO VILLAGES SEVEN MILES EAST OF HYOPCHON, STARTING LARGE FIRES. A RIDGE TWELVE MILES WEST OF MASAN, WHERE INFANTRYMEN WERE UNDER HEAVY ATTACK, WAS CLEARED WITH BOMBS, ROCKETS, NAPALM AND 20 MILLIMETER CANNON FIRE. ANOTHER RIDGE NORTH OF CHINDONG, WHERE INFANTRYMEN WERE TRYING TO DISLOGE INFILTRATING NORTH KOREANS, WAS HEAVILY BOMBED AND STRAFED. TROOPS AND SUPPLIES IN SMALL TOWNS NEAR YOHANG MYONG, JUST BEHIND THE FRONT LINES, WERE HEAVILY HIT WITH RESULTING LARGE FIRES. TROOPS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS ON A RIDGE IN THE SAME AREA WERE OBOMBED AND STRAFED; FOUR ANTITANK WEAPONS WERE DESTROYED.

B86KX
REAR ADM.RICHARD W.RUBLE IS IN COMMAND OF THE CARRIER DIVISION FROM WHICH THE MARINE FLYERS OPERATE.
YESTERDAY IN THE POHANG AREA A HEAVY U.S. CRUISER BLASTED SIX PRIME TARGETS WITH RESULTS DESCRIBED BY AN AIR SPOTTER AS "COSTLY FOR THE ENEMY." THREE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE NEUTRALIZED. ONE FIELD ARTILLERY BATTERY AND ONE MORTAR PROSITION WERE DESTROYED. ONE ROAD TUNNEL, USED AS A SUPPLY DUMP, WAS HEAVILY HIT BY ROUNDS FROM THE CRUISERS MAIN

BATTERY.
THROUGHOUT THE PRECEDING NIGHT UNITS OF THE EAST COAST NAVAL FORCE SUPPLIED CALL-FIRE FOR ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) TROOPS IN THE POHANG AREA. CONTINUED EFFECTIVE USE WAS MADE OF STAR SHELL ILLUMINATION OF THE BATTLE AREA.
OTHER UNITS PATROLLING TO THE NORTH SCORED THREE DIRECT HITS ON A BRIDGE IN LATITUDE 38-39.5 NORTH AND EXPLODED A RADIO STATION AT LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 38.22 NORTH. VEHICULAR TRAFFIC ALONG THE COASTAL ROAD WAS FIRED ON WITH UNOBSERVED RESULTS.
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AUG 25 1950

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TEXT (200)
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 25-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 309, ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 1:15 P.M., JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME (10:15 P.M., THURSDAY EST):
THE COMMUNIST INVADERS HAVE BEEN PLACING LESS PRESSURE ON THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION, WHERE THEY HAVE BEEN ATTEMPTING TO MAKE A BREAKTHROUGH TO TAEGU FOR THE PAST FEW WEEKS, AND HAVE SHIFTED PRESSURE TO THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION ON THE RIGHT OF THE ROK FIRST DIVISION. PRESSURE HAS BEEN HEAVY , BUT NO MATERIAL GAINS MADE.
NO HEAVY PRESSURE HAS BEEN PLACED ON THE ROK EIGHTH DIVISION; HOWEVER, THIS UNIT CLAIMS TO HAVE ADMINISTERED SEVERE CASUALTIES TO THE COMMUNISTS IN THEIR FRONT.
THE ROK CAPITOL AND THIRD DIVISION JUMPED OFF IN A COORDINATED ATTACK THIS MORNING. THE ENEMY IS REPORTED USING MORE AND MORE TANKS AS ARTILLERY. FOURTEEN TANKS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED OPPOSITE THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION, AND A TOTAL OF 30 TANKS ON THE FRONT IN SUCH A ROLE.
THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION CONTINUES TO RECEIVE HEAVY PRESSURE AT THE COMPANY AND BATTALION LEVEL, BUT THIS PRESSURE HAD NOT DEVELOPED INTO GREAT STRENGTH.
SINCE THE DISENGAGEMENT OF RED TROOPS ON THE ROK FIRST DIVISION FRONT, MOVEMENT TO THE SOUTH HAS BEEN INDICATED.
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MAC ARTHUR TEXT
TEXT (170)
TOKYO, FRIDAY, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE TEXT OF 8TH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 57, ISSUED BY GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 1:05 P.M., JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME (10:05 P.M., THURSDAY, E. S. T.)
IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR A COMPANY OF THE 24TH REGIMENT WAS ATTACKED BY AN ENEMY FORCE AT 1:45 A. M., A FEW MILES NORTHWEST OF HAMAN. THE U. S. MADE A SLIGHT WITHDRAWAL BUT PREPARED IMMEDIATELY TO COUNTERATTACK.
PATROLS OF THE 5TH AND 35TH REGIMENTS RANGED TWO TO THREE MILES IN FRONT OF THEIR POSITION WITHOUT MAKING CONTACT WITH THE ENEMY.
A UNIT OF THE 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION WAS ATTACKED BY AN ENEMY PATROL AT 5:30 A.M. THE PATROL WAS DISPERSED.
THE U. S. 27TH REGIMENT REPELLED AN ENEMY ATTACK OF COMPANY STRENGTH AT 1 A.M. THE COMMUNISTS WERE SUPPORTED BY TANK FIRE BUT NO TANKS WERE IN THE ATTACK.
THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) 6TH DIVISION WAS ATTACKED AT 1:30 A.M. BY AN ENEMY FORCE ESTIMATED AS TWO INFANTRY BATTALIONS AND UP TO 14 TANKS. SMALL PENETRATION HAS BEEN MADE IN BOTH THE 2ND AND 7TH REGIMENTS SECTORS AT LAST REPORT.
THE ROK 8TH DIVISION REPORTS ONLY PATROL ACTIVITY.
THE ROK 3RD DIVISION YESTERDAY ADVANCED 500 YARDS TO HUNGHAE.
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B75 (Q)
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LONDON, FRIDAY, AUG.25-(AP)-THE MOSCOW RADIO SAID EARLY TODAY THAT A CAPTURED AMERICAN OFFICER HAD BROADCAST OVER THE NORTH KOREAN RADIO THE CLAIM THAT NOT EVEN THE SOUTH KOREANS WANT AMERICANS IN THEIR COUNTRY.
THE BROADCAST, HEARD HERE, QUOTED A TASS DISPATCH FROM PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL. IT IDENTIFIED THE AMERICAN AS MAJ.CHARLES BAYER OF HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 63RD BATTALION FIELD ARTILLERY OF THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION.
THE REMARKS ATTRIBUTED TO BAYER FOLLOWED THE SAME LINE AS OTHER STATEMENTS THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS HAVE CLAIMED WERE MADE BY OTHER AMERICAN PRISONERS.
THERE WAS NO WAY OF KNOWING WHETHER HE ACTUALLY MADE THE REMARKS, OR THE CIRCUMSTANCES, WHETHER THEY WERE MADE VOLUNTARILY OR UNDER DURESS.
TODAY'S BROADCAST QUOTED BAYER AS HAVING SAID:
"THE WAR IN KOREA IS A PURELY CIVIL WAR, AND THERE IS THEREFORE NO JUSTIFICATION FOR INTERVENTION BY ANY COUNTRY OR GROUPS OF COUNTRIES.
"THE ONLY AIM PURSUED BY THE KOREAN PEOPLE IN THIS WAR IS THE ACHIEVEMENT OF COMPLETE INDEPENDENCE AND FREEDOM FOR THE PEOPLE. THE KOREANS THEMSELVES MUST SOLVE THEIR DOMESTIC PROBLEMS WITHOUT THE INTERVENTION OF THE AMERICANS.
"ON ARRIVING AT PUSAN, WE REALIZED THE SOUTH KOREAN PEOPLE DID NOT WANT US IN KOREA X X X."
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B13 (Q)
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LONDON, AUG.24-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND'S EVENING COMMUNIQUE AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:
ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH LIBERATED KUNWI HAVE REPELLED SEVERAL COUNTERATTACKS OF THE ENEMY AND CONTINUE THEIR OFFENSIVE.
IN BATTLES IN THIS AREA UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CAPTURED OVER 200 ENEMY OFFICERS AND MEN.
MANY TROPHIES INCLUDING ROCKET GUNS, MORTARS, HEAVY MACHINEGUNS, MANY OTHER ARMS AND MUCH EQUIPMENT WAS CAPTURED.
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LONDON, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO:
ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS.
HAVING FORMED A DEFENSE LINE ON THE ADVANCED POST, TAEGU, AND HAVING MOBILIZED ALL ITS FORCES, WITH THE SUPPORT OF UNITS OF THE AIR FORCE, THE ENEMY MADE SEVERAL ATTEMPTS AT A COUNTER OFFENSIVE. THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, WITH THE CLOSE COOPERATION OF ALL ARMS, REPULSED THE ENEMY'S COUNTEROFFENSIVE.
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, OPERATING IN THE AREA OF THE SOUTH COAST, ARE ADVANCING, INFLICTING BLOWS UPON THE AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION AND UPON A UNIT OF MARINES.
ON AUGUST 22 AIR FORCE UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY DISCOVERED AN AMERICAN DESTROYER IN THE AREA SOUTHWEST OF INCHON NEAR THE ISLAND OF TUKCHUK AND SANK IT.
ANOTHER AIR FORCE UNIT OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY SANK A TRAWLER OF SYNGMAN RHEE'S PUPPET TROOPS, BUILT IN THE U.S.A.
THE AMERICAN AIR FORCE, REVENGING ITSELF FOR THE DEFEATS ON THE FRONT, CONTINUES WITH THE BARBAROUS BOMBING AND FIRING OF PEACEFUL KOREAN TOWNS AND VILLAGES. ON AUGUST 23 ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY SHOT DOWN TWO AMERICAN FIGHTERS IN THE AREA OF PYONGYANG.
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PRAGUE,CZECHOSLOVAKIA,AUG.24-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL CZECH NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY (PARLIAMENT) HAS SENT A PROTEST TO THE UNITED NATIONS AGAINST THE "UNFOUNDED, UNLAWFUL AND CRIMINAL ATTACK OF THE U.S.A. AGAINST THE FREE, SOVEREIGN AND PEACELOVING KOREAN NATION."
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B138 (Q)
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NIGHT LEAD BRITISH (320)
BY RICHARD HORNING
HONG KONG, AUG.24-(AP)-TWO BRITISH INFANTRY BATTALIONS TOTALING 1,500 MEN ARE SAILING FROM THIS BRITISH COLONY TOMORROW TO REINFORCE UNITED NATIONS TROOPS IN KOREA. GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, THE U.N. COMMANDER, ASSURED THEM OF A WARM WELCOME.
MORE THAN 25,000 MEN FROM A DOZEN NATIONS--MOSTLY INFANTRYMEN--ARE EXPECTED EVENTUALLY TO FIGHT ALONGSIDE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS AGAINST THE COMMUNIST NORTH KOREAN INVADERS.
FIFTY SOLDIERS LOADED SIGNAL EQUIPMENT, KITS AND ARMS OF THE FIRST BALLATION OF THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT AND THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE ARGYLE AND SUTHERLAND REGIMENT ON TRUCKS FOR TRANSFER TO THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER UNICORN. STRIPPED TO THE WAIST, THE MEN SWEAT HEAVILY UNDER THE TROPICAL SUN.
UNDER NORMAL CRUISING COCDITIONS, THE 1,500-MILE TRIP NORTH WOULD TAKE ABOUT THREE DAYS.
FIVE HUNDRED SOLDIERS FROM OTHER BRITISH UNITS IN KONG KONG APPLIED FOR A TRANSFER TO THE TWO BATTALIONS AFTER WORD GOT AROUND THAT THEY HAD BEEN CHOSEN TO GO TO KOREA. MOST OF THE APPLICATIONS HAD TO BE TURNED DOWN.
LT.GEN.JOHN HARDING, BRITISH COMMANDER IN THE FAR EAST, INSPECTED THE BATTALIONS A FEW HOURS BEFORE SAILING TIME.
"SHOOT QUICK, SHOOT STRAIGHT AND SHOOT TO KILL," HE SAID.
"MAINTAIN THAT GREAT BRITISH MILITARY TRADITION OF STANDING YOUR GROUND WHEN ORDERED TO DO SO. DON'T WORRY ABOUT YOUR FLANKS. IF YOU GET INFILTRATED OR SURROUNDED, STAND YOUR GROUND. AS LONG AS YOU HAVE AMMUNITION, SOME WATER AND FOOD, STOP, STAY WHERE YOU ARE AND FIGHT IT OUT ON YOUR OWN GROUND."
GEN.MACARTHUR SAID IN A MESSAGE TO GEN.HARDING:
"PLEASE EXPRESS MY GREAT THANKS AND APPRECIATION AT THE NEWS OF THE BRITISH TROOP REINFORCEMENTS. THEY WILL ADD NEW LUSTER TO BRITISH ARMS. THEY WILL HAVE A WARM WELCOME AND WILL RECEIVE MY PERSONAL ATTENTION."
IN ADDITION TO THESE INFANTRYMEN, BRITAIN HAS ALERTED A ROYAL MARINE COMMANDO FORCE OF UNANNOUNCED STRENGTH FOR A TRIP BY AIR SOON FROM ENGLAND TO THE KOREAN FRONT. THE COMMANDER IS LT.COL.DOUGLAS B. DRYSDALE, WHO LED A COMMANDO UNIT IN BURMA IN WORLD WAR II.
FORCES RANGING UP TO 5,000 MEN HAVE BEEN OFFERED TENTATIVELY OR FORMALLY PLEDGED BY OTHER NATIONS: AUSTRALIA, BELGIUM, BOLIVIA, CANADA, FRANCE, THE NETHERLANDS, NEW ZEALAND, NICARAGUA, THE PHILIPPINES, THAILAND (SIAM) AND TURKEY.
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B53 (Q)
FIRST LEAD BRITISH TROOPS
HONG KONG, AUG. 24-(AP)-ON THE EVE OF THEIR DEPARTURE FOR THE KOREAN WAR FRONT, BRITISH TROOPS TODAY WERE TOLD TO "SHOOT QUICK, SHOOT STRAIGHT AND SHOOT TO KILL."
THIS ADVICE CAME FROM GEN. SIR JOHN HARDING, BRITISH COMMANDER IN THE FAR EAST, DURING A LAST MINUTE TROOP INSPECTION. THEY ARE SCHEDULED TO SAIL TOMORROW.
THE TROOPS HAVE BEEN BUSY LOADING EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES ABOARD THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER H.M.S. UNICORN. AUTHORITIES HAVE NEITHER CONFIRMED NOR DENIED THE UNOFFICIAL REPORTS THAT THE UNICORN IS TO TAKE THE BRITISH CONTINGENT TO KOREA.
THE GENERAL READ A MESSAGE OF WELCOME FROM GEN. MACARTHUR TO THE KOREA-BOUND TROOPS, FROM THE FIRST BATTALIONS OF THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT AND THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS.
MACARTHUR'S MESSAGE READ: "PLEASE EXPRESS MY GREAT THANKS AND APPRECIATION AT THE NEWS OF BRITISH TROOP REINFORCEMENTS. THEY WILL ADD NEW LUSTER TO BRITISH ARMS.
"THEY WILL HAVE A WARM WELCOME WHEN THEY ARRIVE HERE AND WILL RECEIVE MY PERSONAL ATTENTION."
HARDING CALLED ON THE TROOPS TO "MAINTAIN THAT GREAT BRITISH MILITARY TRADITION OF STANDING ON YOUR GROUND WHEN ORDERED TO DO SO. DON'T WORRY ABOUT YOUR FLANKS.
"IF YOU GET INFILTRATED OR SURROUNDED, STAND YOUR GROUND. AS LONG AS YOU HAVE AMMUNITION, SOME WATER AND FOOD, STOP, STAY WHERE YOU ARE AND FIGHT IT OUT ON YOUR OWN GROUND."
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HONG KONG,AUG.24-(AP)-BRITISH TROOPS PREPARING TO SAIL FOR KOREA GOT A LESSON IN THE AMERICAN 3.5-INCH TANK-KILLER BAZOOKA TODAY.
"THESE BRITISH WERE SURE IMPRESSED," SAID MASTER SGT.W.M.TILLMAN OF PHENIX CITY, ALA., MEMBER OF A THREE-MAN U.S. BAZOOKA TEAM FLOWN HERE FROM JAPAN.
THE BRITISH EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING BREN GUN CARRIERS, WAS LOADED ABOARD THE ROYAL NAVY ~~CRUISER~~ CARRIER UNICORN LAST NIGHT.
THE 1,500 INFANTRYMEN ARE SAILING ABOUT MIDNIGHT TOMORROW. THEY ARE FROM THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE ARGYLE AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDER REGIMENT AND THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT.
THEY GOT THEIR BAZOOKA LESSON FROM A TEAM HEADED BY LIEUT.ROBERT J.PARR OF LOS ANGELES. PVT.C.R.BURMAN OF FORT BENNING, GA., IS THEO THIRD MAN IN THE TEAM.
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MANILA,AUG. 24-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA SOON WILL BE REINFORCED BY 1,200 VOLUNTEERS---EVERY MEMBER OF THE TENTH BATTALION COMBAT TEAM OF THE PHILIPPINE ARMY.
LT. COL. MARIANO AZURIN, WHO WILL LEAD THE UNIT IN ACTION, ADDRESSED HIS MEN TODAY IN THE PRESENCE OF NEWSMEN.
HE TOLD THEM THAT ANY WHO FELT FAMILY OBLIGATIONS OR OTHER REASONS SHOULD KEEP THEM FROM FIGHTING IN KOREA FOR THE UNITED NATIONS COULD TRANSFER TO OTHER PHILIPPINE OUTFITS WITHOUT PREJUDICE.
THERE WERE NO TRANSFERS.
AZURIN SAID THE VAST MAJORITY OF MEN IN HIS UNIT ARE VETERANS OF THE OLD PHILIPPINE SCOUTS OF WORLD WAR II. MANY ARE VETERANS OF BATAAN. OTHERS FOUGHT THE JAPANESE AS GUERRILLAS.
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B139 (Q)
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NIGHT LEAD NEHRU (290)
BY STEVEN V.DAVID
NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG.24-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER JAWAHARLAL NEHRU SAID TODAY HE BELIEVES THERE IS ONLY A REMOTE POSSIBILITY THE KOREAN CONFLICT WILL LEAD TO A WORLD WAR.
NEHRU HAD SAID AT THE BEGINNING OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING THERE WAS AN EVEN CHANCE A WORLD WAR WOULD RESULT.
LEFTWING NEWSMEN QUESTIONED THE PRIME MINISTER AT A NEWS CONFERENCE ON THE BOMBING OF NORTH KOREA. REPLYING, HE SAID HIS GOVERNMENT WAS CONCERNED OVER INNOCENT PERSONS BEING KILLED AND UNNECESSARY DAMAGE BEING DONE. HE HELD THAT SUCH AERIAL WARFARE WAS LIKELY TO CREATE MORE PROBLEMS IN THE FUTURE. HE CONTENDED HEAVY BOMBING IN THE LAST WAR FAILED TO PRODUCE THE MILITARY EFFECTS INTENDED.
THE PRIME MINISTER EXPLAINED THAT A REPORTED INVITATION THAT HE GO TO PEIPING, THE CHINESE COMMUNIST CAPITAL, FOR A CONFERENCE, WAS ONLY "VAGUE SUGGESTIONS FROM INDIVIDUALS." REPORTS OF THE INVITATION LAST WEEK SAID NEHRU CONSIDERED IT AN OPPORTUNITY TO FURTHER HIS KOREAN PEACE PROPOSALS. THERE WAS SPECULATION THAT HE WOULD EITHER GO TO PEIPING OR HEAD THE INDIAN DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY OPENING NEXT MONTH IN AN EFFORT TO FURTHER THE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE.
NEHRU SAID HE HAD NO PLANS TO GO TO LAKE SUCCESS, ALTHOUGH HE WAS PREPARED TO GO IN THE FUTURE IF HIS PRESENCE WOULD BE HELPFUL.
HE DENIED INDIA HAS ANY INTEREST IN BECOMING A PERMANENT MEMBER OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL. HE SAID THERE WAS NO TRUTH TO REPORTS INDIA HAD MADE A "SECRET DEAL" WITH RUSSIA OR SOME OTHER COUNTRY WHICH WOULD RESULT IN INDIA REPLACING (NATIONALIST) CHINA AS A PERMANENT MEMBER.
"IT'S BAD ENOUGH," HE SAID, "EVEN TO BE A TEMPORARY MEMBER OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL."
THE PRIME MINISTER SAID INDIA BELIEVES THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD ACCEPT THE INDIAN PREMISE THAT PAKISTAN WAS TO BLAME FOR THE DISPUTE OVER WHETHER KASHMIR JOINS INDIA OR PAKISTAN, AND THEN GO BACK TO THE BEGINNING IN AN EFFORT TO FIND A SOLUTION.
WHEN INDIA BROUGHT THE CASE TO THE U.N., SHE ARGUED THAT PAKISTAN WAS THE AGGRESSOR IN THE DISPUTE OVER THE PRINCELY STATE. NEHRU SAID ANY OTHER PREMISE WOULD BE FALSE. U.N. MEDIATOR SIR OWEN DIXON HELD THIS WEEK THAT A GENERAL PLEBISCITE IN KASHMIR ON WHETHER TO JOIN INDIA OR PAKISTAN WOULD NOT BE FEASIBLE.
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NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 24-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER NEHRU TOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE TODAY HE DID NOT BELIEVE THE KOREAN CONFLICT WOULD FLARE INTO A WORLD WAR IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE.
AT THE OUTSET OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT, NEHRU HAD SAID THE CHANCES OF A WORLD WAR WERE 50-50.
ANSWERING QUESTIONS FROM LEFTWING JOURNALISTS ON THE BOMBING OF NORTH KOREANS, NEHRU SAID HIS GOVERNMENT WAS CONCERNED FOR TWO REASONS:
1. INNOCENT PEOPLE WERE BEING KILLED AND UNNECESSARY DAMAGE DONE.
2. IT WAS LIKELY TO CREATE MORE PROBLEMS IN THE FUTURE.
NEHRU SAID THE INDIAN GOVERNMENT HAD PRESSED THIS POINT OF VIEW WHENEVER THE OPPORTUNITY AROSE. HE ASSERTED THE HEAVY BOMBINGS OF THE LAST WAR DID NOT PRODUCE THE "MILITARY EFFECTS INTENDED."
HE SAID HE HAD NO PLANS TO GO TO LAKE SUCCESS, ALTHOUGH HE WAS PREPARED TO GO IN THE FUTURE IF HIS PRESENCE WOULD BE HELPFUL. HE SAID HE HAD NO REAL INVITATION TO GO TO PEIPING, THE CHINESE COMMUNIST CAPITAL, EXPLAINING THAT THERE HAD BEEN "VAGUE SUGGESTIONS FROM INDIVIDUALS" THAT HE GO.
NEHRU CONFIRMED THAT ONE SUCH "SUGGESTION" HAD COME FROM MADAME SUN YAT SEN, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT. SHE IS A SISTER OF MADAME CHIANG KAI-SHEK AND THE WIDOW OF THE FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST REPUBLIC.
SOURCES HERE REPORTED LAST WEEK THAT NEHRU WAS CONSIDERING EITHER A TRIP TO PEIPING OR TO LAKE SUCCESS AS THE HEAD OF INDIA'S DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY, WHICHEVER WOULD BEST FURTHER THE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE.
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B108KX (Q)
WITH TOKYO
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, AUG. 24-(AP)-GEN. J. LAWTON COLLINS AND ADM. FORREST P. SHERMAN STOPPED BRIEFLY AT ELEMENDORF AIR FORCE BASE HERE TODAY ENROUTE ~~TO~~ WASHINGTON FROM TOKYO AND A SURVEY OF THE KOREAN WAR SITUATION.
GENERAL COLLINS IS ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF. ADMIRAL SHERMAN IS THE NAVY CHIEF OF STAFF.
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A73WX (TOPS)
(450) AMS BUDGET
SECOND NIGHT LEAD APPROPRIATION
WASHINGTON, AUG.24-(AP)-A VAST $33,850,000,000 BILL TO RUN MANY BRANCHES OF THE GOVERNMENT FOR A YEAR WAS APPROVED LATE TODAY BY A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.
THE COMMITTEE SLASHED $200,000,000 FROM MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS IN THE BILL. IT APPROVED THE SENATE'S LOAN FOR SPAIN BUT TRIMMED IT FROM $100,000,000 TO $62,500,000.
THE BILL'S TOTAL REPRESENTS A CUT OF PROBABLY A THIRD OF A BILLION DOLLARS UNDER THE AMOUNT VOTED BY THE SENATE. THE FIGURES ARE SUBJECT TO FINAL COMMITTEE CHECK.
THE MEASURE NEEDS BOTH SENATE AND HOUSE APPROVAL. IT COMES UP IN THE HOUSE TOMORROW.
BOTH SENATE AND HOUSE HAD VOTED STIFF ECONOMY AMENDMENTS TO BE APPLIED TO THE SUMS THEY APPROVED. THE COMMITTEE THREW OUT BOTH FORMULAS, HOWEVER, AND REACHED A COMPROMISE OF ITS OWN.
THE COMMITTEE ECONOMY PROVISION CALLS FOR THE BUDGET BUREAU TO MAKE CUTS TOTALLING $550,000,000 WITHOUT IMPAIRING NATIONAL DEFENSE. THE COMPROMISE, PROPOSED BY REP. RABAULT (D-MICH) PROMPTLY DREW REPUBLICAN CRITICISM. THE BUREAU IS AN ARM OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S OFFICE.
THE COMMITTEE'S BILL, BY ESTIMATE OF ITS STAFF, CAME TO $34,400,-000,000, SUBJECT TO THE $550,000,000 REDUCTION, LEAVING A BALANCE OF $33,850,000,000. COMMITTEE EXPERTS EMPHASIZED THAT THE FIGURES WERE "ROUGH". THE STAFF MUST EVALUATE 510 POINTS OF DIFFERENCE IN THE SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS TO ARRIVE AT AN AUTHORITATIVE ESTIMATE.
IN THE HOUSE, MEANWHILE, A $16,771,084,479 EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION BILL WAS VOTED OUT BY ITS APPROPRIATION COMMITTEE.
THE VAST BULK OF IT GOES FOR MILITARY COSTS ADDED TO THE YEAR'S SPENDING BUDGET BY THE WORLD EMERGENCY GROWING OUT OF THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN. (THE BILL INCLUDES SUCH ITEMS AS 5,333 MORE WARPLANES, 200,000 MIDGET RADIOS TO RECEIVE OUR PROPAGANDA ABROAD, 4 BILLION MORE TO ARM ANTI-RED EUROPE.)
THE BILL IS EXPECTED TO BE PASSED BY THE HOUSE TOMORROW. IT THEN GOES TO THE SENATE.
THE TWO BILLS TOTAL MORE THAN $50,500,000,000.
SENATOR BRIDGES (R-NH), ONE OF THE SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS, SAID HE DID NOT SIGN ITS REPORT. HE ATTACKED THE $550,000,000 ECONOMY AMENDMENT AS "A DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO THE BUDGET BUREAU AND A BLANK CHECK."
BRIDGES WAS ONE OF THE AUTHORS OF A SENATE AMENDMENT SIDETRACKED BY THE COMMITTEE. IT WOULD HAVE REQUIRED A 10 PERCENT CUT OF NON-DEFENSE OUTLAYS.
SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) SAID HE SHARED BRIDGES' VIEWS BUT VOTED FOR THE COMPROMISE IN ORDER TO GET FINAL AGREEMENT ON THE BILL.
THE MEASURE CARRIES UPWARDS OF $14,000,000,000 IN "NORMAL" MILITARY DEFENSE FUNDS, PLUS MONEY TO OPERATE VARIOUS BRANCHES OF THE GOVERNMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING NEXT JULY 1.
IN REACHING ITS AGREEMENT, THE COMMITTEE DID THIS:
1. KNOCKED ANOTHER $200,000,000 OFF THE FUNDS REQUESTED BY THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION FOR THE MARSHALL PLAN TO STRENGTHEN WESTERN EUROPE AGAINST COMMUNISM. THIS LEFT $2,250,000,000 TO RUN THE PLAN'S THIRD YEAR (ENDING NEXT JULY) PLUS $276,000,000 IN MONEY IT HAD LEFT OVER. ECA ORIGINALLY ASKED FOR $2,657,000,000 IN NEW MONEY.
2. VOTED TO REQUIRE THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK TO LEND $62,500,000 TO FRANCO SPAIN IN SPITE OF OPPOSITION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WHO SAY THE BANK SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO USE ITS OWN JUDGMENT.
THE LOAN FIGURE IS A COMPROMISE. THE SENATE WROTE THE PROVISION INTO THE BILL AT $100,000,000. THE HOUSE HASN'T ACTED. PROPONENTS CONTEND SPAIN IS OF STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE IN DEFENSE PLANNING.
3. COMPROMISED ON A $15,000,000 FIGURE FOR "POINT 4." MR.TRUMAN ASKED $26,900,000 TO GET UNDER WAY THIS PLAN OF EXTENDING AMERICAN TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO NATIONS NEEDING IT.
4. DID NOT CHANGE THE $1,678,000,000 APPROVED BY THE SENATOR FOR MILITARY AID TO FOREIGN NATIONS. THIS IS IN ADDITION TO THE $4,000,-000,000 IN THE EMERGENCY BILL PENDING IN THE HOUSE. THE PROGRAM BEGAN LAST YEAR WITH THE AIM OF ERECTING A DEFENSE BARRIER AT THE EDGE OF THE IRON CURTAIN.

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IN ADDITION TO THE TWO BILLS TOTALLING UPWARD OF $50,000,000,000, THE YEAR'S SPENDING ALSO WILL INCLUDE SOME FIXED EXPENSES, INCLUDING $5,625,000,000 INTEREST ON THE PUBLIC DEBT.
THE PRESIDENT'S BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR, SUBMITTED LAST JANUARY, TOTALLED $42,439,000,000. SINCE THEN REQUESTS FOR MILITARY FUNDS HAVE MORE THAN DOUBLED.
THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE, GIVING MR.TRUMAN ALL HE ASKED FOR EMERGENCY MILITARY ITEMS, THREW IN SOME BITING CRITICISM OF HIGH LEVEL ACTIONS. IT SAID:
"EVENTS OF RECENT WEEKS HAVE MADE IT CRYSTAL CLEAR THAT THE MILITARY PLANNING AND THINKING IN KEY POSITIONS IS NOT AS CLEAR AND ACCURATE AS COULD BE DESIRED, BUT IT IS NOT THE PURPOSE OF THE COMMITTEE AT THIS TIME TO CRITICIZE PAST ERRORS OF JUDGMENT."
THE BILL ALSO INCLUDES NON-MILITARY ITEMS. THESE WERE CUT $81,-400,119.
THERE WAS NO CUT FOR THE VOICE OF AMERICA WHICH GETS ANOTHER $62,655,850 TO BORADCAST AMERICAN NEWS AND VIEWS. THIS INCLUDES $2,860,257 FOR TINY RADIOS TO DISTRIBUTE ABROAD.
BUT THE COMMITTEE BALKED AT FURNISHING FUNDS TO BRING 85 COMMUNIST LEADERS FROM YUGOSLAVIA TO TEACH THEM AMERICAN WAYS. IT STRUCK OUT THIS ITEM.
THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION GETS ANOTHER $8,614,800 FOR ITS MEDICAL SERVICES, INCLUDING STAFFS FOR NEW HOSPITALS.
THE EMERGENCY BILL CALLS FOR THESE PRINCIPAL FUNDS:
$4,535,400,000, AIR FORCE; $2,648,029,000, NAVY; AND $3,063,547,-000, ARMY; $260,000,000 FOR ATOMIC WEAPONS WORK; $598,637,370 FOR

STOCKPILING STRATEGIC MATERIALS; $190,000,000 FOR MILITARY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT; $19,360,000 DRAFT COSTS; $18,000,000 TO READY LAID-UP MERCHANT SHIPS AND $10,000,000 FOR THE PRESIDENT'S EMERGENCY FUND.

THE COMMITTEE SAID THAT THE ARMY'S FIGHTING POWER BY NEXT JUNE 30 SHOULD BE 834,000 MEN, UP FROM AN ESTIMATED 600,000 NOW IN UNIFORM.

THE NAVY GETS $185,000,000 FOR BUILDING SHIPS AND DE-MOTHBALLING OTHERS. IT GETS 2,377 NEW WARPLANES TO STRETCH ITS AIR ARM TO 7,335 PLANES.

AIR FORCE FUNDS WILL HELP PROVIDE 2,956 AIRCRAFT.

THE OVERALL DEFENSE EMERGENCY FUND WILL PAY FOR 257,000 MORE CIVILIAN EMPLOYES.

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(130) WASHINGTON, AUG.24-(AP)-AMERICAN GROUND FORCES PUBLICLY IDENTIFIED AS BEING IN ACTION ~~IN~~ KOREA INCLUDE FOUR ARMY INFANTRY DIVISION, TWO SEPARATE ARMY REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS AND ONE MARINE BRIGADE.

THE DIVISIONS ARE THE 24TH, THE 25TH, THE FIRST CAVALRY (INFANTRY) AND ELEMENTS OF THE SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION.

THE REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS ARE THE FIFTH AND THE 29TH. THE MARINE BRIGADE IS MADE UP OF UNITS DRAWN FROM THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION.

THE 24TH DIVISION HAS THREE REGIMENTS, THE 34TH, 21ST AND 19TH.

THE 25TH DIVISION REGIMENTS ARE THE 27TH, 24TH AND 35TH.

THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION IS MADE UP OF THE FIFTH CAVALRY REGIMENT AND TWO REGIMENTS STILL UNIDENTIFIED.

OFFICIAL REPORTS HAVE MENTIONED ONLY THAT ELEMENTS OF THE SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION IS IN KOREA. EARLIER PRESS REPORTS, HOWEVER, HAVE IDENTIFIED ONE OF ITS REGIMENTS AS THE NINTH.

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(200) NORTH KOREAN CASUALTIES

WASHINGTON, AUG.24-(AP)-THE ARMY TODAY SAID NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS REPORT THAT THE MASSIVE B-29 BOMBING OF COMMUNIST FORCES ON THE CENTRAL FRONT AUG. 16 INFLICTED VERY HEAVY CASUALTIES.

NINETY-EIGHT SUPERFORTRESSES DROPPED NEARLY 1,000 TONS OF BOMBS ON A CONCENTRATION, ESTIMATED AT FROM 40,000 TO 60,000 COMMUNIST TROOPS. IT WAS IN AN AREA SEVEN AND ONE-HALF MILES LONG AND THREE AND ONE-HALF MILES WIDE WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, NORTH OF WAEGWAN.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD REPORTERS AT A PENTAGON AFTERNOON BRIEFING OF THE PRISONERS' REPORTS.

ASKED IF AN ATTACK HAD NOT COME FROM THE BOMBED AREA AFTER THE B-29 BLOW, THE BRIEFING OFFICER SAID IT DID NOT. HE DECLARED THE ATTACK THAT THE NORTH KOREANS LAUNCHED THE NEXT DAY CAME FROM AN AREA FARTHER NORTH.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID IN RESPONSE TO ANOTHER QUESTION THAT THERE IS NO WAY OF TELLING WHETHER THE NORTH KOREANS ARE GIVING HONEST INFORMATION. HE ADDED THAT IF THEY FOLLOWED THEIR PREVIOUS JAPANESE TRAINING THE INFORMATION PROBABLY IS HONEST.

THE SPOKESMAN WOULD NOT ATTEMPT TO SAY WHAT NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS WOULD CONSIDER VERY HEAVY CASUALTIES TO BE. HE SAID AMERICAN COMMANDERS WOULD REGARD CASUALTIES OF 10 PER CENT AS VERY HEAVY.

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(190) KOREA-POLITICS

WASHINGTON, AUG. 24-(AP)-CHAIRMAN GUY GABRIELSON OF THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE SAID TODAY HIS PARTY HAS NO INTENTION OF JOINING IN A "CONSPIRACY OF SILENCE" ON FOREIGN POLICY IN THE COMING ELECTION CAMPAIGNS.

HE ISSUED A STATEMENT REPLYING TO ONE MADE TO WHITE HOUSE NEWSMEN YESTERDAY BY CHAIRMAN WILLIAM BOYLE OF THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE. BOYLE SAID IF THE GOP TRIES TO MAKE THE KOREAN WAR A POLITICAL ISSUE "IT WILL REDOUND AGAINST THEM." HE ADDED HIS COMMITTEE WOULD NOT ALLOW THE KOREAN MATTER TO BECOME A POLITICAL ISSUE.

"IT IS BECOMING CLEAR," GABRIELSON REPLIED TODAY, "THAT THE ADMINISTRATION AND ITS FOLLOWERS REALIZE THAT THEIR POLICY BLUNDERS WHICH CONTRIBUTED TO THE SURRENDER OF HALF OF ASIA AND HALF OF EUROPE TO SOVIET DOMINATION AND CULMINATED IN THE KOREAN WAR CAN NEITHER BE ALIBIED NOR COVERED.

"THE STATEMENT ON THE WHITE HOUSE STEPS BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE THAT THE DEMOCRATS WILL NOT DISCUSS FOREIGN POLICY BUT FOLLOW THE PRESIDENT IS A BLANKET ADMISSION THAT THE FACTS WILL BE KEPT FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE IF THE ADMINISTRATION HAS ITS WAY.

"REPUBLICANS HAVE NO INTENTION OF JOINING IN ANY SUCH CONSPIRACY OF SILENCE.

"FIVE YEARS OF FUMBLING CANNOT BE ERASED BY SENDING UNPREPARED AND IMPROPERLY EQUIPPED AMERICAN TROOPS INTO KOREA."

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TRUMAN-KOREA

WASHINGTON, AUG. 24-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TODAY HE CAN NOT PREDICT WITH CERTAINTY WHEN THE KOREAN WAR WILL END.

HE MADE HIS OBSERVATION AT A NEWS CONFERENCE AFTER A REPORTER NOTED THAT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON HAD EXPRESSED A BELIEF IT WILL BE OVER IN SIX TO EIGHT MONTHS.

MR. TRUMAN SAID HE DOES NOT FEEL IT CAN BE SAID WITH ANY CERTAINTY WHEN THE WAR WILL END. ANY MILITARY MANEUVERS WILL END.

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DUTCH TROOPS (130)

SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 24-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS TROOPS IN KOREA ARE SOON TO BE AUGMENTED BY 2,000 DUTCH INFANTRYMEN--MOST OF THEM BATTLE-TRAINED VETERANS OF THE INDONESIAN FIGHTING.

THIS FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT THAT HOLLAND WOULD AID IN THE KOREAN GROUND FIGHTING WAS MADE YESTERDAY BY J. P. BOURDREZ, HEAD OF THE NETHERLANDS INFORMATION BUREAU.

HE SAID ALL OF THE TROOPS WILL BE VOLUNTEERS. ABOUT ONE THIRD WILL BE DUTCH MARINES TRAINED IN THE UNITED STATES IN WORLD WAR II.

THE FORCE ALSO WILL INCLUDE A SMALL CONTINGENT OF NETHERLANDS WACS TO PERFORM MEDICAL AND CLERICAL DUTIES.

BOURDREZ SAID HOLLAND WILL DEPEND UPON THE U.S. FOR TANKS AND ARTILLERY FOR ITS TROOPS, WHO WILL LAND IN KOREA IN A FEW WEEKS.

A DUTCH DESTROYER HAS SERVED WITH U.N. NAVAL FORCES SINCE THE KOREAN FIGHTING BEGAN.

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A31 (530)
BY GLENN WILLIAMS
LONDON, AUG 24-(AP)-NEW REARMAMENT PROGRAMS DRAWN UP BY EUROPEAN ALLIES OF THE UNITED STATES FALL FAR SHORT OF WHAT IS NEEDED TO MEET THE THREAT OF COMMUNIST AGGRESSION, COMPETENT SOURCES SAID TONIGHT.
DEPUTIES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL WHO RECONVENED HERE THIS WEEK HAVE FITTED THE INDIVIDUAL PROGRAMS TOGETHER.
MATCHED AGAINST THE NEEDS OUTLINED BY MILITARY STRATEGISTS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE, THEY LEAVE A LARGE GAP, THE INFORMANTS SAID.
MOST OF THE EUROPEAN NATIONS ALSO APPEAR TO HAVE COUNTED ON UNITED STATES MILITARY AID FOR TOO LARGE A PERCENTAGE OF THEIR REARMAMENT PROGRAMS.
THE PROGRAMS WERE SUBMITTED EARLY THIS MONTH IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
BRITAIN, FOR INSTANCE, PROPOSED TO INCREASE DEFENSE SPENDING FROM THE PRESENT ANNUAL LEVEL OF £780,000,000 ($2,184,000,000) TO ABOUT £1,100,000,000 ($3,080,000,000) A YEAR FOR THE NEXT THREE YEARS. OF THE INCREASED SPENDING, THE UNITED STATES WAS EXPECTED TO PROVIDE ABOUT $1,400,000,000 -- NEARLY ALL THE INCREASE. See Cgn
SIMILAR PATTERNS, ON A SMALL SCALE, MARKED THE REARMAMENT PROPOSALS OF OTHER EUROPEAN ALLIES. THE NATIONS IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE, BESIDES THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA, ARE BRITAIN, FRANCE, NORWAY, DENMARK, THE NETHERLANDS, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, ITALY, ICELAND AND PORTUGAL.
MOST OF THE EUROPEAN ALLIES LARGELY ARE BASING THEIR PROGRAMS FOR INCREASED ARMAMENTS ON TWO FACTORS: WHAT THEY CAN DO WITH THEIR OWN RESOURCES WITHOUT PINCHING JOHN TAXPAYER MUCH HARDER, AND WHAT THEY CAN GET FROM THE UNITED STATES.
IN ADDITION, MOST OF THEM SEEM TO FEEL THAT A PROGRAM REACHING ITS PEAK IN TWO TO THREE YEARS IS FAST ENOUGH.
THE UNITED STATES' VIEW IS THAT EVERY NATION IN THE ANTI-COMMUNIST ALLIANCE, INCLUDING THE UNITED STATES, IS GOING TO HAVE TO GIVE UP SOME OF ITS LUXURIES AND COMFORTS TO BUY MORE GUNS AND THAT A DEADLINE OF A YEAR OR SO IS NOT TOO SOON TO HAVE THE GUNS READY AT HAND.
THE UNITED STATES WAS REPORTED TO BE PUSHING THIS VIEWPOINT WITH AS MCH SUBTLETY AS POSSIBLE DURING THIS PERIOD WHEN THE FIRST BIDS FOR EACH NATION'S SHARE OF REARMAMENT ARE BEING CLOSELY EXAMINED.
THE UPSHOT IS LIKELY TO BE A REQUEST BY THE COUNCIL -- NOT BY THE UNITED STATES ALONE -- THAT ITS MEMBERS THINK AGAIN AND TURN IN NEW, BIGGER AND QUICKER ARMS PROGRAMS.
A QUESTION THAT IS BEING EXAMINED SIDE BY SIDE WITH THE SPEED AND AMOUNT OF REARMAMENT IS THAT OF PAYING THE BILL FOR GUNS AND AMMUNITION.

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THERE IS INCREASED AMERICAN UNDERSTANDING OF EUROPEAN RELUCTANCE TO TIGHTEN AGAIN BELTS THAT WERE JUST BEGINNING TO GET COMFORTABLY LOOSE FROM THE HITCH TAKEN IN THEM DURING WORLD WAR II.
THE AMERICAN VIEW IS, HOWEVER, THAT THE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES STILL MUST DIG MUCH DEEPER.
SOME OF THE AMERICAN SENSE OF URGENCY SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN COMMUNICATED TO THE EUROPEANS SINCE THE KOREAN WAR BROKE OUT. AS ONE INFORMED PERSON PUT IT, THE EUROPEANS "ARE MOVING THE RIGHT WAY BUT THEY HAVEN'T GONE FAR ENOUGH YET."
ARMS PROGRAMS ARE AT LEAST BEGINNING TO BE CONTRACTED, MILITARY MANPOWER SHIFTS ARE BEGINNING TO TAKE PLACE AND THE AMERICANS FEEL THAT A BEGINNING HAS BEEN MADE.
A REPORT ON WHAT ARMS ARE IN BEING, WHERE THEY ARE, THE STATE OF THEIR READINESS, AND WHAT PROGRAMS ARE PLANNED IS BEING PREPARED BY THE DEPUTIES FOR SUBMISSION TO THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE 12 NATIONS WHEN THEY MEET IN NEW YORK SEPT. 15.
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LONDON--EUROPEAN REARMAMENT (A31) SIXTH GRAPH BEGINNING "BRITAIN, FOR" READ AT END X X X UNITED STATES WAS EXPECTED TO PROVIDE ABOUT $448,000,000 (M) ANNUALLY OVER THE THREE YEAR PERIOD--A SUBSTANTIAL PART OF THE INCREASE (REWORDING).
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B43 (Q)
LONDON, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE COMMUNISTS MADE PROPAGANDA TODAY OF THE RETURN TO HUNGARY OF A PHYSICIST WHO AT ONE TIME WORKED WITH ATOMIC SCIENTISTS IN BRITAIN.
THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS QUOTED PROF. LAJOS JANOSSY, WHO TWO WEEKS AGO QUIT THE INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED SCIENCES IN DUBLIN TO TAKE A BUDAPEST UNIVERSITY POST:
"IN THE WEST, THEY HAVE WANTED TO USE THE RESULTS OF MY (COSMIC RAY) RESEARCHES FOR FURTHER PREPARATIONS FOR WAR. HERE IN HUNGARY, THESE RESULTS ARE OF SERVICE TO PEACEFUL CONSTRUCTION."
DURING THE WAR, THE 38-YEAR-OLD PROFESSOR -- BORN IN HUNGZRY -- ENGAGED IN COSMIC RAY S

DURING THE WAR, THE 38-YEAR-OLD PROFESSOR -- BORN IN HUNGARY -- ENGAGED IN COSMIC RAY STUDIES FOR THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT. LAST YEAR, JANOSSY WAS PHOTOGRAPHED ALONGSIDE DR. KLAUS EMIL JULIUS FUCHS, NOW IN PRISON FOR PASSING ATOMIC INFORMATION TO RUSSIA.
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LONDON, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE U.S. GOVERNMENT TODAY ORDERED COPIES OF A NEW BRITISH GUIDE ON CIVIL DEFENSE, TO BE USED IN BASIC INSTRUCTION, ITS PUBLISHERS SAID.
THE MUNICIPAL JOURNAL, WHICH PUBLISHED THE 36-PAGE BOOKLET "THE FACTS ABOUT CIVIL DEFENSE" IN COLLABORATION WITH THE BRITISH HOME OFFICE, SAID THE ORDER CAME FROM THE U.S. NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURRCES BOARD IN WASHINGTON.
IT WAS MADE BY TELEPHONE BY ERIC BIDDLE, CHIEF OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL DEFENSE TRAINING PROGRAM OF THE BOARD, THE JOURNAL SAID, AND WAS FOR A "LARGE" NUMBER OF COPIES. THE BOOKLET WILL BE READY IN SEPTEMBER.
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LONDON, AUG. 24-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A CABLEGRAM SENT TO THE UNITED NATIONS BY PREMIER-FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT, AS BROADCAST BY THE NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY AND MONITORED HERE BY TELERADIO: (ABOUT 300)

MR.JAKOB MALIK (PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR AUGUST)--ON JUNE 27TH THIS YEAR PRESIDENT TRUMAN OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ANNOUNCED THE DECISION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT TO PREVENT WITH ARMED FORCES THE LIBERATION OF TAIWAN (FORMOSA) BY THE CHINESE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY. MEANWHILE, THE UNITED STATES SEVENTH FLEET MOVED TOWARDS THE STRAITS OF TAIWAN, FOLLOWED BY THE ARRIVAL IN TAIWAN OF CONTINGENTS OF THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE, IN AN OPEN ENCROACHMENT OF THE TERRITORY OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA. THIS ACTION ON THE PART OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IS A DIRECT ARMED AGGRESSION ON THE TERRITORY OF CHINA AND A TOTAL VIOLATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER.

TAIWAN IS AN INTEGRAL PART OF CHINA. THIS IS NOT ONLY A FACT BASED ON HISTORY, CONFIRMED BY THE SITUATION SINCE THE SURRENDER OF JAPAN, BUT IT IS ALSO STIPULATED IN THE CAIRO DECLARATION OF 1943 AND THE POTSDAM COMMUNIQUE OF 1945 AS BINDING INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS WHICH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT HAS PLEDGED ITSELF TO RESPECT AND OBSERVE.

THE PEOPLE OF CHINA CANNOT TOLERATE THIS ACTION OF ARMED AGGRESSION BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT ON THE TERRITORY OF CHINA, AND ARE DETERMINED TO LIBERATE FROM THE TENTACLES OF THE UNITED STATES AGGRESSORS TAIWAN AND ALL OTHER TERRITORY BELONGING TO CHINA.

ON BEHALF OF THE CENTRAL PEOPLE'S GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA I NOW LODGE THIS ACCUSATION WITH THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL AND PROPOSE THAT, FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY AND FOR THE UPHOLDING OF THE DIGNITY OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER, THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL IS OBLIGED BY ITS INALIENABLE DUTIES TO CONDEMN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT FOR ITS CRIMINAL ACT IN THE ARMED INVASION OF THE TERRITORY OF CHINA, AND TO TAKE IMMEDIATE MEASURES TO BRING ABOUT THE COMPLETE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL THE UNITED STATES ARMED INVADING FORCES FROM TAIWAN AND FROM OTHER TERRITORIES BELONGING TO CHINA.

SIGNED, CHOU EN LAI, MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS, PEKING.

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london, aug. 24--(ap)--british commonwealth officials have expressed the belief that the united states may soon suggest that countries favoring a quick peace treaty with japan sign their own individual or bilateral pacts, ignoring russia.

although state department sources in washington

such proposal, it is known here

that the british have discussed such proposal, it would mean that the u.s. had shelved its

such proposal would be a joint international peace conference, the korean

earlier plan to call a joint international peace conference, the korean

war already has caused the americans to decide that the russians and possibly

communist china may have to be by-passed.

at least three commonwealth representatives in london have

reported to their governments that u.s. attitude on the japanese peace

treaty has been considerably revised by the korean fighting. they say the

subject may come up at the meeting of the british, french and american

foreign ministers in new york sept. 12.

diplomats here say that the events in asia have made

western countries feel more and more urgently the need of japanese friendship

the diplomats appear to feel that this can ~~only~~ be brought about ~~by~~ only by negotiating a peace treaty with the former enemy country as quickly as possible.

if this is done without participation by the two big communist states, it will open the way for bitter russian and chinese charges that the west has violated the allied declaration of 1942 and the potsdam agreement of 1945 which bound the powers NOT to conclude separate treaties.

the attitude seems to be growing that the west is willing to risk this to strengthen its faltering grip in the far east.

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NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY
BY PHILIP CLARKE

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG 24-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TODAY VOTED ITS SUPPORT FOR A EUROPEAN SOCIAL SECURITY CODE TO RAISE BENEFITS IN EACH MEMBER STATE TO "AN EQUALLY HIGH LEVEL."

A TOTAL OF 88 REPRESENTATIVES LINED UP ON A ROLL CALL VOTE BEHIND A RESOLUTION ASKING THE 15 MEMBER GOVERNMENTS OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE TO CONVENE A CONFERENCE TO DRAFT SUCH A CODE. THERE WERE SIX ABSTENTIONS, BUT NO OPPOSITION VOTES.

THE ASSEMBLY THEN UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED A RESOLUTION CALLING ON MEMBER GOVERNMENTS TO EXTEND THE SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFIT CLAUSES OF THE FIVE-POWER BRUSSELS TREATY TO ALL MEMBERS. THIS WOULD ALLOW MIGRANT WORKERS IN ANOTHER COUNTRY TO COLLECT EQUAL SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS.

TAKING ANOTHER STEP TOWARD FEDERATION OF EUROPE, THE ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE ADOPTED A RESOLUTION PROPOSING AUTHORIZATION FOR SPECIALIZED SUPRA-NATIONAL AUTHORITIES IN THE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, JURIDICAL AND CULTURAL FIELDS. ALL EUROPEAN NATIONS WOULD BE FREE TO JOIN.

THESE ACTIONS CAME AS SOCIALIST MEMBERS FORMALLY LAUNCHED A "DECLARATION OF STRASBOURG" CALLING FOR A PEACEFUL WORLD WITHOUT APPEASING AGGRESSION.

BRITISH LABORITE MAURICE EDELMAN AND BELGIAN SOCIALIST VICTOR LAROCK FILED THE DECLARATION AS A MOTION AND WILL ASK THE ASSEMBLY TO INDORSE IT. THE DECLARATION WAS DESCRIBED AT A NEWS CONFERENCE AS THE WEST'S REPLY TO THE COMMUNIST-INSPIRED "STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL," WHICH DEMANDS OUTLAWING OF THE ATOMIC BOMB.

THE DECLARATION SETS FORTH:

"THIS ASSEMBLY OF FREE PEOPLES,

"PLEDGING ITS SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN THEIR RESISTANCE TO AGGRESSION IN KOREA OR WHEREVER ELSE IT MAY ARISE,

"REPUDIATING ANY ATTEMPTS TO ACHIEVE INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENTS BY APPEASEMENT OF AGGRESSORS,

"AND RESOLUTE IN THE DETERMINATION OF ITS MEMBERS TO UNDERTAKE WHAT EVER BURDENS MAY BE NECESSARY FOR THEIR INDIVIDUAL AND COLLECTIVE DEFENSE,

"AFFIRMS THE PROFOUND DESIRE OF ITS MEMBERS:

"TO LIVE IN PEACE WITH EACH OTHER AND WITH THEIR NEIGHBORS,

"TO PROMOTE BY EVERY MEANS IN THEIR POWER THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF OUTSTANDING DIFFERENCES BETWEEN NATIONS,

"TO SUPPORT THE UNITED NATIONS IN SEEKING TO ESTABLISH THE COMPLETE INDEPENDENCE OF THE KOREAN PEOPLE AND TO PERSEVERE IN STRIVING TO CREATE THE CONDITIONS FOR A SECURE, PEACEFUL AND PROSPEROUS LIFE FOR ALL."

IN THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE DEBATE ON THE PROPOSED SUPRA-NATIONAL POLITICAL AUTHORITY, FORMER FRENCH PREMIER GEORGES BIDAULT THREATENED TO RESIGN AS CHAIRMAN UNLESS THE AUTHORITY WAS GIVEN THE RIGHT TO HANDLE DEFENSE MATTERS OF A POLITICAL CHARACTER. A COMPROMISE CLAUSE DRAFTED BY OSMAN KAPANI OF TURKEY WAS VOTED 15 TO SIX. BRITISH LABORITES AND SCANDINAVIANS OPPOSED THE CLAUSE.

THE RESOLUTION MUST OBTAIN A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY VOTE FROM THE FULL ASSEMBLY BEFORE GOING TO THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS, THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE. IT CAN BE BLOCKED THERE BY A SINGLE NATION VETO, SUCH AS THAT USED BY BRITAIN EARLIER THIS MONTH TO RULE OUT ASSEMBLY BIDS FOR MORE POWER.

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BY JOSEPH E. DYNAN

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 2-(AP)-EUROPEAN SOCIALISTS TODAY PUSHED A COUNTERATTACK ON THE COMMUNIST-SPONSORED "STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL" IN THE EAST-WEST PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN.

TERMED THE "DECLARATION OF STRASBOURG," THE SOCIALIST DOCUMENT CALLS FOR "PEACE WITHOUT APPEASEMENT." ITS AUTHORS INTEND TO PRESS FOR ITS ADOPTION BY THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK.

BRITISH LABORITE MAURICE EDELMAN AND BELGIAN SOCIALIST VICTOR LAROK, CHIEF BACKERS OF THE DECLARATION, ASSERTED IT WOULD BE "THE WEST'S ANSWER TO COMMUNISM'S PHONEY PEACE TALK." HENRI ROLIN, ALSO A BELGIAN SOCIALIST, HELPED FRAME THE DECLARATION BUT REFUSED TO GO ALONG WITH THE FINAL DRAFT WHICH FAILED TO INCLUDE HIS PROPOSAL FOR MEDIATION BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE UNITED STATES.

THE THREE MAIN POINTS OF THE DECLARATION CALL FOR SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT, OPPOSITION TO ANY APPEASEMENT OF AGGRESSORS, AND ACTIVE EFFORTS TO SOLVE WORLD ISSUES BY PEACEFUL MEANS.

THE STOCKHOLM APPEAL URGES ONLY THE PROHIBITION OF ATOMIC WEAPONS.

ANDRE PHILIP OF FRANCE, MEANWHILE, CONVENED A MEETING OF THE FEDERALIST ASSEMBLYMEN FOR FRIDAY TO PLEDGE THEIR CONTINUED EFFORTS TO ACHIEVE EUROPEAN UNION.

UNDER PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE STATUTE, ENDORSED IN THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE LATE TUESDAY, REGIONAL FEDERATIONS COULD BE FORMED WITHIN THE COUNCIL BY ONLY A FEW OF THE MEMBER STATES. THE AMENDMENTS OBVIOUSLY WERE AIMED AT BRITISH RELUCTANCE TO RELINQUISH NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY TO REGIONAL GROUPS.

BRITISH CONSERVATIVES EXPRESSED DISMAY AT THIS DEVELOPMENT--INITIATED BY FRANCE, ITALY AND WEST GERMANY. THE BRITISH TORIES SAID IT REFLECTS BRITAIN'S "ABJECT ABDICATION" OF EUROPEAN LEADERSHIP.

FORMATION OF A REGIONAL FEDERATION BY FRANCE, ITALY AND GERMANY, THEY SAID, WOULD ULTIMATELY MEAN BRITAIN WOULD BE FROZEN OUT AND THAT GERMANY COULD TAKE OVER EUROPEAN LEADERSHIP ALONE OR IN PARTNERSHIP WITH FRANCE.

BRITAIN'S ALOOFNESS TO THE SCHUMAN STEEL-COAL POOL IS ANOTHER PART OF THE SAME PICTURE, THEY MAINTAINED.

THE ASSEMBLY HEADED FOR A RECESS SOME TIME EARLY NEXT WEEK AS THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE TOOK UP THE "POINT PROGRESS REPORT" ON WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY.

THE ASSEMBLY'S SECURITY SUB-COMMITTEE, BOWING TO OPPOSITION FROM BRITISH LABOR AND THE SCANDINAVIANS, DECIDED YESTERDAY NOT TO PRESS FOR A FORMAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION AT THIS TIME.

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PARIS, AUG. 24-(AP)-BRITISH AND FRENCH CABINET MINISTERS HELD A DAY-LONG CONFERENCE HERE ON PROBLEMS OF FINANCING BRITISH-FRENCH REARMAMENT PROGRAMS.

DETAILS OF THE TALKS TODAY WERE NOT DISCLOSED BUT A WELL INFORMED SOURCE SAID STRENGTHENING OF ALLIED OCCUPATION FORCES IN GERMANY WAS A PRIME TOPIC FOR DISCUSSION.

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PARIS, AUG. 24-(AP)-NATIONAL DEFENSE MINISTER JULES MOCH TODAY TOLD THREE SECRETARIES OF STATE--FOR THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIRFORCE--TO STOP PLAGUING HIM WITH DEMANDS FOR PROMOTIONS AND DECORATIONS FOR INDIVIDUALS AND WITH REQUESTS TO GET VARIOUS PERSONS OUT OF THE FORCES.

"SUCH DEMANDS DEMONSTRATE A SINGULAR STATE OF MIND THAT MUST BE CORRECTED AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE," MOCH WARNED, ADDING:

"WE HAVE AN ESSENTIAL TASK TO FULFILL: TO PERMIT FRANCE TO DEFEND HER FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE IN CASE OF AGGRESSION. THAT REQUIRES THAT WE CONCENTRATE ON ESSENTIAL PROBLEMS."

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PMS BUDGET (370)
TRIESTE-YUGOSLAV
BY JAMES M. LONG

TRIESTE, AUG. 24-(AP)-TEN THOUSAND BRITISH AND AMERICAN TROOPS ARE READY HERE IF COMMUNISM'S NEXT ARMED BLOW FALLS ON NEIGHBORING YUGOSLAVIA.

GARRISONING THIS ALLIED GUARDED FREE TERRITORY ON THE YUGOSLAV-ITALIAN BORDER, THEY ARE "COMBAT READY" IN TRAINING AND EQUIPMENT. BUT THEY SIT ON A SPOT TOO TIGHT TO HOLD--AND BACKED BY AN ITALIAN ARMY PROBABLY STILL TOO WEAK TO HELP.

THEIR CHIEF BULWARK IS THE OPINION--HELD BY AMERICAN MILITARY OBSERVERS HERE AND IN ROME--THAT THE YUGOSLAV ARMY WOULD BE A TOUGH NUT FOR OTHER COMMUNIST STATES TO CRACK.

PROBABLY NO ONE OUTSIDE THE KREMLIN KNOWS IF SUCH AN INVASION BLOW IS SCHEDULED FOR YUGOSLAV MARSHAL TITO'S TOUGH LITTLE ANTI-STALIN COMMUNIST STATE.

BUT IF SUCH A RED MOVE SHOULD COME, MOST OBSERVERS THINK THE ANGLO-AMERICAN FORCES HERE WOULD BE REINFORCED QUICKLY AND ORDERED INTO THE FIGHT. U.S. ACTION IN KOREA IS AN EXAMPLE.

WELL-QUALIFIED OPINION HERE HOLDS THAT TITO'S TROOPS ARE EQUAL TO OR BETTER THAN ANYTHING THAT ANY ONE OR TWO OF THE SURROUNDING SOVIET SATELLITE POWERS COULD MUSTER FOR AN ATTACK.

BUT HIT BY THEM ALL--HUNGARY, ROMANIA, BULGARIA, ALBANIA--AND BY STRONG SOVIET SUPPORT, YUGOSLAVIA WOULD NEED HELP.

THIS THIN STRIP OF ALLIED-GUARDED FREE TERRITORY IS FIVE MILES DEEP AND 20 MILES LONG, CENTERED ON THE PORT AND NAVAL BASIN OF TRIESTE. IT IS THE BASE FROM WHICH THAT HELP WOULD HAVE TO COME.

NO ONE KNOWS WHAT ITALY WOULD DO. SHE HAS NO LOVE FOR YUGOSLAVIA. SHE PROBABLY WOULD HELP IN A FIGHT TO KEEP HER OWN FRONTIERS FROM BEING THE NEXT TO BE BREACHED. BUT HER FIGHTING FORCE IS LIMITED BY HER WORLD WAR TWO PEACE TREATY TO LESS THAN YUGOSLAVIA'S. ITALY IS THE WEAKEST LINK IN THE WESTERN WALL.

TRIESTE ITSELF WOULD BE USEFUL AS A BASE ONLY IF A SOVIET ATTACK COULD BE CHECKED FAR SHORT OF IT. THE BRITISH-AMERICAN ZONES ARE STRETCHED ALONG THE COASTAL FLATLAND, VIRTUALLY UNTENABLE AGAINST ATTACK FROM THE 1,000-FOOT-HIGH INLAND PLAIN WHICH LOOKS DOWN FROM WITHIN CLOSE ARTILLERY RANGE.

THE AMERICAN FORCE HERE IS LIMITED BY THE PEACE TREATY TO 5,000 MEN AND THUS CANNOT NOW BE REINFORCED. THE BRITISH ELEMENT OF THE TRIESTE FORCE ALSO IS 5,000 STRONG AND LIMITED TO THAT FIGURE.

THE U.S. TROOPS ARE MEMBERS OF THE 351ST INFANTRY REGIMENT, WITH SUPPORTING AUXILIARY UNITS. THEIR OFFICERS SAY 30 PER CENT OF THE MEN ARE COMBAT VETERANS.

THEIR COMMANDER IS MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM M. HOGE, GEN. GEORGE PATTON'S OLD FOURTH ARMORED DIVISION COMMANDER, WHO LED HIS TROOPS IN THE BATTLE OF THE BULGE, ACROSS THE RHINE AND FINALLY INTO CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

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VATICAN CITY, AUG. 24-(AP)-VATICAN SOURCES SAID TODAY THREE CZECH BISHOPS HAVE BEEN JAILED IN RECENT INTENSIFIED MEASURES AGAINST THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

THEY WERE NAMED AS BISHOP MICHELE BUZALKA OF BRATISLAVA, AUXILIARY BISHOP STANISLAO ZELA OF OLMUTZ AND AUXILIARY BISHOP STEFAN JOSEF BARNAS OF SCEPUSIO. BISHOP BUZALKA WAS REPORTED CHARGED WITH SABOTAGE. CHARGES AGAINST THE OTHER TWO WERE NOT STATED.

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.24-(AP)-R.P.P. "TURK" WESTERLING, FORMER DUTCH ARMY OFFICER WHO LED A REVOLT AGAINST THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT IN WEST JAVA LAST JANUARY, ARRIVED TODAY AND WAS AUTHORIZED TO REMAIN TEMPORARILY IN BELGIUM.

WESTERLING CAME BY PLANE FROM SINGAPORE. HE WAS OUSTED FROM SINGAPORE FOR ILLEGAL ENTRY, BUT BRITISH JUDGES THERE DECLINED TO EXTRADITE HIM TO INDONESIA FOR TRIAL ON CHARGES OF MURDER AND OTHER CRIMES IN CONNECTION WITH HIS SHOFT-LIVED, ABORTIVE REVOLT.

THE FORMER DUTCH OFFICER APPEARED TO BE A MAN WITHOUT A COUNTRY. A BELGIAN SPOKESMAN SAID HOLLAND HAD REFUSED TO TAKE HIM BACK AND OFFICIAL REPORTS HERE SAID LUXEMBOURG ALSO HAD DENIED HIM ENTRANCE.

HE THEN WAS BROUGHT BACK TO BRUSSELS, WHERE OFFICIALS DECIDED TO LET HIM REMAIN AT FREEDOM PROVIDED HE PROMISED NOT TO TAKE PART IN POLITICS.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG.24-(AP)-TWO OFFICIALS OF THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT FINANCE DEPARTMENT CONFERRED WITH HEADS OF THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE TODAY CONCERNING ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN EUROPE.

THE JAPANESE REPRESENTATIVES, NAOKADO HISHIHARA AND SABURO OKITA, HAVE BEEN TOURING THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE GATHERING INFORMATION AT VARIOUS CAPITALS. AFTER A SHORT STAY IN SWITZERLAND, THEY WILL GO TO MUNICH AND FLY TO INDIA ON AUG.30.

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BY DANIEL DE LUCE

BERLIN, AUG.24-(AP)-GERMAN COMMUNIST LEADERS GREASED THE MACHINERY OF THE "NATIONAL CONGRESS" TODAY FOR UNANIMOUS PASSAGE OF A SERIES OF INFLAMATORY RESOLUTIONS AGAINST THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC AND THE ALLIED POWERS.

THE CONGRESS-BILLED AS THE ONLY TRUE SPOKESMAN FOR ALL GERMANY--OPENS A TWO DAY SESSION HERE LATE TOMORROW.

ITS 3,000 DELEGATES, HANDPICKED BY COMMUNIST ORGANIZERS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ELBE FRONTIER DIVIDING GERMANY, WILL BE GIVEN A LIST OF SOVIET-SPONSORED POLICIES TO ENDORSE.

THE WORDING OF CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTIONS WAS GIVEN A FINAL REVIEW TODAY AT A CLOSED MEETING OF TOP RED OFFICIALS.

TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU, OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF THE SOVIET CONTROLLED COMMISSION, SAID THE MOST IMPORTANT STATEMENT OF THE CONGRESS WOULD CONCERN THE SINGLE-LIST ELECTION IN EAST GERMANY OCT 15. SEVENTY PER CENT OF THE CANDIDATES ARE COMMUNIST.

IN ENDORSING THIS ELECTION, THE RUSSIAN ORGAN SIAD, THE CONGRESS WILL CALL IT "AN ALL-GERMAN FIGHTING PROGRAM FOR THE REUNIFICATION OF GERMANY IN PEACE AND FREEDOM."

BUT 2,000,000 ANTI-COMMUNIST WEST BERLINERS LOOK UPON THE CONGRESS AS MERELY A REPLAYING OF OLD KREMLIN PROPAGANDA TUNES.

LAST YEAR IT WAS A "PEOPLE'S CONGRESS" WHICH DECLAIMED IN EAST BERLIN FOR NATIONAL UNITY ON SOVIET TERMS, FOR OUSTER OF ALLIED TROOPS, AND FOR REPUDIATION OF WEST GERMAN "TRAITORS." THE SAME PHRASES ARE DUE TO BE HEARD AGAIN.

THERE IS ONE FUNDAMENTAL DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE OLD AND NEW CONGRESS, HOWEVER. THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED SINGLE TICKET FOR THE 1949 CONGRESS WAS SUBMITTED TO A PLEBISCITE IN THE SOVIET ZONE. THE SLOGAN ON THE BALLOT WAS "FOR EACE AND INDEPENDENCE," BUT 4,000,000 OUT OF 12,000,000 EAST GERMANS VOTED NO.

THIS YEAR RED LEADERS REFUSED TO RISK ANOTHER CONGRESSIONAL PLEBISCITE. BUT THEY ARE VISIBLY WORRIED AT THE POSSIBILITY OF A LARGE DISSENTING VOTE IN THE OCTOBER ELECTION FOR A NEW EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT.

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BERLIN, AUG.24-(AP)-THE BRITISH CHARGED TODAY THAT 300,000 GERMAN "SLAVE" LABORERS UNDER A COMMUNIST WHIPLASH ARE MINING URANIUM ORE--ESSENCE OF ATOMIC BOMBS--NIGHT AND DAY IN EAST GERMANY "FOR THE SOLE BENEFIT OF THE RUSSIAN WAR MACHINE."

"MILLIONS OF TONS OF GERMAN URANIUM ORE" FOR THE SOVIET IS BEING PRODUCED IN "LITTLE SIBERIA" PRISON CAMP CONDITIONS, SAID A REPORT BY BRITISH CONTROL COMMISSION AUTHORITIES.

UNSKILLED, IMPRESSED LABOR IS PAID LESS THAN $2 WEEKLY, IT WAS SAID.

DETAILING THE "FRANTIC" 24-HOUR-A-DAY OPERATIONS INSIDE BARBED-WIRE ENCLOSED SHAFTS, THE BRITISH STATEMENT OBSERVED:

"THE ONLY BENEFICIARIES OF THIS EXTRAVAGANT DRIVE ARE THE RUSSIANS. THE EAST GERMAN ECONOMY GETS NOTHING OUT OF IT, BUT IS EVEN DISRUPTED BY THE INEXHAUSTIBLE DEMANDS.

"IT CAN ONLY BE CONCLUDED THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE IN URGENT NEED OF URANIUM FOR PURPOSES OTHER THAN PEACEFUL RECONSTRUCTION."

THE BRITISH REPORT COMMENTED THAT THIS CAMPAIGN "SUPPLIES SOVIET RUSSIA WITH THE ESSENCE OF THE ATOM BOMB WHICH THEY SO VOCIFEROUSLY CONDEMN."

THE REPORT NOTED:

FIVE THOUSAND NKVD (SECRET POLICE) AGENTS ARE ON THE STAFF OF THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED WISMUTH A.G. MONOPOLY WHICH OPERATES THE URANIUM MINES IN EAST GERMANY. EXTREME SECURITY IS MAINTAINED, TO THE EXTENT THAT EAST GERMANS HAVING RELATIVES IN THE WESTERN ZONE NO LONGER ARE PERMITTED INTO THE MINES. THE ALL-POWERFUL WISMUTH HAS IMMUNITY FROM ALL GERMAN COURTS, WITH LIFE AND DEATH POWER OVER MINERS, AUTHORITY OVER ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROPERTY, AND ALL THE EAST GERMAN FUNDS IT NEEDS.

THE "SLAVE" LABOR IS CONSCRIPTED IN VARIOUS WAYS, ACCORDING TO THE BRITISH REPORT. GERMAN RED PARTY LEADERS FILL THE CORPORATION'S

MANPOWER DEMANDS. THE MINERS ARE CULLED FROM CRIMINALS AND POLITICAL OPPONENTS, OR SIMPLY SHANGHAIED. IN OTHER FIELDS WORKERS ARE LAID OFF, THEN TAPPED FOR THE URANIUM WORKINGS. THEIR FOOD RATION CARDS ARE TAKEN AWAY IF THEY REFUSE, THE BRITISH ANALYSIS SAID.

MALES 17 TO 50 YEARS OLD ARE DRAFTED. WOMEN WORKERS RANGE FROM 18 TO 55. INCLUDED IN THE URANIUM LABOR FORCE ARE A FEW "VOLUNTEER" BLUE-SHIRT GERMAN COMMUNISTS UNDER 17 YEARS OF AGE. THE BRITISH REPORT SAID MOTHERS ALSO HAVE BEEN PUT TO WORK IN THE PITS, BARRED FROM VISITING THEIR CHILDREN EXCEPT UNDER SPECIAL PERMISSION.

SQUALID" LIVING CONDITIONS AND MEAGER PAY ARE SAID TO BE THE RULE. THE AVERAGE WAGE OF THE UNSKILLED URANIUM LABORER IS REPORTED TO BE LESS THAN $8.00 A MONTH. SO-CALLED "ELITE" WORKERS GET UP TO $56.000 MONTHLY.

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MANY MINERS SUFFER FROM THE OCCUPATIONAL DISEASE OF LUNG CANCER. RUSSIAN DOCTORS RULE LABORERS ABLE TO CONTINUE TO WORK IF THEY ARE ONLY HALF-DISABLED, SAID THE BRITISH REPORT, ADDING:

"HOSPITALS ARE FULL OF MINERS WHO HAVE EITHER SUSTAINED INJURIES OR FALLEN ILL."

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BERLIN, AUG.24-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST LEADERS TODAY REVIVED PUBLICLY THE CASE OF NOEL H. FIELD, PREWAR EMPLOYE OF THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT, WHO DISAPPEARED BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN IN MAY, 1949.

FIELD HAS NOT BEEN HEARD FROM SINCE HE LEFT SWITZERLAND, OSTENSIBLY BOUND FOR PRAGUE. HIS WIFE, MRS. HERTA FIELD, AND HIS BROTHER, HERMANN FIELD, A CLEVELAND, OHIO, ARCHITECT, SINCE HAVE DISAPPEARED WHILE SEARCHING FOR NEL IN SOVIET SATELLITE STATES.

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WHILE SEARCHING FOR NOEL IN SOVIET SATELLITE STATES.

THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE EAST GERMAN SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY SAID IT HAD LEARNED OF "CONNECTIONS OF FORMER GERMAN POLITICAL EMIGRANTS WITH A SPY OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM, NOEL H. FIELD."

A COMMUNIQUE ON THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETING SAID IT HAD ORDERED ITS POLITBURO TO TAKE THE "NECESSARY MEASURES" IN THE FIELD CASE.

THE COMMUNIQUE DID NOT SAY WHAT THESE MEASURES WILL BE.

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BERLIN, AUG.24-(AP)-EAST GERMAN SOURCES REPORTED TONIGHT THE RETURN TO BERLIN OF PAUL MARKGRAF, LONG-ABSENT FORMER POLICE CHIEF OF THE SOVIET SECTOR OF THE CITY.

AUTHORITIES IN THE SOVIET ZONE INTERIOR MINISTRY SAID MARKGRAF HAD BEEN IN A RUSSIAN WAR ACADEMY UNDERGOING SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PAST YEAR.

MARKGRAF, A FORMER GERMAN ARMY OFFICER, WAS ELEVATED TO THE POLICE PRESIDENCY BY THE RUSSIANS IN 1945. AS FAR BACK AS A YEAR AND A HALF AGO WEST GERMAN NEWSPAPERS SPECULATED THAT MARKGRAF WAS IN TROUBLE WITH THE RUSSIANS.

LAST SUMMER MARKGRAF WAS RELIEVED OF HIS JOB AS EAST BERLIN'S POLICE PRESIDENT WITHOUT EXPLANATION.

ACCORDING TO THE EAST GERMAN SOURCES HE CAME BACK TO BERLIN WITH A GROUP OF 30 FORMER POLICE AND INTERIOR MINISTRY PRO-COMMUNISTS WHO HAD BEEN GIVEN SPECIAL TRAINING IN RUSSIA.

MARKGRAF WAS SAID TO HAVE RETURNED WITH OHE TITLE OF INSPECTOR IN THE PEOPLE'S POLICE.

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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS (WITH FRANKFURT) (260)

BY THOMAS A.REEDY

BERLIN, AUG. 24-(AP)-CHANCELLOR OTTO GROTEWOHL OF THE EAST GERMAN (COMMUNIST) REPUBLIC INDICATED TODAY A NEW CAMPAIGN WILL BE DIRECTED AGAINST REARMING WEST GERMANY.

A STATEMENT BY GROTEWOHL ON THE EVE OF THE COMMUNIST NATION

A STATEMENT BY GROTEWOHL ON THE EVE OF THE COMMUNIST NATIONAL CONGRESS, WHICH MEETS HERE TOMORROW AND SATURDAY, PROMISED A SERIES OF "CONCRETE DECISIONS" AFFECTING WEST GERMANY.

THE STATEMENT APPEALED TO WEST GERMANS TO RESIST MILITARY PREPARATIONS AFFECTING THEMSELVES, ON THE GROUND THAT ANY NEW WAR "WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY LEAD TO THE COMPLETE DEVASTATION OF GERMANY."

WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER HAS CALLED FOR STRONGER OCCUPATION ARMIES AND AUTHORITY FOR GERMAN ARMED FORCES IN VIEW OF REARMAMENT MOVES IN THE EAST GERMAN SOVIET ZONE.

GROTEWOHL'S DECLARATION--PUBLISHED BY THE CONTROLLED COMMUNIST PRESS--AVOIDED ANY MENTION OF EAST GERMANY'S REARMING. THE SOVIET ZONE HAS A POLICE ARMY OF 50,000 GERMANS, REPORTED TRAINED AS A NUCLEUS FOR A LARGER FORCE.

GROTEWOHL'S OUTLINE FOR THE COMMUNIST CONGRESS, WITH ITS 3,000 DELEGATES HAND-PICKED BY COMMUNIST ORGANIZERS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE FRONTIER DIVIDING GERMANY, IS IN KEEPING WITH THE RECENT TREND OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA.

THIS TREND HAS SOUGHT TO INFLUENCE WEST GERMANS INTO THINKING THEY WOULD BE SAFE IF THEY COULD DROP THEIR TIES WITH THE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH OCCUPATION FORCES.

GROTEWOHL CONTENDED THAT "NATIONAL DANGERS" FACE GERMANY FROM THE WEST.

"THE TASK FACING THE (NATIONAL) CONGRESS RESULTS FROM THE NATIONAL DANGER FACING GERMANY," GROTEWOHL SAID.

"FIRST, THE COMPLETE AND FINAL DIVISION IN TWO SECTIONS.

"SECOND, THE DESTRUCTION OF GERMANY'S DOMESTIC TRADE.

"THIRD, THE INCORPORATION OF THE WESTERN PARTS OF OUR FATHERLAND INTO A SYSTEM OF WAR PACTS.

"FOURTH, THE INTENTION TO REGARD THE GERMAN YOUTH AS CANNON FODDER AND TO PLACE THEM UNDER THE COMMAND OF FORMER HITLER GENERALS AND TO LEAD THEM INTO A WAR AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION.

"FIFTH, TO USE THE INDEBTEDNESS OF WEST GERMANY, CAUSED BY THE MARSHALL PLAN, AS A BASIS FOR A POLICY OF COLONIZATION BY THE ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS."

GROTEWOHL SAID, "AGAINST ALL THESE DANGERS, THE NATIONAL CONGRESS WILL TAKE CONCRETE DECISIONS."

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OPTIONAL SECOND NIGHT LEAD GERMAN ARMAMENT (120)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG.24-(AP)-THE RUSSIANS WERE REPORTED TODAY TO BE RAPIDLY EXPANDING THEIR EAST GERMAN POLICE ARMY. U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY SIMULTANEOUSLY WARNED THAT THE SOVIETS APPEAR TO BE TURNING EAST GERMANY INTO AN ADVANCE BASE AIMED AT WESTERN GERMANY AND WESTERN EUROPE.

OTHER ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID TRAINING CAMPS FOR THE EAST GERMAN POLICE, WHO ARE BEING DRILLED ALONG MILITARY LINES, HAVE BEEN INCREASED FROM 11 TO 50 IN LESS THAN SIX MONTHS.

MCCLOY, IN HIS QUARTERLY REPORT ON OCCUPATION AFFAIRS, SAID SOVIET-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY IS BEING SYSTEMATICALLY ALIENATED FROM WESTERN GERMANY AND INTEGRATED INTO RUSSIA'S EAST EUROPEAN ORBIT.

HE TERMED THE REMILITARIZATION PROGRAM IN THE SOVIET ZONE "ONE OF THE MOST SINSISTER DEVELOPMENTS SINCE THE END OF THE WAR."

WHILE THIS TREND WAS BECOMING MORE EVIDENT, THE WESTERN EUROPEAN POWERS CONTINUED TO DEBATE WEST GERMANY'S BID TO SET UP AN ARMED FORCE TO MEET IT.

THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ARMY ALONE IS MORE POWERFUL THAN ANYTHING THE WESTERN POWERS COULD MUSTER AGAINST IT IN GERMANY NOW. ALLIED OFFICIALS SAID THE RUSSIANS HAVE 270,000 MEN, MAKING UP 20 COMBAT DIVISIONS, ON HAND THERE. THE POLICE ARMY SUPPORTING FORCE IS ESTIMATED AT 50,000. THE WEST HAS ONLY ABOUT FIVE COMBAT DIVISIONS IN GERMANY. COMMUNIST PREPONDERANCE IN GERMAN-BASED AIR STRENGTH, ARMOR AND SUPPLIES IS REPORTED TO BE ON ABOUT THE SAME SCALE.

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THE RUSSIANS CONTEND A GERMAN ARMY, BASED ON POLICE AND INDUSTRIAL GUARD DETAILS, IS ALREADY FORMING IN WEST GERMANY. WEST GERMAN AND ALLIED AUTHORITIES HAVE DISMISSED THE ALLEGATION AS WITHOUT FOUNDATION.

THE MOSCOW PERIODICAL NEW TIMES DECLARED TODAY GERMAN MEN APPEARING AT EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES TO SEEK WORK ARE SHANGHAIED INTO THE ARMY. IT SAID DISGUISED MILITARY UNITS NUMBER 107,000 MEN IN THE BRITISH ZONE AND 80,000 IN THE AMERICAN ZONE.

TO DEFEND ALLIED WEST GERMANY, CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER YESTERDAY ASKED FOR A WEST GERMAN FORCE OF PROBABLY 65,000, PLUS INCREASES IN ALLIED OCCUPATION GARRISONS.

ADENAUER'S DEMANDS, UNDERSTOOD TO HAVE AMERICAN SUPPORT, RECEIVED AN EXPRESSION OF "FULL SYMPATHY" TODAY FROM A SPOKESMAN FOR THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE.

HOWEVER, FRANCE WAS HESITANT. OPINION ON ADENAUER'S DEMANDS, AS MIRRORED IN THE PARIS PRESS, RESURRECTED THE OLD FRENCH FEARS OF A REARMED GERMANY.

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THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID ADENAUER'S PROPOSALS FOR WEST GERMAN DEFENSE WOULD BE STUDIED BY THE BIG THREE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS IN NEW YORK NEXT MONTH.

THE COMMUNISTS WERE NOT CONTENT TO RECRUIT ARMY PERSONNEL IN SOVIET-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY.

FORMER GERMAN ARMY OFFICERS LIVING IN WEST GERMANY SAID THEY WERE BEING APPROACHED BY COMMUNIST AGENTS WITH LUCRATIVE OFFERS TO JOIN THE EASTERN FORCES.

ONE IMMEDIATE REACTION TO CHANCELLOR ADENAUER'S PROPOSALS FOR REARMING WEST GERMANY FOR ITS OWN DEFENSE WAS THAT HIS OFFICE IN BONN RECEIVED OFFERS FROM NUMEROUS FORMER OFFICERS TO SERVE AGAIN.

LEADING WEST GERMAN POLITICIANS ARE KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN IN CONSULTATION WITH FORMER OFFICERS ON THE FRAMING OF DEFENSE PLANS TO BE PRESENTED TO THE OCCUPATION POWERS.

THERE WAS A GENERAL CONVICTION IN ALLIED QUARTERS, HOWEVER, THAT THE WEST GERMANS WILL DEMAND CONCESSIONS IN RETURN FOR WHAT THEY MIGHT CONTRIBUTE TO THEIR OWN MILITARY DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNISM.

AND SOME WESTERN MILITARY MEN HAVE SAID GERMAN HELP IS INDISPENSIBLE.

THE WEST GERMAN PRESS AND POLITICIANS HAVE BEEN BRINGING UP SUCH SUBJECTS AS "SOVEREIGNTY" AND FURTHER LIFTING OF ALLIED CONTROLS. THEY HAVE USED SUCH PHRASES AS "IF WE MUST FIGHT WE WANT TO FIGHT AS FREE MEN"--MEANING THAT OCCUPATION CONTROLS DO NOT MEAN FREEDOM.

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BY BRACK CURRY (280)

FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG.24-(AP)-ALLIED OFFICIALS REPORTED TODAY THAT TRAINING CAMPS FOR RUSSIA'S ELITE EAST GERMAN ARMY HAVE BEEN INCREASED FROM 11 TO 50 IN LESS THAN SIX MONTHS.

THIS VAST EXPANSION INDICATES THE RUSSIANS INTEND TO BUILD A HUGE NEW "RED WEHRMACHT" AROUND THIS COMMUNIST ARMED FORCE, THE OFFICIALS DECLARED.

THIS EAST GERMAN FORCE OF 50,000 MEN HAS BEEN TRAINED AS A CADRE FOR A LARGER GERMAN ARMY TAKING ORDERS FROM RUSSIA, THEY SAID. THE OFFICIAL GAVE THIS ASSESSMENT OF DEVELOPMENTS:

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THE DARK-UNIFORMED, JACK-BOOTED FORCE COULD EASILY BE EXPANDED TO 150,000 MEN, PERHAPS IN A MATTER OF WEEKS, WITH THE INCREASE IN TRAINING FACILITIES.

THE TIGHTLY DISCIPLINED OFFICERS AND NON-COMS WILL BE USED TO TRAIN ENLISTED PERSONNEL JUST AS HITLER BUILT HIS WEHRMACHT AROUND THE PROFESSIONAL REICHSWEHR.

ALREADY THE 50,000-MAN EAST GERMAN ARMY GIVES SOVIET RUSSIA A COMBINED RUSSIAN-GERMAN COMBAT FORCE OF 320,000 MEN FACING THE WEST IN EASTERN GERMANY.

NEW EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING LATE MODEL TANKS AND JET PLANES, ARE FLOWING TO THE RED ARMY IN EAST GERMANY. SOME OF IT MAY BE INTENDED FOR THE EAST GERMAN ARMY.

HOWEVER, NO ADDITIONAL SOVIET TROOPS HAVE BEEN SENT TO GERMANY THIS YEAR.

RELIABLE REPORTS FROM INSIDE COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY SHOW THAT THE EAST GERMAN ARMY AND ALL POLICE NUMBER ABOUT 250,000.

THESE FORCES ARE DIVIDED INTO:

1. THE 50,000 MAN BEREITSCHAFTEN (ALERT UNITS). THIS IS THE

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SO-CALLED EAST GERMAN ARMY, ALREADY BRANDED BY THE WESTERN POWERS AS AN ILLEGAL COMMUNIST ARMY CREATED IN VIOLATION OF FOUR POWER AGREEMENTS TO KEEP THE GERMANS DISARMED.

2. 150,000 VOLKSPOLIZEI (PEOPLE'S POLICE). THIS HIGHLY CENTRALIZED FORCE CARRIES ON TRADITIONAL POLICE FUNCTIONS, INCLUDING SECRET POLICE DUTIES.

3. 50,000 OTHER POLICE ASSIGNED TO GUARD BORDERS, FACTORIES, WATERWAYS AND RAILWAYS.

IN A WAR, ONLY THE BEREITSCHAFTEN WOULD MOVE WITH THE RED ARMY. THE "PEOPLE'S POLICE" WOULD BE LEFT BEHIND IN EAST GERMANY TO WATCH THE POPULATION AND PROTECT THE RUSSIANS' REAR.

CONTRARY TO MANY REPORTS, THE BEREITSCHAFTEN ARE NOT YET FULLY EQUIPPED WITH HEAVY WEAPONS.

THE BEREITSCHAFTEN ARE RECEIVING TRAINING IN THE USE OF MORTARS, TANKS, ANTI-TANK GUNS AND ARTILLERY, BUT THEY HAVE NOT BEEN SUPPLIED IN QUANTITY WITH THESE WEAPONS.

THE RED ARMY ALREADY HAS ENOUGH MATERIEL IN EAST GERMANY TO SUPPLY AN OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE WEST WITHOUT FURTHER STOCKPILING FROM RUSSIA. THE RUSSIANS NOW HAVE MORE MEN, PLANES AND TANKS IN GERMANY THAN ALL THE WESTERN POWERS HAVE IN EUROPE.

A RECENT ALLIED ASSESSMENT OF RUSSIAN MILITARY POWER IN EUROPE UNDERSCORES THE BELIEF OF MILITARY EXPERTS THAT THE RUSSIANS COULD SWEEP TO THE ATLANTIC COAST IF THEY DECIDED TO LAUNCH AN ATTACK. BUT THERE ARE NO INDICATIONS OF AN IMMINENT ASSAULT FROM THE EAST.

THIS IS WHAT LATE OFFICIAL REPORTS FROM INSIDE RED GERMANY SHOW:

THE RUSSIANS HAVE 270,000 TROOPS THERE. PREVIOUS ESTIMATES HAD RANGED FROM 200,000 TO 300,000. SUPPORTING THIS FORCE IS THE HIGHLY-TRAINED EAST GERMAN ARMY OF 50,000 MEN. THIS GIVES THE SOVIETS A TOTAL OF 320,000 MEN READY FOR COMBAT IN GERMANY.

BACKING UP THIS FORCE ARE SOME 500,000 HARDENED RUSSIAN TROOPS IN AUSTRIA, POLAND AND THE BALKANS.

RUSSIAN STRENGTH IN EAST GERMANY IS DIVIDED INTO 20 DIVISIONS. HALF OF THESE ARE ARMORED AND HALF ARE INFANTRY. THE WESTERN POWERS IN ALL OF EUROPE HAVE LESS THAN 12 DIVISIONS, INCLUDING OCCUPATION TROOPS IN GERMANY, TO HURL AGAINST THIS FORCE IN A WAR.

THE SOVIET ARMORED DIVISIONS ARE EQUIPPED WITH AROUND 4,000 TANKS. NEW MODELS, INCLUDING THE 33-TON T-34, ARE BEING SHIPPED IN FROM RUSSIA. THIS TANK OUTFOUGHT AMERICAN ARMOR IN THE EARLY STAGES OF THE KOREAN WAR. IT IS CONSIDERED ONE OF THE BEST NOW AVAILABLE TO ANY ARMY.

IN THE AIR, THE RED AIR FORCE IN GERMANY COULD THROW PERHAPS 1,500 FIRST LINE PLANES AT THE WEST IF THE KREMLIN DECIDED TO ATTACK. SEVERAL HUNDRED SOVIET JETS--PERHAPS AS MANY AS 500--ARE BASED ON NEW EAST GERMAN FIELDS. THE SOVIET JETS ARE FIRST CLASS PLANES. THEY ARE MUCH LIKE AMERICA'S FINE F-86.

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OBSOLETE PISTON-TYPE PLANES ARE BEING REPLACED BY JETS. THE RUSSIANS HAVE NO FOUR-ENGINED BOMBERS IN GERMANY BUT THEIR AIR FORCE IS LAVISHLY SUPPLIED WITH DIVE BOMBERS.

THEY HAVE AROUND 30 AIR FIELDS IN EAST GERMANY, NOT ALL USABLE FOR JET PLANES. HEAVY ANTI-AIRCRAFT CONCENTRATIONS HAVE BEEN NOTED AROUND THESE FIELDS.

ON THE EQUIPMENT SIDE, THE RUSSIANS NOW HAVE IN EAST GERMANY ENOUGH FUEL, FOOD, AMMUNITION, ENGINEERING EQUIPMENT AND THE LIKE TO START AN OFFENSIVE. THIS MEANS THAT THE ALLIES MIGHT NOT HAVE MUCH IF ANY ADVANCE NOTICE OF A SOVIET ATTACK. THERE WOULD BE NO TIPOFF FROM A SUDDEN STOCKPILING OF MATERIALS BY THE RED ARMY.

IT IS HOPED THAT ALLIED AGENTS INSIDE EAST GERMANY COULD SLIP OUT WORD OF RUSSIAN TROOP CONCENTRATIONS ALONG THE EAST-WEST GERMAN FRONTIER. AT THE PRESENT, SOVIET ARMED STRENGTH IS DISPERSED FROM ROSTOCK NEAR THE BALTIC SEA TO THE EAST GERMAN-CZECH FRONTIER.

FIVE TANK DIVISIONS ARE BELIEVED GROUPED IN THURINGIA IN THE SOUTHERN PART OF EAST GERMANY. THIS AREA FRONTS ON THE VITAL KASSEL-FRANKFURT AREA OF THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION ZONE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, THURSDAY, AUG. 24)

BY BRACK CURRY

(ADVANCE)-FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG 24-(AP)-U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY WARNED TONIGHT THAT SOVIET RUSSIA APPEARS TO BE BUILDING IN EAST GERMANY AN ADVANCE BASE FROM WHICH A COMMUNIST MOVE AGAINST ALLIED WESTERN GERMANY AND WESTERN EUROPE CAN BE LAUNCHED.

MCCLOY ASSERTED THAT SOVIET-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY WAS BEING SYSTEMATICALLY ALIENATED FROM WESTERN GERMANY AND INTEGRATED INTO THE SOVIET UNION'S EAST EUROPEAN SATELLITE ORBIT.

THE AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSIONER MADE THESE OBSERVATIONS IN HIS QUARTERLY REPORT ON OCCUPATION AFFAIRS.

THEY WERE MADE PUBLIC AT A TIME WHEN THE WESTERN POWERS WERE CONCERNED WITH THE QUESTION OF REARMING WESTERN GERMANY TO HELP DEFEND ITSELF AGAINST POSSIBLE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION FROM THE EAST.

MCCLOY WARNED THAT THE COMMUNIST EAST GERMAN ARMY IS RAPIDLY EXPANDING AND CALLED THE REMILITARIZATION PROGRAM IN THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE "ONE OF THE MOST SINISTER DEVELOPMENTS SINCE THE END OF THE WAR."

THE STRENGTH OF THIS ARMY HAS GROWN TO AT LEAST 50,000 MEN "AND CONSIDERABLE INFORMATION ABOUT TRAINING IN HEAVIER WEAPONS HAS SEEPED THROUGH TO THE WEST," MCCLOY ASSERTED.

HE SAID THE INHABITANTS OF BERLIN REGARD THIS COMMUNIST ARMY AS "POSSIBLE CADRES OF A GERMAN RED ARMY DESIGNED TO WAGE OFFENSIVE CIVIL WAR."

ONLY YESTERDAY AT BONN, WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER APPEALED URGENTLY TO THE WESTERN POWERS TO GRANT WEST GERMANY A DEFENSE FORCE OF ITS OWN TO MATCH THE COMMUNIST POLICE ARMY. ADENAUER ALSO ASKED FOR MORE WESTERN OCCUPATION FORCES TO COUNTERBALANCE RUSSIAN MIGHT ON GERMAN SOIL.

REFERRING TO DEVELOPMENTS IN SOVIET-OCCUPIED EAST GERMANY DURING RECENT MONTHS, MCCLOY SAID DETACHED EASTERN GERMANY SEEMED FIRMLY ON THE ROAD TO FULL SOVIETIZATION.

"WHILE WESTERN GERMANY WAS BEING REINTRODUCED INTO THE DEMOCRATIC FAMILY OF NATIONS OF THE WESTERN WORLD, THE EASTERN REGION, SPLIT OFF BY THE SOVIETS, WAS BEING SYSTEMATICALLY ALIENATED FROM ITS FELLOW GERMANS IN THE WEST AND INTEGRATED INTO THE EASTERN EUROPEAN SATELLITE ORBIT.

"THE SOVIET UNION'S COMMUNIZATION OF EASTERN GERMANY HAS BEEN A MEANS OF STRENGTHENING THE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND MILITARY SINEWS OF THE SOVIET SYSTEM AND, ALSO, AN OPPORTUNITY TO DEVELOP A FORWARD BASE FROM WHICH THE COMMUNIST 'LIBERATION' OF WESTERN GERMANY AND WESTERN

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EUROPE CAN BE LAUNCHED."

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MCCLOY DECLARED, HOWEVER, THAT REPORTS FROM THE SOVIET ZONE INDICATED THE POPULATION THERE WAS "OVERWHELMINGLY ANTAGONISTIC" TO ITS NEW REGIME.

IN ALLIED-OCCUPIED WESTERN GERMANY, MCCLOY REPORTED "CAUTIOUS APPROVAL" BY THE POPULATION OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AT BONN. HE ADDED THAT THERE WAS A GENERAL APATHY IN WESTERN GERMANY TOWARD BECOMING PERSONALLY INVOLVED IN POLITICAL ACTIVITIES.

HE NOTED ALSO THAT "LARGE PROPORTIONS OF THE WESTERN GERMANS WERE SKEPTICAL ABOUT THE PURPOSES AND INTENTIONS OF THEIR POLITICAL PARTIES AND SUSPICIOUS OF THE AIMS OF THEIR LEADERS."

ON THE GENERAL EAST-WEST ISSUE, THE HIGH COMMISSIONER REPORTED THAT GERMAN PUBLIC OPINION SOLIDIFIED FURTHER IN FAVOR OF THE WEST DURING THE FIRST QUARTER OF 1950.

"THE GREAT MAJORITY OF THE GERMANS EXPECTED THAT THE PRESENT STRUGGLE WOULD BE WON BY THE WEST. IN THE LONG RUN, THEY BELIEVED, THE INDUSTRIAL SUPERIORITY OF THE WESTERN WORLD WOULD BE DECISIVE. THEY FERVENTLY HOPED THAT THE COLD WAR WOULD NOT TURN INTO ARMED COMBAT BUT THEY WERE PESSIMISTIC ON THIS SCORE."

DURING THE JANUARY-MARCH PERIOD, THE GERMANS WERE INCLINED TO BELIEVE THAT THE WEST WOULD NEED GERMAN HELP TO WARD OFF ARMED ATTACK, MCCLOY SAID, ADDING:

"THERE WAS LITTLE SUPPORT FOR THE CREATION OF A GERMAN ARMY AS SUCH. MOST GERMANS REJECTED THE PRINCIPLE OF MILITARY SERVICE FOR THEMSELVES AND THEIR CHILDREN, ALTHOUGH THEY APPEARED WILLING TO ACCEPT THE CONCEPT OF A GERMAN UNIT IN A EUROPEAN DEFENSE SYSTEM OR IN CONNECTION WITH THE ATLANTIC PACT."

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prague, czechoslovakia, aug. 24--(ap)--An official Czech news agency report today showed that an American introduced the resolution against the Associated Press and the United Press accepted yesterday by the second world student congress.

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The agency said Mr Holman, vice president of the international union of students (ius), proposed the resolution. The agency, which had previously described him as an american, said in supporting the resolution he talked "in the name of the delegation of the committee for international student cooperation in the u. s. a."

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The Associated Press has been unable to reach Mr Holman for comment or additional information on his identity. The sponsors

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of new the congresshave taken away the passes of both the ~~new~~ AP and UP correspondents here.

Holman was quoted as saying that when the ~~same~~ congress approved a resolution on korea ~~recently~~ a week ago "the american press attempted to convict some american delegates of treason because, ~~of~~ ~~we~~ as it was said by the united press, they voted for a resolution that was introduced by the slogan 'death to the american imperialists.'"

~~The UP correspondent report this slogan.~~ Russell Jones, UP correspondent here, said he reported the slogan and attributed it to a north korean delegate who introduced the resolution. prague newspapers also reported that the delegate used the phrase.

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The resolution adopted by the congress did NOT say what statements ~~thereupon~~ the Associated Press ~~[illegible]~~ was being ~~wrongly~~ criticized for.

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Moscow, Aug. 24-(ap)-The soviet periodical new times bitterly attached edmund stevens, pulitzer prise winning correspondent of the christian science monitor, for his recent series of articles on life in the soviet union.

stevens, who spent many years in the soviet union as a correspondent, left moscow last summer.

(stevens wrote a series of articles on his return giving what he called the unensored picture of the soviet union today, portraying soviet leaders as being bent on eventual war with the west and as ruling over a severely regimented police state.)

New times said the series of articles, which appeared in the london daily herald, ~~had~~ indicated stevens had made a "turnabout of 180

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degrees" from former times. it said he had come to the soviet union representing himself as a friend of the soviet people, and that among his colleggues in the moscow correspondents corps, was considered radical.

stevens' articles, said new times, were "full of the lowest and most stupid slander on soviet xxx reality and the soviet people."

the paper said stevens attacked william [illegible] white in 1945 xxx as having written "the foulest book of all by americans who were in the u.s.s.r." it said this remark now could be applied to stevens' articles.

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moscow, aug. 24-(ap)-new times, a soviet periodical, said today a western german army is being formed rapidly.

the newspaper said disguised german military units number 107,000 men in the british zone and 80,000 men in the american zone already, adding that german men appearing at employment agencies to seek work are shanghaied into the german army.

if any refuse army service, new times said, they are deprived of the right to work anywhere. west germany, it said, is becoming a reserve of manpower for "anglo-american military adventures."

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WELLINGTON,NEW ZEALAND, AUG 24-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER SIDNEY G. HOLLAND ANNOUNCED IN PARLIAMENT TODAY THAT NEW ZEALAND'S ESTIMATED BUDGET FOR DEFENSE IN 1951 WILL BE £16,500,000 ($46,200,000), AN INCREASE OF £6,000,000 OVER LAST YEAR'S EXPENDITURES.
HOLLAND SAID THE INCREASE WAS NECESSARY TO FINANCING THE NEWLY INTRODUCED COMPULSORY MILITARY TRAINING PROGRAM AND THE COST OF EQUIPPING TROOPS FOR THE KOREAN CAMPAIGN.
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ATHENS, GREECE, AUG.24-(AP)-A PARLIAMENT MEMBER AND PUBLISHER OF A COMMUNIST LINE MORNING PAPER WAS ARRESTED TODAY IN CONNECTION WITH THE PUBLICATION OF A LETTER SAYING THE GREEK "PEOPLE ARE BEING METHODICALLY EXTERMINATED BY COURTS MARTIAL."
HE WAS DIONYSIOS CHRISTAKOS, PUBLISHER OF DIMIKRATIKOS. POLICE WOULD SAY ONLY THAT HE HAD BEEN PICKED UP FOR QUESTIONING.
THE LETTER, PUBLISHED IN HIS PAPER, WAS UNSIGNED.
CHRISTAKOS' PAPER RECENTLY URGED THE GREEKS TO SIGN THE COMMUNIST-SPONSORED "STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION." IT ALSO REFERRED TO THE THEN PREMIER, GEN.NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS, AND LIBERAL LEADER SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS, NOW PREMIER, AS AMERICAN "STOOGES" TAKING ORDERS FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
THE PAPER ALSO DESCRIBED YUGOSLAVIA'S PREMIER MARSHAL TITO AS A THREAT TO PEACE AND ASSERTED THE U.S. AIR FORCE WAS CARRYING ON INDISCRIMINATE BOMBING IN KOREA.
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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 24-(AP)-A CHINESE NATIONALIST SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY GUERRILLAS ARE ACTIVE IN ALL OF CHINA'S 35 RED-RULED PROVINCES.
HE SAID PREVIOUS ESTIMATES OF 1,000,000 NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS ON THE MAINLAND WOULD HAVE TO BE REVISED UPWARD.
THE GUERRILLAS ARE MOST ACTIVE IN SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST CHINA, THE AREAS MOST RECENTLY TAKEN OVER BY THE COMMUNISTS AND TRADITIONALLY THE MOST REBELLIOUS, HE SAID.
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WITH LAKE SUCCESS (270)
HONG KONG, FRIDAY, AUG.25-(AP)-A CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL TODAY ACCUSED THE BRITISH ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE OF PLANNING DELIBERATELY "TO ENCROACH UPON CHINA'S SOVEREIGNTY." HE WARNED BRITISH AUTHORITIES HERE THEY "MUST TAKE THE ENTIRE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALL CONSEQUENCES."
THE CHARGE WAS MADE AT CANTON, CHINA, IN A STATEMENT BY GEN. YEH CHIEN-YING, RED GOVERNOR OF KWANTUNG PROVINCE. IT WAS DISTRIBUTED BY THE CHINESE COMMUNIST NEWS AGENCY.
YEH ACCUSED BRITISH MILITARY UNITS AT HONG KONG OF "PROVOCATIVE ACTS X X X INSEPARABLE FROM A FOREIGN POLICY OF IMPERIALISM."
THE LENGTHY STATEMENT CHARGED BRITAIN WITH SEVERAL VIOLATIONS OF CHINESE AIR, TERRITORY AND TERRITORIAL WATERS SINCE JULY 6.
BRITAIN IS STILL NEGOTIATING WITH PEIPING FOR FULL DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION OF RED CHINA.
YEH ACCUSED BRITISH ARMED FORCES HERE OF:
1. THREE SEPARATE AIR VIOLATIONS IN WHICH PLANES FLEW OVER RED-HELD ISLANDS SOUTH OF HONG KONG AND ONCE "SEVERAL MILES" ACROSS THE BORDER INTO RED CHINA.
2. THE SHELLING BY A BRITISH WARSHIP--PRESUMABLY THE DESTROYER CONCORD--ON RED CHINESE TERRITORY ON AN UNDISCLOSED DATE. THE CONCORD RETURNED "DEFENSIVE FIRE" WHEN RED SHORE BATTERIES ON THE LEMA ISLANDS, 12 MILES SOUTH OF HONG KONG, OPENED UP ON THE DESTROYER AUG. 17.
3. AN ARMY VIOLATION IN WHICH FIVE BRITISH SOLDIERS REPORTEDLY WERE SEIZED ABOUT A HALF MILE ACROSS THE BORDER. THE STATEMENT SAID THE SOLDIERS LEFT UNDER ESCORT AFTER THEY HAD EXPRESSED IN WRITING "(, REGRET
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4. THE SEIZURE OF ONE NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICER AND FOUR OTHER ENLISTED MEN FROM THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE ROYAL LEICESTERSHIRE REGIMENT WHEN THEY INADVERTENTLY CROSSED INTO RED TERRITORY. THEY WERE HELD FOR 52 HOURS.
YEH WARNED:
"ALL THESE REPEATED OCCURRENCES PROVIDE COMPLETE EVIDENCE THAT THE SERIES OF BOUNDARY VIOLATIONS AND PROVOCATIONS BY BRITISH AUTHORITIES AT HONG KONG IS OBVIOUSLY A PART OF A PLAN TO ENCROACH UPON CHINA'S SOVEREIGNTY."
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NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG.24-(AP)-WITH THE DISPUTE OVER KASHMIR APPARENTLY IN A HOPELESS DEADLOCK, PRIME MINISTER NEHRU ANNOUNCED TODAY INDIA BELIEVES THE UNITED NATIONS SHOULD ACCEPT THE INDIAN PREMISE THAT PAKISTAN WAS TO BLAME AND THEN START AGAIN FROM THE BEGINNING IN ANY ATTEMPT TO ACHIEVE A SOLUTION.
INDIA'S ARGUMENT, NEHRU SAID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE, WAS THAT PAKISTAN WAS THE AGGRESSOR IN THE DISPUTE OVER THE RICH FORMER PRINCELY STATE. THE PRIME MINISTER SAID ANY OTHER PREMISE WOULD BE FALSE AND LEAD TO FALSE CONCLUSIONS.
THE U.N. MEDIATOR, SIR OWEN DIXON, FOUND THAT A GENERAL PLEBISCITE IN KASHMIR ON WHETHER TO JOIN INDIA OR PAKISTAN WOULD NOT BE FEASIBLE. INDIA REJECTS THE CONDITIONS SHE SAYS WOULD BE ATTACHED TO A PARTIAL PLEBISCITE.
THE WAY INDIA LOOKS AT THE PROPOSALS OF THE U.N. MEDIATOR, THE KASHMIR GOVERNMENT WHICH IS INDIAN, WOULD BE REPLACED BY U.N. ADMINISTRATION DURING A VOTE OF THE PEOPLE ON WHICH GOVERNMENT THEY WANTED. DIXON DID NOT GIVE THE FINAL TERMS OF THIS PROPOSAL BEFORE HE LEFT HERE.
THIS, NEHRU SAID, "WOULD BE LIKE PROCLAIMING TO THE WORLD YOU WANT THE AGGRESSOR TO SUCCEED--THAT IS THE PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECT."
FOR THE U.N. TO SUPPLANT THE PRESENT GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR STATE, NEHRU SAID, WOULD DETERMINE 90 PER CENT OF THE ELECTION IN ADVANCE. IT WOULD, HE SAID, CREATE SUSPICIONS AND FEARS IN THE PEOPLE'S MINDS.
"IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA TO ACCEPT THE CHANGE OF GOVERNMENT, WHATEVER THE CONSEQUENCES," NEHRU SAID.
THE PRIME MINISTER ADDED THAT PAKISTAN, TO WHICH HE REFERRED AGAIN AS "THE AGGRESSOR," WANTED FIRST EQUALITY AND THEN PREDOMINANCE.
(LIAQUAT ALI KHAN, PAKISTAN'S PRIME MINISTER, HAS BLAMED NEHRU FOR FAILURE OF THE U.N. MISSION. HE SAID IN KARACHI YESTERDAY NEHRU PUT FORWARD "DEMANDS WHICH WERE NOT ONLY UNREASONABLE BUT CONTRARY TO THE AGREED SOLUTION GIVEN BY THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL." INDIA'S REFUSAL TO WITHDRAW TROOPS FROM KASHMIR AS A PRELIMINARY TO A PLEBISCITE WAS "IN DEFIANCE OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL'S RESOLUTION AND A CHALLENGE TO THE UNITED NATIONS," THE PAKISTANI LEADER CHARGED.

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(AT PRESENT THE RICH VALLEY IS DIVIDED BETWEEN OCCUPATION FORCES OF BOTH COUNTRIES, EACH HOLDING THEIR LINES UNDER A U.N. CEASE FIRE ORDER. WHEN THE INDIAN SUBCONTINENT WAS GIVEN INDEPENDENCE BY BRITAIN UNDER THE INDEPENDENCE ACT OF 1947, INDIA AND PAKISTAN BOTH CLAIMED KASHMIR STATE, THEN A PRINCELY STATE. ITS HINDU MAHARAJAH ACCEDED TO INDIA IN OCTOBER, 1947, ALTHOUGH THE STATE HAS A MAJORITY OF MOSLEMS IN ITS POPULATION. THE INDIAN ARMY ASSUMED THE DEFENSE OF THE STATE, CHARGING ATTACKS BY MOSLEM TRIBESMEN. FOR A TIME THERE WAS FIGHTING BETWEEN INDIAN AND PAKISTANI TROOPS BEFORE THE DISPUTE WAS BROUGHT BEFOTHTYOL.)HTOL

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THERE WAS FIGHTING BETWEEN INDIAN AND PAKISTANI TROOPS BEFORE THE DISPUTE WAS BROUGHT BEFORE THE SECURITY COUNCIL.)
NEHRU TOLD CORRESPONDENTS THAT NEVER, IN PREVIOUS NEGOTIATIONS UNDER U.N. AUSPICES, WAS INDIA EXPECTED TO WITHDRAW FORCES FROM KASHMIR ON A PAR WITH PAKISTAN.
NEHRU CITED RESOLUTIONS SPECIFYING THAT THE PAKISTANI REGULAR AND IRREGULAR FORCES WOULD BE EXPECTED TO WITHDRAW COMPLETELY WHILE INDIA WOULD WITHKRAW THE BULK OF ITS MEN, LEAVING BEHIND SUFFICIENT NUMBERS FOR THE STATE'S PROTECTION.
"WE HAVE NO INTENTION TO INDULGE IN MILITARY OPERATIONS," NEHRU SAID, ADDING:
"OF COURSE IF WE ARE ATTACKED IT IS A DIFFERENT MATTER."
JUST BEFORE RETURNING TO LONDON, DIXON SAID HE TRUSTED THE TWO COUNTRIES COULD RESOLVE THE PROBLEM OF THE AREA WHICH LIES BETWEEN THEM THROUGH DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS.
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NIGHT LEAD TIBET
NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE INDIA GOVERNMENT RADIO SAID IN BROADCASTS TONIGHT THAT IT HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A REPORTED INVASION OF TIBET BY COMMUNIST CHINA.
IN ENGLISH AND VARIOUS INDIAN LANGUAGES, THE RADIO SAID NOTHING WAS KNOWN IN NEW DELHI ABOUT REPORTS OF THE PAKISTAN AND AUSTRALIAN RADIOS QUOTING THE PEIPING RADIO AS SAYING THAT CHINESE REDS CROSSED INTO TIBET.
THE RADIO REGULARLY MONITORS BROADCASTS FROM PEIPING, THE RED CHINA CAPITAL. THE INDIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY ALSO SAID IT HAD NO SUCH REPORT.
A FOREIGN MINISTRY SPOKESMAN SAID INDIA HAD NO REPORT OF A TIBET INVASION FROM EITHER HER REPRESENTATIVE IN PEIPING OR IN LHASA, CAPITAL OF TIBET.
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TIBET
NEW DELHI, INDIA, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE ALL-INDIA RADIO, WHICH HAS BEEN MONITORING AND RECORDING PEIPING BROADCASTS OF COMMUNIST CHINA REGULARLY, SAID TODAY IT WAS UNABLE TO CONFIRM A REPORT THAT PEIPING BROADCAST AN ANNOUNCEMENT OF A COMMUNIST INVASION OF TIBET.
THE INDIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY, LIKEWISE, SAID IT HAD NO SUCH REPORT.
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LONDON, AUG. 24-(AP)-TELERADIO, WHICH MONITORS THE COMMUNIST CHINA RADIO, SAID TODAY THERE HAS BEEN NO MENTION IN THE PAST 48 HOURS OF ANY INVASION OF TIBET BY THE CHINESE REDS.
THERE WERE REPORTS OF SUCH AN INVASION IN THE UNITED STATES TODAY.
THE SOVIET MONITOR, WHICH DISTRIBUTES REPORTS BY MOSCOW RADIO AND THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS, ALSO SAID IT HAD RECEIVED NO SUCH INFORMATION.
THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON SAID IT HAD NO CONFIRMATION OF THE INVASION REPORTS. U.S. OFFICIALS ADDED THAT THEY WOULDN'T BE SURPRISED AT SUCH ACTION BECAUSE RED CHINA LEADERS HAVE BEEN THREATENING FOR SOME MONTHS TO TAKE OVER THE ISOLATED COUNTRY SITUATED BETWEEN THE HIMALAYAN AND KUNLUN MOUNTAINS WEST OF CHINA AND NORTH OF INDIA.
THE ALL-INDIA RADIO IN NEW DELHI, WHICH MONITORS PEIPING BROADCASTS REGULARLY, SAID IT WAS UNABLE TO CONFIRM THAT PEIPING HAD BROADCAST AN INVASION REPORT. THE INDIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY ALSO HAD NO SUCH REPORT.
THOMAS P.WHITNEY, ASSOCIATED PRESS STAFF MEMBER IN MOSCOW, SAID BY TELEPHONE TO LONDON HE HAD HEARD NOTHING TO SUBSTANTIATE THE INVASION REPORT.
THE BRITISH BROADCASTING CORPORATION, WHICH MONITORS ALL FOREIGN RADIOS THAT CAN BE HEARD HERE, ALSO SAID IT HAD HEARD NOTHING SIMILAR TO THE REPORTS BEING CIRCULATED IN THE U.S.
THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE MADE BOTH THREATENING AND PEACEFUL GESTURES TOWARD TIBET IN THE PAST MONTHS. VARIOUS BROADCASTS HAVE BEEN HEARD WARNING OF AN INVASION, BUT RECENTLY THE COMMUNISTS OFFERED TIBET "REGIONAL AUTONOMY" IF THE TIBETAN RULER. THE DALAI LAMA, AND HIS GOVERNMENT JOINS THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME PEACEFULLY.
A SEVEN-MAN MISSION FROM TIBET HAS BEEN TRYING TO REACH HONG KONG TO NEGOTIATE WITH THE REDS BUT HAS BEEN UNABLE TO GET ANY FARTHER THAN NEW DELHI. THE BRITISH WON'T GIVE THE MISSION PERMISSION TO TRAVEL TO HONG KONG.
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RANGOON, BURMA, AUG. 24-(AP)-WHITE FLAG COMMUNIST REBELS WERE REPORTED TODAY TO HAVE TAKEN THE SEVEREST DRUBBING OF THEIR 29-MONTH FIGHT AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT. THE DEFEAT CAME IN AN ATTEMPT TO STORM FIVE BURMESE ARMY BASES IN YAMETHIN DISTRICT.
THE REPORTS SAID 1,000 ARMED COMMUNISTS SPEARHEADED A DAWN THRUST ON THE MAIN BASE AT THAWATTI, 210 MILES NORTH OF RANGOON, WHILE OTHERS ATTEMPTED DIVERSIONS AT NEIGHBORING BASES.
THE REPORTS SAID THAT INSIDE THAWATTI THE COMMUNISTS RETIRED TO A RICE MILL AROUND WHICH THE BATTLE RAGED FOR ONE HOUR BEFORE THE COMMUNISTS FLED. THEY LEFT 40 DEAD BEHIND.
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rangoon, burma, aug. 24-(ap)-gordon s. seagrave, 53-year-old "burma surgeon," is waiting in jail while the burma government debates whether to bring him to trial on charges of aiding the karen rebels, authoritative sources said today.

the informants said seagrave's burmese lawyer, kyaw myint, would apply to the supreme court for a writ to free seagrave if his

detention is prolonged without any specific charges being laid against him.

seagrave, author of "burma surgeon" who devoted most of his life to ~~xxxxxx~~ giving medical help to the burmese, was arrested last week at namkham, a town on the chinese border in the northern shan states. the government said it had "substantial evidence of his close collaboration with the rebel karens," who are fighting for an autonomou state. the government did not elaborate on this.

seagrave is in the central rangoon jail, where he passes the time thumbing through old american magazines and smoking americ cigarettes provided by his friends. he is being held under the sectio of the public order preservation act dealing with political offenders. the act empowers police to arrest on suspicion any person considered to have committed or to be contemplating an act against the state.

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SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO, AUG 24-(AP)-THE U.S. NAVY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT REAR ADM.DANIEL E.BARBEY WILL BE TRANSFERRED FROM HIS COMMAND OF THE 10TH NAVAL DISTRICT AND THE CARIBBEAN SEA FRONTIER HERE TO COMMAND OF THE 13TH NAVAL DISTRICT AND THE WESTERN SEA FRONTIER WITH HEADQUARTERS IN SEATTLE, WASH. THE TRANSFER IS EFFECTIVE SEPT.14.
ADMIRAL BARBEY HAS HAD HIS HEADQUARTERS IN SAN JUAN SINCE APRIL 30, 1947. HIS U.S. RESIDENCE IS WITH HIS SISTER AT 3426 NORTHEAST 19TH AVENUE, PORTLAND, ORE.

IN WASHINGTON, THE NAVY SAID BARBEY WILL HAVE THE ADDITIONAL DUTY OF COMMANDING OFFICER OF THE NAVAL BASE AT BREMERTON, WHICH INCLUDES THE BREMERTON NAVAL SHIPYARD.
HIS HEADQUARTERS WILL BE AT SEATTLE, HOWEVER.
HE WILL RELIEVE REAR ADM.HOWARD H.GOODE, WHO WILL RETIRE SEPT.1.
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(WX) SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO--ADM. BARBEY (B90), IN FIRST GRAPH MAKE IT XXX 13TH NAVAL DISTRICT AND THE NORTHWEST SECTOR OF THE WESTERN SEA FRONTIER, ETC. (INSERTING NORTHWEST SECTOR)
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NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS
WASHINGTON,AUG.24-(AP)-A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON ANTI-INFLATION LEGISLATION VOTED TONIGHT TO GIVE PRESIDENT TRUMAN--INSTEAD OF SECRETARY OF COMMERCE SAWYER--FULL AUTHORITY TO ALLOCATE SCARCE DEFENSE MATERIALS.
THE DECISION WAS A MAJOR FIRST-ROUND VICTORY FOR ADMINISTRATION FORCES IN THEIR BATTLE TO GIVE MR.TRUMAN A FREE HAND IN THE OPERATION OF ECONOMIC CONTROLS.
AT A NEWS CONFERENCE EARLIER IN THE DAY, THE PRESIDENT HAD EXPRESSED DISPLEASURE AT A SENATE PROPOSAL TO BYPASS HIM AND GIVE THE CONTROL POWERS DIRECTLY TO SAWYER. AT THE SAME TIME, HOWEVER, MR.TRUMAN DENIED AS ABSOLUTELY UNTRUE, REPORTS THAT SAWYER HAD LOBBIED FOR THE POWERS.
AT A NIGHT SESSION, THE CONFEREES STRUCK OUT A SENATE PROVISION CALLING FOR SELF-POLICING OF SPECULATION BY THE COMMODITY EXCHANGES.
THE SECTION PROVIDED THAT IF THE EXCHANGES FAILED TO SET UP REASONABLE CONTROLS, AS DETERMINED BY THE FEDERAL COURTS, THEY WOULD BE SUBJECT TO A FINE OF UP TO $5,000.
MR.TRUMAN ASKED FOR MANDATORY FEDERAL CONTROL OF COMMODITY SPECULATION. BOTH THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE REJECTED THAT REQUEST, BUT THE SENATE DID WRITE INTO ITS BILL THE PROVISION FOR POLICING BY THE EXCHANGES.
SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA) SAID THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE KNOCKEDOUT THE SENATE PROVISION BECAUSE HOUSE CONFEREES SAID THE HOUSE HAD VOTED THREE TIMES AGAINST ANY REGULATION OF COMMODITY SPECULATION.
"THEY SAID THE HOUSE SIMPLY WOULD NOT TAKE A PROVISION LIKE THE ONE IN THE SENATE BILL," SPARKMAN ADDED.
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ONE IN THE SENATE BILL," SPARKMAN ADDED.
THE ONLY COMPROMISE AGREEMENT REACHED AT THE SECOND MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE WERE MINOR.

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THE SENATE-HOUSE COMMITTEE IS IRONING OUT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN SEPARATE HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION BILLS PASSED BY THE TWO BRANCHES OF CONGRESS.

THE SENATE HAD WRITTEN INTO ITS BILL AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO) WHICH SPECIFIED THAT THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT UNDER SAWYER WOULD HAVE EXCLUSIVE HANDLING OF THE ALLOCATIONS PROGRAM AND THE ASSIGNMENT OF PRIORITIES DEALING WITH DEFENSE PRODUCTION.

THE CONFEREES SCUTTLED THAT PROVISION AND ADOPTED THE HOUSE VERSION--WHICH ALSO WAS THE ORIGINAL SENATE VERSION--GIVING MR.TRUMAN FULL DISCRETION TO OPERATE THE PROGRAM.

SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE GROUP, TOLD REPORTERS THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE DID AGREE TO SAY IN ITS REPORT THAT IT IS THE INTENT OF CONGRESS THAT THE PROGRAM SHOULD BE HANDLED BY THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT TO WHATEVER EXTENT IS PRACTICABLE.

BUT MAYBANK SAID NOTHING IN THE REPORT WOULD HAVE THE EFFECT OF LAW. "THE LEGAL EFFECT," MAYBANK ADDED, "IS THAT THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES IS BEING GIVEN FULL AUTHORITY."

HE SAID THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ALSO WOULD STATE THAT ALLOCATION OF MATERIALS SHOULD BE HANDLED IN EACH CASE BY THE LOGICAL AGENCY FOR THE JOB.

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE COMMITTEE WAS, MAYBANK SAID, THAT SUCH THINGS AS FARM EQUIPMENT, FOR EXAMPLE, WOULD BE ALLOCATED BY THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT IF THE PROGRAM EVER CAME TO THAT POINT.

ON THE OTHER HAND, SUCH AN ITEM AS STEEL PROBABLY WOULD BE HANDLED BY THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

THE AGREEMENT OF THE CONFERES LIS SUBJECT

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THE AGREEMENT OF THE CONFEREES STILL IS SUBJECT TO RATIFICATION BY BOTH THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE. THE VOTE FOR THE JOHNSON AMENDMENT IN THE SENATE ON THE ORIGINAL BILL WAS 47 TO 42.

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE PROVISIONS ON ALLOCATIONS AND PRIORITIES WAS THE FIRST ONE TO BE RECONCILED BY THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

THEN THE COMMITTEE ALSO AGREED ON A SENATE PROVISION WHICH WOULD BAN HOARDING OF CONSUMER AND INDUSTRIAL GOODS.

IT CALLED ANOTHER SESSION FOR TONIGHT IN AN EFFORT TO RECONCILE OTHER DIFFERENCES.

THE PRESIDENT IS KNOWN TO OPPOSE OTHER SENATE PROVISIONS IN THE HOME FRONT MOBILIZATION LEGISLATION. BUT THE ALLOCATION SECTION WAS THE ONLY ONE REPORTERS INQUIRED ABOUT TODAY.

MR.TRUMAN PREFERS TO HAVE DISCRETIONARY POWERS TO SAY WHAT AGENCIES SHOULD ADMINISTER THE VARIOUS ECONOMIC CONTROLS. HIS SENATE LEADERS HAVE ARGUED THAT UNDER THE ALLOCATION PROVISION THE SECRETARY OF COMMERCE WOULD HAVE "MORE POWER THAN THE PRESIDENT."

THE PRESIDENT INDICATED A BELIEF THAT SOME OF THE FEATURES HE OBJECTS TO WOULD BE ELIMINATED BEFORE FINAL PASSAGE. SUCH MEASURES ALWAYS ARE LOADED WITH EVERYTHING BUT THE KITCHEN STOVE BEFORE THE ELIMINATION PROCESS BEGINS, HE SAID.

HE DESCRIBED AS NEWS TO HIM A REPORT THAT WILLIAM H.HARRISON, PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, HAD BEEN CHOSEN TO DIRECT THE PRIORITIES AND ALLOCATIONS PROGRAM IN THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

AS USUAL THE WEEKLY INTERVIEW WENT THE ROUNDS OF THE HOME AND FOREIGN FRONTS. HERE'S WHAT MR.TRUMAN HAD TO SAY ON OTHER SUBJECTS:

RAIL STRIKE--THE NATIONWIDE STRIKE CALLED FOR MONDAY BY THE TRAINMEN AND CONDUCTORS UNIONS CAME UNEXPECTEDLY AND DESPITE ASSURANCES TO HIM THERE WOULD BE NO SUCH WALKOUT. HE PROMISED A STATEMENT ON HIS NEXT MOVE AFTER HE HAS HAD TIME TO CONSIDER THE MATTER, BUT SAID HE HOPES THERE WILL BE NO STRIKE.

KOREA--THERE IS NOTHING CERTAIN ABOUT PROPHECIES ON MILITARY MANEUVERS. THEREFORE HE COULD NOT COMMENT ON SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON'S EXPRESSED "HOPE" THAT THE KOREAN WAR MAY BE OVER IN ANOTHER SIX OR EIGHT MONTHS.

SPAIN--HE STILL IS AGAINST A LOAN TO SPAIN IN THE MANDATORY MANNER PROVIDED IN THE $34,000,000,000 APPROPRIATION BILL.

MR.TRUMAN OPENED THE NEWS CONFERENCE BY ANNOUNCING THE APPOINTMENT OF WALTER J.DONNELLY OF THIS CITY AS MINISTER AND HIGH COMMISSIONER TO AUSTRIA. DONNELLY IS NOW AMBASSADOR TO VENEZUELA.

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BRITAIN AND FRANCE PREVIOUSLY HAD ANNOUNCED APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS UNDER A THREE-POWER FOREIGN MINISTERS AGREEMENT REACHED LAST MAY.

MR.TRUMAN SAID IN A STATEMENT THAT THE THREE POWERS HAVE TAKEN THIS STEP BECAUSE THE SOVIET UNION HAS BLOCKED AN AUSTRIAN PEACE TREATY. IT IS DESIGNED, HE ADDED, TO STRENGTHEN THE AUTHORITY OF THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT AND TO LIGHTEN THE BURDEN OF OCCUPATION ON THAT COUNTRY.

THE PRESIDENT ALSO ANNOUNCED THE APPOINTMENT OF FIVE DELEGATES AND FIVE ALTERNATES TO THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING IN NEW YORK BEGINNING SEPT. 19.

HE NAMED AS DELEGATES THREE REPUBLICANS, WARREN R.AUSTIN OF VERMONT; SENATOR HENRY CABOT LODGE, JR., OF MASSACHUSETTS., AND JOHN FOSTER DULLES OF NEW YORK; AND TWO DEMOCRATS, MRS.FRANKLIN D.ROOSEVELT OF NEW YORK, AND SENATOR JOHN J.SPARKMAN OF ALA.

HE SAID PARTICIPATION IN THE DELEGATION OF A REPUBLICAN AND A DEMOCRATIC SENATOR "REPRESENTS ANOTHER STEP IN THE BI-PARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY." THEIR APPOINTMENT, HE ADDED, REPRESENTS A RETURN TO THE PRACTICE OF HAVING MEMBERS OF CONGRESS TAKE PART IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY WORK.

SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WILL HEAD THE AMERICAN DELEGATION AND IN HIS ABSENCE UN AMBASSADOR AUSTIN AS SENIOR REPRESENTATIVE OF THE U.S., WILL SERVE AS DELEGATION CHAIRMAN.

ALTERNATE DELEGATES ARE BENJAMIN V.COHEN OF NEW YORK; FORMER SENATOR JOHN SHERMAN COOPER OF KENTUCKY, ANOTHER REPUBLICAN; ERNEST A.GROSS, OF NEW YORK, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE; MRS.EDITH S. SAMPSON, CHICAGO NEGRO LAWYER, AND JOHN C.ROSS OF NEW YORK, AN AIDE TO AUSTIN.

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(650) PMS BUDGET

GERMAN INTERPRETIVE

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,AUG 24-(AP)-SOVIET RUSSIA IS BELIEVED HERE TO BE PUSHING AHEAD WELL-LAID PLANS FOR THE POLITICAL AND MILITARY DEVELOPMENT OF EASTERN GERMANY WHILE WESTERN LEADERS NEGOTIATE ON STRENGTHENING THE DEFENSES OF THEIR SECTOR.

INFORMED DIPLOMATS SAID TODAY THERE IS NOW EVIDENCE THAT THE SOVIETS HAVE SPLIT THEIR SO-CALLED "POLICE FORCE" IN GERMANY INTO TWO ORGANIZATIONS--ONE BEING TRAINED IN ACTUAL POLICE WORK AND THE OTHER VEING

GIVEN REGULAR ARMY TRAINING AND ARMORED EQUIPMENT WITHOUT FURTHER PRETENSE OF "POLICE" ACTIVITY.

SINCE GERMANY, LIKE KOREA, IS A DIVIDED NATION, THERE IS TOP-LEVEL SPECULATION THAT THE AIM OF THIS SOVIET MOVE MAY BE AN ULTIMATE KOREA-TYPE ASSAULT; THAT IS, AN ACTION BY NATIVE COMMUNIST TROOPS AGAINST THE WESTERN OCCUPATION ZONES WITH UNIFICATION OF THE COUNTRY AS A FIGHTING SLOGAN.

IF THIS IS TO BE THE RUSSIAN PATTERN--AND ASSUMING THE KREMLIN WOULD RISK STARTING A MAJOR WAR--EXPERTS HERE EXPECT MOSCOW WILL FIRST UNDERTAKE TO GIVE EASTERN GERMANY A PRETENSE OF LEGAL INDEPENDENCE COMPARABLE TO THAT OF COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA.

TWO MOVES WOULD BE NECESSARY TO DO THIS.

FIRST, THE RUSSIANS WOULD HAVE TO CONCLUDE SOME SORT OF PEACE TREATY WITH THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST REGIME. SECOND, THEY WOULD HAVE TO WITHDRAW THEIR OCCUPATION FORCES.

THEY WOULD THEN BE IN POSITION TO GIVE ORDERS THROUGH COMMUNIST PARTY CHANNELS WHILE DISCLAIMING RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE ACTIONS OF THEIR PUPPETS. ALSO, THEIR TROOPS WOULD BE OUT OF THE WAY OF ANY SHOOTING.

PART OF THE ANSWER TO THIS THREAT, IN THE OPINION OF POLICY MAKERS HERE, IS TO BUILD UP THE NATIVE DEFENSES OF WESTERN GERMANY AND TO DO SO ON A SCALE ADEQUATE TO DEAL WITH ANY LIMITED GERMAN TROUBLE-MAKING FROM THE EAST.

HOW AND WHEN TO UNDERTAKE THIS CONTROLLED REARMING OF WESTERN GERMANY IS A PROBLEM OF INTENSE CONCERN TO THE WESTERN POWERS. INITIAL DECISIONS MAY BE MADE WHEN THE U.S., BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS MEET IN NEW YORK SEPT. 12.

THE DEVELOPMENT OF MEASURES TO OFFSET RUSSIA'S STRATEGY IS IMMENSELY COMPLICATED BY A NEED FOR INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING. RUSSIA'S MOVES ARE DECIDED IN SECRECY AND IN THE LAST ANALYSIS BY ONE MAN, BUT WESTERN DECISIONS MUST BE AGREED TO BY SHARPLY DIFFERING GOVERNMENTS, EACH WITH AN EYE TO WHAT ITS OWN PEOPLE WILL SUPPORT.

EVEN WITHIN THE ADMINISTRATION HERE THERE HAS TO BE AGREEMENT AMONG THE STATE AND DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS AND WHITE HOUSE BEFORE THE U.S. CAN TAKE A DEFINITE STAND.

SEVERAL LINES OF POSSIBLE ACTION ARE UNDER INTENSIVE STUDY. THEY INCLUDE CREATING A SUBSTANTIALLY LARGER GERMAN POLICE FORCE, REINFORCING THE BRITISH-AMERICAN-FRENCH OCCUPATION ARMIES AND DRAWING ON GERMAN MANPOWER TO BOLSTER WESTERN EUROPEAN FORCES.

AT A NEWS CONFERENCE YESTERDAY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHECON DID NOT RULE OUT ANY OF THESE POSSIBILITIES. YET HE WAS DELIBERATELY VAGUE ABOUT INDICATING WHAT MAY BE DONE. HE APPEARED TO BE TRYING TO SOFT-PEDAL THE WHOLE SUBJECT PENDING SOME UNDERSTANDING WITH OTHER ALLIED LEADERS AS TO ACTION.

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FRANCE'S TRADITIONAL RELUCTANCE TO SEE GERMANS GIVEN ARMS AGAIN, EVEN UNDER CONTROLS, IS THE BIGGEST SINGLE BARRIER TO QUICK DECISION.

ON THE GERMAN SIDE CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE PRESSING FOR AGREEMENT AMONG THE PARTIES INSIDE GERMANY ON SUPPORT OF AN ENLARGED GERMAN POLICE FORCE. REPORTS FROM BONN SAY HE WANTS 65,000 MEN. THIS WOULD HAVE TO BE APPROVED BY THE OCCUPATION POWERS.

THE TASK OF A POLICE FORCE WOULD BE TO DEAL WITH COMMUNIST SUBVERSION AND POLITICAL TROUBLE-MAKING UNDERTAKEN BY THE EAST AGAINST WESTERN GERMANY--ALL ACTION SHORT OF A DIRECT MILITARY AGGRESSION OF THE KOREAN TYPE.

OUTRIGHT ASSAULT--AS THE SITUATION NOW STANDS--APPARENTLY WOULD INVOLVE AT ONCE THE OCCUPATION ARMIES OF THE WESTERN POWERS, HOWEVER MUCH RUSSIA MIGHT INSIST THAT WHAT WAS REALLY GOING ON WAS A GERMAN CIVIL WAR.

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(450) AMS BUDGET

WAR INTERPRETIVE

BY MAX BOYD

WASHINGTON, AUG. 24-(AP)-UNITED STATES MILITARY MEN ARE REPORTED TO FAVOR A DECISION AS TO "WHO OUR REAL ENEMY IS" IN CASE THE KOREAN CONFLICT SPREADS OR COMMUNIST-INSPIRED AGGRESSION BREAKS OUT IN OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD.

THE MILITARY MEN ARE SAID TO BE CONVINCED THAT THIS COUNTRY SHOULD NOT ALLOW ITS FORCES TO BE SCATTERED, TIED DOWN AND WEAKENED IN EFFORTS TO PUT OUT LOCALLY ALL THE FIRES THAT MAY BE KINDLED BY MOSCOW THROUGH OTHER PEOPLE IT DOMINATES.

INSTEAD, IN CASE OF FURTHER SUCH OUTBREAKS, THEY ARE REPORTED TO FAVOR A DECISION AS TO THE SOURCE OF THE FIRES. PRESUMABLY, MILITARY POLICY WOULD THEN BE BASED ON THAT DECISION. WITHIN THE NEXT YEAR OR TWO, ANY SUCH POLICY WOULD DEPEND HEAVILY ON AMERICA'S STOCKS OF ATOMIC BOMBS, SINCE THE REARMAMENT OF THE U.S. AND WESTERN EUROPE WITH PLANES, ANTI-TANK GUNS AND TANKS WILL TAKE LONGER THAN THAT.

OFFICIALS HERE SAY THAT, SO FAR, NO SUBSTANTIAL REINFORCEMENT OF THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAS BEEN DETECTED.

THE POSSIBILITY THAT MANCHURIAN OR OTHER CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS MAY YET APPEAR AGAINST THE GI'S IN KOREA IS NOT BEING WRITTEN OFF, HOWEVER.

SHOULD LARGE NUMBERS OF CHINESE COMMUNIST SOLDIERS ENTER THE CONFLICT, IT IS BELIEVED THAT EVIDENCE OF THEIR INTERVENTION WOULD BE LAID BEFORE THE SECURITY COUNCIL OF THE UNITED NATIONS FOR ACTION.

PROOF OF RUSSIAN BEHIND-THE-SCENES MANAGEMENT PROBABLY WOULD BE HARD TO GET IN SUCH A CASE. IF STRONG ENOUGH PROOF WERE OBTAINED, HOWEVER, IT MIGHT BE MADE THE BASIS OF AN OFFICIAL DECISION AS TO "WHO OUR REAL ENEMY IS."

UNDOUBTEDLY, THIS GOVERNMENT WOULD BE EXTREMELY RELUCTANT TO GO TO WAR WITH THE CHINESE REDS.

IT HAS THE POWER TO STRIKE DEVASTATING RETALIATORY BLOWS AT CHINESE CITIES WITH ITS B-29 BOMBERS AND CARRIER BASED PLANES. BUT SUCH BLOWS, EVEN IF INFLICTED WITH CONVENTIONAL EXPLOSIVES INSTEAD OF ATOMIC BOMBS, WOULD KILL ENORMOUS NUMBERS OF CIVILIANS AND SPREAD HATRED OF THE U.S. FURTHERMORE, CHINESE CITIES CONTAIN FEW INDUSTRIAL SOURCES OF MILITARY STRENGTH.

GROUND OPERATIONS AGAINST COMMUNIST CHINA, WITH ITS ALMOST INEXHAUSTIBLE SUPPLY OF MANPOWER, WOULD BE EVEN MORE OBJECTIONABLE MILITARILY. THAT MIGHT TIE DOWN LARGE NUMBERS OF TROOPS NEEDED ELSEWHERE, AND EVENTUALLY BLEED THE U.S. TO DEATH.

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THESE FACTORS WILL ALL HAVE TO BE CONSIDERED IN CASE THE CHINESE REDS GET INTO THE KOREAN FIGHTING AND THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS CALLED UPON TO DECIDE WHAT SHOULD BE DONE.

BARRING REINFORCEMENT OF THE NORTH KOREANS BY THE CHINESE OR THE RUSSIANS THEMSELVES, MILITARY MEN ARE NOW CAUTIOUSLY OPTIMISTIC THAT AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN KOREA IN THE NOT TO DISTANT FUTURE. ONCE THAT IS DONE, THEY WOULD NOT BE SURPRISED TO SEE RUSSIA BEGIN BEATING THE PROPAGANDA DRUMS LOUDLY FOR PEACE.

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(190) FIRST LEAD DONNELLY

WASHINGTON, AUG. 24-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY NAMED WALTER J. DONNELLY AS MINISTER AND THE FIRST U.S.CIVILIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER TO AUSTRIA.

ANNOUNCING THE APPOINTMENT AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE, MR.TRUMAN SAID THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE NAMING SUCH CIVILIAN REPRESENTATIVES BECAUSE A FINAL POSTWAR TREATY WITH AUSTRIA HAS BEEN "BLOCKED BY THE SOVIET UNION."

IN THE ABSENCE OF A TREATY, HE SAID IN A STATEMENT, THE THREE WESTERN POWERS AGREED ON THIS AND OTHER MEASURES TO STRENGTHEN THE AUTHORITY OF THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT AND TO LIGHTEN THE OCCUPATION BURDEN AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE.

DONNELLY IS NOW AMBASSADOR TO VENEZUELA. A VETERAN CAREER DIPLOMAT, HIS EXPERIENCE HAS BEEN LARGELY IN CANADA AND LATIN AMERICA. AS MINISTER HE SUCCEEDS JOHN G.ERHARDT, NOW AMBASSADOR TO THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA, AND AS HIGH COMMISSIONER RELIEVES LT.GEN.GEOFFREY KEYES.

THE AGREEMENT TO NAME CIVILIAN REPRESENTATIVES AND TAKE OTHER MEASURES TO AID AUSTRIA WAS REACHED BY THE BIG THREE WESTERN FOREIGN MINISTERS AT LONDON IN MAY. BRITAIN ALREADY HAS NAMED SIR HAROLD CACCIA AND FRANCE APPOINTED M.JEAN PAYARD AS THEIR HIGH COMMISSIONERS.rr

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WASHINGTON,AUG.24-(AP)-SEVERAL ONCE DEFIANT WITNESSES NOW WANT TO TELL WHAT THEY KNOW ABOUT COMMUNISM IN HAWAII, REP.WALTER (D-PA) SAID TODAY.

WALTER SAID THE COMMITTEE MAY SEND A SUBCOMMITTEE TO HAWAII EARLY IN SEPTEMBER.

WALTER, WHO HEADED THE COMMITTEE GROUP WHICH WENT TO HAWAII IN APRIL TO CONDUCT HEARINGS, DECLINED TO NAME THE WITNESSES HE SAID HAVE INDICATED THEY NOW WANT TO TALK.

AS A RESULT OF THE APRIL HEARINGS, THE HOUSE RECENTLY VOTED CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS CITATIONS AGAINST 39 HAWAIIAN WITNESSES. THE CITATIONS HAVE BEEN SENT TO THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT ATTORNEY IN HAWAII FOR POSSIBLE PROSECUTION.

WALTER SAID HE AND REPS.CASE (R-SD) AND VELDE (R-ILL) MAY GO TO HAWAII TO HEAR ADDITIONAL TESTIMONY, INCLUDED THAT OF SOME WITNESSES WHO TESTIFIED IN APRIL.

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(260) PLUTONIMUM

WASHINGTON, AUG.24-(AP)-SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN) SAID TODAY THAT UNDER PRESENT SAFEGUARDS IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR PLUTONIMUM TO BE STOLEN FROM AN ATOMIC PROJECT WITHOUT ITS LOSS BEING KNOWN.

HE TOLD REPORTERS THERE WAS NO CHANCE UNDER THESE SAFEGUARDS FOR ANOTHER SUCH CASE AS THAT OF SANFORD LAWRENCE SIMONS, DEZY SCIENTIST

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ANOTHER SUCH CASE AS THAT OF SANFORD LAWRENCE SIMONS, DENVER SCIENTIST ACCUSED ONLY THIS WEEK OF TAKING PLUTONIMUM FROM THE LOS ALAMOS, N.M., ATOMIC PROJECT OVER FOUR YEARS AGO.

THE FBI, IN ANNOUNCING THE ARREST OF SIMONS LAST TUESDAY, SAID THE PLUTONIMUM--VITAL MATERIAL USED IN ATOMIC BOMBS--WAS FOUND HIDDEN UNDER HIS HOUSE IN DENVER.

MCMAHON SAID SIMONS WAS CAUGHT ONLY BECAUSE HE TOLD A FRIEND ABOUT THE PLUTONIUM (CQ) AND THE FRIEND TOLD THE FBI.

HE NOTED THAT SIMONS LEFT LOS ALAMOS IN JULY, 1946, AND SAID THAT IT WAS NOT UNTIL AFTER THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION TOOK OVER THE PROJECT FROM THE ARMY THAT "EXACT INVENTORY CONTROLS WERE IMPOSED."

"WHEN THE COMMISSION DID TAKE OVER," HE ADDED, "A VERY EXACT SYSTEM WAS INSTITUTED AND TODAY THE MATERIAL COULD NOT BE REMOVED WITHOUT ITS BEING KNOWN."

BECAUSE OF THE "WARTIME PRESSURES" UNDER WHICH THE ARMY OPERATED, MCMAHON SAID, "VERY LAX" INVENTORY CONTROLS WERE IN EFFECT.

MCMAHON IS CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE-HOUSE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMITTEE. HE SAID THE COMMITTEE DISCUSSED THE SIMONS CASE AT A MEETING TODAY BUT HAS NO INTENTION OF LOOKING INTO THE SYSTEM OF INVENTORY CONTROLS AT LOS ALAMOS.

SIMONS WORKED AT LOS ALAMOS BETWEEN AUGUST, 1944, AND JULY, 1946, FIRST AS AN ARMY ENLISTED MAN AND LATER AS A CIVILIAN SCIENTIST. THE FBI QUOTED HIM AS SAYING HE TOOK THE PLUTONIUM AS A SOUVENIR.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE SAID TODAY IT HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT KAROL SIDOR, SLOVAKIAN VISITOR ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN A NAZI LEADER IN HIS HOME COUNTRY AT ONE TIME, HAS LEFT THE UNITED STATES.

SIDOR'S PRESENCE HERE ON A TEMPORARY THREE-MONTH VISITOR'S PERMIT WAS PROTESTED BY VARIOUS SLOVAK AND JEWISH GROUPS.

SIDOR, 49, WAS ADMITTED FROM CANADA IN MAY TO VISIT RELATIVES IN SCRANTON, PA. HE LATER MADE A SPEAKING TOUR.

HIS VISITING PERMIT EXPIRED YESTERDAY, AND THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE SAID IT WOULD NOT BE EXTENDED.

THE SERVICE SAID TODAY ITS AGENTS IN CHICAGO REPORTED THAT A MAN GIVING THE NAME OF KAROL SIDOR, AND ANSWERING THE DESCRIPTION OF THE SLOVAKIAN VISITOR, BOARDED A PLANE AT CHICAGO TUESDAY NIGHT, BOUND FOR LONDON, ONTARIO. THE SERVICE UNDERSTOOD THAT HE THEN PROCEEDED TO MONTREAL.

LATER TODAY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID CANADIAN AUTHORITIES AT MONTREAL REPORTED THAT SIDOR HAD ARRIVED THERE.

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(250) FIRST LEAD MOLYBDENUM

WASHINGTON, AUG.24-(AP)-THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT RECENTLY OBTAINED SOME 50 TONS OF MOLYBDENUM, USED IN HARDENING STEEL, THROUGH AN UNEXPLAINED BREACH IN THE WESTERN WALL AGAINST SHIPMENT OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS TO RUSSIA.

DIPLOMATIC SOURCES HAD ESTIMATED THE SHIPMENT AT $100,000 BUT THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT LATER EXPLAINED THAT ONLY ABOUT $45,000 WORTH GOT TO THE SOVIETS. THE UNDERSTANDING IS HERE THAT THE RUSSIAN SUPPLY OF THE METAL IS INADEQUATE TO ITS NEEDS.

A COMMERCE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT ORIGINALLY APPROVED EXPORT LICENSES FOR ABOUT 200 TONS OF MOLYBDENUM,

BOUND FOR BRITAIN IN WHAT THE SPOKESMAN SAID APPARENTLY WAS A PERFECTLY LEGAL TRANSACTION.

AFTER THE FIRST SHIPMENT LEFT THE U.S. IN MAY, THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT WAS NOTIFIED THROUGH THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY IN LONDON THAT THE SHIPMENT HAD BEEN TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER VESSEL AND NEVER WAS UNLOADED IN ENGLAND. THE COMMERCE OFFICIAL SAID THAT THE DEPARTMENT THEN REVOKED THE EXPORT LICENSES FOR THE OTHER 150 TONS.

THE TRANSFER IN A BRITISH PORT OCCURRED ON JULY 1, THE MATERIAL BEING TAKEN ABOARD THE RUSSIAN STEAMSHIP BELOOSTROV.

IT DID NOT GO THROUGH BRITISH CUSTOMS AND THEREFORE DID NOT REQUIRE A BRITISH EXPORT LICENSE.

THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL DECLINED TO GIVE THE NAME OF THE BRITISH COMPANY TO WHICH THE MOLYBDENUM WAS ORIGINALLY DESTINED.

STATE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENTS MEANWHILE WERE TAKING STEPS TO PREVENT ANY FURTHER REPETITION OF THE INCIDENT.

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR EAST-WEST TRADE POLICIES RESTS WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND LICENSING CONTROLS OVER SPECIFIC SHIPMENTS OF GOODS ARE HANDLED BY COMMERCE.

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(500) AMS BUDGET
NIGHT LEAD ALLOWANCES

WASHINGTON,AUG.24-(AP)-THE HOUSE, BY A VOTE OF 361 TO 0, TODAY PASSED LEGISLATION SETTING UP GOVERNMENT-PAID FAMILY ALLOWANCES OF $45 TO $85 A MONTH FOR ALL ENLISTED MEN IN THE ARMED FORCES.

THE SENATE PASSED A SOMEWHAT SIMILAR BILL TUESDAY. DIFFERENCES IN THE TWO VERSIONS WILL NOW BE ADJUSTED IN CONFERENCE.

BOTH MEASURES WOULD MAKE PAYMENTS RETROACTIVE, STARTING AUG.1 UNDER THE HOUSE BILL AND JULY 1 UNDER THE SENATE VERSION.

THE GOVERNMENT WOULD PAY THE ALLOWANCES OUT OF THE TREASURY--OVER AND ABOVE THE ENLISTED MAN'S PAY--BUT MOST GI'S WOULD HAVE TO CHIP IN PART OF THEIR OWN PAY TO HELP SUPPORT THEIR FAMILIES. THIS WOULD BE DEDUCTED FROM THE GI'S PAY AND SENT DIRECTLY TO THE FAMILIES.

THE HOUSE BILL PROVIDES THAT THE WIFE OF A PRIVATE, PRIVATE FIRST CLASS, OR CORPORAL, WITH NO CHILDREN, WOULD RECEIVE $45 FROM THE GOVERNMENT AND $40 FROM HER HUSBAND, A TOTAL OF $85. IN WORLD WAR II A PRIVATE'S WIFE RECEIVED A TOTAL OF $50--$22 FROM HER HUSBAND AND $28 FROM THE GOVERNMENT.

THE MEASURE PROVIDES $70 A MONTH GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS IN THE CASES OF ALL ENLISTED MEN REGARDLESS OF GRADE, HAVING TWO DEPENDENTS--A WIFE AND ONE CHILD, FOR EXAMPLE.

FOR THREE OR MORE DEPENDENTS, THE AMOUNT OF THE GOVERNMENT PAYMENT GOES TO $85. THAT IS THE TOP.

THE BILL SAYS THAT ONLY MEN IN THE THREE LOWER GRADES MUST TAKE $40 A MONTH OUT OF THEIR OWN PAY TO SUPPORT THEIR DEPENDENTS.

FOR MEN IN THE HIGHER GRADES--SERGEANTS IN THE ARMY OR COMPARABLE GRADES IN THE OTHER SERVICES--THE GOVERNMENT WOULD GIVE AN ALLOWANCE OF $70 FOR ONE OR TWO DEPENDENTS, $85 FOR MORE THAN TWO. NO PAYCHECK DEDUCTION IS REQUIRED FOR MEN IN THE UPPER GRADES. THE IDEA IS THAT THEY GET MORE PAY AND ARE MEN OF MORE MATURE RESPONSIBILITY WHO WILL MAKE THEIR OWN ARRANGEMENTS TO HELP SUPPORT FAMILIES.

ALTHOUGH THE BILL SETS AN $85 LIMIT ON GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS, REGARDLESS OF THE NUMBER OF DEPENDENTS, IT PROVIDES FOR KEEPING MEN WITH TOO MANY DEPENDENTS OUT OF THE SERVICES. HOWEVER, IT DOES NOT SPECIFY HOW MANY ARE "TOO MANY."

IN INSTRUCTS THE SECRETARIES OF THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE TO PERMIT THE DISCHARGE OF MEN WITH A LARGE NUMBER OF MEN AS "HARDSHIP" CASES. IN THE LAST WAR, SOME GI'S WITH BIG FAMILIES GOT MORE MONEY THAN OFFICERS.

UNDER THE BILL, NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS WOULD GET AN INCREASE IN THEIR PRESENT ALLOWANCES IF ENTITLED TO QUARTERS.

THEY NOW GET $67.50 A MONTH FOR QUARTERS, REGARDLESS OF THE NUMBER OF DEPENDENTS.

BUT THE BILL PROVIDES THAT A SERGEANT, FOR EXAMPLE, WITH ONE OR TWO CHILDREN WOULD NOW RECEIVE $70 A MONTH, AN INCREASE OF $2.50. FOR THREE DEPENDENTS, THE SERGEANT'S ALLOWANCE WOULD GO TO $85, A JUMP OF $17.50 A MONTH.

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THE HOUSE PROGRAM WOULD COST AN ESTIMATED $242,000,000 FROM AUG.1, 1950, TO JUNE 30, 1951.

THE VOTE WAS ORIGINALLY ANNOUNCED AS 359 TO 0, BUT REPS.DAVENPORT (D-PA) AND ZABLOCKI (D-WIS) LATER BROUGHT THE TOTAL UP TO 361-0.

IN DEBATE BEFORE THE VOTE, REP.LANHAM (D-TEX) TOLD THE HOUSE HE THOUGHT THE ALLOWANCES WERE TOO LOW AND SAID THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE WAS APPARENTLY MORE CONCERNED WITH SAVING MONEY FOR THE GOVERNMENT THAN WITH PROVIDING ADEQUATE AID FOR DEPENDENTS.

BUT REP.SHORT (R-MO), NOTING COMPLAINTS FROM SOME NATIONAL GUARDSMEN, SAID HE WASN'T GOING TO "BEAT OUT A LOT OF SLUSH" OR "SHED CROCODILE TEARS" ABOUT THEM.

"THOSE MEN WENT INTO THE NATIONAL GUARD VOLUNTARILY," SHORT SAID. "THEY LIKE TO STRUT, DRAW CHECKS FOR TRAINING AND GET PENSIONS.

"THEN WHEN THE COUNTRY GETS IN A TIGHT SPOT, A FEW OF THEM--AND ONLY A FEW--START GRIPING. I'M NOT GOING TO PAY ANY ATTENTION TO THE BELLYACHES OF THOSE FEW."

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SMITH-INTELLIGENCE

AUG 25 1950

WASHINGTON, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE TODAY RECOMMENDED PROMPT SENATE CONFIRMATION OF LT. GEN. WALTER BEDELL SMITH AS DIRECTOR OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY.

CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) SAID THE VOTE WAS UNANIMOUS AFTER THE GROUP HAD TALKED TO BOTH GENERAL SMITH AND REAR ADMIRAL ROSCOE HENRY HILLENKOETTER, PRESENT HEAD OF THE HUSH-HUSH AGENCY.

THE NOMINATION OF GENERAL SMITH, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW AND CURRENTLY COMMANDER OF THE FIRST ARMY AT NEW YORK, NOW GOES TO THE SENATE FOR EXPECTED SPEEDY APPROVAL.

SENATORS AT THE EXECUTIVE SESSION SAID NO QUESTIONS WERE RAISED ABOUT WHETHER OR NOT CIA PROVIDED ADEQUATE INTELLIGENCE PRIOR TO THE NORTH KOREAN INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA.

THERE HAVE BEEN CONFLICTING REPORTS TO CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES ON THIS POINT.

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FIRST LEAD UN-POLITICS
WASHINGTON,AUG.24-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY ANNOUNCED A UNITED NATIONS DELEGATION MADE UP OF THREE REPUBLICANS AND TWO DEMOCRATS.
THE LINEUP:
REPUBLICANS: FORMER SENATOR WARREN AUSTIN, SENATOR LODGE (MASS) AND JOHN FOSTER DULLES, GOP FOREIGN POLICY ADVISER.
DEMOCRATS: SENATOR SPARKMAN (ALA) AND MRS.ELEANOR ROOSEVELT.
THE DELEGATION WILL SERVE AT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SESSION THIS FALL.
MR.TRUMAN MADE HIS ANNOUNCEMENT AT A NEWS CONFERENCE. HE SAID THE TWO SENATORS WERE PICKED AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE.

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AUSTIN, DULLES AND MRS. ROOSEVELT HAVE SERVED PREVIOUSLY ON THE U.N. DELEGATION.
MR. TRUMAN ALSO ANNOUNCED THIS LIST OF ALTERNATES:
MRS. EDITH SAMPSON, CHICAGO NEGRO LAWYER.
JOHN SHERMAN COOPER, FORMER REPUBLICAN SENATOR FROM KENTUCKY AND NOW AN ADVISER TO SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.
BENJAMIN COHEN OF NEW YORK, NOW A MEMBER OF THE DELEGATION.
ERNEST A.GROSS, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE.
JOHN C.ROSS, AN AIDE TO AUSTIN.
THE PRESIDENT LATER PUT OUT A STATEMENT IN WHICH HE SAID THAT ACHESON WILL HEAD THE UN DELEGATION AND THAT AUSTIN WILL SERVE AS CHAIRMAN IN HIS ABSENCE.
THE APPOINTMENT OF THREE REPUBLICANS AND TWO DEMOCRATS WAS LOOKED UPON AS AN ADMINISTRATION ANSWER TO RECENT CRITICISM THAT THE GOP HASN'T BEEN CONSULTED FULLY ON FOREIGN POLICY.
LODGE HAS BEEN ONE OF THOSE CRITICS.
ALTHOUGH THE APPOINTMENT OF LODGE MAY BE A PEACE GESTURE TO THE DEMOCRATS, WILLIAM BOYLE, JR., THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CHAIRMAN, MADE IT PLAIN DEMOCRATS WILL FIGHT THE SORT OF CRITICISM LODGE AND HIS COLLEAGUES FIRED AT THE ADMINISTRATION.
BOYLE SAID AFTER A WHITE HOUSE VISIT YESTERDAY THAT IF THE REPUBLICANS TRY TO MAKE POLITICAL HAY OUT OF THE KOREAN WAR "THE PEOPLE WILL RISE UP AGAINST THEM."
BOYLE ASSERTED THAT THE PEOPLE ARE "100 PERCENT BEHIND THE PRESIDENT--REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS ALIKE--" IN THE EMERGENCY. AND HE ADDED:
"IF THE REPUBLICANS TRY TO USE THE KOREAN WAR AS A POLITICAL FOOTBALL, THIS DISHONEST PRACTICE WILL REBOUND AGAINST THEM AND THE PEOPLE WILL RISE UP IN PROTEST."
THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE REPUBLICAN REPLY.
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(150) TIBET
WASHINGTON,AUG.24-(AP)-THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TODAY IT HAS NO CONFIRMATION OF REPORTS THAT CHINESE COMMUNIST FORCES HAVE INVADED TIBET.
OFFICIALS SAID, HOWEVER, THEY WOULD NOT BE SURPRISED AT SUCH AN INVASION BECAUSE THE RED CHINESE LEADERS HAVE BEEN THREATENING TO TAKE OVER THE COUNTRY FOR MANY MONTHS.
TIBET IS REPORTED TO HAVE LITTLE IN THE WAY OF ARMED FORCES AND PRESUMABLY COULD OFFER SLIGHT RESISTANCE TO ANY ATTACK.
THE COUNTRY IS SITUATED BETWEEN THE HIMALAYAN AND KUNLUN MOUNTAINS WEST OF CHINA AND NORTH OF INDIA.
THE DALAI LAMA RULES AN ESTIMATED THREE MILLION SUBJECTS IN THE COUNTRY THROUGH A REGENT. TIBET HAS BEEN VIRTUALLY INACCESSIBLE TO STRANGERS BECAUSE THE ONLY ROADS ARE THROUGH TOWERING MOUNTAIN PASSES, SOME OF THEM UP TO 18,000 FEET HIGH.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS NO REPRESENTATIVES EITHER IN TIBET OR IN COMMUNIST CHINA AT PRESENT.
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(WEST OUT) (250)
LOS ANGELES, AUG. 24-(AP)-A WARRANT OF DETENTION WAS ISSUED IN FEDERAL COURT HERE TODAY TO HALT SHIPMENT TO COMMUNIST CHINA BY A CHINESE SCIENTIST OF CASES WHICH THE GOVERNMENT ALLEGES CONTAIN TECHNICAL INFORMATION RELATING TO AIR TRAVEL AND MISSILES.
PROF. HAUE-SHEN TSIEN, HEAD OF THE DANIEL AND FLORENCE GUGGENHEIM JET PROPULSION CENTER AT THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, THE SHIPPER, SAID THE CASES CONTAIN HIS PERSONAL PROPERTY.
"I WAS PLANNING TO GO TO CHINA," HE SAID. "NOW I AM NOT. I WAS TOLD BY THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE NOT TO GO. I DON'T KNOW WHY THEY ARE INSPECTING IT. I DON'T KNOW THE COMPLETE STORY."
ASST. U. S. ATTY. MAX DEUTZ, WHO PREPARED THE ORDER FOR A WARRANT OF DETENTION, SAID THE CASES, WEIGHING 1,800 POUNDS, CONTAIN DATA ON IMPROVED TECHNIQUES, CODE BOOKS, SIGNAL BOOKS, SKETCHES, PLANS, PHOTOGRAPHS, BLUEPRINTS, NOTES AND OTHER FORMS OF TECHNICAL INFORMATION.
ROY M. GORIN, IN CHARGE OF THE EXPORT DEPARTMENT OF THE OFFICE OF COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS HERE, SAID SOME OF THE INFORMATION WAS CLASSIFIED AS SECRET, CONFIDENTIAL OR RESTRICTED.
LEO P. POGREBA, ACTING ASSISTANT OLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS, ASSERTED THE SHIPMENT FAILED TO COMPLY WITH THE EXPORT CONTROL ACT, THE NEUTRALITY ACT AND THE ESPIONAGE ACT.
PROF. CLARK B. MILLIKAN OF CALTECH SAID THE WORK OF DR. TSIEN THERE WAS "PURELY AN ACADEMIC ACTIVITY." HE ADDED DR. TSIEN IS NOT CONNECTED WITH CALTECH'S JET PROPULSION LABORATORY, WHERE SECRET RESEARCH IS UNDER WAY.
"DR. TSIEN IS A VERY VALUABLE, HONORABLE AND LOYAL MAN," DR. MILLIKAN SAID. "HE HAS BEEN IN THIS COUNTRY MANY YEARS AND IS IN COMPLETE CONSONANCE WITH OUR IDEALS."
DR. TSIEN, 40, FORMERLY WAS PROFESSOR OF AERODYNAMICS AT MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY. HE CAME TO CALTECH IN 1948 TO ESTABLISH THE GUGGENHEIM CENTER.
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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.24-(AP)-THE FIRST PASSENGER SHIP TAKEN OVER BY THE U.S. AS A TROOPSHIP IN THE KOREAN WAR ALREADY IS TAKING SOLDIERS TO JAPAN.

THE MILITARY SEA TRANSPORT SERVICE SAID TODAY THE AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINES' GENERAL W.H.GORDON WILL MAKE THIS ONE TRIP AS A TROOP SHIP. THEN IT WILL GO BACK TO COMMERCIAL PASSENGER TRADE.

THE GEN.GORDON WAS LOADED TO CAPACITY AT FORT MASON HERE AND SAILED SEVERAL DAYS AGO, AN MSTS SPOKESMAN SAID. SECURITY REGULATIONS FORBID DISCLOSURE OF THE DATE OF DEPARTURE AND THE NUMBER OF TROOPS ABOARD.

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PASADENA, CALIF., AUG. 24-(AP)-THE COMMUNISTS INVADED SOUTH KOREA BECAUSE THEIR PROPAGANDA FAILED COMPLETELY AND THE REPUBLIC WAS PROSPERING UNDER AID BY THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION, SAYS PAUL G. HOFFMAN.

"ECONOMIC RECOVERY THERE WAS FAR BETTER THAN OUR WILDEST DREAMS," THE ECA CHIEF REPORTED YESTERDAY. "POLITICALLY GREAT STRIDES WERE BEING MADE ALONG DEMOCRATIC LINES....FAMILIAR COMMUNIST TACTICS, SUCH AS FALSE PROPAGANDA, FAILED COMPLETELY. THIS, IN MY OPINION, IS WHY NORTH KOREA MOVED ACROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL."

HOFFMAN, COMPLETELY RECOVERED FROM AN OPERATION, LEAVES FOR WASHINGTON TOMORROW.

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A109KX (BRIDGES, TAYLOR, TRAIN)
SECOND NITE LEAD BRIDGES (190)
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG.24-(AP)-HARRY BRIDGES, JAILED AUG.5 ON THE GOVERNMENT'S CONTENTION THAT HE WAS A MENACE TO NATIONAL SECURITY, WAS ORDERED FREED BY THE U.S.CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS TODAY.

STEPS IMMEDIATELY WERE TAKEN TOWARD RESTORING THE AUSTRALIAN-BORN CIO LONGSHORE UNION LEADER TO LIBERTY UNDER $25.000 BAIL.

THE GOVERNMENT'S SPECIAL PROSECUTOR, F.JOSEPH DONOHUE WHO HAD HANDLED THE LATEST CASE AGAINST BRIDGES, ANNOUNCED IN WASHINGTON:

"I AM GOING TO RESIGN TOMORROW."

HE WOULD NOT AMPLIFY HIS REMARKS EXCEPT TO SAY:

"GOD HELP AMERICA."

THE $25,000 BAIL WAS THE AMOUNT BRIDGES HAD FURNISHED WHILE AWAITING DECISION ON HIS APPEAL FROM A FEDERAL COURT CONVICTION AND SENTENCE OF FIVE YEARS IMPRISONMENT ON PERJURY AND CONSPIRACY CHARGES.

THIS WAS THE AMOUNT OF BAIL BRIDGES HAD FURNISHED WHILE HE AWAITED DECISION ON HIS APPEAL FROM A FEDERAL COURT CONVICTION AND SENTENCE OF FIVE YEARS IMPRISONMENT ON PERJURY AND CONSPIRACY CHARGES.

HOWEVER, BRIDGES DID NOT IMMEDIATELY GET HIS FREEDOM. FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE MICHAEL J.ROCHE DECLINED TO SIGN PAPERS AFTER COURT HOURS ORDERING BRIDGES RELEASED. HE TOLD THE LONGSHORE LEADER'S ATTORNEYS HE WAS NOT FAMILIAR WITH THE APPEALS COURTS' DECISION. HE INSTRUCTED THE ATTORNEYS TO PRESENT THE PAPERS AT 10 A.M. TOMORROW IN HIS COURT.

IN A TWO-TO-ONE OPINION, CIRCUIT JUDGES WILLIAM HEALY AND WILLIAM ORR HELD "THERE IS NO SHOWING THAT BRIDGES HAS IN THE PRESENT POSITION COMMITTED ANY RECOGNIZABLE CRIME, OR THAT HE HAS HIMSELF COUNSELED OR ADVOCATED SABOTAGE OR SOUGHT TO FOMENT STRIKES OR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF PICKET LINES ON THE WATERFRONT." THEY TERMED THE GOVERNMENT'S EFFORT TO JAIL HIM "NOVEL AND STARTLING."

JUDGE CLIFTON MATHEWS DISSENTED. HE HELD FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGE GEORGE B.HARRIS' ORDER REVOKING BRIDGES' BAIL AND JAILING HIM AS "AMPLY WARRANTED."

"IT IS OUR PURPOSE NEITHER TO MINIMIZE ON THE ONE HAND NOR TO EXAGGERATE ON THE OTHER THE POSSIBLE IMPLICATIONS OF BRIDGES' UTTERANCES AS DISCLOSED IN THE GOVERNMENT SHOWING," THE MAJORITY OPINION SAID.

THE GOVERNMENT, THROUGH SPECIAL PROSECUTOR F.JOSEPH DONOHUE, HAD SUCCESSFULLY ASKED THAT BRIDGES $25,000 BAIL BE REVOKED ON THE GROUNDS HE WAS A MENACE TO THE COUNTRY DURING THE KOREAN WAR.

BRIDGES AND TWO OF HIS UNION AIDES WERE CONVICTED LAST APRIL OF PERJURY AND CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD AT THE TIME HE OBTAINED HIS AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP IN 1945.

A FEDERAL JURY FOUND BRIDGES LIED WHEN HE SWORE HE WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

AN APPEAL WAS FILED AND THE GOVERNMENT THEN ASKED THAT BAIL BE REVOKED ON CONTENTIONS THAT BRIDGES WAS FOLLOWING THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE IN HIS UNION ACTIONS.

IN UNION MEETINGS, BRIDGES HAD OPPOSED THE FLAT ENDORSEMENT OF U.S. POLICY IN KOREA AND PROPOSED INSTEAD THAT THE UNITED NATIONS SEEK SETTLEMENT "THROUGH DISCUSSIONS" TO AVERT A THIRD WORLD WAR.

BRIDGES ALSO OPPOSED THE GOVERNMENT "SECURITY CHECK" ALONG THE WATERFRONT, SAYING IT WAS DRAWN FOR SEAMEN AND WOULD TAKE AWAY CONTRACT CONDITIONS WON BY LONGSHOREMEN.

IN WASHINGTON, THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SAID IT WOULD HAVE NOTHING TO SAY UNTIL HE HAD HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO SEE THE TEXTS OF THE OPINIONS HANDED DOWN BY THE CIRCUIT COURT.

THE DEPARTMENT ONLY LAST WEEK MOVED TO JAIL THE 11 COMMUNIST PARTY LEADERS CONVICTED OF CONSPIRACY AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT IN NEW YORK CITY BY ASKING THE NEW YORK COURT TO REVOKE THEIR BAIL, RANGING FROM $20,000 TO $30,000 EACH.

THE SAME ISSUES WERE RAISED IN THE NEW YORK PETITION AS WERE RASED N THE BRIDGES CASE--THAT CONTINUED LI

RAISED IN THE BRIDGES CASE--THAT CONTINUED LIBERTY FOR THE DEFENDANTS INVOLVED A THREAT TO NATIONAL SECURITY.

THE MAJORITY OPINION EMPHASIZED THAT THE JUDICIARY MUST REMAIN FIRML INDEPENDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF THE GOVERNMENT.

IT SAID THE GOVERNMENT'S MOVE TO IMPRISON BRIDGES INAUGURATED A PROCEDURE "TO MAKE GHE COURTS THE EFFECTIVE INSTRUMENT OF EXECUTIVE EXPEDIENCY."

IN HIS DISSENTING OPINION, JUDGE MATHEWS SAID THAT THE ORDER OF AUGUST 5 BY FEDERAL JUDGE GEORGE B. HARRIS REVOKING BAIL WAS AMPLY WARRANTED.

MATTHEWS QUOTED FROM HARRIS, WHO WAS THE PERJURY TRIAL JUDGE, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE COMMUNIST PARTY IS A CONPSIRACY, AND THAT MEMBERS OF THAT PARTY ARE PARTIES TO THAT CONSPIRACY.

THE MAJORITY OPINION SAID THAT IN TIMES OF NATIONAL DANGER THE COURT GENERALLY REFRAIIN FROM INTERFERING WITH DRASTIC MEASURES OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH.

HOWEVER. IT CONTINUED. "IT IS ONE THING TO REFRAIN FROM INTERFERENCE

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AND QUITE ANOTHER FOR THE COURTS TO BECOME THEMSELVES THE TOOLS OF MILITARY EXPEDIENCY."

JUDGES ORR AND HEALY SAID THE GOVERNMENT'S MOVE WAS "AS STARTLING AS IT IS NOVEL. XXX HOWEVER HARD AND DISAGREEABLE MAY BE THE TASK IN TIMES OF POPULAR PASSION AND EXCITEMENT, IT IS THE DUTY OF THE COURTS TO SET THEIR FACES LIKE FLINT AGAINST THIS ERROSIVE SUSBVERSION OF THE JUDICIAL PROCESS."

IT SAID THAT BRIDGES, IN JAIL, WOULD "APPEAR A VICTIM OF JUDICIAL TYRANNY."

"A BRIDGES SINGLED OUT IN JAIL BY ARBITRARY JUDICIAL ACTION WHILE HE IS PROSECUTING WITH DILIGENCE HIS GOOD FAITH APPEAL POSES TO OUR MIND A MORE SERIOUS MENACE TO THE NATIO AND ITS INTEREST THAN DOES THE BRIDGES ENLARGED (AT LIBERTY) ON BAIL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ESTABLISHED RULES OF LAW AND THE DECISIONS AND PRACTICES OF THE COURT."

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MILWAUKEE, AUG. 24-(AP)-THE MILWAUKEE JOURNAL SAID TODAY IT HAD LEARNED THE STATE TAX DEPARTMENT "HAS CHALLENGED" THE CLAIM OF SEN. MC CARTHY (R-WIS.) THAT HE OWES NO WISCONSIN INCOME TAXES FOR 1949.

THE JOURNAL STORY SAID FURTHER THAT "AUDITORS ALSO ARE RE-EXAMINING MC CARTHY'S REPORTS THAT HE HAD NO TAXABLE INCOME FOR 1947 OR 1948."

"MC CARTHY HAS BEEN ORDERED TO PROVIDE CHECK STUBS, MONTHLY BANK STATEMENTS AND CANCELLED CHECKS FOR THE PAST THREE YEARS AND TO SUPPLY DETAILED INFORMATION ON HIS BANK OANS AND STOCK MARKET TRANSACTIONS," THE STORY SAID. THE INFORMATION WAS OBTAINED, IT ADDED, FROM CORRESPONDENCE IN THE ASSESSOR'S OFFICE AT APPLETON.

"MC CARTHY'S 1949 TAX RETURN SHOWED NO STATE TAX DUE ON HIS INCOME OF $17,120 BECAUSE HE CLAIMED EXEMPTIONS OF $15,172 PAID OUT FOR INTEREST AND $2,290 LOST ON STOCK MARKET TRANSACTIONS," SAID THE JOURNAL.

"IT WAS THE FOURTH SUCCESSIVE YEAR THAT MC CARTHY PAID NO INCOME TAX AFTER CLAIMING DEDUCTIONS THAT EXCEEDED HIS INCOM

INCOME TAX AFTER CLAIMING DEDUCTIONS THAT EXCEEDED HIS INCOME. HIS INCOME FOR THE FOUR YEARS TOTALED $66,938."

THE JOURNAL SAID THAT ON JULY 17 THE TAX DEPARTMENT ASKED T

THE JOURNAL SAID THAT ON JULY 17 THE TAX DEPARTMENT ASKED THE STATE'S JUNIOR SENATOR FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON HIS 1949 TAX RETURN. ON AUG. 15, IT ADDED, A DEADLINE OF AUG. 28 WAS SET FOR MC CARTHY TO ANSWER SEVEN SPECIFIC QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE INCOME. THE QUESTIONS, ACCORDING TO THE JOURNAL, CONCERN INFORMATION ON LOANS, INTEREST PAYMENTS, STOCK PURCHASES AND OTHER ITEMS.

"TAX DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS AT MADISON AND AT APPLETON (MC CARTHY'S HOME TOWN) WOULD NOT DISCUSS THE INVESTIGATION, EXPLAINING THAT IT WAS STILL IN PROGRESS," THE JOURNAL ADDED. "THE CORRESPONDENCE FILE, HOWEVER, SHOWED THE COURSE OF THE INQUIRY."

AT WASHINGTON, MC CARTHY SAID, "THAT STORY IS A TYPICAL JOURNAL FALSEHOOD."

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SAYVILLE, N.Y., AUG.24-(AP)-A DOZEN F-51 SINGLE-ENGINE "MUSTANG" FIGHTER PLANES, FIRST TO BE RECONDITIONED ON THE EAST COAST UNDER TERMS OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT, HAVE TAKEN OFF FOR EVENTUAL DELIVERY TO A EUROPEAN NATION.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE FLIGHT, BEGUN YESTERDAY FROM THE LOCKHEED AIRCRAFT SERVICE OVERHAUL BASE HERE, WAS DELAYED UNTIL TODAY FOR SECURITY REASONS.

A LOCKHEED SPOKESMAN SAID THE FLIGHT WAS NOT A TRANSATLANTIC ONE BUT DECLINED TO SPECIFY THE ROUTE OR THE EVENTUAL DESTINATION OF THE PLANES.

THE PLANES WERE PART OF A "MOTHBALLED" FLEET ORIGINALLY STORED AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS. NO ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE AS TO WHEN, OR HOW MANY, OTHER PLANES WILL BE SENT ABROAD.

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FIRST LEAD SOBELL (220)

NEW YORK, AUG.24-(AP)-MORTON SOBELL, 33-YEAR-OLD RADAR EXPERT ACCUSED OF SPYING FOR RUSSIA, WAS HELD IN $100,000 BAIL TODAY ON ESPIONAGE CONSPIRACY CHARGE.

AT HIS ARRAIGNMENT BEFORE U.S. COMMISSIONER EDWARD W.MCDONALD, SOBELL ASKED IF HE MIGHT COMMENT ON HIS WAIVING REMOVAL FROM TEXAS.

U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING H.SAYPOL TOLD SOBELL, "SUPPOSE YOU WAIT UNTIL I FINISH."

SOBELL WAS ARRESTED LAST WEEK BY MEXICAN AUTHORITIES IN MEXICO CITY AND WAS TURNED OVER TO FBI AGENTS IN LAREDO, TEX., FRIDAY. HE WAS BROUGHT FROM HOUSTON BY PLANE LAST NIGHT.

AT HIS ARRAIGNMENT SOBELL SAID HE HAD "NOT YET" OBTAINED A LAWYER.

COMMISSIONER MCDONALD TOLD SOBELL THAT IN THE ABSENCE OF AN ATTORNEY HE WOULD NOT BE REQUIRED TO SAY ANYTHING IN COURT.

THE RADAR EXPERT STOOD QUIETLY, BETRAYING NO EMOTION, AS SAYPOL READ A COPY OF THE COMPLAINT WHICH ACCUSES THE DEFENDANT OF PASSING AMERICAN DEFENSE SECRETS TO RUSSIA.

THE SECRETS, THE COMPLAINT SAID, CONSISTED OF "DOCUMENTS, WRITING, SKETCHES, NOTES AND INFORMATION RELATING TO NATIONAL DEFENSE."

SPECIFICALLY, SOBELL IS CHARGED WITH CONSPIRING WITH JULIUS ROSENBERG TO SLIP ATOMIC SECRETS TO THE REDS. BOTH ROSENBERG, NEW YORK ENGINEER, AND HIS WIFE, ETHEL, HAVE BEEN INDICTED ON CHARGES OF CONSPIRING TO COMMIT ESPIONAGE. ROSENBERG IS THE BROTHER-IN-LAW OF DAVID GREENGLASS, FORMER ARMY TECHNICIAN WHO ALSO IS BEING HELD ON AN ESPIONAGE CHARGE.

AFTER FIXING BAIL FOR SOBELL, COMMISSIONER MCDONALD ADJOURNED THE HEARING UNTIL SEPT.18.

SOBELL FLED TO MEXICO LAST JUNE 22. HE WAS EMPLOYED BY THE REEVES INSTRUMENT CORPORATION HERE WHICH HOLDS TOP SECRET GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS.

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NEW YORK, AUG.24-(AP)-THE PEACE INFORMATION CENTER, DISTRIBUTERS IN THIS COUNTRY OF THE SO-CALLED "STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION", SAID TODAY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT HAD ORDERED IT AND ITS OFFICERS TO REGISTER AS FOREIGN AGENTS.

THE ORDER, A CENTER SPOKESMAN SAID, WAS ISSUED IN A LETTER DATED AUG.11 AND SIGNED BY WILLIAM E.FOLEY, CHIEF OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S FOREIGN AGENTS REGISTRATION SECTION.

IN WASHINGTON THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT CONFIRMED THE ORDER, WITHOUT ANY ELABORATION.

THE CENTER, FORMED LAST APRIL WITH THE ANNOUNCED PURPOSE OF DISSEMINATING INFORMATION ON THE WORLD-WIDE PEACE MOVEMENT, IS HEADED BY DR.W.E.B. DU BOIS, NEGRO ANTHROPOLOGIST AND HISTORIAN.

THE PEACE CENTER RELEASED A STATEMENT FROM DU BOIS IN WHICH HE DENIED "CATEGORICALLY" THAT THE ORGANIZATION WAS A REPRESENTATIVE OF A "FOREIGN PRINCIPAL." DU BOIS, NOW IN PARIS, MADE THE STATEMENT BY TRANSATLANTIC TELEPHONE.

HE TERMED THE CENTER AN "ENTIRELY AMERICAN ORGANIZATION" DEVOTED TO THE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE.

THE STOCKHOLM APPEAL CALLS FOR OUTLAWING THE ATOMIC BOMB AS "AN INSTRUMENT OF AGGRESSION AND MASS MURDER" WITHOUT CONDEMNING AGGRESSION ITSELF.

THE APPEAL, ISSUED LAST MARCH BY THE CONGRESS OF PARTISANS OF PEACE IN STOCKHOLM, CLOSELY PARALLELS RUSSIAN PROPOSALS IN THE UNITED NATIONS ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

THE PEACE PARTISANS CLAIM THAT MORE THAN 11,000,000 PERSONS HAVE SIGNED THE APPEAL IN THE UNITED STATES ALONE. SIGNATURES ARE BEING SOLICITED THRMUGHOUT THE WORLD.

ALTHOUGH FOLEY DID NOT SAY FOR WHAT FOREIGN COUNTRY HE CONSIDERED THE PEACE INFORMATION CENTER WAS ACTING, SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON RECENTLY CALLED THE STOCKHOLM APPEAL A PART OF TH SOVIET UNION'S "SPURIOUS PEACE OFFENSIVE."

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NEW YORK, AUG.24-(AP)-THE PEACE INFORMATION CENTER, WHICH HAS BEEN FLOODING THE NATION WITH ANTI-WAR LITERATURE, TODAY WAS UNDER ORDERS TO REGISTER AS THE AGENT OF A FOREIGN POWER.

THE ORDER, DISCLOSED BY THE CENTER, WAS CONFIRMED IN WASHINGTON BY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.

SINCE EARLY JUNE, THE CENTER HAS BEEN DISTRIBUTING WIDELY THE SO-CALLED STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION, TERMED PART OF RUSSIA'S "SPURIOUS PEACE OFFENSIVE" BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.

THE ORDER BROUGHT A HEATED REPLY FROM THE CENTER'S CHAIRMAN, DR. W.E.S.DUBOIS, NEGRO ANTHROPOLOGIST AND HISTORIAN, NOW IN PARIS.

IN A TRANSATLANTIC TELEPHONE MESSAGE, HE SAID "THERE IS NO BASIS IN FANCY OR IN FACT FOR THE CHARGE THAT THE PEACE INFORMATION CENTER IS A REPRESENTATIVE IN ANY WAY OF A 'FOREIGN PRINCIPAL.'"

THE CENTER, HE ADDED, IS "AN ENTIRELY AMERICAN ORGANIZATION WHOSE SOLE OBJECTIVE IS TO SECURE PEACE TO PREVENT A THIRD WORLD WAR."

HE SAID THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT ORDER DID NOT STATE WHAT FOREIGN POWER THE CENTER WAS SUPPOSED TO REPRESENT.

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NEW YORK, AUG.24-(AP)-THE NEW YORK TIMES SAYS THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT MAY BUY $75,000,000 (M) WORTH OF CANADIAN ALUMINUM FOR ITS STOCKPILE OF CRITICAL MATERIALS.

UNITED STATES DEFENSE AGENCIES, THE NEWSPAPER SAYS, HAVE DRAWN UP A PLAN FOR IMPORTS OVER A THREE YEAR PERIOD OF 440,000,000 (M) POUNDS FROM ALUMINUM LIMITED OF CANADA.

THE TIMES QUOTES AN UNIDENTIFIED SOURCE AS SAYING THE DEAL MIGHT COME WITHIN 30 DAYS.

PURCHASES OF ALUMINUM FOR A STOCKPILE HAVE LAGGED SERIOUSLY, THE NEWSPAPER SAYS, BECAUSE OF THE GREAT QUANTITIES ALREADY BEING USED FOR AIRPLANES AND OTHER WAR EQUIPMENT.

DURING WORLD WAR II, THE U.S. BOUGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF ALUMINUM FROM CANADA.

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PRECEDE TOKYO FORMOSA (510)

BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG 24-(AP)-RED CHINA FORMALLY DEMANDED TODAY THAT THE UNITED NATIONS ORDER WITHDRAWAL OF ALL AMERICAN FORCES FROM THE CHINESE NATIONALIST-HELD ISLAND OF FORMOSA. THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ALSO SAID THEY WERE DETERMINED TO "LIBERATE" FORMOSA FROM THE "TENTACLES OF THE UNITED STATES AGGRESSORS."

THE UNITED STATES HAS NO ARMED FORCES ON FORMOSA, BUT THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET IS PATROLLING THE FORMOSAN STRAIT ON ORDERS FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO PREVENT THREATENED RED ATTACKS.

THE RED CHINESE MOVE WAS SEEN BY U.N. DIPLOMATS AS A SOVIET-INSPIRED STEP TO INJECT THE FORMOSAN ISSUE INTO THE COMPLICATED KOREAN DEBATE AND TAKE THE HEAT OFF RUSSIA AND COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA.

THE DEMAND WAS CONTAINED IN A CABLE SENT BY CHOU EN-LAI, FOREIGN MINISTER OF THE PEIPING REGIME, TO BOTH SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE AND TO RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK, PRESIDENT FOR AUGUST OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL.

AT WASHINGTON, THE STATE DEPARTMENT DECLARED TONIGHT THAT THE UNITED STATES WOULD WELCOME U.N. CONSIDERATION OF THE FORMOSA PROBLEM, BUT FELT THE U.N. SHOULD NOT BE DIVERTED FROM CONSIDERING THE COMMUNIST ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREA.

MICHAEL J. MC DERMOTT, DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN, ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING THAT WHEN PRESIDENT TRUMAN ORDERED U.S. FORCES TO PROTECT FORMOSA ON JUNE 27 HE INDICATED THE PROBLEM WAS ONE WHICH MIGHT BE STUDIED BY THE U.N.

MC DERMOTT'S STATEMENT:

"THE UNITED STATES WOULD WELCOME UNITED NATIONS CONSIDERATION OF THE FORMOSA PROBLEM. BY DIRECTION OF THE PRESIDENT AMBASSADOR AUSTIN NOTIFIED THE SECURITY COUNCIL AT ONCE OF THE ACTION TAKEN BY THE UNITED STATES ON JUNE 27.

"IN THE PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT OF THAT SAME DATE IT WAS INDICATED THAT THE PROBLEM IS ONE WHICH MIGHT BE CONSIDERED BY THE UNITED NATIONS. OF COURSE THE SECURITY COUNCIL SHOULD NOT BE DIVERTED FROM THE URGENT BUSINESS ALREADY ON ITS AGENDA, THE AGGRESSION AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA."

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MALIK IS EXPECTED TO OPEN TOMORROW'S COUNCIL MEETING (AT 2 P.M., EST) BY READING THE CHINESE COMMUNIST MESSAGE AND PERHAPS LAUNCHING CHARGES OF AGGRESSION AGAINST THE UNITED STATES IN BEHALF OF THE PEIPING GOVERNMENT.

MALIK ALREADY HAS BEFORE THE COUNCIL A RESOLUTION DEMANDING WITHDRAWAL OF ALL U.N. AND OTHER FOREIGN TROOPS FROM KOREA. THERE WAS NOTHING TO PREVENT HIM FROM SUBMITTING A SIMILAR PROPOSAL TO EMBODY THE CHINESE COMMUNIST DEMANDS.

CHOU'S CABLE TO LIE AND MALIK SAID "THE UNITED STATES SEVENTH FLEET MOVED INTO THE STRAITS OF TAIWAN (FORMOSA), FOLLOWED BY THE ARRIVAL IN TAIWAN OF CONTINGENTS OF THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE."

U.S. AIR FORCE OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON SAID TODAY THERE ARE NO AMERICAN AIR UNITS ON FORMOSA. THESE OFFICIALS SAID AMERICAN PLANES HAVE MADE TRAINING FLIGHTS TO THE ISLAND BUT THAT NONE IS BASED THERE OR IS ON FORMOSA NOW. A DISPATCH FROM TOKYO AUG. 5 SAID SIX AMERICAN JETS HAD FLOWN TO THE ISLAND FROM JAPAN.

"THE PEOPLE OF CHINA CANNOT TOLERATE THE ACTION OF ARMED AGGRESSION BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT ON THE TERRITORY OF CHINA," CHOU'S MESSAGE SAID.

CHOU SAID THE PRESENCE OF U.S. FORCES WAS AN "OPEN ENCROACHMENT ON THE TERRITORY OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA" (RED CHINA) AND CALLED IT DIRECT ARMED AGGRESSION AND A VIOLATION OF THE U.N. CHARTER.

CHOU DEMANDED THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL CONDEMN THE U.S. GOVERNMENT "FOR ITS CRIMINAL ACT X X X AND TAKE IMMEDIATE MEASURES TO BRING ABOUT THE COMPLETE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL UNITED STATES ARMED INVADING FORCES FROM TAIWAN (FORMOSA) AND FROM OTHER TERRITORIES BELONGING TO CHINA."

MALIK ALREADY HAS TRIED TO LINK THE CHINESE AND KOREAN ISSUES SEVERAL TIMES IN THE COUNCIL, BUT THE COUNCIL MAJORITY, LED BY THE UNITED STATES, HAS INSISTED THERE IS NO CONNECTION BETWEEN THE TWO QUESTIONS.

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ALTHOUGH MALIK HAS REFERRED SEVERAL TIMES TO THE PRESENCE OF THE SEVENTH FLEET IN CHINA WATERS AND CALLED THIS AGGRESSION, HE HAS CONFINED HIS FORMAL DEMANDS SO FAR TO INSISTING THAT RED CHINA BE SEATED IN THE COUNCIL IN PLACE OF THE NATIONALIST CHINESE DELEGATION.

OUTER MONGOLIA, ANOTHER SOVIET-BLOC COUNTRY, ALSO SENT A MESSAGE TO LIE AND MALIK TODAY SUPPORTING RUSSIA'S POSITION ON KOREA AND CHARGING THE UNITED STATES WITH AGGRESSION AGAINST FORMOSA.

"THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES HAS OPENLY VIOLATED PEACE," THE NOTE SAID.

A HONG KONG DISPATCH SAID THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE ACCUSED BRITAIN'S ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE OF FIVE VIOLATIONS OF CHINESE AIR, TERRITORY AND TERRITORIAL WATERS SINCE JULY 6.

THE COMMUNISTS SAID THE BRITISH FORCES ENGAGED IN A DELIBERATE PLAN "TO ENCROACH UPON CHINA'S SOVEREIGNTY" AND WARNED THAT BRITISH AUTHORITIES IN HONG KONG "MUST TAKE ENTIRE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALL CONSEQUENCES." THE CHARGE WAS MADE IN CANTON IN A STATEMENT OF THE KWANGTUNG PROVINCE GOVERNOR, GEN. YEH CHIEN-YING. THE STATEMENT WAS DISTRIBUTED BY THE OFFICIAL CHINESE COMMUNIST AGENCY.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG 24-(AP)-A NEW RUSSIAN OFFICIAL HAS JUST JOINED THE UNITED NATIONS AS A POLITICAL OFFICER IN THE IMPORTANT DEPARTMENT OF SECURITY COUNCIL AFFAIRS, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.

HE IS NICOLAI SKVORTZOV WHO CAME DIRECT FROM MOSCOW TO TAKE OVER HIS POST. U.N. OFFICIALS SAID THERE HAD BEEN NO VACANCY, BUT THAT THE HEAVY LOAD OF WORK MADE IT NECESSARY TO ADD A NEW POLITICAL OFFICER. THE JOB WENT TO A RUSSIAN, THEY SAID, BECAUSE RUSSIA HAD NOT FILLED HER QUOTA IN THE SECRETARIAT.

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U.N.--KOREA

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 24-(AP)-RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK TODAY HEADED INTO THE FOURTH AND FINAL WEEK OF HIS SECURITY COUNCIL PRESIDENCY, APPARENTLY DEDICATED--AND SUCCESSFULLY--TO STALLING DECISIVE COUNCIL ACTION ON THE KOREAN WAR.

IN THE THREE WEEKS SINCE HE ENDED THE RUSSIAN BOYCOTT TO HEAD THE COUNCIL, MALIK HAS TRUMPETED THE SOVIET PROPAGANDA LINE AT LENGTH.

THE WEST HAS REPLIED WITH SIMILARLY LONG SPEECHES, BUT MANY OBSERVERS WONDER WHICH HAS HAD THE MORE TELLING EFFECT ON THE ASIAN MIND--THE ULTIMATE PRIZE IN THE CURRENT U.N. WAR OF WORDS.

MALIK'S DELAYING STRATEGY HAS CONSISTED MAINLY OF PRESENTING PROPOSALS TO THE COUNCIL THAT OBVIOUSLY WOULD BE KNOCKED DOWN, OR IN STALLING OFF ACTION ON WESTERN PROPOSALS.

THE PROCEDURAL WRANGLE HAS REVOLVED MAINLY AROUND THE COUNCIL'S DECISION OF LAST JUNE TO INVITE SOUTH KOREA'S REPRESENTATIVE TO JOIN IN DISCUSSION OF KOREAN QUESTIONS.

MALIK HAS REFUSED EITHER TO SEAT THE REPRESENTATIVE OR TO MAKE A RULE DENYING HIM A SEAT.

HE HAS COUNTERED WITH TWO PROPOSALS, ONE TO ORDER A CEASE-FIRE AND WITHDRAWAL OF ALL FOREIGN TROOPS--MEANING U.S. FORCES--AND TO SEAT BOTH NORTH KOREAN AND RED CHINESE REPRESENTATIVES IN THE COUNCIL TO DISCUSS A PEACE SETTLEMENT.

IF THAT WERE DONE, MALIK SAID, HE WOULD ALSO ADMIT THE SOUTH KOREAN.

THE OTHER RUSSIAN PROPOSAL WAS TO HAVE THE COUNCIL DENOUNCE WHAT BOTH MALIN AND NORTH KOREAN AUTHORITIES CALLED THE "BARBAROUS, MONSTROUS" BOMBINGS OF NORTH KOREAN TOWNS BY U.S. PLANES.

COUNCIL MEMBERS HAVE INDICATED CLEARLY THAT THE MAJORITY WOULD VOTE DOWN BOTH MALIK'S PROPOSALS.

THE FIRST DAY HE ASSUMED THE PRESIDENCY MALIK, BY AN 8-3 VOTE, LOST AN ATTEMPT TO RULE THAT THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WERE NOT THE PROPER REPRESENTATIVES OF CHINA. SINCE THEN THE DELEGATES HAVE BATTLED FUTILELY, AND SPOKEN AT LENGTH, BUT WITH NO CONCRETE ACTION ON THE WAR.

MALIK ON HIS SIDE HAS STATED HE WOULD VETO THE U.S. PROPOSAL OF LAST

MONTH CALLING FOR THE COUNCIL TO FOLLOW UP ITS CEASE-FIRE AND WITHDRAWAL ORDER TO THE RED KOREANS BY DENOUNCING THEM FOR CONTINUED U.N. DEFIANCE, AND CALLING ON ALL NATIONS TO REFRAIN FROM AIDING THEM.

NO ONE HOPES FOR ACTION ON ANY OF THE THREE PROPOSALS UNTIL BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB TAKES THE CHAIR SEPT.1 AND RESTORES THE COUNCIL TO THE NORMAL PROCEDURE WHICH MALIK HAS BLOCKED.

NOR DOES ANYONE -- OUTSIDE THE RUSSIAN DELEGATION -- SEEM TO KNOW IF MALIK WILL BE ON HAND FOR COUNCIL MEETINGS WHEN JEBB TAKES THE CHAIR, OR IF THE RUSSIAN WILL RESUME HIS BOYCOTT.

STYMIED ON ACHIEVING ANYTHING CONCRETE OVER THE PAST MONTH, BOTH RUSSIA AND THE WEST HAVE INDULGED IN A PROPAGANDA DUEL INVOLVING THE WHOLE ASIATIC QUESTION.

EACH SIDE HAS ACCUSED THE OTHER OF AGGRESSION IN KOREA, AND EACH SIDE HAS DENIED THE CHARGES.

THE COUNCIL MEETS TOMORROW AND ONCE OR TWICE NEXT WEEK, BUT LITTLE IS EXPECTED TO BE ACCOMPLISHED.

IF MALIK STAYS IN THE COUNCIL AFTER SEPT.1, HE CAN BEAT THE U.S. PROPOSAL WITH A VETO. IF HE PULLS OUT, ANYTHING THE GROUP ORDERS WILL AFFECT THE NORTH KOREANS ONLY AS FAR AS U.S. TROOPS BACK UP THE COUNCIL. THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS HAVE BEEN IGNORING U.N. RULINGS FOR THREE YEARS.

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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (900)

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 26-(AP)-THREE BATTERED RED KOREAN DIVISIONS, NORTH OF TAEGU, RETREATED TODAY OUT OF ARTILLERY RANGE AND THE ENEMY MENACE TO THAT KEY BASE WAS BELIEVED REMOVED FOR AT LEAST 10 DAYS.

ONE AMERICAN OFFICER ESTIMATED THE EFFECTIVENESS OF 50,000 REDS HAD BEEN "CUT IN HALF."

ON THE SOUTHERN END OF THE FRONT, ASSOCIATED PRESS STAN SWINTON REPORTED THAT 1,000 REDS WERE THROWN BACK THIS MORNING IN ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO SEIZE STRATEGIC SOBUK MOUNTAIN. ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION FORCED THEM BACK WITH HAND GRENADES AND SMALL ARMS IN A SHORT BUT SHARP STRUGGLE. THIS IS IN A SECTOR GUARDING THE APPROACHES TO PUSAN.

AS UNITED NATIONS FORCES EITHER GAINED OR HELD ALL ALONG THE 120-MILE BATTLE PERIMETER IN SOUTH KOREA, OFFICIAL IMPRESSIONS MOUNTED THAT "THE WORST IS OVER" FOR THE DEFENDERS.

ADMIRAL ARTHUR W. RADFORD, COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF U.S. NAVAL FORCES IN THE PACIFIC, RETURNING TO PEARL HARBOR FROM A VISIT TO KOREA, SAID "THE LOW POINT HAS BEEN PASSED."

NORTH OF TAEGU, WHERE THE REDS FOR SEVEN DAYS HAD TRIED AT HEAVY COST IN MEN AND ARMOR TO FIND A SPOT FOR A BREAKTHROUGH, AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN COMMANDERS SAID THEIR TROOPS, ARTILLERY AND PLANES HAVE BADLY MAULED THE REDS' 15TH, 13TH AND THIRD DIVISIONS. THESE DIVISIONS WERE REPORTED TODAY TO BE REGROUPING WITH THEIR EQUIPMENT AFTER WITHDRAWING OUT OF RANGE OF AMERICAN ARTILLERY.

IT WAS IN THIS AREA THAT THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY IN A MIDMORNING COMMUNIQUE REPORTED SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS HAD GAINED UP TO A MILE.

BULWARKING THE GROUND SUCCESSES, THE AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED A BIG BAG OF 15 RED TANKS DESTROYED FRIDAY, IN BLASTS ALL THE WAY FROM THE BATTLEFRONTS UP TO THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL CITY OF PYONGYANG.

HERE WAS THE BRIGHTENING PICTURE FOR THE UNITED NATIONS ALL ALONG THE BATTLE PERIMETER FROM POHANG ON THE EAST COAST TO MASAN ON THE SOUTH:

POHANG--THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION AT HUNGHAE, SIX MILES UP THE COAST FROM POHANG, ADVANCED 600 YARDS FRIDAY. ON THEIR LEFT FLANK, THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA (ROK) CAPITAL DIVISION STABILIZED ITS LINE EIGHT MILES TO THE NORTHWEST ABOVE KIGYE. IT EARLIER HAD BEEN FORCED INTO A WITHDRAWAL.

TAEGU--NEAR CHONGNO, 24 MILES NORTHEAST, THE ROK 6TH DIVISION, WHICH WAS DRIVEN BACK BY 6,000 REDS EARLY FRIDAY, REGAINED MOST OF THE LOST GROUND. OTHER 6TH DIVISION ELEMENTS WHICH OCCUPIED THE STRATEGIC PEAK OF PUGYE FRIDAY ADVANCED NORTH, PLUGGING A GAP IN THE LINE. NEAR KUMHWA, 15 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, TWO REGIMENTS OF THE ROK FIRST DIVISION ADVANCED 1,000 YARDS AND A THIRD REGIMENT 1,500 YARDS, KILLING 300 REDS AND CAPTURING 42. BEHIND THE FIRST'S FRONT LINES, REMNANTS OF AN INFILTRATING RED FORCE WHICH ONCE TOTALLED 1,000 OR MORE WERE FLUSHED OUT OF A WALLED VILLAGE AND FORCED TO TRY THE RISKY JOB OF GETTING BACK TO THEIR LINES.

WAEGWAN AREA--DUE WEST OF TAEGU, ARTILLERY OF THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION FRIDAY NIGHT HEAVILY SHELLED REPORTED RED TANK CONCENTRATIONS WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. PATROLS CROSSED THE RIVER BUT WERE UNABLE TO CONTACT THIS FORCE.

HYONGPUNG-CHANGNYONG SECTORS, 18 TO 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU--NO RED ACTION REPORTED AGAINST THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION AND FIRST MARINE BRIGADE.

SOMEWHERE ALONG THIS NAKTONG RIVER LINE THE U.S. SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION HAS GONE INTO THE LINE AS A UNIT BUT THE SPECIFIC SECTOR HAS NOT BEEN DESIGNATED.

CHINJU-MASAN (SOUTHERN) SECTOR--THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION ELEMENTS REPELLED SMALL RED ASSAULTS FRIDAY NIGHT BUT THESE LACKED THE PUNCH DEALT DURING THE DAY FRIDAY BY RED ELEMENTS OF TWO OR MORE DIVISIONS, AIMED TOWARD MASAN, THE GATEWAY TO PUSAN.

MASAN IS 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

A DISPATCH TODAY FROM ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD GAVE THE FIRST OVERALL SUMMARY OF THE THWARTED SEVEN-DAY COMMUNIST BID FOR TAEGU AND THE GREAT COST EXACTED.

THE HIGHLIGHTS:

1. U.S. LT. COL. JOHN HECTOR, AN ARTILLERY COMMANDER, SAID THREE COMMUNIST DIVISIONS, SUPPORTED BY AN ARTILLERY REGIMENT, AN ARMED BRIGADE OF 40 TANKS, A REGIMENT OF TANK INFANTRY AND A MOTORCYCLE REGIMENT, MADE THE BID. THESE WERE ESTIMATED TO TOTAL 50,000 MEN.
2. SINCE THE FIGHT FOR TAEGU BEGAN AUG. 3, THE ENEMY HAS LOST 30 TANKS.
3. FRIDAY NIGHT, ARTILLERY "CHEWED UP TWO BATTALIONS."
4. COL. HECTOR ESTIMATED THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE THREE RED DIVISIONS HAD "BEEN CUT IN HALF."
5. THE NEAREST RED POSITION IS NOW ABOUT 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, WITH SOUTH KOREANS HITTING IT.
6. GEN PAIK SUN YIP, COMMANDING THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION, AND COL. PAUL L. FREEMAN, ROANOKE, VA., A U.S. REGIMENTAL COMMANDER, AGREED THE TAEGU CRISIS HAS PASSED; THAT THE REDS WERE INCAPABLE OF MOUNTING A LARGE SCALE ATTACK FOR 10 OR MORE DAYS--IF THEN.
7. THE SOUTH KOREANS EVEN TURNED THE TABLES ON THE REDS, WHO HAD BEEN USING GUERRILLA INFILTRATION TACTICS, AND SLIPPED FIVE MILES BEHIND COMMUNIST LINES TO SHOOT UP A RED DIVISIONAL COMMAND POST.

THE AIRFORCE CLAIM OF A 15-TANK BAG FRIDAY, IF CONFIRMED, WOULD EXCEED THE RED LOSSES OF 11 SUFFERED IN FIVE DAYS OF FIGHTING ALONG THE KUMHWA-TAEGU CORRIDOR. THE PLANES SMASHED SIX OF THESE TANKS AT THE COMMUNIST CAPITAL CITY OF PYONGYANG, WHERE THEY WERE FAR AWAY FROM THE FIGHTING FRONT--WITH SMASHED RAIL AND HIGHWAY LINES IN BETWEEN.

THE REDS, RATHER THAN RISK THEIR TANKS IN BATTLE, RECENTLY HAVE DUG THEM IN FOR USE AS ARTILLERY.

FRIDAY ON THE SOUTHERN SECTOR, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED COLUMNS OF REDS STREAMING DOWN ROADS TOWARD MASAN, WHICH IS 27 AIR MILES WEST OF THE PORT OF PUSAN. BUT TODAY, AFTER PLANES HAD ATTACKED IN STRENGTH FRIDAY, AIR RECONNAISANCE DISCLOSED "NO ENEMY ACTIVITY."

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT WILLIAM SHINN REPORTED TODAY THAT SOUTH KOREAN NAVAL UNITS HAVE STRUCK TWO NEW BLOWS AT THE REDS' SEABORNE SUPPLY LINES ALONG THE SOUTH END OF THE KOREAN PENINSULA. THEY LANDED COMMANDOS ON TWO MORE ISLANDS OFF THE SOUTHWEST TIP, KILLED 26 REDS, DESTROYED EIGHT SUPPLY SHIPS, BLEW UP 14 CARGO BOATS AND TOOK 34 PRISONERS.

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NEW SECURITY REGULATIONS IN FORCE PREVENTED IDENTIFYING THE ISLANDS IN DISPATCHES.

AN AIR FORCE SUMMARY AT 1:45 P.M., TODAY (10:45 P.M., E.S.T., FRIDAY), COVERING ALL OPERATIONS FRIDAY, SAID FAR-RANGING B-29S DROPPED MORE THAN 600 TONS OF BOMBS ON A CHEMICAL PLANT AT HUNGNAM ON THE EAST COAST OF NORTH KOREA, ON LOCOMOTIVE REPAIR SHOPS AT WONSAN AND ON TAR-

GETS AROUND SEOUL, FORMER CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA.
ALL TYPES OF PLANES MADE NEARLY 600 INDIVIDUAL FLIGHTS IN SUPPORT OF THE WAR EFFORT--A NEW RECORD.

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TOKYO--FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP AT START OF 15TH GRAF (COUNTING PREVIOUS INSERT) MAKE READ:
CHINJU-MASAN (SOUTHERN SECTOR)--A FRONT LINE DISPATCH DISCLOSED THAT 1,000 RED TROOPS TRIED VAINLY THIS MORNING TO SEIZE SOBUK MOUNTAIN, A VITAL OBSERVATION POINT AMONG HEIGHTS GUARDING THE APPROACHES TO PUSAN. DEFENDERS USED HAND GRENADES IN CLOSE FIGHTING TO REPEL THIS ATTACK. THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION ELEMENTS REPELLED ETC.
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THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (480)
BY RELMAN MORIN
TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 26-(AP)-ROLLED BACK AT TWO POINTS NORTH OF TAEGU, THE KOREAN REDS CEASED ALL ATTACKS FRIDAY NIGHT AND REGROUPED THEIR BATTERED FORCES FOR THEIR NEXT MOVE.
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD SAID TODAY IN A DISPATCH FROM THE TAEGU FRONT THAT UNITED NATIONS OFFICERS BELIEVE THREE RED DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN SO SEVERELY SMASHED THAT ANOTHER LARGE SCALE ATTACK THERE CANNOT BE MOUNTED FOR AT LEAST 10 DAYS.
SIMULTANEOUS WITH A U. S. EIGHTH ARMY REPORT OF REBUFFING THE COMMUNISTS EVERYWHERE ON THE GROUND, THE AIR FORCE ANNOUNCED A FAR BAG OF 15 ENEMY TANKS.
FROM EVERY SECTOR THE REPORT EARLY TODAY WAS "GENERALLY QUIET."
THE EIGHTH ARMY IN A LATE MORNING COMMUNIQUE DISCLOSED THAT SOUTH KOREAN FORCES NOT ONLY REGAINED GROUND LOST TO 6,000 REDS 24 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU BUT ALSO PUNCHED OUT A MILE GAIN 15 MILES NORTH OF THAT ADVANCE SUPPLY BASE. THAT GAIN WAS IN THE KUMHWA AREA WHERE TWO SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENTS KILLED 300 COMMUNISTS AND CAPTURED 42.

THE TAEGU NORTH SECTOR IS WHERE SHIFTING RED FORCES HAVE CONCENTRATED THEIR MAIN STRENGTH.
IN THE OTHER CRITICAL SECTOR, ON THE SOUTH END OF THE 120-MILE BATTLE PERIMETER, PLANES WHICH TOOK OFF AT DAWN TODAY SAID THERE WAS "NO ENEMY ACTIVITY." IN THAT SECTOR, ONLY 35 AIR MILES WEST OF THE LIFELINE PORT CITY OF PUSAN, THE REDS HAD FOUGHT FIERCELY WITHIN HAND GRENADE RANGE FRIDAY, PROBING FOR A POSSIBLE BREAKTHROUGH.
AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN PILOTS LISTED FIVE ENEMY TANKS KNOCKED OUT AND FOUR DAMAGED IN SECTORS DEFENDED BY SOUTH KOREANS NORTH AND EAST OF TAEGU. FAR TO THE NORTH AT THE COMMUNIST CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG, THE PLANES SHOT UP SIX MORE TANKS. FOUR OTHER "KILLS" WERE MADE AT POINTS AROUND THE BATTLE PERIMETER, PILOTS SAID.
IF CONFIRMED, THESE WOULD AMOUNT TO SERIOUS LOSSES FOR THE REDS. COMMUNIST COMMANDERS HAVE BEEN USING ARMOR SPARINGLY IN EVEN THE HEAVIEST GROUND FIGHTING RECENTLY. IN SOME SECTORS, THE TANKS WERE DUG IN AND USED FOR ARTILLERY.
DUE WEST OF TAEGU, IN THE SECTOR DEFENDED BY THE U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH SAID THAT HEAVY ARTILLERY FRIDAY NIGHT BOMBARDED A RED TANK CONCENTRATION. THIS GROUP OF ARMOR WAS SEVERAL MILES WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. DURING INTERVALS IN THE FIRING, PATROLS WENT ACROSS THE RIVER BUT FAILED TO LOCATE THE FORCES.
ALSO LATE FRIDAY, THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID THAT A SMALL ENEMY FORCE BEHIND THE SOUTH KOREAN 1ST DIVISION WAS BLASTED OHUT OF ITS HIDEOUT IN A WALLED VILLAGE. THE REMNANTS APPEARED TO BE TRYING TO GET BACK TO THEIR LINES.
THIS FORCE ORIGINALLY TOTALLED A THOUSAND OR MORE WHEN IT INFILTRATED THROUGH A GAP IN THE LINES NORTH OF TAEGU BUT THE BULK OF IT WAS WIPED OUT.

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THE REDS ALSO WERE FORCED TO BREAK OFF THEIR PRESSURE AT BOTH ENDS OF THE BATTLE PERIMETER. ON THE SOUTH END, WHERE COMMUNIST CONCENTRATIONS EXCEEDED TWO DIVISIONS, THE U. S. 25TH HELD FIRMLY TO HIGH GROUND DEFENDING PUSAN.
AT THE EASTERN ANCHOR, NORTH OF THE PORT CITY OF POHANG, THE U. S. EIGHTH ARMY SAID TODAY THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION HAS "STABILIZED ITS LINES NORTH OF KIGYE AFTER YESTERDAY'S WITHDRAWAL AND THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) THIRD DIVISION GAINED 600 YARDS." KIGYE IS EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG.

(IN WASHINGTON, THE U.S.ARMY SAID THAT 120 MAMMOTH TANKS HAVE BEEN SENT TO THE REDS FROM THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PORT OF DAIREN)
ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD, LOOKING OVER THE DEFENSE SITUATION AS THE WAR ENTERED ITS THIRD MONTH, SAID A MIRACLE OF DEFENSE HAD BEEN ACHIEVED. AND MORE MANPOWER WAS ON THE WAY.
AS 1,500 BRITISH SOLDIERS SAILED FROM HONGKONG, IT WAS DISCLOSED IN LONDON THAT AN ADVANCE UNIT OF 10 OFFICERS LEFT FOR KOREA TO ARRANGE FOR THEIR ARRIVAL.

THE COUNTERATTACKING SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION REGAINED MOST OF THE GROUND IT LOST FRIDAY AT THE START OF THE REDS' FRESH THRUST AT TAEGU FROM CHONGNO, 24 MILES NORTHEAST OF THE VITAL ALLIED COMMUNICATIONS CENTER.
AN AMERICAN ARMY OFFICER WITH THE SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION SAID THE RED FORCE OF 6,000 MEN WAS PUTTING HEAVY PRESSURE ON THE 12-MILE BATTLEFRONT AT CHONGNO, BUT ADDED HE DID NOT THINK "THERE WAS ANYTHING TO WORRY ABOUT."
AN ESTIMATED 20,000 REDS BACKED UP THE 6,000-MAN ATTACK FORCE.
THE NORTH KOREANS APPARENTLY WERE TRYING TO FLANK TAEGU WITH A PUSH DOWN THE ROAD FROM CHONGNO TO YONGCHON, 20 MILES EAST AND SLIGHTLY NORTH OF TAEGU.
THE ROUTE THEY PICKED FOR THE NEW DRIVE IS EAST OF THE 12-MILE-LONG "BOWLING ALLEY" CORRIDOR TO TAEGU FROM KUMHWA ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE U.N. BEACHHEAD. THE REDS HAD STRUCK DOWN THE BOWLING ALLEY FOUR TIMES IN FIVE DAYS, BUT WERE TURNED BACK EACH TIME--FOR A LOSS OF ABOUT 3,500 MEN. THEY THEN SHIFTED EAST FOR THE CURRENT TRY.
THE U.S. SECOND DIVISION WAS REPORTED IN ACTION AS A UNIT ON THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE--THE CENTRAL FRONT SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU--FOR THE FIRST TIME. THAT LINE WAS RELATIVELY QUIET. ELEMENTS OF THE DIVISION HAD BEEN FIGHTING SEPARATELY ON SCATTERED FRONTS.
INCONCLUSIVE FIGHTING RAGED ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FRONT BETWEEN CHINJU AND THE PORT OF MASAN, 27 AIR MILES WEST OF THE MAIN AMERICAN SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.
THAT SOUTHERN FRONT BLAZED FRIDAY WITH TANK AND INFANTRY FIGHTING SO CLOSE THAT NEGRO TROOPS OF THE U.S. 24TH REGIMENT WERE ABLE TO USE HAND-GRENADES.

A DISPATCH FROM ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON SAID THE REDS MADE A STRONG ATTACK FRIDAY IN AN ATTEMPT TO CAPTURE SOBUK MOUNTAIN, OVERLOOKING A VALLEY THE COMMUNISTS USE FOR ASSEMBLY PURPOSES. ELEMENTS OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION BEAT BACK THAT ATTEMPT. MINOR NIGHT ATTACKS ALSO WERE REPULSED.

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THE MAIN ATTACK IN THE SOUTH, NEAR TUNDOK, WAS REPULSED. A DRIVE BY A SMALLER FORCE OF REDS IN THE HILLS WEST OF MASAN WAS STALLED LATE FRIDAY BY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE FROM THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION.

DESPITE THE BIG THRUST IN THE NORTH, U.S. INTELLIGENCE REPORTS STILL INDICATE THE COMMUNISTS PLAN A SECOND MAJOR ATTACK AGAINST THE SOUTHERN FRONT--WITH PUSAN THE OBJECTIVE.

THE BADLY MAULED NORTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION AROUND CHINJU, 55 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, WAS REPORTED TO HAVE RECEIVED TWO REINFORCING REGIMENTS.

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THE FIRST MAJOR RED DRIVE FOR PUSAN BEGAN AUG. 1 AND WAS SMASHED AUG. 13 BY THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION AND THE U.S. FIRST MARINE BRIGADE.

THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY HAS ORDERED ITS SOLDIERS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT TO STAND AND FIGHT OR BE SHOT.

"DO NOT GIVE GROUND," SAID A COPY OF A GENERAL ORDER TO THE REDS, SEIZED BY AMERICANS. "ANYONE WITHDRAWING WILL BE SHOT."

ALONG THE EAST COAST, THE REDS ALSO WERE AGGRESSIVE. THEY PUSHED THE KOREAN REPUBLICAN 17TH REGIMENT BACK TWO MILES NEAR [redacted] KIGYE.

TEMPORARILY, THE SETBACK STALLED THE JOINT OFFENSIVE OF THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL AND THIRD DIVISIONS.

THE REPUBLICAN 17TH REGIMENT, WHICH HAD TAKEN OFF NORTHWARD FROM KIGYE WITH THE CAPITAL DIVISION, RAN INTO TROUBLE WHEN IT MET A TANK-LED RED COLUMN COMING SOUTH FROM YONGDOK.

THE REPUBLICAN THIRD DIVISION, WHICH HAD JUMPED OFF FROM HUNGHAE, FIVE MILES NORTH OF THE EAST COAST PORT OF POHANG, HELD UP ITS DRIVE UNTIL THE CAPITAL DIVISION COULD GET OUT OF TROUBLE.

GENERAL MAC ARTHUR'S RELEASE EARLY SATURDAY SAID KOREAN REPUBLICAN FORCES NORTH OF TAEGU CONTINUED TO HACK AWAY AT INFILTRATING REDS AND DROVE ABOUT 150 OF THEM INTO A WALLED CITY NINE MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. THE SUMMARY DID NOT NAME THE CITY.

THE RELEASE OMITTED IDENTIFICATIONS OF INDIVIDUAL UNITS. IT WAS THE START OF A NEW POLICY. BRIEFING OFFICERS SAID THEY DID NOT KNOW WHY.

OFFICERS AT HEADQUARTERS WERE UNABLE TO SAY WHETHER RELEASES OF THE EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA WOULD CONTINUE TO IDENTIFY UNITS. NOR COULD IT BE LEARNED WHETHER WAR CORRESPONDENTS IN THE FIELD ALSO WOULD BE SO RESTRICTED.

THE BUILDUP OF AMERICAN MANPOWER AND SUPPLIES CONTINUED TO THE EXTENT THAT IT APPEARS AMAZING TO THOSE WHO RECALL THE TRAGIC EARLY DAYS OF THE TWO-MONTH-OLD WAR, WHEN EVERYTHING WAS IN THE LINE. NOW RESPONSIBLE U.S. OFFICERS, AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT SAID, THINK THE ALLIES MAY SUFFER FURTHER SET-BACKS BUT VERY FEW BELIEVE THE REDS CAN SHOVE THE DEFENDERS OFF THE PENINSULA.

IN THE EARLY DAYS THAT PROSPECT WAS UPPERMOST IN MOST MINDS.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD SAID A MIRACLE OF DEFENSE HAD NOW BEEN ACHIEVED--A FIRM LINE HAS BEEN CREATED AND THE RED TIDE HAS BEEN DAMMED UP FOR LONGER THAN ANYONE HAD DARED TO DREAM.

IT WAS MUCH TOO EARLEVEN TO PREDICTING A STRONG ALLIED OFFENSIVE, BUT A DEFINITE NOTE OF OPTIMISM

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IT WAS MUCH TOO EARLY EVEN TO PREDICTING A STRONG ALLIED OFFENSIVE, BUT A DEFINITE NOTE OF OPTIMISM WAS BECOMING INCREASINGLY EVIDENT.

LAMBERT AND WHITEHEAD, WHO HAVE BEEN WITH U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES SINCE THE DARK EARLY DAYS, BOTH TOOK THE OCCASION OF THE START OF THE THIRD MONTH OF THE CONFLICT TO REPORT THE AMERICANS NOW HAD MORE THAN JUST HOPE FOR THE FUTURE.

THE REDS MAY FORCE THE DEFENSE TO PULL BACK AGAIN, WHITEHEAD WROTE, BUT, "IN RETROSPECT THE PAST THREE WEEKS MAY BE LOOKED UPON AS THE REAL TURNING POINT OF THE KOREAN WAR--THE DAYS WHEN THE COMMUNISTS LOST ANY CHANCE THEY HAD TO PUT THE MOSCOW STRAIGHT-JACKET ON SOUTH KOREA."

THE WORD THAT CHEERED THE MOST CAUTIOUS ONLOOKERS WAS THAT THE FRONT HAD BEEN STABILIZED AND THE REDS HAD BEEN FORCED TIME AND TIME AGAIN TO SEARCH FOR CHINKS IN THE WALL AFTER BEING REBUFFED IN BLOOD.

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VFIRST LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (900)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.26-(AP)-A MAJOR BATTLE OVER A NEW ROAD TO TAEGU CITY BROKE OUT FRIDAY IN THE KOREAN CENTRAL WARFRONT MOUNTAINS.

IT WAS BEING FOUGHT BETWEEN ALLIED SOUTH KOREANS AND THE INVADING REDS 12 TO 25 MILES NORTH AND EAST OF TAEGU.

COUNTER-ATTACKING SOUTH KOREANS REGAINED GROUND THEY LOST FRIDAY MORNING. THE FIRST BLOWS HAD BEEN DEALT BY A FORWARD FORCE OF 6,000 TROOPS AND TANKS, PRODDING BEFORE A 20,000-MAN RED FORCE.

IT WAS THE COMMUNISTS' FIFTH TRY OF THE WEEK TO OPEN A ROAD DOWN FROM THE MOUNTAINS TO THE LARGEST CITY LEFT IN THE ALLIED SOUTHEASTERN CORNER OF KOREA.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S KOREAN RELEASE EARLY SATURDAY REPORTED SOUTH KOREANS NORTH OF TAEGU WERE CONTINUING TO HACK AWAY AT RED INFILTRATING TROOPS. THE SUMMARY SAID ABOUT 150 OF THE ENEMY HAD BEEN DRIVEN INTO A WALLED CITY NINE MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. THE CITY WAS NOT IDENTIFIED BY NAME.

THE RELEASE ALSO TOLD OF A LARGE CONCENTRATION OF ENEMY TROOPS, EQUIPMENT AND VEHICLES NEAR HAJONG ON THE NORTH-CENTRAL FRONT.

IT SAID UNITED NATIONS FORCES ALONG THE NORTHWEST NAKTONG RIVER AREA FRIDAY BEAT OFF ENEMY PATROL OPERATIONS OF UNKNOWN STRENGTH, INFLICTING CASUALTIES ON THE REDS.

"EXCEPT FOR PATROL ACTION AND ARTILLERY FIRING ON TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY BY OUR FORCES, THE REMAINING SECTORS OF THE FRONT REMAIN QUIET," THE STATEMENT SAID.

AN ALLIED SPOKESMAN SAID LATE FRIDAY THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION WAS HOLDING BACK REDS WHO DROVE SOUTHWARD TOWARD YONGCHON FROM POSITIONS EAST OF THE KUMWHA. THE REDS TURNED TO THIS ROUTE FROM THE "BOWLING ALLEY" CORRIDOR WHERE THEY FAILED FOUR TIMES IN FIVE DAYS TO CRASH THROUGH--AT A COST OF 3,500 MEN. KUMWHA IS 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU. KUMHWA

YONGCHON IS LINKED TO TAEGU BY A MAJOR ROAD. THE BATTLELINE WAS ASTRIDE A MAIN HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD RUNNING FROM UISONG TO YONGCHON. THE ROAD PASSES THROUGH FLAT COUNTRY GOOD FOR TANK FIGHTING, SOUTH OF THE MOUNTAINS.

ALL THROUGH FRIDAY, THE 62ND DAY OF A WAR THAT HAS ALREADY CLAIMED MORE THAN 100,000 LIVES, ALLIED BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS BEAT AT THE 10 DIVISIONS THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE AROUND THE WHOLE 120-MILE BATTLE PERIMETER.

FROM THE EAST COAST TO TAEGU AND SOUTH TO COASTAL CHINJU ALLIED PLANES BOMBED, STRAFED AND ROCKETED THE RED TROOPS. FIRE BOMBS WERE HEAPED ON SUPPLIES BEHIND THE LINES AND ON INSTALLATIONS AND AIRFIELDS.

THE MAIN FIGHTING RAGED EAST OF THE BLOOD-SOAKED "BOWLING ALLEY" CORRIDOR NEAR KUMWHA. THE BLOODIEST COMBAT WAS AROUND CHONGNO, 25 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU AND SEVEN MILES EAST OF KUNWI. SPREADING THE COM-

BATANTS OVER A BLAZING 12-MILE FRONT.
ON THE SEA OF JAPAN COAST 25 MILES EAST OF THIS BATTLE, NORTH KOREANS STABBED DOWN FROM YONGDOK AND SHOVED BACK A SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENT BEFORE KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG PORT. THE SOUTH KOREANS DROPPED BACK A MILE AND A HALF BEFORE A TANK-LED SMASH BY THE REDS.
THE EAST COASTAL BATTLE WAS TOUCHED OFF BY A TWIN SOUTH KOREAN ATTACK TO THE NORTH FROM KIGYE AND THE COASTAL HUNGHAE AREA IMMEDIATELY NORTH OF POHANG. TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS--THE CAPITOL AND THIRD--JUMPED OFF IN THE OFFENSIVE.
ON THE EXTREME SOUTHERN FRONT BETWEEN CHINJU AND MASAN PORT, 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, THE NO. 1 ALLIED PORT, TWO RED DIVISIONS APPEARED TO HAVE BUILT UP FOR A SWEEP TO THE EAST.
AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE STALLED AN ESTIMATED 300 REDS IN FRONT OF THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION'S 35TH REGIMENT, BATTLING IN THE HILLS WEST OF MASAN.
EARLIER FRIDAY THE MASAN FRONT BLAZED WITH TANK-LED COMBAT. THE FIGHTING GOT SO CLOSE THAT HAND-GRENADES WERE USED BY AMERICAN NEGRO INFANTRYMEN OF THE 24TH REGIMENT. PRINCIPAL ACTION WAS IN THE OFT-ECHANGED SAW-TOOTH HILLS OF SOBUK NEAR TUNDOK, 10 MILES NORTHWEST OF MASAN.

AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON WITH THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION REPORTED THE ATTACK NEAR TUNDOK WAS REPULSED. HE SAID FIGHTING FOR THE HILLS CONTINUED FRIDAY NIGHT.
IN THAT SECTOR THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY HAS ORDERED DEATH BY SHOOTING FOR ANY SOLDIER WHO RETREATS.
A COPY OF A GENERAL ORDER SEIZED BY THE AMERICANS THERE FRIDAY SAID:
"1. DO NOT GIVE GROUND.
"2. ANYONE WITHDRAWING WILL BE SHOT."
IT LED TO A RENEWED AMERICAN DRIVE TO GET MORE REDS TO SURRENDER.
THE BIG BATTLE NORTHEAST OF TAEGU TOPPED THE SATURDAY PRE-DAWN WAR SCENE.
AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT, WITH THE U.S. 27TH INFANTRY "WOLFHOUND REGIMENT SUPPORTING THE SOUTH KOREANS, REPORTED AIR AND ARTILLERY BASHING WHIPPED DOWN A COMMUNIST WEDGE BEHIND ALLIED LINES FROM AN ORIGINAL FORCE OF 3,000 TO 200. GENERAL MACARTHUR HAD ESTIMATED THE ORIGINAL FORCE AT 1,000 REDS.
CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT SAID U.S. INFANTRYMEN WERE UNDER ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE NEW THRUST NORTHEAST OF TAEGU WAS SUPPORTED BY AT LEAST TWO RED DIVISIONS.
ONE OF THESE WAS THE COMMUNIST FIRST, WHICH HAD BEEN REPORTED IN THE WAEGWAN AREA TO THE WEST OF TAEGU, WHEN B-29S PLASTERED THAT SECTOR LAST WEEK.
THE RED FIRST DIVISION HAD LED THE SOUTHWARD PLUNGE OF 240 MILES BY THE COMMUNISTS SINCE THE WAR STARTED ON JUNE 25.
THE COMMUNIST CENTRAL ATTACK STARTED WITH AN ARTILLERY AND MORTAR BOMBARDMENT OF SOUTH KOREAN POSITIONS.
A U.S. GENERAL STAFF OFFICER SAID "A SLIGHT PENETRATION" OF THE SOUTH KOREAN LINES WAS MADE BEFORE DAWN FRIDAY BUT BY NOON THE SOUTH KOREANS RALLIED AND WON THEIR WAY BACK.
THE REDS MOVED AWAY FROM THE "BOWLING ALLEY" CORRIDOR AFTER LOSING 3,500 MEN IN 72 HOURS EARLIER THIS WEEK IN ONE OF FOUR TRYS TO SMASH DOWN ON TAEGU.
LONG GUNS OF THE ENEMY TANKS WERE BEING USED AS ARTILLERY THIS INDICATED TO HEADQUARTERS INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS THAT ALLIED PLANE AND GROUND ATTACKS HAD CUT DOWN COMMUNIST ARTILLERY PIECES.
WEST AND SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION AND THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION GUARDED THE NAKTONG LINE. THE REDS HAD A SMALL BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE RIVER AT HYONPUNG, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

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BRITISH AND AMERICAN NAVAL FORCES ATTACKED ENEMY HARBOR INSTALLATIONS. AN AMERICAN HEAVY CRUISER BLASTED THE REDS AT TWO PLACES--SONGJIN, 150 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, AND COMMUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATIONS NORTH OF POHANG.
BRITISH NAVAL FORCES MADE A COMMANDO RAID IN THE MAZE OF ISLANDS OFF THE PORT OF INCHON, NEAR SEOUL. THE COMMANDOS DESTROYED A COMMUNIST SUPPLY DUMP AND A RADIO INSTALLATION.
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PMS BUDGET
KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (ABOUT 900)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, AUG. 25-(AP)-FORWARD FORCES OF 20,000 TANK-LED REDS STRUCK THE ALLIED KOREAN CENTRAL BATTLEFRONT TODAY IN THEIR FIFTH TRY TO OPEN THE WAY FOR A BIG SMASH AT TAEGU.
HITTING EAST OF THE BLOOD-SOAKED "BOWLING ALLEY" CORRIDOR WHERE THEY HAD FAILED BEFORE, 6,000 REDS MADE SOME SPEARHEAD PROGRESS THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS.
THEN THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH INFANTRY DIVISION STOPPED THEM AS THE REDS HAD BEEN STOPPED BY ALLIED TROOPS IN FOUR STABS AT THE ALLEY.
THE NEW BATTLE SWIRLED AROUND THE VILLAGE OF CHONGNO, 25 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU AND SEVEN MILES EAST OF KUNWI.
AT THE SAME TIME, AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS RAMMED BACK A LIGHT TANK-SUPPORTED ATTACK NORTH OF HUMHWA, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE ALLEY.
THIS IS THE CORRIDOR WHERE THE DEFENDING ALLIES BEAT BACK VICIOUS RED ASSAULTS EARLIER IN THE WEEK.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S FINAL WAR SUMMARY FOR FRIDAY SAID THE ALLIED DEFENDERS HELD THEIR GROUND.
WHILE THIS BAFFLED THREAT TO TAEGU FROM THE NORTH DOMINATED THE WHOLE KOREAN BATTLE SCENE, THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT BEFORE MASAN, BLAZED WITH TANK-LED COMBAT. THE FIGHTING THERE WAS SO CLOSE THAT HAND-GRENADES WERE USED BY AMERICAN NEGRO INFANTRYMEN OF THE 25TH DIVISION'S 24TH REGIMENT.
ACTION THERE WAS LIMITED TO DAYLONG INDECISIVE FIGHTING FOR THE SAW-TOOTHED HEIGHTS OF SOBUK NEAR TUNDOK.
INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATED A SECOND RED THRUST WAS BUILDING TOWARD MASAN PORT AND THE IMPORTANT HARBOR OF PUSAN, 27 AIR MILES EAST OF THE COASTAL CITY.
IN THE EAST, TWO SOUTH KOREAN UNITS--THE THIRD AND CAPITOL DIVISIONS --JUMPED OFF IN A COORDINATED ATTACK, SUPPORTED BY NAVAL GUN-FIRE, AGAINST THE FIRST EXTENSIVE DEFENSIVE POSITIONS ERECTED BY THE REDS NORTH OF POHANG PORT ON THE SEA OF JAPAN.
THE THIRD DIVISION STRUCK NORTH OF HUNGHAE, ABOUT FIVE MILES NORTH OF POHANG. THE CAPITOL DIVISION HIT AT YONGGI TO THE WEST OF THERE.

THE U.S. 8TH ARMY'S FRIDAY NIGHT COMMUNIQUE SAID A REGIMENT OF SOUTH KOREANS NEAR KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, WAS FORCED BACK FROM A MILE TO A MILE AND A HALF BY TANK-LED REDS. THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS ALLIED WITHDRAWAL WAS NOT MADE CLEAR BY THE WAR SUMMARY.

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ON THE CENTRAL FRONT ABOVE TAEGU, AIR AND ARTILLERY BASHING WHIPPED DOWN A COMMUNIST WEDGE BEHIND ALLIED LINES FROM AN ORIGINAL FORCE OF 1,000 TO AN ESTIMATED 200.

THE WEDGE HAD BEEN FORMED BY INFILTRATING REDS WHO TOOK A RIDGE THREATENING SUPPLY LINES OF THE U.S. 27TH INFANTRY "WOLFHOUND" REGIMENT.

AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IT WAS PRESUMED THE ELIMINATED 800 REDS WERE DEAD OR WOUNDED. FEW PRISONERS WERE REPORTED TAKEN.

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THE NEW RED THRUST AT CHONGNO BY AN ESTIMATED TWO REGIMENTS NORTH OF TAEGU WAS CONSIDERED A MAJOR EFFORT BY MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO.

IT WAS PRECEDED BY AN INTENSIVE ARTILLERY AND MORTAR BOMBARDMENT HERALDING THE THRUST OF INFANTRYMEN.

A U.S. GENERAL STAFF OFFICER SAID "A SLIGHT PENETRATION" OF SOUTH KOREAN LINES WAS MADE BEFORE DAWN BUT BY NOON FRIDAY THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE HOLDING.

BEHIND THE 6,000-MAN RED STRIKING FORCE TWO FULL DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED. THEY ARE THE CRACK RED FIRST DIVISION AND THE EIGHTH.

THE FIRST, WHICH LED MUCH OF THE 240-MILE DRIVE DOWN THE PENINSULA IN THE TWO MONTHS OF WAR, HAD BEEN KEPT IN A POSITION WHERE IT COULD BE USED TO EXPLOIT A BREAK-THROUGH. IT HAD STOOD READY TO FOLLOW THROUGH IN THE "BOWLING ALLEY" UNTIL THE FORWARD RED PROBERS WERE THROWN BACK FOUR TIMES IN FIVE DAYS AND GAVE UP THERE.

THE CHONGNO BATTLELINES ARE ASTRIDE A MAIN HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD RUNNING FROM UISONG TO YONGCHON, TO THE EAST OF TAEGU AND LINKED TO IT BY ANOTHER MAJOR ROAD.

THIS ROUTE IS MORE FAVORABLE TO THE ATTACKERS THAN THE MOUNTAIN ROAD THROUGH KUMWHA, ALTHOUGH THE DISTANCE IS GREATER. THE ROAD TO YONGCHON RUNS THROUGH A CONSIDERABLE STRETCH OF FAIRLY FLAT TERRAIN GOOD FOR TANK FIGHTING.

AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT AT THE FRONT REPORTED THE COMMUNIST FORCES BEGAN DRIFTING EASTWARD FROM KUMWHA THURSDAY AFTER TAKING A BEATING FROM ALLIED FORCES WHO INFLICTED 3,500 CASUALTIES ON THE ENEMY IN ONE 72-HOUR PERIOD.

LONG GUNS OF THE RED TANKS WERE BEING USED AS ARTILLERY. HEADQUARTERS SAID THIS MAY MEAN THE REDS ARE SHORT OF FIELD PIECES BECAUSE OF AMERICAN COUNTER-FIRE IN THE KUMWHA CORRIDOR FOR THE PAST FIVE DAYS.

A SPOKESMAN SAID AMERICAN GUNNERS HAVE BEEN EXTREMELY SUCCESSFUL IN STALLING ENEMY FORCES BEFORE TAEGU THAT MAY INCLUDE EIGHT DIVISIONS --80,000 MEN IN ALL.

IN THE SOUTH COASTAL FIGHTING BEFORE MASAN, AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF RED TANKS HIT THE AMERICANS.

THE ATTACK NEAR TUNDOK WAS REPULSED, AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED FROM THE FRONT.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S FRIDAY NOON SUMMARY SAID THE TUNDOK AREA WAS QUIET. BUT CORRESPONDENT SWINTON REPORTED FIGHTING CONTINUED FOR THE COMMANDING SOBUK HILLS, WHICH HAVE CHANGED HANDS SEVERAL TIMES.

ELSEWHERE IN THE SOUTHWESTERN SECTOR AMERICAN PATROLS RANGED IN FRONT OF THEIR LINES FOR TWO OR THREE MILES WITHOUT LOCATING THE ENEMY.

THE BADLY MAULED RED SIXTH DIVISION AROUND CHINJU, 55 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN PORT, WAS REPORTED RECEIVING TWO REGIMENTS OF REINFORCEMENTS.

ONE OF THESE WAS BETWEEN SAMAN AND UIRYONG ON THE NAM RIVER. IT MAY BE THE COLUMN REPORTED THURSDAY ENROUTE TO THE BATTLEZONE FRONTING MASAN.

CORRESPONDENT SWINTON SAID PRISONERS CAPTURED FRIDAY IN THE SOUTH IDENTIFIED THEMSELVES AS BEING FROM THE COMMUNIST SECOND DIVISION, ONE OF THE LEAST HURT OF THE RED ARMY. THE DIVISION WAS LAST LOCATED AT KUMCHON, WITHIN RELATIVE COMMUTING DISTANCE OF THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS REPEATEDLY HAVE STRESSED THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE PLANS FOR A SECOND MAJOR OFFENSIVE AGAINST PUSAN ON THE SOUTHERN COASTAL LINE. THE FIRST RED OFFENSIVE TOWARD THIS PORT OPENED AUG. 1 AND WAS SMASHED AUG. 13 BY THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION AND THE U.S. FIRST MARINE BRIGADE.

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SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU ALONG THE ALLIED NAKTONG RIVER BARRIER, A REGIMENT OF COMMUNISTS STILL HELD A BRIDGEHEAD ON THE ALLIED EAST BANK OF THE RIVER NEAR HYONPUNG, 14 MILES FROM THE RAIL AND SUPPLY HUB.

THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION GUARDED THE BRIDGEHEAD AGAINST A BREAKOUT ATTEMPT.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD AERIAL (260)

BY JACK MACBETH

TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.26-(AP)-AMERICAN FIGHTER AND BOMBER PILOTS CLAIMED TODAY THEY KNOCKED OUT 15 ENEMY TANKS AND DESTROYED NINE LOCOMOTIVES FRIDAY IN ONE OF THE SHARPEST AERIAL BLOWS OF THE KOREAN WAR.

A FIFTH AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID THE U.S.FLYERS CLAIMED THE DAY'S BAG INCLUDED 23 LOADED BOXCARS DESTROYED OR DAMAGED AND "DIRECT HITS WITH GOOD RESULTS" IN B-26 BOMBER RAIDS ON SUPPLY CENTERS AT SEOUL, INCHON AND YONGCHONG.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID F-51 FIGHTERS BLEW UP FIVE RED TANKS AND DAMAGED FOUR IN FRONT OF THE SOUTH KOREAN SECTORS. THE AREA WAS NOT SPECIFICALLY LOCATED.

SIX TANKS, ONE LOCOMOTIVE AND 15 BOXCARS WERE DESTROYED AT PYONGYANG, CAPITAL OF NORTH KOREA.

EIGHT LOCOMOTIVES AND EIGHT BOXCARS WERE DESTROYED AT SINMAK, OSAN AND SEOUL. SINMAK IS ABOUT 75 MMILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL AND OSAN IS 30 MILES SOUTH OF THE FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL. SEOUL IS NEAR THE WEST COAST OF KOREA.

THE REMAINING FOUR TANKS WERE KNOCKED OUT BY PLANES GIVING AIR SUPPORT TO ALLIED GROUND FORCES IN FRONTLINE AREAS, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

REPEATED RECONNAISANCE FLIGHTS OVER THE CHINJU AREA IN DEEP SOUTH KOREA SHOWED NO ENEMY ACTIVITY.

NO AMERICAN PLANES WERE REPORTED LOST IN THE WIDE-RANGING AIR STRIKES, AND THE ENEMY OFFERED NO AIR OR ANTI-AIRCRAFT ACTION AGAINST THEM, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

AMERICAN JETS TOOK OFF EARLY SATURDAY FOR SORTIES OVER THE FIGHTING FRONT. THE JETS ROARED OUT ON NEW DAY MISSIONS SHORTLY AFTER NIGHT-FLYING B-26'S RETURNED FROM RAIDS ON RED SUPPLIES FAR BACK OF THE BATTLE LINES.

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AN AIR FORCE SUMMARY AT 8:30 A. M. SAID THE B-26S STRUCK FIVE RED SUPPLY POINTS DURING THE NIGHT. ONE OF THESE WAS FAR UP IN NORTH KOREA AT SUNCHON, 30 MILES NORTHEAST OF THE COMMUNIST CAPITAL CITY OF PYONGYANG. THE OTHER ~~THREE~~ WERE TAECHON, KUMSAN AND KUNSAN, RAIL AND ROAD POINTS IN THE TAEJON SECTOR. AND CHONJU

"ALL OF THOSE PLACES WERE HIT BY B-26S WHERE MOVING TRANSPORTATION COULD BE DETECTED," THE AIR FORCE SUMMARY REPORTED.

CAPT. MONROE BOEISEMA, OF TWIN LAKES, MICH., SAID HIS FLIGHT HIT A CONVOY NEAR KONGJU, NORTHWEST OF TAEJON, AND "A LARGE EXPLOSION RESULTED." SOUTH OF TAEJON THE RAIDERS DIVE BOMBED AND STRAFED SOME TANKS.

THESE NIGHT ACTIONS FOLLOWED A BUSY DAY FRIDAY WHEN THE FAR-REACHING B-29S EXPLODED 600 TONS OF BOMBS ON REAR AREAS.

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AERIAL (120)

TOKYO,AUG.25-(AP)-U.S. F-80 JETS HUNTED ACROSS NORTH KOREA TODAY FOR RUSSIAN-MADE RED PLANES THAT ATTACKED ALLIED NAVY FORCES OFF THE WEST COAST THIS WEEK IN THE YELLOW SEA.

THEY FOUND TWO AT PYONGYANG AIRFIELD AND DAMAGED THEM. THEY SCOUTED THE FIELD OF THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL, ON THE WEST COAST, AFTER HUNTING UNSUCCESSFULLY FOR THE RED RAIDERS AT WONSAN ON THE WEST COAST.

THE JETS SHOT UP AIRSTRIP BUILDINGS AT WONSAN AND RAILWAY CARS AT PYONGYANG.

SEVENTY B-29S UNLOADED 600 TONS OF BOMBS ON INDUSTRIAL TARGETS IN THE EAST COAST CITIES OF WONSAN AND HUNGNAM, AND RAILWAY FACILITIES IN THE BATTLE AREA.

THE EAST COAST STRIKES WERE AT ISOLATED INDUSTRIAL TARGETS MISSED IN PREVIOUS BOMBER RAIDS ON THE TWO CITIES. THE B-29S STRUCK TODAY THROUGH HEAVY OVERCAST BY RADAR GUIDANCE.

THE U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE REPORTED ITS PLANES WRECKED TWO TRAINS, STRAFED ENEMY LINES, AND IGNORED AN INVITING RED DECOY DURING 223 SORTIES FLOWN UP TO MIDAFTERNOON.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED FROM AIR HEADQUARTERS THAT ONE FLIGHT OF FIGHTER-BOMBERS SPOTTED WHAT APPEARED TO BE TEN RUSSIAN-MADE YAK FIGHTERS ON AN AIRFIELD.

THE FIELD HAD BEEN BOMBED REPEATEDLY. SO THE AMERICAN AIRMEN SWEPT DOWN FOR A CLOSER LOOK. THE "YAKS" WERE DUMMIES.

TWO TRAINS WERE CAUGHT BY U.S. RAIDING PLANES 15 MILES EAST OF PYONGYANG. ONE LOCOMOTIVE EXPLODED. MANY TANKS AND OTHER MILITARY EQUIPMENT WERE WRECKED WHEN THE AIRMEN DESTROYED 15 FLAT CARS OR BOX CARS.

PILOTS REPORTED THEY DESTROYED FOUR TANKS AND TEN TRUCKS IN SUPPORTING RAIDS ON THE MASAN-CHINJU FRONT IN THE SOUTH.

OBSERVATION SHOWED THE NORTH KOREANS WERE CONTINUING TO BUILD UP THEIR THREATENING FORCES IN THE CHINJU AREA AND ON THE WAEGWAN FRONT FACING TAEGU.

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NAVAL (110)

TOKYO, AUG. 25-(AP)-GUNS OF UNITED STATES HEAVY CRUISERS BLASTED THE NORTH KOREAN REDS AT TWO POINTS ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA THURSDAY.

THE HEAVY CRUISER OF REAR ADM. C.C. HARTMAN, COMMANDING NAVAL PATROL AND SUPPORT FORCES, MOVED MORE THAN 150 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL TO BOMBARD 200 LOADED RAILROAD BOX CARS AT SONGJIN.

NORTH OF POHANG ON THE EAST ANCHOR OF THE BATTLEFRONT IN SOUTH KOREA ANOTHER HEAVY CRUISER TRAINED GUNS ON RED TROOP CONCENTRATIONS. A PLANE SPOTTED THE TARGETS AND HELPED DIRECT THE FIRE. THE NAVY SAID THE SHIP NEUTRALIZED THE CONCENTRATIONS, DESTROYED ARTILLERY AND HIT A ROAD TUNNEL AND A SUPPLY DUMP.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT NAVAL UNITS SENT UP STAR SHELLS TO HELP ILLUMINATE THE FIELD FOR A GROUND ACTION.

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A183KX

TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.26-(AP)-CORRESPONDENTS RETURNING FROM KOREA SAID TODAY THE U.S.SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION HAD MOVED INTO THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE AS A UNIT AND WAS REPORTED IN ACTION.

ELEMENTS OF THE SECOND HAD BEEN FIGHTING ON VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE FRONT FOR SOME WEEKS.

U.S.EIGHTH ARMY BRIEFING OFFICERS HAD TOLD OF THE SECOND DIVISION BEING REASSEMBLED AS A UNIT AND GOING INTO THE LINE BUT HAD EMBARGOED DISCLOSURE UNTIL THE DIVISION SAW ACTION.

(EDITORS: MAY BE INSERTED IN TOKYO WAR ROUNDUP IF DESIRED.)

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TOKYO,AUG.25-(AP)-IT MAY BE AN OLD STORY TO YOU BUT IT WAS A NEW EXPERIENCE FOR PFC VAL WEISSMAN,JR., AN AIR FORCE GROUND CREWMAN FROM EVANSVILLE,IND.

AS HE SAT IN HIS RAIN-DRENCHED TENT WAITING FOR HIS B-29 TO RETURN FROM A RAID ON NORTH KOREA, HE LEARNED HIS DRAFT BOARD WAS LOOKING FOR HIM AS A "DELINQUENT."

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KOREAN (100) O.H.P. KING

TOKYO, AUG. 25-(AP)-AMERICANS HERE WHO ARE INTERESTED IN KOREA'S FUTURE ARE HIGHLY PLEASED WITH THE "BUDDY SYSTEM" OF U.S. FORCES IN KOREA.

THEY SEE IT AS A COUNTER-MOVE AGAINST TENDENCIES THAT OTHERWISE MIGHT LEAD TO TOTAL ESTRANGEMENT AND EVEN HATRED BETWEEN THE TWO PEOPLES.

THE BUDDY SYSTEM AND HOW IT IS WORKING OUT WAS REPORTED FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS WEEK BY AP WAR CORRESPONDENT-COLUMNIST HAL BOYLE IN A COLUMN, FROM THE KOREAN WARFRONT.

UNDER THE BUDDY SYSTEM--STILL ON A SMALLSCALE EXPERIMENTAL BASIS--EACH AMERICAN SOLDIER HAS A KOREAN SOLDIER WITH HIM FROM MORNING TO NIGHT AND IS CHARGED WITH TEACHING HIM U.S. TACTICS VARYING FROM MILITARY MATTERS TO PERSONAL HYGIENE.

THIS IS A START ON THE JOB OF REPAIRING RELATIONS BETWEEN AMERICAN FORCES AND SOUTH KOREANS WHO HAVE SUFFERED AS INNOCENT VICTIMS OF AMERICAN ANTI-INFILTRATION MEASURES.

GI'S HAD LEARNED THE HARD WAY TO DISTRUST KOREAN "REFUGEES."

MANY TIMES AMERICANS HAD ALLOWED INNOCENT-LOOKING GROUPS TO PASS THROUGH THEIR POSITIONS ONLY TO BE ATTACKED FROM THE REAR BY WHITE-GARBED PARTISANS WHO CARRIED WEAPONS IN THEIR BUNDLES.

GI'S EAGERLY OBEYED ORDERS TO RAZE EVACUATED NATIVE HUTS IN AREAS BEING GIVEN UP TO THE ENEMY DURING "STRATEGIC WITHDRAWALS." THEY KNEW IF SUCH THATCH ROOFED HOUSES WERE LEFT STANDING ENEMY TROOPS WOULD HIDE IN THEM BY DAY WAITING TO INFILTRATE UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS. ENEMY TANKS OFTEN SMASHED IN ONE END OF SUCH HUTS TO REMAIN HIDDEN FROM AERIAL OBSERVATION DURING THE DAY.

SUCH DESTRUCTION WAS FOUND TO BE A MILITARY NECESSITY BUT A DISCOURAGING OMEN FOR POST-WAR RELATIONS AND EVEN PRESENT RELATIONS

WITH HONEST, HUMBLE PEOPLE.
ENTHUSIASM FOR AMERICAN TROOPS WHO HAD BEEN LUSTILY CHEERED IN THE EARLY FIGHTING HAS FADED AND TODAY FEW KOREANS I SAW THERE WOULD RAISE THEIR HEADS IN PASSING--MUCH LESS RAISE AN ARMY FOR THE FRIENDLY CIRCULAR WAVING MOTION SO COMMON IN THE PAST.
INTEGRATING OF THE TWO FORCES AS BUDDIES MIGHT HELP AMERICAN MILITARY PLANNERS TO MEET THE RED STRATEGY OF MOVING ALONG RIDGES AND FIRING DOWN UPON THE AMERICAN MOTORIZED COLUMNS IN THE VALLEYS, AN OBSERVER HERE SPECULATED.
AMERICANS LONG STATIONED IN KOREA AND NOW IN TOKYO AWAITING NEW ASSIGNMENTS WITH THE U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE, THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION AND OTHER STATE DEPARTMENT BRANCHES ARE CONFIDENT INCREASED CONTACT BETWEEN AMERICAN TROOPS AND KOREANS WILL LEAD TO A BETTER UNDERSTANDING AND MUTUAL APPRECIATION.
FEW WARTIME VISITORS TO KOREA HAVE KIND WORDS TO SAY FOR THE NATIVE PEOPLE SINCE THEY SEE THEM UNDER THE MOST ADVERSE CONDITIONS. THE FILTH OF A POOR STRICKEN COUNTRY BLOTS OUT MOST EVERYTHING ELSE.
THOSE WITH PRE-WAR EXPERIENCE THERE--LIKE THIS CORRESPONDENT--CAN RECALL SPOTLESSLY GOWNED LADIES, FRIENDLY SINCERE GENTLEMEN, EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL EVENTS AND MANY PLEASANT SOCIAL OCCASIONS IN SEOUL.
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FIRST LEAD RED RETREAT (620)
BY DON WHITEHEAD
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ON THE TAEGU FRONT, SATURDAY, AUG. 26-(AP)-AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN INFANTRY, ARTILLERY AND AIRPOWER HAVE SHATTERED A RED THREAT TO TAEGU AND BADLY MAULED THREE ENEMY DIVISIONS IN A SEVEN DAY BATTLE.
THIS ESTIMATE CAME FROM ALLIED COMBAT COMMANDERS WHO SAID THE COMMUNISTS'S 15TH, 13TH AND THIRD DIVISIONS ARE SO BADLY BATTERED THEY ARE PULLING BACK MOST OF THEIR MEN AND EQUIPMENT TO REGROUP---OUT OF RANGE OF AMERICAN ARTILLERY FIRE.
GEN. PAIK SUN YIP, COMMANDING THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION AND COL. PAUL L. FREEMAN, ROANOKE, VA., A REGIMENTAL COMMANDER, AGREED THE CRISIS HAS PASSED. THEY SAID THE ENEMY WILL NOT BE CAPABLE OF MOUNTING ANOTHER LARGE SCALE EFFORT ON THE NORTHERN FRONT FOR AT LEAST TEN DAYS.
OTHER OFFICERS CONCURRED.
THE NEAREST ENEMY POSITION IS NOW ABOUT 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, BUT THE SOUTH KOREANS ARE ATTACKING TO WIPE OUT THIS SMALL BULGE IN THE LINE IN THE AREA OF TOGOK.

A148KX
LT. COL. JOHN HECTOR, BERKELEY, CALIF., SAID "THIS IS AS NEAR AS THEY WILL GET TO TAEGU IN THIS SECTOR---UNLESS UNCLE JOE COMES TO THEIR RESCUE."
LAST NIGHT, HECTOR'S ARTILLERY POURED 400 ROUNDS OF FIRE INTO THE ENEMY TO BREAK UP A CHARGE DOWN THE ROAD TO TAEGU.
THE AMERICANS USED WHITE PHOSPHORUS AND HIGH EXPLOSIVE, DETONATED BY PROXIMITY FUSES, TO SHOWER DEATH UPON THE REDS.
A NINE-MAN SOUTH KOREAN PATROL SLIPPED FIVE MILES BEHIND THE ENEMY LINES TO SHOOT UP THE COMMAND POST OF THE 13TH RED DIVISION AND CAPTURE THREE PRISONERS.
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A WEEK AGO THE REDS HAD SENT A PATROL INTO THE SOUTH KOREAN LINES WHICH SHOT UP THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION COMMAND POST.
SO, CAPT. WILLIAM CALLAHAN, ROANOKE, VA., ORGANIZED THREE PATROLS TO SEEK REVENGE. CALLAHAN IS A LIAISON OFFICER WORKING WITH SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.
ONE OF THE PATROLS, LED BY SGT. PEA SUNG SUB SLIPPED INTO THE RED 13TH DIVISION HEADQUARTERS. THEY CARRIED CARBINES, ANTI-TANK GRENADES, WHITE PHOSPHORUS GRENADES AND AUTOMATIC RIFLES.

THE PATROL CREATED WILD PANIC IN THE COMMUNIST COMMAND POST AND THEN SLIPPED AWAY WITH THREE PRISONERS---ALL SCRAWNY, FRIGHTENED PRIVATES.
THE BRUNT OF THE BATTLE FOR TAEGU WAS CARRIED BY THE AMERICAN 27TH REGIMENT AND PAIK'S FIRST DIVISION. BUT AT THE CRITICAL MOMENT COL. FREEMAN BROUGHT UP HIS REGIMENT TO WIPE OUT A THREAT TO THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE 27TH.
"WE COUNTED FIVE HUNDRED ENEMY DEAD IN FRONT OF OUR POSITIONS," FREEMAN SAID. "I SENT MY MEN OUT THREE TIMES TO COUNT THE BODIES SO THERE WOULD BE NO MISTAKE ABOUT IT."
FREEMAN ATTACKED ON THE RIGHT FLANK THREE DAYS AGO AND TURNED THE TIDE OF BATTLE. AT THAT TIME THE REDS WERE THREATENING TO CUT THE MAIN ROAD TO TAEGU AND RED UNITS WERE FIRING ON THE ROAD AS NEAR AS EIGHT MILES FROM TAEGU.

A150KX
THE RED DRIVE ON TAEGU BEGAN AUGUST 3 WITH A TIMETABLE TO CAPTURE THE STRATEGIC SOUTH KOREAN CITY ON AUG. 15. THE FIRST THRUST PUSHED THE SOUTH KOREANS BACK 2 1/2 MILES. THEN THE U. S. 27TH WOLFHOUND REGIMENT RUSHED TO THE BATTLE TO HELP THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION AND SLOWLY THE TIDE TURNED.
MAJOR MIKE DONOVAN OF RONCEVERTE, WEST VA., WHO IS A LIAISON OFFICER WITH THE SOUTH KOREANS SAID THE ENEMY HAD THE 15TH, 13TH, AND THIRD DIVISIONS, PLUS AN ARMORED BRIGADE OF V40 TANKS, A REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY, A REGIMENT OF TANK INFANTRY AND A MOTORCYCLE REGIMENT.
"OUR ARTILLERY , AIR AND INFANTRY HAVE KNOCKED LOUT THIRTY OF THE TANKS," DONOVAN SAID.
HECTOR SAID HIS ARTILLERY HAVE POURED SEVEN THOUSAND SHELLS INTO THE ENEMY POSITIONS IN THE LAST SEVEN DAYS WITH THE HEAVIEST CONCENTRATION LAST NIGHT WHEN THE REDS MADE THEIR CHARGE ON SOUTH KOREAN POSITIONS.
"THE ARTILLERY CHEWED UP TWO BATTALIONS OF THE ENEMY IN THAT ATTACK AND STOPPED THEM," HE SAID PROUDLY. HECTOR ESTIMATED THE THREE RED DIVISIONS' EFFECTIVENESS HAD BEEN CUT IN HALF IN THE SLAMBANG BATTLE FOR TAEGU.
"WE HAVE HURT THEM BADLY IN MANPOWER, SUPPLIES, AMMUNITION AND EQUIPMENT. THEY RAN OUT OF AMMO AND THEN WE HAD THEM," HE SAID.
FJ1034PCS

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A120FX
QBULLETIN
WITH U.S. FORCES, KOREA, AUG.25-(AP)-COUNTERATTACKING SOUTH KOREANS HAVE RETAKEN MOST OF THE GROUND THEY LOST EARLIER TODAY ON THE NORTHERN APPROACHES TO TAEGU, AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT.
CC718APD

A121FX
BULLETIN MATTER
WITH U.S. FORCES--FIRST ADD GROUND RETAKEN X X X TONIGHT.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP SAID TONIGHT NO MAJOR SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSE POSITION HAD BEEN LOST IN THE ACTION ALONG THE RIGHT FLANK OF THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT.
THE SOUTH KOREANS ARE ELEMENTS OF THE REPUBLIC'S SIXTH DIVISION. THEY HAVE BEEN UNDER CONSTANT PRESSURE FROM THE NORTH KOREAN REDS.

A122FX
THE SPOKESMAN SAID ON THE BASIS OF REPORTS TONIGHT, HE DID NOT THINK THERE WAS ANYTHING TO WORRY ABOUT IN THIS SECTOR, 12 TO 15 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.
CC720APD NM

B21KX (KOREAN SITUATIONER FM AYE) (Q)
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DEFENSE SITUATIONER (500)
BY DON WHITEHEAD
WITH AMERICAN FORCES IN KOREA, SATURDAY, AUG.26-(AP)-FOR THE PAST THREE WEEKS OUTNUMBERED UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAVE ACHIEVED THE VITAL OBJECTIVE OF A STABLE FIGHTING FRONT IN KOREA.
TWO MONTHS AGO TODAY THE NORTH KOREANS SWARMED ACROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL TO OPEN THE INVASION. BUT THEY HAVE BEEN STOPPED COLD--AT LEAST FOR NOW.
THEY CAME WITH OVERPOWERING WEIGHT OF MEN AND FIGHTING EQUIPMENT. THE POORLY-EQUIPPED SOUTH KOREAN FORCES CRUMPLED UNDER THE ASSAULT. THE RED HORDE SEEMED HEADED FOR A QUICK VICTORY AND SPEEDY OCCUPATION OF ALL KOREA.
BUT PRESIDENT TRUMAN ANNOUNCED THE DECISION TO THROW AMERICAN MILITARY MIGHT BEHIND THE CAUSE OF THE SOUTH KOREANS AND THE UNITED NATIONS. AND GENERAL MACARTHUR BEGAN COMMITTING SMALL UNITS OF AMERICAN TROOPS IN A DESPERATE EFFORT TO DELAY THE ENEMY AND GAIN TIME FOR A BUILDUP OF U.N.POWER.
THOSE EARLY BATTLES BY THE BATTALIONS AND THEN REGIMENTS OF THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION SEEMED PUNY AND HOPELESS GESTURES OF DEFIANCE. EACH TIME THE REDS HIT THE AMERICANS, THE ENEMY FLOWED AROUND THEIR FLANKS AND DROVE THEM BACK.
THEN LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER OF BALDEN, TEXAS, WAS GIVEN COMMAND OF THE U.S.EIGHTH ARMY WHICH WAS LITTLE MORE THAN A SKELETON FORCE. BUT WALKER PURSUED THE SAME TACTICS. AS NEW REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVED HE RUSHED THEM INTO THE LINE. HE PLAYED A GAME OF CHESS IN A SERIES OF DELAYING TACTICS NEVER BEFORE TRIED BY A MODERN ARMY. HIS RESERVES WERE COMMITTED AS FAST AS HE COULD GET THEM TO THE FRONT.
AND UNDER HEAVY PRESSURE THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREANS FELL BACK ON A LINE ROUGHLY FOLLOWING THE NAKTONG RIVER ON THE WEST AND JUST BELOW THE NAKTONG ON THE NORTH. THERE THEY DUG IN TO MAKE THEIR STAND AS REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVED TO BOLSTER THE THIN LINE.
FOR THREE TIME-GAINING WEEKS THE UNITED NATIONS TROOPS HAVE CLUNG STUBBORNLY TO THEIR POSITIONS BEATING BACK EVERY EFFORT OF THE ENEMY TO CRACK THROUGH ON ANOTHER PUSH.

B2222KX

B22KX (Q)
TWO WEEKS AGO THE MARINES AND THE FIRST AND 31ST ARMY REGIMENTS SMASHED THE ENEMY BACK TO CHINJU TO DISRUPT THE RED BUILDUP OF FORCE IN THAT AREA. THEN THE MARINES AND THE 24TH ARMY DIVISION SMASHED THE RED BRIDGEHEAD WHICH HAD BEEN BUILT UP ACROSS THE NAKTONG IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR OF THE WESTERN FRONT. AND THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION WIPED OUT AN ENEMY BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG NEAR WAEGWAN.
AFTER THESE SETBACKS, THE ENEMY BEGAN BUILDING UP POWER NORTH OF TAEGU AND MADE A THRUST IN STRENGTH DOWN THE ROAD LEADING TO THE PROVISIONAL CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA. BUT AGAIN THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS BEAT ACK THESE ATTACKS AND EASED THE PRESSURE ON TAEGU.
THE REDS WILL TRY AGAIN AT SOME OTHER POINT. THEY ARE STILL FEELING FOR SOFT SPOTS IN THE LINES. AND IT MAY BE THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS WILL BE FORCED TO PULL BACK AT SOME POINT.
BUT A MIRACLE OF DEFENSE HAS BEEN ACHIEVED. A FIRM LINE HAS BEEN CREATED. THE RED TIDE HAS BEEN DAMMED UP FOR LONGER THAN ANYONE HAD DARED TO DREAM.
IN RETROSPECT, THE PAST THREE WEEKS MAY BE LOOKED UPON AS THE REAL TURNING POINT OF THE KOREAN WAR--THE DAYS WHEN THE COMMUNISTS LOST ANY REAL CHANCE THEY HAD TO PUT THE RED STRAIGHTJACKET ON SOUTH KOREA.
SD450PCS

A88FX
BULLETIN
BY JACK MACBETH
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG. 25-(AP)-A SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENT WITHDREW 2,000 TO 3,000 YARDS TODAY BEFORE A HEAVY TANK-SUPPORTED RED INFANTRY ATTACK ON THE NORTHEASTERN SECTOR OF THE KOREAN WARFRONT.
THE WITHDRAWAL WAS NEAR THE MOUNTAIN CITY OF KIGYE, 9 MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG PORT.
THERE WAS NO INDICATION OF CASUALTIES OR ANY OTHER DETAILS SUCH AS THE SIZE OF THE ENEMY FORCE.
ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT AN ENEMY FORCE ESTIMATED AT 300 IN FRONT OF THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE 25TH DIVISION THIS AFTERNOON WAS STALLED BEYOND SMALL ARMS RANGE BY AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE.
AS THE SOUTHERN RED FORCE MASSED FOR AN ATTACK U.N. AIRCRAFT HAMMERED IT. U.S. PATROLS AFTER THE AIRSTRIKE COUNTED 20 DEAD.
A PATROL OF THE U.S. 24TH REGIMENT ENCOUNTERED ANOTHER 300 OF THE ENEMY ABOUT FOUR MILES SOUTH OF HAMAN IN THE SOUTHWEST. DETAILS OF THIS ACTION ALSO WERE LACKING.
U.S. TROOPS INFLICTED HEAVY CASUALTIES ON RED FORCES WHO GOT BEHIND THE 27TH REGIMENT ON THE NORTHERN FRONT. THE ENEMY TOOK REFUGE IN A WALLED CITY WHICH WAS BEING ATTACKED BY AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND SOME INFANTRY UNITS.
CC534APD

B18KX
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG.25-(AP)-THE EIGHTH ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY BATTLEFIELD COMMISSIONS WERE GIVEN A WARRANT OFFICER AND FIVE SERGEANTS IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR LEADERSHIP IN COMBAT.
PROMOTED TO SECOND LIEUTENANTS WERE WARRANT OFFICER (JUNIOR GRADE) CULLEN L.DAVIDSON OF CHATTANOOGA, TENN., AND MASTER SGT. VERNON R. PRICHARD OF BRANCHLAND, W.VA., EACH 31 YEARS OLD AND BOTH OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION.
FOUR MEN FROM THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION WERE COMMISSIONED SECOND LIEUTENANT INCLUDING SGT. 1/C RUSSELL P.TYLER OF CRANSTON, R.I., AND MASTER SGT.LORAN E.CHAMBERS OF STERLING, ILL.
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A39FX (SHORTS)
U.S. 25TH DIVISION, KOREA, AUG. 25-(AP)-RECRUIT JOHN B. CHEETHAM LEARNED TO SHOOT WHILE HUNTING SQUIRRELS WITH A .22 IN THE WOODLANDS NEAR DOERUN. GA. IT PAID OFF IN KOREA, THE DIVISION PUBLIC INFORMATION

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OFFICER SAID TODAY:
AFTER A RECENT BATTLE, 55 NORTH KOREANS WERE SPRAWLED AROUND CHEETHAM'S POSITION, DEAD OR WOUNDED. EXACTLY HOW MANY CHEETHAM SHOT WAS NOT KNOWN.
CHEETHAM LOOKED UP FROM CLEANING HIS AUTOMATIC RIFLE AND DRAWLED: "THEY JUST KEPT A COMING AND A COMING, AND I JUST KEPT A SHOOTING AND A SHOOTING."

JL148APD

A79PFX
BY STAN SWINTON
MASAN FRONT, KOREA, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN ARMY HAS ORDERED DEATH BY SHOOTING FOR ANY SOLDIER WHO RETREATS.
A COPY OF A COMMUNIST GENERAL ORDER SEIZED TODAY SAYS:
"1. DO NOT GIVE GROUND.
"2. ANYONE WITHDRAWING WILL BE SHOT."
UNITED NATIONS PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE FORCES IMMEDIATELY STEPPED UP THEIR CAMPAIGN PROMISING SAFE CONDUCT TO ANY RED SOLDIER WHO SURRENDERS.
RED KOREANS HAVE BEEN CAPTURED WITH INCREASING EASE RECENTLY. NOW THAT CERTAIN DEATH AWAITS THEM IF THEY RETREAT, AMERICAN COMBAT OFFICERS SAID THE REDS MAY COME OVER TO U.N. LINES IN LARGE NUMBERS.
FRIDAY AFTERNOON 45,000 RED AND WHITE LEAFLETS BEARING U.N. INSIGNIA WERE DROPPED ON RED POSITIONS ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT WEST OF MASAN. OVER GENERAL MACARTHUR'S SIGNATURE, THEY ORDERED AMERICAN SOLDIERS TO GIVE HUMANE TREATMENT TO ANY NORTH KOREAN COMING IN WITH A LEAFLET.
FOUR HUNDRED NORTH KOREANS WAVED A WHITE FLAG OF SURRENDER TODAY WHEN CAUGHT IN THE OPEN. LT. COL. BERNARD TETERS OF PARK FALLS, WIS., ORDERED HIS MEN TO HOLD FIRE.
SUDDENLY THE REDS BEGAN RUNNING BACK TO THEIR OWN LINES, STILL UNDER THE WHITE FLAG. AMERICAN MACHINEGUNS AND ARTILLERY OPENED UP ON THEM.
THEY LEFT AT LEAST 60 DEAD.
A NUMBER OF SMALL FIRE-FIGHTS ERUPTED IN FRONT OF THE 24TH AND 35TH REGIMENTS OF THE 25TH DIVISION. THEY WERE THE ONLY ACTIONS TODAY ON THE MASAN FRONT, WHERE AMERICANS HAVE BEEN AWAITING AN ATTACK FROM A CONCENTRATION OF THE COMMUNIST SIXTH AND SEVENTH DIVISIONS, AUGMENTED BY RIFLEMEN OF THE REDS' FIRST AND SECOND LABOR BRIGADES.
U.S. INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS EXPRESSED BELIEF ARTILLERY AND AIR STRIKES HAVE SLOWED UP RED EFFORTS TO ORGANIZE FOR A GENERAL ATTACK.
THEY PREDICTED THE NORTH KOREANS WOULD STRIKE FRIDAY NIGHT OR SATURDAY NIGHT.

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A61KX
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BY STAN SWINTON (100)
ON THE NASAN FRONT IN KOREA, SATURDAY, AUG. 26-(AP)-NORTH KOREANS ATTACKED IN FORCE FRIDAY ON THE AMERICANS HOLDING SOBUK MOUNTAIN.
THE DEFENDERS HELD FIRM TO THEIR POSITIONS.
SOBUK DOMINATES A STRATEGIC VALLEY WHICH THE REDS USE AS AN ASSEMBLY AREA FOR THE ENTIRE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT. IN THE LAST THREE DAYS, THE COMMUNISTS HAVE CAPTURED TWO SMALLER PEAKS NEAR SOBUK AND HAVE MADE A CONCERTED EFFORT TO FLUSH THE AMERICANS OFF THE DOMINATING HEIGHT.
MINOR ATTACKS WERE MADE FRIDAY NIGHT ON THREE REGIMENTS OF THE U. S. 25TH DIVISION IN AN APPARENT ATTEMPT TO FIND A WEAK SPOT FOR A BREAKTHROUGH BY A RED CONCENTRATION EXCEEDING TWO DIVISIONS. ALL ATTEMPTS WERE BEATEN BACK.
FJ551PCS

A113FX
TAEGU (180)
BY TOM LAMBERT
ON THE KOREAN CENTRAL FRONT, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE TAEGU FRONT REMAINED GENERALLY STABLE TONIGHT AND U.S. FORCES ADVANCED SLIGHTLY NORTHWARD IN SOME PLACES TO CONSOLIDATE AND STRAIGHTEN THEIR LINES.
THE REDS MOUNTED SEVERAL RELATIVELY SMALL ATTACKS WHICH WERE REPULSED WITHOUT DENTING UNITED NATIONS LINES. U.N. FORCES CONTINUED THEIR ATTACK ON A DWINDLING RED FORCE WHICH HAS BEEN BEHIND THEIR LINES FOR SEVERAL DAYS.
THE RED FORCE, ESTIMATED ORIGINALLY AS ONE REGIMENT, TRIED SEVERAL ATTACKS WITHIN THE LAST FEW DAYS BUT WAS UNABLE TO DO ANY MAJOR DAMAGE OR TO DRIVE ANY THREATENING DISTANCE TOWARD TAEGU.
ON THE AMERICAN FRONT ONE UNIT PUSHED ABOUT 2,000 YARDS NORTH TODAY ALONG THE "BOWLING ALLEY" CORRIDOR AND OCCUPIED A SMALL VILLAGE. THE ALLEY IS THE ROAD ALONG WHICH AMERICAN TANKS, ARTILLERY, MORTARS AND INFANTRYMEN HAVE KNOCKED OUT AT LEAST 11 RED TANKS IN THE LAST WEEK.
A VILLAGE WAS OCCUPIED WITHOUT INCIDENT BUT AS THE AMERICANS WERE TURNING OVER THE COLLECTION OF BATTERED MUD HUTS TO A SOUTH KOREAN UNIT THE REDS SHELLED BOTH GROUPS HEAVILY WITH AT LEAST ONE HIGH VELOCITY WEAPON AND MORTARS. THE AMERI

THE REDS SHELLED BOTH GROUPS HEAVILY WITH AT LEAST ONE HIGH VELOCITY WEAPON AND MORTARS. THE AMERICANS AND SOUTH KOREANS WITHDREW TO THEIR ORIGINAL POSITIONS.

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A22KX (BRITISH TROOPS & LAMBERT)
MIN (450)
BY TOM LAMBERT
WITH U.S.FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA,AUG.25-(AP)-A CAUTIOUS, RELUCTANT OPTIMISM IS BEGINNING TO BE EVIDENT AMONG AMERICANS HERE.
THIS OPTIMISM IS FAR FROM BLATANT AND IS ABSENT ENTIRELY AMONG SOME OFFICERS LIKE THE BATTLEWISE COLONEL WHO SAID THE OTHER DAY:
"I AM A PESSIMIST. IF THINGS BEGIN TO LOOK GOOD I BEGIN TO WONDER HOW SOON THE CEILING IS GOING TO FALL IN."
A NUMBER OF FACTORS GIVE RISE TO THIS GUARDED OPTIMISM,OR AT LEAST TO A LESSENING OF THE PESSIMISM WHICH ALMOST ENGULFED AMERICANS IN THE EARLY DAYS OF THIS TWO MONTHS OLD WAR:
IT HAS BEEN SOME TIME NOW SINCE THE REDS MOUNTED A SIZABLE ATTACK. MAYBE THEY ARE REGROUPING AND PREPARING FOR ANOTHER ASSAULT; OR MAYBE THEY ARE BEGINNING TO BE REALLY HURT, FROM AIR AND ARTILLERY ATTACKS AND THE COOL SAVAGERY WITH WHICH THEIR MOST RECENT THRUSTS HAVE BEEN REPULSED.
THE BUILDUP OF AMERICAN SUPPLIES AND MANPOWER IS CONTINUING. IT IS AMAZING NOW TO SEE HOW MUCH EQUIPMENT AND HOW MANY MEN ARE HERE COMPARED WITH THOSE TERRIBLY DARK EARLY DAYS. THERE ARE FAR FEWER VACANT SPOTS NOW BETWEEN THE REAR AND THE FRONT.
THE AMERICAN TROOPS ARE BECOMING VASTLY MORE PROFICIENT IN THE BUSINESS OF KILLING NORTH KOREANS AND, PROBABLY MORE IMPORTANT, ARE INCREASINGLY MORE CONFIDENT OF THEIR OWN ABILITY. THEY ARE NOT OVERCONFIDENT OR COCKY, BUT THEY HAVE THE FEELING NOW THEY ARE MORE OF A MATCH FOR THE REDS.
THE WORD "ATTACK" IS HEARD WITH INCREASING FREQUENCY AROUND COMMAND POSTS THESE DAYS, ALTHOUGH A MAJOR U.S. ATTACK SEEMS OUT OF THE QUESTION AT THE MOMENT. STILL MORE MEN AND EQUIPMENT ARE NEEDED FOR THAT.
THE SOUTH KOREANS, WHO PRACTICALLY COLLAPSED AS A MILITARY FORCE

AFTER THE FALL OF SEOUL, ARE BEGINNING TO RESEMBLE AN ARMY AGAIN. BY AMERICAN STANDARDS THEY STILL ARE FAR FROM EFFECTIVE, BUT THEY ARE BEGINNING TO TAKE IN INCREASED PART IN THE WAR.

RESPONSIBLE U.S.OFFICERS THINK THERE MAY BE FURTHER SETBACKS,BUT THERE ARE NOT MANY WHO NOW BELIEVE THE REDS CAN SHOVE THEM OFF THIS PENINSULA.

VERY FEW OFFICERS ARE WILLING TO VENTURE ANY PREDICTION ON HOW SOON THE WAR WILL BE OVER. SHORTLY BEFORE TAEJON FELL, ONE OFFICER SAID THE AMERICANS WOULD BE IN SEOUL WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER STARTING BACK.

HE HAS BEEN DISCREETLY SILENT SINCE THEN. OFFICERS SAY THERE ARE TOO MANY IMPONDERABLES TO WARRANT ANY PREDICTION.

THEY ASK: "WILL WE GO ONLY TO THE 38TH PARALLEL OR ALL THE WAY TO THE MANCHURIAN BORDER? WILL THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ENTER THE WAR IF WE START WALLOPING THE NORTH KOREANS? WHAT WILL RUSSIA DO?"

DESPITE THESE QUESTIONS, DESPITE THE NEED FOR MORE MEN AND EQUIPMENT, AND DESPITE THE FACT THE REDS ARE FAR FROM FINISHED AS A MILITARY FORCE, OPTIMISM IS EVIDENT.

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A164KX

ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT IN KOREA, AUG.25-(AP)-A LINE COMPANY OF THE ARMY'S 35TH REGIMENT LAST NIGHT CUSSED-OUT AN AMERICAN ARTILLERY OUTFIT.

BUT THIS MORNING THINGS WERE DIFFERENT.

THE ARTILLERY UNIT DROPPED A SHELL--APPARENTLY BY ACCIDENT--WITHIN 150 FEET OF THE 35TH OUTFIT'S POSITION. THE INFANTRYMEN DIDN'T LIKE IT AT ALL AND EXPRESSED THEIR THOUGHTS IN BLUNT, EVEN PROFANE, TERMS.

THEY APOLOGIZED AT DAYLIGHT. THE ROUND FELL AMONG EIGHT NORTH KOREANS WHO HAD BEEN SNEAKING UP TO TOSS A HAND GRENADE INTO THE POSITION.

ALL EIGHT WERE KILLED.

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BY DON WHITEHEAD (130)

WITH UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA SATURDAY, AUG. 26-(AP)-AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FIELD OFFICERS AGREED TODAY THAT THE RED THREAT TO TAEGU HAS BEEN SMASHED AND THE ENEMY WILL NOT BE CAPABLE OF MAKING ANOTHER LARGE SCALE ATTACK FOR AT LEAST TEN DAYS.

FRONTLINE INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE THREE BATTERED RED DIVISIONS ARE PULLING OUT THEIR MEN AND EQUIPMENT FOR REORGANIZING PURPOSES.

GEN. PAIK SUN YIP, COMMANDER OF THE FIRST SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION AND COL. PAUL L. FREEMAN OF ROANOKE, VA., COMMANDING A U. S. REGIMENT SAID THE CRISIS IN THE BATTLE FOR TAEGU IS DEFINITELY OVER.

THE REDS ARE PULLING EQUIPMENT AND MEN OUT OF ARTILLERY RANGE AND THE AMERICANS ARE FINDING IT DIFFICULT TO LOCATE TARGETS.

ON THE RIGHT FLANK OF U. S. POSITIONS ON THE NORTHERN FRONT ONE POCKET OF ENEMY TROOPS REMAINS, BUT THE SOUTH KOREANS ARE ATTACKING TO WIPE OUT THE BULGE.

FJ857PCS

B80KX (WHITEHEAD AHD

(400)

DECORATIONS

BY DON WHITEHEAD

WITH U. S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG. 25-(AP)-SIX YOUNG AMERICANS STOOD AT ATTENTION NEAR THE SUNLIT BANK OF A RIVER TODAY AND RECEIVED SILVER STAR MEDALS FOR HEROISM IN COMBAT.

MAJ. GEN. HOBART R. GAY, COMMANDING THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION, PINNED THE DECORATIONS ON THE FADED COMBAT JACKETS OF THE SOLDIERS WHOSE BRAVERY HELPED CHECK THE TIDE OF THE RED ADVANCE TO THE SOUTH.

THE BRIEF AND DRAMATIC CEREMONY WAS ON A DUSTY ROAD BESIDE THE VACANT AND BATTERED HUTS OF A VILLAGE ONLY A FEW HUNDRED YARDS BEHIND THE FRONT LINES. THE SIX MEN WERE FRESHLY SHAVEN. THEY WERE THE LEAN, TIGHT FACES OF THE COMBAT SOLDIERS---FACES OF YOUTHS SCARCELY OUT OF THEIR TEENS.

GEN. GAY FIRST STEPPED UP TO 2ND LT. RAYMOND A. WHELAN OF GOSHEN ROAD, MOSSUP, CONN. THE CITATION SAID HE "DISPLAYED EXTRAORDINARY HEROISM IN ACTION AT YONGDONG . . . SUPERVISED PLACING OF A TANK TRAP . . . LED FOUR MEN THROUGH HEAVY SMALL ARMS AND MORTAR FIRE TO RELIEVE THE MEN WHO HAD BEEN ON DUTY DURING THE NIGHT . . . THE LEAD (ENEMY) TANK WAS COMPLETELY DEMOBILIZED . . . LT. WHELAN RAN FORWARD AND EMPTIRED HIS CARBINE INTO THE SLITS OF THE TANK TO PREVENT ENEMY GUNNERS FROM FIRING ON OUR POSITIONS . . ."

THEN THE GENERAL WENT DOWN THE LINE PINNING ON THE MEDALS AND SHAKING THEIR HANDS:

PFC. GARET IVAN CRAMER, STAR ROUTE, OSSINEKE, MICH:

"UNDER HEAVY MORTAR BARRAGE HE WORKED HIS WAY UP TO A POINT 300 YARDS BEYOND FRIENDLY LINES (TO HELP DESTROY AN ENEMY TANK . . ."

B881KX (Q)

PFC. WALLACE ROBERT FELLOWS OF (7619 176TH ST.) FLUSHING, N. Y.:

"THE LEAD TANK WAS ALLOWED TO PASS THE FIRST DAISY CHAIN (OF LAND MINES) AND WHEN IT CAME CLOSE ENOUGH HE PULLED THE CHAIN IN ITS PATH WHICH COMPLETELY DEMOBILIZED THE ENEMY TANK, THEREBY ALLOWING FRIENDLY TROOPS TO ATTACK AND KILL THE ENEMY PERSONNEL IN THE TANK . . ."

PFC. WILLIAM RASS FIFTHEN OF STEUBENVILLE, OHIO: ". . . . DISREGARDING HIS OWN SAFETY HE RAN 200 YARDS ACROSS A RICE PADDY EXPOSING HIMSELF TO ENEMY FIRE AND MACHINEGUN FIRE TO WARN TWO AMERICAN TANKS (OF THEIR DANGER) .... HE THEN MOUNTED THE OUTSIDE OF A TANK AND LED THEM TO THE ROAD BLOCK AND DIRECTED FIRE ON THE ENEMY MACHINEGUN POSITIONS WHICH RESULTED IN THEIR BEING WIPED OUT ..."

CORP. WAYNE EUGNE HARRIS OF (1605 WALNUT ST.) ROLLA, MO.:

"UNDER HEAVY MORTAR BARRAGE, CORP. HARRIS PULLED THE CHAIN OF MINES IN THE ENEMY TANK'S PATH AND DISABLED IT SO THAT IT WAS ABLE TO RETREAT BUT 200 YARDS WHICH ALLOWED THE AIR CORPS TO DESTROY IT . . . ."

CPL. JOHN THOMAS STEVENS OF (4249 GALLIA STREET) NEW BOSTON, OHIO:

"DURING EARLY MORNING HOURS UNDER A HEAVY MORTAR BARRAGE CORPORAL STEVENS WORKED HIS WAY UP TO A POINT 300 YARDS BEYOND FRIENDLY LINES AND TOOK HIS POSITION AGAINST TANK . . ."

FJ1003PCS

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B59KX Q

TEXT (150)

U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS,KOREA,AUG.25-(AP)-TEXT OF U.S.EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 58, TIMED AT (9:30 P.M. (6:30 AM EST.) TODAY:

AN ENEMY FORCE ESTIMATED AT 300 TROOPS IN FRONT OF THE 35TH REGIMENT THIS AFTERNOON WAS KEPT OUT OF SMALL ARMS RANGE BY FRIENDLY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE. WHEN THE FORCE MASSED FOR AN ATTACK, IT WAS HIT BY U.N.AIR SUPPORT. U.S.PATROLS RECONNOITERED TO THE AREA AFTER THE AIR STRIKE AND COUNTED 20 DEAD. A PATROL OF THE 24TH REGIMENT ENCOUNTERED ANOTHER ENEMY FORCE ESTIMATED AT 300 TROOPS ABOUT FOUR MILES SOUTHWEST OF HAMAN.

U.S.TROOPS INFLICTED HEAVY CASUALTIES ON THE COMMUNIST FORCE BEHIND THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT TODAY. THE ENEMY HAS TAKEN REFUGE IN

A WALLED VILLAGE, WHICH WAS BEING ATTACKED BY FRIENDLY ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY THIS AFTERNOON. THE 27TH REGIMENT RECEIVED ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE DURING THE DAY.

THE ROK (SOUTH KOREAN) 17TH REGIMENT WITHDREW 2,000 TO 3,000 YARDS TODAY UNDER A HEAVY ATTACK OF TANK-SUPPORTED INFANTRY NEAR KIGYE.

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BY DON HUTH

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SATURDAY, AUG.26-(AP)-THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION DROVE FORWARD ALMOST ONE MILE IN THEIR SECTOR NORTH OF TAEGU, KILLING 300 RED KOREAN TROOPS AND CAPTURING 42 OTHERS, AN 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE SOUTH KOREAN OFFENSIVE THRUST WAS IN THE KUMHWA "BOWLING ALLEY" AREA WITH THREE REGIMENTS ADVANCING 1,000 TO 1,500 YARDS.

AN ENEMY WEDGE BEHIND THE LINES WAS DRIVEN OUT OF ITS REFUGE IN A WALLED CITY, AND THE REMNANTS OF THIS FORCE WERE BELIEVED DRIFTING BACK TOWARD MAIN RED POSITIONS.

ON THE RIGHT FLANK, THE SOUTH KOREAN 6TH DIVISION COUNTER-ATTACKED FRIDAY AND REGAINED MOST OF THE GROUND LOST IN A PRE-DAWN THRUST BY 6,000 REDS EARLIER IN THE DAY. THIS BATTLE SWIRLED AROUND CHONGNO, 24 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU.

THE COMMUNIQUE, ISSUED AT 11:10 A.M. (8:10 PM EST, FRIDAY) SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION HAD STABILIZED ITS LINES NORTH OF KIGYE AFTER BEING PUSHED BACK FRIDAY BY A TANK SUPPORTED RED ATTACK.

ON THE SOUTHWESTERN FRONT, ONLY SMALL INDECISIVE FIRE FIGHTS WERE REPORTED.

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 58, ISSUED AT 11:10 A.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (8:10 P.M., EST, FRIDAY) FOLLOWS:

UNITS IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR WERE ENGAGED IN SMALL FIRE FIGHTS LATE YESTERDAY AND LAST NIGHT WITH NO SIGNIFICANT RESULTS. FRIENDLY TROOPS IN THIS AREA WERE SUBJECTED TO SPORADIC MORTAR AND ARTILLERY FIRE.

IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) SECTOR OFFENSIVE ACTION WAS CONTINUED IN THE 1ST DIVISION WITH TWO REGIMENTS ADVANCING 1,000 YARDS ON THE LEFT AND CENTER AND A THIRD REGIMENT ADVANCING 1,500 YARDS ON THE RIGHT FLANK. THREE HUNDRED ENEMY TROOPS WERE KILLED AND 42 CAPTURED IN THIS ACTION. THE ENEMY FORCE BEHIND THE LINES IN THE 1ST DIVISION SECTOR WAS DRIVEN FROM A WALLED VILLAGE LATE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON. AT LAST REPORT THEY WERE ATTEMPTING TO GET BACK TO COMMUNIST LINES.

THE ROK 6TH DIVISION COUNTERATTACKED YESTERDAY AND REGAINED MOST OF THE GROUND LOST IN AN ATTACK MADE ON ITS POSITION EARLY YESTERDAY MORNING.

IN THE POHANG AREA, THE ROK CAPITAL DIVISION HAS STABILIZED ITS LINES NORTH OF KIGYE AFTER YESTERDAY'S WITHDRAWAL, AND THE ROK 3D DIVISION GAINED 600 YARDS.

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 26-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S 3:55 P.M. WAR SUMMARY (12:55 AM. SATURDAY EST) SAID THAT SOUTH KOREAN FORCES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU FELL BACK A MILE FRIDAY BUT LATER REGAINED THEIR POSITIONS.

THE WITHDRAWAL AND COUNTERATTACK WAS ALONG THE UISONG-SINNYONG ROAD. THAT IS IN THE VICINITY OF CHONGNO, 23 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU.

THE SUMMARY SAID RED KOREAN ATTACKS CONTINUED TODAY BUT THE SOUTH KOREANS ARE HOLDING.

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EDITORS

TOKYO, FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP, 11TH GRAF MAKE

READ AT START:

TAEGU--GENERAL MACARTHUR'S 3:55 P.M. WAR SUMMARY SAID THAT NEAR CHONGNO, 24 MILES NORTHEAST, THE ROK 6TH DIVISION YIELDED ONE MILE TO A STRONG ATTACK OF REDS SATURDAY BUT LATER REGAINED IT, THEN HELD FIRM AGAINST ATTACKS CONTINUING TODAY. OTHER 6TH DIVISION ETC.

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LW1148PPD NM

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG.26-(AP)-THE LATEST RELEASE FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS TODAY OMITTED IDENTIFICATION OF INDIVIDUAL UNITS FIGHTING IN KOREA.

IT WAS THE START OF A NEW POLICY PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED AT A BRIEFING SESSION AT HEADQUARTERS. THE BRIEFING OFFICER WHO EXPLAINED THE NEW POLICY, BUT WHO CAN NOT BE IDENTIFIED BY NAME, SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHY THE STEP WAS TAKEN.

COMMUNIQUES ARE COMPILED BY OFFICERS AT HEADQUARTERS ON THE BASIS OF FIELD REPORTS.

IT WAS NOT CLEAR WHETHER U.S.EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUES WOULD CONTINUE TO IDENTIFY UNITS. NOR COULD IT BE ASCERTAINED IF CORRESPONDENTS IN THE FIELD WOULD BE RESTRICTED IN IDENTIFYING UNITS.

AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT IN KOREA SAID EARLY TODAY HE HAD HEARD NOTHING ABOUT THIS MATTER.

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WAR SITUATIONER-DIARY

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, AUG.25-(AP)-THE WAR IN KOREA IS TWO CALENDAR MONTHS OLD TODAY.

THAT IS NOT A LONG TIME FOR A MILITARY OPERATION. AMERICAN TROOPS FOUGHT LONGER FOR A SINGLE POSITION, CASSINO, IN THE LAST WAR.

BUT AN ENORMOUSLY BIGGER SEGMENT OF HISTORY HAS BEEN TELESCOPED INTO THESE TWO MONTHS.

THE MILITARY MOVEMENT WAS SWIFT. THE NORTH KOREANS ROLLED SOTHWARD LIKE AN AVALANCHE OVER 240 AIRLINE MILES AND PROBABLY 400 ACTUAL ROAD MILES. ALL OF KOREA EXCEPT FOR A POSTAGE STAMP ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER FELL INTO THEIR HANDS.

THE COMMUNISTS BROUGHT THE WORLD CLOSER TO A GENERAL CONFLICT AND THEY OPENED THE BOOK ON A HEROIC NEW PAGE OF AMERICAN MILITARY

HISTORY.

SIXTY-TWO DAYS--IN THAT TIME THE FIERY RED SCYTHE OF WAR HAS SWEPT OVER KOREA FROM THE MANCHURIAN BORDER TO THE SOUTHERNMOST TIP OF THE PENINSULA, BURNING, KILLING AND DESTROYING. WELL OVER 100,000 PEOPLE, SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS, HAVE DIED--SOME SUDDENLY BY VIOLENCE, MORE IN SLOW TORTURE OF WOUNDS.

THIS IS THE DIARY OF THE MOST CRITICAL OF THE 62 DAYS:

JUNE 26--NORTH KOREAN FORCES POURED SOUTHWARD TOWARD SEOUL, THE NATION'S ANCIENT CAPITAL, WITH A TANK-LED DRIVE. IT WAS LIKE THE 1940 GERMAN BLITZ THROUGH FRANCE IN SPEED AND FURY. THE DREADFUL WORD "EVACUATION" WAS PASSED TO AMERICAN CIVILIANS, ESPECIALLY WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

JUNE 27--THE TANKS ENTERED SEOUL. See Corr

JUNE 29--GENERAL GOUDLAS MACARTHUR FLEW TO THE BATTLEZONE.

JUNE 30--PRESIDENT TRUMAN ORDERED THE AIR FORCE INTO COMBAT AND TOLD THE NAVY TO THROW A BLOCKADE AROUND KOREA. THE RED TIDE SWEPT ACROSS AN IMPROVISED DEFENSE LINE AT THE HAN RIVER. See Corr

JULY 1--AMERICAN GROUND TROOPS LANDED AND STARTED TOWARD TAEJON, 90 MILES FROM THE FOREMOST COMMUNIST FORCES.

JULY 4--THE AMERICANS COLLIDED WITH ONRUSHING COMMUNIST TROOPS. THE GI'S WERE OUTNUMBERED AND LACKING IN COMBAT EXPERIENCE AND FIRE-POWER. BUT FOR THREE DAYS THE COMMUNISTS WERE HALTED.

JULY 8--THE FIRST CASUALTY FIGURES WERE ANNOUNCED: 57 AMERICANS KILLED OR WOUNDED, 192 MISSING. THE SECOND FIGURE WAS THE MORE SIGNIFICANT. IT GAVE EVIDENCE OF ONE OF THE MOST DEADLY NORTH KOREAN TRICKS--INFILTRATION. FROM THEN ON FOR A WHILE, HARDLY A DAY PASSED THAT DID NOT SEE AMERICANS FLANKED, SURROUNDED AND CUT OFF.

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JULY 11--A TRAGIC DATE. AMERICAN SOLDIERS WERE FOUND WITH ARMS BOUND AND SHOT IN THE BACK OF THE HEAD. THERE WAS MORE OF THE SAME LATER BUT THIS WAS THE FIRST REALIZATION OF THE RED SAVAGERY OF WAR. TWO WAR CORRESPONDENTS WERE REPORTED KILLED: RAY RICHARDS OF INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE AND CORPORAL ERNIE PEELER OF THE ARMY NEWSPAPER STARS AND STRIPES; MORE DIED LATER.

JULY 12--THE AMERICANS FELL BACK ACROSS THE KUM RIVER, DESCRIBED AS A NATURAL DEFENSE LINE. THEY DUG IN FOR THE FIRST MAJOR STAND.

JULY 14--THE FAMILIAR REPORT--GUERRILLAS IN THE REAR--CAME DOWN FROM THE KUM LINE. SOON THERE WERE BATTLE REPORTS OF A BRIDGEHEAD THROWN OVER THE RIVER. HOURS LATER THE AMERICANS WERE WITHDRAWING AGAIN.

JULY 19--MACARTHUR, CALM AND APPRAISING IN THE MIDST OF CONTINUING RETREAT, TOLD THE WORLD: "THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE LOST THEIR CHANCE FOR VICTORY."

JULY 20--THE BITTER BATTLE FOR TAEJON. IT WAS EPITOMIZED IN THE STORY OF MAJ.GEN.WILLIAM F.DEAN, PROBABLY THE LAST AMERICAN SOLDIER TO LEAVE THE BURNING CITY--IF HE GOT OUT AT ALL. THE LAST WORDS HE IS KNOWN TO HAVE SPOKEN: "I JUST GOT ME A TANK." HE WAS SMILING AND HOLDING A BAZOOKA.

JULY 21--THE FIRST AMERICAN VICTORY, MINOR AND TEMPORARY, BUT A VICTORY. NEGRO GI'S ATTACKED AND RECAPTURED THE CITY OF YECHON ON THE REMOTE CENTRAL HIGHLAND FRONT.

JULY 29--LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. 8TH ARMY, TOLD HIS TROOPS THE PERIOD OF RETREAT HAD ENDED, ORDERED THEM TO STAND OR DIE IN THE ATTEMPT. IN THE FULL MILITARY SENSE THIS WAS THE LOW POINT IN AMERICAN FORTUNES AND IT WAS THE POINT WHERE THE RED TIDE WAS STOPPED. THE WAR WAS FIVE WEEKS OLD.

KOREAN "LIBERATION DAY," AUGUST 15, WAS APPROACHING. IT IS KNOWN NOW THAT THE COMMUNISTS HOPED TO ANNOUNCE THE COMPLETE SMASHING OF THE BEACHHEAD BY THAT DATE. LATER THEY CLUNG TO THE MORE MODEST HOPE THAT BY AUG. 15 THEY COULD ANNOUNCE THE CAPTURE OF TAEGU, KEYSTONE CENTRAL CITY IN THE ALLIED DEFENSE POSITION.

THE BEACHHEAD IS STILL THERE. TAEGU IS STILL IN UNITED NATIONS

THE SECOND WAS IN THE NAKTONG RIVER BULGE. THERE THEY JAMMED AN ESTIMATED 12,000 MEN WITH TANKS AND ARTILLERY INTO A CROWDED LOOP ON THE NAKTONG AND TRIED TO BREAK OUT. AGAIN THE MARINES PLUS INFANTRY TORE A DIVISION TO PIECES AND COMPLETELY PUNCTURED THE BRIDGEHEAD.

THE THIRD HAS JUST FINISHED--OR AT LEAST SUBSIDED--IN THE TAEGU CORRIDOR. AN AMERICAN REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM WITH SOUTH KOREANS ON ITS FLANK THREW BACK WAVE AFTER WAVE OF ATTACKERS IN FIVE DAYS OF FIGHTING. THE COMMUNISTS APPEARED TODAY TO HAVE ABANDONED THE EFFORT TO BREAK THROUGH THERE.

TWO MONTHS--THE BEACHHEAD TODAY IS CONSIDERED SECURE. OFFICERS AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ASSERT TOO THAT THE RED STRENGTH IS DRAINING RAPIDLY. MORE TROOPS, PLANES, TANKS AND GUNS ARE COMING INTO THE BEACHHEAD. AND STILL MORE ARE ON THE WAY FROM AUSTRALIA, CANADA, THE PHILIPPINES, HONG KONG AND THAILAND.

MACARTHUR'S FORESIGHT, WEEKS AGO, PROVED OUT. THE REDS LOST THE SPRINT FOR VICTORY. THEY GOT ALL THE WAY TO THE FIVE-YARD LINE BUT FAILED TO THROW THE DOUGHBOYS OUT OF KOREA.

WHAT IS THE OUTLOOK?

HEADQUARTERS SAYS THE DAY IS NOT FAR DISTANT WHEN A BIGGER AND MORE POWERFUL UNITED NATIONS ARMY WILL BE STRONG ENOUGH TO TAKE THE INITIATIVE.

IT WILL NOT BE EITHER QUICK OR EASY, INTELLIGENCE SAYS. THERE WAS A TTIME WHEN FOREIGN NEWSPAPERS DESCRIBED THE NORTH KOREANS AS "A PEASANT ARMY." THAT DAY IS PAST. AMERICAN VETERANS TELL YOU FRANKLY "THEY DID A TERRIFIC JOB." THE NORTH KOREAN REDS HOPPED OFF TWO MONTHS AGO WITH A SMART, WELL-DRILLED AND POWERFULLY EQUIPPED FORCE.

IT HAS BEEN CHOPPED DOWN WITH TERRIBLE LOSSES TO THE SIX SHOCK DIVISIONS.

BUT IT IS STILL A FORMIDABLE FORCE.

IN ALL PROBABILITY THE UNITED NATIONS OFFENSIVE WILL BE SOMETHING MORE THAN A GRINDING OVERLAND DRIVE. THE LONG COASTS OF KOREA CAN NOT BE DEFENDED MILE BY MILE. WITH COMMAND OF THE SEA AND AIR THERE UNDOUBTEDLY WILL BE MORE THAN ONE AMPHIBIOUS THRUST NORTH OF THE PRESENT BEACHHEAD, STABBING THE REDS IN THE SIDE AND CUTTING ACROSS THEIR SUPPLY ROUTES.

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C O R R E C T I O N

TOKYO--WAR SITUATIONER-DIARY (A76FX BY RELMAN MORIN) IN 9TH GRAF READ: JUNE 27--THE TANKS ENTERED SEOUL. PRESIDENT TRUMAN ORDERED U.S. PLANES AND WARSHIPS TO AID THE SOUTH KOREANS. PLANES WENT INTO ACTION IMMEDIATELY.

IN 11TH GRAF BEGINNING "JUNE 30" READ X X X FORCE INTO ACTION IN RED NORTH KOREA WHERE NECESSARY ABOVE PARALLEL 38 AND TOLD THE NAVY TO THROW A BLOCKADE AROUND ALL KOREA. X X X (ADDING MATTER)

THE AP

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B3KX (SECG) (TEXT)

TEXT (770)

TOKYO, AUG.25-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 310, TIMED 1:45 P.M. (10:45 P.M. THURSDAY EST) COVERING A 24-HOUR PERIOD ENDING AT MIDNIGHT, AUG. 24, FOLLOWS:

U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCES BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS YESTERDAY STRUCK AT TRANSPORTATION AND INDUSTRIAL TARGETS IN THE COMMUNIST AREAS OF KOREA.

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FEAF BOMBER COMMAND B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES DROPPED NEARLY 250 TONS OF BOMBS ON TARGETS NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. MORE THAN HALF THE TOTAL TONNAGE WAS USED TO DEVASTATE OUTLYING INSTALLATIONS AT THE HUNGNAM (KONAN) INDUSTRIAL CHEMICAL PLANT ON THE EAST COAST. NO BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON THE MAIN PLANT, MORE THAN 85 PERCENT DESTROYED IN PREVIOUS ATTACKS. YESTERDAY'S TARGET WAS A SUBSIDIARY CHEMICAL PROCESSING PLANT.

EXCELLENT VISUAL BOMBING RUNS WERE FOLLOWED BY FIRES AND SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS. UNUSUAL GREEN FLASHES AND HEAVY ORANGE SMOKE OBSCURED THE TARGET.

HUNGNAM IS ONE OF ELEVEN NORTH KOREAN CITIES IN WHICH B-29 LEAFLET DROPS HAVE WARNED THE CIVILIAN POPULACE OF POSSIBLE AIR ATTACKS BECAUSE OF MILITARY OR SIGNIFICANT INDUSTRIAL TARGETS IN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY.

THE B-29S ALSO HIT A MARSHALLING YARD IN THE PYONGYANG AREA, PLACING ALL THEIR BOMBS IN THE TARGET AREAS. BOMB STRIKES WERE SEEN IN THE NORTHERN AND CENTRAL PORTIONS OF THE YARDS AND IN THE WAREHOUSE AAREAS IMMEDIATELY ADJOINING. EXPLOSIONS AND FIRES WERE REPORTED AFTER THE FIRST BOMBS LANDED. RAIL INTERDICTION TARGETS ATTACKED BY THE B-29S INCLUDED FOUR BRIDGES IN THE WESTERN TRANSPORTATION NETWORK. DIRECT HITS WERE REGISTED ON THREE BRIDGES.

A 12-CAR RAILROAD TRAIN WAS HIT IN AN ATTACK ON A BRIDGE SOUTH OF PYONGYANG. TRACKAGE WAS TORN UP AND THE TRAIN WRECKED.

FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS DOWNED ONE SPAN ON A HIGHWAY BRIDGE NEAR SONGJU AND DAMAGED A RAILROAD BRIDGE 37 MILES EAST OF SEOUL. A MARSHALLING YARD WAS ATTACKED IN THE LATTER AREA AND A NUMBER OF RAILROAD CARS WERE DAMAGED. IN OTHER DAYLIGHT STRIKES,THE LIGHT BOMBERS DAMAGED TRACKS AND RAIL INSTALLATIONS 11 MILES WEST OF WONJU AND IN THE KOCHANG AREA.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS TOOK A LEADING PART IN THE INTERDICTION EFFORT WITH NAPALM BOMB ATTACKS ON A PONTOON BRIDGE NEXT TO THE IMPASSABLE HIGHWAY BRIDGE AT SEOUL. DIRECT HITS FIRED THE BRIDGE, AND, ALTHOUGH FINAL REPORTS ARE NOT AVAILABLE, PROBABLY CAUSED CRIPPLING DAMAGE.

B4KX (SCEG)

RECONNAISSANCE AIRCRAFT ON CONSTANT PATROL OVER THE MAJOR LINES OF COMMUNICATION HAVE REPORTED A FLIMSY RAILROAD BRIDGE RAPIDLY BEING PUSHED TO COMPLETION 2,000 YARDS DOWNRIVER FROM THE MAIN RAILROAD BRIDGE AND SUFFICIENT PONTOONS ARE LYING ALONG THE RIVER BANKS TO MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO ASSEMBLE A NEW PONTOON BRIDGE IN A VERY SHORT TIME.

NIGHT INTRUDER SORTIES BY B-26S AND F-82 ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS WERE AIMED AT CONVOYS, RAIL YARDS AND OTHER TRANSPORT TARGETS BEHIND THE LINES.

FIGHTER AIRCRAFT OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE, ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE AND U.S. MARINES FLEW MORE THAN 260 DIRECT SUPPORT AND ARMED RECONN-AISSANCE SORTIES OVER THE COMBAT ZONES. GENERALLY STATIC CONDITIONS IN MOST SECTORS OF THE UNITED NATIONS BATTLE LINE ENABLED LARGER NUMBERS OF F-80 JETS AND F-51S TO FLY LOW ALTITUDE STRIKES AT TARGETS SOME DISTANCE FROM THE FRONTS.

A MAJORITY OF CLOSE SUPPORT FLIGHTS CONTINUED TO BE CONCENTRATED IN THE NORTHERN SECTORS DEFENDED BY SOUTH KOREAN ARMY TROOPS, ALTHOUGH MANY FIGHTERS WERE DIRECTED BY AIR FORCE FORWARD CONTROLLERS AGAINST TARGETS REQUESTED BY GROUND FORCES IN ALL SECTORS.

EVALUATED CLAIMS FOR DAMAGED NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL AND EQUIPMENT INCLUDE 11 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, 33 BUILDINGS IN SERVICE AS TROOP BILLETS OR SUPPLY DEPOTS, 31 RAILROAD CARS AND EIGHT LOCOMOTIVES.

A SUPPLY DUMP WAS DESTROYED EIGHT MILES SOUTH OF PUGONG AND THREE GUN POSITIONS WERE SUCCESSFULLY ATTACKED AT KIMPO AIRFIELD NEAR SEOUL. THE FIGHTERS ALSO ATTACKED RAILROAD CARS AND TWO TANKS IN THE SEOUL AREA AND STRAFED A TRAIN NORTH OF CHONAN.

MORE THAN 163 TONS OF ESSENTIAL MILITARY EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES AND 544 PASSENGERS WERE FLOWN TO KOREAN BASES BY CARGO AIRCRAFT.

ONE F-51 WAS HIT BY GROUND FIRE AND LOST NORTH OF THE 37TH PARALLEL, BUT ALL OTHER AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE. NO NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION WAS ENCOUNTERED DURING THE DAY.

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B9KX (SEGC) (TEXT)

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TEXT (300)

AUG 26 1950

TOKYO, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 311, ISSUED BY GEN.MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 4:20 P.M., JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME (1:20 A.M.EST):

AMERICAN UNITS FIGHTING WITH (ROK) REPUBLIC OF KOREA UNITS REPULSED A LIGHT ENEMY ATTACK, SUPPORTED BY TANKS, AT 1:30 A.M. AUGUST 25. THIS ATTACK, WHICH OCCURRED IN THE VICINITY OF THE MAIN ROAD JUNCTION NORTH OF KUMHWA, WAS REPULSED WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND.

ELEMENTS OF THE ROK FIRST DIVISION CONTINUED TO DEFEND THEIR POSITIONS NORTH OF KUMHWA AND TO ADVANCE NORTH IN LIMITED OBJECTIVE ATTACKS. THE ENEMY FORCE WHICH HAD INFILTRATED BEHIND OUR LINES IN THIS SECTOR, ORIGINALLY ESTIMATED AS HAVING A STRENGTH OF APPROXIMATELY 1000, HAS NOW BEEN REDUCED TO AN ESTIMATED STRENGTH OF LESS THAN 200.

REDUCED SCALE ENEMY ATTACKS CONTINUE ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT. AN ATTACK BY ENEMY FORCES OF UNKNOWN STRENGTH, SUPPORTED BY TANKS, WAS REPULSED ABOUT 1:30 A.M. AUGUST 25TH IN THE VICINITY OF TUNDOK. IN THE EXTREME SOUTH WE ARE STILL ENGAGED WITH THE ENEMY ALONG THE SOBUK RIDGE IN MINOR ACTIONS OF COMPANY SIZE.

THE CENTRAL AND NORTH CENTRAL FRONTS REMAIN QUIET EXCEPT FOR PATROL ACTION AND ARTILLERY INTERDICTION BY OUR FORCES.

ALONG THE NORTHERN FRONT SOUTH OF UISONG, THE ROK FORCES ARE IN HEAVY CONTACT WITH AN ESTIMATED TWO ENEMY REGIMENTS. AN ENEMY ATTACK AT 2:30 A.M. AUGUST 25TH, SUPPORTED BY TANKS, ACHIEVED A SLIGHT PENETRATION OF ROK POSITIONS ALONG THE MAIN UISONG SINNYONG ROAD IN THE VICINITY OF CHANGNO. THAT ATTACK WAS CONTAINED, HOWEVER, AND THE ROK FORCES IN THIS SAME AREA CONTINUE TO HOLD THEIR POSITIONS AGAINST ENEMY ATTACKS.

ROK UNITS ON AUGUST 24TH ATTACKED ENEMY FORCES IN THE VICINITY OF INAM, INFLICTING HEAVY CASUALTIES.

ON THE NORTHEAST FLANK ROK UNITS, OPERATING IN THE POHANG AREA, LAUNCHED A COORDINATED ATTACK 6:30 A.M. HOURS AUGUST TWENTYFIFTH, SUPPORTED BY AIR AND NAVAL GUNFIRE.

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AUG 26 1950

TEXT (380)

TOKYO,AUG.25-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 312 (AIR), TIMED AT 8:30 P.M. (5:30 A.M. E.S.T.) TODAY:

FIGHTER PLANES OF THE U.S. AIR FORCE ATTACKED AIR FIELDS AT WONSAN AND PYONGYANG TODAY, WITH SPEEDY F-80S JETS CARRYING OUT STRAFING MISSIONS ON THESE TARGETS.

WONSAN (THE BOGUN CHEMICAL PLANT) ALSO WAS ONE OF THREE TARGETS HIT BY B-29 SUPERFORTS FLYING IN MASS FORMATION.

CAPT.ROY V.MARCH, SAN DIEGO, CALIF., FLYING ONE OF THE F-80S, SAID HE FOUND NO AIRCRAFT ON THE WONSAN AIRSTRIP. "BUT WE STRAFED WAREHOUSES, WORKSHOPS, AND ADMINISTRATION BUILDINGS," HE SAID, "WITH ALL OF THEM DAMAGED OR LEFT BURNING."

AT PYONGYANG, CAPTAIN MARSH SAID HIS FLIGHT OF JETS HIT RAILROAD BOXCARS, OIL CARS, A WEATHER STATION AND A TELEGRAPH STATION.

"WE ALSO FOUND TWO AIRPLANES ON THE PYONGYANG AIR FIELD AND DAMAGED THEM," HE ADDED.

MORE THAN 70 U.S. AIR FORCE B-29 SUPERFORTS UNLEASHED APPROXIMATELY 600 TONS OF BOMBS ON TARGETS IN NORTH KOREA TODAY.

MOP-UP ATTACKS WERE CARRIED OUT AGAINST THE BOGUN CHEMICAL PLANT AT KONAN (HUNGNAM) AND THE WONSAN RAILROAD REPAIR FACILITIES. OTHER B-29S HIT RAILROAD COMMUNICATIONS WHICH CHANNEL SUPPLIES TO THE BATTLE AREA.

THE B-29 DROPS AT KONAN AND WONSAN WERE MADE BY RADAR AND RESULTS WERE UNOBSERVED. POST-STRIKE PHOTOS OF BOTH BOGUN AND WONSAN REVEALED THAT ISOLATED STRATEGIC MILITARY TARGETS REMAINED IN THE AREA. THEY WERE BOMBED TODAY.

BOMBS DESCENDED THROUGH AN OVERCAST, BUT SOME OF THE RETURNING CREWMEN CAUGHT GLIMPSES OF THE KONAN TARGET THROUGH RIFTS IN THE SKY. MAJ.WILLIAM M.SCHAMPF, PLAINFIELD, N.J., SAID HE CAUGHT A FLEETING GLIMPSE OF THE TARGET. "I SAW BOMB FLASHES IN THE TARGET AREA BUT DON'T KNOW HOW MUCH DAMAGE WAS DONE."

CAPT.JAMES R.DICKERT, SALINA, UTAH, WHO LED ONE OF THE FLIGHTS, SAID HE COULDN'T SEE THE KONAN TARGET AT ALL.

NO REPORTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE SUPERFORTS ATTACKING RAIL COMMUNICATIONS TARGETS.

ONE LOCOMOTIVE WAS DESTROYED AND TWO OTHERS DAMAGED TODAY BY B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS FLYING MISSIONS ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA. ONE LOCOMOTIVE WAS DEMOLISHED NEAR INCHON HARBOR. "WE MISSED ON THE FIRST PASS, BUT OUR BOMBS BLEW THE SIDE OUT OF THE ENGINEERS COMPARTMENT ON THE SECOND," SAID CAPT.JACK LEWIS, DENVER, COLO. "THE LOCOMOTIVE THEN EXPLODED," SAID 1ST LT.ROBERT C.COOMBS, RT. 2, SALEM, IND.

THE B-26S ALSO DAMAGED LOCOMOTIVES NEAR CHONAN. "WE STRAFED AND BOMBED TWO OF THEM EMERGING FROM TUNNELS," SAID CPL.JULIUS G.STIVERS, GUNNER FROM LANCASTER, O. "WE DID SOME DAMAGE," HE ADDED.

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TEXT (180)

TOKYO,SATURDAY,AUG.26-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.313, ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 12:15 A.M. (9:15 A.M. FRIDAY, EST):

ELEMENTS OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) GROUND FORCES IN THE NORTHWEST HAVE CONTINUED TO ELIMINATE AN ENEMY INFILTRATION NORTH OF TAEGU REPORTED YESTERDAY. AN ESTIMATED ENEMY GROUP OF 150 HAVE BEEN DRIVEN INTO THE CONFINES OF A WALLED CITY, APPROXIMATELY NINE MILES NORTH OF TAEGU.

NEAR HAJONG, ON THE WAEGWAN-KUNWI ROAD, AIR FORCE RECONNAISSANCE PLANES REPORT A LARGE CONCENTRATION OF ENEMY TROOPS, EQUIPMENT AND VEHICLES.

UNITED NATIONS POSITIONS IN THE NORTHWEST NAKTONG AREA WERE ATTACKED YESTERDAY BY ENEMY PATROLS OF UNKNOWN STRENGTH. THE ENEMY WAS DISPERSED BY COUNTER-PATROL ACTION AND DRIVEN BY OUR FORCES INTO FRIENDLY MINE FIELDS. EXTENT OF ENEMY CASUALTIES HAS NOT BEEN REPORTED.

AIR OBSERVATION REPORTED FOUR ENEMY MULE-HAULED ARTILLERY PIECES MOVING SOUTH NEAR THE JUNCTION OF THE NAKTONG AND NAM RIVERS.

EXCEPT FOR PATROL ACTION AND ARTILLERY FIRING ON TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY BY OUR FORCES, THE REMAINING SECTORS OF THE FRONT REMAIN QUIET.

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG.26-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.314, ON AERIAL OPERATIONS, ISSUED TODAY AT 8:30 A.M. (5:30 P.M. EST, FRIDAY)

F-80 JETS WERE THE FIRST U.S.AIR FORCE AIRPLANES IN THE AIR THIS MORNING. SEVERAL FLIGHTS TOOK OFF FROM A BASE IN SOUTHERN JAPAN AS EARLY AS 5 A.M. FOR TARGETS BEYOND THE BOMB LINE. SOME OF THE F-80S ALSO WERE ON ARMED RECONNAISSANCE.

WEATHER FOR TODAY IS GENERALLY GOOD IN THE TARGET AREA, WITH FEW CLOUDS AND NO THREAT OF RAIN.

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B-26 LIGHT INVADER BOMBERS RETURNED TO THEIR BASE THIS MORNING FROM NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS AGAINST COMMUNIST SUPPLY LINES. THE LAST OF THE B-26S LANDED AT 6:30 A.M.

THE NIGHT AND EARLY MORNING MISSIONS WERE PLANNED TO INTERDICT SUPPLIES DESTINED FOR TAECHON, KUMSAN, SUNCHON, CHONJU AND KUNSAN. ALL OF THOSE PLACES WERE HIT BY B-26S WHERE MOVING TRANSPORTATION COULD BE DETECTED.

CAPT. MONROE BOEISEMA OF TWIN LAKES, MICH., SAID HE SAW LIGHT ON THE ROAD NORTHEAST OF CHONJU AND DROPPED BOMBS ON WHAT APPEARED TO BE TRUCKS. "ONE LARGE FIRE WAS STARTED, AND TWO SMALL ONES," HE SAID.

CAPTAIN BOEISEMA'S FLIGHT ALSO HIT A CONVLY ONE MILE NORTH OF KONGJU AND "A LARGE EXPLOSION RESULTED," ACCORDING TO ONE OF THE CREWMEN.

LT.COL. LELAND A.WALKER, JR., OF 1282 EMERSON AVE., SALT LAKE CITY, WHO COMMANDS THE B-26 THIRD BOMB GROUP, LED A NIGHT INTRUDER MISSION AGAINST TANKS NEAR NONSAN, SOUTH OF TAEJON. "WE DIVE-BOMBED AND STRAFED THEM, BUT COULDN'T ESTIMATE THE DAMUGE BECAUSE OF THE DARKNESS," HE SAID.

LATE REPORTS ON DAYLIGHT MISSIONS FLOWN BY B-26S YESTERDAY CREDIT 1ST LT.FRANK E.HAGAN OF 4630 TULANE DR., BATON ROUGE, LA., WITH DESTROYING ONE SPAN ON A RAILROAD BRIDGE NEAR TOKSO EAST OF SEOUL.

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TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 315 (AIR SUMMARY), ISSUED AT 1:45 P.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (10:45 P.M., EST, FRIDAY) AND COVERING THE PERIOD FROM MIDNIGHT THURSDAY TO MIDNIGHT FRIDAY:

U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES STAGED HEAVY STRIKES AGAINST NORTH KOREAN TARGETS AUG. 25, DROPPING MORE THAN 600 TONS OF BOMBS BY RADAR ON FOUR MAJOR OBJECTIVES WITH GENERALLY EXCELLENT RESULTS.

HEAVIEST BLOWS WERE STRUCK ON AN OUTLYING SECTION OF THE BOGUN CHEMICAL PLANT AT HUNGNAM. THE LOCOMOTIVE REPAIR SHOPS AT WONSAN AND A SUBSIDIARY MARSHALLING YARD FIVE MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL WERE ATTACKED VISUALLY BY B-29S, RESULTING IN INTENSE FIRES IN THE TARGET AREAS.

MANY DIRECT HITS WERE MADE ON A DOUBLE RAILROAD BRIDGE 25 MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL ON THE SEOUL - PYONGYANG MAIN RAIL LINE. THE CENTRAL SPANS OF BOTH BRIDGES ACROSS THE IMJIN RIVER RECEIVED SEEVERE DDAAMAGE.

NEARLY 600 INDIVIDUAL FLIGHTS WERE MADE BY ALL TYPES OF UNITED STATES AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE AIRCRAFT IN SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS WAR EFFORT IN KOREA, A NEW RECORD.

MORE THAN 270 SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY FIGHTERS, APPROXIMATELY HALF IN DIRECT SUPPORT AND THE REMAINDER FIGHTER SWEEPS ALONG LINES OF COMMUNICATION BEHIND NORTH KOREAN LINES.

COORDINATED ACTION BY TWO ARMED RECONNAISSANCE FIGHTER SWEEPS 15 MILES EAST OF PYONGYANG DESTROYED OR SERIOUSLY DAMAGED TWO LOCOMOTIVES, 12 TANKS AND 13 RAILROAD CARS IN A SINGLE ENGAGEMENT.

THE FIGHTERS SIGHTED A LOCOMOTIVE AND ONE CAR ABOUT TO ENTER A TUNNEL. THE ONLY AMMUNITION THEY HAD LEFT WAS A NAPALM BOMB WWHICH WAS DROPPED AT THE TUNNEL ENTRANCE, PREVENTING THE LOCOMOTIVE FROM TAKING SHELTER UNTIL ANOTHER FLIGHT, SUMMONED BY RADIO THROUGH THE AIR FORCE CENTRAL CONTROL SYSTEM, COULD ARRIVE.

THE SECOND MISSION ARRIVED TO FIND ANOTHER TRAIN HAULING 12 TANKS BLOCKED OFF AT THE STILL-BURNING TUNNEL ENTRANCE. THE FIGHTERS ATTACKED WITH BOMBS, ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUNS. WHEN THE SMOKE CLEARED AWAY, MOST OF THE TANKS AND OTHER MATERIEL HAD BEEN WRECKED.

ADVANCING GROUND FORCES IN THE NORTHERN SECTORS REPORTED FINDING AN ESTIMATED 600 NORTH KOREAN TROOPS KILLED IN AIR ATTACKS. IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, GROUND OBSERVERS SAID, THREE TANKS DUG IN WITH ONLY THEIR TURRETS SHOWING WERE DESTROYED IN FIGHTER STRIKES.

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EVALUATED CLAIMS FOR NORTH KOREAN MATERIEL AND INSTALLATIONS DAMAGED INCLUDED 26 TANKS, 49 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, 64 BUILDINGS USED AS TROOP OR SUPPLY SHELTERS, THREE LARGE WAREHOUSES, 12 ARTILLERY POSITIONS, 20 LOCOMTOIVES AND 32 RAILROAD CARS.

AN ELECTRIC POWER PLANT WAS DAMAGED AT PYONGYANG AND SEVERAL VILLAGES HOUSING NORTH KOREAN TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE ATTACKED IN FRONT LINE AREAS.

RAAF MUSTANGS ON CLOSE SUPPORT MISSIONS DAMAGED TWO TANKS IN THE WAEGWAN AREA AND TRUCKS AT KOCHANG AND HAJANG. ONE SPAN WAS KNOCKED OUT ON A BRIDGE NEAR KOCHANG.

U.S. MARINE 4FU FIGHTERS FLEW BOTH DAY AND NIGHT ATTACKS ON TROOP CONVOYS AND OTHER TARGETS ALONG THE ROUTES LEADING TO THE FRONT. PILOTS REPORTED DAMAGE TO A BRIDGE AT KUMCHON AND STRIKES AT TROOPS, ARTILLERY AND VEHICLES IN SEVERAL AREAS.

NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS BY FIFTH AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHTBOMBERS HIT MILITARY TARGETS IN OVER 16 AREAS. VEHICLES, BUILDINGS. TROOP MOVEMENTS AND A PONTOON BRIDGE AT SEOUL WERE BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK BUT THE EXTENT OF THE DAMAGE WAS NOT KNOWN.

CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED MORE THAN 292 TONS OF HIGH PRIORITY MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT AND 70 PASSENGERS TO KOREA. NO NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION MADE AN APPEARANCE AND ALL AMERICAN AND AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

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LONDON, AUG.25-(AP)-A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED BY THE KOREAN COMMUNIST ARMY FOLLOWS:

IN THE MORNING OF AUG.25 UNITS OF THE PEOPLES ARMY, ENCOUNTERING THE RESISTANCE OF AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, CONTINUED THEIR OFFENSIVE ON ALL FRONTS.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY OPERATING IN THE AREA OF THE EAST COAST, HAVING REPELLED SEVERAL ENEMY COUNTERATTACKS, CONTINUED THEIR OFFENSIVE BATTLE.

THE AMERICAN AIR FORCE IS BRUTALLY BOMBING PEACEFUL TOWNS AND VILLAGES OF THE NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN PARTS OF THE COUNTRY, AND IS CONTINUING THE STRAFING OF CIVILIANS.

ON AUG.21 ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLES ARMY SHOT DOWN TWO AMERICAN FIGHTERS IN THE DISTRICT OF CHINNAMPO AND ON AUG.23 TWO PLANES IN THE DISTRICT OF CHUNGJON.

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LONDON, AUG.25-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN EVENING COMMUNIQUE, AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:

ON ALL FRONTS, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE STUBBORN BATTLES. AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE PUPPET TROOPS, HAVING MOBILIZED ALL THEIR FORCES, WENT OVER TO A COUNTEROFFENSIVE.

HOWEVER, AS A RESULT OF DEVASTATING BLOWS OF UNITS OF TH PEOPLE'S ARMY, THE ENEMY COUNTEROFFENSIVE WAS SMASHED.

THE MORALE CONDITION OF AMERICAN TROOPS AT THE FRONT IS WORSENING FROM DAY TO DAY.

IN THE AREA OF WAEGWAN, A SECTION COMMANDER OF THE FIFTH INFANTRY REGIMENT OF THE AMERICAN FIRST MOTORIZED DIVISION, TOGETHER WITH HIS SECTION OF 13 MEN, DESERTED AND SURRENDERED WITH ALL THEIR EQUIPMENT AND AMMUNITION TO UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY.

ON AUG.24 ANTIAIRCRAFT UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY IN THE AREA OF PYONGYANG BROUGHT DOWN TWO B-29 BOMBERS.

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LONDON, AUG.25-(AP)-THE MOSCOW RADIO REPORTED TODAY THAT RUSSIAN BAPTIST LEADERS, IN A PROTEST TO THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL OVER AMERICAN ACTION IN KOREA, HAD LABELLED PRESIDENT TRUMAN A "PSEUDO-CHRISTIAN."

THE BAPTISTS CALLED FOR SUPPORT OF RUSSIA'S AUG. 4 PROPOSAL TO THE COUNCIL THAT FOREIGN TROOPS BE RECALLED FROM KOREA. TWO SIMILAR APPEALS, ALSO HEARD OVER MOSCOW RADIO, WERE MADE BY THE ALBANIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE HEAD OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH.

THE BAPTISTS' MESSAGE, SIGNED BY THE CHAIRMAN AND GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE ALL UNION COUNCIL OF EVANGELICAL CHRISTIAN BAPTISTS OF THE U.S.S.R., DECLARED:

"OUR INDIGNATION AT AMERICAN HOSTILITIES AGAINST THE KOREAN PEOPLE IS INCREASED BY THE REALIZATION THAT THESE ACTIONS ARE BEING COMMITTED ON ORDERS OF A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCH.

"THE HECATOMBS (CQ) OF HUMAN LIVES DESTROYED BY AMERICAN ARMS WILL BE ON THE CONSCIENCE OF THIS PSEUDO-CHRISTIAN."

THE MESSAGE ALSO COMPLAINED OF "THE INHUMAN BOMBING OF THE PEACEFUL POPULATION OF KOREA."

THE ALBANIAN TELEGRAPH AGENCY WAS QUOTED AS SAYING THAT ALBANIA HAD DEMANDED IN A TELEGRAM TO U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE "THE ENDING OF BARBAROUS AGGRESSION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IN KOREA."

THE ARMENIAN CHURCH PROTEST DEMANDED "THAT MEASURES BE TAKEN IMMEDIATELY TO STOP THE WAR IN KOREA AND SETTLE PEACEFULLY THE KOREAN CONFLICT."

"WE DEMAND THAT PUBLIC OPINION BE RESPECTED AND THAT AMERICAN TROOPS WHO UNDER THE FLAG OF THE UNITED NATIONS ARE SERVING A POLICY OF WORLD DOMINATION OF THE UNITED STATES BE WITHDRAWN FROM KOREA IMMEDIATELY."

THE MESSAGE WAS SIGNED BY GEORG VI, SUPREME PATRIARCH OF ALL THE ARMENIANS AND THE SUPREME ECCLESTICAL COUNCIL.

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LONDON, AUG 25-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE DECLARED TODAY IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT THE PEOPLE BE KEPT WELL INFORMED ABOUT THE KOREAN WAR.

IN A MESSAGE TO A RALLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATION NEAR LIVERPOOL, ATTLEE DECLARED:

"THE SPATE OF MISREPRESENTATION AND FALSEHOOD WHICH HAS BEEN PUT OUT BY THOSE WHO HAVE NO DESIRE TO SEE AGGRESSION HALTED AND WHO WISH, THEREFORE, TO CONFUSE AND MISLEAD PUBLIC OPINION MAKES IT MORE THAN EVER NECESSARY THAT THE TRUE FACTS OF THE (KOREAN) SITUATION SHOULD BE PLACED SQUARELY BEFORE THE PUBLIC. I AM GLAD TO SEE THE UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATION IS DOING SUCH VALUABLE WORK WITH THIS END IN VIEW."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, FRIDAY, AUG. 25)

(ADVANCE)..LONDON, AUG. 25-(AP)-BRITAIN DISPATCHED AN ADVANCE UNIT OF 10 OFFICERS TONIGHT TO KOREA TO ARRANGE FOR THE ARRIVAL OF BRITISH TROOPS.

THE WAR OFFICE ANNOUNCED THAT THE GROUP, HEADED BY COL.BRIAN ARTHUR BURKE, A HERO OF WORLD WAR TWO, LEFT LONDON AIRPORT BY BOAC FOR MONTREAL AND NEW YORK EN ROUTE TO THE BATTLEFRONT.

THE PARTY WILL CARRY OUT RECONNAISSANCE AND MAKE THE PRELIMINARY ARRANGEMENTS AS WELL AS MAKE FIRST HAND OBSERVATIONS OF FIGHTING CONDITIONS.

THE WAR OFFICE DECLINED FOR SECURITY REASONS TO GIVE ANY FURTHER DETAILS OF THE MISSION'S BACKGROUND OR MAKEUP. BRITAIN'S FIRST CONTINGENT OF TROOPS FOR KOREA LEFT HONG KONG TODAY. THE WAR OFFICE ANNOUNCEMENT DID NOT INDICATE WHETHER THE BURKE MISSION WAS CONNECTED WITH THIS MOVEMENT OR WITH THE EXPECTED DISPATCH OF OTHER BRITISH TROOPS TO KOREA.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6:30 P.M. EST, TODAY, FRIDAY, AUG. 25).

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG 25-(AP)-THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT DECIDED TODAY TO SEND A BATTALION OF ABOUT 1,000 VOLUNTEER TROOPS TO AID UNITED NATIONS FORCES FIGHTING IN SOUTH KOREA.

OTHER COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE DECIDED TO SEND TROOPS TO KOREA INCLUDE BRITAIN, FRANCE, AUSTRALIA, THE PHILIPPINES, TURKEY, CANADA, NEW ZEALAND, THE NETHERLANDS, AND THAILAND. BRITISH UNITS ARE NOW EN ROUTE TO THE FIGHTING ZONE.

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CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, AUG.25-(AP)-A HIGH GOVERNMENT SOURCE SAID TODAY THAT AUSTRALIA'S KOREA-DESTINED TROOP CONTINGENT WAS FULLY RECRUITED DESPITE REJECTION OF 40 PER CENT OF THE APPLICANTS FOR POOR HEALTH OR INSUFFICIENT WAR EXPERIENCE.

AUSTRALIA PLANS TO SEND A FORCE OF WAR VETERANS ONLY TO KOREA. THE NUCLEUS OF THE FORCE IS TO BE DRAWN FROM OCCUPATION TROOPS ON DUTY IN JAPAN.

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PEARL HARBOR, AUG. 25-(AP)-ADM. ARTHUR W. RADFORD, COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF U. S. NAVAL FORCES IN THE PACIFIC, SAID TODAY THAT "THE LOW POINT HAS BEEN PASSED" IN KOREA.

NAVY AND MARINE FORCES THERE WILL BE INCREASED STEADILY IN A BALANCED BUILD-UP, HE TOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE.

ADM. RADFORD RETURNED LAST NIGHT FROM A WEEK'S VISIT TO JAPAN AND KOREA. HE SPENT ONE DAY IN TAEGU AND PUSAN AND CONFERRED WITH GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR IN TOKYO.

RADFORD SAID THE PURPOSE OF HIS TRIP WAS TO DISCUSS THE TIMING OF ADDITIONAL REINFORCEMENTS, "AND TO MAKE SURE OUR EFFORTS HERE (IN PEARL HARBOR) FITTED INTO PLANS THERE."

HE TOLD A PRESS CONFERENCE THAT "THE LOW POINT HAS BEEN PASSED IN KOREA."

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"THE GENERAL ATTITUDE IN KOREA IS ONE OF RESTRAINED OPTIMISM," HE SAID.

HE DENIED COMMUNIST CLAIMS THAT THE REDS HAVE SUNK AN AMERICAN DESTROYER.

"WE HAVE LOST NO DESTROYERS---OR ANY OTHER SHIPS," HE SAID. "WE ARE IN COMPLETE CONTROL OF THE SEA." BUT HE ADDED "WE COULD USE MORE SHIPS NOW."

HE SAID THAT IN THE TWO MONTHS OF THE KOREAN WAR THE NAVY HAD LOST NINE PLANES IN COMBAT.

THE ADMIRAL SAID ANY PREDICTIONS AT THIS TIME ON HOW LONG THE WAR WOULD LAST WERE PREMATURE.

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(650) NIGHT LEAD CHINESE REDS

BY C.YATES MCDANIEL

WASHINGTON,AUG 25-(AP)-TWO CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMIES HAVE BEEN MASSED ALONG THE KOREAN BORDER AND 120 MAMMOTH TANKS HAVE BEEN SENT TO THE

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RED KOREANS FROM THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PORT OF DAIREN, THE U.S. ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE OFFICIAL WORD OF THE LONG-REPORTED MOVEMENT OF THE CHINESE RED TROOPS CAUSED NEW SPECULATION AS TO WHETHER THEY MAY EVENTUALLY PLUNGE INTO THE FAR EASTERN WAR.

THE MOVEMENT OF THE HEAVY TANKS RAISED NEW THREATS FOR THE U.N. FORCES IN KOREA--IF THE TANKS CAN BE BROUGHT INTO ACTION, WHICH SOME U.S. EXPERTS STRONGLY DOUBT.

A DEFENSE SPOKESMAN PINNED BOTH REPORTS ON OFFICIAL U.S. SOURCES. THEY WERE MADE PUBLIC A FEW HOURS AFTER ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF J.LAWTON COLLINS RETURNED FROM CONFERENCES IN TOKYO WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR. ARMY GENERAL STAFF OFFICES EVIDENCED AN UNUSUAL FLURRY OF ACTIVITY AFTER COLLINS RETURNED.

THE BUILDUP OF CHINESE FORCES ALONG THE NORTH KOREAN BORDER WAS GIVEN ADDITIONAL EMPHASIS BY OTHER REPORTS RECEIVED THROUGH OFFICIAL U.S. CHANNELS THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNIST PARTY HAS COMMANDEERED ALL SHIPPING AND IS MOBILIZING CHINESE LABORERS TO MOVE WAR SUPPLIES ACROSS THE BORDER INTO KOREA.

THIS REPORTS PLACED THE MAIN CONCENTRATION OF CHINESE RED MANPOWER AND COMMUNIST WAR EQUIPMENT AROUND ANTUNG, BIG INDUSTRIAL CENTER AND TRANSPORTATION HUB NEAR THE MOUTH OF YALU RIVER. THIS RIVER NOT ONLY FORMS THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN MANCHURIA AND KOREA FOR SEVERAL HUNDRED MILES BUT ALSO SUPPLIES A USABLE ARTERY FOR THE MOVEMENT OF EQUIPMENT FROM NORTHERN MANCHURIA.

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UNTIL TODAY, DEFENSE SPOKESMEN HAVE EITHER DENIED OR DECLINED TO COMMENT ON PRESS REPORTS THAT CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMIES WERE MOVING EASTWARD ACROSS MANCHURIA TO KOREA.

TODAY'S OFFICIAL REPORTS SAID THAT THE HEAVY TANKS WERE SENT ACROSS MANCHURIA FROM DAIREN, RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PORT AT THE SOUTHERN TIP OF THE MANCHURIAN PENINSULA. DAIREN HAS DIRECT RAIL CONNECTIONS TO THE NORTH WITH THE RUSSIAN TRANS-SIBERIAN RAILROAD. IT IS ALSO ON A DIRECT RAIL AND HIGHWAY LINE TO ANTUNG AND NORTHERN KOREA.

MILITARY OFFICIALS POINTED OUT THAT SHIPMENT OF RUSSIAN SUPPLIES BY DAIREN WOULD BE THE NORMAL ROUTE. ALLIED NAVAL UNITS HAVE BEEN MAINTAINING A NIGHT AND DAY BLOCKADE OF BOTH THE EAST AND WEST COASTS OF KOREA. THERE HAS BEEN NO INTERFERENCE, HOWEVER, WITH ANY SHIPPING GOING INTO DAIREN.

UNDER THE CHINESE-RUSSIAN TREATY CONCLUDED AFTER WORLD WAR II CHINA AND RUSSIA WERE TO SHARE EQUALLY IN CONTROL AND TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES OF DAIREN, WHICH ARE UNSURPASSED IN ASIA. EVEN BEFORE THE COLLAPSE OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT ON THE MAINLAND, HOWEVER, RUSSIA HAD ASSUMED VIRTUALLY COMPLETE CONTROL OF DAIREN AND THE TRUNK RAIL ROAD LEADING NORTHWARD.

MOSCOW AND THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME AT PEKING RECENTLY CONCLUDED ANOTHER AGREEMENT TO GIVE CHINA A GREATER SHARE IN THE USE AND CONTROL OF DAIREN. OFFICIAL UNITED STATES REPORTS INDICATE, HOWEVER, THAT THE SOVIET DOMINATION HAS NOT SLACKENED.

AFTER THE REPORTS ABOUT CHINESE CONCENTRATIONS AND THE MOVEMENT OF TANKS ALONG THE MANCHURIAN BORDER HAD BEEN REVEALED AT A PENTAGON NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY, OTHER MILITARY OFFICIALS SAID THAT THE PRESENCE OF HEAVY RUSSIAN TANKS IN NORTH KOREA HAS BEEN KNOWN FOR SOME DAYS. THEY EMPHASIZED THAT NONE OF THESE TANKS, BELIEVED TO BE THE JOSEPH STALIN III TYPE, HAD BEEN ABLE TO GET INTO ACTION.

THE CONTINUOUS AMERICAN BOMBING OF RAILROADS, ROADS AND BRIDGES IN NORTH KOREA WAS CREDITED WITH STOPPING THEIR MOVEMENT.

SOME OFFICIALS BELIEVE HERE TODAY THAT THE CONSTANT BATTERING BEING GIVEN NORTH KOREAN COMMUNICATIONS WAS ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR DETERRING THE CHINESE RED ARMIES FROM MOVING DOWN TO THE AID OF THEIR KOREAN COMRADES.

OTHER OFFICIALS POSED THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS HAVE BEEN MOVED TO THE KOREAN BORDER AS A PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE IN THE EVENT THAT THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES DECIDE TO DRIVE PAST THE 38TH PARALLEL TOWARD MANCHURIA.

THIS POSSIBILITY WAS BACKED UP BY REPORTS THAT THE CHINESE REDS HAVE ERECTED FORMIDABLE DEFENSES ALONG THE YALU RIVER.

MILITARY OFFICIALS SAID THAT THE HEAVEY RUSSIAN TANKS, IF THEY CAN BE MOVED INTO ACTION, WOULD GIVE AMERICAN GUNS, TANKS AND PLANES SOMETHING TO WORK ON. THE JOSEPH STALIN III TANK WEIGHS BETWEEN 50 AND 70 TONS. IT MOUNTS A HIGH VELOCITY GUN OF 122 MM. SOME STALINS ARE KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN EQUIPPED WITH HEAVIER GUNS.

THE LARGEST AMERICAN TANKS IN KOREA, OF THE PERSHING-PATTON VARIETY, WEIGH 47 1/2 TONS AND HAVE ONE 90 MM GUN AS THEIR MAIN ARMAMENT.

THE EXACT SIZE OF A CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY IS NOT KNOWN, BUT MILITARY OFFICERS ESTIMATED TODAY THAT TWO ARMIES WOULD PROBABLY NUMBER BETWEEN 160,000 AND 200,000 MEN.

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FORMOSA (280)

WASHINGTON, AUG. 25-(AP)-AMBASSADOR WELLINGTON KOO REPORTED TODAY THAT CHINESE NATIONALIST INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATE THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS STILL HAVE A LOT OF PREPARATIONS TO COMPLETE BEFORE THEY COULD ATTACK FORMOSA.

KOO, RECENTLY RETURNED FROM THE NATIONALIST STRONGHOLD, SAID THAT ACCORDING TO THE MILITARY LEADERS THERE IF THE INVASION DOES NOT COME IN THREE WEEKS--AND THE CHANCES ARE IT WILL NOT--THEN BAD WEATHER IN THE AREA WILL MAKE IT VIRTUALLY IMPOSSIBLE UNTIL EARLY NEXT YEAR.

THE ENVOY TOLD REPORTERS:

1. GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK AND THE PEOPLE OF FORMOSA ARE CONFIDENT THE ISLAND CAN BE HELD WITH THE AID OF THE AMERICAN SEVENTH FLEET. CHIANG, KOO MADE CLEAR, DOES NOT NEED AMERICAN GROUND FORCES.

2. GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S RECENT VISIT TO CHIANG WAS "WORTH TEN DIVISIONS" IN TERMS OF BOOSTED MORALE.

3. IF ANY POWER PROPOSES THAT THE ISLAND BE PLACED UNDER A UNITED NATIONS TRUSTEESHIP "NEITHER THE GOVERNMENT NOR THE PEOPLE OF FORMOSA WOULD AT ALL VIEW IT FAVORABLY."

4. THE CHINESE COMMUNIST APPEAL TO THE U.N. YESTERDAY TO FORCE THE U.S. TO "WITHDRAW" ITS MILITARY FORCES IS A "TRICK OF PROPAGANDA." KOO ADDED EVERYBODY KNOWS THIS COUNTRY HAS NO FORCES ON FORMOSA.

5. THE NATIONALIST REGIME HAS PUT THROUGH MANY ECONOMIC, POLITICAL AND OTHER REFORMS, THE FORMOSAN PEOPLE HAVE EQUAL OPPORTUNITY NOW TO PARTICIPATE IN THE GOVERNMENT, AND THE NATIONALIST FINANCIAL POSITION IS MUCH IMPROVED ALTHOUGH STILL ON A DEFICIT BASIS. #

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NIGHT LEAD UN POLICE

WASHINGTON, AUG. 25-(AP)-THIRTY-ONE CONGRESSMEMBERS JOINED IN A RESOLUTION TODAY URGING THE CREATION OF A LAND-SEA-AIR POLICE FORCE UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS TO COMBAT AGGRESSION.

FIFTEEN REPUBLICANS AND 16 DEMOCRATS OF BOTH HOUSES SPONSORED THE MOVE.

SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA), A CO-SPONSOR, TOLD NEWSMEN:

"THERE ARE

THE MOVE.
SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA), A CO-SPONSOR, TOLD NEWSMEN:
"THERE ARE HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF VOLUNTEERS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD WHO WANT TO JOIN IN THE FIGHT AGAINST THE COMMUNIST AGGRESSORS IN KOREA AND ELSEWHERE. THIS WOULD PERMIT THEM TO HELP."
SPARKMAN WAS NAMED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN YESTERDAY AS A DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY MEETING NEXT MONTH.
THE ALABAMA SENATOR SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO GET AROUND A SOVIET VETO OF THE PROPOSAL, BUT SAID "WE MUST TRY."
THE PROPOSED FORCE, MADE UP OF VOLUNTEERS FROM SMALL NATIONS, WOULD BE DIRECTED BY A NINE-MEMBER "AUTHORITY"--THREE FROM THE UNITED STATES, THREE FROM BRITAIN AND FRANCE, AND THREE ELECTED BY THE SMALLER UN COUNTRIES.
SPONSORS OF THE RESOLUTION SAID THAT UNDER THE PLAN THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL--WHERE RUSSIA OFTEN EXERCISES THE VETO POWER--WOULD BE ABLE TO BLOCK DECISIONS OF THE POLICE "AUTHORITY" ONLY BY AFFIRMATIVE ACTION.
THE BIG STUMBLING BLOCK WOULD BE TO GET PAST RUSSIA IN THE FIRST PLACE IN SETTING UP THE POLICE FORCE.
ONCE SET UP, THE FORCE WOULD AUTOMATICALLY BE AUTHORIZED TO TAKE CERTAIN ACTIONS TO PUT DOWN AGGRESSION AND IT WOULD TAKE AN ORDER OF THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL TO CALL THEM OFF. THE UNITED STATES WOULD THEN BE IN A POSITION TO VETO ANY SOVIET MOVE TO CALL OFF THE POLICE ACTION.
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CHINESE COMMUNIST
WASHINGTON, AUG.25-(AP)-AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY TWO CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMIES HAVE BEEN MOVED NEAR THE MANCHURIA-KOREAN BORDER.
HE ALSO SAID REPORTS HAD BEEN RECEIVED FROM OFFICIAL SOURCES ON THE MOVEMENT OF 120 HEAVY TANKS INTO NORTH KOREA FROM THE MANCHURIAN PORT OF DAIREN DURING THE LAST TWO WEEKS OF JULY.
THESE REPORTS ALSO SAID THAT CHINESE COMMUNISTS AT ANTUNG, YALU RIVER PORT ON THE MANCHURIA-KOREAN BORDER, HAD COMMANDEERED ALL SHIPPING AND WERE MOBILIZING CHINESE TO MOVE WAR SUPPLIES INTO NORTH KOREA.
DAIREN HAS BEEN UNDER RUSSIAN CONTROL SINCE THE CLOSE OF WORLD WAR II, UNDER TERMS OF THE 1945 MOSCOW TREATY WITH CHINA.
THE ARMY SPOKESMAN TOLD NEWSMEN THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN MANCHURIA HAVE PREPARED DEFENSES ALONG THE YALU, WHICH FORMS THE BORDER BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES FOR MANY MILES NORTHEAST OF ANTUNG ON THE YELLOW SEA.
HE SAID THAT OTHER REPORTS RECEIVED THROUGH OFFICIAL SOURCES DESCRIBED THE MOVEMENT OF THE REMAINING NORTH KOREAN INDUSTRY INTO MANCHURIA.
HE WAS UNABLE TO GIVE THE SIZE OR EXACT LOCATION OF THE TWO CHINESE ARMIES REPORTED ON THE KOREAN BORDER. CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMIES, CORPS AND DIVISIONS, HE SAID, VARY GREATLY IN SIZE AND COMPOSITION.
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NIGHT LEAD RUBBER (320)
WASHINGTON, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT TODAY CUT THE USE OF NEW RUBBER FOR CIVILIAN PRODUCTS, STARTING SEPT. 1. THIS WAS THE FIRST PRODUCTION CURB GROWING OUT OF THE KOREAN WAR.
COMMERCE SECRETARY SAWYER, WHO ORDERED THE CUT, SAID IT IS "NOT DRASTIC AND WILL STILL PERMIT THE PRODUCTION OF SUFFICIENT QUANTITIES OF RUBBER PRODUCTS FOR NORMAL CIVILIAN USE."
COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THE ACTION WILL PROBABLY REDUCE THE OUTPUT OF TIRES--"BUT NOT TO THE EXTENT THAT SHOULD INCONVENIENCE CIVILIANS IN THEIR NORMAL REQUIREMENTS."
THEY SAID RECENT TIRE PRODUCTION HAS BEEN MORE THAN THE COUNTRY REALLY NEEDED.
THE CUT APPLIES TO THE LAST FOUR MONTHS OF THE YEAR AND IS CALCULATED BY A COMPLICATED FORMULA.
EACH MANUFACTURER, DURING THOSE FOUR MONTHS, MAY USE NO M ORE THAN FOUR-TWELFTHS OF THE AMOUNT OF NEW RUBBER HE USED DURING THE 12 MONTHS FROM JULY 1, 1949, THROUGH JUNE 30, 1950. ALSO, HE MAY NOT CONSUME IN ANY ONE OF THE FOUR MONTHS MORE THAN 28 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL HE IS PERMITTED FOR THE FOUR-MONTH PERIOD.
THE DEPARTMENT SAID THAT ON A NATIONAL BASIS THIS WILL REDUCE NEW RUBBER CONSUMPTION TO ABOUT 90,000 TONS A MONTH. NEW RUBBER CONSUMPTION IN JUNE WAS AT THE RECORD LEVEL OF 111,941. NO FIGURES HAVE BEEN ANNOUNCED FOR JULY AND AUGUST. SHOULD THE AUGUST RATE EQUAL THAT OF JUNE, TODAY'S ORDER WOULD MEAN A NATIONAL CUT OF ABOUT 19 PER CENT FROM SUMMER TO FALL.
NEW RUBBER USED IN FILLING MILITARY ORDERS WILL NOT BE COUNTED AGAINST THE MANUFACTURER.
DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS TOLD REPORTERS THAT ALTHOUGH THE CUT APPLIES TO BOTH NATURAL AND SYNTHETIC RUBBER, THE MAIN EFFECT OF IT WILL BE THAT MORE NATURAL RUBBER WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR MILITARY STOCKPILING AND DEFENSE PRODUCTION.
THE ORDER WAS BASED ON THE RUBBER ACT OF 1948, WHICH CONGRESS RECENTLY EXTENDED TWO MORE YEARS. THE ACTGIVES THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT WIDE POWERS TO CONTROL RUBBER PRODUCTION. THUS THE DEPARTMENT DID NOT HAVE TO WAIT FOR THE ECONOMIC CONTROL BILL, STILL PENDING IN CONGRESS, UNDER WHICH THE GOVERNMENT WILL GET AUTHORITY OF VARIOUS KINDS OVER MATERIALS AND PRODUCTION.
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WASHINGTON, AUG.25-(AP)-THE CHIEFS OF THE ARMY AND NAVY RETURNED TODAY FROM A QUICK VISIT TO THE KOREAN WAR FRONT AND SAID THEY "SENSED A GENERAL OFFENSIVE SPIRIT AND AIR OF OPTIMISM" BY ALL THE AMERICAN FIGHTING MEN.
GENERAL J. LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, AND ADMIRAL FORREST P. SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, ARRIVED BACK IN WASHINGTON WHERE THEY LEFT ONLY LAST SATURDAY MORNING.
IN THE FAR EAST, THEY CONFERRED WITH GEN. MACARTHUR AND VISITED THE WAR FRONT AND THE SHIPS OF THE NAVY IN THE BATTLE ZONE.

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SHERMAN TOLD REPORTERS THAT THE SPIRIT OF OFFENSIVE AND OPTIMISM WAS PRESENT "IN THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE--ALL OF THEM."
COLLINS SAID THAT "EVERYTHING IS GOING ALONG VERY SATISFACTORILY BUT THEY HAVE STILL GOT SOME PRETTY TOUGH FIGHTING AHEAD."
ASKED IF HE HAD BROUGHT BACK ANY SPECIAL REPORT FROM MACARTHUR, COLLINS SAID NO.
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PHILADELPHIA, AUG 25-(AP)-THE FIRST SHIPMENT OF WHOLE BLOOD FOR AMERICAN ARMED FORCES FIGHTING IN KOREA LEFT PHILADELPHIA VIA PLANE TODAY.
THE BLOOD WAS COLLECTED BY THE RED CROSS THROUGH ITS PHILADELPHIA REGIONAL BLOOD PROGRAM. IT WAS PLACED ON A UNITED AIR LINES

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PLANE AT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT HERE ON A NON-STOP FLIGHT TO SAN FRANCISCO WHERE IT WILL BE LOADED ON AN ARMY PLANE FOR THE FAR EAST.
THE PHILADELPHIA BLOOD CENTER IS THE FIRST OF 34 RED CROSS BLOOD CENTERS IN THE NATION TO SUPPLY BLOOD FOR FIGHTING FORCES IN KOREA.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 8 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, FRIDAY, AUG. 25)
(ADVANCE), (WX) BOSTON, AUG. 25-(AP)-SECRETARY OF THE NAVY MATTHEWS SAID TONIGHT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD PROCLAIM ITS WILLINGNESS TO START A WAR, IF NECESSARY, "TO COMPEL COOPERATION FOR PEACE."
DECLARING THIS COUNTRY HAS NEVER DRAWN THE SWORD UNLESS FIRST ATTACKED, ASSERTED:
"IT IS POSSIBLE THAT WE SHALL BE FORCED TO ALTER THAT PACIFIC POLICY."
THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL SAID IN A PREPARED ADDRESS THAT SELF-PRESERVATION IN THE PRESENT WORLD CAN BE PURCHASED ONLY BY THOSE CAPABLE OF RESISTING SUCCESSFULLY A VIOLATION OF THEIR RIGHTS.
"WE HAVE NO CHOICE OTHER THAN TO BUILD OUR MILITARY POWER TO THE STRENGTH WHICH WILL MAKE IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR ANY ENEMY TO OVERCOME US," HE CONTINUED. "TO REACH THAT POSITION ALL THE RESOURCES OF THE NATION SHOULD BE DEDICATED."
MATTHEWS SAID THE NATION SHOULD FIRST GET READY TO WARD OFF ANY POSSIBLE ATTACK AND SHOULD BOLDLY PROCLAIM "OUR UNDENIABLE OBJECTIVE TO BE A WORLD AT PEACE."
HE CONTINUED:
"TO HAVE PEACE WE SHOULD BE WILLING, AND DECLARE AN INTENTION TO PAY, ANY PRICE, EVEN THE PRICE OF INSTITUTING A WAR TO COMPEL COOPERATION FOR PEACE.
"ONLY THE FORCES WHO DO NOT WANT PEACE WOULD OPPOSE OUR EFFORTS TO TRANSFORM THE HOSTILE NATIONS EMBROILED IN THE PRESENT INTERNATIONAL CONFLICTS INTO A TRANQUIL WORLD. WE COULD ACCEPT THAT SLANDER WITH COMPLACENCY, FOR IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A STRONG, AFFIRMATIVE, PEACE-SEEKING POLICY, THOUGH IT CAST US IN A CHARACTER NEW TO A TRUE DEMOCRACY--AN INITIATOR OF A WAR OF AGGRESSION-I WOULD WIN FOR US A PROUD AND POPULAR TITLE--WE WOULD BECOME THE FIRST AGGRESSORS FOR PEACE.
"IT IS A ROLE WHICH, IN MY OPINION, WE CANNOT ESCAPE.
IT IS A CAUUSE TO WHICH WE SHALL BE COMPELLED TO DEDICATE OUR TOTAL AND ULTIMATE RESOURCES. FROM NO OTHER COURSE CANTHERE BE EFFECTED THE SALVATION OF THE FREE WORLD."
MATTHEWS ADDRESSED A CELEBRATION OF THE 150TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BOSTON NAVAL SHIPYARD.
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GREAT LAKES, ILL., AUG 25-(AP)-A DETROIT SOLDIER WHO WAS WOUNDED IN KOREA SAID TODAY HE WAS SHOT BY A COMMUNIST SNIPER WITH A RUSSIAN-MADE RIFLE, AMERICAN GI FATIGUE CLOTHES, AND A POOR AIM.
"THEY CAN'T SHOOT SO GOOD," SAID PFC. SALVATORE VETTESSE, 19, OF

"THEY CAN'T SHOOT SO GOOD," SAID PFC. SALVATORE VETTESE, 19, OF (3358 FREMONT AVENUE,) DETROIT. "THIS 'GOOK' WAS PROBABLY SHOOTING AT SOMEBODY ELSE."

VETTESE IS AMONG 52 WOUNDED ARMY MEN WHO HAVE ARRIVED FROM KOREA IN THE LAST TWO WEEKS AT GREAT LAKES NAVAL HOSPITAL. ELEVEN ARRIVED YESTERDAY AND SEVEN MORE TODAY.
ALL TOLD OF OVERWHELMING ODDS AGAINST THEM IN KOREA. MOST WERE SHOT BY SNIPERS. THEY SAID THEY AND THEIR BUDDIES HAD BEEN CONTINUALLY SURROUNDED AND WERE ALWAYS "GETTING OUT OF ONE JAM AND INTO ANOTHER."
VETTES, WITH A SEVERE WOUND IN THE LEFT LEG, MAY BE IN THE HOSPITAL ALMOST A YEAR. A FORMER GUARD AT THE IMPERIAL PALACE IN TOKYO, HE TOLD OF "A VERY DISHEARTENING" RETREAT FROM TAEJON.
HIS BUDDIES SHOT AND KILLED THE SNIPER WHO PICKED HIM OFF FROM 50 YARDS.
CPL. JOHN J. MOSES, 26, WILLIAMSBURG, KY., A TANK DRIVER WITH THE FIRST CAVALRY AND IN THE ARMY EIGHT YEARS, SAID HE WAS SHOT IN THE LEFT FOREARM AUG.9 NEAR TAEGU A MACHINE GUN BULLET HIT HIM.
HE SAID HE WALKED 10 MILES TO GET TREATMENT, AND IT WAS 25 HOURS BEFORE FIRST AID WAS ADMINISTERED. HIS TANK HAD BEEN KNOCKED OUT.
OF THE NORTH KOREANS HE SAID:
"THEY'RE NOT SUCH TOUGH FIGHTERS. THERE ARE JUST TOO MANY OF THEM."
PFC. GEORGE ERB, 19, OF (THE FRIARS CLUB, 65 WEST MC MILLAN STREET,) CINCINNATI, OHIO, JOINED THE ARMY LAST NOVEMBER AND WAS WOUNDED WITHIN A WEEK AFTER ARRIVING IN KOREA FROM HAWAII JULY 31.
HE IS A FORMER PRODUCE CLERK. HIS RIGHT HAND WAS FRACTURED BY A MORTAR FRAGMENT.
"YOU CAN'T BLAME THE KOREAN PEOPLE FOR ALL THIS," HE SAID. "A LOT OF THEM OVER THERE HAVE BEEN MISLED."
PVT.THOMAS MC DOWELL, 23, OF (17809 FAIRVILLE AVENUE), CLEVELAND, OHIO, SUFFERED A WOUND IN HIS LEFT ARM WHEN A LAND MINE EXPLODED NEAR CHINJU.
HE SAW FOUR YEARS' NAVY SERVICE BEFORE ENTERING THE ARMY. HE WAS WITH THE 25TH DIVISION FOR 10 MONTHS.
"THE BOYS OVER THERE ARE WONDERING WHY, IF IT IS A UNITED NATIONS FIGHT, THEY SEE ONLY AUSTRALIANS FIGHTING WITH THEM," HE SAID.
OTHERS REPORTED BEING TREATED AT GREAT LAKES, BUT NOT AVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEWS TODAY, INCLUDED:
PFC.KEITH R.KENDALL, 21, SHINNSTON, W.VA., 24TH DIVISION, SHOT IN THE RIGHT KNEE.
PFC.WILLIAM T. MC KINLEY, 24, CLINTON SPRINGS, OHIO, 1ST CAVALRY, WOUNDED IN LEFT FOREARM.
PVT.HAROLD BRUNNER, 22, CANTON, OHIO, 24TH DIVISION TRUCK DRIVER, FRACTURED HAND.
PVT.LUTHER V. BOSLEY, 21, ELK GARDEN, W.VA., 24TH DIVISION TRUCK DRIVER, BULLET WOUND IN RIGHT LEG.
PFC. LEO B. SIERER, 20, IRONTON, MO., 1ST CAVALRY, WOUNDED IN BACK.
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MILWAUKEE, AUG.25-(AP)-DR. IRVING COWAN, WHO HAS BEEN AVERAGING $1,125 DAILY THIS MONTH EXAMINING X-RAYS OF PROSPECTIVE DRAFTEES, SAID TODAY HE HAD BEEN ASKED BY AN ARMY OFFICER TO BID ON THE JOB.
HIS BID OF $5 PER PLATE WAS ACCEPTED BY THE SURGEON GENERAL'S OFFICE, HE SAID. SINCE AUG. 1 HE HAS EXAMINED ABOUT 4,500 CHEST X-RAYS. WHICH FIGURES OUT TO WELL OVER $20,000.

"AN OFFICER FROM THE 5TH ARMY AT CHICAGO CAME TO MY OFFICE AND INTERVIEWED ME (ABOUT THE JOB)," DR. COWAN SAID. "HE SAID OTHERS WERE BEING INTERVIEWED BUT I DON'T KNOW WHO THEY WERE. HE ASKED ME TO PUT IN A BID AND I DID. LATER I WAS NOTIFIED I HAD RECEIVED THE CONTRACT."

THE PHYSICIAN CONCEDED HIS BID OF $5 EACH WAS THE MAXIMUM THE ARMY SET.

DR. COWAN SAID HE RENTS THE MACHINE USED FOR TAKING THE X-RAYS AT THE INDUCTION CENTER AT $700 A MONTH. IN ADDITION, HE SAID, HE PAYS THE SALARIES OF TWO TECHNICIANS AND A STENOGRAPHER WHICH HE ESTIMATED TO TOTAL ABOUT $500 MONTHLY "WITH OVERTIME."

IN WASHINGTON, INVESTIGATIONS OF THE ARMY SYSTEM OF LETTING CONTRACTS WERE PROMISED. AT CHICAGO, A 5TH ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID THE ARMY IS SHORT OF X-RAY EQUIPMENT. MOST OF THE MACHINES, HE SAID, WERE SOLD AS SURPLUS AFTER WORLD WAR II.

A SPOKESMAN FOR GENERAL ELECTRIC X-RAY CORP. HERE SAID HE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY SHORTAGES IN THE X-RAY FIELD.

H. O. MC KENZIE, SALES MANAGER, SAID HIS FIRM HAD RECEIVED SOME ORDERS FROM THE MILITARY AND HAD MADE PROMPT SHIPMENTS. HE SAID THAT "IN AN EMERGENCY, WE COULD SHIP EQUIPMENT THE SAME DAY IT WAS ORDERED."

"ALL WE'D DO WOULD BE TO DIVERT THE EQUIPMENT FROM CIVILIAN CHANNELS," HE SAID. "THERE WOULD HAVE TO BE CONSIDERABLE URGENCY, THOUGH, TO ACCOMPLISH A SHIPMENT THAT FAST."

THE COMPANY ALSO WILL RENT X-RAY EQUIPMENT, MC KENZIE SAID. RATES RANGE FROM $90 TO $500 MONTHLY, HE SAID, DEPENDING ON THE AMOUNT AND KIND OF EQUIPMENT WANTED.

AT CINCINNATI, DR. IRWIN C. ALBERT ESTIMATED HE MADE ONLY ONE DOLLAR ON EACH OF THE 1,500 MEN HE X-RAYED FOR THE ARMY IN THE LAST WEEK OF JULY AND SO FAR THIS MONTH. HE SAID THE ARMY PAID HIM $4 APIECE BUT HE USED HIS OWN EQUIPMENT AND PAID THREE ASSISTANTS OUT OF THE FEES.

REP. TALLE (R-IOWA) TOLD THE HOUSE IN WASHINGTON THAT A FULL INVESTIGATION SHOULD BE MADE OF THE MILWAUKEE SITUATION.

HE CALLED THE HIGH FEES PAID THERE FOR X-RAY PROCESSING "AN OUTRAGEOUS RAID UPON THE PUBLIC TREASURY."

"OFFICIALS RESPONSIBLE FOR IT ARE EITHER GUILTY OF MALFEASANCE IN OFFICE OR UNBELIEVABLE STUPIDITY," HE SAID.

TALLE ASKED: "ARE THE ARMED FORCES SO DESTITUTE OF MEDICAL OFFICERS THAT THEY CANNOT PROVIDE DOCTORS TO EXAMINE THE X-RAYS TAKEN AT THE MILWAUKEE INDUCTION CENTER? WHAT HAPPENED TO THE THOUSANDS OF YOUNG MEN WHO RECEIVED MEDICAL EDUCATION AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE DURING WORLD WAR II?"

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SAN FRANCISCO,AUG.25-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREANS TODAY CLAIMED AGAIN THAT THEY HAVE SUNK AN AMERICAN DESTROYER.

A BROADCAST FROM THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO IN PEIPING GAVE A SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT VERSION FROM THE CLAIM HEARD WEDNESDAY IN A BROADCAST FROM MOSCOW.

AT THAT TIME, THE REDS IDENTIFIED THE SHIP AS "NO.726."

THE U.S.NAVY DEPARTMENT SAID IT HAD NO SHIP 726--SO TODAY'S RED STATEMENT TRIED AGAIN WITH NO.72.

BOTH BROADCASTS SAID THE AMERICAN VESSEL WAS SUNK BY SHORE GUNS OFF THE KOREAN EAST COAST AUGUST 20.

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NIGHT LEAD ~~RUSSIAN~~ CARGOES

NEW YORK, AUG. 25-(AP)-PORT OF NEW YORK LONGSHOREMEN TIGHTENED THEIR BOYCOTT AGAINST RUSSIAN AND SATELLITE CARGOES TODAY IN PROTEST AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION IN KOREA.

THE DISTRICT COUNCIL OF THE AFL INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S ASSOCIATION, CONTROLLING ALL STEVEDORING IN THE PORT, ANNOUNCED THERE WOULD BE NO FURTHER LOADING OR UNLOADING OF RUSSIAN GOODS.

THIS STAMPED APPROVAL ON THE "HANDS OFF" ACTION ALREADY TAKEN BY ILA LOCALS AGAINST RED CARGOES.

THE COUNCIL DEFERRED ACTION CONCERNING GOODS FROM SOVIET SATELLITES, BUT THE LOCALS INSTITUTED A BOYCOTT OF THEIR OWN AGAINST THEM.

THEY REFUSED TO UNLOAD POLISH HAMS AND CZECHOSLOVAK SHOES FROM TWO SHIPS.

PREVIOUSLY, THEY HAD REFUSED TO TOUCH A SHIPMENT OF RUSSIAN CRABMEAT ON ONE VESSEL ARRIVING HERE AND SHIPMENTS OF RUSSIAN FURS ON TWO OTHER VESSELS.

"WE REFUSE TO HANDLE ANY USSR STUFF OR ANY SATELLITE STUFF," COMMENTED JOHN A.CONDON, COMMANDER OF LONGSHOREMEN'S POST 7095, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

ONE ILA LOCAL DISTRIBUTED PAMPHLETS URGING THE PUBLIC NOT TO BUY RUSSIAN-MADE GOODS. THE LEAFLETS WERE TITLED "WAKE UP, AMERICA."

THE PORT OF NEW YORK INCLUDES NOT ONLY NEW YORK CITY BUT ALSO NEWARK, JERSEY CITY, HOBOKEN, BAYONNE AND OTHER NEW JERSEY AREAS.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 25-(AP)-RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK IS MAKING HIS FAN MAIL AVAILABLE TO OTHER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL--IF THEY WANT TO READ IT.

THE U.N. DISCLOSED TODAY THAT MALIK HAS SENT SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE A SERIES OF NOTES ACCOMPANIED BY TELEGRAMS AND LETTERS PROTESTING AGAINST WHAT THE SOVIET DELEGATE CALLED UNITED STATES AGGRESSION IN KOREA.

COMMUNICATIONS LISTED BY MALIK INCLUDED:

A TELEGRAM FROM ALEXEI, PATRIARCH OF MOSCOW AND ALL RUSSIA.

A TELEGRAM FRON THE WORLD FEDERATION OF DEMOCRATIC YOUTH, WHICH MALIK SAID REPRESENTS 70,000,000 YOUTH.

FIVE HUNDRED AND TWENTY TELEGRAMS FROM ORGANIZATIONS AND PRIVATE PERSONS IN ROMANIA AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

A TELEGRAM FROM STUDENT UNIONS "IN A NUMBER OF COUNTRIES."

TWO LETTERS FROM THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE FOR PEACE AND FREEDOM.

MALIK TOLD REPORTERS EARLIER THIS WEEK HE HAD RECEIVED ABOUT 250 COMMUNICATIONS FROM INDIVIDUALS AND ORGANIZATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES CONDEMNING THE UNITED STATES POSITION IN KOREA.

THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION, MEANWHILE, SAID IT HAD RECEIVED MORE THAN 8,000 LETTERS SINCE MALIK TOOK OVER THE COUNCIL PRESIDENCY AUG. 1. ALL BUT A SMALL FRACTION SUPPORTED THE UNITED STATES.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.25-(AP)-TWO MONTHS AGO TODAY THE KOREAN REDS INVADED THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA AND THE SECURITY COUNCIL ACTED QUICKLY IN AN EMERGENCY SUNDAY SESSION.

TODAY IT DAWDLED IN WHAT AMOUNTED TO A LONG LESSON IN FRENCH--THE OFFICIAL TRANSLATIONS OF LAST TUESDAY'S COUNCIL FIREWORKS WHEN RUSSIAN COUNCIL PRESIDENT JAKOB A. MALIK, BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB AND WARREN R. AUSTIN, CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE, MADE SHARP SPEECHES.

BUT THE PUBLIC, WHICH HAD PRECIOUS TICKETS TO THE 900 SEATS IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL CHAMBER, OR TO SEATS TO WATCH TELEVISION SCREENS IN ADJOINING HALLS, STUCK CLOSE BY HOPEFUL OF SOME EXCITEMENT WHICH DID NOT MATERIALIZE. THE SECURITY COUNCIL WAS FULL, THE TELEVISION ROOMS NEARLY SO.

THE TELEVISION CAMERAS STAYED AT FOREST HILLS FOR THE DAVIS CUP TENNIS MATCHES UNTIL THE U.N. MEETING WAS WELL UNDERWAY, BUT THEY SWUNG INTO ACTION SHORTLY BEFORE MALIK BEGAN MAKING A SHORT "CORRECTIVE" SPEECH, ANSWERING PREVIOUS JEBB AND AUSTIN REMARKS.

FOR SOUNDS EFFECTS, THE AUDIENCE HAD THE INTERPRETERS, IN RELAYS, DRONING OUT THE FRENCH TRANSLATION. FEW UNDERSTOOD THEM. SOME SPECTATORS STUDIED THE DELEGATES WITH OPERA GLASSES. A FEW EVEN DOZED. SOME TRIED TO IMPROVE THEIR OWN GRASP OF FRENCH BY LISTENING INTENTLY IN HEADPHONES TO THE INTERPRETERS. BUT MOST STUCK TO THEIR SEATS AS IF THEY HAD BEEN RESERVED FOR A PERFORMANCE OF "SOUTH PACIFIC."

MALIK AND HIS CHIEF ADVISOR A.A.SOLDATOV ARRIVED ABOUT FIVE MINUTES BEFORE THE MEETING WAS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN AND SEATED THEMSELVES IN A CORNER OF THE LOUNGE, MALIK WITH HIS BACK TO THE TELEVISION SCREENING OF THE FOREST HILLS TENNIS MATCH. NO OTHER DELEGATES APPROACHED HIM. HE DIDN'T TAKE HIS PLACE IN THE COUNCIL UNTIL 2:20 P.M., E.S.T.

DURING THE TRANSLATIONS, HE LEAFED OVER THE TEXT OF THE "CORRECTIVE STATEMENTS HE MADE LATER TO JEBB'S AND AUSTIN'S ATTACKS, AND CONFERRED SEVERAL TIMES WITH THE TOP-RANKING RUSSIAN IN THE U.N., ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL KONSTANTIN ZINCHENKO.

AUSTIN, JEBB AND OTHER DELEGATES WORKED ON DOCUMENTS AND WENT IN AND OUT OF THE CHAMBER.

THE AIR OF TENSION AND EXCITEMENT THAT MARKED SO MANY MEETINGS THIS MONTH APPEARED GONE, NOW THAT EVERYONE KNEW PROCEDURE WAS BLOCKED AND ONLY PROPAGANDA COULD BE LOOKED FOR. BUT IT HAD BEEN DIFFICULT TO GET TICKETS AND THESE WERE THE PRINCIPAL ACTORS IN A WORLD DRAMA, SO THE AUDIENCE STUCK TO THE END.

MALIK MADE HIS STATEMENTS AND THE AUDIENCE LISTENED THROUGH TWO ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS, THE SIMULTANEOUS AND THE CONSECUTIVE. ANOTHER FRENCH TRANSLATION WAS JUST TOO MUCH AND QUITE A STIR OF PEOPLE HEADED FOR THE BAR OR THE CAFETERIA.

ZINCHENKO FUMBLED UNDER HIS DESK FOR THE BUTTON THAT LIGHTS UP FOUR "SILENCE" SIGNS. MALIK GRABBED THE GAVEL AND AS USUAL WHERE THE AUDIENCE IS CONCERNED HE TAPPED THE HANDLE ON THE DESK INSTEAD OF BANGING THE HAMMER. THE TRANSLATORS SAID THE PRESIDENT ASKED FOR SILENCE. THE AUDIENCE SUBSIDED.

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USHERS WERE BUSY RUNNING AROUND ASKING PEOPLE, PLEASE DON'T MAKE

PHOTOGRAPHS WHILE THE COUNCIL IS IN SESSION. ONE BESPECTACLED YOUNG GIRL NOT ONLY GOT MALIK SPEAKING BUT ALSO MADE A PICTURE OF THE USHER RUNNING TOWARD HER. THEN SHE WALKED OUT SAUCILY.

MALIK WANTED TO ADJOURN EARLY WITH HIS LATEST STATEMENT AS THE LAST PROPAGANDA BOICKBAT IN THE AIR OVER THE WEEKEND RECESS. HE WAS MIFFED WHEN TH .S. BROUGHT UP ITS DENIAL OF AGGRESSION IN FORMOSA, SO IN RETALIATION HE ORDERED THAT THE COMMUNIST CHINESE CHARGES OF AGGRESSION BE READ INTO THE RECORD.

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LONDON, AUG.25-(AP)-A BRITISH COMMONWEALTH PEACE GROUP CALLED TODAY FOR AN INTERNATIONAL POLICE FORCE TO HANDLE OUTBREAKS SUCH AS THE ONE IN KOREA.

THE ORGANIZATION, KNOWN AS THE NEW COMMONWEALTH, WAS FOUNDED IN 1932 TO WORK FOR INTERNATIONAL PEACE. WINSTON CHURCHILL, LEADER OF THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY, IS PRESIDENT OF THE BRITISH SECTION.

IN A DECLARATION ENTITLED "THE LESSON OF THE KOREAN CRISIS," THE GROUP SAID:

"THE UNITED STATES IN KOREA IS BEING EXPOSED TO THE RISK OF THE MOST MOMENTOUS COMPLICATIONS; BESIDES BEING CALLED UPON TO BEAR SACRIFICES IN TERMS OF FINANCE AND MANPOWER WHICH ARE QUITE DISPROPORTIONATE.

"IN OTHER WORDS, THE UNITED STATES IS NOW ACTING AS THE POLICEMAN OF THE UNITED NATIONS, AND IS SHOULDERING ALMOST UNAIDED THE BURDENS INSEPARABLE FROM SUCH A ROLE.

"ALL THIS POINTS TO THE URGENT NEED FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN INTERNATIONAL AUTHORITY, WHETHER IT BE A REFORMED UNITED NATIONS OR SOME OTHER COALITION OF POWERS, CAPABLE OF DEFEATING AGGRESSION CERTAINLY, COLLECTIVELY AND QUICKLY, IF BY ITS VERY EXISTENCE THE WOULD-BE AGGRESSOR WAS NOT DETERRED FROM LAUNCHING HIS ATTACK AT ALL.

"CLEARLY, SUCH AN AUTHORITY MUST HAVE AT ITS DISPOSAL A MOBILE STRIKING FORCE READY TO GO INTO ACTION ALMOST AUTOMATICALLY AT THE FIRST SIGN OF DANGER."

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LONDON, AUG. 25-(AP)-BRITAIN TODAY REJECTED A CHINESE COMMUNIST PROTEST THAT BRITISH FORCES ON HONG KONG VIOLATED THE CHINESE BORDER.

GEN.YEH CHIEN-YING, COMMUNIST CHAIRMAN OF KWANGTUNG PROVINCE, OPPOSITE THE ISLAND COLONY OF HONG KONG, ACCUSED THE BRITISH YESTERDAY OF AIR, LAND AND SEA "VIOLATIONS AND PROVOCATIONS." HE SAID THE BRITISH DESTROYER CONCORD EXCHANGED SHOTS WITH RED SHORE BATTERIES AUG. 17.

A BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE NO BRITISH AIRCRAFT HAVE BEEN FLYING OVER CHINESE TERRITORY. HE ADDED THAT THE CONCORD WAS PROCEEDING "ON HER LAWFUL OCCASIONS AND DID NOT ENTER CHINESE TERRITORIAL WATERS AS ALLEGED." THE SPOKESMAN SAID A RED CHINESE ATTACK ON THE CONCORD WAS THE SUBJECT OF AN AUG. 19 BRITISH PROTEST TO THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT IN PEIPING.

THE SPOKESMAN DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THE PEIPING GOVERNMENT'S STATEMENT THAT THE COMMUNISTS WERE READY TO "LIBERATE" THE NKTIONALIST ISLAND FORTRESS OF FORMOSA. HE SAID THE MATTER IS BEING UTUDIED.

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FOLO WASHINGTON (A68)

LONDON, AUG.25-(AP)-THE TRANS-SHIPMENT TO RUSSIA OF 50 TONS OF STRATEGIC MOLYBDENUM PURCHASED BY A BRITISH FIRM FROM THE UNITED STATES WAS STRICTLY LEGAL, THE BOARD OF TRADE SAID TODAY.

A BOARD SPOKESMAN DECLINED TO DISCLOSE THE NAME OF THE BRITISH COMPANY INVOLVED OR TO GIVE DETAILS OF THE TRANSACTION BEYOND POINTING OUT THAT THE MOLYBDENUM--USED FOR HARDENING STEEL--DID NOT PASS THROUGH BRITISH CUSTOMS.

"THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IS INVESTIGATING THIS CASE AND THEY KNOW WHAT INFORMATION CAN BE RELEASED ON IT," THE SPOKESMAN SAID. BRITISH OFFICIALS ARE WATCHING THE MATTER, HE ADDED, BUT ARE NOT MAKING A FORMAL INVESTIGATION SINCE THERE WAS NO VIOLATION OF BRITISH LAW OR REGULATIONS.

REGARDING TRADE WITH COMMUNIST STATES, A BOARD OF TRADE SPOKESMAN SAID THAT BRITAIN IS STILL DOING BUSINESS WITH RUSSIA AND HER FRIENDS.

UNDER A WRTIME CIVIL SUPPLIES AGREEMENT THIS COUNTRY IS EXPORTING ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING MACHINERY AND GENERATORS, ORDERS FOR WHICH WERE PLACED A LONG TIME AGO, HE SAID.

BRITAIN OPERATES A STRICT SYSTEM OF EXPORT CONTROL, HE ADDED.

IN COOPERATION WITH THE UNITED STATES AND LIKE-MINDED ANTI-COMMUNIST MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC), BRITAIN DOES NOT ALLOW GOODS OF POTENTIAL WAR VALUE TO GO TO PLACES LIKE RUSSIA, POLAND, CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND SO ON.

BLACKLISTS HAVE BEEN DRAWN UP OF GOODS AND MATERIALS WHICH BRITISH FIRMS JUST CANNOT EXPORT TO COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

THE UNITED STATES KNOWS ALL ABOUT THE GOODS WHICH THIS COUNTRY SELLS TO THE COMMUNIST NATIONS AND PERIODICALLY RAISES OBJECTIONS WHICH ARE ALWAYS CAREFULLY CONSIDERED, THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

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london, aug. 25-(ap)-diplomatic officials reported tday soviet foreign minister andrei vishinsky probably will lead russia's delgation to the united nations general assembly opening in new york i[redacted] sept. 1

vishinsky has been less conspicuous in russian publi affairs lately, and there had been reports that he was ill. for a few months his top deputy, andrei gromyko, made all the important soviet pronouncem on foreign policy this summer. the diplomatic sources said if vishinsky

war unable to go to new york next month, gromyko would be sent in his place.

the russians have reservations for a delegation 60 to 70 strong

to sail for the united states from cherbourg in time for the assembly opening

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LONDON, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE AUSTRALIAN ARMY OPENED A RECRUITING CAMPAIGN IN BRITAIN TODAY. FIVE HUNDRED BRITONS APPLIED TO ENLIST AND ANOTHER 1,500 ASKED FOR INFORMATION.

MAJOR A.L.THOMAS, SENT HERE TO ENLIST 2,500 MEN, SAID HE WOULD START BULK RECRUITING ON MONDAY. HE OFFERED APPLICANTS GOOD PAY, LOWER TAXES AND LIVING COSTS AND A FREE PASSAGE TO AUSTRALIA.

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NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY (380)

BY PHILIP CLARKE

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY TODAY A PROPOSAL TO SET UP A EUROPEAN SUPREME COURT TO ENFORCE A BILL OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN MEMBER STATES.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE SIDE-TRACKED WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL FOR A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY FOR AT LEAST SEVERAL WEEKS.

BY A UNANIMOUS VOTE, THE COMMITTEE DECIDED IT WAS "UNDESIRABLE AT THIS TIME" TO PLACE ANY HALF-WAY MEASURES BEFORE FOR FULL 125-MEMBER, 15-NATION ASSEMBLY, THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE. INSTEAD THE COMMITTEE INSTRUCTED ITS SECURITY SUB-COMMITTEE TO PURSUE THE PROPOSAL AND COME UP WITH A REPORT "AS SOON AS POSSIBLE."

CHURCHILL'S MOTION FOR CREATION OF A UNIFIED ARMY WAS ADOPTED AUG. 11 BY THE ASSEMBLY ITSELF 89 TO FIVE.

THE BRITISH CONSERVATIVE LEADER SAID CREATION OF A TRUSTWORTHY WESTERN DEFENSE SYSTEM IN THE NEXT TWO YEARS WOULD LESSEN THE THREAT OF A THIRD WORLD WAR.

THE MOTION WAS REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE FOR PROCESSING AND IT WAS CAUGHT IN A PRE-RECESS CRUSH. THE ASSEMBLY IS DUE TO ADJOURN EARLY NEXT WEEK UNTIL MID-NOVEMBER.

THE ASSEMBLY'S ROLL CALL VOTE ON THE HUMAN RIGHTS COURT WAS 111 IN FAVOR. THERE WERE NO ABSTENTIONS OR OPPOSING VOTES.

THE CHART PROVIDES FOR A COURT OF ONE JUDGE FROM EACH MEMBER STATE, ELECTED BY THE ASSEMBLY FOR A NINE-YEAR TERM FROM A LIST SUBMITTED BY MEMBER GOVERNMENTS. THE PROPOSED COURT WOULD BE AIDED BY A COMMISSION TO SIFT COMPLAINTS FROM INDIVIDUALS OR PRIVATE GROUPS.

A SO-CALLED OPTIONAL CLAUSE WOULD ENABLE A MEMBER GOVERNMENT TO REFUSE THE COURT'S JURISDICTION ON COMPLAINTS FROM ITS OWN NATIONALS IF IT FILED SUCH A RESERVATION AT THE TIME OF RATIFICATION. THE ASSEMBLY ALSO VOTED, 85 TO SIX WITH 11 ABSTENTIONS, TO ALLOW MEMBER STATES TO WITHHOLD JURISDICTION FROM CERTAIN TERRITORIES.

THE ASSEMBLY ACTION INDORSED A HUMAN RIGHTS CONVENTION AS REDRAFTED BY THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS, THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE, AND AMENDED HERE IN THIS SESSION. IT NOW GOES BACK TO THE MINISTERS FOR FINAL APPROVAL IN THE FALL.

BRITAIN'S SIR DAVID MAXWELL-FYFE, ONE OF THE CHIEF ALLIED PROSECUTORS AT THE NUERNBERG WAR CRIMES TRIALS, WAS CHAIRMAN OF THE LEGAL COMMITTEE WHICH DRAFTED THE COURT PROPOSAL. HE TOLD THE ASSEMBLY SUCH A COURT WOULD BE A BARRIER AGAINST DICTATORSHIP.

"IT CAN BE A BEACON TO OUR FRIENDS NOW IN DARKNESS," HE SAID, "AND A PASSPORT FOR THEIR RETURN."

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SECOND LEAD EUROPEAN COUNCIL

BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.25-(AP)-THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE VOTED UNANIMOUS SUPPORT TODAY FOR A PROPOSAL TO ESTABLISH A EUROPEAN SUPREME COURT. IT WOULD ENFORCE A BILL OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN MEMBER STATES TO GUARD AGAINST RECURRENCE OF THE CRIMES OF WHICH NAZI GERMANY WAS FOUND UILTY.

THE ASSEMBLY ENDORSED A HUMAN RIGHTS CONVENTION AS RE-DRAFTED BY THE COUNCIL'S COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS. IT NOW GOES BACK TO THE MINISTERS, WHO FORM THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE, FOR FINAL APPROVAL AT THEIR OCTOBER MEETING.

SIR DAVID MAXWELL-FYFE OF BRITAIN HAD STRONGLY URGED THE ADOPTION OF THE CONVENTION.

SIR DAVID, ONE OF THE CHIEF PROSECUTORS AT THE NUERNBERG TRIALS WHICH CONVICTED THE TOP NAZI LEADERS, TOLD THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY:

"FIVE YEARS AGO IT FELL UPON ME TO ATTACK THE EVIL INSTITUTIONS OF DICTATORSHIP. I FELT THEN THAT IF WE REMOVED THE ORGANIZATIONS OF EVIL, THEN BETTER THINGS MUST BE PUT IN THEIR PLACE. THIS DUTY HAS LAIN HEAVY UPON ME, AND I ASK YOU TO HELP ME KEEP THIS PLEDGE."

SIR DAVID SPOKE AS CHAIRMAN OF THE ASSEMBLY'S LEGAL COMMITTEE IN SUPPORT OF A CONVENTION ON HUMAN RIGHTS DRAFTED BY THE COMMITTEE. IT WOULD ESTABLISH A SUPREME COURT TO ENFORCE FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS IN MEMBER STATES AND PERMIT APPEALS BY INDIVIDUALS OR PRIVATE GROUPS. A SOMEWHAT SIMILAR PROPOSAL WAS REFERRED BACK TO THE ASSEMBLY BY THE COUNCIL'S UPPER HOUSE LAST YEAR.

"THIS WILL BE OUR EXPRESSION OF FAITH IN HUMAN RIGHTS," SIR DAVID SAID. "THIS WILL BE THE RULES OF OUR CLUB, WHEREBY WE ARE PREPARED TO BE BOUND. X X X IT CAN BE A BEACON TO OUR FRIENDS NOW IN DARKNESS AND A PASSPORT FOR THEIR RETURN."

A SHARP BATTLE ON ECONOMIC ISSUES WAS SHAPING UP IN THE ASSEMBLY. A BRITISH CONSERVATIVE, DAVID ECCLES, PREDICTED HE WOULD GET A LARGE MAJORITY FOR A QUALIFYING AMENDMENT TO THE ECONOMIC COMMITTEE'S REPORT FAVORING THE SCHUMAN PLAN. HE PREDICTED FRANCE'S PARLIAMENT ITSELF WOULD REJECT THE SCHUMAN PLAN TO POOL STEEL AND COAL UNLESS BRITAIN WAS INCLUDED IN IT.

ECCLES MADE THIS STATEMENT TO REPORTERS AS HE AND ANOTHER CONSERVATIVE MEMBER OF THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT, HAROLD MACMILLAN, MAPPED A NEW DRIVE IN THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR A POOL PLAN WHICH BRITAIN WOULD ACCEPT.

HE ASSERTED THAT A SURVEY OF PARLIAMENT BY FRENCH LEADERS IN THE LAST FEW DAYS SHOWED A LACK OF SUFFICIENT SUPPORT TO RATIFY THE PROPOSED AGREEMENT AS IT NOW STANDS.

ECCLES DECLARED MOST FRENCH SOCIALISTS WOULD ABSTAIN RATHER THAN HAVE THEIR COUNTRY OVERSHADOWED BY GERMAN INDUSTRY.

FRENCH LEADERS HERE DECLINED TO COMMENT. FRANCE'S PRESENT COALITION CABINET WOULD NEED SOCIALIST VOTES TO PUT THE PLAN THROUGH

THE FRENCH ASSEMBLY.
BRITISH CONSERVATIVES BACKED AN AMENDMENT TO THE ECONOMIC COMMITTEE'S PRO-SCHUMAN PLAN RESOLUTION ASKING "RENEWED EFFORT" TO HAVE BRITAIN PARTICIPATE IN A POOL SCHEME WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE.
THIS IN EFFECT IS A RESTATEMENT OF A PREVIOUS ECCLES-MACMILLAN MOTION. IT OUTLINED AN ALTERNATE POOL PLAN PUTTING THE CONTROLLING STEEL-COAL AUTHORITY UNDER THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS.
EACH NATION THEREFORE WOULD HAVE A VETO OVER IMPORTANT DECISIONS AFFECTING ITS OWN ECONOMY AND DEFENSE. FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER ROBERT SCHUMAN HAS INSISTED THAT THE POOL AUTHORITY MUST NOT BE SUBJECT TO THE VETO OF ANY ONE NATION.
THE ECCLES-MACMILLAN PROPOSAL WAS DROPPED BY THE ECONOMIC COMMITTEE LAST MONDAY WHEN ECCLES FAILED TO APPEAR AT ITS SESSION. ECCLES TODAY MAINTAINED THAT COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, PAUL REYNAUD OF FRANCE, HAD BROUGHT UP THE SCHUMAN PLAN WHEN HE KNEW ECCLES WAS OUT OF TOWN.
THE ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE OPENED THE DOOR TO REGIONAL FEDERATIONS WITHIN THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL WITH UNANIMOUS SUPPORT FOR A RESOLUTION ENDORSING SPECIAL AUTHORITIES IN THE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, JUDICIAL AND CULTURAL FIELDS.

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A GROUP OF FRENCH AND ITALIAN DELEGATES SIMULTANEOUSLY CIRCULATED A PETITION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF COORDINATED "MINISTRIES" FOR DEFENSE, ECONOMICS, AGRICULTURE AND TRANSPORTATION AS A NUCLEUS FOR THE FEDERATION.
THE ASSEMBLY VOTED ITS SUPPORT YESTERDAY FOR A EUROPEAN SOCIAL SECURITY CODE TO RAISE BENEFITS IN EACH MEMBER STATE TO "AN EQUALLY HIGH LEVEL."
EIGHTY-EIGHT REPRESENTATIVES LINED UP ON A ROLL CALL VOTE BEHIND A RESOLUTION ASKING THE 15 MEMBER GOVERNMENTS OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE TO DRAFT SUCH A CODE. THE ASSEMBLY ALSO ADOPTED A RESOLUTION CALLING ON MEMBER GOVERNMENTS TO EXTEND THE SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFIT CLAUSES OF THE FIVE-POWER BRUSSELS TREATY TO ALL MEMBERS.
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Paris, Aug. 25--(AP)--Paris, Brussels, Rotterdam and Amsterdam were "raided" today in the first combined air maneuvers for the West European defense union.

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Main object of the three-day exercises is to test out the union's defensive radar screen against possible attacks on an area stretching from Northern Holland to south of Paris and from the mouth of the Seine to the Rhine. The exercise is officially named "Operation Cupola."

but the French newspapers have been calling it "Operation Paraplue" (umbrella).

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British, French, Belgian and Dutch pilots took part in the defense of Western Europe against British and American bombers flying from England and British Mosquitoes from Western Germany. The exercise was coordinated by British Air Chief Marshal Sir James Robb, commander-in-chief (air) of the western union. Officers at combined headquarters at Fontainebleau, France, 37 miles southeast of Paris, said today's operations were "apparently satisfying."

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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG.25-(AP)-R.P.P. ("TURK") WESTERLING, THE FORMER DUTCH ARMY OFFICER WHO TRIED TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT OF INDONESIA, APPEARED TODAY TO BE A MAN WITHOUT A COUNTRY.
WESTERLING, WHO LED AN ABORTIVE REVOLT IN WEST JAVA LAST JANUARY, HAS BEEN BARRED FROM HIS NATIVE HOLLAND AND DENIED ENTRANCE TO LUXEMBOURG. HE CAN STAY ONLY TEMPORARILY IN BELGIUM AND PROVIDED HE KEEPS OUT OF POLITICS.
WESTERLING CAME HERE BY PLANE AFTER HE HAD BEEN ORDERED OUT OF SINGAPORE FOR ILLEGAL ENTRY.
THE INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT TRIED TO GET WESTERLING TO TRY HIM ON CHARGES OF MURDER AND OTHER CRIMES IN CONNECTION WITH HIS SHORT-LIVED REVOLT. BRITISH JUDGES IN SINGAPORE REFUSED TO EXTRADITE HIM.
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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG. 25-(AP)-UNEMPLOYMENT INCREASED IN THE FIRST HALF OF 1950 IN 11 OF 19 COUNTRIES SURVEYED BY THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION.
THE ILO, COMPARING THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1950 WITH THE SAME PERIOD OF 1949, SHOWED MORE UNEMPLOYED IN CANADA, THE UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE, AUSTRIA, THE GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC, NORWAY, SWITZERLAND, SOUTH AFRICA, INDIA, PAKISTAN AND JAPAN.
COUNTRIES SHOWING A DECREASE IN UNEMPLOYMENT IN THE SAME PERIOD WERE THE UNITED STATES, HAWAII, BELGIUM, DENMARK, IRELAND, ITALY, ISRAEL AND NEW ZEALAND.
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AMS BUDGET (300)
NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
BY THOMAS A.REEDY

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BERLIN,AUG.25-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST LEADERS STAGED A MARCH OF 100,000 FOLLOWERS DOWN UNTER DEN LINDEN TODAY AS A CURTAIN-RAISER FOR THE COMMUNIST "NATIONAL CONGRESS."

PARTY MEMBERS LED BLUE-SHIRTED SOVIET ZONE YOUTH, PEOPLE'S POLICEMEN AND FACTORY WORKERS. BUT THE MARCHERS SEEMED TO LACK THE PEP SHOWN IN THE RECENT WHITSUNTIDE CELEBRATIONS.

EAST BERLIN SHUT DOWN ALL BUSINESS IN MIDAFTERNOON TO SWELL THE ATTENDANCE. HOWEVER, THERE WERE FEW SIDEWALK SPECTATORS. APPLAUSE WAS LIMITED TO A FEW RIPPLES.

CARRYING BANNERS WITH PAINTED MESSAGES OF HATE AGAINST THE WESTERN POWERS, THE MARCHERS WERE REVIEWED BY EAST GERMAN PRESIDENT WILHELM PIECK AND SOVIET AMBASSADOR GREGORI MAXIMOVICH PUSHKIN.

THE REVIEWING STAND NEAR THE RUINED PALACE OF THE KAISER ALSO HELD THE 3,000 HAND-PICKED DELEGATES TO THE SO-CALLED CONGRESS, SUMMONED FROM BOTH EAST AND WEST GERMANY TO REACH "CONCRETE DECISIONS" THAT HAVE BEEN OUTLINED IN ADVANCE.

THE PEOPLE'S POLICE AND THE FIRE DEPARTMENT SOUGHT TO GIVE THE DEMONSTRATION AN AIR OF EMERGENCY. THEY LINED UP FIREHOSES AT BRANDENBURG GATE--EAST-WEST BORDER POINT--OSTENSIBLY TO REPEL INTERFERENCE. WEST BERLINERS PAID LITTLE ATTENTION AND WEN ABOUT THEIR WORI AS USUAL.

BANNERS PROCLAIMED GERMAN WILL TO RESIST WAR.

AFTER THE LAST COLUMN PASSED THE REVIEWING STAND, THE CONGRESS ASSEMBLED TO TAKE UP A PROGRAM DICTATED BY WALTER ULBRICHT, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY.

RESOLUTIONS WERE PREPARED PLACING THE CONGRESS ON RECORD AS OPPOSING THE "ANGLO-AMERICAN WARMONGERS", THE WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC AT BONN AND REARMAMENT OF WEST GERMANY.

EAST GERMAN CHANCELLOR OTTO GROTEWOHL APPEALED TO WEST GERMANS YESTERDAY TO RESIST REARMEMENT ON THE GROUNDS IT WOULD LEAD TO THE DEVASTATION OF ALL GERMANY.

WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER HAS RECOMMENDED STRONGER OCCUPATION ARMIES AND AUTHORITY FOR CREATION OF A WEST GERMAN ARMED FORCE, IN VIEW OF REARMAMENT MOVES IN THE SOVIET ZONE.

U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY WARNED YESTERDAY THAT RUSSIA APPEARED TO BE PREPARING THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST REPUBLIC AS A BASE FOR A FUTURE ATTACK ON THE WEST. HE CALLED THE REMILITARIZATION IN THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE "ONE OF THE MOST SINISTER DEVELOPMENTS SINCE THE END OF THE WAR."

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BERLIN, AUG. 25-(AP)-EAST GERMANY'S RED LEADERS MEET TODAY TO STUDY WAYS OF BLOCKING REARMAMENT OF WEST GERMANY. AS THEY GATHERED U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY WARNED THAT RUSSIA APPEARS TO BE READYING THE COMMUNIST REPUBLIC AS A BASE FOR A FUTURE ATTACK ON THE WEST.

EAST GERMAN CHANCELLOR OTTO GROTEWOHL KEYNOTED THE OPENING OF THE COMMUNIST NATIONAL CONGRESS' TWO-DAY SESSION HERE WITH AN APPEAL TO WEST GERMANS TO RESIST REARMAMENT ON THE GROUNDS THAT A WAR WOULD DEVASTATE ALL OF GERMANY.

WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER HAS RECOMMENDED STRONGER OCCUPATION ARMIES AND AUTHORITY FOR GERMAN ARMED FORCES TO COUNTER REARMAMENT MOVES IN THE EAST GERMAN SOVIET ZONE.

MCCLOY'S WARNING APPEARED IN HIS QUARTERLY REPORT ON OCCUPATION AFFAIRS. THE COMMISSIONER DECLARED EAST GERMANY WAS BEING ALIENATED FROM WEST GERMANY AND INTEGRATED INTO RUSSIA'S EAST EUROPEAN SATELLITE ORBIT.

MCCLOY DECLARED THE COMMUNIST GERMAN ARNY IS RAPIDLY EXPANDING AND CALLED THE REMILITARIZATION PROGRAM IN THE RUSSIAN OCCUPATION ZONE "ONE OF THE MOST SINISTER DEVELOPMENTS SINCE THE END OF THE WAR."

HE SAID THE EASTERN ARMY HAS GORWN TO AT LEAST 50,000 MEN "AND CONSIDERABLE INFORMATION ABOUT TRAINING IN HEAVIER WEAPONS HAS SEEPED THROUGH TO THE WEST."

ALLIED OFFICIALS HAVE ESTIMATED THAT THE RUSSIANS THEMSELVES HAVE 270,000 MEN MAKING UP 20 COMBAT DIVISIONS, ON HAND IN EAST GERMANY. THE WEST HAS ONLY ABOUT FIVE COMBAT DIVISIONS IN GERMANY.

GROTEWOHL IN A PRE-CONGRESS STATEMENT CALLED ON THE 3,000 HAND-PICKED DELEGATES TO TAKE "CONCRETE DECISIONS" AGAINST WEST GERMAN REARMAMENT. HE CHARGED THE WEST WITH USING GERMAN YOUTH AS "CANNON FODDER" AND PLACING THEM UNDER THE COMMAND OF FORMER HITLER GENERALS IN PREPARATION FOR WAR AGAINST RUSSIA.

THE RUSSIANS ALREADY HAVE CHARGED THAT A GERMAN ARMY BASED ON POLICE AND INDUSTRIAL GUARD DETAILS IS FORMING IN WEST GERMANY. WEST GERMAN AND ALLIED AUTHORITIES HAVE DISMISSED THE ALLEGATION AS BEING WITHOUT FOUNDATION.

EAST GERMAN SOURCES REPORTED LAST NIGHT THAT PAUL MARKGRAF, LONG-ABSENT FORMER EAST BERLIN POLICE CHIEF, HAS RETURNED TO THE CITY.

SOVIET ZONE INTERIOR MINISTRY AUTHORITIES SAID MARKGRAF, A FORMER GERMANY ARMY OFFICER, HAD BEEN IN A RUSSIAN WAR ACADEMY UNDERGOING SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PAST YEAR.

GROTEWOHL'S STATEMENT SAID THE COMMUNIST CONGRESS WOULD TAKE "CONCRETE DECISIONS" ON THESE "NATIONAL DANGERS" FACING GERMANY:

"FIRST, THE COMPLETE AND FINAL DIVISION IN TWO SECTIONS.

"SECOND, THE DESTRUCTION OF GERMANY'S DOMESTIC TRADE.

"THIRD, THE INCORPORATION OF THE WESTERN PARTS OF OUR FATHERLAND INTO A SYSTEM OF WAR PACTS.

"FOURTH, THE INTENTION TO REGARD THE GERMAN YOUTH AS CANNON FODDER AND TO PLACE THEM UNDER THE COMMAND OF FORMER HITLER GENERALS AND TO LEAD THEM INTO A WAR AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION.

"FIFTH, TO USE THE INDEBTEDNESS OF WEST GERMANY, CAUSED BY THE MARSHALL PLAN, AS A BASIS FOR A POLICY OF COLONIZATION BY THE ANGLO-AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS."

SOVIET WORRY OVER DEVELOPMENTS IN GERMANY WAS DISCLOSED IN PROPAGANDA FANFARE FOR TODAY'S OPENING OF THE COMMUNIST CONGRESS.

THE OFFICIAL RUSSIAN NEWSPAPER, TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU, REFLECTED ANXIETY ON TWO ISSUES:

1--APPARENT REAWAKENING OF HOPE AMONG MILLIONS OF ANTI-COMMUNIST GERMANS IN THE SOVIET SPHERE BY WEST GERMAN SOCIALIST LEADER KURT SCHUMACHER'S CLAIM THAT THE WEST MUST BE PREPARED TO LIBERATE LOST GERMAN TERRITORIES IN CASE OF WAR WITH THE SOVIET UNION.

2--WIDESPREAD APATHY IN THE SOVIET ZONE OVER THE SCHEDULED OCT. 15 ELECTION OF A NEW EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT, IN WHICH COMMUNISTS HAVE ALREADY ASSURED THEMSELVES 70 PER CENT REPRESENTATION BY RIGGING THE SINGLE LIST OF CANDIDATES.

TAEGLICHE RUNDSCHAU AGAIN APPEALED FOR "FORMER FOLLOWERS OF THE HITLER PARTY AND NATIONALLY CONSCIOUS EMPLOYERS" TO JOIN THE COMMUNIST-ORGANIZED NATIONAL FRONT IN BOTH EAST AND WEST GERMANY.

IT WAS UNABLE, HOWEVER, TO CITE AN APPRECIABLE GAIN IN THE NATIONAL FRONT'S STRENGTH IN THE ALLIED ZONES, REGARDLESS OF FEVERISH RECRUITING CARRIED ON THERE SINCE FEBRUARY BY CAMOUFLAGED RED AGENTS.

THE NATIONAL CONGRESS, BEGINNING A TWO-DAY SESSION TONIGHT (AT 1 P.M., EST), IS DESCRIBED AS THE FORUM OF THE NATIONAL FRONT. THE SINGLE LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR THE OCTOBER EAST GERMAN ELECTION IS CALLED A NATIONAL FRONT LIST.

TO START THE CONGRESS OFF WITH A "MASS DEMONSTRATION," THE COMMUNISTS HAVE CALLED OUT EAST BERLIN POLICE, STUDENTS, AND UNION WORKERS TO PARADE THROUGH THE LUSTGARTEN JUST BEFORE THE OPENING SESSION.

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BY DANIEL DE LUCE

BERLIN, AUG.25-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE ARE STILL SPENDING MORE THAN $1,000,000 A YEAR TO KEEP 46,000,000 WEST GERMANS SO DISARMED THEY COULD HARDLY SHOOT A RABBIT.

TIMES HAVE CHANGED SINCE THE ALLIED MILITARY SECURITY BOARD STARTED ITS SUPER-SLEUTHING 19 MONTHS AGO, BUT NOT THE BOARD'S ORDERS.

THE BOARD IS CHARGED WITH ASSURING WEST GERMANY'S ABSOLUTE MILITARY HELPLESSNESS UNTIL JAN. 1, 1953--OR LATER.

REGARDLESS OF THE KOREAN INVASION AND FEARS OF FURTHER COMMUNIST AGGRESSION, CONSCIENTIOUS AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH OFFICERS ARE EXPECTED TO WORRY ABOUT WHETHER A TON OF BALL BEARINGS, A 13-KNOT FREIGHTER OR A HOME-MADE GLIDER IN WEST GERMAN HANDS COULD BE A THREAT TO PEACE.

THESE OFFICERS ARE EXPECTED TO BE OBLIVIOUS OF THE FACT GEN.CHARLES DE GAULLE, WINSTON CHURCHILL AND MANY AMERICAN LEADERS AGREE THAT, WITHOUT WEST GERMANY'S ARMED HELP, EUROPE IS INDEFENSIBLE AGAINST THE SOVIET ARMY.

THEY CARRY ON DESPITE THE DEVELOPMENT OF A 50,000-MAN GERMAN ARMY IN SOVIET-CONTROLLED EAST GERMANY AND THE PLEA OF WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER TO THE WEST FOR AUTHORITY TO CREATE A DEFENSE FORCE TO MATCH IT.

THE MISSION OF THE BOARD WAS REAFFIRMED AT A LONDON CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN APRIL, 1949. IF THERE IS TO BE ANY CHANGE AT THE NEW YORK CONFERENCE OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE THREE POWERS NEXT MONTH, THE BOARD HAS RECEIVED NO ADVANCE NOTICE.

SOME JUNIOR CYNICS HAVE DUBBED THE AMSB "OPERATION FUTILITY."

WHAT GOES ON IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE OF GERMANY IS, OFFICIALLY, NONE OF THE BOARD'S BUSINESS. THE RUSSIANS SHUN THE BOARD. BUT THEIR CONTROLLED PRESS IN EAST GERMANY ACCUSES IT OF (1) FURTIVELY REARMING WEST GERMANY, (2) EXTERMINATING PEACEFUL INDUSTRIES FOR THE BENEFIT OF ALLIED COMPETITORS AND (3) FASTENING COLONIAL RULE ON THE GERMAN MASSES.

THE BOARD'S THREE COMMISSIONERS ARE U.S. MAJ.GEN.JAMPES P.HODGES, BRITISH MAJ.GEN.V.J.E.WESTROPP, AND FRENCH GEN.JEAN GANEVAL.

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ACTUAL DISARMAMENT AND DEMILITARIZATION HAVE LONG SINCE BEEN COMPLETED BY THE WESTERN ALLIED POWERS. THE BOARD NOW SEES TO IT THAT UNIVERSITY PHYSICISTS, SHIP BUILDERS, RUHR STEEL MAKERS AND WAR VETERANS' REUNIONS, FOR EXAMPLE, DO NOT EXCEED NARROW LIMITS OF ACTIVITY.

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BY ALLIED LAW, WEST GERMANS ARE BANNED FROM HAVING SUBMERSIBLE CRAFT, RADAR, GENERAL PURPOSE LATHES WITH A WORK DIAMETER CAPACITY EXCEEDING 56 INCHES, MILLING MACHINES EXCEEDING FOUR TONS IN WEIGHT, MECHANICAL OR HYDRAULIC PRESSES WITH PRESSURE EXCEEDING 1,000 TONS, AND A LONG LIST OF OTHER TOOLS, EQUIPMENT AND APPARATUS.

NEXT MONTH THE BOARD IS DUE TO SHIFT HEADQUARTERS FROM WEST BERLIN TO KOBLENZ ON THE RHINE, WHERE A BOMB-DAMAGED GOVERNMENTAL PALACE HAS BEEN REPAIRED AT A COST OF ABOUT 6,000,000 MARKS ($1,428,000) FOR ITS USE.

ALLIED THINKING--IN THE PRE-KOREAN ERA--WAS THAT THE BOARD WOULD STAY IN EXISTENCE FOR ANOTHE 10 OR 20 YEARS.

THIS THINKING STEMMED BACK TO THE MORGENTHAU PLAN OF 1944 AND THE POTSDAM PACT OF 1945: THE CREDO THAT SOVIET RUSSIA AND THE WESTERN POWERS WOULD BE FRIENDS FOREVER, AND A HELPLESS GERMANY WAS A SURE-FIRE GUARANTEE OF WORLD PEACE.

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BERLIN, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE WEST BERLIN NEWSPAPER DER TAG SAID TODAY COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY HAS STOPPED PRODUCING DARK BLUE CLOTH FOR THE EAST ZONE'S PEOPLES' POLICE AND STATE-OWNED TEXTILE FACTORIES HAVE RECEIVED LARGE ORDERS FOR KHAKI UNIFORM CLOTH SLIGHTLY DARKER THAN SOVIET ARMY APPAREL.

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NIGHT LEAD NAZIS

BY RICHARD K.O'MALLEY

LANDSBERG, GERMANY, AUG.26-(AP)-NINETEEN NAZI WAR CRIMINALS, INCLUDING FORMER STEEL BARON FRIEDRICH FLICK, WERE FREED TODAY. GOOD PRISON CONDUCT ACCOUNTED FOR THEIR RELEASE ABOUT TWO YEARS EARLY.

PUBLICITY SHY, THEY SCURRIED AWAY FROM NEWSMEN WHO WAITED IN A DRIVING RAIN TO MEET THEM AT THE GATES.

THEY HAD SERVED ABOUT TWO-THIRDS OF THEIR ORIGINAL SENTENCES ON SUCH CHARGES AS EXPLOITING SLAVE LABOR, ASSAULTING CONCENTRATION CAMP PRISONERS, COMMITTING ATROCITIES AND OTHER CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY. ALL BUT ONE HAD BEEN SENTENCED TO SEVEN YEARS.

THE MEN LOOKED REMARKABLY LIKE HOBOES AS THEY SCRAMBLED OUT OF THE BIG STONE PRISON IN WHICH HITLER WROTE "MEIN KAMPF." THEY WORE ILL-FITTING CLOTHES. EACH CARRIED A SMALL BUNDLE.

THE PRIZE PRISONER WAS FLICK, 67, A BEEFY MAN WHOSE WARTIME STEEL EMPIRE EMPLOYED 130,000 WORKERS. HE WAS VONVICCTEH BY AN AMERICAEEKPMILI/ EMP

EMPIRE EMPLOYED 130,000 WORKERS. HE WAS CONVICCTED BY AN AMERICAN MILITARY COURT IN NUERNBERG DEC. 22, 1947, ON CHARGES OF EXPLOITING RUSSIAN SLAVE LABOR AND LOOTING GERMAN-OCCUPIED COUNTRIES.

"GO AWAY! GET OUT!" FLICK SHOUTED AT NEWSMEN AND PHOTOGRAPHERS AS HE SCURRIED THROUGH THE RAIN TO A WAITING SEDAN. A WOMAN SEATED IN THE CAR HELD AN UMBRELLA IN FRONT OF HIS FACE.

DOWN THE ROAD A FEW HUNDRED YARDS, OTTO DIETRICH, 50, WHO WAS HITLER'S PRESS CHIEF, PREPARED TO ENTER A CAR BUT HASTILY SLAMMED THE DOOR, PULLED A GRAY CAP OVER HIS EYES AND TOOK OFF ON FOOT WHEN NEWSMEN SOUGHT TO QUESTION HIM.

"THAT'S NO WAY FOR A FORMER PRESS CHIEF TO ACT," A REPORTER CALLED OUT.

DIETRICH, WITHOUT TURNING, LEAPED A FENCE, RAN DOWN A RAILROAD TRACK, ZIG-ZAGGED ACROSS A FIELD AND DISAPPEARED IN A CLUMP OF BUSHES.

DIETRICH AND WALTHER DARRE, FORMER FOOD AND AGRICULTURE MINISTER ALSO FREED, WERE CONVICTED IN THE "MINISTRY CASES" IN NUERNBERG OF SS MEMBERSHIP AND ATROCITIES AGAINST CIVILIANS. KARL RASCHE, ANOTHER RELEASED PRISONER, WAS SENTENCED FOR PLUNDERING.

HEINRICH LEHMANN, DIRECTOR OF LABOR SUPPLY FOR THE KRUPP EMPIRE, WAS SERVING SIX YEARS FOR USING SLAVE LABOR, AND KURT ROTENBERGER, FORMER UNDERSECRETARY IN THE JUSTICE MINISTRY, WAS SENTENCED FOR CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY.

TWO OTHER HIGH NAZIS RELEASED TODAY WERE:

RUDOLPH LEHMANN, FORMER LAWYER, JUDGE AND SS GENERAL, SENTENCED FOR DRAFTING ORDERS FOR THE EXECUTION OF CAPTURED COMMANDOS AND SOVIET ARMY COMMISSARS.

FRITZ TER MEER, CHEMIST AND FORMER DIRECTOR OF THE HUGE I.G.FARBEN COMPANY, SENTENCED FOR SPOILATION OF OCCUPIED COUNTRIES AND CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY.

THE ELEVEN OTHERS--LITTLE KNOWN--WERE CONVICTED OF CONCENTRATION CAMP ATROCITIES AND BRUTAL TREATMENT OF CAPTURED ALLIED AIRMEN.

PRISON OFFICIALS SAID THE EIGHT LEADING FORMER NAZIS HAD BEEN EXCELLENT PRISONERS. THEY HELD SUCH PRISON JOBS AS GARDENERS AND SHOP ASSISTANTS. FLICK WAS EMPLOYED IN THE PRISON LIBRARY.

NONE TOLD PRISON AUTHORITIES OF HIS PLANS FOR THE FUTURE.

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BY RICHARD K.O'MALLEY

LANDSBERG, GERMANY, AUG.25-(AP)-FRIEDRICH FLICK, HITLER-ERA STEEL TYCOON, AND 18 OTHER CONVICTED NAZI WAR CRIMINALS SCURRIED OUT OF PRISON BEFORE DAWN TODAY--FREED FOR GOOD BEHAVIOR.

"GO AWAY! GET OUT!" SHOUTED FLIKC AT NEWSMEN AND PHOTOGRAPHERS AS HE RACED THROUGH A DRIVING RAIN TO A WAITING SEDAN.

THE RELEASE OF THE 19 WAS THE BIGGEST SINGLE EXODUS OF WAR CRIMINAL PRISONERS SINCE THE UNITED STATES BEGAN OPERATING THE BIG STONE PRISON HERE, WHERE HITLER WROTE HIS "MEIN KAPMF."

THEY HAD SERVED TWO-THIRDS OF THEIR ORIGINAL SENTENCES AND WERE FREED UNDER RELAXED REGULATIONS INCREASING TIME OFF FOR GOOD CONDUCT. ALL BUT ONE HAD BEEN SENTENCED TO SEVEN YEARS IMPRISONMENT FOR WAR CRIMES.

THE PRISONERS, HOLDING BUNDLES BEFORE THEIR FACES TO FOIL CAMERAMEN, FLED TO AUTOMOBILES IN WHICH RELATIVES AND FRIENDS SAT.

IN LESS THAN TWO MINUTES, ALL HAD ROARED OUT OF THE PRISON'S OUTER COURT YARD.

THE 69-YEAR-OLD FLICK, WHOSE WARTIME STEEL EMPIRE EMPLOYED 130,000 PERSONS, WAS CONVICTED BY AN AMERICAN MILITARY COURT IN NUERNBERG DEC. 22, 1947, ON CHARGES OF EXPLOITING RUSSIAN SLAVE LABOR AND LOOTING THE GERMAN-OCCUPIED COUNTRIES. THE 2 1/2 YEARS HE ALREADY HAD BEEN IN PRISON WERE DEDUCTED FROM HIS SENTENCE.

LAST MARCH, HE DENIED THAT HE WAS SEEKING HIS RELEASE IN EXCHANGE FOR DISCLOSING IMPORTANT INFORMATION.

A FEW HUNDRED YARDS FROM THE PRISON TODAY HITLER'S FORMER PRESS CHIEF OTTO DIETRICH PREPARED TO CLIMB INTO A CAR. WHEN PHOTOGRAPHERS APPROACHED HASTILY, HE SLAMMED THE DOOR, PULLED A GRAY CAP DOWN OVER HIS EYES AND TOOK OFF AT A DOG-TROT WITH NEWS MEN IN PURSUIT.

A REPORTER CALLED OUT TO HIM, "THAT'S NO WAY FOR A FORMER PRESS CHIEF TO ACT."

HE WAVED HIS HAND WITHOUT TURNING AND SHOUTED, "NEIN. NEIN" (NO. NO).

AS A REPORTER GOT CLOSER TO HIM THE WIZENED-FACED MAN LEAPED A FENCE AND RAN DOWN A RAIL ROAD TRACK WITH REPORTERS IN FULL PURSUIT. DIETRICH ZIG-ZAGGED ACROSS A FIELD AND DOVE INTO A CLUMP OF BUSHES. REPORTERS LOST HIS TRACK AS HE DODGED AROUND FARMHOUSES.

THE SMALL SEDAN WHICH HAD AWAITED HIM ROLLED AWAY TOWARDS THE NEARBY CENTER OF THE CITY.

PRISON OFFICIALS SAID THE 67-YEAR-OLD FLICK HAD BEEN A GOOD PRISONER AND AT HIS RELEASE WAS EMPLOYED AT THE PRISON LIBRARY.

OTHERS RELEASED TODAY INCLUDED WALTHER DARRE, FORMER FOOD AND AGRICULTURE MINISTER; KARL RASCHE, FORMER HEAD OF THE DRESDENER BANK; HEINRICH LEHMANN, SERVING SIX YEARS, FORMER DIRECTOR OF THE LABOR SUPPLY FOR THE KRUPP EMPIRE; KURT ROTHENBERGER, FORMER UNDERSECRETARY IN THE JUSTICE MINISTRY; RUDOLPH LEHMANN, FORMER LAWYER, JUDGE AND SS GENERAL; AND FRITZ TER MEER, CHEMIST AND FORMER DIRECTOR OF THE BIG I.G. FARBEN COMPANY.

THE 11 OTHERS RELEASED TODAY--LITTLE KNOWN FIGURES--INCLUDED SIX CONVICTED OF CONCENTRATION CAMP ATROCITIES AND OF ATROCITIES AGAINST CAPTURED ALLIED FLIERS.

PRISON OFFICIALS SAID THE EIGHT LEADING FORMER NAZIS HAD BEEN EXCELLENT PRISONERS AND HAD CAUSED NO TROUBLE. THEY HELD PRISON JOBS RANGING FROM GARDENERS TO ASSISTANT IN THE PRISON LEATHER SHOP.

NONE OF THEM TOLD PRISON AUTHORITIES WHAT PLANS HE HAD FOR RESUMPTION OF CIVILIAN LIFE.

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BONN, GERMANY, AUG. 25-(AP)-COL.GEN.LEO GEYR VON SCHWEPPENBURG, A GERMAN TANK EXPERT WHO FOUGHT THE ALLIES IN NORMANDY IN 1944, PROPOSED TODAY THAT WEST GERMANY RECRUIT HER WORLD WAR II VETERANS FOR DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

A TALL WHITE-HAIRED MAN WITH A CLIPPED PRUSSIAN ACCENT, VON SCHWEPPENBURG HAD A LONG TALK WITH CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER ON THE CHANCELLOR'S PROPOSALS FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A WEST GERMAN ARMED FORCE.

LATER HE HELD A NEWS CONFERENCE--THE FIRST CONDUCTED BY A GERMAN GENERAL SINCE 1945--TO DISCLOSE THESE DISCUSSIONS. HE CONTENDED THE "STAINS ON THE HONOR" OF GERMAN PROFESSIONAL SOLDIERS SHOULD BE REMOVED BY A CALL TO DUTY IN THE PROPOSED FORCE. HE SAID HE HAD ASKED THAT "OPPORTUNISTS" BE BARRED.

A GERMAN GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN TOLD NEWSMEN RIGHT AFTER THE ADENAUER-VON SCHWEPPENBURG CONFERENCE THAT THE OFFICIAL REASON FOR THEIR MEETING WAS DISCUSSION OF PENSIONS FOR FORMER REGULAR ARMY SOLDIERS. THE NEWSMEN LAUGHED.

ADENAUER HAS PUBLICLY DEMANDED THAT WESTMGERMANY BE GIVEN AN ARMED POLICE FORCE OF PROBABLY 65,000 MEN TO MATCH THE COMMUNIST GERMAN ARMY CREATED BY THE RUSSIANS IN THE SOVIET ZONE. HE ALSO HAS APPEALEDPURGEVTLYPTOTE UMITEDVTTE, BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO INCREASE THEIR OCCUPATION GARRISONS.

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GERMAN ARMY CREATED BY THE RUSSIANS IN THE SOVIET ZONE. HE ALSO HAS APPEALED URGENTLY TO THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO INCREASE THEIR OCCUPATION GARRISONS.

HE RECEIVED ASSURANCES YESTERDAY FROM U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY THAT THESE PROPOSALS AND ANY OTHERS HE MIGHT OFFER FOR WEST GERMANY'S DEFENSE WOULD RECEIVE PROMPT CONSIDERATION FROM THE ALLIED HIGH COMMISSION.

THE DECISIONS, HOWEVER, WILL BE UP TO THE HOME GOVERNMENT. THE FOREIGN MINISTERS OF THE THREE OCCUPYING POWERU ARE TO MEET IN NEW YORK NEXT MONTH.

THE QUESTION OF WEST GERMAN SECURITY WAS OFFICIALLY REPORTED DISCUSSED AT A MEETIVSOXTQE CABINET TODAY. THE SPOKESMAN, HOWEVER, SAID DETAILS OF THE DISCUSSION WERE SECRET.

ADENAUER HAD LUNCH LATER WITH THE BRITISH HIGH COMMISSIONER, SIR IVONE KIRKPATRICK.

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FRANKFURT, GERMANY, AUG. 25-(AP)-AMERICAN HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J.MCCLOY TOLD A COMMUNIST YOUTH GROUP TODAY THAT THE STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION "ATTEMPTS TO DIVERT ATTENTION FROM COMMUNIST AGGRESSION."

"THE BASIC HYPOCRISY OF THE 'PEACE APPEAL' IS ILLUSTRATED BY THE FACT TNMR

"THE BASIC HYPOCRISY OF THE 'PEACE APPEAL' IS ILLUSTRATED BY THE FACT THAT, JUST BEFORE THE NORTH KOREAN ARMED FORCES LAUNCHED THEIR UNPROVOKED ATTACK AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, MORE THAN HALF THE POPULATION OF NORTH KOREA WAS REPORTED TO HAVE SIGNED THE PETITION," MCCLOY SAID.

MCCLOY REJECTED AN INVITATION TO SIGN THE PETITION FROM THE COMMUNIST FREE GERMAN YOUTH GROUP IN THE TOWN OF KEMPTAU-ERZGEBIERGE IN THE SOVIET ZONE.

IN HIS LETTER TO THE GROUP, HE SAID:

"MY INABILITY TO BECOME ONE OF THE SIGNATORIES COMES I THINK FROM A GREATER INTEREST IN PEACE THAN THAT WHICH YOU PROFESS. THE STOCKHOLM RESOLUTION SEEKS TO PROMOTE THE UTTERLY ILLUSORY AND UNENFORCEABLE SOVIET PROPOSALS CONCERNING ATOMIC ENERGY AND IGNORING THE EFFECTIVE CONTROL PLAN APPROVED BY THE OVERWHELMING MAJORITY OF UNITED NATIONS."

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FUESSEN, GERMANY, AUG.25-(AP)-AN AMERICAN OBSERVATION PLANE CRASHED AND WRECKED ON THE LANDING STRIP HERE YESTERDAY AND THE PILOT SUSTAINED LIGHT INJURIES, THE U.S. ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

HE IS LT.RICHARD SCOTT OF CENTRALIA, ILL. (EDITOR: STREET ADDRESS UNAVAILABLE). SCOTT SUSTAINED A LIGHT CONCUSSION, BRUISES AND ABRASIONS WHICH SENT HIM TO HOSPITAL. THE PLANE, ATTACHED TO THE 70TH FIELD ARTILLERY BATTALION, CRASHED WHEN ITS MOTOR FAILED AT ABOUT 200 FEET.

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VIENNA, AUSTRIA, AUG.25-(AP)-THE WESTERN ALLIES PROPOSED TODAY THAT THE ALLIED COUNCIL STOP TRYING TO FORCE AUSTRIANS TO PURGE THEIR OWN PRIVATE LIBRARIES.

THE RUSSIANS REFUSED TO GO ALONG WITH THE IDEA, BUT THE MATTER WAS DROPPED THERE--AND PROBABLY FOR ALL TIME. IT LOOKED LIKE A FINAL VICTORY FOR THE AUSTRIANS.

THE ISSUE HAS BEEN POPPING UP FOR SOME FIVE YEARS. IN OCTOBER, 1945, THE FOUR POWERS UNANIMOUSLY ORDERED THE AUSTRIANS TO DESTROY NAZI LITERATURE, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF COPIES PLACED IN THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES FOR HISTORIC INTEREST. THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT CARRIED OUT PRACTICALLY ALL THE MAJOE POINTS IN THIS DIRECTIVE.

AUSTRIAN MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT, HOWEVER, BALKED WHEN IT CAME TO —*

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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAI,AUG.25-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY SAID TODAY "SOCIALIST COMPETITION" IS BEING EMPLOYED TO COMBAT RISING ABSENTEEISM IN SOME CZECH COAL MINES.

THE AGENCY SAID ABSENTEEISM HAS RISEN 15 TO 17 PER CENT IN SOME MINES IN THE OSTRAVA AND KARVINA FIELDS IN SILESIA. SOCIALIST COMPETITION CONSISTS OF CONTESTS AMONG WORKERS TO SEE WHO CAN PRODUCE THE MOST.

PRIZE WINNERS ARE CALLED SHOCK WORKERS. TODAY THE SLOVAK COMMISSION FOR EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND ART ANNOUNCED IT WOULD HANG PICTURES OF SHOCK WORKERS IN ALL SCHOOLS FROM KINDERGARTEN CLASSES ON UP IN ORDER TO POPULARIZE SOCIALIST COMPETITION AMONG THE CHILDREN.

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ATHENS, GREECE, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE LIBERAL PARTY NEWSPAPER VIMA TODAY ACCUSED GREEK RIGHTISTS OF CONSPIRING TO PREVENT THE FORMATION OF A CENTER COALITION AND TRYING TO SEIZE POWER THROUGH A CARETAKER GOVERNMENT.

THE PAPER NAMED FOREIGN MINISTER PANAYOTIS PIPINELIS, A ROYALIST, AS THE BRAINS OF THE ALLEGED CONSPIRACY.

FORMER PREMIER JOHNI THEOTOKIS, WHO HEADED A CARETAKER GOVERNMENT LAST MARCH, WAS ALSO NAMED AS A RING LEADER OF THE ALLEGED PLOT.

VIMA SAID THE AMERICAN AND BRITISH EMBASSIES WERE BOTH AWARE OF THE MANIPULATIONS.

A HIGH AMERICAN SOURCE RECENTLY TOLD REPORTERS THAT SUCH A PLOT DOES EXIST AND THAT THE EMBASSY WAS DETERMINED TO PREVENT ITS BEING CARRIED OUT IF POSSIBLE.

GREECE NOW HAS A COALITION HEADED BY LIBERAL LEADER SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS. IT FOLLOWED THE COALITION GOVERNMENT OF PREMIER NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS WHICH FELL LAST WEEK.

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ATHENS, GREECE, AUG.25-(AP)-FEAR WAS EXPRESSED HERE TODAY THAT BLOODY FIGHTING MAY BREAK OUT IN THE CRETAN MOUNTAINS BETWEEN TWO POWERFUL RIVAL POLITICAL FAMILIES AS A RESULT OF THE ABDUCTION OF A 19-YEAR-OLD GIRL BY HER LOVER THREE DAYS AGO.

THE GIRL, STASSOULA PETRACOGEORGI, DAUGHTER OF LIBERAL MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT GEORGE PETRACOGEORGI, WAS KIDNAPED FROM THE PUBLIC SQUARE IN HERAKLEION, CRETAN CAPITAL, BY CONSTANTINE KEPHALOYANNIS. THE GIRL IS BEING HELD, WILLINGLY OR UNWILLINGLY, SOMEWHERE ON PSILORHITIS MOUNTAIN, SOUTH OF HERAKLEION.

KEPHALOYANNIS IS THE BROTHER OF ROYALIST MP MANUEL KEPHALOYANNIS. CONSTANTINE IS REPORTED TO HAVE SWORN HE WOULD KILL HIS SWEETHEART AND HIMSELF RATHER THAN LET THEM BE SEPARATED. RELATIONS BETWEEN THEIR TWO FAMILIES HAVE BEEN STRAINED FOR 40 YEARS BECAUSE OF POLITICAL DIFFERENCES.

AFTER THE ABDUCTION, GEN.GEORGE SAMUEL, COMMANDER OF THE GENDARMERIE, AND INSPECTOR GEN.EUTHIMIOS TSATALOS RUSHED TO CRETE IN AN ATTEMPT TO PREVENT REPRISALS AMONG THE HOT-BLOODED CRETANS. THE METROPOLITAN OF THE GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH AND THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF CRETE HAVE BEEN TRYING TO MEDIATE THE DISPUTE. MEANWHILE, YOUNG MEN ON CRETE WERE SAID TO BE PICKING SIDES FOR WHAT COULD BE A

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PURGING THEIR PRIVATE LIBRARIES, AS THE RUSSIANS HAD DEMANDED. THE POSITION OF THE WEST WAS THAT AUSTRIA WAS A DENAZIFIED COUNTRY BY NOW ANY WAY, AND NO FURTHER ACTION BY THE OCCUPYING POWERS WAS NECESSARY.

FED UP WITH THE WHOLE QUESTION, THE WEST WAS WILLING TO CONCEDE THE POINT TO THE AUSTRIAN DEPUTIES. THE SOVIET COMMISSIONER REFUSED TO GO ALONG WITH THE BRITISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN COMMISSIONERS ON A PROPOSAL ADVANCED BY THE AMERICAN TO DROP THE WHOLE THING. BUT THE ISSUE NOW PROBABLY WILL DIE OF ITS OWN ACCORD.

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MOSCOW, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE REV. JEAN DE MATHA THOMAS, RECTOR OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST.LOUIS OF FRANCE, WILL LEAVE MOSCOW SOON, IT WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

FATHER THOMAS' RESIDENCE PERMIT WAS NOT RENEWED. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE SOVIET FOREIGN AFFAIRS MINISTRY TOLD THE FRENCH EMBASSY RECENTLY THAT THE PRIEST WOULD HAVE TO LEAVE RUSSIA.

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SEVERAL PORTIONS OF THIS DISPATCH WERE NOT RECEIVED, PRESUMABLY BECAUSE OF THE STRICT SOVIET CENSORSHIP.

FATHER THOMAS, A FRENCH ASSUMPTIONIST PRIEST, CAME TO MOSCOW TO ASSUME THE RECTORSHIP OF ST.LOUIS' CHURCH IN JUNE, 1947.

PRIOR TO THAT HE SERVED IN BULGARIA AND HAD SPENT 17 YEARS IN YUGOSLAVIA. HE WAS A PRISONER OF THE GERMANS DURING WORLD WAR II.

FRENCH OFFICIALS CHARGED A YEAR AGO THAT THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT APPARENTLY WAS ATTEMPTING TO TAKE FULL CONTROL OF THE ONLY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH STILL FUNCTIONING IN MOSCOW. THE CHURCH AN OUTGROWTH OF A FRENCH MISSION, IS STILL FRENCH PROPERTY.

THE CONGREGATION, HOWEVER, IS INTERNATIONAL AND INCLUDES MEMBERS OF THE VARIOUS EMBASSIES AND LEGATIONS. IT HAS ALSO BEEN SERVED BY FRENCH SPEAKING AMERICAN PASTORS. THE LATEST OF THESE IS THE REV.LOUIS ROBERT BRASSARD OF WORCESTER, MASS., WHO ARRIVED JAN. 20 THIS YEAR AS CHAPLAIN FOR THE AMERICAN CATHOLICS IN MOSCOW.

APPARENTLY FATHER BRASSARD NOW WILL BE THE ONLY CATHOLIC PRIEST REMAINING FOR THE INTERNATIONAL CONGREGATION.

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MOSCOW,AUG.25-(AP)-WALWORTH BARBOUR, MINISTER-COUNSELLOR IN THE U.S. EMBASSY HERE, LEFT BY PLANE TODAY FOR HIS REGULAR ANNUAL VACATION IN THE UNITED STATES. HIS FIRST STOP WILL BE HELSINKI, FINLAND.

BARBOUR IS EXPECTED TO CONSULT WITH STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON DURING HIS AMERICAN LEAVE.

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MOSCOW, AUG. 25-(AP)-PRAVDA TODAY ACCUSED WILLIAM J.SEBALD, U.S. MEMBER AND CHAIRMAN OF THE ALLIED COUNCIL FOR JAPAN, OF "INTENTIONALLY LYING" ABOUT THE NUMBER OF JAPANESE WAR PRISONERS IN RUSSIA.

A LENGTHY EDITORIAL IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY PAPER ASSERTED THAT ALLEGATIONS THERE ARE ANY UNRELEASED JAPANESE PRISONERS IN THE U.S.S.R. ARE COMPLETELY FALSE.

(SEBALD TOLD A TOKYO MEETING OF THE COUNCIL AUG. 3 THAT 370,000 JAPANESE REMAIN UNACCOUNTED FOR IN RUSSIA.)

PRAVDA ASSERTED THAT THERE ARE HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF JAPANESE CAPTURED BY THE UNITED STATES ABOUT WHICH NOTHING HAS EVER BEEN HEARD.

IT SAID THERE REMAIN LARGE NUMBERS OF JAPANESE WAR PRISONERS WHO ARE BEING HELD BY THE WESTERN POWERS, BUT WHO REMAIN LISTED FORMALLY AS "MISSING."

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moscow, aug. 25-(ap)-the moscow press gave prominent play today to an appeal from thousands of mothers, wives and children of greek communists condemned asking generalissimo stalin to intercede on their behalf.

the appeal said that despite the end of greece's civil war, thousands awaited execution. the letter said there were 2,877 persons in

the paper said these prisoners would already have been executed had it not been for stalin's intervention.

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premier nicholas plastiras' government fell earlier this month because of public dissatisfaction over his granting of amnesty to convicted anti-government activity during greece civil war.

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NIGHT LEAD FORMOSA
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG.25-(AP)-A STEPPED-UP CHINESE COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA DRIVE AGAINST THE UNITED STATES AND THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT WAS IN THE MAKING TODAY.

BUT NATIONALIST INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATED THE REDS STILL HAD A LONG WAY TO GO BEFORE THEY COULD UNDERTAKE AN INVASION OF FORMOSA.

NATIONALIST LEADERS SAW THE FIRST SALVO OF THE PROPAGANDA BARRAGE IN NEW CHARGES BY RED CHINA THAT THE U.S.HAS ENGAGED IN "ARMED AGGRESSION" IN FORMOSA. THIS CONTENTION WAS VOICED BY CHINESE COMMUNIST PREMIER-FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI IN A COMPLAINT TO THE UNITED NATIONS.

NATIONALIST SOURCES BELIEVE THIS WAS DESIGNED TO OFFSET CONTINUING NATIONALIST CHINESE CHARGES THAT RUSSIA HAS ENGAGED IN AGGRESSION ON THE CHINESE MAINLAND.

THE NATIONALISTS ALSO THINK THE CHINESE REDS ARE TRYING TO CONFUSE THE KOREAN ISSUE WITH A DIVERSIONARY PROPAGANDA THRUST.

WHILE THE FULL IMPACT AND IMPORTANCE OF THE PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN WAS YET TO BE DETERMINED, A HIGH NATIONALIST OFFICIAL SAID THE COMMUNISTS HAVE A LOT OF PREPARATORY WORK BEFORE THEY COULD INVADE FORMOSA, LAST MAJOR REDOUBT OF THE NATIONALISTS.

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AMBASSADOR WELLINGTON KOO IN WASHINGTON QUOTED INTELLIGENCE REPORTS AS SAYING THAT IF THE INVASION DID NOT COME WITHIN THE NEXT THREE WEEKS--AND CHANCES ARE IT WON'T--THEN BAD WEATHER WOULD MAKE ATTACK IMPOSSIBLE FOR SEVERAL MONTHS.

KOO ALSO SAID THE COMMUNISTS STILL HAVE A LOT OF BUILD-UP WORK TO COMPLETE BEFORE THEY WOULD BE IN SHAPE FOR A LARGE-SCALE OVERWATER MILITARY OPERATION. THE AMBASSADOR EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THAT FORMOSA CAN BE HELD.

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BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 25-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALISTS LOOKED ON RED CHINA'S CHARGES OF AMERICAN "ARMED AGGRESSION" IN FORMOSA TODAY AS A DOUBLE-EDGED SOVIET PROPAGANDA WEAPON.

THEY INTERPRETED THE ATTACK BY PEIPING'S RED PREMIER-FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI AS:-

1. THE OPENING OF A PHASE OF THE NEW-ANGLED PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.
2. AN ANSWER TO NATIONALIST CHINA'S CONTINUING CHARGES OF SOVIET AGGRESSION IN CHINA.

IT IS ALSO REGARDED AS AN ADDED MEANS TO CONFUSE THE KOREAN ISSUE BEFORE THE U.N.

CHOU SENT HIS COMPLAINT TO THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL TWO DAYS AFTER THE NATIONALIST CABINET NAMED A FIVE-MAN DELEGATION HEADED BY FOREIGN MINISTER GEORGE YEH TO PRESS ITS CHARGES OF SOVIET AGGRESSION BEFORE THE U.N. ASSEMBLY OPENING IN NEW YORK SEPT. 19.

THE RED COUNTER-CHARGE OF AMERICAN AGGRESSION IN NATIONALIST CHINA (FORMOSA) FITS THE SOVIET PATTERN OF ANSWERING CRITICISM BY ATTACKING THE ACCUSER. IT COULD FURNISH ENDLESS AMMUNITION FOR THE SOVIET BLOC IN DEBATES BEFORE THE 59-NATION ASSEMBLY.

IT WAS TAKEN HERE AS MORE THAN COINCIDENCE THAT CHOU'S COMPLAINT CAME SO QUICKLY AFTER THE NATIONALISTS ANNOUNCED THEIR CHARGES OF SOVIET AGGRESSION WOULD BE ARGUED BY A REINFORCED DELEGATION.

CHOU'S PROMISE TO "LIBERATE" FORMOSA WAS DISMISSED BY GEN. CHANG YI-TING, NATIONALIST MILITARY SPOKESMAN, AS A REPETITION OF PREVIOUS RED BOASTS.

CHANG NOTED, HOWEVER, THAT COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA HAS SOMETIMES BEEN FOLLOWED BY MILITARY ACTION.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE RANK AND FILE OF COMMUNIST ARMIES ON THE RED MAINLAND HAD NO STOMACH FOR AN INVASION OF FORMOSA. HE SAID MORALE WAS LOW AMONG POTENTIAL INVASION TROOPS AND MOST WERE CONVINCED IF THEY TRIED TO CROSS FORMOSA STRAIT, NOW PATROLLED BY THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET, NINE OUT OF TEN WOULD NEVER SEE THE MAINLAND AGAIN.

CHANG SAID NATIONALIST GUERRILLAS OPERATING IN CHINA PROPER HAVE HELPED CUT DOWN RED MORALE. HE CREDITED GUERRILLAS WITH KILLING 100,000 COMMUNISTS IN THE FIRST SEVEN MONTHS OF THIS YEAR.

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A59KX
(170)
NIGHT LEAD BRITISH TROOPS

HONG KONG, AUG. 25-(AP)-BRITISH INFANTRYMEN, 1,500-STRONG, SAILED TONIGHT TO JOIN UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

THEY LEFT ABOARD THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER UNICORN AND THE CRUISER CEYLON. THE MEN ARE FROM THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS AND MIDDLESEX REGIMENTS.

THE SOLDIERS BOARDED SHIP IN A CURIOUS ATMOSPHERE OF A HOLIDAY CRUISE AND THE URGENCY OF WAR. BANDS PLAYED AND WHISTLES BLEW AS THE BATTLE-CLAD TROOPS CARRIED THEIR GEAR FROM THE PIER.

MALCOLM MACDONALD, BRITISH COMMISSIONER GENERAL FOR SOUTHEAST ASIA, TOLD THEM THEY WOULD BE FIGHTING NORTH KOREANS BUT THAT THE WEAPONS AND STRATEGY OF THE ENEMY WERE RUSSIAN.

"EVERY TIME YOU STRIKE AT THE NORTH KOREANS," HE SAID, "YOU WILL BE STRIKING A BLOW AT THE COMMUNIST ATTEMPT TO CONQUER NOT ONLY ASIA BUT ALSO EUROPE; NOT ONLY KOREA BUT ALSO GREAT BRITAIN."

UNDER NORMAL CRUISING CONDITIONS THE TWO SHIP-LOADS OF INFANTRY SHOULD MAKE THE 1,500-MILE TRIP TO KOREA IN ABOUT THREE DAYS.

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A99FX
SECOND LEAD BRITISH TROOPS (180)
BY GORDON TAIT
HONG KONG, AUG. 25-(AP)-FIFTEEN HUNDRED BRITISH INFANTRYMEN SAILED TONIGHT TO JOIN UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA---WARNED THAT THEY WOULD BE FACING RUSSIAN WEAPONS AND STRATEGY.

THE MEN OF THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS AND MIDDLESEX REGIMENTS BOARDED THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER UNIFORN AND CRUISER CEYLON IN A CRUISE-LIKE ATMOSPHERE.

BUT MALCOLM MACDONALD, BRITISH COMMISSIONER GENERAL FOR SOUTHEAST ASIA, TOLD THEM:

THEY WOULD BE FIGHTING NORTH KOREANS, BUT THE REDS' WEAPONS, TRAINING AND STRATEGY WERE RUSSIAN.

"EVERY TIME YOU STRIKE AT THE NORTH KOREANS," THE COMMISSIONER SAID, "YOU WILL BE STRIKING A BLOW AT THE COMMUNIST ATTEMPT TO CONQUER NOT ONLY ASIA, BUT ALSO EUROPE; NOT ONLY KOREA, BUT ALSO GREAT BRITAIN.

"YOU WILL BE FIGHTING IN NORTH KOREA AS MUCH IN DEFENSE OF YOUR HOMELAND AS IF YOU WERE FIGHTING ON THE FIELDS OF FRANCE OR EVEN ON THE BEACHES OF ENGLAND ITSELF. X X X

"THIS IS THE FIRST TIME IN HISTORY THAT THE FREE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD HAVE BEEN MUSTERED IN ARMS UNDER AUTHORITY OF A GREAT ORGANIZATION LIKE THE UNITED NATIONS. THEREFORE YOU WILL BE FIGHTING AS CRUSADERS."

WHETHER THE TWO SHIPS WERE GOING DIRECT TO KOREA WAS A MILITARY SECRET. UNDER NORMAL CRUISING CONDITIONS THE 1,500-MILE TRIP TO KOREA WOULD TAKE ABOUT THREE DAYS.

A BAND OF ARGYLL PIPERS SKIRLED FAREWELLS AS THE BATTLE CLAD TROOPS LUGGED THEIR RIFLES AND STEN GUNS ABOARD THE VESSELS EARLIER IN THE AFTERNOON.

BRITAIN HAS ANNOUNCED PLANS TO SEND A TOTAL OF APPROXIMATELY 5,000 GROUND TROOPS TO FIGHT IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT.

(NO PICKUP)

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HONG KONG, AUG. 25-(AP)-SOME 1,500 BRITISH INFANTRYMEN MARCHED ABOARD THE CRUISER CEYLON AND THE AIRCRAFT UNICORN TODAY, BOUND FOR THE KOREAN FRONT.

TROOPS OF THE MIDDLESEX AND ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND REGIMENTS MADE UP THE CONTINGENT, WHICH WILL JOIN THE UNITED NATIONS LAND FORCES.

A BAND OF ARGYLL PIPERS SKIRLED AS THE BATTLE-CLAD TROOPS LUGGED THEIR RIFLES AND STEN GUNS ABOARD THE VESSELS.

THE WARSHIPS PROBABLY WILL SAIL TONIGHT WHETHER THEY ARE GOING DIRECT TO KOREA IS A MILITARY SECRET.

UNDER NORMAL CRUISING CONDITIONS THE 1,500-MILE TRIP WOULD TAKE ABOUT THREE DAYS.

THE BRITISH HAVE ANNOUNCED THEY WILL SEND A TOTAL OF APPROXIMATELY 5,000 TROOPS TO TAKE PART IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT.

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A168FX (RUSSIAN SHIP)

(110)

HONG KONG, SATURDAY, AUG. 26-(AP)-AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES SAID TODAY THAT THE FIRST FOREIGN SHIP TO ENTER CANTON HARBOR SINCE THE COMMUNISTS TOOK OVER CONTROL OF THE CITY ARRIVED FRIDAY.

THE SOURCES SAID THAT IT WAS A RUSSIAN SHIP, THE 1,619-TON AZOV. THE AZOV LEFT HONG KONG THURSDAY WITHOUT PASSENGERS. IT WAS COMMANDED BY CAPT. L.SERGEV.

THE CHINESE REDS IN CANTON HAVE STEADFASTLY REFUSED TO GRANT ENTRY PERMITS TO BRITISH AND OTHER SHIPPING FIRMS HERE.

THE SHIP'S AGENTS, THE METROPOLITAN SHIPPING COMPANY, SAID THE AZOV CARRIED NO CARGO. ENGLISH-LANGUAGE PRESS REPORTS SAID THE RUSSIAN SHIP "CARRIED SEVERAL TONS OF UNIDENTIFIED CARGO."

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B20 (Q)

KX (APW) (170)

RANGOON, BURMA, AUG.25-(AP)-THE BURMESE LAWYER FOR DR.GORDON S. SEAGRAVE WILL ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN RELEASE OF THE AMERICAN MISSIONARY DOCTOR FROM PRISON ON A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS, IT WAS AUTHORITATIVELY LEARNED HERE TODAY.

THE SOURCE SAID ATTORNEY KYAW MYING WILL FILE THE WRIT IN THE BURMESE SUPREME COURT SATURDAY.

THE 53-YEAR-OLD DR.SEAGRAVE HAS BEEN IN A RANGOON JAIL SINCE AUG.18 FOR INTERROGATION ON SUSPICION THAT HE HELPED REBEL KAREN TRIBESMEN IN THEIR FIGHT FOR INDEPENDENCE FROM THE CENTRAL BURMA GOVERNMENT.

DR.SEAGRAVE WAS ARRESTED AT NAMKHAM IN THE NORTHERN SHAN STATES ON THE CHINA-BURMA BORDER, WHERE HE RUNS A HOSPITAL.

AN UNOFFICIAL BUT WELL-INFORMED SOURCE SAID THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT HAS SUSPECTED SEAGRAVES OF COLLABORATING WITH THE KARENS FOR SOME TIME. THE SOURCE SAID SEAGRAVE IGNORED A GOVERNMENT SUMMONS EARLIER THIS YEAR TO COME TO RANGOON TO EXPLAIN HIS ACTIONS. INSTEAD, SAID THE SOURCE, HE SENT HIS SISTER, DR.GRACE SEAGRAVE, WHO WORKS WITH HIM AT NAMKHAM.

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B14 (Q)

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CALCUTTA, INDIA, AUG.25-(AP)-A DISPATCH TO THE NEWSPAPER STATESMAN TODAY FROM GANGTOK, IN NORTHEASTERN INDIA, SAID AMERICAN VICE-CONSUL DOUGLAS S.MACKIERNAN WAS KILLED INSTANTLY WHEN HIS PARTY WAS FIRED ON ALONG THE TIBETAN BORDER IN APRIL.

FRANK BESSAC, 28, OF LODI, CALIF., WHO WAS ACCOMPANYING MACKIERNAN IN A CAMEL CARAVAN FROM ISOLATED SINKIANG, IN NORTHWEST CHINA, TO TIBET, TOLD THE STORY. THE AMERICAN VICE-COUNSUL WAS SHOT BY TIBETAN BORDER GUARDS, WHO MISTOOK HIS PARTY FOR BANDITS OR COMMUNIST RAIDERS. TIBET APOLOGIZED TO THE UNITED STATES.

"AS SOON AS THE TIBETAN GUARDS FIRED ON OUR CARACAN," BESSAC SAID, "I RAISED MY HANDS, SIGNALING WHEN I WAS SHOT IN THE LEFT HAND. MACKIERNAN WAS KILLED INSTANTANEOUSLY."

BESSAC REACHED LHASA, TIBETAN CAPITAL, ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO AND PLANS TO STAY THERE FOR A TOTAL OF 50 DAYS. HE SAID HE IS BEING WELL TREATED BY THE TIBETANS.

WHEN THE STATESMAN'S CORRESPONDENT SAW THE AMERICAN, THE LATTER, DRESSED IN TIBETAN ROBES, WAS ATTENDING A STATE BANQUET CELEBRATING THE WEDDING OF THE SON OF THE RULER OF SIKKIM, AN INDIAN STATE. GANGTOK IS IN SIKKIM.

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B47 (Q) (230)

BY SEYMOUR TOPPING

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SAIGON, VIETNAM, INDOCHINA, AUG. 25-(AP)-WESTERN DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS HERE DOUBT THE AUTHENTICITY OF A DOCUMENT PURPORTED TO BE THE TEXT OF A MILITARY PACT BETWEEN COMMUNIST CHINA AND THE HO CHI MINH VIET MINH REGIME.

THE DOCUMENT WAS PUBLISHED WEDNESDAY BY THE FRENCH HIGH COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE HERE.

THESE OBSERVERS FIND THE ACTUAL TEXT DOES NOT CONFORM TO THE CUSTOMARY INTERNATIONAL TREATY FORM. THEY SUGGEST THAT THE DOCUMENT WHICH THE FRENCH ARMY CLAIMS TO HAVE CAPTURED FROM THE VIET MINH MAY BE A DRAFT OF A TREATY OR SOMETHING USED BY THE ANTI-FRENCH GUERRILLAS FOR PROPAGANDA PURPOSES IN THEIR OWN ZONE.

THE ALLEGED TREATY CALLS FOR FIVE CHINESE COMMUNIST DIVISIONS TO BE SENT IMMEDIATELY INTO INDOCHINA IN SUPPORT OF THE VIET MINH TROOPS AND AN EVENTUAL FULL SCALE MILITARY BACKING OF A GENERAL OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE FRENCH.

FRENCH OFFICIALS TOLD CORRESPONDENTS THAT THEY COULD NOT GUARANTEE THAT THE DOCUMENT WAS THE OFFICIAL TEXT OF THE MILITARY PACT, BUT THEY ADDED THAT THEY BELIEVED THE CONTENTS TO BE ESSENTIALLY CORRECT.

WELL-INFORMED FRENCH POLITICAL CIRCLES ARE TREATING THIS REPORT OF A CHINESE VIET MINH ALLIANCE WITH CONSIDERABLE SCEPTISISM. BUT A SURVEY OF OFFICIAL SOURCES INDICATES THE BELIEF THAT THE DOCUMENT, WHATEVER IT IS, WAS ACTUALLY CAPTURED DURING MILITARY OPERATIONS BY THE FRENCH.

MOST DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS FEEL THAT THERE IS ALREADY SOME KIND OF MILITARY AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND HO CHI MINH. A CLOSE COOPERATION BETWEEN THEM ALONG THE BORDER, RELIABLY REPORTED TO INCLUDE COMMUNIST TRAINING AND SUPPLY FOR HO'S FORCES, POINT TO SUCH AGREEMENT.

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(650)
SECOND NIGHT LEAD APPROPRIATIONS
BY JOHN B. OWEN

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE HOUSE TODAY PASSED A $35,554,490,425 BILL FOR REGULAR GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY SPENDING AND GOT WORD THAT THE ARMED FORCES SOON MAY ASK FOR STILL ANOTHER $10,000,000,000.

STUDYING THESE AS TRONOMICAL FIGURES, HOUSE MEMBERS TURNED TO CONSIDERATION OF A SECOND GIGANTIC APPROPRIATION MEASURE--$16,711,084,47 FOR EMERGENCY DEFENSE NEEDS PILED ON BY THE WORLD CRISIS.

IF ALL THREE SUMS ARE WRITTEN INTO LAW IT WOULD PUSH THE BUDGET FOR THIS FISCAL YEAR TO $70,000,000,000, COUNTING FUNDS FOR FIXED CHARGES SUCH AS DEBT INTEREST WHICH ARE NOT APPROPRIATED. (THIS WOULD BE $25,000,000,000 TO $30,000,000,000 ABOVE NORMAL.)

THE 35 BILLION DOLLAR MEASURE WAS PASSED BY VOICE VOTE AFTER THE HOUSE APPROVED THESE CONTROVERSIAL SECTIONS:

1. A MANDATORY $62,500,000 LOAN FOR FRANCO SPAIN. THIS HAD BEEN WRITTEN IN BY THE SENATE AT $100,000,000 DESPITE PROTESTS OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON THAT THE LOAN SHOULD BE HANDLED IN THE REGULAR MANNER. IT WAS CUT BY COMPROMISE IN CONFERENCE COMMITTEE, AND THE HOUSE CONCURRED AFTER SHARP DEBATE WITH SUPPORTERS CONTENDING SPAIN IS OF STRATEGIC DEFENSE IMPORTANCE TO THE U.S.

2. A $26,900,000 "POINT 4" FUND FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO UNDERDEVELOPED NATIONS. THIS FOLLOWED A RENEWED PLEA BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN WHO PROTESTED A CONFERENCE COMMITTEE SLASH TO $15,000,000 AS A "TRAGIC BLUNDER" WHICH WOULD AID THE COMMUNISTS. IT WAS THE ONLY INCREATE MADE BY THE HOUSE IN THE BILL AS IT CAME FROM THE SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE.

3. ACCEPTED A $200,000,000 CUT BY THE CONFERENCE IN MARSHALL PLAN FUNDS AS VOTED BY THE SENATE. THIS LEAVES $2,250,000,000 IN NEW MONEY PLUS $276,000,000 IN LEFT-OVER FUNDS TO OPERATE THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN IN WESTERN EUROPE FOR A THIRD YEAR ENDING NEXT JULY.

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THE FINAL VERSION OF THE BILL, WHICH FINANCES GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND GIVES THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SOME $14,600,000,000, IS $2,287,867,723 BELOW PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S BUDGET ESTIMATES. IT COVERS THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING NEXT JULY 1. THE TOTAL INCLUDES BOTH CASH AND CONTRACT WRITING AUTHORITY.

THE BULKY MONEY BILL MOVED TO THE SENATE FOR FINAL APPROVAL. SENATOR MCKELLAR (D-TENN) GOT THE SENATE TO AGREE TO TAKE IT UP QUICKLY ON MONDAY. HE SAID IT SHOULD TAKE "ONLY A FEW MOMENTS" TO GET SENATE APPROVAL AND SEND IT ON TO MR.TRUMAN.

NEWS OF THE POSSIBLE NEW $10,000,000,000 MILITARY REQUEST WAS GIVEN THE HOUSE BY REP.MAHON (D-TEX), MEMBER OF THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE.

MAHON, REPORTING THAT DEFENSE OFFICIALS ARE WORKING ON ESTIMATES OF NEEDS THIS YEAR, SAID:

"THE INDICATIONS ARE THAT ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS WITHIN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS WILL APPROXIMATE $10,000,000,000."

MAHON GAVE A HINT THAT THE FUNDS WOULD BE FOR COST OF FOUR NATIONAL GUARD DIVISIONS BEING CALLED UP, AND "A LARGE INCREMENT OF MARINES."

SHOULD A GLOBAL WAR BREAK OUT WITHIN TWO YEARS, MAHON PREDICTED THAT MILITARY COSTS WOULD SKYROCKET TO $100,000,000,000 OR MORE A YEAR.

MAHON SAID THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN TAKING "MANY CALCULATED RISKS" AND HAS BEEN FACED WITH THE CHOICE OF DOING SO OR OF ARMING MILLIONS OF MEN AND SCATTERING THEMAT STRATEGIC

MILLIONS OF MEN AND SCATTERING THEM AT STRATEGIC PLACES ALL OVER THE WORLD.

"PERHAPS," HE SAID, "WE ARE BETTER PREPARED IN SOME RESPECTS TO BEGIN TO FIGHT AN ALL-OUT MAJOR WAR AGAINST THE HEARTLAND OFTHEPOJ

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BEGIN TO FIGHT AN ALL-OUT MAJOR WAR AGAINST THE HEARTLAND OF THE POTENTIAL ENEMY THAN WE ARE TO FIGHT SMALL WARS AT POINTS PICKED AT RANDOM ALL OVER THE EARTH."

THE HOUSE REFUSED TO GO ON RECORD IN APPROVING THE SPANISH LOAN 164-80. ONLY SEVEN MEMBERS SUPPORTED A MOVE TO RECORD THE VOTE.

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REP.SMITH (D-VA), OPPOSING THE LOAN, TOLD THE HOUSE IT SHOULD LISTEN TO ADVICE FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE PRESIDENT BEFORE TRYING TO MAKE FOREIGN POLICY.

REP.TABER (R-NY) SAID HE FAVORED THE LOAN BECAUSE THE COUNTRY SHOULD USE EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO STRENGTHEN ITSELF MILITARILY.

THE LOAN WAS TERMED BAD BUSINESS, BAD POLITICS AND BAD MILITARY POLICY BY REP.HOLIFIELD (D-CALIF), BUT OTHER MEMBERS SPOKE OF SPAIN AS A "NATURAL EUROPEAN FORTRESS" AND A LIKELY ALLY OF THIS COUNTRY IN EVENT OF WAR WITH RUSSIA.

THE BILL PROVIDES THAT THE ECONOMIC COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION, WHICH RUNS THE MARSHALL PLAN, WILL HANDLE THE LOAN.

PRESIDENT TRUMAN PUT THE PRESSURE ON THE HOUSE, IN A LETTER TO SPEAKER RAYBURN, TO BUILD BACK UP HIS FUND TO OPEN UP THE POINT 4 PROGRAM. THE PLAN CONTEMPLATES TECHNICAL AND OTHER AID TO THE WORLD'S UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS. IT GETS ITS NAME FROM ITS POSITION AS POINT 4 IN HIS 1949 INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

THE PROGRAM, MR.TRUMAN WROTE RAYBURN, HAS BECOME A SYMBOL OF HOPE FOR MILLIONS OF PEOPLE.

"IN COUNTRIES WHERE THE CHOICE BETWEEN COMMUNIST TOTALITARIANISM AND THE FREE WAY OF LIFE IS IN THE BALANCE," HE SAID, "THIS PROGRAM CAN TIP THE SCALES TOWARD THE WAY OF FREEDOM."

THE MOVE IN CONGRESS TO SAVE SOME $10,000,000, THE PRESIDENT SAID, "WILL DO MORE FOR THE COMMUNISTS IN THEIR ATTACK ON THE FREE WORLD THAN HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS OF DOLLARS OF THEIR OWN PROPAGANDA." HE WENT ON:

"AT A TIME WHEN WE ARE CALLING UPON OUR YOUNG MEN TO GO INTO BATTLE IN THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM, I CAN CONCEIVE OF NO MORE TRAGIC BLUNDER THAN TO THROW AWAY THIS OPPORTUNITY OF DOING SO MUCH TO STRENGTHEN THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM AT SUCH LITTLE COST."

IF THE CUT STANDS, MR.TRUMAN SAID, THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE POINT 4 PROGRAM WILL LARGELY BE DESTROYED. BUT BEYOND THAT, HE SAID, THE WORLD WILL REGARD IT AS EVIDENCE THAT AMERICA CANNOT BE DEPENDED ON TO HELP THE PEOPLES IN UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS IMPROVE THEIR LOT.

ANOTHER ITEM OF CONTROVERSY IN THE MONEY BILL WAS A PROVISION FOR A $62,500,000 (M) LOAN TO SPAIN. MR.TRUMAN IS AGAINST THE SPANISH LOAN, TOO, BUT HE HAD HAD HIS SAY ON THAT PREVIOUSLY.

IN LINE BEHIND THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION BILL ON THE HOUSE SCHEDULE WAS ANOTHER FOR $16,771,084,479 CARRYING AN EMERGENCY TAG. THIS IS TO HELP FINANCE THE FIGHTING IN KOREA AND THE REARMING OF AMERICA AND HER PARTNERS TO MEET COMMUNIST THREATS ELSEWHERE.

THE SENATE HASN'T HAD A CHANCE AT THIS BILL YET.

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A55WX
(500) NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS
WASHINGTON, AUG. 25-(AP)-SENATE-HOUSE CONFEREES WERE DEADLOCKED TODAY ON THE QUESTION OF GIVING PRESIDENT TRUMAN A FREE HAND IN IMPOSING WAGE-PRICE CONTROLS.
SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE, TOLD NEWSMEN THE RESULT MAY BE TO STRIP ALL AUTHORITY FOR WAGE-PRICE CONTROL FROM THE HOME-FRONT MOBILIZATION BILL.
THE LEGISLATION HAS BEEN PASSED BY BOTH CHAMBERS OF CONGRESS, BUT THE SENATE VERSION WOULD IMPOSE SOME TIGHT RESTRICTIONS ON THE PRESIDENT'S POWER. IT WOULD REQUIRE HIM TO ORDER WAGE AND PRICE CONTROLS SIMULTANEOUSLY AND VIRTUALLY ACROSS THE BOARD IF HE INVOKED THEM AT ALL.
THE HOUSE VERSION WOULD GIVE MR.TRUMAN FULL DISCRETION TO PUT THE CONTROLS INTO EFFECT ON A SELECTIVE BASIS OR ACROSS THE BOARD.
SENATE AND HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEES ARE NOW TRYING TO IRON OUT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TWO BILLS.
MAYBANK TOLD REPORTERS THAT A MOVE TO CUT OUT ALL WAGE-PRICE CONTROL AUTHORITY FROM THE LEGISLATION IS UNDER CONSIDERATION. HE SAID THE ISSUE WILL BE SETTLED NEXT TUESDAY WHEN THE CONFERENCE GROUP MEETS AGAIN.
MAYBANK SAID THE SENATE GROUP DEADLOCKED BY A 4-TO-4 VOTE ON A PROPOSAL TO REMOVE THE SENATE PROVISION--AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR BRICKER (R-OHIO)--CURBING THE PRESIDENT'S POWER.
ALTHOUGH ONLY THE SENATE CONFEREES WERE SPLIT, THE DEADLOCK COVERED THE ENTIRE SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE GROUP. THAT IS BECAUSE EACH CHAMBER VOTES AS A UNIT IN SETTLING DIFFERENCES. THE HOUSE CONFEREES ARE STANDING PAT ON THE HOUSE VERSION GIVING MR.TRUMAN A FREE REIN.
SENATOR ROBERTSON (D-VA), ONE OF THE CONFEREES, VOTED AGAINST THE BRICKER AMENDMENT IN THE SENATE LAST MONDAY, BUT TODAY HE SWITCHED AND BROUGHT ABOUT THE 4-4 TIE BY VOTING TO KEEP IT IN THE BILL.

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VOTING TO JUNK THE BRICKER AMENDMENT IN TODAY'S ACTION WERE MAYBANK AND SENATORS FULBRIGHT (D-ARK), TAYLOR (D-IDAHO) AND SPARKMAN (D-ALA).
VOTING TO KEEP THE AMENDMENT WERE SENATORS BRICKER, ROBERTSON, CAPEHART (R-IND) AND FLANDERS (R-VT).
THE NINTH SENATE CONFEREE, SENATOR TOBEY (R-VT), WAS ABSENT. TOBEY VOTED FOR THE BRICKER AMENDMENT IN THE SENATE ON MONDAY.
MAYBANK SAID HE WOULD RATHER HAVE THE BILL STRIPPED OF ALL WAGE-PRICE CONTROL AUTHORITY THAN TO HAVE IT ENACTED WITH THE BRICKER "ALL OR NOTHING" AMENDMENT.
"THE BILL IS NOT WORTH A DAMN WITH THAT IN IT," MAYBANK SAID.
BOTH THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE BILLS WOULD AUTHORIZE MR.TRUMAN TO INVOKE CONSUMER RATIONING AT ANY TIME. THAT PROVISION DID NOT GET INTO TODAY'S CONTROVERSY, BUT REMOVAL OF WAGE-PRICE CONTROL AUTHORITY FROM THE LEGISLATION PROBABLY WOULD YANK OUT RATIONING POWER TOO.
MR.TRUMAN DID NOT ASK CONGRESS FOR WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING AUTHORITY. HE HAS SAID, HOWEVER, THAT HE WOULD BE GLAD TO HAVE SUCH STANDBY POWER IF CONGRESS DID NOT TIE TOO MANY RESTRICTIVE STRINGS.
ADMINISTRATION LEADERS HAVE FOUGHT THE BRICKER AMENDMENT ON THE GROUND IT WOULD TIE THE PRESIDENT'S HANDS TO A GREAT EXTENT.
MAYBANK SAID HE WOULD INTRODUCE A SEPARATE WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROL BILL IF AUTHORITY FOR THOSE CURBS IS KNOCKED OUT OF THE PENDING LEGISLATION.
HE SAID IT WOULD BE NECESSARY TO HOLD COMMITTEE HEARINGS ON ANY NEW BILL AND IT PROBABLY COULD NOT BE PUSHED TO A FINAL VOTE IN CONGRESS IN LESS THAN 30 DAYS.
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A50WX
JOHNSON-ACHESON (130)
WASHINGTON, AUG. 25-(AP)-SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON SAYS HE AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON "ARE GETTING ALONG PERFECTLY."
TALKING WITH REPORTERS AFTER LEAVING A CABINET SESSION AT THE WHITE HOUSE TODAY, JOHNSON WAS ASKED ABOUT A COLUMNIST'S REPORT THAT HE HAD CRITICIZED ACHESON. THE COLUMNIST SUGGESTED THAT SENATOR BREWSTER (R-ME) REPORTEDLY HAD SAID JOHNSON HAD SUPPLIED INFORMATION FOR A GOP CAMPAIGN AGAINST ACHESON.
"I'VE NEVER SAID ANYTHING ABOUT MR. ACHESON THAT WASN'T KINDLY AND IN SUPPORT OF HIM," JOHNSON TOLD THE NEWSMEN.
"THE COOPERATION HE AND I HAVE HAD HAS BEEN ALL THAT ANY TWO CABINET MEMBERS COULD EXPECT FROM EACH OTHER. I NEVER HAVE CRITICIZED MR. ACHESON."
JOHNSON SAID HE DID NOT EVEN KNOW PRESCOTT S. BUSH, A REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR THE SENATE IN CONNECTICUT, WHO WAS MENTIONED IN THE COLUMNIST'S ARTICLE.
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A61KX (BRIDGES & SHORTS)
NIGHT LEAD BRIDGES (400)
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 25-(AP)-HARRY BRIDGES WAS RELEASED ON $25,000 BAIL TODAY FROM THE COUNTY JAIL, WHERE HE HAD SPENT 20 DAYS BECAUSE THE GOVERNMENT BELIEVED HIM A MENACE TO NATIONAL SECURITY.
THEN HE TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT HIS VIEWS ON THE KOREAN WAR SITUATION HAD NOT CHANGED.
"THE SITUATION IN THE FAR EAST IS NOT WAR," THE LEFTWING CIO LONGSHORE LEADER DECLARED. "IT IS MORE OF A REVOLUTIONARY SITUATION. IT IS SOMETHING LIKE BUTTING IN ON A FIGHT BETWEEN A MAN AND HIS WIFE."
HE ALSO TALKED OF A THIRD WORLD WAR, SAID THE NATIONAL CIO WOULD KICK HIS BIG UNION OUT NEXT WEEK, AND CALLED THE SPECIAL GOVERNMENT PROSECUTOR WHO OBTAINED HIS CONVICTION ON PERJURY-CONSPIRACY CHARGES A "SUPERPATRIOT."
"IF WE FOLLOW THROUGH COMPLETELY ON THE PRESIDENT'S DECISIONS WITH RESPECT TO KOREA, FORMOSA, AND THE PHILIPPINES AND INDOCHINA, IT INEVITABLY MEANS A THIRD WORLD WAR," BRIDGES SAID.
"AND IF THERE IS A THIRD WORLD WAR, IT WILL LAST MANY, MANY YEARS."
REFERRING TO SPECIAL PROSECUTOR F. JOSEPH DONOHUE, THE LONGSHORE LEADER SAID, "THAT SUPERPATRIOT WON'T ENLIST AND GO TO KOREA TO FIGHT. IF HE DOES, I WILL."
BRIDGES' $25,000 BAIL WAS REVOKED AUGUST 5 WHEN DONOHUE CALLED HIM A "MENACE" TO THE COUNTRY'S INTERNAL SECURITY IN AN IMPASSIONED PLEA TO FEDERAL JUDGE GEORGE B. HARRIS.
JUDGE HARRIS, IN REVOKING BAIL, SAID HE AGREED WITH THE PROSECUTOR THAT BRIDGES WAS AND IS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, AND A DANGER TO THIS COUNTRY IN PROSECUTION OF THE KOREAN WAR.
BRIDGES CALLED DONOHUE "THE SCAPEGOAT IN THIS. YOU DON'T THINK MCGRATH (ATTORNEY GENERAL J. HOWARD MCGRATH) AND TRUMAN ARE GOING TO TAKE THE BLAME FOR DUMPING THE CONSTITUTION OVERBOARK. DONOHUE IS THE GOAT SO HE CAN GET BLAMES. THERE IS AN ELECTION COMING UP, REMEMBER?"
IN WASHINGTON, DONOHUE HAD EXPRESSED HIMSELF AS SHOCKED AT THE FEDERAL COURT OF APPEALS RULING HERE THAT HELD BRIDGES SHOULD BE FREED ON BAIL PENDING OUTCOME OF HIS APPEAL ON THE PERJURY-CONSPIRACY CONVICTION.

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DONOHUE, WHO HAD ANNOUNCED HE WOULD RESIGN FROM FEDERAL SERVICE AS A RESULT OF THE CIRCUIT COURT REVERSAL, RELENTED AT THE PERSUASION OF ATTORNEY GENERAL MCGRATH AND SAID LATE TODAY HE WOULD STAY ON THE JOB.

DONOHUE, A PRIVATE PRACTICING ATTORNEY IN WASHINGTON, WAS APPOINTED SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO HANDLE THE BRIDGES PROSECUTION IN MARCH, 1949.

SENATOR LANGER (R-ND) MEANTIME CALLED FOR A THOROUGH CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION OF FEDERAL JUDGES IN THE WAKE OF THE COURT DECISION RELEASING BRIDGES FROM JAIL.

A RESOLUTION INTRODUCED BY LANGER WOULD DIRECT MEMBERS OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEES TO DETERMINE WHETHER THERE ARE ANY FEDERAL JUDGES WHO ARE COMMUNISTS, COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS, OR MEMBERS OF SUBVERSIVE ORGANIZATIONS.

THE APPEALS COURT RULING FREEING BRIDGES WAS A 2-TO-Q DECISION.

THE JUDGES WHO VOT

THE JUDGES WHO VOTED FOR BRIDGES' RELEASE ON BAIL WERE WILLIAM E. ORR AND WILLIAM HEALY.

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LANGER TOLD THE SENATE THAT IF THE FACTS IN THE BRIDGES CASE ARE AS THEY HAVE BEEN STATED TO HIM, BOTH JUDGE ORR AND JUDGE HEALY "SHOULD BE IMPEACHED AND THROWN OUT OF OFFICE."

"IF, ON THE OTHER HAND," HE ADDED, "THE FACTS ARE OTHERWISE, THEY SHOULD BE RETAINED."

THE INIESTIGATION PROPOSED BY LANGER, HOWEVER, WOULD COVER THE ENTIRE FEDERAL JUDICIARY.

BRIDGES, BORN IN AUSTRALIA, WAS FOUND GUILTY OF LYING WHEN HE SAID HE WAS NOT A COMMUNIST. THIS STATEMENT WAS MADE AT THE TIME HE WAS NATURALIZED IN 1945.

BRIDGES SAID HE WOULD NOT ATTEND THE NATIONAL BOARD MEETING OF THE CIO NEXT MONTH, BUT HIS INTERNATIONAL LONGSHOREMEN'S AND WAREHOUSEMEN'S UNION WOULD BE REPRESENTED BY J. R. ROBERTSON, VICE PRESIDENT WHO HEADED THE ILWU WHILE BRIDGES WAS IN JAIL.

ROBERTSON AND HENRY SCHMIDT, ANOTHER AIDE, WERE CONVICTED WITH BRIDGES, AND ALSO HAVE FILED APPEALS.

"THE NATIONAL CIO IS ALL SET TO KICK US OUT NEXT TUESDAY," BRIDGES SAID. "THAT WILL SAVE US A LOT OF HEADACHES, BEING FREE FROM THAT LOUSY OUTFIT. THAT OLD GRAY MARE HAS GONE A LONG WAY FROM WHAT SHE USED TO BE."

LATER IN NEW YORK, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NATIONAL COMMUNIST PARTY SAID THAT RESTORATION OF BAIL TO BRIDGES HAD BEEN USED AS AN ARGUMENT FAVORING CONTINUANCE OF BAIL FOR THE 11 CONVICTED U.S. PARTY LEADERS.

GUS HALL, NATIONAL SECRETARY, FILED AN AFFIDAVIT WITH THE NEW YORK FEDERAL COURT CALLING ATTENTION TO THE REJECTION OF THE GOVERNMENT'S REQUEST FOR CANCELLATION OF BRIDGES' BAIL ON GROUND THAT HE WAS A "MENACE" TO NATIONAL SECURITY, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE AFFIDAVIT POINTED OUT THAT U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING H.SAYPOL HAD ASKED FOR CANCELLATION OF THE 11 COMMUNIST LEADERS' BAIL ON THE SAME GROUNDS. THE PARTY CHIEFTAINS WERE CONVICTED OF CONSPIRING TO ADVOCATE VIOLENT OVERTHROW OF THE GOVERNMENT. THEY HAVE APPEALED.

HALL'S AFFIDAVIT SUPPLEMENTS ONE FILED BY HIM AND JOHN GATES, DAILY WORKER EDITOR AND ONE OF THE 11 CONVICTED, ON AUGUST 16 ANSWERING THE GOVERNMENT'S MOTION FOR BAIL REVOCATION.

IN THE PREVIOUS AFFIDAVIT, HALL CHARGED THE GOVERNMENT'S MOVE TO IMPRISON THE 11 PENDING APPEAL TO THE SUPREME COURT WAS AN EFFORT "TO GAG CRITICS OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S KOREAN POLICY AND OTHER PEACE ADVOCATES."

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LOS ANGELES, AUG. 25-(AP)-THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HAS BLOCKED THE SHIPMENT TO COMMUNIST CHINA BY A CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY SCIENTIST OF 1,800 POUNDS OF MATERIAL WHICH AUTHORITIES SAY CONTAINS INFORMATION RELATING TO MISSILES AND AIR TRAVEL.

A WARRANT OF DETENTION WAS ISSUED YESTERDAY IN FEDERAL COURT TO HALT THE SHIPMENT, CONSIGNED BY PROF.HAUE-SHEN TSIEN, HEAD OF THE GUGGENHEIM JET PROPULSION CENTER AT CALTECH. THE CHINESE SCIENTIST SAID THE MATTER DETAINED IS HIS PERSONAL PROPERTY.

MAX DEUTZ, ASST.U.S.ATTY., SAID DR.TSIEN'S CASES CONTAIN DATA ON IMPROVED TECHNIQUES ON AIR TRAVEL AND MISSILES IN THE FORM OF DOCUMENTS, CODE BOOKS, SIGNAL BOOKS, SKETCHES, PLANS, PHOTOGRAPHS, BLUEPRINTS, NOTES AND OTHER FORMS OF TECHNICAL INFORMATION.

"THE SHIPMENT HAS BEEN DETAINED BECAUSE SOME OF THE INFORMATION IS CLASSIFIED AS SECRET, CONFIDENTIAL OR RESTRICTED," SAID ROY M.GORIN, IN CHARGE OF THE EXPORT DEPARTMENT OF THE OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS HERE. "A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION IS NOW BEING CONDUCTED."

"I WAS PLANNING TO GO TO CHINA," SAID DR.TSIEN. "NOW I AM NOT. I WAS TOLD BY THE IMMIGRATION SERVICE NOT TO GO. I DON'T KNOW WHY THEY ARE INSPECTING MY PROPERTY. I DON'T KNOW THE COMPLETE STORY."

LEO P. POGREBA, ACTING ASSISTANT COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS, SAID IN AN AFFIDAVIT FILED WITH THE COURT THAT DR. TSIEN TRIED TO EXPORT THE CASES LAST MONDAY. HE SAID THEY WERE CONSIGNED TO DR. TSIEN IN SHANGHAI AND WERE TO GO FIRST TO HONG KONG, THEN BE FORWARDED BY AN AGENT. POGREBA SAID THE SHIPMENT FAILED TO COMPLY WITH THE EXPORT CONTROL ACT, THE NEUTRALITY ACT AND THE ESPIONAGE ACT.

THE WORK OF DR. TSIEN AT CALTECH WAS "PURELY ACADEMIC," SAID PROF. CLARK B. MILLIKAN, WHO EXPLAINED THAT THE CHINESE IS NOT CONNECTED WITH CALTECH'S JET PROPULSION LABORATORY, WHERE SECRET RESEARCH IS UNDER WAY.

DR. TSIEN, 40, FORMERLY WAS PROFESSOR OF AERODYNAMICS AT MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND CAME TO CALTECH IN 1948.

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NIGHT LEAD U.N.

BY MAX HARRELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG 25-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES SAID TODAY IT WOULD WELCOME A FULL UNITED NATIONS INQUIRY, EITHER HERE OR ON THE SPOT, INTO CHINESE COMMUNIST CHARGES OF AMERICAN AGGRESSION IN FORMOSA.

CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN MADE IT CLEAR, HOWEVER, THAT THE UNITED STATES WOULD FIGHT ANY ATTEMPTS TO SIDETRACK DISCUSSION OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT TO TAKE UP THE FORMOSA PROBLEM.

IN A LETTER TO SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, AUSTIN LABELLED AS "RIDICULOUS FALSEHOODS" THE AGGRESSION CHARGES MADE YESTERDAY IN A CABLE FROM CHOU EN-LAI, FOREIGN MINISTER OF THE PEIPING REGIME.

AUSTIN DENIED THE UNITED STATES HAD ANY DESIGNS AGAINST CHINESE TERRITORY AND SAID THE ONLY REASON THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET WAS SENT TO PATROL THE STRAIT OF FORMOSA WAS TO PREVENT FURTHER FIGHTING BETWEEN THE COMMUNISTS AND NATIONALISTS.

THE TEXT OF THE AUSTIN LETTER WAS CIRCULATED TO SECURITY COUNCIL MEMBERS JUST BEFORE THE COUNCIL MET UNDER THE PRESIDENCY OF SOVIET DELEGATE JAKOB A. MALIK FOR A LONG FRENCH TRANSLATION

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OF SPEECHES DELIVERED TUESDAY BY AUSTIN, MALIK AND BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB. THE TRANSLATIONS REQUIRED 1 HOUR AND 33 MINUTES.

MALIK THEN MADE WHAT HE CALLED A "CORRECTIVE" SPEECH ANSWERING THE TUESDAY ATTACKS BY AUSTIN AND JEBB. HIS SPEECH WAS MUCH MILDER THAN USUAL. HE REPEATED HIS PREVIOUS CHARGES THAT THE U.S. WAS THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA AND SAID BOTH THE U.S. AND BRITAIN HAVE TRIED TO DESTROY RUSSIA INSTEAD OF ACCEPTING RUSSIA'S OFFERS OF PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE.

LATER MALIK MADE A BRIEF REFERENCE TO THE FORMOSA QUESTION.

HE SAID THE DELEGATES HAD RECEIVED A MESSAGE FROM THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT CHARGING THE UNITED STATES WITH "VIRTUAL OCCUPATION OF THE CHINESE ISLAND OF FORMOSA" AND HAD ALSO RECEIVED AUSTIN'S LETTER. HE SAID HE ASSUMED THE DELEGATES WOULD WANT TIME TO STUDY THEM.

MALIK PROPOSED THAT THE COUNCIL ADJOURN, BUT U.S. DELEGATE ERNEST A. GROSS ASKED FOR THE FLOOR AND READ THE AUSTIN LETTER INTO THE RECORD.

THE SOVIET DELEGATE COUNTERED BY DIRECTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL CONSTANTIN E. ZINCHENKO TO READ CHOU'S CABLE.

NATIONALIST CHINA'S CHIEF DELEGATE T.F. TSIANG SAID:

"THERE HAS BEEN NO UNITED STATES AGGRESSION AGAINST THE ISLAND OF TAIWAN (FTRMOSA), NONE WHATEVER."

MALIK REPLIED THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL "UNDOUBTEDLY WILL DISCUSS THIS QUESTION AND DETERMINE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE MATTER."

THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED UNTIL MONDAY WHEN IT WILL MEET IN CLOSED SESSION TO CONSIDER ITS ANNUAL REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. NO DATE WAS SET FOR THE NEXT MEETING ON KOREA OR FORMOSA.

AUSTIN QUOTED IN FULL PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S STATEMENT OF JUNE 27 AND HIS MESSAGE TO CONGRESS JULY 19. THE FIRST ANNOUNCED THE U.S. DECISION TO SEND MILITARY FORCES TO KOREA AND THE SEVENTH FLEET INTO THE STRAIT OF FORMOSA. THE SECOND AMPLIFIED THE U.S. POLICY IN THE PACIFIC AND SAID THE U.S. WOULD STRENGTHEN ITS AID TO THE PHILIPPINES AND TO THE FRENCH IN INDOCHINA.

AUSTIN SAID THE ACTION IN REGARD TO FORMOSA WAS TAKEN AT A TIME WHE THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS WERE THREATENING TO ATTACK FORMOSA. SUCH AN ATTACK, HE SAID, WOULD HAVE THREATENED THE SECURITY OF U.S. FORCES IN KOREA.

HE THEN SAID:

"THE UNITED STATES WOULD WELCOME UNITED NATIONS CONSIDERATION OF THE CASE OF FORMOSA. WE WOULD APPROVE FULL UNITED NATIONS INVESTIGATION HERE OR ON THE SPOT. WE BELIEVE THAT UNITED NATIONS CONSIDERATION WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO A PEACEFUL, RATHER THAN A FORCEABLE SOLUTION OF THAT PROBLEM.

"WE DO NOT BELIEVE THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL NEED BE OR WILL BE DIVERTED FROM ITS CONSIDERATION OF THE AGGRESSION AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA."

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AUSTIN AGAIN TOUCHED ON THE CONTROVERSIAL QUESTION OF THE FUTURE STATUS OF FORMOSA--A SORE SPOT IN THE RELATIONS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT OF CHIANG KAI-SHEK. AUSTIN SAID THE U.' HOLDS THAT THE ACTUAL STATUS OF FORMOSA IS THAT OF A TERRITORY TAKEN FROM JAPAN BY THE ALLIED FORCES IN THE PACIFIC. ITS FUTURE STATUS, HE SAID, WILL BE DETERMINED BY INTERNATIONAL ACTION. THIS HAS BEEN CHALLENGED BY NATIONALIST CHINA'S CHIEF DELEGATE, T. F. TSIANG, WHO INSISTS FORMOSA IS A PART OF CHINA.

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.25-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES OFFERED TODAY TO SUPPORT AN ON-THE-SCENE INVESTIGATION OF COMMUNIST CHINA'S CHARGES OF AMERICAN AGGRESSION IN FORMOSA.

IN A LETTER TO U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, CHIEF U.S. DELEGATE WARREN R.AUSTIN DENIED THE ACCUSATION MADE YESTERDAY BY CHOU EN-LAI, FOREIGN MINISTER OF THE PEIPING REGIME.

THE U.S.LETTER WAS CIRCULATED JUST BEFORE THE SECURITY COUNCIL MET FOR ITS 2 P.M., EST., SESSION, UNDER THE PRESIDENCY OF SOVIET DELEGATE JAKOB A.MALIK.

AUSTIN SAID THE UNITED STATES WOULD WELCOME CONSIDERATION OF THE FORMOSA PROBLEM BY THE COUNCIL, BUT INSISTED THAT THE KOREAN CONFLICT MUST REMAIN THE NO.1 ISSUE NOW.

THE U.S. MOVE WAS INTENDED TO MEET AN EXPECTED ATTEMPT BY MALIK TO INJECT THE FORMOSA ISSUE INTO THE COUNCIL DEBATE.

THE COUNCIL CONVENED AT 2:22P.M. (EST) AND IMMEDIATELY BEGAN A FRENCH TRANSLATION OF SPEECHES DELIVERED TUESDAY BY MALIK, AUSTIN AND BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB. THE TRANSLATIONS, EXPECTED TO TAKE CLOSE TO TWO HOURS, WERE PUT OVER UNTIL TODAY BY AGREEMENT.

AFTER THE FRENCH TRANSLATIONS, WHICH TOOK UP 1 HOUR AND 33 MINUTES, MALIK REPLIED BRIEFLY TO THE ATTACKS MADE ON HIM TUESDAY BY AUSTIN AND JOBB. HE SAID IT WAS NOT RUSSIA, BUT THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN WHICH HAD REFUSED ALL ATTEMPTS AT PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE. BOTH COUNTRIES, HE SAID, HAVE TRIED IN ALL WAYS TO DESTROY THE SOVIET UNION.

HE MADE NO MENTION OF FORMOSA, AS HAD BEEN EXPECTED.

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U.N. KOREAN

BY STANLEY JOHNSON

LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 25-(AP)-RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK IS EXPECTED TO THROW THE EXPLOSIVE FORMOSAN QUESTION INTO SECURITY COUNCIL DISCUSSIONS TODAY.

HOWEVER, THE ANTI-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES, LED BY THE UNITED STATES, ARE DETERMINED TO KEEP THE COUNCIL'S EYE ON THE KOREAN BALL.

RED CHINA'S FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI GAVE MALIK AN OPENING YESTERDAY BY SENDING CABLES TO HIM AND TO U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE DEMANDING THE OUSTER OF AMERICAN FORCES FROM THE ISLAND NOW CONTROLLED BY THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS. THE CABLES ALSO ANNOUNCED COMMUNIST INTENTIONS TO "LIBERATE" FORMOSA FROM "UNITED STATES AGGRESSORS."

THE ONLY AMERICAN FORCE IN THAT AREA IS THE SEVENTH FLEET, WHICH PRESIDENT TRUMAN SENT JUNE 27 TO PREVENT AN INVASION BY COMMUNIST FORCES FROM THE MAINLAND. AT THE SAME TIME TRUMAN APPEALED TO NATIONALIST LEADER CHIANG KAI-SHEK TO CEASE BOMBINGS OF THE MAINLAND. HE SAID HIS AIM WAS TO NEUTRALIZE FORMOSA AND PREVENT

THE KOREAN WAR FROM SPREADING.
COINCIDENT WITH CHOU'S CABLE TO LAKE SUCCESS, A CHINESE GOVERNMENT SPOKESMAN IN CANTON, CHINA, ACCUSED BRITAIN'S ARMED FORCES IN HONG KONG OF CARRYING OUT A "DELIVERATE" PLAN TO "ENCROACH UPON CHINESE SOVEREIGNTY."
BRITISH FORCES WERE CHARGED WITH FIVE VIOLATIONS OF CHINESE AIR, TERRITORY AND TERRITORIAL WATERS SINCE JULY 6. ALL THE INCIDENTS WERE MINOR BUT THE CHARGES WERE CONSIDERED SIGNIFICANT INASMUCH AS BRITAIN IS NEGOTIATING WITH THE PEIPING REGIME FOR OPENING OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS.
DIPLOMATS HERE BELIEVE MALIK WILL USE CHOU'S APPEAL AS HIS ACE CARD IN RUSSIA'S MONTH-LONG STRUGGLE TO SPLIT THE UNITED NATIONS' SOLID FRONT ON THE KOREAN ISSUE, TO PIN AN "AGGRESSOR" LABEL ON THE UNITED STATES, AND TO LINK THE QUESTION OF KOREA WITH THAT OF CHINA.
INFORMED SOURCES HERE HAVE PREDICTED THAT MALIK WOULD NOT GIVE UP THE PRESIDENCY OF THE COUNCIL, WHICH HE HOLDS ONLY FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, WITHOUT ONE SUPREME EFFORT TO ACCOMPLISH THESE AIMS.

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MALIK'S INTRODUCTION OF THE FORMOSAN QUESTION WOULD BE REGARDED HERE AS A MASTER DIPLOMATIC STROKE AIMED AT ALIGNING BRITAIN AND INDIA, AT LEAST PARTIALLY, AGAINST THE REST OF THE SO-FAR SOLID ANTI-COMMUNIST MAJORITY GROUP IN THE COUNCIL.
BOTH BRITAIN AND INDIA, UNLIKE THE UNITED STATES, HAVE RECOGNIZED THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME. BOTH HAVE TAKEN THE POSITION THAT THEIR SUPPORT OF THE U.S. IN KOREA DOES NOT IMPLY SIMILAR SUPPORT FOR AMERICAN ACTION IN FORMOSA.
THE COUNCIL MAJORITY, IN REJECTING MALIK'S PREVIOUS MOVE TO SEAT COMMUNIST CHINA ON THE COUNCIL, BACKED THE AMERICAN CONTENTION THAT THE KOREAN AND CHINESE QUESTIONS WERE NOT RELATED.
MALIK IS EXPECTED TO INTRODUCE CHOU'S CHARGES REGARDING FORMOSA TO DEVELOP HIS PREVIOUS ASSERTION THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN ALREADY HAD LINKED THE CHINESE AND KOREAN QUESTIONS.
BY SENDING THE SEVENTH FLEET TO FORMOSA AS PART OF A PROGRAM TO LOCALIZE THE CONFLICT IN ASIA.
MALIK, AS PRESIDENT, HAS THE AUTHORITY TO READ ANY COMMUNICATIONS HE DESIRES AT THE OPENING OF ANY COUNCIL MEETING. A U.S. SPOKESMAN SAID, HOWEVER, THAT VIGOROUS OBJECTIONS WOULD BE MADE TODAY IF THE RUSSIAN DELEGATE TRIED TO SUBSTITUTE CHOU'S COMPLAINT FOR A PENDING U.S. RESOLUTION CONDEMNING NORTH KOREA, AS A SUBJECT FOR COUNCIL DISCUSSION.
THE AGENDA FOR TODAY'S COUNCIL MEETING, AFTER THE READING OF COMMUNICATIONS BY MALIK, CALLS FOR THREE HOURS OF FRENCH TRANSLATIONS OF LAST TUESDAY'S SPEECHES. THE NEXT BUSINESS, IF THE SESSION LASTS LONG ENOUGH, PRESUMABLY WILL BE THE SOVIET DELEGATE'S REPLY TO BRITISH AND AMERICAN CHARGES LAST TUESDAY THAT RUSSIA IS EMPLOYING HITLERIAN PROPAGANDA METHODS IN ITS STATEMENTS ON KOREA.
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BULLETIN 5TH N.L. KOREAN

TOKYO, AUG. 27-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST DRIVE DOWN THE EAST COAST OF KOREA IS A FULL SCALE OFFENSIVE, DESIGNED TO RECAPTURE POHANG, A SPOKESMAN AT GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY.

THE REDS INTEND TO CUT WESTWARD TOWARD TAEGU IF THEY ARE ABLE TO REGAIN POHANG, THE SPOKESMAN ADDED.

THE NEW OFFENSIVE DISPELLED ANY SUPPOSITION THE REDS WERE INCAPABLE OF MOUNTING A MAJOR ATTACK.

THE TWO RED DIVISIONS MAKING THE EAST COAST DRIVE HAVE RECEIVED .. REINFORCEMENTS IN MEN AND EQUIPMENT, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

THE ENEMY HOLDS KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, BUT THE SITUATION IN THAT AREA WAS DESCRIBED AS "CONFUSED."

INTELLIGENCE SOURCES SAID THE COMMUNISTS APPEARED TO HAVE GAINED ABOUT TWO AND ONE-HALF MILES, AND PROBABLY ARE ABOUT SIX MILES NORTH AND NORTHWEST OF POHANG--THE U.S. SECONDARY SUPPLY PORT 65 MILES NORTH OF PUSAN.

ON THE WESTERN FRONT, THE SPOKESMAN DISCLOSED THAT COMMUNISTS HAVE SET UP TWO SIZABLE DEFENSE POSITIONS WITH ANTI-TANK GUNS ON THE NAKTONG RIVER.

ONE IS DUE WEST OF YONGSAN, NEAR THE SITE OF THE PUNCTURE CHANGNYONG BULGE, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. THE SECOND IS SEVEN MILES NORTH.

STILL FARTHER NORTH, OPPOSITE HYONPUNG, ANOTHER UNDERWATER CAUSEWAY HAS BEEN CONSTRUCTED. VEHICLE TRACKS HAVE BEEN SPOTTED ON BOTH SIDES OF THE UNDERWATER STRUCTURE.

THE ENEMY POCKET ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER HAS BEEN BUILDING UP SLOWLY FOR MORE THAN A WEEK IN THIS HYONPUNG SECTOR.

IN THE WAEGWAN AREA, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, AND IN THE "BOWLING ALLEY" CORRIDOR, FARTHER EAST, THE 15TH AND 13TH NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS HAVE SUSPENDED OPERATIONS. THESE UNITS WERE BADLY BATTERED IN AN EFFORT TO FORCE THEIR WAY THROUGH THE VALLEY CORRIDOR SOME 15 MILES TO THE ADVANCED U.S. BASTION OF TAEGU. AT ONE TIME THE REDS PENETRATED WITHIN EIGHT MILES OF THE CITY.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE NORTH KOREANS WERE "REACTING SHARPLY" TO ALLIED ATTEMPTS TO PUT PATROLS INTO THEIR TERRITORY.

THE COMMUNISTS ARE BELIEVED TO BE REGROUPING AND AWAITING EQUIPMENT AFTER HEAVY LOSSES IN THEIR RECENTLY ABANDONED SEVEN DAY OFFENSIVE THRUST FROM THE NORTH ON TAEGU.

FARTHER EAST, MIDWAY ALONG THE NORTHERN RIM OF THE ALLIED DEFENSE PERIMETER, THE REDS WERE HITTING HARD AT SOUTH KOREAN UNITS NEAR UISONG. HEADQUARTERS BRIEFING OFFICERS DESCRIBED THIS AS A "SEE-SAW ACTION" AND INDICATED THE COMMUNISTS HAD MADE SOME GAINS.

INTELLIGENCE SOURCES LISTED THREE MAIN POSSIBILITIES FOR ENEMY OFFENSIVES:

1. DOWN ROUTES IN THE WAEGWAN-KUNWI AREA.
2. FROM THE EAST COAST TOWARD YONGCHON.
3. OVER THE CHINJU-MASAN ROUTE TO PUSAN ON THE SOUTHERNMOST FRONT.

THIS WAS BASED ON THE PRESENT DISPOSITION OF RED FORCES.

ALLIED REVERSALS IN THE POHANG SECTOR -- ANCHORING THE NORTHEAST EN OF THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINE--BROUGHT EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER TO THAT FRONT FOR A FIRST HAND INSPECTION. HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY FIFTH AIR FORCE COMMANDER, MAJ. GEN. EARLE PARTRIDG

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ON THE SOUTHERN END OF THE BATTLE FRONT, 35 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN, ADVANCE ELEMENTS OF 15,000 TANK-SUPPORTED COMMUNISTS WERE REPULSED (CORRECT) IN TWO SUNDAY ATTACKS NEAR TUNDOK. THESE ATTACKS WERE BELIEVED POSSIBLY TO PRESAGE A FULLSCALE OFFENSIVE.

THE NEW REVERSES WERE REPORTED IN GENERAL MACARTHUR'S WAR SUMMARY AT 3:55 P.M. TODAY (12:55 A.M. EST SUNDAY). THIS SUMMARY ALSO DISCLOSED THAT THE U.S. SECOND DIVISION HAS GONE INTO THE LINE IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA, 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, REPLACING THE U.S. 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION. THE SECOND DIVISION LAST NIGHT BROKE UP A RED ATTEMPT TO CROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER IN 16 BOATS.

THE SOUTH KOREAN REVERSES ON THE NORTHEAST END WERE IN A SECTOR WHICH OFFERS A LESS FAVORABLE APPROACH TO PUSAN THAN DOWN THE MAIN NORTH ROAD TO TAEGU.

THESE REVERSES WERE SUFFERED BY THE DEFENDERS DESPITE A SUPPORTING BOMBARDMENT OF 1,100 ROUNDS OF HEAVY SHELLS POURED INTO COMMUNIST POSITIONS OVER A 24-HOUR PERIOD, STARTING FRIDAY MORNING, BY AMERICAN WARSHIPS. THIS WARSHIP SUPPORT MAY BE CONTINUING ON AN INCREASED SCALE TODAY.

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THE NEW RED COASTAL PUNCHES WERE DEALT ON A FRONT SOME 35 TO 45 MILES EAST-NORTHEAST OF TAEGU. THE NORTH KOREANS HAD SHIFTED THEIR MAIN FORCES EASTWARD SINCE 50,000 REDS HAD FAILED IN SEVEN DAYS OF FIERCE FIGHTING TO CAPTURE TAEGU. THESE REPEATED ATTACKS ON THE ADVANCED AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE HAD CENTERED ON THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT.

AMERICAN OFFICERS, ANALYZING THE RED DEFEAT BEFORE TAEGU, SAID IT MEANT THE UNITED NATIONS' FORCES HAVE PASSED THE CRISIS AND WILL HOLD ALTHOUGH MINOR WITHDRAWALS STILL ARE TO BE EXPECTED.

THIS WAS THE SITUATION ALONG THE 120-MILE BATTLE PERIMETER, BEGINNING AT POHANG AND CURVING WEST AND SOUTH:

POHANG--LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY, AND LT. GEN. EARL PARTRIDGE, COMMANDER OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE, RUSHED TO THE SECTOR TO STUDY THE SOUTH KOREAN REVERSES NORTH OF POHANG AND SOUTH OF KIGYE. THE RED DRIVE, WHICH AMERICAN OFFICERS HAD BEEN EXPECTING, MENACED NOT ONLY THE PORT CITY OF POHANG BUT A NEARBY AIRFIELD USED BY SUPPLY PLANES. THE CAPITAL DIVISION'S NEW POSITION SOUTH OF KIGYE APPARENTLY WAS DESIGNED TO PROTECT THE MAIN HIGHWAY FROM POHANG TO TAEGU.

TAEGU AREA--NEAR CHONGNO, 24 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU, SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION TROOPS SECURED HIGH GROUND SATURDAY, REOCCUPIED THE VILLAGE OF CHONPYONG AND STRAIGHTENED THEIR LINE. IT HAD BEEN DENTED EARLIER BY SPEARHEADS OF 20,000 REDS. AT TABU, 13 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU, OTHER SOUTH KOREANS SATURDAY NIGHT WIPED OUT THE LAST REMNANTS OF A RED INFILTRATION FORCE WHICH ONCE TOTALLED 1,000 OR MORE.

WAEGWAN AREA, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU--SOUTH OF WAEGWAN, U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SOLDIERS WERE CLEANING UP A COMMUNIST POCKET ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER. THEY ALREADY HAVE KILLED 200. SATURDAY, FIRST CAVALRY PATROLS CROSSED THE NAKTONG AND ENCOUNTERED STRONG RESISTANCE. SINCE THE RED DEFEAT NORTH OF TAEGU, OTHER PATROLS HAVE CROSSED IN THE WAEGWAN AREA AND GONE SEVERAL MILES WEST WITHOUT FINDING ENEMY FORCES, SUGGESTING THEY HAD BEEN SHIFTED ELSEWHERE. IN THE SOUTHERN PART OF THIS SECTOR, AIR RECONNAISSANCE SHOWED THE REDS USING AN UNDERWATER BRIDGE ON THE NAKTONG WITH VEHICLES ON BOTH SIDES.

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CHANGNYONG AREA. 12ND 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU--SATURDAY NIGHT ARTILLERY

OF THE U.S. [redacted] DIVISION BROKE UP AN ATTEMPT BY THE REDS TO CROSS THE NAKTONG IN 16 BOATS. THIS IS IN THE SAME SECTOR WHERE THE REDS SUFFERED ANOTHER MAJOR DEFEAT--ROUT OF THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION'S 12,000-MAN BRIDGEHEAD BY THE U.S. 24TH AND THE FIRST MARINE BRIGADE.

CHINJU-MASAN SECTOR, EXTENDING TO WITHIN 27 AIR MILES OF PUSAN--EARLY TODAY A COMMUNIST COMPANY HIT THE LEFT FLANK OF THE U.S. FIFTH REGIMENT AND FORCED BACK AN OUTPOST BUT THE DEFENDERS REPELLED THE ATTACK. A RED FORCE ESTIMATED AT 15,000 IN THIS AREA HAS BEEN OBSERVED MOVING UP TANKS, SUGGESTING A FULLSCALE OFFENSIVE MAY BE IN THE MAKING. THE AMERICANS HOLD THE KEY PEAKS, INCLUDING BATTLE MOUNTAIN, 11 MILES WEST OF MASAN. THIS PEAK HAS CHANGED HANDS SIX TIMES IN A WEEK.

TO THE REAR OF THE RED CONCENTRATIONS, BEFORE CHINJU TANKS HAVE BEEN OBSERVED MOVING UP, USING UNDERWATER BRIDGES TO CROSS THE NAM RIVER. AMERICAN PLANES SPOTTED A GROUP OF SEVEN TANKS IN THE OPEN TODAY AND SHOT UP FOUR OF THEM.

LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER, FAR EAST AIR FORCE COMMANDER, SAID THAT IN THE FIRST 60 DAYS OF THE WAR, HIS PLANES DEFINITELY HAVE DESTROYED 111 TANKS AND CRIPPLED UNCOUNTED OTHERS.

SHORTLY AFTER DAWN TODAY, BIG SWARMS OF JETS AND MUSTANG FIGHTERS TOOK OFF FROM JAPAN BASES TO KEEP UP ROUND-THE-CLOCK AIR POUNDINGS. AN AIR FORCE SUMMARY SAID THE PLANES MADE "MASSIVE AIR ASSAULTS" SATURDAY, FLYING NEARLY 600 SORTIES.

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B-29S DESTROYED "LARGE QUANTITIES OF ROLLING STOCK" IN MARSHALLING YARDS AT KILCHU, 170 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL WHICH DIVIDES NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.

OTHER B-29S SCORED HITS ON A BIG DOUBLE-TRACK RAILROAD BRIDGE 30 MILES NORTHWEST OF THE FORMER SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL OF SEOUL. PLANES SATURDAY FLEW NEARLY 600 SORTIES.

STRATEMEYER'S 60-DAY SUMMARY SAID THE BIG SUPERFORTRESSES DROPPED 11,500 TONS IN THAT PERIOD, MOSTLY ON INDUSTRIES, RAIL AND ROAD BRIDGES AND MARSHALLING YARDS.

IN AN OVERALL LOOK AT THE WAR SITUATION TO DATE, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH SAID THE PREVAILING OPINION AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IS THAT UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAVE PASSED THEIR LAST MAJOR CRISIS; THAT THE RED DEFEAT NORTH OF TAEGU WAS "ONE OF THE SIGNIFICANT TURNING POINTS OF THE WAR."

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BULLETIN BY DON HUTH

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SUNDAY, AUG.27-(AP)-SOUTH KOREAN UNITS FIGHTING ALONG THE EAST COAST WERE FORCED OUT OF KIGYE LAST NIGHT, AN EIGHTH ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.

THE SOUTH KOREANS WITHDREW TO A ROAD JUNCTION A FEW MILES SOUTH AND EAST OF THE CITY WHICH IS 9 MILES NORTHWEST OF THE PORT OF POHANG, SECOND RANKING U.S.SUPPLY PORT IN KOREA.

ON THE COAST NORTH OF POHANG, OTHER SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WITHDREW TWO MILES TO A POINT ONE HALF MILE SOUTH OF HUNGHAE.

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HUNGHAE IS EIGHT MILES NORTH OF POHANG.

LT.GENERAL WALTON H.WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE 8TH ARMY AND LT.GEN. EARLE PARTRIDGE, COMMANDER OF THE FIFTH AIRFORCE FLEW TO THE POHANG AREA TODAY TO CHECK ON THE SITUATION.

THE RED PENETRATION BETWEEN THE FIRST AND SIXTH SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS NORTH OF TAEGU AND EAST OF TABU HAS BEEN WIPED OUT.

THE REDS HAD INFILTRATED ALONG THE RIDGE AND LAST WEEK GOT BEHIND THE LINES OF THE U.S. 27TH REGIMENT IN THIS SECTOR, BRINGING THE ROAD LEADING SOUTH TO TAEGU UNDER FIRE.

THE REDS WERE DRIVEN OUT IN THE NOW FAMOUS "BATTLE OF THE BOWLING ALLEY" BUT REMNANTS OF THE NORTH KOREAN GUERRILLAS, WHO SLIPPED BEHIND ALLIED LINES, REMAINED A MENACE TO THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST AND SIXTH DIVISIONS.

THE LINE HAS BEEN STABILIZED NOW, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, ON THE SOUTH KOREAN FIRST DIVISION'S RIGHT FLANK AND ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THE REPUBLICAN SIXTH DIVISION.

IN THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION SECTOR ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, AT A POINT DUE WEST OF CHANGNYONG, 16 BOATLOADS OF REDS TRIED TO GET ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER SATURDAY NIGHT, BUT WERE BROUGHT UNDER ARTILLERY FIRE.

CHANGNYONG IS 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE NEW RED ATTEMPT TO CROSS THE NAKTONG WAS AT A POINT NORTH OF THE FORMER CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD. IT WAS HERE THAT AN ESTIMATED 12,000 REDS WERE SHOVED BACK OR KILLED IN FIERCE FIGHTING WITH MARINES AND 24TUBVIWN TCOPUMWJST WEEK.

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12,000 REDS WERE SHOVED BACK OR KILLED IN FIERCE FIGHTING WITH MARINES AND 24TH DIVISION TROOPS LAST WEEK.

SOME 200 COMMUNISTS WERE KILLED AND 46 CAPTURED ON THE NORTH FLANK OF THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION IN A SMALL POCKET ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, SOUTH OF WAEGWAN.

UNITS OF THE FIRST CAVALRY STILL WERE TRYING TO CLEAN OUT THE REMAINDER OF THE ENEMY.

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EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SUNDAY, AUG.27-(AP)-AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE TODAY SAID SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE DRIVEN SOUTH OF KIGYE UNDER COMMUNIST ATTACKS. THE WITHDRAWALS APPEARED TO BE ABOUT TWO MILES.

ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT THE COMMUNIQUE REPORTED A SMALL NORTH KOREAN FORCE HIT AMERICAN, 25TH DIVISION OUTPOSTS AT 1:30 A.M. TODAY AND GAINED SOME GROUND BEFORE IT WAS REPELLED.

THE U.S. 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII REPULSED A HEAVY RED ATTACK SATURDAY MORNING AND CAPTURED A LARGE AMOUNT OF RED EQUIPMENT AND ARMS. SOME 140 COMMUNISTS WERE KILLED IN THE ATTACK.

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SECOND LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (170)

BY RUSSELL BRINES

TOKYO,SUNDAY,AUG.27-(AP)-THE KOREAN REDS SHIFTED THEIR ATTACK TO THE EAST COAST SATURDAY AND SCORED SOME GAINS IN A THREE-PRONGED DRIVE AGAINST SOUTH KOREAN DEFENDERS AFTER FAILING AGAIN TO THRUST THROUGH THE DEADLY KUMHWA CORRIDOR ON THE CENTRAL FRONT.

AMERICAN OFFICERS SAID THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THREE RED DIVISIONS IN THE KUMHWA SECTOR FIGHTING HAD BEEN "CUT IN HALF" AND THE FORWARD DEFENSE BASE OF TAEGU, A DOZEN MILES TO THE SOUTH, WAS SAFE FOR THE PRESENT.

MOVING OVER TO THE POHANG-KIGYE AREA OF THE EAST COAST, THE COMMUNIST INVADERS FLUNG THEMSELVES AGAINST THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD AND

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CAPITAL DIVISIONS.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS RELEASE AT 1:25 A.M. SUNDAY (10:25 A.M., SATURDAY, EST) SAID THE REDS HAD GAINED 2,000 TO 3,000 YARDS (UP TO A LITTLE LESS THAN TWO MILES) BUT HAD FAILED TO CRACK THE LINES.
THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE AIDED BY AMERICAN PLANES WHICH STRUCK IN FORCE SATURDAY AFTERNOON ON THAT EASTERN END OF THE 120-MILE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINE.

THEIR ROCKETS, BOMBS AND MACHINE RUNS HELPED SOUTH KOREANS CHECK A "HEAVY ATTACK" ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED.
AIRMEN REPORTED THE REST OF THE FRONT QUIET. BUT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE SPEARHEAD OF AT LEAST 20,000 REDS HIT SOUTH KOREAN FORCES FOR THE SECOND CONSECUTIVE DAY NEAR CHONGNO, 30 MILES NORTHWEST OF KIGYE AND 13 MILES NORTHEAST OF KUMHWA. THE U.S. 8TH ARMY SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE HOLDING FAST AFTER LAUNCHING A SHARP COUNTERATTACK WHICH REGAINED A MILE OF LOST GROUND.
THIS IS ON A MORE ROUND-ABOUT ROAD TO THE AMERICAN ADVANCE BASE OF TAEGU THAN THE KUMHWA HIGHWAY WHERE ALLIED TROOPS MANGLED THREE RED DIVISIONS WHO TRIED FOR A WEEK TO SMASH THROUGH THE DEATH TRAP CORRIDOR.
THESE RED DIVISIONS PULLED BACK, APPARENTLY TO REGROUP. ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT DON WHITEHEAD REPORTED THE PULLBACK MOMENTARILY EASED THE MAIN THREAT TO TAEGU. FIELD OFFICERS SAID THE BADLY MAULED DIVISIONS COULDN'T LAUNCH A NEW ATTACK FOR AT LEAST 10 DAYS.
IN TAEGU ITSELF, U.S. AMBASSADOR JOHN J. MUCCIO SAID THE THREAT TO THAT IMPORTANT AMERICAN BASE HAS PASSED.
AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT BLOCKING THE GATEWAY TO PUSAN, KEY AMERICAN BASE, BEAT OFF TWO RED ATTACKS. IN ONE OF THESE AMERICANS FOUGHT IN THEIR OWN FOX-HOLES, HAND-TO-HAND WITH THE REDS, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED. IN THE OTHER, A COMPANY OF GRENADE THROWING GI'S STOPPED 1,000 REDS TRYING TO TAKE MOUNT SOBUK.
INTELLIGENCE REPORTS SAID AROUND 15,000 REDS HAVE ASSEMBLED IN THIS SOUTHWEST SECTOR FOR WHAT MAY BE ANOTHER OFFENSIVE TOWARD PUSAN.

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BUT IN THE NORTH, AMERICAN TROOPS AROUND KUMHWA RELAXED. AP CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH QUOTED AN EIGHTH ARMY SPOKESMAN AS SAYING THESE AMERICAN TROOPS "TOOK SUN BATHS" AFTER SEVEN DAYS OF BITTER FIGHTING.
HUTH SAID, THE AMERICANS, IN SMASHING THE RED THRUSTS AT KUMHWA, HAD PASSED THE MAJOR CRISIS SINCE WITHDRAWING TO THE PRESENT DEFENSE PERIMTER.
FRONTLINE OFFICERS TOLD WHITEHEAD THAT MOST OF THE 30,000 COMMUNISTS IN THIS SECTOR WERE WITHDRAWING BEYOND RANGE OF AMERICAN ARTILLERY.
THESE OFFICERS SAID THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THESE THREE DIVISIONS--THE THIRD, 13TH AND 15TH--AND THE TWO NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS ON THE NEARBY CHONGNO ROAD HAD BEEN "CUT IN HALF."
A SPOKESMAN AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THIS FORCE--THE REDS' LARGEST CONCENTRATION--IS STILL THE MAIN COMMUNIST THREAT.
THE ENTIRE FRONT IS "PRETTY WELL STABILIZED," HE SAID. BUT THE REDS STILL OUTNUMBER UNITED NATIONS DEFENDERS AND STILL "RETAIN THE CAPABILITY OF ATTACKING AT SEVERAL PLACES SIMULTANEOUSLY."
BUT, HE ADDED, "DURING THE PAST FEW WEEKS WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO MEET THOSE ATTACKS ON PRETTY EVEN TERMS."
PACIFIC FLEET COMMANDER ADM. ARTHUR W. RADFORD, RETURNING FROM KOREA TO PEARL HARBOR, SAID "THE LOW POINT HAS BEEN PASSED" IN THE KOREAN WAR.
HIS OPTIMISM WAS BULWARKED BY RESULTS OF THE WEEK-LONG KUMHWA BATTLE. THE REDS LEFT BEHIND A LITTER OF CORPS, TANKS AND GUNS. THERE WAS NO OVERALL ESTIMATE OF NORTH KOREAN CASUALTIES, BUT THEY LOST 30 TANKS IN THIS SECTOR. AMERICAN ARTILLERY BACKING UP UNITED NATIONS INFANTRYMEN IN THIS SECTOR ALONE FIRED 70,000 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION DURING THE WEEK.
ON A SMALLER SCALE, THE WEARY 25TH DIVISION INFANTRYMEN DEFENDING MOUNT SOBUK IN THE SOUTH DID THE SAME THING. IN THE GRENADE THROWING BATTLE, LT. COL THOMAS B. ROELOFS OF CORRY, PA., REPORTED THE DEFENDING COMPANY "HUNG ON BY THEIR TOENAILS AND DROVE THE COMMUNISTS BACK. THEY WERE MAGNIFICIENT."
POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS COMMUNIST CONCENTRATIONS WERE POCKMARKS ALL AROUND THE FRONT. IN THE RELATIVELY QUIET NAKTONG RIVER FRONT, AN ESTIMATED 6,000 COMMUNISTS WERE SITTING ON THE AMERICAN SIDE OF THE RIVER IN THE HYONPUNG BRIDGEHEAD, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. THEY MAY BE WAITING TO STRIKE IN COORDINATION WITH AN ATTACK ELSEWHERE.

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AMERICAN BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS CARRIED THE ATTACK DEEP INTO NORTH KOREAN TERRITORY SATURDAY. FIGHTER SWEEPS REACHED 300 MILES INTO RED TERRITORY IN A HUNT FOR RED PLANES. THEY FOUND NONE. BOMBERS HAMMERED BRIDGES AND RAIL YARDS.
IT WAS A CONTINUATION OF FRIDAY'S PATTERN--THE BUSIEST DAY OF THE AIR WAR. NEARLY 600 MISSIONS WERE FLOWN FRIDAY. FIFTEEN TANKS AND 10 LOCOMOTIVES KNOCKED OUT. ON ONE FRONT, THE AIR FORCE SAID, ADVANCING INFANTRYMEN FOUND BODIES OF 600 REDS KILLED BY AIR BLOWS.
GUNS OF U.S. WARSHIPS DESTROYED OR HEAVILY DAMAGED MORE THAN 250 BOX CARS THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, THE NAVY ANNOUNCED. MOST OF THEM WERE CAUGHT IN THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT SONGJIN, 185 MILES NORTH OF PARALLEL 38. NAVAL SHELLS SNARLED RAILWAY TRACKAGE AND SET OFF ONE HEAVY EXPLOSION.
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SECOND NIGHT LEAD AERIAL (260)
TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 27-(AP)-HEAVY ALLIED AERIAL STRIKES ON A ROUND-THE-CLOCK PRECISION SCHEDULE HAMMERED UNRELENTINGLY AT COMMUNIST TROOPS AND COMMUNICATION LINES THE LENGTH AND BREADTH OF KOREA SATURDAY AND WERE FOLLOWED BY NEW FIGHTER SWEEPS TODAY.
A MIDDAY SUNDAY SUMMARY BY FAR EAST AIR FORCES HEADQUARTERS SAID NEARLY 600 SORTIES WERE FLOWN SATURDAY BY ALL TYPES OF AIRCRAFT TO AID EMBATTLED AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES.
THIS EFFORT WAS KEPT ROLLING BY "LARGE NUMBERS" OF JET AND MUSTANG FIGHTERS WHICH TOOK OFF AT DAWN THIS MORNING FROM THEIR BASES IN SOUTHERN JAPAN FOR A NEW ROUND OF ATTACKS.
B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES OF FAR EAST BOMBER COMMAND SOARED 155 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL SATURDAY TO SMASH RAILROAD INSTALLATIONS AT KILCHU ON KOREA'S EAST COAST RAIL NETWORK. LARGE QUANTITIES OF ROLLING STOCK WERE DESTROYED.
AIR HEADQUARTERS SAID ROLLING STOCK ON THE EAST COAST LINE "IS LARGELY AT A STANDSTILL" AS THE RESULT OF ATTACKS ON BRIDGES AND MARSHALLING YARDS FROM CHONGJIN SOUTH TO WONSAN.
OTHER B-29S MADE DIRECT HITS ON AN IMPORTANT DOUBLE-TRACK RAILROAD

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BRIDGE, 30 MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL.

LIGHT BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS JOINED IN THE ASSAULT ON BRIDGE POSITIONS NEAR SEOUL TO PREVENT RED MILITARY SUPPLIES FROM TRICKLING SOUTH TO THE WAR FRONTS.

FIGHTERS--FREED BY RELATIVE INACTIVITY ON THE FIGHTING FRONTS SATURDAY--SWARMED NORTH OF THE 37TH PARALLEL FOR LOW LEVEL STRIKES. HEADQUARTERS SAID CONSERVATIVE CLAIMS FOR FIGHTER DAMAGE TO NORTH KOREAN INSTALLATIONS AND EQUIPMENT INCLUDED 26 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, 69 BUILDINGS IN USE FOR MILITARY PURPOSES, FOUR ARTILLERY PIECES ONE TANK, FIVE LOCOMOTIVES AND 130 RAILROAD CARS.

TARGETS FOR THE SUNDAY MORNING FIGHTER SWEEP WERE NOT IDENTIFIED.

AS THE MUSTANGS AND SHOOTING STAR JETS TOOK OFF FOR DAYLIGHT STRIKES, B-26 INTRUDER BOMBERS RETURNED TO BASES FROM SATURDAY NIGHT PROWL MISSIONS OVER CENTRAL KOREA AND THE EAST COAST.

ONE B-26 FLIGHT LED BY MAJ.FRED BRONSON, 1695 WALKER AVE., MEMPHIS, TENN., DIVE-BOMBED RAILROAD YARDS AT PAEKSAN, SOUTH OF SAMCHOK WHICH IS 155 MILES NORTH OF THE U.S.SUPPLY PORT AT PUSAN. BRONSON REPORTED DIRECT HITS ON THE MARSHALLING YARDS AND ON A TUNNEL AND LOCOMOTIVE REPAIR SHOPS IN THE AREA.

OTHER B-26S STABBED AT NORTH KOREAN VEHICLES MOVING AT NIGHT THROUGH SMALL TOWNS IN CENTRAL KOREA. THREE VEHICLES CARRYING SUPPLIES WERE STRAFED.

MUSTANG FIGHTERS RANGED ALONG THE KOREAN EAST COAST BETWEEN THE 39TH AND 49TH PARALLEL UNTIL 11 P.M., BOMBING AND STRAFING RED TRANSPORTATION AND AIRSTRIPS WITH UNOBSERVED RESULTS.

TWIN MUSTANGS AND MARINE CORSAIRS, OPERATING WELL PAST MIDNIGHT IN GOOD WEATHER, BOMBED AND STRAFED NORTH KOREAN BUILDUP AREAS NORTH AND WEST OF TAEGU. HARASSING STRIKES WERE FLOWN IN THE WAEGWAN AREA AND AT THE RED ADVANCED SUPPLY CENTER AT KUMCHON. NO IMMEDIATE RESULTS WERE ANNOUNCED.

PILOTS REPORTED TARGETS WERE HARD TO FIND ON THE IMMEDIATE BATTLE-FRONT SATURDAY BUT THE AIRFORCE HAD ITS PLANES OUT IN FORCE, FOR "A BIG DAY" OF OPERATIONS. SOME 117 SORTIES WERE FLOWN IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS AND ANOTHER 172 SORTIES AGAINST HIGHWAYS AND RAIL LINES.

ONE TANK AND TWO LOCOMOTIVES WERE BAGGED NEAR THE FRONT SATURDAY WHILE AIRMEN SAID THEY DESTROYED THREE RUSSIAN-BUILT PLANES OF THE NORTH KOREAN AIRFORCE ON THE GROUND AT WONSAN AIRBASE, 75 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

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FIRST LEAD AERIAL (140)

TOKYO, AUG. 26-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS FIGHTER PLANES TODAY BLASTED RED KOREANS ATTACKING ON THE EAST COAST AND HIT REAR AREA TARGETS AS FAR AS 300 MILES INTO NORTH KOREA.

BOMBERS PLASTERED LINKS OF THE REDS' BOMB-RIDDLED TRANSPORT SYSTEM. B-29S STRIKING 200 MILES NORTH OF PARALLEL 38, LOOSED 60 TONS OF BOMBS ON KILCHU RAIL YARDS WITH "EXCELLENT RESULTS." B-26S HEAVILY DAMAGED RAILWAY BRIDGES AROUND SEOUL. BOMBERS STRIKING OTHER BRIDGES ENCOUNTERED SOME FLAK.

FIGHTERS RANGED INTO NORTH KOREA HUNTING ENEMY PLANES. THEY FOUND ONLY DUMMIES AND SHATTERED HULKS. INSTEAD, THEY HIT TRANSPORT LINES.

MUSTANG FIGHTERS RIPPED INTO NORTH KOREAN REDS ATTACKING SOUTH KOREAN FORCES MOVING UP FROM POHANG AND KIGYE ON THE EAST COAST. OTHERS HIT REINFORCING COMMUNIST COLUMNS REPORTED MOVING INTO THE AREA.

THE AIR FORCE SAID THE RED ASSAULT APPEARED TO BE HEAVY BUT IT WAS BEING "FAIRLY WELL CONTAINED" BY SOUTH KOREANS. PILOTS REPORTED NO NOTABLE GROUND ACTIVITY ELSEWHERE.

UP TO MIDAFTERNOON U.S. AIR FORCE, MARINE AND AUSTRALIAN PLANES HAD FLOWN 187 SORTIES, FOLLOWING UP FRIDAY'S RECORD ASSAULT.

AN AIR SUMMARY SAID 600 DEAD RED TROOPS WERE FOUND BY ADVANCING UNITED NATIONS FORCES ON AN UNIDENTIFIED SECTOR OF THE FRONT. THE TOLL WAS CREDITED TO AIR STRIKES. A SPOKESMAN SAID THIS WAS NOT CONNECTED WITH THE MASSIVE AUG. 16 BOMBING OF NORTH KOREAN CONCENTRATION WEST OF THE NAKTONG.

ALLIED AIRMEN MADE NEARLY 600 FLIGHTS FRIDAY. IT WAS THEIR MOST ACTIVE DAY.

STRIKES RANGED FROM 600 TONS OF BOMBS LOOSED ON NORTH KOREAN FACTORIES AND BRIDGES BY B-29S TO 270 FIGHTER STRIKES, MOSTLY IN SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS.

NINE TANKS WERE REPORTED DESTROYED IN FRONT LINE AREAS AND SIX AT PYONGYANG, THE NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

TEN LOCOMOTIVES WERE REPORTED DESTROYED AND MORE BRIDGES BATTLERED DOWN IN THE STEADY CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE BADLY MAULED RED TRANSPORT SYSTEM.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, SATURDAY AUG. 26)

BY O.M.P.KING

(ADVANCE) TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 27-(AP)-THE "STAGGERING IMPACT" OF 20,500 U.S.AIR FORCE SORTIES HAS "SEVERELY CRIPPLED" THE NORTH KOREAN ENEMY, LT.GEN.GEORGE E.STRATEMEYER REPORTED TODAY IN A 60-DAY SUMMARY OF FAR EAST AIR FORCES OPERATIONS.

THE FEAF COMMANDER'S LONG SUMMARY DID NOT INCLUDE THE EXTENSIVE AMERICAN AND BRITISH NAVAL AIR OPERATIONS AGAINST THE KOREAN REDS.

CONFIRMED DESTRUCTION OF 111 NORTH KOREAN TANKS WAS AMONG THE RESULTS LISTED, WITH NO EVALUATED ESTIMATE ON THE NUMBER KNOCKED OUT IN MORE THAN 600 ATTACKS ON TANKS, ARMORED CARS AND HALF-TRACTOR VEHICLES.

AMERICAN AIR FORCE CASUALTIES WERE LISTED AS 26 DEAD, 45 MISSING AND 23 WOUNDED, WITH 58 U.S. AIR FORCE PLANES LOST.

NORTH KOREAN PLANE LOSSES WERE PLACED AT 72.

THE STATISTICS INDICATED ONE REASON WHY THE COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE HAS SLOWED DOWN AS THE LINES OF SUPPLY LENGTHENED AND SHORTAGES BEGAN TO BE FELT.

B-29S ALONE HAVE FLOWN MORE THAN 1,500 HUNDRED SORTIES AND DROPPED 11,500 TONS OF BOMBS, HALF OF THIS TONNAGE ON KEY INDUSTRIAL TARGETS AND THE REST ON RAILROAD AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES AND MARSHALLING YARDS.

SUCH MAJOR TARGETS AS THE HUNGNAM CHEMICAL AND MUNITIONS COMPLEX, THE WONSAN OIL REFINERY AND THE PYONGYANG RAIL YARDS AND ARSENAL WERE LISTED AS ALMOST COMPLETELY DESTROYED.

IN ADDITION, FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS, BESIDES FLYING CLOSE SUPPORT FOR THE GROUND FORCES, DESTROYED OR DAMAGED 142 LOCOMOTIVES, 800 BOX CARS, 212 BRIDGES, 3,133 VEHICLES AND 180 FIELD GUNS NOT TO MENTION WAREHOUSES, OIL TANKS, TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND THE LIKE.

THE FIGHTER PLANES HAVE FLOWN 13,000 SORTIES. MISSIONS BY THE JETS, MUSTANGS AND TWIN MUSTANGS WERE MADE BY DAY AND NIGHT. THEY FIRED ALMOST TEN MILLION ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION, 33,000 ROCKETS AND DROPPED

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1,700 TONS OF BOMBS.
B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS MADE 1,300 SORTIES ON WHICH THEY FIRED 656,000 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION, 670 ROCKETS AND DROPPED 2,000 TONS OF BOMBS.
THERE WERE 1,700 RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHTS IN SUPPORT OF THE COMBAT MISSIONS. MORE THAN HALF WERE FLOWN BY THE TACTICAL AIR CONTROLLERS IN T-6S DIRECTING COMBAT PLANES TO TARGETS. OTHER FLIGHTS WERE FOR OBSERVING, PHOTOGRAPHING AND TO GATHER WEATHER INFORMATION.
STRATEMEYER ALSO STATED AIRPLANES TRAVELING BETWEEN JAPAN AND KOREA HAVE CARRIED 4,800 TONS OF SUPPLIES AND 10,000 SERVICE PERSONNEL IN 2,800 FLIGHTS. THE AIRPLANES HAVE RETURNED 3,000 PERSONS FROM THE BATTLE AREA.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, SATURDAY, AUG.26)
(ADVANCE) TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.27-(AP)-TEXT OF AN UNNUMBERED FAR EAST AIR FORCES INTERIM REPORT FOR THE FIRST 60 DAYS OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT:
"THE ENEMY IN KOREA HAS BEEN SEVERELY CRIPPLED NY THE STAGGERING IMPACT OF 20,500 SORTIES FLOWN BY ALL TYPES OF U.S. AIR FORCE PLANES, BUT NOT WITHOUT SOME COST TO US," LT.GEN.GEORGE E. STRATEMEYER, COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES, SAID TODAY.
IN AN INTERIM REPORT BASED ON OPERATIONS FOR THE FIRST 60 DAYS OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT, GENERAL STRATEMEYER SAID THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES UNDER HIS COMMAND HAVE PUT FORTH A TREMENDOUS EFFORT BY POUNDING THE ENEMY NOT ONLY AT HIS SOURCE OF WAR POTENTIAL BUT ALSO AT HIS SUPPLIES, HIS COMMUNICATIONS, AND DIRECTLY AGAINST HIM IN THE BATTLE ZONES.
GENERAL STRATEMEYER LISTED AIR FORCE PERSONNEL LOSSES AT 26 DEAD, 23 WOUNDED, AND 45 MISSING.
AGAINST OUR LOSSES, HE REPORTED IN DETAIL ON THE 20,559 INDIVIDUAL TACTICAL AND STRATEGIC COMBAT SORTIES AND TRANSPORT SUPPORT SORTIES FLOWN FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE CONFLICT UNTIL MIDNIGHT, 24 AUGUST AND DIRECTED AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS IN SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS WAR EFFORT.
THIRTEEN THOUSAND FIGHTER SORTIES HAVE BEEN FLOWN BY FIFTH AIR FORCE F-80S F-51S AND F-82S. THESE MISSIONS WERE MADE UNDER VARIED WEATHER CONDITIONS AND DURING DAY AND NIGHT. ALMOST 10,000,000 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION WERE FIRED FROM THE FIGHTER'S MACHINE GUNS, WITH 33,000 ROCKETS LAUNCHED AND 1700 TONS OF BOMBS DROPPED.
THE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS DIRECTED THEIR FIRE POWER AGAINST THE ENEMY IN 1,300 DAY AND NIGHT SORTIES, FIRING 656,000 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION, 670 ROCKETS AND DROPPING 2,000 TONS OF BOMBS.
B-29 SUPERFORTS OF THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND HAVE NOW REACHED A TOTAL OF MORE THAN 1,500 SORTIES WITH 11,500 TONS OF GENERAL PURPOSE HIGH-EXPLOSIVE BOMBS DROPPED. ABOUT HALF THIS TONNAGE HAS BEEN DIRECTED AGAINST KEY INDUSTRIAL TARGETS WHICH ARE THE SOURCE OF NORTH KOREA'S WAR SUPPLY. SEVERAL OF THE MAJOR TARGETS INCLUDING THE KONAN (HUNGNAM) CHEMICAL AND MUNITIONS COMPLEX, THE WONSAN OIL REFINERY, AND THE PYONGYANG MARSHALLING YARDS AND ARSENAL, HAVE BEEN ALMOST COMPLETELY DESTROYED. THE OTHER HALF OF THE B-29 BOMB TONNAGE HAS BEEN DROPPED ON RAILROAD AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES AND MARSHALLING YARDS IN A PLANNED INTERDICTION PROGRAM TO DEPRIVE COMMUNIST TROOPS AT THE FRONT OF BADLY NEEDED SUPPLIES AND REINFORCEMENTS.
TODAY'S REPORT LISTED 4,800 TONS OF SUPPLIES AND 10,000 SERVICE PERSONNEL FLOWN FROM JAPAN TO KOREA IN 2,800 FLIGHTS, WITH THE AIRPLANES RETURNING 3,000 PERSONS FROM THE BATTLE AREA SINCE THE AIR EVACUATION PROGRAM GOT UNDERWAY.
IN SUPPORT OF THE COMBAT MISSIONS A TOTAL OF 1,700 RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHTS OF ALL TYPES HAVE BEEN FLOWN. MORE THAN HALF WERE FLOWN BY TACTICAL AIR CONTROLLERS IN T-YS, WHO DIRECTED COMBAT AIRPLANES TO PINPOINT TARGETS. OTHER RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHTS WERE MADE TO OBSERVE AND PHOTOGRAPH BOMBING AND STRAFING RESULTS, TO GATHER WEATHER DATA, AND TO LOCATE ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS.
THE FIGURES FOR ENEMY AIRPLANES DESTROYED ARE 72, COMPARED TO 58 U.S. AIR FORCE AIRPLANES LOST IN THE 20,500 SORTIES FLOWN.
MORE THAN 600 ATTACKS HAVE BEEN MADE ON NORTH KOREAN TANKS, ARMORED CARS OR HALFTRACKS BY AIR FORCE AIRPLANES SINCE THE START OF THE CONFLICT, DAMAGE BEING INFLICTED ON SOME, OTHERS BEING TOTALLY DESTROYED. THE GHQ EVALUATED ANNALYSIS CREDITS AIR POWER WITH CONFIRMED DESTRUCTION OF 111 TANKS, WITH NO EVALUATED ESTIMATE OF THE NUMBER DAMAGED.
FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS HAVE CONSISTENTLY FLOWN CLOSE SUPPORT FOR THE U.N. GROUND FORCES DURING THE PERIOD, IN ADDITION TO DIRECTING THEIR POWER AGAINST TARGETS WHICH ADD UP TO THE FOLLOWING DESTROYED OR DAMAGED TOTALS: LOCOMOTIVES-142; BOXCARS-800; BRIDGES-212; VEHICLES (ALL TYPES)-3133; FIELD PIECES-180; AND A LARGE NUMBER OF STORAGE WAREHOUSES, OIL TANKS, ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND OTHER TARGETS.
THESE FIGURES DO NOT INCLUDE DETAILED DESTRUCTION CAUSED BY B-29, ESPECIALLY IN THEIR HEAVY ATTACKS ON RAIL MARSHALLING YARDS WHICH FREQUENTLY CONTAINED AS MANY AS 500 BOXCARS AND LOCOMOTIVES IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO HEAVY HIGH ALTITUDE BOMBING ATTACKS.
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FIRST LEAD NAVAL
TOKYO, AUG. 27-(AP)-NAVY PILOTS OF TASK FORCE 77 TURNED A HIGHWAY CROWDED WITH NORTH KOREAN AMMUNITION TRUCKS INTO A BLAZING RIBBON OF DEATH SATURDAY.
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THE RETURNING FIGHTER FLIERS OF SKYRAIDERS, CORSAIRS AND PANTHER JETS CLAIMED MORE THAN 40 TRUCKS AND FOUR HIGHWAY BRIDGES WERE DESTROYED. THE TRUCKS BURST INTO FLAME AS THEIR LOADS OF AMMUNITION OR FUEL EXPLODED.
RAILROADS ALSO WERE CHOICE TARGETS. THREE LOCOMOTIVES AND 21 FREIGHT CARS WERE DESTROYED IN VARIOUS STRIKES AT YONGWAL, TANGYANG, SAMCHOK, WONJU AND PUNGGI. THESE TOWNS, IN CENTRAL KOREA ARE ALONG A MAJOR SUPPLY ROUTE.
WHILE THE LOCATION OF THE EXPLODED AMMUNITION TRUCKS WAS NOT PINPOINTED, A NAVY SPOKESMAN SAID THE BOMBINGS AND STRAFINGS HAD "CALLED A HALT" TO TRAFFIC OVER THE HIGHWAY.
ON THE EAST COAST AMERICAN WARSHIPS GAVE POWERFUL FIRE SUPPORT FOR 24 HOURS TO HARD-PRESSED SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS IN THE POHANG AREA, A NAVY SUMMARY SAID EARLIER TODAY.

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THE NAVAL SHELLING OCCURRED PRIOR TO A SOUTH KOREAN RETREAT IN THIS SECTOR. THE SOUTH KOREANS FELL BACK LAST NIGHT, EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE NAVY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID WARSHIPS POURED 1,100 ROUNDS OF FIVE-INCH SHELLS INTO RED POSITIONS IN THE 24-HOUR PERIOD BEGINNING FRIDAY MORNING. IT DID NOT SAY WHETHER THE SHIPS STILL WERE OPERATING OFF THE EAST COAST BUT IT WAS PRESUMED THEY WERE INCREASING FIRE SUPPORT AGAINST THE NEWEST RED THRUSTS.

AN EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE THIS MORNING SAID THAT SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS HAD WITHDRAWN ABOUT TWO MILES SOUTH OF KIGYE, AFTER RED TROOPS RE-CAPTURED THAT STRATEGIC POINT ONLY NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF THE PORT OF POHANG.

CARRIER-BASED PLANES KNOCKED OUT FIVE HIGHWAY OR RAILWAY BRIDGES AND DAMAGED FOUR MORE, THE NAVY SAID. NORTH KOREAN TROOP CONCENTRATIONS ON THE NORTHERN FRONT WERE STRAFED.

NAVY FIGHTERS AND BOMBERS BLEW UP AN AMMUNITION DUMP AND FUEL STORAGE DEPOT AND CLAIMED THE DESTRUCTION OF 23 TRUCKS, ONE LOCOMOTIVE, TWO ARTILLERY EMPLACEMENTS, ONE HALFTRACK AND ONE POWERBOAT.

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NAVY (130)

TOKYO, AUG.26-(AP)-U.S.WARSHIPS STOOD OFF THE EAST COAST OF KOREA IN BROAD DAYLIGHT AND SHOT UP RAILWAY TRACKS AND MORE THAN 250 BOX CARS, THE NAVY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

ABOUT 200 OF THE BOX CARS WERE DESTROYED OR HEAVILY DAMAGED IN THE RAILWAY MARSHALLING YARDS AT SONGJIN, 185 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL WHICH DIVIDED NORTH FROM SOUTH KOREA.

THE NAVY SAID RAILWAY TRACKS WERE "MANGLED AND ROADBEDS POCKED." SHELLS TOUCHED OFF FIRES IN THE AREA AND AS THE WARSHIPS PULLED OUT "A HEAVY EXPLOSION WAS HEARD AND A LARGE BILLOWING, BLACK TOWER OF SMOKE WAS SEEN."

THE OTHER BOX CARS AND A RAILWAY BRIDGE WERE HIT IN THE SAME GENERAL SECTION OF THE EAST COAST.

NAVAL GUNS HIT THEIR TARGETS ON THURSDAY AND FRIDAY WITH THE AID OF AN AERIAL SPOTTER.

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FIRST LEAD SOBUK (240)

BY STAN SWINTON

ON THE MASAN FRONT,AUG.26-(AP)-AMERICAN NEGRO AND SOUTH KOREAN INFANTRY, FIGHTING SHOULDER TO SHOULDER, LATE TODAY WON THE LAST BLOODY GROUND ON THE RIDGELAND BELOW BATTLE MOUNTAIN.

SIX TIMES THIS WEEK BATTLE MOUNTAIN, A KEY TERRAIN FEATURE NEAR HAMAN, HAS CHANGED HANDS.

LT.COL.GEORGE R.COLE, CAPE ELIZABETH, PORTLAND, MAINE, AND HIS MEN WERE ORDERED TODAY TO USE FLAME THROWERS AND HIGH EXPLOSIVES TO SEAL THE CAVES IN WHICH THE REDS HAVE HIDDEN FROM AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND AIR POWER.

THE BATTERED KOREAN REDS PUT A LIGHT FIGHT THIS TIME. ALLIED TROOPS AGAIN HELD BATTLE MOUNTAIN SECURELY.

CAPT.LAWRENCE M.CORCORAN, 15 FAIRCHILD PLACE, BUFFALO, N.Y., AND HIS COMPANY OF THE 24TH NEGRO INFANTRY REGIMENT, BURIED 215 NORTH KOREANS KILLED IN THE SIX ATTACKS ON BATTLE MOUNTAIN THIS WEEK.

ANOTHER KEY MOUNTAIN, SOBUK, 15 MILES WEST OF MASAN, ALSO STAYED IN AMERICAN HANDS SATURDAY. HAWAII'S FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM BEAT BACK A RED BATTALION ATTACK. IT COUNTED 39 NORTH KOREAN BODIES AND CAPTURED A TRUCKLOAD OF EQUIPMENT.

THIS VICTORY SAFEGUARDED AT LEAST TEMPORARILY THE WESTERN APPROACHES TO MASAN WHICH IN TURN GUARD THE WESTERN ROUTE TO THE MAIN U.S. SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN.

A NEW NORTH KOREAN ORDER WAS FOUND SATURDAY ORDERING DEATH FOR ANY COMMUNIST THROWING AWAY HIS WEAPON. ANOTHER ORDER PICKED UP FRIDAY THREATENED DEATH BY FIRING SQUAD FOR ANY RED WHO RETREATED.

THE BIG BUILDUP OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN 25TH DIVISION CONTINUED SATURDAY. THE AMERICANS DISCOVERED THAT THE NORTH KOREANS HAD BUILT TWO UNDERWATER BRIDGES ACROSS THE NAM RIVER--ONE OF SANDBAGS AND ANOTHER OF TELEPHONE POLES--TO MOVE UP TANKS. A CONCENTRATION OF SEVEN TANKS WAS SIGHTED. AMERICAN PLANES DESTROYED FOUR.

AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND AIRPOWER STILL APPARENTLY HELD THE ENEMY CONCENTRATION OF THE SIXTH AND SEVENTH DIVISIONS AND THE RIFLE WIELDING FIRST AND SECOND INDEPENDENT LABOR BRIGADES FROM ATTACKING ON THE SOUTHWEST FRONT. U.S. 35TH INFANTRY REGIMENT PUT OUT PATROLS 3,000 YARDS DIRECTLY IN FRONT OF HAMAN WITHOUT RUNNING INTO THE ENEMY. SIMILAR PATROLS FRIDAY ENCOUNTERED ENEMY FIRE BEFORE GOING 500 YARDS.

AT SOBUK MOUNTAIN, WEARY AMERICAN DOUGHBOYS HURLED BACK THE REDS IN A WILD HAND GRENADE AND SMALL ARMS BATTLE.

"THEY WERE MAGNIFICENT, MAGNIFICENT. THAT COMPANY HAS BEEN UNDER SNIPER MACHINEGUN AND MORTAR FIRE 24 HOURS A DAY FOR SIX DAYS. THEY HUNG ON BY THEIR TOENAILS AND DROVE THE COMMUNISTS BACK," SAID THEIR TIRED BATTALION COMMANDER, LT.COL.THOMAS B.ROELOFS, OF CORRY, PA.

SOBUK IS A LONG, BUMPY MOUNTAIN SLIDING DOWN TO A SADDLE AND THEN UP TO LITTLE SOBUK, A SMALLER COMMUNIST-HELD PEAK.

THE REDS FILTERED IN THROUGH THE SADDLE IN THE DARKNESS, A WHOLE BATTALION OF THEM.

"I OPENED MY EYES AND THERE WAS A GOOK STARING AT ME. I THREW A HAND GRENADE AND GOT HIM. THE GOOKS GOT RIGHT UP TO OUR FOXHOLES," SAID PVT.FREDERICK WORTLEY OF CADILLAC, MICH.

SGT.PAUL BRYANT OF CLARKSVILLE, TENN., WHO HAD A MIRACULOUS ESCAPE WHEN A NORTH KOREAN RIFLE BULLET WENT RIGHT THROUGH HIS HELMET, BUT ONLY GRAZED HIS HEAD, SAID, "THEY CAME IN TOSSING GRENADES AND FIRING BURP (AUTOMATIC) GUNS. A CONCUSSION GRENADE CAME RIGHT IN OUR FOX HOLE AND BLEW THE OTHER GUY OUT."

WITH TWO PLATOONS SEPARATED BY THE ENEMY, THE COMPANY DREW BACK OVER ONE HUMP OF THE MOUNTAIN AND THEN COUNTERATTACKED. THEIR CAPTAIN, LEADING THEM, SAW FIGURES IN A FORMER AMERICAN FOXHOLE AND RAISED HIS RIFLE.

"SOMEBODY YELLED IN ENGLISH, 'WE ARE GI'S.' THE CAPTAIN DIDN'T FIRE. THEN THE MAN IN THE FOXHOLE KILLED THE CAPTAIN. IT WAS A GOOK WHO SPOKE ENGLISH," SAID WORTLEY.

LT.KERMIT YOUNG OF ARAB, ALA.--"A GALLANT OFFICER" IN THE WORDS OF HIS BATTALION COMMANDER--TOOK OVER THE COMPANY.

THEY DROVE THE NORTH KOREANS DOWN OFF SOBUK.

THE PRICE WAS HEAVY. AID MEN LIKE CORPORAL ROY W.RUDDER OF HOBBS, NEW MEXICO, WITH SOUTH KOREAN VOLUNTEERS CARRIED THEM DOWN THE MOUNTAIN ON STRETCHERS.

BY MIDMORNING ENEMY MORTARS WERE COMING IN ON AMERICAN TROOPS ON THE NEXT CREST. ONE LANDED 10 FEET FROM A DUG-IN POSITION.

SGT./1C EJAN LA BARRE OF HONOLULU SHOUTED "KEEP YOUR HEADS DOWN."

IT WAS JUST ABOUT THE MOST SUPERFLUOUS ORDER OF THE MORNING. NOBODY COULD GET HIS HEAD DOWN ANY FARTHER.

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PROBABLY THERE'LL BE ANOTHER ATTACK TONIGHT. ON LITTLE SOBUK THE NORTH KOREANS ARE HIDING IN CAVES AND ROCK CREVICES WHICH REMAIN UNTOUCHED BY THE UGLY BLACK SPLASHES OF AMERICAN ARTILLERY SHELLS RAKING THE PEAK.

JUST TO THE RIGHT, ONE OF THE FIRST COMPOSITE UNITS OF MIXED AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN RIFLEMEN DROVE BACK LIGHT ENEMY ATTACKS.

"THE MIXED UNIT IS WORKING OUT WONDERFULLY. THERE'S ONE AMERICAN AND ONE SOUTH KOREAN IN EACH FOXHOLE," SAID ROELOFS.

TODAY ALL VILLAGES IN THE VALLEY WHERE THE AMERICANS ARE CONCENTRATED WERE BURNED. HIDDEN ENEMY SUPPLIES OF AMMUNITION--APPARENTLY USED BY GUERRILLAS WHO SLIP IN AT NIGHT--BLEW UP IN THREE OF THE FLAMING TOWNS.

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BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH U.S.FORCES, KOREA, AUG.26-(AP)-SOUTH KOREAN FORCES REOCCUPYING THE VILLAGE OF CHONPYONG PRESSED FORWARD TODAY NORTH OF TAEGU AGAINST MEAGER RED OPPOSITION.

THE SOUTH KOREANS WITHDREW YESTERDAY FROM CHONPYONG. THEY DROVE BACK TODAY AND SECURED HIGH GROUND COMMANDING THE VILLAGE. THEY ENTERED THE TOWN EARLIER BUT RED SHELLING AND MORTAR FIRE FORCED THEM OUT.

THERE WAS PRACTICALLY NO ACTION ON THE AMERICAN SECTOR OF THIS NORTHERN FRONT TODAY. THE GIS IMPROVED THEIR POSITION, FIRED OCCASIONAL ROUNDS OF ARTILLERY AT THE REDS AND RELAXED.

LAST NIGHT ALSO WAS RELATIVELY QUIET, ALTHOUGH THE REDS LOBBED A FEW SHELLS INTO THE AMERICAN PERIMETER.

AT TAEGU TODAY, U.S.AMBASSADOR JOHN J.MUCCIO EXPRESSED SOME OF THE OPTIMISM WHICH IS BEGINNING TO APPEAR AMONG AMERICAN FORCES HERE.

MUCCIO SAID HE BELIEVED THE THREAT TO TAEGU HAD PASSED AND THAT THIS IMPORTANT RAIL AND HIGHWAY JUNCTION IS IN NO IMMEDIATE DANGER.

THE AMBASSADOR ALSO SAID HE BELIEVED THE REDS HAVE FAILED IN THEIR PROPAGANDA ATTEMPT TO CONVINCE THE SOUTH KOREANS THAT THE COMMUNIST TROOPS ARE LIBERATING THE REPUBLIC. HE SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN "WAR CABINET" OF FIVE MINISTERS IS FUNCTIONING WELL AND ELIMINATING MUCH RED TAPE AND DELAY. THE WAR CABINET WORKS CLOSELY WITH U.S.FORCES AND THE KOREAN ARMY ON MILITARY MATTERS.

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TEXT (330)

TOKYO, SATURDAY, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 316, ISSUED AT 3:45 P.M., JAPANESE DAYLIGHT TIME (12:45 A.M., EST SATURDAY) FOLLOWS:

VICE ADM. CHARLES T. JOY, COMMANDER UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES, TODAY RELEASED THE FOLLOWING SUMMARY OF REPUBLIC OF KOREA NAVY AND MARINE ACTIVITY FOR THE WEEK:

ON AUGUST 18, FOLLOWING SHORE BOMBARDMENT BY A CANADIAN DESTROYER AND UNDER COVER OF ROK NAVY GUNS, ROK MARINES LANDED AND CAPTURED THE ISLAND OF TOKCHOK ON THE WEST COAST OF KOREA AGAINST LIGHT RESISTANCE. ON AUGUST 20 ROK MARINES, AGAIN UNDER COVER OF A CANADIAN DESTROYER AND ROK NAVY GUNS, LANDED AND CAPTURED THE ISLAND OF YONGCHUNG AGAINST LIGHT OPPOSITION.

AS REPORTED PREVIOUSLY, ROK MARINES UNDER COVER OF ROK NAVY GUNS LANDED AND CAPTURED TONGYONG ON THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA AUG. 18.

ON AUG 20 A ROK NAVY PATROL VESSEL SIGHTED AND SANK A 100-TON NORTH KOREAN MOTOR BOAT LOADED WITH TROOPS OFF USUYONG. USUYONG IS SOUTH OF MOKPO. THE SAME ROK SHIP HEAVILY DAMAGED A SECOND MOTOR BOAT AND SHELLED ENEMY POSITIONS AT USUYONG. THE FOLLOWING DAY THE SAME ROK SHIP CAPTURED A MOTOR BOAT WITH NORTH KOREAN LIAISON PERSONNEL ABOARD.

ON AUG. 21 ROK MARINES LANDED AND CAPTURED THE ISLAND OF SOIJAK. OPPOSITION WAS LIGHT. A ROK NAVY SHIP COVERING THE LANDING SANK THREE ENEMY SAILBOATS CARRYING REINFORCEMENTS TO THE ISLAND.

ON AUG. 24 A ROK NAVY PATROL VESSEL OPERATING NEAR SOROK ISLAND (A SMALL ISLAND NORTH OF KOGUM ISLAND OFF THE SOUTH COAST) SANK A 50-TON MOTOR BOAT AND FIVE SAIL BOATS. TURNING TOWARD SHORE, THE ROK SHIP BOMBARDED AND DESTROYED THE ENEMY HEADQUAGTERS AND A SUPPLY DUMP. FIFTEEN NORTH KOREAN TROOPS WERE KILLED AND THE REST WENT INTO HIDING. THE ROK SHIP SUSTAINED NO DAMAGE.

THE SEIZURE OF THE THREE ISLANDS OFF THE WEST COAST OF KOREA WAS CONDUCTED BY THE ROK MARINE UNITS AS A MEANS OF CUTTING DOWN FURTHER POSSIBLE WATER ROUTES FOR ENEMY FORCES TO USE IN SUPPLYING THEIR FORCE FIGHTING IN THE SOUTH.

ROK NAVY AND MARINE UNITS ON THE WEST COAST HAVE BEEN OPERATING UNDER THE DIRECTIONS OF REAR ADMIRAL W.G. ANDREWES, ROYAL NAVY.

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TEXT (325)

TOKYO, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 317, ISSUED BY GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 3:55 P.M. JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME (12:55 A.M. EST) SATURDAY, FOLLOWS:

ALONG THE FRONT LINES SOUTH OF UISONG THE ENEMY IS EXERTING HEAVY PRESSURE ON ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) ARMY UNITS DEFENDING THAT SECTOR. AS A RESULT OF ENEMY ATTACKS AUG. 25, ROK FORCES ALONG THE MAIN UISONG-SINNYONG ROAD WERE FORCED TO WITHDRAW APPROXIMATELY ONE MILE TO POSITIONS IN THE VICINITY OF CHONGNO, BUT LATER COUNTERATTACKED AND REGAINED THEIR EARLIER POSITIONS. ENEMY ATTACKS CONTINUE IN THIS SECTOR, BUT ROK DEFENDERS ARE HOLDING THEIR POSITIONS.

IN THE SECTOR NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN, ROK UNITS, SUPPORTED BY AMERICAN FORCES, YESTERDAY MADE GAINS UP TO 1,500 YARDS IN THE VICINITY OF YUHAK RIDGE. ELSEWHERE IN THIS SECTOR THE FRONT REMAINED FAIRLY QUIET.

ROK FORCES IN THE POHANG SECTOR YESTERDAY MET HEAVY AND ORGANIZED RESISTANCE IN THEIR ATTACK TO THE NORTH. ALONG THE EAST COAST ROK UNITS MADE SLIGHT GAINS NEAR HUNGHAI, BUT FARTHER WEST, IN THE VICINITY OF YONGGI, THE ENEMY FORCED A MINOR WITHDRAWAL OF FRIENDLY FORCES.

AMERICAN FORCES HOLDING THE SOUTHERN SECTOR OF THE FRONT CONTINUE TO RECEIVE LIGHT PROBING ATTACKS BY THE ENEMY. A SHARP MIDNIGHT ATTACK ALONG THE SOBUK RIDGE WAS REPULSED WITHOUT LOSS OF GROUND AND WITH UNKNOWN ENEMY CASUALTIES. A LATER ATTACK ON THE SAME AREA, AT 6:15 A.M., WAS ALSO REPELLED. AT OTHER POINTS IN THIS SECTOR ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS WERE DISPERSED BY OUR ARTILLERY FIRE.

THROUGHOUT THE CENTRAL FRONT, OUR FORCES CONTINUE AGGRESSIVE PATROLLING AND ARTILLERY ATTACKS ON ENEMY SUPPLY, ARTILLERY POSITIONS AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS. ENEMY ACTIVITY IN THIS SECTOR HAS BEEN CONFINED TO SMALL-SCALE PATROL ACTION.

ELEMENTS OF THE EAST COAST NAVAL PATROL FURNISHED GUNFIRE SUPPORT OF GROUND OPERATIONS. TARGETS NORTH OF POHANG WERE BOMBARDED, INCLUDING A COMMAND POST, ARTILLERY POSITIONS, TANKS AND SEVEN TROOPS CONCENTRATIONS. OTHER NAVAL UNITS CONTINUED PATROL AND BLOCKADE OPERATIONS ON THE EAST, SOUTH AND WEST COASTS, AND NAVAL AIRCRAFT RENDERED CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS IN THE BATTLE AREA.

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AIR TEXT
TOKYO,AUG.26-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.318 (AERIAL) ISSUED AT 9:10 P.M. (6:10 A.M., E.S.T.) TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:

U.S. AIR FORCE B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS HEAVILY DAMAGED RAILROAD BRIDGES IN THE SEOUL AREA AND B-29 SUPERFORTS STRUCK AT KEY RAILROAD YARDS IN CENTRAL AND NORTHERN KOREA TODAY.

TODAY'S PATTERN OF BOMBING AND FIGHTER ATTACKS WAS DESIGNED TO FURTHER HAMPER THE COMMUNISTS MOVEMENT OF BADLY NEEDED SUPPLIES AND RESERVE FORCES.

THE B-29S UNLEASED 60 TONS OF BOMBS ON THE KEY MARSHALLING YARDS AND RAILROAD JUNCTION AT KILCHU, 15 MILES NORTH OF SONGJIN ON THE EAST COAST NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

KILCHU IS THE JUNCTION POINT OF MAIN RAIL LINES FROM THE NORTHWESTERN AND NORTHEASTERN PORTIONS OF KOREA. THESE MAIN LINES JOIN AT KILCHU AND LEAD DOWN THE EAST COAST TO WONSAN.

THE BOMBING WAS CARRIED OUT UNDER CLEAR VISIBILITY AND BOMBARDIERS REPORTED EXCELLENT RESULTS ON THE STRIKE.

OTHER AIRCRAFT OF THE FEAF (FAR EAST AIR FORCES) BOMBER COMMAND CONTINUED SMASHING AT NORTH KOREAN BRIDGES AND COMMUNICATION LINES IN THE CENTRAL KOREAN AREA. BOMBARDIERS REPORTED SOME FLAK COMING UP FROM THE AREA SURROUNDING THE MORE IMPORTANT BRIDGES, PERHAPS INDICATING COMMUNIST CONCERN OVER THE CONSTANT POUNDING THE B-29S ARE GIVING TO THEIR RAIL AND HIGHWAY LINES. DESPITE THE FLAK THE B-29 CREWS REPORTED GOOD RESULTS ON THE BRIDGES.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS WENT MORE THAN 300 MILES INTO NORTH KOREAN TERRITORY TODAY IN A SERIES OF ARMED RECONNAISSANCE FLIGHTS TO HAMMER AT AIR FIELDS AND RAIL TRAFFIC. BOTH F-80S AND F-51S TOOK PART.

THE F-51S WERE STILL FLYING LATE TODAY, WITH NIGHT MISSIONS ALSO SCHEDULED.

F-80S MADE FIGHTER SWEEPS TO HALF A DOZEN NORTH KOREAN AIRFIELDS. RETURNING PILOTS REPORTED THEY SAW DUMMY AIRPLANES AND PLANES SHOT UP ON PROVIOUS MISSIONS. NO LIVE PLANES TOOK TO THE AIR TO OPPOSE THE U.N. (UNITED NATIONS) FIGHTERS.

IN THE PYONGYANG AREA F-80 PILOTS CHECKED OVER THE DESERTED AIRFIELD AND THEN FOUND A LARGE FACTORY IN A NEARBY SMALL TOWN. "WE ROCKETED IT," SAID SECOND LT. IRVIN W. MAY, 4611 DAVENPORT ST., WASHINGTON, D.C.

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A PONTOON BRIDGE ON THE WEST SIDE OF SEOUL WAS HIT TODAY BY 1,000 POUND BOMBS IN A B-26 FLIGHT LED BY LT. COL. ROBERT B. JARRELL, WAXAHACHIE, TEX. "WE MADE EIGHT DIRECT HITS ON THE BRIDGE AND PUT IT OUT OF COMMISSION," SAID MAJOR JARRELL.

HE CREDITED FIRST LT. FRANK BULLIAS, A BOMBARDIER, OF DANVILLE, ILL., WITH MAKING THE STRIKES.

ANOTHER PONTOON BRIDGE ALSO NEAR SEOUL WAS HIT BY B-26S IN A FLIGHT LED BY CAPT. JAMES H. MORROW, SWEETWATER, TEX. "WE DAMAGED THE APPROACH ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE BRIDGE," SAID CAPTAIN MORROW.

RAIL SUPPLY LINES FROM POKSONG TO KUMCHON WERE STRAFED AND BOMBED BY B-26S TODAY. CAPT. LUTHER L. HAMPTON, 2912 BELLAIRE BLVD., HOUSTON, TEX., BOMBED A TRAIN NEAR SANGJIN. HE SAID HE HIT THE LOCOMOTIVE AND SIX BOX CARS, WITHCONSIDERABLE DAMAGE INFLICTED.

ENEMY SUPPLIES MOVING BY RAIL FROM KUMCHON TO KWANNI WERE SERIOUSLY DAMAGED BY ADDITIONAL B-26S, ACCORDING TO TWO CREWMEN, CAPT. JAYNE A. YOOMAN, AUSTIN, TEX., AND SECOND LT. DONALD J. FORNS, 6504 PARK LANE, MARIEMONT, OHIO.

IN AN EARLIER B-26 MISSION BEHIND THE BATTLE LINE A LOCOMOTIVE AND TWO BOX CARS WERE ELIMINATED BY SECOND LT. MELVIN R. STAHL, ADEL, IOWA, AND HIS CREWMEN. LIEUTENANT STAHL SAID STAFF SGT. OSCAR M. BYRD, GUNNER OF MUSCATINE, IOWA, AND FIRST LT. CHARLES A. BOWERS, NAVIGATOR, FROM 262 DOCATUR, BROOKLYN, N.Y., SPOTTED THE TRAIN. "OUR FIRST BOMB HIT THE MIDDLE OF THE TRAIN," SAID STAHL, "AND THE OTHERS HIT THE TRAIN'S TAIL AND THE ENGINE."

FIRST LIEUTENANT JOHN W. JACKSON, SOUTH GATE, CALIF., LED FOUR F-80 JETS TO A COMMUNIST AIRDROME SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL IN AN EARLY MORNING MISSION AND REPORTED NO AIRCRAFT AND NO ACTIVITY SEEN. FLYING SOUTHWARD, HIS FLIGHT STRAFED RAILROAD TRACKS AND BUILDINGS, WITH GOOD RESULTS.

TWO AIRSTRIPS AT ONJONG ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL WERE TARGETS FOR ANOTHER FLIGHT OF F-80S BUT NO COMMUNIST PLANES WERE SEEN. "WE STRAFED BUILDINGS AND BARRACKS ON BOTH STRIPS," SAID CAPTAIN JAMES E. ANDERSON, CHATOM, ALA., LEADER OF THE FLIGHT.

F-51 PILOTS REPORTED GOOD ROCKET AND STRAFING MISSIONS BETWEEN THE 38TH AND 40TH PARALLELS, ALONG THE EAST COAST OF KOREA. FIRST LT. CHARLES D. HAUVER, POUGHKEEPSIE, N.Y., IMPROVISED HIS GUN SIGHT WHEN IT BURNED OUT BY USING ADHESIVE TAPE AND GOT A SOLID HIT ON A TRUCK AFTER PASSING ONE OF THE VACATED NORTH KOREAN AIRFIELDS.

FIRST LIEUTENANT RAY I. CARTER, 38 LAYER ST., BUFFALO, N.Y., DETECTED CAMAUFLAGED BUILDINGS ON THE EAST COAST AT THE 38TH PARALLEL. "WE HIT IT WITH ROCKETS AND THE BUILDINGS COLLAPSED," SAID LIEUTENANT CARTER.

IN THE SAME AREA FIRST LT. JAMES L. GLESSNER, JR., JULESBURG, COLO., STRAFED A BUILDING. "PARTS OF IT BLEW 50 FEET INTO THE AIR," HE SAID.

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TOKYO, AUG. 26-(AP)-TEXT (250)
TOKYO,AUG.26-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE 319 (NAVY) TIMED 11 P.M. (8 A.M. E.S.T.):

MORE THAN 250 BOX CARS, MOST OF THEM LOADED, WERE DESTROYED, HEAVILY DAMAGED OR DERAILED BY U.S. NAVY SHIPS ON THE EAST COAST DURING DAYLIGHT AUGUST 24 AND THE MORNING OF AUGUST 25. APPROXIMATELY 200 OF THE TOTAL WERE HIT IN THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT SONGJIN. RESULTS OF THE FIRING WERE OBSERVED BY AN AERIAL SPOTTER.

IN ADDITION TO THE BOX CAR DESTRUCTION AT SONGJIN, THE MARSHALLING YARDS WERE HEAVILY DAMAGED, WITH TRACKS MANGLED AND ROADBEDS POCKED. FIRES WERE STARTED IN THE AREA. AS THE BOMBARDING SHIPS WITHDREW FROM THE AREA A HEAVY EXPLOSION WAS HEARD AND LARGE BILLOWING BLACK TOWER OF SMOKE WAS SEEN.

APPROXIMATELY 30 CARS, LOADED WITH LUMBER AND SAND, WERE DESTROYED OR HEAVILY DAMAGED AT LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 40 DEGREES 36 MINUTES NORTH. TRACKS AND ROADBED AT THE SAME SITE WERE BADLY DAMAGED.

ABOUT 25 MORE CARS LOADED WITH LUMBER WERE DESTROYED OR BADLY DAMAGED AT LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 40 DEGREES 32 MINUTES NORTH. TRACKS AND ROADBED IN THE AREA WERE EFFECTIVELY OUT OF COMMISSION.

TO COMPLETE THE TALLY OF DESTRUCTION FOR THE PERIOD, A RAILWAY BRIDGE WITH A STEEL BED IN A CONCRETE FOUNDATION WAS HEAVILY HIT AND BADLY DAMAGED. THE BRIDGE IS IN LATITUDE APPROXIMATELY 40 DEGREES 36 MINUTES NORTH.

REAR ADMIRAL C.C.HARTMAN, U.S.N., COMMANDER OF NAVAL PATROL AND SUPPORT FORCES FOR ALL OF KOREA, REPORTS THAT IT IS NOT AT ALL UNUSUAL TO SEE TRAINS WITHOUT LOCOMOTIVES THESE DAYS ALONG THE EAST COAST. THE APPARENT TACTIC OF THE NORTH KOREANS, WITH LOCOMOTIVES IN VERY SHORT SUPPLY, IS TO CUT THE LOCOMOTIVE FROM THE TRAIN AND HEAD FOR THE SAFETY OF THE NEAREST TUNNEL BEFORE THE NAVY GUNS GET WITHIN RANGE.

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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG.27-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.320, ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 1:25 A.M. (10:25 A.M. SATURDAY, EST):
STRONG ENEMY PRESSURE WAS REPORTED BY ELEMENTS OF THE EIGHTH ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) DIVISION IN THE NORTHERN SECTOR LATE YESTERDAY. LATEST REPORTS, HOWEVER, INDICATE OUR LINES REMAIN INTACT.
IN THE CAPITAL AND THIRD ROK DIVISION SECTORS COMMUNISTS FORCES HAVE LAUNCHED AYE THREE PRONGED ATTACK CAUSING SOME LOSS OF GROUND. THE MAIN ENEMY THRUST WAS MADE IN THE VICINITY OF THE POHANG-KIGYE SECTOR.
IN THE ROK SECOND CORPS SECTOR THE ENEMY, SUPPORTED BY HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE, FORCED A WITHDRAWAL OF FROM 2,000 TO 3,000 YARDS.
FRIENDLY PATROLS ATTEMPTING TO CROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION SECTOR HAVE ENCOUNTERED STRONG ENEMY RESISTANCE.
FARTHER SOUTH AN ENEMY UNDERWATER BRIDGE ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER WAS REPORTED BY AIR OBSERVERS AS BEING IN OPERATION EARLY YESTERDAY. VEHICLE TRACKS WERE OBSERVED ON BOTH SIDES OF THE RIVER.
ON ALL OTHER SECTORS NO SIGNIFICANT ENEMY ACTION HAS BEEN REPORTED.
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TOKYO,SUNDAY,AUG. 27-(AP)-THE TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE (AERIAL) NUMBER 321, ISSUED BY GEN.MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 10:20 A.M. (7:20 P.M. EST, SATURDAY) FOLLOWS:
F-80 JET SHOOTING STARS AND F-51 MUSTANGS TOOK OFF IN LARGE NUMBERS AT 6 A.M. TODAY FROM SOUTHERN JAPAN FOR TARGETS IN KOREA BEHIND THE ENEMY LINES.
EARLY WEATHER REPORTS INDICATE GENERALLY FAIR CONDITIONS IN THE AREA WHERE THE F-80S AND F-51S WILL OPERATE, AS WELL AS OTHER PORTIONS OF KOREA WHERE OTHER FIGHTERS, LIGHT BOMBERS AND MEDIUM BOMBERS ARE EXPECTED TO FLY.
THE FIGHTERS AND OTHER U.S. AIR FORCE AIRPLANES HAVE BEEN EXTREMELY ACTIVE THE LAST THREE DAYS IN SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES, AND IN ATTACKS BEHIND THE LINES.
THE MUSTANGS FLEW UNTIL ALMOST 11 O'CLOCK LAST NIGHT, OPERATING ON THE EAST COAST BETWEEN THE 39TH AND 40TH PARALLELS AGAINST COMMUNIST TRANSPORTATION AND SOME AIRSTRIPS. SO FAR THE RESULTS ARE UNOBSERVED.
THE FIFTH AIR FORCE DIRECTED F-82 TWIN MUSTANGS AND MARINE CORSAIRS IN STRAFING AND BOMBING MISSIONS THROUGHOUT LAST NIGHT FROM WAEGWAN TO THE YONGDONG AREA, AND NEAR KUMCHON. GOOD WEATHER PERMITTED THEM TO OPERATE WELL PAST MIDNIGHT, BUT THERE WERE NO IMMEDIATE RESULTS TO REPORT.
B-26 NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS WERE FLOWN THROUGH THE NIGHT, WITH THE LAST AIRPLANES LANDING AT THEIR BASE OF 6:45 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING. THE AIRPLANES OPERATED IN A WIDE AREA.
LT.COL.ABRAHAM SHOOK, CLOVIS, N.M., REPORTED HE DESTROYED THREE VEHICLES AT SMALL TOWNS IN CENTRAL KOREA. "WE STRAFED A WEAPONS CARRIER AND TWO VEHICLES APPARENTLY CARRYING SUPPLIES," HE SAID.
OTHER B-26S WORKED ON RAILROAD TRACKS AND MARSHALLING YARDS. MAJ. FRED F.BRONSON, 1695 WALKER AVE., MEMPHIS, TENN., LED ONE FLIGHT. "WE DIVE BOMBED AND SCORED DIRECT HITS ON THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT PAEKSAN, SOUTH OF SAMCHOK," HE SAID. "WE ALSO HIT A TUNNEL AND A LOCOMOTIVE REPAIR SHOP IN THE AREA."
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TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 27-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 322, A NAVY SUMMARY ISSUED BY GEN.MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 12:25 P.M.JAPAN DAYLIGHT TIME (9:25 P.M.EST, SATURDAY):
CARRIER-BASED U.S.NAVY PILOTS OF TASK FORCE 77 SWUNG INTO ACTION AGAIN YESTERDAY IN GENERAL AND CLOSE SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES ON THE NORTHERN FRONT.
THE HEAVILY ARMED SKYRAIDER ATTACK BOMBERS, CORSAIR AND PANTHER JET FIGHTERS DESTROYED FIVE HIGHWAY OR RAILWAY BRIDGES AND DAMAGED FOUR. ELEVEN WAREHOUSES AND TEN OTHER MILITARY BUILDINGS WERE BOMBED AND ROCKETED. THREE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE HEAVILY BOMBED AND STRAFED. ONE AMMUNITION DUMP AND ONE FUEL DUMP WERE EXPLODED. ONE LARGE SUPPLY DUMP WAS BADLY DAMAGED. TWENTY-THREE TRUCKS, ONE LOCOMOTIVE, TWO ARTILLERY EMPLACEMENTS, ONE HALF-TRACK AND ONE POWER BOAT WERE DESTROYED. THREE BOXCARS WERE BADLY DAMAGED.
TASK FORCE 77, A PART OF THE SEVENTH FLEET, IS UNDER THE COMMAND OF REAR ADM.E.C.EWEN, USN.
IN ONE 24-HOUR PERIOD BEGINNING AT 8 A.M.AUG.25, U.S.NAVY SHIPS POURED MORE THAN 1,100 ROUNDS OF FIVE-INCH AMMUNITION INTO TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND GUN EMPLACEMENTS IN THE POHANG AREA. A KMAG (KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP) REPRESENTATIVE ASHORE CREDITS THE NAVAL GUNFIRE WITH HELPING TO BREAK A NORTH KOREAN COUNTERATTACK.
ON AUG. 25 A ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) NAVY PATROL VESSEL SANK THREE MOTOR BOATS APPROXIMATING 40 TONS EACH AND SERIOUSLY DAMAGED THREE OTHERS OFF THE ISLAND OF OERARO. TWO OIL TANKS ON THE ISLAND, OFF THE SOUTH COAST OF KOREA, WERE SERIOUSLY DAMAGED. THE SAME ROK SHIP BADLY DAMAGED FIVE TROOP-CARRYING SAILBOATS OFF SISAN ISLAND, IN THE SAME GENERAL AREA.

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A DELAYED REPORT FROM THE CARRIER-BASED U.S.MARINE AIR GROUP OPERATING IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF THE GROUND FORCES REVEALS EXTENSIVE DAMAGE TO THE ENEMY ON AUG. 25. TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AT KUNWI, UIRYONG AND OEJORI WERE HEAVILY BOMBED AND STRAFED. DIRECT BOMB HITS WERE SCORED ON AN UNDERWATER BRIDGE CROSSING THE NAM RIVER EAST OF UIRYONG, AND THREE DIRECT BOMB HITS WERE SCORED ON A REBUILT BRIDGE AT CHINJU. SUPPLY DUMPS AND WAREHOUSES AT TAECHON, OEJORI, HAPYONG AND UIRYONG WERE BOMBED AND HIT WITH NAPALM, WITH RESULTING LARGE FIRES. BOMB HITS ON ONE SUPPLY AREA WEST OF MASAN RESULTED IN LARGE SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS, INDICATING EITHER AMMUNITION OR GASOLINE.
EIGHT CAMOUFLAGED ARTILLERY PIECES IN AN ORCHARD AT TABU WERE HIT WITH BOMBS AND NAPALM. A TRANSFORMER STATION AT CHUNGAM WAS DESTROYED, AS WAS ONE 105-MM ARTILLERY PIECE.
THE CARRIER GROUP FROM WHICH THE MARINE PILOTS OPERATE IS UNDER THE COMMAND OF REAR ADM.RICHARD W.RUBLE, USN.
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B86KX (Q)
TEXT (500)
TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 27-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 323, FAR EAST AIR FORCE SUMMARY, ISSUED AT 1:35 P.M. (10:35 P.M.EST, SATURDAY) AND COVERING THE 24 HOURS ENDED AT MIDNIGHT SATURDAY:

COMBAT AIRCRAFT OF THE U.S.FAR EAST AIR FORCES AND ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE CONTINUED A 24-HOUR SCHEDULE OF MASSIVE AIR ASSAULTS AGAINST NORTH KOREAN TARGETS ON AUG. 26. NEARLY 600 SORTIES WERE FLOWN BY ALL TYPES OF AIRCRAFT TO AID THE UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES.

FEAF BOMBER COMMAND B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES ATTACKED RAIL INSTALLATIONS AND DESTROYED LARGE QUANTITIES OF ROLLING STOCK IN A PACKED MARSHALLING YARD AT KILCHU, 60 MILES SOUTH OF CHONGJIN ON THE EAST COAST RAIL SYSTEM.

ROLLING STOCK ON THE EAST COAST RAIL LINE IS LARGELY AT A STANDSTILL AS THE RESULT OF SUCCESSFUL ATTACKS ON BRIDGES AND RAILYARDS FROM CHONGJIN SOUTH TO WONSAN.

OTHER B-29S SCORED DIRECT HITS ON A KEY DOUBLE RAILROAD BRIDGE ON THE WESTERN RAILROAD NET, 30 MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL.

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE, FLYING A RECORD NUMBER OF DAYLIGHT SORTIES, ELIMINATED ONE SPAN OF A HIGHWAY BRIDGE 32 MILES EAST OF SEOUL AND DAMAGED ANOTHER 30 MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHUNCHON. BOTH LIGHT BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS AGAIN ATTACKED THE WESTERNMOST PONTOON BRIDGE AT SEOUL TO PREVENT MILITARY SUPPLIES FROM TRICKLING THROUGH.

OTHER OBJECTIVES HIT BY THE LIGHT BOMBERS WERE LOCOMOTIVE REPAIR SHOPS AND A RAILROAD TUNNEL AT IMWONJIN ON THE EAST COAST, 17 MILES SOUTH OF SAMCHOK. NUMEROUS RAIL LINES CONNECTING TOWNS IN THE SAMCHOK AND ANDONG AREAS WERE CUT IN BOMB STRIKES.

RELATIVE INACTIVITY ON THE BATTLE FRONTS PERMITTED OVER HALF THE 330 ODD COMBAT SORTIES FLOWN BY FIFTH AIR FORCE AND RAAF FIGHTERS TO ATTACK LINES OF COMMUNICATION AND INTERDICTION TARGETS IN NORTH KOREAN TERRITORY.

LARGE NUMBERS OF FIGHTERS STRUCK NORTH OF THE 37TH PARALLEL, DESTROYING VEHICLES, RAILROAD CARS AND ARTILLERY PIECES. TWENTY-FIVE ENEMY-UTILIZED BUILDINGS WERE ATTACKED AND DAMAGED AT KOJIN AND 14 LEFT BURNING AT KOJIN AND SINMAK. A TRANSMITTER STATION WAS FIRED AT KANGNUNG. ONE IL-2 TWIN-ENGINE AIRCRAFT AND TWO OTHER AIRCRAFT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED TYPE WERE DESTROYED WHILE PARKED IN A HANGAR AT WONSAN AIRFIELD.

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CONSERVATIVE CLAIMS FOR FIGHTER DAMAGE TO NORTH KOREAN INSTALLATIONS AND EQUIPMENT INCLUDED 26 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, 69 BUILDINGS IN USE FOR MILITARY PURPOSES, FOUR ARTILLERY PIECES, ONE TANK, FIVE LOCOMOTIVES AND 130 RAILROAD CARS. A BRIDGE WAS DAMAGED AT KUNSAN 11 MILES SOUTHEAST OF UISONG AND TROOP COLUMNS AND MILITARY MOVEMENTS WERE HIT IN MANY AREAS.

NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS, FLOWN IN THE MAIN BY B-26S, HARASSED NORTH KOREAN CONVOYS AND ATTACKED SUPPLY DISTRIBUTION CENTERS AND MILITARY TARGETS IN MORE THAN 10 ZONES, FROM SEOUL SOUTH TO SUNCHON.

RAAF MUSTANGS REPORTED THE DESTRUCTION OF A TANK NEAR UISONG AND THREE LOCOMOTIVES AND THREE RAILROAD CARS AT WONJU AND TAEJON. THE AUSTRALIANS BOMBED AND STRAFED NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AT MANY POINTS.

THE U.S.MARINE F4U'S FLYING UNDER THE OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW BOTH NIGHT INTRUDER AND DAYLIGHT CLOSE SUPPORT MISSIONS. CONVOYS AND OTHER MOVEMENTS IN THE KUMCHON-WAEGWAN SECTOR WERE BOMBED AND STRAFED IN NIGHT ATTACKS.

CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED 267 TONS OF ESSENTIAL MILITARY SUPPLIES AND 306 PASSENGERS TO KOREAN AIRFIELDS DURING THE DAY. NO AMERICAN OR AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT WERE LOST OR DAMAGED DURING THE DAY'S OPERATIONS AND NO NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION TO FIGHTER OR BOMBER ATTACKS WAS REPORTED.

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TEXT (200)
EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SUNDAY, AUG.27-(AP)-TEXT OF THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO.60:

INCREASED ENEMY PATROL ACTIVITY WAS REPORTED FROM THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR DURING THE LAST 24 HOURS. A COMMUNIST FORCE OF COMPANY STRENGTH HIT THE LEFT FLANK OF THE FIFTH REGIMENT AT 0130 (1:30 A.M., JAPANESE TIME) AND DROVE BACK AN OUTPOST BEFORE THE ATTACK WAS CONTAINED AND REPELLED. THE FIFTH REPULSED A HEAVY ENEMY ATTACK YESTERDAY MORNING KILLING 140 COMMUNISTS AND CAPTURING LARGE QUANTITIES OF SMALL ARMS AND EQUIPMENT.

AN ENEMY FORCE OF 16 SMALL BOATS ATTEMPTING A CROSSING OF THE NAKTONG RIVER LAST NIGHT WEST OF CHANGNYONG WAS REPELLED BY FRIENDLY ARTILLERY. AN ENEMY PATROL ATTEMPTING TO CROSS IN THE SAME AREA WAS DESTROYED.

IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) SECTOR, THE FIRST DIVISION REPORTS THE SITUATION IS WELL UNDER CONTROL, A REGIMENT OF THIS DIVISION ADVANCED 1,500 YARDS AGAINST STRONG OPPOSITION, CLOSING A GAP BETWEEN THE FIRST AND SIXTH DIVISIONS.

ON THE NIGHT OF AUG.25 A PATROL OF ANOTHER REGIMENT BURNED THE COMMAND POST OF THE ENEMY 13TH DIVISION, CAPTURING THREE PRISONERS.

THE SIXTH DIVISION LOST GROUND ON ITS LEFT FLANK YESTERDAY MORNING. A COUNTERATTACK LATER IN THE DAY REGAINED PART OF THE LOSS. THE EIGHTH DIVISION CONTINUED ITS PATROL ACTIVITY CAPTURING THREE PRISONERS.

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IN THE RIGHT SECTOR OF THE ROK LINE ELEMENTS OF THE THIRD AND CAPITAL DIVISIONS WITHDREW 1,500 TO 3,000 YARDS. ONE OF THE LATTER'S REGIMENTS WITHDREW TO A POSITION 3,000 YARDS SOUTH OF KIGYE.

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B19 Q (140)
LONDON, AUG.26-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND ISSUED THE FOLLOWING COMMUNIQUE WHICH WAS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE BY THE SOVIET MONITOR:

EVENING COMMUNIQUE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE ENEMY, WHO ENDEAVORED TO STAGE A COUNTEROFFENSIVE.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY WHICH LIBERATED UISONG, GUNYI AND TAPUDEN CONTINUED THEIR OFFENSIVE AND LIBERATED A NUMBER OF POPULATED PLACES.

IN THIS DIRECTION AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS ENDEAVORING TO HOLD BACK ADVANCING UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY LAUNCHED SEVERAL COUNTERATTACKS.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, HOWEVER, REPULSED THESE COUNTERATTACKS WITH HEAVY LOSSES FOR THE ENEMY.

ON AUG.26 AMERICAN BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS SEVERAL TIMES RAIDED PYONGYANG, WONSAN, SUWON AND NAMPO AND SUBJECTED THEM TO BARBAROUS BOMBING. AS A RESULT OF THE BOMBING THERE WERE CASUALTIES AMONG THE CIVILIAN POPULATION.

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-- LONDON, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:
ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, BREAKING DOWN THE ATTEMPT AT A COUNTEROFFENSIVE OF THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, INFLICTED ON THE ENEMY SERIOUS LOSSES IN MANPOWER AND EQUIPMENT.
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ADVANCING IN THE AREA OF THE SOUTHERN COAST ARE STRIKING BLOWS AT AMERICAN INFANTRY UNITS AND DETACHMENTS OF MARINES, SUPPORTING THE OFFENSIVE OF THE TROOPS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, GUERILLA DETACHMENTS ARE EXTENDING THEIR OPERATIONS IN THE AREAS OF ULSAN, [redacted] TONGNAE AND PUSAN.
ON AUGUST 21, PARTISAN DETACHMENTS OPERATING IN THE AREA OF THE ULSAN, [redacted] AND PUSAN RAILWAYS DERAILED AN ENEMY TRAIN CARRYING WAR MATERIALS. → TONGNAE
AIRCRAFT OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ARE ATTACKING ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS AND ALSO MILITARY OBJECTIVES AND COMMUNICATIONS IN THE REAR.
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KOREAN BOBBY-SOXER (450)
AUG 27 1950
BY TOM LAMBERT
WITH THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY,AUG.26-(AP)-SHE LOOKED A LITTLE LIKE AN ORIENTAL BOBBY-SOXER AS SHE SAT THERE WITH TEN OTHER NORTH KOREAN WAR PRISONERS.
SHOULDER-LENGTH BLACK HAIR, BOBBY PINS, SADDLE SHOES.
BUT OUT OF HER MOUTH--ALTHOUGH SHE DENIED MEMBERSHIP IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY OR ANY PARTY AFFILIATE--CAME THE STRAIGHT PARTY LINE.
THIS IS CHAE KIM TONG, 19 YEARS OLD, A MASTER SERGEANT NURSE IN THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST ARMY. SHE WAS CAPTURED YESTERDAY BY SOUTH KOREAN FORCES, TOGETHER WITH A WOMAN DOCTOR WITH THE RANK OF CAPTAIN.
THE DOCTOR WAS WOUNDED SEVERELY AND WAS BEING BROUGHT DOWN OFF A HIGH AND SUNNY RIDGE BY SWEATING SOUTH KOREAN LITTER BEARERS. CHAE KIM TONG WAS NOT SCRATCHED.
SITTING IN THE SHADE OF A SOUTH KOREAN ARMY COMMAND POST, APPARENTLY UNAFRAID AND UNHEEDING THE CURIOSITY OF THE SOUTH KOREANS WHO DAWDLED BY LOOKING AT HER, CHAE KIM TONG TOLD THIS STORY:
"I JOINED THE PEOPLES ARMY AS A NURSE WHEN I WAS 16 YEARS OLD. I WAS ATTACHED TO THE AUTOMATIC WEAPONS SECTION IN THE 13TH DIVISION.
"THERE WERE ONLY TWO NURSES IN MY UNIT. I DO NOT KNOW WHAT HAPPENED TO THE OTHERS. THERE ARE MANY WOMEN IN THE PEOPLES ARMY, MOSTLY AT THE REAR, MOSTLY MEDICAL PERSONNEL. NOT USED TO CARRY AMMUNITION." THIS STATEMENT CONFLICTED WITH OTHER PRISONER OF WAR TESTIMONY.
"THERE ARE NO RUSSIAN DOCTORS IN THE NORTH KOREAN PEOPLES ARMY. I SAW SOME RUSSIAN NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS IN PYONGYANG ABOUT TWO MONTHS AGO BUT HAD NO ASSOCIATION WITH THEM," SHE CONTINUED.
"WE ARE NOT SHORT OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT. OUR MEDICAL INSTRUMENTS AND MEDICINES ARE MADE IN NORTH KOREA."
THIS WRITER HAS SEEN CAPTURED NORTH KOREAN MEDICAL SUPPLIES WRAPPED IN PAPER MARKED WITH RUSSIAN CHARACTERS.
"WE HAVE A GOOD SUPPLY OF FOOD," SHE SAID. BUT OTHER P.O.W.'S SAY DIFFERENT.
"I HAVE NEVER BEEN TO A COMMUNIST SCHOOL BUT WAS TOLD ABOUT COMMUNISM. I DID NOT JOIN THE PARTY BECAUSE OF AN AGE RESTRICTION. ANY MAN OR WOMAN WHO WAS NOT A COMMUNIST WAS COMPELLED TO RECEIVE COMMUNIST 'SCIENCE' BY SOME MEMBER OF THE PARTY.

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"COMMUNISTS ARE ATTACHED TO EACH UNIT OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY AND ORGANIZE SOME SECRET ELEMENTS. I DO NOT KNOW HOW MANY COMMUNISTS WERE IN MY UNIT."
SHE SAID SHE SAW "SEVERAL HUNDRED AMERICAN WAR PRISONERS" RECENTLY AT SEOUL "RECEIVING LECTURES AT THE CAPITOL BUILDING AND BEING GIVEN BOOKS." ALTHOUGH SHE KNEW THE AMERICANS WERE BEING LECTURED, SHE SAID SHE DID NOT KNOW WHO WAS LECTURING THEM OR IN WHAT LANGUAGE.
SHE SAID SHE DID NOT KNOW HOW U.S.PRISONERS ARE TREATED AND EVADED ANSWERING A QUESTION ON WHAT SHE THOUGHT THE AMERICAN SOLDIERS ARE DOING HERE.
SHE WORE SCUFFED BROWN AND WHITE SADDLE SHOES WITHOUT STOCKINGS. "REGULATION SHOES ISSUED BY THE PEOPLES ARMY," SHE CALLED THEM.
HER HAIR HUNG BLACK AND LANK, FASTENED AT THE SIDE OF HER HEAD WITH THREE RUSTY BOBBY PINS.
SHE WORE A ROUGH DIRTY PAIR OF GREYISH-GREEN KHAKI PANTS, FASTENED WITH A WIDE ROUGH BELT, AND A FLANNEL-LIKE DUSTY TAN SHIRT UNADORNED BY ANY MARK OR RANK.
SHE LOOKED LIKE A BOBBY SOXER--UNTIL SHE SAID "STAILIN IS TRYING TO SOLVE THE INEQUALITY OF THE POOR AND RICH."
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(KOREAN)
WITH AMS BUDG BUDGET
KOREAN SITUATIONER (750)
AUG 27 1950
BY DON HUTH
U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG.26-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS FIGHTING FORCES IN KOREA HAVE SUCCESSFULLY PASSED WHAT MAY BE THEIR LAST MAJOR CRISIS IN THE BATTLE AGAINST THE KOREAN REDS.
THE DEFENSIVE VICTORY OF AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES OVER THE REDS PLUNGING SOUTHWARD TOWARD THE STRATEGIC CITY OF TAEGU MAY MARK THE FINAL CRITICAL TEST BY ALLIED UNITS BEFORE THEIR WAR MACHINE SHIFTS INTO ITS OFFENSIVE GEAR.
THERE SHOULD BE MORE DEFENSIVE BATTLES TO FIGHT TO KEEP AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN LINES STABLE. THERE MAY BE SHORT WITHDRAWALS TO STRENGTHEN THE PERIMETER IF RED PRESSURE IS EXERTED ON ANY SECTOR.
THE TAEGU TRIUMPH, WHICH STOPPED THE REDS COLD AFTER THEY HAD PUSHED WITHIN 12 MILES OF THE CITY, DEALT THE NORTH KOREANS THEIR THIRD SERIOUS BLOW IN AS MANY WEEKS.
IT IS ONE OF THE SIGNIFICANT TURNING POINTS OF THE WAR.
IT HAS WON MORE VALUABLE TIME FOR THE UNITED NATIONS TO ADD TO THEIR GROWING FORCES. IT HAS BLOCKED THE NORTH KOREANS AT A SECTOR OF THE LINE WHERE THEY HAD MASSED THEIR GREATEST TROOP CONCENTRATION FOR A DETERMINED DRIVE TO CRACK THE ALLIED WALL.
THE "FIRE DEPARTMENT" PHASE--WHEN U.N.TROOPS RUSHED FROM SPOT TO SPOT ALONG THE FRONT--MAY BE OVER BEFORE THE REDS CAN MOUNT ANOTHER BREAKTHROUGH ATTEMPT.
THE BREATHING SPACE THE DEFENSE HAS WON MAY ALLOW TIME TO STRENGTHEN THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN LINES SUFFICIENTLY TO SPIKE ANY FURTHER RED THRUST BEFORE IT GETS ROLLING WITHOUT WEAKENING ANY SECTOR.
THREE IMPORTANT NORTH KOREAN ATTEMPTS TO BREACH THE PRESENT LINE

HAVE BEEN MADE SINCE THE DEFENDERS COMPLETED THEIR WITHDRAWAL BEHIND THE WINDING NAKTONG RIVER AUG. FOUR:

1--THE REDS SWEPT EASILY DOWN THE WEST COAST, THEN WHEELED EASTWARD AND PLUNGED WITHIN 40 MILES OF THE MAIN AMERICAN SUPPLY BASE OF PUSAN. A "LIMITED OFFENSIVE" BY THE 35TH REGIMENT OF THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION, THE FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM FROM HAWAII, AND ELEMENTS OF THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION DROVE TO HIGH GROUND FOUR MILES EAST OF CHINJU AND THEN WITHDREW TO ORIGINAL POSITIONS WEST OF MASAN.

THE DRIVE BLUNTED THE RED SOUTHERN ATTACK AND EASED THE PRESSURE ON PUSAN.

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2--THE REDS' CRACK FOURTH DIVISION ESTABLISHED A MAJOR BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU NEAR CHANGNYONG. THE BATTERED AMERICAN 24TH DIVISION COUNTERATTACKED, BUT THE BRIDGEHEAD GREW. THE 24TH AND THE MARINES, LED BY PERSHING TANKS, MOUNTED A JOINT OFFENSIVE THAT CHEWED UP THE NORTH KOREAN FOURTH DIVISION AND SENT REMNANTS OF IT FLEEING WESTWARD ACROSS THE RIVER.

3--FIVE NORTH KOREAN DIVISIONS WERE CONCENTRATED FOR THE TAEGU DRIVE NORTH AND EAST OF WAEGWAN--WHICH SERVED AS A LOCK HOLDING THE DOOR OF THE ALLIED DEFENSE LINES TOGETHER. THE REDS TRIED TO SHATTER THE DOOR NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN. THREE ENEMY DIVISIONS--THE 15TH, 13TH AND THIRD--WERE BADLY MAULED IN THE SEVEN-DAY BATTLE AND WITHDREW.

THESE DEFENSIVE VICTORIES HAVE BEEN AUGMENTED BY LESSER BUT SIGNIFICANT ONES.

SINCE ITS WITHDRAWAL BEHIND THE NAKTONG, THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HAS SNUFFED OUT NORTH KOREAN ATTEMPTS TO CROSS THE RIVER IN THE CENTRAL SECTOR OF THE LINE.

SOUTH KOREAN UNITS HAVE CHECKED THE COMMUNIST SPEARHEADS AIMED AT YONGCHON ON THE NORTHERN FRONT. ALONG THE EAST COAST THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE BEEN PUSHED BACK FROM POHANG AND KIGYE, LEAVING THE ALLIED AIRFIELD SOUTHEAST OF POHANG SECURE.

THE AIRFIELD, ABANDONED WHEN THE REDS DROVE WITHIN ARTILLERY RANGE, STILL IS NOT BEING USED AS AN OPERATIONAL BASE.

ALL THESE SUCCESSES HAVE ENABLED U.N.TROOPS TO SELECT DEFENSIVE TERRAIN OF THEIR OWN CHOOSING AMONG KOREA'S RUGGED RIDGES. THIS INCREASES THE DIFFICULTIES OF THE NORTH KOREANS IN TRYING TO PUSH SOUTHWARD.

THE ENEMY HAS PAID HEAVILY IN CASUALTIES IN EACH MAJOR BREAKTHROUGH ATTEMPT. COMPLETE MASTERY OF THE AIR BY ALLIED FORCES SINCE THE WAR BEGAN HAS STRAINED THE REDS' SUPPLY AND REPLACEMENT PROBLEM. COMMUNISTS TAKEN PRISONER COMPLAIN OF GOING WITHOUT FOOD FOR DAYS AND RUNNING OUT OF AMMUNITION.

OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED FIGURES TOTAL AT LEAST 22,000 RED CASUALTIES, MOSTLY DEAD, IN BATTLES SINCE AUG. 1 ALONE. THE FIGURES MAY INCLUDE SOME DUPLICATION. BUT PROBABLY DO NOT INCLUDE A LARGE PART OF RED LOSSES WHEN 12,000 MEN OF THE COMMUNIST FOURTH DIVISION WERE SMASHED IN THE CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD. OR LOSSES INFLICTED IN THE SOUTHWEST BY THE ARMY-MARINE TASK FORCE.

BEFORE THIS GROWING LACK OF FRONT LINE MANPOWER AND MATERIEL CAN BE REMEDIED, THE U.N.MAY BE READY FOR ITS FIRST REAL OFFENSIVE CAMPAIGN OF THE WAR.

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KOREAN WAR CASUALTY BOX (140)

TOKYO, SUNDAY, AUG. 27-(AP)-THE NINE-WEEKS-OLD KOREAN WAR HAS TAKEN A TOLL OF WELL OVER 100,000 KILLED, WOUNDED OR MISSING ON BOTH SIDES.

THIS IS A ROUGH ESTIMATE. NOTHING OFFICIAL HAS COME FROM NORTH KOREAN SOURCES, AND UNITED NATIONS LOSSES ARE NOT UP TO DATE.

THE ESTIMATE COULD BE BROKEN DOWN THIS WAY:

NORTH KOREAN LOSSES--FRONTLINE, 50,000; KILLED AND WOUNDED BY STRAFING AND BOMBING FRONT, 20,000; LOSSES AMONG GUERRILLAS AND IN SEA ACTIONS, 10,000; CIVILIANS KILLED OR WOUNDED BY LONG-RANGE BOMBING ATTACKS AS ANNOUNCED BY NORTH KOREAN RADIO AT PYONGYANG, 11,582.

ALLIED LOSSES--AMERICAN CASUALTIES (UNOFFICIAL AND ESTIMATED BY SEVERAL SOURCES WHICH CANNOT BE NAMED), MORE THAN 5,000; SOUTH KOREAN BATTLE LOSSES, MORE THAN 20,000; SOUTH KOREAN CIVILIANS, LARGE, BUT NO POSSIBLE ESTIMATE.

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U.S.8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG. 26-(AP)-TWO SOUTH KOREANS AND 10 AMERICAN SERVICE MEN HAVE BEEN AWARDED BRONZE STAR MEDALS, THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE AMERICANS DECORATED INCLUDED CAPT.MELVIN MACCOUL, COLONIAL BEACH, VA.; CPL.ROY V.DEAVER, ROBINSON, ILL.; MASTER SGT.JAMES MARTIN DOWNS, HOPE, ARK.; MASTER SGT.JAMES E.TONER, GRIFFIN, GA.; SGT.FIRST CLASS JAMES D.ANDREWS, MINNEAPOLIS; LT.WILLIAM A.CARPENTER, JR., SAYLERSVILLE, KY.; CAPT.HENRY P.CARRINGTON, RICHMOND, VA.; AND PVT. JACOB J.BERBERRY, PITTSBURGH, TA.

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U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, SUNDAY, AUG.27-(AP)-MARGUERITE HIGGINS, WAR CORRESPONDENT FOR THE NEW YORK HERALD-TRIBUNE, RECEIVED MINOR INJURIES IN A JEEP ACCIDENT FRIDAY NIGHT.

THE WOMAN REPORTER SUSTAINED A BUMP ON HER FOREHEAD AND A POSSIBLE FRACTURED NOSE WHEN THE BRAKES FAILED AND THE DRIVER CRASHED INTO A WALL TO STOP THE CAR.

SHE HAD ATTENDED A DINNER AT THE AMERICAN EMBASSY AT PUSAN AND WAS EN ROUTE TO HER BILLET WHEN THE MISHAP OCCURRED.

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BY WILLIAM SHINN (240)

SOMEWHERE IN KOREA, SUNDAY, AUG. 27-(AP)-FIFTEEN MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION HELD OPEN MEETINGS TODAY IN TWO CITIES, ONE CLOSE TO THE FIGHTING FRONT.

"AFTER THIS PERIOD OF DEATH AND DESTRUCTION, WE HOPE A FREE AND UNITED KOREA WILL EMERGE," SAID THE COMMISSION CHAIRMAN, ANUP SINGH, OF INDIA.

THE MEETINGS WERE AT CHINHAE AND MASAN. CHINHAI IS 20 AIR MILES WEST OF THE PORT CITY OF PUSAN. MASAN IS 27 AIR MILES WEST OF PUSAN--AND ONLY A FEW MILES EAST OF HIGH GROUND WHERE THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION HAS BEEN WAGING CLOSE-QUARTER HAND GRENADE FIGHTS WITH RED KOREAN UNITS OF A FORCE ESTIMATED AT 15,000.

"THE FREE NATIONS AND PEOPLES HAVE ARISEN LIKE ONE PERSON AND

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COME TO YOUR AID," SINGH TOLD THE SOUTH KOREANS.
"THEY ARE FIGHTING ON YOUR SIDE, NOT ONLY TO HELP YOU BUT IN DEFENSE OF A PRINCIPLE. NEVER BEFORE HAVE SO MANY NATIONS BEEN BANDED TOGETHER AS THEY ARE NOW IN KOREA."
THE COMMISSION SECRETARY, B.A. REMBORG, OF SWEDEN, SAID:
"THIS IS THE FIRST TIME IN THE HISTORY OF THE WORLD THAT THE OVERWHELMING MAJORITY OF NATIONS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF AN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR PEACE AND FREEDOM HAVE JOINED TOGETHER IN AN ALL-OUT EFFORT TO STOP AGGRESSION AND TO STOP IT BY FORCE."
THE COMMISSION MEMBERS VISITED SOUTH KOREAN WOUNDED AT THE NAVAL HOSPITAL IN CHINHAE. THEY WERE SCHEDULED TO RETURN TO PUSAN TONIGHT.
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PUSAN, KOREA, SUNDAY TUTUAA
PUSAN, KOREA, SUNDAY AUG 27-(APLAC.HART SCHAAF, FOR THE PAST YEAR DEPUTY EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST, HAS BEEN APPOINTED U.N.SPECIAL ADVISER OF CIVILIAN RELIEF IN KOREA.
DR.SCHAAF WILL BE ATTACHED TO THE STAFF OF COL.A.G.KATZIN, PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE IN KOREA.
DR.SHAAF, WHO ARRIVED IN TOKYO FRIDAY, FLEW IMMEDIATELY TO KOREA TO CONFER WITH COLONEL KATZIN. THEN BOTH RETURNED TO TOKYO FOR FURTHER CONVERSATIONS THERE.
DR.SCHAAF, AN AMERICAN, FORMERLY WAS PROFESSOR OF INTERNATIONAL ADMINISTRATION AT CORNELL UNIVERSITY. BEFORE HIS ECAFE POST HE WAS CHIEF OF SUPPLY FOR THE EUROPEAN RELIEF OPERATION OF UNRRA.
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PEARL HARBOR,AUG.26-(AP)-THE PACIFIC MARINE FORCE COMMANDER, JUST BACK FROM KOREA, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY HE BELIEVED THAT "THE END IS IN SIGHT."
LT.GEN.LEMUEL C.SHEPHERD, JR., SAID "THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE ONE MORE GOOD SHOT IN THEM" AND THAT "THE NEXT FEW WEEKS WILL BE CRUCIAL."
"THE SUPERIORITY OF OUR ARMS AND MEN IS BOUND TO SWING THE TIDE," HE ADDED.
SHEPHERD SPENT A DAY VISITING EACH MARINE BATTALION IN KOREA. HE SAID THE LEATHERNECKS WERE PUTTING UP A "MAGNIFICENT FIGHT" AND THAT ALL SERVICES, WITH MORALE HIGH, WERE "FIGHTING LIKE A TEAM."
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NIGHT LEAD UNESCO
BY HARVEY HUDSON
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PARIS, AUG.26-(AP)-THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION (UNESCO) TODAY APPOINTED A COMMITTEE TO DECIDE HOW FAR IT SHOULD GO IN SUPPORTING THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA.
THE COMMITTEE IS EXPECTED TO REPORT BACK MONDAY. SUPPORT OF THE U.N. SECURITY COUNCIL'S ACTION IN SENDING TROOPS TO KOREA IS ACCEPTED AS A FOREGONE CONCLUSION, BUT THE EXTENT OF THE AID HAS NOT YET BEEN CLARIFIED.
DR.LUTHER EVANS, LIBRARIAN OF CONGRESS AND A MEMBER OF UNESCO'S EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, URGED ALL OUT MEASURES TO SUPPORT THE SECURITY COUNCIL DECISION WHICH LABELLED THE COMMUNISTS AS AGGRESSORS AND TO DISSEMINATE IT AS WIDELY AS POSSIBLE.
OTHERS, HOWEVER, FAVORED A MORE LIMITED ACTION. THE STRAINED BUDGET OF UNESCO IS A FACTOR.
THE COMMITTEE TO IRON OUT THE DIFFERENCES OF OPINION INCLUDES DR.JAIME TORRES BODET OF MEXICO, DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF UNESCO; EVANS; ROGER SEYDOUX OF FRANCE; AND PROF.JEAN PIGUET OF SWITZERLAND.
THERE ARE NO MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL FROM EASTERN EUROPE.
DR.TORRES BODET SUGGESTED TODAY THAT UNESCO COULD AID THROUGH:
1--IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE TO THE REFUGEE CIVILIAN POPULATION, PARTICULARLY IN THE EDUCATION OF CHILDREN.
2--TEACHING AIMS AND IDEALS OF THE U.N.
3--GIVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC A FULL UNDERSTANDING OF THE U.N. ACTION IN KOREA.
4--HELPING IN THE RECONSTRUCTION AFTER THE END OF HOSTILITIES.
BENJAMIN COHEN, DEPUTY SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE U.N. ATTENDED THE CONFERENCE. HE FLEW TO PARIS FROM NEW YORK YESTERDAY.
SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SENT A MESSAGE SAYING:
"UNESCO CAN PLAY A VERY CONSTRUCTIVE AND IMPORTANT ROLE WITH REGARD TO THE KOREAN QUESTION WITHOUT PREJUDICING IN ANY WAY THE FUNDAMENTAL ROLE OF UNESCO IN THE WORLD. WITH EACH PASSING WEEK IT SEEMS MORE AND MORE CLEAR THAT THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD HAVE NEED OF MATERIAL INFORMATION CONCERNING THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA."
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FIRST LEAD UNESCO
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BY CARL HARTMAN
PARIS, AUG. 26-(AP)-UNESCO'S EXECUTIVE COUNCIL HEARD TWO STRONG PLEAS TODAY THAT IT TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION IN SUPPORT OF THE UNITED NATIONS' FORCES IN KOREA.
INDICATIONS WERE THAT THE COUNCIL FOR THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION WOULD HEED THE PLEAS, THUS AVOIDING ANY SPLIT IN THE SPECIALIZED U.N. CULTURAL AGENCY OVER KOREA.
DR.JAIME TORRES-BODET, UNESCO'S SECRETARY GENERAL, AND BENJAMIN COHEN, DEPUTY SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE U.N., BOTH ASKED FOR QUICK ACTION.
TORRES-BODET'S SPEECH SPIKED REPORTS THAT HE WAS LUKEWARM TOWARD UNESCO SUPPORT FOR U.N. ACTION IN KOREA.
HE SAID THE U.N. SECRETARIAT HAD SUGGESTED THAT UNESCO COULD SPREAD INFORMATION ABOUT U.N. IDEALS AND AIMS IN KOREA, AND PARTICIPATE LATER IN RECONSTRUCTION OF THE COUNTRY AFTER THE WAR ENDS.
THE SECRETARIAT ALSO SUGGESTED IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE TO CIVILIAN REFUGEES IN KOREA. THIS COULD COME IN THE FORM OF DIVERTING SOME OF UNESCO'S FUNDS TO CIVILIAN RELIEF.
TORRES-BODET AND COHEN SPOKE AT THE OPENING SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, WHICH THEN DECIDED TO GO INTO SECRET SESSION THIS AFTERNOON.
SEVERAL EASTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS ARE MEMBERS OF UNESCO BUT NONE HAS REPRESENTATIVES ON THE COUNCIL. THUS THE QUESTION OF A BOYCOTT BY

SOVIET SATELLITES IS NOT INVOLVED.
INFORMED SOURCES PREDICTED THE COUNCIL WOULD APPROVE SUPPORT OF U.N. ACTION IN KOREA AFTER SOME LENGTHY AND PERHAPS HEATED DEBATE.
ANY RELUCTANCE TORRES-BODET HAD TOWARD UNESCO'S TAKING A STAND ON THE KOREAN ISSUE WAS BELIEVED DUE IN PART TO WORRY OVER THE AGENCY'S FINANCIAL STATUS.

TORRES BODET IS KNOWN TO BE DISSATISFIED WITH THE FACT THAT MANY OTHER PROBLEMS FACING UNESCO ARE STILL UNSOLVED. AMONG THESE IS UNESCO'S FUND SHORTAGE, DUE IN PART TO THE FAILURE OF MANY MEMBER NATIONS TO PAY THEIR SHARE OF THE EXPENSES AND THE INSISTENCE OF MEMBERS THAT THE ORGANIZATION UNDERTAKE PROJECTS FOR WHICH IT LACKS FUNDS AND EQUIPMENT.

TORRES BODET HAS BEEN REPORTED READY TO QUIT, IF HE DISLIKES THE WAY THINGS GO AT THE EXECUTIVE BOARD SESSION. HE RESIGNED LAST SPRING WHEN UNESCO WAS HOLDING ITS ANNUAL CONFERENCE IN FLORENCE, ITALY, BUT LATER AGREED TO WITHDRAW HIS RESIGNATION.
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BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT PROTESTED TODAY AGAINST WHAT IT CALLED THE "INHUMAN BOMBING OF KOREA'S PEACEFUL POPULATION."
A CABLE SENT TO THE UNITED NATIONS ALSO SUPPORTED RUSSIAN PROPOSALS FOR WITHDRAWAL OF UNITED NATIONS TROOPS FROM KOREA AND SEATING RED CHINA'S REPRESENTATIVES IN THE U.N.
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BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, AUG. 26-(AP)-A BATTALION OF ABOUT 1,000 BELGIAN VOLUNTEER TROOPS IS TO JOIN THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA. THE BELGIAN CABINET DECIDED YESTERDAY ON THIS CONTRIBUTION TO ITS U.N. OBLIGATION.
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FIRST LEAD KOREA
BY MAX BOYD
WASHINGTON, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE ARMY REPORTED NEW EVIDENCE TODAY OF RECENT RUSSIAN SHIPMENTS OF FIGHTING EQUIPMENT TO THE KOREAN COMMUNISTS.
A BRIEFING OFFICER AT DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS TOLD REPORTERS OF THE DEVELOPMENT. THE DISCLOSURE CAME ON THE HEELS OF A REPORT FROM THE SAME SOURCE YESTERDAY THAT 120 HEAVY TANKS WERE SHIPPED TO NORTH KOREA IN JULY FROM THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED MANCHURIAN PORT OF DAIREN.
RUSSIAN SPOKESMEN HAVE INSISTED THAT THE SOVIET UNION HAS PROVIDED THE KOREAN REDS WITH NO ADDITIONAL FIGHTING TOOLS SINCE RUSSIAN SOLDIERS WERE PULLED OUT OF NORTH KOREA.
COUPLED WITH THE REPORT ON TANKS WAS AN ACCOUNT OF THE MASSING OF TWO CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMIES NEAR THE KOREAN BORDER.
AT THIS MORNING'S REGULAR BRIEFING AT THE PENTAGON, THE ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID:
"INTERROGATION OF NORTH KOREAN PRISONERS TENDS TO CONFIRM REPORTS THAT SOVIET RUSSIA HAS SENT EQUIPMENT TO THE NORTH KOREAN REDS AFTER 1949.
"IN ONE CASE A PRISONER CLAIMED TO HAVE SEEN AS LATE AS JUNE, 1950, THE DELIVERY OF RUSSIAN WEAPONS. HE SAID HE SAW THE RUSSIAN SEAL ON BOXES. AMONG THE WEAPONS HE CLAIMED TO HAVE SEEN WERE 24 76-MM. AND 12 122-MM. ARTILLERY PIECES.
REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED NATIONS OTHER THAN AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES WITNESSED THE QUESTIONING OF THE ABOVE PRISONER AND STATED THAT HE MADE HIS STATEMENT WITHOUT BEING SUBJECTED TO THREATS OR BEING OFFERED ANY REWARD."
IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES, THE ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID REPORTS ON THE SHIPMENT OF 120 TANKS FROM DAIREN DESCRIBED THEM AS HEAVY TANKS. HE SAID THE ONLY HEAVY TANKS RUSSIA IS KNOWN TO HAVE ARE JOSEPH STALIN III'S, BELIEVED TO WEIGH BETWEEN 50 AND 60 TONS EACH AND TO MOUNT 122-MM. GUNS, CONSIDERABLY LARGER THAN THE 90-MM. GUNS ON U.S. MEDIUM TANKS.
THE OFFICER SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE INFORMATION DID NOT SPECIFY THAT THE TANKS WERE JOSEPH STALIN III'S, AND THAT THE TANKS REALLY ARE RUSSIAN T34 MEDIUMS.
IT IS POSSIBLE THE
WHETHER THE REPORTED TANK REINFORCEMENTS CAN BE BROUGHT TO THE BATTLE AREA IS A QUESTION IN VIEW OF MOUNTING AMERICAN AIR ATTACKS ON COMMUNICATION LINES.
HEAVY ATTACKS WERE MADE BY THE AIR FORCE YESTERDAY ON THE MAIN RAIL LINE BETWEEN SEOUL AND PYONGYANG. THE AIR FORCE REPORTED CATCHING A TRAIN HAULING 12 TANKS AT A BOMB-BLOCKED TUNNEL ENTRANCE. MOST OF THE TANKS WERE WRECKED BY FIGHTERS ATTACKING WITH BOMBS, ROCKETS AND MACHINEGUNS, THE AIR FORCE SAID.
THE ARMY SPOKESMAN CALLED ATTENTION TO A TOKYO COMMUNIQUE REPORTING THAT GROUND FORCES ADVANCING IN THE NORTHERN SECTORS OF THE FRONT REPORTED FINDING AN ESTIMATED 600 NORTH KOREAN SOLDIERS KILLED BY AIR ATTACKS.
"WE'VE HAD SOME REMARKS ABOUT THE EFFECTIVENESS OF AIR OPERATIONS," THE ARMY OFFICER SAID. "IF THEY CAN KNOCK OFF 600 SOLDIERS, THEY'RE DOING ALL RIGHT."
THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE WEATHER IN THE TARGET AREA IN KOREA TODAY WAS REPORTED GENERALLY GOOD. THIS LED TO EXPECTATIONS OF ANOTHER DAY OF INTENSIVE AIR OPERATIONS, FOLLOWING ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW RECORD OF NEARLY 600 GROUND SUPPORT FLIGHTS YESTERDAY.
THE REPORT ON THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS MASSED AT THE KOREAN BORDER WORRIED MILITARY STRATEGISTS.
IT RAISED IMMEDIATE QUESTIONS OF WHETHER THESE SEASONED RED TROOPS, REPORTED UNOFFICIALLY TO NUMBER MORE THAN 200,000, WILL STAY WHERE THEY ARE OR MOVE SOUTHWARD TO THE AID OF THE STALLED NORTH KOREAN INVADERS.
THE LATTER STEP WOULD MEAN A SHARP REVISION OF FIGHTING PLANS FOR UNITED NATIONS FORCES NOW SEEKING TO LIBERATE KOREA.
THE UNOFFICIAL ESTIMATE OF 200,000 FOR THE CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATION IS MORE THAN DOUBLE THE ESTIMATED SIZE OF AMERICAN FORCES IN KOREA.
AN ARMY SPOKESMAN, IN DESCRIBING THE CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOP CONCENTRATION AROUND ANTUNG, NEAR THE MANCHURIAN-KOREAN BORDER, ALSO REVEALED YESTERDAY THAT 120 MAMMOTH TANKS HAVE BEEN SENT TO THE RED KOREANS FROM THE RUSSIAN-CONTROLLED PORT OF DAIREN.
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THIS RAISED NEW THREATS FOR U.N. FORCES IN KOREA PROVIDED THE HEAVY TANKS CAN BE BROUGHT INTO ACTION IN THE FACE OF HEAVY U.S. AIR BOMBARDMENT. THE SPOKESMAN SAID NONE OF THESE TANKS HAD BEEN REPORTED IN ACTION YET.
NOR, SAID THE SPOKESMAN, IS THERE ANY EVIDENCE THAT ANY CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS ARE NOW FIGHTING BESIDE THE NORTH KOREANS AGAINST

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AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.
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AS TO WHAT THE TWO CHINESE RED ARMIES POISED IN MANCHURIA MAY DO, AND HOW U.S. FORCES WOULD REACT IF THE CHINESE MOVED INTO KOREA, THE SPOKESMAN WOULD EXPRESS NO OPINION.

THREE EXPLANATIONS OF THEIR PRESENCE APPEARED POSSIBLE:

1. THEY ARE TO BE THROWN AGAINST THE AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS NOW BEGINNING TO HOLD THEIR OWN IN KOREA.

2. THEY ARE A PRECAUTIONARY FORCE INTENDED TO ISOLATE MANCHURIA FROM THE KOREAN FIGHTING.

3. THEY ARE INTENDED TO UNNERVE THE U.S. AND MAKE THIS COUNTRY MORE RECEPTIVE TO ANY KOREAN PEACE PROPOSALS ADVANCED BY RUSSIA.

SHOULD THE FIRST EXPLANATION PROVE CORRECT, THE CHINESE ARMIES MOVE ACROSS THE BORDER, THIS COUNTRY WOULD BE CONFRONTED WITH GRAVE NEW MILITARY AND DIPLOMATIC PROBLEMS.

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THE QUESTION WHETHER CHINESE TROOPS ADVANCING THROUGH NORTH KOREA TOWARD AMERICAN LINES SHOULD BE BROUGHT UNDER AIR ATTACK WOULD HAVE TO BE DECIDED IMMEDIATELY.

IF THE CHINESE ARMIES WERE SUPPORTED BY COMMUNIST PLANES BASED IN MANCHURIA, THE QUESTION WHETHER THE U.S. AIR FORCES SHOULD ATTACK MANCHURIA BASES WOULD LIKEWISE DEMAND QUICK ANSWER.

SHOULD CHINA POUR HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF TROOPS INTO KOREA FROM ITS ALMOST INEXHAUSTIBLE SUPPLY OF MANPOWER, THIS COUNTRY ULTIMATELY MIGHT FACE THE QUESTION OF WITHDRAWING ITS ARMY FROM KOREA ENTIRELY. SUCH A WITHDRAWAL WOULD BE EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS AND HAVE WORLD-WIDE POLITICAL REPERCUSSIONS.

EARLIER THIS WEEK, U.S. MILITARY MEN WERE REPORTED RELIABLY TO FEEL THAT, IN CASE THE CHINESE REDS GET INTO THE KOREAN CONFLICT OR COMMUNIST AGGRESSION BREAKS OUT ELSEWHERE, A DECISION SHOULD BE MADE AS TO "WHO IS THE REAL ENEMY."

PRESUMABLY, U.S. MILITARY POLICY WOULD THEN BE BASED ON THAT DECISION. AT THIS STAGE OF AMERICAN MOBILIZATION, ANY SUCH POLICY WOULD DEPEND HEAVILY ON THE ATOMIC BOMB.

THE REPORT THAT U.S. MILITARY MEN ARE THINKING ALONG THESE LINES WAS FOLLOWED UP LAST NIGHT BY A STRONGLY-WORDED SPEECH FROM FRANCIS P.MATTHEWS, PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SECRETARY OF THE NAVY.

IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT BOSTON, MATTHEWS SAID IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THIS COUNTRY WILL BE FORCED TO ALTER ITS POLICY OF NEVER DRAWING THE SWORD UNLESS FIRST ATTACKED.

"TO HAVE PEACE," HE DECLARED, "WE SHOULD BE WILLING, AND DECLARE OUR INTENTION, TO PAY ANY PRICE, EVEN THE PRICE OF INSTITUTING A WAR TO COMPEL COOPERATION FOR PEACE."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TONIGHT, SATURDAY UG.26)
(500) AMS BUDGET
WAR INTERPRETIVE
BY ELTON C.FAY

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WASHINGTON,AUG.26-(AP)-NEW EVIDENCE THAT AIR POWER IS BEGINNING TO PAY DEFINITE DIVIDENDS IN THE KOREAN WAR WAS OFFERED THIS WEEKEND BY PENTAGON OFFICIALS.

THEY CAME UP WITH REPORTS AND STATISTICS WHICH THEY SAID SHOWED:

1. AIR FORCE PLANES IN THE FIRST TWO MONTHS OF THE WAR TOOK OFF MORE THAN 20,000 TIMES TO MAKE DIRECT OR INDIRECT SORTIES AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNIST ENEMY. THIS FIGURE DID NOT INCLUDE OTHER THOUSANDS OF SORTIES FLOWN BY NAVAL AIRCRAFT LAUNCHED FROM AMERICAN AND BRITISH CARRIERS ROAMING THE COASTLINES OF KOREA.

2. THE CONSTANT AIR BOMBARDMENT OF NORTH KOREA'S FACTORY CITIES IS DRIVING THE ENEMY TO DISPERSE HIS WAR INDUSTRIES TO THE SAFETY OF "NEUTRAL" MANCHURIA, BEYOND THE LEGAL RANGE OF UNITED NATIONS PLANES.

3. THE TOLL OF ENEMY DEAD ON THE BATTLEFRONT AS A RESULT OF AVIATION SUPPORT OF THE HARD-FIGHTING AND HARD-PRESSED GROUND TROOPS, IS MOUNTING.

ALONG WITH THESE REPORTS OF PROGRESS IN THE SKIES THERE WAS ENCOURAGING NEWS OF THE BATTLE ON THE GROUND.

CERTAIN PENTAGON OFFICIALS (THE NATURE OF WHOSE JOBS REQUIRE THAT THEY MAKE COLD, ANALYTICAL ASSESSMENT OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING) SUMMED UP THE SITUATION AT THE WEEKEND THIS WAY:

THINGS LOOK BETTER THAN AT ANY TIME SINCE THE START OF THE WAR. THE DEFENSE LINE IS HOLDING REASONABLY STABLE; SOME SMALL, LOCAL ADVANCES HAVE BEEN MADE; THE ENEMY IS SHOWING A FEW SIGNS OF WEARINESS AND UNDER-SUPPLY; UNITED STATES FORCES ARE GROWING CONSTANTLY MORE BATTLEWISE.

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BUT--AND THESE OFFICIALS EMPHASIZE THE "BUT" --THIS DOESN'T MEAN THAT THE BATTLEFRONT TROUBLES ARE ALL OVER, THAT THERE WILL BE NO MORE REVERSES. NOR DOES IT MEAN A JUMP OFF SOON FOR A BIG COUNTER-OFFENSIVE TO CRUSH THE COMMUNISTS AND DRIVE THE SURVIVORS BACK NORTH.

THE PREVALENCE OF A LESS GRIM OUTLOOK AMONG THE REAL STRATEGY-MAKERS HERE FOLLOWED THE RETURN FRIDAY FROM THE WAR ZONE OF TWO MEMBERS OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF. THEY ARE ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF J. LAWTON COLLINS AND CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS FORREST P.SHERMAN. THE CAUTIOUSLY PHRASED WORDS OF SATISFACTION THEY EXPRESSED TO REPORTERS ON STEPPING OFF THEIR PLANE OBVIOUSLY HAVE BEEN ELABORATED UPON IN TALKS WITH THEIR PENTAGON COLLEAGUES.

AMONG OTHER THINGS, COLLINS WAS REPORTED TO HAVE GIVEN HIGH PRAISE TO THE NOW VETERAN SOLDIERS OF THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION, THE FIRST AMERICAN GROUND FORCE TO JOIN IN THE KOREAN WAR.

THE 24TH'S INFANTRYMEN, ALONG WITH THOSE OF THE OTHER DIVISIONS THAT HAVE FOLLOWED, NOW ARE SEASONED SOLDIERS. THEY HAVE LEARNED, SOMETIMES AT HIGH COST IN CASUALTIES, THE LITTLE TRICKS OF IN-FIGHTING THAT MARK THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN GREEN TROOPS AND VETERANS.

IN THE FIRST WEEKS OF THE WAR, AMERICAN TROOPS HAD TROUBLE WITH ENEMY INFILTRATION. SMALL UNITS WOULD FIND THE ENEMY BEHIND THEIR BACKS, AT THEIR FLANKS, DISCOVER THEY WERE CUT OFF. REPORTS BROUGHT BACK FROM KOREA SHOW THAT TROUBLE IS DISAPPEARING RAPIDLY WITH EXPERIENCE.

COLLINS ALSO PRAISED THE FIGHTING QUALITIES OF THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY AND ONE ARMY OFFICIAL HERE SAID TODAY "WE COULDN'T GET ALONG WITHOUT THEM."

THIS OFFICER MENTIONED THAT NOT ONLY ARE THE REGULAR DIVISIONS OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA FIGHTING BEAUTIFULLY BUT THAT DURING THE LAST FEW WEEKS SOUTH KOREANS ARE BEING INTEGRATED INTO AMERICAN ARMY DIVISIONS. THIS IS BEING DONE UNDER THE "BUDDY" SYSTEM WHEREBY AN AMERICAN SOLDIER PERSONALLY TAKES OVER THE TRAINING AND "ORIENTATION" OF A SOUTH KOREAN, TEACHING HIM THE RULES, CUSTOMS AND LANGUAGE OF THE AMERICAN ARMY.

(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. E.S.T. TODAY SATURDAY AUG. 26)

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(ADVANCE)-(WX)-WORCESTER,MASS.,AUG 26-(AP)-SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) SAID TONIGHT THAT IF CONGRESSIONAL PLANS TO AID SOUTH KOREA "HAD NOT BEEN SABOTAGED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT, THE BLOOD OF AMERICAN BOYS WOULD NOT BE STAINING THE HILLS AND VALLEYS OF SOUTH KOREA TODAY."

IN A SPEECH MADE PREPARED FOR THE MILITARY ORDER OF THE PURPLE HEART, MCCARTHY CALLED AGAIN FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON.

HE ACCUSED ACHESON OF TAKING THE LEAD IN HOLDING UP THE EXPENDITURE OF MILITARY AID FUNDS VOTED BY CONGRESS. HE SAID THESE FUNDS WOULD HAVE ARMED THE SOUTH KOREANS SUFFICIENTLY TO STOP THE COMMUNIST INVASION AND WOULD HAVE MADE IT UNNECESSARY TO SEND AMERICAN SOLDIERS "ALMOST BAREHANDED" INTO KOREA.

"THE KOREAN DEATH TRAP CAN BE LAID AT THE DOORS OF THOSE MEN WHO SABOTAGED THE CONGRESSIONAL ATTEMPT TO SEND ARMS TO THE ANTI-COMMUNISTS IN CHINA, FORMOSA AND KOREA--MEN WHOSE SHADOWS HOVER LIKE VULTURES OVER THE CORPSE OF CHINA AND WHOSE ACTIONS RIP AT THE BACKBONE OF FREEDOM IN AMERICA," HE DECLARED.

MCCARTHY SAID HE WOULD CONTINUE HIS EFFORTS TO EXPOSE COMMUNISTS IN GOVERNMENT. A DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY OF A SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE SAID RECENTLY HE HAD FAILED TO PROVE ANY CHARGES. REPUBLICAN MEMBERS SAID THE INVESTIGATION WASN'T THOROUGH ENOUGH.

THE WISCONSIN SENATOR SAID SOME PEOPLE COMPLAINED ABOUT HIS METHODS, BUT HE SAID SUCH MATTERS COULDN'T BE HANDLED "DELICATELY."

"IT HAS BEEN A TOUGH, BARE KNUCKLE JOB AND AS LONG AS I REMAIN IN THE UNITED STATES SENATE AND KNOW OF A SINGLE COMMUNIST IN A POSITION TO ENDANGER THE LIFE OF THIS NATION, IT WILL CONTINUE TO BE A BARE KNUCKLE JOB," HE SAID.

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(350) NIGHT LEAD GENOCIDE
BY JOHN B.OWEN

WASHINGTON, AUG.26-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID TODAY THAT REPORTED DANGER TO KOREAN CHRISTIANS AT THE HANDS OF THE RED INVADERS SHOWS THE NEED FOR OUTLAWING MASS MURDER OF WHOLE PEOPLES.

MR.TRUMAN WROTE CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE URGING FAVORABLE ACTION WITHIN "THE NEXT FEW DAYS" ON A UNITED NATIONS TREATY TO RECOGNIZE SUCH A CRIME, CALLED GENOCIDE, AND PUNISH THE CRIMINALS BY WORLD AGREEMENT.

THE PRESIDENT EXPRESSED HOPE THAT THE SENATE WILL APPROVE AND MAKE THE UNITED STATES A PARTY TO THE GENOCIDE TREATY BEFORE THE FALL U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

MR.TRUMAN TRANSMITTED A LETTER FROM KOREAN AMBASSADOR JOHN M. CHANG WHO SAID:

"THERE IS IMMINENT DANGER THAT THE INVADERS WILL COMMIT GENOCIDE IN COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED KOREA ON THE CHRISTIAN POPULATION, WHICH AMOUNTS TO SOME 700,000 PERSONS, OF WHICH 400,000 ARE PROTESTANTS AND ABOUT 300,000 ARE CATHOLICS."

HE SAID THE REDS CONSIDERED THE CHRISTIANS "BY IMPLICATION" AS OPPOSED TO THE RULE OF MOSCOW.

CHANG ADDED THE INVADERS WOULD TRY TO INJURE THE KOREAN PEOPLE BY LIQUIDATING NATIONAL, CULTURAL AND RELIGIOUS LEADERS AND THOSE WHO HELP GIVE THE REPUBLIC COHESION.

CHANG NOTED THAT THESE PRACTICES ARE COVERED BY THE GENOCIDE TREATY, WHICH HE EXPRESSED HOPE THE UNITED STATES WOULD SPEEDILY RATIFY.

MR.TRUMAN SAID:

"THIS ACTION BY THE UNITED STATES WILL AT LEAST BE A DETERRENT TO THE RULERS OF CERTAIN COUNTRIES WHO CONSIDER GENOCIDE A JUSTIFIABLE MEANS TO PROMOTE THEIR POLITICAL OBJECTIVES."

THE TREATY HAS MET WITH SOME CRITICISM ON THE GROUNDS IT MIGHT PERMIT THE UNITED NATIONS TO INTERVENE IN AMERICAN RACE PROBLEMS. SOME SENATORS WERE SAID TO BE COOL TOWARD IT ON THESE GROUNDS.

BACKERS OF THE TREATY ASSERT THAT IT WOULD NOT GIVE THE U.N. ANY POWER TO INTERFERE WITH STATE HANDLING OF SUCH PROBLEMS AS LYNCHING. THEY SAY SINGLE INDIVIDUALS ARE INVOLVED IN LYNCHINGS AND HENCE SUCH CRIMES ARE NOT GENOCIDE.

MR.TRUMAN WROTE:

"GENOCIDE HAS NOT OCCURRED IN THE UNITED STATES, AND I CANNOT BELIEVE THAT IT WOULD EVER OCCUR HERE."

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(ADVANCE) CHICAGO, AUG. 26-(AP)-SEN. GUY M. GILLETTE (D-IOWA) SAID TONIGHT HE DOES NOT SEE "HOW WE CAN JUSTIFY THE AGONY AND SACRIFICE OF OUR MEN IN KOREA BY AGREEING TO STOP AT THE 38TH PARALLEL."

HE ADDED THAT THE UNITED NATIONS "MUST DECIDE TO END THE DIVISION OF KOREA ONCE AND FOR ALL, AND THE UNITED STATES MUST PRESS FOR THIS DECISION AT THE UN MEETINGS."

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HE MADE HIS REMARKS IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR A RADIO BROADCAST (WGN).

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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 26-(AP)-DRAB FIGURES ON RAILWAY FREIGHT TRAFFIC, PUSHING UP TOWARD WORLD WAR II LEVELS, APPARENTLY MEAN THAT HEAVY SHIPMENT OF WAR SUPPLIES ARE BEING RUSHED TO KOREA.

DEFENSE OFFICIALS WON'T TALK ABOUT THE MOVEMENT. THE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN RAILROADS GETS DAILY, DETAILED FIGURES ON ALL RAIL MOVEMENTS OF WAR GOODS AND TROOPS. BUT THE PENTAGON HAS TOLD THE CARRIERS NOT TO TALK, EITHER.

BUT THE AAR KEEPS PUTTING OUT, AS IT HAS FOR YEARS, WEEKLY FIGURES ON FREIGHT CARLOADINGS. THESE HAVE BEEN CLIMBING STEADILY IN RECENT WEEKS. LAST WEEK'S "MISCELLANEOUS LOADINGS" WERE THE HIGHEST FOR ANY WEEK SINCE 1944. THIS IS THE CLASSIFICATION IN WHICH WAR MATERIALS WOULD BE CONCEALED.

THE NATIONAL LUMBER MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION LISTS SHIPMENTS AND NEW ORDERS FOR LUMBER AS RUNNING BELOW LAST YEAR, AND BELOW PRODUCTION LEVELS. AN ASSOCIATION SPOKESMAN TOLD A REPORTER THERE IS A SHORTAGE OF FREIGHT CARS, PARTLY DUE TO SEASONAL FRUIT SHIPMENTS BUT LARGELY BECAUSE OF WAR TRAFFIC.

THIS OFFICIAL SAID THAT INSTEAD OF WAITING TO BE FILLED UP ON THE WEST COAST, MANY CARS ARE HURRIED BACK EAST EMPTY TO BE LOADED WITH GOODS FOR KOREA AND RUSHED WESTWARD AGAIN.

BUT THERE MAY BE OTHER FACTORS IN THE SHORTAGE, LIKE THE JUNKING OF OLD BOXCARS FASTER THAN THEY ARE REPLACED BY NEW ONES, PLUS A

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SHORTAGE OF STEEL TO BUILD NEW ONES.
CHAIRMAN J.MONROE JOHNSON OF THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION, WHO RAN THE OFFICE OF DEFENSE TRANSPORTATION DURING THE WAR, HAS WARNED MANY TIMES THAT FREIGHT CARS WOULD BE ONE OF THE WORST BOTTLENECKS IN ANOTHER WAR.
JOHNSON HAS RECOMMENDED THAT THE GOVERNMENT ITSELF WORK OUT SOME SORT OF ARRANGEMENT TO SEE TO IT THAT MORE CARS ARE BUILT AND SOLD OR LEASED TO THE CARRIERS. INSURANCE COMPANIES IN SOME CASES HAVE BEEN INVESTING IN CARS TO BE LEASED TO RAILROADS.
JOHNSON HAS BEEN ASKED TO TELL THE SENATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE ABOUT THE BOXCAR SHORTAGE AGAIN NEXT WEDNESDAY AND WHAT HE THINKS COULD BE DONE ABOUT IT.
THE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, SENATOR EDWIN C.JOHNSON (D-COLO), SAYS THE SITUATION IS "FRIGHTFUL," AND WESTERN FARMERS ARE PILING GRAIN ON THE GROUND BECAUSE THEY CAN'T GET CARS TO SHIP IT.
THE AAR TOTAL ON FREIGHT LOADINGS LAST WEEK STOOD AT 851,025 CARS. THAT WAS UP 119,810 CARS FROM THE SAME WEEK OF LAST YEAR. DURING THE WAR YEARS THE CORRESPONDING WEEKLY FIGURES WERE 869,000 IN 1941; 891,000 IN 1943; 886,000 IN 1944. THEN WITH THE END OF THE WAR IN 1945 IT DROPPED TO 658,000 CARS.
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NEW YORK, AUG. 26-(AP)-TEN BRITISH ARMY OFFICERS ARRIVED HERE TONIGHT ENROUTE TO JAPAN AND KOREA.
COL.BRIAN BURKE, A MEMBER OF THE BRITISH GENERAL STAFF AND RANKING OFFICER IN THE GROUP, SAID THE MEN WOULD REPORT TO GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR IN JAPAN BEFORE GOING TO KOREA.
HE SAID THEY WOULD MAKE PRELIMINARY ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE ARRIVAL OF UNITED KINGDOM TROOPS IN KOREA.
THE OFFICERS, REPRESENTING VARIOUS BRANCHES OF THE BRITISH ARMY, ARRIVED BY PLANE AT LA GUARDIA FIELD FROM MONTREAL.
THEY ARE SCHEDULED TO FLY TOMORROW TO SAN FRANCISCO IN TWO GROUPS, FIVE LEAVING LA GUARDIA AT 7 A.M. (EST) AND THE OTHER FIVE AT NOON (EST).
COL.BURKE PRAISED THE UNITED STATES' ACTION IN KOREA AND SAID THAT "WE'VE GOT TO BACK THE UNITED NATIONS AS AMERICA IS DOING."
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FAIRFIELD-SUISUN AIR BASE, CALIF., AUG.26-(AP)-THE FIRST SHIPMENT OF WHOLE BLOOD FOR KOREAN FIGHTING FORCES WAS FLOWN FROM THIS AIR FORCE BASE TODAY, DIRECT TO KOREA.
THE SHIPMENT WAS 1,400 PINTS OF WHOLE BLOOD, COLLECTED BY THE 34 REGIONAL RED CROSS BLOOD CENTERS THROUGHOUT THE NATION.
THE BLOOD WAS FLOWN HERE BY COMMERCIAL AIR LINES AND WAS RE-ICED FOR SHIPMENT ON MILITARY TRANSPORT SERVICE PLANES.
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BY GLENN WILLIAMS
LONDON, AUG. 26-(AP)-WINSTON CHURCHILL DECLARED TONIGHT THAT A BRITISH FACTORY IS TURNING OUT TOOLS FOR THE RUSSIANS SUITABLE FOR THE REPAIR OF TANKS. THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY QUICKLY CONCEDED THAT SEVERAL BRITISH MACHINE TOOL MANUFACTURERS ARE TURNING OUT PRODUCTS FOR RUSSIA.
CHURCHILL SAID RUSSIAN INSPECTORS ARE ADMITTED INTO THE PLANT. A MINISTRY OF SUPPLY SPOKESMAN SAID THIS WAS TRUE IN ALL THE PLANTS ENGAGED IN MAKING TOOLS FOR THE RUSSIANS.
"FANCY GOING ON LIKE THIS WHILE EVERYTHING IS GETTING WORSE, AND WHEN WE ARE LITERALLY BEGGING THE UNITED STATES FOR AID IN EVERY FORM," CHURCHILL ASSERTED. THE CHARGE CAME IN A POLITICAL BROADCAST IN WHICH HE ACCUSED THE LABOR GOVERNMENT OF "INFIRMITY AND DISCONNECTION OF THOUGHT AND ACTION IN SHAPING DEFENSE PLANS."
HE BASED HIS STATEMENTS ON INFORMATION FROM OFFICIALS OF ONE OF THE TOOL MANUFACTURING PLANTS.
THE UNITED STATES HAS BANNED A LONG LIST OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS FROM SHIPMENT TO RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES. THE SAME BAN HAS BEEN APPLIED TO NATIONS RECEIVING UNITED STATES AID.
THE UNITED STATES THIS WEEK REVEALED THAT A BRITISH FIRM TRANS-SHIPPED 50 TONS OF AMERICAN MOLYBDENUM--A BRIGHT METAL USED FOR HARDENING STEEL--TO RUSSIA. ANOTHER 150 TONS SCHEDULED FOR SHIPMENT HERE WAS STOPPED.
THE BRITISH BOARD OF TRADE ASSERTED THE DEAL WAS LEGAL BUT ADMITTED "THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IS INVESTIGATING THIS CASE."
A SPOKESMAN FOR THE BOARD OF TRADE SAID BRITAIN APPLIES STRICT EXPORT CONTROLS AND HAS DRAWN UP ITS OWN BLACKLIST OF STRATEGIC MATERIALS FOR SHIPMENT TO COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.
IT SENDS SUCH THINGS AS STEEL, ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND GENERATORS UNDER A WARTIME ACT.
CHURCHILL SAID THE HEAD OF CRAVEN BROTHERS MACHINE TOOL WORKS AT STOCKPORT, BRITAIN'S SECOND LARGEST MACHINE TOOL FIRM--"INFORMED ME THAT HE HAD FOR MORE THAN TWO YEARS ASKED THE GOVERNMENT WHETHER HE SHOULD FULFILL CONTRACTS FOR MAKING MACHINE TOOLS FOR SOVIET RUSSIA, PARTICULARLY OF THE CLASS REQUIRED FOR THE MANUFACTURE AND REPAIR OF TANKS, WHEN SO MANY OF OUR OWN ROYAL ORDINANCE FACTORIES ARE IN SORE NEED OF RENOVATION FOR THIS VERY PURPOSE."
THE CRAVEN FIRM'S CHIEF, CHURCHILL SAID, "TOLD ME HIS HIGHLY SKILLED CRAFTSMEN WERE SERIOUSLY DISTURBED AT DOING WORK FOR SOVIET RUSSIAN SATELLITE POLAND, WHICH THEY FEARED WOULD WEAKEN OUR COUNTRY AND STRENGTHEN ITS MOST LIKELY ASSAILANT.

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"THEY ALSO DID NOT LIKE THE PRESENCE OF RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT INSPECTORS UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS INSIDE THEIR WORKSHOPS WHERE A LOT OF CONFIDENTIAL PRODUCTION IS ALSO BEING DONE FOR HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT."
"SURELY," HE ARGUED, "ORDERS SHOULD BE GIVEN NOW TO STOP THE EXPORT BY ANY FIRMS OF MACHINE TOOLS, DIESEL ENGINES, AND THE LIKE, TO SOVIET RUSSIA. I TRUST THAT MR.ATTLEE WILL BE ABLE TO TELL US WHEN HE SPEAKS NEXT WEEK THAT THIS, AT ANY RATE, HAS BEEN DONE."
FACED WITH CHURCHILL'S STATEMENTS, A MINISTRY OF SUPPLY SPOKESMAN SAID "IT IS QUITE TRUE THAT SEVERAL MACHINE TOOL MANUFACTURERS.

INCLUDING CRAVEN BROTHERS, ARE FULFILLING CONTRACTS FOR RUSSIA."
THE MINISTRY'S TASK IS THE OBTAINING OF BRITISH WEAPONS AND LOOKING AFTER ATOMIC RESEARCH.

"A PROPORTION OF THESE ORDERS WERE COVERED UNDER THE RUSSIAN-BRITISH TRADE AGREEMENT OF 1948, AND IN RETURN WE GET GRAIN AND OTHER USEFUL COMMODITIES," THE SPOKESMAN SAID. HE DID NOT SAY HOW THE OTHER ORDERS--BEYOND THE "PROPORTION" UNDER THE TRADE AGREEMENT--WERE PLACED.

"IT IS ALSO TRUE THAT RUSSIAN INSPECTORS ARE PERMITTED TO GO INTO THESE FACTORIES," HE SAID. "IF RUSSIA IS BUYING, SHE HAS THE RIGHT TO SEE HOW THEY ARE MADE."

HE SAID THAT "IT IS A RESPONSIBILITY OF THE FIRM, OF COURSE, TO INSURE THAT THE INSPECTORS DO NOT SEE THINGS WHICH SHOULD NOT BE SEEN."

IN THE INTERNATIONAL FIELD CHURCHILL PREDICTED THAT THE COMMUNISTS MAY SOON LAUNCH ATTACKS UPON TIBET AND IRAN BUT ADDED "THE SUPREME PERIL IS IN EUROPE."

HE SAID THAT THE ONLY WAY TO DEAL WITH COMMUNIST RUSSIA IS BY HAVING "SUPERIOR STRENGTH IN ONE FORM OR ANOTHER, AND THEN BY ACTING WITH REASON AND FAIRNESS. THIS IS THE PLAN OF THE BATTLE FOR PEACE AND THE ONLY PLAN WHICH HAS A CHANCE OF SUCCESS."

HE DEPLORED THE FACT THAT PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE DID NOT MAKE AN EFFORT LAST FALL TO SEEK NEW HIGH LEVEL TALKS WITH THE RUSSIANS, AS CHURCHILL HAD SUGGESTED. BUT HE DID NOT RENEW THE SUGGESTION, APPARENTLY THINKING IT IS FRUITLESS UNTIL THE WEST IS STRONGER.
ATTLEE WILL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO REPLY TO CHURCHILL IN A POLITICAL SPEECH SCHEDULED FOR NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT.
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NIGHT LEAD PACT
BY JOHN RODERICK

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LONDON, AUG.26-(AP)-THE ATLANTIC PACT'S CIVILIAN DIRECTORS SAID TODAY IT IS PLANNED TO PUT WESTERN EUROPE'S IDLE WAR PLANTS INTO PRODUCTION "IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE." THE PLANTS WOULD TURN OUT WEAPONS NEEDED FOR DEFENSE AGAINST AGGRESSIVE COMMUNISM.

THE CHIEF HITCH, THEY SAID, WAS A LACK OF HARD CASH.

A COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCED THEY ARE WORKING NOW ON PLANS TO FINANCE "THE ACCELERATION OF COORDINATED PRODUCTION OF HIGH PRIORITY ITEMS." THEY INDICATED THAT THE MONEY PROBLEM WAS NOT INSURMOUNTABLE BY ... TALKING OF ALMOST IMMEDIATE PRODUCTION.

THE DIRECTORS MAKE UP THE COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES, SET UP TO MAKE CONTINUING DECISIONS INVOLVING THE JOINT DEFENSE OF THE 12 MEMBER STATES. PACT MEMBERS ARE THE UNITED STATES, BRITAIN, CANADA, FRANCE, NORWAY, DENMARK, THE NETHERLANDS, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, ITALY, ICELAND AND PORTUGAL.

THE DEPUTIES RESUMED DISCUSSIONS HERE TUESDAY AFTER A RECESS IN WHICH THEY CONSULTED WITH THEIR GOVERNMENTS.

THEY HAVE PICKED UP WHERE THEY LEFT OFF IN THEIR "REVIEW OF PRACTICAL MEASURES TO STRENGTHEN THE OVERALL DEFENSES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

SESSIONS OF THE COUNCIL, BECAUSE OF THEIR SECURITY NATURE, ARE SECRET.

SO FAR, PROGRESS WITHIN THE COUNCIL IN SPEEDING UP COORDINATED DEFENSE, HAS BEEN ON A ONE STEP AT A TIME BASIS. THE PROCESS, IT HAS BEEN EMPHASIZED, IS NECESSARILY SLOW.

THE EUROPEAN MEMBERS OF THE PACT HAVE, IN REPLY TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S REQUEST, SUBMITTED PROPOSED REARMAMENT INCREASES. THE ALLIANCE'S MILITARY BOARD BELIEVES, IT WAS LEARNED HERE, THAT THESE PROPOSALS ARE GENERALLY INADEQUATE.

THE COUNCIL ANNOUNCED THE APPOINTMENT OF T.A.G.CHARLTON, AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY IN THE BRITISH WAR MINISTRY ON LOAN TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE, AS SECRETARY TO THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL AND THE COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES.

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BY GLENN WILLIAMS

LONDON, AUG. 26-(AP)-IDLE WAR PRODUCTION PLANTS IN WESTERN EUROPE ARE TO BE PUT TO WORK "IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE" TO SPEED UP HIGH PRIORITY WEAPON OUTPUT FOR DEFENSE, THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL'S DEPUTIES ANNOUNCED TODAY.

THE COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES WAS ESTABLISHED LAST MAY AS A PERMANENT CIVILIAN HIGH COMMAND TO TAKE DAY TO DAY DECISIONS ON JOINT DEFENSE OF THE 12 WESTERN NATIONS IN THE ALLIANCE.

THEY RETURNED TO WORK LAST TUESDAY AFTER A BRIEF BREAK WHILE DEPUTIES CONSULTED THEIR GOVERNMENTS ON PROPOSALS MADE AT PREVIOUS MEETINGS.

IN THE INTERVAL, THE EUROPEAN MEMBERS OF THE PACT SUBMITTED REPORTS ON PROPOSED INCREASES IN REARMAMENT EXPENDITURE IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST SENT TO EACH NATION BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN. THE SUM TOTAL OF ALL THESE PROPOSALS FALLS FAR SHORT OF WHAT THE ALLIANCE'S MILITARY BOARD BELIEVES IS NEEDED FOR AN EFFICIENT DEFENSE.

THE NATIONS TAKING PART ARE THE UNITED STATES, CANADA, BRITAIN, FRANCE, NORWAY, DENMARK, HOLLAND, BELGIUM, LUXEMBOURG, ITALY, ICELAND AND PORTUGAL.

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AFTER A FULL SESSION TODAY, THE DEPUTIES ISSUED A COMMUNIQUE SAYING THE REARMAMENT PROPOSALS "ARE BEING ANALYZED BY A WORKING GROUP WHO WILL MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE DEPUTIES."

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THIS ANALYSIS INVOLVES CRITICAL EXAMINATION OF EACH NATION'S REARMAMENT PROGRAM BY ALL MEMBERS OF THE ALLIANCE. THE UNITED STATES IS REPORTED TO BE TRYING TO USE THIS JOINT CRITICISM AS A MEANS OF SPURRING EACH NATION TO GREATER AND QUICKER REARMAMENT.

THE MILITARY PRODUCTION AND SUPPLY BOARD OF THE ALLIANCE HAS SURVEYED "HIGH PRIORITY PRODUCTION PROJECTS BASED ON PRODUCTION CAPACITIES IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE," THE COMMUNIQUE SAID.

"THE REPORT INDICATES SUBSTANTIAL ADDITIONAL CAPACITY WHICH CAN BE PUT TO USE IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE," IT SAID. "ARRANGEMENTS TO UTILIZE SUCH CAPACITY FOR THE ACCELERATION OF COORDINATED PRODUCTION OF HIGH PRIORITY ITEMS ARE BEING MADE."
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LONDON, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE TEXT OF A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED TODAY BY THE ATLANTIC PACT DEPUTIES (ABOUT 180)

DURING THE PAST WEEK THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL DEPUTIES HAVE CONTINUED THEIR REVIEW OF PRACTICAL MEASURES TO STRENGTHEN THE OVERALL DEFENSES OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA.

THE PROPOSALS OF THE MEMBER GOVERNMENTS FOR INCREASED DEFENSE EFFORTS ARE BEING ANALYZED BY A WORKING GROUP WHO WILL MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE DEPUTIES.

THE DEPUTIES HAVE REVIEWED AND TAKEN ACTION ON A REPORT BY THE PERMANENT WORKING STAFF OF THE MILITARY PRODUCTION AND SUPPLY BOARD ON HIGH PRIORITY PRODUCTION CAPACITIES IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE.

THE REPORT INDICATES SUBSTANTIAL ADDITIONAL CAPACITY WHICH CAN

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BE PUT TO USE IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE. ARRANGEMENTS TO UTILIZE SUCH CAPACITY FOR THE ACCELERATION OF COORDINATED PRODUCTION OF HIGH PRIORITY ITEMS ARE BEING MADE.

THE DEPUTIES ALSO HAVE UNDER CONSIDERATION VARIOUS FINANCIAL PROBLEMS INVOLVED IN THE DEFENSE EFFORT INCLUDING THE INITIATION OF THE HIGH PRIORITY PRODUCTION PROGRAM.

IN THIS CONNECTION THEY HAVE RECEIVED A REPORT FROM THE PERMANENT WORKING STAFF OF THE DEFENSE FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC COMMITTEE.

THE COUNCIL DEPUTIES HAVE FORMALLY APPROVED THE APPOINTMENT OF MR.T.A.G. CHARLTON AS SECRETARY TO THE NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL AND THE COUNCIL DEPUTIES (END TEXT).

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LONDON, AUG.26-(AP)-FOREIGN SECRETARY ERNEST BEVIN WILL HEAD THE FOUR-MAN BRITISH DELEGATION AT THE MEETING OF THE WESTERN POWERS' FOREIGN MINISTERS IN NEW YORK, THE FOREIGN OFFICE ANNOUNCD TODAY.

THE MEETING, ALONG WITH U.S.-BRITISH-FRENCH TALKS ON THE NORTH ATLANTIC PACT, GERMANY AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS, WILL PRECEDE NEXT MONTH'S SESSION OF THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY. ACCOMPANYING BEVIN WILL BE SIR GLADWIN JEBB, BRITISH U.N. DELEGATE; SIR PIERSON DIXON AND SIR FREDERICK MILLAR.

BEVIN ALSO WILL LEAD BRITAIN'S DELEGATION TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OPENING SEPT. 19. THE FOREIGN OFFICE SAID THAT OWING TO PRESSURE OF WORK HE WILL HAVE TO RETURN TO ENGLAND ON SEP. 29, HANDING OVER THE LEADERSHIP AT LAKE SUCCESS TO MINISTER OF STATE KENNETH YOUNGER.

IN ADDITION TO BEVIN AND YOUNGER, THE BRITISH DELEGATION WILL INCLUDE JEBB, SIR FRANK SOSKICE, THE SOLICITOR GENERAL; LORD MACDONALD OF GWAENYSGOR, PAYMASTER GENERAL; LORD OGMORE, PARLIAMENTARY UNDER SECRETARY FOR COMMONWEALTH RELATIONS AND LORD CROOK.

ADVISERS FROM THE FOREIGN OFFICE, TREASURY, MINISTRY OF LABOR, COLONIAL OFFICE AND COMMONWEALTH RELATIONS OFFICE WILL ACCOMPANY THEM.

SIR FRANK SOSKICE, AND THREE ALTERNATE DELEGATES--T.F. COOK, BARBARA CASTLE AND G.H.R. ROGERS--WHO ARE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT-WILL RETURN TO ENGLAND BEFORE PARLIAMENT REOPENS ON OCT. 12 TO BOLSTER THE LABOR PARTY'S NARROW MAJORITY. #

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LONDON, AUG.26-(AP)-SIR OWEN DIXON, UNITED NATIONS MEDIATOR, ARRIVED HERE TODAY FROM KARACHI AFTER FOUR MONTHS OF UNSUCCESSFUL EFFORTS TO SETTLE THE KASHMIR DISPUTE BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN.

HE DECLINED TO MAKE A STATEMENT ON HIS MISSION, WHICH HE ADMITTED EARLIER THIS WEEK WAS A FAILURE.

"I WILL BE PREPARING MY REPORT FOR THE UNITED NATIONS, HERE AND IN LAKE SUCCESS," HE SAID. "I HAVE NO DEFINITE PLANS. WILL BE GOING TO LAKE SUCCESS SOON. I DON'T KNOW WHEN."

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LONDON, AUG. 26-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE WILL ANNOUNCE HIS PLANS FOR STRENGTHENING BRITAIN'S ARMED SERVICES IN A FIRESIDE RADIO CHAT NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT, HIS OFFICE SAID TONIGHT.

THE SPEECH WILL BE RELAYED OVER THE TWO MAJOR NETWORKS OF BBC AFTER THE REGULAR NEWS BROADCAST AT 9 P.M. (3 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME).

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LONDON, AUG. 26-(AP)-REFUSING TO DISCUSS THE MATTER, THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE TODAY PONDERED RED CHINA'S RECENT DECLARATION THAT IT IS READY TO "LIBERATE" FORMOSA FROM THE NATIONALISTS.

A SPOKESMAN DENIED, HOWEVER, A CHINESE COMMUNIST COMPLAINT THAT BRITISH LAND, SEA, AND AIR FORCES IN THE HONG KONG AREA HAD BEEN VIOLATING RED TERRITORY.

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LIVERPOOL, ENG., AUG.26-(AP)-NINETY TONS OF RUSSIAN CRAB RETURNED HERE IN THE CUNARD LINER PARTHIA TODAY AFTER A ROUND-TRIP ATLANTIC CROSSING.

THE TINNED SHELLFISH FIRST ARRIVED IN LIVERPOOL IN 1947 FROM RUSSIA. IT WAS PUT INTO STORAGE. THREE WEEKS AGO IT WAS SHIPPED TO AMERICA IN A BID FOR DOLLAR SALES.

DOCKERS IN NEW YORK REFUSED TO UNLOAD THE CRAB ON THE GROUNDS THAT ITS SALE WOULD BENEFIT THE WORLD COMMUNIST MOVEMENT. NOW THE CRAB IS GOING BACK INTO STORAGE.

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LONDON, AUG.26-(AP)-MRS. VIOLET ATTLEE, WIFE OF BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER, ENROLLED TODAY FOR SPECIAL CIVIL DEFENSE TRAINING. SHE WILL TAKE A COURSE IN AMBULANCE DUTIES.

A NATIONWIDE DRIVE IS UNDER WAY FOR RECRUITS TO THE CIVIL DEFENSE CORPS WHICH IS BEING SCHOOLED IN DEFENSE AGAINST ATOMIC WARFARE.

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NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY
BY PHILIP CLARKE

STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG.26-(AP)-A SQUABBLE AMONG BRITISH DELEGATES WAS SETTLED IN FAVOR OF THE CONSERVATIVES TODAY AND THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY INDORSED 73 TO ZERO THE SCHUMAN PLAN TO POOL WEST EUROPE'S STEEL AND COAL. THERE WERE 32 ABSTENTIONS.

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OVERRIDING LABORITE OPPOSITION, THE ASSEMBLY INSERTED BEFORE THE FINAL ROLL CALL A BRITISH CONSERVATIVE AMENDMENT URGING "A RENEWED EFFORT" TO BRING BRITAIN INTO THE SCHUMAN PLAN DISCUSSIONS BEING CONDUCTED IN PARIS.

THE VOTE ON THE PROVISION WAS 66 TO 19, WITH 19 ABSTENTIONS.

THIS TEST CAME, HOWEVER, ONLY AFTER THE CONSERVATIVE AUTHORS OF THE AMENDMENT, HAROLD MACMILLAN AND DAVID ECCLES, ELIMINATED A CLAUSE WHICH URGED THAT THE SCHUMAN PLAN BE PLACED WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE.

THE CONSERVATIVES INTENDED THROUGH THIS CLAUSE TO WEAKEN PLANS FOR A PROJECTED SUPRA-NATIONAL AUTHORITY OVER COAL AND STEEL TO A POINT WHERE IT WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE TO BOTH THEM AND BRITAIN'S LABOR GOVERNMENT.

THE COUNCIL, WHILE SET UP LIKE AN INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENT, HAS

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FEW POWERS. IT IS LITTLE MORE THAN A BIG DEBATING SOCIETY.
W.R.BLYTON, A LABOR MEMBER OF BRITAIN'S PASIGIENT, CMVNOD TME CONSERVATIVE MANEUVER TO EASE BRITAIN INTO THE SCHUMAN PLAN "A STUPID BLUNDER" THAT WOULD FORCE PARTICIPANTS IN THE PLAN TO START THEIR NEGOTIATIONS ALL OVER AGAIN. HE SAID BRITAIN WILL NOT ENTER THE TALKS IN PARIS NOW, BUT WILL WAIT XOR THE SIX PARTICIPATING NATIONS-- FRANCE, WEST GERMANY, BELGIUM, THE NTHHESP YPLVNH KKKEMBOKQG AND IO

W.R.BLYTON, A LABOR MEMBER OF BRITAIN'S PARLIAMENT, CALLED THE CONSERVATIVE MANEUVER TO EASE BRITAIN INTO THE SCHUMAN PLAN "A STUPID BLUNDER" THAT WOULD FORCE PARTICIPANTS IN THE PLAN TO START THEIR NEGOTIATIONS ALL OVER AGAIN. HE SAID BRITAIN WILL NOT ENTER THE TALKS IN PARIS NOW, BUT WILL WAIT FOR THE SIX PARTICIPATING NATIONS-- FRANCE, WEST GERMANY, BELGIUM, THE NETHERLANDS, LUXEMBOURG AND ITALY-- TO SET UP THE AUTHORITY. THE SIX NATIONS HAVE BEEN WORKING SEVERAL WEEKS TO SET UP A DRAFT TREATY.
"WE IN BRITAIN WILL SEEK THE CLOSEST POSSIBLE COOPERATION WITH THIS AUTHORITY," HE SAID.
IN THE FINAL VOTE ON THE SCHUMAN PLAN, BRITISH LABORITE LEADER HUGH DALTON ANNOUNCED HE WOULD HAVE SUPPORTED THE RESOLUTION WITHOUT THE CONSERVATIVE AMENDMENT, BUT WAS RELUCTANTLY FORCED TO ABSTAIN. MOST OF HIS FELLOW LABORITES AND MANY SCANDINAVIANS FOLLOWED HIS LEAD.

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THE ROLL CALL ON THE MACMILLAN-ECCLES AMENDMENT WAS SPOTTY. BRITISH LABORITES AND MANY ITALIANS OPPOSED IT. IRISH AND FRENCH DELEGATES LARGELY SUPPORTED IT. SEVERAL GERMAN DELEGATES ABSTAINED.
IN ENDORSING THE SCHUMAN PLAN, THE ASSEMBLY MADE TWO OTHER STIPULATIONS:
1- THAT MEMBERS OF THE COMMON PARLIAMENT ENVISAGED FOR THE STEEL-COAL AUTHORITY BE SELECTED FROM THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY.
2- THAT THESE ASSEMBLYMEN SUBMIT REGULAR REPORTS TO KEEP THE FULL ASSEMBLY INFORMED ON THE OPERATIONS OF THE POOL AUTHORITY.
THE STIPULATION WHICH BRITISH CONSERVATIVES SUCCEEDED IN PUTTING INTO THE RESOLUTION WAS:
"THAT A RENEWED EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE BY ALL THE GOVERNMENTS CONCERNED TO FIND A BASIS FOR AN AGREEMENT WHICH WILL ENABLE ALL THE PRINCIPAL COAL OR STEEL PRODUCING COUNTRIES OF EUROPE TO PARTICIPATE FULLY IN THE SCHEME."
MACMILLAN TOLD REPORTERS JUBILANTLY: "WE ARE MOVING JOLLY WELL NEAR THE DRIVER'S SEAT IN BRITAIN."
HE ADDED THAT THE CONSERVATIVES WILL MAKE THE SCHUMAN PLAN A MAJOR ISSUE IN THE SEPTEMBER SESSION OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS AND "IN ANY FUTURE NATIONAL ELECTION." LORD LAYTON, LIBERAL PARTY LEADER, SIDED WITH THE CONSERVATIVES IN THE ASSEMBLY'S VOTE.
THE ASSEMBLY RECESSED OVER THE WEEKEND. IT WILL VOTE MONDAY ON THE CREATION OF LIMITED PACTS OF FEDERATION WITHIN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AND ON FULLER POWERS FOR THE ASSEMBLY.
OTHER ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED TODAY CALLED FOR:
CREATION OF A PROVISIONAL REFUGEE BUREAU TO HELP MORE THAN 10,000,000 REFUGEES AND DISPLACED PERSONS IN GERMANY.
MEETINGS OF AGRICULTURE MINISTERS OF MEMBER STATES TO CONCLUDE LONG-TERM PRODUCT-BY-PRODUCT AGREEMENTS. THE RECOMMENDATION ALSO URGED CREATION OF A EUROPEAN AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION TO ORGANIZE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION AND MARKETS.
"PARTICULAR CONSIDERATION OF THE DEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED KINGDOM ON THE SUPPLY OF IMPORTED FOOD."
FURTHER BILATERAL AGREEMENTS FOR PARTIAL RELIEF FROM DOUBLE TAXATION.
IMMEDIATE GOVERNMENT RATIFICATION OF A 1946 LONDON CONVENTION TO PREVENT OVER-FISHING IN THE NORTH SEA AND ADJACENT WATERS.
EUROPEAN COOPERATION TO PROTECT THE TOBACCO GROWING INDUSTRY IN GREECE AND TURKEY.
CLOSER COLLABORATION BETWEEN THE EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY AND THE ORGANIZATION FOR EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION (OEEC).
GOVERNMENT EFFORTS TO COORDINATE EUROPEAN TRANSPORT FACILITIES INCLUDING RAIL, SEA AND AIR.
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN COPING WITH HOUSING SHORTAGES.
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SECOND LEAD COUNCIL OF EUROPE
BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN

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STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY ENDORSED THE SCHUMAN PLAN TODAY BY A 73 TO 0 VOTE BUT WITH 32 ABSTENTIONS--MOSTLY BRITISH LABORITES.
JUST BEFORE THE FINAL VOTE THE ASSEMBLY INSERTED A PROVISO THAT THE SIX SCHUMAN PLAN NATIONS AGAIN ASK BRITAIN TO JOIN. THE LABORITES OBJECTED VIGOROUSLY TO THIS ACTION BUT WERE VOTED DOWN, 66 TO 19.
HUGH DALTON, BRITISH LABORITE LEADER, SAID HE WOULD HAVE SUPPORTED THE RESOLUTION WITHOUT THIS PROVISO BUT WAS RELUCTANTLY FORCED TO ABSTAIN ON THE FINAL VOTE.
DEBATE ON THE RESOLUTION WAS MARKED BY A SHARP EXCHANGE BETWEEN BRITISH LABORITES AND CONSERVATIVES PRESENT AT THE MEETING OF THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT OF EUROPE. ONE LABOR SPOKESMAN ACCUSED THE CONSERVATIVES OF TRYING TO SABOTAGE THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR POOLING WEST EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL.
W.R.BLYTON, LABOR MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, TOLD THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT WOULD NOT ENTER THE PARIS TALKS ON THE PLAN NOW BUT WAIT FOR THE SIX PARTICIPATING NATIONS TO SET UP THEIR SUPRANATIONAL AUTHORITY.
THE CONSERVATIVES HAVE SOUGHT TO WEAKEN PLANS FOR THE PROJECTED SUPRANATIONAL AUTHORITY, FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING IT ACCEPTABLE TO THEMSELVES AND THE LABOR GOVERNMENT.
"WE IN BRITAIN WILL SEEK THE CLOSEST POSSIBLE COOPERATION WITH THIS AUTHORITY," BLYTON DECLARED.
THE LABOR M.P., WHO SAID HE SPOKE FOR THE GOVERNMENT, FLATLY REJECTED A CONSERVATIVE MANEUVER TO EASE BRITAIN INTO THE SIX-NATION TALKS.
"THIS IS MORE THAN SABOTAGE," BLYTON ASSERTED. "IT IS A STUPENDOUS BLUNDER."
HE SAID THE CONSERVATIVE PROPOSAL WOULD WRECK ALL PROGRESS MADE THUS FAR IN THE TALKS AND FORCE THE PARTICIPATING NATIONS TO START ALL OVER AGAIN.
BRITISH CONSERVATIVE HAROLD MACMILLAN MADE AN APPEAL EARLIER IN THE ASSEMBLY'S DEBATE FOR A COMPREHENSIVE SCHUMAN PLAN, INCLUDING BRITAIN.
"WITHOUT BRITAIN'S ADHERENCE," HE SAID, "THIS IS A MUTILATED AND PARTITIONED SCHEME."
MACMILLAN PLEADED FOR ADOPTION OF A CONSERVATIVE PROPOSAL CALLING FOR A "RENEWED EFFORT" BY THE SIX POOL NATIONS TO LET BRITAIN "PARTICIPATE FULLY" IN THE PLAN WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE. THE SIX NATIONS ARE FRANCE, WESTERN GERMANY, BELGIUM,

HOLLAND, LUXEMBOURG AND ITALY.
MACMILLAN DENIED THE CONSERVATIVES SOUGHT TO HAMSTRING THE PLAN'S HIGH AUTHORITY BY SUBJECTING IT TO THE VETO WEAPON OF THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL'S COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS. LEADING THE CONSERVATIVE CAMPAIGN IN THE ASSEMBLY WITH MACMILLAN WAS CONSERVATIVE DAVID ECCLES.
ECCLES CLAIMED WIDE SUPPORT FOR SUCH A STATEMENT AS AN AMENDMENT TO THE ECONOMIC COMMITTEE REPORT ENDORSING THE SCHUMAN PLAN. THIS WAS THE TOP ITEM ON THE DAY'S AGENDA.
PUTTING THE PLAN WITHIN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE WOULD PERMIT BRITAIN TO RETAIN A VETO OVER THE AUTHORITY'S DECISIONS IN THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS.
BRITISH SPOKESMEN HAVE STEADFASTLY REFUSED TO EXTEND SUPRANATIONAL POWERS TO THE PROPOSED AUTHORITY.
DEBATE ON THE SCHUMAN PLAN TOOK THE ASSEMBLY SPOTLIGHT, AS BOTH THE ECONOMIC AND GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEES MET FOR FURTHER STUDY OF OTHER PROBLEMS.
THESE INCLUDED PROPOSALS FOR A EUROPEAN TRANSPORT AUTHORITY, A EUROPEAN ECONOMICS MINISTRY, A UNIFIED AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION, A EUROPEAN BANK AND A EUROPEAN LOANS AGENCY.
THE GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE PIGEON-HOLED WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL FOR A EUROPEAN ARMY AND DEFENSE MINISTER, PROPOSALS FOR A EUROPEAN FLAG AND STAMP AND A MOTION FOR A PEACE TREATY WITH WESTERN GERMANY.
THE TREATY PROPOSAL, SUBMITTED BY JACQUES BARDOUX OF FRANCE, WAS CONSIDERED "TOO DELICATE" FOR ACTION AT THIS TIME, ALTHOUGH THE COMMITTEE RECOGNIZED THAT ASSEMBLY OPINION WAS "LARGELY FAVORABLE" TO THE IDEA.
THE COMMITTEE SUGGESTED THAT THIS BE CONSIDERED IN THE SECOND HALF OF ITS CURRENT SESSION, PROBABLY IN NOVEMBER.
THE MAJORITY OF MEMBERS HAVE SAID THEY WANT AT LEAST A DECLARATION "OF A STATE OF PEACE" WITH GERMANY, IF NOT AN ACTUAL TREATY DRAFT.
ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT PAUL-HENRI SPAAK PREPARED TO KEEP THE ASSEMBLY IN NIGHT SESSION TO WIND UP DISCUSSION OF THE SCHUMAN PLAN.
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LYON, FRANCE, AUG.26-(AP)-A FRENCH MILITARY COURT ACQUITTED TODAY 18 PERSONS ACCUSED OF SABOTAGE UNDER A LAW AVOWEDLY AIMED AT HALTING COMMUNIST ATTEMPTS TO WRECK U.S. MILITARY AID TO FRANCE.
THEY WERE ARRESTED LAST MARCH AFTER A MILITARY CONVOY WAS ATTACKED ON THE ROAD NEAR HERE. PARLIAMENT HAS JUST PASSED A LAW MAKING SUCH OFFENSES LIABLE TO SEVERE PENALTIES AND SUBJECT TO HANDLING BEFORE MILITARY COURTS. AT THAT TIME JUSTICE MINISTER RENE MAYER HAD SAID NO MERCY WOULD BE SHOWN TO COMMUNISTS, WHO HAD DUMPED FRENCH ARMS INTO THE SEA AND BOASTED AMERICAN ARMS WOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO ENTER FRANCE.
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A62
PARIS, AUG.26-(AP)-BOMBERS THUNDERED AND FIGHTERS SNARLED OVER WESTERN EUROPE TODAY IN A CONTINUATION OF AIR RAID PROTECTION TESTS.
BRITISH, FRENCH, BELGIAN, AND DUTCH PILOTS PRACTICED AT FENDING OFF BRITISH AND AMERICAN BOMBERS FLYING FROM ENGLAND AND BRITISH MOSQUITOES FROM WESTERN GERMANY.
THIS FIRST COMBINED AIR MANEUVER FOR THE WEST EUROPEAN DEFENSE UNION STARTED YESTERDAY WITH A TRY-OUT OF A RADAR SCREEN COVERING PARIS, BRUSSELS, ROTTERDAM AND AMSTERDAM. THE FIRST OF THE THREE-DAY OPERATIONS WAS DESCRIBED BY OFFICERS AS "APPARENTLY SATISFYING."
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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, AUG 26-(AP)-COAL EXPERTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE PREDICTED TODAY THAT REARMAMENT DEMANDS IN WESTERN EUROPE WILL WIPE OUT THE PRESENT COAL SURPLUS IN EUROPE BY THE END OF THE YEAR.
THE SURPLUS IS APPROXIMATELY 3,000,000 TONS, HELD IN FRANCE, BELGIUM AND THE SAAR.
JOHN H. BROOK, OVERSEAS REPRESENTATIVE OF THE BRITISH MINISTRY OF FUEL AND CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMISSION'S COAL COMMITTEE, SAID THE CURRENT SURPLUS WAS "PRACTICALLY NEGLIGIBLE" IN VIEW OF THE PROSPECTIVE DEMANDS FOR COAL AND WAS NO BURDEN TO THE COUNTRIES HOLDING IT. HE PREDICTED THAT THE FOURTH QUARTER OF THE YEAR WOULD BE A "BUYING QUARTER".
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BERLIN, AUG.26-(AP)-A NAZI GENERAL, WHO HELPED FOUND EAST GERMANY'S "RED WEHRMACHT" IN 1948, ANNOUNCED TODAY HE WOULD STRENGTHEN HIS UNDERGROUND FIGHT IN WEST GERMANY AGAINST ANTI-COMMUNIST REARMAMENT.
VINCENZ MUELLER, ONCE COMMANDER OF THE GERMAN EIGHTH ARMY ON THE RUSSIAN FRONT, SAID HE ALREADY HAD CIRCULATED A LETTER TO WEST GERMAN VETERANS IN JUNE EXORTING THEM TO JOIN THE COMMUNIST-ORGANIZED "NATIONAL FRONT."
"WE WILL STRENGTHEN AND CARRY THIS ACTION FURTHER", HE ASSERTED. "FOR THE QUESTION OF WEST GERMAN'S REARMAMENT HAS BECOME OF THE GREATEST URGENCY--A SERIOUS DANGER FOR GERMANY'S FUTURE."
MUELLER DISCLOSED HIS PLANS AT A SECRET MEETING YESTERDAY OF 1,100 WEST GERMAN DELEGATES TO THE "NATIONAL CONGRESS" IN EAST BERLIN. BUT THEY WERE SPLASHED ON THE FRONTPAGE TODAY OF NEW NEWSPAPER, NATIONAL ZEITUNG, ORGAN OF A SOVIET-SPONSORED PARTY OF EX-NAZIS, THE "NATIONAL DEMOCRATS."
THE "RED WEHRMACHT" IS ESTIMATED BY ALLIED INTELLIGENCE AT 50,000 MEN, TRAINED AS OFFICERS AND NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS FOR FUTURE DIVISIONS OF ARMOR AND INFANTRY. IT IS OFFICIALLY CALLED THE BEREITSCHAFTEN (ALERT UNITS) OF THE EAST GERMAN PEOPLE'S POLICE.
MEANWHILE, THE "NATIONAL CONGRESS", BEGAN ITS WINDUP MEETING THIS MORNING IN THE SOVIET SECTOR WITH A LONG ANTI-AMERICAN SPEECH BY WILHELM PIECK, EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST PRESIDENT.
ALTHOUGH THE CONGRESS HAD BEEN HERALDED AS A "HISTORIC FORUM" AT WHICH THE "VOICE OF ALL GERMANY" WOULD SPEAK OUT WITH "IMPORTANT DECISIONS FOR NATIONAL RESISTANCE," THE ORATORY SO FAR HAD BEEN ALONG OLD FAMILIAR COMMUNIST LINES.
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B3 Q (350)
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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS
BY DANIEL DE LUCE
BERLIN, AUG.26-(AP)-GERMAN COMMUNISTS ACCLAIMED TONIGHT A MASTER PLAN FOR SUBVERSIVE ACTION AGAINST THE ALLIES IN WEST GERMANY.
THE "FIGHTING PROGRAM," AS DISCLOSED TO A RED-ORGANIZED NATIONAL CONGRESS IN EAST BERLIN, CALLS FOR:
1- INCITEMENT OF STRIKES, ESPECIALLY IN PORTS AND HEAVY INDUSTRIES, UNDER THE GUISE OF RESISTING "ANGLO-AMERICAN WAR REPARATIONS."
2- SHARP PRESSURE AGAINST RECRUITS FOR THE PLANNED EXPANSION OF WEST GERMAN POLICE FORCES.
3- DIRECT ATTEMPTS TO CONVERT IDLE FORMER ARMY OFFICERS TO THE COMMUNIST CAUSE.
4- MASS DEMONSTRATIONS IN WEST GERMAN CITIES IN DEFIANCE OF LEGAL REGULATIONS.
5- FRESH EFFORTS TO PERSUADE MARKET-HUNGRY WEST GERMAN INDUSTRIALISTS TO COLLABORATE WITH THE SOVIET ZONE.
MAX REIMANN, WEST GERMAN COMMUNIST LEADER, TOLD THE CONGRESS THAT BUILDING WORKERS IN TWO IMPORTANT CENTERS, FRANKFURT AND BRAUNSCHWEIG, WILL STRIKE FOR HIGHER WAGES MONDAY.
"THE WIDEST STRATA OF THE WEST GERMAN POPULATION ARE DELIGHTED AT THE DEFEAT OF THE AMERICAN AGGRESSION TROOPS IN KOREA," HE ADDED.
FORMER NAZI GEN.VINCEZ MUELLER, WHO HELPED ESTABLISH THE EAST GERMAN POLICE ARMY, BOASTED HE WOULD INTENSIFY HIS UNDERGROUND CONTACTS WITH VETERANS IN WEST GERMANY.
MANY FORMER OFFICERS IN THE WEST, AS WELL AS NAZI PARTY MEMBERS, "SEEK AN HONORABLE NEW COURSE," MUELLER SAID. "WE MUST HELP THEM."
A BAVARIAN DELEGATE, IDENTIFYING HIMSELF AS FORMER MAJOR NOACK, DECLARED TO THE CONGRESS THAT "70 PER CENT OF THE GERMAN OFFICERS AT THE END OF THE WAR WERE PEOPLE'S OFFICERS, AND TODAY WE (IN THE WEST) WANT TO BE YOUR COMRADES."
THE CAMPAIGN TO WIN WESTERN VETERANS WAS ALSO ENDORSED BY FORMER COL.WILHELM ADAM, ADJUTANT OF FIELD MARSHAL FRIEDRICH PAULUS IN THE GERMAN DISASTER AT STALINGRAD. ADAM IS NOW CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATS, A PARTY OF EX-NAZIS, IN THE SOVIET ZONE STATE OF SAXONY. PAULUS AT LAST REPORTS WAS STILL A RUSSIAN PRISONER.
EAST GERMANY'S COMMUNIST PRESIDENT, WILHELM PIECK, DESPITE HIS AGE OF 74, HARANGUED THE CONGRESS FOR 2 1/2 HOURS. HIS THEMES RANGED THE CHARGE THAT THE UNITED STATES ATTACKED KOREA TO WORLD WAR II AIR RAIDS IN GERMANY "WHICH RUINED OUR PEACEFUL DWELLING, SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS AND CHURCHES, AND KILLED HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF WOMEN, CHILDREN AND OLD PEOPLE."
HE CALLED FOR "ETERNAL FRIENDSHIP WITH THE SOVIET UNION, THE BEST FRIEND OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE."
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B65 (Q)
(130)
BONN, GERMANY, AUG. 26-(AP)-A HITLER TANK GENERAL WHOSE FORCES BATTLED THE ALLIES IN NORMANDY, HAS PROPOSED THAT WEST GERMANY RECRUIT HER WORLD WAR II VETERANS FOR DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION AND THUS REMOVE THE "STAINS" ON THEIR HONOR.
COL. GEN. LEY GEYR VON SCHWEPPENBURG MADE THE PROPOSAL YESTERDAY IN A LONG TALK WITH CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER ON THE LATTER'S PROPOSALS FOR SETTING UP A WEST GERMAN ARMED FORCE.
LATER, IN A NEWS CONFERENCE, VON SCHWEPPENBURG TOLD OF HIS SUGGESTION AND CONTENDED THAT THE "STAINS ON THE HONOR" OF GERMAN PROFESSIONAL SOLDIERS SHOULD BE REMOVED BY A CALL TO DUTY IN THE PROPOSED FORCE.
ADENAUER HAS DEMANDED THAT WEST GERMANY BE GIVEN AN ARMED POLICE FORCE OF PROBABLY 65,000 MEN TO MATCH THE RED GERMAN ARMY CREATED BY THE RUSSIANS IN THE SOVIET ZONE. HE ALSO HAS APPEALED TO AMERICA, BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO STEP UP THEIR OCCUPATION GARRISONS.
U.S. HIGH COMMISSIONER JOHN J. MCCLOY HAS ASSURED ADENAUER THAT HIS PROPOSALS WOULD RECEIVE PROMPT CONSIDERATION FROM HIM.
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(120)
ATHENS, GREECE, AUG. 26-(AP)-GEORGE PAPANDREOU, WHO WAS VICE PREMIER IN THE COALITION GOVERNMENT WHICH RESIGNED LAST WEEK, SAID TODAY HE WILL JOIN THE NEW CABINET OF PREMIER SOPHOCLES VENIZELOS.
A JOINT STATEMENT ISSUED BY PAPANDREOU AND OTHER SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY LEADERS SAID THE MINISTRIES DEALING WITH ECONOMIC MATTERS WILL BE HELD FOR THEM AND THAT THEY WILL BE SWORN IN MONDAY.
NICHOLAS PLASTIRAS, HEAD OF THE LEFTIST NATIONAL PROGRESSIVE UNION AND PREMIER OF THE CABINET JUST RESIGNED, SAID HE WILL SUPPORT LIBERAL PREMIER VENIZELOS' GOVERNMENT WITH A VOTE OF CONFIDENCE BUT THAT HIS FELLOW NATIONAL PROGRESSIVE DEPUTIES WILL NOT PARTICIPATE IN IT.
VENIZELOS FORCED THE RESIGNATION OF PLASTIRAS' CABINET BY WITHDRAWING THE LIBERAL PARTY MEMBERS. PLASTIRAS WAS CRITICIZED FOR HIS POLICY OF AMNESTY FOR COMMUNISTS CONVICTED OF TREASON AND FOR THE RISING COST OF LIVING.
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A185
BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER BORBA REPORTED TODAY A NEW SERIES OF "INCIDENTS" ON THE ALBANIAN BORDER IN THE COMINFORM'S COLD WAR AGAINST PREMIER MARSHAL TITO'S GOVERNMENT.
THE PAPER SAID TWO YUGOSLAV SOLDIERS WERE WOUNDED IN THE INCIDENTS, WHICH OCCURRED BETWEEN JULY 1 AND AUG. 7.
THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS REGISTERED A PROTEST, THE PAPER SAID, BUT--INSTEAD OF A REPLY--RECEIVED ONLY ACCUSATIONS FROM THE ALBANIAN TELEGRAPH AGENCY AND THE COMINFORM PRESS THAT YUGOSLAVIA HAD "PROVOKED" THE INCIDENTS.
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B85 (Q)
(110)
COPENHAGEN, DENMARK, AUG. 26-(AP)-POLICE ARRESTED 10 YOUNG COMMUNISTS LAST NIGHT AS THEY SOUGHT TO DEMONSTRATE AGAINST THE ARRIVAL HERE OF ADMIRAL RICHARD L.CONOLLY, CHIEF OF U.S. NAVAL FORCES IN THE EASTERN ATLANTIC AND THE MEDITERRANEAN.
THEY HAD PAINTED THESE SLOGANS ON THE DOCK: "AMI (AMERICANS) GO HOME" AND "DENMARK OUT OF THE A-PACT."
ADMIRAL CONOLLY, WHO ARRIVED ON THE DESTROYER "STRIBLING," ESCORTED BY THE DESTROYER "LEARY," TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HE IS HERE ENTIRELY ON AN INFORMAL VISIT.
HE WILL PAY A COURTESY CALL ON RASMUS HANSEN, DANISH DEFENSE MINISTER, AND DANISH NAVAL CHIEFS, BEFORE LEAVING BY PLANE FOR LONDON MONDAY.
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B140 (120)
NIGHT LEAD SEAGRAVE
RANGOON, BURMA, AUG. 26-(AP)-DR.GORDON S.SEAGRAVE TODAY FORMALLY ASKED FOR HIS RELEASE FROM THE PRISON WHERE HE IS HELD ON SUSPICION OF HAVING AIDED AN ANTI-GOVERNMENT REVOLT. THE BURMESE SUPREME COURT WILL HEAR THE APPEAL SEPT. 4.
SEAGRAVE, AN AMERICAN MISSIONARY DOCTOR WHO WROTE A BOOK CALLED "BURMA SURGEON" ON HIS EXPERIENCES IN WORLD WAR II, WAS ARRESTED IN HIS JUNGLE HOSPITAL AUG. 19 AND FLOWN TO A RANGOON JAIL. THE GOVERNMENT CHARGED HE HAD AIDED THE KARENS, A CHRISTIAN NATIVE TRIBE IN REVOLT.
KYAW MYINT (CQ) A BURMESE LAWYER, FILED A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS WHICH CONTENDED THERE IS NO LEGAL BASIS FOR SEAGRAVE'S DETENTION, AND DENIED SEAGRAVE COLLABORATED WITH THE KARENS.
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B55 (Q)
(230)
KX FOR FRISCO (APW)
RANGOON, BURMA, AUG.26-(AP)-THE BURMESE SUPREME COURT TODAY WAS ASKED TO FREE DR. GORDON S. SEAGRAVE, AMERICAN MISSIONARY PHYSICIAN, ON THE GROUNDS THERE IS NO REASON FOR KEEPING HIM IN JAIL.
THE 53-YEAR-OLD DOCTOR HAS BEEN IMPRISONED HERE SINCE AUG. 18 FOR QUESTIONING ON SUSPICION OF AIDING KAREN REBEL TRIBESMEN IN THEIR LONG FIGHT FOR INDEPENDENCE FROM THE CENTRAL BURMA GOVERNMENT.
THE COURT IS NOT EXPECTED TO RULE ON TODAY'S APPLICATION FOR A WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS UNTIL SEPT.4.
THE APPLICATION FOR THE COURT ORDER WAS MADE BY KYAW MINT, BURMESE ATTORNEY.
HE TOLD THE COURT THAT HIS CLIENT HAD NOT BEEN INFORMED OFFICIALL OF ANY CHARGE DURING HIS STAY IN JAIL.
HE ASSERTED THAT SEAGRAVE COMPLETELY DENIED ANY ALLEGATION THAT HE HAD COLLABORATED WITH THE KARENS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.
SEAGRAVE, WHO IS DETAINED UNDER A SECTION OF THE PUBLIC ORDER PRESERVATION ACT, CONTENDED THAT AT PRESENT THERE IS NO VALID REASON FOR THE GOVERNMENT TO SUPPOSE HIS DETENTION IS NECESSARY TO PREVENT HIM FROM ENDANGERING PUBLIC SAFETY.
HE COMPLAINED THAT HE HAD NOT BEEN NOTIFIED WHETHER THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO BRING HIM TO TRIAL IN THE COURTS. SEAGRAVE SAID HE WOULD WELCOME THE CHANCE TO DEFEND HIMSELF PUBLICLY AGAINST SPECIFIC CHARGES.
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B64 (Q)
KX FOR FRISCO (APW)
RANGOON, BURMA, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE REBEL KAREN RADIO SAID TODAY MIN MAUNG, FORMER CORPORAL IN THE BRITISH-TRAINED PREWAR BURMA ARMY, HAD BEEN NAMED SUPREME COMMANDER OF THE MILITANT KARENS WITH THE RANK OF GENERAL. THE BROADCAST SAID MIN MAUNG'S NOMINATION WAS APPROVED AT A KAREN MEETING AT THE HILL TOWN OF THANDAUNG, 160 MILES NORTHEAST OF RANGOON.
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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG.26-(AP)-CHINESE NATIONALIST FOREIGN MINISTER GEORGE YEH ISSUED A WRITTEN STATEMENT TONIGHT THAT SOVIET AGGRESSION WAS THE VITAL PROBLEM FACING THE UNITED NATIONS.
YEH SAID THE LATEST CHINESE COMMUNIST COMMUNICATIONS TO THE U.N. WERE PART OF A CAMPAIGN SOVIET RUSSIA HAD WAGED SINCE JANUARY TO CHALLENGE NATIONALIST CHINA'S RIGHT OF REPREENTATION AT VARIOUS INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES.
HE DECLARED, "MY GOVERNMENT REMAINS THE ONLY LEGITIMATE GOVERNMENT OF CHINA. ANY ALLEGATION BY THE PUPPET COMMUNIST REGIME IN PEIPING IS DEVOID OF LEGAL FORCE AND THEREFORE SHOULD NOT BE GIVEN CONSIDERATION BY THE UNITED NATIONS."
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VRED TALKS (290)
HONG KONG, AUG. 26-(AP)-A CHINESE NATIONALIST NEWSPAPER SAID TODAY THE FORMER RUSSIAN CHIEF IN JAPAN IS IN PEIPING WRANGLING WITH CHINESE REDS OVER THE PROPOSED INVASION OF FORMOSA.
THE NEWSPAPER KUNG SHEUNG SAID GEN. KUZMA DEREVYANKO, WHO MYSTERIOUSLY LEFT JAPAN SHORTLY BEFORE THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR, WAS TRYING TO STALL CHINESE RED PLANS FOR THE INVASION OF FORMOSA. DEREVYANKO WAS REPORTED AIDING SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER MOLOTOV, COMMUNIST COORDINATOR FOR ASIA, ALSO IN PEIPING.
IT QUOTED DIPLOMATIC SOURCES AS SAYING THAT MOSCOW WANTS COMMUNIST CHINA TO HOLD UP THE LONG-THREATENED INVASION UNTIL THE KOREAN WAR SITUATION CLARIFIES.
THE NEWSPAPER GAVE THIS ACCOUNT OF THE WRANGLE:
1. MAO TZE-TUNG, CHINESE RED BOSS, INDICATED WILLINGNESS TO DELAY THE FORMOSA ACTION ONLY IF RUSSIA WILL SUPPLY SUBMARINES, TRANSPORT PLANES AND OTHER SUPPLIES.
2. MAO COMPLAINED OF THE MOSCOW TIMETABLE "FOR LAUNCHING THE INVASION OF SOUTH KOREA BEFORE THE INVASION OF TAIWAN (FORMOSA)."
THE KOREAN ACTION FIRED UP THE UNITED STATES INTO PROTECTING FORMOSA, MAO ARGUED, AND MADE THE INVASION A MUCH TOUGHER JOB. MOREOVER, HE SAID, THE KOREAN WAR NOW LOOKS LIKE IT WILL BE A LONG DRAWN OUT AFFAIR.
3. RUSSIA AND RED CHINA MAY HAVE REACHED COMPLETE ACCORD ON A POLICY OF "EXPLOITING TO THE HILT THE EXISTING DIFFERENCES BETWEEN BRITISH AND AMERICAN POLICIES TOWARD RED CHINA."
BEFORE THE KOREAN WAR, BRITAIN HAD RECOGNIZED COMMUNIST CHINA AND URGED ITS ADMISSION TO THE UNITED NATIONS. THE UNITED STATES NEITHER RECOGNIZED RED CHINA NOR FAVORED ITS ADMISSION TO THE U.N., ALTHOUGH IT SAID IT WOULD NOT OPPOSE THE LATTER MOVE.
THE NEWSPAPER SAID THAT A "WELL-KNOWN JAPANESE COMMUNIST LEADER" WHOM DEREVYANKO AIDED IN ESCAPING FROM JAPAN ATTENDED THE PEIPING TALKS.
"DECISIONS ON A COMMON POLICY TOWARD JAPAN WERE ALSO REACHED," THE NEWSPAPER SAID.
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A169KX
HONG KONG, AUG.26-(AP)-THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER WAH KIU YAT PO SAID TODAY THAT 800 CRATES OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT LEFT RED CANTON WEDNESDAY "PRESUMABLY FOR INDOCHINA."
THE SUPPLIES, DESTINED FOR MOSCOW-TRAINED HO CHI MINH'S FORCES, WERE CARRIED ABOARD THE FREIGHTER TAK MING.
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B38KX (HONG KONG FIRST) Q
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HONG KONG, AUG. 26-(AP)-COMMUNIST CHINESE SHORE BATTERIES OPENED UP ON A BRITISH OIL TANKER FRIDAY AS THE SHIP APPROACHED THE HARBOR OF HONG KONG.
THERE WERE NO DAMAGES OR CASUALTIES REPORTED ABOARD THE SHIP, THE HO KWANG, OWNED BY THE ASIATIC PETROLEUM CO.
THE INCIDENT OCCURRED SEVEN MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE WESTERN ENTRANCE TO THE HARBOR.
THE CHINESE REDS HAVE OPENED FIRE ON OTHER FOREIGN SHIPS RECENTLY.
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HONG KONG, AUG. 26-(AP)-CABLES FROM SHANGHAI FRIDAY NIGHT SAID THE 1,100-TON BRITISH FREIGHTER JEEP HEE SANK WITHIN FIVE MINUTES AFTER STRIKING A MINE WEDNESDAY IN THE YANGTZE ESTUARY.
ALL OFFICERS AND THE CREW WERE REPORTED RESCUED.
THE JEEP HEE WAS SEIZED BY CHINESE NATIONALIST JUNE 11 OFF AMOY AND WAS DETAINED 18 DAYS. OFFICERS OF THE SHIP SAID THAT THE NATIONALISTS STRIPPED THE VESSEL OF ITS CARGO, MOSTLY TEA.
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HONG KONG, SUNDAY, AUG.27-(AP)-THE INDEPENDENT CHINESE NEWSPAPER WAH KU YAT PO SAID TODAY---WITHOUT CONFIRMATION---THAT RUSSIA HAS CONVERTED THE HAINAN ISLAND PORT OF YULIN INTO A SUBMARINE BASE. HAINAN IS OFF THE SOUTH COAST OF COMMUNIST CHINA.
THE NEWSPAPER SAID ITS REPORT WAS BASED ON INFORMATION FROM "RELIABLE SOURCES" ON HAINAN. THEY WERE QUOTED AS SAYING SURFACING OF RUSSIAN SUBMARINES IN YULIN HARBOR WAS A COMMON SIGHT. THEY SAID THE BASE IS CAPABLE OF ALL KINDS OF REPAIRS ON UNDERSEA CRAFT.
YULIN WAS BUILT UP AS A NAVAL AND AIR BASED BY THE JAPANESE IN THEIR DRIVE INTO SOUTHEAST ASIA IN WORLD WAR II.
WAH KIU PAT PO (CORRECT) SAID:
"AFTER THE COMMUNIST OCCUPATION OF HAINAN IT WAS FOUND EXISTING FACILITIES AT YULIN NEEDED ONLY ENLARGEMENT AND REPAIR. OVER 150 RUSSIAN TECHNICIANS, ENGINEERS AND ADVISERS SUPERVISED 5,000 CHINESE LABORERS IN EXPANDING AND IMPROVING THE YULIN BASE AND NEARBY SAMAH AIR FIELD. WORK ON THE AIR FIELD WAS COMPLETED LAST MONTH."
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BY GORDON TAIT (175)
HONGKONG, SUNDAY, AUG. 27-(AP)-A SIZABLE NEW FORCE OF CHINESE GUERRILLAS CALLING THEMSELVES "THE PEOPLES ANTI-COMMUNIST ARMY" WAS REPORTED TODAY TO HAVE BEEN ORGANIZED INSIDE RED CHINA.
THE HONGKONG STANDARD QUOTED A RETIRED HIGH NATIONALIST GENERAL AS SAYING THESE GUERRILLAS WERE FORMED LAST JULY AND WERE NOT CONNECTED WITH NATIONALIST GUERRILLA UNITS.
THE STANDARD REPORT SAID FOUR DELEGATES REPRESENTING 300,000 OF THESE GUERRILLAS IN FUKIEN AND KWANGSI PROVINCES HAD ARRIVED IN HONGKONG AND WOULD LEAVE SOON FOR THE UNITED STATES. IN AMERICA THE DELEGATES REPORTEDLY WOULD HOLD MEETINGS SEEKING SUPPORT FOR THIS "THIRD FORCE" IN CHINA.
THE STANDARD CLAIMED ITS INFORMATION WAS THAT THE CONCISE PLAN FOR ORGANIZATION OF THE "THIRD FORCE" IN CHINA WAS SENT TO THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT LAST JUNE. THE NEWSPAPER ASSERTED THE PLAN WAS ACCEPTED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT TWO WEEKS AGO.
THE NEWSPAPER ADDED THE "NAMES OF THE FOUR DELEGATES HAVE BEEN KEPT SECRET. BUT IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT ONE OF THEM WAS FORMERLY A PROMINENT NATIONALIST."
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THIRD NIGHT LEAD PHILIPPINES (140)
BY FRANK L. WHITE
MANILA, SUNDAY, AUG. 27-(AP)-MORE THAN 1,000 COMMUNIST HUKBALAHAP GUERRILLAS MADE THEIR TWELFTH BLOODY STRIKE IN 36 HOURS EARLY TODAY.
THE ATTACK, AIMED AT THE SIERRA MADRE FOOTHILL TOWN OF SAN RAFAEL, 30 MILES NORTHEAST OF MANILA, LEFT TWO MORE CIVILIAN DEAD, RAISING THE TOTAL NUMBER OF VICTIMS OF RED FORAYS TO 75.
EARLIER NATIONAL DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS SAID ITS PREVIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT THAT 167 WERE KNOWN DEAD IN THE SUCCESSION OF CENTRAL LUZON TERROR STRIKES WAS IN ERROR.
IN THE SAN RAFAEL RAID HUKBALAHAP RAIDERS SEIZED SIX RIFLES, A QUANTITY OF AMMUNITION AND MEDICINE FROM A HOSPITAL.
THE HUKBALAHAPS, COMPOSED OF PEASANT GUERRILLAS, LONG HAVE BEEN OFFICIALLY IDENTIFIED AS THE FIGHTING ARM OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE PHILIPPINES.
TA THE HUKS OPENED THEIR SERIES OF ATTACKS FRIDAY NIGHT WITH A RAID ON DEFLAC, SUGAR REFINERY CENTER 70 MILES NORTH OF MANILA. FIRST RAIDENSE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS SAID 100 CIVILIANS DIED IN THE
REPORTS TO HEADQUARTERS INDICATED SCORES OF PERSONS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING AND PRESUMED DEAD AT TARLAC HAD RETURNED TO THEIR HOMES FOLLOWING HUKBALAHAP STRIKES FRIDAY NIGHT AND SATURDAY.
GOVERNMENT REPORTS SAID AT LEAST 20 DEAD HUKS WERE LEFT ON THE BATTLE SCENES WHERE PHILIPPINE ARMY LIGHT TANKS ROUTED THE REBELS.
PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO CONTINUED TO WATCH THE SITUATION CLOSELY. HE REFUSED COMMENT, HOWEVER, SAYING "YOU CAN'T FIGHT THE HUKS WITH STATEMENTS."
THE HEAVILY ARMED AND RED-DIRECTED MARAUDERS SWOOPED DOWN FROM THE HILLS IN WHAT A HIGH OFFICIAL CALLED A "CONCERTED" ATTACK AGAINST THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT.
THE RAIDING "HUKBALAHAPS," WHO ORGANIZED TO HELP FIGHT THE JAPANESE DURING WORLD WAR TWO BUT REFUSED TO DISBAND WHEN PEACE CAME, RAIDED WITHIN 25 MILES OF MANILA BEFORE THEY RETREATED TOWARD THE CANEBREAKS AND MOUNTAINS LATE SATURDAY AFTERNOON.
A HEAVY POLICE GUARD WAS THROWN AROUND THIS CAPITAL CITY. IN THE UNEASY QUIET OF SATURDAY NIGHT.
IN MANY PLACES, THE GOVERNMENT SAID, THE HUKS LEFT COMMUNIST LITERATURE BEHIND. IN SOME ATTACKS, ACCORDING TO WITNESSES, THE GUERRILLAS SHOUTED OPPOSITION TO PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT PLANS TO SEND A COMBAT TEAM TO AID THE UNITED NATIONS IN KOREA.
A NATIONAL DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THE FILIPINO SOLDIERS, A GROUP OF ABOUT 4,000, STILL WOULD GO TO KOREA AS SOON AS TRANSPORTATION WAS AVAILABLE.
DEFENSE SECRETARY RUPERTO KANGLEON CALLED THE RAIDS A "CONCERTED" ATTACK ON THE GOVERNMENT. HE WARNED THAT MORE HIT-AND-RUN RAIDS CAN BE EXPECTED.
THE HUKS HAVE BEEN INCREASINGLY ACTIVE IN MURDEROUS ATTACKS AGAINST OUTLYING DISTRICTS WHERE PHILIPPINE TROOPS ARE SCARCE AND POLICE PRO-

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ONE HUK RAIDING PARTY HIT ARAYAT, ONLY 10 MILES FROM THE AMERICAN AIR FORCE BASE AT CLARK FIELD, 50 MILES NORTHWEST OF MANILA.
THE STRONGEST OF THE COMMUNIST GUERILLA FORAYS WAS AGAINST TARLAC AND NEARBY CAMP MACABULOS, A PHILIPPINES CONSTABULARY HEADQUARTERS. THERE THE HUKS MASSACRED 10 TROOPERS IN THEIR BEDS AND KILLED 20 IN LATER FIGHTING, INCLUDING TWO WOMEN OFFICERS.
LOOTING AS THEY WENT, THE GUERRILLAS STORMED INTO JAILS AND RELEASED FELLOW HUKS. AT ONE TIME THEY HELD CONTROL OF THE TOWN OF SANTA CRUZ, CAPITAL OF LAGUNA PROVINCE, FOR FOUR HOURS. SANTA CRUZ IS 35 MILES SOUTHEAST OF MANILA.
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FIRST LEAD HUKS (250)
BY FRANK L.WHITE
MANILA,AUG.26-(AP)-FIVE THOUSAND REBELS, SHOUTING OPPOSITION TO THE PHILIPPINES ENTRY INTO THE KOREAN WAR LOOTED, BURNED AND KILLED LAST NIGHT AND TODAY IN TERROR RAIDS ON 11 CENTRAL LUZON TOWNS. THEY LEFT 167 DEAD AND SCORES WOUNDED.
HEAVY POLICE GUARDS WERE THROWN AROUND MANILA, THE CAPITAL.
A NATIONAL DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN SAID THE HUKBALAHAP RAIDS WOULD NOT CHANGE PLANS TO SEND A FILIPINO COMBAT TEAM TO KOREA AS SOON AS TRANSPORTATION IS AVAILABLE.
THE HUKBALAHAPS, PEASANT GUERRILLAS WHO FOUGHT THE JAPANESE THROUGHOUT WORLD WAR II, STORMED OUT OF CANEBREAKS AND FOOTHILLS IN THEIR WORST RAMPAGE.
THEY KILLED 100 PERSONS AT TARLAC, 70 MILES NORTH OF MANILA. MANY WERE CIVILIANS. PHILIPPINES ARMY TANKS WERE RUSHED TO TARLAC.
THE HUKS ALSO ROARED INTO SRAYAT, ONLY 10 MILES FROM THE U.S. AIR FORCE BASE AT CLARK FIELD, NORTHWEST OF MANILA. PLANES OF THE U.S. ETH A FO

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U.S. AIR FORCE BASE AT CLARK FIELD, NORTHWEST OF MANILA. PLANES OF THE U.S. 13TH AIR FORCE STATIONED THERE ARE CHARGED WITH THE DEFENSE OF THE PHILIPPINES AS WELL AS FORMOSA.
AT CAMP MACABULOS, PHILIPPINES CONSTABULARY HEADQUARTERS, THE HUKS KILLED 10 TROOPERS IN THEIR BEDS. THEY ALSO KILLED 16 ENLISTED MEN AND FOUR OFFICERS, INCLUDING TWO WOMEN OFFICERS.
DEFENSE SECRETARY RUPERTO KANGLEON CALLED THE RAIDS A CONCERTED ATTACK UPON THE GOVERNMENT.
AN INTELLIGENCE SERVICE SPOKESMAN SAID ITS AGENTS RECENTLY HAD FOUND CHINESE LANGUAGE HANDBILLS URGING THE HUKS TO STRIKE IN AID OF COMMUNISTS ON THE ASIATIC MAINLAND.
THESE DODGERS WERE SIGNED "MAO," THE SPOKESMAN SAID. MAO TZE-TUNG IS LEADER OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.
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LEAD HUKS (200)
BY FRANK L.WHITE
MANILA, AUG. 26-(AP)-COMMUNIST-LED REBELS SWARMED OUT OF THE HILLS AND SWAMPS OF LUZON ISLAND LAST NIGHT IN TERRIFYING RAIDS ON 11 TOWNS AND CONSTABULARY CAMPS. THEY LEFT 147 DEAD AND 22 MISSING IN THE WAKE OF THEIR WORST RAMPAGE.
THEY STRUCK AS THE PHILIPPINES WAS ARMING 5,000 TROOPS FOR THE KOREA CONFLICT.
BANDS OF HUKBALAHAPS HIT ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY IN WIDELY SCATTERED TOWNS, ONE ONLY 10 MILES FROM THE U.S. AIR FORCE BASE AT CLARK FIELD.
THE HUKS LOOTED ARMS, MONEY AND SUPPLIES AND RELEASED FELLOW GUERRILLAS FROM JAILS.
THREE THOUSAND RAIDERS SEIZED THE TOWN OF SANTA CRUZ, CAPITAL OF LAGUNA PROVINCE, 35 MILES SOUTHEAST OF MANILA. THEY HELD IT FOR FOUR HOURS.
THE BAND LOOTED 100,000 PESOS ($50,000) FROM THE PROVINCIAL TREASURY AFTER KILLING TWO GUARDS IN THE BUILDING AND FORCING THE TREASURER TO OPEN THE VAULT.
THE WORST RAID WAS AT TARLAC, 70 MILES NORTH OF MANILA. CHIEF TARGET WAS THE CONSTABULARY'S CAMP MACABULOS, ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF TOWN. TEN PATIENTS WERE KILLED IN THE HOSPITAL.
THE PHILIPPINES ARMY RUSHED A DETACHMENT OF LIGHT TANKS FROM CAMP OLIVAS. THE DETACHMENT FOUND 100 DEAD IN THE CAMP AND TOWN, BUT THE GUERRILLAS HAD FLED.
RAIDERS SEIZED 3,000 PESOS ($1,500) FROM THE MUNICIPAL TREASURY AT ARAYAT, 50 MILES NORTH OF MANILA AND ONLY 10 MILES FROM CLARK FIELD.
IN MANILA THE RAIDS WERE SEEN AS A POSSIBLE PRELUDE TO A LONG SERIES OF FORAYS, DESIGNED TO TIE UP THE PHILIPPINES ARMY AS IT DRAWS ON ITS FORCES FOR KOREA.
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BY FRANK L.WHITE
MANILA, AUG. 26-(AP)-NATIONAL DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS IN MANILA ESTIMATED TODAY THAT 127 PERSONS WERE KILLED FRIDAY NIGHT WHEN COMMUNIST-LED HUKBALAHAPS RAIDED SIX CENTRAL LUZON TOWNS.
THE ATTACKS WERE BELIEVED TO BE THE POSSIBLE BEGINNING OF A LONG SERIES OF FORAYS DESIGNED TO TIE UP THE PHILIPPINE ARMY WHICH HAS OFFERED TO SEND TROOPS TO KOREA.
ONE HUNDRED CIVILIAN DEAD WERE COUNTED AT TARLAC, 70 MILES NORTH OF MANILA. ANOTHER BIG RAID WAS MADE BY THE HUKS ON ARAYAT, 50 MILES NORTH OF MANILA AND 10 MILES EAST OF CLARK FIELD, U.S. AIRFORCES BASE.
THE OTHER ATTACKS OCCURRED AT PILA, VICTORIA, CAMP CANLUBANG AND SANTO DOMINGO.
CHIEF TARGET OF THE RAID AT TARLAC WAS CAMP MACABULOS ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE CITY. THE HUKS ENTERED THE HOSPITAL AND KILLED 10 PATIENTS. TWO WOMEN ARMY NURSES WERE ALSO REPORTED SLAIN.
THE HUKS THEN LOOTED AN AMMUNITION DUMP AND SET FIRE TO THE HOSPITAL, SIGNAL OFFICE, OFFICERS QUARTERS AND AMMUNITION STORAGE BUILDING.
BY THE TIME A DETACHMENT OF LIGHT TANKS OF THE PHILIPPINE ARMY'S FIFTH BATTALION COMBAT TEAM ARRIVED FROM CAMP OLIVAS, THE HUKS HAD RETREATED INTO THEIR MOUNTAIN HIDEOUTS.
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NGITH LEAD PREVENTIVE WAR

BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON,AUG.26-(AP)-SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, WITH AN ASSIST FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN, CRACKED DOWN HARD ON NAVY SECRETARY MATTHEWS TODAY FOR SAYING THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BE WILLING TO INSTITUTE A WAR "TO COMPEL COOPERATION FOR PEACE."

THE ACTION NOT ONLY PRECIPITATED THE FIRST WIDE OPEN CABINET SPLIT ON FOREIGN POLICY SINCE THE ROW BETWEEN JAMES F.BYRNES AND HENRY A. WALLACE IN SEPTEMBER,1946--IT ALSO SEEMED TO MAKE INEVITABLE A PUBLIC DEBATE ON A PREVENTIVE WAR WITH RUSSIA.

MATTHEWS EXPRESSED HIS VIEW IN A SPEECH AT THE BOSTON NAVY YARD LAST NIGHT. TODAY THE STATE DEPARTMENT WAS ASKED WHETHER WHAT HE SAID REPRESENTED GOVERNMENT POLICY--OR WAS PERHAPS SOME SORT OF POLICY-MAKING TRIAL BALLOON.

PRESS OFFICER ROGER TUBBY, IN A STATEMENT INITIATED BY ACHESON AND REPORTEDLY OKAYED BY THE PRESIDENT, ASSERTED:

"THE SPEECH WAS NOT CLEARED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE. MR. MATTHEWS' REMARKS ABOUT INSTITUTING A WAR FOR PEACE DO NOT REPRESENT UNITED STATES POLICY. THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT DOES NOT FAVOR INSTITUTING A WAR OF ANY KIND."

AND IN A FURTHER EVIDENCE OF WHITE HOUSE-STATE DEPARTMENT COOPERATION THE WHITE HOUSE PRESS OFFICE PROMPTLY ADDED THAT THE MATTHEWS SPEECH WAS NOT CLEARED BY THE WHITE HOUSE.

TUBBY TOLD REPORTERS THAT EVER SINCE THE WALLACE-BYRNES INCIDENT, WHICH FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE BYRNES WON WHEN WALLACE RESIGNED AS SECRETARY OF COMMERCE, THERE HAD BEEN A FIRMLY ESTABLISHED POLICY ON CLEARANCE OF SPEECHES ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS. ANY SPEECH BY GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WHICH GOES BEYOND THE ESTABLISHED LINES OF FOREIGN POLICY (AS LAID DOWN BY THE PRESIDENT) SHOULD BE CLEARED WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT, TUBBY EXPLAINED.

WALLACE WAS FIRED BY MR.TRUMAN IN 1946 AFTER MAKING A SPEECH ADVOCATING A SOFTER POLICY TOWARD RUSSIA. THE PRESIDENT AT THAT TIME LAID DOWN ORDERS THAT NO OFFICIAL SHOULD MAKE SPEECHES IN CONFLICT WITH ESTABLISHED FOREIGN POLICY AND THAT:

"ANY PUBLIC STATEMENT ON FOREIGN POLICY SHALL BE CLEARED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE."

MATTHEWS TOLD A REPORTER AFTER THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S REBUKE THAT HIS SPEECH WAS "NOT INTENDED TO BE ANY EXPRESSION OF ADMINISTRATION POLICY." ACKNOWLEDGING THAT THE TEXT WAS NOT CLEARED IN ADVANCE BY ANY GOVERNMENT AGENCY, HE SAID: "I WAS SPEAKING FOR MYSELF. THE SPEECH SPEAKS FOR ITSELF."

MATTHEWS IS NOT ALONE IN HIS TALK OF A POSSIBLE BLOW AGAINST RUSSIA. GEORGE N.CRAIG, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, DEMANDED ONLY TODAY IN A SPEECH HERE THAT THE UNITED STATES CONSTRUE ANY FURTHER COMMUNIST SATELLITE AGGRESSION AS "THE SIGNAL FOR OUR BOMBERS TO WING THEIR WAY TOWARD MOSCOW."

WHETHER THE ADMINISTRATION,S PROMPT REACTION AGAINST MATTHEWS' OPINION WOULD CAUSE HIM TO RESIGN WAS A QUESTION OF IMMEDIATE SPECULATION IN WASHINGTON.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THEY WERE MOVED BY TWO MAIN CONCERNS IN PROMPTLY REPUDIATING MATTHEWS' STATEMENT:

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1. THEY FEARED THAT RUSSIAN PROPAGANDISTS WOULD SEIZE ON THE STATEMENT AS EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT THEIR LONG-TIME CHARGE THAT AMERICAN "WAR MONGERS" ARE "PREPARING TO UNLEASH A NEW WAR."

2. THEY CONSIDERED THE IDEA OF WHAT IS GENERALLY CALLED A "PREVENTIVE WAR" WRONG. IN THEIR VIEW NO MODERN WAR BETWEEN GREAT POWERS CAN BE WON BY EITHER SIDE WITHOUT ENORMOUS AND PERMANENTLY DAMAGING LOSSES; FURTHER THEY BELIEVE THAT AMERICA'S LEADERSHIP OF PEACEFUL NATIONS DEPENDS ON ITS OWN THOROUGHGOING DEVOTION TO PEACE.

THOSE ARE POLICY LINES WHICH MR.TRUMAN, HIS FOREIGN POLICY COORDINATOR, W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, AND OTHER TOP CIVILIAN OFFICIALS IN THE GOVERNMENT ARE KNOWN TO HOLD ALONG WITH ACHESON.

WHETHER THERD IS ANOTHER GROUP IN THE CABINET FOR WHICH MATTHEWS HAS NOW BECOME SPOKESMAN, WHETHER HIS ARGUMENT REFLECTED NAVY OR GENERAL MILITARY THINKING--THOSE WERE QUESTIONS WHICH HAD DIPLOMATS GUESSING.

THERE IS NO DOUBT, HOWEVER, THAT THERE ARE MANY PEOPLE IN CONGRESS AND OUTSIDE IT WHO BELIEVE THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD TAKE A MUCH STRONGER LINE IN DEALING WITH THE SOVIETS. VIEWS GENERALLY RANGE FROM THE BALD PROPOSAL TO DROP AN ATOM BOMB ON MOSCOW TO THE IDEA OF DRAWING A GLOBAL LINE AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION AND TELLING THE RUSSIANS: "STEP OVER THIS LINE AND WE FIGHT."

THE BASIC ARGUMENTS WHICH HAVE BEEN ADVANCED FOR MORE FORCEFUL ACTION BY THE UNITED STATES ARE: FIRST, THAT THIS COUNTRY SHOULD TAKE ADVANTAGE OF ITS MARGIN OF SUPERIORITY IN ATOMIC WEAPONS BEFORE THE SOVIETS CATCH UP. SECOND, THAT IN THE LAST ANALYSIS ALL-OUT WAR BILL BE THE ONLY WAY TO DEAL WITH THE POSSIBILITY OF A WHOLE SERIES OF "LITTLE AGGRESSIONS" FOLLOWING UP THE ATTACK IN KOREA.

UNDERLYING ASSUMPTIONS OF THESE ARGUMENTS ARE CHALLENGED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT LEADERS. THEY CONTEND THAT WAR WITH RUSSIA IS NOT INEVITABLE. THEY SAY THAT "LITTLE AGGRESSIONS" BY SOVIET SATELLITES SHOULD BE DEALT WITH IF AND AS THEY OCCUR ACCORDING TO THE NEEDS OF THE MOMENT BUT IN LINE WITH A GENERAL POLICY OF LOCALIZING CONFLICT AND PREVENTING A GENERAL WAR IF POSSIBLE.

WHAT MATTHEWS SAID IN HIS BOSTON SPEECH WHICH STIRRED UP THE HORNET'S NEST WAS THIS:

FIRST THE UNITED STATES SHOULD ARM ITSELF STRONGLY TO WARD OFF ANY POSSIBLE ATTACK.

IN ADDITION, "WE SHOULD BOLDLY PROCLAIM OUR UNDENIABLE OBJECTIVE TO BE A WORLD AT PEACE. TO HAVE PEACE WE SHOULD BE WILLING, AND DECLARE OUR INTENTION, TO PAY ANY PRICE, EVEN THE PRICE OF INSTITUTING A WAR TO COMPEL COOPERATION FOR PEACE."

HE ALSO COMMENTED THAT THIS NATION CANNOT ESCAPE THE ROLE OF "AGGRESSORS FOR PEACE."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 12:45 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, SATURDAY, AUG. 26)

CRAIG

(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, AUG. 26-(AP)-GEORGE N.CRAIG, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE AMERICAN LEGION, DEMANDED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES CONSTRUE ANY FURTHER COMMUNIST SATELLITE AGGRESSIONS AS "THE SIGNAL FOR OUR BOMBERS TO WING THEIR WAY TOWARD MOSCOW."

HIS GET-TOUGH APPEAL WAS VOICED IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR DELIVERY OVER THE NBC NETWORK. CRAIG SAID HE GAVE HIS VIEWS "AS CHIEF SPOKESMAN FOR THE AMERICAN LEGION."

HE SAID MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES SHOULD BE REQUIRED NOW TO STOP

TRADING WITH IRON CURTAIN NATIONS, AND HE CALLED FOR A PROMPT WORLD WIDE UNDERSTANDING OF WHERE THE VARIOUS NATIONS WILL STAND IF WORLD WAR III COMES.

THE COMMANDER PROPOSED:

1. EXTENSION OF THE MONROE DOCTRINE TO ALL THE FREE AREAS OF THE WORLD DESIRING SUCH PROTECTION.

2. RUTHLESS ECONOMIC SANCTIONS AGAINST RUSSIA, AND WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN RECOGNITION OF THE SOVIET REPUBLIC.

"IF RUSSIA IS GOING TO BRING ON WORLD WAR III, LET US HAVE IT UPON OUR TERMS," CRAIG SAID.

"WE CANNOT AFFORD TO ENGAGE IN ANY MORE SATELLITE WARS. IF RUSSIAN PUPPETS START TROUBLE ANYWHERE IN THIS (MONROE DOCTRINE) SECURITY BELT THAT WILL BE THE SIGNAL FOR OUR BOMBERS TO WING THEIR WAY TOWARD MOSCOW."

CRAIG SAID THE UNITED STATES SHOULD DEMAND ABROGATION OR CLARIFICATION OF NON-AGGRESSION PACTS BETWEEN ENGLAND AND RUSSIA, AND FRANCE AND RUSSIA.

"WE SHOULD NOT LEAVE LEGAL GROUNDS UPON WHICH OUR ALLIES, WHOM WE ARE FINANCING WITH BILLIONS OF DOLLARS, MIGHT JUSTIFY THEIR NEUTRALITY IN CASE OF A FINAL SHOWDOWN," THE LEGION CHIEF ADDED.

CRAIG ALSO URGED:

1. UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING BE ENACTED.

2. IMMEDIATE LEGISLATION TO WIPE OUT COMMUNISM IN AMERICA, BECAUSE "THE COMMUNISTS NOW CONSPIRING AND PLOTTING IN THE UNITED STATES ARE THE SAME BRAND NOW KILLING AMERICAN BOYS IN KOREA."

3. POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND PSYCHOLOGICAL OFFENSIVES AGAINST COMMUNISM, COORDINATED AND STRENGTHENED UNDER ONE GOVERNMENT AGENCY.

4. IMMEDIATE ABROGATION OF THE YALTA AGREEMENT "AND EVERY TREATY WE HAVE WITH THE SOVIETS," ON GROUNDS THAT RUSSIA HAS BROKEN 68 PACTS AND TREATIES IN RECENT YEARS.

CRAIG SAID THE UNITED STATES HAS POURED MORE THAN $9,500,000,000 (B) INTO THE 16 MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES IN FOUR YEARS, AND MUST SPEND $5,000,000,000 (B) MORE TO COMPLETE THE ECONOMIC REHABILITATION PROGRAM.

HE SAID THE ECA COUNTRIES HAVE 96 TRADE TREATIES, MANY OF THEM SECRET, WITH COMMUNIST NATIONS. DURING 1949, HE SAID, THEY EXPORTED MORE THAN $1,098,905,000 IN GOODS TO RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES.

"THIS INCLUDED EVERYTHING FROM MONKEY WRENCHES TO JET ENGINES, LOCOMOTIVES, TOOL STEEL, BALL BEARINGS, ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT, TIRES, MACHINERY, CHEMICALS--IN FACT, EVERYTHING THAT THE RUSSIANS NEED TO CONSOLIDATE THEIR GAINS IN EASTERN EUROPE AND ASIA AND TO FIGHT WORLD WAR III," CRAIG SAID.

"MATERIALS OF WAR BOUGHT WITH AMERICAN TAXPAYERS' DOLLARS THROUGH THE MARSHALL PLAN ARE NOW IN THE HANDS OF NORTH KOREAN TROOPS AND ARE BEING USED TO KILL AMERICAN SOLDIERS.

"SINCE WE ARE FINANCING THESE MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES, WE HAVE A MORAL RIGHT TO DEMAND THAT THIS TRADING WITH OUR ENEMIES BE STOPPED AT ONCE."

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BOSTON, AUG.26-(AP)-GENERAL HOYT S. VANDENBERG, AIR FORCE CHIEF OF STAFF, SAID TODAY THE NATION MUST HOLD ITS LEADERSHIP IN SCIENCE BECAUSE "WE ARE CHALLENGED TODAY BY RUTHLESS FORCES READY TO SACRIFICE GREAT MASSES OF SLAVES AND PUPPETS IN THEIR EFFORTS TO DESTROY US."

THE GENERAL DECLARED IN AN ADDRESS AT THE NATIONAL AIR FAIR AT LOGAN AIRPORT: "EITHER WE MAINTAIN OUR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL LEADERSHIP, WHATEVER THE COST, OR WE SUBMIT TO THE DOMINATION OF OTHERS.

"THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES ARE BUT A SMALL MINORITY AMONG THE PEOPLES OF THE EARTH. ALTHOUGH WE DO NOT STAND ALONE, WE MUST RECOGNIZE THAT OUR MOST DEPENDABLE ALLIES HAVE NO MASSES OF MANPOWER TO SEND TO OUR AID.

"WE WILL NEVER COERCE OR ENSLAVE OTHER PEOPLES TO FILL OUR NEEDS," GEN. VANDENBERG SAID AND ADDED:

"OUR SURVIVAL DEPENDS UPON OUR SUPERIOR ABILITY TO UNDERSTAND, CONTROL, AND EMPLOY THE LAWS AND FORCES OF NATURE."

THE AIR FORCE CHIEF SPOKE AS HE PRESENTED TO THE NATIONAL AIR MUSEUM THE BELL X-1 SUPERSONIC RESEARCH PLANE, THE FIRST AIRCRAFT TO FLY FASTER THAN THE SPEED OF SOUND.

HE SAID HE CONSIDERED THE X-1 "THE MOST CONVINCING EVIDENCE OF OUR ABILITY TO DISCOVER AND CONTROL THE FORCES OF NATURE SINCE THE ORIGINAL WRIGHT AIRPLANE."

THE GENERAL ADDED: "OTHER X-1'S WILL CARRY ON THE RESEARCH WHICH IS SO VITAL TO US TODAY."

THE H.H.ARNOLD AWARD--TO AVIATION'S "MEN OF THE YEAR" FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE--WAS AWARDED BY THE AIR FORCE ASSOCIATION, SPONSOR OF THE FAIR, TO UNITED NATIONS AIRMEN FIGHTIN KOREA.

THESE INCLUDE THE FIFTH AND 15TH AIR FORCES AND PLANES AND PILOTS OF THE U.S.MARINES, AUSTRALIA AND CANADA.

BRIG.GEN.ALBERT BOYD, COMMANDER OF EDWARDS AIR FORCE BASE, MUROC, CALIF., AND VETERAN TEST PILOT, WAS PRESENTED THE FLIGHT AWARD FOR UTINGUISHED SERVICE IN THE FIELD OF FLIGHT.

THE SCIENCE AWARD WENT TO DR.THEODORE VON KARMAN, CHAIRMAN OF THE AIR FORCE SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOARD, FOR RESEARCH IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF GUIDED MISSILES.

RECIPIENTS OF THE ARTS AND LETTERS AWARD WERE DR.WESLEY FRANK CRAVEN, PROFESSOR OF HISTORY AT NEW YORK UNIVERSITY, AND DR.JAMES LEA CATE, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF HISTORY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO. THEY ARE JOINT EDITORS OF A HISTORY OF THE AIR FORCES IN WORLD WAR II.

D.W.RENTZEL, A MEMBER OF THE CIVIL AERONAUTICS ADMINISTRATION, RECEIVED THE AIR POWER TROPHY FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CONTRIBUTING TO THE ACCEPTANCE AND UNDERSTANDING OF AIR POWER.

SPECIAL "CITATION OF HONOR," PLAQUES WERE AWARDED TO THE FOLLOWING:

RADIO AND TELEVISION STAR ARTHUR GODFREY; MOVIE STAR BOB HOPE; LAWRENCE D.BELL OF BUFFALO,N.Y., PRESIDENT OF BELL AIRCRAFT COMPANY; DR.WILLIAM BOLLAY OF INGLEWOOD, CALIF., TECHNICAL DIRECTOR OF THE AEROPHYSICS LABORATORY OF NORTH AMERICAN AVIATION, INC.; DR.DEAN E. WOOLRIDGE OF THE HUGHES AIRCRAFT COMPANY, CULVER CITY, CALIF.; CHARLOTTE KNIGHT, CORRESPONDENT FOR THE AIR FORCE ASSOCIATION MAGAZINE, AND THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

IN A STATEMENT OF POLICY, THE ASSOCIATION PROTESTED "THE CARELESS AND ILL-CONSIDERED ABANDONMENT OF THE PEACETIME POWER ESSENTIAL IN THIS POST-WAR WORLD TO OUR SECURITY AND WORLD PEACE."

"IN OUR AIRPOWER PROGRAM," THE STATEMENT READ, "WE MUST NOT ALLOW SHORT-RANGE IMMEDIATE MILITARY OPERATIONS TO DIVERT US FROM THE

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LONG RANGE PLANNING, NOT ONLY IN STRATEGY BUT IN EQUIPMENT."
ROBERT S.JOHNSON OF LONG ISLAND CITY,N.Y., WAS RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE AIR FORCE ASSOCIATION.
AIR FORCE GENERAL CARL A.SPAATZ WAS ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD
THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENTS:
EDWARD R.TUFTS OF SALEM, NEW ENGLAND; WARREN DEBROWN RED BANK,N.J., NORTHEAST; THOMAS H.BAKER, MEMPHIS, TENN., SOUTH CENTRAL; RAY IRELAND, CHICAGO, GREAT LAKES; GEORGE HARTY, WASHINGTON, EAST CENTRAL; JEROME A.WATERMAN, TAMPA, FLA.; SOUTHEAST; DR.JOHN OIGGERSTAFF, KIRKSVILLE, MO., MIDWEST; WILLIAM N.HENSLEY, TAMPA, VLA., SOUTHEAST; MERLE S.ELSE, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., NORTH CENTRAL; THOMAS B.CAMPBELL, HARDIN, MONT., NORTHWEST; JAMES MCCUSKER, DENVER, COLO., ROCKY MOUNTAIN; THOMAS STACK OF SAN FRANCISCO, FAR WEST.
DIRECTORS ELECTED INCLUDED:
B.E.FULTON, AKRON, OHIO; ARTHUR F.KELLY, LOS ANGELES; ROV LEFFINGWELL, HONOLULU; RANDALL LEOPOLD, LEWISTON, PA.; DR.W.R.LOVELACE, ALBUQUERQUE,N.M.; DR.PAUL C.POTTER, COLO.SPRINGS, COLO. JAMES STEWART, HOLLYWOOD, CAL.
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(CX) DAVENPORT, IA., AUG. 26-(AP)-JOHN W. GIBSON, WHO JUST RESIGNED A HIGH LABOR DEPARTMENT POST, ACCUSED REPUBLICAN SENATORS TAFT (OHIO) AND WHERRY (NEB) TONIGHT OF GIVING AID AND COMFORT TO "OUR COMMUNIST ENEMY."
GIBSON'S RESIGNATION AS ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF LABOR WAS ANNOUNCED IN WASHINGTON TODAY BY THE WHITE HOUSE.
GIBSON LABELLED THE VOTING RECORD OF REP. MARCANTONIO (AL-NY) "THE GENUINE COMMUNIST ARTICLE" AND SAID THAT ON CERTAIN KEY BILLS TAFT AND WHERRY HAD VOTED THE SAME WAY AS MARCANTONIO.
"NO ONE SUGGESTS THAT THESE TWO SENATORS ARE TAKING THEIR CUE FROM MARCANTONIO," GIBSON SAID, "AND NO ONE CAN JUSTLY SAY THAT THEY ARE PARTY-LINERS BUT THEY ARE CERTAINLY GIVING AID AND COMFORT TO THE COMMUNISTS."
GIBSON'S REMARKS WERE IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR THE ANNUAL DINNER IN DAVENPORT OF THE INTERNATIONAL CHIROPRACTORS ASSOCIATION.
IN HIS COMPARISON OF VOTING RECORDS, GIBSON MENTIONED THE GREEK-TURKISH AID BILL, THE INTERIM AID BILL, THE MARSHALL PLAN, ATLANTIC PACT, THE POINT FOUR PROGRAM AND THE MILITARY AID PROGRAM.
HE SAID THAT ON THESE MEASURES WHERRY'S VOTES MATCHED MARCANTONIO'S 100 PER CENT AND TAFT'S VOTES WERE THE SAME AS MACCANTONIO'S ON 85 PER CENT OF THE SAME BILLS.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EST, SATURDAY, AUG.26)
(ADVANCE) DENVER, AUG.26-(AP)-GEN.DWIGHT D.EISENHOWER WILL MAKE HIS FIRST MAJOR PUBLIC ADDRESS SINCE THE KOREAN WAR AT LABOR DAY CEREMONIES IN DENVER TOUCHING OFF THE CRUSADE FOR FREEDOM.
EISENHOWER'S ADDRESS WILL BE BROADCAST BY THE FOUR MAJOR NETWORKS FROM 10:15 TO 10:3 P.M. (EST) SEPT.4. EISENHOWER, SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER IN WORLD WAR II AND NOW PRESIDENT OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, IS VACATIONING IN COLORADO.
THE CRUSADE FOR FREEDOM HAS BEEN ORGANIZED BY THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR A FREE EUROPE, INC. PALMER HOYT, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER OF THE DENVER POST IS REGIONAL CHAIRMAN FOR THE CRUSADE, AND IS ARRANGING THE CEREMONIES AT DENVER'S CITY AUDITORIUM.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M. EST, TODAY, SATURDAY, AUG.26)
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WASHINGTON,AUG 26-(AP)-THE SOVIET UNION HAS EXPANDED ABOUT 415,000 SQUARE MILES SINCE 1939, A CONGRESSIONAL STUDY RELEASED TODAY SHOWED. ITS TERRITORY NOW IS 8,591,700 SQUARE MILES. ACQUISITIONS INCLUDED ESTONIA, LATVIA, LITHUANIA, AS WELL AS PARTS OF POLAND AND FINLAND.
THIS STUDY WAS MADE BY THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE TO PROVIDE BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON THE SOVIET UNION IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS.
THE STUDY IS A COMPILATION OF MATERIAL BASED ON PUBLISHED DOCUMENTS. IT IS A 53-PAGE RECORD CITING SOVIET VIOLATIONS OF TREATY OBLIGATIONS AND OBSTRUCTIONISM IN THE SOLUTION OF INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS.
CHAIRMAN KEE (D-WVA) OF THE COMMITTEE SAID THE REPORT SHOWS DEFINITELY THAT THE SOVIETS OBSERVE OBLIGATIONS IN A TREATY "ONLY WHEN IT WILL SERVE THEIR PURPOSES."
ONE DIFFICULTY IN DEALING WITH THEM IS SHOWN IN A STUDY OF THE JOINT UNITED STATES-SOVIET COMMISSION ON KOREA. DURING A YEAR AND A HALF THIS COMMISSION MET 62 TIMES AND THEN BROKE DOWN.
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(500) AMS BUDGET
FIRST LEAD SUBVERSIVES
WASHINGTON, AUG.26-(AP)-A DRIVE TO CLAMP NEW HOME FRONT CONTROLS ON COMMUNISTS AND SUBVERSIVES COMES TO A HEAD IN CONGRESS NEXT WEEK. MEANWHILE NEW POWERS TO RID THE GOVERNMENT OF SECURITY RISKS WENT INTO EFFECT TODAY.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN SIGNED A BILL GIVING KEY AGENCIES COMPLETE POWER TO FIRE EMPLOYES FOR SECURITY REASONS. IT APPLIES TO 11 DEFENSE AND SEMI-MILITARY AGENCIES, BUT PROVIDES FOR EXTENSION BY THE PRESIDENT TO ANY OTHER GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT OR BUREAU.
BOTH HOUSE AND SENATE PREPARED TO TAKE UP SUBVERSIVE CONTROL BILLS GOING FAR BEYOND A SET OF SECURITY RULES RECOMMENDED BY THE ADMINISTRATION. THE OUTCOME IN CONGRESS MAY WELL BE A BILL BRISTLING WITH CURBS OF A TYPE THAT MR.TRUMAN HAS CONDEMNED.
IN THAT CONNECTION ATTORNEY GENERAL MC GRATH WROTE SENATE DEMOCRATIC LEADER LUCAS (ILL) TODAY THAT PENDING PROPOSALS TO REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNIST ORGANIZATIONS WOULD BE UNWORKABLE AND UNNEEDED.
MC GRATH CAUTIONED AGAINST ANY CONGRESS ACTION WHICH MIGHT CAUSE COMMUNISTS TO "GO UNDERGROUND" OR WHICH MIGHT PROVE LATER TO BE INVALID AND PUT THE REDS IN A MARTYRS' ROLE.
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL PARTICULARLY HIT AT PROVISIONS OF A BILL BY SENATOR MCCARRAN (D-NEV), SAYING THEY WOULD BE INNEFFECTIVE AND IMPOSE A "STAGGERING AND PERHAPS FUTILE ENFORCEMENT BURDEN" ON THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.
MC GRATH SAID COMMUNIST GROUPS, UNDER THE MCCARRAN BILL, COULD FIGHT REGISTRATION IN THE COURTS FOR LONG PERIODS AND, THEN, EVEN IF REQUIRED TO REGISTER, COULD "REAPPEAR WITH A NEW NAME AND NEW OFFICERS" TO START THE PROCESS OVER AGAIN.
"THE PRESENT WORLD SITUATION," MC GRATH WROTE LUCAS, "REQUIRES THE PROMPT ENACTMENT OF PRACTICAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL LEGISLATION WHICH WILL GIVE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ADEQUATE WEAPONS TO DEAL WITH THE PRECISE DANGERS WHICH WE FACE, WHILE PRESERVING OUR TRADITIONS OF PERSONAL LIBERTY."
THAT JUST ABOUT ECHOES WHAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS TOLD CONGRESS, IN

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CONDEMNING THE MCCARRAN AND OTHER PROPOSALS.
IN A FURTHER ATTACK ON MCCARRAN'S PROPOSAL, SENATOR KILGORE (D-W.VA) ISSUED A STATEMENT TODAY CALLINT IT "THE MOST SAVAGE AND CUNNING ATTACK ON BASIC RIGHTS" IN AMERICAN HISTORY. HE SAID IN A STATEMENT HE AND OTHER SENATORS WILL FILE A MINORITY REPORT NEXT WEEK OPPOSING THE MCCARRAN BILL.

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UNDER THE NEW GOVERNMENT EMPLOYE SECURITY LAW, HEADS OF 11 AGENCIES ARE PERMITTED TO SUSPEND WITHOUT PAY ANY EMPLOYE WHENEVER "NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE IN THE INTEREST OF NATIONAL SECURITY." THE EMPLOYE COULD DEMAND A REVIEW, BUT THE AGENCY HEAD WILL HAVE THE FINAL SAY.
THE 11 AGENCIES SPECIFICALLY GIVEN THIS POWER ARE STATE, DEFENSE, ARMY, NAVY, AIR FORCE, TREASURY (IN THE CASE OF THE COAST GUARD), COMMERCE, JUSTICE, ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, NATIONAL SECURITY RESOURCES BOARD, AND THE NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR AERONAUTICS.
SEVERAL OF THESE AGENCIES HAVE HAD THIS POWER TEMPORARILY VIA SPECIAL PROVISIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS BILLS. THE NEW LAW MAKES THE POWER PERMANENT AND PERMITS ITS EXTENSION TO ALL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.
IN THE SENATE, QUALIFIED MEMBERS OF BOTH PARTIES SAID SENATORS ARE PRETTY MUCH IN A MOOD TO ADOPT MCCARRAN'S BILL AS IT STANDS.

THE HOUSE IS EXPECTED TO APPROVE A BROADER MEASURE THAN THE PRESIDENT ASKED, BUT THE ONE BEFORE IT FALLS FAR SHORT OF THE SCOPE OF THE MASSIVE MCCARRAN BILL.
MCCARRAN, CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, PUT HIS MEASURE TOGETHER FROM FIVE SEPARATE HOUSE AND SENATE BILLS. IT INCLUDES THE TRUMAN IDEAS AND OTHERS.
HOUSE DEBATE STARTS MONDAY OR TUESDAY ON A BILL REPORTED BY THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.
THE SENATE TAKES UP THE MCCARRAN BILL WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY.
MR.TRUMAN TOLD CONGRESS IN A SPECIAL MESSAGE ON INTERNAL SECURITY AUGUST 8 THAT SOME PROPOSALS BEFORE IT WERE TOO "BROAD AND VAGUE."
AT THE TIME, SEVERAL MEASURES WERE PENDING SOME OF WHOSE FEATURES WERE WRAPPED INTO THE MCCARRAN BILL WHICH APPEARED A FEW DAYS LATER.
THE TRUMAN MESSAGE SAID THAT PROPOSALS AMONG THEM WHICH HE DID NOT SPECIFY "WOULD MERELY HAVE THE EFFECT OF DRIVING (THE REAL CONSPIRATORS AGAINST OUR INSTITUTIONS) FURTHER UNDERGROUND AND MAKING IT MORE DIFFICULT TO REACH THEM."
HE ASKED, AND THE MCCARRAN BILL WOULD PROVIDE:
1. EXTENSION OF THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FROM THREE TO TEN YEARS FOR ESIPONAGE.
2. REGISTRATION OF PERSONS TRAINED BY A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT IN ESPIONAGE OR SABOTAGE, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN EXCEPTIONS INCLUDING "INNOCENT KNOWLEDGE."
THIS PROVISION IS DESIGNED TO ENABLE THE GOVERNMENT TO PROSECUTE POTENTIAL SABOTAUERS BEFORE THEY ACT.

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3. PENALTIES OF UP TO $5,000 AND A YEAR IN PRISON FOR WILFUL VIOLATIONS OF REGULATIONS PRESCRIBED FOR MILITARY FACILITIES.
4. PROSECUTION OF PERSONS (A) UNLAWFULLY LEAKING OR RECEIVING VITAL INFORMATION.
5. AUTHORIZATION FOR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO DETAIN FOR SIX MONTHS AN ALIEN AGAINST WHOM A DEPORTATION WARRANT HAS BEEN ISSUED.
THE MCCARRAN BILL ALSO CONTAINS A COMMUNIST REGISTRATION BILL SPONSORED BY SENATORS MUNDT (R-SD), FERGUSON (R-MICH) AND JOHNSTON (D-SC). MR.TRUMAN APPARENTLY HAD THIS BILL IN MIND WHEN HE WARNED AGAINST DRIVING REDS UNDERGROUND. PROPONENTS ARGUE IT WOULD PROVIDE EFFECTIVE CONTROL OF THEM.
MAJOR PROVISIONS OF THE MUNDT-FERGUSON-JOHNSTON SECTION OF MCCARRAN'S BILL WOULD:
1. REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNIST POLITICAL ORGANIZATIONS AND COMMUNIST-FRONT ORGANIZATIONS.
2. MAKE IT A CRIME KNOWINGLY TO CONSPIRE TO SET UP A "TOTALITARIAN DICTATORSHIP" HERE.
3. MAKE IT A CRIME:(A) FOR A FEDERAL EMPLOYE TO COMMUNICATE DEFENSE SECRETS TO COMMUNISTS OR FOREIGN AGENTS;(B) EMPLOY A COMMUNIST IN GOVERNMENT; (C) FOR ANY COMMUNIST TO APPLY FOR OR USE A U.S.PASSPORT; (D) FOR ANY PERSON TO MAIL COMMUNIST PUBLICATIONS WITHOUT IDENTIFYING THE SOURCE OR TO BROADCAST OR TELEVISE COMMUNIST PROGRAMS WITHOUT SIMILAR IDENTIFICATION.
MCCARRAN'S BILL ALSO WOULD PROVIDE NEW MEASURES TO DEAL WITH IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION INCLUDING:
1. EXCLUSION OR DEPORTATION OF ALIENS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF COMMUNIST POLITICAL GROUPS OR COMMUNIST FRONTS WITH TWO EXCEPTIONS:DIPLOMATS AND "INNOCENT DUPES."
2. THE EXCLUSION AND DEPORTATION OF ALL ALIENS, IRRESPECTIVE OF THEIR STATUS, IF THEY SEEK ENTRY TO ENGAGE IN, OR ENGAGE AFTER ENTRY IN, ACTIVITIES ENDANGERING THE PUBLIC SAFETY.
3. CREATION OF A SEMI-INDEPENDENT AGENCY IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO HANDLE VISAS AND PASSPORTS.
THE HOUSE BILL IS LARGELY A COMMUNIST REGISTRATION BILL. SOME OF ITS MAJOR PROVISIONS WOULD:
1. REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNIST PARTIES AND MEMBERS.
2. REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS, THEIR OFFICERS AND FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES, BUT NOT THEIR MEMBERSHIP.
3. MAKE IT UNLAWFUL FOR COMMUNISTS AND MEMBERS OF COMMUNIST FRONTS TO HOLD JOBS IN THE GOVERNMENT OR IN DEFENSE PLANTS.

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WASHINGTON,AUG.26-(AP)-STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THE LOYALTY CASE OF JOHN S.SERVICE, VETERAN CAREER DIPLOMAT, IS STILL BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT'S LOYALTY BOARD PENDING ARRIVAL OF INFORMATION FROM THE FAR EAST ON ONE ASPECT OF THE INQUIRY.
DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE CARLISLE HUMELSINE, DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION, SAID THE SITUATION NOW IS EXACTLY WHAT IT WAS AT THE END OF JUNE WHEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID THE CASE WAS STILL IN THE BOARD'S HANDS ALTHOUGH HEARINGS WERE SUBSTANTIALLY COMPLETE.
"THE REASON THE SERVICE CASE HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED," HUMELSINE TOLD A REPORTER, "IS THAT ONE PIECE OF INFORMATION STILL HAS TO COME IN FROM CHINA.
"I AM SURE IF I WERE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD I WOULD NOT WANT IT TO COMPLETE ITS FINDINGS UNTIL EVERY LAST SHRED OF EVIDENCE WAS IN."
SERVICE WAS ACCUSED BY SENATOR MCCARTHY (R-WIS) OF COLLABORATING WITH COMMUNISTS--A CHARGE SERVICE DENIED UNDER OATH.
WHEN THE BOARD WOUND UP ITS CLOSED-DOOR HEARINGS TWO MONTHS AGO, CONRAD E.SNOW, THE CHAIRMAN, WAS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE ON TEMPORARY LEGAL DUTY FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN EUROPE. IT WAS REPORTED AT THE TIME AND PRIVATELY BORNE OUT BY INFORMED OFFICIALS THEN THAT THE BOARD MEMBERS HAD AGREED THAT THE EVIDENCE IN THEIR HANDS CLEARED SERVICE OF

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DISLOYALTY CHARGES, BUT THEY DETERMINED TO WITHHOLD A FORMAL ACTION UNTIL THE LAST REMAINING ASPECT OF THE CASE KNOWN TO THEM WAS CLEARED UP.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS INFORMAL UNDERSTANDING, IT WAS THEN REPORTED, WAS TO PREPARE THE WAY FOR A BOARD DECISION CLEARING SERVICE DURING SNOW'S ABSENCE IN EUROPE, ASSUMING THAT THE MISSING EVIDENCE SHOWED UP BEFORE HIS RETURN.

THE DEPARTMENT GAVE NO INDICATION OF THE NATURE OF THE OUTSTANDING EVIDENCE.

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BERKELEY, CALIF., AUG.26-(AP)-REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA VOTED YESTERDAY TO ENFORCE THEIR LOYALTY OATH REQUIREMENTS WITH A NEW "SIGN UP OR GET OUT" NOTICE TO RECALCITRANT FACULTY MEMBERS.

THE REGENTS VOTED 12 TO 10 TO REQUIRE 31 FACULTY MEMBERS WHO HAVE NOT YET SIGNED THE OATH TO DO SO WITHIN 10 DAYS OR RESIGN THEIR POSITIONS.

THE VOTE WAS AN ABOUT FACE FOR THE REGENTS, WHO LAST MONTH ACCEPTED AN O.K. FOR THE PROFESSORS FROM THE FACULTY SCREENING COMMITTEE WHICH HAD INVESTIGATED THE ONES RELUCTANT TO SIGN THE OATH AND FOUND THEM LOYAL.

THE NEW VOTE LIKEWISE DISREGARDED THE RECOMMENDATION OF PRESIDENT ROBERT GORDON SPROUL THAT THE 31 BE REHIRED.

MOST OF THE 31 PROFESSORS INVOLVED ARE EMPLOYED AT THE BERKELEY CAMPUS OF THE UNIVERSITY, OR AT THE UNIVERSITY'S SAN FRANCISCO MEDICAL CENTER.

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NIGHT LEAD APPROPRIATIONS

WASHINGTON, AUG.26-(AP)-A $16,771,384,479 (B) EMERGENCY BILL TO HELP REARM THIS COUNTRY AND ITS ALLIES WAS PASSED TODAY BY THE HOUSE AND SENT TO THE SENATE.

THE ROLLCALL VOTE WAS 311 TO 1. THE LONE OPPONENT WAS REP.RICH (R-PA). WHO ASKS ALMOST DAILY: "WHERE'S THE MONEY COMING FROM?"

AMONG OTHER COMBAT "HARDWARE" ITEMS THE BIG APPROPRIATION MEASURE PROVIDES FOR PURCHASE OF 5,333 WARPLANES.

IT BOOSTS TO MORE THAN $30,000,000,000(B) THE MILITARY OUTLAYS SET UP FOR THIS YEAR.

AND REP.MAHON (D-TEX), CHAIRMAN OF THE MILITARY APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE, TOLD THE HOUSE YESTERDAY THAT THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT IS PREPARING ANOTHER REQUEST FOR $10,000,000,000(B).

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OF THE TOTAL IN TODAY'S BILL, $4,000,000,000(B) GOES TO HELP FRIENDLY COUNTRIES ABROAD BUILD UP THEIR ARMED POWER TO RESIST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION.

YESTERDAY THE HOUSE SENT TO THE SENATE A $35,554,490,425(B) GENERAL APPROPRIATION BILL WHICH INCLUDED $14,500,000,000(B) FOR DEFENSE.

BESIDES FOREIGN ARMS AID, OTHER BIG ALLOTMENTS IN THE NEW BILL INCLUDE $260,000,000(M) FOR WORK ON THE HYDROGEN BOMB AND THE ATOM BOMB, $598,637,370(M) TO STOCKPILE STRATEGIC MATERIALS, $4,535,400,000(B) FOR THE AIR FORCE, $2,648,029,000(B) FOR THE NAVY AND $3,063,547,000(B) FOR THE ARMY.

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IN ADDITION THERE IS $62,655,850 TO STRENGTHEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S "VOICE OF AMERICA" PROGRAM, $190,000,000(M) FOR MILITARY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, $19,360,000(M) FOR SELECTIVE SERVICE, $18,000,000(M) TO GET LAID-UP MERCHANT SHIPS IN READINESS AND $10,000,000 (M) FOR PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S EMERGENCY FUND.

THE NAVY'S SHARE OF THE EMERGENCY MEASURE CONTAINS $185,000,000 FOR SHIPBUILDING, INCLUDING A SPEED-UP IN GETTING LAID-UP FIGHTING SHIPS READY FOR ACTION; AND $1,596,269,000(B) TO PROCURE 2,377 NEW WARPLANES AND BUILD THE NAVY'S AIR ARM UP TO 7,335 PLANES.

MORE THAN HALF OF THE AIR FORCE FUNDS ARE FOR PLANE PURCHASES. THE $2,672,570,000 FOR PLANES IS FIGURED TO PROVIDE 2,956 AIRCRAFT TO GIVE THE AIR FORCE 4,428 NEW PLANES.

THE $4,000,000,000(B) FOR FOREIGN ARMS AID PROVIDES $3,504,000,000 (B) FOR THE NORTH ATLANTIC AREA, $193,000,000(M) FOR GREECE, TURKEY AND IRAN, AND $303,000,000(M) FOR THE PHILIPPINES AND FOR SOUTHERN AND EASTERN ASIA.

DEBATE ON THE BILL WAS CENTERED MAINLY ON THE "VOICE OF AMERICA" AND THE FOREIGN ARMS AID PROVISIONS, BUT NO ATTEMPT WAS MADE TO ALTER EITHER SECTION.

SOME REPUBLICANS LED BY REP. TABER OF NEW YORK COMPLAINED THAT THE FOREIGN INFORMATION PROGRAM HAS BEEN INEFFECTIVE. TABER SAID THE "VOICE OF AMERICA" DOES NOT TRULY REFLECT AMERICAN LIFE.

REPRESENTATIVES SIKES (D-FLA) AND MACK (R-WASH) CRITICIZED THE FOREIGN ARMS AID SECTION. SIKES SUGGESTED THAT IN THE FUTURE THE AID BE MEASURED BY THE AMOUNT OF ACTUAL HELP THE RECIPIENT NATIONS ARE GIVING THE UNITED STATES IN KOREA.

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MACK SAID THE ARMS AID PROGRAM SHOULD BE TIGHTENED UP TO PREVENT UNITED STATES SUPPLIES FROM BEING RESOLD TO RUSSIA AND HER SATELLITES. LAST YEAR, HE SAID, WESTERN EUROPEAN NATIONS SOLD $1,098,905,000(B) IN GOODS TO RUSSIA AND HER FRIENDS, INCLUDING STEEL, IRON, COPPER, RUBBER, LEAD, BALL BEARINGS AND OTHER MATERIAL USED TO MAKE WEAPONS.

"IT IS MORE THAN PROBABLE," HE SAID, "THAT SOME THE RUSSIAN WEAPONS AND SHELLS BEING USED TO KILL OUR AMERICAN AND UNITED NATIONS BOYS IN KOREA WERE MADE FROM THESE VERY WAR MATERIALS."

THE HOUSE MADE FEW CHANGES IN THE BILL. ONLY ONE AMENDMENT INCREASING ORIGINAL ALLOTMENTS BY THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE WAS ADOPTED. THIS ADDED $300,000 TO BUY SPECIALLY-EQUIPPED AUTOS FOR LIMITED CLASSES OF DISABLED WAR VETERANS.

AMENDMENTS TO KNOCK OUT THE ENTIRE $4,000,000,000 FOR FOREIGN ARMS AID, TO ADD $0,000 TO BUILD A SCHOOL FOR INDIANS IN MINNESOTA, AND TO ADD $200,000 FOR THE NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION WERE DEFEATED.

JUST BEFORE PASSING THE BILL THE HOUSE REVERSED YESTERDAY'S ACTION THAT HAD ADDED $260,000 FOR CIVIL DEFENSE PLANNING IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

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(ADVANCE FOR AMS OF SUNDAY, AUG.27)

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BY DOUGLAS B.CORNELL

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG.26-(AP)-GEORGE WASHINGTON URGED UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING (UMT) FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE BACK IN 1783. WITH PERIODIC BREAKS, THE COUNTRY HAS BEEN ARGUING HOTLY ABOUT IT EVER SINCE.

SO FAR WE NEVER HAVE HAD COMPULSORY, PEACETIME MILITARY TRAINING FOR ALL MEN ABLE TO TAKE IT.

BUT RIGHT NOW THE PRESSURE IS ON AGAIN FOR IT, PARTICULARLY FROM DEFENSE OFFICIALS AND MEMBERS OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE WHO ARE LOOKING ANXIOUSLY OVER THEIR SHOULDERS AT RUSSIA.

THE HOUSE SEEMS LESS CONCERNED. WHILE PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS BEEN FOR UMT ALL ALONG, HE ISN'T PUSHING FOR IT AT THE MOMENT. HE DOESN'T WANT IT TO INTERFERE WITH OTHER DEFENSE MEASURES HE CONSIDERS MORE IMPORTANT FOR THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE.

REGARDLESS OF WHETHER CONGRESS ACTS ON UMT THIS SESSION, LET'S TAKE A LOOK AT SOME OF THE BACKGROUND AND ARGUMENTS IN A CONTROVERSY THAT HAS BEEN GOING ON FOR A CENTURY AND THREE-QUARTERS.

THE LATEST CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS ON UMT WERE THOSE DURING THE PAST WEEK BY THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE. WITNESSES SAID THINGS LIKE THIS:

THERE WILL BE "NO SECURITY FOR AMERICA WITHOUT UMT." WE NEED IT TO SAVE AMERICA IN AN "INEVITABLE" WAR WITH RUSSIA.

OR:

UMT WOULDN'T GUARANTEE OUR SAFETY BUT IT WOULD "DEGRADE" OUR YOUTH, INTERFERE WITH THEIR EDUCATION, LEAD THEM INTO IMMORALITY, LOAD "SENSELESS MILITARY BURDENS ON AMERICA."

WITH SLIGHT VARIATIONS, THE ARGUMENTS SOUNDED LIKE THE ONES THAT HAVE BEEN GOING ON THROUGH THE YEARS.

ACTUALLY, UMT HAS BEEN A BIG NATIONAL ISSUE AT THREE DIFFERENT TIMES IN THE HISTORY OF THE COUNTRY.

BACK IN COLONIAL TIMES, THERE WAS COMPULSORY MILITARY TRAINING AND IN THE EARLY COLONIAL DAYS IT WAS STRICTLY ENFORCED.

THEN, AFTER THE COLONIES UNITED, THERE WAS A PERIOD OF HEAVY ARGUING ABOUT UMT JUST BEFORE AND AFTER THE MEETING OF THE FIRST CONGRESS, AROUND 1790. WASHINGTON WAS FOR IT; SO WAS THOMAS JEFFERSON.

IN 1792 CONGRESS DID PASS A MILITIA ACT REQUIRING ENROLLMENT OF EVERY MALE 18 TO 45. BUT IT WAS AN UNWORKABLE THING--CONGRESS LEFT ENFORCEMENT TO THE STATES, AND BOTH CONGRESS AND THE STATES LEFT IT TO THE INDIVIDUAL TO PROVIDE HIS OWN ARMS, HORSE AND EQUIPMENT. SO--NO UMT.

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THE SECOND PERIOD OF TUGGING AND HAULING OVER UMT CAME JUST BEFORE AND AFTER THE FIRST WORLD WAR. WOODROW WILSON WANTED UMT. HE DIDN'T GET IT.

NOW WE ARE IN THE THIRD PERIOD, AND HAVE BEEN SINCE THE CLOSE OF WORLD WAR II. IN ADDITION TO VARIOUS CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS, THERE HAVE BEEN TWO MAJOR STUDIES OF UMT DURING THIS PERIOD.

THE 79TH CONGRESS SET UP A SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON POSTWAR MILITARY POLICY. ON JULY 5, 1945, IT REPORTED THERE WERE SEVERAL ELEMENTS NEEDED FOR A "RESPECTABLE MILITARY POSTURE" AFTER THE WAR BUT "THE PLAN FOR GIVING ADEQUATE MILITARY TRINING TO ALL CITIZENS IS PERHAPS THE MOST VITAL ELEMENT OF ALL."

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THIS COMMITTEE RATED UMT AHEAD OF A HIGHLY TRAINED REGULAR ARMED FORCE WITH MODERN, MOBILE WEAPONS.

THEN, IN 1947, PRESIDENT TRUMAN NAMED A NINE-MEMBER CIVILIAN COMMISSION, HEADED BY DR. KARL COMPTON, PRESIDENT OF MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON UNIVERSAL TRAINING.

THE COMMITTEE SAID IT STARTED OUT WITH VARYING VIEWS. BUT AFTER EXTENSIVE HEARINGS AND RESEARCH IT CAME UP WITH A UNANIMOUS, STRONGLY WORDED ENDORSEMENT OF UMT AS "AN URGENT MILITARY NECESSITY" TO PREVENT OUR "EXTERMINATION" IN AN ATOMIC WAR.

THE REPORT LED TO MORE ARGUMENTS--SOME REASONED AND WELL THOUGHT OUT, SOME EMOTIONAL OR OF THE 'TIS-'TAINT VARIETY.

IN GENERAL, SUPPORT FOR UMT HAS COME FROM GOVERNMENT AT VARIOUS LEVELS, THE LARGER VETERANS'S GROUPS, MANY BUSINESS AND FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS, SOME WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS.

OPPOSITION HAS CENTERED AMONG MINOR POLITICAL PARTIES, ORGANIZED LABOR, THE MAIN FARM ORGANIZATIONS, SOME RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL LEADERS AND ORGANIZATIONS, YOUTH GROUPS AND ORGANIZATIONS INTERESTED IN CIVIL RIGHTS.

THE ARGUING HAS BEEN BUILT GENERALLY AROUND THREE MAJOR POINTS. THESE ARE THE POINTS, AND SOME OF THE PROS AND CONS TO BE FOUND IN ASSORTED STATEMENTS AND RECORDS OF HEARINGS:

1. IS UMT A NECESSITY, OR EVEN A GOOD THING, FROM THE MILITARY POINT OF VIEW, LEAVING OUT ALL OTHER CONSIDERATIONS?

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FOR--WE ARE WEAK WITHOUT IT. IN THE WORDS OF THE COMPTON COMMISSION, "WEAKNESS IS AN INVITATION TO EXTERMINATION." EVERY NEW DEVICE CALLS FOR MORE MEN AND MORE TRAINING. BY REDUCING TRAINING TIME, UMT WOULD SPEED UP OUR OFFENSIVE, REDUCE THE PROBABLE TOTAL OF CASUALTIES, SHORTEN THE WAR. NEVER AGAIN CAN WE COUNT ON ALLIES TO HOLD THE ENEMY WHILE WE ARM.

AGAINST--IN THESE ATOMIC DAYS, UMT IS AS OUT OF DATE AS THE GOOSESTEP. OUR STRENGTH SHOULD BE IN MODERN WEAPONS, NOT MASSES OF MEN. UMT WOULD GIVE US THE FEELING OF POWER WITHOUT THE REALITY OF POWER. SECURITY LIES IN ABOLISHING WAR, UNIVERSAL DISARMAMENT, STRENGTHENING THE UNITED NATIONS. MEN WITH A FEW MONTHS TRAINING WOULD BE LITTLE GOOD IN MEETING AN ATOMIC ATTACK.

2. WOULD UMT BE WORTH THE COST--UPWARDS OF $2,000,000,000 (B) A YEAR TO TRAIN SOMETHING LIKE 1,000,000 MEN A YEAR, THE GOVERNMENT FIGURES?

FOR--IT'S THE ONLY POSSIBLE WAY FINANCIALLY TO MAINTAIN A REASONABLE MILITARY POSITION. THERE IS NO CHEAP, EASY TICKET TO SECURITY, BUT AREN'T WE WILLING TO PAY QUITE A BIT TO AVOID THE HORROR AND COST OF A FULL-SCALE WAR RATHER THAN GAMBLE WITH OUR LIBERTIES, LIVES AND HOPES FOR PEACE?

AGAINST--THE COST ESTIMATES ARE TOO LOW--THE CIO FIGURES AROUND $6,000,000,000 (B) A YEAR. OVER A LONG RUN, THE CONTINUED ANNUAL COST WOULD BE MORE THAN THAT OF PERIODIC PREPARATION. UMT WOULD REDUCE OUR LIVING STANDARDS.

3. WOULD UMT BE DESIRABLE FROM THE STANDPOINT OF THE WAY IT AFFECTS OUR PEOPLE AND THEIR LIVES, PARTICULARLY THOSE FORCED INTO TRAINING?

FOR--IT WOULD RAISE THE HEALTH LEVEL BY DISCOVERING AND REMEDYING MINOR DEFECTS AND LOCATING MAJOR ONES. IT WOULD TEACH DISCIPLINE,

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STABILIZE CHARACTER, CREATE LEADERS, PROVIDE VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; TEACH TOLERANCE AND GROUP LIVING. IT IS DEMOCRATIC, IT IS NO MORE CONSCRIPTION THAN TAXES OR COMPULSORY SCHOOLING. IT WOULDN'T LEAD TO GROWTH OF MILITARISM ANY MORE THAN SERVICE IN THE REGULAR ARMY--WHICH DIDN'T LEAD TO IT.

AGAINST--THE WAY TO IMPROVE HEALTH AND MENTALITY ARE THROUGH HEALTH AND EDUCATION PROGRAMS, NOT MILITARY TRAINING. THE DISCIPLINE FROM UMT WOULD BE AUTOCRATIC, REQUIRING UNQUESTIONING OBEDIENCE. STABLE CHARACTER IS DEVELOPED LONG BEFORE UMT AGE. UMT DEFINITELY WOULD BE UNDEMOCRATIC, MILITARISTIC, A METHOD OF CONSCRIPTION. IT WOULD INTERFERE WITH REGULAR SCHOOLING, CAREERS, MARRIAGE, CIVIL RIGHTS.

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B13WX (Q)

(300) DOCTORS-DRAFT

WASHINGTON, AUG. 26-(AP)-LEGISLATION TO DRAFT DOCTORS, DENTISTS AND OTHER SPECIALISTS MAY WHIP THROUUGH HOUSE AND SENATE NEXT WEEK.

BILLS AFFECTING MORE THAN 8,000 MEN ARE EXPECTED TO BE READY MONDAY OR TUESDAY IN BOTH CHAMBERS.

A BILL BEFORE A SENATE ARMED SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE WOULD DRAFT PHYSICIANS THROUGH 55 AND DENTISTS THROUGH 45 YEARS OF AGE. IN THE HOUSE, HOWEVER, CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE SPONSORED A BILL SETTING 45 AS THE TOP AGE FOR ANY SUCH DRAFT.

VINSON SAID HE PLANS TO BRING THE LEGISLATION BEFORE THE HOUSE ON TUESDAY.

UNDER ITS TERMS, DOCTORS AND DENTISTS AND ALLIED SPECIALISTS WHO HAVE NOT REACHED TREIR 45TH YEAR AT THE TIME OF THE PASSAGE OF THE BILL WOULD BE REQUIRED TO REGISTER.

UNTIL THEY REACH THEIR 46TH YEAR THEY WOULD BE LIABLE FOR 21 MONTHS ACTIVE DUTY.

SIMILAR REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS ARE IN THE SENATE BILL, BUT REACHING 10 YEARS HIGHER IN THE CASE OF PHYSICIANS.

FIRST PRIORITY FOR CALLING UP DOCTORS AND DENTISTS UNDER BOTH BILLS WOULD APPLY TO MEN WHO WERE TRAINED UNDER ARMY OR NAVY SPECIALIST PROGRAMS AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE DURING THE LAST WAR AND WHO SERVED LESS THAN 90 DAYS ON ACTIVE DUTY.

IN THE NEXT CATEGORY WOULD BE SUCH MEN TRAINED UNDER THESE PROGRAMS WHOSE SERVICE TOTALED LESS THAN 21 MONTHS.

A DEFENSE OFFICIAL ESTIMATED THAT 15,000 DOCTORS AND DENTISTS WERE TRAINED UNDER THE WAR PROGRAM, AND THAT NEARLY 8,000 SAW NO ACTIVE SERVICE. THEY WERE EXEMPTED FROM MILITARY DUTY TO TAKE THE TRAINING.

SENATOR HUNT (D-WYO), CHAIRMAN OF A SUBCOMMITTEE HANDLING THE LEGISLATION ON THE SENATE SIDE, SAID IT WOULD BE READY MONDAY MORNING, AND HE WOULD TRY TO HAVE IT CONSIDERED BY THE SENATE THE SAME DAY.

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HUNT ESTIMATED THAT SOME 5,600 PHYSICIANS AND 3,000 DENTISTS MIGHT FALL INTO THE FIRST CATEGORY OF THOSE SUBJECT TO THE PROPOSED DRAFT.

HUNT SAID THIS NUMBER SHOULD "NEARLY MEET" THE CURRENT NEEDS OF THE ARMED FORCES.

HE SAID HIS SUBCOMMITTEE HAD AMENDED THE SENATE BILL TO PROVIDE FOR CONTINUED DEFERMENT OF A NUMBER OF MEDICAL AND DENTAL STUDENTS EQUAL TO THE NUMBER NOW IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE ALSO CHANGED THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT'S VERSION TO ALLOW DOCTORS AND DENTISTS DRAFTED INTO THE ARMED SERVICES TO RECEIVE THE ADDITIONAL $100 A MONTH PROVIDED UNDER A CAREER COMPENSATION LAW. HUNT SAID THAT THIS ACT NOW BENEFITS ONLY THOSE WHO VOLUNTARILY ENTER SERVICE.

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(ADVANCE) (WX) CHARLESTON, W.VA., AUG.26-(AP)-DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON DECLARED TONIGHT THAT THE CONDITIONS OF MODERN WARFARE DEMAND THAT EVERY QUALIFIED AMERICAN BE TRAINED AND READY TO FIGHT.

IN A SPEECH PREPARED FOR DELIVERY AT THE WEST VIRGINIA LEGION CONVENTION HERE, JOHNSON URGED EARLY ADOPTION OF A STANDBY UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING LAW.

HE DESCRIBED THE LEGISLATION WHICH HE HAS ALREADY PROPOSED TO CONGRESS AS THE "ONE VITAL ACTION WHICH WE MUST NOW TAKE" TO ROUND OUT THE MILITARY BUILDUP PROGRAM STARTED SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF THE WAR IN KOREA.

JOHNSON SAID THE "STUPENDOUS" MIGHT OF AMERICAN INDUSTRY CAN ONLY MAKE ITSELF FELT AS A FORCE FOR WORLD PEACE IF "AMERICAN MANPOWER IS READY TO CARRY THE ARMS THAT AMERICAN INDUSTRY PRODUCES."

HE ASSERTED THAT THIS INCREASE IN STRENGTH IS ESSENTIAL TO MEET THE "TWO-PRONGED THREAT OF WORLD COMMUNISM."

SOVIET RUSSIA, JOHNSON DECLARED, "SEEKS TO CONQUER THE FREE WORLD EITHER BY MILITARY AGGRESSION OR BY PSYCHOLOGICAL, POLITICAL AND ECONOMY PRESSURE."

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NIGHT LEAD

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MILWAUKEE, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE ARMY PROCESSING STATION HERE WILL RECEIVE ITS OWN X-RAY EQUIPMENT SOON. BUT DR.IRVING COWAN, WHO HAS BEEN GROSSING AN AVERAGE OF $1,125 A DAY THIS MONTH FROM TAKING AND INTERPRETING CHEST X-RAYS OF DRAFTEES, VOLUNTEERS AND RESERVISTS WITH HIS OWN EQUIPMENT, STILL WILL WORK FOR HE STATION.

COL.JOHN F.EHLERT, COMMANDER OF THE WISCONSIN MILITARY DISTRICT, SAID TODAY THAT AFTER THE ARMY EQUIPMENT IS INSTALLED HERE DR. COWAN WILL JUST INTERPRET THE X-RAYS--AT A FEE OF $2 EACH. THE DOCTOR NOW IS RECEIVING $5 FOR TAKING AND CHECKING EACH X-RAY FORPOSSIBLE CHEST AILMENTS.

COL.EHLER SAID HE HAD BEEN INFORMED BY THE ARMY SURGEON GENERAL THAT X-RAY EQUIPMENT WAS ENROUTE TO MILWAUKEE FROM A ST.LOUIS ARMY DEPOT.

SINCE AUG. 1, DR.COWAN HAS TAKEN AND INTERPRETED ABOUT 4,500 X-RAYS FOR A TOTAL OF MORE THAN $20,000. HE EXPLAINS THAT HE RENTS THE EQUIPMENT FOR $700 AND ALSO HAS TO PAY THE SALARIES OF TWO TECHNICIANS AND A STENOGRAPHER AT A COST OF ABOUT $500 A MONTH.

DR.COWAN SAID FRIDAY THAT AN ARMY OFFICER HAD ASKED HIM TO BID ON THE X-RAY JOB. HE SAID HIS BID OF $5--THE ARMY MAXIMUM--WAS ACCEPTED BY THE SURGEON GENERAL'S OFFICE.

REP.TALLE (R-IOWA) HAS CALLED FOR A FULL INVESTIGATION OF THE LOCAL SITUATION. HE TERMED THE FEESPAIDFOR X-RAY PROCESSING "AN OUTRAGEOUS RAID UPON THE PUBLIC TREASURY."

ARME SPOKESMEN SAID A SHORTAGE OF ARMY X-RAY IS RESPONSIBLE.

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INDIANAPOLIS,AUG.26-(AP)-AN INDIANAPOLIS DOCTOR HAS DISCLOSED THAT HE WILL BILL THE ARMY FOR SOME $16,000 FOR CHEST X-RAY WORK ON DRAFTEES IN A PERIOD OF NEARLY A MONTH.
DR. RAYMOND BEELER SAID 3,300 CASES WERE PROCESSED IN HIS LABORATORIES BEFORE HE HELPED ARRANGE WITH THE STATE HEALTH BOARD FOR A MACHINE AT THE INDUCTION CENTER.
DR. BEELER SAID HE DID NOT WANT THE BUSINESS BECAUSE IT INTERFERED WITH SERVICE TO HIS REGULAR PATIENTS.
"WHAT MAKES ME MAD," HE SAID, "IS THAT A LOT OF PEOPLE WILL THINK I'M PROFITEERING."
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B63DT (Q)
AIR GUARD
DETROIT, AUG. 26-(AP)-MIDWESTERN AIR NATIONAL GUARD UNITS HAVE "SHARPLY IMPROVED" DURING THE PAST YEAR, THE COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE 10TH AIR FORCE REPORTED TODAY.
BACK FROM A 13-STATE INSPECTION TRIP OF UNITS UNDER HIS JURISDICTION, MAJ. GEN. HARRY A. JOHNSON SAID HE HAD FOUND "GREAT PROGRESS" IN BOTH TRAINING AND OPERATING EFFICIENCY.
"EQUIPMENT IS BEING MODERNIZED AND MANY OF THE NATIONAL GUARD SQUADRONS ARE NOW FLYING THE LATEST TYPE OF JET AIRCRAFT," GEN. JOHNSON SAID. "GREAT PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE IN THE TRAINING OF PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATIVE AND STAFF FUNCTION HAS BEEN VASTLY IMPROVED."
THE 10TH AIR FORCE COMMANDER SAID HE STRESSED THE IMPORTANCE OF INTENSIVE TRAINING IN AERIAL GUNNERY, BOMBING AND ROCKETRY DURING FIELD CONFERENCES WITH AIR GUARD PERSONNEL.
GEN. JOHNSON INSPECTED UNITS FROM WYOMING, COLORADO, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, MINNESOTA, WISCONSIN, IOWA, MISSOURI, ILLINOIS, MICHIGAN AND INDIANA.
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PROPELLER ~~(NJ AMC BUDGET)~~
(ADVANCE) CALDWELL,N.J.,AUG 26-(AP)-CURTISS-WRIGHT CORPORATION ANNOUNCED TODAY IT HAS DELIVERED TO THE AIR FORCE THE WORLD'S LARGEST AND MOST POWERFUL AIRCRAFT PROPELLER.
THE HUGE, EIGHT-BLADED PROPELLER MEASURES 19 FEET IN DIAMETER. CURTISS-WRIGHT WORKERS HAVE NICKNAMED IT "OCTOPROP" BECAUSE IT RESEMBLES THE EIGHT-TENTACLED OCTOPUS.
THE OCTOPROP, WHICH HAS BEEN TURNED OVER TO THE AIR MATERIEL COMMAND AT WRIGHT FIELD, DAYTON,OHIO, IS DESIGNED FOR USE WITH A GAS TURBINE ENGINE AND HAS A RATED THRUST FAR IN EXCESS OF THAT NEEDED TO FLY A FULLY-LOADED, FOUR-ENGINE TRANSPORT OF THE DC-6 TYPE.
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AP SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE
WASHINGTON, AUG. 26-(AP)-REP. BROOKS (D-LA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE ANNOUNCED TODAY THE REOPENING BY SEPT. 1 OF 13 ARMY AND EIGHT AIR FORCE BASE HOSPITALS.
HE SAID THE REACTIVATION WOULD PUT 3,925 BEDS INTO OPERATION. AN ADDITIONAL 5,830 ARE CALLED FOR UNDER A PROMPT EXPANSION PROGRAM, BROOKS SAID.
THE LIST OF ARMY HOSPITALS WITH THE NUMBER OF BEDS AUTHORIZED BY SEPT. 1, THE NUMBER OF BEDS TO BE ADDED LATER AND THE DATE THE ADDITIONS WILL BE MADE INCLUDES;
CAMP BRECKENRIDGE, KY., 200 PLUS 300 BY JANUARY 1; FORT LEONARD WOOD, MO., 200 PLUS 600 DEC. 1; CAMP MCCOY, WIS., 250 PLUS 200 DEC. 1; CAMP ATTERBURY, IND., 250 PLUS 300 DEC. 1; CAMP ROBERTS, CALIF., 250 PLUS 450 DEC. 1; CAMP COOKE, CALIF., 200 PLUS 300 DEC. 1.
AIR FORCE BASE HOSPITALS TO BE REOPENED AND THE NUMBER OF BEDS IN EACH INCLUDE;
FAIRFIELD--SUISUN, CALIF., 100 BEDS; LACKLAND, TEXAS, 425; MARCH, CALIF., 50; SCOTT, ILL., 100; WRIGHT-PATTERSON, OHIO, 100.
BROOKS SAID THE NAVY HAS NOT YET COMPLETED ITS PLANS FOR THE REOPENING OF HOSPITALS IN THE UNITED STATES. HE ADDED THAT MOST OF THEM ALREADY ARE IN SERVICE.
"IT'S APPARENT THAT THE MILITARY SERVICE IS GOING TO NEED ALL OF THE DOCTORS IT POSSIBLY CAN GET, AND RIGHT AWAY," SAID BROOKS.
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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, AUG.26-(AP)-MILITARY FAMILIES TOOK TO THE ROAD AND THE AIRPORT TODAY IN A PRACTICE EVACUATION FROM ALASKA'S MAJOR BASES.
IT SEEMED ALMOST LIKE THE REAL THING AS MOTHERS TAGGED THEIR CHILDREN, LOADED THEIR AUTOMOBILES AND HEADED UP THE MATANUSKA VALLEY FROM ANCHORAGE.
IT WS THE FIRST MANEUVER OF ITS KIND IN THIS NORTHERN TERRITORY. MILITARY AUTHORITIES CALLED IT THE FIRST IN RECENT YEARS IN ANY PART OF NORTH AMERICA.
THE PURPOSE OF THE DAY-LONG MANEUVER WAS TO PREPARE THE FAMILIES FOR ANY POSSIBLE SUDDEN EMERGENCY. CIVILIAN FAMILIES WERE NOT INCLUDED IN THE OPERATION.
THE FIRST CARS HEADED UP THE HIGHWAY FROM FORT RICHARDSON AT 10:52 A.M. (3:52P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME).
OTHERS GATHERED AT THE ELMENDORF AIR FORCE BASE. THEY WERE REGISTERED AND TAKEN TO WAITING AIRPLANES. BUT THE AERIAL EVACUATION PLAN STOPPED THERE. IT DID NOT CALL FOR ANY ACTUAL FLIGHTS.
THE CALM VOICE OF A MASTER SERGEANT GAVE THE EVACUATION STARTING SIGNAL OVER FOUR ANCHORAGE RADIO STATIONS. THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN HAD AN HOUR AFTER THAT TO PREPARE THEMSELVES, READY THEIR CARS AND GET PACKED. INSTRUCTIONS ALSO WERE BLARED FROM LOUDSPEAKERS OF ROVING TRUCKS.
SOME OF THE WOMEN TOOK THE MANEUVER LIGHT-HEARTEDLY, BUT MOST OF

THEM WENT ABOUT IT AS A SERIOUS BUSINESS.
EACH CAR WAS TO CARRY FOUR OR MORE PASENGERS. TRAFFIC CONTROL VEHICLES GUIDED THE STREAM OF CARS.
THE WOMEN WERE TO KEEP THEIR CAR RADIOS TURNED ON FOR INSTRUCTIONS WHILE THEY TRAVELED TOWARD THE EVACUATION STATION SET UP AT PALMER, ABOUT 60 MILES FROM THIS BUSTLING MILITARY CITY.
IN CASE OF A GENUINE EVACUATION, IN A REAL EMERGENCY, THE PLAN WOULD CALL FOR THE FAMILIES TO JOIN CONVOYS FOR A DRIVE THROUGH CANADA ON THE ALASKA HIGHWAY ROUTE TO GREAT FALLS, MONT.
TODAY'S PRACTICE EVACUATION WAS TO BE STAGED ALSO AT FAIRBANKS, IN THE INTERIOR, AND AT THE KODIAK ISLAND MILITARY BASE.
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FOLO SAN FRANCISCO
WASHINGTON, AUG.26-(AP)-THE NAVY TODAY ORDERED ANOTHER HOSPITAL SHIP OUT OF THE MOTHBALL FLEET TO TAKE THE PLACE OF THE BENEVOLENCE, LOST IN THE COLLISION OFF THE GOLDEN GATE LAST NIGHT.
THE SHIP TO BE PUT INTO OPERATION IMMEDIATELY IS THE HAVEN, NOW TIED UP AT SAN DIEGO. THE HAVEN WAS MOTHBALLED SOON AFTER SHE CAME BACK FROM BIKINI ATOM BOMB TESTS WHERE SHE SERVED AS A HOSPITAL SHIP.
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DENVER, AUG.26-(AP)-THE STATE SENATE ISN'T EAGER FOR THE GOVERNMENT TO CHOOSE COLORADO AS THE SITE FOR A HYDROGEN BOMB PLANT.
SENATOR SAM T.TAYLOR MUSTERED ONLY EIGHT VOTES AMONG 29 SENATORS PRESENT TODAY FOR A MEMORIAL TO THE STATE'S CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION URGING AN H-BOMB PLANT BE SET UP IN COLORADO.
SEN.J.PRICE BRISCOE HELPED SCUTTLE THE MEMORIAL BY POINTING OUT THAT NOBODY KNOWS WHAT THE EFFECT OF AN H-BOMB BLAST WOULD BE AND THAT THE PLANT'S LOCATION IN COLORADO MIGHT HURT THE STATE'S TOURIST BUSINESS.
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A170KX
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DENVER, AUG.26-(AP)-SANFORD SIMONS, 28, CHARGED WITH THE THEFT OF PLUTONIUM FROM THE LOS ALAMOS,N.M., ATOMIC PROJECT, WAS RELEASED FROM COUNTY JAIL HERE TODAY. A PROMINENT DENVER LAWYER POSTED HIS $10,000 CASH BOND.
WILBUR DENIOUS, SR., PUT UP THE BOND, SAYING HE WAS "TOUCHED DEEPLY" BY SIMONS' STORY.
LAST TUESDAY THE FBI ANNOUNCED RECOVERY OF A VIAL OF PLUTONIUM FROM BENEATH THE SIMONS' HOUSE HERE. HE WAS ARRESTED AND JAILED.
SIMONS, ON THE FACULTY AT DENVER UNIVERSITY, READILY ADMITTED HAVING TAKEN THE PLUTONIUM WHILE SERVING AS A SCIENTIST AT LOS ALAMOS IN 1946. HE SAID HE HAD ALWAYS COLLECTED "MINERAL SAMPLES" AND THAT HE'S WANTED THE VIAL OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL FOR NO SUBVERSIVE REASON.
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E75BX (100)
BRISTOL, R.I., AUG 26-(AP)-A MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY SCIENTIST WOULD GRADE PEOPLE FOR ADMISSION TO A-BOMB SHELTERS "ON THE BASIS OF THEIR IMPORTANCE TO THE UNITED STATES."
PROF.CLARKE GOODMAN, AN ATOMIC ENERGY SCIENTIST AT MIT, SAID "SOME PEOPLE ARE MORE IMPORTANT THAN OTHERS AND WE CAN'T BUILD SHELTERS FOR EVERYBODY."
THE PROFESSOR HAD BEEN ASKED BY GOV.JOHN O.PASTORE OF RHODE ISLAND WHAT APPROACH STATES COULD MAKE IN PROTECTING LIFE AND INDUSTRY FROM THE A-BOMB.
THE SCIENTIST TOLD THE GOVERNOR THAT HE WAS "NOT EVEN SURE RHODE ISLAND OR MASSACHUSETTS NEEDED ANY SHELTERS."
"WE HAVE GOT TO CONCENTRATE ON THE IMPORTANT POINTS FIRST," HE SAID, "SINCE WE ARE NOT GOING TO BE ABLE TO BUILD SHELTERS FOR ALL CONCEIVABLE EMERGENCIES."
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WORCESTER,MASS., AUG. 26-(AP)-JOHN D.GOODIN OF JOHNSON CITY, TENN., WAS ELECTED NATIONAL COMMANDER OF THE MILITARY ORDER OF THE PURPLE HEART AT THE CLOSING SESSION OF ITS 18TH ANNUAL CONVENTION HERE TODAY.
MRS.BEATRICE PARMENTER OF LONG BEACH, CALIF., WAS CHOSEN HEAD OF THE AUXILIARY.
OTHER OFFICERS ELECTED INCLUDED: JOHN W.HAWEKOTTE, CHICAGO, FINANCE OFFICER; ROBERT W.SCHROEDER, MILWAUKEE, WIS., JUDGE ADVOCATE; JAMES F. HANLON, TUJUNGA, CALIF., INSPECTOR; LLOYD F.IEGGE, WAUKESHA, WIS., AND JOSEPH TRADER, DETROIT MICH, SERGEANTS AT ARMS, AND REV.ALFRED W. PRICE, PHILADELPHIA, PA., CHAPLAIN.
THE AUXILIARY CHOSE MRS.MAE O'BRIEN OF CHICAGO, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT; MRS.PATRICIA BUCKLES OF LONG BEACH, DAUGHTER OF MRS. PARMENTER, SECRETARY, MRS.ANNE HANLON, TYRINGIA, CALIF., TREASURER, AND MRS.ANN SNYDER, LANCASTER, PA., INSPECTOR.
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(420)
NIGHT LEAD U.N.-CHINESE
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 26-(AP)-CHINESE COMMUNISTS FOLLOWED UP THEIR CHARGES OF U.S. AGGRESSION IN FORMOSA TODAY WITH NEW DEMANDS THAT A RED DELEGATION BE SEATED IN THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
CHOU EN-LAI, PEIPING'S FOREIGN MINISTER, ANNOUNCED THE NAMES OF FIVE MEMBERS OF A COMMUNIST DELEGATION HE WANTS U.N. OFFICIALS TO ADMIT TO THE ASSEMBLY OPENING IN NEW YORK SEPT. 19. HE CALLED ON U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE TO MAKE THE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS TO GET THEM INTO THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MEETING.
IN A CABLE TO LIE, CHOU REPEATED CHARGES THAT CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATES HAVE -ABSOLUTELY NO RIGHT TO REPRESENT CHINA X X X AND MUST THEREFORE BE DRIVEN OUT FROM ALL MEETINGS AND ORGANS OF THE UNITED NATIONS."
HEADING THE DELEGATION IS CHANG WEN-TIEN, WHO WAS CHOU'S CHOICE LAST YEAR TO SIT IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL. EVERY U.N. BODY HAS REFUSED TO KICK OUT THE NATIONALISTS AND CHANG MADE NO ATTEMPT TO COME HERE.
HE IS A MEMBER OF THE RED CHINESE POLITBURO. AMERICAN-EDUCATED, MOSCOW-TRAINED, HE WAS A COMMNIST IN THE SUN YAT SEN REVOLUTION MORE THAN 30 YEARS AGO.
THE DELEGATION'S ARRIVAL -- IF IT GETS HERE-- WOULD SET THE ASSEMBLY

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BOILING ON THE CHINESE REPRESENTATION ISSUE FROM THE VERY START.

U.N. OFFICIALS EXPECT AN EARLY CHALLENGE TO THE RIGHT OF THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS TO SIT IN THE ASSEMBLY. SUCH A CHALLENGE COULD COME FROM RUSSIA, YUGOSLAVIA, INDIA -- OR EVEN NORWAY OR BRITAIN, ALL OF WHOM HAVE RECOGNIZED THE COMMUNIST MAO TSE-TUNG GOVERNMENT.

A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID, HOWEVER, THAT IT IS UNLIKELY BRITAIN WOULD PROPOSE OUSTING THE NATIONALISTS NOW. THE DELEGATION HELPED VOTE DOWN SECURITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT JAKOB A. MALIK'S ATTEMPT TO PUT THE QUESTION ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL AGENDA THIS MONTH.

IF AN ASSEMBLY CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE BRINGS IN A REPORT FAVORABLE TO SEATING THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND OUSTING THE NATIONALISTS, THERE IS SURE TO BE A CHALLENGE ON THE FLOOR OF THE ASSEMBLY. NATIONALIST SUPPORTERS ARE CERTAIN THAT A GREAT MAJORITY OF THE 59 MEMBERS WILL UPHOLD THEIR RIGHT TO THE SEATS THEY NOW HOLD.

ANOTHER AMERICAN-TRAINED CHINESE IS ON CHOU'S DELEGATION LIST. HE IS CHI CHAO-TING, AN ECONOMIST DESIGNATED LAST SPRING TO SIT ON THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL BUT DENIED A SEAT BY THE COUNCIL VOTE. CHI HAS AN AMERICAN WIFE. HE ATTENDED SEVERAL AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES INCLUDING COLUMBIA, AND WORKED WITH THE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS.

THE THREE OTHERS NAMED TO THE RED DELEGATION ARE MENG YUNG-CHIEN, LI YI-MAND, AND CHOU CHIH-TI. NOTHING REGARDING THESE IS KNOWN HERE EXCEPT THAT MENG WAS DESIGNATED A CHINESE COMMUNIST REPRESENTATIVE TO THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL EARLY IN THE SUMMER BUT WAS DENIED A SEAT.

THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION TOLD THE SECURITY COUNCIL YESTERDAY THAT IT IS WILLING TO HAVE THE U.N. GO INTO THE RED CHINESE CHARGES OF U.S. AGGRESSION AGAINST FORMOSA BUT THAT THE KOREAN QUESTION HAS TO BE DISPOSED OF FIRST. IT CALLED THE CHARGES "RIDICULOUS FALSEHOODS."

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 26-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME IN PEIPING ANNOUNCED TO THE UNITED NATIONS TODAY THAT IT WANTS TO SEND A DELEGATION TO TRY TO GET A SEAT IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OPENING SEPT. 19.

RED CHINA'S FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI CABLED U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYVGE LIE THAT HIS GOVERNMENT HAS NAMED CHANG WEN-TIEN, 50-YEAR-OLD POKER-PLAYING COMMUNIST VETERAN, TO HEAD THE DELEGATION.

OTHERS ARE CHI CHAO-TING, CHINESE COMMUNIST WHO WAS IN CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S GOVERNMENT UNTIL 1947, YPLLHO HAS AN JMERICAN W

KAI-SHEK'S GOVERNMENT UNTIL 1947, AND WHO HAS AN AMERICAN WIFE; AND LI YI-MANG, CHOU SHIH-TI, AND MENG YUNG-CHIEN, NOT IMMEDIATELY IDENTIFIED HERE.

CHANG WAS DESIGNATED LATE LAST YEAR AS RED CHINA'S REPRESENTATIVE IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND CHI WAS NAMED FOR THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL. EFFORTS BY RUSSIA AND YUGOSLAVIA TO GET THEM SEATED FAILED, HOWEVER, AND THEY NEVER CAME HERE.

CHOU DEMANDS THAT LIE MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THEM TO ATTEND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. THAT WOULD REQUIRE ARRANGING WITH THE U.S.STATE DEPARTMENT TO GIVE THEM DIPLOMATIC VISAS. LIE IS NOT EXPECTED TO RETURN FROM A NORWEGIAN HOLIDAY UNTIL EARLY NEXT WEEK. THE ATTITUDE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT TOWARDS ADMITTING RED CHINESE REPRESEKTATIVES TO ARGUE THEIR CASE HERE HAS NOT BEEN STATED OFFICIALLY.

CHOU ALSV DEMANDED TWO DAYS AGO THAT THE U.N. END WHAT HE CALLS U.S. AGGRESSION IN FORMOSA AND SECURITY COUNCIL DELEGATES EXPECT A FULL HEARING OF THAT QUESTION NEXT WEEK.

WESTERN REPRESENTATIVES, HOWEVER, WERE DETERMINED TODAY THAT CONSIDERATION OF COMMUNIST CHINA'S CHARGES OF AMERICAN AGGRESSION ON THAT PACIFIC ISLAND, NOW HELD BY THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS, SHOULD NOT SIDETRACK THE KOREAN ISSUE.

A U.S. SOURCE SAID PRIVATELY THAT THIS COUNTRY, AS THE ACCUSED, WOULD NOT OBJECT TO PUTTING FORMOSA ON THE COUNCIL'S AGENDA,BUT DOUBTED IF A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS WOULD VOTE FOR SUCH A COURSE. HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT THE U.S. WOULD PROTEST IF ANY ATTEMPT WERE MADE TO PUT IT AHEAD OF AN AMERICAN RESOLUTION AIMED AT LOCALIZING THE KOREAN WAR.

EVEN IF FORMOSA IS NOT PUT ON THE AGENDA, RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK MADE IT CLEAR YESTERDAY THAT HE WILL REFER TO THE SITUATION THERE IN HIS SPEECHES.

"THE SECURITY COUNCIL UBDOUBTEDLY WILL DISCUSS THIS QUESTION AND DETERMINE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE MATTER," HE SAID, AFTER CHINESE NATIONALIST DELEGATE T.F.TSIANG DECLARED:

"THERE HAS BEEN NO UNITED STATES AGGRESSION AGAINST THE ISLAND OF TAIWAN (FORMOSA), NONE WHATEVER."

THE FLOOR EXCHANGE ON FORMOSA CAME AFTER U.S. REPRESENTATIVE ERNEST R. GROSS READ INTO THE RECORD A LETTER FROM U.S. CHIEF DELEGATE WARREN R. AUSTIN TO SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAYING THE U.S. WOULD WELCOME UNITED NATIONS INVESTIGATION OF RED CHINA'S CHARGES.

"WE WOULD APPROVE FULL UNITED NATIONS INVESTIGATION HERE, OR ON THE SPOT," THE LETTER SAID. "WE BELIEVE THAT UNITED NATIONS CONSIDERATION WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO A PEACEFUL, RATHER THAN A FORCEABLE SOLUTION OF THAT PROBLEM."

AUSTIN'S LETTER DENOUNCED AS "RIDICULOUS FALSEHOODS" THE CHARGES OF AMERICAN AGGRESSION, MADE IN A CABLE TO MALIK AND LIE BY RED CHINA'S FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI.

THE LETTER,CIRCULATED AMONG DELEGATIONS JUST BEFORE THE COUNCIL SESSION, WAS THOUGHT BY INFORMED QUARTERS HERE TO HAVE SPIKED THE PROPAGANDA GUN THEY EXPECTED MALIK TO FIRE AT THE MEETING.

THE GENERAL FEELING HAD BEEN THAT THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE WOULD TRY YESTERDAY TO DIVERT THE COUNCIL'S ATTENTION TO FORMOSA. THE RUSSIAN MADE ONLY A PASSING MENTION OF THE SITUATION,HOWEVER. HE DID NOT EVEN TRY TO HAVE CHOU'S CABLE READ INTO THE RECORD UNTIL AFTER GROSS READ AUSTIN'S LETTER.

SOME DIPLOMATS SPECULATED THAT MALIK'S VIOLENT ANTI-AMERICAN SPEECH LAST TUESDAY, WHICH MANY HAD INTERPRETED AS CONTAINING THREATS OF A NEW WAR, FRIGHTENED SOME OF THE KREMLIN'S FRIENDS AND POTENTIAL FRIENDS. THEY SAID MOSCOW MAY HAVE ORDERED ITS U.N. REPRESENTATIVE TO TONE DOWN HIS TIRADES IN ORDER TO BACK UP SOVIET CLAIMS TO LEAD A WORLD "PEACE MOVEMENT."

THIS VIEW WAS BACKED UP BY MALIK'S RELATIVELY MILD SPEECH YESTERDAY IN REPLY TO BRITISH AND AMERICAN CHARGES, MADE TUESDAY, THAT RUSSIA HAD ADOPTED THE HITLER PROPAGANDA TECHNIQUE OF THE "BIG LIE."

HE REPEATED CHARGES THAT THE U.S. WAS THE AGGRESSOR IN KOREA, BUT IN MUCH MORE TEMPERED TONES THAN USUAL, AND SHRUGGED OFF THE "BIG LIE" ACCUSATION AS "NOT CONTRIBUTING TO A SOLUTION OF THE KOREAN PROBLEM."

THE COUNCIL WILL MEET IN CLOSED SESSION MONDAY FOR A TECHNICAL DISCUSSION OF ITS ANNUAL REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. NO DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR ITS NEXT PUBLIC MEETING.

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SUB INTRO CHINESE REDS (A61KX)
SAN FRANCISCO, AUG.26-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO TODAY RENEWE ITS DEMANDS THAT RED CHINA REPLACE NATIONALIST CHINA IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

ONE BROADCAST--QUOTING THE CURRENT ISSUE OF "TODAY'S CULTURE," A PEIPING COMMUNIST ORGAN--WAS A NEW ATTACK ON THE UNITED STATES AND U.N. POSITION IN KOREA.

THE PUBLICATION SAID, ACCORDING TO THE RADIO VERSION, THAT:

"IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO SOLVE THE KOREAN PROBLEM WITHOUT PARTICIPATION OF ITS CLOSE NEIGHBOR, CHINA."

THE CHINESE PEOPLE, IT ADDED, "CANNOT ALLOW SUCH AGGRESSIVE ACTS OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM IN KOREA. CHAIRMAN MAO TZE-TUNG (HEAD OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME) HAS STATED THAT ASIAN AFFAIRS MUST BE RUN BY ASIAN PEOPLE THEMSELVES."

ANOTHER ENGLISH-LANGUAGE BROADCAST FROM PEIPING SAID THAT CHINESE RED PREMIER-FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI HAD AGAIN TELEGRAPHED U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, DEMANDING THE UNSEATING OF CHINESE NATIONALIST U.N. DELEGATES.

CHOU CALLED THE NATIONALISTS "ILLEGITIMATED DELEGATES" AND ASSERTED THAT THEIR CONTINUED PRESENCE IN THE U.N. IS "NOT ONLY A VIOLATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER BUT ALSO A DISREGARD OF THE RIGHTFUL CLAIM OF THE 475,000,000 PEOPLE OF THE PEOPLES (COMMUNIST) REPUBLIC OF CHINA."
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BY A.I.GOLDBERG

(ADVANCE) LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.26-(AP)-WESTERN POWERS PRESSED THEIR DEMANDS IN THE UNITED NATIONS TONIGHT FOR AN ACCOUNTING FROM SOVIET RUSSIA OF GERMAN AND JAPANESE WAR PRISONERS STILL IN RUSSIAN HANDS. RUSSIA CONTENDS ALL HAVE BEEN REPATRIATED EXCEPT A FEW THOUSAND WHO WERE ILL OR ACCUSED OF WAR CRIMES.

THE UNITED STATES, AUSTRALIA AND BRITAIN ASKED THE U.N. LAST SUNDAY TO PUT THE QUESTION ON THE AGENDA FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OPENING SEPT.19.

TONIGHT THEY AMPLIFIED THEIR REQUEST, ACCOMPANYING IT WITH STATEMENTS FROM OCCUPATIONAL AUTHORITIES AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IN JAPAN AND GERMANY. THEY INDICATED THAT ABOUT 300,000 JAPANESE AND A LIKE NUMBER OF GERMANS WERE UNACCOUNTED FOR.

"PROMPT REPATRIATION OF THESE PRISONERS WAS DEMANDED BY ACCEPTED INTERNATIONAL PRACTICE AND NO LESS BY THE ELEMENTARY PRINCIPLES OF HUMANITY," THE MEMORANDUM ADDRESSED TO SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE SAID.

IT CHARGED THAT THE SOVIET UNION HAS NOT COMPLIED FULLY WITH AGREEMENTS MADE IN 1945 AND 1946, AND THAT IT CAN'T EVEN GET THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT TO AGREE TO ALLOW AN INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN BODY TO MAKE AN IMPARTIAL CHECK.

"THE THREE GOVERNMENTS HOPE THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WILL CONSIDER MEANS WHEREBY FULL INFORMATION ON ALL THESE PERSONS MAY BE OBTAINED AND THE REPATRIATION OF ALL THOSE NOW LIVING MAY BE SECURED," THE MEMORANDUM SAID. IT PROMISED FURTHER DOCUMENTS TO SUPPORT THE CASE.

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(ADVANCE) LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 26-(AP)-IN FIVE MORE DAYS JAKOB A. MALIK'S GREAT STONE FACE DISAPPEARS FROM THE TELEVISION SCREENS AS THE SECURITY COUNCIL'S PRESIDENT.

HE MAY STAY ON AS THE SOVIET DELEGATE. SOME DELEGATES AND U.N. OFFICIALS THINK HE WILL. OTHERS THINK HE WON'T. MALIK WOULDN'T SAY ANYTHING EXCEPT THAT HE HAD COME BACK TO THE COUNCIL AFTER A SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT BECAUSE IT WAS RUSSIA'S ALPHABETICAL TURN IN AUGUST TO HOLD THE PRESIDENCY.

BUT THERE WAS NO DOUBT AT ALL HE WILL GIVE UP THE CHAIR AT THE END OF AUGUST AFTER THE MOST SEVERE WORD LAMBASTING ANY COUNCIL PRESIDENT HAS EVER HAD TO UNDERGO.

THOSE WHO WATCHED HIM IN ACTION FROM SEATS INN THE SECURITY COUNCIL CHAMBER OR ON T-V SETS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY RARELY SAW ANY EMOTION SHOWING ON HIS FAIR, FATTISH FACE WHILE DELEGATES RAKED HIM AND HIS OBSTRUCTION OF COUNCIL BUSINESS DURING THE MONTH.

WHATEVER INNER SQUIRMING HE DID WHEN DELEGATES CALLED HIM "SLAVE DRIVER," "DICTATOR," "IGNORANT" AND CALLED HIS WORDS "LIES" WAS REFLECTED ONLY INFREQUENTLY BY THE WAY HE PURSED HIS LIPS, LIKE SOMEONE BITING A LEMON, OR BY TWIDDLING HIS PENCIL.

RARER STILL WAS HIS SHOULDER-SHRUGGING AND ARM-WAVING AS HE ARGUED AGAINST THE POINTS MADE BY U.S. DELEGATE WARREN AUSTIN, WHO SAID RUSSIA HAD ONLY TO GIVE THE WORD TO THE NORTH KOREANS TO STOP THE KOREAN CONFLICT.

OTHERWISE, WHILE MOST DELEGATES TALKED, HE SAT IMPASSIVELY. FOR SOME HE CLAMPED ON HIS HEADPHONES OR CRADLED ONE AGAINST HIS FACE TO HEAR THE SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION IN RUSSIAN.

FOR OTHERS, LIKE CHINESE NATIONALIST T.F.TSIANG, HE HAD ONLY A STONY STATE, MIRRORING CONTEMPT AS HE SAT STOLIDLY, ALMOST OSTENTATIOUSLY IGNORING THEM.

THERE WAS AN OCCASIONAL GRIMACE WHEN ONE OF HIS DELEGATION ADVISERS LEANED OVER HIS SHOULDER TO NOTE A POINT.

BUT WHILE HE SAT IN THE PRESIDENTIAL CHAIR, NEVER A SMILE FROM HIM. THE AMERICAN PUBLIC SAW ONLY THE GREAT STONE FACE.

MALIK IS NO BACK-SLAPPER. HE IS ALWAYS WHAT GERMAN OFFICIALS LIKE TO BE -- KORRECT. (REPEAT KORRECT). HE SPEAKS ENGLISH BROKENLY BUT IS UNDERSTANDABLE, AND SEVERAL TIMES BRIEFLY BROKE INTO COUNCIL DISCUSSIONS IN ENGLISH. IT IS THIS ENGLISH HE CAN USE TALKING WITH REPORTERS WHO ALWAYS CROWD AROUND HIM WHEN HE COMES TO UNITED NATIONS MEETINGS OR TRAIL AFTER HIM WHEN HE STALKS GRANDLY OUT OF ONE.

FOR A LONG TIME BEFORE THE SOVIET BOYCOTTS BEGAN LAST JANUARY, MALIK STAYED OUT OF THE DELEGATES' LOUNGE. NO ROUND OF HANDSHAKING AND JESTING FOR HIM, NO TALKING WITH ANOTHER DELEGATE OVER A DRINK, BEFORE OR AFTER MEETINGS, NO CONFIDENTIAL CHATS WITH A REPORTER.

LIKE MOST OTHER RUSSIAN OFFICIALS, HE ARRIVES WITH HIS ADVISERS PROMPTLY, ABOUT THREE MINUTES BEFORE A MEETING IS TO BEGIN. HE MAY HAVE A WORD FOR REPORTERS ON THEIR INSISTENCE--MEETING THEM FIRST WITH A BLANK STARE, OCCASIONALLY EVEN BREAKING INTO A SMILE.

HE HAS A FROZEN SMILE FOR U.N. EMPLOYES WHOSE DUTY IT IS TO DEAL WITH HIM. BUT ONCE HE ENTERS THE SECURITY COUNCIL CHAMBER HE BECOMES AN OFFICIAL IN THE GRAND STYLE, FROSTY, ERECT, UNMOVING--KORRECT--AS HE TAKES HIS SEAT AT THE HEAD OF THE HORSESHOE TABLE. HE POSES

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HIS ONLY SIGN OF DISTRESS IS WHEN THE GIANT LIGHTS GO UP DURING THE SESSION FOR MOVIE CAMERAMEN TO SHOOT THE SCENE. THEN HE SHADES HIS EYES WITH HIS HANDS.

MALIK IS 44. HE'S ONE OF THE YOUNG "OLD BOLSHEVIKI"--A YOUNGSTER OF 11 WHEN THE BOLSHEVIKS TOOK OVER FROM THE CZARS AND KERENSKY'S MIDDLE-ROADERS IN RUSSIA. HE LEARNED HIS LESSONS WELL, HOWEVER, GOING UP FROM A WRITING JOB ON PRAVDA, THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER, TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE PRESS SECTION, AND LATER BECOMING AMBASSADOR FOR RUSSIA IN JAPAN.

RUSSIANS DON'T TALK ABOUT THE PRIVATE LIVES OF THEIR HEROES. MALIK AND OTHERS IN HIS DELEGATION LIVE IN COMPOUNDS ON GREAT ESTATES ONCE OWNED BY AMERICAN MILLIONAIRE FAMILIES ON THE NORTH SHORE OF LONG ISLAND. CHIEF AMUSEMENT OF THE GROUPS IS WATCHING PRIVATE SHOWINGS OF SOVIET FILMS SENT OVER FROM MOSCOW.

BUT YOU CAN'T FIND OUT FROM THEM WHAT KIND OF FILM MALIK LIKES, THE KIND OF BOOKS HE READS, WHO IS HIS FAVORITE ACTOR, WHAT SORT OF FAMILY LIFE HE ENJOYS WITH HIS WIFE AND YOUNG DAUGHTER, WHAT SORT OF FATHER HE IS TO HIS TWO SONS ATTENDING SCHOOL IN MOSCOW.

HE IS AFFABLE ENOUGH AT DIPLOMATIC COCKTAIL PARTIES, WHERE HE MANAGES AN OCCASIONAL CIGARET SOMEWHAT AWKWARDLY, OR QUAFFS A COCKTAIL. HE GOES LIGHTLY ON TOBACCO AND ALCOHOL BECAUSE HE HAS A WEAK HEART WHICH HAS ALSO INTERFERED WITH HIS FAVORITE SPORT, SWIMMING.

HE SPEAKS HIS WIDE RANGE OF INVECTIVE IN A DRY, ALMOST GENTLE, BUT HUSKY VOICE, WEAVING HIS ARGUMENTS WITH MANY REPETITIONS OF THE SAME WORDS AND PHRASES SO THAT AFTER AN HOUR'S TALK HE HAS WOVEN WHAT HE HOPES IS AN ORATORICAL NET.

THE AIR OF BREATHLESS SPEED WHICH RADIO AND T-V LISTENERS HEAR WHILE MALIK TALKS IS DUE TO THE ATTAMPT OF THE SIMULTANEOUS ENGLISH TRANSLATER TO GRAB FOR WORDS AND GET THEM INTO ENGLISH FAST.

MALIK ISN'T QUICK ON THE UPTAKE IN REPARTEE. ALTHOUGH HE SPEAKS WITHOUT A PREPARED TEXT, IT APPEARS HE HAS WORKED OUT PHRASES OF EVERY SPEECH CAREFULLY BEFOREHAND. HIS BRIEF REPARTEE IN DEBATE ALWAYS MANAGES TO FALL INTO SOME PATTERN FAMILIAR TO HIM, AND HE RESERVES LONG ANSWERS UNTIL HE HAS HAD TIME TO WORK ON THEM.

BUT BY STICKING TO ONE THEME HE MANAGED TO STOP THE COUNCIL COLD MERELY BY REFUSING TO CARRY OUT PRESIDENTIAL FUNCTIONS OF MAKING A RULING, AND BY SWITCHING WITH AGILITY FROM ROLE OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT TO THAT OF SOVIET DELEGATE WHEN HE WISHED.

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ECUADOR'S ANTONIO QUEVEDO DELIVERED THE MOST INDIGNANT CHARGE AT MALIK. SAID HE: "THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SOVIET UNION, WHIP IN HAND AS IF HE WERE CONDUCTING A GANG OF FORCED LABORERS, UNDER ARCTIC CONDITIONS, HAS SPOKEN TO MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL AS IF THEY DID NOT REPRESENT THE FREE COUNTRIES WHICH THEY DO REPRESENT."

THE DIPLOMATIC POLITENESS FOR MALIK WORE THIN AFTER THE FIRST FEW MEETINGS. BRITAIN'S SIR GLADWYN JEBB ACCUSED HIM OF USING "UPSIDE-DOWN LANGUAGE" IN WHICH PEACE MEANS WAR. HE CALLED MANY OF MALIK'S STATEMENTS "OBVIOUSLY ABSURD." SIR GLADWYN TAKES THE SECURITY COUNCIL GAVEL FROM MALIK NEXT FRIDAY UNDER THE ALPHABETICAL ROTATION SYSTEM.

FRANCE'S JEAN CHAUVEL WAS FORTHRIGHT AT ONE POINT. HE TOLD MALIK HIS CHARGES THE U.S. WAS GUILTY OF AGGRESSION IN KOREA WERE FALSE. THEN, TO MAKE SURE HE WAS UNDERSTOOD, HE SAID: "I REPEAT IT--FALSE." THERE WERE OTHERS WHO PASSED THE LIE TO MALIK IN SLIGHTLY-VENEERED DIPLOMATIC DOUBLE TALK.

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TSIANG TOLD MALIK HE WAS ACTING AS IF HE WERE GENERALISSIMO STALIN RUNNING THE POLITBURO IN MOSCOW. ARNE SUNDE, NORWAY, PRESIDENT DURING JULY, ACCUSED HIM OF INCOMPETENCY, IMPEDING AND OBSTRUCTING THE COUNCIL.

AUSTIN ACCUSED HIM OF IRREGULAR CONDUCT, IMPROPER AND VIRULENT SPEECH, AND VIOLATION OF U.N. LAW.

THE GREAT STONE FACE SAT AT THE HEAD OF THE TABLE, MULTIPLIED BY THE THOUSANDS ONTO TELEVISION SCREENS OVER THE COUNTRY, AND THE COUNCIL STOOD STOCK STILL IN FRONT OF IT.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 11 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, SUNDAY, AUG. 27.)
(ADVANCE) LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 27-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS COMMITTEE TODAY BLAMED ALBANIA AND BULGARIA, ESPECIALLY BULGARIA, FOR GREECE'S CONTINUING TROUBLE WITH ARMED GUERRILLAS.

WAR THREATS TO GREECE HAVE DECLINED BUT SOME GUERRILLAS STILL EXIST INSIDE GREECE AND THOUSANDS FLED ACROSS THE BORDERS TO THE NORTH AND MENACE THE GREEKS, THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE BALKANS SAID IN A REPORT PREPARED FOR THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY OPENING SEPT. 19.

ALBANIA AND BULGARIA ARE STILL GIVING THE GUERRILLA FUGITIVES AID, THE COMMITTEE SAID, ADDING: "THERE IS EVIDENCE TO INDICATE THAT BULGARIA IN PARTICULAR HAS CONTINUED TO GIVE MORAL AND MATERIAL ASSISTANCE TO GUERRILLA RAIDING AND SABOTAGE PARTIES ON AND NEAR THE GREEK BORDER.

"AID OF THIS NATURE TO THE GREEK GUERRILLAS ON THE PART OF BULGARIA AND ALSO ALBANIA HAS NECESSARILY BEEN CONSIDERABLY REDUCED BECAUSE OF THE FLIGHT OF THE BULK OF THE GUERRILLAS FROM GREEK TERRITORY, BUT IT HAS NOT CEASED.

"THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE IS OF THE OPINION THAT THE CONTINUING POTENTIAL THREAT TO GREEK POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY IS TO BE FOUND AT PRESENT CHIEFLY IN BULGARIA.

"LARGE NUMBERS OF GREEK GUERRILLAS ARE KNOWN TO BE PRESENT IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES OF EASTERN EUROPE AS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE GUERRILLA RETREAT."

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THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE BALKANS HAS 11 MEMBERS, BUT RUSSIA AND POLAND HAVE NEVER TAKEN PART IN ITS WATCHDOG ACTIVITY AND HAVE DERIDED IT IN U.N. MEETINGS.

THE COMMITTEE ALSO COMPLAINED THAT NONE OF THE SURROUNDING COUNTRIES WHERE MORE THAN 28,000 GREEK CHILDREN WERE TAKEN AFTER BEING KIDNAPED BY GUERRILLAS, HAS REPATRIATED A SINGLE CHILD, DESPITE U.N. PLEAS AND EFFORTS BY SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE AND THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS TO GET THEM HOME.

THE CHILDREN PROBLEM HAS "DONE MUCH TO PERPETUATE BAD RELATIONS BETWEEN GREECE AND ITS NORTHERN NEIGHBORS," THE COMMITTEE REPORTED.

IT SAID ONLY YUGOSLAVIA HAD SHOWN ANY SIGN OF YIELDING TO U.N. DEMANDS TO REPATRIATE THE CHILDREN BUT HAD SO FAR DONE NOTHING MORE THAN TO SEND 17 YOUNGSTERS TO THEIR GREEK PARENTS IN AUSTRALIA.

DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS HAVE BETTERED BETWEEN YUGOSLAVIA AND THE GREEK GOVERNMENT, BUT NOT BETWEEN GREECE AND BULGARIA OR ALBANIA.

THE COMMITTEE SUGGESTED THAT BORDERS BE CLEARLY MARKED AND ZONES SIX-TENTHS OF A MILE DEEP ON EACH SIDE OF THE BORDER BE DEFORESTED AND OTHERWISE CLEARED TO PREVENT BORDER CLASHES.

THE COMMITTEE CALLED AGAIN ON THE ASSEMBLY TO ASK ALL NATIONS NOT TO FURNISH ARMS OR OTHER WAR MATERIAL TO ALBANIA AND BULGARIA UNTIL IT CAN BE DETERMINED IF THEY HAVE QUIT ARMING THE GREEK GUERRILLAS. IT ALSO SUGGESTS THAT THE U.N. CONTINUE THE COMMITTEE OR SOME OTHER AGENCY WHILE THE PRESENT SITUATION PREVAILS.

THE REPORT WAS SIGNED BY REPRESENTATIVES OF AUSTRALIA, BRAZIL, CHINA, FRANCE, MEXICO, THE NETHERLANDS, PAKISTAN, BRITAIN, AND THE U.S.

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THIRD LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (380)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG.28-(AP)-NORTH KOREAN REDS HAMMERED AT FOUR SPOTS ON THE UNITED NATIONS FRONT TODAY. ON ONLY ONE DID THEY MAKE A NOTEWORTHY GAIN, PUSHING TO WITHIN 20 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU, VITAL AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS CENTER.
U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS REPORTED SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS STOOD FIRM AGAINST THE BIG RED OFFENSIVE AIMED AT THE EAST COAST PORT CITY OF POHANG, EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSES.
BUT 40 MILES TO THE WEST, SOUTH KOREANS WITHDREW TO AND ONE-HALF MILES BEFORE A COMMUNIST DRIVE PUSHING SOUTHWARD FROM CAPTURED UIHUNG TOWARD TAEGU.
"THE OVER-EXTENDED ENEMY IS MAKING HIS LAST GASP," LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE EIGHTH ARMY TOLD SOUTH KOREANS AFTER VISITING THE FRONT NEAR POHANG. "THE DAY OF WITHDRAWAL IS PAST."
THIS WAS THE SITUATION AS OUTLINED IN FRONT LINE REPORTS AND MONDAY'S EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE.
1. A RED DRIVE ALONG THE EAST COAST TOWARD POHANG WAS CHECKED NORTH OF THAT TOWN BY THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION. TO THE WEST, THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION HELD POSITIONS TAKEN AFTER THEY WERE PUSHED BACK APPROXIMATELY THREE MILES SUNDAY FROM RED-CAPTURED KIGYE.
2. COMMUNIST FORCES CAPTURED UIHUNG, ABOUT 22 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU. ONE REGIMENT OF THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION WAS FORCED BACK 2 1/2 MILES. THIS FORCED A SIMILAR WITHDRAWAL BY FLANKING TROOPS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN EIGHTH DIVISION ON THE EAST.
3. THE U.S. SECOND DIVISION MOVED AGAINST A TOE-HOLD FORCE OF COMMUNISTS ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. THIS RIVER-CROSSING FORCE WAS TRYING TO REESTABLISH A BRIDGEHEAD NEAR SINAM, SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG. A FULL COMMUNIST DIVISION, THE FOURTH, WAS SMASHED IN THIS SECTOR TWO WEEKS AGO BY THE U.S.24TH DIVISION AND U.S.MARINES IN ONE OF THE WAR'S BLOODIEST BATTLES.

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4. THE U.S.25TH DIVISION STOPPED TWO RED PROBING ATTACKS ON THE MASAN FRONT IN THE SOUTH, WHERE A HARD-HITTING U.S.AERIAL ATTACK SUNDAY MAY HAVE TEMPORARILY THWARTED COMMUNIST PLANS FOR ANOTHER EASTWARD PUSH TOWARD PUSAN, MAIN U.N.SUPPLY PORT.
AMERICAN JET AND MUSTANG FIGHTERS ROARED OUT AT DAWN TODAY TO HIT LARGE NEW TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN NORTH KOREA AND RAKE COMMUNIST FORCES WHICH PLUNGED SEVEN MILES SOUTHWARD OVER THE WEEKEND IN THEIR NEW THRUST TOWARD POHANG AND ITS NEARBY AMERICAN AIR FIELD.
A U.S.SPOKESMAN REPORTED THIS SITUATION WAS "WORRISOME." HE DESCRIBED FIGHTING AS "FLUID BUT STILL IN HAND."
THE SURPRISINGLY STRONG RED PUSH WAS CHECKED FOUR MILES WEST AND SIX MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG. ANOTHER PRONG OF THE SAME DRIVE CARRIED THE COMMUNISTS INTO KIGYE, NINE MILES TO THE NORTHWEST OF POHANG.
THE NEW DRIVE ON POHANG DEMONSTRATED THE REDS ARE STILL CAPABLE OF MOUNTING A HEAVY ATTACK IN AN AREA OF THEIR OWN CHOOSING.
A SPOKESMAN AT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID IF THE COMMUNISTS CAN TAKE THE EAST COAST PORT CITY, THEY PLAN TO SLASH WESTWARD IN A NEW PUSH TOWARD TAEGU, 45 MILES TO THE WEST.
IN RECENT WEEKS UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAVE HALTED RED DRIVES TOWARD TAEGU FROM THE SOUTHWEST. WEST AND NORTH.
LT.GEN. WALTON H.WALKER, COMMANDING THE U. EIGHTH ARMY, AND MAJ.GEN. EARLE E.PARTRIDGE, U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE COMMANDER, FLEW OVER THE ENTIRE FRONT ON A PERSONAL INSPECTION TOUR.
BEFORE GENERAL WALKER MADE THE FLIGHT, HE VOICED CONCERN OVER SWELLING OPTIMISM IN U.S. RANKS IN KOREA. HE WARNED THAT UNITED NATIONS FORCES MAY SUFFER MORE SETBACKS BUT HE DID NOT ELABORATE.

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ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT REPORTED FROM KOREA THAT OFEELING OF OPTIMISM HAD BEEN GROWING AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS FOR SEVERAL WEEKS. HE SAID IT WAS SPARKED BY THE FIRM U.S. STAND ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE AND AMERICAN SUCCESSES IN TURNING BACK A MAJOR RED OFFENSIVE TOWARDS TAEGU FROM THE NORTHWEST.
WALKER CAME BACK WORRIED OVER THE SITUATION AT BOTH ENDS OF THE FRONT.
HE REPORTED HE SAW VILLAGES AFLAME ON BOTH SIDES OF THE FRONT LINE AT THE SOUTHERN END AND SAID IT INDICATED ARTILLERY ACTION.
ON THE SOUTHERN FRONT, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED HEAVY SMASHES BY AMERICAN NAVY, AIR FORCE AND AUSTRALIAN PLANES HAD BALKED FOR THE PRESENT WHAT MAY HAVE BEEN A COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE.
SWINTON SAID THEY BLEW UP NINE SUPPOSEDLY ABANDONED VILLAGES WHERE THE REDS WERE STORING AMMUNITION, AND DESTROYED FOUR TANKS, 15 ARTILLERY PIECES AND 28 TRUCKS ALONG NINE MILES OF ROAD JAMMED WITH RED VEHICLES.
THE EAST COAST SITUATION REMAINED THE MOST CRITICAL. CORRESPONDENT LAMBERT SAID EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS WAS UNABLE TO SAY WHETHER THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION WAS FORCED BACK UNDER RED ATTACK OR MERELY WITHDREW.
NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, NORTH KOREANS RECAPTURED KIGYE FROM THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION SATURDAY NIGHT FOR THE SECOND TIME THIS MONTH. THE REDS FORCED THE CAPITAL DIVISION TO WITHDRAW TWO MILES SOUTHEAST TO THE POHANG-TAEGU ROAD.
FORTY MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, THE COMMUNISTS FORCED TROOPS OF THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION BACK A MILE NEAR THE TOWN OF UIHUNG.
MACARTHUR'S SUMMARY SAID THAT IN THE U.S. SECOND DIVISION AREA ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, A SOUTH KOREAN PATROL SWAM THE NAKTONG RIVER SIX MILES WEST OF CHANGNYONG UNDER COVER OF TANK AND ARTILLERY FIRE AND DESTROYED SEVEN ENEMY RAFTS AND MADE THREE OTHERS UNSERVICEABLE.
THE PATROL RETURNED TO ALLIED LINES DESPITE HEAVY ENEMY SMALL ARMS FIRE.
TOKYO HEADQUARTERS DISCLOSED SUNDAY THAT THE SECOND DIVISION HAD REPLACED THE U.S. 24TH DIVISION IN THE CHANGNYONG AREA, ABOUT 23 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.
PRESENT WHEREAOUTS OF THE 24TH DIVISION WERE NOT DISCLOSED. THE 24TH IS THE VETERAN AMERICAN OUTFIT IN THE KOREAN WAR, HAVING SEEN ALMOST CONTINUOUS ACTION SINCE JULY 5.
JUST NORTH OF THE CHANGNYONG SECTOR, THE HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY EARLY MONDAY SAID SEVEN RUSSIAN-BUILT NORTH KOREAN TANKS WERE SIGHTED MOVING EASTWARD TOWARD THE NAKTONG RIVER.
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~~THIRD~~ LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (800)
BY RUSSELL BRINES

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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 28-(AP)-AT LEAST 64,000 KOREAN COMMUNISTS TODAY POUNDED AGAINST STIFFENED UNITED NATIONS LINES ON FOUR MAIN FRONTS AROUND THE KOREAN BEACHHEAD. THE COMMANDER OF THE U.S.EIGHTH ARMY CALLED IT A "LAST GASP" RED OFFENSIVE.

SOUTH KOREAN FORCES, PUSHED BACK BY TWO SEPARATE RED OFFENSIVES SUNDAY, WERE REPORTED HOLDING THEIR NEW LINES TODAY.

A MENACING RED THRUST TOWARD POHANG, NO. 2 U.N.PORT AND EAST COAST ANCHOR FOR THE DEFENSE LINE, WAS CHECKED FOR THE MOMENT.

HEAVY FIGHTING WAS UNDERWAY 40 MILES TO THE WEST BELOW THE RED HELD TOWN OF UIHUNG, 22 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU, KEY BASE AND COMMUNICATIONS HUB.

AMERICAN TROOPS LASHED AT FRESH COMMUNIST EFFORTS TO THROW A NEW BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER IN THE BLOODY CHANGNYONG BULGE, SOME 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU.

IN THE SOUTH, OTHER U.S.FORCES HURLED BACK TWO NORTH KOREAN PROBING ATTACKS POINTED TOWARD PUSAN, THE MAIN U.N.SUPPLY PORT.

"THE OVEREXTENDED ENEMY IS MAKING HIS LAST GASP," LT.GEN.WALTON H. WALKER, EIGHTH ARMY CHIEF, SAID IN A STATEMENT TO THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY

"LET US TEAR HIM APART NOW, SO THAT OUR ROAD TO VICTORY WILL BE THAT MUCH SURER AND QUICKER."

"THE DAY OF WITHDRAWAL IS PAST," WALKER ADDED. "THE TIME HAS NOW COME FOR EVERYONE TO STAND IN PLACE AND FIGHT OR ADVANCE TO A POSITION WHICH WILL GIVE US A GREATER TACTICAL ADVANTAGE FROM WHICH THE COMING COUNTER OFFENSIVE CAN BE LAUNCHED."

WALKER ISSUED THE STATEMENT AFTER MAKING A FLYING TRIP OVER THE FRONT. BEFORE THE FLIGHT HE HAD EXPRESSED CONCERN OVER GROWING OPTIMISM AMONG U.S.TROOPS.

WHILE THE FIGHTING LINES HELD, THE U.S.NAVY ANNOUNCED THE WAR'S GREATEST "KILL" OF NORTH KOREAN SHIPPING -- 33 VESSELS SUNK OR DAMAGED.

WEEKEND STRIKES BY AMERICAN CARRIER-BASED PLANES FAR UP THE EASTERN COAST OF NORTH KOREA, SANK A LARGE SUBCHASER OR CORVETTE, AN OCEAN-GOING TANKER AND THREE OTHER SHIPS. ABOUT 30 ADDITIONAL CRAFT WERE LEFT AFLAME, IN SINKING CONDITION, OR OTHERWISE DAMAGED, THE NAVY SAID.

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THIS UNUSUAL CONCENTRATION OF SHIPPING BROUGHT UP THE POSSIBILITY THE NORTH KOREANS HAD RECEIVED FRESH COMMUNIST AID FROM THE OUTSIDE.

GROUND FIGHTING ON THE FOUR MAJOR FRONTS AS PICTURED BY FRONT DISPATCHES AND OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION CHECKED THE FULL-SCALE RED DRIVE TOWARD POHANG BY HOLDING A LINE NORTH AND NORTHWEST OF THE PORT. TO THE WEST THE REPUBLICAN CAPITAL DIVISION HELD POSITIONS SOUTH AND WEST OF KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, AFTER BEING FORCED BACK ABOUT THREE MILES SUNDAY WHEN THE REDS TOOK KIGYE FOR THE SECOND TIME THIS MONTH. AT LEAST 20,000 TROOPS WERE IN THIS RED OFFENSIVE.

2. ANOTHER 20,000-MAN FORCE, PUSHING TOWARD THE UNITED NATIONS SUPPLY CENTER OF TAEGU, CAPTURED UIHUNG SUNDAY NIGHT. THE THRUST PUSHED BACK THE SOUTH KOREAN 19TH REGIMENT TWO AND ONE HALF MILES AND FORCED A PARTIAL WITHDRAWAL BY ANOTHER FLANKING SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION TO STRAIGHTEN OUT THE LINES.

3. THE COMMUNISTS MADE A SUDDEN FRESH ATTEMPT TO REESTABLISH THEIR BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER NEAR CHANGNYONG, SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU. THE SECOND U.S.DIVISION MOVED AGAINST A TOEHOLD FORCE ON THE EAST BANK OF THE RIVER DEFENSE LINE. AMERICAN ARTILLERY BROKE UP AN ATTEMPT BY RED TROOPS TO CROSS IN 16 SMALL BOATS SUNDAY.

4. SUPPORTED FOR THE FIRST TIME BY NAVAL GUNFIRE, THE U.S. 25TH DIVISION IN THE SOUTH, CONTINUED TO REPEL PROBING ATTACKS BY THE VANGUARD OF 15,000 MASSED RED TROOPS IN THE CHINJU-MASAN AREA WEST OF PUSAN.

APPROXIMATELY HALF OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S MID-AFTERNOON WAR SUMMARY, COVERING MAINLY YESTERDAY'S ACTION, WAS DEVOTED TO THE EFFECTIVENESS OF AMERICAN ARTILLERY. HE INDICATED ARTILLERY FIRE BROKE UP ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS "BEFORE CONCERTED ATTACKS COULD BE LAUNCHED." COMBINED ARTILLERY-AIR ATTACKS WERE CREDITED WITH DESTROYING SIX RED TANKS AND BLOWING UP TWO AMMUNITION DUMPS.

THE GREATEST RED THREAT WAS IN THE EASTERN SECTOR, IN THE POHANG-KIGYE AREA.

A SPOKESMAN AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS CALLED IT "WORRISOME" AND THE FRONT FLUID. INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID IF THE COMMUNISTS COULD AGAIN TAKE THE POHANG SUPPLY PORT, THEY WOULD WHEEL WESTWARD TO STRIKE AT TAEGU FROM THE EAST. TAEGU IS 45 MILES WEST OF POHANG.

THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION ALREADY HAD THROWN UP ITS NEW DEFENSE LINE ALONG THE POHANG-TAEGU HIGHWAY, SOUTH OF KIGYE.

THE NEW NORTH KOREAN THRUST ON THE EAST COAST CAME WITH SURPRISING FORCE. IT DEMONSTRATED THE REDS STILL COULD MOUNT A MAJOR OFFENSIVE DESPITE THEIR TERRIFIC LOSSES IN PREVIOUS ATTEMPTS TO SMASH THROUGH TO TAEGU FROM THE SOUTHWEST, WEST AND NORTH.

THE SUDDEN STRIKE, WHICH CARRIED THE ATTACKERS FORWARD FOR AS MUCH AS SEVEN MILES BEFORE THEY WERE HALTED, EMPHASIZED A WARNING FROM GENERAL WALKER THAT U.N.FORCES MAY SUFFER MORE SETBACKS.

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WALKER OFFERED NO AMPLIFICATION WHEN HE MADE THAT STATEMENT, BUT LATER HE TOLD THE SOUTH KOREANS, "IF OUR PRESENT POSITIONS ARE PIERCED, WE MUST COUNTERATTACK AT ONCE."

WHEN THEY WERE HALTED, THE REDS WERE ONLY FOUR MILES WEST AND SIX MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG.

ON THE WESTERN FRON, AT LEAST 10,000 REDS ARE KNOWN TO BE NEAR AND NORTH OF THE NAKTONG RIVER BULGE. A BUILD-UP OF COMMUNIST FORCES WAS REPORTED THIS MORNING ACROSS THE RIVER FROM CHANGNYONG.

ANOTHER BRIDGEHEAD, STILL RELATIVELY QUIET, HAS BEEN HELD FOR MORE THAN A WEEK BY SOME 6,000 REDS CLUSTERED ON HIGH GROUND NEAR HYONPUNG, 17 MILES TO THE NORTH.

THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE SAID THE FRONT WAS RELATIVELY QUIET AROUND KUMHWA, 12 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU, WHERE A MAJOR THRUST WAS BEATEN BACK LAST WEEK. AT LEAST 30,000 MEN ARE IN THIS RED FORCE.

THE THRUST THAT CARRIED THE REDS INTO AND THROUGH UIHUNG, WAS LAUNCHED DOWN A HIGHWAY ABOUT SEVEN MILES TO THE EAST AFTER REPEATED THRUSTS ALONG THE KUMHWA-TAEGU "BOWLING ALLEY" ROAD WERE REPULSED. THE COMMUNISTS FIRST HIT LAST FRIDAY AT CHONGNO, SOME FIVE MILES NORTH OF THEIR PRESENT POSITIONS AT UIHUNG.

THE POSSIBILITY THE NORTH KOREANS MAY HAVE RECEIVED FRESH OUTSIDE HELP, RAISED BY THE SHIPPING CATCH OF CARRIER PLANES, WAS EMPHASIZED BY ANOTHER NAVY REPORT.

IT SAID 11 "SHINY NEW" RUSSIAN-MADE YAK FIGHTERS WERE DESTROYED ON THE GROUND. AND THE AIRFORCE SAID ITS PLANES BAGGED SEVEN MORE GROUNDED RED AIRCRAFT SUNDAY.

THE NAVY'S MENTION OF A POSSIBLE SUBCHASER WAS THE FIRST MENTION OF SUCH A VESSEL IN NORTH KOREAN HANDS.

CARRIER PLANES RANGED ALMOST TO THE KOREAN-MANCHURIAN-SOVIET RUSSIAN BORDER IN ITS SHIPPING HUNT.

ANOTHER UNUSUAL AIR STRIKE WAS A BLOW BY FIGHTER PLANES THIS MORNING AT REPORTED HEAVY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN NORTH KOREA--A HINT THE REDS WERE BUILDING UP NEW ARMIES TO REPLACE DIVISIONS HACKED TO PIECES ON THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINES.

CARRIER-BASED AMERICAN AIRMEN REPORTED SINKING TWO SMALL NAVAL CRAFT AND THREE LARGE TANKERS IN RAIDS ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA. TWENTY-SEVEN OTHER CRAFT WERE REPORTED DAMAGED AND LEFT IN FLAMES.

THE REPORTED TOLL WAS:

SUNK--ONE LARGE SUB CHASER OR CORVETTE, ONE CORVETTE, THREE TANKERS.

DAMAGED--NINE CORVETTES, SIX COASTAL CRAFT LOADED WITH SUPPLIES, 12 POWER BOATS.

THIS IS AN ABRUPT INCREASE IN REPORTED NORTH KOREAN SHIPPING, AND THE FIRST REPORT OF A RED CORVETTE. THERE WAS NO OFFICIAL SUGGESTION AS TO WHERE THEY CAME FROM. THE INFORMATION INDICATED THE NORTH KOREANS MAY HAVE RECEIVED NAVAL ASSISTANCE RECENTLY FROM SOME OTHER COMMUNIST COUNTRY.

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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNIST RADIO REPORTED TODAY A PROTEST HAS BEEN CABLED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON FOR WHAT THE REDS ASSERTED WERE AMERICAN AIR ATTACKS ON THREE MANCHURIAN VILLAGES.

THE PEIPING BROADCAST HEARD HERE QUOTED CHOU EN-LAI, FOREIGN MINISTER OF RED CHINA, AS APPEALING TO SECRETARY GENERAL TRYGVE LIE OF THE UNITED NATIONS FOR U.N. ACTION AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.

CHOU CHARGED THAT AMERICAN PLANES STRAFED THREE TOWNS NEAR THE MANCHURIAN-KOREAN BORDER AND FLEW RECONNAISSANCE MISSIONS OVER A FOURTH VILLAGE SUNDAY. HE ASKED THAT THOSE "RESPONSIBLE" BE PUNISHED AND THAT DAMAGES BE PAID BY THE UNITED STATES.

THE PEIPING RADIO QUOTED CHOU'S CABLE TO ACHESON AS SAYING THESE POINTS WERE ATTACKED BY AMERICAN PLANES:

ANTUNG, AT THE MOUTH OF THE YALU RIVER WHICH SEPARATES MANCHURIA AND KOREA; LINCHIANG AND TAZUFU, BOTH ALONG THE RIVER ABOUT 170 AIR MILES NORTHEAST OF ANTUNG.

CHOU ALSO ASSERTED TWO B-29S FLEW A SURVEY MISSION OVER CHIAN, ALSO ON THE YALU MIDWAY BETWEEN ANTUNG AND LINCHIANG. HE SAID THE TWO SUPERFORTS FLEW OVER CHIAN AT ABOUT 10 A.M. SUNDAY AND REMAINED OVER THE AREA ABOUT 10 MINUTES.

AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME, HE CHARGED, THREE F-51 FIGHTERS AND A "MOSQUITO" BOMBER APPEARED AT LINCHIANG AND TAZUFU, STRAFING A RAILROAD STATION AND DAMAGING A LOCOMOTIVE.

(THERE HAVE BEEN NO REPORTS OF MOSQUITO BOMBERS, SWIFT WORLD WAR II TWIN-ENGINED CRAFT, IN UNITED NATIONS AIR OPERATIONS AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN REDS. MOSQUITO BOMBERS WERE EXPORTED FROM CANADA TO THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS WHO USED THEM AGAINST THE CHINESE REDS. BESIDES U.S. AIR FORCE PLANES, ONLY AUSTRALIAN FIGHTERS AND BRITISH CARRIER-BASED PLANES HAVE BEEN ANNOUNCED AS HAVING ENGAGED IN KOREAN OPERATIONS.)

AN HOUR LATER, CHOU ALLEGED, FOUR OTHER PLANES STRAFED THE SAME AREA, DAMAGING A LOCOMOTIVE AND TWO RAILROAD CARS, KILLING ONE PERSON AND INJURING ANOTHER.

AT ABOUT 2:30 P.M. SUNDAY, THE BROADCAST CONTINUED, A B-29 FLEW A RECONNAISSANCE MISSION OVER ANTUNG. TWO HOURS LATER, IT CHARGED, TWO FIGHTER PLANES STRAFED ANTUNG AIRPORT, KILLING THREE PERSONS AND INJURING 19.

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KOREAN AERIAL (210)

TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG 28-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS WARPLANES RANGED OVER KOREA IN ABOUT 450 SORTIES SUNDAY, STRAFING AND BOMBING THE REDS ALL ALONG THE FRONT AND HAMMERING HIS SUPPLY ARTERIES. FIGHTER SWEEPS WERE RESUMED THIS MORNING AFTER DAWN.

ABOUT A FOURTH OF SUNDAY'S SORTIES WERE IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF ALLIED GROUND FORCES, WITH SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN ENEMY POSITIONS ON THE NORTHERN FRONT.

AN AIRFORCE SPOKESMAN SAID RETURNING PILOTS REPORTED THE COMMUNISTS WERE "FRANTICALLY" REBUILDING BRIDGES IN NORTH KOREA--ABOVE THE 38TH PARALLEL WHICH DIVIDED THIS ASIATIC NATION PRIOR TO THE RED INVASION JUNE 25.

CONTINUING THEIR NIGHT ASSAULTS, B-26S BOMBED A PONTOON BRIDGE SOUTH OF SEOUL, FALLEN CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA. ALSO STRUCK WERE THE MARSHALLING YARDS AT CHONAN, ABOUT 50 MILES SOUTH OF SEOUL. PILOTS REPORTED "HEAVY DAMAGE."

PILOTS REPORTED SEEING SEVEN DUMMY PLANES ON AIRSTRIPS AT PYONGYANG, CAPITAL OF NORTH KOREA, AND AT CHORWON, 50 MILES NORTH OF SEOUL.

AN AIR FORCE SUMMARY REPORTED U.S. JETS AND F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTER PLANES TOOK OFF EARLY TODAY FROM JAPANESE BASES FOR SECTORS IN NORTH KOREA "WHERE LARGE ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE REPORTED BY B-26 LIGHT INVADER BOMB CREWS."

HUGE FIRES WERE REPORTED AT THE IRON AND STEEL PLANT AT KYOMIPO AFTER B-29S HAMMERED THE NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST TARGET SUNDAY WITH 240 TONS OF BOMBS.

SUPERFORT CREW MEMBERS SAID SMOKE COLUMNS ROSE TO ABOUT 8,000 TO 10,000 FEET ABOVE THE BIG PLANT AND THAT APPARENTLY SOMETHING INSIDE THE PLANT EXPLODED. IT WAS A MAJOR STEEL PRODUCER FOR NORTH KOREA.

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TOKYO, AUG. 27-(AP)-U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE PLANES ROARED OVER KOREA TODAY IN ONE OF THEIR BUSIEST DAYS OF THE WAR.

B-29 BOMBERS PLASTERED THE JAPAN IRON CO. PLANT AT KYOMITO, 16 MILES WEST OF PYONGYANG, WITH 240 TONS OF BOMBS.

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS HIT TRAINS, RAIL YARDS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS IN'ROUND-THE-CLOCK ATTACKS.

F-80 SHOOTING STAR JETS AND F-51 MUSTANGS STRUCK AT RED KOREAN TANKS, TRUCKS AND AIR STRIPS IN THE POHANG AREA.

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KOREA-NAVAL (130)

TOKYO, AUG 28-(AP)-CARRIER-BASED AMERICAN PLANES REPORTED TODAY THEY SANK TWO SMALL NAVAL VESSELS AND THREE LARGE TANKERS ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA. THEY ALSO REPORTED DAMAGING 27 OTHER VESSELS.

SHIPS LISTED AS SUNK WERE DESCRIBED AS ONE LARGE SUBMARINE CHASER OR CORVETTE, ONE CORVETTE, AN OCEAN-GOING TANKER AND TWO OTHER LARGE

TANKERS.
THIS WAS THE FIRST REPORT OF SUB-CHASERS IN KOREAN WATERS. AND EXCEPT FOR AN EARLIER REPORT OF A 10,000 FREIGHTER BOMBED AT INCHON, NO LARGE SHIPS HAD BEEN SIGHTED ON THE EAST COAST.
THE INFORMATION INDICATED THE NORTH KOREANS WERE EITHER THROWING MORE SEABORNE EQUIPMENT INTO OPERATIONS, OR RECENTLY HAVE RECEIVED NAVAL ASSISTANCE FROM SOME OTHER COMMUNIST COUNTRY.
AMERICAN PILOTS REPORTED THEY DAMAGED AND LEFT BURNING NINE CORVETTES, SIX COASTAL CRAFT CARRYING SUPPLIES, AND 12 POWER BOATS.
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TOKYO, AUG.27-(AP)-COL. M.P. ECHOLS, GENERAL MACARTHUR'S PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER, NOTIFIED CORRESPONDENTS TODAY THAT BRIEFING OFFICERS AT HEADQUARTERS MAY NOT BE QUOTED DIRECTLY HENCEFORTH.
HE SAID INFORMATION GIVEN BY BRIEFING OFFICERS WAS "FOR BACKGROUND ONLY."
THERE WAS NO EXPLANATION FOR THE CHANGE IN PROCEDURE.
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TOKYO, AUG. 27-(AP)-THIRTY MEMBERS OF AN ADVANCE PARTY OF BRITISH TROOPS FROM HONG KONG HAVE ARRIVED AT PUSAN, KOREA, IN TWO PLANES.
THE BRITISH TROOPS--BETWEEN 2,000 AND 3,000 STRONG--ARE EXPECTED BEFORE WEDNESDAY.
THE ADVANCE PARTY INCLUDED BRIGADIER BASIL A.COAD, LT.COL. J.G. MOCKFORD, MAJ.DOUGLAS KEITH, LT.COL. A.M. MAN AND LT.COL. G.L. NEILSON.
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TOKYO,AUG.27-(AP)-LT.JAMES N.JERNIGAN, OF SINTON, TEX., A HELICOPTER PILOT, PROBABLY SAVED THE LIVES OF TWO SERIOUSLY WOUNDED GI'S LAST NIGHT.
THE MEN WERE TAKEN IN A C-47 FROM AN AIR STRIP NEAR THE FRONT LINES TO A REAR AREA FIELD, BUT THEY WERE STILL 20 MILES FROM A HOSPITAL. IT WAS OBVIOUS THAT THEY COULD NOT SURVIVE AN AMBULANCE TRIP OVER ROUGH ROADS.
JERNIGAN WHEELED UP HIS HELICOPTER AND LANDED THE MEN RIGHT ON THE HOSPITAL GROUNDS BY A JEEP'S HEADLIGHT BEAM.
LT.MERL A.CLAPSADDLE, 209 CLAIRMONT AVE., WESTVIEW, PITTSBURGH, PA., MADE A REVERSE FIRST AID TRIP YESTERDAY IN ANOTHER HELICOPTER. HE CARRIED 50 PINTS OF BLOOD TO THE FRONT LINES.
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TEXT (380)
TOKYO, AUG. 27-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 324 ISSUED TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 3:55 P.M. (12:55 A.M. EST, SUNDAY) COVERING KOREAN MILITARY OPERATIONS:

ENEMY FORCES CONTINUE HEAVY ATTACKS ON THE FRONT OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) SIXTH DIVISION ALONG THE UISONG-SINNYONG AXIS.
AS A RESULT OF ENEMY ATTACKS ON AUG. 26, WHICH INCLUDED HEAVY ARTILLERY AND MORTAR FIRE, ELEMENTS OF THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION WITHDREW SLIGHTLY MORE THAN ONE MILE FROM THEIR ORIGINAL POSITIONS TO THE VICINITY OF UIHUNG. LATER A COUNTERATTACK BY THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION, WHICH STARTED AT APPROXIMATELY 1730 HOURS (5:30 P.M.) REGAINED MOST OF THE LOST GROUND. ENEMY FORCES IN THIS SECTOR RESUMED HEAVY ATTACKS AGAINST ROK FORCES TODAY, WHICH HAVE CAUSED SOME LOSS OF GROUND. AN ENEMY PENETRATION HAS ADVANCED TO THE VICINITY OF UIHUNG, WHERE ROK UNITS ARE COUNTERATTACKING TO ELIMINATE THIS FORCE.
THE ROK CAPITAL DIVISION, IN A COUNTERATTACK WHICH BEGAN AT 1400 HOURS (2 P.M.), AUG. 26, REGAINED POSITIONS WHICH THEY HAD LOST AUG. 25 IN THE VICINITY OF YONGGI. ON AUG. 27 THE ENEMY ATTACKED FRIENDLY POSITIONS NORTH OF KIGYE, EFFECTING PENETRATION OF OUR LINES. THE TOWN OF KIGYE IS NOW OCCUPIED BY THE ENEMY.
TO THE EAST, THE ROK THIRD DIVISION CONTINUES TO ENCOUNTER DETERMINED RESISTANCE FROM THE ENEMY AND ELEMENTS ON THE LEFT FLANK OF THAT DIVISION WERE FORCED TO WITHDRAW APPROXIMATELY 3,000 YARDS. THIS LOSS WAS PARTIALLY RESTORED IN A COUNTERATTACK AND OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE DIVISION COUNTED SMALL GAINS.
ELEMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES 25TH DIVISION DEFENDING THE SOUTHERN FRONT WEST OF MASAN WERE ATTACKED AT 0130 HOURS (1:30 A.M.) AUG. 27 IN THE VICINITY OF TUNDOK. IN REPULSING THIS ATTACK FRIENDLY FORCES KILLED 150 ENEMY AND CAPTURED LARGE QUANTITIES OF ENEMY EQUIPMENT AND MATERIEL. LATER, AT 0500 HOURS (5 A.M.) OUTPOST POSITIONS IN THIS AREA AGAIN WERE ATTACKED BY THE ENEMY CAUSING NO CHANGE IN THE LINE. ENEMY PROBING ATTACKS CONTINUE IN THIS AREA.
THE CENTRAL FRONT REMAINS QUIET EXCEPT FOR PATROL AND ARTILLERY ACTION BY OUR FORCES. AN UNDETERMINED NUMBER OF ENEMY TROOPS IN 16 SMALL BOATS, ATTEMPTING TO CROSS THE RIVER IN THE VICINITY OF TUGONG WAS ATTACKED BY ARTILLERY AND FRIENDLY PATROLS OF THE UNITED STATES SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION WHICH HAS REPLACED THE UNITED STATES 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION IN THIS SECTOR. THE ENEMY FORCE ATTEMPTING THE RIVER CROSSING AT THIS POINT WAS DESTROYED.
THERE IS LITTLE ACTIVITY IN THE SECTOR NORTHEAST OF WAEGWAN ALTHOUGH THE ROK FIRST DIVISION MADE SLIGHT GAINS IN LOCAL ATTACKS.
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TOKYO, AUG. 27-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 325 (AIR) ISSUED AT 9:15 P.M. (6:15 A.M., EST) TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:
A MAJOR STRIKE AGAINST A SINGLE STRATEGIC INDUSTRIAL TARGET BY B-29 SUPERFORTS, NIGHT AND DAY CONTINOUS ASSAULTS BY B-26 LIGHT INVADERS AND FULL FORCE STRIKES BY F-80 JET SHOOTING STAR AND F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTERS.
ALL WERE ACCOMPLISHED TODAY IN ONE OF THE MOST ACTIVE DAYS OF THE U.S. AIR FORCE PARTICIPATION IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
THE FEAF (FAR EAST AIR FORCES) BOMBER COMMAND'S SUPERFORTS DROPPED 240 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES ON THE JAPAN IRON COMPANY PLANT AT KYOMITO (KENJIHO), 16 MILES WEST OF PYONGYANG, COMMUNIST CAPITAL OF NORTH KOREA.
BOMBING WAS BOTH VISUAL AND BY RADAR. RETURNING CREWS REPORTED

EXCELLENT RESULTS IN THEIR BOMBING. THEY ENCOUNTERED NO FLAK, SAW NO ENEMY FIGHTERS AND ALL B-29S RETURNED SAFELY.

THE HUGE STEEL PLANT SUPPLIES MAJORITY OF IRON AND STEEL TO THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES. THE PLANT HAS AN OPEN HEARTH CAPACITY IN EXCESS OF 250,000 TONS PER YEAR. IT IS CAPABLE OF PRODUCING 470,000 TONS OF COKE PER YEAR. THE PLANT ALSO PRODUCED PIG IRON AT AN ANNUAL RATE OF MORE THAN 400,000 TONS. LIKE OTHER INDUSTRIAL FACILITIES IN NORTHERN KOREA, STRUCK BY B-29S, THE PLANT IS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN EXPANDED, ACCORDING TO AERIAL OBSERVATIONS.

OTHER B-29'S STRUCK NORTH KOREAN SUPPLY ROUTES AND RAILROAD BRIDGES WITH 120 TONS OF BOMBS IN THE CONTINUING EFFORT TO SEVER THE ENEMYS SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATIONS CHANNELS. THOSE B-29 CREWS SAW SOME FLAK, BUT WERE NOT HIT. THE BOMBARDIERS REPORTED EXCELLENT RESULTS AGAINST ALL TARGETS.

B-26 LIGHT INVADER BOMBERS CONTINUED THEIR ROUND-THE-CLOCK DRIVE AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS TODAY, ATTACKING TRAINS, MARSHALLING YARDS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS USED TO RUSH BADLY NEEDED SUPPLIES TO THE BATTLE SECTORS.

ONE FLIGHT MADE A CLEAN HIT ON A LOCOMOTIVE FIVE MILES NORTHEAST OF SEOUL AND PHOTOGRAPHS CONFIRM THE DAMAGE. THIS FLIGHT WAS LED BY CAPT. JAFFE F. JERY OF 2709 SUNSET AVE. KNOXVILLE, TENN. "THE LOCOMOTIVE WAS HIT ON THE FIRST PASS, WITH STEAM SPOUTING FROM IT 1,000 FEET IN THE AIR," HE SAID. "ON THE SECOND PASS WE BOMBED THE CENTER OF TEN BOXCARS, WHICH WERE ATTACHED TO THE ENGINE. SEVERAL OF THE CARS BLEW UP. THEY MUST HAVE BEEN LADEN WITH AMMUNITION."

CAPTAIN JORY CREDITED HIS CREW, FIRST L. ROBERT L. KENNEDY, NAVIGATOR, OF SOLOMON, KANS., AND SGT. MYLES S. FISHER, GUNNER OF 2877 BUCHANAN, ARLINGTON, VA., WITH THE SUCCESSFUL STRIKE.

JORY AND HIS CREW MADE AN EARLIER ATTACK TODAY ON MARSHALLING YARDS THREE MILES SOUTH OF SUWON. FRAG (FRAGMENTATION) BOMBS WERE USED AND EXPLOSIONS WERE SEEN IN THE YARDS AND ON STATIONARY BOXCARS.

B-26S ROUNDED OUT ONE OF THEIR BUSIEST NIGHT-TO-DAY SUSTAINED ATTACKS IN THE SOUTHERN PORTION OF KOREA JUST AS WEATHER BEGAN TO CLOSE IN.

PHOTO INTERPRETERS CONFIRMED ANOTHER IMPORTANT STRIKE TODAY WHEN PICTURES SHOWED EIGHT DIRECT HITS ON A PONTOON BRIDGE ON THE WEST SIDE OF SEOUL. THE BRIDGE WAS HIT YESTERDAY BY 1,000 POUND BOMBS DROPPED FROM A B-26 FLOWN BY LT. COL. ROBERT E. JARRELL OF WAXAHACHIE, TEX. FIRST LT. FRANK BULLIAS OF DANVILLE, ILL., WAS THE BOMBARDIER.

"YOU MEN LITERALLY WALKED ON THAT BRIDGE," CAPT. ORVAL B. CARDER, RICHLAND, ORE., PHOTO INTERPRETER, TOLD THEM TODAY. "EACH OF THE EIGHT STRIKES YOU REPORTED CAN BE SEEN DISTINCTLY."

LT. BULLIAS EXPLAINED THAT THE FLIGHT OF FOUR BOMBERS WAS SUPPOSED TO APPROACH THE BRIDGE AT AN ANGLE, BUT BECAUSE OF CLOUD COVER THEY CAME IN PARALLEL TO IT. "WE WERE THE ONES LUCKY ENOUGH TO PLACE OUR BOMBS," SAID BULLIAS.

MUSTANG PILOTS REPORTED THE COMMUNISTS HAVE RESORTED TO HEAVY CAMOUFLAGE IN THE POHANG AREA. FIRST LT. WILLIAM O. LIGHT, OF 735 S. NINTH ST. CANNON CITY, COLO., HIT A TANK AND TWO TRUCKS AT KIGYE, NEAR POHANG.

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FIRST LT. ROBERT H. DUNNAVAN OF RICHMOND, VA., FLYING AN F-51 ON THE SAME TARGET SAID: "THE TANK AND TRUCKS WERE PUT OUT OF COMMISSION BY LIEUTENANT LIGHT'S ROCKETS. THE TANK WAS PULLING BACK TO A NEW POSITION. IT WAS MOVING, THEN IT WASN'T."

THE MUSTANGS AND F-80S TOOK OFF AT DAYBREAK. FIRST LT. MARVIA T. JOHNSON OF 4209 N. ALBANY AVE. CHICAGO, ILL., ONE OF THE FIRST F-80 PILOTS TO RETURN LATE TODAY, SAID HIS ELEMENT STRAFED AN AIRSTRIP AT CHERWON, 40 MILES NORTHEAST OF SEOUL, WITH FOUR ENEMY PLANES SET ON FIRE.

"WE WERE IN RARE LUCK FOR WE FOUND 14 PLANES PARKED ON THE STRIP AND FLEW LOW ENOUGH TO DISTINGUISH THE FOUR REAL ONES FROM THE DECOYS," SAID LIEUTENANT JOHNSON.

A HANGAR WAS SET ON FIRE AT AN AUXILIARY STRIP NEAR KIMPO. "IT HAD BEEN HIT BEFORE, BUT THIS TIME IT BURNED AS IF LEADED WITH GASOLINE AND OIL," SAID FIRST LT. EDWIN W. ROBERTSON OF S

AND OIL," SAID FIRST LT. EDWIN W. ROBERTSON OF CHARLESTON, S.C., AN F-80 PILOT.

LT. ROLERTSON WAS NUMBER FOUR MAN ON HIS FLIGHT. THE F-80S WENT ON T TO KIMPO, ATTACKING AND HITTING ANOTHER HANGAR AND DAMAGING FOUR TRUCKS.

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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG.28-(AP)-TEXT OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS KOREAN RELEASE NUMBER 326 ISSUED AT 12:50 A.M. (9:50 A.M. EST MONDAY):

IN THE NORTHEAST SECTOR HEAVY PRESSURE CONTINUED AGAINST UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN THE KIGYE AREA. LATE REPORTS AUGUST 27 INDICATE THE ENEMY ATTACK WAS BEING CONTAINED. DURING THE DAY FRIENDLY AIR FORCE STRUCK AT TWO ENEMY TANKS, ARTILLERY AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS IN THIS SECTOR. RESULTS IN THE AIR ATTACK ARE UNKNOWN.

IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) SIXTH DIVISION SECTOR HEAVY FIGHTING CONTINUED, WITH NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN THE LINE.

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IN THE SECOND DIVISION SECTOR FRIENDLY PATROL SWAM THE NAKTONG RIVER SIX MILES WEST OF CHANGNYONG UNDER COVER OF FRIENDLY ARTILLERY AND TANK FIRE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON. THE PATROL DESTROYED SEVEN ENEMY RAFTS AND RENDERED THREE UNSERVICEABLE. THE PATROL RETURNED SAFELY TO OUR LINES IN SPITE OF HEAVY ENEMY SMALL ARMS FIRE. FURTHER NORTH, 16 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU AND JUST WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, SEVEN ENEMY TANKS WERE OBSERVED MOVING EAST."

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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG.28-(AP)-TEXT OF U.S. FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE NO.327 ISSUED AT 8:45 A.M. (5:45 P.M. EST SUNDAY):

U.S. AIR FORCE FIGHTER AIRPLANES, CHIEFLY F-80 JETS AND F-51 MUSTANGS, WERE IN THE AIR AT 5:30 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING FROM JAPANESE BASES FOR SPECIFIC TARGETS IN KOREA AND SOME ON ARMED RECONNAISSANCE MISSIONS.

SOME OF THE FIGHTERS TOOK OFF FOR SECTIORS IN NORTH KOREA WHERE LARGE ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE REPORTED BY B-26 LIGHT INVADER BOMB CREWS. THE LAST NIGHT INTRUDER AIRPLANE LANDED AT ITS BASE AT 6 A.M.

WEATHER IN ALL SECTORS OF KOREA TODAY WAS REPORTED TO BE

GENERALLY FAIR.

IN YESTERDAY'S B-29 SUPERFORT ATTACK ON THE JAPAN IRON COMPANY AT KYOMIPO (KENJIKO), MAJOR PRODUCER OF IRON AND STEEL FOR THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES, CREWMEN RELATED TODAY HOW THE HUGE PLANT REACTED WHEN THE HIGH EXPLOSIVE STRUCK.

CAPT. ROY E. JACOBSEN, 206 EAST COTTAGE AVE., HADDENFIELD, N.J., STATED:

"THE B-29S DROPPED THEIR BOMBS IN FORMATION, ABOUT 40 TONS ON EACH DROP, AT TEN-MINUTE INTERVALS. THE BLAST REALLY HIT THE PLANT RIGHT ON THE NOSE."

CAPT. JACOBSEN WAS A BOMBER COMMAND OBSERVER ON THE MISSION. TWO HUNDRED AND 40 TONS WERE DROPPED.

LT. BERNARD EINSON, 90 BRUCE AVE., YONKERS, N.Y., A BOMBARDIER, SAID:

"THE FIRST SQUADRON JUST LEVELLED THE AREA. BIG FIRES WERE VISIBLE AROUND THE STEEL PLANT, WITH SMOKE COLUMNS COMING UP TO ABOUT EIGHT OR TEN THOUSAND FEET."

S/SGT. WALTER W.SNODGRASS OF MANNINGTON, W.VA., SAID:

"I WATCHED OUR BOMBS WALK FROM THE WATER'S EDGE RIGHT UP INTO THE MIDDLE OF THE BLAST. THEN TWO TERRIFIC BLASTS OCCURRED RIGHT NEAR THE WATERFRONT."

S/SGT CHARLES D. MERCER OF 135 BROAD ST., LEETSDALE, PA., CENTRAL FIRE CONTROL OPERATOR, SAID:

"THE TWO BIG BLASTS DOWN THERE SET OFF TWO HUGE SHEETS OF FLAME WHICH BILLOWED UP AND THEN WERE FOLLOWED BY TWO BIG BALL-SHAPED PUFFS OF SMOKE WHICH CLIMBED INTO THE AIR. IT WASN'T LIKE AN OKL TANK EXPLOSION BECAUSE THERE WAS MUCH MORE FLAME THAN SMOKE FROM THE BOMB STRIKE. IT MUST HAVE BEEN SOMETHING IN THE PLANT THAT BLEW UP."

ONE OF THE RETURNING B-26 CREWS REPORTED SILENCING AN ENEMY GUN EMPLACEMENT NEAR THE 38TH PARALLEL.

"WE STRAFED AND PUT THEM OUT OF COMMISSION," SAID FIRST LT. ROGER N.LITTLE, RED BUD, ILL.

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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG 28-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 328, A SUMMARY OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, ISSUED AT 12:45 P.M., (9:45 P.M., E.S.T., SUNDAY):

NORTH KOREAN SHIPPING FELT THE MIGHT OF CARRIER AIRCRAFT OVER THE WEEKEND WHEN NAVY PILOTS RANGED FAR AND WIDE OVER THE HARBOR SUPPLY AREAS ON THE EAST COAST OF NOTH KOREA. THE PLANES WERE FROM THE ESSEX CLASS CARRIERS OPERATING UNDER THE DIRECTION OF VICE ADM. ARTHUG D. STRUBLE, U.S. NAVY, COMMANDER OF THE SEVENTH FLEET.

A LARGE SUB CHASER OR CORVETTE TYPE VESSEL, AN OCEAN GOING TANKER, A CORVETTE AND TWO LARGE TANKERS WERE SUNK. DAMAGED ANF LEFT BURNING WERE NINE CORVETTES WHILE SIX COASTAL CRAFT CARRYING SUPPLIES WERE LEFT BURNING AND IN A SINKING COMDITION. IN ADDITION 12 POWER BOATS WERE BADLY DAMAGED. LEFT IN A SINKING CONDITION WERE A FREIGHTER, A SECOND TANKER, A CORVETTE WHILE TWO CRAFT CAUGHT IN A DRYDOCK WERE STRAFED AND DAMAGED.

A MAJOR PRIZE IN THE DAY'S TOTAL FOR THE CARRIER PILOTS WERE 11 SHINY NEW YAK FIGHTER PLANES FOUND ON THE GROUND AT YONPO. IN SPITE OF CAMOUFLAGE, THE FIGHTERS WERE SPOTTED, STRAFED AND DESTROYED.

NINETEEN LOCOMOTIVES WERE WRECKED AS WERE 31 FREIGHT CARS WHILE SIX LOCOMOTIVES WERE BADLY DAMAGED AND 16 FREIGHT CARS LEFT IN THE SAME CONDITION.

THE BRUNT OF THE ATTACK WAS CENTERED AROUND THE WONSAN, SONGJIN AND CHONGJIN AREAS.

AMONG THE SMALLER VESSELS SPOTTED IN NORTHEASTERN KOREAN PORTS, THREE 60-FOOT POWER BOATS WERE SEVERELY DAMAGED AT HAMHUNG, SIX 30-FOOT POWER BOATS WERE STRAFED AND ROCKETED NEAR THE NORTHERN BOUNDARY OF KOREA ALONG WITH TWO LARGE SAMPANS SUNK.

SENT OUT IN THE EARLY EVENING TO DESTROY SHIPPING REPORTED IN THE WONSAN AREA, SKYRAIDERS AND CORSAIRS FIGHTERS ARMED WITH ROCKETS SPENT 30 MINUTES OVER THE HARBOR.

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THREE WELL PLACED 1,000-POUND BOMBS DROPPED BY LT. (JG) KENNETH L. MORSE OF MANKATO, MINN., AND ENSIGN HARRY L. MAY OF MEMPHIS, TENN. AND ENSIGN WILLIAM C. BAILEY OF RIVERSIDE, CALIF., FROM THEIR SKYRAIDERS SANK THE CORVETTES. MAY, MORSE AND LT. (JG) SAM C. GORSLINE JR., OF BATTLE CREEK, MICH., EACH PLACED A 1,000-POUNDER INTO ONE CORVETTE WHICH CAUSED THE SHIP TO CAPSIZE.

ROCKETS FROM CORSAIRS LED BY LT. COMDR. LEROY P. SMITH OF LOVELADY, TEXAS, FINISHED OFF ANOTHER CORVETTE AND THE TANKER. IN ADDITION THE CARRIER PLANES STRAFED AND BOMBED LOCOMOTIVES, RAIL CARS, TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES ALONG THE RAIL AND HIGHWAY THROUGHOUT THE TARGET AREA.

LT. (JG) NAT CURRY OF LEXINGTON, MO., WAS FORCED TO BAIL OUT OF HIS CORSAIR FIGHTER WHEN IT WAS HIT BY ANTIAIRCRAFT FIRE. HE LANDED SAFELY IN THE WATER, ONE AND ONE HALF MILES FROM THE SHORE OF SONGJIN. AS CURRY FLOATED AROUND IN HIS PARARAFT, LT. COMDR. BILL PITTMAN OF TAMPA, XLA., AND LT. (JG) BILL WEST OF LOS ANGELES, AND THE REMAINDER OF THE FLIGHT FLEW AIR COVER OVER HIM WHILE A DESTROYER 60 MILES AWAY, CONTACTED BY THE CIRCLING PLANES, RACED TO THE SCENE.

TWO HOURS LATER CURRY WAS SAFELY ABOARD THE DESTROYER WITH ONLY MINOR INJURIES AND WILL BE BACK ABOARD HIS CARRIER TOMORROW.

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TOKYO, MONDAY, AUG.28-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 329, COVERING AIR OPERATIONS AND ISSUED AT 1:20 P.M. (10:20 P.M., EST, SUNDAY):

SUPERFORTRESSES OF THE UNITED STATES FAR EAST AIR FORCES CONTRIBUTED TO THE UNITED NATIONS' WAR EFFORT IN KOREA ON SUNDAY WITH SUCCESSFUL ATTACKS ON 10 KEY RAILROAD AND HIGHWAY BRIDGES BEING USED TO CARRY NORTH KOREAN MEN AND MATERIALS SOUTH TO THE BATTLE FRONT.

EIGHT BRIDGES LOST ONE OR MORE SPANS IN SUNDAY'S ACTION, SEVEN OF THE BRIDGES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL. A MAJOR RAIL CROSSING 25 MILES NORTHWEST OF SEOUL WAS PARTIALLY BLOCKED WHEN ONE SPAN WAS DOWNED ON THE NORTHERN BRIDGE OF TWO CARRYING THE MAIN WEST COAST RAIL LINE ACROSS THE IMJIN RIVER. OTHER BRIDGES WERE PUT OUT OF ACTION OR SERIOUSLY DAMAGED ON THE EAST COAST AND IN CENTRAL KOREA.

NEARLY 400 TONS OF BOMBS WERE DROPPED BY THE SUPERFORTS IN OPERATIONS WHICH INCLUDED A HEAVY STRIKE AGAINST THE KYOMIPO IRON AND STEEL PLANT, 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF PYONGYANG. SECONDARY EXPLOSIONS ROCKED THE PLANT AREA AFTER THE BOMB DROPS, AND POST-STRIKE RECONNAISSANCE INDICATED THAT CRIPPLING DAMAGE HAD BEEN INFLICTED ON THE INSTALLATION.

THE CHINNAMPO PORT AREA AND A MARSHALLING YARD AT HAMHUNG WERE ALSO HIT BY FEAF BOMBER COMMAND B-29S WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS. A WAREHOUSE BLEW UP AT HAMHUNG AFTER RECEIVING DIRECT HITS.

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TOKYO, AUG. 28-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 330, COVERING NAVAL OPERATIONS, AND ISSUED AT 2:30 P.M. (11:30 P.M., EST, SUNDAY):
UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES ON THE SOUTH SECTOR OF THE WESTERN FRONT HAD THE BENEFIT OF NAVAL GUN FIRE SUPPORT FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE EVENING OF AUG. 26. A U.S. NAVY DESTROYER, SCREENED BY ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) NAVY SHIPS, CONDUCTED HARASSING AND INTERDICTION FIRE ON ELEVEN TARGETS AS REQUESTED BY SHORE FIRE-CONTROL PARTIES.
CARRIER-BASED U.S. MARINE FLYERS, OPERATING AROUND THE ENTIRE DEFENSE PERIMETER OF THE UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES IN KOREA, INFLICTED HEAVY DAMAGE TO NORTH KOREAN TRANSPORT AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS DURING THE PAST TWO DAYS. TWENTY-NINE TRUCKS, A GREAT MANY OF THEM IN THE HYOPCHON AREA, WERE DESTROYED; 12 WERE DAMAGED.
TEN SIZABLE TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE HEAVILY BOMBED, STRAFED AND ROCKETED. ONE WAREHOUSE WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER WAS HIT BY BOMBS, SETTING OFF A SERIES OF LARGE EXPLOSIONS AND STARTING LARGE FIRES. THREE SUPPLY DUMPS WERE DESTROYED AND THREE SET AFIRE. THREE GUN EMPLACEMENTS, TWO TANKS AND ONE SELFPROPELLED GUN WERE DESTROYED. TWO FUEL DUMPS WERE SET AFIRE.
EAST COAST NAVAL PATROLS AND SUPPORT FORCES CONTINUED WITH ROUND-THE-CLOCK GUNFIRE SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES IN THE POHANG AREA, MAKING USE OF BOTH SHORE AND AERIAL SPOTTING.
UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES ON THE WEST COAST ARE INTENSIFYING BOTH SURFACE AND AIR PATROLS TO DENY THE ENEMY USE OF WATER RESUPPLY LINES. UNDER THE COMMAND OF REAR ADM.W.G.ANDREWS, R.N., IN PERFORMING THIS DIFFICULT TASK ARE SHIPS OF ENGLAND, CANADA, FRANCE, NEW ZEALAND, THE NETHERLANDS, AUSTRALIA AND THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.
THE AIR COMPONENT OF THE WEST COAST PATROL FORCE INCLUDES CARRIER-BASED BRITISH SEAFIRE FIGHTERS AND FIREFLY ATTACK BOMBERS AND BRITISH FOUR-ENGINE SUNDERLAND FLYING BOATS.
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U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, MONDAY, AUG.28-(AP)-THE TEXT OF EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NUMBER 61, RELEASED AT 10 A.M. (7 P.M. E.S.T. SUNDAY)
THE ENEMY CONTINUED PATROL AND SMALL UNIT ACTIVITY AGAINST THE 25TH DIVISION YESTERDAY AND LAST NIGHT. A SMALL PATROL AT 4 A.M. AND LATER A PROBING ATTACK WERE BOTH DRIVEN OFF DURING THE NIGHT BY THE 24TH REGIMENT. THE 35TH AND FIFTH REGIMENTS DISPERSED A COMPANY SIZED ATTACK IN THEIR SECTOR.
IN THE SECOND DIVISION SECTOR THE ENEMY IS AGAIN ATTEMPTING TO ESTABLISH A BRIDGEHEAD AT SINAM, SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG. AT DUSK YESTERDAY FRIENTLY ARTILLERY PUT A BRIDGE BUILDING ENEMY FORCE UNDER FIRE WITH GOOD RESULTS. OTHER COMMUNIST TROOPS WERE ENGAGED BY THE NINTH REGIMENT AT CLOSE RANGE AND REPULSED. A SMALL GROUP OF THE ENEMY STILL REMAINS EAST OF THE RIVER BUT THE SECOND DIVISION REPORTS IT WILL BE ABLE TO CLEAR THE AREA TODAY. YESTERDAY AFTERNOON A PATROL FROM THE 38TH REGIMENT SWAM THE NAKTONG INTO ENEMY LINES AND
SET FIRE TO RAFTS DESTROYING SEVEN. A BUILDUP OF ENEMY TANKS VEHICLES AND PERSONNEL IN THE VICINITY OF KYONGSAN IS REPORTED.
THE SECTOR OF THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) FIRST DIVISION WAS RELATIVELY QUIET DURING THE PAST 24 HOURS. ALTHOUGH THE TENTH AND 11TH REGIMENTS WERE ENGAGED IN SMALL ARMS FIRE FIGHTS AT 2 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING.
AN ENEMY FORCE CAPTURED UIHUNG YESTERDAY FROM THE ROK SIXTH DIVISION AND LAST NIGHT FORCED THE 19TH REGIMENT TO WITHDRAA 4,000 YARDS. T

DIVISION AND LAST NIGHT FORCED THE 19TH REGIMENT TO WITHDRAW 4,000 YARDS. THE EIGHTH ROK DIVISION PULLED BACK ITS LEFT FLANK TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH THE SIXTH.
IN THE KIGYE AREA THE CAPITAL DIVISION WAS FORCED BACK 5,000 YARDS BY THE ENEMY'S FIFTH DIVISION WHICH OCCUPIED KIGYE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON. THE THIRD DIVISION IS HOLDING ON A LINE FOUR MILES NORTH AND NORTHWEST OF POHANG.
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LONDON, AUG. 27-(AP)-THE TEXT OF TODAY'S NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND COMMUNIQUES, AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:
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MORNING COMMUNIQUE:
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUE TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE ENEMY ON ALL FRONTS.
AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS TRYING TO STOP THE OFFENSIVE OF UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ARE REPEATING THEIR COUNTERATTACKS EVERYWHERE.
REPELLING COUNTERATTACKS AND INFLICTING BLOWS ON MANPOWER AND EQUIPMENT OF THE ENEMY, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ARE DEVELOPING OFFENSIVE BATTLES.
IN THE AREA OF THE SOUTHERN COAST, UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, HAVING REPELLED COUNTERATTACKS OF THE AMERICAN TROOPS, CONTINUE TO WAGE FIERCE OFFENSIVE BATTLES.
ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY IS INFLICTING LARGE LOSSES ON THE AMERICAN AIR FORCE AS IT PERFORMS RAIDS DAY AFTER DAY. ON AUG. 24 THE ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY SHOT DOWN TWO AMERICAN FIGHTERS IN THE AREA OF NAMPO.
EVENING COMMUNIQUE:
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED FIERCE FIGHTING AGAINST THE ENEMY ON ALL FRONTS.
UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, HAVING REPELLED COUNTERATTACKS OF AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS, CONTINUE TO INFLICT GRAVE BLOWS UPON THE ENEMY EVERYWHERE AND IN SEVERAL SECTORS LAUNCHED OFFENSIVE BATTLES.
ON AUG. 26 ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY SHOT DOWN TWO AMERICAN FIGHTERS IN THE AREA OF HAMHYN AND ONE FIGHTER IN THE AREA OF KUMCHON.
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FIRST LEAD (130)
BY DON HUTH

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U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, MONDAY, AUG. 28-(AP)-KOREAN REPUBLICANS HAVE CHECKED THE RED DRIVE ON POHANG, THE U.S.EIGHTH ARMY REPORTED TODAY, BUT NORTH KOREANS CAPTURED UIHUNG ON THE FRONT'S NORTHERN PERIMETER.

A COMMUNIQUE, ISSUED AT 10 A.M. (7 P.M. EST, SUNDAY) REPORTED THE DRIVE ON POHANG, ALONG KOREA'S EAST COAST, WAS CHECKED BY THE THIRD SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION SEVERAL MILES NORTH AND NORTHWEST OF THE TOWN.

POHANG IS 65 MILES NORTH OF THE VITAL ALLIED SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN. IT WAS AT POHANG THAT THE U.S.FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION LANDED UNOPPOSED LAST MONTH.

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BUT ANOTHER SOUTH KOREAN DIVISION, THE SIXTH, YIELDED UIHUNG, 22 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU, UNITED NATIONS' SUPPLY AND COMMUNICATIONS CENTER. THE KOREAN REPUBLICAN SIXTH DIVISION SAID ITS 19TH REGIMENT WITHDREW ABOUT TWO AND A HALF MILES SOUTH OF UIHUNG.

THE WITHDRAWAL FORCED THE KOREAN REPUBLICAN EIGHTH DIVISION -- ON THE SIXTH'S RIGHT FLANK -- TO PULL BACK ITS LEFT FLANK.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID THE ENEMY OCCUPIED KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AND FORCED THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITAL DIVISION BACK ABOUT THREE MILES. BUT THE REPUBLICAN FORCES WERE HOLDING ON THE POHANG ROAD, A FEW MILES SOUTH AND EAST OF KIGYE, IT ADDED.

IN THE SECTOR RECENTLY TAKEN OVER BY ELEMENTS OF THE U.S.SECOND DIVISION FROM THE U.S. 24TH, THE ENEMY WAS REPORTED ATTEMPTING TO ESTABLISH A BRIDGEHEAD AT SINAM, SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG. THE REDS HAD ESTABLISHED A BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS THE NAKTONG AT CHANGNYONG WEEKS AGO. BUT IT WAS WIPED OUT.

AMERICAN ARTILLERY BROUGHT THE REDS UNDER FIRE WITH GOOD RESULTS, THE COMMUNIQUE REPORTED. THE U.S.NINTH REGIMENT REPULSED OTHER COMMUNISTS IN A "CLOSE RANGE" ENGAGEMENT IN THE SINAM AREA.

THE COMMUNIQUE SAID A SMALL GROUP OF NORTH KOREANS REMAINED ON THE RIVER IN THE AREA, BUT THAT THE SECOND DIVISION EXPECTED TO CLEAR THEM OUT TODAY.

A PATROL FROM THE 38TH REGIMENT SWAM THE NAKTONG RIVER YESTERDAY AND SET FIRE TO ENEMY RAFTS, SEVEN OF WHICH WERE DESTROYED.

A BUILD-UP OF NORTHKOREAN TANKS, VEHICLES AND TROOPS WAS REPORTED IN THE VICINITY OF KYONGSAN ON THE WEST BANK OF THE NAKTONG OPPOSITE THE FORMER CHANGNYONG BRIDGEHEAD.

IN THE KOREAN REPUBLICAN FIRST DIVISION'S SECTOR NORTH OF TAEGU ONLY SMALL ARMS FIRE INTERRUPTED THE RELATIVE QUIET OF THE PAST 24 HOURS.

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BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG. 27-(AP)-SOUTH KOREAN FORCES AIDED BY ALLIED AIRCRAFT AND NAVAL UNITS BEGAN ATTACKING TODAY ON THE NORTHEAST FLANK OF THE TAEGU PERIMETER.

THEY SOUGHT TO REGAIN GROUND LOST YESTERDAY.

CONSIDERABLE CONFUSION EXISTED AS TO WHY THE GROUND WAS LOST ALONG THE EAST COAST AND WHETHER THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD BEEN ATTACKED OR MERELY WITHDREW FROM THEIR POSITIONS.

THE SOUTH KOREANS LOST KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG. THE SOUTH KOREAN CAPITOL DIVISION COMMANDED BY COL. PAIK IN YUP WAS DRIVING TOWARD KIGYE AND WAS BELIEVED TO BE CLOSE TO THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE TOWN.

AN AMERICAN LIAISON OFFICER WHO CALLED IN F-51 MUSTANGS AND NAVY OR MARINE CORSAIR FIGHTERS TO BOMB AND STRAFE AHEAD OF THE ADVANCING SOUTH KOREANS SAID THEY HAD MOVED ALMOST BACK TO HUNGHAE, ABOUT FIVE MILES NORTH OF POHANG.

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FIRST LEAD SOUTHERN FRONT (125)
BY STAN SWINTON

ON THE MASAN FRONT IN KOREA, MONDAY, AUG.28-(AP)-AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN BROKE UP OHO RED KOREAN ATTACKS ON THIS

BROKE UP TWO RED KOREAN ATTACKS ON THIS SOUTHWESTERN FRONT TODAY.

A RED DRIVE OF UNSPECIFIED STRENGTH ABOUT MIDNIGHT BROKE UP WHEN IT RAN INTO AN AMERICAN MINE FIELD AND THEN PILED UP ON BARBED WIRE IN FRONT OF THE U.S. FIFTH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM'S PREPARED POSITIONS.

GI MACHINE GUNNERS AND RIFLEMEN OPENED UP ON THEM, KILLING LARGE NUMBERS.

LATER THIS MORNING NEGRO TROOPS OF THE 24TH REGIMENT STOPPED AN ATTACK BY ABOUT 250 REDS. SHARP FIGHTING LASTED AN HOUR.

DURING THE NIGHT A U.S. DESTROYER RANGED ALONG THE SOUTH COAST, POURING SHELLS INTO NORTH KOREAN POSITIONS.

YESTERDAY UNITED NATIONS FIGHTER BOMBERS BLASTED REDS PACKED ALONG FIVE MILES OF HIGHWAY, POSSIBLY FORESTALLING A NEW COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE.

FLASHING DOWN IN FIVE ATTACKS, AMERICAN NAVY AND AIR FORCE AND AUSTRALIAN PLANES DESTROYED FOUR ENEMY TANKS, 15 ARTILLERY PIECES AND 28 TRUCKS.

MOST SPECTACULAR WAS THE DESTRUCTION OF NINE SUPPOSEDLY ABANDONED VILLAGES ALONG THE ROAD BEHIND THE ENEMY LINES. WHEN THE BOMBS STRUCK, THESE VILLAGES BLEW UP IN GREAT EXPLOSIONS, SENDING FLAMES SOARING HUNDREDS OF FEET SKYWARD.

"WE DESTROYED 90 PER CENT OF THE ENEMY'S OPEN STORAGE OF AMMUNITION AND SUPPLY DUMPS IN THIS SECTOR. THEY WERE HIDDEN IN THE VILLAGES," SAID MAJ.LEONARD (MOOSE) SHROEDER, OF LINTHICUM HEIGHTS, MD., 25TH DIVISION AIR OFFICER.

"IT WAS THE BEST DAY AIR EVER HAD ON THE SOUTHWEST FRONT," SAID SCHROEDER, A VETERAN OF THE NORMANDY INVASION.

THERE IS NO ESTIMATE OF HOW MANY COMMUNIST SOLDIERS DIED IN THE AIR ATTACK.

AMERICAN PLANES STRUCK AT 15 MINUTE INTERVALS AFTER AN OBSERVATION PLANE SAW ENEMY CONVOYS MOVING ALONG SECONDARY ROADS AND LANES TOWARDS THE NAM RIVER, EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF HAMAN.

THE ENEMY BUILDUP APPARENTLY WAS OF MORE THAN TWO DIVISIONS CONCENTRATED OPPOSITE THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION. A RED OFFENSIVE HAS BEEN EXPECTED ON THIS FRONT FOR MORE THAN A WEEK BUT IT HAS NOT MATERIALIZED.

FOR THE DOUGHBOYS SUNDAY, THE FRONT WAS COMPLETELY QUIET.

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BY STAN SWINTON
ON THE MASAN FRONT IN KOREA, AUG. 27-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS FIGHTER-BOMBERS TURNED A MAJOR COMMUNIST BUILDUP OF TANKS, VEHICLES AND SUPPLIES INTO FLAMING WRECKAGE LATE TODAY.
INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS SAID IT WAS ONE OF THE MOST SPECTACULAR AIR STRIKES OF THE WAR.
AUSTRALIAN AND U.S. NAVY AND AIR FORCE PLANES IN FIVE STRIKES RAKED NINE MILES OF ROADWAY WITH HEAVY FIRE. EIGHT RED VEHICLES EXPLODED WITH A MIGHTY ROAR.
FIRST REPORTS SAID THREE TANKS AND 30 TRUCKS WERE KNOCKED OUT. WHEN THE SMOKE FINALLY CLEARS THE NUMBER IS EXPECTED TO BE MUCH LARGER.
MANY SUPPLY DUMPS ALSO WERE SET AFIRE AND LEFT BURNING.
AMERICAN PLANES STRUCK AT 15 MINUTE INTERVALS AFTER AN OBSERVATION PLANE SPOTTED THE ENEMY CONVOYS MOVING ALONG SECONDARY ROADS AND LANES TOWARD THE NAM RIVER EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF HAMAN.
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AP15FX
FIRST LEAD BRITISHERS
BY JACK MACBETH
SOMEWHERE IN KOREA, AUG. 27-(AP)-THIRTY-TWO BRITISH OFFICERS AND AIDES ARRIVED TODAY AT A SOUTH KOREAN AIRFIELD. THEY ARE THE VANGUARD OF MORE THAN 2,000 WELL-TRAINED TROOPS WHO WILL ENTER THE UNITED NATIONS BATTLE AGAINST NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS.
THE BRITISH GROUP, COMPRISING SEVERAL HIGH-RANKING OFFICERS, THEIR AIDES AND NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS, RECEIVED A WARM WELCOME FROM AMERICANS WHO WERE AT THE FIELD TO GREET THEM.
THEY WERE MET BY COL.HARRY ROBERTSON, DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY, WHO TOLD NEWSMEN:
"IT'S MIGHTY GOOD TO HAVE THE BRITISH WITH US AGAIN."
THEY HEARD GI'S EXCLAIM: "WELCOME, LIMEYS," AND "WE'RE GLAD TO SEE YOU."
THE MAIN BODY OF TROOPS IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE THE EARLY PART OF THE WEEK, A BRITISH DIPLOMATIC SPOKESMAN SAID.
THE ADVANCE PARTY WILL CONSULT WITH U.N. MILITARY OFFICIALS TO ARRANGE BILLETING AND OTHER MATTERS FOR THE NEWCOMERS.
HEADING THE GROUP IS BRIGADIER B.A. COAD, COMMANDER OF THE BRITISH FORCE.
THE PARTY CAME IN FROM HONGKONG VIA ITAZUKE AIRPORT IN JAPAN WHERE THEY HAD RECEIVED ANOTHER WARM WELCOME FROM THE U.S. AIR FORCE.
LT.COL. G.L.KIELSON OF EDINBURGH, COMMANDING THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS, AND LT.COL. ANDREW MAN, COMMANDING THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT, BOTH ARRIVED WITH THE ADVANCE UNIT.
A SPOKESMAN FOR THE GROUP SAID THE BRITISH TROOPS HAVE BEEN TRAINING FOR A YEAR IN TERRAIN SIMILAR TO THAT OF KOREA.
ALL THE SENIOR OFFICERS AGREED THAT A DIFFICULT TASK LAY AHEAD BUT THAT THEY WERE DETERMINED TO DO THE JOB.
(NO PICKUP)
WN457APD NM

A31FX
BY JACK MACBETH (200)
SOMEWHERE IN KOREA, AUGAM27-(AP)-THE VANGUARD OF MORE THAN 2,000 BRITISH CRACK INFANTRY TROOPS, TRAINED TO FIGHT IN TERRAIN SIMILAR TO KOREA, ARRIVED HERE TODAY BY PLANE.
THE PARTY OF 32 BRITISH OFFICERS AND AIDES INCLUDED BRIGADIER B.A.COAD, WHO WILL COMMAND THE BRITISH FORCE.
THE TROOPS WHICH SAILED FROM HONG KONG LAST WEEK ARE EXPECTED TO JOIN UNITED NATIONS FORCES FIGHTING THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS SOMETIME THIS WEEK.
(WHEN THE TROOPS SAILED FROM HONG KONG THEIR NUMBER WAS PLACED AT 1,500.)
COMMANDING OFFICERS OF THE TWO UNITS COMPRISING THE BRITISH FORCE--THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS AND THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT--WERE WITH THE ADVANCE PARTY. THEY WERE LT.COL. G.L.NIELSON OF THE HIGHLANDERS AND LT.COL. ANDREW MAN OF THE MIDDLESEX.
COL.HARRY ROBERTSON, DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY, MET THE BRITISH GROUP. HE TOLD NEWSMEN:
"IT'S MIGHTY GOOD TO HAVE THE BRITISH WITH US AGAIN."
AMERICAN SOLDIERS WERE HEARD TO EXCLAIM:
"WELCOME LIMEYS; GLAD TO SEE YOU."
A SPOKESMAN FOR THE BRITISH FORCE SAID THE TROOPS FROM HONG KONG HAD BEEN TRAINING FOR A YEAR IN TERRAIN SIMILAR TO THAT OF KOREA.
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WALKER (450)
BY TOM LAMBERT
U.S. 8TH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, AUG.27-(AP)-LT.GEN. WALTON H.WALKER EXPRESSED CONCERN TONIGHT OVER THE RISING TIDE OF OPTIMISM AMONG AMERICAN FORCES IN KOREA.
THE COMMANDER OF THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID THAT UNITED NATIONS FORCES MAY SUFFER ADDITIONAL SETBACKS. HE DID NOT ELABORATE, BUT HE SPOKE AT A TIME WHEN THE COMMUNISTS WERE PUSHING A FULL ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREANS ALONG THE EAST COAST.
THE FEELING OF OPTIMISM HAS BEEN GROWING FOR SEVERAL WEEKS. IT FOUND A FOOTING IN THE FIRM U.S. STAND ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE, RECENT SUCCESSES IN BLUNTING NORTH KOREAN ATTACKS ELSEWHERE.
WALKER, WHO FLEW OVER THE ENTIRE U.N. FRONT TODAY IN A PLANE PILOTED BY MAJ.GEN. EARLE E.PARTRIDGE, COMMANDER OF THE FIFTH AIRFORCE, SEEMED SOMEWHAT CONCERNED ABOUT THE SITUATION AT BOTH ENDS OF THE FRONT.
ON THE SOUTHERN END, HE SAID HE OBSERVED VILLAGES BURNING ON BOTH SIDES OF OUR FRONT LINE. THIS MIGHT INDICATE ARTILLERY ACTION.
ON THE EASTERN END OF THE LINE, IN THE POHANG AREA, THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE REPORTED FIGHTING NORTH TO REGAIN GROUND LOST YESTERDAY EITHER IN WITHDRAWAL OR RETREAT UNDER RED PRESSURE.
AIR FORCE OBSERVER CAPT. ELMER T.EDWARDS, GRANDVIEW, TEX., WHO FLEW OVER THE POHANG AREA, SAID HE HAD NOT BEEN ABLE TO SEE ANY NOTICEABLE GROUND ACTIVITY. HE SAID RED ARTILLERY WHICH HAD BEEN GROWING BOLDER IN EASTERN AREA WAS ALMOST SILENT. COMMUNIST GUNNERS UNDOUBTEDLY DID NOT WISH TO DIVULGE THEIR POSITIONS TO FIGHTER-BOMBERS SUPPORTING THE SOUTH KOREAN GROUND FORCES.
CONFUSION EXISTED OVER WHETHER THE SOUTH KOREANS ON THE EAST COAST HAD BEEN DRIVEN BACK OR HAD RETIRED BEFORE THE REDS ATTACKED.
THE SOUTHERNERS LOST THE TOWN OF KIGYE FOR THE SECOND TIME THIS MONTH, BUT THE CAPITAL DIVISION WAS REPORTED TO HAVE DRIVEN BACK CLOSE TO ITS OUTSKIRTS DURING SUNDAY.
AN AMERICAN LIAISON OFFICER WHO CALLED IN F-51 MUSTANGS AND NAVY AND MARINE CORSAIRS TO AID THE SOUTH KOREANS, SAID THEY WERE ABOUT

FIVE MILES NORTH OF POHANG, ALMOST TO HUNGHAE.
KIGYE IS SOUTHEWST OF HUNGHAE, WHICH INDICATES THE SOUTH KOREAN LINE IS FAR FROM STRAIGHT.
S/SGT. WILLIAM R.HANCOCK OF LITTLE ROCK, ARK., AN AIR OBSERVER, SAID HE BELIEVED THERE WAS A RED CONCENTRATION OF UNKNOWN SIZE ABOUT FOUR MILES WEST OF POHANG, EAST COAST PORT.
HE ALSO SAID HE HAD SEEN SHIPS THAT HE IDENTIFIED AS CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS. HANCOCK FLEW OVER THE RED HILD CITY OF CHONGHA, 11 MILES NORTH OF POHANG.
HANCOCK SAID HIS PLANE "DREW QUITE A LOT OF GROUND FIRE (FROM REDS) BUT WE PUT FIGHTERS ON THEM AND IT DISCOURAGED THE HELL OUT OF THEM."
THE CONFUSED SITUATION ALONG THE NORTHEASTERN DEFENSE LINE IS CENTERED PRIMARILY IN THE AREA OF THE SOUTH KOREAN ARMY FIRST CORPS, COMMANDED BY MAJ.GEN. KIM HONG IL, WHO IS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN AT ONE TIME A BRIGADIER GENERAL IN THE CHINESE NATIONALIST ARMY.
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KOREAN (240)
BY JACK MACBETH
U.S.EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, MONDAY, AUG.28-(AP)-GEN. WALTON H.WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE U.S.EIGHTH ARMY, TOLD THE SOUTH KOREAN ALLIES TODAY THAT "THE DAY FOR WITHDRAWAL IS PAST."
HE MADE THE STATEMENT UPON RETURNING FROM THE POHANG SECTOR, WHERE A KOREAN RED DRIVE WAS CHECKED BETWEEN POHANG AND KIGYE, NINE MILES TO THE NORTHWEST.
"TO YOU OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS OF THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, I ASK THAT YOU RISE AS ONE AND STOP THE ENEMY IN YOUR FRONT IN HIS RACKS," GENERAL WALKER STATED.
HERE'S THE TEXT OF HIS STATEMENT:
"SINCE FIRST ONSLAUGHT OF THE ENEMY ON THE 25TH OF JUNE, YOU HAVE BEEN CONTINUALLY IN BATTLE. YOU HAVE MET MANY DISAPPOINTMENTS AND TACTICAL REVERSALS FORCED UPON YOU BY THE OVERWHELMING ODDS OF A RUTHLESS FOE.
"YOU, ALONG WITH OTHER FORCES WHICH COMPRISE THE UNITED NATIONS EFFORT IN KOREA, ARE NOW ENCLOSED IN A PERIMETER EXTENDING FOR SOME 120 MILES ENCOMPASSED AROUND YOUR ANCIENT PORT CITY OF PUSAN.
THE DAY OF WITHDRAWAL IS PAST.
IT IS MY BELIEF THAT THE OVER-EXTENDED ENEMY IS MAKING HIS LAST GASP WHILE UNITED NATIONS FORCES ARE DAILY BECOMING STRONGER AND STRONGER.
"THE TIME HAS NOW COME FOR EVERYONE TO STAND IN PLACE AND FIGHT OR ADVANCE TO A POSITION WHICH WILL GIVE US A GREATER TACTICAL ADVANTAGE FROM WHICH THE COMING COUNTER-OFFENSIVE CAN BE LAUNCHED. IF OUR PRESENT POSITIONS ARE PIERCED, WE MUST COUNTERATTACK AT ONCE, DESTROY THE ENEMY AND RESTORE THE POSITION.
TO YOU OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS OF THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, I ASK THAT YOU RISE AS ONE AND STOP THE ENEMY IN YOUR FRONT IN HIS TRACKS.
LET US TEAR HIM APART NOW SO THAT OUR ROAD TO VICTORY WILL BE THAT MUCH SURER AND QUICKER."
(END TEXT.)
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(150)
WITH U.S. 25TH DIVISION IN KOREA, AUG.27-(AP)-RECONNAISSANCE COMPANIES OF THE NORTH KOREAN SIXTH AND THE U.S. 25TH DIVISIONS HAD IT OUT TODAY. THE WINNERS AND STILL CHAMPIONS: THE DOUGHBOYS.
IT MAY HAVE BEEN THE FIRST TIME IN THE KOREAN WAR THAT TWO GROUPS OF SPECIALISTS WITH IDENTICAL JOBS CLASHED.
THIRTY MEN OF THE COMMUNIST RECONNAISANCE FORCE INFILTRATED AMERICAN LINES. THEY DUG A CAVE, STOCKED IT WITH A FRESHLY-KILLED SIDE OF BEEF AND BAGS OF RICE AND WENT INTO BUSINESS SHOOTING UP LONE AMERICAN JEEPS ON THE ROADS AT NIGHT.
FOR TWO DAYS THE 25TH'S RECONNAISSANCE COMPANY HUNTED THEM. SGT. FIRST CLASS JOE B.FOSTER OF GASDEN, ALA.--A CAPTAIN IN WORLD WAR TWO--AND HIS PLATOON FOUND THEM TODAY.
SEVEN NORTH KOREANS WERE KILLED IN A FIRE FIGHT. THE OTHER 23, MOSTLY WOUNDED, ESCAPED INTO THE HILLS. TONIGHT THE AMERICANS WERE ROOTING THEM OUT ONE BY ONE.
A SOUTH KOREAN WHO HAD BEEN SUPPLYING THE REDS WAS ARRESTED.
THERE WAS ONE UNANSWERED QUESTION--WHAT HAPPENED TO ALL THOSE COMMUNIST STEAKS?
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(180)
PARIS, AUG. 27-(AP)-COUNT STEFANO JACINI OF ITALY, CHAIRMAN OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF UNESCO SAID TODAY IT HAS UNANIMOUSLY "DEPLORED THE VIOLATION OF INTERNATIONAL LAW IN KOREA."
THE COUNCIL OF THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION IN A SECRET SESSION YESTERDAY FOUND AGREEMENT ON A GREAT NUMBER OF POINTS CONCERNING THE ACTION IT WOULD TAKE IN SUPPORT OF THE U.N. IN KOREA, JACINI DECLARED.
A UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE ON THE COUNCIL, DR.LUTHER EVANS, LIBRARIAN OF CONGRESS, HAS URGED ALL-OUT MEASURES TO SUPPORT THE SECURITY COUNCIL DECISION WHICH LABELLED THE NORTH KOREANS AS AGGRESSORS AND TO DISSEMINATE IT AS WIDELY AS POSSIBLE.
THE COUNCIL WILL MEET TOMORROW TO DISCUSS A RESOLUTION BEING DRAWN UP BY A SPECIAL COMMITTEE OUTLINING WHAT UNESCO MIGHT DO IN KOREA.
THE COMMITTEE IS HEADED BY DR.JAIME TORRES-BODET, SECRETARY GENERAL OF UNESCO WHO SAID IT HAD BEEN SUGGESTED THAT THE ORGANIZATION MIGHT TAKE ACTION BY GIVING IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE TO REFUGEES, TEACHING THE AIMS AND IDEALS OF THE U.N. IN KOREA AND BY GIVING THE GENERAL PUBLIC A FULL UNDERSTANDING OF THE U.N. ACTION IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT. HE SAID UNESCO MIGHT ALSO HELP IN THE RECONSTRUCTION AFTER THE CONFLICT IS ENDED.
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PARIS, AUG. 27-(AP)-BISHOP ADRIANO LARRIBEAU OF TAEJON, WHO HAS SPENT THE LAST 46 YEARS IN KOREA, DECLARED TODAY THAT "OUR CHRISTIAN FAITH IS THREATENED BEFORE ANYTHING ELSE" BY THE WAR THERE.
HE CELEBRATED A PONTIFICAL MASS AT ST.LOUIS CHURCH HERE. IN A SERMON AFTERWARDS HE DECLARED "THERE IS NO TWO KOREAS. THERE IS NO SUCH THING AS A SOUTH KOREA AND A NORTH KOREA X X X THE WAR THERE IS LESS A CIVIL WAR THAN A WAR BETWEEN TWO IDEOLOGIES. IT IS OUR CHRISTIAN FAITH THAT IS THREATENED BEFORE ANYTHING ELSE."
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TAIPEI, FORMOSA, MONDAY, AUG. 28-(AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA'S DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID TODAY IT HAD BEEN "DEFINITELY ESTABLISHED" THAT 270,000 CHINESE COMMUNISTS TROOPS ARE CONCENTRATING ON THE MANCHURIAN BORDER "AND IN THE TERRITORY OF NORTH KOREA" READY TO HELP THE KOREAN REDS.

THE CHINESE NATIONALIST MINISTRY--IN AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT--REPORTED THAT THESE TROOPS CONSISTED OF EIGHT ARMIES, TWO CAVALRY DIVISIONS AND ONE ARTILLERY DIVISION.

IT ADDED THAT THREE RUSSIAN-EQUIPPED ARMIES, UNDER GEN. LIN PIAO, WERE "KNOWN TO HAVE CROSSED THE YALU RIVER LAST MONTH."

THE YALU IS THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN NORTH KOREA AND MANCHURIA.

THE MINISTRY SAID THE CHINESE REDS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE CONSTRUCTED "PERMANENT" DEFENSE WORKS ALONG THE YALU.

CHINESE COMMUNIST AID FOR THE NORTH KOREANS, THE MINISTRY ADDED, WAS DECIDED AT A SOVIET-SPONSORED MILITARY CONFERENCE IN PEIPING LAST MONTH.

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BY THIS ACCOUNT, THE CHINESE REDS--ON ORDER OF THE KREMLIN--WERE TO SUPPLY 200,000 COMBAT TROOPS TO AID THE KOREAN REDS AND TO MAINTAIN THAT FIGURE AT ALL COSTS.

THE TROOPS WERE TO BE COMMANDED BY LIN PIAO, COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST FOURTH FIELD ARMY.

THE NATIONALIST MINISTRY MADE THESE ASSERTIONS:

(1). AS EARLY AS MARCH, 1948, SOME 50,000 WAR VETERANS OF THE "KOREAN CORPS" UNDER LIN PIAO WERE SENT TO NORTH KOREA AFTER RECEIVING COMMUNIST POLITICAL TRAINING AND SEEING ACTION ON MANCHURIAN FIGHTING FRONTS.

THE MINISTRY ADDED THAT THE "KOREAN CORPS" TOTALED 145,000 OFFICERS AND MEN.

(2). IN FEBRUARY THIS YEAR, ANOTHER 50,000 MEN FROM THE CORPS WERE SENT TO NORTH KOREA.

TACTICS USED BY THE NORTH KOREANS, THE MINISTRY WENT ON, CLEARLY DEMONSTRATE THE EFFECTS OF CHINESE COMMUNIST TRAINING. THEIR MOBILE, INFILTRATION AND FLANKING MOVEMENTS WERE TACTICS USED BY THE CHINESE REDS ON THE MAINLAND AGAINST THE NATIONALISTS.

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JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA, AUG. 27-(AP)-THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TONIGHT THAT THE UNITED STATES HAS ACCEPTED A SOUTH AFRICAN OFFER OF A FIGHTER SQUADRON TO FIGHT IN KOREA. THE SQUADRON WILL LEAVE FOR KOREA SOON.

IT WILL BE LED BY ACTING COMMANDANT S.VAN BREDA THERON, 32, THE MOST HIGHLY DECORATED PILOT IN THE SOUTH AFRICAN AIR FORCE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 9:30 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY, AUG. 27)
AMS BUDGET
PREVENTIVE WAR (650)
(ADVANCE)...WASHINGTON, AUG. 27-(AP)- A TOP LEVEL STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID TONIGHT THAT IF THE UNITED STATES OPENED WAR AND KNOCKED OUT RUSSIA WITH ATOMIC BOMBS THE RESULT WOULD BE TO CREATE "MANY NEW AND TERRIBLY DIFFICULT PROBLEMS" IN THE WORLD.

IN A HEAD-ON ATTACK AGAINST THE WHOLE IDEA OF PREVENTIVE WAR, AMBASSADOR PHILLIP JESSUP GAVE WHAT AMOUNTS TO A STATE DEPARTMENT REPLY TO NAVY SECRETARY MATTHEWS' ADVICE THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BE WILLING TO START A WAR IF NECESSARY TO "COMPEL COOPERATION FOR PEACE.'

JESSUP, ONE OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON'S MOST TRUSTED ADVISERS, GAVE THE STATE DEPARTMENT VIEW IN A RADIO INTERVIEW (CBS).

YESTERDAY BOTH THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND WHITE HOUSE DISAVOWED MATTEWS'S DECLARATION, SAYING THAT NEITHER OF THOSE AGENCIES HAD CLEARED IT. A STATE DEMARTMENT STATEMENT IN ADDITION DECLARED THAT WHAT MATTHEWS SAID DOES NOT "REPRESENT UNITED STATES POLICY" AND "THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT DOES NOT FAVOR INSTITUTING A WAR OF ANY KIND."

MATTHEWS SAID THE VIEWS WERE HIS OWN. HE SPOKE OUT FRIDAY AT BOSTON URGING THAT THE U.S. FIRST GET READY TO DEFEAT ANY ATTACK, THEN DECLARE ITS DETERMINATION TO PAY ANY PRICE TO ACHIEVE WORLD PEACE, EVEN THAT OF OPENING A WAR.

IN THE INTERVIEW JESSUP WAS ASKED WHETHER WAR WAS INEVITABLE AND WHETHER AS SOME PEOPLE SAY THE UNITED STATES SHOULD NOT "SETTLE THE WHOLE THING RIGHT NOW BY DROPPING ATOMIC BOMBS ON MOSCOW."

JESSUP REPLIED THAT "THE THREAT OF WAR IS A SERIOUS ONE" BUT SAID WAR IS NOT INEVITABLE AND THAT THE FREE NATIONS MAY BE ABLE TO MAINTAIN PEQCE IF THEY MAKE THEMSELVES SO STRONG THAT AGGRESSOR NATIONS WILL NOT BE TEMPTED TO STRIKE.

"RESPONSIBLE AND MATURE CITIZENS REALIZE, I AM SURE," JESSUP SAID, "THAT THE DESTRUCTION OF WAR IS SO CATASTROPHIC, THAT NO STONE MUST BE LEFT UNTURNED IN THE EFFORT TO MAINTAIN OUR SECURITY AND OUR HIGHEST VALUES BY PEACEFUL MEANS. IT IS MY FAITH, AND THE CONVINCTION OF OUR GOVERNMENT, THAT THIS CAN BE DONE, IF THE FREE MEN OF THE WORLD ARE DETERMINED TO DO IT."

THEN SPECIFICALLY ON THE IDEA OF AN ATOMIC ATTACK ON RUSSIA, JESSUP HAD THIS TO SAY:

"DROPPING ATOMIC BOMBS ON THE SOVIET UNION NOW IS NOT THE WAY WE ACT; IT IS NOT THE WAY AMERICA DOES THINGS.

"BUT I DO NOT SEE HOW ANYONE CAN BELIEVE THAT, EVEN IF OUR CONSCIENCE PERMITTED US TO PRECIPITATE A WAR BY DROPPING ATOMIC BOMBS NOW, WE WOULD BE ANY BETTER OFF THAN WE ARE. SUCH AN ACTION WOULD NOT ONLY NOT SOLVE ANY PROBLEMS, IT WOULD CREATE MANY NEW AND TERRIBLY DIFFICULT PROBLEMS.

"EVEN IF SUCH AN ACTION WERE TO BE SUCCESSFUL IN KNOCKING OUT THE SOVIET UNION, IT WOULD LEAVE OCCUPATION AND RECONSTRUCTION PROBLEMS OF SUCH COMPLEXITY AS TO MAKE OUR PRESENT POST-WAR PROBLEMS LOOK LIKE CHILD'S PLAY. AND WE WOULD HAVE SACRIFICED THE RESPECT AND SUPPORT

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OF OTHER NATIONS.

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"I DO NOT BELIEVE THIS VIEW CAN BE SERIOUSLY ENTERTAINED BY ANYONE WHO HAS GIVEN IT THOROUGH CONSIDERATION."
JESSUP URGED THAT IN THIS "MOST DANGEROUS PERIOD" IN THEIR HISTORY AMERICANS SHOULD RECOGNIZE CLARLY THAT WORLD COMMUNISM AND ITS LEADERS "THE MEN IN THE KREMLIN" ARE RESPONSI

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JESSUP STRONGLY DEFENDED AMERICAN POLICIES IN KOREA PRIOR TO THE OUTBREAK OF FIGHTING, SAYING THAT IT WAS THE SUCCESS OF THESE POLICIES IN PRODUCING A KOREAN DEMOCRACY WHICH HAD COMPELLED THE NORTHERN COMMUNISTS UNDER "IMPERIALIST" DOMINATION TO ATTACK THE SOUTH. HE REPEATEDLY DESCRIBED THE DECISION TO OPPOSE AGGRESSION IN KOREA AS A MOVE STRENGTHENING THE CHANCES FOR WORLD PEACE.
JESSUP ALSO REVIEWED UNITED STATES POLICY TOWARD THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA EMPHASIZING THE FACT THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S DECISION TO DEFEND THE ISLAND OR PREVENT ANY ATTACK ON IT "WAS DIRECTLY CONNECTED WITH THE AGGRESSION AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA."
HE SAID THAT DESPITE COMMUNIST CHARGES THAT THE UNITED STATES WAS GUILTY OF AGGRESSION IN ITS FORMOSAN MOVES,THE FACT IS THAT "WHAT WE HAVE DONE ABOUT FORMOSA HAS BEEN DONE IN THE OPEN AND HAS BEEN LAID FULLY BEFORE THE UNITED NATIONS."
"IF THE COMMAND TO THE SEVENTH FLEET (TO DEFEND THE ISLAND) HAD BEEN AN ACT OF AGGRESSION," JESSUP DECALARED," "WE WOULD HARDLY HAVE REPORTED IT IMMEDIATELY TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL."
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A48WX
(450) KOREAN DIPLOMATIC
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, AUG. 27-(AP)-STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS BELIEVE THAT THE KOREAN STRUGGLE HAS NOW ENTERED THE CRITICAL PERIOD THEY HAVE LONG EXPECTED IN WHICH THE KREMLIN MUST DISCLOSE ITS REAL INTENTIONS FOR THE FUTURE.
THIS BELIEF, OFFICIALS SAID, IS BORNE OUT BOTH BY AMERICAN MILITARY ESTIMATES THAT THE BATTLE LINE IS FAIRLY WELL STABILIZED AND BY INTELLIGENCE REPORTS INDICATING A MASSING OF TWO CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMIES ON THE MANCHURIAN-KOREAN BORDER.
THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE STIFFENING BATTLEFRONT, DIPLOMATS SAID, IS THAT THE MEN IN THE KREMLIN MUST NOW KNOW BEYOND QUESTION THAT NORTH KOREAN RED FORCES UNAIDED BY RUSSIAN OR CHINESE TROOPS ARE DOOMED TO DEFEAT. THEY FACE THE PROSPECT THAT IN A RELATIVELY FEW MONTHS UNITED NATIONS ARMIES MAY BE DRIVING INTO NORTH KOREA.
THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE REPORTED CHINESE TROOP MOVEMENTS WAS REGARDED HERE AS THIS: AN INDICATION THAT THE COMMUNIST HAVE DECIDED WHAT THEIR NEXT MAJOR MOVE IS TO BE AND ARE GETTING SET TO MAKE IT.
IT DOES NOT NECESSARILY MEAN THEY WILL ENTER THE WAR.
AT ONE EXTREME, A FATEFUL NEW RED STEP MIGHT MEAN INVOLVING AMERICAN TROOPS UNDER THE U.N. FLAG IN DIRECT COMBAT WITH CHINESE OR RUSSIAN FORCES; AT THE OTHER EXTREME. IT MIGHT RESULT IN BUILDING A BARRIER OF RED DEFENSE FORCES TO KEEP THE KOREAN WAR FROM SPILLING OVER INTO MANCHURIA.
OFFICIALS HERE BELIEVE THAT IN THE MAIN THE SOVIETS AND THEIR SATELLITES HAVE THREE ALTERNATIVE COURSES OPEN TO THEM AT THIS POINT.
FIRST, AND MANY OFFICIALS THINK MOST PROBABLY, THEY MAY OCCUPY NORTHERN KOREA IN AN EFFORT TO PREVENT THE U.S.-U.N. FORCES FROM CROSSING THE 38TH PARALLEL AND MOVING IN CLOSE TO MANCHURIA AND THE RUSSIAN PORT OF VLADIVOSTOK.

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SECOND, BEING CONFRONTED WITH THE PROSPECT OF A NORTH KOREAN DEFEAT, THEY MAY MAKE AN EFFORT TO SETTLE THE FIGHTING IN SOME MANNER ACCEPTABLE BOTH TO RUSSIA AND TO THE WEST. THE BIGGEST PRESSURE IN FAVOR OF THIS PROBABLY IS A PROPAGANDA PRESSURE. ALIEN COMMUNIST OCCUPATION OF NORTHERN KOREA, SPLITTING THE COUNTRY, WOULD SHOW UP BADLY AGAINST COMMUNIST CLAIMS OF INTEREST IN UNIFYING THE COUNTRY.
THIRD, THEY MAY SEND ARMED FORCES INTO THE FIGHT ON THE SIDE OF THE NORTH KOREANS IN OPEN DEFIANCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND COMPLETE DISREGARD OF THE WAY IN WHICH OTHER NATIONS IN ASIA AND EUROPE WOULD REACT.
MOST OFFICIALS HERE BELIEVE THAT THE RUSSIANS ARE STILL ANXIOUS TO AVOID MOVES WHICH MIGHT LEAD TO A GENERAL WAR. THERE IS ALSO CONSTANT SPECULATION IN WASHINGTON THAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS, WITH ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL TROUBLES OF THEIR OWN, MUST BE RESISTING ANY SOVIET PRESSURE TO GET THEM TO TAKE ON THE BURDEN OF THE FIGHT.
HENCE OFFICIAL WASHINGTON GENERALLY BELIEVES THAT THE SOVIETS AND THE CHINESE WILL TAKE SOME MEASURE SHORT OF OPEN BELLIGERRENCY BUT DESIGNED TO KEEP UNITED STATES FORCES FROM MOVING TOO CLOSE TO MANCHURIA, AND RUSSIAN MARITIME PROVINCES.
THE MOST OBVIOUS WAY TO DO THAT IS TO RE-OCCUPY NORTHERN KOREA. SUCH A DEVELOPMENT WOULD GREATLY COMPLICATE THE QUESTION OF HOW TO SOLVE THE KOREAN PROBLEM PERMANENTLY BUT WOULD APPEAR TO MINIMIZE THE DANGERS OF MORE GENERAL FIGHTING AT THIS TIME.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10:30 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, MONDAY, AUGUST 28--NOTE DATE)
(ADVANCE) CHICAGO, AUG.28-(AP)-GEN.MACARTHUR SAID TODAY "WE MAY HAVE PEACE" BY HOLDING A PACIFIC ISLAND DEFENSE LINE--INCLUDING FORMOSA--BUT "LOSE IT AND WAR IS INEVITABLE."
MACARTHUR GAVE GREAT MILITARY IMPORTANCE TO FORMOSA, LAST MAJOR STRONGHOLD OF CHINESE NATIONALIST FORCES, IN A CABLED MESSAGE TO THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.
THE UNITED STATES HAS NO ARMED FORCES ON FORMOSA, BUT THE U.S.SEVENTH FLEET HAS BEEN PATROLLING THE FORMOSA STRAIT TO PREVENT AN OFTEN-THREATENED ATTACK BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

MACARTHUR SAID THAT THE PRESIDENT'S JUNE 27TH ORDER TO CARRY OUT THIS PATROL "MARKED FOR THE FAR EAST THE FOCAL AND TURNING POINT IN THIS AREA'S STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM. IT SWEPT ASIDE IN ONE GREAT MONUMENTAL STROKE ALL OF THE HYPOCRISY AND THE SOPHISTRY WHICH HAS CONFUSED AND DELUDED SO MANY PEOPLE DISTANT FROM THE ACTUAL SCENE."

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THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES FIGHTING IN KOREA DESCRIBED A "NATURAL" DEFENSE LINE OF ISLANDS IN THE PACIFIC.

FROM THIS LINE, MACARTHUR SAID, "WE CAN DOMINATE WITH AIR POWER EVERY ASIATIC PORT FROM VLADIVOSTOCK TO SINGAPORE."

HE INDICATED FORMOSA WAS A KEY SPOT IN THIS DEFENSE LINE AND SAID "HISTORICALLY, FORMOSA HAS BEEN USED AS A SPRINGBOARD" FOR "MILITARY AGRESSION DIRECTED AGAINST AREAS TO THE SOUTH."

MACARTHUR SAID FORMOSA, IF HELD BY THE ENEMY, "COULD BE COMPARED TO AN UNSINKABLE AIRCRAFT CARRIER AND SUBMARINE TENDER IDEALLY LOCATED.

HE EXPRESSED HIS MILITARY VIEWS IN A CABLE TO THE VFW, MEETING IN ITS 51ST NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT. THE MESSAGE WAS READ BY CLYDE A. LEWIS, VFW COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

THE GENERAL DECLARED THAT SHOULD FORMOSA FALL, IT "WOULD CONSTITUTE AN ENEMY SALIENT IN THE VERY CENTER OF THIS DEFENSIVE PERIMETER. XXX."

"ITS MILITARY POTENTIAL WOULD AGAIN BE FULLY EXPLOITED AS THE MEANS TO BREACH AND NEUTRALIZE OUR WESTERN PACIFIC DEFENSE SYSTEM AND MOUNT A WAR OF CONQUEST AGAINST THE FREE NATIONS OF THE PACIFIC BASIN."

THE GENERAL SAID HE WAS VOICING HIS VIEWS ON FORMOSA "IN VIEW OF MISCONCEPTIONS CURRENTLY BEING VOICED CONCERNING THE RELATIONSHIP OF FORMOSA TO OUR STRATEGIC POTENTIAL IN THE PACIFIC."

HE SAID THE LAST WAR SHIFTED OUR STRATEGIC FRONTIER "TO EMBRACE THE ENTIRE PACIFIC OCEAN WHICH HAS BECOME A VAST MOAT TO PROTECT US AS LONG AS HE HOLD IT."

MACARTHUR SAID WE CAN DOMINATE ASIATIC PORTS FROM A CHAIN OF ISLANDS EXTENDING IN AN ARC FROM THE ALEUTIANS TO THE MARIANAS. HE ADDED:

"ANY PREDATORY ATTACK FROM ASIA MUST BE AN AMPHIBIOUS EFFORT. NO AMPHIBIOUS FORCE CAN BE SUCCESSFUL WITH OUR CONTROL OF THE SEA LANES AND THE AIR OVER THESE LANES IN ITS AVENUE OF ADVANCE.

"WITH NAVAL AND AIR SUPREMACY AND MODERN GROUND ELEMENTS TO DEFEND BASES, ANY MAJOR ATTACK FROM CONTINENTAL ASIA TOWARD US OR OUR FRIENDS OF THE PACIFIC WOULD COME TO FAILURE. X X X

"OUR LINE OF DEFENSE IS A NATURAL ONE AND CAN BE MAINTAINED WITH A MINIMUM OF MILITARY EFFORT AND EXPENSE. X X X PROPERLY MAINTAINED (IT) WOULD BE AN INVINCIBLE DEFENSE AGAINST AGGRESSION. IF WE HOLD THIS LINE WE MAY HAVE PEACE--LOSE IT AND WAR IS INEVITABLE."

MAC ARTHUR SAID FORMOSA NOW HAS A CONCENTRATION OF AIR AND NAVAL BASES WHICH IS "POTENTIALLY GREATER THAN ANY SIMILAR CONCENTRATION OF THE ASIATIC MAINLAND BETWEEN THE YELLOW SEA AND THE STRAIT OF MALACCA."

HE SAID FURTHER BASES CAN BE DEVELOPED IN A RELATIVELY SHORT TIME AND THAT "ANY ENEMY FORCE UTILIZING THOSE INSTALLATIONS CURRENTLY AVAILABLE COULD INCREASE BY 100 PER CENT THE AIR EFFORT WHICH COULD BE DIRECTED AGAINST OKINAWA AS COMPARED TO OPERATIONS BASED ON THE MAINLAND."

HE SAID THE ENEMY "AT THE SAME TIME COULD DIRECT DAMAGING AIR ATTACKS WITH FIGHTER TYPE AIRCRAFT AGAINST FRIENDLY INSTALLATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES WHICH ARE CURRENTLY BEYOND THE RANGE OF FIGHTERS BASED ON THE MAINLAND. OUR AIR SUPREMACY AT ONCE WOULD BECOME DOUBTFUL.

THUS, HE SAID, ENEMY USE OF FORMOSA "MAY EITHER COUNTER-BALANCE OR OVERSHADOW THE STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE OF THE CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE U.S.FRONT LINE POSITION.

"FORMOSA IN THE HANDS OF SUCH AN HOSTILE POWER COULD BE COMPARED TO AN UNSINKABLE AIRCRAFT CARRIER AND SUBMARINE TENDER IDEALLY LOCATED TO ACCOMPLISH OFFENSIVE STRATEGY AND AT THE SAME TIME CHECKMATE DEFENSE OR COUNTER-OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS BY FRIENDLY FORCES BASED ON OKINAWA AND THE PHILIPPINES."

IN ADDITION, THE GENERAL SAID, THE ENEMY COULD UTILIZE FORMOSA AS A BASE FOR SHORT RANGE SUBMARINES "TO THREATEN COMPLETELY SEA TRAFFIC FROM THE SOUTH AND INTERDICT ALL SEA LANES IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC. SUBMARINE BLOCKADE BY THE ENEMY WITH ALL ITS DESTRUCTIVE RAMIFICATIONS WOULD THEREBY BECOME A VIRTUAL CERTAINTY."

MACARTHUR SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S DECISION OF JUNE 27 TO DEFEND FORMOSA "LIGHTED INTO FLAME A LAMP OF HOPE THROUGHOUT ASIA THAT WAS BURNING DIMLY TOWARD EXTINCTION."

HE SAID "NOTHING COULD BE MORE FALLACIOUS THAN THREADBARE ARGUMENT BY THOSE WHO ADVOCATE APPEASEMENT AND DEFEATISM IN THE PACIFIC THAT IF WE DEFEND FORMOSA WE ALIENATE CONTINENTAL ASIA. X X X TO PURSUE ANY OTHER COURSE WOULD BE TO TURN OVER THE FRUITS OF OUR PACIFIC VICTORY TO A POTENTIAL ENEMY. IT WOULD SHIFT ANY FUTURE BATTLE AREA FIVE THOUSAND MILES EASTWARD TO THE COASTS OF THE AMERICAN CONTINENTS. OUR OWN HOME COAST X X X ."

ON JAN.5 AT A PRESS CONFERENCE, PRESIDENT TRUMAN SAID THE UNITED STATES HAD NO DESIRE TO OBTAIN SPECIAL RIGHTS OR PRIVILEGES OR TO ESTABLISH MILITARY BASES ON FORMOSA. HE ALSO SAID THE U.S.HAD NO INTENTION OF UTILIZING ITS ARMED FORCES TO INTERFERE IN THE SITUATION THERE AT THAT TIME.

THE STATEMENT WAS WIDELY INTERPRETED THEN AS A CLEARCUT VICTORY OF THE POLICY OF STATE SECRETARY DEAN ACHESON OVER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE LOUIS JOHNSON.

"THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WILL NOT PROVIDE MILITARY AID OR ADVICE TO CHINESE FORCES ON FORMOSA," THE PRESIDENT SAID.

A WEEK LATER, SECRETARY ACHESON, IN A SPEECH BEFORE A NATIONAL PRESS CLUB LUNCHEON, TRACED THE WESTERN DEFENSE PERIMETER OF THE U.S.

HE SAID IT RAN SOUTH THROUGH THE RYUKYU ISLANDS, WHICH LIE TO THE EAST OF FORMOSA. THE NEXT U.S.STRONGPOINT ON THIS PERIMETER SAID ACHESON, IS THE PHILIPPINES. HE SKIPPED FORMOSA.

BEYOND THE RYUKYU-PHILIPPINE LINE ACHESON SAID "IT MUST BE CLEAR THAT NO PERSON CAN GUARANTEE THE OTHER ASIATIC AREAS AGAINST ATTACK."

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 10:30 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME MONDAY, AUG. 28--NOTE DATE)

(ADVANCE) CHICAGO, AUG. 28-(AP)-HERE IS THE TEXT OF GEN. MAC ARTHUR'S MESSAGE TO THE 51ST NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS: CLYDE A. LEWIS, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

YOUR INSPIRING MESSAGE OF THE 17TH HAS MOVED ME DEEPLY AND I TRUST THAT YOU WILL CONVEY TO ALL OF MY COMRADES-IN-ARMS OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS ASSEMBLED ON THE OCCASION OF OUR 51ST ANNUAL NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT MY ASSURANCE THAT THEIR CONFIDENCE AND SUPPORT WILL GIVE THIS COMMAND MUCH ADDED STRENGTH TO MEET THE TESTS OF BATTLE WHICH LIE IMMEDIATELY AHEAD. TELL THEM THAT I AM HAPPY TO REPORT THAT THEIR SUCCESSORS IN ARMS NOW ENGAGING THE ENEMY ALONG OUR BATTLE LINES IN SOUTH KOREA ARE EXEMPLIFYING THAT SAME HIGH STANDARD OF DEVOTION, FORTITUDE AND VALOR WHICH CHARACTERIZED THEIR OWN MARCH TO VICTORY WHEN THEY THEMSELVES ENGAGED IN COMBAT IN THE FIELD. FROM SENIOR COMMANDERS

DOWN THROUGH ALL RANKS, THEIR TACTICAL SKILL, THEIR INVINCIBLE DETERMINATION, AND THEIR FIGHTING QUALITIES AGAINST A FANACTICAL FOE, WELL TRAINED, EXPERTLY DIRECTED AND HEAVILY ARMED, HAVE UPHELD OUR COUNTRY'S FINEST TRADITIONS. TOWARD VICTORY, HOWEVER DIFFICULT THE ROAD, THEY ARE GIVING AN ACCOUNT OF THEMSELVES WHICH SHOULD MAKE EVERY AMERICAN HEART BEAT WITH PRIDE AND INFINITE SATISFACTION.

IN VIEW OF MISCONCEPTIONS CURRENTLY BEING VOICED CONCERNING THE RELATIONSHIP OF FORMOSA TO OUR STRATEGIC POTENTIAL IN THE PACIFIC, I BELIEVE IT IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST TO AVAIL MYSELF OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO STATE MY VIEWS THEREON TO YOU, ALL OF WHOM HAVING FOUGHT OVERSEAS UNDERSTAND BROAD STRATEGIC CONCEPTS. TO BEGIN WITH, ANY APPRAISAL OF THAT STRATEGIC POTENTIAL REQUIRES AN APPRECIATION OF THE CHANGES WROUGHT IN THE COURSE OF THE PAST WAR. PRIOR THERETO THE WESTERN STRATEGIC FRONTIER OF THE UNITED STATES LAY ON THE LITTORAL LINE OF THE AMERICAS WITH AN EXPOSED ISLAND SALIENT EXTENDING OUT THROUGH HAWAII, MIDWAY AND GUAM TO THE PHILIPPINES. THAT SALIENT WAS NOT AN OUTPOST OF STRENGTH BUT AN AVENUE OF WEAKNESS ALONG WHICH THE ENEMY COULD AND DID ATTACK US. THE PACIFIC WAS A POTENTIAL AREA OF ADVANCEMENT FOR ANY PREDATORY FORCE INTENT UPON STRIKING AT THE BORDERING LAND AREAS.

ALL OF THIS WAS CHANGED BY OUR PACIFIC VICTORY. OUR STRATEGIC FRONTIER THEN SHIFTED TO EMBRACE THE ENTIRE PACIFIC OCEAN WHICH HAS BECOME A VAST MOAT TO PROTECT US AS LONG AS WE HOLD IT. INDEED, IT ACTS AS A PROTECTIVE SHIELD TO ALL OF THE AMERICAS AND ALL FREE LANDS OF THE PACIFIC OCEAN AREA WE CONTROL TO THE SHORES OF ASIA BY A CHAIN OF ISLANDS EXTENDING IN AN ARC FROM THE ALEUTIANS TO THE MARIANAS HELD BY US AND OUR FREE ALLIES. FROM THIS ISLAND CHAIN WE CAN DOMINATE WITH AIR POWER EVERY ASIATIC PORT FROM VLADIVOSTOCK TO SINGAPORE AND PREVENT ANY HOSTILE MOVEMENT INTO THE PACIFIC. ANY PREDATORY ATTACK FROM ASIA MUST BE AN AMPHIBIOUS EFFORT. NO AMPHIBIOUS FORCE CAN BE SUCCESSFUL WITH OUR CONTROL OF THE SEA LANES AND THE AIR OVER THESE LANES IN ITS AVENUE OF ADVANCE. WITH NAVAL AND AIR SUPREMACY AND MODERN GROUND ELEMENTS TO DEFEND BASES, ANY MAJOR ATTACK FROM CONTINENTAL ASIA TOWARD US OR OUR FRIENDS OF THE PACIFIC WOULD COME TO FAILURE. UNDER SUCH CONDITIONS THE PACIFIC NO LONGER REPRESENTS MENACING AVENUES OF APPROACH FOR A PROSPECTIVE INVADER -- IT ASSUMES INSTEAD THE FRIENDLY ASPECT OF A PEACEFUL LAKE. OUR LINE OF DEFENSE IS A NATURAL ONE AND CAN BE MAINTAINED WITH A MINIMUM OF MILITARY EFFORT AND EXPENSE. IT INVISIONS NO ATTACK AGAINST ANYONE NOR DOES IT PROVIDE THE BASTIONS ESSENTIAL FOR OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS, BUT PROPERLY MAINTAINED WOULD BE AN INVINCIBLE DEFENSE AGAINST AGGRESSION. IF WE HOLD THIS LINE WE MAY HAVE PEACE -- LOSE IT AND WAR IS INEVITABLE.

THE GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION OF FORMOSA IS SUCH THAT IN THE HAND OF A POWER UNFRIENDLY TO THE UNITED STATES IT CONSTITUTES AN ENEMY SALIENT IN THE VERY CENTER OF THIS DEFENSIVE PERIMETER, 100 TO 150 MILES CLOSER TO THE ADJACENT FRIENDLY SEGMENTS -- OKINAWA AND THE PHILIPPINES--THAN ANY POINT IN CONTINENTAL ASIA. AT THE PRESENT TIME THERE IS ON FORMOSA A CONCENTRATION OF OPERATIONAL AIR AND NAVAL BASES WHICH IS POTENTIALLY GREATER THAN ANY SIMILAR CONCENTRATION OF THE ASIATIC MAINLAND BETWEEN THE YELLOW SEA AND THE STRAIT OF MALACCA. ADDITIONAL BASES CAN BE DEVELOPED IN A RELATIVELY SHORT TIME BY AN AGGRESSIVE EXPLOTATION OF ALL WORLD WAR II JAPANESE FACILITIES. AN ENEMY FORCE UTILIZING THOSE INSTALLATIONS CURRENTLY AVAILABLE COULD INCREASE BY 100 PERCENT THE AIR EFFORT WHICH COULD BE DIRECTED AGAINST OKINAWA AS COMPARED TO OPERATIONS BASED ON THE MAINLAND AND AT THE SAME TIME COULD DIRECT DAMAGING AIR ATTACKS WITH FIGHTER TYPE AIRCRAFT AGAINST FRIENDLY INSTALLATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES WHICH ARE CURRENTLY BEYOND THE RANGE OF FIGHTERS BASED ON THE MAINLAND. OUR AIR SUPREMACY AT ONCE WOULD BECOME DOUBTFUL.

AS A RESULT OF ITS GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION AND BASE POTENTIAL, UTILIZATION OF FORMOSA BY A MILITARY POWER HOSTILE TO THE UNITED STATES MAY EITHER COUNTER-BALANCE OR OVERSHADOW THE STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE OF THE CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN FLANK OF THE U.S.FRONT LINE POSITION. FORMOSA IN THE HANDS OF SUCH AN HOSTILE POWER COULD BE COMPARED TO AN UNSINKABLE AIRCRAFT CARRIER AND SUBMARINE TENDER IDEALLY LOCATED TO ACCOMPLISH OFFENSIVE STRATEGY AND AT THE SAME TIME CHECKMATE DEFENSIVE OR COUNTER-OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS BY FRIENDLY FORCES BASED ON OKINAWA AND THE PHILIPPINES. THIS UNSINKABLE CARRIER-TENDER HAS THE CAPACITY TO OPERATE FROM 10 TO 20 AIR GROUPS OF TYPES RANGING FROM JET FIGHTERS TO B-29 TYPE BOMBERS AS WELL AS TO PROVIDE FORWARD OPERATING FACILITIES FOR SHORT-RANGE COASTAL SUBMARINES. IN ACQUIRING THIS FORWARD SUBMARINE BASE, THE EFFICACY OF THE SHORT RANGE SUBMARINE WOULD BE SO ENORMOUSLY INCREASED BY THE ADDITIONAL RADIUS OF ACTIVITY AS TO THREATEN COMPLETELY SEA TRAFFIC FROM THE SOUTH AND INTERDICT ALL SEA LANES IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC. SUBMARINE BLOCKADE BY THE ENEMY WITH ALL ITS DESTRUCTIVE RAMIFICATIONS WOULD THEREBY BECOME A VIRTUAL CERTAINTY.

SHOULD FORMOSA FALL AND BASES THEREAFTER COME INTO THE HANDS OF A POTENTIAL ENEMY OF THE U.S., THE LATTER WILL HAVE ACQUIRED AN ADDITIONAL "FLEET" WHICH WILL HAVE BEEN OBTAINED AND CAN BE MAINTAINED AT AN INCOMPARABLY LOWER COST THAN COULD ITS EQUIVALENT IN AIRCRAFT CARRIERS AND SUBMARINE TENDERS. CURRENT ESTIMATES OF AIR AND SUBMARINE RESOURCES IN THE FAR EAST INDICATE THE CAPABILITY OF SUCH A POTENTIAL ENEMY TO EXTEND HIS FORCES SOUTHWARD AND STILL MAINTAIN AN IMPOSING DEGREE OF MILITARY STRENGTH FOR EMPLOYMENT ELSEWHERE IN THE PACIFIC AREA.

HISTORICALLY, FORMOSA HAS BEEN USED AS A SPRINGBOARD FOR JUST SUCH MILITARY AGRESSION DIRECTED AGAINST AREAS TO THE SOUTH. THE MOST NOTABLE AND RECENT EXAMPLE WAS THE UTILIZATION OF IT BY THE JAPANESE IN WORLD WAR II. AT THE OUTBREAK OF THE PACIFIC WAR IN 1941, IT PLAYED AN IMPORTANT PART AS A STAGING AREA AND SUPPORTING BASE FOR THE VARIOUS JAPANESE INVASION CONVOYS. THE SUPPORTING AIR FORCES OF JAPAN'S ARMY AND NAVY WERE BASED ON FIELDS SITUATED ALONG SOUTHERN FORMOSA. FROM 1942 THROUGH 1944 FORMOSA WAS A VITAL LINK IN THE TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATION CHAIN WHICH STRETCHED FROM JAPAN THROUGH OKINAWA AND THE PHILIPPINES TO SOUTHEAST ASIA. AS THE U.S. CARRIER FORCES ADVANCED INTO THE WESTERN PACIFIC, THE BASES ON FORMOSA ASSUMED AN INCREASINGLY GREATER ROLE IN THE JAPANESE DEFENSE SCHEME. SHOULD FORMOSA FALL INTO THE HANDS OF AN HOSTILE POWER, HISTORY WOULD REPEAT ITSELF. ITS MILITARY POTENTIAL WOULD AGAIN BY FULLY EXPLOITED AS THE MEANS TO BREACH AND NEUTRALIZE OUR WESTERN PACIFIC DEFENSE SYSTEM AND MOUNT A WAR OF CONQUEST AGAINST THE FREE NATIONS OF THE PACIFIC BASIN.

NOTHING COULD BE MORE FALLACIOUS THAN THE THREADBARE ARGUMENT BY THOSE WHO ADVOCATE APPEASEMENT AND DEFEATISM IN THE PACIFIC THAT IF WE DEFEND FORMOSA WE ALIENTATE CONTINENTAL ASIA. THOSE WHO SPEAK THUS DO NOT UNDERSTAND THE ORIENT. THEY DO NOT GRANT THAT IT IS IN THE PATTERN OF THE ORIENTAL PSYCHOLOGY TO RESPECT AND FOLLOW AGGRESSIVE, RESOLUTE AND DYNAMIC LEADERSHIP -- TO QUICKLY TURN ON A LEADERSHIP CHARACTERIZED BY TIMIDITY OR VACILLATION -- AND THEY UNDERESTIMATE THE ORIENTAL MENTALITY. NOTHING IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS HAS SO INSPIRED THE FAR EAST AS THE AMERICAN DETERMINATION TO PRESERVE THE BULWARKS OF OUR PACIFIC OCEAN STRATEGIC POSITION FROM FUTURE ENCROACHMENT, FOR FEW OF ITS PEOPLES FAIL ACCURATELY TO APPRAISE THE SAFEGUARD SUCH DETERMINATION BRINGS TO THEIR FREE INSTITUTIONS. TO PURSUE ANY OTHER COURSE WOULD BE TO TURN OVER THE FRUITS OF OUR PACIFIC VICTORY

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TO A POTENTIAL ENEMY. IT WOULD SHIFT ANY FUTURE BATTLE AREA FIVE THOUSAND MILES EASTWARD TO THE COASTS OF THE AMERICAN CONTINENTS, OUR OWN HOME COAST; IT WOULD COMPLETELY EXPOSE OUR FRIENDS IN THE PHILIPPINES, OUR FRIENDS IN AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND, OUR FRIENDS IN INDONESIA, OUR FRIENDS IN JAPAN, AND OTHER AREAS, TO THE LUSTFUL THRUSTS OF THOSE WHO STAND FOR SLAVERY AS AGAINST LIBERTY, FOR ATHEISM AS AGAINST GOD.

THE DECISION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON JUNE 27 LIGHTED INTO FLAME A LAMP OF HOPE THROUGHOUT ASIA THAT WAS BURNING DIMLY TOWARD EXTINCTION. IT MARKED FOR THE FAR EAST THE FOCAL AND TURNING POINT IN THIS AREA'S STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM. IT SWEPT ASIDE IN ONE GREAT MONUMENTAL STROKE ALL OF THE HYPOCRISY AND THE SOPHISTRY WHICH HAS CONFUSED AND DELUDED SO MANY PEOPLE DISTANT FROM THE ACTUAL SCENE.--- END OF MESSAGE.
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WASHINGTON,AUG.27-(AP)-GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR TODAY WITHDREW FROM PUBLIC CIRCULATION A MESSAGE ON THE SUBJECT OF FORMOSA THAT HE HAD SENT TO THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS MEETING IN CHICAGO.

HIS ACTION PRESUMABLY WAS TAKEN AT THE DIRECTION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN.

SUPPORT FOR THIS ASSUMPTION CAME FROM THE WORDING OF A CABLEGRAM MAC ARTHUR SENT TO CLYDE A.LEWIS, VFEW NATIONAL COMMANDER, ASKING THAT THE GENERAL'S MESSAGE BE WITHDRAWN. THE TEXT OF THE CABLE, WHICH WAS MADE PUBLIC BY VFW OFFICIALS IN CHICAGO, SAID:

"I REGRET TO INFORM YOU THAT I HAVE BEEN DIRECTED TO WITHDRAW MY MESSAGE TO THE NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS."

THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE COMMENT FROM THE WHITE HOUSE.

MILITARY OFFICIALS IN TOKYO SAID ANY EXPLANATION FOR THE CANCELLATION OF MACARTHUR'S MESSAGE TO THE VFW CONVENTION WOULD HAVE TO BE FROM THE GENERAL HIMSELF. HE WAS NOT IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE.

THE WHITE HOUSE HAD NO COMMENT ON THE SITUATION. THERE WERE INDICATIONS, HOWEVER, THAT THE ADMINISTRATION POSITION WOULD BE MADE CLEAR TOMORROW.

IN TOKYO, MACARTHUR ANSWERED "NO COMMENT" THROUGH AN AIDE WHEN ASKED FOR CLARIFICATION OF HIS CABLE TO THE VFW WITHDRAWING HIS MESSAGE MILITARY OFFICIALS THERE HAD SAID EARLIER THAT ANY EXPLANATION WOULD HAVE TO COME FROM THE GENERAL HIMSELF.

MACARTHUR'S VIEWS ON FORMOSA HAVE DIFFERED SHARPLY FROM THOSE OF THE ADMINISTRATION. THE GENERAL HAS EXPRESSED HIS OPINIONS TO SOME TOP LEADERS WHO HAVE VISITED HIM IN TOKYO. BECAUSE OF THIS, STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS APPARENTLY WERE NOT TO SURPRISED AT THIS NEW DEVELOPMENT IN CONNECTION WITH MACARTHUR'S VIEWS. SOME OF THEM HAVE LONG EXPECTED THERE WOULD HAVE TO BE A SHOWDOWN WITH HIM ON THE SUBJECT OF FORMOSA.

THE MACARTHUR-VFW INCIDENT WAS THE SECOND TIME IN TWO DAYS THAT THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION HAD CRACKED DOWN ON A HIGH OFFICIAL CONNECTED WITH THE MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT OVER A FOREIGN POLICY ISSUE.

MAC ARTHUR'S STATEMENT HAD BEEN DISTRIBUTED BY THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OFFICE AT CHICAGO ON FRIDAY AND THEREUPON RECEIVED GENERAL CIRCULATION AMONG NEWSPAPERS AND RADIO STATIONS OVER THE COUNTRY, FOR EVENTUAL PUBLICATION ON MONDAY.

AMONG INTERESTED OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON AND PARTICULARLY AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT IT BECAME KNOWN BY SATURDAY AFTERNOON THAT THE UNITED NATIONS COMMANDER IN THE FAR EAST HAD ISSUED A STATEMENT ON FORMOSA WHICH WAS REGARDED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT AS GOING BEYOND PRESENT U.S.POLICY.

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON THERE WERE MEETINGS OF HIGH DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS ON THE PROSPECTIVE REACTION ABROAD TO THE MAC ARTHUR STATEMENT. IT WAS LEARNED THAT THESE OFFICIALS FEARED THAT WHAT MAC ARTHUR PROPOSED TO SAY WOULD PLAY INTO THE HANDS OF COMMUNIST PROPAGANDISTS WHO HAVE CHARGED THE UNITED STATES WITH CONVERTING THE CHINESE NATIONALIST ISLANDS INTO A BASE.

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PRESIDENT TRUMAN, IT WAS LEARNED, WAS INFORMED OF THIS VIEW.

THE CONTENTS OF MAC ARTHUR'S WITHDRAWAL CABLE TO VFW COMMANDER LEWIS WERE DISCLOSED TO NEWSMEN BY THE VFW PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER, VICE ADMIRAL LELAND P.LOVETTE, RET.

THE WAY IN WHICH THE CABLE WAS WORDED STRONGLY INDICATED THAT THOUGH MAC ARTHUR WAS WITHDRAWING HIS VIEWS, HE HAD NOT IN ANY MANNER CHANGED THEM.

LEWIS PROMPTLY ISSUED A STATEMENT TO NEWSPAPERS AND RADIO STATIONS ASKING THEM TO WITHDRAW MAC ARTHUR'S STATEMENT. LEWIS ALSO SAID THAT MAC ARTHUR HAD BEEN ADVISED THAT THE MESSAGE "WOULD NOT BE READ BEFORE THE (VFW) ENCAMPMENT SESSION AS HAD BEEN PLANNED."

HOWEVER, BEFORE LEWIS MADE THE REQUEST, COPIES OF THE WEEKLY NEWS MAGAZINE, U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, PUBLISHED IN WASHINGTON, ALREADY HAD BEEN PLACED IN THE MAILS CARRYING THE FULL TEXT OF THE MACARTHUR MESSAGE TO THE VFW MEETING. THE ISSUE BEARS THE DATE SEPT. 1.

A FOREWORD TO THE TEXT SAYS THE MESSAGE WAS "PREPARED FOR PRESENTATION" TO THE CONVENTION IN CHICAGO.

AN OFFICIAL OF THE MAGAZINE TOLD A REPORTER THE ISSUE WENT TO PRESS FRIDAY NIGHT, AUG. 25, APPROXIMATELY 48 HOURS BEFORE THE VFW ANNOUNCED MACARTHUR'S CABLE WITHDRAWING HIS MESSAGE. THE OFFICIAL SAID THE ISSUE WAS MAILED SATURDAY AND GOES ON SALE AT NEWSSTANDS TUESDAY. SOME COPIES ALREADY ARE REACHING MAIL SUBSCRIBERS.

STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER MICHAEL MC DERMOTT SAID HE HAD NO COMMENT WHEN HE WAS TOLD OF MACARTHUR'S ACTION WITHDRAWING HIS MESSAGE TO THE VFW CONVENTION.

IN WASHINGTON, STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER MICHAEL MCDERMOTT WAS TOLD OF THESE DEVELOPMENTS BUT SAID HE HAD NO COMMENT.

A LITTLE MORE THAN 24 HOURS EARLIER, THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE WHITE HOUSE HAD ACTED TOGETHER TO DISAVOW A STATEMENT BY NAVY SECRETARY MATTHEWS IN BOSTON THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BE PREPARED TO INSTITUTE A WAR IF NECESSARY TO COMPEL OTHER NATIONS TO COOPERATE FOR PEACE.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT TOOK THE VIEW THAT THIS PLAYED INTO THE HANDS OF THE RUSSIANS WHO HAVE LONG CHARGED THE UNITED STATES WITH BEING A NATION OF WARMONGERS AND THAT IT DID NOT IN ANY CASE REPRESENT UNITED STATES POLICY. MR.TRUMAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON DISCUSSED THE MATTER AND THE DEPARTMENT THEN ISSUED A COMMENT DISAVOWING ANY RESPONSIBILITY FOR WHAT MATTHEWS SAID AND DECLARING IT WAS NOT AMERICAN POLICY.

THE WHITE HOUSE ADDED THAT THE SPEECH IN WHICH THE STATEMENT WAS MADE HAD NOT BEEN CLEARED. MATTHEWS HIMSELF THEN CONFIRMED THIS AND ADDED THAT HE WAS EXPRESSING HIS OWN PERSONAL VIEWS--VIEWS AMOUNTING TO AN ARGUMENT FOR A PREVENTIVE WAR OF WHICH THERE APPEARS TO BE INCREASING TALK IN CONGRESS AND IN THE COUNTRY.

INFORMED OFFICIALS DESCRIBED THE QUICK SUCCESSION OF CLASHES BETWEEN MILITARY AND DIPLOMATIC SIDES OF THE GOVERNMENT AS PURELY A MATTER OF COINCIDENCE.

THEY REFERRED TO THE DIFFERENCES OF OPINION BETWEEN MAC ARTHUR AND THE ADMINISTRATION WITH REGARD TO FORMOSA. THEY SAID MAC ARTHUR HAS EXPRESSED HIS VIEWS TO DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON, REPUBLICAN FOREIGN POLICY ADVISER JOHN FOSTER DULLES, PRESIDENTIAL ASSISTANT W.AVERELL HARRIMAN AND OTHER RECENT VISITORS TO TOKYO.

IN SUBSTANCE, IT HAS BEEN KNOWN HERE THAT MAC ARTHUR HAS FELT THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD TAKE VIGOROUS AND POSITIVE STEPS TO MAKE CERTAIN THAT THE ISLAND NOW HELD BY GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALIST FORCES NEVER FALLS INTO THE HANDS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS. HE CONSIDERS ITS POSSESSION BY A FRIENDLY GOVERNMENT OR ALLIED FORCES ESSENTIAL TO THE SECURITY OF AMERICAN POSITION IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC.

ALTHOUGH PRESIDENT TRUMAN ORDERED THE 7TH FLEET TO DEFEND FORMOSA ON JUNE 27 AFTER THE KOREAN CRISIS BROKE, HE DID SO AS A MEANS OF NEUTRALIZING THE ISLAND AND PREVENTING IT FROM BECOMING INVOLVED IN THE KOREAN WAR. ONLY LAST FRIDAY, THE UNITED STATES INFORMED THE UNITED NATIONS THAT IT WOULD WELCOME A U.N.INVESTIGATION OF THE WHOLE SUBJECT AND REAFFIRMED WHAT MR.TRUMAN HAD SAID IN JUNE--THAT THE ISLAND'S FUTURE SHOULD BE SETTLED EITHER THROUGH THE UNITED NATIONS OR A JAPANESE PEACE TREATY.

HOWEVER, BRITAIN, INDIA AND SOME OTHER NATIONS WHICH WOULD PLAY IMPORTANT PARTS IN ANY SUCH SETTLEMENT DO NOT AGREE WITH THE UNITED STATES EITHER ON ITS PRESENT FORMOSAN POLICY OR ON ANY STRONG DEFENSIVE LINE WHICH IT MIGHT TAKE IN THE FUTURE.

THOSE GOVERNMENTS WHICH HAVE RECOGNIZED THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ARE IN A POSITION OF ARGUING THAT FORMOSA BELONGS TO THE REDS. AMERICAN POLICY IN THIS DILEMMA IS DIRECTED TOWARD TRYING TO QUIET DOWN THE WHOLE ISSUE AND STALL OFF INDEFINITELY ANY DECISION OR SHOWDOWN ON FORMOSA'S PERMANENT STATUS.

IT WAS FOR THESE REASONS, IT CAN BE STATED ON HIGHEST AUTHORITY THAT THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION TOOK SUCH A DISTURBED VIEW OF MACARTHUR'S MESSAGE TO THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

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THE THREE MAJOR DEVELOPMENTS ON FORMOSAN POLICY HERE IN RECENT MONTHS HAVE BEEN:

LATE LAST YEAR THE U.S.JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF EVALUATED FORMOSA AS IMPORTANT TO U.S.POSITIONS IN WESTERN PACIFIC BUT NOT VITAL ENOUGH TO REQUIRE THE USE OF AMERICAN TROOPS TO KEEP IT IN FRIENDLY HANDS.

IN JANUARY PRESIDENT TRUMAN DECLARED A HANDS-OFF POLICY WHICH SAID IN EFFECT THAT FORMOSA WAS A PRIZE IN THE CHINESE CIVIL WAR AND THAT THE UNITED STATES WOULD NOT HELP CHIANG TO HOLD IT. THE PRESIDENT THUS REJECTED A MILITARY SUGGESTION THAT IT MIGHT BE A GOOD IDEA TO SEND A MISSION AND GIVE CHIANG SOME ASSISTANCE.

THE THIRD MOVE CAME AFTER THE KOREAN CRISIS BROKE WHEN MR.TRUMAN ON JUNE 27 CALLED FOR THE NEUTRALIZATION OF THE ISLAND AND REVERSED HIS PREVIOUS HANDS OFF POLICY TO GIVE CHIANG DEFENSIVE ASSISTANCE.

SEVERAL WEEKS AGO IN LINE WITH THIS NEW POLICY MAC ARTHUR MADE A FLYING VISIT TO CHIANG. THIS EVIDENCE OF STRONG AMERICAN SUPPORT FOR HIM--THE IDEA THAT THE UNITED STATES MIGHT AGAIN BE TAKING HIM ON AS A FULL TIME ALLY--SO UPSET STATE DEPARTMENT AND WHITE HOUSE THAT MR.TRUMAN SENT HARRIMAN, HIS FOREIGN POLICY CO-ORDINATOR, TO TOKYO TO GET MACARTHUR'S REPORT AND EMPHASIZED TO HIM THE DIPLOMATIC DELICACY OF THE WHOLE SUBJECT OF FORMOSA.

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RE OUR 537PCS, VICE AMD LELAND P. LOVETTE, VFW PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR, SAYS MACARTHUR CABLE TO LEWIS READ: "I REGRET TO INFORM YOU THAT I HAVE BEEN DIRECTED TO WITHDRAW MY MESSAGE TO THE NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT OF THE VFW. MACARTHUR." (DON'T KNOW HERE WHO MADE DIRECTION.)

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HAVE RELEASE FROM VFW SAYING: "AT THE CABLED REQUEST OF GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, CLYDE A. LEWIS, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, EARNESTLY REQUESTS THE PRESS ASSOCIATIONS, NEWSPAPPERS, RADIO AND OTHER MEDIA TO WITHDRAW A STATEMENT FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR WHICH HAS BEEN ISSUED FOR RELEASE AT 9:30 A.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, MONDAY, AUG 28.

"COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF LEWIS ADVISED GENERAL MACARTHUR BY CABLE TODAY (SUNDAY, AUGUST 27) OF THE ABOVE ACTION, ASSURING HIM THAT THE STATEMENT WOULD NOT BE READ BEFORE THE ENCAMPMENT SESSION AS HAD BEEN PLANNED.

"LEWIS ADVISED THE UNITED NATIONS COMMANDER IN TOKYO THAT HIS WISHES WILL BE OBSERVED, AND ASSURED HIM THAT 'MEMBERS OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS ARE WITH THE GENERAL TO A MAN.'"

(ABOVE REFERS TO B5 (TEXT) AND A135 (ABSTRACT) MOVED FRIDAY AUG. 25 DAY REPORT AS ADVANCE FOR 10:30 A.M. (CQ) MONDAY. VRW SAYS HAS NO EXPLANATION OF MACARTHUR ACTION).

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NOTE TO EDITORS

IN CONNECTION WITH THE MACARTHUR MESSAGE STORY (A122 ET SEQ) AND OUR PREVIOUS NOTE TO EDITORS (A145):

FOR YOUR INFORMATION, A COPY OF THE MAGAZINE, U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, DATED SEPTEMBER 1, HAS ARRIVED BY MAIL IN NEW YORK AND CONTAINS THE FULL TEXT OF THE MACARTHUR MESSAGE TO THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS. A FOREWORD TO THE TEXT SAYS THE MESSAGE WAS "PREPARED FOR PRESENTATION" TO THE CONVENTION IN CHICAGO.

AN OFFICIAL OF THE MAGAZINE IN WASHINGTON ADVISES THAT THE SEPT. 1 ISSUE WENT TO PRESS FRIDAY NIGHT, WAS MAILED SATURDAY AND GOES ON SALE AT NEWSTANDS ON TUESDAY.

THIS INFORMATION WILL BE INSERTED IN THE HIGHTOWER STORY SHORTLY.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P. M. EST TODAY, AUG. 27)

(140) MARINES

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 27-(AP)-THE MARINE CORPS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT MAJ. GEN. FIELD HARRIS, WHO HAS BEEN COMMANDER OF AIRCRAFT IN THE PACIFIC FLEET MARINE FORCE AND OF THE FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING AT EL TORO, CAL., IS LEAVING FOR AN ASSIGNMENT IN THE WESTERN

PACIFIC.
NO DETAILS OF HIS ASSIGNMENT WERE DISCLOSED.
HARRIS WILL BE SUCCEEDED BY MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM J. WALLACE, WHO HAS BEEN DIRECTOR OF AVIATION AND ASSISTANT COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS FOR AIR AT HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON.
BRIG.GEN.CLAYTON C.JEROME WILL BECOME THE NEW DIRECTOR OF AVIATION AND ASSISTANT COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS FOR AIR. HE HAS BEEN DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INFORMATION, RECRUITING, AND HISTORY FOR THE MARINE CORPS AT WASHINGTON.
JEROME'S SUCCESSOR WILL BE BRIG.GEN.JOHN C.MCQUEEN, FORMER DIRECTOR OF THE TWELFTH RESERVE DISTRICT AT SAN FRANCISCO.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 PM, EST, TODAY, AUG.27)
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A142WX
FIRST LEAD CASUALTIES
WASHINGTON,AUG.27-(AP)-A LIST OF 929 CASUALTIES FROM THE KOREAN FIGHTING WAS ISSUED TODAY BY THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT.
A DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN SAID HOWEVER THE LIST UNDOUBTEDLY REPRESENT A "BACKLOG" OF CASUALTIES.
HE EXPLAINED THAT WHEN CASUALTY REPORTS ARE RECEIVED FROM JAPAN, THE NEXT OF KIN MUST BE NOTIFIED AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT OBTAINED THAT THEY HAVE BEEN INFORMED BEFORE THE LIST CAN BE COMPILED FOR PUBLICATION.
THIS HE SAID TAKES TIME AND MAY RESULT IN A BACKLOG DEVELOPING.
THE DEPARTMENT HAS NOT PUBLISHED ANY TOTALS ON CASUALTIES IN THE KOREAN WAR LATELY ON THE GROUNDS OF SECURITY.
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A154PX
(130)
PHILADELPHIA, AUG 27-(AP)-SENATOR FRANCIS J.MYERS, (D-PA), SAID TODAY OPPOSITION TO COMMUNISM VOICED BY REPUBLICAN MEMBERS OF CONGRESS REPRESENT "JUST WORDS."
IN A STATEMENT RELEASED FROM THE MYERS HEADQUARTERS HERE, THE SENATOR SAID THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IS READY TO "MEET, AND MEET HARD, REPUBLICAN ATTEMPTS TO INJECT THE KOREAN WAR INTO THE FALL CAMPAIGN AS A PARTISAN POLITICAL ISSUE."
THE VOTING RECORD OF GOP CONGRESSMEN "BELIES THEIR WORDS," MYERS SAID, ADDING:
"WHEN THE REPUBLICAN CONGRESSMEN HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO BACK UP THOSE WORDS BY THEIR VOTES, THEY WERE FOUND WANTING."
MYERS--OPPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION BY REPUBLICAN GOVERNOR JAMES H.DUFF--CHARGED "THE OVERWHELMING MAJORITY OF HOUSE REPUBLICANS ON KEY VOTES HAVE LINED UP WITH CONGRESSMAN MARCANTONIO, THE AMERICAN LABOR PARTY REPRESENTATIVE, WHO ALWAYS VOTES THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE."
MYERS IS THE DEMOCRATIC WHIP IN THE SENATE--THE NO.2 PARTY POST.
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TEMPLE,N.H.,AUG.27-(AP)-SEN.TOBEY (R-NH) SAID TODAY HE ASKED GEN.OMAR BRADLEY IF THE KOREAN WAR MEANT WORLD WAR III AND RECEIVED THIS REPLY:
"YOU KNOW JUST AS MUCH ABOUT IT AS THE GENERAL STAFF, SENATOR. WE ARE HOPING FOR THE BEST AND PREPARING FOR THE WORST."
TOBEY SAID HE POSED THE QUESTION LAST WEEK DURING A CONFERENCE WITH THE ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF.
THE ELDERLY SENATOR MADE THE DISCLOSURE AT A HYMN SING IN A PASTURE ON HIS FARM. TOBEY PLAYED PIANO ACCOMPANIMENT FOR SOME 500 PERSONS GATHERED FOR THE ANNUAL AFFAIR SPONSORED FOR 36 YEARS BY TOBEY.
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A40
(120)
NEW YORK, AUG. 27-(AP)-A GROUP OF 44 SWEDISH MEDICAL PERSONNEL, THE FIRST CONTINGENT OF A 176-MEMBER VOLUNTEER MEDICAL TEAM EN ROUTE TO SOUTH KOREA, ARRIVED HERE BY PLANE TODAY FROM STOCKHOLM.
THE REMAINDER OF THE HOSPITAL PERSONNEL ARE SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE AT NEW YORK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT ON THREE OTHER CHARTERED PLANES TOMORROW, NEXT THURSDAY AND SATURDAY.
THE HOSPITAL UNIT IS BEING SENT TO KOREA BY SWEDEN AS ITS CONTRIBUTION TO THE UNITED NATIONS WAR EFFORT. THE TOTAL HOSPITAL GROUP WILL INCLUDE 10 PHYSICIANS, ONE DENTIST, TWO PHARMACISTS, 31 NURSES AND 84 AMBULANCE AND TRUCK DRIVERS, COOKS AND ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL.
THE UNIT ARRIVING TODAY CONSISTED OF THREE PHYSICIANS, 10 NURSES AND 31 OTHER PERSONNEL. THEY WILL PROCEED TO FORT DIX, N.J., WHERE THE ENTIRE CONTINGENT WILL BE ORGANIZED BEFORE GOING TO JAPAN BY PLANE THE FIRST WEEK IN SEPTEMBER.
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A163 (300)
LONDON, MONDAY, AUG. 28-(AP)-RUSSIA HAS RENEWED HER PROTEST OF GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S CLEMENCY POLICY FOR JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS, A TASS DISPATCH SAID TODAY.
THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY SAID A NEW NOTE ACCUSING MACARTHUR OF "EXCEEDING HIS PREROGATIVES" HAD BEEN DELIVERED TO THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON FRIDAY.
THE NOTE, TASS SAID, RENEWED PROTESTS OF MACARTHUR'S DIRECTIVE NO. 5, ISSUED IN TOKYO MARCH 7. THE SOVIETS CLAIM THIS DIRECTIVE CONSTITUTES AN ATTEMPT TO ESTABLISH THE PRACTICE OF FREEING MAJOR JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS "ON THE PERSONAL ORDER OF THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION FORCES IN JAPAN." IT POINTED OUT THAT THE JAPANESE IN QUESTION HAD BEEN SENTENCED BY AN INTERNATIONAL MILITARY TRIBUNAL IN TOKYO.
AN EARLIER SOVIET PROTEST OF THE DIRECTIVE WAS DELIVERED IN WASHINGTON MAY 11. THE STATE DEPARTMENT ALMOST IMMEDIATELY REJECTED THAT NOTE, SAYING THAT MACARTHUR, AS SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER IN JAPAN, HAD AMPLE AUTHORITY FOR HIS ACTION. THE DEPARTMENT ALSO CLAIMED THE GENERAL, BY SETTING UP A PAROLE SYSTEM, WAS ACTING "IN ACCORDANCE WITH ENLIGHTENED PRACTICE IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES." FORMAL REJECTION BY THE U.S. OF THE RUSSIAN PROTEST WAS ISSUED IN A REPLY TO MOSCOW JUNE 8.
THE NEW SOVIET NOTE CHARGED:
"HAVING TAKEN A DECISION ON THE POSSIBILITY OF PRE-TERM RELEASE OF MAJOR JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS KNOWN TO BE SENTENCED BY AN INTERNATIONAL RIBUNAL FOR THE MOST GRAVE CRIMES AGAINST THE PEACE OF HUMANITY, GEN.MACARTHUR EXCEEDED HIS PREROGATIVES AND VIOLATED AGREED-UPON DECISIONS CONCERNING JAPAN."
THE NOTE INSISTED THAT THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT "TAKE IMMEDIATE MEASURES" TO RESCIND THE MACARTHUR DIRECTIVE.
TASS SAID THAT COPIES OF THE NOTE HAD BEEN SENT TO MEMBER COUNTRIES OF THE FAR EASTERN COMMISSION: AUSTRALIA, BURMA, BRITAIN, THE NETHERLANDS, INDIA, CANADA, NEW ZEALAND, PAKISTAN, THE PHILIPPINES, AND FRANCE. A COPY ALSO WAS SENT TO THE CHINESE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT.
THE 11-NATIONAL INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL SENTENCED 25 JAPANESE FOR WAR CRIMES. SEVEN. INCLUDING PREMIER HIDEKI TOJO. WERE HANGED.

IN WASHINGTON, A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL TOLD A REPORTER HE HAD NOT SEEN A COPY OF THE REPORTED NEW RUSSIAN NOTE. HE SAID THAT IT MAY HAVE BEEN RECEIVED, HOWEVER, AND MAY BE IN PROCESS OF TRANSLATION.
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A72 (280)
LONDON, AUG. 27-(AP)-BRITAIN SECRETARY FOR OVERSEAS TRADE DENIED TONIGHT THAT THIS COUNTRY WAS SENDING STRAGETIC WAR MATERIAL TO RUSSIA.
"IN SUPPLYING GOODS TO RUSSIA," ARTHUR BOTTOMLEY SAID IN A STATEMENT, "BRITAIN HAS BEEN CAREFUL TO WITHHOLD ANY COMMODITIES WHICH COME INTO THE CATEGORY OF STRATEGIC PRIORITY."
BOTTOMLEY WAS REPLYING TO CHARGES MADE LAST NIGHT BY WINSTON CHURCHILL THAT BRITISH FIRMS, INCLUDING CRAVEN BROTHERS, ONE OF ENGLAND'S LARGEST TOOL MAKERS, WERE FILLING ORDERS FOR RUSSIA. SOME OF THE TOOLS MADE, CHURCHILL SAID, ARE "OF THE CLASS REQUIRED FOR THE MANUFACTURE AND REPAIR OF TANKS."
BOTTOMLEY DECLARED:
"WHAT HAS HAPPENED IS THAT WE HAVE HAD ESSENTIAL SUPPLIES FROM RUSSIA IN THE SHAPE OF GRAIN AND TIMBER, AND IN RETURN WE HAVE HAD TO MAKE PAYMENT. THE GOODS SUPPLIED BY BRITAIN, WHILE COVERING A WIDE RANGE, HAVE BEEN OUTSIDE THE CATEGORY OF THOSE NECESSARY FOR BUILDING UP WAR POTENTIAL."
J.R.GREENWOOD, CHAIRMAN AND MANAGING DIRECTOR OF CRAVEN BROTHERS, SAID IN STOCKPORT, ENGLAND, MEANWHILE, THAT HIS FIRM IS FINISHING THE FIRST PART OF A LARGE ORDER FOR RUSSIA.
HE ADDED THAT THE COMPANY WILL CONTINUE FULFILLING THE RUSSIAN ORDERS "IN INCREASING QUANTITIES UNTIL 1951."
"WE HAVE BEEN DOING BUSINESS WITH RUSSIA FOR 20 YEARS," GREENWOOD SAID. "I AND THE COMPANY WANT TO GO ON DOING THE WORK.
"BUT UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS WE HAVE TO ASK OURSELVES WHETHER WE ARE DOING THE RIGHT THING.
"THAT QUESTION I HAVE BEEN PUTTING TO THE GOVERNMENT FOR OVER TWO YEARS X X X BUT I COULD GET NOWHERE WITH THE GOVERNMENT."
IN 1949 BRITAIN GOT 1,000,000 TONS OF GRAIN AND 100,000 STANDARDS OF TIMBER FROM RUSSIA. THIS YEAR RUSSIA HAS PROMISED TO SUPPLY ONE AND A HALF TIMES AS MUCH TIMBER BUT THERE HAS BEEN NO AGREEMENT ON GRAIN.
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A61 (250)
LONDON, AUG. 27-(AP)-A DEPOSIT OF URANIUM ORE OF PERHAPS A MILLION TONS--THE LARGEST SINGLE DEPOSIT UNCOVERED IN THE BRITISH ISLES--HAS BEEN FOUND BY PROSPECTORS IN NORTHERN WALES, THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY.
THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY EXPLAINED CAUTIOUSLY THAT THE URANIUM ORE--AN IMPORTANT RAW MATERIAL FOR ATOMIC ENERGY--IS OF "EXTREMELY LOW YIELD" AND HINTED IT MIGHT NOT BE FEASIBLE FOR EXPLOITATION.
BUT AN OFFICIAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH SAID THE ORE IS "IN NO WAY INFERIOR" TO THAT BEING WORKED BY THE RUSSIANS IN EASTERN GERMANY. A DEPARTMENT STATEMENT ANNOUNCING THE DISCOVERY SAID:
"RELATIVELY HIGH RADIO-ACTIVITY HAS BEEN DISCOVERED IN THE DOLGELLY BLACK BAND SHALES OF NORTH WALES, WHERE POSSIBLY A MILLION TONS OF URANIUM IS PRESENT IN SUBMARGINAL GRADE ROCKS CARRYING 80 GRAMS PER TON."
THE DEPARTMENT OF SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH IS AN AUTONOMOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCY WHICH WORKS CLOSELY WITH THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY.
A MINISTRY OF SUPPLY SPOKESMAN, IN COMMENTING ON THE REPORT, SAID "ORE OF 80 GRAMS A TON IS OF EXTREMELY LOW YIELD AND IS IN FACT BELOW THE LIMITS WHICH HAVE UP TO NOW BEEN CONSIDERED WORTH EXPLOITATION."
HE SAID DEPOSITS OF SIMILAR YIELD HAVE BEEN FOUND IN NUMEROUS PARTS OF THE WORLD, MOST RECENTLY IN SWEDEN.
THE DEPOSIT WAS UNCOVERED BY PROSPECTORS OF THE GOVERNMENT'S GEOLOGICAL SURVEY. IN MARCH OF LAST YEAR THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY OFFERED A MINIMUM OF £1,540 ($4,312) A TON FOR URANIUM ORE IN THIS COUNTRY AND THE COLONIES. THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED SEVERAL WEEKS AGO PLANS TO BUILD A £10,000,000 ($28,000,000) PLANT AT CAPENHURST TO PRODUCE URANIUM 235--THE REFINED PRODUCT USED IN THE ATOM BOMB.
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A113 (190)
LONDON, AUG. 27-(AP)-COMMUNIST CHINA TONIGHT DEMANDED THE OUSTER OF NATIONALIST CHINA'S REPRESENTATIVES FROM THREE UNITED NATIONS AGENCIES.
THE PEIPING RADIO SAID RED CHINESE FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI HAD CABLED U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE AND AGENCY HEADS DEMANDING THAT THE NATIONALISTS BE REMOVED FROM THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND AND THE INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT (WORLD BANK). HEADS OF THESE AGENCIES ARE, RESPECTIVELY, CAMILLE GUTT AND EUGENE R.BLACK. CHOU WANTS THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS BARRED FROM BOARD MEETINGS OF THESE TWO BODIES OPENING IN PARIS SEPT. 6.
IN ANOTHER MESSAGE TO LIE, CHOU SAID COMMUNIST CHINA WAS APPOINTING DELEGATES TO THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY FUND (UNICEF). HE DEMANDED THAT NATIONALIST REPRESENTATIVES BE REMOVED FROM THIS BOARD, THE PEIPING RADIO SAID.
THE RED FOREIGN MINISTER CHARGED THAT "MISSIONS AND PERSONNEL SENT OUT IN THE PAST BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF UNICEF WORKING IN THE LIBERATED AREAS OF CHINA HAVE FAILED TO ADHERE STRICTLY TO THE PRINCIPLE OF RESPECTING OUR NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY, HAVE TRANSGRESSED REPEATEDLY AGREEMENTS REACHED BETWEEN THEM AND RELIEF BODIES IN THE LIBERATED AREAS OF CHINA, AND HAVE FAILED TO CARRY OUT TRULY THEIR RELIEF DUTIES. THIS KIND OF STATE OF AFFAIRS MUST BE REDRESSED."
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A117 (150)
LONDON, AUG. 27-(AP)-THE OFFICIAL YUGOSLAV NEWS AGENCY TANJUG REPORTED TODAY THAT TWO FORMER HIGH RANKING MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNIST HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT HAVE BEEN PLACED UNDER ARREST.
TANJUG SAID THAT FORMER MINISTER OF JUSTICE ISTVAN RIES AND FORMER MINISTER OF LIGHT INDUSTRY GYORGY MAROSAN HAD BEEN JAILED. HUNGARY ANNOUNCED ON JULY 18 THAT RIES HAD RESIGNED AND ON AUG. 5 THAT MAROSAN HAD QUIT. THEY WERE THE LAST TWO MEMBERS OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN THE CABINET. THEIR RESIGNATIONS WERE BELIEVED THE CLIMAX OF A CAMPAIGN AGAINST "RIGHT WING SOCIALISTS" IN THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED COUNTRY. THEY WERE SUCCEEDED BY COMMUNISTS.
TANJUG SPECULATED THAT PREMIER ISTVAN DOBI'S JOB WOULD BE TAKEN OVER SOON BY DEPUTY PREMIER MATYAS RAKOSI, THE REAL BOSS OF THE COUNTRY. DOBI IS A MEMBER OF THE INDEPENDENT SMALLHOLDERS' PARTY WHICH IS NOW ENTIRELY CONTROLLED BY LEFTISTS. DOBI, AS FAR AS IS KNOWN HERE, HAS DUTIFULLY CARRIED OUT RAKOSI'S ORDERS.
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LONDON, AUG. 27-(AP)-FRANCE AND BRITAIN WILL BEGIN DISCUSSIONS TOMORROW ON COMMON DEFENSE OF WEST AFRICA, THE DEFENSE MINISTRY ANNOUNCED TODAY.
THE MILITARY TALKS WILL BE ON A LOCAL COMMAND LEVEL AT DAKAR "ON COMMON BUT PURELY LOCAL PROBLEMS RELATING TO THE DEFENSE OF FRENCH AND BRITISH TERRITORIES IN WEST AND EQUATORIAL AFRICA," THE ANNOUNCEMENT ADDED.
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A107 (360)
BY JOSEPH E.DYNAN
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG 27-(AP)-MEMBERS OF THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TODAY PREPARED A PLEA FOR "DEFINITE PLANS" AND "POSITIVE DECISIONS" TOWARD EUROPEAN UNITY ON THE PART OF MEMBER GOVERNMENTS.
AT THE SAME TIME, EUROPE'S FOREIGN MINISTERS WERE DIRECTLY BLAMED FOR THE CURRENT LACK OF UNITY, AND ASKED TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT IN THE NEXT THREE MONTHS.
THE CALL WAS EMBODIED IN A PROPOSED LETTER TO THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE'S COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS WHICH IS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE ASSEMBLY TOMORROW. DRAFTED BY THE ASSEMBLY'S GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, COPIES OF THIS LETTER WERE CIRCULATED HERE TODAY.
THE LETTER DECLARED THAT THE MINISTERS' ACTIONS FOR EUROPEAN UNIFICATION THUS FAR HAVE BEEN "EXTREMELY DISAPPOINTING." IT ACCUSED THE MINISTERS OF TAKING A PATRONIZING ATTITUDE TOWARD THE ASSEMBLY, AND ASSERTED THE MINISTERS AND THEIR GOVERNMENTS HAVE IGNORED MOST OF THE WORK ACCOMPLISHED IN THE ASSEMBLY LAST YEAR.
THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS IS THE UPPER HOUSE AND THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY THE LOWER HOUSE OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE--AN UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT WHOSE GENERAL AIM IS UNIFICATION OF WESTERN EUROPE.
THE LETTER ASSERTED THAT THE ASSEMBLY WANTS THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS TO PROVIDE "DEFINITE PLANS" FOR CLOSER EUROPEAN UNITY. IT ADDED:
"IT (THE ASSEMBLY) EXPRESSED THE FIRM HOPE THAT THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS WILL ACQUAINT IT, BEFORE THE OPENING OF THE SECOND PERIOD OF ITS PRESENT SESSION, OF THE FIRST POSITIVE DECISIONS" ON ASSEMBLY RECOMMENDATIONS.
THE SECOND HALF OF THIS SESSION IS TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR EARLY DECEMBER OR LATE NOVEMBER. THE LETTER, THE ASSEMBLY'S REPLY TO A MESSAGE EARLIER THIS MONTH FROM THE MINISTERS, IS THE FIRST ITEM ON A LOADED AGENDA ON GENERAL AFFAIRS.
ASSEMBLY OFFICIALS HOPE TO MAKE MONDAY'S SESSION THE LAST OF THE CURRENT SITTINGS, BUT MANY FEARED EVEN A NIGHT SESSION WOULD FAIL TO WIND UP PENDING BUSINESS.
AMONG THE PEPPERY ISSUES FACING ASSEMBLYMEN IN THE HOME STRETCH ARE PROPOSALS TO BYPASS THE MINISTERS BY TAKING ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS DIRECTLY TO MEMBER PARLIAMENTS, AND AN INTERIM REPORT ON WINSTON CHURCHILL'S PROPOSAL FOR A EUROPEAN ARMY.
THE ARMY PROJECT HAS BEEN ALL BUT SHELVED IN COMMITTEE, AND THE INTERIM REPORT WILL BE THE FIRST OPPORTUNITY FOR OTHER ASSEMBLYMEN TO DEBATE IT IN PUBLIC. THE INTERIM REPORT MERELY SAYS THAT THE MATTER IS OF SUCH IMPORTANCE THAT IT MUST BE STUDIED FURTHER.
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A101 (260)
SETE, FRANCE, AUG. 27-(AP)-DEFENSE MINISTER JULES MOCH SAID TONIGHT FRANCE IS COMPLETELY OPPOSED TO THE IDEA OF A PREVENTIVE WAR AS OUTLINED YESTERDAY BY U.S. NAVY SECRETARY FRANCIS P.MATTHEWS.
MOCH SAID HE REGRETTED MATTHEWS' STATEMENTS, WHICH WERE MADE IN A SPEECH AT BOSTON, AND INDICATED HE EXPECTS THE COMMUNISTS TO TRY TO MAKE AN ISSUE OF THEM. FRIDAY NIGHT
SPEAKING BLUNTLY, MOCH SAID:
"AN AMERICAN CABINET MEMBER CONTEMPLATED YESTERDAY WITH VIGOR WHICH I REGRET AN IDEA THAT IS NOT OURS--THAT OF PREVENTIVE WAR.
"MUST I SAY THAT THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT REFUSES IN THE MOST FORMAL MANNER TO CONTEMPLATE ANY IDEA OF THIS KIND? FOR US IT IS A QUESTION OF MAKING AGGRESSION IMPOSSIBLE, THUS TO PREVENT WAR AND NOT TO PREVENT WAR IN MAKING WAR.
"SUCH IS ALSO THE UNANIMOUS THOUGHT OF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT, THE BRITISH MINISTER OF AIR CONFIRMED TO ME THIS MORNING. ALSO, THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES DISAPPROVED YESTERDAY AT 5:45 P.M. THE DECLARATION OF MATTHEWS, AND HE INDICATED AT 8 P.M. THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAD NOT BEEN INFORMED PREVIOUSLY.
"TONIGHT THE AMERICAN MINISTER SAID MATTHEWS HAD GIVEN ONLY HIS OWN OPINION. THE INCIDENT IS THEN CLOSED EVEN IF THE COMMUNISTS TRY TO EXPLOIT IT. WE WILL NOT MAKE PREVENTIVE WAR."
MOCH WENT ON TO SAY THAT IN THE EVENTUALITY OF AGGRESSION AGAINST THE WEST, "THERE WILL BE NO RETREATING. THERE WILL BE NO RESISTING FROM ENGLAND OR AFRICA. THERE WILL BE NO MOUNTING FROM AFAR AN IMMENSE OPERATION OF LIBERATION WHICH WOULD LIBERATE ONLY CEMETERIES AND RUINS OF OUR CIVILIZATION.
"THERE WILL BE FIGHTING, ON THE CONTRARY, AS FAR TO THE EAST AS POSSIBLE, THE CLOSEST (POSSIBLE) TO THE IRON CURTAIN FROM WHERE THE AGGRESSION WOULD COME. I WISH TO SAY THAT THIS IS IN THE BOULEVARD WHICH OUR COMMON VICTORY HAS PERMITTED US TO OCCUPY BETWEEN THE RHINE AND THE ELBE."
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FONTAINEBLEAU, FRANCE, AUG. 27-(AP)-BRITISH AIR CHIEF MARSHAL SIR JAMES ROBB, COMMANDER OF WESTERN EUROPEAN UNION AIR FORCES, SAID TODAY HE WAS GENERALLY SATISFIED WITH THREE-DAY EXERCISES JUST ENDED.
THE MANEUVERS WHICH BEGAN FRIDAY TESTED OUT A RADAR NETWORK EXTENDING OVER BELGIUM, HOLLAND AND NORTHWESTERN FRANCE. THE WAR GAMES GAVE BRITISH, FRENCH, DUTCH AND BELGIUM FIGHTER PILOTS EXPERIENCE IN INTERCEPTING "RAIDS" BY AMERICAN AND BRITISH BOMBERS FLYING FROM BRITAIN AND GERMANY.
--DASH--
BREDA, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG. 27-(AP)-A DUTCH SPITFIRE PLANE ON PATROL OVER SOUTHERN HOLLAND CRASHED TODAY ONLY 10 MINUTES BEFORE THE END OF THE WESTERN EUROPEAN UNION'S AIR DEFENSE EXERCISES. THE DUTCH PILOT HAS NOT BEEN FOUND AND IS BELIEVED KILLED. THE PLANE WAS ONE OF THOSE PARTICIPATING IN THE DEFENSE MANEUVERS WHICH BEGAN FRIDAY.
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WITH FONTAINEBLEAU

Breda, The Netherlands, Aug. 27--(AP)--A Dutch Spitfire plane on patrol over [redacted] southern Holland crashed today only 10 minutes before the end of [redacted] the Western European Union's air defense exercises. The Dutch pilot has not been found and is believed killed.

The plane was one of those participating in the defense maneuvers which began Friday.

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THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG. 27-(AP)-PERCY C SPENDER, AUSTRALIAN MINISTER FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, ARRIVED HERE TODAY FOR DISCUSSIONS WITH THE DUTCH GOVERNMENT ON THE PROBLEM OF NEW GUINEA.
SPENDER SAID THAT AUSTRALIA HAD SERIOUS OBJECTIONS TO THE INDONESIAN REPUBLIC TAKING OVER THE WESTERN PART OF NEW GUINEA.
THE EASTERN PART OF NEW GUINEA IS ADMINISTERED BY AUSTRALIA UNDER A MANDATE FROM THE UNITED NATIONS. THE WESTERN PART IS CONTROLLED BY THE DUTCH BUT IS CLAIMED BY THE YOUNG INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT.
SPENDER, IN A STATEMENT LAST JUNE, SAID AUSTRALIA CONSIDERS SHE HAS A VITAL STRATEGIC INTEREST IN WESTERN NEW GUINEA. HE STRONGLY IMPLIED THAT AUSTRALIA MUST BE CONSULTED BEFORE THERE IS ANY CHANGE IN THE ISLAND'S PRESENT STATUS.
HE REFUSED TO COMMENT ON REPORTS THAT AUSTRALIA FAVORS A COMMON DUTCH-AUSTRALIAN ADMINISTRATION OVER THE WHOLE OF THE ISLAND.
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A23
(700)
BY DANIEL DE LUCE
BERLIN, AUG. 27-(AP)-A FUGITIVE PEOPLE'S POLICE LIEUTENANT DECLARED TODAY THAT 600 PICKED MEN--MOST OF THEM ARDENT COMMUNISTS--ARE BEING TRAINED IN THE SOVIET ZONE'S CHIEF MILITARY SCHOOL FOR OFFICERS' IN EAST GERMANY'S FUTURE RED ARMY.
HE THREW HIMSELF ON THE MERCY OF THE WEST BERLIN REFUGEE OFFICE AFTER FLEEING HERE WITH HIS WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN FROM THE SOVIET ZONE. UNTIL YESTERDAY NOON HE WAS A CANDIDATE FOR A MAJOR'S COMMISSION IN THE DISGUISED MILITARY FORCES OF EAST GERMANY.

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THIS WAS HIS STORY UNMASKING THE SECRECY SURROUNDING THE SCHOOL AS TOLD TO A REPORTER WHILE THE MAN ARRANGED FOR OVERNIGHT CHARITY LODGINGS FOR HIS FAMILY:
SINCE EARLY JUNE HE HAD BEEN ENROLLED IN THE SOVIET ZONE'S CHIEF MILITARY SCHOOL AT KOCHSTEDT ON THE ELBE RIVER NEAR DESSAU. THERE 300 PEOPLE'S POLICEMEN ARE STUDYING TO BECOME BATTALION COMMANDERS IN THE FLEDGLING ARMY WITH THE RANK OF MAJOR. ANOTHER 300 ARE MARKED FOR JUNIOR COMMISSIONS IN THE PRESENT BEREITSCHAFTEN (MILITARIZED POLICE BATTALIONS).
ALL ARE MEMBERS OF THE SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY.
"MOST ARE FIRM BELIEVERS IN COMMUNISM," HE SAID. "ONLY A FEW MAY BE GETTING THEIR FILL OF DICTATORSHIP AND TERROR LIKE I DID."
THE MAJOR POINTS OF HIS STORY ARE CONFIRMED BY INDEPENDENT INFORMATION IN THE HANDS OF BRITISH AND AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS. UNTIL OFFICIAL STUDY OF HIS CASE IS COMPLETED, HIS NAME CANNOT BE RELEASED FOR PUBLICATION.
HE COULD GIVE NO FRESH ESTIMATE ON THE OVERALL STRENGTH OF MILITARIZED POLICE IN EAST GERMANY, WHICH THE ALLIES PUT AT 50,000 MEN WITH QUICK EXPANSION POSSIBLE IN THE FUTURE.
BUT HE FURNISHED A DETAILED BEHIND-THE-SCENES REPORT ON THE WORKINGS OF THE KOCHSTEDT SCHOOL, IN EFFECT A SECRET WAR COLLEGE.
"WE WERE TOLD AT KOCHSTEDT", HE SAID, "THAT EVERY ORDER FROM THE POLICE HIGH COMMAND WAS COUNTERSIGNED BY THE POLITBURO OF THE SED (SOCIALIST UNITY PARTY). THEREFORE, EVERY ORDER HAD TO BE FAITHFULLY OBEYED, BECAUSE THE POLITBURO REPRESENTED THE WORKING MASSES--THE PEOPLE."
"WE ALSO WERE TOLD," HE SAID, "THAT THE POLITICAL SITUATION MAKES IT NECESSARY TO BUILD UP THE BEREITSCHAFTEN. WE MUST SUPPORT THE SOVIET UNION WHEN IT IS ATTACKED BY CAPITALIST POWERS, AND DEFEND THE 'GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC' AGAINST INTERNAL AND FOREIGN ENEMIES.
"THAT'S WHAT WE WERE TOLD. BUT MY OWN BELIEF IS THAT IT WILL BE THE EAST WHICH ATTACKS THE WEST. THE SOVIET ARMY WILL BE THE SPEARHEAD, THE BEREITSCHAFTEN ONLY HANGERS-ON. WHEN? I DON'T KNOW. BUT I AM CONVICED WAR IS COMING."
A SMALL MAN NOW IN HIS LATE THIRTIES, WITH BLUE EYES AND THIN BLOND HAIR, THE FUGITIVE WAS A WAITER BEFORE 1939 AND THEN SERVED AS A PRIVATE IN THE MEDICAL CORPS IN THE NAZI WEHRMACHT. HE JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY IN 1945 AND ROSE TO OBERKOMMISSAR (FIRST LIEUTENANT) IN THE PEOPLE'S POLICE IN THE MAGDEBURG AREA.
WITHOUT WARNING, HE SAID, HE SUDDENLY RECEIVED AN ORDER TO REPORT TO THE KOCHSTEDT SCHOOL TWO MONTHS AGO.
THE FUGITIVE REPORTED FURTHER:
KOCHSTEDT BEGAN TRAINING MILITARY OFFICERS IN NOVEMBER, 1949, AND THE FIRST CLASS WAS GRADUATED LAST JUNE. GEN. FREYTAG IS THE DIRECTOR, COL. VON WITZLEBEN THE CHIEF MILITARY INSTRUCTOR AND COL. ZEDLER IN CHARGE OF POLITICAL-CULTURAL TRAINING. FREYTAG HAS A RUSSIAN OFFICER AS HIS FIRST ASSISTANT, COL. SERGEIEV, WHO WEARS THE GERMAN UNIFORM.
OFFICER CANDIDATES ARE DIVIDED INTO FOUR COMPANIES OF 150 MEN EACH. THE MEN PRACTICED WITH GERMAN ARMY MODEL CARBINES, AUTOMATIC RIFLES, MACHINE PISTOLS, MACHINE GUNS, HAND GRENADES AND MEDIUM MORTARS. AT LEAST TWO HOURS A DAY WERE DEVOTED DIRECTLY TO PROBLEMS OF COMMANDING A BATTALION IN BATTLE. THEY WERE LECTURED ON CAPABILITIES OF TANKS AND ARTILLERY, DEMOLITION OF BRIDGES, MAP READING AND INTELLIGENCE ASSESSMENTS.
"WE DID NOT ACTUALLY HAVE ANY TANKS AND ARTILLERY". THE FUGITIVE

CONTINUED. "WE WERE REQUIRED TO CONSIDER THEM THEORETICALLY AS PART OF OUR PROBLEMS, WHICH HAD TO DO WITH COMMANDING A BATTALION OF INFANTRY IN COMBAT.

"OUR DAY'S PROGRAM STARTED AT 5:45 IN THE MORNING AND CONTINUED UNTIL 7 P.M. A POLITICAL OFFICER GAVE US A 50-MINUTE LECTURE DAILY, AND A DIFFERENT STUDENT WAS APPOINTED EACH MORNING TO READ US COMMUNIST ARTICLES FOR 25 MINUTES.

"ALL OF IT WAS THE USUAL DOCTRINE. THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC IS A PEACEFUL, INDEPENDENT STATE. THE SOVIET UNION IS THE BULWARK OF WORLD PEACE. CAPITALISM IS PREPARING FOR AGGRESSION. AND THE ARGUMENTS AS TO WHY WE SHOULD BELIEVE THESE THINGS.

"NEAR MY HOME IN THE MAGDEBURG DISTRICT THIS SUMMER, I HAVE SEEN SOVIET TANKS AND TROOPS ARRIVE BY TRAIN FROM THE EAST, UNLOAD, AND GO TO THE RUSSIAN CAMPS IN THE WOODS. PERHAPS ONLY FOR MANEUVERS. PERHAPS FOR SOMETHING MORE IMPORTANT IN THE FUTURE.

"IN THE MAGDEBURG DISTRICT, THE RUSSIANS ARE AGAIN MISTREATING GERMAN CIVILIANS, INCLUDING WOMEN, AS THEY DID AT THE END OF THE WAR.

"BUT OF THINGS LIKE THIS, NOTHING WAS MENTIONED AT KOCHSTEDT."

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A8 (500)

LEIPZIG FAIR BUDGET

BY THOMAS A.REEDY

LEIPZIG, GERMANY,AUG.27-(AP)-COMMUNIST SPONSORS OF THE CENTURIES OLD LEIPZIG FAIR SET OUT TODAY TO DRIVE AN ECONOMIC WEDGE BETWEEN WEST GERMAN INDUSTRY AND THE ALLIED WORLD.

THE ANNUAL FALL EXHIBIT--THE MOST ELABORATE IN THE LAST 10 POSTWAR YEARS--OPENED WITH AN OUTRIGHT APPEAL TO WEST GERMAN BUSINESSMEN TO "PROTECT THEIR INVESTMENTS" BY DEALING WITH THE EAST. x27

GERHARD EISLER, SOVIET ZONE PROPAGANDA CHIEF, SPRINKLED THE FAIR WITH OFFICIAL NOTICES TO THE VISITORS WHICH CONTENDED THAT THE ALLIES ARE DRAINING WEST GERMAN RAW MATERIAL FOR WAR PREPARATION.

"SEND YOUR BUSINESS TO LEIPZIG AND HELP TO BUILD AN ECONOMY THAT IS BASED ON PEACE," THE LITERATURE SAID.

ATOP THE 700-YEAR-OLD WATCHTOWER OF THE ANCIENT SAXON KINGS, THE FAIR WAS ANNOUNCED ON A PAINTED SIGN AS "THE PEACE FAIR." THROUGHOUT THE BUSTLING CITY, THE ASTERN COMMUNIST "PEACE" CAMPAIGN WAS EMBLAZONED IN PAINT AND IN LIGHTS. DOVES OF PEACE WERE INSCRIBED ON EVERY STREET CORNER.

THE DRIVE, MUCH MORE EVIDENT HERE IN THE HEART OF THE RUSSIAN ZONE THAN IN EAST BERLIN, WAS LINKED WITH THE OCT.15 ELECTIONS IN WHICH THE COMMUNIST DOMINATED TICKET STANDS WITHOUT OPPOSITION AND HAILS ITSELF AS THE "PEACE TICKET."

THE FINAL CONSTRUCTION HAMMERING SOUNDED IN THE EXHIBITION HALL AS PRESIDENT WILHELM PIECK AND PRIME MINISTER OTTO GROTEWOHL FORMALLY OPENED THE MOST PRETENTIOUS LEIPZIG FAIR IN 10 YEARS.

THE TWO TOP OFFICIALS OF THE EAST GERMAN REPUBLIC CAME TO THE CITY WITH A PEOPLES POLICE HONOR GUARD TO HEAR THE ROUSING CHEERS OF A PICKED AUDIENCE IN THE OPERA-HOUSE. SOCIALIST UNITY (COMMUNIST) PARTY FAITHFUL FILLED MOST OF THE SEATS.

HEINRICH RAU, MINISTER FOR PLANNING IN THE EASTERN REGIME, DECLARED THAT THE 1950 FAIR WOULD BE THE KEYSTONE OF THE NEW FIVE-YEAR PLAN.

"IN SPITE OF THE INTERFERENCE OF THE WESTERN POWERS, WE OVERFULFILLED OUR GOAL IN THE TWO-YEAR PLAN JUST ENDED," RAU SAID. "THE WESTERN COLD WAR WILL NOT HINDER OUR FIVE-YEAR PLAN."

WITH THOUSANDS OF FOREIGN BUSINESSMEN ON HAND, LEIPZIG BANKS WERE RAKING IN CONSIDERABLE FOREIGN EXCHANGE EVEN ON THE FIRST DAY. VISITORS HAD TO TRADE DOLLARS, POUNDS, SWISS FRANCS AND OTHER CURRENCIES FOR SPECIAL MARKS. THE RATE WAS THREE MARKS TO THE DOLLAR. POLISH AND YUGOSLAV CURRENCY WERE THE LOWEST REGARDED ON THE LIST. THE REALISTIC RATE DISREGARDED POLITICS AND FOLLOWED INTERNATIONAL VALUES AS ESTABLISHED IN WESTERN BANKS.

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SIX THOUSAND EXHIBITORS MAINTAINED STALLS IN THE VARIOUS AUDITORIUMS OF THE MODERN, COMPLICATED FAIR MACHINERY THAT GREW OUT OF THE LEIPZIG FUR TRADE WHICH DATES BACK 500 YEARS. MOST OF THE DISPLAYS WERE STAGED BY EAST GERMANY. THERE WERE 249 EXHIBITORS FROM THE BRITISH ZONE OF GERMANY, 231 FROM THE AMERICAN ZONE AND 56 FROM THE FRENCH ZONE.

SCORES OF AMERICAN AND BRITISH BUSINESSMEN ARRIVED TO SET UP CONTACTS WITH GERMAN FIRMS FOR MACHINERY, GLASS AND PORCELAIN INCLUDING FAMED MEISSEN AND DRESDEN CHINA, LEATHER GOODS, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, JEWELRY AND TEXTILES.

THE FAIR REFLECTED HOW THE MAJOR INDUSTRIES OF THE SOVIET ZONE ARE STEADILY BEING NATIONALIZED. MORE THAN ONE THIRD OF THE EXHIBITS WERE FROM "PEOPLE'S OWNED" FACTORIES, TAKEN OVER BY THE STATE. SOME VISITING BUSINESSMEN COMPLAINED THAT OLD STANDBY NAMES IN WHOM THEY HAD CONFIDENCE ARE NOW AMONG THE MISSING.

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STUTTGART, GERMANY, AUG. 27-(AP)-WEST GERMAN VICE-CHANCELLOR FRANZ BLUECHER TOLD THE INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF LIBERALS HERE TODAY THAT EUROPE'S BORDERS MUST BE TORN DOWN AND A EUROPEAN FEDERATION CREATED. xxx

BLUECHER SAID THAT "THE LIBERAL IDEA IS SO ALL-EMBRACING THAT IT WOULD PERMIT THE CREATION OF A FEDERATION OF ALL EUROPEAN STATES, WITH THOSE STATES STILL RETAINING THEIR BASIC RIGHTS."

ATTENDING THE CONGRESS ARE REPRESENTATIVES OF LIBERAL PARTIES AND INDIVIDUAL LIBERALS FROM VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

BLUECHER DECLARED THAT TEARING DOWN BORDERS, THEREBY PERMITTING A FREE INTERCHANGE OF PERSONS AND IDEAS AMONG NATIONS, IS NECESSARY TO A EUROPEAN FEDERATION OF NATIONS.

SIR ANDREW MCFADYEAN, PRESIDENT OF THE BRITISH LIBERAL PARTY, ACCUSED THE BRITISH LABOR GOVERNMENT OF PAYING ONLY LIP SERVICE TO THE IDEA OF A EUROPEAN UNION. HE WARNED THAT BRITAIN HAD BETTER JOIN OGT

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MCFADYEAN URGED BRITISH PARTICIPATION IN BOTH A EUROPEAN FEDERATION AND IN THE SCHUMAN PLAN FOR POOLING EUROPE'S COAL AND STEEL RESOURCES. SO FAR BRITAIN HAS BEEN COOL TO BOTH IDEAS.

"BRITAIN HAS ONLY TWO ALTERNATIVES," THE LIBERAL PARTY LEADER SAID. "EITHER WE HELP THROUGH COLLABORATION WITH AN INTERNATIONAL ORGAN TO DECIDE WHAT WE SHALL PRODUCE IN COAL AND STEEL. OR WE CAN STAY OUT

AND HAVE THIS QUESTION SETTLED FOR US BY FORCE.
"WE DO NOT WANT TO BE ABSENT FROM ANY ORGANIZATION SET UP IN EUROPE TO DEAL WITH ECONOMIC MATTERS."
MC FADYEAN ATTACKED ARGUMENTS THAT BRITISH AFFILIATION WITH A EUROPEAN UNION WOULD WEAKEN ITS LINKS WITH THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH, SAYING:
"IF OUR STRENGTH AND STABILITY DEPEND ON CLOSER ASSOCIATION WITH EUROPE, THAT ASSOCIATION CANNOT HELP BENEFITING THE COMMONWEALTH AS A WHOLE.
"THERE ARE AT LEAST TWO MEMBERS OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH ON WHOSE SUPPORT WE COULD NOT RELY AS COMPLETELY AS WE COULD RELY ON THE SUPPORT OF THE UNITED STATES."
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VIENNA, AUSTRIA, AUG. 27-(AP)-YUGOSLAV PREMIER MARSHAL TITO PAID A 10-MINUTE VISIT TO AUSTRIA TODAY--ATOP A MOUNTAIN PEAK.
THE AUSTRIAN PRESS AGENCY (APA) SAID TITO, ACCOMPANIED BY SEVERAL YUGOSLAV BORDER GUARDS, VISITED SEEBERG PEAK IN THE KARAWANKEN RANGE, WHICH MARKS THE BORDER BETWEEN YUGOSLAVIA AND AUSTRIA. THE PEAK IS SOUTHEAST OF KLAGENFURT, AUSTRIA.
APA SAID TITO CHATTED WITH SEVERAL AUSTRIAN CIVILIANS. NO FURTHER DETAILS WERE GIVEN.
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A118
ESSEN, GERMANY, AUG. 27-(AP)-A MASS MEETING OF THE EVANGELICAL CHURCH CONGRESS WAS INFILTRATED TODAY BY GERMAN YOUTHS SEEKING TO DISTRIBUTE COMMUNIST LEAFLETS. TWO WERE ARRESTED.
THE LEAFLETS SOUGHT SUPPORT FOR THE STOCKHOLM "PEACE" PETITION TO OUTLAW THE ATOMIC BOMB. THEY ALSO CALLED ATTENTION TO A FORBIDDEN MEETING OF COMMUNIST YOUTH SCHEDULED AT DORTMUND OCT. 1.
THE MEETING WAS BEING ADDRESSED BY WEST GERMAN INTERIOR MINISTER GUSTAV HEINEMAN, WHO TOLD THE DELEGATES THE WEST GERMAN POLICE FORCE MUST BE INCREASED.
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A121 (110)
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 27-(AP)-TWELVE FORMER BULGARIAN OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN CONVICTED OF ANTI-STATE ACTIVITIES IN SOFIA AND SENTENCED TO PRISON TERMS RANGING FROM EIGHT YEARS TO LIFE, THE CZECHOSLOVAKIA NEWS AGENCY SAID TONIGHT.
A SOFIA REGIONAL COURT HANDED DOWN THE JUDGMENT YESTERDAY, THE AGENCY SAID, AFTER A SIX-DAY TRIAL IN WHICH MORE THAN 50 WITNESSES TESTIFIED AND ALL THE DEFENDANTS MADE FULL CONFESSIONS.
THE TWELVE WERE LINKED UP WITH WHAT WAS DESCRIBED AS THE "ANGLO-AMERICAN ESPIONAGE SERVICE" AND WITH TRAICHO KOSTOV, FORMER DEPUTY PREMIER WHO WAS CONVICTED OF TREASON AND HANGED LAST DECEMBER.
BONU PETROVSKI, FORMER DEPUTY MINISTER OF FOREIGN TRADE, AND LUBOMIR KAIRAKOV, FORMER DEPUTY MINISTER OF ELECTRIFICATION, WERE SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT.

THE INDICTMENT SAID PETROVSKI HAD GIVEN ECONOMIC INFORMATION TO THE BRITISH ESPIONAGE FROM 1930 TO 1935 AND HAD JOINED AN UNDERGROUND GROUP UNDER KOSTOV FORMED TO "REMOVE" THE LATE COMMUNIST PREMIER GEORGI DIMITROV AND THE LATE VASSIL KOLAROV, WHO SUCCEEDED DIMITROV.
KAIRAKOV WAS CHARGED IN THE INDICTMENT WITH HAVING JOINED KOSTOV'S GROUP AND HAVING SABOTAGED THE PRODUCTION PLAN OF THE MINISTRY OF ELECTRIFICATIONS.
ALL THE DEFENDANTS WERE CHARGED WITH HAVING DAMAGED THE ELECTRIFICATION INDUSTRY, TRADE AND AGRICULTURE OF COMMUNIST-GOVERNED BULGARIA.
THE CZECHOSLOVAK NEWS AGENCY LISTED THE OTHERS SENTENCED, TOGETHER WITH THE CHARGES AGAINST THEM IN THE INDICTMENT, AS FOLLOWS:
BORIS SIMOV, FORMER DEPUTY MINISTER OF INDUSTRY, SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS. HE WAS ACCUSED OF HAVING BECOME A MEMBER IN 1946 OF A GROUP WITHIN KOSTOV'S ORGANIZATION AIMED SPECIFICALLY AT ALIENATING BULGARIA FROM THE SOVIET UNION AND SETTING IT ON THE ROAD TO CAPITALISM.
IVAN RANOV, FORMER DIRECTOR OF THE BULGAR PLODESPORTS, THE GOVERNMENT-OWNED FRUIT EXPORT COMPANY, 15 YEARS. ACCUSED OF HAVING WORKED FOR THE BRITISH ESPIONAGE SERVICE IN 1938 AND OF LINKING UP WITH KOSTOV TO COMMIT ECONOMIC SABOTAGE.
DIMITRE KOCHEMIDOV, FORMER DEPUTY MINISTER OF INTERNAL TRADE, 15 YEARS. ACCUSED OF HAVING BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH KOSTOV SINCE 1948 AND OF HAVING SABOTAGED TRADE TALKS WITH CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND HUNGARY.
ANGEL DIMEV, FORMER GENERAL DIRECTOR OF THE BULGARIAN STATE TOBACCO MONOPOLY, 12 YEARS. ACCUSED OF HAVING BECOME CONNECTED WITH KOSTOV IN 1947 AND OF SUPPLYING THE BRITISH ESPIONAGE SERVICE WITH CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION ON TOBACCO PRODUCTION.
NIKOLA GOVEDARSKI, FORMER DEPUTY MINISTER OF INTERNAL TRADE, 12 YEARS. ACCUSED OF HAVING GIVEN THE BRITISH ESPIONAGE SYSTEM REPORTS ON BULGARIAN AGRICULTURE IN 1942 AND 1943.
LULCHO CHERVENKOV, FORMER DEPUTY MINISTER OF TRANSPORT, 12 YEARS. ACCUSED OF HAVING BEEN A POLICE AGENT FROM 1920 TO 1938 UNDER THE PRE-COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT, AND OF GIVING A BRITISH SPY REPORTS ON BULGARIAN TRAFFIC IN 1945.
IVAN KALUCHEV, FORMER GENERAL DIRECTOR OF A COMPANY CALLED DESPRED, 10 YEARS. ACCUSED OF HAVING BECOME A BRITISH AGENT IN 1932 AND OF JOINING KOSTOV'S GROUP IN 1948.
MICHAIL GERASIMOV, FORMER DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRY, 10 YEARS. CHARGED WITH HAVING BECOME A POLICE INFORMER AGAINST THE COMMUNISTS IN 1940 AFTER RETURNING FROM THE SOVIET UNION.
MANOL KUCHEV, ONETIME DIRECTOR OF A COMPANY NAMED HOREMAG, EIGHT YEARS. CHARGED WITH HAVING, THROUGH HIS COMPANY, "SUPPLIED THE SOVIET UNION WITH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES OF BAD QUALITY."
GEORGI PETROV, FORMER DEPUTY MINISTER OF FINANCE, EIGHT YEARS. ACCUSED OF HAVING, WHILE STILL A COMMUNIST, ENTERED KOSTOV'S ORGANIZATION IN 1947 AND OF HAVING HARMED "BROAD MASSES OF THE POPULATION" BY TAMPERING WITH THE 1948 STATE BUDGET.
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BELGRADE, AUG. 27-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA DISCLOSED TODAY IT HAD PROTESTED TO POLAND AGAINST THE CLOSING OF THIS COUNTRY'S EXHIBITION ROOM IN WARSAW. THE YUGOSLAVS SAID THEY DISPLAYED ONLY PICTURES OF YUGOSLAV DEVELOPMENT IN THE SHOW WINDOW OF THE EMBASSY IN WARSAW. APPARENTLY THE POLISH ACTION WAS TAKEN IN RETALIATION FOR HOSTILE GESTURES HERE AGAINST POLAND. THE POLES CLAIMED YUGOSLAVS RIPPED DOWN "PEACE" POSTERS AT THE POLISH EMBASSY IN BELGRADE.
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Frankfurt, Germany, Aug. 27 -(ap)- ✱ The western allies and german authorities are considering a yugoslav request for a $30,000,000 barter credit in a deal with western germany. u.s. officials said today.

These officials said reports from belgrade that the credit already had been approved in negotiations between the Bonn and Belgrade governments for a new commercial agreement were not correct. Negotiations are to continue this week.

The yugoslavs have proposed placing $65,000,000 worth of orders with western germany in 1950, asking that delivery be completed in three years. Many of the orders are for machinery and machine products. Belgrad wants $30,000,000 of this on credit.

Repayment for the loan extended plus the additional $35,000,000 would be made between 1952 and 1956 in the form of products shipped from yugoslavia.

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A64
MOSCOW, AUG. 27-(AP)-PRAVDA AND OTHER SOVIET NEWSPAPERS DISPLAYED PROMINENTLY TODAY THE REQUEST OF CHINESE COMMUNIST FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI TO THE UNITED NATIONS THAT ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE TO SEAT COMMUNIST CHINA DELEGATES AT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING NEXT MONTH.
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A176FX (160)
HONG KONG, MONDAY, AUG.28-(AP)-THE HONG KONG STANDARD REPORTED TODAY THAT "A RUSSIAN MAJOR GENERAL" IS IN CHARGE OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS PREPARING FOR AN INVASION OF FORMOSA.
THE ARTICLE IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER DID NOT NAME THE GENERAL. IT QUOTED A CHINESE PILOT, DESCRIBED AS FORMERLY EMPLOYED BY THE CENTRAL AIR TRANSPORT CORPORATION.
MANY EMPLOYES OF THE CATC, NATIONALIST-OWNED AIRLINE, DESERTED TO THE REDS WITH SOME PLANES IN NOVEMBER, 1949.
THE INFORMANT SAID RED CHINA'S AIR FORCE WAS BEING TRAINED AT BASES IN MANCHURIA AND NORTH CHINA. RED AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS WERE DESCRIBED AS BEING IN SUCHOW, IN CENTRAL CHINA. THE NEWSPAPER'S SOURCE SAID THE REDS NOW HAD 60 RUSSIAN-MADE JET PLANES AT BASES IN SUCHOW, NANKING AND SHANGHAI.
THE COMMUNISTS WERE DESCRIBED AS TRAINING 1,000 FIGHTER PILOTS WHO SOON WILL GRADUATE TO PLAY "A MAJOR PART" IN AN INVASION OF FORMOSA, THE BIG ISLAND OFF THE CHINESE MAINLAND TO WHICH THE NATIONALISTS RETREATED.
THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET HAS BEEN ORDERED TO DEFEND FORMOSA.
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RANGOON, BURMA, AUG. 27-(AP)-THE BURMESE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED TODAY ITS TROOPS YESTERDAY RECAPTURED KAYAN, 38 MILES SOUTH OF RANGOON, FROM REBEL WHITE-BANDED UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION (PVO). THE RENEGADE PVOS HAD OCCUPIED THE TOWN SINCE AUGUST 1948.
THE GOVERNMENT COMMUNIQUE ALSO SAID ITS PLANES DROPPED LEAFLETS OVER KAREN-HELD TERRITORY IN THE TOUNGOO DISTRICT URGING THE REBEL KARENS TO SURRENDER.
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A43
(120)
JERUSALEM, AUG. 27-(AP)-TEN ARABS WERE KILLED BY THE ISRAELI ARMY IN A LARGE SCALE MOPPING UP OPERATION THAT CLEANED MARAUDING BEDOUIN TRIBESMEN OUT OF THE SOUTHERN NEGEV DESERT, IT WAS RELIABLY REPORTED HERE TODAY.
THE OPERATION NEAR THE EGYPTIAN BORDER WAS THE THIRD ONE OF THE MONTH. IN PREVIOUS ACTIONS ISRAELI SOLDIERS BROKE UP A GANG OF SMUGGLERS, KILLING 20 OF THEM. EARLIER ARMED JORDANIAN SHEPHERDS AND THEIR FLOCKS WERE DRIVEN OUT OF THE TERRITORY AND 1,200 OF THEIR SHEEP CONFISCATED.
INFORMANTS HERE SAID THE BEDOUIN TRIBESMEN FROM EGYPTIAN SINAI HAD INFILTRATED INTO THE SOUTHERN DESERT IN CONSIDERABLE STRENGTH AND HAD ESTABLISHED HEADQUARTERS NEAR THE FRONTIER. THE NEGEV IS ISRAELI TERRITORY. THEY HAD IGNORED REPZTE WARNINGS

ISRAELI TERRITORY. THEY HAD IGNORED REPEATED WARNINGS TO MOVE AND THE ARMY DROVE THEM BACK INTO THE SINAI PENINSULA.
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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG. 27-(AP)-JACOB BLAUSTEIN OF BALTIMORE, MD., PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE (AJC) SAID TODAY AMERICAN JEWS WILL HELP STAVE OFF A CRISIS IN ISRAEL BY SUPPORTING PREMIER DAVID BEN GURION'S PLAN TO SETTLE 600,000 MORE JEWS HERE.

BLAUSTEIN SAID AMERICAN JEWS WOULD "GO FAR" IN HELPING TO RAISE THE $1,680,000,000 NEEDED FOR THE SETTLEMENT PROGRAM AND TO HELP ISRAEL ATTAIN NATIONAL FOOD SELF-SUFFICIENCY.

THE AJC PRESIDENT ENDED A SERIES OF CONFERENCES HERE WITH HIGH GOVERNMENT CHIEFS AND IS LEAVING BY PLANE TONIGHT FOR BURGENSTOCK, SWITZERLAND TO VISIT ISRAELI PRESIDENT DR. CHAIM WEIZMAN, WHO IS THERE ON A VACATIONN FOR HIS HEALTH.

THE NATION'S WORSENING ECONOMIC SITUATION BROUGHT DEMANDS TODAY FROM THE GENERAL ZIONIST PARTY FOR AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF PARLIAMENT, NOW IN RECESS UNTIL NOV. 16. THE GENERAL ZIONISTS, WHO ARE ADVOCATES OF FREE ENTERPRISE, HAVE A BLOC OF SEVEN MEMBERS IN PARLIAMENT.

THEY DECLARED THAT THE GOVERNMENT MUST ACT TO HALT "PANIC BUYING AND THE HORADING OF CURRENCY." THEY BLAMED THE GOVERNMENT'S RECENT ORDER RATIONING CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR FOR PRECIPITATING WHAT THEY CALLED A SERIOUS SITUATION.

BANKERS SAID HEAVY WITHDRAWALS OF FUNDS WERE CAUSED BY FALSE RUMORS IN THE SWISS PRESS THAT THE GOVERNMENT PLANNED TO FREEZE BANK ACCOUNTS AND SPONGE UP SAVINGS BY COMPULSORY LOANS.

BANK WITHDRAWALS REACHED $5,600,000 IN A SINGLE WEEK. THE CIRCULATION OF ISRAELI CURRENCY IS NOW AT A PEAK OF OVER $180,000,000 --A RISE OF $26,000,000 SINCE LAST MAY.

THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED IN JERUSALEM THAT PLANS FOR AMERICAN JEWISH FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TOWARDS A THREE-YEAR ISRAELI ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT WOULD BE WORKED OUT AT A CONFERENCE IN JERUSALEM STARTING SEPT. 3. INVITATIONS TO ATTEND THE MEETING HAVE BEEN EXTENDED TO PROMINENT AMERICAN JEWS BY PREMIER BEN-GURION AND BERL LOCKER, EXECUTIVE CHAIRMAN OF THE JEWISH AGENCY.

MEANWHILE, LARGE SCALE IMMIGRATION TO ISRAEL IS CONTINUING. IMMIGRANT GROUPS ARRIVED LAST WEEKEND FROM ROMANIA, IRAQ AND ADEN. IN IRAQ THERE ARE 48,000 JEWS REGISTERED FOR EVENTUAL SETTLEMENT IN ISRAEL.

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ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, AUG.27-(AP)-IT APPEARED THAT YESTERDAY'S EVACUATION OF 766 DEPENDENTS OF AIRMEN FROM ELMENDORF AIR BASE IN JUST A FEW HOURS WAS A SUCCESS.

IT WAS A TEST TO SEE HOW FAST THE BASE COULD BE CLEARED OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN CASE OF ATTACK. IT WAS RUN OFF IN TWO STAGES, THEORETICALLY BY AIR, AND ACTUALLY BY AUTOMOBILE.

IT TOOK ONLY THREE MINUTES TO PROCESS 75 WOMEN AND CHILDREN FOR AIRPLANE EVACUATION.

THOSE EVACUATING BY AUTOMOBILE TO PALMER, "CAPITAL" OF THE MATANUSKA VALLEY SOME 60 MILES AWAY, DID SO IN ORDERLY FASHION. THEY ASSEMBLED AT RADIO-DIRECTED COLLECTION POINTS AROUND 10 A.M., AND THE LAST CARLOAD HAD BEEN CHECKED THROUGH AT PALMER BY 1:45 P.M.

SOME WOMEN ARRIVED AT THE CHECK POINTS PREMATURELY, AND THEIR INFANTS BECAME FUSSY WITH THE LONG WAIT. OTHER BABES SLEPT IN THEIR MOTHER'S ARMS.

IN THE EVENT OF AN ATTACK, IT WAS POINTED OUT THAT AVILABILITY OF AIRCRAFT WOULD BE QUESTIONABLE, AND AN ALTERNATE PLAN HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED TO DIVERT 700 DEPENDENTS BY RAIL TO THE PORT OF WHITTIER, SOUTHWEST OF HERE. THERE THEY WOULD MAKE THE SEA VOYAGE TO SEATTLE.

ALL AIR EVACUEES MUST BE PREPARED FOR OVERLAND OR SEA TRAVEL. THE MAXIMUM DATE FOR OVERLAND TRAVEL, CONSIDERING WINTER HAZARDS, IS NOT KNOWN, BUT IS PLACED APPROXIMATELY AROUND LATE NOVEMBER. THEREAFTER, SEA AND AIR EVACUATION SOLELY WOULD BE PRACTICAL.

AT PALMER, OFFICIALS PLACED STICKERS ON THE AUTOS, THEN EXCUSED

THE DRIVERS. THE TEST WAS OVER, AND THEY WERE ALLOWED TO DRIVE BACK TO ANCHORAGE.

THE THEORY YESTERDAY FOR PALMER IN EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY WAS TO ROUTE CONVOYS OVER THE GLENN AND RICHARDSON HIGHWAYS TO THE ALASKA HIGHWAY, THENCE TO THE UNITED STATES.

MUCH THE SAME THING HAPPENED AT FAIRBANKS YESTERDAY. ABOUT 50 FAMILIES AT LADD AND 10 AT EIELSON AIR FORCE BASES PARTICIPATED IN A COMBINATION AIR-AND-HIGHWAY DRY RUN.

ONLY HITCH WAS A POWER FAILURE AT THE OUTSET, WHICH DELAYED NOTIFICATION OF THE PARTICIPANTS.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TONIGHT SUN.AUG. 27)

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, AUG. 27-(AP)-LEE PRESSMAN, FORMER CIO LEADER AND ONE-TIME NEW DEAL LAWYER, ACKNOWLEDGED TONIGHT THAT HE WAS A MEMBER OF "A COMMUNIST GROUP" FOR ABOUT A YEAR IN 1934-35 DURING HIS GOVERNMENT SERVICE.

PRESSMAN ISSUED A STATEMENT ON THE EVE OF RENEWED QUESTIONING BY THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES WHICH HAS CALLED HIM WITH THE HOPE OF GETTING "MISSING LINKS" IN THE HISS-CHAMBERS CASE.

IN 1948 PRESSMAN REFUSED ON CONSTITUTIONAL GROUNDS TO TELL THE COMMITTEE WHETHER HE EVER HAD BEEN A COMMUNIST. HE DECLINED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT OTHER PERSONS NAMED BY WHITTAKER CHAMBERS, AS HAVING BEEN FELLOW MEMBERS WITH HIM IN A COMMUNIST APPARATUS HERE.

ALGER HISS, FORMER STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL CONVICTED OF PERJURY FOR DENYING THAT HE PASSED OUT GOVERNMENT SECRETS TO A WHITTAKER CHAMBERS, COURIER FOR A PREWAR SOVIET SPY RING, WAS ONE OF THOSE NAMED IN TESTIMONY AS BEING PART OF THE RED SET-UP IN THE GOVERNMENT.

IN TODAY'S STATEMENT PRESSMAN DENIED SPECIFICALLY THAT HISS WAS IN THE COMMUNIST GROUP OF WHICH PRESSMAN WAS A MEMBER, DURING THE TIME THAT PRESSMAN WAS IN IT.

HE DECLARED FURTHER "I HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE REGARDING THE POLITICAL BELIEFS OR AFFILIATIONS OF ALGER HISS."

WITH REGARD TO HIS OWN ACTIVITIES PRESSMAN QUOTED FROM THE TRANSCRIPT OF THE 1948 HEARINGS A STATEMENT BY COMMITTEE COUNSEL ROBERT STRIPLING THAT "THERE HAS NOT BEEN" ANY CHARGE BY ANY WITNESS THAT PRESSMAN ENGAGED IN ANY ESPIONAGE ACTIVITY WHILE HE WAS IN THE GOVERNMENT OR SINCE THAT TIME.

PRESSMAN WAS CALLED FOR A NEW APPEARANCE ON THE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE WITNESS STAND AS A RESULT OF HIS BREAK EARLY THIS MONTH WITH THE AMERICAN LABOR PARTY.

REP.NIXON (R-CALIF) HAD PROPOSED THE SUBPOENA AND SUGGESTED THAT PRESSMAN'S QUITTING THE AMERICAN LABOR GROUP INDICATED HE WAS READY TO TALK. THE CONGRESSMAN SAID HIS IDEA WAS THAT PRESSMAN COULD CLEAR UP OBSCURE POINTS IN THE CHAMBERS-HISS MATTER.

PRESSMAN QUIT THE ALP WITH THE STATEMENT THAT THE PARTY COULD NOT WIN BECAUSE LABOR BELIEVES IT IS FOLLOWING THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE. HE PULLED OUT A FEW DAYS AFTER HENRY WALLACE, HIS FORMER CHIEF IN GOVERNMENT SERVICE, LEFT THE PARTY. (PROGRESSIVE PARTY)

IN TODAY'S STATEMENT PRESSMAN TOOK A LINE MUCH LIKE THE ONE FOLLOWED BY WALLACE IN RESIGNING FROM THE ALP. (PROGRESSIVES)

SAYING HE WANTED TO CLARIFY HIS POSITION IN THAT RESPECT AND TO "EXPOSE THE MANY DISTORTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN CIRCULATED REGARDING MY PAST ACTIVITIES," PRESSMAN SAID:

"A GRAVE CRISIS CONFRONTS OUR NATION AND ALL HUMANITY. THE WARFARE RAGING IN KOREA THREATENS TO UNLEASH A WORLD CONFLICT WHICH W

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"ALL MY LIFE I HAVE OPPOSED AGGRESSION. I THEREFORE DENOUNCE THE FIGHTING INITIATED BY THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA.

"THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND ITS FORCES IN THE LABOR MOVEMENT ARE THE SUPPORTERS AND APOLOGISTS FOR AN AGGRESSIVE WAR. I VIGOROUSLY OPPOSE THIS POSITION. I DESIRE TO SUPPORT THE UNITED NATIONS AND MY COUNTRY."

PRESSMAN SAID THERE HAS BEEN "CONSIDERABLE SPECULATION REGARDING MY PAST ACTIVITIES" AND GAVE THIS ACCOUNT:

"IN THE EARLY 1930'S OUR COUNTRY WAS DEEP IN A DEPRESSION. THE FUTURE LOOKED BLACK FOR MY GENERATION JUST EMERGING FROM SCHOOL. AT THE SAME TIME THE GROWING SPECTRE OF NAZIISM IN GERMANY PRESENTED AN EQUALLY GRAVE THREAT.

"IN MY DESIRE TO SEE THE DESTRUCTION OF HITLERISM AND AN IMPROVEMENT IN ECONOMIC CONDITIONS HERE AT HOME, I JOINED A COMMUNIST GROUP IN WASHINGTON, D.C., ABOUT 1934.

"MY PARTICIPATION IN SUCH GROUP EXTENDED FOR ONE YEAR.

"IN THE LATTER PART OF 1935, I LEFT THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE AND WASHINGTON TO REENTER THE PRIVATE PRACTICE OF LAW IN NEW YORK, AND DISCONTINUED ANY FURTHER PARTICIPATION IN THE GROUP.

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"I BELIEVE IT IS OF INTEREST TO COMMENT THAT I HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE REGARDING THE POLITICAL BELIEFS OR AFFILIATIONS OF ALGER HISS. I DO KNOW THAT FOR THE PERIOD OF MY PARTICIPATION HE WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THAT GROUP.

"I CALL ATTENTION TO THE FACT THAT ON A PREVIOUS APPEARANCE BY ME BEFORE THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE, THERE OCCURRED THE FOLLOWING COLLOQUY WITH MR.STRIPLING, THE COMMITTEE'S COUNSEL, WHICH APPEARS AT PAGE 1,023 OF THE RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF AUG. 18, 1948:

"'PRESSMAN: HAS THERE BEEN ANY CHARGE MADE BY ANY WITNESS THAT HAS APPEARED BEFORE THIS COMMITTEE THAT I HAVE PARTICIPATED IN ANY ESPIONAGE ACTIVITY WHILE AN EMPLOYE OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OR THEREAFTER?

"'STRIPLING: NO, THERE HAS NOT BEEN.'"

HISS, QUESTIONED BY THE COMMITTEE TWO DAYS AHEAD OF PRESSMAN IN 1948, TESTIFIED THEY WERE HARVARD CLASSMATES, SERVED TOGETHER ON THE HARVARD LAW REVIEW, AND BOTH WERE ASSISTANTS TO JEROME FRANK ON THE LEGAL STAFF OF THE AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ADMINISTRATION. HENRY WALLACE APPOINTED HIM TO THE AAA POST.

PRESSMAN SERVED ALSO ON THE LEGAL STAFFS OF THE WORKS PROGRESS ADMINISTRATION AND THE RESETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATION.

AFTER QUITTING GOVERNMENT SERVICE HE BECAME GENERAL COUNSEL TO THE CIO. HE QUIT THAT $19,000-A-YEAR POST IN 1948 WHEN THE CIO OPPOSED THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY CANDIDACY OF WALLACE FOR PRESIDENT.

IN TODAY'S STATEMENT, HOWEVER, PRESSMAN MENTIONED A LETTER OF APPRECIATION FROM PHILIP MURRAY, CIO PRESIDENT, AT THE TIME HE STEPPED OUT, AND RECALLED THAT SUBSEQUENTLY HE WAS RETAINED TO REPRESENT THE CIO AND MURRAY IN CONNECTION WITH INDICTMENTS UNDER THE TAFT-HARTLEY ACT.

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PRESSMAN'S STATEMENT CONCLUDED WITH AN EXPOSITION ON MAN'S DUTY TO REEXAMINE HIS BELIEFS AND CHANGE WHEN THEY PROVED FALSE.

HE MENTIONED THE THREAT OF "ONRUSHING FRIGHTFUL CONFLICT BETWEEN IDEOLOGICAL FORCES" AND SPOKE OF THE "DRIVING, AGGRESSIVE COMMUNIST ATTACK." HE WENT ON:

"OUR SURVIVAL MUST BE BASED UPON THE PEOPLES' UNDERSTANDING OF THE TRUE MEANING AND WORTH OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY AND THEIR DETERMINATION TO FIGHT FOR ITS PRESERVATION AND FULL ENJOYMENT.

"EACH INDIVIDUAL MUST CONSTANTLY PEER INTO HIS OWN CONSCIENCE TO EVALUATE HIS CONVICTIONS UPON WHICH TO BASE HIS FAITH AND CREED.

"I DEEPLY APPRECIATE THAT WITHIN OUR DEMOCRATIC WAY OF LIFE, WHEN PAST BELIEFS PROVE FALSE, THERE IS THE OPPORTUNITY FOR CHANGE AND TO CONTRIBUTE IN WHATEVER MANNER POSSIBLE TOWARD THE DIGNITY AND WELL-BEING OF MAN AND THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE FOR ALL HUMANITY."

THE ONLY NAME MENTIONED IN PRESSMAN'S STATEMENT, AMONG THOSE WITH WHOM HE HAD BEEN LINKED IN TESTIMONY ABOUT THE MEMBERSHIP OF A WASHINGTON COMMUNIST APPARATUS, WAS THAT OF HISS.

THERE WAS EVERY INDICATION, HOWEVER, THAT UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEEMEN WOULD PRESS HIM ABOUT OTHER NAMES, AND DEMAND MORE ON THE SUBJECT OF HISS THAN PRESSMAN'S BARE DENIAL OF FELLOW MEMBERSHIP IN A COMMUNIST GROUP AND OF KNOWLEDGE OF HISS' BELIEFS AND CONNECTIONS.

SENATOR FERGUSON (R-MICH) TOLD A REPORTER THAT HE HOPES WHEN PRESSMAN APPEARS BEFORE THE HOUSE COMMITTEE THAT "HE WILL MAKE A FULL DISCLOSURE OF ANYTHING HE KNOWS ABOUT COMMUNISTS IN GOVERNMENT. IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT WE GET THE FULL STORY AND HE MAY KNOW IT."

FERGUSON IS A CO-SPONSOR WITH SENATOR MUNDT (R-SD) OF A BILL TO TIGHTEN REINS ON COMMUNISTS AND COMMUNISTS ACTIVITIES IN THIS COUNTRY. THE MEASURE NOW IS PENDING IN THE SENATE.

MUNDT, A FORMER REPRESENTATIVE AND MEMBER OF THE HOUSE UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE, WAS OUT OF THE CITY AND COULD NOT BE REACHED FOR COMMENT ON PRESSMAN'S SCHEDULED NEW APPEARANCE.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY AUG.27)
PRESSMAN TEXT
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.27-(AP)-TEXT OF A STATEMENT BY LEE PRESSMAN, ONETIME CIO OFFICIAL AND FORMER GOVERNMENT ATTORNEY, WHO ACKNOWLEDGED HE BELONGED FOR A YEAR TO A COMMUNIST GROUP SOME 16 YEARS AGO WHILE IN GOVERNMENT SERVICE: (650)

A NUMBER OF PEOPLE HAVE WRITTEN AND CALLED ME URGING ME TO FURTHER CLARIFY THE POSITION I TOOK IN MY RECENT LETTER RESIGNING FROM THE AMERICAN LABOR PARTY. THIS, I DESIRE TO DO, AS WELL AS TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO EXPOSE THE MANY DISTORTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN CIRCULATED REGARDING MY PAST ACTIVITIES.

A GRAVE CRISIS CONFRONTS OUR NATION AND ALL HUMANITY. THE WARFARE RAGING IN KOREA THREATENS TO UNLEASH A WORLD CONFLICT WHICH WOULD DESTROY OUR CIVILIZATION. ALL MY LIFE I HAVE OPPOSED AGGRESSION. I THEREFORE, DENOUNCE THE FIGHTING INITIATED BY THE NORTH KOREAN FORCES IN SOUTH KOREA.

THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND ITS FORCES IN THE LABOR MOVEMENT ARE THE SUPPORTERS AND APOLOGISTS FOR AN AGGRESSIVE WAR. I VOGOROUSLY OPPOSE THIS POSITION. I DESIRE TO SUPPORT THE UNITED NATIONS AND MY COUNTRY.

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IT IS MY FERVENT HOPE THAT THE UNITED NATIONS CAN DEVISE IMMEDIATE STEPS WHICH CAN BRING ABOUT A QUICK END TO THE PRESENT BLOODSHED AND ASSURE WORLD PEACE.

THERE HAS BEEN CONSIDERABLE SPECULATION REGARDING MY PAST ACTIVITIES. I BELIEVE IT BEST TO SET FORTH CERTAIN SIMPLE FACTS WHICH SHOULD CLARIFY THIS SITUATION.

IN THE EARLY 1930S OUR COUNTRY WAS DEEP IN A DEPRESSION. THE FUTURE LOOKED BLACK FOR MY GENERATIONS JUST EMERGING FROM SCHOOL. AT THE SAME TIME THE GROWING SPECTRE OF NAZISM IN GERMANY PRESENTED AN EQUALLY GRAVE THREAT. IN MY DESIRE TO SEE THE DESTRUCTION OF HITLERISM AND AN IMPROVEMENT IN ECONOMIC CONDITIONS HERE AT HOME, I JOINED A COMMUNIST GROUP IN WASHINGTON D.C.ABOUT 1934. MY PARTICIPATION IN SUCH GROUP EXTENDED FOR ONE YEAR. IN THE LATTER PART OF 1935, I LEFT THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE AND WASHINGTON TO REENTER THE PRIVATE PRACTICE OF LAW IN NEW YORK CITY AND DISCONTINUED ANY FURTHER PARTICIPATION IN THE GROUP.

I BELIEVE IT OF INTEREST TO COMMENT THAT I HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE REGARDING THE POLITICAL BELIEFS OR AFFILIATIONS OF ALGER HISS. I DO KNOW THAT FOR THE PERIOD OF MY PARTICIPATION HE WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THAT GROUP.

I CALL ATTENTION TO THE FACT THAT ON A PREVIOUS APPEARANCE BY ME BEFORE THE HOUSE UN AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE, THERE OCCURRED THE FOLLOWING COLLOQUY WITH MR.STRIPLING, THE COMMITTEE'S COUNSEL, WHICH APPEARS AT PAGE 1023 OF THE RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF AUG.18, 1948:

"PRESSMAN: HAS THERE BEEN ANY CHARGE MADE BY ANY WITNESS THAT HAS APPEARED BEFORE THIS COMMITTEE THAT I HAVE PARTICIPATED IN ANY ESPIONAGE ACTIVITY WHILE AN EMPLOYEE OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OR THEREAFTER?

STRIPLING: NO, THERE HAS NOT BEEN."

IN 1936, I WAS APPOINTED THE GENERAL COUNSEL OF THE C.I.O. IN 1948, I RESIGNED FOR REASONS WHICH I THEN PUBLICLY STATED. CONTRARY TO PRESENT MISSTATEMENTS OF FACT, THAT ACTION WAS OF MY OWN ACCORD ATTESTED TO BOTH BY THE LETTER OF APPRECIATION FOR MY SERVICES GIVEN TO ME BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE C.I.O.AND THAT AFTER MY RESIGNATION I WAS RETAINED TO REPRESENT THE C.I.O.AND PHILIP MURRAY IN CONNECTION WITH THEIR INDICTMENTS UNDER THE INFAMOUS TAFT-HARTLEY ACT.

MY CONTRIBUTION TO THE CAUSE OF ORGANIZED LABOR DURING THAT PERIOD IS A MATTER OF PUBLIC RECORD.

BUT THE FUTURE UNDER PRESENT GRAVE CONDITIONS, SHOULD BE OF PARAMOUNT IMPORTANCE IN THE LIFE OF INDIVIDUALS AS IN THE CASE OF NATIONS.

THE ONRUSHING FRIGHTFUL CONFLICT BETWEEN IDEOLOGICAL FORCES TODAY THREATEN OUR DESTRUCTION. WE FIND THE RESURGENCE OF NAZISM ASSISTED BY THE RELEASE OF DIE HARD NAZIS WHO WERE CONVICTED OF THE MOST HORRIBLE CRIMES. WE ARE CONFRONTED BY THE DRIVING AGGRESSIVE COMMUNIST ATTACK. OUR SURVIVAL MUST BE BASED UPON THE PEOPLES' UNDERSTANDING OF THE TRUE MEANING AND WORTH OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY AND THEIR DETERMINATION TO FIGHT FOR ITS PRESERVATION AND FULL ENJOYMENT.

EACH INDIVIDUAL MUST CONSTANTLY PEER INTO HIS OWN CONSCIENCE TO EVALUATE HIS CONVICTIONS UPON WHICH TO BASE HIS FAITH AND CREED.

I DEEPLY APPRECIATE THAT WITHIN OUR DEMOCRATIC WAY OF LIFE, WHEN PAST BELIEFS PROVE FALSE, THERE IS THE OPPORTUNITY FOR CHANGE AND TO CONTRIBUTE IN WHATEVER MANNER POSSIBLE TOWARD THE DIGNITY AND WELL BEING OF MAN AND THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE FOR ALL HUMANITY.

I SHALL BE IN WASHINGTON MONDAY, AUGUST 28, TO APPEAR BEFORE THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE.

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(ADVANCE FOR RELEASE AT 6 PM EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY, AUG.27)
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.27-(AP)-SENATOR MARTIN (R-PA) SAID TODAY HE WAS SHOCKED AT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S FAILURE TO PRESS FOR IMMEDIATE PASSAGE OF UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING AFTER DEFENSE SECRETARY JOHNSON ASKED CONGRESS FOR IT.

MARTIN, A FORMER MAJOR GENERAL IN THE ARMY AND FORMER GOVERNOR OF PENNSYLVANIA, SAID "IT WOULD BE DANGEROUS FOR CONGRESS TO ADJOURN WITHOUT ENACTING THIS VITAL PART OF OUR MILITARY DEFENSE PROGRAM."

MARTIN'S COMMENTS IN A BROADCAST FOR PENNSYLVANIA CAME AS MEMBERS OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE PLANNED TO REPORT A BROAD UMT BILL TO THE SENATE.

CHAIRMAN TYDINGS (D-MD) ASKED THE COMMITTEE TO MEET BEHIND CLOSED DOORS MONDAY TO GO OVER FINAL DRAFTS OF THE LEGISLATION. A MAJORITY OF THE GROUP ALREADY HAS PLEDGED SUPPORT.

THE LEGISLATION WOULD REQUIRE 12 MONTHS OF MILITARY TRAINING FOR ALL YOUTHS BETWEEN 18 AND 20 YEARS. YOUNG MEN OF 17 COULD VOLUNTEER WITH CONSENT OF PARENTS WHILE THOSE WHO WERE DEFERRED FROM TRAINING, WHILE 18 TO 20, COULD TAKE IT LATER, UNTIL 25 YEARS OLD.

THE SENATE GROUP IS CONSIDERING TWO VERSIONS. ONE WOULD SPELL OUT IN GREAT DETAIL ALL PHASES OF THE UMT. THE OTHER WOULD MERELY OUTLINE STANDARDS AND GIVE A COMMISSION AUTHORITY TO WORK OUT DETAILS.

UNDER BOTH, THE PRESIDENT WOULD HAVE THE DECISION AS TO WHEN THE PROGRAM SHOULD START AND CONTINUE ON A PERMANENT BASIS.

MARTIN SAID "EVERYTHING THAT HAS HAPPENED ON THE FRONT LINES IN KOREA PROVES THE GREAT NEED FOR UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING."

RECALLING THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS PRESSED FOR UMT, SENATOR MARTIN SAID A RECENT REQUEST FOR CONGRESSIONAL ACTION BY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON HAD RAISED NEW HOPES FOR ITS SUPPORTERS.

"BUT IT CAME AS A GREAT SHOCK TO LEARN THAT THE VERY NEXT DAY PRESIDENT TRUMAN PUSHED SECRETARY JOHNSON'S PROPOSAL INTO THE DISCARD," MARTIN SAID. "THE PRESIDENT TOLD HIS PRESS CONFERENCE THAT HE SAW NO SENSE IN CLUTTERING UP CONGRESS WITH SUCH A CONTROVERSIAL MATTER WHEN IT WAS ALREADY SO BADLY CLUTTERED."

MARTIN ADDED THAT THE "PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT WAS HARD TO UNDERSTAND" WHEN AT THE SAME PRESS CONFERENCE HE URGED CONGRESSIONAL ACTION ON OTHER LESS IMPORTANT CONTROVERSIES.

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MR.TRUMAN TOLD REPORTERS THAT UMT IS VERY CONTROVERSIAL ISSUE WHICH MUST NOT BE ALLOWED TO SIDETRACK VITAL KOREAN WAR LEGISLATION. HE SAID HE IS STILL FOR UMT AND ALWAYS HAS BEEN.

UNDER UMT YOUTHS WOULD TAKE SIX MONTHS OF BASIC TRAINING AND THEN ANOTHER SIX MONTHS OF SPECIALIZED TRAINING FOR DETAILED DUTIES. THEN THEY WOULD BE PLACED IN A RESERVE POOL OR UNIT SUBJECT TO CALL IN A WAR OR EMERGENCY.

"HAD WE ADOPTED UMT FOUR YEARS AGO EACH YEAR WOULD HAVE MADE AVAILABLE 850,000 TRAINED YOUNG MEN," MARTIN SAID. "WHEN THE KOREAN ATTACK OCCURRED OUR POTENTIAL STRENGTH OF MEN READY FOR SERVICE WOULD HAVE BEEN BETWEEN THREE AND FOUR BILLION."

TYDINGS HAS FORECAST SPEEDY SENATE APPROVAL OF THE UMT MEASURE AND CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE HAS PROMISED PROMPT ACTION THERE IF THE SENATE PASSES IT.

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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY AUG.27)
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(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.27-(AP)-EIGHT MONTHS AGO RUSSIA HAD THE VOICE OF AMERICA PRACTICALLY CHOKED OFF AT THE SOVIET BORDER, A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL DISCLOSED TODAY, BUT NOW IT IS GETTING THROUGH.

EDWARD BARRETT, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE IN CHARGE OF GETTING THE AMERICAN STORY ACROSS TO THE WORLD, REPORTED THAT IN THE TITANIC WAR OF IDEAS RUSSIA ACTUALLY IS SPENDING MORE MONEY TRYING TO JAM THE VOICE THAN THE UNITED STATES SPENDS ON BROADCASTING.

BARRETT SAID THAT THE U.S.AND ITS ALLIES "HAVE RECENTLY ADOPTED A NUMBER OF COMPLICATED COUNTER-MEASURES SO THAT WE ARE GETTING THROUGH TO RUSSIA TODAY ABOUT FIVE TIMES BETTER THAN WE WERE EIGHT MONTHS AGO.

"AND WITH THE NEW TREMENDOUSLY POWERFUL TRANSMITTERS FOR WHICH WE HAVE ASKED, WE ARE CONVINCED THAT WE CAN GET THROUGH, DESPITE THE MOST ENORMOUS EFFORTS THE RUSSIANS CAN MAKE."

BARRETT SAID THE GOVERNMENT IS DRAWING UP NEW PLANS FOR "TAKING THE PSYCHOLOGICAL OFFENSIVE." HE DECLINED TO GIVE DETAILS.

BUT, HE ADDED, WITH NEW FACILITIES AND MORE MANPOWER FOR WHICH THE PROGRAM HAS ASKED, "I THINK YOU WILL SEE US MAKING THE WORLD REALIZE THAT FREEDOM IS ON THE MARCH."

BARRETT APPEARED ON A PROGRAM FOR BROADCAST BY THE GANNETT NEWS SERVICE.

AMERICAN EXPENSES IN THE "BATTLE FOR MEN'S MINDS" HAVE APPEARED LARGE, BARRETT SAID, BUT IT IS "PICAYUNE WHEN COMPARED WITH WHAT RUSSIA IS PUTTING INTO IT. WE HAVE GOT TO SPEND WHAT THE BATTLE REQUIRES. WE MUST MOBILIZE THE BEST TALENT IN THE COUNTRY." HE SAID THE U.S.WAS SPENDING LESS THAN A TENTH OF THE SOVIET OUTLAY.

BARRETT SAID THAT ONE DIFFICULTY IN FIGHTING RED PROPAGANDA, IS THAT THE COMMUNISTS HAVE A LOCAL PARTY IN EACH COUNTRY, AND THEIR STOR IS SIMPLE: "PUT YOUR FATE IN THE HANDS OF THE COMMUNISTS, AND YOU WILL EVENTUALLY POSSESS AS MUCH AS ANY OTHER MAN DOES."

ON THE OTHER HAND, THE AMERICAN CASE IS MORE COMPLEX, HE SAID; "WE ARE FIGHTING FOR FREEDOM, FOR DIVERSITY, FOR THE RIGHT OF THE INDIVIDUAL TO BE DIFFERENT."

NEVERTHELESS, HE NOTED, "WE ARE CLEARLY MORE TRUSTED AND RESPECTED AROUND THE WORLD THAN WE WERE 20 YEARS AGO."

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BY RUTH COWAN
WASHINGTON, AUG. 27-(AP)-CHAIRMAN VINSON (D-GA) OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE SET A NEW AND HIGHER GOAL TODAY FOR MARINE CORPS COMBAT STRENGTH--FOUR FULLY-EQUIPPED WAR-SIZE DIVISIONS AND 26 AIR SQUADRONS.

"WE AIM TO GET THE MONEY" FOR THAT FORCE, VINSON TOLD A REPORTER.

THE NEW TARGET IS UP BY TWO COMBAT DIVISIONS AND EIGHT AIR SQUADRONS FROM AN ESTIMATE ADVANCED BY VINSON ONLY AUGUST 6.

HE PREDICTED AT THAT TIME THAT CONGRESS WILL BE ASKED IN JANUARY FOR MORE MONEY FOR DEFENSE, INCLUDING $500,000,000 (M) FOR MARINES.

THAT SUM WAS EXPECTED TO PERMIT THE CORPS TO INCREASE ITS STRENGTH

TO 174,000 MEN AND TO HAVE TWO FULLY EQUIPPED DIVISIONS AND 18 AIR SQUADRONS.

IT NOW HAS TWO DIVISIONS, ORGANIZATIONALLY. HOWEVER, BOTH WERE CONSIDERABLY UNDER BATTLE STRENGTH WHEN THE KOREAN WAR STARTED. THE SIZE OF MARINE DIVISIONS FLUCTUATES BETWEEN A PEACETIME STRENGTH SOMETIMES AS LOW AS 8,000 TO 10,000 MEN AND THE HUGE UNITS OF WORLD WAR II DAYS WHEN MORE THAN 20,000 MEN WERE IN COMBAT DIVISIONS.

THE MANPOWER STRENGTH OF THE MARINE CORPS THEN WAS ABOUT 65,000 MEN AND 7,000 OFFICERS, WITH ABOUT 16 AIR SQUADRONS.

WHEN DEFENSE OFFICIALS WENT TO CAPITOL HILL LAST MONTH TO SUPPORT THEIR REQUEST FOR EMERGENCY MILITARY APPROPRIATION, THE MARINE CORPS' PORTION OF THE PROPOSED NEW FUNDS WAS $128,395,000. THIS WAS IN ADDITION TO THE $200,923,000 ASKED FOR IN THE REGULAR 1951 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET, OR A NEW TOTAL OF $329,318,000.

THE TESTIMONY GIVEN AT THAT TIME INDICATED A MANPOWER INCREASE OF ALMOST 80,000 ABOVE THE PRESENT LEVEL, OR A NEW TOTAL OF ABOUT 142,000.

JUST WHAT THE PROPOSAL FOR TWO MORE DIVISIONS MAY DO TO THE 174,-000-MAN ENROLLMENT GOAL MENTIONED BY VINSON AUG. 6 WAS NOT MADE CLEAR. THE AMOUNT IT WOULD COST WAS NOT STATED.

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ALONG WITH HIS REPORT OF NEW PLANS FOR THE MARINE CORPS, VINSON DISCLOSED THAT HE INTENDS TO SEE PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO URGE THIS COUNTRY TO STEP UP ITS TANK PRODUCTION PROGRAM BY "HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS OF DOLLARS".

HE SAID HE HAS WRITTEN MR.TRUMAN, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON AND TOP MILITARY LEADERS THAT THE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE IS MUCH CONCERNED OVER THE PRESENT TANK PROCUREMENT PROGRAM.

THE COMMITTEE IN CLOSED SESSION RECENTLY HEARD TANK EXPORTS OUTLINE THE PLANS, AND SUBCOMMITTEE, HEADED BY REP.PHILBIN (D-PENN), HAS BEEN MAKING A SPECIALIZED STUDY.

VINSON DESCRIBED AS "A MILITARY SECRET" THE AMOUNT OF MONEY ALLOTTED FOR TANK PRODUCTION IN THE DEFENSE EMERGENCY BUDGET REQUEST WHICH THE HOUSE APPROVED YESTERDAY. HE SAID IT WAS "A SIZEABLE SUM--BUT NOT ENOUGH."

VINSON PREDICTED THAT CONGRESS IN JANUARY WILL BE ASKED FOR AN ADDITIONAL REQUEST OF $6,000,000,000 TO $10,000,000,000. HE SAID HE INTENDED TO DO HIS "DEAD LEVEL BEST" TO SEE THAT A CONSIDERABLE PART IS EARMARKED TO SPEED TANKS OFF THE PRODUCTION LINE.

VINSON SAID TANK EXPERTS HAVE WORKED OUT EXCELLENT PRODUCTION PLANS, BUT THE NUMBER CALLED FOR IS INADEQUATE AND THE TIME-TABLE TOO SLOW.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 27-(AP)-O. JOHN ROGGE SAID TODAY THAT HIS EFFORTS IN PRAGUE TO HAVE THE STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL REWRITTEN TO CONDEMN AGGRESSION OF ANY KIND WERE "VERY NEATLY SIDETRACKED."

HE MADE THE STATEMENT AS HE RETURNED BY PLANE FROM A MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE WORLD PARTISANS FOR PEACE IN THE CZECHOSLOVAKIAN CAPITAL.

THE MAJORITY OF THE REPRESENTATIVES AT THE PRAGUE MEETING SUPPORTED THE "FOREIGN POLICY OF SOVIET RUSSIA," ROGGE SAID. THE ONLY EXCEPTIONS WERE REPRESENTATIVES FROM FRANCE AND ENGLAND, HE ADDED.

RUSSIA "COUNTENANCED" THE NORTH KOREAN ATTACK ON SOUTH KOREA," HE SAID, AND RUSSIA SHOULD HELP END THE "AGGRESSION."

HE CALLED THE STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL OUTDATED AND SAID HE WOULD NOT SIGN IT UNDER PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES. MANY PERSONS WHO SIGNED IT PROBABLY WOULD NOT NOW, HE ADDED.

THE APPEAL, FORMULATED BY THE PARTISANS OF PEACE IN STOCKHOLM LAST SPRING, CONDEMNED USE OF THE ATOMIC BOMB BUT MADE NO MENTION OF AGGRESSION. IT HAS BEEN WIDELY CONDEMNED AMONG THE WESTERN DEMOCRACIES AS COMMUNIST-INSPIRED.

ROGGE, A FORMER ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL, SAID THAT DESPITE HIS FAILURE IN PRAGUE HE HOPED TO BE MORE SUCCESSFUL AT A MEETING OF THE ORGANIZATION IN ENGLAND NEXT MONTH.

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NEW YORK, AUG. 27-(AP)-THE UNITED WORLD FEDERALISTS, INC. TODAY URGED THE UNITED STATES TO SEEK A WORLD CONFERENCE TO REVISE THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER SO THAT THE U.N. WILL BE GIVEN "REAL POWER" TO STOP FUTURE AGGRESSION.

THE GROUP'S NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ADOPTED A RESOLUTION STATING THAT "THE ABILITY OF THE U.N. TO ACT AGAINST AGGRESSION IN KOREA DEPENDED ON THE ABSENCE OF ONE NATION, THE SOVIET UNION," AND ADDED:

"WE CANNOT REASONABLY EXPECT THE SAME SITUATION IN THE EVENT OF FUTURE AGGRESSION."

FIFTY-FOUR COUNCIL MEMBERS FROM 17 STATES ATTENDED A TWO-DAY CLOSED SESSION OF THE ORGANIZATION WHICH ADVOCATES A FEDERAL SYSTEM OF WORLD GOVERNMENT.

THE RESOLUTION SAID A CHARTER REVISION CONFERENCE SHOULD BE CALLED "TO GIVE THE U.N. THE LIMITED LEGISLATIVE, JUDICIAL AND POLICE POWERS THAT ARE REQUIRED TO PREVENT AGGRESSION."

THE UNITED STATES, THE RESOLUTION CONTINUED, SHOULD ASSERT THAT "A GOAL OF ITS FOREIGN POLICY IS TO GIVE THE U.N. THE REAL POWER IT NEEDS TO PREVENT ANY FUTURE AGGRESSION AND TO SECURE AND ENFORCE UNIVERSAL DISARMAMENT."

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NEW YORK, AUG. 27-(AP)-SEVENTY EDUCATORS, SCIENTISTS AND RELIGIOUS LEADERS TODAY URGED PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO ACT AGAINST THOSE WHO ATTEMPT TO STOP PEOPLE FROM SPEAKING FOR PEACE.

A LETTER SIGNED BY THE 70 WAS MADE PUBLIC BY DR.ROBERT MORSS LOVETT, FORMER GOVERNOR OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS, AND DR.JOHN B.THOMPSON, DEAN OF THE ROCKEFELLER MEMORIAL CHAPEL AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.

THE LETTER ALSO WAS ADDRESSED TO THE MAYORS OF 192 AMERICAN CITIES.

SIGNERS INCLUDED MISS EMILY GREENE BALCH, 1946 NOBEL PEACE PRIZE WINNER; PROF.HENRY CADBURY, OF HARVARD UNIVERSITY, CHAIRMAN OF THE AMERICAN FRIENDS (QUAKERS) SERVICE COMMITTEE; AND DR.LINUS PAULING OF THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, ATOMIC SCIENTIST DECORATED FOR HIS WORK BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT.

ALSO SIGNING WERE WRITERS MARK VAN DOREN, VAN WYCK BROOKS, ROBERT M.COATES AND DONALD OGDEN STEWART; FORMER GOVERNOR OF MINNESOTA ELMER A.BENSON, WHO IS NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY; AND PROF. THOMAS I.EMERSON, OF THE YALE LAW SCHOOL, WHO RECENTLY RESIGNED FROM THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

ANOTHER SIGNER WAS DR.W.E.B.DUBOIS, CHAIRMAN OF THE PEACE INFORMATION CENTER, WHICH HAS BEEN DISTRIBUTING PEACE PETITIONS

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PATTERNED AFTER THOSE OF THE STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL AND DESCRIBED BY U. S. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AS COMMUNIST-INSPIRED.

"WE WHO ISSUE THIS APPEAL ARE AMERICAN CITIZENS WHO DIFFER ON MANY ISSUES AND IN OUR SOLUTIONS TO THE PROBLEM OF WORLD SURVIVAL PRESENTED BY THE THREAT OF ATOM-WAR," THE LETTER SAID.

"BUT WE BELIEVE THAT WE WOULD BE DISLOYAL TO ALL THAT THE FOUNDERS OF THIS COUNTRY HELD SACRED IF WE WERE TO CONDONE FOR ONE MOMENT THE SUBVERSION OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY MANIFESTED IN THESE ASSAULTS AND ARRESTS OF WORKERS FOR PEACE."

THE LETTER SAID THE AMERICAN FORM OF GOVERNMENT CANNOT SURVIVE UNLESS IT CAN "PROVE TO OTHERS THAT AMERICANS PRACTICE THE DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES THEY PREACH. X X X

THE LETTER TERMED IT INEVITABLE THAT WITH MAN'S FUTURE AT STAKE, "SOLUTIONS PROPOSED WILL BE EXTREMELY DIVERSE, CONTROVERSIAL AND HEATED."

"YET WE LEARN," THE LETTER SAID, "THAT IN A NUMBER OF CITIES IN THE UNITED STATES, CITIZENS WHO ASSERT THEIR INALIENABLE RIGHT TO SPEAK FOR PEACE ACCORDING TO THEIR OWN INSIGHTS ARE BEING ASSAULTED, ARRESTED BY OFFICERS OF THE LAW AND EVEN IMPUGNED AS DISLOYAL TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE AND OUR FORM OF GOVERNMENT. X X X

"WE THEREFORE URGE YOU, AS SWORN DEFENDERS OF THE U. S. CONSTITUTION, FOR THE SAKE OF OUR COUNTRY'S GOOD NAME, TO ACT AT ONCE AGAINST THOSE WHO SEEK TO INTERFERE WITH THE RIGHTS OF THOSE WHO PETITION, SPEAK OR ACT FOR PEACE IN YOUR CITY."

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FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS FLEW OVER 260 COMBAT SORTIES, APPROXIMATELY HALF OF THEM IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF UNITED NATIONS GROUND FORCES ON THE BATTLE LINES. THE REMAINDER WERE STAGED AGAINST TARGETS BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

F-80 JETS AND F-51S, JOINED BY ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE MUSTANGS AND U.S.MARINE F-4U FIGHTERS FLYING UNDER THE OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE, TOOK A HEAVY TOLL OF COMMUNIST MATERIEL AND EQUIPMENT.

CONSERVATIVE TOTALS FOR FIGHTER DAMAGE CLAIMS INCLUDED 67 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, 11 TANKS, 21 LOCOMOTIVES, 308 RAILROAD CARS, SIX BRIDGES, TWO AMMUNITION DUMPS, THREE STORAGE DUMPS, 34 BUILDINGS HOUSING TROOPS OR SUPPLIES, NINE GUN EMPLACEMENTS, FOUR LARGE BOATS AND A RAILROAD TUNNEL. FOUR AIRCRAFT OF AN UNKNOWN TYPE WERE DESTROYED ON THE GROUND AND THREE OTHERS DAMAGED IN FIGHTER SWEEPS NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

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IN DAY INTERDICTION STRIKES, B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS ATTACKED AND DAMAGED RAIL TRACKAGE AND BRIDGES IN THE CHOCHIWON AREA. NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS BY B-26S AND MARINE F-4US BOMBED AND STRAFED CONVOYS AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS OVER A WIDE AREA.

RAIL TARGETS AND MARSHALLING YARDS WERE HIT IN NIGHT ATTACKS ON CHONGJU, NAMWON AND CHONAN. ATTACKS WERE MADE ON THE SEOUL PONTOON BRIDGE, AND MILITARY TARGETS IN MANY CITIES ALONG THE ROUTES OF APPROACH TO THE FRONT WERE BOMBED OR STRAFED IN A CONTINUING EFFORT TO INTERRUPT RESUPPLY OPERATIONS, NOW BEING CARRIED OUT UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS.

CARGO AIRCRAFT CARRIED A RECORD 445 TONS OF URGENTLY NEEDED MILITARY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT AND 236 PASSENGERS TO KOREA DURING THE DAY.

NORTH KOREAN AIR OPPOSITION REMAINED ABSENT, AND NO AMERICAN OR AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT WERE LOST OR DAMAGED BY GROUND OR ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE.

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FOURTH NIGHT LEAD KOREAN ROUNDUP (800) AUG 29 1950

BY RUSSELL BRINES.

TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG 29-(AP)-UNITED NATIONS FORCES HAMMERED BACK A MOUNTING COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE BY 40,000 MEN ON THE NORTHERN FRONT TODAY AS THE FIRST BRITISH TROOPS LANDED IN KOREA TO REINFORCE THIN U.S. LINES

TROOPS FROM TWO CRACK BRITISH REGIMENTS STEPPED ASHORE JUST HALF AN HOUR BEFORE FRONT DISPATCHES REPORTED SOUTH KOREAN INFANTRYMEN RECAPTURED KIGYE NEAR THE EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE U.N. DEFENSE PERIMETER.

AMERICAN TROOPS IN THE SOUTHWEST--ON THE APPROACHES TO THE MAIN U.N. SUPPLY PORT OF PUSAN--BEAT BACK THREE SEPARATE FIERCE ATTACKS TODAY ON FAMED BATTLE MOUNTAIN WITHOUT LOSING GROUND.

THE REDS GAINED ONLY IN THE NORTHWEST. THERE, A U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE REPORTED, CONSTANT RED ASSAULTS PUSHED BACK ONE SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENT FOUR MILES TO POSITIONS SOUTHEAST OF UIHUNG. THIS PUT THE COMMUNISTS 18 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU IN THEIR LATEST THRUST TOWARD THAT U.N. COMMUNICATIONS CENTER.

THE BRITISH TROOPS--1,500 STRONG--ARRIVED "KEEN" AND READY FOR ACTION. THEY RECEIVED A ROUSING WELCOME AS THEY LANDED AT A SOUTH KOREAN PORT, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT JACK MACBETH REPORTED. AN AMERICAN ARMY BAND PLAYED "GOD SAVE THE KING."

THEY WERE THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS--A REGIMENT IMMORTALIZED A CENTURY AGO IN TENNYSON'S POEM "CHARGE OF THE LIGHT BRIGADE"--AND THE FIRST BATTALION OF THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT.

THESE MEN, FRESH FROM THE HILLS OF HONG KONG WHERE THEY TRAINED ON TERRAIN SIMILAR TO KOREA'S, WERE THE FIRST GROUND FORCES BESIDES AMERICAN AND SOUTH KOREAN TO ARRIVE TO FIGHT FOR THE EMBATTLED REPUBLIC.

THEY WILL OPERATE UNDER COMMAND OF LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER, COMMANDER OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY AND U.N. GROUND FORCES IN KOREA. A BRITISH SPOKESMAN IN TOKYO SAID OTHER BRITISH GROUND UNITS WOULD FOLLOW.

FRONTLINE REPORTS AND OFFICIAL RELEASES GAVE THIS PICTURE OF THE 120-MILE BATTLEFRONT:

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EASTERN FRONT--SOUTH KOREAN FORCES DROVE BACK INTO KIGYE, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, AND PUSHED ON NORTH. OTHER SOUTH KOREANS DEFENDING POHANG HELD THEIR POSITIONS FOUR MILES NORTH AND WEST OF THAT SECOND U.N. PORT, WITH THE AID OF EFFECTIVE 'ROUND-THE-CLOCK U.S. NAVAL GUNFIRE. AP CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH REPORTED INFILTRATING REDS SLIPPED A PLATOON THROUGH THE LINES ON THE ROAD SOUTH OF POHANG. THESE REDS WERE EXPECTED TO BE WIPED OUT BY NIGHTFALL.

NORTHERN FRONT--THE VANGUARD OF 20,000 REDS CONTINUED HAMMERING SOUTH OF UIHUNG IN AN OFFENSIVE AIMED AT TAEGU. THIS PUSH HAS GAINED ABOUT NINE MILES SINCE THE REDS STRUCK LAST FRIDAY AT CHONGNO IN SEARCH OF A ROUTE TO TAEGU LESS BLOODY THAN THE NEIGHBORING KUMHWA HIGHWAY "BOWLING ALLEY" WHERE AMERICAN TROOPS STOPPED REPEATED ATTACKS.

WESTERN FRONT--QUIET. THE EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE DID NOT EVEN MENTION THIS SECTOR.

SOUTHERN FRONT--THE REDS MOUNTED THREE SUCCESSIVE ATTACKS--LAUNCHED FROM MIDNIGHT TO DAWN--AGAINST U.S. NEGRO TROOPS ATOP BATTLE MOUNTAIN, BLOODY HEIGHT ON THE SOUTHERN PLAIN WHICH HAS CHANGED HANDS SIX TIMES IN TWO WEEKS. THE AMERICANS HELD THEIR GROUND IN BITTER HAND-TO-HAND FIGHTING, AP CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED. THE THIRD AND HEAVIEST ASSAULT LASTED MORE THAN THREE HOURS.

AIR-SEA--COMMUNIQUES REPORTED EXTENSIVE DAMAGE TO NORTH KOREAN INSTALLATIONS AND MATERIEL. BUT AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER PILOTS FLYING FROM JAPAN AND U.N. NAVAL FORCES IN THE YELLOW SEA PATROLLING THE WEST COAST COMPLAINED ABOUT THE LACK OF TARGETS. THAT'S A NEW TWIST TO AIR AND NAVAL REPORTS. IT MAY BE THE BEST INDICATION OF WHAT AIR AND SEA STRIKES ARE DOING TO RED SUPPLY LINES.

AMERICAN AIRCRAFT, WARSHIPS AND LAND ARTILLERY SWUNG QUICKLY INTO THE BATTLE ALONG THE EAST COAST AND HELPED SOUTH KOREAN INFANTRYMEN CHECK THE RED THRUST.

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THREE RED SPEARHEADS, FROM THEIR FIFTH, 12TH AND POSSIBLY 10TH, DIVISIONS HAD CUT MORE THAN SEVEN MILES THROUGH REPUBLICAN LINES IN THE POHANG-KIGYE AREA BEFORE U.S. GUNS GOT INTO ACTION.

A CRUISER WITH SUPPORTING DESTROYERS MOVED IN CLOSE TO POHANG AND OPENED UP A STEADY BOMBARDMENT ON THE REDS IN A TYPE OF SHELLING THAT HAS EFFECTIVELY HALTED PREVIOUS NORTH KOREAN THRUSTS ON THE EAST COAST. THE NAVY REPORTED RESULTS WERE "EXCELLENT."

U.S. ARTILLERY AND TANKS ROLLED UP FROM AN AMERICAN AIRSTRIP SOUTH OF POHANG AND BEGAN BLASTING AWAY. AND AMERICAN PLANES FROM THE AIR STRIP SHUTTLED BACK AND FORTH TO THE FRONT, STRAFING AND BOMBING.

THIS SUPPORT HELPED BATTLE-WEARY SOUTH KOREANS PUSH THREE MILES ACROSS THE PLAIN BEFORE KIGYE AND TAKE THE TOWN ON A HEIGHT OVERLOOKING THE POHANG-TAEGUE HIGHWAY.

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BUT THEY COULDN'T STOP INFILTRATING REDS, SLIPPING THROUGH REPUBLICAN LINES DURING THE NIGHT.

SOUTH KOREANS ENGAGED THESE FORCES IN THEIR REAR. FIELD DISPATCHES SAID THE LARGEST OF THE INFILTRATING GROUPS WAS THE PLATOON SOUTH OF POHANG. REPUBLICAN FORCES EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE THEY WOULD BE ELIMINATED BY NIGHTFALL.

AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED AMERICAN INFATRY, WITH HEAVY ARMOR SUPPORT, WAS BACKSTOPPING THE REPUBLICAN LINE IN CASE THE REDS BROKE THROUGH.

THE TIRED REPUBLICANS -- SOME OF THEM HAVE BEEN IN THE FRONT LINES FOR 60 DAYS--COUNTERATTACKED AT THE URGING OF LT.GEN.WALTON H. WALKER.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AFTERNOON WAR SUMMARY TODAY REPORTED THE REDS ATTACKED YESTERDAY ON THE LONG QUIET FRONT NORTHWEST OF KIGYE. HERE, HEADQUARTERS SAID, THE REDS DROVE THE SOUTH KOREAN EIGHTH DIVISION OUT OF IMAM, NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF KIGYE. THE SOUTH KOREANS FELL BACK A MILE, THEN HELD THEIR NEW POSITIONS NEAR IMAM AGAINST MODERATE OPPOSITION.

IMAM IS 21 MILES EAST OF THE RED DRIVE AGAINST THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION TOWARD [redacted] TAEGU. II

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THIRD NIGHT LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (230)

BY MILTON MARMOR

TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-SUPPORTED BY AMERICAN GUNS, SOUTH KOREAN INFANTRYHMEN SURGED BACK ON THE BITTERLY CONTESTED EAST COAST AND RECAPTURED KIGYE FROM THE COMMUNISTS, FIELD DISPATCHES REPORTED TODAY.

THE RETURN TO KIGYE REPRESENTS A THREE-MILE ADVANCE FOR THE REPUBLICAN TROOPS. AND THEY CONTINUED TO PUSH NORTHWARD AGAINST "LIGHT RESISTANCE," THESE REPORTS SAID.

ON THEIR RIGHT FLANK, OTHER SOUTH KOREANS STOOD FIRM AGAINST TWO OTHER PRONGS OF THE REDS' SURPRISINGLY STRONG WEEK-END ATTACK AGAINST THE EASTERN ANCHOR OF THE UNITED NATIONS' DEFENSE LINE. WITH AMERICAN WARSHIPS AND PLANES HAMMERING AT COMMUNIST SPEARHEADS, THE REPUBLICANS HELD THEIR POSITIONS AROUND POHANG, NO. 2 U. N. PORT IN KOREA, NINE MILES SOUTHEAST OF KIGYE.

AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN SAID THE SOUTH KOREAN POSITIONS WERE FOUR MILES NORTH AND WEST OF THE CITY.

RED INFILTRATED SOUTH KOREAN LINES DURING THE NIGHT, THE SPOKESMAN SAID, AND ABOUT A PLATOON PENETRATED ON THE ROAD SOUTH OF POHANG. REPUBLICAN TROOPS WERE ATTACKING THIS GROUP AT THE TIME THE SPOKESMAN MADE HIS REPORT AND EXPECTED TO WIPE THEM OUT BY NIGHTFALL.

THE U. S. NAVY SAID GUNS OF ITS WARSHIPS WERE SUPPLYING ROUND-THE-CLOCK SUPPORT FOR THE DEFENDERS OF POHANG WITH "EXCELLENT" RESULTS.

AT THE OPPOSITE END OF THE 120-MILE DEFENSE LINE REDS WERE BEATEN BACK IN FIERCE HAND-TO-HAND FIGHTING WITH AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN, EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID.

REDS HURLED THREE SUCCESSIVE ATTACKS EARLY TODAY AT U. S. NEGRO TROOPS ATOP BATTLE MOUNTAIN, DOMINATING THE SOUTH COASTAL PLAIN BEFORE MASAN WHICH GUARDS THE ROAD TO PUSAN, THE KEY U. N. SUPPLY PORT.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED BITTER CLOSE-IN FIGHTING WAS STILL UNDERWAY AT 8 A. . (5 P.M. MONDAY, E. S. T.) TWO HOURS AFTER THE COMMUNISTS STARTED THEIR THIRD AND HEAVIEST ATTACK OF THE DAY. BATTLE MOUNTAIN HAS CHANGED HANDS SIX TIMES IN TWO WEEKS.

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POHANG HAS CHANGED HANDS TWICE. AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE REPORTED THE REDS PUSHED TO WITHIN TWO AND ONE-HALF MILES IN THEIR DRIVE TO RECAPTURE THE PORT.

BOYLE SAID ARMOR-SUPPORTED AMERICAN INFANTRY MOVED UP TO BACKSTOP THE SOUTH KOREANS, SOME OF WHOM HAVE BEEN ON THE BATTLELINES FOR TWO SOLID MONTHS.

A CRUISER AND TWO DESTROYERS RAKED THE COMMUNIT SPEARHEAD APPROACH-IN THE PORT. ARTILLERY GUARDING THE U. S. AIRSTRIP SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF POHANG, WHICH THE REDS ALMOST SEIZED EARLIER THIS MONTH, ROLLED OUT TO SHELL THE NORTH KOREANS WHILE FIGHTER BOMBERS MADE REPEATED QUICK TRIPS FROM THE STRIP TO THE FRONT.

THE REDS WERE REPORTED USING 40,000 TROOPS ALONG THE JAGGED NORTHERN FRONT, SLIPPING STRONG PATROLS THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS TO WITHIN 18 MILES OF TAEGU.

ONE REGIMENT OF THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION WAS "FORCED BACK FOUR MILES SOUTHEAST FROM UIHUNG" ON THE ROAD LEADING TO TAEGU FROM THE NORTHEAST, THE EIGHTH ARMY SAID IN ITS NOON COMMUNIQUE. THE SIXTH DIVISION WAS UNDER CONSTANT ATTACK YESTERDAY, THE COMMUNIQUE ADDED.

REINFORCEMENTS FOR THE TIRED UNITED NATIONS FORCES ARRIVED IN KOREA WITH THE LANDING OF 1,500 MEN FROM TWO CRACK BRITISH REGIMENTS. THESE MEN---FROM THE MIDDLESEX AND THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND REGIMENTS ---ARE THE FIRST BRITISH GROUND FORCE COMMITTED TO KOREA. THEY WERE GREETED BY THEIR OWN COMMANDERS, WHO FLEW AHEAD FROM HONG KONG, AND BY U. S. AND KOREAN MILITARY OFFICIALS.

FIELD DISPATCHES MONDAY MIDNIGHT FROM THE POHANG SECTOR ACKNOWLEDGED THAT THE MILITARY SITUATION THERE WAS "CONFUSED AND UNCERTAIN."

AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT IN A MIDNIGHT DISPATCH FROM POHANG, SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD MOVED TOWARDS RED-HELD KIGYE, 10 MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG. THERE THEY RAN INTO STRONG ENEMY POSITIONS. THE AMOUNT REGAINED WAS NOT DISCLOSED.

AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE ON THE SAME FRONT HAD REPORTED THAT AT DUSK MONDAY THE REDS WERE WITHIN TWO AND ONE-HALF MILES OF POHANG AND STILL ADVANCING DESPITE ALLIED NAVAL AND ARTILLERY FIRE.

LAMBERT SAID THE AMERICAN DEFENSE COMMAND WAS PRESSING FOR THE SOUTH KOREANS TO REGAIN THE SIX TO SEVEN MILES LOST IN THE PAST THREE DAYS, BUT THAT THE CONFUSION CAUSED ADDITIONAL U.S. FORCES TO BE SENT TO THE AREA FOR USE IF CONDITIONS WORSENED.

THE COMMUNIST AIM, HE WROTE, APPEARED TO BE TO OUTFLANK TAEGU, VITAL FORWARD BASE 45 AIR MILES SOUTHWEST OF POHANG. AFTER DARK MONDAY, UNDETERMINED NUMBERS OF NORTH KOREAN INFANTRY AND VEHICLES WERE REPORTED MOVING SOUTH ABOUT 30 MILES WEST OF POHANG.

A STRONG ATTACK THERE, LAMBERT NOTED, COULD CUT THE TAEGU-POHANG ROAD AND ISOLATE THE SOUTH KOREANS AND AMERICANS TO THE EAST. THAT ROAD WAS UNDER SNIPER FIRE SUNDAY NIGHT BUT WAS REPORTED CLEAR AGAIN MONDAY.

AMERICAN OFFICERS WERE CONFIDENT THE ENEMY WOULD BE STOPPED. AT THE SAME TIME THEY WERE ADMITTEDLY UNSURE ABOUT THE ENEMY'S REAL INTENTIONS.

"INFORMATION IS SO SKIMPY WE JUST CANNOT TELL YET," ONE OFFICER TOLD CORRESPONDENT BOYLE.

BUT LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER, U.S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMANDER, DECLARED IN A MESSAGE TO THE SOUTH KOREANS:

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"IT IS MY BELIEF THE OVER-EXTENDED ENEMY IS MAKING HIS LAST GASP. TEAR HIM APART NOW SO THAT OUR ROAD TO VICTORY WILL BE MUCH SURER AND QUICKER."

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SUMMARY AT 1:20 A.M. TUESDAY, (10:20 A.M. EST MONDAY), WHICH OFTEN LAGS BEHIND FIELD DISPATCHES, GAVE THIS PICTURE ALONG THE WHOLE FRONT:

IN THE POHANG-KIGYE SECTOR NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES BUT ENEMY PRESSURE CONTINUING.

IN THE CENTER OF THE NORTHERN LINE THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION REPULSED AN ENEMY FORCE OF COMPANY STRENGTH AND FORCED IT TO WITHDRAW TOWARD SANSONG, 18 AIR MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU.

SIX MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN ONE OF THREE ENEMY TANKS WAS DESTROYED.

ON THE NOTHER END OF THE WESTERN FRONT, U.S. FIRST CAVALRY PATROLS STABBED ACROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER AND KILLED EIGHT OF AN ENEMY PATROL. TWO PRISONERS WERE TAKEN.

FARTHER WEST OF THE NAKTONG, ROADS RUNNING SOUTHEAST OF SONJU, 18 MILES WEST OF TAEGU, WERE JAMMED WITH PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC AND OXEN TRAINS.

CENTRAL AND SOUTHWEST SECTORS, QUIET WITH NO SIGNIFICANT ACTION REPORTED.

AP CORRESPONDENT DON HUTH AT EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS SAID IT WAS THE VONSIDERED VIEW THERE THAT THE SITUATION AT POHANG WAS NOT CRITICAL AND ITS GRAVITY SHOULD NOT BE OVER EMPHASIZED.

BEST AMERICAN REPORTS WERE THAT THE REDS HAD NOT BEGUN TOO GREAT AN ASSAULT AT POHANG BUT THAT TIRED REPUBLICAN TROOPS HAD WITH-DRAWN IN THE FACE OF SHARP FIRE.

EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS. HOWEVER. ADMITTEDLY HAD VERY POOR

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COMMUNICATIONS WITH THE SOUTH KOREAN FORCES.
U.S.PILOT OBSERVERS REPORTED FIGHTING ALL ALONG THE EAST-WEST NORTHERN LINE--ABOUT 45 AIR MILES LONG. THESE OBSERVERS SAID THE REDS WERE GOING STRONG.
AMERICAN B-29S MONDAY HIT THE NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST INDUSTRIAL CITY OF SONGJIN WITH 300 TONS OF BOMBS. THE PORT CITY IS 180 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.
FIGHTER AND LIGHTER BOMBERS CONTINURD TO FLY IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS, WITH SOME LIGHT BOMBERS HITTING MILITARY TARGETS AT PYONGYANG, CAPITAL OF NORTH KOREA, AND AT SEOUL AND INCHON.
FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS SAID ALLIED WARPLANES HAD DESTROYED AT LEAST 171 ENEMY TANKS IN TWO MONTHS. IT ADDED THAT 162 OTHERS HAD BEEN DAMAGED.
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THIRD LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (140)
BY RELMAN MORIN
TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-THE KOREAN REDS DROVE BACK THE RIGHT WING OF THE ALLIED DEFENSE LINE ON KOREA'S EAST COAST MONDAY, THEN LOST SOME OF THEIR GAINS TO A SOUTH KOREAN COUNTER-PUSH. BUT THEY WERE MAINTAININING STRONG PRESSURE ON THE POHANG SECTOR MONDAY NIGHT.
IN A DISPATCH FILED AT MIDNIGHT MONDAY FROM POHANG, AP CORRESPONDENT TOM LAMBERT SAID THAT AFTER HAVING LOST CONSIDERABLE GROUND, MILEAGE UNDISCLOSED, THE SOUTH KOREANS EDGED BACK NORTHWARD LATE MONDAY IN AN ATTEMPT TO LIFT THE SAGGING DEFENSE LINE. THEY HAD AMERICAN AIR, ARTILLERY AND NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORT.
LAMBERT SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS HAD REACHED THE SOUTHERN EDGE OF A BROAD VALLEY LEADING TOWARDS KIGYE, 10 MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, BUT THE REDS STILL HELD KIGYE AND WERE REPORTED MAKING NEW AGGRESSIVE MOVES AFTER DARK MONDAY.
U.S. PILOTS SAID THE WHOLE NORTHERN FRONT--EAST AND WEST FROM THE NAKTONG RIVER TO THE EAST COAST -- WAS AFLAME.
THE MOST SEVERE FIGHTING WAS BEFORE POHANG ON THE SEA OF JAPAN EAST COAST, AND 22 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU NEAR THE RED-HELD VILLAGE OF UIHUNG.
RED INFILTRATORS WERE SEEN BEHIND SOUTH KOREAN LINES NORTH OF TAEGU.
AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE AT POHANG, 65 MILES NORTH OF THE MAIN ALLIED PORT OF PUSAN, REPORTED A U.S. CRUISER AND THREE DESTROYERS JOINED LAND ARTILLERY IN POUNDING THE ADVANCING REDS. BUT THE NORTH KOREANS ADVANCED IN THE TEETH OF THE FIRE.
GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, WHOSE ANNOUNCEMENTS GENERALLY ARE BEHIND FIELD REPORTS, SAID IN ITS KOREAN SUMMARY EARLY TUESDAY THAT ENEMY PRESSURE CONTINUED IN THE POHANG-KIGYE SECTOR WITH NO SIGIFNICANT CHANGES.
THE SUMMARY SAID A RED COMPANY PENETRATED THE SOUTH KOREAN SIXTH DIVISION'S SECTOR ON THE NORTH-CENTRAL FRONT JORTHEAST OF WAEWAG BUT WAS FORCED TO WITHDRAW TO THE VICINITY OF SANSONG, 18 MILES NORTHEAST OF TAEGU. DETAILS WERE NOT DISCLOSED.
THE REDS WON POHANG EARLIER THIS MONTH IN A SURPRISE ATTACK. THEY LOST IT A FEW DAYS LATER TO COUNTER-ATTACKING ALLIED TROOPS. THE UNITED NATIONS TROOPS DROVE THEM NINE MILES NORTH FROM WHENCE THEY SPRANG BACK TO THE OFFENSIVE THAT HAS CARRIED THEM TO THE GATES OF THE NO. 2 EAST COAST PORT IN SOUTH KOREA.
CORRESPONDENT BOYLE REPORTED U.S. INFANTRY, POWERFULLY SUPPORTED BY ARMOR, MOVED INTO POSITION TO BACKSTOP THE SOUTH KOREANS TRYING TO HOLD POHANG.
U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE PILOT OBSEREVERS REPORTED HEAVY FIGHTING FROM WAEGWAN, 12 MILES NORTHWEST OF TAEGU, ALL THE WAY TO THE EAST COAST -- 45 AIRLINE MILES. THE PILOTS SAID THE RED DRIVE WAS GOING STRONG.
THE SOUTH KOREANS FOUGHT STUBBORNLY. BUT THEY WERE FORCED BACK BY SUPERIOR NUMBERS.
THE REDS HAD THROWN INTO THE BATTLE 40,000 OF THE 64,000 TROOPS THEY HAVE PRESSING AGAINST THE FRONT, WHICH IS ANCHORED ON THE SOUTH COAST WEST OF MASAN PORT, 27 AIRLINE MILES WEST OF PUSAN.

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IN A MESSAGE URING THE SOUTH KOREANS TO HOLD, LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMANDER, SAID:
"IT IS MY BELIEF THE OVER-EXTENDED ENEMY IS MAKING HIS LAST GASP. TEAR HIM APART NOW SO THAT OUR ROAD TO VICTORY WILL BE THAT MUCH SURER AND QUICKER."
EARLIER MONDAY GENERAL WALKER EXPRESSED CONCERN OVER OPTIMISM SHOWN BY SOME FRONTLINE TROOPS AND OFFICERS. HE WARNED AGAINST IT BEFORE TAKING OFF ON AN AIR TOUR OF THE KOREAN FRONT.
BEFORE THE LATE MONDAY AIR AND FIELD REPORTS WERE RECEIVED THE 8TH ARMY IN KOREA AND GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO HAD REPORTED THE RED DRIVE CONTAINED.
AT THE POHANG AIRSTRIP, SIX MILES BELOW THE NO. 2 SOUTH KOREAN EAST COAST PORT, CORRESPONDENT BOYLE SAID AMERICAN OFFICERS WERE OPTIMISTIC ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF STOPPING THE COMMUNIST ASSAULT.
BOYLE'S REPORT TALLIED WITH AIR FORCE INFORMATION THAT ONE OF THE ROADS SOUTH OF KIGYE, MOUNTAIN TOWN NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, HAD BEEN BROUGHT UNDER MORTAR FIRE. KIGYE HAS CHANGED HANDS SEVERAL TIMES IN THE FIGHTING.
THE AP CORRESPONDENT SAID IT APPEARED FROM THE AIR THAT COMMUNIST SHELLS WERE REACHING TOWARD THE POHANG-ANGANG ROUTE, AN EAST-WEST ARTERY.
THE ROUTE WAS STILL BEING USED MONDAY NIGHT BY THE ALLIES TO FEED SUPPLIES INTO TAEGU, 45 MILES TO THE WEST.
THE BATTLE NORTH OF TAEGU WAS BEING WAGED OVER A NARROW FRONT THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS.
THE NORTH KOREANS KEPT PRESSURE ON AMERICAN HELD SECTORS OF THE LONG BATTLE LINE. THIS WAS TRUE PARTICULARLY ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER, WHICH SNAKES NORTH AND SOUTH ON THE WEST OF TAEGU, AND THE NAM RIVER WEST OF MASAN, SOUTH COAST PORT 27 AIRLINE MILES WEST OF PUSAN.
THE REDS TRIED TO SHOVE REINFORCEMENTS ACROSS BOTH RIVERS BUT MET DISASTER IN EACH ATTEMPT. AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND PLANES CAUGHT THE REDS AND IN ONE PLACE CUT DOWN HALF OF A SMALL NORTH KOREAN FORCE.
B-29S MONDAY RANGED FAR NORTH AND PLASTERED AN IRON AND STEEL PLANT AT SONGJIN WITH 300 TONS OF BOMBS. SONGJIN IS 180 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL, WHICH DIVIDES NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA.

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A NAVY OPERATIONS SUMMARY REPORTED CARRIER PILOTS SMASHED 11 NEW RUSSIAN-TYPE YAK FIGHTER PLANES ON THE GROUND AT YONPO. THIS WAS THE LARGEST SINGLE GROUP OF NORTH KOREAN FIGHTER CRAFT DISCOVERED IN MANY WEEKS IN KOREA.
POSSIBLY MORE SIGNIFICANT WAS THE APPEARANCE OF CORVETTES, TANKERS AND FREIGHTERS IN NORTH KOREAN PORTS. APPARENTLY THEY WERE SUPPLIED TO THE NORTH KOREANS BY ANOTHER COMMUNIST NATION FOR THE RED KOREANS HAD NONE WHEN THE WAR STARTED ON JUNE 25.
THE NAVY SAID RAIDING AMERICAN CARRIER PILOTS SANK A CORVETTE

OR A SUBMARINE-CHASER TYPE OF VESSEL, AN OCEAN GOING TANKER, TWO OTHER TANKERS AND A CORVETTE. NINE CORVETTES AND SIX COASTAL SUPPLY SHIPS WERE SET AFIRE. TWELVE POWER BOATS WERE DAMAGED AND TWO SHIPS IN DRYDOCK WERE SET AFIRE.

AFTER THE NAVY SUMMARY WAS ANNOUNCED, THE U.S. FIFTH AIR FORCE SAID IN THE FIRST TWO MONTHS OF ACTION ENDING SATURDAY ITS WARPLANES HAD DESTROYED AT LEAST 171 RED KOREAN TANKS AND DAMAGED 162.

MAJ.GEN. EARLE E.PARTRIDGE, COMMANDER OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE, SAID HIS UNIT LOST 79 PLANES "FROM ALL CAUSES."

AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN CATEGORICALLY DENIED A STATEMENT BY RED CHINA'S PREMIER FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI THAT AMERICAN PLANES SUNDAY STRAFED THREE VILLAGES ON THE MANCHURIAN SIDE OF THE BORDER. THE SPOKESMAN SAID NO ALLIED PLANES HAVE CROSSED THE BORDER.

THE SAME SPOKESMAN ADDED HE HAD NO INFORMATION THAT RED CHINESE TROOPS HAD CROSSED INTO NORTH KOREA TO HELP THE COMMUNISTS.

A REPORT FROM FORMOSA, WHERE NATIONALIST CHINESE HAVE THEIR HEADQUARTERS, SAID 270,000 CHINESE RED TROOPS WERE NEAR THE MANCHURIAN-NORTH KOREAN BORDER AND THAT SOME HAD CROSSED INTO KOREA.

THE AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID AIR RECONNAISSANCE WOULD SPOT ANY SUCH MOVEMENT OF TROOPS.

ALLIED GROUND TROOPS EXPECTED BRITISH INFANTRY THIS WEEK IN SOUTH KOREA. THE VANGUARD OF 1,500 BRITISH TROOPS OUT OF HONG KONG FLEW INTO SOUTH KOREA OVER THE WEEKEND.

(NO PICKUP)

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FIRST LEAD KOREAN WAR ROUNDUP (250)

BY RELMAN MORIN

TOKYO, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE RIGHT WING OF THE 120-MILE-LONG ALLIED SOUTHEASTERN KOREA DEFENSE LINE BENT BACK TONIGHT BEFORE THE POWER OF A FRESH RED KOREAN DRIVE.

SEVERE FIGHTING WAS REPORTED FROM THE CENTRAL FRONT RUBBLE CITY OF WAEGWAN 45 MILES EAST TO THE SEA OF JAPAN COAST PORT OF POHANG. ALLIED PILOTS REPORTED THE HEAVY FIGHTING LATE MONDAY.

FORTY THOUSAND OF 64,000 REDS PRESSING THE WHOLE ALLIED KOREAN DEFENSE PERIMETER WERE COMMITED IN THE NORTHERN ARC BATTLE.

THE LINE BENT SOUTHWARD MOST NEAR RED HELD UIHUNG, 22 MILES NORTH OF THE CENTRAL FRONT COMMUNICATIONS HUB OF TAEGU, AND JUST NORTH AND WEST OF POHANG, NO. 2 SOUTH KOREAN PORT ON THE EAST COAST.

EARLIER REPORTS FROM THE U.S. 8TH ARMY IN KOREA AND GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS HAD SAID THE REDS HAD BEEN CONTAINED.

AP CORRESPONDENT HAL BOYLE LANDED AT THE POHANG AIRSTRIP JUST BEFORE DARK MONDAY AND REPORTED THE REDS WERE 2 1/2 MILES FROM POHANG AND ADVANCING AGAINST A SEVERE NAVAL AND LAND BOMBARDMENT.

THE REDS BEFORE POHANG SPRANG SUDDENLY FROM PREPARED DEFENSE POSITIONS WHICH THEY HAD DUG WHEN THE SOUTH KOREANS PUSHED THEM BACK EIGHT TO NINE MILES NORTH OF POHANG.

IN A MESSAGE DIRECTED TO THE SOUTH KOREANS, LT. GEN. WALTON H. WALKER, U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMANDER IN KOREA, URGED THEM TO HOL, AND ADDED:

WALKER, U.S. 8TH ARMY COMMANDER IN KOREA, URGED THEM TO HOLD, AND ADDED:

"IT IS MY BELIEF THE OVER-EXTENDED ENEMY IS MAKING HIS LAST GASP."

CORRESPONDENT BOYLE SAID AMERICAN OFFICERS AT THE POHANG AIRSTRIP, SIX MILES BELOW THE PORT CITY, FELT THE U.S. AIRFIELD COULD BE HELD.

GENERAL WALKER MADE HIS STATEMENT AFTER EXPRESSING CONCERN OVER EARLIER OPTIMISTIC COMMENT FROM LINE TROOPS AND OFFICERS.

THE U.S. 8TH ARMY IN A COMMUNIQUE LATE MONDAY SAID THE COMMUNISTS ADVANCED TO WITHIN FOUR MILES OF POHANG. A GENERAL STAFF OFFICER AT HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO SAID THE REDS WERE WITHIN TWO MILES OF THE CITY ON THE NORTH.

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S LATE MONDAY COMMUNIQUE SAID THE OTHER RED THRUST WAS CONTAINED 22 MILES NORTH OF TAEGU NEAR THE TOWN OF UIHUNG. UIHUNG, ABOVE TAEGU, WAS OCCUPIED SUNDAY BY THE REDS WHEN SOUTH KOREAN FORCES RETREATED.

HEAVY FIGHTING CENTERED LATE MONDAY NORTH OF TAEGU, MAIN COMMUNICATIONS HUB OF THE ALLIED KOREAN CENTRAL FRONT.

FOUR OTHER NORTH KOREAN ATTACKS SPLINTERED AND FELL BACK IN THE CENTER AND LEFT OF THE PERIMETER WHEN AMERICAN ARTILLERY BLASTED THEM OUT OF POSITION.

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A45FX

WITHOUT DISCOUNTING THE IMPORTANCE OF THE NORTH KOREAN SMASH TOWARD TAEGU AND AT UIHUNG, AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER AT GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS SAID THE NEXT BIG DRIVE IS NOT YET UNDER WAY. HE EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT ONE RED DIVISION, THE SECOND, HOLDS THE KEY TO IT.

THE SECOND, ONE OF THE ELITE RED SHOCK UNITS, IS REFITTING SOMEWHERE AROUND KUMCHON, NORTH OF TAEGU, HE SAID.

THREE OTHER RED DIVISIONS, CONSTITUTING THE MAIN MASS, STILL WERE IN POSITION BETWEEN WAEGWAN AND KUNWI, NORTHWEST OF TAEGU.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE RED SECOND DIVISION IS WITHIN A DAY'S MARCH OF EITHER FRONT. WHEN IT GETS INTO ACTION THE COMMUNIST SUPREME EFFORT TO DRIVE ON TAEGU AND PUSAN WILL BE GOING, HE SAID.

THE NORTH KOREANS APPLIED PRESSURE TO ALL POINTS OF THE PERIMETER SUNDAY NIGHT AND MONDAY. BUT THE ONLY DENTS THEY MADE WERE ON THE EAST COAST.

THE REDS ASSAULTED AMERICAN LINES NEAR HAMAN, IN THE EXTREME SOUTH, BRINGING A COLUMN OF 30 VEHICLES AND ARTILLERY PIECES TO A NEWLY CONSTRUCTED UNDERWATER FORD ON THE NAM RIVER.

AMERICAN PLANES SWEPT DOWN ON THE COLUMN AND IT WAS HIT SIMULTANEOUSLY BY AN ARTILLERY BARRAGE THAT SCATTERED THE REDS.

FARTHER NORTH AT THE HYONPUNG BRIDGEHEAD, 14 MILES SOUTHWEST OF TAEGU, SEVEN RED TANKS WERE REPORTED OPERATING.

MAC ARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN SAID PATROL ACTIVITY IN THAT SECTOR HAD INCREASED BUT HE POINTED OUT THAT THE BRIDGEHEAD HAD BEEN ON THE ALLIED EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG RIVER SINCE AUG. 13 AND THE REDS HAD NOT ATTEMPTED TO BREAK OUT OF IT.

AMERICAN BIG GUNS SMASHED UP ANOTHER RED TRY FOR A FOOTHOLD ON THE EAST BANK OF THE NAKTONG SIX MILES SOUTHWEST OF CHANGNYONG, WHERE THE COMMUNISTS TRIED DESPERATELY TO HOLD A CROSSING 10 DAYS AGO.

THE ARTILLERY CAUGHT A RED FORCE TRYING TO THROW ANOTHER RUSSIAN-TYPE UNDERWATER BRIDGE ACROSS THE RIVER AND DISPERSED IT, KILLING OR WOUNDING HALF OF THE FORCE.

THE HEAVY GUNS AND ALLIED WARPLANES DURING MONDAY CUT DOWN THE REDS AND INFLICTED CASUALTIES ALL ALONG THE ALLIED RIVER BARRIER.

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WEEKEND STRIKES BY NAVY CARRIER PLANES FAR UP THE NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST, NETTED THE BIGGEST KILL OF THE WAR FOR THE SUCH CRAFT.

A NAVY OPERATIONS SUMMARY REPORTED PILOTS FOUND AND DESTROYED 11 NEW RUSSIAN-TYPE YAK FIGHTER PLANES ON THE GROUND AT YONPO.

THE YAKS WERE COVERED WITH CAMOUFLAGE BUT WERE SPOTTED AND DESTROYED IN STRAFING RUNS.

THIS WAS THE LARGEST SINGLE GROUP OF FIGHTER AIRCRAFT DISCOVERED IN MANY WEEKS IN NORTH KOREA.

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POSSIBLY MORE SIGNIFICANT WAS THE APPEARANCE OF CORVETTES, TANKERS AND FREIGHTERS IN NORTH KOREAN EAST COAST PORTS.

THE NAVY SAID AMERICAN PILOTS SANK A SUBMARINE-CHASER--OR A CORVETTE TYPE VESSEL--AN OCEAN GOING TANKER, TWO OTHER TANKERS AND ONE CORVETTE.

THESE VESSELS INDICATED THE NORTH KOREANS WERE GETTING HELP FROM ANOTHER COMMUNIST NATION. THEY HAD NO VESSELS OF THIS TYPE WHEN THE WAR STARTED JUNE 25.

THE NAVY SET FIRE TO NINE OTHER CORVETTES AND SIX SUPPLY CARRYING COASTAL SHIPS. TWELVE POWER BOATS WERE DAMAGED. TWO SHIPS IN DRYDOCK WERE SET AFIRE BY 1,000 POUND BOMBS.

THIS WAS THE LARGEST BAG OF SEAGOING EQUIPMENT SIGHTED AND ATTACKED SINCE THE FULL WEIGHT OF ALLIED AIRPOWER WAS BROUGHT INTO ACTION ON THE NORTH KOREAN COAST.

B-29S DROPPED 400 TONS OF BOMBS ON AN IRON AND STEEL PLANT 20 MILES SOUTH OF PYONGYANG, THE RED NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL. THEY ALSO KNOCKED OUT ONE OR MORE SPANS FROM EIGHT KEY ENEMY-HELD BRIDGES.

AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN CATEGORICALLY DENIED A STATEMENT BY RED CHINA'S FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI THAT AMERICAN PLANES SUNDAY STRAFED A TOWN ON THE MANCHURIAN SIDE OF THE BORDER.

THE SPOKESMAN SAID NO ALLIED AIRCRAFT "HAVE FLOWN OVER MANCHURIA."

THE AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID HE HAD NO INFORMATION THAT CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS HAVE BEEN CROSSING INTO NORTH KOREA FROM MANCHURIA.

A REPORT FROM NATIONALIST CHINESE FORMOSA MONDAY SAID THE CHINESE REDS HAD MASSED 270,000 TROOPS NEAR THE KOREAN BORDER AND SOME OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAD CROSSED INTO KOREA.

THE AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN SAID RECONNAISSANCE PLANES WOULD SPOT SUCH TROOP MOVEMENTS.

ON THE ALLIED SIDE THE VANGUARD OF MORE HELP ARRIVED IN SOUTH KOREA. THE 32-MAN ADVANCE OF 1,500 BRITISH TROOPS FROM HONG KONG FLEW INTO SOUTH KOREA OVER THE WEEKEND. THEY WILL MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE BRITISH INFANTRYMEN TO JOIN ALLIED TROOPS AT THE FRONT.

GENERAL WALKER'S "LAST GASP" STATEMENT TO THE SOUTH KOREANS WAS MADE AFTER HE HAD EARLIER MONDAY EXPRESSED CONCERN ABOUT OPTIMISM IN ALLIED LINES OVER RECENT SUCCESSES AGAINST THE REDS.

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NIGHT LEAD AERIAL (170)

TOKYO,AUG.28-(AP)-B-29S TODAY BLASTED A TWO MILE LONG MODERN RED KOREA STEEL PLANT ON THE EAST COAST GEARED TO SUPPLY THE KOREAN RED ARMY.

THE SUPERFORTRESSES CASCADED 300 TONS OF HIGH EXPLOSIVES ON THE SPRAWLING PLANT AT SONGJIN, 180 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL.

THE JAPANESE-BUILT PLANT IS ONE OF THE MOST MODERN IN NORTH KOREA. IT PRODUCES HIGH QUALITY STEEL, COBALT AND MANGANESE.

ITS FACILITIES INCLUDED 10 BLAST AND ELECTROLYTIC FURNACES, MODERN STEEL ROLLING MILL, HUGE FORGE SHOP AND INDUSTRIAL TRANSFORMER YARD.

ONE BOMBARDIER SAID THE BOMBS "HIT WHERE THEY WERE SUPPOSED TO."

B-29S SUNDAY HIT A BIG IRON AND STEEL PLANT AT KYOMITO, 16 MILES WEST OF THE RED CAPITAL OF PYONGYANG.

OTHER B-29S POUNDED ENEMY COMMUNICATIONS WITH 140 TONS OF GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS.

LAND-BASED FIGHTERS FLEW IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF ALLIED GROUND TROOPS AND LIGHT BOMBERS STRUCK DEEP IN RED TERRITORY AT PYONGYANG, SEOUL AND INCHON.

A NUMBER OF RED TROOPS TRYING TO CLOSE THE NAKTONG RIVER ON RAFTS WERE REPORTED KILLED.

MAJ.GEN.EARLE PARTRIDGE SAID MONDAY THAT ALLIED WARPLANES OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE DESTROYED AT LEAST 171 RED KOREAN TANKS AND DAMAGED 162 OTHERS IN THE FIRST TWO MONTHS OF THE WAR.

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A99FX

FIRST LEAD AERIAL (270)

BY O.H.P. KING

TOKYO, AUG. 28-(AP)-B-29S IN A NEW STRIKE AT NORTH KOREA'S WAR INDUSTRY RAINED 300 TONS OF BOMBS TODAY ON SONGJIN.

THE TARGET CITY IS ON THE SEA OF JAPAN 180 MILES NORTH OF PARALLEL 38.

ALLIED FIGHTER PLANES SOCKED THE RED KOREANS IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND TROOPS. LIGHT BOMBERS STRUCK DEEP IN RED TERRITORY AT PYONGYANG, SEOUL AND INCHON.

NAVY CARRIER PLANES EARLIER RANGED ALONG NORTH KOREA'S EAST COAST AND SANK FIVE RED VESSELS, LEFT SIX OTHERS SINKING AND 15 BURNING.

JACK MACBETH, ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT, REPORTED FROM KOREA:

THE FIFTH AIR FORCE FLEW 218 SORTIES BY 3 P.M. (MIDNIGHT SUNDAY, EST). MORE THAN HALF WERE MADE BY AIR FORCE, MARINE AND AUSTRALIAN PLANES IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES.

IN THE NORTHEAST SECTOR, THE PLANES RIPPED 10 DUMMY HAYSTACKS CAMOUFLAGING ENEMY VEHICLES.

ON THE NAKTONG RIVER FRONT, THE ALLIED FIGHTERS EXPLODED ONE AMMUNITION DUMP, DESTROYED SIX VEHICLES AND BLASTED SEVERAL RED ARTILLERY POSITIONS. RED TROOPS WERE STRAFED 19 TIMES.

B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS HIT THE RAILYARDS AT SEOUL AND PYONGYANG AND A PONTOON BRIDGE AT SEOUL. IN SUNDAY NIGHT STRIKES SEVERAL WAREHOUSES, A LOCOMOTIVE AND 15 RAILCARS WERE DAMAGED AT INCHON. OTHER TOWNS HIT INCLUDED SUNCHON, TAEJON AND KWANGU.

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT STAN SWINTON REPORTED FROM THE MASAN FRONT THAT ALLIED PLANES KNOCKED OUT TWO RED KOREAN TANKS ALONG A FLAMING ROAD WHERE SUNDAY THEY KAYOED FOUR TANKS, 15 ARTILLERY PIECES AND 28 TRUCKS.

IN A SUMMARY OF THE MONTH ENDING SATURDAY, MAJ. GEN. EARLE PATRIDGE SAID FIFTH AIR FORCE ALLIED PLANES FLEW 13,455 SORTIES. NINETY PER CENT WERE MADE IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES, THE FIFTH AIR FORCE COMMANDER SAID.

FAR EAST NAVAL HEADQUARTERS REPORTED FIVE VESSELS WERE SUNK OFF KOREA'S EAST COAST. NINE CORVETTES AND SIX COASTAL SUPPLY CRAFT WERE BURNED, SIX CORVETTES WERE LEFT SINKING.

VESSELS REPORTED SUNK WERE A LARGE SUB CHASER--THE FIRST REPORTED IN KOREAN WATERS--AN OCEAN-GOING TANKER, A CORVETTE AND TWO LARGE TANKERS.

CARRIER PLANES ALSO DESTROYED 11 "SHINY NEW YAK FIGHTERS" FOUND ON THE GROUND AT YONPO.

THE CARRIER SWEEPS RANGED IN NORTH KOREA FROM THE COASTAL CITY OF WONSAN TO CHONGJIN, 210 AIR MILES TO THE NORTH. YONPO IS 40 MILES NORTH OF WONSAN.

WHILE LAND-BASED FIGHTERS VENTED THEIR FURY ON RED TROOPS AND SUPPLY VEHICLES. B-29S DUMPED 240 TONS OF BOMBS ON THE IRON AND STEEL PLANT AT KYOMIPO, 20 MILES SOUTHWEST OF PYONGYANG, NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL.

OTHER B-29S BLASTED RAIL YARDS AND A WAREHOUSE AT HAMHUNG.

FIFTH AIR FORCE FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS FLEW MORE THAN 260 SORTIES, ABOUT HALF IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES. F-80 JETS AND MUSTANGS, JOINED BY AUSTRALIAN AND U.S. MARINE FIGHTERS, "TOOK A HEAVY TOLL OF COMMUNIST MATERIEL," A SUMMARY REPORTED.

A48FX

FIGHTER DAMAGE CLAIMS--REPORTED AS CONSERVATIVE--INCLUDED 11 TANKS, 67 TRUCKS AND OTHER VEHICLES, 21 LOCOMOTIVES, 308 RAILROAD CARS, SIX BRIDGES, TWO AMMUNITION DUMPS. 34 BUILDINGS HOUSING TROOPS, FOUR

BOATS AND A RAILROAD TUNNEL.
B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS STRUCK AT RAILROAD TRACKS AND BRIDGES IN THE CHOCHIWON AREA.
THE NAVY SAID LT. (JG) NAT CURRY OF LEXINGTON, MO., BAILED OUT OF HIS CORSAIR FIGHTER WHEN IT WAS HIT BY ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE NEAR SONGJIM, ON THE EAST COAST.
A DESTROYER RACED 60 MILES TO HIS RESCUE WHILE FIGHTERS CIRCLED OVERHEAD.
CY/JL240APD

A120KX
(130)
TOKYO,TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-AUSTRALIAN FIGHTER PILOTS ARE COMPLAINING ABOUT THE SHORTAGE OF ENEMY TARGETS THEY CAN FIND TO ATTACK. AND THEY SAY THE TARGETS THEY DO FIND ARE PRETTY WELL CAMOUFLAGED.
MONDAY THE AUSSIES HIT ENEMY TROOPS AND STORES HIDDEN IN AN ORCHARD ALONG THE NAKTONG RIVER. AFTER THE ATTACK, SMOKE POURED OUT OF THE ENEMY POSITIONS BUT DETAILED RESULTS WERE NOT OBSERVED. LITTLE FARTHER NORTH FOUR FIRES WERE STARTED IN A SUPPLY DUMP HIDDEN IN ANOTHER GROVE OF TREES.
LATER IN THE DAY TWO RAF MUSTANGS BOMBED TWO ENEMY TANKS ALONG A RIVER NORTH OF WAEGWAN LEAVING ONE PROBABLY DESTROYED AND THE OTHER PROBABLY DAMAGED.
THE AUSTRALIAN PILOTS STRAFED A SMALL STORES DUMP SOUTH OF UISONG. FARTHER SOUTH AT UIHUNG A STRAFING ATTACK STARTED A LARGE FUEL FIRE AND A NUMBER OF HOUSES WERE SEEN BURNING.
ALL THE AUSTRALIAN PLANES RETURNED SAFELY TO THEIR JAPAN BASE.
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A49KX
TOKYO,AUG.28-(AP)-OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN OF THE U.S. FAR EASTERN AIR FORCE HAVE RECEIVED 447 DECORATIONS SINCE THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR, THE FEAF ANNOUNCED TODAY.
SILVER STARS HAVE BEEN AWARDED TO MEMBERS OF THE FIFTH, 13TH AND 20TH AIRFORCE, THE FEAF BOMBER COMMAND AND FEAF HEADQUARTERS FOR "GALLANTRY IN ACTION."
THE LEGION OF MERIT HAS BEEN PRESENTED FOUR TIMES FOR MERITORIOUS COMBAT AND THE DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS 20 TIMES FOR HEROISM AND EXTRAORDINARY ACHIEVEMENT IN AERIAL FLIGHT.
THE FLYING CROSS IS PRESENTED UPON COMPLETION OF 31 TO 35 COMBAT MISSIONS.
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A179KX
(180)
TOKYO,AUG.28-(AP)-THE COMMUNIST RADIO AT PYONGYANG, CA AL OF NORTH KOREA, SAID TONIGHT THAT "OVER 800 ENEMY TROOPS WERE KILLED AND 300 CAPTURED" IN FIGHTING ALONG THE EAST COAST OF KOREA.
THE PROPAGANDA BROADCAST HEARD HERE SAID THE NORTH KOREANS WERE "CONTINUING TO ADVANCE" IN THAT SECTOR "AFTER REPULSING ENEMY AIR AND SEA ATTACKS." IT APPARENTLY REFERRED TO THE POHANG AREA.
THE BROADCAST QUOTED A COMMUNIQUE OF THE RED ARMY AS SAYING THE REDS WERE RECEIVING "STRONG AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE REMNANT RESISTANCE." RHEE IS PRESIDENT OF SOUTH KOREA. THE MENTION OF "REMNANT" SOUTH KOREAN RESISTANCE WAS OBVIOUSLY INTENDED AS A SLIGHT.
THE BROADCAST SAID RED ANTI-AIRCRAFT SHOT DOWN TWO U.S. B-29 SUPERFORTRESSES AND TWO FIGHTERS OVER NANAM AND CHONGJIN, BOTH IN NORTH KOREA. AUG.17 AND AUG.22. THESE CLAIMS WERE NOT CONFIRMED BY AMERICAN SOURCES."
ON AUG.27, THE RADIO SAID, AMERICAN PLANES RAIDED NAMPO AND DROPPED OER 30 BOMBS THAT DESTROYED A "NUMBER OF SCHOOLS, A NURSERY AND THEATERS." NAMPO IS A PORT ON THE WEST COAST OF SOUTH KOREA IN RED-HELD TERRITORY.
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A54KX
(WEST OUT)
TOKYO, AUG. 28-(AP)-AN UNIDENTIFIED AIRPLANE FIRED FOUR OR FIVE ROUNDS OF MACHINE GUN BULLETS AT A JAPANESE SHIP YESTERDAY, MARITIME SAFETY HEADQUARTERS REPORTED TODAY.
THE VESSEL WAS THE CHIYODA MARU, A 1,700-TON CABLE REPAIR SHIP BELONGING TO THE JAPANESE TELECOMMUNICATIONS MINISTRY. THE INCIDENT OCCURRED ABOUT TEN MILES SOUTH OF NAGASAKI.
IT WAS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THE SHIP WAS HIT. NO ONE ABOARD WAS WOUNDED, THE SAFETY BOARD REPORTED.
AMERICAN PLANES BOUND FOR KOREA FREQUENTLY FIRE SEVERAL ROUNDS OVEI THE OCEAN TO TEST THEIR GUNS.
RA4ACS NM

B62KX
TOKYO,AUG.28-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT OCCUPATION FORCES IN JAPAN WOULD RETURN TO JAPANESE STANDARD TIME AT MIDNIGHT SEPT. 9 (9 A.M., EST, THE SAME DATE.)
DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME WENT INTO EFFECT MAY 6.
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A12KX
AMS BUDGET
ARMY REVISION (500)
BY O.H.P.KING
TOKYO,AUG.28-(AP)-SOME HIGH-RANKING U.S. OFFICERS SAY THEY BELIEVE THERE IS A NEED FOR A RADICAL CHANGE IN THE ORGANIZATION OF THE AMERICAN ARMY AND IN THE RECRUITMENT AND TRAINING OF MEN.
THE OFFICERS, COMMENTING IN KOREA DURING THE COURSE OF BATTLE, WHEN SHORTCOMINGS WERE PAINFULLY EVIDENT, WERE NOT SPEAKING FOR PUBLICATION, SO THEY CANNOT BE NAMED.
HOWEVER, THEY EXPRESSED DEEP CONVICTIONS ARISING FROM REPEATED EXPERIENCES DURING WEEKS OF BACKTRACKING.
ONE HIGH OFFICER SAID HIS FORCE WAS MADE UP OF MEN WHO ENTERED THE ARMY FOR NON-COMBATANT PURPOSES. HE SAID:
"THEY WERE ENTICED INTO THE SERVICE BY ADVERTISEMENTS EMPHASIZING THE CHANCE TO TRAVEL, TO LEARN A TRADE, TO BE FED AND SECURE AND BE PENSIONED WHILE STILL YOUNG.
"THEY WERE RUDELY YGLTED WHEN THEY FELT THE ROCKS OF KOREA INSTEAD OF THE TATAMI (FLOOR MATTING) OF JAPAN."

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A COLONEL NODDED AGREEMENT. HE SAID:
"THE ENTIRE RECRUITING SYSTEM NEEDS REVISION. INSTEAD OF APPEALING TO THE WEAK WE SHOULD APPEAL TO THE STRONG--TO THE MEN WHO WANT TO GIVE SOMETHING TO THEIR COUNTRY INSTEAD OF RECEIVE, TO SERVE IT OR DIE FOR IT IF NEED BE WHEREVER DUTY CALLS. THERE ARE MEN FOR SUCH A FIGHTING ARMY. WE HAVE SOME HERE."
THE OFFICER DID NOT MEAN TO IMPLY THE RANK AND FILE AMERICAN

SOLDIER IS NOT BRAVE--ON THE CONTRARY, HE SAID, "THE BRAVERY OF MEN ILL-SUITED FOR WARFARE CALLS FOR EVEN GREATER RECOGNITION."
ONE OFFICER POINTED TO THE MOBILITY OF THE NORTH KOREAN UNITS AND SAID, "WE SHOULD TAKE A LESSON FROM THEM. OUR EQUIPMENT WAS DESIGNED TO GIVE US WHEELS FOR RAPID MOVEMENT, BUT THIS TYPE OF COUNTRY WAS OVERLOOKED.
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"HERE WE HAVE FOR THE MOST PART A SINGLE ROCKY ROAD BETWEEN THE FRONT LINES AND THE REAR. IN MOST PLACES IT IS TOO NARROW FOR TWO WEAPON-CARRIERS TO PASS WITHOUT ONE PULLING OFF THE ROAD. IN RAINY WEATHER THE SOFT SHOULDER IS APT TO GIVE WAY AND THE WRECK HOLDS UP TRAFFIC AT LEAST ONE WAY FOR AN HOUR OR MORE.
"MULTIPLY THIS BY THE NUMBER OF VEHICLES REQUIRED TO MOVE OUR TOPHEAVY FORCES AND YOU REALIZE WHY WE WERE FORCED TO START WITHDRAWALS WHILE OUR FRONTLINE SHILL WAS HOLDING. UNLESS WE WERE TO RISK LEAVING EVERYTHING BEHIND FOR THE ENEMY, WE HAD TO BEGIN PULLING OUT IN TIME.

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"WHEN SUCH A MOVEMENT STARTED, WORD GOT TO THE MEN AT THE FRONT AN THEY BEGAN THINKING ABOUT PULLING OUT TOO. IT'S HARD TO FIGHT AGGRESSIVELY WHEN YOU FEEL YOU ARE GOING TO WITHDRAW ANY MINUTE. THE BLAME RESTS ON OUR UNWIELDINESS."
ANOTHER OFFICER, A BRIGADIER GENERAL, NOTED THAT OPPOSED TO THIS AMERICAN LACK OF MOBILITY, THE GYPSY-LIKE ENEMY ESTABLISHED ROAD BLOCKS AND SCAMPERED UP AND DOWN RIDGES, FIRING INTO AMERICAN FORCES AND CAUSING TROUBLE FAR IN EXCESS OF THE COST TO THE REDS.
HE ALSO REMARKED THAT EVERY RED, NO MATTER WHAT HIS DUTIES, WAS COMBAT TRAINED, READY TO PICK UP THE WEAPON OF A FALLEN COMRADE AND GO INTO ACTION AT ANY OPPORTUNITY.
COMPARED WITH THIS, ONE U.S. DIVISION HEADQUARTERS WAS DEFENDED AGAINST A NIGHT ATTACK BY COOKS, ORDERLIES AND CLERKS, SOME OF WHOM HAD NOT TOUCHED A WEAPON IN YEARS, THE GENERAL SAID.
"SPECIALISTS ARE REQUIRED, OF COURSE," HE CONCEDED, "BUT OUR MEN SHOULD BE COMBAT SOLDIERS FIRST AND SPECIALISTS SECOND."
RECENTLY THERE HAVE BEEN INDICATIONS OF IMPROVEMENT IN THE AMERICAN OPERATIONS. ONE REGIMENT, IN PARTICULAR--COMPOSED OF EXPERIENCED, DETERMINED MEN UNDER STRONG LEADERSHIP--HAD PLUGGED HOLES IN AT LEAST THREE SEPARATE SECTORS IN AS MANY WEEKS.
AS FOR MORALE, OFFICERS FEEL THAT A VICTORY OR TWO WILL WORK WONDERS.
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(200)
MACARTHUR
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR REMAINED SILENT TODAY AMID THE CONTROVERSY OVER HIS LATEST STATEMENT CONCERNING FORMOSA.
AN AIDE EXPRESSED BELIEF THE GENERAL, LIKE WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS, CONSIDERS THE INCIDENT CLOSED.
IT WAS UNLIKELY HE WOULD ISSUE ANY STATEMENT ON THE SUBJECT AT THIS TIME. HIS KEY OFFICERS LIKEWISE WERE SILENT.
THERE WAS SOME SURPRISE HERE AT THE EXTENT OF THE CONTROVERSY AND PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ACTION IN CANCELLING THE GENERAL'S STATEMENT TO THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS. IN IT HE STRONGLY EMPHASIZED THE STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE OF FORMOSA AND SAID THE ISLAND MUST BE HELD TO INSURE THE AMERICAN PACIFIC DEFENSE PERIMETER.
MACARTHUR HAS EMPHASIZED THIS VIEW IN MUCH THE SAME TERMS FOR THE PAST THREE YEARS. HIS PREVIOUS PUBLIC STATEMENTS ON THE SUBJECT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN AS DETAILED, BUT IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT IN PRIVATE TALKS WITH KEY U. S. OFFICIALS HE COVERED ALL THESE ANGLES.
THIS WAS DONE MOST RECENTLY WHEN MACARTHUR TALKED TO DEFENSE SECRETARY LOUIS JOHNSON AND JOHN FOSTER DULLES, REPUBLICAN ADVISER TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
IMMEDIATELY AFTER THEIR RETURN TO WASHINGTON, THE U. S. SEVENTH FLEET WAS ORDERED TO PROTECT FORMOSA FROM CHINESE COMMUNIST INVASION.
SOME OFFICERS HERE INTERPRETED THIS ACTION AS INDICATING A CHANGE IN AMERICAN POLICY TO INCLUDE A MORE DEFINITE STAND FAVORING KEEPING FORMOSA OUT OF RED HANDS.
SOME JAPANESE LEARNED ABOUT THE CONTROVERSY OVER MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT THROUGH AUSTRALIAN AND OTHER FOREIGN BROADCASTS. JAPANESE NEWSPAPERS HAVE NOT YET PUBLISHED NEWS DISPATCHES CONCERNING IT.
FJ1007PCS

A127KX
TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.29-(AP)-THE FIRST SHIPMENT OF WHOLE BLOOD FROM THE UNITED STATES FOR USE BY UNITED NATIONS TROOPS IN KOREA ARRIVED HERE BY AIR TODAY.
ACKNOWLEDGING RECEIPT OF THE BLOOD COLLECTED FROM 34 RED CROSS CENTERS IN THE U.S., GENERAL MAC ARTHUR SAID:
"IT MUST AFFORD DONORS SATISFACTION TO KNOW THAT A SMALL AMOUNT OF BLOOD GIVEN PAINLESSLY AND HARMLESSLY MAY DO A GREAT AMOUNT OF GOOD."
HE ADDED THAT "WE WILL NEED A CONTINUING SUPPLY UNTIL OUR DEFENSIVI WAR IN KOREA HAS BEEN WON."
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WITH BJT
RED CHINA PROTEST (230)
TOKYO, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS CHARGED TODAY THAT AMERICAN PLANES ATTACKED THREE MANCHURIAN VILLAGES. THE CHARGE WAS PROMPTLY AND STRONGLY DENIED BY A FAR EAST AIR FORCES SPOKESMAN.
CHOU EN-LAI, RED CHINA'S FOREIGN MINISTER, WAS REPORTED BY THE PEIPING RADIO AS MESSAGING SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON A PROTEST AND APPEALING TO THE UNITED NATIONS FOR "ACTION" AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.
THE BROADCAST HEARD HERE SAID THREE MANCHURIAN VILLAGES NEAR THE KOREAN BORDER WERE STRAFED SUNDAY AND THAT A RECONNAISSANCE MISSION WAS FLOWN OVER A FOURTH TOWN.
THE AIR FORCES SPOKESMAN SAID FLATLY: "NO AIR FORCE AIRCRAFT HAVE BEEN OVER MANCHURIA."
HE ADDED THAT ALL AMERICAN CREWS ARE BRIEFED CAREFULLY TO AVOID ANY FLIGHTS OVER THAT TERRITORY FROM WHICH THE KOREAN PENINSULA JUTS INTO THE SEA OF JAPAN.
A NEWLY ESTABLISHED REGULATION AGAINST DIRECTLY QUOTING MILITARY SPOKESMEN WAS RELAXED TO PERMIT DIRECT USE OF THE DENIAL.
THE CHINESE COMMUNIST FOREIGN MINISTER DEMANDED THAT THOSE "RESPONSIBLE" FOR THE ALLEGED ATTACKS BE PUNISHED AND THAT THE UNITED STATES PAY DAMAGES. CHOU'S DEMAND WAS ADDRESSED TO TRYGVE LIE U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL.
THE RED RADIO QUOTED CHOU'S MESSAGE TO ACHESON AS SAYING U.S. PLANES ATTACKED ANTUNG, LINCHIANG AND TAZUFU. THESE POINTS ARE NORTH OF AND ALONG THE YALU RIVER, BOUNDARY BETWEEN KOREA AND MANCHURIA.
CHOU SAID ALSO THAT TWO B-29S FLEW OVER THE YALU, ON A TEN-MINUTE RECONNAISSANCE IN THE CHIAN AREA SUNDAY. THE AIR FORCES

SPOKESMAN SAID THE NORTHERNMOST BOMBING RAID BY ...OS SUNDAY WAS AN ATTACK ON THE KYOMIPO IRON AND STEEL PLANT 20 MI... SOUTHWEST OF PYONGYANG, NORTH KOREAN CAPITAL.
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BULLETIN
NIGHT LEAD
U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-TWO CRACK BATTALIONS OF BRITISH TROOPS LANDED IN KOREA TODAY FROM A BRITISH CARRIER.

THE CARRIER, BRINGING FROM HONG KONG THE VETERAN FIRST BATTALIONS OF THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND AND MIDDLESEX REGIMENTS, TIED UP AT A KOREAN PORT A FEW MINUTES AFTER NOON.
OPPOSITE THE WARSHIP ON THE NEXT PIER WAS THE U. S. NAVY HOSPITAL SHIP CONSOLATION.
WAVING AND SHOUTING IN ENGLISH AND SCOTTISH ACCENTS, THE UNITED NATIONS REINFORCEMENTS WERE GREETED BY AN EQUALLY ENTHUSIASTIC CROWD OF AMERICAN AND KOREAN MILITARY OFFICIALS.
KOREAN SCHOOL CHILDREN AND THE BRITISH ADVANCE PARTY OF 32, WHICH ARRIVED YESTERDAY, ALSO WERE AMONG THE GREETERS.
AS THE CARRIER PULLED ALONGSIDE THE PIER IN WARM SUNNY WEATHER, THE DARK ECHOED WITH STRAINS FROM AN AMERICAN BRASS BAND. AND THEN CAME THE BAGPIPES OF THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS.
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THE ABBREVIATED BRIGADE IS COMMANDED BY BRIGADIER B. A. COAD. LT ~~COL. G. L. NIELSON~~ HEADS THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLANDERS AND LT. COL. ANDREW MAN COMMANDS THE MIDDLESEX.
A SPOKESMAN SAID THE TROOPS WOULD MOVE DIRECTLY FROM THE PIER TO BILLETS IN AN UNDISCLOSED LOCATION.
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A SPOKESMAN SAID THE TROOPS WOULD MOVE DIRECTLY FROM THE PIER TO BILLETS IN AN UNDISCLOSED LOCATION.
THE HIGHLANDERS WORE THEIR CHARACTERISTIC TAM O'SHANTERS, BUT HAVE ON JUNGLE GREENS INSTEAD OF KILTS. JUNGLE GREENS ARE SHORTS OF KHAKI GREEN AND BATTLE JACKETS.
BOTH UNITS HAVE SERVED IN ITALY, FRANCE AND GERMANY AS WELL AS IN THE ORIENT. MANY OF THE ENLISTED MEN WERE PRISONERS OF WAR OF THE JAPANESE. THEY WERE CAPTURED WHEN HONG KONG FELL IN THE EARLY DAYS OF WORLD WAR II.
THE BRITISH WILL USE THEIR OWN WEAPONS, WITH ONE NOTABLE EXCEPTION ---THE AMERICAN-MADE 3.5 INCH BAZOOKA. RATIONS WILL BE DRAWN FROM THE U. S. ARMY.
COLONEL NIELSON SAID MORALE OF HIS MEN IS "VERY HIGH."
"THE BOYS WERE EXTREMELY KEEN TO COME HERE," HE ADDED.
"THEY ARE READY TO GO. THOSE OF OUR REGIMENT LEFT BEHIND WERE BITTERLY DISAPPOINTED."

A HALF-HOUR LATER A BRITISH CRUISER TIED UP AT A NEARBY PIER BRINGING THE REMAINDER OF THE BRIGADE.
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(WHEN THE BRITISH TROOPS SAILED FROM HONG KONG FRIDAY IT WAS ANNOUNCED THEY WERE ABOARD THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER UNICORN AND THE CRUI CEYLON.)
AS THE WAR SHIPS CAME ALONGSIDE BANDS PLAYED "GOD SAVE THE KING."
TWO AUSTRALIAN DESTROYERS ESCORTED THE CARRIER AND CRUISER BUT THE DID NOT ENTER THE HARBOR.
THE CONVOY WAS AT SEA FIVE DAYS. OFFICERS SAID IT HAD BEEN AN UNEVENTUFL TRIP.
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B109KX (Q)
BRITISH TROOPS (390)
BY RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, AUG.28-(AP)-THE ARRIVAL OF THE FIRST BRITISH GROUND TROOPS IN KOREA--EXPECTED WITHIN THE NEXT TWO DAYS--WILL BE FLASHED TO THE WORLD WITH MAXIMUM SPEED.
THIS WAS APPARENT AFTER A DISCUSSION OF MILITARY SECURITY TODAY BETWEEN NEWSMEN AND GENERAL MACARTHUR'S PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER, COL.M.P.ECHOLS.
MICHAEL DAVIDSON, CORRESPONDENT FOR THE LONDON OBSERVER, ANNOUNCED FLATLY AT THE END OF THE SESSION THAT HE INTENDED FILING THE NEWS AS SOON AS THE BRITISH LAND.
UNDER ORDINARY MILITARY PRACTICE NEWLY ARRIVED FORCES ARE NOT IDENTIFIED UNTIL AFTER THEY HAVE BEEN IN SUFFICIENTLY CLOSE COMBAT TO PRESUME THAT ENEMY INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS KNOW THEIR IDENTITY.
DAVIDSON SAID, "THE BRITISH PEOPLE WANT TO KNOW THE INSTANT THEIR TROOPS REACH KOREA. OBVIOUSLY THERE IS NO SECURITY INVOLVED IN THIS INSTANCE."
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ECHOLS AGREED THAT "EVERYTHING OF SECURITY VALUE ALREADY HAS BEEN PUBLISHED" THROUGH DETAILED ACCOUNTS AT THE TIME THE BRITISH FORCES LEFT HONG KONG.
HE SAID, HOWEVER, THAT MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS WOULD MAKE NO OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT UNTIL AFTER THE BRITISH TROOPS HAD BEEN COMMITTED TO ACTION.
DAVIDSON'S ANNOUNCEMENT MEANT COMPETING NEWSMEN ALSO WILL BE READY TO EXPEDITE NEWS OF THE ARRIVALS WITH THE UTMOST SPEED.
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME DURING THE CAMPAIGN THAT A CORRESPONDENT HAS ANNOUNCED IN ADVANCE HIS INTENTION OF IMMEDIATELY FILING SUCH A STORY.
THE RESULT MAY BE THAT THE BRITISH WILL MAKE THE FIRST LANDING UNCOMPLICATED BY A MULTITUDE OF PRESS PROBLEMS--A NOW FAMILIAR "SNAFU."
THE ARRIVAL OF THE ADVANCE BRITISH PARTY SUNDAY WAS SUPPOSED TO BE WITHHELD UNDER EIGHTH ARMY SECURITY REGULATIONS. IT WAS REPORTED, HOWEVER, AND STORIES FROM THE REMAINDER OF CORRESPONDENTS BEGAN ROLLING AS SOON AS THE FIRST NEWS WAS PUBLISHED.
DAVIDSON POINTED OUT, AND ECHOLS AGREED, THAT INFORMATION ON THE SIZE AND IDENTIFICATION OF THE BRITISH UNITS AND THEIR PROBABLE ARRIVAL TIME IN KOREA ALREADY HAD BEEN REPORTED FROM HONG KONG.
IT WAS POINTED OUT THAT SIMILAR ADVANCE INFORMATION WAS BROADCAST WIDELY FROM THE UNITED STATES WHEN AMERICAN MARINES SAILED.
FRANK HAWLEY OF THE LONDON TIMES ASKED ECHOLS FOR ASSURANCE THAT INFORMATION CONCERNING THE ACTIVITIES OF BRITISH GROUND FORCES WOULD BE AVAILABLE AT DAILY BRIEFINGS. ECHOLS SAID OPERATIONAL

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REPORTS FORWARDED THROUGH THE AMERICAN AUTHORITIES WOULD BE AVAILABLE ON THE SAME BASIS AS THOSE CONCERNING AMERICAN ACTION.

HAWLEY SAID HE HAD BEEN TOLD BY BRITISH ARMY, NAVY AND AIR OFFICIALS THAT THEY COULD NOT DISCUSS BRITISH ACTIVITIES WITH HIM BECAUSE AMERICAN AUTHORITIES WOULD NOT PERMIT THEM TO TALK TO CORRESPONDENTS. LATER HE SAID HE HAD FILED THIS STORY TO HIS PAPERS.

BRITISH ARMY AND NAVAL OFFICERS TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS, HOWEVER, THEY WERE UNDER NO SUCH RESTRAINT EXCEPT ON SECURITY MATTERS.

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FOLO U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS-BRITISH (230)

TOKYO,TUESDAY,AUG.29-(AP)-THE BRITISH BRIGADE WHICH ARRIVED IN KOREA TODAY IS THE FIRST OF SEVERAL BRITISH UNITS WHICH WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE FORCE THERE, A BRITISH SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY.

BRIG.A.K.FERGUSON, MILITARY ADVISER TO THE BRITISH MISSION HERE, SAID OTHER UNITS WILL FOLLOW THE TWO BATTALIONS THAT ARRIVED FROM HONG KONG ABOARD A CARRIER AND A CRUISER.

FERGUSON SAID HE COULD NOT DISCLOSE ANY UNIT NAMES OR NUMBERS AT THIS TIME.

TODAY'S ARRIVALS, THE FIRST BATTALIONS OF THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS AND THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENTS, WILL FALL IMMEDIATELY UNDER THE COMMAND OF LT.GEN.WALTON H.WALKER, U.N. GROUND FORCES COMMANDER IN KOREA, FERGUSON SAID. WALKER ALSO IS COMMANDER OF THE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY.

"IT WILL BE UP TO GENERAL WALKER TO USE THE BRITISH TROOPS AS HE SEES FIT," FERGUSON SAID.

HE ADDED IT IS NOT KNOWN HERE WHETHER THE BRITISH BRIGADE WILL BE INTEGRATED INTO AN AMERICAN DIVISION OR USED AS A MOBILE FORCE TO BE TRANSFERRED TO TROUBLE SPOTS AS SEVERAL U.S. REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAMS HAVE BEEN USED.

SUPPLIES FOR THE BATTALIONS WILL COME FROM BRITISH SOURCES, FERGUSON SAID, BUT AFTER ARRIVAL IN KOREA WILL BE HANDLED BY THE U.S. ARMY'S SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT UNITS. ONLY RATIONS WILL COME FROM AMERICANS STOCKS; THE BRITISH WILL SUPPLY THEIR OWN ARMS AND AMMUNITION.

FERGUSON POINTED OUT THE TWO BRITISH BATTALIONS HAD BEEN TRAINING FOR OVER A YEAR IN THE HILLY HONG KONG TERRITORY, TERRAIN MUCH LIKE THAT OF THE KOREAN BATTLE ZONE.

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BULLETIN

U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN KOREA, TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-KIGYE HAS BEEN RECAPTURED BY SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS, FRONT DISPATCHES SAID TODAY.

KIGYE IS NINE MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG, NO. 2 UNITED NATIONS PORT IN KOREA WHICH ALSO HAS BEEN THREATNED BY A KOREAN RED THRUST SOUTHWARD ALONG THE EAST COAST.

THE REDS TOOK KIGYE IN A WEEKEND ADVANCE OF SURPRISING STRENGTH THAT CARRIED THEM TO GAINS OF SEVEN MILES OR SKO BEFORE SOUTH KOREAN RESISTANCE STIFFENED YESTERDAY.

TODAY'S DISPATCHES SAID THE SOUTH KOREANS WERE CONTINUING THEIR NORTHWARD ADVANCE AFTER RETAKING THE TOWN. THEY WERE MOVING AGAINST WHAT WAS DESCRIBED AS "LIGHT RESISTANCE."

AN AMERICAN SPOKESMAN IN AN ADVANCED UNIT OF THE KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP (KMAG) SAID SOUTH KOREANS ARE HOLDING ALONG THE EAST COAST ROAD NORTH OF POHANG.

LAST REPORTS PUT THEIR POSITION FOUR MILES NORTH AND WEST OF POHANG

THE SPOKESMAN SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAD MADE A SLIGHT PENETRATION WITH A GROUP OF ABOUT PLATOON SIZE ON THE ROAD SOUTH OF POHANG.

THE REDS HAD BEEN INFILTRATING THROUGH THE SOUTH KOREAN LINES DURING THE NIGHT.

REPUBLICAN TROOPS WERE ATTACKING THIS GROUP OF REDS AND HOPED TO HAVE THE PENETRATION WIPED OUT BY NIGHTFALL, THE SPOKESMAN SAID.

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A169KX (LAMBERT)

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BY TOM LAMBERT

WITH SOUTH KOREAN ARMY AT POHANG, AUG. 28-(APGLATHE SOUTH KOREANS EDGED NORTH TODAY IN AN ATTEMPT TO LIFT THE SAGGING UNITED NATIONS DEFENSE LINES AROUND THIS SEA AND AIR PORT AFTER HAVING LOST CONSIDERABLE GROUND TO THE REDS.

THE SOUTHERNERS MOVED WITH U.S. ARTILLERY AND TANK FIRE SUPPORT. PLANES AND WARSHIPS ALSO HIT THE REDS.

AT NIGHTFALL, HOWEVER, THE REDS STILL HELD THE HIGHWAY JUNCTION TOWN OF KIGYE, TEN MILES NORTHWEST OF POHANG AND THE MILITARY SITUATION AROUND POHANG WAS CONFUSED AND UNCERTAIN.

AFTER DUSK, AT A TIME WHEN MOST ALLIED PLANES USUALLY ARE GROUNDED FOR THE NIGHT, UNDETERMINED NUMBERS OF RED INFANTRY AND VEHICLES WERE REPORTED MOVING SOUTH ABOUT 30 MILES WEST OF POHANG. A STRONG ATTACK THERE COULD CUT THE TAEGU-POHANG ROAD AND ISOLATE THE SOUTH KOREAN AND AMERICAN FORCES AROUND POHANG.

THE REDS HAD THAT ROAD UNDER SNIPER FIRE SUNDAY NIGHT BUT IT WAS CLEAR MONDAY AFTERNOON.

THE SOUTH KOREANS ON THE LINE NORTH AND WEST OF POHANG HAVE WITHDRAWN AS MUCH AS 10,000 YARDS (ABOUT SIX MILES) IN THE PAST FEW DAYS, BUT COMPETENT U.S.OFFICERS SAID THEY DID NOT FEEL THE REDS HAD YET MOUNTED WHAT COULD BE REGARDED AS A MAJOR ATTACK.

(FIELD DISPATCHES A DAY EARLIER DESCRIBED THE RED PUSH ON THE EAST COAST SECTOR AS A MAJOR DRIVE.)

THE UNCERTAINTY AND CONFUSION, HOWEVER, CAUSED THE AMERICAN COMMAND TO SEND ADDITIONAL U.S. FORCES INTO THE AREA FOR USE OF THE SITUATION WORSENS.

A DISTRESSING LACK OF COMMUNICATIONS ON THE SOUTH KOREANS' FRONT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR SOME OF THE CONFUSION. IN MANY CASES THE U.S. COMMAND MUST DEPEND ON FIELD REPORTS FROM U.S. ADVISERS FOR NEWS OF THE SITUATION.

THESE REPORTS INDICATE THE SOUTH KOREANS IN THE POHANG LINE ARE WEARY AND ENCOUNTERING STRONG NORTH KOREAN POSITIONS. THE AMERICAN COMMAND IS PRESSING, HOWEVER, FOR AN ATTACK IN THIS SECTOR TO TRY TO REGAIN THE GROUND JUST LOST.

CAPT. WILLIAM R. WILLIAMS OF TEXARKANA, TEX., AN ADVISER WITH THE SOUTH KOREAN THIRD DIVISION, SAID TODAY SOME OF THE MEN IN THAT DIVISION HAD BEEN IN THE LINE 58 OUT OF THE PAST 60 DAYS.

HE SAID THE THIRD HAD SUFFERED "MANY CASUALTIES," SOME COMPANIES BEING DOWN TO 40 MEN EACH AND ONE BATTALION HAVING ONLY FOUR OFFICERS LEFT. HE ADDED THAT SOME REPLACEMENTS, THROWN INTO THE LINE AFTER A FEW DAYS TRAINING, "DID NOT KNOW HOW TO LOAD AN M-1 RIFLE."

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A161KX (BOYLE)
POHANG (630)
BY HAL BOYLE
POHANG AIR STRIP, KOREA, AUG. 28-(AP)-RED KOREAN TROOPS, BAFFLED ELSEWHERE AROUND THE 120-MILE UNITED NATIONS LINE IN KOREA, TODAY DROVE WITHIN 2 1/2 MILES OF POHANG ON THE EAST COAST.
THERE IS A STRONG PERMIMETER GUARD AROUND THE POHANG AIRSTRIP, SIX MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE PORT CITY. REINFORCEMENTS ARE RAISING DUST ALONG THE ROAD AS THEY ADVANCE. THE ENEMY EFFORT APPEARS LIKELY TO BE THROTTLED QUICKLY.
THE REDS WERE TRYING TO REGAIN POHANG, THE EASTERN COASTAL BULWARK WHICH THEY HAD SEIZED IN A SURPRISE ATTACK EARLIER THIS MONTH ONLY TO BE THROWN OUT A FEW DAYS LATER.
THIS TIME THEY MET AN EVEN QUICKER DEFENSE.
AS A CRUISER AND TWO DESTROYERS OFF SHORE RAKED THE RED VANGUARD APPROACHING POHANG, AMERICAN INFANTRY POWERFULLY SUPPORTED BY ARMOR MOVED INTO POSITION TO BACKSTOP TWO SOUTH KOREAN DIVISIONS. THESE WERE FIGHTING IN THE MOUNTAINS TO CHECK THE ADVANCE.
ARTILLERY PROTECTING THIS AIRSTRIP WAS WHEELED OUT TO SHELL THE COMMUNISTS. FIGHTER BOMBERS STRAFED AND BOMBED THE AREA REPEATEDLY.
AMERICAN OFFICERS WERE CONFIDENT GROUND REINFORCEMENTS AND THE WEIGHT OF METAL BEING THROWN FROM LAND, SEA AND AIR WOULD SEAL OFF THE THREAT TO POHANG. BUT THEY SAID THEY STILL WERE UNSURE OF THE ENEMY'S REAL INTENTIONS.

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"THE SITUATION IS HANGING FIRE," SAID LT. COL. D.M. MCMAINS, DALLAS.
"INFORMATION IS SO SKIMPY WE JUST CANNOT TELL YET."
SO FAR THE FIGHT HAS FOLLOWED THE SAME PATTERN AS THE PREVIOUS BATTLE OF POHANG, EXCEPT THAT SO FAR THE REDS HAVE NOT MANAGED TO SEIZE THE CITY.
WHEN THE ENEMY TRIED BEFORE THEY SWEPT DOWN OUT OF THE HILLS, OVERRAN A CRUMBLING SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENT AND CAPTURED KIGYE 10 MILES WEST OF HERE. ONE COLUMN THEN DROVE SOUTH AND CUT THE ROAD LEADING FROM TAEGU TO POHANG WHILE ANOTHER COLUMN SWUNG EAST AND TOOK POHANG ITSELF.
POHANG AIRSTRIPS WAS EVACUATED AT THAT TIME BECAUSE IT WAS WITHIN ENEMY SHELLING RANGE.
BUT THERE HAS BEEN STRONG EVIDENCE THAT THAT COMMUNIST COASTAL PUNCH WAS THROWN ONLY TO DRAW OFF FORCES DEFENDING TAEGU, THE PROVISIONAL CAPITAL.
FOR AFTER THE NORTH KOREANS WERE DRIVEN OUT OF POHANG, THEY STRUCK IMMEDIATELY AT TAEGU WITH AN EVEN STRONGER BLOW. CONCENTRATING THREE DIVISIONS, THEY GOT WITHIN 11 MILES OF TAEGU LAST WEEK BEFORE THEY WERE HALTED IN PROBABLY THE BIGGEST SINGLE BATTLE OF THE CAMPAIGN.
SINCE THEN THE BATTLEFRONT HAS BEEN RELATIVELY QUIET. AND THERE IS UNCERTAINTY WHETHER THE PRESENT PUSH ON POHANG IS A SUSTAINED EFFORT OR JUST ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO THROW THE NORTHERN DEFENSE LINE OUT OF BALANCE WHILE THE REDS MASS FOR A SECOND ALL-OUT DRIVE ON TAEGU.
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BALANCE WHILE THE REDS MASS FOR A SECOND ALL-OUT DRIVE ON TAEGU.
BY FAILING TO TAKE THE PROVISIONAL CAPITAL LAST WEEK THEY LOST A GREAT DEAL OF "FACE" AS WELL AS TANKS AND MEN.
BUT NO CHANCES CAN BE TAKEN. ELEMENTS OF TWO ENEMY DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED ON THE POHANG FRONT. SEIZURE OF THE CITY WOULD BOTTLE UP SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS FIGHTING IN THE COASTAL CORRIDOR NORTHWARD. IT ALSO WOULD PREVENT THE RETURN TO USE OF THE AIRSTRIP HERE AS A CHIEF FIGHTER BASE.
THE DOUBLE THRUST SOUTH OF KIGYE AND EAST TOWARD POHANG WAS SPEEDED BY THE UNEXPECTED COLLAPSE OF A GREEN SOUTH KOREAN REGIMENT WHICH WAS REPORTED TO HAVE LOST HALF ITS MEN AND OFFICE

WAS REPORTED TO HAVE LOST HALF ITS MEN AND OFFICERS IN A SINGLE ENGAGEMENT. OTHER ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) TROOPS FIGHTING THERE WERE FRESHLY EQUIPPED WITH THE BEST AMERICAN ARMS.

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"LAST NIGHT WE RECEIVED WORD THAT THE ROAD BETWEEN POHANG AND KYONGJU WAS DOUBTFUL," SAID MCMAINS, "AND THERE WAS A FIGHT BETWEEN A SMALL ENEMY FORCE AND SOUTH KOREAN POLICE. IT WAS HERE THAT THEY AMBUSHED US BEFORE--NEAR ANGANG SOUTHEAST OF POHANG.
"OUR MAIL CLERK GOT THROUGH THIS MORNING WITHOUT T

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"OUR MAIL CLERK GOT THROUGH THIS MORNING WITHOUT TROUBLE. BUT SHORTLY AFTER THAT WE GOT WORD THE ROAD WAS CUT AGAINS."
I FLEW, HOWEVER, OVER THE ROAD AT 4 P.M. TODAY (1 A.M. EST) AND TRAFFIC WAS MOVING ALONG IT WITHOUT INTERRUPTION. IT APPEARED ENTIRELY CLEAR. SO DID THE EAST-WEST ROAD FROM CONCHON TO POHANG WHICH THE ENEMY, MOVING DOWN FROM KIGYE, IS TRYING TO INTERSECT.
PITLOTS HAD REPORTED MORTAR SHELLS FAILLING ON IT EARLIER IN THE DAY I COULD SEE NO SIGN OF ANY.
AMERICAN NAVAL VESSELS AND ARTILLERY WERE POUNDING BOTH HILLS AND PLAINS ALONG WHICH THE REDS WERE MOVING.
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PRECEDE U.S. EIGHTH ARMY HEADQUARTERS (240)
BY HAL BOYLE AND DON WHITEHEAD
A SOUTH KOREAN PORT,AUG.29-(AP)-BRITISH GROUND TROOPS IN THEIR JUNGLE GREEN BATTLE DRESS STEPPED ASHORE TODAY TO GIVE THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH ITS FIRST FIGHTING FORCE IN THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION AGAINST NORTH KOREAN REDS.
TAN AND HARDY SCOTSMEN AND LEAN YOUNG WARRIORS FROM THE LONDON AREA DISEMBARKED FROM THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER UNICORN AND THE CRUISER CEYLON TO THE CHEERS OF SOUTH KOREANS AND AMERICANS.
THE CARRIER UNICORN TOUCHED THE PIER AT 12:20 P.M. (9:20 P.M. EST, MONDAY).
THE BAGPIPES PLAYED "THE GLEN AUREL HIGHLANDERS" AS B COMPANY OF THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND HIGHERLANDS REGIMENT TROTTED DOWN THE GANGPLANK OF THE CRUISER CEYLON.
THEY WERE CHEERFUL, THESE MEN FROM BRITAIN WHO WERE BROUGHT HERE FROM THEIR STATION AT HONG KONG. SGT. IAN BELL OF PAISLEY, SCOTLAND SAID:
"THE LADS FEEL WE SHOULD HAVE BEEN HERE SOONER."
COMPANY SERGEANT-MAJOR ROBERT MURRAY OF GLASGOW COMMENTED, "WE ARE QUITE HAPPY. WE CAN HANDLE THE MOUNTAIN FIGHTING. WE HAVE ALWAY TAKEN IT--SO WE CAN CARRY ON."
ONE LAUGHING SOLDIER SAID: "I AM JUST AN IMMIGRANT."
AND ANOTHER PUT AN IDENTIFICATION TAG IN HIS EYE, AS IF IT WERE A MONOCLE, AND INSPECTED KOREA.
A MOUSTACHED SOLDIER CALLED TO AN AMERICAN ON THE PIER AND ASKED:

"ANY GUM, CHUM?"
PVT.PATRICK BOYD OF PORT GLASGOW YELLED "ARE THERE ANY PUBS HERE WHERE A MON CAN GET A DROP O' DRINK?" HE LOOKED A BIT SAD WHEN HE WAS TOLD THE STAPLE NATIVE DRINKS WERE SAKE AND UNGUARANTEED APPLE BRANDY.
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BY DON HUTH
U.S.5TH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS, KOREA, AUG 28 (AP)-ALLIED WARPLANES OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE DESTROYED AT LEAST 171 RED KOREAN TANKS AND DAMAGED 162 IN THE FIRST TWO MONTHS OF THE KOREAN WAR, MAJ.GEN. EARLE PARTRIDGE REPORTED TODAY.
THE FIFTH AIR FORCE LOST 79 PLANES "FROM ALL CAUSES," PARTRIDGE'S SUMMARY SAID. HE D
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SUMMARY SAID. HE DID NOT SAY HOW MANY FELL TO ENEMY ACTION AND HOW MANY LOSSES WERE OPERATIONAL.
"THE ENEMY HAS MADE SEVERAL HUGE BUILDUPS OF TROOPS AND EQUIPMENT IN SUPPORT OF ITS 15 DIVISIONS AND OUR PEOPLE HAVE BEEN POUNDING THEM MERCILESSLY," PARTRIDGE SAID.
THE COMMANDER OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE REPORTED HEAVY RED KOREAN LOSSES IN OTHER TRANSPORT AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT AND ADDED:
"IT IS BELIEVED THESE FIGURES ARE REASONABLY CORRECT." HE SAID GROUND FORCES, IN A BETTER POSITION TO SEE THE RESULTS OF AIR STRIKES, HAD REPORTED DAMAGE TO NORTH KOREAN TRANSPORT WHICH PILOTS DID NOT REPORT. THESE WERE NOT INCLUDED IN THE TOTALS.
SINCE THE FIFTH AIR FORCE WENT INTO ACTION JUNE 27, THESE ARE THE EVAULATED CLAIMS THROUGH SATURDAY:
DESTROYED --171 TANKS, 725 TRUCKS, 254 OTHER VEHICLES, 113 LOCOMOTIVES, 334 RAILWAY CARS, 137 ARTILLERY AND ANTIAIRCRAFT PIECES, 52 BRIDGES AND 75 AIRCRAFT.
DAMAGED--162 TANKS, 516 TRUCKS, 266 OTHER VEHICLES, 77 LOCOMOTIVES, 1,157 RAILWAY CARS, 93 ARTILLERY AND ANTIAIRCRAFT PIECES, 93 BRIDGES AND 21 AIRCRAFT.
ALLIED WARPLANES FLEW 13,455 SORTIES IN THE SECOND MONTH OF THE WAR, PARTRIDGE REPORTED.
HE SAID 90 PER CENT OF THESE WERE MADE IN CLOSE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES.
THE SUMMARY, COVERING THE PERIOD JULY 27 TO AUG.26, INCLUDED FLIGHTS BY AUSTRALIAN PLANES BUT NOT THOSE OF CARRIER-BASED NAVY AND MARINE PLANES NOR BOMBING MISSIONS BY B-29S OF THE FAR EAST AIR FORCES.

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OF THE FIFTH AIR FORCE SECOND MONTH SORTIES, 10,188 WERE ARMED STRIKES BY F-80 SHOOTING STAR JETS, F-51 MUSTANG FIGHTER-BOMBERS, B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS AND F-82 TWIN MUSTANG NIGHT BOMBERS.
THESE AIRCRAFT FLEW 1,018 INTRUDER SORTIES IN ADDITION TO THE 9,170 FLIGHTS IN IMMEDIATE SUPPORT OF ALLIED GROUND TROOPS.
OTHER COMBAT ACTION INCLUDED 471 F-80 RECONNAISSANCE SORTIES, 960 T-6 TACTICAL AIR CONTROL FLIGHTS AND 1,036 CARGO AND PERSONNEL FLIGHTS.
TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT CARRIED BETWEEN JAPAN AND KOREA 3,082 PASSENGERS AND THEIR LUGGAGE.
DURING THE MONTH, THE AIR FORCE REPORTED 70 TANKS DESTROYED AND 82 DAMAGED, 295 TRUCKS DESTROYED AND 220 DAMAGED, 133 OTHER VEHICLES DESTROYED AND 150 DAMAGED. IT ALSO REPORTED 95 LOCOMOTIVES DESTROYED AND 67 DAMAGED, 24 RAILWAY CARS DESTROYED AND 754 DAMAGED, 79 ARTILLERY AND ANTIAIRCRAFT PIECES DESTROYED AND 42 DAMAGED.
OTHER CLAIMS INCLUDED: 24 BRIDGES DESTROYED. 39 DAMAGED; 30 AIRCRAFT DESTROYED, SIX PROBABLY DESTROYED AND 10 DAMAGED.
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ONE-MAN AIR FORCE (240)
BY STAN SWINTON
MASAN, KOREA, AUG. 28-(AP)-MAJ. DEAN HESS, THE "ONE MAN AIR FORCE" OF THE SOUTH KOREAN WAR, HAS BEEN GROUNDED BY OFFICIAL ORDER.
BUT ONLY UNTIL HE CAN TAKE THE AIR AGAIN LEADING SOUTH KOREAN FLIERS AGAINST THE REDS.
"AND THAT WON'T BE LONG," THE HANDSOME, 32-YEAR-OLD AIRMAN FROM MARIETTA, O., SAID TODAY.
SO FAR AS THE INFANTRY IS CONCERNED, HESS IS PROBABLY THE OUTSTANDING AIR HERO OF THE WAR. THEY KNOW HIM BY HIS RADIO CALL SIGN--"MACINTOSH ONE." THAT'S A SIGN THAT AN F-51 FIGHTER, WITH SOUTH KOREAN FORCES MARKING, WILL FLASH DOWN TO TREE TOP LEVEL TO BLAST ENEMY MACHINEGUNS AND TROOPS.
HESS FLEW 95 MISSIONS IN LESS THAN TWO MONTHS. SOMETIMES HE MADE SIX SORTIES IN A DAY.
INFANTRY UNITS HE HAS SUPPORTED HAVE WRITTEN TO HIS COMMANDERS, RECOMMENDING HIM FOR MEDALS RANGING UP TO THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS.
BUT FOR HESS THE GREATEST REWARD WAS THAT INFANTRYMEN DOWN IN THE FLEA-INFESTED FOX HOLES THANKED HIM TIME AND AGAIN.
ONCE HE SAVED 25 SURROUNDED AMERICAN SOLDIERS BY STRAFING WITHIN 50 FEET OF THEM FROM AN ALTITUDE SO LOW THE SOLDIERS SAID THE REDS COULD HAVE HIT HIS PLANE WITH ROCKS.
HESS, A FLYING SCHOLAR WHO HOLDS A MASTER'S DEGREE FROM OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY IN DIPLOMATIC HISTORY, IS OFFICIALLY HEAD OF THE SOUTH KOREAN AIR FORCE ADVISORY GROUP.
THE ORDER FOR HIM TO STOP FLYING CAME BECAUSE HIGHER HEADQUARTERS WANTED HIM ON THE GROUND TO TRAIN 66 SOUTH KOREAN CADETS NOW LEARNING BASIC FLYING, AND ANOTHER GROUP OF FLYING KOREANS WHO MUST CONVERT FROM AT-6 TRAINING PLANES TO F-51 FIGHTERS.
WHEN THE CONVERTED FLIERS ARE READY FOR ACTION, THE AIR FORCE SAID, "MACINTOSH ONE" CAN PERSONALLY LEAD THEM IN COMBAT.
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MASAN (170)
BY STAN SWINTON
ON THE MASAN FRONT, KOREA, AUG. 28-(AP)-ALLIED FIGHTER-BOMBERS TODAY KAYOED TWO MORE RED KOREAN TANKS ON THE WRECKAGE-STREWN ROAD WEST OF MASAN. SUNDAY THEY DESTROYED FOUR TANKS, 15 ARTILLERY PIECES AND 28 TRUCKS THERE.
THE TWO TANKS APPARENTLY WERE ALL THAT REMAINED OF THE TROOPS ANI ARMOR CONCENTRATION THE NORTH KOREANS HAD BUILT UP ACROSS THE NAM RIVER EIGHT MILES NORTHWEST OF HAMAN.
A CAPTURED ENEMY SOLDIER'S NOTEBOOK CONFIRMED ALLIED INFORMATION THAT THE NORTH KOREANS WERE PLANNING AN OFFENSIVE AIMED AT MASAN WESTWARD BULWARK ON THE ROUTE TO PUSAN, MAIN AMERICAN SUPPLY POINT. THE NOTEBOOK SAID THE RED KOREAN SECOND, FIFTH, SEVENTH AND NINTH DIVISIONS HAD BEEN ORDERED TO MARCH ON MASAN.
FOR MORE THAN A WEEK AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS HAVE BEEN ANTICIPATING SUCH A DRIVE. AMERICAN ARTILLERY AND AIR STRIKES APPARENTLY UPSET THE ENEMY TIMETABLE.

THE FRONT WAS EXTREMELY QUIET TODAY WITH ONLY LIGHT SKIRMISHES. AMERICAN TROOPS THREW UP MORE BARBWIRE ENTANGLEMENTS AND IMPROVED DEFENSE POSITIONS.
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BY STAN SWINTON (110)
ON THE HASAN FRONT, TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-AMERICAN NEGRO INFANTRYMEN FOUGHT HAND-TO-HAND WITH RED KOREAN TROOPS TUESDAY MORNING ON BLOODY BATTLE MOUNTAIN.
THE MOUNTAIN IS A DOMINATING PEAK TWO MILES WEST OF HAMAN, IT HAS BEEN FOUGHT OVER FOR TWO WEEKS, CHANGING HANDS SIX TIMES.
THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS ATTACKED JUST AFTER MIDNIGHT. THEY WERE DRIVEN BACK BUT HIT AGAIN TWO HOURS LATER. THEY WERE PUSHED BACK AGAIN.
THEN AT 6 A. M., (3 P.M., MONDAY, E. S. T.) THE REDS HIT FOR A THIRD TIME. THEY ATTACKED THIS TIME IN FORCE.
THE FIGHT WAS CONTINUING IN BITTER CLOSE COMBAT AS THIS DISPATCH WAS WRITTEN AT 8 A. M.
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BUSAN, KOREA, AUG. 28-(AP)-THREE THOUSAND POTENTIAL SOUTH KOREAN WACS WERE TOLD TODAY TO "ABANDON YOUR TRADITIONAL SHYNESS" AND "SMASH THE ENEMY UNTIL THE SWORD IS CLEANSED BY THE YALU RIVER."
THE RALLY AT THE RAILROAD STATION PLAZA WAS THE FIRST TO BE HELD BY KOREAN WOMEN. ITS PURPOSE WAS TO PERMIT THE WOMEN TO EXPRESS THEIR WILLINGNESS AND DETERMINATION TO FIGHT THE COMMUNIST INVADER.
ONE YOUTH LEADER SAID MANY WOMEN ALREADY HAVE VOLUNTEERED FOR THE ARMY AND 30,000 WERE AVAILABLE "FOR ANY CALL." THEIR DUTIES WILL VARY FROM OFFICE WORK AT HEADQUARTERS "TO COMBAT DUTIES IF CALLED TO THE FRONT."
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night lead unesco

paris, aug. 28--(ap)--the executive council of UNESCO decided tonight to five "all possible aid and assistance" to the united nations' forces battling the communist-led North Koreans.

The guiding group for the United Nations Educational, scientific and cultural organization instructed unesco secretary general dr. jaime torres bodet "to relieve the needs of the civilian population in korea within the fields of education, science and culture by means of emergency relief and at the appropriate time by a reconstruction project." The projects were not outlined in detail

The resolution said the executive board was "profoundly moved by the armed attack of which the republic of korea has been the victim." It ~~xxxxxx~~ paid tribute to "the soldiers of the united nations who are fighting on the korean front in the name of international solidarity."

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The secretary general was also asked to develop a program teaching "about the united nations and its specialized agencies, putti particular emphasis on the necessity for collectice security based on respect for law." rsm3.08p delasheras 01915

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MOSCOW, AUG. 28-(AP)-A DISPATCH IN PRAVDA TODAY FROM PYONGYANG SAID THE NORTH KOREANS HAVE SUNK SEVERAL AMERICAN WARSHIPS, INCLUDING ONE HEAVY CRUISER. IT CREDITED THE SINKINGS TO ARTILLERYMEN AND AIRMEN.
(THE DISPATCH DID NOT NAME THE WARSHIPS. PREVIOUS RED KOREAN CLAIMS THAT COASTAL ARTILLERYMEN SANK A U.S.DESTROYER ON AUG. 20 OFF THE KOREAN EAST COAST HAVE NOT BEEN SUBSTANTIATED.)
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NIGHT LEAD
TAIPEI, FORMOSA, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE NATIONALIST CHINESE DEFENSE MINISTRY ASSERTED TODAY THAT 270,000 CHINESE COMMUNISTS TROOPS, INCLUDING THREE RUSSIAN-EQUIPPED ARMIES, ARE MASSING IN NORTH KOREA AND ACROSS THE BORDER IN MANCURIA TO HELP THE KOREAN REDS.
THE MINISTRY SAID IN A WRITTEN STATEMENT IT HAD BEEN "DEFINITELY

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ESTABLISHED" THAT THE TROOPS WERE ON BOTH SIDES OF THE YALU RIVER, WHICH SEPARATES NORTH KOREA AND MANCHURIA.

THE STATEMENT SAID THE CHINESE REDS WERE ASSEMBLYING TO JOIN THE RED KOREANS IN THE FIGHT AGAINST UNITED NATIONS DEFENDERS OF SOUTH KOREA.

THE FRESH ENEMY TROOPS CONSIST OF EIGHT ARMIES, TWO CAVALRY DIVISIONS AND ONE ARTILLERY DIVISION, THE MINISTRY SAID.

IT ASSERTED THAT THREE OF THE ARMIES, EQUIPPED BY THE RUSSIANS AND UNDER LEADERSHIP OF GEN. LIN PIAO, WERE "KNOWN TO HAVE CROSSED THE YALU RIVER LAST MONTH."

THE CHINESE REDS WERE REPORTED TO HAVE CONSTRUCTED "PERMANENT" DEFENSE WORKS ALONG THE RIVER.

THE NATIONALIST MINISTRY SAID THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS DECIDED TO SEND AID TO THE NORTH KOREANS AT A SOVIET-SPONSORED MILITARY CONFERENCE LAST MONTH IN PEIPING.

THE MINISTRY CLAIMED THAT AS EARLY AS MARCH, 1948, SOME 50,000 MEN FROM THE CORPS WERE SENT TO NORTH KOREA.

THE MINISTRY SAID THE "KOREAN CORPS" TOTALED 145,000 MEN.

TACTICS USED BY THE NORTH KOREANS CLEARLY DEMONSTRATE CHINESE RED TRAINING, THE MINISTRY SAID. THEIR MOBILE, INFILTRATION AND FLANKING MOVEMENTS WERE TACITCS USED BY THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

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SAIGON, INDOCHINA, AUG. 28-(AP)-TWELVE U.S.MARINES ARRIVED YESTERDAY TO GUARD THE AMERICAN LEGATION IN SAIGON.

SIX CAME HERE FROM KOREA, WHERE THEY SERVED SIMILARLY WITH THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN SEOUL PRIOR TO EVACUATION. THE OTHERS WERE ORDERED TO SAIGON FROM THE UNITED STATES.

ASSIGNMENT OF MARINE GUARD TO LEGATIONS AND EMBASSIES IN EAST ASIA HAS BECOME ROUTINE BECAUSE OF UNSETTLED CONDITIONS. SAIGON ITSELF IS FREQUENTLY DISTURBED BY TERRORIST ACTIONS CARRIED OUT BY UNDERGROUND OR COMMUNIST-LED VIETMINH.

THE STATIONING OF THE MARINE COMPLEMENT HERE IS PART OF THE RAPID BUILDUP IN INDOCHINA OF THE U.S.DIPLOMATIC, MILITARY, ECONOMIC AND INFORMATION MISSION. ITS AMERICAN PERSONNEL WILL EVENTUALLY TOTAL AROUND 200, MAKING IT THE LARGEST AMERICAN MISSION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA.

MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP HAVE BEEN ARRIVING IN SAIGON IN A STEADY FLOW OVER THE LAST WEEK. THE GROUP WILL NUMBER ABOUT 40 MEMBERS, COMMANDED BY A MAJOR GENERAL.

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MANILA, TUESDAY, AUG.29-(AP)-TWO CONGRESSMEN ARRIVED HERE TODAY EN ROUTE TO WASHINGTON AFTER SEEING ACTIVE SERVICE IN THE KOREAN WAR.

THEY ARE REPRESENTATIVES HUGH D.SCOTT, JR. (R-PA) AND HENRY J. LATHAM (R-NY), WHO SERVED A MONTH AS NAVAL RESERVE OFFICERS WITH THE U.S. FLEET IN KOREAN WATERS.

LATHAM FLEW IN A COMBAT STRIKE FROM A CARRIER. BOTH VISITED FRONT LINES. LATHAM IS A LIEUTENANT-COMMANDER AND SCOTT A COMMANDER.

ACCOMPANYING THEM BACK TO THE AMERICAN CAPITAL IS CMDR. WILLIAM LEDERER OF THE NAVY PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE IN WASHINGTON.

AFTER ARRIVING, THE CONGRESSMEN WERE GUESTS OF REAR ADM. FRANCIS P. OLD, COMMANDER OF U.S. NAVAL FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES. THEY PAID A SOCIAL CALL ON PRESIDENT ELPIDIO QUIRINO.

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WITH BRITISH-KOREAN

MANILA,TUESDAY,AUG.29-(AP)-AN ADVANCE GROUP OF THE PHILIPPINES ARMY LEFT TODAY FOR TOKYO TO PREPARE FOR SENDING THE 1200-MAN 10TH BATTALION COMBAT TEAM TO KOREA.

COL.JAIME VELASQUEZ, DEPUTY CHIEF OF SERVICE GROUP, PHILIPPINE ARMY, HEADED THE 10-MEMBER DELEGATION. THEY WILL CONSULT WITH GENERAL MACARTHUR ON PLANS FOR DIRECTING THE FILIPINOS AGAINST THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS.

THE ADVANCE GROUP PLANS TO STOP ON FORMOSA ENROUTE TO TOKYO.

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TOKYO,AUG. 28-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 331 ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS TODAY AT 3:50 P.M. (12:50 A.M. EST) COVERING MILITARY OPERATIONS:

SMALL SCALE ENEMY PROBING ATTACKS CONTINUED YESTERDAY IN MOST OF THE AMERICAN SECTORS OF THE BATTLE LINE. ALL OF THESE ATTACKS WERE REPULSEI CASUALTIES CONTINUE TO BE INFLICTED UPON RED FORCES AS SMALL ENEMY GROUPS, ATTEMPTING TO CROSS THE NAKTONG RIVER, ARE DISCOVERED AND TAKEN UNDER EFFECTIVE FIRE BY ARTILLERY AND ATTACKED BY PATROLS OF OUR FORCES.

AMERICAN ARTILLERY UNITS HAVE BEEN EFFECTIVE IN THE DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNIST ATTACKS BY FIRING ON ENEMY TROOP CONCENTRATIONS, EQUIPMENT AND ARTILLERY POSITIONS BEFORE CONCERTED ATTACKS COULD BE LAUNCHED. ONE ENEMY GROUP OPPOSITE THE SECTOR OF THE U.S. SECOND INFANTRY DIVISION, WHICH WAS CARRYING BRIDGING EQUIPMENT, SUFFERED AN ESTIMATED 50 PER CENT CASUALTIES AND THE REMAINDER DISPERSED AS A RESULT OF FRIENDLY ARTILLERY FIRE. THIS ACTION, WHICH TOOK PLACE IN THE VICINITY OF KYONGSAN, WAS LATER FOLLOWED BY A SIMILAR ATTAMPT IN THE SAME AREA WHICH LIKEWISE WAS REPULSED BY ELEMENTS OF THE SECOND DIVISION.

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WHICH LIKEWISE WAS REPULSED BY ELEMENTS OF THE SECOND DIVISION.
N TO THE SOUTH IN THE SECTOR OF THE U.S. 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION, ARTILLERY INFLICTED 50 ENEMY CASUALTIES AND DESTROYED FIVE MORTARS, ONE MACHINE GUN AND TWO TRUCKS WEST OF YUNOE. AIR STRIKES COORDINATED WITH AND SUPPORTING THE ARTILLERY OF THE 25TH DIVISION WEST OF MASAN, BLEW UP TWO ENEMY AMMUNITION DUMPS, NEUTRALIZED 17 ARTILLERY GUNS AND DESTROYED FOUR TANKS AND SEVERAL TRUCKS. IN THE SECTOR OPPOSITE THE U.S. FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION, ARTILLERY KNOCKED OUT TWO TANKS YESTERDAY.

THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) SIXTH DIVISION WHICH YESTERDAY WAS FORCED TO WITHDRAW TO POSITIONS IN THE VICINITY OF UIHUNG HAS SUCCEEDED IN STABILIZING THE DEFENSE LINE AT THAT POSITION. ENEMY FORCES TODAY CONTINUED THEIR PRESSURE ON THE ROK DIVISION BUT THE ATTACK HAS BEEN CONTAINED.

UNITS OF THE ROK FIRST CORPS OPERATING IN THE POHANG-KIGYE AREA HAVE CONTAINED THE HEAVY ENEMY ATTACKS WHICH YESTERDAY FORCED THE ROK CAPITAL DIVISION TO WITHDRAW JUST SOUTH OF KIGYE AND WHICH CAUSED SMALLER WITHDRAWALS BY THE ROK THIRD DIVISION SOUTH OF HUNGHAE. THE SITUATION IN THIS AREA APPEARS TO BE STABILIZED AT THIS TIME.

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TOKYO, AUG. 28-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 332 (AERIAL) ISSUED AT 9:25 P.M. (6:25 A.M., EST) TODAY BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS:
A NORTH KOREAN IRON AND STEEL INDUSTRIAL SOURCE WAS HIT HEAVILY AGAIN TODAY BY U.S. AIR FORCE B-29 SUPERFORTS. SIX HUNDRED 1,000-POUND HIGH EXPLOSIVE BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON THE MAJOR PLANT AT SONGJIN, AN IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL CITY LOCATED ABOUT 180 MILES NORTH OF THE 38TH PARALLEL ON THE EAST COAST OF KOREA.
YESTERDAY'S ATTACK BY B-29S WAS ON THE BIG IRON AND STEEL PLANT AT KYOMITO, 16 MILES WEST OF PYONGYANG.
THE B-29S OPERATED IN CLEAR WEATHER, FLYING ACROSS THE HUGE PLANT IN FORMATION WITH BOMBS DROPPED ACCURATELY IN A PERFECT PATTERN. NO FLAK WAS ENCOUNTERED AND NO ENEMY FIGHTER PLANES WERE SEEN.
FIGHTERS AND LIGHT BOMBERS TODAY PROVIDED NO LET-UP IN THE INCESSANT STRAFING, ROCKETING AND BOMBING OF COMMUNIST CONCENTRATIONS AND THEIR SUPPLY LINES. ROUND-THE-CLOCK B-26 INVADER BOMBERS OPERATED IN THE PYONGYANG AREA AND SEVERELY CRIPPLED THE NORTH KOREAN TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM. F-80 JETS AND F-51 MUSTANGS FLEW BEHIND THE BATTLE LINES DROM DAWN TO WELL PAST DARK. SOME OF THE FIGHTERS RANGED ABOVE THE 39TH PARALLEL AGAINST SPECIFIC COMMUNICATIONS TARGETS.
THE STEEL PLANT HIT TODAY WAS ONE OF THE MOST MODERN IN NORTH KOREA. IT MEASURED ALMOST TWO MILES LONG AND 2,000 FEET WIDE, WITH PRODUCTION RUNNING PRINCIPALLY TO HIGH QUALITY STEEL, COBALT AND MANGANESE. ITS MODERN FACILITIES INCLUDED 10 BLAST AND ELECTROLYTIC FURNACES, A MODERN STEEL ROLLING MILL, A HUGE FORGE SHOP AND A LARGE ELECTRICAL TRANS-FORMER YARD. THE JAPANESE OPERATED IT DURING THE LAST WAR.
THE FEAF (FAR EAST AIR FORCES) BOMBER COMMAND DIRECTED OTHER B-29 SUPERFORTS AGAINST ENEMY COMMUNICATION LINES BETWEEN THE BATTLE AREAS AND THE COMMUNIST SOURCES OF SUPPLY. MORE THAN 140 TONS OF GENERAL PURPOSE BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON RAIL LINES, SWITCHING YARDS AND BRIDGES. RETURNING CREWS REPORTED GOOD RESULTS ON ALL B-29 STRIKES.
COL. RICHARD H. CARMICHAEL, AUSTIN, TEXAS, OBSERVED THE STRIKES MADE ON THE SONGJIN STEEL PLANT. HE SAID: "OUR BOMBS HIT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE SHOPS AND MAIN BUILDINGS, CAUSING A TREMENDOUS EXPLOSION IN AT LEAST ONE BUILDING. FLAMES SHOT UP. WE COULD SEE CLEARLY EVEN THOUGH SMOKE WAS COMING FROM A VERY WIDE AREA ROUND THE PLANT."

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THE LEAD BOMBARDIER OF THE SECOND ELEMENT TO CROSS THE TARGET, MAJ. JOE BYRTUS, CODY, WYO., SAID: "THE 1,000 POUNDERS HIT WHERE THEY WERE SUPPOSED TO. THE GREAT AMOUNT OF SMOKE MADE US FEEL GOOD."
"WE COULD SEE THAT ALL THE BOMBS WENT DIRECTLY INTO THE TARGET," SAID CAPT. ROBERT E. MULLIN, RIVERSIDE, CALIF. A RADAR OPERATOR, HE SAID: "I WAS EXCESS BAGGAGE TODAY AS THE BOMBING WAS VISUAL. IT SUITED ME. IT WAS A PERFECT BOMB JOB."
SOME CLOSE SUPPORT MISSIONS WERE FLOWN BY F-80 JETS TODAY. AN AIR CONTROLLER WHO WAS HIT BY FIRE FROM A COMMUNIST GUN EMPLACEMENT SOUTH OF WAEGWAN DIRECTED THE JETS TO THE TARGET. "WE SILENCED THAT GUN CREW WITH MACHINEGUN FIRE AND ROCKETS AND THE AIR CONTROLLER CONGRATULATED US," SAID SECOND LT. EDMUND F. BELLINGER, ROUTE 4, CHARLESTON, S.C.
FIRST LT. CARL W. SEXTON, SANTA MONICA, CALIF., SAID HE ENCOUNTERED TWO TANKS 10 MILES SOUTH OF SUWON AND HAD GOOD RESULTS WITH ROCKETS. HE ALSO STRAFED A FREIGHT TRAIN IN THE SAME AREA. HE FLEW AN F-80.
IN ANOTHER F-80 FLIGHT FIRST LT. HARRY T. SANDLIN, 2480 16TH STREET, WASHINGTON, D.C., STRAFED SCHOONERS, BARGES AND FISHING VESSELS IN A RIVER BETWEEN CHONAN TO SEOUL. "IT APPEARED THEY WERE BEING USED FOR SUPPLY PURPOSES, SO I LET EM HAVE IT," SAID LT. SANDLIN.
FIFTEEN TO 20 BOX CARS AND AN INDUSTRIAL PLANT WERE HEAVILY DAMAGED ON A DEEP PENETRATION NIGHT MISSION COMPLETED EARLY THIS MORNING BY FIRST LT. JAMES W. WOOD, PUEBLO, COLO. HE EXPENDED ALL AMMUNITION ON HIS F-80 AGAINST THESE TARGETS AT SUNCHON IN NORTH KOREA. "THE PLANT BURNED AND SO DID MOST OF THE BOX CARS," HE SAID. THE LONG FLIGHT WAS MADE UNDER DIFFICULT WEATHER CONDITIONS.
B-26 LIGHT BOMBERS WORKED CHIEFLY ON SUPPLY COMMUNICATIONS. TWO HITS WERE SCORED ON A SMALL FACTORY AND ANTIAIRCRAFT BATTERIES WERE ATTACKED AT KYOMITO IN A B-26 FLOWN BY FIRST LT. KENNETH WALSER, EL PASO, TEX. BOMBING RUNS WERE MADE ON THE WATERFRONT AT THAT TOWN ALSO. "WE STARTED FOUR FIRES," SAID FIRST LT. FRANK S. EVANS ROUTE 11, BOX 130, TACOMA, WASH.
A 12 TO 15 BOX CAR TRAIN WAS SPOTTED 14 MILES SOUTHEAST OF KYOMITO BY MAJ. VAN E. NEAL, DALLAS, TEX. "WE DROPPED EIGHT BOMBS FROM ONE END OF THE TRAIN TO THE OTHER, AND THEN STRAFED IT," HE SAID. "DAMAGE WAS ALMOST TOTAL," HE ADDED.
UNITS OF THE U.S. AIR RESCUE SERVICE FLEW FIVE H-5 HELICOPTER MISSIONS TODAY. THREE SERIOUSLY WOUNDED INFANTRYMEN WERE PICKED UP AT THE BATTLE FRONT AND REMOVED TO REAR HOSPITALS FOR IMMEDIATE TREATMENT, TWO OTHERS WERE FLOWN FROM THE HOSPITAL TO A NEARBY AIRFIELD FOR EVACUATION TO HOSPITALS IN JAPAN.
ONE F-51 WAS ESCORTED TO A REAR AIRSTRIP IN KOREA WHEN THE PILOT CALLED FOR ASSISTANCE, BUT MADE A SUCCESSFUL LANDING. OTHER PLANES FLEW ORBIT MISSIONS IN SUPPORT OF THE B-29 STRIKES TODAY.
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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG.29-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO.333, ISSUED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS AT 1:20 A.M. (10:20 A.M. MONDAY, EST):
AN ENEMY FORCE ESTIMATED AT COMPANY STRENGTH PENETRATED THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) SIXTH DIVISION SECTOR YESTERDAY BUT WAS FORCED TO WITHDRAW TO THE VICINITY OF SANSONG. TWO ENEMY COMPANIES WERE LOCATED IN THE VICINITY OF KORO. A ROK UNIT WAS IN CONTACT WITH ONE OF THESE COMPANIES AT LAST REPORT. OF THREE ENEMY TANKS LOCATED SIX MILES NORTH OF WAEGWAN ONE WAS DESTROYED AND ONE DAMAGED.
A FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION PATROL IN PROBING WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER ENCOUNTERED AN ENEMY PATROL, KILLING EIGHT AND CAPTURING TWO PRISONERS. NUMEROUS ENEMY FORCES WERE REPORTED WEST OF THE NAKTONG RIVER, WITH HEAVY PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC MOVING SOUTHEAST ON THE ROAD FROM SONGJU. PACK AND OXEN TRAINS WERE OBSERVED MOVING ON ROADS EAST OF KORYON.
ENEMY PRESSURE CONTINUED IN THE POHANG-KIGYE SECTOR, WITH NO REPORTS OF ANY SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN THE LINE.
THE SECOND AND TWENTY-FIFTH DIVISION SECTORS WERE QUIET DURING THE DAY, WITH NO SIGNIFICANT ENEMY ACTION REPORTED.
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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG.29-(AP)-TEXT OF FAR EAST AIR FORCE KOREAN RELEASE 334 ISSUED AT 8:25 A.M. (5:25 P.M. EST MONDAY):
FIGHTERS WERE IN THE AIR BY 6 A.M. TODAY AS THE U.S. AIR FORCE

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CONTINUED ITS STEPPED-UP ASSAULT AGAINST COMMUNISTS AND THEIR SUPPLY LINES IN KOREA.

F-80 JETS AND F-51 MUSTANGS FLEW TO SPECIFIC TARGETS. MARINE CORSAIRS AND F-82 TWIN MUSTANGS WERE OFF TODAY AT FIRST LIGHT ON RECONNAISSANCE MISSIONS.

THE WEATHER OVER KOREA WAS REPORTED TO BE GENERALLY GOOD, WITH SOME SCATTERED CLOUDS.

THE F-51S CHIEFLY WENT ON ARMED RECONNAISSANCE MISSIONS TODAY. THE MUSTANGS THAT RETURNED DURING THE NIGHT REPORTED GOOD LUCK AGAINST ENEMY VEHICLES, WHERE LIGHTS COULD BE DETECTED ON THE ROAD. ONE FLIGHT MADE SIX DIRECT HITS ON AN IMPORTANT BRIDGE AT SEOUL.

F-80S WHICH LANDED AT JAPANESE BASES AFTER MIDNIGHT FLEW GROUND SUPPORT CHIEFLY. TWO CAMOUFLAGED SUPPLY DUMPS WERE HIT AND SET ON FIRE BY AN ELEMENT LED BY CAPT.JAMES E.ANDERSON OF CHATOM, ALA. "WE ALSO GOT THREE ARTILLERY PIECES," HE SAID.

B-26 INVADERS RETURNED FROM NIGHT INTRUDER MISSIONS THIS MORNING. ATTACKS WERE DIRECTED PRINCIPALLY ON RAILROADS AND ON MARSHALLING YARDS IN THE SUNCHON AREA. THEY SCORED DIRECT HITS ON NINE RAILROAD TRACKS AND DAMAGED SIX OTHERS.

FIRST LT.DAVID D.BRADBURN OF 242 S. GRAND AVE., PASADENA, CALIF., SAID HIS CREW DAMAGED A WAREHOUSE AND HIT SEVERAL RAILROAD TRACKS IN THAT AREA. "THERE WAS A BRIGHT BURST OF FIRE FOLLOWING A STRAFING RUN ON BOXCARS ON THE TRACKS," HE SAID.

B-26S ALSO BOMBED A PONTOON BRIDGE AT SEOUL, BUT THE RESULTS WERE UNOBSERVED.

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TOKYO, TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-TEXT OF KOREAN RELEASE NO. 336, COVERING NAVAL OPERATIONS AND ISSUED AT 1:25 P.M. (10:25 P.M. EST, MONDAY):

UNITED NATIONS NAVAL FORCES CONCENTRATED THEIR EFFORTS YESTERDAY IN DIRECT GUN-FIRE SUPPORT OF GROUND FORCES ON THE NORTH AND SOUTH EXTREMITIES OF THE DEFENSE PERIMETER.

A U. S. NAVY DESTROYER STANDING OFF THE SOUTH COAST BLASTED MORTAR AND ARTILLERY POSITIONS AND TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WITH MARKED SUCCESS. FIRING WAS PERFORMED AT THE REQUEST OF SHORE FIRE-CONTROL PARTIES.

U. S. NAVAL FORCES ON THE EAST COAST PROVIDED ""ROUND-THE-CLOCK GUNFIRE SUPPORT OF U. N. GROUND FORCES IN THE POHANG AREA, WITH RESULTS DESCRIBED BY A KMAG (KOREAN MILITARY ADVISORY GROUP) REPRESENTATIVE AS "EXCELLENT."

A NUMBER OF OBSERVATION POSTS AND ARTILLERY UNITS WERE DEMOLISHED. A NUMBER OF TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE DISPERSED WITH HEAVY CASUALTIES. THE EAST COAST NAVAL SUPPORT FORCE MADE USE OF BOTH GROUND AND AERIAL SPOTTING.

U. N. NAVAL FORCES PATROLLING THE WEST COAST OF KOREA FOR ANY SIGNS OF ENEMY WATER RESUPPLY EFFORTS REPORT A PAUCITY OF TARGETS.
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TOKYO,TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-TEXT OF U. S. EIGHTH ARMY COMMUNIQUE NO. 80 ISSUED AT 12:25 P.M. (9:25 P.M. EST MONDAY):

INTENSE PATROL AND SMALL UNIT ACTIVITY CONTINUED IN THE 25TH DIVISION SECTOR WITH ELEMENTS OF ALL REGIMENTS BEING ENGAGED. ONE REGIMENT REPELLED THREE SEPARATE COMPANY SIZE ATTACKS DURING THE NIGHT, THE LAST ONE AT 0600 HOURS. NO GROUND WAS LOST TO THE ENEMY.

IN THE ROK (REPUBLIC OF KOREA) SECTOR THE SIXTH DIVISION WAS UNDER CONSTANT ATTACK YESTERDAY WITH ONE ROK REGIMENT BEING FORCED BACK FOUR MILES SOUTHEAST FROM UIHUNG.

IN THE KIGYE AREA ELEMENTS OF THE CAPITAL DIVISION WITHDREW TO SOUTH OF THE TOWN. YESTERDAY AFTERNOON ROK TROOPS ELIMINATED AN ENEMY POCKET AND RETOOK HIGH GROUND.

THIS MORNING THE ROK THIRD DIVISION IS RECEIVING AN ATTACK NORTH OF POHANG.

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LONDON,AUG.28-(AP)-THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND'S EVENING COMMUNIQUE AS BROADCAST BY THE MOSCOW RADIO AND HEARD HERE:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED BITTER BATTLES AGAINST AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TROOPS WHICH ATTEMPTED TO GIVE STUBBORN RESISTANCE.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ATTACKING ON THE EAST COAST REBUFFED ENEMY COUNTERATTACKS MADE UNDER COVER OF AIRCRAFT AND WITH NAVAL SUPPORT AND, BREAKING THROUGH ENEMY DEFENSES, CONTINUED THEIR OFFENSIVE.

BETWEEN AUG. 17 AND AUG. 28 ANTIAIRCRAFT UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY SHOT DOWN THREE AMERICAN B-29 BOMBERS AND THREE FIGHTERS WHICH RAIDED THE AREA OF NANAM AND CHONGJIN.

IN FIGHTING IN THE AREA OF THE EAST COAST UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY KILLED AND WOUNDED OVER 800 AND TOOK PRISONER OVER 300 MEN AND OFFICERS OF THE ENEMY.

EIGHT GUNS OF VARIOUS CALIBER, FOUR SEARCHLIGHTS, MANY HEAVY AND LIGHT MACHINEGUNS, AUTOMATIC RIFLES, CARBINES, RADIO APPARATUS AND MUCH AMMUNITION WERE CAPTURED.

AMERICAN BOMBERS RAIDED THE TOWN OF NAMPO AND DROPPED OVER 30 BOMBS ON THE CENTER OF TOWN.

AS A RESULT OF THIS BOMBING MANY HOUSES, CHILDREN'S NURSERIES, HOSPITALS, SCHOOLS, THEATERS AND OTHER CULTURAL AND EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS WERE DESTROYED.

THERE ARE MANY KILLED AND WOUNDED AMONG THE POPULATION OF THE TOWN.

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LONDON, AUG 28-(AP)-XOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF TODAY'S MORNING COMMUNIQUE OF THE NORTH KOREAN HIGH COMMAND AS BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO:

ON ALL FRONTS UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY CONTINUED TO WAGE FIERCE BATTLES AGAINST THE ENEMY WHO IS OFFERING STUBBORN RESISTANCE

THE AMERICAN AND SYNGMAN RHEE TOOPS ARE TRYING TO COUNTER-ATTACK BUT THE PEOPLE'S ARMY, BEATING BACK COUNTERATTACKS AND STRIKING BLOWS AT THE ENEMY, DEVELOPED THE OFFENSIVE ON MANY SECTORS OF THE FRONT.

UNITS OF THE PEOPLE'S ARMY ADVANCING IN THE DIRECTION OF UIHUNG (GIKO), NOTWITHSTANDING SOLID DEFENSE POSITIONS, THE CONCENTRATION OF BIG FORCES AND STUBBORN RESISTANCE OF THE ENEMY, LIBERATED UIHUNG (GIKO), AN IMPORTANT DEFENSE POINT OF THE ENEMY AND A COMMUNICATIONS CENTER LOCATED NORTHEAST OF TAEGU.

IN BATTLES FOR THE LIBERATION OF UIHUNG (GIKO), THE PEOPLE'S ARMY KILLED, WOUNDED AND TOOK PRISONER MANY ENEMY OFFICERS AND MEN.

MANY TROPHIES WERE CAPTURED.
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WASHINGTON,AUG.28-(AP)-AN OFFER BY SOUTH AFRICA OF AN AIR FIGHTER SQUADRON FOR USE IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING WAS ACCEPTED TODAY BY THE UNITED STATES.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID IN ANNOUNCING THE ACCEPTANCE THAT THE OFFER WAS "VERY MUCH APPRECIATED." PRESS OFFICER MICHAEL J.MCDERMOTT SAID HE DID NOT KNOW HOW MANY PLANES WOULD BE SENT.
THERE HAVE BEEN TOKYO REPORTS THAT GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR AS UNITED NATION COMMANDER HAD TURNED DOWN THE SOUTH AFRICAN OFFER ON THE GROUND THAT TRANSPORT PLANES RATHER THAN FIGHTERS WERE NEEDED.
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NIGHT LEAD
NEW YORK,AUG.28-(AP)-A SECOND CONTINGENT OF A SWEDISH VOLUNTEER MEDICAL TEAM BOUND FOR KOREA ARRIVED BY PLANE TODAY FROM STOCKHOLM.
ITS 43 MEN AND WOMEN LEFT IMMEDIATELY FOR FORT DIX,N.J., TO JOIN 44 MEMBERS WHO ARRIVED YESTERDAY. THE TEAM WILL BE COMPOSED OF 176 DOCTORS, NURSES AND VEHICLE DRIVERS, AND IS EXPECTED TO LEAVE FOR KOREA ON SEPT. 3 AND 4.
THE TEAM IS SWEDEN'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES AIDING THE SOUTH KOREANS.
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NEW YORKWN AUG. 28-(AP)-THE DAILY WORKER, COMMUNIST PARTY ORGAN, SAID TODAY SECRETARY OF THE NAVY FRANCIS P. MATTHEWS VOICED ADMINISTRATION POLICY WHEN HE SAID THE U.S. SHOULD BE WILLING TO START A WAR IF NECESSARY TO "COMPEL COOPERATION FOR PEACE."
IT DECLARED EDITORIALLY THAT MATTHEWS HAD "DESCRIBED THIS POLICY IN NAKED WORDS THAT WILL SEND A SHUDDER THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."
CONCEDING THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD DISCLAIMED THE SPEECH AND THAT MATTHEWS "NOW SAYS" HE SPOKE ONLY FOR HIMSELF, THE DAILY WORKER CONTINUED:
"BUT CAN ANYONE BELIEVE THAT ON THE MOST CRUCIAL QUESTION OF OUR TIME, THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY CAN PUBLICLY EXPRESS AN OPINION WHICH IS NOT SHARED BY THE PRESIDENT WHO APPOINTED HIM AND BY THE REST OF HIS COLLEAGUES?"
THE COMMUNIST EDITORIAL SAID THAT WHILE THE MATTHEWS SPEECH APPEARED TO CONTRADICT "THE PIOUS PHRASES OF THE PRESIDENT, THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE PENTAGON, IT IS IN COMPLETE HARMONY WITH THEIR DEEDS."
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NIGHT LEAD RUSSIAN SUPPLIES (340)
BY CHARLES WHITING
LONDON, AUG. 28-(AP)-BRITISH FIRMS ASKING FOR MACHINE TOOLS NEEDED FOR DEFENSE PRODUCTION ARE BEING TOLD THEY WILL BE SERVED AFTER RUSSIAN ORDERS ARE FILLED, A TOOL MANUFACTURER CHARGED TODAY.
JOSEPH GREENWOOD, CHAIRMAN AND MANAGING DIRECTOR OF CRAVEN BROTHERS, BRITAIN'S SECOND LARGEST ENGINEERING FIRM, SAID HIS COMPANY WILL BE TIED UP FOR MANY MONTHS FULFILLING A £1,000,000 ($2,800,000) ORDER FOR SOVIET RUSSIA.
FOR BRITISH FIRMS, HE SAID, "WE CANNOT CONTRIBUTE SO MUCH AS A SPLIT-PIN FOR THREE YEARS."
GREENWOOD MADE PUBLIC A LETTER WHICH HE SAID HE HAD SENT TO THE LABOR GOVERNMENT TODAY AND WHICH SAID IN PART:
"IT IS A HORRIBLE THOUGHT THAT A FIRM WITH THE SPECIALIZED PRODUCTION OF CRAVEN BROTHERS IS SO TIED UP WHEN THEY WISH TO HELP THE REARMAMENT DRIVE OF THE COUNTRY."
LATER A SPOKESMAN FOR THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY WAS ASKED WHETHER CRAVEN BROTHERS IS OBLIGATED TO KEEP PRODUCING FOR RUSSIA UNDER TERMS OF AN ANGLO-RUSSIAN TRADE AGREEMENT UNLESS BRITAIN ABROGATES THE CONTRACT. THE SPOKESMAN SAID:
"I DON'T THINK SO. IT SEEMS TO ME THAT THE CONTRACTS WERE SIGNED BETWEEN THE RUSSIAN TRADE NEGOTIATORS AND THE INDIVIDUAL FIRMS. THAT IS MY UNDERSTANDING."
GREENWOOD AND BOARD OF TRADE OFFICIALS WERE NOT AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY TO CLARIFY THIS POINT.
GREENWOOD TOLD NEWSMEN YESTERDAY THAT HIS FIRM HAS BEEN DOING BUSINESS WITH RUSSIA FOR 20 YEARS. HE SAID: "I AND THE COMPANY WANT TO GO ON DOING THE WORK, BUT UNDER PRESENT CONDITIONS WE HAVE TO ASK OURSELVES WHETHER WE ARE DOING THE RIGHT THING. THAT QUESTION I HAVE BEEN PUTTING TO THE GOVERNMENT FOR OVER TWO YEARS X X X BUT I COULD GET NOWHERE WITH THE GOVERNMENT."
WINSTON CHURCHILL, WARTIME PRIME MINISTER AND LEADER OF THE CONSERVATIVE OPPOSITION, BROUGHT THE SUBJECT INTO THE OPEN IN A RADIO SPEECH SATURDAY NIGHT.
CHURCHILL QUESTIONED WHETHER BRITISH FIRMS SHOULD BE MAKING TOOLS FOR MOSCOW. HE SAID SOME OF THE TOOLS WERE "OF THE CLASS REQUIRED FOR THE MANUFACTURE AND REPAIR OF TANKS."
THE BOARD OF TRADE CONFIRMED THAT RUSSIA IS GETTING THE TOOLS--£471,337 ($1,319,743) WORTH IN THE FIRST SEVEN MONTHS OF THIS YEAR.
THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY ALSO CONCEDED ANOTHER CHURCHILL STATEMENT--THAT RUSSIAN INSPECTORS ARE PERMITTED TO GO INTO BRITISH FACTORIES TO INSPECT THE WORK ON THE RUSSIAN ORDERS.
A MINISTRY OF SUPPLY SPOKESMAN SAID SATURDAY "IT IS A RESPONSIBILITY OF THE FIRM, OF COURSE, TO INSURE THAT THE (RUSSIAN) INSPECTORS DO NOT SEE THINGS WHICH SHOULD NOT BE SEEN."
GREENWOOD RETORED TO THAT STATEMENT TODAY:
"THERE IS MUCH THAT A MAN WITH AN EXPERT EYE CAN SEE IN A WORKS LIKE OURS. XXX IF WE WERE MAKING A SECRET CIGARETTE MACHINE WE MIGHT HIDE OURSELVES AWAY IN A CELLAR. WHEN YOU ARE HANDLING SOMETHING THAT IS, PERHAPS, 100 FEXNGTH TH TH TH AND 1

WE MIGHT HIDE OURSELVES AWAY IN A CELLAR. WHEN YOU ARE HANDLING SOMETHING THAT IS, PERHAPS, 100 FEET IN LENGTH AND 100 TONS IN WEIGHT IT IS ANOTHER MATTER."
GREENWOOD SAID THE FIRST SHIPMENT OF TOOLS IN THE BIG RUSSIAN ORDER WILL BE STARTED ON THE WAY TOWARD THE SOVIET UNION ON SATURDAY. IT IS PACKED AND READY TO BE LOADED ABOARD SHIPS.
ARTHUR BOTTOMLEY, THE GOVERNMENT'S SECRETARY FOR OVERSEAS TRADE, STATED YESTERDAY THAT IN SUPPLYING GOODS TO RUSSIA, BRITAIN "HAS BEEN CAREFUL TO WITHHOLD ANY COMMODITIES WHICH COME INTO THE CATEGORY OF

STRATEGIC PRIORITY."
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FIRST LEAD RUSSIAN MATERIALS (260)

LONDON, AUG. 28-(AP)-A BRITISH ENGINEERING FIRM, PREPARING TO BEGIN SHIPPING £1,000,000 ($2,800,000) WORTH OF MACHINE TOOLS TO RUSSIA SATURDAY, SAID TODAY THE BRITISH LABOR GOVERNMENT SHOULD WITHDRAW THE FIRM'S EXPORT LICENSE FOR THE MATERIALS.

THE FIRM WILL GO AHEAD WITH THE SHIPMENT UNLESS PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE ACTS, ITS CHAIRMAN, JOSEPH GREENWOOD, TOLD REPORTERS. HE IS THE HEAD OF CRAVEN BROTHERS, A LARGE TOOL-MAKING CONCERN.

WINSTON CHURCHILL, WARTIME PRIME MINISTER AND NOW LEADER OF THE CONSERVATIVE OPPOSITION, CHARGED LAST SATURDAY IN A RADIO ADDRESS THAT BRITISH FIRMS WERE FILLING RUSSIAN ORDERS, SOME OF WHICH WERE FOR TOOLS "OF A CLASS REQUIRED FOR THE MANUFACTURE AND REPAIR OF TANKS."

THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY CONCEDED THAT SEVERAL BRITISH MACHINE TOOL MAKERS WERE FILLING SUCH CONTRACTS FOR RUSSIA AND THAT RUSSIAN INSPECTORS ARE PERMITTED IN THE FACTORIES.

ARTHUR BOTTOMLEY, THE LABOR GOVERNMENT'S SECRETARY FOR OVERSEAS TRADE, SAID, HOWEVER, THAT "IN SUPPLYING GOODS TO RUSSIA, BRITAIN HAS BEEN CAREFUL TO WITHHOLD ANY COMMODITIES WHICH COME INTO THE CATEGORY OF STRATEGIC PRIORITY." HE ADDED THAT BRITAIN HAS OBTAINED ESSENTIAL SUPPLIES FROM RUSSIA, INCLUDING GRAIN AND TIMBER, "AND IN RETURN WE HAVE HAD TO MAKE PAYMENT."

GREENWOOD ANNOUNCED THAT HIS FIRM WAS READY TO MAKE A SHIPMENT AND THEN ADDED:

"IN VIEW OF INTERNATIONAL CONDITIONS I THINK THE EXPORT LICENSE FOR THESE TOOLS SHOULD BE TEMPORARILY WITHDRAWN BY THE GOVERNMENT. IT IS UP TO MR.ATTLEE."

PRIME MINISTER ATTLEE IS NOW ON A VACATION TOUR OF SCOTLAND.

GREENWOOD SAID THE FIRST INSTALLMENT OF THE TOOL ORDER FOR RUSSIA, £20,000 ($56,000) WORTH, IS PACKED AND READY TO GO.

"WE SHOULD COMPLETE THE £1,000,000 ORDER BY THE END OF 1951," HE SAID. "BUT WE COULD SELL THESE TOOLS QUITE EASILY TO BRITISH BUYERS. WE ARE QUOTING THEM A THREE-YEAR DELIVERY DATE FOR TOOLS OF THE TYPE WE ARE SENDING TO RUSSIA NEXT SATURDAY."

HE SAID HIS FIRM HAS BEEN DOING BUSINESS WITH RUSSIA FOR 20 YEARS "BUT UNDER THE PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES, WE HAVE TO ASK OURSELVES WHETHER WE ARE DOING THE RIGHT THING."

"THAT QUESTION I HAVE BEEN PUTTING TO THE GOVERNMENT FOR OVER TWO YEARS, X X X BUT I COULD GET NOWHERE WITH THE GOVERNMENT."

MOST BRITISH MORNING NEWSPAPERS SUPPORTED CHURCHILL'S PROTEST AGAINST RUSSIAN-BOUND SHIPMENTS. BUT THE LIBERAL MANCHESTER GUARDIAN SAID "MORE INFORMATION IS CLEARLY NEEDED" AND THE WIDELY CIRCULATED AND INDEPENDENT MIRROR, THE LABOR PARTY'S DAILY HERALD AND THE COMMUNIST DAILY WORKER ALL MADE NO MENTION OF THAT PHASE OF CHURCHILL'S SPEECH.

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LONDON, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE LATEST ISSUE OF THE COMINFORM JOURNAL PREDICTS "THE DAY IS NOT FAR OFF" WHEN PRO-RUSSIAN UNDERGROUND UNITS IN YUGOSLAVIA WILL REVOLT AGAINST MARSHAL TITO.

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE VERSION OF THE PAPER REACHED LONDON TODAY. IT IS PUBLISHED IN BUCHAREST EVERY FRIDAY AS THE PROPAGANDA VEHICLE OF RUSSIA AND HER COMMUNIST SATELLITES ASSOCIATED IN THE COMMUNIST INFORMATION BUREAU (COMINFORM).

TITO'S YUGOSLAVIA WAS KICKED OUT OF THE COMINFORM MORE THAN TWO YEARS AGO BECAUSE HE INSISTED ON A MEASURE OF INDEPENDENCE RATHER THAN FOLLOW RUSSIA'S LEAD.

THE COMINFORM JOURNAL SAID THAT WHILE THERE IS NO NEW COMMUNIST PARTY TO LEAD THE REVOLT IN YUGOSLAVIA THERE ARE "ILLEGAL MARXIST-LENINIST GROUPS WHICH GUIDE THIS STRUGGLE." IT CLAIMED ALSO THAT THE ANTI-TITO ORGANIZATION IS ALSO GROWING IN THE YUGOSLAV ARMY.

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LONDON, AUG. 28-(AP)-YUGOSLAVIA'S OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY TANJUG REPORTS THAT HUNGARY'S COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT HAS ARRESTED TWO FORMER HIGH RANKING OFFICIALS.

TANJUG IDENTIFIED THEM AS FORMER MINISTER OF JUSTICE ISTAVAN RIES AND FORMER MINISTER OF LIGHT INDUSTRY GYORGY MAROSAN. THEIR "RESIGNATIONS" HAD BEEN ANNOUNCED PREVIOUSLY. THE LAST TWO MEMBERS OF THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN THE CABINET, THEIR OUSTER WAS PART OF A CAMPAIGN AGAINST "RIGHT WING SOCIALISTS."

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LONDON, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT HAS ANNOUNCED DISCOVERY OF THE LARGEST SINGLE DEPOSIT--PERHAPS A MILLION OF TONS--OF URANIUM LOCATED IN THE BRITISH ISLES.

THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY SAID THE ORE, IN NORTHERN WALES, IS OF "EXTREMELY LOW YIELD." THE MINISTRY HINTED EXPLOITATION MIGHT NOT BE FEASIBLE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH, HOWEVER, SAID THE ORE IS "IN NO WAY INFERIOR" TO DEPOSITS BEING WORKED BY THE RUSSIANS IN EAST GERMANY. THE SCIENTISTS CALCULATED THE ORE WOULD YIELD 80 GRMS (LESS THAN THREE OUNCES) PER TON.

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LONDON, AUG.28-(AP)-BRITAIN JOINED FRANCE TODAY IN REJECTING ANY IDEA THAT THE WEST SHOULD UNLEASH A PREVENTIVE WAR TO "COMPEL COOPERATION FOR PEACE." THIS WAS SUGGESTED FRIDAY BY U.S. NAVY SECRETARY FRANCIS MATTHEWS.

THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT HAS REPUDIATED MATTHEWS' STATEMENT. A BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID BRITAIN "LEANS MORE TO THE VIEW OF THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT THAN TO THAT OF FRANCIS MATTHEWS." FRENCH DEFENSE MINISTER JULES MOCH SAID IN A SPEECH YESTERDAY THAT HIS COUNTRY ALSO REJECTS MATTHEWS' SUGGESTION.

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LONDON, AUG.28-(AP)-BRITONS WHO WERE PRISONERS OF THE JAPANESE IN WORLD WAR TWO MOVED TODAY TO OBTAIN PAYMENT FOR THEIR SUFFERING.
THE FAR EAST PRISONERS OF WAR SOCIAL CLUB, CLAIMING TO SPEAK FOR MORE THAN 30,000 EX-POWS IN BRITAIN, URGED ALL MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS TO SUPPORT THEIR DEMAND.
S.G.LENNY, A MEMBER OF THE CLUB MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE, TOLD REPORTER: "ACTION MUST BE TAKEN SOON BECAUSE A TREATY WITH JAPAN IS LIKELY TO BE CONCLUDED IN THE NEAR FUTURE.
"THE AMERICAN EX-PRISONERS HAVE BEEN GRANTED COMPENSATION OF A DOLLAR FOR EACH DAY IN CAPTIVITY AND THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT HAS SET UP A COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER AN AUSTRALIAN CLAIM."
LENNY SAID THE CLUB IS BACKED BY THE BRITISH LEGION, THIS NATION'S BIGGEST ORGANIZATION OF EX-SERVICE MEN.
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london, aug. 2[illegible]--(ap)--communist china has followed up its demands for a seat on the united nations security council with a call for the ouster of chinese nationalists from three u.n. agencies.

the peiping radio said red foreign minister chou en-lai, in [illegible] cables to u.n. secretary-general trygve lie and agency heads, demanded that chiang kai-shek's representatives be removed from the international monetary fund, the international bank for reconstruction and development (world bank) and the international children's emergency fund (UNICEF)

chou called for the ouster from the two financial bodies before they open board meetings scheduled sept. 6 in paris.

chou charged UNICEF missions sent to "liberated" areas of china in the past failed to respect national sovereignty, "transgressed repeatedly" and "transgressed repeatedly agreements reached between them and relief bodies in the liberated areas of china."

the security council to date has refused to accede to the chinese red demands, backed by the russians, for a council seat.

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SECOND NIGHT LEAD ASSEMBLY (240)
BY PHILIP CLARKE
STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TONIGHT ENDORSED AN EVENTUAL EUROPEAN DEFENSE AUTHORITY AND A UNIFIED EUROPEAN ARMY AS PROPOSED BY WINSTON CHURCHILL.
EUROPE'S UNOFFICIAL PARLIAMENT TOOK THE DECISION IN THE FACE OF BRITISH LABORITE OBJECTIONS BY A VOTE OF 69 TO 19 WITH TWO ABSTENTIONS
PREVIOUSLY THE ASSEMBLY HAD TURNED DOWN A PROPOSAL BY FORMER FRENCH PREMIER PAUL REYNAUD ASKING THAT A SUPRANATIONAL AUTHORITY ON DEFENSE BE SET UP IMMEDIATELY.
THE ENDORSEMENT OF AN EVENTUAL UNIFIED ARMY WAS ON THE TECHNICAL POINT OF WHETHER THE SPECIAL "POLITICAL AUTHORITIES" AUTHORIZED BY AN ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION COULD HANDLE THE "POLITICAL ASPECTS OF DEFENSE PROBLEMS."
JUST BEFORE THE VOTE, BRITAIN'S LABORITE LEADER, HUGH DALTON, ASSERTED HE DISAGREED STRONGLY WITH THIS INTERPRETATION.
THE ASSEMBLY HANDED BRITISH LABORITES ANOTHER SET BACK BY DECIDING 93-3 TO CALL UPON ASSEMBLYMEN TO SUBMIT RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY THIS BODY TO THEIR RESPECTIVE NATIONAL PARLIAMENTS.
DALTON OBJECTED VIGOROUSLY TO ONE CLAUSE WHICH WOULD BIND ASSEMBLYMEN TO SUPPORT IN THEIR HOME PARLIAMENTS THE RESOLUTIONS THEY HAD SUPPORTED HERE.
THE GENERAL RESOLUTION URGING THE FORMATION OF SPECIALIZED EUROPEAN AUTHORITIES IN THE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, LEGAL AND CULTURAL FIELDS CARRIED IN AN 80-12 VOTE WITH 11 ABSTENTIONS.
REYNAUD'S MORE RADICAL PROPOSAL HAD DEMANDED THE IMMEDIATE CREATION OF SUPRANATIONAL AUTHORITIES IN THESE FIELDS UNDER EUROPEAN MINISTERS RESPONSIBLE TO A DIRECTLY-ELECTED EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT.

ONE RESOLUTION ADOPTED EMBODIED A LETTER TO THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS, UPPER HOUSE OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, BITTERLY CRITICIZING THE MINISTERS FOR FAILING TO ACT ON MANY ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS LAST YEAR. THE LETTER CALLED ON THE MINISTERS TO FURNISH THE ASSEMBLY WITH "DEFINITE PLANS" FOR EUROPEAN UNITY.
AFTER ADOPTING THE SERIES OF RESOLUTIONS, THE ASSEMBLY RECESSED ABOUT 10:30 P.M. (4:30 P.M. EST) UNTIL A DATE TO BE SET BY THE STEERING COMMITTEE TOMORROW.
EARLIER THE ASSEMBLY UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED A DECLARATION OF STRASBOURG, CALLING FOR "PEACE WITHOUT APPEASEMENT" OF THE COMMUNIST WORLD.

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THE RESOLUTION OF THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY WAS DESIGNED BY ITS BACKERS AS A MEANS OF COUNTERING THE SO-CALLED STOCKHOLM PEACE PETITION INITIATED BY COMMUNISTS.

THE DECLARATION WAS WRITTEN BY 26 SOCIALIST LEADERS OF 13 WESTERN NATIONS AND APPROVED BY A VOTE OF 82 TO 0, WITH ONLY THE BELGIAN SOCIALIST, HENRI ROLIN, ABSTAINING.

ROLIN ANGRILY CONTENDED THE DECLARATION WAS "RESIGNED TO THE INEVITABILITY OF WAR" AND WOULD ENCOURAGE THE "AUTOMATIC RECOGNITION OF PRESIDENT SYNGMAN RHEE'S) REACTIONARY SOUTH KOREA REGIME."

BRITISH LABORITE OAURICE EDELMANWN WHO HELPED DRAFT THE DECLARATION, CHARGED THAT THE COMMUNISTS, LED BY RUSSIA, HAD "BROKEN A MAJOR INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT," BY INVADING SOUTH KOREA.

HE SAID THE DOCUMENT "DECLARES OUR RESOLUTE INTENTION TO SUPPORT THE UNITED NATIONS ACTION IN KOREA; TO RESIST AGGRESSION FROM WHICHEVER QUARTER IT MAY COME, AND TO UNDERTAKE WHATEVER BURDENS MAY BE NECESSARY FOR OUR INDIVIDUAL AND COLLECTIVE DEFENSE." HE ADDED:

"IT AFFIRMS OUR DESIRE FOR PEACE" AS AN ANSWER TO "THE STOCKHOLM VULTURE WHICH, DISGUISED AS A DOVE, HAS BEEN COOING A TREACHEROUS MESSAG OF PEACE." XXX

(SWEDISH PREMIER TAGE ERLANDER HAS EXPRESSED SWEDEN'S "CONSIDERABLE DISGUST" WITH THE USE OF THE NAME STOCKHOLM BY THE COMMUNISTS IN THEIR "PEACE PETITION" DRIVE. HE BRANDED THE PETITION, DRAFTED AT THE COMMUNIST-SPONSORED "PEACE PARTISAN" CONGRESS IN STOCKHOLM LAST MARCH, AS SO MUCH RED PROPAGANDA. THE PETITION DEMANDED A BAN ON THE ATOMIC BOMB.)

EDELMAN SAID "THE TEST OF THE COMMUNISTS' GOOD FAITH IS NOT WHAT THEY SAY IN STOCKHOLM BUT WHAT THEY DO IN KOREA.

HE SAID THE STRASBOURG DECLARATION'S SIGNERS HAD "UTTERLY AND UNEQUIVOCALLY" REJECTED A PROPOSAL FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A DELEGATION FROM THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE TO INITIATE A NEW PEACE MOVE TO MOSCOW. ASSEMBLY SOURCES SAID THIS PROPOSAL WAS MADE IN THE SOCIALISTS' CAUCUS ROOM BY ROLIN.

THE ASSEMBLY REJECTED A LAST-DITCH FRANCO-ITALIAN DRIVE TO FORCE IMMEDIATE ACTION ON WINSTON CHURCHILL'S EUROPEAN ARMY PROPOSAL.

BY A VOTE OF 69-19, WITH SEVEN ABSTENTIONS, THE ASSEMBLY DEFEATED PROPOSALS BY FORMER FRENCH PREMIER PAUL REYNAUD AND OTHERS.

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BACKED BY A STRONG GROUP OF FRENCH AND ITALIAN REPRESENTATIVES, REYNAUD HAD CALLED FOR SUPRANATIONAL AUTHORITIES TO BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE KEY SECTORS OF EUROPEAN LIFE, BEGINNING WITH DEFENSE.

THE GROUP URGED AUTHORITIES ALSO OVER HUMAN RIGHTS, STEEL AND COAL, ELECTRICITY, AGRICULTURE AND TRANSPORT, EACH TO BE HEADED BY A EUROPEAN MINISTER.

THE GROUP DEMANDED THAT THESE MINISTERS BE MADE COLLECTIVELY RESPONSIBLE BEFORE A EUROPEAN ASSEMBLY, ELECTED BY MEMBER STATES, AS A FOUNDATION OF AT LEAST A PARTIAL FEDERATION OF EUROPE. IT ALSO ASKED THAT THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE ELIMINATE THE SINGLE-POWER VETO IN THE COMMITTEE OF FOREIGN MINISTERS AND MAKE THE COMMITTEE'S SESSIONS PUBLIC.

REYNAUD'S PROPOSALS WERE OPPOSED BY BRITISH CONSERVATIVE LORD BIRKENHEAD AND IRELAND'S FORMER PREMIER EAMON DE VALERA, WHO MAINTAINED THE ASSEMBLY COULD GO ONLY AS FAST AS NATIONAL OPINION BACK HOME WOULD ALLOW.

THE CONGRESS DEMANDED A "COMPLETE SOLIDARITY OF EUROPEAN NATIONS IN ORDER TO STRENGTHEN THEIR DEFENSES AGAINST COMMUNISM."

IT URGED NATIONS WHICH ARE READY TO FEDERATE TO DO SO NOW WITHOUT WAITING FOR OTHER NATIONS STILL IN DOUBT.

IN OTHER RESOLUTIONS THE CONGRESS:

1--SALUTED UNITED NATIONS SOLDIERS "FIGHTING AND DYING IN KOREA FOR LIBERTY" AND URGED NATIONS TO AID IN SOUTH KOREA'S DEFENSE.

2--URGED INTERNATIONAL AID FOR THE MILLIONS OF REFUGEES IN CROWDED WESTERN GERMANY.

3--SAID THE DEFENSE OF FREEDOM "REQUIRES THE FULL RESTORATION OF THE NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE OF COUNTRIES NOW ENSLAVED"

4--URGED ABOLITION OF OHE REQUIREMENTS FOR PASSPORTS AND VISAS TO TRAVEL THROUGH EUROPE.

5--APPEALED FOR EUROPEAN NATIONS TO SUPPORT THE INTERNATIONAL "COLLEGE OF EUROPE" BEING SET UP AT BRUGES, BELGIUM, AND TO INCREASE THE INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGES OF UNIVERSITY STUDENTS AND PROFESSORS.

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STRASBOURG, FRANCE, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE EUROPEAN CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY TODAY UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED A DECLARATION OF STRASBOURG (CAPS D AND S) CALLING FOR PEACE WITHOUT APPEASING COMMUNIST AGGRESSORS.

THE DECLARATION, WRITTEN BY 26 SOCIALIST LEADERS OF 13 WESTERN NATIONS, WAS DESIGNED TO COUNTER-ATTACK THE COMMUNIST-INITIATED STOCKHOLM PEACE APPEAL.

IT WAS APPROVED BY A VOTE OF 82 TO 0 WITH ONLY HENRY ROLIN, BELGIAN SOCIALIST, ABSTAINING.

ROLIN CHARGED ANGRILY THAT THE DECLARATION WAS "RESIGNED TO THE INEVITABILITY OF WAR" AND WOULD ENCOURAGE THE "AUTOMATIC RECOGNITION OF (SYNGMAN RHEE'S) REACTIONARY SOUTH KOREA REGIME."

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PARIS, AUG. 28-(AP)-UNESCO'S EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETS HERE TODAY TO TRY AND DECIDE WHAT IT CAN DO IN KOREA.

THE COUNCIL, STEERING GROUP FOR THE UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION, WAS TO DISCUSS A DRAFT RESOLUTION ASSIGNED TO A SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR PREPARATION. THE U.S. AND OTHER DELEGATES HAD URGED ALL-OUT MEASURES AGAINST THE NORTH KOREANS.

THE COUNCIL'S CHAIRMAN, COUNT STEFANO JACINI OF ITALY, SAID THE COUNCIL IN A SECRET SESSION SATURDAY HAD UNANIMOUSLY "DEPLORED THE VIOLATION OF INTERNATIONAL LAW IN KOREA."

JACINI ADDED THAT COUNCIL MEMBERS AGREED ON A LARGE NUMBER OF POINTS WITH REGARD TO U.N. ACTIONS IN KOREA AND WHAT SUPPORT IT SHOULD BE GIVEN.

SUGGESTIONS FOR UNESCO INCLUDE THE GIVING OF IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE TO REFUGEES, THE TEACHING OF U.N. AIMS AND IDEALS IN KOREA, AND POSSIBLE HELP IN THE RECONSTRUCTION.

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B40 (Q)

PARIS, AUG.28-(AP)-A LEADING CZECH ANTI-COMMUNIST CHARGED TODAY THAT RED-RULED CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAS CEDED URANIUM DEPOSITS ALONG HER FRONTIER TO THE EAST GERMAN REPUBLIC.

EDMOND REHAK, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE FREE CZECH COUNCIL HERE, SAID THE CZECH TERRITORY WAS TRANSFERRED TO THE GERMANS IN A SECRET DEAL. HE DESCRIBED THE TERRITORY AS BEING ALONG THE FRONTIER OF SAXONY, ABOUT 12 MILES LONG AND 2 1/2 MILES WIDE.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA, REHAK SAID, WILL BE COMPENSATED IN SOME WAY FOR THE LAND. HE ADDED THAT A SPECIAL COMMISSION HAS BEEN SET UP TO MAKE

THE FRONTIER CHANGE.
REHAK SAID THE COMMUNIST CZECH GOVERNMENT ALSO HAD CEDED TO RUSSIA THE RIGHT TO EXPLOIT ALL URANIUM DEPOSITS ON CZECH TERRITORY AND THAT SUCH LAND AREAS HAS BEEN PLACED UNDER SOVIET ADMINISTRATION.
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FOLO PARIS (B40)
PRAGUE, AUG.28-(AP)-A GOVERNMENT SOURCE DENIED TODAY A PARIS REPORT THAT CZECHOSLOVAKIA HAD CEDED A URANIUM FIELD TO EAST GERMANY. "IT'S TOO IDIOTIC FOR WORDS," HE SAID.
HE WOULD NEITHER CONFIRM NOR DENY A SIMILAR REPORT THAT ALL OTHER SUCH FIELDS IN THIS COUNTRY HAD BEEN PUT UNDER SOVIET ADMINISTRATION. HE MERELY SAID HE DID NOT KNOW.
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ROME, TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-FORMER MARSHAL RODOLFO GRAZIANI, ONE-TIME COMMANDER OF MUSSOLINI'S FASCIST ARMIES IN NORTHERN ITALY, WAS RELEASED FROM CUSTODY EARLY TODAY.
GRAZIANI, 68, AND AILING, WAS SENTENCED ON MAY 2 BY AN ITALIAN MILITARY COURT TO 19 YEARS' IMPRISONMENT FOR TREASON AND COLLABORATION WITH THE NAZIS. HIS TERM WAS CUT TO ONLY 14 MONTHS BY GOVERNMENT AMNESTIES GRANTED IN PART FOR VALOR IN BATTLE.
BECAUSE OF HIS CONDITION, GRAZIANI WAS HELD IN A SPECIAL SECTION OF CELIO MILITARY HOSPITAL. HE LEFT SHORTLY AFTER MIDNIGHT FOR HIS HOME IN DOWNTOWN ROME. HIS RELEASE ENDED A LENGTHY SERIES OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS DATING BACK TO HIS CAPTURE BY THE ALLIES NEAR THE END OF WORLD WAR II.
GRAZIANI WAS ACCUSED OF HAVING COLLABORATED WITH MUSSOLINI'S LAST-DITCH FASCIST REPUBLICAN REGIME IN NORTHERN ITALY. DURING HIS TRIAL GRAZIANI TESTIFIED THAT HE HAD ACTED SIMPLY AS A SOLDIER IN SERVING AS MUSSOLINI'S WAR MINISTER. HE SAID DEFIANTLY THAT HE WOULD DO THE SAME THING AGAIN IF CONDITIONS WERE THE SAME.
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THE HAGUE, THE NETHERLANDS, AUG.28-(AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER PERCY C. SPENDER REJECTED TODAY ANY INDONESIAN CLAIMS TO WESTERN NEW GUINEA. HE SAID THERE WAS NO GEOGRAPHICAL OR HISTORICAL BASIS FOR THE CLAIM.
HE MADE THE STATEMENT AFTER CONFERRING HERE WITH DUTCH FOREIGN MINISTER DIRK U.STIKKER AND THE MINISTER FOR DUTCH-INDONESIAN AFFAIRS, J.H.VAN MAARSEVEEN.
HALF OF NEW GUINEA, WHICH LIES NORTH OF AUSTRALIA, IS HELD BY THE DUTCH AND THE OTHER HALF BY AUSTRALIA.
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BERLIN, AUG.28-(AP)-THE WESTERN POWERS PROTESTED AGAIN TODAY AGAINST SOVIET SEIZURE OF MORE THAN 3,000 BERLIN MAIL PACKAGES ON INTERZONAL TRAINS THIS MONTH.
THE THREE ALLIED COMMANDANTS, IN A LETTER TO SOVIET CONTROL COMMISSION REPRESENTATIVE SERGEI DENGIN, CLAIMED RUSSIAN INTERFERENCE WITH POSTAL SHIPMENTS VIOLATED THE 1949 AGREEMENTS WHICH ENDED THE BERLIN BLOCKADE.
DENGIN HAD REPLIED TO AN EARLIER PROTEST WITH COUNTER-CHARGES THAT BERLINERS WERE BREAKING A 1947 FOUR-POWER RULE PROHIBITING PACKAGES HEAVIER THAN 15 POUNDS IN THE MAILS.
THE COMMANDANTS ASSERTED THAT THE OLD RULE HAD SINCE BEEN LIBERALIZED IN THE SOVIET AND ALLIED ZONES, AND "WAS NEVER INTENDED PERMANENTLY TO SUBJECT THE OPERATIONS OF THE MAILS IN GERMANY TO ABNORMAL RESTRICTIONS."
THE RUSSIANS ALLEGE THAT BERLIN SMUGGLERS HAVE USED PARCEL POST TO TRANSPORT HUGE QUANTITIES OF SOVIET ZONE TEXTILES AND OTHER GOODS TO WEST GERMANY.
ALTHOUGH THE ALLIES PERMIT PARCELS WEIGHING UP TO 44 POUNDS TO GO WESTWARD ON MAIL TRAINS, SOVIET GUARDS AT THE INTERZONAL FRONTIER ARE CONFISCATING THOSE OVER THE OLD 15-POUND LIMIT.
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BERLIN, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE DISTRIBUTION OF PRINTED SERMONS BY DR. OTTO DIBELIUS, BISHOP OF THE EVANGELICAL (PROTESTANT) CHURCH, HAS BEEN BANNED IN EAST BERLIN AND THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ZONE OF GERMANY, THE EVENGELICAL PRESS OFFICE SAID TONIGHT.
THE PRESS OFFICE SAID COMMUNIST PEOPLE'S POLICE HAD ENTERED THE MARIENKIRCHE IN THE EASTERN SECTOR OF BERLIN YESTERDAY DURING CHURCH SERVICE AND REMOVED FROM THE WALL OF THAT CHURCH A COPY OF A PEACE RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE ALL-GERMAN EVANGELICAL SYNOD.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID BISHOP DIBELIUS IS STILL PERMITTED BY THE COMMUNIST POLICE TO PREACH IN PERSON IN THE RUSSIAN ZONE.
THE BISHOP IS CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF EVANGELICAL CHURCHES. HE HAS BEEN AT ODDS WITH THE COMMUNIST-CONTROLLED EAST GERMAN GOVERNMENT BECAUSE OF HIS RESISTANCE TO THE CONSCRIPTION OF PROTESTANT PASTORS INTO THE RED-DOMINATED "NATIONAL FRONT."
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BONN, GERMANY, AUG 28-(AP)-THE BRITISH, FRENCH AND UNITED STATES HIGH COMMISSIONERS FOR GERMANY PUBLISHED TODAY A NEW LAW DESIGNED TO BRING ABOUT THE FINAL BREAKUP OF THE OCTOPUS-LIKE I.G. FARBEN CHEMICAL EMPIRE, ONCE THE BIGGEST INDUSTRIAL CARTEL IN THE WORLD.
THE LAW PROVIDES THAT THE REMAINING DOMESTIC ASSETS OF FARBEN BE DISPERSED AMONG GERMAN COMPANIES SO THAT COMPETITION WILL BE PROMOTED IN THE CHEMICAL AND RELATED INDUSTRIES. FARBEN HAD BEEN ABLE TO STIFLE COMPETITION.
THE 169 PLANTS STILL UNDER WESTERN ALLIED JURISDICTION IN GERMANY AND BERLIN WILL BE SOLD TO INDEPENDENT GERMAN COMPANIES STILL TO BE FORMED OR TO EXISTING FARBEN SUBSIDIARIES, BUT THE MERGER OF ANY OF THE NEW COMPANIES IS PROHIBITED BY THE LAW UNLESS APPROVED BY THE ALLIED COMMISSION. ALL PERSONS CONVICTED OF WAR CRIMES OR OF HAVING PARTICIPATED IN PUSHING NAZI WAR AIMS ARE BARRED FROM ANY NEW COMPANIES.
THE ACTION PARALLELS THE DECENTRALIZATION OF GERMANY'S STEEL AND COAL COMBINES, ORDERED ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO.
THE BREAKUP OF FARBEN HAS BEEN IN THE BOOKS FOR FIVE YEARS, SINCE THE END OF THE WAR, WHEN RUSSIA HAD BEEN JOINED WITH THE WESTERN POWERS IN CONFISCATING THE TRUST'S ASSETS UNDER THE FOUR-POWER ALLIED CONTROL COUNCIL. WHEN THE COUNCIL BROKE UP, THE WESTERN POWERS PROCEEDED ON A THREE-POWER BASIS. THE RUSSIANS, MEANWHILE, SEIZED FOR REPARATIONS 45 PLANTS IN THEIR OCCUPATION ZONE, OR HANDED THE PLANTS TO THE EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT FOR SOCIALIZATION.
FARBEN, WHOSE DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN ASSETS RAN INTO BILLIONS OF DOLLARS, WAS A MIGHTY INDUSTRIAL WEAPON IN HITLER'S ARSENAL. THROUGH

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ITS CARTEL TIES AND INTERLOCKING DIRECTORATES, IT WAS ABLE TO GOBZLE UP RIVALS. ITS BREAKDOWN IS IN LINE WITH THE POLICY OF KEEPING GERMANY INDUSTRIALLY TOO WEAK TO THREATEN THE PEACE AGAIN.
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BONN, GERMANY, AUG. 28-(AP)-A RELIABLE BRITISH SOURCE SAID HERE TODAY BRITISH OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN TOLD TO LOOK FOR MORE BARRACKS FOR OCCUPATION TROOPS.
THIS AROUSED SPECULATION THAT A PLAN IS BEING DRAWN FOR QUICK HOUSING OF POSSIBLE ALLIED REINFORCEMENTS FOR WESTERN GERMANY. CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER HAS ASKED THAT MORE ALLIED FORCES BE ALLOTTED TO WESTERN GERMANY TO BALANCE SOVIET POWER.
THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE IN LONDON WOULD NOT COMMENT ON THE REPORT. NONE WAS AVAILABLE FROM THE WAR OFFICE.
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B16 HKUP (140)
LEIPZIG, GERMANY, AUG.28-(AP)-RED PROMOTION SPECIALISTS TOOK THE TRANDITION-STEEPED LEIPZIG FAIR INTO ITS SECOND DAY TODAY WITH APPEALS TO WEST GERMAN MERCHANTS TO "PROTECT THEIR INVESTMENTS" BY DEALING WITH THE EAST.
GERHARD EISLER, COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY'S PROPAGANDA CHIEF, BLANKETED THE ANNUAL FALL EXHIBIT WITH PRINTED DECLARATIONS THAT THE ALLIES ARE DRAINING WEST GERMAN RAW MATERIAL FOR WAR PREPARATION.
"SEND YOUR BUSINESS TO LEIPZIG AND HELP TO BUILD AN ECONOMY THAT IS BASED ON PEACE," THE NOTICES SAID.
THIS YEAR'S EXHIBIT, TITLED BY THE EAST ZONE GOVERNMENT AS THE "PEACE FAIR," PROMISES TO BE THE MOST ELABORATE SINCE THE WAR.
ROUSING CHEERS FROM A PICKED AUDIENCE GREETED THE EAST GERMAN REPUBLIC'S TWO TOP OFFICIALS, PRESIDENT WILHELM PIECK AND PRIME MINISTER OTTO GROTEWOHL, AS THEY OPENED THE FAIR. SCORES OF AMERICAN AND BRITISH BUSINESSMEN WERE ON HAND TO GET CONTRACTS WITH GERMAN FIRMS FOR MACHINERY, GLASS, PORCELAIN, LEATHER GOODS, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, JEWELRY AND TEXTILES.
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STUTTGART, GERMANY, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE WORLD CONGRESS OF LIBERAL INTERNATIONAL ADOPTED A RESOLUTION TODAY URGING A EUROPEAN UNION WITH GERMANY AS A "SOVEREIGN AND EQUAL MEMBER."
THE RESOLUTION APPROVED AT THE END OF A FIVE-DAY LIBERAL CONGRESS SAID GERMANY'S INCLUSION IS AN ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENT AND ANY DELAY "MAY PROVE TO BE DISASTROUS FOR THE SURVIVAL OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION."
THE CONGRESS HAS BEEN ATTENDED BY ABOUT 300 DELEGATES REPRESENTING LIBERAL PARTIES AND MOVEMENTS IN 28 COUNTRIES, INCLUDING EXILES FROM SEVERAL EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES UNDER COMMUNIST RULE.
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(720)
BY WILLIAM N. OATIS
PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 28-(AP)-SOME OF THE AMERICAN DELEGATES TO THE SECOND WORLD STUDENT CONGRESS WHICH ENDED HERELAST WEDNESDAY HAVE ACCUSED THE ASSOCIATED PRESS OF DISTRIBUTING DISTORTED AND INACCURATE REPORTS OF THE MEETINGS.
A LETTER TO THE AP OFFICE HERE WAS HEADED "STATEMENT OF THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION." THERE WERE THREE U.S. DELEGATIONS IN ATTENDANCE AT THE CONGRESS. CHESTER DAVIS, AN AMERICAN DELEGATE IDENTIFIED AS A STUDENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, SAID LAST NIGHT BY TELEPHONE THE LETTER WAS FROM THE DELEGATION OF THE COMMITTEE FOR INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION WHICH HE HEADS. HE DECLINED TO GIVE HIS UNITED STATES' ADDRESS OR NAME OTHER DELEGATION MEMBERS.
THE PASS OF THE AP CORRESPONDENT TO THE CONGRESS WAS REVOKED LAST MONDAY. AMERICAN DELEGATES TO THE CONGRESS HAVE BEEN MOST RETICENT IN GIVING STATEMENTS TO AMERICAN CORRESPONDENTS. THIS HAS RESULTED IN FAILURE TO OBTAIN SUCH PRIMARY INFORMATION AS HOME ADDRESSES AND IDENTIFICATION OF THE U.S. DELEGATES.
THE CONGRESS SAYS IT HAS NO POLITICAL AFFILIATION. ITS HEADQUARTERS HERE ISSUES ENDORSEMENTS OF THZ COMMUNIST-SPONSORED WORLD PEACE MOVEMENT.
THE COMPLAINING LETTER SAID THE DELEGATION NUMBERED 35. DEALING WITH A RESOLUTION ONSKOREA PASSED BY THE CONGRESS AUG. 17, IT SAID:
"THE PURPOSE OF THE RESOLUTION SECONDED BY THE U.S. DELEGATION WAS NOT AS THE AP REPORTED--TO BLAME THE UNITED STATES FOR THE KOREAN WAR -- BUT RATHER X X X TO BRING ABOUT AN IMMEDIATE PEACEFUL SOLUTION OF THE KOREAN QUESTION" THROUGH THE CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES AND WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN TROOPS.
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT ON THE RESOLUTION SAID IT DID CALL FOR AN END TO THE FIGHTING, BUT DID NOT SAY THAT IT WAS THE PRIMARY PURPOSE OF THE RESOLUTION. THE WORLD STUDENT NEWS, OFFICIAL CONGRESS NEWSPAPER, SAID THAT IN PASSING THE RESOLUTION THE CONGRESS HAD UNMASKED "THE BARBARIC ACTIONS OF THE AMERICAN INTERVENTIONISTS IN KOREA." A TEXTUAL VERSION OF THE RESOLUTION CARRIED IN THE COMINFORM JOURNAL INCLUDED THE PHRASES: "AMERICAN AGGRESSION IN KOREA" AND "CRIMINAL ACTS OF THE AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS IN KOREA."
THE LETTER SAID FURTHER THAT THE DELEGATION "DID NOT, AS THE AP REPORTED, CALL FOR AN END TO THE BRUTAL AMERICAN AGGRESSION IN KOREA, BUT SPECIFICALLY ASKED FOR THE END TO THE BOMBING OF CIVILIANS AND THE CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES."

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THE OFFICIAL CZECH NEWS AGENCY SAID THAT JOHN MARQUSEE, A STUDENT AT CORNELL UNIVERSITY, SPOKE OF "THE BRUTAL AMERICAN AGGRESSION" IN SECONDING THE RESOLUTION. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS PICKED UP THE PHRASE FROM THE CZECH AGENCY. THE COMINFORM JOURNAL, QUOTING MARQUSEE INDIRECTLY, SAID HE SPOKE OF "U.S. BRUTALITIES IN KOREA." DAVIS SAID THAT MARQUSEE WAS SPEAKING FOR THE DELEGATION. BUT HE MAINTAINED THAT HE COULD NOT RECALL THAT THE SPEAKER USED THE EXPRESSION ATTRIBUTED TO HIM BY THE CZECH NEWS AGENCY AND THE COMINFORM JOURNAL AND PICKED UP BY THE AP. WHEN IT WAS SUGGESTED THAT IN THAT CASE DAVIS SHOULD ALSO POINT OUT THE INACCURACY TO THE CZECH AGENCY AND THE COMINFORM JOURNAL, HE SAID THAT WAS NO CONCERN OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. MARQUSEE HIMSELF, QUESTIONED BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT TWO DAYS AFTER HE SPOKE, WOULD NEITHER CONFIRM NOR DENY HE USED THE EXPRESSION. (HIS MOTHER, MRS. JACK MARQUSEE, LIVES AT 980 BENTON AVE., WOODMERE, N.Y. SHE SAID HER SON, A SENIOR IN THE CORNELL SCHOOL OF INDUSTRIAL AND LABOR RELATIONS, WENT TO PRAGUE AS AN OBSERVER FOR CORNELL STUDENT GROUPS.)
A THIRD COMPLAINT IN THE LETTER SAID THE RESOLUTION "WAS NOT INTRODUCED AS THE AP REPORTED 'BY A NORTH KOREAN LIEUTENANT COLONEL,' BUT RATHER BY KIM BONG UN, A SOUTH KOREAN PHILOSOPHY STUDENT."
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS WAS IN ERROR IN REPORTING THAT LT. COL. KAN BUK INTRODUCED THE RESOLUTION, HAVING BEEN MISINFORMED BY EYE-WITNESSES. OTHER SOURCES AGREE THAT IT WAS SOMEONE ELSE WHO INTRODUCED THE

RESOLUTION.
THE LETTER CHARGED THAT AP COVERAGE OF THE CONGRESS "TENDS GENERALLY THROUGH OMISSIONS AND INSINUATIONS, TO BE A DISTORTION OF BOTH THE CONGRESS AND THE POSITION OF THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION IN IT." IT ADDED THAT THE AP "HAS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF IMMEDIATELY MAKING THE APPROPRIATE CORRECTIONS."
DAVIS GAVE NO EXAMPLES TO SUPPORT THIS CHARGE, AND NEITHER DID THE LETTER.
THE COMMUNICATION CONCLUDED BY ACCUSING THE ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONDENT OF IRRESPONSIBILITY IN RELYING "ON SECONDARY SOURCES AND HEARSAY FOR HIS OFFICIAL DISPATCHES."
"WE WISH TO POINT OUT," SAID THE LETTER, "THAT NOBODY IN THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION WAS APPROACHED FOR INFORMATION UNTIL AFTER THE DISPATCH OF AUG. 17 ALREADY HAD BEEN RELEASED."
THE AP CORRESPONDENT WAS UNABLE TO GET A PASS TO THE CONGRESS UNTIL AFTER THE AMERICAN DELEGATE ALREADY HAD SPOKEN. A WEEK BEFORE THE CONGRESS OPENED THE AP CORRESPONDENT TRIED TO REACH HALSTEAD HOLMAN, LATER IDENTIFIED BY DAVIS AS A MEMBER OF HIS DELEGATION, BY TELEPHONE AND THROUGH THE PRESS OFFICE OF THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF STUDENTS. HE FAILED. ON THE OPENING DAY OF THE CONGRESS THREE MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN DELEGATION WERE POINTED OUT TO THE CORRESPONDENT OUTSIDE THE GATE TO THE CONVENTION GROUNDS. WHEN HE TRIED TO QUESTION THEM THEY HURRIED INSIDE. LATER THE AP CORRESPONDENT'S PASS WAS WITHDRAWN ENTIRELY.
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A14
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PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE CZECH NEWS AGENCY LAST NIGHT REPORTED 12 FORMER BULGARIAN OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN SENTENCED IN SOFIA TO PRISON TERMS FOR ANTI-STATE ACTIVITIES.
THE AGENCY SAID THE DEFENDANTS WERE LINKED DURING THEIR SIX-DAY TRIAL WITH THE "ANGLO-AMERICAN ESPIONAGE SERVICES." THEIR SENTENCES RANGED FROM EIGHT YEARS TO LIFE.
THOSE RECEIVING LIFE SENTENCES WERE BONU PETROVSKI, FORMER DEPUTY MINISTER OF FOREIGN TRADE, AND LUBOMIR KAIRAKOV, FORMER DEPUTY MINISTER OF ELECTRIFICATION. BOTH WERE ACCUSED OF PLOTTING TO "REMOVE THE LATE COMMUNIST PREMIER GEORGI DIMITROV AND HIS SUCCESSOR, THE LATE VASSIL KOLAROV.
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BY ALEX SINGLETON
BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, AUG.28-(AP)-A TRIAL OF FIVE PERSONS CHARGED WITH GIVING YUGOSLAV ATOMIC ENERGY SECRETS TO RUSSIA WAS SUDDENLY AND INDEFINITELY POSTPONED ON ITS OPENING DAY TODAY BECAUSE OF NEW EVIDENCE FOUND STUFFED IN A CHIMNEY.
THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR HAD JUST FINISHED DRAGGING FROM THE CHIEF DEFENDANT, RISTA ILIC, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS AT BELGRADE UNIVERSITY, THE ADMISSION THAT SOME OF THE CHARGES AGAINST HIM WERE TRUE. AT FIRST HE HAD PLEADED INNOCENT.
ON TRIAL WITH THE 37-YEAR-OLD MATHEMATICIAN, WHO SAID HE HAD BEEN WORKING PRIVATELY ON ATOMIC ENERGY PROBLEMS AND GIVING THEM TO THE RUSSIANS, WERE HIS WIFE, LJUBICA; HIS BROTHER, DJORDJE; A WHITE RUSSIAN WITH SOVIET CITIZENSHIP NAMED MIHAIL KARAGEORGIJEV; AND SLAVKO KRBALJEVIC, EMPLOYED IN THE GENERAL DIRECTORATE OF THE YUGOSLAV METAL INDUSTRY.
ILIC WAS STILL ON THE STAND WHEN THE PROSECUTOR, BRANKO SINZAR, GOT UP AND ASKED THE COURT TO POSTPONE THE TRIAL TO GIVE THE STATE MORE TIME TO INVESTIGATE SECRET DOCUMENTS FOUND IN THE CHIMNEY OF ILIC'S HOME.
THE READING OF THE CHARGES THAT ILIC GAVE THE RESULTS OF IS OWN WORK ON ATOMIC RESEARCH TO THE RUSSIAN EMBASSY HERE WAS THE FIRST PUBLIC INDICATION THAT THE YUGOSLAVS WERE ENGAGED IN SUCH WORK.
ILIC WAS SAID IN THE INDICTMENT TO HAVE MADE CONTACT WITH A SECRETARY IN THE RUSSIAN EMBASSY, ILIJA POPOV, IN JANUARY.
THE OFFICIAL YUGOSLAV NEWS AGENCY TANJUG SAID HE WAS GIVEN THE TASK OF DELIVERING TO THE SOVIET INTELLIGENCE THE RESULTS OF HIS WORK ON ATOMIC ENERGY. HE WAS SAID TO HAVE ENLISTED THE AID OF THE OTHERS IN OBTAINING OTHER STATE SECRETS, INCLUDING INDUSTRIAL INFORMATION AND THE POLITICAL SITUATION IN THE UNIVERSITY.
ILIC WAS CHARGED WITH HANDING HIS SPY REPORTS TO THE WHITE RUSSIAN TO BE TRANSMITTED TO THE RUSSIAN EMBASSY. THE SPYING ACTIVITIES OF THE GROUP WERE SAID TO HAVE CONTINUED FROM JANUARY TO APRIL OF THIS YEAR. IT WAS NOT REVEALED WHEN THEY WERE ARRESTED.
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A58
(150)
MOSCOW, AUG.28-(AP)-RUSSIA TODAY ANNOUNCED A SECOND PROTEST AGAINST GENERAL MACARTHUR'S POLICY OF CLEMENCY FOR JAPANESE WAR CRIMINALS.
THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS SAID A RUSSIAN NOTE OF PROTEST HAD BEEN DELIVERED TO THE U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT FRIDAY IN WASHINGTON.
MACARTHUR, THE NOTE SAID, IN SETTING UP A PAROLE SYSTEM FOR THE WAR CRIMINALS "EXCEEDED HIS PREROGATIVES AND VIOLATED AGREED-UPON DECISIONS CONCERNING JAPAN."
THE NOTE DEMANDED THAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT RESCIND MACARTHUR'S CLEMENCY DECREE OF LAST MARCH 7.
RUSSIA FIRST PROTESTED THE PAROLE SYSTEM ON MAY 2. THE STATE DEPARTMENT FORMALLY REJECTED THE PROTEST ON JUNE 8, COUNTERING THAT MACARTHUR AS SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER HAD FULL AUTHORITY FOR HIS ACTION. THE PAROLE SYSTEM, THE U.S. NOTE SAID ALSO, WAS "IN ACCORDANCE WITH ENLIGHTENED PRACTICE IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES."
OBSERVERS HERE SAW IN THE LATEST RUSSIAN NOTE AN INDICATION THAT THE SOVIET UNION ALSO MAY PROTEST THE RECENT LIBERATION OF SUCH CONVI(ED GERMAN WAR CRIMINALS AS FORMER STEEL BARON FRIEDRICH FLICK AND OTT(DIETRICH, HITLER'S PRESS CHIEF.
JAILED FOR SEVEN-YEAR SENTENCES, THEY AND 17 OTHER WAR CRIMINALS WERE RELEASED LAST FRIDAY AFTER SERVING TWO-THIRDS OF THEIR SENTENCES. CLEMENCY WAS GRANTED AS A REWARD FOR GOOD BEHAVIOR, THE AMERICANS ANNOUNCED.
THE SOVIET PRESS HAS DESCRIBED THE LIBERATION OF THESE GERMAN WAR CRIMINALS AS A STEP TOWARDS THE REESTABLISHMENT OF FASCISM IN WESTERN GERMANY.
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B35 (Q)
MOSCOW, AUG. 28-(AP)-PRAVDA'S AMERICAN CORRESPONDENTS REPORTED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES IS "RAPIDLY MOVING TOWARD FASCISM."
"A THICK BROWN SHADOW HANGS OVER THE UNITED STATES. AMERICA IS ROLLING TOWARD FASCISM," SAID A DISPATCH IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY NEWSPAPER.
"BEHIND THE TERROR," THE DISPATCH CONTINUED, "THERE IS HIDDEN THE STRIVING OF THE RULING CIRCLES TO SUPPRESS OPPOSITION WHICH IS GROWING AMONG THE PEOPLE TOWARDS WALL STREET'S AGGRESSIVE POLICY."
CHARGING THAT U.S. REACTIONARIES WERE TRYING TO STRIP THE AMERICAN COMMUNIST PARTY OF ITS LEADERSHIP. THE DISPATCH SAID THE "PERSECUTION

OF THE COMMUNIST LEADERS IS CONNECTED WITH BROAD PLANS FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE DEMOCRATIC MOVEMENT IN THE UNITED STATES."
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B37 (Q)
COLOMBO, CEYLON, AUG.28-(AP)-THE CEYLONESE COMMUNICATIONS MINISTER'S OBJECTION TO U.S. ANTI-COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA IS DELAYING NEGOTIATIONS FOR VOICE OF AMERICA BROADCASTS OVER POWERFUL RADIO CEYLON.
A BROADCASTING OFFICIAL SAID MINISTER C.SITTAM PALAM OPPOSED BRITAIN SUBLETTING AIR TIME TO THE VOICE. BRITAIN IS ALLOTTED EIGHT HOURS TIME ON RADIO CEYLON. THE MINISTRY INSISTS "THE VOICE" BUY FROM CEYLON ON "SEMI-COMMERCIAL TERMS."
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AUG 29 1950
MACARTHUR
BY SPENCER MOOSA
TAIPEI,FORMOSA, TUESDAY, AUG. 29-(AP)-GENERAL MACARTHUR'S NOW-CANCELLED STATEMENT TO THE U. S. VETERANS OF FOREIGN WAR ON FORMOSA GAVE NATIONALIST MORALE HERE A BOOST TODAY.
THE CANCELLATION WAS A LETDOWN BUT MUCH OF THE ORIGINAL EFFECT PERSISTED.
A SUMMARY OF MACARTHUR'S ADVANCE MESSAGE WAS INTERCEPTED BY RADIO MONITORS IN TAIPEI. TRANSLATED COPIES WERE SENT TO PRESIDENT CHIANG KAI SHEK AND OTHER HIGH OFFICIALS.
OFFICIALLY, NATIONALISTS WOULD NOT COMMENT, BUT UNOFFICIALLY IT WAS POINTED OUT THAT BOTH CHINESE COMMUNIST AND RUSSIAN RADIO MONITORS PROBABLY ALSO HAD HEARD THE ADVANCE MOVEMENT OF THE STATEMENT.
TAIPEI OFFICIALS REGARD CHINESE COMMUNIST INVOLVEMENT IN THE KOREAN FIGHTING AS ALMOST A CERTAINTY. THEY SAY RED CHARGES THAT AMERICAN PLANES ATTACKED TERRITORY IN MANCHURIA WERE A PRETEXT TO JUSTIFY SUCH PARTICIPATION ON THE GROUND THEY WERE PROTECTING THEIR OWN TERRITORY FROM AGGRESSION.
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AUG 29 1950
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APW (140)
HONG KONG,AUG 28 (AP)-AN OFFICIAL OF THE FRENCH TRAMWAY CO. SAID TODAY THE SHANGHAI UTILIITY CONCESSION WAS LOSING SEVERAL THOUSAND MILLION JEN MIN PIAO DOLLARS MONTHLY.
ABOUT 30,000 JMP DOLLARS EQUAL $1.
THE OFFICIAL, WHO ARRIVED FROM SHANGHAI, DECLINED TO PERMIT USE OF HIS NAME. HE SAID:
THE COMPANY, WHICH OPERATES TRAMS, BUSES, ELECTRICITY AND WATER UTILITIES IN THE OLD FRENCH CONCESSION IN SHANGHAI, IS PAYING MUCH OF ITS INCOME IN TAXES.
TAXES MUST BE PAID ABOUT EVERY 10 DAYS.
THE COMPANY CUT ITS STAFF OF FOREIGNERS FROM 50 TO 15, AND IS REPLACING THEM WITH CHINESE REDS, WHO WORK FOR LESS.
THERE ARE ABOUT 150 FRENCH NATIONALS IN SHANGHAI COMPARED WITH 2,000 BEFORE THE REDS SEIZED THE CITY. THE FRENCH CONSULATE IS FUNCTIONING UNOFFICIALLY.
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NIGHT LEAD ISRAEL
AUG 29 1950
BY LARRY ALLEN
TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG.28-(AP)-PANIC BUYING AND HOARDING OF CURRENCY APPEARED TONIGHT TO BE PUSHING ISRAEL DEEP INTO ITS WORST ECONOMIC CRISIS SINCE THE LITTLE JEWISH STATE WAS ESTABLISHED.
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MANY ISRAELIS ARE CROWDING INTO STORES IN PANIC BUYING, FEARING A RECENT GOVERNMENT ORDER RATIONING CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR MIGHT SOON BE EXTENDED TO EVERY COMMODITY.
HEAVY BANK WITHDRAWALS OF SAVINGS ARE CONTINUING. OFFICIALS SAID IN A SINGLE WEEK WITHDRAWALS AMOUNTED TO $5,600,000. THE CIRCULATION OF ISRAELI CURRENCY IS NOW AT A PEAK OF OVER $180,000,000--A RISE OF $26,000,000 SINCE LAST MAY.
THE TEL AVIV EXCHANGE TODAY TERMINATED INDEFINITELY ALL DEALINGS IN FOREIGN CURRENCY AFTER THE PRICE OF THE BRITISH GOLD SOVEREIGN SHOT UP FROM A NORMAL NINE TO 15 ISRAELI POUNDS.
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BUT BUSINESSMEN APPEARED NOT SERIOUSLY WORRIED. THEY SAID PANIC BUYERS WOULD EVENTUALLY RUN OUT OF MONEY. THEY EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE AMERICAN JEWS WOULD GIVE MORE HELP TO STABILIZE THE NATION'S ECONOMY AND THE GOVERNMENT WOULD SOON ACT TO HALT THE RISING BLACKMARKET.
PREMIER DAVID BEN GURION SENT OUT A DISTRESS CALL FOR AMERICAN ADVISERS ON HOW TO WIN THE ECONOMIC BATTLE. A GROUP OF 40 OR MORE LEADING AMERICAN JEWS ARE FLYING HERE FROM THE UNITED STATES TO CONFER WITH THE PREMIER NEXT SUNDAY.
THE OVERALL PLAN IS TO RAISE $1,680,000,000 WHICH, BEN GURION SAYS, IS NEEDED IN THE NEXT THREE YEARS TO SETTLE 700,000 MORE JEWS IN ISRAEL AND MAKE THIS A SELF-SUPPORTING NATION. JACOB BLAUSTEIN OF BALTIMORE, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE, SAID YESTERDAY AMERICAN JEWS WOULD CONTRIBUTE GENEROUSLY TOWARDS THE OBJECTIVE.
THE FINANCE MINISTRY DECLARED THE INCREASE OF MONEY IN CIRCULATION WAS NOT INFLATION. IT SAID THE RELEASE OF SUMMER CLOTHING COUPONS CAUSED THE PEOPLE TO DRAW HEAVILY ON THEIR BANK ACCOUNTS. THE MINISTRY BLAMED "FALSE REPORTS" IN THE SWISS PRESS FOR TOUCHING OFF A RUN ON THE BANKS. "THE PANIC AMONG THE PEOPLE IS COMPLETELY UNFOUNDED," THE MINISTRY STATEMENT SAID.
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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG. 28-(AP)-FOUR ISRAELI SOLDIERS WERE KILLED WHEN THEIR MILITARY VEHICLE STRUCK A MINE ON THE BEIT JIBRIN HIGHWAY SOUTHWEST OF JERUSALEM, ARMY AUTHORITIES SAID TODAY. AS A RESULT ISRAELI SOLDIERS WERE ORDERED TO HALT ALL WORK MARKING THE ISRAELI-JORDAN BORDER IN COOPERATION WITH JORDAN PATROLS, THE AUTHORITIESS SAID.
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TEL AVIV, ISRAEL, AUG. 28-(AP)-A U.S. ZIONIST LEADER SAYS AMERICAN JEWRY WILL HELP ISRAEL OUT OF HER ECONOMIC PLIGHT BY BACKING PREMIER DAVID BENGURION'S PLAN TO SETTLE 600,000 MORE JEWS HERE.
JACOB BLAUSTEIN OF BALTIMORE, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE (AJC), SAID HIS ORGANIZATION WOULD HELP RAISE THE $1,680,000,000 NEEDED FOR THE SETTLEMENT PROGRAM AND TO HELP ISRAEL ATTAIN NATIONAL FOOD SELF-SUFFICIENCY.
BLAUSTEIN LEFT LAST NIGHT BY PLANE FOR SWITZERLAND TO CONFER WITH DR. CHAIM WEIZMANN, WHO IS THERE FOR HIS HEALTH.
ISRAEL'S GRAVE ECONOMIC SITUATION HAS BROUGHT DEMANDS FROM THE GENERAL ZIONIST PARTY FOR AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF PARLIAMENT, NOW IN RECESS UNTIL NOV. 16.
THE GENERAL ZIONISTS, WHO HAVE A BLOC OF SEVEN MEMBERS IN PARLIAMENT, DECLARED THE GOVERNMENT MUST ACT TO HALT "PANIC BUYING AND THE HOARDING OF CURRENCY."
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B18 (Q)
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JERUSALEM,AUG.28-(AP)-FIVE YOUNG MEMBERS OF AN AMERICAN ORGANIZATION KNOWN AS "EXPERIMENT IN INTERNATIONAL LIVING" HAVE COMPLETED THEIR TWO-MONTH STUDENT-TOURIST VISIT TO ISRAEL.
THE FIVE--THREE GIRLS AND TWO BOYS--LIVED WITH JEWISH FAMILIES HERE, TOURED THE COUNTRY AND WORKED ON NEWLY-FOUNDED COOPERATIVE FARMS. THEY WERE SENT AS REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ORGANIZATION WHICH HAS ITS HEADQUARTERS IN PUTNEY, VT. FOUNDED IN 1932 BY DONALD B.WATT, IT SENT 500 YOUNG AMERICANS THIS YEAR TO LIVE WITH FAMILIES IN COUNTRIES IN SOUTH AMERICA, WESTERN AND CENTRAL EUROPE AND--FOR THE FIRST TIME--THE MIDDLE EAST.
LEADER OF THE GROUP WHICH CAME TO ISRAEL IS JEROME BOGDEN, 21, OF 722 CHALFONT PLACE, CINCINNATI, O., A STUDENT AT DARTMOUTH COLLEGE, N.H.
THE OTHERS ARE:
IRENE GREEN, 23, OF 2633 NORTH SECOND AVE., HARRISBURG, PA., A PHYSICAL TRAINING TEACHER IN THE HARRISBURG-NEW CUMBERLAND HIGH SCHOOL.
BARBARA FOSTER, 29, OF 51 GRAND AVE., GLENS FALLS,N.Y., AN ORDAINED MINISTER SPECIALIZING IN EDUCATION IN THE GLENS FALLS PROTESTANT CHURCH.
MIRIAM LEWIN, 18, OF 825 STANTON AVE., ELIZABETH,N.J., A MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY LIBERAL ARTS STUDENT.
LLOYD GARRISON, 19, OF 133 EAST 66TH STREET, NEW YORK CITY, WHO IS ENROLLED AT HARVARD UNIVERSITY BUT PLANS TO SPEND SOME TIME IN THE MIDDLE EAST.
THE VISITORS, WELL SCREENED BY THE ORGANIZATION, WERE SENT TO HOMES CHOSEN BY THE "EXPERIMENTERS'" HONORARY REPRESENTATIVE IN ISRAEL, MRS.RICHAEL SCHWARTZ. THEY WERE FAMILIES OF A LAWYER, A DOCTOR, A BANKER

ISRAEL, MRS.RACHEL SCHWARTZ. THEY WERE FAMILIES OF A LAWYER, A DOCTOR, A BANKER, A BUSINESSMAN AND A HIGH-RANKING ARMY OFFICER.
THE YOUNG AMERICANS PAID A $1,000 FEE APIECE FOR THEIR TRIP, WHICH INCLUDED THE $560 ROUNDTRIP PLANE FARE.
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CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA, AUG. 28-(AP)-PRIME MINISTER ROBERT G.MENZIES TODAY URGED AUSTRALIA TO BOOST MILITARY PREPAREDNESS AGAINST COMMUNIST AGGRESSION, PROMOTE NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND FIGHT INFLATION.
BACK FROM A MISSION ABROAD DURING WHICH HE OBTAINED A $100,000,000 U.S. LOAN FOR DEVELOPMENT OF THE COUNTRY, MENZIES SAID THE LESSON OF THE KOREAN WAR WAS THAT DEMOCRATIC PEOPLES MUST BE READY TO DEFEND THEMSELVES.
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A73 (210)
NIGHT LEAD PLANES
OTTAWA, AUG.28-(AP)-CANADA IS ORDERING MORE THAN $200,000,000(M) WORTH OF JET FIGHTER PLANES AND SHARPLY BROADENING HER GROWING AIR TRAINING PROGRAM.
DEFENSE MINISTER BROOKE CLAXTON ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT AN ORDER "CONSIDERABLY IN EXCESS OF $100,000,000(M)" IS BEING PLACED WITH CANADIAN LTD. OF MONTREAL FOR THE PRODUCTION OF MORE THAN 200 F-86A SABRES, SHORT-RANGE DAY FIGHTERS.
OTHER OFFICIAL QUARTERS SAID AN ORDER OF THE SAME MAGNITUDE IS BEING PLACED WITH A.V.ROE OF CANADA, LTD., IN TORONTO, FOR SCORES OF THE CF-100 CANUCK, THE LONG-RANGE NIGHT FIGHTER AND ALL-WEATHER PLANE.
THE EXPANSION OF FIGHTER SQUADRONS IS EXPECTED TO MAKE CANADA THE THIRD OR FOURTH AIR POWER AMONG THE ATLANTIC PACT NATIONS. IN QUALITY, HER SQUADRONS ARE EXPECTED TO BE UNSURPASSED.
BY NEXT YEAR THIS COUNTRY WILL BE TRAINING ANNUALLY MORE THAN 300 AIR CREWS FOR HER ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES AND CONSIDERABLY MORE FOR HERSELF. THIS WILL MARK THE BEGINNING OF A PROGRAM THAT MAY BE CONSIDERABLY BROADENED IN THE COMING MONTHS. ARRANGEMENTS ALREADY HAVE BEEN COMPLETED FOR R A F PILOTS AND NAVIGATORS TO START ARRIVING HERE FROM BRITAIN JAN.15, 1951, IN BATCHES OF 25 EACH WEEK.
TO TIDE THE ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE OVER UNTIL THE NEW CANADIAN PLANES ARE BEING PRODUCED ON A FULL SCALE NEXT YEAR, 100 PROPELLOR-DRIVEN MUSTANG FIGHTERS ARE BEING PURCHASED FROM THE UNITED STATES. A THIRD REGULAR FIGHTER SQUADRON IS BEING SET UP IN EASTERN CANADA IMMEDIATELY.
THE MANPOWER CEILING FOR AIR CADETS IS BEING BOOSTED BY 50 PER CENT FROM 15,000 TO 22,500.
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OTTAWA, AUG 28-(AP)-DEFENSE MINISTER BROOKE CLAXTON ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR THE ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE TO TRAIN BRITISH RAF PILOTS AND NAVIGATORS IN CANADA. THIS COUNTRY IS ALREADY TRAINING 100 AIR CREW CANDIDATES FROM FRANCE, THE NETHERLANDS, BELGIUM, ITALY AND NORWAY--ALL ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES.
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FAIRBANKS, ALASKA, AUG 28-(AP)-GROUND AND AIR TROOPS OF FAR NORTH INSTALLATIONS TODAY BEGAN A GRIM GAME OF ALL-OUT DEFENSE.
THE TRAINING EXERCISE, DUBBED "DUTCH DOOR," IS BELIEVED TO BE THE LARGEST SCALE MANEUVER STAGED BY ALASKA MILITARY UNITS. IT WILL LAST UNTIL SEPT. 16.
BRIG. GEN. DAVID H. BAKER, COMMANDER OF THE 5001ST COMPOSITE WING AT LADD AIR FORCE BASE, DESCRIBED THE PROBLEM THIS WAY:
THE TOWN OF NOME, WHICH HANGS ON THE EDGE OF THE ARCTIC CIRCLE JUST ACROSS THE BERING STRAITS FROM SIBERIA, WAS "CAPTURED BY THE ENEMY AUG. 15." GALENA AND MCGRATH, INLAND POINTS ON THE YUKON RIVER, SUBSEQUENTLY FELL TO SMALL AIRBORNE DETACHMENTS AUG. 18.
UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE PROBLEM, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES PROCLAIMED MARTIAL LAW IN THE TERRITORY ON THE DAY OF GALENA'S FALL.
THE ENEMY THEN BEGAN THE STRENGTHENING OF FIGHTER, TROOP CARRIER AND AIRBORNE UNITS IN THE PREPARATIONS FOR AN ASSAULT UPON LADD AND EIELSON AIR BASES.
TAKING THE PROBLEM THERE, LADD AND EIELSON UNITS WILL TRY TO WARD OFF THE THEORETICAL ASSAULT.
ARMY COMBAT TROOPS STATIONED AT LADD AND FORT RICHARDSON WILL ACT THE PART OF AGGRESSOR UNITS. THEY WILL WEAR GREEN UNIFORMS, HELMETS OF AN UNUSUAL DESIGN AND WILL CARRY BLANK AMMUNITION. PARACHUTE DUMMIES WILL BE DROPPED DURING THE MANEUVERS TO REPRESENT ENEMY

FORCES.
PLANS FOR THE DEFENSE HAVE BEEN CAREFULLY CORELATED BY GEN. BAKER AND COL. WILLIAM EADS, EIELSON AIR BASE COMMANDER.
LOCKHEED F-94'S, ONE OF THE AIR FORCE'S NEWEST JET FIGHTERS, WILL MAKE ITS INITIAL APPEARANCE IN THE MOCK OPERATIONS. THEY WILL BE SUPPORTED BY F-80 SHOOTING STARS AND F-82 ALL-WEATHER FIGHTERS.
LADD AND EIELSON PERSONNEL WILL BE RESTRICTED TO THEIR BASES DURING THE OPERATION EXCEPT FOR BRIEF INTERIM PERIODS.
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AUG 30 1950

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NIGHT LEAD MACARTHUR-FORMOSA
BY ROGER D.GREENE
WASHINGTON, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE WHITE HOUSE SAID TODAY PRESIDENT TRUMAN PERSONALLY ORDERED GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR TO WITHDRAW A STATEMENT ON THE DELICATE FORMOSA ISSUE BECAUSE IT CONFUSED THE AMERICAN POSITION.
IN IT, MACARTHUR DECLARED FORMOSA IS VITAL TO AMERICA'S FAR EAST DEFENSES AND MUST REMAIN IN NON-COMMUNIST HANDS.
TO KEEP THE RECORD STRAIGHT, THE PRESIDENT SET FORTH THE OFFICIAL AMERICAN POLICY--THE U.S. HAS NO DESIGNS ON FORMOSA; WE ARE GUARDING IT TO KEEP THE WAR FROM SPREADING, AND ITS FUTURE AS A FORMER JAPANESE TERRITORY IS A SUBJECT FOR INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENT.
THE ADMINISTRATION HAS TAKEN PAINS TO PREVENT THE APPEARANCE OF ANY "IMPERIALISTIC" DESIGNS ON ASIATIC TERRITORY WHICH COMMUNIST PROPAGANDA MIGHT SEIZE UPON. AT THE SAME TIME, IT HAS BUCKED A POWERFUL SEGMENT OF OPINION IN CONGRESS THAT STRONGER MEASURES SHOULD BE TAKEN IN FORMOSA.
MAC ARTHUR COMPLIED WITH THE PRESIDENTIAL ORDER, BUT HIS VIEWS QUICKLY WERE PLACED ON PUBLIC RECORD IN CONGRESS BY REPUBLICAN MEMBERS.
PRESIDENTIAL PRESS SECRETARY CHARLES G.ROSS SAID MR.TRUMAN ORDERED THE STATEMENT WITHDRAWN "TO AVOID CONFUSION AS TO THE UNITED STATES POSITION."
ANOTHER WHITE HOUSE AUTHORITY EMPHASIZED THERE COULD BE "ONLY ONE VOICE" IN SETTING FORTH THIS COUNTRY'S POLICIES; MEANING THE PRESIDENT
THE TRUMAN ORDER SERVED TO SPOTLIGHT A BREACH BETWEEN HIGH MILITARY AND CIVILIAN LEVELS IN THE ADMINISTRATION ON U.S. POLICY IN THE FAR PACIFIC--A SCHISM VIRTUALLY UNPARALLELED SINCE PRESIDENT LINCOLN'S CIVIL WAR TROUBLES WITH HIS GENERALS AND CABINET MEMBERS.

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ON CAPITOL HILL, A STORM OF REPUBLICAN PROTEST ROLLED UP AND CONRESSIONAL DEMANDS MULTIPLIED FOR ALL-OUT DEFENSE OF FORMOSA, THE LAST STRONGHOLD OF GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S CHINESE NATIONALIST REGIME, AGAINST THE THREAT OF INVASION BY CHINESE COMMUNISTS.
CRITICISM OF THE MACARTHUR POLICY STATEMENT WAS NOTABLY LACKING.
HOWEVER, SENATE MAJORITY LEADER LUCAS (D-ILL) COMMENTED BRIEFLY TONIGHT:
"GENERAL MACARTHUR IS DOING A WONDERFUL JOB, BUT IT IS MY UNDERSTANDING THAT THE PRESIDENT IS COMMANDER IN CHIEF AND MAKES THE POLICIES."
SENATOR WHERRY OF NEBRASKA, SENATE GOP FLOOR LEADER, DENOUNCED THE PRESIDENT'S ACTION AS "OUTRAGEOUS" AND DECLARED IN A STATEMENT:
"GENERAL MACARTHUR KNOWS MORE ABOUT WHAT NEEDS TO BE DONE IN THE FAR EAST TO CORRECT THE MISTAKES OF SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON THAN ANYONE IN THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION."
WHERRY URGED THAT MACARTHUR, NOW BUSY DIRECTING THE KOREAN WAR EFFORT, MAKE A RADIO ADDRESS FROM TOKYO, AND THE SENATOR COMMENTED:
"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAVE COMPLETE CONFIDENCE IN GENERAL MACARTHUR'S JUDGMENT. LET'S HEAR FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR AND WOE TO HIM WHO DARES SAY HE SHALL NOT SPEAK."
DEMOCRATIC SENATOR MCCARRAN OF NEVADA EXPRESSED A SIMILAR VIEW.
DECLARING THAT MACARTHUR'S VIEWS SHOULD BE "MADE KNOWN TO EVERY AMERICAN," MCCARRAN TOLD NEWSMEN:
"THERE IS A MAN WHO IS ON THE GROUND AND KNOWS WHAT HE IS TALKING ABOUT. HE HAS THE CONFIDENCE OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."
SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) ACCUSED THE ADMINISTRATION OF "GAGGING" MACARTHUR. HE SAID THE PRESIDENT'S ORDER WAS "ANOTHER IN THE LONG SERIES OF EFFORTS TO KEEP THE TRUTH FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."
KNOWLAND ALSO CHARGED THAT SECRETARY ACHESON AND SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE OF THE UNITED NATIONS ARE "NOW PREPARING FOR ANOTHER MUNICH WITH THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA AND THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA AS THE PAWNS."
THIS WAS A REFERENCE TO THE LATE BRITISH PRIME MINISTER NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN'S ILL-STARRED ATTEMPT TO NEGOTIATE PEACE WITH HITLER AT MUNICH SHORTLY BEFORE THE OUTBREAK OF WORLD WAR II.
MACARTHUR HAD EXPRESSED HIS VIEWS ON FORMOSA IN A LONG MESSAGE SENT LAST WEEK TO THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS FOR RELEASE TODAY AT THE VFW'S 51ST ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT IN CHICAGO.
THE VFW PUT OUT ADVANCE COPIES OF MACARTHUR'S TEXT AND AT LEAST ONE MAGAZINE, THE U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, HAD PRINTED THE TEXT IN ITS CURRENT ISSUE PUT IN THE MAILS ON SATURDAY.

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IN HIS MESSAGE, MACARTHUR PICTURED FORMOSA AS ONE OF THE KEYSTONES OF A VAST ISLAND DEFENSE CHAIN FROM WHICH AMERICAN AIR POWER, HE SAID, COULD "DOMINATE EVERY ASIATIC PORT FROM VLADIVOSTOK SINGAPORE AND PREVENT ANY HOSTILE MOVEMENT INTO THE PACIFIC."
"IF WE HOLD THIS LINE," MACARTHUR SAID, "WE MAY HAVE PEACE

--LOSE IT AND WAR IS INEVITABLE."
THE GENERAL WENT ON TO SAY THAT FORMOSA, LYING 100 MILES OFF THE COAST OF RED CHINA, IS GEOGRAPHICALLY SO SITUATED THAT "IN THE HAND OF A POWER UNFRIENDLY TO THE UNITED STATES IT CONSTITUTES AN ENEMY SALIENT IN THE VERY CENTER OF THIS (AMERICAN) DEFENSIVE PERIMETER."
IN HOSTILE HANDS, HE SAID, "ITS MILITARY POTENTIAL WOULD AGAIN BE FULLY EXPLOITED AS THE MEANS TO BREACH AND NEUTRALIZE OUR WESTERN PACIFIC DEFENSE SYSTEM AND MOUNT A WAR OF CONQUEST AGAINST THE FREE NATIONS OF THE PACIFIC BASIN."
THEN, IN AN ALLUSION SEEMINGLY DIRECTED AT STATE DEPARTMENT POLICY, MACARTHUR CONTINUED:
"NOTHING COULD BE MORE FALLACIOUS THAN THE THREADBARE ARGUMENT BY THOSE WHO ADVOCATE APPEASEMENT AND DEFEATISM IN THE PACIFIC THAT IF WE DEFEND FORMOSA WE ALIENATE CONTINENTAL ASIA."
MACARTHUR'S INSISTENCE THAT FORMOSA REMAIN IN FRIENDLY HANDS VEERED SHARPLY FROM THE ADMINISTRATION'S DELCARED POLICY THAT FORMOSA'S FUTURE MUST BE SETTLED ON THE INTERNATIONAL LEVEL AS TERRITORY TAKEN FROM JAPAN.
ON JUNE 27, TWO DAYS AFTER THE OUTBREAK OF THE KOREAN WAR, PRESIDENT TRUMAN DISPATCHED THE U.S. 7TH FLEET TO PROTECT FORMOSA AND KEEP THE CONFLICT FROM SPREADING TO ENDANGER U. N. FORCES IN KOREA.
TODAY, THE WHITE HOUSE MADE PUBLIC A LETTER MR. TRUMAN WROTE YESTERDAY TO WARREN AUSTIN, AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED NATIONS, REPEATING HIS POLICY ON FORMOSA "TO THE END THAT THERE BE NO MISUNDERSTANDING CONCERNING THE POSITION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES."

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THE PRESIDENT CONGRATULATED AUSTIN ON "FAITHFULLY" SETTING FORTH THIS POLICY TO UN SECRETARY-GENERAL LIE IN A SEVEN-POINT DECLARATION WHICH SAID, IN PART, THAT THE SENDING OF THE FLEET TO GUARD FORMOSA WAS "EXPRESSLY STATED TO BE WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO THE FUTURE POLITICAL SETTLEMENT" OF FORMOSA'S STATUS.
THIS MEANT THAT U.S. WARSHIPS WOULD TRY TO PREVENT A RED INVASION OF FORMOSA, BUT THE ISLAND'S FUTURE WOULD BE DETERMINED ON AN INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL SCALE.
AT THE WHITE HOUSE, NEWSMEN ASKED PRESS SECRETARY ROSS WHETHER MACARTHUR MIGHT BE RELIEVED OF HIS POST AS COMMANDER OF AMERICAN FORCES IN THE FAR EAST AS A RESULT OF THE EPISODE.
"THE INCIDENT IS CLOSED," ROSS REPLIED.
ROSS MADE THE SAME COMMENT ON AN EARLIER ADMINISTRATION CRACK-DOWN--BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE WHITE HOUSE--ON A SPEECH MADE BY NAVY SECRETARY MATTHEWS AT BOSTON LAST FRIDAY NIGHT.
MATTHEWS SAID THE UNITED STATES MUST BE PREPARED TO GO TO WAR IF NECESSARY TO COMPEL OTHER NATIONS TO COOPERATE FOR PEACE.
ROSS SAID MR. TRUMAN TALKED TO MATTHEWS BY TELEPHONE AND HE TOLD REPORTERS:
"THAT INCIDENT, TOO, IS CLOSED."
WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS EMPHASIZED THEY WERE DEEPLY CONCERNED OVER THE POSSIBILITY THAT COMMUNIST PROPAGANDISTS MIGHT EXPLOIT BOTH MACARTHUR'S AND MATTHEWS' STATEMENTS AS EVIDENCE OF A BELLIGERENT OR "IMPERIALISTIC" ATTITUDE BY THE UNITED STATES.
IN NEW YORK, THE COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER DAILY WORKER QUICKLY SEIZED ON THE INCIDENT TO DECLARE EDITORIALLY THAT MATTHEWS VOICED ADMINISTRATION POLICY WHEN HE SPOKE OF A "PREVENTIVE" WAR.
THE PAPER SAID MATTHEWS "DESCRIBED THIS POLICY IN NAKED WORDS THAT WILL SEND A SHUDDER THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."
BOTH THE WHITE HOUSE AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAD DISAVOWED MATTHEWS' STATEMENT. THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID THE UNITED STATES "DOES NOT FAVOR INSTITUTING A WAR OF ANY KIND." MATTHEWS, STANDING PAT, SAID HE SPOKE ONLY FOR HIMSELF.
PRESS SECRETARY ROSS DECLINED TO TELL NEWSMEN WHAT STEPS, IF ANY, ARE BEING TAKEN TO PREVENT A RECURRENCE OF UN-CLEARED STATEMENTS BY HIGH MILITARY OR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.
ROSS SAID, HOWEVER, THAT A PRESIDENTIAL DIRECTIVE BARRING HIGH OFFICIALS FROM MAKING FOREIGN POLICY SPEECHES WITHOUT STATE DEPARTMENT CLEARANCE STILL STANDS.
HE SAID MR. TRUMAN RECENTLY STRESSED THIS POINT TO HIS CABINET.
IN HIS MESSAGE FROM TOKYO, TO THE VFW, MACARTHUR SAID:
"I REGRET TO INFORM YOU THAT I HAVE BEEN DIRECTED TO WITHDRAW MY MESSAGE TO THE NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS."

MACARTHUR'S POSITION WAS COMPLICATED BY THE FACT THAT HE IS THE TOP AMERICAN OFFICIAL IN THE ORIENT WHERE PRESTIGE OR "FACE" IS SO IMPORTANT.
HIGHLEVEL SOURCES SAID IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE TO OVERESTIMATE THE POTENTIAL CONSEQUENCES.
SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA)., NAMED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN AS A DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, SAID HE THINKS MACARTHUR'S ANALYSIS OF THE FAR PACIFIC SITUATION IS CORRECT.
""FORMOSA IS A VITAL PART OF OUR DEFENSE LINE," SPARKMAN SAID. "WE HAVE CAST THE DIE THERE BY THE PRESIDENT'S ORDER TO THE FLEET AND WE MUST GO ALL THE WAY."
OTHER TYPICAL COMMENT:
SENATOR H.ALEXANDER SMITH (R-NJ): "I CAN'T UNDERSTAND WHY THE ADMINISTRATION EVER HESITATED ABOUT DEFENDING FORMOSA."
SENATOR MORSE (R-ORE): "MACARTHUR'S ANALYSIS OF THE SITUATION BRINGS INTO BOLD RELIEF THE OBVIOUS CONFLICT WITHIN THE ADMINISTRATION ON POLICY, BASED ON THE PREVIOUS RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND OF THE MILITARY LEADERS."three
THE COMMENTS BY SPARKMAN, SMITH, AND MORSE WERE MADE BEFORE IT WAS KNOWN THAT MR.TRUMAN HAD ORDERED MACARTHUR TO WITHDRAW HIS STATEMENT, BUT ALL ~~FOUR~~ SAID TODAY THEY STOOD BY THEIR REMARKS.
ACROSS THE CAPITOL, REPUBLICAN LEADER MARTIN OF MASSACHUSETTS TOLD THE HOUSE IT WAS "UNFORTUNATE" THAT MR.TRUMAN SOUGHT TO "SUPPRESS" MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT.
"THIS IS ANOTHER EXHIBIT OF BANKRUPT LEADERSHIP," MARTIN SAID.
AS AN AFTERMATH OF THE MATTHEWS INCIDENT, CHAIRMAN MICHAEL STRAIGHT OF THE AMERICAN VETERANS COMMITTEE (AVC) SENT A LETTER TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN DEMANDING THE NAVY SECRETARY'S RESIGNATION.
"AS LONG AS SECRETARY MATTHEWS REMAINS A MEMBER OF YOUR CABINET, YOU ARE IN EFFECT INFORMING THE WORLD THAT PREVENTIVE WAR IS UNITED STATES POLICY," STRAIGHT ASSERTED.

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FIRST LEAD MACARTHUR-FORMOSA
WASHINGTON, AUG.28-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS CRACKED DOWN ON GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR FOR PROPOSING TO MAKE A STATEMENT ON FORMOSA WHICH THE WHITE HOUSE REGARDED AS AN IMPROPER VENTURE INTO THE FIELD OF FOREIGN POLICY MAKING.
PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY CHARLES G.ROSS DISCLOSED TODAY THAT MR. TRUMAN PERSONALLY DIRECTED THAT MACARTHUR WITHDRAW THE STATEMENT HE HAD SENT TO THE CHICAGO ENCAMPMENT OF VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS. IN THAT STATEMENT, MACARTHUR HAD DECLARED THE SAFETY OF THE UNITED STATES DEMANDS THAT FORMOSA REMAIN IN FRIENDLY HANDS.
THIS WAS, AT THE LEAST, OFF TANGENT FROM THE ADMINISTRATION'S DECLARED POLICY THAT FORMOSA'S FUTURE MUST BE SETTLED AT THE INTERNATIONAL LEVEL.
SO MR.TRUMAN, IN ADDITION TO THE CRACKDOWN ON MACARTHUR, MADE PUBLIC A LETTER TO WARREN AUSTIN, THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED

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NATIONS, REPEATING HIS FORMOSAN POLICY "TO THE END THAT THERE BE NO MISUNDERSTANDING CONCERNING THE POSITION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES."

THE WHOLE INCIDENT SEEMED CERTAIN TO LEAVE LASTING SCARS IN A SITUATION ALREADY MARKED BY SHARP DIFFERENCES BETWEEN SOME HIGH MILITARY AND DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS OVER FOREIGN POLICY.

THERE WERE INDICATIONS THAT IT WOULD LEAD, TOO, TO FURTHER DETERIORATION OF THE REPUBLICAN-DEMOCRATIC COOPERATION ON FOREIGN POLICY MATTERS.

SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF), WHO HAS BEEN CRITICAL OF FAR EASTERN POLICY, GOT OUT A STATEMENT ACCUSING THE ADMINISTRATION OF "GAGGING" MACARTHUR. HE CALLED THIS "ANOTHER IN THE LONG SERIES OF EFFORTS TO KEEP THE TRUTH FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."

JUST HOW MACARTHUR HIMSELF FELT ABOUT IT WAS NOT KNOWN HERE, BUT ROSS SAID THERE WAS NO THOUGHT OF RELIEVING THE GENERAL AS THE OCCUPATION COMMANDER IN JAPAN. MACARTHUR ALSO COMMANDS THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES IN KOREA.

THE WHOLE THING DEVELOPED IN THIS MANNER:

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LAST WEEK, MACARTHUR SENT A LONG STATEMENT TO THE VFW IN WHICH HE SAID "WE MAY HAVE PEACE" BY HOLDING A PACIFIC ISLAND DEFENSE LINE--INCLUDING FORMOSA--BUT "LOSE IT AND WAR IS INEVITABLE."

HE SAID ALSO THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S JUNE 27 ORDER FOR THE AMERICAN SEVENTH FLEET TO PREVENT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS FROM INVADING FORMOSA, THE LAST STRONGHOLD OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST FORCES DID THIS: "SWEPT ASIDE IN ONE GREAT MONUMENTAL STROKE ALL OF THE HYPOCRISY AND THE SOPHISTRY WHICH HAS CONFUSED AND DELUDED SO MANY PEOPLE DISTANT FROM THE ACTUAL SCENE."

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THE STATEMENT WAS TO BE READ TO THE VFW'S ENCAMPMENT AT TODAY'S SESSION.

BUT YESTERDAY, MACARTHUR SENT THE VFW A MESSAGE WITHDRAWING THE STATEMENT. HE SAID HE REGRETTED TO INFORM THE VETERANS GROUP THAT HE HAD BEEN "DIRECTED" TO WITHDRAW IT.

SINCE PRESIDENT TRUMAN ALONE COULD HAVE GIVEN MACARTHUR SUCH ORDERS, IT WAS PRETTY PLAIN ALL ALONG THAT THE DIRECTIVE HAD COME FROM THE WHITE HOUSE.

ROSS CONFIRMED THAT TODAY. REPORTERS ALSO LEARNED THESE DETAILS:

MR.TRUMAN CAME INTO POSSESSION OF A COPY OF THE GENERAL MESSAGE BEFORE 9 AM (EST) SATURDAY MORNING.

HE HAD IT WITH HIM IN A LATER MEETING OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, W. AVERELL HARRIMAN, SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT ON FOREIGN POLICY, AND MEMBERS OF THE WHITE HOUSE STAFF.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS MEETING WAS TO HEAR FROM GEN. J. LAWTON COLLINS, ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF, AND ADM. FORREST P. SHERMAN, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS, WHO HAD JUST RETURNED FROM TOKYO AND KOREA.

COLLINS AND SHERMAN KNEW NOTHING ABOUT THE MACARTHUR MESSAGE.

AFTER THE MEETING, THE PRESIDENT DIRECTED SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON TO SEND A MESSAGE TO MACARTHUR ORDERING THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE VFW MESSAGE.

IF THE HOPE WAS TO KEEP MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT FROM BECOMING PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE, IT WAS A LOST HOPE.

THE TEXT OF THE STATEMENT HAD ALREADY BEEN DISTRIBUTED WIDELY TO NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES.

ONE MAGAZINE--THE U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT--HAD ALREADY SENT TO THE PRESSES AN ISSUE CONTAINING THE TEXT. THE MAGAZINE SAID IT HAD RECEIVED PERMISSION FROM THE VFW TO GO AHEAD WITH THIS PROCEDURE.

UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES, A GREAT MANY NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHED THE TEXT TODAY.

ONE WAS THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE WHICH SAID IT HAD TWICE TELEPHONED MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO BEFORE REACHING ITS DECISION TO PRINT IT.

IN THE FIRST CALL, THE NEWSPAPER SAID, IT INFORMED MACARTHUR'S SPOKESMAN THAT THE U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT HAD PRINTED THE TEXT IN ITS ISSUE PLACED IN THE MAILS SATURDAY. IT WAS DUE TO GO ON SALE AT NEWSSTANDS TOMORROW.

THE SPOKESMAN ASKED THAT THE TRIBUNE CALL AGAIN LATER.

ON THE SECOND CALL, THE TRIBUNE RELATED, THE SPOKESMAN SAID HE WAS IN NO POSITION TO COMMENT ON PUBLICATION BUT ADDED: "WHEN A STORY HAS BEEN PUBLISHED AND CIRCULATED, IT SEEMS TO ME THAT NEWSPAPERS WOULD PURSUE THE USUAL PRACTICE OF PRINTING THE NEWS."

REPORTERS TRIED TO GET FROM THE WHITE HOUSE SOME OFFICIAL WORD ON THE POINT OF PUBLICATION. ALL ROSS WOULD SAY WAS: "EVERY EDITOR WILL HAVE TO BE GUIDED BY HIS OWN JUDGMENT."

AT DAYTON, OHIO, JAMES M.COX, PUBLISHER, FORMER GOVERNOR OF OHIO, AND DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE IN 1920, ISSUED THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:

"I HAVE INSTRUCTED ALL MY NEWSPAPERS NOT TO USE THE MACARTHUR MESSAGE. THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES DEFINITELY PLACES CONTROL OF THE MILITARY UNDER CIVIL AUTHORITY. GENERALS ARE NOT SUPPOSED TO PLAY THE PART OF STATESMEN. THIS IS NOT ROME, NOR THE DAYS OF CAESAR."

NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHED BY GOVERNOR COX COMPRISE THE DAYTON DAILY NEWS AND JOURNAL-HERALD, THE ATLANTA JOURNAL AND CONSTITUTION, THE MIAMI (FLA) DAILY NEWS. AND THE SPRINGFIELD (O.) NEWS and sun.

WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS, TALKING WITH REPORTERS, MADE IT PLAIN THEY WERE DEEPLY CONCERNED OVER THE POSSIBLE PROPAGANDA USE THE COMMUNISTS MIGHT MAKE OF MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT AND OF A STATEMENT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY MATTHEWS MADE IN A SPEECH AT BOSTON ON FRIDAY NIGHT.

MATTHEWS SAID THE UNITED STATES MUST BE PREPARED TO GO TO WAR IF NECESSARY TO COMPEL OTHER NATIONS TO COOPERATE FOR PEACE.

ON SATURDAY, THE STATE DEPARTMENT DISAVOWED PUBLICLY AS AMERICAN POLICY THIS SUGGESTION OF A "PREVENTIVE WAR."

TODAY, ROSS SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAD TALKED BY TELEPHONE WITH MATTHEWS AND THAT THIS INCIDENT ALSO WAS "CLOSED."

HE WOULDN'T GIVE ANY DETAILS, SAYING "WHAT WENT ON BETWEEN MR. MATTHEWS AND THE PRESIDENT IS A PERSONAL MATTER."

ROSS DID SAY THAT A PRESIDENTIAL DIRECTIVE TO THE DEPARTMENTS AGAINST MAKING FOREIGN POLICY SPEECHES WITHOUT STATE DEPARTMENT CLEARANCE STILL STANDS.

ROSS WOULD NOT SAY WHAT STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN TO PREVENT A RECURRENCE OF UNCLEARED STATEMENTS, BUT SAID MR.TRUMAN RECENTLY REPEATED TO A CABINET MEETING THE NECESSITY FOR CLEARANCE OF SPEECHES ON FOREIGN POLICY.

AS TO THE RESTATEMENT OF POLICY TOWARD FOORMOSA, A WHITE HOUSE AUTHORITY, ASKING NOT BE QUOOTED BY NAME, SAID:

"IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT THESE FUNDAMENTAL POINTS REMAIN ABSOLUTELY CLEAR AS THE UNITED STATES POLICY AMID THE STORM OF PROPAGANDA WHICH JAKOB MALIK (SOVIET DELEGATE TO THE U N) IS RAISING ON THIS VERY SUBJECT.

"THE PRESIDENT'S ACTION IN DIRECTING THE WITHDRAWAL OF GENERAL MACARTHUR'S MESSAGE WAS AN EFFORT TO PRESERVE THE CLARITY OF THE POSITION OF THE UNITED STATES."

MR.TRUMAN'S LETTER TO AUSTIN RECALLED THAT AUSTIN HAD OUTLINED AMERICAN POLICY TOWARD FORMOSA IN A COMMUNICATION AUG.25 TO TRYGVE LIE, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

MR.TRUMAN SAID AUSTIN "FAITHFULLY SET DOWN OUR VIEWS AS THEY WERE

THEN AND AS THEY ARE NOW."
AMONG OTHER THINGS, AUSTIN SAID THE PRESIDENT REGARDED THE SENDING OF THE SEVENTH FLEET TO FORMOSAN WATERS AS AN IMPARTIAL NEUTRALIZING ACTION "ADDRESSED BOTH TO THE FORCES ON FORMOSA AND TO THOSE ON THE MAINLAND."
AUSTIN ALSO SAID THE PRESIDENT "HAS SOLEMNLY DECLARED WE HAVE NO DESIGNS ON FORMOSA, AND OUR ACTION WAS NOT INSPIRED BY ANY DESIRE TO ACQUIRE A SPECIAL POSITION FOR THE UNITED STATES."
BY CONTRAST, MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT AMOUNTED TO SAYING THAT FORMOSA MUST BE LOOKED ON AS VITAL TO AN AMERICAN FAR PACIFIC DEFENSE LINE.

MACARTHUR IS KNOWN TO BE A PROUD MAN, AND THE INCIDENT IMMEDIATELY RAISED QUESTIONS AS TO HOW HE WOULD ACCEPT THE DIRECTIVE. NO ONE IN OFFICIAL POSITION WAS WILLING TO MAKE ANY PUBLIC COMMENT, AT LEAST PENDING WHATEVER CLARIFICATION MIGHT BE FORTHCOMING.
HIGH LEVEL SOURCES SAID, HOWEVER, IN PRIVATE TALKS WITH NEWSMEN, THAT IT WOULD BE HARD TO OVERESTIMATE THE POTENTIAL CONSEQUENCES.
IT WAS KNOWN THAT THE GENERAL'S STATEMENT, AFTER ITS CIRCULATION ON AN ADVANCE BASIS TO NEWSPAPERS, CAUSED A FLURRY OF EXCITEMENT WHERE IT WAS SEEN IN OFFICIAL WASHINGTON, PARTICULARLY AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
THE GENERAL HAS PREVIOUSLY EXPRESSED HIS VIEWS ON THE IMPORTANCE OF FORMOSA TO U.S. SECURITY TO HIGH OFFICIALS WHO HAVE TALKED WITH HIM IN THE FAR EAST. WHILE THEY ARE KNOWN TO DIFFER WITH STATE DEPARTMENT POLICY, THERE HAS BEEN NO PUBLIC DICLOSURE OF HOW WIDE THAT DIVERGENCE MIGHT BE.
STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS DID NOT MAKE ANY COMMENT, BUT IT WAS EVIDENT THEY WERE NOT GREATLY SURPRISED BY THE DIRECTIVE TO MACARTHUR. THEY HAVE LONG EXPECTED THAT A SHOWDOWN WOULD HAVE TO COME SOONER OR LATER ON THE SUBJECT OF FORMOSA.
TOP DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS CONFERRED SATURDAY AFTERNOON, (AFTER THE GIST IF NOT THE TEXT OF THE GENERAL'S STATEMENT BECAME KNOWN TO THEM) ON ITS POSSIBLE EFFECTS ABROAD.
THESE OFFICIALS FEARED, IT WAS LEARNED, THAT SOVIET PROPAGANDISTS WHO HAVE CHARGED THE U.S. WITH CONVERTING FORMOSA INTO A MILITARY BASE WOULD SEIZE UPON ANYTHING MACARTHUR MIGHT SAY ABOUT THAT ISLAND, LAST CENTER OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT.

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ONLY LAST WEEK THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS ASKED THE UNITED NATIONS TO TAKE STEPS TO CLEAR FORMOSA OF U.S. FORCES. ACTUALLY, THIS COUNTRY HAS NO TROOPS STATIONED THERE. AT THE SAME TIME, THE RED PEIPING RADIO THREATENED TO "LIBERATE" THE ISLAND.
MACARTHUR'S VIEWS ON FORMOSA HAVE BEEN EXPRESSED TO SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JOHNSON, PRESIDENTIAL ASSISTANT W.AVERELL HARRIMAN, FOREIGN POLICY ADVISER JOHN FOSTER DULLES AND OTHER RECENT VISITORS TO TOKYO.
IN SUBSTANCE, THEY ARE KNOWN TO BE THAT THIS COUNTRY SHOULD TAKE VIGOROUS STEPS TO MAKE CERTAIN THAT THE BIG ISLAND LYING OFF THE CHINA COAST NEVER FALLS INTO COMMUNIST HANDS. HE CONSIDERS ITS CONTROL BY A FRIENDLY GOVERNMENT OR ALLIED FORCES ESSENTIAL TO U.S. SECURITY IN THE FAR PACIFIC.
PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON JUNE 27, IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE OUTBREAK OF FIGHTING IN KOREA, DIRECTED THE 7TH FLEET TO DEFEND FORMOSA. BUT HE DID SO AS A MEANS OF NEUTRALIZING THE ISLAND--CALLING ON CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S NATIONALISTS TO REFRAIN FROM ANY ACTIVITY AGAINST THE MAINLAND. THE AIM WAS TO ISOLATE FORMOSA FROM THE KOREAN WAR.
SO FAR AS COULD BE LEARNED BY INQUIRY AMONG THE PRESIDENT'S FOREIGN POLICY ADVISERS, THERE IS NO PRESENT INTENTION TO REVISE PRESENT U.S. POLICY REGARDING FORMOSA. MR.TRUMAN HAS COMMITTED HIMSELF TO A SOLUTION AT AN INTERNATIONAL LEVEL--PROBABLY BY THE U.N.
THE STATE DEPARTMENT POSITION IS THAT IT DOES NOT OBJECT TO U.N. CONSIDERATION OF THE FORMOSAN PROBLEM. BUT IT DOES NOT THINK THE ISSUE SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO SIDETRACK DEBATE ON THE KOREAN INVASION.
MACARTHUR'S WITHDRAWAL OF HIS STATEMENT CAUSED CONSIDERABLE CONFUSION.
THE VFW'S PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER, VICE ADMIRAL LELAND P.LOVETTE, RETIRED, PROMPTLY ISSUED A STATEMENT TO NEWSPAPERS AND RADIO STATIONS ASKING THEM NOT TO USE THE STATEMENT. HE SAID IT WOULD NOT BE REA BEFORE THE ORGANIZATION'S ENCAMPMENT.
ONE NEWS MAGAZINE, AT LEAST, HAD THE STATEMENT IN PRINT. U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, PUBLISHED IN WASHINGTON, ALREADY HAD MAILED COPIES OF AN ISSUE DATED SEPT. 1 WHICH CARRIED THE FULL TEXT OF THE 1,000-WORD STATEMENT.
MAGAZINE OFFICIALS SAID THE ISSUE HAD GONE TO PRESS FRIDAY NIGHT, SOME 48 HOURS BEFORE THE STATEMENT WAS TO HAVE BEEN RELEASED. THE MAGAZINE GOES ON NEWSSTAND SALE TUESDAY.
A NEW REBUTTAL OF SECRETARY MATTHEWS' POSITION CAME, MEANWHILE, FROM AMBASSADOR PHILIP JESSUP.

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JESSUP SAID IN A CBS RADIO INTERVIEW LAST NIGHT THAT IF THIS COUNTRY STARTED A WAR AND KNOCKED OUT RUSSIA WITH ATOMIC BOMBS THE RESULT WOULD BE TO "CREATE "MANY NEW AND TERRIBLY DIFFICULT PROBLEMS."
REJECTING THE IDEA OF A PREVENTIVE WAR WITH THE SOVIETS, JESSUP SAID WAR IS SO DESTRUCTIVE "THAT NO STONE MUST BE LEFT UNTURNED IN THE EFFORT TO MAINTAIN OUR SECURITY AND OUR HIGHEST VALUES BY PEACEFUL MEANS."
"DROPPING ATOMIC BOMBS ON THE SOVIET UNION NOW IS NOT THE WAY WE ACT; IT IS NOT THE WAY AMERICA DOES THINGS," JESSUP DECLARED.
IN ADVANCE OF ANY REACTION FROM MEMBERS OF CONGRESS TO THE MACARTHUR INCIDENT, SOME OF THEM SUPPORTED MATTHEWS IN HIS BRUSH WITH THE FOREIGN POLICY VIEWS OF THE ADMINISTRATION. OTHERS CRITICIZED HIM.
SENATOR SPARKMAN (D-ALA), NAMED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN AS A DELEGATE TO THE UNITED NATIONS, TOLD A REPORTER HE DOUBTS THAT THE UNITED STATES EVER WOULD BEGIN A WAR, PREVENTIVE OR OTHERWISE.
"BUT THE FARTHER WE GO INTO THE ATOMIC AGE THE MORE APPARENT IT BECOMES THAT WE MUST NOT BE HIT FIRST," HE DECLARED.
SENATOR RUSSELL (D-GA) SAID THAT THE UNITED STATES CAN'T AFFORD TO RELY ENTIRELY ON A POLICY OF STRIKING BACK ONLY AFTER IT HAS SUFFERED A BLOW.
"IN THIS ATOMIC AGE, A DEMOCRACY MUST BE PREPARED TO FIGHT A PREVENTIVE WAR IN ORDER TO SURVIVE, IF THAT BECOMES NECESSARY," HE SAID.
SENATOR HILL (D-ALA) TOLD A REPORTER: "IN THIS AGE OF THE ATOMIC BOMB, IF WAR IS INEVITABLE, WE MUST STRIKE FIRST."
HOWEVER, SENATOR ROBERTSON (D-VA) SAID HE DOESN'T THINK THAT THE WAY TO ATTAIN PEACE IS TO START A WAR.
"THAT'S THE OLD THEORY THAT WE CAN DROP A FEW ATOMIC BOMBS ON THE ENEMY AND THEN TELL HIM WHAT THE TERMS OF SURRENDER WILL BE," ROBERTSON SAID. "THAT ISN'T GOING TO WIN A WAR. THE FIGHTING IN KOREA HAS SHOWN THAT YOU HAVE TO WIN ON THE GROUND."
REPUBLICANS WERE RELUCTANT TO COMMENT ON THE MATTHEWS INCIDENT--REGARDED BY SOME OF THEM AS AN ADMINISTRATION BOBBLE THAT MIGHT BE TURNED TO GOP ADVANTAGE IN THE CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN.
HOWEVER, ONE INFLUENTIAL REPUBLICAN WHO DIDN'T WANT TO BE QUOTED TOLD A REPORTER WITH A GRIN:
"I'M NOT GOING TO CRITICIZE MATTHEWS PUBLICLY BECAUSE THE ADMINISTRATION MIGHT SAY I WAS VIOLATING THE BIPARTISAN FOREIGN POLICY BY CRITICIZING ITS MISTAKES."
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MACARTHUR
WASHINGTON, AUG.28-(AP)-THE WHITE HOUSE SAID TODAY THAT PRESIDENT TRUMAN DIRECTED GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR TO WITHDRAW A STATEMENT ON FORMOSA "TO AVOID CONFUSION AS TO THE UNITED STATES POSITION."
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WASHINGTON--1ST ADD FORMOSA X X X POSITION.
MACARTHUR HAD SENT A STATEMENT OF HIS VIEWS--SAYING FORMOSA MUST REMAIN IN FRIENDLY HANDS--TO THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS ENCAMPMENT AT CHICAGO. LATER, HE SAID HE HAD BEEN DIRECTED TO WITHDRAW THE STATEMENT.
PRESIDENTIAL SECRETARY CHARLES G. ROSS CONFIRMED TODAY WHAT HAD BEEN SURMISED--THAT MR.TRUMAN HIMSELF ORDERED THE WITHDRAWAL.

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ROSS TOLD REPORTERS:
"IN ORDER TO AVOID CONFUSION AS TO THE U.S. POSITION WITH RESPECT TO FORMOSA, THE PRESIDENT DIRECTED THAT THE STATEMENT PREPARED BY GENERAL MACARTHUR ON THIS SUBJECT BE WITHDRAWN."
ASKED WHETHER MACARTHUR MIGHT BE RELIEVED OF HIS COMMAND AS A RESULT OF THE INCIDENT, ROSS SAID, "THE INCIDENT IS CLOSED."

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SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF MR.TRUMAN'S ACTION, THE WHITE HOUSE RELEASED A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT TO WARREN AUSTIN, U.S. REPRESENTATIVE IN THE UNITED NATIONS. THIS RESTATED THE UNITED STATES POSITION WITH REFERENCE TO FORMOSA SO THAT THERE WILL BE "NO MISUNDERSTANDING."
MR.TRUMAN'S STATED POLICY IS THAT FORMOSA MUST BE NEUTRALIZED SO FAR AS THE KOREAN WAR IS CONCERNED, BUT THIS COUNTRY WILL MAKE NO COMMITMENT OTHER THAN TO BLOCK ANY INVASION ATTEMPT DURING THE CURRENT CRISIS.

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THE WHITE HOUSE DID NOT ELABORATE ON THE LETTER MR.TRUMAN SENT TO AUSTIN BUT A WHITE HOUSE AUTHORITY TOLD REPORTERS:
"IN THE FIELD OF FOREIGN RELATIONS THERE CAN BE ONLY ONE VOICE IN STATING THE POSITION OF THE UNITED STATES. THIS IS REGARDED AS BEING OF FUNDAMENTAL CONSTITUTIONAL IMPORTANCE."
ROSS WAS INFORMED THAT A NUMBER OF NEWSPAPERS WERE PRINTING MACARTHUR'S MESSAGE DESPITE ITS WITHDRAWAL.
ROSS WOULD NOT SAY WHAT HE THINKS OTHER PAPERS SHOULD DO.
"EVERY EDITOR WILL HAVE TO BE GUIDED BY HIS OWN JUDGMENT," HE SAID.

IN TALKING WITH REPORTERS, ROSS ALSO DISCUSSED ANOTHER WEEK END INCIDENT--A SPEECH BY SECRETARY OF THE NAVY MATTHEWS THAT THE UNITED STATES MUST BE PREPARED TO GO TO WAR IF NECESSARY TO COMPEL OTHER NATIONS TO COOPERATE FOR PEACE.
THIS SUGGESTION OF A "PREVENTIVE WAR" WAS DISAVOWED SATURDAY BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT.
TODAY, ROSS SAID MR.TRUMAN HAD TALKED BY TELEPHONE WITH MATTHEWS.
ROSS WOULD NOT SAY WHAT TOOK PLACE IN THAT CONVERSATION BUT HE DID SAY "T NCIDENT IS CLOSED, TOO."
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(550) WITH MACARTHUR
BY ELTON C.FAY
AP MILITARY AFFAIRS REPORTER
WASHINGTON, AUG.28-(AP)-NOT SINCE LINCOLN'S TROUBLES WITH HIS CIVIL WAR GENERALS AND CABINET MEMBERS HAS THE GOVERNMENT BEEN ENTANGLED IN AS BITTER A WARTIME FAMILY WRANGLE AS THAT INVOLVING ADMINISTRATION AND MILITARY LEADERS TODAY.
THE SCHISM BETWEEN MILITARY AND STATE DEPARTMENT THINKING BEGAN TO DEVELOP OBSCURELY MONTHS AND EVEN YEARS AGO. BUT THE BREAK NOW, UNFORTUNATELY, BECOMES VISIBLE TO THE FRIENDS AND ENEMIES OF THE UNITED STATES WHEN THE NATION IS FIGHTING IN KOREA WHAT COULD BE A PRELUDE TO ANOTHER WORLD WAR.
IT IS, INDEED, THIS POSSIBILITY OF GLOBAL CONFLICT WITH COMMUNIST RUSSIA THAT HAS GENERATED THE FRICTION. THE INTRA-GOVERNMENT CONTROVERSY IS COMPLEX, MADE MORE SO BY THE DIFFERENT IDEAS EVEN WITHIN THE MILITARY CAMP.
POWERFUL MEN AND GRAVE DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL QUESTIONS ARE INVOLVED, AMONG THEM THESE:
PRESIDENT TRUMAN, CAUGHT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE CONFLICT VIEWS OF THE MILITARY AND THE DIPLOMATS. AT DIRECT ISSUE NOW IS THE PROBLEM OF FAR EAST POLICY AND THE QUESTION OF NEUTRALIZING OR FORTIFYING THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA, HELD BY GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI-SHEK AND HIS NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT AGAINST THE MENACE OF COMMUNISTS ON THE MAINLAND.
THE PRESIDENT DECIDED FOR NEUTRALIZATION AND AGAINST THE MILITARY'S PROPOSAL FOR FORTIFICATION. ASIDE FROM INTERNATIONAL EFFECT, HE HAD TO CONSIDER THE IMPACT OF HIS DECISION ON THE FORTHCOMING CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS.
SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN ACHESON, ADVOCATE OF A POLICY AIMED AT CONTAINING COMMUNISM WITHIN RUSSIA AND THE SATELLITE STATES WITHOUT EMBARKING ON NEW STEPS THAT MIGHT BE SEIZED UPON BY MOSCOW AS PRETEXT FOR PROPAGANDA OR WAR. HE OPPOSES THE MILITARY'S IDEAS ABOUT FORMOSA--AND WHAT THE STATE DEPARTMENT CONSIDERS INTRUSIQN BY THE MILITARY INTO FOREIGN POLICY MAKING FIELDS.

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GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, UPON WHOSE SHOULDERS ARE FIVE STARS AND LEGEND. FOR A DECADE HE HAS OPERATED IN AND FOUGHT WARS IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC. ALONE OF ALL THE GENERALS AND ADMIRALS, HE HAS NOT RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES--AN INDEPENDENT, ALMOST AUTONOMOUS FIGURE WHO HAS CONFERRED WITH WASHINGTON OFFICIALS AND PRESIDENTS ONLY WHEN THEY VISITED HIS PART OF THE WORLD.
MACARTHUR OBVIOUSLY HAS DISAGREED WITH THE WHITE HOUSE-STATE DEPARTMENT VIEWS ABOUT FORMOSA'S STRATEGIC POSITION IN FAR EAST DEFENSE AGAINST COMMUNISM. HE FLEW TO FORMOSA RECENTLY TO TALK WITH CHIANG, A VISIT WHICH DISTURBED THE STATE DEPARTMENT. THEN HE PREPARED A MESSAGE FOR READIN TO A CONVENTION OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, SETTING FORTH HIS VIEWS ABOUT FORMOSA AND OTHER THIN

MESSAGE FOR READING TO A CONVENTION OF THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, SETTING FORTH HIS VIEWS ABOUT FORMOSA AND OTHER THINGS.
AT THE LAST MINUTE, HE CANCELLED THE MESSAGE, TELLING THE VETERANS "I REGRET TO INFORM YOU I HAVE BEEN DIRECTED TO WITHDRAW" THE MESSAGE. THE ONLY MAN WHO COULD HAVE ISSUED SUCH DIRECTIVE TO A MAN IN HIS POSITION WAS PRESIDENT TRUMAN.
DEFENSE SECRETARY LOUIS JOHNSON, WHO HAS CONDUCTED BEHIND-THE SCENES TESTS OF STRENGTH WITH ACHESON OVER MILITARY-POLITICAL POLICIES. JOHNSON, UNLIKE MACARTHUR WHO HAS BEEN SUBJECT TO LITTLE CRITICISM IN CONGRESS, HAS FREQUENTLY COME UNDER FIRE FROM VARIOUS LAWMAKERS.

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MOREOVER, HE WAS INVOLVED IN A CONTROVERSY A DECADE AGO WHEN AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF WAR--AND LOST OUT. WHATEVER THOUGHTS AND SUPPORT HE HAS FOR MACARTHUR AND THE DEFENSE OF FORMOSA, HE HAS BEEN CAREFUL ABOUT UTTERING THEM PUBLICLY AT THIS PARTICULAR TIME.

NAVY SECRETARY FRANCIS P.MATTHEWS, NEWCOMER TO THE MILITARY FAMILY. MATTHEWS LANDED IN THE MIDDLE OF THE MILITARY-STATE DEPARTMENT FEUD WITH A SPEECH AT BOSTON IN WHICH HE RAISED THE QUESTION OF PREVENTIVE WAR. HE SAID THAT "TO HAVE PEACE WE SHOULD BE WILLING, AND DECLARE OUR INTENTION TO PAY ANY PRICE, EVEN THE PRICE OF INSTITUTING A WAR TO COMPEL COOPERATION FOR PEACE."

THE STATE DEPARTMENT, ANGUISHED, RUSHED OUT A STATEMENT WHICH ASSERTED MATTHEWS' REMARKS "DO NOT REPRESENT UNITED STATES POLICY" AND THAT "THE UNITED STATES DOES NOT FAVOR INSTITUTING A WAR OF ANY KIND." UP TO THIS MORNING, MATTHEWS WAS STICKING BY HIS STATEMENT WHICH HE SAID REPRESENTED ONLY HIS OWN VIEWS AND WAS "NOT INTENDED TO BE ANY EXPRESSION OF ADMINISTRATION POLICY."

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(390) MACARTHUR-KNOWLAND

WASHINGTON,AUG 28-(AP)-SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) SAID TODAY THE ADMINISTRATION IS "GAGGING" GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR.

KNOWLAND CALLED PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S DIRECTIVE TO MACARTHUR TO WITHDRAW HIS CONTEMPLATED STATEMENT ON FORMOSA "ANOTHER IN A LONG SERIES OF EFFORTS TO KEEP THE TRUTH FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."

THE CALIFORNIA REPUBLICAN, WHO FREQUENTLY HAS DISAGREED WITH ADMINISTRATION FOREIGN POLICY TOWARD THE FAR PACIFIC, ISSUED A STATEMENT IN WHICH HE ALSO DEMANDED THAT A "SECRET REPORT" ON KOREA BY LT. GEN.ALBERT C.WEDEMEYER BE MADE PUBLIC.

WEDEMEYER IS THE AUTHOR OF ANOTHER REPORT--ON CHINA--WHICH THE ADMINISTRATION KEPT SECRET FOR NEARLY THREE YEARS.

IT WAS PUBLISHED A YEAR AGO AFTER INSISTENT DEMANDS IN CONGRESS. AMONG OTHER THINGS, WEDEMEYER PROPOSED A VAST NEW AID PROGRAM FOR NATIONALIST CHINA, PROVIDED GENERALISSIMO CHIANG KAI SHEK AGREED TO SWEEPING GOVERNMENTAL REFORMS.

KNOWLAND TOLD A REPORTER THE WEDEMEYER REPORT ON KOREA WAS MADE AT THE SAME TIME AS THE ONE ON CHINA. HE SAID HE HAD BEEN ALLOWED TO EXAMINE IT ON A CONFIDENTIAL BASIS AND ADDED "IT IS HIGHLY SIGNIFICANT."

HE SAID HE WOULD ASK THAT THE REPORT BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEES. HE IS A MEMBER OF BOTH.

IN HIS STATEMENT TODAY, KNOWLAND SAID THE DIRECTIVE TO MACARTHUR "STRONGLY INDICATES THAT SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AND TRYGVE LIE, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, ARE NOW PREPARING FOR ANOTHER MUNICH WITH THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA AND THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA AS THE PAWNS." KNOWLAND ADDED:

"OUR MORAL LEADERSHIP WAS UNDERMINED BY THE SECRET DEALS OF YALTA REGARDING WHICH NEITHER THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES NOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE HAD INFORMATION UNTIL YEARS LATER. X X X

"FOR THE PAST SEVERAL YEARS OUR RESPONSIBLE MILITARY MEN HAVE BEEN REQUIRED BY THE ADMINISTRATION TO SUPPORT BUDGET REQUESTS BEFORE THE CONGRESS WHICH THEIR PROFESSIONAL TRAINING WARNED THEM WERE NOT ADEQUATE TO THE SAFETY OF THIS NATION. THE PUSHING AROUND WE HAVE TAKEN IN KOREA IS ONE OF THE RESULTS OF THIS 'GAG POLICY'

"NOW ONCE AGAIN THE ADMINISTRATION IS 'GAGGING' A PATRIOTIC SOLDIER WHO SEES THE DANGER FACING OUR NATION IN THE FAR EAST AND WANTS TO WARN OUR PEOPLE BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.

"IT NOW APPEARS THAT THE ONLY WAY IN WHICH THE TRUTH WILL BE KNOWN IS FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TO ELECT A CONGRESS THAT WILL MAKE SOME REAL INVESTIGATIONS WITHOUT FEAR OR FAVOR AND WILL BE PREPARED TO RECOMMEND IMPEACHMENT PROCEEDINGS WHERE THE FACTS JUSTIFY."

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MACARTHUR-CONGRESS

WASHINGTON,AUG.28-(AP)-REPUBLICANS PUT INTO THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD TODAY THE TEXT OF GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR'S STATEMENT ON FORMOSA AND SHARPLY CRITICIZED PRESIDENT TRUMAN FOR DIRECTING THAT THE GENERAL WITHDRAW IT.

REPUBLICAN LEADER MARTIN (MASS) TOLD THE HOUSE IT WAS "UNFORTUNATE" THAT THE PRESIDENT SOUGHT TO "SUPPRESS" THE STATEMENT AFTER MACARTHUR SENT IT TO THE CHICAGO ENCAMPMENT OF VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

MARTIN SAID MR.TRUMAN'S ACTION WAS "ANOTHER EXHIBIT OF A BANKRUPT LEADERSHIP."

"IT IS TO BE TAKEN BY THE AMERICAN PEOPLE AS ANOTHER FLAGRANT EXAMPLE F E INCREDIBLE BUNGLING

"IT IS TO BE TAKEN BY THE AMERICAN PEOPLE AS ANOTHER FLAGRANT EXAMPLE OF THE INCREDIBLE BUNGLING BY THE ADMINISTRATION OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS, BUNGLING WHICH DELIVERED MANCHURIA AND MOST OF CHINA TO THE COMMUNISTS AND WHICH CULMINATED IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT," HE SAID.

"IS IS SIMPLY ANOTHER CHAPTER IN A LONG SERIES OF BLUNDERS WHEREBY SOUND MILITARY ADVICE WAS SUPPRESSED AND POLITICAL DECISIONS, IN KEEPING WITH THE POLICY OF APPEASING THE SOVIET UNION, WERE SUPERIMPOSED FOR POLITICAL REASONS."

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NEW YORK, AUG.28-(AP)-PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ACTION IN DIRECTING GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR TO WITHDRAW A MESSAGE ON FORMOSA STIRRED A CONTROVERSY ACROSS THE COUNTRY TODAY.

SOME NEWSPAPERS SHARPLY RAPPED MR. TRUMAN FOR WHAT THEY TERMED THE "MUZZLING" OF THE FAR EAST COMMANDER. OTHERS CHARGED MACARTHUR WITH INTERFERING IN FOREIGN POLICY.

MANY NEWSPAPERS PRINTED THE MACARTHUR MESSAGE THAT WAS TO HAVE BEEN READ TODAY AT THE VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS CONVENTION IN CHICAGO. SOME OMITTED ITS CONTENTS ENTIRELY.

"PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS DEALT GE. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR A CRUDE, RUDE SNUB; OR YOU MIGHT CALL IT A KICK IN THE TEETH," SAID THE NEW YORK DAILY NEWS.

"WE DON'T KNOW WHETHER MACARTHUR IS RIGHT OR WRONG ON THIS SUBJECT," THE NEWS SAID. "BUT WE ARE CONVINCED THE PEOPLE HAVE A RIGHT TO KNOW HOW HE FEELS, AND THAT TRUMAN TRIED A PETTY-TYRANT TRICK IN ATTEMPTING TO SHUT HIM UP."

THE INDIANAPOLIS NEWS DECLARED:

"THE PICTURE IS DARK AND THREATENING. YET IT FINDS WASHINGTON STILL UNDECIDED ON ITS CHINA POLICY, STILL CONFUSED AND WRANGLING, STILL BUSY SHUSHING DISSIDENT SUBORDINATES RATHER THAN FACING UP TO THE ISSUES. X X X

"PRESIDENT TRUMAN IS RIGHT, IN HIS EXPLANATION OF THE MACARTHUR INCIDENT, THAT THE NATION SHOULD SPEAK WITH ONE VOICE. BUT WHERE IS THAT VOICE? AND WHAT, IN THIS HOUR OF DECISION, IS IT SAYING?"

EDITORIAL FIRE WAS DIRECTED AT MACARTHUR ALSO.

"MACARTHUR'S INTERFERENCE IN FOREIGN POLICY APPEARS TO BE DELIBERATE," SAID THE YOUNGSTOWN (O.) VINDICATOR.

PUBLISHER JAMES COX, FORMER GOVERNOR OF OHIO AND DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE IN 1920, SAID IN A STATEMENT ISSUED IN DAYTON:

"I HAVE INSTRUCTED ALL MY NEWSPAPERS NOT TO USE THE MACARTHUR MESSAGE. THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES DEFINITELY PLACES CONTROL OF THE MILITARY UNDER CIVIL AUTHORITY. GENERALS ARE NOT SUPPOSED TO PLAY THE PART OF STATESMEN. THIS IS NOT ROME NOR THE

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DAYS OF CAESAR."
THE ISSUE OF WHETHER TO PRINT THE MESSAGE AFTER ITS DIRECTED WITHDRAWAL EVOKED ANOTHER SPLIT IN OPINION.
MOST NEWSPAPERS HAD RECEIVED THE TEXT, OR AN ABSTRACT OF IT, PRIOR TO ITS SCHEDULED RELEASE AND BEFORE GENERAL MACARTHUR REQUESTED ITS WITHDRAWAL.
MANY NEWSPAPERS WHICH PRINTED EITHER THE TEXT OR A SUMMARY OF THE MESSAGE SAID THEY DID SO BECAUSE, DESPITE ITS WITHDRAWAL FROM THE CONVENTION, THEY FELT IT HAD BECOME PUBLIC PROPERTY WHEN IT WAS ENTERED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.
OTHERS HELD SIMPLY THAT IT WAS NEWS--AND BIG NEWS--THAT DID NOT VIOLATE SECURITY.
"IF GOD LETS IT HAPPEN, LET'S PRINT IT," SAID WILLIAM J. PAPE, PUBLISHER OF THE WATERBURY (CONN) AMERICAN AND REPUBLICAN.

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THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE REPORTED THAT IT TWICE TELEPHONED MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS IN TOKYO BEFORE DECIDING TO PRINT THE MESSAGE IN ITS MONDAY MORNING EDITIONS.
IT SAID IT INFORMED THE HEADQUARTERS ON THE FIRST CALL THAT THE MAGAZINE, U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, HAD PRINTED THE MESSAGE AND HAD MAILED IT OUT SATURDAY, BEFORE RECEIVING NOTICE OF THE WITHDRAWAL.
THE TRIBUNE QUOTED A HEADQUARTERS SPOKESMAN AS SAYING ON THE SECOND CALL: "WHEN A STORY HAS BEEN PUBLISHED AND CIRCULATED, IT SEEMS TO ME THAT NEWSPAPERS WOULD PURSUE THE NORMAL PRACTICE OF PRINTING THE NEWS."

THE TRIBUNE WAS THE ONLY PAPER TO PRINT THE FULL STATEMENT ON MONDAY MORNING."

TIME AND LIFE MAGAZINES SAID THEY INTENDED TO PRINT THE TEXT IN THEIR EDITIONS THIS WEEK. NEWSWEEK MAGAZINE SAID IT WOULD PRINT EXCERPTS.
FAR OUT IN THE PACIFIC, THE HONOLULU STAR BULLETIN OMITTED THE TEXT.
"WE SEE NO REASON TO DISAGREE WITH THE DECISION OF PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE VFW," SAID ACTING MANAGING EDITOR VERN HINKLEY.
EDITORIALLY, THE STAR BULLETIN BLAMED THE INCIDENT AND OTHERS BEFORE IT ON "A DISTRESSING LACK OF DECISION IN THE WHITE HOUSE."
"IF THE QUARTERBACK REFUSES TO CALL THE SIGNALS CLEARLY ENOUGH X X X HE HAS ONLY HIMSELF TO BLAME IF X X X THE MATTHEWS AND MACARTHURS INSIST ON GETTING CAUGHT OFFSIDE."
THE SAVANNAH PRESS AND SAVANNAH MORNING NEWS ALSO DID NOT USE THE MACARTHUR STATEMENT, BUT THE PRESS EDITORIALLY EXPRESSED OPPOSITION TO THE "THE MUZZLING OF GENERAL MACARTHUR IN GIVING TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE A STATEMENT ON FORMOSA AS HE SEES IT."
THE PHILADELPHIA EVENING BULLETIN, WHICH USED THE SUBSTANCE OF THE MACARTHUR MESSAGE, COMMENTED EDITORIALLY:
"THE OUTSIDE WORLD IS LIKELY TO ASSUME GOVERNMENT INSPIRATION FOR ANY UTTERANCES ON FUNDAMENTAL MATTERS BY MEN IN OFFICIAL POSTS. UNDER THAT PRINCIPLE, THE EXPRESS REPUDIATION BY SECRETARY ACHESON OF CERTAIN VIEWS EXPRESSED BY A COLLEAGUE, NAVY SECRETARY MATHEWS, WAS WISE AND NECESSARY. AND A DIRECTION GIVEN BY THE ADMINISTRATION TO GENERAL MACARTHUR WAS WITHIN ITS RIGHT IF IT THOUGHT THE STATEMENT INEXPEDIENT OR SUBJECT TO MISCONSTRUCTION."
CONCERNING PUBLICATION OF THE MESSAGE, WALTER LISTER, EVENING BULLETIN MANAGING EDITOR, SAID:
"IN VIEW OF WIDE DISTRIBUTION OF THE SPEECH WE FELT IT WAS PROPER TO LET OUR READERS KNOW THE NATURE OF THE REMARKS WHICH LED TO ITS SUPPRESSION. WE DO NOT FEEL THAT PROPER PERSPECTIVE CALLED FOR PUBLICATION OF THE FULL TEXT."

WARREN S.BROWN, MANAGING EDITOR OF THE PRESS-UNION NEWSPAPERS, ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., WHICH PRINTED THE STORY SAID "THE AMERICAN PUBLIC HAS A RIGHT TO KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON--WHY WE ARE SPENDING THOUSANDS OF YOUNG LIVES AND BILLIONS IN TREASURE IN A WAR WITH RUSSIA IN KOREA."
THE NEWARK EVENING NEWS, WHICH DID NOT PRINT THE MESSAGE, SAID IN AN EDITORIAL:
"AN UNCLEARED SPEECH FROM A CABINET OFFICER, SEEMING TO PROPOSE A PREVENTIVE WAR, OR AN EXPARTE DECLARATION FROM GENERAL MACARTHUR ABOUT FORMOSA, CAN DO HARM ABROAD THAT THE MOST EFFICIENT OFFICIAL BROADCASTS CANNOT DO MUCH TO CORRECT." X X X
HAROLD OBER, CITY EDITOR OF THE ASBURY PARK PRESS, TOOK THIS VIEW: "A STORY IS GIVEN FOR RELEASE IN ADVANCE OF THE DELIVERY OF A SPEECH TO HELP NEWSPAPER AS A CONVENIENCE. IF THE SPEAKER WITHDRAWS HIS SPEECH IN PLENTY OF TIME TO KILL IT, I THINK HIS WISHES SHOULD BE RESPECTED."
THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION, WHICH DID NOT PRINT THE MAC ARTHUR STATEMENT, SAID EDITORIALLY:
"WHILE WE HAVE A SINCERE ADMIRATION FOR GENERAL MAC ARTHUR, PRESIDENT TRUMAN IS EXACTLY RIGHT.
"IT IS ASTOUNDING THAT GENERAL MACARTHUR SHOULD SO AFFRONT HIS FELLOW OFFICERS AND SUPERIOR OFFICERS, THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF, IN SO IMPORTANT A MATTER. THAT HE SHOULD IGNORE THE WHITE HOUSE AND STATE DEPARTMENT AS WELL IS ALMOST INCREDIBLE. IT IS A PUZZLING AND UNNECESSARY AFFRONT." X X X
IN ANNOUNCING THAT THE MACON (MO) CHRONICLE-HERALD, WAS NOT PUBLISHING THE MACARTHUR STATEMENT, ITS EDITOR, FRANK P.BRIGGS, FORMER U.S.SENATOR (DEMOCRAT) DECLARED:
"IT SHALL NOT BE SAID THAT THE MACON CHRONICLE-HERALD AIDED IN POLICY CONFUSION AND THUS CAUSED MORE YOUTHS TO GO TO WAR AND DIE."
THE SAN DIEGO EVENING TRIBUNE SAID IT WITHHELD THE TEXT "IN THE INTEREST OF NATIONAL SECURITY."
THE HOUSTON CHRONICLE, PUBLISHED BY JESSE JONES, FORMER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE, SAID EDITORIALLY:
"COMPARING HIS (MACARTHUR'S) RECORD WITH THE DISASTROUS RECORD OF STATE DEPARTMENT POLICIES AND DEFEATS IN THE ORIENT, NO ONE CAN HAVE ANY DOUBT WHATEVER AS TO WHOM THE PRESIDENT SHOULD BAVE BEEN CONSULTING ON FAR EAST MATTERS. UNFORTUNATELY, MR.TRUMAN LISTENED TO (SECRETARY OF STATE) ACHESON."

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THE NEW YORK WORLD-TELEGRAM AND SUN, MAKING ITS FIRST APPEARANCE AFTER AN 11-WEEK STRIKE, PRINTED THE TEXT "DUE TO PUBLIC INTEREST IN WHAT GEN.MACARTHUR PLANNED TO SAY."
THE DAILY COMPASS IN NEW YORK PRINTED AN ABSTRACT IN ITS MONDAY MORNING EDITION. TED O.THACKREY, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER, SAID "IT'S NEWS AND IT SHOULD BE PRINTED. IT IS TOO BAD IF PUBLIC OFFICIALS MAKE MISTAKES, BUT IT IS TOUGHER IF NOTHING IS PRINTED ABOUT OFFICIAL MISTAKES."
THE NEW YORK POST AT FIRST OMITTED CONTENTS OF THE MESSAGE BEYOND SAYING THAT IT "REITERATED MAC ARTHUR'S KNOWN ATTITUDE--THAT THE UNITED STATES SHOULD IMMEDIATELY TAKE STEPS TO PREVENT THE ISLAND FROM FALLING INTO THE HANDS OF THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND TO MAKE IT A STRONG POINT OF DEFENSE FOR THE ALLIES."
POST EDITOR JAMES A.WECHSLER SAID "WE ARE UNHAPPILY PRINTING A SUMMARY OF IT" IN LATER EDITIONS. HE SAID THAT WITH OTHER NEWSPAPERS PUBLISHING IT "WE WOULD NOT BE KEEPING MUCH OF A SECRET BY NOT PRINTING IT."
RADIO NETWORKS AT FIRST MADE NO USE OF THE TEXT, BUT SPOKESMEN FOR SOME INDICATED THEY WERE RECONSIDERING IN VIEW OF WIDESPREAD USE OF ITS CONTENTS ELSEWHERE.

AMONG NEWSPAPERS WHICH CARRIED OR PLANNED TO CARRY THE MACARTHUR TEXT OR A SUMMARY OF IT WERE:

THE NEW YORK TIMES, NEW YORK HERALD TRIBUNE, NEW YORK WORLD-TELEGRAM AND SUN, NEW YORK JOURNAL-AMERICAN, NEW YORK DAILY MIRROR, NEW YORK DAILY NEWS, BOSTON GLOBE, BOSTON TRAVELLER, WORCESTER EVENIN GAZETTE, PHILADELPHIA EVENING BULLETIN, PITTSBURGH SUN TELEGRAPH, MEMPHIS PRESS SCIMITAR, TALLAHASSEE DEMOCRAT, NEW ORLEANS STATES AND ITEM, CINCINNATI TIMES STAR, DETROIT NEWS, DETROIT TIMES, DETROIT FREE PRESS, LOUISVILLE TIMES, MILWAUKEE JOURNAL, CHICAGO TRIBUNE, CHICAGO SUN-TIMES, CHICAGO DAILY NEWS, CHICAGO HERALD-AMERICAN, ST.LOUIS POST-DISPATCH, ST.LOUIS STAR-TIMES, DENVER POST, FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM, HOUSTON CHRONICLE, DALLAS TIMES HERALD, TULSA TRIBUNE, RENO EVENING GAZETTE, PHOENIX GAZETTE, DES MOINES REGISTER TRIBUNE, SALT LAKE TELEGRAM, SAN FRANCISCO CALL BULLETIN, THE WASHINGTON TIMES-HERALD, WASHINGTON STAR AND WASHINGTON DAILY NEWS, AND MANY OTHERS.

NEWSPAPERS NOT CARRYING THE CONTENTS OF MACARTHUR'S MESSAGE INCLUDED THE DAYTON DAILY NEWS AND JOURNAL-HERALD, ATLANTA JOURNAL AND CONSTITUTION, MIAMI (FLA) DAILY NEWS, SPRINGFIELD (O.) NEWS, SAN DIEGO EVENING TRIBUNE, NEWARK, (N.J.) NEWS, SAVANNAH PRESS AND SAVANNAH MORNING NEWS, THE HONOLULU STAR BULLETIN, AND THE ASBURY PARK, (N.J.) PRESS, BALTIMORE NEWS-POST, LENOIR (N.C.) NEWS-TOPIC, MACON (MO.) CHRONICLE-HERALD, BIRMINGHAM (ALA.) NEWS, MOBILE (ALA.) PRESS.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 28-(AP)-FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A LETTER SENT BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN YESTERDAY TO AMBASSADOR WARREN AUSTIN OUTLINING THE U.S. POSITION ON FORMOSA (ABOUT 700);

DEAR WARREN:

AS I TOLD YOU ON THE TELEPHONE THIS MORNING I WANT TO CONGRATULATE YOU ON YOUR ABLE PRESENTATION OF THE VIEWS OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL OF THE UNITED NATIONS FROM THE FIRST ONSET OF THE AGGRESSION AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA. THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE COURSE OF THE PROCEEDINGS YOU HAVE REPRESENTED THIS GOVERNMENT WITH GREAT EFFECTIVENESS AND IN FULL ACCORDANCE WITH MY DIRECTIONS

THE LETTER WHICH YOU ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS ON AUGUST 25 ON THE SUBJECT OF FORMOSA ADMIRABLY SUMS UP THE FUNDAMENTAL POSITION OF THIS GOVERNMENT AS IT HAD BEEN STATED BY ME ON JUNE 27 AND IN MY MESSAGE TO THE CONGRESS ON JULY 19. YOU HAVE CLEARLY SET FORTH IN THAT LETTER THE HEART AND ESSENCE OF THE PROBLEM. YOU HAVE FAITHFULLY SET DOWN MY VIEWS AS THEY WERE THEN AND AS THEY ARE NOW.

TO THE END THAT THERE BE NO MISUNDERSTANDING CONCERNING THE POSITION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES WITH RESPECT TO FORMOSA, IT MAY BE USEFUL TO REPEAT HERE THE SEVEN FUNDAMENTAL POINTS WHICH YOU SO CLEARLY STATED IN YOUR LETTER TO MR. LIE.

"(1) THE UNITED STATES HAS NOT ENCROACHED ON THE TERRITORY OF CHINA, NOR HAS THE UNITED STATES TAKEN AGGRESSIVE ACTION AGAINST CHINA.

"(2) THE ACTION OF THE UNITED STATES IN REGARD TO FORMOSA WAS TAKEN AT A TIME WHEN THAT ISLAND WAS THE SCENE OF CONFLICT WITH THE MAINLAND. MORE SERIOUS CONFLICT WAS THREATENED BY THE PUBLIC DECLARATION OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST AUTHORITIES. SUCH CONFLICT WOULD HAVE THREATENED THE SECURITY OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES OPERATING IN KOREA UNDER THE MANDATE OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO REPEL THE AGGRESSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA. THEY THREATENED TO EXTEND THE CONFLICT THROUGH THE PACIFIC AREA.

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"(3) THE ACTION OF THE UNITED STATES WAS AN IMPARTIAL NEUTRALIZIING ACTION ADDRESSED BOTH TO THE FORCES ON FORMOSA AND TO THOSE ON THE MAINLAND. IT WAS AN ACTION DESIGNED TO KEEP THE PEACE AND WAS, THEREFORE, IN FULL ACCORD WITH THE SPIRIT OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS. AS PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS SOLEMNLY DECLARED, WE HAVE NO DESIGNS ON FORMOSA, AND OUR ACTION WAS NOT INSPIRED BY ANY DESIRE TO ACQUIRE A SPECIAL POSITION FOR THE UNITED STATES.

"(4) THE ACTION OF THE UNITED STATES WAS EXPRESSLY STATED TO BE WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO THE FUTURE POLITICAL SETTLEMENT OF THE STATUS OF THE ISLAND. THE ACTUAL STATUS OF THE ISLAND IS THAT IT IS TERRITORY TAKEN FROM JAPAN BY THE VICTORY OF THE ALLIED FORCES IN THE PACIFIC. LIKE OTHER SUCH TERRITORIES, ITS LEGAL STATUS CANNOT BE FIXED UNTIL THERE IS INTERNATIONAL ACTION TO DETERMINE ITS FUTURE. THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT WAS ASKED BY THE ALLIED TO TAKE THE SURRENDER OF THE JAPANESE FORCES ON THE ISLAND. THAT IS THE REASON THE CHINESE ARE THERI NOW.

"(5) THE UNITED STATES HAS A RECORD THROUGH HISTORY OF FRIENDSHIP FOR THE CHINESE PEOPLE. WE STILL FEEL THE FRIENDSHIP AND KNOW THAT MILLIONS OF CHINESE RECIPROCATE IT. WE TOOK THE LEAD WITH OTHERS IN THE LAST UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO SECURE APPROVAL OF A RESOLUTION ON THE INTEGRITY OF CHINA. ONLY THE UNION OF THE SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS AND ITS SATELLITES DID NOT APPROVE THAT RESOLUTION.

"(6) THE UNITED STATES WOULD WELCOME UNITED NATIONS CONSIDERATION OF THE CASE OF FORMOSA. WE WOULD APPROVE FULL UNITED NATIONS INVESTIGATION HERE, OR ON THE SPOT. WE BELIEVE THAT UNITED NATIONS CONSIDERATION WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO A PEACEFUL, RATHER THAN A FORCEABLE SOLUTION OF THAT PROBLEM.

"(7) WE DO NOT BELIEVE THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL NEED BE, OR WILL BE, DIVERTED FROM ITS CONSIDERATION OF THE AGGRESSION AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA. THERE WAS A BREACH OF THE PEACE IN KOREA. THE AGGRESSOR ATTACKED, HAS BEEN CONDEMNED, AND THE COMBINED FORCES OF THE UNITED NATIONS ARE NOW IN BATTLE TO REPEL THE AGGRESSION.

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"FORMOSA IS NOW AT PEACE AND WILL REMAIN SO UNLESS SOMEONE RESORTS TO FORCE.

"IF THE SECURITY COUNCIL WISHES TO STUDY THE QUESTION OF FORMOSA WE SHALL SUPPORT THE ASSIST THAT STUDY. MEANWHILE, THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL SHOULD DISCHARGE THE DUTIES OF HIS OFFICE AND GET ON WITH THE ITEM ON THE AGENDA, WHICH IS THE COMPLAINT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA, AND, SPECIFICALLY, THE RECOGNITION OF THE RIGHT OF THE KOREAN AMBASSADOR TO TAKE HIS SEAT AND THE VOTE ON THE UNITED STATES RESOLUTION FOR THE LOCALIZATION OF THE KOREAN CONFLICT."

THESE SEVEN POINTS ACCURATELY RECORD THE POSITION OF THE UNITED STATES.

IN THE FORTHCOMING DISCUSSION OF THE PROBLEM IN THE SECURITY COUNCIL YOU WILL CONTINUE TO HAVE MY COMLETE SAPPORT.

SINCERELY YOURS,

HARRY S. TRUMAN

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NIGHT LEAD MOBILIZATION (370)

WASHINGTON, AUG. 28-(AP)-A COMMITTEE OF BUSINESS LEADERS TODAY CALLED FOR MUCH STEEPER TAXES ON CITIZENS AND BUSINESS, BUT URGED THE GOVERNMENT TO AVOID CONTROLS WHICH MIGHT STIFLE THE GROWTH OF VITALLY NEEDED INDUSTRY.

THE COMMITTEE FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (CED), IN A SPECIAL STATEMENT SAID THE NATION NEEDS A "QUICKER AND MORE FUNDAMENTAL" CURB ON INFLATION.

THE BASIC CURE, CED SAID, IS TO WHITTLE DOWN CIVILIAN DEMANDS WHICH COMPETE WITH THE ARMS PROGRAM FOR SCARCE GOODS. IT OFFERED THIS FIVE-POINT STARTING PROGRAM:

1. CUT FEDERAL CIVILIAN SPENDING. 2 RAISE TAXES. 3 LAUNCH A VAST SAVINGS BOND DRIVE. 4 REDUCE THE MONEY SUPPLY. 5. CURTAIL CREDIT SWIFTLY.

THE GROUP URGED CONGRESS TO CREATE A "WATCHDOG COMMITTEE" TO SEEK OUT AND EXPOSE "HOARDING, SPECULATION AND EXCESSIVE PRICE OR WAGE RAISING."

CED WAS FORMED VOLUNTARILY DURING WORLD WAR 2 TO PROMOTE HIGH POSTWAR EMPLOYMENT. IT IS A PRIVATELY SUPPORTED RESEARCH AND PLANNING ORGANIZATION. ITS STATEMENT WAS RELEASED BY CHAIRMAN MARION B.FOLSOM, TREASURER OF EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY; MEYER (CQ) KESTNBAUM (CQ), PRESIDENT OF HART, SCHAFFNER AND MARX, CHICAGO; AND J. CAMERON THOMSON, PRESIDENT OF THE NORTHWEST BANCORPORATION, MINNEAPOLIS.

CED PREDICTED THAT DEFENSE SPENDING MAY RISE TO A RATE OF $30,000,000,000 (B) OR $35,000,000,000 A YEAR BY NEXT JUNE 30; THAT A "HIGH PLATEAU" OF MILITARY OUTLAY MAY LAST FOR YEARS; AND THAT DIRECT FEDERAL CONTROLS, LONG CONTINUED, COULD SMOTHER THE COUNTRY'S PRODUCTIVE POWER.

THE REPORT URGED VOLUNTARY MEASURES WHERE POSSIBLE. DIRECT PRICE, WAGE AND RATION CONTROLS, IT SAID, "ARE NOT ONLY UNNECESSARY NOW BUT WOULD ACTUALLY IMPESE THE NATION'S EFFORTS TO BUILD UP ITS MILITARY FORCE, PREVENT INFLATION AND STRENGTHEN THE ECONOMY."

SUCH RESTRICTIONS, IT SAID, WOULD INTERFERE WITH THE PRODUCING AND DISTRIBUTING PROCESS, CONGEAL THE ECONOMY, "WEAKEN INCENTIVES, DISCOURAGE ATTEMPTS TO INCREASE SUPPLIES OF SCARCE MATERIALS, AND INTERFERE WITH THE GROWTH OF PRODUCTIVITY."

THE COMMITTEE SAID PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S PENDING REQUEST FOR A $5,000,000,000 (B) TAX BOOST IS "ROUGHLY ADEQUATE AS A FIRST STEP." IT RECOMMENDED THAT THIS SHOULD BE FOLLOWED EARLY IN 1951 BY ANOTHER INCREASE "OF AT LEAST THAT AMOUNT AND POSSIBLY MORE."

CED SAID THE FUTURE TAX PROGRAM SHOULD:

HIT INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX PAYERS NOT ONLY IN THE UPPER BUT IN MIDDLE AND LOWER BRACKETS, TO REDUCE CONSUMER SPENDING.

BOOST CORPORATION RATES TO CUT DOWN BUSINESS INVESTMENT.

REVISE AND INCREASE EXCISE TAXES, ESPECIALLY ON PRODUCTS WHICH COMPETE FOR MATERIALS WITH THE ARMAMENT DRIVE--SUCH AS CARS, TELEVISION SETS, FREEZERS, AND METAL HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES. BUT THE EXCISE BOOSTS SHOULD BE "DEFINITELY LIMITED TO THE DURATION OF THE EMERGENCY."

THE COMMITTEE DISCOURAGED EXCESS PROFITS TAX PROPOSALS.

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NIGHT LEAD CONTROLS

WASHINGTON,AUG 28-(AP)-SENATOR MAYBANK (D-SC) TODAY URGED A COMPROMISE FOR BREAKING THE CONGRESSIONAL DEADLOCK OVER WAGE-PRICE-RATIONING CONTROLS IN THE HOMEFRONT MOBILIZATION BILL.

MAYBANK SAID HE WOULD PUT HIS COMPROMISE PROPOSALS BEFORE A SENATE-HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE TOMORROW. HE SAID HE HOPES THE FORMULA WILL BE ACCEPTED AND CLEAR THE WAY FOR SPEEDY PASSAGE OF THE ANTI-INFLATION MEASURE.

AS CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE, MAYBANK HEADS THE SENATE DELEGATION OF THE CONFERENCE GROUP APPOINTED TO IRON DIFFERENCES BETWEEN SEPARATE BILLS PASSED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE.

THE CHIEF POINT IN DISPUTE IS THE QUESTION OF HOW FREE A HAND PRESIDENT TRUMAN SHOULD HAVE IN IMPOSING PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS.

THE HOUSE BILL WOULD LET MR.TRUMAN PUT THE CONTROLS INTO EFFECT ON A SELECTIVE BASIS, IN ADVANCE OF ANY GENERAL PROGRAM. UNDER THE SENATE BILL, HE WOULD HAVE TO IMPOSE WAGE AND CONTROLS TOGETHER AND ALMOST ACROSS THE BOARD IF HE INVOKED THEM AT ALL.

THE ADMINISTRATION HAS BALKED AT THE SENATE BILL'S RESTRICTIONS.

MAYBANK SAID HIS PROPOSAL WOULD GIVE THE PRESIDENT DISCRETION TO APPLY EITHER GENERAL OR SELECTIVE CONTROLS IN THIS WAY:

1. THE PRESIDENT, BEFORE IMPOSING ANY PRICE OR WAGE CONTROLS, WOULD HAVE TO MAKE SPECIFIC FINDINGS IN SUPPORT OF THEM.

2. HE WOULD HAVE TO CONSULT IN ADVANCE WITH AN ADVISORY BOARD REPRESENTING INDUSTRY, LABOR, AGRICULTURE AND THE PUBLIC.

3. PRICE AND WAGE CONTROLS WOULD BE TIED MORE CLOSELY TOGETHER.

MAYBANK SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER HIS PROPOSALS WERE ACCEPTABLE TO THE PRESIDENT.

MR.TRUMAN DID NOT ASK AUTHORITY TO IMPOSE WAGEPRICE CONTROLS OR CONSUMER RATIONING AT THIS TIME, BUT TOLD CONGRESS HE WAS WILLING TO ACCEPT THIS POWER IF HE WERE ALLOWED FLEXIBILITY IN PUTTING THEM INTO EFFECT.

SENATE MEMBERS OF THE JOINT CONFERENCE COMMITTEE DEADLOCKED, 4 TO 4, LAST FRIDAY ON THE QUESTION OF JUNKING A SENATE AMENDMENT REQUIRING PRICE-WAGE CONTROLS TO BE INVOKED SIMULTANEOUSLY ON A BROAD SCALE IF PUT INTO EFFECT AT ALL.

THE VOTE WAS TAKEN IN THE ABSENCE OF SENATOR TOBEY (R-NH) AND TODAY SENATOR IVES (R-NY) WAS APPOINTED TO TAKE HIS PLACE ON THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

IVES, LIKE TOBEY, VOTED FOR THE SENATE AMENDMENT. HE TOLD A REPORTER, HOWEVER, HE WAS "WILLING TO GO ALONG ON A WORKABLE COMPROMISE, IF ONE CAN BE DEVISED."

IVES APPEARED IN A KEY POSITION TO BREAK THE STALEMATE.

THE COMMITTEE HAS AGREED TO STAY IN SESSION UNTIL MIDNIGHT TOMORROW IF NECESSARY TO HAMMER OUT A COMPROMISE THAT COULD BE TAKEN BACK TO THE HOUSE AND SENATE FOR FINAL ACTION.

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NIGHT LEAD PRESSMAN (570)

BY WILLIAM O.VARN

WASHINGTON, AUG. 28-(AP)-ATTORNEY LEE PRESSMAN ACKNOWLEDGED TODAY THAT HE CONSULTED WITH COMMUNIST LEADERS DURING HIS 10 YEARS AS GENERAL COUNSEL FOR THE CIO. BUT, HE INSISTED HE ACCEPTED NO COMMUNIST ORDERS OR DIRECTIVES WHILE SERVING IN THE POST.

HIS DEALINGS WITH COMMUNIST PARTY CHIEFTAINS ON CIO POLICIES AND ACTIVITIES, HE TOLD CONGRESSMEN, WERE ONLY SUCH AS "I DEEMED TO BE OF ASSISTANCE TO THE CIO."

PRESSMAN, A FORMER NEW DEAL LAWYER, TOLD THE HOUSE UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE THAT HE HIMSELF ONCE WAS A MEMBER OF A COMMUNIST PARTY CELL HERE. THAT WAS WHILE HE WAS AN ATTORNEY FOR THE AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ADMINISTRATION (AAA). HE SAID HE JOINED IN 1934 BUT BROKE "ORGANIZATIONALLY" WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY A YEAR LATER. HE SAID HIS BREAK IS NOW "COMPLETE AND DEFINITE."

WHEN HE TOOK OVER THE $19,000 A YEAR CIO COUNSEL POSITION IN 1938, PRESSMAN SAID, HE NEVER TOLD ANYONE THAT HE HAD BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY AND NO ONE ASKED HIM. HE CHALLENGED ANYONE TO CITE ANY OF HIS ACTIONS OR STATEMENTS FROM THAT TIME UNTIL HE LEFT IT IN

1948 WHICH WERE CONTRARY TO CIO POLICY.
PRESSMAN HAD DECLINED ON CONSTITUTIONAL GROUNDS TO TELL THE COMITTEE IN 1948 WHETHER HE EVER HAD BEEN A COMMUNIST. BY RECALLING HIM TO THE STAND TODAY, THE COMMITTEE HAD HOPED TO FILL IN "MISSING LINKS" IN THE ALGER HISS-WHITAKER CHAMBERS CASE.
BUT PRESSMAN DENIED THAT HISS, A FORMER HIGH STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL, WAS A MEMBER OF HIS COMMUNIST CELL WHILE HE WAS IN IT. HE ALSO SAID THAT HE HAS "NO KNOWLEDGE REGARDING THE POLITICAL BELIEFS OR AFFILIATIONS OF ALGER HISS."
HISS WAS CONVICTED OF PERJURY AFTER HE DENIED PASSING GOVERNMENT SECRETS TO CHAMBERS, ADMITTED COURIER FOR A PRE-WAR SOVIET SPY RING. HISS, WHO HAS APPEALED THE CONVICTION, TOLD THE COMMITTEE IN 1948 THAT HE WAS A HARVARD CLASSMATE OF PRESSMAN.
PRESSMAN DID TESTIFY THAT JOHN ABT, NATHAN WITT AND CHARLES KRAMER WERE FELLOW COMMUNISTS WITH HIM WHEN ALL WERE NEW DEAL EMPLOYES IN THE EARLY 1930S. BUT, HE SAID IT WAS OFFENSIVE FOR HIM TO HAVE TO DO SO.

ABT WAS A LAWYER FOR AAA AND LATER HELD OTHER GOVERNMENT JOBS. HE WAS ACTIVE IN HENRY WALLACE'S THIRD PARTY PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN IN 1948.
WITT ALSO WORKED FOR THE AAA AND LATER BECAME AN OFFICIAL OF THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD.
KRAMER'S POSITION IN THE AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT WAS NOT BROUGHT OUT.
CHAMBERS TOLD THE COMMITTEE TWO YEARS AGO THAT PRESSMAN WAS A MEMBER OF A WASHINGTON RED UNDERGROUND ALONG WITH ALGER HISS, KRAMER, WITT, ABT AND OTHERS.
IN NEW YORK, ABT SAID: "I HAVE NO COMMENT TO MAKE ON ANYTHING MR. LEE PRESSMAN HAS TO SAY." ABT NOW IS CHIEF COUNSEL FOR THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY WHICH WALLACE RECENTLY QUIT AFTER BEING ITS PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE TWO YEARS AGO.
WITT'S OFFICE IN NEW YORK SAID HE WAS OUT OF TOWN AND UNAVAILABLE FOR COMMENT. HIS SECRETARY SAID WITT'S LAW PARTNERSHIP WITH PRESSMAN WAS DISSOLVED LAST NOVEMBER.
PRESSMAN TOLD THE COMMITTEE ABOUT THAT AND SAID HE HAD BEEN A LAW PARTNER OF WITT FROM FEBRUARY, 1948, UNTIL THEY ENDED IT LAST FALL. HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER WITT, ABT AND KRAMER HAD BROKEN WITH THE COMMUNISTS.
PRESSMAN ALSO SAID HE HAD QUIT LAST NOVEMBER AS COUNSEL FOR THE FURRIERS'; MINE AND SMELTER WORKERS; FOOD AND TOBACCO WORKERS, AND UNITED PUBLIC WORKERS UNIONS.
REP. HARRISON (D-VA) HAD BROUGHT OUT THAT ALL OF THESE HAD BEEN EXPELLED BY THE CIO FOR COMMUNIST LEANINGS.
REP. NIXON (R-CALIF) REFERRED TO PRESSMAN'S WORK FOR THE CIO AND ASKED WHETHER THE LAWYER COULD CITE ANY INSTANCES WHEN THE CIO DEVIATED FROM THE COMMUNIST PARTY LINE.
PRESSMAN SUPPLIED WHAT HE CONSIDERED TWO. HE SAID HE HELPED CIO PRESIDENT PHILIP MURRAY PREPARE A STATEMENT SUPPORTING LEND-LEASE AT A TIME THE COMMUNISTS WERE AGAINST LEND-LEASE. AND HE SAID THE CIO CONVENTION IN 1940 ADOPTED A RESOLUTION CONDEMNING COMMUNISM.
WHEN HE WAS RECRUITED INTO THE COMMUNIST CELL IN 1934, PRESSMAN SAID THE GROUP RECEIVED "LITERATURE OF A COMMUNIST NATURE." HE SAID THE LITERATURE WAS READ AND DISCUSSED AT MEETINGS WHICH WERE HEL ONCE A MONTH OR OFTENER, USUALLY AT THE MEMBERS' HOMES.
REP. COX (D-GA) LATER TOLD THE HOUSE PRESSMAN'S TESTIMONY WAS "A SICKENING PERFORMANCE." BUT REP. WALTER (D-PA) A COMMITTEE MEMBER, SAID PRESSMAN HAD MADE A "GREAT CONTRIBUTION TO THE COMMITTEE'S WORK" BY ENCOURAGING OTHERS TO COME FORWARD.
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NIGHT LEAD DOCTOR-DRAFT (500)
BY STERLING F.GREEN
WASHINGTON,AUG.28-(AP)-POWER TO DRAFT DOCTORS AND DENTISTS WON UNANIMOUS APPROVAL OF THE SENATE ARMED FORCES COMMITTEE TODAY AND WENT TO THE SENATE WITH A "RUSH" TAG ATTACHED.
A COMPANION BILL NEARED COMPLETION IN THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE BUT IT CARRIED THIS EXTRA STINGER: MEDICOS WHO WAITED TO BE DRAFTED WOULD NOT GET THE $100 MONTHLY EXTRA PAY GIVEN TO MOST MEDICAL VOLUNTEERS.
THE SENATE BILL WOULD ALLOW DRAFTEES THE PREMIUM PAY. THE HOUSE REVISION OF THIS, PROPOSED BY REP.KILDAY (D-TEX), WILL GET FINAL ACTION TOMORROW WHEN THE HOUSE COMMITTEE VOTES ON THE ENTIRE BILL.
THE SENATE COMMITTEE ALSO:
1. TURNED DOWN A MILITARY REQUEST FOR REGISTRATION AND POSSIBLE DRAFTING OF SCIENTISTS AND TECHNICIANS, INCLUDING CHEMISTS AND ENGINEERS, ON GROUNDS THIS WEEPING POWER IS NOT CALLED FOR AT PRESENT
2. APPROVED RETAINING THE WORLD WAR II POLICY OF DEFERRING PRE-MEDICAL AND PRE-DENTAL STUDENTS IN NUMBERS SUFFICIENT TO KEEP THE PROFESSIONS SUPPLIED WITH PRESENT LEVELS OF MANPOWER.
IN MOST RESPECTS THE SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS APPARENTLY WILL BE PARALLEL. THEY WERE DRAFTED TO MEET A MILITARY DEMAND ESTIMATED BY ONE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT WITNESS AT 7,666 MEDICAL MEN BY NEXT JUNE 30.
FEW ACTUAL INDUCTIONS ARE EXPECTED. LEGISLATORS SAID, HOWEVER, THEY EXPECT THE CONGRESSIONAL ACTION TO SPEED UP THE RATE OF MEDICAL VOLUNTEERS, BECAUSE THE CHOICE MAY BE: VOLUNTEER AS AN OFFICER, OR RUN THE RISK OF BEING DRAFTED AS A PRIVATE LATER.
MILITARY WITNESSES TESTIFIED THAT SOME 10,000 OF THE 31,000 YOUTHS TRAINED MOSTLY AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE UNDER MILITARY MEDICAL PROGRAMS SAW LITTLE OR NO ACTIVE DUTY AND ARE NOT IN THE RESERVES.
BOTH BILLS WOULD EXEMPT FROM THE DRAFT MEDICAL MEN WHO WERE IN THE RESERVE ON AUGUST 16, 1950. THE HOUSE IS CONSIDERING GIVING POTENTIAL DRAFTEES A CHANCE TO SIGN UP WITH RESERVE UNITS BEFORE THE MEASURE BECOMES LAW. A RESERVIST MAY BE CALLED UP REGARDLESS OF HIS CONSENT.

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THE SENATE COMMITTEE CHOSE SEN.HUNT (D-WYO), A DENTIST, TO HERD THE BILL THROUGH THE SENATE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
THE MEASURE WOULD PERMIT DOCTORS, DENTISTS AND ALLIED SPECIALISTS TO BE INDUCTED AS ENLISTED MEN IN THE BOTTOM RANKS OF THE ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE.
IT CALLS FOR REGISTRATION OF PHYSICIANS AND ALLIED SPECIALISTS THROUGH 55, AND OF DENTISTS THROUGH AGE 45. NO GENERAL REGISTRATION IS PLANNED, HOWEVER; INSTEAD, SPECIAL CATEGORIES OR CLASSES WOULD BE CALLED FOR REGISTRATION AND INDUCTION AS NEEDED.
THE HOUSE BILL WOULD PROVIDE FOR INDUCTION OF BOTH DOCTORS AND DENTISTS THROUGH 45 YEARS.
ONE OF THE LEGISLATORS' AIMS IS TO BRING INTO SERVICE THE YOUTHS WHO SAW LITTLE SERVICE BEFORE DIPPING DEEPLY INTO THE POOL OF ABOUT 40,400 RESERVISTS--17,700 IN THE ARMY, 21,100 IN THE NAVY, AND 1,600 IN THE AIR FORCE.
DR.RICHARD MEILING, DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES OF THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, SAID 1,195 RESERVISTS HAVE BEEN CALLED SO FAR.
BASED ON AN ARMED FORCE OF 2,500,000 MEN BY NEXT JUNE 30, THERE WILL BE NEEDED 5,024 DOCTORS AND 2,642 DENTISTS, HE SAID, OR A TOTAL OF 7,666. THIS IS ABOUT [illegible] FEWER THAN THE TOTAL NUMBER ALREADY SERVING.
BOTH BILLS FIX AN ORDER OF PRIORITY FOR THE CALL TO SERVICE, AS FOLLOWS:
FIRST, THOSE DEFERRED IN THE LAST WAR AND EDUCATED UNDER MILITARY PROGRAMS, WHO HAVE HAD LESS THAN 90 DAYS ACTIVE MILITARY SERVICE IN

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THEIR PROFESSIONS.
SECOND, THOSE IN THE SAME CATEGORY WHO HAVE HAD MORE THAN 90 DAYS SERVICE BUT LESS THAN 21 MONTHS.
THIRD, THOSE WHO HAD NO MILITARY SERVICE IN THE WORLD WAR, OR SINCE SEPTEMBER OF 1940; THAT IS, THOSE WHO CONTINUED THEIR CIVILIAN PRACTICES DURING WORLD WAR II.
FOURTH, ALL OTHERS. THOSE WITH LONGER SERVICE IN THE LAST WAR WOULD BE THE LAST TO BE CALLED.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EASTERN STANDARD TIME TODAY,AUGUST 28)
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REPUBLICANS(480)
BY JACK BELL
(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON,AUG.28-(AP)-THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE ISSUED TODAY A CAMPAIGN "WHITE PAPER" CONTENDING THAT ADMINISTRATION POLICIES ON CHINA, KOREA AND FORMOSA HAD "BOOMERANGED" DISASTROUSLY.
IN A 20,000-WORD DOCUMENT SUPPLIED TO GOP CANDIDATES, THE COMMITTEE CHARGED THROUGH QUOTATIONS FROM PARTY OFFICE HOLDERS THAT REPUBLICANS HAD NOT BEEN CONSULTED ABOUT FAR EASTERN DECISIONS.
"KOREA AND RORMOSA MUST BE ADDED TO CHINA AS INSTANCES WHERE THE BOOMERANG OF FAR EASTERN POLICY HAS MET ITSELF COMING BACK," THE REPORT DECLARED.
THE "WHITE PAPER" SUPPLEMENTS STATEMENTS PREVIOUSLY ISSUED BY THE HOUSE REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE AND BY GOP MEMBERS OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE ATTACKING ADMINISTRATION POLICIES.
BOTH STATEMENTS WERE REPEATED IN THE COMMITTEE DOCUMENT, WHICH CARRIED QUOTATIONS FROM DEMOCRATIC OFFICIALS AS WELL AS FROM REPUBLICANS ON FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS, BEGINNING WITH BLASTS ISSUED AS LONG AS 11 YEARS AGO BY REPUBLICANS IN CONGRESS AGAINST DEMOCRATIC POLICIES.
IN COMMENTS INTERSPERSED IN THE RECORD OF OFFICIAL UTTERANCES, THE COMMITTEE CHARGED THAT THE YALTA AGREEMENT WHICH BROUGHT RUSSIA INTO THE WAR AGAINST JAPAN "HASTENED THE DAY WHEN A HOSTILE, RED CHINA WOULD REPLACE THE INDEPENDENT, FRIENDLY GOVERNMENT WHICH HAD BEEN HELD TO BE ESSENTIAL TO AMERICAN INTERESTS AND SECURITY."
IT QUOTED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON AS SAYING IN FEBRUARY 1949 THAT ADMINISTRATION POLICY WAS TO "WAIT UNTIL THE DUST SETTLES" IN CHINA BEFORE ESTABLISHING A POLICY.
"THE DUST HAD SETTLED OVER UNFORTUNATE CHINA--A RED DUST," THE REPUBLICAN REPORT SAID. "WE HAD LOST THE 'STRONG FRIENDLY GOVERNMENT' ON COMMUNISM'S SOUTHERN ASIATIC FLANK."
THE GOP WHITE PAPER WAS WRITTEN BEFORE PRESIDENT TRUMAN CANCELLED MACARTHUR'S MESSAGE ON FORMOSA. BUT THE DOCUMENT CARRIED AT LENGTH STATEMENTS CONCERNING THAT ISLAND.
IT NOTED THAT IN NOVEMBER,1949, SENATOR H.ALEXANDER SMITH (R-NJ) HAD URGED SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON NOT TO LET FORMOSA FALL INTO COMMUNIST HANDS. SMITH SUGGESTED JOINT OCCUPATION OF FORMOSA WITH THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS.

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THE WHITE PAPER SAID THAT FORMER PRESIDENT HOOVER, SENATOR TAFT (R-OHIO) AND SENATOR KNOWLAND (R-CALIF) HAD URGED EARLY IN JANUARY THAT THE NAVY BE SENT TO DEFEND FORMOSA.
IT CITED PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENT ON JAN.5,1950, THAT "THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WILL NOT PROVIDE MILITARY AID OR ADVICE TO CHINESE FORCES ON FORMOSA."
THE REPUBLICANS NOTED PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S JANUARY 12 NEWS CONFERENCE REMARK THAT TAFT WAS NO MILITARY EXPERT AS HE COMMENTED ON TAFT'S PROPOSAL TO SEND THE NAVY TO FORMOSA.
THE DOCUMENT THEN CITED THE JUNE 27 STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT THAT, UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES CREATED BY THE COMMUNIST ATTACK IN KOREA, "THE OCCUPATION OF FORMOSA BY COMMUNIST FORCES WOULD BE A DIRECT THREAT TO THE SECURITY OF THE PACIFIC AREA AND TO UNITED STATES FORCES PERFORMING THEIR LAWFUL AND NECESSARY FUNCTIONS IN THAT AREA."
THE PRESIDENT ORDERED THE SEVENTH FLEET TO PROTECT FORMOSA FROM ATTACK AND ORDERED IT TO SEE THAT THE CHINESE NATIONALISTS THERE CEASE ALL AIR AND SEA OPERATIONS AGAINST THE CHINA MAINLAND.
(END ADVANCE FOR USE AT 6 P.M.EST TODAY AUGUST 28)
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(500) PMS BUDGET
EAST-WEST TRADE
BY JOHN M.HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, AUG.28-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES HAS DECIDED TO TRY TO TIGHTEN UP THE SYSTEM OF TRADE CONTROLS BY WHICH STRATEGIC MATERIALS ARE SUPPOSED TO BE KEPT FROM RUSSIA.
STATE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS CONCEDE IN TALKS WITH NEWSMEN THAT IMPORTANT WAR POTENTIAL GOODS HAVE BEEN LEAKING OUT TO THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES THROUGH LOOPHOLES. BUT CLOSING THOSE LOOPHOLES INVOLVES A DIFFICULT PROBLEM OF COOPERATION BY OTHER GOVERNMENTS SINCE MOST OF THEM ARE IN WESTERN EUROPE.
SOME AMERICAN EXPERTS ON ECONOMIC POLICY SAY THAT WHAT THE UNITED STATES IS FACED WITH HERE IS ECONOMIC WARFARE WITH THE COMMUNIST COUNTRIES. OTHERS CONTEND THE QUESTION IS SIMPLER, BEING CONCERNED SOLELY WITH PREVENTING THE RUSSIANS FROM GETTING AMERICAN OR WESTERN EUROPEAN GOODS WHICH WOULD AID THEM IN A MILITARY SENSE.
THE WHOLE MATTER WAS REVIEWED BY THE PRESIDENT'S TOP POLICY MAKING AGENCY, THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL, LAST THURSDAY. RELIABLE SOURCES WHO CANNOT BE NAMED SAY THE GOVERNMENT THEN DECIDED THAT STEPS MUST BE TAKEN TO PREVENT THE LOSS OF IMPORTANT MATERIALS NOW GOING THROUGH TO THE SOVIETS.
THE FIRST IMPORTANT MOVE ALONG THIS LINE IS EXPECTED TO BE TAKEN BY SECRETARY OF STATE ACHESON WHEN HE MEETS WITH BRITISH FOREIGN MINISTER BEVIN AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMAN IN NEW YORK SEPT.12.
RECENTLY WORD GOT OUT HERE THAT A SHIPMENT OF ABOUT 50 TONS OF THE STEEL HARDENING METAL MOLYBDENUM, EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES TO BRITAIN WAS THEN TRANSHIPPED TO THE SOVIET UNION. LEARNING OF THIS, THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT CANCELED THE LICENSE WHICH WOULD HAVE PERMITTED SHIPMENT OF A LARGE ADDITIONAL QUANTITY.
ON ANOTHER PHASE OF THE SAME PROBLEM, FORMER PRIME MINISTER WINSTON CHURCHILL DECLARED IN A POLITICAL SPEECH IN BRITAIN SATURDAY THAT A BRITISH FACTORY WAS TURNING OUT TOOLS SUITABLE FOR THE REPAIR OF TANKS FOR THE RUSSIANS.
THE EXPORT CONTROL SYSTEM IS VERY LOOSELY ORGANIZED. AMERICAN OFFICIALS HAVE NEVER BEEN SATISFIED WITH THE EXTENT TO WHICH WESTERN EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS, NEEDING TRADE WITH THE EAST AND FINDING IT PROFITABLE, WERE WILLING TO COOPERATE IN DENYING RUSSIA CERTAIN TYPES OF GOODS.

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FOR THE PURPOSE OF THESE CONTROLS ALL GOODS ARE DIVIDED INTO THREE CATEGORIES: PROHIBITED ARE THOSE LIKE WEAPONS OR TOOLS FOR MAKING WEAPONS; RESTRICTED BUT STILL SOLD IN LARGE QUANTITIES ARE THOSE WHICH. LIKE MACHINE TOOLS. MIGHT BE USEFUL FOR WAR PURPOSES;

A FREE LIST COVERS STRICTLY CONSUMER GOODS.
IN THE UNITED STATES ALL SHIPMENTS OPENLY CONSIGNED TO RUSSIA OR THE COMMUNIST CONTRIES MUST BE LICENSED, EXCEPT FOR CONSUMER GOODS. WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES DO NOT ALL USE THE SAME LICENSING PROCEDURE NOR ARE THEIR LISTS OR PROHIBITED AND RESTRICTED GOODS AS TIGHT AS THOSE OF THE UNITED STATES.
THE INTERNATIONAL PROBLEM FOR ACHESON IS TO TRY TO PERSUADE THE BRITISH, FRENCH, BELGIAN AND OTHER FRIENDLY GOVERNMENTS TO SWITCH A NUMBER OF THESE ITEMS--ALL LISTS ARE SECRET--FROM THE RESTRICTED TO THE PROHIBITED CATEGORY AND TO ADD TO THE PROHIBITED CLASS VARIOUS MATERIALS NOW SHIPPED MORE OR LESS FREELY TO THE SOVIET.
THE RESULT OF THIS TIGHTENING UP WOULD BE TO CUT DOWN ON TRADE BETWEEN WESTERN EUROPEA AND THE COMMUNIST BLOC BUT THERE ARE SOME RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES WHO BELIEVE THE MARSHALL PLAN COUNTRIES CAN NO LONGER AFFORD TO RELY ON EAST-WEST TRADE ANYWAY.
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CASUALTIES
WASHINGTON, AUG.28-(AP)-THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT RELEASED A LIST OF 929 CASUALTIES OF THE KOREAN FIGHTING--THE LONGEST OF THE WAR--FOR TODAY'S NEWSPAPERS.
A SPOKESMAN SAID THE LIST REPRESENTED A "BACKLOG" BECAUSE CASUALTIE ARE NOT PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED UNTIL NEXT OF KIN HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED.
THE DEPARTMENT HAS NOT RECENTLY ISSUED ANY CASUALTY TOTALS, SAYING THAT MILITARY SECURITY IS INVOLVED.
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B77WX (SAR MORSE) (Q)
(130) MORSE
WASHINGTON,AUG 28-(AP)-SENATOR MORSE (R-ORE) SAID TODAY THERE IS DANGER IN THE THEORY THAT "WE CAN LICK RUSSIA BY AN ATOMIC BOMB ATTACK."
"IF WAR COMES AS SOON AS NEXT WEEK WE MUST FACE THE FACT THAT WITHIN A SHORT TIME RUSSIA WOULD BE ABLE TO LAUNCH AN ATTACK WHICH WOULD REDUCE TO RUBBLE SEVERAL AMERICAN CITIES," MORSE, A MEMBER OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE TOLD A REPORTER.
HE ADDED THAT HE WAS NOT IMPLYING RUSSIA NOW HAS A LARGE STOCKPILE OF ATOMIC BOMBS. HE SAID HE BASED HIS ESTIMATE UPON RUSSIAN AIRPOWER AND OTHER TYPES OF BOMBS.
MORSE SAID THIS COUNTRY MUST TAKE CARE THAT "WE DO NOT LET RUSSIA PICK THE BATTLEGROUNDS AND GET US INVOLVED IN A PLACE SUCH AS CHINA."
INSTEAD, MORSE SAID THIS COUNTRY SHOULD "STRENGTHEN OUR OWN DEFENSE AND AID THOSE OF OUR FRIENDS SO THAT RUSSIA WILL NOT DARE TO ATTACK THE DEMOCRACIES."
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WASHINGTON,AUG.28-(AP)-THREE MEMBERS OF A NEW INTERNATIONAL CLAIMS COMMISSION WERE SWORN IN TODAY AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO DECIDE ON CLAIMS RESULTING FROM COMMUNIST YUGOSLAVIA'S SEIZURE OF AMERICAN OWNED PROPERTY.
YUGOSLAVIA IN A 1948 SETTLEMENT AGREED TO PAY $17,000,000. THE UNITED STATES AT THE SAME TIME AGREED TO RELEASE $54.000.000 IN GOLD WHICH HAD BEEN "FROZEN" BY THIS GOVERNMENT.
NEW COMMISSION MEMBERS ARE JOSIAH MARVEL OF DELAWARE, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO DENMARK, RAYMOND S.MCKEOUGH, FORMER ILLINOIS CONGRESSMAN, AND ROY S.BAKER OF TEXAS, ONETIME PRESIDENT OF A YOUNG DEMOCRATS ORGANIZATION.
THE NEW COMMISSION ALSO WAS CHARGED BY CONGRSS WITH WORKING OUT PROCEDURES FOR SETTLEMENT OF ANY OTHER CLAIMS WHICH MIGHT ARISE UNDER AGREEMENT LIKE THAT WITH YUGOSLAVIA. MEMBERS WERE APPOINTED FOR FOUR YEAR TERMS.
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B8WX (SCEG)
(320) GENOCIDE
WASHINGTON, AUG.28-(AP)-THE OLD QUESTION OF STATES RIGHTS BOBBED UP TODAY TO THREATEN DELAY IN SENATE ACTION ON AN INTERNATIONAL GENOCIDE TREATY PRESIDENT TRUMAN HAS URGED BE GIVEN SPEEDY APPROVAL.
THE PRESIDENT WROTE CHAIRMAN CONNALLY (D-TEX) OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE OVER THE WEEK-END THAT APPROVAL OF THE TREATY WOULD PUT ON NOTICE "CERTAIN NATIONS" WHICH HE SAID CONSIDER MASS EXTERMINATION OF POPULATIONS "A JUSTIFIABLE MEANS TO PROMOTE THEIR POLITICAL OBJECTIVES."
MR.TRUMAN DIDN'T NAME THE "CERTAIN NATIONS."
SENATOR MCMAHON (D-CONN), CHAIRMAN OF A SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH HAS APPROVED THE TREATY, HAS SAID HE WILL SEEK FULL COMMITTEE ACTION ON IT TOMORROW.
THE TREATY WOULD OUTLAW THE DESTRUCTION OF NATIONAL, RACIAL OR RELIGIOUS GROUPS AND PROVIDE PUNISHMENTS. IT WAS THE OUTGROWTH OF NAZI PERSECUTION OF JEWS DURING THE LAST WAR.
COMMITTEE ACTION MAY BE DELAYED, HOWEVER, UNTIL SOME MEMBERS ARE SATISFIED WITH PROPOSED RESERVATIONS. THEY ARE DESIGNED TO MAKE IT CLEAR THAT IN APPROVING THE TREATY THE UNITED STATES WOULD NOT BE GIVING ANY INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL THE RIGHT TO INTERVENE IN CASES INVOLVING LYNCHINGS OR RACE RIOTS.
MCMAHON'S SUBCOMMITTEE ALREADY HAS PROPOSED A SERIES OF RESERVATIONS. ONE OF THEM SPECIFIES THAT GENOCIDE INVOLVES "INTENT TO DESTROY AN ENTIRE NATIONAL, ETHNICAL, RACIAL OR RELIGIOUS GROUP WITHIN THE TERRITORY OF THE UNITED STATES IN SUCH A MANNER AS TO AFFECT A SUBSTANTIAL PORTION OF THE GROUP CONCERNED."
THIS WAS AIMED AT PREVENTING ISOLATED LYNCHINGS OR RACE RIOTS FROM BEING CLASSIFIED AS GENOCIDE AND BECOMING SUBJECT TO INTERNATIONAL ACTION.
MCMAHON ALSO HAS PROPOSED A RESERVATION TO SPECIFY THAT THE TREATY DOESN'T ENLARGE FEDERAL POWERS AT THE EXPENSE OF STATE AUTHORITY.
THESE RESERVATIONS MAY SATISFY THE STATES RIGHTS ADVOCATES ON THE COMMITTEE, WHO INCLUDE SUCH INFLUENTIAL MEMBERS AS CONNALLY AND SENATORS GEORGE (D-GA) AND FULBRIGHT (D-ARK).
THUS FAR, HOWEVER, THE SENATE LEADERSHIP HASN'T MADE ANY PLACE ON ITS DOCKET FOR ACTION ON THE TREATY. UNLESS PRESIDENT TRUMAN PUSHES THE MATTER FURTHER, THE MATTER MAY GO OVER UNTIL LATER IN THE YEAR OR UNTIL THE NEXT CONGRESS.
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WASHINGTON, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE CHARTER OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES WAS RATIFIED TODAY BY THE SENATE.
THIS MADE THE UNITED STATES THE NINTH COUNTRY TO ACCEPT THE CHARTER AND THEREBY JOIN IN AN ORGANIZATION SET UP TO PROMOTE PEACE AND MAINTAIN GOOD RELATIONS AMONG THE 21 AMERICAN REPUBLICS.

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ITS FUNCTIONS ARE SIMILAR TO THOSE OF THE UNITED NATIONS SAVE THAT IT INTERESTS CENTER IN THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE.

SEVEN COUNTRIES PREVIOUSLY HAD DEPOSITED THEIR NOTICES OF RATIFICATION. THEY ARE BRAZIL, COSTA RICA, HONDURAS, MEXICO, NICARAGUA, PARAGUAY AND THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.

EL SALVADOR ALSO HAS RATIFIED THE CHARTER BUT HAS NOT YET FILED ITS PAPERS.

THE CHARTER BECOMES EFFECTIVE WHEN FOURTEEN OF THE 21 REPUBLICS HAVE DEPOSITED THEIR RATIFICATIONS WITH THE OAS IN WASHINGTON.

THE SENATE RATIFIED THE CHARTER BY VOICE VOTE.

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WASHINGTON, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE SENATE TODAY UNANIMOUSLY CONFIRMED LIEUT. GEN. WALTER BEDELL SMITH AS DIRECTOR OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY.

GEN. SMITH, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW, SUCCEEDS REAR ADMIRAL ROSCOE H.HILLENKOETTER, WHO WILL TAKE OVER A NAVY COMMAND AT SEA.

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PORTSMOUTH,N.H.,AUG 28-(AP)-A SCHEDULED SPEECH BY OWEN LATTIMORE WAS CANCELLED BY MANAGEMENT OF THE FASHIONABLE WENTWORTH-BY-THE-SEA HOTEL LAST NIGHT BECAUSE OF PROTESTS BY GUESTS.

JAMES B.SMITH, OWNER OF THE RESORT HOTEL, SAID 210 OF 350 GUESTS VOTED 121 TO 89 IN A POLL AGAINST LATTIMORE'S APPEARANCE AT AN INFORMAL "SUNDAY NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT SESSION." THE 140 OTHER GUESTS, HE SAID, DID NOT RETURN BALLOTS.

SMITH SAID HE DECIDED ON TAKING A POLL TO DETERMINE THE SENTIMENT OF THE MAJORITY OF GUESTS AFTER SEVERAL PROTESTED VERBALLY.

LATTIMORE, WHOSE SUBJECT WAS TO HAVE BEEN "THE SITUATION IN ASIA," SAID HE WAS "EXTREMELY SORRY" AT NOT BEING ALLOWED TO SPEAK.

HE ADDED THAT HE WISHED TO "MAKE IT CLEAR THAT I AM VACATIONING FROM MY DUTIES AS DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AT JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVEL
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MY DUTIES AS DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AT JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY AND THESE TALKS I HAVE GIVEN RECENTLY HAVE BEEN AT THE REQUEST OF FRIENDS WHO ASKED ME TO STOP DURING MY TRIP."

HIS APPEARANCE AT WENTWORTH-BY-THE-SEA HAD BEEN SPONSORED BY WENDELL G.

HIS APPEARANCE AT WENTWORTH-BY-THE-SEA HAD BEEN SPONSORED BY WILLIAM G.WENDELL, WEALTHY PORTSMOUTH RESIDENT DESCRIBED AS "AN OLD FRIEND OF LATTIMORE'S."

LATTIMORE, A FAR EASTERN EXPERT, RECENTLY WAS CHARGED BY SEN.MC CARTHY (R-SIS) WITH BEING RUSSIA'S "TOP SPY" IN THIS COUNTRY. HE WAS CLEARED OF ALL CHARGES BY A SENATE INVESTIGATING C

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BREAD LOAF, VT.,AUG.28-(AP)-OWEN LATTIMORE, CENTRAL FIGURE IN THE RECENT SENATE INVESTIGATION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT, SAID TODAY ATTEMPTS "ARE BEING MADE TO BROWBEAT INDEPENDENT OPINION."

LATTIMORE SPOKE AT THE 25TH ANNUAL BREAD LOAF WRITER'S CONFERENCE OF AUTHORS, PUBLISHERS, WRITERS AND NEWSPAPERMEN.

HE MADE NO DIRECT REFERENCE TO THE CANCELLATION OF HIS SCHEDULED SPEECH LAST NIGHT AT THE FASHIONABLE WENTWORTH-BY-THE-SEA HOTEL IN PORTSMOUTH, N.H., AFTER A POLL OF GUESTS SHOWED THE MAJORITY OPPOSED TO HIS APPEARANCE.

"THE BULL-DOZING AND BULLYING OF THE AMERICAN WRITER AND READER," LATTIMORE DECLARED, "MAKE IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR CITIZENS TO MAKE THE DECISIONS OF A DEMOCRACY IN FREE DEBATE.

"IT WILL BE THE END OF OUR DEMOCRACY IF WE EVER LET THE INDEPENDENT WRITER BE TERRORIZED THAT WAY."

HE CHARGED THAT "FANTATICAL GROUPS" WERE TRYING TO ENFORCE A "NEW STANDARD OF DEBATE--DEBATE BY ACCUSATION AND VILLIFICATION." HE NAMED THE SO-CALLED CHINA LOBBY AS "ONE OF THE MOST RUTHLESS AND SAVAGE" OF THOSE GROUPS.

LATTIMORE SAID THE "CHINA LOBXY" SEEKS THE ALL-OUT INTERVENTION OF THE U.S. IN THE AFFAIRS OF CHINA.

LATTIMORE, EXPERT ON FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS, WAS CLEARED BY A SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE OF CHARGES BY SEN.MC CARTHY (R-WIS) THAT HE WAS THE TOP SOVIET AGENT IN THIS COUNTRY.

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PORTLAND, ORE., AUG. 28-(AP)-GEORGE RAY TWEED---THE "YANKEE GHOST OF GUAM" DURING WARTIME JAPANESE OCCUPATION OF THAT PACIFIC ISLAND---IS BACK IN THE NAVY.

TWEED HID IN THE JUNGLE AND CAVES OF GUAM AFTER IT WAS OVERRUN BY THE JAPANESE FORCES IN WORLD WAR II. HE WAS THE LONE AMERICAN SURVIVOR OF THE ENEMY OCCUPATION.

A 22 YEAR NAVY VETERAN, TWEED HAS BEEN RECALLED FROM THE FLEET RESERVE. HE IS 48 YEARS OLD AND FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS HAS LIVED ON A FARM NEAR GRANTS PASS, ORE.

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NIGHT LEAD (310)

OMAHA,AUG. 26-(AP)-THE AMERICAN LABOR MOVEMENT BACKS PRESIDENT TRUMAN "IN HIS COURAGEOUS STAND TO SUPPORT THE VICTIMS OF COMMUNIST ATTACK IN ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD," ASSISTANT LABOR SECRETARY RALPH WRIGHT SAID TONIGHT.

THE PRESIDENT'S STAND ON THE KOREAN WAR "IS AN IMPORTANT PART OF THE PROGRAM FOR THE LABOR MOVEMENT BECAUSE IT IS THE FREE LABOR MOVEMENT WHICH SUFFERS FIRST FROM COMMUNIST AGGRESSION," HE DECLARED.

IN AN ADDRESS PREPARED FOR A BANQUET SESSION OF THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES (AFL), SECRETARY WRIGHT SAID "FREE TRADE UNIONS CAN EXIST ONLY IN A DEMOCRACY."

WRIGHT EXPRESSED REGRET THAT "DESPITE THE RISING COST OF LIVING, STRONG SENTIMENT IS FOUND TO GIVE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES WHAT IS TANTAMOUNT TO A WAGE CUT BY REDUCTIONS IN ANNUAL LEAVE AND SICK LEAVE.

"OVER PAST MONTHS SOME PEOPLE SEEM TO HAVE BEEN TRYING TO MAKE CAREERS OF QUESTIONING THE LOYALTY AND PATRIOTISM OF GOVERNMENT

PERSONNEL," HE CONTINUED.
ASSISTANT SECRETARY WRIGHT SAID THE BARRAGE OF BASELESS CHARGES HAS TENDED TO MAKE SOME "UNTHINKING PEOPLE" WONDER WHETHER IN THE GOVERNMENT OFFICES "A COMMUNIST SPY IS NOT LURKING BEHIND EVERY POST.

"THESE CHARGES AND THE CRITICISMS TRADITIONALLY UTTERED BY SOME THAT GOVERNMENT WORKERS ARE INEFFICIENT LOAFERS AND CLOCK-WATCHING TIME-SERVERS ARE SIMPLY NOT FAIR TO THE GREAT BODY OF SPLENDID PEOPLE WHO WORK FOR THE GOVERNMENT," HE SAID.

WRIGHT DESCRIBED GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES AS A GROUP AS BEING AMONG THE "ABLEST, HARDEST-WORKING AND MOST CONSCIENTIOUS AND DEVOTED LOYAL AMERICAN CITIZENS I HAVE EVER KNOWN. MY COMPLIMENTS TO YOU; YOU ARE GOOD PEOPLE TO KNOW."

THE CONVENTION DELEGATES SPENT THE AFTERNOON IN INFORMAL GATHERINGS AND SIGHTSEEING IN OMAHA. AMONG THE POINTS THEY VISITED WAS BOYS TOWN, NEB. BUSINESS SESSIONS WILL CONTINUE TOMORROW. DONALD DAWSON, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN, WILL MAKE THE PRINCIPAL ADDRESS.

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CHARLESTON, W.VA.,AUG.28-(AP)-A 16-YEAR-OLD VETERAN WHO THREE WEEKS AGO WAS ON THE NAKTONG RIVER LINE WAS BACK IN CIVVIES TODAY. THE ARMY FOUND OUT HOW OLD HE WAS.

THE ONLY PROBLEM NOW BEFORE RODNEY ALLISON KELLER IS WHETHER HE SHOULD GO BACK TO HIGH SCHOOL. HE QUIT LAST SEPTEMBER, TOLD A STORY ABOUT HIS AGE AND GOT INTO THE ARMY AT FORT KNOX, KY.

YOUNG KELLER PUT IN 14 WEEKS OF TRAINING AND WENT TO JAPAN IN FEBRUARY. AS A PRIVATE IN THE 24TH INFANTRY DIVISION'S COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, HE REACHED KOREA ON JULY 2.

THE YOUNGSTER COUNTED 42 DAYS OF COMBAT DUTY BEFORE HIS AGE CAUGHT UP WITH HIM. NEITHER RODNEY NOR HIS PARENTS, MR. AND MRS. HERBERT KELLER, WOULD SAY HOW THE ARMY DISCOVERED HE WAS LEGALLY TOO YOUNG TO FIGHT.

LOOKING BACK ON IT ALL, RODNEY REMEMBERED HOW HE AND HIS BUDDIES AT FIRST LOOKED UPON THE CAMPAIGN AS SOMETHING OF A JOKE. BUT IT TURNED INTO AN EXPERIENCE OF MOUNTING HORROR.

OF THE DELAYING ACTIONS FOUGHT BY U.S. AND SOUTH KOREAN TROOPS AS THEY FELL BACK UNDER THE FIRST NORTH KOREAN ONSLAUGHTS, RODNEY SAID:

"SOMETIMES A MAN WOULD BECOME HYSTERICAL FROM FRIGHT AND START RUNNING TO THE REAR. THEN THE FEAR WOULD SPREAD TO A FEW OF HIS BUDDIES UNTIL THE WHOLE OUTFIT WAS RUNNING AND THE OFFICERS WITH THEM."

THE YOUNG VETERAN HAD HIGH PRAISE FOR SOUTH KOREAN FORCES, SAYING THAT "ONCE, A DIVISION OF THE SOUTHERNERS WAS ORDERED TO WITHDRAW TO ANOTHER SECTOR, BUT REFUSED UNTIL ALLOWED A FEW MORE HOURS OF FIGHTING."

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BATAVIA,O.,AUG.28-(AP)-U.S.SENATOR ROBERT A.TAFT (R-OHIO) DECLARED HERE TODAY THAT "IT'S THE WAVERING AND THE WEAKNESS OF THE FOREIGN POLICY OF THE TRUMAN ADMINISTRATION THAT COULD LEAD TO A THIRD WORLD WAR."

THE SENATOR, STARTING A NEW SWING IN HIS CAMPAIGN FOR RE-ELECTION AGAINST DEMOCRAT JOSEPH T.FERGUSON, SPOKE AT A CLERMONT COUTNY RALLY. HE REFERRED DIRECTLY TO PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S RECALL OF A STATEMENT FROM GEN.DOUGLAS MACARTHUR THAT WAS TO HAVE BEEN READ TODAY AT A VFW CONVENTION IN CHICAGO.

IN THAT CONNECTION HE SAID A REVERSAL IN FOREIGN POLICY ABOUT FORMOSA WOULD BE "REGRETTABLE."

THE SENATOR DECLARED THAT IF THE UNITED STATES HAD LET RUSSIA KNOW IT INTENDED TO DEFEND SOUTH KOREA IF BROUGHT UNDER ATTACK "WE WOULD NOT BE IN THE PRESENT WAR."

TAFT ALSO BLAMED THE ADMINISTRATION FOR WHAT HE SAID WAS THE FAILURE TO KEEP THE MILITARY FORCES IN PROPER CONDITION AND SAID THERE WOULD BE A FULL-SCALE INVESTIGATION OF WHAT HAS BEEN DONE WITH APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES.

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NEW HAVEN, AUG.28-(AP)-JUDGE CHARLES E.CLARK OF THE U.S.COURT OF APPEALS TODAY GRANTED COUNSEL FOR JUDITH COPLON OF BROOKLYN, N.Y., AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNTIL OCT.2 TO APPEAL FROM HER CONVICTION ON SPY CHARGES.

THE ACTION CAME AFTER A BRIEF HEARING IN THE JURIST'S CHAMBERS HERE. THE HEARING WAS HELD HERE BECAUSE THE FEDERAL COURT OF APPEALS IS NOT NOW IN SESSION IN NEW YORK.

MISS COPLON, FORMER JUSTICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYE, WAS SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS IN PRISON LAST MARCH AFTER BEING CONVICTED WITH RUSSIAN ENGINEER VALENTIN GUBITCHEV ON CHARGES OF PLOTTING TO PASS SECRETS TO RUSSIA.

GUBITCHEV WAS ALLOWED TO RETURN TO RUSSIA. MISS COPLON IS FREE IN $40,000 BAIL PENDING HER APPEAL.

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B32 (DC ASKT)

NEW YORK, AUG. 28-(AP)-MRS. HIRAM C. HOUGHTON AND 29 MEMBERS OF HER GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS LEFT BY PLANE TODAY FOR A FIVE-WEEKS GOOD WILL TOUR OF EUROPE.

THEY CARRIED NYLON HOSE AND OTHER GIFTS FOR MEMBERS OF THE EUROPEAN FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS AS THEY LEFT IDLEWILD AIRPORT.

MRS. HOUGHTON OF RED OAK, IOWA, AND WASHINGTON, IS PRESIDENT OF THE GENERAL FEDERATION.

SHE SAID HER DELEGATION WOULD SURVEY THE MARSHALL PLAN AID TO EUROPE AND ALSO LOOK INTO WORK BEING DONE THERE ON BEHALF OF REFUGEE CHILDREN.

MRS. HOUGHTON ALSO SAID HER GROUP WANTS TO MAKE SURE THE EUROPEAN FEDERATION WILL REMAIN IN THE GENERAL FEDERATION "AS IT IS NECESSARY IN THE INTEREST OF PEACE THAT THIS VAST ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS REMAIN INTACT."

AMONG THE WOMEN IN THE PARTY WERE A LAWYER, INSURANCE EXECUTIVE, SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT AND UNIVERSITY REGISTRAR. MRS. HOUGHTON HERSELF IS A MEMBER OF THE IOWA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

BEFORE RETURNING TO THE UNITED STATES OCT. 3, THE GROUP OLANS TO VISIT ENGLAND, THE NETHERLANDS, DENMARK, BELGIUM, GERMANY, SWITZERLAND, ITALY AND FRANCE.

AN OFFICIAL RECEPTION FOR THEM IS SCHEDULED IN PARIS SEPT. 28.

MRS. HOUGHTON SAID THEY ALSO HOPE TO SEE WINSTON CHURCHILL, FORMER BRITISH PRIME MINISTER, WHILE THEY ARE IN LONDON. K.30 K51.44

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NEW YORK, AUG.28-(AP)-O. JOHN ROGGE RETURNED FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA 'ESTERDAY AND SAID HIS EFFORT TO REWRITE THE STOCKHOLM WORLD PEACE 'ETITION WAS "VERY NEATLY SIDETRACKED" BY COMMUNIST SYMPATHIZERS AT 'RAGUE.
HE HAD HOPED TO ASK THE PETITION'S SPONSORS--THE COMMUNIST-DOMINATED WORLD PARTISANS FOR PEACE--TO REVISE THE PETITION TO CONDEMN ALL FORMS OF AGGRESSION.
HE ALSO WANTED THEM TO DENOUNCE NORTH KOREAN AGGRESSION.
INSTEAD, HE SAID, THE PARTISANS' EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ENDORSED THE FOREIGN POLICY OF SOVIET RUSSIA.
AS A RESULT, HE SAID, THE PEACE PETITION IS NOW OUTDATED AND HE WOULD NOT SIGN IT UNDER THE PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES. HE WAS ONE OF THE ORIGINAL SIGNERS AT STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, LAST SPRING.
ROGGE SAID HE STILL HOPES TO GET HIS CHANGES MADE AT A PARTISANS' MEETING SET FOR SEPT.13 IN LONDON.
THE ORIGINAL DOCUMENT CONDEMNED ANY USE OF ATOMIC WEAPONS, CALLED FOR "INTERNATIONAL CONTROL" OF ATOMIC ENERGY, AND URGED THAT ANY NATIONAL LEADERS USING THE BOMB BE BRANDED AS WAR CRIMINALS.
ROGGE, A FORMER ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL, HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN VARIOUS LEFTIST CAUSES SINCE THE END OF THE WAR. HE IS NOW A PAID REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ANTI-STALIN COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT OF YUGOSLAVIA.
HE URGED AMERICAN AID FOR THE YUGOSLAVS, SAYING THAT COUNTRY IS MORE IN DANGER THAN EVER OF A SOVIET OR SATELLITE INVASION.
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NEW YORK, AUG.28-(AP)-THE SOCIALIST PARTY TODAY ASKED PRESIDENT TRUMAN TO REMOVE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY MATTHEWS FROM OFFICE.
IN A TELEGRAM RELEASED BY MISS ROBIN MYERS, NATIONAL SECRETARY, THE PARTY ASKED MR.TRUMAN FOR "PROMPT ACTION" TO "RESTORE REAL PEACE LEADERSHIP." IT URGED "TOTAL REPUDIATION OF THE 'PREVENTATIVE WAR' ADVOCATED BY X X X MATTHEWS BY HIS IMMEDIATE REMOVAL FROM THE CABINET."
THE TELEGRAM CITED AS A PRECEDENT FOR MATTHEWS' REMOVAL THE "RESIGNATION OF HENRY WALLACE WHEN HE PROPOSED APPEASEMENT OF RUSSIA."
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B32 HKUP (150)
NEW YORK, AUG.28-(AP)-MORE THAN 100 GERMAN TOWNS HAVE ASKED TO BE "ADOPTED" BY COMPARABLE TOWNS IN THE UNITED STATES, AN ORGANIZATION KNOWN AS "OPERATION DEMOCRACY" SAID YESTERDAY.
SINCE THE END OF THE WAR THE GROUP HAS BEEN PROMOTING SUCH ADOPTIONS. SOME ARE BETWEEN TOWNS OF SIMILAR NAME, SUCH AS NEW ROCHELLE, N.Y., AND LA ROCHELLE, FRANCE, AND SOME BETWEEN TOWNS OF SIMILAR SIZE.
MRS.JAMES SPARKMAN, MEMBER OF THE "OPERATION'S" NATIONAL ADVISORY BOARD, SAID RELIEF AND CULTURAL EXCHANGES HAVE BEEN ARRANGED BY THE GROUP IN 200 SUCH CASES, AND THAT 100 MORE "ADOPTIONS" HAVE BEEN MADE INDEPENDENTLY.
THIRTEEN EUROPEAN AND ASIATIC COUNTRIES NOW HAVE LINKS WITH THE U.S THROUGH THE PROGRAM.
BEFORE A GERMAN OR JAPANESE TOWN IS "ADOPTED," IT MUST BE CERTIFIED AS DESERVING AID BY THE AMERICAN OCCUPATION FORCES. SO FAR, 14 GERMAN COMMUNITIES HAVE BEEN APPROVED, SHE SAID.
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B13 HKUP (160)
NEW YORK, AUG.28-(AP)-THE UNITED STATES SHOULD TRY TO ARRANGE A WORLD CONFERENCE TO REVISE THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER SO THAT THE U.N. WOULD HAVE "REAL POWER" TO HALT AGGRESSION, THE UNITED WORLD FEDERALISTS, INC., SAYS.
"THE ABILITY OF THE U.N. TO ACT AGAINST AGGRESSION IN KOREA DEPENDED ON THE ABSENCE OF ONE NATION, THE SOVIET UNION," SAID A RESOLUTION ADOPTED YESTERDAY BY THE FEDERALISTS' EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.'
IT ADDED, "WE CANNOT REASONABLY EXPECT THE SAME SITUATION IN THE EVENT OF FUTURE AGGRESSION."
THE RESOLUTION URGED THE CHARTER REVISION CONFERENCE BE CALLED "TO GIVE THE U.N. THE LIMITED LEGISLATIVE, JUDICIAL AND POLICE POWERS THAT ARE REQUIRED TO PREVENT AGGRESSION."
THE UNITED STATES SHOULD MAKE CLEAR, THE RESOLUTION SAID, THAT "A GOAL OF ITS FOREIGN POLICY IS TO GIVE THE U.N. THE REAL POWER IT NEEDS TO PREVENT ANY FUTURE AGGRESSION AND TO SECURE AND ENFORCE UNIVERSAL DISARMAMENT.
THE COUNCIL'S TWO-DAY CLOSED SESSION WAS ATTENDED BY 54 MEMBERS FROM 17 STATES.
THE ORGANIZATION ADVOCATES A FEDERAL SYSTEM OF WORLD GOVERNMENT.
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NEW YORK, AUG. 28-(AP)-BEN GOLD, PRESIDENT OF THE CIO INDEPENDENT INTERNATIONAL FUR AND LEATHER WORKERS UNION, HAS RESIGNED FROM THE COMMUNIST PARTY TO COMPLY WITH THE TAFT-HARTLEY LAW, THE DAILY WORKER SAID TODAY.
GOLD, A MEMBER OF THE PARTY FOR 30 YEARS, WAS QUOTED AS SAYING:
"THE INTERNATIONAL FUR AND LEATHER WORKERS UNION WOULD NEVER HAVE COMPLIED WITH THIS SLAVE LABOR LAW WERE IT NOT FOR THE TREACHEROUS POLICIES OF RAIDING, WRECKING AND STRIKEBREAKING PRACTICED BY THE TOP OFFICIALS OF CIO AND AFL WHO ARE UTILIZING THIS ANTI-LABOR LAW TO DESTROY TRADE UNION."
GOLD SAID HE HAD NOT ABANDONED THE CONVICTIONS GAINED IN HIS MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, THE OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE PARTY REPORTED.
IT QUOTED HIM:
"NEITHER I NOR THE COMMUNIST PARTY EVER BELIEVED IN OR ADVOCATED THE OVERTHROW OF ANY DEMOCRATICALLY-ELECTED GOVERNMENT BY FORCE AND VIOLENCE."
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NIGHT LEAD COMMUNISTS (390)
NEW YORK, AUG. 28-(AP)-THE 11 CONVICTED U.S. COMMUNIST LEADERS TODAY WERE ORDERED JAILED WITIN 30 DAYS UNLESS THEY WIN A FURTHER PERIOD OF GRACE FROM THE U.S. SUPREME COURT.
IN A TWO-TO-ONE DECISION, THE U.S. COURT OF APPEALS REVOKED THE BAIL OF THE AMERICAN RED OFFICIALS, EFFECTIVE IN 30 DAYS, OR SOONER IF THE SUPREME COURT DENQES A FURTHER STAY BEFORE THEN.
THE COURT DID NOT GIVE ITS REASONS FOR THE ACTION.
GOVERNMENT PROSECUTORS HAD ASKED THAT THE COMMUNIST LEADERS BE JAILED AT ONCE ON GROUNDS THAT THEY REMAINED LOYAL TO RUSSIA. DESPITE THE KOREAN WAR, AND "SHOULD NOT BE AT LARGE IN THIS

HOUR OF NATIONAL CRISIS."
THE 11 WERE CONVICTED LAST OCTOBER OF CONSPIRING TO ADVOCATE FORCIBLE OVERTHROW OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.
THE APPEALS COURT, WHICH PREVIOUSLY UPHELD THE CONVICTION, ALSO DENIED A PETITION FOR A REHARING OF THE CASE.
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U.S. ATTORNEY IRVING H.SAYPOL SAID THAT DURING THE 30-DAY PERIOD THE CONVICTED MEN MAY APPLY TO A U.S. SUPREME COURT JUSTICE TO STAY THEIR PRISON SENTENCES PENDING DETERMINATION OF THEIR APPEAL TO THAT COURT.
IF THIS IS TURNED DOWN, HE SAID, THEY MUST GO TO JAIL IMMEDIATELY. IF THEY MAKE NO SUCH REQUEST, THEY MUST SURRENDER TO BEGIN THEIR SENTENCES IN 30 DAYS.
THE MAJORITY DECISION WAS SIGNED BY JUDGES THOMAS W.SWAN AND HARRIE (CQ) CHASE.
IN A DISSENTING OPINION, JUDGE LEARNED HAND SAID HE REGARDS "THE CASE AS INVOLVING SUBSTANTIAL QUESTIONS AND THEREFORE ENTITLING THE DEFENDANTS TO REMAIN ON BAIL" UNTIL A SUPREME COURT JUDGE ACTS ON THE QUESTION.

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ALL BUT ONE OF THE PARTY LEADERS--COMMUNIST GENERAL SECRETARY EUGENE DENNIS--ARE FREE ON BAIL.
DENNIS IS SERVING A ONE-YEAR JAIL TERM IN A SEPARATE CASE FOR CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS.
TEN OF THE 11 WERE SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS IN PRISON, AND THE OTHER, ROBERT G.THOMPSON, THE PARTY'S NEW YORK STATE CHAIRMAN, WAS GIVEN A THREE-YEAR TERM. EACH WAS FINED $10,000.
TODAY'S COURT ACTION PARALLELED SOMEWHAT A WEST COAST FEDERAL COURT'S MOVE IN CANCELLING BAIL OF HARRY BRIDGES, CIO LONGSHORE LEADER CONVICTED OF PERJURY IN DENYING COMMUNIST AFFILIATION IN A 1945 CITIZENSHIP APPLICATION.
THE COURT HELD THAT TMLALLOW BRIDGES TO CONTINUE ON BAIL DURING HIS APPEAL MENACED THE NATION'S SECURITY IN THE KOREAN CRISIS. A HIGHER COURT LATER REVERSED THE DECISION, AND BRIDGES WAS RESTORED TO BAIL. THE COMMUNIST PARTY LEADERS USED THE REVERSAL AS AN ARGUMENT FOR CONTINUANCE OF THEIR OWN BAIL.
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LATER, HALL ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING THE COURT MAJORITY IN ITS RULING "TOOK THE UNPRECEDENTED STEP OF NULLIFYING A BASIC AMERICAN CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT--THE RIGHT TO BAIL PENDING APPEAL."
HALL SAID THE MAJORITY ALSO IGNORED THE OPINION OF JUDGE HAND THAT SUBSTANTIAL QUESTIONS ARE INVOLVED, THE OPINION OF THE NINTH CIRCUIT COURT WHICH GRANTED BAIL TO BRIDGES AND "SUCH WIDELY DIVERSE VOICES AS THOSE OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION, THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY, THE ST.LOUIS POST-DISPATCH, THE (NEW YORK) DAILY COMPASS AND MANY OTHERS, URGING THE CONTINUANCE OF BAIL X X X."
HALL ADDED:
"IN SUPPORTING THE GOVERNMENT'S CONTENTION THAT THE 11 ARE A 'MENACE TO NATIONAL SECURITY' SIMPLY AND SOLELY BECAUSE THEY CRITICISE THE BI-PARTISAN WAR POLICY AND KOREAN INTERVENTION, THE TWO JUDGES PLACED A JUDICIAL SEAL OF APPROVAL ON GOVERNMENT GAGGING OF WAR POLICY CRITICS."
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BY MAX HARRELSON
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.28-(AP)-RUSSIA'S JAKOB A.MALIK TODAY CALLED A MEETING OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR TOMORROW AFTERNOON AND DIRECTED THAT THE FORMOSAN QUESTION BE ADDED TO THE COUNCIL'S WORK SHEET.
PREVIOUSLY THE ONLY ISSUE FORMALLY BEFORE THE 11-NATION BODY WAS THE KOREAN CONFLICT. THE UNITED STATES HAS INSISTED THAT IT WOULD WELCOME CONSIDERATION OF THE FORMOSAN PROBLEM BUT THAT THE KOREAN ISSUE MUST NOT BE SHUNTED ASIDE.
THE COUNCIL WILL MEET AT 2 P.M. (EST).
THE FORMOSAN ISSUE FIRST WAS INJECTED INTO THE DEBATE FRIDAY WHEN MALIK, AS AUGUST PRESIDENT, HAD A MESSAGE FROM CHOU EN-LAI, FOREIGN MINISTER OF COMMUNIST CHINA, READ INTO THE RECORD CHARGING THE UNITED STATES WITH AGGRESSION. THE UNITED STATES COUNTERED WITH A LONG DENIAL AND A STATEMENT THAT THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT WOULD WELCOME A U.N. INQUIRY EITHER HERE OR ON THE SPOT.
MALIK HAS POWER AS PRESIDENT TO PLACE ANY ITEM ON THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA, BUT THE COUNCIL ITSELF MUST DECIDE WHETHER IT WILL AGREE TO DISCUSS FORMOSA AND, IF SO, WHETHER SUCH DISCUSSIONS WILL HAVE PRIORITY OVER THE KOREAN ISSUE.

A MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN DELEGATION SAID THE UNITED STATES WOULD NOT TAKE AN ACTIVE PART IN FIGHTING TO KEEP THE CHARGES OFF THE AGENDA. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT OTHER MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL WERE DETERMINED TO KEEP THE FORMOSAN ISSUE OFF BECAUSE IT WOULD GET TANGLED UP WITH THE KOREAN QUESTION. T.F.TSIANG, NATIONALIST CHINESE DELEGATE, IS CERTAIN TO BE ONE DELEGATE TO VOTE AGAINST IT.
THE COUNCIL HAS INSISTED THAT THE KOREAN QUESTION HAS PRIORITY AND A U.S.STATEMENT LAST FRIDAY REITERATED THAT. IF MALIK CANNOT GET SIX COUNTRIES TO SUPPORT HIM ON PLACING THE FORMOSA ITEM ON THE AGENDA, HIS FIGHT FAILS.
THE U.S.MEMBER SAID THAT IF THE FORMOSAN QUESTION DOES GET ON THE AGENDA, THERE PROBABLY WOULD BE ALTERNATE COUNCIL SESSIONS ON KOREA AND ON FORMOSA, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF RED CHINA WOULD HAVE TO BE ADMITTED TO THE FORMOSAN DISCUSSION AS AN INTERESTED PARTY.
COMMUNIST CHINA HAS NO REPRESENTATIVES IN THIS COUNTRY AT PRESENT, BUT NAMED A FIVE-MAN DELEGATION FOR THE FORTHCOMING GENERAL ASSEMBLY SATURDAY.
THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF TOMORROW'S SESSION WAS MADE AT THE END OF A THREE-HOUR CLOSED MEETING AT WHICH THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA

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CLASHED OVER A DRAFT REPORT TO THE ASSEMBLY.
U.S.DELEGATE ERNEST A.GROSS PROPOSED THAT PARTS OF THE REPORT DEALING WITH THE KOREAN PROBLEM SHOULD BE DELETED AND THAT A SPECIAL REPORT ON KOREA BE SENT TO THE ASSEMBLY. THE COUNCIL'S REGULAR REPORT GOES ONLY AS FAR AS JULY 15. GROSS SUGGESTED THAT THE SPECIAL REPORT TAKE THE PROBLEM CLEAR UP TO SEPT. 1 AND THAT IT INCLUDE FULL VERBATIM ACCOUNTS OF ALL DEBATE.
MALIK COUNTERED WITH A PROPOSAL THAT ALL SECTIONS OF THE REPORT DEALING WITH THE PERIOD BETWEEN JAN.13 AND JULY 15 BE DELETED. HE SAID ALL COUNCIL ACTION AFTER THE SOVIET WALKOUT BEGAN JAN.13 IS ILLEGAL AND SHOULD NOT BE MENTIONED IN THE REPORT.
NO DECISION ON EITHER PROPOSAL WAS TAKEN. THE COUNCIL WILL MEET AGAIN EARLY IN SEPTEMBER TO CONSIDER THESE AND OTHER SUGGESTIONS FOR THE REPORT.
THE U.N., MEANWHILE, RECEIVED ANOTHER LONG REPORT FROM COMMUNIST NORTH KOREA ASSERTING AMERICAN BOMBERS ARE KILLING THOUSANDS OF INNOCENT CIVILIANS AND DESTROYING HOSPITALS, SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES.
THE U.N. ALSO RECEIVED A PROTEST FROM THE COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT OF ALBANIA AGAINST WHAT IT CALLED THE "CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES" OF U.S.AIR FORCES IN KOREA.
A PREVIOUS PROTEST ALREADY HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE NORTH KOREAN REGIME AND READ TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL BY MALIK. PROTESTS ALSO HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM POLAND, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ROMANIA AND RED CHINA.
THE U.N. ALSO RECEIVED A CABLE FROM CHOU EN-LAI, FOREIGN MINISTER OF THE CHINESE COMMUNIST REGIME, CHARGING THE UNITED STATES WITH BOMING CHINESE TERRITORY IN MANCHURIA. CHOU DEMANDED THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL CONDEMN THE ALLEGED AIR INVASION OF CHINA AND ORDER WITHDRAWAL OF ALL U.S.TROOPS FROM KOREA.

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BY A.I.GOLDBERG
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.28-(AP)-ANOTHER STORMY MEETING OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL--THIS TIME OVER THE GROUP'S ANNUAL REPORT--IS ANTICIPATED TODAY, BUT PUBLIC AND PRESS WILL BE BARRED FROM THE FIREWORKS.
RUSSIA'S COUNCIL PRESIDENT JAKOB A.MALIK ORDERED THE PRIVATE SESSION FOR THE DELEGATES TO GO OVER THE SUMMARY OF THEIR YEAR'S WORK, TO BE PRESENTED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OPENING SEPT.19.
THE REPORT, ALREADY DRAFTED BY THE SECRETARIAT, IS TO COVER THE YEAR ENDING LAST JULY 15. DURING THAT PERIOD RUSSIA STAGED ITS WALKOUTS OVER THE CHINESE REPRESENTATION QUESTION AND THE COUNCIL, WITHOUT RUSSIA, TOOK SWIFT ACTION IN THE KOREAN CONFLICT.
USUALLY, CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORT IS A TECHNICAL QUESTION--ONE DELEGATE SUGGESTS THAT A PARAGRAPH BE CHANGED TO PRESENT HIS VIEWPOINT BETTER, ANOTHER OBJECTS TO A PHRASE AND PROPOSES IMPROVING THE LANGUAGE.
BUT MALIK HAS TAKEN THE STAND SINCE HIS AUG.1 RETURN FROM A SEVEN-MONTH BOYCOTT THAT ACTIONS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL ON KOREA WERE ILLEGAL. HE IS EXPECTED TO FIGHT HARD TO MAKE THE REPORT LEAN HEAVILY TOWARD THE RUSSIAN VERSION. AND HE IS PROMISED A BITTER FIGHT BY OTHER MEMBERS WHO WANT THE REPORT TO SAY JUST WHAT THE COUNCIL HAS DONE.
NO DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR ANOTHER PUBLIC MEETING, BUT MALIK IS PRESIDENT THROUGH THURSDAY.
WHAT SIR GLADWYN JEBB, BRITISH DELEGATE, WILL DO ABOUT A MEETING WHEN HIS TERM OF OFFICE BEGINS FRIDAY, SEPT.1, IS NOT KNOWN.
SOME OTHER DELEGATES ARE EAGER TO HAVE A MEETING THAT DAY AND TRY TO CLEAN UP IN ONE SESSION THE UNFINISHED BUSINESS MALIK HAS BLOCKED FOR THE PAST MONTH. THEY ADMIT, HOWEVER, IT WILL BE HARD TO DO IF MALIK DOES NOT RESUME HIS WALKOUT BUT STAYS TO MAKE LONG SPEECHES AND USE HIS VETO POWER.
SOME SAW IN MALIK'S STATEMENT LAST WEEK THAT THE FORMOSA QUESTION WILL BE ARGUED AT "LATER MEETINGS" AN INDICATION HE INTENDS TO STAY.

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THE CHINESE COMMUNIST CHARGES OF U.S. AGGRESSION IN FORMOSA--BRANDED AS "RIDICULOUS FALSEHOODS" BY THE U.S.--WERE FOLLOWED UP OVER THE WEEKEND BY NEW RED DEMANDS FOR SEATS IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
RED CHINA'S FOREIGN MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI SENT SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE THE NAMES OF FIVE DELEGATES WITH A DEMAND THAT LIE ARRANGE TO GET THEM HERE FOR THE MEETING. THAT WOULD MEAN GETTING U.S. VISAS ON THEIR DIPLOMATIC PASSPORTS.
A NEW FIGHT TO SEAT THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS WAS ANTICIPATED IN THE MEETING OF THE ASSEMBLY CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE, A DAY OR SO BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY OPENS AT FLUSHING MEADOW, NEW YORK.
BUT NATIONALIST SUPPORTERS ARE CERTAIN THAT A MAJORITY OF THE 59 NATIONS WILL KNOCK DOWN THE CHINESE COMMUNIST DEMANDS EVEN IF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE SHOULD RECOMMEND SEATING THE REDS.
HEADING CHOU'S LIST OF FIVE ARE TWO AMERICAN-EDUCATED CHINESE, CHANG WEN-TIEN, A VETERAN COMMUNIST, AND CHI CHAO-TING, AN ECONOMIST WHO LEFT THE NATIONALIST RANKS IN 1947 TO BECOME A COMMUNIST BANK GOVERNOR.
THE PEIPING RADIO REPORTED A FURTHER DEMAND FROM CHOU, FOR OUSTER OF CHINESE NATIONALISTS FROM THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND, THE INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT (WORLD BANK) AND THE INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY FUND (UNICEF).
THE BROADCAST, HEARD IN LONDON, SAID CHOU IN A CABLE TO LIE ASKED THE OUSTER FROM THE TWO FINANCIAL BODIES BEFORE THEY OPEN BOARD MEETINGS SCHEDULED SEPT.6 IN PARIS.
CHOU CHARGED UNICEF MISSIONS SENT TO "LIBERATED" AREAS OF CHINA HAD FAILED TO RESPECT NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY AND "TRANSGRESSED REPEATEDLY AGREEMENTS REACHED BETWEEN THEM AND RELIEF BODIES IN THE LIBERATED AREAS."

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LAKE SUCCESS, AUG.28-(AP)-RUSSIA'S JAKOB A. MALIK FAILED TO INVITE NATIONALIST CHINA'S UNITED NATIONS DELEGATE, T.F. TSIANG, TO A DINNER HE IS GIVING AT THE WALDORF-ASTORIA WEDNESDAY NIGHT, IT WAS LEARNED TODAY.
MALIK IS ENTERTAINING FELLOW DELEGATES TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRACTICE ESTABLISHED BY PREVIOUS PRESIDENTS. HIS MONTH AS COUNCIL PRESIDENT ENDS THURSDAY.
IN SNUBBING TSIANG, MALIK IS PAYING HIM BACK FOR A SIMILAR SNUB WHEN TSIANG WAS PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL LAST JANUARY. TSIANG ALSO HELD HIS DINNER AT THE WALDORF.
MALIK INVITED ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL.
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U.N.--FINANCE (190)
LAKE SUCCESS, AUG. 28-(AP)-A UNITED NATIONS COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED TODAY THAT THE UNITED STATES PAY A SLIGHTLY SMALLER PERCENTAGE OF THE U.N.'S COSTS AND THAT RUSSIA PAY A FRACTION MORE.
UNDER THE NEW SCALE OF ASSESSMENTS PREPARED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S COMMITTEE ON CONTRIBUTIONS, THE UNITED STATES WOULD PAY 38.92 PER CENT OF THE 1951 BUDGET INSTEAD OF 39.79. RUSSIA'S SHARE WOULD BE UPPED FROM 6.34 PER CENT TO 6.98.
ON THE BASIS OF A $45,450,000 BUDGET, AS PROPOSED BY SECRETARY-GENERAL TRYGVE LIE, THE U.S. REDUCTION WOULD MEAN A SAVING OF APPROXIMATELY $395,000. RUSSIA'S INCREASE WOULD AMOUNT TO ABOUT $290,000.
THE U.S. REDUCTION DOES NOT COME ANYWHERE NEAR MEETING AMERICAN DEMANDS FOR A SLASH TO 33 1/3 PER CENT. THE UNITED STATES HAS ARGUED THAT NO ONE GOVERNMENT SHOULD PAY MORE THAN ONE-THIRD OF THE U.N.'S COST. RUSSIA ON THE OTHER HAND, IS EXPECTED TO OPPOSE THE PROPOSED INCREASE WHICH WAS RECOMMENDED WHILE THE SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE BOYCOTTED THE COMMITTEE ON CONTRIBUTIONS.
OTHER COUNTRIES LISTED FOR SMALL INCREASES INCLUDED AFGHANISTAN, WHITE RUSSIA, CANADA, CUBA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, GREECE, GUATEMALA, INDIA, PAKISTAN, POLAND, SOVIET UKRAINE, VENEZUELA, AND YUGOSLAVIA. THE INCREASES RANGE FROM 0.01 TO 0.10 PER CENT.
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A SOUTH KOREAN PORT--FIRST ADD BRITISH A6 X X X APPLE BRANDY.
AS THE CARRIER SLID UP TO THE PIER, THE U.S. 56TH ARMY BAND PLAYED "GOD SAVE THE KING." IT WAS A MOMENT OF HIGH EMOTION FOR THOSE WATCHI
ON THE DECKS OF THE CARRIER, THE BRITISH CAME TO ATTENTION. THEY STOOD AT THE RAIL, TALL AND STRAIGHT. AND THEN, AS THE NOTES DIED AWA THEY CHEERED.
A SOUTH KOREAN BAND ALSO WELCOMED THE BRITISH AND A CHORUS OF SOUTH KOREAN GIRLS SANG THE BRITISH ANTHEM. MOST OF THE GIRLS HAD FLED SEOUL, CAPITAL OF SOUTH KOREA WHICH FELL TO THE REDS EARLY IN THE INVASION.
THEN THE GIRLS SANG THE "UNITED NATIONS WELCOME SONG," WRITTEN BY A SOUTH KOREAN. THEY SANG: "THE UNITED NATIONS ARMY IS COMING, HOLDING UP THE FORCES OF RIGHTEOUSNESS, TO PUT AN END TO WICKEDNESS."
THE FIRST OFFICER ASHORE FROM THE UNICORN WAS MAJOR R.A.GWYN OF HELENSBURGH, SCOTLAND.
"OUR MEN WANT TO KNOW WHAT THEY HAVE GOT TO DO--AND THEY ARE READY TO DO IT," HE SAID BRIEFLY.
THE CEYLON TOUCHED THE PIER A FEW MINUTES AFTER THE UNICORN AND THE WILD MUSIC OF BAGPIPES SWIRLED ACROSS THE WATER. THEY WERE PLAYIN "THE BARREN ROCKS OF ADEN."
THE BAGPIPERS WERE RESPLENDENT IN KILTS AND SPORRANS WITH COCKY GLENGARRIES PERCHED ON THEIR HEADS.
AS THE MUSIC ENDED, A BULL-NECKED SERGEANT-MAJOR WAVED A STICK AND SHOUTED AT HIS MEN: "GET BACK THERE BAKER COMPANY. GET BACK TO YOUR GEAR.
AND THE MEN BEGAN SHOULDERING THEIR PACKS AND WEAPONS TO DISEMBARK.
AN AMERICAN SHOUTED FROM THE PIER, "HOW'S THE MORALE OF YOUR MEN?"
A PRIVATE TURNED AND GRINNED BROADLY ACROSS THE RAIL.
"VERY GOOD," HE SAID. "VERY GOOD INDEED. COULDN'T BE BETTER."
NEAR HIM A YOUNG SOLDIER STOOD LOOKING AT THE GREEN HILLS RISING IN THE DISTANCE--THE KIND OF HILLS ACROSS WHICH HE WOULD BE FIGHTING SOON.

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"WE CAN TAKE IT," HE SAID. "WE CAN TRY ANYTHING ONCE."
LANCE CPL. CHARLES BELL, A 33-YEAR-OLD COAL MINER FROM FIFE, SCOTLAND, SAID: "WE'LL HAVE A GO AT THEM -- SURE THING. THE MOUNTAINS WERE HIGH? THEY'RE NOT. IN SCOTLAND THEY'RE MUCH HIGHER."
THE TROOPS WERE FROM THE ARGYLL AND SUTHERLAND REGIMENT AND THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT. THEY ARE UNDER THE COMMAND OF BRIGADIER B.A. COAD, 44, A LEAN, GREYING OFFICER WHO FOUGHT WITH FIELD MARSHAL MONTGOMERY IN EUROPE.
BEFORE HIS MEN ARRIVED, COAD TOLD CORRESPONDENTS:
"I AM PROUD TO BE CHOSEN COMMANDER OF THE FIRST BRITISH (GROUND) FORCES TO COME TO KOREA. I AM PROUD TO BE ABLE TO FIGHT AGAIN BESIDE MY OLD FRIENDS, THE AMERICANS."
MOST OF THE OFFICERS AND A LARGE MAJORITY OF THE NONCOMS ARE BATTLE VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II.
THE BRITISH BROUGHT LIGHT FIGHTING EQUIPMENT -- MORTARS, MACHINE-GUNS, AUTOMATIC RIFLES AND RIFLES. THE AMERICANS WILL HELP THEM GET HEAVIER EQUIPMENT AND ARTILLERY. THEY ALSO WILL SUPPLY THEM WITH TANK-KILLING 3.5 INCH BAZOOKAS.
ON THE WAY FROM HONG KONG, THE BRITISH TRAINED ON DECK WITH THE BAZOOKA -- FIRING AT TARGETS IN THE WATER. THEY SAID THEY LIKED IT.
"I AM GLAD WE ARE ON YOUR SIDE," ONE SOLDIER SAID. "I WOULDN'T WANT TO HAVE TO GO UP AGAINST YOUR BAZOOKA."
THE TROOPS WERE MET BY A DELEGATION OF AMERICANS, BRITISH AND SOUTH KOREA OFFICIALS. THEY INCLUDED JOHN J. MUCCION, U.S. AMBASSADOR TO THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH KOREA; SIDNEY FAITHFUL, BRITISH CHARGE D'AFFAIRES; REAR ADM. SOHN WON C. YUIL, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS FOR THE SOUTH KOREANS, AND 50 MEMBERS OF THE KOREAN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, HEADED BY CHIANG TAIK SANG, VICE CHAIRMAN.
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"I WOULDN'T MISS THIS IN A MILLION YEARS -- IT'S THE FIRST GOOD THING I HAVE SEEN SINCE I CAME HERE," SAID PFC WILLIAM J. STANAHAN OF 259 CHESTNUT AVE., BOSTON.
"NOW THEY ARE HERE WE OUGHT TO BE ABLE TO START PUSHING SOON," SAID PFC NILS MALBERT OF WATERBURY, CONN. "I WAS IN NEW GUINEA WITH THEM AND THEY ARE A GOOD TEAM," ADDED SGT. VIRGIL MILLER OF CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO. "THEY LOOK READY TO GO."
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AND THEY WERE READY TO GO. THE BAND MUSIC AND THE PIPES DIED DOWN. THE TROOPS FILED OFF THE SHIP. THEY ASSEMBLED INTO FORMATION -- AND THEN THEY MARCHED OFF THE PIER AND INTO THE BATTLE FOR KOREA.
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